CE 3305 Engineering Fluid Mechanics Exercise Set 13 Summer 2018 – GERMANY

Purpose: Momentum balance

Assessment Criteria: Completion, plausible solutions, use R as a calculator.

Exercises

1. (Problem 6.7 pg 238) Figure 1 is a balloon rocket held in place by a force F. The nozzle is a 0.8 cm diameter tube, and an air jet exits the nozzle with a speed of 45 m/s and a density of 1.2 kg/m^3 . Find the force F needed to hold the balloon stationary.

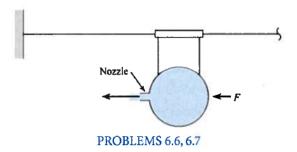


Figure 1: Balloon rocket

- 2. (Problem 6.16 pg 239) Figure 2 is a schematic of a boat held stationary by a cable attached to a pier. A firehose directs a jet of 5 ^{o}C water at a speed of V = 50m/s. The allowable load on the cable is 5 kN. Determine:
 - (a) The mass flow rate of the water jet.
 - (b) The diameter of the water jet.



Figure 2: Fire boat restrained by a cable

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3. (Problem 6.63 pg 246) Figure 3 is a schematic of an elbow fitting in a pipe system. The gage pressure throughout the horizontal 90^{o} bend (the elbow lies in the horizontal plane – the figure is a plan view of the bend) is $300 \ kPa$. If the pipe diameter is $1 \ m$ and the water (at $10 \ ^{o}C$) flow rate is $10 \ m^{3}/s$, what x-component of force must be applied to the bend to hold in in place against the water action.

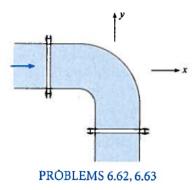


Figure 3: Elbow fitting on a pipe line.

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