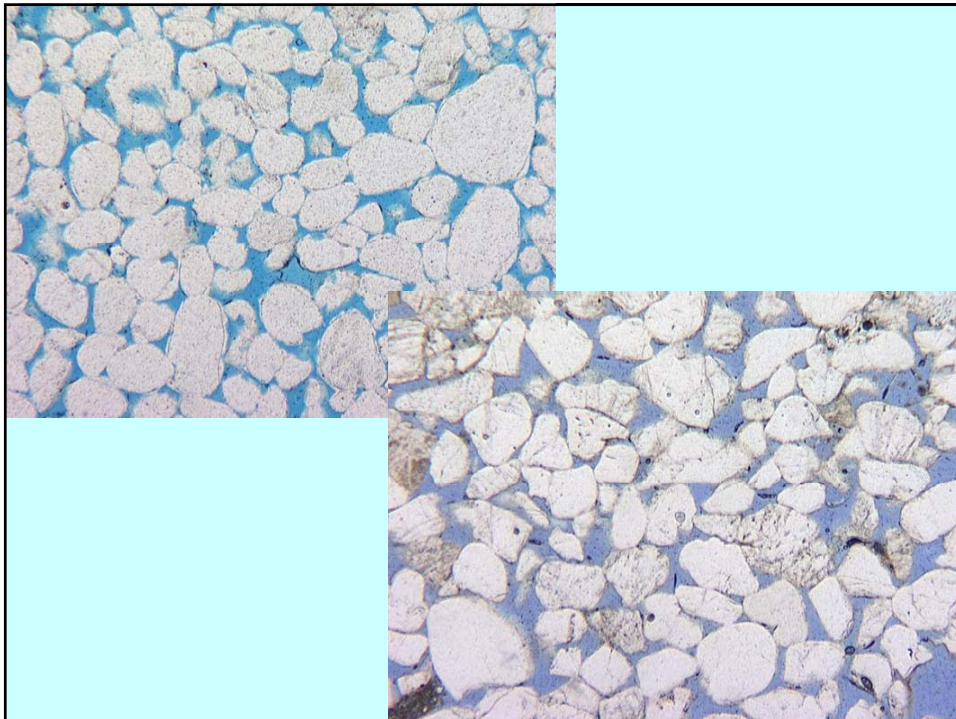


**PORE SPACES -
WHERE GW IS STORED AND
MOVES THROUGH MATERIALS**

POROSITY (TOTAL) - % OF MATERIAL THAT IS VOIDS

$$\text{Porosity} = \Phi = V_V / V_T$$

**V_V - VOL OF VOIDS
 V_T - TOTAL VOLUME**



SOIL ENGINEERS USE VOID RATIO, e

$$e = \frac{V_v}{V_s}$$

V_v - VOL OF VOIDS
 V_s - VOL OF SOLIDS

Relationship of void ratio and porosity

$$\phi = \frac{e}{1 + e}$$

$$e = \frac{\phi}{1 - \phi}$$

METHODS OF MEASURING POROSITY (ϕ , n)

DEDUCE from

PD - PARTICLE DENSITY : M/L³

FD - FLUID DENSITY: M/L³

BD - BULK DENSITY : M/L³

$$BD = (1 - \phi) PD + \phi (FD)$$

OR (for fresh water in grams and cc's)

SW - SATURATED WEIGHT

V_T - TOTAL VOL

DW - DRY WEIGHT

$$\phi = \frac{SW - DW}{V_T}$$

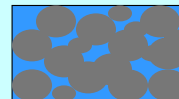
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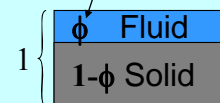
PD - PARTICLE DENSITY

$$\frac{DW}{V_T} = PD(1 - \phi)$$

$$\phi = 1 - \frac{DW}{PD * V_T}$$



fraction that
is fluid





Given:

Wet Bulk Density = 2.24 g/cm³

Particle Density = 2.65 g/cm³

Fluid Density (FD) = 1.0 g/cm³

What is:

Porosity = ?

$$BD = (1 - \phi) PD + \phi (FD)$$

$$\phi = \frac{SW - DW}{V_T} \quad \frac{DW}{V_T} = PD(1 - \phi)$$
$$\phi = 1 - \frac{DW}{PD * V_T}$$



Knowing:

Wet Bulk Density = 2.24 g/cm³

Particle Density = 2.65 g/cm³

Fluid Density (FD) = 1.0 g/cm³

Porosity = 0.25

And If:

Total Volume = 25cm³

What is:

Saturated Weight = ?

Dry Weight = ?

$$BD = (1 - \phi) PD + \phi (FD)$$

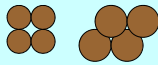
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$$\phi = 1 - \frac{DW}{PD * V_T}$$

PRIMARY POROSITY

- FORMED CONTEMPORANEOUSLY WITH ROCK

SECONDARY POROSITY

- FORMED AFTER ROCK IS FORMED



POROSITY DEPENDS ON:



SHAPE AND ARRANGEMENT OF PARTICLES

DEGREE OF SORTING (MIX OF PARTICLE SIZES)

CEMENTATION OR COMPACTION

REMOVAL OF MATERIAL BY SOLUTION

FRACTURING AND JOINTING

SHAPE AND ARRANGEMENT OF PARTICLES

magnitude of ϕ depends on packing as well as shape

packing - the spacing and mutual arrangement of particles within the mass

- will influence not only porosity but also density, bearing capacity, strength, amount of settling, permeability
- difficult to study with real particles because shapes are so varied, so consider spheres

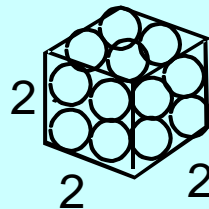
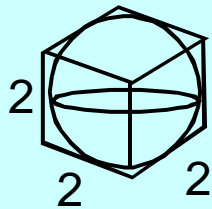


Assume that you have two boxes that each have a volume of 8 cubic meters.

Each box is filled with spheres in a cubic packing arrangement.

Box number one is filled with spheres having a radius of 1 meter while the spheres in box number two have a radius of 0.5 meters.

Which box do you suppose has the highest pore volume?



This is a bad drawing but I hope you get the idea

Calculate the porosity: the volume of a sphere is $V=4/3\pi r^3$

**POROSITY CAN BE DECREASED FURTHER
BY FILLING VOIDS WITH SMALLER PARTICLES**

SORTING (poor = lots of sizes, well = few sizes)

GRADING (poor = few sizes, well = lots of sizes)

i.e. well graded has a gradation of sizes

I.E. POORLY SORTED OR WELL GRADED YIELDS

LOW ϕ

WELL SORTED OR POORLY GRADED YIELDS

HIGH ϕ

CEMENTATION OR COMPACTION

DECREASES ϕ

REMOVAL OF MATERIAL BY SOLUTION

INCREASES ϕ

FRACTURING AND JOINTING

Generally INCREASES ϕ

EFFECTIVE POROSITY Contributes to Fluid Flow

% OF MEDIUM THAT IS INTERCONNECTED PORE SPACE

$$\phi_e = \frac{V_{IV}}{V_T}$$

V_{IV} - VOL OF INTERCONNECTED VOIDS

MEASUREMENT OF EFFECTIVE POROSITY:

GRAVITY DRAINAGE @ 100% RELATIVE HUMID

**TRACER TEST - MONITOR RATE OF MOVEMENT OF A TAG
ON THE WATER**

Darcy velocity is a DISCHARGE per unit AREA

$$V_{\text{Darcy}} = \frac{Q}{A}$$

Average Linear Velocity
velocity through the pores
this governs rate of pollutant movement

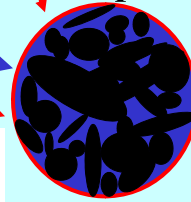
$$V_{\text{AverageLinear}} = \frac{Q}{A\phi_e} = \frac{V_D}{\phi_e} = \frac{V_D}{\text{effective porosity}}$$

Entire face of the porous medium

Just pore space

OTHER NAMES
Seepage Velocity
Interstitial Velocity

Often represented as
 \bar{v} , pronounced, v bar

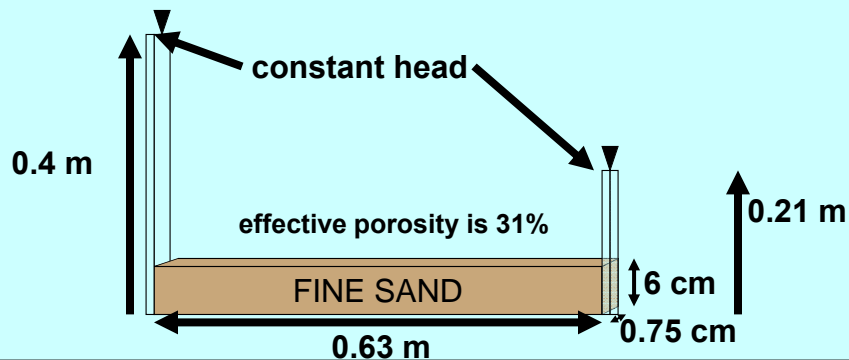


Recall Darcy discharge calculation from the first class?

$$Q = K \frac{\text{Head Difference}}{\text{Distance between Heads}} \text{Area}$$

$$Q = 0.01 \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{sec}} \frac{0.19 \text{ m} - 0.06 \text{ m}}{0.63 \text{ m}} \frac{0.75 \text{ cm}}{1000 \text{ cm}^3} \frac{1 \text{ liter}}{\text{day}} \frac{86400 \text{ sec}}{\text{day}} = 1.17 \frac{\text{liter}}{\text{day}} = \frac{1 \text{ liter}}{\text{day}}$$

What is the travel time for a drop of water from left to right if effective porosity is 31%?



**WE CAN'T RECOVER ALL THE WATER FROM THE PORES,
SO CONSIDER HOW MUCH WATER THEY WILL YIELD**

**SPECIFIC YIELD - % OF TOTAL VOLUME THAT CAN BE
DRAINED BY GRAVITY**

**SPECIFIC RETENTION - % OF TOTAL VOLUME HELD
AGAINST GRAVITY**

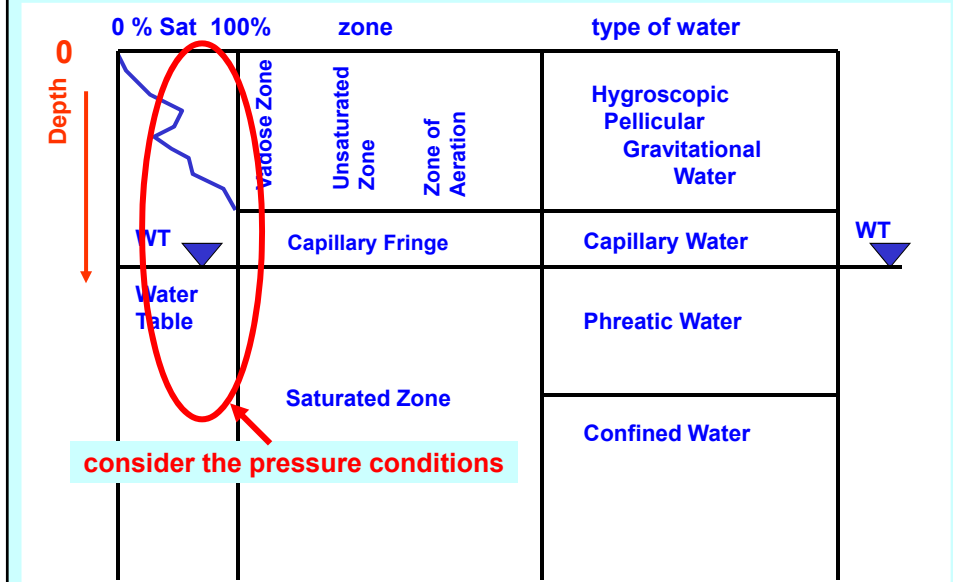
SRdemo

BY DEFINITION - $\phi = SY + SR$

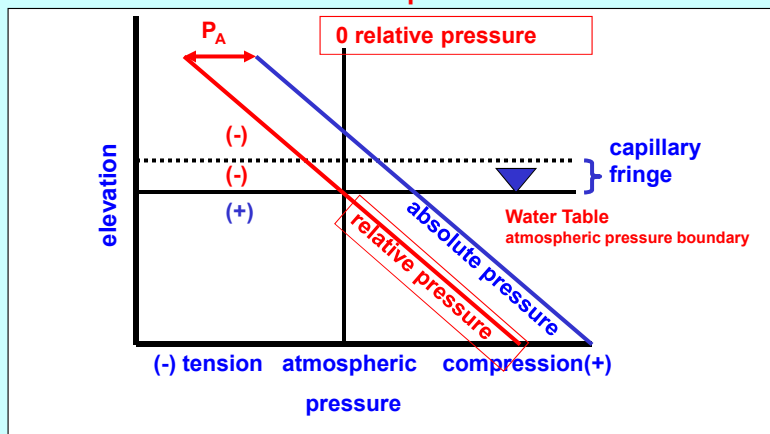
**Consider the character of Occurrence
of Water
in various Zones**

Zones of Different Water Occurrence

Degree of Saturation = $\frac{\text{volume water filled pores}}{\text{volume of all pores}}$



ABOVE Water Table PRESSURES ARE < ATMOSPHERIC (-)
BELOW Water Table PRESSURES ARE > ATMOSPHERIC (+)
WATER TABLE is the surface at which the pore water pressure is atmospheric



In a hydrostatic (still) system pressure increases with depth below the water table due to the weight of the overlying water

Pascal's Law:

$$\Delta P = \rho g \Delta h = \gamma \Delta h$$

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**ΔP difference in hydrostatic pressure (pascals)
at two points in a fluid column**

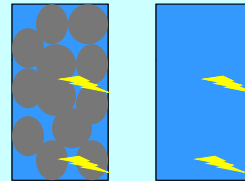
ρ fluid density (kg m^{-3})

g acceleration due to Earth's gravity at sea level (ms^{-2})

**Δh height of fluid above a datum (m), or
difference in elevation of two points in a fluid column**

γ specific weight (ρg)

**Fluid does not support shear stress
so pressure is transmitted equally
throughout the fluid.**



ABSOLUTE PRESSURE

LOCAL ATMOSPHERIC P + GAGE P

GAGE PRESSURE

P RELATIVE TO PREVAILING ATMOSPHERIC P

ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE

DEFINED AS ZERO for many Hydrology calculations

**Standard Atmospheric Pressure =
1.013x10⁵ Pascals or 14.7 lb/in²**

1 pascal (Pa) \equiv 1 N·m⁻² \equiv 1 J·m⁻³ \equiv 1 kg·m⁻¹·s⁻²

Pressure Units

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pascal>

	Pascal (Pa)	Bar (bar)	Technical atmosphere (at)	Atmosphere (atm)	Torr (mmHg)	Pound per square inch (psi)
1 Pa	\equiv 1 N·m ⁻²	10 ⁻⁵	10.197×10 ⁻⁶	9.8692×10 ⁻⁶	7.5006×10 ⁻³	145.04×10 ⁻⁶
1 bar	100 000	\equiv 10 ⁶ dyn cm ⁻²	1.0197	0.98692	750.06	14.504
1 at	98 066.5	0.980665	\equiv 1 kgf cm ⁻²	0.96784	735.56	14.223
1 atm	101 325	1.01325	1.0332	\equiv 101 325 Pa	760	14.696
1 Torr	133.322	1.3332×10 ⁻³	1.3595×10 ⁻³	1.3158×10 ⁻³	\equiv 1 mmHg	19.337×10 ⁻³
1 psi	6,894.76	68.948×10 ⁻³	70.307×10 ⁻³	68.046×10 ⁻³	51.715	\equiv 1 lbf in ⁻²



**Calculate the pressure on your head if you stood
At the bottom of a well with its:**

**surface at sea level
bottom at 600 ft
water level 50 ft below the surface**

**sketch a diagram
determine appropriate equation
label distances
gather constants / properties
calculate**

**CAPILLARITY (suction or negative pressure)
due to inter-molecular attraction at the liquid boundary**

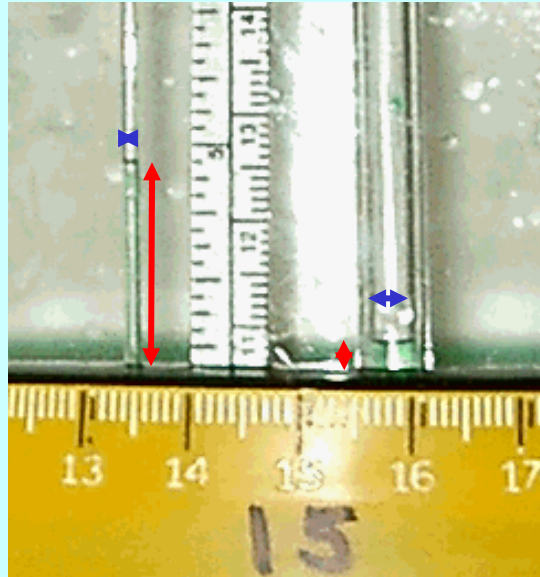
**Adhesion - the attractive (wetting), or repulsive (non-wetting), force
between the molecules of the liquid and solid**

Cohesion - the attractive force between molecules of the liquid

**upward force of the attraction of the liquid to the solid
would cause the liquid to continue rising
except that it is balanced by
downward force of gravity on the liquid**

**In a tube the HEIGHT of RISE is controlled by the SIZE of TUBE
because as radius increases
downward force of gravity increases more rapidly than
upward force of attraction of liquid to solid
(note the area grows as r^2 while the circumference grows as r)**

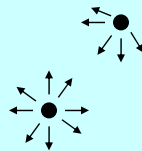
Capillary Rise



In a droplet
molecules within the liquid are attracted equally from all sides
molecules near the surface are attracted toward the
center of the liquid mass by this net force

thus the surface acts like a membrane

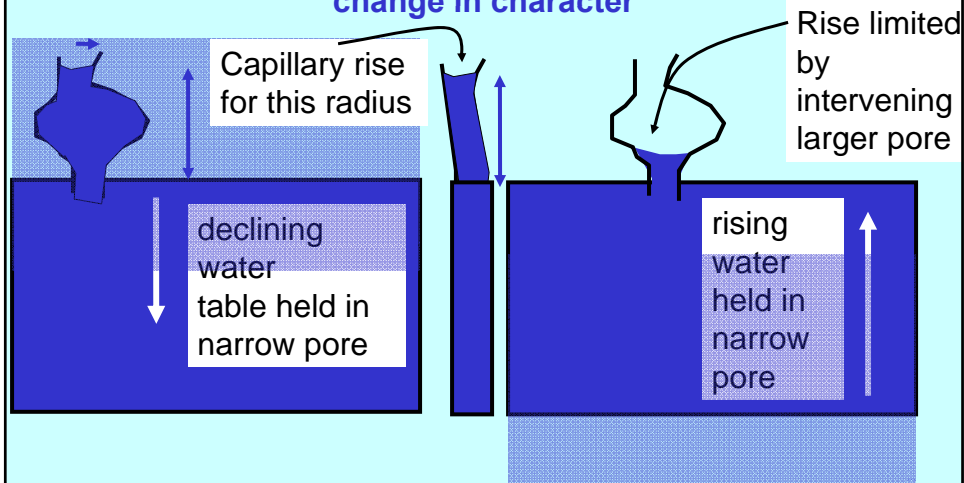
so a drop of liquid forms a sphere
and liquid in a tube forms a meniscus



the capillary fringe will show hysteresis effects

Hysteresis (dependent on history)

describes a phenomenon which is dependent on previous history as the water table moves up and down the capillary fringe will change in character



For a cylinder capillary pressure can be calculated as:

$$P_c = \frac{2 (\text{surface tension}) \cos \lambda}{\text{radius}} \quad \lambda \text{ contact angle}$$

Pressure = specific-weight*height

so height of capillary rise is h_c

$$P_c = \frac{2\sigma \cos \lambda}{r} \quad \text{and} \quad P = \gamma h \quad \text{so} \quad h_c = \frac{2\sigma \cos \lambda}{\gamma r}$$

Surface Tension - force (perpendicular to the surface) along a line of unit length, or work done per unit area

The numerical value of surface tension depends on the nature of the fluid and solid

Let's take a minute to think about units

Beware! of your units ... that is BE AWARE of your units

Force = mass * acceleration

$F = ma$ $W = \text{Weight} = mg$

g is gravitational acceleration

weight has same units as force (not mass)

SI

Basic units: L M T length mass time
m kg s meter kilogram second

Derived unit F - force, N Newton

English

Basic units L F T length force time
ft lb s foot pound second

Derived unit M - mass, S slug

In SI (meter-kilogram-second) definition:

1 Newton (N) of force will accelerate
1 kilogram mass (kgm) 1 meter per second squared

$$F = ma$$
$$1 \text{ Newton} = 1 \text{ kgm} \frac{1 \text{ m}}{\text{sec}^2}$$

In English Units (foot-slug-second)

1 pound force (lbf) accelerates
1 slug mass 1 ft per second square

$$F = ma$$
$$1 \text{ lbf} = 1 \text{ slug} \frac{1 \text{ ft}}{\text{sec}^2}$$

it can be confusing
often mass is given in pounds mass (lbm)
given that one slug equals 32.2 lbm

Weight in US: a cubic foot of water weighs 62.4 lbs
In Europe we say a cubic foot of water weighs 28.3 kg
We mean it has a mass of 28.3kg in earth's gravity : It weighs 273N
Density is MASS per VOLUME : kg/m³ slugs/ft³
Specific Weight is WEIGHT per VOLUME : N/m³ lb/ft³

**We tend to use Density when working in SI and
 What looks like Specific Weight in English Units**

Density of water is 1.94 slugs/ft³

Recall 1 pound force (lbf) accelerates 1 slug mass 1 ft per second squared

$$1\text{lbf} = 1\text{slug} \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{sec}^2} \quad \text{so there is 1 slug per } 1 \left(\text{lbf} \frac{\text{sec}^2}{\text{ft}} \right)$$

$$\gamma = \rho g = \frac{1.94\text{slug}}{\text{ft}^3} \frac{1\text{lbf sec}^2}{\text{slug ft}} 32.2 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{sec}^2} = 62.4 \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{ft}^3} \quad \text{Note same numerical value}$$

$$\rho = \frac{1.94\text{slug}}{\text{ft}^3} \quad \text{so given that } 1\text{ slug} = 32.17\text{ lbm}, \text{ then } \rho = \frac{62.4\text{lbm}}{\text{ft}^3}$$

From your text, Fetter

Table 3.1 English and SI Units

Parameter	English Unit	SI Unit	Conversion Factor	Dimensional Formula
Force	pound (lb)	newton (N)	1 lb = 4.448 N	ML/T^2
Mass	slug	kilogram (kg)	1 slug = 14.594 kg	M
Length	foot (ft)	meter (m)	1 ft = 0.3048 m	L
Time	second (s)	second	1 s = 1 s	T
Density	slug/ft ³	kg/m ³	1 slug/ft ³ = 515.4 kg/m ³	M/L^3
Specific weight	lb/ft ³	N/m ³	1 lb/ft ³ = 157.1 N/m ³	M/L^2T^2
Pressure	lb/ft ²	N/m ²	1 lb/ft ² = 47.88 N/m ²	M/LT^2
Dynamic viscosity	lb-s/ft ²	N-s/m ²	1 lb-s/ft ² = 47.88 N-s/m ²	M/LT
Bulk modulus	lb/ft ²	N/m ²	1 lb/ft ² = 47.88 N/m ²	M/LT^2

Surface tension for distilled water in contact with air in a clean glass tube is 72.8 dynes/cm, contact angle is zero, cos is 1

1 dyne imparts an acceleration of 1 cm/sec² to a mass of 1 gram
or an acceleration of g = 981 cm/sec² to 0.00102 grams force

$$\sigma = \frac{72.8 \text{ dyne}}{\text{cm}} \left[\frac{0.00102 \text{ g}_f}{\text{dyne}} \frac{981 \text{ cm}}{\text{sec}^2} \right] = \frac{72.8 \text{ g}}{\text{s}^2}$$

$$\gamma = \rho g = \frac{1 \text{ g}}{\text{cm}^3} \frac{980 \text{ cm}}{\text{s}^2} = \frac{980 \text{ g}}{\text{cm}^2 \text{ s}^2}$$

$$h_c = \frac{2\sigma(\cos \lambda)}{\gamma r}$$

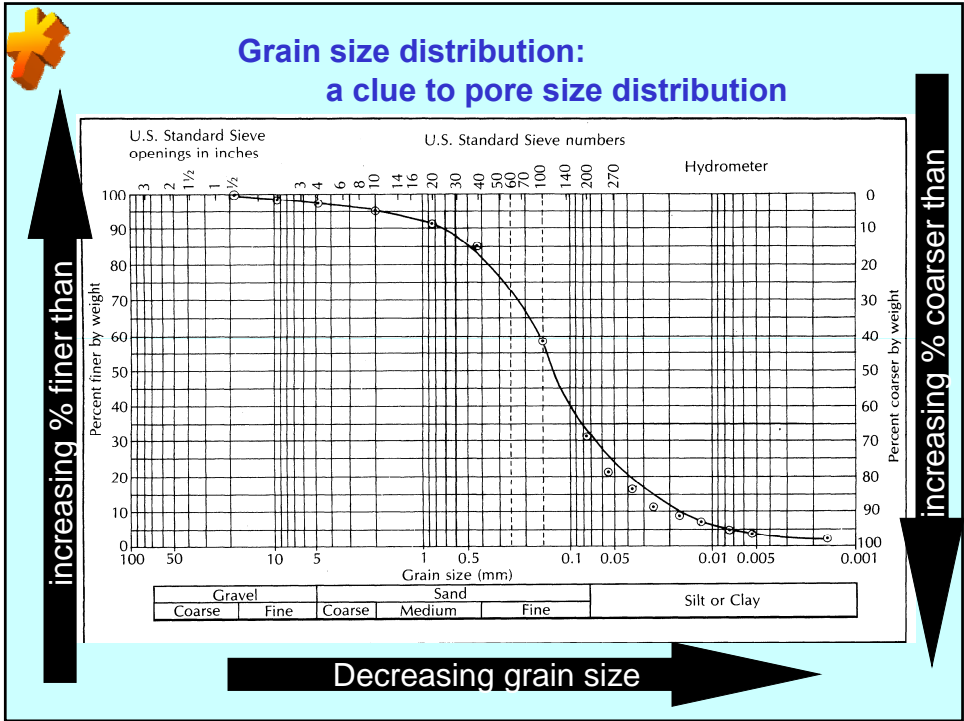
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Estimate the height of capillary rise for water in sand.

Grain size distributions in Fetter (pg74-75)

Smallest ~ 0.08 mm 10% ~ 0.17mm = 0.017cm

What if the soil is a silty sand?

Grain size distributions in Fetter (pg74-75)

Smallest ~ 0.002 mm 10% ~ 0.017mm = 0.0017cm

▲ FIGURE 3.5
Grain-size distribution curve of a fine sand.

sand

▲ FIGURE 3.4
Grain-size distribution curve of a silty fine to medium sand.

silty sand

What if the fluid is gasoline?

Substance Surface Tension (dyne/cm)

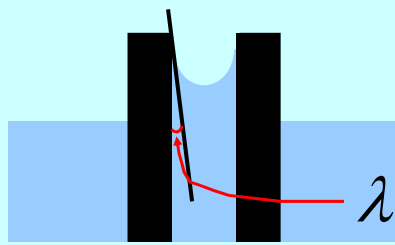
Water 72.8 dyne/cm

Gasoline ~33 dyne/cm (note < tension for water)

specific weight? check the web (~0.68 density of water)

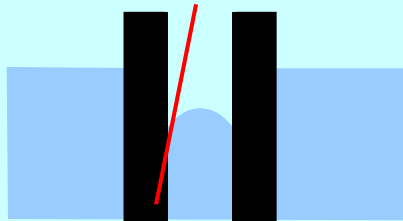
Which will dominate, surface tension decrease or specific weight decrease?

Thus far we have looked at fluids with a contact angle near zero and the cosine of zero is one, so we have not had to consider it



Some fluids have a contact angle approaching 90° and that needs to be considered in estimating capillary rise

$$h_c = \frac{2\sigma \cos \lambda}{\gamma r}$$



For a nonwetting fluid that angle will result in a depression rather than rise



**What is the
MAXIMUM HEIGHT (in feet) THAT YOU CAN
RAISE WATER BY SUCTION?**

**NOTE: IT IS
LIMITED BY THE PREVAILING ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE
so choose your location**

(lb/in² sea-level ~14.7, Denver ~12.2, Mexico City ~11.1, Mt. Everest ~4.9)

Recall: $P = \gamma h$