

6-163 Long aluminum wires are extruded at a velocity of 10 m/min, and are exposed to atmospheric air. The rate of heat transfer from the wire is to be determined.

Assumptions 1 Steady operating conditions exist. 2 The thermal properties of the wire are constant.

Properties The properties of aluminum are given to be $\rho = 2702 \text{ kg/m}^3$ and $c_p = 0.896 \text{ kJ/kg}\cdot^\circ\text{C}$.

Analysis The mass flow rate of the extruded wire through the air is

$$\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V} = \rho(\pi r_0^2) \mathcal{V} = (2702 \text{ kg/m}^3)\pi(0.0015 \text{ m})^2(10 \text{ m/min}) = 0.191 \text{ kg/min}$$

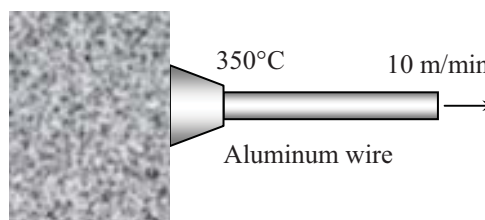
Taking the volume occupied by the extruded wire as the system, which is a steady-flow control volume, the energy balance for this steady-flow system can be expressed in the rate form as

$$\underbrace{\dot{E}_{\text{in}} - \dot{E}_{\text{out}}}_{\text{Rate of net energy transfer by heat, work, and mass}} = \underbrace{\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{system}}}_{\text{Rate of change in internal, kinetic, potential, etc. energies}} \stackrel{\approx 0 \text{ (steady)}}{=} 0$$

$$\dot{E}_{\text{in}} = \dot{E}_{\text{out}}$$

$$\dot{m}h_1 = \dot{Q}_{\text{out}} + \dot{m}h_2 \quad (\text{since } \Delta ke \cong \Delta pe \cong 0)$$

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{out}} = \dot{Q}_{\text{wire}} = \dot{m}_{\text{wire}}c_p(T_1 - T_2)$$



Then the rate of heat transfer from the wire to the air becomes

$$\dot{Q} = \dot{m}c_p[T(t) - T_\infty] = (0.191 \text{ kg/min})(0.896 \text{ kJ/kg}\cdot^\circ\text{C})(350 - 50)^\circ\text{C} = 51.3 \text{ kJ/min} = \mathbf{0.856 \text{ kW}}$$

6-164 Long copper wires are extruded at a velocity of 10 m/min, and are exposed to atmospheric air. The rate of heat transfer from the wire is to be determined.

Assumptions 1 Steady operating conditions exist. 2 The thermal properties of the wire are constant.

Properties The properties of copper are given to be $\rho = 8950 \text{ kg/m}^3$ and $c_p = 0.383 \text{ kJ/kg}\cdot^\circ\text{C}$.

Analysis The mass flow rate of the extruded wire through the air is

$$\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V} = \rho(\pi r_0^2) \mathcal{V} = (8950 \text{ kg/m}^3)\pi(0.0015 \text{ m})^2(10 \text{ m/min}) = 0.633 \text{ kg/min}$$

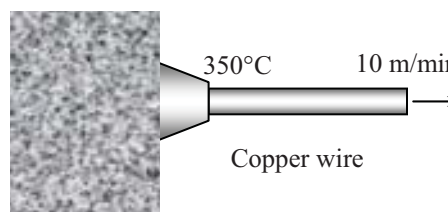
Taking the volume occupied by the extruded wire as the system, which is a steady-flow control volume, the energy balance for this steady-flow system can be expressed in the rate form as

$$\underbrace{\dot{E}_{\text{in}} - \dot{E}_{\text{out}}}_{\text{Rate of net energy transfer by heat, work, and mass}} = \underbrace{\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{system}}}_{\text{Rate of change in internal, kinetic, potential, etc. energies}} \stackrel{\approx 0 \text{ (steady)}}{=} 0$$

$$\dot{E}_{\text{in}} = \dot{E}_{\text{out}}$$

$$\dot{m}h_1 = \dot{Q}_{\text{out}} + \dot{m}h_2 \quad (\text{since } \Delta ke \cong \Delta pe \cong 0)$$

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{out}} = \dot{Q}_{\text{wire}} = \dot{m}_{\text{wire}}c_p(T_1 - T_2)$$



Then the rate of heat transfer from the wire to the air becomes

$$\dot{Q} = \dot{m}c_p[T(t) - T_\infty] = (0.633 \text{ kg/min})(0.383 \text{ kJ/kg}\cdot^\circ\text{C})(350 - 50)^\circ\text{C} = 72.7 \text{ kJ/min} = \mathbf{1.21 \text{ kW}}$$