

## WEEK 8

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### **Task 1**

Using the diagrams given in the presentation calculate how much (%) is the effect of applying different modifications (changing the gas, adding an extra pane, using a low emissivity coating) on the U value with respect to a benchmark case of double layer with air and no coating ? (Keep the gap thickness to be 13 mm)

	U-Value W/m <sup>2</sup>	Difference W/m <sup>2</sup>	Percentage %
2 parallel planes with air	2.8	0.0	0
2 parallel planes with gas	2.6	0.2	7.14
2 parallel planes with air and coating	1.8	1.0	35.71
2 parallel planes with gas and coating	1.5	1.3	46.42
3 parallel planes with air	1.8	1.0	35.71
3 parallel planes with gas	1.6	1.2	42.85
3 parallel planes with air and coating	1.0	1.8	64.28
3 parallel planes with gas and coating	0.75	2.05	79.21

### **Task 1**

Consider the house that we analyzed in the last two examples, calculate the heating and cooling load of the other windows which are fixed 14.4 m<sup>2</sup> on the west, fixed 3.6 m<sup>2</sup> on the south and an operable 3.6 m<sup>2</sup> on the south (the same window and frame type). How much does the total value change if I change the frame of the window from wooden one to aluminum?

Answer:

Cooling design temperature  $T_{cooling} = 24\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

Heating design temperature  $T_{heating} = 20\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ,

$\Delta T_{cooling} = 31.9\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} - 24\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} = 7.9\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} = 7.9\text{ K}$

$T_{heating} = 20\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} - (-4.8\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}) = 24.8\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} = 24.8\text{ K}$

From the table of Piacenza DR =  $11.9\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} = 11.9\text{ K}$

### **The cooling load of the fixed window on the west**

$q_{windowwest} = A \times CF_{windowwest}$

$A = 14.4\text{ m}^2$ ,

$CF_{windowwest}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) = U_{windowwest} (\Delta T_{cooling} - 0.46 \text{ DR})$ , The window has a fixed heat absorbing double layer glass with a wooden frame, And so,  
 $U_{windowwest} = 2.84\text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$

$CF_{windowwest}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) = 2.84 \times (7.9\text{ K} - 0.46 \times 11.9\text{ K}) = 6.89\text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$

$PXI_{windowwest} = ED + Ed = 559 + 188 = 747$

$SHGC = 0.54$

No internal shading,  $solAC = 1$   $FFs = 0.56$

$CF_{windowwest}(\text{Irradiation Part}) = PXI \times SHGC \times IAC \times FFs$

$q_{windowwest} = A \times CF_{windowwest} = A \times (CF_{windowwest}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) + CF_{windowwest}(\text{Irradiation Part})) = 14.4\text{ m}^2 \times (6.89 + 747 \times 0.54 \times 1 \times 0.56) = 3352.07\text{ W}$

### **The heating load of the fixed window on the west**

$q_{windowwest} = A \times HF_{windowwest} = A \times U_{windowwest} \cdot \Delta T_{heating}$   
 $= 14.4\text{ m}^2 \times 2.84 \times 24.8\text{ K} = 1014.22\text{ W}$

When the frame were to be aluminium,  $U_{windowwest} = 3.61$ ,

$HSGC = 0.56$

$CF'_{windowwest}(\text{heat transfer part}) = U'_{windowwest} (\Delta T_{cooling} - 0.46 \text{ DR})$   
 $= 3.61 \times (7.9\text{ K} - 0.46 \times 11.9\text{ K}) = 8.76$

Cooling load  $q'_{windowwest} = A \times CF'_{window} = A \times (CF'_{windowwest}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) + CF'_{windowwest}(\text{Irradiation Part}))$   
 $= 14.4\text{ m}^2 \times (8.76 + 747 \times 0.56 \times 1 \times 0.56) = 3499.48\text{ W Heating load } q'_{windowwest}$   
 $= A \times HF'_{windowwest} = A \times U'_{windowwest} \cdot \Delta T_{heating}$   
 $= 14.4\text{ m}^2 \times 3.61 \times 24.8\text{ K} = 1289.20\text{ W}$

### **The cooling load of the fixed window on the south**

$$q_{\text{window south}} = A \times CF_{\text{window south}} \quad A = 3.6 \text{ m}^2,$$

$$CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) = U_{\text{window south}} (\Delta T_{\text{cooling}} - 0.46 \text{ DR})$$

The window has a fixed heat absorbing double layer glass with a wooden frame, So,

$$U_{\text{window south}} = 2.842.84,$$

$$CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) = 2.842.84 \times (7.9 \text{ K} - 0.46 \times 11.9 \text{ K}) = 6.89$$

$$P_{\text{XI window south}} = E_D + E_d = 348 + 209 = 557$$

$$SHGC = 0.55$$

No internal shading, so IAC = 1

$$FF_s = 0.47$$

$$\begin{aligned} CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Irradiation Part}) &= P_{\text{XI}} \times SHGC \times IAC \times FF_s \quad q_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times CF_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times (CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) + CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Irradiation Part})) \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times (6.89 + 557 \times 0.54 \times 1 \times 0.47) = 553.72 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

### **The heating load of the fixed window on the south**

$$\begin{aligned} q_{\text{window south}} &= A \times HF_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times U_{\text{window south}} \Delta T_{\text{heating}} \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times 2.84 \times 24.8 \text{ K} = 253.56 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

When the frame were to be aluminium,  $U_{\text{window south}} = 3.61$

$$HSGC = 0.56$$

$$\begin{aligned} CF'_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) &= U'(\text{window south}) (\Delta T_{\text{cooling}} - 0.46 \text{ DR}) \\ &= 3.61 \times (7.9 \text{ K} - 0.46 \times 11.9 \text{ K}) \\ &= 8.76 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cooling load } q'_{\text{window south}} &= A \times CF'_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times (CF'_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) + CF'_{\text{window south}}(\text{Irradiation Part})) \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times (8.76 + 557 \times 0.56 \times 1 \times 0.47) = 559.30 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Heating load } q'_{\text{window south}} &= A \times HF'_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times U'_{\text{window south}} \Delta T_{\text{heating}} \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times 3.61 \times 24.8 \text{ K} = 322.30 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

**The cooling load of the operable window on the south**

$$q_{\text{window south}} = A \times CF_{\text{window south}}$$

$$A = 3.6 \text{ m}^2,$$

$$CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) = U_{\text{window south}} (\Delta T_{\text{cooling}} - 0.46 \text{ DR})$$

The window has an operable heat absorbing double layer glass with a wooden frame,  
So,  $U_{\text{window south}} = 2.87$

$$CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) = 2.87 \times (7.9 \text{ K} - 0.46 \times 11.9 \text{ K}) = 6.96$$

$$P_{\text{Xl window south}} = E_D + E_d = 348 + 209 = 557 \text{ S}$$

$$HGC = 0.46$$

No internal shading,  $\text{solAC} = 1$

$$FF_s = 0.47$$

$$\begin{aligned} CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Irradiation Part}) &= P_{\text{Xl}} \times SHGC \times IAC \times FF_s \times q_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times CF_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times (CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) + CF_{\text{window south}}(\text{Irradiation Part})) \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times (6.96 + 557 \times 0.54 \times 1 \times 0.47) = 553.98 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

**The heating load of the operable window on the south**

$$\begin{aligned} q_{\text{window south}} &= A \times HF_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times U_{\text{window south}} \Delta T_{\text{heating}} \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times 2.87 \times 24.8 \text{ K} = 256.23 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

When the frame were to be aluminium,  $U_{\text{window south}} = 4.62$

$$HSGC = 0.55$$

$$\begin{aligned} CF'_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) &= U'_{\text{window south}} (\Delta T_{\text{cooling}} - 0.46 \text{ DR}) \\ &= 4.62 \times (7.9 \text{ K} - 0.46 \times 11.9 \text{ K}) \\ &= 11.21 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cooling load } q'_{\text{window south}} &= A \times CF'_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times (CF'_{\text{window south}}(\text{Heat Transfer Part}) + CF'_{\text{window south}}(\text{Irradiation Part})) \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times (11.21 + 557 \times 0.55 \times 1 \times 0.47) = 558.70 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Heating load } q'_{\text{window south}} &= A \times HF'_{\text{window south}} \\ &= A \times U'_{\text{window south}} \Delta T_{\text{heating}} \\ &= 3.6 \text{ m}^2 \times 4.62 \times 24.8 \text{ K} = 412.47 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$