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Name: Model Answer

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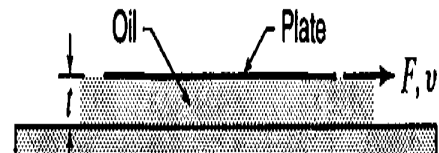
Answer the following questions:

Question one (5 marks)

A) If a certain liquid has a specific weight of 8600 N/m^3 , what are the values of its density, specific volume, and specific gravity?

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{Q1}{A)} \quad w &= 8600 \text{ N/m}^3 = \rho g \\ \therefore \text{density } \rho &= \frac{8600}{9.8} = 877.55 \text{ Kg/m}^3 \\ \therefore \text{sp. volume } v &= \frac{1}{\rho} = 1.14 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3/\text{Kg} \\ \therefore \text{sp. gravity } \gamma &= \frac{\rho_f}{\rho_w} = \frac{877.55}{1000} = 0.88 \end{aligned}$$

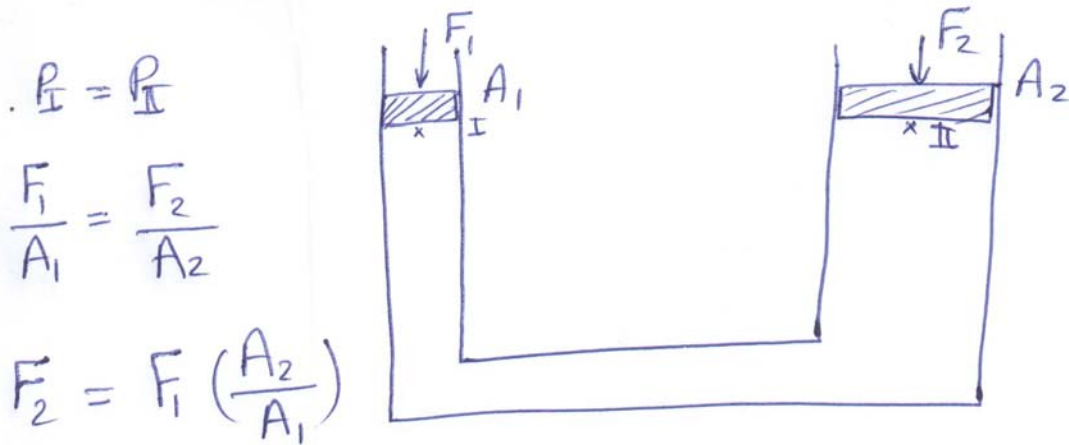
B) A flat plate $200 \text{ mm} \times 750 \text{ mm}$ slides on oil ($\mu = 0.85 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s/m}^2$) over a large plane surface. What force (F) is required to drag the plate at a velocity (v) of 1.2 m/s , if the thickness (t) of the separating oil film is 0.6 mm ?



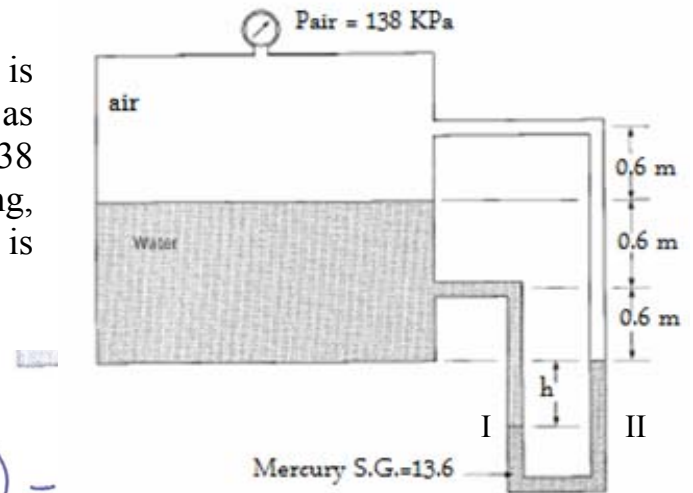
$$\begin{aligned} B) \quad A &= 200 \times 750 \times 10^{-6} = 0.15 \text{ m}^2 \\ \mu &= 0.85 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s/m}^2 \\ v &= 1.2 \text{ m/s} \quad dy = t = 0.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \\ F &= \mu A \frac{du}{dy} \\ &= 0.85 \times 0.15 \times \frac{1.2}{0.6 \times 10^{-3}} = 255 \text{ Newton} \end{aligned}$$

Question two (5 marks)

A) Explain using neat sketches Pascal law.



B) A U-tube mercury manometer is connected to a closed pressurized tank, as shown in figure. If the air pressure is 138 KPa, determine the differential reading, h . The specific weight of the air is negligible.



$$P_I = P_{II}$$

$$P_{air} + \rho_w g(0.6 + 0.6 + h) = P_{air} + \rho_m g h$$

$$\rho_w g(0.6 + 0.6) = \rho_m g h - \rho_w g h$$

$$1000 * 9.8 * 1.2 = (13600 - 1000) * 9.8 * h$$

$$h = \frac{1000 * 1.2}{12600}$$

$$= \frac{2}{21} = 0.095 \text{ m}$$