

C. 11,800 *fpm*

D. 16,300 *fpm*

Total Pressure is the sum of static pressure and velocity pressure. Rearrange the formula for velocity pressure.

$$p_t = p_s + p_v$$

$$p_v = p_t - p_s$$

Both the total pressure and the static pressure are measured by gauges and therefore report gauge pressure. It is the *difference* between the two which is relevant in this scenario, which is the same regardless of whether gauge or absolute pressures are used, since atmospheric pressure washes out in the subtraction. In summary, there is no need for converting to absolute pressure.

Use **Commonly Used Equivalents** to find the conversion from mm of mercury to psi. Calculate the total pressure minus the static pressure. Convert to inches of water.

$$p_v = (60 \text{ mm Hg}) \left(\frac{1 \text{ in}}{25.4 \text{ mm}} \right) \left(0.491 \frac{\text{psi}}{\text{in Hg}} \right) - 1 \text{ psi} = 0.16 \text{ psi}$$

$$p_v = 0.16 \text{ psi} \left(\frac{2.31 \text{ ft H}_2\text{O}}{\text{psi}} \right) \left(\frac{12 \text{ in H}_2\text{O}}{\text{ft H}_2\text{O}} \right) = 4.43 \text{ in H}_2\text{O}$$

Since no temperature is given, assume air is at standard conditions. Solve the **Velocity Pressure** equation for velocity in *fpm*.

$$p_v = \left(\frac{V_{[fpm]}}{4005} \right)^2 = 4.43 \text{ in H}_2\text{O}$$

$$V = 8430 \text{ fpm}$$

Answer B

47.50 An open loop condenser water system holds 20,000 *gallons*. The system is to be treated with a 45% by volume biocide solution until the average concentration after mixing is 10 *ppm*. Ignoring evaporation and the addition of make-up water, what volume of the solution is required?

A. 0.2 *gal*

B. 0.4 *gal*

C. 2 *gal*

D. 4 *gal*

The final concentration of biocide is 10 parts per million (ppm). Calculate the volume of biocide needed to achieve this concentration.

$$20,000gal \left(\frac{10}{10^6} \right) = 0.2gal$$

If the solution being added is only 45% biocide, the volume of the *solution* required is larger than the volume of the active chemical. It is inferred that the remaining 55% of the solution is inactive, probably water. Calculate the volume of the solution needed to provide 0.2gal of biocide.

$$\frac{0.2gal}{0.45} = 0.44gal$$

Answer B

47.51 The flow of 20°C water through a hose with an inside diameter of 25mm is at the lower boundary of the fully turbulent range. How long will it take to fill a 50,000L swimming pool?

- A. 8 hours
- B. 27 hours
- C. 38 hours
- D. 59 hours

Pipe flow is considered **Fully Turbulent** once the **Reynolds Number** is greater than 12,000. Since the flow is at the lower boundary of the turbulent range, find the velocity which corresponds to $Re = 12,000$. Use the **Properties of Water** table to obtain the kinematic viscosity at 20°C.

$$Re > 12,000$$

$$Re = \frac{vD}{\nu}$$

$$v = \frac{Re \cdot \nu}{D} = \frac{(12,000) \left(0.000001003 \frac{m^2}{s} \right)}{(0.025m)} = 0.481 \frac{m}{s}$$

Calculate the volume flow rate based on velocity and area. Since the pool volume is in liters, and the answer choices are in hours, convert to $\frac{L}{hr}$.

$$Q = vA = \left(0.481 \frac{m}{s} \right) \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \right) (0.025m)^2 = 2.36 \times 10^{-4} \frac{m^3}{s} \left(\frac{1000L}{1m^3} \right) \left(\frac{3600s}{hr} \right) = 849.6 \frac{L}{hr}$$

By definition, volume flow rate is volume per unit time. Rearrange to solve for the time to fill the desired volume.

$$Q = \frac{Volume}{t}$$