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Heat Transfer ENME 431
Homework # 7 Chapter 8 Internal Convection

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8.7 Velocity and temperature profiles for laminar flow in a tube of radius $r_o = 10$ mm have the form

$$u(r) = 0.1[1 - (r/r_o)^2]$$
$$T(r) = 344.8 + 75.0(r/r_o)^2 - 18.8(r/r_o)^4$$

with units of m/s and K, respectively. Determine the corresponding value of the mean (or bulk) temperature, T_m , at this axial position.

8.26 Engine oil flows through a 25-mm-diameter tube at a rate of 0.5 kg/s. The oil enters the tube at a temperature of 25°C, while the tube surface temperature is maintained at 100°C.

(a) Determine the oil outlet temperature for a 5-m and for a 100-m long tube. For each case, compare the log mean temperature difference to the arithmetic mean temperature difference.

8.35 Water flowing at 2 kg/s through a 40-mm-diameter tube is to be heated from 25 to 75°C by maintaining the tube surface temperature at 100°C. (a) What is the required tube length for these conditions? (b) To design a water heating system, we wish to consider using tube diameters in the range from 30 to 50 mm. What are the required tube lengths for water flow rates of 1, 2, and 3 kg/s? Represent this design information graphically.

8.41 Water flows through a thick-walled tube with an inner diameter of 12 mm and a length of 8 m. The tube is immersed in a well-stirred, hot reaction tank maintained at 85°C, and the conduction resistance of the tube wall (based on the inner surface area) is $R_{cd} = 0.002 \text{ m}^2 \cdot \text{K/W}$. The inlet temperature of the process fluid is $T_{m,i} = 20^\circ\text{C}$, and the flow rate is 33 kg/h.

(a) Estimate the outlet temperature of the process fluid, $T_{m,o}$. Assume, and then justify, fully developed flow and thermal conditions within the tube.

(b) Do you expect $T_{m,o}$ to increase or decrease if combined thermal and hydrodynamic entry conditions exist within the tube? Estimate the outlet temperature of the water for this condition.

8.80 Air at 3×10^{-4} kg/s and 27°C enters a rectangular duct that is 1 m long and 4 mm x 16 mm on a side. A uniform heat flux of 600 W/m^2 is imposed on the duct surface. What is the temperature of the air and of the duct surface at the outlet?

8.97 Consider a concentric tube annulus for which the inner and outer diameters are 25 and 50 mm. Water enters the annular region at 0.04 kg/s and 25°C. If the inner tube wall is heated electrically at a rate (per unit length) of $q' = 4000 \text{ W/m}$, while the outer tube wall is insulated, how long must the tubes be for the water to achieve an outlet temperature of 85°C? What is the inner tube surface temperature at the outlet, where fully developed conditions may be assumed?