

Creeping Flows

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$$-\nabla p + \mu \nabla^2 \mathbf{v} + \rho \mathbf{f} = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 p = 0$$

Reciprocity Theorem

Let Two Solution

$$(\mathbf{v}, \boldsymbol{\tau})$$

$$(\mathbf{v}', \boldsymbol{\tau}')$$

Then

$$\int_S d\mathbf{S} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau} \cdot \mathbf{v}' = \int_S d\mathbf{S} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}' \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

Proof in Happel and Brenner

**Minimum Energy
Dissipation Theorem
Helmholtz**

The dissipation rate in creeping flow is less than any other incompressible, continuous motion consistent with the same boundary condition

Proof in Happel and Brenner

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Stokes Equation

$$P_{j,i} = \mu \nabla^2 T_{ij} + \delta_{ij} \delta(\mathbf{r}) \quad T_{ij,i} = 0$$

Solution-3D

$$T_{ij} = \frac{1}{8\pi\mu r} \left[\delta_{ij} + \frac{r_i r_j}{r^2} \right] \quad P_i = \frac{r_i}{4\pi r^3}$$

Solution-2D

$$T_{ij} = \frac{1}{4\pi\mu} \left[-\delta_{ij} \ln|r| + \frac{r_i r_j}{r^2} \right] \quad P_i = \frac{r_i}{2\pi r^2}$$

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Minimum Energy Dissipation Theorem

$$v_i = \int_V T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}') \rho f_j(\mathbf{r}') dV + \int_{S_L} [\tau_{jk}(\mathbf{r}') T_{ki}(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}') - R_{ijk}(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}') v_k(\mathbf{r}')] dS_j$$

$$R_{ijk}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{3r_i r_j r_k}{4\pi r^5}$$

$$p(\mathbf{r}) = \int_V P_i(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}') \rho f_i(\mathbf{r}') dV + \int_{S_L} [\tau_{ij}(\mathbf{r}') P_j(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}') + 2\mu v_j(\mathbf{r}') P_{,j,i}(\mathbf{r}-\mathbf{r}')] dS_i$$

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In an Unbounded Flow, For a point Force

$$\rho f_i = F_i \delta(\mathbf{r})$$

Stokeslet

$$v_i = F_j T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}) \quad \mathbf{v} = \frac{\mathbf{F}}{8\pi\mu r} \cdot \left[\mathbf{I} + \frac{\mathbf{r}\mathbf{r}}{r^2} \right]$$

$$p(\mathbf{r}) = F_i P_i(\mathbf{r}) \quad p = \frac{\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{r}}{4\pi r^3}$$

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Solution in Spherical Coordinates Clarkson University

Lamb

$$p = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} P_n \quad P_n = (A_n r^n + B_n r^{-n-1}) Y_{nm}(\theta, \phi)$$

$$\nabla^2 = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin \theta} \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \left(\sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2 \sin^2 \theta} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \phi^2}$$

$$Y_{mn}(\theta, \phi) = (C_{mn} \cos m\phi + D_{mn} \sin m\phi) P_n^m(\cos \theta)$$

$$m = 0, 1, 2, \dots, n \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\nabla \times (\mathbf{r} \xi_n) + \nabla(\Phi_n) + \frac{(n+3)r^2 \nabla P_n - 2nr P_{,n}}{2\mu(n+1)(2n+3)} \right]$$

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Spherical Harmonics

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For nonuniform velocities

Torque

$$\mathbf{T}_0 = 8\pi\mu R^3 \left(\frac{1}{2} \nabla \times \mathbf{v}_\infty|_0 - \boldsymbol{\omega} \right)$$

Force

$$\mathbf{F} = 6\pi\mu R \left[(\mathbf{v}_\infty|_0 - \mathbf{U}) + \frac{1}{6} R^2 \nabla^2 \mathbf{v}_\infty|_0 \right]$$

Stresslet

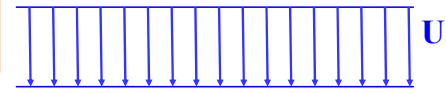
$$\mathbf{S} = \frac{20}{3} \pi R^3 \mu \left(1 + \frac{R^2}{10} \nabla^2 \right) \mathbf{d}|_0$$

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Drag on an Axisymmetric Body

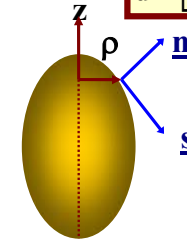


$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = -p\mathbf{I} + 2\mu\mathbf{d}$$

$$\mathbf{d} = [\nabla\mathbf{v} + (\nabla\mathbf{v})^T]$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \int_S \mathbf{dS} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}$$

$$\mathbf{T} = \int_S \mathbf{r} \times (\mathbf{dS} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau})$$



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$$F_z = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{e}_z = \int_S \mathbf{dS} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau} \cdot \mathbf{e}_z = \int_S \mathbf{n} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau} \cdot \mathbf{e}_z dS$$

$$dS = 2\pi\rho ds$$

$$\mathbf{n} \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau} = -np + 2\mu \left(\mathbf{n} \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial n} + \mathbf{s} \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial s} \right) + s\mu \left(\frac{\partial v_s}{\partial n} - \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial s} \right) = -np - 2\mu \nabla \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial s} \right) + s \frac{\mu}{\rho} E^2 \psi$$

Drag Force

$$F_z = \mu\pi \int \rho^3 \frac{\partial}{\partial n} \left(\frac{E^2 \psi}{\rho^2} \right) dS$$

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Drag on an Axisymmetric Body Clarkson University

Flow for a Point Force

$$\psi = \frac{F_z}{8\pi\mu} \frac{\rho^2}{r}$$

$$p = -\frac{F_z}{4\pi} \frac{z}{r^3}$$

Point Particle

$$F_z = 8\pi\mu \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{r\psi}{\rho^2}$$

$$r^2 = \rho^2 + z^2$$

Fluid not at rest far away

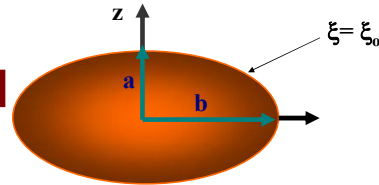
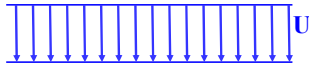
$$F_z = 8\pi\mu \lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{r(\psi - \psi_\infty)}{\rho^2}$$

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Oblate Spheroid in a Uniform Flow Clarkson University

$$\begin{cases} x = c \cosh \xi \sin \theta \cos \phi \\ y = c \cosh \xi \sin \theta \sin \phi \\ z = c \sinh \xi \cos \theta \end{cases}$$



Let

$$\lambda = \sinh \xi \quad \infty > \lambda \geq 0$$

$$\zeta = \cos \theta \quad 1 \geq \zeta \geq -1$$

$$\rho = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = c \cosh \xi \sin \theta = c \sqrt{\lambda^2 + 1} \sqrt{1 - \zeta^2}$$

$$z = c \lambda \zeta$$

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Boundary Conditions $E^4 \psi = 0$

$$\lambda = \lambda_0 (\xi = \xi_0) \implies \psi = 0$$

$$\lambda = \lambda_0 (\xi = \xi_0) \implies \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \lambda} = 0$$

$$\lambda \text{ or } \xi \rightarrow \infty \implies \psi \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \rho^2 U = \frac{U c^2}{2} (\lambda^2 + 1)(1 - \zeta^2)$$

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Noting

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \xi} = \sqrt{\lambda^2 + 1} \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda} \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} = -\sqrt{1 - \zeta^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \zeta}$$

$$E^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \rho^2} - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2}$$

Leads To

$$E^2 = \frac{1}{c^2 (\lambda^2 + \zeta^2)} \left[(\lambda^2 + 1) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \lambda^2} + (1 - \zeta^2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \zeta^2} \right]$$

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Assumed Solution $\xrightarrow{\text{Boundary Conditions}} \psi = (1 - \zeta^2) g(\lambda)$

$$\psi = (1 - \zeta^2) \left(-\frac{1}{2} C_1 \lambda + \frac{1}{2} C_2 [\lambda - (\lambda^2 + 1) \cot^{-1} \lambda] + C_3 (\lambda^2 + 1) \right)$$

Solution

$$\psi = \frac{1}{2} U \rho^2 \left\{ 1 - \frac{\lambda}{(\lambda^2 + 1)} - \frac{[(\lambda_0^2 - 1)]}{[(\lambda_0^2 + 1)]} \cot^{-1} \lambda \right. \\ \left. - \frac{\lambda_0}{(\lambda_0^2 + 1)} - \frac{[(\lambda_0^2 - 1)]}{[(\lambda_0^2 + 1)]} \cot^{-1} \lambda_0 \right\}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \sinh \xi_0$$

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Solution for Oblate Spheroids moving in a stationary fluid

$$\psi = -\frac{1}{2}U\rho^2 \frac{\frac{\lambda}{(\lambda^2+1)} - \left[\frac{(\lambda_0^2-1)}{(\lambda_0^2+1)}\right] \cot^{-1}\lambda}{\frac{\lambda_0}{(\lambda_0^2+1)} - \left[\frac{(\lambda_0^2-1)}{(\lambda_0^2+1)}\right] \cot^{-1}\lambda_0}$$

Drag

$$F_z = 8\pi\mu c \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\lambda\psi}{\rho^2}$$

$$F_z = -\frac{8\pi\mu c U}{\lambda_0 - (\lambda_0^2 - 1) \cot^{-1} \lambda_0}$$

$$F_z = -6\pi\mu a U K$$

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Drag

$$F_z = -6\pi\mu a U K$$

$$K = \frac{1}{\left\{ \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{\lambda_0^2 + 1} [\lambda_0 - (\lambda_0^2 - 1) \cot^{-1} \lambda_0] \right\}}$$

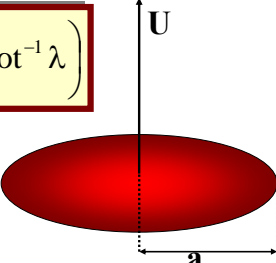
$$c = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{b}{c} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(a/b)^2 - 1}}$$

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$\lambda_0 \rightarrow 0$

$$\psi = -\frac{U\rho^3}{\pi} \left(\frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2 + 1} + \cot^{-1} \lambda \right)$$



Drag

$$F_z = -16\mu a U$$

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$$\begin{cases} x = c \sinh \xi \sin \theta \cos \psi \\ y = c \sinh \xi \sin \theta \sin \psi \\ z = c \cosh \xi \cos \theta \end{cases}$$

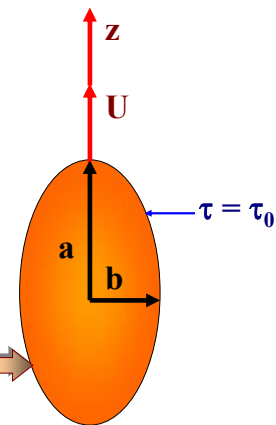
Let

$$\zeta = \cos \theta$$

$$\tau = \cosh \xi$$

$$\tau = \text{const}$$

$$\xi = \text{const}$$



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Solution

$$\psi = -\frac{1}{2} U \rho^2 \frac{\left[\frac{(\tau_0^2 + 1)}{(\tau_0^2 - 1)} \right] \coth^{-1} \tau - \left[\frac{\tau}{(\tau^2 - 1)} \right]}{\left[\frac{(\tau_0^2 + 1)}{(\tau_0^2 - 1)} \right] \coth^{-1} \tau_0 - \left[\frac{\tau}{(\tau^2 - 1)} \right]}$$

Drag

$$F_z = -\frac{8\pi\mu c U}{(\tau_0^2 + 1) \coth^{-1} \tau_0 - \tau_0}$$

$$c = \sqrt{a^2 - b^2}$$

$$\tau_0 = \cosh \xi_0 = \frac{a}{c} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - (b/a)^2}}$$

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Flow Around a Prolate Spheroid Clarkson University

Drag

$$F_z = -6\pi\mu b U K$$

$$K = \left\{ \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{\tau_0^2 - 1} \left[(\tau_0^2 + 1) \coth^{-1} \tau_0 - \tau_0 \right] \right\}^{-1}$$

Elongated Rode

$$F_z = -\frac{4\pi\mu_a U}{\ln\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) + \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2}}$$

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