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HEAT TRANSFER

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

- Note:** i) Question paper consists of Part A, Part B.  
ii) Part A is compulsory, which carries 25 marks. In Part A, Answer all questions.  
iii) In Part B, Answer any one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b as sub questions.

**PART – A**

**(25 Marks)**

- 1.a) What are the applications of heat transfer? [2]
- b) What do you understand by initial and boundary conditions? [3]
- c) What is meant by Lumped heat analysis? Explain with the help of an example. [2]
- d) Define Fin efficiency and fin effectiveness. [3]
- e) State Buckingham  $\pi$ - theorem. [2]
- f) What are the advantages and limitations of dimensional analysis? [3]
- g) What is fouling factor? Explain. [2]
- h) Define Grashoff Number and Stanton Number. [3]
- i) What is condensation? How does it occur? [2]
- j) Write the use and importance of Plank's Law. [3]

**PART – B**

**(50 Marks)**

- 2.a) With relevant examples, explain mechanism of conduction, convection and radiation.
- b) Explain clearly basic laws of heat transfer. [5+5]

**OR**

- 3.a) A Stainless steel plate is of 2 cm thick is maintained at a temperature of  $550^{\circ}\text{C}$  at one face and  $50^{\circ}\text{C}$  on the other. The thermal conductivity of stainless steel at  $300^{\circ}\text{C}$  is  $19.1\text{ W/m K}$ . Calculate the heat transferred through the material per unit area.
- b) In what way is the science of heat transfer different from thermodynamics? Explain. [5+5]

- 4.a) Explain why the conductivity of metals decreases and conductivity of insulating material increases with increases in temperature.
- b) A metallic plate, 3cm thick is maintained at  $400^{\circ}\text{C}$  on one side and  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  on the other side. How much heat is transferred through the plate? Take k for the metallic plate as  $k=370\text{ W/m-K}$ . [5+5]

**OR**

- 5.a) Discuss briefly thermal and hydrodynamic boundary layer and obtain Reynold's analogy in forced convection.
- b) A plate 20 cm height and 1m wide is placed in air at  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ . If the surface of the plate is maintained at  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$  calculate the boundary layer thickness and local heat transfer coefficient at 10cm from the leading edge. Also calculate the average heat transfer coefficient over the entire length of the plate. [5+5]

- 6.a) Describe Buckingham's method of  $\pi$ -terms to formulate a dimensionally homogenous equation.
- b) A flat plate 1m wide and 1.5 m long is to be maintained at  $90^{\circ}\text{C}$  in air when free stream temperature is  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Determine the velocity at which air must flow over the plate so that the rate of energy dissipation from the plate is 3.75 kW. [5+5]

**OR**

7. Air at  $27^{\circ}\text{C}$  and 1 atm flows over a flat plate at a speed of 2m/s. Calculate the boundary layer thickness at a distance of 20 and 40 cm from the leading edge of the plate. Calculate the mass flow which enters the boundary layer between  $x=20$  cms and  $x=40$  cms. The viscosity of the air is at  $27^{\circ}\text{C}$  is  $1.85 \times 10^{-5}$  kg/m s. Assume the unit depth in the z- direction. [10]

- 8.a) A flat electrical heater of  $0.4\text{ m} \times 0.4\text{ m}$  size is placed vertically in still air at  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The heat generated is  $1200\text{ W/m}^2$ . Determine the value of convective heat transfer co-efficient and the average plate temperature.
- b) Explain Grashoff number significance in natural convective heat transfer. [5+5]

**OR**

9. A Counter flow heat exchanger consisting of two concentric flow passages is used for heating 1200 kg/hr of oil (specific heat= $2.1\text{ kJ/kgK}$ ) from an initial temperature of  $27^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The oil is flowing through the inner pipe and the convective heat transfer coefficient on the oil side is  $750\text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ . The inner and outer radii of the inner pipe are 12 mm and 15 mm and the thermal conductivity of the pipe materials is  $350\text{ W/mK}$ . The oil is heated by hot water supplied at the rate of 400 kg/hr at the inlet temperature of  $92^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The waterside heat transfer coefficient is  $1470\text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ . The length of the heat exchanger is 9 m. What are the terminal temperatures of the two fluids? [10]

10. A drying plant needs hot air at  $135^{\circ}\text{C}$ . This is obtained by passing 2.45 kg/Sec of atmospheric air at 1 bar pressure and  $27^{\circ}\text{C}$  over tubes through which hot glycerin is circulated. The tubes have 20mm diameter, 1.5mm thickness, with a thermal conductivity of the material of the tube  $50\text{ W/m-K}$ . The hot glycerin enters at  $210^{\circ}\text{C}$  and leaves at  $305^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Assuming counter flow, Find:
- a) Overall heat transfer coefficient
- b) Total heating surface. [5+5]

**OR**

- 11.a) i) Distinguish between a black body and grey body.  
ii) Prove that intensity of radiation is given by  $I_b = E_b/\pi$ .
- b) State and explain Kirchoff's identity. What are the conditions under which it is applicable? [5+5]

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