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HW 2

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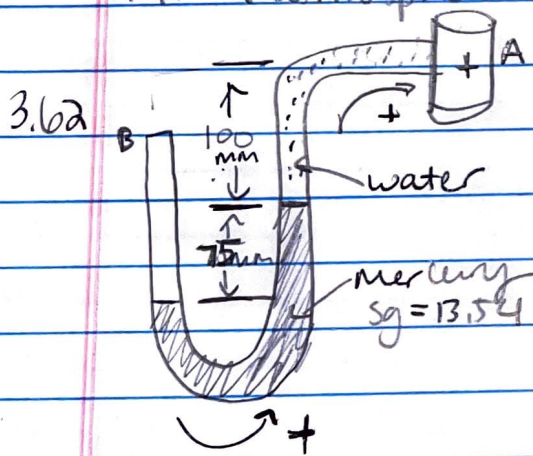
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3.7. **False** The atmospheric pressure on the surface of the Earth ranges from 13.8 psia to 15.3 psia

3.11. At 4000 ft elevation, atmospheric pressure to be approximately 12.7 psia. An increase of 1000 ft elevation = decrease of 3.4 kPa (0.5 psi). $0.5 \times 4 = 2.0$
 $14.7 \text{ (atmosphere @ earth surface)} - 2.0 = \boxed{12.7 \text{ psia}}$



Calculate pressure in kPa (gage)
 $P_A - P_B$

$$75 / 25.4 = 2.953 \text{ in} / 12 = 0.24606 \text{ ft}$$

$$100 / 25.4 = 3.937 \text{ in} / 12 = 0.32808 \text{ ft}$$

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

$$\gamma_{\text{mercury}} = 13.54 \cdot 62.4 \text{ lb/ft}^3 = 844.896 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$P_A - P_B = (844.896 \text{ lb/ft}^3 \cdot 0.24606 \text{ ft}) + (62.4 \text{ lb/ft}^3 \cdot 0.32808 \text{ ft})$$

$$= 228.37 \text{ lb/ft}^2$$

$$\frac{47.88 \text{ Pa}}{1 \text{ lb/ft}^2} \cdot \frac{0.001 \text{ kPa}}{1 \text{ Pa}} = \frac{0.04788 \text{ kPa}}{1 \text{ lb/ft}^2} \cdot \frac{228.37 \text{ lb/ft}^2}{1} = \boxed{10.93 \text{ kPa}}$$

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3.83. 30.65 in mercury
Calculate atm pressure in psia

$$p_{atm} = \gamma_m h$$

$$\gamma_m = 848.7 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$h = 30.65 \text{ in}$$

$$p_{atm} = \frac{848.7 \text{ lb}}{\text{ft}^3} \times 30.65 \text{ in} \times \frac{1 \text{ ft}^3}{1728 \text{ in}^3}$$

$$p_{atm} = 15.05 \text{ lb/ft}^2 = \boxed{15.05 \text{ psia}}$$