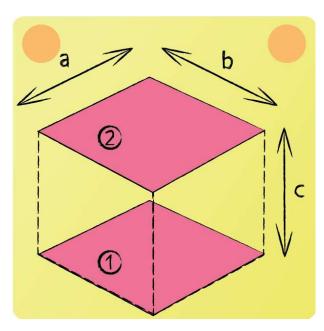


Exam Preparation - Radiation 4



The distance of two parallel blackbody rectangles is changed from c=2 m to c=8 m. Determine the percentual change in the rate of radiation heat transfer between the surfaces.

Before:

$$\frac{Y}{D} = 3 \wedge \frac{X}{D} = 4 \Rightarrow \Phi_{1\rightarrow 2} = 0.58$$

After:



$$\frac{Y}{D} = 0.75 \ \land \ \frac{X}{D} = 1 \ \Rightarrow \Phi_{1\to 2} = 0.165$$

And thus:

$$\Delta \dot{Q}_{1 \to 2} \ = \ \frac{\dot{Q}_{1 \to 2} \left(c = 8\right) - \dot{Q}_{1 \to 2} \left(c = 2\right)}{\dot{Q}_{1 \to 2} \left(c = 2\right)} = \frac{\Phi_{1 \to 2} \left(c = 8\right) - \Phi_{1 \to 2} \left(c = 2\right)}{\Phi_{1 \to 2} \left(c = 2\right)} = -0.716$$

We have a reduction of 72% radiation heat transfer between the plates.