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Chapter 15

The Laws of Thormodynamics





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The change in internal energy of a closed system will be equal to the heat added to the system minus the work done by the system on its surroundings.

$$\Delta U = Q - W \tag{15-1}$$

 $(\Delta U = Q + W \text{ on formula sheet})$

This is the law of conservation of energy, written in a form useful to systems involving heat transfer.

- If work is done on the system, W is negative and the internal energy increases.
- If Heat leaves the system, Q is negative and the internal energy decreases.
- If the system is isolated, $\Delta U = 0$.

An amount of heat equal to 2500 J is added to a system, and 1800 J of work is done on the system. What is the change in internal energy of the system?

$$Q = +2500 J$$
 $W = -1800 J$

 $\Delta U = Q - W = +2500 - (-1800) = 4300 J$

What would be the internal energy change if 2500 J of heat is added to the system and 1800 J of work is done *by* the system (i.e. as output)?

$$Q = +2500 J$$
 $W = +1800 J$

 $\Delta U = Q - W = +2500 - (+1800) = 700 J$

A 3.0 g bullet traveling at a speed of 400. m/s enters a tree and exits the other side with a speed of 200. m/s. Where did the bullet's lost KE go, and how much energy was transferred?



An isothermal process is one where the temperature does not change.



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Isothermal process

- *PV* = *nRT*, so *PV* = constant
- If T = constant then $\Delta U = 0$

(since *U* = 3/2 *nRT*)

- $\Delta U = Q W$ becomes Q = W
- The heat added to the gas = The work done by the gas.

In order for an isothermal process to take place, we assume the system is in contact with a heat reservoir – a body whose mass is so large that its temperature does not change significantly when heat is exchanged with our system.

In general, we assume that the system remains in equilibrium throughout all processes.

PV diagram for an ideal gas undergoing isothermal processes at two different temperatures.



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An adiabatic process is one where there is no heat flow into or out of the system (A \rightarrow C).



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Adiabatic process

- Q = 0 so $\Delta U = -W$
- The internal energy <u>decreases</u> if system does work, such as when the gas expands the piston in a cylinder.
- An adiabatic process can happen if the system is well-insulated or if the process happens very quickly.

PV diagram for adiabatic (AC) and isothermal (AB) processes on an ideal gas.



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Work is done on the piston when the gas expands, moving the piston a distance d.



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The process from Point C to Point A is called adiabatic compression. Work is done on the system, the internal energy increases, and the temperature increases.

Adiabatic

Isothermal

An isobaric process (a) occurs at constant pressure; an isovolumetric (or isochoric) one (b) at constant volume.



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If the pressure is constant, W = Fd and F = PA so the work done is the pressure multiplied by the change in volume (W = PAd)

$$W = P \Delta V$$
 (W = - $P \Delta V$ on formula sheet)

In an isovolumetric process, the volume does not change, so the work done is zero.

For processes where the pressure varies, the work done is the area under the *P*-*V* curve. For an isothermal $P_{\rm A}$ process, estimate the Isothermal area or use Isovolumetric calculus. В $P_{\rm B}$ Isobaric V $V_{\rm B}$

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In which process was more work done by the gas?



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An ideal gas is slowly compressed at a constant pressure of 2.0 atm from 10.0 L to 2.0 L as shown below from B to D. In this process, some heat flows out of the gas and the temperature goes _____.

Heat is then added to the gas, holding the volume constant, and the pressure and temperature are allowed to rise (line DA) until the temperature reaches its initial value. Calculate the total work done by the gas in the process BDA and the total heat flow intopthe gas.



In an engine, 0.25 moles of an ideal monatomic gas in the cylinder expands rapidly and adiabatically against the piston. In the process, the temperature of the gas drops from 1150 K to 400 K. How much work does the gas do? Determine the change in internal energy of 1.00 L of water at 100.°C when it is fully boiled from liquid to gas, which results in 1671 L of steam at 100.°C. (Assume atmospheric pressure)

15-4 The Second Law of Thermodynamics – Introduction



(a) Initial state.

(b) Later: cup reassembles and rises up.

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(c) Later still: cup lands on table.

The process above does not violate the first law of thermodynamics and the law of conservation of energy. Since this process does not occur in nature, the second law of thermodynamics was formulated.

15-4 The Second Law of Thermodynamics – Introduction

The second law of thermodynamics is a statement about which processes occur and which do not. There are many ways to state the second law; here is one:

Heat can flow spontaneously from a hot object to a cold object; it will not flow spontaneously from a cold object to a hot object.

It is easy to produce thermal energy using work, but how does one produce work using thermal energy?

This is a heat engine; mechanical energy can be obtained from thermal energy only when heat can flow from a higher temperature to a lower temperature.



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We will discuss only engines that run in a repeating cycle; the change in internal energy over a cycle is zero, as the system returns to its initial state.

The high temperature reservoir transfers an amount of heat $Q_{\rm H}$ to the engine, where part of it is transformed into work W and the rest, $Q_{\rm L}$, is exhausted to the lower temperature reservoir. Note that all three of these quantities are positive.

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A steam engine is one type of heat engine.



High-pressure steam, from boiler



Low-pressure steam, exhausted to condenser

(b) Turbine (boiler and condenser not shown)

The internal combustion engine is a type of heat engine as well.



Why does a heat engine need a temperature difference?

Otherwise the work done on the system in one part of the cycle will be equal to the work done by the system in another part, and the net work will be zero.

The efficiency of the heat engine is the ratio of the work done to the heat input (or Q_H):

(on formula sheet)

Using conservation of energy to eliminate *W*, we find:

 $e = \frac{W}{O_{\text{III}}}$

$$e = \frac{W}{Q_{\rm H}}$$
 (15-4a)
 $= \frac{Q_{\rm H} - Q_{\rm L}}{Q_{\rm H}} = 1 - \frac{Q_{\rm L}}{Q_{\rm H}}$ (15-4b)

The Carnot (ideal) engine was created to examine the efficiency of a heat engine. It is idealized, as it has no friction. Each leg of its cycle is reversible.

The Carnot cycle consists of:

- Isothermal expansion
- Adiabatic expansion
- Isothermal compression
- Adiabatic compression

An example is on the next slide.



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For an ideal reversible engine, the Carnot (ideal) efficiency can be written in terms of the

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$$e_{\text{ideal}} = \frac{T_{\text{H}} - T_{\text{L}}}{T_{\text{H}}} = 1 - \frac{T_{\text{L}}}{T_{\text{H}}}$$
 (first part on formula sheet)

From this we see that 100% efficiency can be achieved only if the cold reservoir is at absolute zero, which is impossible.

Real engines have some frictional losses; the best achieve 60-80% of the Carnot value of efficiency.

15-6 Refrigerators, Air Conditioners, and Heat Pumps

These appliances can be thought of as heat engines operating in reverse. $T_{\rm H}$

By doing work, heat is extracted from the cold reservoir and exhausted to the hot reservoir.



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15-6 Refrigerators, Air Conditioners, and Heat



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Refrigerator performance is measured by the coefficient of performance (COP): $\text{COP} = \frac{Q_{\text{L}}}{W}$ (15-6a) Substituting: $\text{COP} = \frac{Q_{\text{L}}}{W} = \frac{Q_{\text{L}}}{O_{\text{H}} - Q_{\text{L}}}$ (15-6b) $\text{COP}_{\text{ideal}} = \frac{T_{\text{L}}}{T_{\text{H}} - T_{\text{T}}}$ (15-6c)

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A heat pump can heat a house in the winter:



15-7 Entropy and the Second Law of Thermodynamics

Definition of the change in entropy *S* when an amount of heat *Q* is added:

$$\Delta S = \frac{Q}{T} \tag{15-8}$$

Another statement of the second law of thermodynamics:

The total entropy of an isolated system never decreases.

15-8 Order to Disorder

Entropy is a measure of the disorder of a system. This gives us yet another statement of the second law:

Natural processes tend to move toward a state of greater disorder.

Example: If you put milk and sugar in your coffee and stir it, you wind up with coffee that is uniformly milky and sweet. No amount of stirring will get the milk and sugar to come back out of solution.

15-8 Order to Disorder

Another example: when a tornado hits a building, there is major damage. You never see a tornado approach a pile of rubble and leave a building behind when it passes.

Thermal equilibrium is a similar process – the uniform final state has more disorder than the separate temperatures in the initial state.

15-9 Unavailability of Energy; Heat Death

Another consequence of the second law:

In any natural process, some energy becomes unavailable to do useful work.

If we look at the universe as a whole, it seems inevitable that, as more and more energy is converted to unavailable forms, the ability to do work anywhere will gradually vanish. This is called the heat death of the universe.

15-12 Thermal Pollution and Global Warming

The generation of electricity using solar energy (a) does not involve a heat engine, but fossil-fuel plants (b) and nuclear plants (c) do.





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Air pollution is also emitted by power plants, industries, and consumers. Some of this pollution results in a buildup of CO_2 in the atmosphere, contributing to global warming. This can be minimized through careful choices of fuels and processes.

The thermal pollution, however, is a consequence of the second law, and is unavoidable; it can be reduced only by reducing the amount of energy we use.