

LECTURE #5

1.060 ENGINEERING MECHANICS II

Fluid at rest $\Rightarrow \vec{q} = \text{velocity vector} = (u, v, w) = 0$

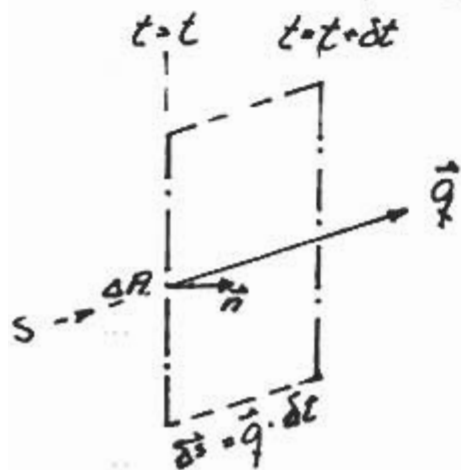
HYDROSTATICS : Been there - done that

Fluid in motion is described by its velocity field

$$\vec{q}(x, y, z, t) = \lim_{\delta t \rightarrow 0} (\delta x_p, \delta y_p, \delta z_p) / \delta t = \lim_{\delta t \rightarrow 0} (\vec{\delta s} / \delta t)$$

where

$\vec{\delta s}$ = infinitesimally small displacement vector along the streamline passing through (x, y, z) at time t .



ΔA = elementary area over which

\vec{q} and ρ are \approx constant

\vec{n} = unit vector $\perp \Delta A$

$$q_{\perp} = \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} = \text{velocity component } \perp \Delta A$$

$$\Delta V = \text{volume between } \Delta A \text{ at } t \text{ and } t + \delta t = (q_{\perp} \delta t) \Delta A$$

This volume, ΔV , must have been supplied by the flow through ΔA at $t = t$.

Volume flow rate per unit area = Volume flux = $(\Delta V / \Delta t) / \Delta A = q_L \Delta t \Delta A / (\Delta t \Delta A) = q_L = \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n}$

Mass flow rate per unit area = Mass flux = [Volume flux][mass/volume] = $\dot{m} = \rho q_L = \rho \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n}$

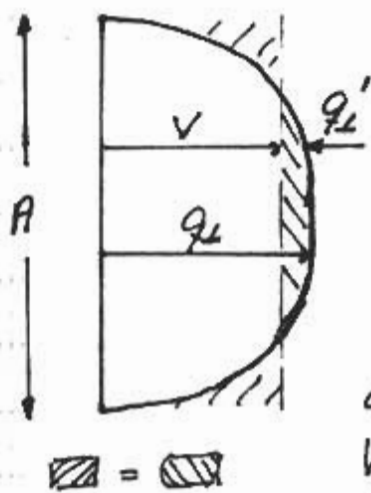
If flow area A is much larger than ΔA , so that neither ρ nor \vec{q} can be considered constant over A , we have

Rate of Mass Flow across $A = \sum \dot{m} \Delta A = \dot{m} = \int_A \rho q_L dA = \int_A \rho \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} dA$

Rate of Volume Flow across $A = \sum q_L \Delta A = Q = \int_A q_L dA = \int_A \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} dA$

If $\rho = \text{constant}$

$$\dot{m} = \rho Q$$



$$Q = \text{discharge (m}^3/\text{s)} = \int_A q_L dA = VA$$

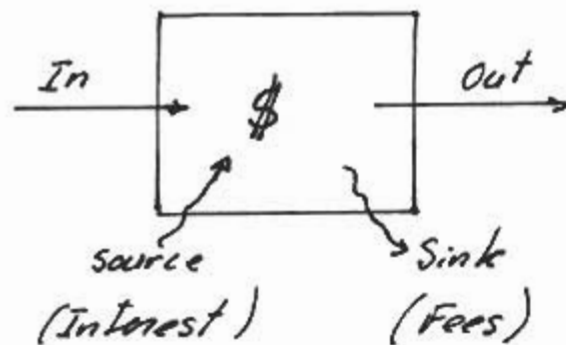
$$V = \frac{Q}{A} = \text{AVERAGE VELOCITY OVER } A$$

If $q_L = V + q_L'$ then $\int q_L' dA = 0$ and if $q_L' \ll V$ over most of A , V may be considered to represent q_L quite well.

NATURE OF CONSERVATION LAWS

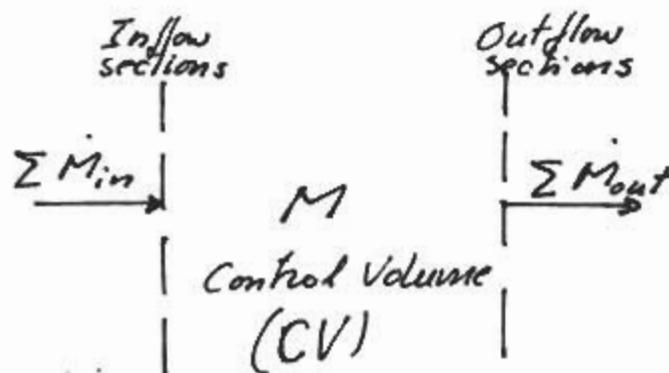
Conservation laws are analogous to a
BANK ACCOUNT :

"In" minus "Out" = "Rate of Change Within"
Deposit Account Withdrawal



$$\Delta \$ = \Delta \$_{\text{deposit}} - \Delta \$_{\text{withdrawal}} + \Delta \$_{\text{interest (source)}} - \Delta \$_{\text{fees (sink)}}$$

CONSERVATION OF MASS

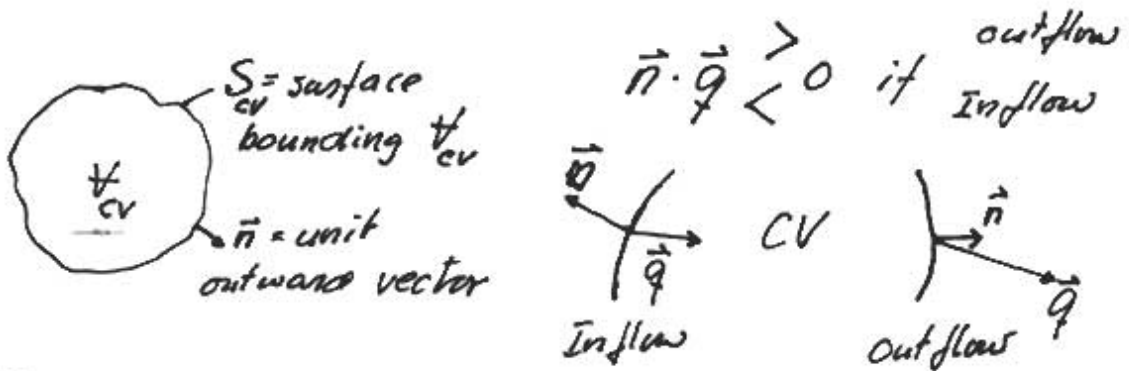


$$\sum \dot{M}_{in} - \sum \dot{M}_{out} = \text{Net rate of mass in} =$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial t} = \text{Rate of change of mass within CV.}$$

(for mass - no source or sinks)

$$\sum_{\text{inflow areas}} [\int \rho \vec{q}_L dA] - \sum_{\text{outflow areas}} [\int \rho \vec{q}_L dA] = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [\int_{V_{cv}} \rho dV]$$



Compact expression:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \int_{V_{cv}} \rho dV + \int_{S_{cv}} \rho \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} dS = 0 \quad (1)$$

CONSERVATION OF VOLUME (Continuity)

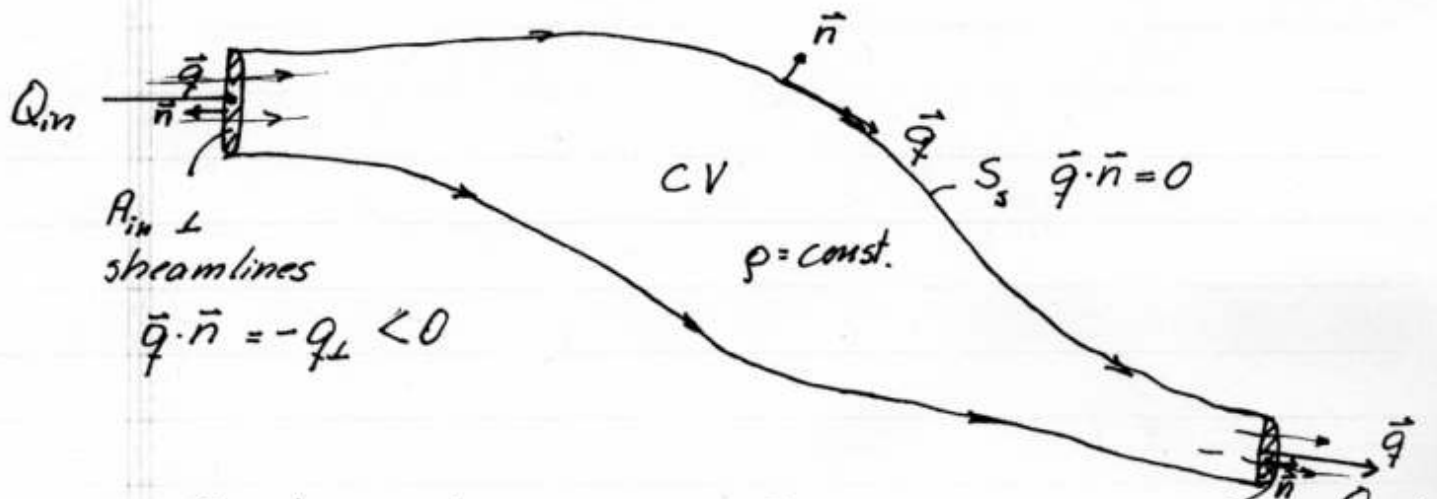
$$\sum Q_{in} - \sum Q_{out} = \frac{\partial V_{cv}}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left[\int_{V_{cv}} dV \right]$$

or, in compact form

$$\frac{\partial V_{cv}}{\partial t} + \int_{S_{cv}} \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} dS = 0 \quad (2)$$

For a homogeneous fluid of constant density, ρ cancels out in (1) and it becomes (2). BUT (2) holds for any incompressible fluid [one whose volume remains the same regardless of Temperature and Pressure] whether ρ is constant or not.

The Stream Tube



Surface bounding CV consists of $S_s =$ streamline "walls" and flow cross-sections A

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{V}_{CV}}{\partial t} + \int_A \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} dA = \frac{\partial \mathcal{V}_{CV}}{\partial t} + Q_{out} - Q_{in} = 0$$

If flow is steady: $\partial \mathcal{V}_{CV} / \partial t = 0$ and

$$Q = Q_{in} = Q_{out} = \text{Constant along Stream Tube}$$

or

$$Q = VA = \text{const} \Rightarrow V = \frac{Q}{A}$$

V is large where A (area of stream tube) is small and vice versa.
 (This should be called the da Vinci Principle!)