

II. The mechanics of fluids (non-viscous)

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1. Hydrostatics

Definition: a fluid is a continuum
whose stress tensor is always and
everywhere isotropic when the continuum is at
rest in some reference frame. If we write
 $\underline{T}(\underline{r}) = -p(\underline{r})\underline{I}$ then $p(\underline{r})$ is called the
fluid pressure at posn $\underline{r}$.

No mention is made of fluids in motion.
The above defn applies to viscous fluids as well.

Suppose a fluid is at rest in a
gravitational field $\underline{g}(\underline{r}) = -\nabla\phi(\underline{r})$. The
body force is thus $\rho(\underline{r})\underline{g}(\underline{r}) = \underline{f}(\underline{r})$.
The momentum eqn becomes

$$\rho \frac{du}{dt} = \nabla \cdot \underline{T} + \underline{f} \quad \text{or}$$

since $\underline{u} = \underline{0}$

$$0 = -\nabla p - \rho \nabla \phi$$

$$\boxed{\nabla p + \rho \nabla \phi = 0}$$

This is the hydrostatic equation or the eqn of hydrostatic equilibrium.

This eqn may be used to prove the so-called

Fundamental Theorem of Hydrostatics

If a fluid is at rest in an inertial frame under the influence of a grav. pot. $\phi(\underline{r})$ and no other body forces, then the level surfaces of constant density, pressure, and grav. pot all coincide. That is $\rho(\underline{r})$ and $p(\underline{r})$ are fns of $\phi(\underline{r})$ alone.

proof: first we prove $\forall f(\underline{r}), h(\underline{r})$

lemma: The functions $f(\underline{r})$ and $h(\underline{r})$ have the same level surfaces iff $\nabla f \times \nabla h = 0$

~~then~~ proof: If f and h have the same level surfaces then their normals $\nabla f(\underline{r})$ and $\nabla h(\underline{r})$ have everywhere the same

direction so $\nabla f \times \nabla h = 0$. For the converse consider a particle starting at $\underline{r}_0$ and moving so that $f(\underline{r}) = f(\underline{r}_0)$ i.e. on the level surface of $f(\underline{r})$ thru $\underline{r}_0$. Then $Df/Dt = 0$ or $\partial f/\partial t + d\underline{r}/dt \cdot \nabla f = 0$ but $\partial f/\partial t = 0$ so $d\underline{r}/dt \cdot \nabla f = 0$. But if $\nabla f \times \nabla h = 0$ then $d\underline{r}/dt \cdot \nabla h = 0$ also. Since $\partial h/\partial t = 0$, also $Dh/Dt = 0$ hence $h(\underline{r}) = h(\underline{r}_0)$. Any curve lying in a level surface of f lies in a level surface of h . Q.E.D.

now we proceed

clearly $\nabla p + \rho \nabla \phi = 0 \Rightarrow \nabla p = -\rho \nabla \phi$

so $\nabla p \times \nabla \phi = -\rho \nabla \phi \times \nabla \phi = 0$

hence

$$\nabla p \times \nabla \phi = 0$$

now take the curl of $\nabla p + \rho \nabla \phi = 0$

$$\nabla \times \nabla p + \rho \nabla \times \nabla \phi + \nabla \rho \times \nabla \phi = 0$$

$\begin{matrix} \text{"0"} & & \text{"0"} \end{matrix}$

$$\nabla \rho \times \nabla \phi$$

then also

$$\nabla \rho \times \nabla p = 0$$

and the fund. thm. is proven.

Best order of presentation

Thermostatistics of fluids (single-phase)

$\nabla p + \rho \nabla \phi$ guarantees mechanical equilibrium

Consider the thermostatistics of a fluid at rest.

Concept of local thermodynamic equilibrium.

A parcel of fluid at x has a caloric eqn of state

$$u = \tilde{u}(\tau, s) \quad \text{fund. eqn}$$

Defn: of fluid, equil. state completely described by two state variables.

From first law of thermo $\theta = \left. \frac{\partial \tilde{u}}{\partial s} \right|_{\tau}, -p = \left. \frac{\partial \tilde{u}}{\partial \tau} \right|_s$

Convenient to use θ and p as state variables

$$\begin{aligned} p &= \tilde{p}(\theta, p) \\ s &= \tilde{s}(\theta, p) \\ u &= \tilde{u}(\theta, p) \end{aligned} \quad \parallel \quad \text{thermal eqns of state}$$

Thermal equil. condition $\theta(x, t) = \theta_0 = \text{constant}$

A fluid can be in mech. equil. without being in thermal equil.

Note: eqn of state is same for all particles defn of a homog. fluid. In a grav field, properties, e.g. pressure need not be uniform

Now define a non-viscous fluid (in l.t.e. even when moving)

this obvious in hydrostatic situation, since
all relevant variables are
scalars

Review:

defn of a fluid:

1. mechanical: at rest, $\underline{T}(\underline{r}) = -p(\underline{r})\underline{I}$

2. thermal: at rest, local thermodynamic
equil, only 2 state variables required
for a complete description

fund. eqn. of state $u = \tilde{u}(s, \tau)$

applicable at every pt. $\underline{r}$

$$u(\underline{r}) = \tilde{u}(s(\underline{r}), \tau(\underline{r}))$$

→ 3. geometric, even when moving, isotropic
any little moving parcel looks the
same from all directions (we define this
more carefully later)

fund. thm. of hydrostatics in a grav. pot. $\phi(\underline{r})$
all of $\phi(\underline{r})$, $p(\underline{r}) = \tau'(\underline{r})$, $s(\underline{r})$, $\theta(\underline{r})$,
 $u(\underline{r})$, $p(\underline{r})$ have the same level surfaces

defn of a non-viscous fluid:

1. it is a fluid (1.2.3. above)

~~2. it is a fluid even when in motion~~

2. $\underline{T}(\underline{r}, t) = -p(\underline{r}, t)\underline{I}$ even when in motion

3. in l.t.e. even when in motion.

entropy conservation law for a non-viscous
fluid

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$X = \rho^2 c^2$. It will be noted that ρc is the acoustic impedance of the fluid.⁽⁹⁾ In the same way, it is a matter of definition that

$$C_v = \left(\frac{\delta \epsilon}{\delta \theta} \right)_{\delta v = 0} = \theta \left(\frac{\delta \eta}{\delta \theta} \right)_{\delta v = 0},$$

whereupon it follows at once that $Z = \theta/C_v$. To establish the formula for Y , it is first necessary to calculate the specific heat at constant pressure, defined by

$$C_p = \left(\frac{\delta \epsilon + p \delta v}{\delta \theta} \right)_{\delta p = 0} = \theta \left(\frac{\delta \eta}{\delta \theta} \right)_{\delta p = 0}.$$

$$\text{When } \delta p = 0, \quad \delta v = (Y/X) \delta \eta,$$

$$\text{and so } \delta \theta = \left(1 - \frac{Y^2}{XZ} \right) Z \delta \eta.$$

From this, it follows that

$$C_p = \left(1 - \frac{Y^2}{XZ} \right)^{-1} C_v,$$

or

$$C_v/C_p = 1/\gamma = 1 - \frac{Y^2}{XZ}.$$

Consequently

$$Y^2 = \frac{\gamma - 1}{\gamma} XZ = \frac{(\gamma - 1) \rho^2 c^2 \theta}{\gamma C_v}. \quad (4)$$

This equation would enable one to determine Y (except for sign) without reference to the coefficient of thermal expansion. This last is defined as

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{v} \left(\frac{\delta v}{\delta \theta} \right)_{\delta p = 0}.$$

Using the foregoing expression for γ , this leads to $Y = \rho(\gamma - 1)/\alpha$, as stated above. Equation (2-4) may then be transformed to

$$\gamma(\gamma - 1)C_v = a^2 c^2 \theta, \quad (5)$$

which is a thermodynamic identity of some importance.

2. Thermodynamics

The state of a pure fluid can be specified by any two of the four variables v , p , θ , η , which are respectively its specific volume, pressure, temperature and entropy.^(3,6) Its internal energy, ϵ , (erg/g) is best expressed as a function of v and η . Then its equation of state can be obtained by eliminating η between the two fundamental equations

$$p = -\partial \epsilon / \partial v, \quad 0 = \partial \epsilon / \partial \eta. \quad (1)$$

These can also be used to transform from one pair of independent variables to another.

On differentiating Eq. (2-1) the result may be written

$$\begin{aligned} \delta p &= -X \delta v + Y \delta \eta, \\ \delta \theta &= -Y \delta v + Z \delta \eta, \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where $+X$, $-Y$ and Z are the three second derivatives of ϵ . They can be expressed in terms of more commonplace quantities as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} X &= \rho^2 c^2, \\ Y &= \rho(\gamma - 1)/\alpha, \\ Z &= \theta/C_v, \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where $\rho = 1/v$ = density,

c = velocity of sound,

α = coefficient of thermal expansion,

C_v = specific heat, constant volume,

γ = ratio of specific heats.

The derivation of these equations is as follows: The definition of the velocity of sound, as given in text books on acoustics,⁽⁹⁾ may be reduced to

$$c^2 = \left(\frac{\delta p}{\delta \rho} \right)_{\delta \eta = 0}.$$

Since $\delta v = -\delta \rho / \rho^2$, the first of Eqs. (2-1) immediately yields

3. The thermodynamic functions of an ideal gas

As a more concrete example of the general thermodynamic relations, and one that will be useful later, the case of an ideal gas may be considered. An ideal gas is one whose molecules are all identical and interact only by collisions, moving in straight lines between collisions. Its specific heats are constants. The general principles of statistical mechanics⁽⁷⁾ can then be used to show that its internal energy

$$\epsilon = Av^{-\gamma+1} \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R], \quad (1)$$

A , γ and R being constants.

In particular, γ is the ratio of specific heats, as defined above. For air of molecular weight 29, $R = 2.87 \times 10^6$ erg/g deg and $\gamma = 1.40$. The value of A will not be needed.

Then it follows from Eq. (2-1) that

$$p = -\frac{\partial \epsilon}{\partial v} = (\gamma - 1)Av^{-\gamma} \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R], \quad (2)$$

$$\theta = \frac{\partial \epsilon}{\partial \eta} = [(\gamma - 1)A/R]v^{-\gamma+1} \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R].$$

These equations may be transformed into

$$pv = R\theta, \\ pv^\gamma = (\gamma - 1)A \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R], \quad (3)$$

which are the *equation of state* and the *equation of the isentropes*, respectively.

The second derivative of ϵ yields

$$X = \frac{\partial^2 \epsilon}{\partial v^2} = \gamma(\gamma - 1)Av^{-\gamma-1} \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R] \\ = \gamma\rho^2 R\theta. \quad (4)$$

Combined with the previous result $X = \rho^2 c^2$, it follows that the velocity of sound, c , is given by Laplace's formula:

$$c^2 = \gamma R\theta. \quad (5)$$

Similarly

$$+Y = -\frac{\partial^2 \epsilon}{\partial v \partial \eta} = [(\gamma - 1)^2/R]Av^{-\gamma} \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R] \\ = (\gamma - 1)\rho\theta. \quad (6)$$

Combined with $Y = \rho(\gamma - 1)/a$, this shows that the coefficient of thermal expansion is

$$a = 1/\theta. \quad (7)$$

Finally

$$Z = \frac{\partial^2 \epsilon}{\partial \eta^2} = [(\gamma - 1)/R]^2 Av^{-\gamma+1} \exp [(\gamma - 1)\eta/R] \\ = (\gamma - 1)\theta/R. \quad (8)$$

From $Z = \theta/C_v$, one finds that the specific heat is

$$C_v = R/(\gamma - 1). \quad (9)$$

Substitution of Eqs. (3-5), (3-7) and (3-9) into Eq. (2-5) verifies that the latter is satisfied.

Last term we utilized the fundamental theorem of hydrostatics to deduce the equil. shape of a rotating Earth in hydrostatic equilibrium (Clairaut's eqn).

This concludes our discussion of hydrostatics

2. Non-viscous fluids
homogeneous

Introduce concept of eqn of state first in hydrostatic situation.

Defn: A non viscous fluid is a fluid which, even when moving, has two properties:

1. its stress tensor is always isotropic

$$\underline{T}(\underline{r}, t) = -p(\underline{r}, t) \underline{I}, \text{ and furthermore the fluid pressure } p(\underline{r}, t) \text{ is always}$$

always in a state of local thermo-dynamic equil. the local thermodynamic equilibrium pressure determined by the equation of state from the local temperature and density.

at every pt. $\underline{r}, t$

thus at every pt. $\underline{r}, t$ $p(\underline{r}, t)$ is a fun $\tilde{p}(p(\underline{r}, t), \theta(\underline{r}, t))$

$$p(\underline{r}, t) = \tilde{p}(p(\underline{r}, t), \theta(\underline{r}, t))$$

$p = \tilde{p}(p, \theta)$ is called the eqn of state of the fluid

2. Since the non-viscous fluid is always in a state of local thermodynamic equilibrium, then at every pt. $\underline{x}, t$ the entropy S per gram $S(\underline{x}, t)$ is a well-defined fun of state

$$S(\underline{x}, t) = \tilde{S}(p(\underline{x}, t), \theta(\underline{x}, t))$$

The entropy $S(\underline{x}, t)$ is related to the other state variables also by the first law of thermodynamics

$S(\underline{x}, t) \equiv$ entropy per gram

$\theta(\underline{x}, t) \equiv$ temp.

$\tau(\underline{x}, t) \equiv$ specific volume or vol. per gm.

$$\theta DS = DU + p D\tau \quad \text{or}$$

$$\theta D_t S = D_t E + p D_t \tau$$

note use of D

one applies first law to an inf. small parcel of fluid about a material particle $\underline{x}$.

But the energy equation is

$$\rho D_t U + \underline{v} \cdot \underline{H} = \text{tr}(\underline{T}^T \cdot \underline{v}_u) + h$$

in a non-viscous fluid

$$\text{tr}(\underline{T}^T \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u}) = -p \underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{u} = (\text{by cont. eqn.}) \\ = -p \partial_t \tau$$

$$\rho (\partial_t U + p \partial_t \tau) + \underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{H} = h$$

$$\rho \theta \partial_t S + \underline{\nabla} \cdot \underline{H} = h$$

or dividing by θ

$$\rho \partial_t S + \underline{\nabla} \cdot (\underline{H}/\theta) = h/\theta + \underline{H} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \frac{1}{\theta}$$

Thus in a non-viscous fluid, the first law of thermo. can be written as a conservation law for the entropy.

This is true in general whenever the entropy $S(\underline{r}, t)$ can be written as a fun of state of the relevant thermodynamic variables.

~~For non-viscous fluids, we have enough a complete system of eqns. Unknowns $\rho, \theta, S, \underline{\nabla}, \underline{a}, \underline{H}$ if we assume a heat flow eqn (and if we assume f, h given)~~
then unknowns $\rho, \theta, S, \underline{\nabla}, \underline{a}, \underline{H}$

lets examine this cons. law. It can be put in the usual form by adding the continuity eqn.

$$\rho(\partial_t S + \underline{u} \cdot \nabla S) + \nabla \cdot (\underline{H}/\theta) = \frac{h}{\theta} + H \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$$\partial_t \rho + \nabla \cdot (\rho \underline{u}) = 0$$

$$\partial_t (\rho S) + \nabla \cdot (\rho S \underline{u} + \underline{H}/\theta) = \frac{h}{\theta} + H \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$\phi =$ entropy

$\phi = \rho S =$ entropy density (per unit volume)

$\underline{K} = \rho S \underline{u} + \underline{H}/\theta$ current density of entropy in space

↑
advected
entropy

↑
current of entropy
due to heat flow

$k = \frac{h}{\theta} + \underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta} =$ rate of production of entropy per cm^3 per sec

↑
entropy prod. due to internal heating

↑
entropy production due to heat flowing down temp. gradients (vanishes in complete thermo. equilibrium)

See remarks on p. 121

For non-viscous ^{only} fluids we have a complete system of eqns/ if we assume a heat flow eqn ~~and~~ unknowns $\rho, \theta, S, \underline{p}, \underline{u}, H$ ($\underline{f}, h$ given)

equations:

continuity: $\partial_t \rho + \nabla \cdot (\rho \underline{u}) = 0$

momentum: $\rho \partial_t \underline{u} + \nabla p = \underline{f}$

entropy: $\rho \partial_t S + \nabla \cdot (\underline{H}/\theta) = \dot{h}/\theta + \underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$

two eqns $p = \tilde{p}(\rho, \theta)$

of state: $S = \tilde{S}(\rho, \theta)$

heat flow eqn: often one takes the simple ~~linear~~ linear relation known as ~~Fourier's~~ ^{Fourier's} law $\underline{H} = -\kappa \nabla \theta$ (first term necessary to also assume where $\kappa \equiv$ thermal conductivity in a

must in general be used in any convection problem:

remark on isotropic fluid $\Rightarrow \kappa$ is isotropic tensor (Taylor series)

Also in general $\kappa(r, t) = \tilde{\kappa}(\rho(r, t), \theta(r, t))$
 What form does the Clausius - Duham inequality take for a non-viscous fluid?

$$\rho \partial_t S + \nabla \cdot (\underline{H}/\theta) - \dot{h}/\theta \geq 0$$

this is second law of thermo. for any continuum. For a non-viscous fluid

$$\rho \partial_t S + \nabla \cdot (\underline{H}/\theta) - \dot{h}/\theta = \underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$$

hence

$$\underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta} \geq 0$$

or

$$-\frac{1}{\theta^2} \underline{H} \cdot \nabla \theta \geq 0$$

or just

$$-\underline{H} \cdot \nabla \theta \geq 0$$

$$\underline{H} \cdot \underline{\nabla \theta} \leq 0$$

This is just a statement that heat must flow from hot temperatures to cold temperatures and indeed this is the main import of the second law. Note that if we assume ~~Fourier's~~ ^{Fourier's} law as an approx. heat flow eqn

remark here: $\underline{K} = K \underline{I}$ a necessary consequence of part 3 of
 $-[-K(\nabla \theta \cdot \nabla \theta)] = K |\nabla \theta|^2 \geq 0$ defn of
 so the thermal conductivity fluid
 $K \geq 0$

The second law (Clausius - Duhem inequality) has been used to impose a necessary restriction on a proposed ~~constitutive~~ constitutive eqn. This is usually its main usefulness. We'll see this again for viscous fluids and for elastic solids.

Non-viscous fluids have 10 eqn, 10 unknowns, and we must assume separately a law of heat flow. Still a very complicated system. In many circumstances it is a very good approx. to make the even simpler assumption

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Variable counting

- $D_t \rho + \rho \nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0$

- $\rho D_t \underline{u} + \nabla p = \rho \underline{g}$ given

- $\rho D_t \underline{u} + \nabla \cdot \underline{T} = \underline{h} - \rho(\nabla \cdot \underline{u})$ reversible — no dissipation

$$\rho D_t S + \nabla \cdot (\underline{T} / \theta) = \frac{\underline{h}}{\theta} + \underline{T} \cdot \nabla \left(\frac{1}{\theta} \right)$$

no entropy generation
due to motion

$\rho, \underline{u}, p, \theta, \underline{T}, \underline{H}$ — 10 unknowns (let's forget about S)

5 cons. laws •

2 eqns of state — say use p, θ
as ind. variables

$$\begin{aligned} \rho &= \rho(p, \theta) \\ \underline{T} &= \underline{T}(p, \theta) \end{aligned}$$

ideal gas

$$p \underline{T} = \tilde{R} \theta \quad \text{or} \quad \rho = \frac{p}{\tilde{R} \theta}$$

$$\underline{T} = c_v \theta$$

3 eqns — Fourier's law $\underline{T} = -k \nabla \theta$

If S included as unknown need $S = S(p, \theta)$

e.g. ideal gas

$$S = \frac{\tilde{R}}{n-1} \ln \left[\frac{c_v \theta}{A} \left(\frac{\tilde{R} \theta}{p} \right)^{1-\gamma} \right]$$

Lecture # 12 Review

Began discussion of fluid mechanics

hydrostatics: a fluid is a continuum in which $\underline{T}(\underline{r}) = -p(\underline{r})\underline{I}$ (isotropic) when the cont. is at rest.

in a gravitational field $\underline{g}(\underline{r}) = -\nabla\phi(\underline{r})$
 $\nabla p + \rho \nabla\phi = 0$

prove fundamental theorem: level surfaces of $p(\underline{r})$, $\rho(\underline{r})$, $\phi(\underline{r})$ coincide. Thus $p(\underline{r})$ and $\rho(\underline{r})$ are fns of grav. altitude alone
 If fluid is in a state of local thermodynamic equilibrium.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \theta(\underline{r}) &= \tilde{\theta}(p(\underline{r}), \rho(\underline{r})) \\ S(\underline{r}) &= \tilde{S}(p(\underline{r}), \rho(\underline{r})) \end{aligned} \right\} \text{eqns of state}$$

Thus $\theta(\underline{r})$ and $S(\underline{r})$ are also fns only of grav. altitude.

What is meant by local thermodynamic equilibrium?

$\nabla p + \rho \nabla\phi = 0$ hydrostatic eqn only guarantees mechanical equilibrium.

To be in complete thermal equilibrium as well, the fluid must be all at the same temp. (isothermal)

Thus a fluid can be in mechanical equilibrium (at rest) and not in thermal equilibrium. In any such case there will in general be heat flowing H

A fluid will be said to be in local thermodynamic equilibrium whenever at any pt. $\underline{r} \in$ fluid, the equations of state of the fluid can be used to deduce any thermodynamical variable $p(\underline{r})$, $\rho(\underline{r})$, $\theta(\underline{r})$, $S(\underline{r})$, $U(\underline{r})$ in terms of just two variables.

non viscous fluids: fluids in local thermodynamic equilibrium even when moving

1. $\underline{T}(\underline{r}, t) = -p(\underline{r}, t) \underline{I}$ isotropic
 $p(\underline{r}, t) = \tilde{p}(\theta(\underline{r}, t), \rho(\underline{r}, t))$
2. $S(\underline{r}, t) = \tilde{S}(\theta(\underline{r}, t), \rho(\underline{r}, t))$

Two eqns of state locally satisfied.

For a non-viscous fluid, energy eqn can be written as a conservation law for entropy

$$\partial_t (\rho S) + \nabla \cdot (\rho S \underline{u} + \frac{\underline{H}}{\theta}) = h + \underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$$

The heat flow gives rise to no mechanical effects
it only contributes to the generation of entropy

entropy generation by

1. internal heating h/θ
2. heat flow down temp gradients
 $\underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$

NOTE: no entropy generation due to motion of fluid. This is key aspect of non-viscous fluid. Entropy only generated by heat flowing (and heat input).

Thus in a fluid at rest (in mechanical equil.) but not in complete thermal equil (not isothermal, so $\nabla \theta \neq 0$)

Entropy conservation law takes form

$$\partial_t (\rho S) + \nabla \cdot (\frac{\underline{H}}{\theta}) = h + \underline{H} \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$$

exactly the same except no entropy advection

In a fluid in mechanical equil. but not in thermal equilibrium, $\exists$ entropy generation due to

1. internal heating h and
2. heat flow trying to attain thermal equil. $\underline{H}$.
(since irreversible, generates entropy)

In general a non-viscous fluid has
10 unknowns ρ, θ, S, p, u, H
and 10 eqns (if one assumes a
heat flow eqn)

In many circumstances it is a very
good approximation to make the even
simpler assumption.

3. Inhomogeneous Perfect Fluids

Defn: an inhomogeneous perfect fluid is one in which at each particle $\underline{x}$ at each instant t , the density ρ is a known fun of $\underline{x}, t$ and the pressure p

Note

Note: better to leave out t as an argument in this discussion

$$\rho = \tilde{\rho}(p, \underline{x}, t)$$

maybe better to write

$$\rho = \tilde{\rho}(p, \underline{x}, t)$$

there is no explicit dependence on the temp θ or the entropy S .

The function $\tilde{\rho}$ may however be different for different particles $\underline{x}$ of the fluid.

In an inhomog. perfect fluid, one has a complete system of eqns in terms of only mechanical variables (no thermodynamic quantities need enter)

unknowns	equations
$\rho, \underline{u}, p, \underline{x}$ all fns of $\underline{x}, t$	$D_t \rho + \rho \nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0$ $\rho D_t \underline{u} = -\nabla p + \underline{f}$ $\rho = \tilde{\rho}(p, \underline{x}, t)$ $\underline{u} = D_t \underline{r}(\underline{x}, t)$

System of 8 eqns, 8 unknowns
There are 3 simple examples where this approx. might be valid.

Examples where non-viscous fluids may be approximated as inhomog. perfect fluids. What are the necessary circumstances?

Example 1: a fluid has such a small compressibility and coeff. of thermal expansion that $D_t \rho = 0$ is a very good approx. (an incomp. fluid). Then $\rho = \tilde{\rho}(\underline{x})$ where $\tilde{\rho}(\underline{x}) =$ density at $t=0$ of particle $\underline{x}$.

What happens to the energy eqn here?

Since we can't change τ , $D_t \tau = 0$, we can only change E by changing the temp θ

$$D_t U = D_t \tau \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} \right)_\theta + D_t \theta \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \theta} \right)_\tau$$

$$= 0 + c_v D_t \theta$$

↑
spec. heat at const. volume

$$D_t E = c_v D_t \theta$$

Now assuming ~~Fourier's~~ law $\underline{H} = -k \nabla \theta$
The internal energy eqn becomes

$$\boxed{\rho c_v D_t \theta = \nabla \cdot (k \nabla \theta) + h}$$

~~as in a rigid body~~ $[k(\rho, \theta)]$ in general

The familiar heat conduction eqn. as in a rigid body.

we can find $\underline{u}, \rho$ without it, once $\underline{u}, \rho$ known we can solve (*) for θ if we know h

($\underline{u}$ enters as $D_t \theta = \partial_t \theta + \underline{u} \cdot \nabla \theta$, heat is advected by the velocity)

Tritton calls this forced convection. Temp.

fluctuations have no effect on flow.

Example 2: The temp. of each fluid particle is constant in time $\theta(\underline{x}, t) = \theta(\underline{x})$. Then if we write eqn. of state as $\rho = \rho(\theta, p)$ we have $\tilde{\rho}(\underline{x}, p) = \rho(\theta(\underline{x}), p)$ and the fluid is an inhomog. perfect fluid

$$D_t \theta \equiv 0$$

Such a fluid might be called an isothermal perfect fluid.

There seems to be no known example of a non-viscous fluid which can be treated as an inhomog. perfect fluid in exactly this way.

Newton, not having invented thermodynamics (what?), thought this was a good model for propagation of sound in atmosphere. Now we know he should have used example 3.

Example 3 (most important): Suppose that in a non-viscous fluid $\underline{H} = 0$ and $h = 0$

no internal heat sources $h = 0$

no heat allowed to flow $\underline{H} = 0$

(really energy)
in that case, the entropy eqn becomes

$$\rho D_t S + \rho \cdot (\underline{H}/\theta) = h/\theta + H \cdot \nabla \frac{1}{\theta}$$

$$\rho D_t S = 0$$

or

$$D_t S = 0$$

the entropy per gram at each fluid particle does not vary with time. The energy eqn reduces to $D_t S = 0$ or

$$S(\underline{x}, t) = S(\underline{x}) = \frac{\text{initial entropy/gm}}{\text{at particle } \underline{x}}.$$

we write eqn of state in form $p = p(S, \rho)$
then

$$\tilde{p}(\underline{x}, \rho) = p(S(\underline{x}), \rho)$$

write as

$$p = \tilde{p}(\rho, \underline{x}) =$$

and such a fluid is an inhomog.
perfect fluid.

$$p(\rho, S(\underline{x}))$$

The conditions under which examples 2. and 3. might be adequate approximations may be seen by an examination of the ~~the~~ energy eqn in general

$$\rho(D_t U + p D_t \tau) = -\nabla \cdot \underline{H} + \underline{h}$$

say this is zero

Fourier's

assuming ~~that~~ law $\underline{H} = -\kappa \nabla \theta$
also

$$D_t U = \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} \right)_\theta D_t \tau + c_v D_t \theta$$

Better to use the
fact that
 $C_p \equiv \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \theta} \right)_p$
so $\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} \right)_\theta = C_p \left(\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial \tau} \right)_p$

if the pressure
can be
assumed const.

$$\rho \left[p + \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} \right)_\theta \right] D_t \tau + \rho c_v D_t \theta = + \nabla \cdot (\kappa \nabla \theta) + h$$

If this the small term, then case 1. $D_t p \approx 0$

say this
zero

$$\rho \left[\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} \right)_\theta - \left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial \tau} \right)_s \right] D_t \tau + \rho c_v D_t \theta = \nabla \cdot (\kappa \nabla \theta) + h$$

= 0

Then the three terms must be zero, together.

the important thing is the ratio of the
two terms (these are the two extremes $D_t \theta \approx 0 + D_t s \approx 0$)

$$\rho c_v D_t \theta \quad \text{and} \quad \nabla \cdot (\kappa \nabla \theta)$$

$$\text{let } \kappa / \rho c_v = \tilde{\kappa} = \text{diffusivity } [\text{cm}^2/\text{sec}]$$

let $T =$ time scale of motion

$L =$ length scale of motion

we wish to compare $\frac{\theta}{T}$ and $\tilde{\kappa} \frac{\theta}{L^2}$

or

$$\frac{L^2}{T}$$

$$\text{and } \tilde{\kappa}$$

a. if $\tilde{\kappa} \gg L^2/T$, then the fluid is
an excellent thermal conductor. For
such a fluid $D_t \theta$ can be neglected
w.r.t. the heat flow term $\nabla \cdot \underline{H}$ and this

gives us example 2.

$\tilde{\kappa}$ is so large (compared to L^2/T) that the temp. of every particle just remains the same

3. if $L^2/T \gg \tilde{\kappa}$ if the length scale is sufficiently great and the periods sufficiently short (compared to the thermal diffusivity) then ~~$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{H}$~~ can be neglected and hence $\mathbf{H}$ can be neglected in the energy eqn. It then reduces to ~~$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{H}$~~ $\partial_t S = 0$ (if $h=0$)

For such a medium heat transport by advection is much more efficient than heat transport by conduction.

For air at 20°C . $\kappa = \frac{k}{\rho c_v} \sim 0.2 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$

For sea water ~~κ ~ 1.4 · 10⁻³ cm²/sec~~ $\kappa \sim 1.4 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$

For igneous rocks $\kappa \sim 0.1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$

Thus for sea water say wavelengths

$c \sim 1000 \text{ m/sec} \sim \text{cm}$, time scales $\sim$ seconds. Then

$\sim 3 \cdot 10^4 \text{ cm/sec}$ $L^2/T \sim 1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec} \gg 10^{-3} \text{ cm}^2/\text{sec}$

$T \sim 10^{-3} - 10^{-4} \text{ sec}$

give 2 examples

1. sound waves

$L/T \sim c$, $L \sim Tc$, $L^2/T \sim c^2 T$

$10^{-3} - 10^{-4}$

$\sim 10^5 \gg$

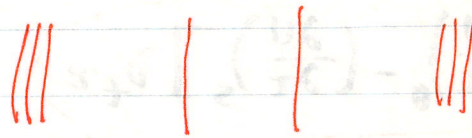
10^{-3}

For larger scale motions, usually slower,

adiabatic approx can still be a good one

In geophysics, one usually interested in L larger at least $\sim 1 \text{ m}$.

← L_{wave} →

Sound wave 

$$L_{\text{heat}} \approx \sqrt{KT}, \quad L_{\text{wave}} \approx cT$$

$$L_{\text{heat}} \ll L_{\text{wave}} \text{ if } T \gg Kc^{-2}$$

In air $T \gg \frac{2 \cdot 10^{-5}}{300^2} \sim 2 \cdot 10^{-10} \text{ secs}$

ex: ocean ~~mesoscale~~ mesoscale

$$L \gtrsim \text{mesoscale} \sim 10^8 \text{ cm} \quad 100 \text{ km}$$

$$= 10^7 \text{ cm}$$

$$T \sim 1 \text{ mo} \sim 10^6 \text{ sec}$$

$$L^2/T \sim 10^{14}/10^6 \sim 10^8$$

i.e. the higher the freq

note: for sound waves, the ~~higher~~ shorter the period T , the worse the approx: this goes against intuition.

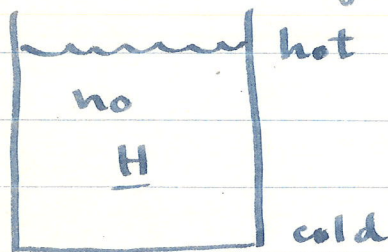
Many of these
are attacked by
linearization

Inhomogeneous perfect fluids are the subject of a great deal of current experimental and theor. research. Many phenomena of interest, e.g. internal waves, stabilization of shear flow by a density gradient, flow of stratified fluids over obstacles.

since maybe superseded by Turner, Buoyancy Effects in Fluids
Best single reference is Carl Eckart's book:
a treatise on the linearized theory of
inhomogeneous perfect fluids.

This is the theory of stratified fluids

e.g.



in the initial
stratified configuration
 $S(x)$ is depth-depend-
ent.

He considers only example 3

We will focus attention on an even
simpler approximation.

4. Homogeneous perfect fluids, usually just called perfect fluids. Some people call the above pseudo-perfect fluids or stratified fluids
Defn: a perfect fluid is an inhomog. perfect fluid which is in fact homog; $\tilde{p}(p, x, t)$ has no explicit dependence on x .

other words in use: baroclinic
and barotropic

~~but explicitly~~
↓
barotropic 130

i.e.

$\rho = \rho(p, t)$	The density at a pt. r, t is a fun only of the pressure r, t
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let's see what this implies for our above three examples.

Example 1: now we assume $\tilde{p}(\underline{x})$ is ind. of $\underline{x}$ as well as $D_t p = 0$. Thus $p = \text{const}$ at all points $\underline{r}$ and times t .

homog. ρ This is called an incompressible perfect fluid. The theory for these is particularly well-developed. The best reference is Lamb

Example 2: now we assume $\theta = \theta_0 = \text{const.}$ at all points and times. This example is of little physical interest. Laplace thought the isothermal atmosphere was a good model (1832)

homog. θ

Example 3: now we assume $S(\underline{x})$ is ind.

homog. S of $\underline{x}$ as well as $D_t S = 0$. The entropy per gram is the same everywhere at all times. Such a fluid is said to be an isentropic perfect fluid.

An example is a neutrally stratified fluid, one which satisfies the so-called Adams-Williamson eqn (so-called by seismologists).

Perfect fluids were the subject of 19th century hydrodynamics. They are often a

Lecture # 13 Review

Inhomogeneous perfect fluids or pseudo-perfect fluids

A good way to model phenomena in stratified fluids when effects of viscosity can be neglected

See Eckart, Hydrodynamics of Oceans and Atmospheres

Perfect fluids (HOMOGENEOUS)

A non-viscous fluid for which the density is a fun only of the pressure

$$\rho(\underline{r}, t) = \tilde{\rho}(p(\underline{r}, t))$$

which we write as

$$\rho = \tilde{\rho}(p, t)$$

density at $\underline{r}, t$ depends only on $p(\underline{r}, t)$

↑ barotropic eqn of state.

Complete system of equations involving only mechanical variables

$\rho, \underline{u}, p$	$\begin{aligned} D_t \rho + \rho \nabla \cdot \underline{u} &= 0 \\ \rho D_t \underline{u} + \nabla p &= \underline{f} \\ \rho &= \tilde{\rho}(p, t) \end{aligned}$
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Three examples where this might be a good approximation

1. homogeneous incompressible fluid

$$\rho(\underline{x}, 0) = \rho_0 = \text{const} \text{ and}$$

$D_t \rho = 0$, so $\rho = \rho_0 = \text{const}$ for all $\underline{x}, t$
clearly a special case of $\rho = \tilde{\rho}(p, t)$

2. isothermal perfect fluid

$$\text{initial configuration } \theta(\underline{x}, 0) = \theta_0 = \text{const}$$

and diffusivity $\tilde{\kappa} \gg L^2/T$ so that

$$D_t \theta \approx 0$$

very good heat conductor

$$\text{eqn of state } \rho = \tilde{\rho}(\theta, p) = \tilde{\rho}(\theta_0, p)$$

if no dependence on θ , clearly only a fun of p

3. isentropic perfect fluid

$$\text{initial configuration } S(\underline{x}, 0) = S_0 = \text{const}$$

and $L^2/T \gg \tilde{\kappa}$ so that $D_t S = 0$

motion has sufficiently large length

scale and short period that $H = 0$

(much more efficient to transport heat by convection)

$$\text{eqn of state } \rho = \tilde{\rho}(S, p) = \tilde{\rho}(S_0, p),$$

only a fun of p .

very good approximation to the behavior of real fluids except in their boundary layers near solid surfaces.

The equations of motion for perfect fluids are:

unknowns	equations
$\rho, p, \underline{u}$	$D_t \rho + \rho \nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0$ cont. $\rho D_t \underline{u} = -\nabla p + \underline{f}$ momentum $\rho = \rho(p, t)$ eqn. of state

System of 5 eqns, 5 unknowns.

These can be considerably simplified by the introduction of a

end here 1 Mar

5. Work function for a perfect fluid

These eqns do not at first sight appear to be a whole lot simpler. However the fact that the density $\rho(\underline{r}, t)$ is a function only of the pressure $p(\underline{r}, t)$ makes possible the following simplification.

(*) this is the key assumption about the perfect fluid.

We will deal with these full non linear eqns.

At any instant t , let's define the so-called work function

$$q(\underline{r}, t) = \int_{p_i}^{p(\underline{r}, t)} \frac{dp}{\bar{\rho}(p)}$$

an auxiliary variable

where p_i is some conveniently fixed, arbitrary pressure

Why is this function useful? Because in terms of it, the momentum eqn takes a very simple form. Note that

$$\nabla q = \frac{\partial q}{\partial p} \nabla p = \frac{1}{\bar{\rho}} \nabla p \quad \text{so}$$

$$\partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla q + \underline{f}/\rho$$

We will consider only perfect fluids in gravitational fields $\underline{f} = \rho \underline{g} = -\rho \nabla \phi$

The mom. eqn. is thus

$$\partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla(\phi + q)$$

The grav. pot $\phi(\underline{r}, t)$ has units of

energy / gram. Hence the work function $q(r, t) = q(p(r, t), t)$ has the same units.

Let's see what q is in the three examples

Example 1: constant density incompressible fluid

$$q = \int_0^p \frac{dp}{\rho} = \frac{p}{\rho} = p\tau \quad \boxed{q = P/\rho}$$

Example 2: non-viscous isothermal fluid
first law of thermodynamics

$$\begin{aligned} \theta dS &= dU + p d\tau \\ d(\theta S) - S d\theta &= dU + d(p\tau) - \tau dp \\ \cancel{\tau dp - S d\theta} &= d \\ d(U + p\tau - S\theta) &= \tau dp - S d\theta \end{aligned}$$

now if $\theta = \theta_0$, a constant throughout the fluid for all times

$$\tau dp = \frac{dp}{\rho} = d(U + p\tau - S\theta)$$

but $U + p\tau - S\theta = G =$ Gibbs free energy
per gram

hence $dq = dG$

and

$$\boxed{q = G}$$

Example 3: non-viscous isentropic fluid

$$\begin{aligned}\theta dS &= dU + p d\tau \\ &= dU + d(p\tau) - \tau dp\end{aligned}$$

$$d(U + p\tau) = \tau dp + \theta dS$$

now if $S = S_0 = \text{const.}$ throughout

$$\tau dp = \frac{dp}{\rho} = d(U + p\tau)$$

but $U + p\tau = H = \text{enthalpy per gram}$
and for this case

$$q = H = \text{enthalpy / gm}$$

Returning to the momentum equation

$$D\underline{u} / Dt = - \nabla(\phi + q)$$

If the fluid is at rest (hydrostatic case)

$$D\underline{u} / Dt = 0 \quad \text{so}$$

$$\nabla(\phi + q) = 0 \quad \text{or (over)}$$

$$\phi + q = \text{constant} \quad (\text{a fn of } t \text{ only})$$

$$\phi(\underline{r}, t) + q(\underline{r}, t) = F(t)$$

↑

a fun of time only

if the fluid is incompressible this is the best we can do.

If however the fluid is the least bit compressible (ρ varies as p varies) then a fun of p may be considered a fun of ρ .

Then $q(\rho, t)$ may be considered a fun $q(\rho, t)$. Then

$$\partial q / \partial t = \left(\partial q / \partial \rho \right) \left(\partial \rho / \partial t \right)$$

but in a fluid at rest $\partial_t \rho = - \overset{\text{zero}}{\rho \cdot (\rho \underline{u})}$, so $\partial q / \partial t = 0$

If $\partial_t \phi = 0$ also then $\partial_t F = 0$

(example 2 or 3)

in a compressible fluid at rest in a time-dependent grav. field

$$\phi(\underline{r}, t) + q(\underline{r}, t) = F$$

↑

ind of $\underline{r}, t$

why is there this difference for incomp. fluids?

incomp. fluid $q = P/\rho$, so

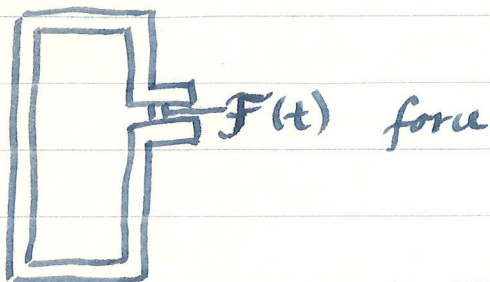
$$\frac{p(\underline{r}, t)}{\rho} + \phi(\underline{r}) = F(t)$$

↑
time independent

say $g = -g\hat{z}$ const grav. field

$$P/\rho + gz = F(t)$$

Why is $F(t)$ a fun of t



now at top of tank $z=0$ $p = F(t)/A$
 $A =$ area of piston

$$F(t)/A\rho + g(0) = F(t) \rightarrow F(t) = \frac{F(t)}{A\rho}$$

$$p/\rho + gz = \frac{F(t)}{A\rho}$$

if fluid compr.
we don't have this
situation

compressible

e.g. if a ~~compressible~~, perfect fluid in a grav. field is in thermal as well as hydrostatic equilibrium, so that

$$\theta = \theta_0 = \text{constant} \quad (\text{isothermal})$$

$$q = G \quad \text{and}$$

Generalization of
 $G = \text{const}$ in
 a fluid with
 ϕ, θ both constant

$G + \phi = \text{constant}$
 cond. for thermal equil.
 of a perfect fluid (actually
 of any fluid)

Now $D_t \underline{u} = -\nabla(\phi + q)$ can be written in another form we have

$$\underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u} = (\nabla \times \underline{u}) \times \underline{u} + \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} u^2 \right)$$

Proof:

$$[(\nabla \times \underline{u}) \times \underline{u}]_i = \epsilon_{ijk} (\nabla \times \underline{u})_j u_k$$

$$= \epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{jlm} (\partial_l u_m) u_k = (\delta_{im} \delta_{kl} - \delta_{il} \delta_{km}) u_k \partial_l u_m$$

$$= u_k \partial_k u_i - u_k \partial_i u_k = \underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u} - \partial_i \left(\frac{1}{2} u_k u_k \right)$$

$$= \underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u} - \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} u^2 \right)$$

so

$$\partial_t \underline{u} + (\nabla \times \underline{u}) \times \underline{u} = -\nabla \left[\phi + q + \frac{1}{2} u^2 \right]$$

6. The vorticity and the Helmholtz vorticity
~~max~~ equation

Let's take the curl of the above eqn.

$$\nabla \times \partial_t \underline{u} + \nabla \times [(\nabla \times \underline{u}) \times \underline{u}] = -\nabla \times \nabla [q + \phi + \frac{1}{2} \underline{u}^2]$$

but $\nabla \times \nabla [\] = 0$ $\text{curl}(\text{grad}) = 0$
and

$$\nabla \times \partial_t \underline{u} = \partial_t (\nabla \times \underline{u})$$

note: $\nabla \times \partial_t \underline{u} \neq \partial_t \nabla \times \underline{u}$ since ∂_t holds $\underline{x}$ fixed not $\underline{r}$

now define the vorticity $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t)$ of a fluid motion to be

$$\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$$

and our eqn is

generation of
vorticity by
baroclinicity $\nabla \rho \times \nabla p$
a very important

$$\partial_t \underline{\omega} = \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{\omega})$$

$$\text{or } \partial_t \underline{\omega} + \nabla \times (\underline{\omega} \times \underline{u}) = 0$$

process in GFD (see Pedlosky)

(barotropic)

This is the Helmholtz vorticity equation

baroclinic vorticity
equation in GFD is

$$\partial_t \underline{\omega} + \nabla \times (\underline{\omega} \times \underline{u}) = \frac{1}{\rho^2} (\nabla \rho \times \nabla p)$$

note that we also have $\nabla \cdot \underline{\omega} = 0$
 since $\underline{\omega} = \nabla \times \underline{u}$ and $\text{div}(\text{curl}) = 0$

equations for vorticity

$$\frac{\partial \underline{\omega}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{\omega})$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{\omega} = 0$$

valid for
any perfect
fluid

Before looking into the consequences of these equations, let's examine more closely the physical significance of the vorticity.

7. Kinematic interpretation of vorticity Local deformation of a continuum.

Given a continuum at time t has Eulerian velocity $\underline{u}(\underline{x}, t)$

Consider a particular material particle $\underline{x}_0$.
 Let's examine how the material near $\underline{x}_0$ is distorted between times t and $t + \delta t$

What happens to an inf. small sphere of material surrounding $\underline{x}_0$ at time t ?

At t , $\underline{x}_0$ is at posn $\underline{r}_0 = \underline{r}(\underline{x}, t)$
 $\uparrow$
 Lag. descr.

At $t + \delta t$ it is at $\underline{r}_0 + \underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t + O(\delta t^2)$
 $= \underline{r}_0'$

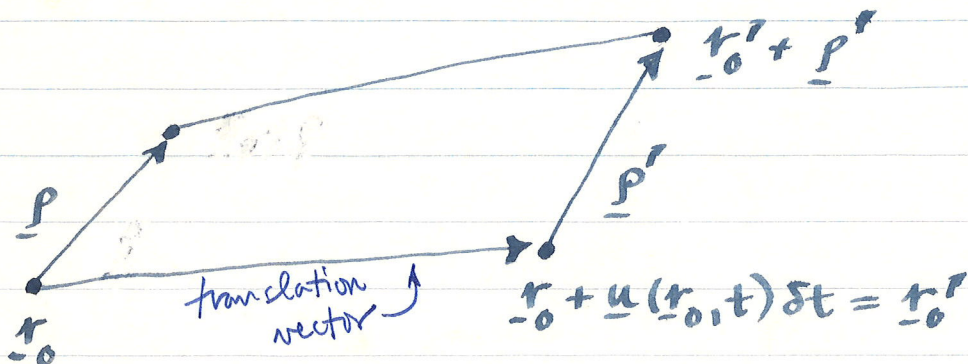
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Now to examine the distortion of the surrounding material, we must examine the relative motion of two nearby particles

Thus to $O(\delta t^2)$ the center of a small sphere of material surrounding $\underline{x}$ has been translated thru a distance $\underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t$

What about the rest?

A particle which was at $\underline{r}_0 + \underline{p}$ at time t has moved to $\underline{r}_0' + \underline{p}' = \underline{r}_0 + \underline{p} + \underline{u}(\underline{r}_0 + \underline{p}, t) \delta t + O(\delta t^2)$



How is the new relative position vector $\underline{r}'$ related to the old one $\underline{r}$?

$$\underline{r}' = \underline{r} + [\underline{u}(\underline{r}_0 + \underline{r}, t) - \underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t)] \delta t + o(\delta t)^2$$

or

$$\underline{r}' = \underline{r} + \underline{r} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t + o(r^2) + o(\delta t^2)$$

So if we consider an infin. small sphere of radius r about $\underline{r}_0$, and if we consider the motion during an infin. small time increment δt

$$\underline{r}' = \underline{r} + \underline{r} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t \quad \text{or}$$

$$\underline{r}' = \underline{r} \cdot [\underline{I} + \underline{\nabla} \underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t]$$

the relative position of a certain material particle relative to $\underline{x}$ at time $t + \delta t$ is given in terms of its relative position at time t by a linear operator

Lets examine the nature of this linear operator

$$\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t) \delta t$$

↑
posn of $\underline{\underline{x}}$ at $t=0$

Since δt is infinitesimally small, this is a linear operator near the identity

You should remember all about these.

Define the symmetric and antisymmetric parts of the operator $\underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t)$

~~$$\underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t) = \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t) - \underline{\underline{\Omega}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t)$$~~

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned}\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t) &= \frac{1}{2} [\underline{\underline{\nabla u}} + (\underline{\underline{\nabla u}})^T] \\ \underline{\underline{\Omega}}(\underline{\underline{x}}, t) &= -\frac{1}{2} [\underline{\underline{\nabla u}} - (\underline{\underline{\nabla u}})^T]\end{aligned}}$$

now clearly $\underline{\underline{\nabla u}} = \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} - \underline{\underline{\Omega}}$ so

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{\underline{f}}' &= \underline{\underline{f}} \cdot [\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t - \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t] + O(\delta t^2) \\ &= \underline{\underline{f}} \cdot [(\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t) \cdot (\underline{\underline{I}} - \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t)] + O(\delta t^2)\end{aligned}$$

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Gibbs dot product

now $\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}^T = \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}$ and $\underline{\underline{\Omega}}^T = -\underline{\underline{\Omega}}$

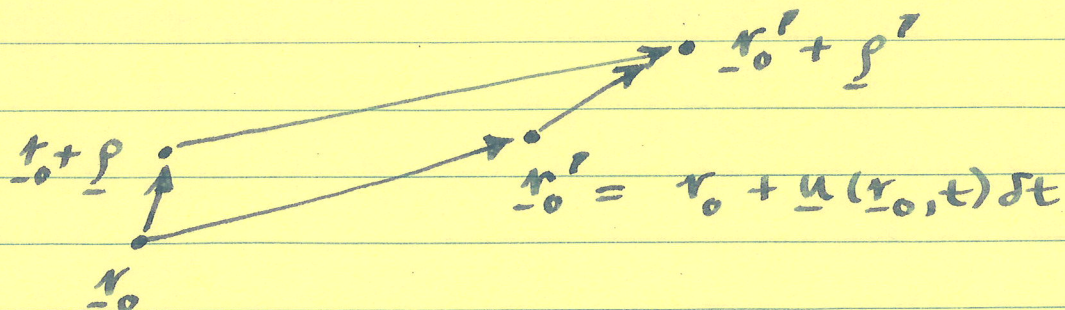
Lecture # 14 Review

We were discussing the local deformation of a continuum

Given a continuum (not necessarily a perfect fluid) with Eulerian velocity kinematic description $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$

Consider a particle $\underline{x}_0$. At time t $\underline{r}(\underline{x}_0, t) = \underline{r}_0$ say.

What happens to an inf. small sphere of material surrounding $\underline{x}_0$ at time t (between t and $t + \delta t$)?



During a time increment δt particle $\underline{x}_0$ (center of sphere) gets translated an amount

$$\underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t + o(\delta t^2)$$

so center of sphere gets translated
 What about rest of sphere

How is the new relative position vector $\underline{p}'$ related to the old relative position vector $\underline{p}$? How does the relative position of a nearby particle change

Answer:

$$\underline{p}' = \underline{p} \cdot \left[\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t \right] + o(\delta t^2) + o(p^2)$$

neglect $o(\delta t^2)$ inf. small time increment
 $o(p^2)$ inf. small sphere

$\underline{p}'$ related to $\underline{p}$ by means of a linear operator which for small δt is near the identity.

$\underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{r}, t)$ deformation rate tensor

define $\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{r}, t) = \frac{1}{2} [\underline{\underline{\nabla u}} + (\underline{\underline{\nabla u}})^T]$ strain rate tensor
 $\underline{\underline{\Omega}}(\underline{r}, t) = -\frac{1}{2} [\underline{\underline{\nabla u}} - (\underline{\underline{\nabla u}})^T]$ rotation rate tensor

$\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{r}, t)$ is a symmetric linear operator
 $\underline{\underline{\Omega}}(\underline{r}, t)$ is an antisymmetric linear operator, and

$$\underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{r}, t) = \underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{r}, t) - \underline{\underline{\Omega}}(\underline{r}, t)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\nabla u}}(\underline{r}, t) \delta t &= \underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t - \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t \\ &= (\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t) \cdot (\underline{\underline{I}} - \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t) + o(\delta t^2) \end{aligned}$$

Gibbs • product

note: can also write in form
 $\underline{\underline{p}}' = [\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t] \cdot [\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t] \cdot \underline{\underline{p}}$, i.e. order irrelevant.

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\underline{p}}' &= [\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t] \cdot [\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t] \cdot \underline{\underline{p}} \\ &\quad + o(\delta t^2) + o(p^2) \end{aligned}$$

$\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t$ is a symmetric lin. operator,
 to first order $\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t$ is an
orthogonal linear operator

$$\underline{\underline{Q}} = \underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{Q}} \cdot \underline{\underline{Q}}^T = (\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t) \cdot$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\underline{\underline{I}} - \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t) &= \underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t - \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t + o(\delta t^2) \\ &= \underline{\underline{I}} + o(\delta t^2) \end{aligned}$$

$(\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t)$ represents an inf. small rigid rotation

unique
define a vector associated with the
antisymmetric operator $\underline{\underline{\Omega}}$

$$\underline{\underline{\Omega}} = -\frac{1}{2} \wedge \underline{\underline{\Omega}}$$

in a Cart. axis system $\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \hat{x}_3$ (rt. handed)

$$\Omega_i = -\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \Omega_{jk}$$

$$\Omega_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\Omega_3 & \Omega_2 \\ \Omega_3 & 0 & -\Omega_1 \\ -\Omega_2 & \Omega_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

relation between
 $\underline{\underline{\Omega}}$ and $\underline{\underline{\Omega}}$

$(\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t)$ as a linear operator
represents an ~~inf.~~ inf. small rigid
rotation about a direction $\underline{\underline{\Omega}} = -\frac{1}{2} \wedge \underline{\underline{\Omega}}$
thru the angle $|\underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t|$

don't say this until after
drawing picture on page 143.5

$$\Omega_i = -\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \Omega_{jk}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} \epsilon_{ijk} (\partial_k u_j - \partial_j u_k) = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \partial_j u_k = \frac{1}{2} (\partial \times u)_i$$

$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\omega}} = 2 \times$ inst. angular velocity

$$\underline{p}' = \left[\underline{I} + \underline{\epsilon} \delta t \right] \left[\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t \right] \cdot \underline{p} + o(\delta t^2) + o(p^2)$$

Now recall that since $\underline{\Omega}$ is antisymmetric and small, that it represents a proper orthogonal operator. end here 3 feb.

An infin. small ~~rot~~ rigid rotation about a direction $\underline{\Omega} = -\frac{1}{2} \Lambda \underline{\Omega}$ thru the angle $|\underline{\Omega} \delta t|$

in a part. Cartesian axis system

$$(\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t)_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\Omega_3 & \Omega_2 \\ \Omega_3 & 0 & -\Omega_1 \\ -\Omega_2 & \Omega_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \delta t$$

$$[(\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t) \cdot \underline{p}]_1 = p_1 + (\Omega_2 p_3 - \Omega_3 p_2) \delta t$$

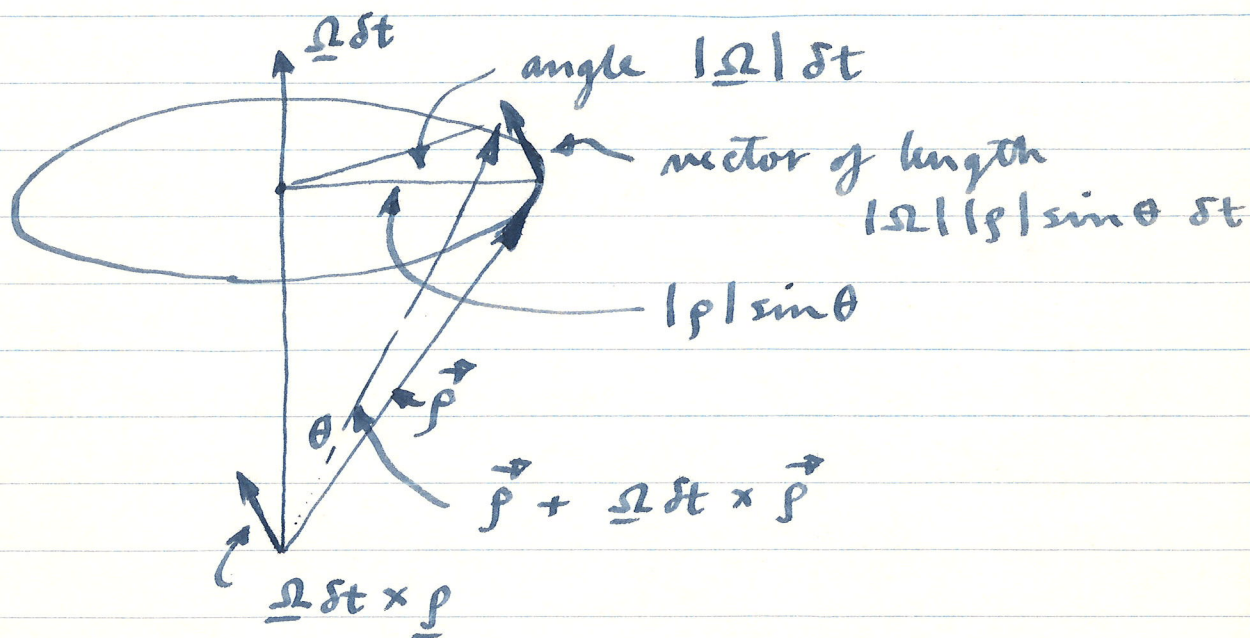
$$[(\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t) \cdot \underline{p}]_2 = p_2 + (\Omega_3 p_1 - \Omega_1 p_3) \delta t$$

$$[(\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t) \cdot \underline{p}]_3 = p_3 + (\Omega_1 p_2 - \Omega_2 p_1) \delta t$$

$$(\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t) \cdot \underline{p} = \underline{p} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t \times \underline{p}$$

↑
rigid rotation

$$(\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t) \cdot \underline{\underline{p}} = \underline{\underline{p}} + \underline{\underline{\Omega}} \delta t \times \underline{\underline{p}}$$



$\underline{\underline{\Omega}}(\underline{\underline{r}}, t)$ is the local instantaneous angular velocity.

$$\underline{p}' = [\underline{I} + \underline{\epsilon} \delta t] \cdot [\underline{I} + \underline{\Omega} \delta t] \cdot \underline{p}$$

Thus we see that the effect of the motion during a small time δt is to produce

1. a translation thru $\underline{u}(\underline{r}_0, t) \delta t$
2. a rigid rotation about direction $\underline{\Omega} = -\frac{1}{2} \nabla \underline{\Omega}$ thru the angle $|\underline{\Omega}| \delta t$
3. a symmetric squeeze $\underline{I} + \underline{\epsilon} \delta t$

Consider now the symmetric squeeze or strain following (or preceding) the local rotation.

$$(\underline{I} + \underline{\epsilon} \delta t)$$

a symmetric linear operator : hence has 3 real eigenvalues and three mutually ⊥ eigenvectors.

Let $\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \hat{x}_3$ be the eigenvectors of $\underline{\epsilon}$ and $\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2, \epsilon_3$ the eigenvalues

then $\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t$ has same eigenvectors
 and eigenvalues $1 + \epsilon_1 \delta t$
 $1 + \epsilon_2 \delta t$
 $1 + \epsilon_3 \delta t$

$$(\underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} \delta t)_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + \epsilon_1 \delta t & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 + \epsilon_2 \delta t & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 + \epsilon_3 \delta t \end{pmatrix}$$

An inf. small sphere of material about $\underline{r}_0$ gets squeezed or strained into an ellipsoid with axes $\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \hat{x}_3$ of lengths $1 + \epsilon_1 \delta t$, $1 + \epsilon_2 \delta t$, $1 + \epsilon_3 \delta t$

So now we have an interpretation of the strain rate tensor

$$\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}(\underline{r}, t) = \frac{1}{2} [\underline{v} \underline{u} + (\underline{v} \underline{u})^T]$$

and we see the reason for the name.

The fact that it is the strain rate tensor that appears as a source term

in the energy equation

$$\rho D_t U + \nabla \cdot \underline{H} = h + \text{tr}(\underline{T} \cdot \underline{\epsilon})$$

indicates that energy is only dissipated or stored as a result of local straining (actual local changes of shape) Local rigid rotations do not contribute to the dissipation of energy.

We have an interpretation of the strain rate tensor $\underline{\epsilon}(\underline{r}, t)$

We also have an interpretation of its trace

$$\text{tr} \underline{\epsilon} = \frac{1}{2} [\text{tr} \underline{\nabla u} + \text{tr}(\underline{\nabla u})^T]$$

$$= \nabla \cdot \underline{u} = \underline{\text{div}} \underline{u}$$

and from cont. eqn $\nabla \cdot \underline{u} = \frac{1}{\tau} \frac{D\tau}{Dt}$
(local relative rate of change of volume)

~~What is~~

What is physical interpretation of curl
 $\nabla \times \underline{u}$

The local rigid rotation is about $\underline{\Omega}$ axis thru an angle $|\underline{\Omega}| \delta t$ in time δt .

Clearly $\underline{\Omega}(\underline{r}, t)$ is the local instantaneous angular velocity $\underline{\Omega} = -\frac{1}{2} \nabla \times \underline{u}$

$$\begin{aligned}\Omega_i &= -\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \Omega_{jk} = -\frac{1}{4} \epsilon_{ijk} (\partial_k v_j - \partial_j v_k) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{ijk} \partial_j v_k = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \times \underline{u})_i\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} [\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)] = \underline{\text{instantaneous angular velocity}}$$

recall defn. $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) \equiv \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$
vorticity

$$\frac{1}{2} \underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = \text{inst. ang. velocity}$$

$$\underline{\omega} = 2\underline{\Omega} = \text{twice inst. ang. velocity}$$

Summary:

$\underline{\epsilon}(\underline{r}, t)$ strain rate tensor

$\nabla \cdot \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = \text{tr } \underline{\epsilon}(\underline{r}, t)$ local relative rate of change of volume

$\frac{1}{2} \underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = \frac{1}{2} \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ instantaneous angular velocity

$\underline{v}(\underline{r}, t) = \underline{\epsilon}(\underline{r}, t) - \underline{\Omega}(\underline{r}, t)$ deformation rate tensor

8. Solution to the Vorticity Eqn.

Brief review: we are studying perfect fluids.

defn: density $\rho(\underline{r}, t)$ either constant (special case: homog. incomp.) or a function only of the pressure $p(\underline{r}, t)$

$$\rho(\underline{r}, t) = \tilde{\rho}(p(\underline{r}, t))$$

can thus define a work function $q(\underline{r}, t)$

$$q(\underline{r}, t) = \int_{p_0}^p \frac{dp}{\tilde{\rho}(p(\underline{r}, t))}$$

in terms of $q(\underline{r}, t)$ the momentum eqn governing the motion of a perfect fluid in a gravitational field $\phi(\underline{r}, t)$

$$\boxed{\partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla(q + \phi)}$$

which can be rewritten

$$\partial_t \underline{u} + (\nabla \times \underline{u}) \times \underline{u} = -\nabla(q + \phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2)$$

upon taking the curl (define $\underline{\omega} = \nabla \times \underline{u}$)

$$\partial_t \underline{\omega} = \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{\omega}) \quad \text{Helmholtz vorticity eqn.}$$

$$\partial_t \underline{\omega} + \nabla \times (\underline{\omega} \times \underline{u}) = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{\omega} = 0 \quad (\text{since } \underline{\omega} = \nabla \times \underline{u})$$

Now we pose a purely mathematical problem

Given a fluid in motion with Eulerian description $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$

Given a vector field quantity $\underline{B}(\underline{r}, t)$ whose value is known at time $t=0$ $\underline{B}(\underline{r}, 0)$, and which satisfies the equations

$$\partial_t \underline{B} = \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{B})$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{B} = 0$$

problem: determine $\underline{B}(\underline{r}, t)$ at any later time t .

The problem is of course trivial for $\underline{B}(\underline{r}, t) = \underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t)$

Full dynamo eqn. is $\partial_t \underline{B} = \frac{1}{\mu_0} \nabla^2 \underline{B} + \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{B})$
 no diff. cond. mag. diffusion term (dissipative)

the above problem has a solution in general

Let me just quote and not derive the result.

Most easily expressed in terms of the Lagrangian description

$\underline{u}_E(\underline{r}, t)$ implies knowledge of Lagrangian description of motion $\underline{r}(\underline{x}, t)$

Can also utilize L. description of $\underline{B}(\underline{r}, t)$

$$\underline{B}_L(\underline{x}, t) = \underline{B}_E(\underline{r}(\underline{x}, t), t)$$

We are given $\underline{B}_L(\underline{x}, 0) = \underline{B}_E(\underline{x}, 0)$ and $\underline{r}(\underline{x}, t)$. What is $\underline{B}_L(\underline{x}, t)$ at time t .

Solution:

$$\tau_L(\underline{x}, t) \underline{B}_L(\underline{x}, t) = \tau_L(\underline{x}, 0) \underline{B}_L(\underline{x}, 0) \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{r}(\underline{x}, t) \quad (*)$$

$$\tau(\underline{x}, t) \equiv \tau_L(\underline{x}, t) = \tau_E(\underline{r}(\underline{x}, t), t)$$

local specific volume. Known if $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ is known from cont. eqn.

Note: $\tau \underline{B}$ behaves just like $\underline{\nabla \tau}$.
We say that $\tau \underline{B}$ "moves with the fluid".

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Eqn (*) is the exact solution to the mathematical problem we have posed.

We will utilize this solution in the following way

If $\underline{B}(\underline{r}, t)$ is $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t)$ the vorticity

$$\partial_t \underline{\omega} = \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{\omega})$$

$$\nabla \cdot \underline{\omega} = 0$$

this system of eqns is integrable

$$\tau(\underline{x}, t) \underline{\omega}_L(\underline{x}, t) = \tau(\underline{x}, 0) \underline{\omega}_L(\underline{x}, 0) \cdot \underline{\nabla} \tau(\underline{x}, t)$$

From this eqn it follows that

If $\underline{\omega}_L(\underline{x}, 0) = \underline{\omega}_E(\underline{r}, 0) = 0$ at time $t=0$, then $\underline{\omega}_L(\underline{x}, t) = \underline{\omega}_E(\underline{r}(\underline{x}, t), t) \equiv 0$ for all time

i.e. if at any time $t=0$, the motion of a perfect fluid in a grav. field is such that $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$, then the motion will for all later times be such that $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$

Motion for which $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$ is said to be irrotational flow

If at $t = 0$, the flow of a perfect fluid in a grav. field is irrotational, then the flow will be irrotational for all later times

A perfect fluid moving in a gravitational field cannot generate vorticity. If at time $t = 0$, there is some initial vorticity, then this initial vorticity will be carried with the fluid flow, but if $\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$ at $t = 0$, then $\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$ for all times thereafter

Discuss production or generation of vorticity

by baroclinicity here (very important in GFD)

This is an extremely important result.

It is the basis of 19th century hydrodynamics.

e.g. Lamb proves this result on p. 17 and virtually the entire rest of the book is based on it.

Before showing why it's so important, let me give another proof, since the last one was pulled out of the hat end here 6 Feb.

$$\frac{\partial \underline{\omega}}{\partial t} + \nabla \times (\underline{\omega} \times \underline{u}) = \frac{1}{\rho} (\nabla \rho \times \nabla p)$$

[baroclinic vorticity eqn.]

Lecture # 15 Review

Discussing the motion of a perfect fluid in a gravitational potential $\phi(\underline{r}, t)$

The grav. pot $\phi(\underline{r}, t)$ can in general be time-varying.

For a perfect fluid ρ a fun of ρ only one can define a work function $q(\underline{r}, t)$ and the mom. equ. may be written in the form

$$\partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla(\phi + q)$$

If one defines the vorticity $\omega(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$, a measure of the local rotation ($\frac{1}{2}\omega(\underline{r}, t) \equiv$ inst. angular velocity of small parcel of fluid at posn $\underline{r}$ at time t)

the above eqn equivalent to:

$$\partial_t \underline{\omega} = \nabla \times (\underline{u} \times \underline{\omega}) \quad \text{Helmholtz vorticity eqn}$$

this eqn + the cond. $\nabla \cdot \underline{\omega} = 0$ is an integrable system

allowed us to deduce the following extremely important theorem

If at $t=0$ the flow of a perfect fluid in a grav. field is irrotational $\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, 0) = 0$ in a certain region $V(0)$ then in the set $V(t)$ moving with the material the flow will be irrotational for all later times

Potential forces alone cannot generate vorticity in a perfect fluid.

In particular if at $t=0$ the fluid is at rest, then $\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$ for all later times.

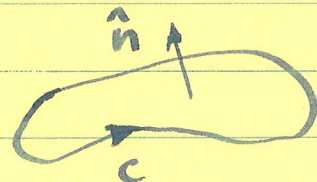
Since this result is so important, let's deduce it in another way.

9. The Helmholtz Circulation Theorem

following Lamb p. 36

definition: the circulation of a vector field $\underline{A}(\underline{r})$ around a directed closed curve C is

$$\oint_C \underline{A} \cdot d\underline{r}$$



note that if S is any surface with bdy C and $\hat{n}$ is unit normal (in positive sense determined by direction of C) then by Stokes' theorem the circulation of $\underline{A}$ around C is

$$\oint_C \underline{A} \cdot d\underline{r} = \int_S \hat{n} \cdot (\nabla \times \underline{A}) dA$$

the flux of $\nabla \times \underline{A}$ thru the surface S
(any surface S will do)

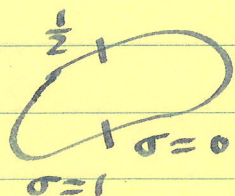
Theorem (Helmholtz circulation theorem)

If the closed directed curve C is in and moves with a perfect fluid in a grav. field then the circulation of the fluid velocity $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ around C is a constant, independent of time

proof: given a curve C moving
with the perfect fluid in a grav.
field

C always consists of the same material
particles

Let σ be a parameter for the curve
 C $0 \leq \sigma \leq 1$



Let $\underline{r}(\underline{x}, t)$ be a Lagrangian description
of the motion

As σ goes from 0 to 1, the ~~points~~ $\underline{x}(\sigma)$ ~~represent~~ represent all
the particles on the curve C .

Hence as σ goes from zero to one

$\forall$ fixed t , $\underline{r}(\underline{x}(\sigma), t)$ traces out C
at time t

The circulation around C is

$$C(t) = \oint \underline{u}_E(\underline{r}, t) \cdot d\underline{r} = \int_0^1 \underline{u}_L(\underline{x}(\sigma), t) \cdot$$

$$\frac{\partial \underline{r}(\underline{x}(\sigma), t)}{\partial \sigma} d\sigma$$

$$C(t) = \int_0^1 \underline{u} \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial \sigma} d\sigma$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } dC/dt &= \int_0^1 D_t \underline{u} \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial \sigma} d\sigma \\ &+ \int_0^1 \underline{u} \cdot D_t \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial \sigma} d\sigma \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{but } D_t \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial \sigma} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} D_t \underline{r} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} D_t \underline{r}(\underline{x}(\sigma), t) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \underline{u}_L(\underline{x}(\sigma), t) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \underline{u} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{thus } \frac{d}{dt} C(t) = \int_0^1 D_t \underline{u} \cdot \frac{\partial \underline{r}}{\partial \sigma} d\sigma + \int_0^1 \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \left(\frac{1}{2} \underline{u}^2 \right) d\sigma$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \oint D_t \underline{u} \cdot d\underline{r} + \int_0^1 \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \left[\frac{1}{2} \underline{u}_L^2(\underline{x}(\sigma), t) \right] d\sigma \\ &\quad \downarrow \sigma=1 \\ &\quad \left[\frac{1}{2} \underline{u}_L^2(\underline{x}(\sigma), t) \right]_{\sigma=0} \end{aligned}$$

the second integral vanishes since $\underline{x}(0) = \underline{x}(1)$
consider the first integral

for a perfect fluid in a grav. field ↙ we haven't used yet

$$D_t \underline{u} = -\nabla(\phi + q)$$

$$\oint \mathcal{D}_t \underline{u} \cdot d\underline{r} = - \oint \nabla(\phi + q) \cdot d\underline{r}$$

$$= 0$$

the circulation of any irrotational field (derivable from a scalar) being zero

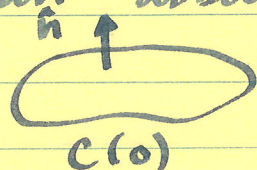
hence $\frac{dC(t)}{dt} = 0$ q.e.d.

The Helmholtz circulation theorem is of course essentially a statement that a perfect fluid moving in a grav. field does not generate vorticity.

If at time $t=0$, the circulation around every closed curve is zero, then the circulation around every closed curve is zero for all times t

Corollary: If at time $t=0$, the motion of a perfect fluid is ~~such~~ irrotational $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$, then it remains irrotational for all times.

proof: Consider the circulation around an arbitrary closed curve at time $t=0$



$$\oint_{C(0)} \underline{u} \cdot d\underline{r} = \int_S (\nabla \times \underline{u}) \cdot \hat{n} dA = 0$$

$\uparrow$
 any surface

Now let $C(t)$ be the curve obtained by letting $C(0)$ move with the fluid then
 Then by Helmholtz $\oint_{C(t)} \underline{u} \cdot d\underline{r} = 0$

hence $\int_S \hat{n} \cdot (\nabla \times \underline{u}) dA = 0$ for any

arbitrary surface. Hence $\nabla \times \underline{u} = 0$ for all times.

From now on we will study only irrotational flow. We will not consider the case where the initial vorticity $\omega(\underline{r}, 0) \neq 0$

(it could have been induced by non-potential forces) e.g. stirring with a stick.

10. Irrotational or Potential Flow

The reason why the study of irrotational flow is so easy is that we can introduce a velocity potential function.

If $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ is irrotational so that $\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$ (or $\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$)
(or so that the circulation around every closed curve C is zero)
then $\exists$ a scalar potential $\Psi(\underline{r}, t)$

$$\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \Psi(\underline{r}, t)$$

do not confuse Ψ (velocity pot.) with ϕ .

For this reason irrotational flow is called potential flow.

Potential flow is interesting because

Theorem: Consider a perfect fluid moving in a grav. field. If at $t=0$ the motion is a potential flow in a region $V(0)$, then it is a potential flow at any time t in $V(t)$, moving with the fluid.

e.g. if at $t=0$ a perfect fluid in a gravitational field is at rest, then at all times later its motion is a potential flow.

remark: note that if $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla\psi(\underline{r}, t)$ that $\psi(\underline{r}, t)$ is not unique.

It is determined only to within an additive fun of time

if $f(t)$ is a fun of time only, then

$$\nabla(\psi + f) = \nabla\psi$$

either ψ or $\psi' = \psi + f$ can serve as a velocity potential for $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$

conversely if $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla\psi(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla\psi'(\underline{r}, t)$ then $\nabla(\psi - \psi') = 0$ so $\psi - \psi'$ is a fun only of t .

11. Bernoulli theorems

Consider a non-viscous ~~perfect fluid~~ in a grav. field with potential ϕ the acceleration of gravity is $\underline{g} = -\nabla\phi$

The equation of motion is

$$\rho D_t \underline{u} = -\nabla p - \rho \nabla \phi$$

$$D_t \underline{u} = -\frac{\nabla p}{\rho} - \nabla \phi$$

note: the fluid is not yet necessarily perfect

$$\text{now } D_t \underline{u} = \partial_t \underline{u} + \underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u} &= (\nabla \times \underline{u}) \times \underline{u} + \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} \underline{u}^2 \right) \\ &= \underline{\omega} \times \underline{u} + \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} \underline{u}^2 \right) \end{aligned}$$

the momentum eqn thus becomes (for any non-viscous fluid)

$$\partial_t \underline{u} + \underline{\omega} \times \underline{u} = -\nabla \left(\phi + \frac{1}{2} \underline{u}^2 \right) - \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla p$$

We now proceed to derive three very similar results all of which are given the general rubric of Bernoulli theorems

I. Potential flow of a perfect fluid

~~Assume~~ Assume the fluid is perfect and moves in a potential flow. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) &= \nabla \psi(\underline{r}, t) \\ \underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) &= 0 \\ 1/\rho \nabla p &= \nabla q\end{aligned}$$

our eqn becomes

$$\boxed{\nabla \left(\partial_t \psi + \phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + q \right) = 0}$$

Bernoulli's theorem for potential flow of a perfect fluid: if $\psi(\underline{r}, t)$ is any velocity potential for pot. flow of a perfect fluid in a grav. field ψ , $\exists$ a fun $f(t)$ of t alone $\Rightarrow$

$$\boxed{\partial_t \psi + \phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + q = f(t)}$$

$\uparrow$
 fun of t only

II. Steady Potential Flow in a steady gravit. potential

defn: a steady flow is a flow whose Eulerian description is independent of time

$$\partial_t u_E = \partial_t p = \partial_t \rho = \partial_t U = \partial_t q = 0$$

in the above eqn.

$\exists$ a steady flow potential $\partial_t \psi = 0$

$$\phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + q = f(t)$$

but $\partial_t \phi = 0$ (steady grav. pot)

$\partial_t u = \partial_t q = 0$ (steady flow)

so $\partial_t f = 0$

Bernoulli theorem: $\forall$ steady potential flow in a steady grav. field ϕ

$$\frac{1}{2} u^2 + \phi + q = K, \text{ a constant}$$

Recall that a perfect fluid at rest in a steady grav. potential ϕ satisfies

$$q + \phi = \text{constant} \quad (\text{actually}$$

now

only a non-incompr. fluid)

if the flow of that perfect fluid is a steady potential flow

$$\frac{1}{2} u^2 + q + \phi = \text{constant}$$

III. Steady non-potential flow

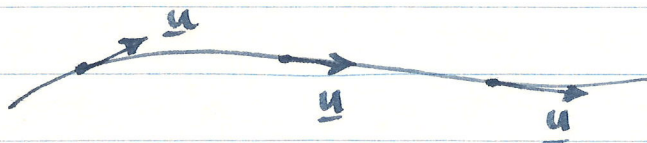
Given a non-viscous fluid flowing steadily in a steady grav. pot.

There is then still a Bernoulli theorem
We define a

streamline: any curve everywhere tangent to $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ at the instant t . This is only a useful concept in a steady flow in steady flow a streamline always consists of the same fluid particles.

i.e. in a steady flow, (but not in general otherwise) the paths of the fluid particles

coincide with the streamlines



in steady flow the streamlines have the same form for all times

thus in steady flow we can define a "work function" for each streamline

$$q(\underline{r}_1) - q(\underline{r}_0) = \int_{\underline{r}_0}^{\underline{r}_1} dp/\rho = \int_{\underline{r}_0}^{\underline{r}_1} \frac{\nabla p}{\rho} \cdot d\underline{r}$$

the integral being taken along the streamline connecting $\underline{r}_0$ and $\underline{r}_1$

Note: since the flow is steady $q(\underline{r})$ is not a fun of t .

in a steady flow the eqn. of motion is

$$\frac{d}{dt} \underline{u} + \underline{\omega} \times \underline{u} = -\nabla(\phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2) - \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla p$$

↓
zero in steady flow

we integrate this eqn. on a streamline from $\underline{r}_0$ to $\underline{r}_1$

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$$\left[\phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + q \right]_{\underline{r}_0}^{\underline{r}_1} = - \int_{\underline{r}_0}^{\underline{r}_1} (\underline{\omega} \times \underline{u}) \cdot d\underline{r}$$

but on a streamline $\underline{u}$ is $\parallel$ to $d\underline{r}$
 so $\underline{\omega} \times \underline{u} \cdot d\underline{r} = 0$ and

$$\boxed{\phi(\underline{r}_1) + \frac{1}{2} u^2(\underline{r}_1) + q(\underline{r}_1) = \phi(\underline{r}_0) + \frac{1}{2} u^2(\underline{r}_0) + q(\underline{r}_0)}$$

Thus $\phi + q + \frac{1}{2} u^2$ is constant along any given streamline

The const. depends on the streamline (varies from streamline to streamline)

For pot. flow the constant is the same for all streamlines.

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➡ Example (of the use of Bernoulli theorems)

A body (e.g. airplane) moving with velocity $\underline{U}$ in a non-viscous fluid

In body reference frame flow is steady

Lecture # 16 Review

Discussing the flow of non-viscous fluids in grav. fields.

Important result: if at $t=0$ motion in a region $V(0)$ is irrotational, then at any later time t , motion in $V(t)$ is still irrotational.

Bernoulli theorems:

I. Potential flow, perfect fluid

$$\partial_t \psi + \phi + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + q = f(t)$$

$$\text{or } \partial_t \psi + \phi + q + \frac{1}{2} |\nabla \psi|^2 = f(t)$$

↑
fun of time
only.

This is all we can say for non-steady potential flow. We will make use of and interpret this result later.

II. Steady (non time-varying all $\partial_t \equiv 0$) Potential Flow of a Perfect Fluid

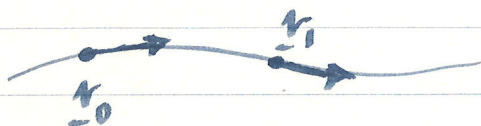
$$\phi + q + \frac{1}{2}u^2 = K$$

↑

a constant

III. Steady flow of any non-viscous fluid (non-potential flow)

define streamlines: everywhere tangent to local Eulerian velocity, in steady flow



these are particle paths.

can define a work fcn along an individual streamline

$$q(\underline{r}_1) - q(\underline{r}_0) = \int_{\underline{r}_0}^{\underline{r}_1} \frac{1}{\rho} \underline{r} p \cdot \underline{r}$$

then

$$\phi(\underline{r}_1) + q(\underline{r}_1) + \frac{1}{2}u^2(\underline{r}_1) = \phi(\underline{r}_0) + q(\underline{r}_0) + \frac{1}{2}u^2(\underline{r}_0)$$

$\phi + q + \frac{1}{2}u^2$ is a constant along any given streamline. Constant varies from streamline to streamline. For irrot. or potential flow, const. same for all.

Note the obvious analogy
 The Bernoulli theorem is merely an
energy integral of the system

Consider the motion of an isolated
particle mass m (point mass) moving
 in a grav. pot. $\phi(\underline{r}, t)$

$$m \underline{\ddot{r}} = \underline{f} = -m \nabla \phi(\underline{r}, t)$$

now take $\phi(\underline{r})$ a fun of space alone
 (a steady grav. field)

$$m \underline{\ddot{r}} = -m \nabla \phi(\underline{r})$$

$$\underline{\ddot{r}} = -\nabla \phi(\underline{r})$$

$$\underline{\dot{r}} \cdot \underline{\ddot{r}} = -\underline{\dot{r}} \cdot \nabla \phi(\underline{r})$$

integrate w.r.t. time ~~(this is not a~~
 important that $\phi(\underline{r})$ not a fun of time

$$\frac{1}{2} \dot{r}^2 + \phi(\underline{r}) = \text{const}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} u^2 + \phi = \text{const.}$$

↑ potential energy / unit mass
 of particle

Bernoulli theorem III (the most general
 case an obvious extension of this result)

an energy integral for individual mass elements moving on streamlines

$$\frac{1}{2} u^2 + \phi + q = \text{const along a streamline (i.e. for an individual material particle)}$$

$\frac{1}{2} u^2 =$ kinetic energy / unit mass

$\phi =$ grav. pot. energy / unit mass

$q \equiv$ work function = some additional energy / unit mass

recall: incompressible $D_t \rho = 0$
 $q = p / \rho = p \tau$

isothermal

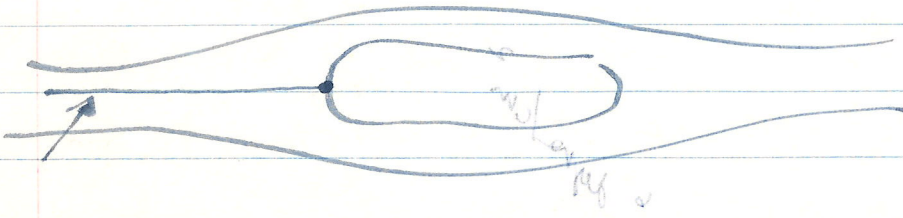
$$q = G = u + p\tau - s\theta \quad \text{Gibbs}$$

isentropic

$$q = H = u + p\tau$$

Steady flow of a non-viscous fluid

At a certain point on the nose of the plane the air is at rest relative to the plane (stagnation point)



consider two cases: use Bernoulli III

case 1: the fluid is incompressible (hence perfect)

$$\rho = P/\rho$$

apply Bernoulli III to arrowed streamline

$$\frac{1}{2} v^2 + \frac{P_{\infty}}{\rho} = \frac{P_s}{\rho}$$

this is
for slow
flow

$$P_s - P_{\infty} = \frac{\rho}{2} v^2$$

one can thus
use the Bernoulli

theorem III to

compute the pressure at the stagnation point, the stagnation pressure.

case 2: fluid is not incompressible but is an isentropic ideal gas

(a perfect fluid because the entropy per gram $S = S_0$ at all points)

$q =$ work function $= U + p\tau$, the enthalpy

for an ideal gas $U = c_v \theta$, $p\tau = \tilde{R}\theta$

$$U + p\tau = c_v \theta + \tilde{R}\theta = c_p \theta$$

again on the arrowed streamline

$$c_p \theta_\infty + \frac{1}{2} U^2 = c_p \theta_s$$

$$c_p (\theta_s - \theta_\infty) = \frac{1}{2} U^2$$

temp. at stag-
nation point

now in an adiabatic change

$$p\tau^{\gamma} = \text{const}$$

$$p\theta^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} = \text{const}$$

$$P_\infty \theta_\infty^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}} = P_s \theta_s^{\frac{\gamma}{1-\gamma}}$$

or equivalently *

hottest temp
occurs at stag-
nation point

pressure at
stagnation point

note that we have only had to consider a single streamline. The outcome does not depend on how the atmosphere is stratified at levels other than the altitude

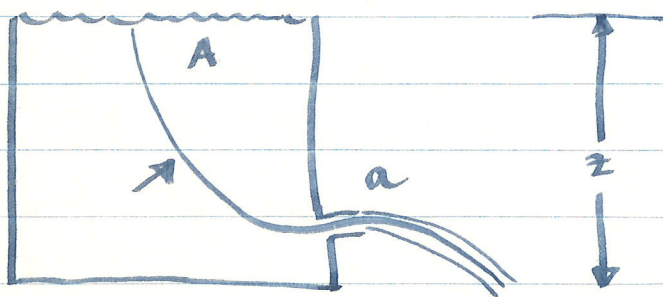
this is for supersonic
flow

$$P_s = P_\infty \left(1 + \frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma} \frac{1}{2} \frac{U^2}{P_\infty} \right)^{\frac{\gamma}{\gamma-1}}$$

Note that
for this
the
incompressible
result

of the airplane

Bernoulli's theorem may also be used to treat the problem (already considered) of H_2O flowing out of a very large tank.



very large tank ($a \ll A$)
filled with incompr. fluid (perfect) of
density ρ .

At $t=0$ the plug is removed and
shortly thereafter flow is steady

Assume that at the top $u = 0$ (very
large tank).

What is u in jet a depth z below
level of H_2O in tank

Apply Bernoulli III to any streamline
e.g. the arrowed one (or if one
doesn't twist the plug upon removing, then
 $\exists$ no vorticity and flow is potential
flow. In any case

assume the experiment occurs in a vacuum.

Bernoulli III

$$\phi(\underline{r}_1) + \frac{1}{2} u^2(\underline{r}_1) + \frac{p(\underline{r}_1)}{\rho} = \phi(\underline{r}_2) + \frac{1}{2} u^2(\underline{r}_2) + \frac{p(\underline{r}_2)}{\rho}$$

$$p(\underline{r}_1) = 0 \quad \text{top of tank}$$

$$p(\underline{r}_2) = 0 \quad \text{in jet of } H_2O$$

$$\phi(\underline{r}_1) = gz + \text{const}$$

$$\phi(\underline{r}_2) = \text{const}$$

$$gz = \frac{1}{2} U_{\text{jet}}^2$$

$$U(z) = \sqrt{2gz}$$

Torricelli result

cannot be applied if z is so large that the jet has broken into droplets (flow no longer steady).

12. Potential flow of homogeneous incompressible fluids.

The Bernoulli theorems are nice but we have not yet seen in any particular case how to solve for flow patterns

We now specialize even further
We consider now potential flow of a fluid which is perfect by virtue of the fact that it has $\rho = \rho_0$, density a constant everywhere at all times

This is more specialized than mere incompressibility. Must satisfy two conditions:

1. $\rho = \rho_0$ a constant in the initial configuration
2. flow is incompressible $D_t \rho = 0$
hence $\rho_L(\underline{x}, t) = \rho_L(\underline{x}, 0) = \rho_0$
for all times

What are the conditions under which the flow of a real fluid may be considered to be incompressible?

We have already seen that in almost all geophysically interesting circumstances, L is suff. large and T^2 suff. small (periods sufficiently short) compared to thermal diffusivity, $L^2/\tau \gg \tilde{\kappa}$ then isentropic flow is an excellent approximation.

We rephrase the question. Under what circumstances may isentropic flow be approximated by incompressible flow?

The answer is readily obtained for steady flow by using the Bernoulli theorem

pressure changes in steady flow

$$\Delta p / \rho \sim \frac{1}{2} u^2 \quad \text{or}$$

$$\Delta p \sim \rho u^2$$

now when the pressure changes adiabatically by Δp , the density changes by

$$\Delta \rho = \left(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial p} \right)_s \Delta p$$

You will show in your homework prob. that

$$\left(\partial p / \partial \rho\right)_s = c^2 = \text{velocity of sound in fluid}$$

$$\Delta p \sim \rho u^2 / c^2$$

the fluid may be regarded as incompressible relative density changes are very small (of any parcel of fluid)

$$\Delta p / p \ll 1$$

$$u^2 / c^2 \ll 1 \quad \text{or}$$

$u \ll c$ for steady isentropic flow

result: steady isentropic flow may be adequately approximated by incompressible flow so long as $u \ll c$, fluid velocities $\ll$ speed of sound in fluid

If then the initial configuration is $\sim$ of uniform density, then one may safely take $\rho = \rho_0$ for all t unless one wishes to discuss hypersonic or acoustical phenomena.

For a more careful discussion see
Batchelor p. 147-171

v/c called Mach number

speed of sound

air 15°C . 1 atm $c = 340.6 \text{ m/sec}$

water 15°C . $c = 1470 \text{ m/sec}$

for bodies moving ~~just below~~ slower
than say 100 m/sec in air
will show little effect of the
compressibility

normal steady flows in H_2O very
unlikely to ever be influenced by
compressibility.

hypersonic flow of interest to aeronautical
engineers of course

subject usually called gas dynamics
concerned with flow $v \sim c$ or $v > c$

let's consider then potential flow of such a fluid.

This is the classical problem of 19th century fluid mechanics

It is peculiar among probs. in cont. mech. in that the motion of the fluid is determined completely by the cont. eqn. The mom. eqn. serves merely to determine the pressure once the velocity field is known

potential flow $\underline{u} = \nabla \Psi$
 $\Psi =$ velocity potential

Recall this ignores
baroclinicity and
viscosity.

incompressible fluid $\nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0$ (cont. eqn.)

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla \Psi) = \nabla^2 \Psi = 0$$

$\nabla^2 \Psi = 0$. The velocity potential in the potential flow of a perfect fluid of const. ρ is always a harmonic fun. (satisfies Laplace's eqn.)

Hence the problem of determining $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ for such a fluid can be reduced to determining solns to Laplace's eqn.

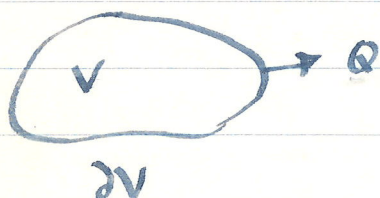
What are the relevant boundary conditions to be used in solving Laplace's equation? There are two cases:

I. Interior problem

The fluid is confined inside a cavity V . The walls ∂V can move in any way we please so long as we don't change the total volume

let $Q \equiv$ velocity of ∂V normal to itself

the b.c. is that on ∂V , $\hat{n} \cdot \underline{u} = Q$



$$\begin{aligned} \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \phi &= Q \text{ on } \partial V \\ \nabla^2 \phi &= 0 \text{ in } V \end{aligned}$$

this type of b.v. problem is called an interior Neumann problem

$\nabla^2 \phi = 0$ inside a volume V

$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \phi = Q$ specified on bdry ∂V

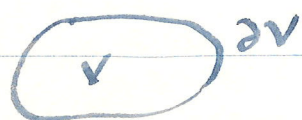
note: if the volume of the fluid is fixed we must have

$$\int_{\partial V} Q dA = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \int_{\partial V} \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \phi dA = 0$$

average value of $Q = \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \phi$ on ∂V must be zero, or problem makes no physical sense

II. Exterior problem

e.g. body moving through an infinite extent fluid



$E - V \equiv$ exterior of V

say velocity of body normal to itself specified

$Q \equiv$ velocity of ∂V

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla^2 \phi &= 0 \quad \text{in } E - V \\ \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \phi &= Q \quad \text{on } \partial V \\ \text{growth cond. at } \infty \end{aligned}$$

This type of b.v. problem called an exterior Neumann problem.

p. 54-56 of notes last term discuss the other common type of b.v. prob. for Laplace eqn, internal and external Dirichlet problem

(ϕ specified on ∂V instead of $\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \phi$)

Will discuss Neumann problems later
First let's see how we determine the pressure

$$\underline{u} = \nabla \psi$$

$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \quad \text{in } V \quad \text{or} \quad E-V$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = Q \quad \text{on } \partial V$$

1. solve Neumann problem for velocity potential $\psi(\underline{x}, t)$

This a well-posed problem.

2. Can then solve for $\underline{u} = \nabla \psi$

3. Then Bernoulli theorem I (not necessarily steady potential flow) can be used to obtain pressure variation

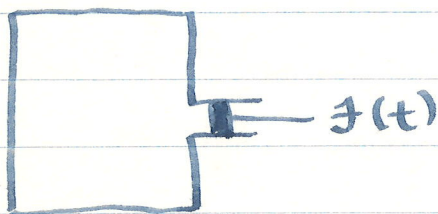
$$q = P/\rho_0$$

$$P/\rho_0 = -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial t} - \frac{1}{2} |\nabla \psi|^2 - \phi + F(t)$$

reason for arbitrary $f(t)$ of time in
eqn of pressure $F(t)$

Has no effect on motion, only on
pressure

But for an incomp. fluid knowing
motion is not in general sufficient
to completely determine pressure



pushing on the piston produces no motion
in the fluid, but we can alter
the pressure in any way we like
(a $f(t)$ of time only)

If $\exists$ a point where $p(\underline{r}, t)$ is known
(e.g. a free surface) then $f(t)$ is
known and $p(\underline{r}, t)$ is uniquely
determined throughout the fluid.

Note: can trade $f(t)$ off
against arb. const. in
spec. of $\psi(t)$

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Lecture # 17 Review

The flow of an incompressible perfect fluid
(a perfect fluid of constant density)

The flow is completely determined by the continuity eqn.

Potential or irrotational flow $\underline{u} = \nabla \psi$

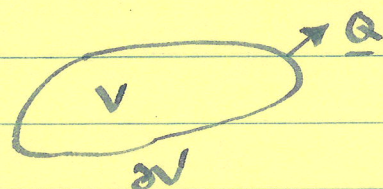
$\psi =$ velocity potential

Cont. eqn. for incomp. fluid

$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \quad \text{Laplace's eqn}$$

Leads commonly to two types of b.c. problems

Interior Neumann problem

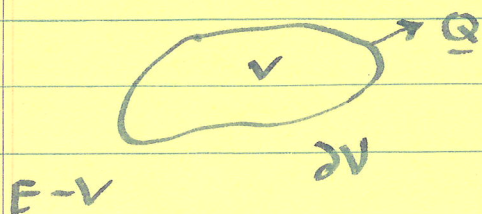


$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \quad \text{in } V$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = Q \quad \text{on } \partial V$$

(normal fluid velocity $\equiv$ that of wall)

Exterior Neumann problem



$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \quad \text{in } E-V \text{ (outside of } V)$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = Q \quad \text{on } \partial V$$

1. solve Neumann problem for velocity potential $\Psi(\underline{r}, t)$

This a well-posed problem

2. can then solve for $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \Psi(\underline{r}, t)$

3. Then Bernoulli thm I can be used to obtain pressure variation $p(\underline{r}, t)$

$$\underline{q} = p/\rho_0$$

$$p/\rho_0 = - \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t} - \frac{1}{2} |\nabla \Psi|^2 - \phi + F(t)$$

↑
arbitrary fun of
time.

Now examine the nature of Neumann b.v. problems.

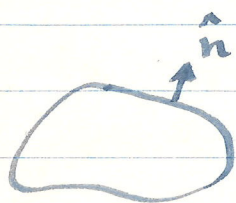
13. Neumann b.v. problems

I. Interior Neumann problem

Given a fcn ψ

$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \text{ in } V \quad (\text{harmonic in } V)$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = Q \text{ on } \partial V$$



this a standard b.v. problem
for Laplace's eqn

Uniqueness: claim ψ is uniquely determined
in V

If $\exists$ two potential fcn ψ_1 and ψ_2 which
satisfy $\nabla^2 \psi = 0$ in V and $\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = 0$
on ∂V , then $\psi_1 - \psi_2 = \text{const.}$ in V .

$$\text{proof:} \quad \begin{aligned} \nabla^2(\psi_1 - \psi_2) &= 0 & \text{in } V \\ \hat{n} \cdot \nabla(\psi_1 - \psi_2) &= 0 & \text{on } \partial V \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{let } \psi = \psi_1 - \psi_2$$

$$\text{consider } \int_V |\nabla \psi|^2 dV$$

$$\text{but } |\nabla \psi|^2 = \nabla \psi \cdot \nabla \psi = \nabla \cdot (\psi \nabla \psi) - \psi \nabla^2 \psi$$

$$\int_V |\nabla \psi|^2 dV = \int_V \nabla \cdot (\psi \nabla \psi) dV - \int_V \psi \nabla^2 \psi dV$$

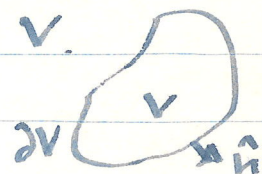
$\times \text{ zero}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \int_{\partial V} \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \Psi \, dA = \int_{\partial V} \Psi \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \Psi \, dA \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus $\nabla \Psi = 0$ or $\Psi = \text{constant}$

Thus $\Psi_1 - \Psi_2 = \text{constant}$ q.e.d.

Thus if at time t the velocity $\underline{u}$ is an incompressible potential flow in a region V and if the normal velocity $\hat{n} \cdot \underline{u}$ is specified everywhere on the boundary ∂V , then $\underline{u}$ is uniquely determined throughout V .
(there is no dependence of $\underline{u}$ on an arbitrary constant)



Note the peculiar nature of incompressible potential flow - completely determined by value of normal velocity on surface.

The theorem asserts uniqueness but not existence. Existence is much harder to prove.

e.g. if $Q = 0$ for all of ∂V , there can be no motion. The flow is completely determined by the instantaneous value of $Q \equiv$ wall velocity

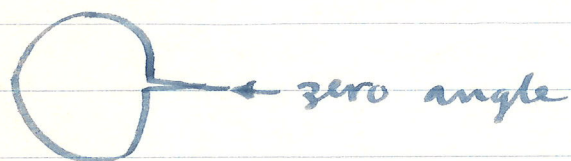
We just quote a result

Theorem: If ∂V is smooth except for some edges and corners with non-zero angles, and if Q is piecewise continuous and satisfies

$$\int_{\partial V} Q \, dA = 0$$

then $\exists$ a fun ψ harmonic in V and which satisfies $\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = Q$ everywhere on ∂V except possibly at edges or corners

Remarks: It is possible to invent surfaces for which no soln $\exists$. One can however allow corners with non-zero angles



a so-called Lebesgue spine

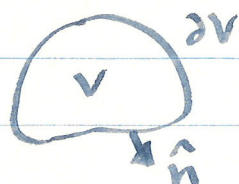
Reason for condition $\int_{\partial V} Q \, dA = 0$

Physically, to prevent changes in volume of our incomp. fluid

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mathematically, } \int_V \nabla^2 \psi \, dV &= \int_V \nabla \cdot \nabla \psi \, dV \\ &= \int_{\partial V} \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi \, dA \end{aligned}$$

clearly zero.

Exterior Neumann Problem



$E - V \equiv$ exterior of V
fluid flow around an obstacle

- (i) Given $\nabla^2 \psi = 0$ in $E - V$
- (ii) Given $\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = Q$ on ∂V
- (iii) For uniqueness, need a cond. at ∞
 $\nabla \psi \rightarrow 0$ as $r \rightarrow \infty$

Then ψ is determined to within an additive constant.

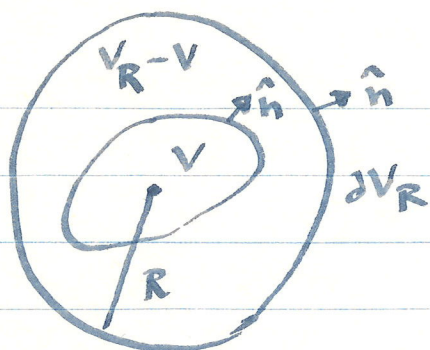
For a simple proof, we make a stronger hypothesis than (iii)

- (iiia) $r^2 |\nabla \psi|$ bounded as $r \rightarrow \infty$

Theorem: Given two fns ψ_1 and ψ_2 satisfying (i), (ii), and (iiia). Then $\psi_1 - \psi_2 = \text{const.}$ in $E - V$.

Proof: this time let $\psi = \psi_1 - \psi_2 + \text{a const.}$ $\Rightarrow$

Then $\nabla^2 \psi = 0$ in $E - V$ $\psi \rightarrow 0$ at ∞
 $\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = 0$ on ∂V
 $r^2 |\nabla \psi|$ bd. as $r \rightarrow \infty$



let V_R be a ball of radius R completely enclosing V and let $\partial V_R \equiv$ surface of V_R

$$\int_{V_R - V} |\nabla \psi|^2 dV = \int_{V_R - V} [\nabla \cdot (\psi \nabla \psi) - \psi \nabla^2 \psi] dV$$

$\downarrow_{\text{zero}}$

$$= \int_{V_R - V} \nabla \cdot (\psi \nabla \psi) dV = \int_{\partial V_R} \psi \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi dA - \int_V \psi \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi dA$$

$\downarrow_{\text{zero}}$

so

$$\int_{V_R - V} |\nabla \psi|^2 dV = \int_{\partial V_R} \psi \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi dA$$

now we have chosen ψ so that $\psi(\infty) = 0$
 (the reference level is arbitrary)
 Assume $\psi \rightarrow 0$ as $r \rightarrow \infty$

$$\int_{V_R - V} |\nabla \psi|^2 dV = \int_{\partial V_R} \psi \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi dA$$

$$\leq 4\pi R^2 \underbrace{\max_{r=R} |\nabla \psi|}_{\text{b.d.}} \underbrace{\max_{r=R} |\psi|}_{\rightarrow \text{zero as } R \rightarrow \infty}$$

hence $\int_{V_R - V} |\nabla \psi|^2 dV \rightarrow 0$ as $R \rightarrow \infty$

$$\int_{E-V} |\nabla \Psi|^2 dV = 0 \quad \text{hence} \quad |\nabla \Psi| = 0$$

$$\text{or} \quad \Psi_1 - \Psi_2 + \text{a const.} = \text{a const.}$$

$$\Psi_1 - \Psi_2 = \text{const.} \quad \text{q.e.d.}$$

For proof with weaker cond. at ∞ see Batchelor 116.
Existence can be shown for the three above
 conds. Do not need extra condition
 on $\int_{\partial V} Q dA = 0$

No physical reason for it either.

Once again we see the peculiar nature of
 incomp. potential flow. The flow of an
 incomp. fluid about a body is
 completely determined by the motion of
 the body.

Important: Note that the flow field is
 determined at any time t by the
instantaneous velocity of the body.

~~By specifying the instantaneous velocity~~

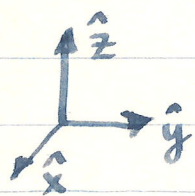
This strikingly peculiar result is true
 because the eqns of motion do not contain
 t explicitly, the b.c. which determine the
 solution uniquely contain only instantaneous
 quantities (no time derivatives)

neither the acceleration or past history is relevant.

Familiar properties of fluids which are in conflict with these results are due to our neglect of elastic and viscous properties of fluids.

14. Example: a uniformly moving spherical body, no gravity

Consider a spherical body moving with velocity $\underline{U} = U \hat{z}$ through a homog. incompressible fluid



~~incompressible fluid~~
steady

equivalent problem, flow of the fluid past a stationary spherical obstacle



$$\underline{U} = U \hat{z} \text{ at } \infty$$

We consider problem first from first point of view.

assume no motion at ∞ (fluid at rest at ∞ in fluid reference frame)

$$\star \left. \begin{array}{l} \nabla^2 \psi = 0 \quad r \gg a \\ \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = U \cos \theta \quad \text{on } r = a \\ \nabla \psi \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{at } r = \infty \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{consider at } t=0 \\ \text{center at } x, y, z=0 \end{array}$$

can consider separately at each instant t , because of the already noticed property of the flow (no dependence on past history or acceleration).

By above then, the problem $\star$ has a unique soln.

Try the solution

$$\psi = -\frac{U}{2} \frac{a^3}{r^2} \cos \theta$$

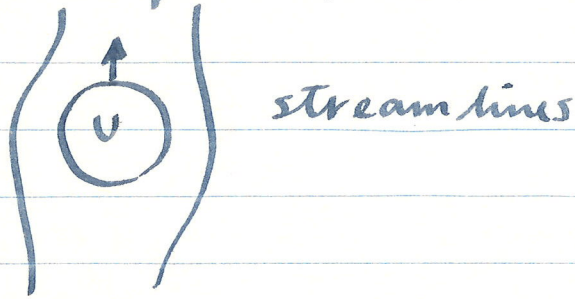
$$\frac{\cos \theta}{r^2} = \frac{z}{r^3} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) \quad \text{and} \quad \nabla^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \nabla^2 \frac{1}{r} = 0 \quad (\text{except at } r=0, \text{ but}$$

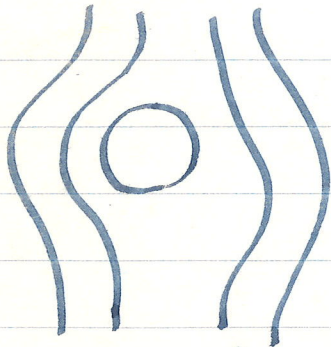
certainly outside $r \gg a$)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{also } \psi &\rightarrow 0 \text{ as } r \rightarrow \infty \text{ and} \\ \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi &= \hat{r} \cdot \nabla \psi = \partial \psi / \partial r = U \frac{a^3}{r^3} \cos \theta \\ &= U \cos \theta \quad \text{on } r = a \end{aligned}$$

by uniqueness, this is the solution



now to compute associated pressure fluctuations, go to body reference frame where motion is steady



in body reference frame $\underline{u}'(\underline{r}, t) = \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) - U \hat{z}$

$$\underline{u} = U \hat{z} \text{ at } \infty (\neq \infty)$$

$$\underline{u}' = \underline{u} - U \hat{z} = \nabla \psi - U \hat{z} = \nabla (\psi - U z) = \nabla \psi'$$

$$\psi' = \psi - U z = -U \cos \theta \left(r + \frac{1}{2} \frac{a^3}{r^2} \right)$$

now for steady motion, can use Bernoulli theorem II

$$\frac{P_\infty}{\rho_0} + \frac{1}{2} U^2 = \frac{P}{\rho_0} + \frac{1}{2} (u')^2 \quad u' = \nabla \psi'$$

$$(u')^2 = u^2 \left[1 + (\sin^2 \theta - 2\cos^2 \theta) \frac{a^3}{r^3} + \left(\cos^2 \theta + \frac{1}{4} \sin^2 \theta \right) \frac{a^6}{r^6} \right]$$

$$\frac{P - P_\infty}{\rho_0} = \frac{u^2}{2} \left(\frac{a}{r} \right)^3 \left[(3\cos^2 \theta - 1) - \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{a}{r} \right)^3 (3\cos^2 \theta + 1) \right]$$

pressure on the sphere

$$\frac{P_{\text{sphere}} - P_\infty}{\rho_0} = \frac{u^2}{2} \left[\frac{9}{4} \cos^2 \theta - \frac{5}{4} \right]$$

plot on surface of sphere



$$-\frac{5}{4} \left(\text{all times } \frac{u^2}{2} \right)$$

pressure the same
in front & in back

reason: there
is no dissipation
of energy or
flow of energy to ∞

clearly integrates to zero $\rightarrow$
perfect fluid theory predicts no drag
force (D'Alembert's paradox)

No longer of course a paradox - drag forces
are due to viscosity of fluids. The flow
pattern we have predicted is in fact quite

accurate except in a thin viscous boundary layer on surface of sphere. This gives rise to a viscous drag but affects the flow pattern very little. Energy dissipation (viscous).

Problem: ~~~~~



massless ping pong ball - what is the ensuing motion.

You may neglect the effect of the bottom.

end here 15 Mar '72

assign problem: to compute the eigenfrequencies of a self-gravitating sphere of perfect fluid, radius a
comment on $\ell = 0, 1$.

Review:

Discussing the flow of an incompressible
homogeneous, non viscous fluid in a grav. field

Governing equations are:

$$\rho_t \underline{u} = -\nabla \left(\frac{P}{\rho_0} + \phi \right)$$

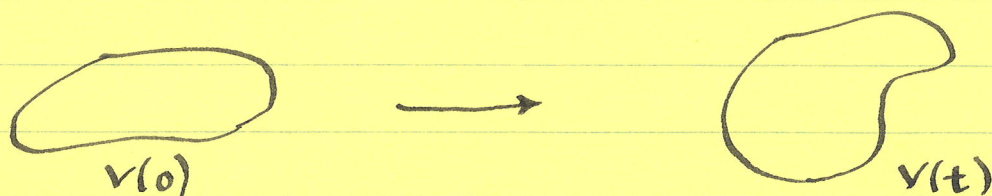
$$\nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0$$

$$\rho(\underline{r}, t) \equiv \rho_0 \quad \text{constant}$$

$$\phi(\underline{r}, t) = \text{external grav pot.}$$

4 eqns for four unknowns $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$
 $\rho(\underline{r}, t)$

By a consideration of the vorticity $\underline{w}(\underline{r}, t)$
 $\equiv \nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$, we proved a fundamental
result



Given a body of fluid (non-viscous, perfect)
at time $t = 0$ with
no vorticity $\underline{w}(\underline{r}, 0) = 0 \quad \forall \underline{r} \in V(0)$

Then for all later times t , that body of fluid continues to have zero vorticity.

$$\underline{\omega}(\underline{r}, t) = 0 \quad \forall \underline{r} \in V(t)$$

This fundamental result led us to pay particular attention to potential flow

If $\nabla \times \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = 0$, then $\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t)$ can be written in terms of a velocity potential

$$\underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) = \nabla \Psi(\underline{r}, t)$$

Procedure for examining potential flow using eqns $\star$.

$$1. \quad \nabla \cdot \underline{u} = 0 \Rightarrow \nabla^2 \Psi = 0$$

solve Neumann problem for $\Psi(\underline{r}, t)$

$$2. \quad \text{find velocity } \underline{u}(\underline{r}, t) \text{ by } \underline{u} = \nabla \Psi$$

motion thus completely determined by cont. eqn. alone

$$3. \quad \text{use } \partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla \left(\frac{P}{\rho_0} + \phi \right) \text{ to deduce Bernoulli thm, use this to find pressure } P(\underline{r}, t)$$

$$P/\rho_0 = -\partial_t \Psi - \frac{1}{2} |\nabla \Psi|^2 - \phi + f(t)$$

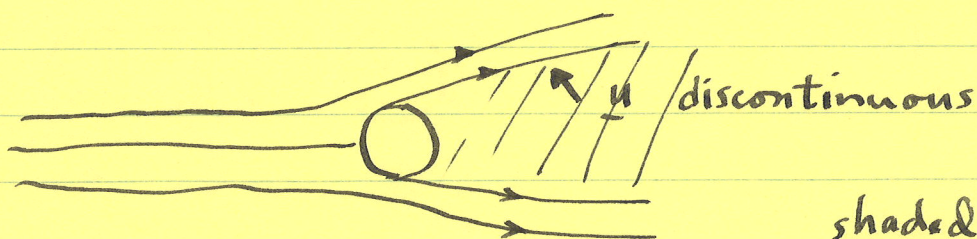
Potential flow problems have unique solutions.

We deduced, for example, the unique potential flow around a sphere.

Unfortunately, we are not entitled to say that we have found the unique solution for flow around a sphere

We have found the unique potential flow under the assumption that the flow is everywhere a potential flow

The eqns * also admit solns with separation at the surface of the body



shaded region not necessarily potential flow.

Note: such solutions are not in conflict with Kelvin's theorem. Irrotational upstream elements remain irrotational. But the tang. discont. of u allows the wake to be

to be ~~be~~ rotational. There are an ∞ no. of such solns with separation.

None of these solutions are physically significant, since such tang. disconts. in u are dynamically unstable (Kelvin-Helmholtz) and in practice turbulence would set in.

In practice, our solution (assuming pot. flow everywhere) is the correct soln for low Re ; for higher Re the discont. solns are correct. Precisely why this is so cannot be learned from our non-viscous eqns.

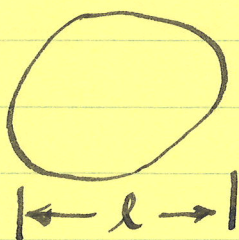
When Re is low, actual flows are observed to be potential flows (except in thin bdy layers) and our theory is a good one. At higher Re our theory breaks down. This breakdown is not in conflict with Kelvin's theorem, except in the wake the flow remains potential flow, in agreement with Kelvin. It is the possible existence of discont. solns that leads to the breakdown.

There is one circumstance for which we can assume that the flow of a non viscous fluid is necessarily potential flow in general

I.e., $\exists$ one circumstance in which discont. solns. can be shown not to exist.

This is the circumstance of a body undergoing small oscillations in a fluid at rest.

In any such circumstance, potential flow is the only possible flow. The only effect of viscosity is to give rise to thin boundary layers which adhere to the body and do not detach. The proof does not depend on Kelvin's theorem.



Say body undergoes oscillations of amplitude $a \ll l$

We have
$$\partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla \left(\frac{P}{\rho_0} + \phi \right)$$

$$\partial_t \underline{u} + \underline{u} \cdot \nabla \underline{u} = -\nabla \left(\frac{P}{\rho_0} + \phi \right)$$

Say the body has a velocity $\underline{v}$.

The fluid motion has a scale length $\approx l$

$$\text{Hence } \begin{aligned} \partial_t \underline{u} &\sim \omega v & \omega &\equiv \text{freq. of oscillation} \\ \underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u} &\sim v^2/l \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now } \omega \sim v/a \text{ so } \partial_t \underline{u} \sim v^2/a$$

$$\text{If } a \ll l \text{ then } \underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u} \ll \partial_t \underline{u}$$

Hence the non-linear term $\underline{u} \cdot \underline{\nabla} \underline{u}$ can be neglected if the oscillation is small

The mom. eqn. becomes

$$\partial_t \underline{u} = -\nabla \left(\frac{p}{\rho_0} + \phi \right)$$

Taking the curl of both sides

$$\nabla \times \partial_t \underline{u} = 0$$

$$\partial_t (\nabla \times \underline{u}) = 0$$

$$\nabla \times \underline{u} = \text{const. in time}$$

But in oscillatory motion $\langle \underline{u} \rangle = 0$, hence $\langle \nabla \times \underline{u} \rangle = 0$ and thus $\nabla \times \underline{u} = 0$

Thus the motion of a fluid executing small oscillations is a potential flow to first order in a/l .

This argument does not depend on
Kelvin's theorem.

In general, we can be assured that
potential flow is a very good
approx. in any case of small
oscillations.

We now apply this result to a
discussion of the Slichter mode of the $\odot$.

Lecture # 18

15. The Slichter Mode

Now good evidence that Earth has a solid inner core

Strong seismological evidence

PKiKP (Davies, Flinn)

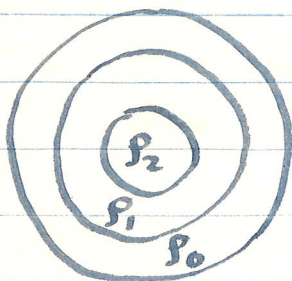
PKJKP just recently observed (Davies)
appears to be necessary to fit certain
free oscillation data

Consider the following simple model
of the Earth

1. rigid mantle and ~~inner~~ inner core
2. outer core incomp. fluid of
constant density

Consider oscillations of inner core about
c.o.m. of Earth. A possible mode of
motion of such an @ model.

Could be detected by a gravimeter
at the surface



take $a_0 = 6400$ km

$a_1 = 3500$ km

$a_2 = 1200$ km

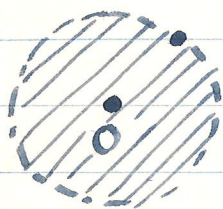
rounded off

I. first approximation

let the inner core be a point mass
 liquid does not interfere
 (can exert no buoyant force, no
 energy is required to push
 water out of the way.

we have merely a pt. mass moving
 in a gravitational field

Fix coord. system to c.o.m. of $\bullet$
 (fixed in space; an inertial frame)



move particle out a distance
 $\underline{r}$ from c.o.m.
 only mass inside exerts a
 grav. attraction

force ~~is~~ exerted on particle = $\underline{mg}$

$$\underline{g} = - \frac{\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \rho_1}{r^2} \hat{r} = - \frac{4}{3}\pi \rho_1 G \underline{r}$$

eqn. of motion of particle $\underline{F} = m\underline{a}$

$$\underline{mg} = m\underline{\ddot{r}}$$

$$m \ddot{r} = -m \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 r$$

$$\ddot{r} + \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 r = 0$$

eqn for a simple harmonic oscillator
frequency of oscillation

$$\omega_I^2 = \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1$$

$\rho_1 =$ density out fluid outer core
 $\cong \text{~~11~~}_{12} \text{ gm/cm}^3$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_I^2 &\sim \frac{4}{3} (3.14) (6.67 \cdot 10^{-8}) (\text{~~11~~}_{12}) \\ &\sim \frac{3 \cdot 10 \cdot 10^{-6}}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 10^{-6}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega} = T \sim 3500 \text{ sec} \quad \text{or} \quad T \sim 1 \text{ hr.}$$

this gives a very rough idea of frequency of oscillation of this mode.

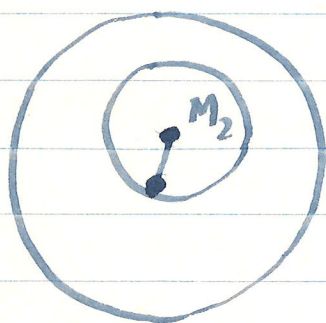
II. Second approximation

Take the inner core to have a finite volume but assume that at any time the force being exerted on the

sphere is the same as if the sphere were at rest. We neglect the fact that the core must move water out of the way.

[Furthermore let us treat the mantle as if it is of ∞ mass — does not move

We have then a rigid sphere moving inside a fluid contained within a spherical cavity.



let M_2 = mass of inner core

$\underline{s}$ = displacement of center of inner core

→ This produces an error of order
 mass of inner core / mass of mantle
 $\sim \frac{9 \cdot 10^{25} \text{ gm}}{4 \cdot 10^{27} \text{ gm}} \sim 2\%$

We assume that the force exerted on

displaced sphere is as if the displacement were completely static

$$\underline{F} = \underline{F}_{\text{grav}} + \underline{F}_{\text{buoyant}}$$

$\underline{F}_{\text{grav}}$ may be calculated as if there were no hole in the fluid since net force of fluid in M_2 would be zero by symmetry

Mantle has no grav. effect | your ass. of ∞ mass thus plays no role.

$\underline{F}_{\text{grav}}$ hence same as if the core were a pt. mass.

$$\underline{F}_{\text{grav}} = - \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 M_2 \underline{s}$$

$\underline{F}_b$ by Archimedes principle = the grav. force exerted on a sphere of fluid occupying the same volume

$$\underline{F}_{\text{buoyant}} = \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 M_2 \underline{s} \right) \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}$$

Again Newton's second law of motion

$$\underline{F} = \underline{F}_{\text{grav}} + \underline{F}_{\text{buoy}} = M_2 \underline{\ddot{s}}$$

$$M_2 \underline{\ddot{s}} = - M_2 \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 \right) \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right) \underline{s}$$

$$\boxed{\underline{\ddot{s}} + \left(\frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 \right) \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right) \underline{s} = 0}$$

again simple harmonic oscillator eqn.

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} \omega_{\text{II}}^2 &= \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 \left(1 - \rho_1 / \rho_2 \right) \\ &= \omega_{\text{I}}^2 \left(1 - \rho_1 / \rho_2 \right) \end{aligned}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_1 &\approx \overset{12}{11} \text{ gm/cm}^3 \\ \rho_2 &\approx \overset{13}{13} \text{ gm/cm}^3 \quad (\text{density of solid inner core}) \end{aligned}$$

$$1 - \rho_1 / \rho_2 = 1 - 11/13 = \frac{2}{13}$$

$$1 - \frac{12}{13} = \frac{1}{13}$$

effect of buoyant force on solid inner core is to increase the period by $\sim \sqrt{13/2} \sim 2.5$

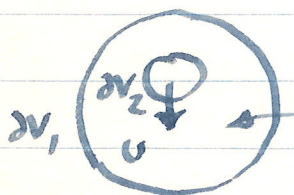
~~11.2 hrs~~ $\sqrt{13} \approx 3.6$ ~~11.2 hrs~~ hrs
Period now increased to ~ 2.5 hrs.
3.6 hrs

Physically, effect of buoyant force is to weaken the restoring force, thus decrease the ~~period~~ frequency.

We have assumed that the reactive force of the liquid on the solid inner core is purely due to the ~~the~~ static buoyancy

We have not considered dynamic pressure fluctuations due to Bernoulli theorem.

Straightforward way to do this is to solve



$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \text{ in fluid}$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = U \cos \theta \text{ on } \partial V_2$$

$$\hat{n} \cdot \nabla \psi = 0 \text{ on } \partial V_1$$

Then use Bernoulli theorem to find the pressure on surface of inner core and integrate to find net force. This may be difficult.

Let's adopt a simpler approach

System only has three degrees of freedom (position $\underline{s}$ of inner core)

Consider one-dimensional motion (clearly symmetric)

Said in another way: θ, ϕ are ignorable coordinates.

The dynamics of the system is completely described by giving the Lagrangian of the system $L(s, \dot{s})$

$$L = T - V \quad \text{conservative system}$$

$$T = \text{K.E.} = T(\dot{s})$$

$$V = \text{P.E.} = V(s)$$

small oscillations of a conservative system (Goldstein, Ch. 10)

~~Minimum energy approach~~

Equation of motion is Lagrange's eqn

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{s}} \right) - \frac{\partial L}{\partial s} = 0$$

Use Lagrangian (one-dimensional) approach on second approximation

K.E. we assumed that only the K.E. of the solid inner core was important — neglected K.E. of motion of fluid core

$$\boxed{T(\dot{s}) = \frac{1}{2} M_2 \dot{s}^2}$$

P.E. gravitational potential energy of sphere — fluid system

Recall force on sphere

$$\underline{F} = \underline{F}_{\text{grav}} + \underline{F}_{\text{buoy}} = -\frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_1 M_2 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}\right) s$$

change in P.E. due to a displacement increment $\underline{ds}$

$$dV = - \underline{ds} \cdot \underline{F}$$

$$dV = \frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_1 M_2 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}\right) s ds$$

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_1 M_2 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}\right) \frac{s^2}{2} + \text{const}$$

This is the gravitational potential energy of the displaced configuration

take = zero ; P.E. = 0
for zero displacement

$$V(s) = \frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_1 M_2 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}\right) \frac{s^2}{2}$$

This is the gravitational potential energy.

$$L(s, \dot{s}) = T(\dot{s}) - V(s)$$

Lagrangian's eqn $\frac{d}{dt} (M_2 \dot{s}) + \frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_1 M_2 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}\right) s$

= 0

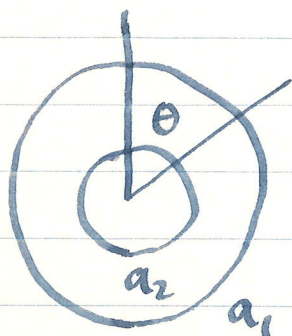
$$\ddot{s} + \frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_1 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}\right) s = 0$$

led to same eqn. as before

III. Third approximation

We see that the main ingredient we have neglected is the K.E. of the fluid.

Let's now assume the displacement s is small compared to $a_1, -a_2$



$$s \ll a_1, -a_2$$

flow of fluid outer core $\underline{u} = \nabla \psi$

$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0 \quad a_2 \leq r \leq a_1,$$

$$\partial \psi / \partial r = 0 \quad \text{on } r = a_1,$$

$$\partial \psi / \partial r = U \cos \theta \quad \text{on } r = a_2$$

$$U = \dot{s}$$

~~By the way~~ Can easily establish a uniqueness theorem for this situation
 $\exists$ a unique solution

Simultaneously
 interior and
 exterior.

Try solution $\psi = R(r) \cos \theta$

$$\nabla^2 = \partial_r^2 + \frac{2}{r} \partial_r + \frac{1}{r^2} \left[\frac{1}{\sin \theta} \partial_\theta (\sin \theta \partial_\theta) + \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} \partial_\phi^2 \right]$$

$$\nabla^2 R(r) \cos \theta = \left(\frac{d^2 R}{dr^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{dR}{dr} \right) \cos \theta - \frac{2}{r^2} R \cos \theta$$

$$\left[\frac{d^2 R}{dr^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{dR}{dr} - \frac{2}{r^2} R \right] \cos \theta = 0$$

homog. linear eqn. for $R(r)$
 equidimensional eqn

Try solution $R = r^n$

$$n(n-1) + 2n - 2 = 0$$

$$n^2 + n - 2 = 0$$

$$(n+2)(n-1) = 0$$

$$n = -2 \text{ or } n = 1$$

$$R(r) = Ar + \frac{B}{r^2}$$

$$\text{b.c. } \frac{dR}{dr} = 0 \text{ at } r = a_1$$

$$\frac{dR}{dr} = U \text{ at } r = a_2$$

determines A and B

$$A = -U \left[\frac{a_2^3}{a_1^3 - a_2^3} \right], \quad B = -\frac{U}{2} \left[\frac{a_1^3 a_2^3}{a_1^3 - a_2^3} \right]$$

This determines $\Psi(r, \theta)$ the velocity potential

Now K.E. of moving fluid

$$T_{\text{fluid}} = \frac{1}{2} \rho_1 \int_{V_1 - V_2} |\nabla \Psi|^2 dV$$

$$\int_{V_1 - V_2} |\nabla \Psi|^2 dV = \int_{V_1 - V_2} \nabla \cdot (\Psi \nabla \Psi) dV - \int_{V_1 - V_2} \Psi \nabla^2 \Psi dV$$

$\searrow$ zero

$$= \int_{\partial(V_1 - V_2)} \Psi \hat{n} \cdot \nabla \Psi dA = \int_{\partial V_1} \Psi \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r} dA - \int_{\partial V_2} \Psi \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial r} dA$$

$\searrow$ zero

$$= -U \int_{\partial V_2} \Psi \cos \theta dA$$

$$T_{\text{fluid}} = -\frac{1}{2} \rho_1 U \int_{\partial V_2} \left(A a_2 + \frac{B}{a_2^2} \right) \cos^2 \theta dA$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \rho_1 U \left(A + \frac{B}{a_2^3} \right) a_2^3 \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi \int_0^\pi d\theta \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

letting $U = \dot{z}$, and doing the integral

$$T_{\text{fluid}} = \frac{4}{3} \pi \rho_1 a_2^3 \frac{\dot{s}^2}{2} \underbrace{\left[\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1}\right)^3}{1 - \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1}\right)^3} \right]}_{\text{call this } \beta}$$

$$T_{\text{fluid}} = \frac{1}{2} M_2 \dot{s}^2 \underbrace{\left[\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1}\right)^3}{1 - \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1}\right)^3} \right] \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}}_{\text{call this } \beta}$$

reason for singularity at $a_2 = a_1$ is clear

As $a_2 \rightarrow a_1$, fluid must move very rapidly to get out of the way

$$T_{\text{fluid}} = \frac{1}{2} M_2 \dot{s}^2 \left(\frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \beta \right)$$

$$T_{\text{total}} = \frac{1}{2} M_2 \dot{s}^2 \left(1 + \beta \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right)$$

$$L(s, \dot{s}) = T_{\text{total}}(\dot{s}) - V(s)$$

$$L(s, \dot{s}) = \frac{1}{2} M_2 \dot{s}^2 \left(1 + \beta \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right) - \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 M_2 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right) \frac{s^2}{2}$$

Put into Euler's equations

$$\ddot{s} \left(1 + \beta \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right) + \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right) s = 0$$

again S.H. oscillator eqn

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{III}^2 &= \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 \left[\frac{1 - (\rho_1/\rho_2)}{1 + \beta(\rho_1/\rho_2)} \right] \\ &= \omega_I^2 \left[\frac{1 - (\rho_1/\rho_2)}{1 + \beta(\rho_1/\rho_2)} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Effect of K.E. of fluid is to further lower the char. freq. and to further increase the period

$$a_1 = 3500 \text{ km.}$$

$$a_2 = 1200 \text{ km.}$$

$$\frac{a_2}{a_1} = \frac{1200}{3500} = .343 \quad \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1} \right)^3 = .040$$

$$\beta = \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1} \right)^3}{1 - \left(\frac{a_2}{a_1} \right)^3} = \frac{.5 + .04}{1 - .04} = \frac{.54}{.96} = .55$$

$$\frac{1 - 12/13}{1 + 0.55 \times 12/13} = \frac{1}{13} \frac{1}{1.5} = \frac{1}{13} \cdot \frac{2}{3} = \frac{2}{39} \approx \frac{1}{20}$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{20}$$

$$\left(\frac{1 - \rho_1/\rho_2}{1 + \beta \rho_1/\rho_2} \right) = \left(\frac{1 - \frac{11}{13}}{1 + (-.55) \frac{11}{13}} \right) = \frac{2}{13} \left(\frac{1}{1.5} \right) = 0.1$$

the period is increased by a factor

$$\left[\frac{1 - (\rho_1/\rho_2)}{1 + \beta (\rho_1/\rho_2)} \right]^{-1/2} = \sqrt{10} \approx 3.2$$

~~5.5~~ ~~4.5~~
5.5 hrs ≈ 4.5

PREM:
Slichter
mode
325 min or 5.5 hrs

(4.5 hrs)
period ~ 3.2 hrs.
Model DG579 gives $T \approx 4.3$
 ± 0.4 hrs (split triplet)

Smith, J. G. R.
(1976) SI, 3055-
3065. Translational

inner core oscillations of a
rotating, slightly elliptical Earth.

Such a motion would have a period
 ~ 3 hrs.

It could possibly be detected by a
gravimeter at surface of Earth
Freeman Gilbert of La Jolla, using
a much better model of the real Earth
found a period of the so-called
Slichter mode of ~ 4 hrs.

Suggested that it might possibly have
a very high Q (most of energy
is compr. energy in the solid inner
core).

Has never been observed, but worth
looking for in gravimeter records.

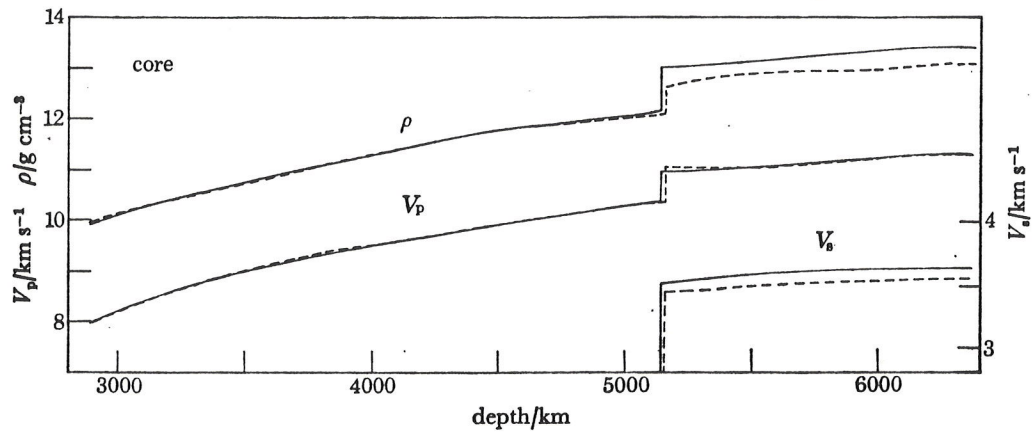


FIGURE 15. The Earth models obtained as a result of inverting 1463 gross Earth data, of which 1066 are distinct. model 1066A was derived from model 508 and model 1066B was derived from model B1.

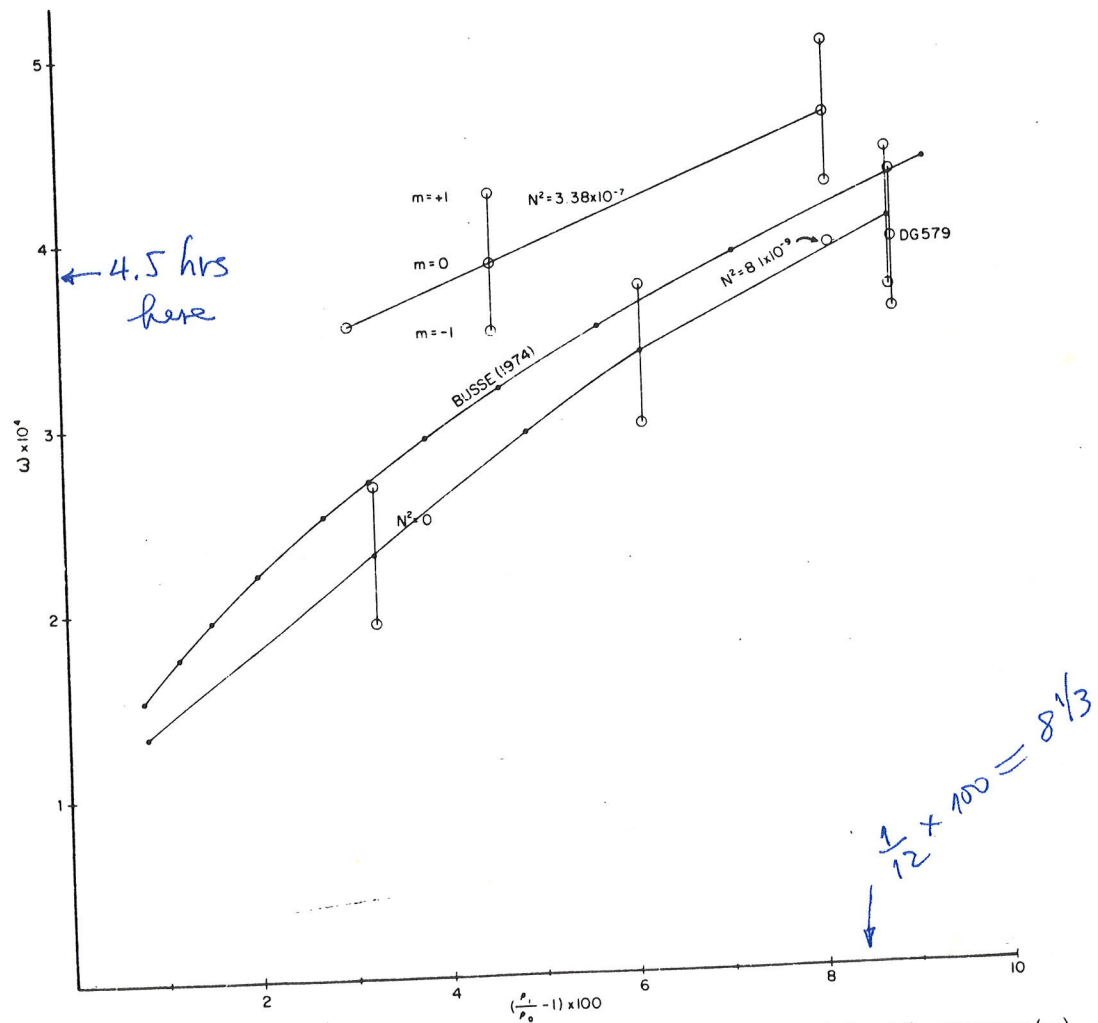


Fig. 9. Eigenfrequencies as a function of fractional density contrast between the inner core (ρ_i) and the outer core (ρ_o) computed in this study and those of Busse [1974]. The latter are for the $m = 0$ mode. The triplet for each model is joined by a vertical bar; $\omega^+ > \omega^0 > \omega^-$ in each case.

①

$$m \ddot{\underline{r}} + 2m \underline{\Omega} \times \dot{\underline{r}} + m \underline{\Omega} \times (\underline{\Omega} \times \underline{r}) + \underline{F}_B + \underline{F}_H = 0$$

$$\rho_2 \rho_1$$

$$a_2/a_1 \rightarrow 0 \quad \beta \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\ddot{\underline{r}} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right)$$

$$m = \frac{4}{3} \pi \rho_2 a^3$$

$$\ddot{\underline{s}} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2} \right)$$

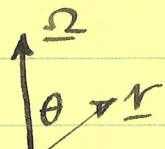
$$\ddot{\underline{r}} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) + 2 \underline{\Omega} \times \dot{\underline{r}} + \underline{\Omega} \times (\underline{\Omega} \times \underline{r}) + \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) \underline{r} = 0$$

along the rotation axis, $\underline{\Omega} = \underline{0}$ is applicable

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$$\ddot{\underline{r}} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) + 2 \underline{\Omega} \times \dot{\underline{r}} + \underline{\Omega} \times (\underline{\Omega} \times \underline{r}) + \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) \underline{r} = 0$$

now $\underline{\Omega} \times (\underline{\Omega} \times \underline{r}) =$

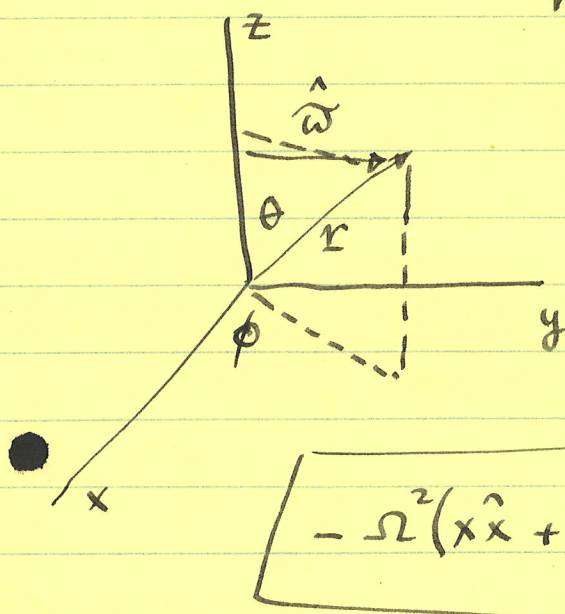


$$- \Omega^2 r \sin \theta \hat{\omega}$$

$$r \sin \theta = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\hat{\omega} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\hat{x} + \hat{y})$$

$$\hat{\omega} = \frac{x\hat{x} + y\hat{y}}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$



$$2 \underline{\Omega} \times \dot{\underline{r}} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} \hat{x} & \hat{y} & \hat{z} \\ 0 & 0 & \Omega \\ \dot{x} & \dot{y} & \dot{z} \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$-2 \hat{x} \Omega \dot{y} + 2 \hat{y} (\Omega \dot{x})$$

$$\ddot{x} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) - 2\Omega \dot{y} + \left[\frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) - \Omega^2 \right] x = 0$$

$$\ddot{y} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) + 2\Omega \dot{x} + \left[\frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) - \Omega^2 \right] y = 0$$

$$\ddot{z} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) + \left[\frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) \right] z = 0$$

consider the z equation

SHM

$$\omega^2 = \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_1 \left[\frac{1 - \rho_1/\rho_2}{1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_2}} \right]$$

$$\boxed{\omega^2 = \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left[\frac{1 - \rho_0/\rho_i}{1 + \frac{1}{2} \rho_0/\rho_i} \right]} \quad \text{as before}$$

now the coupled eqns

$$\text{let } u = x + iy$$

$$v = x - iy$$

$$a\ddot{x} - 2\Omega\dot{y} + bx = 0$$

$$a\ddot{y} + 2\Omega\dot{x} + by = 0$$

$$a(\ddot{x} + i\ddot{y}) - 2\Omega(\dot{y} - i\dot{x}) + b(x + iy) = 0$$

$$\boxed{a\ddot{u} - 2i\Omega\dot{u} + bu = 0}$$

$$a(\ddot{x} - i\ddot{y}) - 2\Omega(\dot{y} + i\dot{x}) + b(x - iy) = 0$$

$$\boxed{a\ddot{v} + 2i\Omega\dot{v} + bv = 0}$$

$$e^{i\omega t}$$

$$-a\omega^2 - 2i\Omega(i\omega) + b_{th} = 0$$

$$a\omega^2 - 2\Omega\omega - b_{th} = 0$$

$$\omega = \frac{2\Omega \pm \sqrt{4\Omega^2 + 4ba}}{2a}$$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{a} \left[\Omega \pm \sqrt{\Omega^2 + ba} \right]$$

$$\omega = \frac{1}{a} \left[\Omega \pm \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right)} \right]$$

$$ba = \left[\frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) - \Omega^2 \right] \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right]$$

$$\omega = \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right)^{-1} \left[\Omega \pm \sqrt{\Omega^2 + \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) \left(\frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) - \Omega^2 \right)} \right]$$

$$\omega = \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right)^{-1} \left[\Omega \pm \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \Omega^2 \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}} \right]$$

$$\omega = \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right)^{-1} \left[\Omega \pm \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}\pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \Omega^2 \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}} \right]$$

reduces to previous result for $\Omega=0$

$\rho_0 < \rho_i$ for buoyancy to act

$$(1 - \rho_0/\rho_i) > 0$$

get complex root if

$$\frac{1}{2} \Omega^2 \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i} > \frac{4}{3} \pi G \rho_0 \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right)$$

$$\Omega^2 > \frac{8}{3} \pi G \rho_i \left(1 - \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right)$$

get instability

$$\Omega^2 > 2 \frac{\rho_i}{\rho_0} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho_i}\right) \omega^2$$

for z-motion

$$2 \frac{13}{11} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{11}{13}\right)^2 \approx 2 \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = 2 \cdot \frac{9}{4} = \frac{9}{2}$$

$$\Omega \gtrsim \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} \omega \quad \text{or} \quad \Omega \gtrsim 2\omega$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega} \approx 3 \text{ hrs} \quad \text{okay for } \Phi$$

when!

$$T <$$

The effect of $\underline{\Omega}$ on the fluid flow
has of course been neglected.