

Package ‘hydraulics’

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Description Functions for basic hydraulic calculations related to water flow in circular pipes flowing full (under pressure). This includes friction loss calculations, solving the Darcy-Weisbach equation for flow or diameter, and plotting a Moody diagram.

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 colebrook_f

Calculates the Darcy-Weisbach Friction Factor f

Description

This function calculates the Darcy-Weisbach friction factor and is only provided in this package for use with water in circular pipes while the equation is technically valid for any liquid. As with many parts of this package, techniques and formatting were drawn from Irucka Embry's iemisc package, which includes some methods with similar functionality.

Usage

```
velocity(D = NULL, Q = NULL)

reynolds_number(V = NULL, D = NULL, nu = NULL)

colebrook(ks, V, D, nu)
```

Arguments

D	numeric vector that contains the pipe diameter [m or ft] which should be $D \geq 0.0025$ m (0.0082 ft).
Q	(for velocity function only) numeric vector that contains the flow rate [m^3/s or ft^3/s]
V	numeric vector that contains the average Velocity of flow in the pipe, equal to flow divided by area, Q/A [m/s or ft/s]
nu	numeric vector that contains the kinematic viscosity of water, [$\text{m}^2 \text{s}^{-1}$ or $\text{ft}^2 \text{s}^{-1}$]. Computed with a utility function in <code>water_properties.R</code> : <code>kvisc(T=T, units=['SI' or 'Eng'])</code>
ks	numeric vector that contains the 'equivalent sand roughness height sand roughness height. Units should be consistent with other input [m or ft]

Value

f Returns a numeric vector containing the Darcy-Weisbach friction factor

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See Also

[kvisc](#) for kinematic viscosity, [velocity](#) for calculating $V=Q/A$, [reynolds_number](#) for Reynolds number

Examples

```
# A Type 1 problem (solve for hf): US units
D <- 20/12 #diameter of 20 inches
Q <- 4      #flow in ft^3/s
T <- 60     #water temperature in F
ks <- 0.0005 #pipe roughness in ft

f <- colebrook(ks=ks,V=velocity(D,Q), D=D, nu=kvisc(T=T, units="Eng"))
```

darcyweisbach	<i>Solves the Darcy-Weisbach Equation for the either head loss (hf), flow rate (Q), or diameter (D).</i>
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Description

This function solves the Darcy-Weisbach friction loss equation for with water in circular pipes. the function solves for either head loss (hf), flow rate (Q), or diameter (D), whichever is missing (not included as an argument). As with many parts of this package, techniques and formatting were drawn from Irucka Embry's iemisc package, which includes some methods with similar functionality.

Usage

```
darcyweisbach(
  Q = NULL,
  D = NULL,
  hf = NULL,
  L = NULL,
  ks = NULL,
  nu = NULL,
  units = c("SI", "Eng")
)
```

Arguments

Q	numeric vector that contains the flow rate [m ³ /s or or ft ³ /s]
D	numeric vector that contains the pipe diameter [m or ft]
hf	numeric vector that contains the head loss through the pipe section [m or ft]
L	numeric vector that contains the pipe length [m or ft],
ks	numeric vector that contains the 'equivalent sand roughness height sand roughness height. Units should be consistent with other input [m or ft]
nu	numeric vector that contains the kinematic viscosity of water, [m ² s ⁻¹ or ft ² s ⁻¹].
units	character vector that contains the system of units [options are SI for International System of Units and Eng for English (US customary) units. This is used for compatibility with iemisc package]

Value

Returns a list including the missing parameter (hf, Q, or D):

- Q - flow rate.
- V - flow velocity.
- L - pipe length.
- hf - head loss due to friction
- f - Darcy-Weisbach friction factor
- Re - Reynolds number

Examples

```
#Type 2 (solving for flow rate, Q): SI Units
D <- .5
L <- 10
hf <- 0.006*L
T <- 20
ks <- 0.000046
darcyweisbach(D = D, hf = hf, L = L, ks = ks, nu = kvisc(T=T, units='SI'), units = c('SI'))

#Type 3 (solving for diameter, D): Eng (US) units
Q <- 37.5      #flow in ft^3/s
L <- 8000      #pipe length in ft
hf <- 215      #head loss due to friction, in ft
T <- 68        #water temperature, F
ks <- 0.0008   #pipe roughness, ft
darcyweisbach(Q = Q, hf = hf, L = L, ks = ks, nu = kvisc(T=T, units='Eng'), units = c('Eng'))
```

moody

Creates a Moody diagram with optional manually added points

Description

This function plots a standard Moody diagram, and allows additional points to be added by including arguments Re and f.

Usage

```
moody(Re = NULL, f = NULL)
```

Arguments

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| Re | (optional) numeric vector that contains the Reynolds numbers of points to be manually added |
| f | (optional) numeric vector (same length as Re) that contains the Darcy-Weisbach friction factors corresponding to the points to be manually added |

Value

a Moody diagram, with the optional added (f,Re) points

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Examples

```
# Draw canonical Moody diagram
moody()

# Draw Moody diagram plotting two additional points
Re = c(10000, 100000)
f = c(0.04, 0.03)
moody( Re = Re, f = f )
```

waterprops

Functions to calculate water properties: density, dynamic and kinematic viscosity

Description

This function calculates the Darcy-Weisbach friction factor and is only provided in this package for use with water in circular pipes while the equation is technically valid for any liquid. As with many parts of this package, techniques and formatting were drawn from Irucka Embry's iemisc package, which includes some methods with similar functionality. `function(ks,V,D,nu)`

Usage

```
dvisc(T = NULL, units = c("SI", "Eng"))

dens(T = NULL, units = c("SI", "Eng"))

kvisc(T = NULL, units = c("SI", "Eng"))
```

Arguments

<code>T</code>	numeric vector that contains the water temperature [C or F]
<code>units</code>	character vector that contains the system of units [options are SI for International System of Units and Eng for English (US customary) units. This is used for compatibility with iemisc package]

Value

`rho`, the density of water for the `dens` function [kg/m³ or slug/ft³].

`mu`, the dynamic viscosity of water for the `dvisc` function [Pa-s (N s m⁻²) or lbf s ft⁻²].

`nu`, the kinematic viscosity of water for the `kvisc` function [m² s⁻¹ or ft² s⁻¹].

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Examples

```
#Find kinematic viscosity for water temperature of 55 F  
nu = kvisc(T = 55, units = 'Eng')
```

```
#Find kinematic viscosity assuming default water temperature of 68 F  
nu = kvisc(units = 'Eng')
```

```
#Find water density for water temperature of 25 C  
rho = kvisc(T = 25, units = 'SI')
```

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