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Chapter 7, Problem 96E.

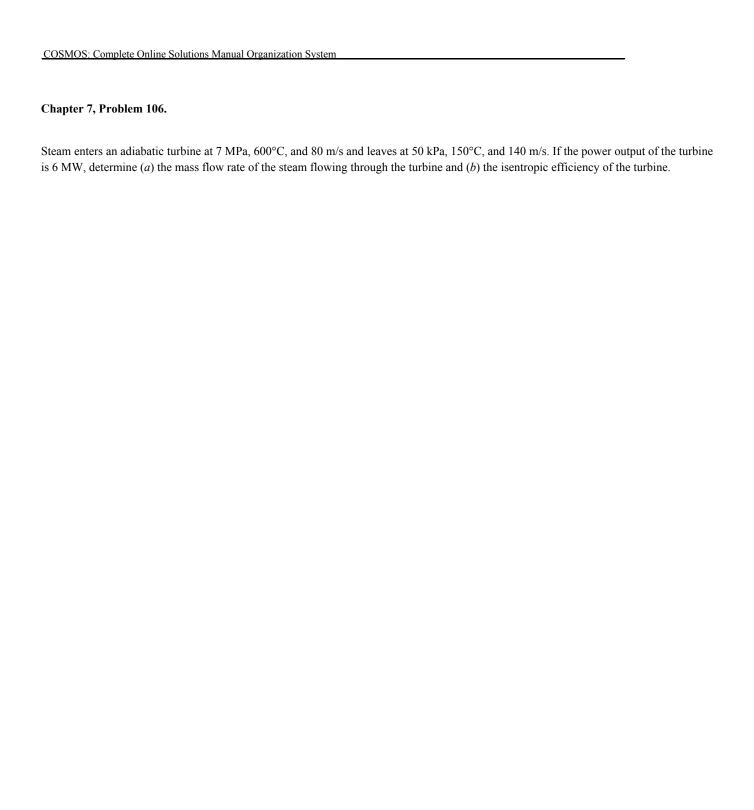
Helium gas is compressed from 14 psia and 70°F to 120 psia at a rate of 5 ft³/s. Determine the power input to the compressor, assuming the compression process to be (a) isentropic, (b) polytropic with n = 1.2, (c) isothermal, and (d) ideal two-stage polytropic with n = 1.2.

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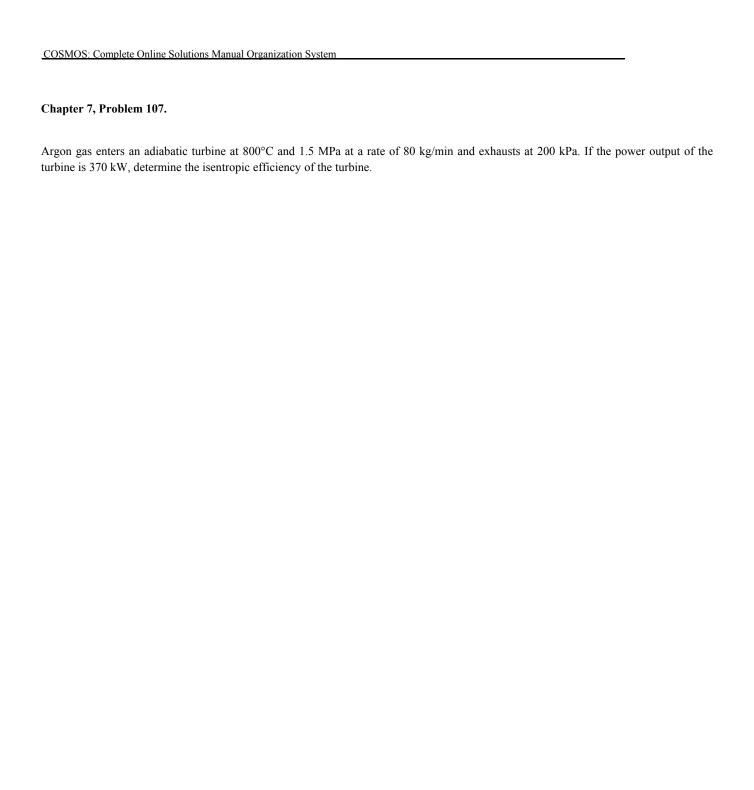
Chapter 7, Problem 98.

Nitrogen gas is compressed from 80 kPa and 27°C to 480 kPa by a 10-kW compressor. Determine the mass flow rate of nitrogen through the compressor, assuming the compression process to be (a) isentropic, (b) polytropic with n = 1.3, (c) isothermal, and (d) ideal two-stage polytropic with n = 1.3.

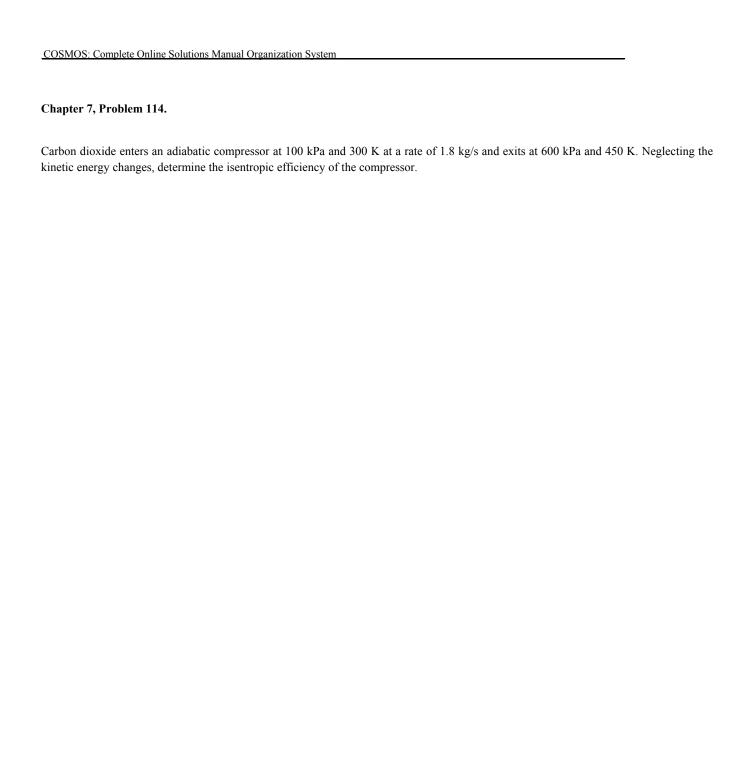
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Chapter 7, Problem 117.

Hot combustion gases enter the nozzle of a turbojet engine at 260 kPa, 747°C, and 80 m/s, and they exit at a pressure of 85 kPa. Assuming an isentropic efficiency of 92percent and treating the combustion gases as air, determine (a) the exit velocity and (b) the exit temperature.

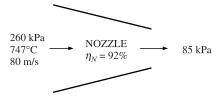


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Chapter 7, Problem 123.

Steam is to be condensed in the condenser of a steam power plant at a temperature of 60° C with cooling water from a nearby lake, which enters the tubes of the condenser at 18° C at a rate of 75 kg/s and leaves at 27° C. Assuming the condenser to be perfectly insulated, determine (a) the rate of condensation of the steam and (b) the rate of entropy generation in the condenser.

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Chapter 7, Problem 150.

Compressed air is one of the key utilities in manufacturing facilities, and the total installed power of compressed-air systems in the United States is estimated to be about 20 million horsepower. Assuming the compressors to operate at full load during one-third of the time on average and the average motor efficiency to be 85 percent, determine how much energy and money will be saved per year if the energy consumed by compressors is reduced by 5 percent as a result of implementing some conservation measures. Take the unit cost of electricity to be \$0.07/kWh.

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Chapter 7, Problem 173.

Air enters a two-stage compressor at 100 kPa and 27°C and is compressed to 900 kPa. The pressure ratio across each stage is the same, and the air is cooled to the initial temperature between the two stages. Assuming the compression process to be isentropic, determine the power input to the compressor for a mass flow rate of 0.02 kg/s. What would your answer be if only one stage of compression were used?

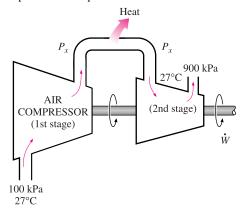
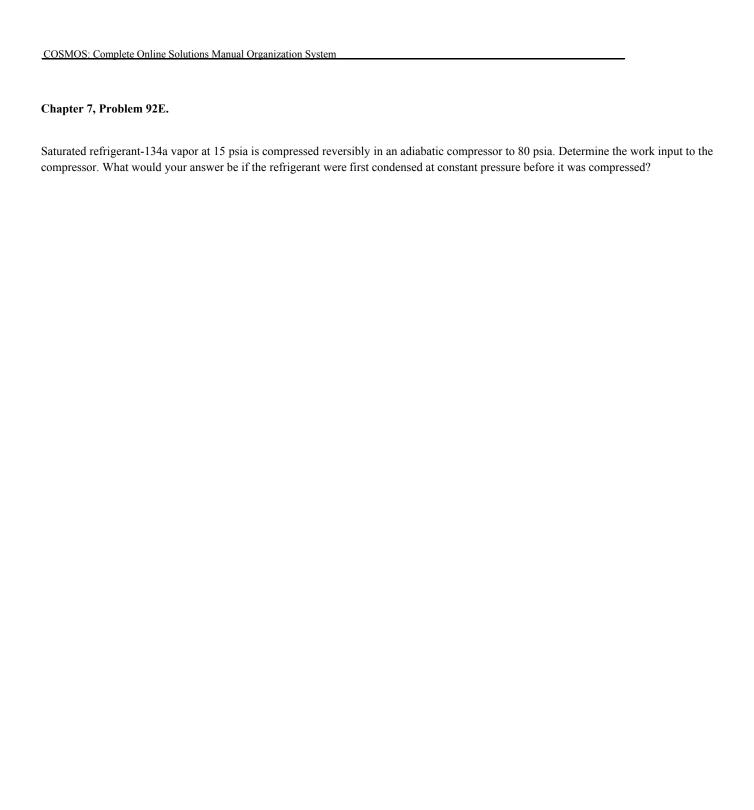


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