Mini-Exam I
CM 3110
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Note:
Significant figures count.
Please box your final answers.
Please be neat.

1. (50 points) Glycerol is a Newtonian fluid, and the viscosity of glycerol is 1.069 Pa s. If glycerol is sheared in the apparatus that Newton used (drawn schematically below) at a shear rate (shear rate = dv_y/dy) of 1.5 s⁻¹, what is the value of the shear stress τ_{yz} that will be generated? Please give your answer in Pa.
2. (50 points) Blue Fluid 175 (density = 1.75 g/cm³) is used to measure a process stream pressure $P_1$ with the manometer shown in the figure below. What is the pressure $P_1$? Please give your answer in Pa. The density of air is much smaller than the density of Blue Fluid. The tube is circular in cross-section, and diameter of the tube is 1.0cm.