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Problem set #3

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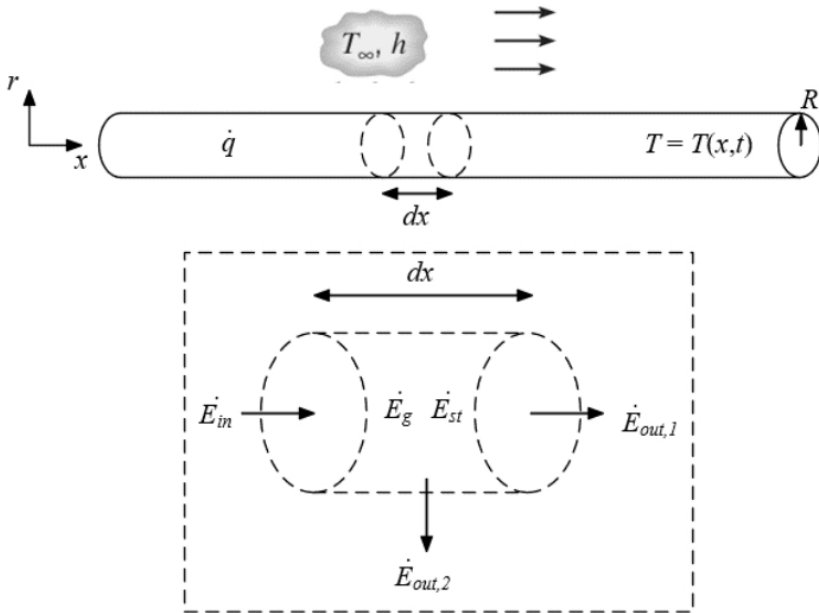
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(used the "Fundamentals of Heat & Mass
Transfer" textbook for equations)

#1

Known: Radius R , heat gen \dot{q} , T_∞ , h

- Find:
- (a) Consider a differential cylinder with a height of dx as the control volume. The figure above shows an energy balance diagram within the control volume. Please write down the energy balance equation for this control volume. Please then express each energy term in the energy balance equation as a function of T by choosing proper rate equations.
 - (b) Derive the governing differential equation that describes the temperature profile of the rod and simplify it as much as possible.
 - (c) This rod has a length of L . One end of the rod is located at $x=0$ and maintained at a constant temperature of T_i . The other end of the rod is located at $x=L$ and exposed to the air flow with temperature of T_∞ and heat transfer coefficient h . At $t=0$ s, the rod has a uniform initial temperature of T_i . Please write proper boundary conditions and initial conditions for the governing differential equation.

Schematic:



Assumptions:

$$T = T(x, t)$$

k, ρ, c_p constant

radiation neglected

Analysis: (a) $\dot{E}_{in} - \dot{E}_{out,1} - \dot{E}_{out,2} + \dot{E}_g = \dot{E}_{st}$

$$\dot{E}_{in} = A q'' = -\pi R^2 k \frac{dT(x)}{dx}$$

$$\dot{E}_{out,1} = -\pi R^2 k \frac{dT(x+dx)}{dx}$$

$$\dot{E}_{out,2} = (2\pi R \cdot dx) h (T(x) - T_\infty)$$

$$\dot{E}_g = \dot{q} \cdot \pi R^2 dx$$

$$\dot{E}_{st} = m c_p \frac{dT}{dt} \cdot \pi R^2 dx$$

$$m c_p \frac{dT(x)}{dt} \cdot \pi R^2 dx = (-\pi R^2 k) \left[\frac{dT(x)}{dx} - \frac{dT(x+dx)}{dx} \right] - (2\pi R h \cdot dx) (T(x) - T_\infty) + \dot{q} \cdot \pi R^2 dx$$

(b) $m c_p \left(\frac{dT(x)}{dt} \right) \pi R^2 dx = (\pi R^2 k) dx \left(\frac{d^2 T(x)}{dx^2} \right) - 2\pi R h \cdot dx (T(x) - T_\infty) + \dot{q} \cdot \pi R^2 dx$

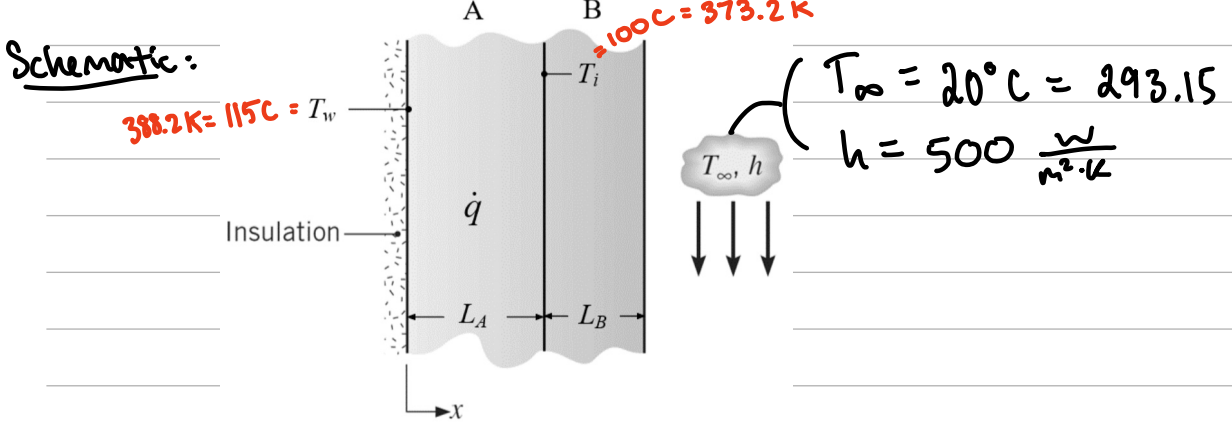
$$m \cdot c_p \cdot R \left(\frac{dT(x)}{dt} \right) = R \cdot k \left(\frac{d^2 T(x)}{dx^2} \right) - 2h (T(x) - T_\infty) + \dot{q}$$

(c) $T(0, t) = T_i$ $T(x, 0) = T_i$

$$\left. \frac{dT}{dx} \right|_{x=L} = \frac{h}{k} (T(L, t) - T_\infty)$$

#2 Known: Wall A: $L_A = .3 \text{ m}$, \dot{q} , k_A insulated on the left side
 Wall B: $L_B = .1 \text{ m}$, $k_B = \frac{30 \text{ W}}{\text{m} \cdot \text{K}}$

- Find:
- (a) Right surface temp of wall B, T_s
 - (b) \dot{q} @ steady state
 - (c) k_A of wall A
 - (d) Plot $T(x)$ over both walls & show important features



Assumptions: No radiation, can treat as 1D

Analysis: (a) @ end of wall B: $\dot{q}_{\text{cond}} \rightarrow \left| \rightarrow \dot{q}_{\text{conv}} \right. \left. \right\} \dot{q}_{\text{cond}} - \dot{q}_{\text{conv}} = 0$

$$A \cdot k \frac{\Delta T}{L_B} - Ah(T_s - T_\infty) = A \left[30 \cdot \frac{(373.15 - T_B)}{.1} - 500(T_B - 293.15) \right] = 0$$

$$300(373.15 - T_B) - 500(T_B - 293.15) = 0$$

solve with TI84 graphing: $T_B = 323.15$

(b) Analyzing between A & B: $\dot{q}_{\text{in}} \rightarrow \left| \rightarrow \dot{q}_{\text{out}} \right. \left. \right\} \dot{q}_{\text{in}} - \dot{q}_{\text{out}} = 0$

$$\dot{q}_{\text{in}} = \dot{q} \cdot \frac{A \cdot L}{A} \quad \dot{q}_{\text{out}} = 30 \frac{(373.15 - 323.15)}{.1}$$

$$\dot{q} \cdot L - 300(373.15 - 323.15) = 0$$

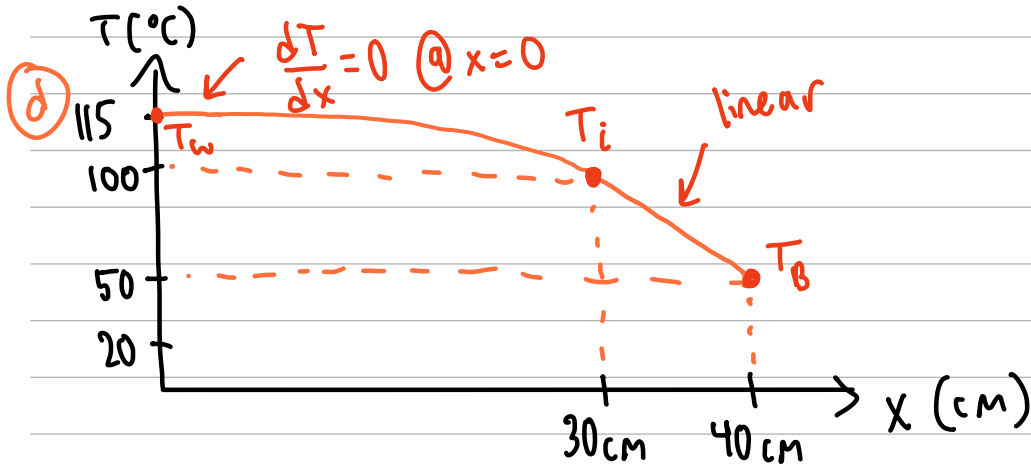
$$\dot{q} = 300(373.15 - 323.15) \cdot \frac{1}{.3} = 50000 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^3}$$

(c) $\frac{d^2 T}{dx^2} = \frac{-\dot{q}}{k_A} \rightarrow \frac{dT}{dx} = \frac{-\dot{q}}{k_A} x + C \rightarrow @ x=0, \frac{dT}{dx} = 0$ (insulated)

so $\frac{dT}{dx} = \frac{-\dot{q}}{k_A} x \rightarrow T(x) = \frac{-\dot{q} x^2}{2k_A} + C \rightarrow T(0) = 388.2 \rightarrow C = 388.2$

$$T(x) = -\frac{\dot{q}x^2}{2k_A} + 388.2 \rightarrow T(L_A) = 373.2 = \frac{(-50000)(.3)^2}{2 \cdot k_A} + 388.2$$

Solve to get $k_A = 150$



#3 known: $k_b = 25 \frac{W}{m \cdot K}$ $k_{TBC} = 1 \frac{W}{m \cdot K}$ $R_{BA}'' = 10^{-4} \frac{m^2 \cdot K}{W}$

$T_{\infty, o} = 1616 K$ $T_{\infty, i} = 400 K$ $h_o = 1000$ $h_i = 500$

$L_b = .005 m$ $T_{max} = 1200 K$

Find: (a) if TBC not applied \rightarrow draw thermal resistance network & label thermal resistances

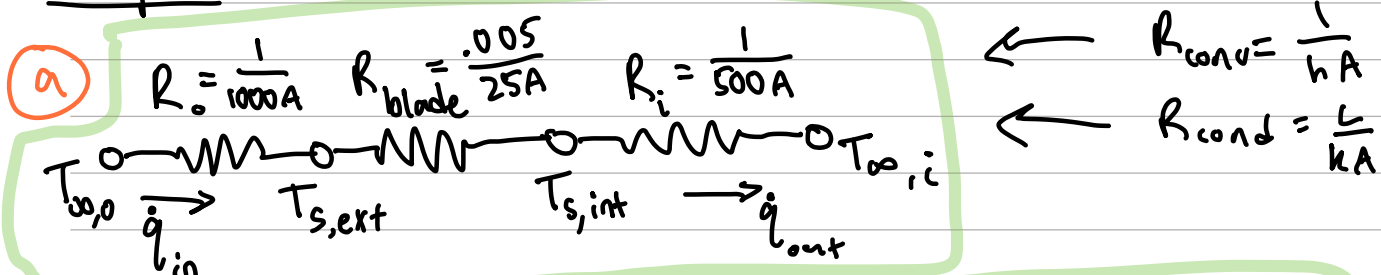
\rightarrow find $T_{s, ext}$, is it $< T_{max}$

(b) if TBC applied $L_{TBC} = .5 mm \rightarrow$ draw thermal resistance network & label thermal resistances

\rightarrow find $T_{s, ext}$, is it $< T_{max}$

Assumptions: no radiation, 1D, Bonding negl. thickness

Analysis:



$$R_{total} = \frac{1}{1000A} + \frac{0.005}{25A} + \frac{1}{500A} \rightarrow R_{tot}'' = 0.0032$$

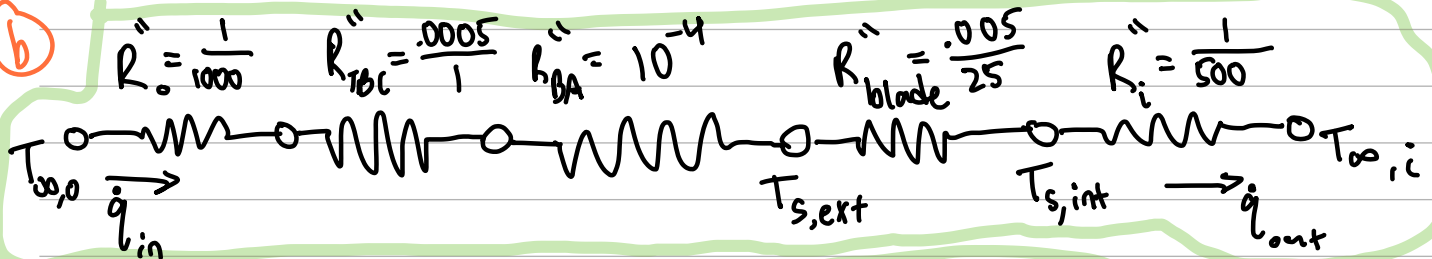
$$R''_{\text{tot}} \equiv \frac{\Delta T_{\text{tot}}}{\dot{q}''} = 0.0032 = \frac{1216}{\dot{q}''} \rightarrow \dot{q}'' = 380000$$

since it's in series all \dot{q}'' are equal $\rightarrow R''_o = \frac{1}{1000} = \frac{(T_{\infty,o} - T_{s,\text{ext}})}{\dot{q}''}$

$$\frac{1}{1000} = \frac{(1616 - T_{s,\text{ext}})}{380000} \rightarrow T_{s,\text{ext}} = 1236 \text{ K}$$

This IS more than $T_{\text{max}} = 1200 \text{ K}$

b



$$R''_{\text{tot}} = \frac{1}{1000} + 0.0005 + 10^{-4} + \frac{0.005}{25} + \frac{1}{500} = 0.0038$$

$$R''_{\text{tot}} \equiv \frac{\Delta T_{\text{tot}}}{\dot{q}''} = 0.0038 = \frac{1216}{\dot{q}''} \rightarrow \dot{q}'' = 320000$$

$$R''_o + R''_{\text{TBC}} + R''_{\text{BA}} = \frac{1}{1000} + 0.0005 + 10^{-4} = \frac{(T_{\infty,o} - T_{s,\text{ext}})}{\dot{q}''}$$

$$0.0016 = \frac{(1616 - T_{s,\text{ext}})}{320000} \rightarrow T_{s,\text{ext}} = 1104 \text{ K}$$

This is LESS than $T_{\text{max}} = 1200 \text{ K}$