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Notions of Transport Phenomena Final Exam

Closed Notes, Show All Work

Exercise 01 (08 Marks): "About heat transfer"

Heat is **conducted** through a metal with a temperature gradient of – 9000 °C/m. The thermal conductivity of the material is 25 W/m.K.

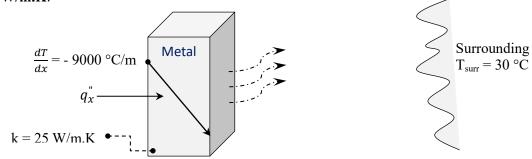


Figure 01 – heat transfer phenomena.

- **1-** How many main ways can heat be transferred? What are they?
- **2-** What is the **law** that governs heat conduction through this metal?
- **3-** Give **its** equation.
- **4-** What do you think about the **effect** of temperature on the thermal conductivity of metals?

<u>Part 01</u>: If this heat is **convected** to surrounding at $(T_{surr} = 30 \, ^{\circ}C)$ with a convection coefficient of $(h = 345 \, units)$.

- 5- Give the **equation** governing the convection heat transfer to the surrounding.
- **6-** What is the **unit** of the convection heat transfer coefficient (**h**)?
- 7- Determine the surface temperature (T_s) .

<u>Part 02</u>: If the heat is radiated to the surrounding at $(T_{surr} = 30 \text{ °C})$. Convection is neglected.

8- Determine the surface temperature (T_s) .

Exercise 02 (07 Marks): "About mass transfer"

Based on Figure 02 below, the diagram illustrates the molecular diffusion of spice (A) through medium (B),

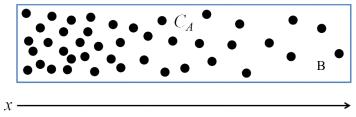


Figure 02 – Molecular diffusion of spice (A) through medium (B).

Where,

A: Ethanol **B:** water

 D_{AB} (T = 298K): 1.2x10⁻⁹ m²/s (diffusion coefficient of "A" through "B").

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Questions:

- 1- What quantity of a gradient causes molecular diffusion?
- 2- Give the fundamental **equation** of molecular diffusion. How is it referred to?
- **3-** For pure diffusion (no convection, no reactions, constant properties):
 - Draw the **concentration profile** of spices (A) as a function of (x).
- **4-** In Fick's law, why is a negative sign used?
- 5- If we change the spices (A) and (B) by two gases:
 - Will the new rate of diffusional mass transfer **increase** or **decrease**?
- **6-** There is two main types of mass transfer, the first one is molecular diffusion:
 - Which **other type of mass transfer** is not mentioned in this exercise?

Exercise 03 (05 Marks): "About momentum transfer"

The tank shown in **figure 03** is half filled water.



- 1- Calculate the pressure difference between points A and B.
- 2- Calculate the pressure difference between points **B** and **C**.
- 3- Compare these results.

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