

Heat Exchanger Design

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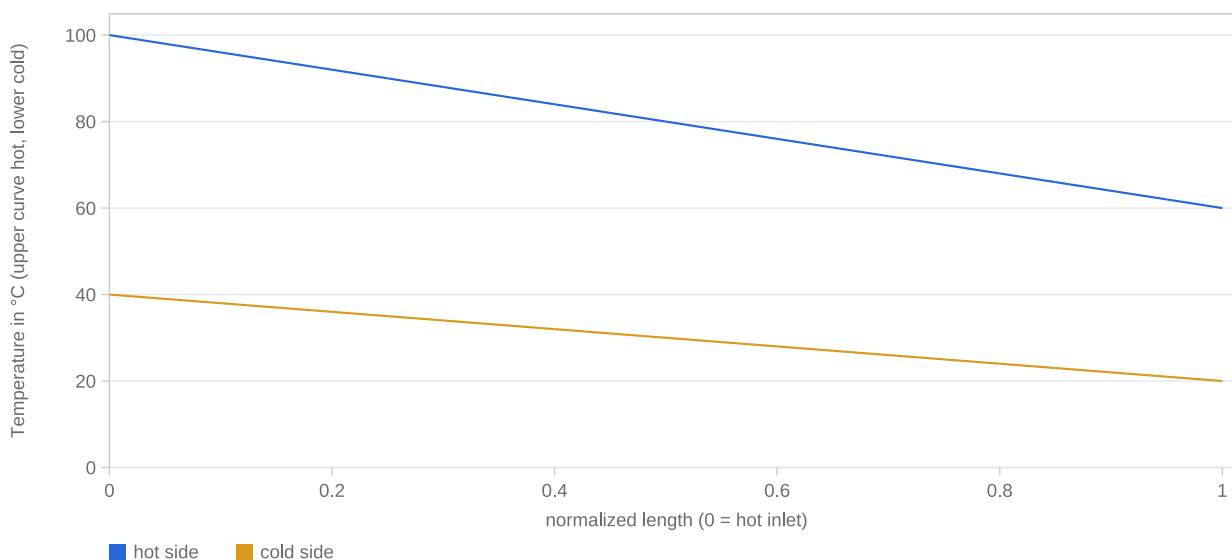
Operating point

Method	LMTD (log mean temperature difference)
Flow arrangement	Counterflow
Hot side inlet	100 °C
Cold side inlet	20 °C
Hot side outlet	60 °C
Cold side outlet	40 °C
$k \cdot A$	1,000 W/K

Results

Temperature difference end 1 ΔT_1	60 K
Temperature difference end 2 ΔT_2	40 K
Log mean temperature difference LMTD	49.33 K
Heat flow Q	49.326 kW

Temperature profile (schematic)



Calculation basis

Recuperator without phase change. The LMTD method sets the heat flow as $Q = k \cdot A \cdot \Delta T_m$, using the log mean temperature difference $\Delta T_m = (\Delta T_1 - \Delta T_2) / \ln(\Delta T_1 / \Delta T_2)$; for equal end differences the limiting value is $\Delta T_m = \Delta T_1$. The end differences ΔT_1 and ΔT_2 are formed from the four inlet and outlet temperatures depending on the flow arrangement (counterflow or parallel flow).

The ϵ -NTU method works with the heat capacity rates $C = m \cdot c_p$: $NTU = k \cdot A / C_{\min}$, $Cr = C_{\min} / C_{\max}$, and the flow-arrangement-dependent effectiveness ϵ . The heat flow follows from $Q = \epsilon \cdot C_{\min} \cdot (T_{\text{hot,in}} - T_{\text{cold,in}})$, the outlet temperatures from the energy balance. The temperature profile is shown as a linear sketch with exact end points.

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