WEEK ONE- ASSIGNMENT

A short summary about the conductive heat transfer and solving the same exercise with L=0.4m; A=20m^2; Delta T=25 and k=0.78W/mK using both simple method and using the resistance concept.

<u>Summary:</u> The phenomenon of conduction is heat transfer that happens between solids.

Answer:

Method 1:

$$\dot{Q} = kA \frac{\Delta T}{L} = 0.78 \text{W/mK} \times 20 m^2 \frac{25K}{0.4m} = 975 \text{W}$$

Method 2:

$$R_{wall} = \frac{L}{kA} = \frac{0.4m}{\frac{0.78W}{mK}x \ 20m^2} = 0.02564 \text{ K/W}$$

$$\dot{Q} = \frac{\Delta T}{R_{Wall}} = \frac{25}{0.02564} = 975.03W$$