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# B. Tech 6th Semester Examination Heat Transfer (ME) (OS) ME-6006

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

The candidates shall limit their answers precisely within the answer-book (40 pages) issued to them and no supplementary/continuation sheet will be issued.

Note: Attempt five questions in all, selecting one from each section A, B, C and D. All subparts of Section E are compulsory. Assume suitable value of any Missing data. Use of heat transfer data book is allowed. All question carry equal marks.

## **SECTION - A**

- 1. (a) Write the Fourier rate equation for heat transfer by conduction. Give the physical significance of each term.
  - (b) A metal piece of length of 60 cm has a cross section corresponding to a sector of a circle of radius 10 cm and included angle 60°C. Its ends are maintained at temperature of 125°C and 25°C, and the thermal conductivity of the material has a linear variation with temperature in degree Celsius.

$$K = (100 - 0.01t) W/m - deg$$

Find the heat flow rate through the metallic piece. Presume uni-directional heat conduction, i,e., neglect any variation of temperature in the  $\theta$  and r-directions. (20)

- 2. (a) Derive an expression for the temperature distribution and maximum temperature for a plane wall with uniform heat generation.
  - (b) A furnace wall comprises three layers: 13.5 cm thick inside layer of fire brick, 7.5 cm thick middle layer of insulating brick and 11.5 cm thick outside layer of red brick. The furnace operates at 870°C and it is anticipated that the outside of this composite wall can be maintained at 40°C by the circulation of air. Assuming close bonding of layers at their interfaces, find the rate of heat loss from the furnace and the wall interface temperature. The wall measures 5 m × 2 m and the data on thermal conductivities is:

Fire brick  $K_1 = 1.2$  W/m-deg Insulating brick  $K_2 = 0.14$  W/m-deg

Red brick  $K_3 = 0.85$  W/m-deg.

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## **SECTION - B**

3. (a) From the lumps parameter analysis derive an expression for temperature distribution for solids having negligible thermal resistance.

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(b) A 12 mm diameter mild steel sphere (K=42.5 W/mK) is exposed to cooling airflow at 27°C resulting in the convective coefficient h = 114 W/m²K. Determine (i) time required to cool the sphere from 540°C to 95°C (ii) Instantaneous heat transfer rate 2 minutes after the start of cooling and (iii) total energy transferred during the first 2 minutes. The relevant properties of mild steel are:

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- Density  $\rho$  = 7850 kg/m<sup>3</sup>; specific heat c = 475 J/kg K, and thermal diffusivity  $\alpha$  = 0.0043 m<sup>2</sup>/hr. (20)
- 4. (a) Prove that for a forced convection the momentum equation is given by:  $u\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \gamma\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}$ 
  - (b) Air at 20°C flows over a flat surface maintained at 80°C. The value of local heat transfer coefficient of the local heat flow at a point was measured as 1250W/m². Proceed to calculate temperature gradient at the surface and temperature at a distance of 0.6mm from the surface. Take thermal conductivity of air as 0.028W/M-deq. (20)

### **SECTION - C**

- 5. (a) Derive an expression for LMTD for a parallel flow heat exchanger.
  - (b) Exhaust gases (c<sub>p</sub>=1.12 kj/kg-deg) flowing through a tubular heat exchanger at the rate of 1200 kg/hr are cooled from 400°C to 120°C. The cooling rate is affected by water (c<sub>p</sub>=4.18 kJ/kg K) that enters the system at 10°C at the rate of 1500 kg/hr. If the overall heat transfer coefficient is 500 kJ/m²-hr-deg, what heat exchanger area is required to handle the load for (a) parallel flow and (b) counter flow arrangement? (20)
- 6. (a) State and prove Kirchoffs law of radiation. What restrictive conditions are inherent in the derivation of Kirchoffs law?
  - (b) It has been observed that when the sun is overhead the earth's surface on a clear day, the radiation received by the earth's surface is 1 kW/m² and an additional 0.3 kW/m² is absorbed by the earth's atmosphere. Assuming the sun to be a black body, determine the temperature of the sun. Given: dia of sun= 1.39 x 10° m; dia of earth = 12.6 x 10° m; distance between the sun and earth = 1.5 x 10¹¹ m.

### **SECTION - D**

- 7. (a) Explain the pool boiling and different regimes of boiling.
  - (b) Explain the laminar film condensation on a vertical plate.
- 8. (a) Define Lambert's cosine law of radiation and prove that the intensity of radiation is always constant at any angle of emission for a diffused surface.
  - (b) The wall of 4 mm long and 20 mm diameter is held at constant temperature by providing a steam jacket. A viscous fluid enters the tube at 30°C and leaves at 40°C at the rate of 180 kg/hr. Determine the average heat transfer coefficient and the wall temperature.

Use the following correlation

Nu = 3.65 + 
$$\frac{0.67 \frac{d}{l} Re Pr}{1 + 0.04 \left(\frac{d}{l} Re Pr\right)^{0.67}}$$

And take the following thermo-physical properties:  $\rho$  = 850kg/m³; K=0.1396 W/m-deg;  $c_p$  = 2000 J/kg K and v = 5.1 x 10<sup>-6</sup> m²/s. (20)

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### **SECTION - E**

- 9. (i) Which of the following would not increase the rate of heat transferred from a heater pipe?
  - (a) Insulating with materials whose thickness is below that of critical thickness is for insulation.
  - (b) Blowing air over it. (c) Providing fins
  - (d) Putting the heater pipe within another whose thermal conductivity is smaller in number and 2 inches thick.
  - (ii) The overall coefficient of heat transfer is used in the problem of
    - (a) Radiation (b) Conduction (c) Convection (d) Conduction & Convection
  - (iii) Heat transfer takes place according to
    - (a) Zeroth law of thermodynamics (b) first law of thermodynamics
    - (c) Second law of thermodynamics (d) Third law of thermodynamics
  - (iv) A 10 kg solid at 100°C with specific heat 0.8 kJ/kg°C is immersed in 40 kg of 20°C liquid with a specific heat of 4.0 kJ/kg°C. The temperature after a long time if the container is insulated will be
    - (a) 30°C (b) 28°C (c) 26°C (d)24°C
  - (v) Consider the following statement
    - 1. Under certain conditions, an increase in thickness of insulation may increase the heat loss from a heated pipe.
    - The heat loss from an insulated pipe reaches a maximum when the outside radius insulation is equal to the ratio of thermal conductivity to the surface coefficient.
    - Small diameter tubes are invariably insulated.
    - Economic insulation is based on minimum heat loss from pipe.
       Of these statements
      - (a) 1 and 3 are correct
- (b) 2 and 4 are correct
- (c) 1 and 2 are correct
- (d) 3 and 4 are correct
- (vi) Heat is mainly transferred by conduction convection and radiation in
  - (a) Insulated pipes carrying hot water (b) Refrigerator freezer coil
  - (c) Boiler furnaces (d) Condensation of steam in condenser
- (vii) Which of the following temperature measuring device will have least accuracy?
  - (a) Clinical thermometer
- (b) Alcohol filled thermometer
- (c) Optical pyrometer
- (d) Nitrogen filled thermometer
- (viii) In free convection heat transfer transition from laminar to turbulent flow is governed by the critical value of the
  - (a) Reynold's number (b) Grashoff's number (c) Reynolds number, Grashoffs number (d) Grashoffs number, Prandtl number
- (ix) Thermal boundary layer is a region where
  - (a) Inertia terms are of the same order of magnitude as convection terms
  - (b) Convection terms are of the same order of magnitude as dissipation terms [P.T.O.]

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- (c) Convection terms arc of the same order of magnitude as conduction terms
- (d) Dissipation is negligible
- (x) A thin plate 2mx2m is hanging free in air. The temperature of the surrounding is 25deg. °C, Solar radiation is falling on one side of three plate at the rate of 500 W/m². The temperature of the plate will remain constant at 300deg. °C, if the convective heat transfer coefficient (in W.m² deg. °C) is (a) 25 (b) 50 (c) 100 (d) 200
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  - (c) Convection terms are of the same order of magnitude as conduction terms
  - (d) Dissipation is negligible.
- (xii) The wavelength of the radiation emitted by a body depends upon
  - (a) Nature of its surface (b) Area of its surface (c) The temperature of its surface (d) all of the above.
- (xiii) Which surface will have least emissivity?
  - (a) smooth glass (b) plaster (c) aluminum foil (d) concrete
- (xiv) Temperature of the sun can be measured with a
  - (a) Mercury thermometer (b) standard thermometer (c) radiation pyrometer (d) none of these
- (xv) In a heat exchanger with one fluid evaporating or condensing the surface area required is least in (a) Parallel flow (b) counter flow (c) cross flow
   (d) same in all above
- (xvi) For evaporators and condensers, for the given conditions, the logarithmic mean temperature difference (LMTD) for parallel flow is
  - (a) Equal to that of counter flow (b) Greater than that for counterflow (c) Smaller than that for counterflow (d) Very much smaller than that for counterflow
- (xvii) For a current wire of 20mm diameter exposed to air (h= 20 W/m² K.) maximum heat dissipation occurs when thickness of insulation (k=0.5 W/mK) is
  - (a) 20mm (b) 25mm (c) 40mm (d) 10mm
- (xviii) For a given heat flow and for the same thickness the temperature drop across the material will be maximum for
  - (a) Copper (b) steel (c) glass wool (d) refractory brick
- (xix) Heat is transferred from an electric bulb by
  - (a) Conduction (b) convection (c) radiation (d) all of these
- (xx) The ratio of energy transferred by convection to that by conduction is called
  - (a) Stanton number (b) Nusselt number (c) Biot number (d) preclet number (1×20=20)