WEEK 2 SUBMISSION

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TASKS:

1 write a summary (in your own words !, (in your own words !!!) 1A about the convective heat transfer (half a page) and explain why increasing the thickness of a single pane glass does not increase the total resistane

2 write an explanation about what mistakes you made in the class that resulted in wrong answers !!

3 solve the same probelm as that of double pane window with with the air-gap thickness of 13 mm and glass thickness of 6 mm, commment on your results and explain why we have an optimal range for the air-gap's distance !

ANSWERS

1A - . It happens between two moving fluids or a solid and a moving fluid, There are two types of convection: Natural Convection: happens without external force, only thanks to the difference

There are two types of convection:

- Natural Convection: happens without external force, only thanks to the difference of fluid density in different temperature mentioned above
- Forced Convection: happens with external force that affect the moving speed of fluid (for example: wind in exterior side of the wall)

The conduction thermal resistance of a glass panel is minor in comparison to the convection thermal resistance between glass and air.

1B-

2 - **solve the same probelm as that of double pane window with with the air-gap thickness of 13 mm and glass thickness of 6 mm**

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$A = 0.8 \times 1.5 = 1.2$

$$R_{glass_1} = R_{glass_2} = \frac{L_{glass}}{\left(K_{glass} \times A\right)} = \frac{0.006}{0.78 \times 1.2} = 0.0064\ ℃/W$$

$$R_{airgap} = \frac{L_{airgap}}{\left(K_{airgap} \times A\right)} = \frac{0.013}{0.026 \times 1.2} = 0.4167\ ℃/W$$

$$R_{conv_1} = \frac{1}{h_1 A} = \frac{1}{10 \times 1.2} = 0.0833\ ℃/W$$

$$R_{conv_2} = \frac{1}{h_2 A} = \frac{1}{40 \times 1.2} = 0.0208\ ℃/W$$

$R_{total} = R_{conv_1} + R_{conv_2} + 2 \times R_{glass} + R_{airgap} = 0.0833 + 0.0208 + 2 \times 0.0064 + 0.4167 = 0.5333\ ℃/W$

Heat Transfer Rate:

$\dot{Q} = \frac{\Delta T}{R_{total}} = \frac{20 - (-10)}{0.5333} = 56.3\ W$

Inner Surface Temperature: "

$\dot{Q} = \frac{T_{\infty 1} - T_{s_1}}{R_{conv_1}} = 56.3 = \frac{20 - T_{s_1}}{0.0833} \rightarrow T_{s_1} = 15.3℃$

We have an optimal range for the air-gap's distance because,N this case; increasing the class distance will help increase the thermal conduction resistance of the air layer, thus increase R_{total} of the whole system.