

3.2 Air flows steadily along a streamline from point (1) to point (2) with negligible viscous effects. The following conditions are measured: At point (1)  $z_1 = 2$  m and  $p_1 = 0$  kPa; at point (2)  $z_2 = 10$  m,  $p_2 = 20$  N/m<sup>2</sup>, and  $V_2 = 0$ . Determine the velocity at point (1).

$$p_1 + \frac{1}{2}\rho V_1^2 + \gamma z_1 = p_2 + \frac{1}{2}\rho V_2^2 + \gamma z_2$$

Thus, with  $p_1 = 0$  and  $V_2 = 0$ ,

$$\frac{1}{2}\rho V_1^2 + \gamma z_1 = p_2 + \gamma z_2$$

or

$$\frac{1}{2}(1.23 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3})V_1^2 = 20 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{m}^2} + (1.23 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m}^3})9.81 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}(10\text{m} - 2\text{m})$$

$$\text{or } V_1^2 = \frac{2(20)}{1.23} \frac{\text{N}\cdot\text{m}}{\text{kg}} + 2(9.81 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2})(8\text{m}) = 189 \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2} \quad (\text{Note: } \frac{\text{N}\cdot\text{m}}{\text{kg}} = \frac{(\frac{\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}}{\text{s}^2})\text{m}}{\text{kg}} = \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}^2})$$

Thus,

$$\underline{\underline{V_1 = 13.7 \text{ m/s}}}$$

