

Computing Heat Transfer Coefficients II

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Outline

- Review last external and introduction to internal flows
- Heat transfer coefficients for internal flows
 - Temperature for computing properties
 - Laminar and turbulent flows
 - Pressure drop and heat transfer
- Circular and non-circular geometries
- Free convection

Review External Flow Basics

- The flow is unconfined
- Moving objects into still air are modeled as still objects with air flowing over them
- There is an approach condition of velocity, U_∞ , and temperature, T_∞
- Far from the body the velocity and temperature remain at U_∞ and T_∞
- T_∞ is the (constant) fluid temperature used to compute heat transfer

Review Flat Plate Equations

- Laminar flow ($Re_x, Re_L < 500,000, Pr > .6$)

$$C_{f_x} = \frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho U_\infty^2 / 2} = 0.664 Re_x^{-1/2} \quad Nu_x = \frac{h_x x}{k} = 0.332 Re_x^{1/2} Pr^{1/3}$$

$$C_f = \frac{\bar{\tau}_{wall}}{\rho U_\infty^2 / 2} = 1.33 Re_L^{-1/2} \quad Nu_L = \frac{\bar{h} L}{k} = 0.664 Re_L^{1/2} Pr^{1/3}$$

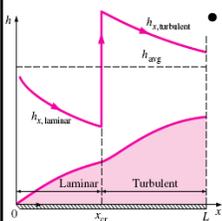
- Turbulent flow ($5 \times 10^5 < Re_x, Re_L < 10^7$)

$$C_{f_x} = \frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho U_\infty^2 / 2} = 0.059 Re_x^{-1/5} \quad Nu_x = \frac{h_x x}{k} = 0.0296 Re_x^{0.8} Pr^{1/3}$$

$$C_f = \frac{\bar{\tau}_{wall}}{\rho U_\infty^2 / 2} = 0.074 Re_L^{-1/5} \quad Nu_L = \frac{\bar{h} L}{k} = 0.037 Re_L^{0.8} Pr^{1/3}$$

For turbulent Nu, $.6 < Pr < 60$

Review Flat Plate Equations II



- Average properties for combined laminar and turbulent regions with transition at $x_c = 500000 \nu / U_\infty$
 - Valid for $5 \times 10^5 < Re_L < 10^7$ and $0.6 < Pr < 60$

$$C_f = \frac{\bar{\tau}_{wall}}{\rho U_\infty^2 / 2} = \frac{0.074}{Re_L^{1/5}} - \frac{1742}{Re_L} \quad Nu_L = \frac{\bar{h} L}{k} = (0.037 Re_L^{0.8} - 871) Pr^{1/3}$$

Figure 7-10 from Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

Review Cylinder and Sphere

- Cylinder average h ($RePr > 0.2$; properties at $(T_\infty + T_s)/2$)

$$Nu = \frac{hD}{k} = 0.3 + \frac{0.62 Re^{1/2} Pr^{1/2}}{\left[1 + \left(\frac{0.4}{Pr}\right)^{2/3}\right]^{1/4}} \left[1 + \left(\frac{Re}{282,000}\right)^{5/8}\right]^{4/5}$$

- Sphere average h ($3.5 \leq Re \leq 80,000$; $0.7 \leq Pr \leq 380$; μ_s at T_s ; other properties at T_∞)

$$Nu = \frac{hD}{k} = 2 + \left[0.4 Re^{1/2} + 0.06 Re^{2/3}\right] Pr^{0.4} \left(\frac{\mu_\infty}{\mu_s}\right)^{1/4}$$

Review Tube Banks

Nusselt number correlations for cross flow over tube banks for $N > 16$ and $0.7 < Pr < 500$ (from Zukauskas, 1987)*

| Arrangement | Range of Re_D | Correlation |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| In-line | 0–100 | $Nu_D = 0.9 Re_D^{0.4} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| | 100–1000 | $Nu_D = 0.52 Re_D^{0.5} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| | 1000– 2×10^5 | $Nu_D = 0.27 Re_D^{0.63} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| | 2×10^5 – 2×10^6 | $Nu_D = 0.033 Re_D^{0.8} Pr^{0.4} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| Staggered | 0–500 | $Nu_D = 1.04 Re_D^{0.4} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| | 500–1000 | $Nu_D = 0.71 Re_D^{0.5} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| | 1000– 2×10^5 | $Nu_D = 0.35 (S_T/S_L)^{0.2} Re_D^{0.6} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |
| | 2×10^5 – 2×10^6 | $Nu_D = 0.031 (S_T/S_L)^{0.2} Re_D^{0.8} Pr^{0.36} (Pr/Pr_s)^{0.25}$ |

*All properties except Pr_s are to be evaluated at the arithmetic mean of the inlet and outlet temperatures of the fluid (Pr_s is to be evaluated at T_s).

Table 7-2 from Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer
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Review Internal Flow Basics

- The flow is confined
- There is a temperature and velocity profile in the flow
 - Use average velocity and temperature
- Wall fluid heat exchange will change the average fluid temperature
 - There is no longer a constant fluid temperature like T_∞ for computing heat transfer

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Review Area Terms

Circular pipe
Water
50 atm

- A_{CS} is cross-sectional area for the flow
 - $A_{CS} = \pi D^2/4$ for circular pipe
 - $A_{CS} = LW$ for rectangular duct

Rectangular duct
Air
1.2 atm

- A_W is the wall area for heat transfer
 - $A_W = \pi DL$ for circular pipe
 - $A_W = 2(W + H)L$ for rectangular duct

Figure 8-1 from Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer
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Review Fixed Wall Heat Flux

- Fixed wall heat flux, \dot{q}_{wall} , over given wall area, A_w , gives total heat input which is related to $T_{out} - T_{in}$ by thermodynamics

$$\dot{Q} = \dot{q}_{wall} A_w = \dot{m} c_p (T_{out} - T_{in}) \Rightarrow T_{out} = T_{in} + \frac{\dot{q}_{wall} A_w}{\dot{m} c_p}$$

- “Outlet” can be any point along flow path where area from inlet is A_w
- We can compute T_w at this point as $T_w = T_{out} + \dot{q}_{wall}/h$

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Review Constant Wall Temperature

$T_s = \text{constant}$

$\Delta T_i = T_s - T_i$

$\Delta T_e = T_s - T_e$

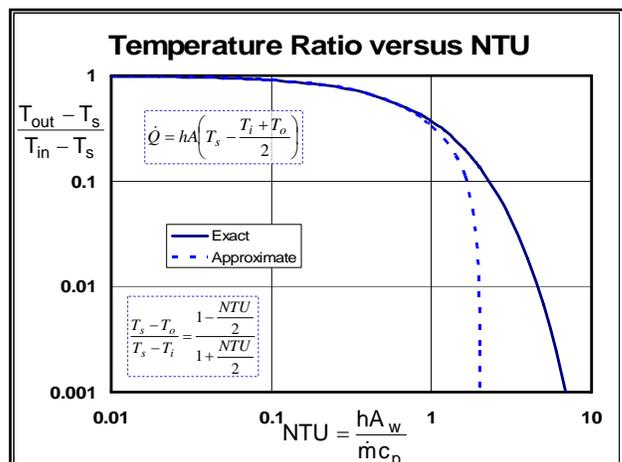
$(T_m \text{ approaches } T_s \text{ asymptotically})$

$$(T_{out} - T_s) = (T_{in} - T_s) e^{-\frac{hA_w}{\dot{m}c_p}}$$

- $hA_w / \dot{m}c_p = NTU$, the number of transfer units
- This is general equation for computing T_{out} in internal flows

$T_s = \text{constant}$

Figure 8-14 from Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer
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Review Log-mean Delta T

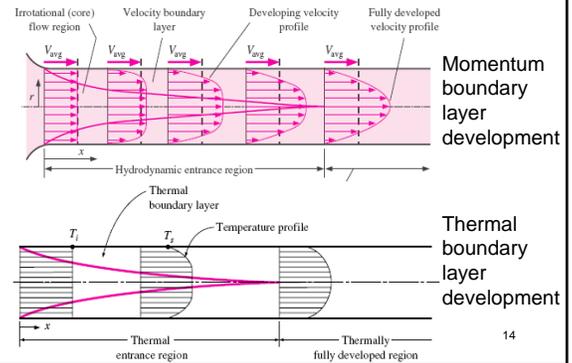
- Equations for overall heat transfer

$$\dot{Q} = \dot{m}c_p(T_{out} - T_{in})$$

$$\dot{Q} = hA(LMDT)$$

$$LMDT = \frac{(T_{out} - T_{in})}{\ln\left(\frac{T_{out} - T_s}{T_{in} - T_s}\right)} = \frac{(T_{out} - T_s) - (T_{in} - T_s)}{\ln\left(\frac{T_{out} - T_s}{T_{in} - T_s}\right)}$$

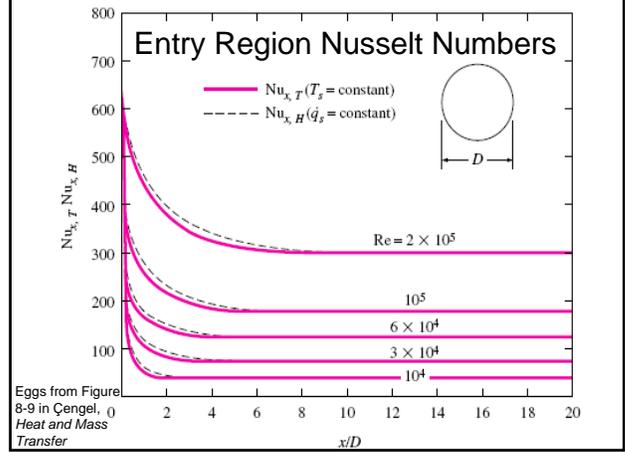
Developing Flows



Fully Developed Flow

- Temperature profile does not change with x if flow is fully developed thermally
- This means that $\partial T/\partial r$ does not change with downstream distance, x, so heat flux (and Nu) do not depend on x
- Laminar entry lengths $\frac{L_h}{D} \approx 0.05 Re$ $\frac{L_t}{D} \approx 0.05 Re Pr$
- Turbulent entry lengths $\frac{L_t}{D} \approx \frac{L_h}{D} = 1.359 Re^{1/4} \approx 10$

Entry Region Nusselt Numbers

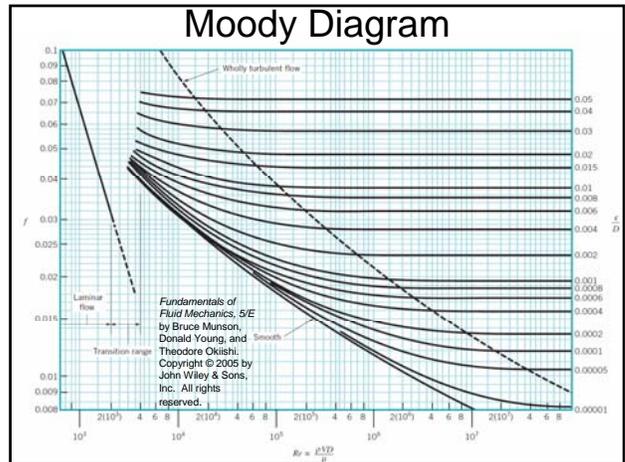


Eggs from Figure 8-9 in Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

Internal Flow Pressure Drop

- General formula: $\Delta p = f (L/D) \rho V^2/2$
- Friction factor, f, depends on $Re = \rho VD/\mu$ and relative roughness, ϵ/D
- For laminar flows, $f = 64/Re$
 - No dependence on relative roughness
- For turbulent flows Colebrook $\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} = -2.0 \log_{10} \left(\frac{\epsilon/D}{3.7} + \frac{2.51}{Re \sqrt{f}} \right)$
- Haaland $\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} \approx -1.8 \log_{10} \left(\frac{6.9}{Re} + \left(\frac{\epsilon/D}{3.7} \right)^{1.11} \right)$

Moody Diagram



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Laminar Nusselt Number

- Laminar flow if $Re = \rho V D / \mu < 2,300$
- Fully-developed, constant heat flux, $Nu = 4.36$
- Fully-developed, constant wall temperature: $Nu = 3.66$
- Entry region, constant wall temperature:

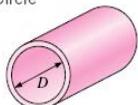
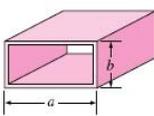
$$Nu = 3.66 + \frac{0.065(D/L)Re Pr}{1 + 0.04[(D/L)Re Pr]^{2/3}}$$

Noncircular Ducts

- Define hydraulic diameter, $D_h = 4A/P$
 - A is cross-sectional area for flow
 - P is wetted perimeter
 - For a circular pipe where $A = \pi D^2/4$ and $P = \pi D$, $D_h = 4(\pi D^2/4) / (\pi D) = D$
- For turbulent flows use Moody diagram with D replaced by D_h in Re , f , and ϵ/D
- For laminar flows, $f = A/Re$ and $Nu = B$ (all based on D_h) – A and B next slide

TABLE 8-1

Nusselt number and friction factor for fully developed laminar flow in tubes of various cross sections ($D_h = 4A_c/p$, $Re = V_{avg}D_h/\nu$, and $Nu = hD_h/k$)

| Tube Geometry | a/b or θ° | Nusselt Number | | Friction Factor f |
|--|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| | | $T_s = \text{Const.}$ | $\dot{q}_s = \text{Const.}$ | |
| Circle  | — | 3.66 | 4.36 | 64.00/Re |
| Rectangle  | a/b | | | |
| | 1 | 2.98 | 3.61 | 56.92/Re |
| | 2 | 3.39 | 4.12 | 62.20/Re |
| | 3 | 3.96 | 4.79 | 68.36/Re |
| | 4 | 4.44 | 5.33 | 72.92/Re |
| | 6 | 5.14 | 6.05 | 78.80/Re |
| | 8 | 5.60 | 6.49 | 82.32/Re |
| | ∞ | 7.54 | 8.24 | 96.00/Re |

From Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

Turbulent Flow

- Smooth tubes (Gnielinski)

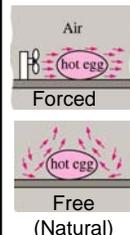
$$Nu = \frac{(f/8)(Re-1000)Pr}{1 + 12.7(f/8)^{0.5}(Pr^{2/3}-1)} \begin{cases} 0.5 \leq Pr \leq 2000 \\ 3 \times 10^3 < Re < 5 \times 10^6 \end{cases}$$

Petukhov : $f = [0.790 \ln(Re) - 1.64]^{-2}$ $3000 < Re < 5 \times 10^6$

- Tubes with roughness
 - Use correlations developed for this case
 - As approximation use Gnielinski equation with f from Moody diagram or f equation

• Danger! h does not increase for $f > 4f_{smooth}$

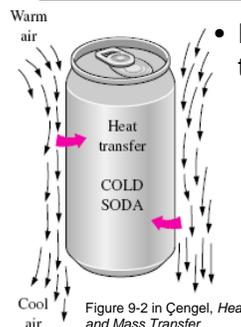
Free (Natural) Convection



- Flow is induced by temperature difference
 - No external source of fluid motion
 - Temperature differences cause density differences
 - Density differences induce flow
 - “Warm air rises”
- Used for electronic cooling with low cooling requirements

Eggs from Figure 1-33 in Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

Flow Direction



- Flow direction depends on temperature difference
 - Warm object (compared to ambient) causes fluid to rise
 - Cool object (compared to object) causes fluid to sink
 - Volume expansion coefficient: $\beta = -(1/\rho)(\partial\rho/\partial T)$
 - For ideal gases $\beta = 1/T$

Laminar and Turbulent

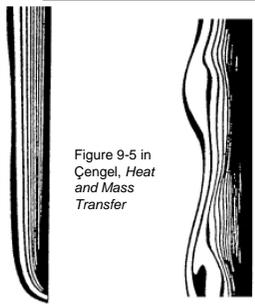


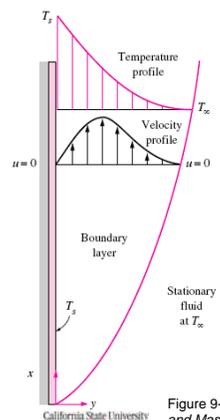
Figure 9-5 in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

- Free convection can be laminar or turbulent
- Diagram shows laminar and turbulent regions
 - Mach-Zender interferometer shows density lines that are proportional to T

(a) Laminar flow (b) Turbulent flow

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Profiles



- Warm vertical wall at T_s with cooler fluid at T_∞
- Velocity is zero at wall and edge of boundary layer
- Driving force is density differences
 - $\rho = \rho_\infty + \beta(T - T_\infty)$

Figure 9-6 in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

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Grashof and Rayleigh Numbers

- Dimensionless groups for free (natural) convection

$$Gr = \frac{\beta g \Delta T L_c^3}{\nu^2} = \frac{\rho^2 \beta g \Delta T L_c^3}{\mu^2} \quad Ra = Gr Pr = \frac{\beta g \Delta T L_c^3}{\nu \alpha}$$

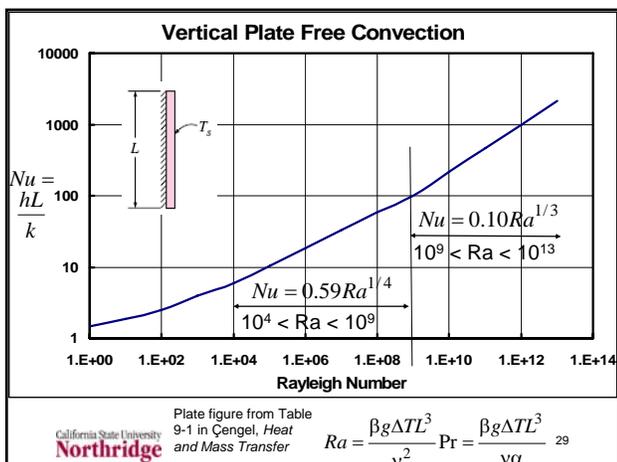
- g = acceleration of gravity (LT^{-2})
- $\beta = -(1/\rho)(\partial\rho/\partial T)$ called the volume expansion coefficient (dimensions: $1/^\circ$)
- $\Delta T = |T_{wall} - T_{fluid}|$ (dimensions: $^\circ$)
- Other terms same as previous use

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Equations for Nu

- Equations have form of $AGr^a Pr^b$ or BRa^c
- Since Gr and Ra contain $|T_{wall} - T_{fluid}|$, an iterative process is required if one of these temperatures is unknown
- Transition from laminar to turbulent occurs at given Ra values
 - For vertical plate transition $Ra = 10^9$
- Evaluate properties at “film” (average) temperature, $(T_{wall} + T_{fluid})/2$

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Vertical Plate Free Convection

- Simplified equations on previous chart for **constant wall temperature**
 - More accurate: Churchill and Chu, any Ra

$$Nu_L = \left\{ 0.825 + \frac{0.387 Ra_L^{1/6}}{\left[1 + (0.492/Pr)^{9/16} \right]^{4/9}} \right\}^2 \quad \text{Any } Ra_L$$

- More accurate laminar Churchill/Chu

$$Nu_L = 0.68 + \frac{0.670 Ra_L^{1/4}}{\left[1 + (0.492/Pr)^{9/16} \right]^{4/9}} \quad 0 < Ra_L < 10^9$$

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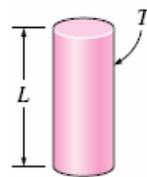
Vertical Plate Free Convection

- Constant wall heat flux
 - Use $\dot{q} = hA(T_w - T_\infty)$ to compute an unknown temperature (T_w or T_∞) from known wall heat flux and computed h
 - T_w varies along wall, but the average heat transfer uses midpoint temperature, $T_{L/2}$

$$\dot{q}_{wall} = hA_{wall}(T_{L/2} - T_\infty) \Rightarrow T_{L/2} - T_\infty = \frac{\dot{q}_{wall}}{hA_{wall}}$$

– Use trial and error solution with $T_{L/2} - T_\infty$ as ΔT in Ra used to compute $h = kNu/L$

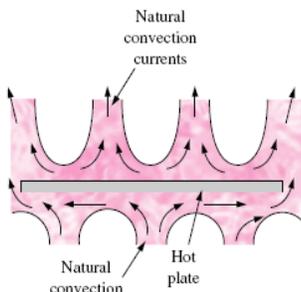
Vertical Cylinder



- Apply equations for vertical plate from previous charts if $D/L \geq 35/Gr^{1/4}$
- For this D/L effects of curvature are not important
- Thin cylinder results of Cebeci and Minkowycz and Sparrow available in ASME Transactions

Cylinder figure from Table 9-1 in Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

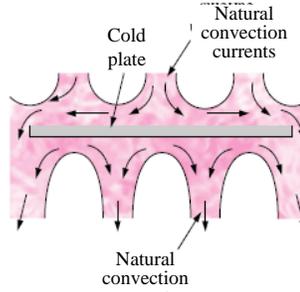
Horizontal Plate



- Convection depends on temperature and direction
- Hot plate shown here has strong currents above plate and stops flow below plate

Figure 9-11 in Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

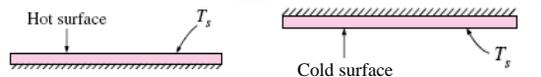
Horizontal Plate II



- Cold plate shown here ($T_{plate} < T_\infty$)
- This has strong currents below plate and stops flow above plate

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Horizontal Plate III



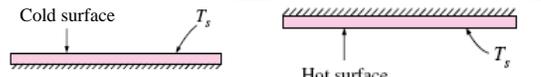
- Hot surface facing up or cold surface facing down
- $L_c = \text{area} / \text{perimeter} (A_s/p)$
 - For a rectangle of length, L , and width, W , $L_c = (LW) / (2L + 2W) = 1 / (2/W + 2/L)$
 - For a circle, $L_c = \pi R^2 / 2\pi R = R/2 = D/4$

Figures from Table 9-1 in Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

$$Nu = 0.54Ra_{L_c}^{1/4} \quad 10^4 < Ra < 10^7$$

$$Nu = 0.15Ra_{L_c}^{1/3} \quad 10^7 < Ra < 10^{11}$$

Horizontal Plate IV



- Cold surface facing up or hot surface facing down
- $L_c = \text{area} / \text{perimeter} (A_s/p)$
 - For a rectangle of length, L , and width, W , $L_c = (LW) / (2L + 2W) = 1 / (2/W + 2/L)$
 - For a circle, $L_c = \pi R^2 / 2\pi R = R/2 = D/4$

Figures from Table 9-1 in Çengel, Heat and Mass Transfer

$$Nu = 0.27Ra_{L_c}^{1/4} \quad 10^5 < Ra < 10^{11}$$

Horizontal Cylinder

$$Nu_D = \left\{ 0.6 + \frac{0.387 Ra_D^{1/6}}{\left[1 + (0.559/Pr)^{9/16} \right]^{8/27}} \right\}^2$$

- Nu_D is average value for the cylinder
- Note differences around cylinder in figure on left
 - What if cylinder on left were cold?

Figure 9-12 (left) and figure from Table 9-1 (right) in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

Sphere

- Equation is valid for $Ra_D < 10^{11}$ and $Pr \geq 0.7$

$$Nu_D = 2 + \frac{0.589 Ra_D^{1/4}}{\left[1 + (0.469/Pr)^{9/16} \right]^{4/9}}$$

Figure from Table 9-1 in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

Horizontal Enclosures

- **Top side warmer:** no convection
- Conduction only, $Nu = hL/k = 1$
- **Bottom warmer:** convection becomes significant when $Ra_L = (Pr)\beta g \Delta T L^3 / \nu^2 = \beta g \Delta T L^3 / \nu \alpha > 1708$

Figure 9-22 in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

Horizontal Enclosures II

Jakob, for $0.5 < Pr < 2$

$$Nu = 0.195 Ra_L^{1/4} \quad 10^4 < Ra_L < 4 \times 10^5$$

$$Nu = 0.068 Ra_L^{1/3} \quad 4 \times 10^5 < Ra_L < 10^7$$

Globe and Dropkin for a range of liquids

$$Nu = 0.069 Ra_L^{1/3} Pr^{0.074} \quad 3 \times 10^5 < Ra_L < 7 \times 10^9$$

Hollands *et al.* for air; also for other fluids if $Ra_L < 10^9$

$$Nu = 1 + 1.44 \max\left(0, 1 - \frac{1708}{Ra_L}\right) + \max\left(0, \frac{Ra_L}{18} - 1\right) \quad Ra_L < 10^8$$

Vertical Enclosures

Berkovsky and Polevikov, any Pr

$$Nu_L = 0.18 \left(\frac{Pr}{0.2 + Pr} Ra_L \right)^{0.29} \quad 1 < H/L < 2$$

$$Nu_L = 0.22 \left(\frac{Pr Ra_L}{0.2 + Pr} \right)^{0.28} \left(\frac{L}{H} \right)^{1/4} \quad 2 < H/L < 10$$

MacGregor and Emery

$$Nu_L = 0.42 Ra_L^{1/4} Pr^{0.012} \left(\frac{L}{H} \right)^{0.3} \quad 10 < H/L < 40$$

$$Nu_L = 0.46 Ra_L^{1/3} \quad 1 < Pr < 2 \times 10^4$$

$$Nu_L = 0.46 Ra_L^{1/3} \quad 10^4 < Ra_L < 10^7$$

Figure 9-23 in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

$Nu = 3$ (Pure conduction)

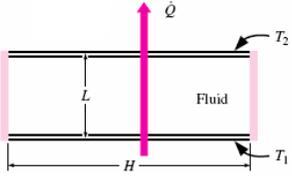
$Nu = 30$ (Natural convection)

$k_{eff} = 3k$

- Effective thermal conductivity
- $k_{eff} = kNu$
- For vertical enclosures with no motion, $k_{eff} = 1$

Figure 9-23 in Çengel, *Heat and Mass Transfer*

Horizontal Enclosures



- If $T_2 > T_1$, (top warmer) there is no convection
- Conduction only, $Nu = hL/k = 1$
- If $T_2 < T_1$, (bottom warmer) significant convection starts when $Ra_L = (Pr)\beta g DTL^3/\nu^2 > 1708$

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