# Introduction of Heat Transfer (Week4, 21 & 23 Sept)

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# **Content of last lecture**



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- Heat Conduction
  - Thermal conductivity

$$q'' = iq_x'' + jq_y'' + kq_z'' = -k\nabla T$$

- Thermal diffusivity  $\alpha = \frac{k}{\rho c_p}$
- Derivation of Heat Diffusion equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( k \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( k \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( k \frac{\partial T}{\partial z} \right) + \dot{q} = \rho c_p \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$

Solution methods





- Steady state one-dimensional conduction
  - A plane wall
  - Radial conduction in cylindrical coordinate
- Thermal conductivity measurement method
  - Steady state method
  - Transient method

# Feed back on homework #1



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- Distinction of formal and informal words.
  - Like, a little bit, ...
- Avoid using subjective, emotional words
  - Very
- Proper tense (시제)
- Try to be more specific when you explain
  - Use numbers if possible, take examples
- Maintain a critical attitude

Because of many problems of fossil fuel energy, the importance of renewable energy is increased.

- 한국말을 영어로 직역하려고 하지말고, 이에 적합한 영어 표현이 무얼까라고 생각할 것.
- Run the spelling check MS Word

# Feed back on homework #1



- Why is the earth hot?
- Why is there a thermal gradient?

- Decay of radioactive element.
- Hot interior of the earth

# Feed back on homework #1



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- What about the disadvantage of geothermal energy?
- Why don't we use it now? Economic feasibility???
- What about the safety of power plant in tectonic boundaries?
- Why doesn't Korea build a geothermal power plant?

용한다고 설명되어진다. 매개체로 물을 사용하는 것은 물의 비열이나 기타 성질을 고려해봤 을 때 더없이 탁월한 선택이다. 하지만 내 생각에 이러한 '물'을 매개로 한 것에는 한계가 있고 미래에는 부언가 더욱 혁명적인 에너지 활용이 필요한 것 같다.

## Homework #2



# Thermal Resistance (열저항)



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- Thermal resistance for conduction in a plane wall
  - From Fourier's law

$$q_x = q_x''A = -kA\frac{dT}{dx} = kA\frac{T_{s,1} - T_{s,2}}{L}$$

- Through rearrangement,  

$$R_{t,cond} = \frac{T_{s,1} - T_{s,2}}{q_x} = \frac{L}{kA}$$
Analogy with electrical resistance
$$R_e = \frac{E_{s,1} - E_{s,2}}{I} = \frac{L}{\sigma A}$$
Analogy with electrical resistance

Thermal resistance for conduction 전도열저항

- From Newton's law of cooling (convection),

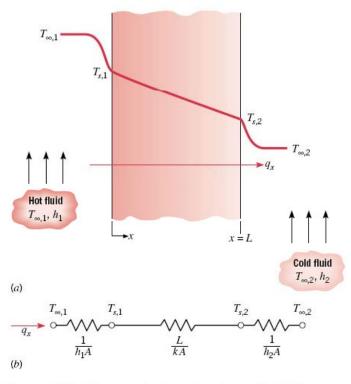
$$q = q''A = hA(T_s - T_\infty)$$

$$R_{t,conv} = \frac{T_s - T_{\infty}}{q} = \frac{1}{hA}$$

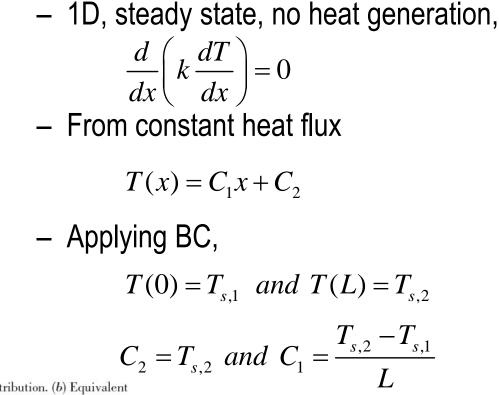
Thermal resistance for conduction 대류열저항

#### 1D steady state solutions Plane wall





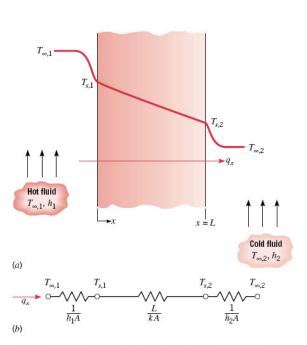
**FIGURE 3.1** Heat transfer through a plane wall. (*a*) Temperature distribution. (*b*) Equivalent thermal circuit.



#### **Conduction** Steady-state one dimensional conduction



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**FIGURE 3.1** Heat transfer through a plane wall. (a) Temperature distribution. (b) Equivalent thermal circuit.

- Temperature distribution,

$$T(x) = (T_{s,2} - T_{s,1})\frac{x}{L} + T_{s,1}$$

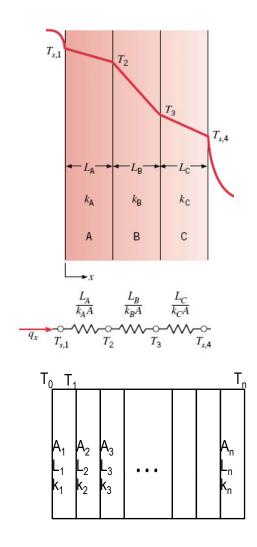
- Conduction heat transfer rate,

$$q_x = -kA\frac{dT}{dx} = \frac{kA}{L}(T_{s,1} - T_{s,2})$$

#### 1D steady state solutions Composite wall (layered rock)



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- Equivalent thermal conductivity for a series composite wall (layered rock).

$$\frac{1}{k_{eq}} = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{L_i}{k_i} \qquad \qquad L = \sum_{i=1}^{n} L_i$$

$$\frac{1}{k_{eq}} = \frac{1}{L} \left( \frac{L_A}{k_A} + \frac{L_B}{k_B} + \frac{L_C}{k_C} \right)$$

# 1D steady state solutions radial conduction in cylindrical wall



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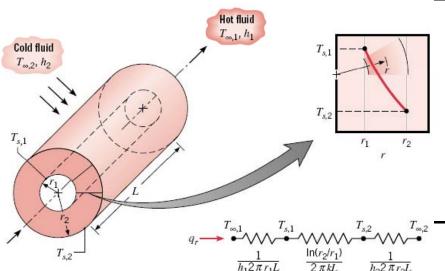


FIGURE 3.6 Hollow cylinder with convective surface conditions.

- 1D, Steady state, no heat generation,

$$\frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\left(kr\frac{\partial T}{\partial r}\right) = 0$$
$$q_r = -kA\frac{\partial T}{\partial r} = -k(2\pi rL)\frac{\partial T}{\partial r}$$

Heat transfer rate is a constant in the radial direction.

- Assuming constant k,  $T(r) = C_1 \ln r + C_2$ 

$$T_{s,1} = C_1 \ln r_1 + C_2$$
 and  $T_{s,2} = C_1 \ln r_2 + C_2$ 

# 1D steady state solutions radial conduction in cylindrical wall



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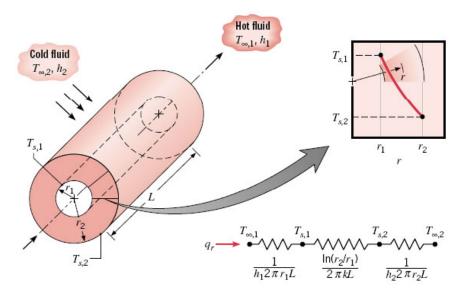


FIGURE 3.6 Hollow cylinder with convective surface conditions.

 Temperature distribution associated with radial conduction through a cylindrical wall

$$T(r) = \frac{T_{s,1} - T_{s,2}}{\ln(r_1 / r_2)} \ln\left(\frac{r}{r_2}\right) + T_{s,2}$$

- Heat transfer rate is,

$$q_r = \frac{2\pi Lk \left(T_{s,1} - T_{s,2}\right)}{\ln(r_2 / r_1)}$$

Thermal resistance

$$R_{t,cond} = \frac{\ln(r_2 / r_1)}{2\pi Lk}$$

#### 1D steady state solutions Summary



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# **TABLE 3.3** One-dimensional, steady-state solutions to the heat equation with no generation

	Plane Wall	Cylindrical Wall <sup>a</sup>	Spherical Wall <sup>a</sup>
Heat equation	$\frac{d^2T}{dx^2} = 0$	$\frac{1}{r}\frac{d}{dr}\left(r\frac{dT}{dr}\right) = 0$	$\frac{1}{r^2}\frac{d}{dr}\left(r^2\frac{dT}{dr}\right) = 0$
Temperature distribution	$T_{s,1} - \Delta T \frac{x}{L}$	$T_{s,2} + \Delta T \frac{\ln{(r/r_2)}}{\ln{(r_1/r_2)}}$	$T_{s,1} - \Delta T \left[ \frac{1 - (r_1/r)}{1 - (r_1/r_2)} \right]$
Heat flux $(q'')$	$k\frac{\Delta T}{L}$	$\frac{k\Delta T}{r\ln\left(r_2/r_1\right)}$	$\frac{k\Delta T}{r^2[(1/r_1) - (1/r_2)]}$
Heat rate $(q)$	$kA\frac{\Delta T}{L}$	$\frac{2\pi Lk\Delta T}{\ln\left(r_2/r_1\right)}$	$\frac{4\pi k\Delta T}{(1/r_1)-(1/r_2)}$
Thermal resistance $(R_{t, cond})$	$\frac{L}{kA}$	$\frac{\ln\left(r_2/r_1\right)}{2\pi Lk}$	$\frac{(1/r_1) - (1/r_2)}{4 \pi k}$

<sup>*a*</sup>The critical radius of insulation is  $r_{\rm cr} = k/h$  for the cylinder and  $r_{\rm cr} = 2k/h$  for the sphere.

#### Hydraulic conductivity measurement Two groups of methods (Beardsmore & Cull, 2001)



- Steady-state method
  - Divided-bar apparatus
- Transient method
  - Needle probe

#### Hydraulic conductivity measurement Steady State Method



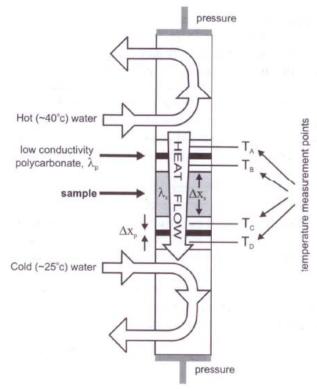
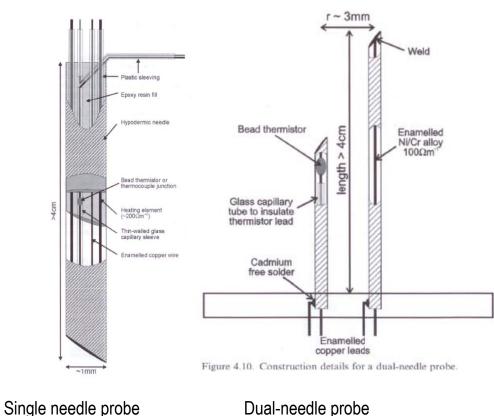


Figure 4.6. A typical divided-bar apparatus.

- Use a 'divided-bar apparatus'
- Measure the 'k' directly  $q''_x = k \frac{T_2 T_1}{I}$
- Takes long time to achieve thermal equilibrium
- More accurate than 'transient method'
- Rock sample in discs or cylindrical shape
- Top and bottom sections of the bar maintained at constant but different temperatures (warm end at the top! Why?).

## Hydraulic conductivity measurement Transient Method



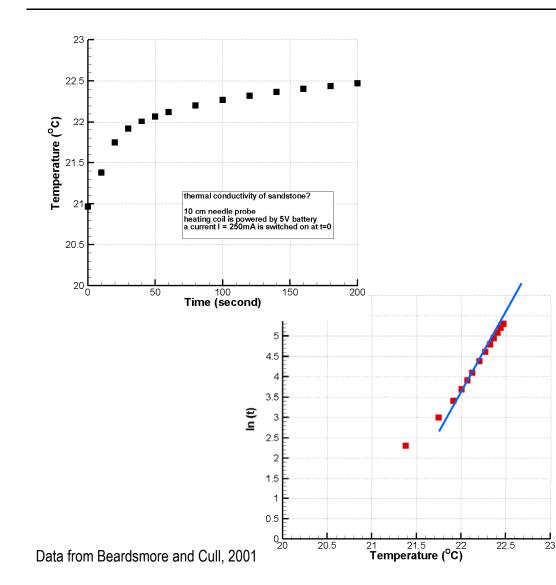


- "Needle probe method" is the best known method.
- k can be deducted from the rate at which its T changed in response to an applied heat source.
- Measure the thermal diffusivity ( $\alpha$ ) and thermal conductivity is calculated  $\leftarrow$  need to know  $\rho$ and  $c_p$ .  $\alpha = \frac{k}{\rho c_p}$
- Less accurate than 'steady state' method

## Hydraulic conductivity measurement Transient Method (2) - an example



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 With a line source of heat and a temperature sensor packed closely,

 $k = (Q_l / 4\pi) (\partial \ln(t) / \partial T)$ 

- Q<sub>l</sub>: applied heat per unit length(W/m)
  - *t*: time (second)
  - T: Temperature (K)
- Find a linearity and obtain k

P= V x I = 5 x 0.25 = 1.25WQ=P/0.1(cm)=12.5W/m Gradient between 60 & 200 sec is ~3.449 K = 12.5/4 $\pi$  x 3.449 = 3.43 W/mK

# **Heat Diffusion Equation**



- Verbal description of heat diffusion equation
  - The rate at which the temperature at a point is changing with time is proportional to the rate at which the temperature gradient at that point is changing in the direction of heat flow. (Middleton and wilcock, 1999)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( k \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( k \frac{\partial T}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( k \frac{\partial T}{\partial z} \right) + \dot{q} = \rho c_p \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$





- Steady state one-dimensional conduction
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- Thermal conductivity measurement method
  - Steady state method
  - Transient method
- Time dependent (transient) conduction
- Convective heat transfer, thermal expansion & thermal stress (very briefly)

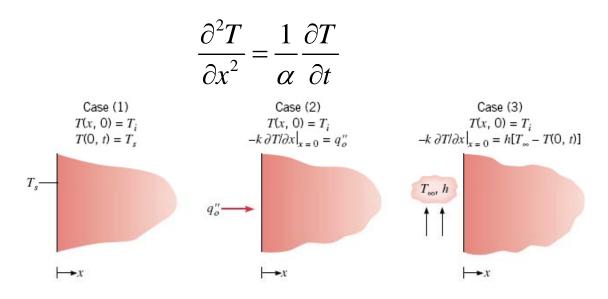




- If a solid body is suddenly subjected to a change in environment, some time must elapse before an equilibrium temperature condition will prevail in the body. Transient heating/cooling process takes place before equilibrium (steady state).
- Transient (or unsteady) problem:
  - Arise when boundary conditions are changed
  - E.g.) if surface temperature is altered, temperature at each point in the system will also begin to change → The change will continue until a steady state temperature distribution is reached.



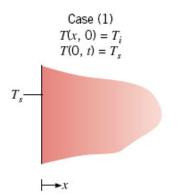
- A single identifiable surface + a solid extends to infinity
- A sudden change of conditions is imposed at this surface → transient, 1D conduction occur within the solid.
- Semi-infinite solid (half-space) provides a useful idealization for many practical problems.





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• Derivation for case (1)



$$\frac{T(x,t) - T_s}{T_i - T_s} = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}\right)_0^{\eta} \exp(-u^2) du = erf\left(\eta\right) = erf\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{4\alpha t}}\right)$$

$$q_s'' = \frac{k(T_s - T_i)}{\sqrt{\pi\alpha t}}$$

## Semi-infinite half space problem Derivation (1)



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- Existence of similarity variable,  $\eta$
- Partial differential equation with x, t  $\rightarrow$  ordinary differential equation with  $\eta$

$$\eta = \frac{x}{\sqrt{4\alpha t}}$$

- We first transform the pertinent differential operator,

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial x} = \frac{dT}{d\eta} \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\alpha t}} \frac{dT}{d\eta}$$
$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} = \frac{d}{d\eta} \left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial x}\right) \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{4\alpha t} \frac{d^2 T}{d\eta^2}$$
$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{dT}{d\eta} \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t} = -\frac{x}{2t\sqrt{4\alpha t}} \frac{dT}{d\eta}$$

## Semi-infinite half space problem Derivation (2)



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- Substituting into 1D diffusion equation,

 $\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{\alpha} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} \qquad \longrightarrow \qquad \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial \eta^2} = -2\eta \frac{\partial T}{\partial \eta}$ 

Boundary conditions become;

$$T(0,t) = T_{s} \qquad \longrightarrow \qquad T(\eta = 0) = T_{s}$$

$$T(x \to \infty, t) = T_{i}$$

$$T(x,0) = T_{i}$$
Both the IC and the interior BC correspond to the single requirement

## Semi-infinite half space problem Derivation (3)



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– Now T is uniquely defined by  $\eta$ . Let's solve T now. T( $\eta$ ) may be obtained by separating variables, such that

 $\frac{d(\partial T / \partial \eta)}{(\partial T / \partial \eta)} = -2\eta d\eta$ 

- By integration,

$$\ln(dT / d\eta) = -\eta^{2} + C_{1}' \quad or \quad \frac{dT}{d\eta} = C_{1} \exp(-\eta^{2})$$

- Integrating a second time,

- 
$$T = C_1 \int_0^{\eta} \exp(-u^2) du + C_2$$
 where *u* is dummy.  
 $T(\eta = 0) = T_s$   $\longrightarrow$   $C_2 = T_s$   
 $T = C_1 \int_0^{\eta} \exp(-u^2) du + T_s$ 

#### Semi-infinite half space problem Derivation (4)



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$$T(\eta \to \infty) = T_i \longrightarrow T_i = C_1 \int_0^\infty \exp(-u^2) du + T_s \longrightarrow C_1 = \frac{2(T_i - T_s)}{\sqrt{\pi}}$$
$$T(x,t) = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}\right) (T_i - T_s) \int_0^\eta \exp(-u^2) du + T_s$$

Note that error function is defined as;

-  $erf(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{x} exp(-u^2) du$  For example, erf(0) = 0,  $erf(\infty) = 1$ 

- The final solution can be also described as;

$$\frac{T(x,t) - T_s}{T_i - T_s} = \left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}\right)_0^{\eta} \exp(-u^2) du = erf\left(\eta\right) = erf\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{4\alpha t}}\right)$$

### Semi-infinite half space problem Derivation (5)

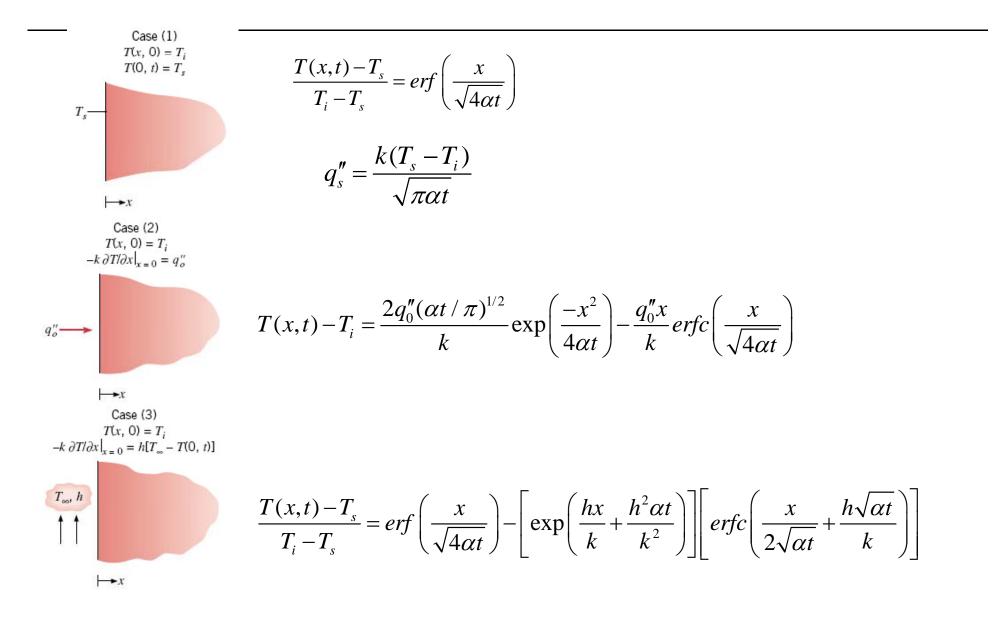


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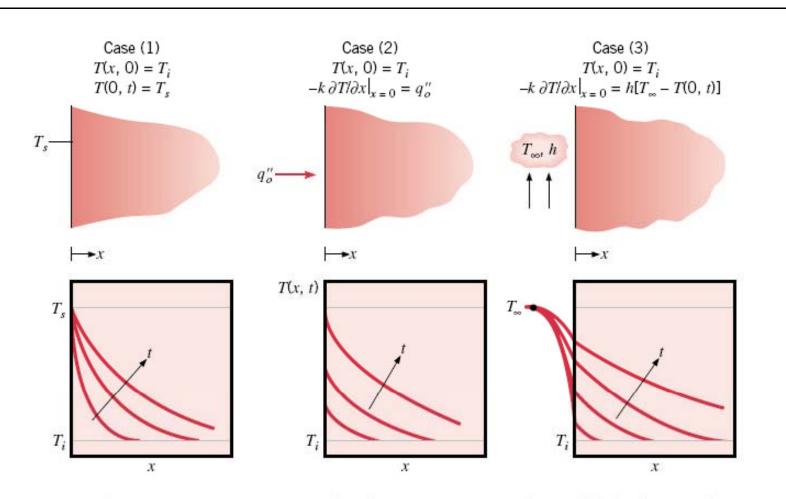
- Surface heat flux may be obtained by applying Fourier's law,

$$q_s'' = -k \frac{\partial T}{\partial x}\Big|_{x=0} = -k(T_i - T_s) \frac{d(erf \eta)}{d\eta} \frac{d\eta}{dx}\Big|_{\eta=0}$$
$$q_s'' = -k(T_s - T_i) \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \exp(-\eta^2) \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\alpha t}}\Big|_{\eta=0}$$
$$q_s'' = \frac{k(T_s - T_i)}{\sqrt{\pi\alpha t}}$$



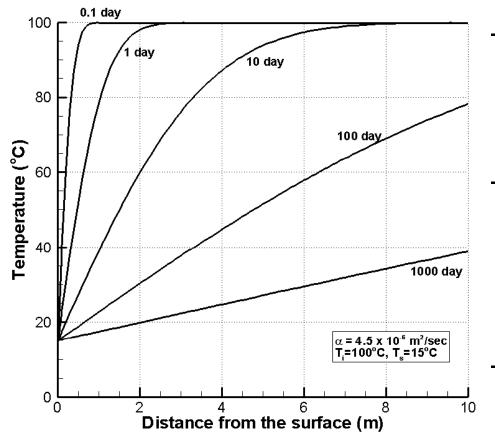






**FIGURE 5.7** Transient temperature distributions in a semi-infinite solid for three surface conditions: constant surface temperature, constant surface heat flux, and surface convection.





- For granite from Forsmark, Sweden,
- k = 3.58 W/mK, ρ: 1000 kg/m<sup>3</sup>,
   cp: 796 (J/kg⋅K) → α = 4.5x10<sup>-6</sup>
   m<sup>2</sup>/sec
- Homework#2 Q3. Reproduce this graph.

#### Time dependent conduction a cases with fixed T at both ends



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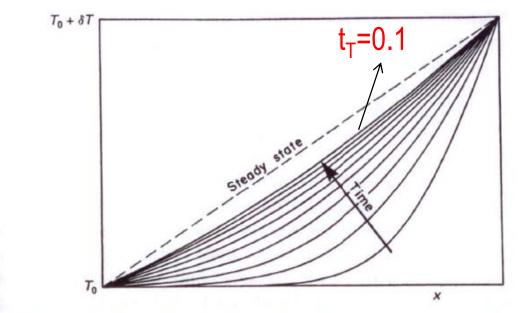


Fig. 12.1. Conduction of heat into a region of lower temperature (on the left) from a boundary (on the right) suddenly raised in temperature. Distance is normalized by the total thickness of the conducting region, and temperature by the temperature increment  $\delta T$ .

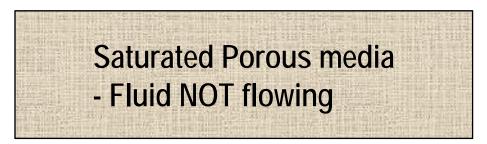
- Thermal relaxation time: a characteristic time for heat to differ d through the layer (Middleton and Wilcock, 1999). *d*: thickness of layer,  $\alpha$ : diffusivity.  $t_T = d^2 / \alpha$ 

# **Convective heat transfer**

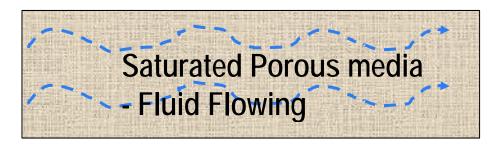


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• What will be the factors that make these two cases different?







T<sub>0</sub>=100°C

T<sub>L</sub>=15°C

• These will be covered after we deal with fluid flow in rock





- Transient conduction problem
  - Temperature changes with time
- Coupled process associated with thermal transfer
  - Convective heat transfer
  - Thermal expansion and thermal stress
- Fluid flow in rock next week
  - Porous rock
  - Fractured rock



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