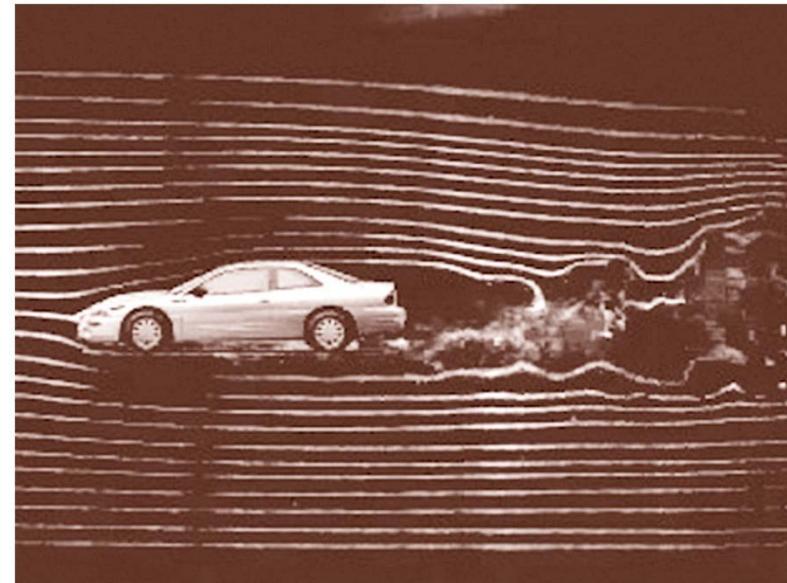


# Chapter 8

## Origin of Turbulence and Turbulent Shear Stress



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# 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

## 8.4.1 Fall of pressure drop due to shear stress

shear stress = resistance to motion

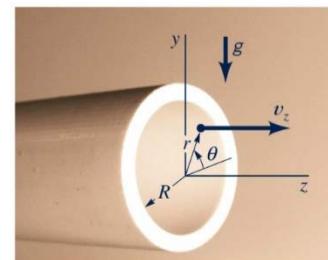
→ dissipate flow energy → fall of pressure drop along a pipe → head loss

$$( h_L = \frac{\tau_0 l}{\gamma R_h} )$$

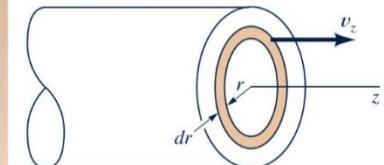
laminar flow;  $\frac{d(p + \gamma h)}{dz} \propto V_z$

turbulent flow:  $\frac{d(p + \gamma h)}{dz} \propto V_z^n \quad (n \approx 2)$

where  $V_z$  = average velocity



(a)



(b)

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

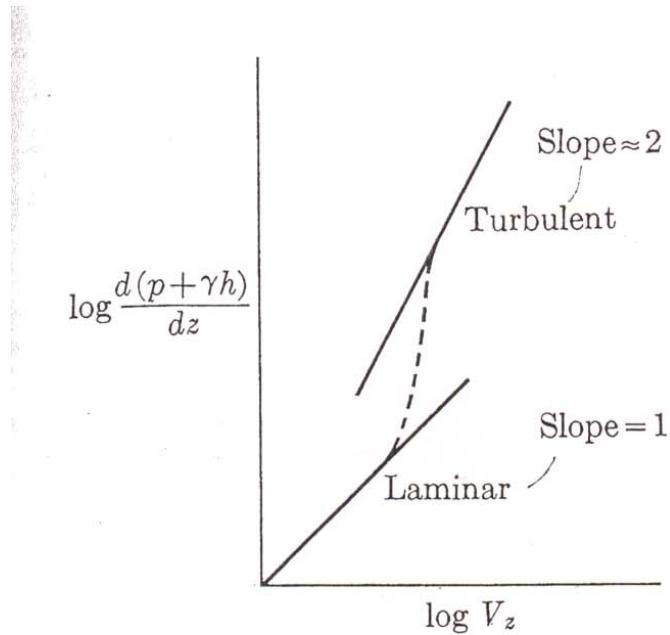


FIG. 11-6. Pressure gradient with laminar and turbulent flow in a conduit.

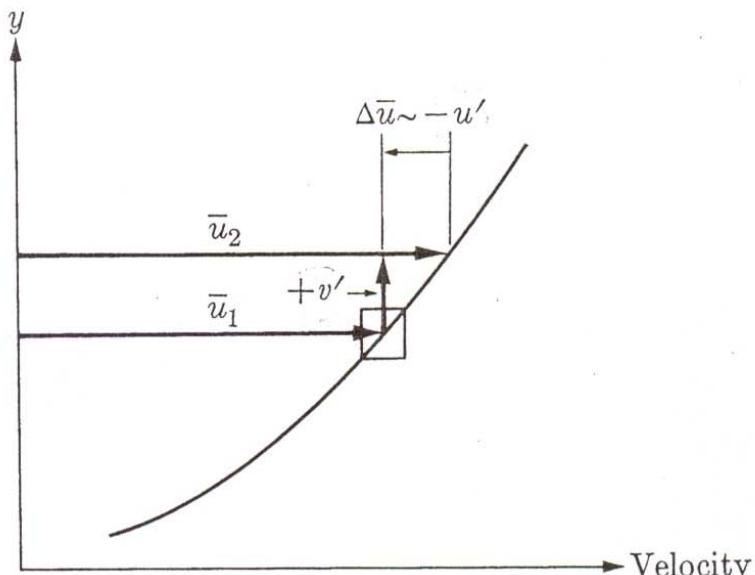


FIG. 11-7. Momentum transport by turbulent velocity fluctuation.

# 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

## 8.4.2 Shear stress resisting to motion

### (1) Boussinesq's eddy viscosity concept

$$\tau_{total} = \mu \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} + \eta \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} \quad (8.10)$$



where

$\bar{u}$  = mean local velocity (time - averaged)

$\mu$  = dynamic molecular viscosity → property of the fluid

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

$\eta$  = dynamic eddy viscosity that depends on the state of the turbulent motion ← turbulent intensity

$$\left( \varepsilon = \frac{\eta}{\rho} \right) = \text{kinematic eddy viscosity}$$

$\mu \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy}$  - apparent stress computed from the velocity gradient of mean motion.

$\eta \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy}$  - **additional** apparent stress associated with the turbulence

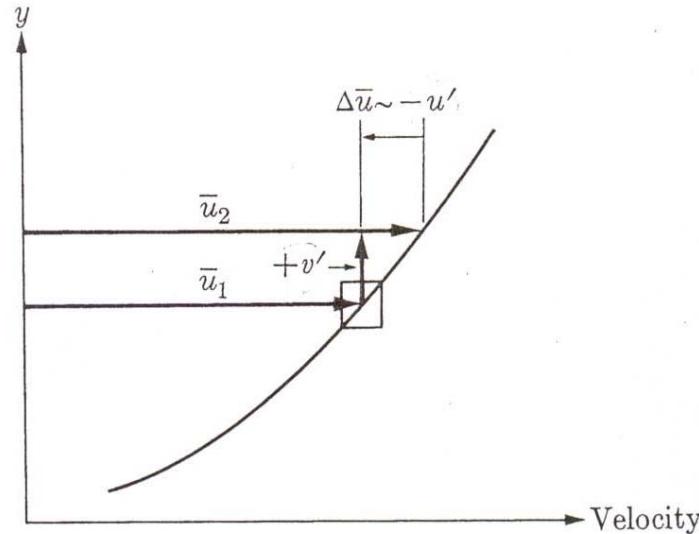
For laminar flow,  $\eta = 0$

For turbulent flow,  $\eta \gg \mu \rightarrow \tau_{turb} > \tau_{lam}$

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

(2) Physical model of momentum transport (exchange)

~ momentum transport by turbulent velocity fluctuation (Ch. 3)



Step 1: lower-velocity fluid parcel in layer 1 fluctuates with a  $v'$ -velocity  
into layer 2

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

Step 2: its velocity in the direction of the stream is less than mean velocity of the layer 2 by an amount  $-u'$

Step 3: drag of the faster moving surroundings accelerates the fluid element and increases its momentum

Step 4: The mass flux  $\left( \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{time} \cdot \text{area}} \right)$  crossing from layer 1 to layer 2  
 $= \rho v'$

Step 5: Flow-direction momentum change = mass flux  $\times$  velocity  
 $= \rho v' \times (-u') = -\rho u' v'$

Step 6: Average over a time period

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -\overline{\rho u' v'} \\
 &= \text{effective resistance to motion} \\
 &= \text{effective shearing stress}
 \end{aligned}$$

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

### (3) Reynolds stress

$$= -\rho \overline{u'v'} \quad (8.11)$$

= time rate change of momentum per unit area

= effective resistance to motion

~ actually acceleration terms

~ instantaneous viscous stresses due to turbulent motion =  $\eta \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy}$

$$\tau_{total} = \mu \left( \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} \right) - \rho \overline{u'v'} = \tau_{yx} \quad (8.12)$$

shear stress

due to transverse

molecular momentum

transport

shear stress due to

transverse momentum transport of

macroscopic fluid particles by

turbulent motion

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

For fully developed turbulence,

$$\tau_{yx} \approx \eta \left( \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} \right) \approx -\overline{\rho u' v'} \propto V_z^2 \quad (8.13)$$

[Re] Reynolds stress =  $-\overline{\rho u' v'}$

- ~ If  $u'$  and  $v'$  are uncorrelated, there would be no turbulent momentum transport.
- ~ usually not zero (correlated)
- ~ may exchange momentum of mean motion
- ~ exchanges momentum between turbulence and mean flow

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

[Re] Effective addition to the normal pressure intensity acting in the flow direction

$$= - \overline{\rho u' u'} = - \overline{\rho u'^2} \quad (8.14)$$

[Re] Momentum transport

Eq. (3.2):  $\frac{d(\Delta mv)}{dt} \frac{1}{area} = K \frac{d}{dy} \left( \frac{\Delta mv}{vol} \right)$

Newton's 2nd law of motion

$$F = ma = m \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d(mv)}{dt} \quad (A)$$

$$\frac{F}{area} = \frac{d(mv)}{dt} \frac{1}{area} \quad (B)$$

## 8.4 Turbulent Shear Stress and Eddy Viscosity

Assume only shear stresses exist,

Then LHS of (B) =  $\tau$

Combine (3. 2) & (B)

$$\tau = \eta \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} \quad (\text{C})$$

By the way, for the turbulent motion

RHS of (B) = time rate change of momentum per unit area =  $-\rho \overline{u'v'}$

$$\therefore -\rho \overline{u'v'} = \tau \quad (\text{D})$$

Combine (C) and (D)

$$\tau_t = -\rho \overline{u'v'} = \eta \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} \quad (\text{E})$$

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

## 8.5.1 Reynolds Equation

Navier-Stokes Eq. = equations of motion of a viscous fluid

~ applicable to both turbulent and non-turbulent flows

~ very difficult to obtain exact solution because of complexity of turbulence

~ Alternative is to consider the pattern of the mean turbulent motion even though we cannot establish the true details of fluctuations.

→ average Navier-Stokes Eq. over time to derive Reynolds Eq.

## 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

N-S Eq. in x-dir.:

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + w \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \right) = \rho g_x - \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau_{yx}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{zx}}{\partial z} \quad (8.15)$$

Continuity Eq. for incompressible fluid:

$$\rho \left( u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} + w \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \right) = 0 \quad (A)$$

Add (A) to (8.15), then LHS becomes

$$\text{LHS} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + 2u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \left( v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + u \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) + \left( w \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} + u \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \right) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial u^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial uv}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial uw}{\partial z}$$

## 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

Whole equation is

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial u^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial uv}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial uw}{\partial z} \right) = \rho g_x - \frac{\partial p_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau_{yx}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{zx}}{\partial z} \quad (8.16)$$

Decomposition:

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

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

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

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

(8.17)

Substitute (8.17) into (8.16), and average over time

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho \left\{ \overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}{\partial t}} + \overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')^2}{\partial x}} + \overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')(\bar{v} + v')}{\partial y}} + \overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')(\bar{w} + w')}{\partial z}} \right\} \\ &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \overline{(p_x + p_x')}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau_{yx}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{zx}}{\partial z} \end{aligned}$$

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

Rearrange according to the Reynolds average rule

$$\frac{\overline{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \cancel{\frac{\partial u'}{\partial t}} = \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t}$$

$$\frac{\overline{\partial(\bar{u} + u')^2}}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\overline{\bar{u}^2} + \cancel{2\bar{u}u'} + \overline{u'^2}) = \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \overline{u'^2}}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\overline{\partial(\bar{u} + u')(\bar{v} + v')}}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\overline{\bar{u}\bar{v}} + \cancel{\bar{u}\bar{v}'} + \cancel{\bar{u}'\bar{v}} + \overline{u'v'}) = \frac{\partial \bar{u}\bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \overline{u'v'}}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\overline{\partial(\bar{u} + u')(\bar{w} + w')}}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (\overline{\bar{u}\bar{w}} + \cancel{\bar{u}\bar{w}'} + \cancel{\bar{u}'\bar{w}} + \overline{u'w'}) = \frac{\partial \bar{u}\bar{w}}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial \overline{u'w'}}{\partial z}$$

$$\therefore \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}\bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}\bar{w}}{\partial z} \right) = \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \overline{p_x}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \overline{\tau_{yx}}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \overline{\tau_{zx}}}{\partial z}$$

$$- \rho \left( \frac{\partial \overline{u'^2}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \overline{u'v'}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \overline{u'w'}}{\partial z} \right)$$

## 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

Subtract Continuity Eq. of mean motion (  $\bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} = 0$  )

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u} \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u} \bar{w}}{\partial z} \right) - \left( \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{yx}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{zx}}{\partial z} - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &\therefore \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{yx}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{zx}}{\partial z} - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right)
 \end{aligned} \tag{8.18}$$

- turbulence acceleration terms
- mean transport of fluctuating momentum by turbulent velocity fluctuations

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

y-direction:

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial z} \right) = \rho g_y + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{xy}}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \bar{p}_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{zy}}{\partial z}$$

$$- \underline{\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{v}' u'}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}'^2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}' w'}{\partial z} \right)}$$

z-direction:

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} \right) = \rho g_z + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{xz}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{\tau}_{yz}}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial \bar{p}_z}{\partial z}$$

$$- \underline{\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}' u'}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}' v'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}'^2}{\partial z} \right)}$$

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

Rearrange (8.18)

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= \rho g_x + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( -\bar{p}_x - \rho \bar{u}'^2 \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\bar{\tau}_{yx} - \rho \bar{u}' v') + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (\bar{\tau}_{zx} - \rho \bar{u}' w') \end{aligned}$$

Sum of apparent stress of  
the mean motion and  
additional apparent stress  
due to turbulent fluctuations

## 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

Introduce Newtonian stress relations: Eqs. 5.29 & 5.30

$$\sigma_x = -p + 2\mu \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{2}{3}\mu \nabla \cdot \vec{q}$$

$$\sigma_y = -p + 2\mu \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - \frac{2}{3}\mu \nabla \cdot \vec{q}$$

$$\sigma_z = -p + 2\mu \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} - \frac{2}{3}\mu \nabla \cdot \vec{q}$$

$$\tau_{yx} = \tau_{xy} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$\tau_{yz} = \tau_{zy} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial z} \right)$$

$$\tau_{zx} = \tau_{xz} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right)$$

Substitute velocity decomposition, Eqs (8.17) into Eqs. (5.29) & (5.30) and average over time for incompressible fluid ( $\nabla \cdot \vec{q} = 0$ )

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

1) x-direction:

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{\sigma}_x &= -\bar{p}_x = -(\bar{p} + p') + 2\mu \frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}{\partial x} = -\bar{p} + 2\mu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} \\ \bar{\tau}_{yx} &= \mu \left\{ \frac{\partial(\bar{v} + v')}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}{\partial y} \right\} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \right) \\ \bar{\tau}_{zx} &= \mu \left\{ \frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial(\bar{w} + w')}{\partial x} \right\} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial x} \right)\end{aligned}\tag{8.20 a}$$

(2) y-direction:

$$\begin{aligned}-\bar{p}_y &= -\bar{p} + 2\mu \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} \\ \bar{\tau}_{xy} &= \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \right) \\ \bar{\tau}_{zy} &= \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial z} \right)\end{aligned}\tag{8.20 b}$$

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(3) z-direction:

$$-\bar{p}_z = -\bar{p} + 2\mu \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z}$$

$$\bar{\tau}_{xz} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\bar{\tau}_{yz} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial z} \right)$$

(8.20 c)

Substitute Eq. (8.20) into Eq. (8.18)

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right)$$

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

$$- \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}^{'2}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right)$$

## 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \left( 2 \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{v}}{\partial y \partial x} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial z^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{w}}{\partial z \partial x} \right) \\
 &\quad - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial z^2} \right) + \mu \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{v}}{\partial y \partial x} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{w}}{\partial z \partial x} \right) \\
 &\quad = \mu \nabla^2 \bar{u} \tag{I}
 \end{aligned}$$

(I)

$$-\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right)$$

By the way,

$$(I) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} \right) = 0 \quad (\because \text{Continuity Eq. for incompressible fluid})$$

Therefore, substituting this relation yields

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

x-dir.:

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \nabla^2 \bar{u} - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}'}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' v}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' w}{\partial z} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (8.22 \text{ a})$$

y-dir.:

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= \rho g_y - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial y} + \mu \nabla^2 \bar{v} - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{v}' u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}' w}{\partial z} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (8.22 \text{ b})$$

z-dir.:

$$\begin{aligned} & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{w}}{\partial z} \right) \\ &= \rho g_z - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial z} + \mu \nabla^2 \bar{w} - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{w}' u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}' v}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (8.22 \text{ c})$$

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

[Re]

1) Reynolds Equation of motion → solve for mean motion

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}_i}{\partial t} + \bar{u}_j \frac{\partial \bar{u}_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (\bar{u}'_i \bar{u}'_j) = \bar{X}_i - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}_i}{\partial x_j \partial x_j}$$

↑ time rate of change of momentum      ↑ rate of convection of the momentum      ↑ rate of diffusion of momentum by **turbulence**      ↑ body force      ↑ force due to mean pressure      ↑ rate of molecular diffusion of momentum by **viscosity**

2) Navier-Stokes Eq. → apply to instantaneous motion

$$\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t} + u_j \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} = X_i - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 u_i}{\partial x_j \partial x_j}$$

## 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

- Reynolds Equations (temporal mean eq. of motion)  
→ Navier-Stokes form for incompressible fluid (RANS)

[Re] No. of Equations = 4

No. of Unknowns: 4 + 9 (turbulence fluctuating terms)

→ 9 products of one-point double correlation of velocity fluctuation

$$\left( \overline{u'_i u'_j} \right)$$

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

## 8.5.2 Closure Model

Assumptions are needed to close the gap between No. of equations and No. unknowns.

→ Turbulence modeling: Ch. 10

- Boussinesq's eddy viscosity model – the simplest model

$$-\overline{u'^2} = \varepsilon_x \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x}$$

$$\overline{-u'v'} = \varepsilon_y \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y}$$

$$-\overline{u'w'} = \varepsilon_z \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z}$$

$$\boxed{\overline{-u'v'} \propto \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y}}$$

(A)

# 8.5 Reynolds Equations for Incompressible Fluids

Reynolds Equation in  $x$ -dir.:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial z^2} \right) - \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}'\bar{v}'}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}'\bar{w}'}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \rho \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\mu \partial \bar{u}}{\rho \partial x} - \bar{u}'^2 \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\mu \partial \bar{u}}{\rho \partial y} - \bar{u}'\bar{v}' \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \frac{\mu \partial \bar{u}}{\rho \partial z} - \bar{u}'\bar{w}' \right) \right] \quad (\text{B})
 \end{aligned}$$

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Substitute (A) and  $\frac{\mu}{\rho} = \nu$  into (B)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \rho \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left\{ (\nu + \varepsilon_x) \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} \right\} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left\{ (\nu + \varepsilon_y) \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \right\} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left\{ (\nu + \varepsilon_z) \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z} \right\} \right] \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \rho(\nu + \varepsilon) \left( \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial z^2} \right) \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \rho(\nu + \varepsilon) \nabla^2 \bar{u} \\
 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + (\mu + \eta) \nabla^2 \bar{u}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\varepsilon_x = \varepsilon_y = \varepsilon_z = \varepsilon$$

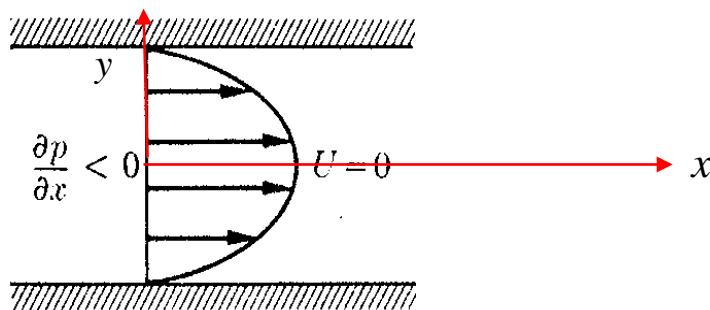
where  $\nu$  = kinematic molecular viscosity;  $\varepsilon$  = kinematic eddy viscosity;  
 $\mu$  = dynamic molecular viscosity;  $\eta$  = dynamic eddy viscosity

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## 8.5.3 Examples

### (1) Turbulent flow between parallel plates

Apply Reynolds equations to steady uniform motion in the x-direction between parallel horizon walls



$$\frac{\partial(\ )}{\partial t} = 0$$

← steady motion

$$\frac{\partial(vel)}{\partial x} = 0$$

← uniform motion

$$\frac{\partial( \ )}{\partial z} = 0, w = 0$$

← 2-D motion

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0 \\ \frac{\partial u'}{\partial x} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\bar{v} = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T v dt = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{unidirectional mean flow}$$

$$v' \neq 0$$

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Incorporate these assumptions into Eqs. (8.22)

$$\begin{aligned}
 x : & \rho \left( \cancel{\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t}} + \bar{u} \cancel{\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x}} + \cancel{\bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y}} + \cancel{\bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial z}} \right) \\
 & = \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \nabla^2 \bar{u} - \rho \left( \cancel{\frac{\partial \bar{u}'}{\partial x}} + \cancel{\frac{\partial \bar{u}' v'}{\partial y}} + \cancel{\frac{\partial \bar{u}' w'}{\partial z}} \right) \\
 \therefore 0 &= \rho g_x - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} - \rho \frac{\partial \bar{u}' v'}{\partial y} \\
 &= -\rho g \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \mu \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} - \rho \frac{\partial \bar{u}' v'}{\partial y}
 \end{aligned} \tag{A}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 y : & \rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{y}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{y}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \bar{w} \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial z} \right) \\
 & = \rho g_y - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial y} + \mu \nabla^2 \bar{v} - \rho \left( \frac{\partial v' \bar{u}'}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v'^2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v' w'}{\partial z} \right) \\
 g_y = -g \frac{\partial h}{\partial y} \quad & \therefore 0 = \rho g_y - \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial y} - \rho \frac{\partial v'^2}{\partial y} \\
 & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\bar{p} + \gamma h) + \rho \frac{\partial v'^2}{\partial y} = 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{8.25}$$

Integrate (8.25)

$$\bar{p} + \gamma h + \rho \bar{v'^2} = const. \tag{8.26}$$

→ In turbulent flow, static pressure distribution in planes perpendicular to flow direction differs from the hydrostatic pressure by  $\rho \bar{v'^2}$

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Rearrange (A)

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\bar{p} + \gamma h) = -\rho \frac{\partial \overline{u'v'}}{\partial y} + \mu \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( -\rho \overline{u'v'} + \mu \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \right) \quad (\text{D})$$

neglect since  
turbulence contribution  
to shear is dominant

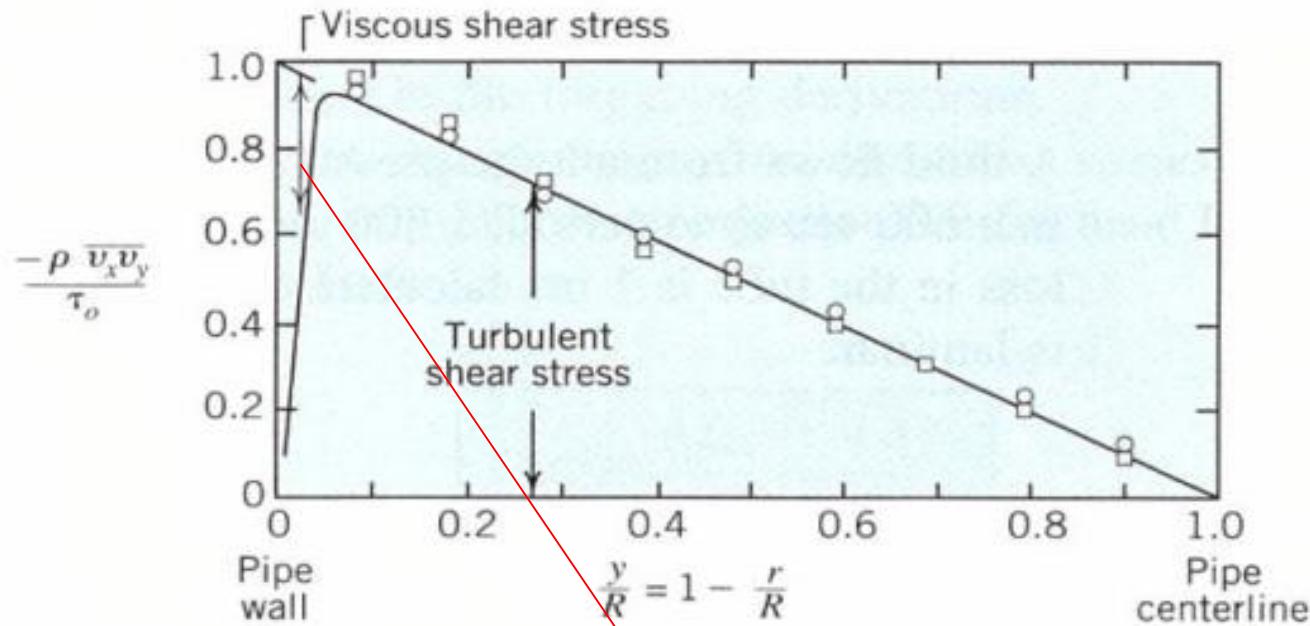
Integrate (D) w.r.t. y (measured from centerline between the plates)

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\bar{p} + \gamma h)y = -\rho \overline{u'v'} = \tau$$

$$\tau_{tur} = -\rho \overline{u'v'} \propto y$$

→  $\tau$  distribution is linear with distance from the wall for both laminar and turbulent flows.

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Near wall, viscous shear is dominant.

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## (2) Equations for a turbulent boundary layer

Apply Prandtl's 2-D boundary-layer equations

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} \quad (8.7a)$$

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

$$\rightarrow u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + u \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0 \quad (8.7b)$$

Add Continuity Eq. and Eq. (8.7a)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + 2u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \left( v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + u \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right) = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow$$

$$\frac{\partial u^2}{\partial x} \qquad \frac{\partial uv}{\partial y} \quad (A)$$

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Substitute velocity decomposition into (A) and average over time

$$\overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')}{\partial t}} = \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t}$$

$$\overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')^2}{\partial x}} = \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x}$$

$$\overline{\frac{\partial(\bar{u} + u')(\bar{v} + v')}{\partial y}} = \frac{\partial \bar{u} \bar{v}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y}$$

$$-\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \overline{(\bar{p} + p')} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} (\bar{u} + u') = \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2}$$

Thus, (A) becomes

$$\therefore \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{u} \bar{v}}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} \quad (B)$$

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Subtract Continuity eq. from (B)

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} - \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y}$$

$$\rho \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial t} + \bar{u} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \bar{v} \frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial y} \right) = -\frac{\partial \bar{p}}{\partial x} - \rho \frac{\partial \bar{u}'^2}{\partial x} + \mu \frac{\partial^2 \bar{u}}{\partial y^2} - \rho \frac{\partial \bar{u}' \bar{v}'}{\partial y} \quad (8.8a)$$

→  $x$ -eq.

Adopt similar equation as Eq. (8.25) for  $y$ -eq.

$$0 = -\frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\bar{p} + \rho \bar{v}'^2) \quad (8.8b)$$

Continuity eq.:

$$\frac{\partial \bar{u}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \bar{v}}{\partial y} = 0 \quad (8.8c)$$