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**FINAL EXAMINATION
(ONLINE)
SEMESTER II
SESSION 2020/2021**

COURSE NAME : FLUID MECHANICS II
COURSE CODE : BDA 30203
PROGRAMME : BDD
EXAMINATION DATE : JULY 2021
DURATION : 3 HOURS
INSTRUCTION : 1. PART A : ANSWER **THREE (3)**
FROM **FOUR (4)** QUESTIONS.
2. PART B : ANSWER **ALL**
QUESTIONS.

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Q1 (a) Briefly describe the definition of hydraulic radius. (5 marks)

(b) Air at 30°C flows through a 70 m long, 2 cm x 2 cm rectangular cross section pipe as shown in **Figure 1(b)**. The flow is laminar flow and centerline velocity is 2 m/s. If the angle of pipe measure from horizontal plane is 35°, determine :

- (i) Reynold number;
- (ii) pressure different;
- (iii) head loss;
- (iv) wall shear stress;
- (v) shear stress at 1 cm from the center of the pipe; and
- (vi) power required to maintain this flow.

(15 marks)

Q2 (a) Briefly describe the characteristic of turbulent flow. (5 marks)

(b) **Figure Q2(b)** shows water at 25°C flows through a 60 mm diameter 30 m long galvanized iron pipe from a tank. The pump power is 40 kW and its efficiency is 80%. If the water flows at 0.046 m³/s, determine the height difference between the level of water in the tank and the nozzle. Neglect the minor losses that occur in the piping system.

(15 marks)

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- Q3** (a) Briefly describe the definition of Newton's Second Law. (5 marks)
- (b) **Figure Q3(b)** shows the shape of the infinitesimal fluid element used to derive a momentum equation. Based on this figure and the definition of Newton's Second Law, derive a momentum equation in the z-direction. (15 marks)
- Q4** (a) Briefly describe the advantages of having a vehicle which is streamlined compared to a non-streamlined body. (5 marks)
- (b) A smooth thin plate 10 m long and 1 m wide is placed in an air stream at 3 m/s with its length parallel with the flow. Determine the total drag force acting on the plate if the air temperature is 30°C. (8 marks)
- (c) Based on question Q4(b), determine the total drag force acting on the thin plate if the length of the plate is 3 m long and the air stream velocity is 1 m/s. (7 marks)

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PART B : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.

- Q5** (a) As a mechanical engineer, you can predict the performance of a new centrifugal pump using two methods which are One Dimensional Analysis (Velocity Triangle) and Hydraulic Scaling. Describe the limitation of each method.

(5 marks)

- (b) **Figure Q5(b)** shows the performance curves for a 31 cm diameter centrifugal pump used to pump water when it operates at 1000 rpm. The density of the water is 998 kg/m^3 . Determine head, capacity and power coefficient at its best efficiency point.

(9 marks)

- (c) Based on Question Q5(b), determine the new head, flowrate and power of the pump if we were to double the impeller speed.

(6 marks)

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Q6 (a) Briefly describe the different between incompressible and compressible fluid flow.

(5 marks)

(b) An airplane flies at a Mach number of 0.8 in air at 15°C and 100 kPa pressure. Determine the stagnation pressure and temperature. The specific heat at constant pressure, specific heat ratio, gas constant for air are 1.005 KJ/kg.K, 1.4, 283 J/kg K respectively.

(7 marks)

(c) Helium enters a converging-diverging nozzle at 0.7 MPa, 800 K and 100 m/s. If the specific heat ratio and specific heat at constant pressure for helium are 1.667, 5.19 kJ/kg.K respectively, determine the critical temperature and pressure that can be obtained at the throat of the nozzle.

(8 marks)

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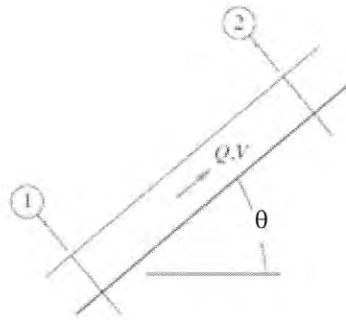


Figure Q1(b)

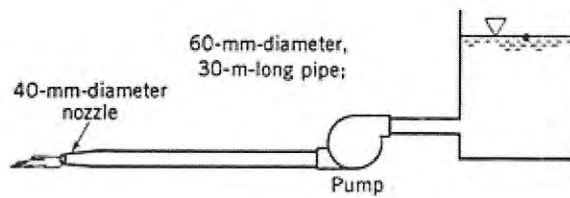


Figure Q2(b)

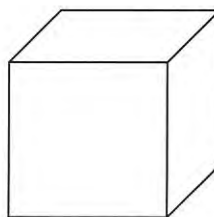


Figure Q3(b)

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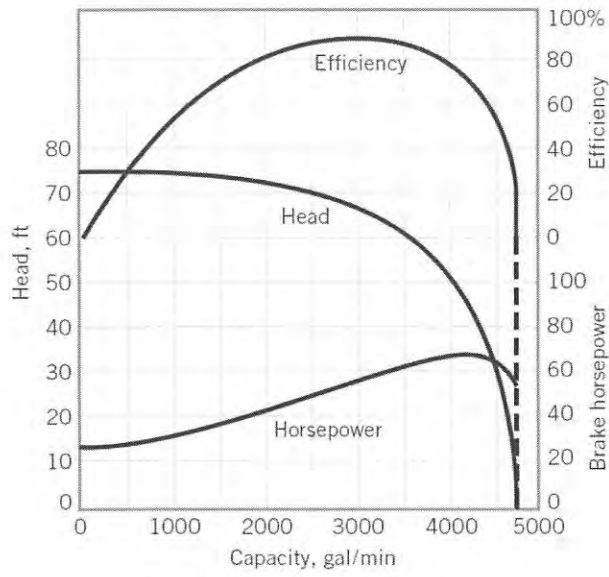
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1 gal/min = $6.31 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$

1 ft = 0.3048 m

1 bhp = 745.7 W

Figure Q5(b)

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