

Engineering Thermodynamics



Basic Concepts - 1



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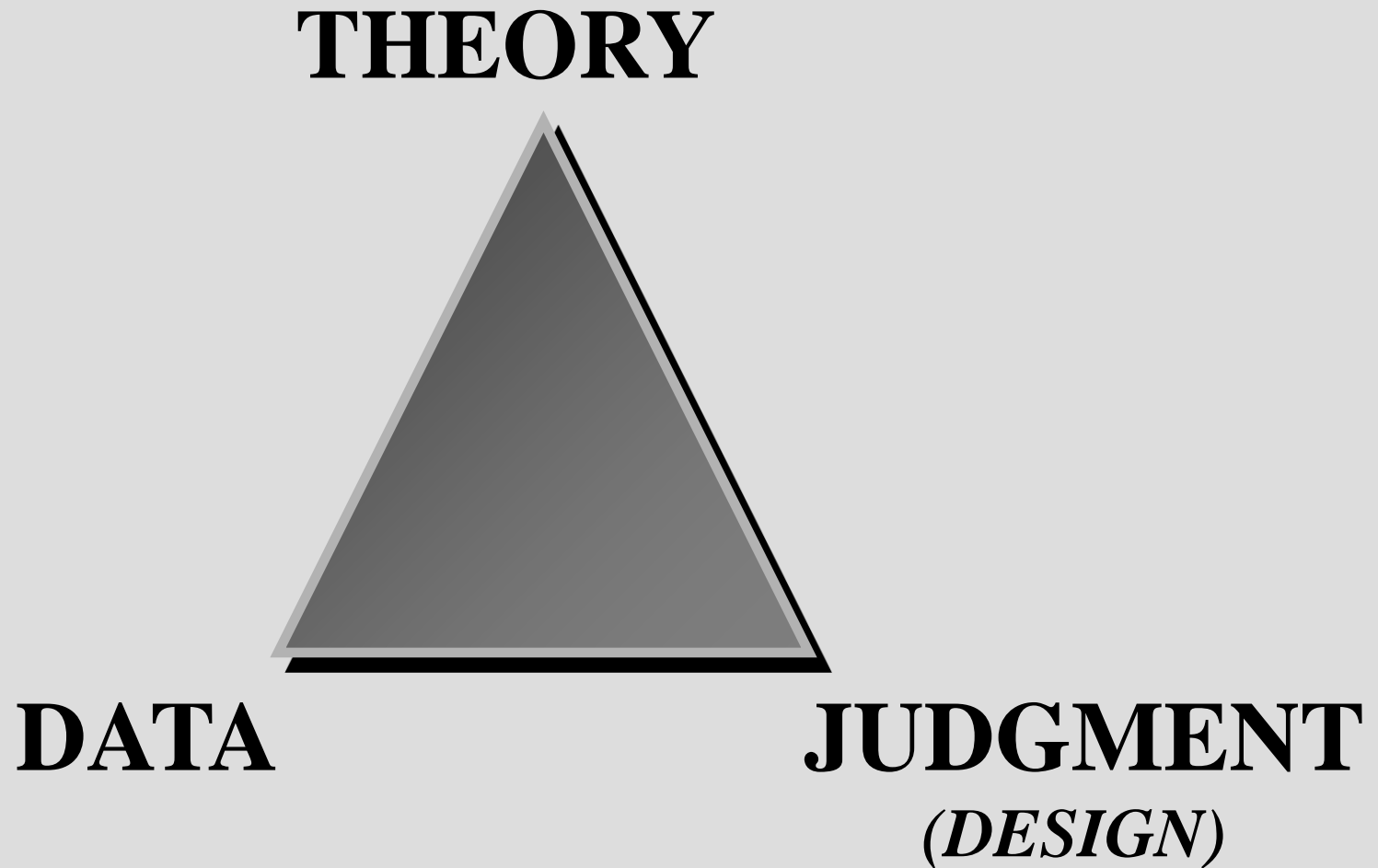
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- Macroscopic vs. microscopic viewpoints

The engineering framework



General overview

■ Mechanical Engineering

- Mechanics
- Energy
- Systems
- Design

The over arching goal is design of products to meet societal needs.

■ Thermodynamics

- A part of the Energy component of mechanical engineering.
- Governs all energy consuming and transforming devices and system.



Thermodynamics and Energy

Thermodynamics is defined as the science of Energy and includes all aspects of energy transformations, including power production, refrigeration, and relationship among the properties of matter.

The ***first law of thermodynamics*** is simply an expression of the conservation of energy principle, and it asserts that *energy* is a thermodynamic property.

The ***second law of thermodynamics*** asserts that energy has *quality* as well as *quantity*, and actual processes occur in the direction of decreasing quality of energy → “entropy”.

History of Thermodynamics

- Greeks: “the power of heat”
- To understand steam engines in the 18th century

Richard Trevithick (1771-1833):

British inventor and mining engineer

Developed the first high-pressure steam engine in 1802

George Stephenson (1781-1848):

English civil engineer and mechanical engineer

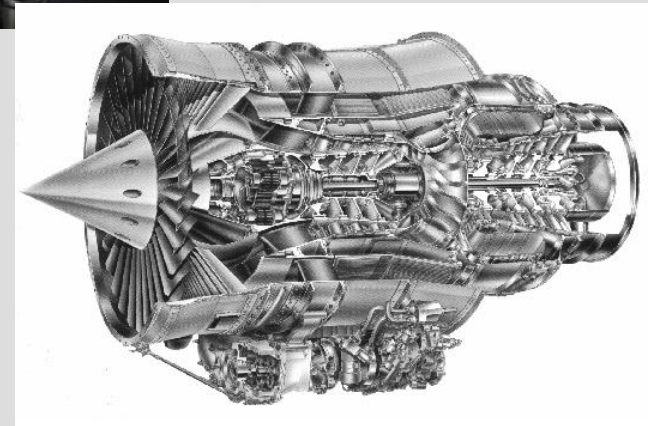
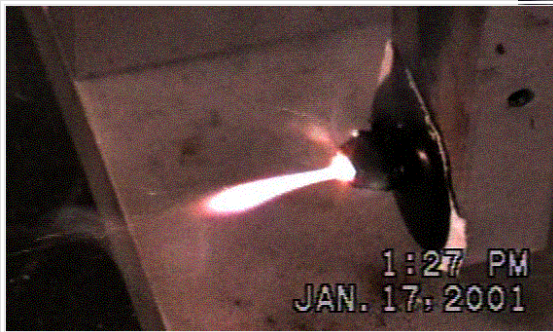
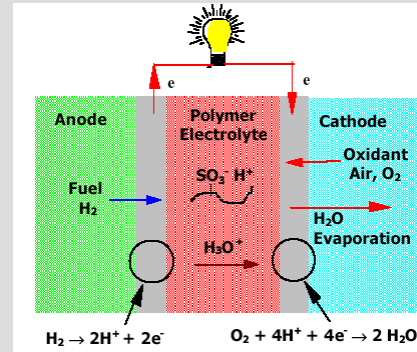
Designed his first locomotive in 1814 (Blücher)

Built the first public inter-city railway line in the world to use steam locomotives

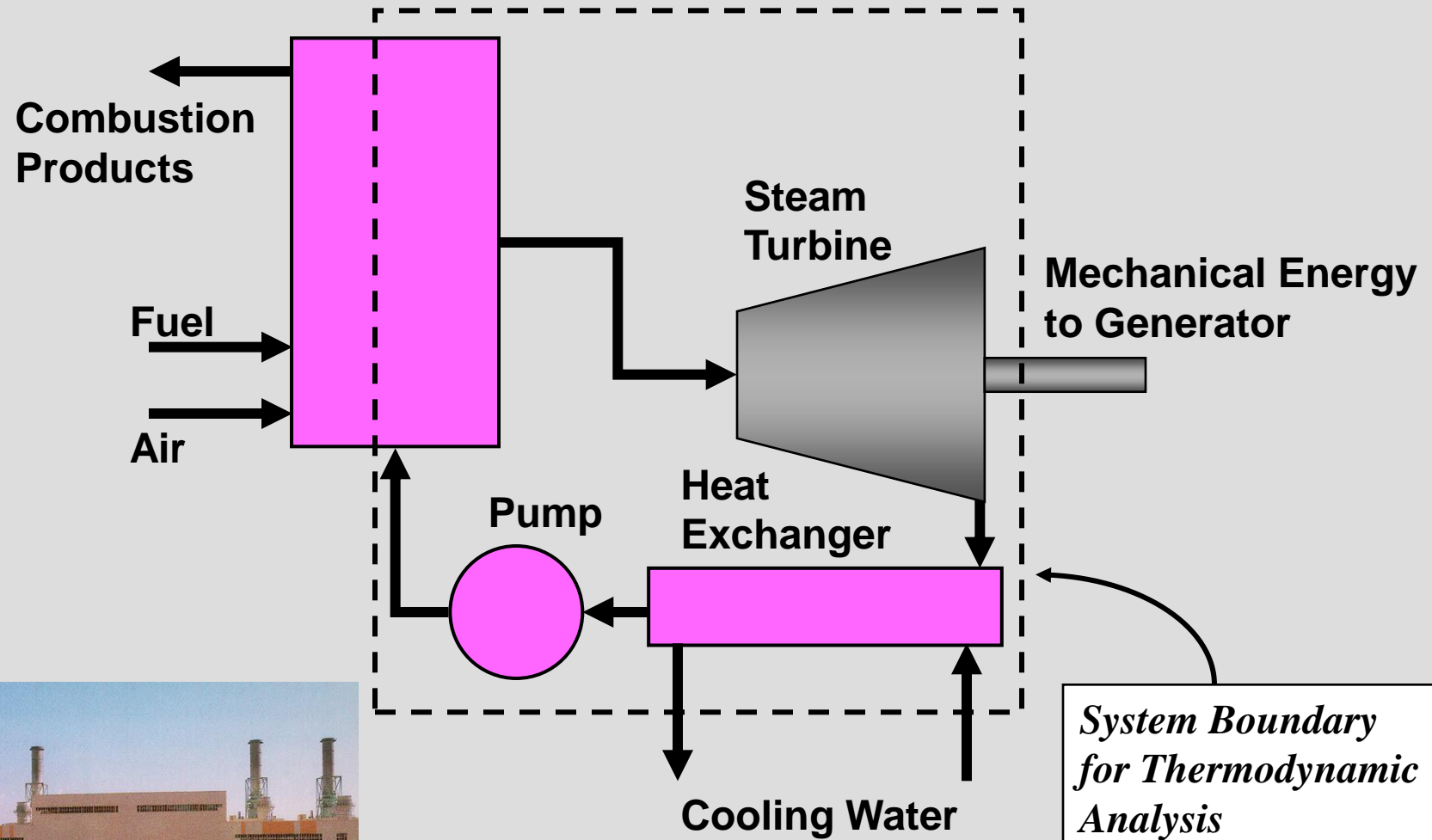


Motivations

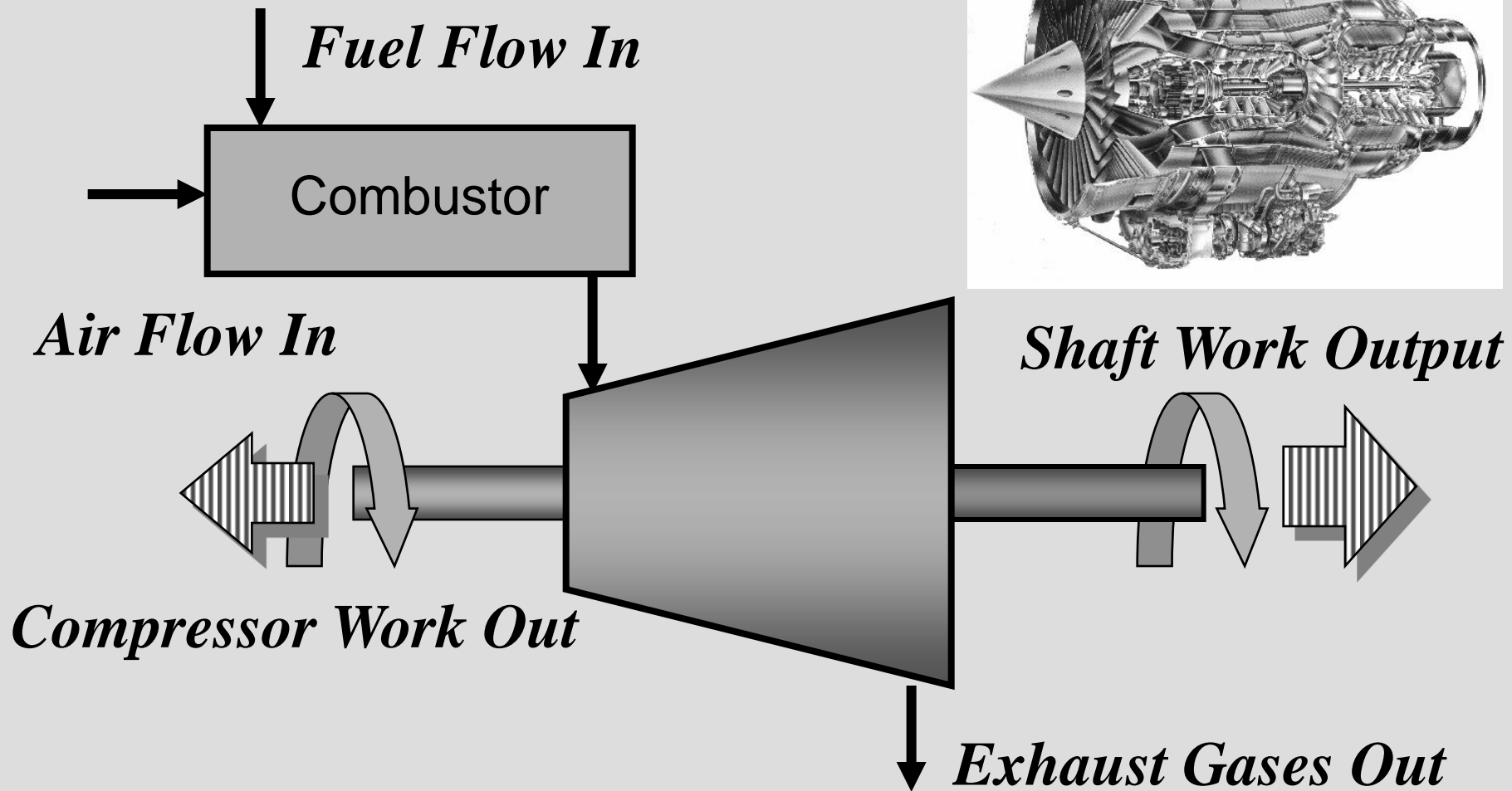
- Power plants
- Automotive engines
- Aircraft engines
- HVAC and IAQ
- Advanced TD systems
 - Power MEMS
 - Fuel cells



Example: A steam power plant



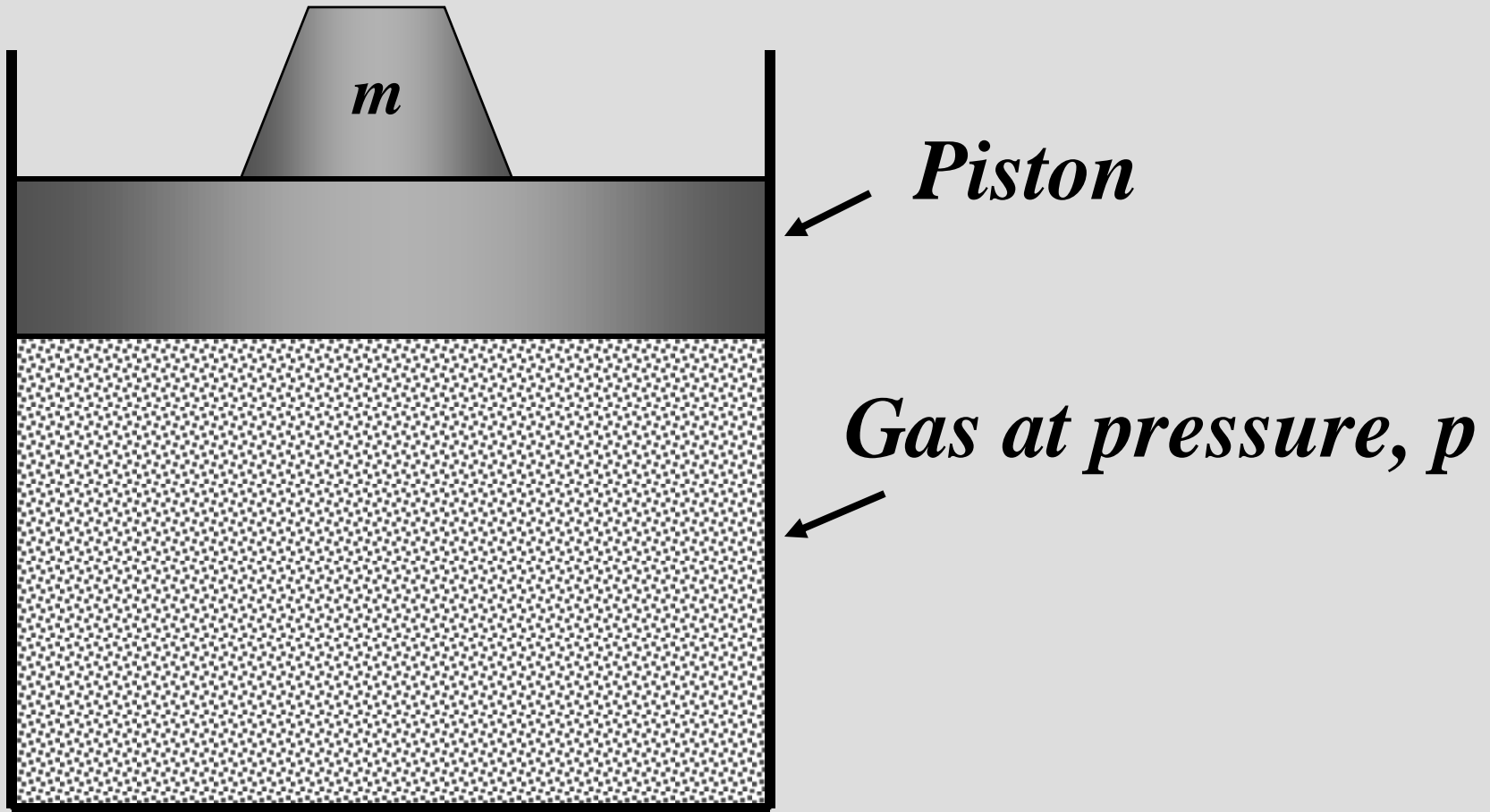
Example: A gas turbine engine



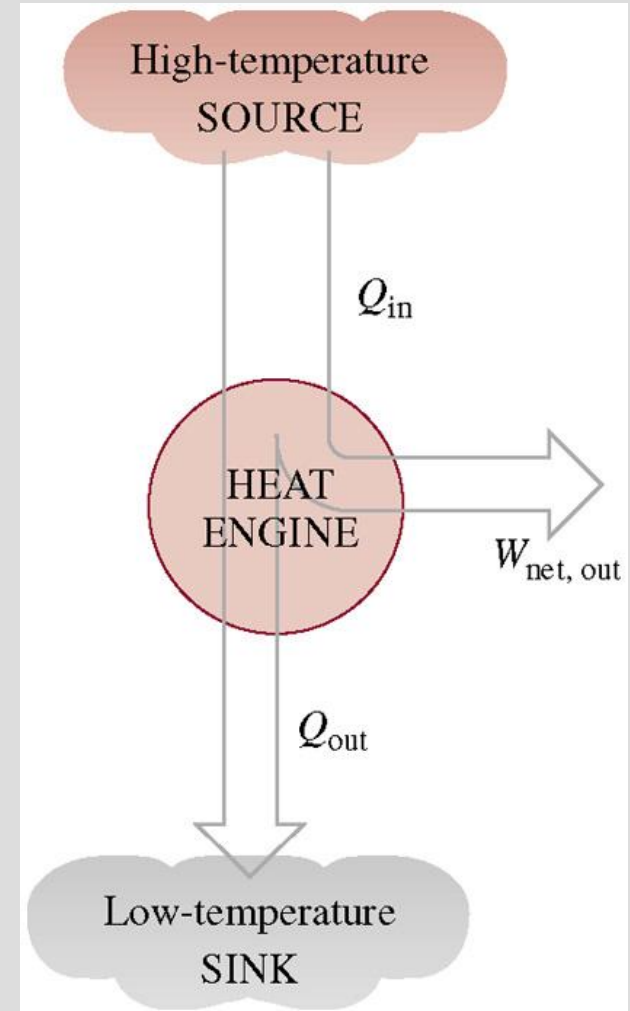
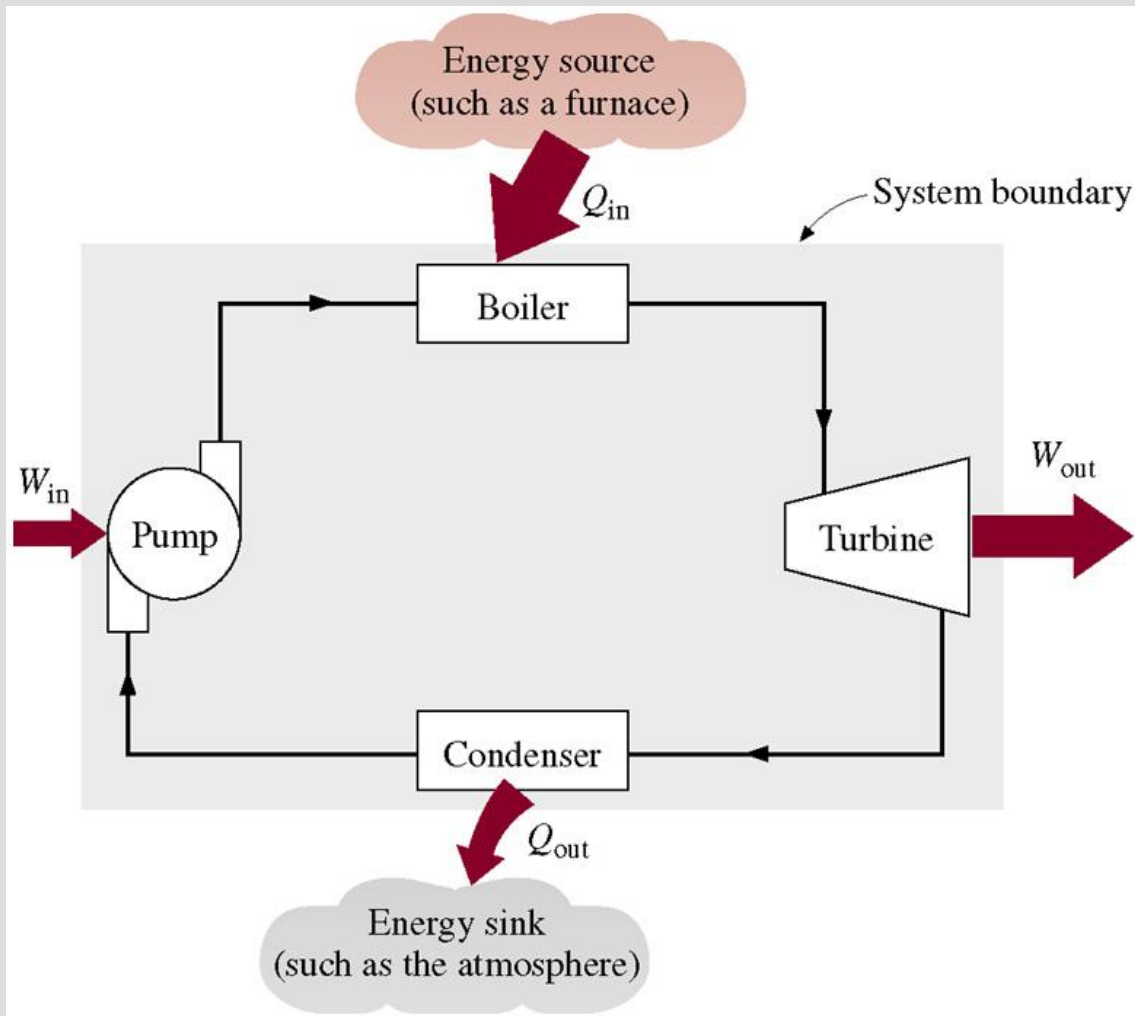
Example: An automotive engine



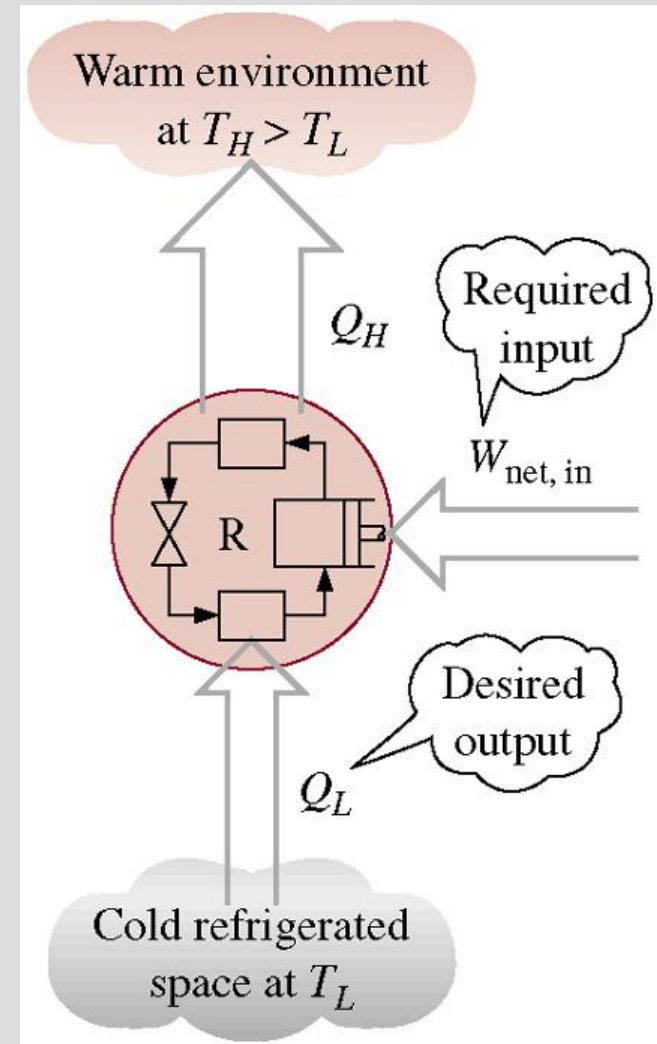
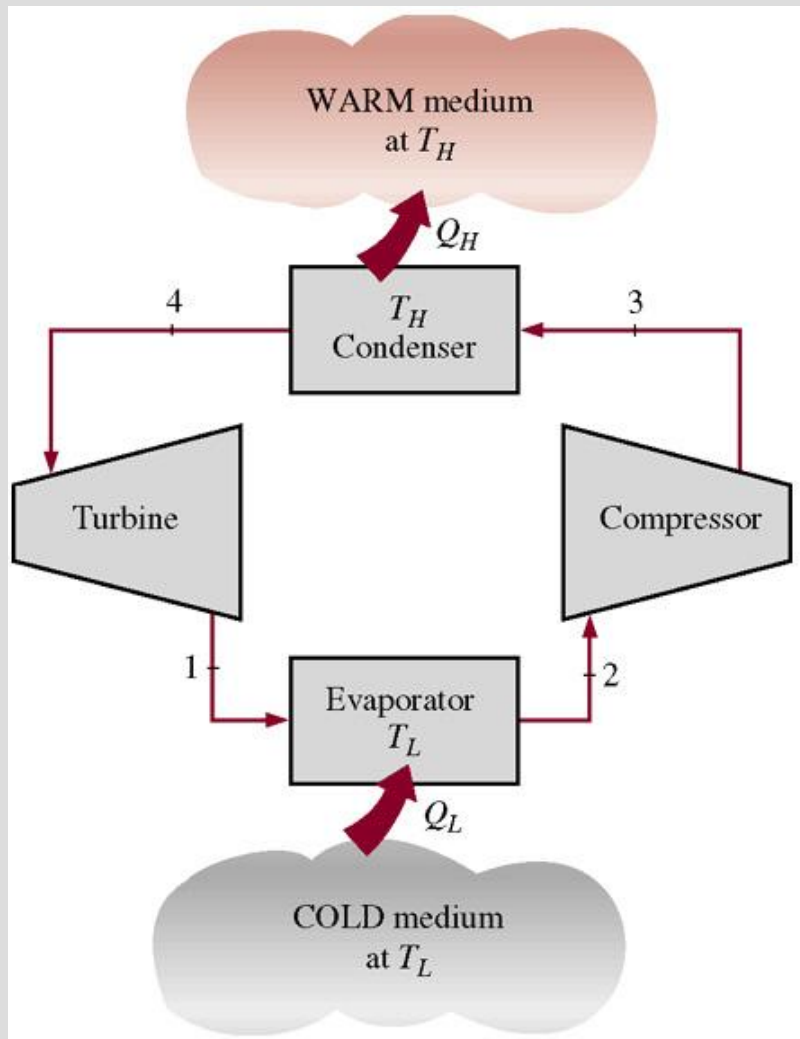
Example: Piston and cylinder



General thermal systems (heat engines)

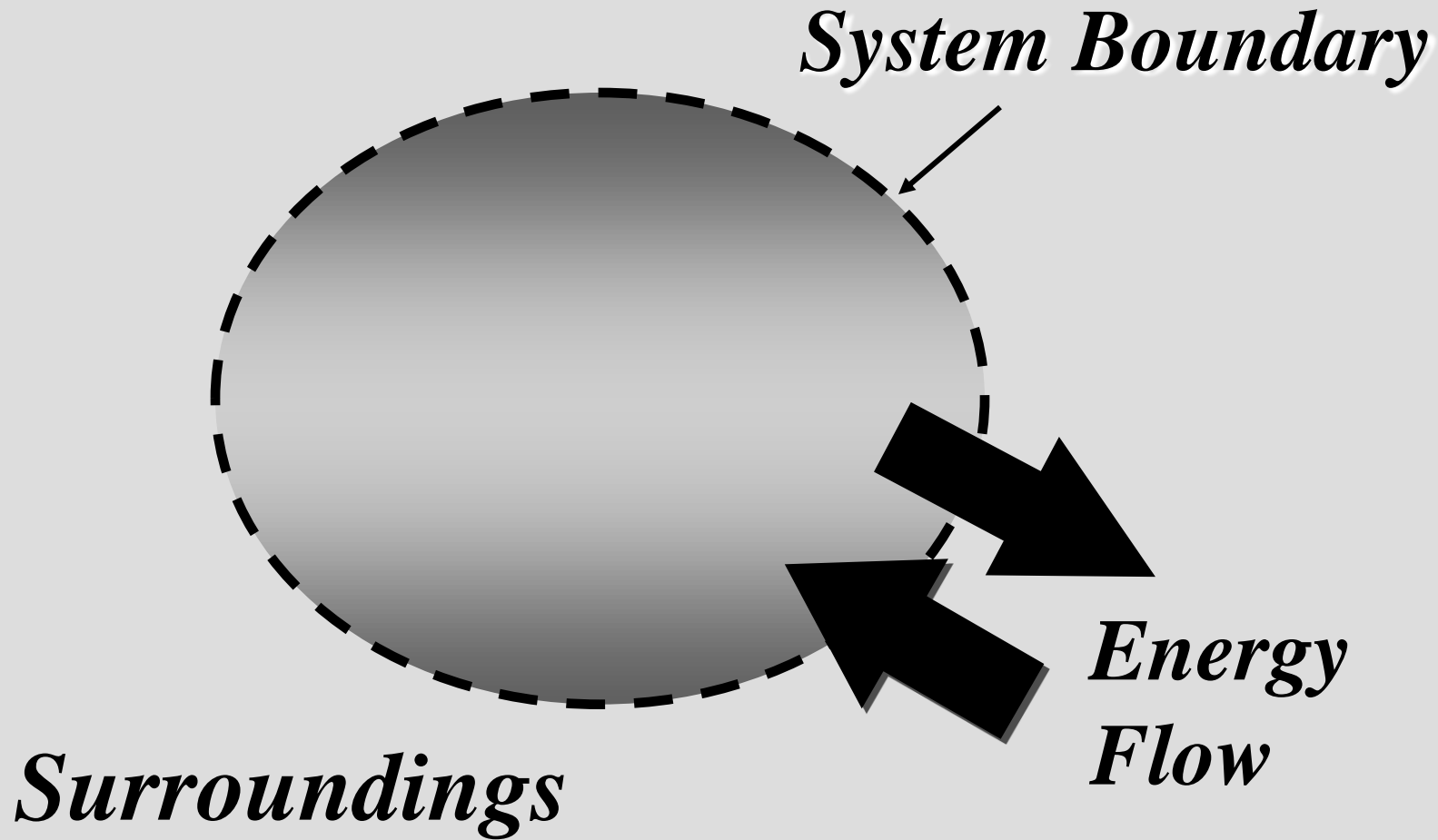


General thermal systems (refrigerator and heat pump)



How does the state of system
change?

Energetic interactions



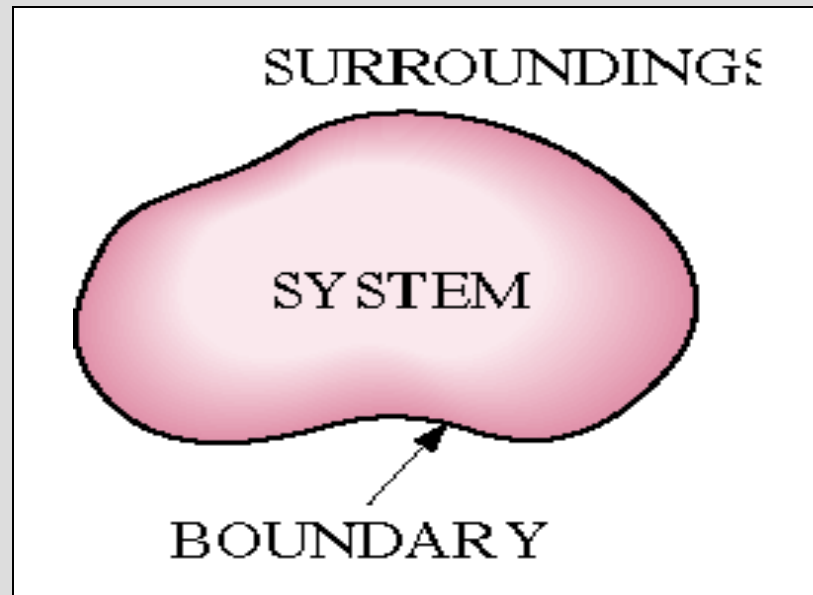
Basic definitions...

System, Surroundings and Boundary

A **Thermodynamic System**, or simply **System** is defined as a quantity of matter or a region in space chosen for study.

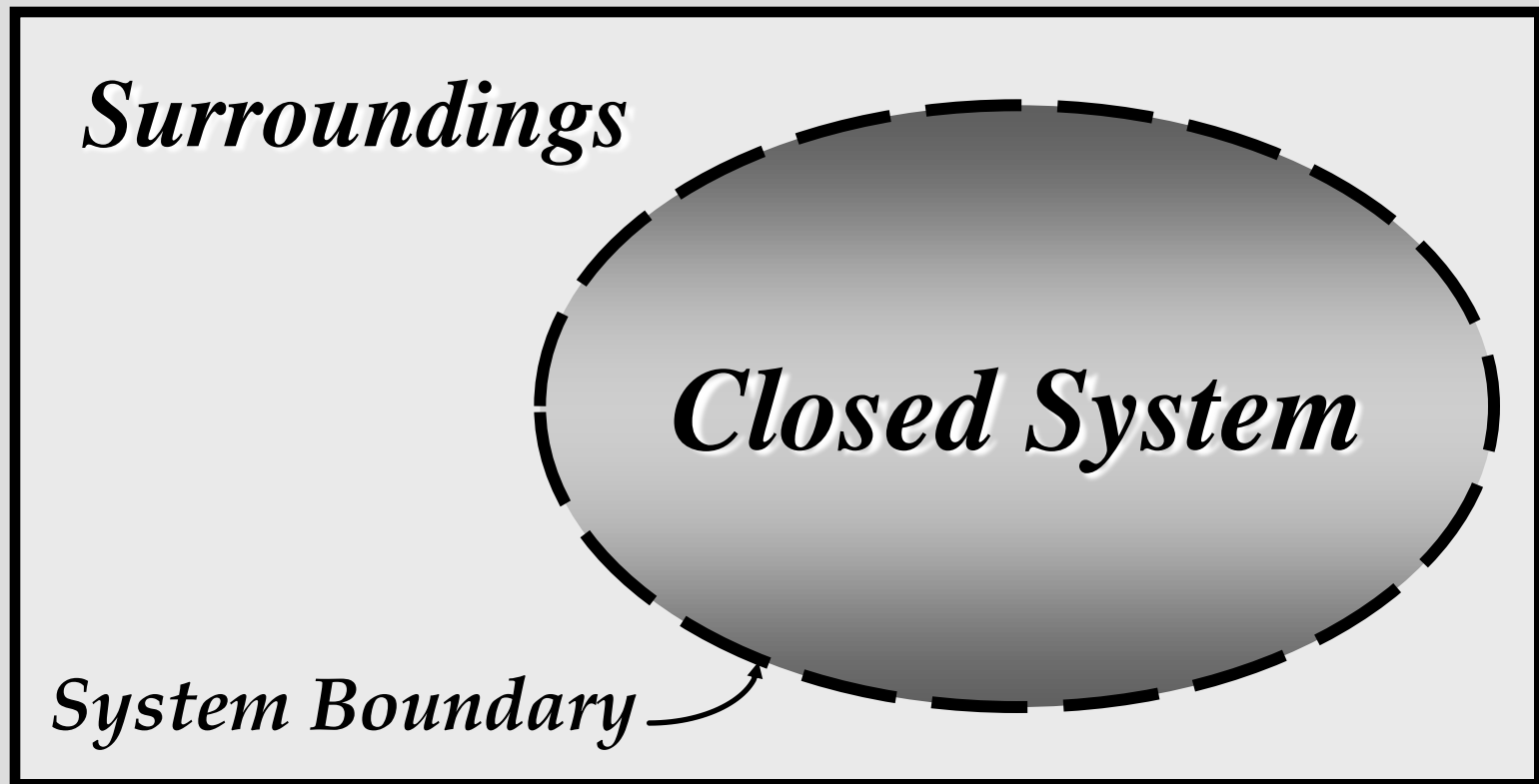
Surroundings is the mass or region outside the system.

Boundary is the real or imaginary surface that separates the system from its surroundings.



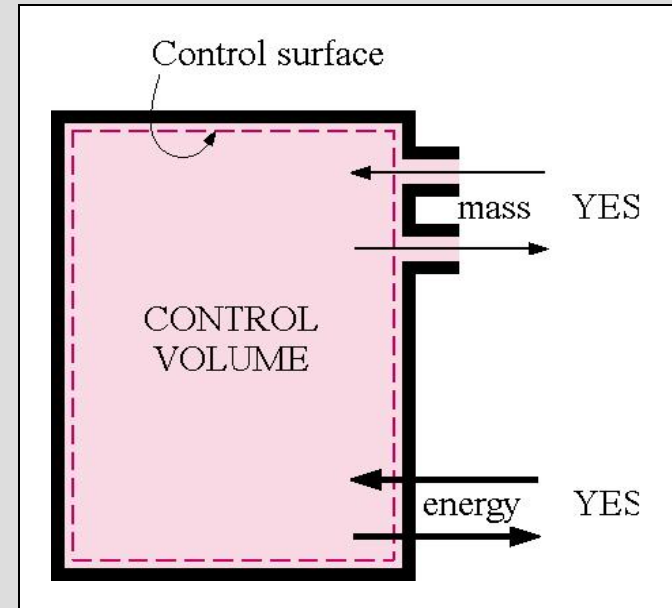
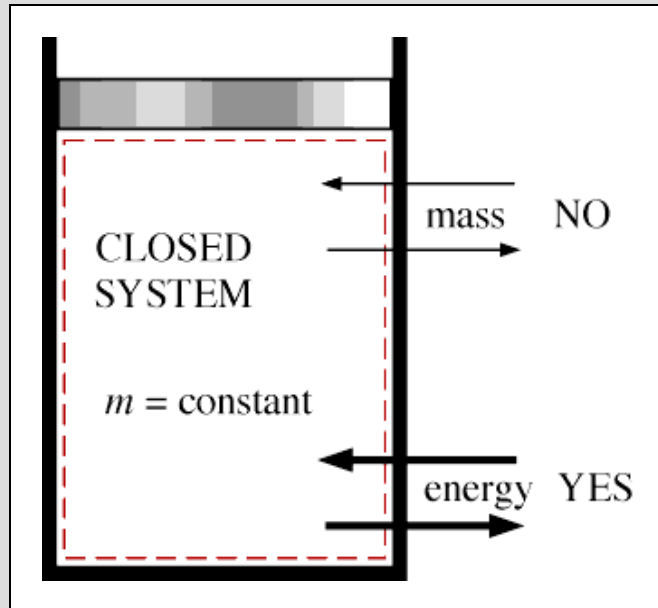
System and surroundings

$$\text{Universe} = \text{Systems} + \text{Surroundings}$$

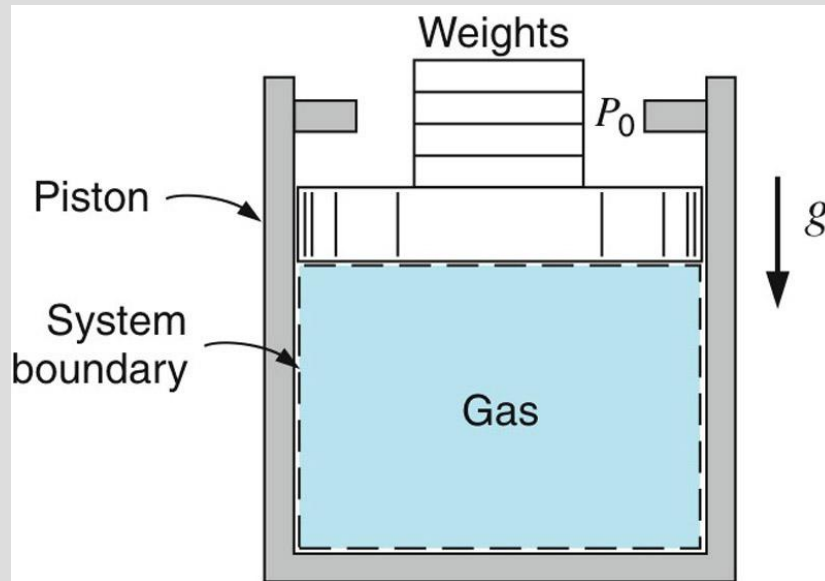


Closed and Open System

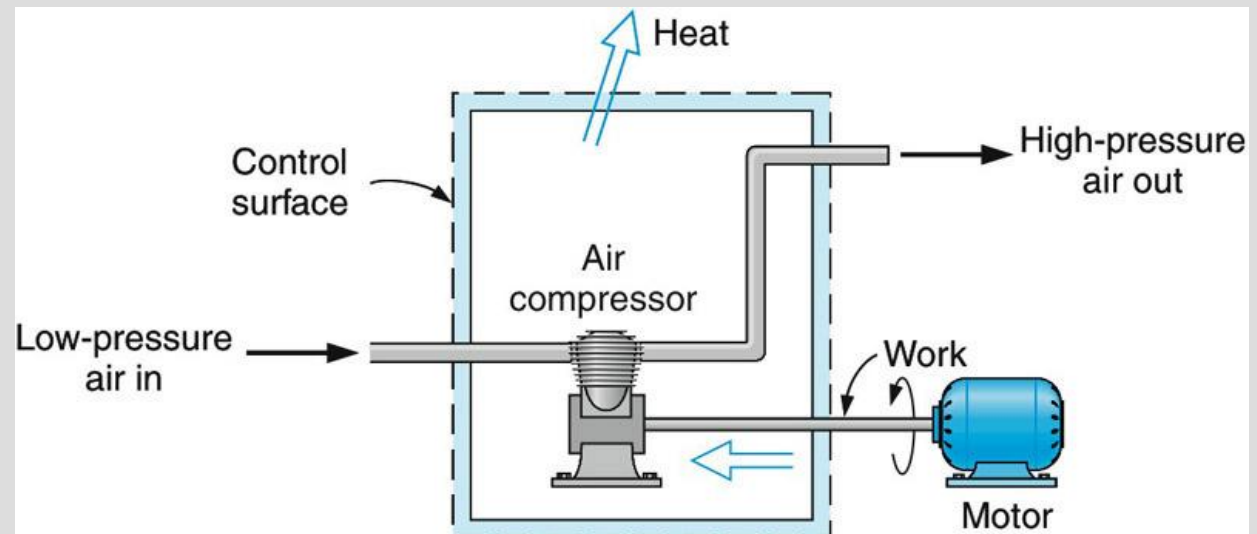
A system of fixed mass is called a **Closed System**, or *Control Mass*, and a system that involves mass transfer across its boundaries is called an **Open System**, or *Control Volume*.



Closed and Open System

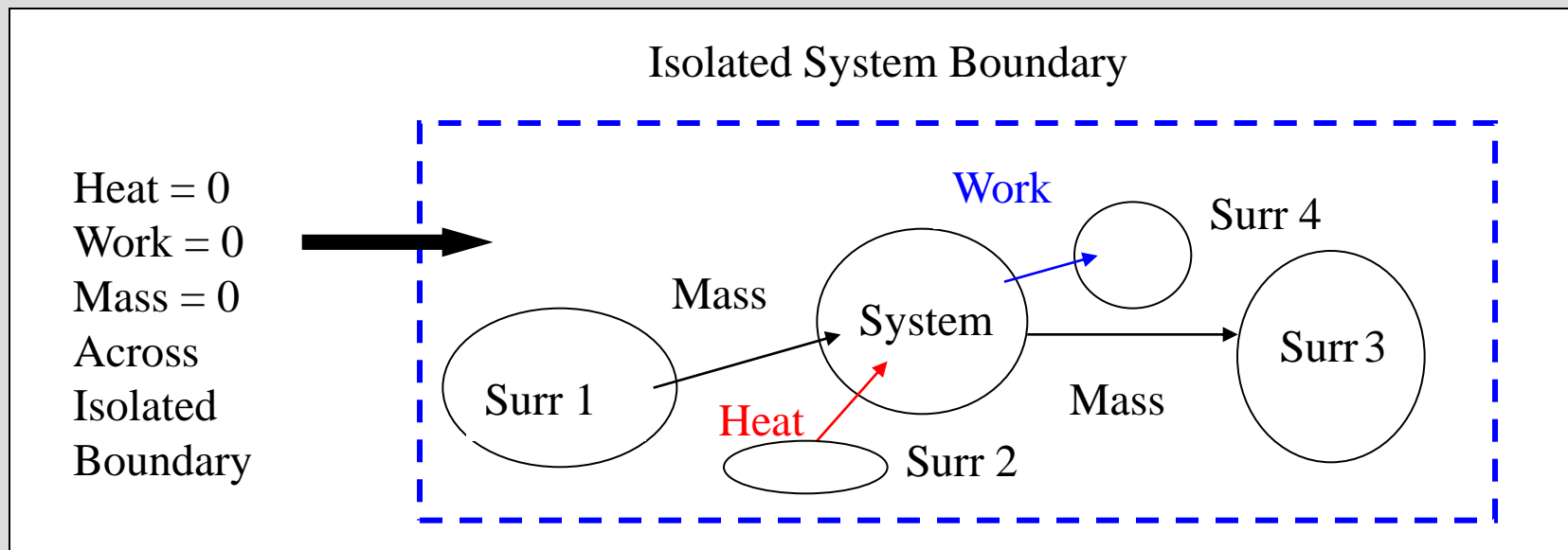


Control Mass
vs. *Control Volume.*



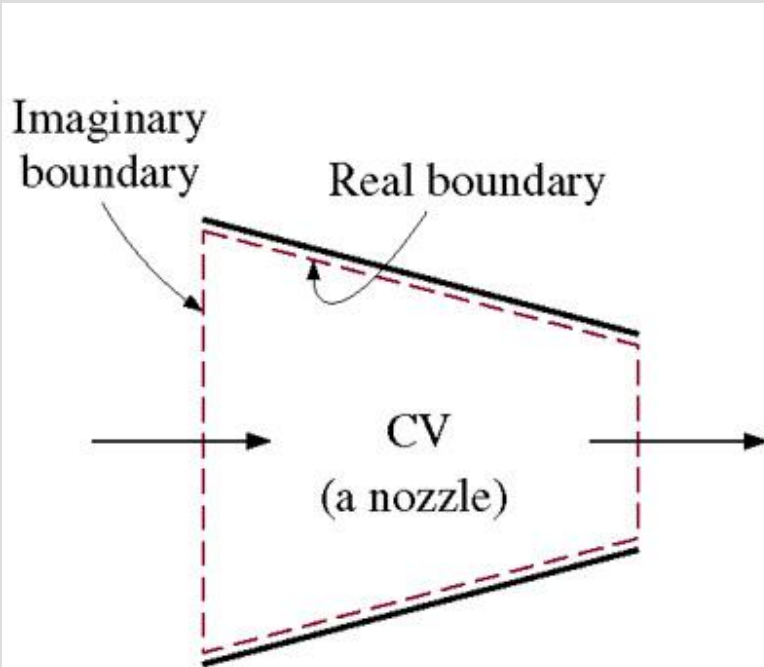
Isolated System

An **Isolated System** is a general system of fixed mass where no heat or work may cross the boundaries. An isolated system is a closed system with no energy crossing the boundaries and is normally a collection of a main system and its surroundings that are exchanging mass and energy among themselves and no other system.

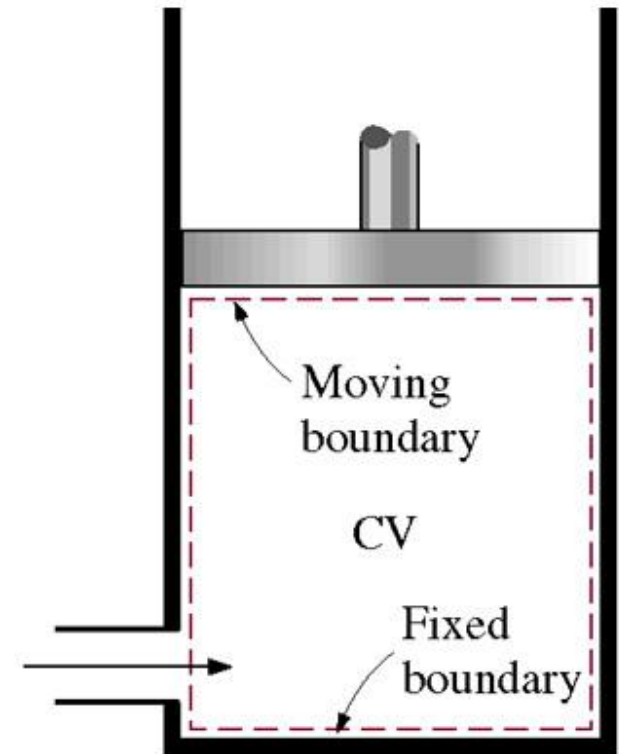


Control volume

A control volume may involve fixed, moving, real, and imaginary boundaries.



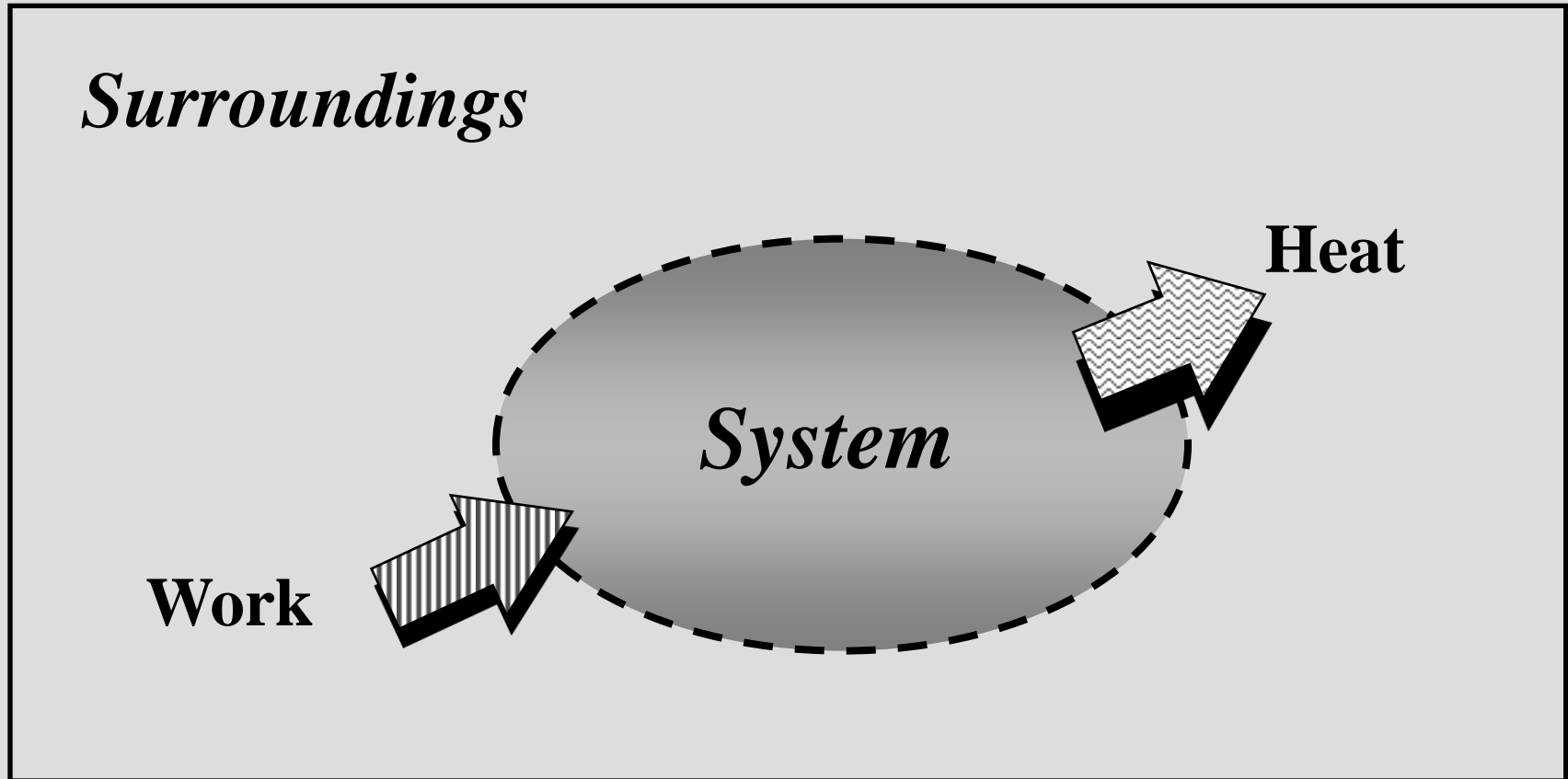
(a) A control volume with real and imaginary boundaries



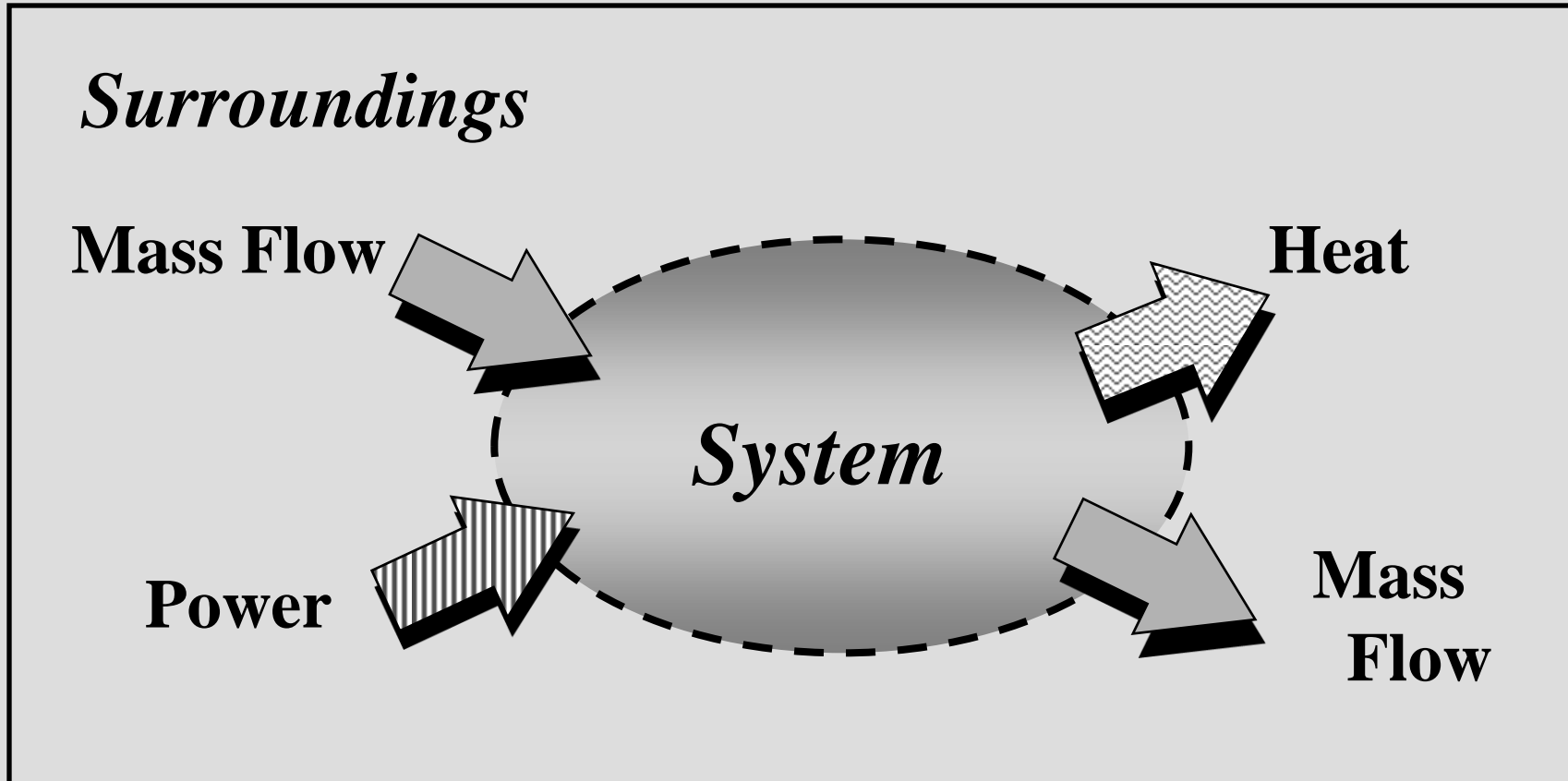
(b) A control volume with fixed and moving boundaries

Interactions between system and surroundings...

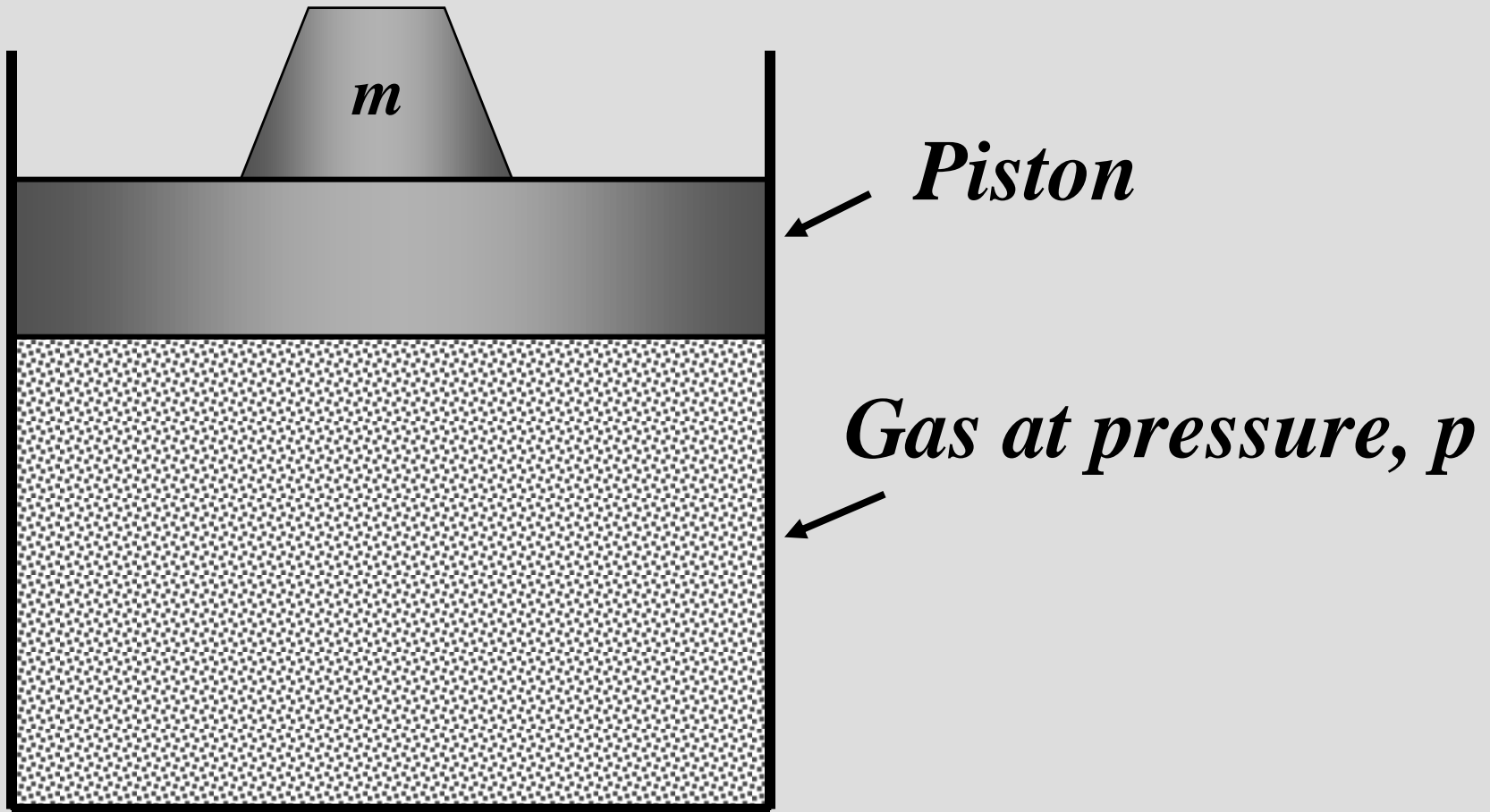
Closed system - summary



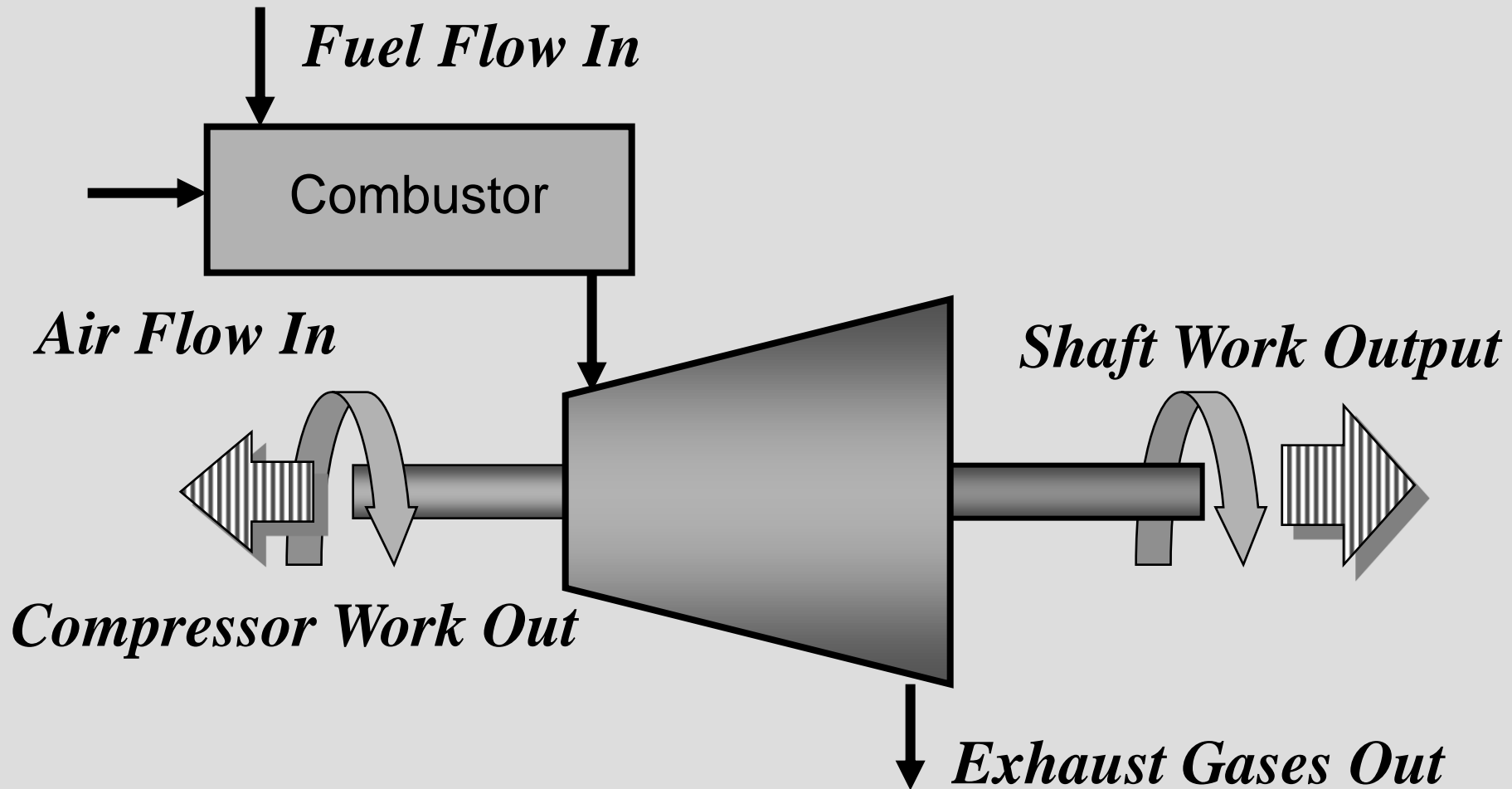
Open system - summary



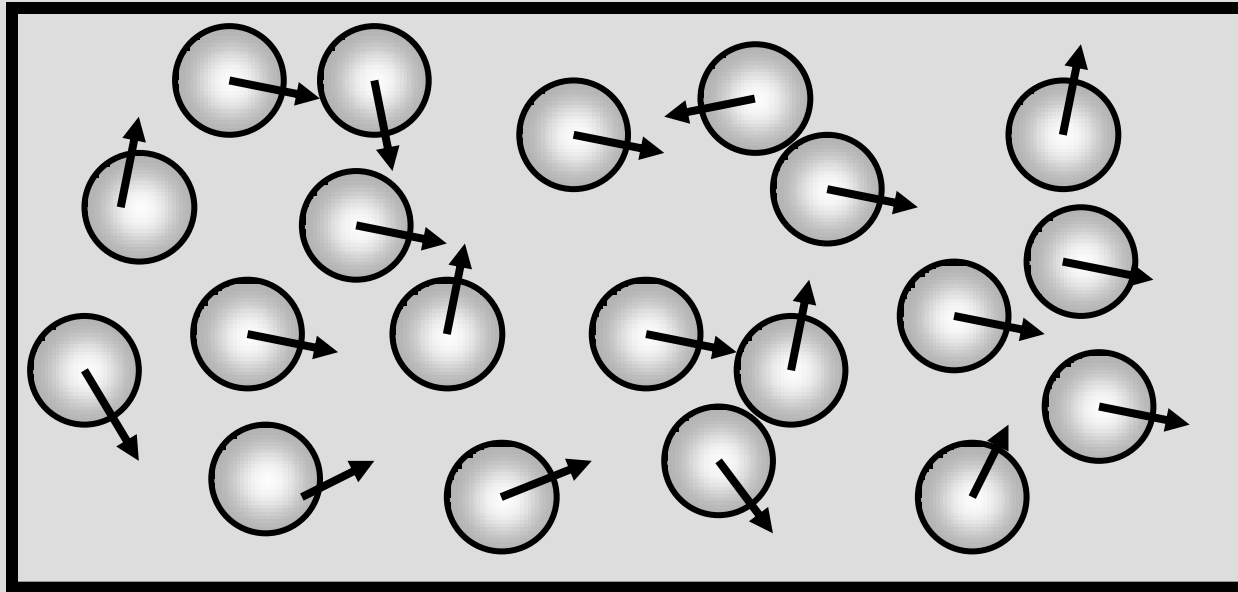
Example: Piston and cylinder - a closed system



Example: The gas turbine engine - an open system

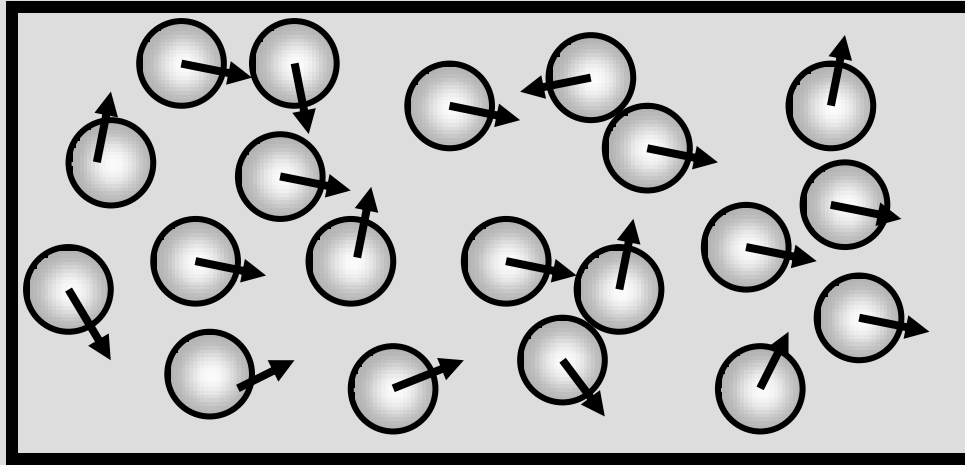


Macroscopic vs. microscopic viewpoints...



A collection of atoms within a container, each with a unique velocity.

Energy in a microscopic description

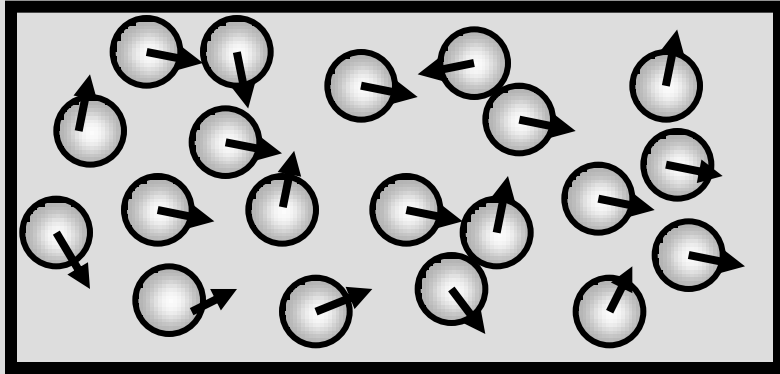


$$\text{Energy of each atom} = e = \frac{1}{2} m |\underline{V}|^2$$

$$\text{Number of atoms} = N$$

$$\text{Total Energy} = eN = \frac{N}{2} m |\underline{V}|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^N k e_i$$

The macroscopic description



The energy in both cases is the same, E . In the macroscopic description, atomistic concepts are disregarded.

How we describe the system chosen for study requires careful selection of properties that are based on observable, measurable quantities.



The macroscopic viewpoint...

**State of a
thermodynamic
system.**

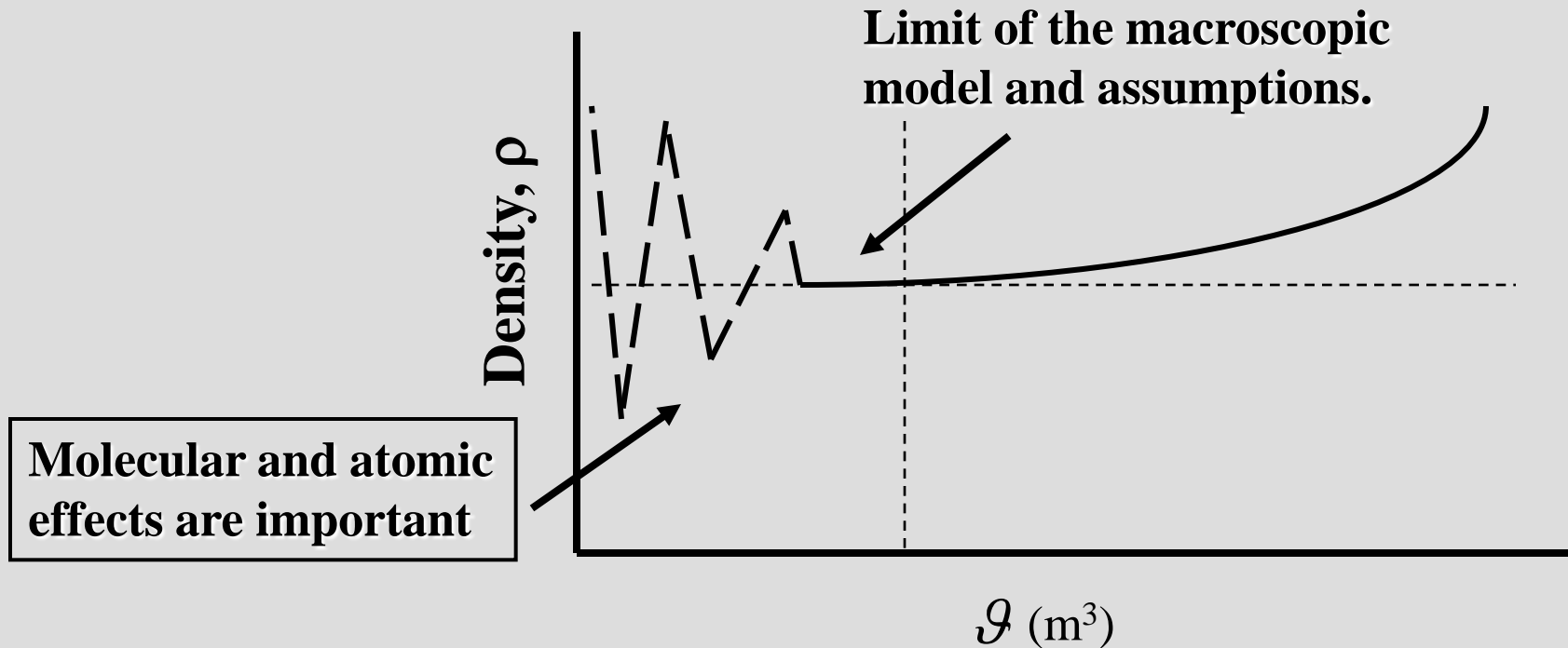


**Enumeration of
all of its
properties.**

*In macroscopic thermodynamics,
the properties of system are
assigned to the system as a whole.*

Properties in macroscopic thermodynamics

$$\rho = \lim_{\Delta \mathcal{V} \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{\Delta m}{\Delta \mathcal{V}} \right) \equiv \frac{1}{\nu} = \frac{1}{\text{specific volume}}$$



Density of common substances

