Lab Assignment Questions

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- 1. Simulate and plot the streamlines of a two-dimensional uniform flow with velocity components u = 1, v = 0. What does the pattern of streamlines indicate?
- 2. Simulate the pathline of a particle in a uniform flow with velocity components u = 1, v = 0. Trace the particle's trajectory starting from (0,0).
- 3. Numerically compute and plot the streamlines for a vortex flow with velocity components u = -y, v = x. Analyze the streamline patterns.
- 4. Generate streamlines for a flow moving past a flat plate, represented by u = y, v = 0. Observe and interpret the streamlines.
- 5. Track the trajectory of a particle in a rotational velocity field u = -y, v = x. Assume the particle starts at $(x_0, y_0) = (1, 0)$. Plot the pathline.
- 6. Simulate the flow caused by a point source at the origin using the potential function $\phi = \ln(r)$. Plot the corresponding streamlines.
- 7. Create a numerical simulation to examine particle pathlines in a time-dependent velocity field u = t, v = y. Observe how the pathlines evolve.
- 8. Write a simulation to calculate and visualize vorticity in the velocity field u = x, v = -y. Confirm if the flow is irrotational.
- 9. Simulate the combined flow due to a source at (-1,0) and a sink at (1,0). Plot the streamlines and velocity field.
- 10. Develop a simulation to visualize the evolution of streamlines for an unsteady velocity field $u = x \cos(t), v = y \sin(t)$ over time. Observe changes in flow patterns.