- 1. A brass rod (k = 133 W/m°C) has length of 25 cm and 5 mm in diameter extends horizontally from a casting at 200°C. The surface of the rod is exposed to ambient air at 20°C with convection heat transfer coefficient of h = 100 W/m^2 °C. Determine the temperature of the rod at 15 cm from the casting? What is the rate of heat loss from the rod?
- 2. Two long copper rods ($k = 379 \text{ W/m}^{\circ}\text{C}$) of diameter D = 10 mm are soldered together end to end, with solder having a melting point of 650°C. The rods are in air at 25°C with convection coefficient of 10 W/m²°C. What is the minimum power input needed to effect the soldering?
- 3. Consider a stainless steel spoon (k = $15.1 \text{ W/m}^{\circ}\text{C}$) partially immersed in boiling water at 100°C in a kitchen at 25°C. The handle of the spoon has a cross section of 2 mm x 1 mm, and extends 50 mm. in the air from the free surface of the water. If the heat transfer coefficient at the exposed surfaces of the spoon handle is $30 \text{ W/m}^{2}^{\circ}\text{C}$, determine the temperature difference across the exposed surface of the spoon handle.
- 4. A copper (k = $379 \text{ W/m} \circ \text{C}$) fin with circular cross section with an area of 0.25 cm² and length of 2.5 cm is attached to a wall with temperature of $175 \circ \text{C}$. The ambient fluid temperature is $20 \circ \text{C}$, with h = $35 \text{ W/m}^2 \circ \text{C}$. Calculate the heat-transfer rate and tip temperature for two cases: (a) The fin has an insulated tip, and (b) Heat is convected from the tip surface area.
- 5. Consider the use of straight, stainless steel (304) fins ($k = 15.3 \text{ W/m}^{\circ}\text{C}$) of rectangular and triangular profiles on a plane wall whose temperature is 100°C. The adjoining fluid is at 20°C, and the associated convection coefficient is 75 W/m²°C. Each fin is 6 mm thick and 20 mm long. Compare the efficiency, the effectiveness, and the heat loss per unit width associated with the two kinds of fins.
- 6. A hot surface at 100°C is to be cooled by attaching 3-cm-long, 0.25-cm-diameter aluminum pin fins (k = 237 W/m°C) to it, with a center-to-center distance of 0.6 cm. The temperature of the surrounding medium is 30°C, and the heat transfer coefficient on the surfaces is 35 W/m²°C. Determine the rate of heat transfer from the surface for a 1 m x 1 m section of the plate. Also determine the overall effectiveness of the fins.
- 7. Steam in a heating system flows through tubes whose outer diameter is $D_1 = 3$ cm and whose walls are maintained at a temperature of 120°C. Circular aluminum fins (k = 180 W/m°C) of outer diameter $D_2 = 6$ cm and constant thickness t = 2 mm are attached to the tube. The space between the fins is 3 mm, and thus there are 200 fins per meter length of the tube. Heat is transferred to the surrounding air at 25°C, with a combined heat transfer coefficient of 60 W/m²°C. Determine the increase in heat transfer from the tube per meter of its length as a result of adding fins.