

# AER210 VECTOR CALCULUS and FLUID MECHANICS

## Quiz 4

Duration: 60 minutes

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Question	Marks	Earned
1	8	
2	10	
3	10	
4	10	
5	12	
TOTAL	/50	/50

The following formula may be useful:

$$\frac{D}{Dt} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + w \frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \quad -\nabla p + \rho \vec{g} = \rho \vec{a}, \quad \frac{p}{\rho} + \frac{v^2}{2} + gz = \text{constant}$$

$$\Sigma \vec{F}_{CV} = \frac{d}{dt} \iiint_{CV} \vec{V}(\rho dV) + \oint_S \vec{V}(\rho \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{A})$$

1) (a) Consider the following velocity field:  $\vec{V} = (2x)\vec{i} + (t^2)\vec{j}$

- Is this a steady or unsteady flow? [1 mark]

Unsteady flow.  $\vec{V} = \vec{V}(x, t)$

- Also, determine if this flow is compressible or incompressible [1 marks].

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = 2 \neq 0 \quad (\text{Flow is compressible})$$

(b) Indicate true (T) or false (F): [3 marks]

F The amount of mass entering a control volume have to be equal to the amount of mass leaving during an *unsteady-flow process*.

F The Eulerian method of fluid flow analysis is similar to the study of a system.

T The variation of pressure with elevation in steady incompressible flow with straight streamlines is the same as that in the stationary fluid.

(c) Fill the following: [3 marks]

A streakline is a line that connects all fluid particles that have passed through the same point in space at a previous time.

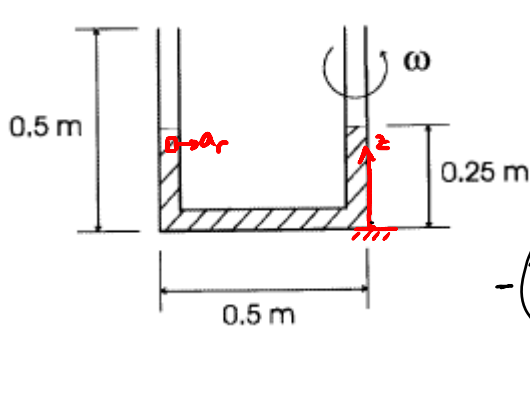
A streamline is a line that is tangent to the local velocity vector at every point along the line at that instant.

A pathline is a line traced out by a particle as it moves from one point to another in the flow.

2) A U-tube is rotated with a constant angular velocity  $\omega$  about one leg as shown in the figure. Before being rotated, the liquid in the tube fills 0.25 m of each leg. The length of the base of the U-tube is 0.5 m and each leg is 0.5 m long. What would be the maximum rotation rate to ensure that no liquid is lost from the outer leg? [10 marks]

Hint: The magnitude of the centripetal acceleration is  $r\omega^2$  (where  $r$  is the distance from the axis of rotation), and the gradient of pressure in cylindrical coordinates is as follows:

$$\vec{\nabla}p = \frac{\partial p}{\partial r}\vec{e}_r + \frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial p}{\partial \theta}\vec{e}_\theta + \frac{\partial p}{\partial z}\vec{e}_z$$



$$\left. \begin{aligned} a_r &= r\omega^2 \\ a_\theta &= 0 \\ a_z &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \vec{a} = -r\omega^2\vec{e}_r \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} (-) a_s \text{ it acts toward the center of rotation} \end{array} \right)$$

$$-\vec{\nabla}p - \rho g\vec{k} = \rho\vec{a} \implies -\vec{\nabla}p - \rho g\vec{e}_z = \rho\vec{a} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{in cyl.} \\ \text{coord.} \\ \text{system} \end{array} \right)$$

$$-\left( \frac{\partial p}{\partial r}\vec{e}_r + \frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial p}{\partial \theta}\vec{e}_\theta + \frac{\partial p}{\partial z}\vec{e}_z \right) - \rho g\vec{e}_z = \rho(-r\omega^2)\vec{e}_r$$

$$-\frac{\partial p}{\partial r} = -\rho r\omega^2, \quad -\frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial p}{\partial \theta} = 0, \quad -\frac{\partial p}{\partial z} = \rho g$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial p}{\partial r} &= \rho r\omega^2 \\ \frac{\partial p}{\partial \theta} &= 0 \\ \frac{\partial p}{\partial z} &= -\rho g \end{aligned} \right\} p = p(r, z) \implies dp = \frac{\partial p}{\partial r}dr + \frac{\partial p}{\partial z}dz$$

$$dp = \rho r\omega^2 dr - \rho g dz$$

integrating

$$p = \rho \omega^2 \frac{r^2}{2} - \rho g z + C$$

At the free surface  $z = z_s$ ,  $p = p_{\text{atm}}$  (from this  $z_s$  function (a functional relationship for the free surface) can be found).

$$p_{\text{atm}} = \rho \omega^2 \frac{r^2}{2} - \rho g z_s + C \implies z_s = \frac{\omega^2 r^2}{2g} + \frac{C - p_{\text{atm}}}{\rho g} \implies z_s = \frac{\omega^2 r^2}{2g} + C_1$$

$C_1$  (a new constant)

A constant volume of liquid requires:  $z_R + z_L = 0.5$

$$\text{At } \omega_{\text{max}}: \quad \begin{array}{c} z_L = 0.5 \\ \uparrow \\ z_s(r=0.5) \end{array}, \quad \begin{array}{c} z_R = 0 \\ \uparrow \\ z_s(r=0) \end{array} \implies z_R = \frac{\omega_{\text{max}}^2 \cdot 0^2}{2g} + C_1 \implies \boxed{C_1 = z_R = 0}$$

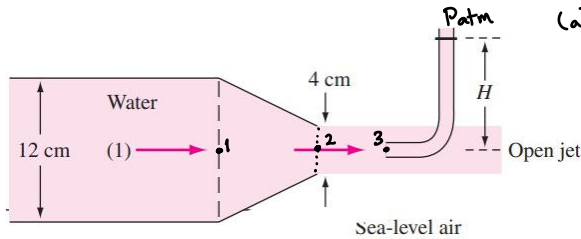
$$z_L = 0.5 = \frac{\omega_{\text{max}}^2 (0.5)^2}{2g} + 0 \implies \omega_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{4g} = 6.32 \text{ rad/s}$$

3) As shown in the figure below, the open jet of water at 20°C exits a nozzle into sea-level air and strikes a pitot tube, tip of which is placed at the centre of the jet as shown. If the pressure at the centerline at section 1 is 110 kPa, and losses are neglected, estimate:

(a) the mass flow rate [5 marks],

(b) the height H of the fluid in the pitot tube [5 marks].

Take density of water as  $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$ , atmospheric pressure at sea level as  $p_{\text{atm}} = 101.35 \text{ kPa}$ , gravitational acceleration as  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ , and assume one dimensional flow.



(a) Apply Bernoulli between 1 and 2:

$$\frac{p_1}{\rho} + \frac{v_1^2}{2} + gz_1 = \frac{p_2}{\rho} + \frac{v_2^2}{2} + gz_2 \quad \leftarrow \text{Eqn. 1.}$$

From continuity eqn:

$$v_1 \pi (0.12)^2 = v_2 \pi (0.04)^2 \Rightarrow v_2 = 9 v_1 \quad \leftarrow \text{Eqn. 2}$$

$$\text{Combining eqn. 1 and eqn. 2: } \frac{p_1}{\rho} + \frac{v_1^2}{2} = \frac{p_2}{\rho} + \frac{(9v_1)^2}{2} \Rightarrow v_1 = \sqrt{\frac{p_1 - p_2}{40\rho}} = \sqrt{\frac{110000 - 101350}{(40)(1000)}} = 0.465 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_2 = 9v_1 = (9)(0.465) = 4.185 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{mass flow rate: } \dot{m} = \rho A_1 v_1 = (1000) \pi \frac{(0.12)^2}{4} (0.465) = 5.26 \text{ kg/s}$$

(b) Bernoulli between (2) & (3):

$$\frac{p_2}{\rho} + \frac{v_2^2}{2} + gz_2 = \frac{p_3}{\rho} + \frac{v_3^2}{2} + gz_3 \quad (z_2 = z_3)$$

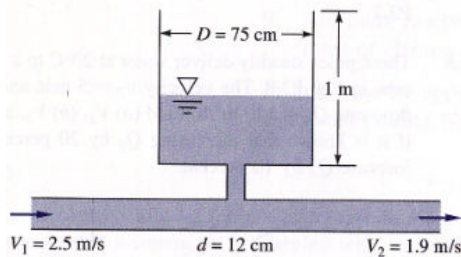
$v_3 = 0$  (stagnation point)

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} p_3 &= p_2 + \rho \frac{v_2^2}{2} \Rightarrow p_3 = p_{\text{atm}} + \rho \frac{v_2^2}{2} \quad (\text{the pressure at the stagnation point (point 3)}) \\ \text{From hydrostatic relations we can also write: } p_3 - \rho g H &= p_{\text{atm}} \Rightarrow H = \frac{p_3 - p_{\text{atm}}}{\rho g} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

combining these two:

$$H = \frac{p_3 - p_{\text{atm}}}{\rho g} = \frac{p_{\text{atm}} + \rho \frac{v_2^2}{2} - p_{\text{atm}}}{\rho g} = \frac{v_2^2}{2g} = \frac{(4.185)^2}{2 \times 10} = 0.875 \text{ m} = 87.5 \text{ cm}$$

4) The pipe flow, shown in the figure below, fills a cylindrical tank. The dimensions of this tank and the pipe are given in the figure. At time  $t = 0$ , the water depth in the tank is 30 cm. Estimate the time required to fill the remainder of the tank. [10 marks]



Hint: Select an appropriate control volume, and then apply the integral form of the continuity equation to this control volume, which is:

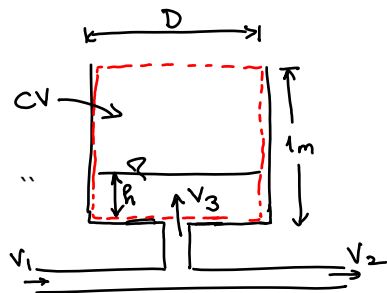
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \iiint_V \rho dV + \oint_S \rho \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0$$



$$\dot{V}_1 = \dot{V}_2 + \dot{V}_3 \quad (\text{from continuity})$$

$$V_1 \pi \frac{d^2}{4} = V_2 \pi \frac{d^2}{4} + \dot{V}_3$$

$$\dot{V}_3 = \pi \frac{d^2}{4} (V_1 - V_2)$$



Integral form of the continuity eqn.:

$$\underbrace{\frac{d}{dt} \iiint_V \rho dV}_{\text{Term 1}} + \underbrace{\oint_S \rho \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{S}}_{\text{Term 2}} = 0$$

$$\text{Term 1} = \frac{d}{dt} \iiint_V \rho dV = \frac{d}{dt} \left[ \rho \pi \frac{D^2}{4} h \right] = \rho \pi \frac{D^2}{4} \frac{dh}{dt}$$

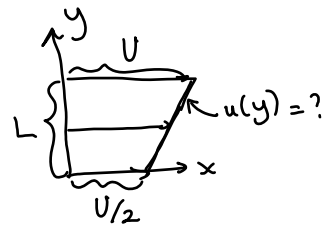
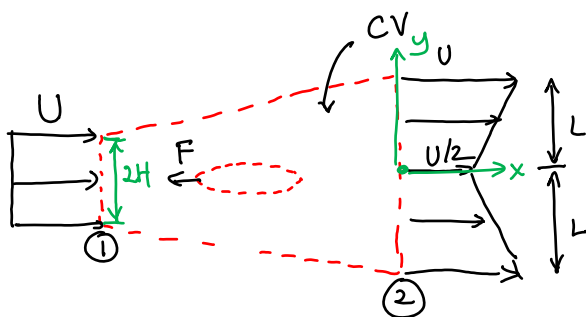
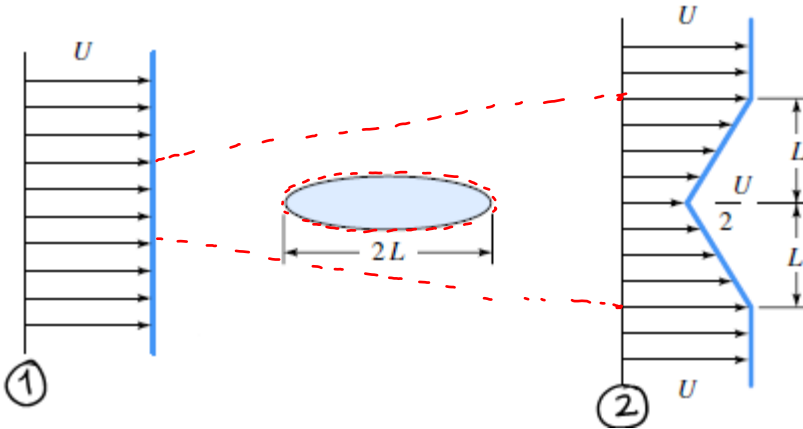
mass inside the CV.

$$\text{Term 2} = \oint_S \rho \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{S} = \rho \dot{V}_3$$

$$\rho \pi \frac{D^2}{4} \frac{dh}{dt} = \rho \dot{V}_3 \Rightarrow \frac{dh}{dt} = \dot{V}_3 \frac{4}{\pi D^2} = \pi \frac{d^2}{4} (V_1 - V_2) \cdot \frac{4}{\pi D^2} = \frac{d^2}{D^2} (V_1 - V_2) = \frac{12^2}{75^2} (2.5 - 1.9) = 0.0153 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{(1 - 0.3)}{0.0153} = 45.7 \text{ s}$$

5) When a uniform stream flows past an immersed thick cylinder, a low-velocity wake is created downstream, idealized as a V shape as shown in the figure below. Pressures  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  are approximately equal. If the flow is two-dimensional and incompressible, with width  $b$  into the paper, derive a formula for the drag force  $F$  on the cylinder. [12 marks]



$$u(y) = Ay + B$$

$$\text{BCs: } @ y = 0 \quad u(y=0) = U/2$$

$$@ y = L \quad u(y=L) = U$$

$$@ y = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{U}{2} = A(0) + B \Rightarrow \boxed{B = \frac{U}{2}}$$

$$@ y = L \Rightarrow U = AL + B \Rightarrow A = \left(U - \frac{U}{2}\right) \frac{1}{L} \Rightarrow \boxed{A = \frac{U}{2L}}$$

$$\text{Velocity profile at section 2: } \boxed{u(y) = \frac{U}{2L}y + \frac{U}{2}}$$

$$\dot{m}_1 = \rho U (2L) b$$

$$\dot{m}_2 = 2 \int_{y=0}^L \rho u dA = 2 \int_{y=0}^L \rho \left( \frac{U}{2L}y + \frac{U}{2} \right) b dy = 2 \rho b \frac{U}{2} \int_{y=0}^L \left( \frac{y}{L} + 1 \right) dy = 2 \rho b \frac{U}{2} \left( \frac{y^2}{2L} + y \right) \Big|_0^L$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{m}_2 = \rho g b \frac{U}{2} \left( \frac{L^2}{2L} + L \right) = \rho g b U \frac{3L}{2}$$

From continuity:  $\dot{m}_1 = \dot{m}_2$

$$\cancel{\rho U 2H b} = \cancel{\rho U b} \frac{3}{2} L \Rightarrow \boxed{H = \frac{3}{4} L}$$

From momentum equation:  $\sum \vec{F}_{cv} = \frac{d}{dt} \iiint_{cv} \vec{V} (\rho dV) + \oint_{cs} \vec{V} (\rho \vec{V} \cdot d\vec{A})$   
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 $= 0$  (steady flow)

$$\sum \vec{F}_{cv} = \iint_{A_1} \vec{V}_1 (\rho \vec{V}_1 \cdot d\vec{A}) + \iint_{A_2} \vec{V}_2 (\rho \vec{V}_2 \cdot d\vec{A})$$

$$\sum \vec{F}_{cv} = \iint_{A_1} U \vec{i} (\rho U \vec{i} \cdot (-dA \vec{i})) + \iint_{A_2} u \vec{i} (\rho u \vec{i} \cdot dA \vec{i})$$

$$= \underbrace{-\rho U^2 A_1 \vec{i}}_{\text{Term 1}} + \iint_{A_2} \rho \underbrace{u^2}_{u = \frac{U}{2L}y + \frac{U}{2}} dA \vec{i}$$

Term 2

$$\text{Term 1} = -\rho U^2 \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ A_1 = b(2H)}}{A_1} \vec{i} = -2\rho U^2 b \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ H = \frac{3L}{4}}}{H} \vec{i} = -2\rho U^2 b \frac{3L}{4} \vec{i} = -\rho U^2 b \frac{3L}{2} \vec{i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Term 2} &= 2 \int_{y=0}^L \rho \left( \frac{U}{2L}y + \frac{U}{2} \right)^2 b dy \vec{i} = 2\rho \frac{U^2}{4} b \int_{y=0}^L \left( \frac{y}{L} + 1 \right)^2 dy \vec{i} \\ &= \rho \frac{U^2}{2} b \int_{y=0}^L \left( \frac{y^2}{L^2} + 2\frac{y}{L} + 1 \right) dy \vec{i} = \rho \frac{U^2}{2} b \left[ \frac{y^3}{3L^2} + \frac{y^2}{L} + y \right]_{y=0}^L \vec{i} \\ &= \rho \frac{U^2}{2} b \left[ \frac{L^3}{3L^2} + \frac{L^2}{L} + L \right] \vec{i} = \rho \frac{U^2}{2} b \left[ \frac{L}{3} + L + L \right] \vec{i} = \rho \frac{U^2}{2} b \left( \frac{7}{3} L \right) \end{aligned}$$

Putting back these terms to the momentum eqn, the x direction momentum eqn is:

in x direction:  $\Sigma F_x = -\rho U^2 b \frac{3L}{2} + \rho \frac{U^2}{2} b \frac{7L}{3}$

$$-F = \rho U^2 b L \left( \overbrace{\frac{7}{6} - \frac{3}{2}}^{-1/3} \right)$$

$$F = \frac{1}{3} \rho U^2 b L \Rightarrow \vec{F} = -\frac{1}{3} \rho U^2 b L \vec{i}$$

this force acts on the control volume to the left (-x direction)

$$\vec{F}_{\text{drag}} = -\vec{F} = \frac{1}{3} \rho U^2 b L \vec{i} \quad (\text{acts to the right (in } +x \text{ direction)})$$