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Agricultural Engineering

19UAG305 - FLUID MECHANICS AND OPEN CHANNEL HYDRAULICS

(Regulation 2019)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. The ratio of weight of fluid to unit volume of fluid is called CO1- R  
(a) density      (b) specific weight      (c) mass density      (d) viscosity
2. Surface tension is due to CO1- R  
(a) cohesion and adhesion      (b) cohesion only  
(c) adhesion only      (d) none of these
3. It is a type of flow in which are fluid particles while flowing along CO2- R  
stream lines also rotate about their own axis  
(a) rotational flow      (b) laminar flow      (c) irrigational flow      (d) vortex flow
4. The flow net is used to determine the CO2- R  
(a) stream lines      (b) Equipotential lines      (c) path line      (d) both a and b
5. Which of the flowing is a major loss CO3- R  
(a) Friction loss      (b) shock loss      (c) entry loss      (d) exit loss
6. Venturimeter is one of the application of CO3- R  
(a) Equation of continuity      (b) Bernoulli's equation  
(c) Light equation      (d) Speed relation
7. The discharge in an open channel corresponding to critical depth is CO4- R  
(a) zero      (b) minimum      (c) maximum      (d) none of these

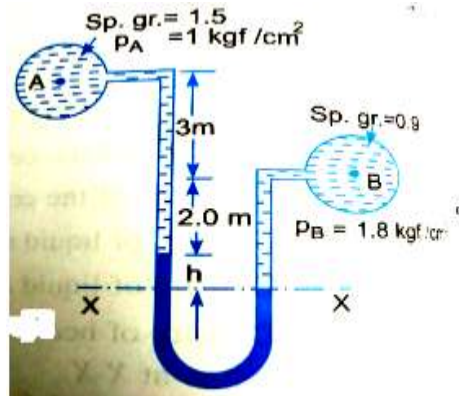
8. The most efficient rectangular section is the one which has CO4- U  
 (a)  $b = d$                       (b)  $d = 2b$                       (c)  $b = 2d$                       (d)  $b = d/3$
9. The fluid coming into the centrifugal pump is accelerated by CO5- U  
 (a) throttle                      (b) impeller                      (c) nozzle                      (d) governor
10. The manometric efficiency of a centrifugal pump is given by CO5 -U  
 (a) infiltration                      (b) percolation                      (c) runoff                      (d) seepage

PART – B (5 x 2= 10Marks)

11. State Newton's law of Viscosity and give examples CO1- R
12. Derive the continuity equation CO2- U
13. What is venturimeter? Write the main parts of Venturimeter. CO3- U
14. What is meant by critical flow? CO4- U
15. What are the methods of dimensional analysis? CO5- R

PART – C (5 x 16= 80Marks)

16. (a) A differential manometer is connected at the two points A & B of two pipes as shown in fig. The Pipe A Contains a liquid of specific gravity is 1.5. While pipe B contains a liquid of specific gravity is 0.9. The pressures at A & B are  $1 \text{ kgf/cm}^2$  and  $1.5 \text{ kgf/cm}^2$  respectively. Find the difference in mercury level in the differential manometer. CO1- Ana (16)



Or

- (b) A single column vertical manometer is connected to a pipe containing oil of sp.gr 0.9. The area of the reservoir is 80 times the area of the manometer tube. The reservoir contains mercury of sp.gr 13.6. The level of mercury in the reservoir is at a height of 30cm below the center of the pipe and difference of mercury levels in the reservoir and right limb is 50cm. Find the pressure in the pipe. CO1- U (16)

17. (a) The water is flowing through a pipe having diameter 20cm and 10cm at section 1 and 2 respectively. The rate of flow through pipe is 35 liters/sec. The section 1 is 6 m above datum and section 2 is 4m above the datum. If the pressure at section 1 is 39.24N/cm<sup>2</sup>. Find the intensity of pressure at section 2. CO2 - Ana (16)
- Or
- (b) Water flow through a pipe AB 1.2 m diameter at 3 m/s and the passes through a pipe BC 1.5 cm diameter. At C, the pipe branches. Branch CD is 0.8 m in diameter and carries one third of flow in AB. The velocity in branch CE is 2.5 m/s. Find the volume rate of flow in AB, the velocity in BC, the velocity in CD and the diameter of CE. CO2 - Ana (16)
18. (a) Derive the expression for Darcy Weisbach formula CO3- U (16)
- Or
- (b) The rate of flow of water through a horizontal pipe is 0.3m<sup>3</sup>/s. the diameter of the pipe which is 200mm is suddenly enlarged to 400mm. the pressure intensity in the smaller pipe is 12.772N/cm<sup>2</sup>. determine  
 i) loss of head due to sudden enlargement ii) pressure intensity in the large pipe iii) power loss due to enlargement CO3 - Ana (16)
19. (a) A rectangular channel 4m wide has depth of water 1.5m. the slope of the bed of the channel is 1 in 1000 and value of chezy's constant  $c=55$ . it is desired to increase the discharge to a maximum by changing the dimensions of the section for constant area of cross section slope of the bed and roughness of the channel. find the new dimensions of the channel and increase in discharge. CO4- Ana (16)
- Or
- (b) Derive the condition for the most economical rectangular channel CO4 -U (16)
20. (a) Draw a neat sketch of centrifugal pump and explain the working principle of centrifugal pump CO5- U (16)
- Or

- (b) The internal and external diameters of the impeller of a CO5- Ana (16) centrifugal pump are 200 mm and 400mm respectively. the pump is running at 1200 r.p.m. The vane angles of the impeller at inlet and outlet are  $20^\circ$  and  $30^\circ$  respectively. The water enters the impeller radially and velocity of flow is constant. determine the work done by the impeller per unit weight of water.