

2. One Dimensional Two Phase Flow Model

Mass Continuity

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Rate of Creation} \\ \text{of Mass} \end{array} \right) &= \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Mass Outflow} \\ \text{Rate} \end{array} \right) - \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Mass Inflow} \\ \text{Rate} \end{array} \right) + \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Mass Storage} \\ \text{Rate} \end{array} \right) \\ \text{(ROC)} & \quad \quad \quad \dot{Q} \quad \quad \quad I \quad \quad \quad S \\ A \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} &= 0 \quad \quad \quad \text{where } w = \rho u A \end{aligned}$$

For each phase,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} (A \rho_k \alpha_k) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (A \alpha_k \rho_k u_k) - \Gamma_k, \quad \sum_k \Gamma_k = 0$$

Momentum Equation

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{ROC of} \\ \text{Momentum} \end{array} \right) &= \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Momentum} \\ \text{Outflow Rate} \end{array} \right) - \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Momentum} \\ \text{Inflow Rate} \end{array} \right) + \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Momentum} \\ \text{Storage Rate} \end{array} \right) \\ &= \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Sum of the Forces} \\ \text{acting on the C.V.} \end{array} \right) (\sum F) \\ \therefore \sum F &= P_{shear} + P_{fr} + P_{gravity} + P_{entr} + P_{exit} \end{aligned}$$

For vapor phase,

$$A_v dp - dF_{fr} - S - A_v dz \rho_v g \sin \theta = w_v du_v + dw_v u_v + dw_v u_v + \frac{\partial w_v}{\partial t} A_v \quad (1.2.13)$$

For liquid phase,

$$A_l dp - dF_{fr} + S - A_l dz \rho_l g \sin \theta = w_l du_l + \frac{\partial w_l}{\partial t} A_l \quad (1.2.14)$$

Adding Eqs. (1.2.13) & (1.2.14) and $dw_v = -dw_l$,

$$\begin{aligned} A dp - dF_{fr} - dF_{fr} - g \sin \theta dz (A_l \rho_l + A_v \rho_v) \\ = -dw_l u_l + w_l u_l + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (w_v A_v + w_l A_l) \end{aligned} \quad (1.2.15)$$

Here, interfacial shear stress, $S = \tau_i P_i dz$

where $\tau_i = (C_f)_i \frac{\rho_v}{2g} (u_v - u_l)^2$ with no entrainment

$(C_f)_i = 0.005[1 + 75(1 - \langle \alpha \rangle)]$ $\langle \alpha \rangle$ interfacial friction factor

And $dw_s = dw_l + \delta w'$

$$= \frac{\dot{q}'' P_H}{h_{fg}} \quad \text{: evaporation amount per unit axial length}$$

★ See Lahey's Table 5 II

Energy Equation

$$\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Rate of Creation} \\ \text{of Energy} \end{array} \right) = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Energy} \\ \text{Outflow Rate} \end{array} \right) - \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Energy} \\ \text{Inflow Rate} \end{array} \right) + \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Energy} \\ \text{Storage Rate} \end{array} \right)$$

$$w(\delta Q - \delta W) = w dh + d \left[\frac{w_s u_s^2}{2} + \frac{w_l u_l^2}{2} \right] + w g \sin \Theta dz \quad (1.2.16)$$

(1) Homogeneous Model

- ⊙ $u_s = u_l = u$
- ⊙ thermodynamic equilibrium between phases
- ⊙ use suitably defined ρ for two phase flow

★ valid for

- 1 bubbly and wispy annular flow pattern
- 2 high velocity flow in large channel

$$\langle \rho_{TP} \rangle = \rho_l (1 + \langle x \rangle v_{sl}) \quad (1.2.17)$$

$$\langle h \rangle = h_l + \langle x \rangle h_{fg} \quad (1.2.18)$$

$$G = \langle \rho_{TP} \rangle \langle \dot{V} \rangle, \quad \text{and } \langle \dot{V} \rangle = u \text{ for homogeneous flow} \quad (1.2.19)$$

For constant flow area,

1) mass continuity

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial G}{\partial z} = 0 \quad (1.2.20)$$

2) momentum equation

$$\frac{\langle \rho_{TP} \rangle}{g_s} \frac{Du}{Dt} = - \frac{\partial h}{\partial z} - \frac{g}{g_s} \langle \rho_{TP} \rangle \sin \Theta - \frac{\tau_w P_H}{A} \quad (1.2.21)$$

3) energy equation

$$\langle \rho_{TP} \rangle \frac{D \langle c \rangle}{Dt} = \dot{q}'' \left(\frac{P_H}{A} \right) \quad \text{where } \langle c \rangle = \left(\langle h \rangle + \frac{u^2}{2g_s J} + \frac{g}{g_s} \frac{z \sin \Theta}{J} \right) \quad (1.2.22)$$

★ thermal energy equation : Eq. (1.2.21) x u

$$\langle \rho_i \dot{v} \frac{DK_i h_i}{Dt} \rangle = \dot{q}'' \left(\frac{P_H}{A} \right) + u \left(\frac{\tau_w P_i}{JA} \right) \quad (1.2.23)$$

D) quality propagation equation

From Eqs. (1.2.18) and (1.2.19), for constant system pressure, if we neglect $\dot{v} p$ compared to the system pressure,

$$\frac{DK \langle x \rangle}{Dt} = \Omega \langle x \rangle = \Omega \frac{v_g}{v_w} \quad (1.2.24)$$

where Ω : characteristic frequency of phase change
 $(\frac{v_g}{v_w}$ speed at which phase change take place)

$$= \dot{q}'' \frac{P_H v_w}{A h_{fg}}$$

(2) Separate Flow Model

- ⊙ $u_i \neq u_v$
- ⊙ thermodynamic equilibrium between phases
- ⊙ $\phi_i^s = \alpha$
- ★ valid for annular flow

For constant flow area

1) continuity equation

$$\frac{\partial \langle \bar{\rho} \rangle}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial G}{\partial z} = 0 \quad (1.2.25)$$

where $\langle \bar{\rho} \rangle = \rho_l (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) + \rho_v \langle \alpha \rangle$

$$G = \rho_l (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) u_l + \rho_v \langle \alpha \rangle u_v$$

2) momentum equation

⊙ liquid phase

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) \frac{\partial h}{\partial z} - \frac{g}{g_c} \rho_l (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) \sin \Theta - \frac{\tau_w P_l}{A} - \frac{\tau_w P_l}{A} \\ - \frac{1}{g_c} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial t} [\rho_l (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) u_l] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [\rho_l A (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) u_l^2] \right] + \frac{\delta w'}{g_c A} u_l \end{aligned} \quad (1.2.26)$$

⊙ vapor phase

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \alpha \rangle \frac{\partial h}{\partial z} - \frac{g}{g_c} \rho_v \langle \alpha \rangle \sin \Theta - \frac{\tau_w P_v}{A} \\ - \frac{1}{g_c} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial t} [\rho_v \langle \alpha \rangle u_v] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [\rho_v A \langle \alpha \rangle u_v^2] \right] - \frac{\delta w'}{g_c A} u_v \end{aligned} \quad (1.2.27)$$

• two phase mixture

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial z} = \frac{\rho}{g_c} \langle \bar{\rho} \rangle \sin \Theta = \frac{\tau_w P_H}{A} = \frac{1}{g_c} \left[\frac{\partial G}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(\frac{G^2}{\langle \rho' \rangle} \right) \right] \quad (1.2.28)$$

where $\frac{1}{\langle \rho' \rangle} = \left[\frac{(1 - \langle \alpha \rangle)^2}{\rho_l (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle)} + \frac{\langle \alpha \rangle^2}{\rho_g \langle \alpha \rangle} \right]$: momentum density

3) Energy Equation

$$\rho_l (1 - \langle \alpha \rangle) \frac{Dc_l}{Dt} + \rho_g \langle \alpha \rangle \frac{Dc_g}{Dt} = \frac{q''_w P_H}{A} - \frac{\delta H'}{A} (c_g - c_l) \quad (1.2.29)$$

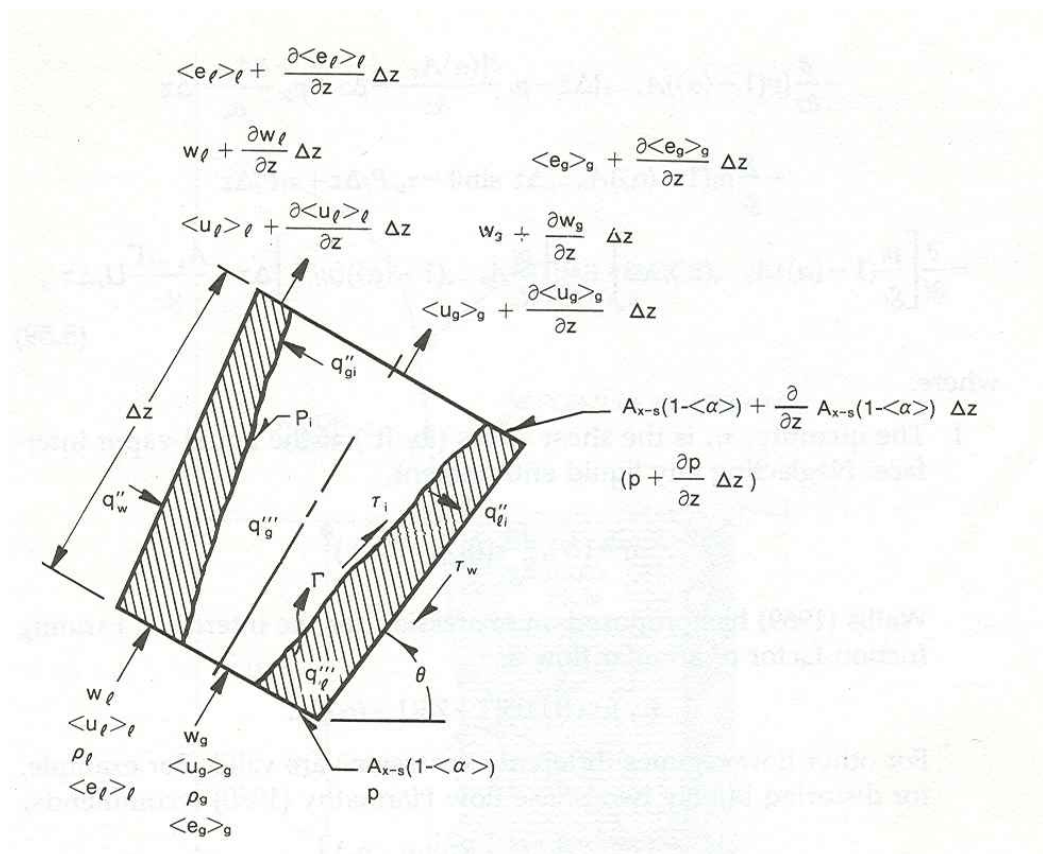


Fig.1.2 Control volume for separated flow (each phase) [Lalley's Fig.5.3]

■ Interfacial exchange for two fluid model

1) interfacial mass transfer

$$\Gamma = \frac{\delta w}{\delta A} = a_i m \tag{4.2.30}$$

where a_i : local interfacial area concentration (IAC)

δw : the probability of the existence of interfacial area at local position in the two phase flow

m : averaged mass transfer rate per unit area

2) interfacial energy transfer

$$h_{if}\Gamma_k = \frac{q_{if}}{L_{if}} = a_i [m_{if} h_{if} + q_{if}] \tag{4.2.31}$$

(3) Drift Flux Model

[Ref] G.B. Wallis, "One dimensional Two phase Flow" McGraw Hill

- ★ Two fluid model : numerical complication and uncertainties in specification of interfacial transport

In drift flux model, concern the relative motion between phases rather than each phase motion

o mixture center of mass velocity

o drift velocity : volumetric flux of each phase relative to a surface

moving at average velocity, j

The drift flux is defined in many ways as,

$$V_{d,i} \text{ (local drift flux)} = v_{i,c} - j$$

$$j_{i,c} = \alpha(v_{i,c} - j) = \alpha V_{d,i} \quad \text{in Wallis}$$

$$\overline{(V_{d,i})} = \frac{\langle \alpha(v_{i,c} j) \rangle}{\langle \alpha \rangle} \quad \text{in Lahey \& Zuber}$$

$$= \langle\langle V_{d,i} \rangle\rangle \quad \text{in Ishii}$$

Some relations :

$$j_{i,c} = \alpha j (1 - \alpha) \tag{4.2.32}$$

$$j_{i,c} = \alpha j + j_{i,d}$$

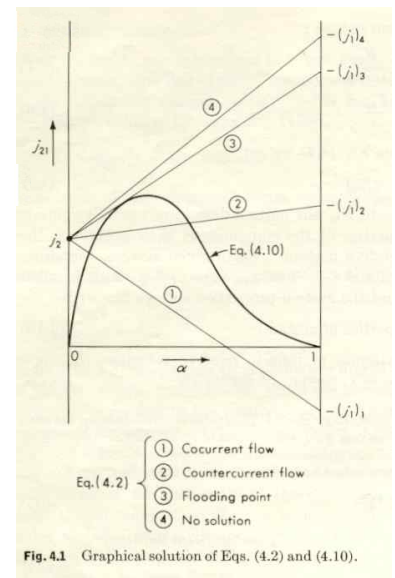


Fig. 4.1 Graphical solution of Eqs. (4.2) and (4.10).

Fig. 4.2 Graphical solution of $j_{i,c}$

Thus, all properties (α , ρ_m , etc) are sum of the homogeneous flow value and a correction factor which is a function of drift flux or additional term.

$$\alpha = \frac{j_w}{j} (1 + \frac{j_w}{j})^{-1}, \quad \rho_m = \frac{j_w \rho_f + j_c \rho_c}{j} = (\rho_f + \rho_c) \frac{j_w}{j}$$

\therefore If the flow is homogeneous, $j_w = 0$

$$\therefore j_c = \frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha} j_f + \frac{1-\alpha}{1-\alpha} j_{cf}$$

Then, for a constant α , a plot of j_c vs j_f

will be a straight line of slope $\frac{\alpha}{1-\alpha}$

■ Modeling

- o area averaging
- o no information on change of variables normal to flow direction
- o need empirical correlations or simplified models for the transfer of momentum and energy between the wall and the fluid.

A. Cross Section Averaged Kinematic Equation

$$\langle F \rangle = \frac{1}{A} \int_A F dA$$

For constant system pressure, the vapor phase continuity equation, will be

$$\frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [\alpha(j + V_{d,j})] = \frac{\Gamma}{\rho_v} \quad (1.2.33)$$

Taking $\frac{1}{A} \int_A [Eq. (1.2.33)] dA$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\partial \langle \alpha \rangle}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [\langle \alpha j \rangle + \langle \alpha V_{d,j} \rangle] = \frac{\langle \Gamma \rangle}{\rho_v} \\ \therefore & \frac{\partial \langle \alpha \rangle}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [C_{\alpha} \langle \alpha \rangle \langle j \rangle + \frac{\langle \alpha V_{d,j} \rangle}{\langle \alpha \rangle} \langle \alpha \rangle] = \frac{\langle \Gamma \rangle}{\rho_v} \end{aligned} \quad (1.2.34)$$

where $C_{\alpha} = \frac{\langle \alpha j \rangle}{\langle \alpha \rangle \langle j \rangle}$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial \langle \alpha \rangle}{\partial t} + C_{\alpha} \langle j \rangle \frac{\partial \langle \alpha \rangle}{\partial z} + C_{\alpha} \langle \alpha \rangle \frac{\partial \langle j \rangle}{\partial z} + \frac{\langle \alpha V_{d,j} \rangle}{\langle \alpha \rangle} \frac{\partial \langle \alpha \rangle}{\partial z} = \frac{\langle \Gamma \rangle}{\rho_v} \quad (1.2.35)$$

Since $\frac{\partial \langle j \rangle}{\partial z} = \Omega$, where $\Omega = v_v \frac{\delta \rho'}{A_{1-2}} = \frac{q_v'' P_{eff,v}}{A_{1-2} h_{e,v}}$

$$\frac{\partial \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle}{\partial t} + [C_v \langle j \rangle + \overline{V_{v,j}}] \frac{\partial \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle}{\partial z} = \left(\frac{\rho_v}{\rho} \rho - C_v \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle \right) \Omega \quad (1.2.36)$$

Now, let's define C_v (kinematic velocity) = $C_v \langle j \rangle + \overline{V_{v,j}}$

Then,

$$\frac{\partial \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle}{\partial t} + C_v \frac{\partial \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle}{\partial z} = \left(\frac{\rho_v}{\rho} \rho - C_v \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle \right) \Omega \quad (1.2.37)$$

\Rightarrow Void Propagation Equation

B. Drift Flux parameters

1. C_v : concentration parameter

$$C_v = \frac{1}{\langle j \rangle \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle A} \int \int_1 (j \mathbf{a}) dA \quad (1.2.38)$$

$$= \frac{\langle \mathbf{a} j \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{a} \rangle \langle j \rangle} \quad \text{: global slip due to cross-sectional averaging}$$

From definition of average velocity of vapor phase,

$$v_v = \frac{\langle j \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{a} \rangle} \quad (1.2.39)$$

Averaging Eq.(1.2.32), $\langle j_v \rangle = \langle j \rangle - \langle \mathbf{a} j \rangle$

$$\therefore \frac{\langle j \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{a} \rangle} = C_v \langle j \rangle + \overline{V_{v,j}} \quad (1.2.40)$$

$$\text{Or } \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle = \frac{\langle j \rangle}{[C_v \langle j \rangle + \overline{V_{v,j}}]}$$

Note that, from Eq.(1.1.18),

$$S = \frac{1 - C_v \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle}{1 - \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle} + \frac{V_{v,j} (1 - \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle)}{(1 - C_v \langle \mathbf{a} \rangle) \langle j \rangle} \quad (1.2.41)$$

integral slip local slip

For homogeneous model ($\overline{V_{v,j}} = 0$), local slip will be vanished.

And,

$$\langle \mathbf{a} \rangle = \frac{\langle x \rangle}{C_v \left[\langle x \rangle + \frac{\rho_v}{\rho_l} (1 - \langle x \rangle) \right] + \frac{\rho_v V_{v,j}''}{G}} \quad (1.2.42)$$

\Rightarrow Zuber-Findley Void Quality Correlation



Since $\langle j \rangle = \frac{Q_1 + Q_2}{A}$, $\langle j_g \rangle = \frac{Q_2}{A}$ and $V_{gj} = \frac{\langle j_g \rangle}{\langle \alpha \rangle}$.

Eq. (12.10) can be rewritten as,

$$\langle \alpha \rangle = \frac{Q_2}{C_{12}(Q_1 + Q_2)} = \frac{1}{C_{12}} \frac{Q_2}{Q_1 + Q_2}$$

1) Bankoff model

Neglecting the local slip with $V_{gj} = 0$, Eq. (12.10) will be

$$\frac{\langle \alpha \rangle}{\langle \beta \rangle} = \frac{1}{C_{12}} = \kappa, \quad \text{where } \kappa = 0.71 + 0.0001 p \text{ (psia) for water}$$

Here β , volumetric flow fraction, is defined as, $\beta = \frac{\langle j_g \rangle}{\langle j \rangle}$

- However, V_{gj} is important for the flow of low G.
- applicable to determine the two phase level in steam generators

2) Dix model

C_{12} is function of $\langle \beta \rangle$ which is dependent on pressure and quality

$$C_{12} = \langle \beta \rangle [1 + (1/\langle \beta \rangle)^b] \quad \text{where } b = (\rho_g/\rho_l)^{0.1}$$

If $C_{12} = 1$,

$$\langle \beta \rangle = \langle \alpha \rangle = \frac{\langle x \rangle}{[\langle x \rangle + \frac{\rho_g}{\rho_l}(1 - \langle x \rangle)]} \quad (12.13)$$

2. Vgj

From fractional analysis for bubbly slug flow, the important forces on a bubble are follows:

$$\text{net buoyancy force} \quad \therefore F_b = \frac{1}{6} \pi D_b^3 (\rho_l - \rho_g) \frac{g}{g_c}$$

$$\text{inertia force} \quad \therefore F_i = \frac{\rho_l}{g_c} U_l^2 \left(\frac{1}{4} \pi D_b^2 \right)$$

$$\text{surface tension force} \quad \therefore F_\sigma = \pi D_b \sigma$$

In the churn turbulent flow, the most important force groups are

1) ratio F_i to F_b

2) ratio F_i to F_σ

$$\text{Then, } \frac{\rho_l U_l^2}{D_b g (\rho_l - \rho_g)} = k_1^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\rho_l U_l^2 D_b}{g_c \sigma} = k_2^2$$

The product of these dimensionless groups yields,

$$\frac{\rho_l^2 U_l^4}{g g_c \sigma (\rho_l - \rho_g)} = k_1^2 k_2^2 = k_3^2$$

Then, the terminal rise velocity will be,

$$U_T = k_3 \left[\frac{g g_c \sigma (\rho_f - \rho_v)}{\rho_f^2} \right]^{1/4}$$

For churn turbulent flow, $V_{T,c} = U_T$

► For bulk boiling (Lahey, 1977), $k_3 = 2.9$

► For churn turbulent flow (Zuber, 1967), $k_3 = 1.41$

► For slug flow (Zuber, 1969), $V_{T,c} = 0.35 \left[\frac{g - \rho D}{\rho} \right]^{1/2}$

► For two phase pseudo jet flow (Zuber, 1969) $V_{T,c} = \text{constant} \left[\frac{\sigma g - \rho}{\rho} \right]^{1/4}$

► For the dispersed two phase system in vertical motion

$$V_{T,c} = v (1 - \alpha)^n$$

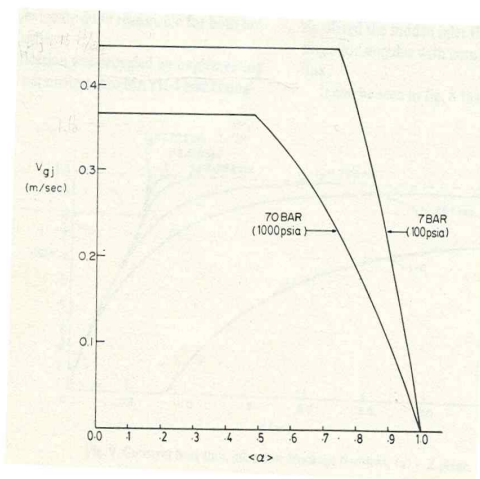
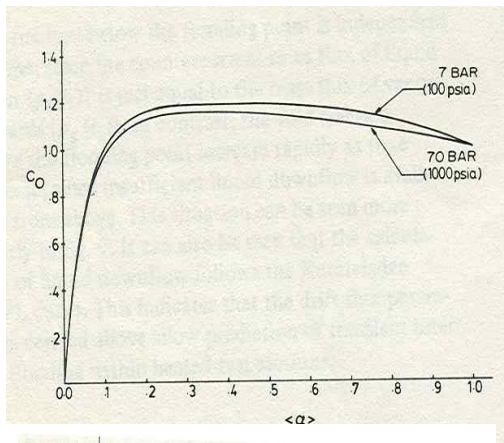


Fig.4.6 V_{gj} vs void fraction

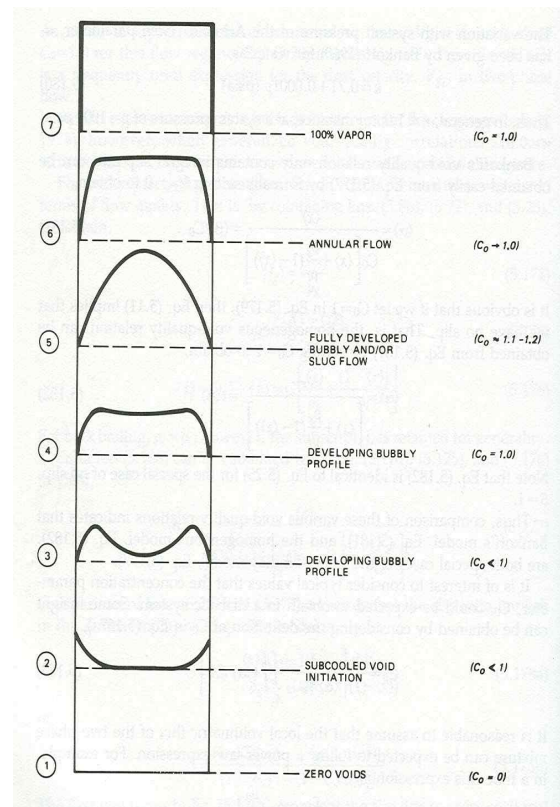


Fig.4.5 Void concentration profile and flow regime [Lahey]

(4) Numerical Stability in Two Phase Modeling

For two fluid model, generally

$$A \frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + B \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} = C \tag{12.14}$$

where $U = (\mathbf{a}, p, u, v, h_1, h_2)^T$

Thus,

$$[A] \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a} \\ p \\ u_1 \\ u_2 \\ h_1 \\ h_2 \end{bmatrix} + [B] \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} = [S] \Rightarrow [A\lambda - B] = 0, \lambda_i = \frac{\partial}{\partial t}$$

- a) If all six roots are real and distinct \Rightarrow Hyperbolic
- b) If we have some same roots \Rightarrow Parabolic
- c) If we have complex conjugate pair \Rightarrow Elliptic

$$1) \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + v \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z} = 0 \tag{12.15}$$

Assume a perturbation in Φ of the form,

$$\delta\Phi = \delta\Phi_{,c} e^{ikz - i\omega t}, \quad \text{where } k \text{ is real} \tag{12.16}$$

In order for this system to be well posed, ω should be real.

Inserting Eq. (12.16) into Eq.(12.15),

$$i\omega \delta\Phi_{,c} e^{ikz - i\omega t} + ikv \delta\Phi_{,c} e^{ikz - i\omega t} = 0$$

$$\therefore i\omega + ikv = 0 \quad \text{or } \omega = kv$$

i.e The eigenvalue of this system, v , should be real.

For real v , stable when $C_V (= \frac{v-\Delta t}{\Delta z}) < 1$

For complex eigenvalue on a finite difference scheme [Handout 3.3.3]

$$v = v_n(1 + i\varepsilon)$$

- a) For $\varepsilon < 0$, stable when $C_V < 1$
- b) For $\varepsilon > 0$, may be unstable for some n even when $C_V < 1$

2) Characteristic Analysis and Time Discretization of the HEM Model

$$A \frac{\partial U}{\partial t} + B \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} = 0$$

where $U = [p, u, v, \rho]^T$, u : internal energy

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \rho & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \rho & 0 \\ 1 & 1/\beta^2 & 0 & 1/c^2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} v & 0 & \rho & 0 \\ 0 & \rho v & p & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \rho v & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad 1/\beta^2 = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u}, \quad \frac{1}{c^2} = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial p}$$

Now, for explicit time discretization and forward differencing, we can perturb the continuity and momentum equation

$$\rho_j^t = \rho_{j-1} + \delta \rho_j^t$$

$$v_j^t = v_{j-1} + \delta v_j^t$$

Assume $\delta \phi_j^t = \delta \phi_j^t e^{ikz}$

Then, the linearized continuity and momentum equation will be

$$U^t \Delta t = G U^t$$

where $U = [\delta \rho, \delta v]^T$ and $G = \begin{bmatrix} (1 - \bar{v}) & \rho \frac{-t}{-z} ik \\ -\frac{c^2}{\rho} \frac{t}{z} ik & (1 - \bar{v}) \end{bmatrix}$

$$\bar{v} = \frac{v_{max} t}{z} [1 - e^{-kz}], \quad k = 2 \sin(kz/2)$$

For

$$|G - I\lambda| = 0, \quad \lambda_{1,2} = \left[\frac{1 - \bar{v} + iC_v}{1 - \bar{v} - iC_v} \right]$$

where

$$C_v = \frac{C}{z} \frac{t}{k}$$

For $|v| < C$, $|\lambda_{1,2}| > 1$, **unstable**

Thus, the implicit solution can be recommended.

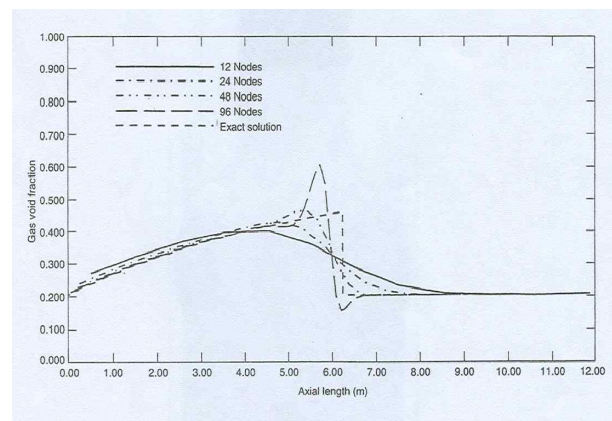


Fig. 1.7 Example of spatial convergence of void vs length