Seminar 4

Fluids in Motion

1. Hydrodynamics I

Problem 1 - Reynold's number

Pipe flow with discharge $Q=0.025\,\mathrm{m^3/s}$ in a pipe of a diameter 0.1 m. Is the flow laminar?

Solution of Problem 1

The relevant equations can be found in slides L4 - 10-11

The main equation is:

$$Re = \frac{\rho \cdot v \cdot D}{\mu}$$

For water at 20°, we use $ho=1000\,\mathrm{kg}/^3$ and $\mu=1.005\cdot 10^{-3}\,\mathrm{kg/m}$ -s

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#Given are:
D1 = 0.1 # m, diameter of the pipe
Q1 = 0.025 # m^3/s, discharge in pipe
rho1 = 1000 # kg/m^3, density of water
mu1 = 1.005* 10**-3

# interim calculation
A1 = (np.pi/4) * D1**2 # m^2 area of the pipe
v1 = Q1/A1 # m/s, velocity of pipe flow

#Calculations
Re = rho1*v1*D1/mu1

# output
print("The Reynold's number is {0:1.3f}".format(Re), "\n")

if Re < 2000:
    print("It is laminar flow")
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elif Re == 2000 and Re <= 4000:
    print("It is Transitional flow")
elif Re > 4000:
    print("It is Turbulent flow")
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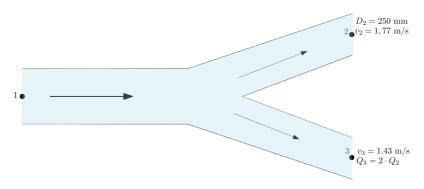
The Reynold's number is 316726.255

It is Turbulent flow

Problem 2 - Conservation of mass

Water flows through a branching pipeline as shown in the diagram. If the diameter, D_2 , is 250 mm, $v_2=1.77$ m/s and $V_3=1.43$ m/s:

- 1. what diameter, D_3 , is required for $Q_3=2Q_2$?
- 2. what is the total discharge at section 1?



Solution of Problem 2

The relevant equations are (check L4 slides 30)

The main equation is:

$$v_1A_1=v_2A_2$$

with $A=rac{\pi}{4}D^2$

$$rac{\pi}{4}D_1^2 \cdot v_1 = rac{\pi}{4}D_2^2 \cdot v_2$$

and

$$D_1 = \sqrt{rac{v_2}{v_1} \cdot D_2^2}$$

Information provided in the problem are:

$$Q_3 = 2 \times Q_2$$

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Q_1 = Q_2 + Q_3
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# Given are:
 v2_2 = 1.77 + m/s velocity section 2
 v2_3 = 1.43 \# m/s velocity in section 3
 # interim calculation
 D2_2m = 250/1000 \# m, changing unit of D2_2 to m
 Q2_2 = np.pi/4*D2_2m**2 *v2_2 # m^3/s, discharge Q2
 # Solution problem
 D2_3 = np.sqrt(2*(v2_2/v2_3)*D2_2m**2) # m, diameter section
 3. Multiplied by 2 as Q3 = 2*Q2
 Q2_3 = np.pi/4*D2_3**2 *v2_3 # m^3/s, discharge at Q2_3
 Q2_1 = Q2_2 + Q2_3
 # output
 print("The diameter is {0:1.2f}".format(D2_3),"m", "\n")
 print("The Discharge at section 1 is
 {0:1.2f}".format(Q2_1),"m\u00b2")
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The diameter is 0.39 m

The Discharge at section 1 is 0.26 m²

Problem 3 - Conservation of momentum

A pipeline with a constant diameter of 0.3 m turns through an angle of 60° . The centreline of the pipe does not change elevation. The discharge through the pipeline is $0.1 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ of water, and the pressure at the bend is 30 m of water. Calculate the magnitude and direction of the resultant force on the pipe.

Solution of Problem 3

The relevant information and equations can be found in slides L3: 35-36

Equations to use are:

$$A_1v_1 = A_2v_s$$

$$P_1 \cdot A_1 - P_2 \cdot \cos \theta \cdot A_2 - F_{rx} =$$

$$= \rho \cdot Q \cdot (v_2 \cdot \cos \theta - v_1)$$

$$F_{r,y} - P_2 \cdot \sin \theta \cdot A_2 =$$

$$= \rho \cdot Q \cdot (v_2 \cdot \sin \theta)$$

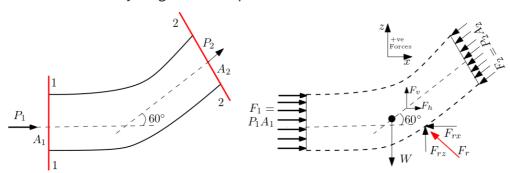
$$F_r = \sqrt{F_{r,x}^2 + F_{r,y}^2}$$

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$$heta = \arctan\left(rac{F_{r,y}}{F_{r,x}}
ight)$$

Solution of Problem 3

Draw the free body diagram of the problem



The given information are:

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# Given are:
ae = 60 # degree, pipe bending
D3 = 0.3 # m, pipe diameter
Q3 = 0.1 # m^3/s, discharge through pipe
Ph = 30 # m , water height at the bend
rho3 = 1000 # kg/m<sup>3</sup>, density of water
g3 = 9.81 \# m/s^2, gravity
# interim calculation - #Calculation of A, v and P
ae_r = ae*np.pi/180
A3_1 = A3_2 = np.pi/4*D3**2 # pipe area at section 1 and 2.
Constant dia.
v3_1 = v3_2 = Q3/A3_1 \#m^3/s, Q= AV and since A is equal and Q is
conserved
P3_1 = P3_2 = rho3*g3*Ph # N/m^2, since A and V are equal, P1 = rho3*g3*Ph
P2 = rho*g * h
# interim calculation - #Forces calculation in X-direction
F_1x = P3_1*A3_1 # N, Force at 1 in x, F= P.A
F_2x = P3_2*A3_2* np.cos(ae_r) # N, force at 2 in x
F_{rx} = P3_1*A3_1 - P3_2*A3_2*np.cos(ae_r)-rho3*Q3*
(v3_2*np.cos(ae_r)-v3_1)
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# interim calculation - #Forces calculation in y-direction
F_1y = 0
F_2y = P3_2*A3_2*np.sin(ae_r)
F_ry = rho3*Q3*(v3_2*np.sin(ae_r))+ P3_2*A3_2*np.sin(ae_r)

# calculation of part 1 and 2
F_r = np.sqrt(F_rx**2+ F_ry**2) # N, resultant force
Dir_r = np.arctan(F_ry/F_rx) # rad, direction of resultant in radian
Dir_t = Dir_r*180/np.pi # Degree, direction of resultant in degress

# Output
print("The resultant force is:{0:1.2f}".format(F_r), "N \n")
print("The resultant is acting at:
{0:1.2f}".format(Dir_t),"\u00b0 ")
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The resultant force is:20944.31 N

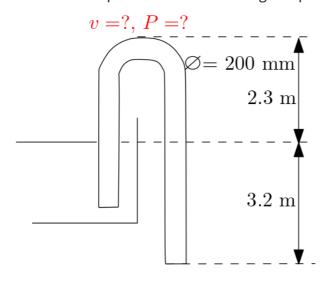
The resultant is acting at: 60.00 °

Problem 4- Conservation of Energy

From a large reservoir water is released via a syphon. The pipe diameter is 200 mm. The end of the syphon pipe is 3.2 m below the water level of the reservoir. The highest part of the syphon is 2.3 m above the water level of the reservoir. Water level remains constant, no losses.

Calculate the discharge.

Calculate the pressure head at the highest point of the syphon.



Solution of Problem 4

The lecture contents on the problem can be found in slided L4- 45-48.

Basic equations are:

Bernoulli Equation:

$$z_1 + rac{1}{2}rac{v_1^2}{g} + rac{P_1}{
ho\cdot g} = z_2 + rac{1}{2}rac{v_2^2}{g} + rac{P_2}{
ho\cdot g}$$

and

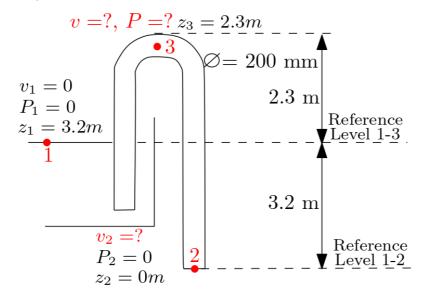
Continuity Equation:

$$A_1v_1 = A_2v_2$$

Steps to solve the problem:

Step 1: Drawing including the known and unknown variables v, P and z

Step 2: Decide which points and reference level to use for analysis and which calculation steps to take

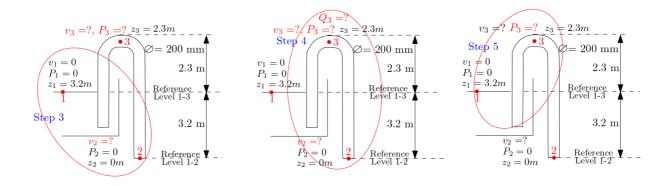


Solution of Problem 4

Step 3: Bernoulli equation for points 1-2 to calculate v_2 using reference level 1-2.

Step 4 Use Continuity equation for points 2-3 to calculate $Q_3=Q$.

Step 5 Bernoulli equation for points 1-3 to calculate P_3 using reference level 2-3.



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#Solution of Problem 4. Given are:
#Step 3 Bernoulli eq. 1-2 obtain v_2

z4_1 = 3.2 #m, elevation point 1 from ref 1-2
z4_2 = 0 # m, elevation point 2 from ref 1-2
v4_1 = 0 # m/s, velocity point 1
P4_1 = 0 # N/m^2, pressure point 1 (atmospheric)
P4_2 = 0 # N/m^2, pressure point 2 (atmospheric)
g4 = 9.81 # m/s^2, Gravity

#Using Bernouli's equation
v4_2 = np.sqrt(2*g4*z4_1) #m/s- 3.2 + 0 + 0 = 0 + v^2/2g + 0

#output
print("Velocity at point 2 is: {0:1.3f}".format( v4_2), 'm/s')
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Velocity at point 2 is: 7.924 m/s

Discharge in the system is: 0.249 m³/s

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#Solution of Problem 4.
#Step 5- Bernoulli's eq. 1-3, obtain P3
#Avaialable are

z4_1u = 0 # m, elevation from ref line 1-3 to point 1
z4_3u = 2.3 # m, elevation from ref line 1-3 to point 3
v4_1 = 0 # m/s, velocity at point 1
P4_1 = 0 # N/m^2, atmospheric pressure
rho4 = 1000 # kg/m^3, fluid density
v4_3u = v4_3 # m/s velocity at point 3 from previous step

#calculation
# N/m^2 - 0+0+0 = z3 + v3^2/2.g + P3/rho*g
P4_3 = (-z4_3u - v4_3u**2/(2*g4))*rho4*g4

#output
print("Pressure at point 3 in the system is:
{0:1.3f}".format(P4_3), 'N/m\u00b2')
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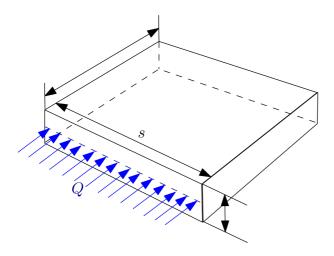
Pressure at point 3 in the system is: -53955.000 N/m²

Assignment problems

Assignment Problem 1 - Reynold's number

In a certain medical application, water at room temperature and pressure flows through a rectangular channel of length L=10 cm, width s=1.0 cm, and gap thickness b=0.30 mm as in Fig. 1. The volume flow rate is sinusoidal with amplitude $\hat{Q}=0.50$ mL/s and frequency f=20 Hz, i.e., $Q=\hat{Q}\sin(2\pi ft)$.

Calculate the maximum Reynolds number based on maximum average velocity and gap thickness.



Assignment Problem 2 - Mass conservation equation

A hose attached with a nozzle is used to fill a 30 Litre bucket. The inner diameter of the hose is 2 cm, and it reduces to 0.8 cm at the nozzle exit If it takes 50 s to fill the bucket with water, determine

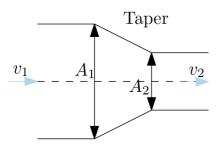
- (a) the volume and mass flow rates of water through the hose, and
- (b) the average velocity of water at the nozzle exit.

You can assume

- Flow through the hose is steady.
- There is no waste of water by splashing.

Assignment Problem 3 - Momentum conservation equation

A horizontal pipeline reduces in diameter using a standard, symmetrical taper section as shown below. Given the following information, calculate the force exerted by the water on the taper section: $Q=0.42~\mathrm{m^3/s}$, $D_1=0.60~\mathrm{m}$, $D_2=0.30~\mathrm{m}$, $P_1=25.30~\mathrm{m}$ of water, $P_2=23.61~\mathrm{m}$ of water, $\rho=1000~\mathrm{kg/m^3}$



Assignment Problem 4 - Energy conservation equation

Water flows through a pipeline of constant diameter that is inclined upwards. On the centreline of the pipe, point 1 is 0.3 m below point 2. The pressure at point 1 is 9.3×10^3 N/m². What is the pressure at point 2 if there is no loss of energy?

