LBE5010 Renewable Energies and Energy Planning

EXERGY ANALYSIS: integrating the 1st and 2nd laws of thermodynamics

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 $\mathsf{Q}_{\mathsf{fuel}}$

How to maximize the conversion efficiency of an energy vector to useful energy ? (electricity, kinetic energy, etc.)



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CONCLUSION:

the capacity to generate work is a **COMBINED** property of the thermodynamic state of the system (P and T) and the environment !



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> Air @ $\rightarrow W_{max}$? reversible transformation Ar @ thermodynamic equilibrium with the environment, which ever one. volume

1bar, 25^oc 10bar, 25^oc CH₄ @ 10bar, 25^oc Vacuum...

DEFINITIONS

"Useful work potential": is the maximum amount of mechanical energy that one can obtain from a system, the difference being inevitably lost to the environment due to the implications of the 2nd law.



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Available energy Exergetic energy Availability Reversible work Etc.

Exergy associated with the heat supplied by a thermal source...

















Closed system analysis



Expansion of the system with exportation of mechanical work until it reaches the equilibrium with the environment...













$$\delta W = (P - P_0) \cdot dV + P_0 \cdot dV$$

















$$\delta \mathbf{W} = \delta \mathbf{W}_{\text{útil}} + \mathbf{P}_{0} \cdot \mathbf{dV}$$
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$$\downarrow$$
heat going out
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$$W_{mt}$$

$$\int_{inicial}^{0} \delta W_{\acute{u}til total} = \dots$$

 $\forall W_{\text{útil total}} = (U - U_0) + P_0(V - V_0) - T_0(S - S_0)$

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The potential to generate work (organized energy) exists when there are differences between the system and the environment. Those differences may be in terms of thermodynamic properties, chemical composition... Potential to generate work from differences in chemical composition



Potential to generate work from differences in chemical composition



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But if exergy can only be destroyed, this means the total exergy of the universe is decreasing and that all differences tend to equalize, pressures and temperatures become the same, differences in chemical composition disappear...









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$$\eta_{2^{a}lei} = \frac{W_{\text{útil}}}{W_{rev}} \implies \eta_{2^{a}lei} = \frac{\text{recovered exergy}}{\text{supplied exergy}} = 1 - \frac{\text{destroyed exergy}}{\text{supplied exergy}}$$

Exergy transfer mechanisms

• Heat, work and mass flow

$$X \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (U - U_0) + P_0(V - V_0) - T_0(S - S_0) + EP + EC + EQ$$

$$\underset{\text{thermodynamic}}{\overset{\text{thermodynamic}}{\underset{\text{exergy}}}} \xrightarrow{\text{mechanical}} \underset{\text{exergy}}{\overset{\text{chemical}}{\underset{\text{exergy}}}}$$

Exergy is a themodynamic property, i.e. a state property

Exergy transfer through heat...











Exergy transfer through work...

potential to generate useful work = exergy



$$X_{work} = W_{boundary} - W_{neighborhood}$$

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$$\int PdV \longrightarrow P_0 \Delta V$$

potential to generate useful work = exergy





Exergy transfer through mass flow...



$$x = (h - h_0) - T_0(s - s_0) + ep + ec + eq$$



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$$\sum \left(1 - \frac{T_0}{T_k}\right) \dot{Q}_k - \left(\dot{W} - P_0 \frac{dV_{vc}}{dt}\right) + \sum \dot{m}_e x_e - \sum \dot{m}_s x_s - \dot{X}_{dest} = \frac{dX_{vc}}{dt}$$

Exergetic analysis: combined cycle thermal power plant





https://youtu.be/TsIN7kNgx_s

Next classes: "Sun Powered CCS Industrial Plants"



How much exergy is necessary to reconstitute earth's atmosphere to its original constitution... Exergetic analysis of separation processes...