Chemical Engineering 374

Fluid Mechanics

Bernoulli Equation



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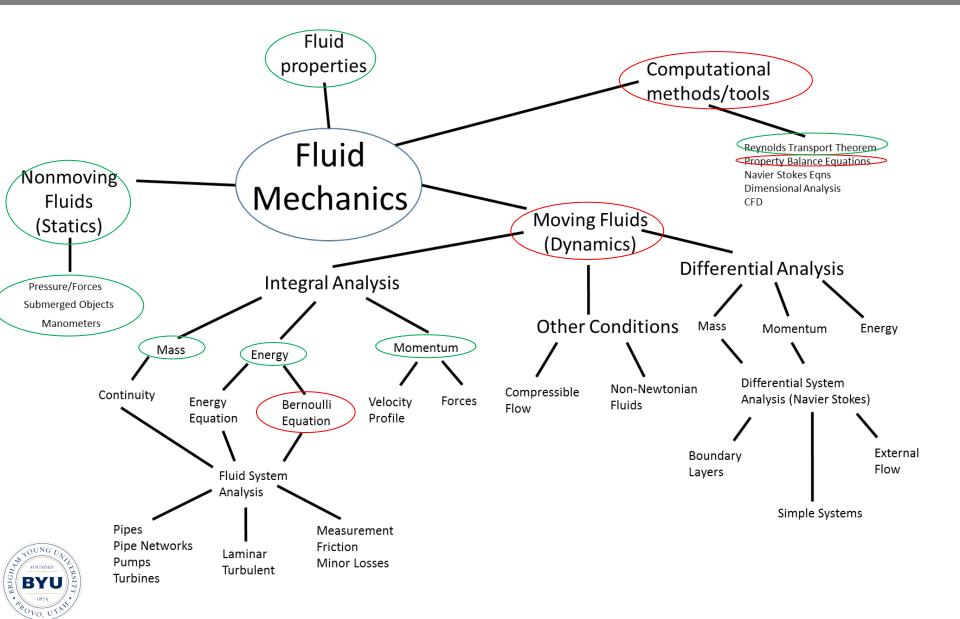


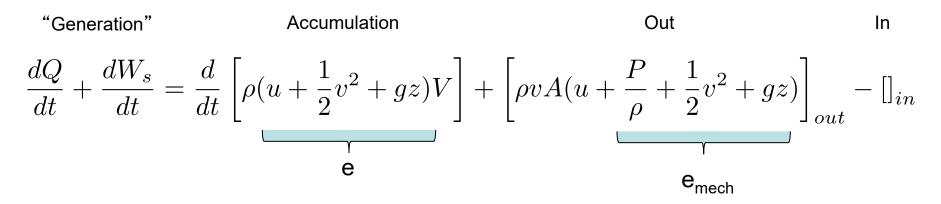
Exam

- Take Home Exam (9/30/24)
- Monday to Friday (turned in at start of class)
- 4 hour exam (only need 2) ONE SITTING!
- Closed book
- You can use 1 sheet (one side) of handwritten notes – stapled to back of exam
- Required info (like tables, units, properties) are provided.



Fluids Roadmap





Can rearrange to familiar (Accumulation) = (In) – (Out) + ("Generation")

Simplify

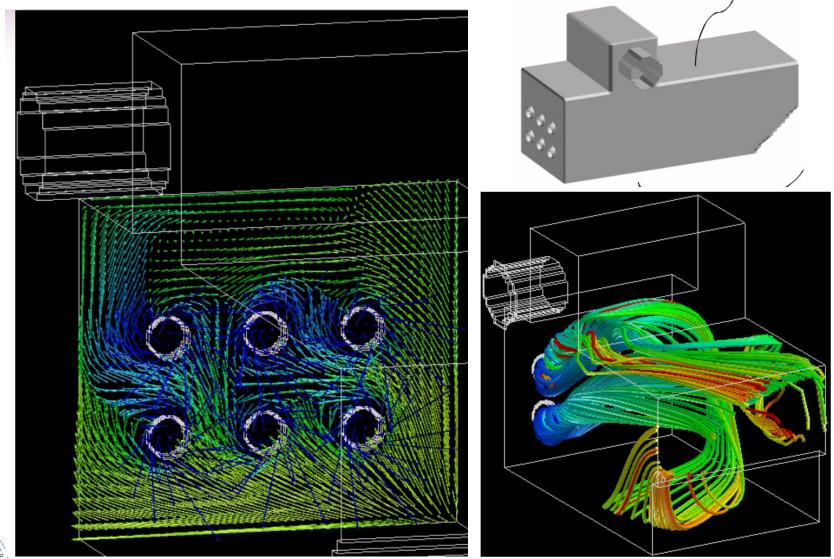
- Steady State
- Ws = 0
- Q = 0
- No friction (viscous effects)
 - This and no Q give const. u
- Incompressible \rightarrow constant density

$$\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right)_{in} = \left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right)_{out}$$

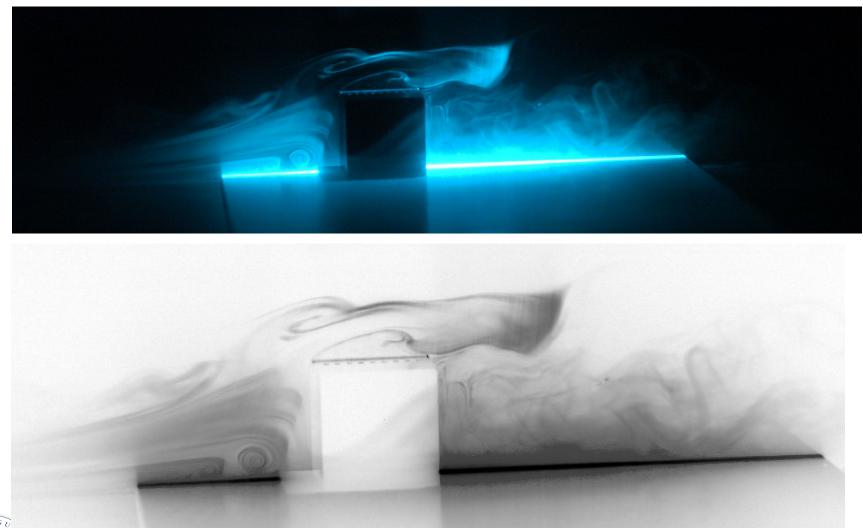
$$\Delta\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right) = 0$$

 e_{mech} is conserved

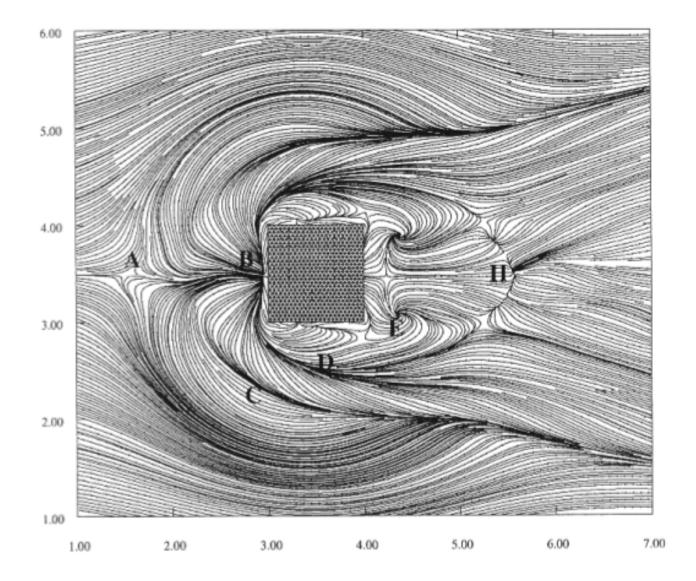
Streamlines













Flow over aerofoils

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- For streamlines, mechanical energy on a streamline is constant.
- Can derive the Bernoulli equation by making the same set of assumptions and "dot" the momentum equation (force balance equation) with displacement along a streamline.
- Cengel and Boles give a simpler derivation in terms of Newton's Second Law (force balance), again along a streamline.
- Other forms of Bernoulli's equation exist
 - Unsteady
 - Compressible
 - As usual, back up in the derivation when making assumptions.



Bernoulli Equation and Pressure

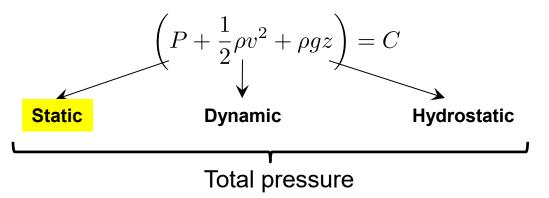
$$\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right) = C$$

Units

$$\frac{P}{\rho}(=)\frac{N}{m^2 \cdot kg/m^3}(=)\frac{kg \cdot m}{s^2 \cdot m^2 \cdot kg/m^3}(=)\frac{m^2}{s^2}$$
$$(=)\frac{J}{kg}(=)\frac{kg \cdot m}{kg \cdot s^2}$$

B.E. units are energy per unit mass

But since the mechanical energy is constant, can multiply through by density to give units of pressure.





Application

- You are an airplane.
- Measure your velocity.
- How?



- You have a bunch of variables
 - One is unknown.
 - The rest are either: known, measured, controlled
 - You have a constraint, what is it?



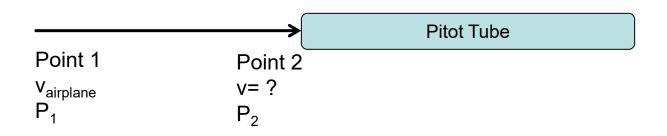
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- Note the correlation between points and the device.
- Note the streamline.
- Note the control over v₂
- What is the principle: how does it work?



Velocity Measurement

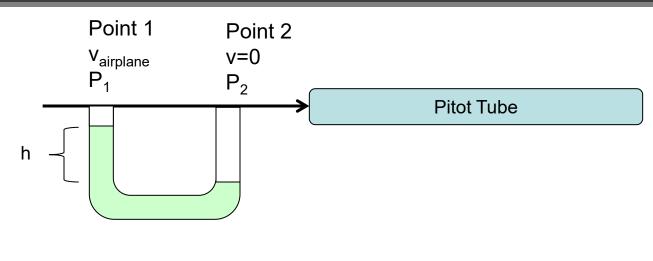
- Velocity measurement
- Total pressure is constant along a streamline
- Measure pressure at two points on the same streamline
 - Where the velocity is desired
 - At a point where the velocity has stagnated
- $P_{\text{stagnation}} = P_{\text{static}} + P_{\text{dynamic}}$
- Stagnation pressure is the pressure to bring the fluid to zero velocity without friction.

$$\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right)_1 = \left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right)_2$$

$$\left(P + \frac{1}{2}\rho v^2\right)_1 = \left(P + \frac{1}{2}\rho v^2\right)_2 \qquad v = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\rho}(P_2 - P_1)}$$



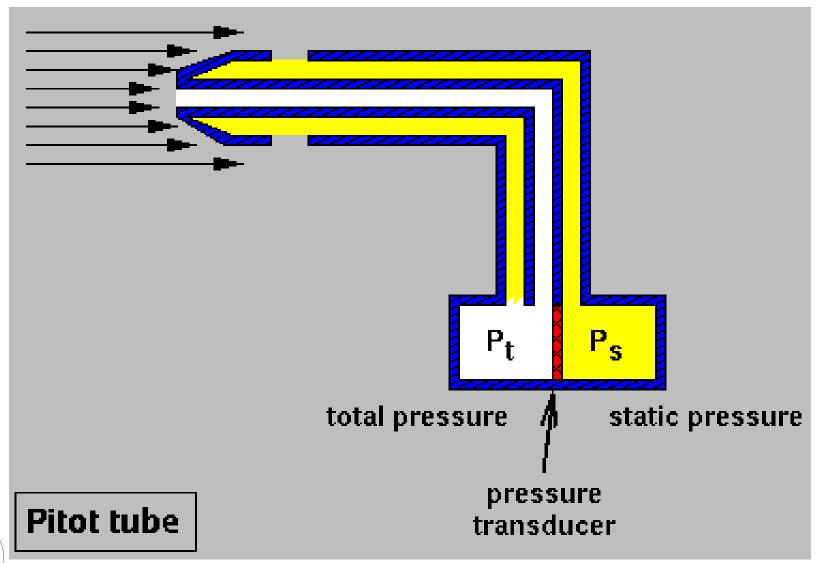
How to measure $P_2 - P_1$



 $P_2 - P_1 = \rho g h$

- Use a manometer,
- Or a pressure transducer, etc.
- Note, the real device is not laid out like this, but
 is analysed like this.

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Velocity Measurement

- Problem solving with the Bernoulli equation amounts to:
 - Splitting configuration into points, evaluating P,v,z at one point and two of P,v,z at the other, and solving for the unknown with B.E.
 - Countless examples, all boil down to this.
 - Often involve multiple applications → two B.E. in two unknowns.



- Real flows are not ideal, and have friction losses.
- Friction results in a variation in internal energy (u).
- Rather than include Δu , include a friction loss term F
- For constant height and velocity, friction causes pressure drop.
 - Bigger fans, pumps, turbines needed for the same flow!
 - Minimize the pressure drop (friction).

$$\Delta\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right) = 0 \qquad \Longrightarrow \quad \Delta\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2}v^2 + gz\right) = -F$$

