

Fluid Mechanics I





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Lecture (1) on Theory and Fundamental of Fluid Mechanics

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Course Description

This course is designed for 1st year students. It covers the Fluid Mechanics. Fluid Mechanics is defined as the science that deals with the behavior of fluids at rest (fluid statics) and in motion (fluid dynamics), and the interaction of fluids with solids or other fluids at the boundaries.

Course Outline

- 1. Introduction
- 2. Physical Properties of Fluids
- 3. Pressure Distribution in Fluids
- 4. Hydrostatic Forces on Surfaces Immersed in Fluids
- 5. Buoyancy Forces and Stability of Floating Bodies





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Course Outline

- 6. Governing equation in integral from:
 - Continuity Equation
 - Momentum equation
 - Energy equation
 - Bernoulli Equation
 - Applications
- 7. Similarity, Dimensional Analysis and Modeling
- 8. Fluid flow measurement:
 - Velocity measurements
 - Volume flow rate measurements
- 9. Laminar and turbulent flows through pipes and calculation of friction and secondary losses
- 10. Pipe flow
- 11. Pipe network analysis and design
- 12. Turbomachinery.
- 13. Boundary layer for laminar and turbulent flows.





Course Objectives

After completing this course, you should be able to:

- 1. Classify fluid flow in terms of fluid properties, including viscosity, vapor pressure, velocity fields, surface tension, capillary effect, and cavitation.
- 2. Explain how hydrostatic forces act on submerged plane and curved surfaces and account for buoyancy and stability effects.
- 3. Use data from manometers such as the piezometer tube, the U-tube or the pitot-static tube to measure pressure differences and determine flows.
- 4. Derive Bernoulli's equation for steady, inviscid, incompressible flow using Newton's second law and conservation of energy principle.
- 5. Use Bernoulli's equation to solve problems involving confined flows, free jets, and flow-rate measurements (orifice, nozzle, venturi meter).
- 6. State Reynolds transport theorem for flow (steady and unsteady) through a control volume.





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Course Objectives

- 7. Solve fluid flow problems where the flow is steady or unsteady using the Continuity equation and a fixed, non-deforming control volume.
- 8. Distinguish between laminar flow and turbulent flow in pipes.
- 9. Solve fluid flow problems using different piping networks.
- 10. State the three pump laws for centrifugal pumps and apply them to pump situations.
- Explain the concept of drag and lift for flows over plane surfaces, cylindrical and spherical surfaces.
- 12. Describe how friction and pressure drag affects fluid flows inside and outside various fixed, non-deforming geometrical shapes.





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Course Prerequisites

- Dynamics.
- Linear Algebra and Differential Equations.
- General Physics (materials).

Text Books:	Lectures notes		
Evaluation:	 Homework; attendance and assignments; equivalent 16%. Lab reports and experimental exam; equivalent 12%. Midterm; equivalent 16%. Final exam; equivalent 56%. 		
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Development of airplanes and trains







Model of an Airbus A 340 in a wind tunnel









Actual model of a Car in a wind tunnel







Actual model of a Car in a wind tunnel



















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The Concept of a Fluid

Physical states



Solid

The molecules that make up a solid are arranged in regular, repeating patterns. They are held firmly in place but can vibrate within a limited area.



Liquid

The molecules that make up a liquid flow easily around one another. They are kept from flying apart by attractive forces between them. Liquids assume the shape of their containers.



Gas

increasing energy

The molecules that make up a gas fly in all directions at great speeds. They are so far apart that the attractive forces between them are insignificant.



Plasma

At the very high temperatures of stars, atoms lose their electrons. The mixture of electrons and nuclei that results is the plasma state of matter.

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Dimensions and Units

Primary Dimensions in SI and BG Systems

Primary dimension	SI unit	BG unit	Conversion factor
Mass {M}	Kilogram (kg)	Slug	1 slug = 14.5939 kg
Length $\{L\}$	Meter (m)	Foot (ft)	1 ft = 0.3048 m
Time $\{T\}$	Second (s)	Second (s)	1 s = 1 s
Temperature $\{\Theta\}$	Kelvin (K)	Rankine (°R)	1 K = 1.8 °R

Secondary Dimensions in Fluid Mechanics

Secondary dimension	SI unit	BG unit	Conversion factor
Area {L ² }	m ²	ft ²	$1 \text{ m}^2 = 10.764 \text{ ft}^2$
Volume $\{L^3\}$	m ³	ft ³	$1 \text{ m}^3 = 35.315 \text{ ft}^3$
Velocity $\{LT^{-1}\}$	m/s	ft/s	1 ft/s = 0.3048 m/s
Acceleration $\{LT^{-2}\}$	m/s ²	ft/s ²	$1 \text{ ft/s}^2 = 0.3048 \text{ m/s}^2$
Pressure or stress			
$\{ML^{-1}T^{-2}\}$	$Pa = N/m^2$	lbf/ft ²	$1 \text{ lbf/ft}^2 = 47.88 \text{ Pa}$
Angular velocity $\{T^{-1}\}$	s^{-1}	s ⁻¹	$1 \text{ s}^{-1} = 1 \text{ s}^{-1}$
Energy, heat, work			
$\{ML^2T^{-2}\}$	$J = N \cdot m$	ft • lbf	$1 \text{ ft} \cdot \text{lbf} = 1.3558 \text{ J}$
Power $\{ML^2T^{-3}\}$	W = J/s	ft · lbf/s	$1 \text{ ft} \cdot \text{lbf/s} = 1.3558 \text{ W}$
Density $\{ML^{-3}\}$	kg/m ³	slugs/ft ³	$1 \text{ slug/ft}^3 = 515.4 \text{ kg/m}^3$
Viscosity $\{ML^{-1}T^{-1}\}$	kg/(m ⋅ s)	slugs/(ft · s)	$1 \operatorname{slug}/(\operatorname{ft} \cdot \operatorname{s}) = 47.88 \operatorname{kg}/(\operatorname{m} \cdot \operatorname{s})$
Specific heat $\{L^2T^{-2}\Theta^{-1}\}$	$m^2/(s^2 \cdot K)$	$ft^2/(s^2 \cdot {}^{\circ}R)$	$1 \text{ m}^2/(s^2 \cdot \text{K}) = 5.980 \text{ ft}^2/(s^2 \cdot ^\circ\text{R})$





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Velocity:

In general, velocity is a vector function of position and time and thus has three components u, v, and w, each a scalar field in itself:

V(x, y, z, t) = iu(x, y, z, t) + jv(x, y, z, t) + kw(x, y, z, t)

The use of u, v, and w instead of the more logical component notation Vx, Vy, and Vz is the result of an almost unbreakable custom in fluid mechanics.





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Temperature : Temperature *T* is a measure of the internal energy level of a fluid

Density (ρ): The density of a fluid, denoted by (lowercase Greek rho), is its mass per unit volume.

Specific weight (γ**) :** The specific weight of a fluid, denoted by (lowercase Greek gamma), is its weight per unit volume, γ= ρg

Specific gravity or Relative Density: Specific gravity, denoted by SG, is the ratio of a fluid density to a standard reference fluid, water (for liquids), and air (for gases):







Viscosity

Absolute or Dynamic viscosity, µ

Kinematic viscosity, v

 $v = \mu/\rho$

Identical marbles are dropped into each of the three drums.



The amount of resistance of a fluid to a shearing force can be determined by the property of the fluid called viscosity.

The units of viscosity

Dynamic viscosity: Pa.s (Pascal second) in SI

g/ (cm s) or poise in the CGS absolute system of units, 1

poise = 100 centipoises = 0.1 Pa s

Kinematic viscosity: m2/s in SI In the CGS system of

units 1 cm2/s is called 1 St (stokes)



