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Inviscid Shear Flows

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Inviscid Flows

Outline

- Inviscid sheared flows
- Flow over a cylinder in slightly sheared flows
- Perturbation solution

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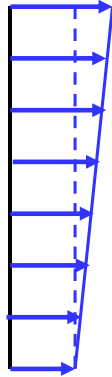
Inviscid Shear Flows

Flow with a slight shear

$$u = U_\infty \left(1 + \frac{\varepsilon y}{R}\right)$$

$$\psi = U_\infty \left(y + \frac{\varepsilon y^2}{2R}\right)$$

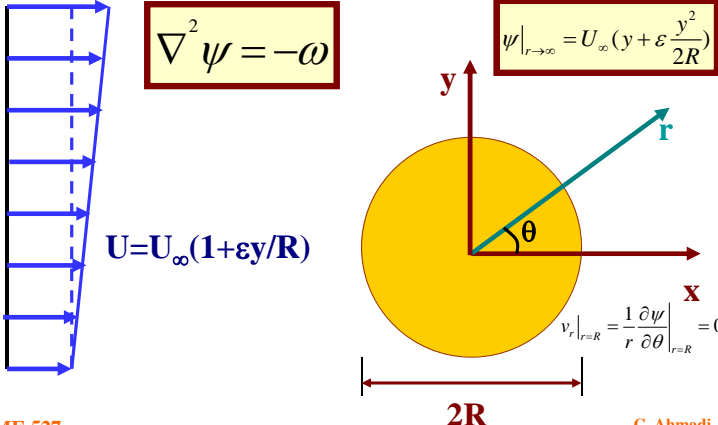
$$\omega = -\nabla^2 \psi = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\varepsilon U_\infty}{R}$$



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$$\nabla^2 \psi = -\omega$$

$$\psi|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = U_\infty \left(y + \varepsilon \frac{y^2}{2R}\right)$$

$$v_r|_{r=R} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \theta} \Big|_{r=R} = 0$$

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$$\nabla^2 \psi = -\omega = \frac{\epsilon U_\infty}{R}$$

$$\psi|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = U_\infty \left(y + \frac{\epsilon y^2}{2R} \right)$$

$$= U_\infty \left[r \sin \theta + \frac{\epsilon r^2}{4R} (1 - \cos 2\theta) \right]$$

$$v_r|_{r=R} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial \theta} \Big|_{r=R} = 0$$

$U = U_\infty(1 + \epsilon y/R)$

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Perturbation solution

$$\psi = \psi_0 + \epsilon \psi_1 + \epsilon^2 \psi_2 + \dots$$

$$\nabla^2 \psi_0 + \epsilon \nabla^2 \psi_1 = \frac{\epsilon U_\infty}{R}$$

$$\epsilon^0 \rightarrow \nabla^2 \psi_0 = 0$$

BC

$$\psi_0|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = U_\infty r \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \psi_0}{\partial \theta} \Big|_{r=R} = 0$$

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Perturbation solution

$$\epsilon^1 \rightarrow \nabla^2 \psi_1 = \frac{U_\infty}{R}$$

BC

$$\psi_1|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = \frac{U_\infty r^2}{4R} (1 - \cos 2\theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial \psi_1}{\partial \theta} \Big|_{r=R} = 0$$

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Perturbation Solution

$$\nabla^2 \psi_0 = 0$$

BC

$$\psi_0|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = U_\infty r \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \psi_0}{\partial \theta} \Big|_{r=R} = 0$$

$$\psi_0 = U_\infty \left(r - \frac{a^2}{r} \right) \sin \theta$$

$$\psi_0|_{r=R} = 0$$

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Perturbation solution

$$\nabla^2 \psi_1 = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial \psi_1}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 \psi_1}{\partial \theta^2} = \frac{U_\infty}{R}$$

Let

$$\psi_1 = \frac{U_\infty r^2}{4R} (1 - \cos 2\theta) + \phi_1$$

$$\frac{U_\infty}{R} (1 - \cos 2\theta) + \frac{U_\infty}{R} \cos 2\theta + \nabla^2 \phi_1 = \frac{U_\infty}{R}$$

$$\nabla^2 \phi_1 = 0$$

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$$\nabla^2 \phi_1 = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial \phi_1}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi_1}{\partial \theta^2} = 0$$

BC

$$\phi_1|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = \text{Const}$$

$$\phi_1|_{r=R} = -\frac{U_\infty R}{4} (1 - \cos 2\theta)$$

Let

$$\phi_1 = \frac{U_\infty R}{4} [-1 + g(r) \cos 2\theta]$$

BC

$$\nabla^2 \phi_1 = \left[\frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dr} \left(r \frac{dg}{dr} \right) - \frac{4g}{r^2} \right] \cos 2\theta = 0$$

$$g|_{r \rightarrow \infty} = U_\infty r$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{d^2 g}{dr^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{dg}{dr} - \frac{4g}{r^2} = 0$$

$$g|_{r=R} = 1$$

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Let

$$g = Br^m$$

$$m(m-1) + m - 4 = 0 \quad m^2 - 4 = 0 \rightarrow m = \pm 2$$

$$g = Ar^2 + \frac{B}{r^2}$$

$$A = 0$$

$$B = R^2$$

$$g = \frac{R^2}{r^2}$$

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$$\phi_1 = \frac{U_\infty R}{4} \left[-1 + \frac{R^2 \cos 2\theta}{r^2} \right]$$

$$\psi_1 = \frac{U_\infty R}{4} \left[\frac{r^2}{R^2} (1 - \cos 2\theta) - 1 + \frac{R^2 \cos 2\theta}{r^2} \right]$$

Perturbation Solution

$$\psi = U_\infty \left(r - \frac{a^2}{r} \right) \sin \theta + \frac{\varepsilon U_\infty R}{4} \left[\frac{r^2}{R^2} (1 - \cos 2\theta) - 1 + \frac{R^2 \cos 2\theta}{r^2} \right]$$

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Concluding Remarks

- Inviscid sheared flows
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Thank you!

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