

Heat rejected by the engine must be transported to the radiator for cooling.

The rate of heat transport is

$$Q = m \cdot C_p \cdot dT$$

Where:

m = the mass flow rate in #/min

C_p = the heat capacity in Btu/#/deg_F

dT = the temperature rise of the fluid between the inlet to the block and the exit of the block

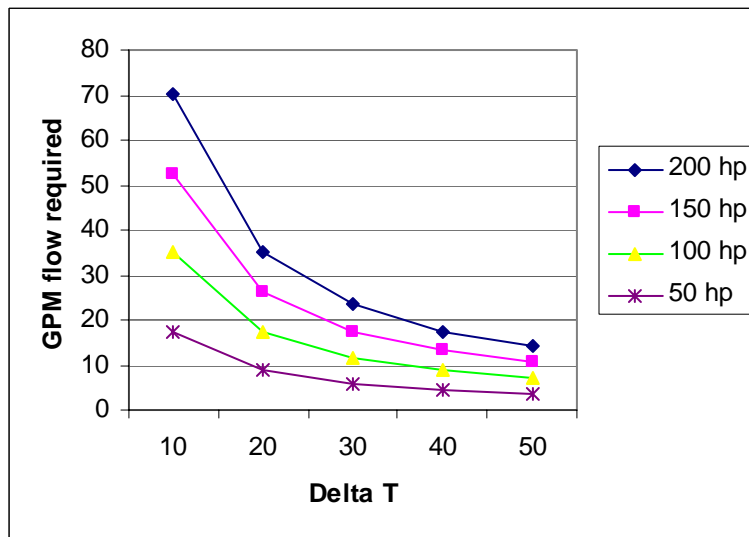
For an engine generating 100 horsepower,

$$Q = 100_{\text{hp}} \cdot (42.44498 \text{ Btu/min/hp}) \cdot (.17/.28) = 2577 \text{ Btu/min}$$

So, for Glycol coolant with C_p of 0.87, density of 8.47 #/gallon,

$$\text{Flow (gpm)} \cdot dT(\text{deg}_F) = (2577 \text{ Btu/min}) / (0.87 \text{ Btu}/\text{#}/\text{deg}_F) / (8.47 \text{ #}/\text{gal}) = 349.7 \text{ gal/min}$$

So, for $dT = 10 \text{ deg}_f$, you need $349/10 = 35 \text{ gal/min}$ flow rate. (for 100 hp engine power)



For the air side,

From the preceding page,

$$Q = 2577 \text{ Btu/min}$$

$$C_{\text{pair}} = 0.24 \text{ Btu/\#/deg_F}$$

$$\text{Density of air} = 0.07 \text{ \#/ft}^3$$

$$\text{Flow (ft}^3\text{)} \cdot dT(\text{deg_F}) = (2577 \text{ Btu/min}) / (0.24 \text{ Btu/\#/deg_F}) / (0.07 \text{ \#/ft}^3) = 153392 \text{ ft}^3\text{/min, so}$$

For 10deg rise in air temperature, flow = 15,392 ft³/min

