ES 202 Fluid and Thermal Systems Example for Lecture 11 (1/7/03)

Relationship between friction factor, viscous stress and head loss

Given a water pipe flow problem as follows:

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1) Perform a mechanical energy balance for the above system.

2) Perform a <u>momentum</u> balance for the above system.

3) What can you conclude from the above analyses?

4) If the pipe is <u>tilted</u> at an angle of 30 deg with the horizontal, what will be the difference in your analysis?