

$$\rho_e = \frac{100000}{287(261)} = 1.34 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3}, \quad a_e = 324 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}, \quad V_e = 254 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}},$$

$$\dot{m} = \rho_e A_e V_e \approx \mathbf{0.0068 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{s}}} \quad \text{Ans. (B)}$$

$$\text{Nozzle A: } \dot{m} = \dot{m}_{\max} = \frac{0.6847(150000)(0.0002)}{\sqrt{287(293)}} \approx \mathbf{0.071 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{s}}} \quad (5\% \text{ more}) \quad \text{Ans. (A)}$$

9.79 A large reservoir at 600 K supplies air flow through a converging-diverging nozzle with a throat area of 2 cm². A normal shock wave forms at a section of area 6 cm². Just downstream of this shock, the pressure is 150 kPa. Calculate (a) the pressure in the throat; (b) the mass flow; and (c) the pressure in the reservoir.

Solution: The throat is choked, and just upstream of the shock is a supersonic flow at an area ratio $A/A^* = (6 \text{ cm}^2)/(2 \text{ cm}^2) = 3.0$. From Table B.1 estimate $Ma_1 = 2.64$. That is,

$$\frac{A_1}{A^*} = 3.0 = \frac{(1 + 0.2Ma_1^2)^3}{1.728Ma_1}, \quad \text{Solve } Ma_1 = 2.637$$

(a, c) The pressure ratio across the shock is given by Eq. (9.55) or Table B.2:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{p_2}{p_1} &= \frac{150 \text{ kPa}}{p_1} = \frac{1}{k+1} (2kMa_1^2 - k + 1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2.4} [2(1.4)(2.637)^2 - 0.4] = 7.95, \quad \text{or } p_1 = 18.9 \text{ kPa} \end{aligned}$$

$$p_{\text{tank}} = p_o = p_1 (1 + 0.2Ma_1^2)^{3.5} = (18.9)[1 + 0.2(2.637)^2]^{3.5} = \mathbf{399 \text{ kPa}} \quad \text{Ans. (c)}$$

$$\text{At the throat, } p = p^* = 0.5283 p_o = (0.5283)(399 \text{ kPa}) = \mathbf{211 \text{ kPa}} \quad \text{Ans. (a)}$$

(b) To avoid bothering with density and velocity, Eq. (9.46b) is handy for choked flow.

$$\dot{m}_{\max} = \frac{0.6847 p_o A^*}{\sqrt{RT_o}} = \frac{0.6847(399000 \text{ Pa})(0.0002 \text{ m}^2)}{\sqrt{(287 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}^2\text{K})(600 \text{ K})}} = \mathbf{0.132 \text{ kg/s}} \quad \text{Ans. (b)}$$

9.80 A sea-level automobile tire is initially at 32 lbf/in² gage pressure and 75°F. When it is punctured with a hole which resembles a converging nozzle, its pressure drops to 15 lbf/in² gage in 12 min. Estimate the size of the hole, in thousandths of an inch.