

Example

A moist-air mixture has a dry-bulb temperature of 85°F and a relative humidity of $\phi = 60\%$. The total pressure of the mix is 14.7 psia.

- (a) If the water vapor existed alone at T_{mix} and P_{mix} , what would its pressure be? I.e., determine the

PARTIAL PRESSURE

- (b) For every lbm of dry air, how much water vapor is there? I.e., determine the

HUMIDITY RATIO

- (c) If you cooled this mix at constant pressure, at what temperature would the water start condensing? I.e., determine the

DEWPOINT TEMP

- (d) Determine the enthalpy of the mixture **per unit mass of dry air**. Is this the same as H_{mix}/m_{mix} ?

$$(a) \quad \phi = \frac{P_v}{P_g} \quad P_g(T=85^\circ C) = 0.5967 \text{ psia}$$

$$\therefore P_v = \phi P_g = (0.60)(0.5967 \text{ psia}) = \boxed{0.358 \text{ psia}}$$

$$(b) \quad \omega = \frac{M_g}{M_v} \left(\frac{\phi P_g}{P - \phi P_g} \right) = 0.622 \frac{(0.60)(0.5967 \text{ psia})}{(14.7 - (0.60)(0.5967)) \text{ psia}}$$

$$= \boxed{0.0155}$$

$$(c) \quad T_{DP} = T_{SAT}(P_v) = T_{SAT}(0.358 \text{ psia}) = \boxed{69.6^\circ F}$$

$$(d) \quad h = h_a + \omega h_v$$
$$= h_a(85^\circ F) + \omega h_g(85^\circ F)$$

$$= 130.26 \frac{\text{Btu}}{\text{lbm}} + 0.0155 (1098.6 \frac{\text{B}}{\text{lbm}}) = \boxed{147.3 \text{ kJ/kg}}$$

NOTE WE DO NOT USE IDEAL GAS TABLES!!

NOT SAME AS H_{mix}/m_{mix} .