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## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

### INTRODUCTION TO CC-THERM

**CC-THERM** is an integrated module for the design and rating of double pipe, shell and tube, plate and frame and air cooled heat exchangers in the **CHEMCAD Suite**. The program will design and rate any type of shell and tube heat exchanger, sensible/sensible service plate and frame heat exchangers and air coolers. **CC-THERM** is fully integrated with the **CHEMCAD Suite** so process data is automatically transferred from the process flowsheets to the heat exchanger analysis, and heating curves and physical properties data are automatically generated using the same properties and methods. The first part of this user guide covers tube and shell heat exchanger calculations.

### EASY TO LEARN

The input for **CC-THERM** is simple and concise. It is based upon the **CHEMCAD** input system, so anyone familiar with the **CHEMCAD Suite** will be able to operate **CC-THERM** with ease.

Since the input/output systems and conventions are the same in **CC-THERM** as those used in **CHEMCAD**, please refer to the **CHEMCAD User's Guide** for these types of "How to" instructions.

### INSTALLATION

By default CC-THERM is always installed with the CHEMCAD Suite. If any programs of the CHEMCAD Suite have been installed, there is not any special procedure to install CC-THERM because it is completely integrated with the CHEMCAD Suite and does not run in a separate interface. The use of CC-THERM only depends on the user's license. Please refer to the installation section of the CHEMCAD User's Guide.

### TECHNICAL FEATURES FOR SHELL AND TUBE

1. **CC-THERM** handles the following applications.
  - Fluid and thermosyphon reboilers
  - Forced circulation evaporators
  - Horizontal or vertical condensers
  - Falling film evaporators and heaters
  - Vertical thermosyphons

- Reflux condensers
  - Sensible heat, both liquid and vapor
2. Three modes of calculation may be selected: Rating mode, fouling factor rating or design mode. In the design mode, a full optimization of shell diameter, tube lengths and baffle spacing will be carried out. Optionally, an optimization of tube passes can be carried out.
  3. All TEMA-type exchangers.
  4. Six types of baffles can be used: Single segmental, double segmental, triple segmental, no-tubes-in-window, disk and donut, and rod baffles.
  5. A complete vibration analysis is performed for all types of exchangers.
  6. You may use TEMA clearances or input your own clearances.
  7. Sealing strips are permitted.
  8. Tube counts are calculated.
  9. Impingement plates can be handled.
  10. Tubes may be bare or fin. A library of Wolverine, HPTI, and Wieland tubes are built into the program.
  11. Turbulators may be used on the inside of the tube.
  12. Dry wall and wet wall condensing can be accommodated.
  13. A variety of heat transfer and pressure drop methods are available.
  14. Heat exchangers sizes that are below those covered by TEMA, ASME, DIN, and BS5500 can be handled.
  15. A tabulated pressure drop distribution report through shell and tube heat exchangers is provided.

## HEAT TRANSFER METHODS

### EVAPORATION

The program considers these various types of evaporation.

#### Shellside

Thermosyphon Reboiler

Pool-Type Evaporation (Kettle)

Forced Evaporation

#### Tubeside

Thermosyphon Reboiler

Falling-Film Evaporation

Forced Evaporation

**Thermosyphons:**

The calculation of a thermosyphon reboiler is similar for both the shellside and the tubeside. In both cases, the program combines the nucleate boiling and the two-phase convective heat transfer. The computation of the tube wall temperature is of importance in the calculation. A calculation for subcooled boiling when a substantial amount of subcooling is present is performed. The minimum amount of superheat necessary to initiate subcooled boiling is computed and compared to the tube wall temperature. If the tube wall temperature is sufficiently high, a nucleate boiling coefficient is calculated, but proportioned according to the amount of subcooling present (the more the subcooling, the lower the coefficient).

The program will complete the thermosyphon circulation rate (if so requested) by balancing the pressure drops to the available head. The user can specify details of the inlet and outlet piping, elevations, and the available head. In order to maintain a heat balance (that is, to keep the exchanger heat duty equal to its specified value), a constant vapor generation rate is assumed on the thermosyphon side.

The following steps are used for thermosyphons.

1. Calculate the static head of the column liquid.
2. Calculate pressure drop in the inlet piping and nozzle.
3. Calculate the new saturation temperature based on the pressure at the inlet to the exchanger.
4. Go through each zone of the exchanger and iterate on the pressure drop in each zone. Once the pressure drop is converged, the saturation temperature is also updated and the LMTD is recalculated. Thus the program makes a rigorous calculation of the boiling point rise and always gives the correct LMTD.
5. Calculate the pressure drop in the outlet piping once the program goes through the last zone.
6. The program will leave the amount vaporized and vary the vapor-liquid split until the loop is converged.

The calculation of the two-phase density and the two-phase pressure drop is critical to the success of this calculation. Previously, the Nelson modification of the Lockhart-Martinelli equation was used to calculate the two-phase density and pressure drop. However, more recently published correlations have proven to be far more accurate and now supplant the Lockhart-Martinelli method. For the two-phase density calculation, the CISE method, which is superior to Lockhart-Martinelli, is used since it takes into account the mass flow effect on the two-phase density.

For the two-phase pressure drop calculation, the program uses both the Baroczy method and the Friedel correlation and basically uses an average of the two results.

For the heat transfer coefficients for tubeside thermosyphons, the Chen method is used for both two-phase convection boiling and the nucleate boiling coefficients. The nucleate boiling coefficient used by Chen is that of Forster and Zuber (developed for boiling on the outside of tubes) and modified to take into account the lower wall superheat inside the tubes. The basic Forster and Zuber equation calculates the nucleate boiling coefficient on the outside of tubes for shellside evaporation.

The critical heat flux is determined for both the shellside and the tubeside. The critical heat flux for the shellside is obtained by calculating the one-tube critical heat flux (as proposed by Kutaladze-Zuber) and multiplying this by the bundle correction factor (originally from Palen and later modified by Grant). The critical heat flux for the tube side (proposed by Bowring) is that flux at which dryout begins to occur.

### **Falling Films:**

A falling-film exchanger is computed for both a liquid being heated or cooled and for a liquid being evaporated. Only falling films inside the tubes are considered. Falling films on the outside of the tubes (the shellside) do exist, but because they are rare, the program does not handle them presently. The calculation suggested by Dukler in the above-mentioned reference is used. The program follows the procedures below.

1. Breaks the calculation into  $n$  (default=10) zones.
2. Determine a certain heat load increment and a defined vapor and liquid flow for each zone from the heat curve.
3. Calculates the hydrodynamics.
4. Assumes a certain pressure drop and loops through each zone several times until the assumed pressure drop converges on the actual pressure drop.
5. Once the pressure drop is converged, the vapor shear at the wall is computed. A non-dimensional parameter named BETA (same name used in original Dukler paper) is printed. This parameter indicates the magnitude of the effect of the vapor shear. This term increases in proportion to the amount of liquid evaporated. As this term increases, the turbulence of the film increases. There is also a correlation between a high BETA and the thinning-out of the film. The thinner the film, the higher the heat transfer coefficient.
6. Next the program decides whether the regime is laminar or turbulent once the BETA term is calculated. The Reynold's number is determined in a similar fashion to Dukler and follows closely his recommendations for the definition of laminar and turbulent flow. The cutoff points between turbulent and laminar flow will be different depending on whether the process type is a falling film being heated (or cooled) or a falling film being evaporated. Chun and Seban claim that a weber number of the order unity is a better indicator of the transition between laminar and turbulent flow. However, the program still uses the Reynold's number to decide whether the regime is laminar or turbulent. The program arbitrarily uses a transition Reynold's number, which varies between 800 and 3000. If the vapor shear is high, the program goes as low as 800. If vapor shear is very low, the program uses a transition number of 3000.
7. Once the flow regime is established, the film thickness is calculated. The boiling mechanism is two-phase convective boiling with the boiling taking place at the liquid-vapor interface. The heat transfer phenomenon through the film is one of conduction, and, therefore, the heat transfer coefficient is determined by the thickness of the film. Nucleate boiling at the tube wall should usually be avoided. The superheat at the wall necessary for incipient nucleate boiling is determined. In a well-designed unit, the tube wall temperature should be below the temperature at which nucleate boiling begins. The program prints the tube wall temperature and the temperature of the onset of the nucleate boiling at each zone of the calculation. If the product being evaporated is not

temperature-sensitive, nucleate boiling may not be acceptable. The boiling coefficient will almost always be as high or higher than the falling film coefficient being calculated. However, once nucleate boiling commences, the phenomenon occurring is no longer convective boiling from a falling film, but rather nucleate boiling at the tube wall. When a temperature-sensitive product is present, the user should analyze the program results carefully. In order to avoid nucleate boiling at the wall, decreasing the shellside temperature may be necessary in order to bring the wall to a temperature below the superheat for the onset of nucleation. The program does not make this temperature change automatically.

Avoidance of dry patch formation is a problem in a falling film exchanger. The program prints the minimum Reynold's number at which the circumference of the tube wall will remain wet. The Reynold's number of the calculation should be comfortably above this minimum in order to avoid streaking and patch formation.

**Pool Evaporation:**

In the calculation of a pool-type evaporator, the program considers the coefficient to be mostly nucleate boiling although it does consider the effect of natural convection. The calculation of the nucleate boiling coefficient is by Forster-Zuber. The critical heat flux for the shellside is obtained by calculating the one-tube critical heat flux (as proposed by Kutaladze-Zuber) and multiplying this by the bundle correction factor, originally from Palen and later modified by Grant.

**Forced Evaporation:**

For all types of evaporators, the program considers the simultaneous occurrence of nucleate boiling and two-phase convective boiling. In cases where the amount evaporated is relatively small, the program gives more weight to the nucleate boiling mechanism. Conversely, when a substantial amount is evaporated, more weight is given to the two-phase convective boiling coefficients. As with a thermosyphon reboiler, the tube wall temperature is elaborately calculated since this has a profound effect on the nucleate boiling coefficient. When the fluid is almost entirely evaporated, the program essentially calculates a gas coefficient. If any superheat is present, the coefficient in this region is essentially a gas coefficient. Chen's two-phase forced convection coefficient is used for tubeside evaporation. The two-phase forced convection coefficient for shellside evaporation is, essentially, the shellside coefficient calculated as though the flow were all liquid. The program then multiplies this coefficient by a suitable two-phase correction factor, empirical in nature and based on experience. The nucleate boiling coefficient is the method of Forster-Zuber.

When forced evaporation inside the tubes exists and the entering liquid has a lot of subcooling, a twisted-tape insert to promote turbulence (and the heat transfer coefficient) for the subcooled liquid is commonly employed. Such twisted-tape inserts are available in the fin tube databank.

## CONDENSATION

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The program considers the following types of condensation.

<b>Shellside</b>	<b>Tubeside</b>
Horizontal Condensation	Horizontal Condensation
Vertical Condensation	Vertical Condenser
	Reflux Condenser

The program calculates tubeside condensation for both vertical and horizontal condensers, shellside condensation for both horizontal and vertical condensers, and a reflux (or knock-back) condenser for vertical in-tube condensation. The algorithm for both shellside and tubeside condensation is similar because the exchanger is always broken into  $n$  (default=10) different zones. The two principal heat transfer mechanisms occurring (shear-controlled condensation and gravity-controlled condensation) are always computed for all types of condensers. In between these two extreme zones, the calculation is considered to be in the transition region between shear-controlled and gravity controlled. For a condenser where the inlet quality is 100% and the outlet 0%, the flow regime usually is shear-controlled at the inlet, goes through the transition region, and, finally, is gravity controlled at the outlet. When a large amount of vapor is present and vapor velocity is very high, the forces on the condensing film are mostly from the interfacial shear of the vapor and the gravity forces on the film are negligible by comparison.

The pressure drop computations for condensation are similar to the evaporation methods described above. The CISE method for the two-phase density calculation is employed. Both the Baroczy method and the Friedel correlation are utilized for vapor evaporation, and basically an average of the two results is used in the calculation of the two-phase pressure drop.

For a tubeside thermosyphon, the static head of the vapor-liquid mixture in the tubes always result in a pressure drop because we are proceeding opposite to the direction for the gravity as we go up the tubes. The situation in a vertical condenser is the opposite. We are proceeding in the same direction as gravity and instead of a pressure loss, we have a gain or a negative loss. For some runs, this pressure gain is larger than the pressure loss due to the combined effects of momentum and friction and, thus, the sum of the losses can be a negative number (this may appear unusual but, in fact, it is a real possibility). Three separate effects for the overall pressure drop are considered: frictional, momentum, and gravity effects.

### **Shellside Condensation:**

The program uses the Nusselt equation for gravity condensation on the outside of the tube banks up to a Reynold's number of 1000. Above a Reynold's number of 1000, the equation is too conservative. Thereafter, the semi-empirical equation of Labuntso is employed to predict the gravity coefficient in the turbulent region. The cutoff Reynold's number of 1000 is an arbitrary choice. Cutoff values in the literature usually vary between 800 and 1600. The shellside shear-controlled coefficient is determined in a method similar to that used for forced evaporation on the shellside. The shellside coefficient is computed as if the flow were all liquid. This coefficient is then multiplied by a suitable two-phase correction factor, empirical in nature and based on experience.

**Tubeside Condensation:**

The program uses the Dukler method for gravity condensation for vertical tubes. This method is described under Falling Film Evaporators. The Nusselt equation is used for gravity condensation inside horizontal tubes. The flow in the horizontal tube is assumed to be stratified flow, not annular flow. The Boyko-Kruzhilin method is employed to calculate the shear-controlled coefficient for condensation in horizontal tubes.

The program also calculates a reflux or knock-back condenser often used on the top of a column. In this type of exchanger, the vapor flows up the tubes, and the condensate flows counter-current down the tubes, back into the column. This exchanger is similar to a vertical tubeside condenser except that a vertical has co-current vapor and liquid flow while the reflux has counter-current flow. The flooding velocity at the bottom of the tubes must be checked for the reflux condenser.

 **Multi-Component Condensation and the Effect of Non-Condensibles:**

All above-mentioned methods are for condensation of a pure vapor and, as such, do not take into account the presence of non-condensibles or the effect of large temperature differences between the vapor dew point and bubble point.

To account for the presence of non-condensibles or large temperature differences between inlet and outlet, a method similar to that suggested by Silver and Bell & Khaly in the above-cited references is utilized. For each step along the condensation curve, the program calculates a resistance factor to include the combined effects of a large temperature difference and the presence of non-condensibles. A very common occurrence is a steam condenser in the presence of a small quantity of air. This type gives a graphic illustration of how these resistance factors come into play. For the first several zones of such an exchanger, the condensing temperature is practically isothermal because only a small amount of air is present. In the last zone, a sizable temperature difference may exist and the amount of non-condensibles may become more significant since almost the entire vapor has condensed. Thus, the resistance factor in this last zone could be substantial, and, in such a case, half of the required area is often necessary for the last zone alone.

 **Condensate Retention on Low Fin Tubes:**

A horizontal shellside condenser with low radial fin tubes is a very common type of exchanger, especially in the refrigeration industry. Typically in a refrigeration circuit, Freon 12 or Freon 22 will evaporate in the tubes of the chiller and condense on the shellside of a condenser. The coefficients for Freon condensing on bare tubes are not particularly high. Coefficients for water flowing inside a tube are usually high. This presents an excellent opportunity for using low radial fin tubes since the in-tube coefficient is high (even after relating to tube outer surface). Also the shellside condensing coefficient is not affected adversely by condensate retention effects of the fins since the surface tension of the freon is quite low. On the other hand, if steam is being condensed on the outside of a low radial fin tube, the condensing coefficient is reduced so drastically (because of the condensate retention effects of the fins) that it is almost never viable to use low fin radial tubes for steam condensing on their outside. If it is necessary to use some sort of undulation on the tube with steam condensing, a fluted tube is often used. A typical example of such a fluted tube is the Wolverine Korodense tube. A fluted tube has the additional advantage of being less rigid than a smooth tube and, thus, for similar operating conditions, may be less likely to overstress the tubes in a fixed tubesheet exchanger than a smooth tube. The program has a very extensive databank with low radial fin tubes from such manufacturers as Wolverine, HPTI, Wieland, etc.

## **SENSIBLE HEAT TRANSFER**

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### **Sensible flow – Tubeside:**

The Sieder-Tate equation is employed for the calculation of the tubeside heat transfer coefficient in the turbulent region. The method of Martinelli and Boelter is utilized for laminar flow in a vertical tube. The method of Eubank and Proctor is used for laminar flow in horizontal tubes. Both of these correlations combine the effects of natural convection and forced convection. The flow is assumed to be laminar below a Reynold's number of 2000 and is turbulent above a Reynold's number of 10000. In the transition region, the program prorates the laminar and turbulent coefficient according to the Reynold's number to arrive at the final coefficient. The program uses the Blasius method for the friction factor in the pressure drop calculation for laminar flow (Reynold's number below 2000). For turbulent flow (Reynold's number above 3000) and for the transition region between laminar and turbulent flow, the recommendations made in Section 5 of Perry are followed.

The program has the heat transfer and pressure drop correlations for a twisted-tape turbulence promoter. It makes one complete revolution over a length equal to four internal diameters.

### **Sensible Flow – Shellside:**

For the coefficient of shellside crossing flow, the stream analysis method is the default. This method balances the pressure drop across the baffles for each of the possible flow paths. The following flow paths are considered.

**Stream A** is that flowing through the space between the tube outer diameter and the baffle hole.

**Stream B** is the flow across the tube bundle.

**Stream C** flows between the shell internal diameter and the outer tube limit.

**Stream E** flows between the shell internal diameter and the baffle outer diameter.

**Stream F** flows *leaking* through the empty spaces left by the tube pass partition.

Parallel flow model is used for calculating the coefficient when shell has no baffle; by setting baffle spacing greater than tube length. The program can also perform the calculation for rod baffles.

## **THE ZONE ANALYSIS**

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For a change-of-phase exchanger, the unit is analyzed using  $n$  (default =10) zones. **CC-THERM** automatically sets up the zones and properties of each zone, but permits the user to edit or override.

## **OUTPUT FEATURES**

The user may select from the following output reports:

- Summary Report
- TEMA Sheet
- Heating Curves
- Shell Side Data

- Tube Side Data
- Tabulated Data
- Zone-by-Zone Analysis
- Baffle Data
- Clearances Report
- Overall Data
- Vibration Analysis
- Optimization
- Stream Data
- Reboiler Data

In addition to obtaining a hardcopy output report, you can review the results interactively on the screen and graphically using the plot features of the program.

## OVERVIEW

**CC-THERM** is an interactive simulation tool for the design or rating of shell and tube, doublepipe, plate and frame and air-cooled heat exchangers. This section gives an overall view of the program usage and the options available on the **CC-THERM menu** for shell and tube heat exchangers. More information on each option is provided in later sections. The input functions allow you to enter process data by using dialog boxes with context specific help. With this input facility, you can create new problem files; review the results of problems already designed, and make modifications to previously saved problems.

There are six general steps involved in running a heat exchanger analysis with **CC-THERM**. The following list illustrates the general steps.

1. Define the problem and run the flowsheet.
2. Select the **Sizing** command on the menu bar. The **Sizing Menu** will open.
3. From this menu select the **Shell & Tube option**.
4. The program will prompt you through the initial setup of the exchanger analysis. At the end of the setup process, the **CC-THERM Menu** is displayed.
5. Inspect and edit the input as desired using the menu commands.
6. Execute the program.
7. Review and printout the results.

The program performs the following tasks.

1. Performs extensive error checking.

2. Creates the streams for the use of one-sided heat exchangers, which include the condenser, reboiler, thermosyphon reboiler and pumparound.
3. Generates the heat curve for the tube and shell sides.
4. Calculates in any of the following modes:
  - i. **Design** - The inlet and outlet streams are taken from the flowsheet and the program selects the geometry and size of the exchangers (certain basic geometry specifications, such as TEMA type, must be specified by the user).
  - ii. **Rating** – The inlet and outlet streams are taken from the flowsheet and the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions. The program determines whether the exchanger is too large or too small for the given application.
  - iii. **Fouling rating** – The inlet and outlet streams are taken from the flowsheet and the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions. The program calculates the fouling factors required to obtain the specified performance from the exchanger. The inside and outside fouling factors are assumed to be equal.
  - iv. **Simulation** – In this mode the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions. The exchanger is then run as part of the flowsheet simulation. Thus, for any inlet streams coming into the exchanger, CC-THERM will calculate the outlet streams which the specified geometry would produce.
5. Generates the output for the design/analysis of the heat exchanger.
6. Provides an interactive user interface to allow the user to change the problem specifications to rerun the problem and review the results.

Creates the **CC-THERM** files to save all the input/output data for each exchanger.

## SUMMARY

As an integrated module to **CHEMCAD Suite**, **CC-THERM** offers the process engineer an easy and comprehensive method of analyzing shell and tube heat exchangers. Since it uses the same command language as **CHEMCAD**, any **CHEMCAD** user can pick up the program in a matter of minutes. The program has been thoroughly and rigorously tested over a period of years in real life situations and found to be an accurate and reliable tool. It is fully supported by a staff of trained engineers.

## CC-THERM COMMANDS

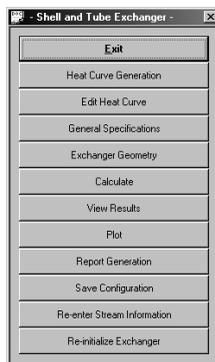
To run a tube and shell heat exchanger calculation in the **CHEMCAD Suite**, you must access the **CC-THERM** menu. This menu provides a set of commands, which are used to setup, run, review, and print out the analysis. This section describes the use of those commands in detail.

There are two procedures used to call the **CC-THERM menu**. The first method is described below (for design, rating and fouling rating calculations).

1. Run a simulation of a flowsheet containing a heat exchanger. A “heat exchanger” may be a column condenser, reboiler, or pump around as well as the process heat exchanger unit operation. **CC-THERM** must have a heat and material balance around the unit before it can rate or design it.
2. Select the **Sizing** command from the menu bar. The **Sizing menu** will open.
3. Highlight the **Heat Exchanger** option on the **Sizing menu**. A **Heat Exchanger menu** will open up.
4. Select the **Shell & Tube** option from the **Heat Exchanger menu**.
5. If a heat exchanger is not currently “selected”, the program will ask you to select one. If a heat exchanger is currently “selected” on the flowsheet, the program will assume this is the unit you want to design or rate.
6. If the selected heat exchanger has never been analyzed before, **CC-THERM** will walk you through the input procedure. This will involve identifying the tubeside stream (the shellside stream is then inferred), specifying utility streams (if necessary), and completing a series of dialog boxes. Once these have been completed (or at least **viewed**), the **CC-THERM menu** will appear.

If the selected heat exchanger has been analyzed before, this walk through procedure will be skipped and the **CC-THERM menu** will appear immediately.

The **CC-THERM menu** looks like this:



The options on this menu are briefly described below and more fully described in the following sections bearing the option as title.

It is possible to use CC-THERM directly in a CC-STEADY STATE or CC-DYNAMICS flowsheet simulation. This feature is called the “Simulation Mode” and is set up inside the HTXR module. In this mode the user must describe the exchanger geometry and dimensions to CHEMCAD. When the simulation comes around to the HTXR UnitOp, CC-THERM takes the inlet streams data and uses the specified geometry to determine how much heat is transferred, what the pressure drops are, and

therefore what the outlet streams are. Thus the operation of a heat exchanger in a flowsheet simulation can be based upon heat transfer principles rather than solely upon thermodynamic specifications.

The simulation mode of CC-THERM is invoked when specifying an HTXR from within CC-STEADY STATE. The input procedure is outlined below.

1. Open the **Heat Exchanger (HTXR) dialog box**.

The dialog box is titled "- Heat Exchanger (HTXR) -" and has three tabs: "Specifications", "Misc. Settings", and "Cost Estimations". The "Specifications" tab is selected. It contains the following fields and options:

- Calculation Modes:** A dropdown menu set to "0 Enter specifications (CHEMCAD simulation)".
- Simulation mode:** A dropdown menu set to "0 Enter specifications (CHEMCAD simulation)".
- Backcalc mode (for Autocalc):** A dropdown menu set to "0 No back calculation".
- Utility option:** A dropdown menu set to "0 Utility Option Off".
- Pressure Drops: (defaults=0)**
  - Stream 1: 2 psi
  - Stream 3: 0.5 psi
- ID:** 1
- Enter one specification only:**
  - Temperature stream 2: [ ] F
  - Temperature stream 4: [ ] F
  - Vapor fraction stream 2: [ ]
  - Vapor fraction stream 4: [ ]
  - Subcooling stream 2: [ ] F
  - Subcooling stream 4: [ ] F
  - Superheat stream 2: [ ] F
  - Superheat stream 4: [ ] F
  - Heat duty: 50 MMBtu/h
  - Heat transfer coeff. and area specification:
    - Heat transfer coeff. (U): [ ] Btu/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F
    - Area/shell: [ ] ft<sup>2</sup>
  - Delta temperature specifications:
    - Min. delta temperature: [ ] F
    - Hot outlet - cold inlet: [ ] F
    - Hot inlet - cold outlet: [ ] F
    - Stream 2 - stream 4: [ ] F
    - Stream 2 - stream 1: [ ] F
    - Stream 4 - stream 3: [ ] F
- Buttons: Help, Cancel, OK.

2. Select **Simulation Mode 1 (Enter Geometry CC-THERM Simulation)** or **2 (CC-THERM fouling factor rating)**. All other fields of the dialog box will "gray out", making them inaccessible.
3. Click **[OK]**. The **Heat Exchanger Simulation Menu** will open:



4. Enter the exchanger geometry details by completing all of the dialog boxes listed on the menu. Each dialog box is opened by clicking on the appropriate button of the **Heat Exchanger Simulation Menu**.
5. When all dialog boxes have been completed, click **[OK]** to return the menu and then click the **Exit button** on the menu to return to CC-STEADY STATE.

## DATA ENTRY IN CC-THERM

You will be entering data about your heat exchanger through the **CC-THERM dialog boxes**. You should note the **CHEMCAD** input rules apply. Please refer to the **CHEMCAD User's Guide** for the details of all input connections and dialog boxes.

**Heat Curve Generation** – The heat exchanger analysis calculation takes place in two steps. First, the heat curve is generated, then the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations are performed. **Heat Curve Generation** performs the former calculations. This calculation determines the flows, physical properties of the heat transfer fluids in each side of the exchanger. These properties are then used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations. **Heat curve generation** is therefore a necessary prerequisite to the rest of the calculations.

**Edit Heat Curve** – This option enables the user to change the heat curve values calculated by **CC-THERM**, allowing the user to override the program.

**General Specifications** – This option is used to define basic exchanger parameters such as TEMA type (configuration), allowable pressure drops, fouling factors, maximum velocities, which heat transfer and pressure drop equations are to be used, and the calculation rate of the analysis.

**Exchanger Geometry** – Selecting this option allows the user to provide physical dimensions and orientations for the shell, tubes, baffles, nozzles, and clearances. It also allows the user to make material specifications.

**Calculate** – This is used to execute the thermal analysis and pressure drop calculations.

**View Results** – This item is used to view the calculated results interactively.

**Plot** – This option enables the user to graphically display a variety of heat curve, heat transfer, and pressure drop information on a zone-by-zone basis.

**Report Generation** – This command is used to generate hardcopies of tabulated reports. The user can select which information is to be included in the final report.

**Save Configuration** – This saves the current data.

**Re-enter Stream Information** – When a one-sided heat exchanger is selected from the **CHEMCAD FLOWSHEET FOR DESIGN/RATING**, THE USER MUST PROVIDE INFORMATION DEFINING THE SECOND SIDE IN ORDER FOR AN ANALYSIS TO BE PERFORMED. This is initially done in the “**Heat Curve Generation**” step. This command enables the user to change this second stream information.

**Re-initialize Exchanger** – This command completely deletes all data regarding the currently selected heat exchanger and restarts the input process.

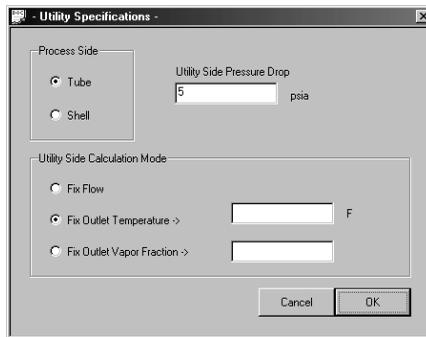
Field by field descriptions of these options are provided below.

## UTILITY STREAMS

If the heat exchanger uses a utility stream (for one sided-heat exchanger, reboiler, condenser or pumparound), **CC-THERM** will prompt for information defining this stream and its conditions.

The inlet composition and thermodynamic conditions are specified using a **Stream dialog box** just as in **CHEMCAD**. The program will calculate the utility flowrate, but an initial guess must be given.

The utility stream flowrate is calculated based upon the heat duty of the exchanger and the outlet conditions of the stream. The outlet conditions are specified using the following dialog box:

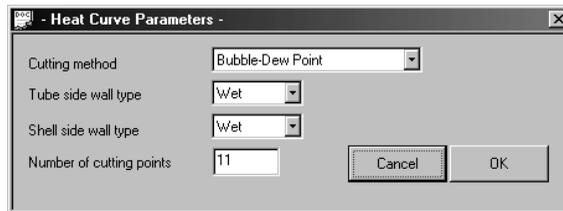


Specify only one of the following:

- Fix Flow: The flowrate will be the flow specified in the **Streams dialog box**.
- Fix Outlet Temperature: The outlet temperature of the utility stream.
- Fix Outlet Vapor Fraction: The outlet vapor fraction of the utility stream.

## HEAT CURVE GENERATION

Selecting this option will cause the **Heat Curve Parameters dialog box** to appear:



This dialog box contains commands that allow you to enter the data necessary to calculate the heat curves for the exchanger. It is important to note that if you have made any changes to the streams or heat exchanger units within **CHEMCAD**, you will receive a warning from **CC-THERM** recommending that you recalculate the heat curve to reflect those changes.

## HEAT CURVE INPUT

**CUTTING METHOD** – The heat curve may be set up in zones of:

1. Equal enthalpy between dew points and bubble points;
2. Equal enthalpy.

The default is options (1), equal enthalpy between the dew points and bubble points. If the dew points and bubble points are not within the temperature range of this heat exchanger, then this becomes the equal enthalpy method.

The heat exchanger itself is modeled as a zone-by-zone heat transfer process, and the whole path of the heat transfer route will be cut into  $n$  zones, where  $n$  is input by the user. The default value of  $n$  is 10.

The **bubble point-dew point method** finds the dew points and bubble points first, and divides the region between them into  $x$  zones of equal enthalpy. If super heat is present, it is put into one zone by itself. If subcooling exists, it is also put into a zone by itself.

The **enthalpy method** calculates the temperature and the flow profiles by generating the corresponding physical properties based on uniform enthalpy and pressure profiles.

**WALL TYPE** – The options available are described below:

**Wet wall condensing [Default]** occurs whenever condensation occurs immediately at the inlet when the first gas strikes the tubes. This would obviously occur if the entering fluid were at or below its dewpoint. However, in many cases, the bulk fluid is above its dewpoint, but still condenses when it hits the tubewall because the tubewall is so cold. In other words, the local condition at the tubewall is different than the bulk conditions.

When wet wall condensing occurs, **CC-THERM** applies the following rules during the computation of Zone 1:

- a. If the inlet temperature is above the dewpoint, the LMTD is taken against the dewpoint temperature of the fluid. If the inlet temperature is at or below the dewpoint, the actual inlet temperature is always used in the LMTD calculation.
- b. A condensing coefficient is always used even if the bulk fluid is superheated. Wet wall condensing is the usual condition for a condenser.

**Dry wall condensing** occurs when the amount of superheat is sufficient so that condensation does not occur at the tubewall until the fluid cools down. When this happens, **CC-THERM** applies the following rules during the computation of Zone 1:

- a. The LMTD is always calculated using the actual fluid inlet temperature.
- b. A gas coefficient is computed for Zone 1.

**NUMBER OF CUTTING POINTS** – The entry here determines the number of zones which will be used for the heat transfer analysis.  $n$  zones requires  $n+1$  cut points (the entrance to the first zone, plus the outlet of all  $n$  zones). These are thermodynamic zones, not physical zones. The default is 11 cut points or 10 zones.

## EDIT HEAT CURVES

This option is used to modify the values **CHEMCAD** calculated for the heat curve. To change a value, you simply type over it. The heat curve data will be displayed in a dialog box like that shown below:

	Pressure (psia)	Temp (F)	DelH (MMBtu/h)	Vapor (lb/h)	Liquid (lb/h)	L
1	195	23.06114	0	106274.6	0	0
2	195.5	28.31447	0.2791312	106274.6	0	0
3	196	33.55482	0.5582623	106274.6	0	0
4	196.5	38.78294	0.8373936	106274.6	0	0
5	197	43.99846	1.116525	106274.6	0	0
6	197.5	49.20027	1.395656	106274.6	0	0
7	198	54.38872	1.674787	106274.6	0	0
8	198.5	59.56316	1.953918	106274.6	0	0
9	199	64.72368	2.233049	106274.6	0	0
10	199.5	69.86894	2.512181	106274.6	0	0
11	200	75	2.791312	106274.6	0	0

This dialog box scrolls to the left (using the elevator bar at the bottom) to display additional values.

To save your changes, click the **[OK]** BUTTON.

If blank fields are left between entered values, the program will use linear interpolation to fill them in.

**GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS**

The **General Specifications dialog box** is provided to permit you to define the general calculation parameters such as calculation mode, heat transfer type, allowable pressure drops, etc. The General Information dialog box appears as follows.

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**General Specifications -**

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Calculation mode: Rating

TEMA class/ standard: TEMA R

TEMA front end head: A - Channel & Removable Cover

TEMA shell type: E - One Pass

TEMA rear end head: L - Fixed Tubesheet (A head)

--- TUBE SIDE --- | --- SHELL SIDE ---

Stream name: |

Process type: Sensible Flow | Sensible Flow

Fouling factor: 0.001 hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F/Btu | 0.001 hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F/Btu

Coefficient: | Btu/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F

Buttons: Help, Cancel, OK

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**General Specifications -**

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**TUBE SIDE METHODS**

Laminar Flow: Eubank-Proctor

Turbulent Flow: Program Select

Single phase frictional pressure drop: Chen

Two phase frictional pressure drop: Lockhart Correlation

Void fraction: Premoli et. al. Model

Vertical condensation: VDI Film

Falling film evaporation: Hewitt et al.

**SHELL SIDE METHODS**

Single phase: Stream Analysis

No vapor shear condensation, Horizontal: Nusselt

Vapor shear condensation, Horizontal: McNaught

**ORIENTATION**

Multicomponents correlation

Use parallel flow model if shell diameter < baffle

Sub-Cooling flow pattern: liquid-stratified

Warming level: 2

Buttons: Help, Load default methods, Cancel, OK

These fields are described below.

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**Calculation mode** – There are three calculation modes, design, rating, and fouling rating. In the design mode, **CC-THERM** may be used to size an exchanger, i.e., calculate the optimum shell size, number of tube passes, number of baffles, baffle cut, etc. This mode is called the *Design Mode*. When in the design mode, the minimum information required to make a run is TEMA type, process type, fouling factors, number of tube passes, and allowable pressure drops. Tube pattern and size are defaulted to

triangular, 3/4-inch, 16 BWG. Clearances are set to TEMA. Any variable, which you want to override and any information over and above the minimum may also be supplied. The program will hold these fixed while optimizing the remaining information. In the rating mode, area excess is calculated. In the fouling rating mode, tube and/or shell side fouling factors can be determined for given flow and exchanger geometry.

**CC-THERM** may also be used to rate an existing exchanger. In this mode, all the key variables must be defined. The program checks to see if the exchanger defined will work in the given application. You must define the TEMA type, process type, shell ID, number of tube passes, baffle spacing and cut and the number of tubes. Unless overridden, **CC-THERM** will default to 3/4-inch, 16 BWG tubes and TEMA clearances.

***Note:** If you run an exchanger in Design mode, then switch to Rating mode, the program will automatically read in key data for the Exchanger menus. This only works directly after a run is performed; it will not work if you switch units, switch case studies, or exit the program between running the Design and switching to a Rating.*

**TEMA class** - The class is in accordance with the Tubular Exchanger Manufacturer's Association (TEMA). When not running according to TEMA, other options are available. These standards refer mostly to the mechanical details of the exchanger. Consequently, the thermal design and analysis of the exchanger are not heavily influenced by this parameter.

The mechanical class (TEMA Class) affects the thermal calculation in two ways.

1. If affects the tube-sheet sizing calculation. **CC-THERM** will compute the approximate thickness of the tubesheet. This is necessary to determine the effective area for heat transfer. The portion of the tube covered by the tubesheet will not be available for heat transfer. The mechanical class specifies which rules are to be used to size the tubesheet.
2. The class will also determine what standard commercial sizes are available for various components of the exchanger. For instance, standard pipe shells would be different using TEMA (American) or DIN (German) standards. The pipe shell ID's would then affect the tube count and, thus, the area available for heat transfer.

TEMA R

TEMA B

TEMA C

ASME

DIN A.D. Merkblatter

British Standard 5500

Non-standard **TEMA front head** - The following selections are available under this option.

A = Channel and Removable Cover

B = Bonnet

C = Removable Bundle

D = Special High Pressure Closure

N = Channel with Tubesheet and Removable Cover

**TEMA shell type** - The following selection is available under this option.

E = One Pass

F = Two Pass

G = Split Flow

H = Double Split Flow

J = Divided Flow

K = Kettle Reboiler

X = crossflow shell

**TEMA rear head** - The following selections are available under this option.

L = Fixed Tubesheet (A head)

M = Fixed Tubesheet (B head)

N = Fixed Tubesheet (N head)

P = Outside Packed Flt Head

S = Flt Head with Backing Device

T = Pull Through Flt Head

U = U-Tube Bundle

W = Exit sealed Flt Tubesheet

**Stream name** – Optional stream names may be entered for the shell and tube sides of the heat exchanger. These names are only used for reporting purposes.

**Process type** - You must determine the process type on both the shell and tube sides. The process type specifies which heat transfer mechanism is to be used when calculating the film coefficients. For instance, while it is obvious that **CC-THERM** will know when there is evaporation on the tubeside, it will not know if that evaporation is forced, falling film, or thermosyphon. You must define which evaporation mechanism is to be used. The following process types are accommodated.

<b>Tubeside</b>	<b>Shellside</b>
Sensible flow	Sensible flow
Horizontal condensation	Horizontal condensation
Vertical condensation	Vertical Condensation
Knock-back condensation	Forced Evaporation
Forced evaporation	Pool evaporation
Falling film evaporation	Horizontal thermosyphon
Vertical thermosyphon	

**Fouling factor** - Input of this variable is required. It is a thermal resistance included to account for the fouling. Its value is arbitrary and defines how often you want to clean the tubes. The default is 0.001 in English units on both sides.

**Coefficient** - Input of this variable is optional. If one wants to specify shell or tube side film heat transfer coefficient, he or she could enter the value in the corresponding field. The program will take this value in calculating the overall heat transfer coefficient. In case of zone-by-zone analysis, this value will be used in calculating the local overall heat transfer coefficient for each zone.

## THE MODELING METHODS TAB

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### Tubeside Methods:

**Laminar Flow**— This option defines which equation is to be used to calculate the sensible heat transfer film coefficient for laminar flow on the tubeside. The options are:

Eubank-Proctor	Reference S9
VDI—Mean Nusselt Number	Reference S13

**Turbulent Flow**— This option specifies which method is to be used to calculate the tubeside film coefficient for sensible, turbulent flow on the tubeside, the options are:

Program Select:	Let <b>CC-THERM</b> select the most appropriate method base upon the turbulent flow conditions.
Seader-Tate:	Reference No. S1
Colburn Method:	Reference No. S2
Dittus-Boelter:	Reference No. S2
ESDU Method:	Reference No. S17
Mean VDI Nusselt:	Reference No. S18

**Single Phase Frictional Pressure Drop** - This identifies the method to be used to calculate the tubeside frictional pressure drop. The options are:

The Blasius Equation	See Reference No. S15
Chen's Method	See Reference No. S16

**Two Phase Frictional Pressure Drop** - This options permits the user to select the method to be used to calculate the two-phase pressure drop. This method is used for both the tubeside and the shellside. The options are:

Lockhart-Martinell:	See Reference No. C18
Friedal (CISE method):	See Reference No. E6 and E8
Chisholm Method:	See Reference No. C19

**Void Fraction** - The void fraction model is used to calculate the two-phase flow void fraction for the calculation of two-phase pressure drop. The options are:

Premoli, et. al.:	See Reference No. E17
Homogeneous Model:	See Reference No. C19
Lockhart & Martinelli:	See Reference No. E6 and E8

**Vertical Condensation** - The options are:

The Chemstations Method:	See Reference No. C24
The VDI Method:	See Reference No. C25

**Falling Film Evaporation** - The options are:

Hewitt et. al.:	See Reference No. E25
VDI:	See Reference No. E26

#### **Shellside Methods:**

**Single Phase** - This option selects which method is to be used to calculate the shellside pressure drops and film coefficients for sensible flow. The options are:

Stream-analysis Method:	Reference No. S4, S14, S15, S16
Bell-Delaware Method:	Reference No. S3
Kern Method	Reference No. S2

**No Vapor Shear Condensation, Horizontal** - The laminar condensation model is used to calculate the condensing film coefficient for laminar flow. The available options are:

The Kern's Method:	See Reference No. S2
The Nusselt:	See Reference No. C20
The Eisenberg:	See Reference No. C20

**Vapor Shear Condensation, Horizontal** - The turbulent condensation model is used to calculate the condensing film coefficient in turbulent flow. The available options are:

Nusselt:	See Reference No. C20
The McNaught Method:	See Reference No. C21
Taborek Method:	See Reference No. C22

**Multicomponent Correlation** - Selecting this option applies the Silver-Bell-Ghaly procedure to the calculation of non-isothermal (i.e., multicomponent) condensation. The presence of the checkmark means that the SBG Method will be used. This is the default. References: C1, C2

**Use Parallel Flow Model If Shell Diameter < Baffle Spacing** – If this option is checked, the program will use parallel flow model for shell side computation when shell diameter is less than center baffle spacing. However, the crossing flow model is always used when shell diameter is greater than center baffle spacing. It is suggested to check this option if baffle spacing is far greater than shell diameter. Leave this option unchecked when running design.

**Subcooling Flow Pattern** – Choose from stratified or filled pipe liquid flow. This option applies only to condensers.

The liquid filled model assumes that after the bulk dew point is reached, the tube is completely filled with liquid. Therefore, in subcooling zones, the velocities and film coefficients are low. This is a very conservative method.

In the liquid stratified flow model local subcooling occurs before the bulk dew point is reached. Therefore, the flow is stratified even in the subcooling zones. The nature of the stratification depends on whether the exchanger is vertical or horizontal.

**Orientation** – Select from Horizontal or Vertical.

**Warning level** – Specify an integer between 0 and 3. Default is 2. The value controls suppression of warning messages during **CC-THERM** calculation.

- 0 all warning messages are suppressed
- 1 most warning messages are suppressed
- 2 few warning messages are suppressed
- 3 no warning messages are suppressed

## THE DESIGN OPTIONS DIALOG BOX

If the design option is selected on the **General Information dialog box**, then when this dialog box is closed, the **Design Options dialog box** will appear. The purpose of this dialog box is to allow the user to constrain the sizing calculation to specified boundaries. The dialog box looks like this:

Design Criteria		
Allowable tube pressure drop	5	psi
Allowable shell pressure drop	5	psi
Allowable tube velocity	250	ft/sec
Allowable shell velocity	250	ft/sec
Prefer tube length/shell diameter ratio	12	
Minimum excess %	-5	

Limits of Design Variables		
	Lower Limits	Upper Limits
Tube Length	3	20
Shell Diameter	0.5	10
Baffle Cut	15	45
Baffle Spacing	0.166667	10.4167

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**Allowable tube pressure drop:** An entry in this field forces the program to select an exchanger which keeps the tubeside pressure drop (including the pressure drop through the nozzles) below this value. An entry must be made. The default is 5 psi.

**Allowable shell pressure drop:** An entry in this field forces the program to select an exchanger which keeps the shellside pressure drop (including the pressure drop through the nozzles) below this value. An entry must be made. The default is 5 psi.

**Allowable tube velocity:** An entry in this field forces the program to select an exchanger which keeps the tubeside velocity below this value. An entry must be made. The default depends upon the vapor fraction of the fluid, but will always be displayed when you first enter the dialog box.

**Allowable shell velocity:** An entry in this field forces the program to select an exchanger which keeps the shellside velocity below this value. An entry must be made. The default depends upon the vapor fraction of the fluid, but will always be displayed when you first enter the dialog box.

**Prefer tube length/shell diameter ratio:** CC-THERM will attempt to select an exchanger which is close to this ratio, i.e., the value of the tube length divided by the value of the inside shell diameter. Frequently it is not possible to match this constraint and all of the other constraints made on the design, therefore the approach to this value is sometimes not very close.

**Minimum excess %:** This is the "safety factor" field. The selected exchanger must have at least this much extra heat transfer surface area if an entry is made in this field. Other constraints must still be met. Entry in this field is optional and the default is 0%.

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## SIZING NOZZLES

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If these fields are checked (default), then the program will size the nozzles during the design calculation. If these fields are blank, then the user must specify the nozzle sizes on the **Nozzles dialog box**, which is on the **Exchanger Geometry Menu**.

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## LIMITS OF DESIGN VARIABLES

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These entries limit the allowable dimensions which the program can choose from when searching for an exchanger which will meet the design criteria. The program must stay between the lower and upper limits of each of the variables.

**Tube Length:** This is the installed tube length including that portion covered by the tubesheet(s). Therefore, not all of this length will be available for heat transfer.

**Shell Diameter:** This is the nominal diameter of the shell if a pipe shell is being used and the inside diameter of the shell if rolled plate is being used.

**Baffle Cut:** This specification is in percent and can be based on diameter (default) or area depending on what is specified on the **Baffles dialog box** on the **Exchanger Geometry Menu**.

**Baffle Spacing:** This is the distance between baffles. The unsupported tube length is twice this value.

**Optimize number of passes:** Check this option to have the program optimize the number of tube of passes when doing a design calculation for shell and tube heat exchangers.

### THE THERMOSYPHON REBOILER DIALOG BOX

If your heat exchanger is a thermosyphon reboiler, then you may want the program to calculate the amount of fluid circulating through the syphon. This calculation requires knowledge of the inlet and outlet piping geometrics as well as of the available static head. The **Thermosyphon Reboiler dialog box** is designed to collect this information. It will open whenever you close the **General Information dialog box** only if you are designing or rating a thermosyphon.

The **Thermosyphon Reboiler dialog box** looks like this:

**Thermosyphon Reboiler Specifications**

Calculate circulation rate

Outlet mol vapor fraction: 0.0126157

Outlet elevation: 10 ft

Inlet static head: 8 ft

Number of inlet nozzles: 1

Number of outlet nozzles: 1

Number of inlet elbows: 2

Number of outlet elbows: 2

**Inlet pipe**

Length: 25 ft

Diameter: 1.66667 ft

Thickness: 0.03125 ft

**Outlet pipe**

Length: 25 ft

Diameter: 2.33333 ft

Thickness: 0.03125 ft

Set all to default      Cancel      OK

Most of these fields describe the reboiler inlet and outlet piping. This description, along with the specified static head determines the recirculation rate. The available static head (labeled "Inlet Static Head" in the dialog box) is the height of the liquid in the bottom of the column above the reboiler inlet tubesheet.

The fields are described below.

**Calculate Circulation Rate:** This field (located at the upper left of the dialog box), if checked, tells the program to calculate the thermosyphon fluid recirculation by matching the system pressure drop to the specified Inlet Static Head. This requires the program to iterate upon the inlet liquid flowrate of the reboiler.

If this field is not checked, then CC-THERM will make no attempt to calculate the recirculation rate. The reboiler inlet flowrate will be that taken from the flowsheet simulation.

**Outlet Mol Vapor Fraction:** This is the vapor fraction of the reboiler outlet stream. It must be specified on a molar basis.

If the circulation rate is to be calculated, this value is calculated by the program. The initial value used by the calculation is taken from the heat curve.

If the circulation rate is not to be calculated, then this value can be specified by the user. The heat balance at this vapor fraction will then set the inlet liquid flowrate. The pressure drop associated with this process flowrate will be calculated, but no attempt will be made to match the available static head. The default value is always taken from the heat curve.

**Outlet Elevation:** The outlet elevation is the elevation difference between the reboiler outlet nozzle(s) and the return nozzle to the column.

**Inlet Static Head:** This is the elevation difference between the surface of the liquid in the bottom of the column and the "inlet" tubesheet closest to the inlet nozzle.

This value is specified in the height of process liquid. If the thermosyphon circulation rate is to be calculated by the program, then this field must be specified. For this reason, the program always provides some default. The circulation rate calculation will vary the reboiler inlet flowrate until the calculated pressure drop from the column outlet nozzle to the column return nozzle matches the specified inlet static head.

**No. of Inlet Nozzles:** This is the number of the inlet nozzles on the process side of the reboiler itself. If the thermosyphon is vertical, you will always want to use a one in this field. However, horizontal or shell side thermosyphons may have more than one inlet nozzle depending upon the TEMA shell type. CC-THERM will not automatically pick up this value, so if it is other than one, you will need to enter it. Multiple inlet nozzles affect the performance of the process side pressure drop calculation.

**No. of Outlet Nozzles:** This is the number of outlet nozzles on the process side of the reboilers itself. If the thermosyphon is vertical, this will almost always be one (the default). However, horizontal or shell-side thermosyphon may have more than one inlet nozzle depending on the TEMA shell type. CC-THERM will not automatically pick up this value, so if it is other than one, you will need to enter it. Multiple outlet nozzles affect the performance of the process side pressure drop calculation.

**No. of Inlet Elbows:** Specify the number of ninety degree turns in the piping going from the bottom of the column to the reboiler inlet nozzle(s). The default is two. The resistance for this number of standard, 90<sup>0</sup> elbows will be added to the inlet pipe length specified below when the pressure drop calculations are performed.

**No. of Outlet Elbows:** Specify the number of 90<sup>0</sup> turns in the outlet piping going from the reboiler outlet nozzle(s) to the column return nozzle. The default is one. The resistance for this number of 90<sup>0</sup> elbows will be added to the outlet pipe length specified below when the pressure drops are calculated.

**Safety Factor:** This value is only relevant if the circulation rate is not to be calculated. The safety factor is multiplied by the calculated pressure drop to arrive at the final pressure drop.

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## INLET PIPE

**Length:** Specify the length (or total equivalent length of all flow resistances) of the inlet pipe (from the column outlet nozzle to the reboiler inlet nozzle). The default value is 15 feet.

**Diameter:** Specify the inlet piping diameter. The default value is the reboiler inlet nozzle diameter if known. This is the outside diameter.

**Thickness:** Specify the wall thickness of the inlet piping.

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## OUTLET PIPE

**Length:** Specify the length (or total equivalent length of all flow resistance) of the outlet piping (from the reboiler outlet nozzle(s) to the column return nozzle). The default value is 10 feet.

**Diameter:** Specify the outlet piping diameter. The default value is the reboiler outlet nozzle diameter if known. This is the outside diameter.

**Thickness:** Specify the wall thickness of the outlet piping.

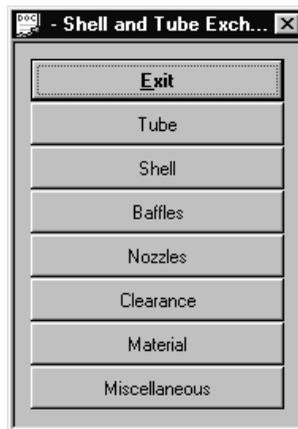
Neither the safety factor nor the required static head is used in the determination of the required calculation rate.

**Set all to default:** Clicking on this button restores the default values for all fields the **Thermosyphon Reboiler dialog box**.

## EXCHANGER GEOMETRY

The **Exchanger Geometry** option is normally used in the rating case only. Its purpose is to permit the user to make detailed specifications concerning the dimensions and arrangement of the heat exchanger.

Selecting this option will cause the **Exchanger Geometry Menu** to appear like so:



Each of the above displays options call an input dialog box through which the detailed information is provided.

## TUBES

The **Tubes Parameter dialog box** is used to define tube and tube arrangement information. The **Tubes Parameter dialog box** appears as follows:

Field	Value	Unit
Number of tubes	500	
Number of tube passes	1	
Tube outer diameter	0.0625	ft
Tube wall thickness	0.00541667	ft
Tube length	6	ft
Internal roughness	0.0001	
Tube pattern	Rotated Triangular (60)	
Tube pitch	0.078125	ft
Trufin tube code	Plain tube	
Turbulator	No Turbulator	

These fields are described below.

**Number of tubes** - This field should only be used for a rating case, in which case its entry is mandatory. It may happen that you will input a given number of tubes which you know will fit in a given size shell, but the program refuses to run and returns the message that a larger shell size must be used. In this case, you should go to the **Clearances dialog box** and input the diametrical gap between the shell internal diameter and the bundle outer tube limit diameter. When this is done, the program will accept your tube count input. Care must be taken when this option is used since it is possible to force the program to accept an unrealistic situation. This field is not read for a design case.

**Number of tube passes** - The number of tube passes is mandatory for a rating case. For the full design case, it is recommended that you allow the program to optimize the number of tube passes. If you have a situation where there is a large temperature cross between the shellside and tubeside, thus forcing the need for counter-current flow, it is advisable to fix the number of passes to one (or two, if using an **F** shell). The program will tolerate an LMTD correction factor down to .5; below this value, the program will stop with an error message. At LMTD correction factors below 0.5, it is thermodynamically impossible to achieve the stated process conditioning.

**Tube outer diameter** - The tube diameter is an optional input. If no value is input, the program defaults to a diameter of 3/4-inch (19.05-mm) outside diameter tubes.

**Tube wall thickness** - The wall thickness input is optional. If no value is input, the program defaults to BWG 16 (.065-inches or 1.65-mm).

**Tube length** - This field is a mandatory input for a rating case. For a design case, it is best to let the program optimize the tube length. When optimizing the tube length, the program starts with a minimum length of 6 feet (1.83 meters) for small exchangers (D = 6-inches, 160-mm) and gradually works up to a maximum length of 20 feet or 6.1 meters for shell sizes of 14-inches (350-mm) and above. If you need the program to try lengths over (or different from) 20 feet (6.1 meters) and yet not have to fix the length, you should use the **Shell Parameters dialog box** to specify multiple shells in series.

**Internal roughness** – Enter the roughness factor for the inside of the tube. This value is used in the frictional pressure loss calculation. The default is 0.00015.

**Tube pattern** - The following selection is available under this option.

Triangular (30)

Rotated Triangular (60) [Default]

Square (90)

Diamond (45)

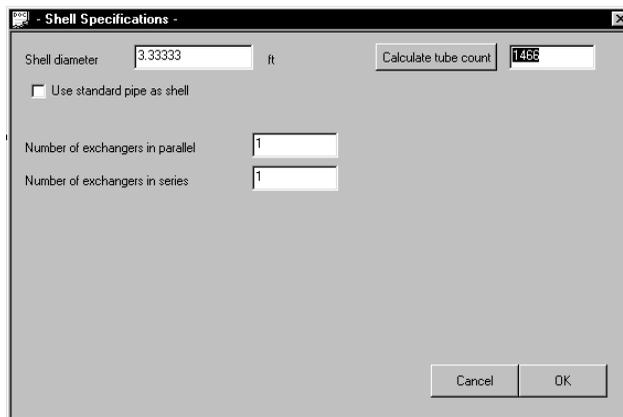
**Tube pitch** - The units are in inches or mm. The tube pitch is the distance between tube centers. The default is 1.25 x tube diameter.

**Trufin tube code** - To use fintubes, select the appropriate type from the drop-down list. Data for fintubes is stored in a databank in the CC5 directory. The default is bare tubes.

**Turbulator** - To use turbulators (static mixing elements), select the appropriate type from the drop-down list.

## SHELL

The purpose of the **Shell Specifications dialog box** is to define shell information. The **Shell Specifications dialog box** appears as follows



These fields are described below.

**Shell diameter** - Input generally is not made in this field if you are making a design run. If you are rating an exchanger, this field must be input.

If you are using a pipe shell, the diameter in this field will be the nominal diameter. If you are using a rolled shell, the diameter will be the internal diameter.

When in the design mode, the program will use a pipe shell diameter up to 24-inches and, thereafter, will use a rolled shell.

When making a design run and using ASME (but not TEMA) or BS 5500 as the class for the exchanger, the program begins the design algorithm with a 2-inch (50-mm) shell diameter. When using DIN, the program starts with a 4-inch (100-mm) shell diameter and when using TEMA, the program starts with an 8-inch (200-mm) shell diameter.

**Use standard pipe as shell** - This may become an important option when you are rating an exchanger. The default for this option is no (field is blank); that is, the program assumes the shell to be rolled-plate when in the rating mode. For rolled plate shell, the specified shell diameter is taken to be the actual (exact) internal diameter. If you place a check mark in this field (by clicking on it) and the program is in the rating mode, the diameter input is construed to be the nominal diameter. If the user does not invoke this option, the diameter input on the Shell menu is construed to be the internal diameter.

This option becomes irrelevant in the design mode since the program has fixed defaults depending on the size of the exchanger. If the shell material is carbon steel [Default], the program assumes a pipe shell up to a 24-inch diameter. If the shell material is stainless or low-alloy steel, the program will assume a pipe shell up to a 12-inch diameter.

**Number of shells in parallel** - The default is one (1). Any positive integer number is allowed.

**Number of shells in series** - The default is one (1). Any positive integer number is allowed.

**Calculate tube count** - This button runs a tool for determining how many tubes will fit into shell diameter.

## BAFFLES

The purpose of the **Baffle Specifications dialog box** is to permit you to define baffle geometry. This information is optional when in the design mode but it is required for a rating. The **Baffles Specifications dialog box** appears as follows.

The screenshot shows the 'Baffle Specifications' dialog box with the following settings:

- Baffle type: Single segmental
- Inlet spacing: 1.66667 ft
- Center spacing: 2 ft
- Outlet spacing: 2.33333 ft
- Baffle thickness: 0.0105 ft
- Baffle cut percent: 41.25 percent
- Direction of baffle cut: Vertical
- Basis of cut: Diameter
- Tube sheet thickness: (empty) ft
- Impingement plate: Use impingement plates
- Number of intermediate baffles: (empty)

These fields are described below.

**Baffle type** - Any of the following baffle configurations may be selected.

Single segmental baffle (default)

Double segmental baffle

Triple segmental baffle

No tubes in window

Disk & Donut

Rod

Single segmental baffle is the default. Generally speaking, the higher the baffle segmentation, the lower the shellside pressure drop and heat transfer coefficient. Double and triple segmental baffles lower velocities and therefore pressure drops and film coefficients as well.

No-tubes-in-window and rod baffles are used when high gas velocities on the shellside are producing vibration problems. Both effectively lower velocities while maintaining short tube spans, resulting in lower tube natural frequencies.

**Inlet spacing**

This is the spacing between the front tubesheet and the first baffle. The program will calculate this spacing if left blank.

**Center spacing**

This is a mandatory input if you are making a rating case. If making a design run, the program will optimize on this parameter.

**Outlet spacing**

This is the spacing between the last baffle and the rear tubesheet. The program will calculate this value if left blank.

**Baffle thickness**

The baffle thickness affects the effective area of the tube and the vibration analysis. The default is indicated.

**Baffle cut percent**

The program assumes that the cut is a percent of the diameter. If the cut is based on area, you should indicate such in the field below. If the baffle is a rod baffle or a full circle type, then place a  $\emptyset$  in this field.

**X Overlap**

This is the amount of overlap for double segmental and triple segmental baffles. X is the overlap distance. X-overlap field will appear only if you select double or triple segmental baffles.

**Tubesheet thickness**

This is the thickness of the tubesheet.

**Direction of baffle cut**

The following selections are available under this option:

Vertical cut

Horizontal cut [Default]

Diagonal cut

<b>Basis of cut</b>	The following selection is available under this option. Diameter Area
<b>Impingement plate</b>	<p>Selecting "Let program decide" will allow the program to determine if an impingement plate is necessary using the rules of TEMA. Using Impingement Plate or No Impingement Plate will force the use or exclusion of an impingement plate.</p> <p>When it is not practical to fit an impingement plate inside or outside a shell, a vapor belt could be used to reduce entrance momentum of high speed vapor at inlet nozzle. CCTHERM allows use of box type vapor belt as impingement device. One may refer to the figure 9 on page 4.2.5-8 of HEDH. Three input variables are Belt diameter, Port hole diameter, and Belt width.</p> <p>Belt diameter should be specified larger than shell diameter, otherwise a value of shell diameter plus half of nozzle diameter will be used. Port hole diameter is the diameter of the hole on the shell continuous through which vapor enters the shell. If more than one hole or non round hole is used, an area equivalent diameter may be specified. If not specified, the value of nozzle diameter will be used for the port hole diameter. Belt width should be specified greater than nozzle diameter, other wise a value twice of nozzle diameter will be used for the width in the calculation of vapor belt pressure drop.</p>
<b>Number of intermediate Baffles</b>	You should input the number of intermediate baffles to be used when using <b>No Tubes-in-Windows</b> baffles. Vibration problems on the exchanger shellside warrant the use of intermediate baffles so as to shorten the unsupported tube length and thus increase the natural frequency of the tube bundle.

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## NOZZLES

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The purpose of the **Nozzles Specifications dialog box** is to permit you to specify nozzle sizes or information to be used by the program in sizing the nozzles. In the default condition, **CC-THERM** will size the nozzles whether you are in the design or rating mode. In the sizing calculation, the program will attempt to take 25% of the specified allowable pressure drop across the nozzles unless velocity limits are exceeded; in which case it will take less. The **Nozzles Specifications dialog box** appears as follows.

These fields are described below.

**Nozzle diameter** - This diameter is the nominal diameter in all cases. Even if making a rating, it is not obligatory to input the nozzle diameter, as the program will calculate them if this information is omitted.

**Longneck** - If the nozzles are to be longneck, enter a check mark in this field by clicking on it. The default is no.

**Orientation** - This is the orientation of the shellside nozzles. The options are:

- Opposite side
- Same side

The default for this field is to have the nozzles placed on the opposite side of the exchanger. If you want to have them located on the same side, the user should select **same side**. This will effect the baffle count for a single segmental baffle. With **same side**, the baffle count will be even; with **opposite side**, the baffle count will be odd.

The default for a J-shell is one (1) inlet and two (2) outlets. You may reverse this setup by selecting *opposite side*.

#### Tubeside flow enters

- Bottom nozzle
- Top nozzle

## CLEARANCES

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The **Clearances dialog box** permits you to specify the machining tolerances of the exchanger. Clearances can have a significant influence on the tube count as well as the shellside heat transfer and pressure drop.

Specification of clearances on this screen is optional regardless of whether you are running a design or a rating. However, if clearances are not specified, **CC-THERM** imposes clearances according to the following rules.

1. In the design mode, clearances are established according to the standard specified by TEMA. Since the shell ID is selected from commercial standards and therefore is fixed, the tube count is adjusted to fill the space fixed by the shell and the clearances. Changing the specifications in the **Clearances dialog box** will cause the tube count to change for a given diameter.
2. For a rating case where the clearances have not been specified, the procedure is somewhat reversed. The user specifies the shell ID and the tube count. The outer tube limits (OTL) is calculated from the tube count. The tube hole clearance, baffle-to-shell ID clearance, and (for pull through floating heads) the gasket and bolt sizes are taken from the selected standard. The shell ID to the OTL clearance and the baffle OD to OTL diameter clearance are taken by difference. If the difference is negative, the program will print a message saying the tubes will not fit into the shell. If the clearance is large, the program will use this large clearance in the stream analysis. This may result in unrealistically low shellside heat transfer coefficients and pressure drops.

Since fitting tubes into a bundle is to some extent an art and not an exact science, you may want (in the rating case) to force the program to use specified clearances, tube count, and shell ID. This includes when the **CC-THERM** tube count route would indicate that these parameters are inconsistent. The program will permit this. In this event, the specified clearances and tube count are used in the analysis, effectively setting the shell ID equal to the OTL plus the OTL-to-shell ID clearance as far as the calculation is concerned, but using the specified shell ID in the output. This approach gives you complete control of the calculation.

The **Clearances dialog box** appears as follows:

Field Name	Value	Unit
Baffle to shell	0.0208333	ft
Shell to outer tube limit	0.0590551	ft
Tube to baffle hole	0.002625	ft
In Line Pass Partition		ft
Space at Top of Bundle		ft
Space at Bottom of Bundle		ft
Pass Clearance Lane	0.0520833	ft

These fields are described below.

**Baffle to shell** - This is the gap between the inside wall of the shell and the baffle. This gap is defined on a diametrical basis. Therefore, if the actual gap between the baffle and the shell ID is 0.25-inches, the entry in this field should be 0.5-inches since there are two gaps along the diameter, one at each end.

This entry would only be used if you do not accept the program default for this option.

**Shell ID to bundle outer tube limit** - The default for this option is the TEMA Standard clearance and you should also refer to the Number of Tubes in the Tube menu. When this entry is input and a rating case is being made, the program will accept any tube count, which the user inputs. Therefore, greater care must be taken when this field is input. This option was purposely programmed in a fashion to circumvent any problems the user might have when making a rating case and the program finds that the tubes do not fit and yet the user is analyzing an existing exchanger and hence knows the tube count to be correct.

**Tube to baffle hole** - This is a diametrical gap. This entry would only be used if the user did not accept the program default of this option.

**In-line pass partition** – This is the space between the tubeset and the partition. The in-line pass partition size may have a significant effect upon the amount of vapor or liquid that bypasses the regular S-shaped flow pattern on the shell side of the exchanger. The fluid that is bypassed follows a more linear path through the shell.

**Space at top of bundle** - This space is measured from the outside diameter of the top row of tubes to the horizontal line described by the intersection of the shell with the shell nozzle horizontal line located at the top of the shell. A space of this nature is usually necessary if an impingement plate is present, and it is located on the bundle (it could also be located inside the shell nozzle). If the program is used in the design mode and an impingement plate is necessary the program will automatically calculate this space to meet the requirements of TEMA. It will also keep this space to the minimum necessary to allow the maximum number of tubes to fit in the given shell diameter. When using this option, you should be aware that if too small a value is placed here, it may provoke a disproportionately high pressure drop in the shell inlet nozzle and this could effect the program's convergence characteristics. Also, if you have No-Tubes-in-Window type baffles, a space similar to the one described herein will exist between the bundle and the shell. It is not necessary (and you should not use this option) to specify this void space for such a situation unless the void space necessary for placing the impingement plate is greater than the void space of the baffle cut of the No-Tubes-in-Window baffle.

**Space at bottom of bundle** - This space is measured from the outside diameter of the bottom row of tubes to the horizontal line described by the intersection of the shell with the shell nozzle located at the bottom of the shell. It may be necessary to use such a space, for example, when there is a sparger pipe located at the bottom of a kettle reboiler. In this case, a few rows of tubes would have to be eliminated from the bottom of the bundle and hence a void space would exist there. Again, as noted above, this option should not be used for the case of No-Tubes-in-Window type baffles unless the void space of the bundle is greater than the baffle cut.

**Pass clearance lane** - The units are inches or mm. The pass clearance lane is calculated according to the TEMA-recommended dimensions of the pass partition plate and whether the tubes are welded or expanded to the tubesheet. The pass clearance lane may have a significant effect on the heat transfer calculations on the shellside of the exchanger depending on the direction of the baffle cut and the tube pass arrangement.

## MATERIALS

The **Materials dialog box** is used to specify the materials of construction. It is shown below.

You may specify the material type for each of the five exchanger components. This is accomplished by selecting one component's arrow box, which will bring up a scroll box containing the types of material available. Select the type using the mouse or arrow keys.

You may also input tube material density.

## MISCELLANEOUS

The purpose of this dialog box is to permit the user to define a variety of parameters, which do not fit neatly into the other categories. The **Miscellaneous dialog box** appears as follows.

These fields are described below.

**Rows/sealing strip** - A sealing strip is a longitudinal, metal strip placed in the gap between the outer tube limit and the shell inside diameter in order to block bypass flow on the shell-side. If the user wishes

to utilize sealing strips, you should do so here by indicating the number of rows at which sealing strips will be placed. For instance, if it will be every four rows, the number here would be **4**. If the user is designing an exchanger with liquid or gas on the shell side and the rear head is TEMA type **S** or **T**, the program will automatically place sealing strips every 5 rows unless overridden by a number in this field.

**Entrainment ratio** - If you have a pool evaporator, you can specify the maximum amount ratio of entrained liquid in the vapor stream, and he/she would do so with this option. The program default is 2%.

If the user places a small value (say 1%), the disengagement space will become proportionately greater, and, hence, the kettle diameter would become bigger. The kettle size may be fixed with the option listed under the Shells Parameter dialog box (if used, this option would become irrelevant).

**Heat duty** - The program always calculates and balances the heat loads on both the shell-side and the tube-side of the exchanger. If the user wants the output to appear with a rounded-up value of the calculated heat duty or simply wishes to design the heat exchanger for some excess heat load capacity, he/she may do so with this option.

**U-bend efficiency (%)** - If the user has a U-tube exchanger and he/she wishes to include some or all of the **U** portion of the tube as being effective for heat transfer, he/she may do so with this option. If the number 100 is input, this indicates that the entire **U** portion is effective in heat transfer and its surface will be included in the overall surface area. The default for this option is 0% or, in other words, none of the U-bend surface will be included in the overall heat transfer surface area.

**U-bend radius** - The default radius for the inner row of a U-tube bundle is 1.5 x the tube diameter. If the user wishes to use a different value, he/she may enter that value here.

**Tube axial stress** - If vibration problems are a major concern, this may become an important option to use as it may have an important effect on the tube bundle natural frequency. This is especially true if the tube stress is a compressive one, as this will lower the bundle natural frequency and very possibly exacerbate any vibration problems. If the stress is input with a negative sign, it is considered to be a compressive stress; otherwise, it will be considered to be a tensile stress.

## CALCULATE

The **Calculate** command tells the program to execute the design or rating calculation. To begin the calculation, move the pointer to the **Calculate** option and click the left mouse button. After the command is issued, the program performs a complete data check to make sure there is no missing or unreasonable information. If errors or warnings are detected, the program shows an error message on the screen. The program allows you to either change the data or ignore the error messages.

In the design mode, the progress of the calculation will be reported in the lower left corner.

## VIEW RESULTS

The **View Results** option enables the user to interactively review selected results on the screen. When selected, the **VIEW MENU** appears on the screen like so:

Field	Value	Unit
Number of tubes	500	
Number of tube passes	1	
Tube outer diameter	0.0625	ft
Tube wall thickness	0.00541667	ft
Tube length	6	ft
Internal roughness	0.0001	
Tube pattern	Rotated Triangular (60)	
Tube pitch	0.078125	ft
Trufin tube code	Plain tube	
Turbulator	No Turbulator	

These fields are described below.

**Number of tubes** - This field should only be used for a rating case, in which case its entry is mandatory. It may happen that you will input a given number of tubes which you know will fit in a given size shell, but the program refuses to run and returns the message that a larger shell size must be used. In this case, you should go to the **Clearances dialog box** and input the diametrical gap between the shell internal diameter and the bundle outer tube limit diameter. When this is done, the program will accept your tube count input. Care must be taken when this option is used since it is possible to force the program to accept an unrealistic situation. This field is not read for a design case.

**Number of tube passes** - The number of tube passes is mandatory for a rating case. For the full design case, it is recommended that you allow the program to optimize the number of tube passes. If you have a situation where there is a large temperature cross between the shellside and tubeside, thus forcing the need for counter-current flow, it is advisable to fix the number of passes to one (or two, if using an **F** shell). The program will tolerate an LMTD correction factor down to .5; below this value, the program will stop with an error message. At LMTD correction factors below 0.5, it is thermodynamically impossible to achieve the stated process conditioning.

**Tube outer diameter** - The tube diameter is an optional input. If no value is input, the program defaults to a diameter of 3/4-inch (19.05-mm) outside diameter tubes.

**Tube wall thickness** - The wall thickness input is optional. If no value is input, the program defaults to BWG 16 (.065-inches or 1.65-mm).

**Tube length** - This field is a mandatory input for a rating case. For a design case, it is best to let the program optimize the tube length. When optimizing the tube length, the program starts with a minimum length of 6 feet (1.83 meters) for small exchangers (D = 6-inches, 160-mm) and gradually works up to a maximum length of 20 feet or 6.1 meters for shell sizes of 14-inches (350-mm) and above. If you need the program to try lengths over (or different from) 20 feet (6.1 meters) and yet not have to fix the length, you should use the **Shell Parameters dialog box** to specify multiple shells in series.

When in the design mode, the program will use a pipe shell diameter up to 24-inches and, thereafter, will use a rolled shell.

When making a design run and using ASME (but not TEMA) or BS 5500 as the class for the exchanger, the program begins the design algorithm with a 2-inch (50-mm) shell diameter. When using DIN, the program starts with a 4-inch (100-mm) shell diameter and when using TEMA, the program starts with an 8-inch (200-mm) shell diameter.

**Use standard pipe as shell** - This may become an important option when you are rating an exchanger. The default for this option is no (field is blank); that is, the program assumes the shell to be rolled-plate when in the rating mode. For rolled plate shell, the specified shell diameter is taken to be the actual (exact) internal diameter. If you place a check mark in this field (by clicking on it) and the program is in the rating mode, the diameter input is construed to be the nominal diameter. If the user does not invoke this option, the diameter input on the Shell menu is construed to be the internal diameter.

This option becomes irrelevant in the design mode since the program has fixed defaults depending on the size of the exchanger. If the shell material is carbon steel [Default], the program assumes a pipe shell up to a 24-inch diameter. If the shell material is stainless or low-alloy steel, the program will assume a pipe shell up to a 12-inch diameter.

**Number of shells in parallel** - The default is one (1). Any positive integer number is allowed.

**Number of shells in series** - The default is one (1). Any positive integer number is allowed.

**Calculate tube count** - This button runs a tool for determining how many tubes will fit into shell diameter.

## BAFFLES

The purpose of the **Baffle Specifications dialog box** is to permit you to define baffle geometry. This information is optional when in the design mode but it is required for a rating. The **Baffles Specifications dialog box** appears as follows.

The screenshot shows the "Baffle Specifications" dialog box with the following settings:

- Baffle type: Single segmental
- Inlet spacing: 1.66667 ft
- Center spacing: 2 ft
- Outlet spacing: 2.33333 ft
- Baffle thickness: 0.0105 ft
- Baffle cut percent: 41.25 percent
- Direction of baffle cut: Vertical
- Basis of cut: Diameter
- Tube sheet thickness: (empty) ft
- Impingement plate: Use impingement plates
- Number of intermediate baffles: (empty)

These fields are described below.

**Baffle type** - Any of the following baffle configurations may be selected.

Single segmental baffle (default)

Double segmental baffle

Triple segmental baffle

No tubes in window

Disk & Donut

Rod

Single segmental baffle is the default. Generally speaking, the higher the baffle segmentation, the lower the shellside pressure drop and heat transfer coefficient. Double and triple segmental baffles lower velocities and therefore pressure drops and film coefficients as well.

No-tubes-in-window and rod baffles are used when high gas velocities on the shellside are producing vibration problems. Both effectively lower velocities while maintaining short tube spans, resulting in lower tube natural frequencies.

**Inlet spacing**

This is the spacing between the front tubesheet and the first baffle. The program will calculate this spacing if left blank.

**Center spacing**

This is a mandatory input if you are making a rating case. If making a design run, the program will optimize on this parameter.

**Outlet spacing**

This is the spacing between the last baffle and the rear tubesheet. The program will calculate this value if left blank.

**Baffle thickness**

The baffle thickness affects the effective area of the tube and the vibration analysis. The default is indicated.

**Baffle cut percent**

The program assumes that the cut is a percent of the diameter. If the cut is based on area, you should indicate such in the field below. If the baffle is a rod baffle or a full circle type, then place a  $\emptyset$  in this field.

**X Overlap**

This is the amount of overlap for double segmental and triple segmental baffles. X is the overlap distance. X-overlap field will appear only if you select double or triple segmental baffles.

**Tubesheet thickness**

This is the thickness of the tubesheet.

**Direction of baffle cut**

The following selections are available under this option:

Vertical cut

Horizontal cut [Default]

Diagonal cut

<b>Basis of cut</b>	The following selection is available under this option. Diameter Area
<b>Impingement plate</b>	<p>Selecting "Let program decide" will allow the program to determine if an impingement plate is necessary using the rules of TEMA. Using Impingement Plate or No Impingement Plate will force the use or exclusion of an impingement plate.</p> <p>When it is not practical to fit an impingement plate inside or outside a shell, a vapor belt could be used to reduce entrance momentum of high speed vapor at inlet nozzle. CCTHERM allows use of box type vapor belt as impingement device. One may refer to the figure 9 on page 4.2.5-8 of HEDH. Three input variables are Belt diameter, Port hole diameter, and Belt width.</p> <p>Belt diameter should be specified larger than shell diameter, otherwise a value of shell diameter plus half of nozzle diameter will be used. Port hole diameter is the diameter of the hole on the shell continuous through which vapor enters the shell. If more than one hole or non round hole is used, an area equivalent diameter may be specified. If not specified, the value of nozzle diameter will be used for the port hole diameter. Belt width should be specified greater than nozzle diameter, other wise a value twice of nozzle diameter will be used for the width in the calculation of vapor belt pressure drop.</p>
<b>Number of intermediate Baffles</b>	You should input the number of intermediate baffles to be used when using <b>No Tubes-in-Windows</b> baffles. Vibration problems on the exchanger shellside warrant the use of intermediate baffles so as to shorten the unsupported tube length and thus increase the natural frequency of the tube bundle.

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## NOZZLES

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The purpose of the **Nozzles Specifications dialog box** is to permit you to specify nozzle sizes or information to be used by the program in sizing the nozzles. In the default condition, **CC-THERM** will size the nozzles whether you are in the design or rating mode. In the sizing calculation, the program will attempt to take 25% of the specified allowable pressure drop across the nozzles unless velocity limits are exceeded; in which case it will take less. The **Nozzles Specifications dialog box** appears as follows.

These fields are described below.

**Nozzle diameter** - This diameter is the nominal diameter in all cases. Even if making a rating, it is not obligatory to input the nozzle diameter, as the program will calculate them if this information is omitted.

**Longneck** - If the nozzles are to be longneck, enter a check mark in this field by clicking on it. The default is no.

**Orientation** - This is the orientation of the shellside nozzles. The options are:

- Opposite side
- Same side

The default for this field is to have the nozzles placed on the opposite side of the exchanger. If you want to have them located on the same side, the user should select **same side**. This will effect the baffle count for a single segmental baffle. With **same side**, the baffle count will be even; with **opposite side**, the baffle count will be odd.

The default for a J-shell is one (1) inlet and two (2) outlets. You may reverse this setup by selecting **opposite side**.

#### Tubeside flow enters

- Bottom nozzle
- Top nozzle

## CLEARANCES

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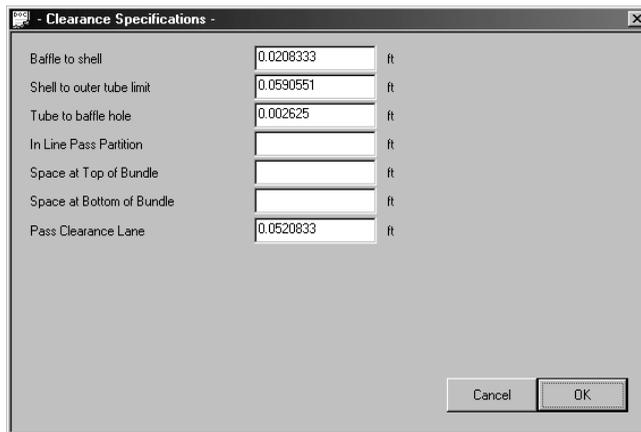
The **Clearances dialog box** permits you to specify the machining tolerances of the exchanger. Clearances can have a significant influence on the tube count as well as the shellside heat transfer and pressure drop.

Specification of clearances on this screen is optional regardless of whether you are running a design or a rating. However, if clearances are not specified, **CC-THERM** imposes clearances according to the following rules.

1. In the design mode, clearances are established according to the standard specified by TEMA. Since the shell ID is selected from commercial standards and therefore is fixed, the tube count is adjusted to fill the space fixed by the shell and the clearances. Changing the specifications in the **Clearances dialog box** will cause the tube count to change for a given diameter.
2. For a rating case where the clearances have not been specified, the procedure is somewhat reversed. The user specifies the shell ID and the tube count. The outer tube limits (OTL) is calculated from the tube count. The tube hole clearance, baffle-to-shell ID clearance, and (for pull through floating heads) the gasket and bolt sizes are taken from the selected standard. The shell ID to the OTL clearance and the baffle OD to OTL diameter clearance are taken by difference. If the difference is negative, the program will print a message saying the tubes will not fit into the shell. If the clearance is large, the program will use this large clearance in the stream analysis. This may result in unrealistically low shellside heat transfer coefficients and pressure drops.

Since fitting tubes into a bundle is to some extent an art and not an exact science, you may want (in the rating case) to force the program to use specified clearances, tube count, and shell ID. This includes when the **CC-THERM** tube count route would indicate that these parameters are inconsistent. The program will permit this. In this event, the specified clearances and tube count are used in the analysis, effectively setting the shell ID equal to the OTL plus the OTL-to-shell ID clearance as far as the calculation is concerned, but using the specified shell ID in the output. This approach gives you complete control of the calculation.

The **Clearances dialog box** appears as follows:



Field Name	Value	Unit
Baffle to shell	0.0208333	ft
Shell to outer tube limit	0.0590551	ft
Tube to baffle hole	0.002625	ft
In Line Pass Partition		ft
Space at Top of Bundle		ft
Space at Bottom of Bundle		ft
Pass Clearance Lane	0.0520833	ft

These fields are described below.

**Baffle to shell** - This is the gap between the inside wall of the shell and the baffle. This gap is defined on a diametrical basis. Therefore, if the actual gap between the baffle and the shell ID is 0.25-inches, the entry in this field should be 0.5-inches since there are two gaps along the diameter, one at each end.

This entry would only be used if you do not accept the program default for this option.

**Shell ID to bundle outer tube limit** - The default for this option is the TEMA Standard clearance and you should also refer to the Number of Tubes in the Tube menu. When this entry is input and a rating case is being made, the program will accept any tube count, which the user inputs. Therefore, greater care must be taken when this field is input. This option was purposely programmed in a fashion to circumvent any problems the user might have when making a rating case and the program finds that the tubes do not fit and yet the user is analyzing an existing exchanger and hence knows the tube count to be correct.

**Tube to baffle hole** - This is a diametrical gap. This entry would only be used if the user did not accept the program default of this option.

**In-line pass partition** – This is the space between the tubeset and the partition. The in-line pass partition size may have a significant effect upon the amount of vapor or liquid that bypasses the regular S-shaped flow pattern on the shell side of the exchanger. The fluid that is bypassed follows a more linear path through the shell.

**Space at top of bundle** - This space is measured from the outside diameter of the top row of tubes to the horizontal line described by the intersection of the shell with the shell nozzle horizontal line located at the top of the shell. A space of this nature is usually necessary if an impingement plate is present, and it is located on the bundle (it could also be located inside the shell nozzle). If the program is used in the design mode and an impingement plate is necessary the program will automatically calculate this space to meet the requirements of TEMA. It will also keep this space to the minimum necessary to allow the maximum number of tubes to fit in the given shell diameter. When using this option, you should be aware that if too small a value is placed here, it may provoke a disproportionately high pressure drop in the shell inlet nozzle and this could effect the program's convergence characteristics. Also, if you have No-Tubes-in-Window type baffles, a space similar to the one described herein will exist between the bundle and the shell. It is not necessary (and you should not use this option) to specify this void space for such a situation unless the void space necessary for placing the impingement plate is greater than the void space of the baffle cut of the No-Tubes-in-Window baffle.

**Space at bottom of bundle** - This space is measured from the outside diameter of the bottom row of tubes to the horizontal line described by the intersection of the shell with the shell nozzle located at the bottom of the shell. It may be necessary to use such a space, for example, when there is a sparger pipe located at the bottom of a kettle reboiler. In this case, a few rows of tubes would have to be eliminated from the bottom of the bundle and hence a void space would exist there. Again, as noted above, this option should not be used for the case of No-Tubes-in-Window type baffles unless the void space of the bundle is greater than the baffle cut.

**Pass clearance lane** - The units are inches or mm. The pass clearance lane is calculated according to the TEMA-recommended dimensions of the pass partition plate and whether the tubes are welded or expanded to the tubesheet. The pass clearance lane may have a significant effect on the heat transfer calculations on the shellside of the exchanger depending on the direction of the baffle cut and the tube pass arrangement.

## MATERIALS

The **Materials dialog box** is used to specify the materials of construction. It is shown below.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Material Specifications". It contains the following fields:

- Tube material: 0 1 Carbon Steel
- Optional density: [ ] lb/ft3
- Tubesheet material: A-285-C
- Shell material: A-285-C
- Channel material: A-285-C
- Baffle material: A-285-C

Buttons: Cancel, OK

You may specify the material type for each of the five exchanger components. This is accomplished by selecting one component's arrow box, which will bring up a scroll box containing the types of material available. Select the type using the mouse or arrow keys.

You may also input tube material density.

## MISCELLANEOUS

The purpose of this dialog box is to permit the user to define a variety of parameters, which do not fit neatly into the other categories. The **Miscellaneous dialog box** appears as follows.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Miscellaneous Specifications". It contains the following fields:

- Rows per sealing strip: 5
- Entrainment ratio: 2 percent
- Heat duty: [ ] MMBtu/h
- U-bend efficiency: [ ] percent
- U-bend radius: 0.09375 ft
- Tube axial stress: [ ] psia

Buttons: Cancel, OK

These fields are described below.

**Rows/sealing strip** - A sealing strip is a longitudinal, metal strip placed in the gap between the outer tube limit and the shell inside diameter in order to block bypass flow on the shell-side. If the user wishes

to utilize sealing strips, you should do so here by indicating the number of rows at which sealing strips will be placed. For instance, if it will be every four rows, the number here would be **4**. If the user is designing an exchanger with liquid or gas on the shell side and the rear head is TEMA type **S** or **T**, the program will automatically place sealing strips every 5 rows unless overridden by a number in this field.

**Entrainment ratio** - If you have a pool evaporator, you can specify the maximum amount ratio of entrained liquid in the vapor stream, and he/she would do so with this option. The program default is 2%.

If the user places a small value (say 1%), the disengagement space will become proportionately greater, and, hence, the kettle diameter would become bigger. The kettle size may be fixed with the option listed under the Shells Parameter dialog box (if used, this option would become irrelevant).

**Heat duty** - The program always calculates and balances the heat loads on both the shell-side and the tube-side of the exchanger. If the user wants the output to appear with a rounded-up value of the calculated heat duty or simply wishes to design the heat exchanger for some excess heat load capacity, he/she may do so with this option.

**U-bend efficiency (%)** - If the user has a U-tube exchanger and he/she wishes to include some or all of the **U** portion of the tube as being effective for heat transfer, he/she may do so with this option. If the number 100 is input, this indicates that the entire **U** portion is effective in heat transfer and its surface will be included in the overall surface area. The default for this option is 0% or, in other words, none of the U-bend surface will be included in the overall heat transfer surface area.

**U-bend radius** - The default radius for the inner row of a U-tube bundle is 1.5 x the tube diameter. If the user wishes to use a different value, he/she may enter that value here.

**Tube axial stress** - If vibration problems are a major concern, this may become an important option to use as it may have an important effect on the tube bundle natural frequency. This is especially true if the tube stress is a compressive one, as this will lower the bundle natural frequency and very possibly exacerbate any vibration problems. If the stress is input with a negative sign, it is considered to be a compressive stress; otherwise, it will be considered to be a tensile stress.

## CALCULATE

The **Calculate** command tells the program to execute the design or rating calculation. To begin the calculation, move the pointer to the **Calculate** option and click the left mouse button. After the command is issued, the program performs a complete data check to make sure there is no missing or unreasonable information. If errors or warnings are detected, the program shows an error message on the screen. The program allows you to either change the data or ignore the error messages.

In the design mode, the progress of the calculation will be reported in the lower left corner.

## VIEW RESULTS

The **View Results** option enables the user to interactively review selected results on the screen. When selected, the **VIEW MENU** appears on the screen like so:



The sixteen (16) items listed provide summaries of the specific information requested. All displays are in Wordpad so that they can be edited, printed, and/or saved. The format and content of these displays are the same as in the **CC-THERM** reports. Since a complete explanation of this output is given under the report generation section of this manual, no effort is made to duplicate that information here. Please refer to the **CC-THERM REPORT GENERATION** section of this manual for further descriptions. A brief description of each VIEW MENU option is given below.

## **SUMMARY RESULTS**

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This selection allows you to view a short summary of the most important input and output of the heat exchanger calculations.

## **SHELL-SIDE DATA**

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This option shows the shell-side data for the current exchanger. This includes the film coefficient, Reynold's No., pressure drops, velocities, and stream factors.

## **TUBESIDE DATA**

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This option shows the tubeside data for the current exchanger. This includes the film coefficient, velocity, Reynold's No., pressure drops, and reference factor.

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**BAFFLE DATA**

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This option displays a summary of the current baffle specifications (input).

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**CLEARANCE DATA**

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This option displays a summary of the current heat exchanger clearances being used by the program (input).

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**OVERALL DATA**

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This option displays a summary of the duty, area(s), heat transfer coefficient(s), and LMTD(s) of the heat exchanger.

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**TABULATED DATA**

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This option displays the Shell-side Data, Tubeside Data, Clearance Data, Baffle Data, Tabulated pressure drop distribution and Overall Data summaries together on one page.

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**HEAT CURVES**

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This displays the temperatures, vapor and liquid rates, heat duties, and physical and transport properties for each zone. These are the values used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations.

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**ZONE-BY-ZONE DATA**

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This option allows the user to review the zone-by-zone calculated results for both the tubeside and the shell-side.

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**VIBRATION**

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This displays the vibration analysis performed by **CC-THERM**. Results displayed include the natural frequency, the turbulent buffeting frequency, the vortex shedding frequency, and the acoustical frequency of the tube, as well as the critical ratios of these numbers.

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**OPTIMIZATION**

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This shows the optimization sequence used by **CC-THERM**.

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**STREAM DATA**

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This option displays the compositions and thermodynamic properties of the streams going in and out of the heat exchanger.

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**REBOILER DATA**

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This option displays a summary of thermosyphon and kettle reboiler calculations.

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**TEMA SHEET**

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This option displays the completed TEMA sheet.

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**INPUT DATA REPORT**

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This option displays a summary of the input data.

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**PLOT**

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From the **Plot Menu**, you can plot several zone-by-zone results graphically. The plots are displayed in Plot Windows. Therefore, the user can modify or edit the plots using the commands provided by this window.

The following plot categories are available:

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**HEAT CURVE**

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Process heat curve is a plot of heat duty versus temperature for both sides of the exchanger.

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**HEAT FLUX**

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Heat flux (for evaporators)

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**LMTD**

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Log-mean temperature difference for each zone.

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**TEMPERATURE**

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Tube side, tube side wall, shell side wall and shell side temperatures for each zone.

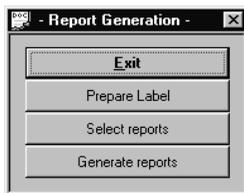
## HEAT XFER COEFFICIENT

Overall, tube side, shell side, tube fouling and shell fouling heat transfer coefficients for each zone.

## HEAT XFER AREA

Heat transfer area for each zone.

## REPORT GENERATION



## PREPARE LABELS

This option allows you to specify general information for output labeling. Most of these fields are self-explanatory and none of them are mandatory input.

The 'Report Labels' dialog box contains the following fields:

- Customer: [Text Field]
- Address: [Text Field]
- Plant location: [Text Field]
- Reference: [Text Field]
- Date: [Text Field]
- Service of unit: [Text Field]
- Proposal: [Text Field]
- Revision: [Text Field]
- Item number: [Text Field]
- Fluid name (TUBE SIDE): [Text Field] (Utility in)
- Design pressure (TUBE SIDE): [Text Field] psia
- Design temperature (TUBE SIDE): [Text Field] F
- Corrosion allowance (TUBE SIDE): [Text Field] ft
- Fluid name (SHELL SIDE): [Text Field] (Process in)
- Design pressure (SHELL SIDE): [Text Field] psia
- Design temperature (SHELL SIDE): [Text Field] F
- Corrosion allowance (SHELL SIDE): [Text Field] ft
- Comments: [Text Area]
- Buttons: Cancel, OK

**Customer** - Enter the name of the customer, limited to 40 characters.

**Address** - Enter the address of the service, limited to 40 characters.

**Plant Location** - Enter the plant location where the exchanger will be placed in service, limited to 40 characters.

**Reference** - Enter the reference number for this exchanger, limited to 10 characters.

**Proposal** - Enter the proposal number for this exchanger, limited to 10 characters.

**Date** - Enter the date, limited to 10 characters.

**Revision** - Enter the revision number of this calculation, limited to 10 characters.

**Service of unit** - Enter the type of service the exchanger will be used in, limited to 12 characters.

**Item Number** - Enter the item number, limited to 12 characters. Default is the equipment ID number.

**Shell-side fluid** - Enter the name of the shell-side fluid, limited to 12 characters.

**Tubeside fluid** - Enter the name of the tubeside fluid, limited to 12 characters.

**Design Pressure** - Enter the mechanical design pressure at the tubeside and shell-side.

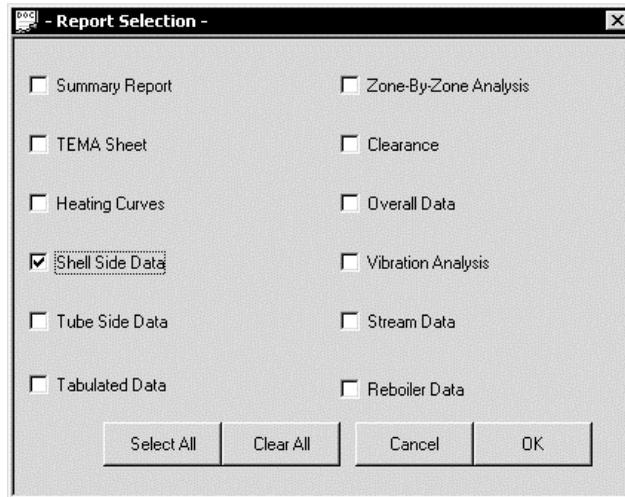
**Design Temperature** - Enter the mechanical design temperature at the tubeside and shell-side.

**Corrosion Allowance** - Enter the corrosion allowance at the tubeside and shell-side.

**Comments** - Enter the remarks you wish for the TEMA report.

## SELECT REPORTS

This displays a menu that allows you to select which reports and information you want to include in your output.



You may select any of the choices by clicking the desired option. A check mark will appear indicating that the report will be included. To de-select an item, click on the box to make the checkmark disappear. The contents of each report are described below.

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## **GENERATE REPORTS**

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Clicking on this option will cause the selected reports to be assembled into a single formatted output and then displayed in **Wordpad**. Samples and explanations of each report are provided below in a later section.

### **SAVE CONFIGURATION**

This command saves the current input for a rating case.

### **RE-ENTER STREAM INFORMATION**

This command displays the **STREAM Dialog boxes** for the four streams going in and out of the current heat exchanger. These streams can be modified and the heat curve regenerated using this feature.

### **RE-INITIALIZE EXCHANGER**

This command deletes all of the input and output data for the current exchanger and starts a new analysis.

### **CC-THERM OUTPUT**

### **SUMMARY REPORT**

This report section includes general data and a summary of the key information regarding the current exchanger. It contains physical configuration, heat transfer information and information describing the thermodynamic options and engineering units being used. An example of this report appears below:

**SUMMARY REPORT**

<b>General Data:</b>		<b>Heat Transfer Data:</b>	
Exch Class/Type	R/AXU	Effective Transfer Area	3623.57
Shell I.D.	3.67	Area Required	3489.93
Shell in Series/Parallel	1/1	COR LMTD	54.22
Number of Tubes	1550	U (Calc/Service)	265.63/254.51
Tube Length	12.00	Heat Calc	52.18
Tube O.D./I.D.	0.0625/0.0515	Heat Spec	50.00
Flow Area [In2]	0.00	Excess %	3.83
Tube Pattern	SQUAR	Foul(S/T)	1.000E-003/1.000E-003
Tube Pitch	0.08	Del P(S/T)	1.06/0.60
Number of Tube Passes	2	SS Film Coef	1315.83
Number of Baffles	3	SS CS Vel	4.05
Baffle Spacing	5.00	TW Resist	0.000215
Baffle Cut %	20	TS Film Coef	2313.40
Baffle Type	FULL	TS Vel	4.95

**Thermodynamics:**

K: SRK  
 H: SRK  
 D: LIBRARY

Number of Components: 3

Calculation Mode: Rating

**Engineering Units:**

Temperature                    F  
 Flow/Hour                    lbmol/hr  
 Pressure                        psia  
 Enthalpy                        MMBtu  
 Diameter/Area                ft/ft2  
 Length/Velocity                ft/sec  
 Film                                Btu/hr-ft2-F  
 Fouling                            hr-ft2-F/Btu

**TEMA SHEET**

The TEMA Sheet is reproduced from the TEMA book and is filled in for use as an equipment spec sheet. An example is given on the next page. Most of the items on the TEMA Sheet are self-explanatory. Only a few of them will be explained here, as these few may not be intuitively obvious.

Surf/unit	The total surface area per unit. The first value is the gross or overall area without discounting any part of the tube length which may be imbedded in the tubesheet or covered by the baffles. The second number given is the effective surface area after subtracting any portion of the tube length embedded in the tubesheet or covered by baffles.
RHO-V2-inlet nozzle	This is momentum term of the incoming shellside fluid at the inlet nozzle.
RHO-V2-bundle entrance	The momentum term of the incoming shellside fluid at the bundle entrance.
RHO-V2-bundle exit	The momentum term of the leaving shellside fluid at the bundle exit.

<b>TEMA SHEET</b>						
1						
2 Customer						Ref No.
3 Address						Prop No.
4 Plant Loc.						Date
5 Service of Unit						Rev
6 Size	44.0 in x 12.0ft	TYPE AXU	Horizontal Connected in 1 Parallel 1 Series			
7 Surf/Unit	3652.1/3623.6 ft2		Shell/Unit 1.0	Surf/Shell	3652.1/3623.6 ft2	
8	<b>PERFORMANCE OF ONE UNIT</b>					
9 Type of Process			Horiz Cond	Horiz T-syphon		
10 Fluid Allocation			Shell Side	Tube Side		
11 Fluid Name			Hydrocarbons	Steam		
12 Flow			931050.0	87700.0	lb/hr	
13 Liquid			931050.0	0.0	lb/hr	
14 Vapor			0.0	87700.0	lb/hr	
15 NonCondensable			0.0	0.0	lb/hr	
16 Steam			0.0	0.0	lb/hr	
17 Evap/Cond			498205.0	59942.1	lb/hr	
18 Density			2.513/29.520	0.466/54.044	lb/ft3	
19 Conductivity			0.018/0.039	0.020/0.385	Btu/hr-ft-F	
20 Specific Heat			0.616/0.817	0.689/1.088	Btu/lbmol-F	
21 Viscosity at Avg.			0.011/0.117	0.016/0.134	cP	
22 Latent Heat			94.74	833.37	Btu/lbmol	
23 Temperature(In/Out)			334.000/337.164	390.001/389.804	F	
24 Operating Pressure			793.67	796.83	psia	
25 Fouling Factor			0.001000	0.001000	hr-ft2-F/Btu	
26 Velocity			4.05	4.95	ft/sec	
27 Press Drop Allow/Calc			5.000/1.063	5.000/0.598	psi	
28 Heat Exchanged			5.000e+001 MMBtu;	MTD(Corrected): 54.22	F	
29 Transfer Rate,			Service: 265.6	Clean: 566.7	Btu/hr-ft2-F	
30	<b>CONSTRUCTION DATA/SHELL</b>					
31			Shell Side	Tube Side		
32 Design/Test Press psia			0.000000/Code	0.000000/Code		
33 Design Temperature F			0.000	0.000		
34 No. Passes per Shell			1	2		
35 Corrosion Allowance in			0.000	0.000		
36 Connections IN in			22.0	12.00		
37 Size & OUT in			30.0	6.000		
38 Rating						
39 Tube No. 775	Dia. 0.75 in	Thk. 0.65 in	Length 12.00 ft	Pit 0.9375 in		
40 Tube Type			Bare	Material 1 Carbon Steel		
41 Shell A-285-C	44.0 ID in		44.0 OD in	Shell Cover		
42 Channel or Bonnet	A-285-C		Channel Cover			
43 Tubesheet Stationary	A-285-C		Tubesheet Floating			
44 Floating Heat Cover	Impingement Protection: No					
45 Baffles Cross A-285-C	Type FULL	Cut(Diameter) 20	Spacing C/C 5.00 ft			
46 Baffles Long	Seal Type					
47 Supports Tube C.S.	U-Bend					
48 Bypass Seal Arrangement	Tube-Tubesheet Joint					
49 Expansion Joint No.	Type					
50 Rho-V2-Inlet Nozzle 628.13	Bundle Entrance 0.00		Bundle Exit 0.00			
51	Shell Side		Tube Side			
52 Gasket Floating Head						
53 Code Requirements	Tema Class		R			
54 Weight/Shell						
55 Remarks:						

## HEATING CURVES

The Heating Curve is a printout of the vapor and liquid properties at the inlet and outlet of each of the ten zones of the exchanger. These variables are defined as follows.

- Point 1 is the inlet to the exchanger. Point 2 is the outlet from the first zone. Point 3 is the outlet from the second zone, etc.
- Pressure
- This is the cumulative heat load of the zone.
- Temperature.
- Vapor flowrate
- Liquid flowrate
- Latent heat
- Surface tension
- Critical pressure
- Vapor heat capacity
- Vapor viscosity
- Vapor thermal conductivity
- Vapor density
- Liquid heat capacity
- Liquid viscosity
- Liquid thermal conductivity
- Liquid density

## SHELLSIDE DATA

The **Shellside Data** report has two different forms depending on whether the shellside is sensible or change of phase.

If the Shellside is sensible and stream analysis method is used then the **Shellside Data** report looks like this:

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Shellside Data:
Crossflow Vel. ft/sec 1.2E+000 EndZone Vel. 9.4E-001 Window Vel. 5.8E-001
Film Coef. Btu/hr-ft2-F 730.71 Reynold's No. 13889
Allow Press. Drop psi 5.00 Calc. Press. Drop psi 5.39
Inlet Nozzle Size in 6.00 Press. Drop/In Nozzle psi 0.03
Outlet Nozzle Size in 6.00 Press. Drop/Out Nozzle psi 0.01
Mean Temperature F 135.93
Rho V2 IN lb/ft-sec2 382.23 Press. Drop (Dirty) psi 9.17

Stream Analysis:
SA Factors: A 16.90 B 49.63 C 7.64 E 16.02 F 9.81
Idea Cross Vel. ft/sec 2.44 Idea Window Vel. ft/sec 0.87

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Otherwise, the **Shellside Data** report looks like this:

Shellside Data:					
Avg. SS Vel.	ft/sec	4.12			
Film Coef.	Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	2290.77	Reynold's No.		12284
Allow Press. Drop	psi	5.00	Calc. Press. Drop	psi	0.16
Inlet Nozzle Size	in	6.00	Press. Drop/In Nozzle	psi	0.10
Outlet Nozzle Size	in	2.00	Press. Drop/Out Nozzle	psi	0.03
Mean Temperature	F	370.77			
Rho V2 IN	lb/ft-sec <sup>2</sup>	366.87	Press. Drop (Dirty)	psi	0.28

These fields are explained below.

1. "Avg. SS Vel." is the *shellside cross-flow* velocity is taken at typical baffle spacing. This is the "true" velocity across the bundle based on the actual flow across the bundle after all the bypass streams have been discounted.
2. The *end zone velocity* is the velocity in the zone between the tubesheet and the first baffle.
3. The *window velocity* is taken in a typical baffle window. This is the "true" velocity through the window after all the flow bypasses have been discounted.
4. The *Film Coefficient* is reported at the middle of the heat exchanger.
5. The *Reynold's No.* is reported at the middle of the heat exchanger.
6. The *Allowable Pressure Drop* is input by the user.

If a thermosyphon is being run you would have input the static head available in the column (and not have the allowable pressure drop). However, the program converts this static head to an equivalent pressure drop. Therefore, the quantity printed, as allowable pressure drop is always a pressure drop no matter what type of exchanger is being run.

7. Reported *calculated pressure drop* is the total across all shells if more than one shell in the series is present.
8. *Nozzle diameter* is nominal diameter.
9. The *Pressure Drop/Inlet Outlet Nozzle* is the calculated pressure drop in the nozzles. The following relation applies:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(\text{Calc. Pressure Drop}) - (\text{Inlet Nozzle Pressure Drop}) - (\text{Outlet Nozzle Pressure Drop}) \\
 &= (\text{Pressure Drop across the bundle})
 \end{aligned}$$

10. When the program is in the design mode and no nozzle size has been specified, the program uses up to a maximum of 25% of the available pressure drop to size the nozzle. If you are in the rating mode and have specified the nozzle size, the program uses that nozzle size and the nozzle pressure drop is calculated given the nozzle size and the exchanger geometry
11. The *metal temperature* of the shell and tubes is an especially important value if you are analyzing a fixed tubesheet exchanger. The program uses the actual shellside and tubeside heat transfer-

coefficients (and considers the exchanger to be in the fouled condition) to calculate this temperature.

These values are used by mechanical engineers for stress analysis. Also, the tube wall temperature is used frequently in the calculation of condensation and evaporation heat transfer.

12. The *shellside pressure drop* (dirty) is the pressure drop in the exchanger in the fouled condition. Calculating the shellside pressure drop with possible flow bypasses (such as the clearance between the baffle holes and the tubes) reduced somewhat (to simulate a fouled condition) does this.
13. *Rho V<sup>2</sup> IN* is the flow momentum term at the shellside inlet nozzle. It is obtained by multiplying the fluid density by the square of the fluid velocity. This is an important term when the incoming fluid is in the vapor state. TEMA makes recommendations as to the maximum value this parameter may have before needing an impingement plate.
14. The *stream analysis* data are explained below.

**SA factor A** is that percentage of the shellside flow, which is *leaking* between the tubes and the holes in the baffle plates.

**SA factor B** only has significance when there is sensible flow on the exchanger shellside. When there is change of phase on the shellside, this quantity will always be output as 0. When there is sensible flow on the shellside, the B STREAM refers to that portion of the shellside flow, which is in cross flow across the bundle. The closer this quantity is to 100%, the more efficient the flow.

**SA factor C** is the percentage of the shellside flow, which is *leaking* between the bundle and the internal diameter of the shell. For a fixed tubesheet exchanger, the empty space between the bundle and the internal diameter of the shell is usually small and thus the C STREAM is a small percentage. However, for a floating head design (TEMA P, S, or T), this empty space becomes large and (if sealing strips are not used) thus the C STREAM percentage becomes large. When you specify sealing strips for a floating head, you will notice a significant reduction in the percentage of the C STREAM and an increase in the B STREAM (the "true" cross flow component of the bundle). Referred to the above discussion on OTLC for more information on the use of sealing strips.

**SA factor E** is that percentage of the shellside flow, which is *leaking* between the baffle outer diameter and the shellside internal diameter.

**SA factor F** is that percentage of the shellside flow which is *leaking* through the empty spaces left by the tubeside pass partition (pass partition lanes). Even though the partition lane will always be present for two or more tubeside passes, it may or may not affect the flow depending on the direction of the baffle cut and the pass arrangement. (See the above discussion on the pass arrangement in the Clearances menu). Below is a listing of the more common situations in which a pass partition lane will have an effect on the shellside flow. This listing uses an E shell. For an F shell, other variations are possible.

15. *Ideal cross velocity* is the ideal cross flow velocity of the shellside fluid across the bundle. This would only be the case if all leakage paths were non-existent.

16. *Ideal window velocity* is the ideal velocity of the shellside fluid through the baffle window. This would only be the case if all the possible window leakage paths were non-existent.

### TUBESIDE DATA

The **Tube Side Data** report looks like this:

<b>Tube Side Data:</b>					
Film Coef.	Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	2550.40	Reynold's No.		48810
Allow Press. Drop	psi	5.00	Calc. Press. Drop	psi	0.91
Inlet Nozzle Size	in	12.00	Press. Drop/In Nozzle	psi	0.19
Outlet Nozzle Size	in	6.00	Press. Drop/Out Nozzle	psi	0.48
Interm. Nozzle Size	in	0.00	Mean Temperature	F	389.90
Velocity	ft/sec	15.59			

1. The *Film Coefficient* is reported at the middle of the exchanger.
2. The *Reynold's No.* is reported at the middle of the exchanger.
3. The *Allowable Pressure Drop* is input by the user.

If a thermosyphon is being run you would have input the static head available in the column (and not have the allowable pressure drop). However, the program converts this static head to an equivalent pressure drop. Therefore, the quantity printed, as allowable pressure drop is always a pressure drop no matter what type of exchanger is being run.

4. Reported calculated pressure drop is the total across all shells if more than one shell in the series is present.
5. *Nozzle diameter* is nominal diameter.
6. The *Pressure Drop/Inlet Outlet Nozzle* is the calculated pressure drop in the nozzles. The following relation applies:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(\text{Calc. Pressure Drop}) - (\text{Inlet Nozzle Pressure Drop}) - (\text{Outlet Nozzle Pressure Drop}) \\
 &= (\text{Pressure Drop Across the bundle})
 \end{aligned}$$

When the program is in the design mode and no nozzle size has been specified, the program uses up to a maximum of 25% of the available pressure drop to size the nozzle. If you are in the rating mode and have specified the nozzle size, the program uses that nozzle size and the nozzle pressure drop is calculated given the nozzle size and the exchanger geometry.

7. The *metal temperature* of the shell and tubes is an especially important value if you are analyzing a fixed tubesheet exchanger. The program uses the actual shellside and tubeside heat transfer-coefficients (and considers the exchanger to be in the fouled condition) to calculate this temperature.

These values are used by mechanical engineers for stress analysis. Also, the tube wall temperature is used frequently in the calculation of condensation and evaporation heat transfer.

8. The *Velocity* is reported at the center of the exchanger. If a change of phase is occurring, this is the two-phase velocity.

## TABULATED DATA

The **Tabulated Data** report is a one-page summary of the exchanger. Most information is self-explanatory, but you should make note of the following points.

1. Above 24-inches nominal diameter, the shell OD printed out will equal the shell ID printed out. This is because below 24-inches, the program assumes the shell is pipe and above 24-inches, it is rolled plate for carbon steel construction. For stainless steel, the break point is 12-inches. Pipe wall thicknesses are known (standard wall), but since the program does no wall thickness calculation, rolled plate thicknesses are not. As a result, the shell ID is printed in both fields.
2. For a *kettle reboiler*, the kettle ID is printed in the shell OD field, and the tube bundle diameter is printed in the shell ID field.
3. All clearances are diametrical.
4. When the shell nozzles are on opposite sides of the shell and segmental baffles are being used, the *number of baffles* will be an even number. When the shell nozzles are on the same side of the shell and segmental baffles are being used, the total number of baffles will be an odd number. When rod baffles are being used, this number can be disregarded since rod baffles are really tube supports and there are no cross baffles as such as with the other baffle types. If the NTIW (No Tubes-in-Window) type baffle is being used, the number of baffles given refers only to the NTIW baffles themselves and does not include any intermediate baffles which may have been used to lessen the effects of vibration.
5. The *baffle spacing* is the center spacing of the baffles -- this would be the applicable baffle spacing of all those baffles, which are not immediately adjacent to the tube sheets. The baffle inlet spacing is the baffle spacing between the front tubesheet and the first baffle.
6. *Baffle types* are as follows.
 

SSEG	-	Single segmental
DSEG	-	Double segmental
TSEG	-	Triple segmental
NTIW	-	No Tubes-in-Window
Disk	-	Disk and Donut
RODB	-	Rod
7. The *tube number* is the number of tubes in the tube bundle. If you have a U-tube bundle, the number output would be the number of tubes, not the number of holes in the tubesheet.

8. *Tube outside diameter* is the outer diameter of the tube. For low-fin radial tubes, this diameter will be the tube nominal diameter.
9. *Tube inside diameter* is the inner diameter of the tube. For low-fin radial tubes, this diameter will vary due to the undulations on the inner surface of the tube, but the program continues print out of the nominal inner diameter of the tubes.
10. The *tubewall thickness* is the wall nominal thickness of the tube. For low-fin radial tubes, this thickness will vary and the minimum thickness will be somewhat less than the nominal thickness. However, the program continues print out of the nominal wall thickness.
11. The *tube pitch* is the distance between the center of the tubes.
12. The *tube pattern* in the tubesheet may be:
  - TRI60 - Triangular
  - SQUA - Double segmental baffle
  - DIAM - Diamond (45)
  - TRI30 - Rotated triangular (30)
13. *Tube pass type* may be ribbon, quadratic, or mixed.
14. The *outer tube limit* is the outer diameter of the tube bundle. This limit diameter is based on that tube which is furthest removed from the geometrical center of the exchanger.
15. The *outer tube limit clearance (OTLC)* is the diametrical clearance between the Outer Tube Limit and the internal diameter of the shell. This is a very important piece of information and it has a pronounced effect on shellside heat transfer and pressure drop. If the exchanger rear head is of a fixed type (TEMA types L, M, and N) or a floating tubesheet (TEMA type W) or a U-tube construction, the OTLC is usually small (0.5-inches, 12-mm, or less) and so there is usually only a minimum amount of shellside fluid bypassing the tube bundle. On the other hand, the OTLC dimension for floating head types (TEMA types P, S, and T) is usually considerable. When the program is in the design mode and the OTLC dimension is found to be excessive, the program automatically puts in sealing strips to force the flow, which bypasses the bundle back through the bundle. Thus, for a design of any floating head unit, the program will typically put in sealing strips. However, when the program is in the rating mode (regardless of the construction), the program will leave it up to you whether or not to put in sealing strips. If you make a rating of a unit which you know to have a small OTLC and the program calculates a substantially larger OTLC (resulting in large bypasses and poor heat transfer characteristics), you should rerun the problem and fix the OTLC to the known value and rerun the problem. See the discussion above concerning setting the OTLC value in the **Clearances menu**. As a general rule, you should check the OTLC calculated by the program after every rating run.
16. The *bundle top space* is the void space at the top of the bundle and is the distance measured from the intersection of the shell inlet nozzle and the shell to the outside diameter of the top row of the tube bundle. If the program has placed an impingement plate on the bundle, the top few rows usually (but not always) must be removed. Also, if you are using No Tubes-in-Window type baffles, this distance (as defined above) will appear in the output whether or not you have an

impingement plate. Also, you may have occasion to declare a void space at the top of the bundle - for instance, for a shellside condenser with an X shell to permit uniform vapor distribution across the tubes. Such a void space should be declared on the **Clearances menu**.

17. The *bundle btm. (bottom) space* is the void space at the bottom bundle. This is a quantity, which appears far less frequently than the above parameter. It is the mirror image of the above parameter as it appears at the bottom of the bundle. This quantity will appear in the output in either of the following two circumstances.
  - You are using NTIW baffles, or
  - You have input this space on the **Clearances menu**
18. The words "*Impingement plate*" in the impingement plate field indicates that an impingement plate does exist at the shellside inlet nozzle. If the Bundle Top Space is simultaneously a value of zero, this indicates that the impingement plate has been placed inside the inlet nozzle (which in this case would be flared). If an impingement plate is present and the Bundle Top Space is non-zero, the impingement plate has been placed on the top of the bundle. To accommodate the plate, a few rows of tubes must be removed.
19. The *bonnet diameter* is the inner diameter on the channel side of the exchanger. This parameter only becomes important when you have a pipe for the channel section and have high pressure on the tubeside. In this instance, the internal diameter will grow inward (since it is a pipe) and may even be smaller than the inside diameter of the shell. If provisions are not made for the smaller diameter on the channel side, the outer row of the tube bundle may not fit inside the channel. The program always checks for situations such as this, but to be on the safe side, you can specify the channel internal diameter on the **Clearances menu**.
20. Anytime there are two or more tubeside passes, a *pass clearance lane* will always exist to accommodate the pass partitions, which separate the various tubeside passes on the channel side. This lane cuts a void space throughout the entire bundle and will always have some effect on the flow distribution on the shellside of the exchanger. The program always calculates this quantity internally. This quantity only appears in the output if you specify it directly on the **Clearances menu**.
21. The *orientation* refers to the position of the exchanger. *H* is horizontal and *V* is vertical.
22. *Clearances* are diametrical.

## ZONE-BY-ZONE ANALYSIS

As the name implies, more detail is given about the two-phase calculation of the heat transfer coefficient and the pressure drop. This information is given at each of the ten zones the program uses to make the calculation. This information may pertain to a condenser calculation or an evaporation calculation. The outputs are similar but not identical.

<b>ZONE:</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
Inc. Heat Load, MMBtu/hr5	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
LMTD F	55.61	55.25	54.95	54.62	54.32
Overall Coef.	236.14	239.96	246.81	254.58	262.62
Iso-Overa. Coef. , Btu/hr-ft2-F	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
AINC ft2	380.77	377.13	368.80	359.55	350.48
<b>Tube Side Results:</b>					
Process Type	CONDENS	CONDENS	CONDENS	CONDENS	CONDENS
Condenser Type	TRANSIT	TRANSIT	TRANSIT	TRANSIT	TRANSIT
Temp. F	389.81	389.83	389.85	389.87	389.89
Vap. Rate lb/hr	30754.43	36749.50	42743.65	48734.96	54728.17
Liq. Rate lb/hr	56945.56	50950.50	44956.35	38965.04	32971.83
Vapor Quality	0.3507	0.4190	0.4874	0.5557	0.6240
Gas Prandt's No.	1.3413	1.3414	1.3414	1.3415	1.3415
Liq Prandt's No.	0.9160	0.9159	0.9159	0.9159	0.9159
Film Coeff.	1837.18	1896.14	1979.17	2085.79	2215.92
Shear Coeff.	1756.91	1889.89	2009.71	2120.08	2224.77
Gravity Coeff., Btu/hr-ft2-F	1875.73	1902.03	1923.56	1943.35	1960.95
T-Non-Cond Fact.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vap. Den. lb/ft3	0.4656	0.4657	0.4658	0.4659	0.4660
Liq. Den. lb/ft3	54.0474	54.0466	54.0458	54.0450	54.0442
V-L Den. lb/ft3	6.0527	5.2617	4.6065	4.0392	3.5284
Two Phase Xtt	118.55	161.65	219.75	301.59	423.79
Mome. dP psi	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01
Grav. dP psi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fric. dP psi	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03
Gas Vel. ft/sec	12.70	14.93	17.13	19.31	21.46
Liq Vel. ft/sec	1.75	1.82	1.86	1.87	1.84
Vel. ft/sec	2.51	2.88	3.29	3.75	4.29
Liq Re	5608	5018	4428	3838	3248
Vap Re	24726	29545	34363	39179	43995

**Shell Side Results**

Process Type	EVAPORA	EVAPORA	EVAPORA	EVAPORA	EVAPORA
Temp. F	334.20	334.58	334.92	335.25	335.57
Vap. Rate lb/hr	24463.03	73703.66	123296.19	172981.42	222821.61
Liq. Rate lb/hr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vapor Quality	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
Gas Prandt's No.	0.9226	0.9225	0.9223	0.9222	0.9220
Liq Prandt's No.	5.7972	5.8145	5.8313	5.8478	5.8642
P sat. psia	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
dP Sat. psi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
T Sat. F	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
T wall F	362.36	362.39	362.15	361.90	361.68
(Twall-Tsat) F	822.03	822.06	821.82	821.57	821.35
Nuc. Boi. Coef., Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
For. Con. Coef., Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Film Coeff., Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	873.76	911.11	991.21	1091.17	1204.20
Vap. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	2.5173	2.5173	2.5166	2.5157	2.5149
Liq. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	29.5041	29.5031	29.5063	29.5096	29.5130
V-L Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Cross-flow Xtt	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Window-flow Xtt	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mome. dP psi	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
Grav. dP psi	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.77
Fric. dP psi	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21
V-L Cross u ft/sec	4.05	4.05	4.05	4.05	4.05
Cross-Flow Re	240716	240242	239742	239248	238760

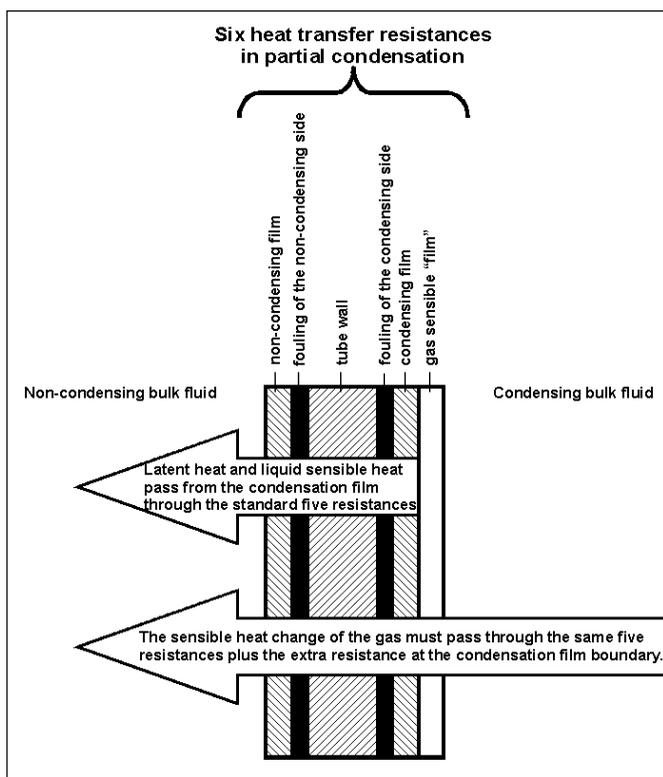
The following comments are relevant.

1. For condensation there are three possible flow regimes.

- SHEARCT** - The vapor velocity is so high that the flow becomes turbulent, and this type of heat transfer is referred to as a shear-controlled turbulent film.
- GRAVCTL** - The vapor velocity is low and the condensate film is basically in a laminar state. This type of heat transfer is generally known as gravity controlled laminar film.
- TRANSIT** - The SHEARCT and GRAVCTL are basically the two extremes of the flows, which may occur during condensation. In going from the SHEAR controlled to the GRAVITY controlled, there is a transition region, which is usually called the TRANSIT (for transition) region. There are times when the vapor is so low that the predominant regime is the TRANSIT or even GRAVCTL for very low vapor velocities.

The shear-controlled and gravity-controlled heat transfer coefficients are calculated at each zone of a condenser whether or not it is the controlling coefficient. If the governing flow regime is shear, the shear coefficient will be used. If the governing flow regime is gravity, the gravity coefficient will be used. If flow regime is in the transition region, a geometrically weighted average of the two coefficients will be used.

2. **The gas phase heat transfer (Gas Coeff.)** is also calculated at each zone. This coefficient is very important in the calculation of the overall heat transfer coefficient when there are large amounts of noncondensibles present.
3. **Evaporation Flow Regimes and Coefficients** - For all evaporators the regime always read EVAPORA for evaporation.
4. **Overall Heat Transfer Coefficient and the Noncondensibles Factor** – For non-isothermal condensation, if the **MULTICOMPONENTS CORRELATION** has been selected on the METHODS page of the **General Information dialog box**, the Silver, Bell, and Ghaly method (Ref. Nos. C1, C2, C22, C23, C24) will be used to calculate the overall heat transfer coefficient. This method is illustrated in the following drawing:



In addition to the five heat transfer resistance's normally accounted for in the calculation of the overall heat transfer coefficient, a sixth resistance, that of a gas film at the boundary of the condensing film, is included in the model. This "gas film" is a resistance to the sensible heat transferred from the bulk gas on the condensing side to the bulk fluid on the other side. In reality this resistance is a mass transfer resistance not a heat transfer resistance. However, at the

present time calculation of the mass transfer resistance for the general case is not practical. Therefore, the SBG method substitutes the “calculateable” gas heat transfer resistance for the “uncalculateable” gas-liquid mass transfer resistance. This approach is conservative and generally produces overall coefficients somewhat less than the real situation. However, it is much better than omitting the resistance altogether. The presence of even small amounts of non-condensibles significantly lowers the real heat transfer coefficient. The pure condensing coefficient alone does not adequately represent the situation.

The overall procedure for the SGB method is outlined (in simplified form) below:

- i. Calculate the film coefficients as normal.
- ii. Calculate the overall heat transfer coefficient, U, as normal (one over the sum of the five heat transfer resistance).
- iii. Calculate the gas coefficient at the condensing liquid boundary using standard sensible heat transfer methods.
- iv. Calculate the non-condensable factor, F, (**F-Non-Cons Fact** on the zone-by-zone output) as a function of the gas coefficient and the sensible heat change of the gas across the zone.
- v. Calculate the final overall heat transfer coefficient, U<sub>o</sub>, as:

$$U_o = \frac{U}{1+F}$$

If the non-condensibles factor is calculated, the zone-by-zone analysis will print out both the unadjusted overall heat transfer coefficient, U, (labeled the **Iso-Overall Coefficient**) and adjusted overall heat transfer coefficient, U<sub>o</sub>, (labeled **Overall Coefficient**).

5. **Two-Phase Pressure Drops** - The calculation of two-phase pressure drops in **CC-THERM** can be broken into four parts.
  - Two-phase multiplier
  - Gravity portion
  - Friction portion
  - Momentum portion

These are explained below.

**Two-phase multiplier, X<sub>tt</sub>** - The two-phase multiplier is calculated at each zone. When there are large amounts of vapor present, the multiplier will be quite large. This multiplier is applied to each component of the pressure drop (momentum, gravity, and friction) and summed over all the zones to arrive at the overall pressure drop.

**Momentum portion** - The momentum portion of the pressure drop is calculated based on the assumption that the entire fluid is in the liquid state. A multiplier is calculated which corrects for the two-phase nature of the flow. This multiplier then multiplies the momentum pressure drop at each zone to calculate the overall two-phase pressure drop.

**Gravity portion** - The gravity portion of the pressure drop is meant to simulate the two-phase static head which will always exist in any two-phase situation and for a condenser will always be a pressure gain, although usually a very small quantity.

**Friction portion** - The frictional portion of the pressure drop is calculated based on the assumption that the entire fluid is in the liquid state. A multiplier is calculated which corrects for the two-phase nature of the flow. This multiplier then multiplies the frictional pressure drop at each zone to calculate the overall two-phase pressure drop.

6. **The Nucleate Boiling Coefficient** - In any evaporator, the heat transfer coefficient is a combination of the two-phase heat transfer coefficient and the nucleate boiling coefficient. For pool-type evaporation, nucleate boiling will predominate. For a vertical thermosyphon, the two-phase heat transfer coefficient will usually be predominate.
7. AINC is the incremental area of the zone. It is calculated like so:

$$\text{AINC}_i = \frac{Q_i}{U_i \bullet \text{CMTD}_i}$$

- where,
- $Q_i$  = the heat duty of the zone
  - $U_i$  = the overall heat transfer coefficient (final) of the zone
  - $\text{CMTD}_i$  = the corrected log menu temperature difference across the zone.  $\text{CMTD}_i$  is the LMTD of the zone times the correction factor for the entire exchanger. All zones use the same correction factor.

The total required area for the heat exchanger is the sum of all the  $\text{AINC}_i$ 's.

8. The zone-by-zone analysis prints out the arithmetic average of the zone inlets and outlets for the following variables:
  - Temperature
  - Vapor flowrate
  - Liquid flowrate
  - Vapor quality
  - Vapor density
  - Liquid density
  - Two-phase density
9. The following numbers are calculated from the average properties of the zone:
  - Velocity
  - Reynold's number
  - Prandtl number
  - Film coefficients
10. The "saturation variables" P saturation, **dP sat.**, **T sat.**, **T wall**, and **(Twall – Tsat)** are used only for evaporation.

- **P sat.** stands for saturation pressure. Since any evaporation zone is saturated, P sat is actually the specified average pressure of the zone,  $P_i$ . For any evaporative zone,

$$P_{sat} = P_i = P_{in} - i \cdot \frac{\Delta P}{m}$$

where,  $P_{in}$  = the inlet pressure to the heat exchanger  
 $i$  = the number of the current zone  
 $\Delta P$  = the allowable pressure drop across the heat exchanger  
 $m$  = the total number of zones

- **dP sat.** is the "saturation pressure" at the tube wall temperature. This is a pseudo value used by the Forrester - Zuber equation. It is calculated using the Clasius-Clapyron equation:

$$\ln \frac{dP_{sat}}{P_{sat}} = \frac{h_{LG} * M}{R} \left[ \frac{1}{T_{sat}} - \frac{1}{T_{wall}} \right]$$

where,  $h_{LG}$  = the latent heat of the fluid  
 $m$  = the molecular weight of the fluid  
 $R$  = the gas law constant  
 $T_{sat}$  = the zone average temperature (explained below)  
 $T_{wall}$  = the zone wall temperature (explained below)

The Clasius-Clapyron equation is for pure components, but is used by the Forrester-Zuber Method as a satisfactory approximation.

- **Tsat.** Is the average zone temperature and is taken from the heat curve.
- **Twall** is the tube wall temperature. The tube wall temperature is calculated by solving the heat balance across each heat transfer boundary.
- **(Twall – Tsat)** is the difference between the tube wall temperature and the bulk fluid temperature. This quantity has a strong influence upon nucleate boiling coefficients.

11. For sensible shell side cases, stream analysis data will be printed out zone-by-zone if stream analysis method is used. These data is explained in section 14 of **SHELLSIDE DATA**.

## CLEARANCE

This report tabulates the clearances used in the exchanger calculations. All clearances are diametrical except for the bundle top space and the bundle bottom space, which are radial.

## OVERALL DATA

1. The **Area Total** is the total installed area of the heat exchanger. It is the total surface area of a single tube times the total number of tubes. For U-tubes, only the straight length of the tube is

used unless the user enters a value for the U-bend efficiency. For low radial finned tubes, the area is the total area of the fins.

2. The **Area Effective** of the exchanger excludes that portion of the tube length, which is covered by the tubesheet and the baffles. Also, for a U-tube bundle, the *U-bend* is not included in the surface area calculation depending on what has been input for the U-tube efficiency. The default for the U-tube efficiency is 0%, i.e., the U-bend will not be included.
3. The **Area Required** is that area needed to transfer the specified heat duty of the exchanger. This value is determined by summing the incremental areas, AINC<sub>i</sub>'s of all the zones.
4. The **Area per Shell** is the effective area divided by the number of shells.
5. The **% excess** is the excess area for the present calculation. This value is always expressed as a percent. A negative value indicates that the exchanger is undersurfaced. When making a design run, the program usually terminates the calculation when the excess area is between 0 and 5%. Occasionally, when making a design run, the % EXCESS will turn out to be slightly negative, and this is usually acceptable to most users. If this is not acceptable, you can do one of two things.
  - a. Make the run one more time, fixing the heat load at a value 3% or 4% higher than the maximum heat load, or
  - b. Make a rating with a shell size just slightly greater than the one just designed.
6. The **Heat Duty** is the calculation heat load, which is the larger of the calculated or user-supplied heat load.
7. **U Service** is the exchanger service heat transfer coefficient. This quantity is not a function of the calculated heat transfer coefficients. It depends on the heat load, the CMTD, and the effective surface area:

$$U_{\text{Service}} = \frac{Q \text{ TOTAL}}{\text{Area} * \text{CMTD}}$$

where, Q TOTAL = the heat duty of the exchanger  
 Area = the total effective of the exchanger  
 CMTD = the corrected log mean temperature difference

8. **U Calc** is the calculated overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole exchanger. Since an overall heat transfer coefficient, U<sub>i</sub>, is calculated for each zone, the definition of U Calc is somewhat a matter of convention. **CC-THERM** defines U Calc as:

$$U_{\text{Calc}} = \frac{Q_{\text{Total}}}{(\text{AreaReq.})(\text{WCMTD})}$$

- where, Q Total = the heat duty of the exchanger  
 Area Req = the required area which is the sum of the incremental areas for all zones  
 WCMTD = the weighted corrected log mean temperature difference which is calculated like so:

$$WCMTD = \frac{Q_{TOTAL}}{\sum \frac{Q_i}{CMTD_i}}$$

- where, Q TOTAL = the heat duty of the exchanger  
 Q<sub>i</sub> = the incremental heat duty of zone i  
 CMTD<sub>i</sub> = the corrected log mean temperature difference for zone i

9. **Weight LMTD** is the LMTD - Logarithmic Mean Temperature Difference before any correction factor is applied.
10. **LMTD Corr Factor** is the correction factor on the LMTD when a pure countercurrent flow condition does not exist. This factor is only printed when sensible flow exists on both the shellside and the tubeside.
11. **CORR LMTD** is the corrected LMTD. The program calculates the CORR LMTD in each of the zones and then calculates a weighted CORR LMTD.

## VIBRATION ANALYSIS

Each time the program makes a thermal calculation; it also does a vibrational analysis of the exchanger shellside. There are some general points about this analysis, which should be noted here.

The program makes several checks to insure that there is no vibrational problem. These include the following.

1. The Connors method for fluid elastic vibration (basically for liquids)
2. The Chen method for the vortex shedding frequency (basically for gases)
3. The Owen method for the turbulent buffeting frequency (basically for gases)
4. The Thorngren method for baffle damage

When the shellside fluid is a liquid, the Connors method is the most important determinant of a vibration problem. When the fluid is a liquid and the velocity in the given span exceeds the Connors' critical velocity, the program considers four different criteria based on the Chen and Owen method to decide whether a vibration problem exists.

1. Ratio of vortex shedding frequency to natural frequency is greater than 0.5
2. Ratio of vortex shedding frequency to acoustic frequency is greater than 0.8 and less than 1.2
3. Ratio of turbulence buffeting frequency to natural frequency is greater than 0.5
4. Ratio of turbulence buffeting frequency to acoustic frequency is greater than 0.8 and less than 1.2

When you have a two-phase situation, whether it is an evaporator or a condenser, the program makes the vibration analysis based upon the highest fluid velocity (generally the vapor velocity). This is a gray area since the methods of analysis are based upon a single fluid state. The presence of liquid will tend to dampen the effect of vortex shedding and turbulent buffeting. This is not explicitly accounted for in these methods. *It is thus left to the user to make an educated judgement, based on the numbers, which the program generates, as to whether a vibration problem exists or not.*

The program always checks for a vibration problem at three different locations.

1. The entrance baffle span (between the tubesheet and the first baffle)
2. The center baffle span (at a typical baffle center span location)
3. The exit baffle span (between the last baffle and the rear tubesheet)

There are possible several steps to take once a vibration problem does occur, and they usually entail changing the natural frequency of the bundle in one way or another. Some of these include.

1. Shorten baffle spacing
2. Use No Tubes-in-Window Baffles
3. Use No Tubes-in-Window Baffles with intermediate support plates
4. Use Rod Baffles
5. Reduce the shellside velocities

When rod baffles are used, the program uses spacing between rod baffles of six inches. The rod baffle calculations in the program are based on a single-phase fluid. *The program allows the use of rod baffles for a change-of-phase on the shellside but the results should be analyzed carefully.* If you have a *G, H, K* or *X* shell with either condensation or evaporation on the shellside, the results should be reliable. If you have an *E, F,* or *J* shell, it implies flow over and around baffles. Rod baffles are meant for longitudinal flow along the axis of the tubes. Thus, the program results will be less precise.

**Tube span** is the length of the span in question.

**Cross-flow velocity** is the shellside velocity at the span in question.

**Critical velocity** is the Connors critical velocity.

**Ratio  $V_{cross}/V_{crit}$**  is the ratio of the actual velocity to the Connors critical velocity. When the fluid is a liquid and this ratio is greater than 1.0, the possibility of fluid elastic vibration exists and **CC-THERM** flags a problem.

**Natural Frequency (F Tube)** is the first mode frequency of the tube in cycles per second. **CC-THERM** considers only the first mode in its vibration analysis. This produces a conservative result.

**Acoustic Frequency (F AC)** is the first acoustic frequency of the tube bundle. It is sometimes called the fundamental tone. It is calculated as follows:

$$f_a = \frac{U_s}{2d}$$

where,  $f_a$  = the first acoustic frequency of the bundle  
 $U_s$  = the velocity of sound in the shell side fluid  
 $d$  = the shell inside diameter

The acoustic frequency is always the same at the inlet, center, and outlet of the exchanger.

**Vortex Shed. Freq. (F VS)** is the vortex shedding frequency of the tube. Flow across a tube produces, or “sheds, a series of vortices in the downstream wake of a fluid flowing across a tube. This generates alternating forces, which occur more frequently as the velocity of flow increases. Vortex shedding can excite tube vibration when its frequency matches the natural frequency of the tubes, and can become “locked in” to the tube natural frequency even when the flow is increased.

Vortex shedding occurs the ranges  $100 < Re < 10^5$  and  $Re > 2 \times 10^6$ . It dies out in between.

**CC-THERM** uses the method of Chen to predict vortex-shedding frequencies. It should be noted that Chen's data contained few points in the range of the most common industrial pitch ratios (1.25 through 1.75).

**Turbu. Buff. Freq. (F TB)** is the dominant turbulent buffeting frequency in cycles per second. **CC-THERM** uses the empirical equation of OWENS to predict this frequency:

$$f_{tb} = \frac{U_c D_o}{P_l P_t} \left[ 3.05 \left( 1 - \frac{D_o}{P_t} \right)^2 + 0.28 \right]$$

where,  $P_l$  = the longitudinal tube pitch  
 $P_t$  = the transverse tube pitch  
 $U_c$  = the crossflow velocity  
 $D_o$  = the tube outside diameter

This equation was developed for gases and may not be applicable to liquids.

**FVS/FTUB** is the ratio of the vortex shedding frequency to the tube bundle natural frequency. When this ratio is greater than 0.5, a vibration problem is flagged.

**FVS/FAC** is the ratio of the vortex shedding frequency to the tube bundle acoustic frequency. When this ratio is in the range of 0.8 to 1.2, it indicates that a resonant condition exists and a vibration problem is flagged.

**FTB/FTUB** is the ratio of the turbulent buffeting frequency to the tube bundle natural frequency. When this ratio is greater than 0.5, a vibration problem is flagged.

**FTB/FAC** is the ratio of the turbulent buffeting frequency to the tube bundle acoustic frequency. When this ratio is in the range of 0.8 to 1.2, it indicates that a resonant condition exists and a vibration problem is flagged.

## OPTIMIZATION

This portion of the output shows the optimization path that the program used to arrive at the final result. This optimization printout only occurs if you are in the design mode. The program deliberately begins with an obviously undersized unit in order to insure that the procedure does not miss the optimum result. The program uses basically five criteria to arrive at the optimum result.

1. Supplied area is greater than the required area
2. Pressure drop allowables are met on the shellside
3. Pressure drop allowables are met on the tubeside
4. Velocities on the shellside do not exceed the imposed limit
5. Velocities on the tubeside do not exceed the imposed limit

In order to find the smallest unit, which will satisfy these criteria, the program will vary the following parameters:

- shell inside diameter
- tube length
- baffle spacing
- baffle cut
- tube passes if selected on the design options dialog box

It will also attempt to stay close to the preferred tube length to shell diameter ratio specified on the **General Information dialog box**.

If the program makes a design and what appears to be the optimum point has been exceeded, it is probable that the program continued on the optimization path in order to satisfy the velocity limitation. When this occurs, you can override the limits set by the program by making the appropriate entry in the **General Information dialogue box**.

**Iter** is the iteration number.

**Sact** is the actual surface area (installed) of the heat exchanger.

**Sreq** is the required surface area. This is the sum of the incremental areas for all the zones. Conceptually, it is the area required to transfer the heat duty of the unit at the conditions prevailing within the unit.

**Uall** is the overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole heat exchanger. Since an overall heat transfer coefficient is calculated for each zone, this value is a matter of convention. In **CC-THERM** it is determined as follows:

$$U_{all} = \frac{Q_{TOTAL}}{S_{req} * WCMTD}$$

where,  $Q_{total}$  = the heat duty of the exchanger  
 $S_{req}$  = the required surface area (defined above)  
 $WCMTD$  = the weighted corrected log mean temperature difference (defined below)

**aS** is the film coefficient on the shell side. This is the coefficient for the middle zone.

**aT** is the film coefficient on the tube side. This is the coefficient for the middle zone.

**dPS** is the calculated pressure drop on the shell side. This includes nozzle and bundle pressure losses.

**dPT** is the calculated pressure drop on the tube side. This includes nozzle and bundle pressure losses.

**Lb** is the center baffle spacing.

**Cut** is the baffle cut.

**veIS** is the shell side cross flow velocity in the middle zone.

**veIT** is the tube side velocity in the middle zone.

**diamS** is the shell inside diameter.

**Lt** is the tube length.

**nT** is the number of tubes. In the case of U-tubes this is the number of holes in the tube sheet.

**nTP** is the number of tube passes.

## STREAM DATA

The stream data section allows you to include stream composition data in your printed output. It is analogous to the **CHEMCAD Suite**, except only those streams that are included in the exchanger will appear in the report.

## REBOILER DATA

The **Reboiler Data** report provides detailed information for thermosyphon and kettle reboilers. It looks like this:

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*****
*   H Thermosyphon Reboiler Report   *
*****

                Shell Style: AXU
Circulating Flow Calculation 1=on/0=off: 1
                Number of Inlet Nozzle: 1
                Number of Outlet Nozzle: 1
                Number of Elbows on Inlet Pipes: 2
                Number of Elbows on Outlet Pipes: 2
                Inlet Static Head: 8.000000    ft
                Inlet Pipe Length: 25.000000  ft
                Inlet Pipe Diameter: 22.000000 in
                Inlet Pipe Thickness: 0.375000 in
                Outlet Elevation: 10.000000   ft
                Outlet Pipe Length: 25.000000 in
                Outlet Pipe Diameter: 30.800000 in
                Outlet Pipe Thickness: 0.375000 in
                Pressure Drop through Inlet Pipe: 0.023547 psia
                Pressure Drop through Elbows on Inlet Pipe: 0.011820 psia
                Pressure Drop through Entrance of Inlet Pipe: 0.024701 psia
                Pressure Drop and Elevation through Outlet Pipe: 0.455354 psia
                Pressure Drop through Elbows on Outlet Pipe: 0.039796 psia
                Pressure Drop through Exit of Outlet Pipe: 0.009990 psia
                Pressure Drop through Reboiler: 1.073879 psia
                Total Pressure Drop through Reboiler Side Loop: 1.639087 psia
                Mass Vapor Fraction at Outlet: 0.412435
                Outlet Vapor Mass Flow Rate: 4.982270e+005 lb/h
                ecirculating Liquid Mass Flow Rate: 7.097861e+005 lb/h

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For the first part this report is a tabulation of user input. Most of the balance of the report provides the details of the pressure drop calculations around the thermosyphon loop. These are for the most part self-explanatory. Special note should be taken for the following items:

1. The *Total Pressure Drop through Reboiler Side Loop* is equal to the sum of all the above reported pressure drops.
2. The total amount vaporized in the reboiler will always be constant. Only the liquid flow through the loop is varied. This is necessary to maintain the heat balance from the flowsheet.
3. The circulating flow will not be balanced for a kettle reboiler. However, the total pressure drop through the loop is calculated and reported so the user can compare it to what is available.

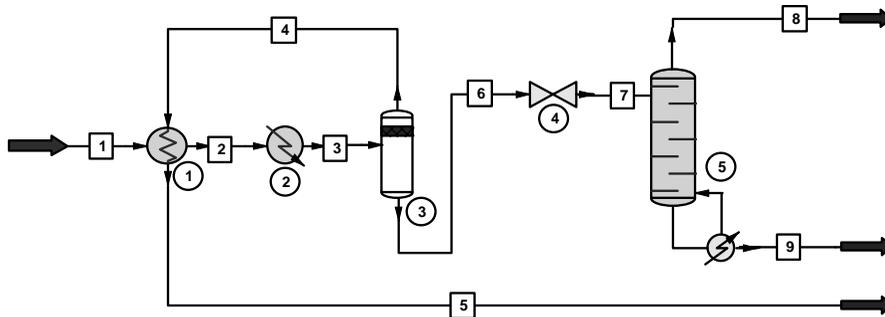
## INPUT DATA REPORT

Provides a complete tabulation of the input and assumptions used for the calculations.

## CC-THERM TUTORIAL

### THE CONDENSATE STABILIZER PROBLEM

This section of the manual is designed to walk you through the rating of a heat exchanger. The flowsheet of the problem you will deal with is shown below.



The flowsheet is the tutorial problem solved in part one of the **CHEMCAD** Examples Book. Since **CC-THERM** is an integrated module of the **CHEMCAD Suite**, it will be necessary to first simulate the flowsheet in **CHEMCAD** before you can design or rate any of the exchangers contained in this tutorial. Please make sure that this is done before proceeding (please refer to the **CHEMCAD** Examples book).

In this tutorial we are going to rate the first heat exchanger in the above flowsheet. This unit is a gas/gas heat exchanger and it has the following geometry and dimensions:

TEMA Class = R

TEMA Type = BEM

Fouling factors = 0.001 on both sides

Shell I.D. = 27-inches internal diameter

Number of tubes = 656

Tube OD = 0.75-inches

Tubewall thickness = 0.065

Tube length = 20ft.

Tube pattern = rotated triangular (60)

Tube pitch = 0.9375-inches

Baffle spacing = 24-inches

Baffle type = single segmental

Baffle cut = 35% (dia.)

An impingement plate is present

Shellside nozzles = 12/12-inches

Tubeside nozzles = 12/12-inches

Baffle to Shell I.D. clearance = 0.3125-inches (dia.)

Shell I.D. to OTL clearance = 0.35433-inches (dia.)

Tube hole clearance = 0.035-inches (dia.)

Space at the top of the bundle = 2.8-inches

All material is carbon steel

There are 5 rows per sealing strip

**ENTERING CC-THERM**

Once the simulation is complete in **CC-STEADY STATE**, you should go to the **Sizing menu** select **Heat Exchangers > hell & Tube**. The program will respond with the following procedure:

1. If a heat exchanger is not currently selected, it will ask you to select which heat exchanger (from the flowsheet) that you want to analyze. This is done by displaying the **Select UnitOps dialog box**. Select the first heat exchanger and then click **[OK]**.
2. After the desired heat exchanger has been selected, **CC-THERM** will prompt the user to identify which process stream goes on the tubeside.



3. Click **[OK]**, then click on stream 1.

**CC-THERM** will walk you through the generation of the heat curve and the specification of the heat exchanger. This process involves the following steps:

- a. Generate and finalize the heat curve and properties on both sides of the exchanger.
- b. Define general information about the exchanger: The process type or heat transfer mechanism on each side; the allowable pressure drops on each side; the fouling factors to be used for the calculation; the TEMA class and TEMA type of the exchanger; and which sets of clearances are to be used for the design.
- c. Enter any desired user data for labeling the output, design pressure/temperature, corrosion allowance, and loop optimizer.
- d. Specify any desired shell data.
- e. Specify any desired tube and tubeside data.
- f. Specify any desired baffle data.
- g. Specify any desired nozzle data.
- h. Specify any desired specific clearances.
- i. Specify any desired miscellaneous data.

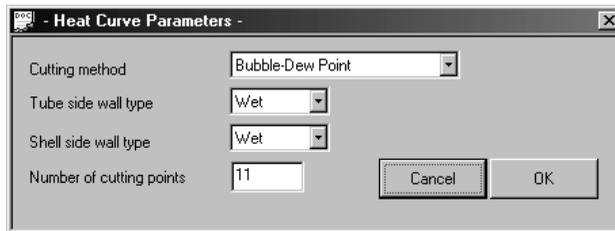
Please follow the program through these steps using the instructions given below.

**STEP 1 - IDENTIFY THE TUBESIDE STREAM:**

After the desired heat exchanger has been selected, **CC-THERM** will prompt the user to identify which process stream goes on the tubeside. A message box will appear instructing you to select the tubeside stream. Click **[OK]** on this box. The box will close and the **Select Stream dialog box** will appear. Use the cursor to click on stream number one of the flowsheet. This stream will then be the tubeside stream.

**STEP 2 - GENERATE THE HEAT CURVE:**

Once the tubeside stream is identified, the program will prompt the user through the setup of the heat curve. First, the **Heat Curve Parameters dialog box**, as shown below, is displayed.



The input for this screen is described in detail elsewhere in this manual. No attempt is made to repeat that information here. However, the following points should be noted:

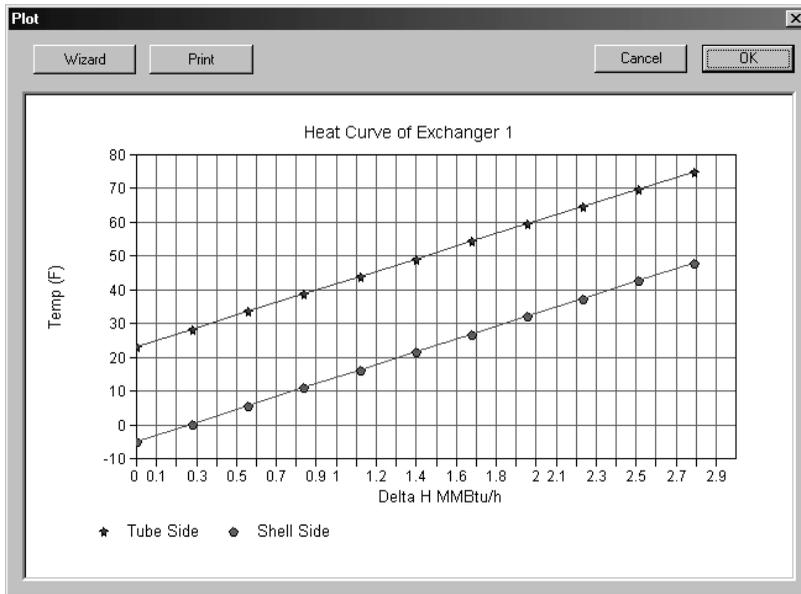
- To account for the change in physical properties across the heat exchanger, **CC-THERM** divides the analysis into zones. These zones are thermodynamic segments based on equal temperature changes or equal enthalpy increments. There are two options to choose from:
  - Increments of equal enthalpy change;
  - Increments of equal enthalpy change between the dew and bubble points with separate zones for superheating and subcooling if present.

The default is option (III) above, but the user may override their selection. Condensing can be “wet wall” or “dry wall” (described elsewhere). The default is wet wall. Since this unit is not a condenser, this field has no bearing upon the present case.

- For any of the segmentation methods described above, the user can decide how many zones are to be calculated for the exchanger. Obviously, the more zones, the more accurate the calculation, but the slower the calculations. The industry standard is 10 zones (11 points), which is the default, but the user can select any number by making an entry in the “No. Of Points” field. The Number of Points equals the number of zones plus one.

For this tutorial let's use the defaults for all of these entries. Therefore, please click the **[OK]** button now.

At this point the program calculates the 11 points needed for the heat curve. When it is finished, it will display the following plot:



Please note that this plot displayed in a **Plot Window** and can be manipulated using the **Wizard dialog** box. Please refer to other sections of this User's Guide for a description of how to use the plot Wizard.

The purpose of displaying this plot is to allow the user to inspect the calculated heat curve for any obvious problems in the set up of the analysis.

Select **[OK]** to close this window and continue.

### STEP 3 - MAKING GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS:

The program will now prompt you to provide basic information governing the heat exchanger calculations, such as process type, allowable pressure drop, fouling factor, TEMA class/type, etc. The **General Specifications dialog box** should appear as follows:

As you can see, most of the data fields are set up with defaults. In addition, each field in this menu has a *Help*, which can be called by pressing the **[F1]** key while in the field of concern.

Let's go through the input, item by item, as follows:

#### **TAB 1: General Information**

**Calculation mode** - The first thing you must decide is if you doing a design or a rating. In our case, we are doing a rating, so we set the box to **Rating**.

**TEMA class** - The TEMA class selection defines the mechanical code to which the exchanger is to be designed. Since **CC-THERM** does not do a mechanical design of a heat exchanger, an entry in this field has a very small effect on the calculation. **CC-THERM** does, however, do certain relevant mechanical calculations or make certain mechanical decisions based upon the entry in this field. For instance, when deciding how much area is actually available for heat transfer, the program must decide how much area is covered by the tube sheet. In order to do this, it must size the tube sheet, and the TEMA class selection can have some effect on the tube sheet sizing calculation. Also, in selecting default tube diameters and configurations, the TEMA class option has some relevance. It should be noted at this point that you may actually select mechanical design codes other than TEMA R, B, and C. You may also select from ASME, DIN, A. D. Merkblatter (the German code), BS 5500 (the British code), and Non-standard. For this example, let's use TEMA class R.

**TEMA type** - In order to establish the basic configuration of the exchanger, you must define the front-end, the shell, and the rear-end of the exchanger according to TEMA designations. This

is true even if you are using one of the foreign codes to set the mechanical aspects of the exchanger. The allowable entries are contained in the scroll boxes that appear when you select a field. They are also listed in Chapter 3 and in the Appendix of this manual. The simplest and most common kind of exchanger is a fixed tubesheet, or BEM, TEMA type. From the illustrations in the Supplements Section we can find the types that correspond to the letter designations. Therefore select a Bonnet front head, One Pass shell, and a Fixed Tubesheet (B head) rear head.

**Process type** - You must tell the program what process type or heat transfer mechanism exists on the tubeside and shellside. For instance, even though the program knows condensation exists, it still needs to know whether the condensation occurs in a horizontal condenser, a vertical condenser, or a reflux (knock back) condenser.

In this case, the program identifies that only vapor exists on the tubeside and shellside, and it selects the Sensible Flow options. You may skip these fields.

**Fouling factor** - To allow for fouling on the inside and outside of the tube, you are permitted to enter fouling factors. The default is 0.001 (English units) on both sides. You can take this opportunity to override the default values if you choose. Let's not do so for this case. Therefore, please skip these fields.

## TAB 2: Modeling Methods

**Tab 2** of the **General Specifications dialog box** enables the user to select what formulas are to be used in certain aspects of the heat exchanger calculations. For the purposes of this tutorial we will use the program's default selections. Therefore, no entries on Page 2 are required.

Now close the **General Specifications dialog box** by clicking **[OK]**.

Since this example is a rating case, **CC-THERM** will now walk you through each of the dialog boxes necessary to completely define the geometry of the heat exchanger. These are:

- The Tube Specifications dialog box
- The Shell Specifications dialog box
- The Baffle Specifications dialog box
- The Nozzles Specifications dialog box
- The Clearances Specifications dialog box
- The Materials Specifications dialog box
- The Miscellaneous Specifications dialog box

## STEP 4 – THE TUBE SPECIFICATIONS dialog box:

The **Tube Specifications dialog box** looks like this:

Parameter	Value	Unit
Number of tubes	656	
Number of tube passes	1	
Tube outer diameter	0.0625	ft
Tube wall thickness	0.00541667	ft
Tube length	20	ft
Internal roughness	0.0001	
Tube pattern	Rotated Triangular (60)	
Tube pitch	0.078125	ft
Trufin tube code	Plain tube	
Turbulator	No Turbulator	

You will notice that **CC-THERM** uses the following tube defaults:

- 0.75 inch O.D.
- 16 BWG (tubewall thickness = 0.065 inches)
- one tube pass
- notated triangle (60°) tube pattern
- tube patch = 0.9375 inches
- plain tubes

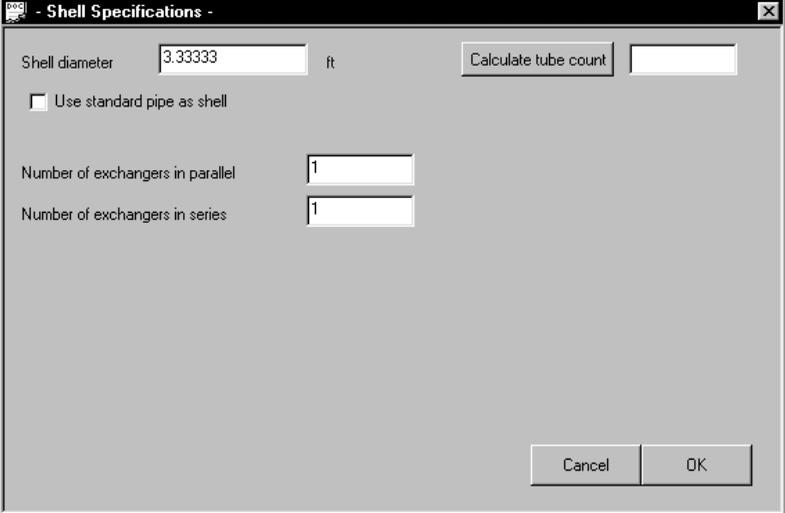
All of these defaults are the values that we want to use for this rating. Therefore, all we need to input is the number of tubes (656) and the tube length (20 feet). Please enter those values now.

Your entries should now appear as shown in the above screen.

Now save the entries and close the dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

**STEP 5 – THE SHELL SPECIFICATIONS dialog box:**

The **Shell Specifications dialog box** will appear next:



Shell diameter  ft

Use standard pipe as shell

Number of exchangers in parallel

Number of exchangers in series

The defaults for this screen are:

- pipe shell up to 24 inches and rolled plate above that
- one exchanger in parallel
- one exchanger in series

The number of tubes rows in a bundle will be determined by the program but the user can override it on screen. We should use the program calculated value.

The only value we need to specify is the shell diameter. Since the diameter is over 24 inches, the program assumes it is rolled plate and the value entered here is taken to be the actual shell I.D. Please enter 27 in the shell diameter field, then save this entry and close the dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

**STEP 6 – THE BAFFLE SPECIFICATIONS dialog box:**

Next, the **Baffle Specifications dialog box** will be displayed:

This dialog box defaults to:

- single segmental baffles
- baffle thickness = 0.126 inches
- horizontal baffles
- baffles cut based on diameter
- Impingement plate according to TEMA
- No intermediate baffles (relevant only to No-Tubes-in-Windows baffles).

All of these defaults are acceptable in our rating case example, so there is no need to make entries in these fields. It is necessary; however, to specify the baffle spacing and baffle cut.

### **Baffle Spacing –**

The baffle spacing may be specified at the inlet, the center, and/or the outlet of the heat exchanger. In a rating case, the center spacing must be specified. Either the inlet or the outlet spacing may be specified. The other will be calculated. In this tutorial the center baffle spacing is 24 inches.

Wherever the baffle spacing changes, the cross flow area will be different, and therefore, the velocities, pressure drops, and film coefficients will also be different. Therefore, if the inlet and/or outlet baffle spacing is different from the center spacing, and if it is known, then entering that value will affect the velocities, pressure drop, and film coefficients across the first and/or last baffle(s). In our case, the inlet and outlet baffle spacing are not known. Therefore, we will

enter only the center spacing. Please enter “24” in the Center Spacing field now. Leave the inlet and outlet spacing fields blank.

### Baffle Cut Percent -

For this tutorial, the baffle cut percent is 35 (diameter). The baffle cut percent can be based on diameter or on area. The field “Basis of Cut” identifies whether the specified cut is based on diameter or area. The default is diameter. This is what we want. Therefore, enter 35 in the **Baffle cut percent** field.

Please save this information and close the dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

### STEP 7 – THE NOZZLE SPECIFICATIONS dialog box:

Next, the **Nozzle Specifications dialog box** will appear:

The defaults for this dialog box are:

- Regular (not longneck) nozzle
- No intermediate nozzle
- Opposite side nozzle orientation
- No reducer percent

These are acceptable. Therefore, all we need to do in this dialog box is enter the inside diameter for the inlet and outlet nozzles on both the tube and shell sides. All of these nozzles have 1 foot I.D.'s. Therefore, complete this screen as shown above.

Now save this input and close dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

### STEP 8 – THE CLEARANCES dialog box:

Now the **Clearances dialog box** will appear:

Field	Value	Unit
Baffle to shell	0.0208333	ft
Shell to outer tube limit	0.0590551	ft
Tube to baffle hole	0.002625	ft
In Line Pass Partition		ft
Space at Top of Bundle		ft
Space at Bottom of Bundle		ft
Pass Clearance Lane	0.0520833	ft

**CC-THERM** always defaults to TEMA clearances so normally no entry is required on this dialog box. However in our case the clearances are known and should be entered in the event they do not exactly conform to TEMA.

Once we have an impingement plate, we need to enter the space at the top of the bundle. No other outwear are necessary. Therefore, complete this screen as shown above.

Now save the input and close the dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

#### **STEP 9 – THE MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS dialog box:**

The next dialog box to appear will be the **Material Specifications dialog box**. It looks like this:

Field	Value	Unit
Tube material	0 1 Carbon Steel	lb/ft3
Tubesheet material	A-285-C	
Shell material	A-285-C	
Channel material	A-285-C	
Baffle material	A-285-C	

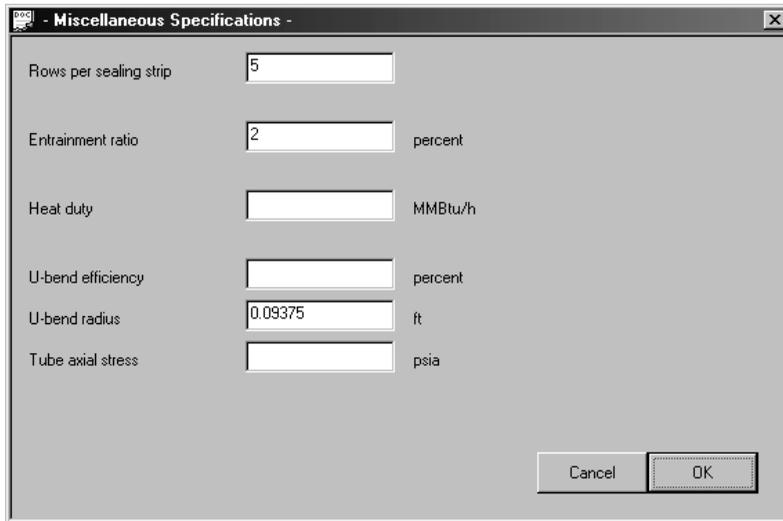
The purpose of this dialog box is to allow the user to specify the Materials of construction for the heat exchanger. Only the tube material and the tubesheet material have any impact on the thermal analysis. Entries in the other fields are only used to fill out the TEMA sheet.

The default for all materials is carbon steel. This is acceptable in this case, so no entries are necessary.

Please close this dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

#### **STEP 10 – THE MISCELLANEOUS SPECIFICATIONS dialog box:**

The last dialog box to appear will be the **Miscellaneous Specifications dialog box**. It looks like this:



Field Name	Value	Unit
Rows per sealing strip	5	
Entrainment ratio	2	percent
Heat duty		MMBtu/h
U-bend efficiency		percent
U-bend radius	0.09375	ft
Tube axial stress		psia

The only field on this screen which we are concerned about is the “Rows per Sealing Strip” field. We want 5 rows per sealing strip, and this is the default. Therefore, no entries are required on this screen.

Close this dialog box by clicking **[OK]**.

#### **THE CC-THERM MENU:**

The input sequence for our rating case is now complete. The program will now open the **Shell and Tube Exchanger Menu**, which looks like this:



### STEP 11 – CALCULATING:

We are now ready to run, so you may now select the **Calculate** option on the menu. The program will run very fast, show runtime messages on the status line and immediately return you to the **Shell and Tube Exchanger Menu**.

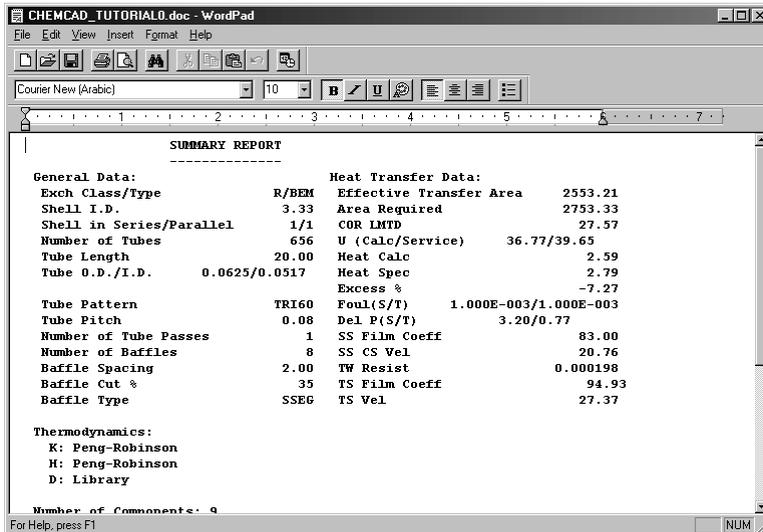
### STEP 12 – USING THE VIEW RESULTS AND PLOT COMMANDS:

We can now select the **View Results** option to see the result of the heat exchanger calculations. You may also display results graphically by using the **Plot** command, or you may print tabulated, hardcopy reports by using the **Report Generation** option.

There are a variety of detailed results, which you may display on the screen by using the **View Results** option. To get a list of the possible displays, click the **View Results** option. The **View Results** menu will appear.



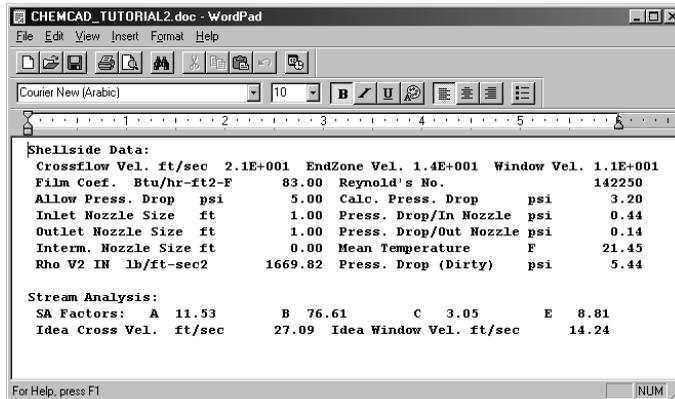
First, let's look at the Summary Results. When you select this option, your screen should display these results:



You will notice that the results are displayed in a Wordpad window. All **View Results** output is displayed in Wordpad. Using Wordpad you can now edit and print the data as desired.

Please close the Wordpad window by clicking on the **Close button** in the upper right hand corner of the Wordpad window. You will be returned to the **View Results menu**.

Next, to view the shell side data, click on the **Shellside Data** option. The following results are displayed:



To view a vibration analysis, select the **Vibration** option, and the following screen is displayed:

The screenshot shows a WordPad window titled 'CHEMCAD\_TUTORIAL3.doc - WordPad'. The text content is as follows:

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VIBRATION ANALYSIS
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Item                Inlet      Center    Outlet
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Tube Span           ft         5.00      4.00      5.00
Cross-Flow Velocity ft/sec 13.84     20.76     13.84
Critical Velocity   ft/sec 8.71      17.80     9.36
Ratio V Cross/V Crit. 1.59      1.17      1.48
Natural Frequency (F Tube) 28.90     56.68     28.91
Acoustic Frequency (F AC) 183.23    188.19    192.00
Vortex Shed. Freq. (F VS) 177.12    265.68    177.12
Turbu. Buff. Freq. (F TB) 37.58     56.37     37.58
F VS/F Tube        6.13      4.69      6.13
F VS/F AC          0.97      1.41      0.92
F TB/F Tube        1.30      0.99      1.30
F TB/F AC          0.21      0.30      0.20
Vibration Exists    Yes       Yes       Yes
Note: The Unit of Frequency is Cycles/Sec.
  
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For an explanation of these values, refer to the **Report Generation** section of this manual.

Please close the Wordpad window(s) now. This will return you to the **View Results menu**. Exit this menu by clicking on the **Exit** option at the top of the menu. The **View Results menu** will close and the **Shell and Tube Exchanger menu** will reopen.

The **Plot** option works the same way. Click on the word **Plot** on the menu to display the possible plots.



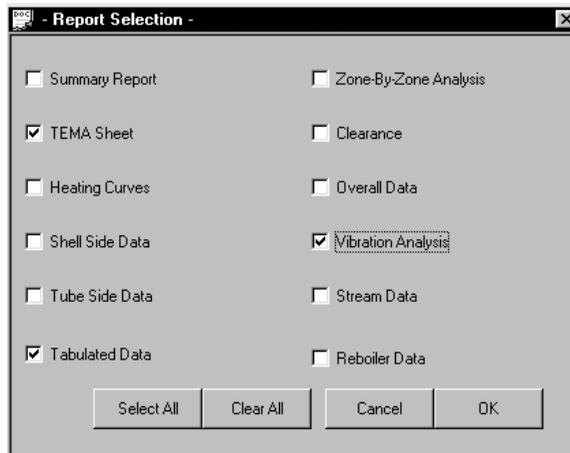
All of these plots are zone-by-zone graphs and will generate plots in a plot window just like the heat curve plot we saw at the beginning of this tutorial. When you close the plot window, you will be returned to the **Shell and Tube Exchanger** menu.

### STEP 13 – GENERATING A REPORT:

To generate a tabulated report, use the **Report Generation** option. Then select the **Select Reports** option from the menu which opens. The **Report Selection** dialog box will appear.

By clicking on the fields next to the desired selections, you may select the content of the final report. For the purposes of this tutorial, let us assume that we want the TEMA sheet, Tabulated Analysis, and Vibration analysis sent to a printer.

Fill in the dialog box like so:



Now click **[OK]** to save. The dialog box will close and the **Report Generation menu** will reopen.

Now select the **Generate Reports** option. This will cause the program to make the report and display it for you. It will be displayed in a Wordpad window as before. You now have the option of browsing, editing, and/or printing it using Wordpad commands.

We have now completed all of the exercises for our tutorial. To exit **CC-THERM**;

Close the Wordpad window. You will be returned to the **Report Generation menu**.

Click on the Exit command on the Report Generation menu. The Shell and Tube Exchanger menu will open. Click on the Exit command on the Shell and Tube Exchanger menu.

**APPENDIX I: MATERIAL CODE NUMBERS FOR SHELL AND CHANNEL MATERIALS**

**SHELL MATERIALS:**

- 1. A-285-C
- 2. A-515-55
- 3. A-515-60
- 4. A-515-65
- 5. A-515-70
- 6. A-516-55
- 7. A-516-60
- 8. A-516-65
- 9. A-516-70
- 10. A234-WPB
- 11. A-53B(W) (Considered ERW Pipe - NOT Seamless)
- 12. A-106-B
- 13. A312304W (Considered ERW Pipe - NOT Seamless)
- 14. A312316W (Considered ERW Pipe - NOT Seamless)
- 15. A-333-1
- 16. A-333-6
- 17. A-333-4
- 18. A-333-7
- 19. C.S.
- 20. A-537-2
- 21. A-202-A
- 22. A-202-B
- 23. A-203-D
- 24. A-203-E
- 25. A-203-F ( <= 2.0 INCH )
- 26. A-204-A
- 27. A-204-B
- 28. A-204-C
- 29. A-225-C
- 30. A-302-A
- 31. A-302-B
- 32. A-387-2 CLASS 1
- 33. A-387-12 CLASS 1
- 34. A-387-11 CLASS 1
- 35. A-387-22 CLASS 1
- 36. A-387-21 CLASS 1
- 37. A-387-5 CLASS 1 - (Allow. AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 38. A-533-A
- 39. A-533-B
- 40. A-533-C
- 41. MONEL (ERW)PIPE - SB-165-400A (Annealed)
- 42. MONEL (ERW)PIPE - SB-165-400S (Stress Relieved)
- 43. INCONEL (ERW)PIPE - SB-167-600A (Hot Finished/Annealed)
- 44. INCONEL (ERW)PIPE - SB-167-600S (Hot Finished/Annealed)

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45.	INCOLOY	- SB-163-825A (Annealed)
46.	INCOLOY	- SB-163-825S (Annealed)
47.	ALUMINUM BRONZE	- SB-171-61
48.	MONEL	- SB-127-400
49.	ALUMINUM-6061	- SB-209-T651
50.	TITANIUM-2	- SB-265-Gr 2
51.	TITANIUM-12	- SB-265-Gr 12
52.	NICKEL	- SB-162-200 (Hot Rolled)
53.	LC-NICKEL	- SB-162-201 (H.R./Annealed)
54.	ZIRCONIUM	- SB-551
55.	INCOLOY-800	- SB-409-800 (Annealed)
56.	INCOLOY-825	- SB-424-825 (Annealed)
57.	INCONEL-600	- SB-168-600 (Annealed)
58.	HASTELLOY-B	- SB-333-B2 (Soln Annealed)
59.	HASTELLOY-C	- SB-575-C276 (Soln Annealed)
60.	HASTELLOY-G	- SB-582-G (Soln Annealed)
61.	A-240-304	
62.	A-240-304L	
63.	A-240-304H	
64.	A-240-304N	
65.	A-240-316	
66.	A-240-316L	
67.	A-240-316H	
68.	A-240-316N	
69.	A-240-317	
70.	A-240-317L	
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72.	A-240-321H	
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76.	A-240-348H	
77.	A-240-309	
78.	A-240-309S	
79.	A-240-310	
80.	A-240-310S	
81.	A-240-405	
82.	A-240-410	
83.	A-240-430	

**CHANNEL MATERIALS**

1.	A-179	
2.	A-214	
3.	A-106-B	
4.	C.S.	
5.	NOT USED	
6.	NOT USED	
7.	NOT USED	
8.	NOT USED	
9.	NOT USED	
10.	NOT USED	
11.	A-334-1	(Seamless)
12.	A-334-6	(Seamless)
13.	A-210-A	
14.	A-210-C	
15.	A-178-A	
16.	A-178-C	
17.	A-199-T11	
18.	A-199-T3B	
19.	A-199-T22	
20.	A-199-T21	
21.	A-199-T5	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
22.	A-199-T7	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
23.	A-199-T9	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
24.	A-209-T1B	
25.	A-209-T1	
26.	A-209-T1A	
27.	A-213-T2	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
28.	A-213-T17	
29.	A-213-T12	
30.	A-213-T11	
31.	A-213-T22	
32.	A-213-T21	
33.	A-213-T5	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
34.	A-213-T5B	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
35.	A-213-T5C	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
36.	A-213-T7	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
37.	A-213-T9	(Allowable AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
38.	A-334-9	(Seamless - Allow. AVAIL @ 650 F. and above)
39.	A-334-7	(Seamless)
40.	A-334-3	(Seamless)
41.	COPPER	-SB-111-122 (HARD DRAWN)
42.	ADMIRALTY	-SB-111-443 (Annealed)
43.	ALUMINUM BRASS	-SB-111-687 (Annealed)
44.	RED BRASS	-SB-111-230 (Annealed)
45.	Cu-Ni 70/30	-SB-111-715 (Annealed)
46.	Cu-Ni 90/10	-SB-111-706 (Annealed)
47.	ALUMINUM BRONZE	-SB-111-608 (Annealed)

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48.	MONEL	-SB-163-400 (Annealed)
49.	ALUMINUM-6061	-SB-234-6061-T6
50.	TITANIUM-2	-SB-338-Gr 2 (Welded-Annealed)
51.	TITANIUM-12	-SB-338-GR 12 (Welded-Annealed)
52.	NICKEL	-SB-163-200 (Annealed)
53.	LC-NICKEL	-SB-163-201 (Annealed)
54.	ZIRCONIUM	-SB-523-R60702
55.	INCOLOY-800	-SB-163-800 (Annealed)
56.	INCOLOY-825	-SB-163-825 (Annealed)
57.	INCONEL-600	-SB-163-600 (Annealed)
58.	HASTELLOY-B	-SB-619-B (Soln Annealed)
59.	HASTELLOY-C	-SB-619-C-276 (Soln Annealed)
60.	HASTELLOY-G	-SB-619-G (Soln Annealed)
61.	A-213-304	
62.	A-213-304L	
63.	A-213-304H	
64.	A-213-304N	
65.	A-213-316	
66.	A-213-316L	
67.	A-213-316H	
68.	A-213-316N	
69.	A-213-317	
70.	A-213-317L	
71.	A-213-321	
72.	A-213-321H	
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75.	A-213-348	
76.	A-213-348H	
77.	A-213-309	
78.	A-213-309S	
79.	A-213-310	
80.	A-213-310S	
81.	A-213-405	
82.	A-213-410	
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- 98. NOT USED
- 99. NOT USED
- 100. NOT USED
- 101. A-249-304
- 102. A-249-304L
- 103. A-249-304H
- 104. A-249-304N
- 105. A-249-316
- 106. A-249-316L
- 107. A-249-316H
- 108. A-249-316N
- 109. A-249-317
- 110. A-249-317L
- 111. A-249-321
- 112. A-249-321H
- 113. A-249-347
- 114. A-249-347H
- 115. A-249-348
- 116. A-249-348H
- 117. A-249-309
- 118. A-249-309S
- 119. A-249-310
- 120. A-249-310S
- 121. A-249-405
- 122. A-249-410
- A-249-430

**DIN-A.D. Merkblätter Code**

A37  
ST37.2  
ST45.8  
STAHL  
1.4301  
1.4301  
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1.4401  
1.4401  
1.4401  
TTST41  
TTST45  
ST45.8  
ST45.8  
ST37.2  
ST37.2  
CRMO  
CRMO

1.4301  
1.4401

**British Standard 5500**

15123A  
15123B  
15126A  
15126B  
22128A  
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**APPENDIX II: MATERIAL CODE NUMBERS FOR TUBESHEET MATERIALS**

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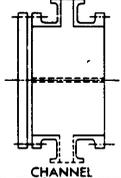
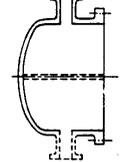
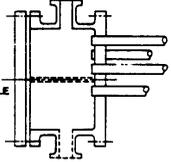
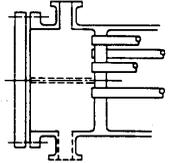
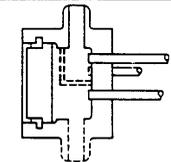
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- 6. A-516-55
- 7. A-516-60
- 8. A-516-65
- 9. A-516-70
- 10. A-181-60
- 11. A-181-70
- 12. A-105
- 13. NOT USED
- 14. NOT USED
- 15. NOT USED
- 16. NOT USED
- 17. A-350-LF1
- 18. A-350-LF2
- 19. C.S.
- 20. NOT USED
- 21. A-182-F1
- 22. A-182-F2
- 23. A-182-F12
- 24. A-182-F11
- 25. A-182-F22 (Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 26. A-182-F21 (Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 27. A-182-F5 (Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 28. A-182-F5A (Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 29. A-182-F7 (Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 30. A-182-F9 (Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
- 31. A-216-WCA
- 32. A-216-WCB
- 33. A-217-WC1
- 34. A-217-WC4
- 35. A-350-LF3
- 36. A-350-LF4
- 37. A-372-4
- 38. A-372-V
- 39. A-372-8
- 40. A-508-1
- 41. COPPER- SB- 11-110
- 42. ADMIRALTY- SB-171-443
- 43. ALUMINUM BRASS
- 44. NAVAL BRASS SB-171-464
- 45. B-171-70/30 SB-171-715

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46.	B-171-90/10	SB-171-706
47.	ALUMINUM BRONZE	SB-171-614
48.	MONEL	SB-127-400
49.	ALUMINUM-6061	SB-209-T651
50.	TITANIUM-2	SB-265-Gr 2
51.	TITANIUM-12	SB-265-Gr 12
52.	NICKEL	SB-162-200 (Hot Rolled)
53.	LC-NICKEL	SB-162-201 (H.R./Annealed)
54.	ZIRCONIUM	SB-551
55.	INCOLOY-800	SB-409-800 (Annealed)
56.	INCOLOY-825	SB-424-825 (Annealed)
57.	INCONEL-600	SB-168-600 (Annealed)
58.	HASTELLOY-B	SB-333-B2 (Sol Annealed)
59.	HASTELLOY-C	SB-575-C276 (Sol Annealed)
60.	HASTELLOY-G	SB-582-G (Sol Annealed)
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- 120. A-182-310S
- 121. A-182-405
- 122. A-182-410
- 123. A-182-430

**APPENDIX III: TEMA DESIGNATIONS**

	FRONT END STATIONARY HEAD TYPES	SHELL TYPES	REAR END HEAD TYPES
<b>A</b>	 CHANNEL AND REMOVABLE COVER	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
<b>B</b>	 BONNET (INTEGRAL COVER)	<b>F</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>C</b>	 REMOVABLE TUBE BUNDLE ONLY CHANNEL INTEGRAL WITH TUBE-SHEET AND REMOVABLE COVER	<b>G</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>N</b>	 CHANNEL INTEGRAL WITH TUBE-SHEET AND REMOVABLE COVER	<b>H</b>	<b>P</b>
<b>D</b>	 SPECIAL HIGH PRESSURE CLOSURE	<b>J</b>	<b>S</b>
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## APPENDIX V: USER FIN TUBES

If the fin tube or “enhanced heat transfer” tube that is needed is not contained in the CC-THERM library, then the user may define his/her own using the procedure outlined below.

1. Select the “User specified fin tube” option from the **Trufin tube code** list on the **Tube Specifications dialog box**. This dialog box is found on the **Exchanger Geometry Menu** under the main **Shell and Tube Exchanger Menu**.

The screenshot shows the "Tube Specifications" dialog box with the following values:

- Number of tubes: 128
- Number of tube passes: 1
- Tube outer diameter: (empty)
- Tube wall thickness: (empty)
- Tube length: 2
- Internal roughness: 0.0001
- Tube pattern: Rotated Triangular (60)
- Tube pitch: 4.6
- Trufin tube code: User specified fin tube
- Turbulator: No Turbulator

2. Select the “User specified fin tube” option from the **Trufin tube code** list.
3. Click **[OK]**. The **Fin Tube Methods dialog box** will open.

The screenshot shows the "Fin Tube Methods" dialog box with the following selections:

- Shell side method: ESDC method
- Tube side method: Plain tube

4. Select a tubeside method and a shellside method by clicking on the displayed options.
5. Click **[OK]**. The **Fin Tube Specifications dialog box** will open.

6. Complete both pages of the **Fin Tube Specifications** dialog box.
7. Click **[OK]**. You will be returned to the **Shell and Tube Exchanger Geometry Menu**.

### THE FINTUBE METHODS DIALOG BOX

The **Fin Tube Methods** dialog box enables the user to specify which heat transfer method is to be used to calculate the film coefficients and pressure drops on each side of the tube. The dialog box looks like this:

**THE FIN TUBE SPECIFICATIONS DIALOG BOX**

**Fin Tube Specifications -**

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Name:

Tube type:

Tube material:

Number of fins:  per cm

Nominal outer diameter:  cm

Fin root diameter:  cm

Internal diameter:  cm

Equiv. dia. - sensible:  cm

Equiv. dia. - condensation:  cm

Tube-baffle clearance:  cm

Fin height:  cm

Fin thickness:  cm

Cancel OK

**Fin Tube Specifications -**

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Area/length:  m

Ratio of outside/bared inside area:

Ratio of outside/actual inside area:

Wall thermal conductivity:  kcal/h-m-C

Fin thermal conductivity:  kcal/h-m-C

Fin efficiency:

Heat transfer data:

Factor m:

Factor r:

Factor beta:

Factor gamma:

Cancel OK

**Page 1:**

**Name:** Since the data for this fin tube will be stored in the CHEMCAD databank, it is useful to specify a name for the tube. This name will then appear at the bottom of your fin tube list whenever it is displayed.

**Tube type:** There are many types of enhanced heat transfer tubes. CC-THERM contains manufacturer data for many commercially available tubes for each of these types. When a user defines his/her own tube, the tube type must be identified as it determines the approval taken in the calculations. Available options are:

- Plain Fin
- Koro-Dense
- Turbo-Chill
- Fluted
- Turbulator

**Tube Material:** The materials commonly used for low fin tubes are available. These are carbon steel, C-1/2 Moly Steel, C-1/2 Mo, and 11/4 Cr-1/2 Mo. For other materials the user can input the wall and fin THERMAL conductivity. Since the main influence of materials on the calculation is the determination of tube wall resistance, this should be sufficient.

**Number of Fins:** Enter the number of fins per unit of length.

**Nominal outer diameter:** Enter a nominal diameter. This number is used only in the calculation of Turbo-Chill and Korodense in the calculation, but may be useful in making your output conform to industry standards.

**Fin Root Diameter:** This is the diameter of the tube from the bottom of the fins. In Figure 1 below, the fin root diameter is requested by  $D_{fr}$ .

**Internal diameter:** Low finned tubes have one internal diameter at their entrance and another internal diameter along that portion of the tabs which is finned. Referring to Figure 1,  $D_{ti}$  represents the internal diameter of the fin tube. This is the portion of the tube which is finned.

**Equivalent diameter-sensible:** This is the correlating outside diameter for sensible flow in Turbo-Chill tubes. It is used only for Turbo-Chill and Korodense tubes.

**Equivalent diameter-condensation:** This is the correlating outside diameter for condensation in Turbo-Chill tubes. It is used only for Turbo-Chill and Korodense tubes.

**Tube-to-baffle clearance:** Standard TEMA clearances do not suffice for finned tube calculations. For accuracy the user should enter his/her own value.

**Fin height:** Enter the height of the fin from its base. Referring to Figure 1.

$$h = \text{height of fin} = \frac{D_{fo} - D_{fr}}{2}$$

**Fin thickness:** Enter the average width of the fin. This would be  $L_{ss}$  in Figure 1 and  $w$  as shown in Figure 2.

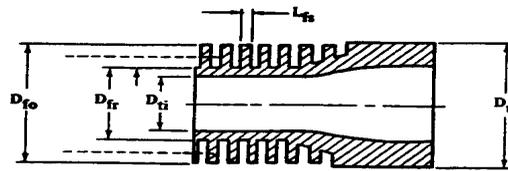


Figure 1 Geometric characteristics for external low fin tubes.

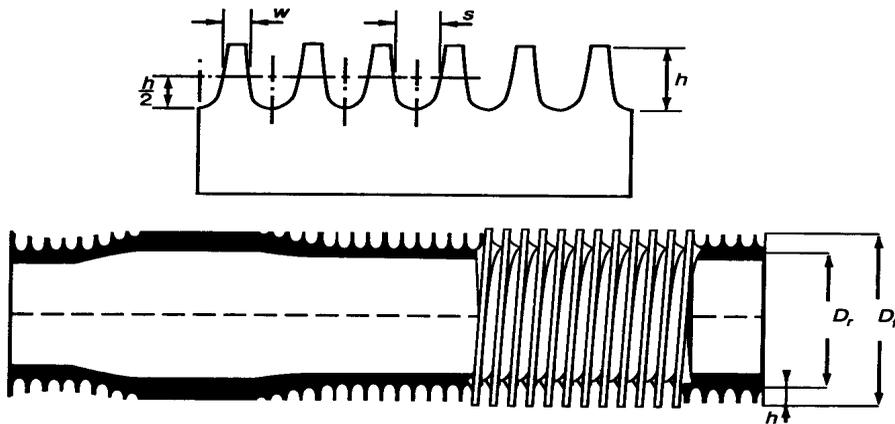


Fig. 2 Low-fin tube characteristic finning notation.

Page 2:

**Area/Length:** This is the total heat transfer surface area on the outside of the tube per unit length. Put another way, it is:

$$\text{Area/Length} = \frac{(\text{Area of exposed portion of fins}) + (\text{Outside Area of tube not covered by fin})}{\text{Length of tube}}$$

**Ratio of outside/based inside area:** This is the total outside heat transfer area divided by the inside area calculated using the nominal diameter of the tube. This value is used only for Turbo-Chill and Korodense tubes.

**Ratio of outside/actual inside area:** This is the total outside heat transfer area divided by the inside area calculated using the actual inside diameter of the tube. This value is used only for Turbo-Chill and Korodense tubes.

**Wall Thermal conductivity:** Enter the wall Thermal conductivity. It is used to calculate tube wall resistance. The program defaults to that of the material selected above.

**Fin Thermal conductivity:** Enter the fin Thermal conductivity. It is used to calculate the fin tube wall resistance. The program defaults to that of the material selected above.

**Heat transfer data:** The factors  $m$ ,  $r$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\chi$  are used in the equations given below:

$$h_i = \frac{C_p * G \sqrt{f/8}}{\beta \sqrt{\text{Pr} * [\text{Re} * \sqrt{F/8}]^{0.136} + \chi}}$$

$$\sqrt{f/8} = \frac{-1}{2.46 \ln[r + (\tau/Re)^m]}$$

where,  $C_p$  = heat capacity  
 $G$  = mass flow/cross sectional area  
 $\text{Pr}$  = Prandtl's No.  
 $\text{Re}$  = Reynold's No.  
 $F, r, \beta, \chi$  = correlating factors for tube

**Fin efficiency:** For a single fin the fin efficiency  $\eta_f$  is introduced to simplify the calculation of the heat transfer from an extended surface. It is defined as the ratio of the actual heat transfer from the extended surface  $Q_a$ , to the amount of heat that could be transferred if the complete surface of the fin was at the temperature of the root of the fin,  $Q_i$ . Thus,

$$\eta_f = \frac{Q_a}{Q_i} = \frac{Q_a}{h \cdot A_f (T_r - T_b)}$$

where,  $A_f$  = area of surface extension of fin  
 $T_r$  = the temperature of the outside of the fin at the point of its attachment to the base surface  
 $T_b$  = the temperature of the surrounding fluid  
 $h$  = the film coefficient on the tube fins

The above is for a single isolated fin. Practical extended surfaces are composed of a number of fins placed on a base surface. The heat transfer coefficient  $h$  is considered to be uniform over both the fin and the base surface.

In calculating the total heat transfer from a tube containing extended surfaces, one must take into consideration the amount of heat transferred through the unfinned part of the bar tube as well as that from the extended surfaces. This is accomplished by introducing a weighted heat transfer coefficient  $h_o$ , defined by

$$h_o A_t = h(A_f n_f + A_r)$$

where,  $A_r$  is the surface of the tube that is not covered by fins and  $A_t$  is the total surface area,  $A_t = A_f + A_r$ . The weighted fin efficiency can be defined as;

$$n = \left[ 1 - \frac{A_f}{A_t} (1 - n_f) \right] = n_f \left( \frac{A_f}{A_t} \right) + \left( 1 - \frac{A_f}{A_t} \right)$$

Enter n in this field.

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## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

### INTRODUCTION TO CC-THERM AIR COOLER

**CC-THERM AIR COOLER** or **AIR COOLER** is an integrated module for the design, rating, and fouling rating of air cooled heat exchangers in the **CHEMCAD Suite**. It is fully integrated with **CHEMCAD** so process data is automatically transferred from **CHEMCAD**'s flowsheets to the heat exchanger sizing program, and heating curves and physical properties data are automatically generated.

### EASY TO LEARN

The input for **AIR COOLER** is simple and concise. It is based upon the **CHEMCAD** input system, so any user familiar with **CHEMCAD** will be able to operate **AIR COOLER** with ease. Since the input/output systems and conventions are the same in **AIR COOLER** as those used in **CHEMCAD**, please refer to the **CHEMCAD** User's Guide for these types of "How to" instructions.

### TECHNICAL FEATURES

1. **AIR COOLER** handles the following applications:
  - Sensible cooling
  - Horizontal condensing
  - Vertical condensing
  - Reflux condensation
2. Three modes of calculation may be selected: design, rating, or fouling rating mode. In the design mode, a full optimization of the bundle dimensions, tube length, as well as tube passes per bundle will be carried out. In the fouling rating mode, fouling factors will be estimated for given process stream and air cooler. In the rating mode, the required heat transfer area will be calculated for given process stream and air cooler geometry data and compared to actual area at service.
3. Tubes may be bare or finned. Finned tube may be user defined or chosen from a library of Wolverine, HPTI, and Wieland tubes built into the program.
4. Dry wall and wet wall condensing can be accommodated.
5. Conservative and non-conservative condensing methods are available.

### METHODS

## TUBESIDE HEAT TRANSFER

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The tube side heat transfer is calculated differently for condensation and sensible flow.

### Condensation

The program considers the following types of condensation:

- Horizontal Condensation
- Vertical Condensation
- Reflux condenser

The program calculates tube side condensation for horizontal condenser, vertical condenser, and reflux (or knock-back) condenser for in-tube condensation. The algorithm for condensation calculation in air cooler program is similar to that in shell and tube program in that the exchanger is always broken into  $n$  (default=10) different zones. The two principal heat transfer mechanisms occurring (shear-controlled condensation and gravity-controlled condensation) are computed. In between these two extreme zones, the calculation is considered to be in the transition region between shear controlled and gravity controlled. For a condenser where the inlet quality is 100% and the outlet 0%, the flow regime usually is shear-controlled at the inlet, goes through the transition region, and finally, is gravity controlled at the outlet.

In horizontal tube condensation, two extreme cases are recognized, stratifying flow at low vapor velocity and annular flow at high vapor velocity. Stratifying flow forms when the influence of vapor shear is low and condensate film drains under gravity forming a drainage region at the top part of the tube inner and a stratified layer at the bottom. Annular flow forms when the vapor shear force is much more greater than gravity and the stratified layer disappears. For the stratifying flow, gravity controlled model obtained by Chaddock (1962) and Chato (1957) is applied to the drainage region and the heat transfer in the stratified layer is also under consideration while calculating average heat transfer coefficients. For the annular flow, shear controlled model is applied. For intermediate region between stratifying and annular flows, interpolation is applied.

In vertical tube condensation, filmwise condensation is considered. Again, the gravity controlled and shear controlled mechanism applies. The program uses the Dukler method for gravity condensation for vertical tubes. The Nusselt treatment (1916) is followed for laminar film.

The calculation of two-phase flow is an important part of an air-cooled condenser calculation, especially, of pressure drop, void fraction, and two-phase density. The calculation of the two-phase flow is computed as if all the fluid is in the liquid state. A two-phase multiplier is then used to compute the real two-phase variables. Previously, the Nelson modification (1948) of the Lockhart-Martinelli equation (1949) was used to calculate the two-phase density and pressure drop. However, more recently published correlations have proven to be far more accurate and now supplant the Lockhart-Martinelli method. For the two-phase pressure drop calculation, the program uses the Friedel correlation (1979). For void fraction, the correlation by Premoli et al. (1971) is used.

### **Multi-Component Condensation and the Effect of Non-Condensibles**

All above-mentioned methods are for condensation of a pure vapor and, as such, do not take into account the presence of non-condensibles or the effect of large temperature differences between the vapor dew point and bubble point.

To account for the presence of non-condensibles or large temperature differences between inlet and outlet, a method similar to that suggested by Silver and Bell & Khaly in the above-cited references is utilized. For each step along the condensation curve, the program calculates a resistance factor to include the combined effects of a large temperature difference and the presence of non-condensibles. A very common occurrence in a steam condenser is the presence of a small quantity of air. This type gives a graphic illustration of how these resistance factors come into play. For the first several zones of such an exchanger, the condensing temperature is practically isothermal because only a small amount of air is present. In the last zone, a sizable temperature difference may exist and the amount of non-condensibles may become more significant since almost all of the vapor has condensed. Thus, the resistance factor in this last zone could be substantial, and, in such a case, half of the required area is often necessary for the last zone alone.

### **Sensible Flow**

The Sieder-Tate equation is employed for the calculation of the tube side heat transfer coefficient in the turbulent region. The method of Martinelli and Boelter is utilized for laminar flow in a vertical tube. The method of Eubank and Proctor is used for laminar flow in horizontal tubes. Both of these correlations combine the effects of natural convection and forced convection. The flow is assumed to be laminar below a Reynolds number of 2000 and is turbulent above a Reynolds number of 10000. In the transition region, the program prorates the laminar and turbulent coefficient according to the Reynolds number to arrive at the final coefficient. The program uses the familiar Poiseuille's law for the friction factor in the pressure drop calculation for laminar flow (Reynolds number below 2000). For turbulent flow (Reynolds number above 3000) and for the transition region between laminar and turbulent flow, the recommendations made in Section 5.23 of Perry are followed.

## **AIRSIDE HEAT TRANSFER**

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For the airside heat transfer coefficient of bare tube, the program uses ESDU methods (1973). For pressure drop, it uses the method described in the Heat Exchanger Design Handbook (1983). For finned-tube, the concept of fin efficiency is applied to allow for the radial temperature profile in calculating heat transfer coefficients. The heat transfer and pressure drop correlation suggested by ESDU (1984) is used for low fin tubes. For high fin tubes, the correlation recommended by ESDU (1986) is applied for staggered finned-tube arrays and that by Schmidt (1963) is applied for in-line arrays.

## **ZONE ANALYSIS**

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For all exchangers, the unit is analyzed using zones specified by user. **AIR COOLER** automatically sets up the zones and properties of each zone, but permits the user to edit or override.

## OUTPUT FEATURES

The user may select from the following output:

- A zone-by-zone print-out of the heat curve and fluid physical properties
- API datasheet
- A detailed print-out of overall exchanger values
- A zone-by-zone print-out of heat transfer and pressure drop calculations
- The stream information inlet/outlet with H, T, P, and component flow rates
- Optimization data

You can request any of above output to be opened in Microsoft Word or Word Pad by using the **View** menu and conveniently view, edit, or print out the results. Also, the **Plot** menu is available at any time for the graphic display of the most important profiles, such as temperature, heat transfer coefficient, and heat flux, along the axial direction from the zone-by-zone analysis.

The editing heat curve facility also provides you with an opportunity not only to view the heat curve but also to be able to access the contents of the heat curve and make any changes to the data that you want without going through the procedures for the heat curve generation. The details of this operation will be described later.

## OVERVIEW

**AIR COOLER** is a state-of-the-art interactive tool for rating and design of air-cooled (or heated) heat exchangers. This section gives an overall view of the program usage and the options available in the **AIR COOLER** main menu. More information on each option in the main menu is provided in Chapter 2.

Since **AIR COOLER** is integrated with the **CHEMCAD Suite**, the program is also equipped with sound thermodynamic models as well as a database with physical properties for over 1800 pure components.

The interactive feature of **AIR COOLER** allows full control of data communication. The input functions allow you to enter process data by using dialog boxes. With this input facility, you can create new problem files, review the results of problems already designed, and make modifications to previously saved problems.

There are seven general steps involved in running a heat exchanger analysis with **AIR COOLER**. The following list illustrates the general steps.

1. Select components and include **Air** in the component list.
2. Define the problem and run the flowsheet in **CC-STEADY STATE**. This generates **CHEMCAD** files.
3. Select the **Sizing** command on the menu bar. The Sizing Menu will open.
4. From this menu select the **Heat Exchangers** followed by selection of **Air Cooler** option.
5. The program will prompt you though the initial setup of the exchanger analysis. It will do this by displaying instructions about what you are to do next. When the instruction is cleared by clicking [OK], you will be taken to the function or dialog box appropriate for completing the instructed task. At the end of the set up process, the **AIR COOLER Menu** is displayed.

6. Inspect and edit the input as desired using the menu commands.
7. Execute the problem.
8. Review and printout.

The program performs the following tasks.

1. Performs extensive error checking.
2. Creates the airside streams for the use of air cooled heat exchangers.
3. Generates the heat curve for the tube and airsides.
4. Calculates in any of the following modes:
  - i. **Design** - The tube side inlet and outlet streams are taken from the flow sheet, the user supplies the fouling factors and airflow, and the program calculates the main dimensions of the exchangers (certain basic geometry specifications must be specified by the user).
  - ii. **Rating** – The tube side inlet and outlet streams are taken from the flow sheet and the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions, fouling factors, and airflow. The program determines whether the exchanger is too large or too small for the given application.
  - iii. **Fouling rating** – The tube side inlet and outlet streams are taken from the flow sheet and the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions and airflow. The program calculates the fouling factors required to obtain the specified performance from the exchanger.
5. Generates the output for the design/analysis of the heat exchanger.
6. Provides an interactive user interface to allow the user to change the problem specifications to rerun the problem and review the results.
7. Creates the **AIR COOLER** files to save all the input/output data for each exchanger.

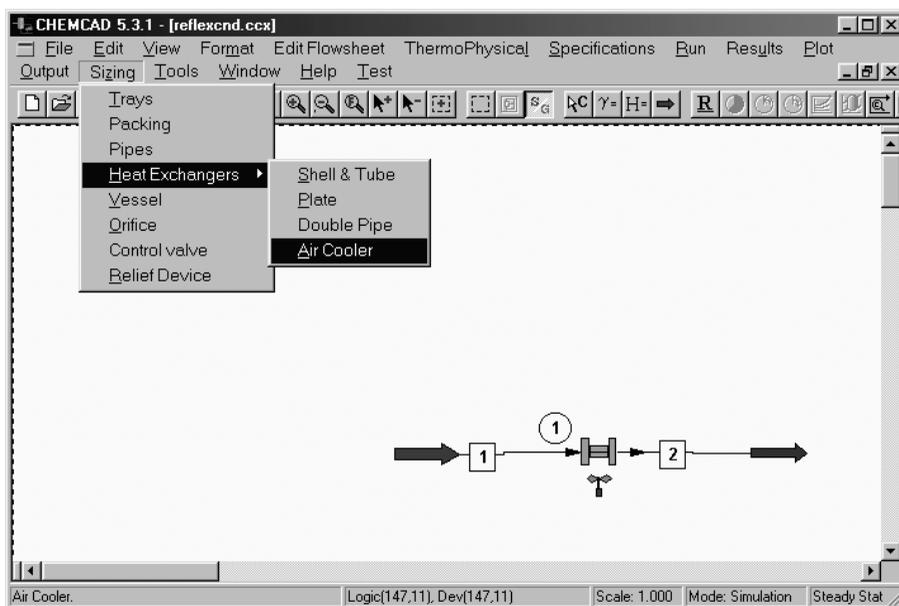
## SUMMARY

As an integrated module to the **CHEMCAD Suite**, **AIR COOLER** offers the process engineer an easy and comprehensive method of sizing or rating air-cooled heat exchangers. Since it uses the same command language as **CHEMCAD**, any **CHEMCAD** user can pick up the program in a matter of minutes. The program has been thoroughly and rigorously tested and found to be an accurate and reliable tool. It is fully supported by a staff of trained engineers. We believe it will be an indispensable tool for the library of the process engineer.

## AIR COOLER COMMANDS

The **AIR COOLER** program is an interactive program for air cooler design, rating, fouling rating, and other analysis. It allows you to enter your air cooler information through a menu system similar to **CC-THERM SHELL AND TUBE**, run the problem immediately, review the results, edit your data if you wish and re-run the problem until you are satisfied.

**AIR COOLER** is accessed from CHEMCAD using the **Sizing, Heat Exchangers, and Air Cooler** option. The screen appears as follows.



Upon entering **AIR COOLER**, the program will take you to a different status of data entering depend on whether you are creating a new job or revisiting an old one.

For creating a new job, the program will take you through several screens and allow you to enter all the data required. The first screen you will see is the **Air Cooler General Data** screen. This screen permits you to make specifications that affect the overall approach to design, rating, or fouling rating of the unit. The second screen will be **Air Cooler Geometry** menu if your selection for computation mode is rating or fouling rating. The entrance listed in the menu allows you to access varies air cooler geometry data specification dialog. Upon exiting the menu, the program will take you to the **Air Side Data** dialog screen where airside data may be entered. If design is the computation mode you selected in the **Air Cooler General Data** screen. The program will by pass the **Air Cooler Geometry** menu and leads you directly to the **Air Side Data** dialog screen. Upon exiting the **Air Side Data** dialog screen, the program will automatically take process data from **CHEMCAD** and those you just entered, perform mass and

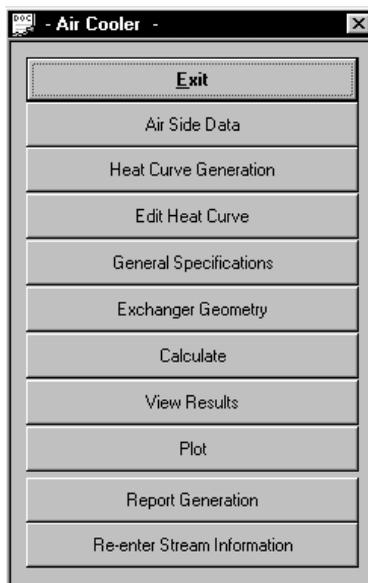
energy balance computation, create and show the four streams entering and leaving the heat exchanger, do the heat curve calculation, and take you to the main **Air Cooler** menu.

For revisiting an old job, the program will take you directly to the main **Air Cooler** menu where you can access any data entrance screen freely, run computation, and view results.

When revisiting an old job, It is important to note that if you have made any changes to the streams or heat exchanger units within **CHEMCAD**, you will receive a warning from **AIR COOLER** recommending that you recalculate the heat curve to reflect those changes.

## USING AIR COOLER MENUS

The **Air Cooler Menu** looks like this



The options on this menu are briefly described below and more fully described in the following sections bearing the option as title.

## DATA ENTRY IN AIR COOLER

You will be entering data about air cooler through the **Air Cooler** dialog boxes. You should note the **CHEMCAD** input rules apply. Please refer to the **CHEMCAD User's Guide** for the details of all input connections and dialog boxes.

**Air Side Data** – This option enables user to specify air side data and the data along with tube side data obtained from CHEMCAD are used for calculating required air flow through material and energy balance.

**Heat Curve Generation** – The air cooler analysis calculation takes place in two steps. First, the heat curve is generated, then the heat transfer, pressure drop calculations, and fan power estimation are performed. **Heat Curve Generation** performs the former calculations. This calculation determines the flows, physical properties of the heat transfer fluids in each side of the exchanger. These properties are then used in the heat transfer, pressure drop, and fan power calculation. **Heat Curve Generation** is therefore a necessary prerequisite to the rest of the calculations.

**Edit Heat Curve** – This option enables the user to edit the heat curve values calculated by **Heat Curve Generation** or even created heat curve through manual input. It also allows user to do linear interpolation.

**General Specifications** – This option allows user to define general data for an air cooler calculation including calculation mode, process type, allowed pressure drop for design mode, fouling factor, user specified heat transfer, condensation model for condensation calculation, fouling rating option, air cooler orientation, and some API reporting related items.

**Exchanger Geometry** – Selecting this option allows user to provide physical dimensions for tube, bundle, nozzles, miscellaneous, material specifications, and fan.

**Calculate** – This is used to execute the thermal analysis and pressure drop calculation.

**View Results** – This item is used to view the calculated results interactively.

**Plot** – This option enables user to graphically display heat curve, heat flux, LMTD, temperature, heat transfer coefficients, heat transfer area information on a zone-by-zone basis.

**Re-enter Stream Information** – This command enables user to retrieve new stream information for the tube side from CHEMCAD process flow sheet.

## AIR SIDE DATA

The **Air Side Data** input screen allows the user to specify the air inlet and outlet temperature, static pressure, and face velocity. These inputs are used to calculate air flow. The screen is shown below.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Air Side Data" with the following fields and values:

- Inlet air temp: 77 F
- Specify one only:
  - Outlet air temp: 82 F
  - Face velocity at standard condition: (empty) ft/sec
- Static pressure: 0.0200005 psia
- Altitude: 107 ft
- Fan position: Forced (dropdown menu)
- Stream name: Air Flow In
- Buttons: Cancel, OK

These fields are described below.

**Inlet air temperature** - Enter the inlet (ambient) air temperature in the units shown. The default for inlet air temperature is 86 °F (30°C).

**Outlet air temperature** - Enter the outlet air temperature in the units shown. Outlet air temperature together with inlet air temperature and tube heat duty will be used to calculate airflow rate through energy balance. Further rating, fouling rating, and design will be carried out based on this fixed airflow rate.

**Face velocity at standard condition** - This is the face velocity based on the entire airflow at standard condition divided by the face area of the bundles. Further rating, fouling rating, and design will be carried out based on this fixed face velocity. This face velocity together with the air cooler geometry data is used to calculate airflow. A small value of face velocity for given air cooler geometry may lead to a small air flow, and thus, an outlet air temperature greater than process fluid temperature. Pinch may occur. To avoid this, user has to specify a face velocity greater than its minimum. The program calculates the minimum face velocity for given air cooler geometry.

**Static pressure** - Enter the available static pressure in the units as shown. If this entry is left blank, the program will default the static pressure to .5 inches (12.7 mm). Static pressure is subtracted from ambient pressure to obtain bundle outlet pressure for induced draft fan and it is added to ambient pressure to obtain bundle inlet pressure for forced draft fan installation.

**Altitude** - Enter the altitude, elevation above sea level, at which the air cooler will operate. This altitude determines ambient pressure for the air cooler.

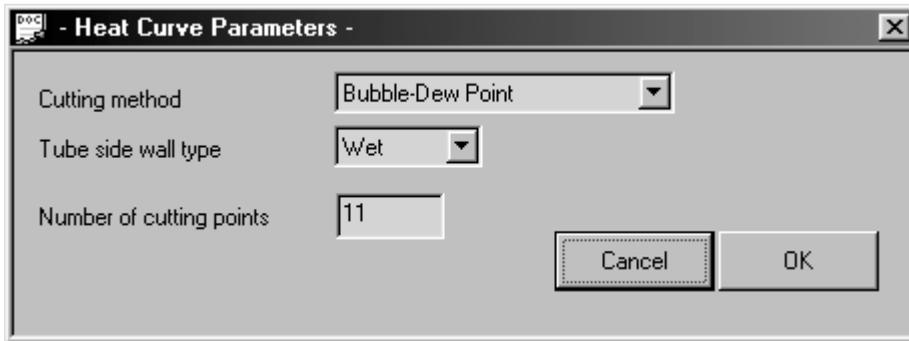
**Fan position** - The fan may be forced or induced draft. A forced draft fan receives the air at ambient temperature and pushes it through the bundle. An induced draft fan pulls the air through the bundle,

receiving it at bundle outlet temperature and pushing it out into the environment. If position is forced, the outlet air is at ambient condition. Otherwise, the inlet air is at ambient condition.

**Stream name** - Usually, it should be "Air".

## HEAT CURVE GENERATION

Selecting this option will cause the **Heat Curve Parameters dialog box** to appear:



This dialog box contains commands that allow you to enter the data necessary to calculate the heat curves for the exchanger.

**Cutting method** – The heat curve may be cut by **bubble-Dew Point** or **Equal Enthalpy** method. The default is **bubble-Dew Point** method. The **bubble-Dew Point** method finds the dew and bubble points first, and then, keep cutting the largest zone in half until number of cutting points meets user's specified value. The **Equal enthalpy** method simply cuts the heating curve into n zones with equal enthalpy increment, where n is user specified.

**Tube side wall type** – The options available are **Wet** for wet wall condensing and **Dry** for dry wall condensing.

Wet wall condensing [Default] occurs whenever condensation occurs immediately at the inlet when the first gas strikes the tubes. This would obviously occur if the entering fluid were at or below its dew point. However, in many cases, the bulk fluid is above its dew point, but still condenses when it hits the tube wall because the tube wall is so cold. In other words, the local condition at the tube wall is different than the bulk conditions.

When wet wall condensing occurs, **AIR COOLER** applies the following rules during the computation of the sensible zone next to dew point:

- If the inlet temperature is above the dew point, the LMTD is taken against the dew point temperature of the fluid.
- If the inlet temperature is at or below the dew point, the actual inlet temperature is always used in the LMTD calculation.

A condensing coefficient is always used even if the bulk fluid is superheated. Wet wall condensing is the usual condition for a condenser.

**Dry** wall condensing occurs when the amount of superheat is sufficient so that condensation does not occur at the tube wall until the fluid cools down. When this happens, **AIR COOLER** applies the following rules during the computation of the sensible zone next to dew point:

- The LMTD is always calculated using the actual fluid inlet temperature.
- A gas coefficient is computed for the zone.

**Number of cutting points** – The entry here determines the number of zones which will be used for the heat transfer analysis.  $n$  zones requires  $n+1$  cut points (the entrance to the first zone, plus the outlet of all  $n$  zones). These are thermodynamic zones, not physical zones. The default is 11 cut points or 10 zones.

### EDIT HEAT CURVE

This option is used to modify the values **CHEMCAD** calculated for the heat curve. To change a value, you simply type over it. The heat curve data will be displayed in a dialog box like that shown below:

	Pressure (psia)	Temp (F)	DelH (MMBtu/h)	Vapor (lb/h)	Liquid (lb/h)	L
1	195	23.06114	0	106274.6	0	0
2	195.5	28.31447	0.2791312	106274.6	0	0
3	196	33.55482	0.5582623	106274.6	0	0
4	196.5	38.78294	0.8373936	106274.6	0	0
5	197	43.99846	1.116525	106274.6	0	0
6	197.5	49.20027	1.395656	106274.6	0	0
7	198	54.38872	1.674787	106274.6	0	0
8	198.5	59.56316	1.953918	106274.6	0	0
9	199	64.72368	2.233049	106274.6	0	0
10	199.5	69.86894	2.512181	106274.6	0	0
11	200	75	2.791312	106274.6	0	0

This dialog box scrolls to the left (using the elevator bar at the bottom) to display additional values.

To save your changes, click the **[OK]** BUTTON.

If blank fields are left between entered values, the program will use linear interpolation to fill them in.

## GENERAL SPECIFICATION

The **General Specifications dialog box** is provided to permit you to define the general calculation parameters such as calculation mode, process type, exchanger orientation, etc. The General Information dialog box appears as follows.

These fields are described below.

**Calculation mode** – There are three calculation modes, design, rating, and fouling rating. In the design mode, **AIR COOLER** may be used to size an air cooler, i.e., calculate the optimum bundle width, tube length, and number of tube passes. When in the design mode, the information required to make a run includes stream data, fouling factors, allowable pressure drops, and geometry data other than bundle width, tube length, and tube passes.

In the rating mode, stream data, fouling factors, and all geometry data must be defined. The program checks to see if the exchanger defined will work in the given application by checking effective heat transfer area against area required to carry out the heat duty for given streams.

In the fouling rating, the required information includes streams and geometry data. The program will calculate fouling factors on tube, air, or both sides depends on user's selection on the Fouling rating option ratio button.

**Process type** - The process type specifies which heat transfer mechanism is to be used when calculating the film coefficients. For instance, while it is obvious that **AIR COOLER** will know when there is condensation on the tube side, it will not know if that condensation is Reflux or Horizontal condensation. User must define which condensation mechanism is to be used. The following process types are accommodated.

<b> Tubeside</b>	<b> Airside</b>
Sensible flow	Sensible flow
Horizontal condensation	
Vertical condensation	
Reflux condensation	

**Allowable press. drop** - Input of this variable is required for design run. 75% of the input value will be allocated for tube bundle pressure drop and 25% of it will be for nozzle pressure drop. For rating and fouling rating, this field will disappear from the dialog box.

**Fouling factor** - Input of this variable is used for rating and design calculation. It is a thermal resistance included to account for the fouling. Its value is arbitrary and defines how often you want to clean the tubes. The default is 0.001 in English units on tube side and 0.0001 for airside.

**Coefficient** - Input of this variable is optional. If you want to specify shell or tube side film heat transfer coefficient, you could enter the value in the corresponding field. The program will take this value in calculating the local overall heat transfer coefficient for each zone.

**Condensation Model** – Condensation model could be Chemstations' or VDI model. This option only appears when a condensation process is chosen.

**Fouling rating option, Tube side** – This option makes the program to rate tube side fouling factor. It requires air side fouling factor specified. It appears on the screen only if **Calculation mode** is set to fouling rating.

**Fouling rating option, Air side** – This option makes the program to rate air side fouling factor. It requires tube side fouling factor specified. It appears on the screen only if **Calculation mode** is set to fouling rating.

**Fouling rating option, Both** – This option makes the program to rate tube and air side fouling factors. Under this option, the program will assume the fouling factors on tube and air sides are equal. This option appears on the screen only if **Calculation mode** is set to fouling rating.

**Orientation** - Specify whether the tube bundle is oriented horizontally or vertically.

**Design code** - Select the design code to be used. These standards refer mostly to the mechanical details of the exchanger. Therefore, the thermal design and analyses are not heavily influenced by this choice. The available options are:

- A - ASME Section VIII - Div. 1
- B - British Standard 5500
- D - DIN A.D. Merkblatter

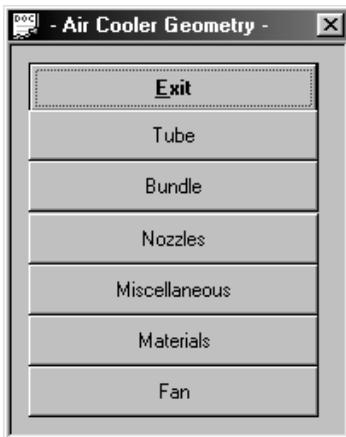
**Code stamp** - Enter a **[Y]** here, if the air cooler must be stamped for ASME Section VIII - Div. 1. This entry is purely for output on the API data sheet. It has no impact upon the thermal calculation.

**API 661** - Enter a **[Y]** here, if the air cooler must conform to the requirements of API 661, "Air Cooled Heat Exchangers for General Refinery Service."

This entry is purely for output on the API data sheet. It has no impact on the thermal calculation.

## EXCHANGER GEOMETRY

This option is to permit the user to make detailed specifications concerning the dimensions and arrangement of an air cooler. Selecting this option will cause the Exchanger Geometry Menu to appear like so:



## TUBE

Selection of **Tube** option opens up the **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**. The dialog box lets the user specify all data regarding the tubes. This includes a description of the tubes themselves, as well as, how they are arranged (tube pattern, tube pitch, etc.). The dialog box looks like this.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Tube Specifications" with the following fields and values:

- Finned tube code: User specified fin tube (dropdown)
- Outer diameter of tube: 1 in
- Tube wall thickness: 0.109055 in
- Tube length: 15.666 ft
- Tube pattern: Triangular (30) (dropdown)
- Tube pitch: 2.25 in
- Internal roughness: 0.0001
- Finned tube OD: 2.24803 in
- Number of fins per inch: 10
- Fin thickness: 0.015748 in
- Tube type: Seamless (dropdown)
- Fin attachment: Grooved (dropdown)

Buttons: Cancel, OK

**Finned tube code - AIR COOLER** allows plain tube, user specified fin tube, and common fin tube. To use finned tube, select the appropriate type from the drop-down list. **AIR COOLER** has a data bank contains 475 commonly used finned tubes. This data comes from the manufacturers. A list of available tubes is provided in Appendix A of **CC-THERM User Guide and Tutorial**.

**Outer diameter of tube** - This is the outer diameter of tube for bared tube. For finned tube, this will be root diameter. If no value is entered, the program will default to 1.0 inches (25.4 mm).

**Tubewall thickness** - This will be used to calculate inner diameter of tube. If left blank, the program will default to .065 inches wall thickness.

**Tube length** – In the design case, the program will calculate this value. In the rating case, this is required input.

**Tube pattern** – The following selection is available under this option.

- Triangular (30)
- Rotated Triangular (60)
- Square (90)
- Diamond (45)

**Tube pitch** – The tube pitch is the distance between tube centers. One needs to make sure it is greater than **Outer diameter of tube** for plain tube or **Finned tube O.D.** for finned tube.

**Internal roughness** – This field allows input of tube internal surface roughness defined by the ratio of equivalent roughness height over tube internal diameter.

**Finned tube O.D.** – This field allows input of the outer diameter of the finned tube. It also serves as a display field for diameter if a common finned tube is selected. This diameter should equal to the sum of the tube O.D. and twice of fin height.

**Number of fins per inch** – This field allows input of the number of fins per inch length of tube. It also serves as a display field for the number if a common finned tube is selected. The number determines the distance between two neighboring fins.

**Fin thickness** - This field allows input of fin thickness for user defined finned tube. It also serves as a display field for the thickness if a common finned tube is selected. Fin thickness together with fin distance determines the fin spacing.

**Tube type** - Tubes may be welded or seamless. This entry has no impact upon the calculation. The selection is printed on the API data sheet.

**Fin Attachment** - Fin attachment may be extruded, welded (soldered), grooved, and metal-coated hot-dip galvanized. This entry has no impact upon the calculation. The selection is printed on the API data sheet.

## BUNDLE

The Bundle option opens up the **Bundle Specifications Dialog Box**. Some fields in this Dialog Box are dynamically linked to **Calculation mode**. For rating and fouling rating mode, required specifications include **Tubes per row**, **Tube rows per pass**, **Passes per bundle**, **Bundle connection**, and **Bay connection**. For design mode, required specifications include **Total number of tube rows**, **Bundle connection**, **Bundle arrangement**, and **Bay connection**. The dialog box is shown below and the definition of each fields follows.

The screenshot shows the 'Bundle Specifications' dialog box. It features the following fields and sub-dialogs:

- Tubes per row:** Input field with value 23.
- Total number of tube rows:** Input field with value 4.
- Tube rows per pass:** Input field with value 4.
- Passes per bundle:** Input field with value 1.
- Slope of bundle:** Input field (empty).
- Bundle connection and arrangement:** A sub-dialog box containing:
  - Input field with value 1, followed by 'Parallel x'.
  - Input field with value 1, followed by 'Series'.
  - Input field with value 1, labeled 'Number of rows per bay'.
- Bay connection:** A sub-dialog box containing:
  - Input field with value 1, followed by 'Parallel x'.
  - Input field with value 1, followed by 'Series'.
- Buttons:** 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons at the bottom right.

**Tubes per row** - This field should only be used for a rating or a fouling rating case for which it is a mandatory entry. In the design run, the program will calculate its value.

**Total number of tube rows** - An entry should be made here for the total number of rows. This is mandatory input for a design case. For a rating or a fouling rating run, the program will calculate it from specified **Tube rows per pass** and **Passes per bundle**.

**Tube Rows per pass** - This entry is mandatory for a rating or a fouling rating case. For a design case the program will calculate it.

**Passes per bundle** - This is a mandatory input for a rating or a fouling rating case. For a design case the program will optimize on the number of passes.

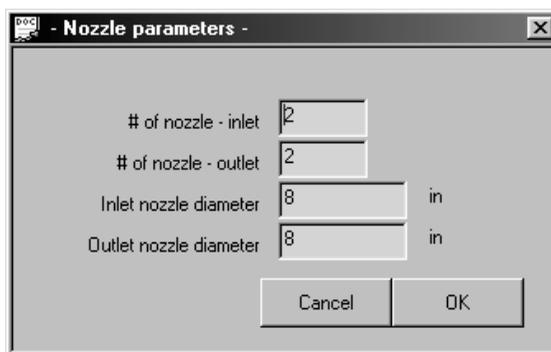
**Slope of bundle** - Enter the slope of the tube bundle in the units shown. For a one pass condenser, the program will default to 0.125 inches per foot (10 mm/meter).

**Bay connection** - Number of bays can be connected in proper parallel, series, or parallel-series combination. The fields for number of parallel and series are mandatory entries.

**Bundle connection and arrangement** - Number of bundles can be connected in proper parallel, series, or parallel-series combinations. The fields for number of parallel and series are mandatory entries. Number of bundles may be arranged in proper rows by columns. For a rating or a fouling rating run, the number of bundle rows will not affect the computation. However, in a design run, it is used to determine bundle width and tube length for given number of bundles per bay, bay width, and bay length.

## NOZZLES

Selection of this option brings up the **Nozzle Parameter Dialog Box**. The dialog box allows user to specify dimensions of nozzles. It looks like this.



# of nozzle - inlet	2
# of nozzle - outlet	2
Inlet nozzle diameter	8 in
Outlet nozzle diameter	8 in

Cancel OK

**# of nozzles - inlet** - This entry is for input of the number of nozzles per bundle for the tube side inlet.

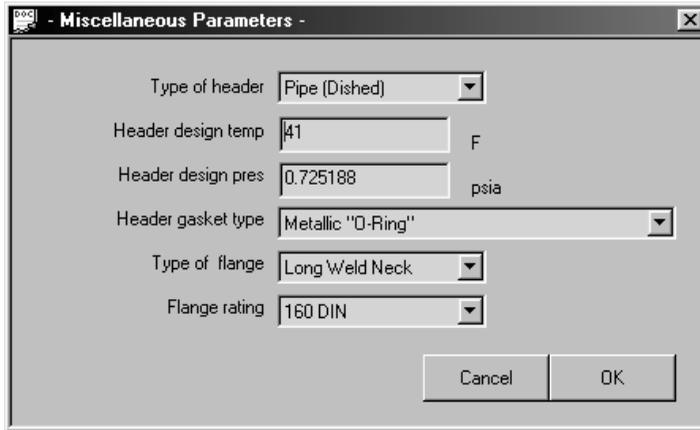
**# of nozzles - outlet** - This entry is for input of the number of nozzles per bundle for the tube side outlet.

**Inlet nozzle diameter** - This is the inner diameter of an inlet nozzle. All inlet nozzles are assumed to have the same diameter.

**Outlet nozzle diameter** - This is the inner diameter of an outlet nozzle. All outlet nozzles are assumed to have the same diameter.

## MISCELLANEOUS

Selection of this option brings up the **Miscellaneous Parameters Dialog Box**. The dialog box allows user to specify miscellaneous items about bundle and all entries in this dialog box has no impact upon the calculation. The data specified here is printed on the API data sheet. The dialog box looks like this.



**Type of header** - The following choices are available:

- Plug
- Cover Plate
- Bonnet
- Split
- U-tube
- Pipe (Dished)

**Header design temp** - Enter the header design temperature.

**Header design pres** - Enter the header design pressure.

**Header gasket type** - The following choices are available

- Spiral Wound
- CAF (Corrugated w/ Asbestos Filling)
- Corrugated
- FAF (Flat w/ Asbestos Filling)
- Grooved
- Solid

Metallic "O-Ring"

**Type of flange** - The possible entries are as follow:

Slip-On

Weld Neck

Lap Joint

Ring Type Joint

Long Weld Neck

**Flange rating** - If you are using a flange per ANSI or API standard, enter the class of the flange in this field. It is understood that the class will always be in psi even if you are using metric or SI units. The following ANSI & API standard sizes are available (Rating in psi):

150 & 300 - all sizes up to 24 inches

400/600/900/1500 - all sizes up to 24 inches

2500 - all sizes up to 12 inches

The following DIN standard sizes are available (Rating in BAR):

6 & 10 -all sizes up to 600 millimeters

25 -all sizes up to 600 millimeters

16 -all sizes up to 600 millimeters

40 -all sizes up to 500 millimeters

64 -all sizes up to 400 millimeters

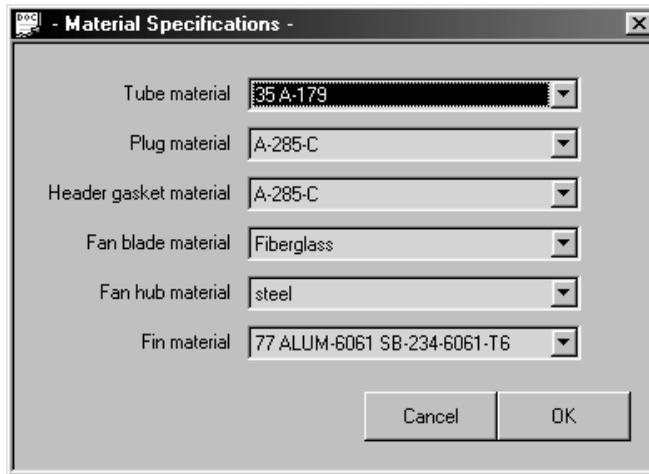
100 -all sizes up to 350 millimeters

160 -all sizes up to 300 millimeters

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## **MATERIALS**

Selection of this option brings up the **Material Specifications Dialog Box**. The dialog box allows user to specify material for varies parts of air cooler. Among these entries, only the selections in the tube and fin material field will affect thermal calculation of an air cooler. Others are for the API data sheet only. The dialog box looks like this.



The image shows a dialog box titled "Material Specifications" with a standard Windows window border. It contains six rows of material selection options, each with a label and a dropdown menu. The selected values are: Tube material (35 A-179), Plug material (A-285-C), Header gasket material (A-285-C), Fan blade material (Fiberglass), Fan hub material (steel), and Fin material (77 ALUM-6061 SB-234-6061-T6). At the bottom right, there are two buttons: "Cancel" and "OK".

Tube material	35 A-179
Plug material	A-285-C
Header gasket material	A-285-C
Fan blade material	Fiberglass
Fan hub material	steel
Fin material	77 ALUM-6061 SB-234-6061-T6

**Tube material** - Select the tube material from the options listed in the window. The tube material directly influences the tube wall resistance in the heat transfer calculation.

**Plug material** - Select the plug material from the options listed in the window.

**Header gasket material** - Select the header gasket material from the options listed in the window.

**Fan blade material** - Fan blades may be fiberglass or aluminum. Make your selection from the window.

**Fan hub material** - Fan hubs may be of aluminum or steel. Selections are made from the window.

**Fin material** - Select the appropriate option from the window. Fin material may be carbon steel, aluminum (default), copper, or stainless steel. The fin material selection affects the heat transfer resistance.

## FAN PARAMETERS

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Defaults are available for all necessary fan parameters, so entries on this screen are optional.

**Fan manufacturer** - Fan data from the following manufacturers are available within the program:

- Checo
- Moore
- Environment Element Corp.
- Aerovent
- Hudson

Choose one of these from the window. The manufacturer's data is used in the fan size selection.

**Manufacturer designation** - For Checo and Moore fans, more than one type of fan is available. The following fan designations are available:

<u>Checo</u>	<u>Moore</u>
515	27
718	33
924	40
1224	49
1233	60
1245	73
	90

Make the appropriate selection from the window.

**# of fans / bay length** - Enter the number of fans along the length of one bay.

**Fan diameter** - Enter the fan diameter in the units shown. If not specified, the program will take 90% of bay width for fan diameter.

**# of fan blades** - Enter the number of fan blades.

**Fan RPM** - Enter the fan speed in revolutions per minute.

**Maximum noise level** - Enter the maximum permissible noise level of the fan.

**Fan pitch control** - The user may choose from none, manual, or automatic. Selections are made from the window and output to the API datasheet.

**Action on air failure** - The fan pitch on air failure may be:

None (no specification)

Minimum

Maximum

Lockup

Select the appropriate option from the window. This selection will be output to the API datasheet.

**Louvers** - Louvers may open and close manually or automatically. Therefore the user may choose from the following options:

None (no specification)

Manual

Automatic

Selections may be made from the appropriate window. This selection is output to the API datasheet.

**Action on air failure (Louvers)** - On air failure the louvers may fail open, closed, or locked. Therefore, the options available to the user are:

None (no specification)

Open

Closed

Locked up

Selections are made from the window. This selection is output to the API datasheet.

**Recirculation** - The possible choices are:

None (no specification)

Internal

External around bundle sides

External around bundle ends

Selections are made from the window. This selection is output to the API datasheet.

**Minimum ambient temperature** - Enter the minimum ambient temperature in the units displayed. This value helps determine the operating range of the fan and is output to the API datasheet.

**Drive manufacturer** - The user may chose from GE, RELIANCE, or WESTINGHOUSE drivers. Make the appropriate selection from the window. This selection will be output to the API datasheet.

**Type of driver** - The driver type may be unspecified, electric, or steam turbine.

**Driver RPM** - The following choices are typical for an electric motor:

3500 / 1750 / 1450 / 1150 / 870 / 580

For a steam turbine, the RPM may be different than those shown above for an electric motor.

**Voltage** - The following choices are available for electric voltage:

220 v

380 v

440 v

460 v

**# of phases** - The following choices are available for number of phases:

Three phases

One phase

**Voltage frequency** - The following choices are available for voltage frequency:

60 Hz

50 Hz

**Motor enclosure** - The following choices are available for the motor enclosure:

Unspecified

Drip-Proof

Weather-Proof - class I

Weather-Proof - class II

TEFC - Totally Enclosed Fan Cooled

Explosion Proof

**Bundle frame** - The following choices are available:

Galvanized

Welded

**Structural mounting** - The following choices are available:

Grade Mounted

Piperack

**Surface preparation** - The following choices are available:

No surface preparation

Primed

**Vibration switch** - Enter a 'Y' if a vibration switch will be used.

**Reducer manufacturer** - The following choices are available for speed reducer manufacturer field:

Leave Choice Blank

Philadelphia

Cleveland

Falk

**Type of speed reducer** - The following choices are available:

Leave Choice Blank

Right Angle Gear

V-Belt

Direct Coupled

**Reducer AGMA rating** - Enter the AGMA rating of the Speed reducer in HP or kW.

**Reducer ratio** - Enter the speed reducer ratio.

**Reducer support** - The following choices are available for speed reducer support:

Structure

Pedestal

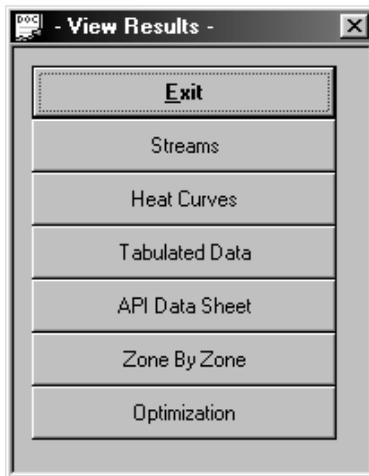
## CALCULATE

The RUN command tells the program to execute the design, rate, or fouling rating calculation. To begin the run, move the pointer to the **Calculate** option and click the left mouse button. After the command is issued, the program performs a complete data check to make sure there is no missing or unreasonable information. If errors or warnings are detected, the program shows an error message on the screen. The program allows you to either change the data or ignore the error messages.

The progress of calculation will be reported in the status line in the lower left corner for design, heating curve, and fouling rating calculation. A message of completion pops-up after calculation is done.

## VIEW RESULTS

The **View Results** option enables the user to interactively review selected results on the screen. When selected, the **VIEW MENU** appears on the screen like so:



The items listed provide summaries of the specific information requested. All displays are in Wordpad so that they can be edited, printed, and/or saved. A detailed description of each VIEW MENU option is given below.

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### **STREAMS**

This option displays the compositions and thermodynamic properties of the streams going in and out of the heat exchanger.

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### **HEAT CURVES**

This displays the temperatures, vapor and liquid rates, heat duties, and physical and transport properties for each zone. These are the values used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations.

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### **TABULATED DATA**

This option displays the Overall Data, TubeSide Data, AirSide Data, Bundle and Bay geometry, and Tube and Fin geometry together on one page.

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### **API DATA**

This option displays the completed API Data sheet.

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### **ZONE-BY-ZONE DATA**

This option allows the user to review the zone-by-zone calculated results for the overall, the tube side, and the air side.

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## OPTIMIZATION

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This shows the optimization sequence used by **Air Cooler** to arrive at the final result.

### PLOT

From the **Plot Menu**, you can plot several zone-by-zone results graphically. The menu appears on the screen like so:



The plots are displayed in Plot Windows. Therefore, the user can modify or edit the plots using the commands provided by this window.

The following plot categories are available:

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### HEAT CURVE

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Process heat curve is a plot of heat duty versus temperature for both sides of the exchanger.

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### HEAT FLUX

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Heat flux

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### LMTD

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Log-mean temperature difference for each zone.

**TEMPERATURE**

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Tube side, tube side wall, shell side wall and shell side temperatures for each zone.

**HEAT XFER COEFFICIENT**

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Overall, tube side, shell side, tube fouling and shell fouling heat transfer coefficients for each zone.

**HEAT XFER AREA**

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Heat transfer area calculated for each zone.

**RE-ENTER STREAM INFORMATION**

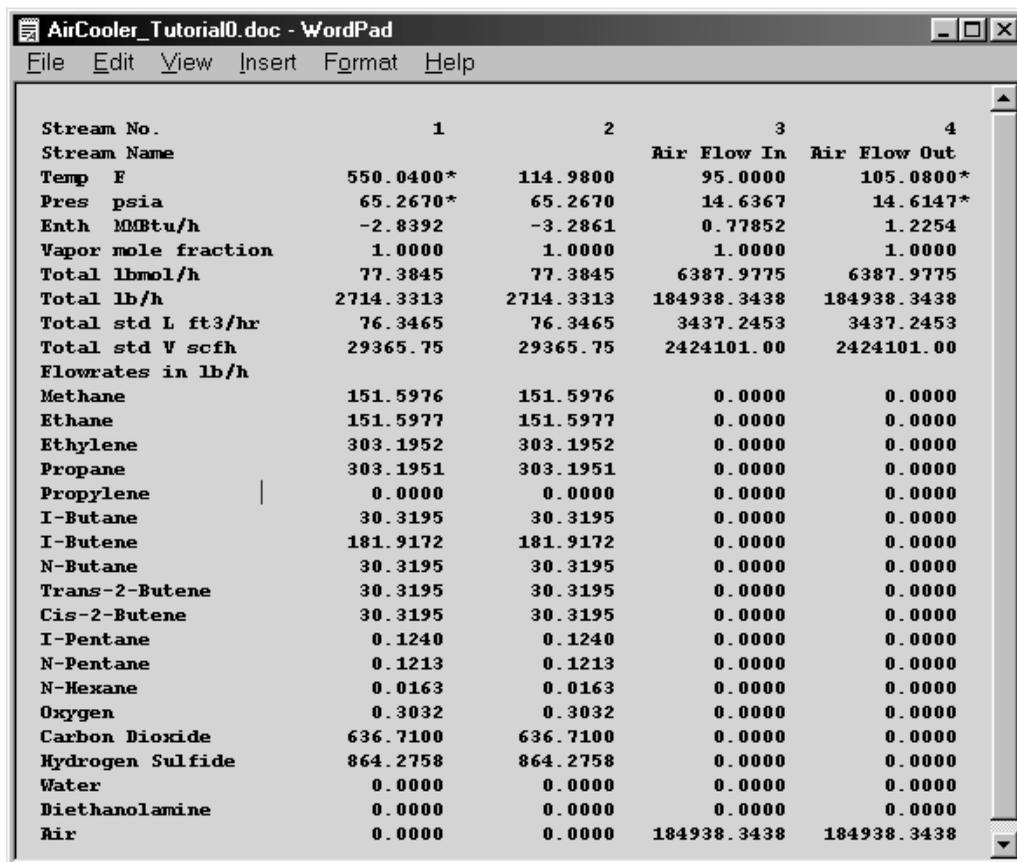
This command allows user to retrieve new streams from **CHEMCAD** flow sheet. This is very useful in case any stream entering or exiting the exchanger is changed.

## AIR COOLER OUTPUT

AIR COOLER output includes stream data, heat curves, tabulated data, API data, zone-by-zone data, and optimization.

### STREAM DATA

The stream data reports the compositions and thermodynamic properties of the streams going in and out of the heat exchanger. This information is fed to heat curve calculation to generate heat curve. A stream data report looks like this:



The screenshot shows a WordPad window titled 'AirCooler\_Tutorial0.doc - WordPad'. The window contains a table with the following data:

Stream No.	1	2	3	4
Stream Name			Air Flow In	Air Flow Out
Temp F	550.0400*	114.9800	95.0000	105.0800*
Pres psia	65.2670*	65.2670	14.6367	14.6147*
Enth MMBtu/h	-2.8392	-3.2861	0.77852	1.2254
Vapor mole fraction	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
Total lbmol/h	77.3845	77.3845	6387.9775	6387.9775
Total lb/h	2714.3313	2714.3313	184938.3438	184938.3438
Total std L ft3/hr	76.3465	76.3465	3437.2453	3437.2453
Total std V scfh	29365.75	29365.75	2424101.00	2424101.00
Flowrates in lb/h				
Methane	151.5976	151.5976	0.0000	0.0000
Ethane	151.5977	151.5977	0.0000	0.0000
Ethylene	303.1952	303.1952	0.0000	0.0000
Propane	303.1951	303.1951	0.0000	0.0000
Propylene	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
I-Butane	30.3195	30.3195	0.0000	0.0000
I-Butene	181.9172	181.9172	0.0000	0.0000
N-Butane	30.3195	30.3195	0.0000	0.0000
Trans-2-Butene	30.3195	30.3195	0.0000	0.0000
Cis-2-Butene	30.3195	30.3195	0.0000	0.0000
I-Pentane	0.1240	0.1240	0.0000	0.0000
N-Pentane	0.1213	0.1213	0.0000	0.0000
N-Hexane	0.0163	0.0163	0.0000	0.0000
Oxygen	0.3032	0.3032	0.0000	0.0000
Carbon Dioxide	636.7100	636.7100	0.0000	0.0000
Hydrogen Sulfide	864.2758	864.2758	0.0000	0.0000
Water	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Diethanolamine	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Air	0.0000	0.0000	184938.3438	184938.3438

### HEAT CURVES

This report includes the temperatures, vapor and liquid rates, heat duties, and physical and transport properties for each zone. These are the values used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations. A heat curve report for the tube side looks like this:

**HEATING CURVE REPORT (Tube side)**

Zone	Press.	Temp.	Heat Load	Vapor Flow.	Liquid Flow.	Latent Heat	Surface Tension	Crit. Pres.
1	65.27	114.98	0.00e+000	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
2	65.27	164.93	4.47e-002	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
3	65.27	213.03	8.94e-002	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
4	65.27	259.48	1.34e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
5	65.27	304.44	1.79e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
6	65.27	348.06	2.23e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
7	65.27	390.47	2.68e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
8	65.27	431.78	3.13e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
9	65.27	472.10	3.57e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
10	65.27	511.49	4.02e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31
11	65.27	550.04	4.47e-001	7.74e+001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	1127.31

Zone	Vapor Ht. Cap.	Vapor Viscosity	Vapor Cond.	Vapor Density	Liquid Ht. Cap.	Liquid Viscosity	Liquid Cond.	Liquid Density
1	0.32	0.01	1.20e-002	3.81e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	0.34	0.01	1.36e-002	3.48e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	0.35	0.01	1.52e-002	3.22e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	0.36	0.02	1.67e-002	3.00e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	0.37	0.02	1.83e-002	2.82e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	0.38	0.02	1.99e-002	2.66e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	0.39	0.02	2.14e-002	2.52e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	0.40	0.02	2.30e-002	2.41e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	0.41	0.02	2.45e-002	2.30e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	0.42	0.02	2.60e-002	2.20e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	0.43	0.02	2.75e-002	2.12e-001	0.00e+000	0.00	0.00	0.00

**Engineering Units:**  
 Pressure: psia  
 Temperature: F  
 Heat Load: MMBtu/h  
 Vapor Flow: lbmol/h  
 Liquid Flow: lbmol/h  
 Latent Heat: Btu/lb  
 Surf. Ten.: dyne/cm  
 Crit. Pres.: psia  
 Vapor Ht. Cap.: Btu/lb-F  
 Vapor Viscosity: cP  
 Vapor Cond.: Btu/hr-ft-F  
 Vapor Density: lb/ft3  
 Liquid Ht. Cap.: Btu/lb-F  
 Liquid Viscosity: cP  
 Liquid Cond.: Btu/hr-ft-F  
 Liquid Density: lb/ft3

A heat curve report for the air side has a similar format and content.

## TABULATED DATA

This report includes the Overall Data, TubeSide Data, AirSide Data, Bundle and Bay geometry, and Tube and Fin geometry together on one page. These values are calculated results and geometry inputs from user. The tabulated data report looks like this:

TABULATED ANALYSIS			
<b>Overall Data:</b>			
Effective Area, ft <sup>2</sup>	8013.0086	Service Coeff., Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	0.40
Calculated Area, ft <sup>2</sup>	7903.8239	Calculated Coeff., Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	0.41
Calculated Clean Area, ft <sup>2</sup>	7894.7524	Clean Coeff., Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F	0.41
MTD, Effective F	138.221	Supplied Heat Load, MMBtu/h	0.447
TubeSide Fouling, hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F/Btu	0.000102	AirSide Fouling, hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F/Btu	0.000000
Area Excess,	1.4%	Area Per Bundle, ft <sup>2</sup>	8013.0086
Gross Area, ft <sup>2</sup>	8099.1736	Bare Area, ft <sup>2</sup>	373.3098
Effective Length, ft	15.4993	Calculated Length, ft	15.2882
RPI applicable	No	Code	DIN R. D. Merkblatter
<b>TubeSide Data:</b>			
Allo. Press. Drop, psia	5.0	Tube Side Press. Drop, psia	0.0
Nozzle Inner Diam., Inlet, in	8.00	dP, Inlet Nozzle, psia	0.0
Nozzle Inner Diam., Outlet, in	8.00	dP, Outlet Nozzle, psia	0.0
Number of Inlet Nozzles	2	Number of Outlet Nozzles	2
<b>AirSide Data:</b>			
Face Area, ft <sup>2</sup>	67.560	Face Velocity, Act., ft/sec	10.78
Bundle Static dP, psia	0.0401	Static dP Per Row, psia	0.0100
Face Velocity Specified?	NO		
<b>Bundle and Bay:</b>			
Bundle Width, ft	4.313	Tube Length, ft	15.666
Orientation	Horizontal	Total Number of Bundles	1
Bundles In Parallel/Series	1/1	Bundles in Row/Column	1/1
Bays In Parallel/Series	1/1		
<b>Tube and Fin:</b>			
Number of Tubes	92	Outer Diameter of Tube in	1.000
Tube Inside Diameter, in	0.782	Tube Wall Thickness, in	0.109
Tube Pitch, in	2.250	Internal Roughness	0.00010
Tube Pattern	30	Number of Tube Passes	1
Total Number of Rows	4	Rows Per Pass	4
Tube Type	Seamless	Tube Material	A-179
Finned tube Code	1	Fin Attachement	Grooved
Number of Fins Per Inch	10.0	Fin Tube OD, in	2.248
Fin Thickness, in	0.016	Fin Material	ALUM-6061 SB-234-6061-T6
Ratio of Finned/Bare Outer Area	21.465	Ratio of Outer/Inner Area	24.092
Hydraulic Diameter, in	1.197		

The Overall data includes key information regarding the air cooler. These items are explained below:

**Effective Area** – The area effective per bay excludes that portion of the tube length which is covered by the tube sheet. The tube sheet thickness is default to one inch. This area is based on outer diameter if bare tube is used and is on outer surface if finned tube is used.

**Service Coefficient** – This is the overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole exchanger based on the **Effective Area** of exchanger at service. It is defined as:

$$(\text{Service Coeff.}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{(\text{Effective Area})(\text{MTD, Effective})}$$

**Calculated Area** – The calculated heat transfer area required to carry out the **heat load**. In **CC-THERM AIR COOLER**, heat transfer calculation is carried out zone by zone. The **Calculated Area** is the sum of the incremental areas for all zones.

**Calculated Coefficient** – This is the overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole exchanger. It is defined as:

$$(\text{Calculated Coeff.}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{(\text{Calculated Area})(\text{MTD, Effective})}$$

**Calculated Clean Area** – The calculated heat transfer area required to carry out the **heat load** when the heat transfer surface is clean. The **Calculated Clean Area** is the sum of the incremental clean areas for all zones.

**Clean Coefficient** – This is the overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole exchanger based on the **Calculated Clean Area**. It is defined as:

$$(\text{Clean Coeff.}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{(\text{Calculated Clean Area})(\text{MTD, Effective})}$$

**MTD, Effective** – The overall effective or corrected log mean temperature difference which is defined as:

$$(\text{MTD, Effective}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{\sum \frac{Q_i}{\text{CMTD}_i}}$$

Where,  $Q_i$  = the incremental heat duty of zone  $i$ ,

$\text{CMTD}_i$  = the corrected log mean temperature difference for zone  $i$ .

**Heat Load** – The enthalpy difference between the inlet and outlet process streams of the air cooler.

**TubeSide Fouling** – The tube side fouling factor. For design and rating run, tube side fouling factor is user specified. For fouling rating run, the program will calculate the fouling factor for given streams and air cooler geometry.

**AirSide Fouling** – The air side fouling factor. For design and rating run, tube side fouling factor is user specified. For fouling rating run, the program will calculate the fouling factor for given streams and air cooler geometry.

**Area Excess** – The excess area for the present calculation. It is defined as:

$$(\text{Area Excess}) = \frac{(\text{Effective Area}) - (\text{Calculated Area})}{(\text{Effective Area})} (100\%)$$

This value is always expressed as a percent. A negative value indicates that the exchanger is undersurfaced in rating. When making a design run, the program will find a heat exchanger so that the

excess is the minimum positive value. When making a fouling rating run, the program finds the fouling factors so that the **Area Excess** is zero.

**Area Per Bundle** – The effective area per bundle excludes that portion of the tube length which is covered by the tube sheet.

**Gross Area** – The gross area per bay based on outer surface.

**Bare Area** – The area based on outer tube diameter or root diameter. It is the effective area per bay.

**Effective Length** – The length effective excludes that portion of the tube length which is covered by the tube sheet.

**Calculated Length** – The calculated tube length required to carry out the **heat load**. In **CC-THERM AIR COOLER**, heat transfer calculation is carried out zone by zone. The **calculated length** is the sum of the incremental length for all zones.

**API applicable** – Input of the **API 661** option in the **General Specifications Dialog Box** is printed here.

**Code** – Input of the **Design code** option in the **General Specifications Dialog Box** is printed here.

**Allowed Pressure Drop** – The maximum allowed pressure drop for the process side. This value is used as one of the design constrain.

**Tube Side Pressure Drop.** – The tube side pressure drop of all bundles.

**Inner Nozzle Diameter, Inlet** – Input of the **Inlet nozzle diameter** field in the **Nozzle Parameter Dialog Box** is printed here.

**dP, Inlet Nozzle** – The pressure drop through inlet nozzles.

**Inner Nozzle Diameter Outlet** – Input of the **Outlet nozzle diameter** field in the **Nozzle Parameter Dialog Box** is printed here.

**dP, Outlet Nozzle** – The pressure drop through outlet nozzles.

**Number of Inlet Nozzles** – Input of the **# of nozzles - Inlet** field in the **Nozzle Parameter Dialog Box** is printed here.

**Number of Outlet Nozzles** – Input of the **# of nozzles - Outlet** field in the **Nozzle Parameter Dialog Box** is printed here.

**Face Area** – The face area per pay. It equals to tube length times bundle width times number of bundles.

**Face Velocity** – The face velocity is obtained by air volumetric flow rate at service condition divided by **Face Area**.

**Calculated Static dP** – The calculated static pressure drop of air flow through the tube bundle. To improve calculation result, the difference between **Calculated Static dP** and the **Static pressure** specified in the **Air Side Data** screen should be minimized.

**Static dP Per Row** – The calculated static pressure drop of air flow through a tube row.

**Face Velocity Specified?** – Yes, if face velocity is specified as input, otherwise, No.

**Bundle width** – The bundle width is calculated through the number of tubes per row, tube pitch, and tube pattern for rating and fouling rating run. In the design run, it is calculated from the optimum bay width and user specified total number of bundles per bay and number of bundle rows.

**Tube length** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Orientation** – The orientation of tube bundle may be horizontal or vertical as specified by user.

**Total Number of Bundles** – The total number of bundles of entire units.

**Bundles in Parallel/Series** – see **Bundle connection and arrangement** in the **Bundle specification screen**.

**Bundles in Row/Column** – see **Bundle connection and arrangement** in the **Bundle specification screen**.

**Bays in Parallel/Series** – see **Bay connection** in the **Bundle specification screen**.

**Number of Tubes** – This is the total number of tubes per bundle which is calculated from the **Total number of tube rows** and **Tubes per row**.

**Outer Diameter of Tube** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Tube Inside Diameter** – The inside diameter is estimated from the **Outer Diameter of Tube** and **Tubewall thickness**.

**Tube Wall Thickness** – Input to the **Tubewall thickness** field In the **Tube Specifications Dialog Box** is printed here.

**Tube Pitch** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Internal roughness** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Tube Pattern** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Number of Tube Passes** – Input in the **Passes per bundle** field in the **Bundle specification screen** is printed here.

**Total Number of Rows** – see **Total number of tube rows** in the **Bundle specification screen**.

**Rows Per Pass** – see **Tube Rows per pass** in the **Bundle specification screen**.

**Tube Type** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Tube Material** – See **Material Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Finned Tube Code** – See **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Fin Attachment** – See **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Number of Fins Per Inch** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Fin Tube OD** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Fin Thickness** – see **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Fin Material** – See **Material Specifications Dialog Box**.

**Ratio of Finned/Bare Outer Area** – The ratio of finned tube outer surface area over bare tube outer surface area. The finned tube outer surface area is the sum of the total surface area of the fins and the total surface area of the tube wall between the fins. The bare tube outer surface area is the surface area based on the tube outer diameter.

**Ratio of Outer/Inner Area** – The ratio of tube outer surface area over tube inner surface area. The tube outer surface area is the finned tube outer surface area for finned tube and the bare tube outer surface area for bare tube. The tube inner surface area is the surface area based on the tube inner diameter.

**Hydraulic Diameter** – The equivalent hydraulic diameter or equivalent projected diameter ( $D_{req}$ ). This is essentially a correlation value establishing an equivalent cross-flow area as compared to a bare tube.

$$D_{req} = D_{fr} + 2(L_{th})(N_f)(L_{ft})$$

where  $D_{fr}$  = the root diameter

$L_{th}$  = the fin height

$N_f$  = the number of fins per unit length

$L_{ft}$  = Fin thickness

## API DATA

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This report includes the completed API Data sheet. The first page of the data sheet includes general data, performance data for process side, performance data for airside, and design-material-construction data. It looks like:

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API DATA

BAY SIZE(WxL), ft	4.313	x	15.666	TYPE	Forced	NUMBER OF BAYS	1
SURFACE/UNIT-FINNED, ft2	8013.009					BARE	373.310
HEAT EXCHANGED, MMBtu/h	0.447					MTD,EFF, F	138.221
TRAN RATE-FINNED, Btu/hr-ft2-F	0			BARE,SERVICE	9	CLEAN	9

PERFORMANCE DATA-PROCESS SIDE

TYPE OF PROCESS	Sensible				IN/OUT		
FLUID NAME							
TOTAL FLOW, lb/h		2714	VAPOR lb/h	2714	/	2714	
DEW/BUBBLE POINT, F	0.00/0.00		NONCONDEN, lb/h	0	/	0	
FREEZE POINT, F			STEAM, lb/h	0	/	0	
LATENT HEAT, Btu/lbmol		0	WATER, lb/h	0	/	0	
INLET PRESSURE, psia		65.27	VISC,LIQ, cP	0.000	/	0.000	
DP, ALLO/CALC, psi	5.0/0.0		VISC,VAP, cP	0.020	/	0.012	
FOULING RESISTANCE, hr-ft2-F/Btu	0.00010		DENS,LIQ, lb/ft3	0.000	/	0.000	
MOLECULAR WT,VAP, lb		209.329	DENS,VAP, lb/ft3	0.212	/	0.381	
MOLECULAR WT,NC, lb		179.127	SPEC HEAT,LIQ,Btu/lb-F	0	/	0	
			SPEC HEAT,VAP,Btu/lb-F	0	/	0	
TEMP., F	550.04	/	114.98	COND,LIQ, Btu/hr-ft-F	0.000	/	0.000
LIQUID, lb/h	0	/	0	COND,VAP, Btu/hr-ft-F	0.028	/	0.012

PERFORMANCE DATA-AIR SIDE

AIR MASS RATE, lb/h	184938	ALTITUDE, ft	164.0
AIR VOL. RATE, Std. ft3/hr	2502328	TEMPERATURE IN(DRY), F	95.00
ACTUAL STATIC PRES, psia	0.0	TEMPERATURE OUT(DRY), F	105.08
FACE VELOCITY, Act. ft/sec	10.78	MASS VELOCITY, lb/s-ft2	0.760
FACE VELOCITY, Std. ft/sec	10.29	MIN DSGN AMBIENT TEMP, F	-40.00

DESIGN-MATERIALS-CONSTRUCTION

DSGN PRES,psia	0.7	TEST PRES,psia	0.7	DSGN TEMP, F	41.00
--BUNDLE--		--HEADER--		--TUBE--	
WxL, ft2	4.31x15.67	TYPE	Pipe(Dished)	MAT'L A-179	
NUMBER/BAY	1	MAT'L	A-285-C	TYPE	Seamless
TUBE ROWS	4	PASSES	1	OD, in	1.000
BUNDLES, PAR 1	SER 1	SLOPE, in/ft	0.000	MIN THK, in	0.1091
BAYS, PAR 1	SER 1	PLUG	A-285-C	NUMBER/BUNDLE	92
BUNDLE FRAM	Galvanized	GASKET TYPE	Metallic Ring	LENGTH, ft	15.666
--MISCELLANEOUS--		CORRO ALLOW, in	0.00010	PITCH,in	2.2500
STRUCT MOUNT	Grade Mounted	IN NOZZLE, in	8.00x 2	--FIN--	
SURF PREP	Primed surface	OUT NOZZLE,in	8.00x 2	TPYE	Grooved
LOUVER	Automatic	EXT NOZZLE,in	0.00x 0	OD, in	2.248
VIBRATION SWITCH	Yes	RATING,	160 DIN	THK, in	0.016
CHEM CLEANING	No	MISC. CONNS:		NO./in,	10.000
		TI	PI		
		ASME STAMPED	No		

CUSTOMER SPECIFICATIONS:

The second page of the data sheet includes mechanical equipment data and air side control data. It looks like this:

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<b>MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT</b>							
--FAN--				--DRIVER--		--SPEED REDUCER--	
MFR & MODEL	Checo	TYPE	Electric	TYPE	V-Belt		
NO/BAY	1 EFF	RPM	2000	MFR & MODEL	GE	MFR & MODEL	Cleveland
DIA, in	14.00	NO BLADE	4	NO/BAY	1 HP/DR	NO/BAY	1
PITCH	Auto.	ANGLE		RPM	2000	AGMA RATING, HP	50.00
BLADE	Fiberglass	ENCLOSURE	Drip-Proof	RATIO	0.5 TO 1.0		
HUB	Steel	V/PHASE/HZ	380/3/50	SUPPORT	Structure		
POWER/FAN, hp	7.81						
TIP, ft/sec	0						
<b>CONTROLS-AIR SIDE</b>							
CONTRO ACTION ON AIR FAILURE-FAN PITCH	Minimum	LOUVERS	Close				
DEGREE CONTROL OF OUTLET PROCESS TEMPERATURE (MAXIMUM COOLING)							
RECIRCULATION	None	MIN AMB TEMP, F	-40.000	STEAM COIL			
PLOT AREA, ft2	0x0	WEIGHT BUNDLE, lb	0	SHIPPING WGT, lb	0		

Most of the items listed in the two pages are self-explanatory. Those items which are not are explained below:

**Bay Size (WXL)** - The size here is for all the bundles taken together. The bay width is the sum of width of all bundles in a row. The bay length is the sum of the tube length of all bundles in a column.

**Surface/Unit-Finned ... - Bare** - These are the total finned tube outer surface area and bare tube outer surface area per unit. These are the effective surface area after discounting any portion of the tube length embedded in the tube sheet. These areas correspond to **Effective Area** and **Bare Area** in the tabulated data sheet.

**Heat Exchanged** - This is the total amount of heat load.

**MTD, EFF** - See **MTD, Effective** in the tabulated data sheet.

**Tran Rate-Finned ...Bare, Service....Clean** - The first two items are the service transfer rates based on the finned tube outer surface and on the bare tube outer surface. The fin-tube service coefficient is calculated by dividing the Heat Load by the MTD, EFF and by the finned tube outer surface area, that is, the **Effective Area**. The bare tube service coefficient is calculated by dividing the Heat Load by the MTD, EFF and by the bare tube outer surface area, that is, the **Bare Area**. The clean coefficient is the inverse of the sum of the following resistances: the air side resistance plus the tubeside resistance plus the tube wall resistance, all related to the outside diameter of the bare tube. This coefficient should

equal **Clean Coeff.** multiplied by **Ratio of Finned/Bare Outer Area** in the tabulated output above. The bare tube service coefficient and clean coefficient may be compared to estimate fouling build up.

**ZONE-BY-ZONE DATA**

This report allows the user to review the zone-by-zone calculated results for the overall, the tube side, and the air side. Zone-by-zone output contains information regarding calculation of heat transfer coefficients and pressure drops. The information for tube side may pertain to a sensible or a condenser calculation. The outputs are similar but not identical. The output which is presented below is the first five zone of a ten-zone analysis for a sensible heat exchanging problem. Page 1 of the output includes overall and tube side data.

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<u>ZONE-BY-ZONE ANALYSIS</u>					
ZONE	1	2	3	4	5
---- Overall ----					
Inc. Heat Load	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04
MMBtu/h					
LMTD F	34.74	86.78	134.88	188.97	225.48
Overall Coef.	0.37	0.39	0.41	0.43	0.45
Btu/hr-ft2-F					
RINC ft2	3443.17	1388.85	803.21	573.32	442.17
Tube R. hr-ft2-F/Btu	2.54115158	2.40584940	2.28847363	2.18588860	2.09503597
Tube F. hr-ft2-F/Btu	0.00280589	0.00280589	0.00280589	0.00280589	0.00280589
Wall R. hr-ft2-F/Btu	0.00742286	0.00742286	0.00742286	0.00742286	0.00742286
Air F. hr-ft2-F/Btu	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000
Air R. hr-ft2-F/Btu	0.12549695	0.12559826	0.12569181	0.12579731	0.12590863
---- Tube Side ----					
Process Type	VAPCOOL	VAPCOOL	VAPCOOL	VAPCOOL	VAPCOOL
Temp. F	139.95	188.98	236.25	281.96	326.25
T wall F	104.27	187.42	110.42	114.43	118.22
Vap. Rate lb/h	2714	2714	2714	2714	2714
Liq. Rate lb/h	0	0	0	0	0
Film Coeff.	10.80	11.41	12.00	12.56	13.10
Btu/hr-ft2-F					
Vap. Den. lb/ft3	0.3644	0.3351	0.3111	0.2910	0.2748
Liq. Den. lb/ft3					
None. dP psi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Grav. dP psi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Eric. dP psi	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vel. ft/sec	6.74	7.33	7.98	8.44	8.97
Re Number	18772	17438	16329	15408	14625

Items in this page are explained below:

**Inc. Heat Load** - The incremental heat load at each zone. The incremental heat load will be identical for each zone if equal enthalpy method is used to cut the heating curve. They might differ with each other if bubble-dew point method is used.

**LMTD** – The corrected local log mean temperature difference based on the four temperature points of each zone.

**Overall Coef.** – The local overall heat transfer coefficient based on **AINC**, the tube outer surface area of the corresponding zone.

**AINC** –The tube outer surface area of each zone.

**Tube R.** – The tube side heat transfer resistance due to fluid.

**Tube F.** – The tube side heat transfer resistance due to fouling.

**Wall T.** – The tube side heat transfer resistance due to metal wall.

**Air F.** – The air side heat transfer resistance due to fouling.

**Air R.** – The air side heat transfer resistance due to air.

**Temp.** – The average temperature of the two cutting points on the heating curve for the zone.

**T Wall** – The zone average metal wall surface temperature on the air or tube side.

**Vap. Rate** – The local vapor mass flow rate.

**Liq. Rate** – The local liquid mass flow rate.

**Film Coeff.** – The local heat transfer coefficient of fluid film.

**Vap. Den.** – The local vapor density.

**Liq. Den.** – The local liquid density.

**Mome. dP** – The tube side pressure drop due to momentum change.

**Grav. dP** – The tube side pressure drop due to gravitation.

**Fric. dP** – The pressure drop due to friction loss.

**Vel.** – The tube side fluid velocity.

**Re Number** – The Reynolds number of flow.

Page 2 of the output includes the air side data. It is shown below:

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ZONE	1	2	3	4	5
---- Air Side ----					
Process Type	VAPHEAT	VAPHEAT	VAPHEAT	VAPHEAT	VAPHEAT
Temp. F	100.04	100.04	100.04	100.04	100.04
T wall F	104.12	106.99	110.12	113.43	116.93
Prandtl No.	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.71
Prandtl No. at Wall	0.72	0.72	0.72	0.72	0.73
Vap. Rate lb/h	184938	184938	184938	184938	184938
Film Coeff.	7.97	7.96	7.96	7.95	7.94
Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F					
Fric. dP psi	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04
Vap. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	0.0712	0.0711	0.0709	0.0708	0.0707
Liq. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>					
Max. Cros. Vel. ft/s	22.54	22.54	22.54	22.54	22.54
Cross-Flow Re	10343	10343	10343	10343	10343

Items in this page are explained below:

**Prandtl No.** – The Air flow Prandtl's number in bulk.

**Prandtl No. at Wall** – The Air flow Prandtl's number at the wall surface.

**Max Cros. Vel.** – The maximum air flow velocity crossing the tube bundle.

**Cross-Flow Re** – The Reynolds number of the air flow based on **Max Cros. Vel.**.

The output which is presented below is the first five zone of a ten-zone analysis for a condenser heat exchanging problem. Since only the tube side data differs from that of a sensible case, it is shown below:

ZONE	1	2	3	4	5
----- Overall -----					
Inc. Heat Load	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50
MJ/h					
LMTD C	55.53	55.59	55.66	55.72	55.79
Overall Coef.	179.15	179.43	179.74	180.08	180.43
W/m2-K					
Iso-Overa. Coef.	182.16	182.39	182.65	182.93	183.23
W/m2-K					
RINC m2	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15
Tube R. m2-K/W	0.00022799	0.00021890	0.00020887	0.00019797	0.00018651
Tube F. m2-K/W	0.00002818	0.00002818	0.00002818	0.00002818	0.00002818
Wall R. m2-K/W	0.00007379	0.00007379	0.00007379	0.00007379	0.00007379
Rir F. m2-K/W	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000
Rir R. m2-K/W	0.00525191	0.00525234	0.00525280	0.00525328	0.00525378
----- Tube Side -----					
Process Type	CONDENS	CONDENS	CONDENS	CONDENS	CONDENS
Condenser Type	TRANSIT	TRANSIT	TRANSIT	TRANSIT	TRANSIT
Temp. C	75.40	75.46	75.53	75.59	75.66
T wall C	73.13	73.27	73.43	73.60	73.77
Vap. Rate kg/h	50	52	55	57	59
Liq. Rate kg/h	22	20	18	15	13
Vapor Quality	0.6890	0.7218	0.7545	0.7872	0.8199
Shear Coeff.	8779.65	9436.61	10256.61	11277.50	12521.13
W/m2-K					
Gravity Coeff.	7843.09	8143.89	8498.51	8922.76	9439.13
W/m2-K					
Vap. Coeff.	20.34	21.50	22.78	24.18	25.70
W/m2-K					
Film Coeff.	7017.70	7309.19	7660.42	8082.06	8578.76
W/m2-K					
T-Non-Cond Fact.	0.0012	0.0012	0.0013	0.0013	0.0014
Vap. Den. kg/m3	0.2465	0.2471	0.2476	0.2482	0.2488
Liq. Den. kg/m3	974.2468	974.2073	974.1682	974.1294	974.0908
V-L Den. kg/m3	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Two Phase Xtt	1077.57	1267.92	1508.11	1820.62	2243.97
Mome. dP Pa	-11.59	-12.02	-12.43	-12.82	-13.19
Grav. dP Pa	-17.11	-15.72	-14.34	-12.95	-11.52
Fric. dP Pa	16.96	17.80	18.61	19.40	20.15
Gas Vel. m/sec	22.35	23.36	24.37	25.37	26.36
Liq. Vel. m/sec	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vel. m/sec	15.40	16.86	18.38	19.97	21.61
Liq. Re	65	59	52	45	38
Vap Re	4904	5136	5368	5601	5833

Items in this page are explained below:

**Iso-Overa. Coef.** - The local overall heat transfer coefficient when gas film resistance is not account of.

**Condenser Type** – This is the flow type at each zone of the exchanger. There are three basic types of flow which may exist in a condenser.

**SHEARCT** - The vapor velocity is so high that the shear force on the surface of condensate film is dominant comparing to gravity force and this type of heat transfer is generally referred as shear-controlled.

**GRAVCTL** - The vapor velocity is low and the shear force on the surface of a condensate film is negligible. This type of heat transfer is generally known as gravity-controlled film.

**TRANSIT** - The **SHEARCT** and **GRAVCTL** are basically the two extremes of the flows which may occur during condensation. In going from the **SHEARCT** controlled to the **GRAVCTL** controlled, there is a transition region which is usually called the **TRANSIT** (for transition) region. There are times when the vapor velocity is so low that the predominant regime is the **TRANSIT** or even **GRAVCTL** for very low vapor velocities.

**Vapor Quality** – The vapor quality at each zone of the exchanger. The number 1.0 indicates that the flow is all vapor and 0.0 indicates no vapor.

**Shear Coeff.** – The shear-controlled heat transfer coefficient. This coefficient is calculated at each zone whether or not it is the controlling coefficient.

**Gravity Coeff.** – The gravity-controlled heat transfer coefficient. This coefficient is calculated at each zone whether or not it is the controlling coefficient.

**Vap. Coeff.** – Tthe heat transfer coefficient of the vapor phase. This coefficient is very important in the calculation of the overall heat transfer coefficient, especially so when there are large amounts of non-condensable present. This coefficient is also calculated at each zone of the exchanger.

**Film Coeff.** – The heat transfer coefficient through condensate film. This coefficient is calculated at each zone of the exchanger.

**T-Non-Cond Fact** – The tube side non-condensable factor. It is a factor which is calculated to reflect the overall effects of non-condensable or a wide-boiling mixture. When calculating the tube side heat transfer resistance at each zone, the gas film resistance is multiplied by **T-Non-Cond Fact**. When the effects of non-condensable are small, the **T-Non-Cond Fact**. (resistance factor) will be small and the overall coefficient, **Overall Coef.** will approach to **Iso-Overa. Coef.** - the pure condensation overall coefficient. On the other hand, when there are large amounts of non-condensable present or there is a wide boiling mixture, the **T-Non-Cond Fact** term may become quite large and, consequently, the "true" overall heat transfer coefficient will also diminish.

**V-L Den** – The two phase mixing density.

**Two Phase Xtt** – This is a two-phase multiplier which is calculated at each zone. When there are large amounts of vapor present, the multiplier will be quite large. This multiplier is applied to zone pressure drop, and summed over all the zones to arrive at the overall pressure drop.

**Vap. Vel.** – The vapor flow velocity.

**Liq Vel.** – The liquid flow velocity

**Vel.** – The two phase flow velocity

**Liq Re** – The liquid flow **Reynolds** number.

**Vap Re** – The vapor flow **Reynolds** number.

## **OPTIMIZATION**

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This shows the optimization sequence used by **Air Cooler** to arrive at the final result. The optimization printout only occurs if you are in the design mode. The program deliberately begins with an obviously undersized unit in order to insure that the procedure does not miss the optimum result. The program uses basically two criteria to arrive at the optimum result.

- Supplied area is greater than the required area
- Pressure drop allowables are met on the tubeside

In order to find the smallest unit, which will satisfy these criteria, the program will vary the following parameters:

- Tube passes
- bay length
- bay width

To make best use of fan (one or two) covered area in each bay, the program will also follow the arrangement as shown in the table below to arrive at best combination of bay length and width.

Bay Width, ft	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20
Bay Length, ft	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20
	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22
	8	12	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
	10	14	14	16	18	20	22	24	26
			16	18	20	22	24	26	28
			18	20	22	24	26	28	30
			20	22	24	26	28	30	32
			22	24	26	28	30	32	34
				26	28	30	32	34	36
				28	30	32	34	36	38
				30	32	34	36	38	40
				32	34	36	38	40	
					36	38	40		
					38	40			
				40					

A typical optimization report looks like as:

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Iter,	Excess,	aS,	aT,	dPT,	bayW,	bayL,	nTP
0,	-47.2,	42.1,	628.1,	0.2,	14.00,	14.00,	8
1,	-37.9,	42.0,	628.1,	0.3,	14.00,	16.00,	8
2,	-28.7,	41.9,	628.1,	0.3,	14.00,	18.00,	8
3,	-19.5,	41.8,	628.1,	0.3,	14.00,	20.00,	8
4,	-10.3,	41.8,	628.1,	0.4,	14.00,	22.00,	8
5,	-1.1,	41.7,	628.1,	0.4,	14.00,	24.00,	8
6,	8.1,	41.7,	628.1,	0.4,	14.00,	26.00,	8

Iter, Excess, aS, aT, dPT, bayW, bayL, nTP

Iter Iteration.

Excess Area excess =  $100 * ( \text{Effective area} - \text{Required area} ) / \text{Required area}$ .

aS Air side heat transfer coefficient, Btu/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F.

aT Tube side heat transfer coefficient, Btu/hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F.

dPT Tube side pressure drop, not include nozzles, pisa

bayW Bay width, ft.

bayL Bay length, ft.

nTP Number of tube passes.

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**CC-THERM**

**PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER**

**User's Guide  
And Tutorial**



## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

### INTRODUCTION TO CC-THERM PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER

**CC-THERM PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** or **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** is an integrated module for the design, rating, and fouling rating of plate heat exchanger in **CHEMCAD**. It is fully integrated with **CHEMCAD** so process data is automatically transferred from **CHEMCAD**'s flowsheets to the heat exchanger sizing program, and heating curves and physical properties data are automatically generated.

### EASY TO LEARN

The input for **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** is simple and concise. It is based upon the **CHEMCAD** input system, so any user familiar with **CHEMCAD** will be able to operate **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** with ease. Since the input/output systems and conventions are the same in **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** as those used in **CHEMCAD**, please refer to the **CHEMCAD** User's Guide for these types of "How to" instructions.

### TECHNICAL FEATURES

1. The current version of **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** handles sensible heat exchange.
2. Three modes of calculation may be selected: design, rating, or fouling rating mode. In the design mode, an optimization of the number of plates will be carried out such that pressure drop is less than its allowable value and the heat transfer area is sufficient. In the fouling rating mode, fouling factors will be estimated for given process streams. In the rating mode, the required heat transfer area will be calculated for given process streams and exchanger geometry data and compared to actual area at service.
3. Plate type may be chevron corrugations, intermating corrugations, or user specified.

### METHODS

#### Sensible Flow

Correlations from Chapter 3.7.3 of the Heat Exchanger Design Handbook (Kumar 1988) is employed for the calculation of the heat transfer coefficient and pressure drop of intermating and chevron plate. For user specified plate, models similar to those for chevron plate are used while parameters in these models are user specified.

### OUTPUT FEATURES

The user may select from the following output:

- A print-out of the heat curve and fluid physical properties
- A detailed print-out of overall exchanger values
- The stream information inlet/outlet with H, T, P, and component flow rates

Any of the above output can be opened in Microsoft Word or WordPad by using the **View** menu. Therefore results can be viewed, edited, or printed. The editing heat curve facility also provides an opportunity not only to view the heat curve but also to be able to access the contents of the heat curve and make any changes to the data without going through the procedures for the heat curve generation. The details of this operation will be described later.

## OVERVIEW

**PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** is a state-of-the-art interactive tool for the rating and design of plate heat exchangers. This section gives an overall view of the program usage and the options available in the **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** main menu. More information on each option in the main menu is provided in Chapter 2.

Since **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** is integrated with **CHEMCAD**, the program is also equipped with sound thermodynamic models as well as a database with physical properties for over 1800 pure components.

The interactive feature of **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** allows full control of data communication. The input functions allows the entering of process data by using dialog boxes. With this input facility, the user can create new problem files, review the results of problems already designed, and make modifications to previously saved problems.

There are seven general steps involved in running a heat exchanger analysis with **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER**. The following list illustrates the general steps.

1. Define the problem and run the flowsheet in **CHEMCAD**. This generates **CHEMCAD** files.
2. Select the **Sizing** command on the menu bar. The Sizing Menu will open.
3. From this menu select the **Heat Exchangers** followed by selection of **Plate** option.
4. The program will prompt the user through the initial setup of the exchanger analysis. It will do this by displaying instructions about what to do next. When the instruction is cleared by clicking [OK], you will be taken to the function or dialog box appropriate for completing the instructed task. At the end of the set up process, the **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER Menu** is displayed.
5. Inspect and edit the input as desired using the menu commands.
6. Execute the problem.
7. Review and printout.

The program performs the following tasks.

1. Performs extensive error checking.
2. Generates the heat curve for the cold and hot side.

3. Calculates in any of the following modes:
  - i. **Design** - The inlet and outlet stream datum of the cold and hot side are taken from the flow sheet, the user supplies the fouling factors and allowable pressure drop, and the program calculates the number of plates required (other basic geometry specifications must be specified by the user).
  - ii. **Rating** – The inlet and outlet stream datum of the cold and hot side are taken from the flow sheet and the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions, and fouling factors. The program determines whether the exchanger is too large or too small for the given application.
  - iii. **Fouling rating** – The inlet and outlet stream datum of the cold and hot side are taken from the flow sheet and the user supplies the complete details of the exchanger geometry and dimensions. The program calculates the fouling factors required to obtain the specified performance from the exchanger.
4. Generates the output for the design/analysis of the heat exchanger.
5. Provides an interactive user interface to allow the user to change the problem specifications to rerun the problem and review the results.
6. Creates the **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** files to save all the input/output data for each exchanger.

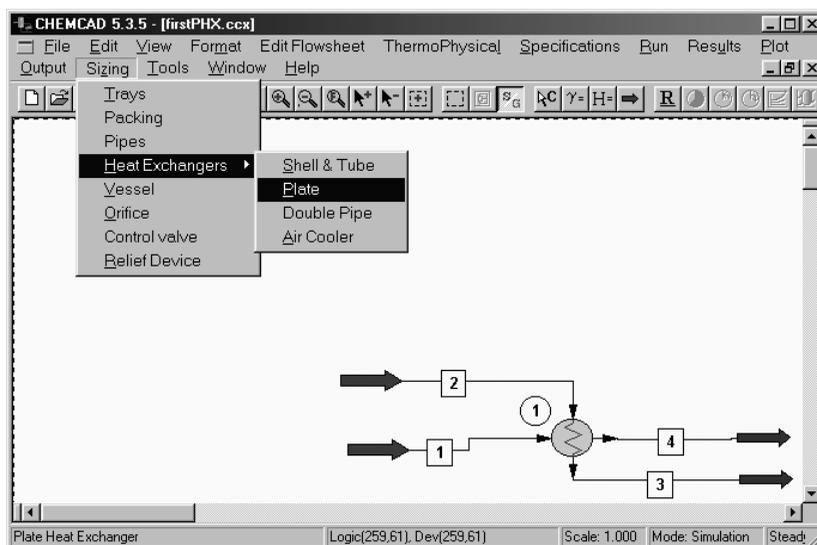
## SUMMARY

As an integrated module to **CHEMCAD**, **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** offers the process engineer an easy and comprehensive method of sizing or rating plate heat exchangers. Since it uses the same command language as **CHEMCAD**, any **CHEMCAD** user can pick up the program in a matter of minutes. The program has been thoroughly and rigorously tested and found to be an accurate and reliable tool. It is fully supported by a staff of trained engineers. We believe it will be an indispensable tool for the library of the process engineer.

## PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER COMMANDS

The **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** program is an interactive program for plate heat exchanger design, and rating, fouling rating. It allows the user to enter plate heat exchanger information through a menu system similar to **CC-THERM SHELL AND TUBE**, run the problem immediately, review the results, edit the data if needed and re-run the problem until satisfied.

**PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** is accessed from **CHEMCAD** using the **Sizing, Heat Exchangers, and Plate** option. The screen appears as follows.



Upon entering **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER**, the program will take the to a different status of data entering depending on whether they are creating a new job or revisiting an old one.

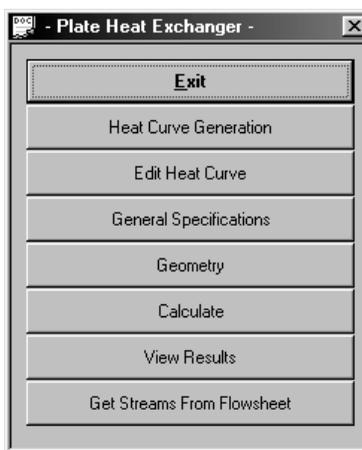
For creating a new job, the program will automatically take process data from **CHEMCAD**, do the heat curve calculation, and then go through several screens allowing the user to enter all the data required. The first screen seen is the **Plate Heat Exchanger General Data** screen. This screen permits the user to make specifications that affect the overall approach to design, rating, or fouling rating of the unit. The second screen will be the **Plate Geometry** menu if the selection for computation mode is rating or fouling rating. The entrance listed in the menu allows access to various geometry data specification dialog boxes. If design is the computation mode you selected in the **Plate Heat Exchanger General Data** screen, the program will by pass the **Plate Geometry** menu and go directly to the main **Plate Heat Exchanger** menu.

For revisiting an old job, the program will automatically load the exchanger data from the old job file and go directly to the main **Plate Heat Exchanger** menu where the user can access any data entrance screen freely, run computation, and view results.

When revisiting an old job, It is important to note that if any changes are made to the streams or heat exchanger units within **CHEMCAD**, you will receive a warning will come up from **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** recommending obtaining new stream data from **CHEMCAD** flowsheet to reflect those changes.

## USING PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER MENUS

The **Plate Heat Exchanger Menu** looks like this



The options on this menu are briefly described below and more fully described in the following sections bearing the option as title.

## DATA ENTRY IN PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER

Data about plate heat exchanger is entered through the **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** dialog boxes. **CHEMCAD** input rules apply. Please refer to the **CHEMCAD User's Guide** for the details of all input connections and dialog boxes.

**Heat Curve Generation** – The plate heat exchanger analysis takes place in two steps. First, the heat curve is generated, then the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations are performed. **Heat Curve Generation** performs the former calculations. This calculation determines the flows, physical properties of the heat transfer fluids in each side of the exchanger. These properties are then used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculation. **Heat Curve Generation** is therefore a necessary prerequisite to the rest of the calculations.

**Edit Heat Curve** – This option enables the user to edit the heat curve values calculated by **Heat Curve Generation** or even created heat curve through manual input. It also allows the user to do linear

interpolation. For the sensible to sensible case, only the first and the last data point will be used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculation.

**General Specifications** – This option allows the user to define general data for a plate heat exchanger including calculation mode, allowed pressure drop for design mode, fouling factor, and user specified heat transfer coefficients.

**Exchanger Geometry** – Selecting this option allows user to provide physical dimensions for plate, unit, nozzles, and material specifications.

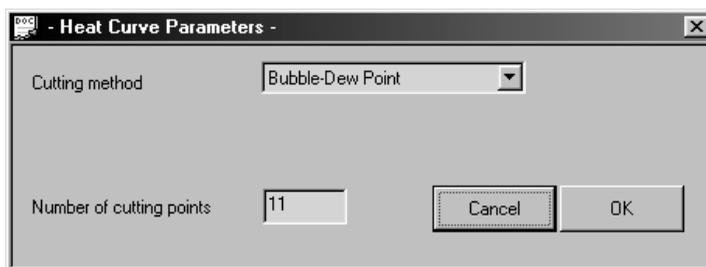
**Calculate** – This is used to execute the thermal analysis and pressure drop calculation.

**View Results** – This item is used to view the calculated results interactively.

**Get Stream From Flowsheet** – This command enables user to retrieve new stream information from CHEMCAD process flow sheet.

## HEAT CURVE GENERATION

Selecting this option will cause the **Heat Curve Parameters dialog box** to appear:



This dialog box contains commands allows the entry of data necessary to calculate the heat curves for the exchanger.

**Cutting method** – The heat curve may be cut by **Bubble-Dew Point** or **Equal Enthalpy** method. The default is **Bubble-Dew Point** method. The **Bubble-Dew Point** method finds the dew and bubble points first, and then continues cutting the largest zone in half until number of cutting points meets the user's specified value. The **Equal Enthalpy** method simply cuts the heating curve into  $n$  zones with equal enthalpy increment, where  $n$  is user specified.

**Number of cutting points** – The entry here determines the number of zones which will be used for the heat curve.  $n$  zones requires  $n+1$  cut points (the entrance to the first zone, plus the outlet of all  $n$  zones). These are thermodynamic zones, not physical zones. The default is 11 cut points or 10 zones.

**EDIT HEAT CURVE**

This option is used to modify the values calculated for the heat curve. To change a value, you simply type over it. The heat curve data will be displayed in a dialog box like that shown below:

	Pressure (bar)	Temp (C)	DelH (MJ/h)	Vapor (kg/h)	Liquid (kg/h)	L
1	1	15	0	0	170000	0
2	1	20.31381	1414.723	0	170000	0
3	1	25.55161	2829.447	0	170000	0
4	1	30.7157	4244.169	0	170000	0
5	1	35.80881	5658.893	0	170000	0
6	1	40.83305	7073.616	0	170000	0
7	1	45.7909	8488.339	0	170000	0
8	1	50.68436	9903.063	0	170000	0
9	1	55.51577	11317.79	0	170000	0
10	1	60.28696	12732.51	0	170000	0
11	1	65	14147.23	0	170000	0

This dialog box scrolls to the left (using the elevator bar at the bottom) to display additional values.

To save your changes, click the **[OK]** BUTTON.

If blank fields are left between entered values, the program will use linear interpolation to fill them in.

**GENERAL SPECIFICATION**

The **General Specifications dialog box** is provided to permit the user to define the general calculation parameters such as calculation mode, fouling factor, allowable pressure drop, etc. The General Information dialog box appears as follows.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "- Plate Heat Exchanger General Data -". At the top, there is a dropdown menu for "Calculation mode" set to "Design". Below this, the dialog is divided into two main sections: "Cold side" and "Hot side". Each section contains three input fields: "Coefficient" (with units W/m2-K), "Fouling" (with units m2-K/W), and "Allowable dp" (with units bar). The "Cold side" values are: Coefficient (empty), Fouling (0.000704438), and Allowable dp (0.324054). The "Hot side" values are: Coefficient (empty), Fouling (0.000704438), and Allowable dp (0.317159). At the bottom right, there are "Cancel" and "OK" buttons.

These fields are described below.

**Calculation mode** – There are three calculation modes; design, rating, and fouling rating. In the design mode, **PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** may be used to size a heat exchanger, calculating the optimum number of plate. When in the design mode, the information required to make a run includes allowable pressure drops, stream data, fouling factors, and geometry data other than the number of plate.

In the rating mode, stream data, fouling factors, and all geometry data must be defined. The program checks to see if the exchanger defined will work in the given application by checking effective heat transfer area against area required to carry out the heat duty for given streams.

In the fouling rating, the required information includes streams and geometry data. The program will calculate fouling factors on cold, hot, or both sides depends on user's selection on the fouling rating option.

**Allowable dp** - Input of this variable is required for design run. This is the pressure drop allowable for flow passing through plates. Pressure drop through nozzles is not included in this. For rating and fouling rating, this field will be invisible from the dialog box.

**Fouling factor** - Input of this variable is used for rating and design calculation. It is a thermal resistance included to account for the fouling. Its value is arbitrary and defines how often you want to clean the tubes. The default is 0.001 in English units on the cold and hot side.

**Coefficient** - Input of this variable is optional. If the user wants to specify the cold or hot side film heat transfer coefficient, they could enter the value in the corresponding field. The program will take this value in calculating the overall heat transfer coefficient.

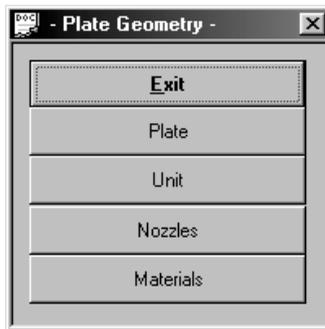
**Rate cold side fouling** – This option makes the program rate the cold side fouling factor. It requires hot side fouling factor specified. It appears on the screen only if **Calculation mode** is set to fouling rating.

**Rate hot side fouling** – This option makes the program rate the hot side fouling factor. It requires cold side fouling factor specified. It appears on the screen only if **Calculation mode** is set to fouling rating.

**Rate both side fouling** – This option makes the program to rate cold and hot side fouling factors. Under this option, the program will assume the fouling factors on cold and hot sides are equal. This option appears on the screen only if **Calculation mode** is set to fouling rating.

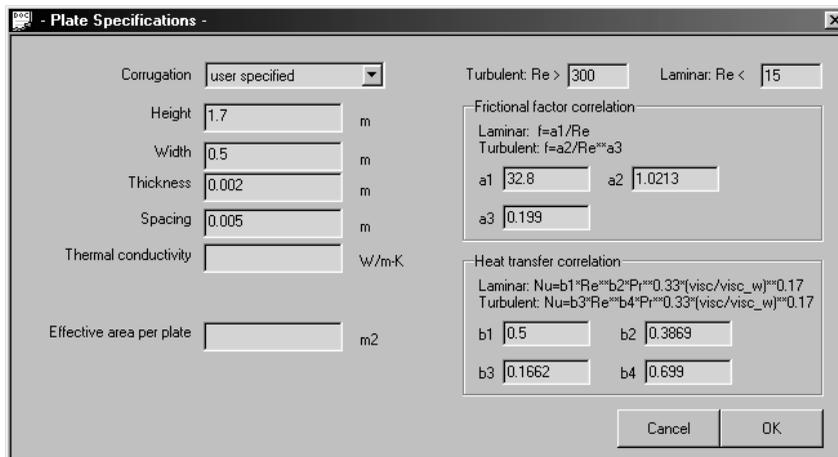
**EXCHANGER GEOMETRY**

This option allows the user to make detailed specifications concerning the dimensions and arrangement of a plate heat exchanger. Selecting this option will cause the Exchanger Geometry Menu to appear like so:



**PLATE**

Selection of **Plate** option opens up the **Tube Specifications Dialog Box**. The Dialog box lets the user specify all data regarding the plate, it also allows the user to specify parameters for the pressure drop and heat transfer coefficient models if user specified plate corrugation is selected. The Dialog box looks like this.



**Corrugation – PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** allows intermitting corrugation, chevron corrugation, and user specified plate corrugation. For intermitting corrugation plate, plate height, width, thickness, spacing are required inputs. For chevron corrugation plate, chevron angle is also required inputs in addition to those for intermitting corrugation plate. For user specified plate, all model parameters are required inputs in addition to those for intermitting corrugation plate.

**Height** - This is the plate height. If not specified, a default value of 10.4 feet will be assigned.

**Width** - This is the plate width. If not specified, a default value of 3.08 feet will be assigned.

**Thickness** - This is the plate thickness. If not specified, a default value of 0.1 inch will be used.

**Spacing** – This is the space between two plates or gap. If not specified, a default value of 0.118 inch will be used.

**Thermal conductivity** – This is the thermal conductivity of the plate. This field is optional. If not specified, the program will calculate it according to the plate wall temperature and the plate material specified in the **Material** option.

**Chevron angle** – This is the chevron angle of the chevron corrugation plate. This field will appear in the dialog box only if the chevron corrugation plate is selected. field allows input of tube internal surface roughness defined by the ratio of equivalent roughness height over tube internal diameter.

**Effective area per plate** – This is the effective heat transfer area per plate. This field is optional. If not specified, the program will calculate it based on plate height, width, number of nozzle, and nozzle size.

**Turbulent: Re >** – This field is for input of the minimum Reynold's number of turbulent flow regime. The default is 300.

**Laminar: Re <** - This field is for input of the maximum Reynold's number of laminar flow regime. The default is 15. The field appears only if the user specified plate corrugation is selected.

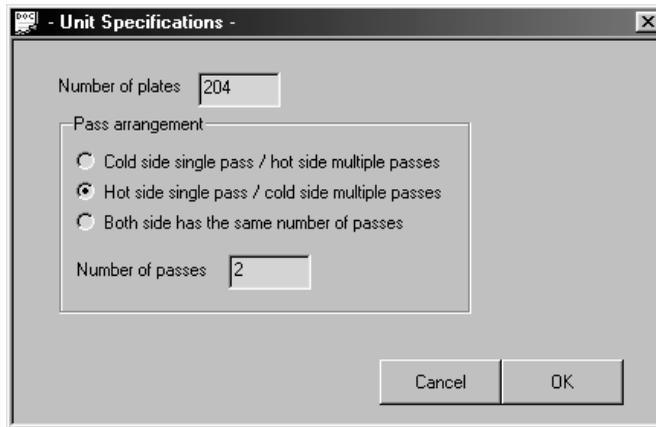
**a1, a2, and a3** - These are parameters for the frictional factor correlations. The defaults are 32.8, 1.0213, and 0.199 respectively. The field appears only if the user specified plate corrugation is selected.

**b1, b2, b3, and b4** - These are parameters for the heat transfer correlations. The defaults are 0.5, 0.3869, 0.1662, and 0.699 respectively. The field appears only if the user specified plate corrugation is selected.

## UNIT

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The Unit option opens up the **Unit Specifications** dialog box. The dialog box is shown below and the definition of each fields follows.



**Number of plates** - This field is for inputting the number of plates in the heat exchanger. For design case, the number of plates is calculated by the program and will also be updated in this field.

**Pass arrangement** – This radio button allow user to select pass arrangement for the exchanger. The first option allows the heat exchanger to be arranged in cold side single pass and hot side multiple passes. The number of hot side pass may be specified in the **Number of passes** field. The second option allows the heat exchanger to be arranged in hot side single pass and cold side multiple passes. The number of hot side passes may be specified in the **Number of passes** field. The third option allows the heat exchanger to be arranged in the same number of passes for both sides. The number of passes may be specified in the **Number of passes** field. **Air Cooler** assumes pure counter current flow in thermal calculation when this option is elected. A correction factor,  $F$ , to LMTD similarly to the one applied to the single E-Shell and multiple-tube-pass exchanger is applied when the first or second options is elected, see Chapter 1.5 of the Heat Exchanger Design Handbook (Taborek 1988).

## NOZZLES

Selection of this option brings up the **Nozzle Parameter** dialog box. The dialog box allows user to specify dimensions of nozzles. It looks like this.

**Cold side**

# of nozzle - inlet	1	
# of nozzle - outlet	1	
Inlet nozzle diameter	0.05	m
Outlet nozzle diameter	0.05	m

**Hot side**

# of nozzle - inlet	1	
# of nozzle - outlet	1	
Inlet nozzle diameter	0.05	m
Outlet nozzle diameter	0.05	m

Cancel OK

**# of nozzles - inlet** - This entry is for input of the number of nozzles per bundle for the tube side inlet.

**# of nozzles - outlet** - This entry is for input of the number of nozzles per bundle for the tube side outlet.

**Inlet nozzle diameter** - This is the inner diameter of an inlet nozzle. All inlet nozzles are assumed to have the same diameter. The diameter will determine how much area should be subtracted from plate gross area to obtain effective area.

**Outlet nozzle diameter** - This is the inner diameter of an outlet nozzle. All outlet nozzles are assumed to have the same diameter. The diameter will determine how much area should be subtracted from plate gross area to obtain effective area.

## MATERIALS

Selection of this option brings up the **Material Specifications** dialog box. The dialog box allows user to specify material for the plates. The dialog box looks like this.

**Plate material** 01 Carbon Steel

Cancel OK

**Plate material** - Select the plate material from the options listed in the window. The plate material directly influences the plate wall resistance in the heat transfer calculation.

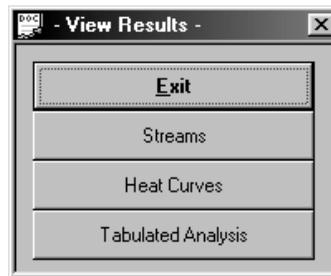
## CALCULATE

The **Calculate button** tells the program to execute the design, rate, or fouling rating calculation. To begin the run, move the pointer to the **Calculate** option and click the left mouse button. After the command is issued, the program performs a complete data check to make sure there is no missing or unreasonable information. If errors or warnings are detected, the program shows an error message on the screen. The program allows you to either change the data or ignore the error messages.

The progress of calculation will be reported in the status line in the lower left corner for design calculation.

## VIEW RESULTS

The **View Results** option enables the user to interactively review selected results on the screen. When selected, the **VIEW MENU** appears on the screen like so:



The items listed provide summaries of the specific information requested. All displays are in Wordpad so that they can be edited, printed, and/or saved. A detailed description of each VIEW MENU option is given below.

### STREAM

This option displays the compositions and thermodynamic properties of the streams going in and out of the heat exchanger.

### HEAT CURVES

This displays the temperatures, vapor and liquid rates, heat duties, and physical and transport properties for each zone. These are the values used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations.

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**TABULATED DATA**

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This option displays the Overall Data, Cold Side Data, Hot Side Data, Unit, Cold Side Nozzles, Hot Side Nozzles and General Specification together on one page.

**RE-ENTER STREAM INFORMATION**

This command allows user to retrieve new streams from **CHEMCAD** flow sheet. This is very useful in case any stream entering or exiting the exchanger is changed.

## PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER OUTPUT

**PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER** output includes stream data, heat curves, and tabulated data.

### STREAM DATA

The stream data reports the compositions and thermodynamic properties of the streams going in and out of the heat exchanger. This information is fed to heat curve calculation to generate heat curve. A stream data report looks like this:

Stream No.	1	4	2	3
Stream Name				
Temp C	15.0000*	65.0000	95.0000*	90.3400
Pres bar	1.0000*	1.0000	1.0000*	1.0000
Enth MJ/h	64839.	78986.	-1.1220E+007	-1.1234E+007
Vapor mole fraction	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
Total kmol/h	2020.3968	2020.3965	39966.6970	39966.7006
Total kg/h	170000.0000	170000.0000	720000.0396	720000.0963
Total std L m3/h	193.5593	193.5592	720.1160	720.1161
Total std V m3/h	45284.46	45284.45	895799.42	895799.53
Flowrates in kg/h				
Water	0.0000	0.0000	720000.0396	720000.0963
Dowtherm A	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Benzene	90000.0049	90000.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Toluene	80000.0012	80000.0012	0.0000	0.0000

### HEAT CURVES

This report includes the temperatures, vapor and liquid rates, heat duties, and physical and transport properties for each zone. These are the values used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations. A heat curve report for the cold side looks like this:

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**HEATING CURVE REPORT (Cold side)**

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Zone	Press.	Temp.	Heat Load	Vapor Flow.	Liquid Flow.	Latent Heat	Surface Tension	Crit. Pres.
1	1.00	15.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
2	1.00	20.31	1.41e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
3	1.00	25.55	2.83e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
4	1.00	30.72	4.24e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
5	1.00	35.81	5.66e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
6	1.00	40.83	7.07e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
7	1.00	45.79	8.49e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.03	46.42
8	1.00	50.68	9.90e+003	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.02	46.42
9	1.00	55.52	1.13e+004	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.02	46.42
10	1.00	60.29	1.27e+004	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.02	46.42
11	1.00	65.00	1.41e+004	0.00e+000	2.02e+003	0.00	0.02	46.42

Zone	Vapor Ht. Cap.	Vapor Visco.	Vapor Cond.	Vapor Density	Liquid Ht. Cap.	Liquid Visco.	Liquid Cond.	Liquid Density
1	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.55e+000	0.00	0.14	878.25
2	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.58e+000	0.00	0.14	873.20
3	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.60e+000	0.00	0.14	868.19
4	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.62e+000	0.00	0.14	863.21
5	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.64e+000	0.00	0.14	858.26
6	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.67e+000	0.00	0.13	853.33
7	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.69e+000	0.00	0.13	848.44
8	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.71e+000	0.00	0.13	843.57
9	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.73e+000	0.00	0.13	838.72
10	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.75e+000	0.00	0.13	833.89
11	0.00	0.00	0.00e+000	0.00e+000	1.78e+000	0.00	0.13	829.08

**Engineering Units:**

Pressure: bar  
Temperature: C  
Heat Load: MJ/h  
Vapor Flow: kmol/h  
Liquid Flow: kmol/h  
Latent Heat: kJ/kg  
Surf. Ten.: N/m  
Crit. Pres.: bar  
Vapor Ht. Cap.: kJ/kg-K  
Vapor Visco.: N-s/m<sup>2</sup>  
Vapor Cond.: W/m-K  
Vapor Density: kg/m<sup>3</sup>  
Liquid Ht. Cap.: kJ/kg-K  
Liquid Visco.: N-s/m<sup>2</sup>  
Liquid Cond.: W/m-K  
Liquid Density: kg/m<sup>3</sup>

A heat curve report for the hot side has a similar format and content.

**TABULATED DATA**

This report includes the Overall Data, Cold Side Data, Hot Side Data, Unit, Cold Side Nozzles, Hot Side Nozzles, and General Specification together on one page. These values are the calculated results and geometry inputs from user. The tabulated data report looks like this:

TABULATED ANALYSIS			
<b>Overall Data:</b>			
Effective Area, m2	163.633	Service Coeff., W/m2-K	496
Calculated Area, m2	163.305	Calculated Coeff., W/m2-K	497
Calculated Clean Area, m2	48.923	Clean Coeff., W/m2-K	1659
MTD, Effective C	48.405	Heat Load, MJ/h	14147.232
Area Excess,	0.2%	Area Per Unit, m2	163.633
Gross Area, m2	173.400	MTD Factor	0.983
<b>Cold Side Data:</b>			
Film Coef., W/m2-K	1986.5	Press. Drop, bar	0.2
Velocity, m/sec	0.432	Reynold's No	7158.4
Fouling Factor, m2-K/W	0.000704		
<b>Hot Side Data:</b>			
Film Coef., W/m2-K	16696.0	Press. Drop, bar	0.3
Velocity, m/sec	0.810	Reynold's No	25563.1
Fouling Factor, m2-K/W	0.000704		
<b>Plate:</b>			
Width, m	0.500	Height, m	1.700
Gap, m	0.005	Thermal Cond., W/m-K	51.690
Corrugation	Chvron	Chevron Angle, degree	80.0
<b>Unit:</b>			
Number of Plates	204		
Cold Side Passes	2	Hot Side Passes	1
Number in Parallel	1	Number in Series	1
<b>Cold Side Nozzles:</b>			
Nozzle Inner Diam.-Inlet, m	0.050	Nozzle Inner Diam.-Outlet, m	0.050
Number of Inlet Nozzles	1	Number of Outlet Nozzles	1
<b>Hot Side Nozzles:</b>			
Nozzle Inner Diam.-Inlet, m	0.050	Nozzle Inner Diam.-Outlet, m	0.050
Number of Inlet Nozzles	1	Number of Outlet Nozzles	1
<b>General Specification:</b>			
Computation Mode			
Cold Side Coeff. Specified?	No	Hot Side Coeff. Specified?	No
Cold Side Fouling Specified?	No	Hot Side Fouling Specified?	No

Items other than user input are explained below:

**Effective Area** – The heat transfer effective area excludes that portion occupied by nozzles. This area is a projected area.

**Service Coeff.** – This is the overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole exchanger based on the **Effective Area** of exchanger at service. It is defined as:

$$(\text{Service Coeff.}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{(\text{Effective Area})(\text{MTD, Effective})}$$

**Calculated Area** – The calculated heat transfer area required to carry out the **heat load**.

$$(\text{Calculated Area}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{(\text{Calculated Coeff.})(\text{MTD, Effective})}$$

**Calculated Coeff.** –  $1/(\text{Calculated Coeff.}) = 1/\alpha_h + 1/\alpha_c + t/\lambda_p + R_h + R_c$

This is the overall heat transfer coefficient. It is calculated by following equation:

where,

$\alpha_h$  = hot stream heat transfer coefficient

$\alpha_c$  = cold stream heat transfer coefficient

t = plate thickness

$\lambda_p$  = plate conductivity

$R_h$  = fouling resistance for the hot surfaces of the plate

$R_c$  = fouling resistance for the cold surfaces of the plate.

**Calculated Clean Area** – The heat transfer area required to carry out the **heat load** when the heat transfer surface is clean. It is calculated by following equation:

$$(\text{Clean Area}) = \frac{(\text{Heat Load})}{(\text{Calculated Clean Coef.})(\text{MTD, Effective})}$$

**Clean Coeff.** – This is the overall heat transfer coefficient when the surface is clean. It could be calculated by following equation:

$$1/(\text{Clean Coeff.}) = 1/\alpha_h + 1/\alpha_c + t/\lambda_p$$

**MTD, Effective** – The overall effective mean temperature difference which is defined as:

$$(\text{MTD, Effective}) = F(\text{LMTD})$$

where, F = a correction factor for not pure countercurrent flow

*LMTD* = log mean temperature difference.

The LMTD is defined as:

$$\text{LMTD} = T_{h,in} - T_{c,out} = T_{h,out} - T_{c,in} \quad \text{for } T_{h,in} - T_{c,out} = T_{h,out} - T_{c,in}$$

and

$$(\text{LMTD}) = \frac{(T_{h,in} - T_{c,out}) - (T_{h,out} - T_{c,in})}{\log((T_{h,in} - T_{c,out}) / (T_{h,out} - T_{c,in}))} \quad \text{for } T_{h,in} - T_{c,out} \neq T_{h,out} - T_{c,in}$$

**Heat Load** – The enthalpy difference between the inlet and outlet process streams of the heat exchanger.

**Excess Area** – The excess area for the present calculation. It is defined as:

$$(\text{Area Excess}) = \frac{(\text{Effective Area}) - (\text{Calculated Area})}{(\text{Effective Area})} (100\%)$$

This value is always expressed as a percent. A negative value indicates that the exchanger is undersurfaced in rating. When making a design run, the program will find a heat exchanger so that the excess is the minimum positive value. When making a fouling rating run, the program finds the fouling factors so that the **Excess Area** is zero.

**Area Per Unit** – The effective area per unit excludes that portion which is occupied by the nozzles.

**Gross Area** – The gross area which is calculated by:

$$(\text{Gross Area}) = (\text{Number of Plate})(\text{Width})(\text{Height})$$

**MTD, Factor** – The correction factor, F, appeared in the definition of **MTD, Effective**. For pure countercurrent flow, such as a large plate heat exchanger which has the same number of pass for cold and hot side and arranged in pure countercurrent configuration, F equals one. Otherwise, it will be less than one.

**Film coefficient** – The heat transfer coefficient of the fluid boundary layer or film next to the plate wall on the cold or hot side.

**Pres. Drop** – Cold or hot side flow pressure drop due to frictional force.

**Velocity** – The fluid velocity is calculated by volumetric flow rate divided by the cross sectional area defined by the plate width times the gap between two adjacent plates.

**Reynold's No** – Reynold's number of the cold or hot flow.

**APPENDIX I PLATE HEAT EXCHANGER REFERENCES**

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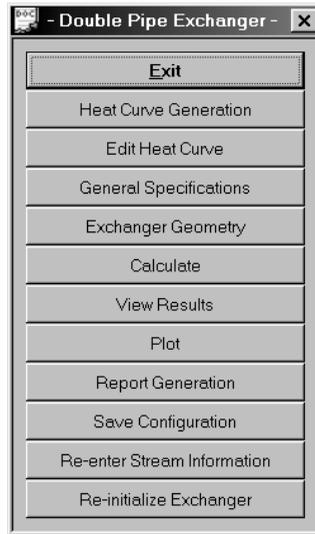
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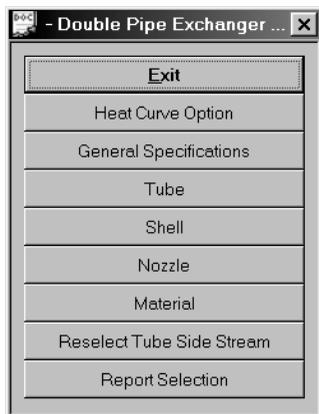


For simulation, the following procedure is used to call the **DOUBLE PIPE** menu:

1. Define a two-sided heat exchanger with input streams specified.
2. Right click on the unit to be analyzed and select the **Edit Unit Op Data** menu. The **Heat exchanger (HTXR)-** dialogue box will open.
3. Select option 5 or 6 (**Double Pipe simulation or Double Pipe fouling factor rating**) for the simulation mode box and click **[OK]** button.
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The options on these menus are briefly described below and more fully described in the following sections bearing the option as title.

## DATA ENTRY IN DOUBLE PIPE

You will be entering data about your heat exchanger through the **DOUBLE PIPE dialog boxes**. You should note the **CHEMCAD Suite** input rules apply. Please refer to the **CHEMCAD User's Guide** for the details of all input connections and dialog boxes.

**Heat Curve Generations** – The heat exchanger analysis calculation takes place in two steps. First, the heat curve is generated, then the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations are performed. **Heat Curve Generation** performs the former calculations. This calculation determines the flows, thermodynamic properties of the heat transfer fluids in each one of the exchanger. These properties are then used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations. **Heat curve generation** therefore is a necessary prerequisite to the rest of the calculations.

**Edit Heat Curve** – This option enables the user to change the heat curve values calculated by **DOUBLE PIPE**, in other words, to override the program.

**General Specifications** – This option is used to define basic exchanger parameters such as computation mode, exchanger type, process type, fouling factors, allowed pressure drop, and heat transfer and pressure drop equations to be used.

**Exchange Geometry** – Selecting this option allows the user to provide physical dimensions for the shell, tubes, and nozzles. It also allows the user to make material specifications.

**Calculate** – This is used to execute the thermal analysis and pressure drop calculations.

**View Results** – This item is used to view the calculated results interactively.

**Plot** – This option enables the user to graphically display a variety of heat curves, heat flux, LMTD, temperature, heat transfer coefficient, and required heat transfer area on a zone-by-zone basis.

**Report Generation** – This command is used to generate hardcopies of tabulated reports. The user can select which information is to be included in the final report.

**Save Configuration** – This saves the current data.

**Re-enter Stream Information** – When a one-sided heat exchanger is selected from the **CHEMCAD** flowsheet for analysis, the user must provide information defining the second side in order for the analysis to be performed. This is initially done in the “**Heat Curve Generation**” step. This command enables the user to change this second stream information. It also allow user to swap tube and shell side streams.

**Re-initialize Exchanger** – This command completely deletes all data regarding the currently selected heat exchanger and restarts the input process.

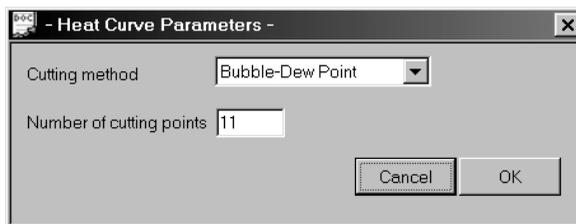
Field by field descriptions of these options is provided below.

**Reselect Tube Side Stream** – This command allows user to swap tube and shell side streams under simulation mode.

**Report Selection** – This command allows user to select reports to be include in the final output report. This is for simulation mode only.

## HEAT CURVE GENERATION

Selecting this option will cause the **Heat Curve Parameters** dialog box to appear like so:



This dialog box contains commands that allow you to enter the data necessary to calculate the heat curve for the exchanger. It is important to note that if you have made any changes to the streams or heat exchanger units within **CHEMCAD**, you will receive a warning from **DOUBLE PIPE** recommending that you recalculate the heat curve to reflect those changes.

## HEAT CURVE INPUT

**CUTTING METHOD** – The heat curve may be set up in zones by the methods of:

1. Equal enthalpy
2. Bubble-Dew Point

The default is option (2), **Bubble-Dew Point** method. If the dew points and bubble points are not within the temperature range of this heat exchanger, then it always uses the **equal enthalpy** method.

The heat exchanger itself is modeled as a zone-by-zone heat transfer process, and the whole path of the heat transfer route will be cut into  $n$  zones, where  $n$  is input by the user. The default value of  $n$  is 10.

The **enthalpy method** calculates the temperature and the flow profiles by generating the corresponding physical properties based on uniform enthalpy and pressure profiles.

The **Bubble-Dew Point method** finds the dew points and bubble points first, and divides the region using these points. Further, it will keep cutting the largest zone in half until user specified number of zones is reached. For sensible flow, those two methods makes no significant difference.

**NUMBER OF CUT POINTS** – The entry here determine the number of zones which will be used for the heat transfer analysis.  $n$  zones requires  $n+1$  cut points (the entrance to the first zone, plus the outlet of all  $n$  zone). These are thermodynamic zones, not physical zones. The default is 11 cut points or 10 zones.

After the desired information has been entered, click the **[OK]** button.

## UTILITY STREAMS

If the heat exchanger uses a utility stream, **DOUBLE PIPE** will prompt for information defining this stream and its conditions.

The inlet composition and thermodynamic conditions are specified using a **Stream** dialog box just as in **CHEMCAD**. The program will calculate the utility flowrate, but an initial guess must be given.

The utility stream flowrate is calculated based upon the heat duty of the exchanger and the outlet condition of the stream. The outlet conditions are specified using the following dialog box:

The dialog box is titled "- Utility Specifications -". It features a "Process Side" section with radio buttons for "Tube" (selected) and "Shell". To the right, the "Utility Side Pressure Drop" is set to "5 psia". The "Utility Side Calculation Mode" section has radio buttons for "Fix Flow" and "Fix Outlet Temperature ->" (selected), with the latter set to "66 F". "Cancel" and "OK" buttons are located at the bottom right.

You may specify only one of the following:

- Temperature:           The outlet temperature of the utility stream.  
 Fixed flow:            The flowrate will be the previously specified in the **Streams** dialog box.

## EDIT HEAT CURVE

This option is used to modify the values **CC-STEADY STATE** calculated for the heat curve. To change a value, you simply type over it. The heat curve data will be displayed in a dialog box similar to that shown below:

	Pressure (psia)	Temp (F)	DelH (MMBtu/h)	Vapor (lb/h)	Liquid (lb/h)	LatentHeat (Btu/lb)	SurfaceTension (dyne/cm)
1	15	77	0	0	200164.7	0	72.10352
2	15	80.40001	0.6805941	0	200164.7	0	71.77686
3	15	83.80095	1.361188	0	200164.7	0	71.4497
4	15	87.20128	2.041782	0	200164.7	0	71.12217
5	15	90.60155	2.722377	0	200164.7	0	70.79419
6	15	94.00175	3.402971	0	200164.7	0	70.46571
7	15	97.40178	4.083564	0	200164.7	0	70.1368
8	15	100.8016	4.764159	0	200164.7	0	69.80732
9	15	104.2013	5.444753	0	200164.7	0	69.47733
10	15	107.6008	6.125347	0	200164.7	0	69.1468
11	15	111	6.805941	0	200164.7	0	68.8157

This dialog box scrolls to the left (using the elevator bar at the bottom) to display additional values.

To save your changes, click the **[OK]** button.

If blank fields are left between entered values, the program will perform a line interpolation to fill them in.

## GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

The **General Information** dialog box is provided to permit you to define the general calculation parameters such as computation mode, exchanger type, process type, etc. The **General Information** dialog box appears as follows.

Page 1:

**- General Specifications -**

General Information | Modeling Methods

Calculation mode: Rating

Geometry Type: Straight Tube

— TUBE SIDE —

Stream name:

Process type: Sensible Flow

Fouling factor: 0.001 hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F/Btu

— SHELL SIDE —

Stream name:

Process type: Sensible Flow

Fouling factor: 0.001 hr-ft<sup>2</sup>-F/Btu

Cancel OK

Page 2:

**General Specifications -**

General Information | Modeling Methods

— TUBE SIDE METHODS —

Laminar Flow: Eubank-Proctor

Turbulent Flow: Program Select

Single phase frictional pressure drop: Blasius

— SHELL SIDE METHODS —

Laminar Flow: Program select

Turbulent Flow: Program Select

Single phase frictional pressure drop: Blasius

Warning level: 2

Load default methods Cancel OK

These fields are described below.

## THE GENERAL PAGE

**Calculation mode - the DOUBLE PIPE module** may be used to rate an existing exchanger. In this mode, all the key variables must be defined. The program checks to see if the exchanger defined will

work in the given application. You must define the geometry type, shell ID, tube length, number of exchangers in series and parallel.

Modular concept of double pipe heat exchanger lets you meet heat transfer duties and pressure drop constrains by putting together double pipe heat exchanger modules in series , parallel, or mixed fashion. Plant managers can immediately meet changing duties simply by rearranging, adding or subtracting modules. **DOUBLE PIPE** may be used to carry out thermal design for such task. In this mode, allowable pressure drops on both shell and tube side along with data needed for rating single module have to be specified. **DOUBLE PIPE** will calculate numbers of modules in series and parallel needed to meet the pressure drop constrains and heat duties.

DOUBLEPIPE may also be used to perform fouling rating. In this mode, all the geometry data of the heat exchanger must be defined and the program will estimate fouling factor(s) for given process flow data. This mode could be very useful for process engineer to estimated fouling situation of an on duty heat exchanger. There are three options under this mode; **Rate tube side fouling**, **Rate shell side fouling**, and **Rate both side fouling**. These options pop up on this page when fouling rating mode is selected. The program will assume equal fouling on tube and shell side while perform **Rate both side fouling**.

**Geometry type** - selection of straight tube or U shaped tube exchanger.

**Process type** – **DOUBLE PIPE** allows sensible flow on both tube and shell side.

**Fouling factor** - It is a thermal resistance included to account for the fouling. Its value is arbitrary and defines how often you want to clean the tubes. The default is 0.001 in English units on both sides.

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## THE METHODS PAGE

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### Tubeside Methods:

**Tubeside Laminar Flow Method** – This option defines which equation is to be used to calculate the sensible heat transfer film coefficient for laminar flow on the tubeside. The options are:

Eubank-Proctor	Reference No. 1 APPENDIX II
VDI	Reference No. 2 APPENDIX II

**Tubeside Turbulent Flow Method** – This option specifies which method is to be used to calculate the tubeside film coefficient for sensible, turbulent flow on the tubeside, the options are:

Program Select:	Let <b>DOUBLE PIPE</b> select the most appropriate method base upon the turbulent flow conditions.
Seader-Tate:	Reference No. 3 APPENDIX II
Colburn Method:	Reference No. 4 APPENDIX II
Dittus-Boelter:	Reference No. 5 APPENDIX II
ESDU Method:	Reference No. 6 APPENDIX II
Mean VDI Nusselt:	Reference No. 7 APPENDIX II

**Tubeside Frictional Pressure Drop** - This identifies the method to be used to calculate the tubeside frictional pressure drop. The options are:

The Blasius Equation	Reference No. 8 APPENDIX II
Chen's Method	Reference No. 9 APPENDIX II

#### Shellside Methods:

**Shellside Laminar Flow Model** - This option selects which method is to be used to calculate the shellside pressure drops and film coefficients for laminar flow. The options are:

Program Select: Let **DOUBLE PIPE** select the most appropriate method base upon the flow conditions.

**Shellside Turbulent Flow Method** – This option specifies which method is to be used to calculate the shellside film coefficient for sensible, turbulent flow on the shellside, the options are:

Program Select:	Let <b>DOUBLE PIPE</b> select the most appropriate method base upon the flow conditions.
Seader-Tate:	Reference No. 3 APPENDIX II
Colburn Method:	Reference No. 4 APPENDIX II
Dittus-Boelter:	Reference No. 5 APPENDIX II
ESDU Method:	Reference No. 6 APPENDIX II
Mean VDI Nusselt:	Reference No. 7 APPENDIX II

**Shellside Frictional Pressure Drop** - This identifies the method to be used to calculate the shellside frictional pressure drop. The options are:

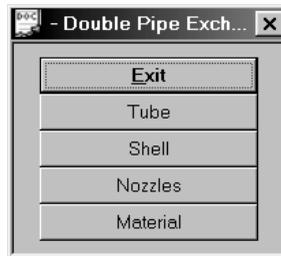
The Blasius Equation	Reference No. 8 APPENDIX II
Chen's Method	Reference No. 9 APPENDIX II

The **Load default methods** button will load all default methods or setting on this page. **Warning level** controls pop up frequency of warning messages. The bigger the integer value is, the more frequent the messages will appear.

## EXCHANGER GEOMETRY

The **Exchanger Geometry** option is to permit the user to make detailed specifications concerning the dimensions and arrangement of the heat exchanger.

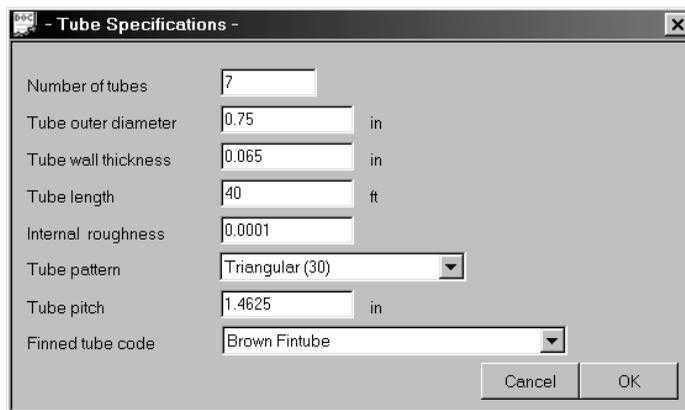
Selecting this option will cause the **Exchanger Geometry** menu to appear like so:



Each of the above displays options call an input dialog box through which the detailed information is provided.

## TUBES

The **Tube Specifications** dialog box is used to define tube and tube arrangement information. The **Tube Specifications** dialog box appears as follows.



These fields are described below.

**Number of tubes** – This field is mandatory. The default number is 1 for single tube exchanger. For multitube exchanger, a typical number is 7. This field will be overwritten if *Brown Fintube* exchanger is selected for **Finned tube code**.

**Tube Outer Diameter** - The tube diameter has to be specified. The minimum value of outer tube diameter is 0.25 inch. This field will be overwritten if *Brown Fintube* is selected for **Finned tube code**.

**Tube wall thickness** - The wall thickness is a mandatory input. This field will be overwritten if *Brown Fintube* is selected for **Finned tube code**.

**Tube length** - This field is a mandatory input for a rating case. This field will be overwritten if *Brown Fintube* is selected for **Finned tube code**.

**Internal surface roughness** – Enter the roughness factor for the inside of the tube. This value is used in the calculation of frictional pressure loss. The default is 0.00015.

**Tube pattern** – The following selection is available under this option.

*Rotated Triangular(60) [Default]*

*Square (90)*

*Diamond [rotated square (45)]*

*Rotated triangular(30)*

**Tube pitch** - The units are in inches or mm. The tube pitch is the distance between tube centers. The default is  $1.25 \times (\text{tube outer diameter} + 2.0 \times \text{fin height})$ . This field will be checked by the program to assure that it is greater than  $1.25 \times (\text{tube outer diameter} + 2.0 \times \text{fin height})$ .

**Finned tube code** – *Plain tube*, *User specified finned tube*, and *Brown Fintube* can be selected. The default is *Plain tube*. Selection of *User specified finned tube* allows user to specify fin tube geometry dimensions and fin materials. Selection of *Brown Fintube* allows user to select double pipe heat exchanger manufactured by Brown Fintube Company. The dialog box for *User specified finned tube* or *Brown Fintube* pops up, if it is selected, on click of OK button of **Tube Specifications** dialog box. These dialog boxes are explained in the following.

**Longitudinal fin specifications** – This dialog box allows user to specify a fin tube. To be specified are the fin tube *name*, *fin material*, *number of fins*, *fin height*, and *fin thickness*. The dialog box appears as follows.

**Brown Fintube Double Pipe specifications** – This dialog box allows user to specify a Brown Fintube double pipe exchanger. User can select the *section type*, *shell thickness*, *tube thickness*, *shell material*, *tube material*, *number of fins*, *nominal fin length in feet*, and *fin height*. The dialog box appears as follows.

**Brown Fintube Double Pipe Specifications**

Section type: 15, shell OD 4.5, tube OD 0.75

Shell Thk: 0, 10 Low press. Both

Tube Thk: A, .065 inch

Shell Mat'l: 0, Carbon Steel

Tube Mat'l: 0, Carbon Steel

Fin Mat'l: 6, Aluminum

NO. Fins: 6, 30

Nom Fin Length in feet: 12

Fin height: 0.21"

Cancel OK

For more details, please refer to Brown Fintube Company's product catalog.

## SHELL

The purpose of the **Shell Specifications** dialog box is to define shell information. The **Shell Specifications** dialog box appears as follows.

**Shell Specifications**

Shell diameter: 0.355 ft

Number of exchangers in parallel: 1

Number of exchangers in series: 1

Cancel OK

These fields are described below.

**Shell diameter** - This field must be input. It will be overwritten if *Brown Fintube* is selected for **Finned tube code**. The diameter is the internal diameter.

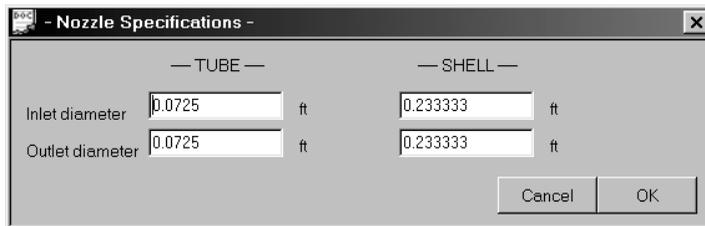
**Number of exchangers in parallel** - The default is one (1). Any positive integer number between 1 and the maximum allowed per machine precision is acceptable.

**Number of exchangers in series** - The default is one (1). Any positive integer number between 1 and the maximum allowed per machine precision is acceptable.

## NOZZLES

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The purpose of the **Nozzle Specifications** dialog box is to permit you to specify nozzle sizes. The **Nozzle Specifications** dialog box appears as follows.



**Nozzle diameter** - This diameter is the inside diameter in all cases. Even if making a rating, it is not obligatory to input the nozzle diameter, as the program will calculate it if this information is omitted. It will be overwritten if *Brown Fintube* is selected for **Finned tube code** in the **Tube Specifications** dialog box.

## MATERIALS

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The **Material Specifications** dialog box is used to specify the materials used for tubes. It appears as follows.



The first 34 options are material selections. After that follows the ASME and DIN A. D. Merk material code.

The **Calculate** command tells the program to execute the design, rating, or fouling rating calculation. To begin the calculation, move the pointer to the **Calculate** option and click the left mouse button. After the command is issued, the program performs a complete data check to make sure there is no missing or unreasonable information. If errors or warnings are detected, the program shows an error message on the screen. The program allows you to either change the data or ignore the error messages.

The execution command of **DOUBLE PIPE** simulation is the same as of **CHEMCAD** simulation.

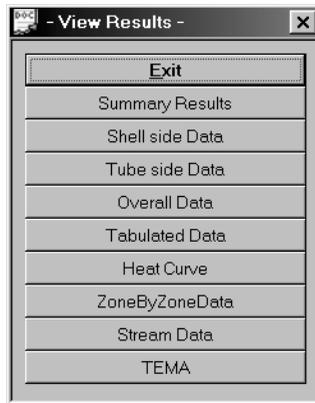
## CALCULATE

The **Calculate** command tells the program to execute the design, rating, or fouling rating calculation. To begin the calculation, move the pointer to the **Calculate** option and click the left mouse button. After the command is issued, the program performs a complete data check to make sure there is no missing or unreasonable information. If errors or warnings are detected, the program shows an error message on the screen. The program allows you to either change the data or ignore the error messages.

The execution command of **DOUBLE PIPE** simulation is the same as of **CHEMCAD** simulation.

## VIEW RESULTS

The **View Results** option enables the user to interactively review selected results on the screen. When selected, the **View** menu appears on the screen likes so:



The nine items listed provide summaries of the specific information requested. All displays are in Wordpad so that they can be edited, printed, and/or saved. The format and content of these displays are the same as in the **DOUBLE PIPE** reports. Since a complete explanation of this output is given under the report generation section of this manual, no effort is made to duplicate that information here. Please refer to the **DOUBLE PIPE REPORT GENERATION** section of this manual for further descriptions. A brief description of each **View menu** option is given below.

## SUMMARY RESULTS

This selection allows you to view a short summary of the most important input and output of the heat exchanger calculations.

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**SHELLSIDE DATA**

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This option shows the shellside data for the current exchanger. This includes velocity, film coefficient, Reynolds No., nozzle sizes, and pressure drops.

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**TUBESIDE DATA**

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This option shows the tubeside data for the current exchanger. This includes film coefficient, Reynolds No., pressure drops, nozzle sizes, and velocity.

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**OVERALL DATA**

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This option displays summary of the duty, area(s), heat transfer coefficient(s), and LMTD(s) of the heat exchanger.

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**TABULATED DATA**

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This option displays the Overall Data, Shellside Data, Tubeside Data, Tube Data, and Resistances Data together on one page.

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**HEAT CURVES**

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This displays the temperatures, vapor and liquid rates, heat duties, and physical and transport properties for each zone. These are the values used in the heat transfer and pressure drop calculations.

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**ZONE BY ZONE DATA**

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This option allows the user to review the zone-by-zone calculated results for both the tubeside and the shellside.

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**STREAM DATA**

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This option displays the compositions and thermodynamic properties of the streams going in and out of the heat exchanger.

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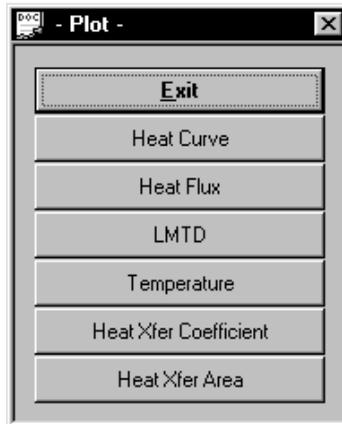
**TEMA SHEET**

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This option displays the completed TEMA sheet.

**PLOT**

From the **Plot** menu, you can plot several zone-by-zone results graphically. The plots are displayed in *Plot Windows*. Therefore, the user can modify or edit the plot using the commands provided by this window. The plot menu looks like the following.



A brief description of each option is given below:

**HEAT CURVE**

Process heat curve is a plot of heat duty versus temperature for both sides of the exchanger.

**HEAT FLUX**

Heat flux passes through the tube wall.

**LMTD**

Log-mean temperature difference for each zone.

**TEMPERATURE**

Four temperature curves are plotted on same page. They are labeled as Tube Side, Tube Side Wall, Shell Side Wall, and Shell Side. The definitions of label are list below.

- Tube Side: bulk temperature of tube side flow;
- Tube Side Wall: temperature at interface between tube side fouling and flow;
- Shell Side Wall: temperature at interface between shell side fouling and flow;

Shell Side:        bulk temperature of shell side flow.

## HEAT XFER COEFFICIENT

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The overall heat transfer coefficient curve is plotted along with four local heat transfer coefficient curves for tube side, shell side, tube side fouling, shell side fouling. All heat transfer coefficients are based on the surface area of tube outer diameter.

## HEAT XFER AREA

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Heat transfer area required for each zone is plotted. Zone area is based on tube outer surface.

## REPORT GENERATION

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The report generation menu is shown below.



## PREPARE LABELS

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This option allows you to specify general information for output labeling. Most of these fields are self-explanatory and none of them are mandatory input.

**Customer** - Enter the name of the customer, limited to 40 characters.

**Address** - Enter the address of the service, limited to 40 characters.

**Plant Location** - Enter the plant location where the exchanger will be placed in service, limited to 40 characters.

**Reference** - Enter the reference number for this exchanger, limited to 10 characters.

**Proposal** - Enter the proposal number for this exchanger, limited to 10 characters.

**Date** - Enter the date, limited to 10 characters.

**Service of Unit** - Enter the service of the unit, limited to 10 characters

**Revision Number** - Enter the revision number of this calculation, limited to 10 characters.

**Name of Exchanger** - Enter the name of the heat exchanger, limited to 12 characters.

**Item Number** - Enter the item number, limited to 12 characters. Default is the equipment ID number.

**Shellside fluid** - Enter the name of the shellside fluid, limited to 12 characters.

**Tubeside fluid** - Enter the name of the tubeside fluid, limited to 12 characters.

**Design Pressure** - Enter the mechanical design pressure at the tubeside and shellside.

**Design Temperature** - Enter the mechanical design temperature at the tubeside and shellside.

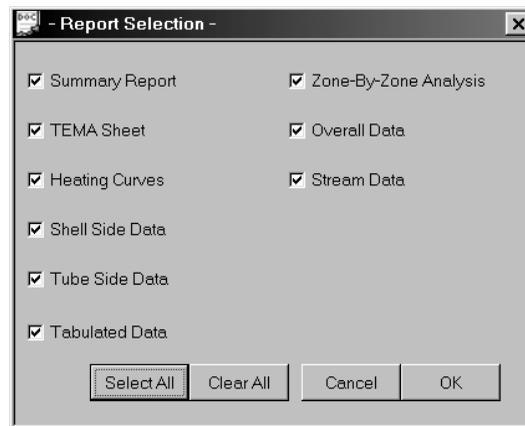
**Corrosion Allowance** - Enter the corrosion allowance at the tubeside and shellside.

**Comments** - Enter the remarks you wish for the TEMA report.

This information appears in the output on the TEMA sheet and head of the report file.

## SELECT REPORTS

This displays a menu that allows you to select which reports and information you want to include in your output.



You may select any of the choices by clicking the desired option. A check mark will appear indicating that the report will be included. To de-select an item, click on the box to make the checkmark disappear. The contents of each report are described in previous chapter, **VIEW RESULTS**.

## GENERATE REPORTS

Clicking on this option will cause the selected reports to be assembled into a single formatted output and then displayed in a word pad file.

## SAVE CONFIGURATION

This command saves the current input for a rating case.

**RE-ENTER STREAM INFORMATION**

This command allows user to get stream data from **CHEMCAD** flow sheet for the four streams going in and out of the current heat exchanger. This command is very useful when stream data of the unit to be sized is changed. Utility side stream will be recalculated for one side heat exchanger and heat curve will be regenerated using this feature.

**RE-INITIALIZE EXCHANGER**

This command deletes all of the input and output data for the current exchanger and starts a new analysis. This command is useful when one wants to switch to other types of exchanger, i.e., from double pipe heat exchanger to shell and tube heat exchanger.

## CC-THERM DOUBLE PIPE OUTPUT

### SUMMARY REPORT

This report section includes general data and a summary of the key information regarding the current exchanger. It contains physical configuration, heat transfer information and information describing the thermodynamic options and engineering units being used. An example of this report appears below:

SUMMARY REPORT		SUMMARY REPORT	
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<b>General Data:</b>		<b>Heat Transfer Data:</b>	
Exch Type	Double Pipe BF_x51	Effective Transfer Area	128.85
Shell I.D.	6.00	Area Required	102.59
Shell in Series/Parallel	1/2	COR LMTD	100.26
Number of Tubes	1	U (Calc/Service)	79.59/63.37
Tube Length	40.00	Heat Calc	1.03
Tube O.D./I.D.	1.9000/1.6100	Heat Spec	0.82
		Excess %	25.60
		Foul(S/T)	5.110E-010/5.110E-009
		Del P(S/T)	1.95/1.28
		SS Film Coeff	122.03
		Avg. SS Vel	2.85
		TW Resist	0.001459
		TS Film Coeff	1692.26
		Avg. TS Vel	6.25
<b>Thermodynamics:</b>			
K:	SRK		
H:	SRK		
D:	Library		
<b>Number of Components: 3</b>			
<b>Calculation Mode: Design</b>			
<b>Engineering Units:</b>			
Temperature	F		
Flow/Hour	(lbmol/h)/h		
Pressure	psia		
Enthalpy	MMBtu		
Diameter/Area	in/ft <sup>2</sup>		
Length/Velocity	ft/(ft/sec)		
Film	Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F		
Fouling	hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F/Btu		

<b>TEMA SHEET</b>
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The TEMA Sheet is reproduced from the TEMA book and is filled in for use as an equipment spec sheet. An example is given on the next page. Most of the items on the TEMA Sheet are self-explanatory. Only a few of them will be explained here as these few may not be intuitively obvious.

Type	User or BF_nnn. User type is user specified double pipe heat exchanger. BF_nnn type is Brown Fintube company's standard where nnn is the heat exchanger section type number. See Brown Fintube company's sales brushes.
Surf/unit (G/E)	The total surface area per unit. <i>G</i> means GROSS or overall area without discounting any part of the tube length which may be imbedded in the tubesheet. <i>E</i> is the effective surface area after discounting any portion of the tube length embedded in the tubesheet.
Calc (coefficient)	The same coefficient as U CALC stated below (see: <i>Overall Data</i> ). See the below discussion of U CALC for more details. It is the overall heat transfer coefficient, taking into account the fouling factors on the shellside and the tubeside. When the exchanger is oversurfaced, the <i>CALC</i> coefficient always exceeds the <i>SERVICE</i> coefficient.
Service (coefficient)	This is the coefficient calculated from service heat specification, effective transfer area, and corrected LMTD.
RHO-V2-inlet nozzle	The same as the quantity <i>RV2 IN</i> which is defined above. This is momentum term of the incoming shellside fluid at the inlet nozzle.
Designation	Exchanger designation. Could be User or Brown Fintube designation code. See APPENDIX VIII for an example which details the definition of Brown Fintube designation code.

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2	Customer		Ref No.	
3	Address		Prop No.	
4	Plant Loc.		Date	Rev
5	Service of Unit		Item	
6	Size 6.0in x 40.0ft Type BF_x51 (Hor/Vert) H Connected in 2 Para 1 Seri			
7	Surf/Unit(G/E) 129.4/128.9 ft2; Shell/Unit 2.000000 Surf/Shell 64.7/64.4 ft2			
8	PERFORMANCE OF ONE UNIT			
9	Type of Process	Sensible	Sensible	
10	Fluid Allocation	Shell Side	Tube Side	
11	Fluid Name			
12	Flow	39683.2	38334.0	lb/h
13	Liquid	39683.2	38334.0	lb/h
14	Vapor	0.0	0.0	lb/h
15	NonCondensable	0.00000	0.00000	lb/h
16	Steam	0.0	0.0	lb/h
17	Evap/Cond	0.0	0.0	lb/h
18	Density	0.000/65.641	0.000/60.266	lb/ft3
19	Conductivity	0.000/0.081	0.000/0.387	Btu/hr-ft-F
20	Specific Heat	0.000/0.330	0.000/1.006	Btu/lb-F
21	Viscosity at Avg.	0.000/3.046	0.000/0.320	cP
22	Latent Heat	0.00	0.00	Btu/lb
23	Temperature(In/Out)	59.000/121.449	203.000/181.775	F
24	Operating Pressure	14.50	14.50	psia
25	Fouling Factor	0.000000	0.000000	hr-ft2-F/Btu
26	Velocity	2.85	6.25	ft/sec
27	Press Drop Allow/Calc	5.000/1.950	5.000/1.279	psi
28	Heat Exchanged 8.187e-001 MMBtu; MTD(Corrected): 100.26 F			
29	Transfer Rate, Service: 63.4 Calc: 79.6 Clean: 79.6			Btu/hr-ft2-F
30	CONSTRUCTION DATA/SHELL Sketch			
31		Shell Side	Tube Side	
32	Design/Test Press psia	0.000000/Code	0.000000/Code	
33	Design Temperature F	0.000	0.000	
34	No. Passes per Shell	1	1	
35	Corrosion Allowance in	0.000	0.000	
36	Connections IN ID	in 2.469	3.068	
37	Size & OUT ID	in 3.068	3.068	
38	Rating			
39	Tube No. 1 OD 1.900 in;Thk. 0.1450 in;Length. 40.00 ft;Pit. 0.000 in; Ptn.			
40	Tube Type L_Finned	Material 1 Carbon Steel	Shape U_tube	
41	Shell A-285-C	6.00 ID	6.43 OD in	Shell Cover
42	Fin A-203-E	No.	32	Nom Length 20.00 ft
43	Rho-V2-Inlet Nozzle 1653.00			
44	Weight/Shell			
45	Designation: Brown Fintube x51-1E001-720			
46	Remarks:			
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## HEATING CURVES

The Heating Curve is a printout of the vapor and liquid properties at the inlet and outlet of each of the ten zones of the exchanger. These variables are defined as follows.

Zone	-	Point 1 is the inlet to the exchanger. Point 2 is the outlet from the first zone. Point 3 is the outlet from the second zone, etc.
Press.	-	Zone pressure.
Temp.	-	Zone outlet temperature.
Heat Load	-	This is the incremented heat load of the zone.
Vapor Flow	-	Vapor flowrate
Liquid Flow	-	Liquid flowrate
Latent Heat	-	Latent heat
Surface Tension	-	Surface tension
Crit. Pres.	-	Critical pressure
Vapor Ht. Cap.	-	Vapor heat capacity
Vapor Visco.	-	Vapor viscosity
Vapor Cond.	-	Vapor thermal conductivity
Vapor Density	-	Vapor density
Liquid Ht. Cap.	-	Liquid heat capacity
Liquid Visco.	-	Liquid viscosity
Liquid Cond.	-	Liquid thermal conductivity
Liquid Density	-	Liquid density

## SHELLSIDE DATA AND TUBESIDE DATA

1. *Avg. SS Vel.* is the flow velocity at shell side parallel to tube.
2. *Film coef.* is the shell side heat transfer coefficient based on tube outside surface area and temperature difference between fouling surface and bulk fluid temperature.
3. *Reynold's No.* is defined by equivalent diameter of shell side annulus.
4. *Allowed press. drop* is what specified by user in general information page as design constrain.
5. *Calc. Press. Drop* is the calculated pressure drop which include pressure drop due to frictional in nozzles, sudden cross sectional area change from nozzle to shell, frictional in shell. It is the total of all units if there are several in series and/or parallel.
6. *Press. Drop/In Nozzle* is the pressure drop through the inlet nozzle.
7. *Press. Drop/Out Nozzle* is the pressure drop through the outlet nozzle.

8. *Nozzle diameter* is inside diameter.

## TABULATED DATA

In addition to the overall data, shellside data, and tubeside data, details of tube geometry and heat transfer resistances are provided together in one page. Most information is self-explanatory, but one should make note of the following points.

1. *Number* is the number of tubes in the tube bundle. **DOUBLE PIPE** allows multi-tube arrangement. An typical value of this number will be 1 or 7. It should always be the same as the number of holes in the tube-sheet.
2. *Length* is the tube length.
3. *Tube O.D.* is the outer diameter of the tube.
4. *Tube I.D.* is the inner diameter of the tube.
5. *Tube wall Thk.* is the wall thickness of the tube wall.
6. *Tube Type* could be Bare or L\_Finned indicating bare tube or longitudinally finned tube respectively.
7. *Free Int. Fl Area* is the free internal flowing area of one single tube. For bare and longitudinally finned tube, it is simple the area calculated from tube inner diameter.
8. *Fin Efficiency* is used to simplify the calculation of the heat transfer from an extended surface. It is defined as the ratio of the actual rate of heat transfer from the extended surface to the rate of heat transfer if the completed surface of the fin was at the temperature of the root of the fin. For details about its definition, see section 3.2 of reference 10.
9. *Tube pattern* in the tubesheet may be:
 

TRI30	-	Triangular (30)
SQUA	-	Square (90)
DIAM	-	Diamond (45)
TRI60	-	Rotated triangular (60)
10. *Tube pitch* is the distance between the centers of the tubes.
11. Heat transfer resistances of Shellside Film, Shellside Fouling, Tube wall, Tubeside Fouling, and Tubeside Film are listed here.
12. *Reference Factor* is the ratio of total outside to inside area. The total outside area is the surface area of fins plus surface area of bare portion between fins. The inside area is based on tube inner diameter.
13. *Effective fin efficiency* is the ratio of shell-side effective area (fin efficiency x fin area + bare area) to actual area (fin area + bare area). Since bare area is relatively a small term, effective fin efficiency usually has a value close to fin efficiency.

**ZONE-BY-ZONE ANALYSIS**

As the name implies, more detail is given about the calculation of the heat transfer coefficient and the pressure drop.

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---- Overall ----						
Inc. Heat Load	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	
MMBtu/h						
LMTD F	120.57	116.19	111.88	107.63	103.46	
Overall Coef.	61.14	69.92	77.14	78.92	80.67	
Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F						
AINC ft <sup>2</sup>	5.55	5.04	4.74	4.82	4.90	
---- Tube Side ----						
Process Type	LIQCOOL	LIQCOOL	LIQCOOL	LIQCOOL	LIQCOOL	
Temp. F	182.84	184.96	187.09	189.21	191.33	
T wall F	176.99	178.46	180.13	182.38	184.65	
Vap. Rate lb/h	0	0	0	0	0	
Liq. Rate lb/h	19167	19167	19167	19167	19167	
Gas Prandtl No.						
Liq. Prandtl No.	2.1474	2.1134	2.0804	2.0483	2.0171	
Film Coeff.	1650.18	1659.73	1669.20	1678.60	1687.92	
Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F						
Vap. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>						
Liq. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	60.5143	60.4664	60.4180	60.3693	60.3201	
Fric. dP psi	0.13	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	
Vel. ft/sec	6.23	6.23	6.24	6.24	6.25	
Re Number	220867	224212	227569	230940	234324	

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ZONE	1	2	3	4	5	
---- Shell Side ----						
Process Type	LIQHEAT	LIQHEAT	LIQHEAT	LIQHEAT	LIQHEAT	
Temp. F	62.27	68.78	75.21	81.58	87.88	
T wall F	160.20	159.70	159.99	162.52	165.10	
Vap. Rate lb/h	0	0	0	0	0	
Liq. Rate lb/h	19842	19842	19842	19842	19842	
Gas Prandtl No.						
Liq. Prandtl No.	36.3638	34.0008	31.8827	29.9767	28.2580	
Film Coeff.	83.50	100.62	116.05	119.95	123.81	
Btu/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -F						
Vap. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>						
Liq. Den. lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	66.4961	66.3190	66.1434	65.9691	65.7963	
Fric. dP psi	0.20	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.17	
Vel. ft/sec	2.82	2.82	2.83	2.84	2.85	
Re Number	23368	25389	27495	29684	31956	

The following comments are relevant.

**Pressure Drops** – Double pipe heat exchangers are oriented horizontally and without phase change, thus, momentum and gravity portions are usually negligible and only frictional portion of pressure drop is calculated in **DOUBLE PIPE** for each zone.

1.  $A/INC$  is the incremental outer surface area of tubes of the zone. If longitudinally finned tube is used, the outer surface area is the sum of fin area and area not covered by fin roots.  $A/INC$  is calculated like so:

$$A/INC_i = \frac{Q_i}{U_i \cdot LMTD_i}$$

where,  $Q_i$  = the heat duty of the zone, *Inc. Heat Load*

$U_i$  = the overall heat transfer coefficient (final) of the zone based on outer surface area, *Overall Coef.*

$LMTD_i$  = the log mean temperature difference across the zone, *LMTD.*

The total required area for the heat exchanger is the sum of all the  $A/INC_i$ 's.

2. The zone-by-zone analysis prints out the arithmetic average of the zone inlets and outlets variables.
  - $Temp.$  is fluid bulk temperature
  - $T\ wall$  is tube wall temperature at the interface between fluid and fouling layer
  - $Vap. Rate$  is vapor flow rate

- *Liq. Rate* is liquid flow rate
  - *Vap. Den.* is vapor phase density
  - *Liq. Den.* is liquid phase density.
3. The following numbers are calculated from the average properties of the zone:
- *Gas Prandtl No.* is vapor phase Prandtl 's number
  - *Liq. Prandtl No.* is liquid phase Prandtl's number
  - *Film Coeff.* is heat transfer coefficient of fluid film next to fouling layer
  - *Fric. dP* is pressure drop due to frictional pressure loss.
  - *Vel.* is fluid velocity
  - *Re Number* is Reynolds's number of fluid. If the fluid is in the shell annulus, equivalent diameter is used in calculating this number.

## OVERALL DATA

1. **Area Total** is the total installed area of the heat exchangers. It is the total outer surface area of a single tube times the total number of tubes. For longitudinally finned tubes, the area is the total area of the fins plus area not covered by fin roots. For multi-units combination, the area is the total of all units.
2. **Area Required** is the area total needed to transfer the specified heat duty of the exchanger. This value is determined by summing the incremental areas, AINC<sub>i</sub>'s of all the zones.
3. **Area Effective** of the exchanger excludes that portion of the tube length, which is covered by the tubesheet.
4. **Area Per Shell** is the **Area Total** of one shell.
5. The **% excess** is the excess area for the present calculation. Excess area is obtained by comparing relatively **Area Total** with **Area Required**. This value is always expressed as a percent. A negative value indicates that the exchanger is undersurfaced. When making a design run, the program usually terminates the calculation when the excess area is greater than 0.
6. **U Calc** is the calculated overall heat transfer coefficient for the whole exchanger based on outer surface area of tube. Since an overall heat transfer coefficient, U<sub>i</sub>, is calculated for each zone, the definition of U Calc is somewhat a matter of convention. **CC-THERM** defines U Calc as:

$$U_{\text{Calc}} = \frac{Q_{\text{Total}}}{(\text{Area}_{\text{req.}})(\text{WLMTD})}$$

- where,  $Q_{\text{Total}}$  = the heat duty of the exchanger
- $\text{Area}_{\text{req}}$  = the required area which is the sum of the incremental areas for all zones; this is outer surface area of tube; for longitudinally finned tubes, this area is the total area of the fins plus area not covered by fin roots .
- WLMTD = the log mean temperature difference which is calculated like so:

$$\text{WLMTD} = \frac{Q_{\text{Total}}}{\sum \frac{Q_i}{\text{LMTD}_i}}$$

- where,  $Q_{\text{Total}}$  = the heat duty of the exchanger
- $Q_i$  = the incremental heat duty of zone i.
- $\text{LMTD}_i$  = the log mean temperature difference for zone i.

7. **U Service** is the exchanger service heat transfer coefficient. This quantity is not a function of the calculated heat transfer coefficients. It depends on the heat load, the temperature difference, and the effective surface area:

$$U_{\text{Service}} = \frac{Q_{\text{Total}}}{\text{Area} \cdot \text{WLMTD}}$$

- where,  $Q_{\text{Total}}$  = the heat duty of the exchanger
- Area = the total effective area of the exchanger.
- WLMTD = the weighted log mean temperature difference.

8. **Heat Duty** is the heat load for given inlet and outlet streams.
9. **Weight LMTD** is the WLMTD – weighted logarithmic mean temperature difference.

## STREAM OUTPUT

The stream output section allows you to include stream composition data in your printed output. It is analogous to **CHEMCAD**, except only those streams that are included in the exchanger will appear in the report.

<b>APPENDIX I: MATERIAL CODE NUMBERS FOR TUBE MATERIALS</b>
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**ASME CODE**

1.	A-179	
2.	A-214	
3.	A-106-B	
4.	C.S.	
5.	A-334-1	(Seamless)
6.	A-334-6	(Seamless)
7.	A-210-A	
8.	A-210-C	
9.	A-178-A	
10.	A-178-C	
11.	A-199-T11	
12.	A-199-T3B	
13.	A-199-T22	
14.	A-199-T21	
15.	A-199-T5	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
16.	A-199-T7	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
17.	A-199-T9	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
18.	A-209-T1B	
19.	A-209-T1	
20.	A-209-T1A	
21.	A-213-T2	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
22.	A-213-T17	
23.	A-213-T12	
24.	A-213-T11	
25.	A-213-T22	
26.	A-213-T21	
27.	A-213-T5	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
28.	A-213-T5B	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
29.	A-213-T5C	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
30.	A-213-T7	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
31.	A-213-T9	(Allowables AVAILABLE @ 650 F. and above)
32.	A-334-9	(Seamless – Allow. AVAIL @ 650 F. and above)
33.	A-334-7	(Seamless)
34.	A-334-3	(Seamless)
35.	COPPER	-SB-111-122 (HARD DRAWN)
36.	ADMIRALTY	-SB-111-443 (Annealed)
37.	ALUMINUM BRASS	-SB-111-687 (Annealed)
38.	RED BRASS	-SB-111-230 (Annealed)
39.	Cu-Ni 70/30	-SB-111-715 (Annealed)
40.	Cu-Ni 90/10	-SB-111-706 (Annealed)
41.	ALUMINUM BRONZE	-SB-111-608 (Annealed)

42.	MONEL	-SB-163-400 (Annealed)
43.	ALUMINUM-6061	-SB-234-6061-T6
44.	TITANIUM-2	-SB-338-Gr 2 (Welded-Annealed)
45.	TITANIUM-12	-SB-338-GR 12 (Welded-Annealed)
46.	NICKEL	-SB-163-200 (Annealed)
47.	LC-NICKEL	-SB-163-201 (Annealed)
48.	ZIRCONIUM	-SB-523-R60702
49.	INCOLOY-800	-SB-163-800 (Annealed)
50.	INCOLOY-825	-SB-163-825 (Annealed)
51.	INCONEL-600	-SB-163-600 (Annealed)
52.	HASTELLOY-B	-SB-619-B (Soln Annealed)
53.	HASTELLOY-C	-SB-619-C-276 (Soln Annealed)
54.	HASTELLOY-G	-SB-619-G (Soln Annealed)
55.	A-213-304	
56.	A-213-304L	
57.	A-213-304H	
58.	A-213-304N	
59.	A-213-316	
60.	A-213-316L	
61.	A-213-316H	
62.	A-213-316N	
63.	A-213-317	
64.	A-213-317L	
65.	A-213-321	
66.	A-213-321H	
67.	A-213-347	
68.	A-213-347H	
69.	A-213-348	
70.	A-213-348H	
71.	A-213-309	
72.	A-213-309S	
73.	A-213-310	
74.	A-213-310S	
75.	A-213-405	
76.	A-213-410	
77.	A-213-430	
78.	A-249-304	
79.	A-249-304L	
80.	A-249-304H	
81.	A-249-304N	
82.	A-249-316	
83.	A-249-316L	
84.	A-249-316H	
85.	A-249-316N	
86.	A-249-317	
87.	A-249-317L	
88.	A-249-321	
89.	A-249-321H	

- 90. A-249-347
- 91. A-249-347H
- 92. A-249-348
- 93. A-249-348H
- 94. A-249-309
- 95. A-249-309S
- 96. A-249-310
- 97. A-249-310S
- 98. A-249-405
- 99. A-249-410
- 100. A-249-430

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