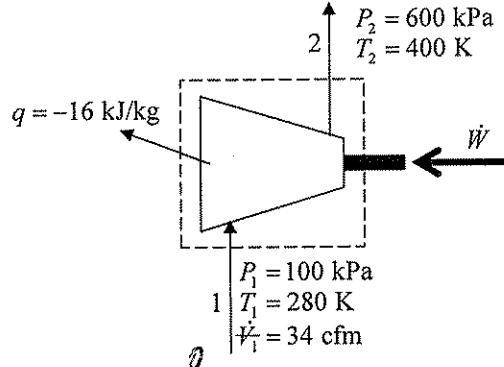


Air enters a compressor at 100 kPa, 280 K and is compressed to 600 kPa, 400 K in a steady state process. The volumetric flow of the air entering the compressor is 34 cfm ( $\text{ft}^3/\text{min}$ ). The compressor is experiencing a heat loss of 16 kJ/kg. Assuming that the changes in kinetic and potential energies are negligible, determine the power required to run the compressor.



$$\dot{Q} - \dot{W} + \dot{m}_1 \left( h_1 + \frac{V_1^2}{2g_c} + \frac{g}{g_c} z_1 \right) - \dot{m}_2 \left( h_2 + \frac{V_2^2}{2g_c} + \frac{g}{g_c} z_2 \right) = \frac{dE_G}{dt} \quad \text{STATED}$$

NEGLIGE  
KE + PE  
TERMS

1<sup>ST</sup> LRW

SPECIFIC  
ENERGY  
BRIJS

$$q - W + h_1 - h_2 = 0$$

$$q = 16 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$\dot{m} = \frac{RV}{\gamma_1}$$

$$RV = 34 \frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{min}} \text{ CINCH CONDENSER}$$

$$\gamma_1 = \frac{RT_1}{P_1}$$

$$\dot{W} = \dot{m} W$$

"COMPRESSOR PROBLEM (ideal gas properties)"

"Station 1"

P[1]=100[kPa]

T[1]=7[C]

h[1]=Enthalpy(air,T=T[1])

v[1]=Volume(air,T=T[1], P=P[1])

cfm = 34[ft^3/min]\*convert(ft^3,m^3)/convert(min,s)

mdot[1] = cfm/v[1]

"Station 2"

P[2]=600[kPa]

T[2]=137[C]

h[2]=Enthalpy(air,T=T[2])

"1st LAW"

q=-16[kJ/kg]

q-w+h[1]-h[2]=0

wdot=w\*mdot[1]

## SOLUTION

**Unit Settings: SI C kPa kJ mass deg**

cfm = 0.01605 [m<sup>3</sup>/s]

q = -16 [kJ/kg]

w = -147.1 [kJ/kg]

wdot = -2.935 [kw]

No unit problems were detected.

**Arrays Table: Main**

|   | P <sub>i</sub><br>[kPa] | h <sub>i</sub><br>[kJ/kg] | T <sub>i</sub><br>[C] | v <sub>i</sub><br>[m <sup>3</sup> /kg] | mdot <sub>i</sub><br>[kg/s] |
|---|-------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| 1 | 100                     | 280.5                     | 7                     | 0.8041                                 | 0.01996                     |
| 2 | 600                     | 411.6                     | 137                   |  |                             |

**"COMPRESSOR PROBLEM"**

"Station 1"  
 $P[1]=100[\text{kPa}]$   
 $T[1]=7[\text{C}]$   
 $h[1]=\text{Enthalpy}(\text{air\_ha}, T=T[1], P=P[1])$   
 $v[1]=\text{Volume}(\text{air\_ha}, T=T[1], P=P[1])$   
 $\text{cfm} = 34[\text{ft}^3/\text{min}]*\text{convert}(\text{ft}^3, \text{m}^3)/\text{convert}(\text{min}, \text{s})$   
 $\text{mdot}[1] = \text{cfm}/v[1]$

"Station 2"  
 $P[2]=600[\text{kPa}]$   
 $T[2]=130[\text{C}]$   
 $h[2]=\text{Enthalpy}(\text{air\_ha}, T=T[2], P=P[2])$

"1st LAW"  
 $q=-16[\text{kJ/kg}]$   
 $q-w+h[1]-h[2]=0$   
 $wdot=w*\text{mdot}[1]$

**SOLUTION****Unit Settings: SI C kPa kJ mass deg** $\text{cfm} = 0.01605 [\text{m}^3/\text{s}]$  $q = -16 [\text{kJ/kg}]$  $w = -139.6 [\text{kJ/kg}]$  $wdot = -2.787 [\text{kw}]$ 

No unit problems were detected.

**Arrays Table: Main**

|   | $P_i$<br>[kPa] | $h_i$<br>[kJ/kg] | $T_i$<br>[C] | $v_i$<br>[m <sup>3</sup> /kg] | $\text{mdot}_i$<br>[kg/s] |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | 100            | 280.3            | 7            | 0.8039                        | 0.01996                   |
| 2 | 600            | 404              | 130          |                               |                           |