# Chapter (10) Flow in conduits

SUMMARY

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#### **Developing Flow and Fully Developed Flow**



<u>Developing flow</u> is the region whereby the velocity profile is changing, hence wall shear stress changes as well. <u>Flow non-uniform</u>.

<u>Developed flow</u> is the region whereby the velocity profile is constant, hence wall shear stress remain constant. <u>Flow uniform.</u>

#### Shear Stress Distribution in a Pipe Flow



#### **Velocity Profile In A Laminar Flow**

$$V = \frac{r_0^2 - r^2}{4\mu} \left[ -\frac{d}{ds} (p + \gamma z) \right] = -\left( \frac{r_0^2 - r^2}{4\mu} \right) \left( \frac{\gamma \Delta k}{\Delta L} \right)$$

The maximum velocity occurs at  $r = r_0$ 

$$V_{\text{max}} = -\left(\frac{r_0^2}{4\mu}\right)\left(\frac{\gamma\Delta h}{\Delta L}\right)$$

Combining Eqn. (A) and Eqn. (B), we have:

$$V(r) = -\left(\frac{r_0^2 - r^2}{4\mu}\right) \left(\frac{\gamma \Delta h}{\Delta L}\right) = V_{\max} \left(1 - \left(\frac{r}{r_0}\right)^2\right)$$

Volume Flow

$$Q = \frac{\pi r_0^4}{8\mu} \left[ -\frac{d}{ds} (p + \gamma z) \right]$$

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Eqn. (A)

Eqn. (B)

## Head Loss In A Laminar Flow

Head Loss 
$$h_f = \frac{32\mu LV}{\gamma D^2}$$

(10.17)

Here the bar over the V has been omitted to conform to the standard practice of denoting the mean velocity in one-dimensional flow analyses by V without the bar.

Equation above shows that Head Loss in Laminar Flow varies Linearly with Velocity

#### Head Loss in Laminar Flow is influenced by:

- 1. Viscosity.
- 2. Pipe length.
- 3. Specific weight.
- 4. Pipe diameter.

#### Velocity Distribution in a <u>Smooth Pipe</u> for Turbulent Flow

The time-average velocity distribution is often described using an equation called the power-law formula.

$$\frac{u(r)}{u_{\max}} = \left(\frac{r_0 - r}{r_0}\right)^m$$

2. Turbulent Boundary Layer, Logarithmic Velocity Equations

$$\frac{u}{u_{*}} = 2.44 In \frac{u_{*}(r - r_{0})}{n} + 5.56$$

$$\frac{100}{n} < \frac{u_{*}(r - r_{0})}{n} < 500$$

#### Velocity Distribution in a <u>Rough Pipe</u> for Turbulent Flow

$$\frac{u}{u_*} = 5.75 \log \frac{y}{k} + B$$

Y = Distance from rough wall.

K = Height of the roughness.

B = Function of type, concentration and size variation of the roughness.

<u>Nikusadse</u> carried out a number of tests on flow in pipes that were roughened with <u>uniform sized sand grain</u>. The results were plotted graphically as shown in the next slide

<u>Nikusadse</u> found out from these tests on flow in pipes that (B=8.5)

(10.25)



#### The results from Nikusadse's graph shows the followings:

Table 10.3 EFFECTS OF WALL ROUGHNESS		
Type of Flow	Parameter Ranges	Influence of Parameters on $f$
		f depends on Reynolds number
Laminar Flow	Re < 2000 NA	f is independent of wall roughness (k <sub>5</sub> /D)
		f depends on Reynolds number
Turbulent Flow, Smooth Tube	$\operatorname{Re} > 3000 \left(\frac{k_s}{D}\right) \operatorname{Re} < 10$	$f$ is independent of wall roughness $(k_{S}/D)$
		f depends on Reynolds number
Transitional Turbulent Flow	$\operatorname{Re} > 3000$ $10 < \left(\frac{k_5}{D}\right) \operatorname{Re} < 1$	$f$ depends on wall roughness $(k_5/D)$
		f is independent of Reynolds number
Fully Rough Turbulent Flow	$\frac{\text{Re} > 3000}{\left(\frac{k_s}{D}\right)} \text{Re} > 1000$	$f$ depends on wall roughness $(k_5/D)$
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Head Loss in Pipes

Combined (total) Head Loss

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Pipe Head Loss (major) + Component Head Loss minor)

<u>Component head loss</u>: is associated with flow through devices such as devices, bends, and tees and is called <u>Minor Head Loss</u>.

<u>Pipe head loss</u>: is associated with <u>fully developed flow</u> in conduits and is <u>called major head loss</u>. This loss is predicted with the <u>Darcy-Weisbach equation</u>.

#### **Darcy-Weisbach Equation**



- 2. Applies for Laminar & Turbulent flow.
- 3. Applies for either round pipes or non round pipes.

Friction factor

2g

 $f \equiv$ 

 $h_{f}$ 

$$\frac{(4 \cdot \tau_0)}{(\rho V^2/2)} \approx \frac{\text{shear stress acting at the wall}}{\text{kinetic pressure}}$$



From the previous slide, the problems for uniform flow in a pipe can be summarized as shown in the table below:







### **GRADE LINES**









# Pipe in Parallel



Head Loss = 
$$h_L = (\frac{p_1}{g} + z_1) - (\frac{p_2}{g} + z_2)$$

*Eqn.*(10.16), *page*(373)

$$\begin{aligned} h_{L_1} &= h_{L_2} \\ f_1 \frac{L_1}{D_1} \frac{V_1^2}{2g} &= f_2 \frac{L_2}{D_2} \frac{V_2^2}{2g} \\ \left(\frac{V_1}{V_2}\right)^2 &= \frac{f_2 L_2}{f_1} \frac{D_1}{L_1} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{V_1}{V_2} &= \left(\frac{f_2 L_2}{f_1} \frac{D_1}{L_1}\right)^{1/2} \end{aligned}$$

Then





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