

COMPUTER AIDED RADIATION HEAT TRANSFER SETUP (EE-4180)

DESCRIPTION:

The present Set-up offers basic experiments for targeted teaching on the topic of heat transfer by radiation. At the heart of the experimental unit is a metallic specimen heated by a concentrated light beam. The light beam is generated by a continuously adjustable halogen lamp and a parabolic reflector. The reflector concentrates the radiation to a focal length point. A specimen is measured by a thermopile. In order to be able to measure the radiation at different distances. Specimens with different surfaces are available to be selected. Perfectly matched components ensure rapid heating and trouble-free measurements.

EXPERIMENTATIONS:

- To measure the thermal radiation from various metallic surfaces and study Stefan-Boltzmann Law
- To study Lambert's Inverse-Square Law
- To study Kirchoff's Law of Thermal radiation.
- To study transient behavior of thermal system.
- To study energy balance, etc.



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION:

- Halogen Lamp : 130 – 150 W
- Maxi. Temperature : approx. 450°C
- Aluminium Specimens : Dia. 20 mm and Thickness of 3 mm approx.
1 x Matt anodized on both sides
1 x High-temperature painted on both sides
1 x Matt anodized on one side and painted on the other
- Copper Specimens : Dia. 20 mm and Thickness of 3 mm approx.
1 x Nickel-plated
1 x Bright finish
- Stainless Steel Specimen : Dia. 20 mm and Thickness of 3 mm approx.
1 x Bright finish
- Measuring Range of Temp. : 20 – 750 °C
- Radiation intensity : 0 – 1200 W/m²
- Power requirements : 230V, 50Hz, 1 phase
- Data Acquisition : USB interfaced and required cables shall be provided
Compatible with windows OS.
Data acquisition system feature an integrated microprocessor based instrumentation, eliminating the need for

- external measuring devices or error-prone manual wiring
- Software for :
-System/Setup operation
-Data acquisition and recording
-Conducting lab experiments and analysis like verifying Lambert's Inverse-Square Law, Stefan-Boltzmann Law, Kirchhoff's Law, transient behavior of thermal systems, power balance to evaluate energy exchange etc. Reporting of results and interpret the plots to provide quantitative analysis.
- Standard Desktop Computer System for setup :
Computer system to aid the instructors/students in conducting experiments based on this apparatus having the system/setup software, educational software, etc.
Ram: DDR5, 16 GB
Storage: 1 TB SSD
Processor: Intel Core i7
Input devices: USB mouse and standard keyboard
Number of USB ports: Minimum 4
Monitor-LED monitor with 21" screen size
Operating system: Windows 11