

5. Consider the cross section of a long rectangular bar as shown in Fig. 1 below. Internal energy is generated in the bar at a constant rate  $\dot{q}$  per unit volume.  $q_1''$  and  $q_2''$  are given constant heat fluxes out of and into the bar at  $x = a$  and  $x = b$ , respectively. The surfaces at  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$  are perfectly insulated. The thermal conductivity of the material of the bar is constant. Find the relationship between  $q_1''$ ,  $q_2''$  and  $\dot{q}$  so that the temperature distribution  $T(x, y)$  can attain steady state. [5]  
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6. Consider a long solid cylinder of circular cross section with a radius  $r_0$ . The surface of the cylinder at  $r = r_0$  is held at an arbitrary temperature  $f(\phi)$ . There are no internal energy sources or sinks, and the thermo-physical properties of the material of the cylinder can be assumed to be constant. Determine the steady state temperature distribution  $T(r, \phi)$  in the cylinder using **separation of variables**. [7]
7. Consider a plane wall of thickness  $L$  as shown in Fig. 2 below. This is initially kept at a temperature  $T_i(x)$ . The internal energy is generated in this wall at a rate of  $\dot{q}(x, t)$  per unit volume for times  $t \geq 0$ . Also, heat is dissipated by convection from the surfaces at  $x = 0$  and  $x = L$  into a surrounding medium whose temperature  $T_\infty$  varies with time. The thermo-physical properties may be assumed to be constant and the heat transfer coefficients  $h_1$  and  $h_2$  are very large. Determine the unsteady-state temperature distribution  $T(x, t)$  in the wall using **method of integral transforms**. [7]
8. Consider steady state heat conduction in a long square slab ( $2L \times 2L$ ) as shown in Fig. 3 below. The internal energy is generated in the slab at a constant rate of  $\dot{q}$  per unit volume. All four sides are maintained at temperature  $T_\infty$ . The thermal conductivity of the material of the slab is constant.
- Write down the governing energy equation and the boundary conditions for the system in non-dimensional forms. [2]
  - Using **central difference approximation**, write down the finite-difference forms of the governing equation and the boundary conditions. [1+2]
  - How will you handle the corner points? [1]

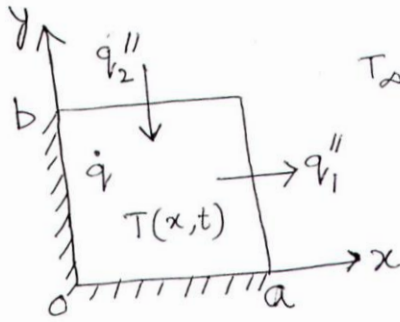


Fig. 1

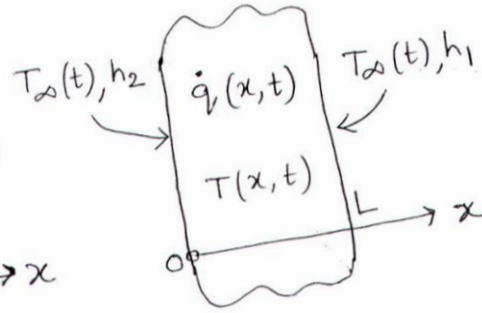


Fig. 2

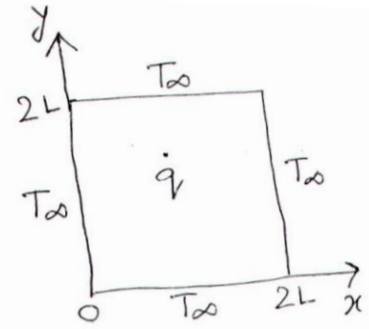


Fig. 3

5. Consider a rectangular fin with thickness ( $b$ ) and length ( $L$ ) as shown in Fig. 1. The width ( $W$ ) of the fin is very large compared to its length ( $W \gg L$ ). The fin has to dissipate heat to the surroundings with heat transfer coefficient ( $h$ ) and temperature ( $T_\infty$ ). The temperature at the fin base is ( $T_b$ ) and the fin has an adiabatic tip. The profile area of the rectangular fin ( $A_p$ ) is defined as  $A_p = bL$  and thus there may be several shapes (various combinations of  $b$  and  $L$ ) of the fin for the same profile area ( $A_p$ ). For a given profile area, find the optimum thickness and length of the fin which removes maximum amount of heat per unit mass of the fin. [7]

**Given:** The following function  $f(x)$  has a maximum at  $x = 1.4192$ , where  $\pi = 3.14$ .

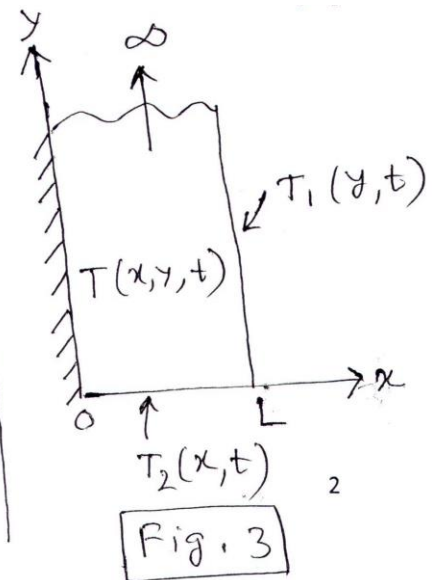
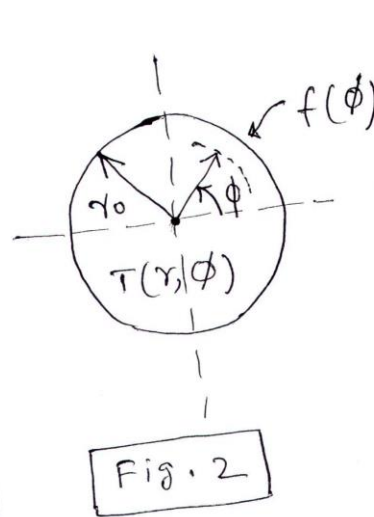
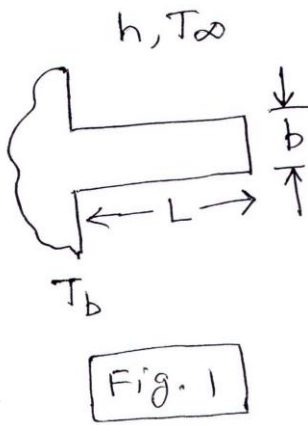
$$f(x) = \pi \frac{\tanh(x)}{x^{1/3}}$$

6. Consider a long solid cylinder of circular cross section with radius  $R_0$  as shown in Fig. 2.

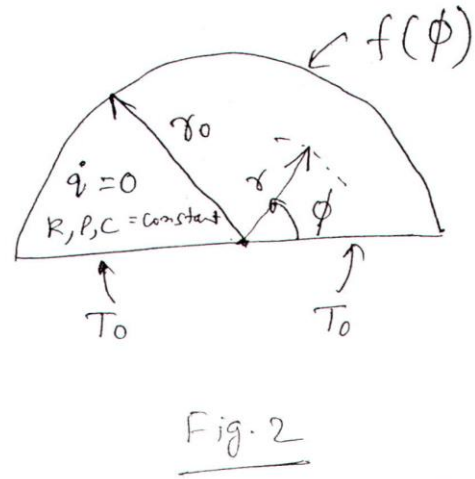
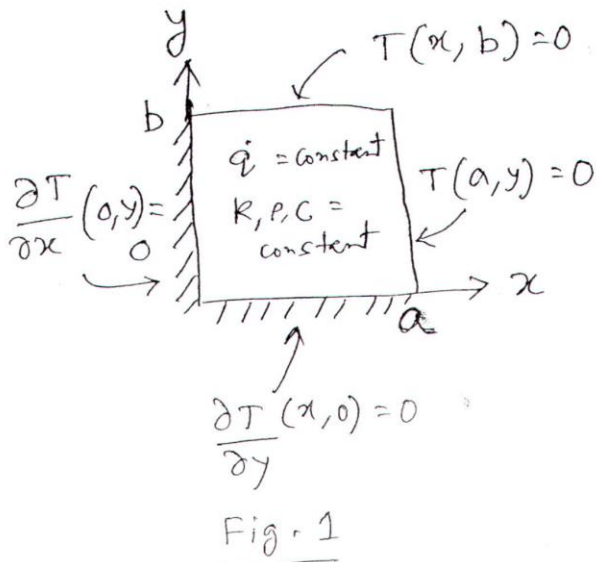
The surface of the cylinder is held at an arbitrary temperature  $f(\phi)$ . There is no internal heat generation in the cylinder and thermo-physical properties of the cylinder may be assumed to be constant. Determine the steady-state temperature distribution ( $T(r, \phi)$ ) in the cylinder using **Separation of Variables**. [8]

7. Consider a semi-infinite rectangular strip as shown in Fig. 3. The surface at  $x = 0$  is perfectly insulated. The initial ( $t = 0$ ) temperature distribution in the strip is given as  $T_i(x, y)$ . For times  $t \geq 0$ , the surface at  $x = L$  is kept at a temperature  $T_1(y, t)$  and the surface at  $y = 0$  is kept at a temperature  $T_2(x, t)$ . Both  $T_i(x, y)$  and  $T_1(y, t)$  vanish as  $y \rightarrow \infty$ . There is no internal heat generation in the strip and thermo-physical properties may be assumed to be constant. Determine the unsteady-state temperature distribution  $T(x, y, t)$  in the above semi-infinite rectangular strip for  $t \geq 0$  using **Fourier Transforms**. [10]





5. Consider the heat conduction in a rectangular bar as shown in cross-section in Fig. 1. Internal energy is generated in this bar at a constant rate  $\dot{q}$  per unit volume ( $\text{W/m}^3$ ). The boundary conditions are shown on the figure itself. There is no temperature gradient in  $z$ -direction and the thermo-physical properties of the material of the bar may be considered as constant. Determine the steady-state temperature distribution  $T(x, y)$  in the bar by
  - (a) Method of **separation of variables** [6]
  - (b) Method of **finite Fourier transforms** [6]
  
6. Consider a solid sphere of radius  $r_0$ . The surface of the sphere is maintained at some arbitrary temperature distribution  $f(\theta)$ . There are no internal energy sources or sinks in the sphere and the thermo-physical properties of the material of the sphere may be considered as constant. Find the steady-state two dimensional temperature distribution  $T(r, \theta)$  in the sphere using **Fourier-Legendre series**. [7]
  
7. Consider a long solid cylinder of semi-circular cross-section as shown in Fig. 2. The cylindrical surface at  $r = r_0$  is maintained at some arbitrary temperature distribution  $f(\phi)$ . The planar surfaces at  $\phi = 0$  and  $\phi = \pi$  are both maintained at constant temperature  $T_0$ . There are no internal energy sources or sinks in the cylinder and the thermo-physical properties of the material of the cylinder may be considered as constant. Find the steady-state two dimensional temperature distribution  $T(r, \phi)$  in the cylinder using **Hankel transforms**. [6]



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5. Consider the cross-section of a long rectangular bar ( $0 < x < a$ ,  $0 < y < b$ ) made from a material with constant thermo-physical properties. Internal energy is generated at a constant rate  $\dot{Q}$  per unit volume. The surfaces at  $(x = 0, y)$  and  $(x, y = 0)$  are insulated. A constant heat flux  $Q_1$  leaves the surface at  $(x = a, y)$  and the surface at  $(x, y = b)$  receives a constant heat flux  $Q_2$ .

(a) Determine the relationship among  $\dot{Q}$ ,  $Q_1$ , and  $Q_2$  at steady-state.

(b) Does the steady-state problem have a unique solution for  $T(x, y)$ ? Justify. [2+2 = 4]

6. Consider a long solid cylinder of circular cross-section (Figure - B1). The surface of the cylinder is held at an arbitrary temperature  $f(\phi)$ . There is no internal energy sources or sinks. Assuming constant thermo-physical properties, obtain an expression for the steady-state temperature distribution  $T(r, \phi)$  in cylinder using **Separation of Variables Method**. [6]

**Given:** In cylindrical coordinate system, the Laplacian of temperature  $T$  is

$$\nabla^2 T = \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial T}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial \phi^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial z^2}$$

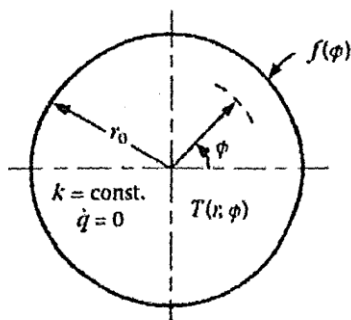


Figure - B1

7. A one-dimensional slab of thickness  $2L$  (extending from  $x = -L$  to  $x = L$ ) is initially at a uniform temperature  $T_0$ . For times  $t \geq 0$ , internal energy is generated in the slab at a rate

$$Q = Q_0\{1 + \beta(T - T_0)\}$$

where  $Q_0$  and  $\beta$  are given constants, while the surfaces at  $x = L$  and  $x = -L$  are maintained at the initial temperature  $T_0$ . Assuming constant thermo-physical properties, obtain an expression for the unsteady-state temperature distribution  $T(x, t)$  in the slab for  $t > 0$  using

**Finite Fourier Transform Method.**

**[6]**