

Important Coefficient of Permeability Formulas PDF

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List of 21 Important Coefficient of Permeability Formulas

1) Coefficient of Permeability at any Temperature t for Standard Value of Coefficient of Permeability Formula

Formula

$$K_t = \frac{K_s \cdot v_s}{v_t}$$

Example with Units

$$4.17 \text{ cm/s} = \frac{8.34 \cdot 12 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}{24 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}$$

Evaluate Formula

2) Coefficient of Permeability at Temperature of Permeameter Experiment Formula

Formula

$$K = \left(\frac{Q}{A} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\frac{\Delta H}{L}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$5.85 \text{ cm/s} = \left(\frac{3.0 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}}{100 \text{ m}^2} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\frac{2}{3.9 \text{ m}}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula

3) Coefficient of Permeability from Analogy of Laminar Flow (Hagen Poiseuille flow) Formula

Formula

$$K_{H-P} = C \cdot \left(d_m^2 \right) \cdot \frac{Y}{\mu}$$

Example with Units

$$0.4413 \text{ cm/s} = 1.8 \cdot \left(0.02 \text{ m}^2 \right) \cdot \frac{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3}{1000 \frac{1.6 \text{ Pa*s}}{}}$$

Evaluate Formula

4) Coefficient of Permeability when Specific or Intrinsic Permeability is Considered Formula

Formula

$$K = K_o \cdot \left(\frac{Y}{1000 \mu} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$6.0497 \text{ cm/s} = 0.00987 \text{ m}^2 \cdot \left(\frac{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3}{1000 \frac{1.6 \text{ Pa*s}}{}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula

5) Coefficient of Permeability when Transmissibility is Considered Formula

Formula

$$k = \frac{T}{b}$$

Example with Units

$$23.3333 \text{ cm/s} = \frac{3.5 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}{15 \text{ m}}$$

Evaluate Formula



6) Cross-Sectional Area when Coefficient of Permeability at Permeameter Experiment is Considered Formula

Formula

$$A = \frac{Q}{K \cdot \left(\frac{\Delta H}{L} \right)}$$

Example with Units

$$97.5 \text{ m}^2 = \frac{3.0 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}}{6 \text{ cm/s} \cdot \left(\frac{2}{3.9 \text{ m}} \right)}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Discharge when Coefficient of Permeability at Permeameter Experiment is Considered Formula

Formula

$$Q = K \cdot A \cdot \left(\frac{\Delta H}{L} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$3.0769 \text{ m}^3/\text{s} = 6 \text{ cm/s} \cdot 100 \text{ m}^2 \cdot \left(\frac{2}{3.9 \text{ m}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Dynamic Viscosity of Fluid of Laminar Flow through Conduit or Hagen Poiseuille Flow Formula

Formula

$$\mu = \left(C \cdot d_m^2 \right) \cdot \left(\frac{\gamma}{\frac{1000}{K_{H-P}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$1.6011 \text{ Pa*s} = \left(1.8 \cdot 0.02 \text{ m}^2 \right) \cdot \left(\frac{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3}{\frac{1000}{0.441 \text{ cm/s}}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9) Dynamic Viscosity when Specific or Intrinsic Permeability is Considered Formula

Formula

$$\mu = K_o \cdot \left(\frac{\gamma}{K} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$1.6133 \text{ Pa*s} = 0.00987 \text{ m}^2 \cdot \left(\frac{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3}{\frac{1000}{6 \text{ cm/s}}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

10) Equation for Specific or Intrinsic Permeability Formula

Formula

$$K_o = C \cdot d_m^2$$

Example with Units

$$0.0007 \text{ m}^2 = 1.8 \cdot 0.02 \text{ m}^2$$

Evaluate Formula 

11) Equivalent Permeability when Transmissivity of Aquifer is Considered Formula

Formula

$$K_e = \frac{\tau}{b}$$

Example with Units

$$9.3333 \text{ cm/s} = \frac{1.4 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}{15 \text{ m}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



12) Hagen Poiseuille Flow or Mean Particle Size of Porous Medium Laminar Flow through Conduit Formula

Formula

$$d_m = \sqrt{\frac{K_{H-P} \cdot \mu}{C \cdot \left(\frac{\gamma}{1000}\right)}}$$

Example with Units

$$0.02 \text{ m} = \sqrt{\frac{0.441 \text{ cm/s} \cdot 1.6 \text{ Pa*s}}{1.8 \cdot \left(\frac{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3}{1000}\right)}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

13) Kinematic Viscosity and Dynamic Viscosity Relation Formula

Formula

$$\nu = \frac{\mu}{\rho_{\text{fluid}}}$$

Example with Units

$$0.0016 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} = \frac{1.6 \text{ Pa*s}}{997 \text{ kg/m}^3}$$

Evaluate Formula 

14) Kinematic Viscosity at 20 degree Celsius for Standard Value of Coefficient of Permeability Formula

Formula

$$v_s = \frac{K_t \cdot v_t}{K_s}$$

Example with Units

$$0.12 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} = \frac{4.17 \text{ cm/s} \cdot 24 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}{8.34}$$

Evaluate Formula 

15) Kinematic Viscosity for Standard Value of Coefficient of Permeability Formula

Formula

$$v_t = \frac{K_s \cdot v_s}{K_t}$$

Example with Units

$$24 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} = \frac{8.34 \cdot 12 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}{4.17 \text{ cm/s}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

16) Kinematic Viscosity when Specific or Intrinsic Permeability is Considered Formula

Formula

$$\nu = \frac{K_0 \cdot g}{k}$$

Example with Units

$$0.9673 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} = \frac{0.00987 \text{ m}^2 \cdot 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}{10 \text{ cm/s}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

17) Length when Coefficient of Permeability at Permeameter Experiment is Considered Formula

Formula

$$L = \frac{\Delta H \cdot A \cdot K}{Q}$$

Example with Units

$$4 \text{ m} = \frac{2 \cdot 100 \text{ m}^2 \cdot 6 \text{ cm/s}}{3.0 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

18) Specific or Intrinsic Permeability when Coefficient of Permeability is Considered Formula

Formula

$$K_0 = \frac{K \cdot \mu}{\gamma} \cdot \frac{1}{1000}$$

Example with Units

$$0.0098 \text{ m}^2 = \frac{6 \text{ cm/s} \cdot 1.6 \text{ Pa*s}}{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3 \cdot 1000}$$

Evaluate Formula 



19) Specific or Intrinsic Permeability when Dynamic Viscosity is Considered Formula

Formula

$$K_o = \frac{K \cdot \mu}{\gamma} \cdot \frac{1000}{1000}$$

Example with Units

$$0.0098 \text{ m}^2 = \frac{6 \text{ cm/s} \cdot 1.6 \text{ Pa*s}}{\frac{9.807 \text{ kN/m}^3}{1000}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

20) Standard Value of Coefficient of Permeability Formula

Formula

$$K_s = K_t \cdot \left(\frac{v_t}{v_s} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$8.34 = 4.17 \text{ cm/s} \cdot \left(\frac{24 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}}{12 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

21) Unit weight of fluid Formula

Formula

$$\gamma = \rho_{\text{fluid}} \cdot g$$

Example with Units

$$9.7706 \text{ kN/m}^3 = 997 \text{ kg/m}^3 \cdot 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Coefficient of Permeability Formulas above

- **A** Cross-Sectional Area (*Square Meter*)
- **b** Aquifer Thickness (*Meter*)
- **C** Shape Factor
- **d_m** Mean Particle Size of the Porous Medium (*Meter*)
- **g** Acceleration due to Gravity (*Meter per Square Second*)
- **k** Coefficient of Permeability (*Centimeter per Second*)
- **K** Coefficient of Permeability at 20° C (*Centimeter per Second*)
- **K_e** Equivalent Permeability (*Centimeter per Second*)
- **K_{H-P}** Coefficient of Permeability (*Hagen-Poiseuille*) (*Centimeter per Second*)
- **K_o** Intrinsic Permeability (*Square Meter*)
- **K_s** Standard Coefficient of Permeability at 20°C
- **K_t** Coefficient of Permeability at any Temperature *t* (*Centimeter per Second*)
- **L** Length (*Meter*)
- **Q** Discharge (*Cubic Meter per Second*)
- **T** Transmissibility (*Square Meter per Second*)
- **v_s** Kinematic Viscosity at 20° C (*Square Meter per Second*)
- **v_t** Kinematic Viscosity at *t*° C (*Square Meter per Second*)
- **γ** Unit Weight of Fluid (*Kilonewton per Cubic Meter*)
- **ΔH** Constant Head Difference
- **μ** Dynamic Viscosity of the Fluid (*Pascal Second*)
- **v** Kinematic Viscosity (*Square Meter per Second*)
- **ρ_{fluid}** Density of Fluid (*Kilogram per Cubic Meter*)
- **T** Transmissivity (*Square Meter per Second*)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Coefficient of Permeability Formulas above

- **Functions:** `sqrt`, `sqrt(Number)`
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Measurement:** Length in Meter (m)
Length Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Area in Square Meter (m²)
Area Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Speed in Centimeter per Second (cm/s)
Speed Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Acceleration in Meter per Square Second (m/s²)
Acceleration Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Volumetric Flow Rate in Cubic Meter per Second (m³/s)
Volumetric Flow Rate Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Dynamic Viscosity in Pascal Second (Pa*s)
Dynamic Viscosity Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Kinematic Viscosity in Square Meter per Second (m²/s)
Kinematic Viscosity Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Density in Kilogram per Cubic Meter (kg/m³)
Density Unit Conversion ↗
- **Measurement:** Specific Weight in Kilonewton per Cubic Meter (kN/m³)
Specific Weight Unit Conversion ↗



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