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**B. E. (Sixth Semester) Examination, 2020-
APR - MAY 2022
(New Scheme)**

(Mech. and Automobile Engg. Branch)

HEAT & MASS TRANSFER

Time Allowed : Three hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Minimum Pass Marks : 28

***Note : Part (a) is compulsory from each question. Part
(b), (c) and (d) from any two from each questions.***

Unit - I

1. (a) Distinguish between steady and unsteady state heat transfer.

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(b) Derive an expression for three dimensional time

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dependent heat conduction with internal heat generation and constant thermal conductivity in cartesian coordinate system. Reduce it as. 7

- (i) Poisson equation
 - (ii) Fourier equation
 - (iii) Laplace equation
- (c) An exterior wall of house may be approximated by 10 cm layer of common brick ($k = 0.75$ W/m-deg) followed by 4 cm layer of gypsum plaster ($k = 0.5$ W/m-deg). What thickness of loosely packed rock wool insulation ($k = 0.065$ W/m-deg) should be added to reduced the heat loss or gain through the wall by 75%? 7
- (d) A furnace wall comprises three layers : 13.5 cm thick inside layer of fire brick, 7.5 cm thick middle layer of insulating brick and 11.5 cm thick outside layer of red brick. The furnace operates at 870°C and it is anticipated that the outside of this composite wall can be maintained at 40°C by the circulation of air. Assuming close bonding of layers at their interfaces, find the rate of heat loss from the furnace and the wall interface temperature. The wall measures $5\text{ m} \times 2\text{ m}$ and the data on thermal conductivities is :

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Fire brick $k_1 = 1.2$ W/m-deg,

Insulating brick $k_2 = 0.14$ W/m-deg,

Red brick $k_3 = 0.85$ W/m-deg 7

Unit - II

2. (a) How does a fin enhance heat transfer at a surface? 2
- (b) A steel fin ($k = 54$ W/mK) with a cross section of an equilateral triangle, 5 mm in side and 80 mm long. It is attached to a plane wall maintained at 400°C . The ambient air temperature is 50°C and convective heat transfer coefficient at surface is 90 W/m²K. Calculate the heat dissipation rate from the rod. 7
- (c) Derive equations of temperature distribution and heat dissipation for Fin insulated at tip. 7
- (d) An egg with mean diameter of 4 cm and initially at 25 degree Celsius is placed in an open boiling water container for 4 minutes and found to be boiled at a particular level. For how long should a similar egg boil at the same level, when refrigerator temperature is 5 degree celsius? Use lumped parameter theory and assume following properties of egg :

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$$k = 12 \text{ W/mK}$$

$$h = 125 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$$

$$c = 2 \text{ kJ/kg K}$$

$$\rho = 1250 \text{ kg/m}^3 \quad 7$$

Unit - III

3. (a) Explain free and forced convection. 2
- (b) Derive an equation for free convection by use of dimensional analysis.

$$Nu = \phi(Re, Pr) \quad 7$$

- (c) A spherical heater of 20 cm diameter and at 60 degree centigrade is immersed in a tank of water at 20 degree centigrade. Determine the value of convective heat transfer coefficient. 7
- (d) During test-run, air flows at 215 m/s velocity and 25 degree celsius temperature past a smooth thin model airfoil which can be idealized as a flat plate. If the chord length of the airfoil is 15 cm, find drag per unit width. The relevant physical properties of air are :

$$\rho = 1.82 \text{ kg./m}^3$$

$$\nu = 15.53 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{s} \quad 7$$

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Unit - IV

4. (a) State Fick's law of Diffusion. 2
- (b) Discuss in detail the various regimes in boiling and explain the condition for the growth of bubbles. What is the effect of bubble size on boiling? 7
- (c) Define the process of mass transfer and list some industrial applications where mass transfer is involved. 7
- (d) Water flows normal to a polished 15 mm diameter copper tube at the rate of 3.5 m/s. The tube is maintained at 116 degree centigrade and film boiling occurs. Workout the boiling heat transfer coefficient. 7

Unit - V

5. (a) Define the term overall heat transfer coefficient. 2
- (b) Derive logarithmic mean temperature difference (LMTD) for counter flow heat exchanger. 7
- (c) An enclosure measure 1.5 m × 1.75 m with a height of 2 m. Under steady state equilibrium conditions, the walls and ceiling are maintained at

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525 K and floor at 400K. Determine the net radiation to floor. 7

ϵ_1 (emissivity of ceiling and walls) = 0.85

ϵ_2 (emissivity of floor) = 0.75

(d) Show that effectiveness $\epsilon = \frac{NTU}{1+NTU}$ for counter flow heat exchanger. 7