

**Department of Mechanical Engineering, IUPUI**  
**ME 414 Thermal-Fluid Systems Design**  
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**Project 2: Heat Exchanger Design**

**Team 3**

# Summary

- Shell Pressure Change
- Tube Pressure Change
- Heat Transfer
- Weight

# Requirements

- Shell & Tube Heat Exchanger
- Remove 1.2 Megawatts
- Process Water
  - Inlet Temperature of 125 °C
  - Outlet Temperature of 100 °C
- City Water
  - Summer Inlet Temperature of 25 °C

# Project Management Tools

- Statement of Work
- Work Breakdown Structure
- Gantt Chart
- Responsibility Matrix

# Design Steps

- Researched Initial Inputs
- Calculated Heat Exchanger with  $Q_{\text{out}} = 1.2\text{MW}$
- Selected Range for 8 Inputs
- Ran Matlab to Calculate Combinations

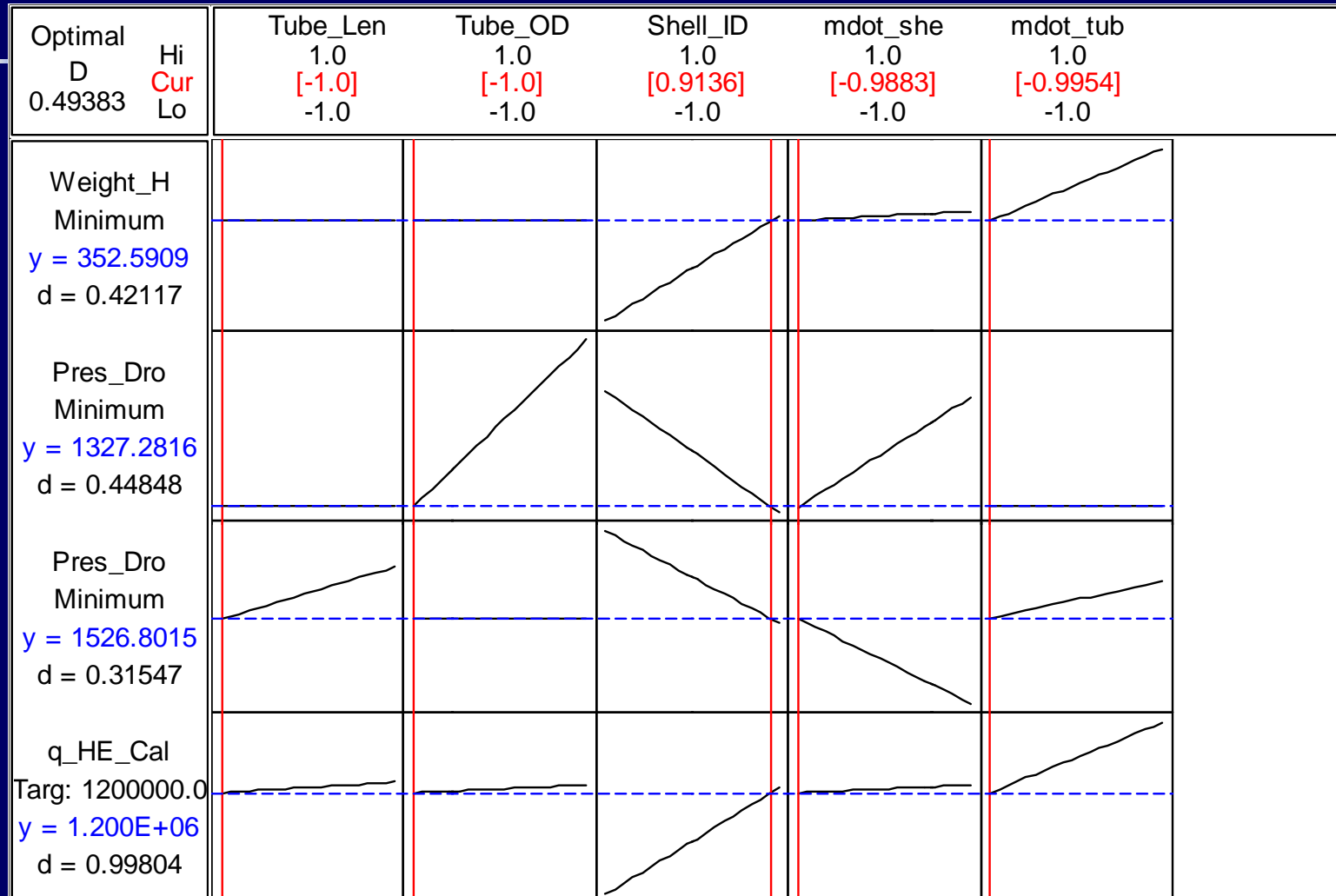
# Design Steps

- Utilized Calculated Output Values for Statistical Analysis in Minitab
- Eliminated Insignificant Initial Input Ranges: Baffle Space, Tube Square Pitch, Tube Material
- Ran Response Optimization
- Refined Values Based on Optimization

# Optimization Ranges

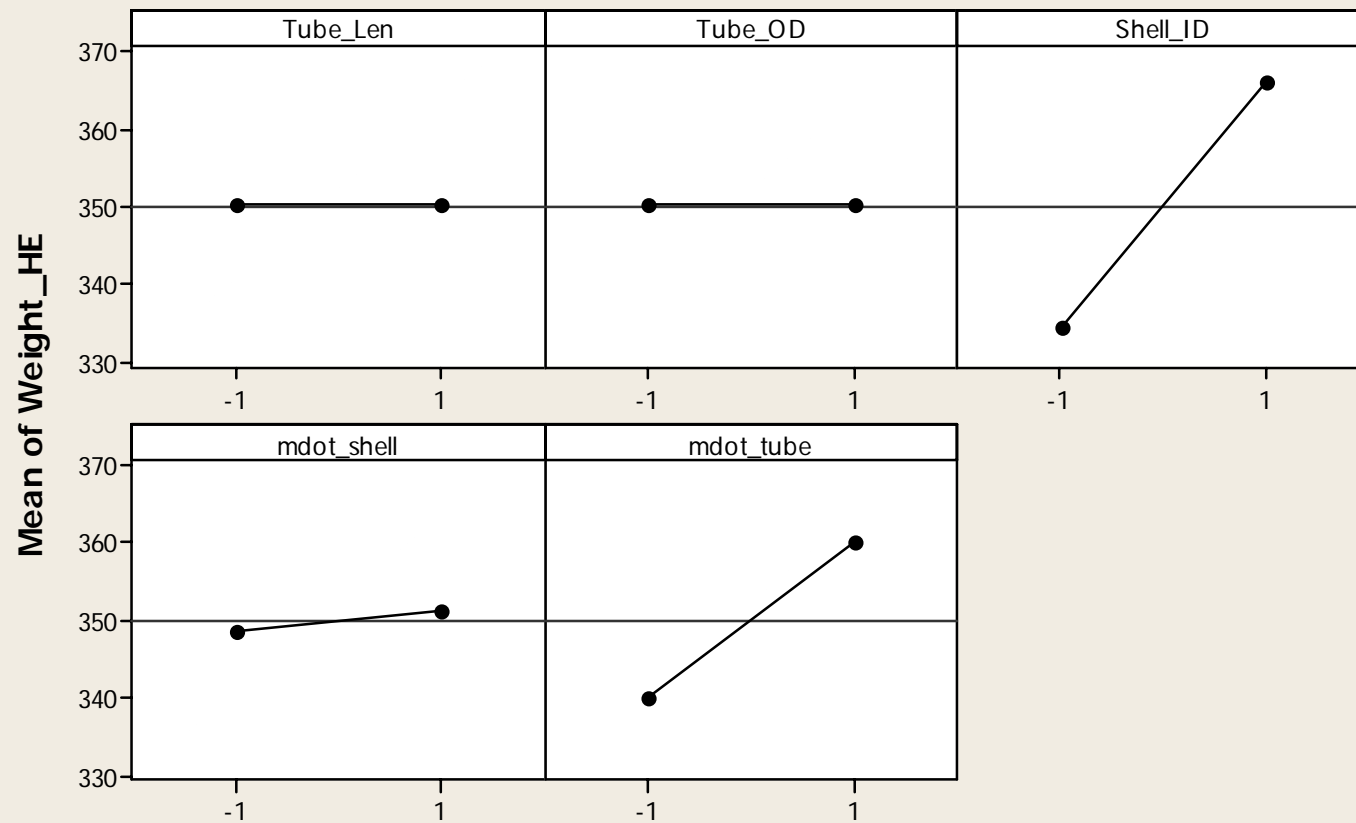
- Tube Length =  $5 < X < 5.3$
- Tube O.D. =  $7.5 \cdot 10^{-3} < X < 7.7 \cdot 10^{-3}$
- Shell I.D. =  $.2132 < X < .2240$
- Shell Mass Flow Rate =  $20 < X < 22$
- Tube Mass Flow Rate =  $3.4 < X < 3.6$

# Optimization Chart



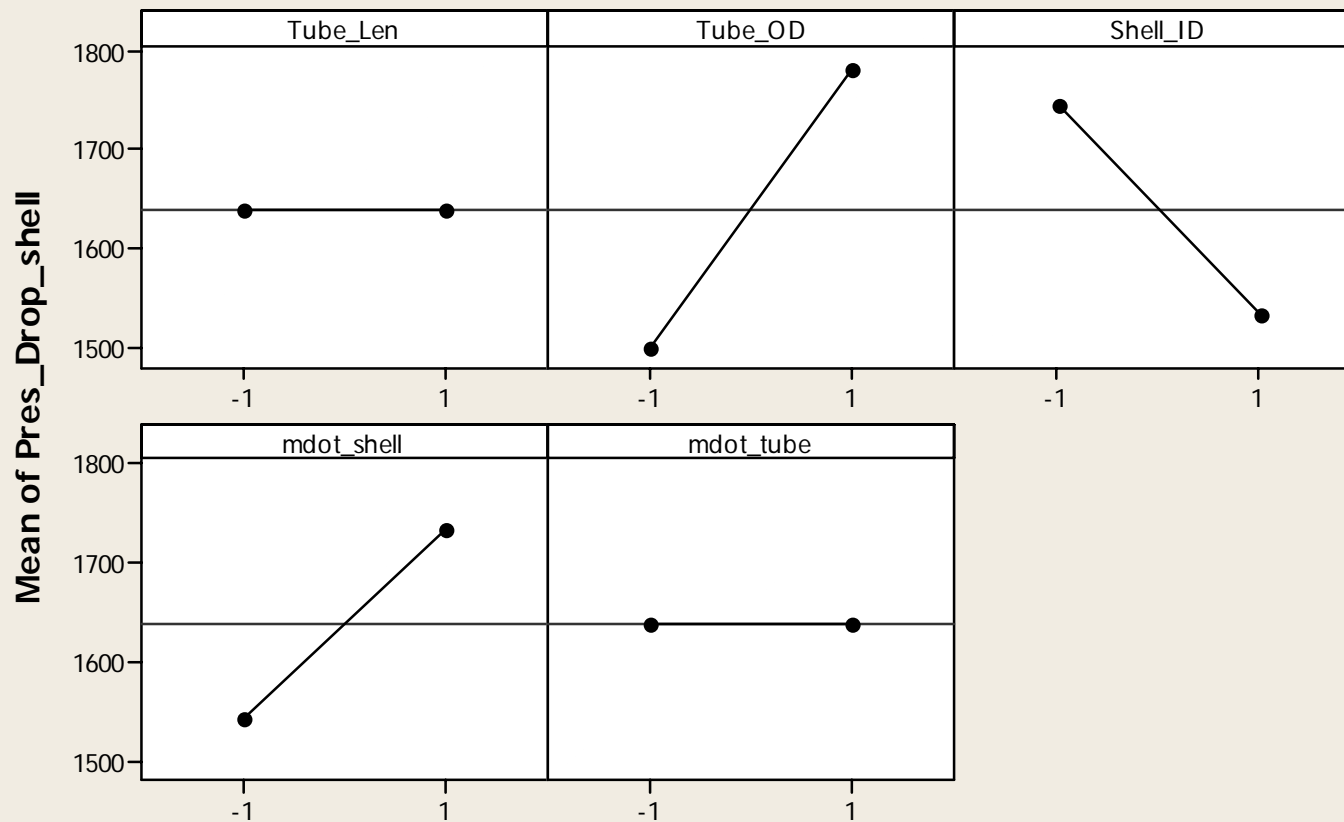
# Main Effects Plots

Main Effects Plot (data means) for Weight\_HE



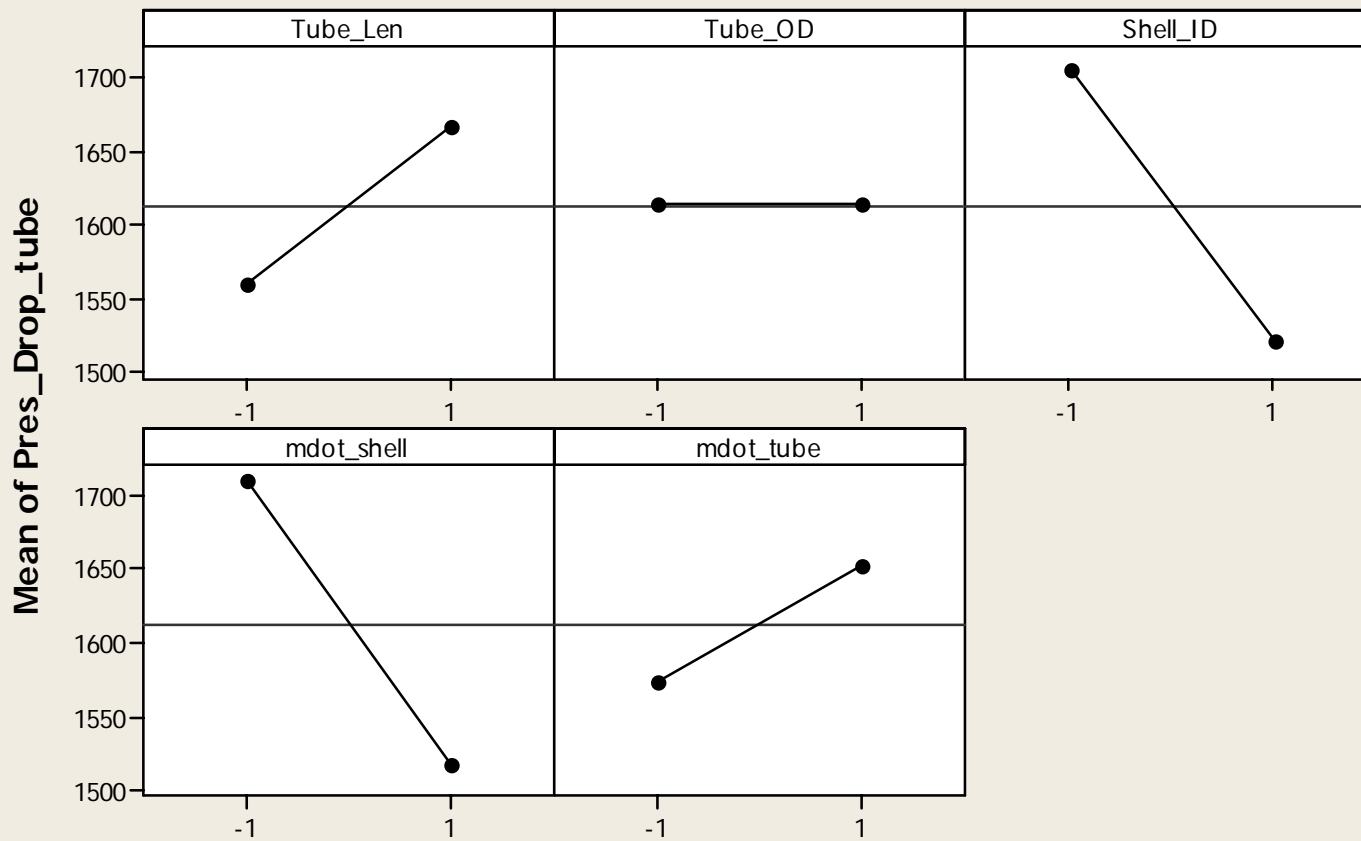
# Main Effects Plots

Main Effects Plot (data means) for Pres\_Drop\_shell



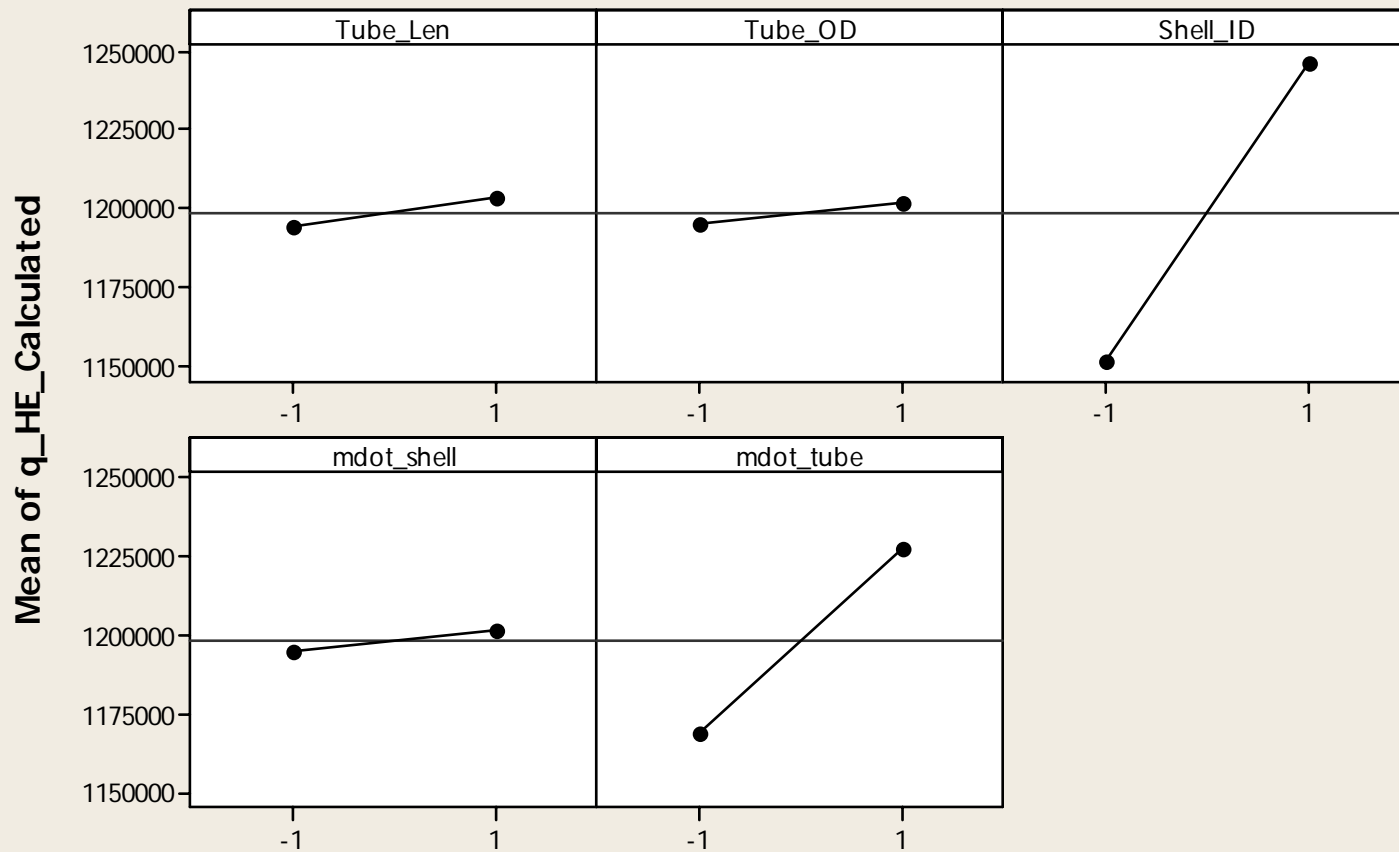
# Main Effects Plots

Main Effects Plot (data means) for Pres\_Drop\_tube



# Main Effects Plots

Main Effects Plot (data means) for  $q_{HE\_Calculated}$



# Optimized Values

- Tube Length = 5
- Tube O.D. =  $7.5 \times 10^{-3}$
- Shell I.D. = .2240
- Shell Mass Flow Rate = 20
- Tube Mass Flow Rate = 3.4
- Weight = 353.85 kg
- Shell Pressure Drop = 1,317.95 Pa
- Tube Pressure Drop = 1,519.96 Pa
- $q = 1,203,992.94$  W

**The End**