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Unit 5 - Week 4



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Week 4 Assignment

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed. **Due on 2018-09-05**, 23:59 IS As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

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- 1) Consider the following steps:
- (i) Division of the domain into a number of sub-domain. Each sub-domain is represented by a finite number of grid points.
- (ii) Integration of the governing differential equation over such sub-domain
- (iii) Conversion of the governing differential equation into algebraic quantities using Taylor's series of expansion
- (iv) Profile assumption for the dependent variable for evaluating the integral in order to express the results in terms of algebraic quantities at the grid points.

Finite volume method involves

- (a) Step (i) only
- (b) Steps (i) and (iii) only
- (c) Steps (i) and (ii) only
- (d) Steps (i), (ii) and (iii)

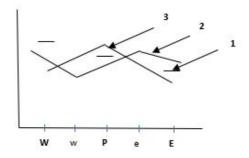
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Accepted Answers:

(d) Steps (i), (ii) and (iii)

2) 1 point

Three different profile for a transport variable is shown in the figure. Which of the following is a valid profile assumption in case of finite volume method?



- (a) 1 (piecewise constant)
- (b) 2 (piecewise linear between the control volume faces)
- (c) 3(piecewise linear between the grid points)
- (d) Profile assumption is not required in case of finite volume method

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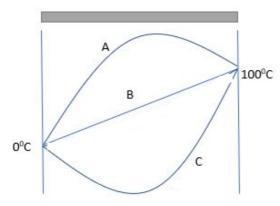
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Accepted Answers:

(c) 3(piecewise linear between the grid points)

3) **1 point**

Which of the following temperature distribution profiles represents a physically consistent solution in case of conducting rod without any heat generation with 0°C at one end and 100°C at the other end?











- (a) A and B
- (b) B only
- (c) C only
- (d) B and C

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(b) B only

- 4) Which of the following is not correct in case of finite volume method discretization?
- 0 points

1 point

- (a) If the source term is linearized as S=Sc+SpTp then Sp may be of any sign.
- (b)If the source term is linearized as S=Sc+SpTp then Sp should be negative.
- (c)If the source term is linearized as S=Sc+SpTp then Sc should be negative.
- (d)If the source term is linearized as S=Sc+SpTp then Sc should be positive.

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(b) If the source term is linearized as S=Sc+SpTp then Sp should be negative.

- 5) Consider the following statements regarding the finite volume method discretization.
- (i) All co-efficient of the discretized equation should be of same sign
- (ii) The co-efficient of the discretized equation can be of any sign depending on the problem statement
- (iii) Profile should satisfy continuity of fluxes at the control volume faces
- (iv) When a linear governing differential equation is discretized, its discretized version should satisfy the following requirement: If T is a solution, then T+c is also a solution, where c is a constant.

Which of the above statements are correct?

- (a) (i), (ii), (iii), (iv)
- (b) (i), (ii), (iii) only
- (c) (i), (ii), (iv) only
- (d) (i), (iii), (iv) only

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(d) (i), (iii), (iv) only

6) **1 point**

Consider the following finite volume based discretized equation.

- (a) $-5\phi_p = -3\phi_F 2\phi_W + 5$
- (b) $-5\phi_p = -3\phi_p 2\phi_w 5$
- (c) $-5\phi_P = 3\phi_E + 2\phi_W + 5$
- (d) $-5\phi_p = 3\phi_p 2\phi_w + 5$



Which of the following is a correct form of finite volume based discretized equation?



- (a) (i) only
- (b) both (i) and (ii)
- (c) (iii) only
- (d) both (iii) and (iv)



No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

- (b) both (i) and (ii)
- 1 point

Consider the source term in the form S=3+4T. The source term can be linearized in the form $S=S_c+S_pT_p$ as given below:

(i)
$$S_c = 3$$
 and $S_p = 4$

(ii)
$$S_c = 3 + 4T_p^*$$
 and $S_p = 0$

(iii)
$$S_c = 3 + 8T_p^*$$
 and $S_p = -4$

Which of the following source term linearization is/are correct?

- (a) (i) only
- (b) (ii) only
- (c) (ii) and (iii)
- (d) (i), (ii) and (iii)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(c) (ii) and (iii)

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For flow through a porous medium, the distributed resistance to flow is expressed by the source term S = -C |u|u, for the x – direction momentum equation. Here 'C' is a positive constant and 'u' is the velocity component in the x- direction. The source term can be linearized as

(i)
$$S = Cu^{*2} - 2Cu^{*}u$$
 for $u > 0$

(ii)
$$S = -Cu^{*2} + 2Cu^{*}u$$
 for $u < 0$

(iii)
$$S = Cu^{*2} - 2Cu^*u$$
 for $u < 0$

(iv)
$$S = -Cu^{2} + 2Cu^{2}u$$
 for $u > 0$

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- (a) (i) only
- (b) (ii) only
- (c) (i) and (ii)
- (d) (iii) and (iv)

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

(c) (i) and (ii)

9) O points

Consider a 1-dimensional slab of length 3 cm and thermal conductivity 10 W/mK with uniform heat generation of 1000W/m³. The boundary conditions are: at x=0,T=300K x=L, q=100W/m². If the domain is discretized into 3 equal control volumes with points as shown in the figure, then the percentage difference in the value of temperature at node 5 when the boundary condition at node 5 is implemented using finite volumes formulation and finite difference formulation is





- (a) 0%
- (b) 0.25%
- (c) 0.50%
- (d) 0.75%

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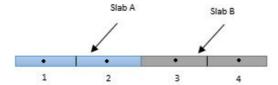
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Accepted Answers:

(b) 0.25%

10) 1 point

Consider a composite slab made of two different materials with thermal conductivity $k_A = 10 \text{W/mK}$ and $k_B = 20 \text{ W/mK}$ for the material A and B respectively. Let the length of each slab be 1 cm and the entire slab is discretized into four equal control volumes as shown in the figure. If the resulting finite volume disretized equation is of the form $A_PT_P = A_WT_W + A_ET_E$, then the equation for the temperature at grid point 2 will be



$$a)T_2 = 0.2857T_3 + 0.2143T_1$$

$$(b)T_2 = 0.5714T_3 + 0.2143T_1$$

$$(c)T_2 = 0.5714T_3 + 0.4286T_1$$

$$(d)T_2 = 0.2857T_3 + 0.4286T_1$$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Accepted Answers:

Score: 0

$$(c)T_2 = 0.5714T_3 + 0.4286T_1$$

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