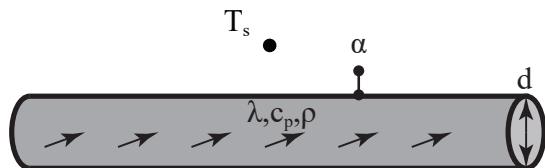


## CONDUCTION EXERCISES

### Exercise 21.13 (Cooling of a copper rod \*\*):

A long copper rod is initially at a uniform temperature  $T_0$ . It is now exposed to an air stream at  $T_\infty$  with a heat transfer coefficient  $\alpha$ .



#### Given parameters:

- Diameter of the copper rod:  $d = 2 \text{ cm}$
- Initial temperature:  $T_0 = 100 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$
- Air stream temperature:  $T_\infty = 20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$
- Heat transfer coefficient:  $\alpha = 200 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$
- Thermal conductivity of copper:  $\lambda = 399 \text{ W/mK}$
- Specific heat capacity of copper:  $c_p = 382 \text{ J/kgK}$
- Density of copper:  $\rho = 8930 \text{ kg/m}^3$

#### Hints:

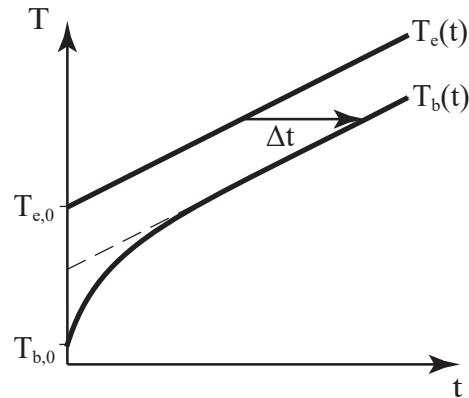
- Heat radiation can be neglected.
- Setup an energy balance.

#### Tasks:

- a) Determine how long will it take for the copper rod to cool to a temperature of  $T_1 = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .

**Exercise 21.14** (The temperature delay ★★):

A body with a temperature of  $T_b$  is located within an environment with the linearly rising temperature  $T_e$  and heats up accordingly to the diagram below. As  $t \rightarrow \infty$ , the temperature of the body follows that of the environment with a constant time delay  $\Delta t$ .



**Given parameters:**

- Heat transfer coefficient of the body:  $\alpha$
- Surface of the body:  $A$
- Mass of the body:  $m$
- Heat capacity of the body:  $c_p$
- Temperature of the environment:  $T_e(t)$

**Hints:**

- The temperature is uniform within the body
- The environment, and its temperature, are not affected by the body.
- Heat radiation can be neglected.
- Setup an energy balance.

**Tasks:**

- a) Determine this delay  $\Delta t$ .