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Paper Code : PC-ME501 Heat Transfer

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

The Figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Group-A (Very Short Answer Type Question)

1. Answer any ten of the following :

[1 x 10 = 10]

- (i) Prandtl number is the ratio of:
Kinematic viscosity and thermal diffusivity,
Thermal diffusivity and kinematic viscosity,
Dynamic viscosity and thermal viscosity.,
None
- (ii) Nu for pure conduction
- (iii) Which of the following is/are example/s of direct contact type heat exchanger?
Desuperheater,
cooling tower
- (iv) The curve for unsteady state cooling or heating of bodies is a
- (v) Nusselt number is defined by
- (vi) For an opaque body sum of absorptivity and reflectivity is
- (vii) Emissivity of perfectly black body is
- (viii) The normal automobile radiator is a heat exchanger of the type:
cross flow,
direct contact,
parallel flow,
counter flow
- (ix) The amount of heat flow through a body by conduction
Directly proportional to the surface of the body
Directly proportional to the temperature difference on two faces
Dependent upon the material of the body
All
- (x) The value of Prandtl number for air is about
- (xi) In free convection, Nu is the function of
- (xii) Co-efficient of reflection, coefficient of absorption and coefficient transmission are related as

Group-B (Short Answer Type Question)

Answer any three of the following

[5 x 3 = 15]

2. Prove temperature distribution equation for a rectangular fin having infinite length. [5]
3. Derive bulk mean temperature and Nusselt number for constant heat flux at wall for laminar flow through pipe [5]
4. What is the physical significance of Grashof and Nusselt number? [5]
5. What is intensity of radiation? Prove $E = \pi I$. [5]
6. Prove heat flow through cylinder of uniform conductivity without heat generation [5]

Group-C (Long Answer Type Question)

Answer any three of the following

[15 x 3 = 45]

7. (a) The interior of a refrigerator having inside dimensions of $0.05 \text{ m} \times 0.05 \text{ m}$ base area and 1 m height, is to be maintained at 6°C . The walls of the refrigerator are constructed of two mild steel sheets 3 mm thick ($K=46.5 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}$) with 50 mm of glass wool insulation ($K=0.046 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}$) between them. If the average heat transfer coefficients at the outer and inner surfaces are $11.6 \text{ W/m}^2^\circ\text{C}$ and $14.5 \text{ W/m}^2^\circ\text{C}$ respectively. Calculate the rate of which heat must be removed from the interior to maintain the specific temperature in the kitchen at 25°C , and the temperature on the outer surface of the metal sheet. [7]
- (b) A steel tube of 10 cm ID, 15 cm OD, $K_1=20 \text{ W/mK}$ is covered with an insulation of thickness $t=3 \text{ cm}$, $K_2=0.15 \text{ W/mK}$. A hot gas at $T_i=400^\circ\text{C}$, $h_i=300 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ flows inside the tube. The outer surface of the insulation is exposed to cooler air at $T_o=30^\circ\text{C}$ with $h_o=50 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Find (i) heat loss from the tube to the air for the tube length $L=10 \text{ m}$. [8]
 ii) Temperature drops resulting from the thermal resistances of the hot gas flow, the steel tube, the insulation layer and outside air.
8. (a) Air at atmospheric pressure and 40°C flows with a velocity of $U=5 \text{ m/s}$ over 2 m long flat plate whose surface temperature is kept at a uniform temperature of 120°C . Determine the average heat transfer coefficient over the 2 m length of the plate. Also find out the rate of heat transfer between the plate and the air per 1 m width of the plate, (air at 1 atm and 80°C , kin. Viscosity $=2.107 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$, $K=0.03025 \text{ W/mK}$; $Pr=0.6965$) [8]
- (b) Lubricating oil at a temperature of 60°C enters 1 cm diameter tube with a velocity of 3 m/s . The tube surface is maintained at 40°C , assuming that the oil has the following average properties, calculate the tube length required to cool the oil to 45°C , density $=865 \text{ kg/m}^3$, $K=0.14 \text{ W/mK}$, $C_p=1.78 \text{ kJ/kg}^\circ\text{C}$. Assume the flow to be laminar and fully developed. $Nu_{av}=3.657$, [7]
9. (a) Copper plate fins of rectangular cross-section, 1 mm thick, 10 mm long and thermal conductivity as 380 W/mK are attached to a plane wall maintained at a temperature of 230°C . The fins dissipate heat by convection into an ambient at 30°C with a heat transfer coefficient of $40 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Fins are spaced at 8 mm . Assume negligible heat loss from the tip. Calculate i) Fin Efficiency, ii) Area weighted fin efficiency, iii) the total heat transfer rate per m^2 of plane wall surface iv) the heat transfer rate from the plane wall if there were no fins attached, [8]
- (b) 10. A steel ball 100 mm in diameter and initially at 900°C is placed in air at 30°C . Taking for steel, $K=40 \text{ W/mK}$, $\rho=7800 \text{ Kg/m}^3$ and $c=460 \text{ J/Kg K}$ and if $h=20 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$, find the temperature of the ball after 30 Sec , and the rate of cooling after 30 Sec . [7]
10. (a) Discuss the boiling curve of water showing all the regimes. [8]
 (b) Liquid mercury flows at a rate of 1.6 kg/s through a copper tube of 20 mm diameter. The mercury enters the tube at 15°C and after getting heated it leaves the tube at 35°C . Calculate the tube length for constant heat flux at the wall which is maintained at an average temperature of 50°C . For liquid metal flowing through a tube, the following empirical correlation is presumed to agree well with experimental results: $Nu_{ave}=7+0.025(Pe)^{0.8}$, where $Pe=ReXPr$. [7]
11. (a) Discuss the boundary layer formation over a flat plate. [8]
 (b) Discuss the parallel flow and counter flow heat exchanger with flow diagram. [7]

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