

Name: Solution Key

**Transport II ChBE 3210**

**Exam 1**

Monday, June 8, 2015

***Remember, to receive full credit on each problem:***

- Write down relevant relationships/equations
- Label variables
- State all assumptions
- Show intermediate steps
- Present solutions clearly with appropriate units

Problem	Possible Points	Score
1	25	
2	25	
3	25	
4	25	
Total		

**Problem 1 [5 pts for each part]**

- A) An experiment compares gas and liquid flow over a flat surface by using water and steam (each at  $100^\circ\text{C}$ ). If the experiment is set-up such that each scenario have the same hydrodynamic boundary layer thickness ( $\delta$ ), how do their respective thermal boundary layers ( $\delta_t$ ) compare (same thickness or one thicker than the other)? What is the ratio of  $\delta_{t \text{ water}}$  to  $\delta_{t \text{ steam}}$ ?

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta_t} = Pr^{1/3} \quad \delta = \delta_t Pr^{1/3} \quad \text{if } \delta_{\text{water}} = \delta_{\text{steam}} \text{ then}$$
$$\delta_{t \text{ water}} Pr_{\text{water}}^{1/3} = \delta_{t \text{ steam}} Pr_{\text{steam}}^{1/3}$$

$$\delta_{t \text{ water}} (1.76)^{1/3} = \delta_{t \text{ steam}} (0.984)^{1/3}$$

$$\delta_{t \text{ water}} = 0.824 \delta_{t \text{ steam}} \quad \text{Steam thermal layer is thicker.}$$

- B) A rectangular enclosure where  $\theta = 0$  (bottom surface heated) is characterized by  $Nu = 0.069 Ra_L^{1/3} Pr^{0.074}$ . However, when the enclosure is tilted to  $\theta = 180$  (top surface heated),  $Nu = 1$ . Explain what is happening physically that results in  $Nu = 1$ .

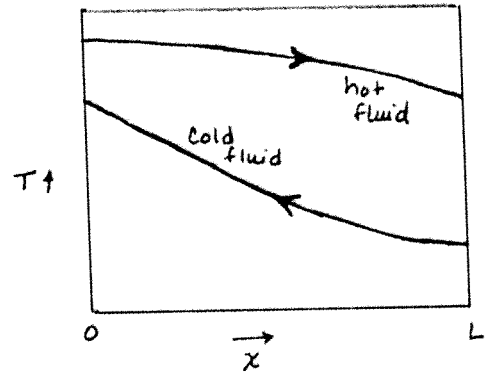
There is no forced convection in an enclosure. Natural convection is a result of density changes ~~causing~~ from (buoyant forces). When the enclosure is tilted such that the hot surface faces down, natural convection is reduced ( $h \approx k/L$ ). The conductive and convective resistance are equal.

- C) Arrange the following in order of lowest excess temperature to highest:

- Evaporation (no boiling) 1
- Nucleate Boiling 2
- Radiation 5
- Stable Film Boiling 4
- Unstable Film Boiling 3

a, b, e, d, c

- D) The graph on the right shows the fluid temperature profile in a double-pipe heat exchanger, which is operated with equal mass flow rates of water ( $c_p = 4200 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$ ) and oil ( $c_p = 1700 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$ ). Which is the hot fluid, oil or water?



$$\dot{m}_h c_{ph} \Delta T_h = \dot{q} = \dot{m}_c c_{pc} \Delta T_c$$

if  $\dot{m}_h = \dot{m}_c$  then  $c_{ph} \Delta T_h = c_{pc} \Delta T_c$

Larger  $c_p$  value has smaller  $\Delta T$

Hot fluid is Water

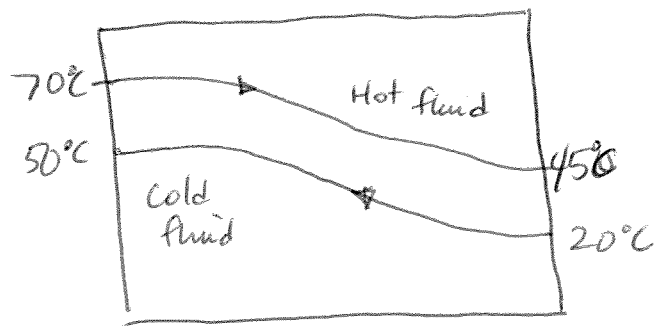
- E) In the lab, you find a heat exchanger with an unknown flow arrangement. There are two marked inlets and two marked outlets. You connect one of the inlets to a hot water tap at  $70^\circ\text{C}$  and pump cold oil at  $20^\circ\text{C}$  into the other inlet. After some time has passed, you measure the outlet temperatures. The water exits at  $45^\circ\text{C}$ , and the oil exits at  $50^\circ\text{C}$ . Is this a **parallel flow** or **counter flow** heat exchanger? **Sketch the temperature profile.**

$$T_{Hi} = 70^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T_{Ho} = 45^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T_{Ci} = 20^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T_{Co} = 50^\circ\text{C}$$

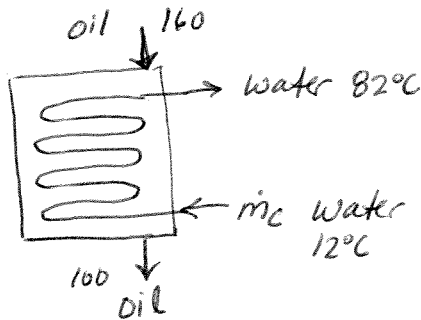


Counter flow because  $T_{Co} > T_{Ho}$

## Problem 2 [25 pts]

A shell and tube exchanger must be designed to heat 2.5 kg/s of water from 12 to 82°C. The heating is accomplished by passing hot engine oil, which is available at 160°C, through the shell side of the exchanger. The oil is known to provide an average convection coefficient of  $h_o = 400 \text{ W/m}^2\cdot\text{K}$  on the outside of the tubes. Tubes are thin walled, of a diameter  $D=25 \text{ mm}$ , and make eight (8) passes through the shell. Oil leaves the exchanger at 100°C and has an average heat capacity,  $c_p = 2350 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$ . Assume a clean exchanger with no fouling and that the outside shell is well-insulated.

- A) [5 pts] What is the oil mass flow rate?
- B) [10 pts] What is the overall heat transfer coefficient,  $U$ ?
- C) [5 pts] What is the correction factor,  $F$ ?
- D) [5 pts] If 10 tubes pass through the heat exchanger, what is the required tube length? Is this sufficient for fully developed flow conditions?

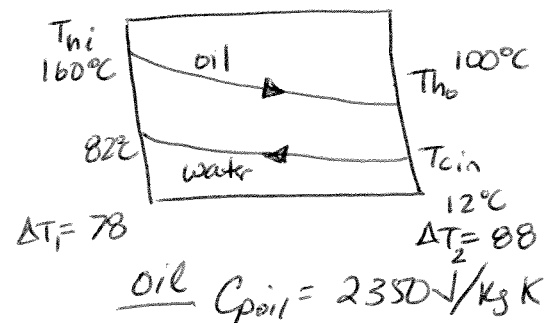


$$\dot{m}_c = 2.5 \text{ kg/s water}$$

$$h_o = 400 \text{ W/m}^2\cdot\text{K}$$

$$D = 25 \text{ mm}$$

$$8 \text{ passes}$$



Water

$$T_{cin} = 12^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T_{cout} = 82^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T_{p, \text{avg}} = 47 = 320^\circ\text{K}$$

$$C_p = 4180 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$$

$$\mu = 577 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N}\cdot\text{s/m}^2$$

$$k = 0.640 \text{ W/m}\cdot\text{K}$$

$$Pr = 3.77$$

$$c_{p,oil} = 2350 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K}$$

$$T_{hin} = 160$$

$$T_{hout} = 100$$

[5] Part A  $q = \dot{m}_c c_{p,c} \Delta T_c = \dot{m}_h c_{p,h} \Delta T_h$  2pt

$$\dot{m}_h = \left[ \frac{2.5 \text{ kg/s} \cdot 4180 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K} \cdot (82-12) \text{ K}}{2350 \text{ J/kg}\cdot\text{K} \cdot (160-100) \text{ K}} \right]$$

$$= (7.315 \times 10^5) / (1.41 \times 10^5) = \boxed{5.19 \text{ kg/s}} \quad 2\text{pt}$$

## Problem 2

Assume No fouling.

For thin walled tube  $A_i \approx A_o$  so  $U = \frac{1}{(1/h_i + 1/h_o)}$

First determine  $h_i$  from  $Nu_D$

If assumed one tube

$$Re_D = \frac{v D \rho}{\mu} \quad v_p [=] \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{s}} = \frac{\text{mass flow rate } \text{kg/s}}{\text{pipe area}}$$

$$Re_D = \left[ \dot{m} \left( \frac{4}{\pi D^2} \right) D \right] / \mu = \frac{2.5 \text{ kg/s}}{5 \pi (0.025 \text{ m})} \bigg/ 547 \times 10^{-6} \text{ kg}$$

$$Re_D = 220,665 \quad \text{turbulent}$$

$$Nu_D = 0.023 Re_D^{0.8} Pr^n = 0.023 (220,665)^{0.8} (3.77)^{0.4} = 736.6$$

$$h_i = \frac{k}{D} Nu_D = \frac{0.64 \text{ W/mK}}{0.025 \text{ m}} \bigg/ 736.6 = 18857.8 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{K}$$

$$U = \frac{1}{(1/h_o + 1/h_i)} = \frac{1}{[1/400 + 1/18858]} = 391.7 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{K}$$

If assumed ten tubes

$$Re_D = 22,066.5 \quad \text{turbulent} \quad Nu_D = 116.7$$

$$h_i = 2988.8 \quad U = 352.8 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{K}$$

## Part C

$$y = \frac{82-12}{160-12} = 0.473 \quad z = \frac{160-100}{82-12} = 0.857$$

$$F \approx 0.87 \text{ to } 0.88 \quad \text{from plot (a)}$$

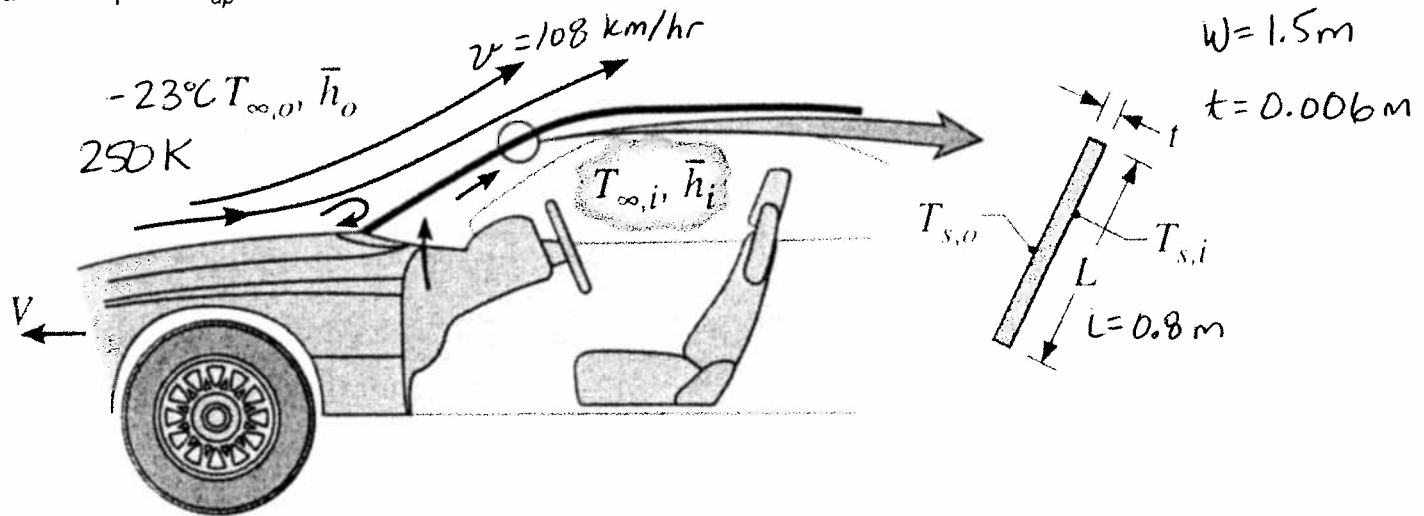
## Part D

$$q = U A \Delta T_{\text{LM}} F \quad \Delta T_{\text{LM}} = \frac{78-88}{\ln(78/88)} = 82.9^\circ \text{C}$$

Since  $A = n_{\text{tubes}} \pi D L$   $L = \frac{q}{U (n_{\text{tubes}} \pi D) F \Delta T_{\text{LM}}}$   $2pt$  for  $U = 352.8$   $L = 36.6 \text{ m}$   
 for  $U = 391.7$   $L = 32.0 \text{ m}$

### Problem 3 [25 pts]

The defroster of a car functions by discharging warm air on the inner surface of the windshield. To prevent condensation of water vapor on the inner surface, the temperature of the defroster air,  $T_{\infty,i}$ , and the convective heat transfer coefficient  $h_i$  must be large enough to maintain an inside surface temperature  $T_{s,i}$  that is at least as high as the dewpoint  $T_{dp}$  of the air inside the car.



Consider a rectangular windshield of length  $L = 0.80\text{ m}$ , width  $W = 1.5\text{ m}$  and thickness  $t = 6\text{ mm}$ . The conductive heat transfer coefficient of the glass is  $k_{\text{glass}} = 0.78\text{ W/m}\cdot\text{K}$ . The car moves at a velocity  $v = 108\text{ km/hr}$  in ambient air at  $T_{\infty,o} = -23^\circ\text{C}$ .

From laboratory experiments performed on this car model, it is known that the average convective heat transfer coefficient on the *outer surface* of the windshield,  $h_o$  is given by the correlation function  $Nu_L = 0.03 Re_L^{0.8} Pr^{1/3}$ . For this correlation function to apply, the air properties must be taken at bulk temperature. at  $250\text{ K}$

- A) [5 pts] Determine the convective heat transfer coefficient on the *outer surface* of the windshield,  $h_o$ .
- B) [10 pts] Determine the skin friction and drag force on the outside of the windshield.
- C) [5 pts] If  $T_{dp} = 10^\circ\text{C}$  and the defroster air temperature  $T_{\infty,i} = 50^\circ\text{C}$ , what is the smallest value of  $h_i$  for which there will be no condensation on the inner surface of the windshield.

D) [5 pts] Based upon the minimum required heat transfer (from part C), what is the temperature of the outside window surface,  $T_{s,o}$ ?

5] Part A For air at 250K  $\nu = 1.1315 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$   $k = 2.2269 \times 10^{-2} \text{ W/mK}$   
 $\rho = 1.4133 \text{ kg/m}^3$   $Pr = 0.722$   
 $Nu_L = 0.03 Re_L^{0.8} Pr^{1/3}$   $Re_L = \frac{VL}{\nu} = \frac{108 \text{ km} | 1000 \text{ m} | \text{hr} | 0.8 \text{ m} | \text{s}}{\text{hr} | \text{km} | 3600 \text{ s} | 1.1315 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}$   
 $1 \text{ pt } Re = 2.121 \times 10^6$   $30 \text{ m/s}$

2 pt  $\{ Nu_L = 0.03 (2.12 \times 10^6)^{0.8} (0.722)^{1/3} = 3099$   
 $Nu_L = h_o L / k$   $h_o = Nu_L k / L = (3099) (2.2269 \times 10^{-2} \text{ W/mK}) / 0.8 \text{ m}$   
 $1 \text{ pt } h_o = 86.26 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{ K}$

10] Part B using Chilton-Colburn  $St \cdot Pr^{2/3} = C_f / 2$   
 $St = \frac{Nu}{Pr \cdot Re} = \frac{3099}{(0.722)(2.121 \times 10^6)} = 0.00202$   $1 \text{ pt}$   
 $C_f = \frac{2 St Pr^{2/3}}{2} = 2 (0.00202) (0.722)^{2/3} = 3.257 \times 10^{-3}$   $1 \text{ pt}$   
 $F = \frac{1}{2} C_f \rho v_\infty^2 A = \frac{1}{2} (3.257 \times 10^{-3}) (1.4133 \text{ kg/m}^3) (30^2 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}^2) (0.8)(1.5) \text{ m}^2$   
 $F = 2.486 \text{ (kg} \cdot \text{m/s}^2) = 2.486 \text{ N}$   $1 \text{ pt}$

5] Part C Heat transfer through glass to outside  $\Leftrightarrow$  transfer from inside to glass  
 $q = \frac{T_{si} - T_{\infty o}}{\sum R} = \frac{T_{si} - T_{\infty o}}{(1/h_o A + t/k_{\text{glass}} A)}$   $\Leftrightarrow h_i A (T_{\infty i} - T_{si})$   $1 \text{ pt}$   
 where  $T_{si} = T_{dp} = 10^\circ \text{C} = 283$

$q = \frac{(283 \text{ K} - 250 \text{ K})}{(\frac{1}{86.26 (0.8)(1.5) \text{ W/K}} + \frac{0.006}{0.78 (0.8)(1.5) \text{ W/K}})} = 2053.4 \text{ W} = h_i (0.8)(1.5) (323 - 283)$

$h_i = 42.78 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{ K}$   $1 \text{ pt}$   
 Part D  $q = h_o A (T_{s,o} - T_{\infty o})$   $T_{s,o} = \frac{q}{h_o A} + T_{\infty o} = \frac{2053.4 \text{ W}}{86.26 \text{ W/m}^2 \text{ K} (0.8)(1.5) \text{ m}^2} + 25$   $1 \text{ pt}$   
 $T_{s,o} = 269.8 \text{ K}$   $1 \text{ pt}$

#### Problem 4 [25 pts]

A homeowner has decided to install an energy efficient "tankless" electric water heater in their house. The design of the water heater essentially consists of a 5 m long, thin, copper tube with 3 cm inner diameter. The outside of the tube is wrapped with electrical resistors, which generate a uniform heat flux through the surface of the tube. The tube and resistors are wrapped in a thick insulation layer, which prevents heat losses to the surroundings and thus maximizes the efficiency of the heater. The water heater is designed so that it can supply a steady flow of hot water to a low-flow shower head: when it operates at maximum power, it can heat a water stream of 10 liter per minute from an inlet bulk temperature of 15°C to an outlet temperature of 65°C.

- A) [5 pts] Calculate the electrical power that must be supplied to the "tankless" water heater when it operates at full power.
- B) [15 pts] Calculate the temperature of the *inner surface* of the copper tube at the *outlet* of the "tankless" heater.
- C) [5 pts] The homeowner is not very happy about the comfort offered by his low-flow shower head and decides to double the water flow rate to 20 liter per minute. What will be the temperature of the water leaving the heater under these conditions? Again, assume that the water heater is operating at maximum power.

Part A Heat Transfer inside tubes a mean  $T_b = 40^\circ\text{C} = 313\text{K}$

Water Properties at 315K  $C_p = 4179 \text{ J/kg K}$   $\rho = \frac{1}{v} = 991 \text{ kg/m}^3$

$\mu = 631 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{Ns}}{\text{m}^2}$   $Pr = 4.16$   $k = 634 \times 10^{-3} \text{ W/mK}$

$$\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V} = (991 \text{ kg/m}^3) (0.01 \text{ m}^3/\text{min}) (1 \text{ min}/60 \text{ sec}) = 0.1652 \text{ kg/s}$$

$$\dot{q} = \dot{m} C_p \Delta T = 0.1652 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{s}} \frac{4179 \text{ J}}{\text{kg K}} (65 - 15) = \boxed{34.5 \text{ kW}}$$

Assumes no loss to surroundings and all heat transferred to water.

property at  $T_b$  1  
 $\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V}$  1  
 $\dot{q} = \dot{m} C_p \Delta T$  2  
final ans 1  
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## Problem 4

Part B Locally  $q/A = h \Delta T = h (T_{\text{wall}} - T_{\text{water}})$  2pt

$$\frac{q}{A} = \frac{34.5 \text{ kW}}{\pi D L} = \frac{34.5 \text{ kW}}{\pi (0.03) 5 \text{ m}^2} = 73.24 \text{ kW/m}^2 \quad 2 \text{ pt}$$

Need to find  $h_x$  at outlet where  $T_{\text{water}} = 65^\circ\text{C}$

5pts  $\left\{ \begin{aligned} Re_D &= \frac{v D}{\nu} = \frac{v D \rho}{\mu} & v &= \frac{\dot{V}}{A_{cs}} = \frac{0.01 \text{ m}^3/\text{min} / 4}{\text{min} / 60 \text{ sec} / \pi (0.03)^2 \text{ m}^2} \\ &= \frac{0.236 \text{ m/s} / 0.03 \text{ m} / 991 \text{ kg/m}^3}{631 \times 10^{-6} \text{ kg/m} \cdot \text{s}} = 11,119 & &= 0.236 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned} \right.$

therefore turbulent ( $Re_D > 2 \cdot 10^4$ )

2pt  $\left\{ \begin{aligned} Nu_D &= 0.023 Re_D^{0.8} Pr^n \quad n=0.4 \text{ heated fluid} \\ Nu_D &= 0.023 (11119)^{0.8} (4.16)^{0.4} = 70.18 \end{aligned} \right.$

2pt  $Nu_D = \frac{h \cdot D}{k} \quad h = \frac{Nu_D \cdot k}{D} = \frac{70.18 (0.634 \text{ W/m} \cdot \text{K})}{0.03 \text{ m}} = 1483 \text{ W/m}^2 \cdot \text{K}$

Back to  $q/A = h \Delta T$

$$\Delta T = (q/A) (1/h) = 73.24 \times 10^3 / 1483 = 49.4$$

$$T_{\text{wall}} = 49.4 + T_{\text{water}} = 49.4 + 65 = 114.4^\circ\text{C} \quad 2 \text{ pt}$$

## Part C

3pts  $q = \dot{m} C_p \Delta T = 34.5 \text{ kW}$

$C_p$  stays the same,  $\dot{m}$  doubles, so  $\Delta T$  is halved

$$\Delta T_{\text{new}} = 50 / 2 = 25^\circ$$

$$T_{\text{water out}} = 15^\circ + 25^\circ = 40^\circ\text{C} \quad 2 \text{ pts}$$

5pts

25 total