

Conservation laws

Conservation of mass (ρ)

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \underline{v}) = \underline{\underline{f}}_{\text{source}}$$

rate of change of flux source
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} A$ ↓
 $\nabla \cdot (A \underline{v})$ ↓

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \underline{v}) = 0$$

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 rate of change
 \uparrow
 flux of mass

or

$$\frac{D\rho}{Dt} + \rho (\nabla \cdot \underline{v}) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (\rho v_i)$$

Conservation of momentum

Volume density of momentum $\rho \underline{v}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho \underline{v}) = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \rho \frac{\partial \underline{v}}{\partial t}$$

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 cons. of mass
 \uparrow
 N-S eq.

$$\rho \frac{D\underline{v}}{Dt} = \rho \left[\frac{\partial \underline{v}}{\partial t} + (\underline{v} \cdot \nabla) \underline{v} \right] = - \nabla p + \mu \nabla^2 \underline{v} + \rho \underline{f}$$

more generally:
 $\nabla \cdot \underline{\sigma}'$
 body force density

Components:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho v_i) = - v_i \frac{\partial (\rho v_j)}{\partial x_j} - \rho v_j \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} - \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\partial \sigma'_{ij}}{\partial x_j} + \rho f_i \quad (*)$$

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 Viscous stress tensor

This eq. is valid for all fluids - Newtonian or not, compressible or not.

Incompressible Newtonian fluid

$$\underline{\sigma}'_{ij} = \mu \left(\frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial v_j}{\partial x_i} \right) \rightarrow \nabla \cdot \underline{\sigma}' = \mu \nabla^2 \underline{v}$$

Let us integrate eq. (4) over a fixed volume V

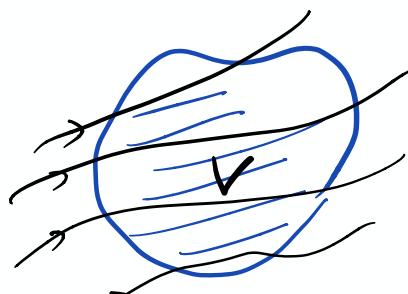
$$\int_V \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho v_i) dV = - \int_V \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (\rho v_i v_j + p \delta_{ij} - \underline{\sigma}'_{ij}) dV + \int_V \rho f_i dV$$

Gauss' theorem:

$$\int_V \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\rho v_i) dV = - \int_S (\rho v_i v_j + p \delta_{ij} - \underline{\sigma}'_{ij}) n_j dS + \int_V \rho f_i dV$$

V is fixed, so

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_V (\rho v_i) dV = \dots$$



In the vector form: (transport) (pressure) (viscous stresses)

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_V (\rho \underline{v}) dV = - \underbrace{\int_S (\rho \underline{v} \cdot (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{n}) + p \underline{n} - \underline{\sigma}' \cdot \underline{n}) dS}_{\begin{matrix} \text{flux of momentum through} \\ S = \partial V \end{matrix}} + \int_V \rho \underline{f} dV$$

Rate of change
of total
momentum

Total force
(source term)

For a stationary flow, we get

$$\int_S \rho \underline{v} (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{n}) dS + \int_S p \underline{n} dS - \int_S \underline{\sigma}' \cdot \underline{n} dS - \int_V \rho f dV = 0$$

We can use this to determine forces on objects in flow.

Back to ideal fluids ($\gamma = 0$; $\underline{\sigma}' = 0$)

Bernoulli's equation

Start from Euler eq.

$$\frac{\partial \underline{v}}{\partial t} + (\underline{v} \cdot \nabla) \underline{v} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \nabla p - \nabla \chi$$

$$\underline{f} = \nabla \chi$$

potential force
↓

Now we use

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

Proof

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \partial_i \left(\frac{1}{2} v_j v_j \right) + \epsilon_{ijk} (\nabla \times \underline{v})_j v_k = \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \partial_i (v_j v_j) + \epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{jlm} (\partial_l v_m) v_k = \left\{ \epsilon_{ijk} = -\epsilon_{jik} \right\} \\ &= v_j \underbrace{\frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_i}}_{= (\delta_{il} \delta_{km} - \delta_{im} \delta_{kl})} - \epsilon_{jik} \epsilon_{jlm} (\partial_l v_m) v_k = \\ &= \cancel{v_j \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_i}} - \cancel{v_m \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_i}} + v_k \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_k} = v_j \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} = \text{LHS} \end{aligned}$$

Using this

$$\frac{\partial \underline{\omega}}{\partial t} + (\nabla \times \underline{\omega}) \times \underline{v} = -\nabla \left(\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} \omega^2 + \chi \right) \quad (**)$$

Before we found for potential & irrotational flow

$$\underline{v} = \nabla \phi \quad \nabla \times \underline{\omega} = 0$$

$$H = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} \omega^2 + \chi = \text{constant everywhere}$$

Now we do not assume these, but let's assume the flow is stationary $\frac{\partial \underline{\omega}}{\partial t} = 0$

Then we find: $(**).$ \underline{v}

$$\underline{\omega} \cdot \nabla \left(\underbrace{\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} \omega^2 + \chi}_{\text{Bernoulli function } H} \right) = 0$$

Bernoulli function H

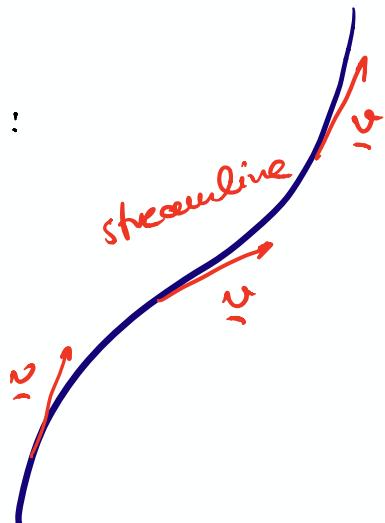
What does it mean physically that:

$$\underline{\omega} \cdot \nabla H < 0$$

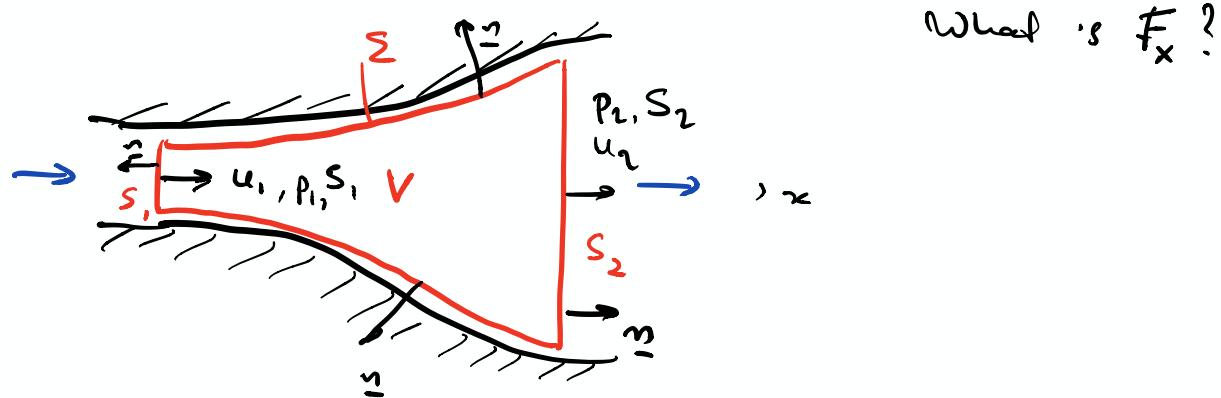
$$\Leftrightarrow \nabla H \perp \underline{v}, \Leftrightarrow$$

H is constant on streamlines.

$$\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} \omega^2 + \chi = \text{constant on streamlines.}$$



Example The force on the walls of an axisymmetric channel with a variable cross-section



Conservation of momentum in the x-direction.

$$\int_S \rho v_x (v_j n_j) + \int_S p n_x dS = 0 \quad (\text{no viscosity, no body force})$$

$$F_{px\Sigma} - \int_{S_1} p n_x dS + \int_{S_2} p n_x dS - \int_{S_1} \rho v_x^2 dS + \int_{S_2} \rho v_x^2 dS = 0$$

force on
channel
walls
in the x-dir.

$$\Rightarrow F_\Sigma = \int_{S_1} (\rho + \frac{\rho v_x^2}{2}) dS - \int_{S_2} (\rho + \frac{\rho v_x^2}{2}) dS$$

Assume uniform velocity

$$F_\Sigma = (p_1 S_1 + \frac{\rho u_1^2}{2} S_1) - (p_2 S_2 + \frac{\rho u_2^2}{2} S_2)$$

(1.) Bernoulli's theorem (along a streamline)

$$p_1 + \frac{\rho u_1^2}{2} = p_2 + \frac{\rho u_2^2}{2}$$

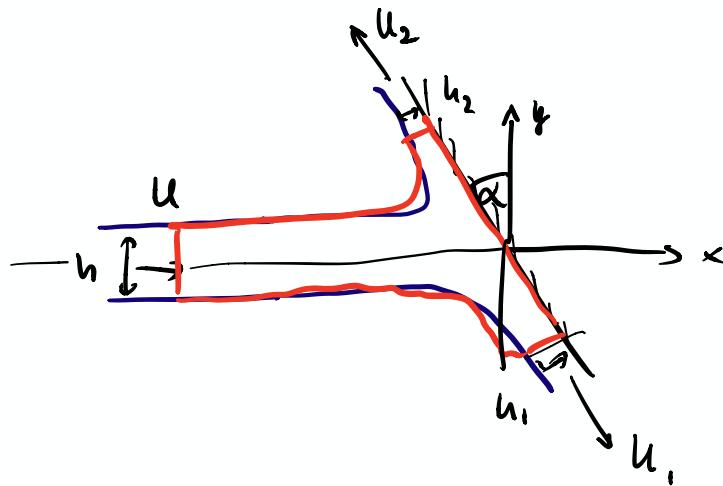
Constant flow rate $u_1 S_1 = u_2 S_2$ (mass conservation)

We find

$$F = p_1 (S_1 - S_2) - \frac{1}{2} \rho u_1^2 S_1 \left(\sqrt{\frac{S_1}{S_2}} - \sqrt{\frac{S_2}{S_1}} \right)^2$$

Example 2 A jet incident on a plate

2D



We neglect gravity and viscosity.
(assume potential flow)

1) Mass conservation:

$$uh = h_1 u_1 + h_2 u_2$$

2) Bernoulli: (everywhere)

$$p + \frac{1}{2} \rho u^2 = p_1 + \frac{1}{2} \rho u_1^2 = p_2 + \frac{1}{2} \rho u_2^2$$

$$p = p_1 = p_2 = p_{atm} \quad (\text{atmospheric pressure})$$

We find: $u = u_1 = u_2$.

and: $h = h_1 + h_2$.

To calculate the force, we will use the conservation of momentum.

Choose control volume V , we find

x direction

$$\rho (u_1^2 h_1 \sin \alpha - u_2^2 h_2 \sin \alpha - u^2 h) + \int (\delta p n_x) dS = 0$$

y direction

$$\rho (-u_1^2 h_1 \cos \alpha + u_2^2 h_2 \cos \alpha) + \int_{\text{wall}} (\delta p n_y) dS = 0$$

Thus:

$$F_x = \rho u^2 (h - (h_1 - h_2) \sin \alpha)$$

$$F_y = \rho u^2 (h_1 - h_2) \cos \alpha$$

But we know that $F_{\parallel} = 0$ (no viscous stresses)

$$F_{\parallel} = F_x \sin \alpha - F_y \cos \alpha = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow h_1 - h_2 = h \sin \alpha$$

$$h_1 = \frac{h}{2} (1 + \sin \alpha)$$

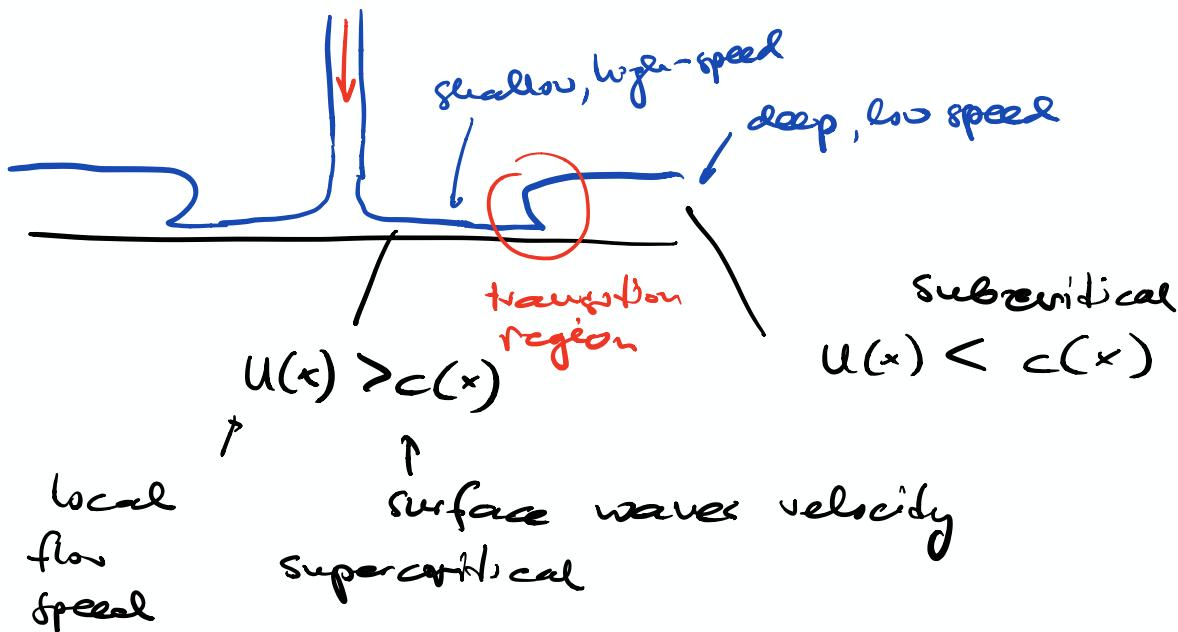
$$h_2 = \frac{h}{2} (1 - \sin \alpha)$$

Normal force:

inertial characteristic
 $F \sim u^2$

$$\underline{F_{\perp} = \rho u^2 h \cos \alpha}$$

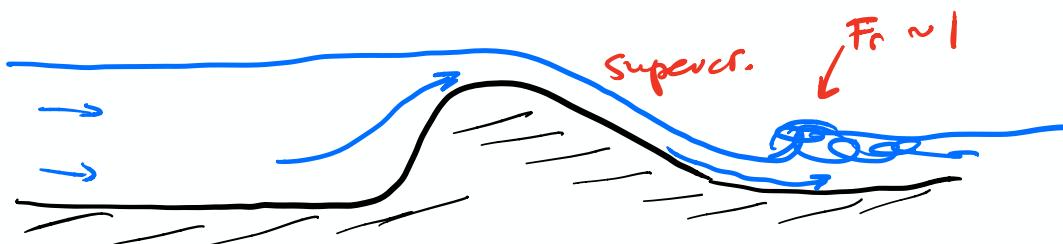
The hydraulic jump



The ratio defines the Froude number

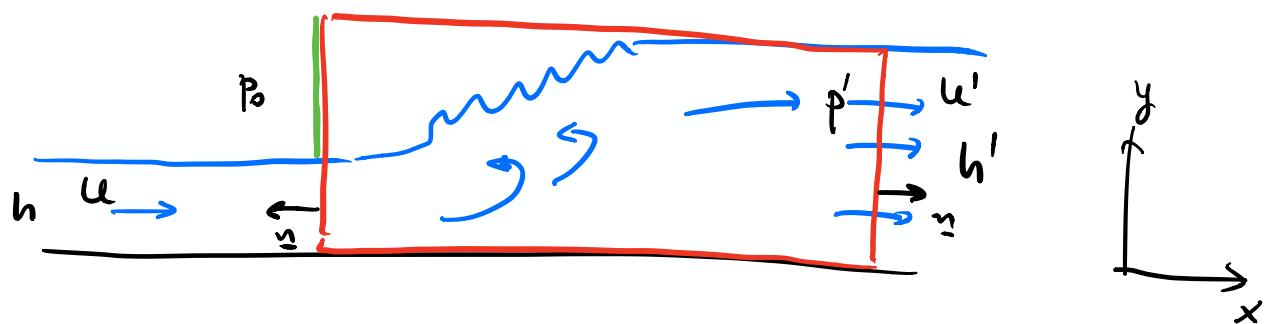
$$Fr = \frac{U(x)}{c(h)}$$

- ① We observe hydraulic jumps on spillways of water dams - they are associated with gravity waves ($c(h) = \sqrt{gh}$)



- ② Breaking waves

Hydraulic jump

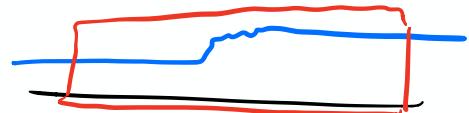


$$\int_S \rho v_x (\nu_j n_j) dS = \rho (u'^2 h' - u^2 h)$$

The respective pressures

$$p = p_0 + \rho g (h - y)$$

$$p' = p_0 + \rho g (h' - y)$$



1 The control volume encloses some air, so we need to add a term $-p_0(h' - h)$

We obtain (momentum conservation in the x-direction)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_S p v_x dS &= p_0(h - h') - \int_0^h (p_0 + \rho g (h - y)) dy + \\ &+ \int_0^{h'} (p_0 + \rho g (h' - y)) dy = \frac{\rho g}{2} (h'^2 - h^2) \end{aligned}$$

Conservation of momentum:

$$(u^2 h - u'^2 h') + g \left(\frac{h^2}{2} - \frac{h'^2}{2} \right) = 0$$

Continuity requires $u' h' = u h$

We find:

$$u' = \sqrt{gh' \left(\frac{h}{h'} \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{h}{h'} \right) \right)}$$

$$u = \sqrt{gh \left(\frac{h}{h'} \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{h'}{h} \right) \right)}$$

Since $h < h'$, we find:

$$u' < \sqrt{gh}$$

$$u > \sqrt{gh}$$

The flow is supercritical in the shallow section ($Fr \geq 1$)

and subcritical in the shallow section ($Fr' \leq 1$)