



Fluid mechanics applications

- Very large scale (Geophysical flows)

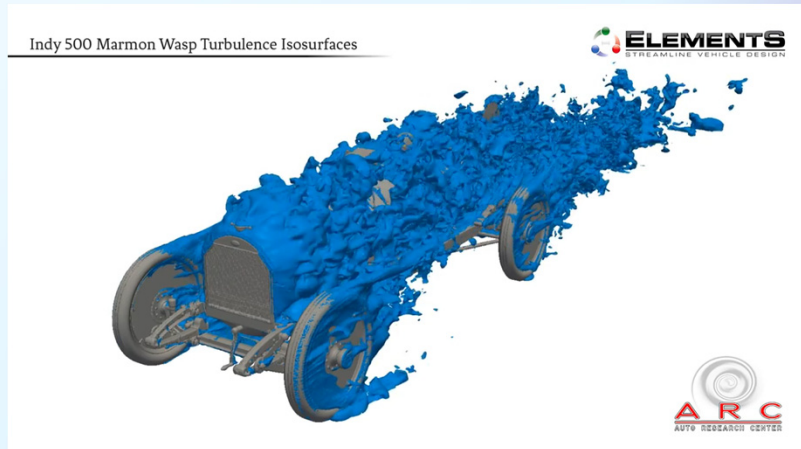


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Fluid mechanics applications

- Large scale (vehicles)

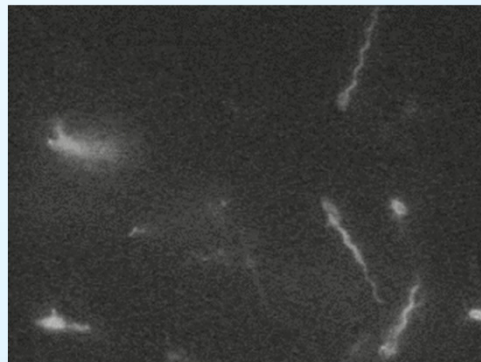


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- Small scale (E coli bacteria)



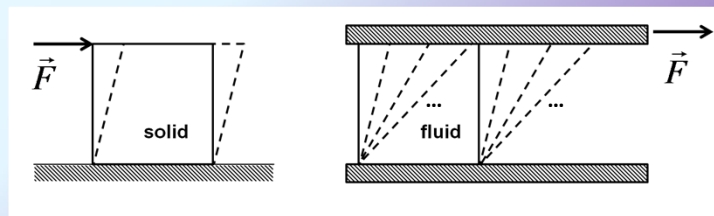
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Basic definitions

● Fluid

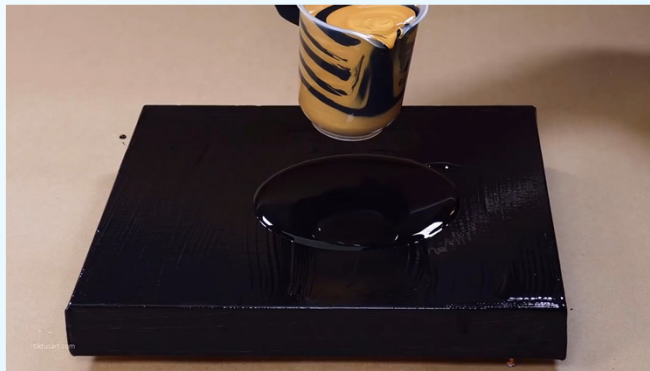
- “Soft” and easily deformable?!
- Completely fills the volume of any container?!
- Deforms **continuously** under a **shearing stress** of any magnitude (**flow**)?!
- Finite vs. infinite **strain**
- Liquid or gas



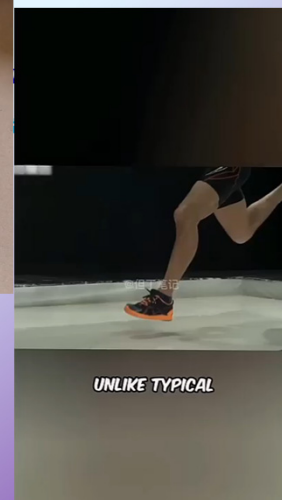
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Basic definitions



- **Semi-solid (Soft solid)**
 - Some Non-Newtonian fluids
 - Some polymers
 - ...

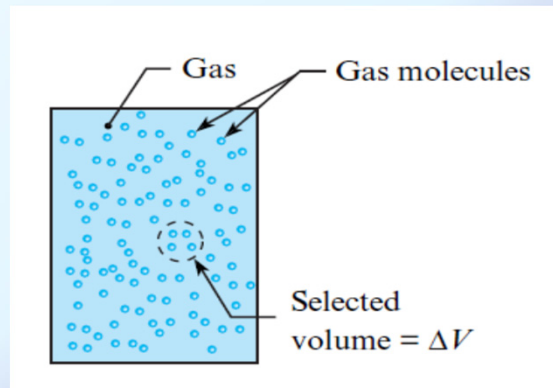


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Mechanics study approaches

- Discrete particles
- Continuum mechanics

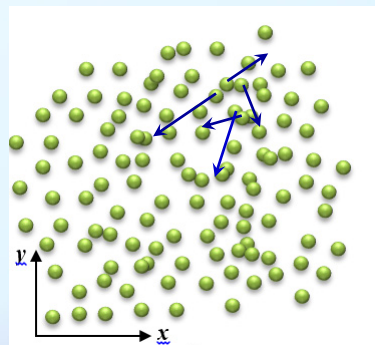


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Continuum mechanics

- Discrete particles mechanics
 - Lagrangian: Molecule particles

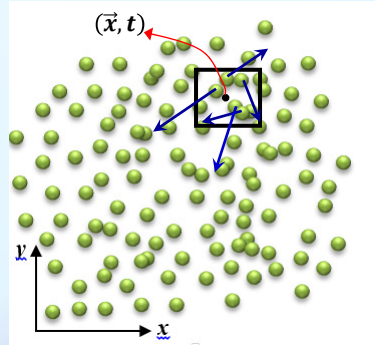


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● Discrete particles mechanics vs. continuum

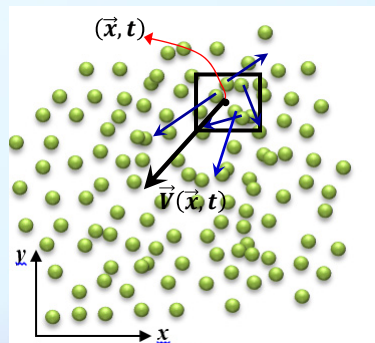


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● Discrete particles mechanics vs. continuum

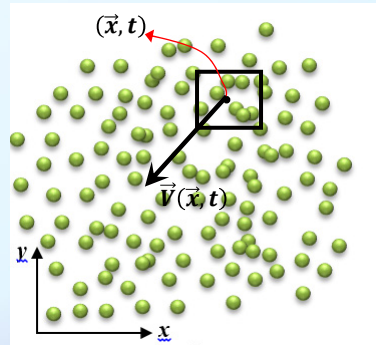


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- **Discrete particles mechanics vs. continuum**
 - Fluid element or macroscopic properties

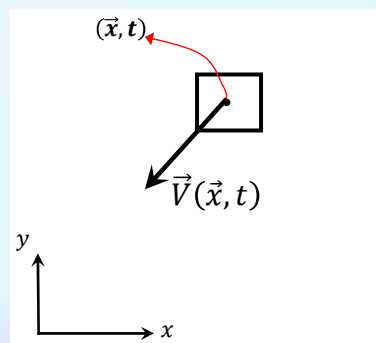


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- **Continuum mechanics**
 - Fluid element properties



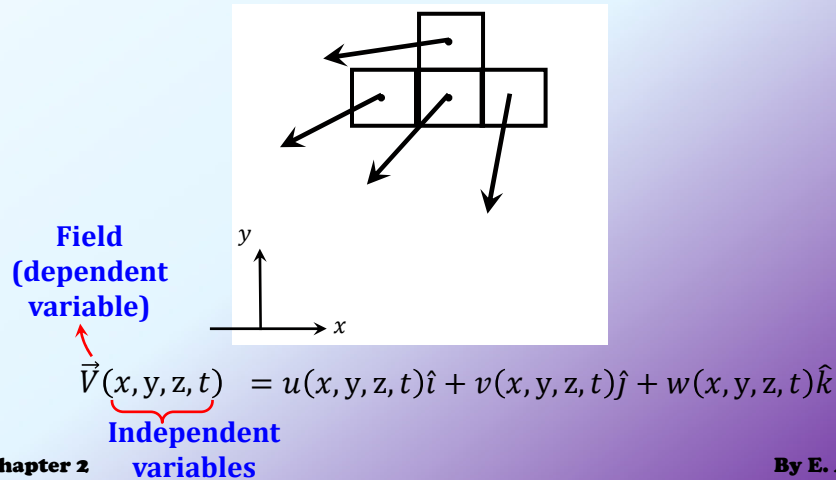
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● Continuum mechanics

- Fluid element properties



Field (dependent variable)

$$\vec{V}(x, y, z, t) = u(x, y, z, t)\hat{i} + v(x, y, z, t)\hat{j} + w(x, y, z, t)\hat{k}$$

Independent variables

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● Continuum mechanics

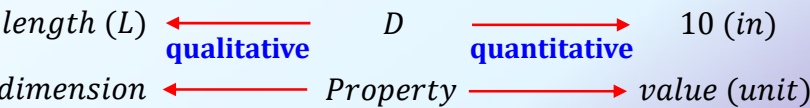
- (Piecewise) continuous fields of fluid (macroscopic) properties $\vec{V}(x, y, z, t), \dots$
- **Exercise:** What is the advantage and limitation of continuum approach? See continuum hypothesis section of fluid mechanics page in wikipedia
- **Homogeneous system:** (t) instead of (x, y, z, t)
- **Fluid (macroscopic) properties:**
 - **Primary:** Determined by basic principles, e.g., Velocity ($\vec{V}(x, y, z, t)$), pressure ($p(x, y, z, t)$), temperature ($T(x, y, z, t)$), ...
 - **Thermophysical:** Determined using empirical and semi-empirical laws, e.g., viscosity ($\mu(x, y, z, t)$), specific heat capacity ($c_p(x, y, z, t)$), ...

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Dimensions and units

Description of a property



Dimension

- Qualitative description (type)
 - Primary: Length (L), time (T), mass (M) or force (F), temperature (Θ), ...
 - Secondary: Combinations of primary
- ## Dimensional homogrunity
- Determination of the dimension of a new property
 - Necessary condition for the validity of a physical relation

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Dimensions and units

Table 1.1
Dimensions Associated with Common Physical Quantities

	FLT System	MLT System		FLT System	MLT System
Acceleration	LT^{-2}	LT^{-2}	Power	FLT^{-1}	ML^2T^{-3}
Angle	$F^0L^0T^0$	$M^0L^0T^0$	Pressure	FL^{-2}	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$
Angular acceleration	T^{-2}	T^{-2}	Specific heat	$L^2T^{-2}\Theta^{-1}$	$L^2T^{-2}\Theta^{-1}$
Angular velocity	T^{-1}	T^{-1}	Specific weight	FL^{-3}	$ML^{-2}T^{-2}$
Area	L^2	L^2	Strain	$F^0L^0T^0$	$M^0L^0T^0$
Density	$FL^{-4}T^2$	ML^{-3}	Stress	FL^{-2}	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$
Energy	FL	ML^2T^{-2}	Surface tension	FL^{-1}	MT^{-2}
Force	F	MLT^{-2}	Temperature	Θ	Θ
Frequency	T^{-1}	T^{-1}	Time	T	T
Heat	FL	ML^2T^{-2}	Torque	FL	ML^2T^{-2}
Length	L	L	Velocity	LT^{-1}	LT^{-1}
Mass	$FL^{-1}T^2$	M	Viscosity (dynamic)	$FL^{-2}T$	$ML^{-1}T^{-1}$
Modulus of elasticity	FL^{-2}	$ML^{-1}T^{-2}$	Viscosity (kinematic)	L^2T^{-1}	L^2T^{-1}
Moment of a force	FL	ML^2T^{-2}	Volume	L^3	L^3
Moment of inertia (area)	L^4	L^4	Work	FL	ML^2T^{-2}
Moment of inertia (mass)	FLT^2	ML^2			
Momentum	FT	MLT^{-1}			

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Density and specific weight

- **Density: Mass per unit volume**

$$(kg/m^3) \leftarrow \rho$$

- **Specific weight: Weight per unit volume**

$$(N/m^3) \leftarrow \gamma = \rho g$$

- **Specific gravity: Relative density**

$$(-) \leftarrow SG = \frac{\rho}{\rho_{H_2O@4^\circ C}} \quad (1.2)$$

$$1000 (kg/m^3) = 1.94 (slug/ft^3)$$

- **Data?**

- **Pure material:** $\rho = \rho(p, T)$

- **Ideal gas:** $\rho = \frac{p}{RT}$ (2.2) $R = \frac{R_u}{W}, R_u = \bar{R} = 8.314 \frac{kJ}{kmol \cdot K}$ (3.2)

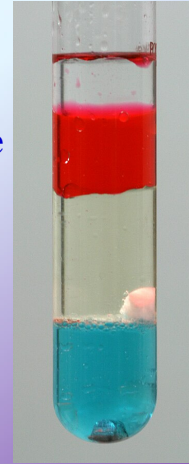
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$$\left(\frac{kJ}{kmol \cdot K} \right)$$

Universal
gas
constant

Molecular
weight (kg/mol)

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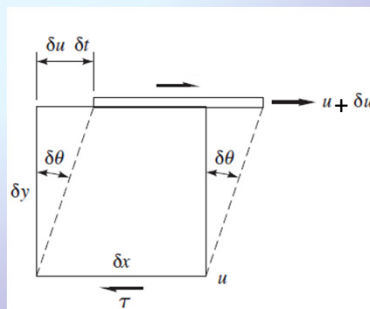


Viscosity

- **Newtonian law of viscosity (Stokes empirical law)**

- Laminar flow
- Straight parallel flow
- Newtonian fluids

$$\text{deformation rate} \leftarrow \frac{\delta \theta}{\delta t} = \frac{\tan \delta \theta}{\delta t} = \frac{[(u + \delta u)\delta t - u\delta t]/\delta y}{\delta t} = \frac{\delta u}{\delta y}$$



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Viscosity

- Newtonian law of viscosity (Stokes empirical law)

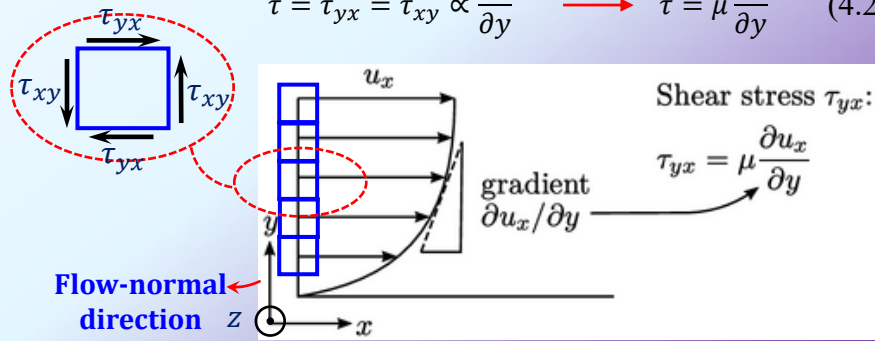
- Laminar flow
- Straight parallel flow
- Newtonian fluids

(dynamic)

viscosity

$$\frac{FT}{L^2} (Pa.s)$$

$$\tau = \tau_{yx} = \tau_{xy} \propto \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \rightarrow \tau = \mu \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \quad (4.2)$$



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Viscosity

- Physical interpretation: fluid resistance to deformation

$$\tau = \mu \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}$$

Deformation rate

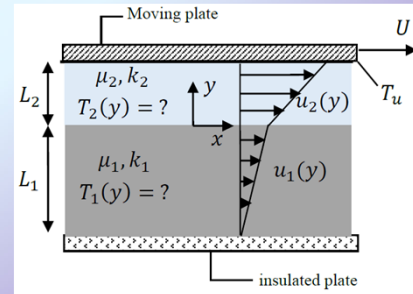
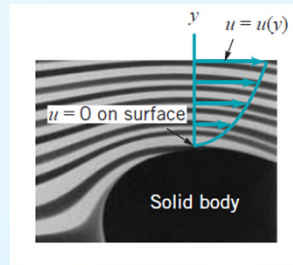


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Viscosity

- **Data?**
 - For most of fluids: Empirical tables $\mu = \mu(T)$
 - See Ref. [1], Appendix B, or Ref. [2], Appendix A
- **No-slip condition**



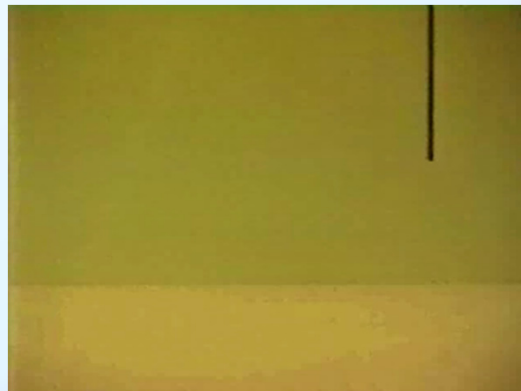
$$\vec{V} = \vec{V}_s; \text{ on the interface} \quad (5.2) \quad \vec{V}_1 = \vec{V}_2; \text{ on the interface}$$

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Viscosity

- **No-slip condition**



- **No-slip condition violation:**
 - Rearfied gases, ideal fluid, ...

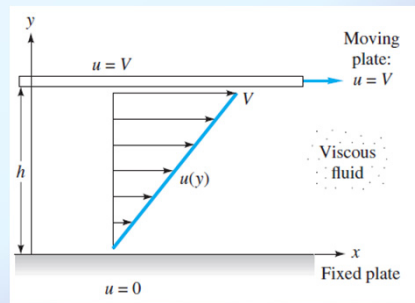
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Newtonian law of viscosity

● Example

Consider a plate moving with velocity of V on the top of a thin fluid layer (film) of thickness h . Assuming a linear flow velocity profile, determine the force required to move the plate.



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Internal force of a fluid flow

● Body forces (per unit mass)

- Gravity \vec{g}
- Electromagnetic
- ...

● Surface force (per unit area: stress)

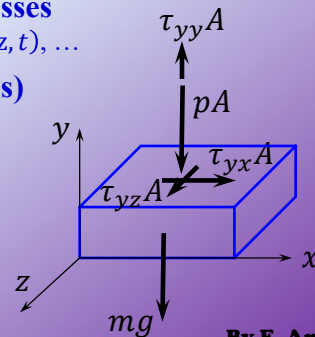
- Viscous shear (and normal) stresses
 $\tau_{xy}(x, y, z, t), \tau_{xz}(x, y, z, t), \dots, \tau_{xx}(x, y, z, t), \dots$

- Pressure $p(x, y, z, t)$ (normal stress)

● Line force (per unit length)

- Surface tension $\sigma(x, y, z, t)$

- How about other forces like buoyancy, drag, ...?

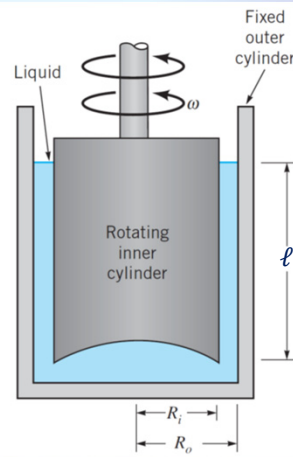


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Sample problems

The viscosity of liquids can be measured through the use of a *rotating cylinder viscometer* of the type illustrated in the figure. In this device the outer cylinder is fixed and the inner cylinder is rotated with an angular velocity, ω . The torque Γ required to develop ω is measured and the viscosity is calculated from these two measurements. Develop an equation relating μ , ω , Γ , ℓ , R_o , and R_i . Neglect end effects and assume the velocity distribution in the gap is linear.



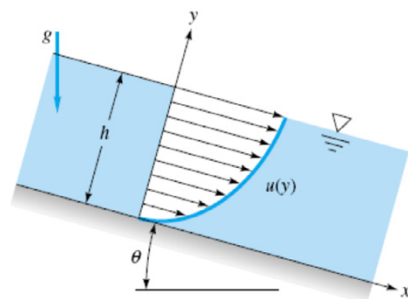
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Sample problems

A thin layer of glycerin flows down an inclined, wide plate with the velocity distribution shown in the Figure. For $h=0.3$ in. and $\theta=20^\circ$, determine the surface velocity, U . Note that the velocity is constant in tangential direction.



$$\frac{u}{U} = 2\frac{y}{h} - \frac{y^2}{h^2}$$

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Surface tension

- Microscopic view point
 - The intermolecular cohesive force near the fluid-fluid interface is anisotropic

Surface of any liquid behaves as though it is covered by a stretched membrane

F_T

$\Sigma F = 0$

Net force on molecule at surface is into bulk of the liquid

ΣF

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Surface tension

- Macroscopic view point

Interface element

F_σ

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- **Demonstration**

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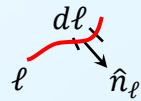
- **Macroscopic effects**
 - **Distributed very close to a fluid-fluid interface**
 - **Considered only when the interface is cut in the free-body diagram**
 - **Exerted as the resultant force on the interface fluid element**
 - **Force per unit length (surface tension coefficient, σ (N/m)) on a curve on the interface**
 - **Tangent to the interface**
 - **Normal to the chosen curve**
 - **σ depends on the material of the two fluids in contact, temperature, and pressure**

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Surface tension

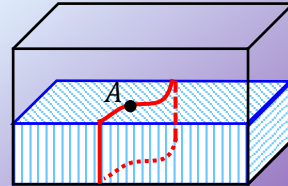
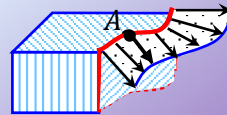
- Determining the direction of the surface tension at each point A of a curve on the interface
 - Within the tangent plane to the interface at A
 - Normal to the chosen curve
 - Causes attraction (tensile)



$$d\vec{F}_\sigma = (\sigma d\ell) \hat{n}_\ell$$

$$\vec{F}_\sigma = \int_\ell \sigma \hat{n}_\ell d\ell \quad \sigma = cte \rightarrow \vec{F}_\sigma = \sigma \int_\ell \hat{n}_\ell d\ell$$

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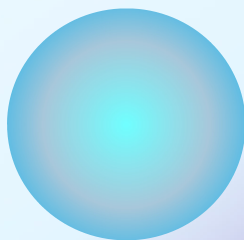
$$\hat{n}_\ell = cte \rightarrow \vec{F}_\sigma = \sigma \ell \hat{n}_\ell$$

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● Example

Calculate the difference between the inner and outer pressures of a soap bubble.



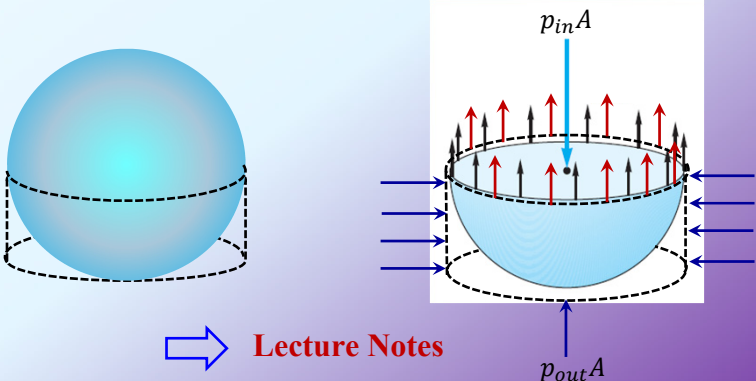
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● **Example**

Calculate the difference between the inner and outer pressures of a soap bubble.



The diagram illustrates a soap bubble. On the left, a 3D sphere represents the bubble. On the right, a cross-section of the bubble is shown. A dashed line indicates a circular area of radius R on the bubble's surface. A blue arrow labeled $p_{in}A$ points downwards from the center of this area, representing the internal pressure. Multiple red arrows point upwards from the dashed line, representing the surface tension force. Blue arrows point horizontally outwards from the sides of the dashed line, representing the external pressure $p_{out}A$.

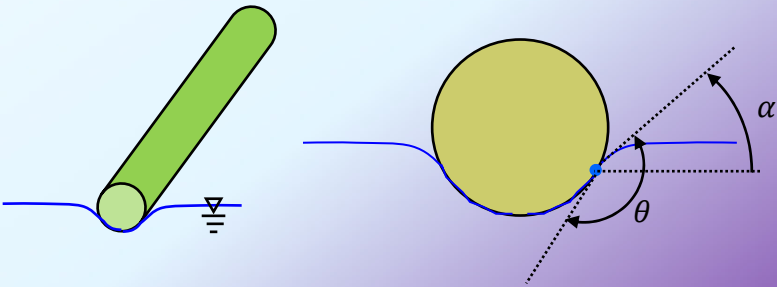
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● **Example**

Calculate the angle alpha shown in the figure for a needle on the top surface of a water in a glass.



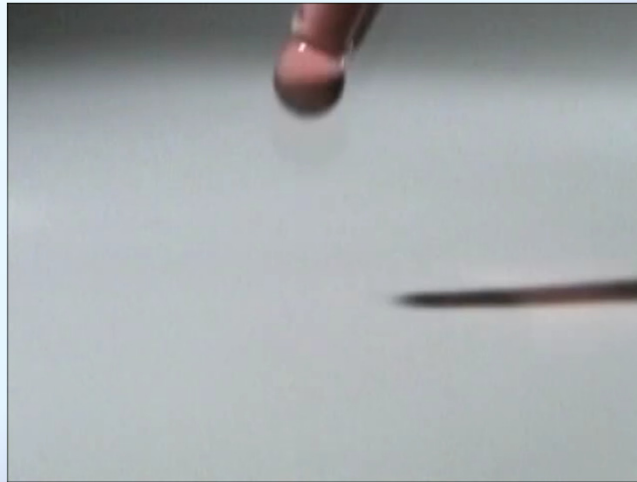
The diagram shows a green cylindrical needle floating on a blue water surface. To the right, a circular cross-section of the needle is shown. A horizontal dashed line represents the water surface. A solid line represents the needle's surface. The angle between the tangent to the needle's surface at the contact point and the horizontal dashed line is labeled α . The angle between the needle's surface and the vertical dashed line is labeled θ .

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- Contact angle

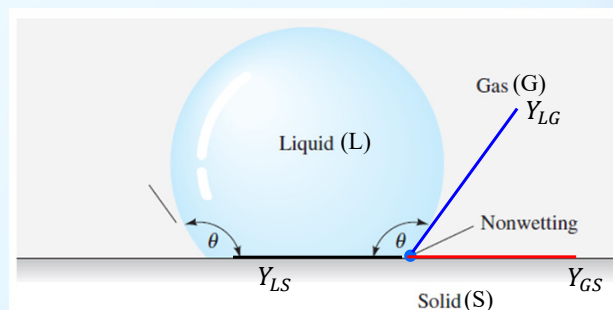


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- Contact angle



- θ depends on the three materials in contact, temperature, and pressure

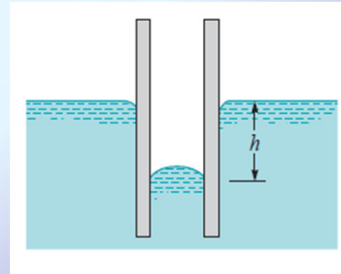
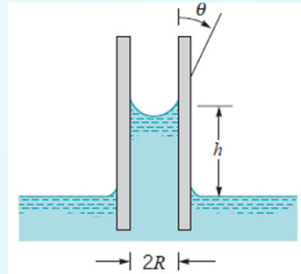
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Contact angle

● Example

Calculate the height of the liquid in a capillary tube.



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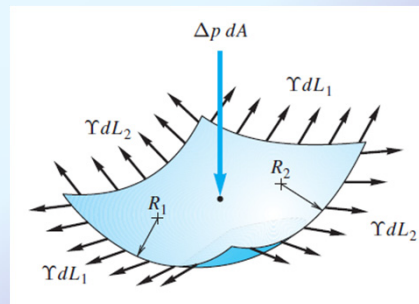
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Surface tension

● Pressure jump across a fluid-fluid interface

$$\Delta p = p^+ - p^- = \sigma \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right) \quad (9.2)$$

principal
radii of curvature



- **Exercise:** Using Eq. (9.2), calculate the pressure difference across a soap bubble.
- **For a large free surface:** $R_1 = R_2 \rightarrow \infty; p^+ - p^- \rightarrow 0$

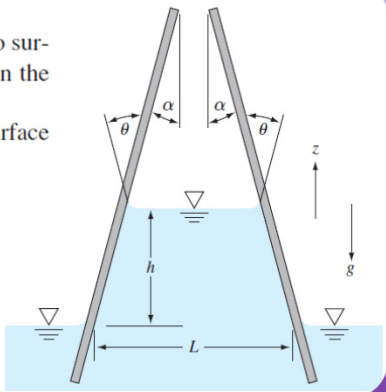
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Sample problems

Two thin flat plates, tilted at an angle α , are placed in a tank of liquid of known surface tension Y and contact angle θ , as shown in Fig. C1.3. At the free surface of the liquid in the tank, the two plates are a distance L apart and have width b into the page. The liquid rises a distance h between the plates, as shown.

- (a) What is the total upward (z -directed) force, due to surface tension, acting on the liquid column between the plates?
- (b) If the liquid density is ρ , find an expression for surface tension Y in terms of the other variables.



C1.3
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