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Course: Mechanics Of Fluids
Course Code: 10CV3DCMOF

Duration: 3 hrs
Max Marks: 100
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Instructions:

1. Question No. 1 is compulsory.
2. Answer any FOUR full questions from question No. 2 to question No. 6.
3. Assume missing data suitably.

1. a. An open tank contains water up to a depth of 2 m and above it an oil of specific gravity 0.90 for a depth of 1.0 m. Estimate the pressure intensity i) at the interface of two liquids and ii) at the bottom of the tank. **4**
- b. Determine the total pressure and the centre of pressure on a circular plate of 1.5m diameter, which is placed vertically in water in such a way that the centre of the plate is 3 m below the free water surface. **4**
- c. For a 3-D flow field described by $\mathbf{V} = (y^2 + z^2) \mathbf{i} + (x^2 + z^2) \mathbf{j} + (x^2 + y^2) \mathbf{k}$. At a point P (1, 2, 3) determine the components of rotation. **4**
- d. A jet of water issues from a sharp edged orifice under a constant head of 0.51m. At a certain point of issuing jet, the horizontal and vertical coordinates measured from the vena-contracta are 0.406 m and 0.085 m respectively. **4**
 - i) Determine the coefficient of velocity of the orifice.
 - ii) If the coefficient of discharge of the orifice is 0.62, determine the coefficient of contraction.
- e. Explain any four minor head losses in pipe lines with equations. **4**

2. a. A differential U-tube manometer is connected between two points A and B as shown in the fig.2a. Compute the pressure difference between A and B. Specific gravity of oil in the manometer is 0.8 and specific gravity of the liquid in the pipe is 1.5. 6

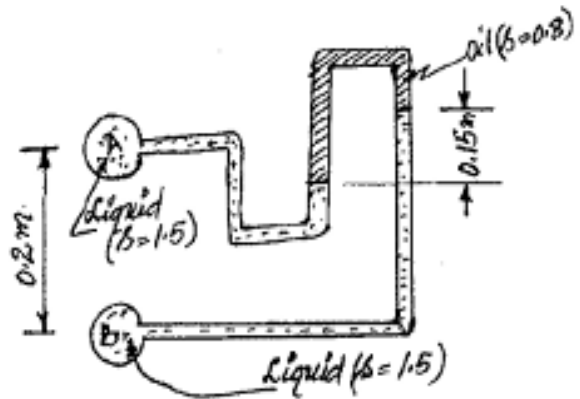


Fig. 2a

- b. Explain the phenomenon of capillarity and derive an expression for capillary rise of a liquid in a tube of small diameter d inserted in a liquid. 6
- c. A 90 N rectangular solid block slides down a 30° inclined plane. The plane is lubricated by a 3 mm thick film of oil of relative density 0.90, and viscosity 8.0 poise. If the contact area between the block and oil is 0.3 m^2 , estimate the terminal velocity of the block. 8
3. a. Derive an expression for total pressure and centre of pressure on an inclined plane submerged in a static mass of liquid. 6
- b. A rectangular plane surface 2 m wide and 3 m deep, lies in water in such a way that the plane makes an angle of 30° with the free water surface. Determine the total pressure and position of centre of pressure when the upper edge is 1.5 m below the free water surface. 6
- c. The lower corner of a water tank has the shape of a quadrant circle MN of radius 1.2 m as shown in fig.3c. The water surface is 2.4 m above the centre of curvature. The water tank is 3.0 m long. Estimate the magnitude, direction and location of the total pressure exerted by water on this curved surface. 8

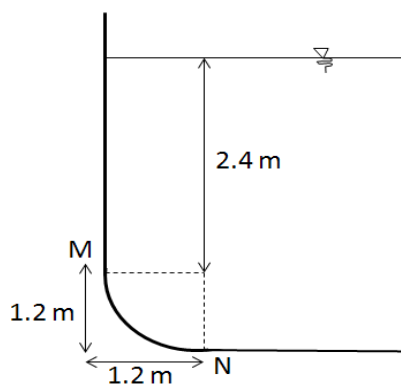


Fig.3c

4. a. Explain stream line, path line and streak line. **6**
- b. Two velocity components are given in the following cases, derive the third component such that they satisfy the continuity equation. **6**
- i) $u = x^3 + y^2 + 2z^2$; $v = -x^2y - yz - xy$
- ii) $u = -4x^2 + 3xy$; $w = z^3 - 4xy - 2yz$
- c. The stream function for a two dimensional flow is given by $\Psi = 2xy$. Calculate the velocity at the point P (2, 3). Also, derive the corresponding velocity potential function Φ . **8**
5. a. State Bernoulli's theorem and derive the Bernoulli's equation, mentioning clearly the assumptions underlying it. **6**
- b. Compute the depth and top width of a V-notch discharging $0.7 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. The head over the notch is 10 cm when the discharge is $0.009 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. Take coefficient of discharge $C_d = 0.6$. **6**
- c. A venturi meter having a diameter of 7.5 cm at the throat and 15 cm diameter at the enlarged end is installed in a horizontal pipeline 15 cm in diameter carrying an oil of specific gravity 0.9. The difference of pressure head between the enlarged end and the throat recorded by a differential U-tube manometer is 17.5 cm of mercury. Determine the discharge through the pipe. Assume the coefficient of discharge of the venturi meter as 0.9. **8**
6. a. A valve is suddenly closed at the downstream end of a 0.90 m diameter pipeline carrying water in such a manner that the velocity is decreased from 4 m/s to 1.0 m/s instantaneously. Estimate the maximum pressure rise in the pipe due to the sudden closure of the valve. Assume the pipe to be rigid and Bulk modulus for water as $2.20 \times 10^3 \text{ MPa}$. **6**
- b. A compound pipe system consists of 1800 m length of 0.5 m diameter, 1200 m length of 0.40 m diameter and 600 m length of 0.30 m diameter cast iron pipes connected in series. The entire pipe network is to be replaced with new ones so that the head loss remains the same. **6**
- i) Estimate the equivalent length of a 0.40 m diameter pipe.
- ii) Estimate the equivalent diameter of a pipe of 3600 m long.
- c. Using Buckingham π -theorem, formulate the expression for the velocity (V) through a circular orifice as, **8**

$$V = \sqrt{2gH} \phi \left[\left(\frac{D}{H} \right), \left(\frac{\mu}{\rho V H} \right) \right]$$

Where, H = Head causing the flow

D = Diameter of the orifice

μ = Coefficient dynamic viscosity

ρ = Mass density

g = Acceleration due to gravity
