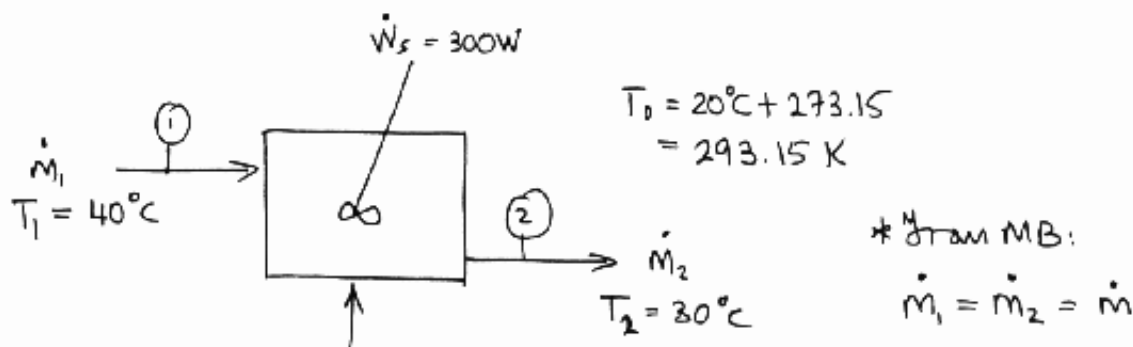


Problem 16 Solution

$$\dot{Q} = 100(20 - T), \quad T^\circ\text{C}$$

◇ flow,

$$\dot{W}_{\text{lost}} = \dot{W}_{\text{actual}} - \dot{W}_{\text{rev}}$$

and

$$\dot{W}_{\text{rev}} = \sum_{\text{out}} \dot{m}_j B_j - \sum_{\text{in}} \dot{m}_i B_i$$

$$= \dot{m}_2 B_2 - \dot{m}_1 B_1$$

$$= \dot{m} (B_2 - B_1) \quad (\text{since } \dot{m}_1 = \dot{m}_2 = \dot{m})$$

$$= \dot{m} [(H_2 - T_0 S_2) - (H_1 - T_0 S_1)]$$

$$= \dot{m} (H_2 - H_1) - \dot{m} T_0 (S_2 - S_1)$$

$$= \dot{m} \Delta H - \dot{m} T_0 \Delta S \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

◇ from S+VN, p. 183 & 184:

$$dH = C_p dT + \left[v - T \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P \right] dP \quad (6.20)$$

$$dS = \frac{C_p}{T} dT - \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P dP \quad (6.21)$$

but for a liquid,
in this situation

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} H \approx f(T) \\ S \approx f(T) \end{array} \right\} \text{ since } P \text{ is } \sim \text{constant} \\ \text{assuming no } \Delta P$$

◊ Thus,

$$\Delta H \cong \langle C_p \rangle \Delta T = \langle C_p \rangle (T_2 - T_1)$$

$$\Delta S \cong \langle C_p \rangle \ln(T_2/T_1)$$

— since C_p is roughly constant for liquids over small changes of temperature,

$$\langle C_p \rangle \cong 4,180 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$$

◊ hence,

$$\Delta H = (4,180 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K})(30 - 40 \text{ K})$$

$$= -41,800 \text{ J/kg}$$

$$\Delta S = (4,180 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}) \ln\left(\frac{30+273}{40+273}\right)$$

$$= -135.73 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$$

(* Note: could also get these from the steam tables for sat'd liquid at T_1 & T_2 . you are then assuming (as above) that $H \neq f(P)$ and $S \neq f(P)$. Results are comparable.)

◊ going back to ①:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{W}_{\text{rev}} &= \left(\frac{1 \text{ kg/min}}{60 \text{ s/min}}\right) \left(\frac{\Delta H}{\text{min}}\right) \\ &\quad - \left(\frac{1 \text{ kg/min}}{60 \text{ s/min}}\right) \left(\frac{T_0}{\text{K}}\right) \left(\frac{\Delta S}{\text{kg}\cdot\text{K}}\right) \\ &= -696.67 \text{ W} - (-662.80 \text{ W}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\dot{W}_{\text{rev}} = -33.9 \text{ W}} \quad \text{is work obtained from a REVERSIBLE process}$$

◇ Now,

$$\dot{W}_{lost} = \dot{W}_{actual} - \dot{W}_{rev}$$

$$= \underbrace{(+300W)}_{\text{work done}} - (-33.9W)$$

$$\dot{W}_{lost} = 333.9W$$

◇ Thus, if the process described — namely, cooling a stream of water from 40°C to 30°C — were done reversibly, you could obtain 33.9W of work from it. Our process is very inefficient, however, and requires that we put 300W of work into it!

◇ Sources of irreversibility:

(~90%) * Stirrer — mechanical irreversibility, work of stirrer generally dissipated as heat.

(~10%) * Heat loss to surroundings — heat transfer occurs over finite ΔT.
 (small since ΔT is small)
 10°C
