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Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2023 **Heat Transfer**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

a. State the laws governing three basic modes of heat transfer.

(06 Marks)

b. Derive the general three-dimensional conduction equation in Cartesian coordinates and state the assumptions made. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Derive an expression for the temperature distribution through the plane wall with uniform thermal conductivity. (06 Marks)
 - b. A metal [K = 45 W/m°C] steam pipe of 5 cm inside diameter and 6.5 cm outside diameter is lagged with 2.75 cm thickness of high temperature high insulation having thermal conductivity 1.1 W/m°C. convective heat transfer coefficients on the inside and outside surfaces are 4650 W/m²K and 11.5 W/m²K respectively. If the steam temperature is 200°c and the ambient temperature is 25°C. Calculate:
 - i) Heat loss per metre length of pipe
 - ii) Temperature at the interfaces
 - iii) Overall heat transfer coefficient to inside and outside surfaces.

(10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Derive an expression for the temperature distribution and heat flow for a pinfin, when the tip of the fin is insulated. (08 Marks)
 - b. A thin rod of copper $K = 100 \text{ W/m}^{\circ}\text{C}$, 12.5 mm in diameter spans between two parallel plates 150 mm apart. Air flows over the rod providing a heat transfer co-efficient of $50 \text{ W/m}^{2}{}^{\circ}\text{C}$. The surface temperature of the plate exceeds the air by 40°C. Determine (i) The excess temperature at the centre of the rod over that of air and (ii) Heat lost from the rod in watts.

OR

4 a. Show that the temperature distribution under lumped analysis is given by,

$$\frac{T - T_{\infty}}{T_{i} - T_{\infty}} = e^{-BiFo}$$

Where T_i = Initial temperature

 $T_{\infty} =$ Ambient temperature

(08 Marks)

- b. A 15mm diameter mild steel sphere ($K = 42W/m^{\circ}C$) is exposed to coding air flow at 20°C resulting in the convective co-efficient $h = 120W/m^{2}$ °C. Determine the following:
 - i) Time required to cool the sphere from 550°C to 90°C.
 - ii) Instantaneous heat transfer rate for 2 mins after start of cooling.
 - iii) Total energy transferred from the sphere during first 2 mins.

Take for mild steel $S = 7850 \text{kg/m}^3$, $C_p = 475 \text{J/kg}^\circ\text{C}$, $\alpha = 0.045 \text{m}^2/\text{hr}$.

(08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Explain formulation of differential equation 1-D steady heat conduction. (06 Marks)
 - b. Explain different solution method used in numerical analysis of heat conduction. (06 Marks)
 - c. Explain applications and computation error of numerical analysis heat conduction. (04 Marks)

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- 6 a. Define (i) Blackbody (ii) Planks law (iii) Wein displacement law (iv) Lamberts law.
 (06 Marks
 - b. Prove that emissive power of the black body in hemispherical enclosures in π terms of intensity of radiation. (06 Marks)
 - c. The temperature of black surface of 0.2 m² area is 540°C, calculate (i) the total rate of energy emission (ii) the intensity of normal radiation (iii) the wavelength of maximum monochromatic emission power. (04 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Explain the physical significance of:
 (i) Prandtl number
 (ii) Reynolds number
 (iii) Nusselt number
 (06 Marks
 - b. Air at 1 atm pressure and temperature 25°C flowing with a velocity 50 m/s crosses an industrial heater made of long solid rod of diameter 20 mm. The surface temperature of the heater is 457°C. Determine the allowable electrical power density (W/m³) within the heater per meter length. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. A circular plate of 25 cm diameter with both surfaces maintained at a uniform temperature of 100°C is suspended horizontally in atmospheric air at 20°C. Determine the heat transfer from the plate. (10 Marks)
 - b. Obtain the fundamental relationship between Nusselt, Prandtle and Reynolds number using Buckingham's π theorem for forced convection heat transfer. (06 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. With assumptions, determine LMTD for counter flow heat exchanger. (08 Marks)
 - b. A parallel flow heat exchanger uses 1500 kg/hr of cold water entering at 25°C to cool 600 kg/hr of hot water entering at 70°C. The exit temperature on the hot side is required to be 50°C. Neglecting the effects of fouling make calculations for the area of heat exchanger. It may be assumed that the individual heat transform co-efficient on both sides are 1600 W/m²K. Use LMTD and NTU approaches.

OR

- 10 a. With a neat sketch, explain the different regimes of pool boiling. (08 Marks)
 - b. A vertical square plate 300m × 300m is exposed to steam at atmospheric pressure. The plate temperature is 98°C. Calculate the heat transfer and the mass of steam condensed per hour.

 (08 Marks)

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