

John Vazquez MET 330 HW 1.2

- 6] The value of absolute pressure will always be greater than that for the gauge pressure Tor F? Pg 40

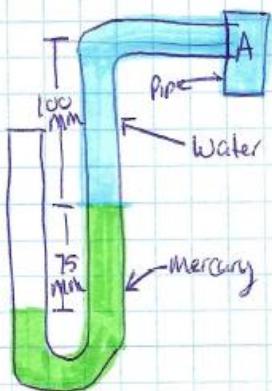
True, the absolute pressure is the gauge pressure added to the atmospheric pressure. Absolute pressure will always be greater.

$$P_{abs} = P_{gauge} + P_{atm}$$

- 10] Gauge pressure in a tank is -150 kPa(gauge) Tor F
Pg 45 + 496

False, standard atmospheric pressure near the surface of the earth is 101 kPa. A gauge pressure above atmospheric pressure is positive, the value given was negative.

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Calculate pressure at point A in kPa(gauge)
 $P_g 40 + 49$ $P_{gauge} = P_{abs} - P_{atm}$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad P_{atm} = P_g + \gamma_{H_2O} h_{H_2O} + \gamma_{Hg} h_{Hg}$$

$$\rightarrow P_A - P_{atm} = -(\gamma_{H_2O} h_{H_2O} + \gamma_{Hg} h_{Hg})$$

$$(P_A)_{gauge} = - (\gamma_{H_2O} h_{H_2O} + \gamma_{Hg} h_{Hg})$$

$$= - (\gamma_{H_2O} h_{H_2O} + (\rho_{H_2O} S_{Hg}) h_{Hg})$$

$$= - (9.81 \frac{kN}{m^3})(1m) + (9.81 \frac{kN}{m^3})(13.54)(.075m)$$

$$Pg 488 \rightarrow 490$$

$$0^\circ C H_2O = \gamma = 9.81 \frac{kN}{m^3} \quad \textcircled{2} \quad (P_A)_{gauge} = -10.94 \text{ kPa}$$

$$\text{Mercury} = Sg = 13.54$$

$$100mm = 1m$$

$$75mm = .075m$$

- 3.7) As long as you stay on the surface of the earth, atmospheric pressure will be 14.7 psia.

False: atmospheric pressure changes depending on your location. Due to changes in Elevation and temperature

atm near Earth's surface ranges from 13.8 psia \rightarrow 15.3 psia

Sea level = 14.7 psia

- 3.11) If you were to ride in a open-cockpit airplane at an elevation of 4,000 ft above sea level, what would the atmospheric pressure be if it conforms to the standard atmosphere?

$$\text{Appendix E} \rightarrow \text{Standard conditions at sea level} \Rightarrow P = 14.696 \text{ Psia}$$

$$\gamma = 0.0764 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$P = \gamma h \rightarrow 0.0764 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{ft}^3} \left(\frac{1 \text{ ft}^3}{12^3 \text{ in}^3} \right) 4000 \text{ ft} \left(\frac{12 \text{ in}}{1 \text{ ft}} \right) \rightarrow P = 2.12 \text{ lb/in}^2$$

$$2.12 \text{ psia}$$

$$\Delta P = 14.7 - 2.12 \rightarrow \Delta P = 12.58 \text{ psia} @ 4,000 \text{ ft}$$

(according to table E.3 @ 5,000 ft $P = 12.227 \text{ psi}$ so
12.58 psi makes sense for 4,000 ft)

- 3.83) A barometer indicates the atmospheric pressure to be 30.65 in of mercury. Calculate the atm in psia?

$$P_{\text{atm}} = \gamma_{\text{hg}}$$

$$\gamma_{\text{hg}} = 133.3 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

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

$$P_{\text{atm}} = 848.7 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{ft}^3} \left(\frac{1 \text{ ft}^3}{12^3 \text{ in}^3} \right) 30.65 \text{ in}$$

$$\rightarrow 15.05 \text{ lb/in}^2 \rightarrow 15.05 \text{ psia}$$

3.8) The pressure in a certain tank is -55.8 Pa (abs).

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True or False

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Group 2

It is false because $-55.8 \text{ Pa} = -0.0558 \text{ kPa}$ or -0.008 psi
therefore absolute pressure would be negative which
is not possible. Absolute pressure will always be positive (Pg. 39)

3.13) Expressed as gage pressure, what is the pressure at the surface of
a glass of milk?

$P_{\text{gage}} = 0$ This is because $P_{\text{abs}} = P_{\text{atm}}$ at the surface

of a liquid therefore $P_{\text{abs}} = P_{\text{gage}} + P_{\text{atm}}$

3.90) The pressure in a vacuum chamber is -68.2 kPa. Express the pressure
in mmHg

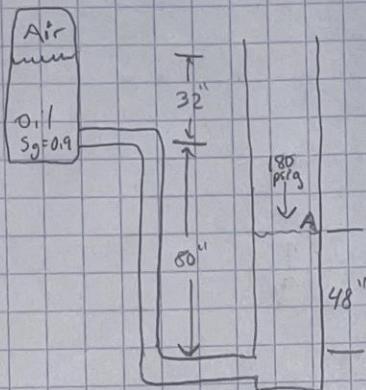
$$1 \text{ kPa} = 7.50062 \text{ mmHg}$$

$$\Rightarrow -68.2 \text{ kPa} = \boxed{-511.542 \text{ mmHg}}$$

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3.9) true - -55.8 Pa is about 0.00 psi

3.41)

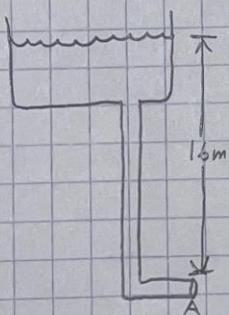


$$P_{\text{Air}} = P_A + 0.9(48") - 0.9(80") - 0.9(32")$$

$$P_{\text{Air}} = 180 \text{ psig} + 43.2 - 72 - 28.8$$

$$P_{\text{Air}} = 122.4 \text{ psig}$$

3.94)



$$P_A = 9.81 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

$$P_A = 156.97 \text{ kPa}$$

$$P_A = 157 \text{ kPa} \text{ minimum pressure}$$