

Example: A vessel of volume (**0.2 m³**) contains nitrogen at (**1.013 bar**) and (**15 °C**). If (**0.2 kg**) of nitrogen is now pumped into the vessel, **calculate the new pressure** when the vessel has returned to its initial temperature. The molecular weight of nitrogen is (**28 kg/kmol**), and it may be assumed to be ideal gas.

Solution:

$$T_1 = 15 + 273.15 = 288.15 \text{ K}$$

$$P_1 = 1.013 \times 100000 = 101300 \text{ Pa}$$

$$\boxed{R = \frac{R_u}{M}} \Rightarrow R = \frac{8314.47}{28} = 296.945 \text{ J/kg.K}$$

$$\boxed{P_1 V_1 = m_1 R T_1} \Rightarrow m_1 = \frac{P_1 V_1}{R T_1} \Rightarrow m_1 = \frac{101300 \times 0.2}{296.945 \times 288.15}$$

$$m_1 = 0.2368 \text{ kg}$$

$$m_2 = m_1 + 0.2 \Rightarrow m_2 = 0.2368 + 0.2 = 0.4368 \text{ kg}$$

$$\boxed{P_2 V_2 = m_2 R T_2} \Rightarrow P_2 = \frac{m_2 R T_2}{V_2}$$

$$V_1 = V_2 \quad \text{and} \quad T_1 = T_2$$

$$P_2 = \frac{0.4368 \times 296.945 \times 288.15}{0.2}$$

$$P_2 = 186873.309 \text{ Pa}$$

Example: A certain ideal gas of mass **(0.01 kg)** occupies a volume of **(0.003 m³)** at a pressure of **(7 bar)** and a temperature of **(131 °C)**. The gas is allowed to expand until the pressure is **(1 bar)** and the final volume is **(0.02 m³)**. Calculate the final temperature.

Solution:

$$m_1 = m_2 = 0.01 \text{ kg}$$

$$V_1 = 0.003 \text{ m}^3$$

$$V_2 = 0.02 \text{ m}^3$$

$$P_1 = 7 \text{ bar} \quad \Rightarrow \quad P_1 = 7 \times 100000 = 700000 \text{ Pa}$$

$$P_2 = 1 \text{ bar} \quad \Rightarrow \quad P_2 = 1 \times 100000 = 100000 \text{ Pa}$$

$$T_1 = 131 + 273.15 = 404.15 \text{ K}$$

$$P_1 V_1 = m_1 R T_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad R = \frac{P_1 V_1}{m T_1} \quad \Rightarrow \quad R = \frac{700000 \times 0.003}{0.01 \times 404.15}$$

$$R = \frac{2100}{4.0415} \quad \Rightarrow \quad R = 519.609 \text{ J/kg.K}$$

$$P_2 V_2 = m_2 R T_2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad T_2 = \frac{P_2 V_2}{m_2 R} \quad \Rightarrow \quad T_2 = \frac{100000 \times 0.02}{0.01 \times 519.609}$$

$$T_2 = \frac{2000}{5.19609} \quad \Rightarrow \quad T_2 = 384.905 \text{ K}$$

H.W: The gage pressure of an automobile tire is measured to be **(210 kPa)** before a trip and **(220 kPa)** after the trip at a location where the atmospheric pressure is **(95 kPa)**. Assuming the volume of the tire remains constant and the air temperature before the trip is **(25 °C)**. Determine air temperature in the tire after the trip.

Enthalpy: is the sum of the internal energy (U) and the product of pressure (P) and volume (V) .

$$H = U + PV \quad (\text{kJ})$$

$$h = u + Pv \quad (\text{kJ/kg})$$

Where:

H: enthalpy

h: specific enthalpy

U: internal energy

P: pressure

V: volume

Specific Heats:

The specific heat is defined as the energy required to raise the temperature of a unit mass of a substance by one degree.

In general, this energy depends on how the process is executed.

In thermodynamics, we are interested in two kinds of specific heats:

- Specific heat at **constant volume** (C_v)
- Specific heat at **constant pressure** (C_p).

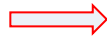
Physically, the specific heat at constant volume C_v can be viewed as the energy required to raise the temperature of the unit mass of a substance by one degree as the volume is maintained constant. The energy required to do the same as the pressure is maintained constant is the specific heat at constant pressure C_p .

The specific heat at constant pressure c_p is always greater than c_v because at constant pressure the system is allowed to expand and the energy for this expansion work must also be supplied to the system.

$$C_v = \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial T} \right)_v$$

$$C_p = \left(\frac{\partial h}{\partial T} \right)_p$$

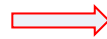
$$dQ = mC_p dT$$



$$Q = mC_p (T_2 - T_1)$$

at constant pressure

$$dQ = mC_v dT$$



$$Q = mC_v (T_2 - T_1)$$

at constant volume

Joule's Law:

It has been demonstrated mathematically and experimentally (Joule, 1843) that for an ideal gas the internal energy is a function of the temperature only. That is:

$$u = u(T)$$

(Joule later showed that for gases that deviate significantly from ideal gas behavior, the internal energy is not a function of temperature alone.)

Using the definition of enthalpy and the equation of state of an ideal gas, we have:

$$h = u + Pv \quad \text{and} \quad Pv = RT$$

$$h = u + RT$$

Since R is constant and $u = u(T)$, it follows that the enthalpy of an ideal gas is also a function of temperature only:

$$h = h(T)$$

Since u and h depend only on temperature for an ideal gas, the specific heats C_v and C_p also depend, at most, on temperature only. Therefore, at a given temperature (u , h , C_v , and C_p) of an ideal gas have fixed values regardless of the specific volume or pressure.

$$u = u(T)$$

$$h = h(T)$$

$$C_v = C_v(T)$$

$$C_p = C_p(T)$$

Thus, **for ideal gases:**

$$C_v = \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial T} \right)_v \quad \Rightarrow \quad du = C_v(T) dT$$

$$C_p = \left(\frac{\partial h}{\partial T} \right)_p \quad \Rightarrow \quad dh = C_p(T) dT$$

The change in internal energy or enthalpy for an ideal gas during a process from state 1 to state 2 is determined by integrating these equations:

$$\Delta u = u_2 - u_1 = \int_1^2 C_v(T) dT$$

$$\Delta h = h_2 - h_1 = \int_1^2 C_p(T) dT$$

Specific heat relation of ideal gases:

A special relationship between c_p and c_v for ideal gases can be obtained

$$h = u + Pv \quad \text{and} \quad Pv = RT$$

$$h = u + RT$$

$$dh = du + R dT$$

from:

$$du = C_v(T) dT \quad \text{and} \quad dh = C_p(T) dT$$

$$C_p dT = C_v dT + R dT$$

dividing the resulting expression by dT , we obtain:

$$C_p = C_v + R \quad (\text{kJ/kg.K})$$

Specific heat ratio:

At this point, we introduce another ideal-gas property called the specific heat ratio γ , defined as:

$$\gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_v}$$

The *specific ratio* also varies with temperature, but this variation is very mild. For monatomic gases, its value is essentially constant at **(1.667)**. Many diatomic gases, including air, have a specific heat ratio of about **(1.4)** at room temperature.

Closed System Process:

- **Isobaric process (constant pressure):**

$$P_1 = P_2 = P$$

$$W = \int_1^2 P dV \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = P(V_2 - V_1)$$

From:

$$Q - W = U_2 - U_1$$

Then:

$$Q - (PV_2 - PV_1) = U_2 - U_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad Q - PV_2 + PV_1 = U_2 - U_1$$

$$Q = U_2 - U_1 + PV_2 - PV_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad Q = (U_2 + PV_2) - (U_1 + PV_1)$$

$$Q = H_2 - H_1$$

$$Q = mC_p(T_2 - T_1)$$

- **Isochoric process (constant volume):**

$$V_1 = V_2 = V$$

$$W = \int_1^2 P dV \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = 0$$

From:

$$Q - W = U_2 - U_1$$

$$Q = U_2 - U_1$$

$$Q = mC_v(T_2 - T_1)$$

- **Isothermal process:**

$$PV = mRT \quad \Rightarrow \quad T_1 = T_2 = T \quad \Rightarrow \quad PV = C \quad \Rightarrow \quad P = \frac{C}{V}$$

$$W = \int_1^2 P dV \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = \int_1^2 \frac{C}{V} dV \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = C \int_1^2 \frac{dV}{V}$$

$$W = C[\ln V]_{V_1}^{V_2} \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = C(\ln V_2 - \ln V_1) \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = C \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1}$$

$$W = P_1 V_1 \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1}$$

From:

$$Q - W = U_2 - U_1$$

For isothermal process (constant temperature) $U_2 - U_1 = 0$

Then: $Q = W \quad \Rightarrow \quad Q = W = P_1 V_1 \ln \frac{V_2}{V_1}$

- **Polytropic process:**

During actual expansion and compression processes of gases, pressure and volume are often related by:

$$PV^n = C$$

where (n and C are constants). A process of this kind is called a **polytropic process**, as shown in figure (30).

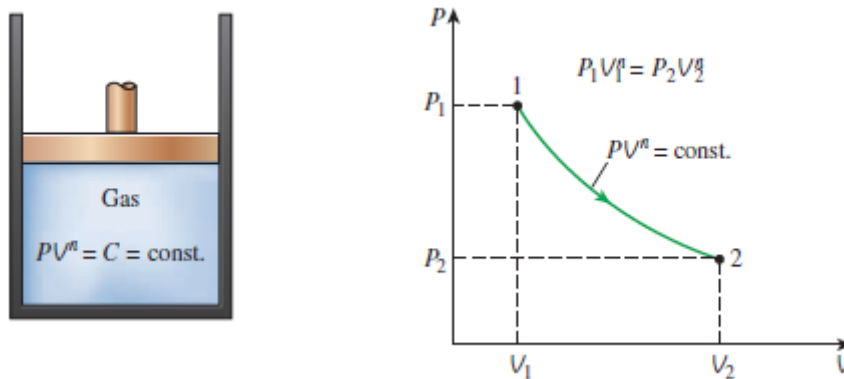


Figure (30) Schematic and P-V diagram for a polytropic process.

Below we develop a general expression for the work done during a polytropic process. The pressure for a polytropic process can be expressed as:

$$P = CV^{-n}$$

$$W = \int_1^2 P dV \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = \int_1^2 CV^{-n} dV \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = C \left[\frac{V^{-n+1}}{-n+1} \right]_{V_1}^{V_2}$$

$$W = \left[\frac{CV_2^{-n+1} - CV_1^{-n+1}}{-n+1} \right] \quad \Rightarrow \quad W = \left[\frac{CV_2^{-n}V_2 - CV_1^{-n}V_1}{-n+1} \right]$$

Since : $P = CV^{-n}$

Then:

$$W = \left[\frac{P_2V_2 - P_1V_1}{1-n} \right] \quad (n \neq 1)$$

For an ideal gas $\Rightarrow PV = mRT$

This equation can also be written as:

$$W = \frac{mR(T_2 - T_1)}{1-n} \quad (n \neq 1)$$