

14A.1 Average heat transfer coefficients.

The total heat transfer rate is:

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= w\hat{C}_p(T_{b2} - T_{b1}) \\ &= (10,000 \text{ lb}_m/\text{hr})(0.6 \text{ Btu}/\text{lb}_m\cdot\text{F})(200 - 100 \text{ F}) \\ &= 600,000 \text{ Btu}/\text{hr} \end{aligned}$$

The total inside surface area of the tubes is:

$$A = \pi DL_{\text{tot}} = (\pi)(1.00 - 2 \times 0.065 \text{ in})(1/12 \text{ ft}/\text{in})(300 \text{ ft}) = 68.3 \text{ ft}^2$$

The various temperature differences between the inner tube surfaces and the oil are:

$$\begin{aligned} (T_0 - T_b)_1 &= 213 - 100 = 113 \text{ F} \\ (T_0 - T_b)_a &= (113 + 13)/2 = 63 \text{ F} \\ (T_0 - T_b)_{\ln} &= (113 - 13)/\ln(113/13) = 46.2 \text{ F} \end{aligned}$$

Insertion of these values into Eqs. 14.1-2,3,4 then gives the heat transfer coefficients:

$$\begin{aligned} h_1 &= (600,000)/(68.3 \times 113) = 78 \text{ Btu}/\text{hr}\cdot\text{ft}^2\cdot\text{F} \\ h_a &= (600,000)/(68.3 \times 63) = 139 \text{ Btu}/\text{hr}\cdot\text{ft}^2\cdot\text{F} \\ h_{\ln} &= (600,000)/(68.3 \times 46.2) = 190 \text{ Btu}/\text{hr}\cdot\text{ft}^2\cdot\text{F} \end{aligned}$$

14A.7 Free-convection heat transfer from an isolated sphere.

For the conditions of this problem, the thermal expansion coefficient $\beta = 1/T_f$ is (1/338.7 K), and the other physical properties are the same as in part (a) of Problem 14A.6. (Note that, for the correlations in §14.6, β and ρ are evaluated at T_f rather than \bar{T} for calculation of Gr.) Then

$$\begin{aligned}\text{GrPr} &= \left(\frac{D^3 \rho^2 g \beta \Delta T}{\mu^2} \right) \left(\frac{\hat{C}_p \mu}{k} \right) \\ &= \frac{(2.54 \text{ cm})^3 (0.001042 \text{ g/cm}\cdot\text{s})^2 (980.7 \text{ cm/s}^2) (100/[1.8 \times 338.7])}{(2.023 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g/cm}\cdot\text{s})^2} (0.703) \\ &= 4.92 \times 10^4\end{aligned}$$

Eq. 14.6-4 gives

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Nu}_m^{\text{lam}} &= \frac{0.878 \times 0.671}{[1 + (0.492/\text{Pr})^{9/16}]^{4/9}} (\text{GrPr})^{1/4} \\ &= \frac{(0.878)(0.671)}{[1 + (0.492/0.703)^{9/16}]^{4/9}} (4.92 \times 10^4)^{1/4} \\ &= 6.73\end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}h_m &= 6.73k/D = (6.73)(26.9 \times 10^{-5} \text{ W/cm}\cdot\text{K})/(2.54 \text{ cm}) \\ &= 0.000712 \text{ W/cm}^2\cdot\text{K}\end{aligned}$$

and the convective heat loss rate is

$$\begin{aligned}Q &= \pi D^2 h_m (T_0 - T_\infty) \\ &= \pi (2.54 \text{ cm})^2 (0.000712 \text{ W/cm}^2\cdot\text{K}) ([100/1.8] \text{ K}) \\ &= 0.80 \text{ W} = 0.20 \text{ cal/s}\end{aligned}$$

By the methods of §16.5, one can calculate that the rate of heat loss by radiation is of comparable magnitude: 1.0 W for a perfectly black sphere in a large enclosure with walls at 100°F.

14B.2 Local overall heat transfer coefficient.

Let 0 and 1 denote the inner and outer surfaces of the tube, and h_0 and h_1 denote the local heat transfer coefficients on those surfaces at the cross-section where the oil bulk temperature is 150°F. According to the development in §9.6, the temperature drops within a cross-section have the same ratio as the corresponding resistance terms that sum to $1/(r_0 U_0)$:

$$\frac{T_1 - 150}{213 - T_1} = \left[\frac{1}{r_0 h_0} + \frac{\ln(r_1/r_0)}{k_{01}} \right] / \left[\frac{1}{r_1 h_1} \right]$$

The numerator on the right is

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(0.435/12)(190)} + \frac{\ln(0.5/0.435)}{220} \\ & = 0.1452 + 0.0006 = 0.1458 \text{ hr}\cdot\text{ft}\cdot\text{F}/\text{Btu} \end{aligned}$$

in which a thermal conductivity of $k_{01} = 220$ Btu/hr·ft·F has been used for copper at $T \approx 190^\circ\text{F}$, based on Tables 9.1-5 and F.3-5. To calculate the denominator, we use Eq. 14.7-3 for the heat transfer coefficient for filmwise condensation on horizontal tubes. Iteration is required, since the temperature difference across the condensate film is unknown. As a first approximation, we choose $T_1 = 190^\circ\text{F}$, and use the physical properties at 200°F from Example 14.7-1:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \hat{H}_{\text{vap}} &= 978 \text{ Btu}/\text{lb}_m \\ k &= 0.393 \text{ Btu}/\text{hr}\cdot\text{ft}\cdot\text{F} \\ \rho &= 60.1 \text{ lb}_m/\text{ft}^3 \\ \mu &= 0.738 \text{ lb}_m/\text{hr}\cdot\text{ft} \end{aligned}$$

Then Eq. 14.7-3 gives

$$\begin{aligned} h_1 = h_m &= 0.725 \left[\frac{k^3 \rho^2 g \Delta \hat{H}_{\text{vap}}}{\mu D (T_d - T_1)} \right]^{1/4} \\ &= 0.725 \left[\frac{0.393^3 \rho^2 (4.17 \times 10^8) (978.8)}{(0.738)(0.5/12)(T_d - T_1)} \right]^{1/4} \\ &= 12,500(213 - T_1)^{-1/4} \end{aligned}$$

Equating the heat flow through the numerator and denominator resistances gives

$$(T_1 - 150)/0.1458 = (213 - T_1)r_1 h_1 = (213 - T_1)^{3/4}(0.5/12)(12,500)$$

or

$$213 - T_1 = 0.0000183(T_1 - 150)^{4/3}$$

Successive substitutions of T_1 in the right-hand term give a rapidly converging sequence of left-hand values: to the solution: $T_1 = 212.9975, 212.9954, 212.9954, \dots$ Thus, the outer-surface temperature of the tubes at this cross-section is 212.9954°F . The temperature drop through the tube wall is $0.0006/0.1458(212.995 - 150) = 0.25^\circ\text{F}$. Thus, the thermal resistances of the tube wall and condensate film are unimportant here, as assumed in Problem 14A.1.

14B.3 The hot-wire anemometer

a. The physical properties of interest at $p = 1$ atm and a film temperature of 335°F are:

$$\rho = 0.0499 \text{ lb}_m/\text{ft}^3$$

$$\hat{C}_p = 0.242 \text{ Btu}/\text{lb}_m \cdot ^\circ\text{F}$$

$$\mu = 0.0594 \text{ lb}_m/\text{ft} \cdot \text{hr} = 1.64 \times 10^{-5} \text{ lb}_m/\text{ft} \cdot \text{s} \quad (\text{from Eq. 1.4.14})$$

$$k = \left(0.242 + \frac{5}{4} \left(\frac{1.986}{29} \right) \right) (1.64 \times 10^{-5}) = 5.373 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Btu}/\text{ft} \cdot \text{s} \cdot ^\circ\text{F}$$

(from Eq. 9.3-15)

$$\text{Pr} = 0.74 \quad (\text{from Eq. 9.3-16})$$

$$\text{Also the Reynolds number is } \text{Re} = \frac{(0.01/12)(100)(0.0499)}{(1.64 \times 10^{-5})} = 254$$

Then Eq. 14.4-8 gives

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Nu}_m &= (5.99 + 2.29)(0.905) \\ &\quad + 0.92(-3.54 + 1062)^{-1/3} (6.33)(0.905) = 8.010 \end{aligned}$$

Then we get the heat transfer coefficient from

$$\begin{aligned} h_m &= \frac{\text{Nu}_m k}{D} = \frac{(8.010)(5.373 \times 10^{-6})}{(0.01/12)} = 0.0516 \text{ Btu}/\text{ft}^2 \cdot \text{s} \cdot ^\circ\text{F} \\ &= 186 \text{ Btu}/\text{ft}^2 \cdot \text{hr} \cdot ^\circ\text{F} \end{aligned}$$

Finally, the heat loss from the wire is

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= h_m A \Delta T = h_m \cdot \pi D L \cdot (T_0 - T_\infty) \\ &= (186) \left(\pi \frac{0.01}{12} \frac{0.5}{12} \right) (600 - 70) \text{ Btu}/\text{hr} \\ &= 10.75 \text{ Btu}/\text{hr} = 3.15 \text{ W} = 10.75 \text{ W} \end{aligned}$$

b. For an approach velocity of $300 \text{ ft}/\text{s}$, $\text{Re} = 762$. Equation 14.4-8 gives $\text{Nu}_m = 14.20$, and $Q(300)/Q(100) = 14.20/8.010 = 1.77$. This is very close to $\sqrt{3} = 1.73$ from King's relation.

15A.1 Heat transfer in double-pipe heat exchangers.

(a) In the absence of heat loss to the surroundings, Eqs. 15.4-7,8 give

$$w_c \hat{C}_{pc}(T_{c2} - T_{c1}) = -w_h \hat{C}_{ph}(T_{h2} - T_{h1})$$

with each flow rate w expressed from plane 1 toward plane 2. Insertion of the data then gives

$$Q_c = (5000)(1.00)(T_{c2} - 60) = -(-10,000)(0.60)(200 - 100) = 600,000 \text{ Btu/hr}$$

whence

$$T_{c2} = 60 + 120 = 180^\circ\text{F}$$

The log-mean temperature difference is

$$(\Delta T)_{\ln} = (20 - 40) / \ln(20/40) = 28.85\text{F}$$

and the required heat exchange area, from Eq. 15.4-15, is

$$A_0 = \frac{Q_c}{U_0(\Delta T)_{\ln}} = \frac{(600,000 \text{ Btu/hr})}{(200 \text{ Btu/hr}\cdot\text{ft}^2\cdot\text{F})(28.85\text{F})} = 104 \text{ ft}^2$$

(b) Eq. 15B.1-2 gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{Q}{A} &= \frac{U_1 \Delta T_2 - U_2 \Delta T_1}{\ln(U_1 \Delta T_2 / U_2 \Delta T_1)} \\ &= \frac{(50 \times 20) - (350 \times 40)}{\ln((50 \times 20) / (350 \times 40))} \\ &= 4926 \text{ Btu/hr}\cdot\text{ft}^2 \end{aligned}$$

The required heat exchange area is then

$$A = \frac{Q}{Q/A} = \frac{600,000}{4926} = 122 \text{ ft}^2$$

(c) The minimum usable flow rate of water to cool the oil to 100°F in counterflow is

$$w_c = \frac{(10,000)(0.60)(200 - 100)}{(1.00)(200 - 60)} = 4286 \text{ lb}_m/\text{hr}$$

whereas the minimum usable flow rate of water in parallel flow is

$$w_c = \frac{(10,000)(0.60)(200 - 100)}{(1.00)(100 - 60)} = 15,000 \text{ lb}_m/\text{hr}$$

(d) If parallel flow is used, with $w_c = 15,500 \text{ lb}_m/\text{hr}$ of water, the outlet water temperature will be

$$T_{c2} = 60 + (10,000)(0.60)(200 - 100) / (15,500)(1.00) = 98.71^\circ\text{F}$$

Then $(\Delta T)_{\ln} = (140 - 1.29) / \ln(140/1.29) = 29.6^\circ\text{F}$ and the required heat exchange area is

$$A = \frac{Q}{U(\Delta T)_{\ln}} = \frac{(10,000)(0.60)(200 - 100)}{(200)(29.6)} = 101 \text{ ft}^2$$