

4.42 QUIZ 1

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1) (50)

In the winter an automobile is driven into a well insulated garage with internal dimensions 4m x 5m x 3m. The air in the garage is initially at 10°C . The car is mostly steel with a mass of 1500 kg and a specific heat of 500 J/kg K. The car is initially at 0°C except for the engine. The engine temperature is 100°C and consists of 150 kg steel and 20 kg liquid water. Neglect heat transfer to the envelope and floor of the garage.

- (a) What is the final temperature of the garage when the car, engine and air in the garage reach a single uniform temperature?

- (b) If the engine has 10 kg liquid water and 10 kg saturated water vapor at 100°C what is the final temperature if all of the water vapor has condensed to liquid?

2) (50)

A building uses cross flow natural ventilation to provide cooling. The building has two zones or rooms and the air flows at steady state through zone 1 and then flows through zone 2 in series. Each zone has the air well mixed so that each individual zone is at a uniform temperature. The outside air flow rate entering zone 1 is \dot{m}_1 and this equals the air flow rate leaving zone 2 that is exhausted to the outside. Each zone has a total rate of heat input \dot{Q}_1 that is the same for each portion of the problem.

Let $\Delta T_1 = \dot{Q}_1 / \dot{m}_1 c_p$.

- (a) If there is no back mixing between zone 2 and 1 so that the air flows in one direction as shown; first through zone 1 and then through zone 2, what are the temperatures of zone 1 and 2 in terms of ΔT_1 and T_{AMB} ?
- (b) Now assume there is a large amount of back mixing between zones 1 and 2 so that they are both at the same temperature. The net air flow is still \dot{m}_1 . What is the temperature of zones 1 and 2?
- (c) There is a limited back mixing from zone 2 to 1 so that there is a back flow of $0.5\dot{m}_1$ from zone 2 to 1 while the net flow from zone 1 to 2 is still \dot{m}_1 . What is the temperature of zone 2 for this case? Consider a method to find this without first evaluating T_1 .
- (d) For case (c) what is the temperature of zone 1?

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