

Example

$$w \quad P_1 - P_2 = (9.81 \times 0.9) \times 3.83 \\ = 33.8 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

2) Specific gravity = 0.8,  $D_1 = 150 \text{ mm} = 0.15 \text{ m}$ ,  $D_2 = 75 \text{ mm} = 0.075 \text{ m}$ ,  $Z_1 = Z_2 = 150 \text{ mm} = 0.15 \text{ m}$ ,  $Q_{act} = 40 \text{ litres/sec} = 0.04 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$   
 $C_d = 0.96$

$$A_1 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times D_1^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times 0.15^2 \\ = 0.01767 \text{ m}^2$$

$$A_2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times D_2^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times 0.075^2 \\ = 0.00442 \text{ m}^2$$

$$Q_{act} = C_d \times \frac{A_1 A_2}{\sqrt{A_1^2 - A_2^2}} \times \sqrt{2gh}$$

$$0.04 = 0.96 \times \frac{0.01767 \times 0.00442}{\sqrt{0.01767^2 - 0.00442^2}} \times \sqrt{2 \times 9.81 \times h}$$

$$\therefore h = \left( \frac{0.04}{0.96 \times 0.004535 \times 4.429} \right)^2 \\ = 4.247 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Also, } h = \left( \frac{P_1}{w} + Z_1 \right) - \left( \frac{P_2}{w} + Z_2 \right) \\ = \left( \frac{P_1 - P_2}{P_g} \right) - 0.15$$

$$\frac{P_1 - P_2}{P_g} = h + 0.15$$

$$P_1 - P_2 = P_g (h + 0.15)$$

$$= (0.8 \times 1000 \times 9.81) (4.247 + 0.15) \text{ N/m}^2 \\ = 34.51 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

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### Assignment

i) Inlet diameter,  $D_1 = 300\text{mm} = 0.3\text{m}$

$$\text{Inlet Area, } A_1 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times 0.3^2 = 0.07\text{m}^2$$

throat diameter,  $D_2 = 150\text{mm} = 0.15\text{m}$

$$\text{throat Area, } A_2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times 0.15^2 = 0.01767\text{m}^2$$

Specific gravity of mercury in U-tube manometer,  $S_m = 13.6$

Specific gravity of oil flowing through pipe,  $S_o = 0.9$

Differential manometer reading,  $y = 250\text{mm} = 0.25\text{m}$

The differential 'h' is given by

$$h = \left( \frac{P_1}{\rho} + z_1 \right) - \left( \frac{P_2}{\rho} + z_2 \right)$$

$$= y \left[ \frac{S_m}{S_o} - 1 \right] = 0.25 \left[ \frac{13.6}{0.9} - 1 \right]$$

$$= 3.53\text{m or } 0.7$$

ii) Using the equation

$$Q = C_d \times \frac{A_1 A_2}{\sqrt{A_1^2 - A_2^2}} \times \sqrt{2gh}$$

$$Q = 0.98 \times \frac{0.07 \times 0.01767}{\sqrt{0.07^2 - 0.01767^2}} \times \sqrt{2 \times 9.81 \times 3.53}$$

$$= \frac{0.001212}{0.0677} \times 8.32$$

$$= 0.1489\text{m}^3/\text{s}$$

$$\text{ii) } h = \left( \frac{P_1}{\rho} + z_1 \right) - \left( \frac{P_2}{\rho} + z_2 \right) = 3.53$$

$$\left( \frac{P_1}{\rho} - \frac{P_2}{\rho} \right) - 0.3 = 3.53$$