

# Unit 5 - Constitutive Equations

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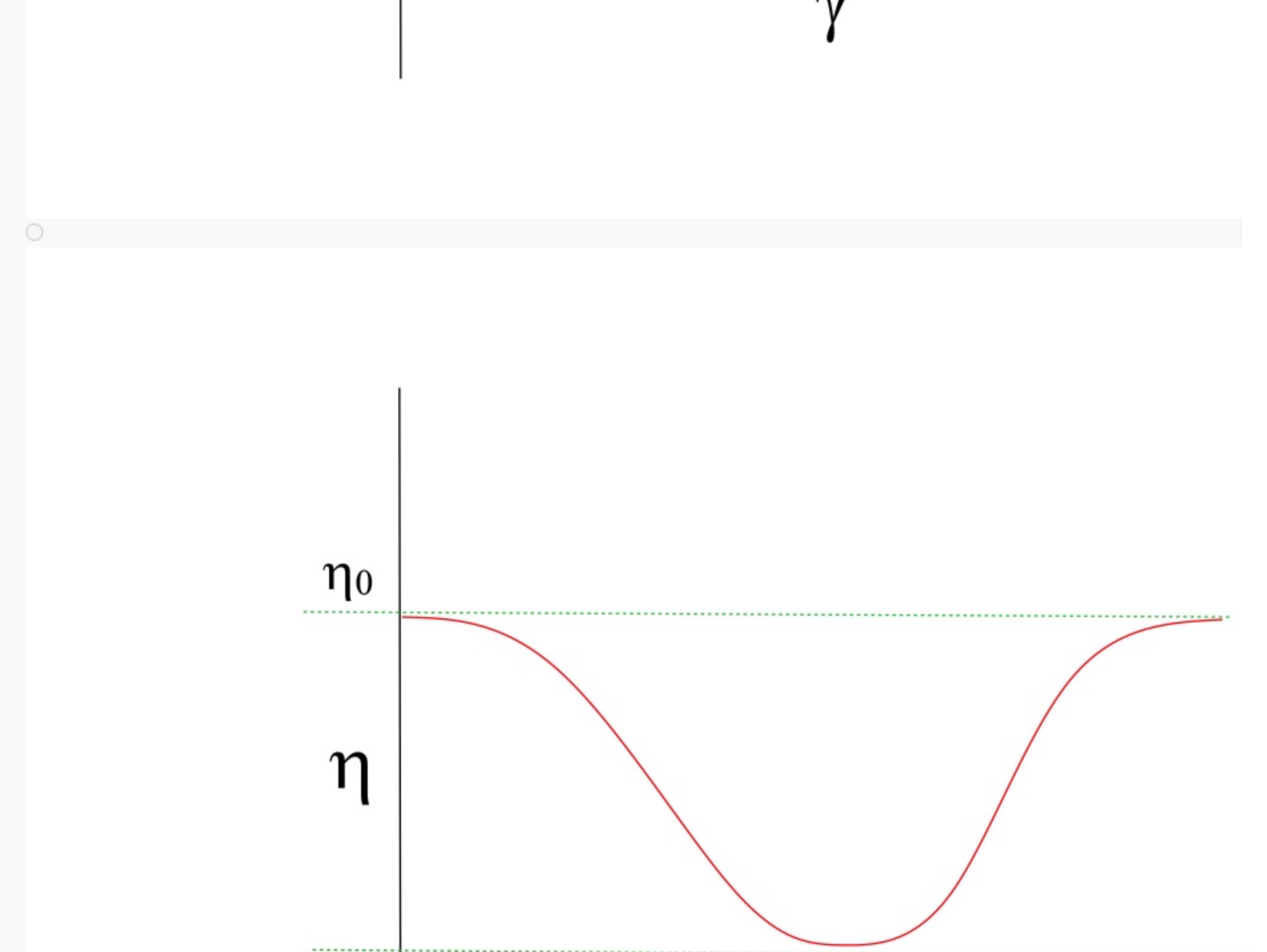
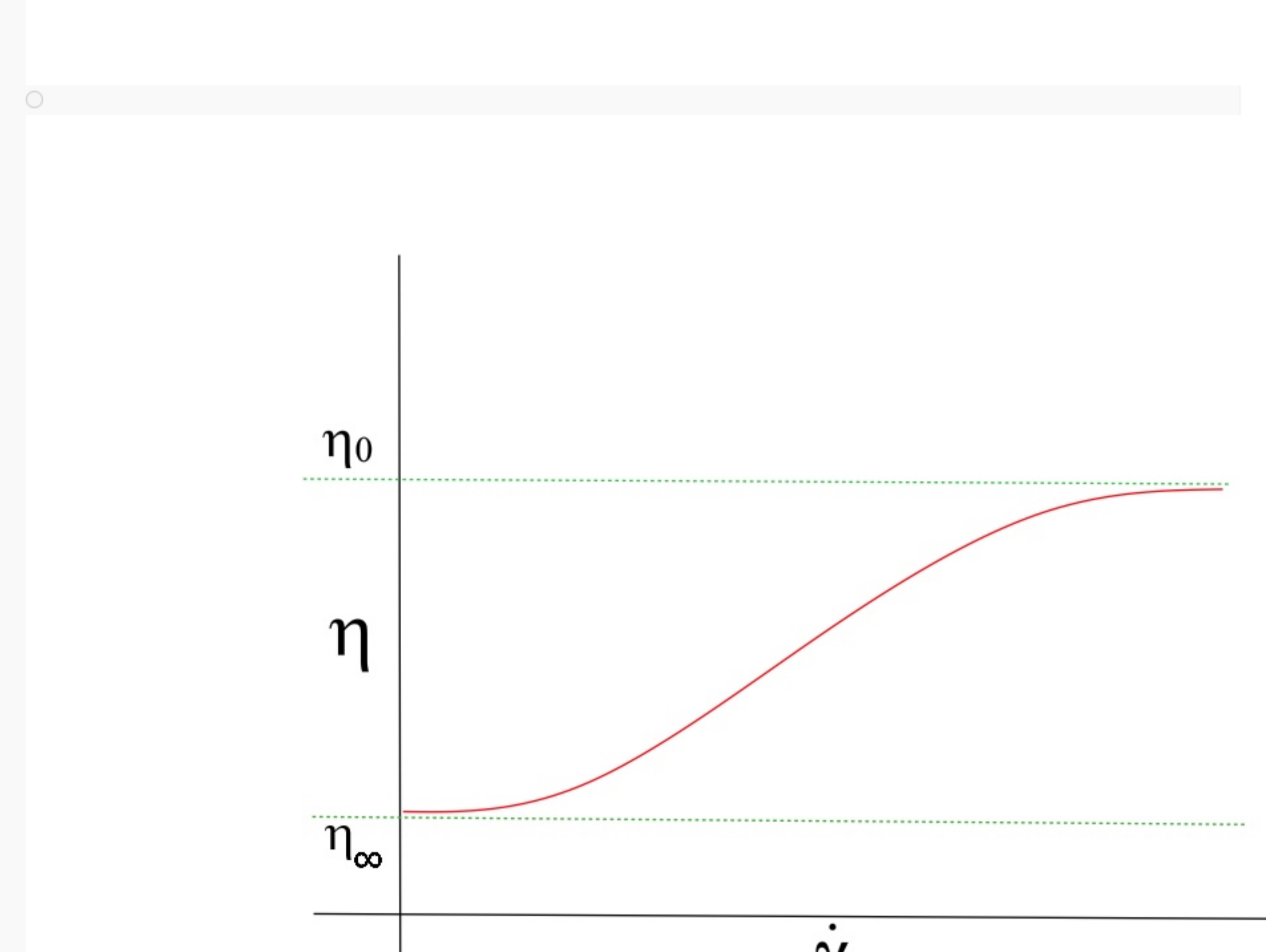
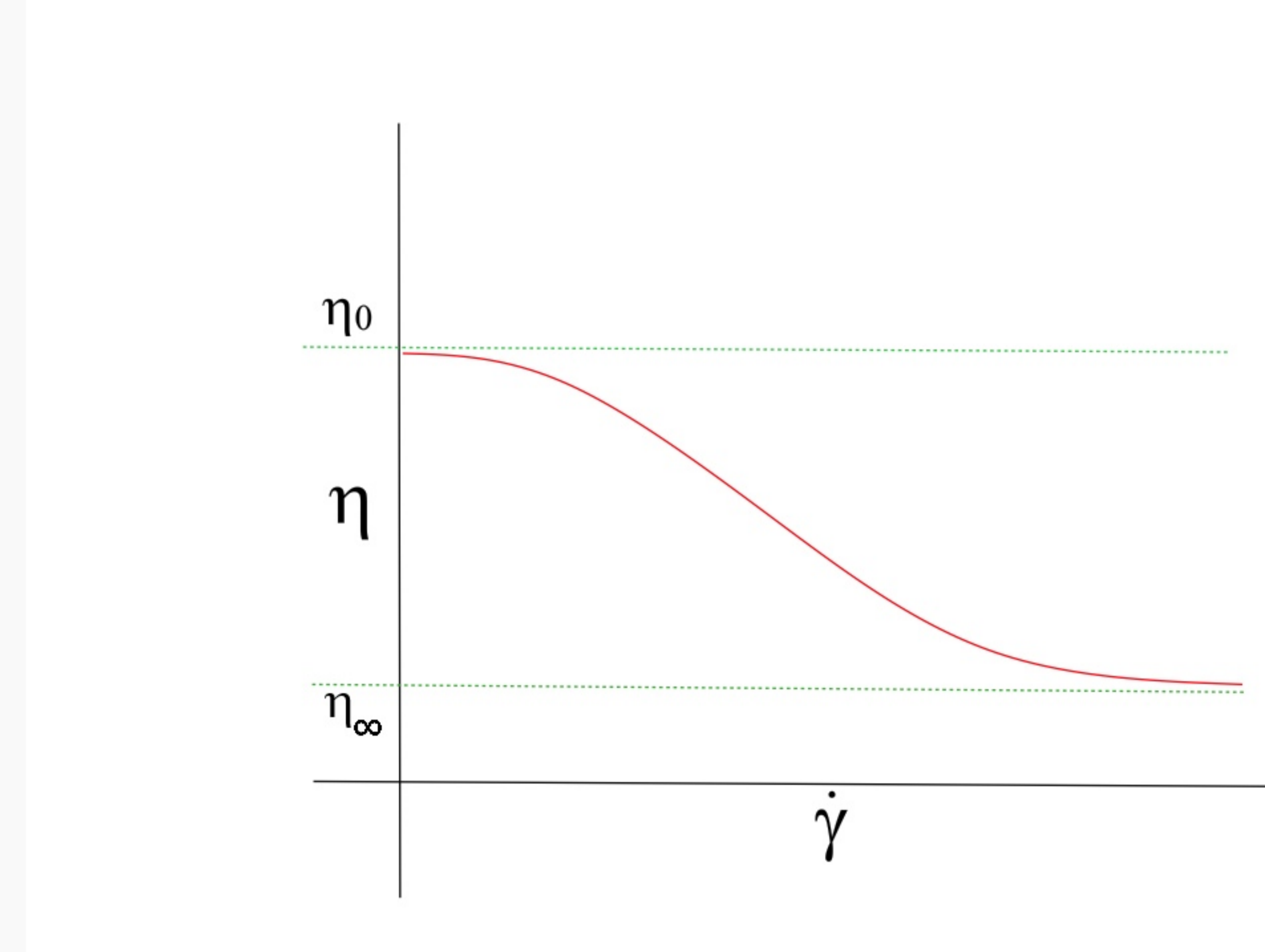
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## Week 4 Assessment

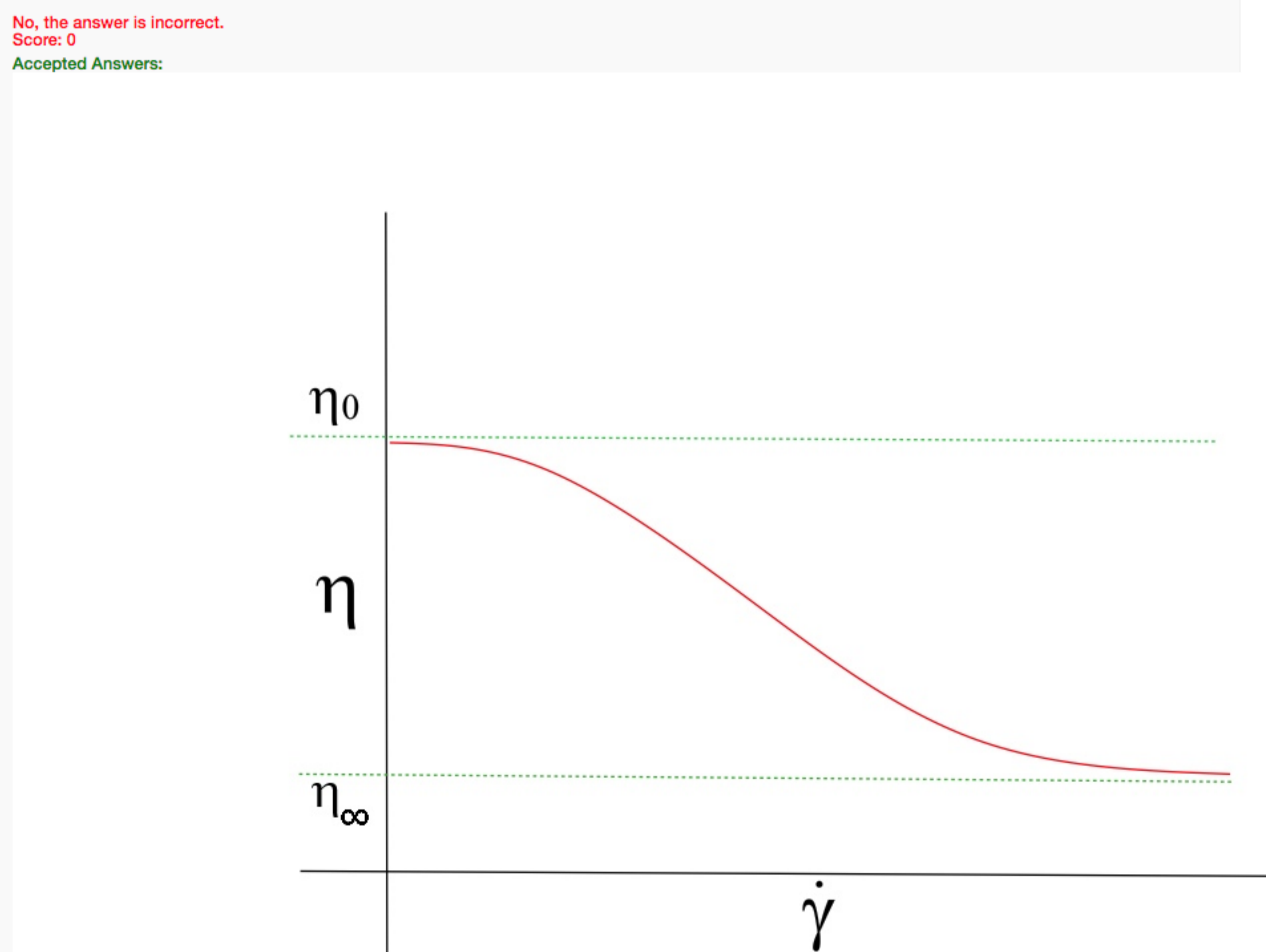
The due date for submitting this assignment has passed. **Due on 2020-03-25, 23:59 IST.**  
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

- 1) A polymer chain consists of  $3.5 \times 10^4$  segments with length of each segment as  $4 \times 10^{-10}$ m. What is the approximate length of the polymer molecule in meters? **1 point**
- $7 \times 10^{-8}$
  - $7.48 \times 10^{-8}$
  - $6.8 \times 10^{-8}$
  - $3.74 \times 10^{-8}$
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:  $7.48 \times 10^{-8}$
- 2) Based on the data given in the above question, what is the maximum length possible for the polymer molecule? **1 point**
- $2 \times 10^{-5}$ m
  - $1.5 \times 10^{-5}$ m
  - $1.4 \times 10^{-5}$ m
  - $1.4 \times 10^{-6}$ m
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:  $1.4 \times 10^{-5}$ m
- 3) Which of the following statements given are correct? **0 points**
- If the atoms in a liquid crystal have positional order, then it is called a Nematic liquid crystal.
  - If the atoms in a liquid crystal have positional and partial orientational order, then it is called a Nematic liquid crystal.
  - If the atoms in a liquid crystal have positional order, then it is called a Smectic liquid crystal.
  - If the atoms in a liquid crystal have positional and partial orientational order, then it is called a Smectic liquid crystal.
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers: *If the atoms in a liquid crystal have positional and partial orientational order, then it is called a Smectic liquid crystal.*

- 4) Which of the following plots represent a Carreau fluid? **1 point**



- None of these
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:



- 5) A Carreau fluid with  $\eta_0 = 0.08$  Pa s has a viscosity of 0.04 Pa s at the strain rate of  $40 \text{ s}^{-1}$  with  $n = 0.2$  and characteristic time constant  $\tau = 1$ s for the fluid. What is the infinite shear viscosity for the fluid? **1 point**

- 0.0325 Pa s
  - 0.0237 Pa s
  - 0.0183 Pa s
  - 0.0378 Pa s
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:  $0.0378$  Pa s

- 6) Given a velocity vector  $\mathbf{V} = 4xy\mathbf{i} + 3x^2z\mathbf{j} + 5y^3z\mathbf{k}$  where  $\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{k}$  are unit basis vectors. The strain-rate tensor is ? **1 point**

- $\begin{bmatrix} 4y & 2x(2+3z) & 0 \\ 2x(2+3z) & 0 & 3(x^2+5y^2z) \\ 0 & 3(x^2+5y^2z) & 5y^3 \end{bmatrix}$
  - $\begin{bmatrix} 4y & x(2+3z) & 0 \\ x(2+3z) & 0 & 1.5(x^2+5y^2z) \\ 0 & 1.5(x^2+5y^2z) & 5y^3 \end{bmatrix}$
  - $\begin{bmatrix} 2y & 2x(2+3z) & 0 \\ 2x(2+3z) & 0 & 3(x^2+5y^2z) \\ 0 & 3(x^2+5y^2z) & 2.5y^3 \end{bmatrix}$
  - $\begin{bmatrix} 4y & 4x(2+3z) & 0 \\ 4x(2+3z) & 0 & 6(x^2+5y^2z) \\ 0 & 6(x^2+5y^2z) & 5y^3 \end{bmatrix}$
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:

- $\begin{bmatrix} 4y & x(2+3z) & 0 \\ x(2+3z) & 0 & 1.5(x^2+5y^2z) \\ 0 & 1.5(x^2+5y^2z) & 5y^3 \end{bmatrix}$

- 7) For a power-law fluid with the relation:  $\eta(\dot{\gamma}) = k|\dot{\gamma}|^{n-1}$ , what are the range of values of  $n$  for which the fluid shows shear-thickening behavior? **1 point**

- $n > 1$
  - $n \geq 1$
  - $1 < n < 2$
  - $n = 2$
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:  $n > 1$

- 8) What is the effective viscosity of a power-law fluid with strain,  $\dot{\gamma}(t) = 0.005t^2$ , power-law index = 4 and constant term = 7 at time  $t = 15$ s? **1 point**

- 10 Pa s
  - 0.0236 Pa s
  - 0.0354 Pa s
  - 0.0428 Pa s
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers:  $0.0236$  Pa s

- 9) Consider an infinitely long cylindrical geometry with two concentric cylinders. A certain Newtonian fluid is filled in the gap between them and the outer cylinder is rotated. Then the resulting flow is a simple shear flow. **1 point**

- True
  - False
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers: True

- 10) A viscoelastic material with known normal stress coefficient of 0.48 is subjected to a strain rate of  $5 \text{ s}^{-1}$  has the stress tensor A as shown below. **1 point**

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 30 & 12 & 10 \\ 0 & 14 & 8 \\ 12 & 0 & x \end{bmatrix}$$

Then what is the numerical value of  $x$ ?

- 12
  - 10
  - 6
  - 2
- No, the answer is incorrect.**  
Score: 0  
Accepted Answers: 2