# Refrigeration and Air conditioning Engineering. 

 $3^{\text {rd }}$ year - refrigeration and Air conditioning Course
## WATER PIPING SYSTEMS DESIGN

Part2
Lecture -11-

## WATER PIPING FOR CLOSED RE-CIRCULATION SYSTEM

Select the proper water piping for a closed recirculation system, the following information must be available:

1. Total volume flow rate of water to be circulated as well as volume flow rate to be circulated in each branch run.
2. Pressure drop across condensers and heat exchanger (this varies widely and must be obtained from equipment manufacturer).
3. Type of pipe to be used.

## Example 2

1. 3.78 lit/s total water to be circulated.
2. Length of runs with units, valves and fitting as shown in Fig. 2.
3. Pressure Drop 3.5 m of water in each unit condenser at 0.63 lit/s flow rate.
4. 4.5 m water for plate type heat exchanger at 3.78 lit/s flow rate.
5. Schedule 40 pipe (assume to have "fairly rough" interior surface).
6. Solution:
(Refer to Fig. 2)


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Run (b-c) 3.78 lit/s, velocity $2 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{s}$
Run b-c: 4.5 m water for plate type heat exchanger at 3.78 lit/s flow rate.
Pressure drop $=4.5 * 1.01=4.6 \mathrm{kPa}$.


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Friction Loss in Head, In KiloPascals per 100 Meters Length

Run e-f: 1.26 lit/s, velocity 2 m/s
diameter is 32 mm , pressure drop is $124.4 \mathrm{kPa} / 100 \mathrm{~m}$
. Pipe length =2.5
Equiv. length due to side Tee through (table 4) is 0.702 m Pressure drop= $(2.5+0.702) *(124.4 / 100)=3.98 \mathrm{kPa}$

Table (4) Fitting, loss in equivalent (mm)

| Nominal diameter Mm | Smooth bend elbows |  |  |  |  |  | Smooth bend Tee |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 90^{\circ} \\ & \text { Std } \end{aligned}$ | $90^{\circ}$ <br> Long <br> rad. | $\begin{gathered} 90^{\circ} \\ \text { Street } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45^{\circ} \\ & \mathrm{Std} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 45^{\circ} \\ \text { Stree } \\ \mathrm{t} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 180^{\circ} \\ & \text { Std. } \end{aligned}$ | Flow throug h branch | No reductio n | Reduce d $1 / 4$ | Reduce d $1 / 2$ |
|  | $4$ | ${ }^{7}$ | 隹 | $\otimes$ |  | (1) | 田 | Ft |  | [ [ ] ${ }^{\frac{1}{2}}$ |
| 10 | 427 | 275 | 702 | 214 | 336 | 702 | 824 | 275 | 366 | 427 |
| 15 | 488 | 305 | 763 | 244 | 397 | 763 | 915 | 305 | 427 | 488 |
| 20 | 610 | 427 | 976 | 275 | 488 | 976 | 1220 | 427 | 580 | 610 |
| 25 | 793 | 519 | 1251 | 397 | 641 | 1251 | 1525 | 519 | 702 | 793 |
| 32 | 1007 | 702 | 1708 | 519 | 915 | 1708 | 2135 | 702 | 946 | 1007 |
| 40 | 1220 | 793 | 1922 | 641 | 1037 | 1922 | 2440 | 793 | 1129 | 1220 |
| 50 | 1525 | 1007 | 2501 | 793 | 1373 | 2501 | 3050 | 1007 | 1434 | 1525 |
| 65 | 1830 | 1220 | 3050 | 976 | 1586 | 3050 | 3660 | 1251 | 1708 | 1830 |
| 90 | 2745 | 1830 | 4575 | 1434 | 2227 | 4575 | 4575 | 1800 | 2440 | 2745 |
| 100 | 3050 | 2135 | 5185 | 1586 | 2593 | 5185 | 6405 | 2044 | 2745 | 3050 |
| 125 | 3965 | 2440 | 6405 | 1983 | 3355 | 6405 | 7625 | 2501 | 3660 | 3965 |
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Table（4）Fitting，loss in equivalent（mm）

| Nominal diameter Mm | Smooth bend elbows |  |  |  |  |  | Smooth bend Tee |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 90^{\circ} \\ & \text { Std } \end{aligned}$ | $90^{\circ}$ <br> Long <br> rad． | $\begin{gathered} 90^{\circ} \\ \text { Street } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45^{\circ} \\ & \text { Std } \end{aligned}$ | $45^{\circ}$ <br> Stree <br> t | $\begin{aligned} & 180^{\circ} \\ & \text { Std. } \end{aligned}$ | Flow throug h branch | No reductio $n$ | Reduce d $1 / 4$ | Reduce d $1 / 2$ |
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| 15 | 488 | 305 | 763 | 244 | 397 | 763 | 915 | 305 | 427 | 488 |
| 20 | 610 | 427 | 976 | 275 | 488 | 976 | 1220 | 427 | 580 | 610 |
| 25 | 793 | 519 | 1251 | 397 | 641 | 1251 | 1525 | 519 | 702 | 793 |
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| 50 | 1525 | 1007 | 2501 | 793 | 1373 | 2501 | 3050 | 1007 | 1434 | 1525 |
| 65 | 1830 | 1220 | 3050 | 976 | 1586 | 3050 | 3660 | 1251 | 1708 | 1830 |
| 90 | 2745 | 1830 | 4575 | 1434 | 2227 | 4575 | 4575 | 1800 | 2440 | 2745 |
| 100 | 3050 | 2135 | 5185 | 1586 | 2593 | 5185 | 6405 | 2044 | 2745 | 3050 |
| 125 | 3965 | 2440 | 6405 | 1983 | 3355 | 6405 | 7625 | 2501 | 3660 | 3965 |
| 150 | 4880 | 3050 | 7625 | 2410 | 3965 | 7625 | 9150 | 3050 | 4270 | 4880 |



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## Run g-h: 3.5 m of water each unit condenser at 0.63 lit/s flow rate:

Flow in Liters per Second
Pressure drop=3.5*(137.7/100)=4.8 kPa

Friction Loss in Head, In KiloPascals per 100 Meters Length



Friction Loss in Head, In KiloPascals per 100 Meters Length
Run h-I : 0.63 lit/s, velocity $\mathbf{2 ~ m / s ~}$
the pipe diameter is 25 mm , pressure drop is $137.7 \mathrm{kPa} / 100 \mathrm{~m}$

## Pipe length $=4.5$

Equiv. length due to side Tee through (table 4) is 0.519 m

Equiv. length due to $90^{\circ}$ std. elbow (table 4) is 0.793 m

Equiv. length due to gate valve (table 3) is 0.305 m Pressure drop=
3.5+0.519+0.793+0.305)*(137.7/100) $=8.5 \mathrm{kPa}$

Table (3) Valve loss in equivalent (mm) length

| Nominal diameter mm | 荡 |  |  | 西 |  | 8 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Globe | Angle |  | Angle | Gate | Swing Check | Y type strainer |  |
|  |  | $60^{\circ} \mathrm{Y}$ | $45^{\circ} \mathrm{Y}$ |  |  |  | Flanged | Screwed end |
| 10 | 5185 | 2440 | 1830 | 1830 | 183 | 1525 | --- | ------ |
| 15 | 5490 | 2745 | 2135 | 2135 | 2135 | 1830 | -- | 915 |
| 20 | 6710 | 3355 | 2745 | 2745 | 275 | 2440 | --- | 1220 |
| 25 | 8845 | 4575 | 3660 | 3660 | 305 | 3050 | ------ | 1525 |
| 32 | 11590 | 6100 | 4575 | 4575 | 458 | 4270 | --- | 2745 |
| 40 | 13115 | 7320 | 5490 | 5490 | 549 | 4880 | ------ | 3050 |
| 50 | 16775 | 9150 | 7320 | 7320 | 702 | 6100 | 8235 | 4270 |
| 65 | 21045 | 10675 | 8845 | 8845 | 854 | 7625 | 8540 | 6100 |
| 80 | 30500 | 15250 | 12505 | 12505 | 1220 | 10675 | 14640 | ------ |
| 100 | 36600 | 17690 | 14335 | 14335 | 1373 | 12200 | 18300 | ------ |
| Zahra 125 | -Khat 42700 | 21655 | 17690 | 17690 | 1830 | 15250 | 24400 | --- |
| 150 | 51850 | 26840 | 21350 | 21350 | 2135 | 18300 | 33550 | ------ |

Table（4）Fitting，loss in equivalent（mm）

| Nominal diameter Mm | Smooth bend elbows |  |  |  |  |  | Smooth bend Tee |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 90^{\circ} \\ & \mathrm{Std} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 90^{\circ} \\ \text { Long } \\ \text { rad. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 90^{\circ} \\ \text { Street } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45^{\circ} \\ & \mathrm{Std} \end{aligned}$ | $45^{\circ}$ Stree t | $\begin{aligned} & 180^{\circ} \\ & \text { Std. } \end{aligned}$ | Flow throug h branch | $\begin{gathered} \text { No } \\ \text { reductio } \\ \text { n } \end{gathered}$ | Reduce d $1 / 4$ | Reduce d $1 / 2$ |
|  | $\xrightarrow{4}$ | 为 | ， | $\oiint$ | Y | （1） | 田 | H | d回弱 | ［回还 |
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| Runs | Lit/s | D mm | L m | Fitting equivalent length m |  |  |  | Total equiv. length | Press <br> drop kPa./100 m | Total press. Drop kPa. | Actual press. drop |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Gate valve | Std. Tee through run | Std. Tee through branch | Std. $90^{\circ}$ elbow |  |  |  |  |
| a-b | 3.78 | 50 | 0.92 | 0.702 |  |  |  | 1.622 | 101 | 1.7 | a: 73 |
| b-c | 3.78 | Heat exchanger |  |  |  |  |  | 4.5 |  | 4.6 | b:71.3 |
| c-d | 3.78 | 50 | 4.5 | 0.702 |  |  |  | 5.22 | 101 | 5.3 | c:66.7 |
| d-e | 1.89 | 40 | 6.5 |  | 0.793 |  | 1.22 | 8.513 | 113 | 11.88 | d:61.4 |
| e-f | 1.26 | 30 | 2.5 |  | 0.702 |  |  | 3.202 | 124.4 | 3.98 | e:50.887 |
| f-g | 0.63 | 25 | 4.5 | 0.305 | 0.793 |  | 0.305 | 6.2 | 137.7 | 8.5 | f:46.087 |
| g-h | 0.63 | Unit \#6 |  |  |  |  |  | 3.5 | 137.7 | 4.8 | $\mathrm{g}: 37.587$ |
| h-i | 0.63 | 25 | 4.5 | 0.305 | 0.793 |  | 0.305 | 6.2 | 137.7 | 8.5 | h:32.787 |
| i-j | 1.26 | 30 | 2.5 |  | 0.702 |  |  | 3.202 | 124.4 | 4.8 | i:24.87 |
| j-k | 1.89 | 40 | 6.5 |  | 0.793 |  | 1.22 | 8.513 | 137.7 | 11.7 | j:19.487 |
| k-I | 3.78 | 50 | 3.8 | 0.702 |  | 3.05 |  | 7.6 | 101 | 7.7 | k:7.787 |
| a-I |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 73.46 |  |
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