

Home Work Problem 01a

Consider flow in a constant area pipe with heat transfer (Ref: Hill and Peterson, Mechanics and Thermodynamics of Propulsion, Addison-Wesley).

The equation may be solved numerically by using a suitable procedure for the solution of ordinary differential equation, such as the Runge-Kutta algorithm.

a) Using the Runge-Kutta method, numerically solve the equations for air for the following conditions: tube diameter = 30 cm., tube length = 3 m. Inlet: $M = 0.25$. Wall heat transfer, $q = 600$ kJ/kg. Calculate the following conditions at the pipe exit: M , T , T_0 ,

p , p_0 .

i) $T_{01} = 1000$ K, $p_{01} = 1.5$ MPa.

ii) $T_{01} = 300$ K, $p_{01} = 1$ atm (101325 N/m²).

b) Compare the numerical solution with the analytical solution.