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**EXAMPLE:** And now, entropy!

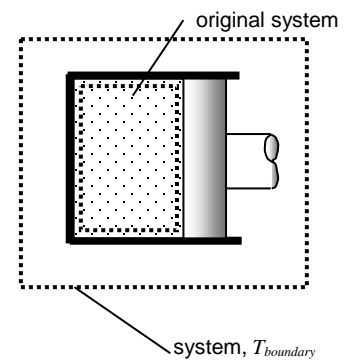
Reconsider the piston-cylinder from the last example. The device contains 1.5 kg of air. Initially, the air is at 150 kPa and 20°C. The air is compressed in an *isobaric process* until the volume is 1 m<sup>3</sup>. Assuming the compression to be quasistatic, you already found

- (a) the work into the system, in kJ, and
- (b) the heat transfer into the system, in kJ.

Now for something new!

(c) Find the entropy generation for the following systems:

- (1) the system shown for  $T_{boundary} = 400$  K
- (2) the system shown for  $T_{boundary} = 300$  K, and
- (3) your original system.



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**EXAMPLE:** What's *isentropic efficiency*, I wonder?

Air flows steadily through a supersonic nozzle. The entering air has negligible velocity. If the process is **reversible and adiabatic**, (Everybody sing! That means it's also \_\_\_\_\_!)

- (a) find the exit air temperature, and
- (b) the exit velocity.
- (c) What do you think the *isentropic efficiency* of this nozzle is?<sup>1</sup>

