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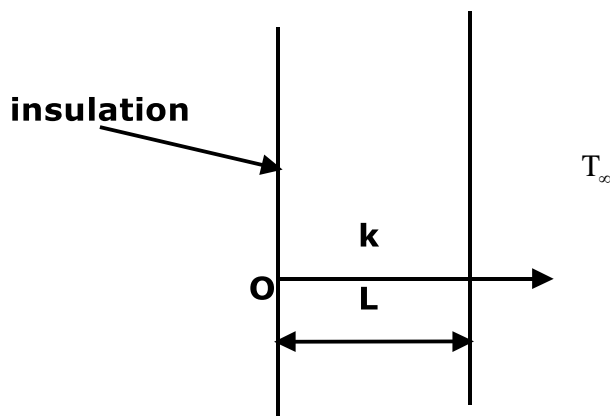
HW 4
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- 1) A semi-infinite medium, $0 \leq x < \infty$, is initially at a uniform temperature T_0 . For times $t > 0$, the region is subjected to a prescribed heat flux at the boundary surface $x=0$

$$-k \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} = f_0 \quad \text{at } x=0$$

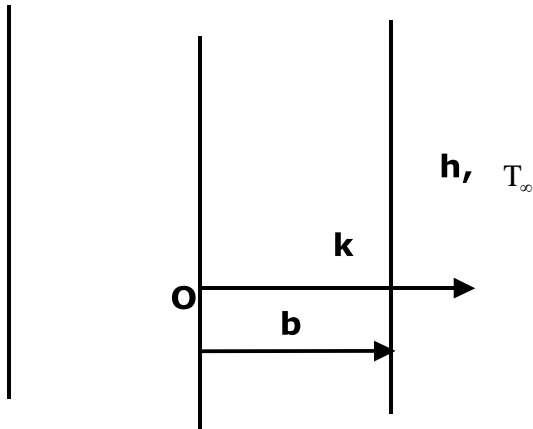
where f_0 is a constant. Obtain an expression for the temperature distribution $T(x,t)$ in the medium for times $t > 0$ by using Laplace transformation.

- 2) A slab, $0 \leq x \leq L$ is initially at zero temperature. For times $t > 0$, heat is generated in the slab at a constant rate of g_0 (W/m^3), while the boundary surface at $x=0$ is kept insulated and the boundary surface at $x=L$ is kept at zero temperature. Obtain an expression for the temperature distribution $T(x,t)$ in the slab using the Laplace transform technique that is valid for all times.
- 3) A plane wall, initially at a high temperature T_0 , immediately after is manufactured, is immersed in a cold liquid bath of temperature T_∞ . Heat transfer coefficient between plate



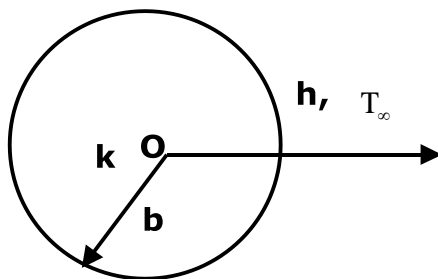
surface and fluid is very large. Determine the temperature distribution $T(x,t)$ by Laplace transform method.

- 4) A solid cylinder, initially at a high temperature T_0 , immediately after is manufactured, is immersed in a cold liquid bath of temperature T_∞ . Radius of the cylinder is b . Heat



transfer coefficient between the cylinder surface and fluid is very large. Determine the temperature distribution $T(r,t)$ by Laplace transform method.

- 5) A solid sphere, initially at a high temperature T_0 , immediately after is manufactured, is immersed in a cold liquid bath of temperature T_∞ . Radius of the sphere is b . Heat transfer



coefficient between sphere surface and fluid is very large. Determine the temperature distribution $T(r,t)$ by Laplace transform method.