

# MID TERM EXAM

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## QUESTION # (01)

(a)

Define Viscosity? Derive newton equation of Viscosity.

**VISCOSITY** :-

It is the property of fluid which resist the motion between the two surfaces of the fluid.

OR

Viscosity is the physical property that characterizes the flow of simple fluid.

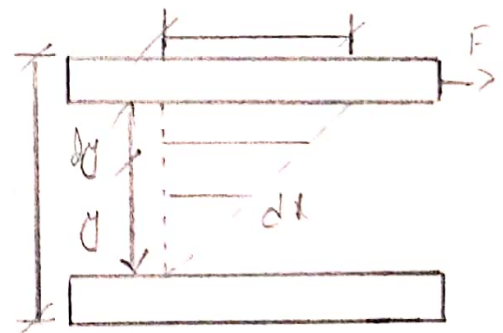
**NEWTON EQUATION OF VISCOSITY** :-

Consider two parallel plates placed at a distance  $y$  and space between them is filled with fluid. The lower surface is assumed to be stationary while the upper move with velocity ' $v$ ' Then ;

$$F \propto \frac{AU}{y}$$

$$F = \frac{\mu AU}{y}$$

$$\frac{F}{A} = \frac{\mu v}{y}$$



where  $\frac{F}{A} = \tau$  so

$$\tau = \frac{\mu A}{y}$$

For  $dy$  the velocity will be  $du$  so then

$$\tau = \mu \frac{du}{dy} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

where  $\mu$  is proportionality factor and called viscosity of fluid, and  $\frac{du}{dy}$  is velocity gradient.

The above equation (1) is called as Newton equation of velocity.

(b)

Define density, specific weight and specific volumes. Show relation between Density and Specific Weight.?

**DENSITY:**

“Density of fluid is its mass per unit volume of fluid.”

and The formula of density is  $\rho = \frac{m}{V}$   
unit is  $\text{Kg/m}^3$

It is denoted by ' $\rho$ '

## SPECIFIC WEIGHT :-

“Specific weight is the weight per unit volume of the fluid.”

It is denoted by ' $\gamma$ '. Its formula is  $\gamma = w/V$ .

The unit of specific weight is  $N/m^2$

## SPECIFIC VOLUME :-

“Specific volume is the volume occupied by unit mass of fluid”

It is denoted by ' $v$ '. Its formula is  $v = \frac{V}{m}$  or  $v = \frac{1}{\rho}$

The unit of specific volume is  $m^3/kg$

## RELATION BETWEEN DENSITY AND SPECIFIC WEIGHT :-

$$\text{Specific weight} = \gamma = \frac{w}{V}$$

where  $w = mg$  so

$$\gamma = \frac{mg}{V}$$

As  $\frac{m}{V} = \rho$  put in above equation

$$\gamma = \rho g \quad \text{or} \quad \rho = \frac{\gamma}{g}$$

(C)  
What is its specific weight if specific volume of gas is  $0.72 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$ ?

GIVEN THAT :-

$$\text{Specific Volume} = v = 0.72 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}$$

SOLUTION :-

As we know that

$$v = \frac{1}{\rho}$$

$$\rho = \frac{1}{v}$$

$$\rho = \frac{1}{0.72 \text{ m}^3/\text{kg}}$$

$$\rho = 1.38 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

So

$$\rho = \frac{\gamma}{g}$$

$$\gamma = \rho \times g$$

$$\gamma = 1.38 \times 9.8$$

$$\boxed{\gamma = 13.54 \text{ N/m}^3}$$



## QUESTION # 02

(a)

Define Pressure. What is absolute and gauge Pressure.

### PRESSURE :-

"It is defined as normal force exerted by fluid on unit area".

$$P = \frac{F}{A} \text{ or}$$

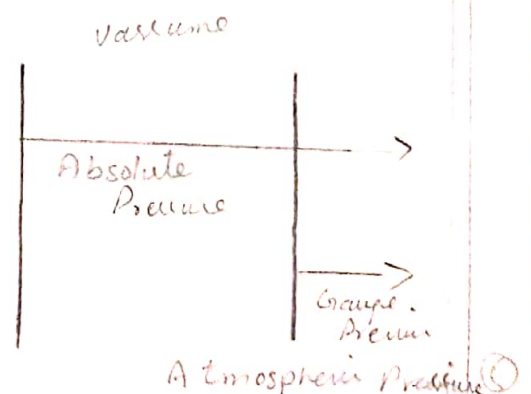
$$F = P \times A$$

### ABSOLUTE PRESSURE :-

"Absolute pressure is zero-referenced against a perfect vacuum, so it is equal to gauge pressure plus atmospheric pressure."

### GAUGE PRESSURE :-

"Gauge pressure is zero referenced against ambient air pressure, so it is equal to absolute pressure minus atmospheric pressure"



(b)

A water tank having dimension .....

..... point of application of force?

GIVEN DATA :-

$$l = 1500 \text{ mm} = 1.5 \text{ m}$$

$$b = 1500 \text{ mm} = 1.5 \text{ m}$$

$$h = 7932 \text{ mm} = 7.932$$

$$\text{weight of water} = 9.81 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

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a. NET PRESSURE :-

$$P = \rho h$$

$$P = 9.81 \times 7.932$$

$$P = 77.81292 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

b. FORCE APPLICATION :-

$$\bar{y} = h/3$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{7.932}{3}$$

$$\bar{y} = 2.644 \text{ m}$$

C. HALF DEPTH :~

Pressure at half depth,  $P' = \gamma \frac{h}{2}$

$$P' = 9.81 \times \frac{7.932}{2}$$

$$P' = 38.94 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

CENTROID,

$$\bar{y} = \frac{h}{2} \times \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{7.932}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\bar{y} = 1.322 \text{ m}$$