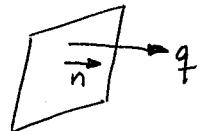


Fourier Heat Conduction law

$$q = -kA \frac{\partial T}{\partial n}$$

heat conduction coeff



A = area \perp to heat flow

n = normal to area

$$-\left(\frac{\partial q_x}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial q_y}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial q_z}{\partial z} dz\right) = mc_v \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$

$$+ \frac{\partial k_x A_x \frac{\partial T}{\partial x}}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial k_y A_y \frac{\partial T}{\partial y}}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial k_z A_z \frac{\partial T}{\partial z}}{\partial z} dz ; \text{ if } A_x = A_y = A_z = A \quad \& \quad A_x dx = A_y dy = A_z dz = dA$$

$$\frac{\partial (k_x \frac{\partial T}{\partial x})}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (k_y \frac{\partial T}{\partial y})}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial (k_z \frac{\partial T}{\partial z})}{\partial z} = \rho c_v \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$

$$\text{thus } \nabla \cdot (k \nabla T) = \rho c_v \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$

$$\text{when } \nabla = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} i + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} j + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} k$$

$$\text{if } k = \text{const} \Rightarrow k \nabla^2 T = \rho c_v \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial t^2}$$

c_v - specific heat of matter at const. volume

$$\text{or } \nabla^2 T = \frac{\rho c_v}{k} \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\nabla^2 T = \alpha \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial t^2} \quad \alpha = \frac{\rho c_v}{k} = \text{thermal diffusivity}$$

now if $T = f_n$ of t

$\nabla^2 T = 0$ steady state (Laplace eq)

$T = f_n$ of x, y

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \alpha \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} \quad \text{one-D heat eqn.}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} - \alpha \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial t^2} = a u_{xx} + b u_{xt} + c u_{tt} + d u_x + e u_t + f u + g = 0$$

$$\text{here } a=1 \quad b=c=d=0 \quad e=-\alpha \quad f=g=0$$

$$\therefore b^2 - 4ac = 0 \quad \text{parabolic when } \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} = \alpha \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial t^2}$$