

Pressure-Temperature Adiabatic Relationship For Gases

Seán Hayes

26-Sep-2015

$$P.V^\gamma = \text{Constant}$$

$$P.V = n.R.T$$

$$V = \frac{n.R.T}{P}$$

$$P. \left(\frac{n.R.T}{P} \right)^\gamma = \text{Constant}$$

$$P^{1-\gamma}.T^\gamma.(n.R)^\gamma = \text{Constant}$$

n and R and gamma are also constants

$$P^{1-\gamma}.T^\gamma = \text{Constant}$$

$$P_1^{1-\gamma}.T_1^\gamma = P_2^{1-\gamma}.T_2^\gamma$$

$$T_2^\gamma = \left(\frac{P_1^{1-\gamma}}{P_2^{1-\gamma}} \right).T_1^\gamma$$

$$T_2^\gamma = \left(\frac{P_2^{\gamma-1}}{P_1^{\gamma-1}} \right).T_1^\gamma$$

$$(T_2^\gamma)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}} = \left(\left(\frac{P_2^{\gamma-1}}{P_1^{\gamma-1}} \right).T_1^\gamma \right)^{\frac{1}{\gamma}}$$

$$T_2 = T_1. \left(\frac{P_2}{P_1} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}$$

γ = Specific heat ratio $\left(\frac{c_p}{c_v} \right)$. Dimensionless, 1.40 for Air, Standard (Engineering Toolbox).

Use absolute pressure and temperature.