



T.E. (Mechanical) (Semester – I) Examination, 2011
HEAT TRANSFER
(2008 Pattern) (New)

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 100

SECTION – I



1. a) Write a short note on :

- i) Variable thermal conductivity
- ii) Isotropic and anisotropic material
- iii) Insulating materials.

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b) A surface having an area of 1.5 m^2 and maintained at 300°C exchanges heat by radiation with another surface at 40°C . The value of factor due to the geometric location and emissivity is 0.52. Determine :

- i) Heat lost by radiation
- ii) The value of thermal resistance, and
- iii) The value of equivalent convection coefficient.

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OR

2. a) Write three dimensional heat conduction equations in cylindrical and spherical coordinates and reduce it to one dimensional form.

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b) The variation of thermal conductivity of a wall material is given by $k = k_0 (1 + \alpha t + \beta t^2)$.

If the thickness of the wall is L and its two surfaces are maintained at temperature T_1 and T_2 , find an expression for the steady state one-dimensional heat flow through the wall.

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3. a) Derive an expression for temperature distribution in plane wall under steady state, state heat conduction with heat generation for asymmetrical boundary condition.

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b) Heat is conducted through a tapered circular rod of 200 mm length. The ends A and B having diameters 50 mm and 25 mm are maintained at 27°C and 227°C respectively. $k(\text{rod material}) = 40 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}$. Find :

- i) Heat conducted through the rod
- ii) The temperature at the mid-point of the rod. Assume one dimensional steady state conduction.

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4. a) Derive an expression for critical radius of insulation for sphere. 6
- b) A plane wall is 1 m thick and it has one surface ($x = 0$) insulated while the other surface ($x = L$) is maintained at a constant temperature of 350°C . The thermal conductivity of the wall is 25 W/m K and a uniform heat generation per unit volume of 500 W/m^3 exists throughout the wall. Determine the maximum temperature in the wall and the location of the plane where it occurs. 10
5. a) Derive an expression for instantaneous heat flow rate and total heat transfer under unsteady state heat conduction. 10
- b) A heating unit is made in the form of a vertical tube fitted with rectangular section steel fins. The tube height is 1.2 m and its outer diameter is 60 mm. The fins are 50 mm in height and their thickness is 3 mm. The total number of fins used is 20. The temperature of the base of the fin is 80°C and surrounding temperature is 18°C . The HTC on the fin surface and tube surface to the surrounding air is $9.3 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. $K(\text{fin material}) = 55.7 \text{ W/m}^{\circ}\text{C}$. Calculate the rate of heat transfer from the tube with and w/o fin. 8

OR

6. a) Derive the formula for rate of heat transfer, efficiency and effectiveness for a short fin. 10
- b) An egg with mean diameter of 40 mm and initially at 20°C is placed in a boiling water pan for 4 minutes and found to be boiled to the consumer's taste. For how long should a similar egg for same consumer be boiled when taken from a refrigerator at 5°C . Take the following properties for egg :
 $k = 10 \text{ W/mK}$, $\rho = 1200 \text{ kg/m}^3$, $c = 2 \text{ kJ/kgK}$ and $h = 100 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Use lump theory. 8

