

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF FLUIDS

(1). Relative density of a substance $\rho_{\text{rel}} = \frac{\rho_{\text{substance}}}{\rho_{\text{water at } 4^\circ\text{C}}}$

(2). Gauge pressure $= \rho gh$

Apparent weight of a body of density ρ in a fluid of density ρ_f

$W' = W \left(1 - \frac{\rho_f}{\rho} \right)$, W = weight of the body in air

(4). Equation of continuity $Av = \text{constant}$

Here, A = cross-sectional area of pipe and v = fluid velocity

(5). Bernoulli's equation = At any point in a streamline flow

$$P + \rho gh + \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2 = \text{constant}$$

Here, P = pressure, v = fluid velocity and ρ is density.

(6). Coefficient of viscosity $\eta = \frac{F}{A \frac{dv}{dy}}$

Here, F = viscous force, y = separation between two lamina, A = area of each lamina and v = Relative velocity of two lamina

(7). According to Stokes law $F = 6\pi\eta r v$

Here, r = radius of a ball or drop and v = velocity of ball or drop

(8). Formula for Terminal velocity. is $V_T = \sqrt{\frac{2r^2(\rho - \rho_f)g}{9\eta}}$

where, ρ = density of falling body, ρ_f = density of fluid and η = coefficient of viscosity.

(9). Reynolds number. $R = \frac{\rho v d}{\eta}$ where, d = diameter of the pipe

(10). Excess pressure inside a liquid drop or a cavity of radius r is $\Delta P = \frac{4\sigma}{r}$ where σ is surface tension

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On Height of a liquid in a capillary tube is $h = \frac{2\sigma \cos \theta}{r \rho g}$

Where, θ = angle of contact, ρ = density of the liquid and g = acceleration due to gravity