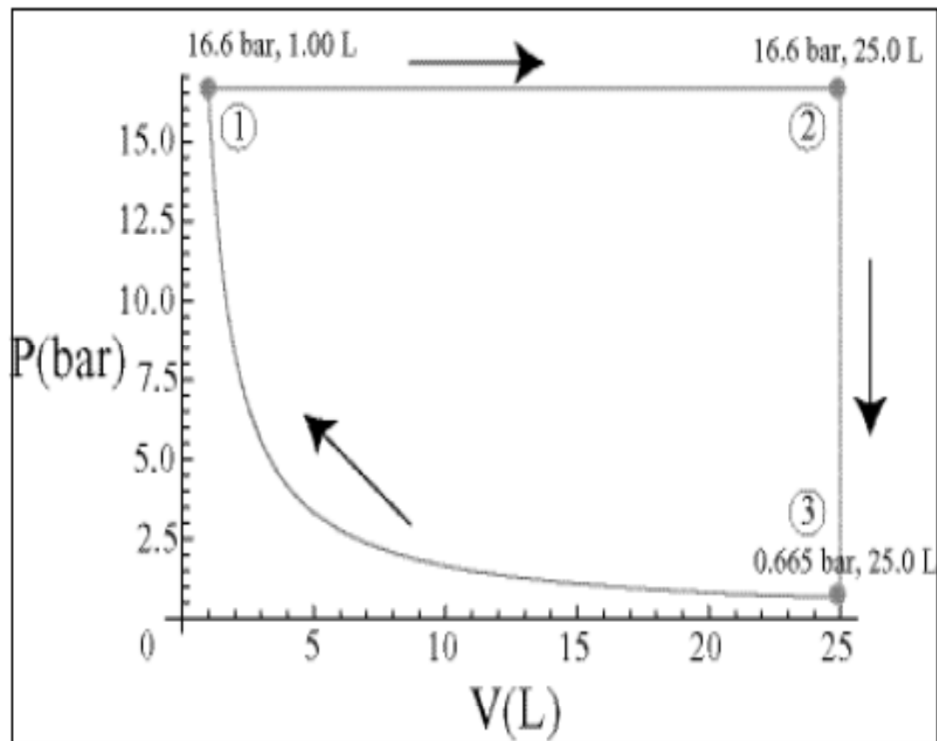


# Question 1

A system containing 2.50 mol of an ideal gas for which  $C_V = 20.79 \text{ J mol}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$  is taken through the cycle shown with the direction indicated by the arrows. The curved path corresponds to  $PV = nRT$ , where  $T = T_1 = T_3$

Calculate  $q$ ,  $w$ , and the changes in  $U$  and  $H$  for each segment, and for the cycle.



Path	$q$	$w$	$\Delta U$	$\Delta H$
1→2	139.4 kJ	-39.8 kJ	99.6 kJ	139.4 kJ
2→3	-99.6 kJ	0	-99.6 kJ	-139.4 kJ
3→1	-5.35 kJ	5.35 kJ	0	0
cycle	34.5 kJ	-34.5 kJ	0	0

## Question 2

From the Clapeyron equation derive an equation to express the vapor (saturation) pressure as a function of temperature. State your assumptions. The Clapeyron equation is given by:

$$\frac{dP^{sat}}{dT} = \frac{\Delta S^{lv}}{\Delta v^{lv}}$$

$$\Delta V \approx V^{gas}$$

$$\frac{dP}{dT} = \frac{\Delta S_m^{vaporization}}{\Delta V_m^{vaporization}} \approx \frac{\Delta H_m^{vaporization}}{TV^{gas}} = \frac{P\Delta H_m^{vaporization}}{RT^2}$$

$$\frac{dP}{P} = \frac{\Delta H_m^{vaporization}}{R} \frac{dT}{T^2}$$

$$\int_{P_i}^{P_f} \frac{dP}{P} = \frac{\Delta H_m^{vaporization}}{R} \int_{T_i}^{T_f} \frac{dT}{T^2}$$
$$\ln \frac{P_f}{P_i} = -\frac{\Delta H_m^{vaporization}}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T_f} - \frac{1}{T_i} \right)$$

## Question 2 (continued)

The normal boiling temperature of benzene is 80.1°C, and the vapor pressure of liquid benzene is 10.4 kPa at 20.0°C. Calculate (a)  $\Delta H$  (b)  $\Delta S$  and (c) the percentage error between the value obtained in part (i) and the experimentally determined heat of vaporization

a) We can calculate  $\Delta H_m^{\text{vaporization}}$  using the Clapyeron equation because we know the vapor pressure at two different temperatures

$$\ln \frac{P_f}{P_i} = -\frac{\Delta H_m^{\text{vaporization}}}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T_f} - \frac{1}{T_i} \right)$$

$$\Delta H_m^{\text{vaporization}} = -\frac{R \ln \frac{P_f}{P_i}}{\left( \frac{1}{T_f} - \frac{1}{T_i} \right)} = -\frac{8.314 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1} \ln \frac{101325 \text{ Pa}}{10000 \text{ Pa}}}{\left( \frac{1}{273.15 + 80.09 \text{ K}} - \frac{1}{273.15 + 20.0 \text{ K}} \right)}$$

$$\Delta H_m^{\text{vaporization}} = 33.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

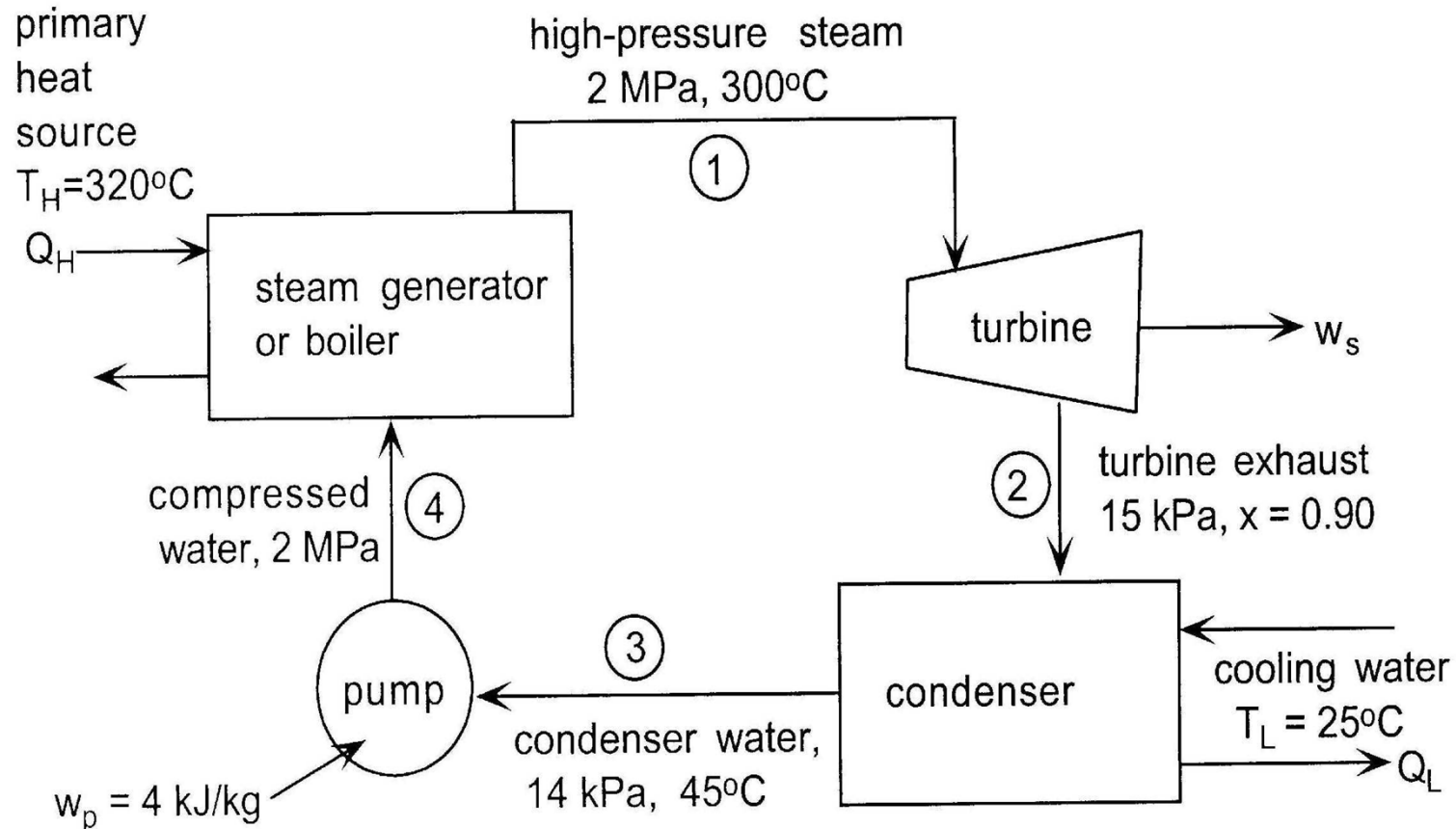
$$\text{b) } \Delta S_m^{\text{vaporization}} = \frac{\Delta H_m^{\text{vaporization}}}{T_b} = \frac{33.2 \times 10^3 \text{ J mol}^{-1}}{273.15 + 80.09 \text{ K}} = 93.9 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$$

c) From Table B.2,  $\Delta H^{\text{vaporization}} = 30.72 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$   
Therefore the error is 8.1%

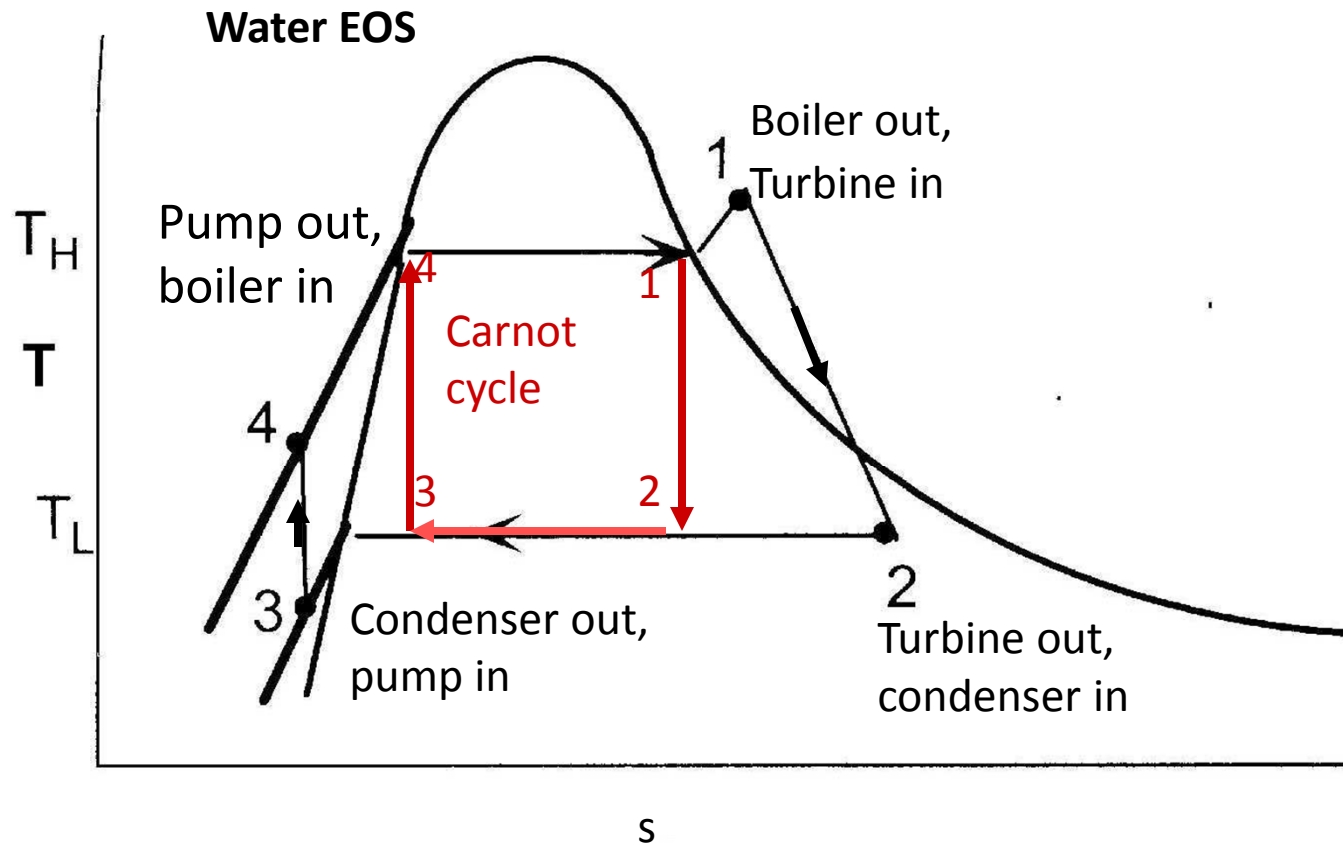
# Question 3

For the power cycle shown below (assume 100% efficiency for the pump and turbine):

- Sketch the cycle on a  $T$ - $S$  diagram.
- Calculate the work produced by the turbine.
- Calculate the change in entropy of the surroundings.
- Calculate the overall efficiency.
- If the rating of the cycle is 20.0 MW what is the steam flow rate?
- Is the cycle below realistic? If yes, why and if no, then why not?



# Question 3



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	Site	$p, \text{kPa}$	$T, ^\circ\text{C}$	$x$	$h$	$s$	work	heat
	1.	2000	300	1.0	3025	6.77		
turbine					↕		661	0
	2.	15	54	0.9	2364	7.29		
condenser					↕		0	2178
	3.	15	45	0	186	0.637		
							4	0
pump								
	4.	2000	45	0	190	0.649		
					↕		0	2835
boiler								
	1.	2000	300	1.0	3025	6.77		

Black: given

red: STEAM TABLES

blue: 1<sup>ST</sup> law

## Question 3

- Work produced = 661 kJ/kg
- $\Delta S$  = entropy change of system (water/steam) in cycle

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S &= \Delta S_{\text{turbine}} + \Delta S_{\text{condenser}} + \Delta S_{\text{pump}} + \Delta S_{\text{boiler}} \\ &= (7.29 - 6.77) + (0.64 - 7.29) + (0.65 - 0.64) \\ &\quad + (6.77 - 0.65) = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S_{\text{irr}} &= 0.649 - 0.637 + 7.29 - 6.77 = 0.53 \\ &\quad \text{(pump)} \quad \text{(turbine)}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta S_{\text{surr}} &= Q_{\text{condenser}}/T_L + Q_{\text{boiler}}/T_H \\ &= 2178/298 + (-2835)/593 = 2.52\end{aligned}$$

$$\Delta S_{\text{tot}} = 0.53 + 2.52 = 3.05 \text{ kJ/Kg. K}$$

- Overall efficiency =  $(661 - 4)/2835 = 0.23 = 23\%$  (compared to 45% Carnot efficiency)
- Steam flow rate =  $20,000 / (661 - 4) = 30.4 \text{ kg/s}$

## Question 4

(a) VdW:

$$V_{\text{liq}} = 161 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}$$

$$V_{\text{vapour}} = 4650 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}$$

(b) PR:

$$V_{\text{liq}} = 95 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}$$

$$V_{\text{vapour}} = 4087 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}$$

## Bonus

At the conditions specified (i.e. 5 bar and 320 K) Carbon Tetrachloride is a liquid because the vapour pressure (0.372 bar calculated from the Antoine equation, Table B.2) is lower than the operating pressure, and the normal boiling point temperature (349.8 K from table B.1 is higher than the operating temperature)