

Lecture 4

The First Law of Thermodynamics

Definition

The first law of thermodynamics, also known as the *conservation of energy principle*, states that:

Energy can be neither created nor destroyed; it can only change forms.

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Total Energy} \\ \text{entering the system} \end{array} \right) - \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Total energy} \\ \text{leaving the system} \end{array} \right) = \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Change in the total} \\ \text{energy of the system} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\underbrace{E_{in} - E_{out}}_{\substack{\text{Net energy transfer} \\ \text{by heat, work and mass}}} = \underbrace{\Delta E_{system}}_{\substack{\text{Change in internal, kinetics} \\ \text{potential, etc., energies}}} \quad (\text{kJ})$$

In the rate form, as:

$$\underbrace{\dot{E}_{in} - \dot{E}_{out}}_{\substack{\text{Rate of net energy transfer} \\ \text{by heat, work and mass}}} = \underbrace{\frac{dE_{system}}{dt}}_{\substack{\text{Rate of change in internal,} \\ \text{kinetics, potential, etc., energies}}} \quad (\text{kW})$$

Energy Balance for a Closed System

- **Sign Convention 1:** No sign convention!
Just take care of energies in and out.

$$Q_{in} + W_{in} + E_{in} = Q_{out} + W_{out} + E_{out}$$

- **Sign Convention 2:** Heat added to the system is *positive*
Work done by the system is *positive*

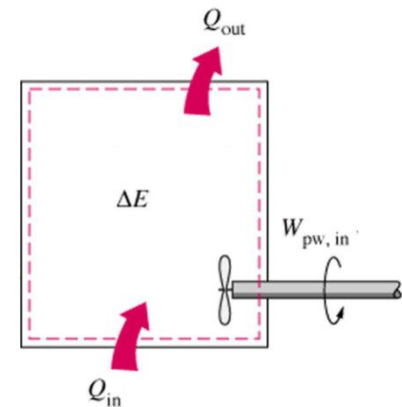
$$(Q_{in} - Q_{out}) + (W_{in} - W_{out}) = \Delta E_{system}$$

$$Q_{net,in} - W_{net,out} = \Delta E_{system}$$

$$\text{or } Q - W = \Delta E$$

- **For stationary system:** $\Delta KE = \Delta PE = 0$, $\Delta E = \Delta U$

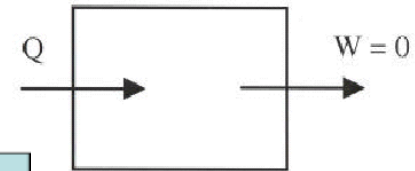
$$\text{The 1st Law: } Q - W = \Delta U$$



A) Constant-Volume Process**The 1st Law:** $Q - W = \Delta U$ Where $W = P\Delta V = 0$

$$Q = \Delta U$$

$$Q = \Delta U = U_2 - U_1 = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} mC_V dT \approx mC_V (T_2 - T_1)$$

**B) Constant-Pressure Process:****The 1st Law:** $Q - W = \Delta U$ Where $W = P\Delta V$

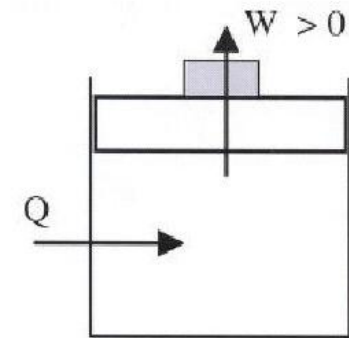
$$Q = P\Delta V + \Delta U$$

Since P is a constant: $P\Delta V = \Delta(PV)$

$$Q = \Delta(PV) + \Delta U = \Delta(PV + U) = \Delta H$$

$$Q = \Delta H$$

$$Q = \Delta H = H_2 - H_1 = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} mC_P dT \approx mC_P (T_2 - T_1)$$



C) Isothermal Process:

The 1st Law: $Q - W = \Delta U$

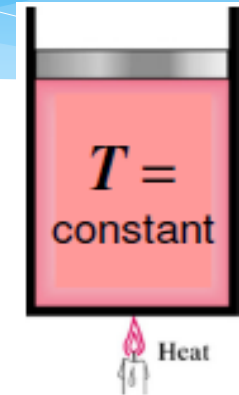
$T = \text{constant}$, then since $U = U(T)$ for ideal gases:

$$\Delta U = 0$$

$$Q = W$$

where $W = \int P dV$ and $PV = mRT$ (ideal gas)

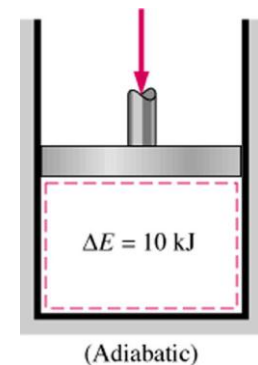
$$Q = W = \int_{V_1}^{V_2} \frac{mRT}{V} dV = mRT \ln\left(\frac{V_2}{V_1}\right)$$

**D) Adiabatic Process**

The 1st Law: $Q - W = \Delta U$

$$Q = 0$$

$$-W = \Delta U$$



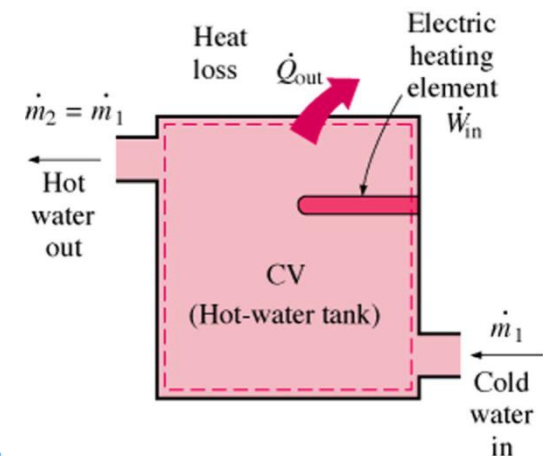
Energy Balance for a Control Volume

- The energy content of a control volume can be changed by *mass flow* as well as *heat* and *work* interactions.

$$\underbrace{\dot{E}_{in} - \dot{E}_{out}}_{\text{Rate of net energy transfer by heat, work and mass}} = \underbrace{\frac{dE_{system}}{dt}}_{\text{Rate of change in internal, kinetics, potential, etc., energies}} \quad (\text{kW})$$

- For steady-flow systems ($\Delta E_{system} = 0$):

$$\underbrace{\dot{E}_{in}}_{\text{Rate of net energy transfer by heat, work and mass}} = \underbrace{\dot{E}_{out}}_{\text{Rate of change in internal, kinetics, potential, etc., energies}}$$



□ For a general steady-flow system:

$$\dot{Q}_{in} + \dot{W}_{in} + \sum \dot{m}_i \theta_i = \dot{Q}_{out} + \dot{W}_{out} + \sum \dot{m}_e \theta_e \quad \text{OR} \quad \text{1st sign convention}$$

$$\dot{Q}_{in} + \dot{W}_{in} + \underbrace{\sum \dot{m}_i \left(h_i + \frac{v_i^2}{2} + gz_i \right)}_{\text{For each inlet}} = \dot{Q}_{out} + \dot{W}_{out} + \underbrace{\sum \dot{m}_e \left(h_e + \frac{v_e^2}{2} + gz_e \right)}_{\text{For each exit}}$$

□ Let, $\dot{Q} = \dot{Q}_{in} - \dot{Q}_{out} \begin{cases} \dot{Q} > 0, \text{ heat input to the system} \\ \dot{Q} < 0, \text{ heat transfer from the system} \end{cases}$ and

$\dot{W} = \dot{W}_{out} - \dot{W}_{in} \begin{cases} \dot{W} > 0, \text{ work output from the system} \\ \dot{W} < 0, \text{ work done on the system} \end{cases}$

$$\dot{Q} - \dot{W} = \underbrace{\sum \dot{m}_e \left(h_e + \frac{v_e^2}{2} + gz_e \right)}_{\text{For each exit}} - \underbrace{\sum \dot{m}_i \left(h_i + \frac{v_i^2}{2} + gz_i \right)}_{\text{For each inlet}} \quad \text{2nd sign convention}$$

- For single-stream steady-flow systems

$$(\dot{m}_i = \dot{m}_e) \quad \dot{Q} - \dot{W} = \dot{m}_e \left[h_e - h_i + \frac{V_e^2}{2} - \frac{V_i^2}{2} + g(z_e - z_i) \right]$$

- In terms of *unit mass*:

$$q - w = \frac{\dot{Q}}{\dot{m}} - \frac{\dot{W}}{\dot{m}} = \Delta h + \Delta ke + \Delta pe$$

- If $\Delta K_e = 0, \Delta P_e = 0$

$$q - w = \Delta h \quad \text{or}$$

$$\text{The 1st Law: } \mathbf{Q - W = \Delta H}$$

□ **Steady-State Engineering devices:-**

Some common steady-state devices are:

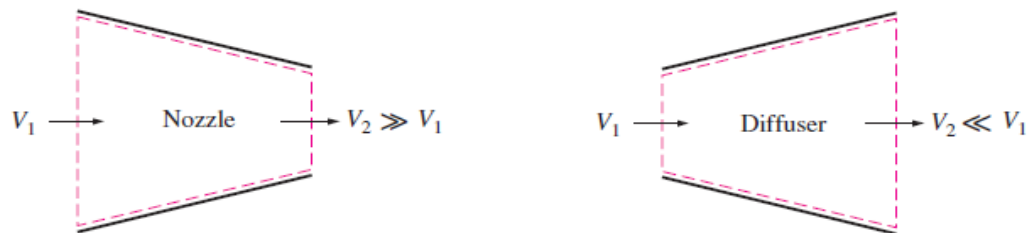
1. Nozzles and diffusers
2. Turbines, Compressors, pumps, and fans
3. Throttles
4. Mixers
5. Heat Exchangers

Diffuser and Nozzle:

Nozzles and diffusers are commonly utilized in wind tunnels, jet engines, rockets, space-craft, and even garden hoses.

Nozzle: it is a flow passage of varying cross section area in which the velocity of flow increase in direction of flow.

Diffuser: it is a flow passage of varying cross section area in which the velocity of flow decrease in direction of flow.



Characteristics:

- $\dot{Q} \cong 0$
- $\dot{W} = 0$
- $\Delta pe \cong 0$
- $\Delta ke \neq 0$

$$Q + \sum m_i \left(h_i + \frac{v_1^2}{2} + gZ_i \right) = W + \sum m_e \left(h_e + \frac{v_e^2}{2} + gZ_e \right)$$

$$h_i + \frac{v_1^2}{2} = h_{e0} + \frac{v_e^2}{2}$$

Turbine and Compressor and Pump:

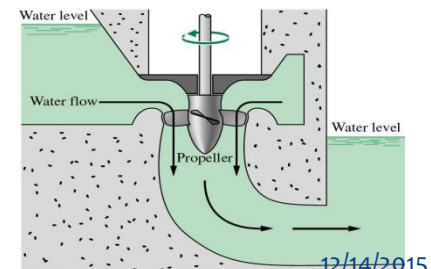
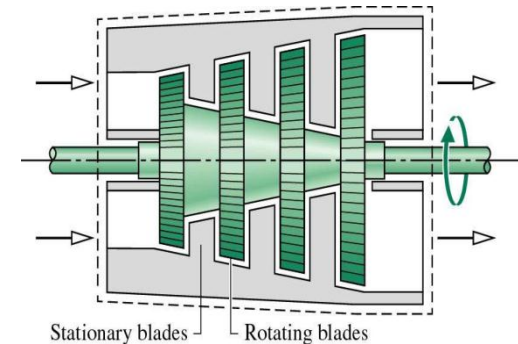
□ Turbines:-

it is a device in which work done or developed as a result of flow of gas or liquid passing through a blades. They are widely used in

- *vapour power plants,*
- *gas turbine power plants,*
- *aircraft engines.*

- ***Superheated steam*** or a gas enters the turbine and expands to a lower exit pressure as work is developed. As the fluid passes through the turbine, work is done against the ***blades***, which are attached to the ***shaft***. As a result, the shaft rotates, and the turbine produces work. The work done by turbines is ***positive*** since it is done by the fluid.

- ***In hydraulic turbine,*** water falling through the propeller causes the shaft to rotate and work is developed.

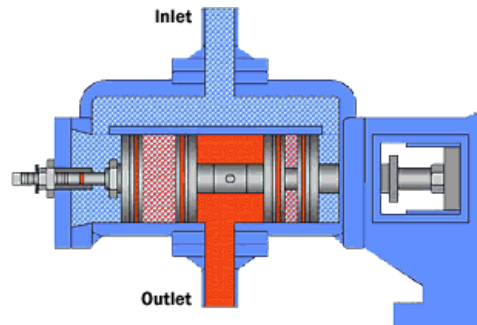


❑ Compressors

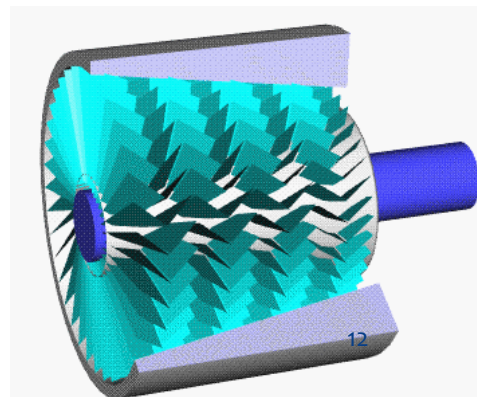
it is a device in which work done on gas passing through them in order to raise the pressure.

➤ *Different types of compressors are available such as reciprocating, axial, centrifugal, etc..)*

✓ Reciprocating compressors



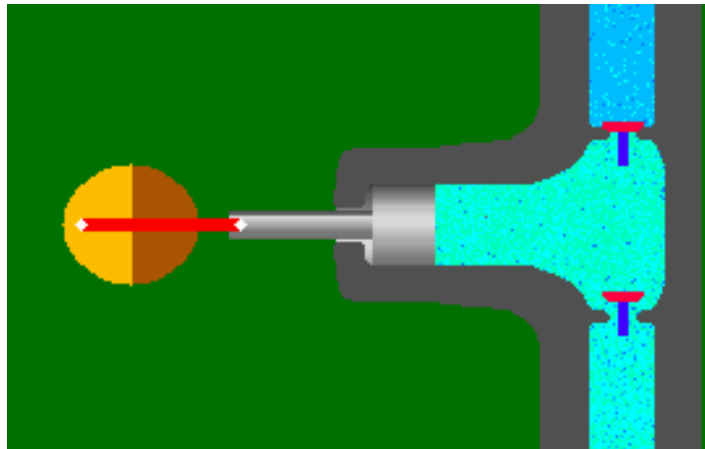
✓ Axial compressors



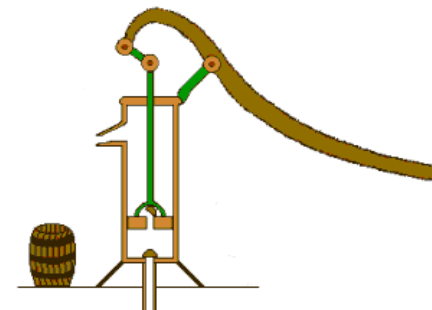
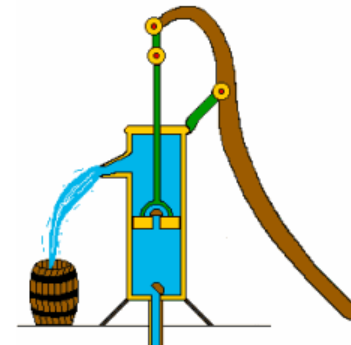
❑ Pumps

it is a device in which the work input is used to change state of the following liquid.

- *Different types of pumps are available such as reciprocating, piston, axial, centrifugal, peristaltic, etc..)*

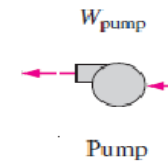
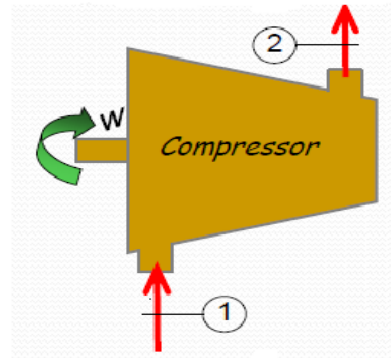
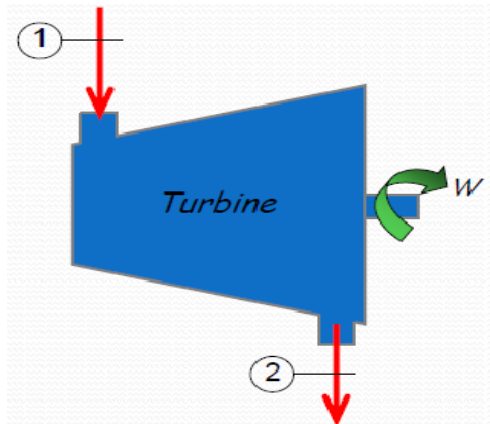


Piston pump



Lift pump

Turbine and Compressor and Pump



Characteristics:

- $\dot{Q} \cong 0$
- $\Delta pe \cong 0$
- $\Delta ke \cong 0$
- $\dot{W}_{out} \neq 0$

$$Q + \sum m_i \left(h_i + \frac{v_1^2}{2} + gZ_i \right) = W + \sum m_e \left(h_e + \frac{v_e^2}{2} + gZ_e \right)$$

$$W = m_e (h_i - h_e)$$

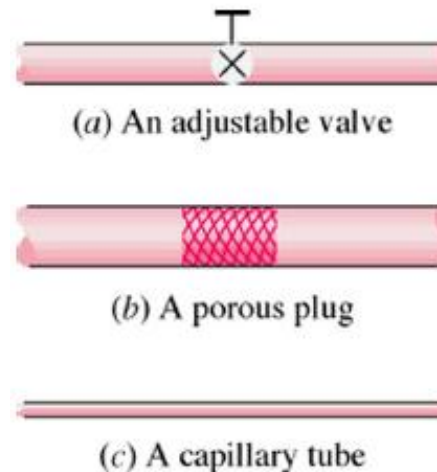
Note:

Turbines are devices that produce work. But **compressor, pump** and **fan** are devices that require work.

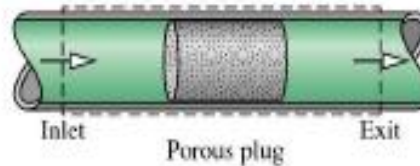
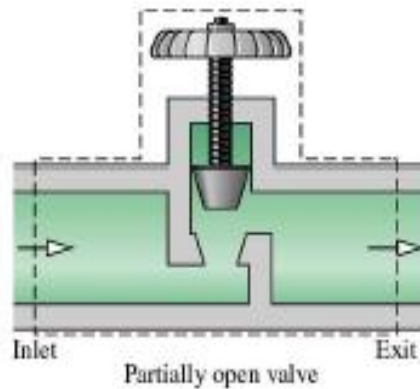
❑ Throttling Valves

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- are *flow-restricting devices* that cause a significant pressure drop in the fluid.
- Unlike turbines, they *produce pressure drop* without involving any work.
- Some familiar examples are:
 - (a)-ordinary *adjustable valves*
 - (b)-porous plugs
 - (c)-capillary tubes



- **Application:** *Pressure drop* in fluids is often accompanied by a large *drop in temperature*, and for that reason throttling devices are commonly used in *refrigeration and air conditioning* applications.



Characteristics:

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$$h_i = h_e$$

Note:

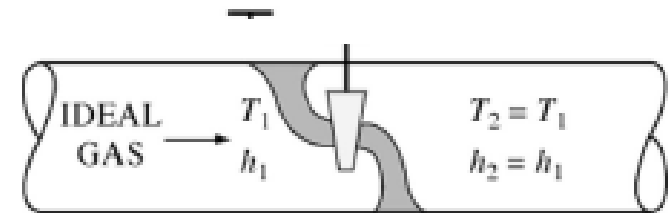
➤ During the throttling process, h of a fluid remains constant. But internal and flow energy are converted to each other.

Internal Energy + Flow Energy = Constant

$$u_1 + P_1v_1 = u_2 + P_2v_2 = \text{constant}$$

$$\text{if } P_1v_1 > P_2v_2 \Rightarrow u_1 < u_2 \Rightarrow T_1 < T_2; \quad T \uparrow$$

$$\text{if } P_1v_1 < P_2v_2 \Rightarrow u_1 > u_2 \Rightarrow T_1 > T_2; \quad T \downarrow$$

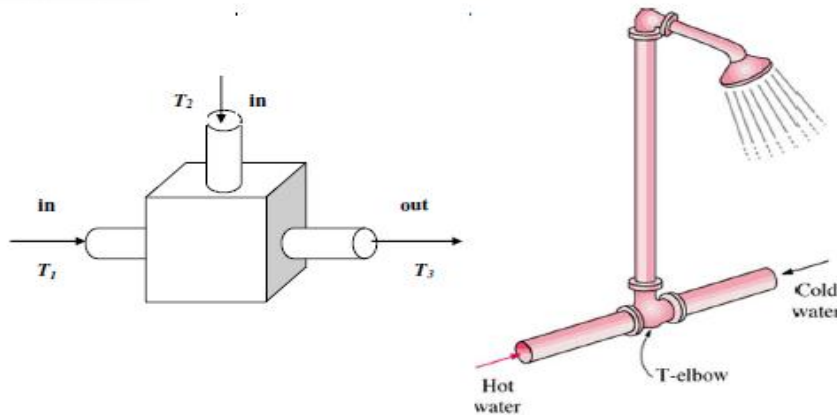


➤ If the flow energy Pv increases during a process, *It can do* so at the expense of internal energy u . As a result, u decreases, which is usually accompanied by a drop in T .

➤ If the product Pv decreases, u and T of a fluid will increase during a throttling process

Mixing Chambers

- Mixer chambers (a pot, vessel, section,....) are devices where two moving fluid streams exchange heat due to mixing.
- An ordinary *T-elbow* or *Y-elbow* in a shower, for example, can serve as the mixing chamber for the cold and hot water streams.



Characteristics:

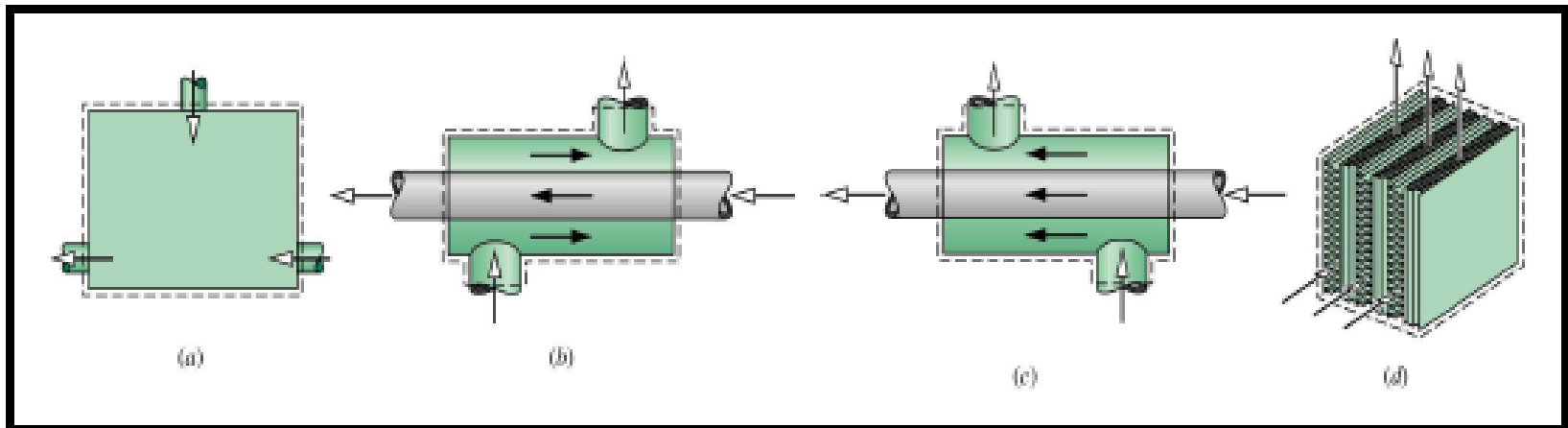
- $\Delta m_{CV} = 0$
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- $\Delta ke \cong 0$
- $\dot{Q} = 0$
- $\dot{W} = 0$

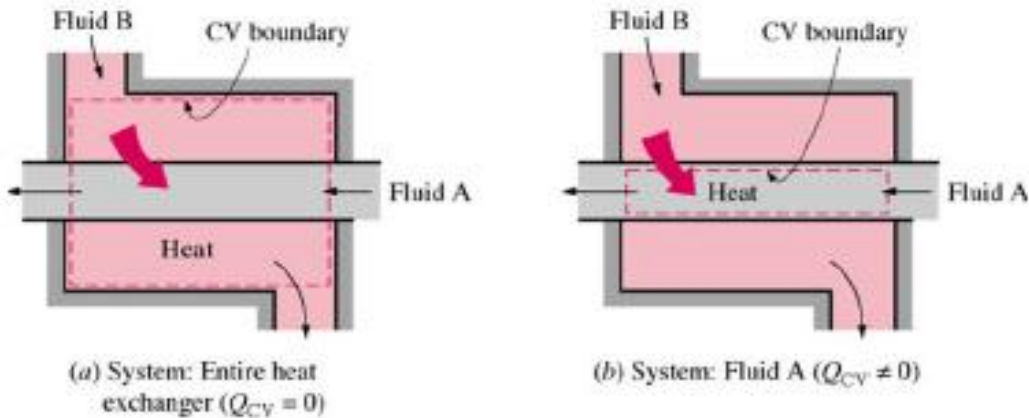
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$$\sum m_i h_i = \sum m_e h_e$$

Heat Exchangers

- Heat Exchangers are devices where two moving fluid streams exchange heat without mixing.
- The simplest form of a heat exchanger is a *double tube* (also called *tube-and-shell*) *heat exchanger* (b,c).
- It is composed of two concentric pipes of different diameters. One fluid flows in the inner pipe, and the other in the annular space between the two pipes.
- Heat is transferred from the hot fluid to the cold one through the wall separating them.



**Characteristics:**

- $\Delta m_{CV} \equiv 0$
- $\dot{W} = 0$;
- $\Delta pe \equiv 0$
- $\Delta ke \equiv 0$
 - (a) $\dot{Q}_{CV} \equiv 0$
 - (b) $\dot{Q}_{CV} \neq 0$

$$Q + \sum m_i \left(h_i + \frac{v_i^2}{2} + gZ_i \right) = W + \sum m_e \left(h_e + \frac{v_e^2}{2} + gZ_e \right)$$

$$(a) \quad m_{A,in} h_{A,in} + m_{B,in} h_{B,in} = m_{A,out} h_{A,out} + m_{B,out} h_{B,out}$$

$$(b) \quad \dot{Q} = m_{A,out} h_{A,out} - m_{A,in} h_{A,in}$$