

HEAT AND MOISTURE TRANSFER OF SOME BODIES WITH BOUNDARY CONDITIONS OF THE SECOND KIND

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This paper gives a general solution of the second boundary-value problem of heat and moisture transfer for bodies of the type of an infinite wall and infinite cylinder on the basis of Luikov's generalized system of equations [1].

The main equations and boundary conditions of the problem are formulated in the following way.

The system of differential equations,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \tau} &= a \left( \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial \xi^2} + \frac{i}{\xi} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \xi} \right) + \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau}, \\ \tau_{rm} \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial \tau^2} + \frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} &= a_m \left( \frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial \xi^2} + \frac{i}{\xi} \frac{\partial U}{\partial \xi} \right) + \\ &+ a_m \delta \left( \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial \xi^2} + \frac{i}{\xi} \frac{\partial T}{\partial \xi} \right), \\ R_1 < \xi < R_2, \quad i &= 0, 1. \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

The initial conditions,

$$\begin{aligned} T(\xi, 0) &= \Theta(\xi), \\ U(\xi, 0) &= \varphi(\xi), \\ \frac{\partial U(\xi, 0)}{\partial \xi} &= \psi(\xi). \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

The boundary conditions,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial T(R_j, \tau)}{\partial \xi} &= (-1)^j q_j(\tau), \\ \frac{\partial U(R_j, \tau)}{\partial \xi} + \delta \frac{\partial T(R_j, \tau)}{\partial \xi} &= (-1)^{j+1} \frac{m_j(\tau)}{a_m \gamma_0}, \\ j &= 1, 2. \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

To solve the problem we use the finite integral transform [2]

$$\bar{f} = \int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i f(\xi) W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{\xi}{L} \right) d\xi \quad (4)$$

with the inversion formula

$$f(\xi) = \frac{\int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i f(\xi) d\xi}{\int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i d\xi} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\bar{f} W_0(\omega_n \xi/L)}{\int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i W_1^2(\omega_n \xi/L) d\xi}. \quad (5)$$

We have a system of ordinary differential equations

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\bar{T}}{d\tau} - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \frac{d\bar{U}}{d\tau} + \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu} \bar{T} &= \Phi_1(\tau), \\ \tau_{rm} \frac{d^2 \bar{U}}{d\tau^2} + \frac{d\bar{U}}{d\tau} + \mu_n^2 \bar{U} + \delta \mu_n^2 \bar{T} &= -\Phi_2(\tau) \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

with initial conditions

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{T}(0) &= \int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i \Theta(\xi) W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{\xi}{L} \right) d\xi = \bar{\Theta}, \\ \bar{U}(0) &= \int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i \varphi(\xi) W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{\xi}{L} \right) d\xi = \bar{\varphi}, \\ \frac{d\bar{U}(0)}{d\tau} &= \int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i \psi(\xi) W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{\xi}{L} \right) d\xi = \bar{\psi}, \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_1(\tau) &= \frac{1}{c \gamma_0} \left[ R_2^i W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{R_2}{L} \right) q_2(\tau) + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + R_1^i W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{R_1}{L} \right) q_1(\tau) \right], \\ \Phi_2(\tau) &= \frac{1}{\gamma_0} \left[ R_2^i W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{R_2}{L} \right) m_2(\tau) + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + R_1^i W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{R_1}{L} \right) m_1(\tau) \right]. \end{aligned}$$

We apply the Laplace transform to (6) and (7)

$$\tilde{v} = \int_0^{\infty} v \exp(-s\tau) d\tau.$$

We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left( s + \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu} \right) \tilde{T} - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} s \tilde{U} &= \tilde{\Phi}_1 + \bar{\Theta} - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \bar{\varphi}, \\ \delta \mu_n^2 \tilde{T} + (\tau_{rm} s^2 + s + \mu_n^2) \tilde{U} &= -\tilde{\Phi}_2 + \tau_{rm} (s+1) \bar{\varphi} + \tau_{rm} \bar{\psi}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{T} &= \tau_{rm} (\tilde{\Phi}_1 + \bar{\Theta}) \frac{s^2}{\Delta(s)} + \\ &+ \left[ \tilde{\Phi}_1 - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \tilde{\Phi}_2 + \bar{\Theta} - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} (1 - \tau_{rm}) \bar{\varphi} + \right. \\ &\left. + \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \tau_{rm} \bar{\psi} \right] \frac{s}{\Delta(s)} + \mu_n^2 \left( \tilde{\Phi}_1 + \bar{\Theta} - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \bar{\varphi} \right) \frac{1}{\Delta(s)}, \\ \tilde{U} &= \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \tau_{rm} \bar{\varphi} \frac{s^2}{\Delta(s)} - \left[ \tilde{\Phi}_2 - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \tau_{rm} \left( \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu} + 1 \right) \bar{\varphi} - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \tau_{rm} \bar{\psi} \right] \frac{s}{\Delta(s)} - \mu_n^2 \left[ \frac{1}{Lu} \tilde{\Phi}_2 - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \delta \tilde{\Phi}_1 + \left( \text{Fe} - \tau_{rm} \frac{1}{Lu} \right) \bar{\varphi} - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{1}{Lu} \tau_{rm} \bar{\psi} - \delta \bar{\Theta} \right] \frac{1}{\Delta(s)}, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\Delta(s) = \tau_{rm} s^3 + \left(1 + \tau_{rm} \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu}\right) s^2 + \mu_n^2 \left(1 + Fe + \frac{1}{Lu}\right) s + \frac{\mu_n^4}{Lu}.$$

By standard methods [3] we find the originals  $\bar{T}$  and  $\bar{U}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{T} &= \sum_{\nu=1}^3 \frac{\exp(s_\nu \tau)}{\Delta'(s_\nu)} \left\{ (\tau_{rm} s_\nu^2 + s_\nu + \mu_n^2) \bar{\Theta} - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} [(1 - \tau_{rm}) s_\nu + \mu_n^2] \bar{\varphi} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \tau_{rm} \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \bar{\psi} + \frac{1}{c \gamma_0} (\tau_{rm} s_\nu^2 + s_\nu + \mu_n^2) F(\tau, q) - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c \gamma_0} s_\nu F(\tau, m) \right\}, \\ \bar{U} &= \sum_{\nu=1}^3 \frac{\exp(s_\nu \tau)}{\Delta'(s_\nu)} \left\{ \mu_n^2 \delta \bar{\Theta} + \left[ \tau_{rm} \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} s_\nu^2 + \right. \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \tau_{rm} \left(1 + \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu}\right) s_\nu - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \mu_n^2 \left(Fe - \tau_{rm} \frac{1}{Lu}\right) \right] \bar{\varphi} + \tau_{rm} \left(s_\nu + \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu}\right) \bar{\psi} + \\ &\quad \left. + \mu_n^2 \frac{\delta}{c \gamma_0} F(\tau, q) - \frac{1}{\gamma_0} \left(s_\nu + \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu}\right) F(\tau, m) \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $s_\nu$  is the root of the cubic equation

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(s) &= 0, \\ \Delta'(s) &= 3\tau_{rm} s^2 + 2s \left(1 + \tau_{rm} \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu}\right) + \\ &\quad + \mu_n^2 \left(1 + Fe + \frac{1}{Lu}\right), \\ F(\tau, l) &= \int_0^\tau \left[ R_2^i W_0 \left(\omega_n \frac{R_2}{L}\right) l_2(t) + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + R_1^i W_0 \left(\omega_n \frac{R_1}{L}\right) l_1(t) \right] \exp(-s_\nu t) dt. \quad (8) \end{aligned}$$

We determine the roots of the cubic equation (8). We rewrite this equation as

$$as^3 + bs^2 + cs + d = 0.$$

Here

$$\begin{aligned} a &= \tau_{rm}, \quad b = 1 + \tau_{rm} \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu}, \\ c &= \mu_n^2 (1 + Fe + 1/Lu), \quad d = \mu_n^4 / Lu. \end{aligned}$$

We introduce

$$\begin{aligned} 2g &= 2b^3/27a^3 - bc/3a^2 + d/a, \\ 3h &= (3ac - b^2)/3a^2. \end{aligned}$$

We can infer that for several structural materials, such as concrete,  $g > 0$ ,  $h < 0$ , and the discriminant  $D = g^2 + h^3 < 0$ .

Then, as we know from [4],

$$\begin{aligned} s_1 &= -2r \cos \frac{\varphi}{3} - \frac{b}{3a}, \\ s_2 &= +2r \cos(60^\circ - \varphi/3) - b/3a, \\ s_3 &= +2r \cos(60^\circ + \varphi/3) - b/3a, \quad (9) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\cos \varphi = g/r^3$ ;  $r = \pm \sqrt{|h|}$ ; the sign of  $r$  is the same as the sign of  $g$ .

Obviously

$$\cos(60^\circ + \varphi/3) \leq 1/2, \quad r = \sqrt{|c/3a - b^2/9a^2|} < b/3a.$$

Hence

$$s_1 < 0.$$

But [4]

$$s_1 \cdot s_2 \cdot s_3 = -d/a < 0.$$

Whence

$$s_2 < 0.$$

Formulas (9) with due regard to the temporarily introduced symbols give three real different and negative roots  $s_\nu$  of the third-degree equation (8).

Thus, the final solution of the problem posed has the form

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \frac{2}{(R_2^i + R_1^i)(R_2 - R_1)} \int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i \Theta(\xi) d\xi + \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{c \gamma_0 (R_2^i + R_1^i)(R_2 - R_1)} \int_0^\tau [R_2^i q_2(t) + R_1^i q_1(t)] dt - \\ &\quad - \frac{2 \varepsilon \rho}{c \gamma_0 (R_2^i + R_1^i)(R_2 - R_1)} \int_0^\tau [R_2^i m_2(t) + R_1^i m_1(t)] dt + \\ &\quad + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{W_0 \left(\omega_n \frac{\xi}{L}\right)}{\int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i W_1^2 \left(\omega_n \frac{\xi}{L}\right) d\xi} \times \\ &\quad \times \sum_{\nu=1}^3 \frac{\exp(s_\nu \tau)}{\Delta'(s_\nu)} \left\{ (\tau_{rm} s_\nu^2 + s_\nu + \mu_n^2) \bar{\Theta} - \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} [(1 - \tau_{rm}) s_\nu + \mu_n^2] \bar{\varphi} + \tau_{rm} \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \bar{\psi} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{c \gamma_0} (\tau_{rm} s_\nu^2 + s_\nu + \mu_n^2) F(\tau, q) - \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c \gamma_0} s_\nu F(\tau, m) \right\}, \\ U &= \frac{2}{(R_2^i + R_1^i)(R_2 - R_1)} \int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i \varphi(\xi) d\xi - \\ &\quad - \frac{2}{\gamma_0 (R_2^i + R_1^i)(R_2 - R_1)} \int_0^\tau [R_2^i m_2(t) + R_1^i m_1(t)] dt + \\ &\quad + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{W_0 \left(\omega_n \frac{\xi}{L}\right)}{\int_{R_1}^{R_2} \xi^i W_1^2 \left(\omega_n \frac{\xi}{L}\right) d\xi} \times \\ &\quad \times \sum_{\nu=1}^3 \frac{\exp(s_\nu \tau)}{\Delta'(s_\nu)} \left\{ \mu_n^2 \delta \bar{\Theta} + \left[ \tau_{rm} \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} s_\nu^2 + \right. \right. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & + \tau_{rm} \left( 1 + \frac{\varepsilon \rho}{c} \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu} \right) s_v - \mu_n^2 \left( Fe - \tau_{rm} \frac{1}{Lu} \right) \bar{\psi} + \\
 & + \tau_{rm} \left( s_v + \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu} \right) \bar{\psi} + \frac{\mu_n^2 \delta}{c \gamma_0} F(\tau, q) - \\
 & - \frac{1}{\gamma_0} \left( s_v + \frac{\mu_n^2}{Lu} \right) F(\tau, m) \}.
 \end{aligned}$$

The symbols introduced here are obvious from the foregoing.

We particularize the obtained solutions.

1. Plate

$$(i = 0, \quad \xi = x, \quad R_1 = 0, \quad R_2 = R = L).$$

The eigenfunction of the problem is

$$W_0(\omega_n x/R) = \cos \omega_n x/R.$$

The characteristic equation is

$$\sin \omega_n = 0, \quad \omega_n = n \pi, \quad (n = 1, 2, \dots, \infty).$$

The function

$$W_1(\omega_n x/R) = \sin \omega_n x/R.$$

The integral

$$\int_0^R \sin^2 \left( n \pi \frac{x}{R} \right) dx = \frac{1}{2} R.$$

2. Hollow cylinder

( $i = 1$ ,  $\xi = r$ ,  $R_1$  is the radius of the internal surface,  $R_2$  is the radius of the external surface,  $L = R_1$ ).

The eigenfunction of the problem is

$$W_0(\omega_n r/R_1) = Y_1(\omega_n) J_0(\omega_n r/R_1) - J_1(\omega_n) Y_0(\omega_n r/R_1).$$

The characteristic equation is

$$W_1(k \omega_n) = Y_1(\omega_n) J_1(k \omega_n) - J_1(\omega_n) Y_1(k \omega_n) = 0,$$

where

$$k = R_2/R_1.$$

The function

$$W_1(\omega_n r/R_1) = Y_1(\omega_n) J_1(\omega_n r/R_1) - J_1(\omega_n) Y_1(\omega_n r/R_1).$$

The integral

$$\int_{R_1}^{R_2} r W_1^2 \left( \omega_n \frac{r}{R_1} \right) dr = \frac{2R_1^2}{\pi^2 \omega_n^2} \frac{[J_1^2(\omega_n) - J_1^2(k \omega_n)]}{J_1^2(k \omega_n)}.$$

3. Solid cylinder

$$(i = 1, \quad \xi = r, \quad R_1 = 0, \quad R_2 = R = L).$$

The eigenfunction of the problem is

$$W_0(\omega_n r/R) = J_0(\omega_n r/R).$$

The characteristic equation is

$$J_1(\omega_n) = 0.$$

The function

$$W_1(\omega_n r/R) = J_1(\omega_n r/R).$$

The integral

$$\int_0^R r J_1^2 \left( \omega_n \frac{r}{R} \right) dr = \frac{R^2}{2} J_0^2(\omega_n).$$

The second boundary-value problem of heat and moisture transfer with  $\tau_{rm} = 0$  has been solved for a solid cylinder and sphere by Prudnikov [5] and for a hollow cylinder by Plyat [6].

NOTATION

T is the temperature; U is the moisture content;  $\tau$  is the time;  $\xi$  is the coordinate;  $a$  is the thermal diffusivity;  $c$  is the specific heat;  $\gamma_0$  is the density of absolutely dry body;  $a_m$  is the coefficient of moisture diffusion in body;  $\rho$  is the specific heat of phase transition;  $\varepsilon$  is the phase transition number;  $\delta$  is the thermogradient coefficient, equal to ratio of thermodiffusion coefficient to coefficient of moisture diffusion in body;  $\tau_{rm}$  is the moisture transfer relaxation period;  $R_j$  ( $j = 1, 2$ ) is the coordinates of surfaces bounding body;  $L$  is the characteristic dimension of body;  $m_j$  is the rate of evaporation of moisture from surface;  $q_j$  is heat flux on surface;  $W_0(\omega_n \xi/L)$  is the eigenfunction of problem;  $\omega_n$  is the root of characteristic equation;  $\mu_n^2 = a_m \omega_n^2 / L^2$ ;  $Lu = a_m/a$ ;  $Fe = \varepsilon \rho \delta / c$ ;  $W_1 \left( \omega_n \frac{\xi}{L} \right) = - \frac{\omega_n}{L} \left[ W_0 \left( \omega_n \frac{\xi}{L} \right) \right]'$ .

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