

Fig. 2 Nongray error for selective emitter-type material.

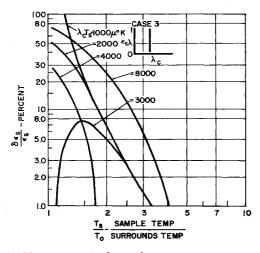


Fig. 3 Nongray error for spike emitter-type material.

"spike" or single emittance line. Edwards and Nelson<sup>1</sup> presented partial results for case 1.

Making the substitutions

$$F(Z) = C_1 Z^{-5} / \{ [\exp(C_2/Z)] - 1 \} = T^{-5} E(\lambda, T)$$
 (10a)

$$Z = \lambda T \tag{10b}$$

$$T^* = T_s/T_0 \tag{10c}$$

in Eq. (8) and applying the limits from Eq. (9), the nongray error for the cases considered becomes

Case 1

$$\frac{\delta \epsilon_s}{\epsilon_s} \ge \frac{1}{[(T^*)^4 - 1]} \left[ \int_{\lambda_c T_0}^{\lambda_c T_0 T^*} F(Z) dZ \middle/ \int_0^{\lambda_c T_0 T^*} F(Z) dZ \right]$$
(11a)

Case 2

$$\frac{\delta \epsilon_s}{\epsilon_s} \ge \frac{1}{[(T^*)^4 - 1]} \left[ \int_{\lambda_c T_0}^{\lambda_c T_0 T^*} F(Z) dZ \middle/ \int_{\lambda_c T_0 T^*}^{\infty} F(Z) dZ \right]$$
(11b)

Case 3

$$\frac{\delta \epsilon_s}{\epsilon_s} \ge \frac{1}{[(T^*)^4 - 1]} \frac{F(\lambda_c T_0) - T^* F(\lambda_c, T_0, T^*)}{T^* F(\lambda_c, T_0, T^*)} \quad (11e)$$

The results of numerical computation of Eq. (11) are shown in Figs. 1–3 for a range of  $T_s^*$  and  $\lambda_c T_s$ . If  $\lambda_c T_s$  is equal to 3000, the material has an emittance of 0.27 if it is a case 1 material and 0.73 if it is a case 2 material; if the value of  $\lambda_c T_s$  is 6000, the corresponding emittances are 0.73 and 0.27, respectively. The extremes of  $\lambda_c T_s$  cannot be ignored, how-

ever. For both case 1 and 2 materials, the extremes of  $\lambda_c T_s$  are highly reflective materials, and these extremes indicate the possible effect of a surface film that is transparent through almost all of the wavelengths involved in the emission. The nongray error can be minimized by maintaining a large value of  $T_s^*$  in the instance of case 1 or 3. The error for case 2 is significant for values of  $T_s^*$  as large as 5–10.

## Reference

<sup>1</sup> Edwards, D. K. and Nelson, K. E., "Maximum error in total emissivity measurements due to nongrayness of samples," ARS J. 31, 1021–1022 (1961).

## Erratum: "Electrical Discharge Across a Supersonic Jet of Plasma in Transverse Magnetic Field"

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Line 7 of the above paper should read "... at a velocity of approximately  $3 \times 10^3$ ," rather than "...  $3 \times 10^4$ ." The value was correct in galley proof, but the error occurred in making another correction in this paragraph in page proof.

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## Moment of Momentum by Direction Cosines

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THE equation relating the sum of the moments acting on a rigid body to the time rate of change of its moment of momentum can be written

$$\mathbf{M} = [C_{01}][\dot{C}_{10}][I]_{1}([C_{01}][\dot{C}_{10}]) + [I]_{1}([\ddot{C}_{01}][\dot{C}_{10}] + [C_{01}][\ddot{C}_{10}]) + m \, \mathbf{r}_{1} \times \mathbf{a} \quad (1)$$

where  $X_0Y_0Z_0$  is an inertial Cartesian coordinate system and  $X_1Y_1Z_1$  is any coordinate system fixed in the body. Its origin is  $0_1$ .

 $[C_{01}]$  is the direction cosine matrix taken from the transformation matrix that transforms the coordinates of a point from system 0 to system 1.  $[C_{10}] = [C_{01}]'$ , the transpose of  $[C_{01}]$ .  $[I]_1$  is the inertia tensor of the body computed in system 1.  $\mathbf{r}_1$  is the position vector of the center of mass of the body measured from  $\mathbf{0}_1$ , and  $\mathbf{a}$  is the acceleration of  $\mathbf{0}_1$  relative to  $X_0Y_0Z_0$ .

 ${\bf M}$  is the sum of the moments, about  $0_1$ , of all the external forces acting on the body. Equation (1) gives its components in system 1.

The curved brackets denote the operation of forming (either manually or by computer program), a column matrix

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