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## 2012

### **HEAT TRANSFER**

Time Allotted: 3 Hours Full Marks: 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

#### **GROUP - A**

### ( Multiple Choice Type Questions )

- 1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following:  $10 \times 1 = 10$ 
  - i) Up to the critical radius of insulation
    - a) added insulation will increase heat loss
    - b) added insulation will decrease heat loss
    - c) convection heat loss will be less than conduction heat flux
    - d) heat flux will decrease.
  - ii) According to reciprocity theorem
    - a)  $A_1 F_{12} = A_2 F_{21}$
- b)  $A_2 F_{12} = A_1 F_{21}$
- c)  $A_1 F_{21} = A_2 F_{12}$
- d) all of these.

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- iii) The ratio of heat flow  $Q_1/Q_2$  from two walls of same thickness having thermal conductivity  $K_1 = 2K_2$  for the same temperature difference will be
  - a) 1.0

b) 2·0

c) 0.5

- d) 4·0.
- iv) Addition of fin to the surface increases the heat transfer

if 
$$\sqrt{\frac{hA}{K_P}}$$
 is

- a) equal to one
- b) greater than one
- c) less than one
- d) greater than one but less than two.
- v) For gases Prandtl Number is
  - a) near unity
- b) between 5 and 50
- c) between 60 and 100
- d) between 150 and 300.
- vi) In free convection, motion of the fluid is caused
  - a) by the weight of the fluid element
  - b) by the hydrostatic force on the element
  - c) by the buoyancy force arising from density of fluid with the temperature
  - d) none of these.

- vii) A surface for which emissivity is constant at all temperatures and throughout the entire range of wavelength is called
  - a) opaque
- b) gray
- c) specular
- d) diathermanous.
- viii) For flow over a flat plat Pr > 1, the thermal boundary layer for laminar forced convection
  - a) is thinner than the hydrodynamic boundary layer
  - b) has a thickness equal to zero
  - c) is of same thickness as hydrodynamic boundary layer
  - d) is thicker than the hydrodynamic boundary layer.
- ix) Consider two infinitely long black body concentric cylinder with diameter ratio  $\frac{D_2}{D_1}$  = 3. The shape factor for the outer cylinder with itself will be
  - a) 0

b)  $\frac{1}{3}$ 

c)  $\frac{2}{3}$ 

d) 1.

- x) For steady heat flow, constant thermal conductivity and in absence of heat generation the temperature distribution for plane wall is
  - a) parabolic
- b) hyperbolic

c) cubic

d) linear.

#### **GROUP - B**

## (Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any three of the following

 $3 \times 5 = 15$ 

- 2. What is critical thickness of insulation? Derive critical radius of insulation in case of sphere. 1 + 4
- 3. Define and explain the *two* of the following :

 $2 \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ 

- a) Reynolds number
- b) Eckert number
- c) Weber number.
- 4. What is the significance of Biot number of Fourier number?
- 5. A plane wall (thermal conductivity = 10·2 W/m °C) for 100 mm thickness and area 3 m<sup>2</sup> has steady surface temperature of 170°C and 100°C. Determine
  - i) the rate of heat flow across the plane wall
  - ii) the temperature gradient in the flow direction.
- 6. Show from energy balance consideration that the radiation heat transfer from a plane composite surface area  $A_4$  and made up of plane surface areas  $A_2$  and  $A_3$  to a plane surface area  $A_1$  is given by  $A_4F_{41}=A_3F_{31}+A_2F_{21}$  and  $F_{14}=F_{12}+F_{13}$ .

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#### **GROUP - C**

#### (Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 15 = 45$ 

- 7. a) Derive the general heat conduction equation in Cartesian coordinates. Under what condition does this get reduce to Poisson equation, Laplace equation and Fourier equation?
  - b) The inner surface r = a and the outer surface at r = b of a cylinder (length of cylinder = L) are maintained at uniform temperature  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  respectively. The thermal conductivity K of the solid is constant.
    - i) Develop an expression for the 1-dimensional, steady state temperature distribution  $T\left(r\right)$  in the cylinder
    - ii) Develop an expression for the radial heat flow rateQ through the cylinder
    - iii) Develop an expression for the thermal resistance of the cylinder. (6+3)+6
- 8. a) Using lumped parameter analysis method derive the following relation with usual notations:

$$\frac{t - t_a}{t_1 - t_a} = e^{-Bi \times Fo}$$



b) An egg with mean diameter of 40 mm and initially at 20°C is placed in a boiling water pan for 4 minutes and found to be boiled to the consumer taste. For how long should a similar egg for same consumer be boiled when taken from a refrigerator at 5°C? Take the following properties for egg:

k = 10W/m°C,  $\rho$  = 1200 kg/m³, c = 2 kJ/kg°C and h (heat transfer coefficient) = 100 W/m°C. Use lump theory. 7 + 8

- a) What is Couette flow ? Deduce an expression for temperature distribution when the upper and lower plates are different.
  - b) Given  $Nu_x = \frac{h(x)x}{k} = 0.332 \,\text{Pr}^{\frac{1}{3}} \,\text{Re}_x^{\frac{1}{2}}$

Develop a relation average h(x) for  $0 \le x \le L$ 

Atmospheric air at  $T_{\infty}$  = 400 K with a velocity  $u_{\infty}$  = 1.5 m/s flows over a flat plate L = 2 cm long maintained at a uniform temperature  $T_{w}$  = 300 K.

Calculate average h(x) that is  $h_m$  for  $0 \le x \le L$ . Calculate the heat transfer rate for width w = 0.5 m. Thermodynamic properties of air at 350 K

ρ	$C_p$	$\mu \times 10^7$	$v \times 10^6$	$k \times 10^3$	$\alpha \times 10^6$	p
(kg/m <sup>3</sup> )	(kJ/kgK)	(Ns/m <sup>2</sup> )	$(m^2/s)$	(W/mK)	$(m^2/s)$	r
0.9950	1.009	208.2	20.92	30	29.9	0.700

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- 10. a) Show that the emissive power of a black body is  $\pi$  times the intensity of emitted radiation.
  - b) By using one radiation shield between two surfaces and if all the three surfaces have the same emissivity, show that the net radiant heat transfer is reducing by 50%.
  - c) Consider two large parallel plates one at  $t_1 = 727^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$  with emissivity  $\epsilon_1 = 0.8$  and other at  $t_2 = 227^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$  with emissivity  $\epsilon_2 = 0.4$ . An aluminium radiation shield with an emissivity,  $\epsilon_3 = 0.05$  on both sides is placed between the plates. Calculate the percentage reduction in heat transfer rate between the two plates as a result of the shield. Use  $\sigma = 5.67 \times 10^{-8}\,\mathrm{W/m^2K^4}$ .

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