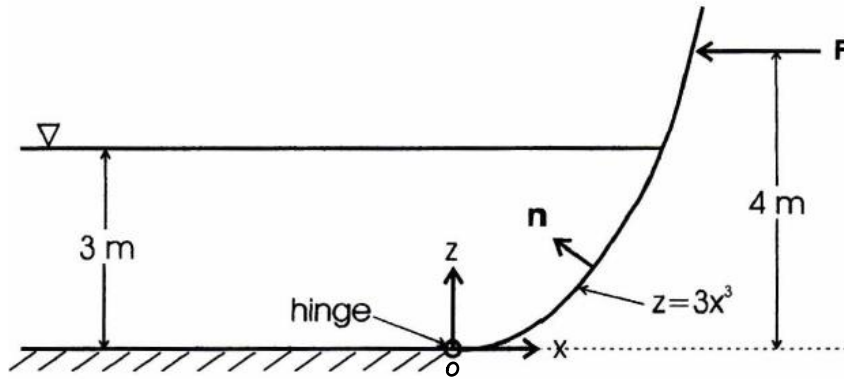


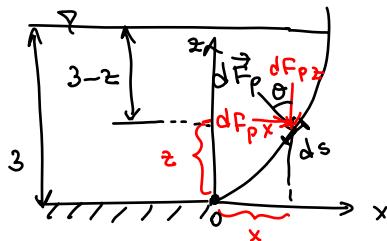
A rectangular channel of width 2 m contains water to a depth of 3 m. The gate at the end of the channel is a parabola,  $z = 3x^3$ , and a horizontal force,  $\vec{F}$ , is applied 4 m above the hinge to keep the gate closed. Ignoring the mass of the gate, find the magnitude of the force required using the integration method. Density of water is  $\rho_{\text{water}} = 1,000 \text{ kg/m}^3$  and gravitational acceleration is  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ .



Closing moment:  $M_{\text{closing}} = F \cdot \overset{\text{height}}{4}$ .

Opening moment:  $M_{\text{opening}} = ?$

Method 1:

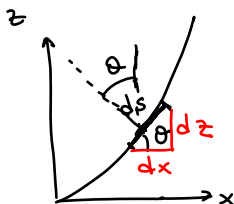


$$dM_o = x |dF_{p,z}| + z |dF_{p,x}|$$

$$||d\vec{F}_p|| = dF_p = \underbrace{\rho g (3-z)}_p \underbrace{\omega ds}_{dA}$$

$$dF_{p,x} = dF_p \sin \theta = \rho g (3-z) \omega \sin \theta ds$$

$$dF_{p,z} = dF_p \cos \theta = \rho g (3-z) \omega \cos \theta ds$$



$$\begin{aligned} ds \cos \theta &= dx \Rightarrow ds = \frac{dx}{\cos \theta} = \frac{dz}{\sin \theta} \\ ds \sin \theta &= dz \end{aligned}$$

$$|dF_{p,x}| = \rho g (3-z) \omega \sin \theta ds = \rho g (3-z) \omega \cancel{\sin \theta} \frac{dz}{\cancel{\sin \theta}} = \rho g (3-z) \omega dz$$

$$|dF_{p,z}| = \rho g (3-z) \omega \cos \theta ds = \rho g (3-z) \omega \cancel{\cos \theta} \frac{dx}{\cancel{\cos \theta}} = \rho g (3-z) \omega dx$$

$$dM_o = x |dF_{p,z}| + z |dF_{p,x}|$$

$$= x \rho g (3-z) \omega dx + z \rho g (3-z) \omega dz$$

$$z = 3x^3$$

$$= x \rho g (3-3x^3) \omega dx + z \rho g (3-z) \omega dz$$

$$x=1$$

$$M_{\text{opening}} = \int_{x=0}^1 x \rho g (3-3x^3) \omega dx + \int_{z=0}^3 z \rho g (3-z) \omega dz$$

$$= \rho g \omega \int_{x=0}^1 (3x - 3x^4) dx + \rho g \omega \int_{z=0}^3 (3z - z^2) dz$$

$$= \rho g \omega \left[ \frac{3x^2}{2} - \frac{3x^5}{5} \right]_{x=0}^1 + \rho g \omega \left[ \frac{3z^2}{2} - \frac{z^3}{3} \right]_{z=0}^3$$

$$= \rho g \omega \left[ \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{5} \right] + \rho g \omega \left[ \frac{27}{2} - \frac{27}{3} \right]$$

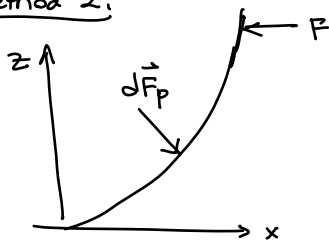
$$= \rho g \omega \left[ 15 - \frac{3}{5} - 9 \right] = \frac{27}{5} \rho g \omega$$

$$M_{\text{opening}} = M_{\text{closing}}$$

$$\frac{27}{5} \rho g \omega = 4F$$

$$\frac{27}{5} \cdot 1000 \cdot 10 \cdot 2 = 4F \Rightarrow F = 27,000 \text{ N}$$

Method 2:



$$dM = \vec{r} \times d\vec{F}_p$$

$$dM_{\text{opening}} = dM_y = (\vec{r} \times d\vec{F}_p) \cdot \vec{j}$$

$$= [(\vec{r} \times \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{j}] (-p dS)$$

Let's parametrize the surface:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x = x \\ y = y \\ z = 3x^3 \end{array} \right\} \vec{r}(x, y) = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + 3x^3\vec{k} \quad \text{where } 0 \leq y \leq 2 \text{ (width)} \\ 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$\vec{r}_x = \vec{i} + 9x^2\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r}_y = \vec{j}$$

$$\vec{N} = \vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 0 & 9x^2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -9x^2\vec{i} + \vec{k} \quad \left( \text{this } \vec{N} \text{ is in the } -d\vec{F}_p \text{ direction. So, we will use this.} \right)$$

$$dM_{\text{opening}} = (\vec{r} \times \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{j} (-p dS)$$

$$= \left[ \vec{r} \times \frac{(\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y)}{\|\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y\|} \right] \cdot \vec{j} (-p) \underbrace{\|\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y\|}_{\leftarrow dS} dx dy$$

$$= \left[ \vec{r} \times (\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y) \right] \cdot \vec{j} (-p dx dy)$$

$$\vec{r} \times (\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y) = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ x & y & 3x^3 \\ -9x^2 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = y\vec{i} + (-x - 27x^5)\vec{j} + 9x^2y\vec{k}$$

$$dM_{\text{opening}} = \left[ \vec{r} \times (\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y) \right] \cdot \vec{j} (-p dx dy)$$

$$= (-x - 27x^5) (-p dx dy)$$

$$\leftarrow p = \rho g (3 - \frac{z}{3}) = \rho g (3 - 3x^3) \\ z = 3x^3$$

$$dM_{\text{opening}} = (x + 27x^5) \rho g (3 - 3x^3) dx dy$$

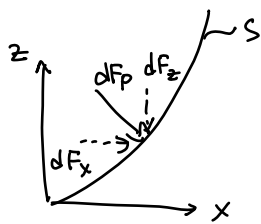
$$M_{\text{opening}} = \int_S \int dM_{\text{opening}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{\text{opening}} &= \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^2 399(x - x^4 + 27x^5 - 27x^8) dy dx \\
 &= 399 \cdot 2 \cdot \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{27x^6}{6} - \frac{27x^9}{9} \right]_{x=0}^1 \\
 &= 698 \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{27}{6} - \frac{27}{9} \right] = 698 \cdot \frac{9}{5} \\
 &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\frac{18}{10}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$M_{\text{opening}} = M_{\text{closing}}$$

$$698 \cdot \frac{9}{5} = F \cdot 4 \Rightarrow F = 6 \cdot 1000 \cdot 10 \cdot \frac{9}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = 27,000 \text{ N}$$

Method 3:



Parametric eqn for the surface  $S$  is:

$$\vec{r}(x, y) = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + 3x^3\vec{k}$$

$$d\vec{F}_p = -p \vec{n} dS$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \vec{r}_x &= \vec{i} + 9x^2\vec{k} \\ \vec{r}_y &= \vec{j} \end{aligned} \right\} \vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 1 & 0 & 9x^2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -9x^2\vec{i} + \vec{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\vec{F}_p &= -p \vec{n} dS \\
 &= -p \frac{(\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y)}{\|\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y\|} \|\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y\| dx dy \\
 &= -p (\vec{r}_x \times \vec{r}_y) dx dy \\
 &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{1em}}_{-9x^2\vec{i} + \vec{k}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$d\vec{F}_p = -p(-gx^2\vec{i} + \vec{k})dx dy$$

$\nwarrow p = \rho g(3-z) = \rho g(3-3x^3)$   
 $\nearrow z = 3x^3$

$$d\vec{F}_p = \rho g(3-3x^3)(gx^2\vec{i} - \vec{k})dx dy$$

$$dF_{px} = gx^2 \rho g(3-3x^3) dx dy$$

$$dF_{pz} = -\rho g(3-3x^3) dx dy$$

$$dM = x |dF_z| + z |dF_x|$$

$$= x \rho g(3-3x^3) dx dy + \overset{z=3x^3}{\nearrow} x \cdot gx^2 \rho g(3-3x^3) dx dy$$

$$dM = 3\rho g(x-x^4) dx dy + 81\rho g(x^5-x^8) dx dy$$

$$M_{\text{opening}} = \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^2 3\rho g(x-x^4) dy dx + 81\rho g \int_{x=0}^1 \int_{y=0}^2 (x^5-x^8) dy dx$$

$$= 3\rho g \cdot 2 \cdot \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^5}{5} \right]_{x=0}^1 + 81\rho g \cdot 2 \cdot \left[ \frac{x^6}{6} - \frac{x^9}{9} \right]_{x=0}^1$$

$$= 3\rho g \cdot 2 \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} \right) + \cancel{81}^{27} \rho g \cdot 2 \cdot \left( \frac{\cancel{6}}{2} - \frac{\cancel{9}}{3} \right)$$

$$= 6\rho g \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{9}{2} - 3 \right)$$

$$M_{\text{opening}} = 6\rho g \cdot \left( \frac{9}{5} \right)$$

$$M_{\text{opening}} = M_{\text{closing}} \Rightarrow 6\rho g \cdot \left( \frac{9}{5} \right) = F \cdot 4 \Rightarrow F = 6 \cdot 1000 \cdot 10 \cdot \frac{9}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{4} = 27,000 \text{ N}$$