

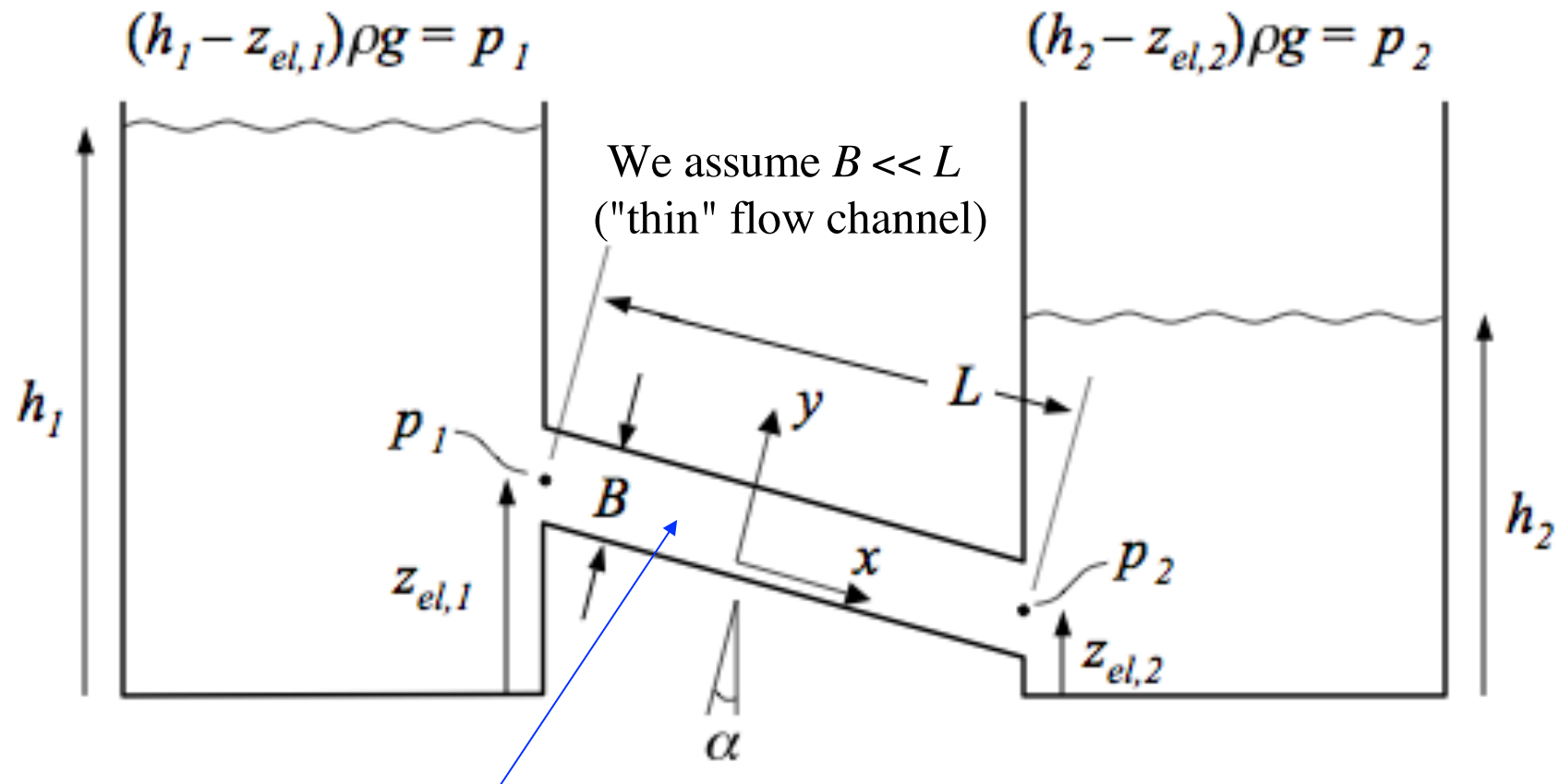
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Fluid Dynamics

***Dynamics of Viscous Incompressible Fluids***

Visuals 02

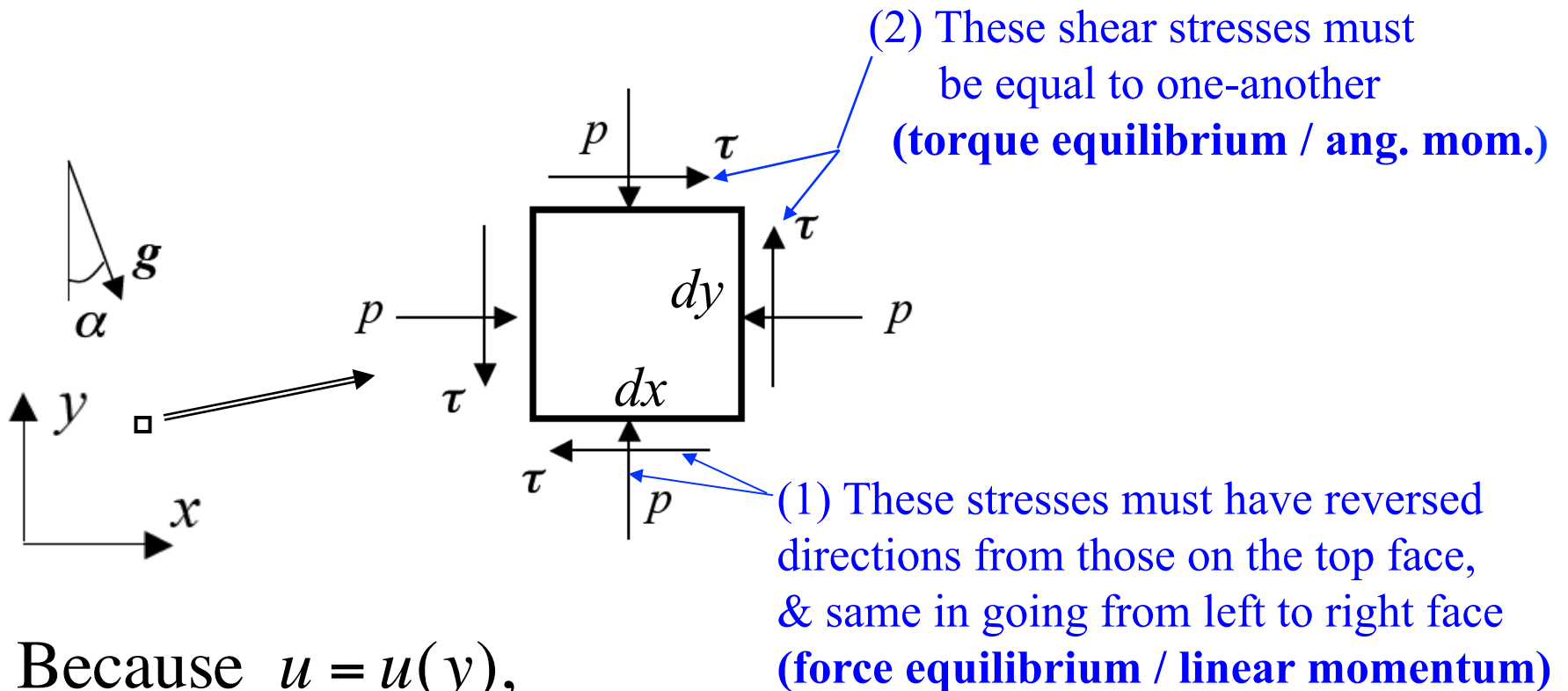
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## Flow in a Very Narrow Slit, Driven by a Gradient in Head



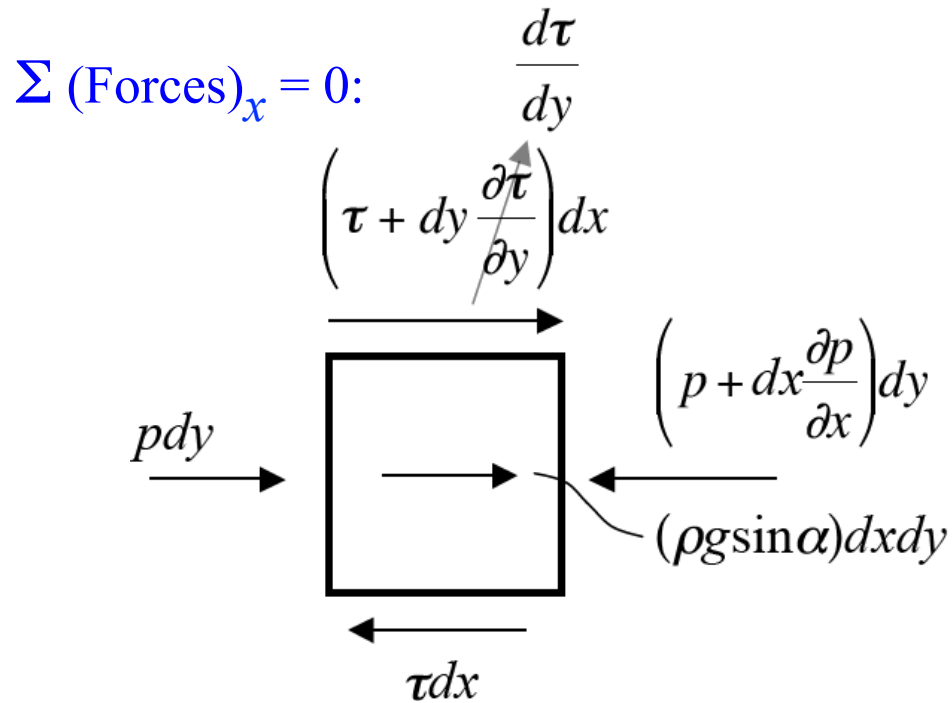
We assume flow is *laminar*, with velocity  $u$  in the  $x$ -direction, the same at each cross section, so that  $u = u(y)$ . Recall that *shear rate* =  $du(y)/dy$

## Stresses and equilibrium



Because  $u = u(y)$ ,

$$\tau = \mu \frac{du(y)}{dy} = \tau(y)$$

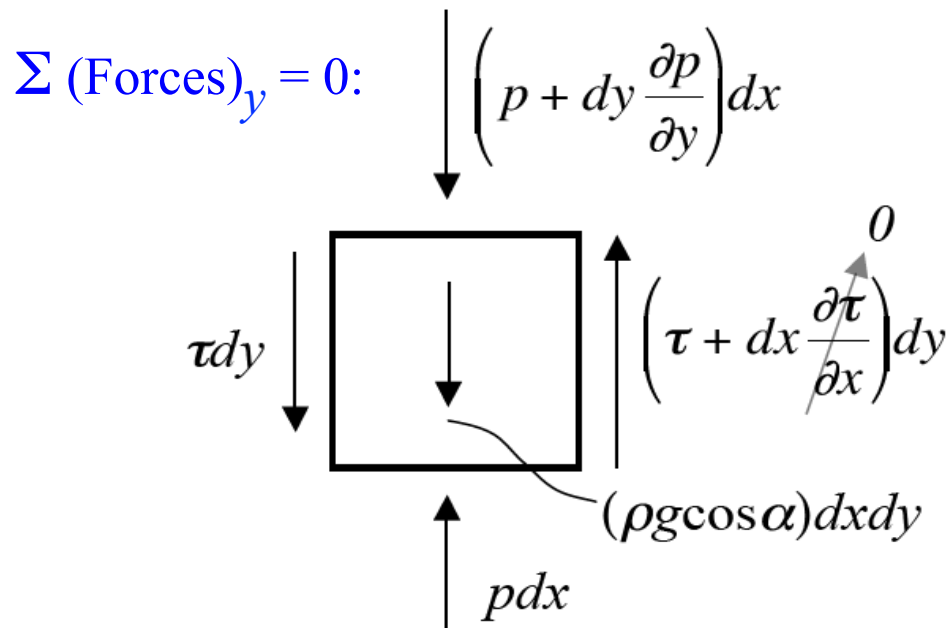


$$p dy - \left( p + dx \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} \right) dy$$

$$- \tau dx + \left( \tau + dy \frac{\partial \tau}{\partial y} \right) dx$$

$$+ (\rho g \sin \alpha) dx dy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{d\tau(y)}{dy} + \rho g \sin \alpha = 0$$

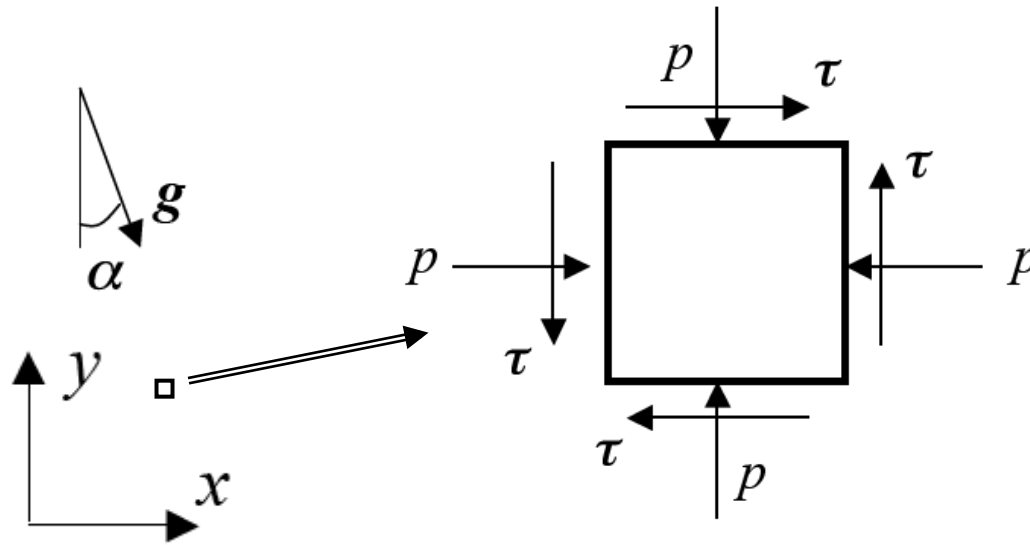


$$- \tau dy + \left( \tau + dx \frac{\partial \tau}{\partial x} \right) dy$$

$$+ p dx - \left( p + dy \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} \right) dx$$

$$- (\rho g \cos \alpha) dx dy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} - \rho g \cos \alpha = 0$$



*2D Equilibrium equations, in general, are*

$$-\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau}{\partial y} + \rho g \sin \alpha = 0, \quad -\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau}{\partial x} - \rho g \cos \alpha = 0$$

*For our problem,  $u = u(y)$  and  $\tau = \mu \frac{du(y)}{dy} = \tau(y)$ , so they reduce to*

$$-\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{d\tau(y)}{dy} + \rho g \sin \alpha = 0, \quad -\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} - \rho g \cos \alpha = 0$$

$$(1) \quad -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{d\tau(y)}{dy} + \rho g \sin \alpha = 0, \quad (2) \quad -\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} - \rho g \cos \alpha = 0$$

$$\text{Taking } \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \text{ of Eq.(2)} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} \right) = 0$$

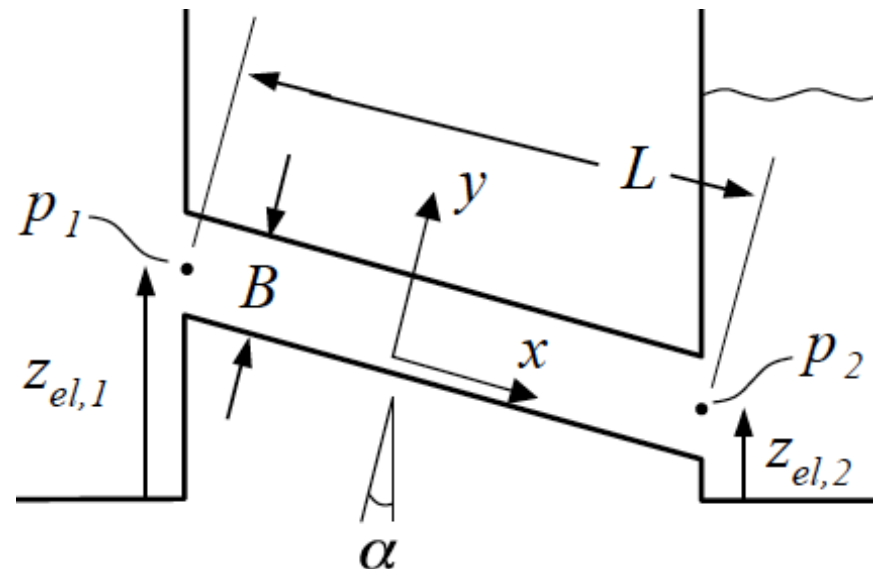
$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} \right) = 0 \quad \left[ \text{Recall that } \frac{\partial^2 p}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 p}{\partial y \partial x} \right]$$

$$\text{But taking } \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \text{ of Eq.(1)} \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} \right) = 0.$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} = \text{const.} \equiv \frac{p_2 - p_1}{L}$$

Also, from (2),

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} = \text{const.} \equiv -\rho g \cos \alpha$$



Now we use eq. (1),  $-\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{d\tau(y)}{dy} + \rho g \sin \alpha = 0$ , and set

$$\tau(y) = \mu \frac{du(y)}{dy} \text{ to give eq. (3), } \mu \frac{d^2u(y)}{dy^2} = \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} - \rho g \sin \alpha.$$

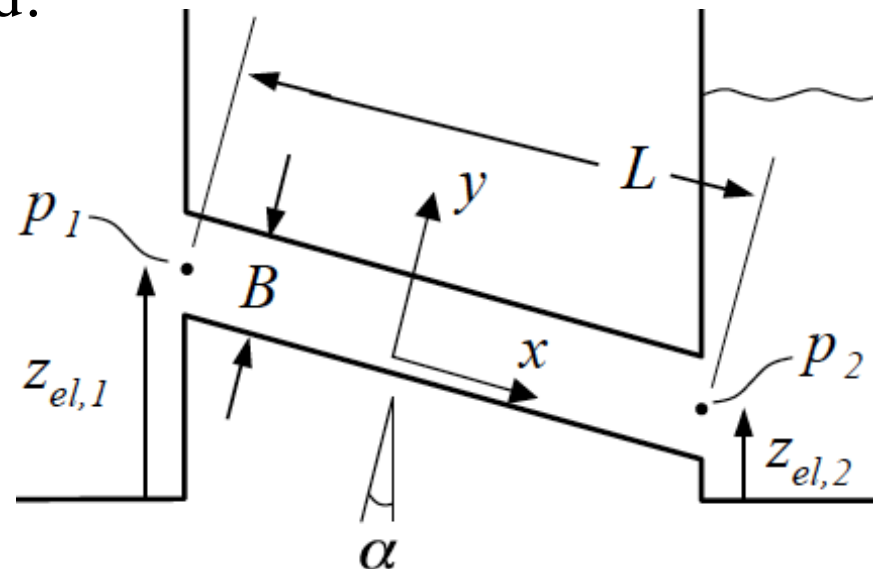
Then recall that  $\frac{\partial p}{\partial x} = \frac{p_2 - p_1}{L}$ , and note that  $\sin \alpha = -\frac{z_{el,2} - z_{el,1}}{L}$ ,

$$\text{so the R.H.S. of eq. (3) is } \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} - \rho g \sin \alpha = \rho g \frac{h_2 - h_1}{L} = \rho g \frac{\partial h}{\partial x},$$

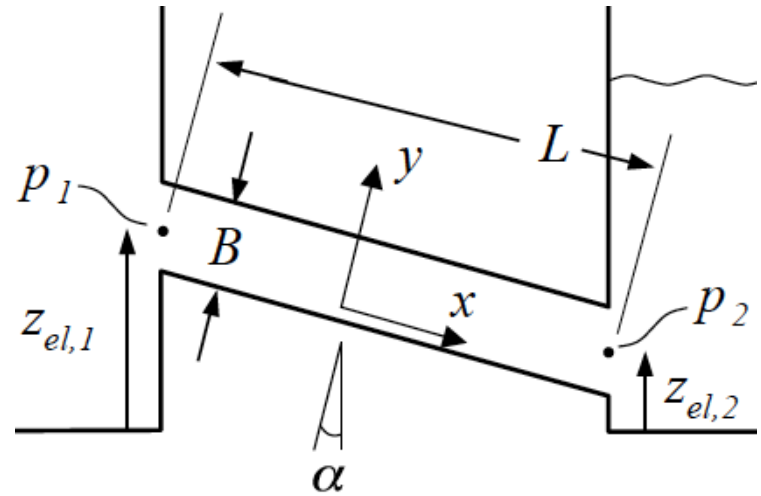
where  $h = \frac{p}{\rho g} + z_{el} = \text{hydraulic head.}$

$$\text{Thus, } \mu \frac{d^2u(y)}{dy^2} = \rho g \frac{\partial h}{\partial x}.$$

**(It is not gravity or pressure drop alone which drives flow, but rather their combination as the head drop.)**



$$\frac{d^2u(y)}{dy^2} = \frac{\rho g}{\mu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x}$$

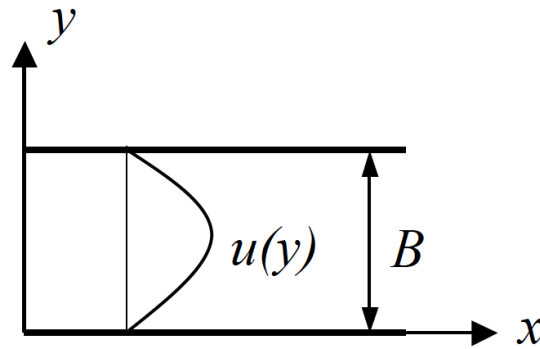


$$\therefore u(y) = \frac{\rho g}{2\mu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} [(y - B/2)^2 + C_1(y - B/2) + C_2]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{At } y = 0, u = 0 &\Rightarrow (B/2)^2 - C_1(B/2) + C_2 = 0 \\ \text{At } y = B, u = 0 &\Rightarrow (B/2)^2 + C_1(B/2) + C_2 = 0 \end{aligned} \left| \Rightarrow C_1 = 0, C_2 = -(B/2)^2 \right.$$

$$\therefore u(y) = -\frac{\rho g B^2}{8\mu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{y - B/2}{B/2} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$u(y) = -\frac{\rho g B^2}{8\mu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{y - B/2}{B/2} \right)^2 \right) = -\frac{g B^2}{8\nu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{y - B/2}{B/2} \right)^2 \right) \quad \left( \nu \equiv \frac{\mu}{\rho} \left[ \frac{L^2}{T} \right] \right)$$



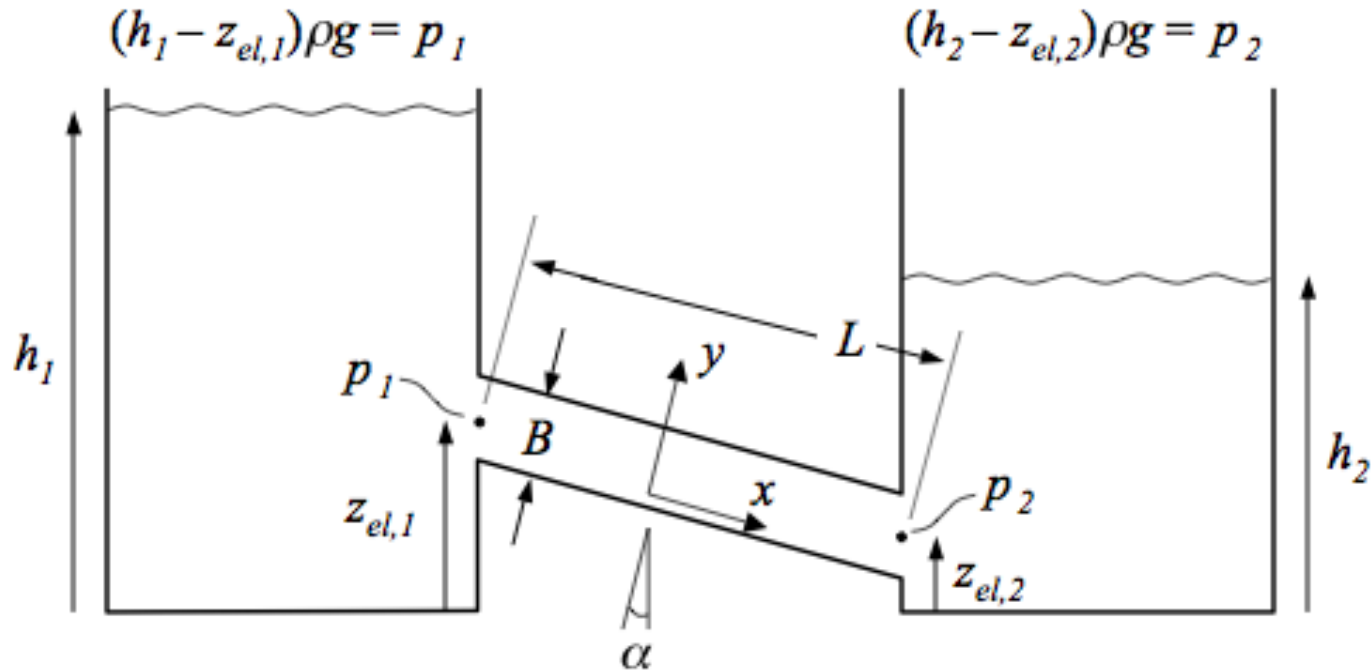
Average velocity  $U$ :

$$U = \frac{1}{B} \int_0^B u(y) dy = -\frac{g B^2}{12\nu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x}$$

Volumetric flow rate  $Q$  per unit distance in  $z$  direction:

$$Q = UB = -\frac{g B^3}{12\nu} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x}$$

## *Solution in terms of gradient in head*



$$-\frac{dh}{dx} = \text{constant} = \frac{h_1 - h_2}{L} \quad \text{within slit}$$

$$u(y) = -\frac{\rho g B^2}{8\mu} \frac{dh}{dx} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{y - B/2}{B/2} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$U = -\frac{\rho g B^2}{12\mu} \frac{dh}{dx} \quad \text{and} \quad Q \equiv BU = -\frac{\rho g B^3}{12\mu} \frac{dh}{dx}$$

## Flow Through (Inclined) Circular Tubes

- Similar analysis to that for flow in a slit between parallel walls.
- Seek solution with  $u = u(r)$ ;
- Note that  $u = u(r)$  implies that  $\tau = \tau(r) = \mu du(r)/dr$ .
- Applying equations of equilibrium in directions *perpendicular* to flow direction shows that  $h \equiv (p / \rho g) + z_{el} = h(x)$  , i.e.,  $h$  is constant in each cross section (show this, i.e., that equilibrium and  $\tau = \tau(r)$  implies  $\partial h / \partial y = \partial h / \partial z = 0$ ).
- Result  $h$  is constant in each cross section implies (why?) that  $\partial p / \partial x$  is also constant -- although  $p$  itself varies within a cross section.
- Apply equation of equilibrium in  $x$ -direction to cylindrical fluid volume of arbitrary radius  $r$  (where  $r \leq a$  ;  $a =$  tube radius) and length  $dx$ :

$$(2\pi r dx)\tau = (\pi r^2)(dx \frac{\partial p}{\partial x}) + (\pi r^2 dx)\rho g \frac{\partial z_{el}}{\partial x}$$

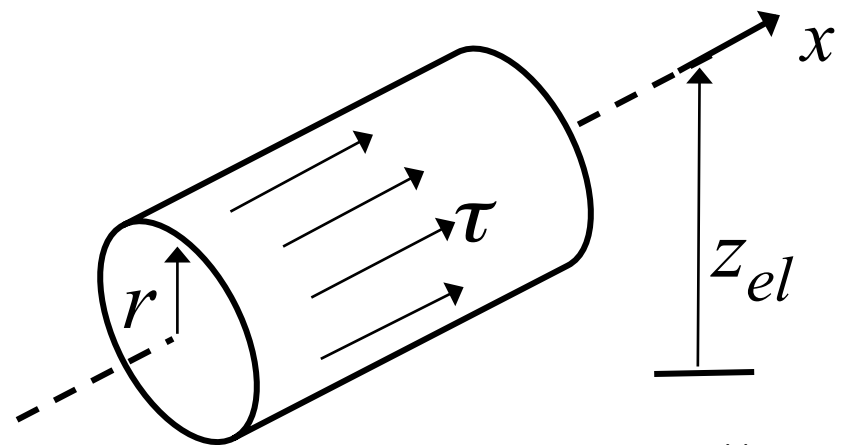
$$\Rightarrow \tau = \frac{\rho g r}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{p}{\rho g} + z_{el} \right) = \frac{\rho g r}{2} \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = \frac{\rho g r}{2} \frac{dh(x)}{dx}$$

- $\tau = \tau(r) \Rightarrow \frac{dh}{dx} = \text{const. (indep of } x)$

- $\tau = \mu \frac{du(r)}{dr} \Rightarrow \mu \frac{du(r)}{dr} = \frac{\rho g r}{2} \frac{dh}{dx}$

Integrate, with  $u = 0$  at  $r = a$  to get

$$u = -\frac{\rho g}{4\mu} \frac{dh}{dx} (a^2 - r^2) \Rightarrow U = -\frac{\rho g a^2}{8\mu} \frac{dh}{dx}$$



Middleton and Southard, *Mechanics of Sediment Movement*, 1984

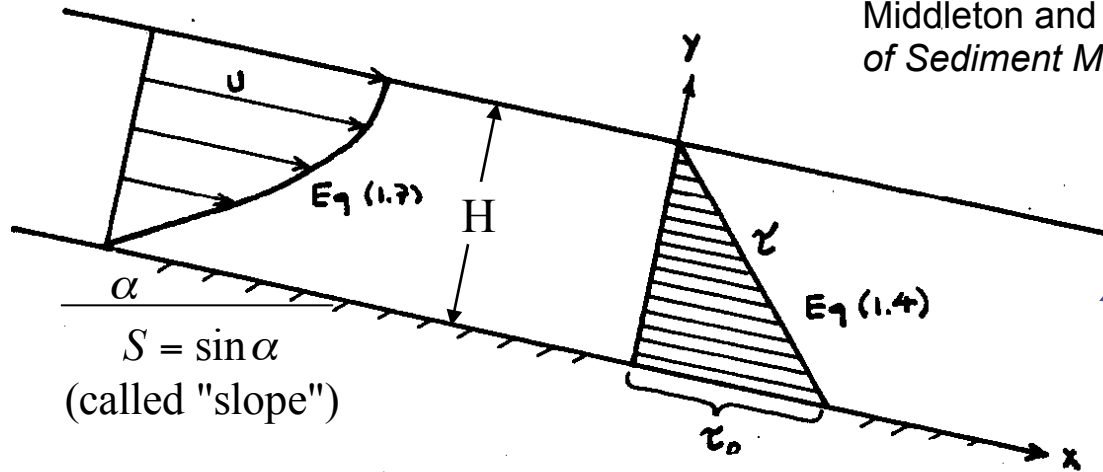


Figure 1.15 Distributions of (A) velocity and (B) shear stress in steady uniform laminar flow down an inclined plane.

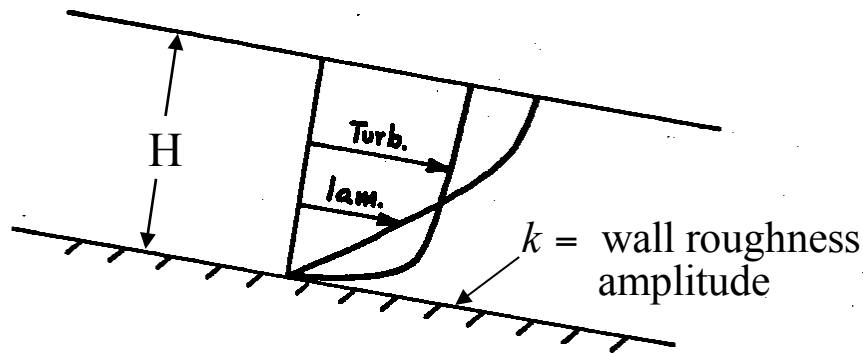


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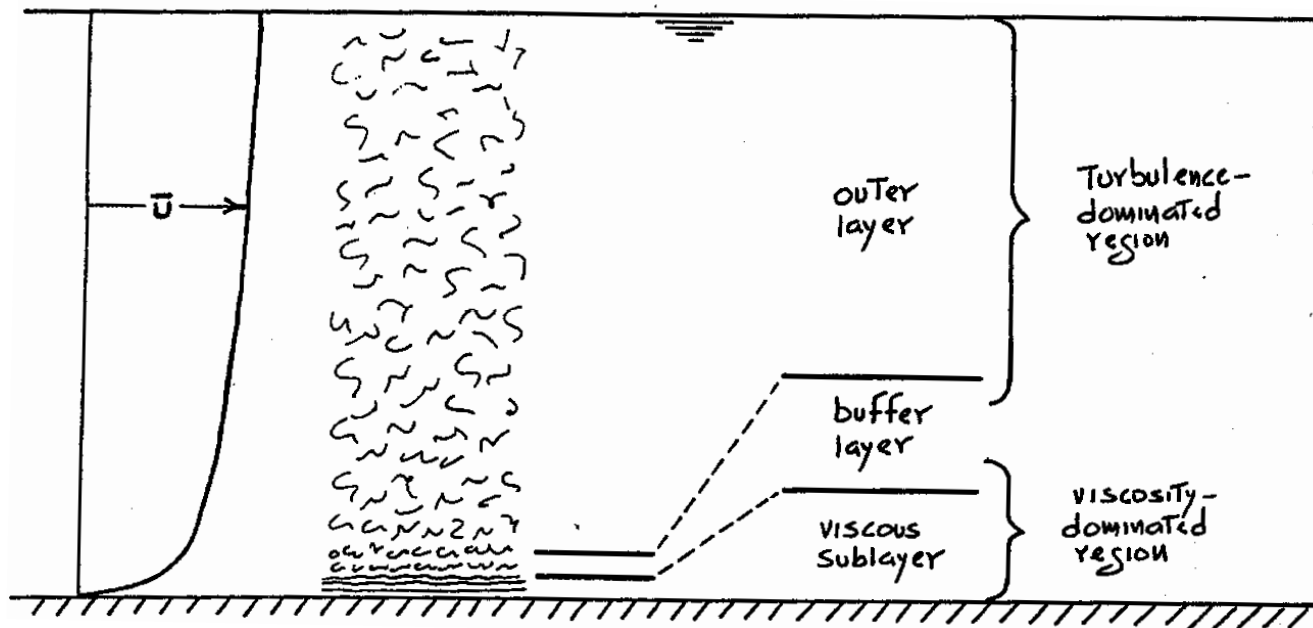
*Laminar flow:*

$$U = gSH^2 / 3\nu$$

Solution same as for laminar flow in a slit, with  $H \rightarrow B/2$ ,

$$H - y \rightarrow B/2 - y$$

$$\text{and } -\frac{dh}{dx} \rightarrow S.$$



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Figure 5.4 Zones of turbulence structure in steady uniform turbulent flow down a smooth plane. Eddy structure (schematic) is as seen by an observer moving with flow.

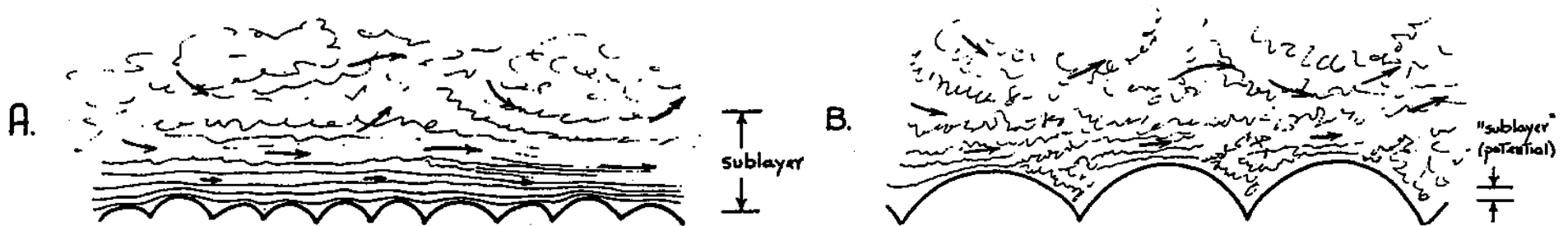
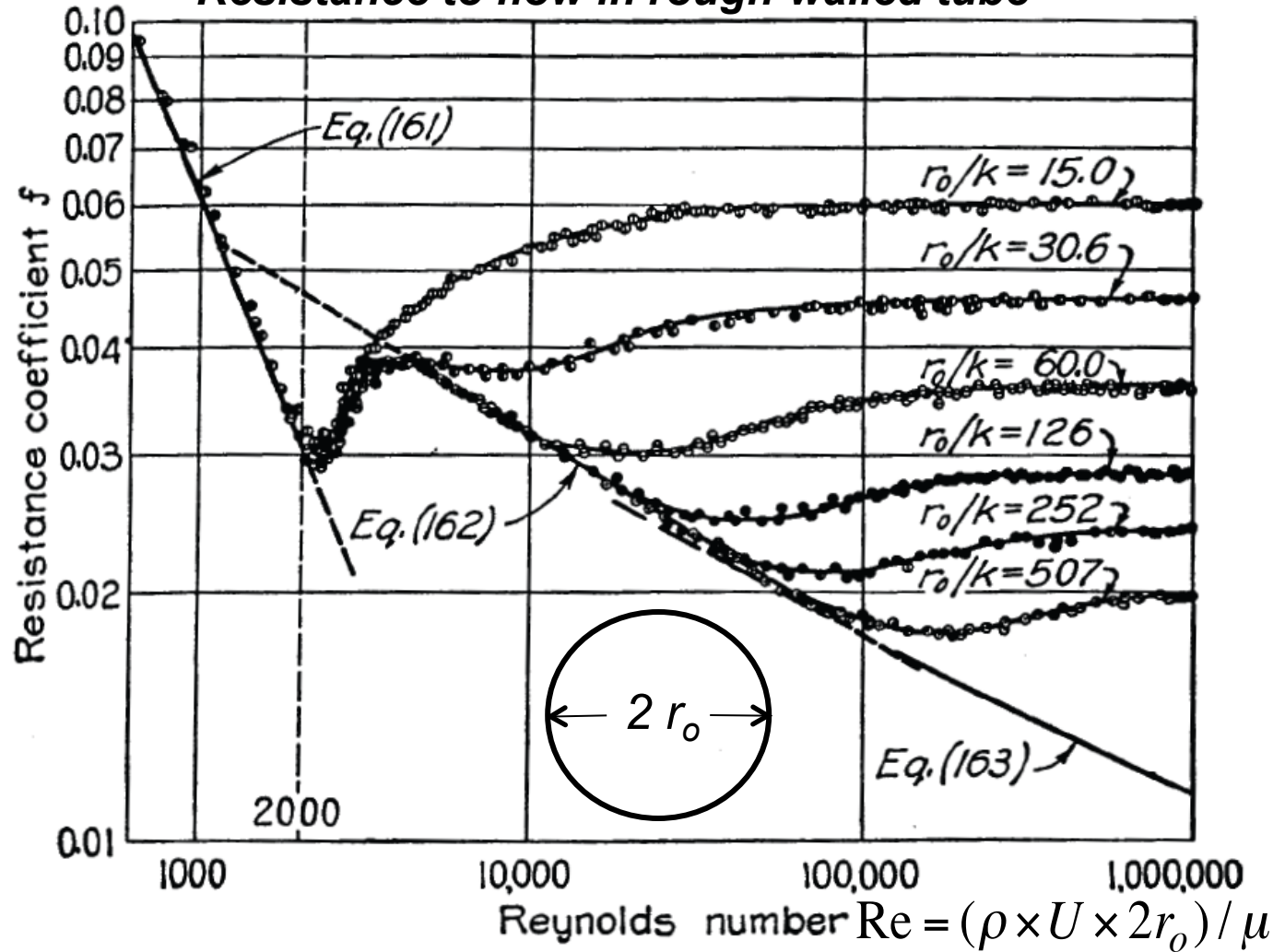


Figure 5.6 Relationship between viscous-sublayer thickness and height of roughness elements. (A) Roughness elements much smaller than sublayer thickness. (B) Roughness elements much larger than sublayer thickness.

### Resistance to flow in rough-walled tube



Variation of the resistance coefficient with the Reynolds number for artificially roughened pipes. ( $r_o$  = pipe radius,  $k$  = roughness size)

**Darcy - Wiesbach friction factor  $f$  :**

$$f = \frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho U^2 / 8}$$

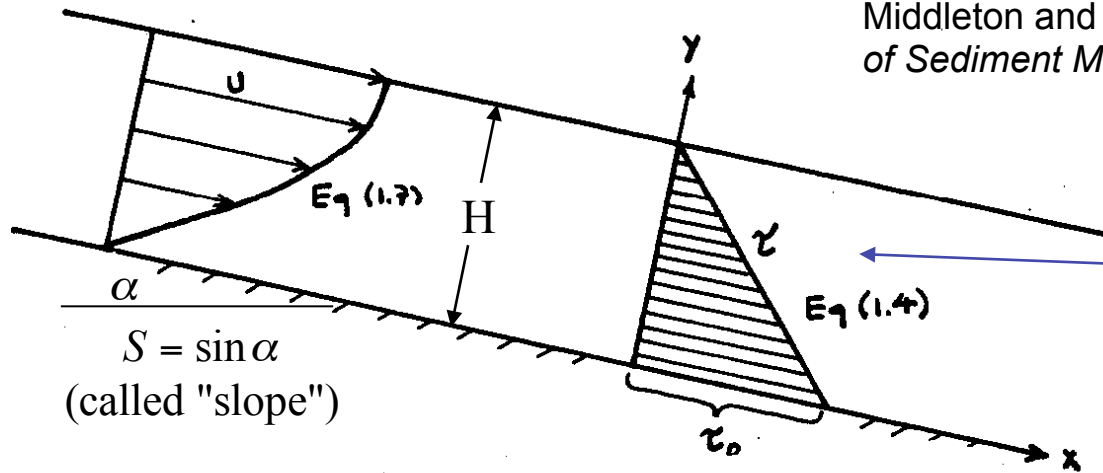
In pipe flow:

$$f = \frac{Diam}{Length} \frac{\Delta p}{\rho U^2 / 2}$$

Re-interpretation based on hydraulic radius concept:

$$\begin{aligned} & r_o / k \\ & \rightarrow 2H / k \\ & \uparrow \\ & \text{depth of very wide channel} \end{aligned}$$

Eq.(161) corresponds to Poiseuille solution, laminar flow in a circular tube, Homework Prob. 7(a)



Laminar flow:

$$U = gSH^2 / 3\nu$$

**Froude number**

Turbulent flow (but with  $Fr \equiv \frac{U}{(gH)^{1/2}}$

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less than, and not very near to, 1):

**Reynolds number**

$$\frac{U}{(gSH)^{1/2}} = \hat{f}\left(\text{Re}, \frac{H}{k}\right) \quad \left(\text{Re} \equiv \frac{UH}{\nu}\right);$$

$$\frac{U}{(gSH)^{1/2}} = \tilde{f}\left(\frac{(gS)^{1/2} H^{3/2}}{\nu}, \frac{H}{k}\right).$$

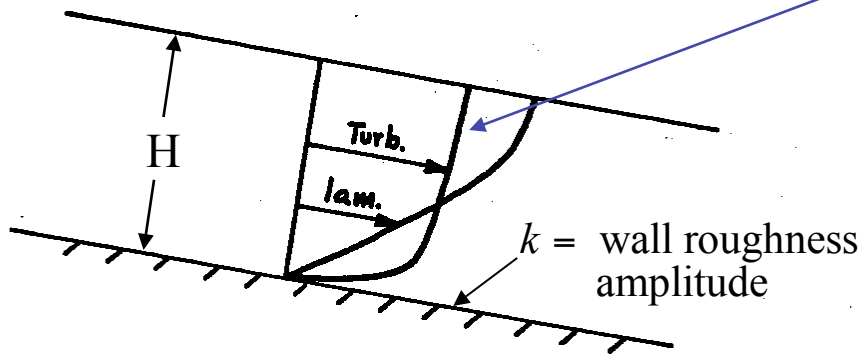
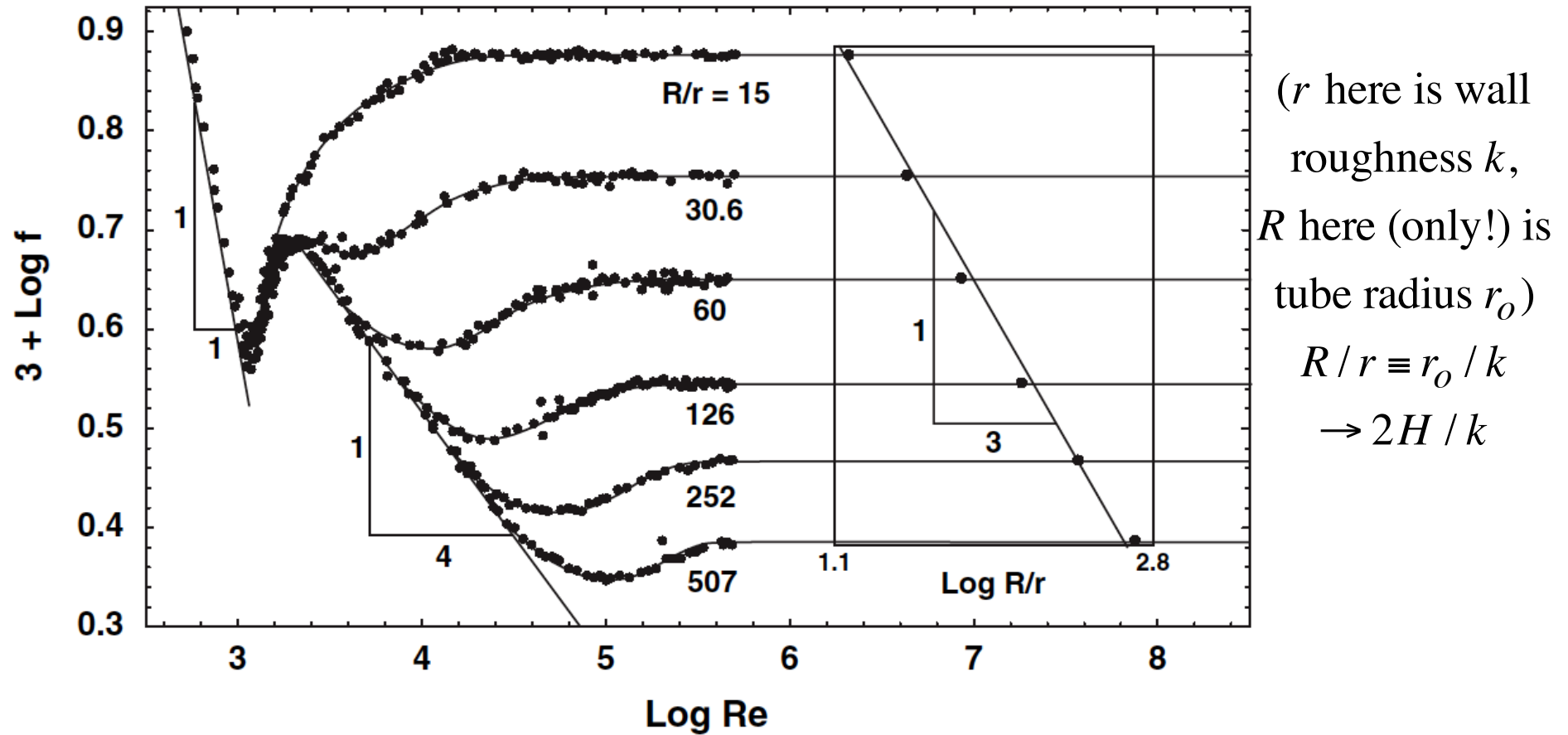


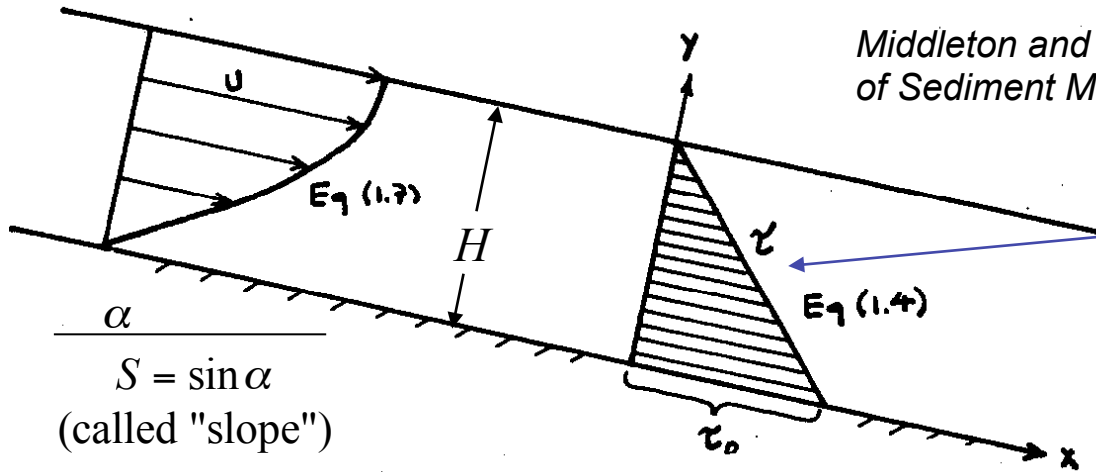
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Gioia & Chakraborty [*PRL*, 2006] replot of Johann Nikuradse [1933] pipe-flow data



$$\mathbf{Re} = \text{Reynolds number} = (\rho \times U \times 2r_o) / \mu = 2Ur_o / \nu$$

FIG. 1. Nikuradse's data. Up to a  $Re$  of about 3000 the flow is streamlined (free from turbulence) and  $f \sim 1/Re$ . Note that for very rough pipes (small  $R/r$ ) the curves do not form a belly at intermediate values of  $Re$ . Inset: verification of Strickler's empirical scaling for  $f$  at high  $Re$ ,  $f \sim (r/R)^{1/3}$ .



Laminar flow:

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Turbulent flow (but with  $Fr \equiv \frac{U}{(gH)^{1/2}}$

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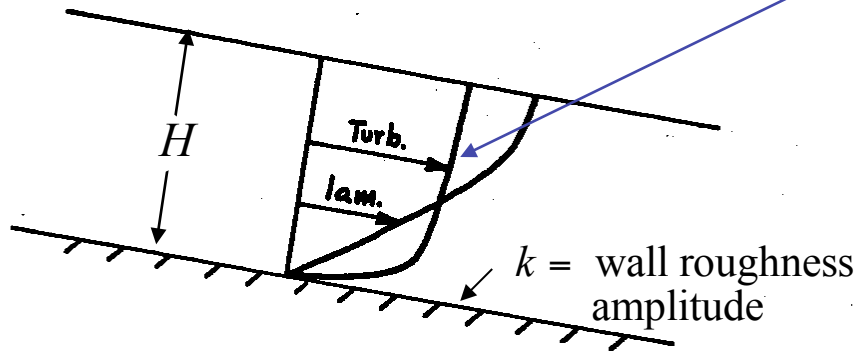


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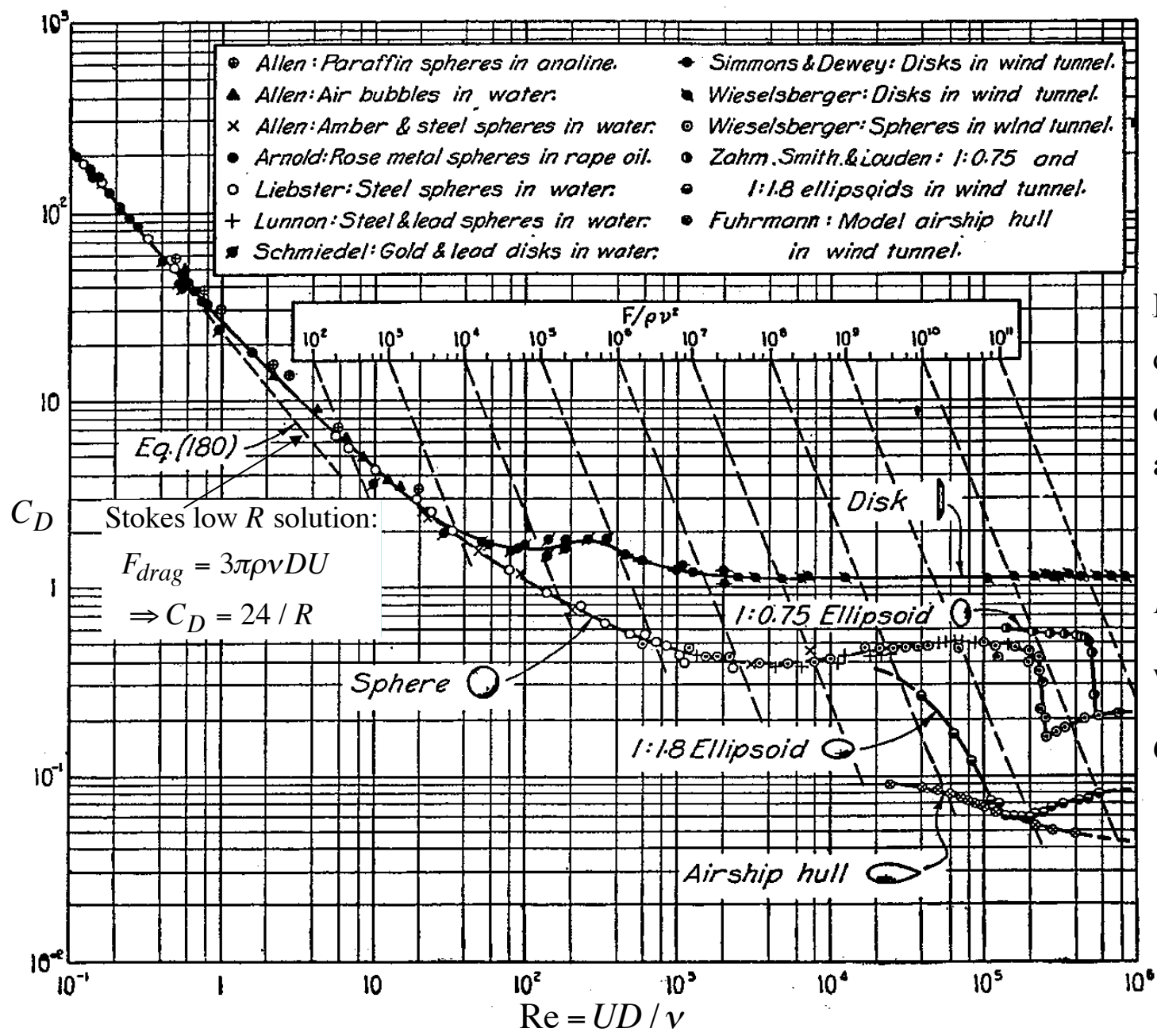
Empirically, at very large Re :

$$\frac{U}{(gSH)^{1/2}} \approx \tilde{f}\left(\frac{H}{k}\right) \approx \text{const.} \left(\frac{H}{k}\right)^{1/6}$$

[Manning, 1891; Strickler, 1923; + Prandtl von Karman Nikuradse, 1930s]

$$U \approx H^{2/3} S^{1/2} / n_M, \quad n_M \approx k^{1/6} / 8g^{1/2}$$

Rouse, *Elementary Mechanics of Fluids*, 1946, 1978



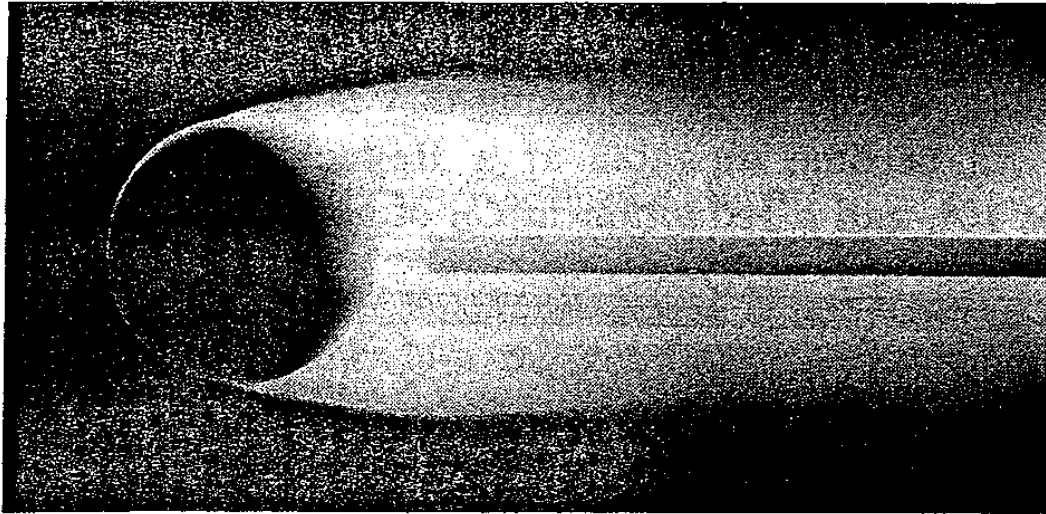
Dimensional analysis, drag force on a sphere of diameter  $D$  in flow at far-field velocity  $U$ :

$$F_{drag} = \frac{1}{2} \rho U^2 \frac{\pi D^2}{4} C_D$$

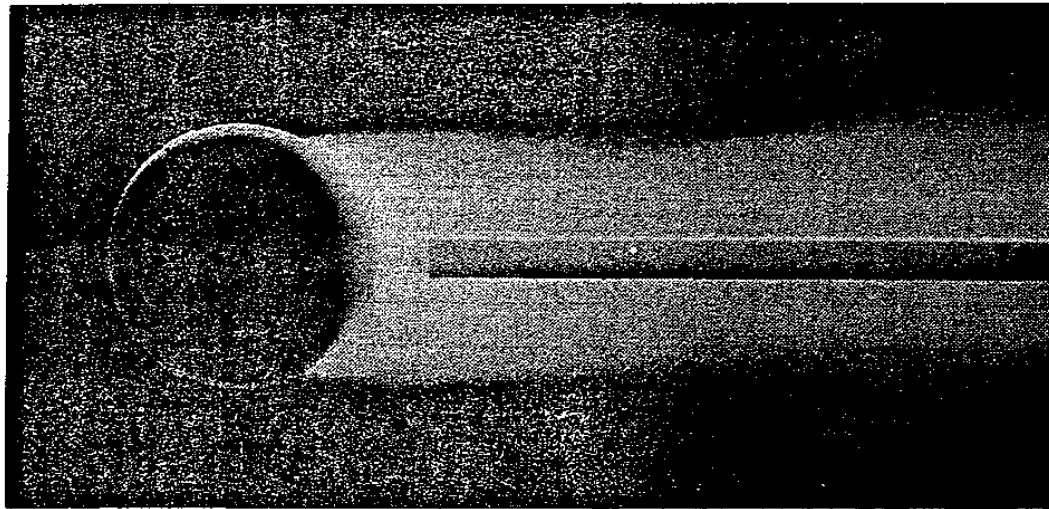
where coef. of drag is

$$C_D = C_D(Re), \quad Re = \frac{UD}{\nu}$$

FIG. 125. Coefficients of drag as functions of the Reynolds number for bodies of revolution.

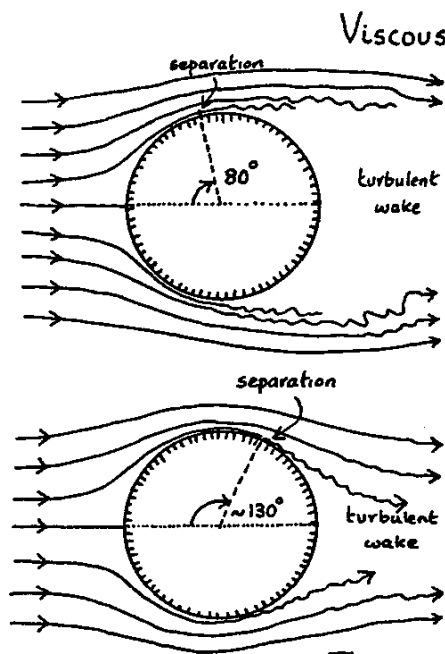
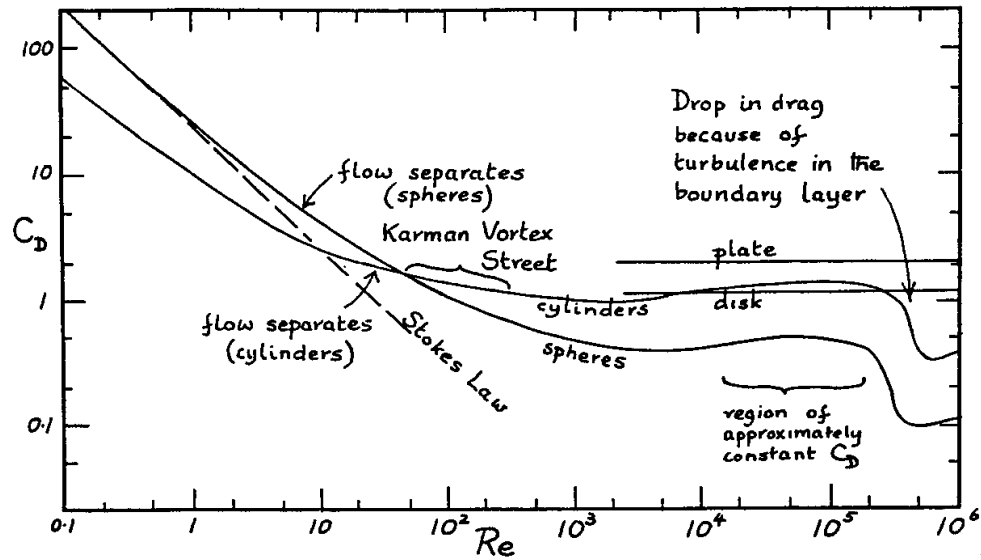


*Smooth-surfaced sphere:  
Promotes laminar flow  
in thin boundary layer*



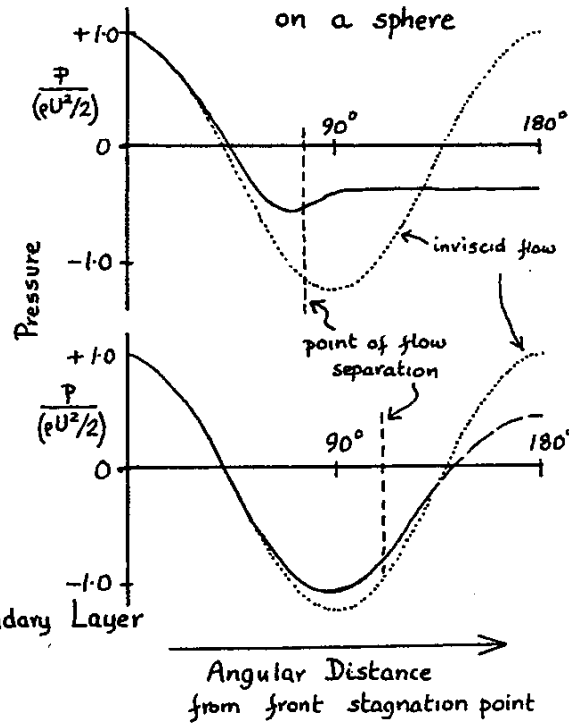
*Rough-surfaced sphere:  
Promotes turbulent flow  
in thicker boundary layer  
(separation is delayed,  
drag is reduced)*

PLATE XVI. Comparison of the wakes produced by smooth and roughened spheres in an air stream at the same Reynolds number ( $R \approx 10^5$ ), made visible by smoke injected through the tube surrounding the supporting rod. Above, the boundary layer is laminar; below, boundary-layer turbulence is induced by sand grains cemented in a narrow band around the front of the sphere.



Viscous Boundary Layer

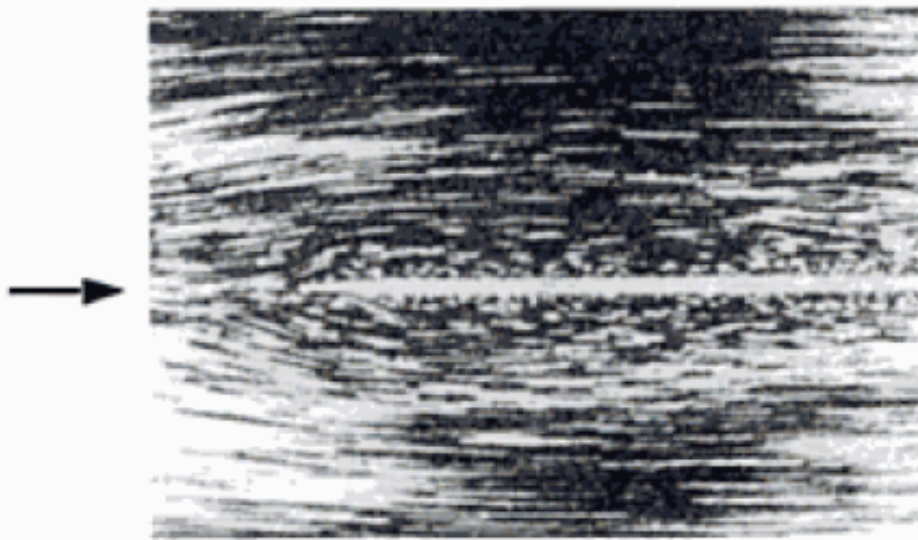
Pressure Distribution on a sphere



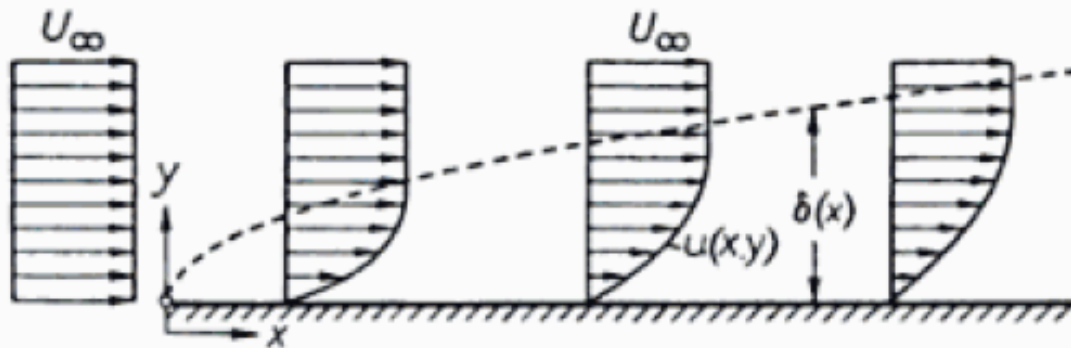
Turbulent Boundary Layer

Angular Distance from front stagnation point

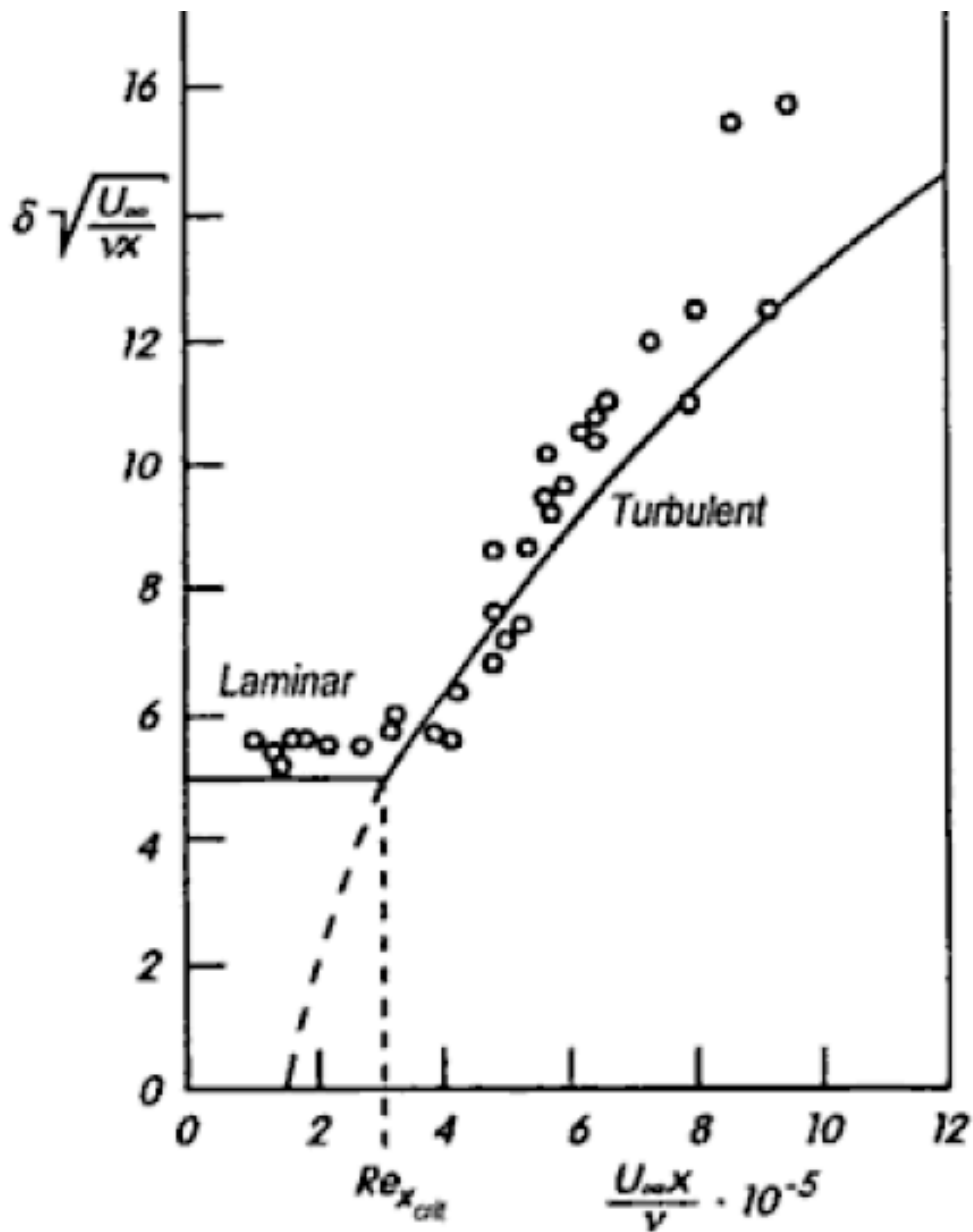
Boundary layer on a thin flat plate (H. Schlichting & K. Gersten, 1955, 2000)



**Fig. 2.1.** Flow along a thin **flat plate**, after L. Prandtl; O. Tietjens (1931)



**Fig. 2.2.** **Boundary layer** at a **flat plate** at zero incidence (schematic)



Boundary layer (BL) thickness  $\delta$  on a thin flat plate: Thin laminar BL, and transition to thicker turbulent BL.  
 (H. Schlichting & K. Gersten, 1955, 2000)

**Fig. 2.4.** Dependence of the boundary-layer thickness on the distance along a plate at zero incidence, after M. Hansen (1928)

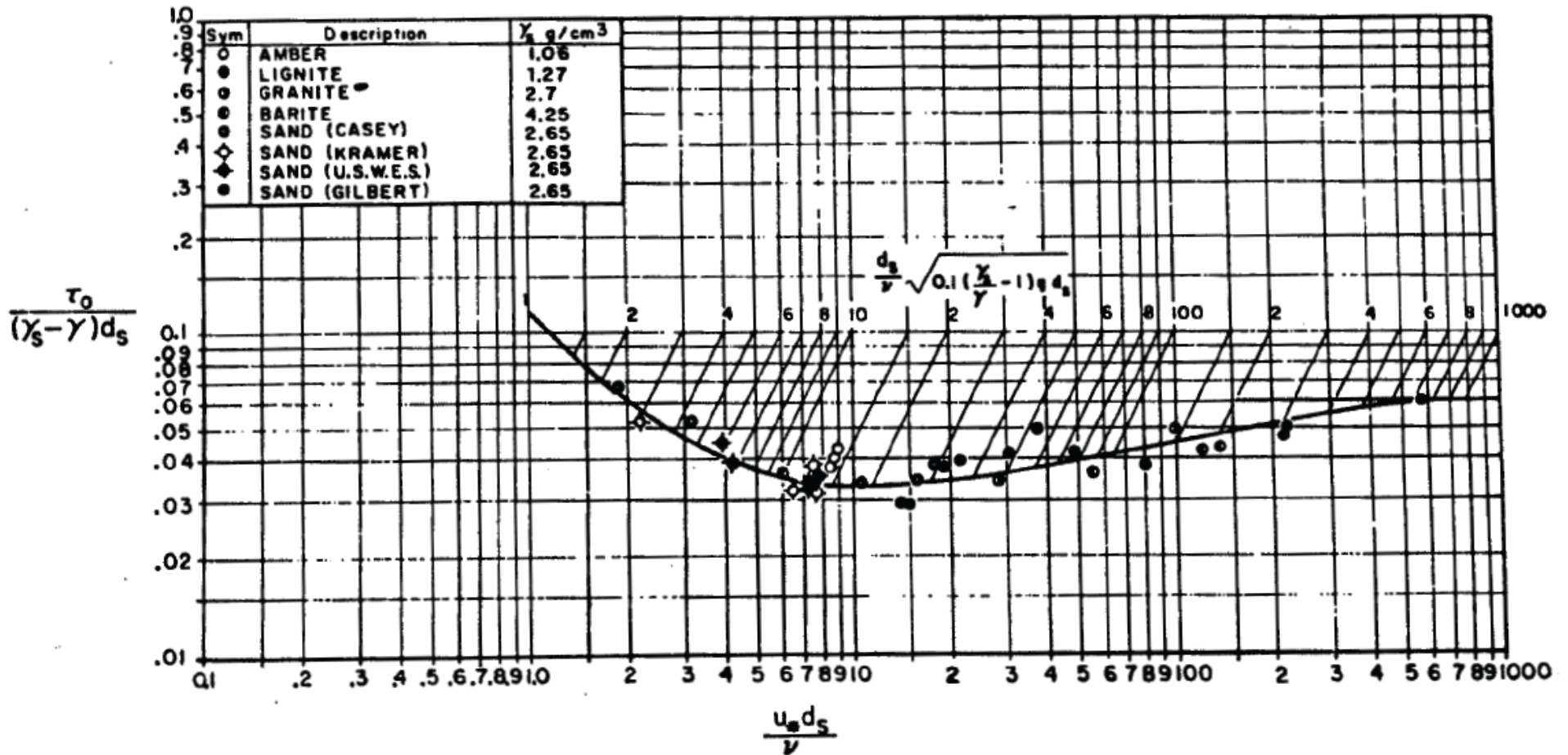
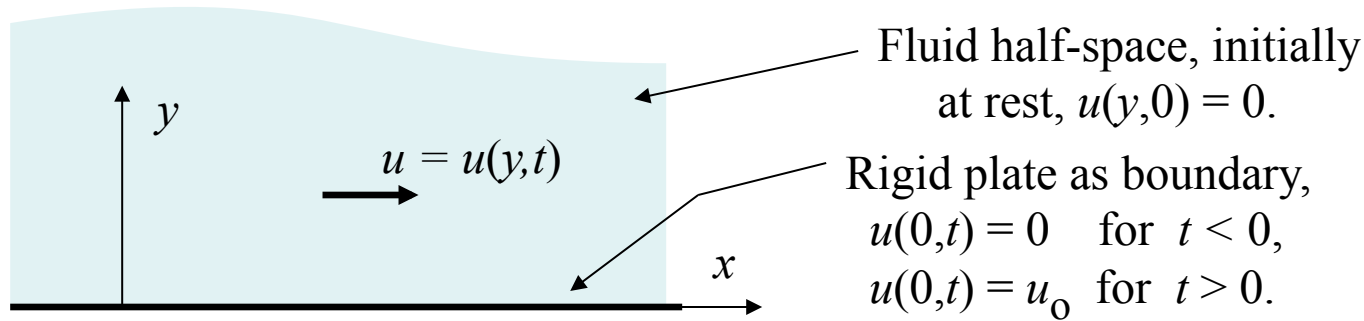


Figure 6.8 The Shields diagram, as modified by Vanoni (1964). To find the shear stress required to move a given sediment

## *Viscosity and the diffusion of momentum from a moving boundary*



$$\frac{\partial \sigma_{yx}(y,t)}{\partial y} = \rho a_x(y,t), \quad \sigma_{yx} = \mu \frac{\partial u(y,t)}{\partial y}, \quad a_x = \frac{\partial u(y,t)}{\partial t} \quad (\text{here, } (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0})$$

$$\therefore \nu \frac{\partial^2 u(y,t)}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial u(y,t)}{\partial t}, \quad \text{a diffusion PDE, where } \nu \equiv \frac{\mu}{\rho} = \text{kinematic viscosity [L}^2/\text{T]}$$

The problem has no characteristic length or time, so it is required from dimensional considerations (and linearity of the PDE), that  $u(y,t) = u_0 F(\eta)$  where  $\eta = y / (2\sqrt{\nu t})$ . Thus

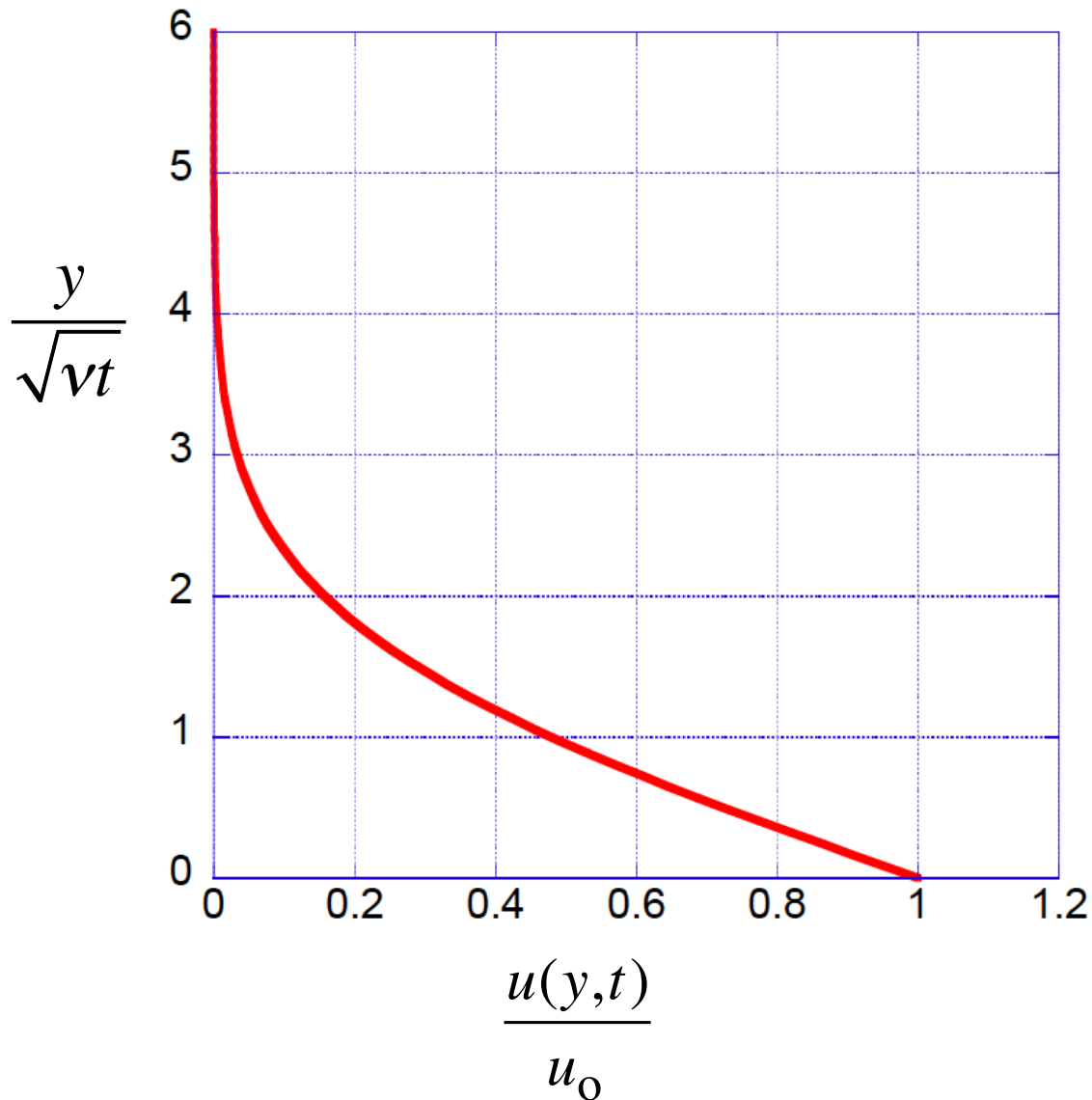
$$\nu \partial^2 u(y,t) / \partial y^2 = u_0 F''(\eta) / (4t) \quad \& \quad \partial u(y,t) / \partial t = -u_0 \eta F'(\eta) / (2t) \Rightarrow F''(\eta) + 2\eta F'(\eta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow dF'(\eta) / F'(\eta) + 2\eta d\eta = 0 \Rightarrow F'(\eta) = (2 / \sqrt{\pi}) A e^{-\eta^2} \Rightarrow F(\eta) = A \text{erf}(\eta) + B \quad (A, B \text{ const.}).$$

Condition  $u \rightarrow 0$  as  $y \rightarrow \infty$  and boundary condition  $u = u_0$  at  $y = 0 \Rightarrow B = 1$  and  $A = -1$ .

$$\therefore u(y,t) = u_0 \left( 1 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{y/(2\sqrt{\nu t})} e^{-\eta^2} d\eta \right) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} u_0 \int_{y/(2\sqrt{\nu t})}^{\infty} e^{-\eta^2} d\eta = u_0 \text{erfc} \left( \frac{y}{2\sqrt{\nu t}} \right)$$

$$u(y,t) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} u_o \int_{y/(2\sqrt{vt})}^{\infty} e^{-\eta^2} d\eta = u_o \operatorname{erfc}\left(\frac{y}{2\sqrt{vt}}\right)$$



Stress at  
boundary:

$$\sigma_{yx}(0,t)$$

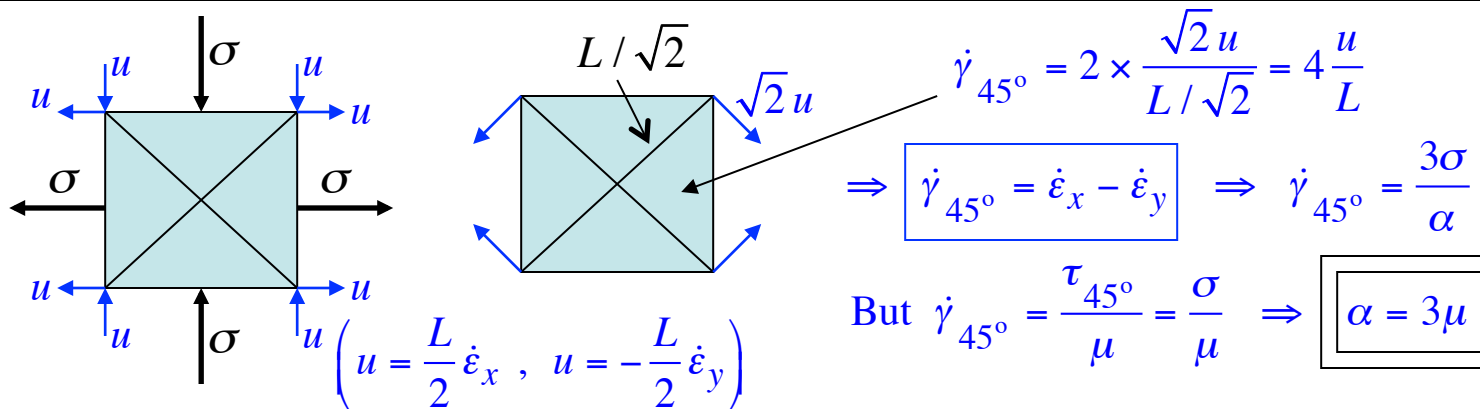
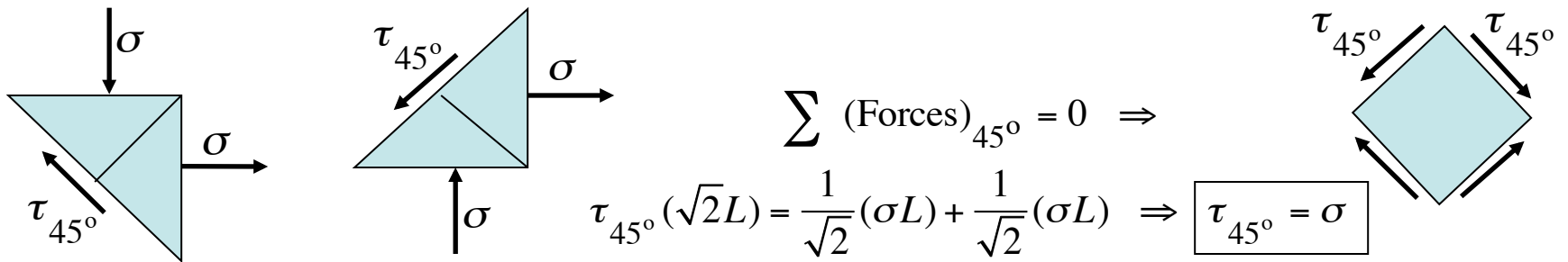
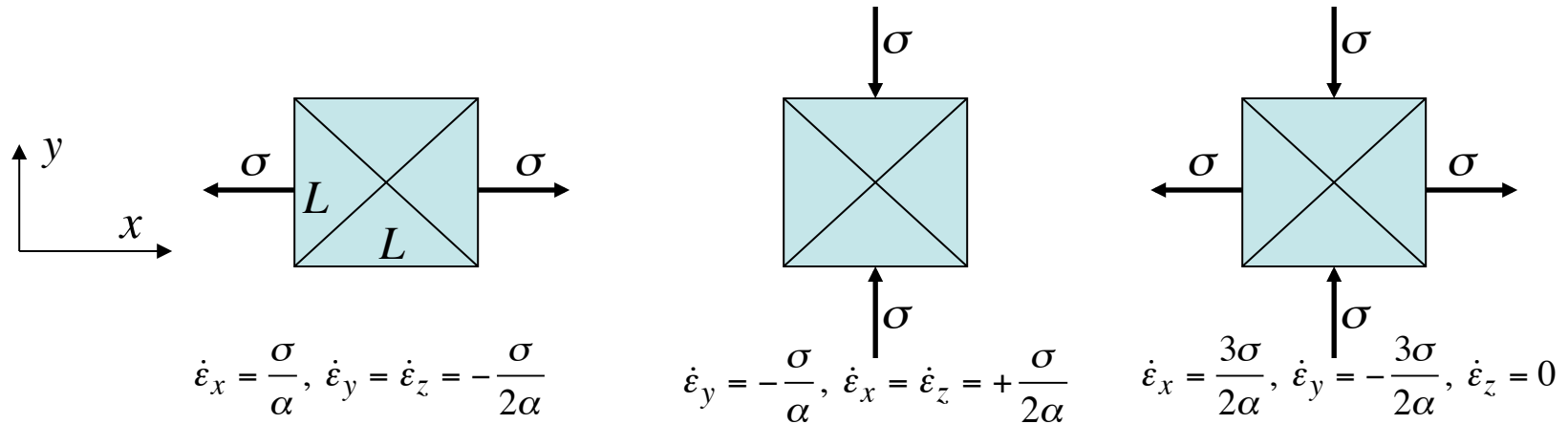
$$= -\mu \frac{u_o}{\sqrt{\pi vt}}$$

$$= -u_o \sqrt{\frac{\rho\mu}{\pi t}}$$

Under pure shear stress  $\tau$  :  $\dot{\gamma} = \tau / \mu$  where  $\mu$  is the *shear* viscosity.

Under pure uniaxial tensile stress  $\sigma$  :  $\dot{\epsilon} = \sigma / \alpha$  where  $\alpha$  is the *extensional* viscosity.

What relation between  $\alpha$  and  $\mu$  ?



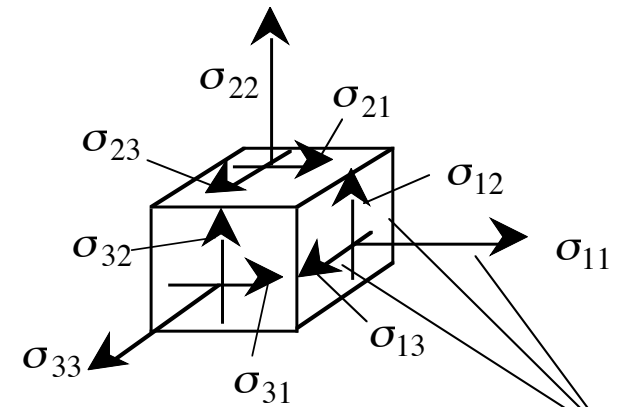
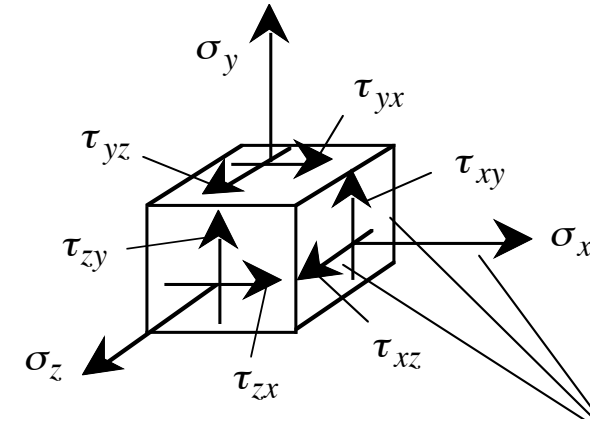
***Equations of motion, linear momentum, for all directions:***

$$\frac{\partial \sigma_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau_{yx}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{zx}}{\partial z} + f_x = \rho a_x ,$$

$$\frac{\partial \tau_{xy}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \sigma_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{zy}}{\partial z} + f_y = \rho a_y ,$$

$$\frac{\partial \tau_{xz}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau_{yz}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \sigma_z}{\partial z} + f_z = \rho a_z$$

Equivalent to 
$$\sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial \sigma_{ij}}{\partial x_i} + f_j = \rho a_j$$
  
(for  $j = 1, 2, 3$ )



***Equations of motion, angular momentum:***

$$\tau_{xy} = \tau_{yx} , \tau_{yz} = \tau_{zy} , \tau_{zx} = \tau_{xz}$$

Equivalent to  $\sigma_{ij} = \sigma_{ji}$  (for all  $i, j = 1, 2, 3$ )

The *Newtonian-viscous constitutive relation* for a simple incompressible fluid is

$$\sigma_{ij} = -p\delta_{ij} + 2\mu D_{ij} \text{ , where } D_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right) \text{ for } i, j = 1, 2, 3.$$

(1)  $\delta_{ij}$  is called the Kronecker delta, or sometimes the unit tensor, and it takes the values

$$\delta_{ij} = 1 \text{ if } i = j \text{ , and } \delta_{ij} = 0 \text{ if } i \neq j \text{ ;}$$

(2)  $\mu$  is the fluid *viscosity* ;

(3)  $p$  is *pressure*, corresponding to

$$p = -\frac{1}{3}(\sigma_{11} + \sigma_{22} + \sigma_{33}) \text{ [or to } p = -\frac{1}{3}(\sigma_x + \sigma_y + \sigma_z) \text{ in the elementary notation]}$$

(4)  $D_{ij}$  is called the *rate of straining* tensor; e.g.,  $D_{12} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial u_1}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x_1} \right)$  corresponds to  $\frac{1}{2}\dot{\gamma}_{xy}$ ,

where  $\dot{\gamma}_{xy} = \frac{\partial u_x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u_y}{\partial x}$  is the (engineering) shear strain rate in the elementary notation, whereas

$D_{11} = \frac{\partial u_1}{\partial x_1}$  corresponds to the extensional strain rate  $\dot{\epsilon}_x = \frac{\partial u_x}{\partial x}$ .

The expression  $\sigma_{ij} = -p\delta_{ij} + 2\mu D_{ij}$  then tells that, e.g.,  $\sigma_{12} = 2\mu D_{12}$  (equivalent to the familiar  $\tau_{xy} = \mu\dot{\gamma}_{xy}$ ), and that  $\sigma_{11} - \frac{\sigma_{11} + \sigma_{22} + \sigma_{33}}{3} \equiv \frac{2\sigma_{11} - \sigma_{22} - \sigma_{33}}{3} = 2\mu D_{11}$  (or  $\frac{2\sigma_x - \sigma_y - \sigma_z}{3} = 2\mu\dot{\epsilon}_x$ ). Note that the last expressions shows that for uniaxial stress,  $\sigma_x$ , acting on an incompressible fluid,  $\sigma_x = 3\mu\dot{\epsilon}_x$ ; meaning that the "extensional viscosity" of an incompressible fluid is three times the "shear viscosity".

That relation between shear and extensional viscosities follows because the fluid is *isotropic*, and is assumed to be incompressible, *and* because the stress  $\sigma_{ij}$  and rate of deformation  $D_{ij}$  are *second rank tensors*. The same features of  $\sigma_{ij}$  and  $D_{ij}$  that make them tensors are called upon, in the elementary derivation given earlier, in relating stress and strain rates relative to an original set of Cartesian axes to those (e.g.,  $\tau_{45}$  and  $\dot{\gamma}_{45}$ ) relative to axes rotated by  $45^\circ$ .

Now we combine the *constitutive relation* and the *equations of motion* the latter of which, to remind, are:

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial \sigma_{ij}}{\partial x_i} + f_j = \rho a_j, \quad a_j = \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^3 u_i \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i}, \quad f_j = \rho g_j = -\rho g \frac{\partial z_{el}}{\partial x_j}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial \sigma_{ij}}{\partial x_i} - \rho g \frac{\partial z_{el}}{\partial x_j} = \rho \left[ \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^3 u_i \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right]$$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial \sigma_{ij}}{\partial x_i} - \rho g \frac{\partial z_{el}}{\partial x_j} = \rho \left[ \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^3 u_i \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right], \quad \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_i} = 0$$


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$$\sigma_{ij} = -p\delta_{ij} + 2\mu D_{ij} = -p\delta_{ij} + \mu \left( \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right), \quad \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial \sigma_{ij}}{\partial x_i} = -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_j} + \mu \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial^2 u_j}{\partial x_i \partial x_i}$$


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$$\therefore -\frac{\partial (p + \rho g z_{el})}{\partial x_j} + \mu \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial^2 u_j}{\partial x_i \partial x_i} = \rho \left[ \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^3 u_i \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right], \quad \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_i} = 0$$

$$\left[ \text{Vector form: } -\nabla(p + \rho g z_{el}) + \mu \nabla^2 \mathbf{u} = \rho \left[ \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{u} \right], \quad \nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0 \right]$$

## ***Statistically Steady Turbulent Flow:***

Velocity field  $u_j = \bar{u}_j(x_1, x_2, x_3) + u'_j(x_1, x_2, x_3, t)$  ;

Mean flow field:  $\bar{u}_j(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \langle u_j(x_1, x_2, x_3, t) \rangle$

Fluctuation field:  $u'_j(x_1, x_2, x_3, t)$ ;  $\langle u'_j(x_1, x_2, x_3, t) \rangle = 0$

$$\langle u_i u_j \rangle = \bar{u}_i \bar{u}_j + \langle u'_i u'_j \rangle$$

$$-\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_j} - \rho g \frac{\partial z_{el}}{\partial x_j} + \mu \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left( \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} \right) = \rho \left[ \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial t} + \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial (u_i u_j)}{\partial x_i} \right]$$

when time-averaged becomes

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{\partial \bar{\sigma}_{ij}}{\partial x_i} - \rho g \frac{\partial z_{el}}{\partial x_j} = \rho \sum_{i=1}^3 \bar{u}_i \frac{\partial \bar{u}_j}{\partial x_i}, \quad \text{where}$$

$$\bar{\sigma}_{ij} = -\bar{p} \delta_{ij} + \mu \left( \frac{\partial \bar{u}_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial \bar{u}_j}{\partial x_i} \right) - \rho \langle u'_i u'_j \rangle \quad (\text{last term: } \mathbf{Reynolds stress})$$

*vonKarman - Prandtl law of the wall*

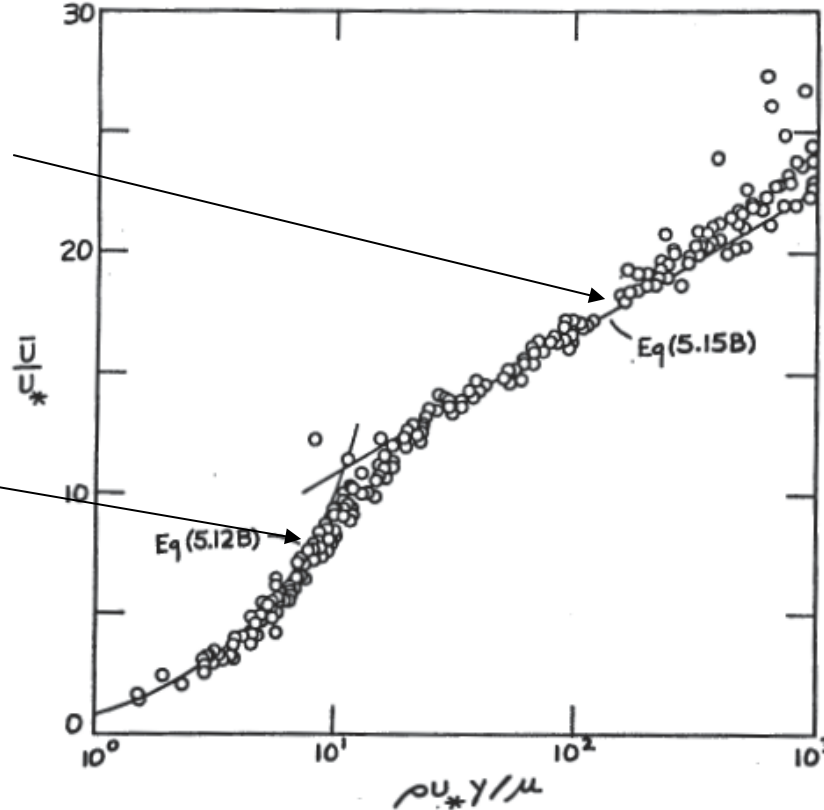
$$\frac{\bar{u}}{u^*} \approx \frac{1}{0.40} \ln\left(\frac{\rho u^* y}{\mu}\right) + 5.5$$

(smooth wall version)

$$\frac{\bar{u}}{u^*} = \frac{\rho u^* y}{\mu}$$

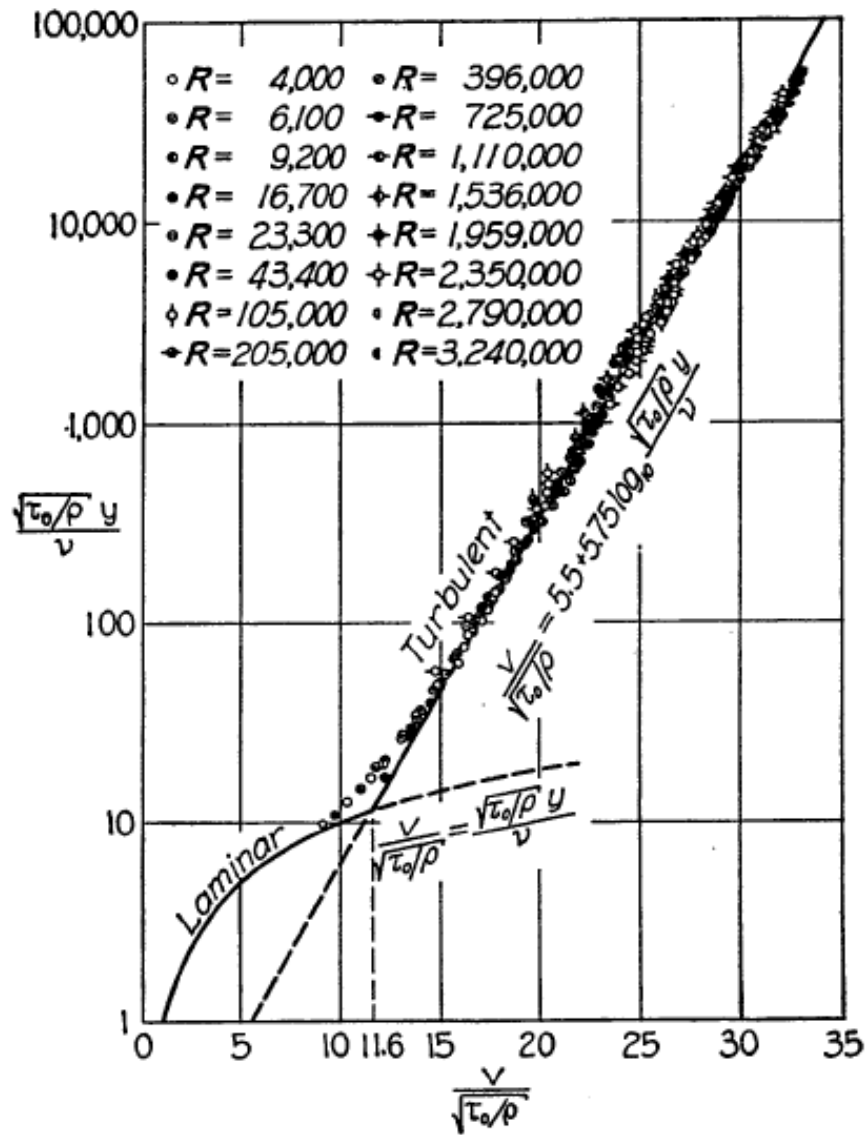
$$\left(\bar{u} = \frac{\tau_{wall}}{\mu} y\right)$$

$$\left(u^* \equiv \sqrt{\frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho}}\right)$$



Middleton  
and Southard,  
*Mechanics  
of Sediment  
Movement*,  
1984

Figure 5.13 Plot of  $\bar{u}/u^*$ , ratio of local time-average velocity to shear velocity, against the logarithm of  $\rho u^* y/\mu$ , dimensionless distance from the boundary, for the inner layer over smooth boundaries. This plot represents the complete law of the wall for dynamically smooth turbulent boundary layers. Equations (5.12B) and (5.15B), for the viscosity-dominated and turbulence-dominated parts of the inner layer, are given by the solid curves. Data points are from several sources, and cover a fairly wide range of mean-flow Reynolds numbers and various outer-layer flow geometries. The intersection of Equations (5.12B) and (5.15B) at  $\delta'$  is discussed in the text.



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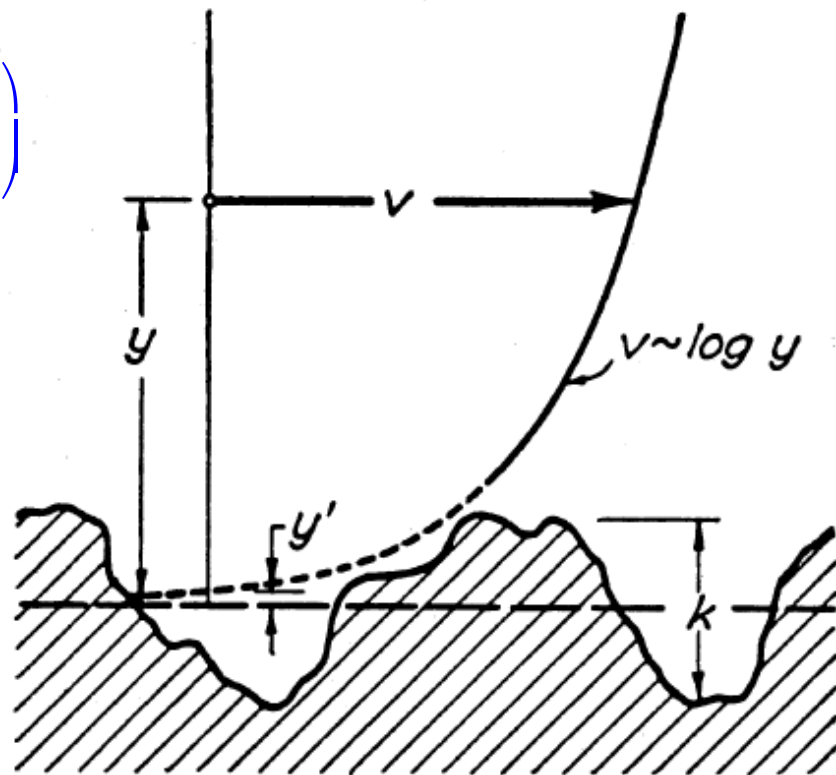
FIG. 102. Experimental verification of the Kármán-Prandtl equation for the velocity distribution near a smooth boundary.

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$$\frac{\bar{u}}{u^*} \approx \frac{1}{0.40} \ln\left(\frac{30y}{k}\right)$$

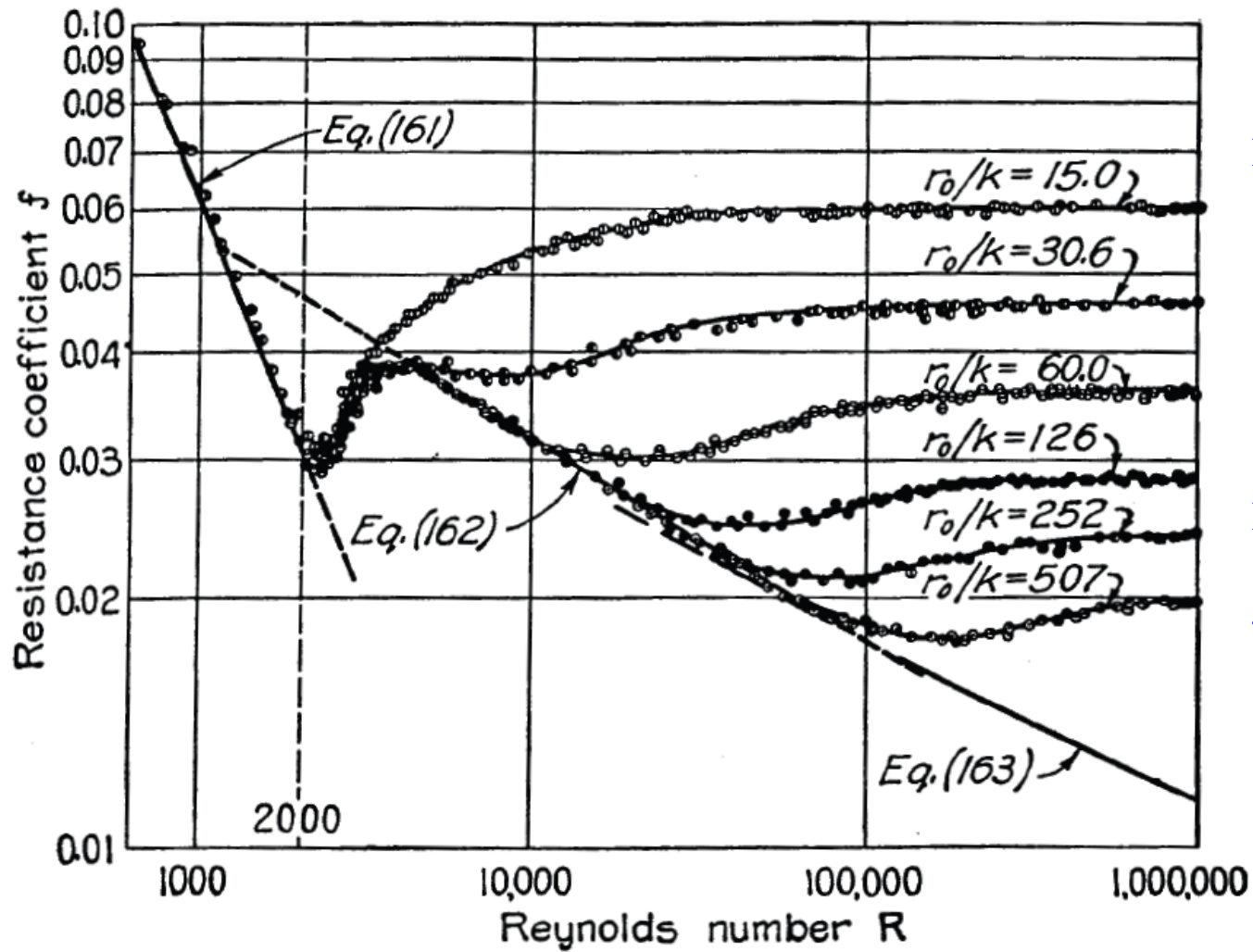
(rough wall version)

$$\left( u^* \equiv \sqrt{\frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho}} \right)$$



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FIG. 103. Definition sketch for evaluating the relative magnitude of boundary roughness.



Darcy-Wiesbach  
friction factor  $f$  :

$$f = \frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho U^2 / 8}$$

In pipe flow:

$$f = \frac{Diam}{Length} \frac{\Delta p}{\rho U^2 / 2}$$

FIG. 108. Variation of the resistance coefficient with the Reynolds number for artificially roughened pipes. ( $r_0$  = pipe radius,  $k$  = roughness)

Gioia & Chakraborty [*PRL*, 2006] replot of Johann Nikuradse [1933] pipe-flow data

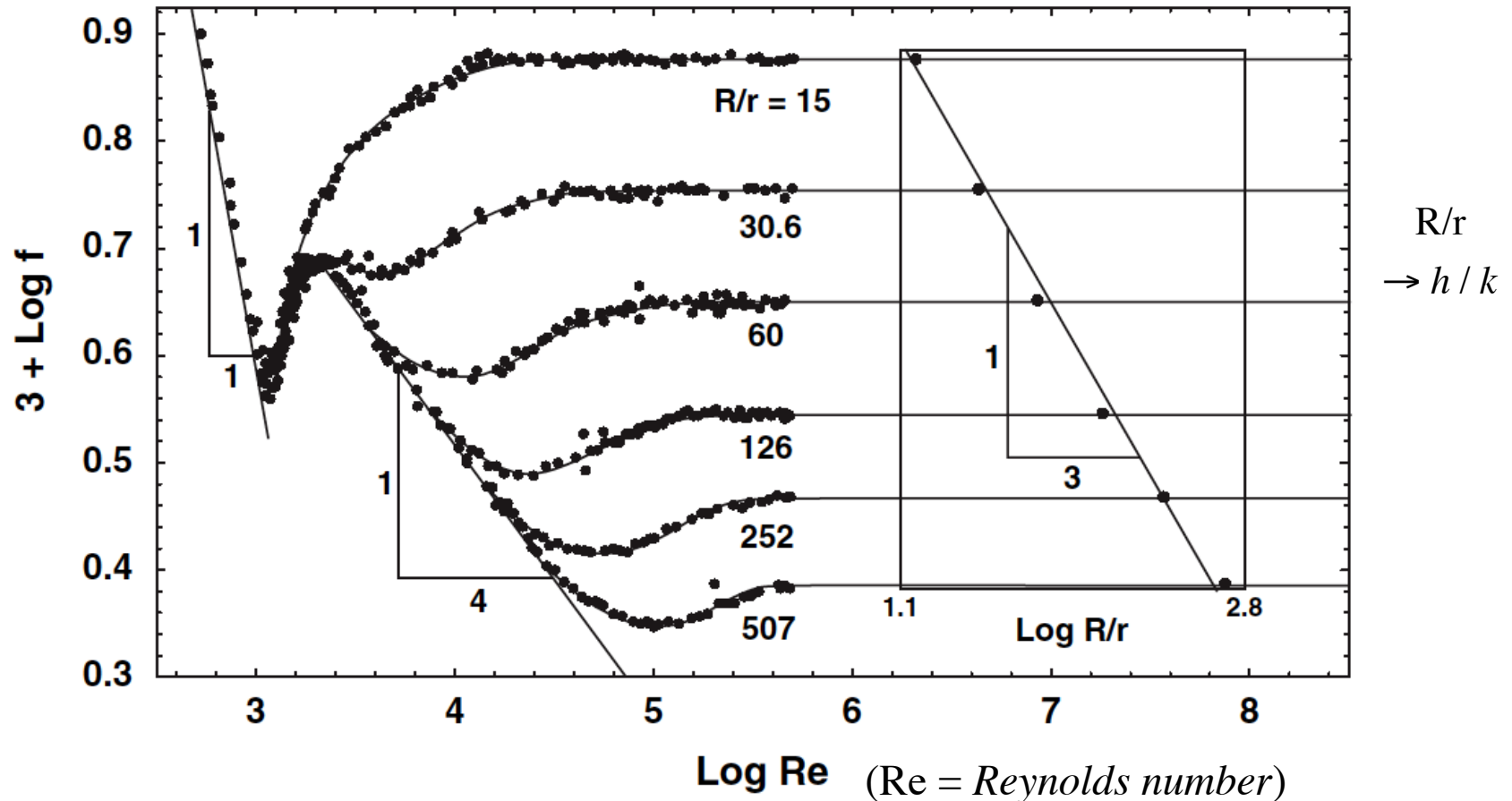


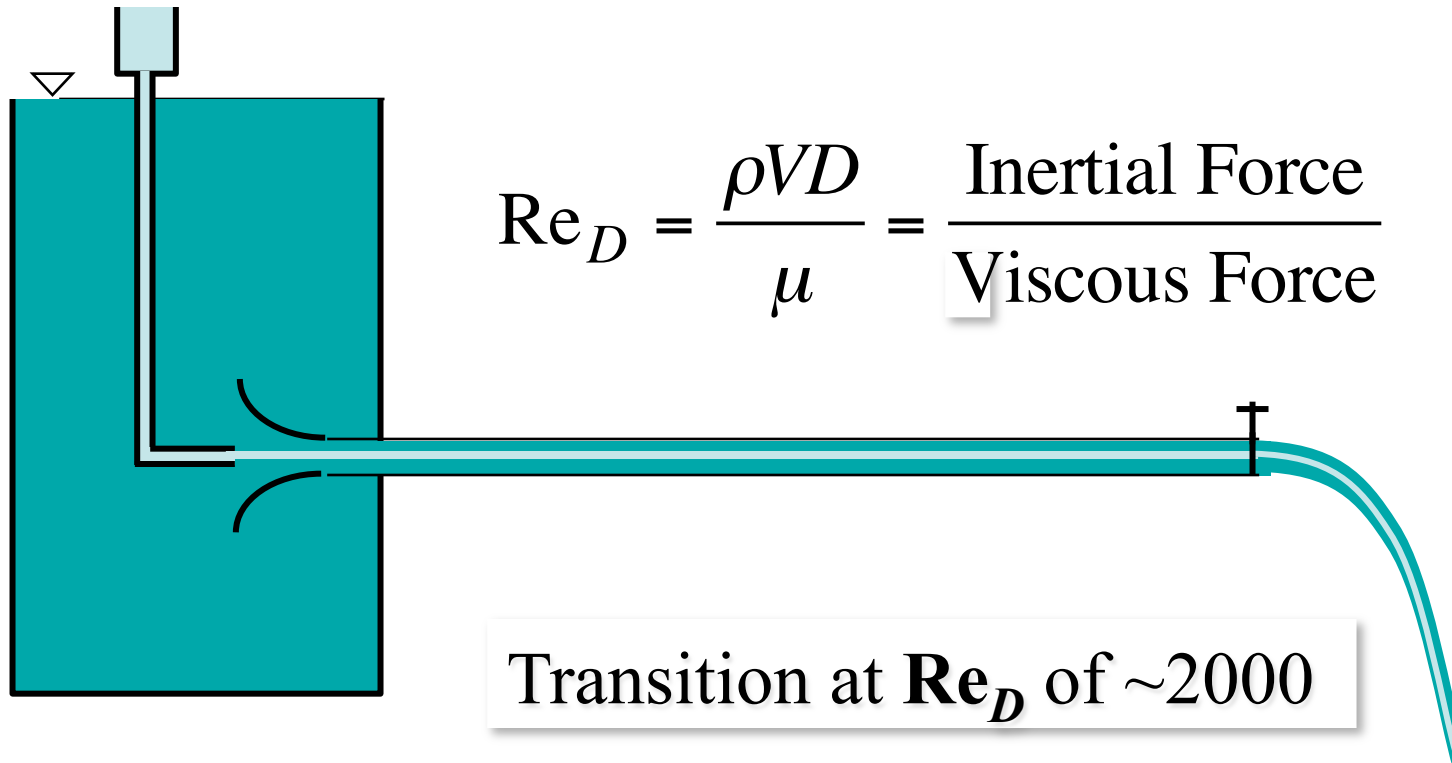
FIG. 1. Nikuradse's data. Up to a  $Re$  of about 3000 the flow is streamlined (free from turbulence) and  $f \sim 1/Re$ . Note that for very rough pipes (small  $R/r$ ) the curves do not form a belly at intermediate values of  $Re$ . Inset: verification of Strickler's empirical scaling for  $f$  at high  $Re$ ,  $f \sim (r/R)^{1/3}$ .

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# Laminar and Turbulent Flows

- Reynolds apparatus



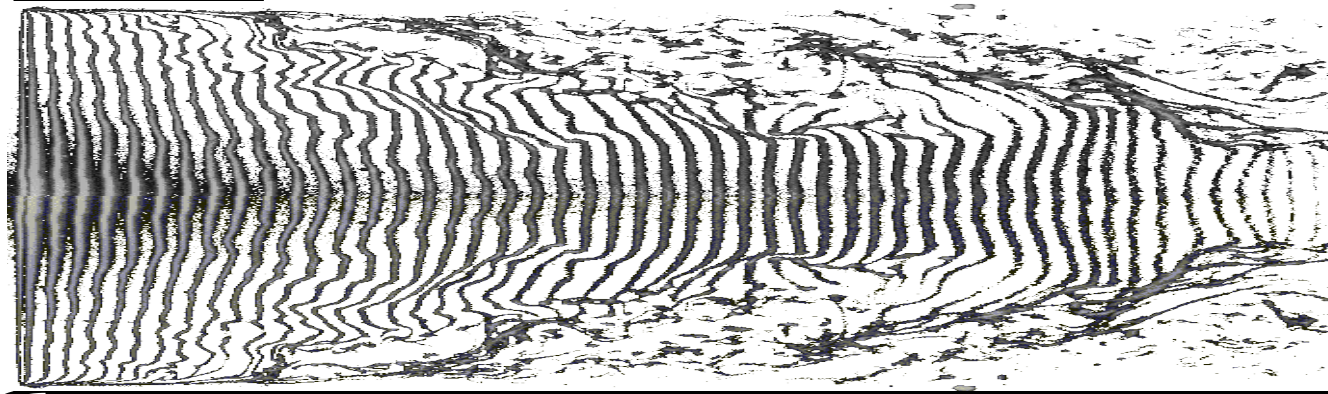
# Boundary layer growth: Transition length

What does the water near the pipeline wall experience?

Drag or shear

Why does the water in the center of the pipeline speed up?  
Conservation of mass

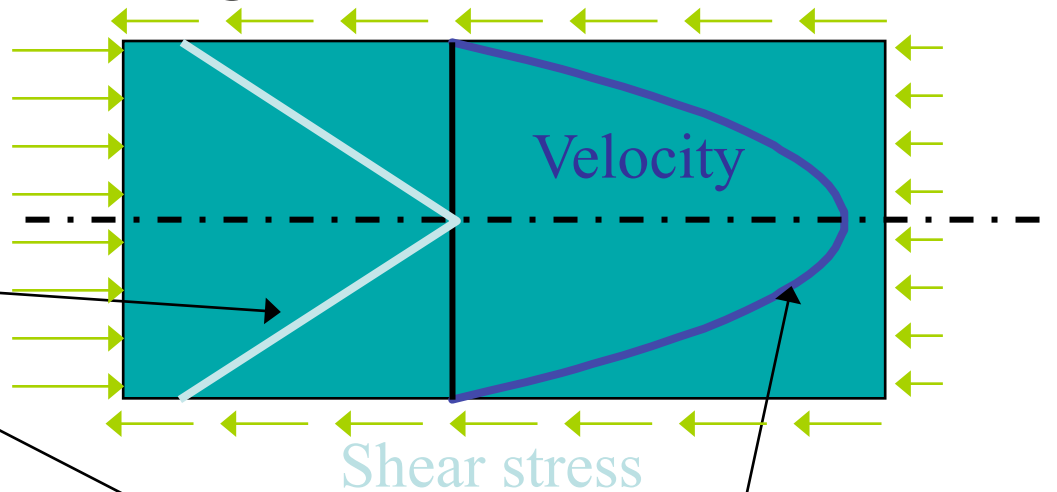
Pipe  
Entrance



Non-Uniform Flow

Need equation for entrance length here

# Flow through Circular Tubes: Diagram



$$\tau = \frac{r}{2} \frac{d}{dx} (p + \gamma z_{el})$$

$$= -r \left( \frac{\gamma h_l}{2L} \right)$$

$$h_l \equiv \left( \frac{p}{\gamma} + z_{el} \right)_{x=0} - \left( \frac{p}{\gamma} + z_{el} \right)_{x=L}$$

Shear stress

at the wall:  $\tau_{wall} = -\frac{\gamma h_l d}{4l}$

$\tau$  expressions  
same for  
laminar or  
turbulent flow

Flow velocity,  
*laminar case:*

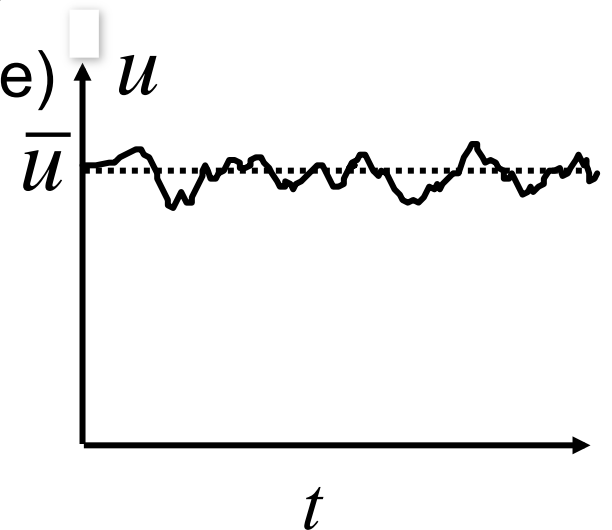
$$\frac{du}{dr} = \frac{\tau}{\mu} = \frac{r}{2\mu} \frac{d}{dx} (p + \gamma z_{el}) \Rightarrow u = -\frac{a^2 - r^2}{4\mu} \frac{d}{dx} (p + \gamma z_{el})$$

# Turbulence

- A characteristic of the flow.
- How can we characterize turbulence?
  - intensity of the velocity fluctuations
  - size of the fluctuations (length scale)

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

↑                    ↑                    ↑  
instantaneous    mean                    velocity  
velocity            velocity                fluctuation



# Turbulence: Flow Instability

- In turbulent flow (high Reynolds number) the force leading to stability ( viscosity ) is small relative to the force leading to instability ( inertia ).
- Any disturbance in the flow results in large scale motions superimposed on the mean flow.
- Some of the kinetic energy of the flow is transferred to these large scale motions (eddies).
- Large scale instabilities gradually lose kinetic energy to smaller scale motions.
- The kinetic energy of the smallest eddies is dissipated by viscous resistance and turned into heat. (= head loss)

# Velocity Distributions

- Turbulence causes transfer of momentum from center of pipe to fluid closer to the pipe wall.
- Mixing of fluid (transfer of momentum) causes the central region of the pipe to have relatively constant velocity (compared to laminar flow)
- Close to the pipe wall eddies are smaller (size proportional to distance to the boundary)

# Turbulent Flow Velocity Profile

$$\tau \neq \mu \frac{du}{dy}$$

Turbulent shear is from momentum transfer

$$\tau = \eta \frac{du}{dy}$$

$\eta =$  eddy viscosity

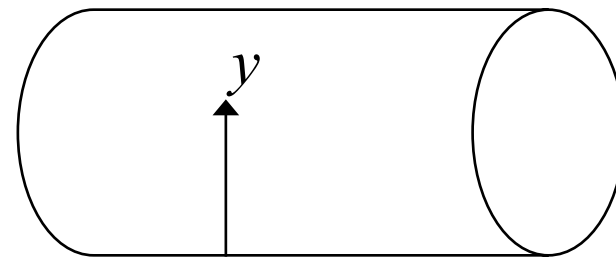
Length scale and velocity fluctuation of “large” eddies

$$\eta \propto \rho l_I u_I$$

$$u_I \propto l_I \frac{du}{dy}$$

Dimensional reasoning

$$\eta \propto \rho l_I^2 \frac{du}{dy}$$



# Turbulent Flow Velocity Profile

$$\tau = \eta \frac{du}{dy}$$

$$\eta \propto \rho l_I^2 \frac{du}{dy}$$

$$l_I = \kappa y$$

Size of the eddies increases as we move further from the wall.

$$\eta = \rho \kappa^2 y^2 \frac{du}{dy}$$

$\kappa = 0.4$  (from fitting to experiments)

$$\tau = \rho \kappa^2 y^2 \left( \frac{du}{dy} \right)^2$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\tau}{\rho}} = \kappa y \left( \frac{du}{dy} \right)$$

# Log Law for Turbulent, Established Flow, Velocity Profiles near Wall (Law of the Wall)

$$\sqrt{\frac{\tau}{\rho}} = \kappa y \left( \frac{du}{dy} \right)$$

$$\frac{u}{u_*} = \frac{1}{\kappa} \ln \frac{yu_*}{\nu} + 5.5$$

Integration and empirical results ( $\kappa = 0.4$ )

$$u_* = \sqrt{\frac{\tau_{wall}}{\rho}}$$

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

$$u_* \approx u_I$$

