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HW 7B: Problem 2

Part A: Calculate Temperature of Inner Elements of Plate

```
Ta = 192;  
Tb = 51;  
tempA = prob7B_2(Ta,Tb)
```

Part B: Fine-Grained Temperature Distribution

Part i

```
tempB = prob7B_2b(Ta,Tb)  
  
sqA =  
  
    4  
  
B =  
  
    96.0000  
        0  
        0  
        0  
    96.0000  
        0  
        0  
        0  
        0  
        0  
        0
```

```
25.5000
      0
      0
      0
25.5000
```

T =

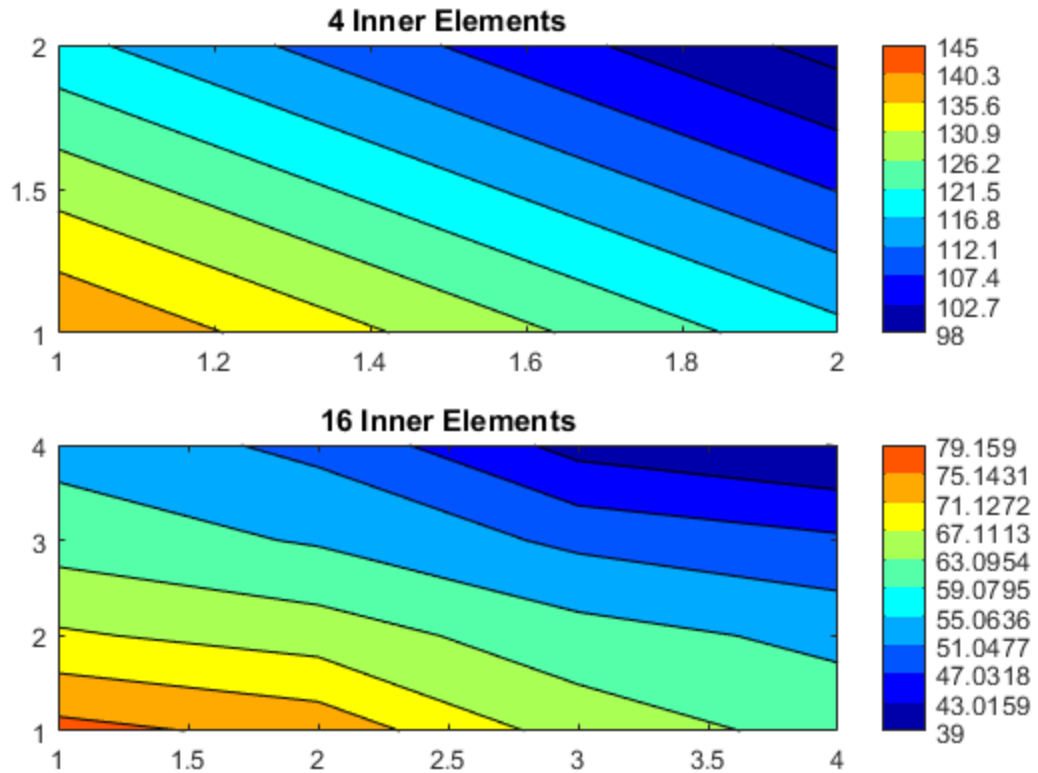
```
81.6590  78.2846  67.8603  63.2808
70.6923  67.6192  62.0154  58.7013
62.7987  59.4846  53.8808  50.8077
58.2192  53.6397  43.2154  39.8410
```

$tempB$ =

```
81.6590  78.2846  67.8603  63.2808
70.6923  67.6192  62.0154  58.7013
62.7987  59.4846  53.8808  50.8077
58.2192  53.6397  43.2154  39.8410
```

Part ii

```
subplot(2,1,1)
contourf(tempA);
title('4 Inner Elements')
contourcmap('jet', 'Colorbar', 'on');
subplot(2,1,2)
contourf(tempB);
title('16 Inner Elements')
contourcmap('jet', 'Colorbar', 'on');
```



Contour plot of the 4 inner elements appears to be smoother than the 16 inner elements. This would be a reasonable result as the contour would become more detailed with more features, or inner elements in this case.

Part C

An increase in the number of inner elements would lead to a more detailed temperature profile of the model. However, an increase leads to increased demands on computing storage and power, which after a certain number of points will lead to diminished returns.

Part D

One can automate the process by using a function as executed below that goes through each element and looks around its neighboring elements to fill in another matrix. Disregarding the boundaries makes the problem simpler.

Functions

```
function T = prob7B_2(Tempa,Tempb)
```

```
A = [3 -1 -1 0
      -1 2 0 -1
      -1 0 2 -1]
```

```
        0 -1 -1 3
        ]
B = [Tempa
      0
      0
      Tempb]

T = A\B;
T =reshape(T,[2,2])
end
function T = prob7B_2b(Tempa,Tempb)

A = 1:16;
sqA = sqrt(length(A))
A = transpose(reshape(A,[sqA,sqA]));
for i = 1:numel(A)
    [j k] = find(A == i);
    tmat(i,:) = checkdir(A,j,k,A(j,k));
end

B = [Tempa/2;0;0;0;0;
      Tempa/2;0;0;0;0
      0;0;0;Tempb/2
      0;0;0;Tempb/2
      ]

T = tmat\B;
T =reshape(T,[4,4])
end

function tmat = checkdir(smallmat,row,col,eqn)
[m, n] = size(smallmat);
tmat = zeros(1,numel(smallmat));
if col == 1 && row == 1 || col == 1 && row == 2
    count = 1;
elseif col == n && row == m || col == n && row == m-1
    count = 1;
else
    count = 0;
end
if col-1 >= 1
    var = smallmat(row,col-1);
    %Left
    tmat(eqn,var) = -1;
    count = count + 1;
end
if col+1 <= n
    var = smallmat(row,col+1);
    %Right
    tmat(eqn,var) = -1;
    count = count + 1;
end
if row-1 >= 1
```

```
        var = smallmat(row-1,col);  
        %Up  
        tmat(eqn,var) = -1;  
        count = count + 1;  
    end  
    if row+1 <= m  
        var = smallmat(row+1,col);  
        %Down  
        tmat(eqn,var) = -1;  
        count = count + 1;  
    end  
    tmat(eqn,eqn) = count;  
    tmat = tmat(eqn,:);  
  
end
```

A =

3	-1	-1	0
-1	2	0	-1
-1	0	2	-1
0	-1	-1	3

B =

192
0
0
51

T =

145.0000	121.5000
121.5000	98.0000

tempA =

145.0000	121.5000
121.5000	98.0000

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