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**Transient** — An occurrence that is maintained only for a short interval as opposed to a steady state condition.

**Velocity Distortion** — The pressure decrease that occurs when fluid flows past the opening of a pressure sensing line. This is a distortion of the pressure that would be measured under the same conditions for a non or slowly moving fluid.

**“VR” Certificate Holder** — An organization in possession of a valid “VR” *Certificate of Authorization* issued by the National Board.

**Water Head** — The pressure adjustment that must be taken into account due to the weight of test media (in this case, water) that is 0.433 psi per vertical ft. (10 kPa per m.) added (subtracted) from the gage pressure for each foot the gage is below (above) the point at which the pressure is to be measured.

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