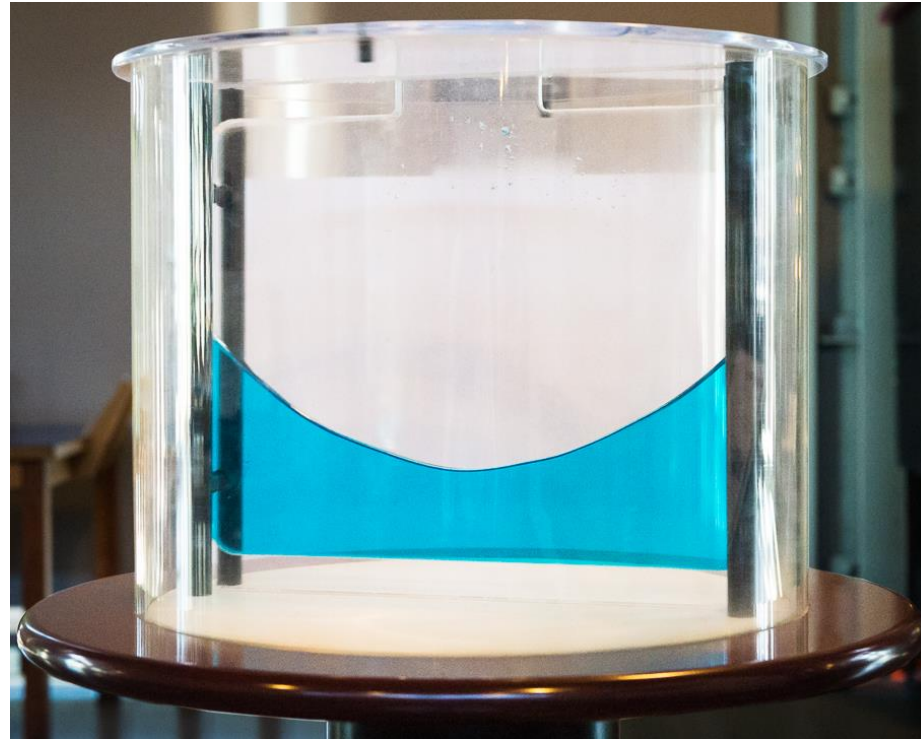


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Fluid Statics



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2.1 INTRODUCTION

Fluid Statics: Study of fluids with no relative motion between fluid particles.

- No shearing stress (no velocity gradients)
- Only normal stress exists (pressure)

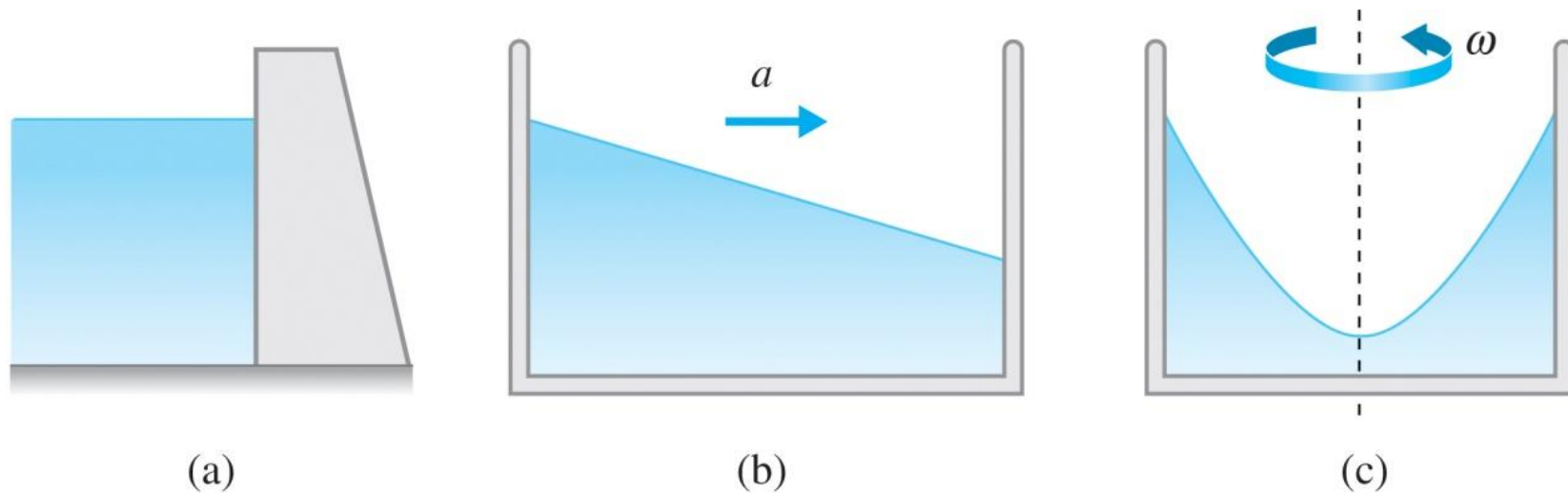
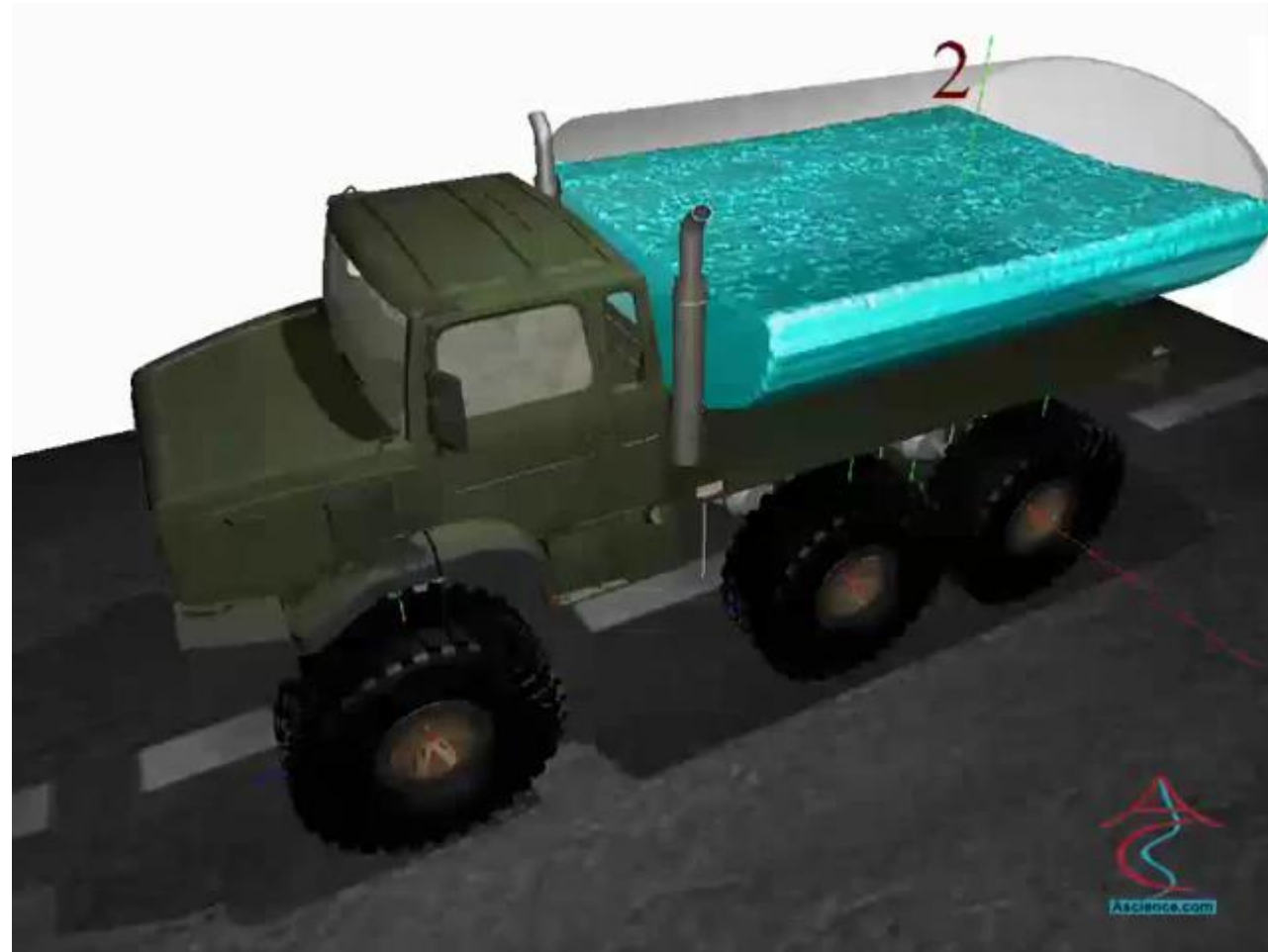


Fig. 2.1 Examples included in fluid statics: (a) liquids at rest; (b) linear acceleration; (c) angular rotation.

MOTIVATION



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2.2 PRESSURE AT A POINT

- Pressure is an infinitesimal normal compressive force divided by the infinitesimal area over which it acts.

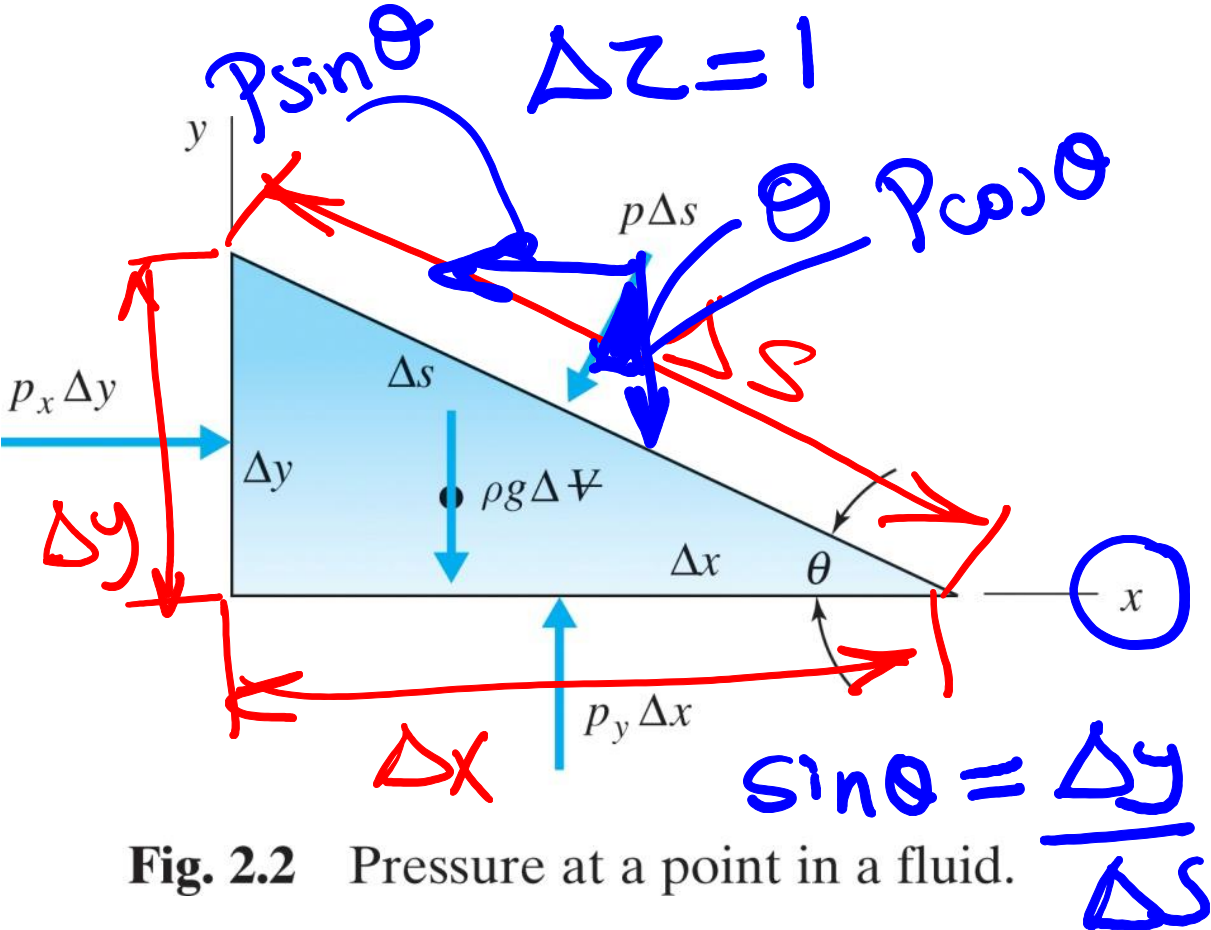


Fig. 2.2 Pressure at a point in a fluid.

$$\Delta s = \frac{\Delta y}{\sin \theta}$$

- From Newton's Second Law (for x- and y-directions):

$$\sum F_x = m a_x$$

$$P_x \Delta y - p \sin \theta \Delta s = \frac{\rho}{2} \Delta x \Delta y a_x$$

$$P_x \Delta y - \cancel{p \sin \theta} \frac{\Delta y}{\cancel{\sin \theta}} = \frac{\rho}{2} \Delta x \Delta y a_x$$

$$P_x - P = \frac{\rho}{2} \Delta x a_x$$

$$P_y - P = \rho (a_y + g) \Delta y$$

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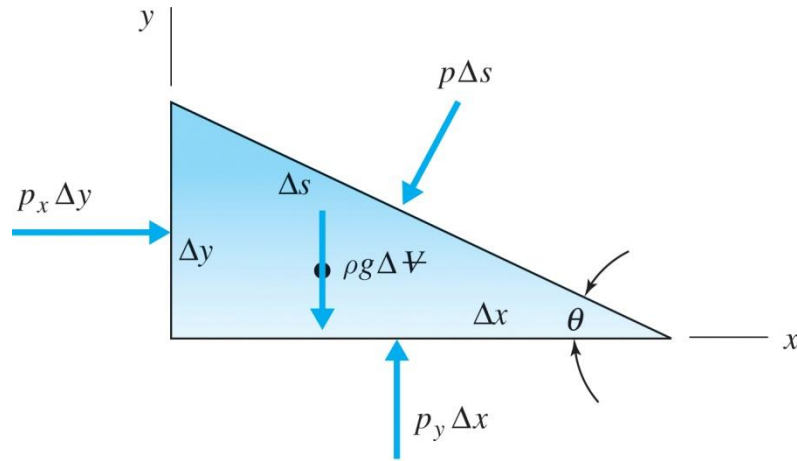


Fig. 2.2 Pressure at a point in a fluid.

- As the element goes to a point ($\Delta x, \Delta y \rightarrow 0$)

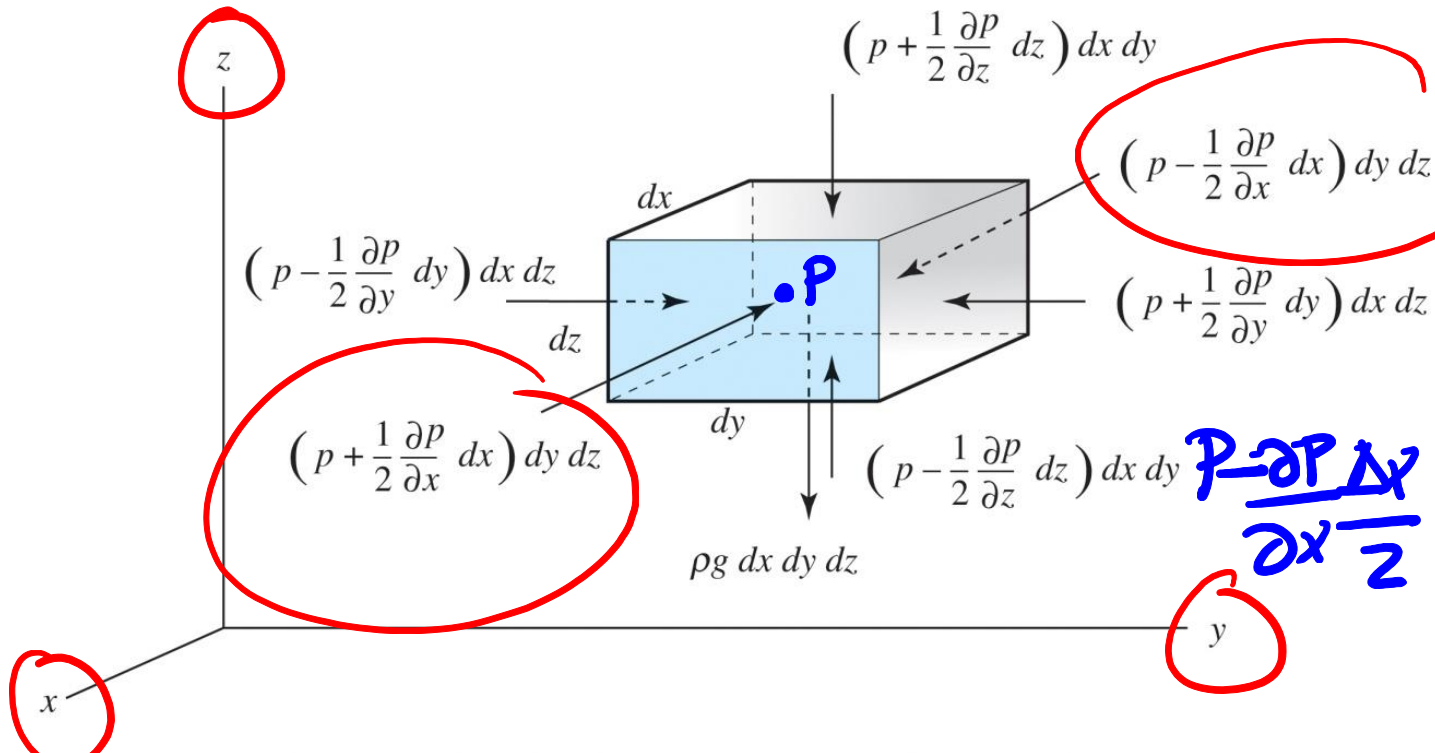
$$P_x - P = 0$$

$$P_y - P = 0$$

$$P_x = P_y = P$$

- Pressure in a fluid is **constant** at a point.
- Pressure is a **scalar** function.
- It acts **equally in all directions** at a point for both static and dynamic fluids.

2.3 DERIVATION OF GENERAL FORM OF PRESSURE VARIATION



- Newton's Second Law in "x", "y" and "z"-directions:

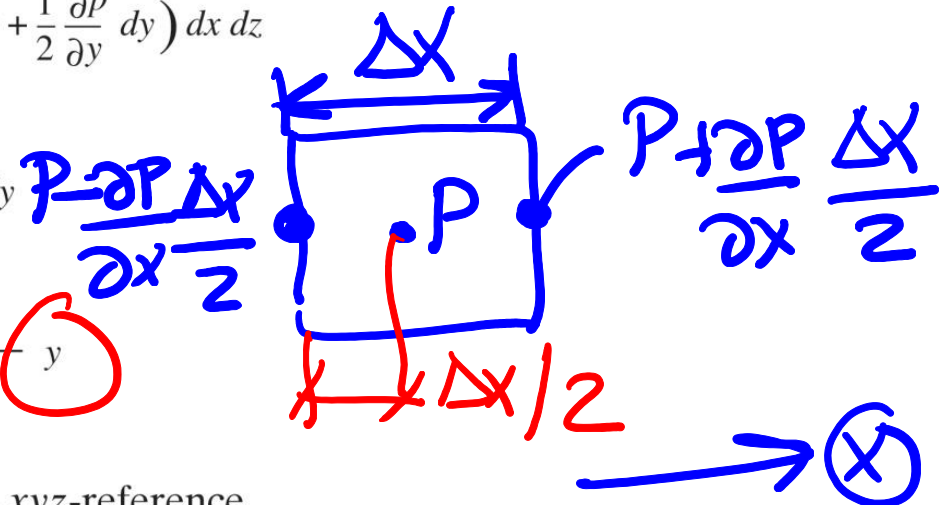
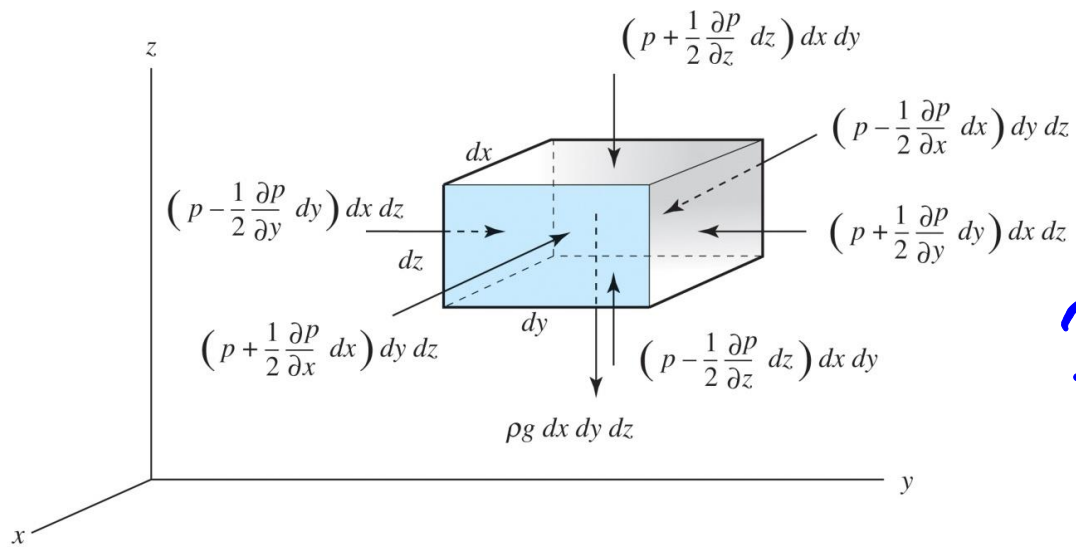


Fig. 2.3 Forces acting on an infinitesimal element that is at rest in the xyz -reference frame. The reference frame may be accelerating or rotating.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \cancel{\left(p - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} dx \right) dy dz} - \cancel{\left(p + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} dx \right) dz dy} = \rho dx dy dz a_x \\
 & - \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} dx dy dz = \rho dx dy dz a_x \rightarrow \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} = -\rho a_x
 \end{aligned}$$



- Using the Chain rule, the pressure change in any direction can be calculated as:

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} = -\rho a_y$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial z} = -\rho (a_z + g)$$

Fig. 2.3 Forces acting on an infinitesimal element that is at rest in the xyz -reference frame. The reference frame may be accelerating or rotating.

- Then the pressure differential becomes.

$$dp = \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial p}{\partial z} dz$$

$$dp = -\rho a_x dx - \rho a_y dy - \rho (a_z + g) dz$$

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- The pressure differential (from the previous slide) is:

$$dp = -\rho a_x dx - \rho a_y dy - \rho (a_z + g) dz$$

- At rest, there is no acceleration ($a = 0$):

$$dp = -\rho g dz$$

$$dp = -\gamma dz$$

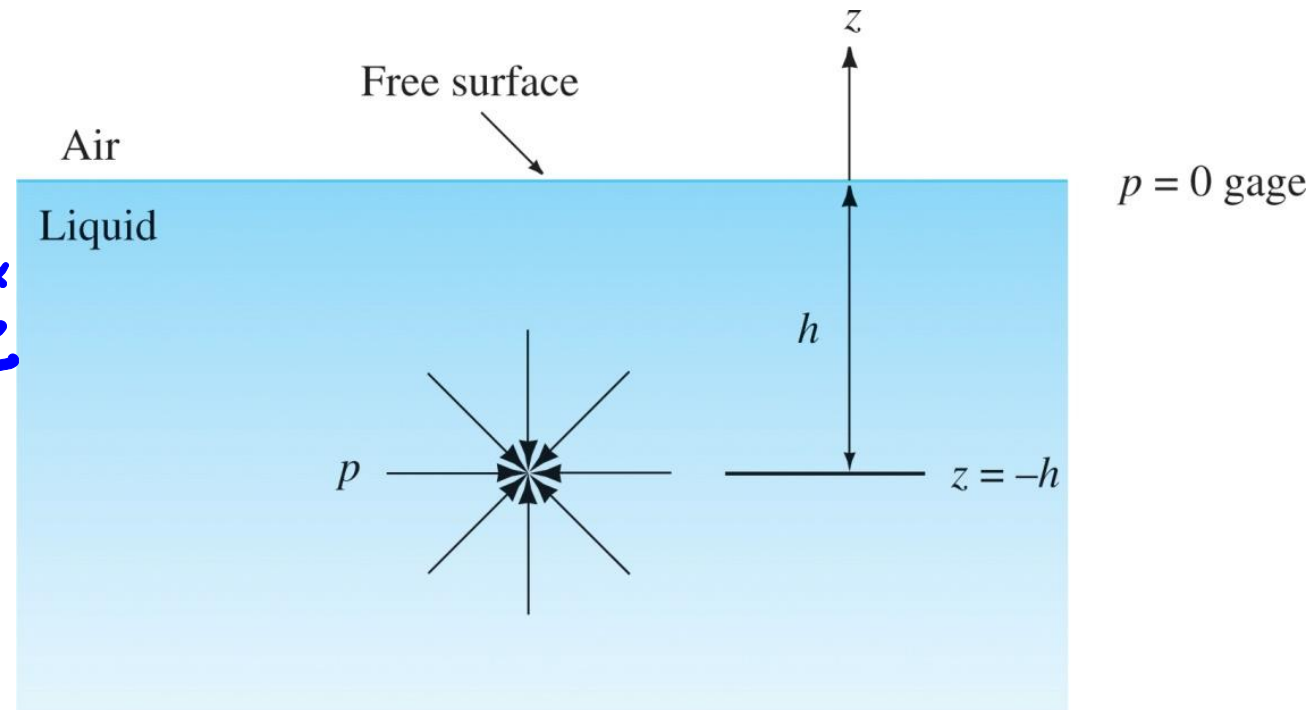


Fig. 2.4 Pressure below a free surface.

No pressure variation in the x - and y -directions (horizontal plane). Pressure varies in the z -direction only (dp is negative if dz is positive).

Pressure decreases as we move up and increases as we move down.

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2.4.1 Pressure in Liquids at Rest

- At a distance h below a free surface, the pressure is:

$$\int_0^P dp = \int_0^{-h} -\gamma dz$$

$$P = -\gamma z \Big|_0^{-h} \Rightarrow \boxed{P = \gamma h}$$

$p = 0$ at $h = 0$.

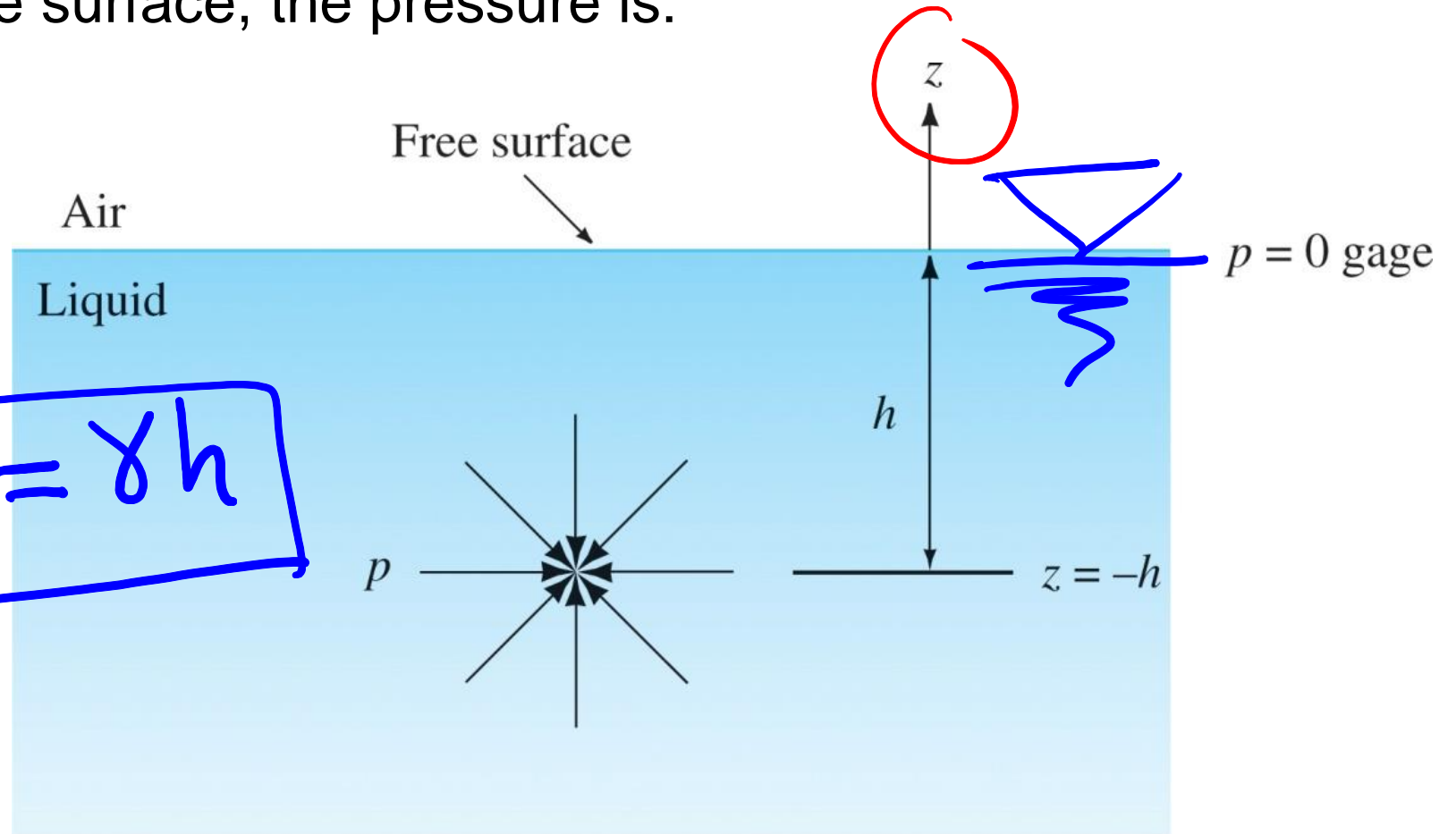


Fig. 2.4 Pressure below a free surface.

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2.4.3 Manometers

Manometers are instruments that use columns of liquid to measure pressures.

- (a) displays a **U-tube manometer** used to measure **relatively small pressures**
- (b): **Large pressures** can be measured using a liquid with large γ_2 .
- (c): **Very small pressures** can be measured as small pressure changes in p_1 , leading to a relatively large deflection H .

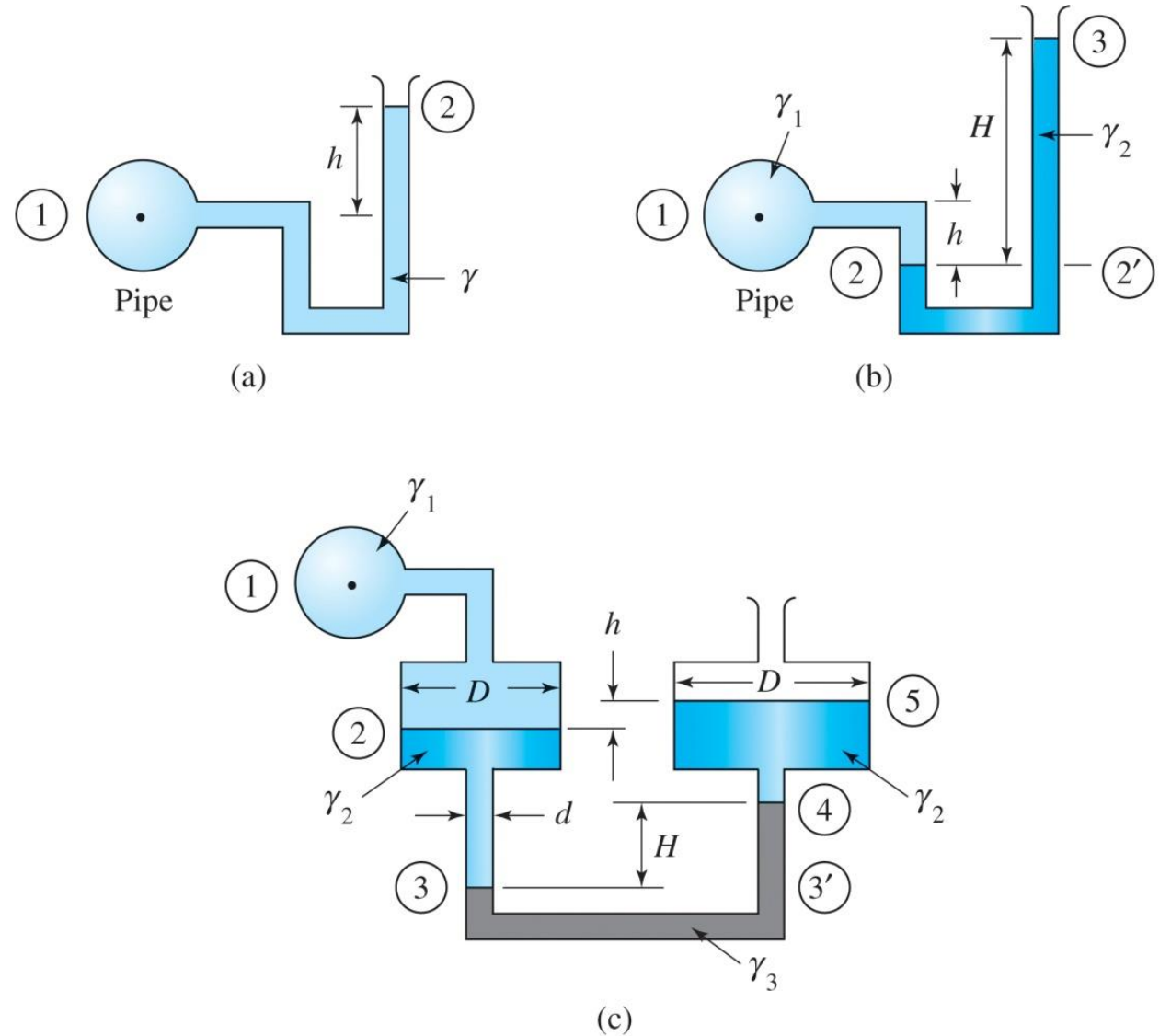


Fig. 2.7 Manometers: (a) U-tube manometer (small pressures); (b) U-tube manometer (large pressures); (c) micromanometer (very small pressure changes).

Example: P.2.40. Find the gage pressure in the water pipe shown in Fig. P2.40

$$P + 1000 \times 9.81 \times 0.05 + 1.59 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times 0.07$$

$$= P_M + 0.8 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times 0.1$$

Also, $\textcircled{1}$

$$P_M = 13.6 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times 0.05 + \textcircled{0}$$

In $\textcircled{1}$

$$P = 5873 \text{ Pa}$$

$$P = 5.87 \text{ kPa}$$

$P = ?$

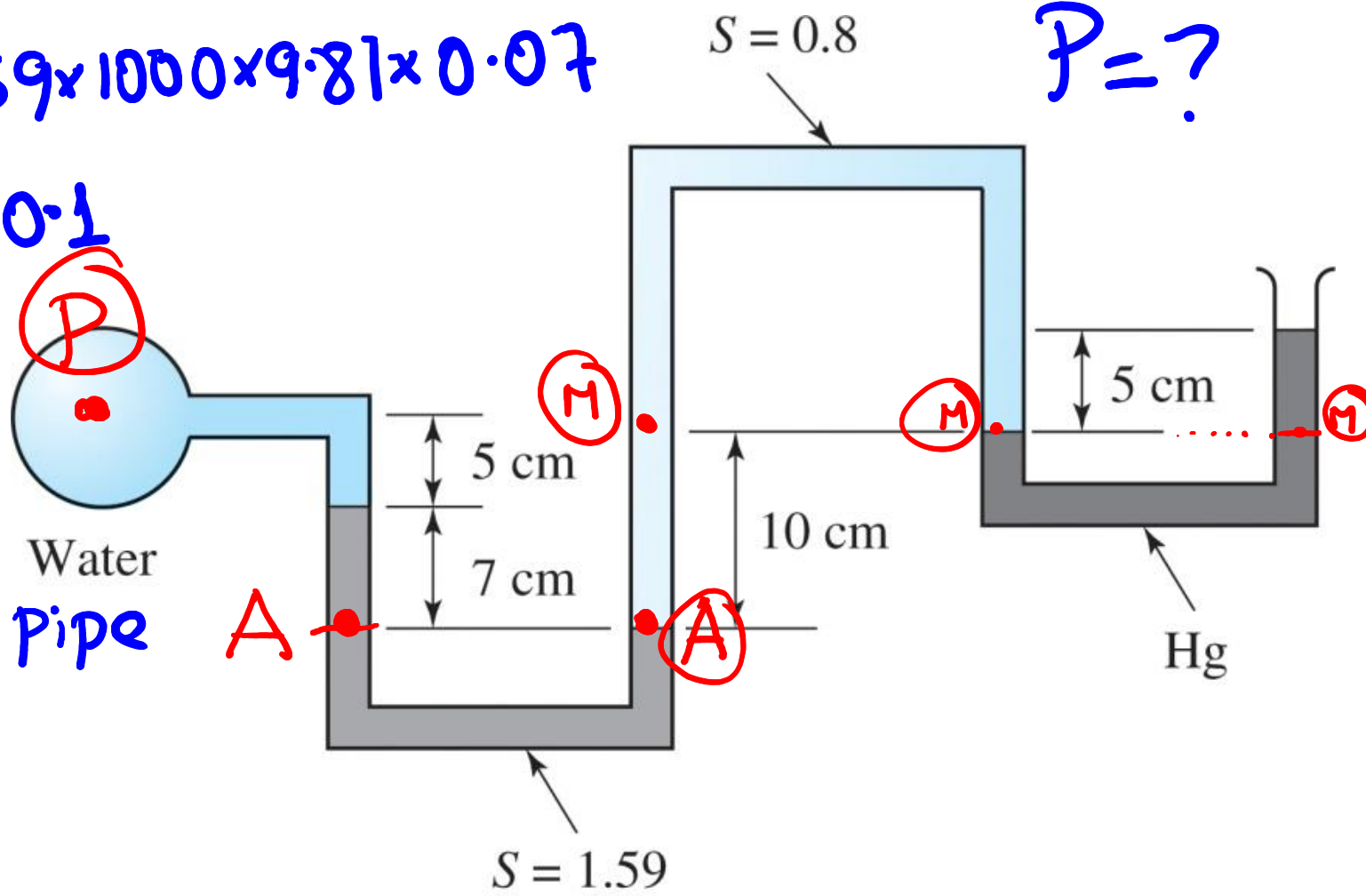


Fig. P2.40

Example: P.2.41. For the inclined manometer containing mercury, shown in Fig. P2.41, determine the pressure in pipe B if the pressure in pipe A is 10 kPa. Pipe A has water flowing through it, and oil is flowing in pipe B.

$P_B = ? \quad P_A = 10,000 \text{ Pa}$

$10,000 \text{ Pa} + 1000 \times 9.81 \times 0.07$
 $= P_B + 0.87 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times 0.1 + 13.6 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times \frac{9}{100} \sin 40^\circ$

$P_B = 2115 \text{ Pa}$
 $P_B = 2.11 \text{ kPa}$

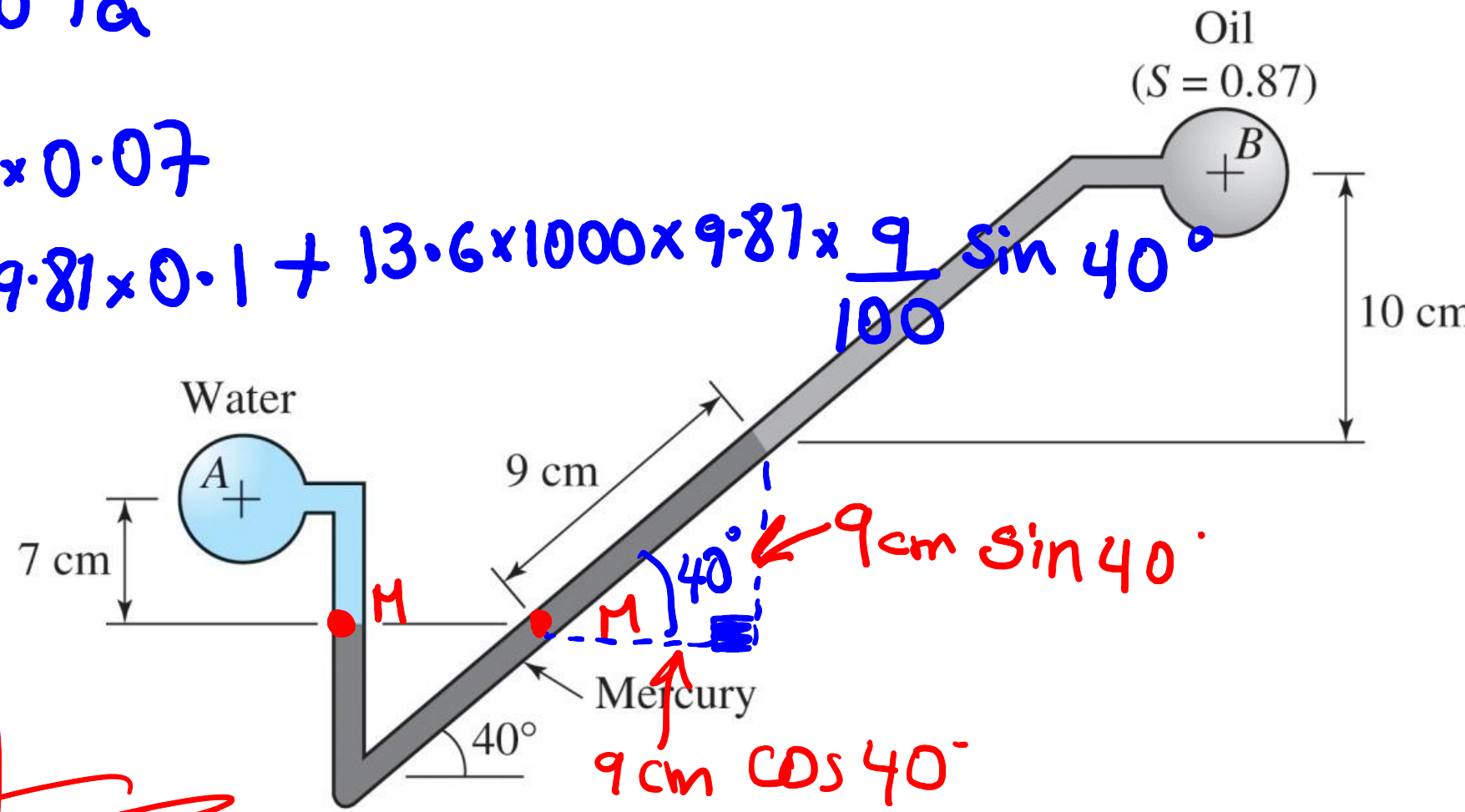
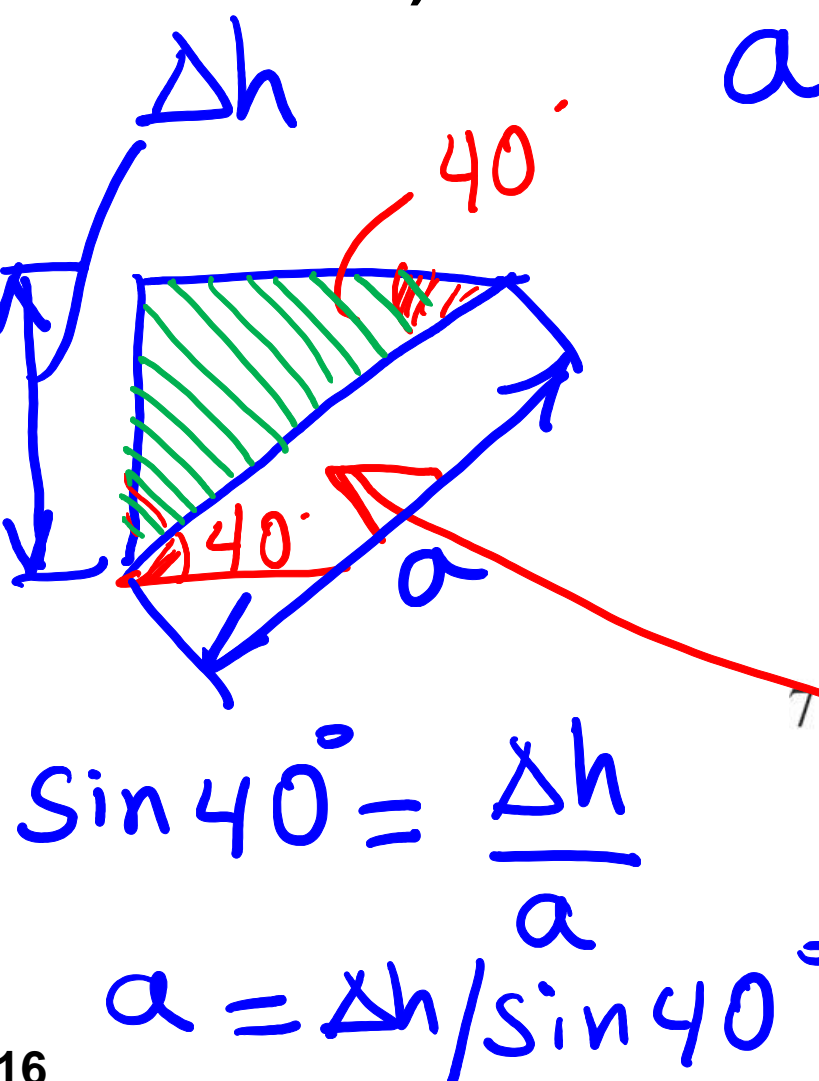


Fig. P2.41

Example: P.2.42. The pressure in pipe B in Problem P2.41 is reduced slightly. Determine the new pressure in pipe B if the pressure in pipe A remains the same and the reading along the inclined leg of the manometer is 11 cm (**Tip: See problems 2.41 and 2.42**)



$a + 9 \text{ cm} + \Delta h = 11 \text{ cm}$

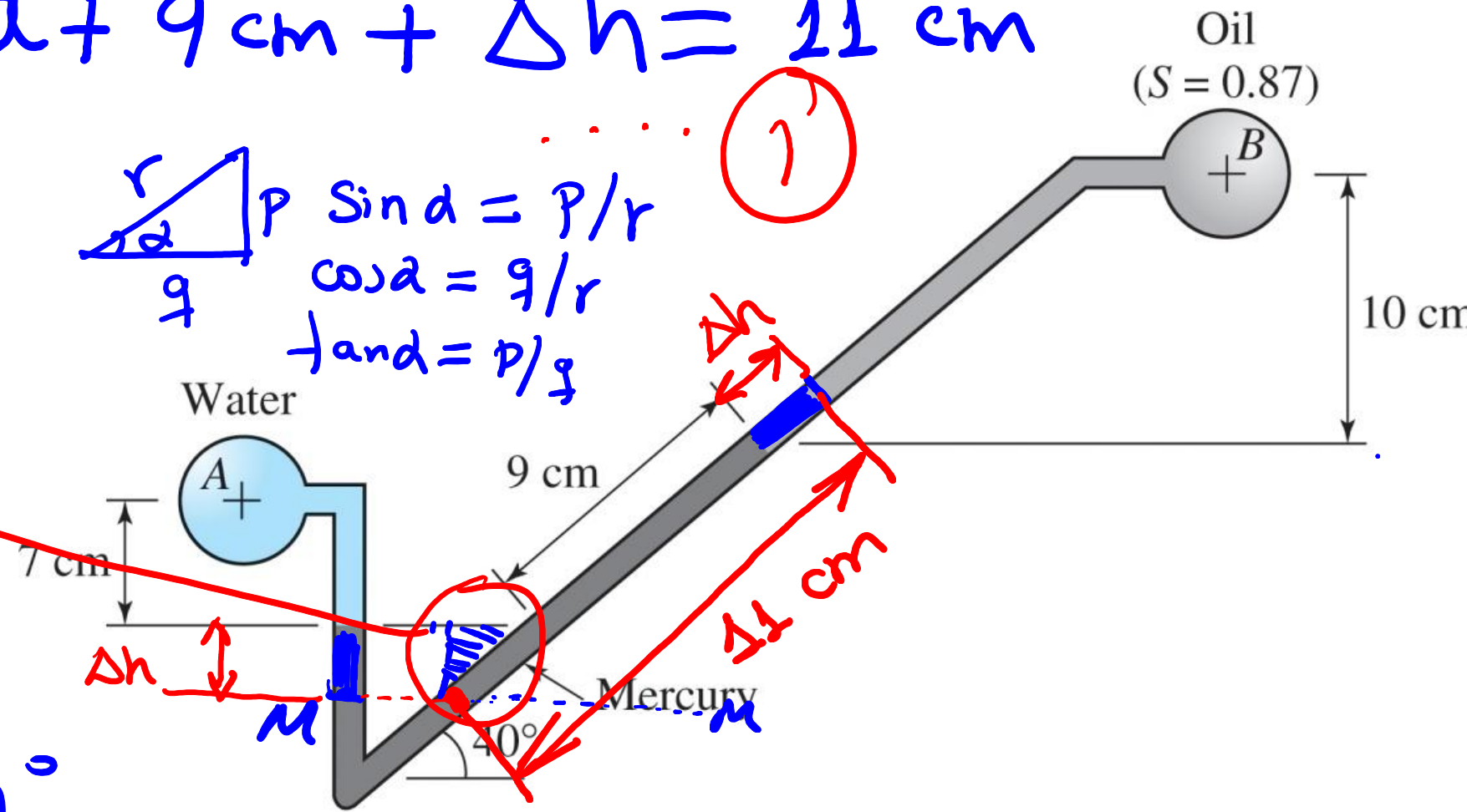
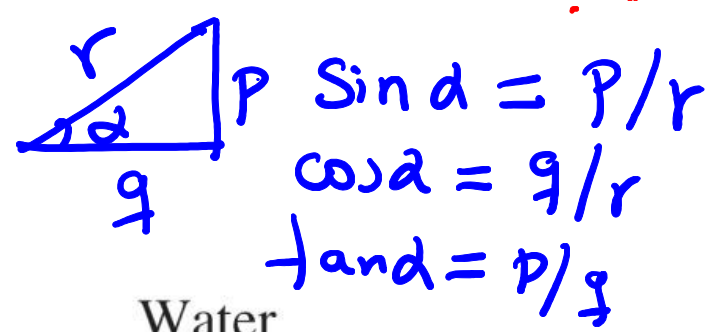


Fig. P2.41

$$\text{In } \textcircled{1} \quad \frac{\Delta h}{\sin 40^\circ} + 9 \text{ cm} + \Delta h = 11 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Delta h = 0.783 \text{ cm}$$

$$\Delta h = \frac{0.783}{100} \text{ m}$$

$$10,000 + 1000 \times 9.81 \times \left(\frac{7 + 0.783}{100} \right) = P_B + 0.87 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times \left(\frac{10 - 0.783 \sin 40^\circ}{100} \right)$$

$$P_B = 519.1 \text{ Pa}$$

$$P_B = 0.52 \text{ kPa}$$

$$+ 13.6 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times \frac{11 \sin 40^\circ}{100}$$

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$$\sin \alpha = h/y$$

$$h = y \sin \alpha$$

2.4.4 Forces on Plane Areas

- The total force of a liquid on a plane surface is:

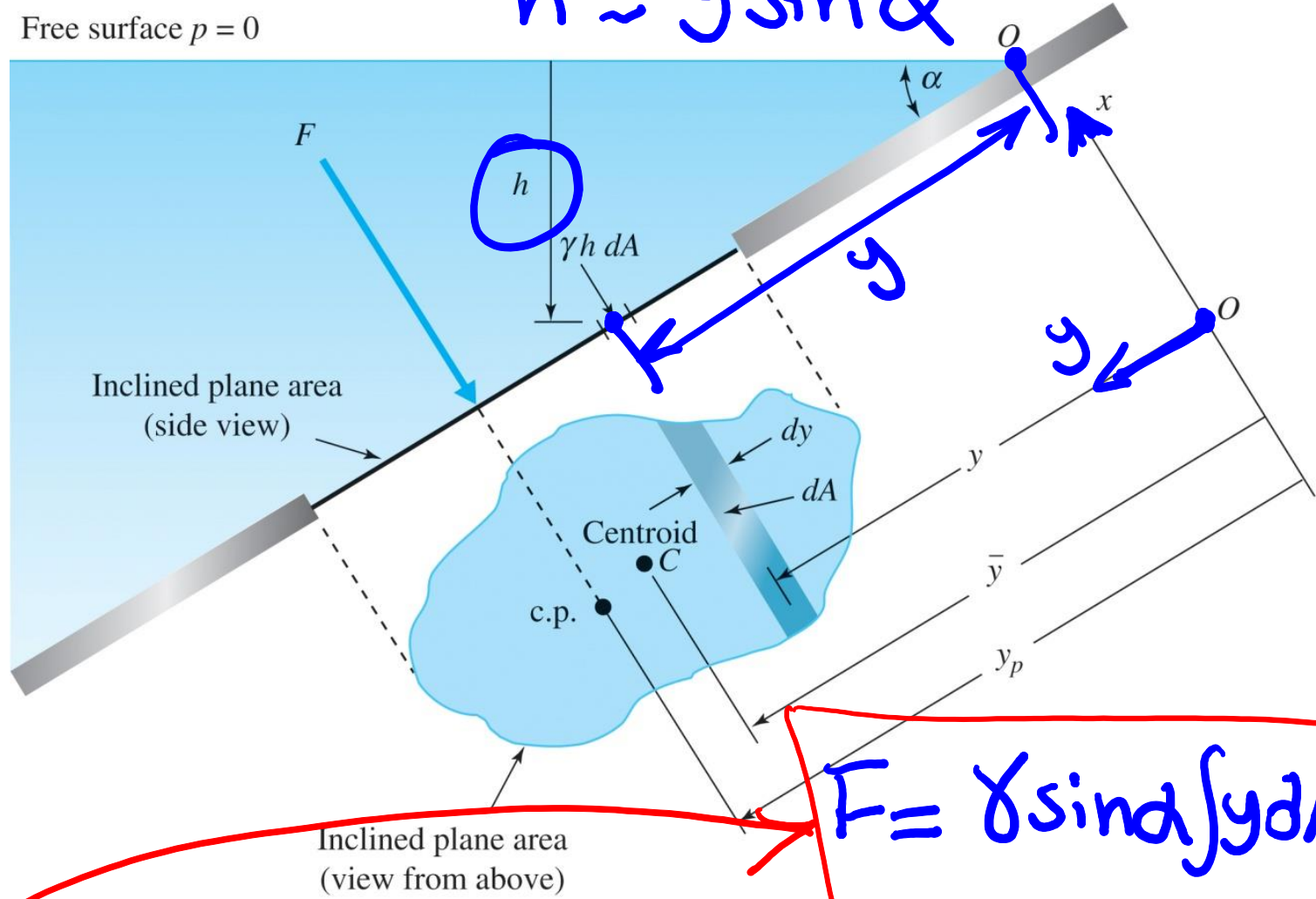
$$F = \int_A p dA$$

- After knowing the equation for pressure ($P = \gamma h$):

$$F = \int_A \gamma h dA$$

$$F = \int_A \gamma y \sin \alpha dA$$

Free surface $p = 0$



$$F = \gamma \sin \alpha \int y dA$$

Fig. 2.8 Force on an inclined plane area.

2.4.4 Forces on Plane Areas

$$F = \int_A \gamma h dA = \gamma \bar{h} A$$

$$F = \gamma \bar{y} \sin \alpha A$$

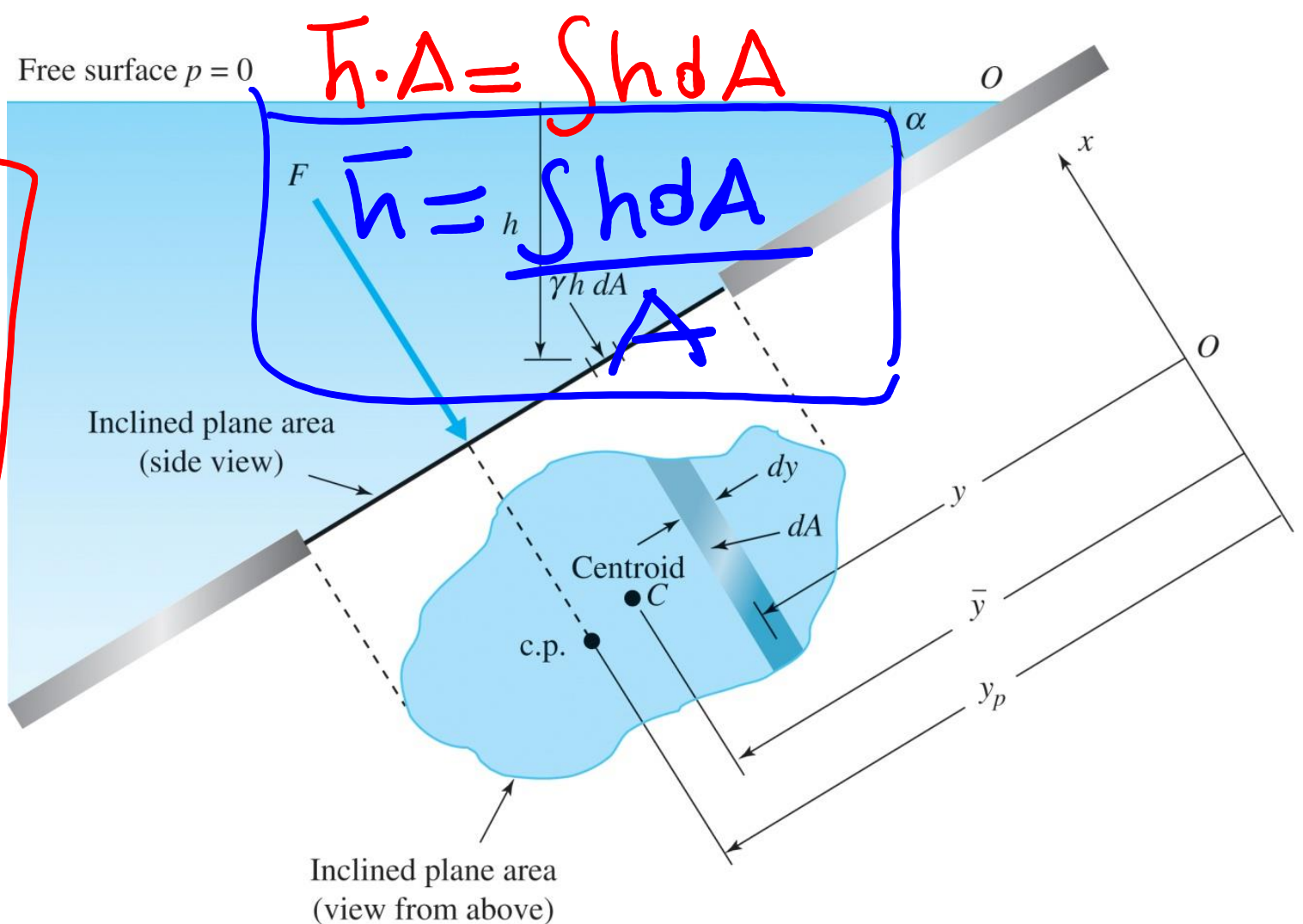


Fig. 2.8 Force on an inclined plane area.

\bar{h} : Vertical distance from the free surface to the centroid of the area

p_C : Pressure at the centroid

The **centroid** or geometric center of a plane figure is the arithmetic mean ("average") position of all the points in the shape.

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$$x_p \cdot F = \int x P dA$$

$$x_p \cdot F = \int x \gamma y \sin \alpha dA$$

(c.p.)

- The center of pressure is the point where the resultant force acts:
 - Sum of moments of all infinitesimal pressure forces on an area, A, equals the moment of the resultant force.

$$y_p \cdot F = \int y \cdot \gamma y \sin \alpha dA$$

$$y_p = \frac{\int y^2 dA}{\int y dA}$$

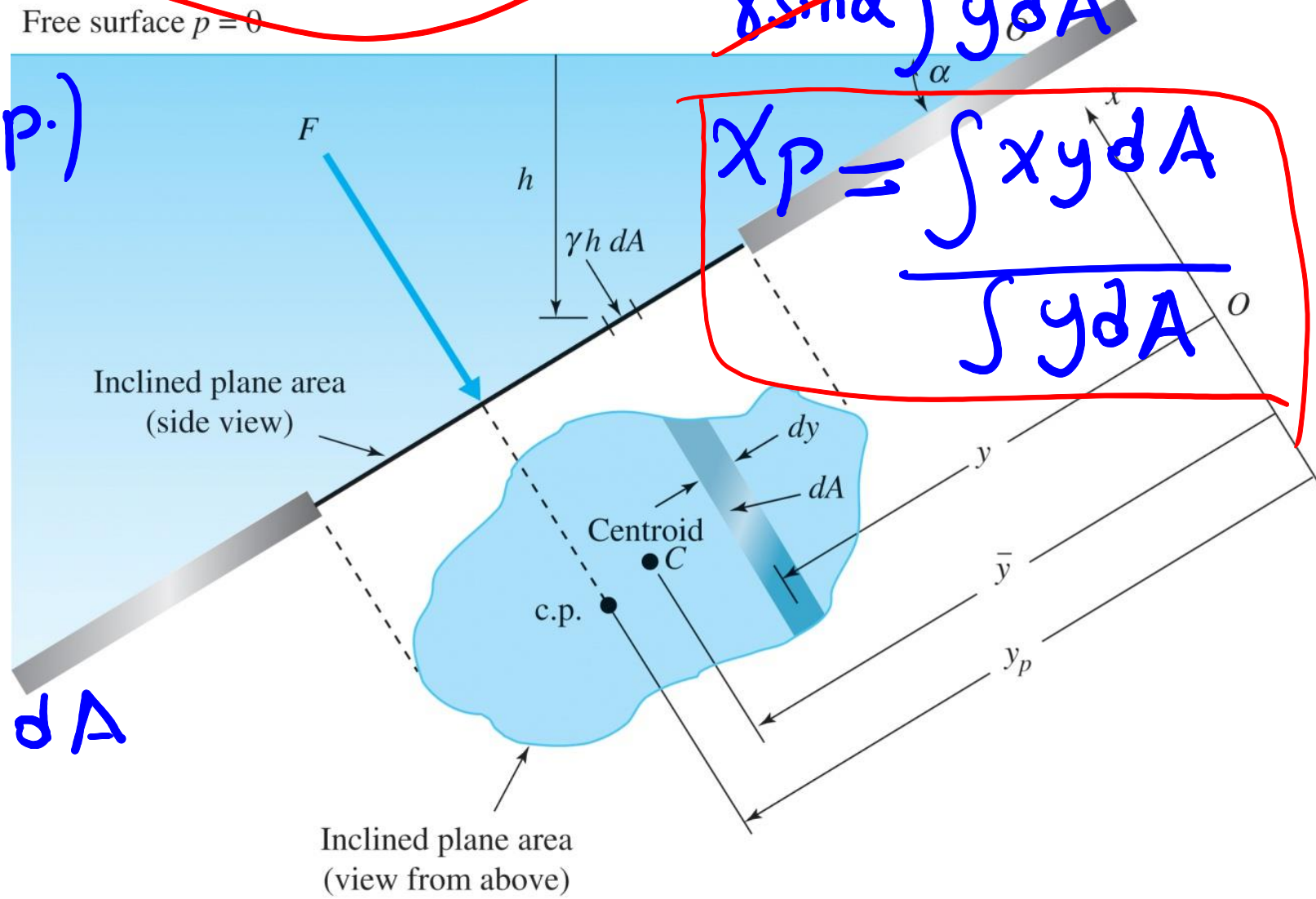


Fig. 2.8 Force on an inclined plane area.

$$x_p = \bar{x} + \frac{\bar{I}_{xy}}{A\bar{y}}$$

$$y_p = \bar{y} + \frac{\bar{I}}{A\bar{y}}$$

\bar{y} : Measured parallel to the plane area to the free surface

- The moments of area can be found using:

$$I_x = \int y^2 dA$$

$$I_{xy} = \int xy dA$$

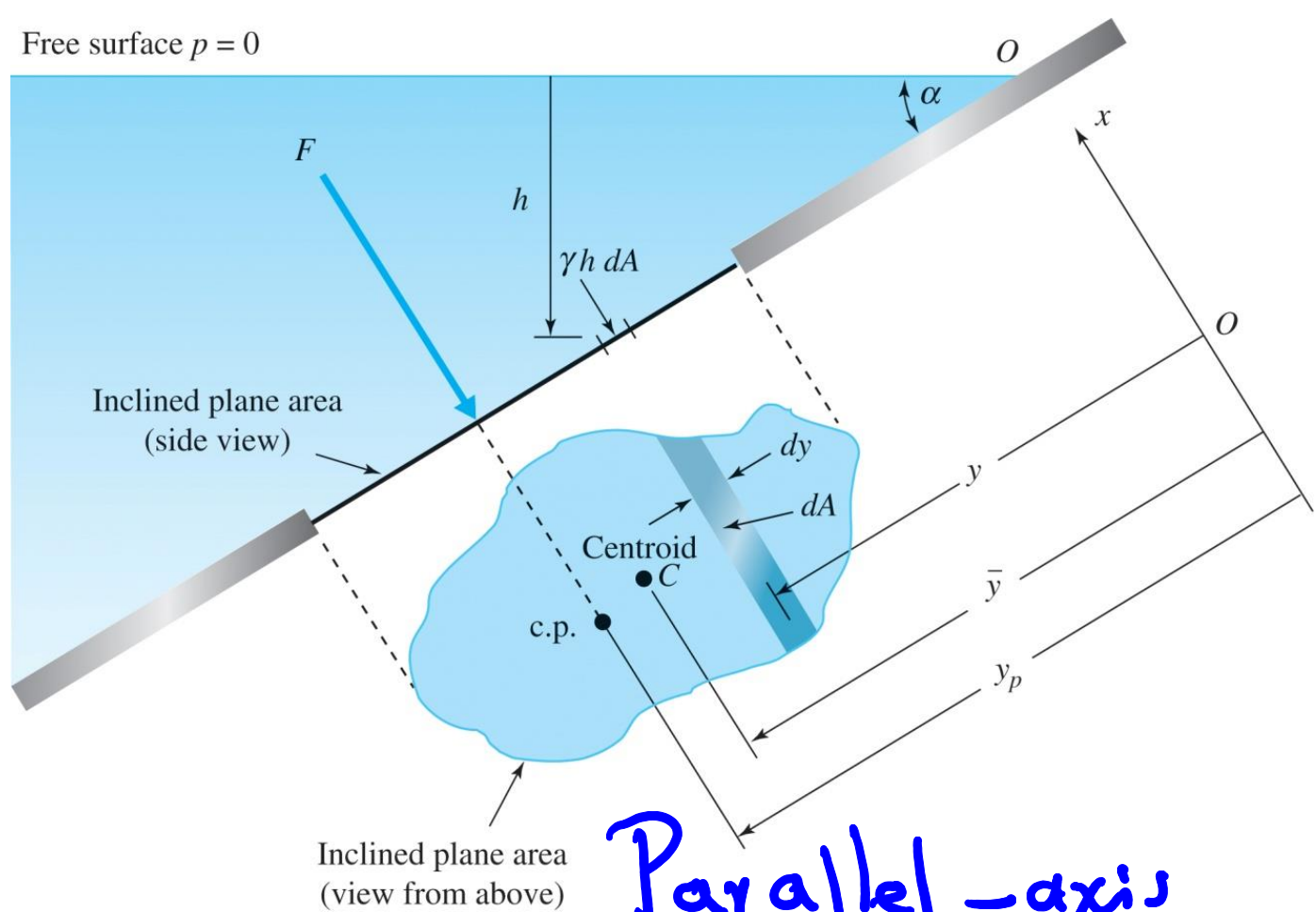
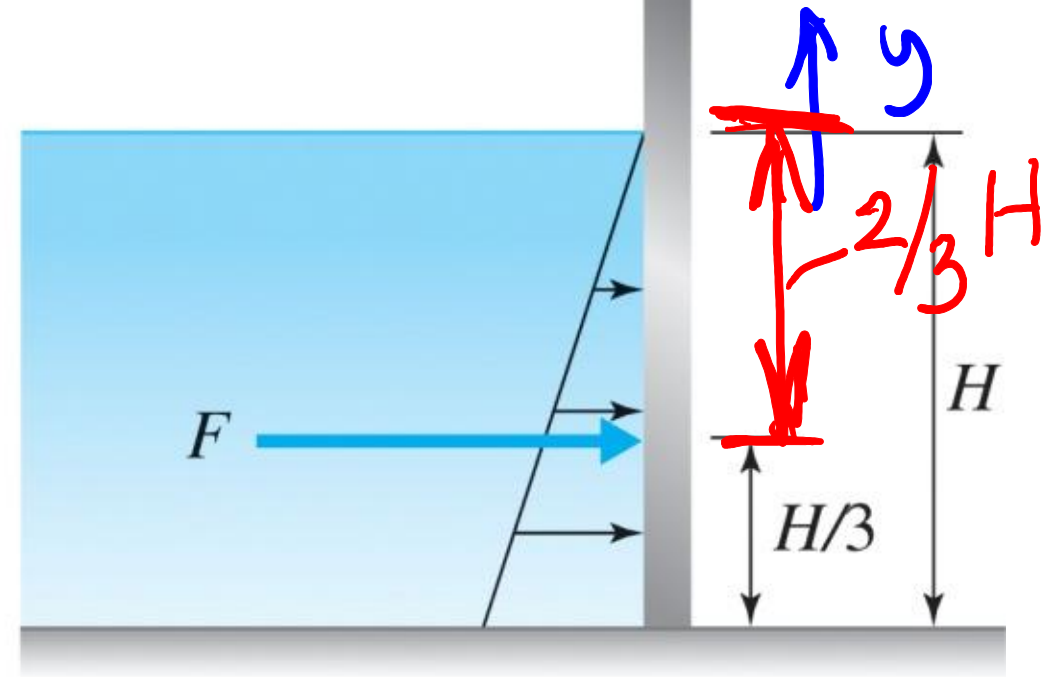
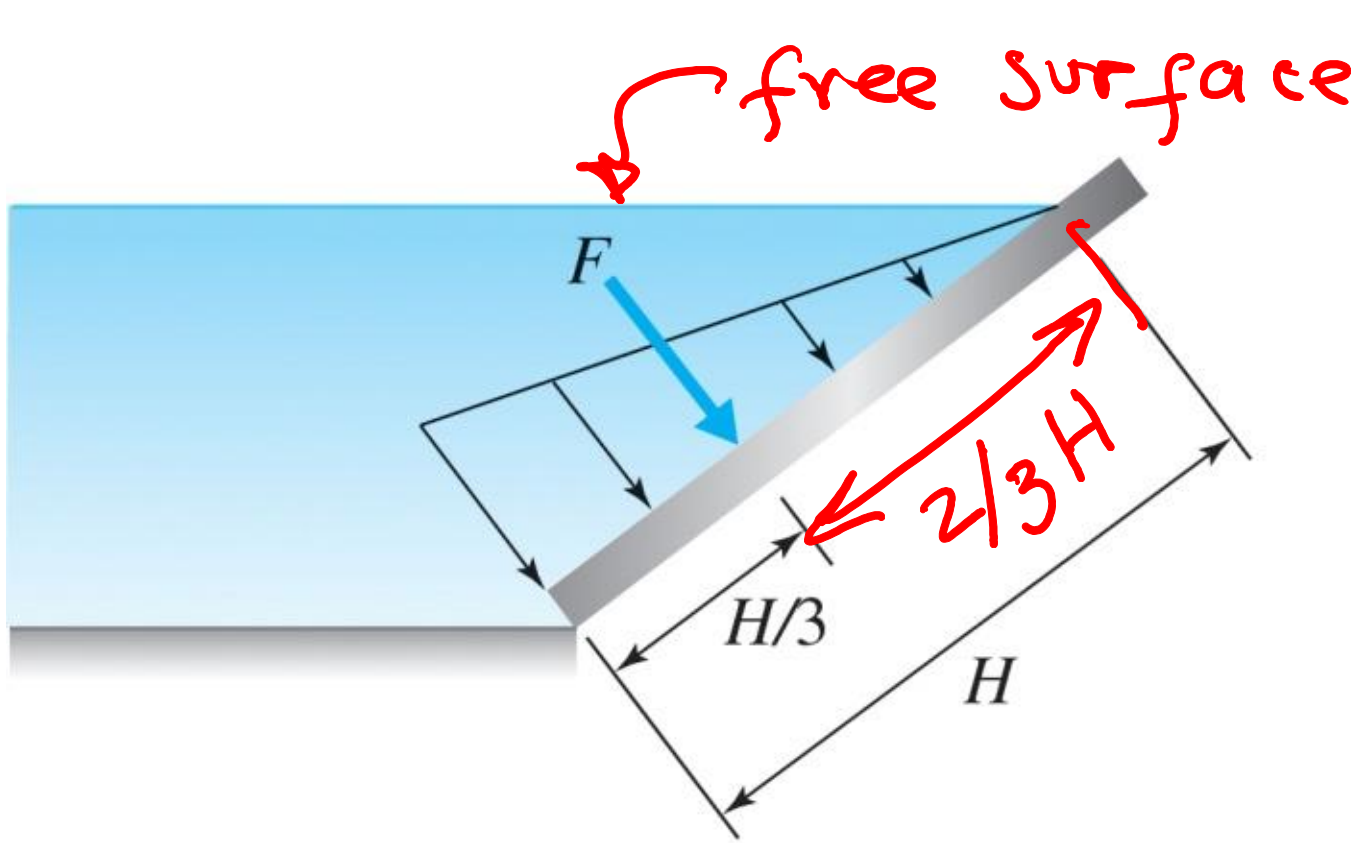


Fig. 2.8 Force on an inclined plane area.

Parallel-axis transfer theorem

$$I_x = \bar{I} + A\bar{y}^2$$

See Appendix C for centroids and moments



$$dA = b dy$$

Fig. 2.9 Force on a plane area with top edge in a free surface.

$$y_p = \frac{\int y^2 dA}{\int y dA} = \frac{\int_0^H y^2 b dy}{\int_0^H y b dy} = \frac{y^3/3 \Big|_0^H}{y^2/2 \Big|_0^H} = \frac{H^3/3}{H^2/2} = \frac{2}{3} H$$

Example: P.2.56. Determine the force P needed to hold the 4-m wide gate in the position shown in Fig. P2.56.

$P = ?$
 Moments: $P(5) = F(10 - y_p)$
 $F = \gamma \bar{h} \cdot A$
 $A = 5 \times 4 = 20 \text{ m}^2$
 $\bar{h} = 4 + \frac{4}{2} = 6 \text{ m}$
 $F = 1000 \times 9.81 \times 6 \times 20$
 $F = 1.177 \times 10^6 \text{ N}$

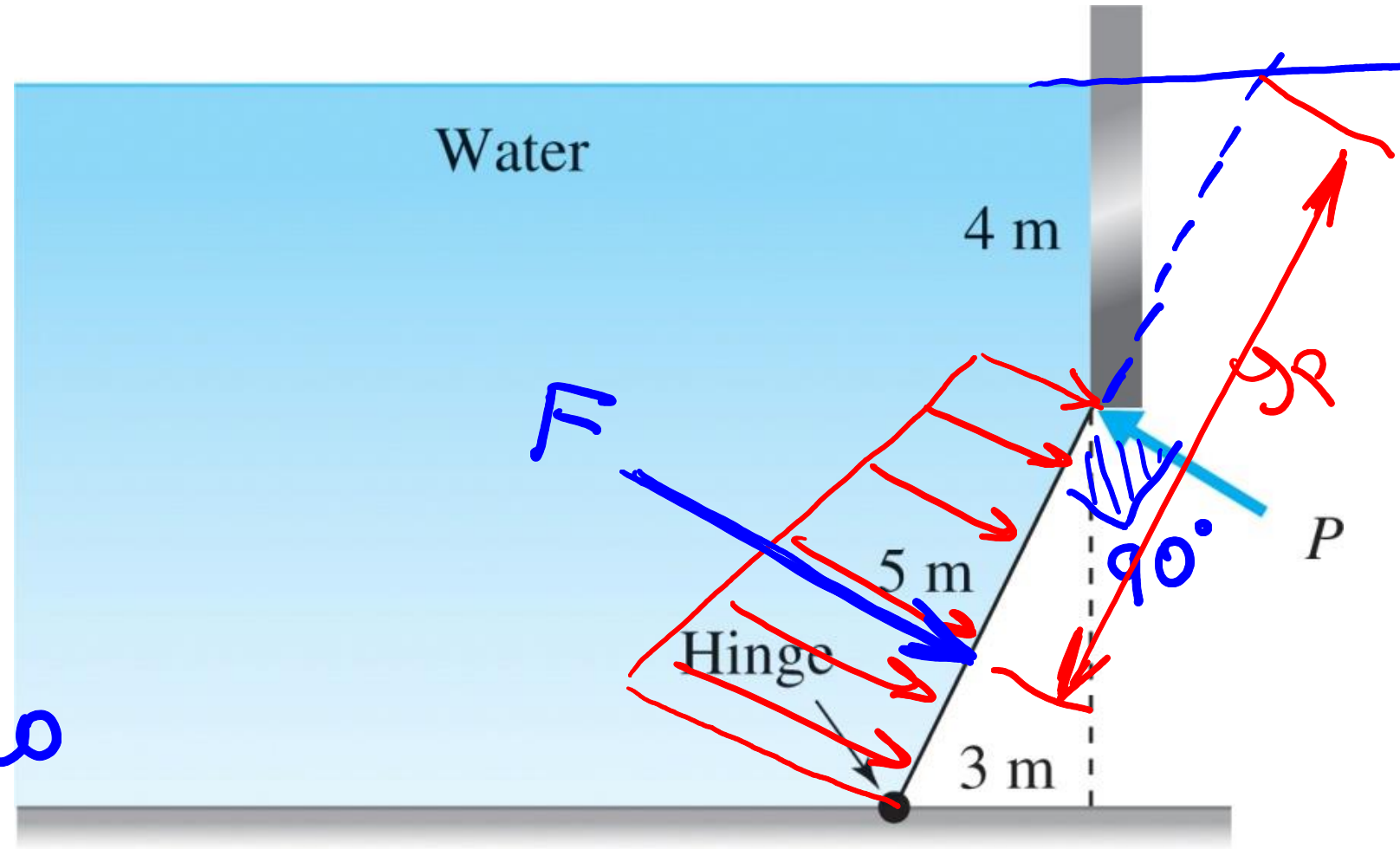
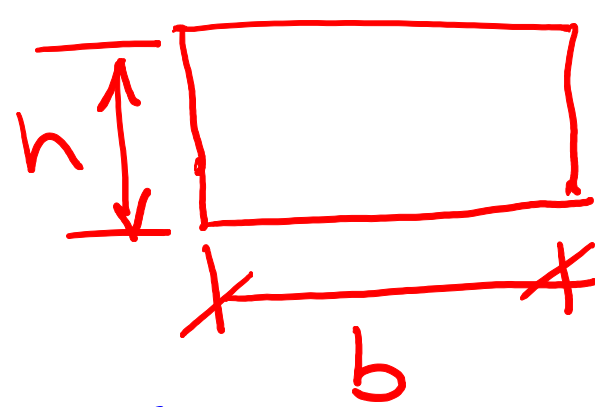


Fig. P2.56

$$* y_p = \bar{y} + \frac{\bar{I}}{A\bar{y}}$$
$$\bar{y} = 5 + 2.5 = 7.5 \text{ m}$$
$$A = 20 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\bar{I} = 4 \times 5^3 / 12$$



$$I = \frac{bh^3}{12}$$

$$y_p = 7.778 \text{ m}$$

$$I_n \textcircled{1} P(5) = 1.177 \times 10^6 (10 - 7.778)$$

$$P = 523,000 \text{ N} = 523 \text{ kN}$$

Example: P.2.62. At what height H will the rigid gate, hinged at a central point as shown in Fig. P2.62, open if h is:

a) 0.6 m? b) 0.8 m? c) 1.0 m?

a) $h = 0.6 \text{ m}$

$y_p = H + 1.2 \text{ m}$

$\bar{y} = H + 0.9$

$y_p = \bar{y} + \frac{\bar{I}}{A\bar{y}}$

$A = 1.8b$

$\bar{I} = b \times 1.8^3 / 12$

* $H + 1.2 = H + 0.9 + \frac{b \times 1.8^3}{12(1.8b)(H + 0.9)}$

$H = 0 \text{ m}$

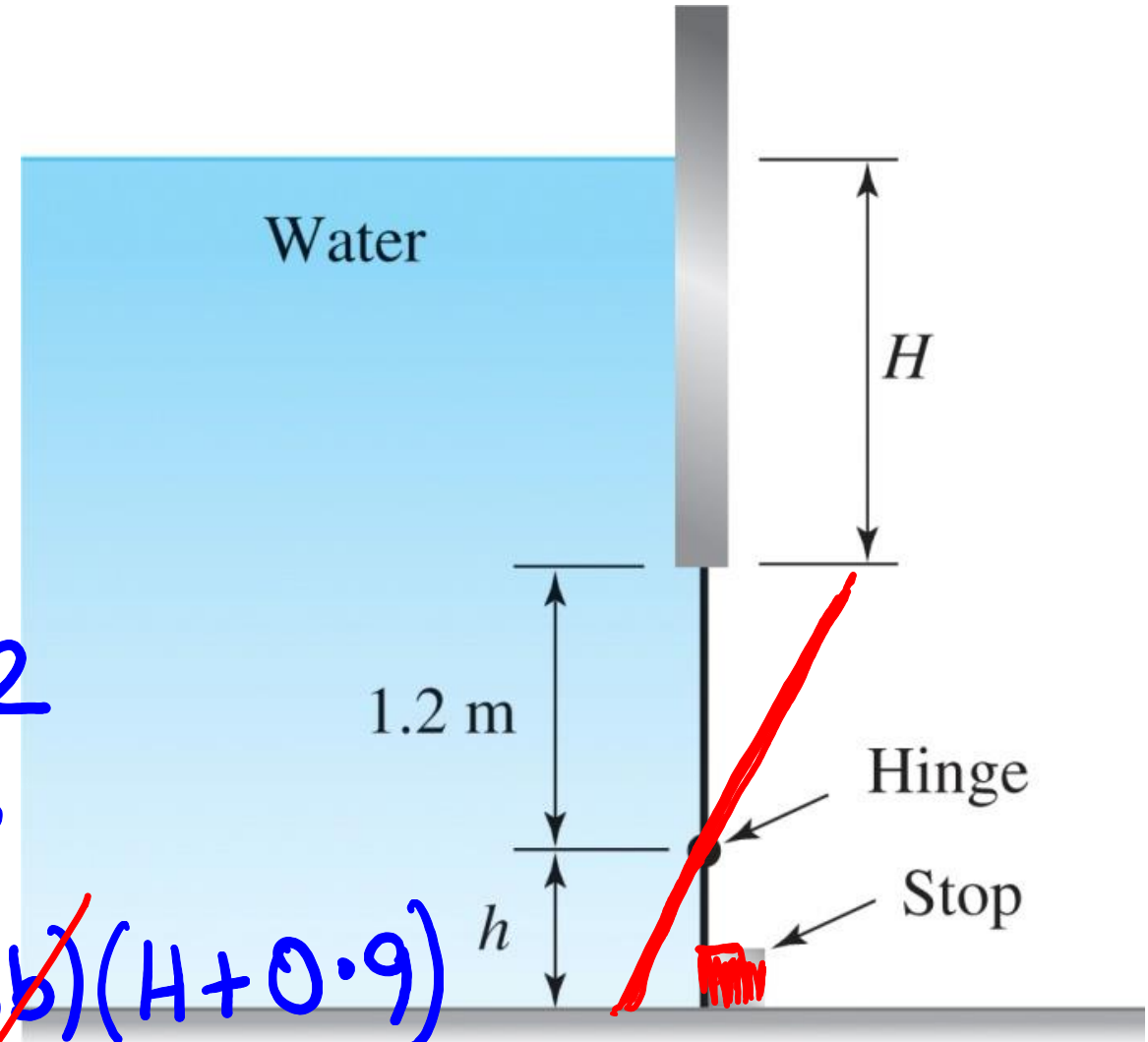


Fig. P2.62

if $H > 0m$, gate will rotate

c) $h = 1.0m$

$$y_p = 1.2m + H$$

$$y_p = \bar{y} + \frac{I}{A\bar{y}}$$

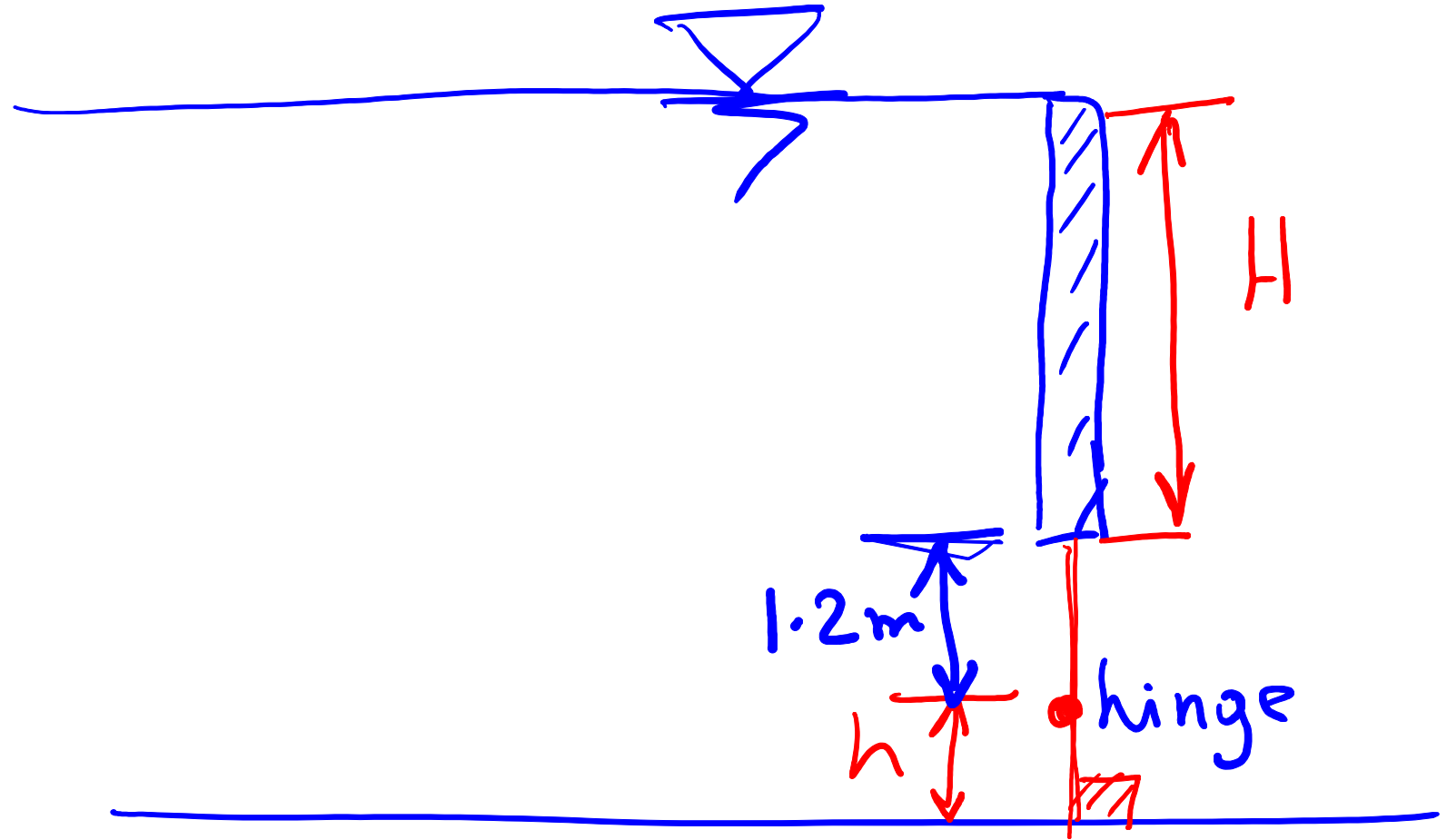
$$\bar{y} = H + \left(\frac{1.2 + 2.0}{2} \right)$$

$$= (H + 1.1)$$

$$A = 2.2b$$

$$I = b \cdot \frac{h^3}{12} \Rightarrow \frac{b \cdot 2.2^3}{12} =$$

$$\Rightarrow H = 2.93m$$



2.4.5 Forces on Curved Surfaces

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zV-JO-I7Mx4>

- Direct integration cannot find the force due to the hydrostatic pressure on a curved surface.
- A free-body diagram containing the curved surface and surrounding liquid needs to be identified.

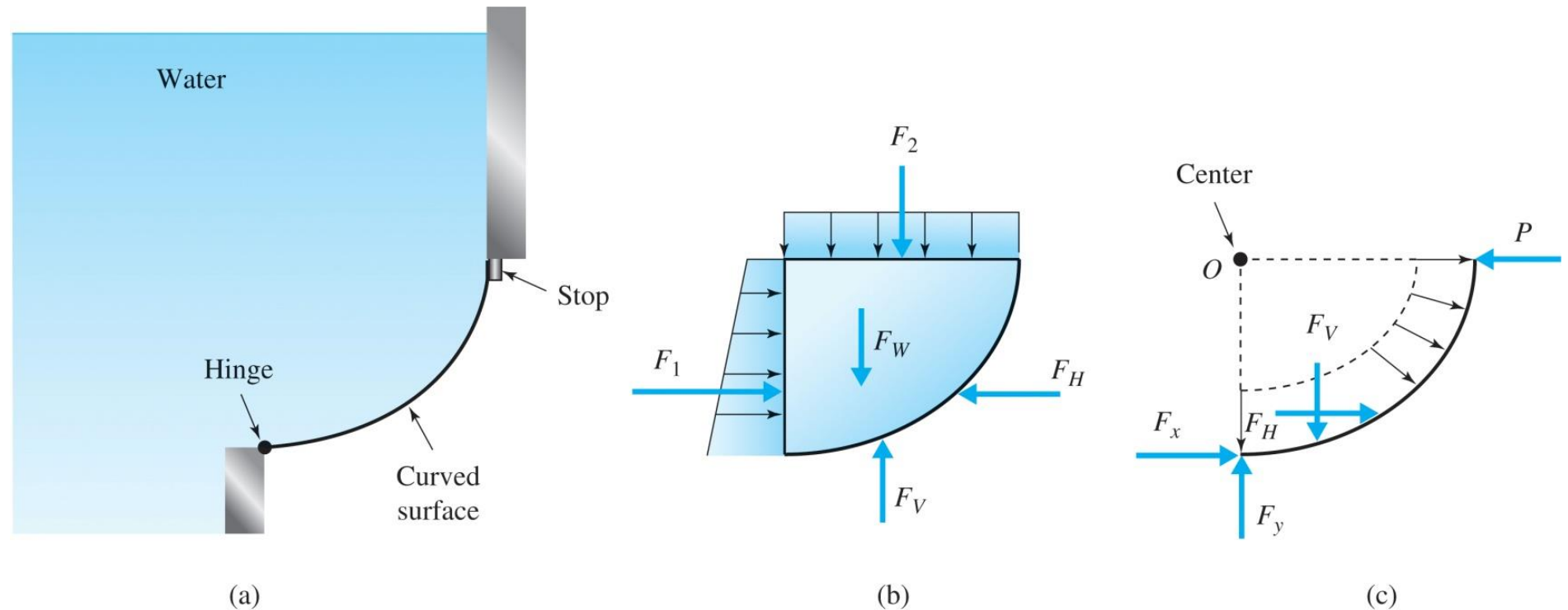


Fig. 2.11 Forces acting on a curved surface: (a) curved surface; (b) free-body diagram of water and gate; (c) free-body diagram of gate only.

Example: P.2.72. Find the force P required to hold the gate in the position shown in Fig. P.2.72. The gate is 5-m wide.

$$P = ?? \quad w = 5 \text{ m}$$

$$\dots \quad \Sigma M_{\text{Hinge}} = 0$$

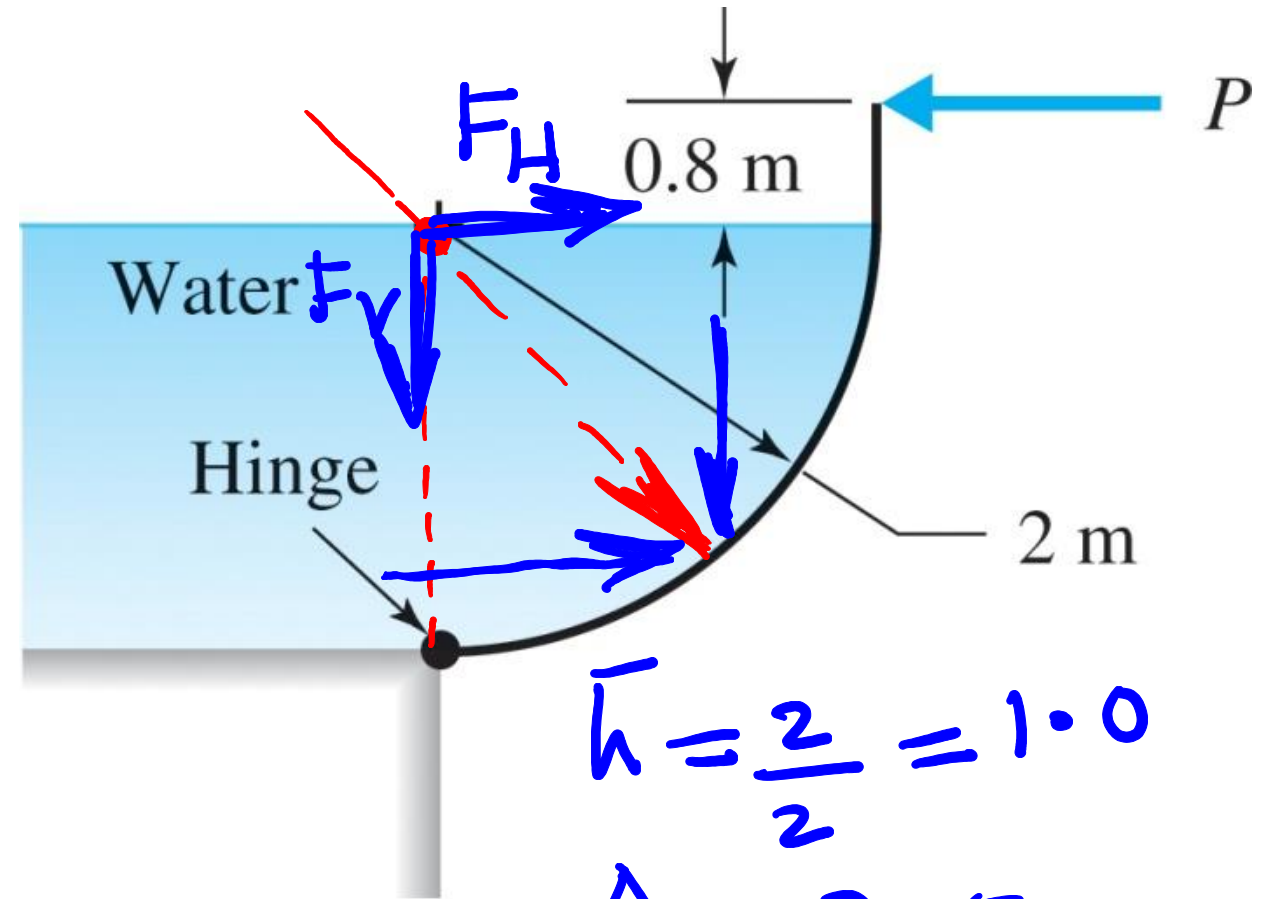
$$P(2.8) = F_H \times 2.0 \quad \dots \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$F_H = \gamma \bar{h} \cdot A = 1000 \times 9.81 \times 1.0 \times 10$$

$$F_H = 98.01 \text{ kN} = 98,100 \text{ N}$$

In $\textcircled{1}$

$$P = 70.07 \text{ kN}$$



$$\bar{h} = \frac{2}{2} = 1.0$$

$$A = 2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ m}^2$$

Fig. P2.72

$$10 \text{ m}^2$$

Example: P.2.77. Find the force P if the parabolic gate shown in Fig. P.2.77 is

- a) 2-m wide and $H = 2$ m
- b) 4-ft wide and $H = 8$ ft.

$$P = ??$$

$$a) H = 2\text{m}, W = 2\text{m}$$

$$\sum M_{\text{hinge}} = 0$$

$$P(2) = F_H \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) + F_V X_P$$

$$* F_H = \gamma \bar{h} \cdot A \quad \bar{h} = 1.0$$

$$A = 2 \times 2 = 4\text{m}^2$$

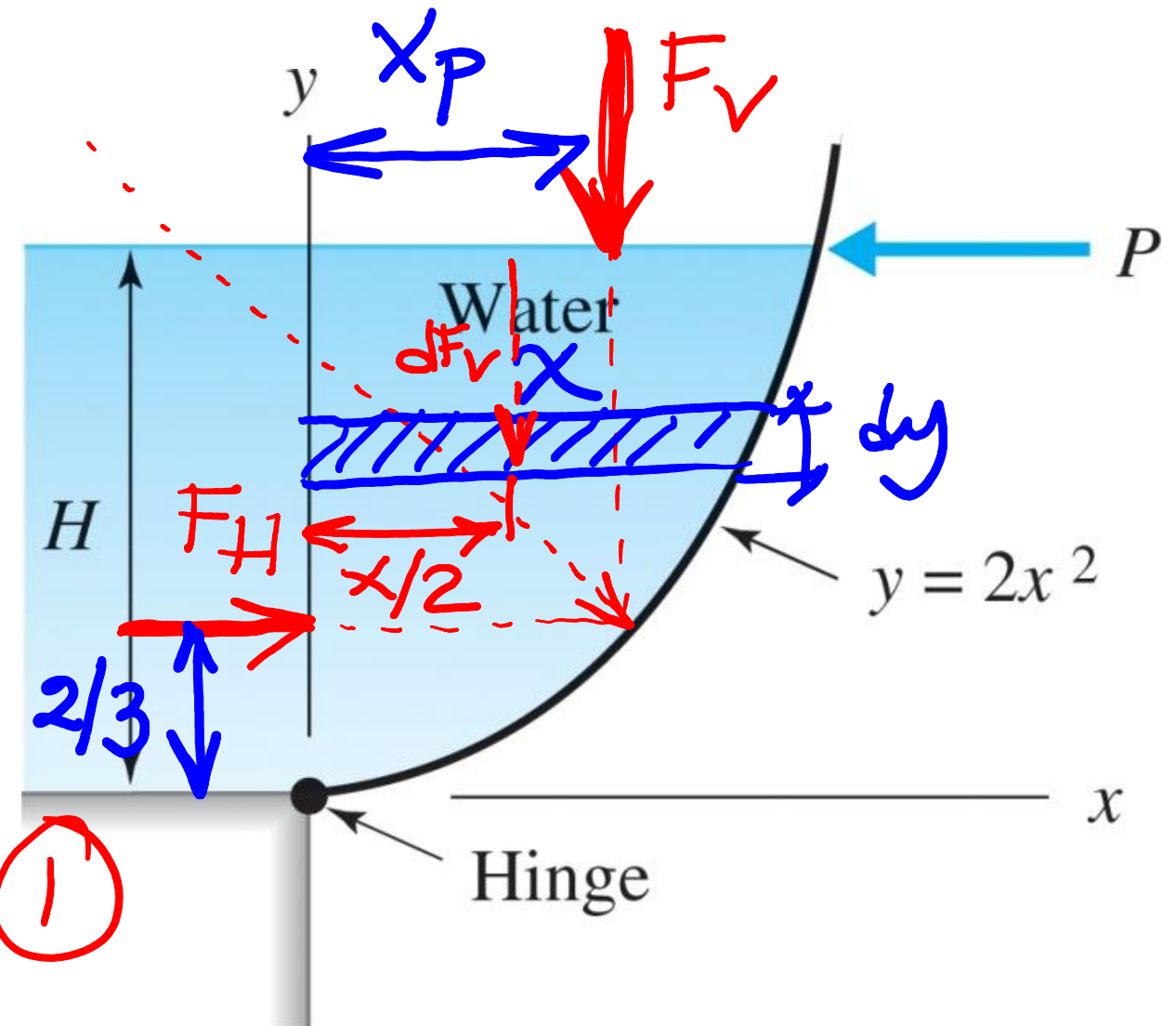


Fig. P2.77

$$F_H = 9810 \times 1 \times 4 = 39,240 \text{ N}$$

$$* F_V = \text{weight of water} = \gamma \nabla = \gamma \int_V dV$$

↙ volume

$$dV = x \cdot dy \cdot \textcircled{w} = 2x \, dy$$

↙ 2m

$$y = 2x^2 \rightarrow dy = 4x \, dx$$

$$F_V = 9810 \int_0^1 2x(4x) \, dx = 9810 \int_0^1 8x^2 \, dx$$
$$= 9810 \left[\frac{8x^3}{3} \right]_0^1 = 26,160 \text{ N}$$

$$* X_p \cdot F_v = \int \frac{x}{2} \cdot dF_v$$

$$X_p \cdot F_v = \int \frac{x}{2} \gamma (8x^2) dx = \gamma \int_0^1 4x^3 dx = \gamma \frac{4x^4}{4} \Big|_0^1$$

$$X_p = \frac{9810}{26160} = 0.375 \text{ m}$$

In ①

$$P = 17,985 \text{ N}$$

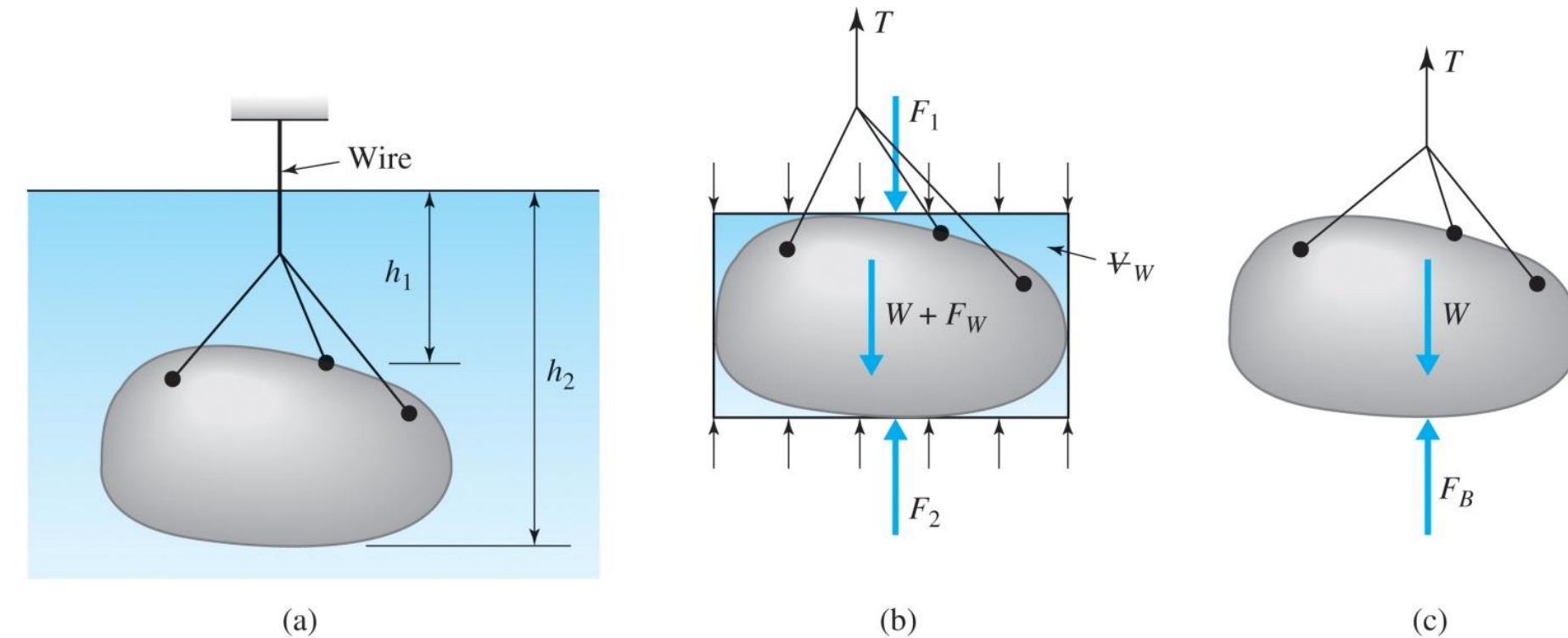
$$P = 17.99 \text{ kN}$$

2.4 FLUIDS AT REST

2.4.6 Buoyancy (Archimedes' principle)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2ReflvqaYg8>

- **Buoyancy force on an object equals the weight of displaced liquid.**



$$F_B + T - W = 0$$

Fig. 2.12 Forces on a submerged body: (a) submerged body; (b) free-body diagram; (c) free body showing the buoyant force F_B .

V is the volume of displaced fluid and W is the weight of the floating object.

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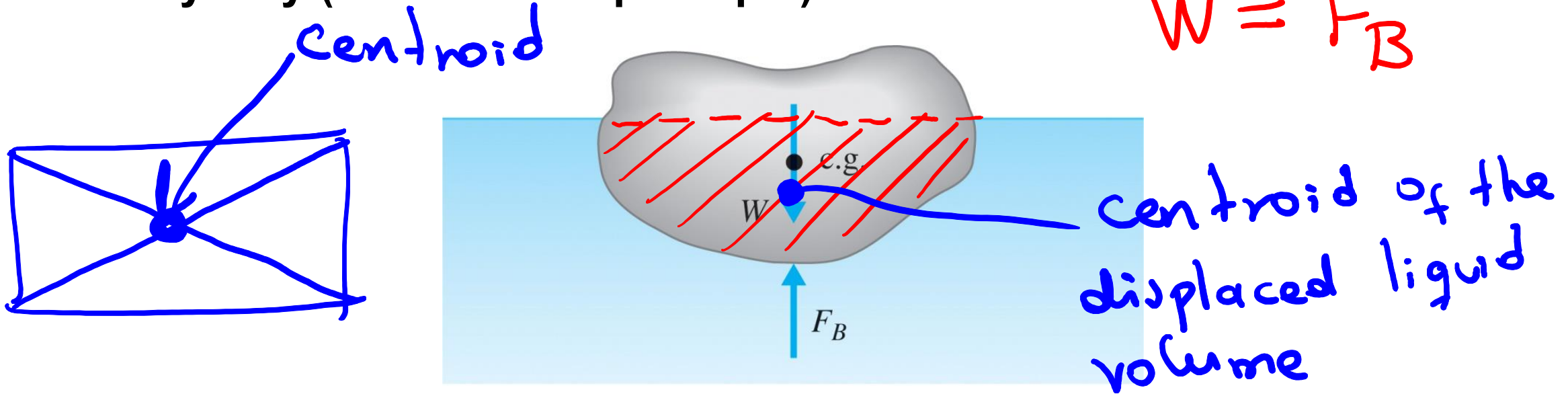


Fig. 2.13 Forces on a floating object.

- The buoyant force acts through the centroid of the displaced liquid volume.
- An application of this would be a hydrometer that is used to measure the specific gravity of liquids.
- For pure water, this is 1.0

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2.4.6 Buoyancy (Hydrometers)

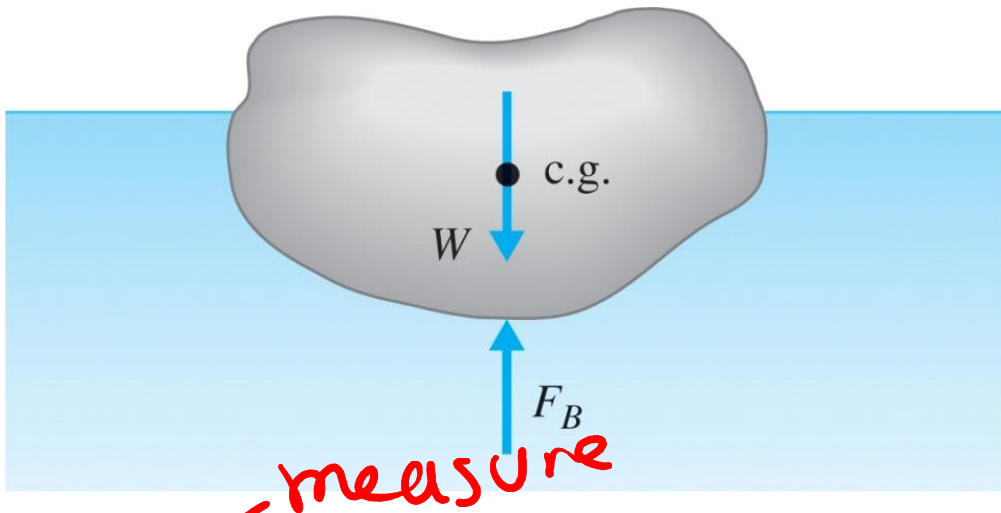


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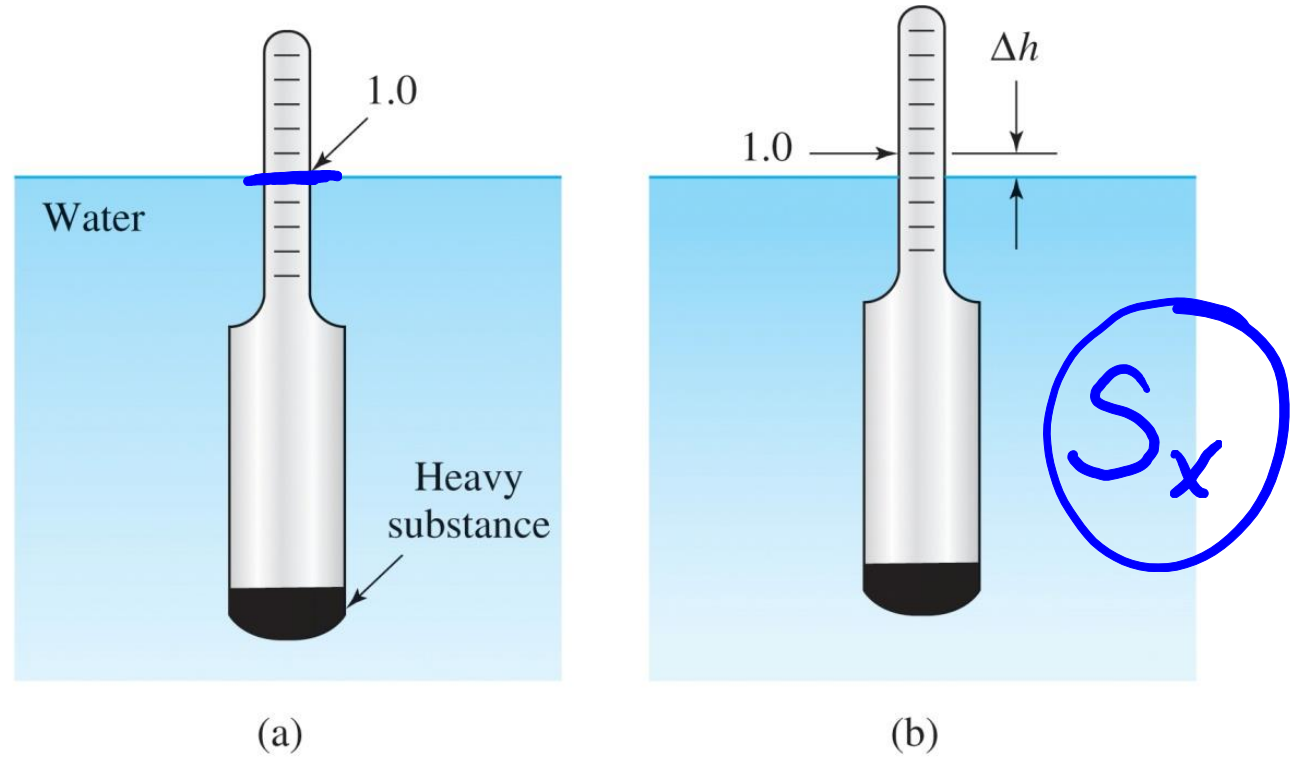


Fig. 2.14 Hydrometer: (a) in water; (b) in an unknown liquid.

$$\Delta h = \frac{V}{A} \left(1 - \frac{1}{S_x} \right)$$

- Where Δh is the displaced height
- A: Cross-sectional area of the stem
- $S_x = \frac{\gamma_x}{\gamma_{water}}$ (specific gravity of unknown liquid)
- For a given hydrometer, V and A are fixed.

Example: P.2.78. The 3-m wide barge shown in Fig. P.2.78 weighs 20 kN empty. It is proposed that it carry a 250-kN load. Predict the draft in:

- a) Fresh water
- b) Salt water ($S = 1.03$)

a) $S = 1.0$
 $W = 3\text{ m}$
 Weight = 270 kN
 $F_B = 270,000$
 $F_B = \gamma_{\text{fluid}} \cdot V_{\text{displaced}}$
 $S \cdot \rho_w \cdot g \cdot V_{\text{displaced}}$

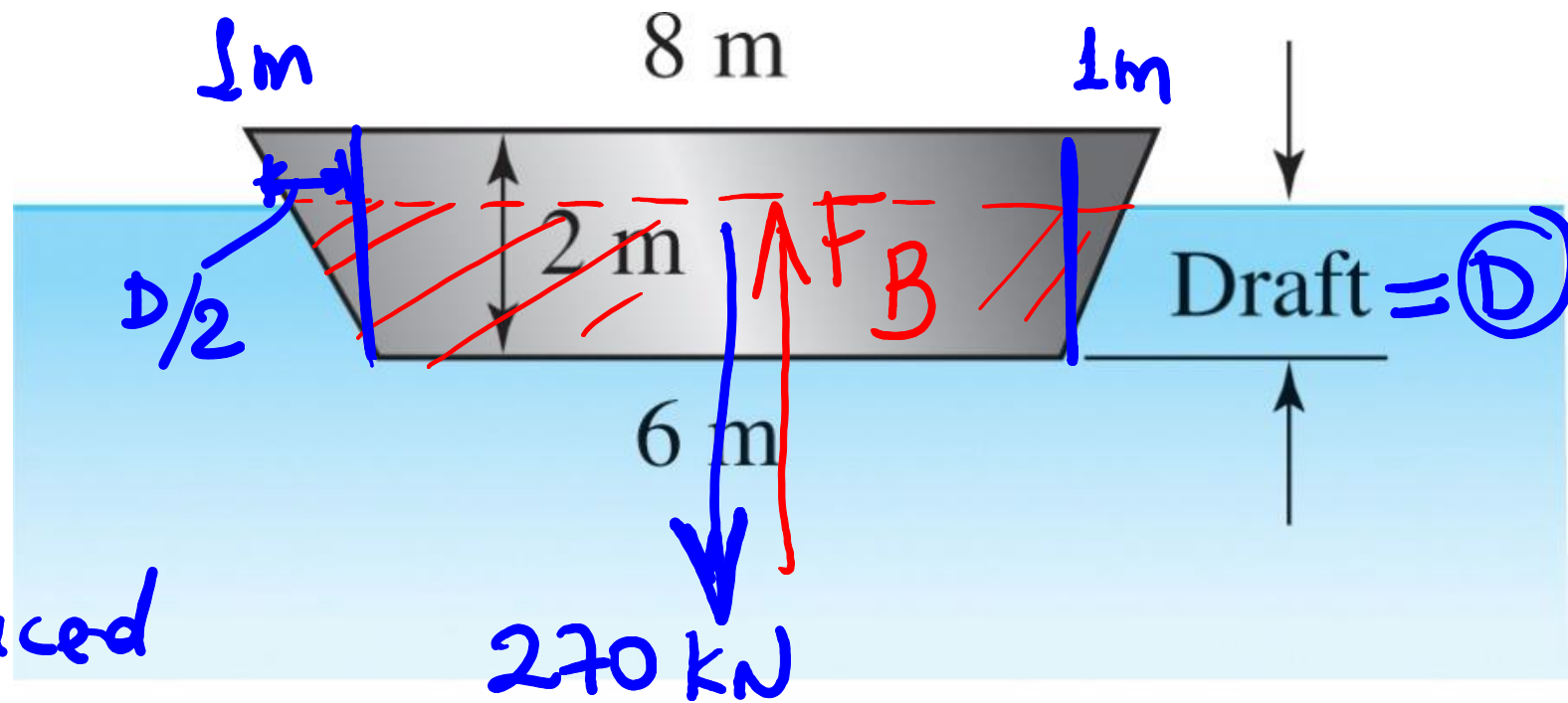
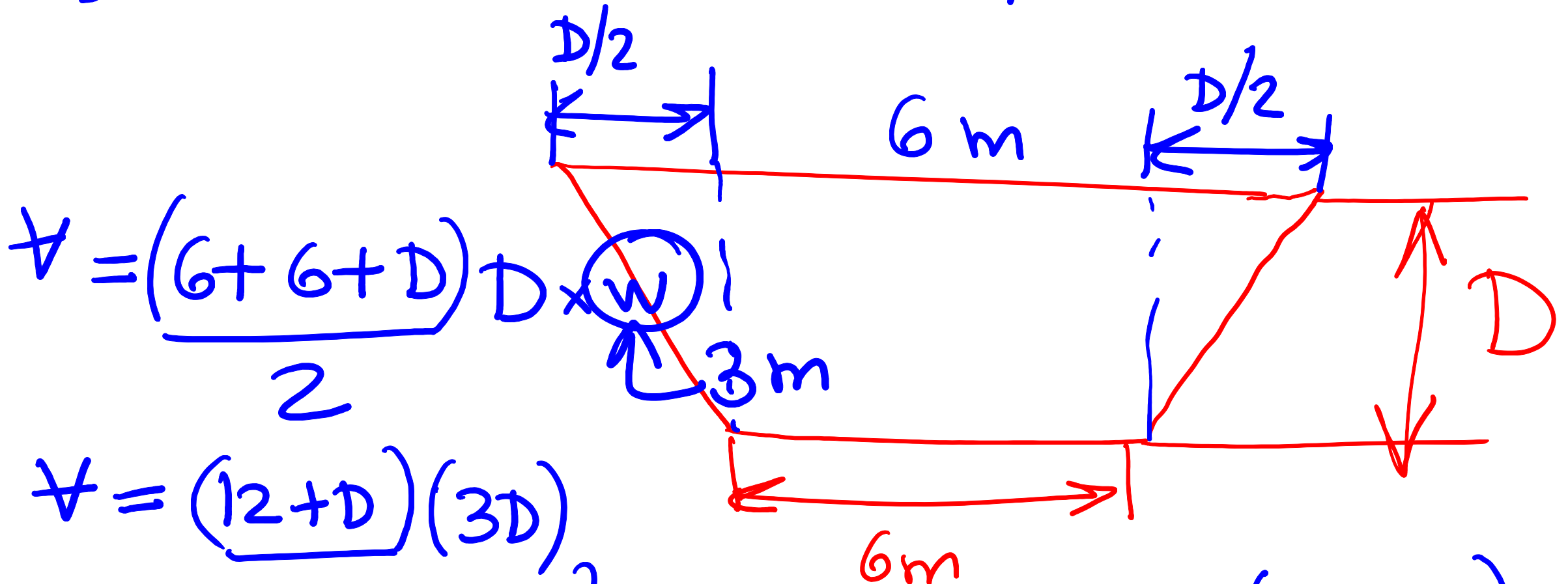


Fig. P2.78

$$1.0 \times 1000 \times 9.81 \times V = 270,000$$



$$V = \frac{(6 + 6 + D) D \times w}{2}$$

$$V = \frac{(12 + D)(3D)}{2}$$

$$\rightarrow 27.52 = 1.5D(12 + D)$$

$$D = 1.372 \text{ m}$$

$$b) D = 1.336 \text{ m}$$

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2.4.7 Stability

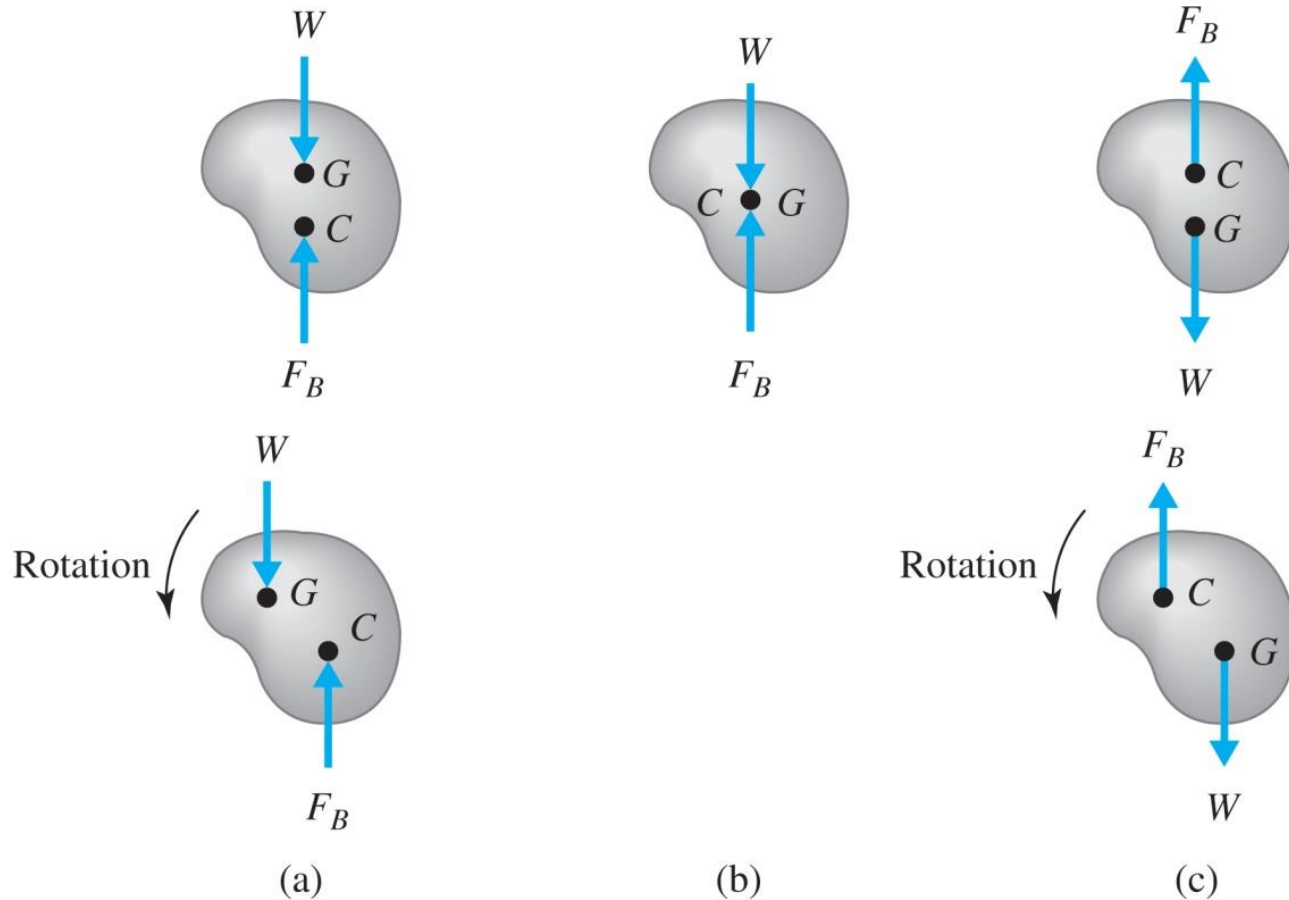


Fig. 2.15 Stability of a submerged body: (a) unstable; (b) neutral; (c) stable.

- In (a) the center of gravity of the body is above the centroid C (center of buoyancy), so a small angular rotation leads to a moment that increases rotation: unstable.
- (b) shows neutral stability as the center of gravity and the centroid coincide.
- In (c), as the center of gravity is below the centroid, a small angular rotation provides a restoring moment and the body is stable.

G above C \rightarrow opposite

2.4 FLUIDS AT REST

Metacentric height

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QUgXf2Rj2YQ>

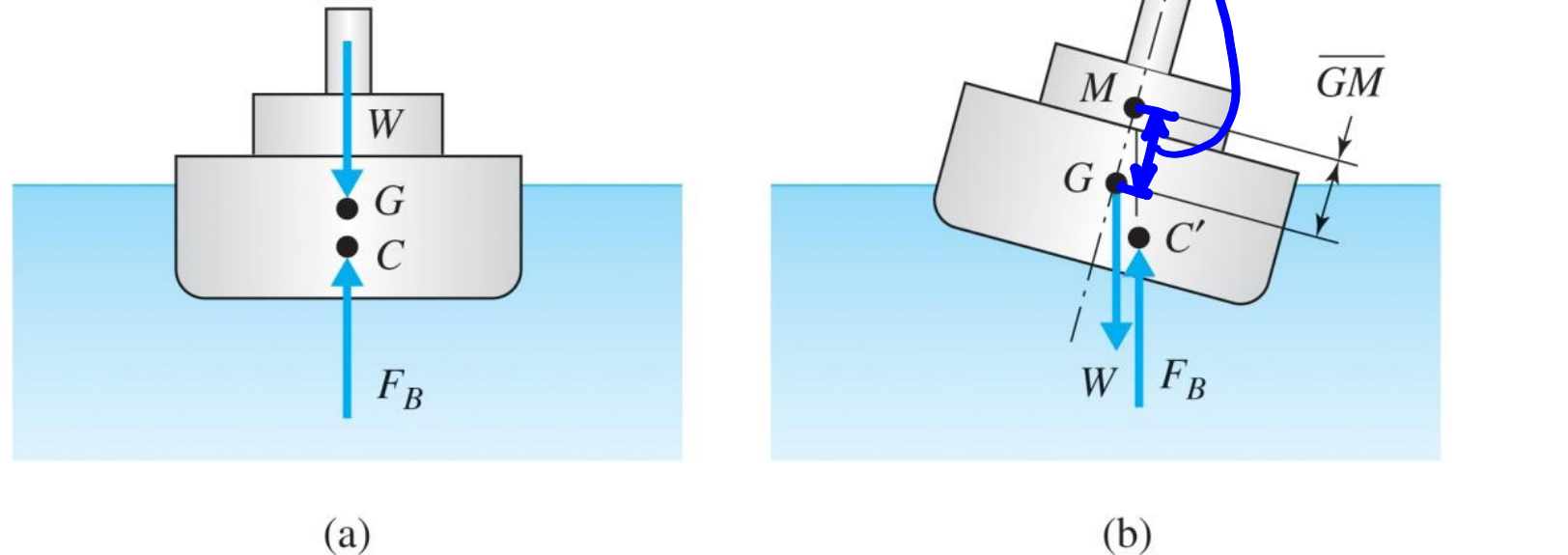


Fig. 2.16 Stability of a floating body: (a) equilibrium position; (b) rotated position.

- The **metacentric height \overline{GM}** is the distance from G to the point of intersection of the buoyant force before rotation with the buoyant force after rotation.
- If \overline{GM} is positive: Stable
- If \overline{GM} is negative: Unstable

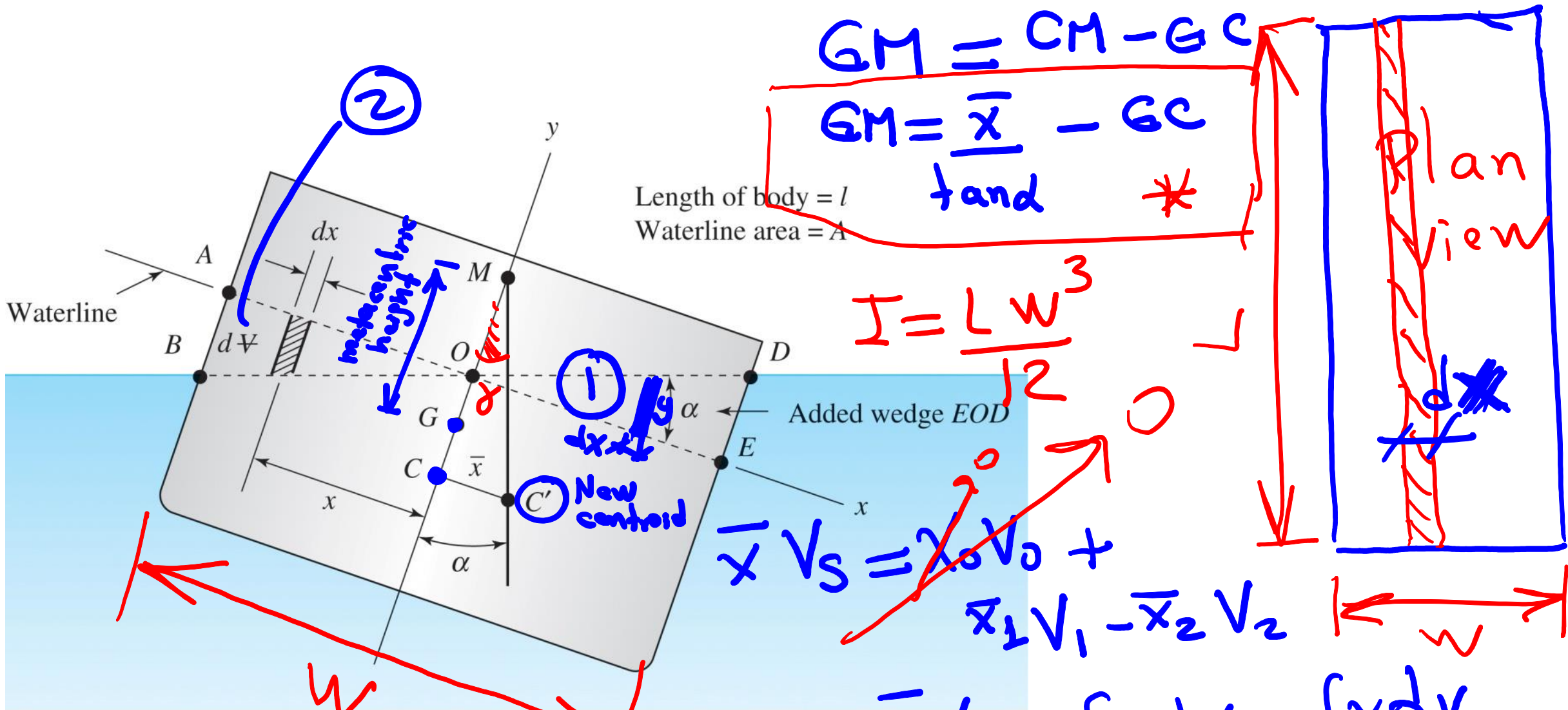


Fig. 2.17 Uniform cross section of a floating body.

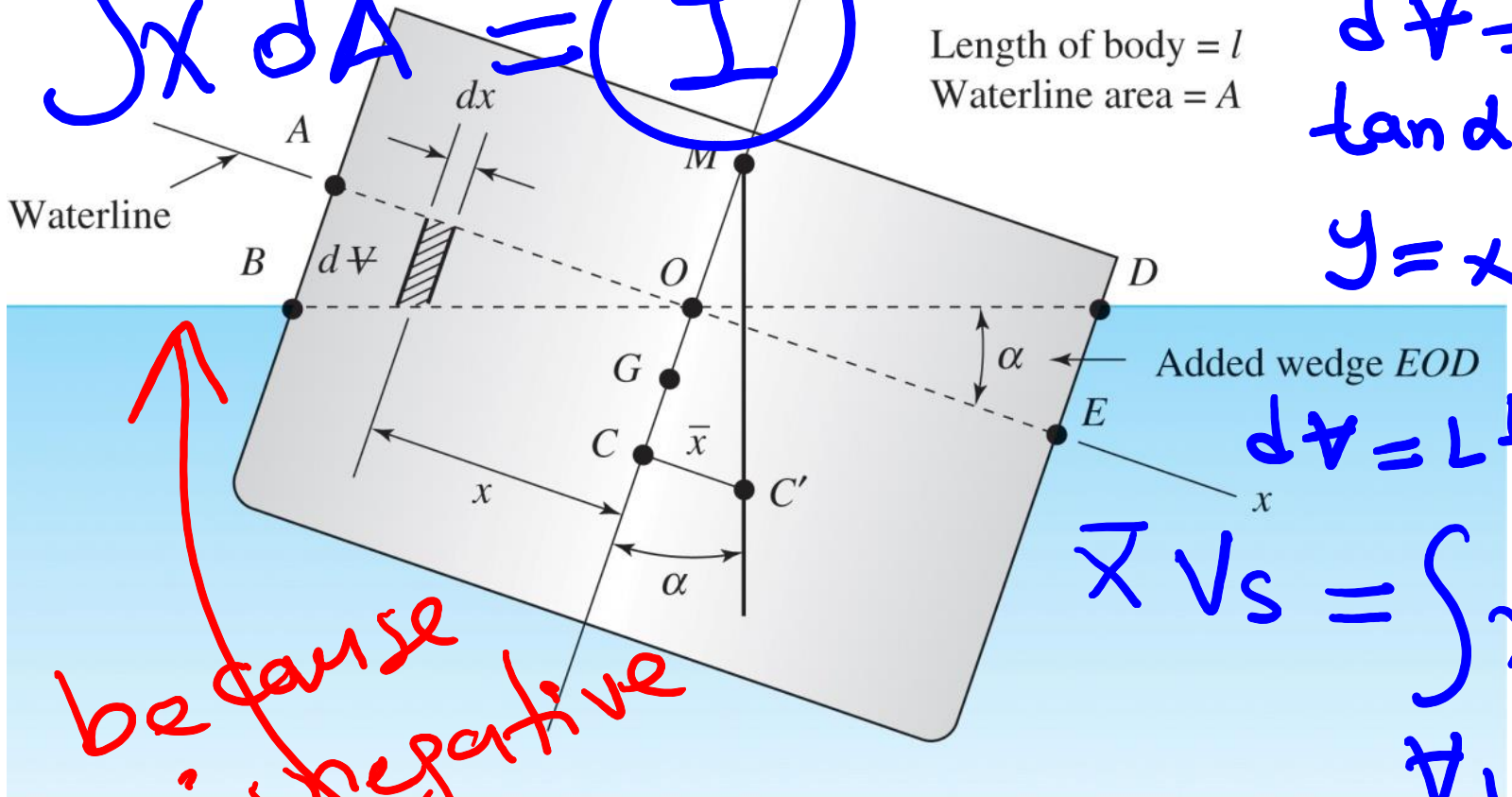
$$\int x^2 dA = I$$

Length of body = l
Waterline area = A

$$dV = yL dx \quad dA$$

$$\tan d = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$y = x \tan d$$



$$dV = L \tan d x dx = \tan d \cdot x \cdot dA$$

$$\bar{V}_s = \int_{V_1} x \cdot \tan d dA + \int_{V_2} x \tan d dA$$

because y is negative

Fig. 2.17 Uniform cross section of a floating body.

$$\bar{V}_s = \tan d \left[I_0 \right]$$

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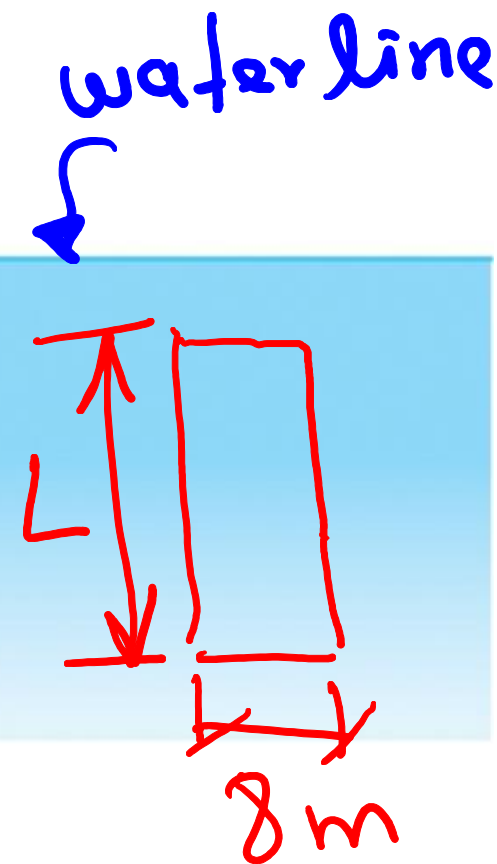
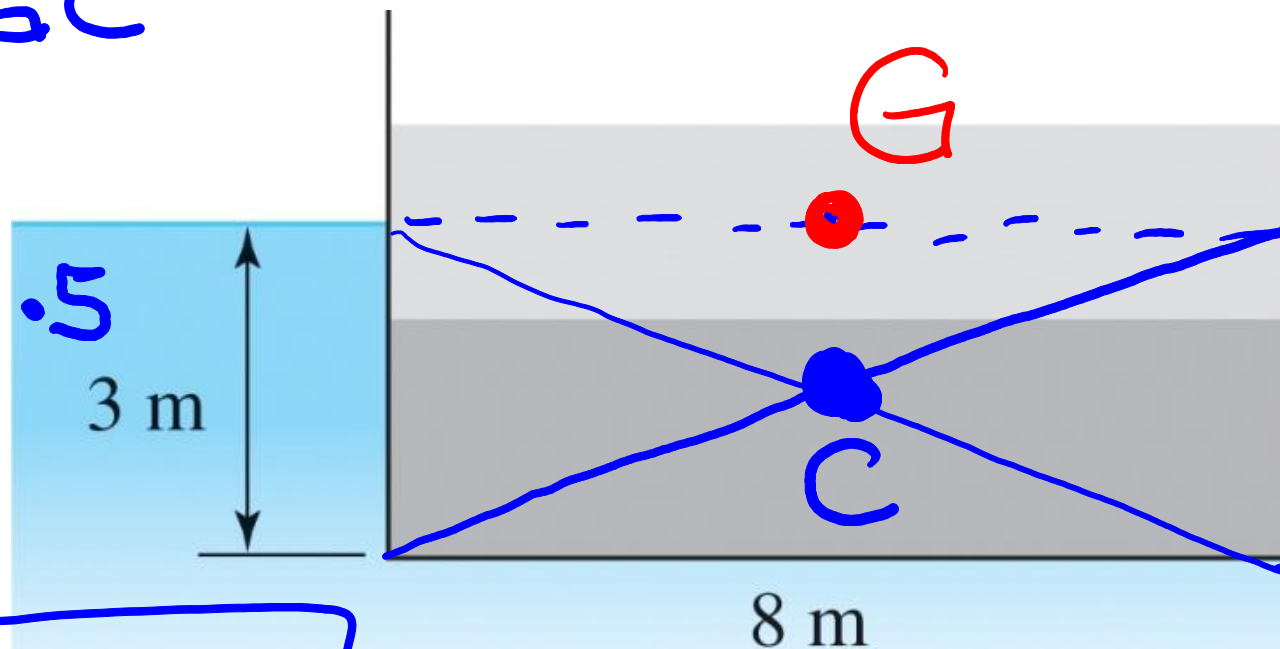
$$GM = \frac{I_0 \tan d}{V_s \tan d} - GC$$

$$GM = \frac{I_0}{V_s} - GC$$

Example: P.2.94. The barge shown in Fig. P2.94 is loaded such that the center of gravity of the barge and the load is at the waterline. Is the barge stable?

$$GM = \frac{I_0}{V_s} - GC$$

$$GM = \frac{L \times 8^3}{12 \times 8 \times 3 \times L} - 1.5$$



$$GM = 0.277 \text{ m}$$

Fig. P2.94

> 0 [It is stable] //

Example: P.2.92. For the object shown in Fig. P2.92, calculate S_A for neutral stability when submerged.

$$G = C$$

$$\bar{y} \cdot A = \sum y_i A_i$$

$$A = 32 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\bar{y}(32) = 16 \times 4 + 8 \times 8 \cdot 5 + 8 \times 9 \cdot 5$$

$$\bar{y} = 6 \cdot 5 \text{ cm}$$

$$W = S \rho_w g V$$

$$\bar{y}' \cdot W = \sum W_i \bar{y}'_i \rightarrow \bar{y}' = \frac{\sum W_i \bar{y}'_i}{W}$$

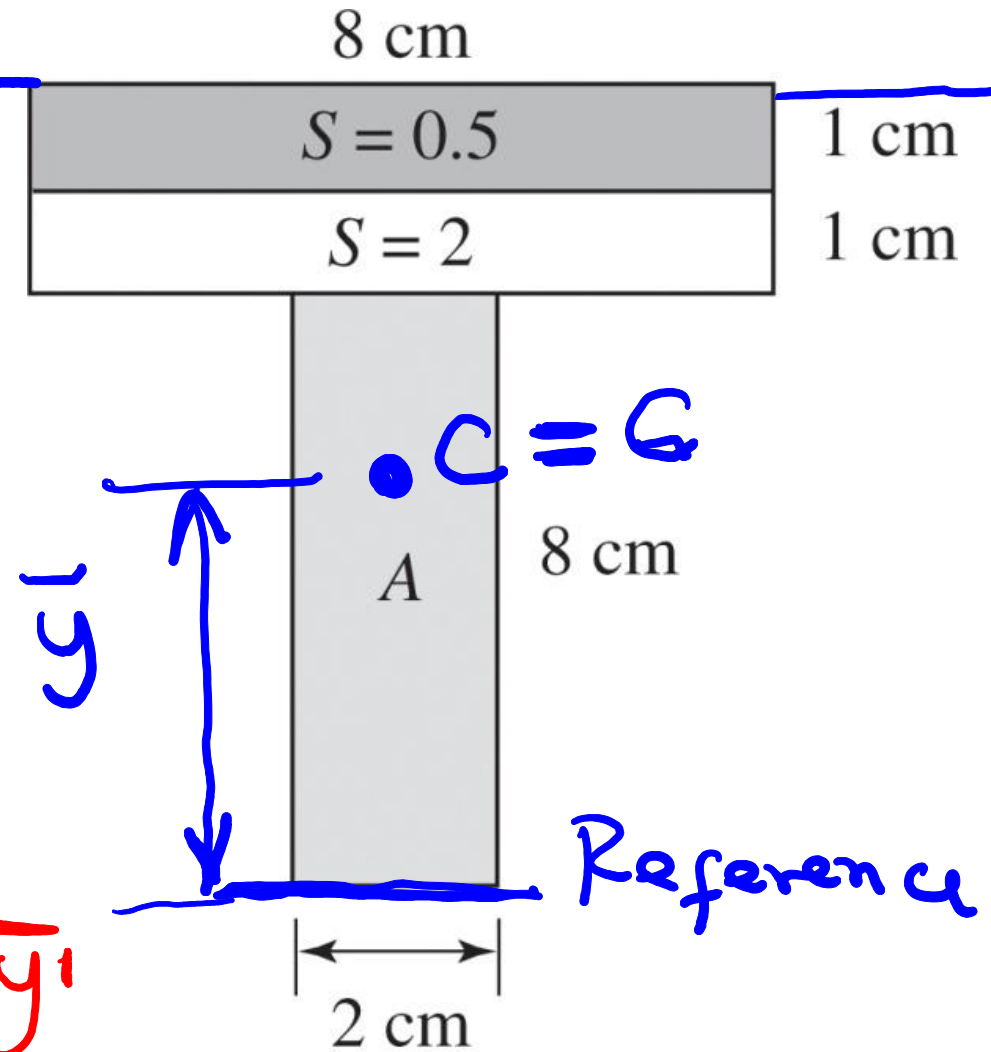


Fig. P2.92

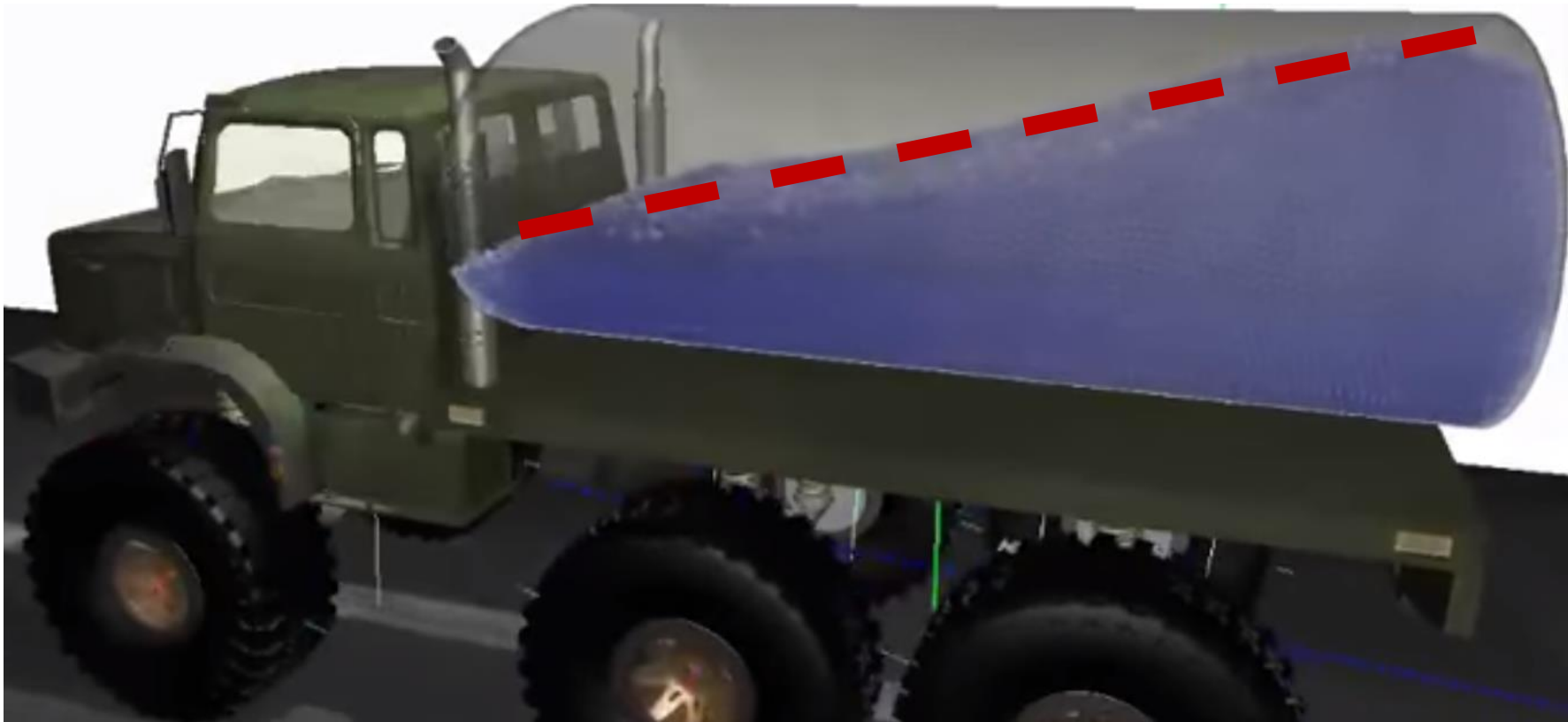
$$6.5 = \cancel{S_A \times \cancel{\rho_w g}} (16)^{\times 4} + 2 \cancel{\rho_w g} (8)^{\times 8.5} + 0.5 \cancel{\rho_w g} (8)^{\times 9.5}$$

$$\cancel{S_A \rho_w g} (16) + 2 \cancel{\rho_w g} (8) + 0.5 \cancel{\rho_w g} (8)$$

$$6.5 (16 S_A + 20) = 64 S_A + 174$$

$$S_A = 1.1$$

Linearly Accelerating Containers



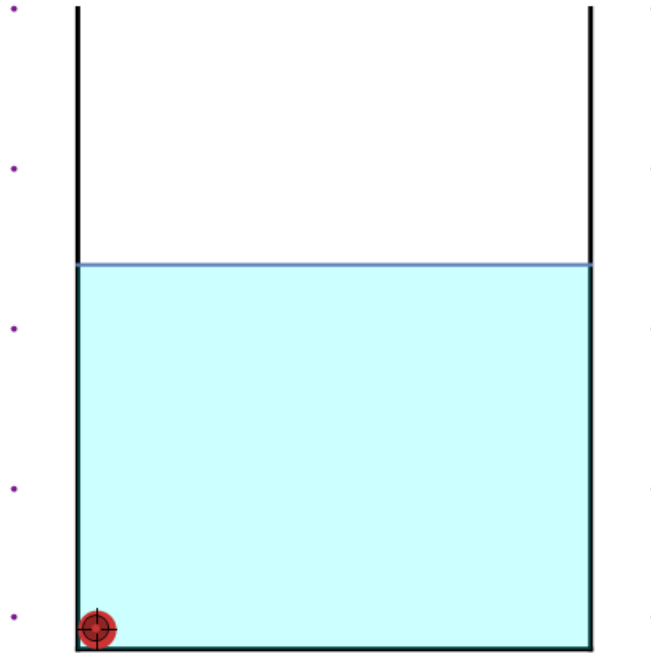
Source: [asciencecom](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jqpl4ME6rRY), Youtube (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jqpl4ME6rRY>)

DEMONSTRATION

Pressure within an Accelerating Container

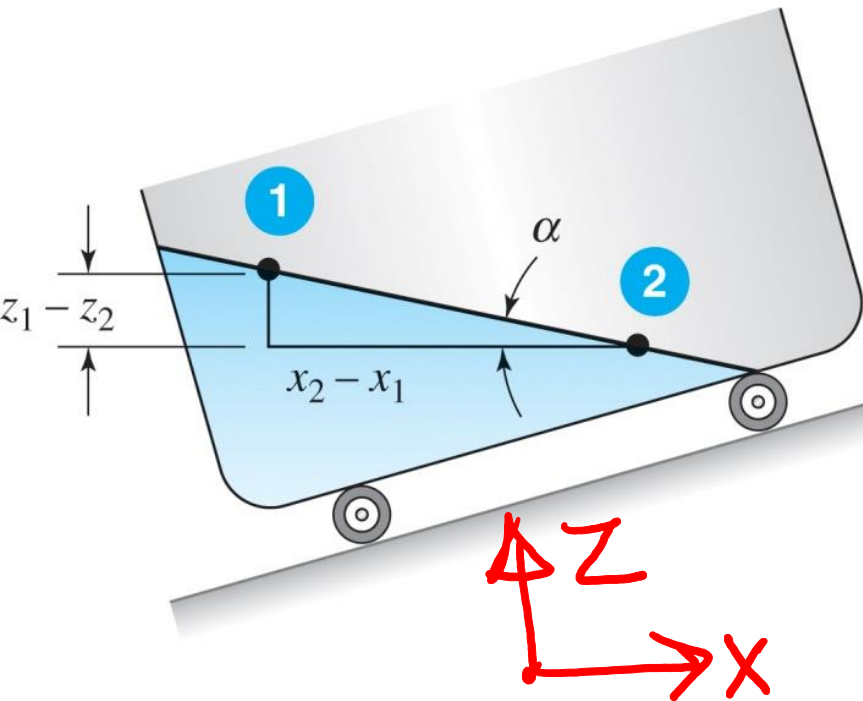
acceleration (m/s^2) 0
density of fluid (kg/m^3) 1000

Depth of point = 2.9 m Gage pressure = 28. kPa
Drag the ball to see the pressure change.

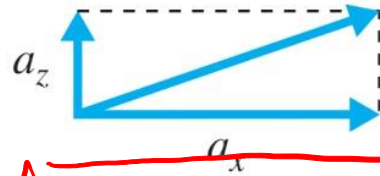


Source: Jon Barbieri and Peter Hassinger, "Pressure within an Accelerating Container"
<http://demonstrations.wolfram.com/PressureWithinAnAcceleratingContainer/>

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- The derived pressure differential equation is:



$$dp = -\rho a_x dx - \rho a_y dy - \rho (a_z + g) dz$$

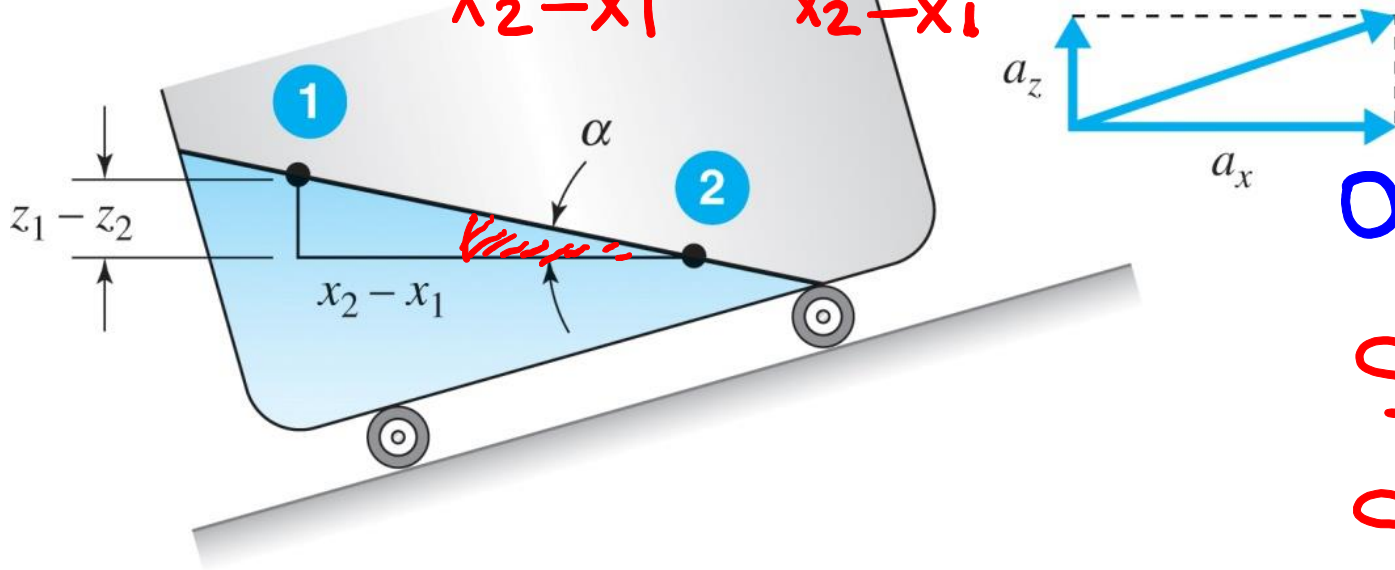
Fig. 2.18 Linearly accelerating tank.

- When the fluid is linearly accelerating with horizontal (a_x) and vertical (a_z) components:

$$dp = -\rho a_x dx - \rho (a_z + g) dz$$

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$$\tan \alpha = \frac{z_1 - z_2}{x_2 - x_1} = -\frac{(z_2 - z_1)}{x_2 - x_1} = -\frac{dz}{dx}$$



- As points 1 and 2 lie on a constant-pressure line:

$$0 = -\cancel{\rho} a_x dx - \cancel{\rho} (a_z + g) dz$$

$$\frac{dz}{dx} = -\frac{a_x}{a_z + g}$$

Fig. 2.18 Linearly accelerating tank.

α = angle that the constant-pressure line makes with the horizontal.

$$\tan \alpha = -\frac{a_x}{a_z + g}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{a_x}{a_z + g}$$

Example: P.2.97. The tank shown in Fig. P2.97 is accelerated to the right at 10 m/s^2 .

Find:

- a) P_A , b) P_B , c) P_C

$a_x = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ $L=1$

Initial Volume of

air = 4

$bh = 8$

* $\tan \alpha = \frac{10}{9.81} = \frac{h}{b}$

$\hookrightarrow h = 1.019 b$

$1.019 b^2 = 8 \rightarrow$

$b = 2.8 \text{ m}$

$h = 2.85 \text{ m}$

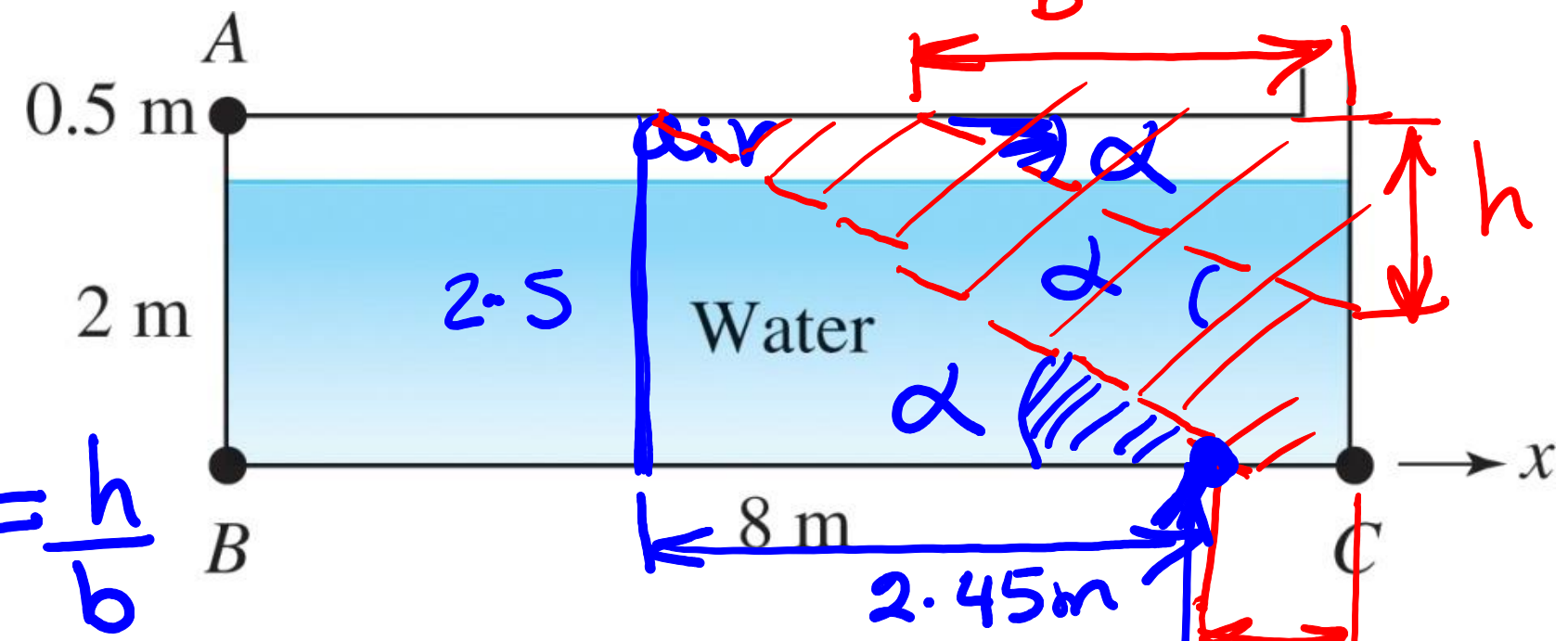


Fig. P2.97

* Assumption of location of water surface is incorrect.

$$d = 45.5^\circ \quad 4 = \frac{(W + W + 2.45)}{2} \times 2.5$$

$$W = 0.374 \text{ m}$$

* $P_c = 0$

* P_B $dp = -\rho a_x dx - \rho(a_z + g) dz$ BM BM BM

$$P_B - P_M = -\rho(10)(x_B - x_M) - \rho(0 + 9.81)(z_B - z_M)$$

$$P_B = -1000(10)(-7.626) - 0 = 76260 \text{ Pa} = \underline{76.2 \text{ kPa}}$$

Similarly

$$P_A = 51.74 \text{ kPa}$$

0

Example: P.2.99. The tank shown in Fig. P2.99 is filled with water and accelerated. Find the pressure at point A if $a = 20 \text{ m/s}^2$ and $L = 1 \text{ m}$.

$$dp = -\rho a_x dx - \rho (a_z + g) dz$$

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$$P_A - P_R = -1000(17.32)(x_A - x_R) - 1000(10 + 9.81)(z_A - z_R)$$

$\dots \textcircled{1}$

$$\tan \beta = 1/2$$

$$\beta = 26.56^\circ$$

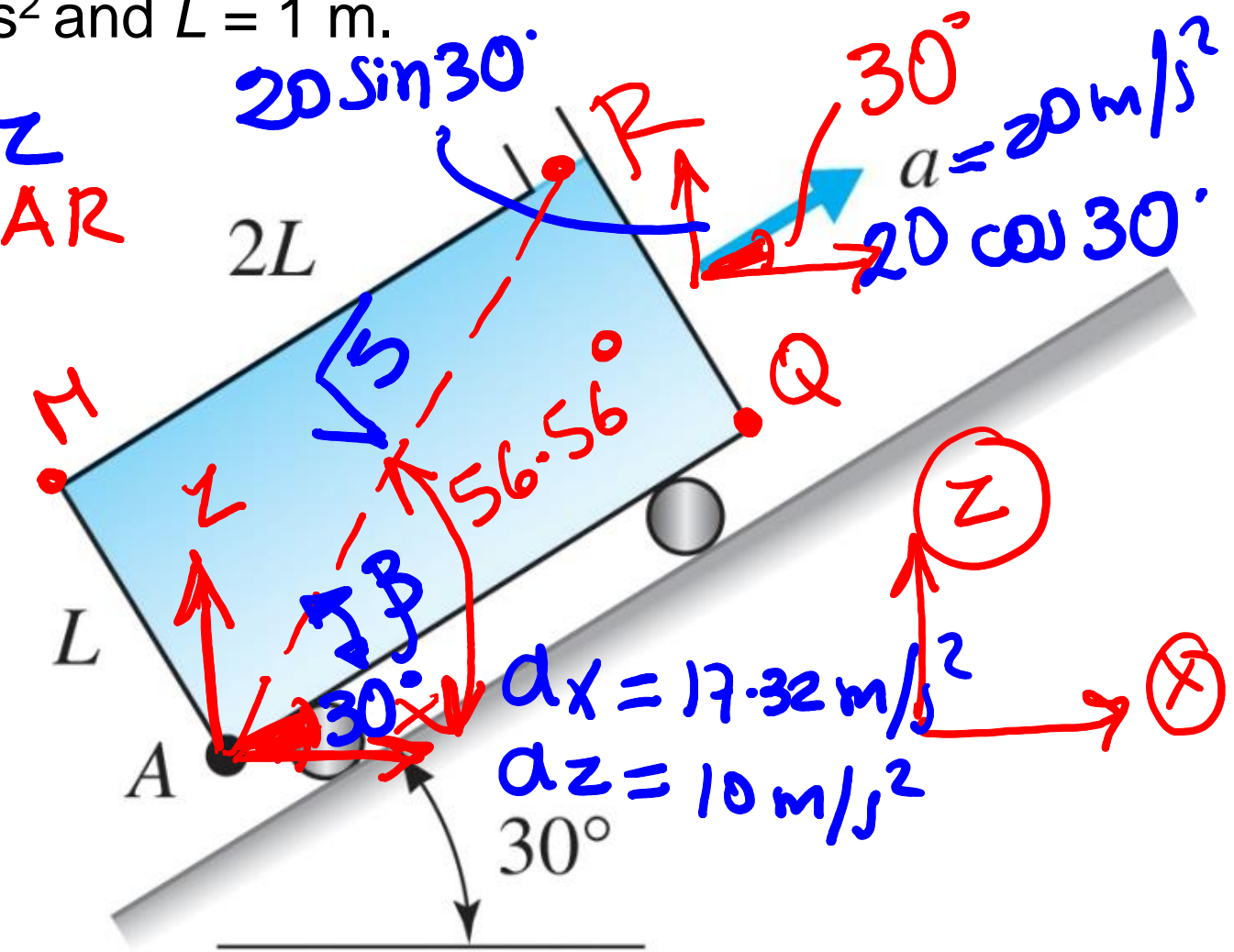


Fig. P2.99

I_n (1)

$$P_A - 0 = -1000(17.32)(0 - \sqrt{5} \cos 56.56^\circ) \\ - 1000(19.81)(0 - \sqrt{5} \sin 56.56^\circ)$$

$$P_A = 58,305 \text{ Pa} = 58.3 \text{ kPa}$$

2.6 ROTATING CONTAINERS

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RdRnB3jz1Yw>

- For a liquid in a rotating container (cross-section shown):

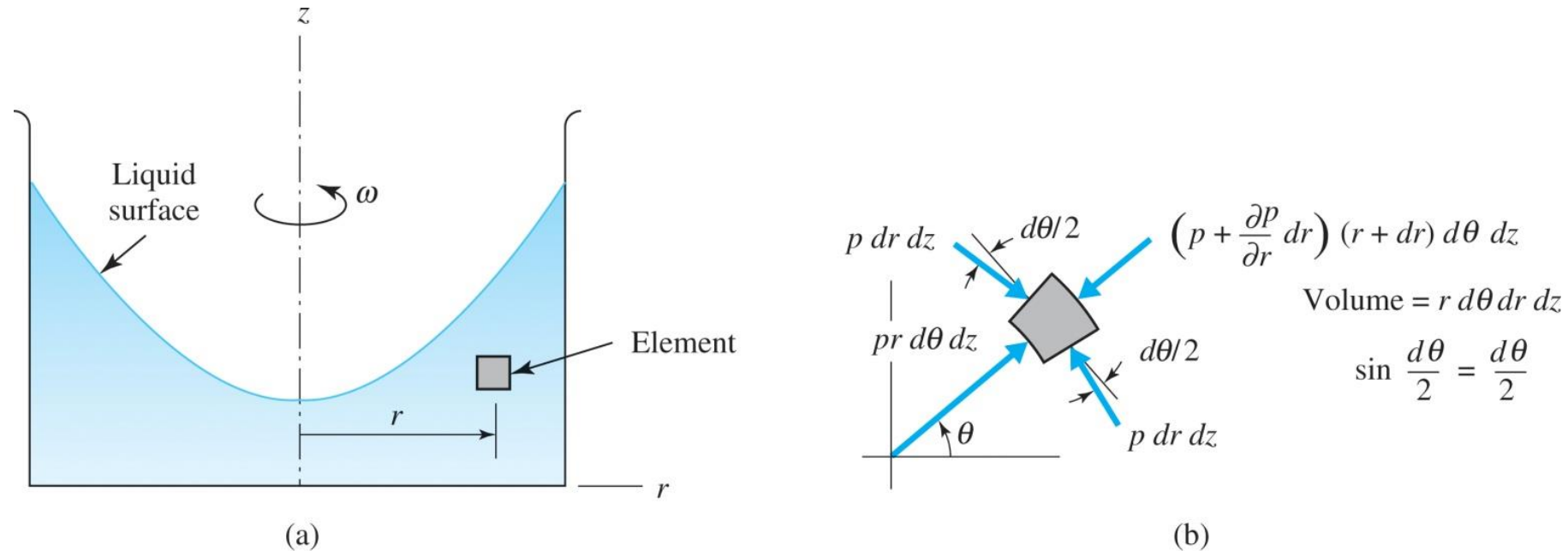
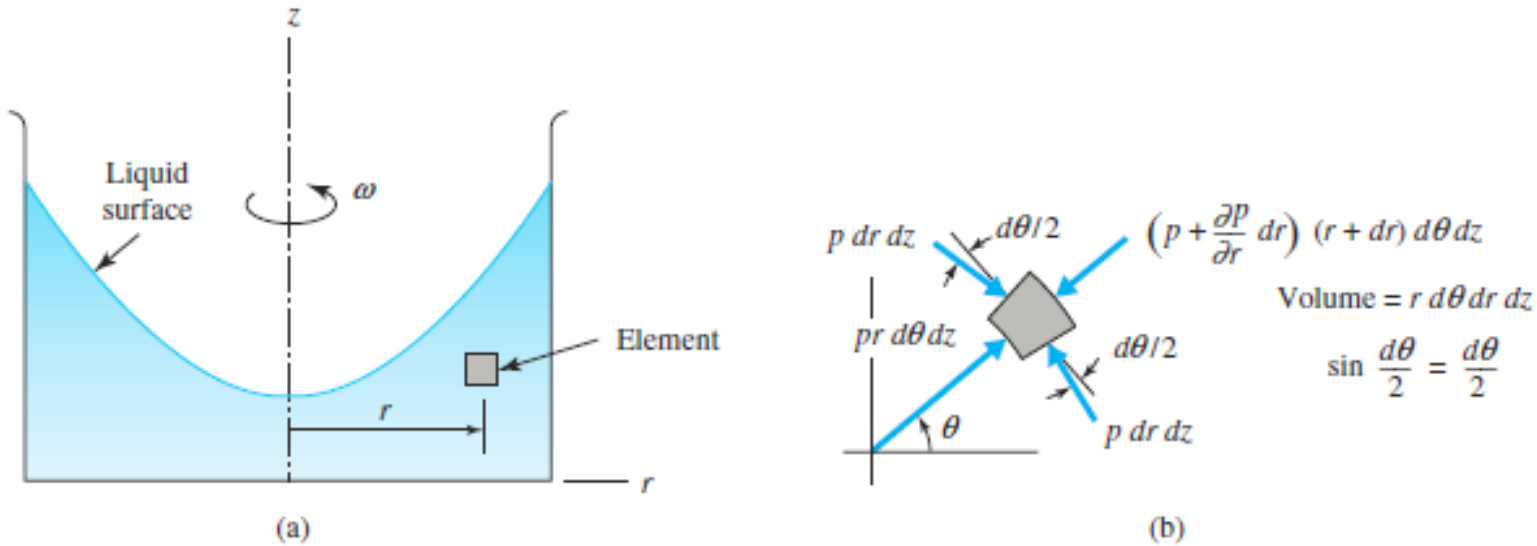


Fig. 2.19 Rotating container: (a) liquid cross section; (b) top view of element.

- In a short time, the liquid reaches static equilibrium with respect to the container and the rotating rz -reference frame.
- Horizontal rotation will not affect the pressure distribution in the vertical direction.
- No variation in pressure with respect to the θ -coordinate.

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- Between two points (r_1, z_1) and (r_2, z_2) on a rotating container, the static pressure variation is:

Figure 2.19 Rotating container: (a) liquid cross section; (b) top view of element.

$$P_2 - P_1 = \rho \frac{\omega^2}{2} (r_2^2 - r_1^2) - \rho g (z_2 - z_1)$$

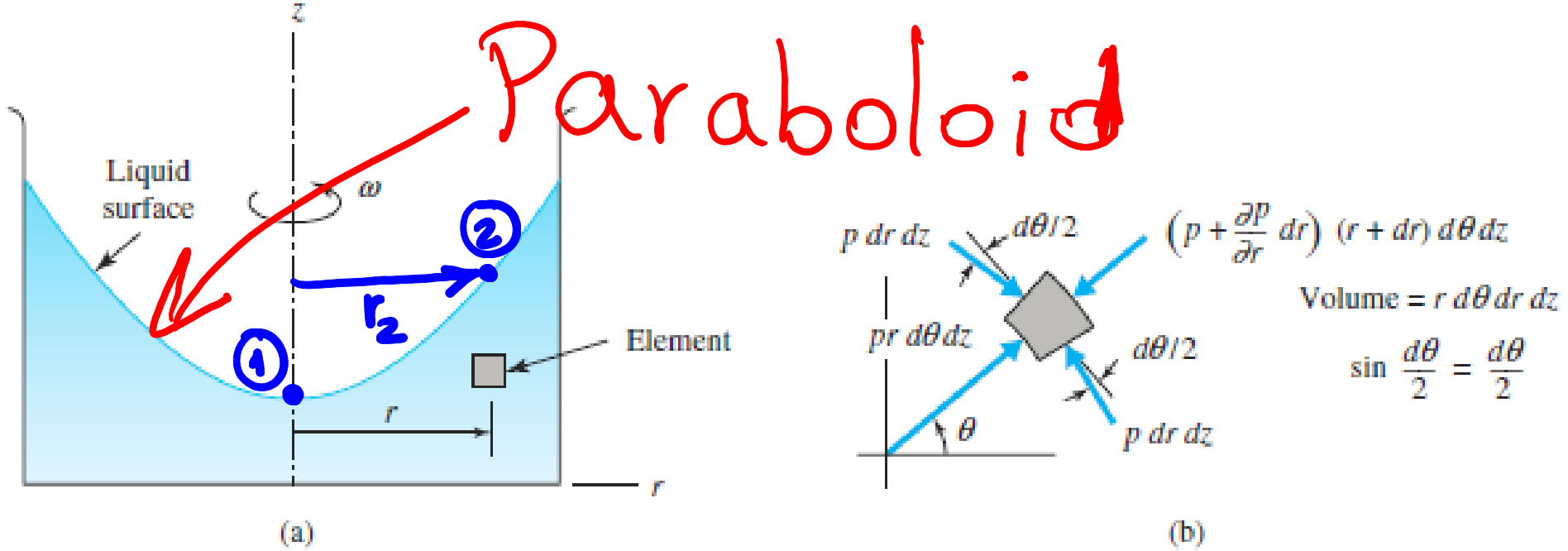


Figure 2.19 Rotating container: (a) liquid cross section; (b) top view of element.

- If two points are on a constant-pressure surface (e.g., free surface) with point 1 on the z-axis [$r_1=0$]:

$$0 = \cancel{\rho} \frac{\omega^2}{2} (r_2^2 - 0) - \cancel{\rho} g (z_2 - z_1)$$

$$\frac{\omega^2 r_2^2}{2} = g (z_2 - z_1)$$

- The free surface is a **paraboloid of revolution**.

Example: P.2.106. For the cylinder shown in Fig. P2.106, determine the pressure at point A for a rotational speed of 5 rad/s.

$P_A = ?$ $\omega = 5 \text{ rad/s}$
 Air volume before and after rotation

is the same. CASE (M)

$$\pi \times 0.6^2 \times 0.2 = \frac{1}{2} \pi \times r_2^2 \times h$$

$$r_2^2 h = 0.144 \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\ast \frac{\omega^2 r_2^2}{2} = g \left(\frac{z_2 - z_1}{h} \right)$$

$$\frac{5^2 r_2^2}{2} = 9.81 h \dots \textcircled{2}$$

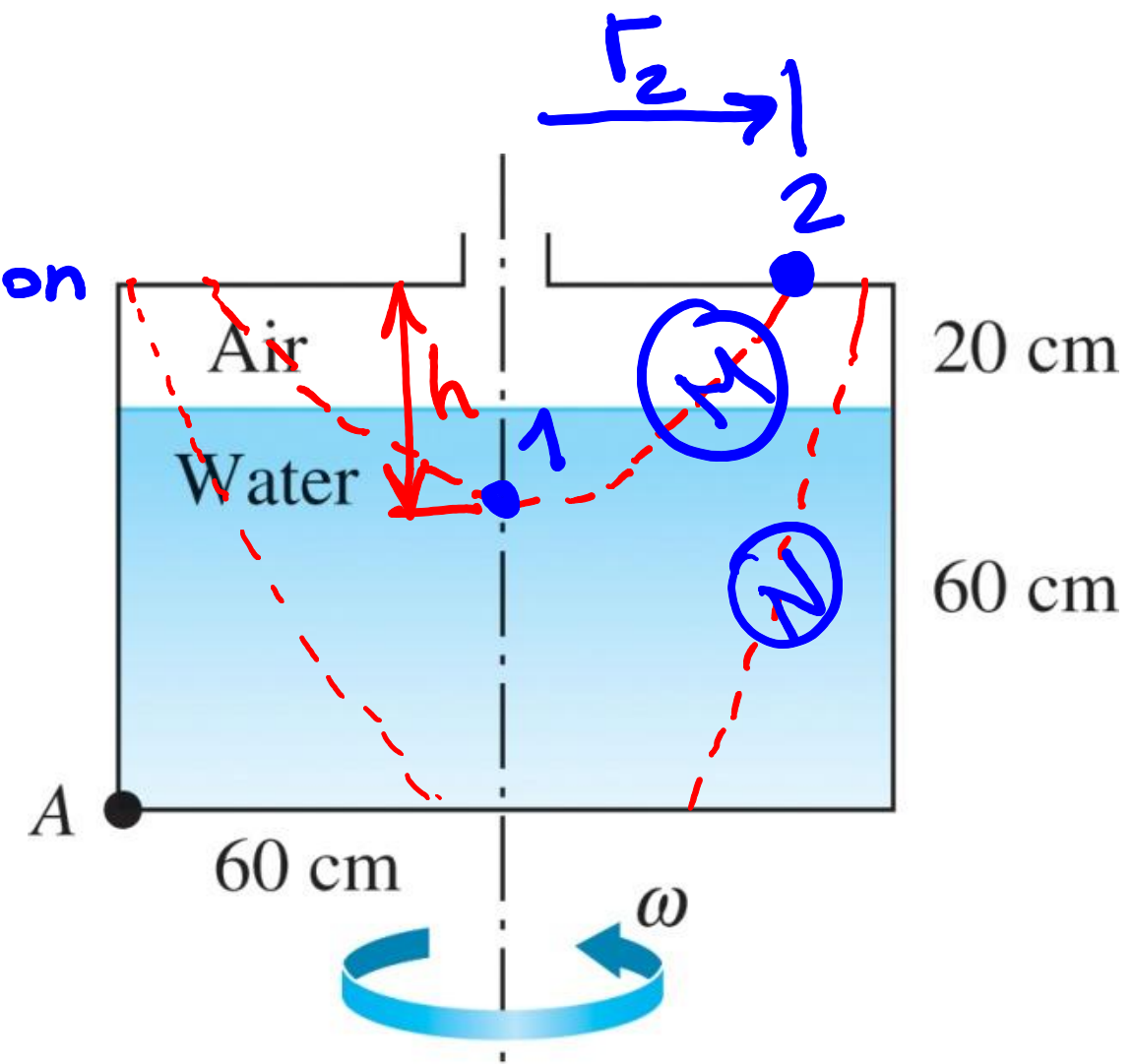


Fig. P2.106

$$\frac{25}{2} \left(\frac{0.144}{h} \right) = 9.81 h \Rightarrow \underline{h = 0.428 \text{ m}}$$

$$r_2 = 0.58 \text{ m}$$

Case M holds

$h < 0.8 \text{ m}$ and

$r_2 < 0.6 \text{ m}$

* $P_A - P_1 = \frac{\rho \omega^2}{2} (r_A^2 - r_1^2) - \rho g (z_A - z_1)$

$$P_A = 1000 \times \frac{5^2}{2} (0.6^2) - 1000 (9.81) (-0.372)$$

$$P_A = 8149 \text{ Pa} = \underline{8.1 \text{ kPa}}$$

Example: P.2.107. The hole in the cylinder of Problem P2.106 is closed and the air pressurized to 25kPa. Find the pressure at point A if the rotational speed is 5 rad/s.

$$P_A = 8149 \text{ Pa} + 25,000 \text{ Pa}$$

$$P_A = 33,149 \text{ Pa}$$

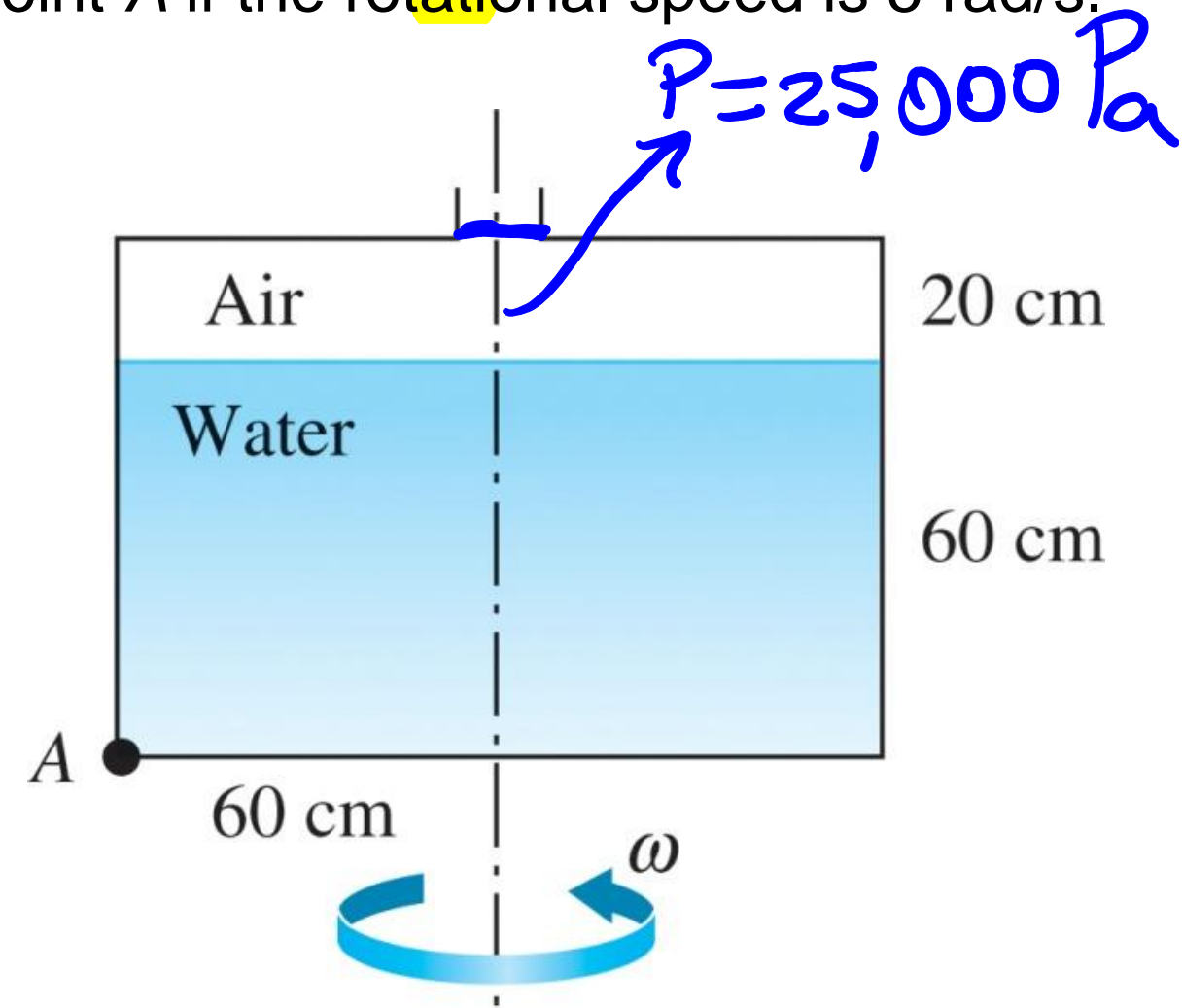


Fig. P2.106