

## Problem 2.19, Gupta

Pan evaporation problem

Pan Evap = 15 mm

Air Temp = 23 C

Max. Reservoir (water) Temp = 18 C

Min. Reservoir (water) Temp = 15 C

Max Pan (water) Temp = 24 C

Min Pan (water) Temp = 18 C

Rel. Humidity = 47%

K (pan coeff) = 0.7

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In [2]: import quantities as un
        K=0.7
        E_pan=15*un.mm
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## Simple Method

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In [3]: E_reservoir = K*E_pan
        print E_reservoir
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10.5 mm

## Refined Method

Saturated vapor pressure tabulated in Appendix C

Need to use max. temps

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In [4]: K_prime=1.5
        e_15C = 17.38*un.g*un.cm**(-2)
        e_20C = 23.83*un.g*un.cm**(-2)
        e_25C = 32.30*un.g*un.cm**(-2)

        e_18C = (18-15.)/(20-15.) * (e_20C-e_15C) + e_15C
        print e_18C
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21.25 g/cm\*\*2

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In [5]: e_24C=(24-20.)/(25-20.) * (e_25C-e_20C) + e_20C
        print e_24C
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30.606 g/cm\*\*2

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In [9]: e_23C=(23-20.)/(25-20.) * (e_25C-e_20C) + e_20C
        RH=.47
        e_z=e_23C*RH
        print e_23C, ', ', e_z
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28.912 g/cm\*\*2 , 13.58864 g/cm\*\*2

$E_{\text{res}} = K^{\wedge} \cdot E_{\text{pan}} \cdot \frac{e_{\text{res}} - e_z}{e_{\text{pan}} - e_z}$

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In [12]: E_res=K_prime * E_pan * (e_18C-e_z)/(e_24C-e_z)
        print E_res
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10.1296910919 mm