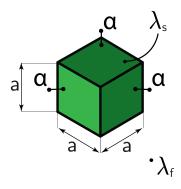


Biot Number 05

Give an expression for the Biot number of a cube in terms of given variables.



The standard expression for the Biot number is:

$$Bi = \frac{\alpha L_c}{\lambda_s}$$

The characteristic length in the given situation should be determined.

In this case, the characteristic length is:

$$L_{\rm c} = \frac{V}{A_{\rm s}} = \frac{a^3}{6a^2} = \frac{a}{6}$$

With this finding, the Biot number in the given situation can be expressed as:

$$Bi = \frac{\alpha a}{6\lambda_s}$$