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Joule-Thompson throttling - starting with Maxwell's equations

$$ds = \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial P} \right)_T dP + \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial T} \right)_P dT \quad (1)$$

$$dh = T ds + v dP \quad (\text{substitute } ds \text{ into this equation}) \quad (2)$$

$$dh = T \left[\left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial P} \right)_T dP + \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial T} \right)_P dT \right] + v dP \quad (3)$$

$$dh = T \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial T} \right)_P dT + \left[T \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial P} \right)_T + v \right] dP \quad (4)$$

Maxwell Relation

$$\left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial P} \right)_T = - \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P \quad \text{substitute this relationship into equation (4)}$$

$$dh = T \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial T} \right)_P dT + \left[v - T \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P \right] dP$$

$$C_p = T \left(\frac{\partial s}{\partial T} \right)_P \quad \beta = \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \right)_P \quad \left(\text{thermal expansion coefficient for liquids} \right)$$

$$dT = \frac{1}{C_p} dh + \frac{1}{C_p} \left[T \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P - v \right] dP$$

$$T = T(h, P)$$

$$dT = \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial h} \right)_P dh + \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial P} \right)_h dP$$

$$\frac{1}{C_p} = \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial h} \right)_P, \quad \frac{1}{C_p} \left[T \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P - v \right] = \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial P} \right)_h = \mu_J$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{V} \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \right)_P = \frac{C_p / c_v \cdot C_p}{K_S \cdot V}$$

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$$\mu_5 = \left(\frac{V}{C_p} \right) (T_2 - T_1) \rightarrow \Delta T = \left(\frac{V}{C_p} \right) \left(T_1 \cdot \frac{1/C_v}{K_s \cdot V} - 1 \right) \cdot \Delta P$$

Redlich / Kwong equation of state

$$Z = \frac{1}{1-h} - \frac{a}{b R T^{1.5}} \left(\frac{h}{1+h} \right), \quad h = \frac{b P}{Z R T} = \frac{b}{V}$$

$$T_r = \frac{T}{T_c}, \quad P_r = \frac{P}{P_c} \quad P_c = 651.9 \text{ psig} \quad T_c = -180.86^\circ \text{F} \quad (\text{Methane})$$

$$a = \frac{0.42748 R^2 T_c^{2.5}}{P_c} \quad b = \frac{0.08664 R T_c}{P_c}$$

$$Z = \frac{1}{1-h} - \frac{4.9340}{T_r^{1.5}} \left(\frac{h}{1+h} \right) \quad h = \frac{0.08664 P_r}{Z T_r}$$

$$\Delta T = \left(\frac{Z R T_1}{P_1} \cdot \frac{1}{C_p} \right) \left(T_1 \cdot \frac{1/C_v}{K_s} \cdot \frac{P_1}{Z R T_1} - 1 \right) \cdot \Delta P$$

$$T_2 = \left(\frac{Z R T_1}{C_p} \right) \left(T_1 \cdot \frac{1/C_v}{K_s} \cdot \frac{P_1}{Z R T_1} - 1 \right) \cdot (P_2 - P_1) + T_1$$

For methane:

$$C_p = A + \frac{B}{2} \cdot T_0 (\gamma + 1) + \frac{C}{3} \cdot T_0^2 (\gamma^2 + \gamma + 1) + \frac{D}{\gamma \cdot T_0^2} \quad \gamma = \frac{T}{T_0}$$

A =

B =

C =

D =

Cp =

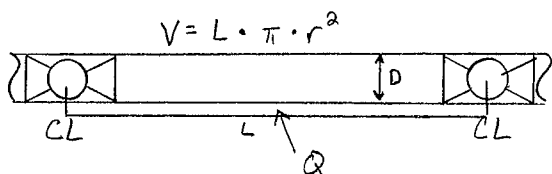
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$$\frac{(T_1 - T_2)}{(P_1 - P_2)} = \left(\frac{V \cdot T_1 \cdot \beta}{C_p \cdot m} - \frac{V}{C_p \cdot m} \right) \quad \left(\text{first order non-separable differential equation or iterate} \right)$$

Unit Check

$$^{\circ}\text{F} = \left(\frac{\frac{\text{ft}^3 \cdot ^{\circ}\text{F} \cdot 1/\text{ft}^3}{\text{lbm} \cdot ^{\circ}\text{F}} \cdot \text{lbm}}{\text{lbm} \cdot ^{\circ}\text{F}} - \frac{\frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{lbm} \cdot ^{\circ}\text{F}} \cdot \text{lbm}}{\text{lbm} \cdot ^{\circ}\text{F}} \right) \cdot \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{\text{ft}^3} \rightarrow ^{\circ}\text{F} = ^{\circ}\text{F}$$

Thermal Expansion of Heat Trace Failure - Closed system



Fluid = Methanol

$T_1 = 70^{\circ}\text{F}$	$V =$
$T_2 = 150^{\circ}\text{F}$	$\beta =$
$P_1 = 14.7 \text{ psia}$	$C_p =$
$P_2 = \text{un known}$	$M =$

Solution of first order differential equation

$$\left(\frac{T_1 - T_2}{P_1 - P_2} \right) = \left[\frac{V \cdot T_1 \cdot \beta}{C_p \cdot m} - \frac{V}{C_p \cdot m} \right] \quad \text{where} \quad C_1 = \frac{V \cdot \beta}{C_p \cdot m} \quad \& \quad C_2 = \frac{V}{C_p \cdot m}$$

$$\frac{dT}{dP} + C_1 T = -C_2$$

Standard solution to first order non-separable

$$T_2 = \frac{\int_{P_1}^{P_2} e^{h \cdot -C_2} dP + T_1}{e^h} \quad \text{where} \quad h = \int_{P_1}^{P_2} -C_1 dP = -C_1 P \rightarrow$$

$$-C_2 \int_{P_1}^{P_2} e^{-C_1 P} dP = -C_2 \cdot \frac{1}{-C_1} e^{-C_1 P}$$

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$$T_2 = \frac{-C_2 \cdot \frac{1}{-C_1} e^{-C_1 \Delta P} + T_1}{e^{-C_1 \Delta P}} \rightarrow T_2 = \frac{C_2}{C_1} + \frac{T_1}{e^{-C_1 \Delta P}}$$

$$\left(T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}\right) = \frac{T_1}{e^{-C_1 \Delta P}} \rightarrow e^{-C_1 \Delta P} = \frac{T_1}{\left(T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)} \rightarrow \ln e^{-C_1 \Delta P} = \ln \left[\frac{T_1}{\left(T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)} \right]$$

$$-C_1 (P_2 - P_1) = \ln \left[\frac{T_1}{\left(T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)} \right] \rightarrow P_2 = \frac{\ln \left[\frac{T_1}{\left(T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)} \right]}{-C_1} + P_1$$

Second Unit Check

$$\frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2} = \frac{^\circ\text{F}}{\left(^\circ\text{F} - \frac{C_2}{C_1}\right)} + \frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2} = \frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2} + \frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2}$$

$$C_2 = \frac{\text{ft}^3}{\frac{\text{ft} - \text{lb}_f}{\text{lb}_m} \cdot \text{lb}_m} \rightarrow \frac{\text{ft}^3 - ^\circ\text{F}}{\text{ft} - \text{lb}_f}$$

$$C_1 = \frac{\text{ft}^3 \cdot ^\circ\text{F}}{\frac{\text{lb}_f - \text{ft}}{\text{lb}_m} \cdot \text{lb}_m} \rightarrow \frac{\text{ft}^3 \cdot \text{ft}^2}{\text{lb}_f - \text{ft}}$$

$$\frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2} = \frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2} + \frac{\text{lb}_f}{\text{ft}^2}$$

$$\frac{C_2}{C_1} = \frac{\text{ft}^3 - ^\circ\text{F}}{\text{ft} - \text{lb}_f} \cdot \frac{\text{lb}_f - \text{ft}}{\text{ft}^3} = ^\circ\text{F}$$

See attached Math CAD file for the application of the derived equation

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Volume of trapped liquid (ft³)

$$V := 30$$

Initial Pressure (lbf/in²)

$$P_1 := 14.7$$

Heat capacity of fluid (ft-lbf/lbm-F)

$$C_p := 500$$

Final Temperature of heat source (F)

$$T_2 := 200$$

Initial Temperature (F)

$$T_1 := 70$$

Thermal expansion coefficient (F⁻¹)

$$\beta := .000642$$

fluid density (lbm/ft³)

$$\rho := 59.25$$

Mass of trapped fluid (lbm)

$$m := V \cdot \rho \quad m = 1777.5$$

Initial Pressure (lbf/ft²)

$$P := 2116.8$$

Expanded Volume (ft³)

$$V_{\text{new}} := V \cdot [1 + \beta \cdot (T_2 - T_1)]$$

$$V_{\text{new}} = 32.504$$

$$C_1 := \frac{V_{\text{new}} \cdot \beta}{C_p \cdot m}$$

$$C_2 := \frac{V_{\text{new}}}{C_p \cdot m}$$

$$\frac{C_2}{C_1} = 1557.632$$

$$C_1 = 0.00000002$$

$$C_2 = 0.000037$$

Pressure Equation derived from attached calculation (lbf/ft²)

$$\ln \left(\frac{T_1}{T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}} \right) = -2.965$$

$$P_2 := \frac{\frac{\ln \left(\frac{T_1}{T_2 - \frac{C_2}{C_1}} \right)}{-C_1}}{144} + P_1$$

$$P_2 = 876960.993$$