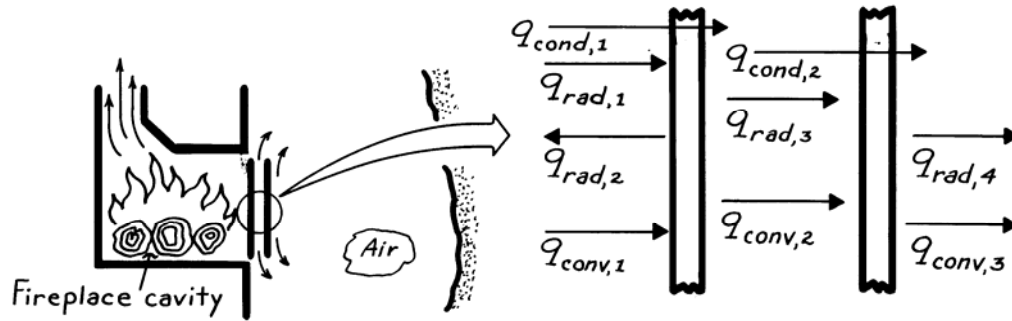


PROBLEM 1.86(g)

KNOWN: Fireplace cavity is separated from room air by two glass plates, open at both ends.

FIND: Relevant heat transfer processes.

SCHEMATIC:



The relevant heat transfer processes associated with the double-glazed, glass fire screen are:

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| $q_{rad,1}$ | Radiation from flames and cavity wall, portions of which are absorbed and transmitted by the two panes, |
| $q_{rad,2}$ | Emission from inner surface of inner pane to cavity, |
| $q_{rad,3}$ | Net radiation exchange between outer surface of inner pane and inner surface of outer pane, |
| $q_{rad,4}$ | Net radiation exchange between outer surface of outer pane and walls of room, |
| $q_{conv,1}$ | Convection between cavity gases and inner pane, |
| $q_{conv,2}$ | Convection across air space between panes, |
| $q_{conv,3}$ | Convection from outer surface to room air, |
| $q_{cond,1}$ | Conduction across inner pane, and |
| $q_{cond,2}$ | Conduction across outer pane. |

COMMENTS: (1) Much of the luminous portion of the flame radiation is transmitted to the room interior.

(2) All convection processes are buoyancy driven (free convection).