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FINAL - MEN310 (Heat Transfer)
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1. An incandescent light bulb is an inexpensive but highly inefficient device that converts electrical energy into light. It converts about 10% of the electrical energy it consumes into light while converting the remaining 90% into heat. The glass bulb of a lamp heats up very quickly as a result of absorbing all that heat and dissipating it to the surroundings by convection and radiation. Consider a 60-W light bulb of 8-cm diameter (approximated by a sphere) in a room at 25°C. Determine the equilibrium temperature of the glass bulb. Assume the interior surface of the room to be at room temperature. The emissivity of the glass is 0.9.

2. A 2-m-inner-diameter double-walled stainless-steel spherical tank (fig.P2) is used to store iced water at 0°C. Each wall is 0.5-cm-thick, and the 1.5-cm-thick air space between the two walls of the tank is evacuated in order to minimize heat transfer. The surfaces surrounding the evacuated space are polished so that each surface has an emissivity of 0.15. The tank is placed in an ambient at 25°C. Assuming that the heat transfer coefficient on the iced water side is very large so that the inner wall temperature is at 0°C, determine the rate of heat transfer to the iced water in the tank. By how much did the evacuation of the air space improve the insulation of the tank?

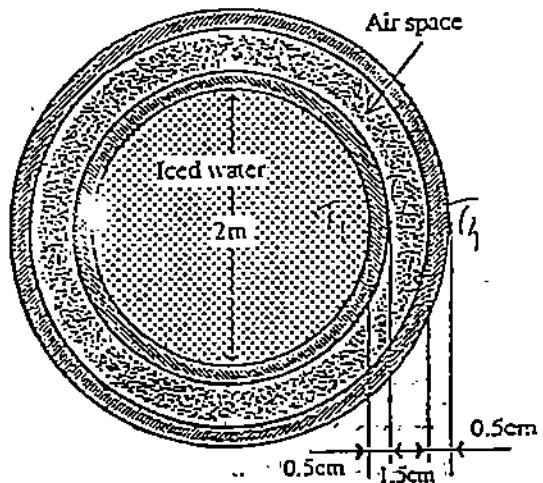


Fig. P2 Spherical Tank.

3. A cross-flow heat exchanger consists of 40 thin walled copper tubes of 1-cm diameter located, as a single row across the flow, in a duct of 1m×1m cross-section. There are no fins attached to the tubes. Cold water enters the tubes at 18°C with an average velocity of 1 m/s, while hot air enters the channel at 130°C and an average velocity of 1 m/s. If the overall heat transfer coefficient is 80 W/m²°C, determine the exit temperatures of both fluids and the rate of heat transfer. What can be said about such a design of heat exchanger and how may the things be improved?

Points: 1 (30%), 2 (50%), and 3 (20%).

P.S. Free convection in a spherical annulus can be described by

$$Nu_s = 0.228 Ra_s^{0.226} \quad \text{for } 10^3 < Ra_s < 10^9$$

where δ is the annulus thickness.



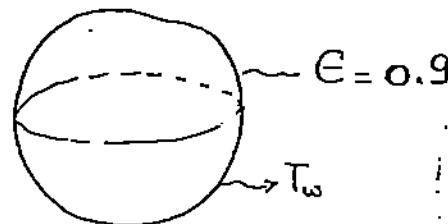
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$$q = 60 \text{ Watt}$$

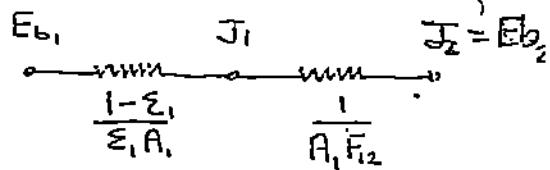
$$d = 8 \text{ cm diameter}$$

$$T_{\infty} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$$



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$$q_{\text{radiation}} = A_1 E_1 \sigma (T_w^4 - T_{\infty}^4)$$



$$q_{\text{convection}} = h A (T_w - T_{\infty})$$

$$q \times 0.9 = q_{\text{rad}} + q_{\text{convection}}$$

$$F_{12} = 1$$

$$\text{for convection} \rightarrow \text{Assuming } T_w = 75^{\circ}\text{C} \rightarrow T_f = \frac{75+25}{2} = 50^{\circ}\text{C} \rightarrow 323\text{K}$$

$$\rightarrow Gr_f = \frac{g \beta (T_w - T_{\infty}) d^3}{\nu^2}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \beta = \frac{1}{323}$$

$$Gr Pr = 1680994.01$$

$$\nu = 18.0222 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{sec}$$

$$\hookrightarrow Nu_f = 2 + 0.5 (Gr Pr)^{1/4}$$

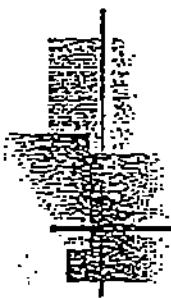
$$Pr = 0.70294$$

$$\hookrightarrow f = \frac{k}{d} \left[2 + 0.5 (Gr Pr)^{1/4} \right] = 6.99714 \text{ W/m}^2\text{C}$$

$$k = 0.0299834 \text{ W/m}^2\text{C}$$

$$60 \times 0.9 = 4\pi (0.08)^2 \times 0.9 \times 5.669 \times 10^{-3} (T_w^4 - 25^4) + 6.99714 \times 4\pi (0.08)^2 (T_w - 25)$$

$$\rightarrow T_w = 119.47^{\circ}\text{C}$$



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Repeating the problem :

$$T_f = \frac{119.47 + 25}{2} = 72.235^\circ = 345.235 \text{ K}$$

$\approx 345 \text{ K.}$

$$\rightarrow \beta = \frac{1}{345}$$

$$\rightarrow \vartheta = 20.253 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\rightarrow P_r = 0.6981$$

$$\rightarrow k = 0.029651$$

$$Gr, Pr = 2338351.365$$

$$\hookrightarrow Nu_f = 2 + 0.5 (Gr, Pr)^{1/4}$$

$$\rightarrow h = 7.8841 \text{ W/m}^2\text{C}$$

$$\rightarrow 60 \times 0.9 = 4\pi (0.03)^2 + \dots \text{ change h}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{T_w = 109.24^\circ C}$$

We could iterate more -----

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Spherical tanks

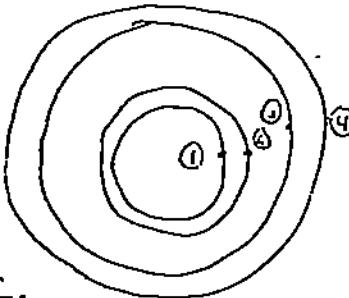
$$\epsilon = 0.15$$

$$T_1 = 0^\circ\text{C}$$

$$k_{\text{steel}} = \approx 19 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m} \cdot \text{C}}$$

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evacuation:



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$$T_\infty = 25^\circ\text{C}$$

$$r_1 = 1 \text{ m.}$$

$$r_2 = 1.005 \text{ m}$$

$$r_3 = 1.02 \text{ m}$$

$$r_4 = 1.025 \text{ m}$$

$$T_1 = 0^\circ\text{C}$$

$$T_2$$

$$T_3$$

$$T_4$$

$$T_5 = 25^\circ\text{C}$$

$$\frac{1}{r_2} - \frac{1}{r_3} = 2.03373 \times 10^{-5}$$

$R_{\text{radiation}}$

$$\frac{1}{r_3} - \frac{1}{r_4} = 2.003 \times 10^{-5} \quad h_A$$

where

$$\frac{G_{2-3}}{D_{2-3}} = \frac{\sigma A_2 (\bar{T}_2^4 - \bar{T}_3^4)}{\frac{1}{\epsilon_2} + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_2} - 1\right) \left(\frac{r_2}{r_3}\right)^2} = \frac{\sigma A_2 (\bar{T}_2 - \bar{T}_3)(\bar{T}_2 + \bar{T}_3)(\bar{T}_2^2 + \bar{T}_3^2)}{\frac{1}{\epsilon_2} + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_2} - 1\right) \left(\frac{r_2}{r_3}\right)^2} = \frac{(\bar{T}_2 - \bar{T}_3)}{R_{\text{rad}}}$$

$$\text{where } R_{\text{rad}} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_2} + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_2} - 1\right) \left(\frac{r_2}{r_3}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sigma A_2 (\bar{T}_2 + \bar{T}_3)(\bar{T}_2^2 + \bar{T}_3^2)} = \frac{7645596.61}{(\bar{T}_2 + \bar{T}_3)(\bar{T}_2^2 + \bar{T}_3^2)}$$

$$\text{Assuming } \bar{T}_4 = 15^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow T_f = \frac{15+25}{2} = 20^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 293\text{K}$$

$$\hookrightarrow D = 15.0768 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{sec.}$$

$$k = 0.0256842$$

$$\rho_r = 0.70996 \rightarrow G_r \rho_r = 8999856228$$

$$\rightarrow N_u = 2 + \frac{0.589 R_{\text{ad}}^{1/4}}{\left[1 + (0.469/P_r)^{9/16}\right]^{9/5}} \rightarrow h = 1.77891229 \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{C}}$$

$$\rightarrow q = \frac{\bar{T}_5 - \bar{T}_4}{R_{45}} \rightarrow q = \frac{10}{R_{45}} \rightarrow \boxed{q = 234.861 \text{ Watts}}$$

$$\rightarrow q_t = \frac{\bar{T}_4 - \bar{T}_3}{R_{34}} \rightarrow \boxed{T_3 = 14.995^\circ\text{C}} \quad \left. \right\} \rightarrow T_3 = 287.995\text{K}$$

$$\rightarrow q_i = \frac{\bar{T}_2 - \bar{T}_1}{R_{12}} \rightarrow \boxed{T_2 = 0.00489^\circ\text{C}} \quad \left. \right\} \rightarrow T_2 = 273.00499\text{K} \rightarrow q = 173.2055 \text{ Watts}$$

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$$q = \text{173.2055}$$

$$\rightarrow q = (T_s - T_4) hA \rightarrow \text{173.2055}$$

$$\hookrightarrow T_4 \approx 14.625^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow T_4 = 18^\circ\text{C}.$$

2nd iteration:

$$T_f = \frac{18+25}{2} = 21.5 \rightarrow 294.5 \text{ K}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \rho = 15.2082 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^4/\text{kg}$$

$$f_k = 0.0258033 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}.$$

$$P_r = 0.70954.$$

$$GrPr = \text{6156326620}$$

$$\hookrightarrow h = 3.25496 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}.$$

$$\hookrightarrow q = \frac{T_s - T_4}{R_{45}} \rightarrow q = 300.8162484 \text{ W/m}^2$$

$$\hookrightarrow T_3 = 14.99^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 290.99 \text{ K}$$

$$\hookrightarrow T_2 = 0.00628^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 273.00628 \text{ K}.$$

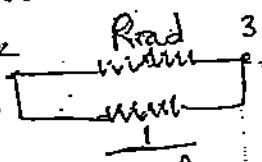
$$\hookrightarrow h_{rad} = 0.085147$$

$$\hookrightarrow q_{2-3} = 211.207911$$

whenever the gap is full of air

the same network resistance is encountered

but another resistance for free convection should be added b/w 2 & 3 in parallel with R_{rad} .



for case (i) \rightarrow when $T_f = 15$ was chosen

$$\rightarrow T_2 = 0.00489 \rightarrow T_3 = 14.995 \rightarrow T_f = \frac{14.995 + 0}{2} \approx 7.5^\circ\text{C} = 280.5 \text{ K}$$

$$\hookrightarrow \rho = 13.9818 \times 10^{-6}; k = 0.0246917, P_r = 0.71346 \rightarrow GrPr = 6450 \therefore$$

$$N_{us} = \frac{hS}{k} = 0.228 R_g^{0.226} \Rightarrow h = 2.725 \text{ W/m}^\circ\text{C}.$$

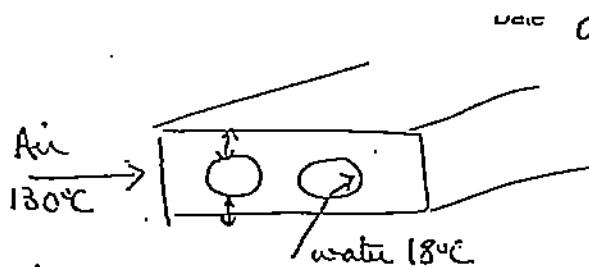
$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{h_{fan}} = R_{fan} = 0.028486$$

$$\hookrightarrow R_{eq} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{R} + \frac{1}{R_{fan}}} = 0.02143 \rightarrow q = \frac{15}{R_{eq}} = \boxed{699.894 \text{ W}}$$

(it has gone down from 699.894 to 173.2055)



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$$m_a C_a \Delta T_a = m_w C_w \Delta T_w$$

Assuming $T_{a_2} = 100^\circ\text{C}$,

$$\rightarrow PVA C_a \Delta T_a = m_w C_w \Delta T_w = \rho_w V A_w \cdot C_w \Delta T_w. \quad (\text{Using app. values})$$

$$\rightarrow \Delta T_w = \frac{0.8826 \times 1 \times 0.99 \times 1014 \times 30}{998 \times 1 \times 40 \times \pi \times 0.005^2 \times 4180} \rightarrow T_{w_2} = 20.028^\circ\text{C}$$

$$m_c \underline{C}_{air} = C_a = 886$$

$$m_c \underline{C}_{water} = C_w = 13105.593 \rightarrow C_{min} = air = 886.$$

$$\rightarrow E = \frac{\Delta T)_{air}}{\Delta T_{max}} = \frac{130 - 100}{130 - 18} = 0.26785$$

Using figure 10-10 → ~~P=0.018~~; ~~R=1~~; ~~F≈1~~ → no factor.

$$\text{Drawing } E = 0.26785 \rightarrow C = \frac{C_{min}}{C_{max}} = 0.0676 \xrightarrow{F=0.15} N = 0.4 \pm NTU_{max}$$

$$\rightarrow NTU_{max} = \frac{AU}{C_{min}} \rightarrow A = 4.43 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\rightarrow q = UA \Delta T_m = m_a C_a \Delta T_a. \quad \text{where } \Delta T_m$$

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$$Q = \frac{UA}{80 \times 4.43} \Delta T_m = mc \Delta T_a = mc \Delta T_b.$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{UA}{80 \times 4.43} \left[\frac{(T_{h_2} - T_{c_2}) - (130 - 18)}{\ln((T_{h_2} - T_{c_2})/(130 - 18))} \right] = C \Delta T_a = 886(130 - T_{h_2}) \\ = 13105(T_{c_2} - 18)$$

where $\rightarrow 886(130 - T_{h_2}) = 13105(T_{c_2} - 18)$

$$\rightarrow T_{c_2} = \frac{886(130 - T_{h_2}) + 13105 \times 18}{13105}$$

Solving \rightarrow

$$\text{where } T_{h_2} - T_{c_2} = \frac{T_{h_2} \times 13105 - 886(130 - T_{h_2}) - 13105 \times 18}{13105} \\ = \frac{13991T_{h_2} - 351070}{13105} \\ = \boxed{1.068T_{h_2} - 26.789}$$

$$\rightarrow 80 \times 4.43 \left[\frac{1.068T_{h_2} - 26.789 - 112}{\ln((1.068T_{h_2} - 26.789)/112)} \right] = 886(130 - T_{h_2})$$

Solving

$$\rightarrow T_{h_2} = 93.53107173^\circ\text{C}$$

$$\hookrightarrow T_{c_2} = 20.465^\circ\text{C}.$$

$$Q = 32311.534 \text{ Wath}$$