Chapter 8: Flow in Conduits

Laminar Flow in Pipes

Velocity profile for laminar pipe flow

Head loss and friction factor for laminar pipe flow (These are exact solutions!!):

$$
\frac{p_1}{\gamma} + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 = \frac{p_2}{\gamma} + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 + h_L
$$
\n
$$
\Delta h = \left(\frac{p_2}{\gamma} + z_2\right) - \left(\frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1\right)
$$
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$$
h_L = \frac{p_1 - p_2}{\gamma} + (z_1 - z_2) = -\Delta h
$$
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$$
h_L = \frac{L}{\gamma} \left[-\frac{d}{ds} (p + \gamma z) \right] \qquad L = \text{length of pipe = ds}
$$
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$$
= \frac{L}{\gamma} \left[\frac{8\mu \overline{V}}{r_0^2} \right] = -\Delta h \alpha \overline{V} \qquad h_L = L \left[-\frac{d}{ds} \left(\frac{p}{\gamma} + z\right) \right]
$$
\nor\n
$$
h_f = h_L = \frac{32\mu L \overline{V}}{\gamma D^2} \qquad h_f = \text{head loss due to friction}
$$
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$$
h_t = \frac{32\mu L V}{\gamma D^2} = f \frac{L V^2}{D 2g}
$$
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$$
r_0 = \frac{D \gamma h_L}{4 L} \Rightarrow h_L = \frac{4Lr_0}{D\gamma} = 4L \frac{1}{8} \rho V^2 f/D \gamma = f \frac{L V^2}{D 2g}
$$

$$
\therefore f = \frac{64}{Re} \qquad Re = \frac{VD}{V}
$$

Turbulent Flow in Pipes

$$
h_f = f \cdot \frac{L}{D} \cdot \frac{\overline{V}^2}{2g}
$$
 Darcy – Weisbach Equation

Description of turbulent flow

Velocity and pressure are random functions of time!! They can be separated into two parts such as mean and fluctuation components:

Most important influence of turbulence on the mean motion:

 \rightarrow An increase in the fluid stress by "Reynolds stresses"

$$
\tau'_{ij} = -\rho \overline{u'_i u'_j}
$$
\n
$$
= \begin{bmatrix}\n-\rho \overline{u'^2} & -\rho \overline{u'v'} & -\rho \overline{u'w'} \\
-\rho \overline{u'v'} & -\rho \overline{v'^2} & -\rho \overline{v'w'} \\
-\rho \overline{u'w'} & -\rho \overline{v'w'} & -\rho \overline{w'^2}\n\end{bmatrix}
$$

Mean flow equations for turbulent flow

 \rightarrow Reynolds Averaged Navier Stokes (RANS) equations

'Modeling' required!!

Turbulence Modeling:

- a) Eddy viscosity, Mixing-length theory, One-equation model, Two- equation model
	- Æ(*k-ε* model, *k-ω* model: **Recall CFD-PreLab2, Lab2!!**)
- b) Mean-flow velocity profile correlations

Inner layer: viscous stress dominates

turbulent stress dominates Outer layer:

Overlap layer: both types of stress important

1) Inner layer

where:

$$
u = f(\mu, \tau_w, \rho, y) \qquad \text{note: not } f(\delta)
$$

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$$
u^+ = f(y^+) \qquad \qquad \text{law-of-the-wall}
$$

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$$
u^+ = y^+
$$

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$$
u^+ = \frac{u}{u^*}
$$

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$$
u^* = \text{friction velocity} = \sqrt{\tau_w / \rho}
$$

\n
$$
y^+ = \frac{yu^*}{v}
$$

\nthe wall:

 $\tau \sim \tau_{\rm w} \sim \text{constant} = \mu \frac{\text{du}}{\text{dy}}$ \implies u = cy or u⁺ = y⁺

2) Outer layer

very near

3) Overlap layer

FIGURE 6-6 Comparison of Spalding's inner-law expression with the pipe-flow data of Lindgren (1965).

Velocity distribution and resistance in smooth pipes

$$
\frac{V}{u^*} = 2.44 \ln \frac{r_0 u^*}{v} + 1.34 = \left(\frac{\rho V^2}{\tau_0}\right)^{1/2} = \left(\frac{8}{f}\right)^{1/2}
$$

$$
\frac{1}{2} \text{Re}\left(\frac{f}{8}\right)^{1/2}
$$

$$
\frac{1}{\sqrt{f}} = 2 \log(\text{Re } f^{1/2}) - .8 \qquad \text{Re} > 3000
$$

$$
h_{f} = .316 \left(\frac{\mu}{\rho V D}\right)^{1/4} \frac{L V^{2}}{D 2g}
$$

Velocity distribution and resistance in rough pipes: Inner laver:

1.
$$
u^{+} = u^{+}(y/k)
$$

\nOverall layer:

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$$
u^{+}_{R} = \frac{1}{\kappa} \ln \frac{y}{k} + \text{constant} \qquad \text{rough}
$$
\n
$$
k^{+} = \frac{k u^{*}}{v}
$$
\n1. $k^{+} < 5$ hydroratically smooth (no effect of roughness)

\n2. $5 < k^{+} < 70$ *transitional roughness (Re dependence)*

\n3. $k^{+} > 70$ *fully rough (independent Re)*

Head losses and friction factor for turbulent pipe flow:

Friction factor:
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$$
1/\sqrt{f} = 1.14 - 2\log\left(k_x/D + 9.35/\text{Re}\sqrt{f}\right), \text{ as shown in Moody diagram}
$$
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$$
k_x/D = \text{roughness parameter}
$$
\n
$$
h_L = f\frac{L}{D}\frac{V^2}{2g} = h_1 - h_2, \quad h_1 = \frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1, \quad h_2 = \frac{p_2}{\gamma} + z_2
$$

Types of problems for turbulent pipe flow

Three Cononical Types of Problems

1. Determine The Head Loss

$$
h_f = f \frac{L V^2}{D 2g} = -\Delta h = \left(\frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1\right) - \left(\frac{p_2}{\gamma} + z_2\right)
$$

$$
f = f(\text{Re}, k/D)
$$

2. Determine The Flow Rate

$$
V = \left[\frac{2gh_f}{L/D}\right]^{1/2} f^{-1/2}
$$

known from problem statement Given $f \rightarrow V \rightarrow \text{Re} \rightarrow f$, repeat to convergence

2. Determine The Pipe Diameter Rate

$$
D = \left[\frac{8LQ^2}{\pi^2gh_f}\right]^{\frac{1}{5}}f^{-\frac{1}{5}}
$$

known from problem statement Given $f \rightarrow D \rightarrow \text{Re}, k/D \rightarrow f$, repeat to convergence

Flows at pipe inlets and losses from fittings

- 1. entrance and exit effects can be 2. expansions and contractions
- large
effect 3. bends, elbows, tees, and other fittings
- 4. valves (open or partially closed)

Modified Energy Equation to Include Minor Losses:

 $(K:$ minor loss coefficient \rightarrow Depending on the shape of the pipe inlet/exit/curvature)

Chapter 9: Flow over Immersed Bodies

Separation of drag: Form and skin-friction

Qualitative description of the boundary layer

Boundary layer equation (2D case presented) \rightarrow Obtained from NS equation order of magnitude for each terms

Boundary layer equation in 2D:

$$
u\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \mu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}
$$

$$
\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} = 0
$$

$$
\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0
$$

Quantitative relations for the laminar boundary layer

Laminar boundary layer over a flat plate \rightarrow Blasius solution

Displacement thickness: imaginary increase in thickness of the wall, as seen by the outer flow, due to the effect of the growing boundary layer.

$$
\theta = \int_{0}^{\delta} \left(1 - \frac{u}{U_{\infty}} \right) \frac{u}{U_{\infty}} dy = 0.664 \frac{x}{\sqrt{Re_x}} \quad \text{momentum thickness}
$$

Momentum thickness: the loss of momentum flux per unit width divided by ρU^2 due to the presence of the growing boundary layer.

Transition from laminar boundary-layer to turbulent boundary-layer:

Engineering critical Reynolds number: $Re_{x, cr} = 5 \times 10^5$ \rightarrow Re_x<Re_{x, cr}: boundary layer is most likely laminar. \rightarrow Re_x>Re_{x, cr}: boundary layer is most likely turbulent.

Momentum Integral Analysis: obtain general momentum integral relation \rightarrow Valid for both laminar and turbulent flow

Then,

$$
\int_{0}^{x} \frac{\tau_{w}}{2} \rho U_{o}^{2}(x) dx = 2\theta(x)
$$

Therefore,

$$
\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\tau_{w}}{\frac{1}{2} \rho U_{o}^{2}} \right) = \frac{d\theta}{dx}
$$

Finally, momentum integral relation is obtained as
 $\frac{c_f}{2} = \frac{d\theta}{dx}$ c_f = local skin friction coefficient c_f = local skin friction coefficient momentum integral relation for $\overline{}$ flat plate boundary layer

Approximate solutions for a **laminar** boundary layer obtained from momentum integral analysis: E_{stack} D_{lassins}

Approximate solutions for a turbulent boundary layer obtained from momentum integral analysis:

$$
\frac{\delta}{x} = .16 \text{Re}_{x}^{-1/7}
$$
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$$
c_{f} = \frac{.027}{\text{Re}_{x}^{1/7}}
$$
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$$
C_{f} = \frac{.031}{\text{Re}_{L}^{1/7}} = \frac{7}{6} C_{f}(L)
$$
\nTotal\nshear-stress\n
$$
C_{f} = \frac{.455}{(\log_{10} \text{Re}_{L})^{2.58}} = \frac{-1700}{\text{Re}_{L}} \text{Re} > 10^{7}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\delta}{L} = c_{f}(.98 \log \text{Re}_{L} - .732)
$$
\nLocal\nshear-stress\ncoefficient\n
$$
c_{f} = (2 \log \text{Re}_{x} - .65)^{-2.3}
$$

Cf vs *ReL* relationship in laminar and turbulent boundary layer

Drag of 2D bodies

Flat-plate parallel to the flow:

$$
C_{Dp} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}\rho V^2 A^s} [(p - p_{\infty})\underline{n} \cdot 1 = 0
$$

\n
$$
C_f = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}\rho V^2 A^s} [\tau_w \underline{t} \cdot \hat{i} dA
$$

\n
$$
= \frac{1.33}{Re_L^{1/2}} \qquad \text{laminar flow}
$$

\n
$$
= \frac{.074}{Re_L^{1/5}} \qquad \text{turbulent flow}
$$

Flow separation:

 \rightarrow The fluid stream detaches itself from the surface of the body at sufficiently high velocities. Only appeared in viscous flow!!

Flow separation forms the region called 'separated region'

Drag coefficients in common geometries:

Flow over cylinder and spheres:

- Re<1: Creeping flow, $C_D = 24$ /Re, No-flow separation regime
- 10^5 < Re < 10^6 : boundary layer become turbulent, large reduction in C_D

Lift acting on the airfoil;

