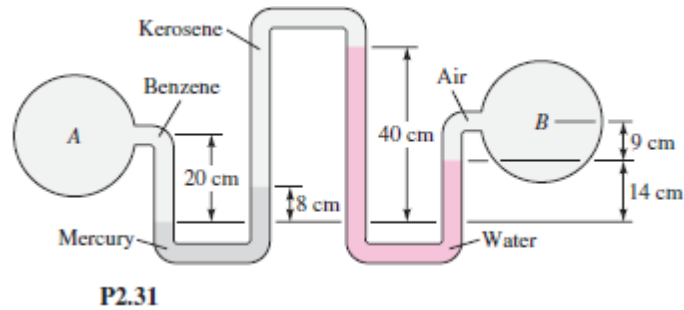


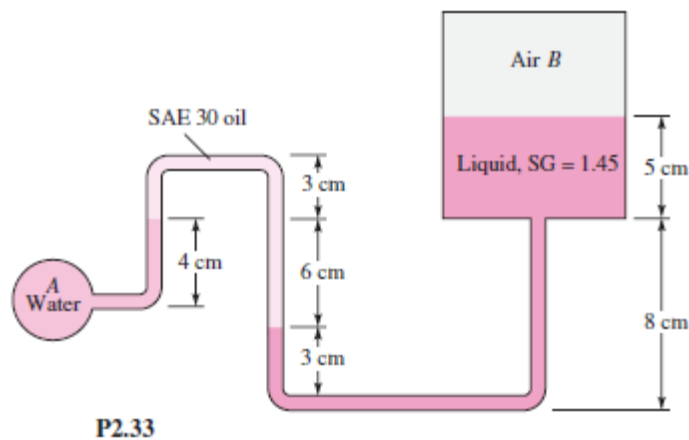
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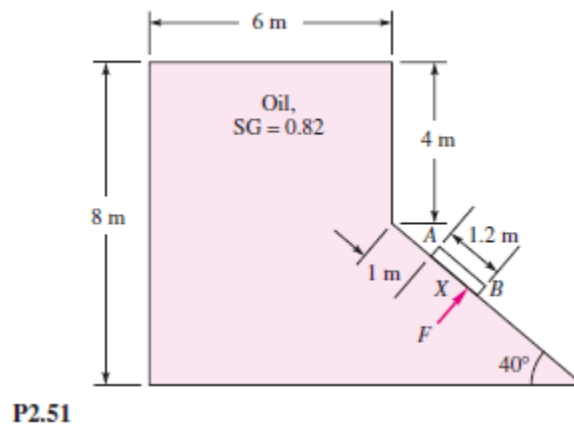
1. In Fig. P2.31 all fluids are at 20°C. Determine the pressure difference (Pa) between points A and B.



2. In Fig. P2.33 the pressure at point A is 170 kPa. All fluids are at 20°C. What is the air pressure in the closed chamber B, in Pa?



3. Gate AB in Fig. P2.51 is 1.2 m long and 0.8 m into the paper. Neglecting atmospheric pressure, compute the force  $F$  on the gate and its center-of-pressure position  $X$ .



4. Gate  $AB$  in Fig. P2.55 is 1.5 m wide into the paper, hinged at  $A$ , and restrained by a stop at  $B$ . The water is at  $20^\circ\text{C}$ . Compute (a) the force on stop  $B$  and (b) the reactions at  $A$  if the water depth  $h = 3$  m.

**P2.55**

