

Thermal Physics

PHYS/BMME 441

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Lectures 9 - 11

When & Where: Mon. / Wed. 8:45- 10:00 AM, Phillips 247

Textbook: *An Introduction to Thermal Physics*, Daniel V. Schroeder

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Outlook for this week

Chapter 4: Engines and Refrigerators (chapters 4.1 to 4.4)

read chapters:

- 4.1 Heat Engines
- 4.2 Refrigerators
- 4.3 Real Heat Engines
- 4.4 Real Refrigerators

Macroscopic View

$$dS = \frac{1}{T}dU + \frac{p}{T}dV - \frac{\mu}{T}dN$$

When the notion of entropy and second law was formulated, it was purely based on heat transfer.

There was no notion of multiplicity, microstates etc. The existence of atoms was even not well accepted.

Let's put on our Victorian hats and take a trip to the mid- late 1800s...



[Image: Key & Peele, ``When Your Friend Goes Steampunk'']

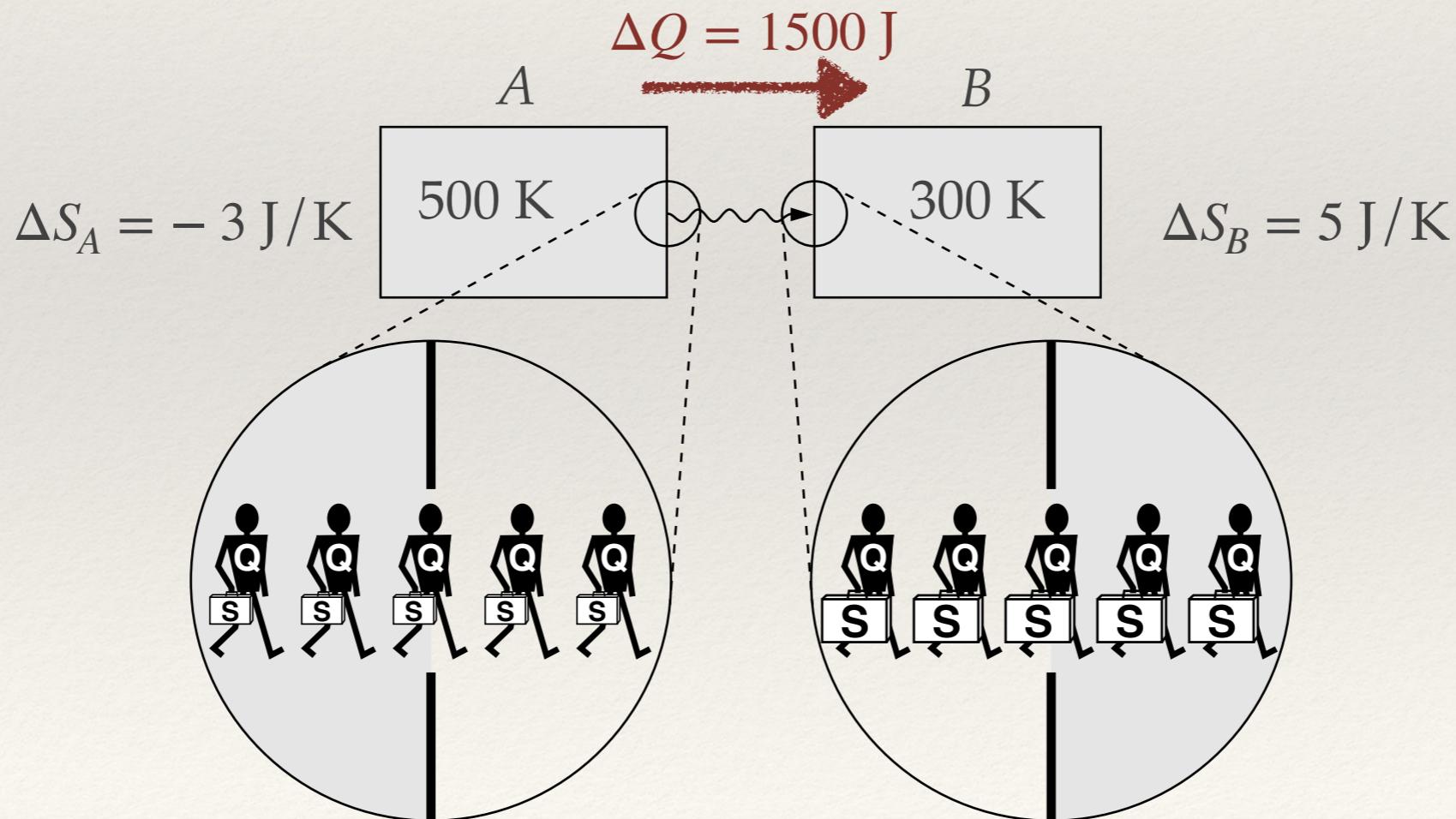
Macroscopic View of Entropy

Clausius, 1865: *entropy*: ``the thing that changes by $\Delta Q/T$ when heat enters into a system at temperature T ''

$$\Delta S = \frac{\Delta Q}{T}$$

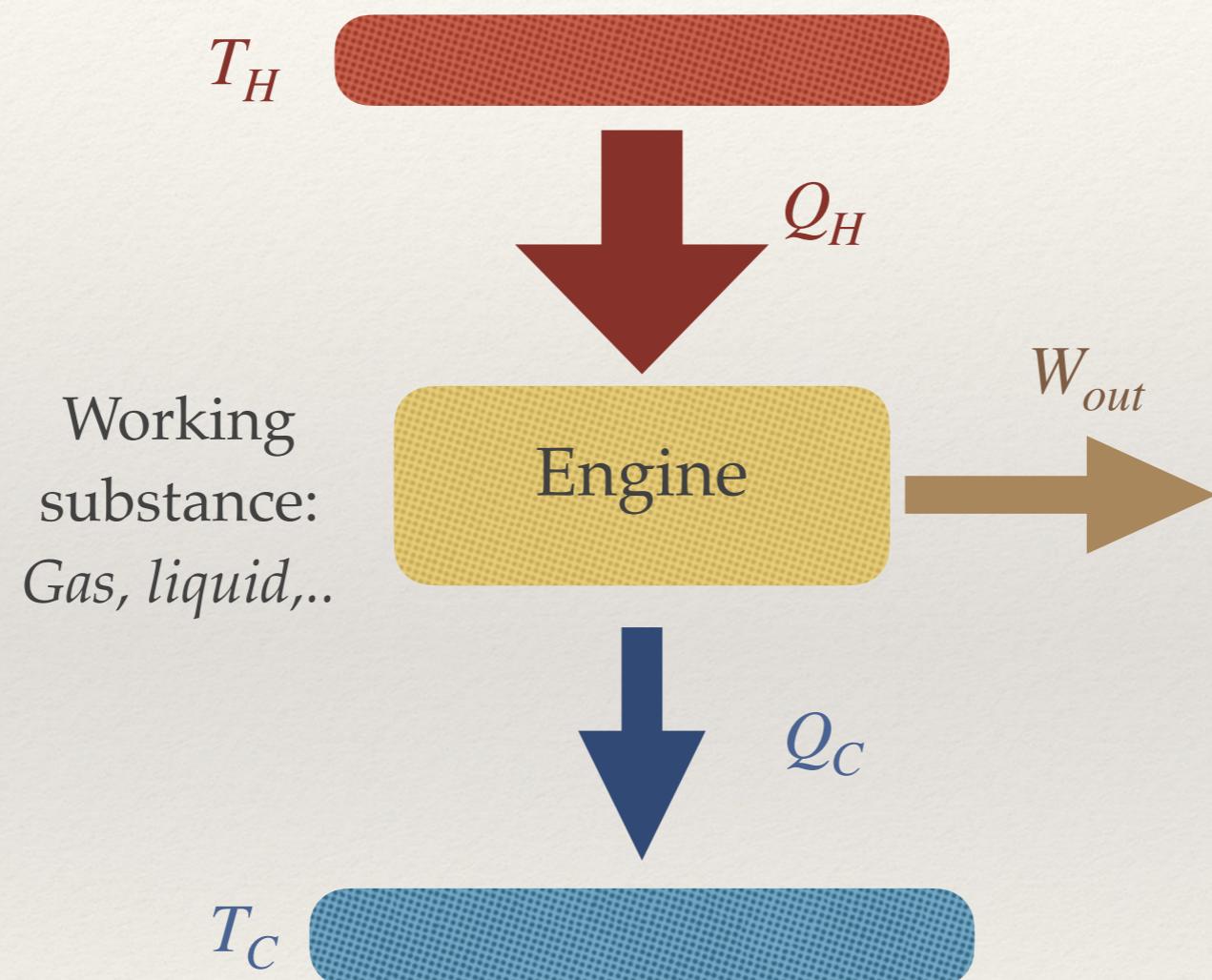
Coined the name *entropy* and humbly introduced the unit ``Clausius'' (Cl= 1cal/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$). The name stuck, the unit didn't...

e.g.



Heat Engines

Hot reservoir (T doesn't change noticeably): e.g. where fuel is burned



First law:

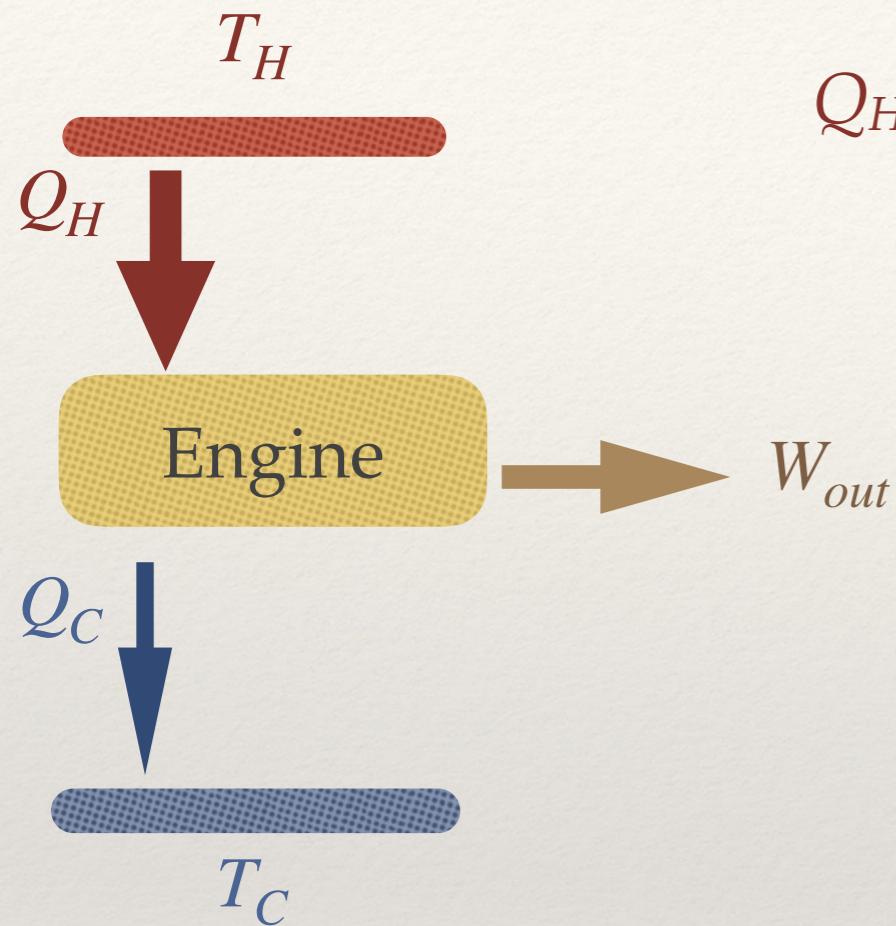
$$Q_H = Q_C + W_{out}$$

Efficiency:

$$e = \frac{W}{Q_H} = 1 - \frac{Q_C}{Q_H}$$

Cold reservoir e.g. outside environment

Heat Engines: Efficiency

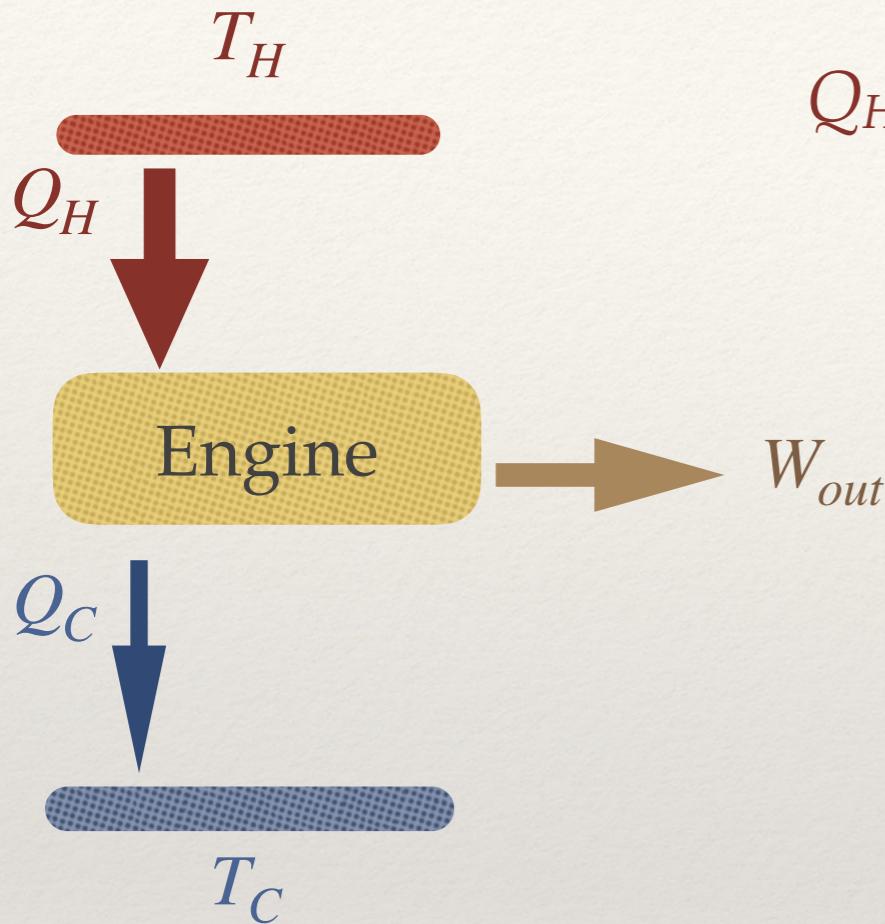


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Heat Engines: Efficiency



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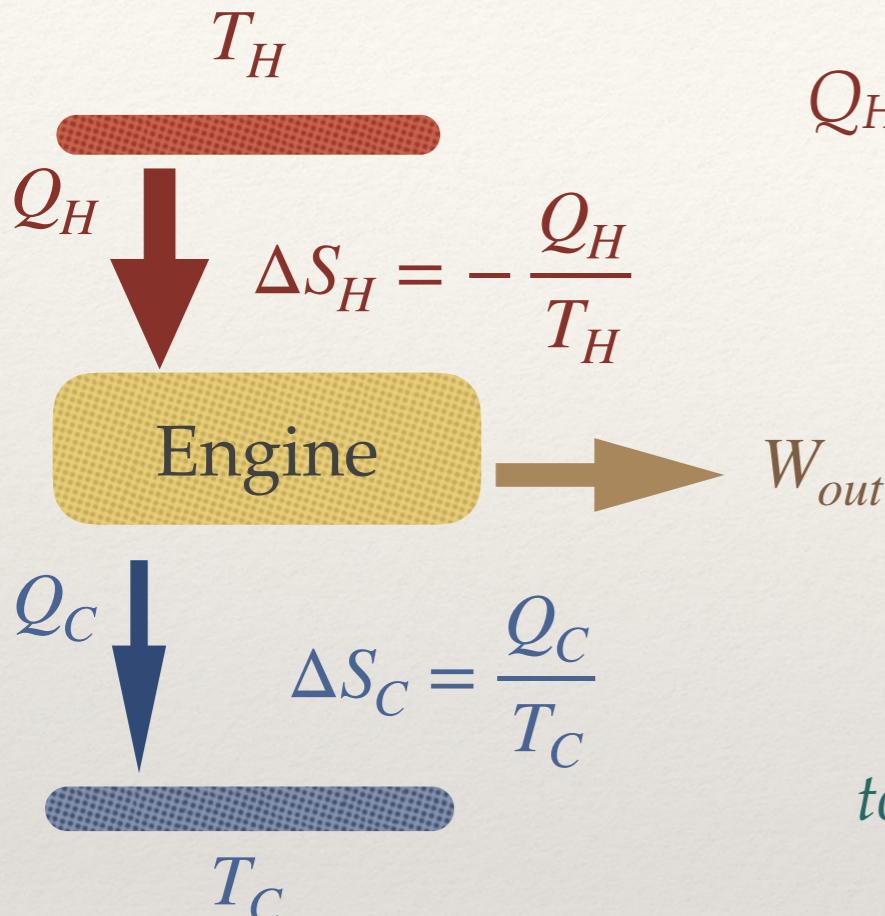
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- Second law:

total entropy (engine + surroundings) always increases

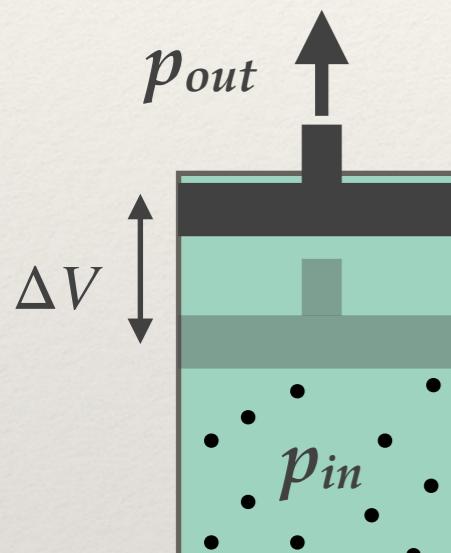
$$\Delta S_{tot} = \Delta S_H + \Delta S_C \geq 0$$

$$\frac{Q_C}{T_C} \geq \frac{Q_H}{T_H} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{Q_C}{Q_H} \geq \frac{T_C}{T_H} \quad \Rightarrow \quad e \leq 1 - \frac{T_C}{T_H}$$

Maximum efficiency: $e_{max} = 1 - \frac{T_C}{T_H}$

Heat Engines: Efficiency

e.g. expansion of ideal gas


$$W_{total} = p_{in}\Delta V$$

work needed to push the gas outside : $W_{tax} = p_{out}\Delta V$

$$W_{useful} = W_{tot} - W_{tax} = (p_{in} - p_{out})\Delta V$$

$$e = \frac{W_{useful}}{W_{total}} = \frac{p_{in} - p_{out}}{p_{in}} = 1 - \frac{p_{out}}{p_{in}} = 1 - \frac{T_{out}}{T_{in}}$$

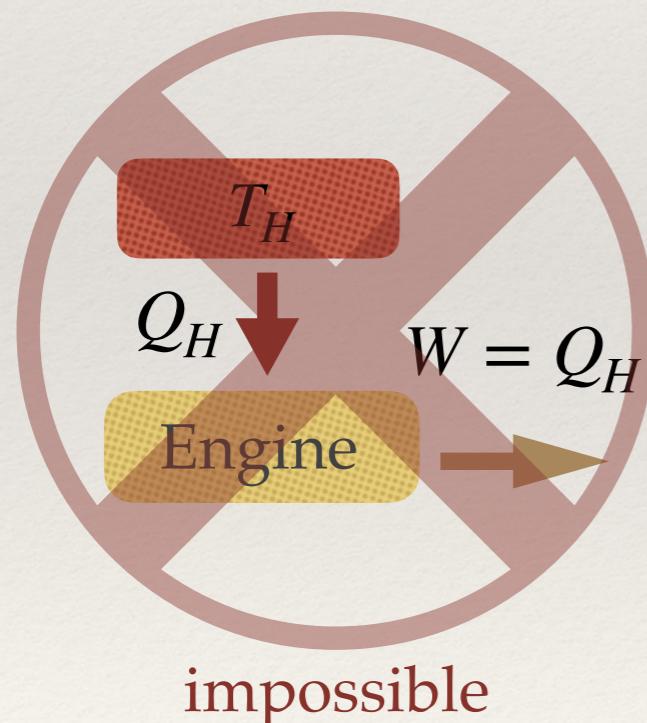


Second Law and Heat Engines

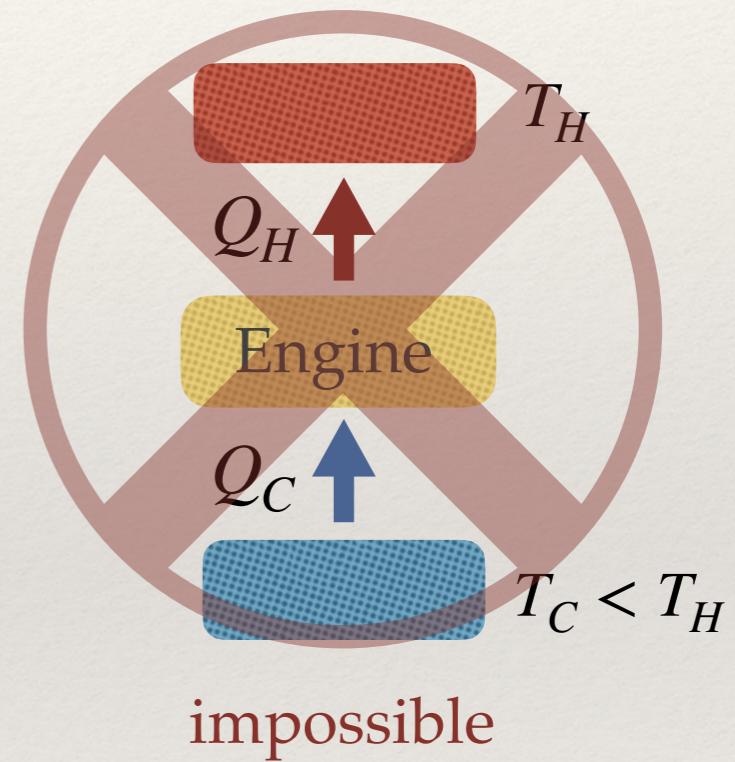
The Second Law was first formulated solely in terms of macroscopic physics

Kelvin-Planck

It is impossible to construct an engine which will work in a complete cycle, and produce no effect except the raising of a weight and cooling of a heat reservoir.



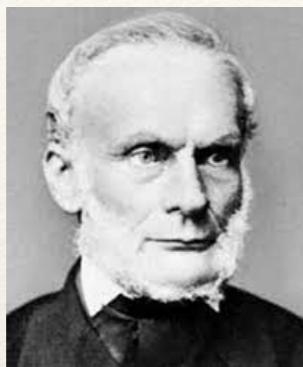
Clausius



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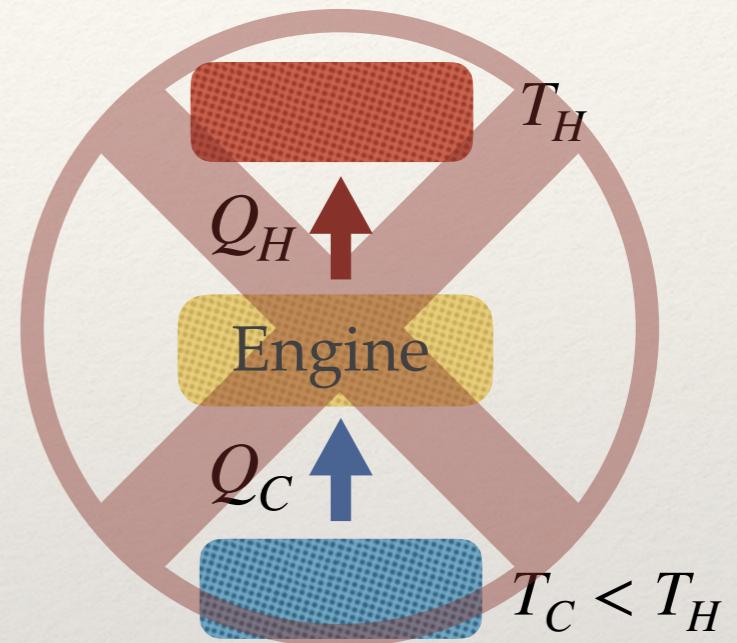
Clausius



vs.



Clausius



outside: T_H

$$Q_H \uparrow$$

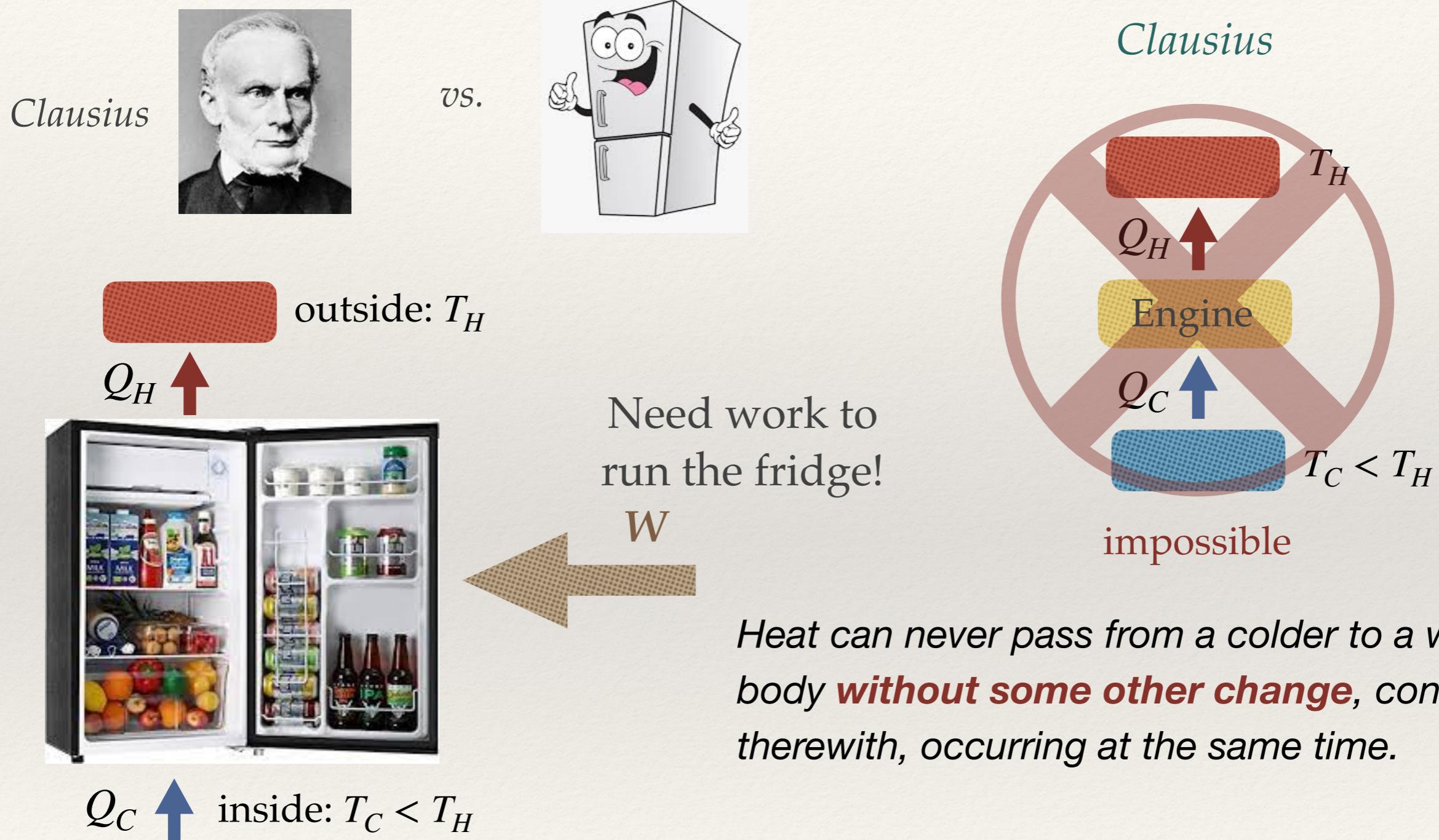


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$$Q_C \uparrow \text{ inside: } T_C < T_H$$

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Second Law and Heat Engines



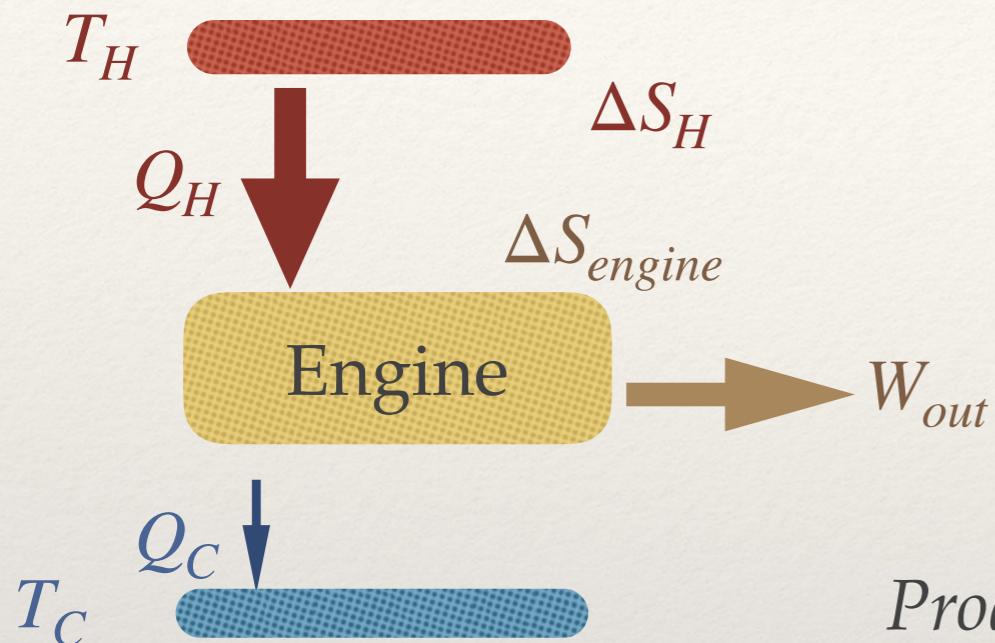
Classroom Exercise

In order to design an engine which is efficient
we should understand what we should *avoid*

Question:

How can we decrease the efficiency of an engine?

Heat Engines: Efficiency



We can *decrease* the efficiency

if $T_{engine} < T_H$

$$\Delta S_{engine} = \frac{Q_H}{T_{engine}} > \frac{Q_H}{T_H} = \Delta S_H$$

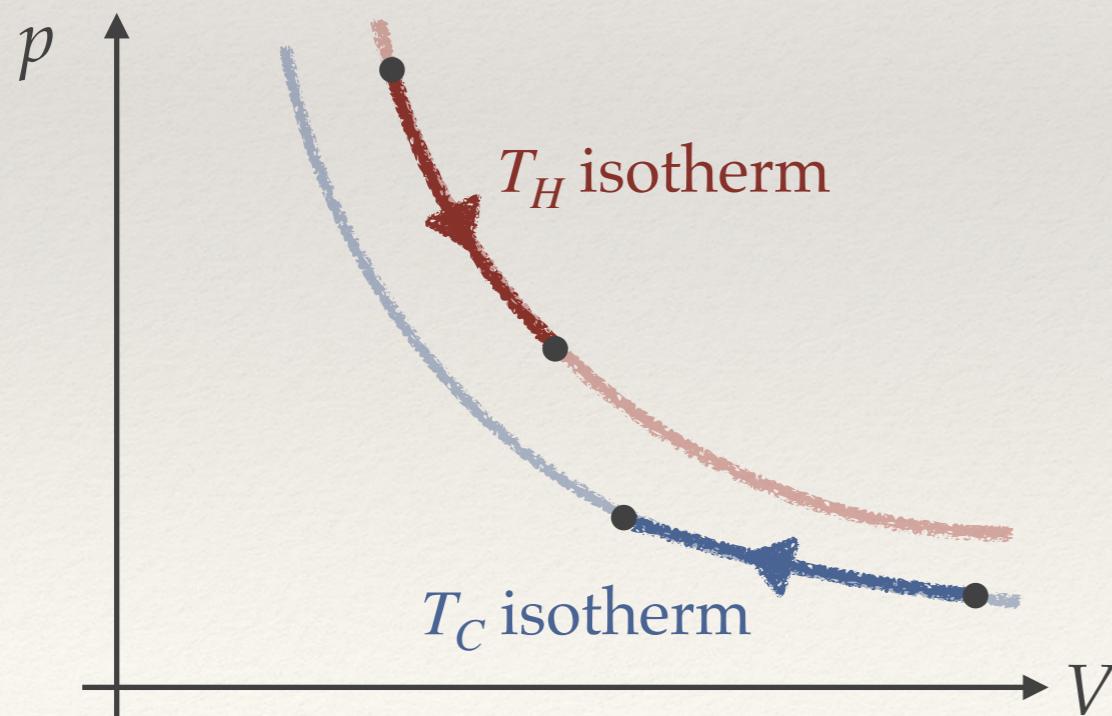
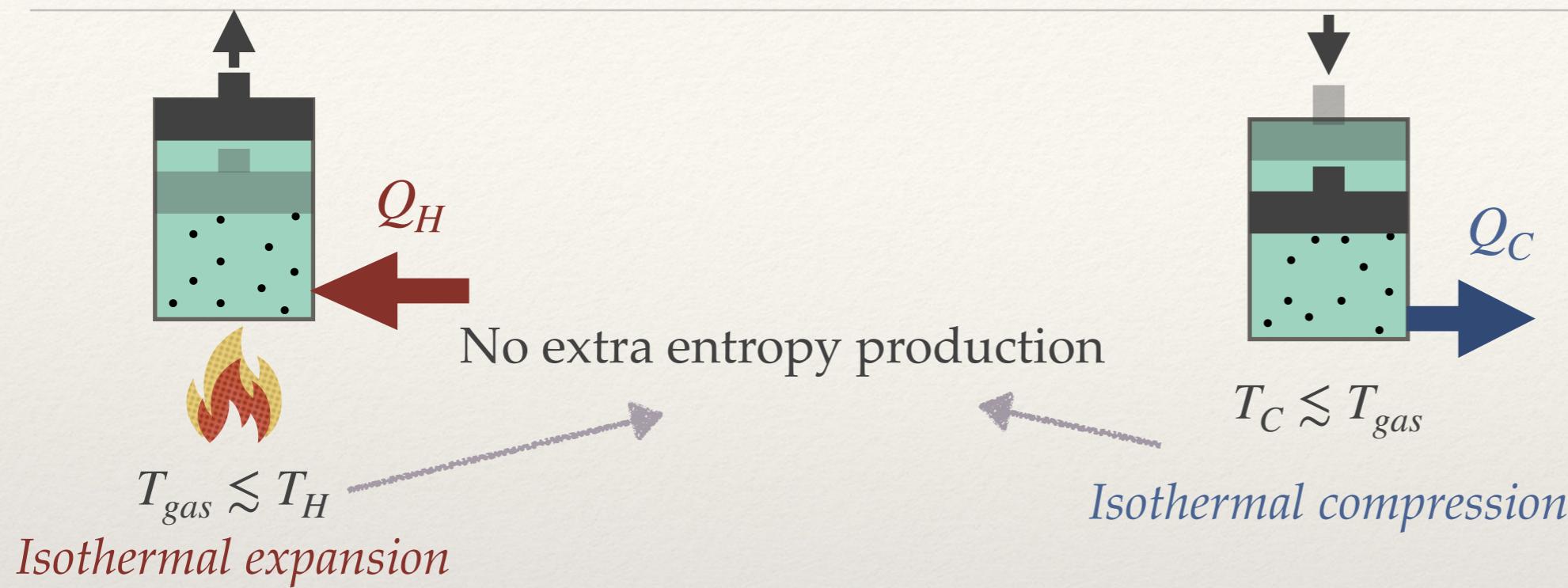
Produces additional entropy $\Delta S_{extra} = \Delta S_{engine} - \Delta S_H$

$$\frac{Q_C}{T_C} \geq \frac{Q_H}{T_H} + \Delta S_{extra} \Rightarrow \frac{Q_C}{Q_H} \geq \frac{T_C}{T_{engine}} \Rightarrow e \leq 1 - \frac{T_C}{T_{engine}} < e_{max}$$

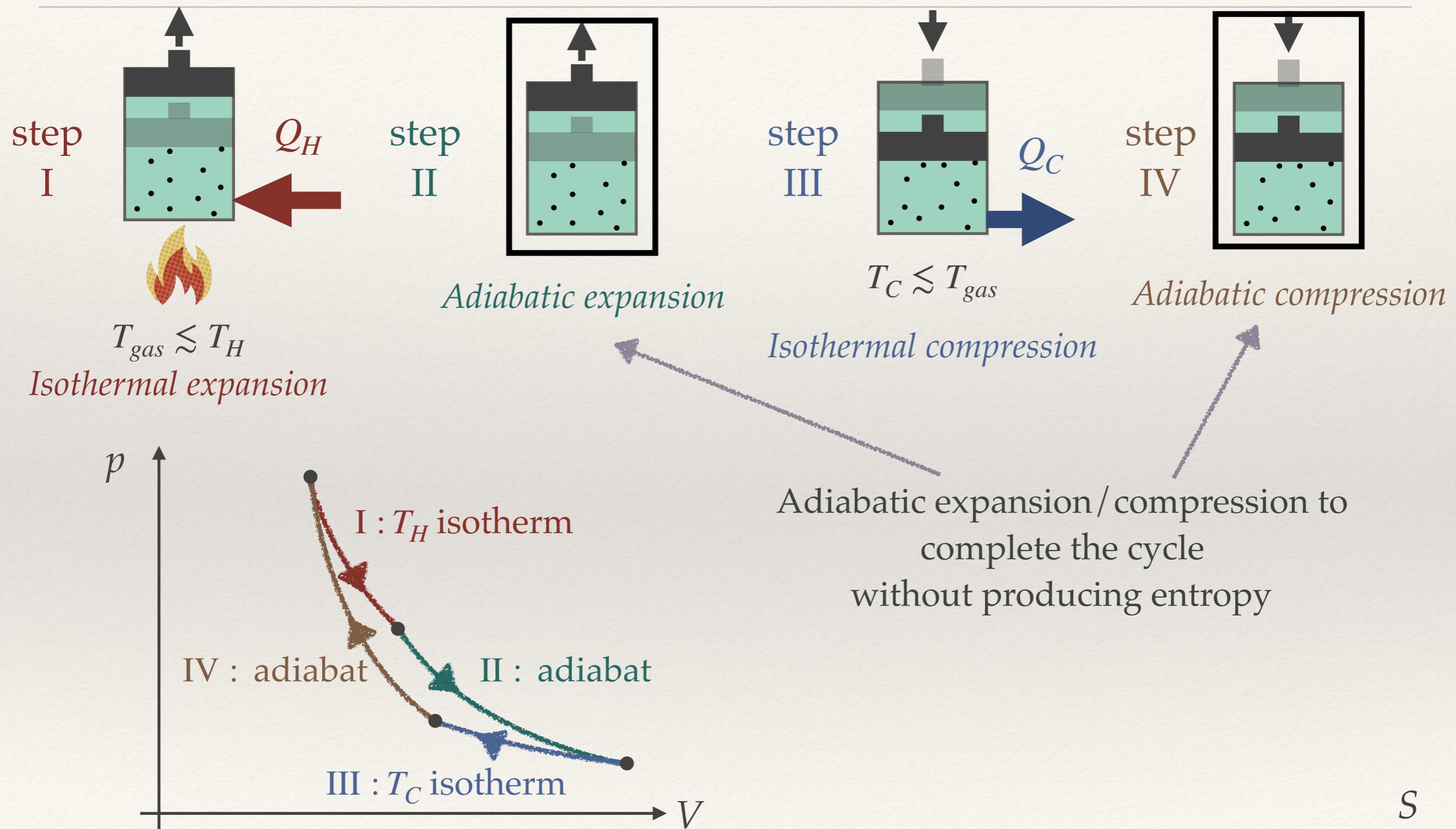
To maximize efficiency we have to keep $T_{engine} \leq T_H$

ideally keep T_{engine} infinitesimally close to T_H

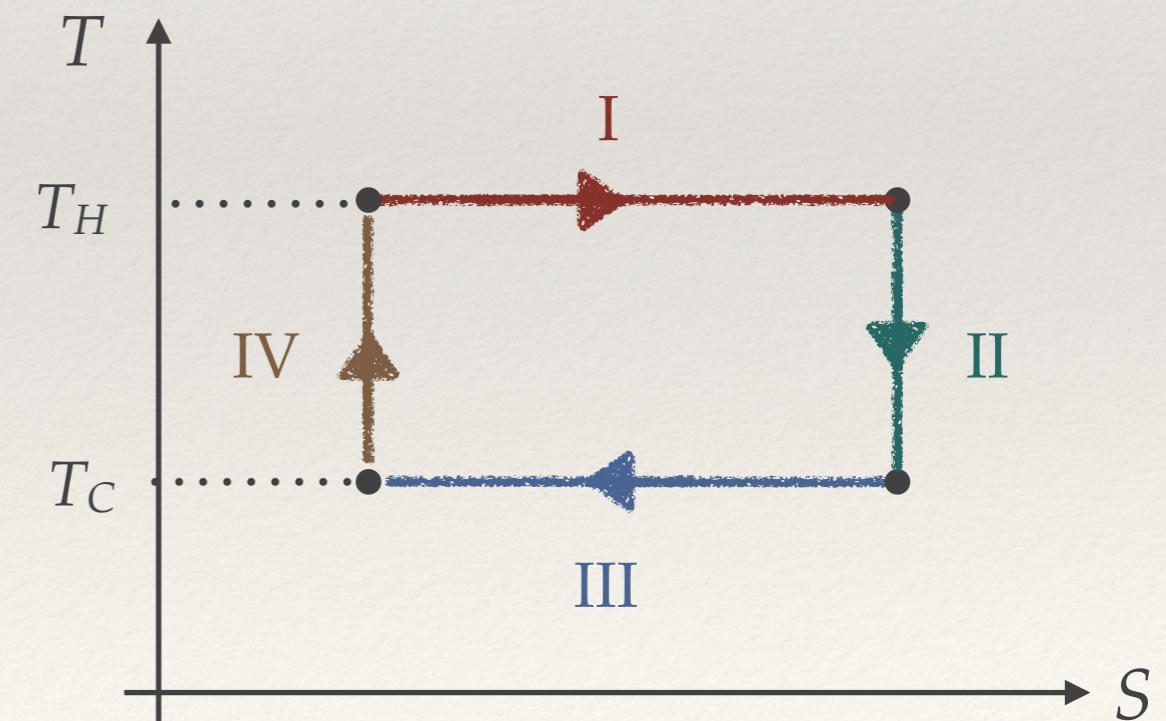
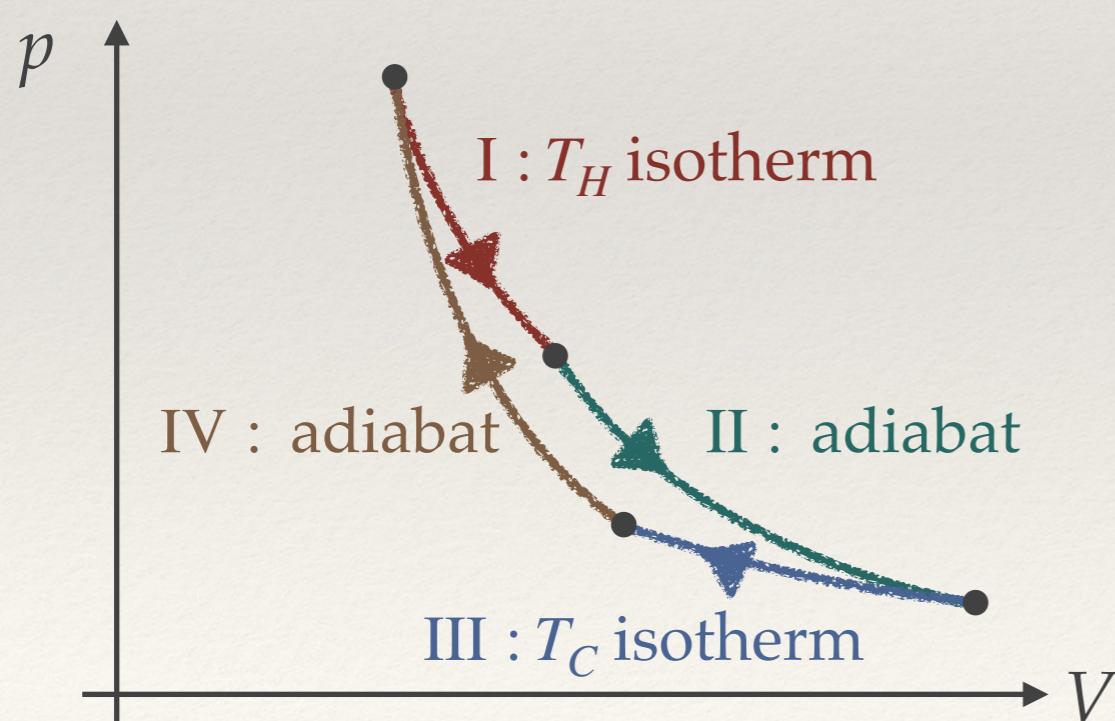
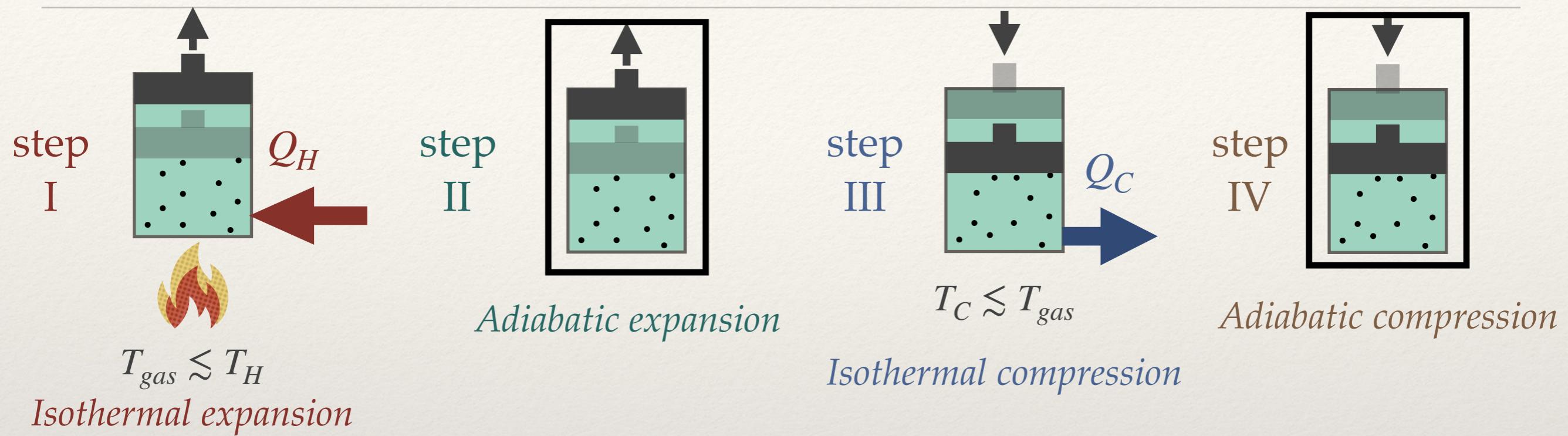
Carnot Cycle



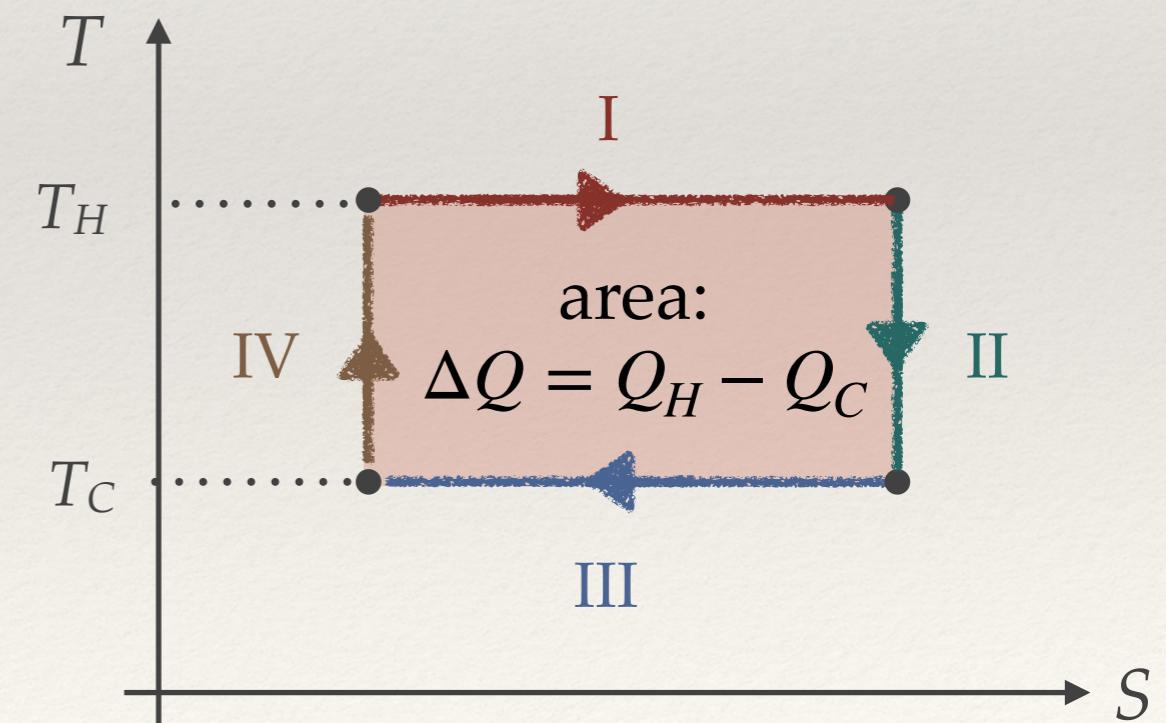
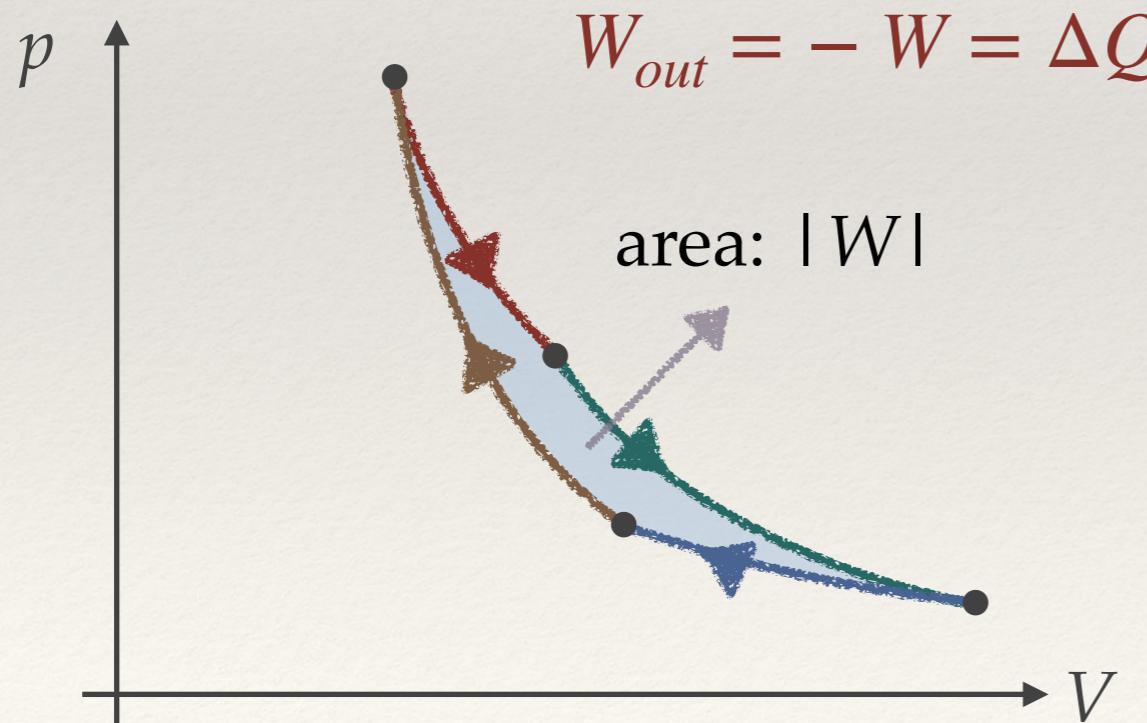
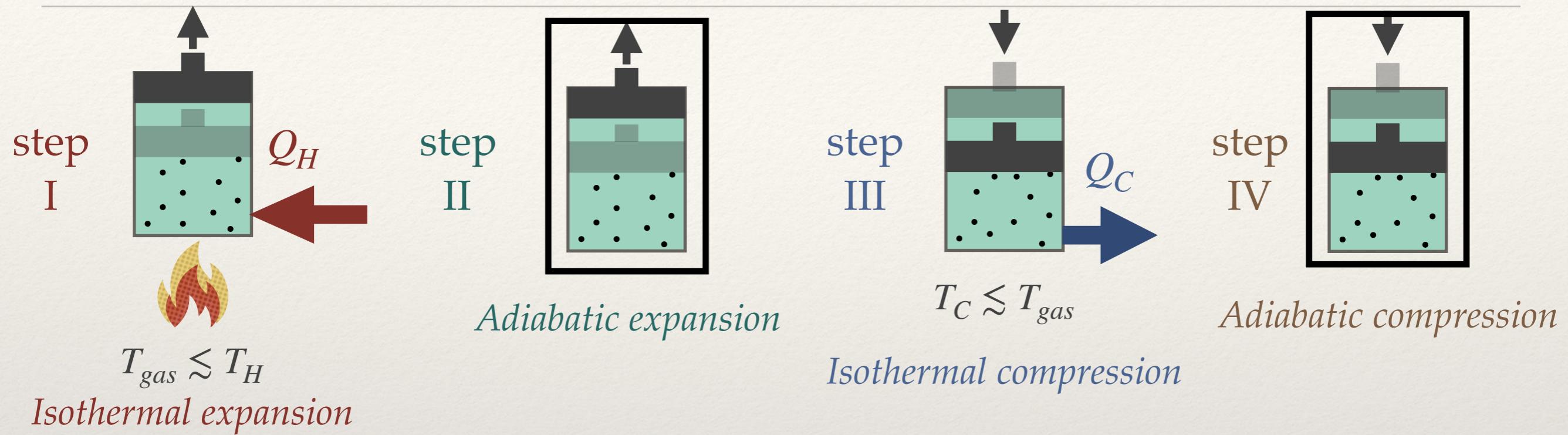
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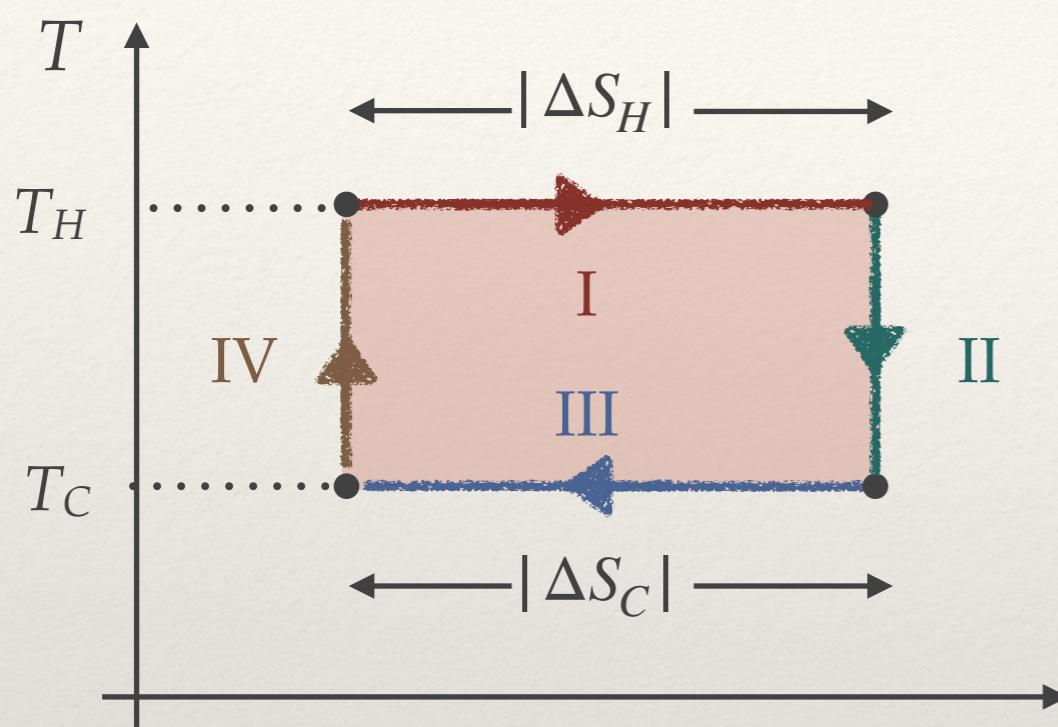
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Carnot Cycle



Carnot Cycle and Reversibility



$$|\Delta S_H| = |\Delta S_C| \quad \text{no entropy is produced}$$

$$\Delta S_{tot} = \Delta S_H + \Delta S_C = 0$$

$$\frac{Q_C}{T_C} = \frac{Q_H}{T_H} \Rightarrow \frac{Q_C}{Q_H} = \frac{T_C}{T_H}$$

$$e_{Carnot} = 1 - \frac{T_C}{T_H} = e_{max}$$

Carnot engine realizes the maximum efficiency

Since no entropy is produced, Carnot cycle is *reversible*

A *reversible* engine is the most efficient engine that operates between two reservoirs

Given T_H and T_C the *efficiency of a reversible engine* is $e = e_{max} = 1 - \frac{T_C}{T_H}$

Classroom Exercise

Suppose we have a Carnot engine that operates between
 $T_H = 100 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ (373.15 K) and $T_C = 20 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ (293.15)

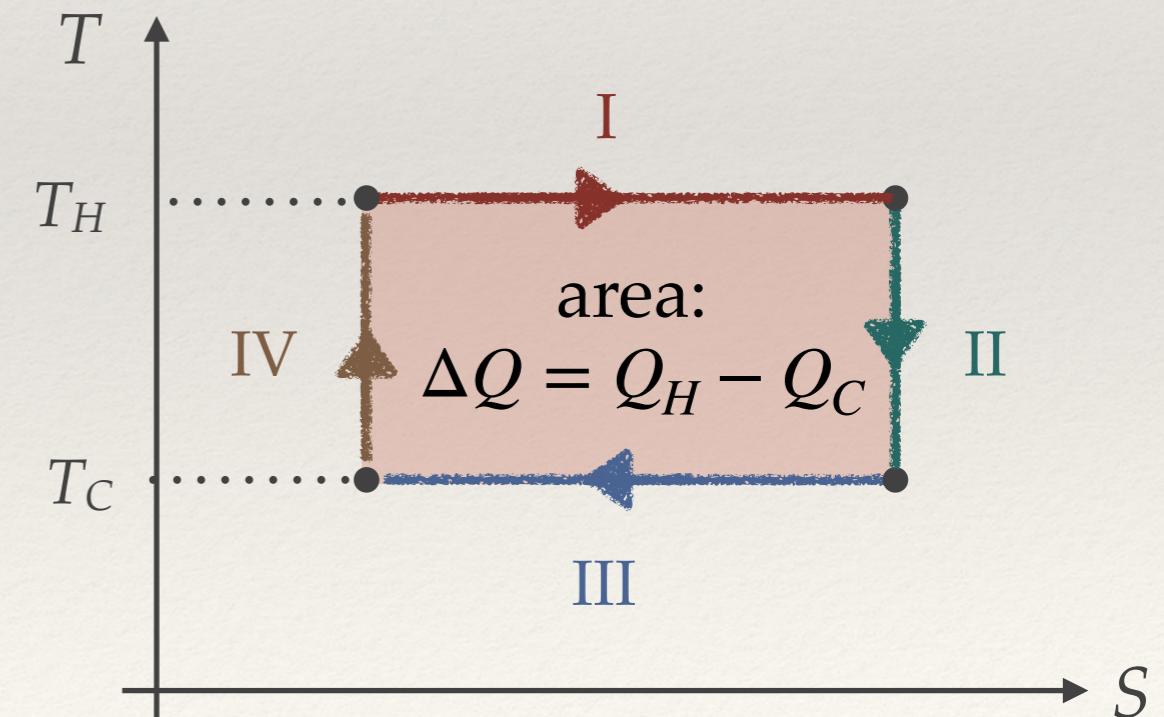
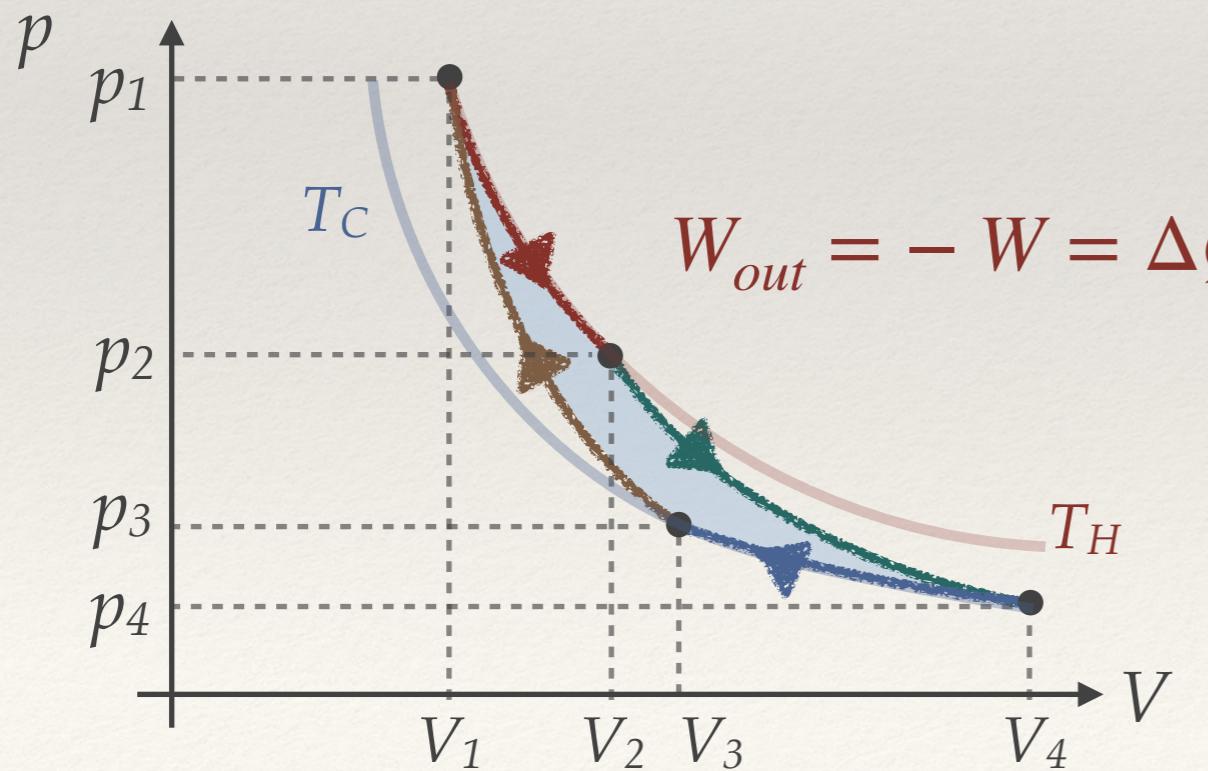
The expanded volume is $V_4 = 1\text{L}$ and the compressed volume is $V_1 = 0.1\text{L}$ and
 the pressure at the point of full expansion is $p_4 = 1 \text{ atm}$.

you can take $\gamma = 1.4$

$$p_i V_i^\gamma = p_f V_f^\gamma \quad (\text{adiabatic expansion/compression})$$

What is the efficiency?

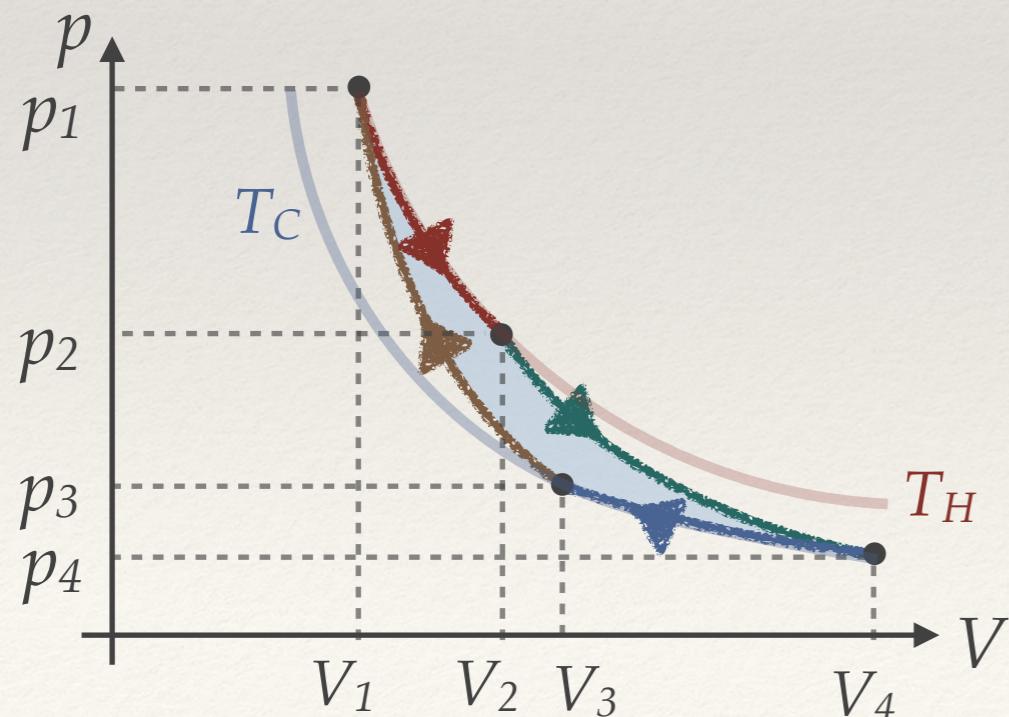
Calculate the heat input, waste heat and work done separately and verify your result



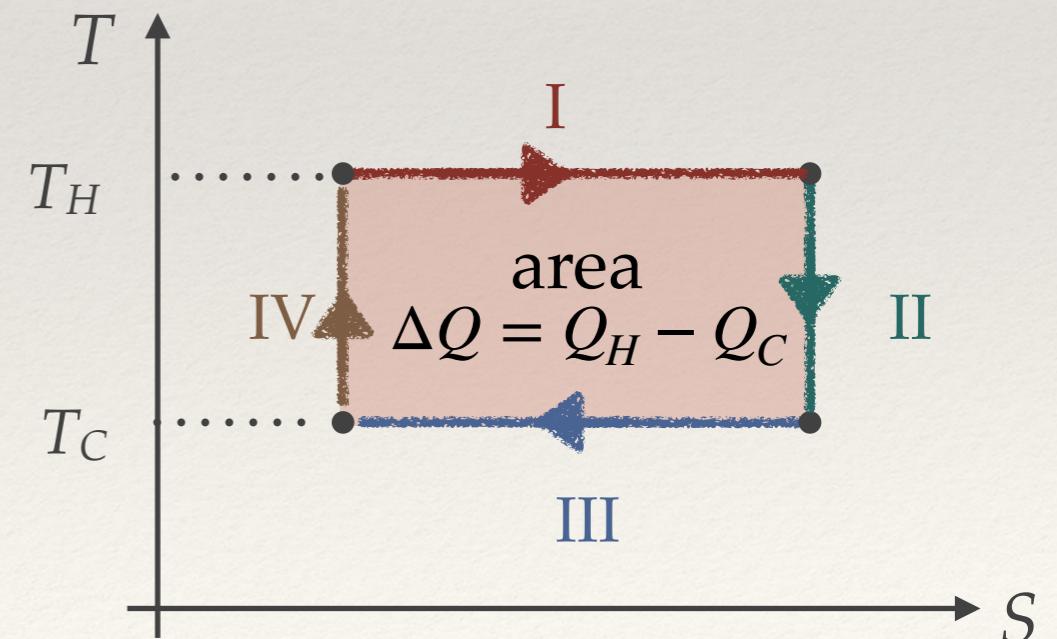
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efficiency : $e = 1 - T_C/T_H \approx 0.21$



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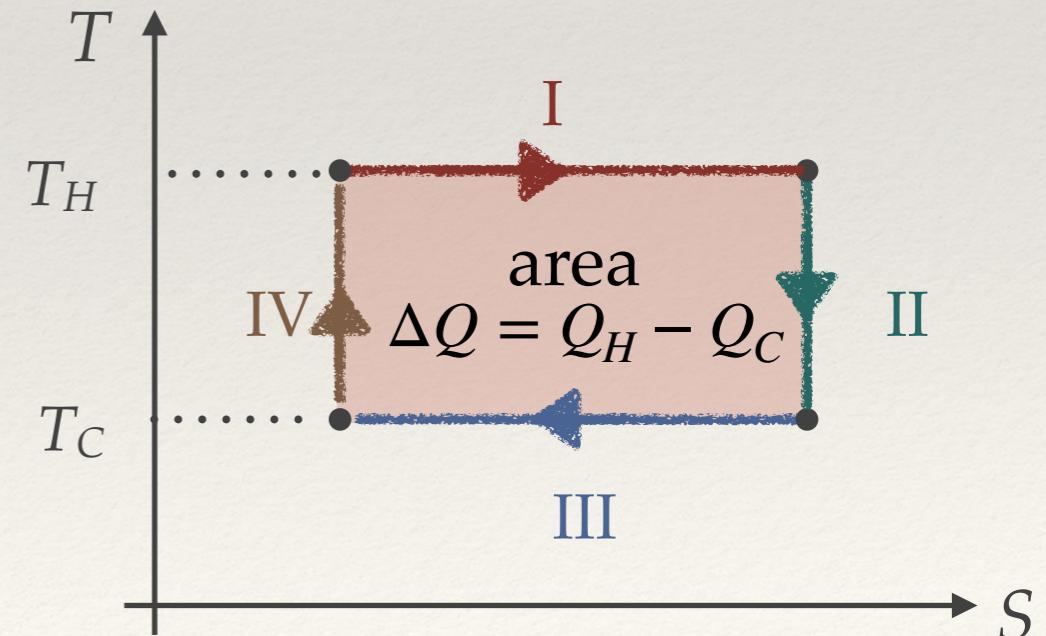
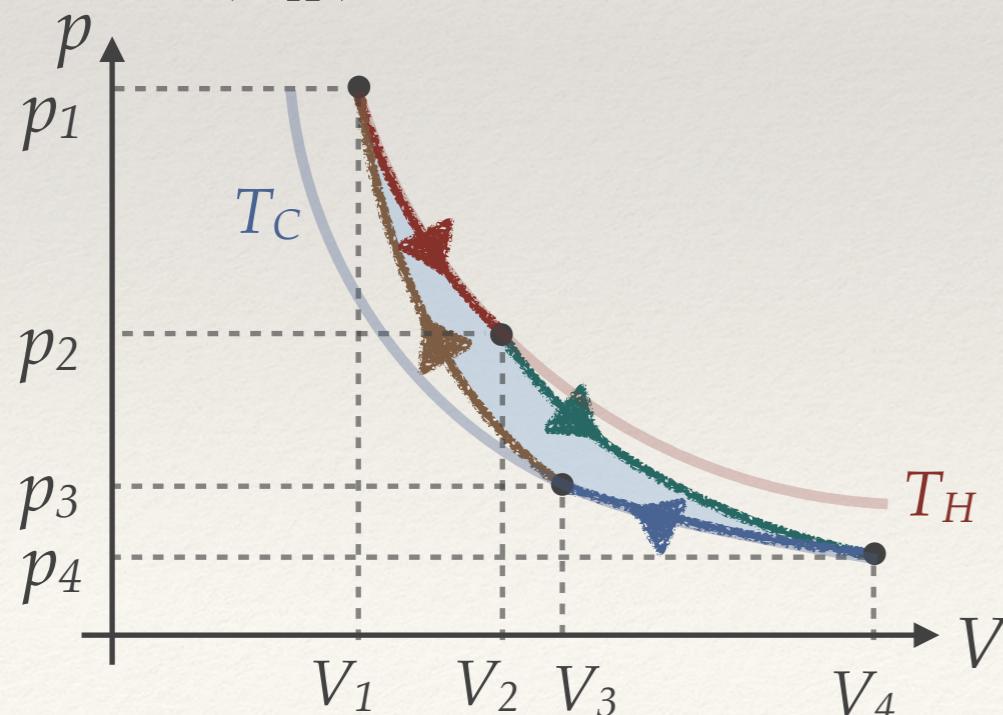
$$Q_H = T_H \Delta S$$

$$\Delta S = Nk \log \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1} \right) = \frac{1}{T_C} Nk T_C \log \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1} \right) = \frac{p_4 V_4}{T_C} \log \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1} \right)$$

$$p_2 V_2^\gamma = p_4 V_4^\gamma \quad \text{ideal gas: } p_2 V_2 = Nk T_H, p_4 V_4 = Nk T_C \Rightarrow V_2^{\gamma-1} = V_4^{\gamma-1} \frac{T_C}{T_H}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_2 = V_4 \left(\frac{T_C}{T_H} \right)^{1/(\gamma-1)} \approx 0.55L$$

$$Q_H = \frac{373.15\text{K}}{293.15\text{K}} (10^5\text{Pa})(1\text{m}^3) \log \left(\frac{0.55}{0.1} \right) \approx 217\text{kJ}$$



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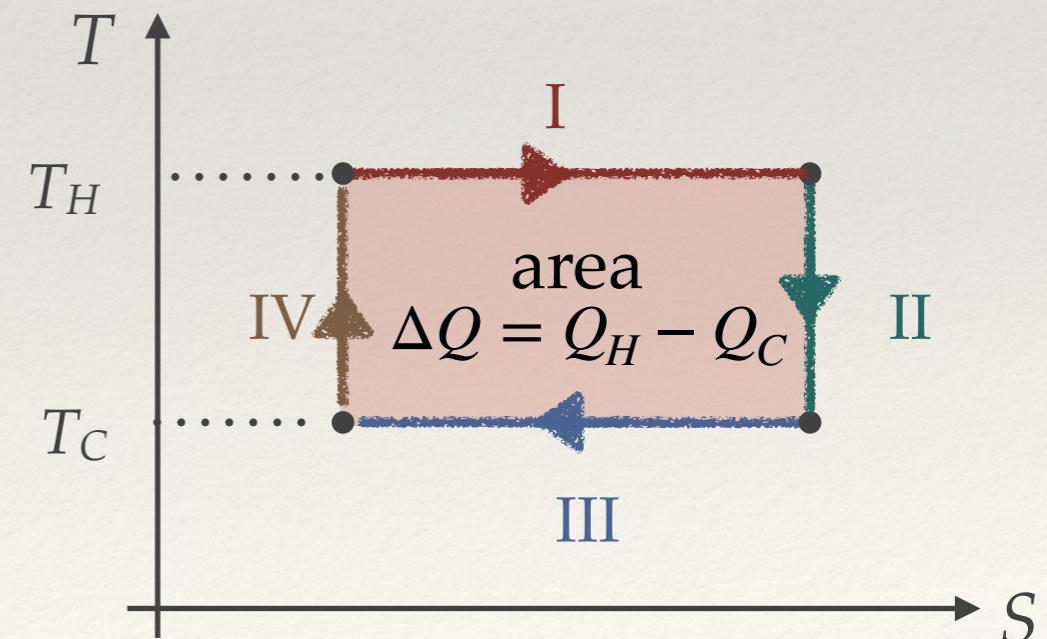
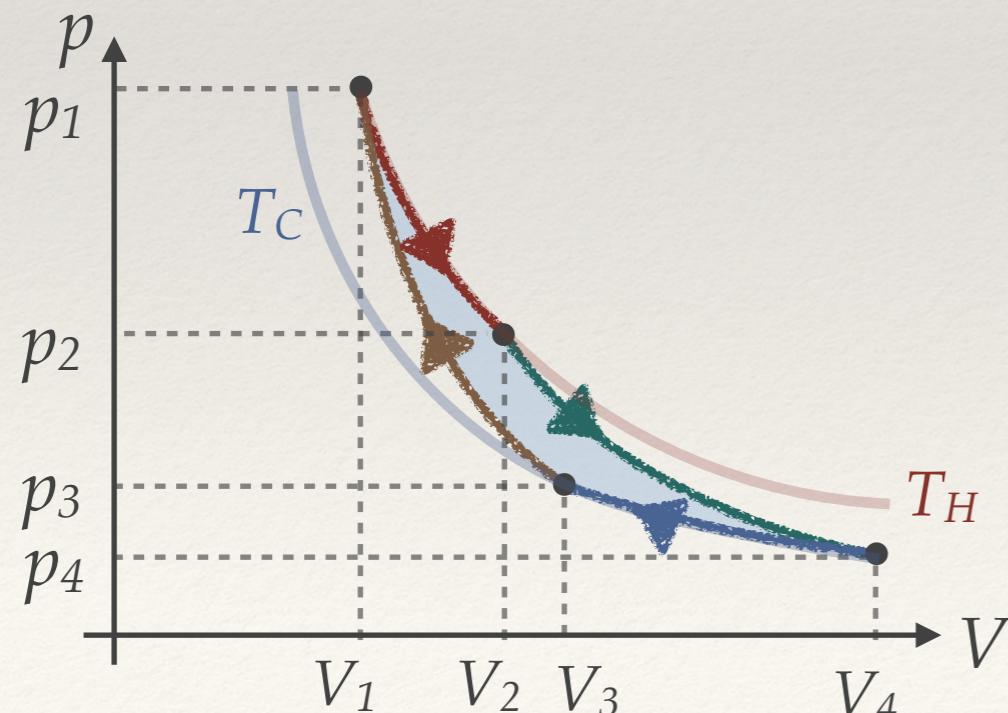
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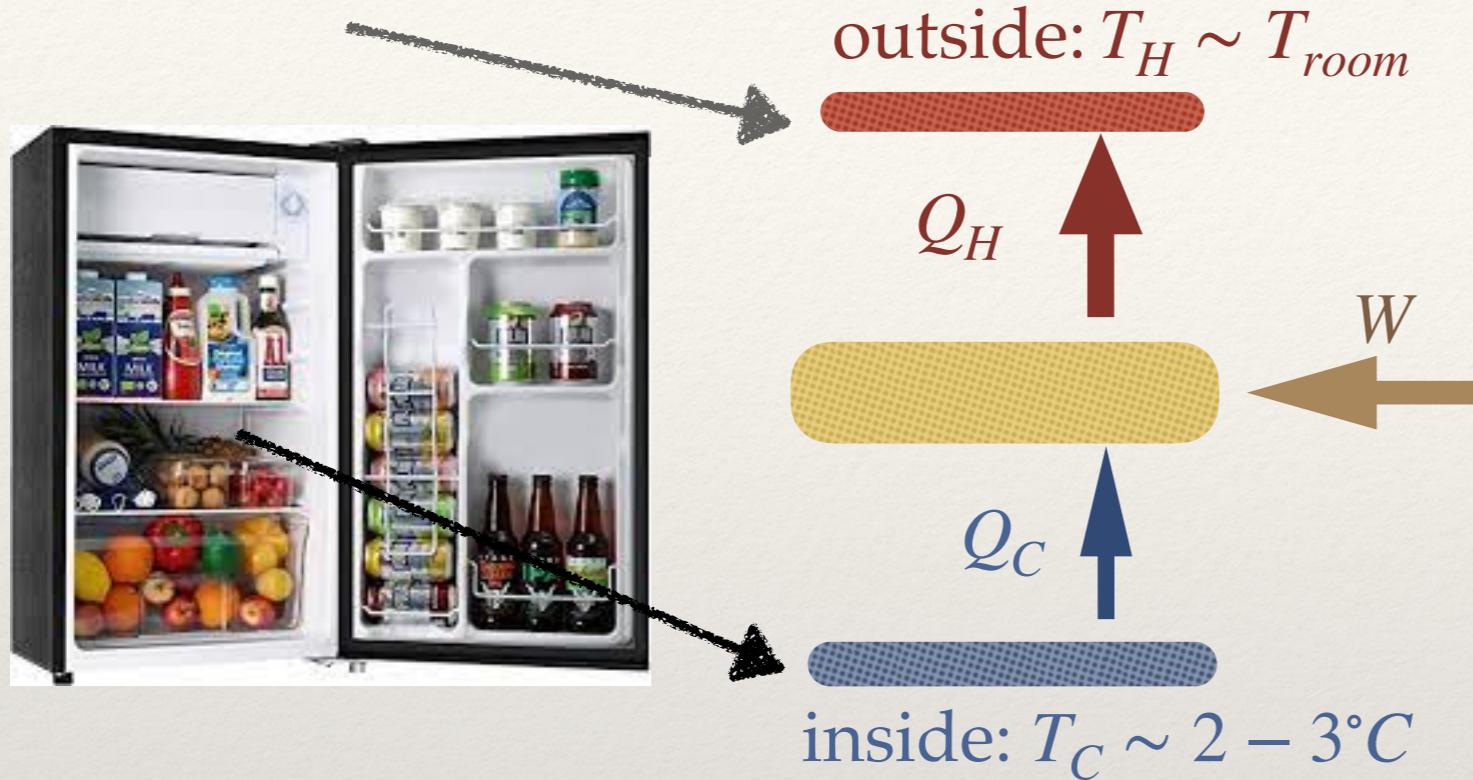
Work output:
 $W = 217.00 \text{ kJ} - 170.48 \text{ kJ} = 46.52 \text{ kJ}$

$$Q_C = (10^5\text{Pa})(1\text{m}^3) \log \left(\frac{0.55}{0.1} \right) \approx 170.48\text{kJ}$$

Efficiency:
 $e = \frac{W}{Q_H} = 0.21$



Refrigerators



2nd Law:

$$\frac{Q_H}{T_H} \geq \frac{Q_C}{T_C} \Rightarrow \text{COP} \leq \text{COP}_{max} = \frac{T_C}{T_H - T_C}$$

How to measure the efficiency of the fridge?

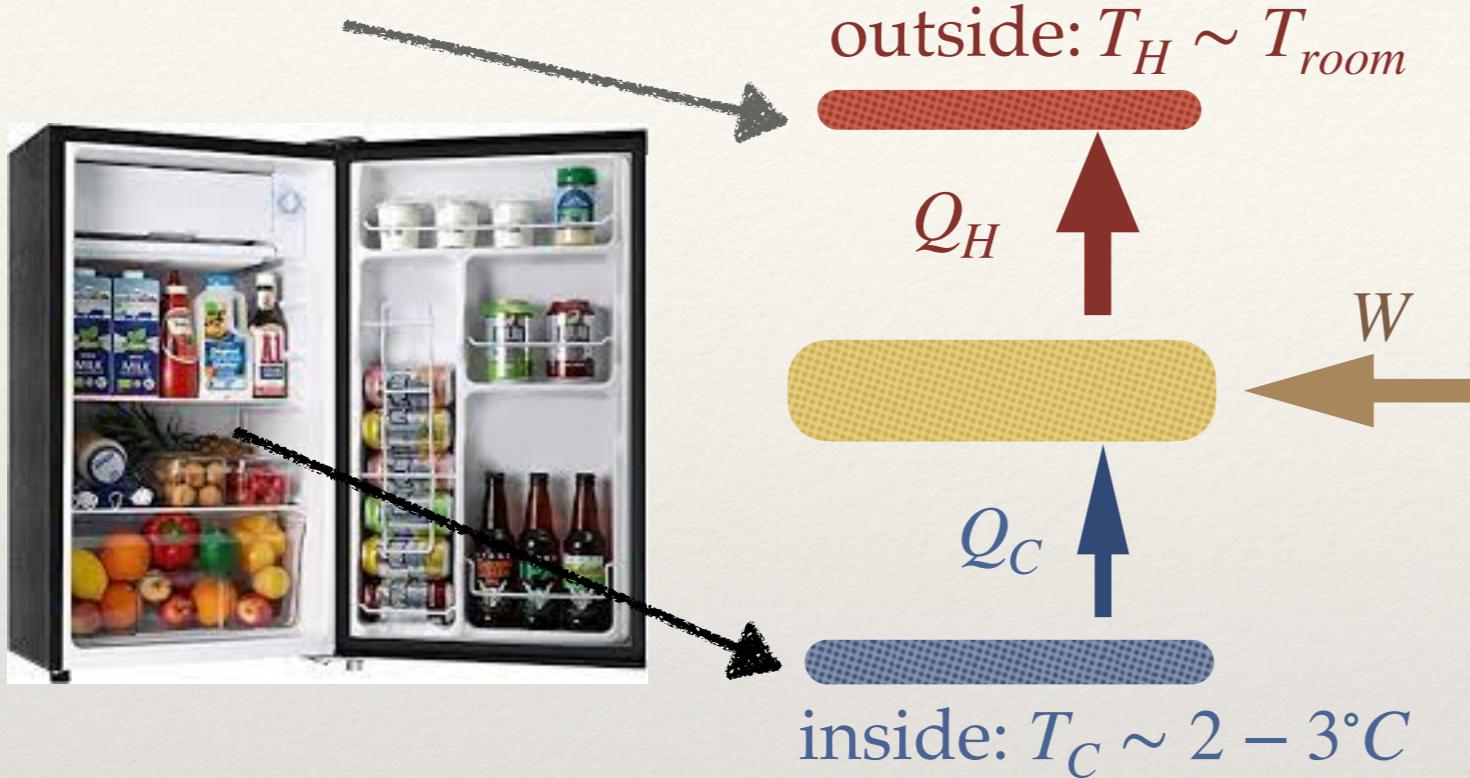
``Coefficient of Performance''

$$\text{COP} = \frac{\text{benefit}}{\text{cost}} = \frac{Q_C}{W} = \frac{Q_C}{Q_H - Q_C}$$

notice: $\text{COP} \geq 1$

$$\text{Reverse Carnot: } \text{COP}_{max} = \frac{T_C}{T_H - T_C}$$

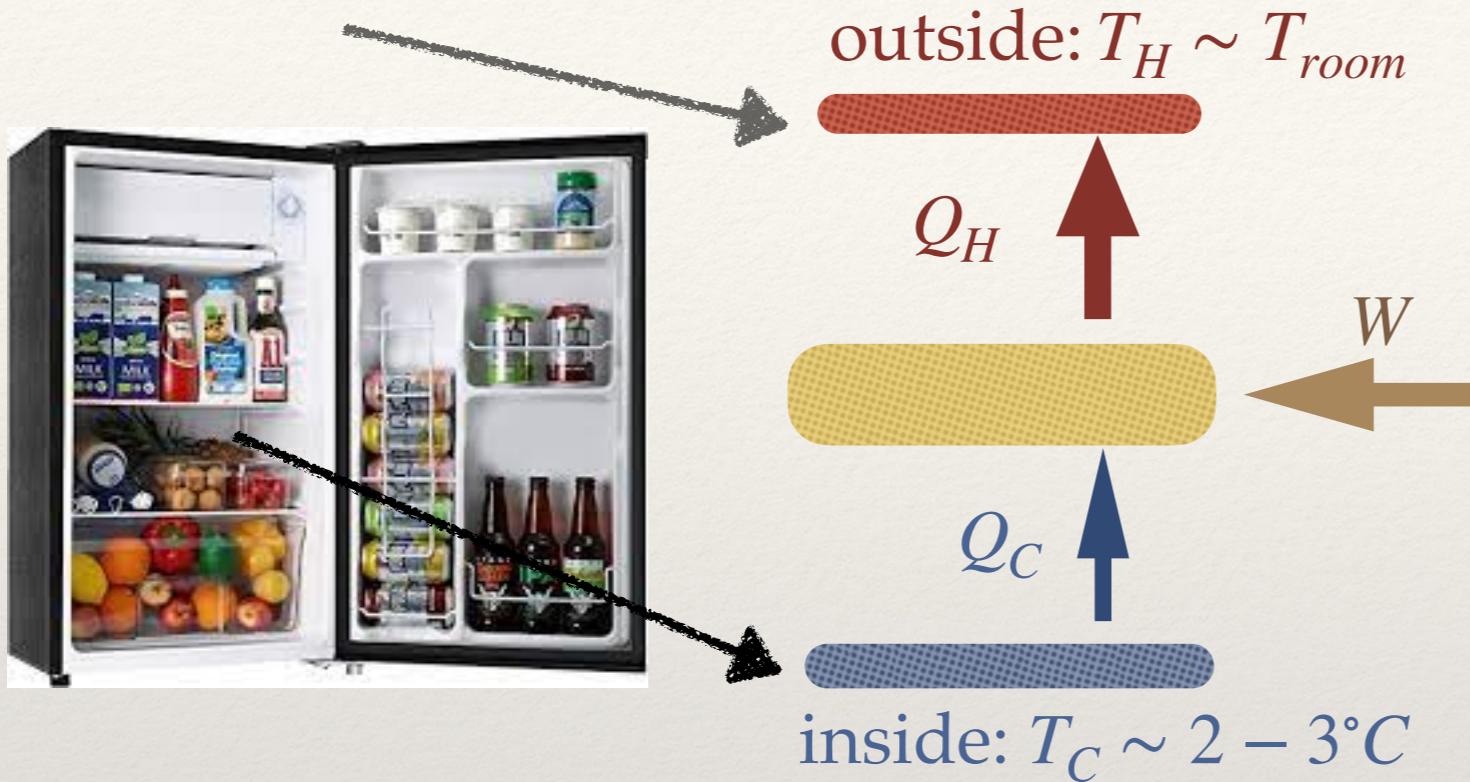
Classroom Exercise



Estimate the COP of a refrigerator assuming that it works in Carnot limit

A typical fridge uses $\sim 1\text{ kWh} \sim 3.6 \times 10^6 \text{ J}$ energy per day based on your estimate of COP calculate how much energy the fridge dumps in the room

Classroom Exercise



$$T_{room} = 300\text{K} \ (\sim 27^\circ\text{C} / 80^\circ\text{F})$$

$$T_C = 275\text{ K} \ (\sim 2^\circ\text{C} / 35^\circ\text{F})$$

$$\text{COP} \leq 11$$

For 1 J drawn from the wall:
11 J is removed from inside
12 J is dumped in the room

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$$3.6 \times 10^6\text{ J} \times (12) = 4.3 \times 10^7\text{ J}$$

Real Heat Engines

Carnot engine puts an upper bound on how efficient any engine can be that operates between T_H and T_C

No-one can beat the Carnot efficiency $e=1-T_C/T_H$
(no matter how smart the engineer who designs the engine is)

At the same time, Carnot engine is *hugely impractical*



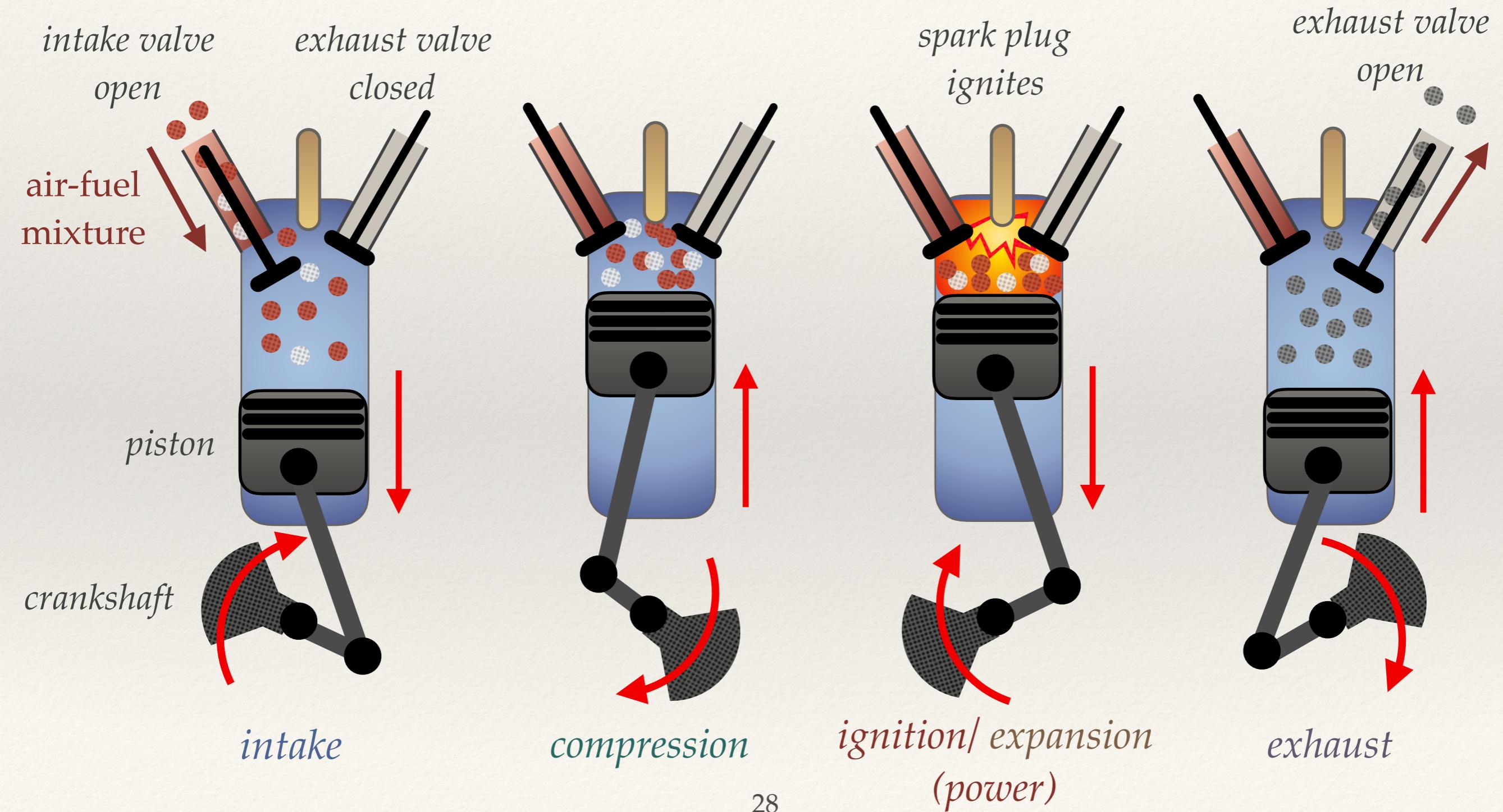
The isothermal expansion/compression stage is excruciatingly slow

One has to wait very long to get a reasonable amount of work out of it...

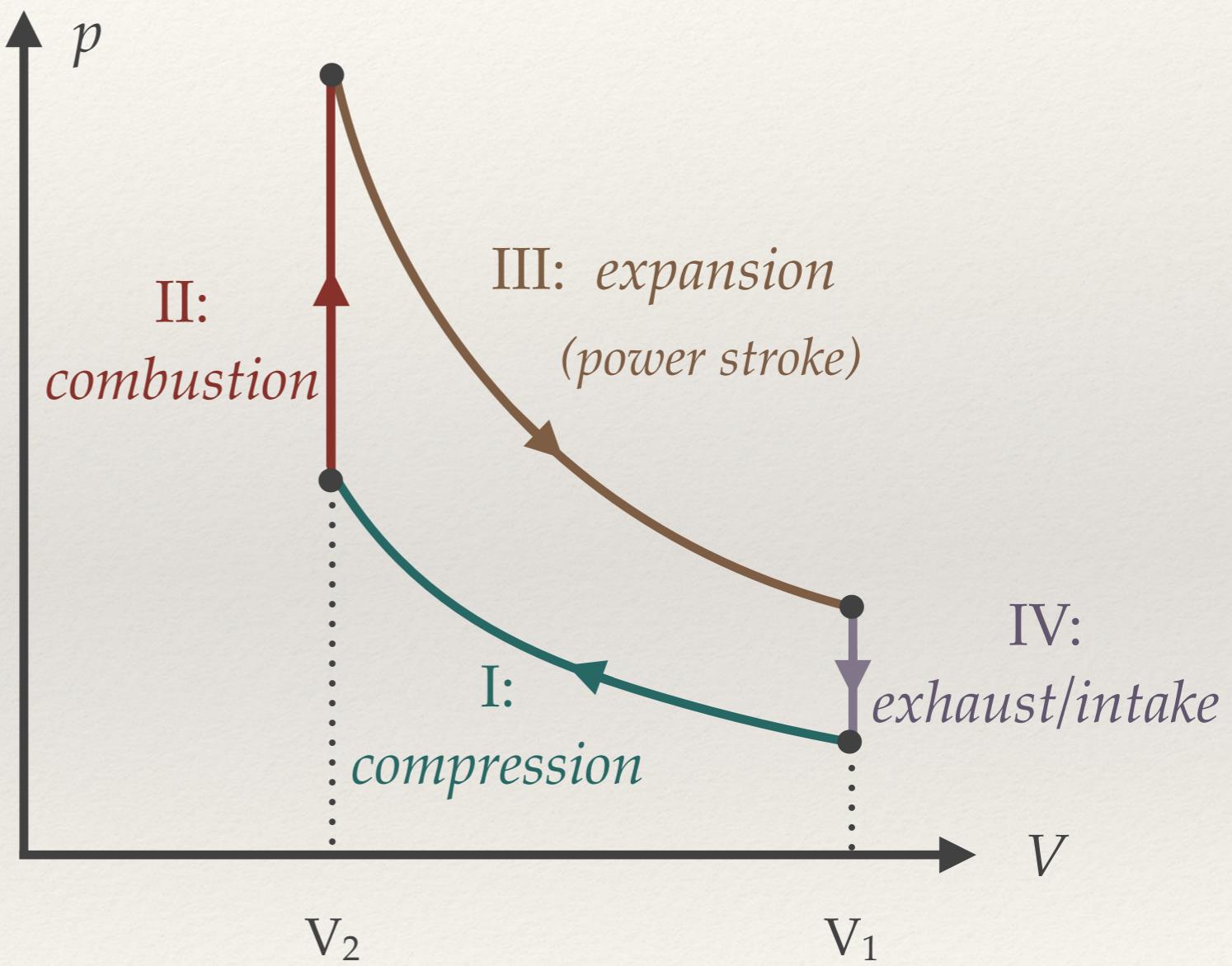
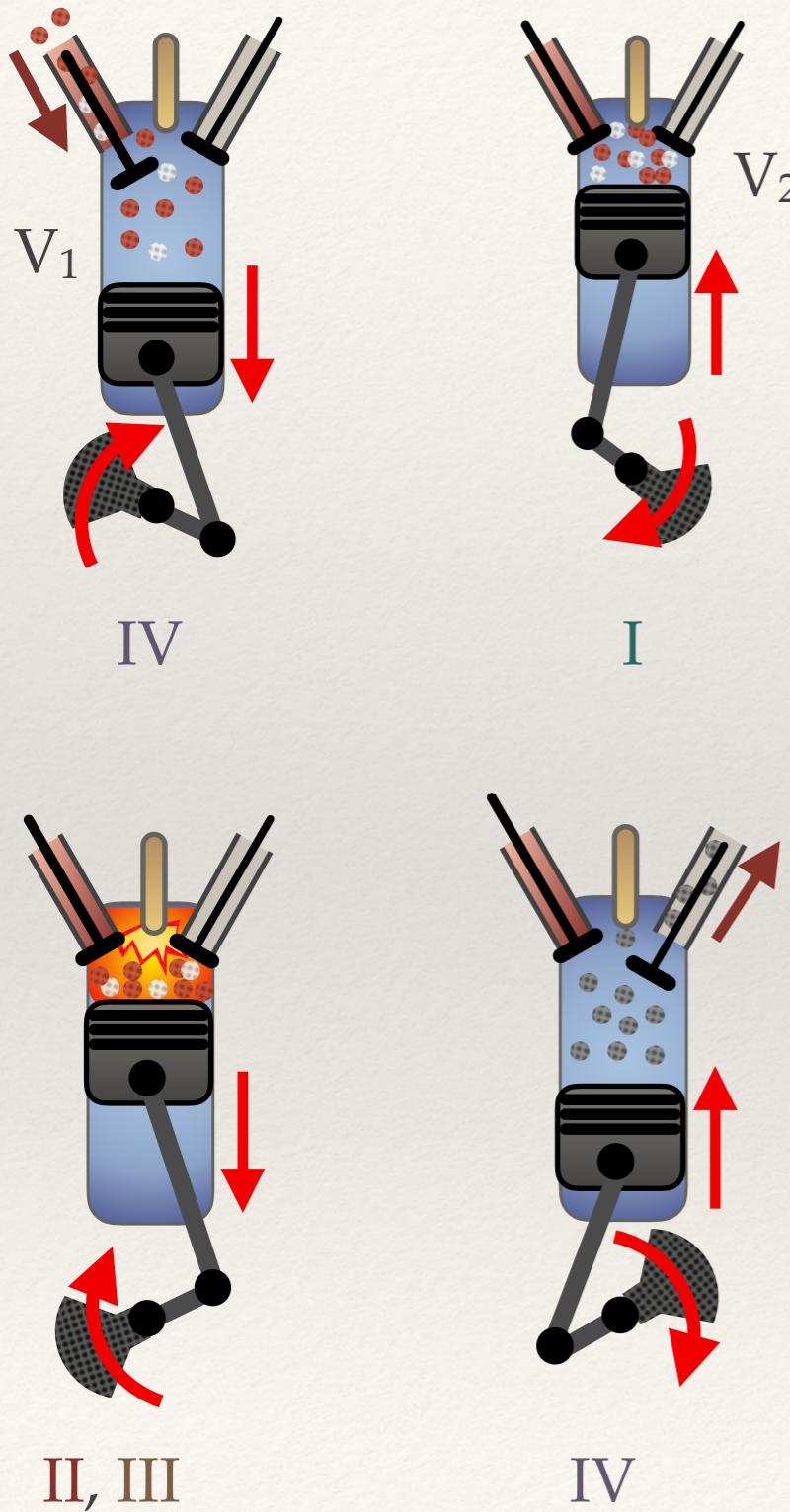
Let's have a look at how some real engines operate...

Real Heat Engines

Internal Combustion Engines: Otto cycle ('four stroke engine')



Real Heat Engines: Otto Cycle



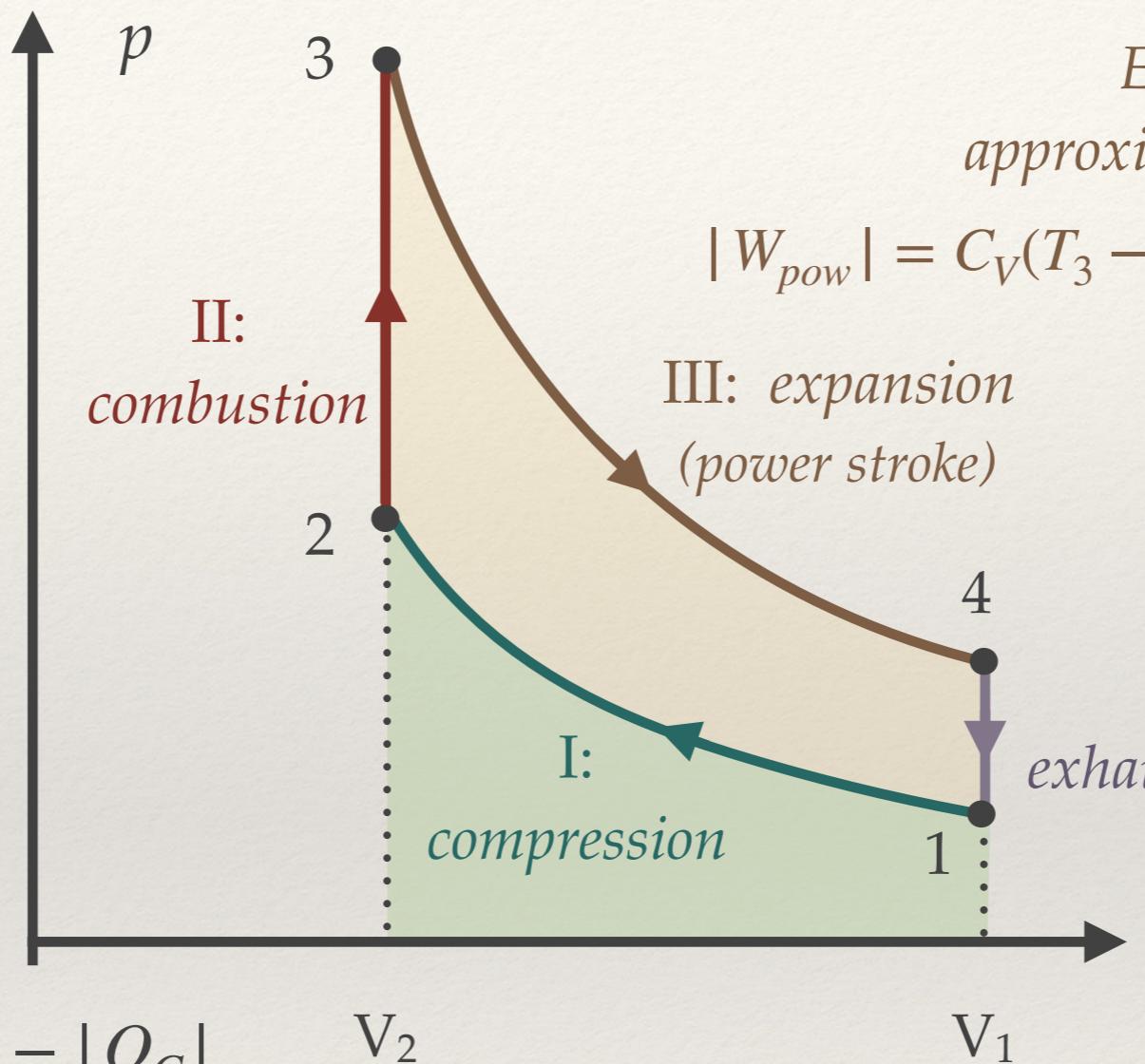
Real Heat Engines: Otto Cycle

input from combustion:

$$Q_H = C_V(T_3 - T_2)$$

compression:
approximately adiabatic

$$\begin{aligned} W_{comp} &= C_V(T_2 - T_1) \\ &= |Q_C| + C_V(T_2 - T_4) \end{aligned}$$



$$\Delta U_{\text{cycle}} = 0 = \Delta W + Q_H - |Q_C|$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_{out} &= -\Delta W = |W_{pow}| - W_{comp} \\ &= Q_H - Q_C \end{aligned}$$

efficiency: $e = \frac{W_{out}}{Q_H} = 1 - \frac{Q_C}{Q_H} = 1 - \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1}\right)^{\gamma-1}$

(homework)

Real Heat Engines: Otto Cycle

efficiency: $e = 1 - \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1}\right)^{\gamma-1} = 1 - \frac{1}{r^{\gamma-1}}$ $r = \frac{V_1}{V_2}$:compression ratio

in a typical car engine $r= 9.5$ to 10.5 , $\gamma_{air} = 7/5 = 1.4$ $\Rightarrow e \approx 0.6$

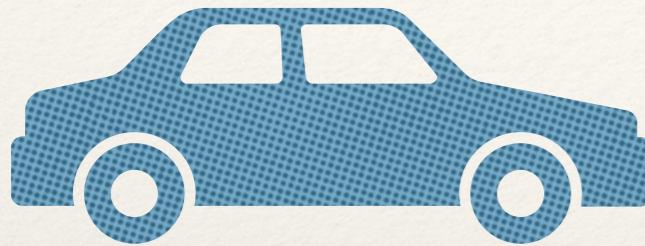
comparison between the Carnot engine:

recall adiabat: $TV^{\gamma-1} = \text{constant}$

$$e = 1 - \frac{T_1}{T_2} = 1 - \frac{T_4}{T_3} \quad e_{\text{Carnot}} = 1 - \frac{T_1}{T_3} > e$$

in reality: $e_{\text{real car}} \approx 0.25 - 0.3$

Classroom Example



This car has a compression ratio of $r = 10:1$ and the expanded (maximum) volume is 4L.

The maximum temperature of combustion stage is 1800 K.
Assume the temperature and pressure just before compression cycle are 300 K and 1 atm, and $\gamma = 1.4$

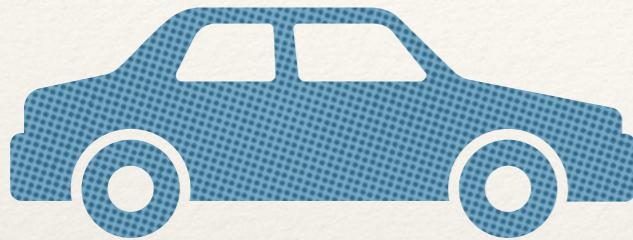
What is the work done per cycle?

What is the power at 2000 RPM?
(in car lingo 1 hp(horsepower) = 746 Watts)

RPM= number of cycles per minute

power= energy per unit time (1 Watt= 1 J/s)

Classroom Example

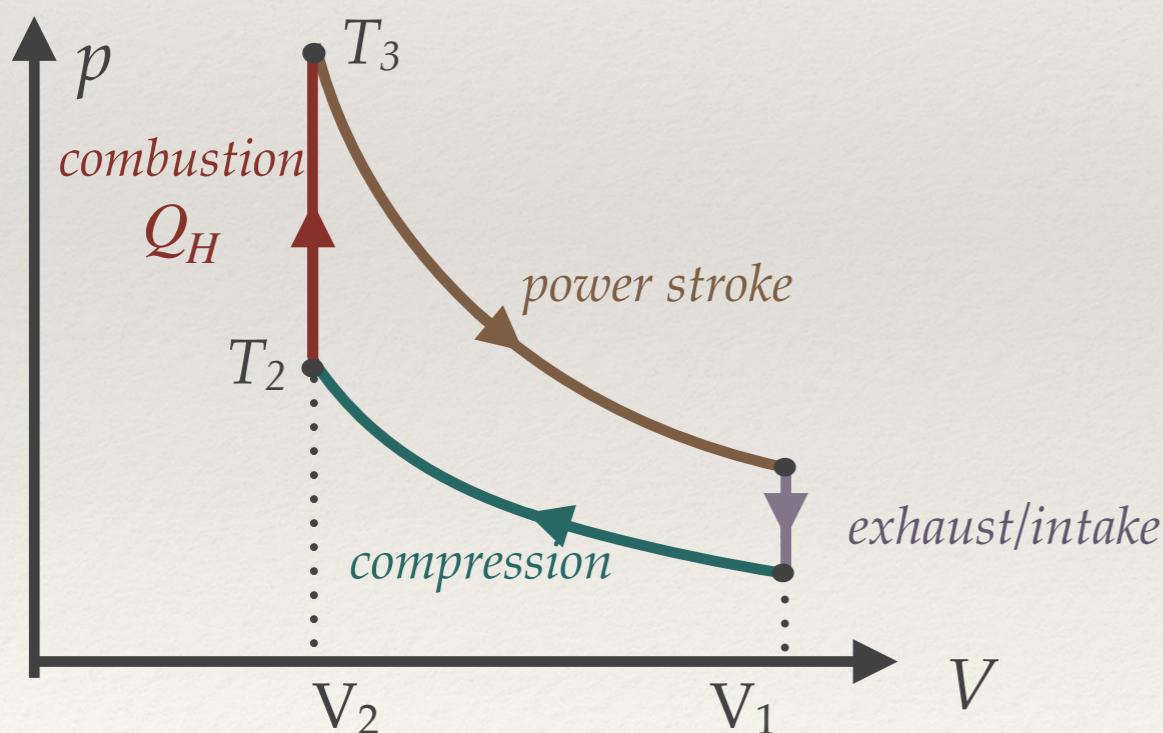


$$V_1=4\text{L}, r=10:1, V_2=0.4\text{L}, T_3=1800 \text{ K}.$$

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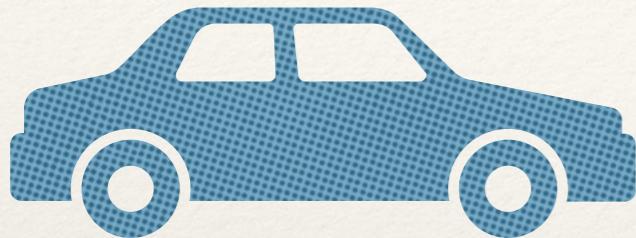
$$W_{out} = eQ_H = eC_V(T_3 - T_2)$$

$T_3=1800 \text{ K}$, what is T_2 ?



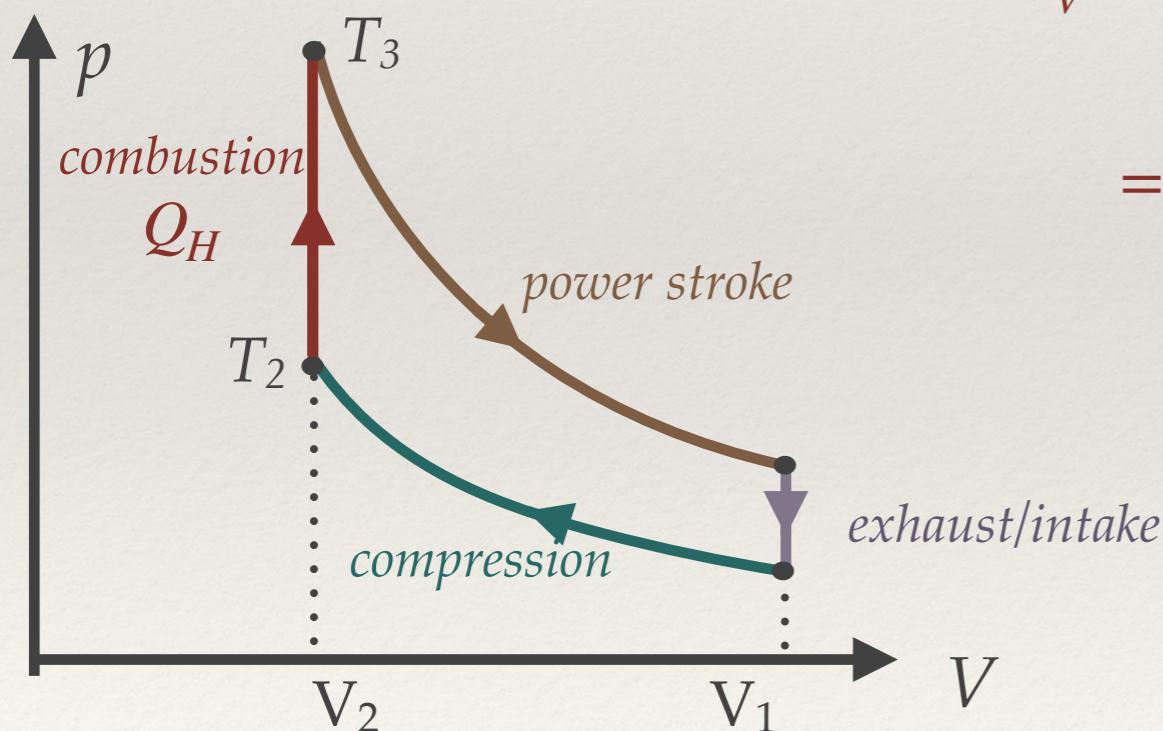
Classroom Example

$$V_1=4\text{L}, r=10:1 (V_2=0.4\text{L}), T_3=1800 \text{ K}, T_1=300 \text{ K}, p_1=1 \text{ atm}, \gamma=1.4$$



$$W_{out} = eQ_H = eC_V(T_3 - T_2)$$

$T_3=1800 \text{ K}$, what is T_2 ?



- $1 \rightarrow 2$ is adiabatic: $p_1 V_1^\gamma = p_2 V_2^\gamma \Rightarrow T_1 V_1^{\gamma-1} = T_2 V_2^{\gamma-1}$
 $\Rightarrow T_2 = T_1 r^{\gamma-1} = 753 \text{ K}$

$$\bullet e = 1 - \frac{1}{r^{\gamma-1}} = 0.6$$

$$\bullet C_V = \frac{1}{2} \times N_{dof} \times N \times k = \frac{5}{2} Nk = \frac{5}{2} \frac{p_1 V_1}{T_1}$$

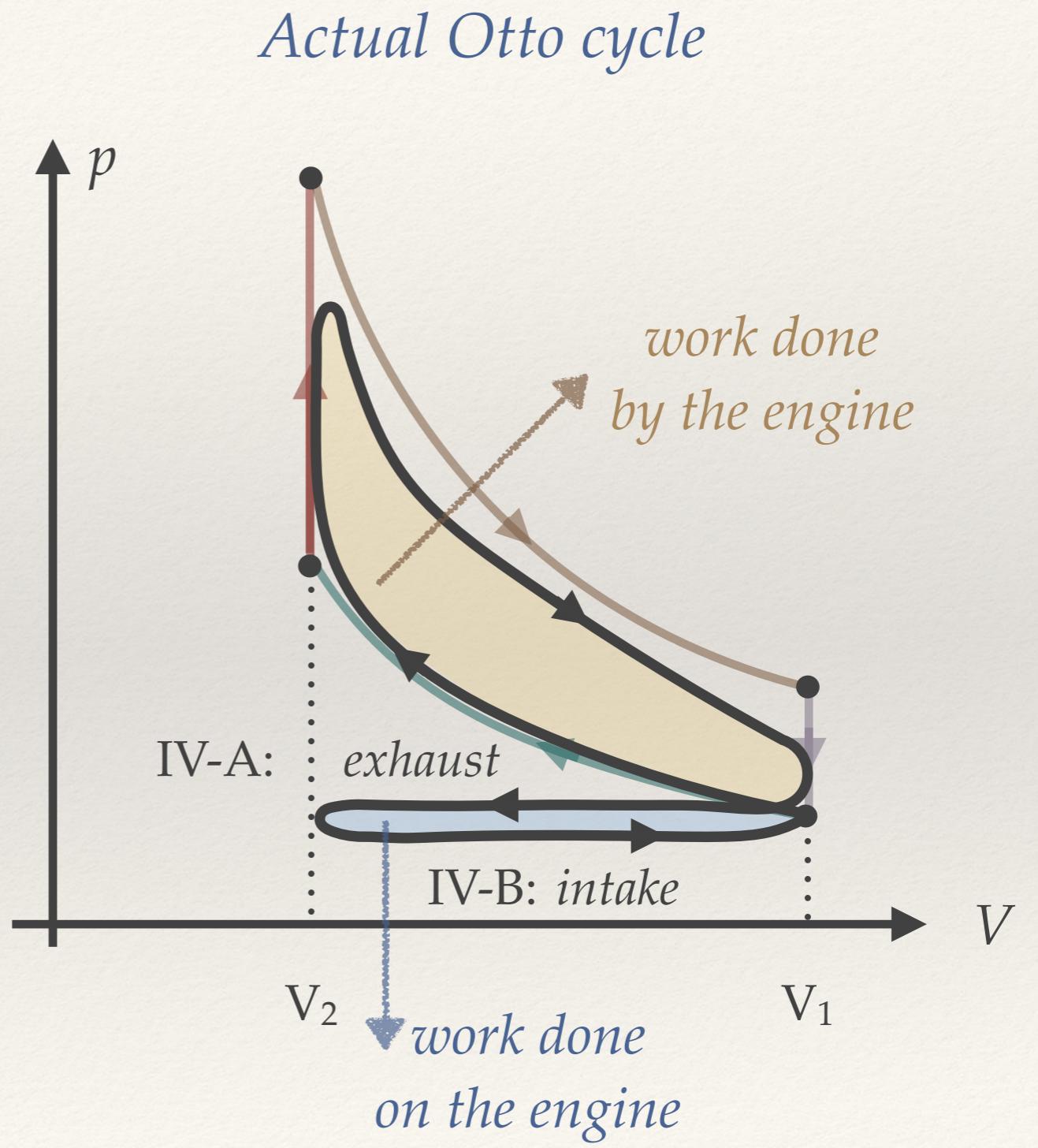
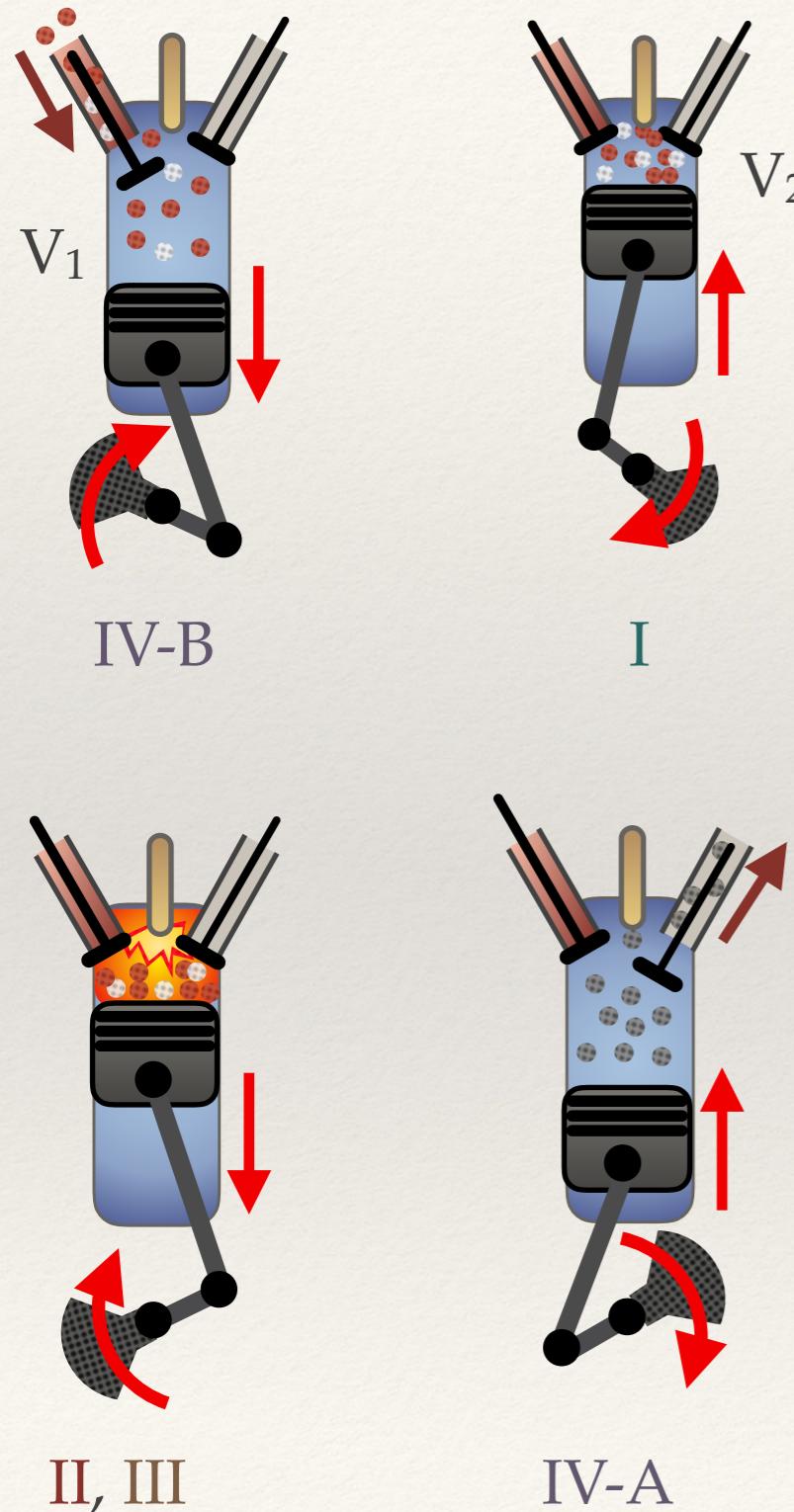
$$= \frac{5}{2} \frac{(10^5 \text{ Pa})(4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3)}{300 \text{ K}} = 3.3 \text{ J/K}$$

$$\Rightarrow W_{out} = eC_V(T_3 - T_2) = 2.1 \text{ kJ/cycle}$$

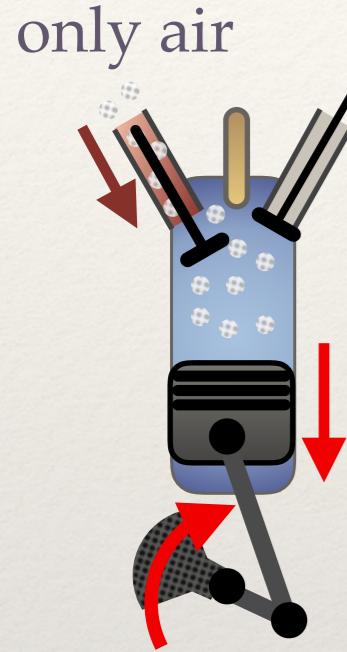
Power:

$$P = W \times \frac{2000 \text{ cycles/minute}}{60 \text{ s/minute}} = 70 \text{ kW} = 94 \text{ hp}$$

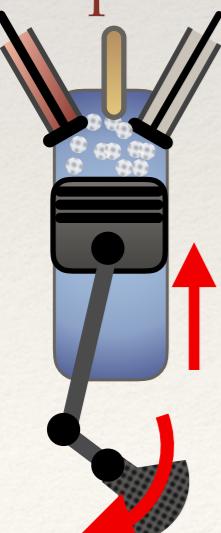
Real Heat Engines: Otto Cycle



Real Heat Engines: Diesel Cycle



only air
Inject fuel after
compression



$$e = 1 - \left(\frac{V_2}{V_1} \right)^{r-1} = 1 - \frac{1}{r^{r-1}}$$

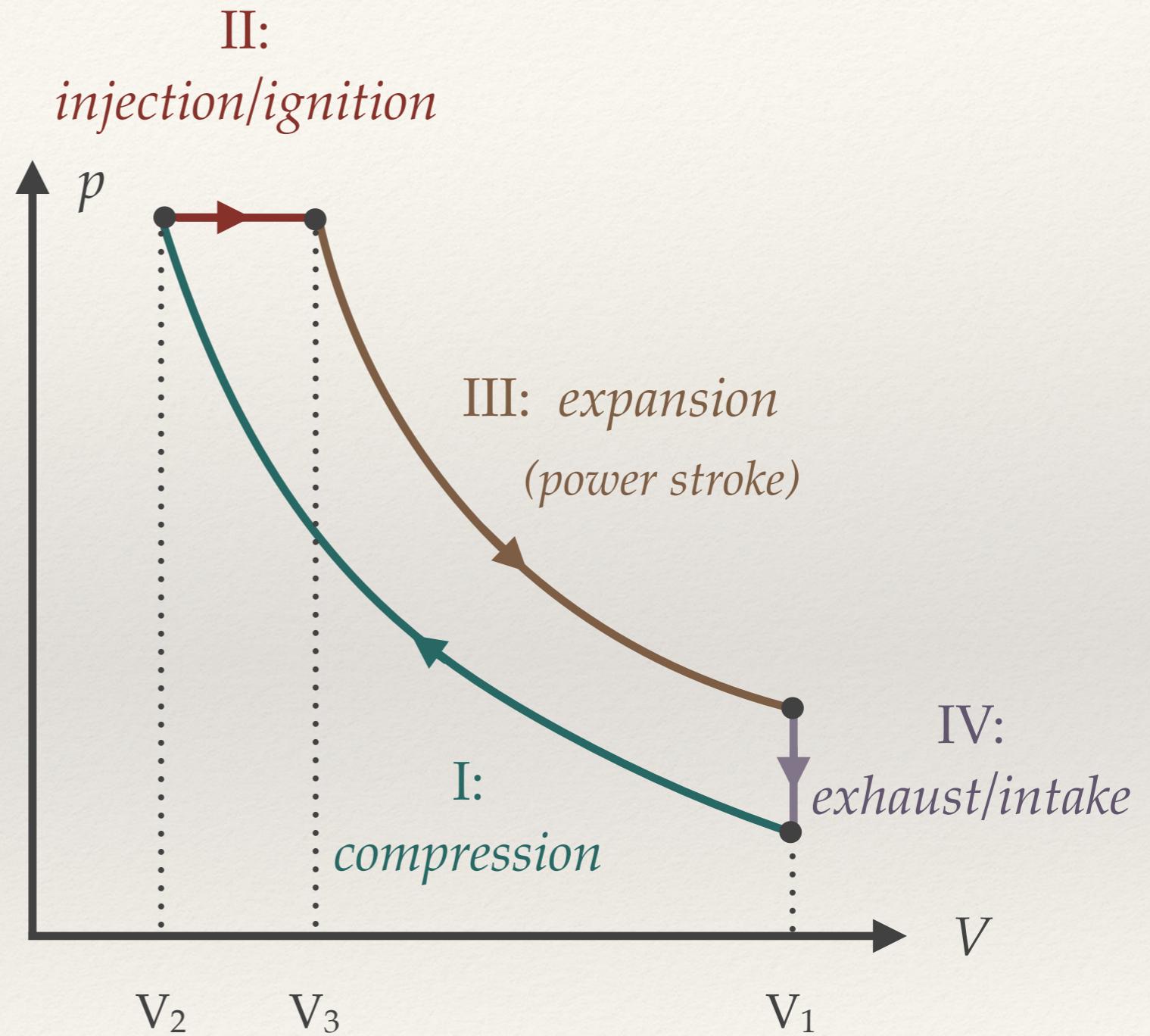
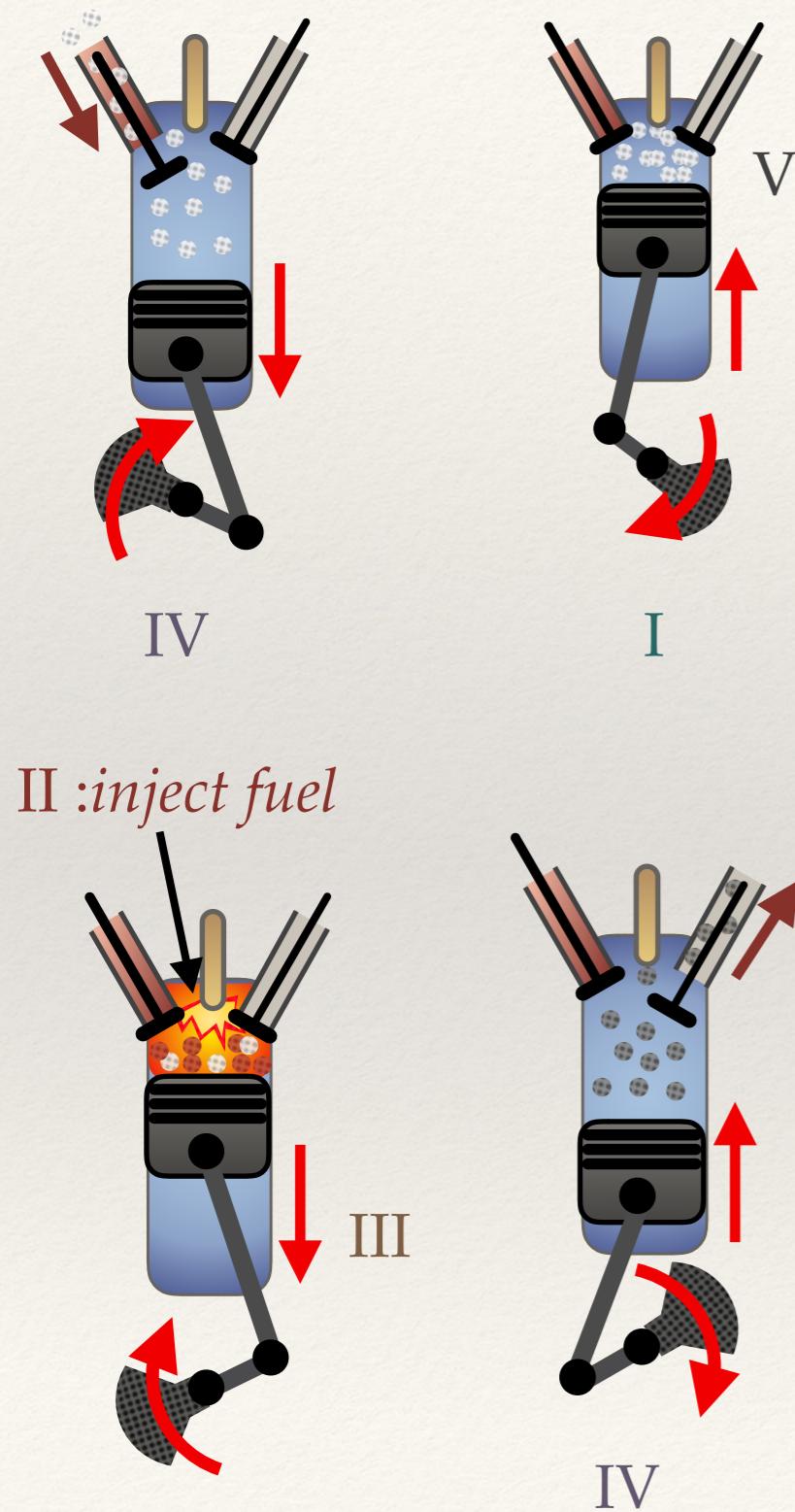
Increasing the compression ratio, r , increases efficiency.

Compressing the fuel-air mixture beyond $r \gtrsim 10$ causes the fuel to ignite before the spark plug fires.

Diesel Engine:

Compress the air *first* and inject the fuel *after* reaching full compression

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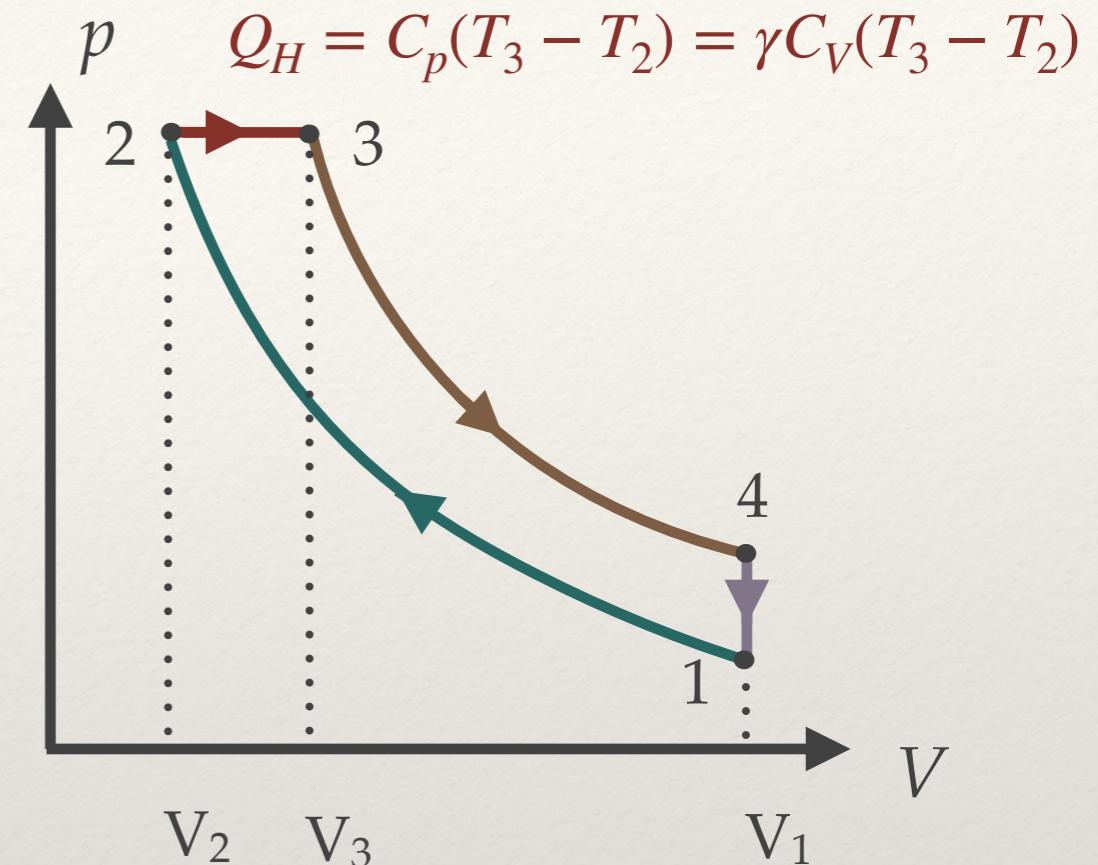
efficiency $e = 1 - \frac{1}{r^{\gamma-1}} \left(\frac{r_c^\gamma - 1}{\gamma(r_c - 1)} \right)$

Compression ratio:

$$r = \frac{V_1}{V_2}$$

Cutoff ratio:

$$r_c = \frac{V_3}{V_2}$$



Efficiency is lower than Otto Cycle for a given r . But r could be much larger than Otto.

The limitations to r_C are structural: the material has to withstand large pressures
In real engines r typically is around 20.

Larger than Otto engine, typically used in large vehicles (trucks, ships etc...)

Intermezzo: Phase Changes

To avoid unnecessary entropy production, different parts of the engine that involves heat transfer should be kept at similar temperatures.

The rate of heat flow \sim temperature difference.

Conundrum: How do we make an engine deliver energy both efficiently and quickly?

When the working substance *boils* (liquid to vapor) it absorbs heat but T remains the same. This reduces entropy production.

Latent heat is high: vapor carries a lot of energy: efficient energy transfer

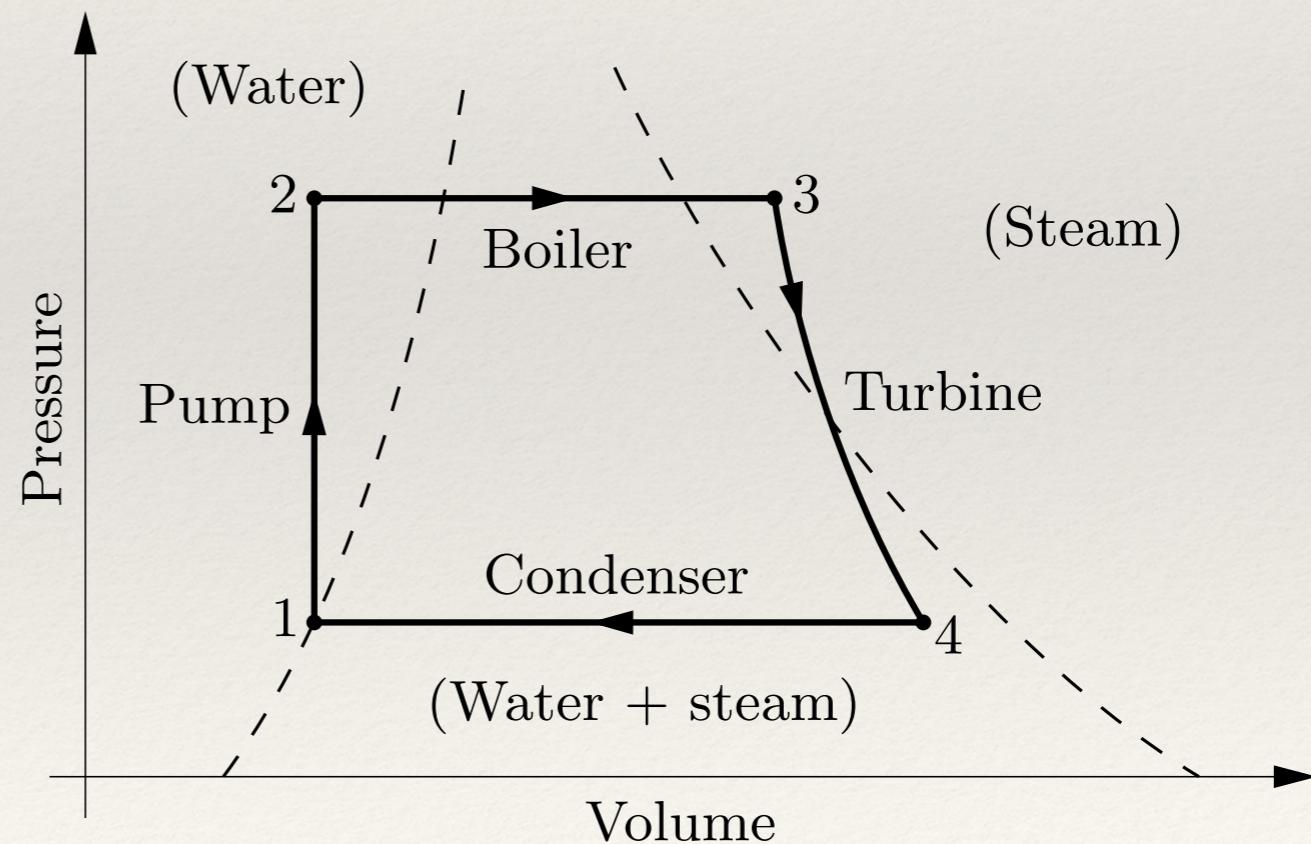
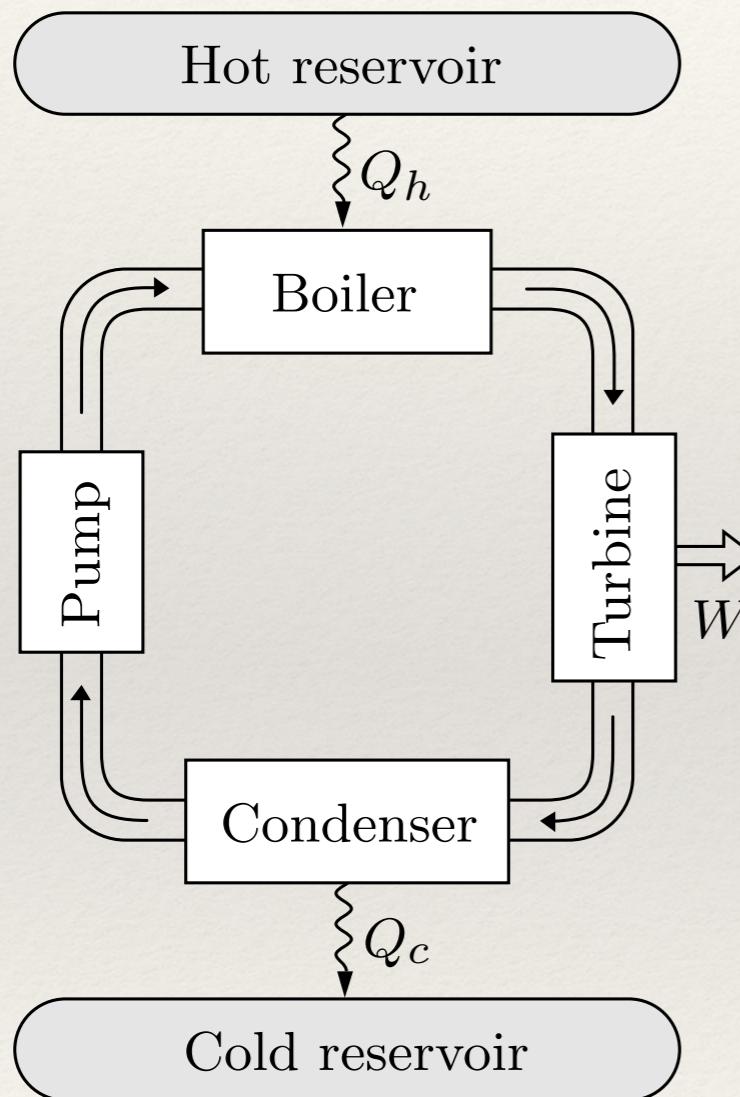
e.g. water: boiling water : 2260 J/g heating water from 0 °C to 100 °C : ~418J/g

Downside: Vaporization leads to large volume expansion.
Limitations due to size of the engine.

Real Heat Engines: Rankine Cycle

Steam Engines

- 1.Pump liquid to boiler
- 2.Transfer heat by boiling the working liquid
- 3.Vapor does work on the turbine
- 4.Congdense back to liquid

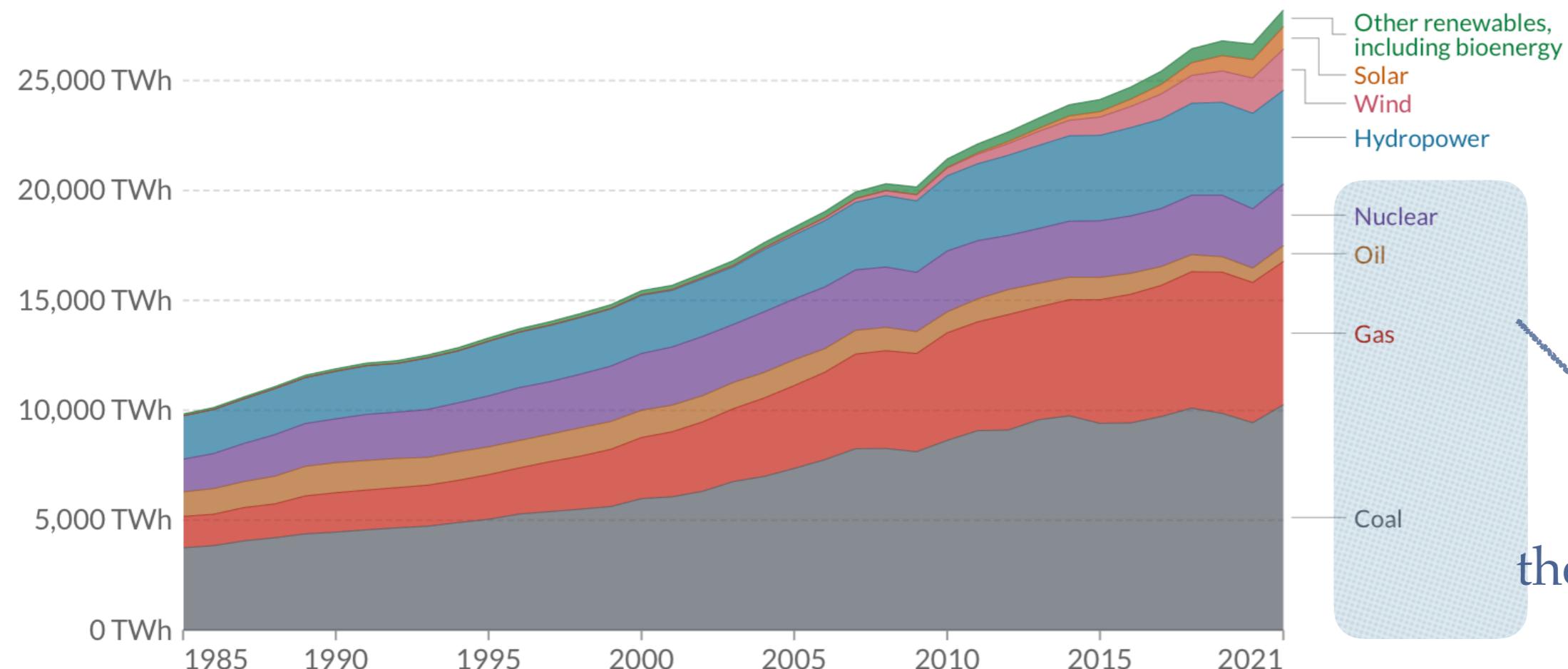


Real Heat Engines: Rankine Cycle

Electricity production by source, World

Our World
in Data

Change country Relative



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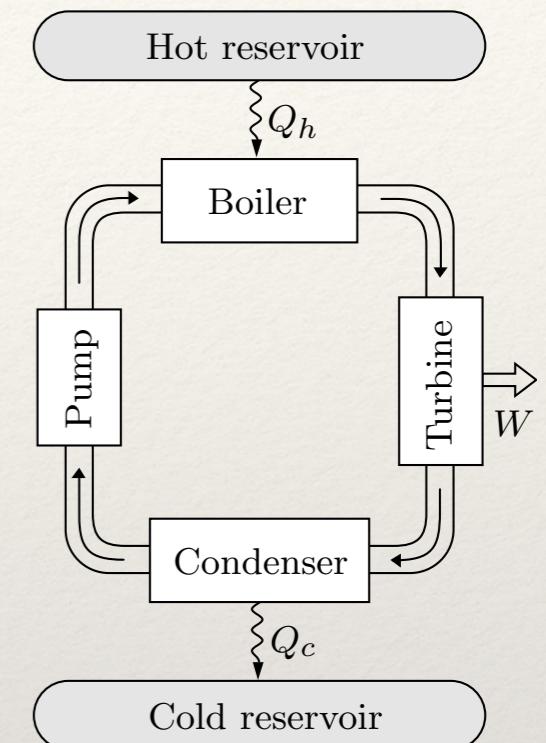
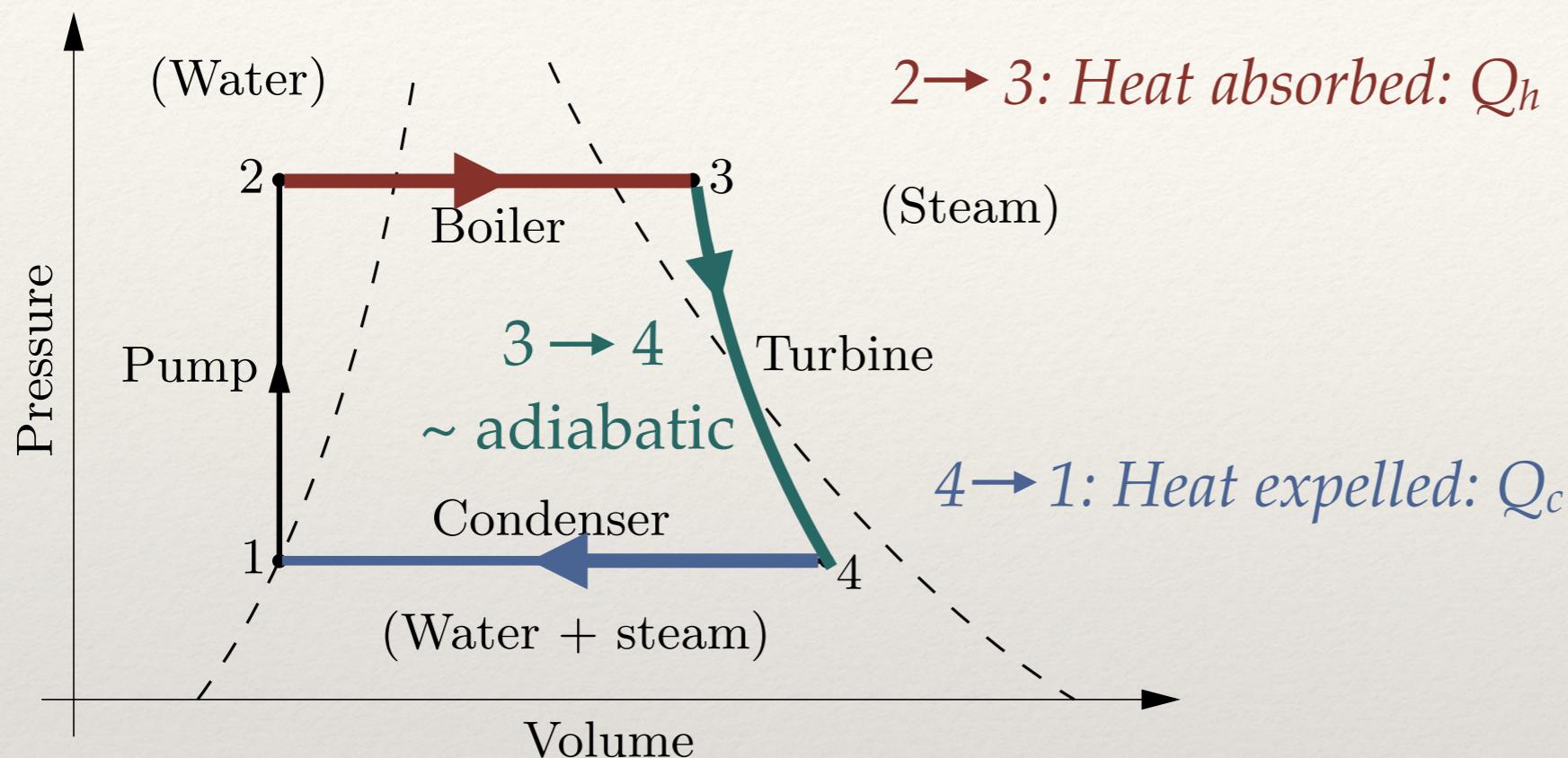
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~70%: via
thermal energy

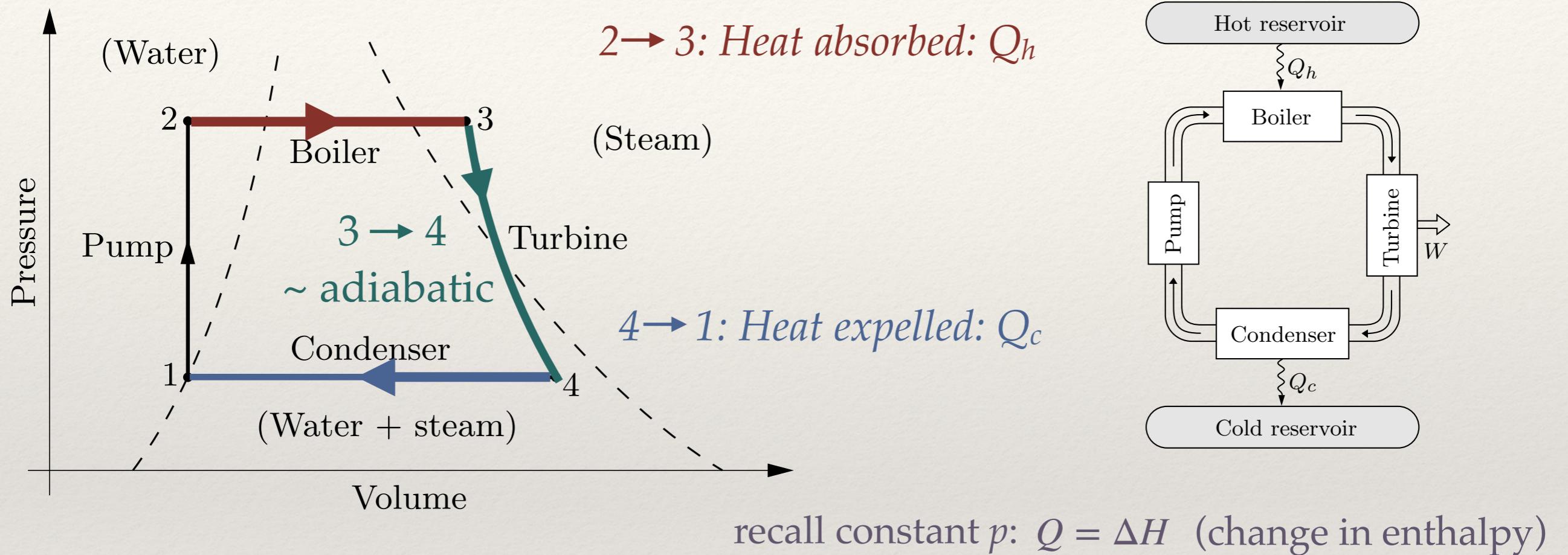
Almost all includes
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Real Heat Engines: Rankine Cycle



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Real Heat Engines: Rankine Cycle



$$e = \frac{W}{Q_h} = 1 - \frac{Q_c}{Q_h} = 1 - \frac{H_4 - H_1}{H_3 - H_2} \approx 1 - \frac{Q_c}{Q_h} = 1 - \frac{H_4 - H_1}{H_3 - H_1}$$

The working fluid is not an ideal gas (it switches between liquid and gas)
use experimental data for H_i for given p_1, p_2 and T_3

Classroom Exercise

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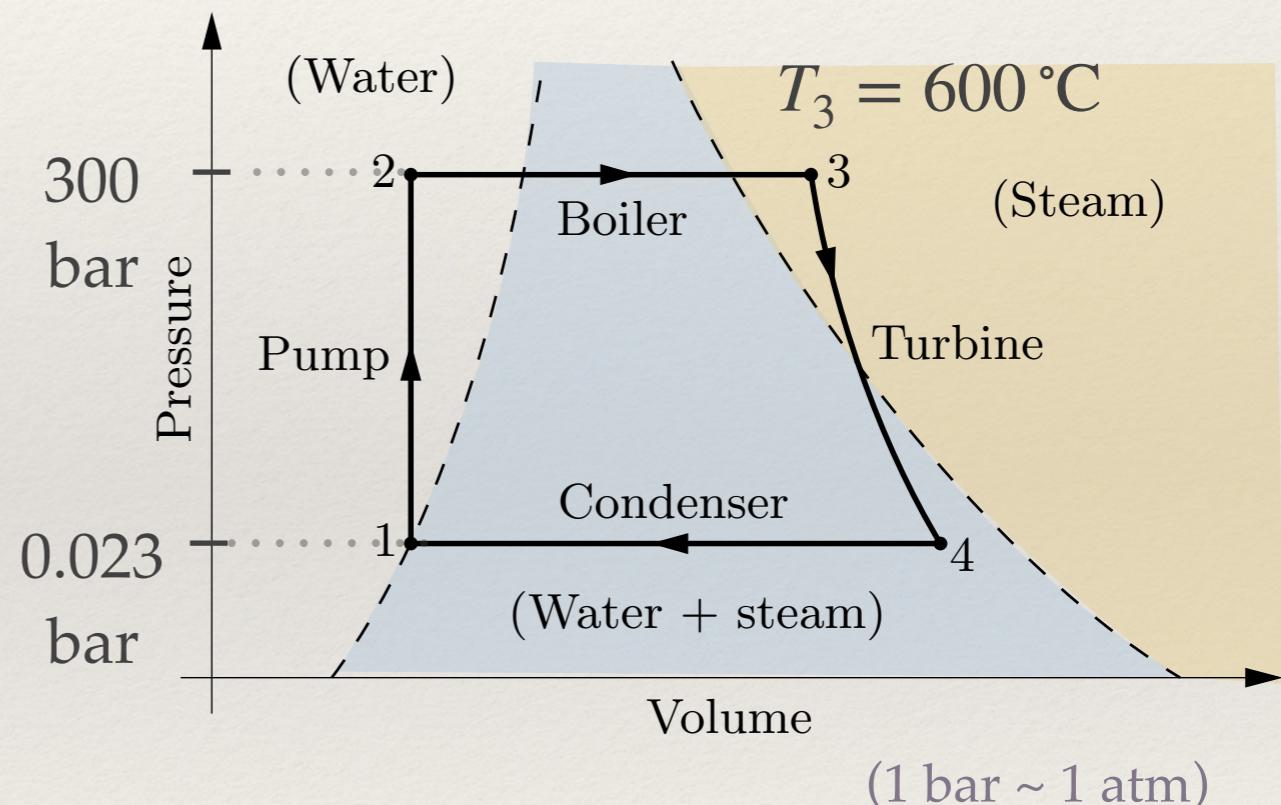
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“Superheated steam”

A Rankine engine operates with

$$p_1=0.023 \text{ bar}, p_2=300 \text{ bar}, T_3= 600 \text{ °C}$$



What is the efficiency of this engine?
How does it compare with the Carnot efficiency?

Real Heat Engines: Rankine Cycle

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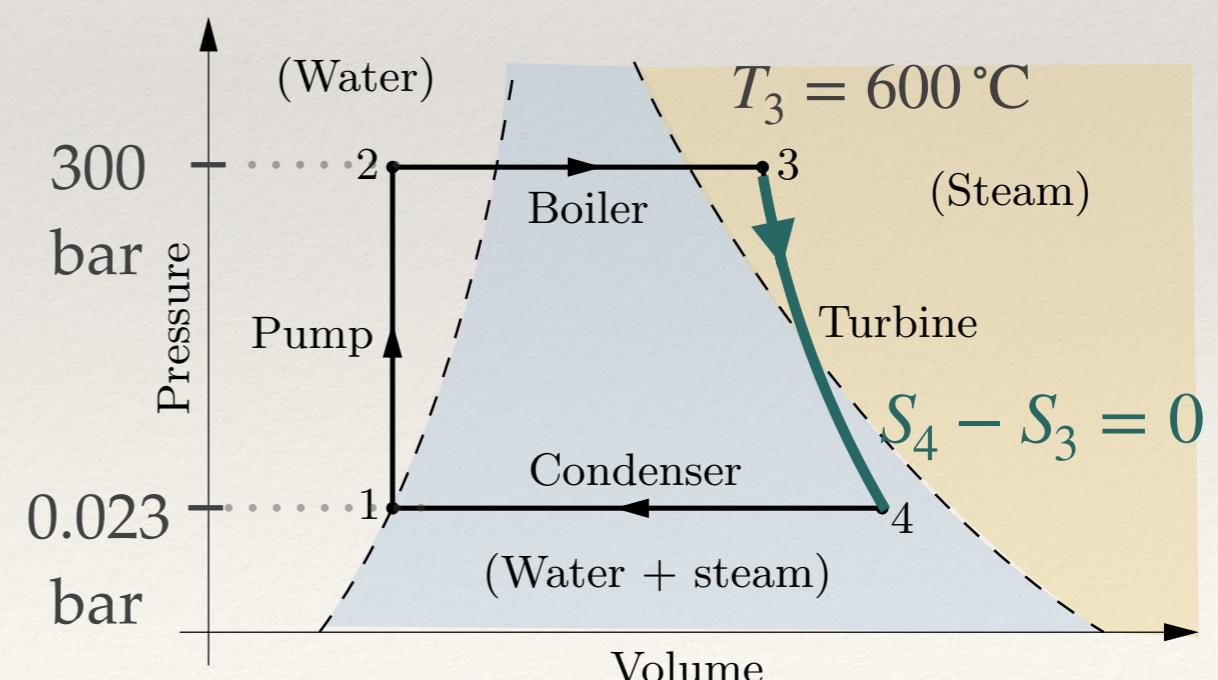
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At point 3 the entropy and enthalpy are:

$$S_3 = S_4 = 6.233 \text{ kJ/K} \quad H_3 = 3444 \text{ kJ}$$

What is the temperature at point 4 ?
 $T_4 = T_1$ (condensation)

T_1 : boiling temp at $p=0.023 \text{ bar} = 20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$



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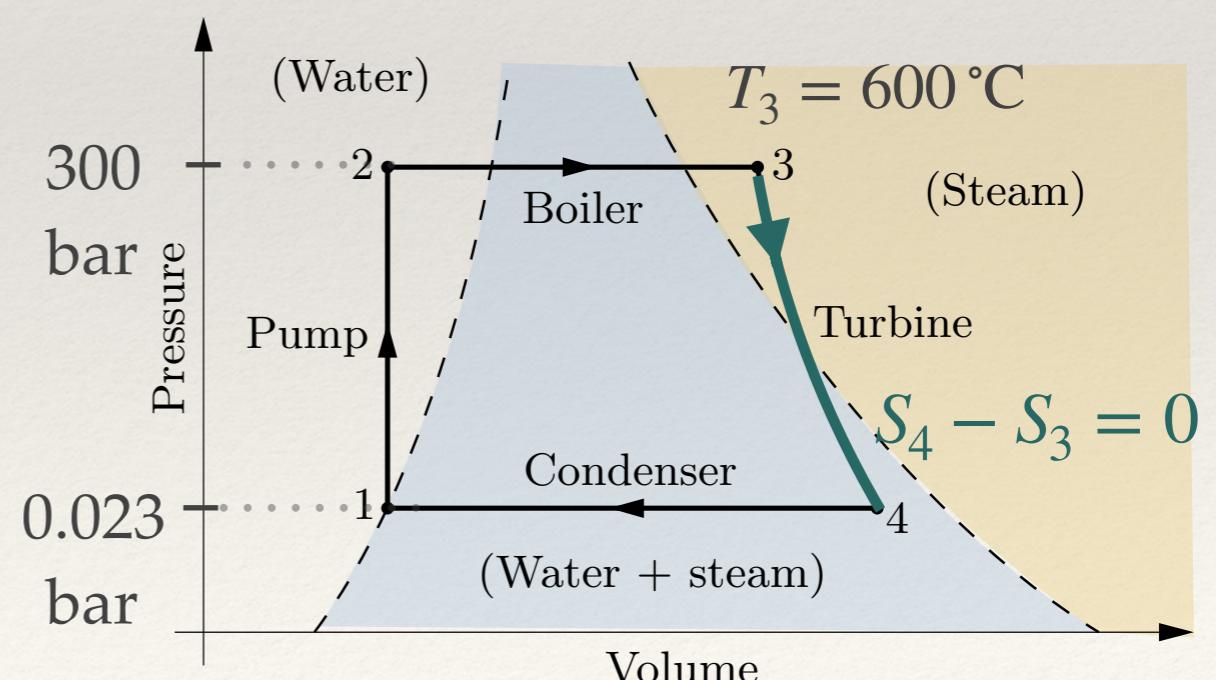
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At point 4 : mixture of water and steam

$$S_4 = x_{\text{water}} S_{\text{water}} + x_{\text{steam}} S_{\text{steam}}$$

$$x_{\text{water}} = 0.29 \quad x_{\text{steam}} = 0.71$$

$$H_4 = 1824 \text{ kJ}$$



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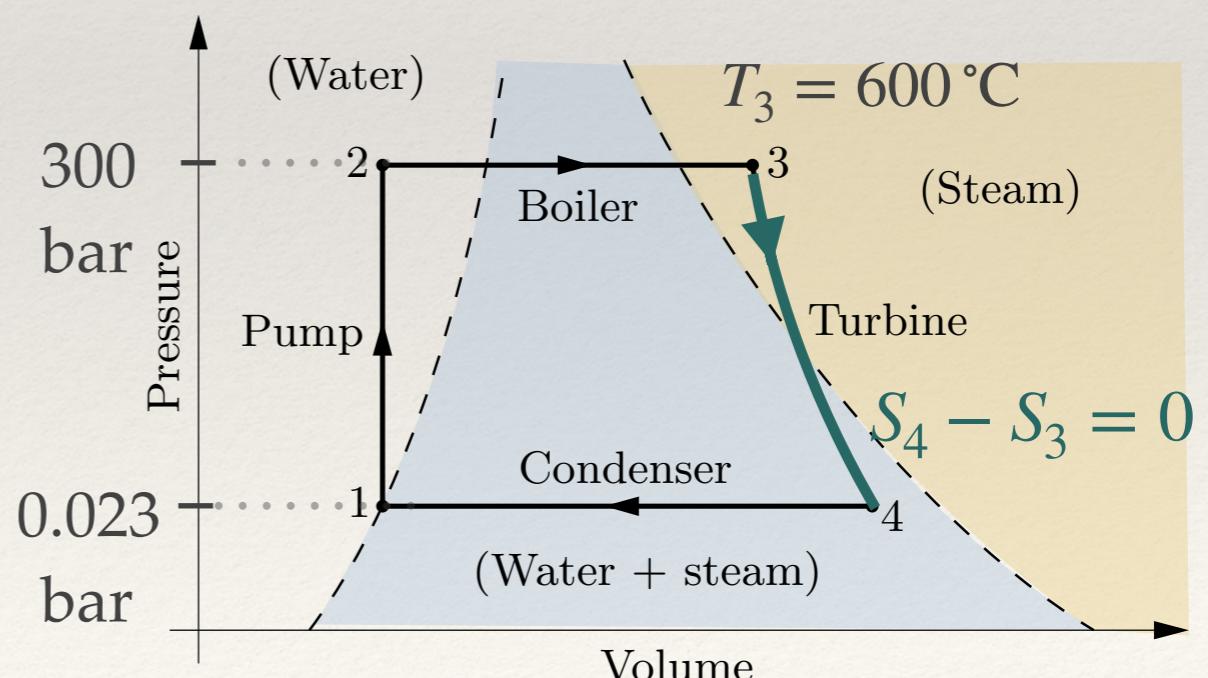
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At point 1: 100% water $H_1 = 84 \text{ kJ}$

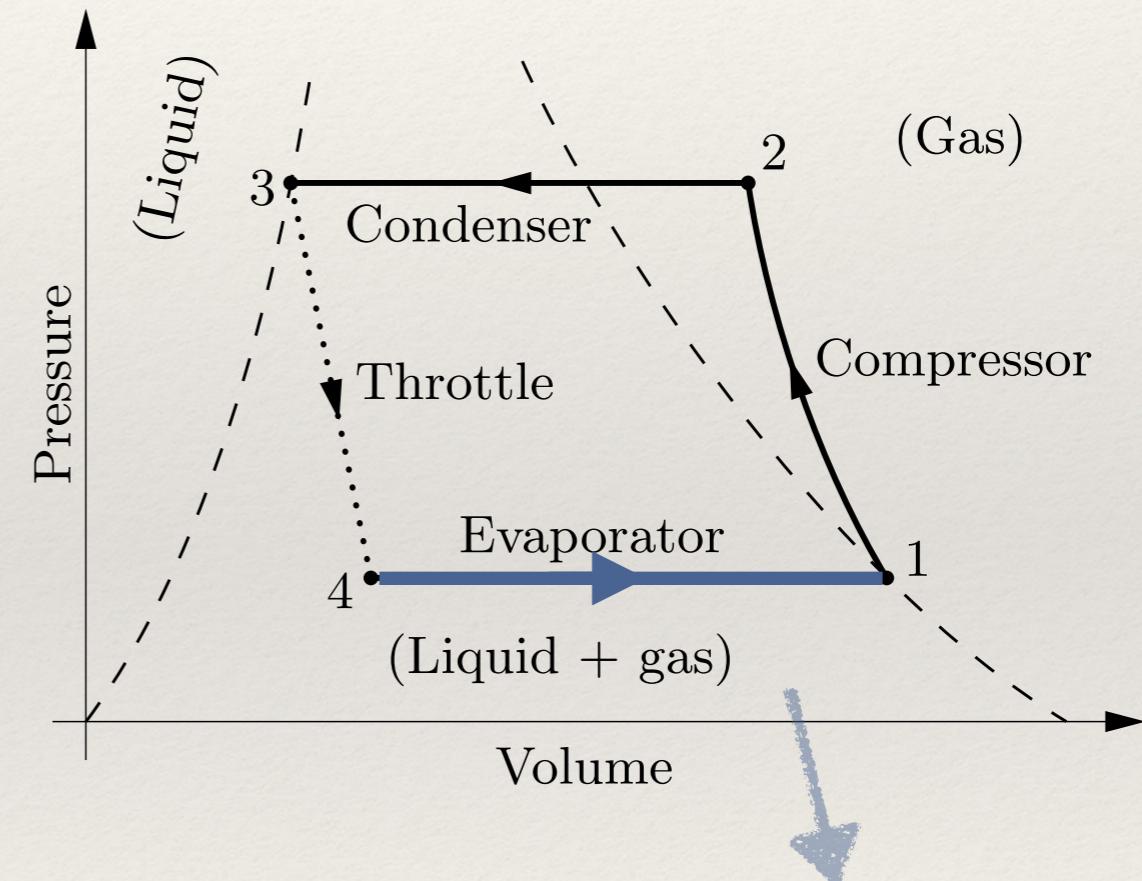
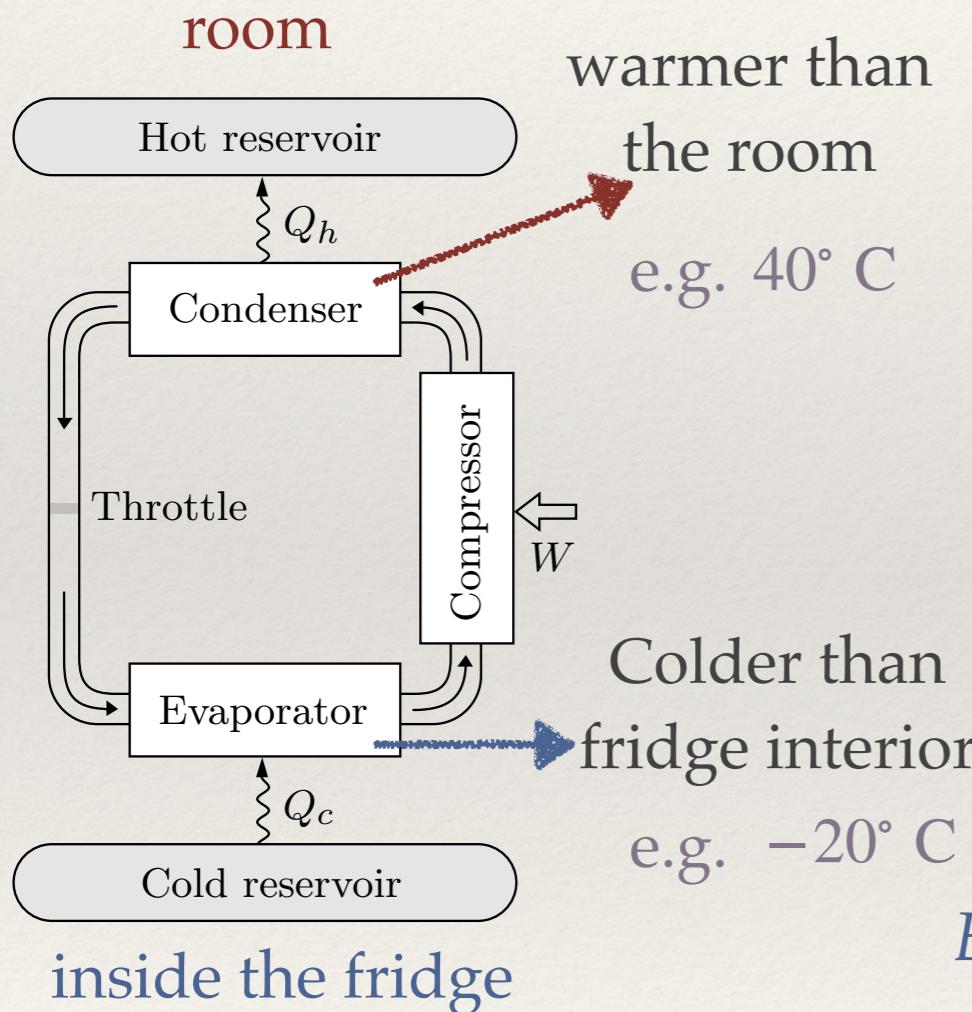
$$e = 1 - \frac{H_4 - H_1}{H_3 - H_1} = 0.48$$

$$e_{\text{Carnot}} = 1 - \frac{T_1}{T_3} = 0.66$$



Real Refrigerators

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essentially Rankine Cycle run in reverse



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liquid absorbs energy and changes phase

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Working fluid:

$4 \rightarrow 1$: boil at $\sim -20^\circ \text{C}$, 1atm

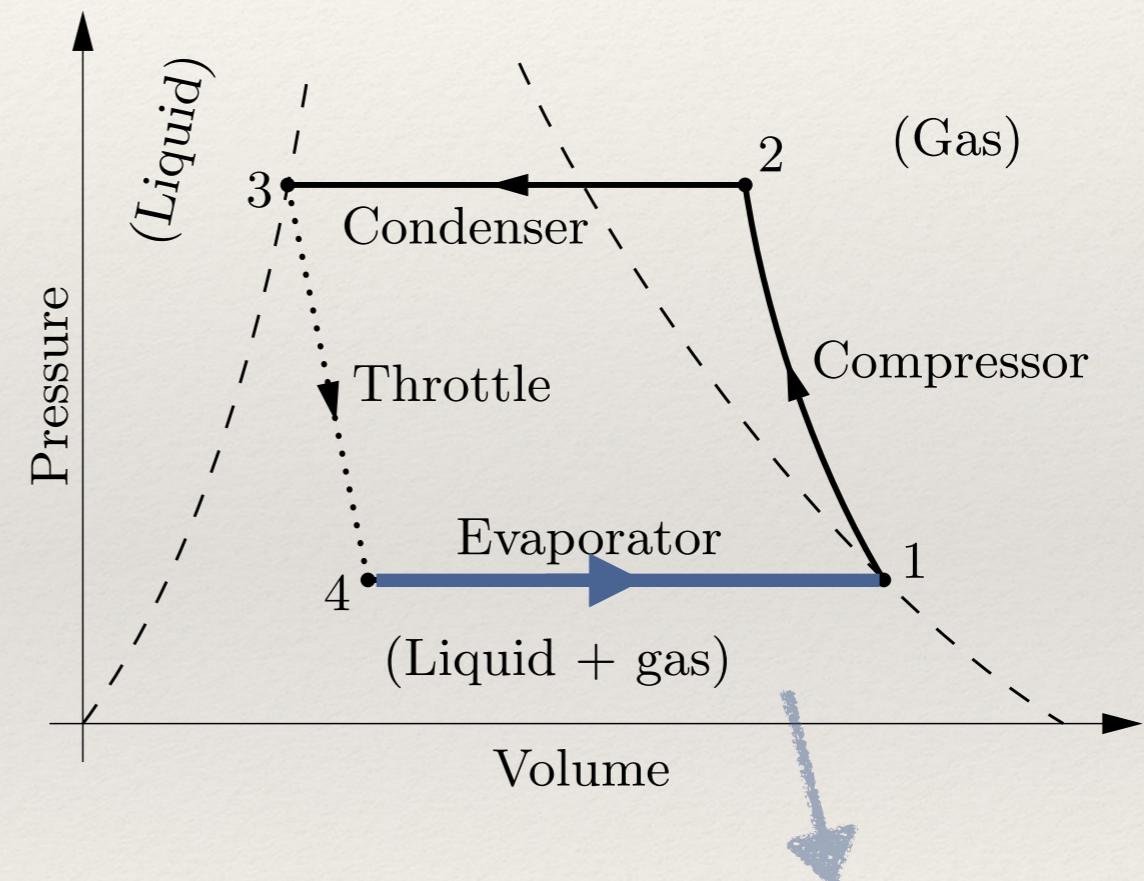
$2 \rightarrow 3$: condense at $\sim 40^\circ \text{C}$, 15atm

- Used to be CFC

(bad for ozone layer, phased out)

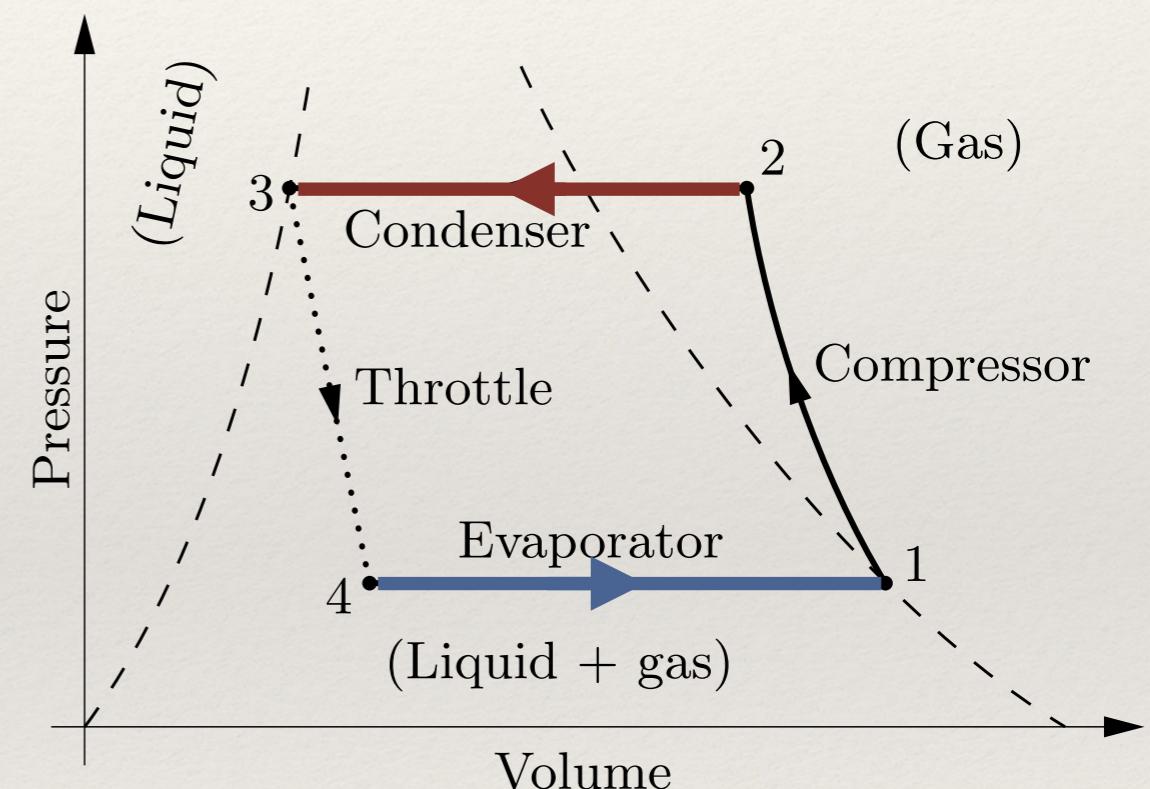
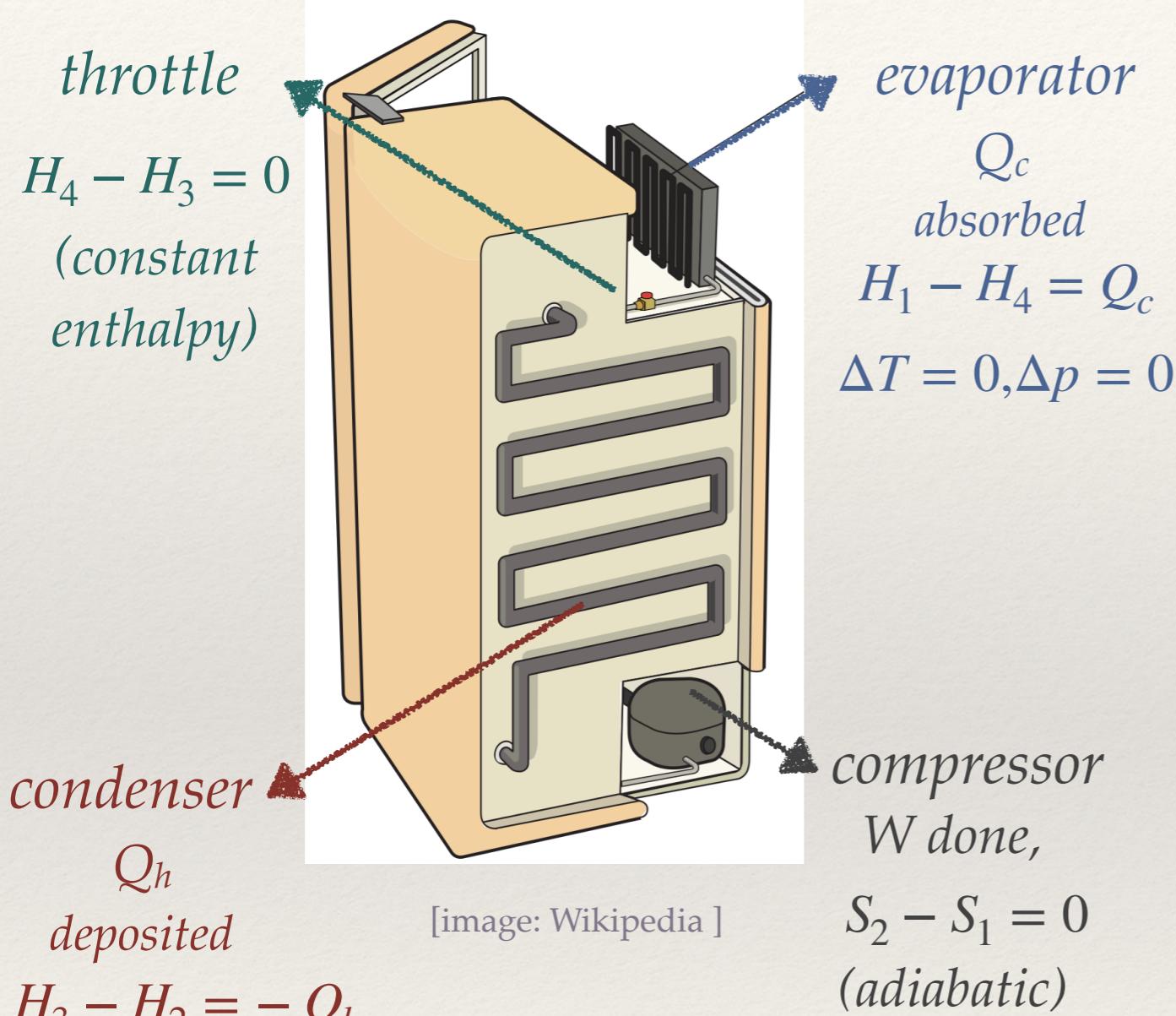
- Nowadays mostly HFC-134a

(Greenhouse gas, being phased out)



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Real Refrigerators



$$\text{COP} = \frac{Q_c}{W} = \frac{Q_c}{Q_h - Q_c} = \frac{H_1 - H_4}{H_2 - H_3 - (H_1 - H_4)} = \frac{H_1 - H_4}{H_2 - H_1}$$

Real Refrigerators

Evaporator/condenser: where the liquid / vapor transition happens

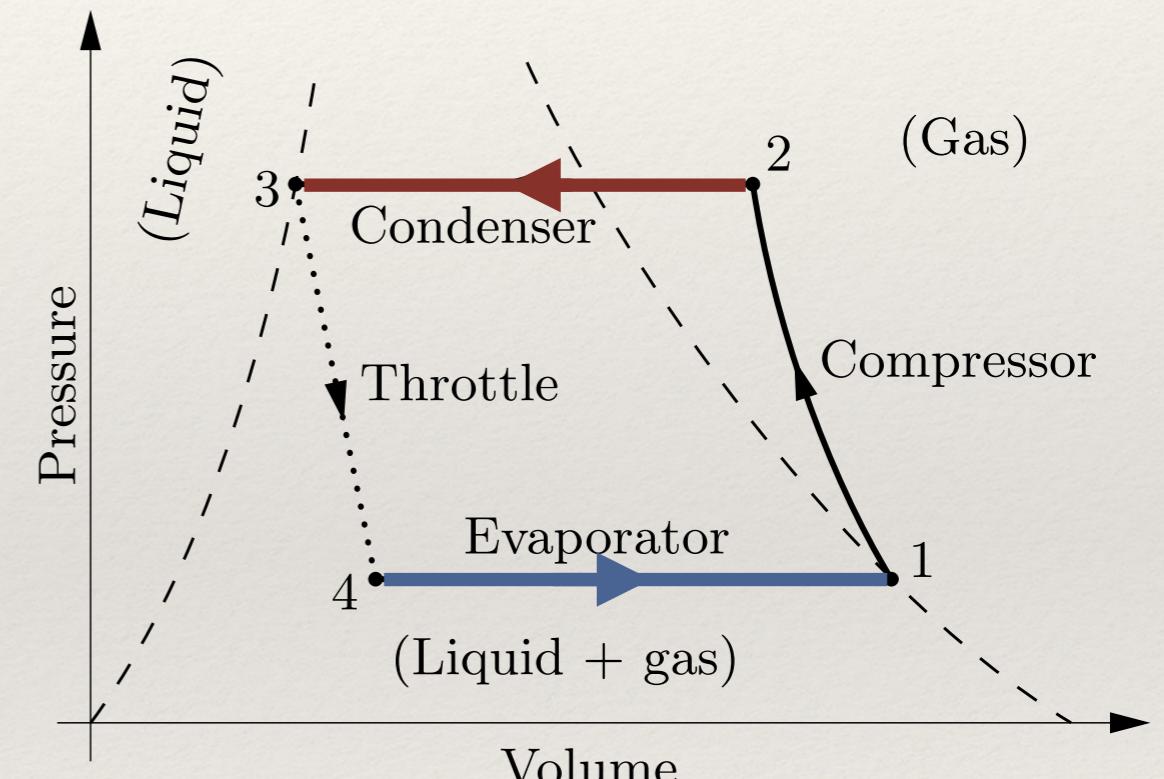
Long stretch of metal pipes to increase the surface area



evaporator



condenser

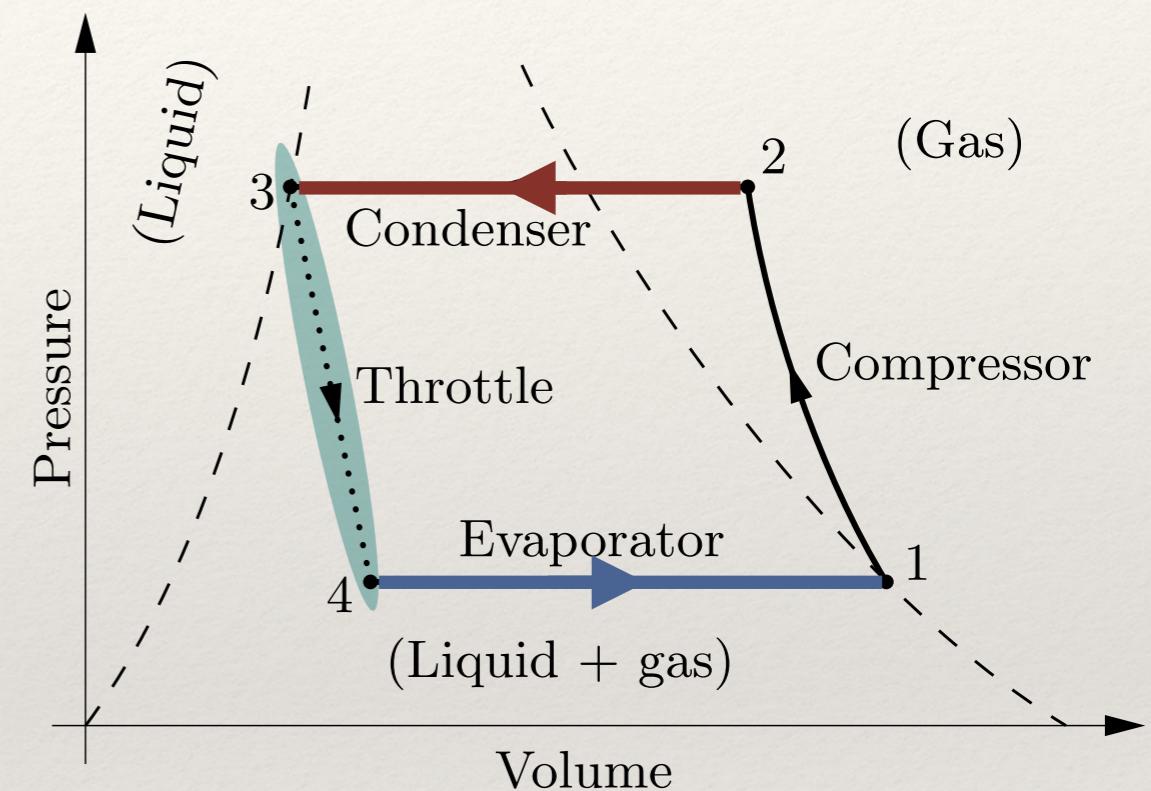


Real Refrigerators

Throttle

A piece of tube with a restricted passage
(narrow pass / porous plug / partially
open valve)

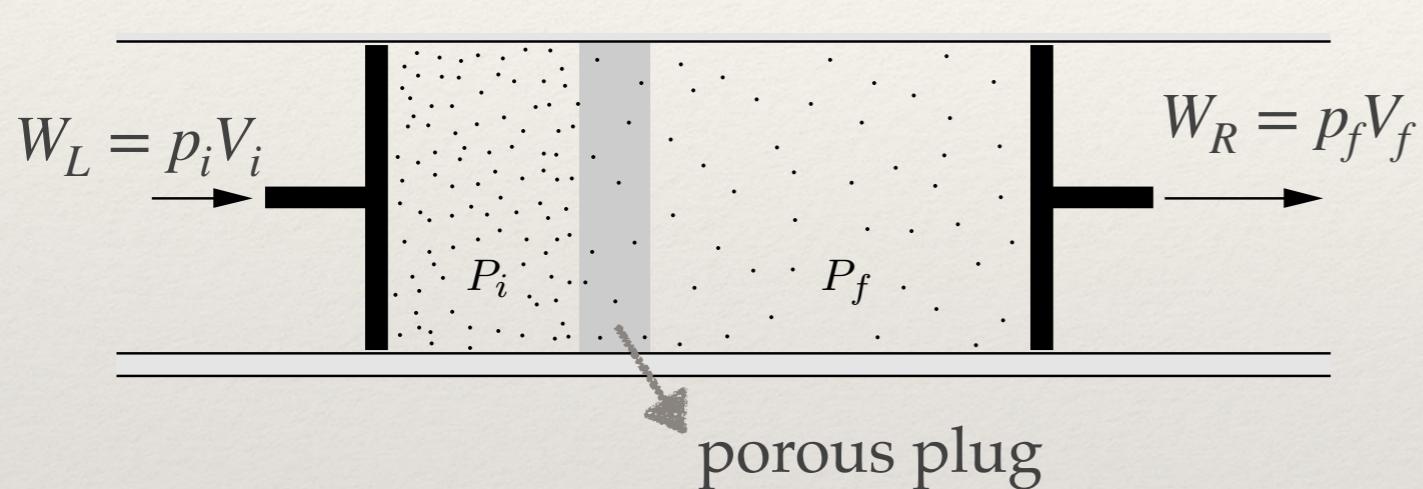
As the liquid goes through the throttle it
vaporizes, expands and cools down
(below T_C so that it can extract heat from
the cold reservoir)



Real Refrigerators

Throttle

“Joule-Thompson” process



e.g. ideal gas

$$H = U + pV = \frac{N_{dof} + 2}{2} kT$$

T : constant for constant H !

$$U_f - U_i = \cancel{Q^0} + W = W_L - W_R$$

$$U_f + p_f V_f = U_i + p_i V_i$$

$$H_f = H_i$$

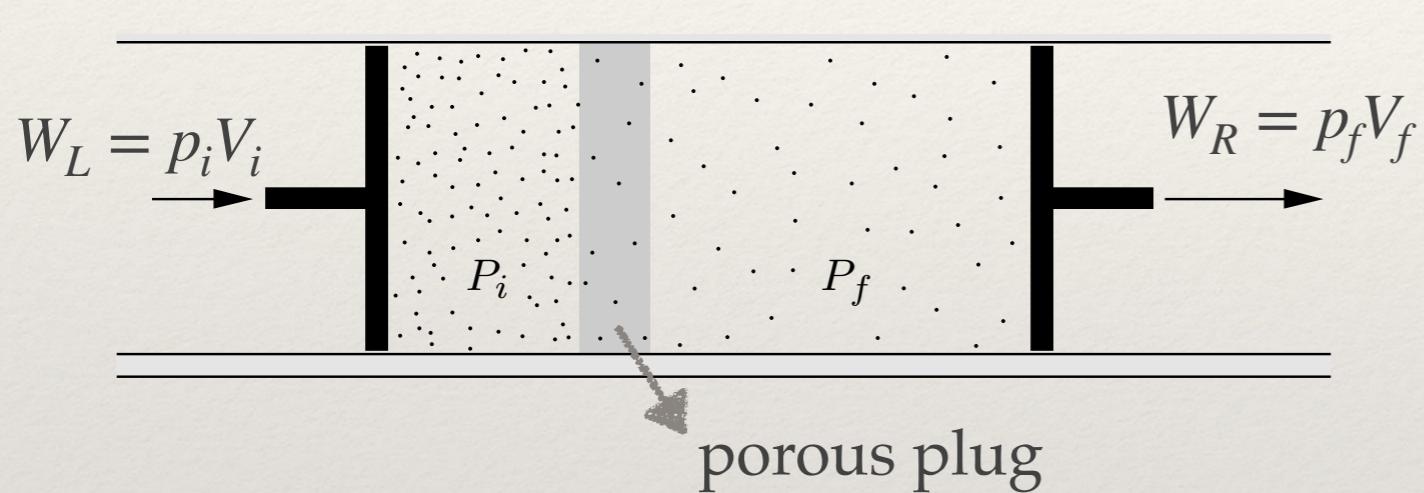
Enthalpy is conserved

It is crucial that the working fluid is NOT an ideal gas!

Real Refrigerators

Throttle

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Non-ideal gas

$$H = U_{kin} + U_{pot} + pV$$

U_{pot} : less negative after expansion \rightarrow U_{kin} : decreases, gas becomes cooler

$$U_f - U_i = \cancel{Q}^0 + W = W_L - W_R$$

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Classroom Exercise

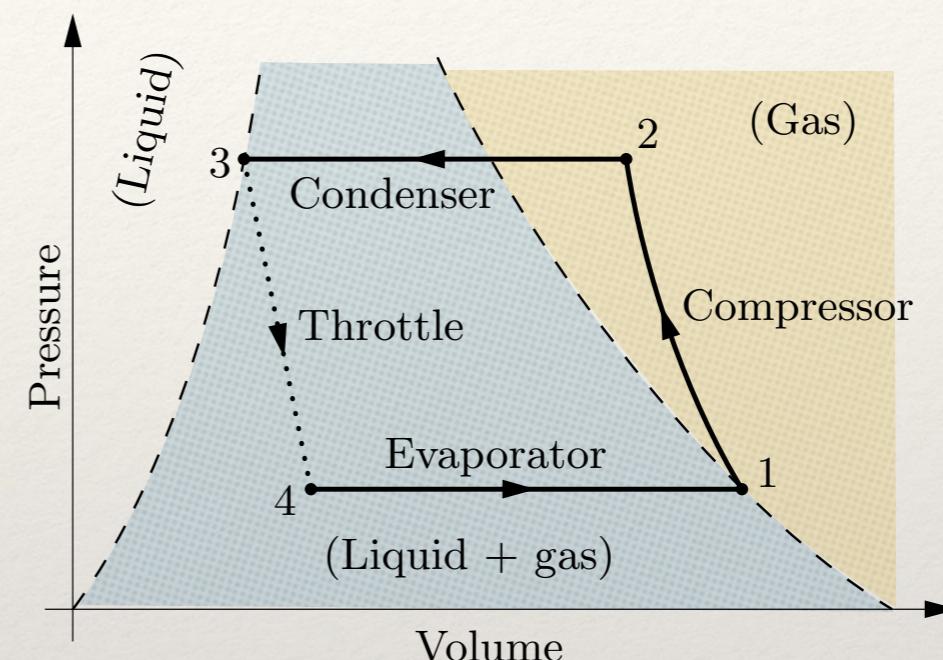
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$$\text{COP} = \frac{H_1 - H_4}{H_2 - H_1}$$

e.g. $p_3=10\text{bar}$, $p_1=1\text{ bar}$



What is the COP?

How much of the liquid vaporizes in throttling?

What is T_3 ? Is it a reasonable value?

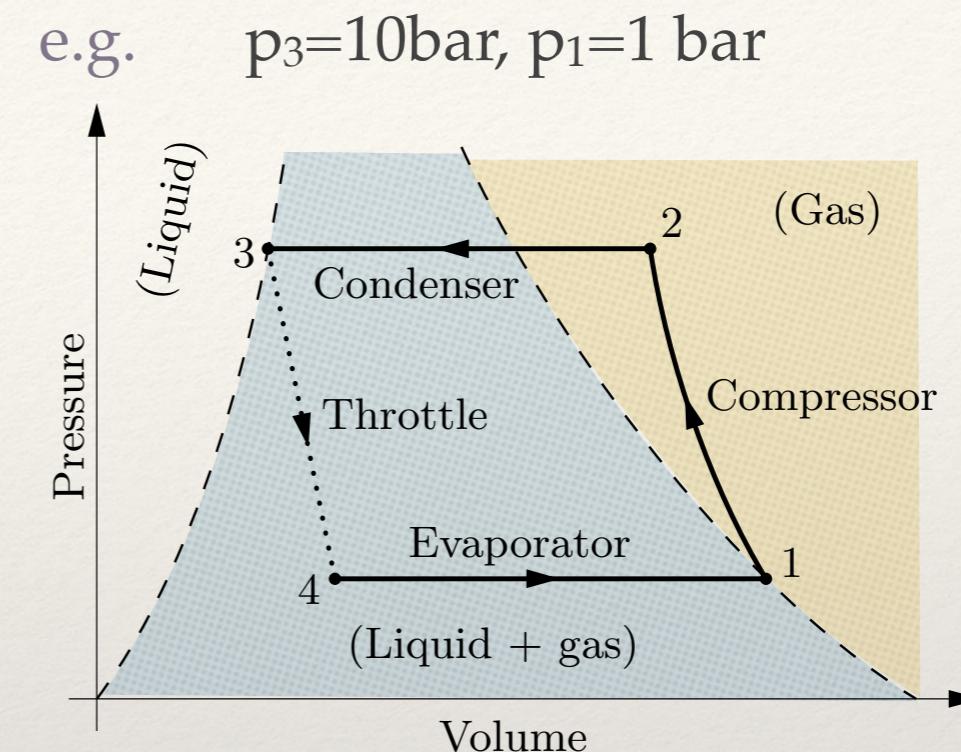
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$$H_4 = xH_{\text{liq}} + (1 - x)H_{\text{gas}} \Rightarrow x = 0.586$$

41% of liquid vaporizes

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$$S_1 = 0.940 \text{ kJ/K}$$

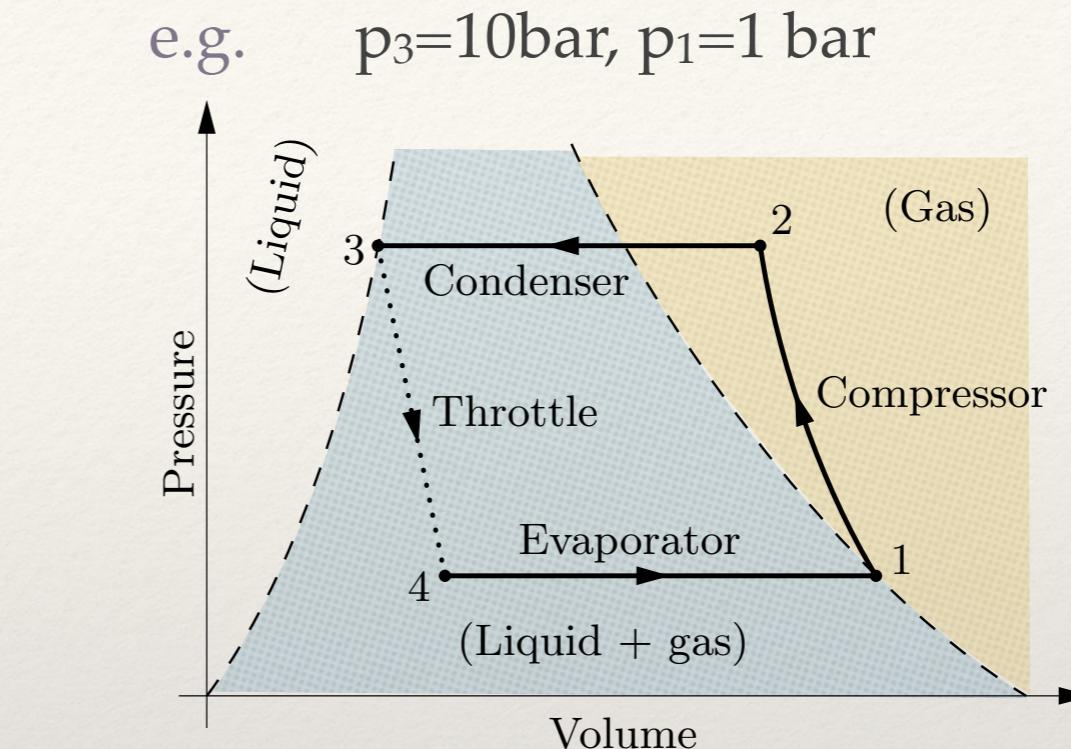
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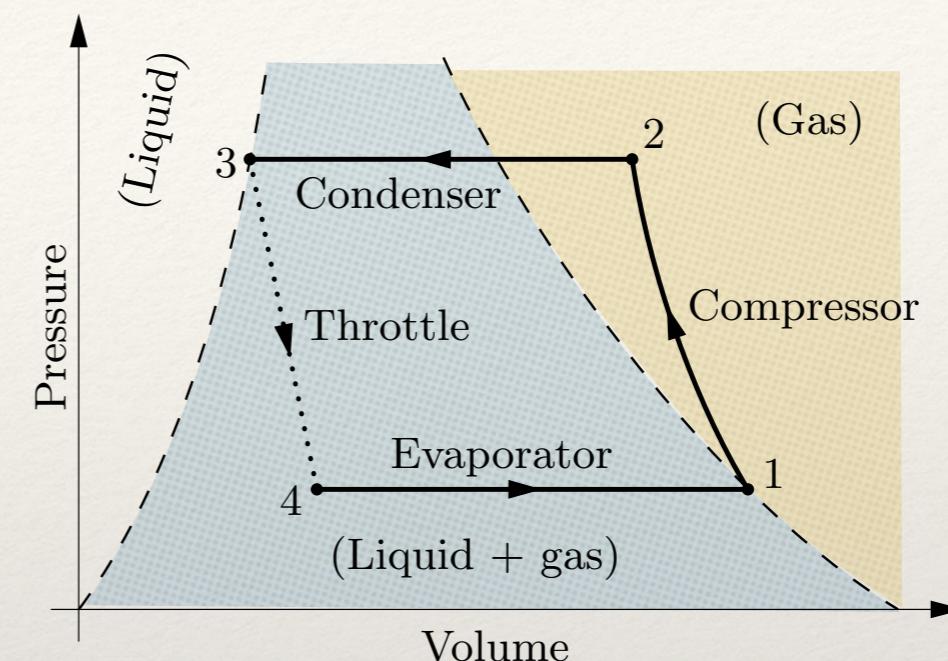
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HFC-134a

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We are designing an AC that uses HFC-134a what range of parameters it should operate?



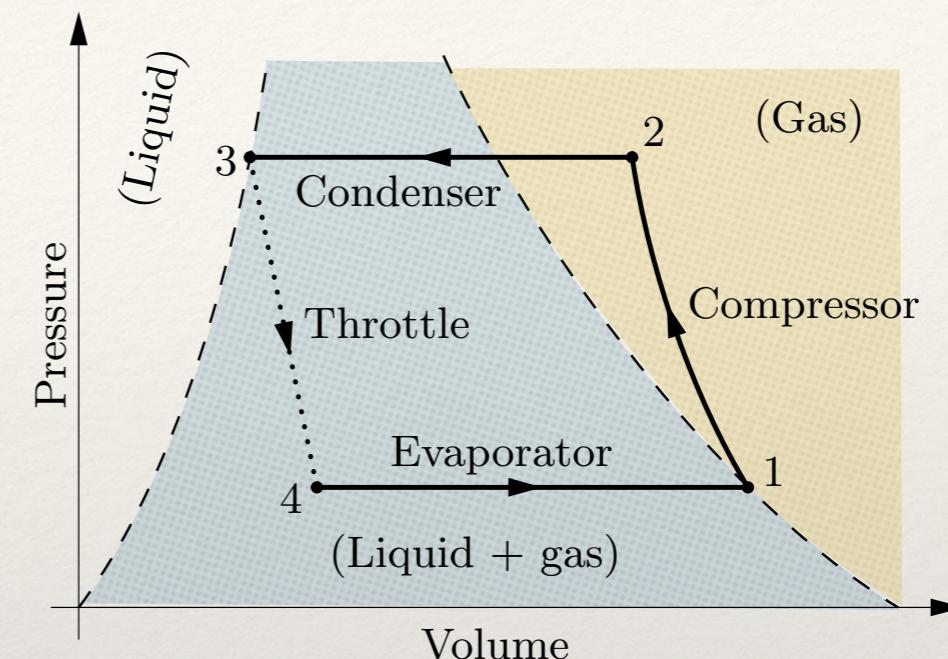
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T_1 has to be much less than the room temperature, choose 8.9°C

T_3 has to be much larger than the outside temperature, choose 46.3°C

$$\text{COP} = \frac{H_1 - H_4}{H_2 - H_1} = \frac{252 - 116}{276 - 252} \approx 5.7$$

Thank You!