

CHAPTER NO:9

Transfer of Heat

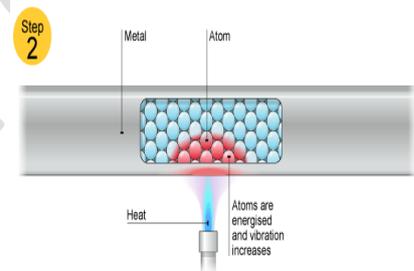
Q.1 Define conduction of heat and explain mechanism of heat? Also give a few practical example?

Conduction of heat:-the process by which heat energy is transferred from particle to particle by collision is called conduction of heat.

⇒ Mechanism of heat conduction:- there are two ways by which heat energy is transferred.

i) Vibration of atoms in metals:-

A metal consists of large number of atoms which vibrates about their mean position. When heat is supplied to its one end. Then because of this heat the vibration of atoms increases. These atoms collide with their neighbor atoms and transfer their heat to neighboring atom and by this way heat is transferred to the other end.



ii) Motion of free electron in metal:-

iii) We know that a metal consists of free electron which can carry heat from one point to another end. When heat is supplied to metal rod. It's KE of atoms increases. They transfer their heat to the free electrons by collision and these free electrons transfer their heat to other free electron and thus heat is transferred to the other end.

⇒ **Practical application heat conduction:-**

- i. We use metal pots for cooking which transfer the heat easily to the food placed inside them.
- ii. Plastic foams and fiberglass are bad thermal conductors. They are used in the walls and ceiling of homes. And keep them warm in winter.
- iii. Woolen clothes have fine pores which contain air. The air and wall are bad thermal conductor. Thus they avoid the flow of heat from our body to the surrounding and keep us warm in winter.

Q.2 Describe conduction of heat in solid, liquid and gas?

Ans. **Conduction in solids:-**usually metallic solid are good conductors of heat. Which contains free electrons and packed atoms and they play very important role in conduction of heat which can carry heat energy inside a metal from one point to another point. And they

are considered good conductors while plastic wood and rubber etc are poor solid conductor because they have no free electron.

Conduction in liquid:-liquids are mostly poor conductor of heat as compare to metallic solids because the inter molecular distance is larger in liquids than solids. Therefore the rate of conductivity is also smaller than solid.

Conduction in gases:- there is a large distance among gas molecules. Thus the rate of conductive collision in gas is very small as compare to solids and liquids thus gases are the poorest conductors of heat. The conductivity of air is of water 20 times smaller than that of water.

Q.3 state and explain thermal conductivity?

Thermal conductivity:- The measure of ability of a substance to conduct heat energy is called thermal conductivity (OR) the amount of heat flowing through a unit area of a substance in one second having a temperature difference of 1k across at a length of one meter is called thermal conductivity.

Explanation:-consider a rod of length "L" having area of cross section "A" and difference of temperature ΔT then the amount of heat "Q" supplied depends upon the following factors.

- i) "Q" is directly proportional to area of cross section "A"
 $Q \propto A$i
- "Q" is directly proportional to change in temperature ΔT
 $\Delta T \propto \Delta T$ ii
- "Q" is directly proportional to time "t"
 $Q \propto t$ iii
- Q is inversely proportional to length "L" of rod
 $Q \propto 1/L$iv
- Combining eq (i),(ii), (iii), we get.
 $Q \propto A \cdot \Delta T \cdot t / L$
 $Q \propto A \cdot \Delta T \cdot t / L$
 $Q = k A \Delta T t / L$v

Where "K" is constant of proportionality and called thermal conductivity of a substance. It's value depends upon nature material and its unit is J/k. m .sec.

Q.4 Define convection heat and explain its mechanism?

Convection of heat:-The transfer of heat from one place to another by the actual motion of the heated particles is called convection of heat. (OR) the process in which heat is transferred from one place to another due to transfer of molecules is called convection of heat.

Mechanism of heat convection:-the mechanism of the convection of heat can be explained by the behavior of medium b/w hot and cold objects. Convection occurs only in fluids (liquids

ei gases) and not in solids because the molecules of solids are tightly bounded with each other. And they can easily move from one place to other place in a body.

Consider a beaker filled with water and a few crystals of potassium permanganate are also dropped in it. When heat is given to beaker. Potassium permanganate dissolves in water and due to which the water at the bottom becomes coloured. After some time coloured water will rise to the top which shows that water molecules moved from bottom to upper part because they become less dense due to heat so, hot particles or molecules move upward while cold molecules move downward. And the hot molecules transfer heat to the surface and the transfer of heat by this way is known as convection of heat.

Q.5 Give some practical examples of heat convection?

Ans. Heating water:-when heat is supplied to a kettle filled with water. Then the bottom layer of water becomes heated and these layers are less dense than water at the bottom so these hot layers move upward while the cold layers move downward. This process is continued unless the whole water becomes heated.

Ventilation:-During the construction of houses ventilators are installed in rooms. The warm and stale air is less dense. So it rises up and goes out through ventilators. By this way fresh air comes inside the room through door, windows and ventilators while the warm air goes out and keeps the room at moderate temperature.

Refrigerator:- convection used in refrigerator where the layers of air are cooled by freezer compartments. This cold air moves downward and the warm air at the bottom rises to the top. This process continues and after some time the whole environment inside the refrigerator becomes cold which keeps the food items in safe condition.

Riding on thermals:- thermals are streams of hot air which arise from the sun the gliders airplanes are able to arise by riding on the thermals the birds can also fly in thermals with flapping their wings.

Q.6 what is radiation of heat and explain its mechanism? Also give a few practical applications?

Ans. Radiation of heat:-the process by which heat is transferred from one place to another with or without any material medium is called radiation of heat.

Mechanism of heat radiations:-transfer of heat from one place to another place because of convection and conduction require a material medium. While in case of transfer of heat by radiation does not need a material medium.

the mechanism waves. Radiations can transfer energy through vacuum and also through certain material medium like glass the mechanism of heat radiation is electromagnetic phenomenon and not molecular motion. The heat energy from sun passes through vacuum and reaches us by radiation.

Practical application of heat radiations:-

- i. In summer seasons, we often give a coat of white colour to the upper surface of the roof of our room. It is because the white colour reflects most of sun radiation. and thus the room remains at moderate temperature.
- ii. We wear light colour cloth because, light colour cloth absorb minimum radiations and maximum radiations. Thus we feel cooling effect.
While in winter seasons, we wear dark colour clothes absorbs maximum sun radiations and thus keep our body warm.
- iii. Greenhouse effect is another application of heat radiation during the day the sun radiations enters green house and is absorbed by the soil and plants inside the green house. At night, the energy radiated by the soil cannot go out of the green house and thus keep house warm. As a result, the plant growth rate increases.

Q.7 what are thermal radiations also explain good and bad absorbers?

Thermal radiations:-the radiations which are emitted by a body due to its temperature is called thermal radiations.

Explanation:-All bodies whether cold or hot can radiate heat. A hotter body radiates more heat than an identical colder body. At constant temperature a body from surrounding radiates as much heat to its surroundings as it absorbs thermal radiations can be radiated from a body at all temperature. However at high temperature a body radiates more radiation. The radiation which are less energetic than light are called infrared radiation while the radiation which are more energetic than light are called ultraviolet radiations. The heat which we receive from a hotter object is mostly in the form of infrared radiations. Good and bad absorbers:- the body which absorbs all radiation or maximum radiations are called good absorber while the body which absorbs minimum radiations are called bad absorber

A dull black kettle absorbs heat better than a polished silvered kettle. So a black kettle is a good absorber than polished silvery kettle. A silvery mirror like surfaces reflects all radiations falls upon it. So, such surfaces are called bad or poorest absorbers.

We wear often white clothes in hot seasons because white cloths are good reflectors and poor absorbers. While in winter season we wear dark color cloths. Because they are good absorbers and bad reflectors.

Q.8 discusses global warming How is it a threat to human life?

Ans. The earth's surface receive radiation from sun. The temperature of earth is about 300k and that of sun is about 3000k.

The sun emits radiation of very high frequency like ultraviolet rays because its temperature is very high while the earth emits low frequency radiation because its is low as compare to sun these low frequency radiation are absorbed by water and CO₂ which are present in the atmosphere of earth the atmosphere of earth radiates back most of its energy to earth. As a result the temperature of earth increases. The earth's globe warms gradually this type of effect which gives rise to global warming is called green house effect the amount of CO₂ in earth atmosphere increases day by day due to fumes coming from factories and vehicles. Due to CO₂ the global warming increases with the passage of time if this process is continue then a stage will come that everybody will become hot. There will be no cold body on earth's

surface. The disorder will reach to its peak energy will not be available for useful work. every living thing will face certain death which is called heat death universes. So, global warming is a great threat to human life.

Q.9 Discuss the green house effect How this effect keep the green house warm?

Green house effect:-The warming of an enclosure such as green house due to selective absorption of radiations such as green house due to selective absorption of radiations by the boundary of the Endo sure is called green house.

Explanation:- we can use glass green house for warming purposes the high frequency sun's radiation pass through the glass and absorbed by soil and plants inside the Endo sure as the soil is at low temperature as compare to sun so the soil and plants emits low frequency radiations at night. These low frequency radiations can not pass through glass and absorbed in it.

The glass emits some of these radiations back toward soil and plants. In this way warming effect is produced in the Endo sure which is known as green house effect.

CONCEPTUAL QUESTION

Q.1 why a wire=gauze is often placed over a burning flame for heating an object?

Ans. A wire gauze is often placed over a burning flame for heating an object. Because wire gauze conducts heat outward from flame a glass beaker can be heated safely over wire gauze because it protects the beaker from the contracted heat of the flame.

Q.2 Give three ways in which insulating material can be used to reduce heat losses from a house?

Ans.

- i) use air filled cavity walls instead of solid bricks walls.
- ii) In roof a layer of insulating material like plastic can be used to reduce heat conduction.
- iii) Houses with small windows and doors will lose small amount of heat energy.

Q.3 see for ans Q8 page 72 we wear often white clothes.

Q.4 why is the freezer compartment kept at the top refrigerator?

Ans. The freezer compartment of a refrigerator is kept at top because it cools the air of surrounding and makes it denser compare to the air of bottom the cool air moves downward while warmer air moves upward, where it is cooled.

Q.5 why does thermal radiations pass more easily into a green house than out of it?

Ans. The heat is transmitted into a green house in the form of high frequency from sun these radiation are emitted back inside the green house in the form of low frequency. Which cannot escape from a glass block and are trapped inside.

Q.6 How heat losses are reduced in a thermos flask?

Ans. a thermos flask consists of a double-walled glass vessel silvered on the inner side. The silvered surface reflects back all radiant heat trying to leave the vessel by radiation. The space between two walls is highly evacuated to prevent convection. The glass being a poor conductor, minimizes the conduction of heat.

Q.7 How the interior of a car parked in the hot sun warms easily?

Ans. Heat is transmitted into a car in the form of high frequency from the sun. These are reflected inside and lose some energy and appear as low frequency radiation which cannot escape the car and are trapped back.

Q.8 A black car, standing in the sun warms up more quickly than any other why?

Ans. A black car standing in the sun warms up more quickly than any other because the black surface is a good absorber of heat radiation than any other surface.

Q.9 How air-filled cavity walls keep a house warmer in winter than a solid brick wall?

Ans. Air is a bad conductor of heat so an air-filled wall keeps a house warmer because it stops the flow of heat from the house to outside. It stops the flow of heat from the house to outside.

Q.10 Why a tile floor feels colder to bare feet than a carpeted floor?

Ans. A carpet is a bad conductor of heat as compared to a tile floor. When a bare foot is put on the floor, more heat is lost by the foot which is absorbed by the tile floor and as a result we feel cool. If we put the foot on a carpet floor, we feel less cool because in this case our feet lose no heat that's why a floor feels colder to bare feet than a carpet floor.

Q.11 See for ans Q1 page 69.

NUMERICAL PROBLEMS

1. window glass has thermal conductivity of $0.08 \text{ w m}^{-1} \text{ k}^{-1}$ calculate the rate at which heat is conducted through a window of area 2.0 m^2 and thickness 4.0 mm . the temperature inside on air conditioned room is 20°C the outside temperature is 35°C .

Solution:- thermal conductivity = $k = 0.08 \text{ w/mk}$ $A = 2 \text{ m}^2$

Thickness of windows = $L = 4 \text{ mm} = 4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$

$T_1 = 20^\circ \text{C}$ $T_2 = 35^\circ \text{C}$ rate of change of conduction = Q/t

$Q/t = ?$

We know that $Q = K.A \Delta T. t./L$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = K.A \Delta T. t./L$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 0.08 \times 2 \times (35 - 20)/4 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t =$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.6 \times 15 \times 10^3 / 4$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t =$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.4 \times 15 \times 10^3$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 6.0 \times 10^3$$

$$Q/t = 6 \times 10^3$$

2. one end of a metallic rod of cross sectional area 90 mm^2 and thermal conductivity $0.32 \text{ kw m}^{-1} \text{ k}^{-1}$ is kept at high temperature. When steady condition is reached. The temperature gradient from one end to the other is $4.6 \times 10^2 \text{ km}^{-1}$ calculate rate of flow of heat only rod.

Solution:- Area = $90 \text{ mm}^2 = 90 \times (10^{-3})^2 \text{ m}^2 = 90 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2$

Thermal conductivity = $k = 0.32 \text{ kw /m.k} = 0.32 \times 10^3 \text{ w/m.k}$

Temperature gradient = $\frac{\Delta T}{L} = 4.6 \times 10^2 \frac{\text{k}}{\text{m}}$

Rate of flow of heat = $Q/T = ?$

We know that $Q = k. A \Delta T. T/L$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = kA .\Delta T/L$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 0.32 \times 10^3 \times 90 \times 10^{-6} \times 4.6 \times 10^2$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 0.32 \times 90 \times 4.6 \times 10^{3-6+2}$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 132.48 \times 10^{-6+5}$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 132.5 \times 10^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 13.25 \text{ walt}$$

3. The external wall of a brick house has an area of 16 m^2 and thickness of 0.3 m . the temperature inside and outside the house are respectively 20°C & 0°C calculate the rate of heat loss through the walls.

Solution:- area = $A = 16 \text{ m}^2$ thickness = $L = 0.3 \text{ m}$

$T_1 = 20^\circ \text{C}$ $T_2 = 0^\circ \text{C}$ $\Delta T = T_2 - T_1$ $\Delta T = 20 - 0 = 20^\circ \text{C}$

Thermal conductivity of concrete = $k = 0.5 \text{ w/k.m}$

Rate of heat loss = $Q.t$

As $Q = k.A \Delta T t/L$

➤ $Q/t = k.A \Delta T/L$

➤ $Q.t = 0.5 \times 10 \times 20 / 0.3$

➤ $Q/t = 533 \text{ T/sec or walt}$

4. Two vessels of different metals are similar in shape and size they are fully filled with ice at 0°C by the heat from outside all the ice in one vessel melts in 25 min and that in other vessel it takes 20 min compare their thermal conductivities?

Solution:-

$A_1 = A_2 = A$, $L_1 = L_2 = L$ because both vessels are same in shape and size.

$T_1 = 25 \text{ min} = 25 \times 60 = 1500 \text{ sec}$

$T_2 = 20 \text{ min} = 20 \times 60 = 1200 \text{ sec}$

Ratio of thermal conductivities = $k_1/k_2 = ?$

As we know that:- $Q = k . A \Delta T . t/L$

$\Rightarrow K = QL/A\Delta T . t$

$K_1 = QL/A_1 \Delta L t_1 \dots \dots \dots k_2 = QL/A_2 \Delta L t_2$

Now $\Rightarrow k_1/k_2 = \frac{QL/A\Delta L t_1}{QL/A\Delta L t_2}$

$\Rightarrow K_1/k_2 = t_1/t_2 = 1200/1500 = 4/5 \Rightarrow$

$k_1/k_2 = 0.8$

5. A House loses a lot of heat through a window. Calculate the rate of flow through a glass window area of 0.3 m^2 and thickness 3.2 mm the temperature at the inner and outer surface are respectively 15.0°C and -5°C .

Solution:- Area = $A = 3 \text{ m}^2$

Thickness = $L = 3.2 \text{ mm} = 3.2 \times 10^{-3}$

$T_1 = 15^\circ\text{C}$ $T_2 = -5^\circ\text{C}$ $\Delta T = 15 - (-5) = 15 + 5 \Rightarrow \Delta T = 20^\circ\text{C}$

$k = 0.8 \text{ w/k.m}$

Rate of flow of heat = $Q/t = ?$

As we know that:

$\Rightarrow Q = k . \Delta T . A . t/L$

$\Rightarrow Q/t = k . \Delta T . A./L$

$\Rightarrow Q/t = 0.8 \times 20 \times 3 / 3.2 \times 10^{-3}$

$\Rightarrow Q/t = \frac{0.8 \times 20 \times 3 \times 10^3}{3.2}$

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$$\Rightarrow Q/t = \frac{48}{3.2} \times 10^3$$

$$\Rightarrow Q/t = 15 \times 10^3 \text{ walt} \Rightarrow Q/t = (5k \text{ walt})$$

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