

## 4 Fluid Kinematics

### 4.2 Flow Patterns and visualization.

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It's better to explain using examples. Process to solve is explained in book. So, let's get straight into it.

#### Steady Flow (It does not depend on time)

Let a 2-D velocity vector field be:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{V}(x, y, t) &= ui + vj \\ \vec{V}(x, y, t) &= (0.5 + 0.8x)i + (1.5 - 0.8y)j\end{aligned}$$

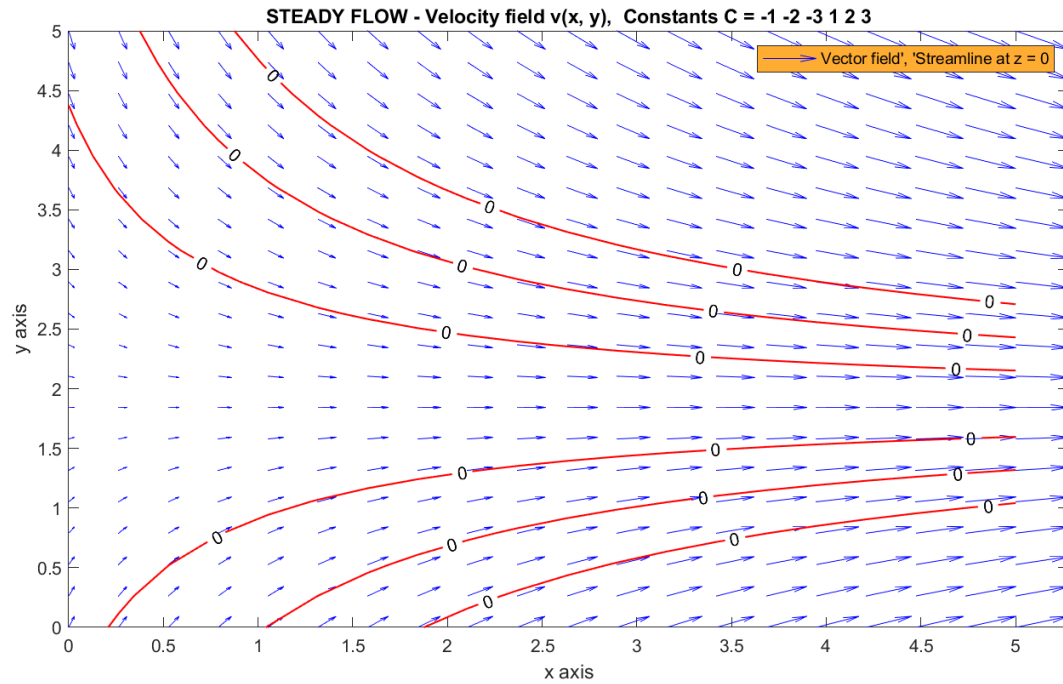
By solving the equation, solution is:

$$y = \frac{C}{0.8(0.5 + 0.8x)} + 1.875, \quad C = \text{constant}$$

To represent the fluid pattern, it takes to give form to the general expression of function  $z = f(x, y, t)$  :

$$z = f(x, y, t) = y - \frac{C}{0.8(0.5 + 0.8x)} - 1.875 = 0$$

Represent fluid in a 2-D plane. For different values of constant C



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## Unsteady Flow (It does depend on time)

Let a 2-D velocity vector field be:

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{V}(x, y, t) &= ui + vj \\ \vec{V}(x, y, t) &= xi + (-y * t)j\end{aligned}$$

*\*It is spacial 2-D, and 1-D in time.*

By solving the equation, solution is:

$$y = C * x^{-t}, C = \text{constant}$$

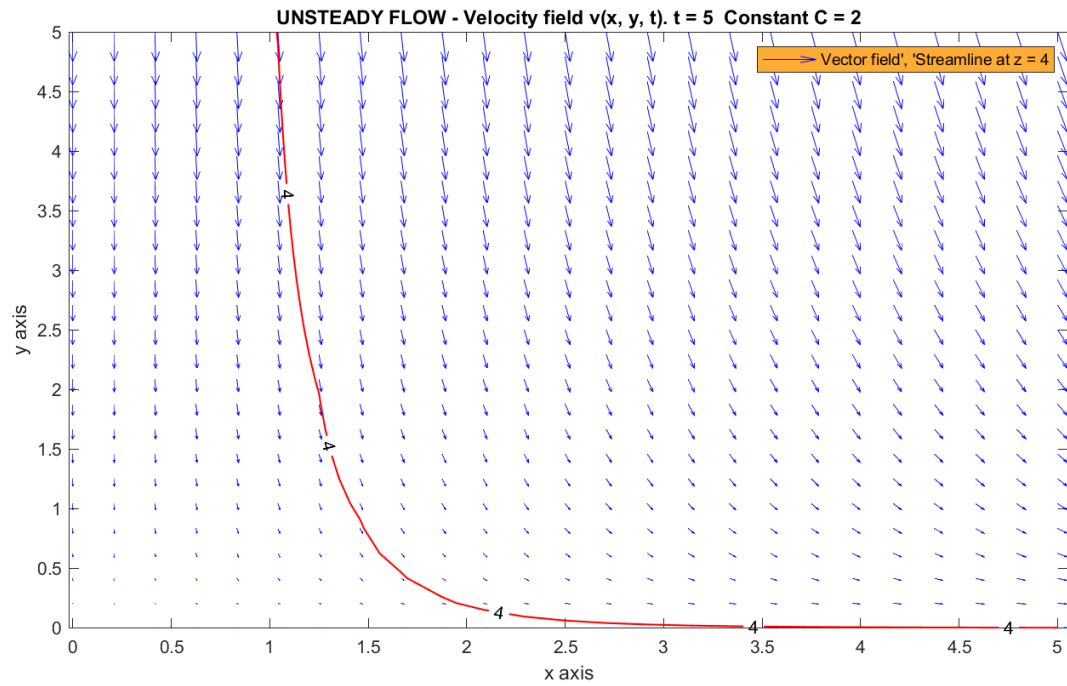
To represent the fluid pattern, it takes to give form to the general expression of function  $z = f(x, y, t)$  :

$$z = f(x, y, t) = y * x^t - C = 0$$

To plot the function,  $z = f(x, y, t)$  must be represented on a plane parallel to x-y plane. So:

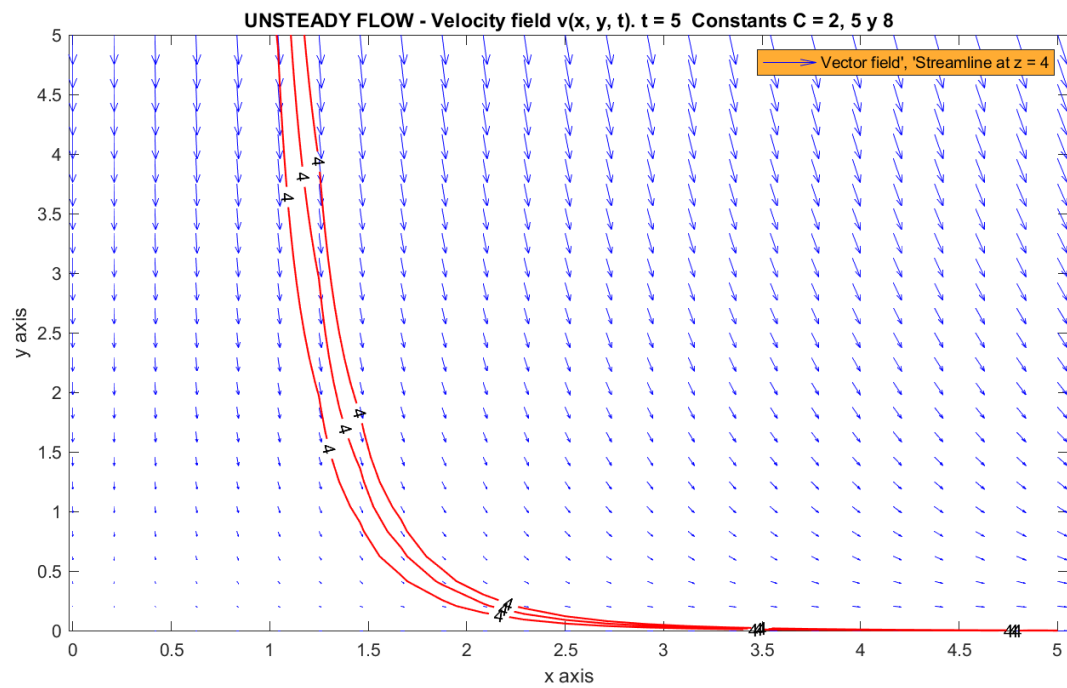
$$z = f(x, y, t) = y * x^t - C = \text{level},$$

Represent fluid in a 2-D plane. For a constant  $C = 2$ . (Check video generated) :



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Represent fluid in a 2-D plane. For constants  $C = 2, 5$  and  $8$ . (Check video generated):



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