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# List of 9 Newton's Friction Postulation Formulas

## Newton's Friction Postulation

### 1) Dynamic Viscosity given Kinematic Viscosity

$$fx \quad \mu = v_s \cdot \rho_f$$

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$$ex \quad 924 \text{ Pa}\cdot\text{s} = 12 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} \cdot 77 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

### 2) Dynamic Viscosity of Fluid given Fluid Filling Width between Plates

$$fx \quad \mu = \frac{\sigma \cdot y}{V_f}$$

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$$ex \quad 924 \text{ Pa}\cdot\text{s} = \frac{18.48 \text{ Pa} \cdot 1000 \text{ mm}}{20 \text{ m/s}}$$

### 3) Dynamic Viscosity of Fluid given Shear Force per Unit Area or Shear Stress

$$fx \quad \mu = \frac{\sigma}{du/dy}$$

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$$ex \quad 924 \text{ Pa}\cdot\text{s} = \frac{18.48 \text{ Pa}}{0.02}$$



## 4) Fluid Filling Width between Plates given Shear Force Per Unit Area or Shear Stress ↗

**fx**  $y = \frac{\mu \cdot V_f}{\sigma}$

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**ex**  $1000\text{mm} = \frac{924\text{Pa*s} \cdot 20\text{m/s}}{18.48\text{Pa}}$

## 5) Mass Density of Fluid for given Kinematic Viscosity ↗

**fx**  $\rho_f = \frac{\mu}{V_s}$

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**ex**  $77\text{kg/m}^3 = \frac{924\text{Pa*s}}{12\text{m}^2/\text{s}}$

## 6) Relationship between Dynamic Viscosity and Kinematic Viscosity ↗

**fx**  $V_s = \frac{\mu}{\rho_f}$

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**ex**  $12\text{m}^2/\text{s} = \frac{924\text{Pa*s}}{77\text{kg/m}^3}$

## 7) Shear Force Per Unit Area or Shear Stress ↗

**fx**  $\sigma = \mu \cdot du/dy$

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**ex**  $18.48\text{Pa} = 924\text{Pa*s} \cdot 0.02$



**8) Velocity Gradient given Shear Force per unit Area or Shear Stress** 

**fx** 
$$\frac{du}{dy} = \frac{\sigma}{\mu}$$

**Open Calculator** 

**ex** 
$$0.02 = \frac{18.48 \text{ Pa}}{924 \text{ Pa*s}}$$

**9) Velocity of Upper Plate given Shear force per unit Area or Shear Stress**

**fx** 
$$V_f = \frac{\sigma \cdot y}{\mu}$$

**Open Calculator** 

**ex** 
$$20 \text{ m/s} = \frac{18.48 \text{ Pa} \cdot 1000 \text{ mm}}{924 \text{ Pa*s}}$$



## Variables Used

- $\frac{du}{dy}$  Velocity Gradient
- $V_f$  Velocity of Fluid (*Meter per Second*)
- $v_s$  Kinematic Viscosity at 20° C (*Square Meter per Second*)
- $y$  Width between the Plates (*Millimeter*)
- $\mu$  Dynamic Viscosity (*Pascal Second*)
- $\rho_f$  Mass Density of Fluid (*Kilogram per Cubic Meter*)
- $\sigma$  Shear Stress of Fluid (*Pascal*)



# Constants, Functions, Measurements used

- **Measurement:** **Length** in Millimeter (mm)  
*Length Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement:** **Speed** in Meter per Second (m/s)  
*Speed Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement:** **Dynamic Viscosity** in Pascal Second (Pa\*s)  
*Dynamic Viscosity Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement:** **Kinematic Viscosity** in Square Meter per Second (m<sup>2</sup>/s)  
*Kinematic Viscosity Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement:** **Density** in Kilogram per Cubic Meter (kg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
*Density Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement:** **Stress** in Pascal (Pa)  
*Stress Unit Conversion* 



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