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**Answer the following questions:**

**Question one (12 marks)**

- a) Discuss the relation between:
- Viscosity and Temperature for a certain fluid.
  - Absolute, Atmospheric and gauge pressure.
- b) The pressure of 1 m<sup>3</sup> of a fluid is increased 10 to 20 bar at a constant temperature, calculate the final volume of the fluid in the following cases:-
- a. The fluid is an ideal gas.
  - b. The fluid is water ( $k = 2 \times 10^9 \text{ N/m}^2$ ).
- Use the results to explain the main difference between liquids and gases.

**Question two (12 marks)**

- a) A diver is working at a depth of 18 m under sea water surface; calculate the pressure at this depth in gauge and absolute values if the specific gravity of sea water is 1.02.
- b) A rectangular tank (3 m long, 2 m wide, and 2.5 m high) contains oil of specific gravity  $\gamma = 0.9$ . Calculate the magnitude, direction, and line of action of the pressure force on the following:
- a. The sides of the tank.
  - b. The tank's bottom.

**Question three (12 marks)**

- a) Compare between Piezometer tube and U-tube with one leg enlarged.
- b) Two water tanks A and B are connected with a cast iron pipe ( $\epsilon = 0.25 \text{ mm}$ ) 15 cm diameter and 800 m long has a coefficient of friction ( $f = 0.025$ ). Along the pipe, there are a fully opened gate valve ( $k = 1.2$ ), three 45° bends ( $k$  for each = 0.8) and four 45° bends ( $k$  for each = 0.6).
- For sudden contraction  $k = 0.5$  and enlargement  $k = 1.0$ .
- i. Find the difference in levels between water surfaces in two tanks, so that a discharge of 60 lit/s flows from tank A to tank B.
  - ii. If the valve is partially closed to reduce the discharge to 60% of its initial value, keeping the same difference in levels, what will be the head lost in the valve.

#### **Question Four (12 marks)**

- a) Compare between vane pump and axial flow pump.
- b) Explain how to avoid cavitation for positive displacement pump.
- c) A three cylinders piston pump, having ram 30 cm diameter by 60 cm stroke, is required to lift 80 liter of water per second against a static head of 85 m. The friction loss in the suction pipe is 1.2 m and in delivery pipe is 12 m. The water velocity is 1 m/s. The mechanical efficiency of the pump ( $\eta_m$ ) is 90% and the volumetric efficiency ( $\eta_{vol}$ ) is 98%. Calculate the speed at which the pump should run and the power required to drive it.

#### **Question Five (12 marks)**

For the hydraulic circuit shown in figure:-

- a) Write the name of each component.
- b) What will happen to (6) when:-
  - i- the left solenoid in (5) is activated (draw the circuit).
  - ii- the right solenoid in (5) is activated (use different pen in the previous drawing).

