

Gas Power Cycles Example

Given: - Air as an Ideal Gas in an Air-Standard Otto Cycle

- Compression Ratio = 8.5

- $T_1 = 300\text{K}$

- Heat Addition = 1400kJ/kg

Determine: - The net work per kg

- Thermal Efficiency

State ①

$$T_1 = 300\text{K}$$

State ②

$$r = \frac{v_{r1}}{v_{r2}}$$

$$v_{r2} = \frac{v_{r1}}{r}$$

State ③

State ④

$$r = \frac{v_{r4}}{v_{r3}}$$

1-2

$$\frac{w_{12}}{m} = u_2 - u_1$$

Table A \Rightarrow @ 300K

$$\boxed{u_1 = 214.07\text{ kJ/kg}}$$
$$v_{r1} = 621.2$$

$$v_{r2} = \frac{621.2}{8.5} = \underline{73.082}$$

Table A

$$v_r = 75.50$$

$$v_r = 72.56$$

$$u = 496.62\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$u = 504.45\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\boxed{u_2 = 503.06\text{ kJ/kg}}$$

$$\frac{w_{12}}{m} = 503.06\text{ kJ/kg} - 214.07\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{w_{12}}{m} = 288.99\text{ kJ/kg}}$$

2-3

$$\frac{Q_{23}}{m} = u_3 - u_2$$

$$\frac{Q_{23}}{m} = 1400\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$1400\text{ kJ/kg} = u_3 - 503.06\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\boxed{u_3 = 1903.06\text{ kJ/kg}}$$

3-4

$$\frac{w_{34}}{m} = u_3 - u_4$$

Table A

$$u = 1872.4\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$u = 1921.3\text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$v_r = 2.012$$

$$v_r = 1.864$$

Interpolating, $v_{r3} = \underline{1.9192}$

$$v_{r4} = 8.5(1.9192) = 16.3132$$

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Table A

$$v_r = 16.946$$

$$u = 880.35 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$v_r = 16.064$$

$$u = 897.91 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

Interpolating, $u_4 = 892.95 \text{ kJ/kg}$

$$\frac{w_{34}}{m} = 1903.06 \text{ kJ/kg} - 892.95 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\frac{w_{34}}{m} = 1010.11 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

4-1

$$\frac{q_{41}}{m} = u_4 - u_1$$

$$= 892.95 \text{ kJ/kg} - 214.07 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\frac{q_{41}}{m} = 678.88 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\frac{w_{\text{cycle}}}{m} = \frac{w_{34}}{m} - \frac{w_{12}}{m} = 1010.11 \text{ kJ/kg} - 288.99 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\frac{w_{\text{cycle}}}{m} = 721.12 \text{ kJ/kg} = \text{Net Work}$$

$$\frac{q_{\text{cycle}}}{m} = \frac{q_{23}}{m} - \frac{q_{41}}{m} = 1400 \text{ kJ/kg} - 678.88 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\frac{q_{\text{cycle}}}{m} = 721.12 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\eta = \frac{w_{\text{cycle}}/m}{q_{23}/m} = \frac{721.12 \text{ kJ/kg}}{1400 \text{ kJ/kg}} = 0.515 = 51.5\%$$