

Turbulent Shear Layers

1.1) A) Reynolds Averaging

B) Prandtl's Analogy

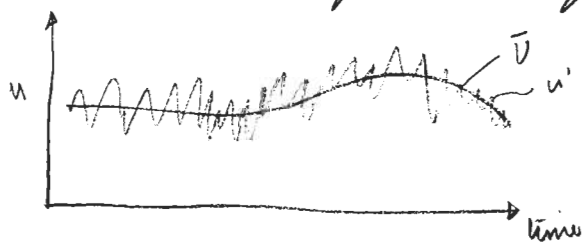
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A) Turbulent Closure

Turbulent flow characterized by random fluctuations.  
 Recall we substituted perturbation flowfield into the incompressible mass and momentum equations

	$\bar{u}, \bar{v}$	$u', v'$	$u'^2, v'^2, etc$
Laminar Stability Eq.	known (laminar)	unknown (exponential)	drop. $u' \ll \bar{u}, etc$
Turbulent Flow	unknown (not laminar)	eliminate via Rey avg	unknown requires addl info <u>Eq - turbulence model</u>

Additional equations required to solve for turbulent flow in addition to mass, momentum & energy.



B) Reynolds Avg.

Separate flowfield (velocity and pressure) into mean and fluctuating components. Let introduce averaging procedures.

Time Averaging  $(\bar{\quad}) \equiv \frac{1}{T} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T} (\quad) dt$  (fixed point in space)

when  $\tau$  is sufficiently large so that  $\bar{f}$  is indep. of time

Ensemble Avg  $\langle ( ) \rangle \equiv \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N ( )_i$

• can be unsteady.

In practice,  $\bar{u} = \langle u \rangle$ ,  $\bar{v} = \langle v \rangle$ , etc. if  $u, v$ , etc are ergodic, i.e. statistically constant in time

Note a few rules of operating on time averages.

$$f = \bar{f} + f' \quad g = \bar{g} + g'$$

then

$$\bar{f'} = \bar{g'} = 0 \quad \overline{f'g} = 0$$

$$\overline{f^2} = (\bar{f} + f')^2 = \bar{f}^2 + 2\bar{f}f' + \overline{f'^2}$$

$$\overline{f \cdot g} = \bar{f}\bar{g} + \overline{f'g'}$$

Applying to the flowfield

$$u = \bar{u} + u'$$

$$v = \bar{v} + v'$$

$$w = \bar{w} + w'$$

$$p = \bar{p} + p'$$

Mass conservation:

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

$$\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(\bar{v} + v')}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial(\bar{w} + w')}{\partial z} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial u'}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial w'}{\partial z} = 0$$

Taking the time average we get

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} = 0 \quad \text{since } (\overline{f'}) = 0$$

which implies fluctuations satisfy continuity.

u. mom + x-mom

$$u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + u \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + u \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \rho \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \rho v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \rho w \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \nu \nabla^2 u$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial u^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial uv}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial uw}{\partial z} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \nu \nabla^2 u$$

Substitute velocity decomp

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \bar{u} + u'}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} + u')^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} + u')(\bar{v} + v')}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} + u')(\bar{w} + w')}{\partial z} \\ = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial (\bar{p} + p')}{\partial x} + \nu \nabla^2 (\bar{u} + u') \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial u'}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + 2 \frac{\partial (\bar{u} u')}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (u')^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} \bar{v})}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} v')}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial (u' \bar{v})}{\partial y} \\ + \frac{\partial (u' v')}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} \bar{w})}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial (\bar{u} w')}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial (u' \bar{w})}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial (u' w')}{\partial z} \\ = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p'}{\partial x} + \nu \nabla^2 \bar{u} + \nu \nabla^2 u' \end{aligned}$$

Take time average

$$\underbrace{\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\bar{u}^2) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(\bar{u}\bar{v}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(\bar{u}\bar{w})}_{\text{Laminar flow}} = \underbrace{-\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \nu \nabla^2 \bar{u}}_{\text{new unknowns}} - \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\overline{u'^2}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}(\overline{u'v'}) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(\overline{u'w'}) \right]$$

→ Reynolds or apparent stresses.

Rewrite in traditional form

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \dots + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \nu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} - \overline{u'^2} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \nu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} - \overline{u'v'} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \nu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} - \overline{u'w'} \right)$$

\* ( ) = ...

We can write

↓ dominant term - turbulent shear

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \nu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} - \overline{u'v'} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( (\nu + \nu_t) \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \right)$$

where  $\nu_t = -\frac{\overline{u'v'}}{\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y}}$  ← Eddy viscosity (100 M)

which is a property of the flow field (not fluid)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma'_x & \tau'_{xy} & \tau'_{xz} \\ \tau'_{xy} & \sigma'_y & \tau'_{yz} \\ \tau'_{xz} & \tau'_{yz} & \sigma'_z \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} \rho \overline{u'^2} & \rho \overline{u'v'} & \rho \overline{u'w'} \\ \rho \overline{u'v'} & \rho \overline{v'^2} & \rho \overline{v'w'} \\ \rho \overline{u'w'} & \rho \overline{v'w'} & \rho \overline{w'^2} \end{bmatrix} \quad (*)$$

due to macroscopic-level momentum transport (mixing)

2-D Turbulent, incompressible, flow - some approximations as TBL for laminar flow,  $\frac{\partial}{\partial z} \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\bar{w} = 0$ , we get

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

$$\bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} = \underbrace{\mu \frac{d^2 \bar{u}}{dy^2}}_{\text{Bernoulli}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}}{\partial y}}_{\text{different}}$$

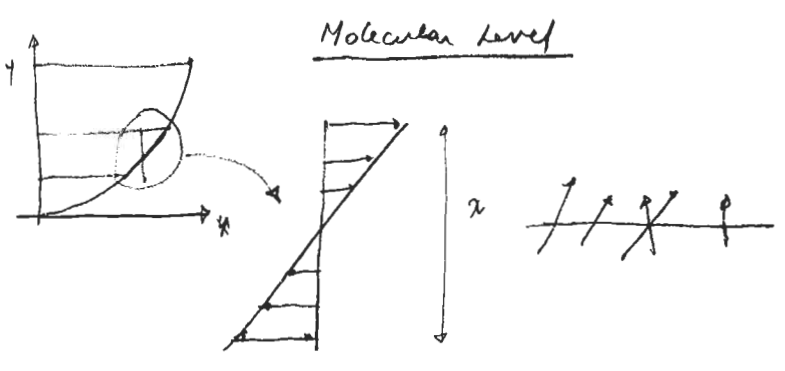
$$\tau = \mu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} - \rho \overline{u'v'}$$

y-mom

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} = -\rho \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \overline{v'^2} \rightarrow p = p_0(x) - \rho \overline{v'^2} \text{ small.}$$

Same no slip condition holds at the wall and free stream matching at edge of BL  $y = \delta$ .

B) Prandtl's analogy.



$\lambda = \text{mean free path}$

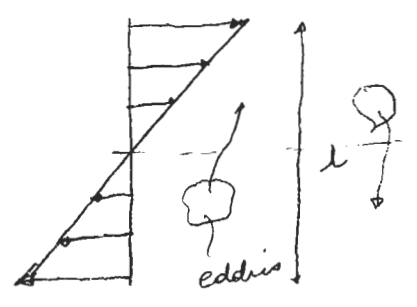


$$\rho = \bar{\rho} \bar{c}^2$$

$$\tau = \mu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} = \rho \bar{u} \bar{v} = \bar{\rho} \lambda \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y}$$

$$\mu = \frac{1}{2} \bar{\rho} \bar{c} \lambda$$

Macroscopic level



$l = \text{mixing length}$

$$\rho \bar{u} \bar{v} = \rho \overline{u'v'} = -x - \text{dir}$$

$$\tau_{\text{macro}} = -\rho \overline{u'v'}$$