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Time: [1 Hour]

[Max.Marks: 30]

(*) Instructions to candidates:

- 1) Answer Q.1 OR Q.2 and Q.3 OR Q.4.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Use of scientific calculator is allowed
- 4) Assume and Use suitable data where ever required

- Q.1) a) A wall is constructed of several layers. The first layer consists of brick ($k = 0.66 \text{ W/m.K}$), 25 cm thick, the second layer 2.5 cm thick mortar ($k = 0.7 \text{ W/m.K}$), the third layer 10 cm thick limestone ($k = 0.66 \text{ W/m.K}$) and outer layer of 1.25 cm thick plaster ($k = 0.7 \text{ W/m.K}$). The heat transfer coefficients on interior and exterior of the wall fluid layers are $5.8 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ and $11.6 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$, respectively. Find : (i) Overall heat transfer coefficient, (ii) Rate of heat transfer per m^2 , if the interior of the room is at 26°C while outer air is at -7°C . [6]
- b) A steam pipe of 5 cm inside diameter and 6.5 cm outside diameter is covered with a 2.75 cm radial thickness of high temperature insulation ($k = 1.1 \text{ W/m.K}$). The surface heat transfer coefficient for inside and outside surfaces are $4650 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ and $11.5 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$, respectively. The thermal conductivity of the pipe material is 45 W/m.K . If the steam temperature is 200°C and ambient air temperature is 25°C , determine : (i) Heat loss per meter length of pipe. (ii) Temperature at the interface. [6]
- c) i) State Fourier's Law of Heat Conduction with its mathematical equation. [4]
ii) Define Thermal Conductivity.

OR

- Q.2) a) An electric cable of 20 mm diameter is insulated with rubber, which is exposed to atmosphere at 30°C . Calculate the most economical thickness of rubber insulation ($k = 0.175 \text{ W/m.K}$). When cable surface temperature with and without insulation is at 70°C . Also calculate the percentage increase in [6]

heat dissipation and current carrying capacity when most economical thickness is provided. Take heat transfer coefficient, $h = 9.3 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$.

- b) A hollow sphere of inside radius 30 mm and outside radius 50 mm is electrically heated at its inner surface at a constant rate of 105 W/m^2 . The outer surface is exposed to a fluid at 30°C , with heat transfer coefficient of $170 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. The thermal conductivity of the material is 20 W/mK . Calculate inner and outer surface temperatures. [6]
- c) Explain i) Thermal Diffusivity, ii) Thermal Contact Resistance [4]

- Q.3) a) A very long 25 mm diameter copper ($k = 380 \text{ W/mK}$) rod extends from a surface at 120°C . The temperature of surrounding air is 25°C and the heat transfer coefficient over the rod is $10 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Calculate:
(i) Heat loss from the rod,
(ii) How long the rod should be in order to be considered infinite? [6]

- b) A Steel rod ($K = 30 \text{ W/mK}$) 1 cm in diameter and 5 cm long protrudes from a wall which is maintained at 100°C . The rod is exposed to an environment with temperature 30°C and $h = 50 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Calculate fin efficiency, temperature of tip fin and rate of heat dissipation from the base of fin. Assume fin with insulated tip. [4]

- c) Derive general differential equation of pin fin. [4]

$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dx^2} - m^2\theta = 0$$

OR

- Q.4) a) A hot surface at 100°C is to be cooled by attaching 3 cm long, 0.25 cm diameter aluminum fins ($k = 237 \text{ W/mK}$) to it, with a center to center distance of 0.6 cm. The temperature of surrounding air is 30°C and heat transfer coefficient on surface is $35 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Calculate the rate of heat transfer from the surface for a $1 \text{ m} \times 1 \text{ m}$ section of the plate. Also determine the overall effectiveness of the fins. [6]

- b) The 4 mm thick fins of Mild Steel are used to transfer heat from water to air. Decide the utility of fin on either side. The heat transfer coefficient of air is $80 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$ while that of water is $5600 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$. Take thermal conductivity of mild steel as 45 W/mK . [4]

- c) Define i) Fin Efficiency,
ii) Fin Effectiveness [4]

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