Chapter 1 Fundamentals

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Objectives

1.1 Scope of Fluid Mechanics



1.2 Historical Perspective

• d'Alembert (1744)

"The theory of fluids must necessarily be based upon experiment"

• d'Alembert paradox theory - ideal, inviscid fluid practice - real fluid

• Two schools $\left(\begin{array}{c} \text{theoretical group} \rightarrow \text{hydrodynamics} \\ \text{practical group} \rightarrow \text{hydraulics} \end{array}\right)$

Navier and Stokes

 \rightarrow general equations for viscous fluid \rightarrow equation of motion

[Re] Navier-Stokes equation

Claude-Louis Navier (1785-1836, French engineer) and George Gabriel Stokes (1819-1903,

UK mathematician & physicist)

- model the weather, ocean currents, water flow in a pipe, the air's flow around a wing, and motion of stars inside a galaxy
- design of aircraft and cars, the study of blood flow, the design of power stations, the analysis of pollution,
- exact solution one of the seven most important open problems in mathematics
- New problems in modern times
 - Dispersion of man's wastes in lakes, rivers, and oceans
 - \rightarrow *Environmental Hydraulics* \rightarrow www.ehlab.re.kr

1.3 Physical Characteristics of the Fluid State

• state: solid • state: solid fluid $\begin{cases} liquid & increasing spacing & increasing inter \\ gaseous & and latitude of & molecular cohesive \\ plasma & particle motion & force &$

• fluid – continuum \rightarrow no voids or holes



The arrangement of atoms in different phases: (a) molecules are at relatively fixed positions in a solid, (b) groups of molecules move about each other in the liquid phase, and (c) molecules move about at random in the gas phase.

• Classification of states by stress-strain relationships

	strain			
stress	solid	fluid		
tension		unable to support tension (surface tension)		
compression	elastic deformation \rightarrow permanent distortion	elastic deformation (compressible fluid)		
shear (tangential forces)		permanent distortion or flow (change shape) to infinitesimal shear stress		

* Fluid does not resist any small shearing stress \rightarrow "Flow occurs"



The normal stress and shear stress at the surface of a fluid element. For fluids at rest, the shear stress is zero and pressure is the only normal stress.

• Comparison between real fluid and ideal fluid

atruas	real flui	ideal fluid (non- viscous fluid)	
stress	in motion	at rest	at rest / in motion
compression (pressure)	0	0	0
shear	0	×	×

• Comparison between compressible fluid and incompressible fluid

incompressible fluid	compressible fluid
(1) Compressibility is of small important.	(1) Compressibility is predominant.
(2) Liquids and gases may be treated similarly.	 Behavior of liquids and gases is quite dissimilar.
(3) Fluid problems may be solved with the principles of mechanics.	(3) Thermodynamics and heat transfer concepts must be used as well as principles of mechanics.

• Properties of pressure (compression)

- (1) Pressure must be transmitted to solid boundaries normal to those boundaries. \rightarrow Fig. 1.1
- (2) At a point, pressure has the same magnitude in all directions. \rightarrow Fig. 1.2
- (3) Pressure is a scalar quantity.



[Pf] $\sum F = 0$

Apply Newton's law for static equilibrium

$$\sum F_x = p_1 dz - p_3 ds \sin \theta = 0 \tag{a}$$

$$\sum F_z = p_2 dx - \rho g dx dz / 2 - p_3 ds \cos \theta = 0$$
 (b)

Substitute following relations into Eq. (a) & (b)

$$dz = ds \sin \theta$$
$$dx = ds \cos \theta$$
$$\therefore \quad (a): \ p_1 ds \sin \theta - p_3 ds \sin \theta = 0 \rightarrow p_1 = p_3$$

(b):
$$p_2 ds \cos \theta - \rho g \frac{dz}{2} ds \cos \theta - p_3 ds \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\therefore \quad p_2 = p_3 + \frac{1}{2}\rho g dz$$

As $dz \to 0$ then $p_2 \approx p_3$

$$\therefore$$
 $p_1 = p_2 = p_3$ at a point $(dx = dz = 0)$

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system

1.4 Units, Density, Weight Density, Specific Volume, and Specific Gravity

- SI units SI system metric system
- Basic dimensions and units

DimensionSI unitEnglish system (FSS)Length (L)metre (m)feet (ft)Mass (M)kilogram (kg)slug (-)Time (t)second (s)second (s)Temp. (T)kelvin (K)degree Rankine (°R)

- Frequency (f): hertz $(HZ = s^{-1})$

• Force, F

 \rightarrow introduce Newton's 2nd law of motion

F = ma

Force = mass \times acceleration

 $a = v / t = L / t^{2} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} Lt^{-2} \end{bmatrix} \qquad (m/s^{2})$ $v = L / t \qquad \begin{bmatrix} Lt^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \qquad (m/s)$

$$\therefore F \to 1 \text{kg} \cdot \text{m/s}^2 = 1 \text{N}(Newton)$$

• Energy, E (work)

$$E = FL \rightarrow \text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2 = J(Joule)$$

(1.1)

• Power, P

$$P = E / t \rightarrow J / s = \mathrm{kg} \cdot \mathrm{m}^2 / \mathrm{s}^3$$

• Pressure, p; Stress, σ, τ

$$p = F / A \rightarrow N/m^2 = Pa (pascal) = kg/m \cdot s^2$$

- Temperature, T: degree Celsius (°C)
- Density, ρ
- = mass per unit volume
- \sim depends on the number of molecules per unit of volume
- \sim decreases with increasing temperature

$$\rho = \frac{M}{V} \rightarrow \text{kg/m}^3$$



• Specific weight (weight density), γ

= weight (force) per unit volume

$$\gamma = \frac{W}{V} \rightarrow N/m^3 = kg/m^2 \cdot s^2$$

[Re]

W = Mg (Newton's 2nd law of motion) g = acceleration due to gravity $\therefore \gamma = \rho g$

- Specific volume=volume per unit mass=1 / ρ
- Specific gravity, s.g., ~ r. d. (relative density)
 - = ratio of density of a substance to the density of water at a specified temperature and pressure

$$s.g. = \frac{\rho_f}{\rho_w} = \frac{\gamma_f}{\gamma_w}$$

[Re] s.g. of sea water = 1.03

- s.g. of mercury = 13.6
- For water at 5 °C (p. 694, App. 2)

	SI	English system
ρ	1,000 kg/m ³	1.94 slugs/ft ³
γ	9,806 N/m ³	62.4 lb/ft ³
8	9.81 m/s ²	32.2 ft/s ²

- Advantage of SI system and English FSS system
- ① It distinguishes between force (F) and mass (M).
- 2 It has no ambiguous definitions.

• Greek Alphabet

α	Alpha	angle
β	Beta [beitə]	angle
γ,Γ	Gamma	specific weight, circulation
δ,Δ	Delta	thickness of boundary layer
Е	Epsilon	eddy viscosity, height of surface roughness
ζ	Zeta	
η	Eta	
$ heta, \Theta$	Theta	
l	Iota [aioutə]	
K	Kappa [kæpə]	
λ,Λ	Lambda	
μ	Mu [mju:]	dynamic viscosity
V	Nu	kinematic viscosity
ξ	Xi [gzai, ksai]	vorticity
0	Omicron	
π	Pi [pai]	
ρ	Rho	mass density
σ,Σ	Sigma	Sigma Xi, Scientific Research Society, 1886
		honor society for scientists & engineers
τ	Tau	shear
υ,Υ	Upsilon	
φ, Φ	Phi [fai]	Phi Beta Kappa

χ	Chi [kai]	
ψ,Ψ	Psi [psai, sai]	stream function
ω,Ω	Omega	angular velocity

• Prefixes

Е	exa	10^{18}
Р	peta	10 ¹⁵
Т	tera	10 ¹²
G	giga	10 ⁹
М	mega	10 ⁶
k	kilo	10 ³
h	hecto	10 ²
da	deca	10 ¹
d	deci	10 ⁻¹
c	centi	10 ⁻²
m	milli	10 ⁻³
μ	micro	10 ⁻⁶
n	nano	10 ⁻⁹
р	pico	10 ⁻¹²
f	femto	10 ⁻¹⁵
a	atto	10 ⁻¹⁸

1.5 Compressibility, Elasticity

• Elastic behavior to compression



- Compressibility \equiv change in volume due to change in pressure
 - solid modulus of elasticity, $E(N/m^2)$

fluid - bulk modulus

Minus means that increase in pressure causes decrease in volume

• Stress strain curve ($E\uparrow$, difficult to compress) \rightarrow Fig. 1.3 (see Table 1-1)

$$dp \propto \frac{dV}{V_1} \rightarrow dp = -E \frac{dV}{V_1}$$

$$E = -\frac{dp}{dV} = -V_1 \frac{dp}{dV} \neq const = fn(p,T) \rightarrow p \uparrow \rightarrow E \uparrow$$

$$C = \frac{1}{E} = -\frac{dV}{V_1} \frac{1}{dp}$$

= modulus of compressibility (m^2/N)

[Re] large E/small C \rightarrow less compressible

• incompressible fluid (inelastic): $E = \infty, C \square 1$

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\rightarrow constant density \rho =const.
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 \sim water

• compressible fluid

 \rightarrow changes in density \rightarrow variable density

~ gas

Pressure	Temperature, °C				
10^{6} N/m^{2}	0°	20°	50°	100°	150°
0.1	1950	2130	2210	2050	
10.0	2000	2200	2280	2130	1650
30.0	2110	2320	2410	2250	1800
100.0	2530	2730	<u>2840</u>	2700	2330

[Table 1.1] Bulk modulus of water, $E (10^6 \text{ N/m}^2)$

- *E* increases as pressure increases.
- E is maximum at about 50 °C.

 \rightarrow The water has minimum compressibility at about 50 °C.

[Table A2-1]

Compressibility		Modulus of Elasticity, E (kPa)		
steel	1/80 of water	water	2,170,500	
mercury	1/12.5 of water	sea water	2,300,000	
nitric acid	6 of water	mercury	26,201,000	

• For the case of a fixed mass of liquid at constant temperature

$$E = -V_1 \frac{dp}{dV}$$
$$\frac{\Delta V}{V_1} \approx -\frac{\Delta p}{E}$$
$$\frac{V_2 - V_1}{V_1} \approx -\frac{p_2 - p_1}{E}$$

[Ex] For water; $E = 2,200 \times 10^6 \text{ Pa}$ @ 20°C

$$p_2 = p_1 + 7 \times 10^6 \text{ Pa}$$

$$\therefore \quad \frac{V_2 - V_1}{V_1} \approx -\frac{p_2 - p_1}{E} = -0.0032$$

$$\therefore \quad V_2 = (1 - 0.0032) V_1$$

$$\Delta V \approx 0.3\% \text{ decrease}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{ water is incompressible}$$

1.6 Viscosity

[Re] From Wikipedia

Viscosity is a measure of the resistance of a fluid which is being deformed by either shear stress or tensile stress.

Viscosity ~ "thickness" or "internal friction"

• water ~ "thin", having a lower viscosity

• honey ~ "thick", having a higher viscosity

The less viscous the fluid is, the greater its ease of movement (<u>fluidity</u>).

Viscosity describes a fluid's internal resistance to flow and may be thought of as a measure of fluid friction.

For example, high-viscosity felsic magma will create a tall, steep stratovolcano, because it cannot flow far before it cools, while low-viscosity mafic lava will create a wide, shallow-sloped shield volcano.

All real fluids (except superfluids) have some resistance to stress and therefore are **viscous**, but a fluid which has no resistance to shear stress is known as an **ideal fluid** or **inviscid fluid**.

• Two types of fluid motion (real fluid)

1) laminar flow:

- viscosity plays a dominant role
- fluid elements or particles slide over each other in layers (laminar)
- molecular diffusion

[Ex] flow in a very small tube, a very thin flow over the pavement, flow in the laminar flow table

2) turbulent flow:

- random or chaotic motion, eddies of various sizes are seen
- common in nature (streams, rivers, pipes)
- large scale mixing between the layers

[Ex] flows in the water supply pipe, flows in the storm sewer pipe, flows in the and canals and streams

• Reynolds number

$$Re = \frac{Vd}{v}$$
 Diameter of pipe,
Depth of stream

where V = flow velocity; d = characteristic length; v = kinematic viscosity

- Reynolds experiments
 - laminar flow:Re < 2,100transition:2,100 < Re < 4,000turbulent flow:Re > 4,000













24. Circular cylinder at R=1.54. At this Reynolds number the streamline pattern has clearly lost the foreand-aft symmetry of figure 6. However, the flow has not yet separated at the rear. That begins at about R=5, though the value is not known accurately. Streamlines are made visible by aluminum powder in water. *Photograph by Sadatoshi Taneda*



25. Sphere at R=9.8. Here too, with wall effects negligible, the streamline pattern is distinctly asymmetric, in contrast to the creeping flow of figure 8. The fluid is evidently moving very slowly at the rear, making it difficult to estimate the onset of separation. The flow is presumably attached here, because separation is believed to begin above R=20. Streamlines are shown by magnesium cuttings illuminated in water. *Photograph by Madeleine Coutanceau and Michele Payard*

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40. Circular cylinder at R=9.6. Here, in contrast to figure 24, the flow has clearly separated to form a pair of recirculating eddies. The cylinder is moving through a tank of water containing aluminum powder, and is illuminated

by a sheet of light below the free surface. Extrapolation of such experiments to unbounded flow suggests separation at R=4 or 5, whereas most numerical computations give R=5 to 7. Photograph by Sadatoshi Taneda



41. Circular cylinder at R=13.1. The standing eddies become elongated in the flow direction as the speed increases. Their length is found to increase linearly with Reynolds number until the flow becomes unstable above R=40. Taneda 1956a



42. Circular cylinder at R=26. The downstream distance to the cores of the eddies also increases linearly with Reynolds number. However, the lateral distance between the cores appears to grow more nearly as the square root. *Photograph by Sadatoshi Taneda*

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43. Circular cylinder at R=24.3. A different view of the flow is obtained by moving a cylinder through oil. Tiny magnesium cuttings are illuminated by a sheet of light from an arc projector. The two dark wedges below the cir-

cle are an optical effect. The lengths of the particle trajectories have been measured to find the velocity field to within two per cent. *Coutanceau & Bouard* 1977



44. Circular cylinder at R=30.2. The flow is here still completely steady with the recirculating wake more than one diameter long. The walls of the tank, 8 diameters away, have little effect at these speeds. Photograph by Madeleine Coutanceau and Roger Bouard

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47. Circular cylinder at R=2000. At this Reynolds number one may properly speak of a boundary layer. It is laminar over the front, separates, and breaks up into a turbulent wake. The separation points, moving forward as

the Reynolds number is increased, have now attained their upstream limit, ahead of maximum thickness. Visualization is by air bubbles in water. ONERA photograph, Werlé & Gallon 1972



48. Circular cylinder at R=10,000. At five times the speed of the photograph at the top of the page, the flow pattern is scarcely changed. The drag coefficient consequently remains almost constant in the range of Reynolds

number spanned by these two photographs. It drops later when, as in figure 57, the boundary layer becomes turbulent at separation. Photograph by Thomas Corke and Hassan Nagib

Karman vortex street – periodic shedding of vortices in sinuous form



Fig 1.4

• strain = relative displacement

$$=\frac{d_2-d_1}{dy}=\frac{dvdt}{dy}=\frac{dv}{dy}dt$$

[Cf] solid mechanics

$$\tau_{yx} = G \frac{d\zeta}{dy}$$

total angular displacement

[Re]
$$d_2 = v_2 dt; d_1 = v_1 dt$$

 $d_2 - d_1 = (v_2 - v_1) dt$

• Experiment has shown that, in many fluids, shearing (frictional) stress per unit of contact area, τ is proportional to the <u>time rate of relative strain</u>.

$$\therefore \tau \propto \frac{dv}{dy} dt / dt = \frac{dv}{dy} \text{ (velocity gradient)}$$

$$\tau = \mu \frac{dv}{dy} \rightarrow \text{Newton's equation of viscosity} \qquad (1.12)$$
where $\mu = \text{coefficient of viscosity}$

= dynamic (absolute) viscosity

• viscosity = measure of fluid's resistance to shear or angular deformation

= internal resistance of a fluid to motion (fluidity)

[Re] Friction forces result from

- cohesion for liquid
- momentum interchange between molecules for gas

[Re] angular deformation due to tangential stress



•rate of angular deformation

(i) displacement of AB relative to CD

$$= \left(u + \frac{du}{dy}\Delta y\right)\Delta t - u\Delta t = \frac{du}{dy}\Delta y\Delta t$$

(ii) angular displacement of AC

$$=\frac{du}{dy}\Delta y\Delta t / \Delta y = \frac{du}{dy}\Delta t$$

(iii) time rate of angular deformation



• kinematic viscosity, ν

$$v = \frac{\mu}{\rho}$$

$$\left[v\right] = \left[\frac{ML^{-1}T^{-1}}{ML^{-3}}\right] = \left[L^2T^{-1}\right] = m^2/s$$
(1.13)

 $1 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} = 10^4 \text{ stokes} = 10^6 \text{ centistokes}$

• Remarks on Eq. (1.12)

(1) τ, μ are independent of pressure. [Cf] friction between two moving solids

- (2) Shear stress τ (even smallest τ) will cause flow (velocity gradient).
- ③ Shearing stress in viscous fluids <u>at rest</u> will be zero.

$$\frac{dv}{dy} = 0 \rightarrow \tau = 0 \quad \text{regardless of} \quad \mu$$

(4) At solid boundary, $\frac{dv}{dy} \neq \infty$ ($\rightarrow \tau \neq \infty$ (no infinite shear))

 \rightarrow Infinite shearing stress between fluid and solid is not possible.

(5) Eq. 1.12 is limited to laminar (non-turbulent) fluid motion in which viscous action is predominant.

[Cf] turbulent flow

where $\varepsilon = eddy$ viscosity

6 Velocity at a solid boundary is zero.

 \rightarrow No slip condition (continuum assumption)

• Newtonian and non-Newtonian fluids

- i) Newtonian fluid ~ water
- ii) Non-Newtonian fluid ~ plastic, blood, suspensions, paints, polymer solutions \rightarrow rheology



Fig. 1.5

• Non-Newtonian fluid

1) $\tau - \tau_1 = \mu \frac{dv}{dy}$ plastic, τ_1 = threshold 2) $\tau = K \left(\frac{dv}{dy}\right)^n$ n > 1 Shear-thickening fluid n < 1 Shear-thinning fluid

• Couette flow: laminar flow in which the shear stress is constant thin fluid film between two large flat plates

thin fluid film between the surfaces of coaxial cylinders



Fig. 1.7

$$\frac{dv}{dy} = \frac{V}{h} \quad \sim \text{ linear velocity gradient}$$

$$\therefore \quad \tau = \mu \frac{V}{h} \sim \text{constant}$$

• Turbulent flow

$$\tau = (\mu + \varepsilon) \frac{dv}{dy}$$

 \mathcal{E} = eddy viscosity = viscosity due to turbulent factor

• Mechanism of viscosity for liquid and gas

	gas	liquid
main cause of viscosity	exchange of molecule's momentum → interchange of molecules between the fluid layers of different velocities	intermolecular cohesion
effect of temperature variation	temp $\uparrow \rightarrow$ molecular activity \uparrow \rightarrow viscosity $\uparrow \rightarrow$ shearing stress \uparrow	$temp\uparrow \rightarrow cohesion\downarrow$ $\rightarrow viscosity\downarrow \rightarrow shear stress\downarrow$

[Re] Exchange of momentum

fast-speed layer (FSL)

molecules from FSL speed up molecules in LSL

molecules from LSL slow down molecules in FSL

Two layers tend to stick together as if there is some viscosity between two.

low-speed layer (LSL)

 exchange of momentum : exchange momentum in either direction from high to low or from low to high momentum due to random motion of molecules

2) transport of momentum : transport of momentum from layers of high momentum

(high velocity, mv) to layers of low momentum

1.7 Surface Tension, Capillarity

surface tension

- occur when the liquid surfaces are in contact with another fluid (air) or solid
- f_n (relative sizes of intermolecular cohesive and adhesive forces to another body)
- as temp $\uparrow \rightarrow$ cohesion $\downarrow \rightarrow \sigma \downarrow \square$ Table A2.4b, p. 694
- some important engineering problems related to surface tension
 - capillary rise of liquids in narrow spaces
 - mechanics of bubble formation
 - formation of liquid drops
 - small models of larger prototype \rightarrow dam, river model
- surface tension, σ (*F* / *L*, N/m)
 - force per unit length
 - force attracting molecules away from liquid

Consider static equilibrium

$$\sum F = 0$$
 (forces normal to the element a, b, c, d)
 $(p_i - p_0)dxdy = 2\sigma dy \sin \alpha + 2\sigma dx \sin \beta$

where p_i = pressure inside the curvature; p_o = pressure inside the curvature

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{dx}{2R_1}, \quad \sin \beta = \frac{dy}{2R_2} \left[dx = 2(R_1 \sin \alpha) \right]$$
$$\therefore p_i - p_0 = \sigma \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right) \tag{1.15}$$



Fig. 1.9

- Cylindrical capillary tube
 - due to both cohesion and adhesion
 - cohesion < adhesion \rightarrow rise (water)

cohesion > adhesion \rightarrow depression (mercury)



Fig. 1.10

For a small tube, given conditions are as follows

$$R_1 = R_2 = R$$
 (liquid surface \approx section of sphere) \leftarrow Ch. 2
 $p_0 = -\gamma h$ (hydrostatic pressure)
 $p_i = 0$ (atmospheric)

Substitute above conditions into Eq. 1.15: $p_i - p_0 = \sigma \left(\frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \right)$ (1.15)

$$\therefore \gamma h = \sigma \frac{2}{R}$$

By the way, $r = R \cos \theta$

$$\therefore \gamma h = \sigma \frac{2}{r / \cos \theta} = \frac{2\sigma \cos \theta}{r}$$

$$h = \frac{2\sigma \cos \theta}{\gamma r}$$
(1.16)

in which $h = \text{capillary rise} \rightarrow r \uparrow \rightarrow h \downarrow$

 θ = angle of contact

r = radius of tube ≤ 2.5 mm for spherical form

[Ex] water and mercury \rightarrow Fig. 1.11



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• Pressure measurement using tubes in hydraulic experiments \rightarrow Ch.2 manometer

 \sim capillarity problems can be avoided entirely by providing tubes large enough to render the capillarity correction negligible.

• Fomation of curved surface, droplet

- At free liquid surface contacting the air, cohesive forces at the outer layer are not balanced by a layer above.

 \rightarrow The surface molecules are pulled tightly to the lower layer.

 \rightarrow Free surface is curved.

[Ex] Surface tension force supports small loads (water strider).





(a)



(*b*)

FIGURE 2–19 Some consequences of surface tension.

[IP 1.10] For a droplet of water (20 °C), find diameter of droplet

Given: $p_i - p_0 = 1.0$ kPa At 20°C, $\sigma = 0.0728$ N/m \leftarrow App. 2 [Sol]

$$p_{i} - p_{0} = \sigma \left(\frac{1}{R_{1}} + \frac{1}{R_{2}} \right) = \frac{2\sigma}{R}$$

$$\therefore \quad 1 \times 10^{3} \text{ N/m}^{2} = 2(0.0728) \cdot \frac{1}{R}$$
(1.15)

 \therefore R = 0.000146m = 0.146mm \rightarrow d = 0.292 mm

[IP 1.11] Find height of capillary rise in a clean glass tube of 1 mm diameter if the water temperature is 10°C or 90°C.

[Sol]

From App. 2 Table A 2.4b;

(a) 10° C $\sigma = 0.0742$ N/m, $\gamma = 9.804$ kN/m³

(a) 90°C $\sigma = 0.0608 \text{ N/m}, \gamma = 9.466 \text{ kN/m}^3$

Use Eq. 1.16

$$h = \frac{2\sigma \cos \theta}{\gamma r}$$
(1.16)

$$\therefore h_{10} = \frac{2(0.0742)(1)}{9804(0.0005)} = 0.030 \text{m} = 30 \text{mm}$$

$$h_{90} = \frac{2(0.0608)(1)}{0.00050} = 0.026 \text{m} = 26 \text{mm}$$

1.8 Vapor Pressure

• vapor pressure = partial pressure exerted by ejected molecules of liquid

 \rightarrow Table A2.1 and A2.4b

• liquids ~ tend to vaporize or evaporate due to molecular thermal vibrations (molecular activity)

 \rightarrow change from liquid to gaseous phase

temperature $\uparrow \rightarrow$ molecular activity $\uparrow \rightarrow$ vaporization $\uparrow \rightarrow$ vapor pressure \uparrow

• volatile liquids:

 \sim easy to vaporize \rightarrow high vapor pressure

gasoline: $p_v = 55.2$ kPa at 20 °C

water: $p_v = 2.34 \text{ kPa}$ at 20 °C

mercury: $p_v = 0.00017$ kPa at 15.6 °C

- mercury : low vapor pressure and high density = difficult to vaporize
 - \rightarrow suitable for pressure-measuring devices
- Cavitation: App. 7 (p. 672) In the interior and/or boundaries of a liquid system

In a flow fluid wherever the local pressure falls to the vapor pressure of the liquid,

local vaporization occurs.	High	velocity
\rightarrow Cavities are formed in the low pressure regions.	region	

- \rightarrow The cavity contains a swirling mass of droplets and vapor.
- \rightarrow Cavities are swept downstream into a region of high pressure.

- \rightarrow Then, cavities are collapses suddenly.
- \rightarrow surrounding liquid rush into the void together
- \rightarrow it causes <u>erosion (pitting)</u> of solid boundary surfaces in machines, and vibration
- \rightarrow boundary wall receives a blow as from a tiny hammer



• Prevention of cavitation

~ cavitation is of great importance in the design of high-speed hydraulic machinery such as

turbines, pumps, in the overflow and underflow structures of high dams, and in high-

speed motion of underwater bodies (submarines, hydrofoils).

 \rightarrow design improved forms of boundary surfaces

Body cavitation

 \rightarrow predict and control the exact nature of cavitation \rightarrow set limits



FIGURE 2-28

• Boiling:

- = rapid rate of vaporization caused by an increase in temperature
- = formation of vapor bubbles throughout the fluid mass
- \sim occur (whatever the temperature) when the external absolute pressure imposed on the

liquid is equal to or less than the vapor pressure of the liquid

 \sim boiling point = f (imposed pressure, temp.)

 $p_{atm} \le p_v \rightarrow \text{boiling occurs}$

[Ex] boiling point of water

altitude (El. m)	Temp. (°C)	p_{ν} (kPa), absolute	p _{atm} (kPa), absolute	boiling point (°C)	remark
m.s.l.	100	101.3	101.3	100	
12,000	60	19.9	19.4	60	undercooked

• Evaporation: When the space surrounding the liquid is too large, the liquid continues to vaporize until the liquid is gone and only vapor remains at a pressure less than or equal p_{v} .

[IP 1.12] For a vertical cylinder of diameter 300 mm, find min. force that will cause the water boil.



[Sol] From Table A2.4b; $p_v = 31.16$ kPa at 70 °C

For water to boil; $p' \le p_v = 31.16$,

:.
$$p' = 100 - \frac{F}{A} = 31.16$$

:.
$$F = (100 - 31.16) \frac{\pi (0.3)^2}{4} = 4.87 \text{ kN}$$

Homework Assignment #1

Due: 1 week from today

Prob. 1.2

- Prob. 1.10
- Prob. 1.27
- Prob. 1.46
- Prob. 1.49
- Prob. 1.58
- Prob. 1.69
- Prob. 1.72
- Prob. 1.82