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List of 17 Geometrical Properties of Triangular Channel Section Formulas

Geometrical Properties of Triangular Channel Section

1) Depth of Flow for Wetted Perimeter for Triangle

$$fx \quad d_{f(\Delta)} = \frac{P_{\text{Tri}}}{2 \cdot \left(\sqrt{z_{\text{Tri}}^2 + 1} \right)}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 3.315187\text{m} = \frac{9.33\text{m}}{2 \cdot \left(\sqrt{(0.99)^2 + 1} \right)}$$

2) Depth of Flow given Hydraulic Depth for Triangle

$$fx \quad d_{f(\Delta)} = D_{H(\Delta)} \cdot 2$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 3.2\text{m} = 1.6\text{m} \cdot 2$$



3) Depth of Flow given Hydraulic Radius for Triangle

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$$\text{fx } d_{f(\Delta)} = R_{H(\Delta)} \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{z_{\text{Tri}}^2 + 1}}{z_{\text{Tri}}}$$

$$\text{ex } 3.317487\text{m} = 1.167\text{m} \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{(0.99)^2 + 1}}{0.99}$$

4) Depth of Flow given Section Factor for Triangle Channel

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$$\text{fx } d_{f(\Delta)} = \left(Z_{\Delta} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{z_{\text{Tri}}} \right)^{\frac{2}{5}}$$

$$\text{ex } 3.314386\text{m} = \left(14\text{m}^{\wedge}2.5 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{0.99} \right)^{\frac{2}{5}}$$

5) Depth of Flow given Top Width for Triangle

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$$\text{fx } d_{f(\Delta)} = \frac{T_{\text{Tri}}}{2 \cdot z_{\text{Tri}}}$$

$$\text{ex } 3.333338\text{m} = \frac{6.60001\text{m}}{2 \cdot 0.99}$$



6) Depth of Flow given Wetted Area for Triangle [Open Calculator !\[\]\(dfbd6b3763a6d1d9afaa974f64e2e4b5_img.jpg\)](#)

$$fx \quad d_{f(\Delta)} = \sqrt{\frac{A_{Tri}}{z_{Tri}}}$$

$$ex \quad 3.316625m = \sqrt{\frac{10.89m^2}{0.99}}$$

7) Hydraulic Depth for Triangle [Open Calculator !\[\]\(ec9132f1d27c8919987d92907322654d_img.jpg\)](#)

$$fx \quad D_{H(\Delta)} = 0.5 \cdot d_{f(\Delta)}$$

$$ex \quad 1.665m = 0.5 \cdot 3.33m$$

8) Hydraulic Radius of Flow [Open Calculator !\[\]\(758ebdf4629c903da74c2e079717ae32_img.jpg\)](#)

$$fx \quad R_{H(\Delta)} = \frac{d_{f(\Delta)} \cdot z_{Tri}}{2 \cdot \sqrt{z_{Tri}^2 + 1}}$$

$$ex \quad 1.171402m = \frac{3.33m \cdot 0.99}{2 \cdot \sqrt{(0.99)^2 + 1}}$$



9) Section Factor for Triangle

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$$\text{fx } Z_{\Delta} = \frac{z_{\text{Tri}} \cdot \left(d_{f(\Delta)}^{2.5} \right)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{ex } 14.16546\text{m}^{\wedge}2.5 = \frac{0.99 \cdot \left((3.33\text{m})^{2.5} \right)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

10) Side Slope of Section given Hydraulic Radius

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$$\text{fx } z_{\text{Tri}} = \sqrt{\frac{4 \cdot \left(R_{\text{H}(\Delta)}^2 \right)}{\left(d_{f(\Delta)}^2 \right) - \left(4 \cdot R_{\text{H}(\Delta)}^2 \right)}}$$

$$\text{ex } 0.982674 = \sqrt{\frac{4 \cdot \left((1.167\text{m})^2 \right)}{\left((3.33\text{m})^2 \right) - \left(4 \cdot (1.167\text{m})^2 \right)}}$$

11) Side Slope of Section given Section Factor

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$$\text{fx } z_{\text{Tri}} = \frac{Z_{\Delta}}{\frac{\left(d_{f(\Delta)}^{2.5} \right)}{\sqrt{2}}}$$

$$\text{ex } 0.978436 = \frac{14\text{m}^{\wedge}2.5}{\frac{\left((3.33\text{m})^{2.5} \right)}{\sqrt{2}}}$$




12) Side Slope of Section given Top Width for Triangle 

$$fx \quad z_{Tri} = \frac{T_{Tri}}{2 \cdot d_{f(\Delta)}}$$

Open Calculator 


$$ex \quad 0.990992 = \frac{6.60001m}{2 \cdot 3.33m}$$

13) Side Slope of Section given Wetted Area 

$$fx \quad z_{Tri} = \frac{A_{Tri}}{d_{f(\Delta)} \cdot d_{f(\Delta)}}$$

Open Calculator 


$$ex \quad 0.982063 = \frac{10.89m^2}{3.33m \cdot 3.33m}$$

14) Side Slope of Section given Wetted Perimeters 

$$fx \quad z_{Tri} = \sqrt{\left(\left(\frac{P_{Tri}}{2 \cdot d_{f(\Delta)}} \right)^2 \right) - 1}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 0.981083 = \sqrt{\left(\left(\frac{9.33m}{2 \cdot 3.33m} \right)^2 \right) - 1}$$

15) Top Width for Triangle 

$$fx \quad T_{Tri} = 2 \cdot d_{f(\Delta)} \cdot z_{Tri}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 6.5934m = 2 \cdot 3.33m \cdot 0.99$$



16) Wetted Area for Triangular

$$\text{fx } A_{\text{Tri}} = z_{\text{Tri}} \cdot d_{\text{f}(\Delta)}^2$$

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$$\text{ex } 10.97801\text{m}^2 = 0.99 \cdot (3.33\text{m})^2$$

17) Wetted Perimeter for Triangular Section

$$\text{fx } P_{\text{Tri}} = 2 \cdot d_{\text{f}(\Delta)} \cdot \left(\sqrt{z_{\text{Tri}} \cdot z_{\text{Tri}} + 1} \right)$$

[Open Calculator !\[\]\(2b376d1a92330ab09dad2665d2f89bf5_img.jpg\)](#)

$$\text{ex } 9.371687\text{m} = 2 \cdot 3.33\text{m} \cdot \left(\sqrt{0.99 \cdot 0.99 + 1} \right)$$






Variables Used

- A_{Tri} Wetted Surface Area of Triangular Channel (Square Meter)
- $d_{\text{f}(\Delta)}$ Depth of Flow of Triangle Channel (Meter)
- $D_{\text{H}(\Delta)}$ Hydraulic Depth of Triangular Channel (Meter)
- P_{Tri} Wetted Perimeter of Triangular Channel (Meter)
- $R_{\text{H}(\Delta)}$ Hydraulic Radius of Triangular Channel (Meter)
- T_{Tri} Top Width of Triangular Channel (Meter)
- z_{Tri} Side Slope of Triangular Channel
- Z_{Δ} Section Factor of Triangular Channel (Meter^{2.5})








Constants, Functions, Measurements used

- **Function:** **sqrt**, sqrt(Number)
Square root function
- **Measurement:** **Length** in Meter (m)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Area** in Square Meter (m²)
Area Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Section Factor** in Meter^{2.5} (m^{2.5})
Section Factor Unit Conversion 



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