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COURSE NAME : FLUID MECHANICS AND
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DURATION : 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION : ANSWER FIVE (5) QUESTIONS
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- Q1** (a) Explain about surface tension. (4 marks)
- (b) Compare the characteristics between wetting fluid and nonwetting fluid. (4 marks)
- (c) A liquid compressed in a cylinder has a volume of 2 m^3 at 2 MN/m^2 and a volume reduce about 15 % at 4 MN/m^2 . Determine bulk modulus of elasticity. (5 marks)
- (d) Compute the capillary rise in the tube for a mercury-air-glass interface with 140° if the tube diameter is 0.3 cm and surface tension force is 0.5 N/m. ($\rho_{\text{mercury}} = 13500 \text{ kg/m}^3$). (7 marks)
- Q2** (a) Describe about simple U-tube manometer as a pressure measurement device. (4 marks)
- (b) Compare specifications between bourdon gauge and transducer. (4 marks)
- (c) Refer **Figure Q2(c)**, analyze pressure at A in kN/m^2 if $h_1 = 100 \text{ cm}$, $h_2 = 240 \text{ cm}$ and $\rho_{\text{mercury}} = 13500 \text{ kg/m}^3$. (12 marks)

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- Q3** (a) Explain about bouyancy concept in Archimedes principle. (4 marks)
- (b) Sketch diagrams according to the situations as below:
- i) Distance of gravity center greater than buoyancy center (2 marks)
- ii) Distance of buoyancy center greater than gravity center (2 marks)
- (c) A 13000 kg barrel with 4 m diameter and 6 m height was put inside a tank that consists raw water was stabilized and found floating inside the water tank. Determine as below:
- i) Volume of water displaced (4 marks)
- ii) Depth of barrel inside the water tank (4 marks)
- iii) Distance from center of gravity to center of buoyancy (4 marks)
- Q4** (a) List **four (4)** assumptions for a fluid according to Bernoulli's equation. (4 marks)
- (b) Explain the application of pitot tube in Bernoulli Theorem. (4 marks)
- (c) Calculate the water velocity that entered the a closed tank from a reservoir. The pressure inside the tank is -160 kN/m^2 and water level inside the reservoir is 10 m higher from the tank. Ignore the friction loss. (4 marks)
- (d) Diameter of a pipe at point A change uniformly from 8 cm at 4 m datum level to 4 cm at 2 m datum level at point B. The pressure and velocity at A are 55 kN/m^2 and 2 m/s. Ignoring losses, analyze pressure at B. (8 marks)

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- Q5** (a) Explain briefly about minor losses in pipe. (5 marks)
- (b) Sketch **three (3)** situations of head entrance loss. (3 marks)
- (c) Refer **Table Q5(c)** and **Figure Q5(c)**, determine the head loss due to friction when an oil flowing through a galvanized iron pipe at a velocity of 300 cm/s. The pipe is 600 m long and has a diameter of 60 cm. ($\nu = 1.31 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$). (6 marks)
- (d) Refer **Table Q5(d)**, analyze the flow rate of oil in the cast iron pipe. Energy head loss is 2500 mm is occurred in 5 cm diameter and 600 cm length. (6 marks)
- Q6** (a) Define the meaning of pipes in series. (2 marks)
- (b) Explain **three (3)** important principles that applicable in solving pipes in parallel problems. (6 marks)
- (c) Determine the absolute viscosity of the medium lubricating oil is pumped through 300 m of horizontal 50 mm pipe at the rate of $0.00114 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ and the drop in pressure is 200 kPa. (specific gravity: 0.86). (6 marks)
- (d) Evaluate the head lost in pipe for an oil flows through 3000 m of 300 mm cast iron pipe at the rate of $0.0444 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$. Oil of absolute viscosity is $0.101 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s}/\text{m}^2$ and specific gravity is 0.85. (6 marks)

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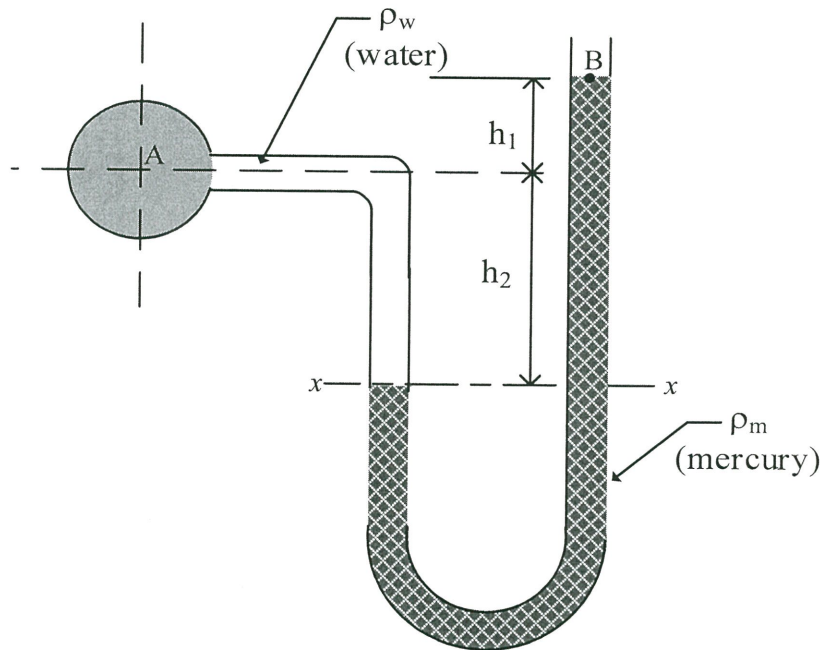


Figure Q2(c)

Table Q5(c)

Material	Absolute Roughness, e (mm)
Glass	0.0
Concrete	3
Galvanized Iron	0.15

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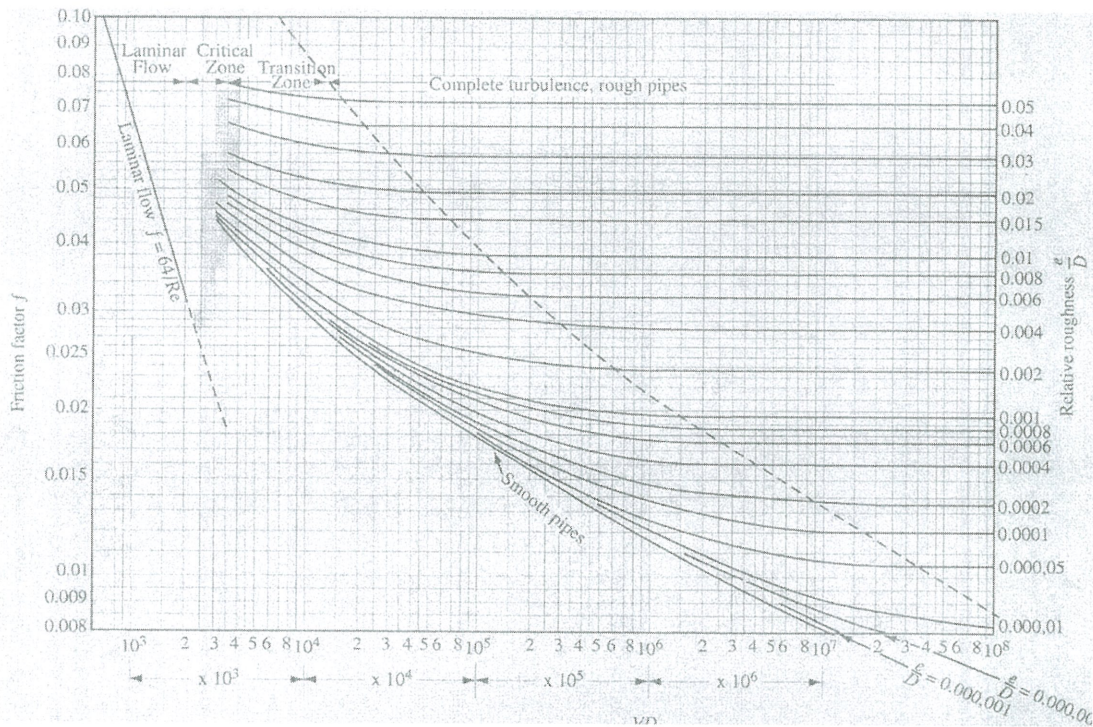


Figure Q5(c)

Table Q5(d)

Item	Value
$f_{\text{cast iron}}$	0.035
Kinematic viscosity, ν	$5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$
Roughness of cast iron pipe, e	0.25 mm

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