

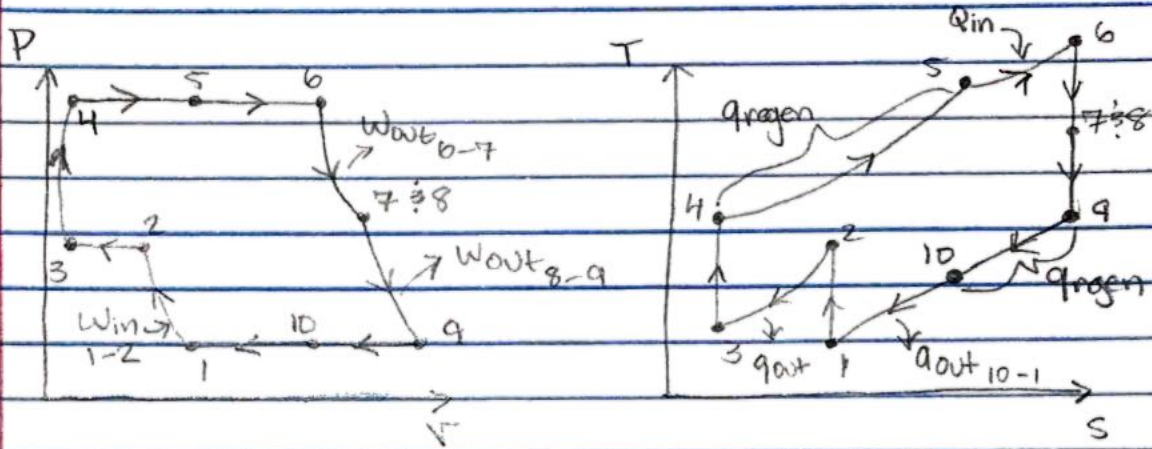
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Purpose

To find the effectiveness of the heat exchanger, compare it with values on the provided graph, then determine efficiency of a system with the reheater disabled.

Drawings  
3. Diagrams



Sources

- Textbook
- Interpolation calculator
- Professor App

Design

- Reheater operates perfectly
- Isentropic (const  $s_1, s_2$ )

Data

$P_1 = 100 \text{ kPa}$     $r_p = 4$

Variables

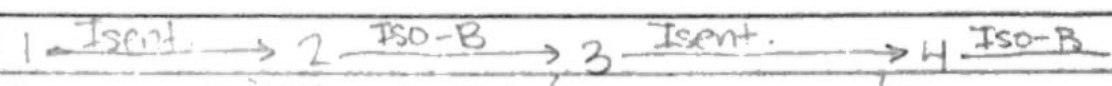
$T_1 = 17^\circ\text{C}$     $\dot{q}_{in, total} = 500 \text{ kJ/s}$

Procedure

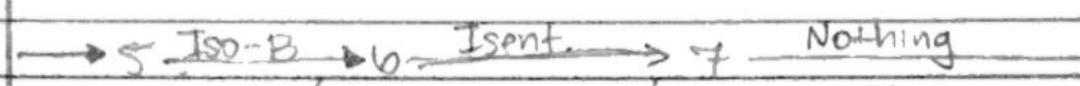
1. Use tables to find enthalpies to determine exchanger efficiency.
2. Compute states for stages.
3. Calculate  $\eta_{th}$  and Power output.

Calculations:  $\epsilon = \frac{h_5 - h_4}{h_9 - h_4}$  → Table in Textbook →  $\frac{452.9 - 432.53}{544.93 - 432.53} \frac{\text{kJ/kg}}{\text{kJ/kg}}$   
 Interpolation

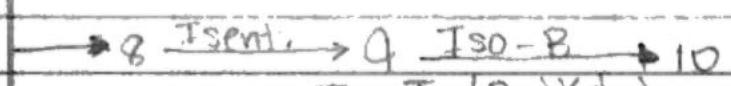
$\epsilon = 0.181$  or 18.1%: Poor efficiency.



$T_1 = 270.15 \text{ K}$  }  $T_2 = 431.16 \text{ K}$  }  $T_3 = T_4 = 290.15 \text{ K}$  }  $T_4 = 431.08 \text{ K}$   
 $P_1 = 100 \text{ kPa}$  }  $P_2 = 400 \text{ kPa}$  }  $P_3 = 400 \text{ kPa}$  }  $P_4 = 1600 \text{ kPa}$



$T_5$ : below }  $T_6 = T_5 + \frac{q_{in5-6}}{c_p}$  }  $P_7 = P_2 = 400 \text{ kPa}$   
 $P_5 = 1600 \text{ kPa}$  }  $c_p$  }  $T_7 = T_6 \left( \frac{P_7}{P_6} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}$   
 $P_6 = 1600 \text{ kPa}$



$T_8 = T_7$  }  $T_9 = T_8 \left( \frac{P_9}{P_8} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}$  }  $P_{10} = 100 \text{ kPa}$   
 $P_8 = P_7$  }  $(P_8)$  }  $T_{10} = T_9 - (T_5 - T_4)$   
 $P_9 = 100 \text{ kPa}$

$\epsilon = \frac{T_5 - T_4}{\left( \frac{T_5 + \frac{q_{in5-6}}{c_p}}{P_6} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} \left( \frac{P_7}{P_6} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} \left( \frac{P_9}{P_8} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}}}$

Can show relationship if desired (can derive by hand)

$T_5 = 495.83 \text{ K}$  }  $T_7 = 531.8 \text{ K}$  }  $T_9 = 357.44 \text{ K}$   
 $T_6 = 789.95 \text{ K}$  }  $T_8 = 531.8 \text{ K}$  }  $T_{10} = 292.49 \text{ K}$

$\eta_{th} = \frac{W_{net}}{q_{in}} \rightarrow W_{out6-7} = h_6 - h_7$  →  $W_{net} = 167.73 \text{ kJ/kg}$   
 $W_{out5-9} = h_5 - h_9$   
 $W_{in1-2} = h_1 - h_2$   
 $W_{in3-4} = h_3 - h_4$   
 $\eta_{th} = 0.56$  or 56% because less  $q_{in}$

$q_{in} = 300 \text{ kJ/kg}$

Summary

The overall efficiency increased by removing the reheater from the system.

Materials

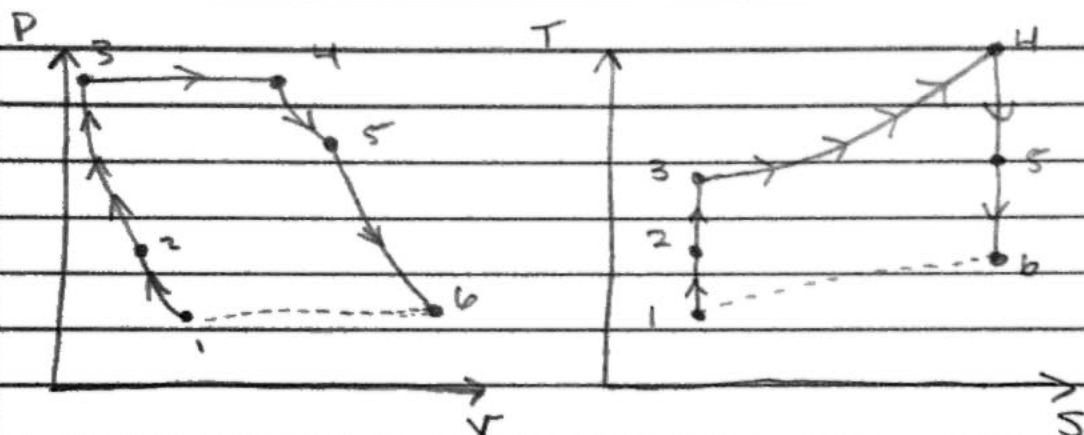
- Compressors
- Air Turbines
- Heat Exchangers
- Pipes
- Intercooler Chamber

Analysis

The design was improved when the reheater was taken out. Increasing pressure ratio should further improve it.

**Purpose** Calculating efficiency of the jet propulsion cycle and recalculating the propulsion of the jet to compare efficiencies.

**Drawings & Diagrams**



**Sources**

- Interpolation Calc.
- Textbook

**Design Considerations**

- Variable  $c_p, c_v$
- Isentropic processes

**Data & Variables**

$$h_4 = 855.196 \cdot V_{\text{nozzle}} = 240 \text{ m/s} \cdot T_1 = -13^\circ \text{C}$$

$$h_3 = 608.06 \cdot P_1 = 45 \text{ kPa} \cdot D_m = 1.6 \text{ m} \cdot \gamma_{cp} = 13$$

$$T_{in} = 557^\circ \text{C} \cdot \eta_c = 0.80 \quad \eta_t = 0.85$$

**Procedure**

1. Calculate propulsive efficiency using interpolation and tables
2. Calculate states.
3. Calculate efficiency of new system and compare.

Calculations  $\eta_p = \frac{w_p}{q_{in}} = \frac{(V_{exit} - V_{inlet}) \cdot V_{aircraft}}{h_4 - h_3} = 0.35$  or 35%

1  $\xrightarrow{\text{Isentropic}}$  2  $\xrightarrow{\text{Isentropic}}$  3  $\xrightarrow{\text{Isobaric}}$

$P_1 = 45 \text{ kPa}$   
 $T_1 = 260.15 \text{ K}$   
 $v_1 = 1.659 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$   
 $V_1 = 240 \text{ m/s}$

$V_2 = 0 \text{ m/s}$   
 $T_2 = T_1 + \frac{V_1^2}{2c_p}$   
 $T_2 = 288.81 \text{ K}$   
 $P_2 = 64.87 \text{ kPa}$   
 $h_2 = 288.97 \text{ kJ/kg}$

$\eta_c = 0.80 = \frac{h_{3s} - h_2}{h_3 - h_2}$   
 $P_3 = P_2 \left( \frac{P_3}{P_2} \right) = r_p P_2 = 843.31 \text{ kPa}$   
 $T_3 = 594.87 \text{ K}$   
 $h_{3s} = 601.63 \text{ kJ/kg} \therefore h_{3a} = 679.79 \text{ kJ/kg}$

$\rightarrow$  4  $\xrightarrow{\text{Isentropic}}$  5

$T_4 = 830.15 \text{ K}$   
 $P_4 = P_3 = 843.31 \text{ kPa}$   
 $h_4 = 855.196 \text{ kJ/kg}$   
 $P_{r4} = 55.13$

$W_c = W_{t4}$   
 $h_4 - h_5 = h_2 - h_3$   
 $h_5 = h_4 - h_2 + h_3$   
 $= 855.196 - 288.97 + 601.63$   
 $= 1167.856 \text{ kJ/kg}$

$T_5 = 462.33 \text{ K}$  ← interpolation on A-17  
 $P_5 = P_4 \left( \frac{P_5}{P_4} \right) = 843.31 \left( \frac{6.361}{55.13} \right) = 97.3 \text{ kPa}$

Need to improve on var.  $C_p, C_v$  i

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$P_6 = P_1 = 45 \text{ kPa}$   
 $T_6 = T_5 \left( \frac{P_6}{P_5} \right)^{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma}} = 370.91 \text{ K}$   
 $V_{exit} = \sqrt{2(h_5 - h_6)} = 13.62 \text{ kJ/kg}$   
 $\approx 1362 \text{ m/s}$

$1 \text{ kJ} = 1000 \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2}$   
 $V_{exit} = 1362 \text{ m/s}$

$\eta_{th} = \frac{(V_{exit} - V_{inlet}) \cdot V_{aircraft}}{h_4 - h_3} = 1.06?$

Incorrect answer, but  $\eta_{th}$  should be higher because of better efficiencies (most turbines run at lower eff.)

**Summary** This project involved an understanding of  
Brayton cycles and the jet propulsion cycle.  
For the efficiency it would most likely  
be higher as the efficiencies of an average  
comp. and turbine are usually lower.

**Materials** • A spare jet engine.

**Analysis** The higher the eff. of the turbine and  
compressor, the better the engine performs.  
Though my answer is incorrect, the theory  
holds that an increase in eff. is an  
increase in turbine and comp. ratios.

This problem was enjoyable until I saw variable  
 $c_p, c_v$ .