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Properties of Fluids

Q1.1

A steel vessel of 1% increase in volume when the pressure is increased by 70 MPa. At standard condition (pressure P = 101.3 KPa), the vessel is filled with m = 450 kg of water ($\rho = 1000$ kg/m³). Given bulk modulus of elasticity, $\kappa = 2.06 \times 10^9$ Pa. Compute the mass of water to add into the vessel to increase the pressure to 70 MPa.

Ans:

$$V = \frac{m}{\rho} = \frac{450}{1000} = 0.45 \text{ (m}^3\text{)}$$

$$\kappa = -V \frac{dP}{dV} \Rightarrow dm = \rho dV = -\rho V \frac{dP}{\kappa}$$

$$= -1000 \times 0.45 \times \frac{101.3 \times 10^3 - 70 \times 10^6}{2.06 \times 10^9} = 15.27 \text{ (kg)}$$

Q1.2

Determine the change in volume of $V_i = 3 \text{ m}^3$ of air when the pressure increases from $P_i = 100 \text{ kPa}$ to $P_f = 500 \text{ kPa}$. Air is at $T = 23 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (assume ideal gas)

Ans:

Assume isothermal condition:
$$P_i V_i = P_f V_f$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta V = V_f - V_i = \frac{P_i V_i}{P_f} - V_i = \frac{100 \times 3}{500} - 3 = -2.4 \text{ (m}^3)$$

Q1.3

They compress the air into a vessel having volume, $V_1 = 0.3 \,\mathrm{m}^3$ under pressure $P_1 = 100 \,\mathrm{at}$. After a period of leakage, the air pressure in the vessel is lowered to $P_2 = 90 \,\mathrm{at}$. Regardless of the deformation of the vessel, determine the volume of air that is leaked during that period (corresponding to the atmospheric pressure, 1 atm), if the constant temperature and atmospheric pressure are considered to be at 1 at.

Ans:

For ideal gas,
$$\kappa = P_2 = -V_1 \frac{dP}{dV}$$

$$\Rightarrow dV = -\frac{V_1}{P_2} dP = -\frac{0.3}{90} (90 - 100 - 1) = -0.0367 \text{ (m}^3)$$

Q1.4

A diameter piston $d=50\,\mathrm{mm}$ moves evenly in a cylinder $D=50.1\,\mathrm{mm}$. Determine the decrease in force acting on the piston (as a percentage) when the speed decreases by 5%.

Ans:

Assume constant speed:
$$\frac{\Delta V}{V_1} = -5\%$$

We also have $\tau = \frac{F}{A} = \mu \frac{du}{dy} = \mu \frac{V}{l} \Rightarrow \frac{F_1}{V_1} = \frac{F_2}{V_2} = \mu \frac{A}{l}$
From the relation: $\frac{\Delta F}{F_1} = \frac{\Delta V}{V_1} = -5\%$

Q1.5

A machine axis having diameter, $D=75\,\mathrm{mm}$, with uniform movement with $V=0.1\,\mathrm{m/s}$ under the force, $F=100\,\mathrm{N}$. The lubricating layer thickness, l in the bearing is $l=0.07\,\mathrm{mm}$. Length of bearing $L=200\,\mathrm{mm}$. Determine oil dynamic viscosity.

Ans:

$$A = (D+2l)\pi \times L = (75+2\times0.07)\pi \times 200 = 47211.85 \text{ (mm}^3) = 4.72\times10^{-5} \text{ (m}^3)$$

$$\tau = \frac{F}{A} = \mu \frac{V}{l} \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{F}{A} \frac{l}{V} = \frac{100}{4.72\times10^{-5}} \times \frac{0.07\times10^{-3}}{0.1} = 1.483 \text{ (kg/m} \cdot \text{s)}$$

Q1.9

Determine the frictional force at the inner wall of a water supply pipe segment at T = 20 °C, radius R = 80 mm = 0.08 m, L = 10 m. The velocity at the points on the pipe cross-section varies according to the following:

$$u(r) = 0.5 \left(1 - \frac{r^2}{R^2} \right)$$

where r is the radius of considered point.

Ans:

From table at
$$T = 20 \,^{\circ}\text{C} \Rightarrow \mu = 1.002 \times 10^{-3} \,(\text{kg/m} \cdot \text{s})$$

 $A = 2\pi RL = 2\pi \times 0.08 \times 10 = 5.03 \,(\text{m}^2)$
 $F = \tau A = \mu \frac{du}{dr} A = \mu \frac{(-2)R}{R^2} A$
 $= 1.002 \times 10^{-3} \times \frac{(-2) \times 0.08}{0.08^2} \times 5.03 = -0.126 \,(\text{N})$

Q1.10

Determine the gauge pressure inside a water drop of diameter $d=2\,\mathrm{mm}=0.002\,\mathrm{m}$. The temperature of water is $T=25\,^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$.

Ans:

From table at
$$T = 25 \,^{\circ}\text{C} \Rightarrow \sigma_s = 0.072 \,(\text{N/m})$$

 $P_g = \Delta P_{droplet} = \frac{2\sigma_s}{d/2} = \frac{2 \times 0.072}{0.002/2} = 144 \,(\text{Pa})$

Q1.11

A gas has a molar mass of R = 32 kg/mol under a pressure condition of P = 5 at = 490332.5 Pa, a temperature of $T = 30 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

- 1. Determine the gas density.
- 2. Determine the density of this gas if P = const, while temperature drops to $T_f = 15$ °C.
- 3. Determine the density of this gas if holding T = const, while the pressure drops to $P_f = 2$ at.

Ans:

1.
$$P = \rho RT \Rightarrow \rho = \frac{P}{RT} = \frac{32}{490332.5 \times (30 + 273)} = 0.215 \times 10^{-6} \, (\text{kg/m}^3)$$

2. adiabatic condition

$$\rho T = \rho_f T_f \Rightarrow \rho_f = \frac{\rho T}{T_f} = \frac{0.215 \times 10^{-6} \times (30 + 273)}{15 + 273} = 0.226 \times 10^{-6} \, (\text{kg/m}^3)$$

3. isothermal condition

$$\frac{P}{\rho} = \frac{P_f}{\rho_f} \Rightarrow \rho_f = \frac{\rho P_f}{P} = \frac{0.215 \times 10^{-6} \times 2}{5} = 0.086 \times 10^{-6} \, (\text{kg/m}^3)$$

Q1.12

A liquid is compressed in a cylinder, the water initially has a volume of $V_o = 41$ at normal pressure, $P_o = 1$ at = 98066.5 Pa. The pressure in the cylinder increases to $p_1 = 6$ at, the water volume decreases by 1 cm³.

1. Compute the bulk modulus of elasticity of water.

- 2. If the pressure in the cylinder increases to 20 at, calculate the volume of water V_f in the cylinder.
- 3. Calculate the pressure in the cylinder, if the volume of the water is reduced by 0.1%.

Ans:

1.
$$\kappa = -V_o \frac{dP}{dV} = -4 \times 10^{-3} \times \frac{6 \times 98066.5}{(-1) \times 10^{-6}} = 2.36 \times 10^9 \text{ (Pa)}$$

2. Cylinder increase pressure to 20 at

$$\Rightarrow dV = V_f - 4 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{-20}{6} = -3.33 \text{ (cm}^3\text{)} = -3.33 \times 10^{-3} \text{ (l)}$$
$$\Rightarrow V_f = 3.997 \text{ (l)}$$

3.
$$dP = P_f - P_o = -\kappa \times \frac{dV}{V_o} = -2.36 \times 10^9 \times \frac{(-0.1)}{100} = 2.36 \times 10^6 \text{ (Pa)}$$

 $\Rightarrow P_f = 2.458 \text{ (MPa)}$

Q1.13

The air moving through a narrow tube into a water tank forms a stream of bubbles d=3 mm in diameter. Calculate the difference between air pressure in the narrowed section and surrounding water pressure. Give the surface tension of water $\sigma_s = 0.0728$ N/m.

Ans: