

KATHMANDU UNIVERSITY
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SECTION "A"
[20 Q. × 1 = 20 marks]

Mark [X] in the most appropriate option.

1. A fluid is a substance that
 is practically incompressible
 always expands until it fills any container
 obeys Newton's law of viscosity
 cannot remain at rest under action of any shear force
2. Property of a fluid by which molecules of different kinds of fluid are attracted to each other is called
 adhesion cohesion surface tension viscosity
3. A U-tube manometer measures
 absolute pressure at a point
 local atmospheric pressure
 difference in total energy between two points
 difference in pressure between two points
4. Metacentric height is the distance between the metacenter and
 water surface center of gravity center of pressure center of buoyancy
5. A metallic body weighs 80 N in air and 60 N in water. The relative density of metallic body is
 8 6 4 2
6. Continuity equation is related to conservation of
 mass energy momentum pressure
7. The flow field represented by the velocity vector $V = axi + by^2j + czk$
 three-dimensional and steady two-dimensional and steady
 three-dimensional and unsteady two-dimensional and unsteady
8. Irrotational flow is characterized by one in which
 fluid flows along a straight line
 fluid does not rotate as it moves along
 net rotation of fluid particles about their mass centers remains zero
 streamlines of flow are curved and closely spaced
9. Which of the following assumption is incorrect in derivation of Bernoulli's equation?
 ideal fluid steady flow
 incompressible flow rotational flow

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SECTION "B"
[5 Q. \times 11 = 55 marks]

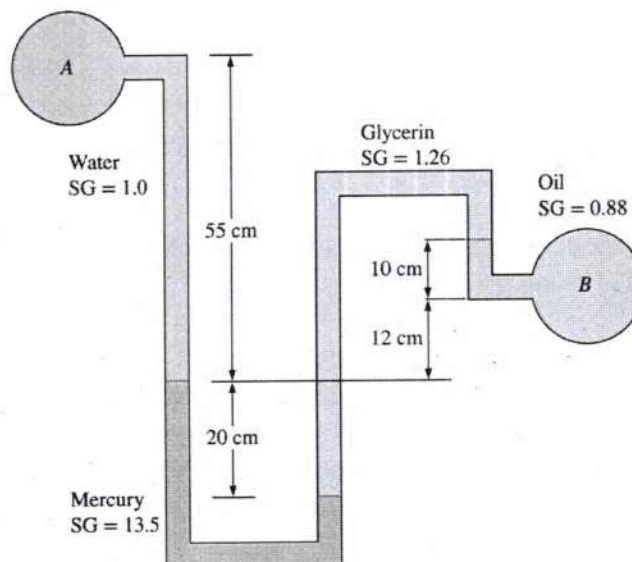
Attempt *ALL* questions. Assume suitable data if necessary.

1.

- What is a fluid? With appropriate diagram explain no-slip condition. [1+4]
- Two large stationary plane surfaces are 2.4 cm apart. The space between the surfaces is filled with glycerin having coefficient of viscosity 8.1 Poise. What force is required to drag a very thin plate of surface area 0.5 m^2 between the two large plane surfaces at a speed of 0.6 m/s if [3+3]
 - Thin plate is in the middle of the two planes
 - Thin plate is at distance of 0.8 cm from one of the surfaces.

2.

- Differentiate between Lagrangian and Eulerian descriptions of fluid flow with suitable examples. Write down an expression for material derivative of acceleration. [4+1]
- The pressure difference between an oil pipe and water pipe is measured by a double-fluid manometer. For the given fluid heights and specific gravities, calculate the pressure difference between the two pipes. [6]

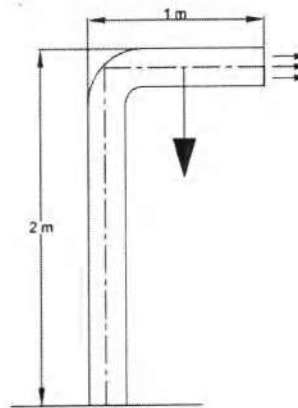


3.

- a. Applying conservation of mass principle, derive an expression for mass conservation in integral form for a control volume of arbitrary shape [5]
- b. Air flows steadily at low speed through a horizontal nozzle (*by definition a device for accelerating a flow*), discharging to atmosphere. The area at the nozzle inlet is 0.1 m^2 . At the nozzle exit, the area is 0.02 m^2 . Determine the gage pressure required in kPa at the nozzle inlet to produce an outlet speed of 50 m/s . Take density of air as 1.23 kg/m^3 . [6]

4.

- a. Write down and explain each term in incompressible Navier-Stokes equation. Applying necessary assumptions, determine the simplified form of the equation for inviscid flow and irrotational flow. [1+2+2]
- b. Underground water is pumped through a 10 cm diameter pipe that consists of a 2 m long vertical and 1 m long horizontal section. Water discharges to atmospheric air at an average velocity 3 m/s and the mass of the horizontal pipe section when filled with water is 12 kg per meter length. The pipe is anchored on the ground by a concrete base. Determine the bending moment at the base of the pipe and the required length of the pipe horizontal section that would make the moment at base zero. Take density of water as 1000 kg/m^3 . [6]



5.

- a. Explain how drag and lift forces are generated in an object moving in a fluid. Does streamlining always reduce drag? Explain. [2+2]
- b. Water is to be discharged from a reservoir at a rate of 18 L/s using two horizontal cast-iron pipes connected in series and a pump between them. The first pipe is 20 m long and has a 6-cm diameter, while the second pipe is 35 m long and has a 4-cm diameter. The water level in the reservoir is 30 m above the centerline of the pipe. The pipe entrance is sharp-edged, and losses associated with the connection of the pump are negligible. Determine the required pumping head to maintain the indicated flow rate. Density of water is 999.1 kg/m^3 , $\mu = 1.138 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg/m}\cdot\text{s}$, loss coefficient for sharp-edged entrance is 0.5 and roughness of cast iron pipes is $\epsilon = 0.00026 \text{ m}$. [7]
Friction factor relations are given as:

$$f = \frac{64}{Re} \quad \text{for laminar flow}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} = -2 \log\left(\frac{\epsilon}{3.7D} + \frac{2.51}{Re\sqrt{f}}\right) \quad \text{for turbulent flow}$$