

**ME 24-221**  
**Thermodynamics I**

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15 minutes  
Open textbook, closed notes

A rigid tank is initially evacuated. A valve on the tank is opened and air from a supply line at  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $1\text{ MPa}$  flows into the tank until the pressure reaches  $500\text{ kPa}$ . If a total of  $0.115\text{ kg}$  of air flows into the tank during the process and there is a heat loss from the tank of  $8.8\text{ kJ}$ , find (i) the final temperature in the tank in  $^{\circ}\text{K}$ , and (ii) the volume of the tank in  $m^3$ .

Assume that air has constant specific heats.