

# Reynolds Transport Theorem (RTT)

- RTT transforms the governing differential equations (GDE's) from a system to a control volume (CV):

$$\underbrace{\frac{DB_{\text{sys}}}{Dt}}_{\text{time rate of change of } B \text{ for a system}} = \underbrace{\frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} \beta \rho dV}_{\text{time rate of change of } B \text{ in CV}} + \underbrace{\int_{\text{CS}} \beta \rho \underline{V}_R \cdot d\underline{A}}_{\text{net flux of } B \text{ across CS}}$$

where,  $\beta = \frac{dB}{dm} = (1, \underline{V}, e)$  for  $B = (m, m\underline{V}, E)$

- Fixed a CV,

$$\frac{DB_{\text{sys}}}{Dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} \beta \rho dV + \int_{\text{CS}} \beta \rho \underline{V} \cdot d\underline{A}$$

# Momentum Equation

- RTT with  $B = m\underline{V}$  and  $\beta = \underline{V}$ ,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{CV} \underline{V} \rho dV + \int_{CS} \underline{V} \rho \underline{V} \cdot d\underline{A} = \underline{\Sigma F}$$

- Simplified form:

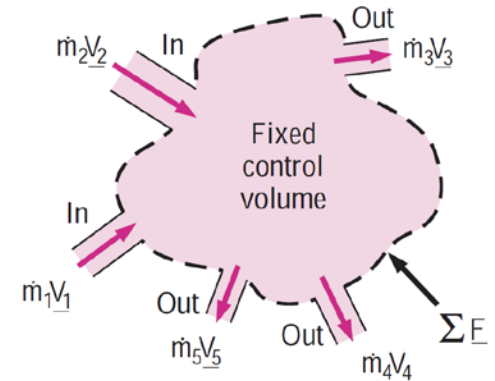
$$\underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}\underline{V})}_{out} - \underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}\underline{V})}_{in} = \underline{\Sigma F}$$

or in component forms,

$$\underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}u)}_{out} - \underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}u)}_{in} = \underline{\Sigma F}_x$$

$$\underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}v)}_{out} - \underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}v)}_{in} = \underline{\Sigma F}_y$$

$$\underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}w)}_{out} - \underline{\Sigma(\dot{m}w)}_{in} = \underline{\Sigma F}_z$$



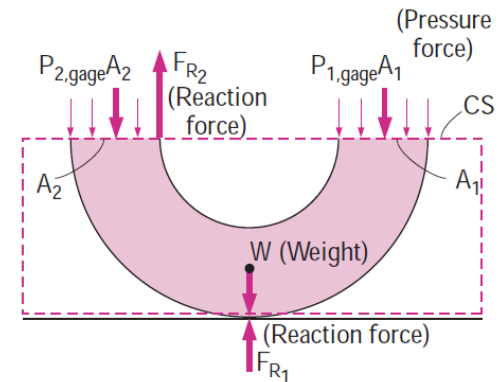
Note: If  $\underline{V} = u\hat{i} + v\hat{j} + w\hat{k}$  is normal to CS,  $\dot{m} = \rho VA$ , where  $V = |\underline{V}|$ .

# Momentum Equation – Contd.

- External forces:

$$\sum \underline{F} = \sum \underline{F}_{\text{body}} + \sum \underline{F}_{\text{surface}} + \sum \underline{F}_{\text{other}}$$

- $\sum \underline{F}_{\text{body}} = \sum \underline{F}_{\text{gravity}}$ 
  - $\sum \underline{F}_{\text{gravity}}$ : gravity force (i.e., weight)
- $\sum \underline{F}_{\text{Surface}} = \sum \underline{F}_{\text{pressure}} + \sum \underline{F}_{\text{friction}} + \sum \underline{F}_{\text{other}}$ 
  - $\sum \underline{F}_{\text{pressure}}$ : pressure forces normal to CS
  - $\sum \underline{F}_{\text{friction}}$ : viscous friction forces tangent to CS
- $\sum \underline{F}_{\text{other}}$ : anchoring forces or reaction forces

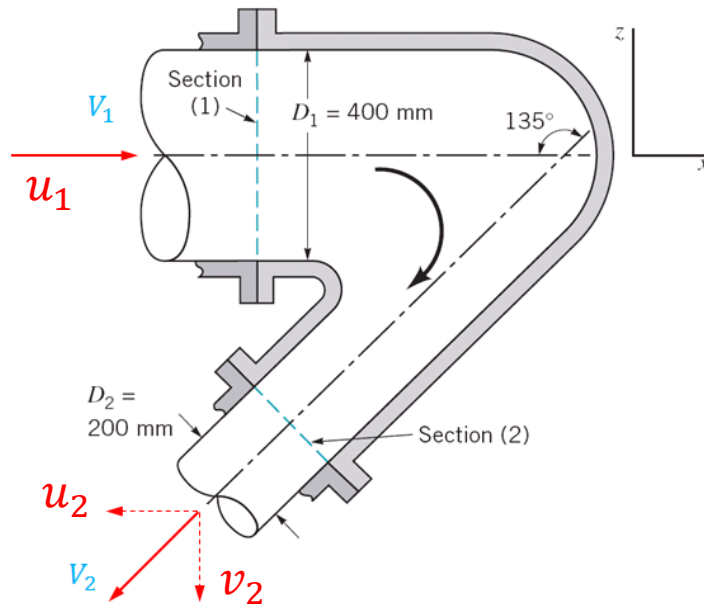


An 180° elbow supported by the ground

In most flow systems, the force  $\vec{F}$  consists of weights, pressure forces, and reaction forces. Gage pressures are used here since atmospheric pressure cancels out on all sides of the control surface.

Note: Surface forces arise as the CV is isolated from its surroundings, similarly to drawing a free-body diagram. A well-chosen CV exposes only the forces that are to be determined and a minimum number of other forces

# Example (Bend)



Inlet (1):

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{m}_1 &= \rho V_1 A_1 \\ u_1 &= V_1 \\ v_1 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Outlet (2):

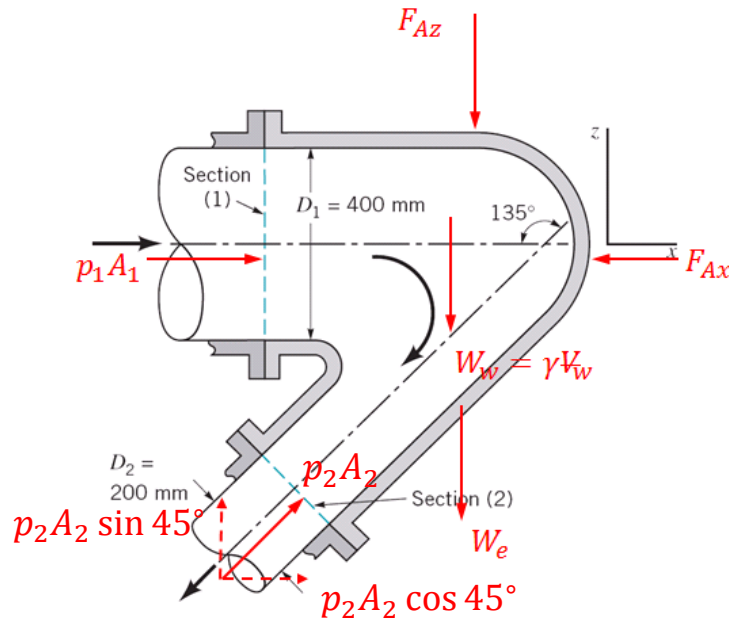
$$\begin{aligned}\dot{m}_2 &= \rho V_2 A_2 \\ u_2 &= -V_2 \cos 45^\circ \\ v_2 &= -V_2 \sin 45^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(\dot{m}u)_{\text{out}} - (\dot{m}u)_{\text{in}} &= (\rho V_2 A_2)(-V_2 \cos 45^\circ) - (\rho V_1 A_1)(V_1) \\ (\dot{m}v)_{\text{out}} - (\dot{m}v)_{\text{in}} &= (\rho V_2 A_2)(-V_2 \sin 45^\circ) - (\rho V_1 A_1)(0)\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\rho V_1 A_1 = \rho V_2 A_2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}(\dot{m}u)_{\text{out}} - (\dot{m}u)_{\text{in}} &= -(\rho V_2 A_2)(V_2 \cos 45^\circ + V_1) \\ (\dot{m}v)_{\text{out}} - (\dot{m}v)_{\text{in}} &= -\rho V_2^2 A_2 \sin 45^\circ\end{aligned}$$

# Example – Contd.



$\Sigma F_x:$

- 1) Body force = 0
- 2) Pressure force =  $p_1 A_1 + p_2 A_2 \cos 45^\circ$
- 3) Anchoring force =  $-F_{Ax}$

$\Sigma F_y:$

- 1) Body force =  $-W_w - W_e$
- 2) Pressure force =  $p_2 A_2 \sin 45^\circ$
- 3) Anchoring force =  $-F_{Az}$

Thus,

$$-(\rho V_2 A_2)(V_2 \cos 45^\circ + V_1) = p_1 A_1 + p_2 A_2 \cos 45^\circ - F_{Ax}$$

$$-\rho V_2^2 A_2 \sin 45^\circ = -\gamma V_w - W_e + p_2 A_2 \sin 45^\circ - F_{Az}$$

$$\therefore F_{Ax} = (\rho V_2 A_2)(V_2 \cos 45^\circ + V_1) + p_1 A_1 + p_2 A_2 \cos 45^\circ$$

$$F_{Az} = \rho V_2^2 A_2 \sin 45^\circ - \gamma V_w - W_e + p_2 A_2 \sin 45^\circ$$