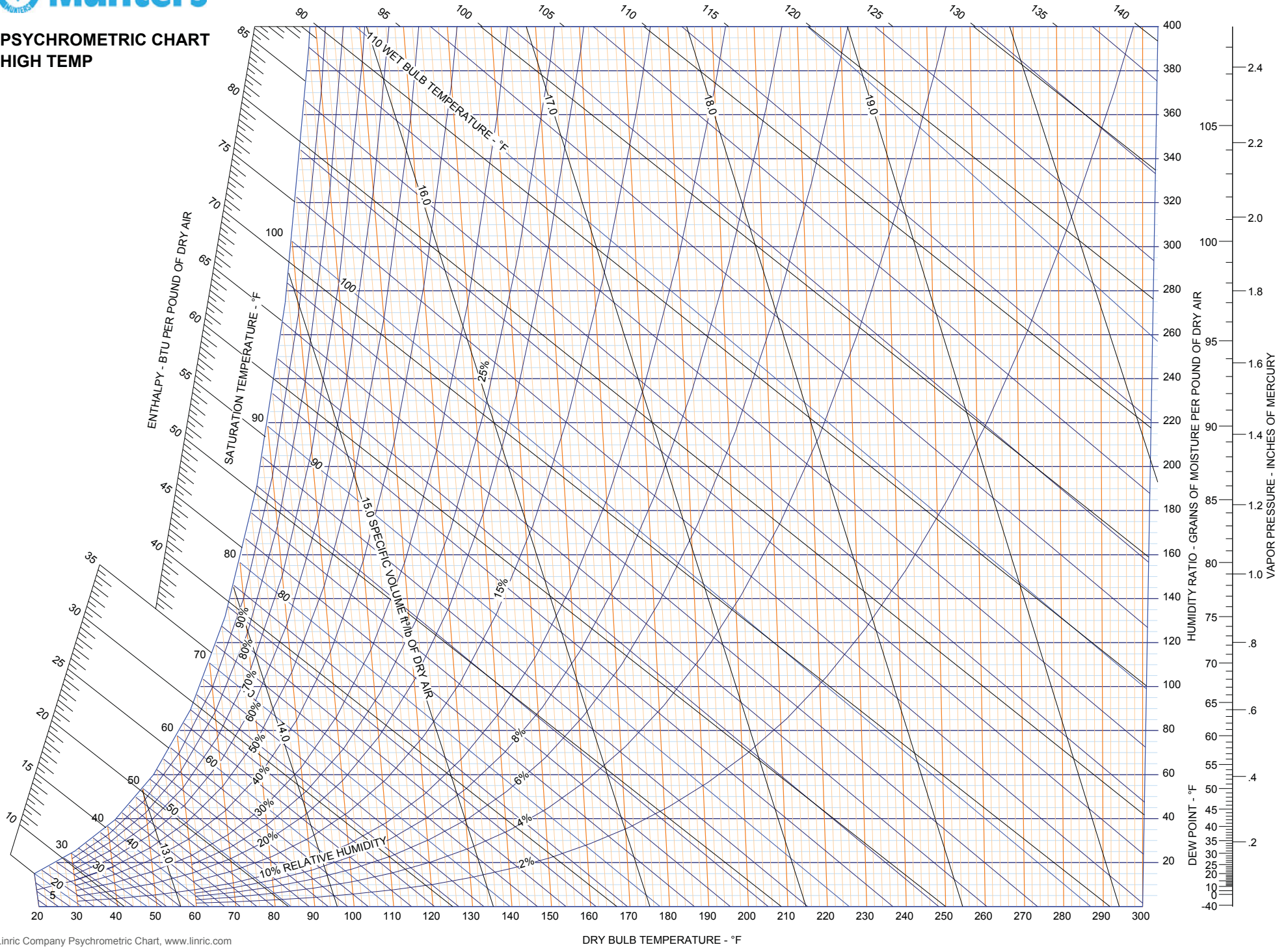




PSYCHROMETRIC CHART HIGH TEMP



FORMULAS AND CONVERSION FACTORS

WATER VAPOR

7,000 grains = 1 lb. of water
1 gallon water = 8.3 lbs.

FUEL-ENERGY CONVERSION

1 kW electricity = 3,412 BTU/hr
1 Ft³ natural gas = 1,000 BTU
1 gallon #2 fuel oil = 140,000 BTU
1 gallon propane = 91,600 BTU
1 gallon propane = 35.97 ft³ propane
1 therm = 100,000 BTU/hr
1 kCal/hr = 3.968 BTU/hr
Hp (air) = SCFM * ΔP (in. H₂O) / (6,350 * Eff.)
Hp (water) = GPM * ΔP (ft. H₂O) / (3,960 * Eff.)

SENSIBLE HEATING/COOLING

BTU/hr = lb/hr * Cp * ΔT
BTU/hr = SCFM * 1.08 * ΔT
(Assumes Cp = .24 and density = .075 lb/ft³)
BTU/hr = 500 * GPM * ΔT
BTU/hr = 4.5 * SCFM * Δh (Total Energy)
BTU/hr = 4,840 * SCFM * ΔHR
(Latent Energy)
12,000 BTUs = 1 ton
Tons = 24 * GPM * ΔT (water)

FLOW CONVERSION

SCFM = lb/hr / 4.5
SCFM = ACFM * [530/(460 + T)]
ACFM = SCFM * [(460 + T)/530] (sea level)
Altitude Correction Factor:
[(1 - (0.003566*Alt) / 518.69)^{5.26}]
(Alt = altitude in feet)
ACFM = SCFM*[(460 + T) / 530] / [(1 - (0.003566*Alt) / 518.69)^{5.26}]
Nm³/hr = Normal m³/hr = m³/hr measured at 0°C
SCFM = Nm³/hr * 0.634

PRESSURES

27.7 inches W.C. = 1 psi
1 bar = 14.5 psi
1 inch W.C. = 25.4 mm W.C.

THERMAL MATERIAL PROPERTIES

Material	Density (lb / in ³)	Coeff of Thermal Expansion (in / in-°F)	Thermal Conductivity (BTU / hr - in - Ft ² - °F)
1100 Aluminum	0.1	13 x 10 ⁻⁶	1536
Carbon Steel	0.29	7.7 x 10 ⁻⁶	456
304 Stainless Steel	0.29	10 x 10 ⁻⁶	105.6

AMBIENT PRESSURE AT ALTITUDE

P (psia) = 14.696 * [1 - (6.8754 * 10⁻⁶ * Alt)]^{5.2559}

PAYBACK

Yearly savings = MMBTU/hr saved* Yearly hours of operation* Cost of Fuel (\$/MMBTU)
Simple payback = equipment cost / yearly savings

HEAT EXCHANGER EFFECTIVENESS

$$\% \eta = \frac{T2-T1}{T3-T1}$$

T1 = cold gas inlet
T2 = cold gas outlet
T3 = hot gas inlet
T4 = hot gas outlet
Valid with equal flows or when cold flow is the smallest

STACK FRICTION LOSS

Friction Loss (in W.C.)/100 ft. of stack = [(0.109136 * q^{1.9}) / [D^{5.02}]]
D = stack diameter in inches
q = Air flow rate in CFM (cubic feet per minute)

Note: These formulae are for reference and estimation purposes only. Assumptions have been made to simplify formulae and conversions.

