Fluid Mechanics and Rate Processes: Tutorial 5

P1. A viscous liquid of constant density and viscosity falls due to gravity between two parallel plates a distance 2h apart, as in the figure. The flow is fully developed, that is, w = w(x) only. There are no pressure gradients, only gravity. Set up and solve the Navier-Stokes equation for the velocity profile w(x).
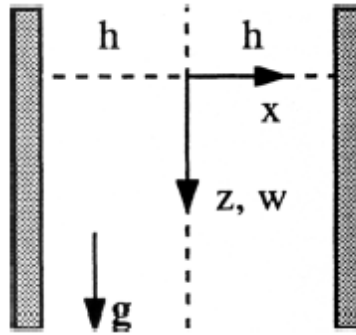

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