

Tentamen FYSISCHE TRANSPORTVERSCHIJNSELEN 2

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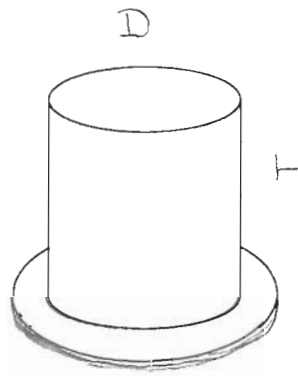
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Question 1

A cylindrical tube is filled with a Bingham liquid. At the bottom this tube is closed by a plate.

- a. If the plate is removed the liquid sometimes flows due to gravity forces and sometimes it does not. Explain this.
- b. Give a criterion for which tube diameter the fluid will just flow.
- c. Give the velocity distribution if the fluid flows.
- d. Sketch this distribution.
- e. Give an expression for the throughput.



Question 2

A closed vessel containing a liquid A stands in a laboratory. The vessel has a leak above the fluid level, the surface of the leak is 5 mm^2 . At the location of the leak the wall thickness of the vessel is 5 mm . Gaseous A diffuses through this leak. The volume of the laboratory is $37,5 \text{ m}^3$ and an air conditioner refreshes the air with a flowrate of $3,48 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. The partial pressure of A above the liquid in the vessel equals the saturation pressure and is $4,85 \cdot 10^4 \text{ Pa}$. The diffusion coefficient of A in air equals $0,128 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$.

- a) show that:

$$\phi_{molA,x}'' = -D \frac{dc_A}{dx} + (\phi_{molA,x}'' + \phi_{molair,x}'') \frac{c_A}{c}$$

with $c = c_A + c_{air}$

- b) give an expression of the molar flux of A through the leak
- c) what will be the equilibrium vapour pressure of A in the laboratory

Question 3

The fuel elements of a water cooled nuclear reactor consist of long cylindrical fuel elements with a diameter of 10 cm. The nuclear reaction produces heat with a power of 40 kW/m^3 . The material of the fuel elements has a heat conductivity of 25 W/m K . The heat transfer between the rods and the cooling water is given by $\text{Nu} = 10$ and the heat conductivity of water equals $0,6 \text{ W/m K}$.

- a) Give the differential equation that describes the temperature profile in the rod.
- b) What is the temperature difference between the water and the outside of the fuel elements?
- c) What is the maximum temperature difference between the cooling water and the middle of the fuel rod?