

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE- SEMESTER-VII (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2024

Subject Code:3170102

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Subject Name: Theory of Heat Transfer

Time:10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.
5. Tables for properties of air and water are permitted.

- Q.1** (a) Define heat transfer and explain different modes of heat transfer in brief. **03**
- (b) Write eight day to day life applications of fins. **04**
- (c) Derive equations of temperature distribution and heat dissipation for infinite fin. **07**

- Q.2** (a) What do you understand by thermal insulation? Explain required properties of insulating materials. **03**
- (b) Define unsteady state conduction heat transfer? Write suitable examples of transient heat conduction? **04**
- (c) A plane brick wall 25 cm thick, is faced with 15 cm thick concrete layer. If the temperature of exposed brick face is 70°C and that of the concrete is 25°C , find out heat lost per hour through a wall of 15 m x 10 m. Also, determine the interface temperature. Thermal conductivity of brick and concrete are 0.7 W/mK and 0.95 W/mK respectively. **07**

OR

- (c) A copper rod 0.5 cm diameter and 50 cm long protrudes from a wall maintained at a temperature of 500°C . The surrounding temperature is 30°C . Convective heat transfer coefficient is $40 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ and thermal conductivity of material is 300 W/mK . Determine: **07**
- (1) Total heat transfer rate from rod
- (2) Temperature of the rod at 20 cm from wall.
- Q.3** (a) Define thermal diffusivity? Also provide significance of thermal diffusivity? **03**
- (b) Write a short note on lumped system analysis? Also provide suitable assumptions? **04**
- (c) Explain the significance of the following terms: **07**
- (1) Prandtl Number (2) Nusselt Number (3) Grashoff Number (4) Reynolds Numbers.

OR

- Q.3** (a) Differentiate between free and forced convection. **03**
- (b) What is thermal and hydrodynamics boundary layers with neat diagram. **04**

- (c) Derive the momentum equation for hydrodynamic boundary in differential form with neat sketch. Write equation for stretching factor? State its significance for solving momentum equation. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Compare parallel flow and counter flow heat exchanger. **03**
- (b) Write the advantages of the effectiveness-NTU method over the LMTD method. **04**
- (c) Differentiate between Film and drop-wise condensation. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) State & explain Lambert's cosine law. **03**
- (b) Explain Effectiveness and NTU with reference to the heat exchanger. **04**
- (c) Prove that the effectiveness of parallel flow heat exchanger is given by **07**
- $$\varepsilon = \frac{1 - \exp[-NTU(1+C)]}{1+C}$$
- Q.5** (a) What do you understand by absorptivity? How can it be improved for an opaque body? **03**
- (b) Making use of Plank's law of distribution, establish the relation for Wien's displacement law. **04**
- (c) Derive the Stefan-Boltzmann law from the Plank's law of thermal radiation. What is the value of Stefan-Boltzmann constant? **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) Explain fouling factor in heat exchanger. **03**
- (b) Define a black body. Give examples of some surfaces which don't appear black but have high value of absorptivity. **04**
- (c) Explain boiling curve which shows all the boiling regimes in details. **07**
