ELEMENTARY MODELS OF THE THERMAL INFLUENCE OF DIFFERENT FACTORS ON THE RATE OF LAYER-BY-LAYER PROPAGATION OF THE BURNING ZONE

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New perspectives for development of the physics of combustion of different systems can be related with the ideas of the thermal model of layer-by-layer propagation of the zone of exothermal and endothermal transformations of reagents. As one can see in work [1], the fractional-linear equation, which comes out from this model, has some important advantages over the parametric equations obtained on the basis of the theoretical ideas of the thermal model of propagation of the wave of an exothermal reaction. These advantages include the extrapolation properties of the equation as well as the accuracy and completeness of description of the experimental laws of combustion of any systems.

In this report the author has examined the elementary models of the thermal influence of different factors on the rate of propagation of the burning zone (RPBZ) with exothermal and endothermal transformations of the reagents (see Table 1). The author has also examined the characteristic dependences of RPBZ on different factors (see Figure 1).

Table 1

	Characteristics of factor components	
Elementary	Of the maximum enthalpy of	Of the density of heat flow q_m ,
models	reagents h_m in the zone of	which enters the zone of heating
	heating	_
I II III IV	endothermal	exothermal
	endothermal	endothermal
	exothermal	exothermal
	exothermal	endothermal

The following conclusions can be made:

- in the typical models the dependences of RPBZ on different factors for any combustible systems are isomorphic;
- for endothermal factor components h_m, dominating in the model I, the dependence m(f) is decreasing and for exothermal factor components q_m it is increasing;
- in the model IV there are critical values of factors; in the left and in the right parts of the neighbourhood of these critical values there are characteristic combinations of two phenomena: a) transition into explosion and extinction at dominating exothermal factor components h_m , b) extinction and transition into explosion at dominating endothermal factor components q_m .

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Fig. 1. Characteristic dependences of the rate of propagation of the burning zone on different factors for elementary thermal models: a) with dominating endothermal component h_m in the model I; b) with dominating exothermal component q_m in model I; c) for model II; d) for model III; e) with dominating exothermal component h_m in model IV; f) with dominating endothermal component q_m in model IV

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