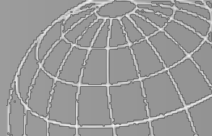


# Ch. 2 Fluid Measurements





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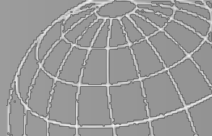
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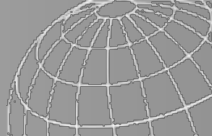
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## Objectives of Class

- Learn how to measure diverse fluids
- Introduce flow measuring devices for both laboratory and field experiments

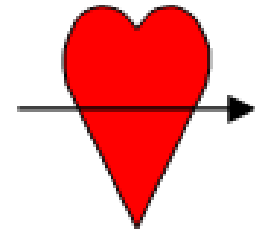


## 2.1 Density measurement

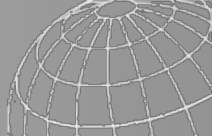
- There are many properties of fluids, but we only pay attention to the **density and viscosity** since other properties are measured by other disciplines (physics, chemistry).

- Density measurements

$$\rho = \frac{M}{V}$$



- 1) Weighing a known volume: pycnometer
- 2) Hydrostatic weighing: plummet, Westphal balance
- 3) Hydrometer



# 1) Weighing method

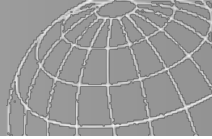
- Pycnometer (specific gravity bottle; 비중병)
  - Equipment to weigh accurately a known volume of liquid.
  - The specific weight of the liquid is given

$$\gamma_t = \frac{W_2 - W_1}{V_l}$$

- $W_2$  = total weight of the pycnometer,
- $W_1$  = weight of empty pycnometer
- $\gamma_t$  = specific weight of the liquid
- $V_l$  = volume of the liquid

density depends on the temperature





## 2) Plummet (or density ball)

- Based on the Archimedes

$$W_a = W_l + \gamma_t V_p$$

Buoyant force

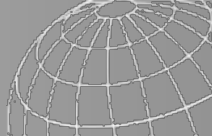
$W_a$  = weight of the plummet in air

$W_l$  = weight of the plummet when suspended in the liquid

$V_p$  = volume of the plummet

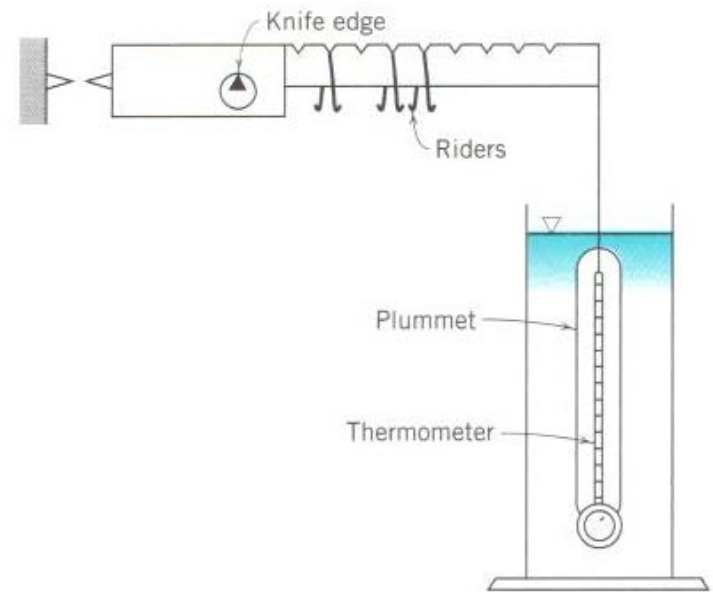
$\gamma_t$  = specific weight of the liquid



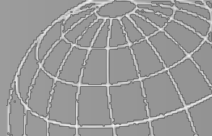


## Westphal balance

- Utilize the buoyant force on a plummet



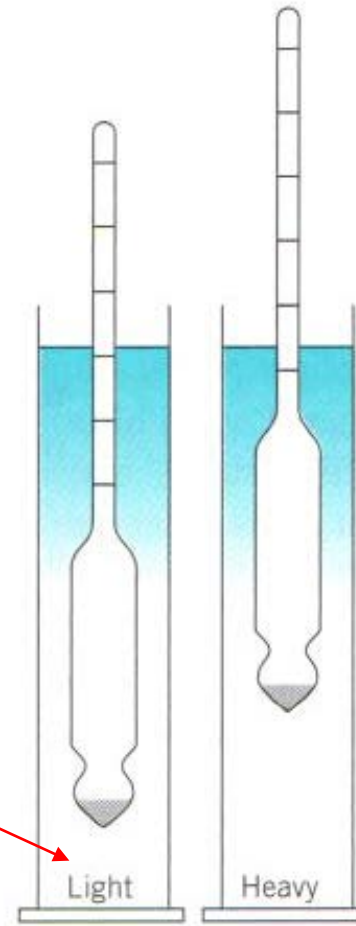
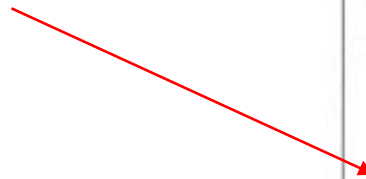
(b) Westphal balance.



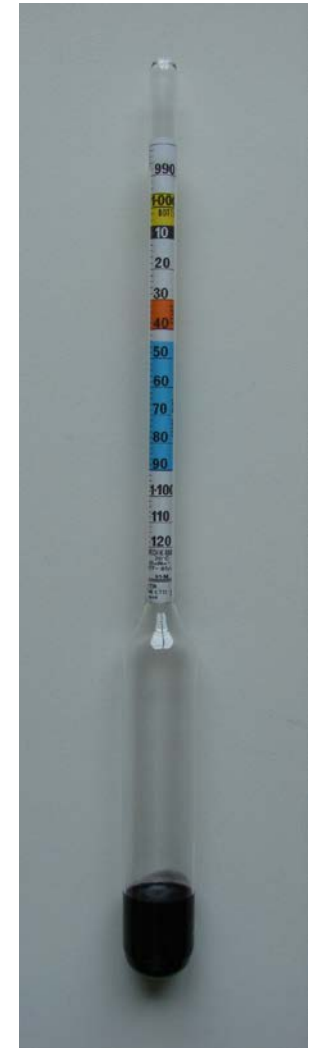
### 3) Hydrometer (비중계)

- The most common method
- Float with different immersions in liquids of different densities

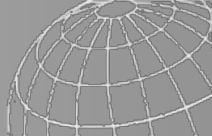
Light liquid



(c) Hydrometers.

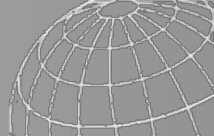






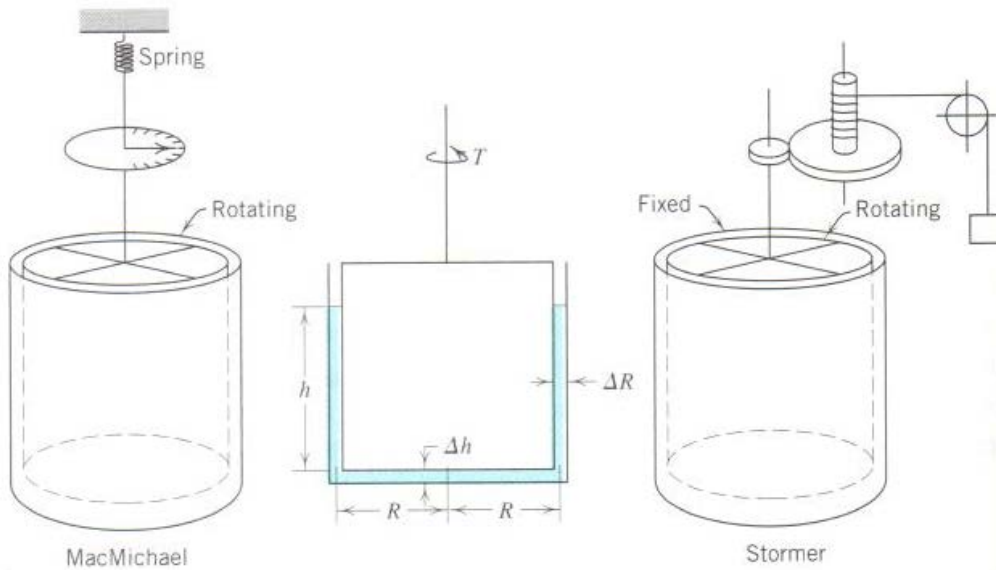
## 2.2 Viscosity measurement

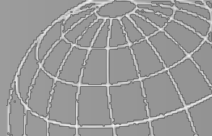
- Viscosity measurements are made with devices known as viscosimeters or viscometers
  - rotational viscometer
  - tube viscometer
- The operation of these viscometers depends on the existence of laminar flow.
- Viscosity depends on the temperature and when it is measured, done in constant temperature.



## 1) Rotational viscometers

- Measure torque on the inner tank
- MacMichael viscometer
- Stormer viscometer





- Measure torque,  $T$  on the inner tank

$$T = F r = \tau A r$$

$$\tau = \mu \frac{dv}{dy}$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi R^2 h \mu V}{\Delta R} + \frac{\pi R^3 \mu V}{2\Delta h}$$

$$T = K \mu V = K \mu N$$

$$\mu = \frac{T}{KN}$$

$N$  = rotational speed

$$T = F r = \tau A r$$

$$\tau_1 = \mu \frac{dV}{dy} = \mu \frac{V}{\Delta R}$$

$$A_1 = 2\pi R_i h$$

$$r_1 = R_i$$

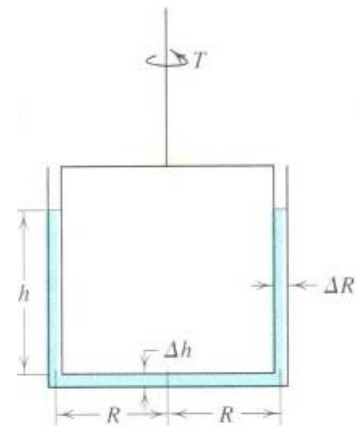
$$T_1 = \frac{2\pi \mu R_i^2 h V}{\Delta R}$$

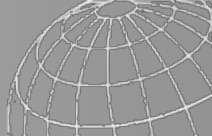
$$\tau_2 = \mu \frac{V}{\Delta h}$$

$$A_2 = \pi R_i^2$$

$$r_2 = \frac{R_i}{2}$$

$$T_2 = \frac{\pi \mu R_i^3 V}{2\Delta h}$$





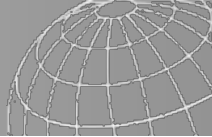
- MacMichael viscometer
- Torque is proportional to the torsional deflection  $\theta$

$$T = K_1 \theta$$

$$\mu = \frac{K_1 \theta}{KN}$$

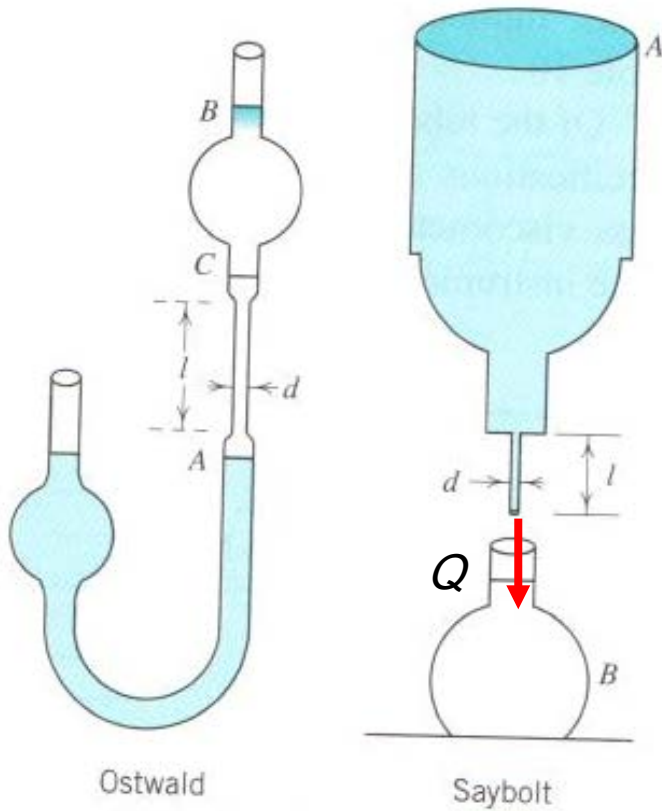
- Stormer viscometer
- Torque is constant since it is proportional to the weight  $W$ , and the time  $t$  required for a fixed number of revolutions is inversely proportional to  $N$

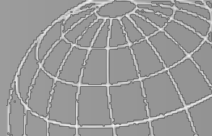
$$\mu = \frac{T}{KN} = \frac{T}{KK_2} t$$



## 2) Tube-type viscometer

- Ostwald and Saybolt instruments





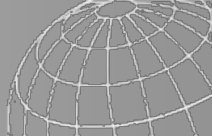
- The tube-type viscometers involve the unsteady laminar flow of a fixed volume of liquid through a small tube under standard head conditions.
- The time for the quantity of liquid to pass through the tube becomes a measure of the kinematic viscosity of the liquid.
- Apply the Hagen-Poiseuille law for laminar flow in a tube (Eq. 9.8)

$$Q = \frac{\pi d^4 \gamma h_L}{128 \mu l}$$

$$Q = \frac{V_l}{t}$$

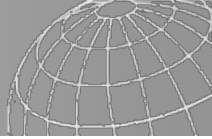
$V_l$  is volume of liquid passed in time  $t$

$$\mu = \left( \frac{\pi d^4 h_L}{128 V_l l} \right) \gamma t$$



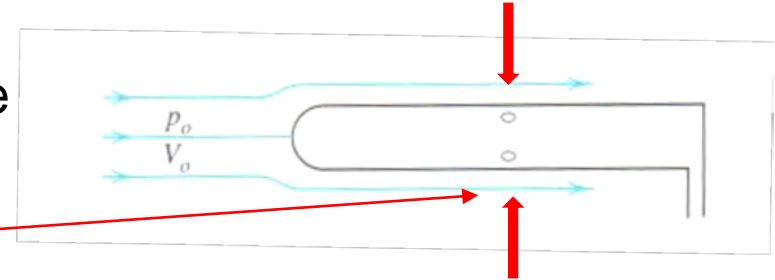
## 2.3 Pressure measurement

- Static pressure
  - The accurate measurement of static pressure in a fluid at rest may be accomplished with comparative ease.
  - manometer, pressure gages
  - To measure static pressure in a flowing fluid a device is required within fits the streamline picture and causes no flow disturbance.
  - It should contain a small hole whose axis is normal to the direction of motion, which usually is not known in advance.



- Static tube

- Assuming that it is aligned to the direction

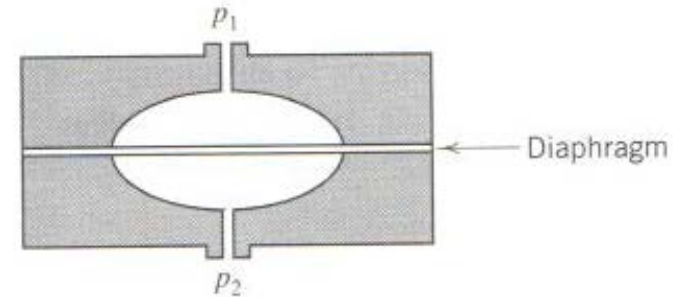


$$V_{measured} > V_0 \rightarrow p_{measured} < p_0$$

- This error is minimized by making the tube as small as possible.

- Transducers (connect to the manometer)

- Transducer (diaphragm gage) convert pressure differential to an electric output.



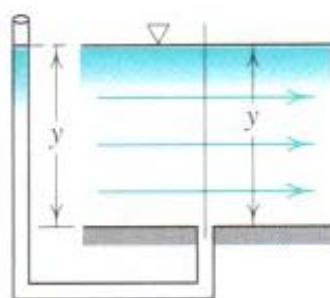




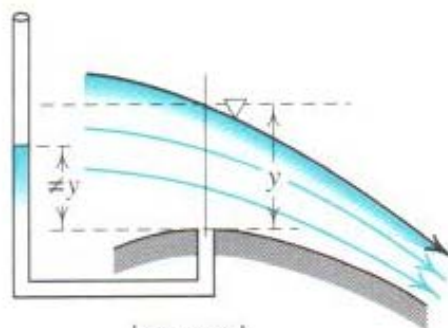
## 2.4 Surface elevation

1) *Manometer, piezometer column, pressure-gage:*

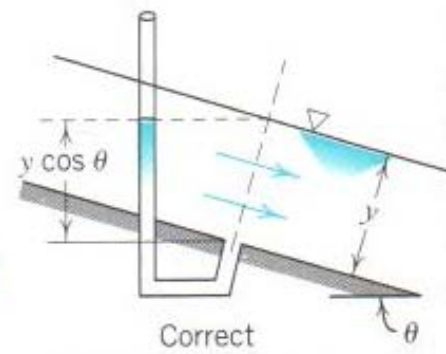
- The elevation of the surface of a liquid at rest may be determined
- The same methods may be applied to flowing liquids.
- The piezometer method is used only where the streamlines are essentially straight and parallel.



Correct



Incorrect



Correct

$$\begin{aligned} \text{수심} &= y \\ \text{수위} &= y \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$



# Gradually varied flow

Derivation of gradually varied flow equation

$dx$  = length of a channel segment

$y \sim d$  = depth of flow (varies by  $dy$ );

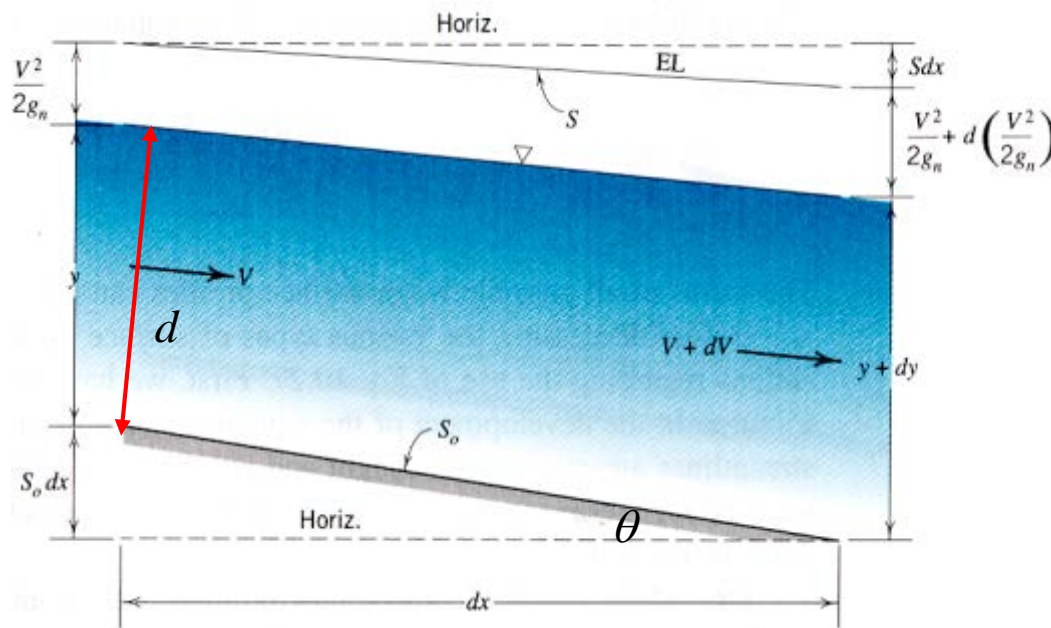
$V$  = average velocity (varies by  $dV$ )

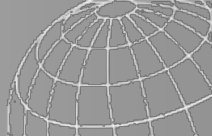
$S_0$  = bed slope

$S$  = energy (friction) slope

$$H = z + d \cos \theta + \frac{V^2}{2g} \approx z + y + \frac{V^2}{2g}$$

when  $\theta$  is small  $\rightarrow d \cos \theta \approx y$





2) *Floats:*

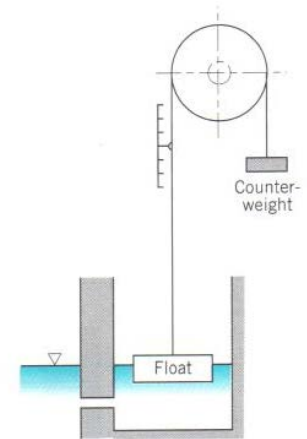
used for measuring the surface

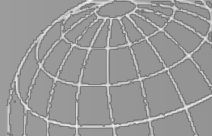
3) *Staff gages:*

crude but direct measurements of liquid-surface elevation

4) *Wading rod:*

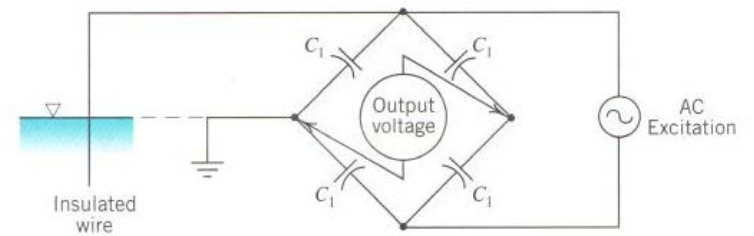
- Depth is shallow enough or measuring from a low footbridge
- Wading rod to be placed firmly on the streambed



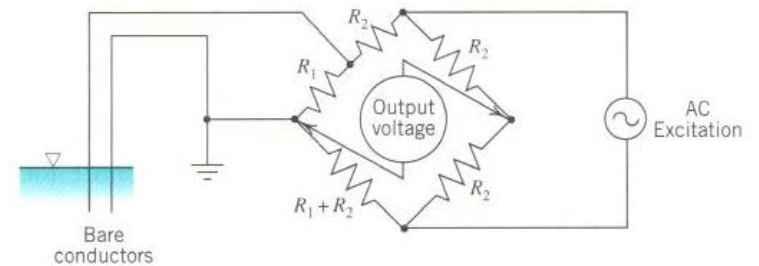


5) *Insulated wire and bare conductors:*

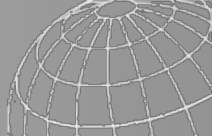
- output bridge voltage is proportional to the change in depth



(a) Capacitive sensor.



(b) Resistive sensor.

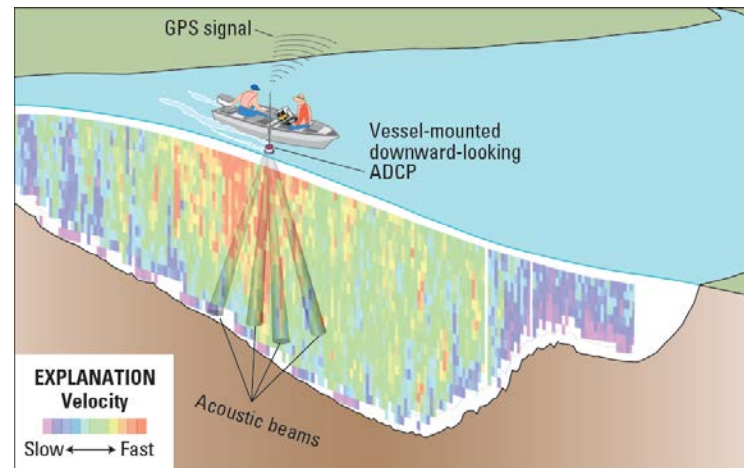


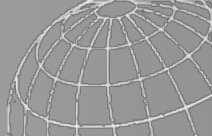
6) *Sonic devices*: measurement of the time necessary for a sound pulse to travel to the surface and return to its source

- Echo sounder (MBES/ADCP)

Measuring depth when making a moving boat measurement

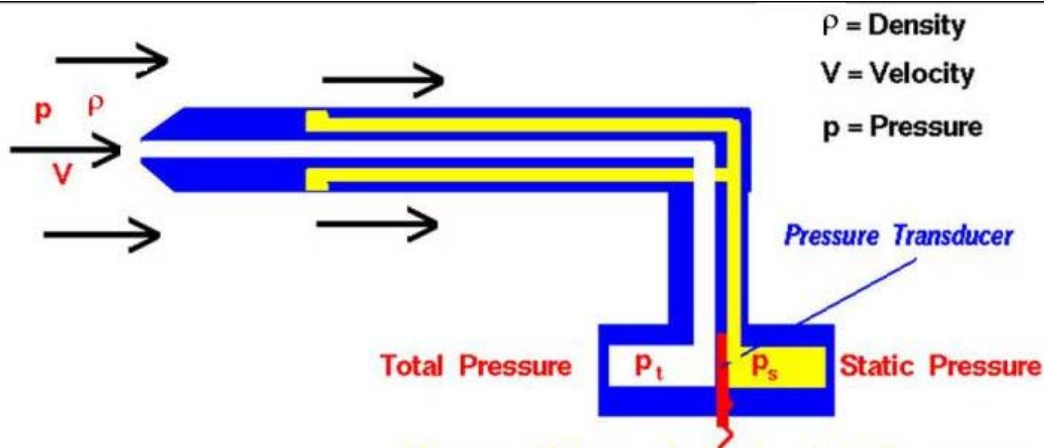
Records a continuous trace of the streambed on a digital or analog chart.





# 2.5 Velocity measurement

## 1) Pitot-static tube (피토관)



**Bernoulli's Equation:**

static pressure + dynamic pressure = total pressure

$$\left( p_s + \rho \times \frac{V^2}{2} \right) = p_t$$

**Solve for Velocity:**

$$V^2 = \frac{2(p_t - p_s)}{\rho}$$

Measure difference in total and static pressure

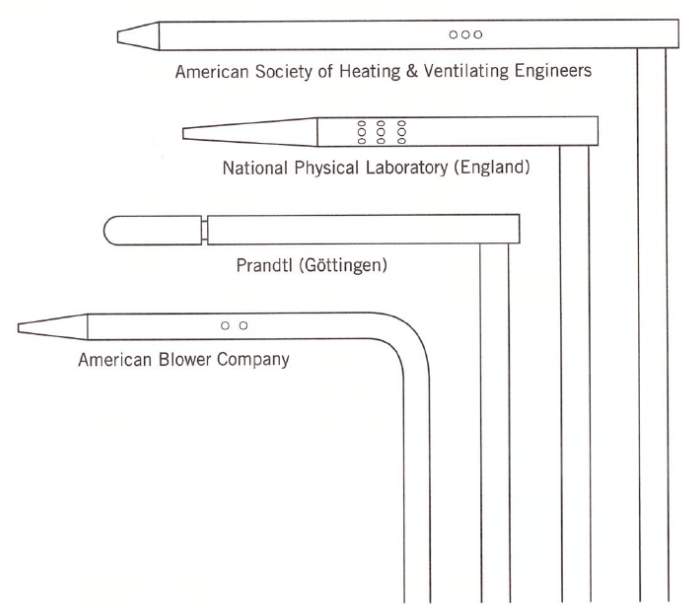
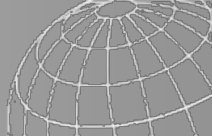


Fig. 14.12 Pitot-Static tubes (to scale).



- Stagnation pressure (total pressure) 정체압력
  - Aligned to the flow direction

$$\frac{p_s}{\gamma} = \frac{p_0}{\gamma} + \frac{V_0^2}{2g}$$



Total pressure  
정체압력

Static pressure  
정압력

Dynamic pressure  
동압력

$$V_0 = \sqrt{\frac{2g(p_s - p_0)}{\gamma}}$$

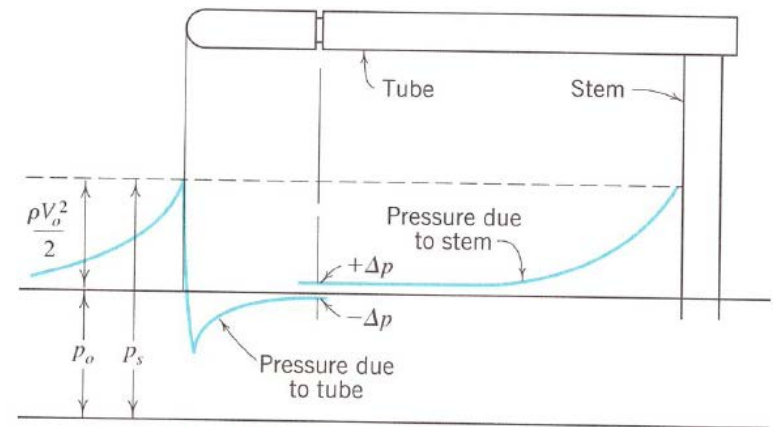
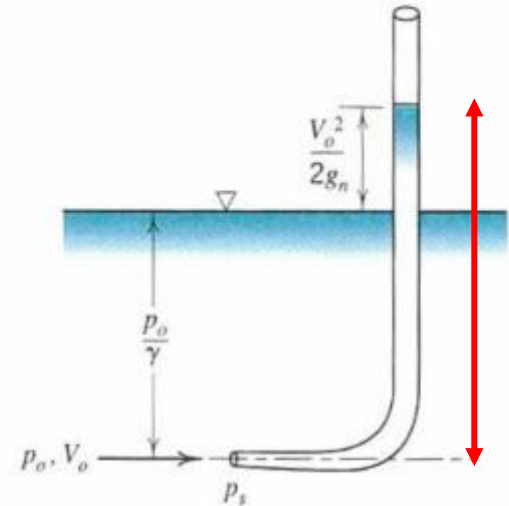
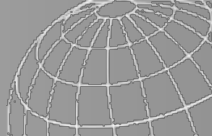


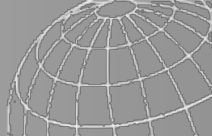
Fig. 14.13 Prandtl's pitot-static tube.



- Airbus-380
- Helicopter







## 2) Current meters

- Anemometers and current meters



Current meters –  
propeller type



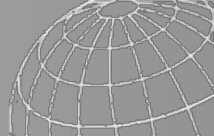
Current meters –  
cup type

$$V = aN + b$$

$N =$  회전수

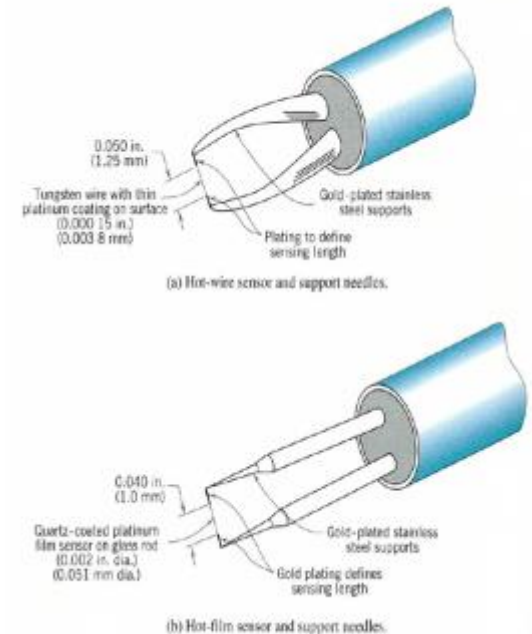
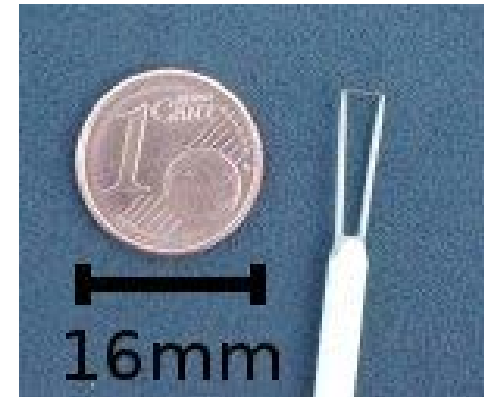
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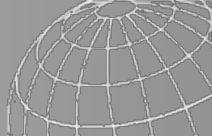




### 3) Hot wire anemometer

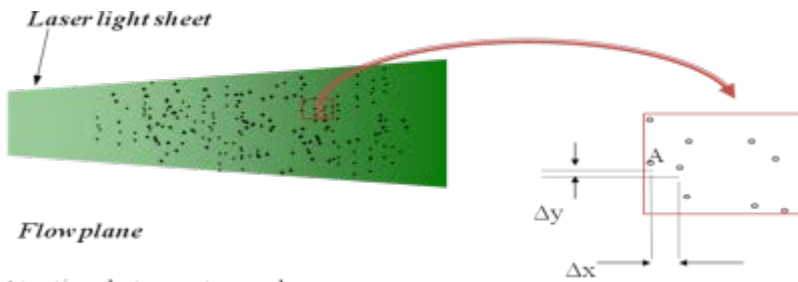
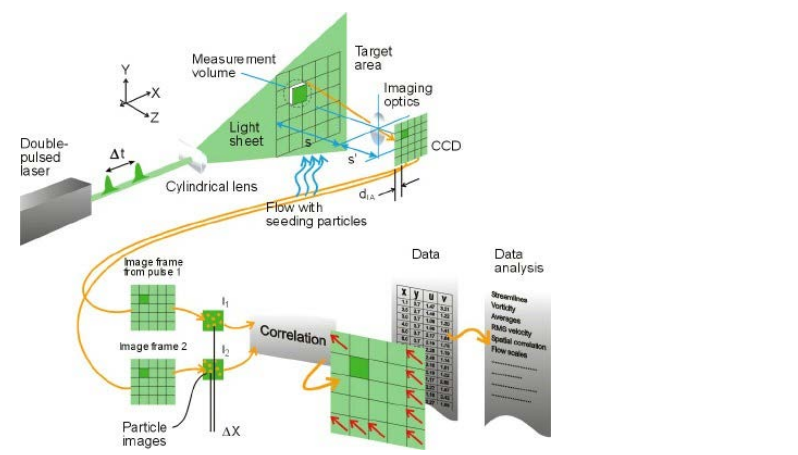
- Change of temperature affects the electric current flow or voltage drop through wire.
- Fine platinum wire (film) is heated electrically by a circuit that maintains voltage drop constant.
- When inserted into the stream, the cooling, which is a function of the velocity, can be detected as variations in voltage.



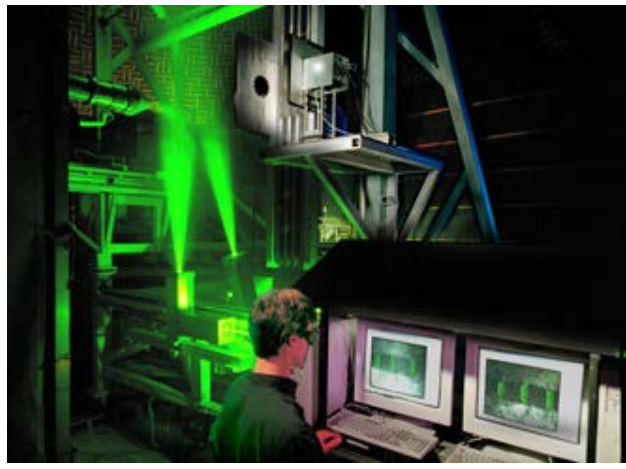
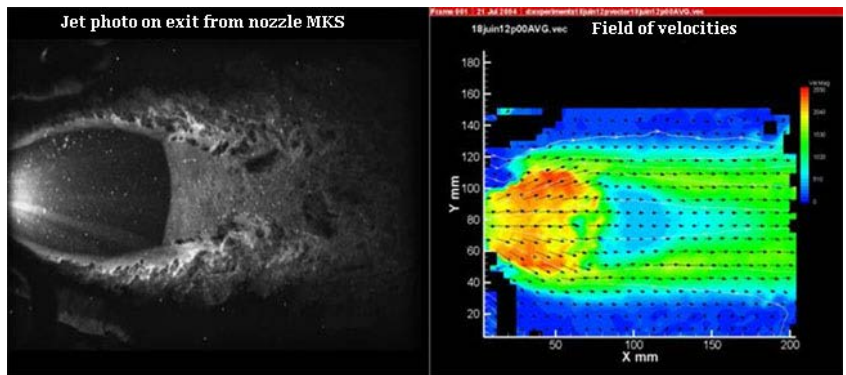


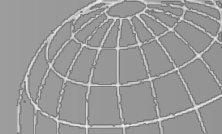
# 4) Laser techniques

## 1) PIV (Particle Image Velocimetry)

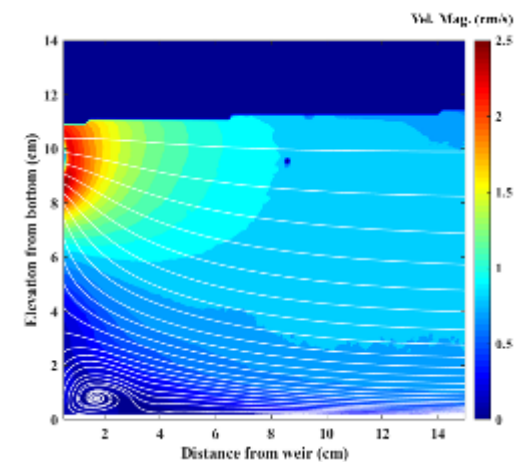
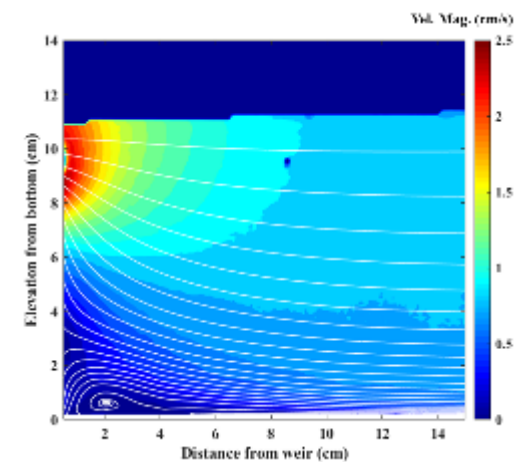


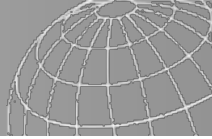
$\Delta t$  - time between two pulses  
 $\Delta x$  - particle displacement in x direction  
 $\Delta y$  - particle displacement in y direction



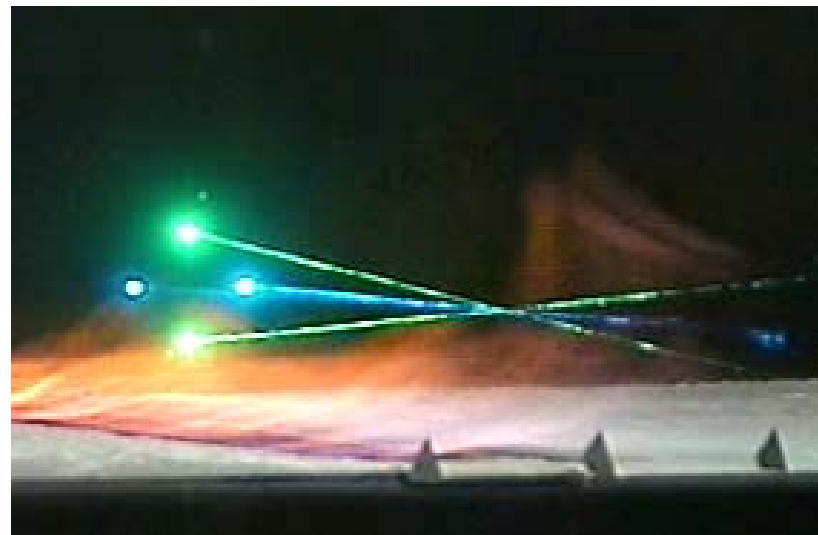
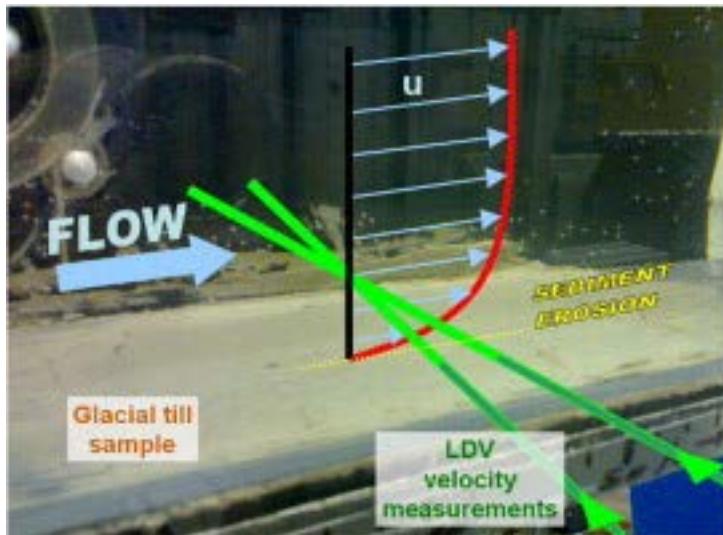


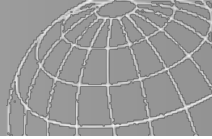
➤ Weir tests





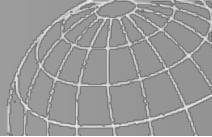
## 2) LDV (Laser Doppler Velocimeter)





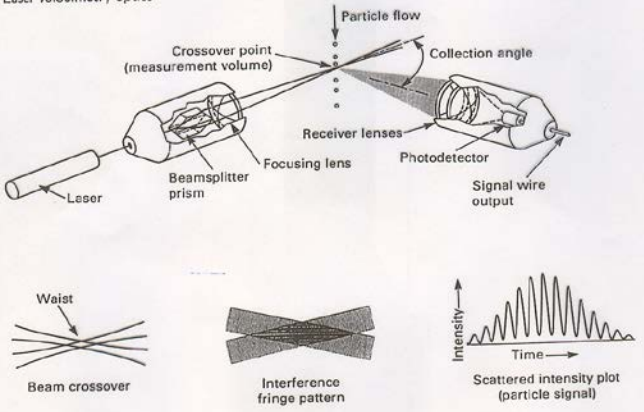
- ~ use Doppler effect
- ~ A laser (ultrasonic) beam transmitted into the fluid will be reflected by impurities or bubbles in the fluid to a receiving sensor at a different frequency.
- The transmitted and reflected signals are then compared by electronic means to calculate the Doppler shift which is proportional to the velocity.
- ~ non-intrusive sensing (immersible LDA)
- ~ sampling frequency is up to 20,000 Hz

$$F_{doppler} = -F_{source} \frac{V}{C}$$

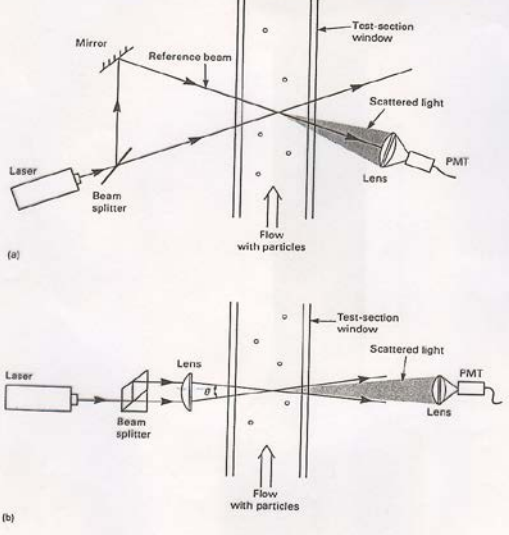


**Figure 15.25** LDA transmitter and receiver packages (Courtesy of David Carr, Aerometrics Inc., Sunnyvale, CA)

Laser velocimetry optics



**Figure 15.24** Laser-Doppler optical systems: (a) reference-beam arrangement, (b) differential-Doppler arrangement

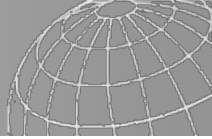


fringe spacing:

$$f_D = \frac{V_x}{\delta} = \left( \frac{2V_x}{\lambda} \right) \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right), \quad (15.18)$$

where

- $f_D$  = the Doppler-shift frequency,
- $V_x$  = the particle velocity in the direction normal to the fringes.

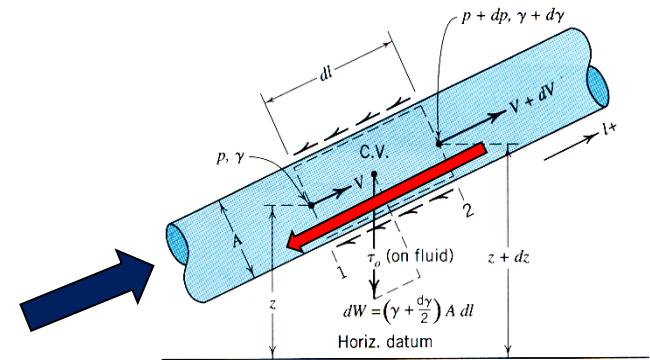


## 2.6 Shear measurements

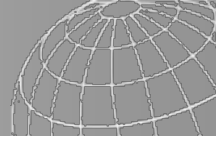
- Shear determined by inference
  - No device has yet been invented which is capable of measuring the stress between moving layers of fluid.
  - Shear measurements consist entirely of measurements of wall shear,  $\tau_0$ .
  - From  $\tau_0$  the shear between moving layers may be deduced using shear stress equations.
  - For a cylindrical pipe of uniform roughness, the wall shear can be obtained from pressure measurements as given below:

$$\tau_0 = \frac{\gamma d}{4l} \left( \frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1 - \frac{p_2}{\gamma} - z_2 \right) \quad (7.34)$$

Head loss

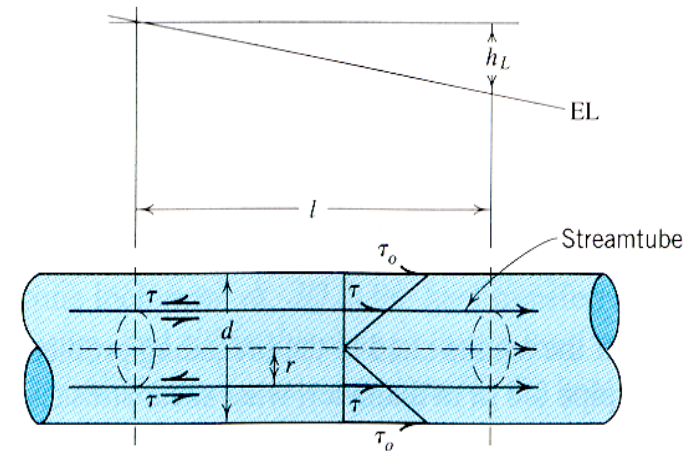
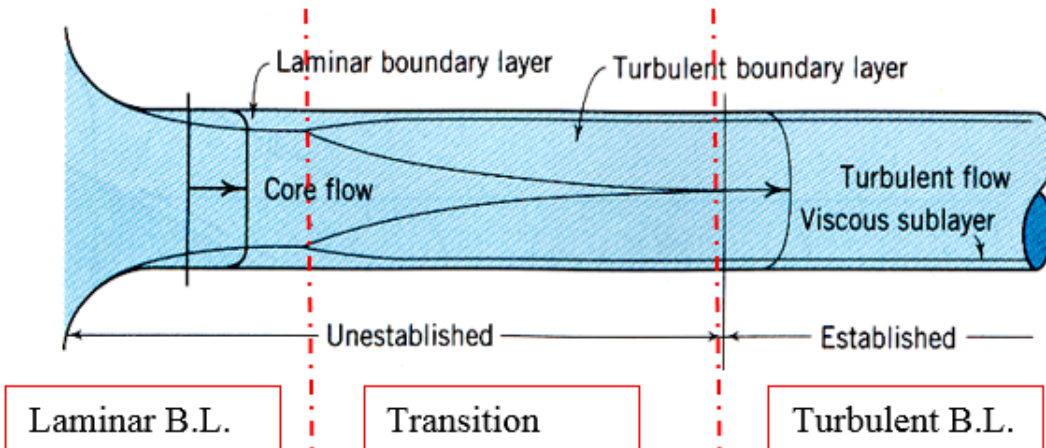
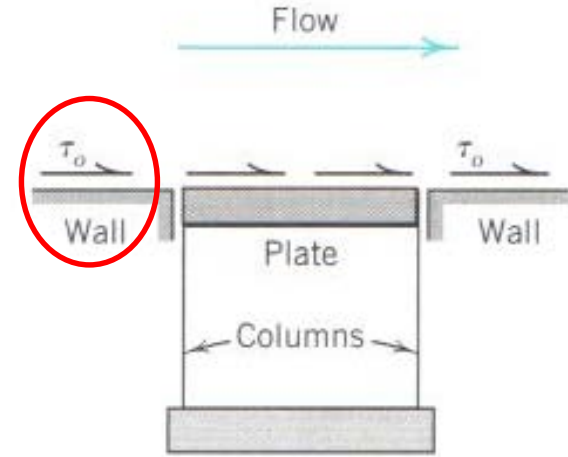


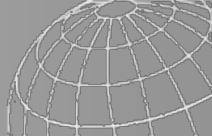




# 1) Wall probes

- A movable plate mounted on elastic columns fastened to a rigid support
- The columns are deflected slightly by the shearing force of fluid on plate.
- This small deflection measured by strain gages, and the shear stress deduced from this deflection.





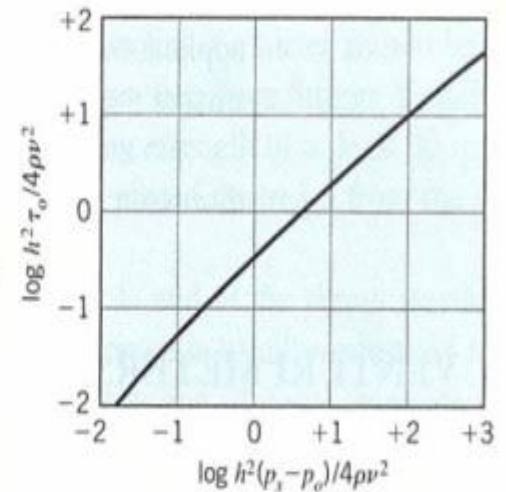
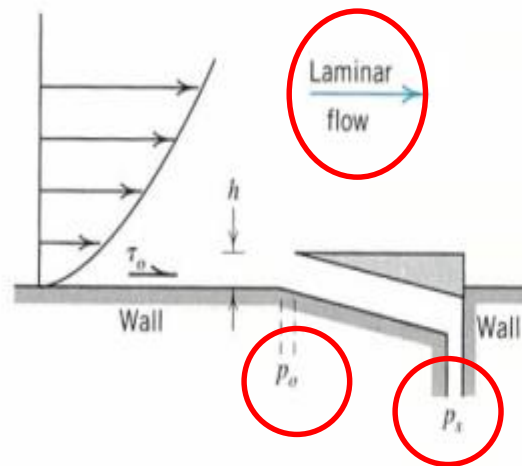
## 2) Wall Pitot tubes

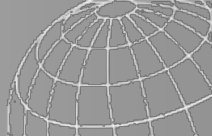
- Stanton tube

- To measure wall shear, Stanton invented the wall pitot tube of which the wall forming one side of the pitot tube.
- Calibration in laminar flow and in the viscous sublayer of the turbulent pipe flow showed that

$$\frac{\tau_0 h^2}{4\rho v^2} = fn\left(\frac{(p_s - p_0)h^2}{4\rho v^2}\right)$$

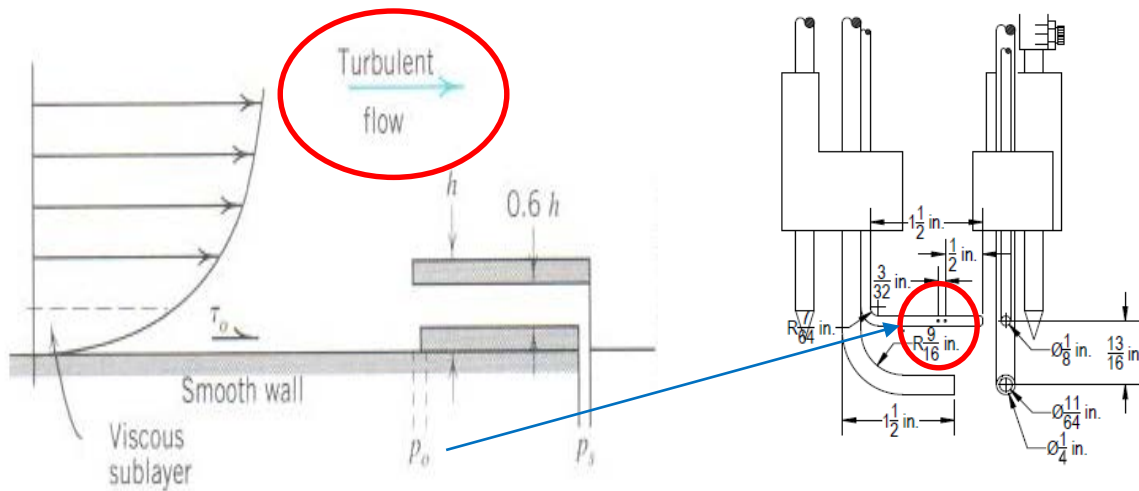
where  $h$  should be smaller than the thickness of viscous region

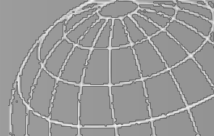




## - Preston tubes

- Preston applied idea to turbulent flow over smooth surface
- This tube is not submerged in the viscous sublayer
- Its performance depends on the similarity of the velocity profiles through the buffer zone between the viscous sublayer and the turbulent region.

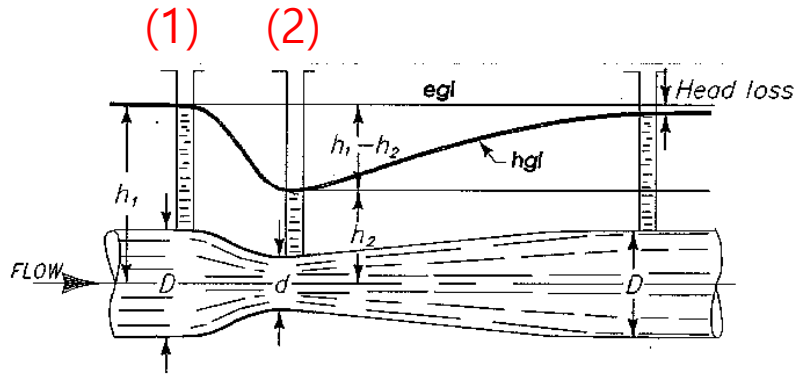




## 2.7 Flowrate measurement

### 1) Differential measurement system

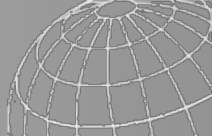
#### i) Venturi meter



- Consider head loss at the constriction

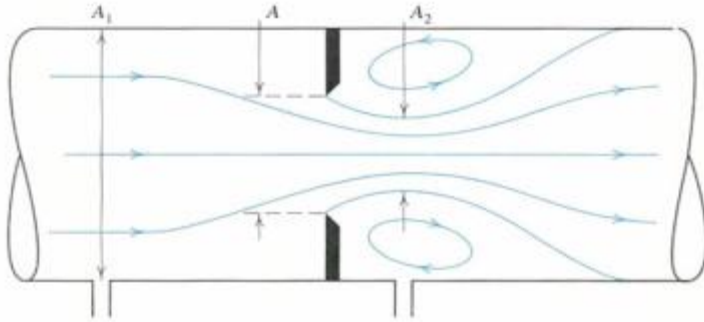
$$Q = \frac{C_v A_2}{\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{A_2}{A_1}\right)^2}} \sqrt{2g \left( \frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1 - \frac{p_2}{\gamma} - z_2 \right)}$$

$C_v$  = coefficient for Venturi meter (Fig. 14.24)



## ii) Pipe orifice meter

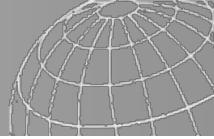
- The minimum section occurs at section 2 (vena contracta)



$$Q = \frac{C_v A_2}{\sqrt{1 - C_c^2 \left( \frac{A_2}{A_1} \right)^2}} \sqrt{2g \left( \frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1 - \frac{p_2}{\gamma} - z_2 \right)} = CA \sqrt{2g \left( \frac{p_1}{\gamma} + z_1 - \frac{p_2}{\gamma} - z_2 \right)}$$

$$C = \frac{C_v C_c}{\sqrt{1 - C_c^2 \left( \frac{A}{A_1} \right)^2}}$$

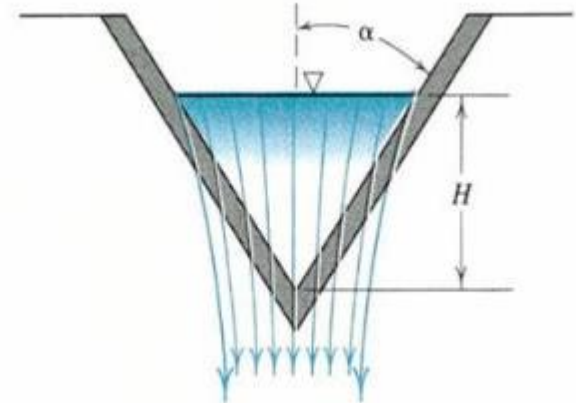
C – Fig. 14.27



### 3) Weir

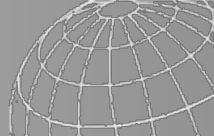
Weir- a regular obstruction over which flow occurs

- Spillway – overflow section of dam
- Sharp-crested weir
- Broad-crested weir
  - critical-depth meter



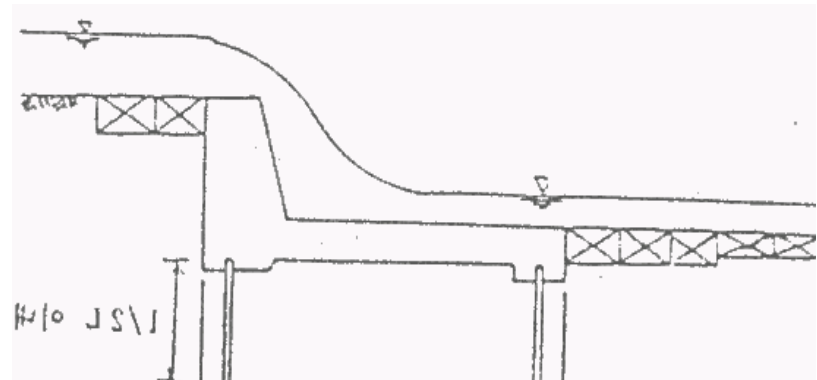
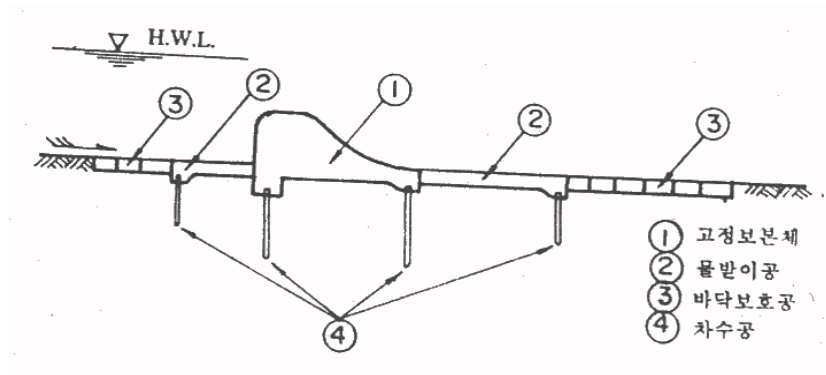
$C_c$

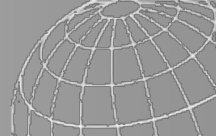




## Dam and Weir

- Large dam 대댐
- Small dam 소댐:  $H < 15m$
- Navigation dam 주운댐
- Weir: 수위 상승
- Drop structure 하상유지공(낙차공)





Consider energy equation through the strip

$$H + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} = (H - h) + \frac{v_2^2}{2g}$$

$$v_2 = \sqrt{2g \left( h + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} \right)}$$

$$q = \int_0^H v_2 dh = \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2g} \left[ \left( H + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} \right)^{3/2} - \left( \frac{V_1^2}{2g} \right)^{3/2} \right]$$

$\frac{V_1^2}{2g}$  can be neglected since  $P \gg H$  and  $V_1$  is small

$$q = \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2g} H^{3/2}$$

$$q = C_w \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{2g} H^{3/2}$$

$C_w$  = weir coefficient

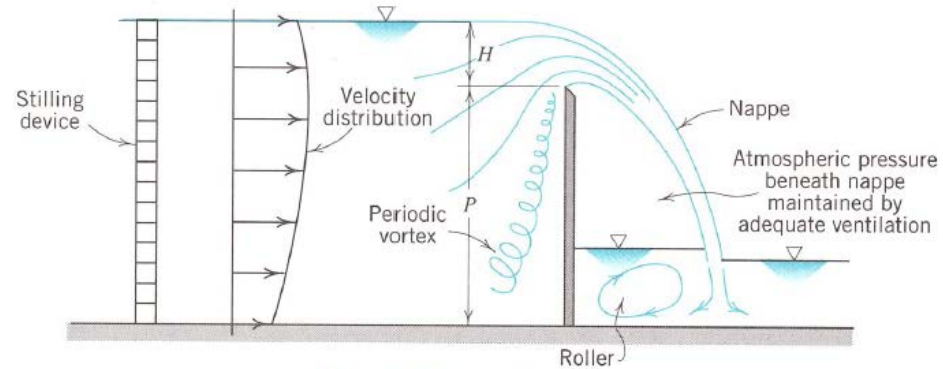
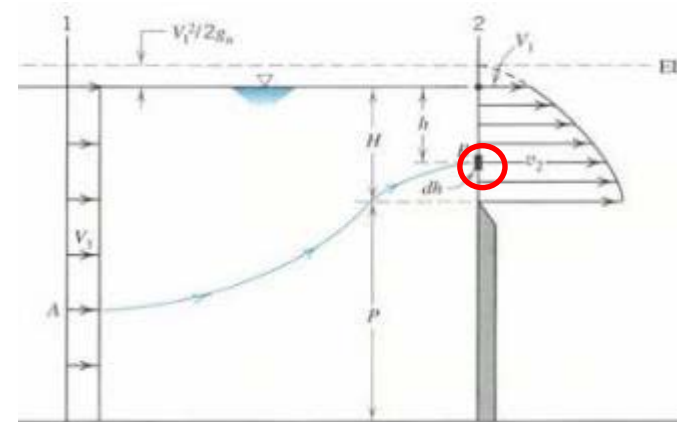
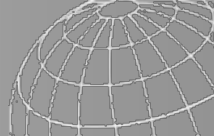


Fig. 14.35 Weir flow (actual).





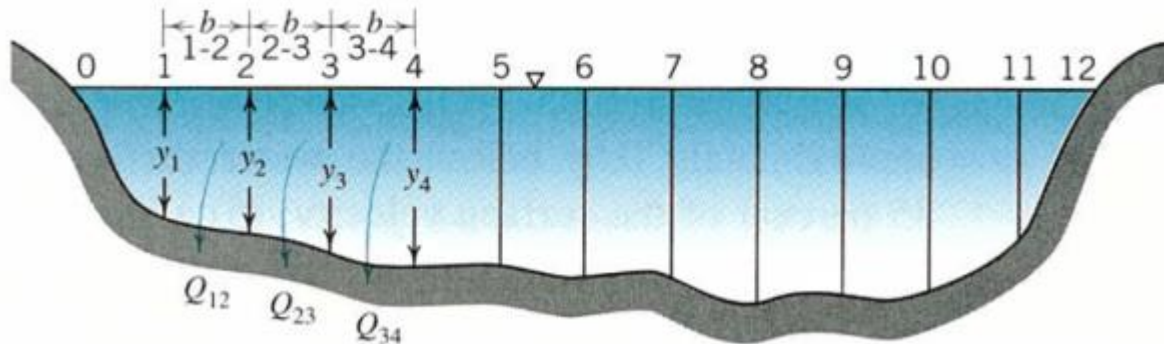
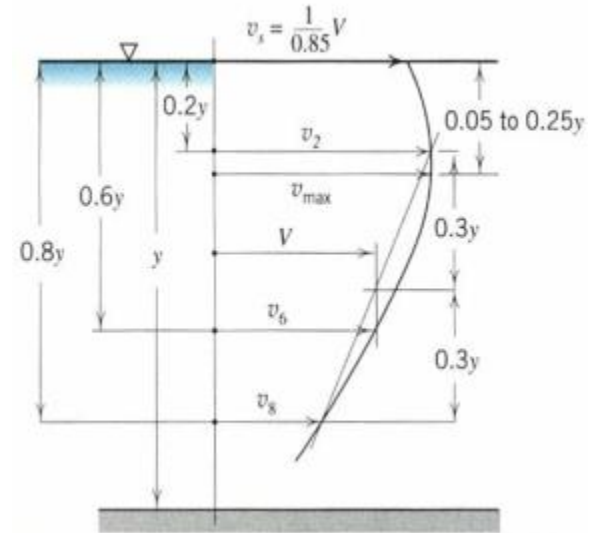


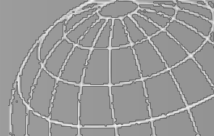
# Velocity-area method

The standard method of river flow measurement is to measure the velocity by means of a current meter and integrate the depth-averaged velocity to obtain the flowrate.

$$V = \frac{v_{0.2} + v_{0.8}}{2}$$

$$Q_{12} = b_{12} \left( \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \right) \left( \frac{V_1 + V_2}{2} \right)$$



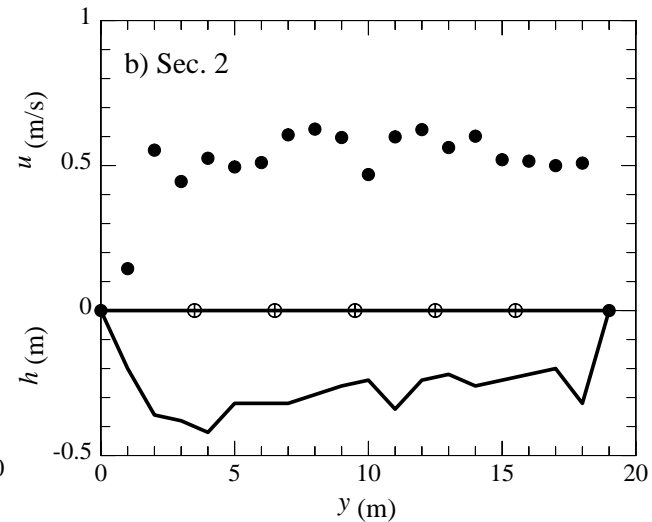
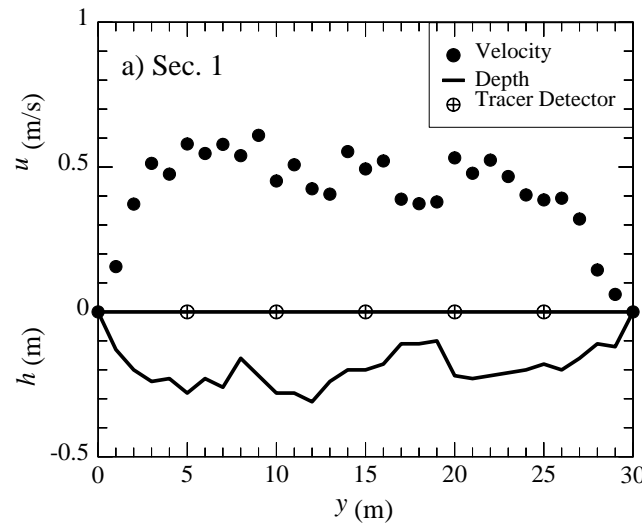


## Velocity profile

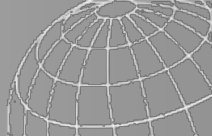
- measured by wading with ADV or by dragging boat-mounted ADCP
- Lateral distribution of velocity is obtained



Velocity measurements with ADV



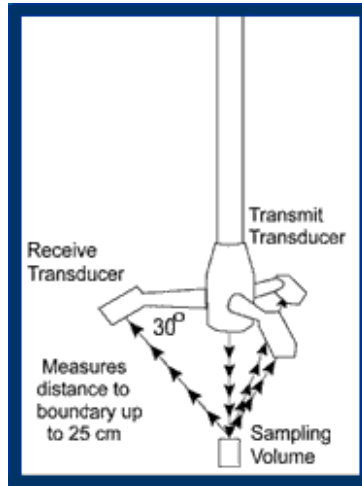
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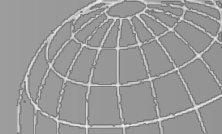


Acoustic Doppler Velocimeter

$$V = \frac{F_{Doppler}}{F_{source}} \times \frac{c}{2}$$

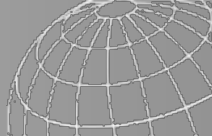
C = 물에서의 음속





- Acoustic Doppler Velocimeter



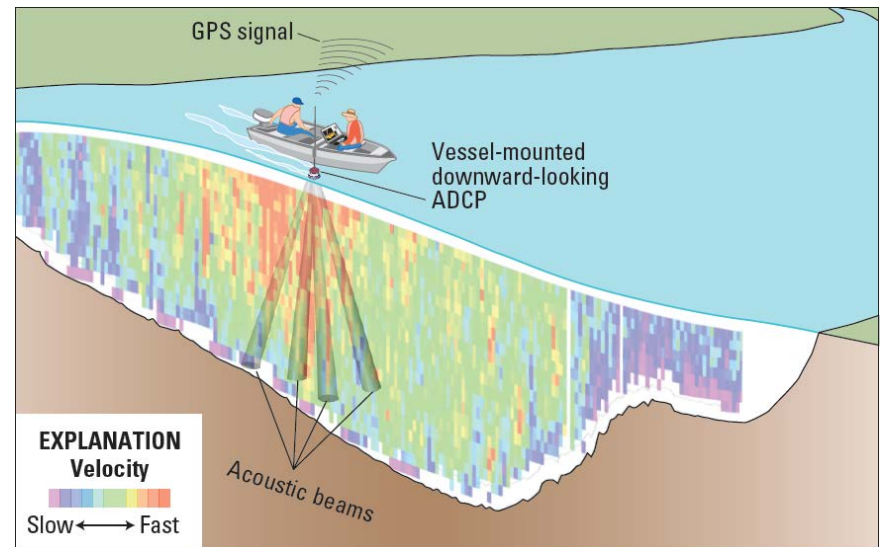


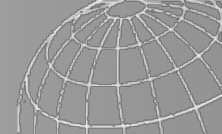
# ADCP (Acoustic Doppler Current Profiler)

ADCPs measure non-intrusively 3D velocity and bathymetry

~ applied Doppler principle by bouncing a pulse off particles

$$F_d = 2F_s \frac{V}{C_s} \quad (\text{two Doppler shift})$$



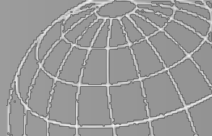


# ADCP

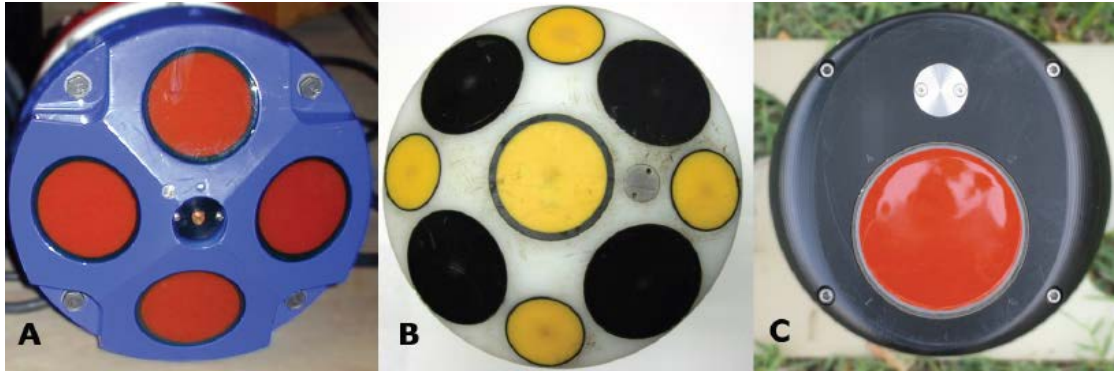


Figure 1.--StreamPro acoustic Doppler current profiler.

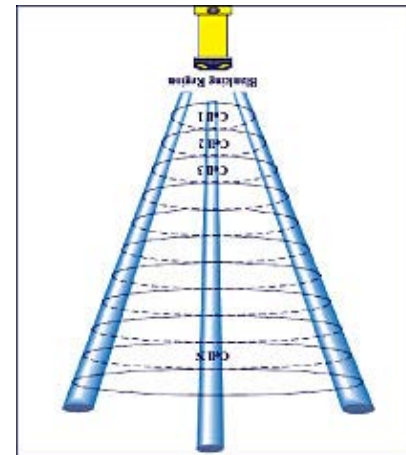


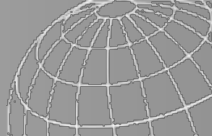


# ADCP



**A: TRDI Rio Grande; B: Sontek M9; C: TRDI RiverRay**



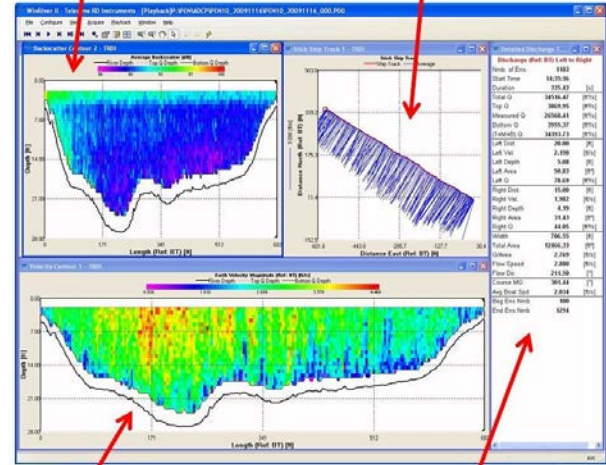


# ADCP



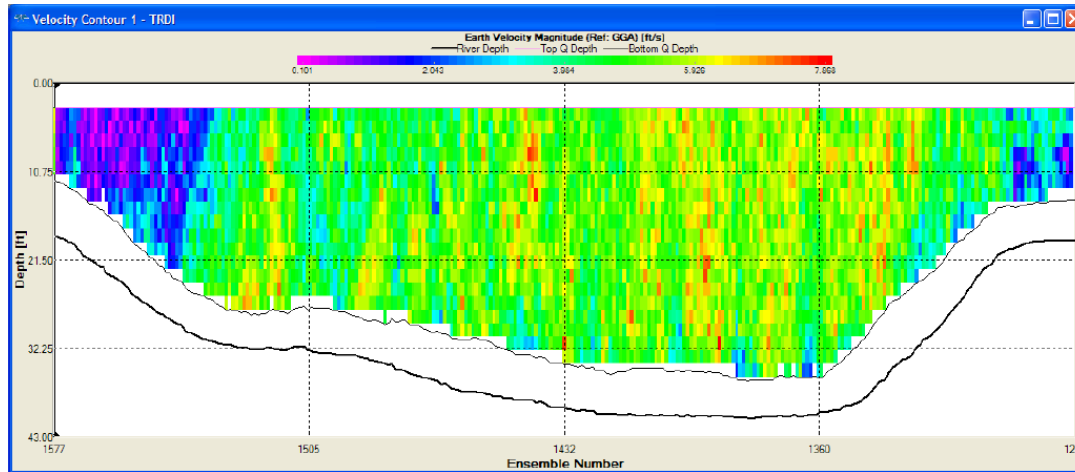
Acoustical backscatter contour plot.

Ship track with average velocity bars

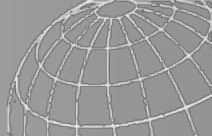


Water velocity magnitude contour plot

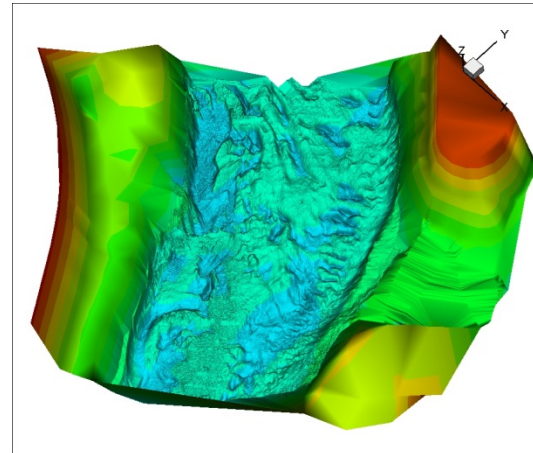
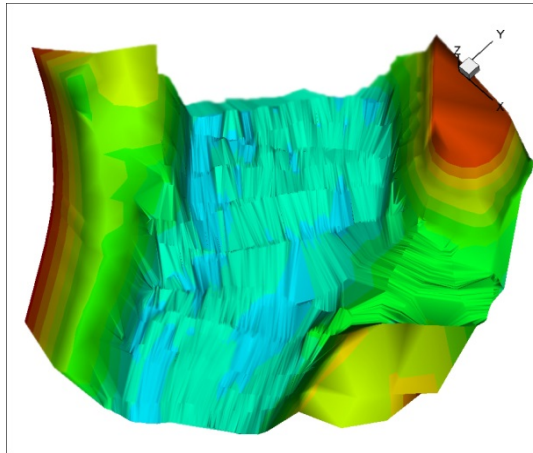
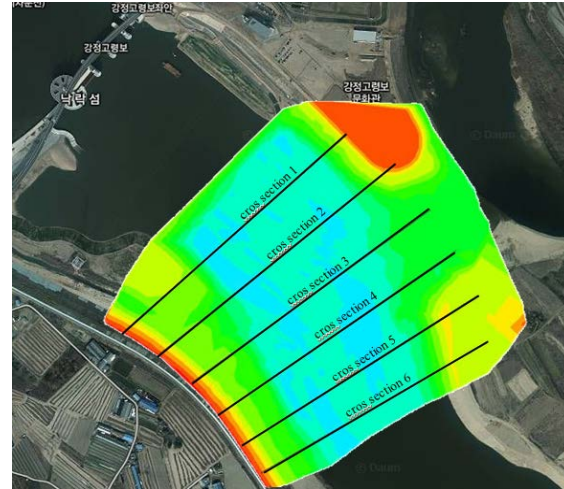
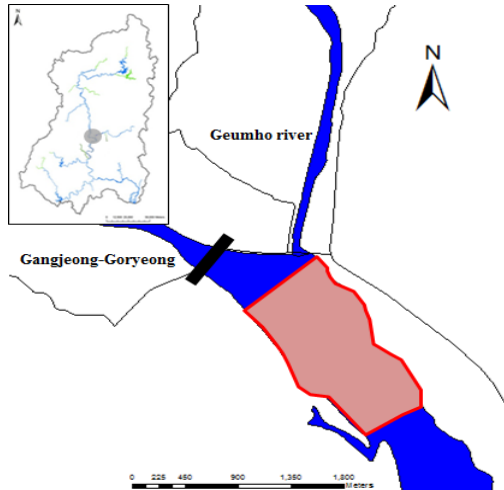
Tabular discharge summary table



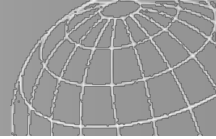




# 2.8 River Topography

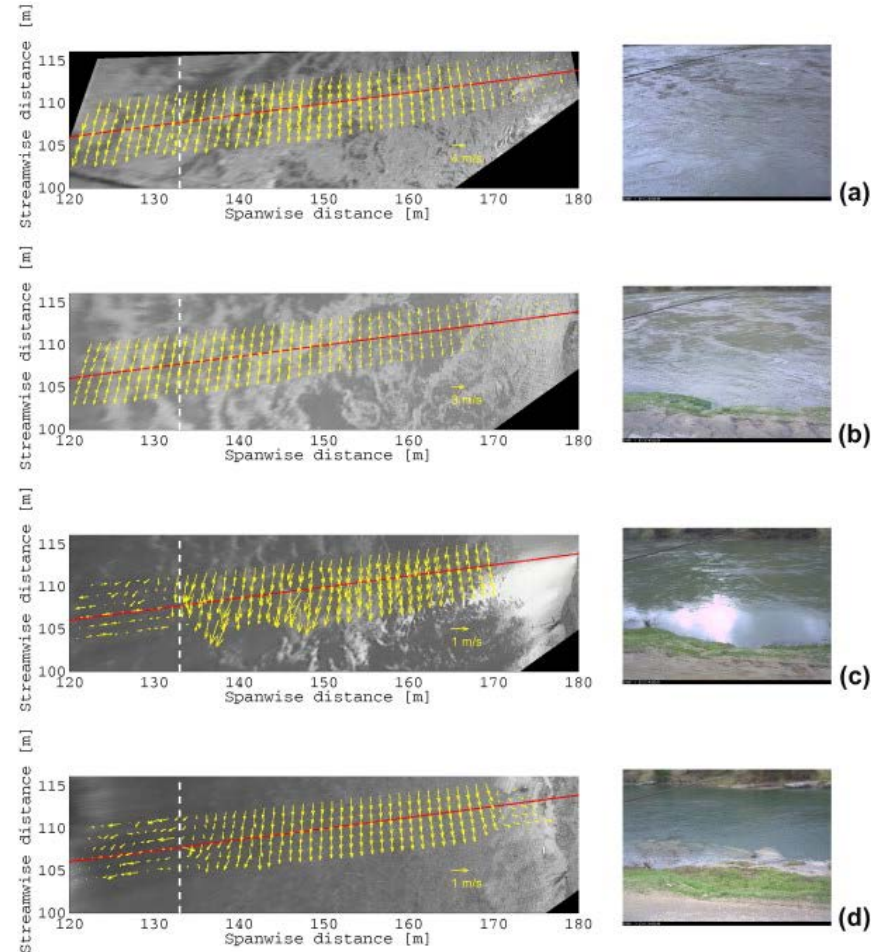


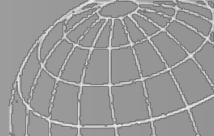
Channel topography measured by ADCP and MBES



## 2.9 Large scale measurement

- LSPIV  
~ use CCD camera in rivers





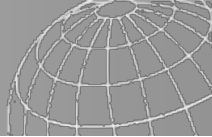
# Remote measurements

- UAV (Unmanned Aerial Vehicle)
- Drone

~ aerial survey

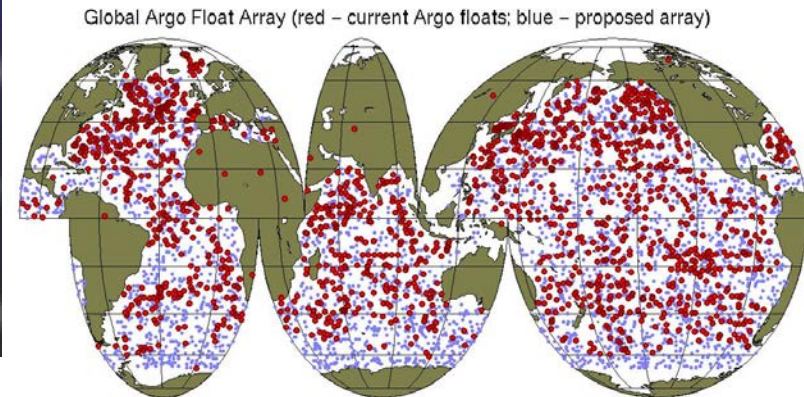
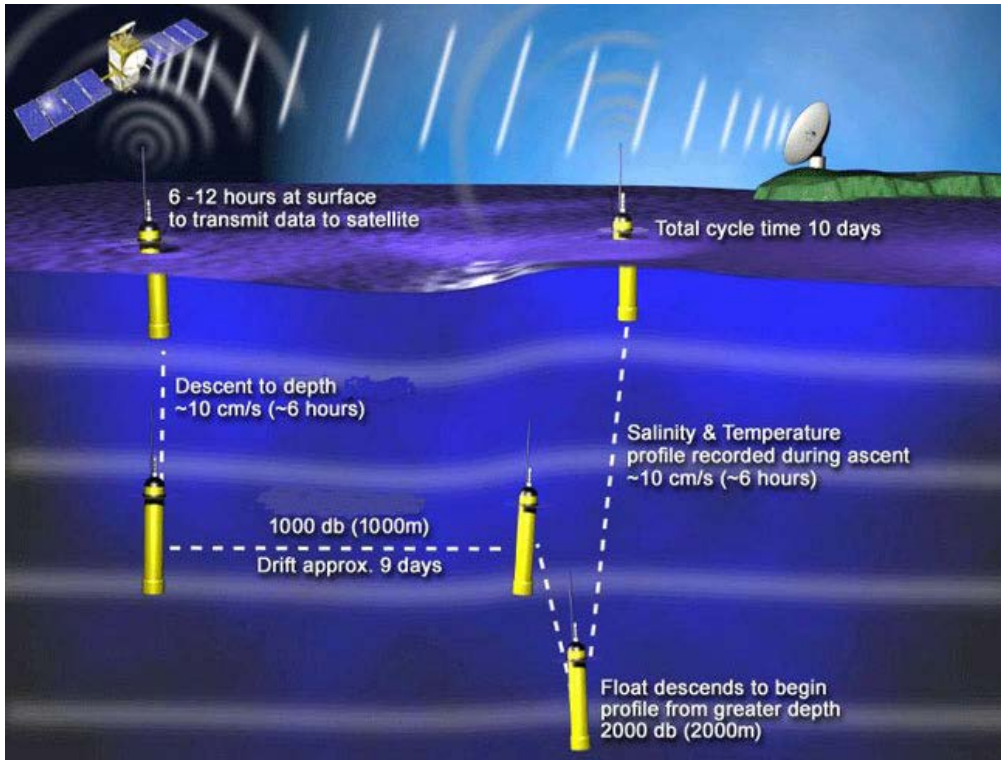
~ river topography, velocity, water quality

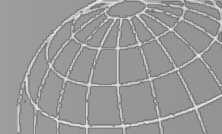




## 2.10 Ocean measurement

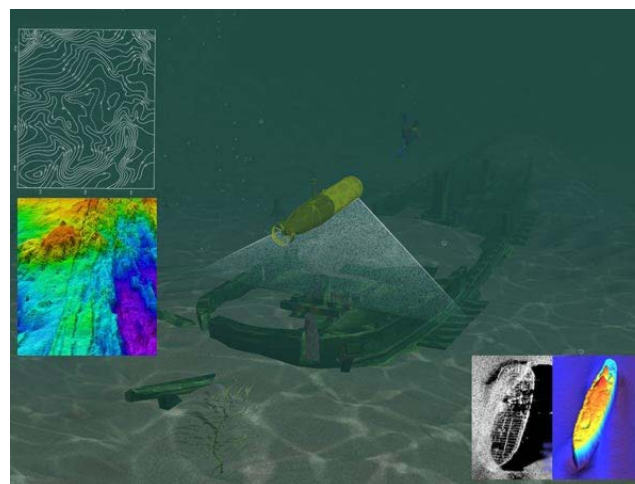
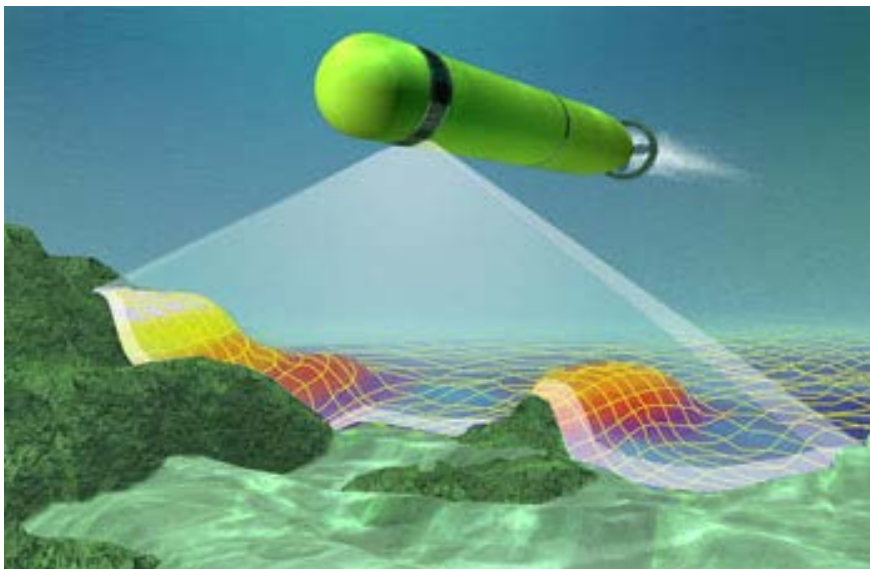
- Ocean: ARGO

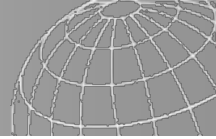




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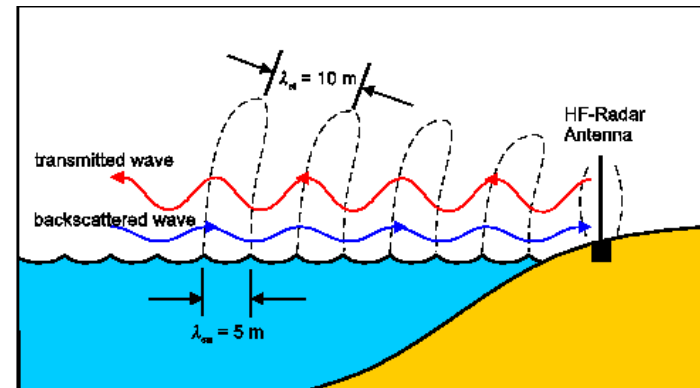
- Automatic Underwater Vehicle

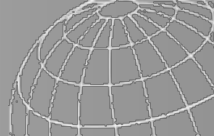




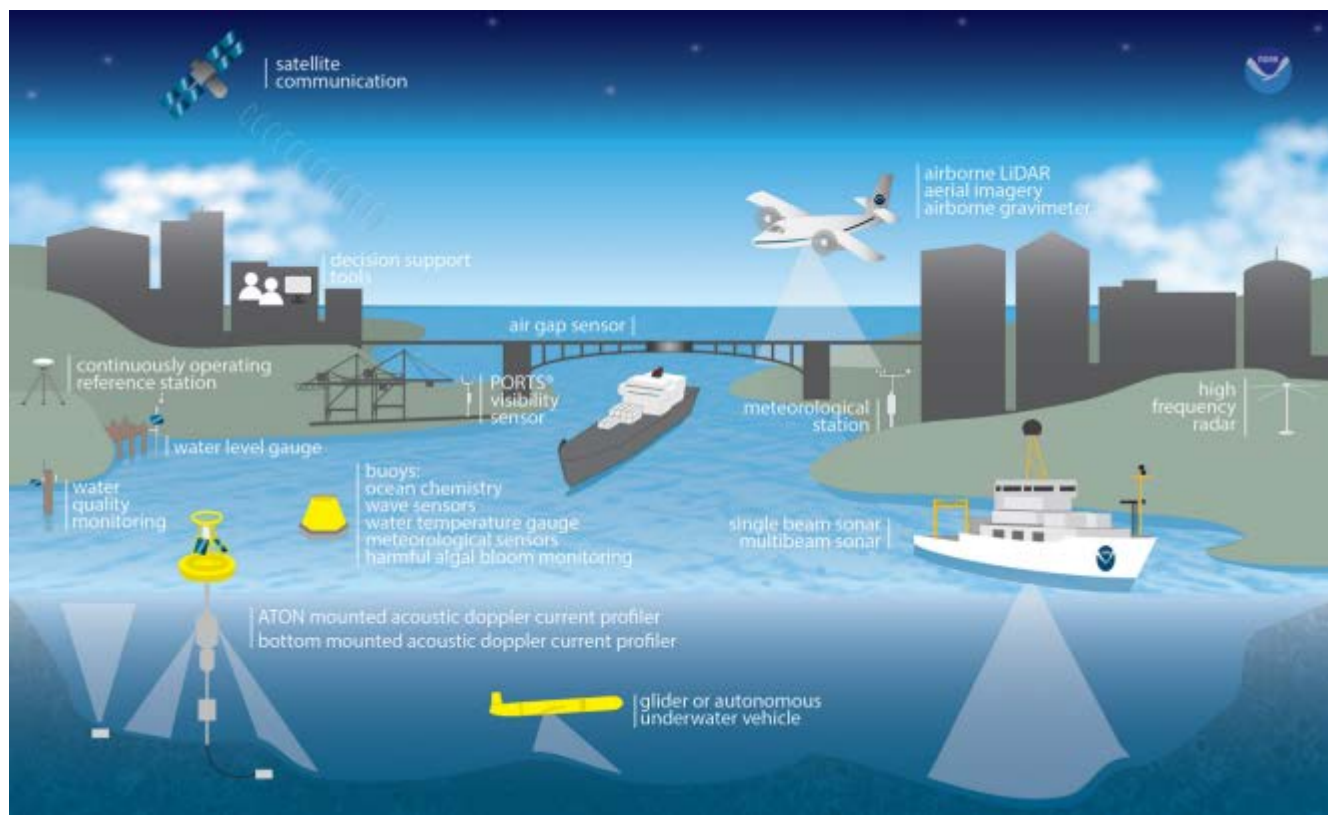
# RADAR

- HF RADAR (RADio Detecting And Ranging)
- Micro wave(wave length = 10~100cm )
- High Frequency radar – 해양 기후, 기상 측정

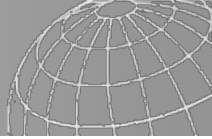




# Remote sensing: Satellite image



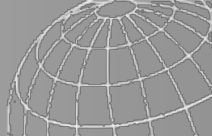
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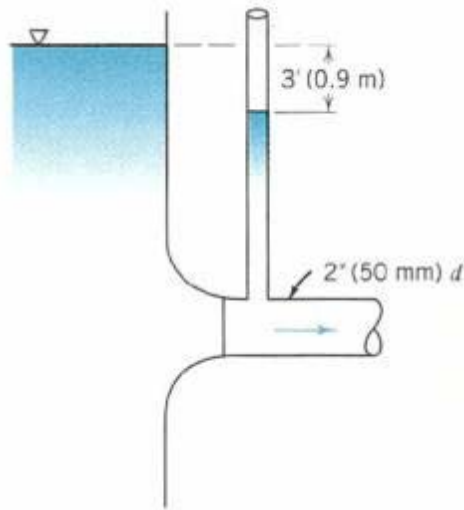
**Homework Assignment No. 1**  
**Due: 1 week from today**  
**Answer questions in Korean or English**

1. (14-8) If the torque required to rotate the inner cylinder of problem 1.69 at a constant speed of  $4 \text{ r/min}$  is  $2.7 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ , calculate the approximate viscosity of the oil.
  
2. (14-37) A Preston tube of  $12.7 \text{ mm}$  outside diameter is attached to the hull of a ship to measure the local shear. When the ship moves through freshwater ( $20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ) the pressure difference is found to be  $3.6 \text{ kPa}$ . Calculate the local shear.

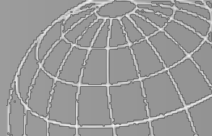




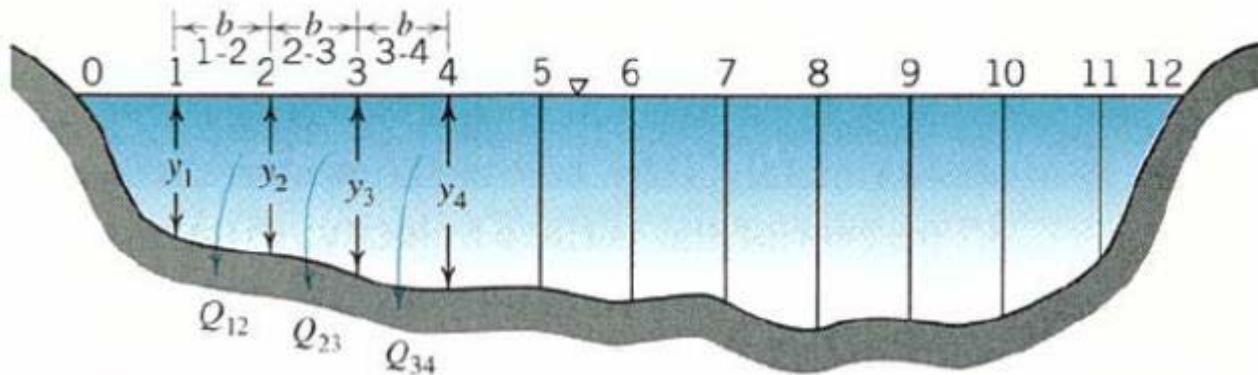
3. (14-61) Calculate the flowrate if  $C_v$  for this entrance nozzle is 0.96.

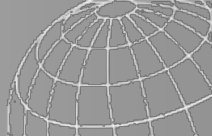


4. (14-82) A rectangular channel 5.4 m wide carries a flowrate of  $1.4 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ . A rectangular sharp-crested weir is to be installed near the end of the channel to create a depth of 0.9 m upstream from the weir. Calculate the necessary weir height.



5. (14-103) The following data are collected in a current-meter measurement at the river cross section of Fig. 14.44, which is 18 *m* wide at the water surface. Assume  $V[m/s] = 0.677 \times (r/s)$  and calculate the flowrate in the river.





Sec. No.	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Depth (m)	0.0	0.9	0.96	1.05	1.08	1.11	1.17	1.20	1.32	1.32	1.26	1.05	0.0
rpm@ 0.2y	-	40.0	53.5	58.6	63.0	66.7	61.5	56.3	54.0	52.6	50.0	45.0	-
rpm@ 0.8y	-	30.7	42.8	50.0	54.2	58.8	53.3	49.4	46.5	43.2	40.1	32.5	-