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Symbol:

$T$ = temperature,  $s$ = entropy,  $P$ = pressure,  $v$ = volume,  $c_p$ = constant pressure specific heat,  $c_v$ = constant volume specific heat,  $R$ = universal gas constant.

1. (10%) The property entropy is defined as  $dS = \left( \frac{\delta Q}{T} \right)_{\text{int rev}}$ . Consider a cycle that is made up of two processes: process 1-2, which is arbitrary (reversible or irreversible), and process 2-1, which is internally reversible. From the Clausius inequality ( $\oint \frac{\delta Q}{T} \leq 0$ ), show that the entropy change of a closed system during an irreversible process is greater than the integral of  $\frac{\delta Q}{T}$  evaluated for that process, and  $\Delta S_{\text{sys}} = S_2 - S_1 = \int \frac{\delta Q}{T} + S_{\text{gen}}$ , where  $S_{\text{gen}}$  represents the entropy generation.
2. (10%) What are the characteristics of all heat engines? Draw the schematic of a steam power plant and explain why it is a heat engine.
3. (10%) When the changes in kinetic and potential energies are negligible, the compressor work for an internally reversible process, the compressor work is given by  $w_{\text{rev, in}} = \int v dP$ , where  $P$  is the pressure and  $v$  is the specific volume. Discuss the effect of the specific volume on the work input and the work output. Explain how cooling the gas during a compression process reduces the power consumption.
4. Consider an ideal Brayton refrigeration cycle.
  - (a) Plot the  $T$ - $s$  and  $P$ - $v$  diagram. (8%)
  - (b) describe the characteristics of each process (i.e., mechanism, change of thermodynamic properties,  $T$ ,  $s$ ,  $P$ ,  $v$ ) (12%)
5. Assuming the equation of state for a real gas had the form of  $P(v - a/T) = RT$  where  $a$ =constant, find
  - (a)  $dh$  between  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  at an isothermal temperature  $T_1$ . (10%)
  - (b)  $c_p - c_v$  in terms of  $R$ ,  $P$  and  $T$ . (10%)

The equation of enthalpy change ( $dh$ ) and  $c_p - c_v$  is given for your reference:

$$dh = c_p dT + \left[ v - T \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P \right] dP; \quad c_p - c_v = -T \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial T} \right)_P^2 \left( \frac{\partial P}{\partial v} \right)_P$$
6. (10%) In an ideal Brayton cycle, what advantages can be obtained by using intercooling, reheating, or regeneration? Please discuss.
7. (10%) Explain the following terms:
  - (a) Dew-point temperature.
  - (b) Joule-Thomson Coefficient.
  - (c) Adiabatic flame temperature.
8. (10%) Answer the following questions.
  - (a) How does the presence of moisture in air affect the outcome of a combustion process?
  - (b) How does the presence of  $N_2$  in air affect the outcome of a combustion process?
  - (c) In determining chemical equilibrium, the criterion is usually expressed in terms of the Gibbs function instead of entropy. Why?