

Fluid Properties



Hydraulics

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Dimensions and Units

- The dimensions have to be the same for each term in an equation
- Dimensions of mechanics are

- length

L

- time

T

- mass

M

- force

$$\underline{\mathbf{F = ma}} \longrightarrow \underline{MLT^{-2}}$$

- temperature

Θ



Dimensions and Units

Quantity	Symbol	Dimensions
Velocity	V	LT^{-1}
Acceleration	a	LT^{-2}
Area	A	L^2
Volume	∇	L^3
Discharge	Q	L^3T^{-1}
Pressure	p	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$
Gravity	g	LT^{-2}
Temperature	T'	Θ
Mass concentration	C	ML^{-3}

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Dimensions and Units

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Dimensions</u>
Density	ρ	ML^{-3}
Specific Weight	γ	$ML^{-2}T^{-2}$
Dynamic viscosity (μ)	μ	$ML^{-1}T^{-1}$
Kinematic viscosity (ν)	ν	L^2T^{-1}
Surface tension	σ	MT^{-2}
Bulk mod of elasticity	E	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$

$$\gamma = \rho g$$

$$\nu = \frac{\mu}{\rho}$$

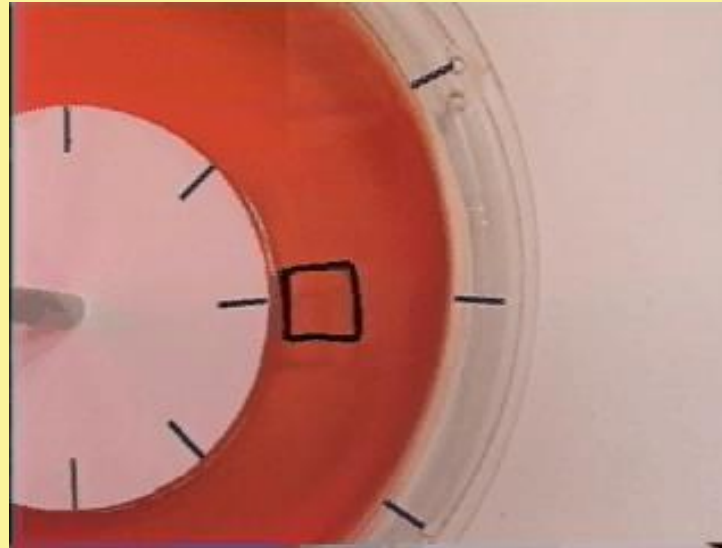
These are fluid properties!

How many independent properties? 4



Definition of a Fluid

- “a fluid, such as water or air, deforms continuously when acted on by shearing stresses of any magnitude.”
- *Young, Munson, Okiishi*



Why isn't steel a fluid?

Density and Specific Weight

- Density (mass/unit volume) ρ

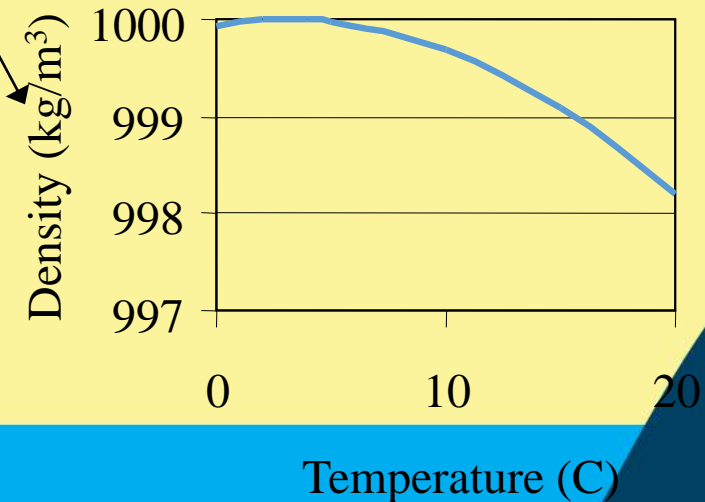
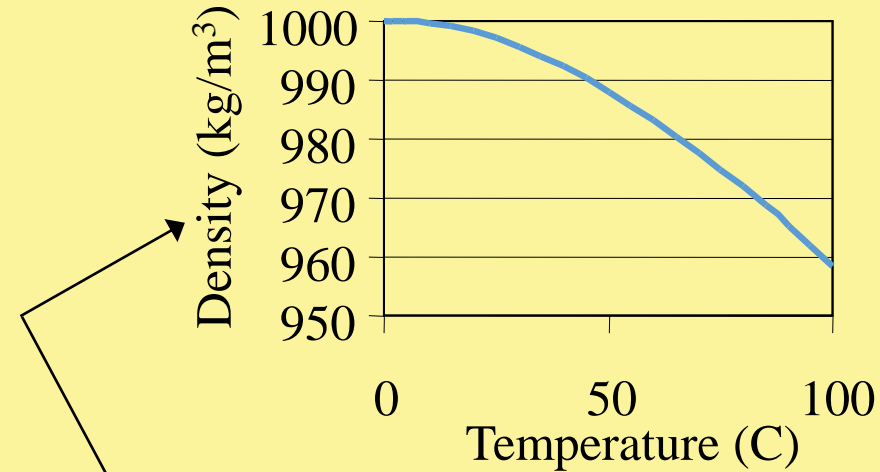
Specific mass

- density of water: 1000 kg/m³
- density of air at atmospheric pressure and 15 °C

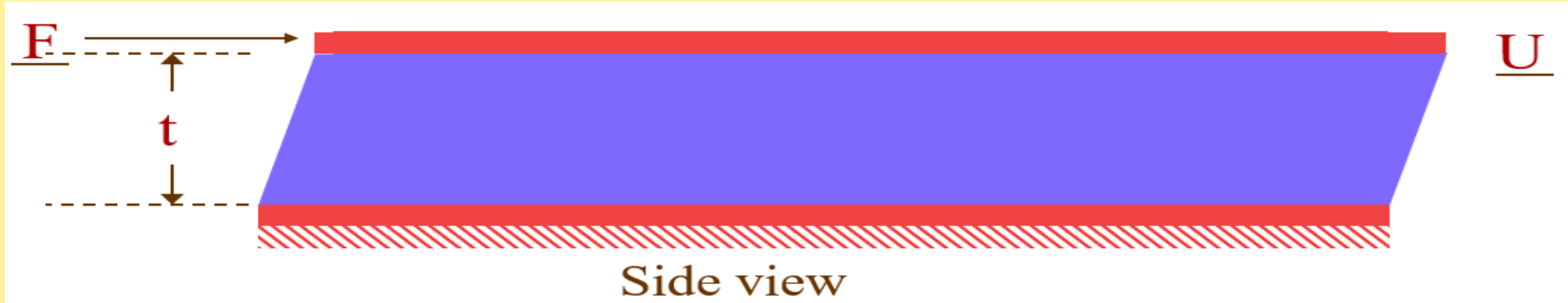
- Specific Weight of water (weight per unit volume) γ

- 1.22 kg/m³

$$\gamma = \rho g = 9806 \text{ N/m}^3$$



Fluid Deformation between Parallel Plates



Force F causes the top plate to have velocity U .
 What other parameters control how much force is required to get a desired velocity?

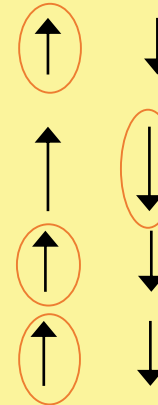
If this parameter increases, what does F do?

Distance between plates (t)

Area of plates (A)

Viscosity! (μ)

$$F = \mu \frac{AU}{t}$$



Shear Stress

$$F = \mu \frac{AU}{t}$$

$$\mu = \frac{Ft}{AU}$$

dimension of $\left[\frac{N \cdot s}{m^2} \right]$

$$\tau = \frac{F}{A}$$

Tangential force per unit area

$$\left[\frac{N}{m^2} \right]$$

$$\tau = \mu \frac{U}{t}$$

$$\frac{U}{t}$$

Rate of angular deformation

$$\left[\frac{1}{s} \right]$$

$$\tau = \mu \frac{du}{dy}$$

$$\frac{du}{dy}$$

change in velocity with respect to distance

rate of shear

Our general equation relating shear and viscosity



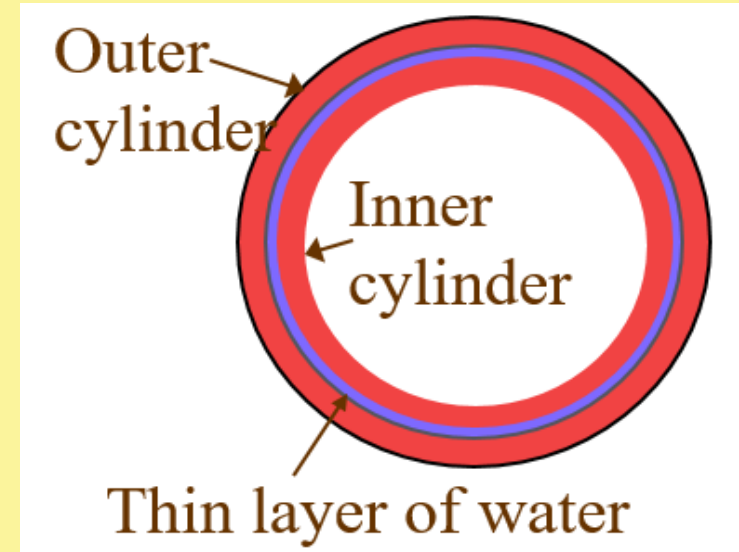
Fluid Viscosity

- Examples of highly viscous fluids
molasses, tar, 20w-50 oil, glycerin
- Fundamental mechanism
 - Gases - transfer of molecular momentum
 - Viscosity increases as temperature increases.
 - Viscosity increases as pressure increases.
 - Liquids - cohesion and momentum transfer
 - Viscosity decreases as temperature increases.
 - Relatively independent of pressure (incompressible)



Example: Measure the viscosity of water

The inner cylinder is 10 cm in diameter and rotates at 10 rpm. The fluid layer is 2 mm thick and 20 cm high. The power required to turn the inner cylinder is 100×10^{-6} watts. What is the dynamic viscosity of the fluid?



$$\tau = \mu \frac{du}{dy}$$

$$F = \mu \frac{AU}{t}$$

Viscosity Measurement: Solution

$$F = \mu \frac{AU}{t}$$

$$U = \omega r$$

$$A = 2\pi r h$$

$$\omega = \frac{10 \text{ rev}}{\text{min}} \frac{2\pi \text{ rad}}{\text{rev}} \frac{\text{min}}{60 \text{ s}} = 1.047 \text{ rad/s}$$

$$r = 5 \text{ cm}$$

$$t = 2 \text{ mm}$$

$$h = 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$P = 100 \times 10^{-6} \text{ W}$$

$$10 \text{ rpm}$$

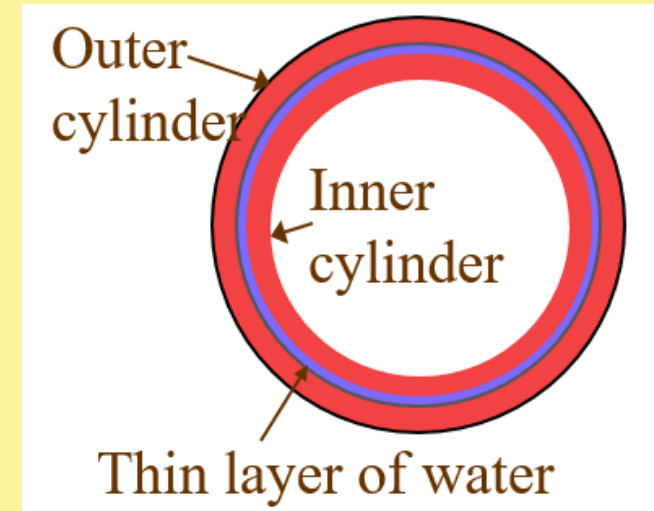
$$F = \mu \frac{2\pi\omega r^2 h}{t}$$

$$P = F\omega r$$

$$P = \mu \frac{2\pi\omega^2 r^3 h}{t}$$

$$\mu = \frac{Pt}{2\pi\omega^2 r^3 h}$$

$$m = \frac{(100 \times 10^{-6} \text{ W})(0.002 \text{ m})}{2\pi(1.047/\text{s})^2(0.05 \text{ m})^3(0.2 \text{ m})} = 1.16 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N}\cdot\text{s}/\text{m}^2$$



Role of Viscosity

- Statics
 - Fluids at rest have no relative motion between layers of fluid and thus $du/dy = 0$
 - Therefore the shear stress is zero and is independent of the fluid viscosity
- Dynamics
 - Fluid viscosity is very important
 - when the fluid is moving



Dynamic and Kinematic Viscosity

- Kinematic viscosity (ν) is a fluid property obtained by dividing the dynamic viscosity (μ) by the fluid density

$$\nu = \frac{\mu}{\rho} \quad \nu = \frac{\left[\frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m} \cdot \text{s}} \right]}{\left[\frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3} \right]} \quad \underline{[\text{m}^2/\text{s}]}$$

Connection to Reynolds number!

$$\underline{Re = \frac{\rho V D}{\mu} = \frac{V D}{\nu}}$$



Practice Problem

The velocity distribution in a viscous flow over a plate is given by

$$u = 4y - y^2 \text{ for } y \leq 2 \text{ m}$$

where u = velocity in m/s at a point distant y from the plate. If the coefficient of dynamic viscosity is 1.5 Pa.s determine the shear stress at $y = 0$ and at $y = 2.0$ m.



Practice Problem

A 90 N rectangular solid block slides down a 30° inclined plane. The plane is lubricated by a 3 mm thick film of oil of relative density 0.90 and viscosity 8.0 poise. If the contact area is 0.3 m^2 , estimate the terminal velocity of the block.



Fluid Properties contd.



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Perfect Gas Law

- $PV = nRT$
 - R is the universal gas constant
 - T is in Kelvin

$$R_{text} = \frac{R}{M_{gas}} \quad R = 8.314 \frac{Nm}{mol K}$$

M_{gas} is molecular mass

M_{gas} for air is 0.029 kg/mole

Why is this M_{gas} for air reasonable

N_2 28 g/mol, O_2 32 g/mol



Bulk Modulus of Elasticity

- Relates the change in volume to a change in pressure
- changes in density at high pressure

$$E_v = - \frac{dp}{dV/V}$$

$$E_v = \frac{dp}{d\rho/\rho}$$

$$Pv = \text{Constant}$$

On differentiation we get

$$Pdv + vdp = 0$$

$$\frac{dp}{dv} = - \frac{p}{v}$$

Hence $E_v = -v \left(-\frac{p}{v}\right)$ $E_v = p$

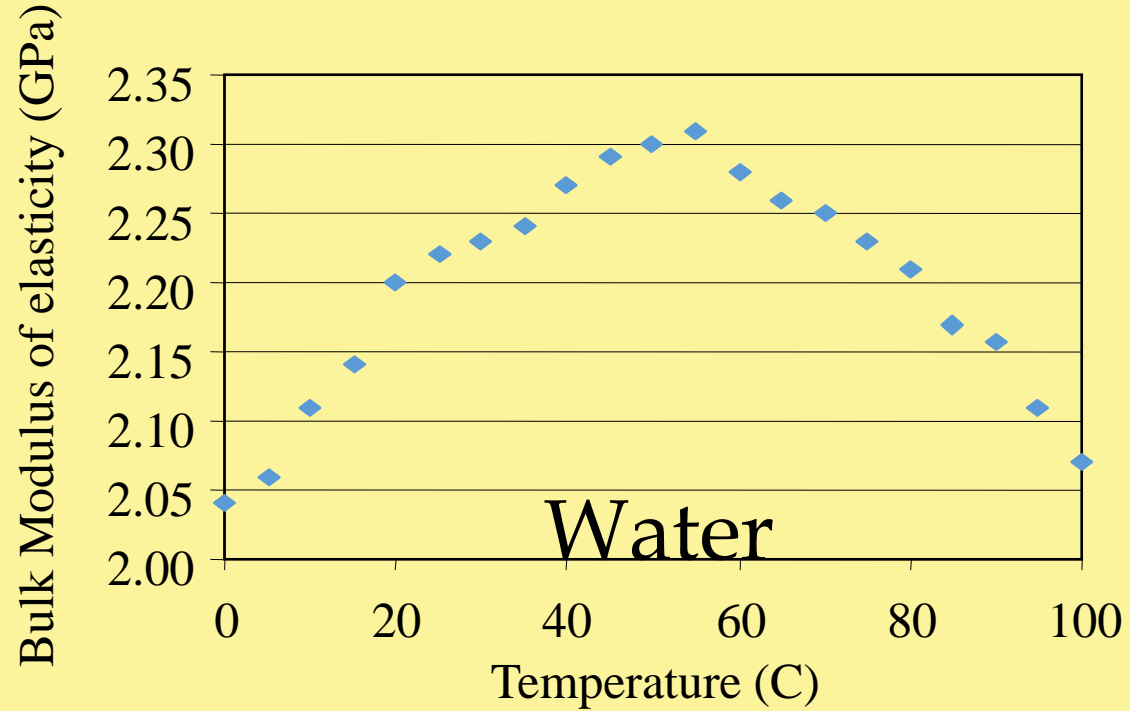
- pressure waves
 - Sound
 - Water hammer

How much does water compress?

$$\frac{dV}{V} = - \frac{dp}{E_v}$$



Bulk Modulus of Elasticity



Compression and Expansion of Gases: What is E_v ?

- Isothermal (constant temperature)

$$\frac{pV}{n} = \frac{RT}{n} = \text{constant} \propto \frac{1}{\rho}$$
$$\frac{p}{\rho} = \text{constant}$$
$$\frac{dp}{d\rho}$$
$$E_v = \frac{dp}{d\rho/\rho}$$
$$E_v = p$$

Where, p = absolute pressure
 v = specific volume

Compression and Expansion of Gases: What is E_v ?

- Isentropic (no heat exchanged)

$$\left(\frac{p}{\rho^k}\right) = C \quad \text{where} \quad k = \frac{c_p}{c_v} \quad (\text{specific heat ratio})$$

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = Ck r^{k-1}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = \frac{p}{r^k} k r^{k-1}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dr} = k \frac{p}{r}$$

$$\underline{E_v = kp}$$



Speed of Sound (c)

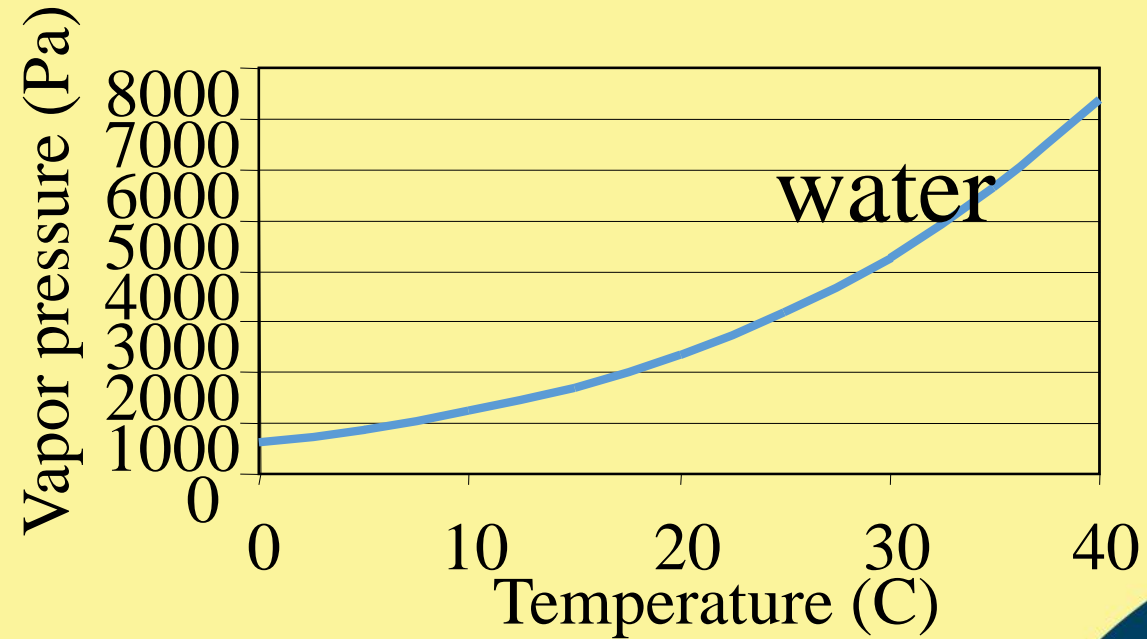
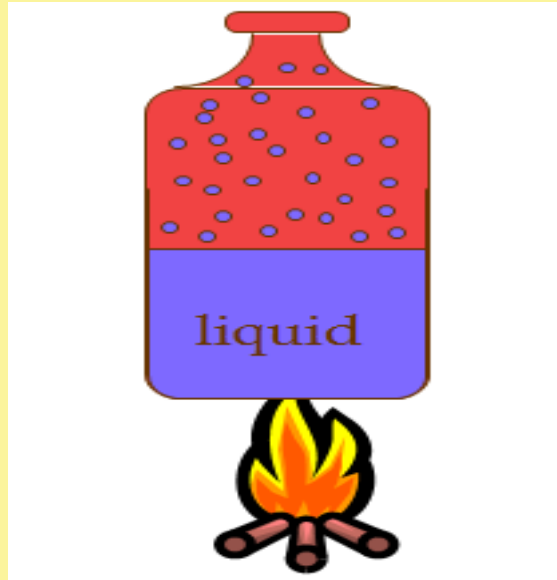
$$c = \sqrt{\frac{dp}{d\rho}} \quad \text{and} \quad E_v = \frac{dp}{d\rho/\rho} . \quad \text{Solve for } \frac{dp}{d\rho} \quad \frac{E_v}{\rho} = \frac{dp}{d\rho}$$

$$c = \sqrt{\frac{E_v}{\rho}}$$

c is large for difficult to compress fluids



Vapour Pressure

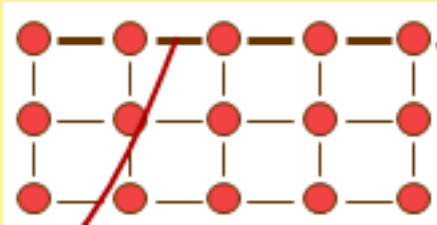


What is vapor pressure of water at 100°C? **101 kPa**

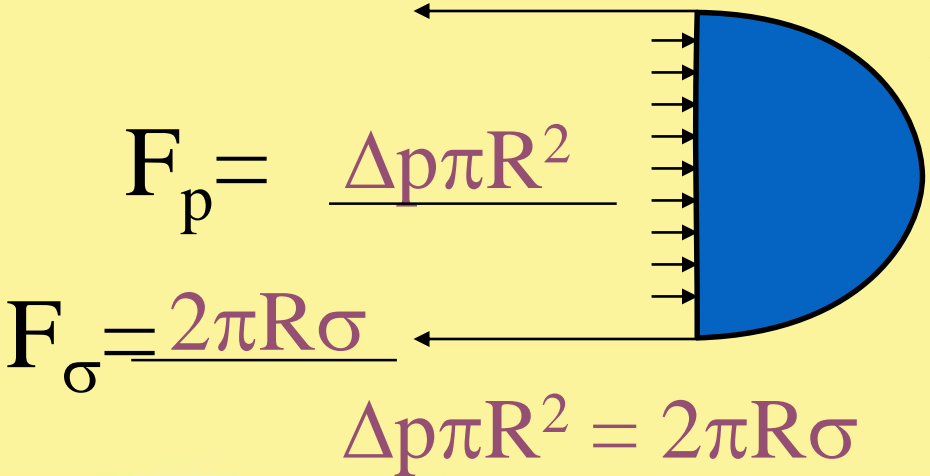


Surface Tension

- Pressure increase in a spherical droplet



Surface molecules

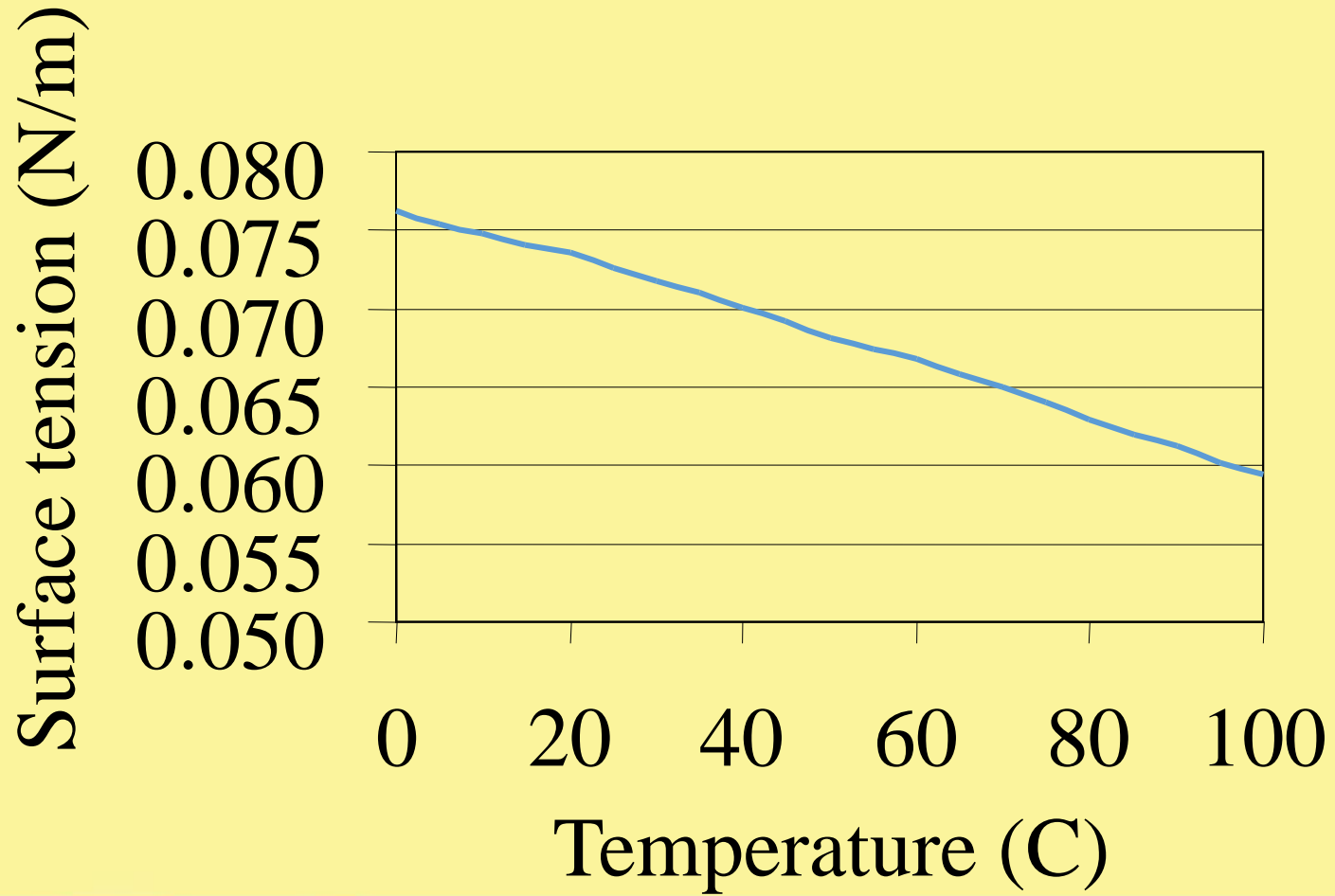


$$\Delta p = \frac{2\sigma}{R}$$





Surface Tension



Example: Surface Tension

- Estimate the difference in pressure (in Pa) between the inside and outside of a bubble of air in 20°C water. The air bubble is 0.3 mm in diameter. $\sigma = 0.073 \text{ N/m}$, $R = 0.15 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$

$$Dp = \frac{2s}{R} \quad Dp = \frac{2(0.073 \text{ N/m})}{0.15 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}}$$
$$Dp = 970 \text{ Pa}$$

What is the difference between pressure in a water droplet and pressure in an air bubble?



Review: Fluid Properties

- Viscosity
- Density and Specific Weight
- Elasticity
- Vapor Pressure
- Surface Tension

$$\tau = \mu \frac{du}{dy}$$

$$E_v = \frac{dp}{d\rho/\rho} \quad c = \sqrt{\frac{E_v}{\rho}}$$

$$\Delta p = \frac{2\sigma}{R}$$



Practice Problem

In an experiment, the tip of a glass tube with an internal diameter of 2.0 mm is immersed to a depth of 1.50cm in to a liquid of specific gravity 0.85. Air is forced in to the tube to form a spherical bubble just at the lower end of the tube. Estimate the surface tension of the liquid if the air pressure in the bubble is 200 N/m²



Practice Problem

A very small quantity of a liquid having a surface tension σ forms a circular spot of diameter D between two glass plates separated by a small distance h . Obtain an expression for the force required to pull the plates apart.



Practice Problem

Air at 20°C and 200 kPa (abs) contained in a cylinder is compressed to half its volume. Find the pressure and temperature inside the cylinder if the process is (a) isothermal, and (b) isentropic with $k = 1.4$



Practice Problem

The velocity of propagation of sound in air is calculated by assuming the process to be isentropic. What is the velocity of sound at 80°C ?

