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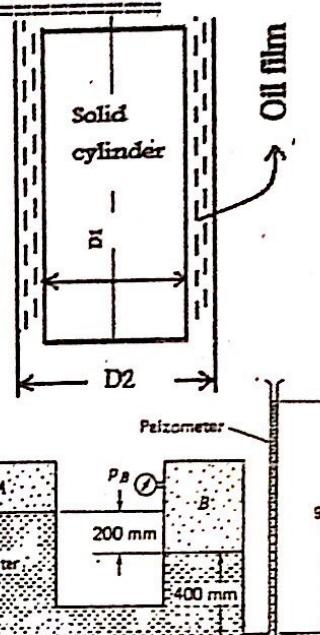
Summer Semester 2011/2012

1st Hour Exam

Problem #1: (15 %)

- ✓ A solid cylinder having a mass of 1 kg, 60mm diameter and a length of 100 mm slides down a 62 mm diameter pipe as shown in figure 1. An oil having viscosity of 0.08 N.s/m² keeps the cylinder concentric in the pipe.
Determine the terminal velocity of the falling cylinder.

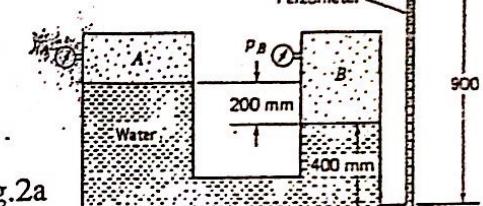
Fig.1



Problem #2: (20 %)

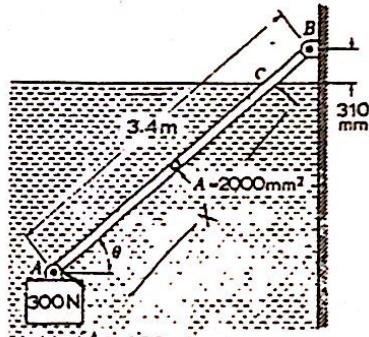
- ✓ a) In Fig.2a; an open tube is connected to a tank. The water rises to a height of 900 mm in the tube. A tube used in this way is called Piezometer. What are the pressures P_A and P_B of the air above the water? ($\gamma_{water} = 9790 \text{ N/m}^3$)

Fig.2a



- ✓ b) A block of wood having a volume of 0.034 m³ and weighing 300 N is suspended in water as shown in Fig.2b. A wooden rod of length 3.4 m and cross section of 2000 mm² is attached to the weight and also to the wall. If the rod weighs 16 N, what will the angle θ be for equilibrium?

Fig.2b

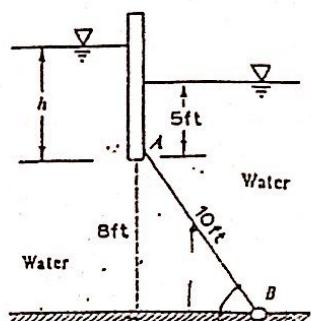


Problem #3: (15 %)

- Jph=6ft
The gate AB in Fig.3 weighs 2000 lbf when submerged. It is hinged at B and rests against a smooth wall at A. Determine the water level (h) which will just cause the gate to open.

$$\gamma_{water} = 62.4 \text{ lbf/ft}^3$$

Fig.3



$$Q1) \sum F_y = 0$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 = mg - T A \\ C = mg - (\cancel{T} \cancel{A})(A)$$

$$mg = \left(\frac{M}{R_2 - R_1} \right) V^{2\pi R_1 L}$$

$$mg = \frac{M V}{R_2 - R_1} 2\pi R_1 L \rightarrow V = \frac{mg(R_2 - R_1)}{\mu 2\pi R_1 L}$$

$$V = \frac{(1)(9.81)(0.062 - 0.06)}{(0.08)(2\pi)(0.06)(0.1)} = \frac{0.01962}{3.0154289 \times 10^3}$$

$$V = 6.50546 \text{ m/s}$$

$$Q2) A)$$

$$P_A + \gamma_w h_1 = P_B + \cancel{\gamma_w h_2} = P_{atm} + \gamma_w h_3$$

$$P_A + (9790)(0.6) = P_{atm} + (9790)(0.9)$$

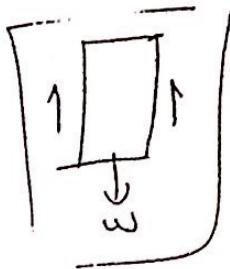
$$P_A = P_{atm} + (9790)(0.9) - (9790)(0.6)$$

$$P_A = P_{atm} + (8811) - (5874) = P_{atm} + 2937$$

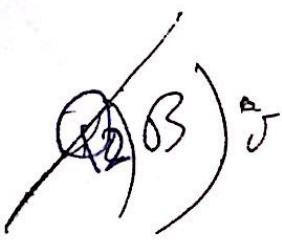
$$P_A = (P_{atm} + 2937) P_a \rightarrow (P_A = 2937 P_a) \text{ gage}$$

$$P_B + \gamma_w h_2 = P_{atm} + \gamma_w h_3 \rightarrow P_B = P_{atm} + \gamma_w h_3 - \gamma_w h_2$$

$$P_B = P_{atm} + (9790)(0.9) - (9790)(0.4) = \cancel{P_{atm}} + \cancel{3916} - 3916 \\ = P_{atm} + 8811 - 3916 = (P_{atm} + 4895) \rightarrow (P_B = 4895 P_a) \text{ gage}$$



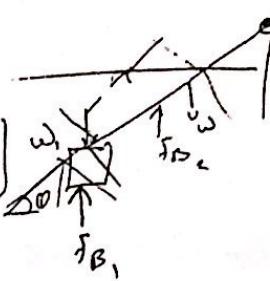
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$$f_{B_1} = \gamma_w (V_{BLOCK}) = (9790)(0.034) = 332.86 \text{ N}$$

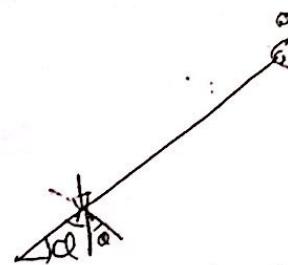
$$\boxed{\omega_{BLOCK} = 300 \text{ rad/s}}$$

$$\omega_{rot} = 16 \text{ rad/s}$$



$$f_{B_2} = \gamma_w (A)(x) = (9790) \cancel{(300)} (2 \times 10^3) (x)$$

$$f_{B_2} = (19.58x) \text{ N} \quad x = (3.4 - \frac{0.31}{\sin \theta})$$



$$\sum M_B = 0 = (f_{B_1}) \cancel{(\cos \theta)} (3.4) + (300) \cancel{\cos \theta} (3.4) - (f_{B_2}) \cancel{(\cos \theta)} (3.4 - \frac{x}{2}) + (\omega_{rot}) \cancel{(\frac{3.4}{2})} \cancel{(\cos \theta)}$$

$$0 = -(f_{B_1})(3.4) + (300)(3.4) - (f_{B_2})(3.4 - \frac{x}{2}) + (\omega_{rot})(\frac{3.4}{2})$$

$$0 = -(332.86)(3.4) + (300)(3.4) - (19.58x)(3.4 - \frac{x}{2}) + (16)(\frac{3.4}{2})$$

$$0 = -111.724 + 27.2 - (19.58x)(3.4) + \cancel{(\frac{19.58x^2}{2})} \quad 7.5$$

$$84.52 = -66.572x + 9.79x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 9.79x^2 - 66.572x - 84.52 = 0$$

$$\frac{(66.572) \pm \sqrt{(66.572)^2 - 4(9.79)(-84.52)}}{2(9.79)} = \frac{66.572 \pm 87.986}{19.58}$$

~~$$x = 1.09366 \text{ m}$$~~

$$\rightarrow x = 1.09366 \text{ m} \quad \theta = ?$$

~~$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3.4}{1.09366} \right)$$~~

$\rightarrow ?$
where to?

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55°

To calculate the force from the Right side:-

$$h_{CG} = 5 + \left(8 - 5 \left(\frac{8}{10} \right) \right) = \boxed{9 \text{ ft}}$$

$$A = (6)(10) \text{ ft} = \boxed{60 \text{ ft}^2}$$

$$F_p = \gamma_w h_{CG} \cdot A = (62.4)(9)(60) = \boxed{33696 \text{ lb}_f}$$

$$y_{p_1} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{12} \right)(6)(10)^3}{(9)(60)} = \boxed{0.74 \text{ ft}}$$

$F_1 = 33696 \pm b_f$ act on $9 + 0.74 = 9.74 \text{ ft}$ from the surface

To calculate the force from the Left side:-

$$h_{CG} = h + \left(8 - 5 \left(\frac{8}{10} \right) \right) = \boxed{h + 4} \text{ ft}$$

$$A = (6)(10) = \boxed{60 \text{ ft}^2}$$

$$F_2 = \gamma_w h_{CG} \cdot A = (62.4)(h+4)(60) = \boxed{3744(h+4) \pm b_f}$$

$$y_{p_2} = \frac{-T_{xx} \sin \phi}{h_{CG} \cdot D} = \frac{-\left(\frac{1}{12} \right)(6)(10)^3 \left(\frac{8}{10} \right)}{(h+4)(60)} = \boxed{-6.667 \text{ ft}}$$

F_2 act on $(h+4) + \frac{6.667}{(h+4)}$ from the surface.

$$\sum M_B = 0 = (\omega \cos \phi)(5) - (F_1)(13 - 9.74) + (F_2)(13 - (h+4) - \frac{6.667}{(h+4)})$$

$$0 = (2000) \left(\frac{6}{10} \right)(5) - (33696)(3.26) + 3744(h+4)(13 - (h+4) - \frac{6.667}{(h+4)})$$

$$103848.96 = (3744)(13)(h+4) - (3744)(h+4)^2 - (6.667)(3744)$$

