

#### ADVANCED PHYSICS CLUB

FEBRUARY 9, 2025

#### USEFUL RESOURCES

The updates, homework assignments, and useful links for APC can be found on SchoolNova's web page: https://schoolnova.org/nova/classinfo?class\_id=adv\_phy\_club&sem\_id=ay2024

The practical information about the club and contacts can be found on the same web page.

## Today's meeting

We solved most of the assigned problems on gravity and orbital motion. Our next topic is hydrostatics: Paskal's and Archimedes laws.

## Homework

1. A piston with the longitudinal cross section shown on the figure is located inside a pipe with water. Water pressure is P on both sides of the pipe. Is the piston in equilibrium?



- 2. A block of ice floating in a bucket with fresh water is melted.
  - (a) How will the level of the water in the bucket change?
  - (b) How will the answer change if the water in the bucket is salted?
  - (c) What if the lead bullet is frozen into the ice?
  - (d) A piece of cork is frozen into the ice?
  - (e) The ice has an air bubble inside it?
- **3.** A puck with density  $\rho$  floats at the interface of two liquids with densities  $\rho_1 < \rho < \rho_2$ . Height of the puck is H. Find what part (by height) of the puck is immersed in the lower liquid.



4. A vessel with water slides down an inclined plane. The plane makes angle  $\alpha$  with the horizon, friction coefficient between the vessel and the plane is  $\mu$ . What angle does the surface of the water in the vessel make with the horizon?

# FOR THE NEXT MEETING

IMPORTANT: The next club's meeting is at 3:30pm, via Zoom, on Sunday, February 23.