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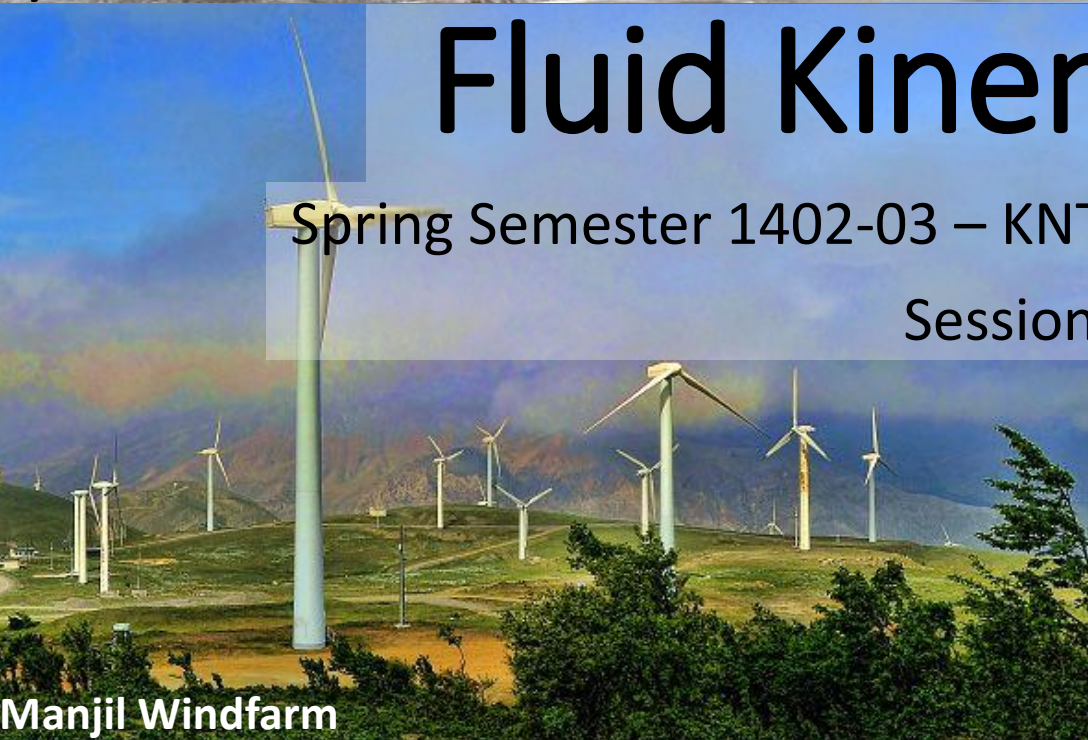


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# Fluid Kinematics

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Session 1



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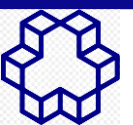


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# Outline

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- What is Fluid (different Types of Fluid)
- Classification of Fluid Flows
- Viscous vs Inviscid Regions of Flow
- Compressible vs Incompressible Flow





# Fluid Mechanics

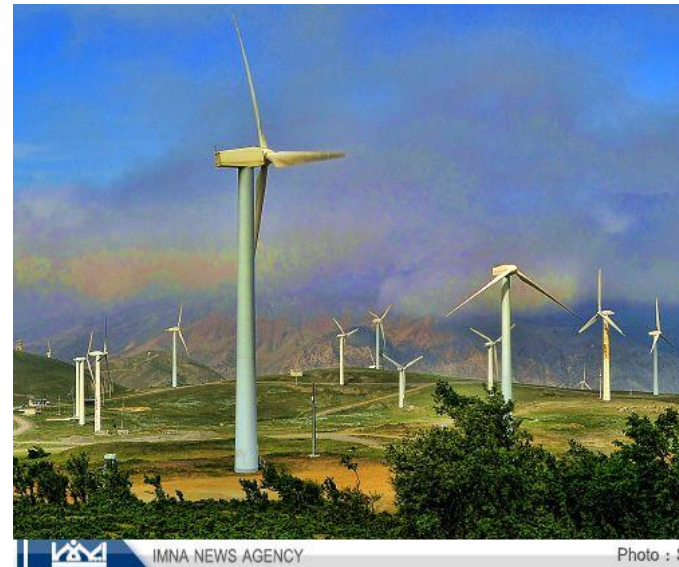
**Mechanics:** The oldest physical science that deals with both stationary and moving **bodies** under the **influence of forces**.

**Statics:** The branch of mechanics that deals with **bodies at rest**.

**Dynamics:** The branch that deals with **bodies in motion**.

**Fluid mechanics:** The science that deals with the behavior of **fluids** at rest (**fluid statics**) or in motion (**fluid dynamics**), and the **interaction** of fluids with solids or other fluids **at the boundaries**.

**Fluid dynamics:** Fluid mechanics is also referred to as fluid dynamics by considering fluids at rest as a special case of motion with zero velocity.



# Fluid Mechanics

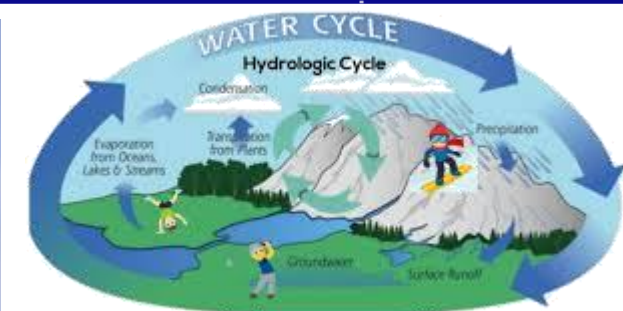
**Hydrodynamics:** The study of the **motion of fluids** that can be approximated as **incompressible** (such as liquids, especially water, and gases at low speeds).

**Hydraulics:** A subcategory of hydrodynamics, which deals with **liquid** flows in **pipes** and **open channels**.

**Gas dynamics:** Deals with the flow of fluids that undergo significant **density changes**, such as the flow of **gases** through nozzles at **high speeds**.

**Aerodynamics:** Deals with the **flow of gases** (especially air) over bodies such as **aircraft**, **rockets**, and **automobiles** at high or low speeds.

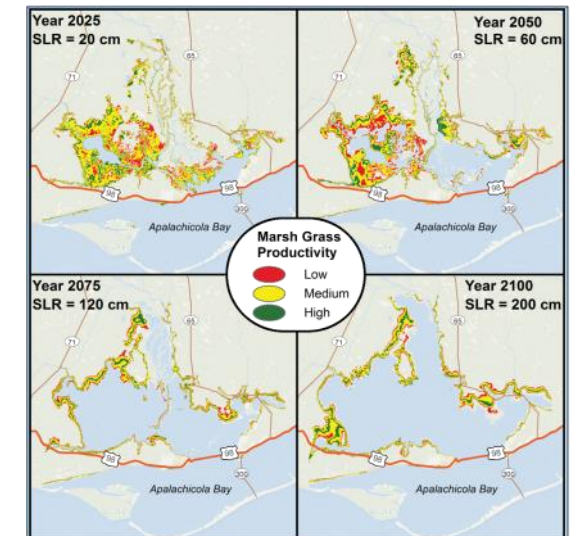
**Meteorology, oceanography, and hydrology:** Deal with **naturally occurring flows**.



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# Basic Definitions

**Stress:** Force per unit area.

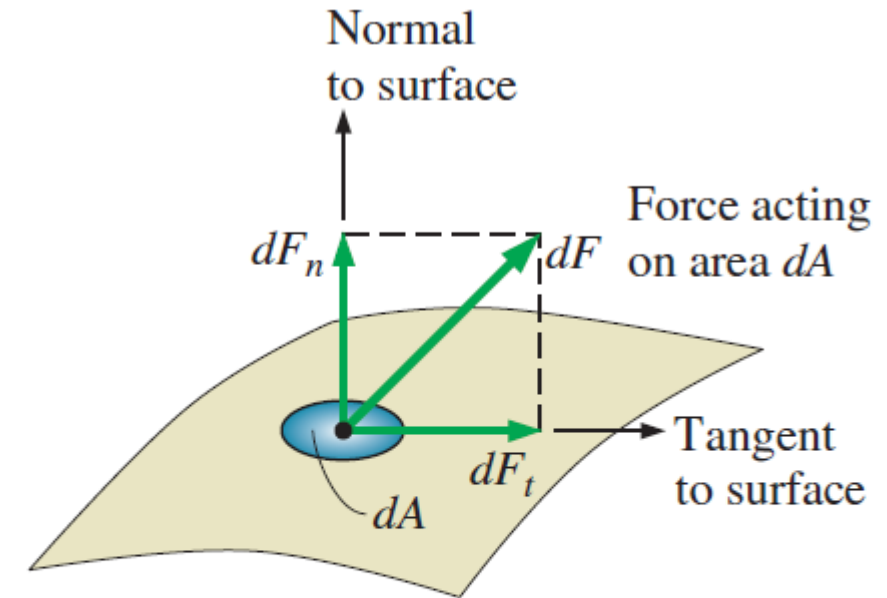
**Normal stress:** The normal component of a force acting on a surface per unit area.

**Shear stress:** The tangential component of a force acting on a surface per unit area.

**Pressure:** The normal stress in a fluid at rest.

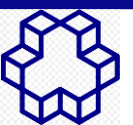
**Zero shear stress:** A fluid at rest is at a state of zero shear stress.

When the walls are removed or a liquid container is tilted, a shear develops as the liquid moves to re-establish a horizontal free surface.



$$\text{Normal stress: } \sigma = \frac{dF_n}{dA}$$

$$\text{Shear stress: } \tau = \frac{dF_t}{dA}$$



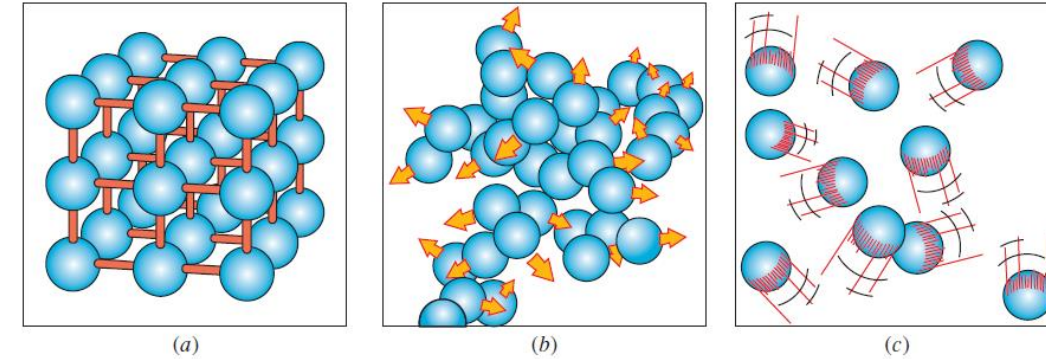


# Micro-scale approach

**Solid:** Molecules are arranged in a pattern that is repeated throughout.

**Liquid:** Molecules can rotate and translate freely.

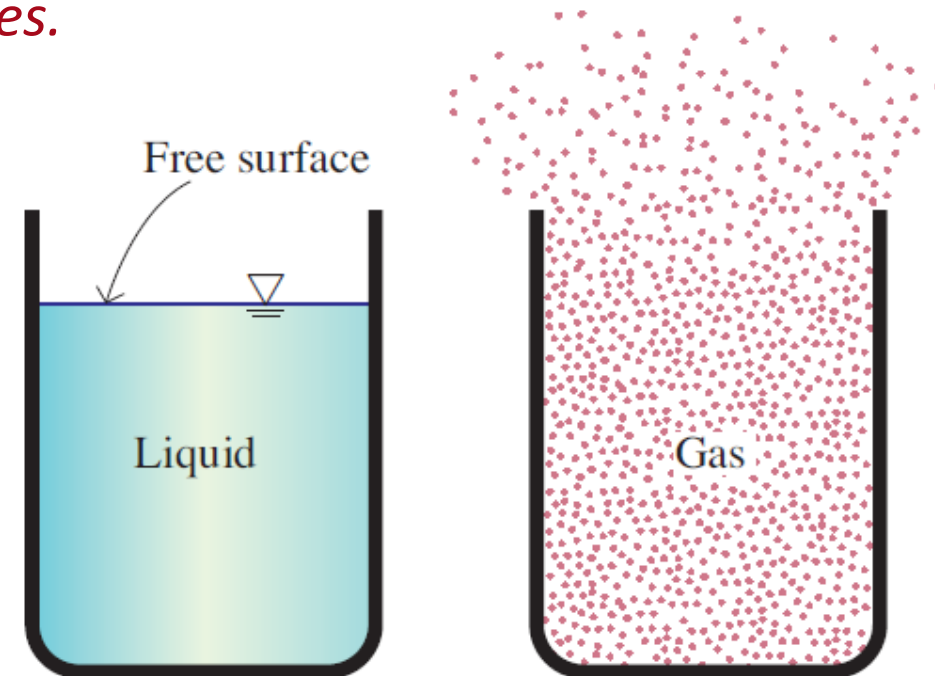
**Gas:** Molecules are far apart from each other, and molecular ordering is nonexistent.



*Intermolecular bonds are strongest in solids and weakest in gases.*

**Liquid:** groups of molecules can **move relative to each other**, but the **volume remains relatively constant** due to the strong **cohesive forces** between the molecules.

**Gas:** it **expands** until it encounters the walls of the container and **fills** the entire **available space**. This is because the gas molecules are **widely spaced**, and the cohesive forces between them are very small.



# What is a Fluid?

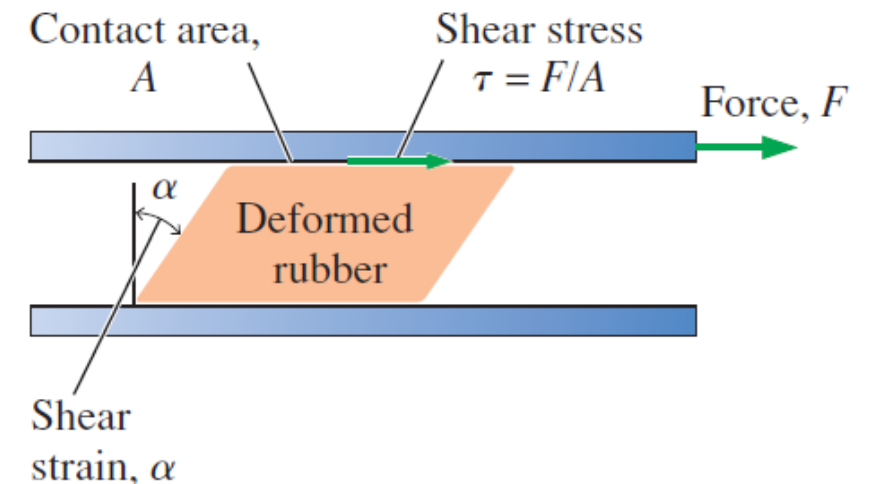
**Fluid:** A substance in the liquid or gas phase.

A solid can resist an applied shear stress by deforming.

*A fluid deforms continuously under the influence of a shear stress*, no matter how small.

In solids, stress is proportional to *strain*, but in fluids, stress is proportional to *strain rate*.

*When a constant shear force is applied*, a solid eventually stops deforming at some fixed strain angle, whereas a fluid never stops deforming and approaches a constant *rate* of strain.



# Fluid Mechanics

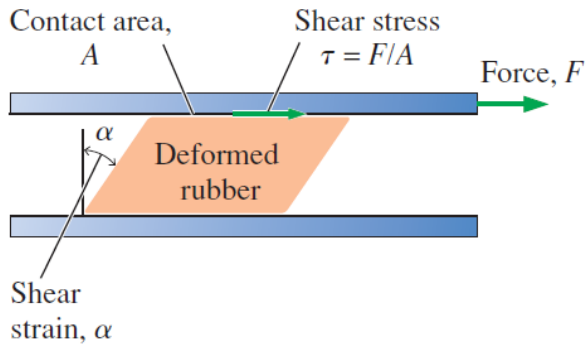
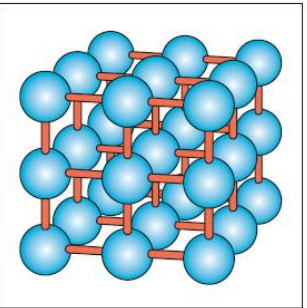
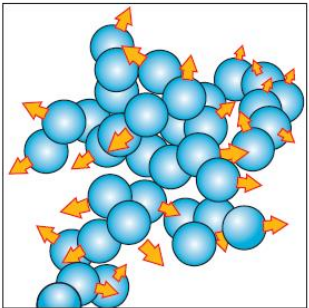
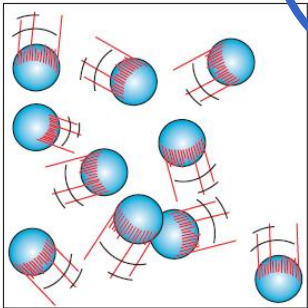
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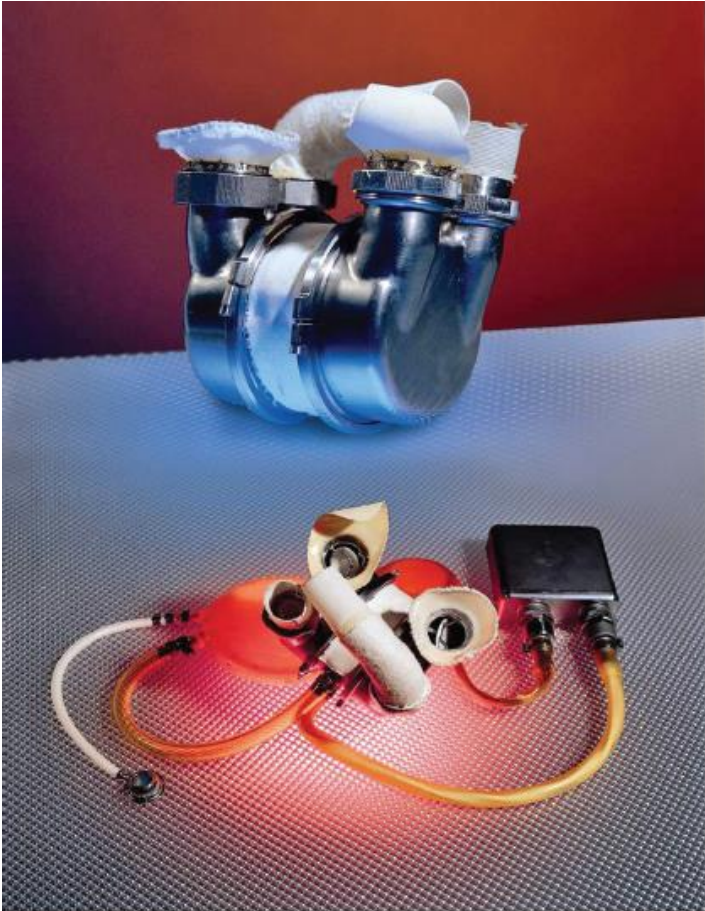


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# Application Areas of Fluid Mechanics



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# Application Areas of Fluid Mechanics



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Cars





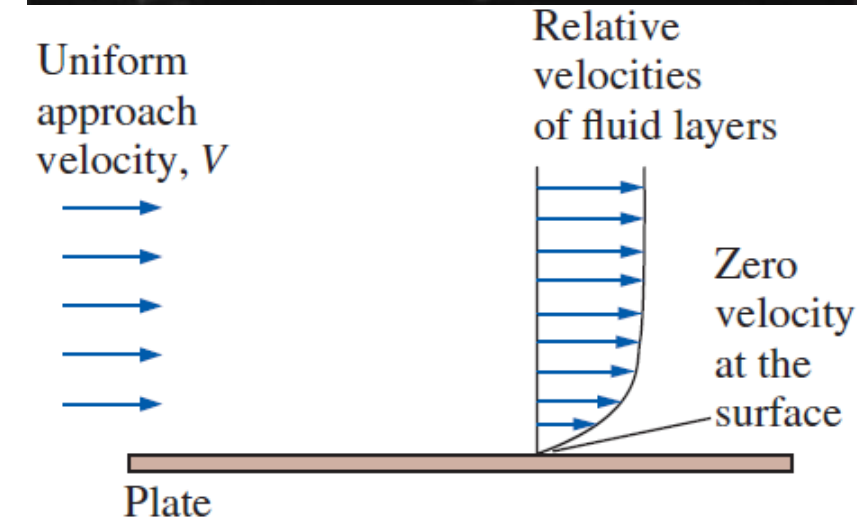
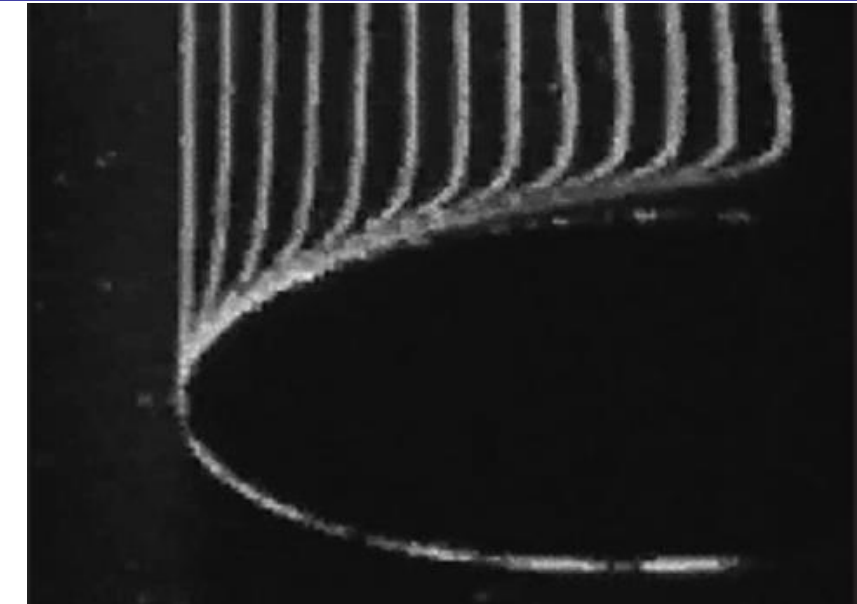
# No-Slip Condition

Consider the flow of a fluid in a **stationary pipe** or over a **solid surface** that is **nonporous** (i.e., impermeable to the fluid).

All experimental observations indicate that a fluid in motion comes to a complete **stop at the surface** and assumes a **zero** velocity relative to the surface. That is, a fluid in direct contact with a solid “sticks” to the surface, and there is no slip. This is known as the **no-slip condition**.

The fluid property responsible for the no-slip condition and the development of the boundary layer is **viscosity**.

**Boundary layer:** The flow region adjacent to the wall in which the viscous effects (and thus the velocity gradients) are significant.



# Wrap-up

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- What is Fluid? (intermolecular bonds, shear stress, etc)
- Viscous vs Inviscid Regions of Flow (no-slip condition, boundary layer)
- Compressible vs Incompressible Flow (Mach Number)

