

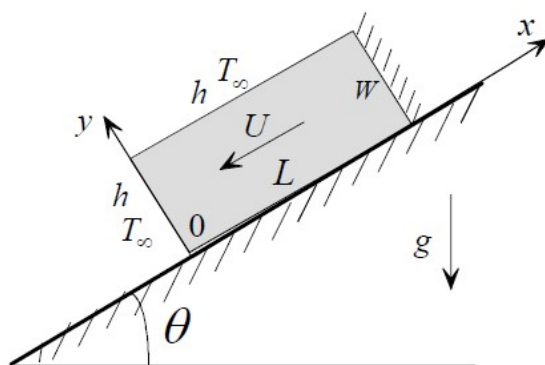
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Advanced Heat Transfer CH61014 (Spring 2024)

Assignment 1

1. A rectangular plate of length L and height H slides down an inclined surface with a velocity U . Sliding friction result in surface heat flux q'' . The front and top sides of the plate exchange heat by convection. The heat transfer coefficient is h and the ambient temperature is T_∞ . Neglect heat loss from the back side and assume that no frictional heat is conducted through the inclined surface. Write the two-dimensional steady state heat equation and boundary conditions.



2. A slab, which extends 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 an exponential decay rate per unit volume according to

$$\dot{q} = q_0 e^{-\beta t}$$

where q_0 and β are two given positive constants, while the surfaces at $x = \pm L$ are kept at the initial temperature T_0 . Assuming constant thermos-physical properties, formulate the problem for the unsteady-state temperature distribution $T(x, t)$ in the slab for times $t > 0$.

3. A sphere (radius r_0) of homogeneous material is initially at a uniform temperature T_i . At time $t = 0$, the sphere is immersed in a stream of moving fluid at some different temperature T_∞ . The external surface of the sphere exchanges heat by convection and the heat transfer coefficient is h . Assume that the heat flux on the surface is uniform. Formulate one-dimensional transient heat conduction problem in dimensionless form.
4. Derive the non-Fourier heat conduction equation by considering the dual phase lagging constitutive relation between heat flux and temperature gradient instead of using classical Fourier's law.

Note: You can start with the following relation for energy balance:

$$-\nabla \cdot \mathbf{q}'' + \dot{q} = \rho c \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$

5. Consider two-dimensional ($T(r, z)$) steady state heat conduction in a solid cylinder of radius R and length L . At $z = 0$, the cylinder is insulated and at $z = L$ the cylinder receives uniform flux q'' . The cylindrical surface is maintained at a constant temperature T_0 . The thermal conductivity varies with temperature according to $k = k_0(1 + \beta_1 T + \beta_2 T^2)$.
 - (i) Formulate the steady state heat conduction problem (write energy balance equation and Boundary Conditions).
 - (ii) Use Kirchhoff transformation method to convert the nonlinear problem to linear problem.
 - (iii) Solve the problem in (ii) for steady-state temperature distribution $T(r, z)$.
6. A 2-D rectangular region $0 \leq x \leq a$, $0 \leq y \leq b$ is initially at a uniform temperature T_0 . For times $t > 0$, the boundaries at $x = 0$ and $y = 0$ are kept at zero temperature and the boundaries at $x = a$ and $y = b$ dissipate heat by convection into an environment at zero temperature. The heat transfer coefficients h are the same for both of these boundaries. Using Separation of Variables, obtain an expression for the temperature distribution $T(x, y, t)$.

7. Consider a semi-circular section of a tube with inside radius R_i and outside radius R_o . Heat is exchanged by convection along the inside and outside cylindrical surfaces. The inside temperature and heat transfer coefficient are T_i and h_i , respectively. The outside temperature and heat transfer coefficient are T_o and h_o , respectively. The two plane surfaces are maintained at uniform temperature T_b .
- Write the two dimensional steady-state heat equation and boundary conditions.
 - Solve the steady-state heat conduction problem using Separation of Variables.

