

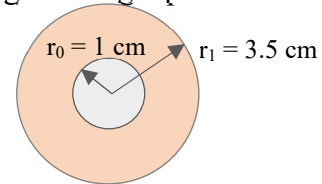
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A cylindrical pipe with wall thickness 2.5 cm and inner radius 1 cm and carries a fluid at a temperature of 550 °C and the outer wall of the pipe is at 25°C. The governing equation for the temperature distribution in the pipe wall is:

$$r \frac{d^2 T}{dr^2} + \frac{dT}{dr} - H/k = 0$$

subject to boundary conditions of $T(1) = 600$ °C and $T(3.5) = 25$ °C.

H is a heat generation term. (The material of the pipe generates heat, it may be made from a radioactive material.) k is thermal conductivity.



a) Break the above ODE into coupled 1st-order ODEs. (5 pts)

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$$\frac{dT}{dr} = S \quad (1)$$

$$r \left(\frac{dS}{dT} \right) + S - \frac{H}{k} = 0 \quad (2)$$

b) When we assume steady state, set $H/k=500$. Write a MATLAB function that solves the problem with the shooting method and plot the temperature as a function of r . Label the axis with units and paste the figure into the box. (25 pts)

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function [] = E2p3NoahGa()
r0 = 1;
r1 = 3.5;
if nargin == 0, guess = 0; end

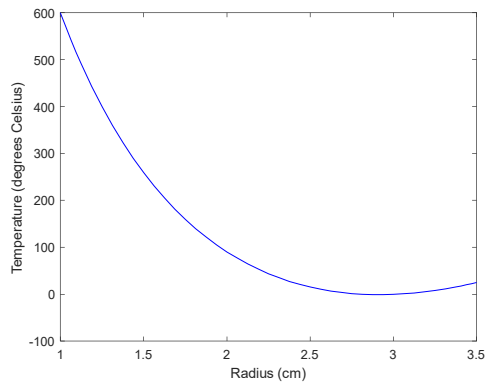
S0 = fzero(@Rooter,guess);
[r, y] = ode45(@coupledfirsts,[r0 r1],[600 S0]);
plot(r,y(:,1),'-b');
xlabel('Radius (cm)');
ylabel('Temperature (degrees Celsius)');

if nargout == 0, r = []; y = []; end
end

function dy = coupledfirsts(r,y)
%y = [T S]
HoverK = 500;
dTdr = y(2);
dSdr = (-y(2)./r) + (HoverK)./r;
dy = [dTdr; dSdr];
end

function err = Rooter(guess)
[r, y] = ode45(@coupledfirsts,[1 3.5],[600 guess]);
err = 25 - y(end,1);
end
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Initial condition dT/dt is -956.7802

c) Set $H/k=200$. How will the peak temperature and its gradient at 1 cm change with this parameter? Discuss the thermodynamic principle (embedded in the coupled ODEs in a) that you used to make the prediction and check with the code. (5 pts)

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By halving H/k we could have raised the thermal conductivity of the material. I would expect the Gradient to be less steep in this case as the rate of change of temp throughout the material would be less. When we plot the $H/K= 200$, we can see that the temperature throughout the material is higher than 25 degrees Celsius at all times. Compared to the $H/k = 500$, where there is steep dropoff of temperature when increasing distance from the Hottest inside wall.

