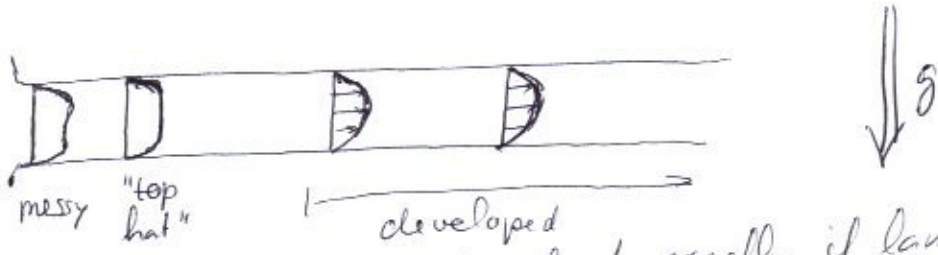


# Couette & Plane Poiseuille Flow



The developed region can be solved exactly if laminar!

- Assumptions
- ① Incompressible
  - ② Newtonian
  - ③ Laminar, steady
  - ④ 2D  $w=0, \frac{\partial}{\partial z}=0$
  - ⑤ velocity is independent of  $x$

Method: Start with easiest equation

1) Plug assumptions into continuity, (solve as far as possible)

$$\rho \frac{Dp}{Dt} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0 \rightarrow v = v(x, z, t)$$

Use wall boundary conditions  $v=0$  at  $y=0$ , any  $x$

$$v = v(x) = 0 \text{ any } x \quad [v=0] \text{ (6)}$$

2) Plug assumptions into  $y$  momentum (and current results)

$$\rho \frac{Dv}{Dt} = -\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} + \mu \nabla^2 v - \rho g$$

$$0 = \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} + \rho g \quad \text{Phil} = p + \rho g y = p_0(x, z, t) \text{ (7)}$$

integration constant!

3) Plug assumptions and current results into  $x$ -momentum

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + w \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \right) = -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \mu \left( \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} \right)$$

$$0 = -\rho \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \mu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}$$

4) Examine restrictions on the  $p_0^{\nabla}(x)$  pressure <sup>integration</sup> constant:

$p_0^{\nabla}(x) = \mu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$  is independent of  $x$  according to (5)

→  $p_0^{\nabla}$  is a constant.

→  $p_0(x) = \frac{dp_0}{dx} x + p_i$

→  $p + \rho g y = \frac{dp_0}{dx} x + p_i$

(7)  $\frac{dp_0}{dx}$  constant (5) (4) (3)

5) Find  $u$  from  $x$ -momentum and B.C.  $u = u(x, y, z, t)$

→  $\mu \frac{du}{dy} = \frac{dp_0}{dx} y + D$  →  $\mu u = \frac{dp_0}{dx} \frac{1}{2} y^2 + Dy + E$

$\mu \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \mu \frac{d^2 u}{dy^2} = \frac{dp_0}{dx}$

B.C. at  $y=0, u=0$  →  $E=0$

B.C. at  $y=h, u=0$  →  $0 = \frac{dp_0}{dx} \frac{1}{2} h^2 + Dh$  →  $D = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{dp_0}{dx} h$

Then  $u = \frac{dp_0}{dx} \frac{1}{2\mu} (hy - y^2)$

$u = -\frac{1}{2\mu} \frac{dp_0}{dx} (hy - y^2)$

6) Interpret solution:  $\frac{dp_0}{dx} < 0$  needed for flow to the right:



$p_{lin} - p_{lin/2} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{dp_0}{dx} L$   
 $p_{lin} - p_{lin} = 0$   
 (unclear scribbles)

$u = \frac{p_{lin1} - p_{lin2}}{2\mu L} (hy - y^2)$   
 $\tau = \tau_{xy} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{p_{lin1} - p_{lin2}}{2L} (h - 2y)$   
 $\tau_{y=0} = \frac{p_{lin1} - p_{lin2}}{2L} h$

parabolic  
 $\tau_{y=h} = -\frac{p_{lin1} - p_{lin2}}{2L} h$



mass flow through an area:

$m = \int \rho \vec{v} \cdot \vec{dA} = \int \rho u dy =$

$$\frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} = \text{global constant} = \frac{p_{kin,2} - p_{kin,1}}{L}$$

ignoring entrance effects

$$u = -\frac{1}{2\mu} \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} (hy - y^2) \quad \text{parabolic, zeros at } y=0, y=h$$

$$u_{max} = -\frac{h^2}{8\mu} \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} \rightarrow u = u_{max} 4 \frac{y}{h} \left(1 - \frac{y}{h}\right)$$

Mass flow / unit span and time

$$\dot{m} = \int_{\vec{n}=\vec{n}} \rho \vec{v} \cdot \vec{n} dA = \int \rho u dy = \frac{2}{3} \rho u_{max} h$$

$\dot{m} \equiv \rho u_{ave} h$	$u_{ave} = \frac{2}{3} u_{max}$	$u_{ave} = -\frac{h^2}{12\mu} \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx}$
		$\dot{m} = -\frac{\rho h^3}{12\mu} \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx}$

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$$\tau \equiv \tau_{xy} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2}h - y \right)$$

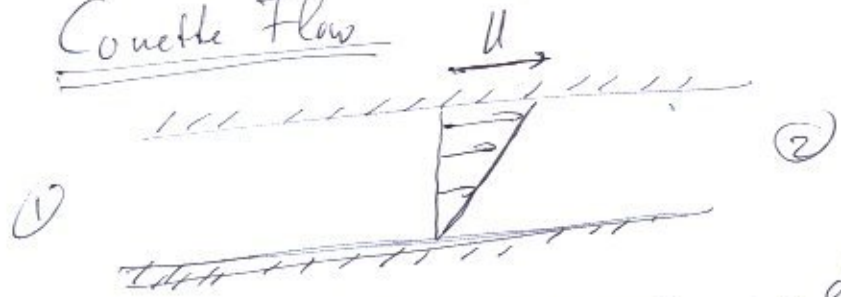
$$\tau = -\frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2}h - y \right)$$

$$\tau_{y=0} = -\frac{1}{2}h \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} \quad \tau_{y=h} = \frac{1}{2}h \frac{d p_{kin}}{dx}$$



The shear force on a unit length of fluid  $\rightarrow 2 \times \tau_{y=0} L$   
 Balances the pressure forces:  $-\frac{d p_{kin}}{dx} h L$

# Couette Flow



assumptions:  $p_1 = p_2 \rightarrow \frac{dp_{lin}}{dx} = \phi$

Derivation same, but now

$$\mu u = \frac{dp_{lin}}{dx} \frac{1}{2} y^2 + D y + E$$

$$u = 0 \text{ at } y = 0 \rightarrow E = 0$$

$$u = U \text{ at } y = h \rightarrow D = \frac{U}{h}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u = 0 \text{ at } y = 0 \\ u = U \text{ at } y = h \end{array} \right\} \left[ u = \frac{U}{h} y \right]$$

$$\left[ \tau = \frac{\mu U}{h} \right]$$