

# Lecture 02

history

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last lecture - Lighthill

this lecture - Schlichting

- 1800's — flow equations thought to be known

Navier (1822) — Stokes (1845)

$$\frac{m \cdot \alpha}{\rho v t} = \sum \frac{F}{\rho v t}$$

$$\rho \frac{D u}{D t} = -\nabla p + \mu \nabla^2 u$$

$$\mu = \text{const}$$

$$\nabla \cdot u = 0$$

→ only solvable in a few cases

- Analyse to simplify (to solve/approximate)

non-dimensional form

$L$  — length scale (be more specific later)

$\rho$  — density ( $\rho = \text{const}$ )

$\mu$  — dynamic viscosity

Do this?

$$\frac{D\mathbf{u}}{Dt} = -\nabla P + \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \mathbf{u}$$

$$Re = \frac{\rho UL}{\mu}$$

Reynolds (1883)

$$P^* = \frac{P}{g U^2}$$

P

inertia  
scale

→ a device

$$\frac{P}{\mu U_L}$$

↑

why not?  $\rightarrow = -\frac{1}{Re} \nabla P + \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \mathbf{u}$

note: for  $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0$ ,

P is not thermo.

pressure

→ Lagrange multiplier

that enforces  $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0$

$$Td\sigma = de + p d\sigma$$

$$\rho_{air} = 1.2 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$U = 1 \text{ m/s} = Re \approx 10^5$$

$$L = 1 \text{ m}$$

$$\mu = 2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Pa-s}$$

• Idea! neglect  $\frac{1}{Re}$  term

still non linear, but very solvable...

-  $\mu$  needed to create vorticity  $\underline{\omega} = \nabla \times \underline{u}$

- if  $\underline{\omega} = 0$  everywhere

$$\underline{u} = \nabla \phi \rightarrow \nabla \times \underline{u} = \nabla \times \nabla \phi = 0 \quad \text{vector ID}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0 \quad \nabla \cdot \nabla \phi = \nabla^2 \phi$$

↑ relatively easy

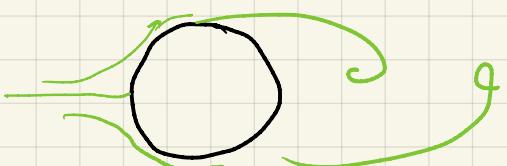
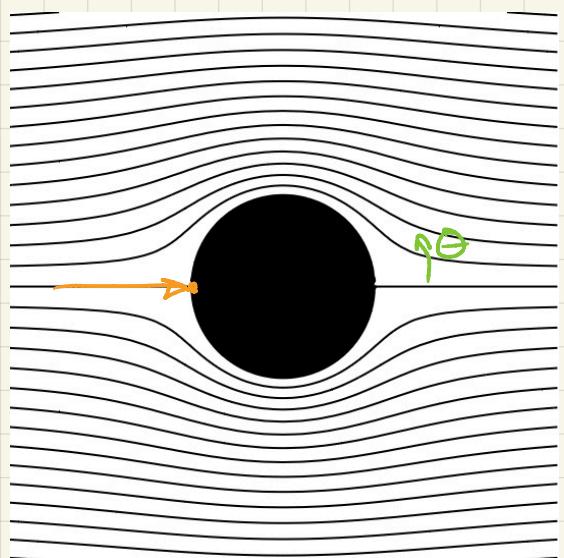
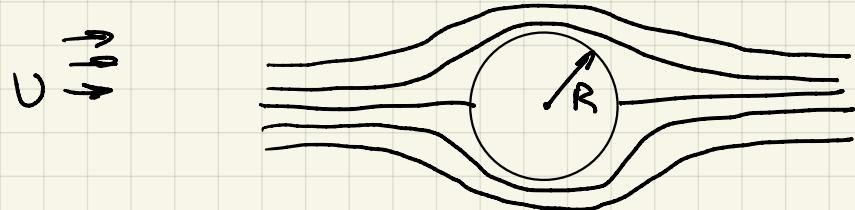
how is it now linear?

- nonlinearity is in the "post processing" to get  $P$

$$P = P_\infty - \frac{1}{2} \rho g (|\underline{u}|^2 - U_\infty^2) \quad - \text{Bernoulli:}$$

does not need to be on a stream line if  $\underline{\omega} = 0$

- e.g. flow over a cylinder



$$\psi = U \left( r - \frac{R^2}{r} \right) \sin\theta$$

$$v_r = U \left( 1 - \frac{R^2}{r^2} \right) \cos\theta$$

$$v_\theta = -U \left( 1 + \frac{R^2}{r^2} \right) \sin\theta$$

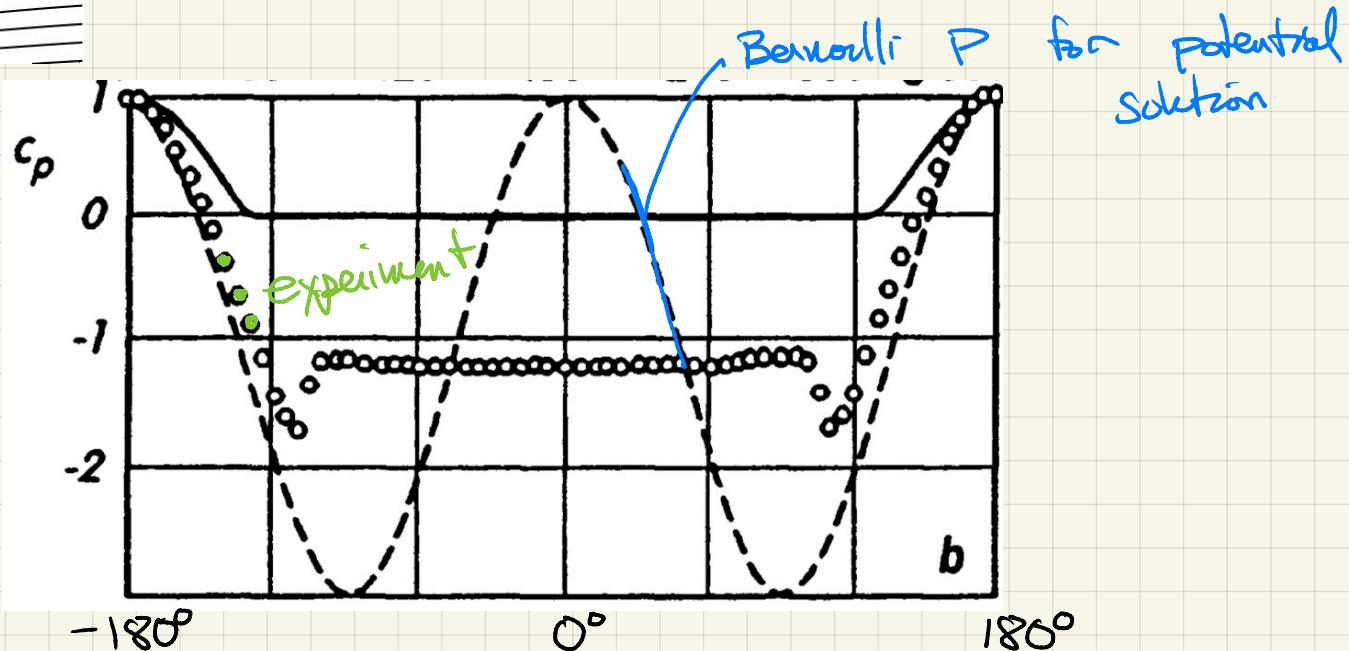
symmetric

$$C_D = \frac{F_D}{\frac{1}{2} \rho U^2 R^2}$$

worng

$$C_P = \frac{2 (P - P_\infty)}{\rho U^2}$$

pressure coefficient  
coefficient



- Key observations :
- very good near stagnation
  - bad elsewhere
  - almost const where "bad"



- Are N-S equations wrong / incomplete?

• 1904 Prandtl

— recognize 2 intertwined problems

1. enforcement of  $\underline{u} = 0$

— not of itself a problem

$\hookrightarrow C_p$  around stagnation  
is "right"

1905 Einstein

Annus Mirabilis

- special relativity
- photo voltaic effect

$$E = mc^2$$

• Brownian motion

2. recognizing  $Re \rightarrow \infty$  not same as  $M = 0$

→  $Re \rightarrow \infty$  a singular limit

BL theory

Potential flow

• inviscid flow:

scalar 2nd order

or

vector 1st order

$$\nabla^2 \phi = 0$$

$$S \frac{D \underline{u}}{Dt} = -\nabla p$$

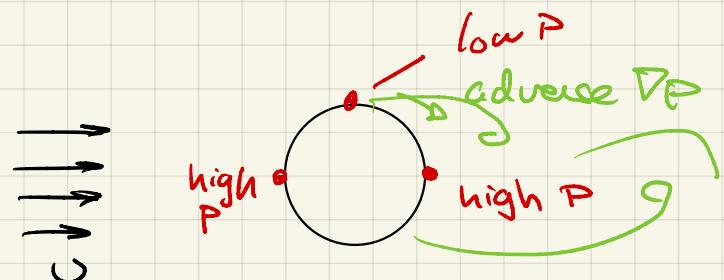
→ need 2 b.c.

① flow at  $\infty$

② no penetration  $\underline{u} \cdot \underline{n} = 0$  on wall

- Prandtl  $\rightarrow$  3BC model
  - BL equations  $\rightarrow$  fixing singular limit
  - flow adjusts to no slip in a thin layer  
 $u=0$  on wall
- Qualitatively different than  $\nabla^2 \phi = 0$ 
  - extra "terms" BL system can fail w global impact

- flow separation
- adverse p-gradient



- potential (+ corrections) works great for airfoils w/o separation
- Q : 4<sup>th</sup> BC?
  - higher order approximations
  - coupling w additional flow complexity
- NOTE: no huge surprise; nonlinear equations can generate their own length scales

BL Theory :  $\delta$   $Re_\delta = \frac{\delta U_\infty}{\nu} \approx 1$

Burger's Eq.

$$u_t + u u_x = \nu u_{xx}$$

