

## lecture 4 - Carnot cycle

- in an irreversible process

$$\Delta S > \frac{\delta Q}{T} \quad (1)$$

- 2nd law - Clausius
  - in a cyclic transformation  $\Delta S = 0$

$$\sum_i \frac{Q_i}{T_i} = \oint \frac{\delta Q}{T} \leq 0 \quad (2)$$

- cyclic Carnot engine - efficiency  $\eta$

$$dU = \delta Q + \delta W \quad (3)$$

$$0 = Q_h + Q_c + W \quad (4)$$

$$0 = |Q_h| - |Q_c| - |W| \quad (5)$$

$$\eta = \frac{|W|}{|Q_h|} = \frac{|Q_h| - |Q_c|}{|Q_h|} = 1 - \frac{|Q_c|}{|Q_h|} \quad (6)$$

$$\frac{Q_h}{T_h} + \frac{Q_c}{T_c} = \frac{|Q_h|}{T_h} - \frac{|Q_c|}{T_c} \leq 0 \quad (7)$$

$$\eta \leq 1 - \frac{T_c}{T_h} \quad (8)$$

- Carnot theorem - for reversible engine

$$\eta = 1 - \frac{T_c}{T_h}$$

- cyclic Carnot refrigerator - efficiency  $\eta'$

$$dU = \delta Q + \delta W \quad (9)$$

$$0 = Q_h + Q_c + W \quad (10)$$

$$0 = -|Q_h| + |Q_c| + |W| \quad (11)$$

$$\eta' = \frac{|Q_c|}{|W|} = \frac{|Q_c|}{|Q_h| - |Q_c|} \quad (12)$$

$$\frac{1}{\eta'} = \frac{|Q_h|}{|Q_c|} - 1 \quad (13)$$

$$\frac{Q_h}{T_h} + \frac{Q_c}{T_c} = -\frac{|Q_h|}{T_h} + \frac{|Q_c|}{T_c} \leq 0 \quad (14)$$

$$\eta' \leq \frac{T_c}{T_h - T_c} \quad (15)$$

- reversible Carnot cycle

(1) isothermal expansion  $Q_1 = Nk_B \ln\left(\frac{V_b}{V_a}\right)$

(2) adiabatic expansion  $T_1 V_b^{\gamma-1} = T_2 V_c^{\gamma-1}$

(3) isothermal compression  $Q_2 = -Nk_B \ln\left(\frac{V_c}{V_d}\right)$

(4) adiabatic compression  $T_2 V_d^{\gamma-1} = T_1 V_a^{\gamma-1}$

$$\frac{Q_1}{T_1} + \frac{Q_2}{T_2} = 0 \quad (16)$$

- entropy point of view