

# Thermal Efficiency of Domestic LPG Stove Using Different Design of Burner Heads on CFD fluent

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Abstract- The objective of this paper is to numerically study the flow feature and combustion phenomena of an energysaving cooking burner using three-dimensional computational fluid dynamics (CFD). Combustion temperatures were experimentally and numerically investigated in order to not only validate the CFD model, but also describe the combustion phenomena. LPG cooking burners are widely used as domestic heating appliances because of convenience and safety. In view point of energy saving and pollutant emission control, improvement of thermal efficiency is the most important research topic.

**Key Words:** computational fluid dynamics (CFD), emission control, improvement of thermal efficiency

**Introduction-** Combustion is the most important processes in engineering, which involves turbulent fluid flow, heat transfer, chemical reactions, transfer of radioactive heat, and other physical phenomena and chemical complexes. Typical engineering applications include internal combustion engines, combustion power plants, boilers ovens, etc. It is important to study the various modes of combustion occurring in these instruments, chemical kinetics involved, temperature and velocity of the flame, mass flow of fuel etc. Improvise the operation of these facilities and to maximize efficiency. Different combustion modes are premixed combustion, combustion and diffusion combustion in mixed mode.



Figure 1 Stove

## 1. Programmable controls

Many gas stoves come with at least some modern programmable controls to make handling easier. LCDs and

other complex cooking routines are some of the standard features in most basic models and high-end manufacturing. Some of the other programmable controls include pre-heating precise, automatic pizza cook timers and others.

#### 2. Safety factors

Modern gas stove ranges are safer than older models. Two of the major security problems with gas stoves are security checks for children and accidental ignition. Cooking gas tables of some buttons that may even be accidentally activated with a slight bump.

#### Objective

Consumption Quick fuel causing energy crisis, so experiments were conducted to reduce fuel consumption in gas stove by changing the angle of the port in and out of a gas stove so that the gas should be flowing and enough area must provide for the gas to be burned that enhances thermal energy.

#### Methodology

- **1. CAD Modeling-** The creation of CAD models using CAD tools to create the geometry modeling NX part / assembly.
- 2. **Meshing** cross-section is a basic operation in CFD. In this operation, the CAD geometry discretized to a number of expansive bit Element and the hub. The game plan hubs and components in space in a lawful manner is called networking. Examination-term accuracy and rely on the cross-sectional size and introductions. With the expansion in cross-sectional size (expand there. Component) CFD Reduce speed but gains precision examination.
- **3. Governing Equation** Oversee the conditions used is 2-dimensional Navier-Stokes condition and development of the following conditions are not exactly compressibility stream Mach number 0.3, the effects of compressibility stream wind currents are not considered further in this examination dealt with as an incompressible flow. The entire structure was taken as

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a model of climate hood for recreation CFD computing space. The boundary conditions shown on the front and rear surfaces veil climate models about the direction of flow.

#### The basic steps to perform CFD analysis:

#### 1. Pre-processing:

**a. CAD Modeling -**The creation of CAD models using CAD modeling tools to create the geometry of a part / assembly that we want to perform FEA. CAD models may be 2D or 3D.

**b. Meshing-** Meshing is an important operation in the CFD. In this operation, the CAD geometry discretized to a large number of small Element and node. The setting of nodes and elements in space in an appropriate manner so-called mesh. Accuracy analysis and duration depending on the mesh size and orientation. With the increase in mesh size CFD analysis speed decreased but increased accuracy.

**Boundary Conditions-** Determining the desired boundary conditions for the problem of speed, mass flow rate, temperature, heat flux, etc.

#### Solution:

**1. Methods of solution-** Choosing a solution method to solve the problem that the first order, second order

2. **Solution Initialization:** initialized solution to obtain an initial solution to the problem.

Post Processing- To view and interpretation of results. The result can be viewed in various formats: chart, values, animation etc.

#### Results

Study-1 C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>8</sub>



Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4

## Study-2 CO<sub>2</sub>



#### Figure5



## Figure 6

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Figure 7

# Study - 3 O<sub>2</sub>



Figure 8



Figure 9



Figure 10

## Study - 4 Static Pressure (Pascal)



Figure 11



Figure 12



Figure 13

# Study - 5 Static Temperature (K)



Figure 14



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Figure15



# Study – 6 Velocity Magnitude (m/s)







Figure 18



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Figure 19



Figure 20

# Study - 7 Static Temperature and Height Graph



Figure 21



Figure 23



Figure 24





Figure 25









Figure 28

At Constant Pressure Process

dQ = dU + dW (W = PV)dQ = d(U + PV) (H = U + PV)

dQ = dH = mCpdT

H = mCpT (H= Enthalpy)

Total Enthalpy = (Enthalpy O2 + EnthalpyC3H8) -EnthalpyCO2

Table 1 Bass burner	1
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Parameter	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
Mass flow	0.0023	0.0036	0.0049
rate	Kg/s	Kg/s	Kg/s
Max	2210 K	2201 K	2155 K
tempture			
Cp of CO2	1.385	1.384	1.382
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
Cp of O2	0.918	0.918	0.918
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
Cp of C3H8	1.364	1.364	1.364
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
H of 02	4.6662	4.6472	4.5500 KW
	KW	KW	
H of C3H8	8.5394	8.5046	8.3269 KW
	KW	KW	
H of CO2	7.0399	7.0062	6.8498 KW
	KW	KW	
Total H	6.1656	6.1456	6.0271
	KW	KW	KW

Parameter	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
Mass flow	0.0023	0.0036	0.0049
rate	Kg/s	Kg/s	Kg/s
Max	1980 K	2320 K	2234 K
tempture			
Cp of CO2	1.371	1.390	1.386
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
Cp of O2	0.918	0.918	0.918
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
Cp of C3H8	1.364	1.364	1.364
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
H of 02	4.1805	4.8984	4.7168
	KW	KW	KW
H of C3H8	7.6507	8.6944	8.6321
	KW	KW	KW
H of CO2	6.2435	7.4170	7.1215
	KW	KW	KW
Total H	5.5877	6.4458	6.2274
	KW	KW	KW

**Table 2:** Bass burner 2 Port angle 60-60 degree

Parameter	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
Mass flow	0.0023	0.0036	0.0049
rate	Kg/s	Kg/s	Kg/s
Max	2000 K	2284 K	1747 K
tempture			
Cp of CO2	1.373	1.388	1.386
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
Cp of O2	0.918	0.918	0.918
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
Cp of C3H8	1.364	1.364	1.364
	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK	KJ/KgK
H of 02	4.2228	4.8224	3.6886
	KW	KW	KW
H of C3H8	7.7280	8.8253	6.7504
	KW	KW	KW
H of CO2	6.3158	7.2914	5.4324
	KW	KW	KW
Total H	5.6350	6.3563	5.0065
	KW	KW	KW

## CONCLUSION

In current study we analyzed that by change the angle of port of gas burner at different temperature and different mass flow rate the efficiency of burner changes and max heat zone position is also change with in mass flow rate and temperature. Table 4 : We get max efficiency at following condition

Port Angle	60-66 degree
Mass flow rate	0.0036 Kg/s
Max tempture	2320 K
Cp of O2	0.918 KJ/KgK
Cp of C3H8	1.364 KJ/KgK
Cp of CO2	1.390 KJ/KgK
H of 02	4.8984 KW
H of C3H8	8.6944 KW
H of CO2	7.4170 KW
Total H	6.4458 KW

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