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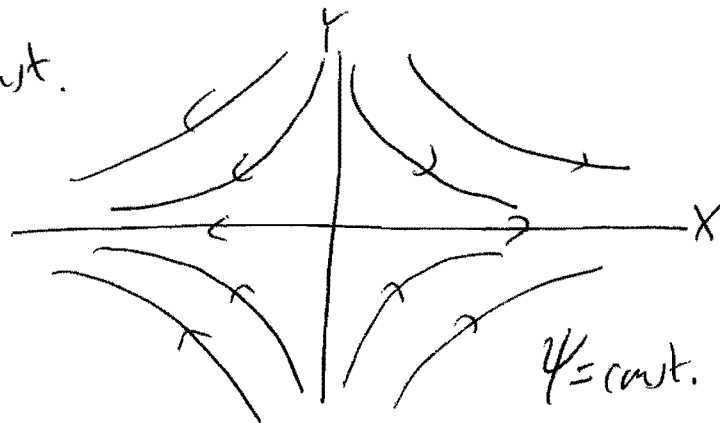
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$$1 \text{ (a) (i) } u = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} = Ax \rightarrow \psi = Ax^2 + f(y) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \underline{\psi = Ax^2} \\ v = -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = -Ay \rightarrow \psi = Ax^2 + g(y) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\}$$

(ii)  $xy = \text{const.}$



(iii) for inviscid flow the wall b/c is zero normal velocity so any stream line could be a wall — for our purposes,  $y=0$ .

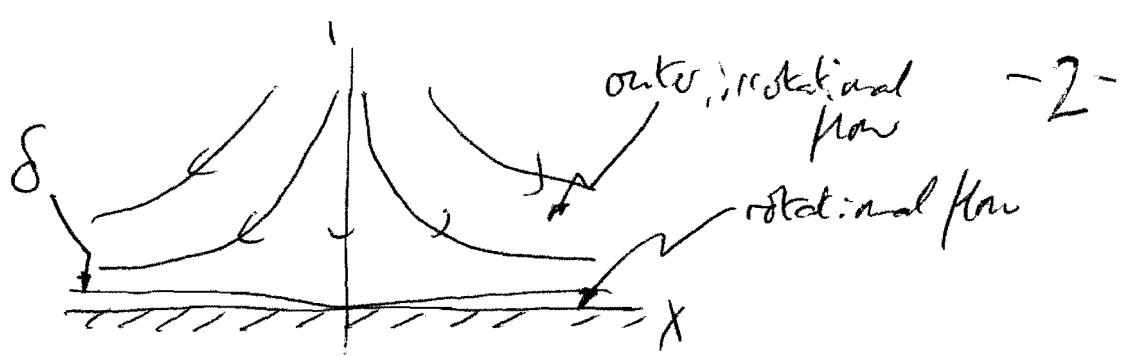
(b) (i)  $y$ -component of N-S:  $\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{dp}{dy} = \nu \nabla^2 v - uv \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} - v \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}$

If the stream function,  $\psi = x f(y)$  then

$$u = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} = x f' \quad \text{and} \quad v = -\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} = -f$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{dp}{dy} = \nu \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \right) - x f' \frac{\partial (-f)}{\partial x} - (-f) \frac{\partial (-f)}{\partial y}$$

$\therefore \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{dp}{dy} = -\nu f'' - f f'$  which is a function of  $y$  only and hence  $\frac{dp}{dx}$  is a function of  $x$  only and therefore takes the outer flow form.



Hence:  $\phi = p_0 - \frac{1}{2} \rho (Ax)^2 + (-Ay^2)$

$\psi = 0$  on wall

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{d\phi}{dx} = -A^2 x$$

(ii) Turning to the X-component of NS:

$$u \frac{du}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dy} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{d\phi}{dx} + \nu \left( \frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} + \frac{d^2 u}{dy^2} \right)$$

$$\therefore x f'^2 - x f f'' = A^2 x + \nu x f''''$$

$$\text{or } \underline{f'^2 - f f'' - \nu f'''' = A^2}$$

(c)  $u(y=\delta) = x f'(\delta) \approx A x$  and  $u(y \rightarrow \infty) = Ax$  (outer flow)

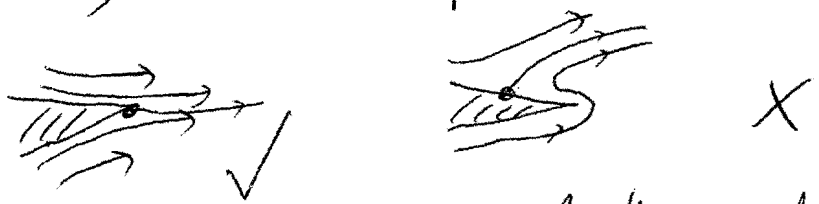
So  $\delta$  is defined by  $\frac{x f'(\delta)}{Ax} = 0.99$

$$\therefore f'(\delta) = 0.99 A$$

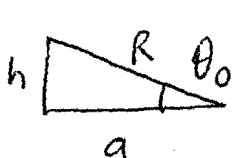
(which could be solved for  $\delta$ )

Hence,  $\delta$  is independent of  $x$  and the rotational region has constant thickness !!!

2. (a) Kutta condition: flow leaves the trailing edge smoothly, rather than passing around it, i.e.



A range of irrotational flows about a flat plate can be derived by conformal mapping of irrotational flows of varying circulation about a cylinder. The Kutta condition allows us to select a physically meaningful value for the circulation.

(b) (i)   $a = R \cos \theta_0$ ,  $h = R \sin \theta_0$  }  $a - ih = R(\cos \theta_0 - i \sin \theta_0) = R e^{-i\theta_0}$  QED.

(ii) 
$$\frac{dF}{dz} = U \left[ e^{-i\alpha} - \frac{UR^2}{(z-ih)^2} e^{+i\alpha} \right] - \frac{i\Gamma}{2\pi} \frac{1}{z-ih}$$
  
So as  $|z| \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\frac{dF}{dz} = U - iV \rightarrow U e^{-i\alpha}$ , i.e. a flow with speed  $U$  at angle  $\alpha$  to the real axis: OK ✓.  
And,  $\Gamma \rightarrow$  the circulation.

On the cylinder  $z = ih + Re^{i\theta}$  where:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} e^{i\theta} &= \cos\theta + i\sin\theta \\ e^{-i\theta} &= \cos\theta - i\sin\theta \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$F = Uih e^{-i\alpha} + UR e^{i(\theta-\alpha)} + \frac{UR^2 e^{i\alpha}}{Re^{i\theta}} - i \frac{\Gamma}{2\pi} \ln(Re^{i\theta})$$

$$= Uih \underbrace{e^{-i\alpha}}_{\cos\alpha - i\sin\alpha} + UR \underbrace{[e^{i(\theta-\alpha)} + e^{-i(\theta-\alpha)}]}_{2\cos(\theta-\alpha)} - \frac{i\Gamma}{2\pi} \ln R + \frac{\Gamma\theta}{2\pi}$$

$F = \phi + i\psi$ , so on the cylinder,  $\psi = \text{Im}(F)$

$\therefore \psi_{\text{cyl}} = U h \sin\alpha - \frac{\Gamma}{2\pi} \ln R = \text{constant} : \text{OK} \checkmark$

(iii) Conformal mapping allows us to deduce the complex potential in the  $\zeta$ -plane:

$$\frac{dF}{d\zeta} = \frac{dF}{dz} \cdot \frac{dz}{d\zeta} = \frac{dF}{dz} \left( \frac{1}{1 - a^2/\zeta^2} \right) \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } \zeta \rightarrow \pm a$$

(see (b)ii)

Kutta requires  $F'(z=a) = 0$ , i.e.

$$\frac{i\Gamma/a - ih}{2\pi} = \underbrace{UR}_{\zeta \text{ see (b)i}} \left[ e^{-i\alpha} - \frac{R^2 e^{+i\alpha}}{(a-ih)^2} \right]$$

$$\therefore \frac{i\Gamma}{2\pi} = UR [e^{-i(\alpha+\theta_0)} - e^{+i(\alpha+\theta_0)}] = -2iUR \sin(\alpha+\theta_0)$$

$$\therefore \Gamma = -4\pi UR \sin(\alpha+\theta_0) \hookrightarrow \underline{Lift} = -\rho U \Gamma$$

$$= 4\pi \rho U^2 R \sin(\alpha+\theta_0)$$

(c) At the leading edge ( $z=-a$ )  $\left|\frac{dz}{dt}\right| \rightarrow \infty$  to infinite velocities are predicted. In reality the associated extreme adverse pressure gradient would result in flow separation. In our model this is avoidable if  $F'(z=-a) = 0$  slip.

$$\text{i.e. } -2i\pi R \sin(\alpha + \theta_0) = \pi \left[ \frac{R^2}{a+ih} e^{i\alpha} - (a+ih) e^{-i\alpha} \right]$$

$$= +2i\pi R \sin(\alpha - \theta_0)$$

$$\therefore \underline{\alpha = 0}$$

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3. (a) Kelvin: In an inviscid flow, with uniform density, the circulation around a closed loop which moves with the fluid is constant  
 i.e.  $\frac{D\Gamma}{Dt} = 0$

If the flow is initially irrotational, Stokes' theorem tells us that the circulation around any closed loop is zero; Kelvin then implies that it remains so.

(b) (i) Within the bend  $\bar{u} = u_r(r)\hat{e}_r + u_\theta(r)\hat{e}_\theta$

Continuity:  $\nabla \cdot \bar{u} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dr}(ru_r) + \frac{1}{r} \frac{du_\theta}{d\theta} = 0$  independent of the azimuthal angle  $\theta$  (given)

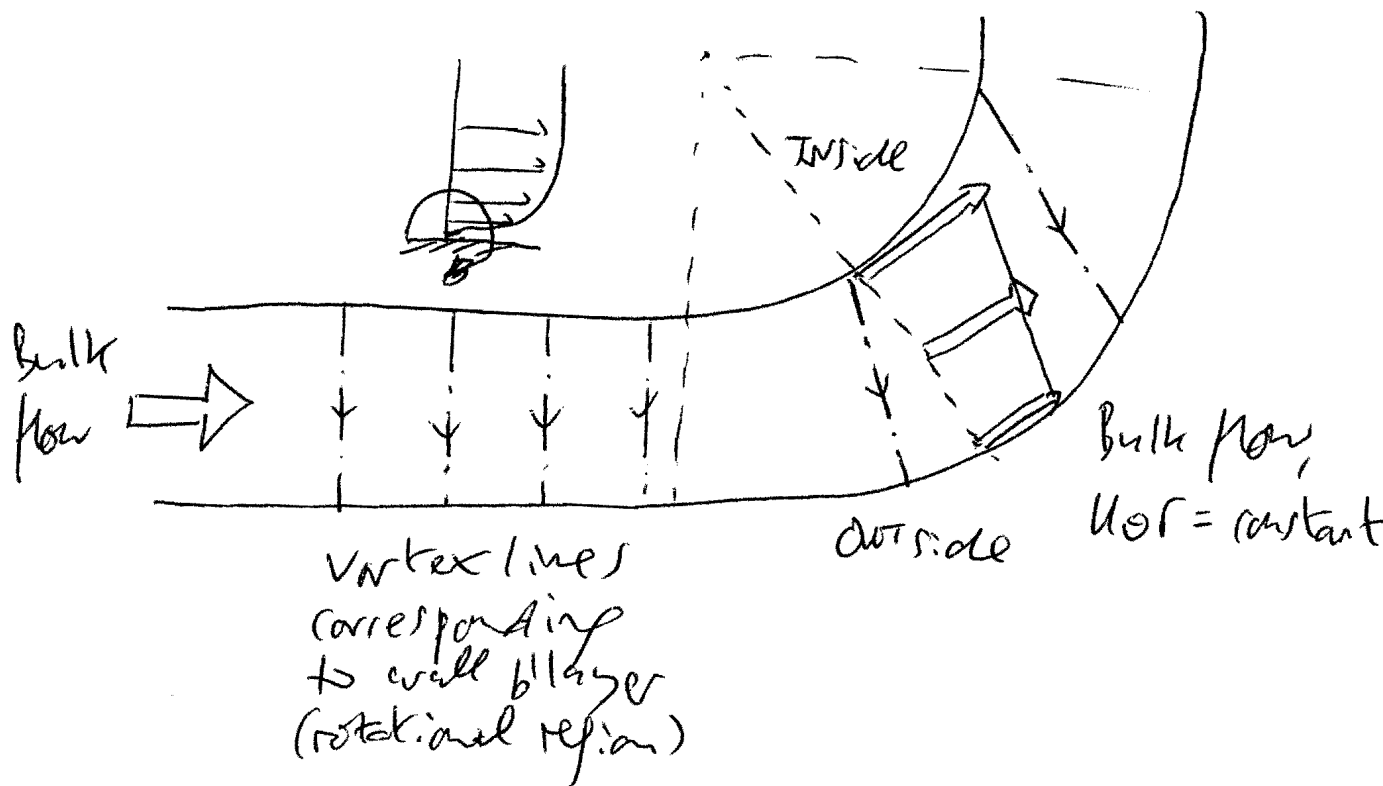
$\therefore u_r = \text{constant across bend}$ . Since  $u_r = 0$  on the inner and outer walls,  $u_r = 0$  for all  $r$ . Hence the streamlines are circular.

(ii) The bulk flow is irrotational,  $\nabla \times \bar{u} = 0$

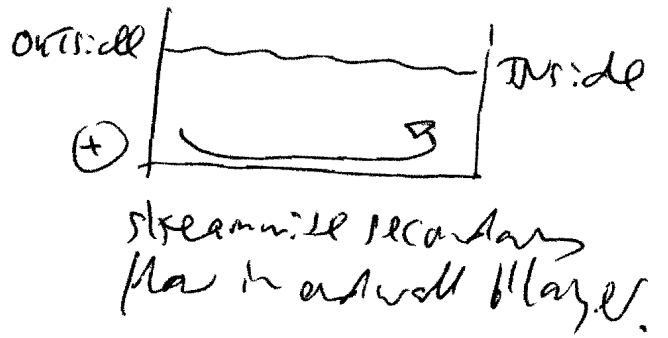
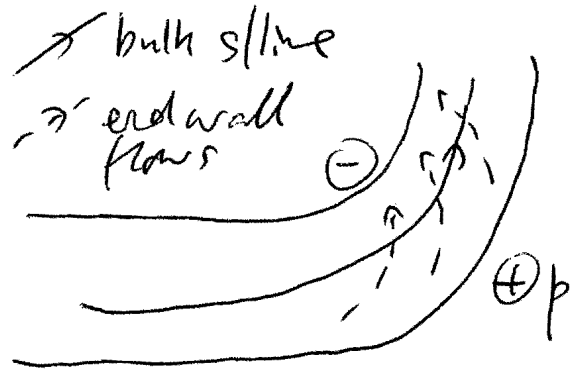
$\therefore \frac{1}{r} \left( \frac{d}{dr}(ru_\theta) - \frac{du_r}{d\theta} \right) = 0$   
0 (given)

$\therefore \underline{ru_\theta = \text{constant}}$  (as expected; see vortex)

(c)

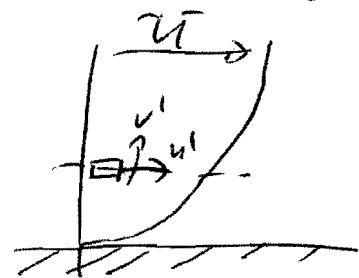


The bulk outer flow is slower than the inner ( $u_{\theta} = \omega r$ ) hence vortex lines become increasingly rotated relative to radial lines ( $D\psi/Dt = 0$ ). Thus a streamwise component of vorticity - secondary  $\Rightarrow$  flow - develops within the endwall blayer.





4. (a) Consider an element of fluid within the b' layer. The



velocity stress,  $-\bar{u}'v'$ , is negative in sign, but the stress,  $\tau$ , positive; hence:

(1)  $u' > 0, v' < 0$  is the fluid element moves faster than local mean,  $-ve v'$  pulls this higher momentum fluid towards wall

(2)  $u' < 0, v' > 0$  — " — vice versa ...

$\Rightarrow$  both cases mean that higher momentum fluid is entrained towards the wall in turbulent b' layer (have steep gradients  $\Rightarrow$  higher shear stress).

(b) (i) Near the wall,  $y \rightarrow 0$  and for zero pressure gradient the b' layer equation:

$$\bar{u} \frac{d\bar{u}}{dx} + \bar{v} \frac{d\bar{u}}{dx} = -\frac{d(\tau_w)}{dx}$$

At wall:  $\bar{u} = 0$  &  $\bar{v} = 0 \therefore \frac{d(\tau_w)}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\tau_w}{\rho} = \text{const.}$

and:  $u' = 0, v' = 0 \therefore -\rho \bar{u}'v' = 0$  hence  $\tau = \rho \mu \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy}$

Hence:  $\frac{\rho \mu d\bar{u}}{\rho dy} = \frac{\tau_w}{\rho} \Rightarrow \bar{u} = \frac{\tau_w y}{\nu} \sim u_c^2$

$\therefore \bar{u}/u_c \sim u_c y/\nu$ , viscous sublayer.

(ii) Further away from the wall the velocity profile is dominated by  $-u^+ v^+$ . The law of the wall is:

$$\frac{\bar{u}}{u_{\tau}} = f\left(\frac{u_{\tau} y^+}{\nu}\right)$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} = u_{\tau} f'\left(\frac{u_{\tau} y^+}{\nu}\right) \frac{u_{\tau}}{\nu} = \frac{u_{\tau}^2}{\nu} f'\left(\frac{u_{\tau} y^+}{\nu}\right)$$

$$\text{Given: } A = \frac{y}{u_{\tau}} \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} \Rightarrow \frac{d\bar{u}}{dy} = \frac{A u_{\tau}}{y} = \frac{u_{\tau}^2}{\nu} f'(y^+)$$

$$\therefore \frac{A \cdot \nu}{u_{\tau} y^+} = f'(y^+)$$

$y^+$ , the wall coordinate.

$$\therefore \int \frac{A}{y^+} dy^+ = \int \frac{df}{f} \cdot dy^+ \quad (\text{with } \frac{dy^+}{dy^+} \text{ cancelled...})$$

$$\text{Hence: } \underline{f\left(\frac{u_{\tau} y^+}{\nu}\right) = \frac{\bar{u}}{u_{\tau}} = A \log y^+ + C}$$

This is the so-called log law.

5. (a) The local lift coefficient  $\rightarrow$  related to the local effective angle of attack by

$$C_l(\gamma) = 2\pi \alpha_{\text{eff}} = 2\pi \left( \underbrace{\alpha}_{\text{AoA}} - \underbrace{\alpha_0(\gamma)}_{\text{TWIST}} - \underbrace{\alpha_d(\gamma)}_{\text{DOWNWASH ANGLE}} \right)$$

+ local lift,  $l = \rho U \Gamma(\gamma)$

Hence the "lifting line equation" ( $C_l = \frac{l}{\frac{1}{2} \rho U^2 c}$ )

$$\frac{\Gamma(\gamma)}{\pi U c(\gamma)} = \alpha - \alpha_0(\gamma) - \alpha_d(\gamma)$$

(b) Elliptic loading  $\Gamma(\gamma) = \Gamma_0 \left(1 - \frac{\gamma^2}{s^2}\right)^{1/2} \rightarrow \Gamma(\phi) = \Gamma_0 \sin \phi$

Downwash,  $w_d(\gamma) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{-s}^s \frac{d\Gamma}{d\gamma} \frac{d\eta}{\gamma - \eta}$  for  $\eta = -s \cos \phi$   
&  $\gamma = -s \cos \theta$

$$= \frac{\Gamma_0}{4\pi s} \int_0^\pi \frac{\cos \phi \, d\phi}{\cos \phi - \cos \theta} \quad \pi; \text{ (Lambert (PITCH))}$$

$\therefore \alpha_d = w_d = \frac{\Gamma_0}{4sU}$ , constant across span.

$$\text{Hence } \frac{\Gamma_0 \sqrt{1 - \gamma^2/s^2}}{\pi U c(\gamma)} = \alpha - \alpha_0(\gamma) - \frac{\Gamma_0}{4sU} \quad \text{constant}$$

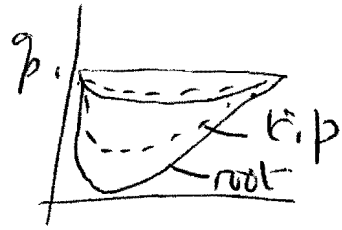
So (i) at constant twist, chord varies elliptically  
(eg.  $c(\gamma) = c_0 \sqrt{1 - \gamma^2/s^2}$  "SPITARE")

or (ii) at constant chord, twist varies elliptically.

$\therefore$  (iii) if both chord and twist are constant

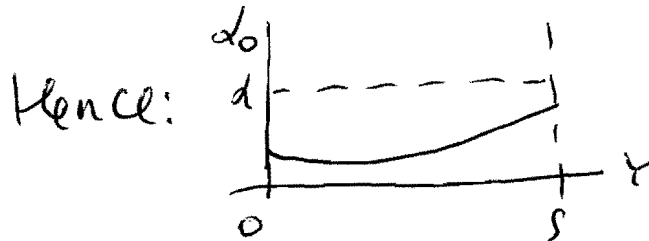
Then local  $C_l = \frac{\rho U \Gamma(y)}{\frac{1}{2} \rho U^2 c} = \frac{2\Gamma_0}{U c} \sqrt{1 - \frac{y^2}{s^2}}$

i.e. the spanwise loading variation must be derived from varying section design - as sketched



(C)  $\frac{\Gamma_0 \sqrt{1 - \frac{y^2}{s^2}}}{\pi U c_0 (1 - \frac{y}{2s})} + \frac{\Gamma_0}{4Us} = d - d_0(y)$  ;  $y=0 \rightarrow d_0 = d - \frac{\Gamma_0}{U} (\frac{1}{4s} + \frac{1}{\pi c_0})$   
 $y = \frac{s}{2} \rightarrow d_0 = d - \frac{\Gamma_0}{U} (\frac{1}{4s} + \frac{1}{\pi c_0} \cdot \frac{2}{3})$   
 $y = s \rightarrow d_0 = d - \frac{\Gamma_0}{U} (\frac{1}{c})$

Linear taper



sketched

(d) Local  $C_l = 2\pi (d - d_0 - \frac{\Gamma_0}{4Us})$   
 (constant)

$\therefore$  global  $C_L = 2\pi (d - d_0 - \frac{\Gamma_0}{4Us})$

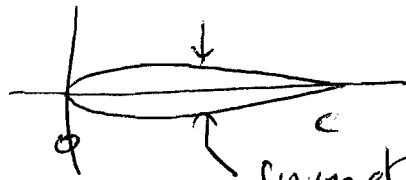
Now, total lift,  $L = \int_{-s}^{+s} \rho U \Gamma dy = \rho U \Gamma_0 \int_0^\pi \sin \theta \frac{ss \sin \theta d\theta}{dy} = \rho U \Gamma_0 \frac{\pi s}{2}$

$\therefore C_L = \frac{L}{\frac{1}{2} \rho U^2 c s} = \Gamma_0 \frac{\pi}{U c}$

$\therefore C_L = 2\pi (d - d_0) - \frac{2\pi \Gamma_0 c L}{24Us}$

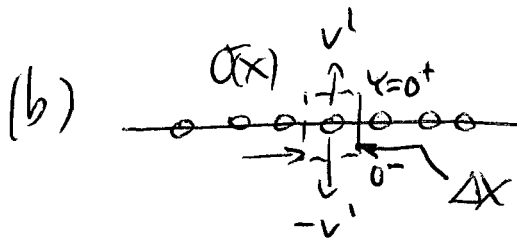
$\therefore C_L = (\frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{R}}) 2\pi (d - d_0)$  ; as  $R \rightarrow \infty$ , 2D result recovered.

6. (a)



symmetric thickness distribution,  $t(x)$

Streamlines:  $\frac{v'}{u'}|_{y=0^+} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{dt}{dx}$  ;  $\frac{v'}{u'}|_{y=0^-} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{dt}{dx}$ .



source per unit chord is  $\sigma(x)$   
so volume flow:  $\sigma \Delta x = 2v' \Delta x$

$\therefore \sigma(x) = U \frac{dt}{dx}$

(c) the  $u'$  velocity at location  $(X, 0)$  is given

by:  $u'(X, 0) = \int_0^c \frac{\sigma(x')}{2\pi(X-x')} dx'$

(d) Given the thickness distribution,  $t = c \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \tau_n \sin(n\theta)$

$X = \frac{c}{2}(1 + \cos\theta) \Rightarrow dx = -\frac{c}{2} \sin\theta d\theta$

$$u' = \int_0^{\pi} \left( \frac{Uc \sum_n \tau_n \cos(n\theta)}{\frac{-c}{2} \sin\theta} \right) \cdot \frac{dx'}{2\pi \frac{c}{2} (\cos\theta - \cos\phi)}$$

$\frac{Uc}{\pi} \sum_n \tau_n$

$X=0, \theta=\pi$   
 $X=c, \theta=0$

$$= \frac{U}{\pi} \sum_n \tau_n \left( \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\cos n\theta d\theta}{\cos\theta - \cos\phi} \right) \frac{c \sin(n\theta)}{\sin\theta}$$

Laplace (PATA)

$\therefore \frac{u'}{U} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \tau_n \frac{\sin(n\theta)}{\sin\theta}$

(c)  $\sim$  NACA 2409

$\tau_1$	$\tau_2$	$\tau_3$	$\tau_4$
+0.0780	-0.0216	-0.0017	-0.0013

(given)

		LE ( $\theta = \pi$ )	TE ( $\theta = 0$ )
$n=1$	$\frac{\sin \theta}{\sin \theta} = 1$	1	1
$n=2$	$\frac{\sin 2\theta}{\sin \theta} = 2 \cos \theta$	2	-2
$n=3$	$\frac{\sin 3\theta}{\sin \theta} = 2 \cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta$	3	3
$n=4$	$\frac{\sin 4\theta}{\sin \theta} = 4 \cos \theta (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1)$	4	-4

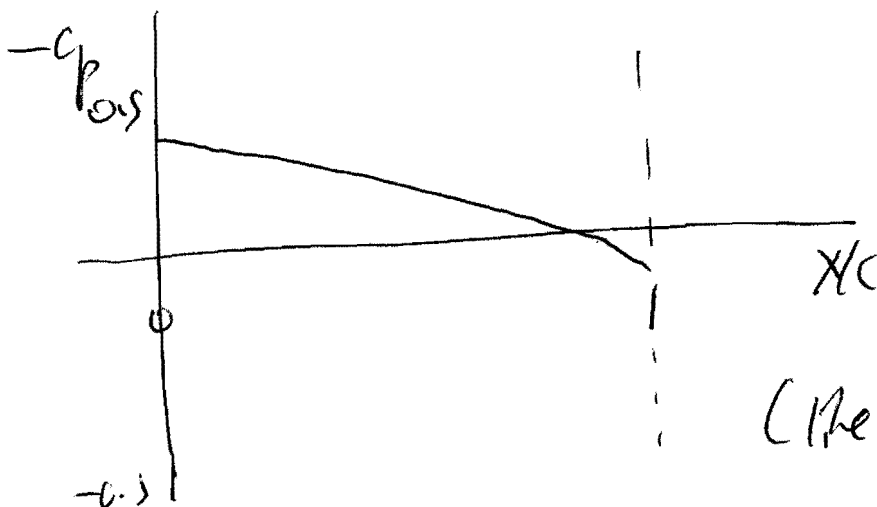
"s:downward" !!!

$$C_p = -2u' / U$$

Hence, at LE,  $\frac{u'}{U} = \frac{0.0780}{+0.1024} = 0.1859 \Rightarrow C_{p_{LE}} = -0.37$

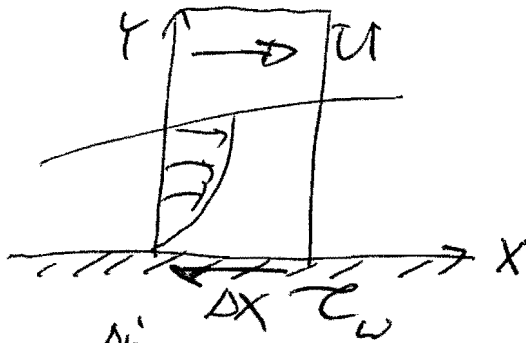
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at TE,  $\frac{u'}{U} = -0.039 \Rightarrow C_{p_{TE}} = +0.08$



(The LECTURE NOTE, FIG. 20.6)

7. (a)



Integral approach:

Mass flow:

$$\int \rho u dy \rightarrow \int \rho u dy + \frac{d}{dx} \left( \int \rho u dy \right) \Delta x \quad \therefore \Delta \dot{m} = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \int \rho u dy \right) \Delta x$$

Momentum:

$$\int \rho u^2 dy + \int \rho u dy + \overbrace{U \frac{d}{dx} \left( \int \rho u dy \right) \Delta x}^{\Delta \dot{m} U}$$

$$= \tau_w \Delta x + \int \frac{d}{dx} \rho u^2 dy \Delta x + \int \frac{d}{dx} \rho u dy \Delta x$$

$$\therefore U \frac{d}{dx} \int \rho u dy - \frac{d}{dx} \int \rho u^2 dy - \int \frac{d\rho}{dx} u dy = \tau_w$$

$U = f(x)$   $\int \rho u \frac{dU}{dx} dy$  based on free stream

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} \int U u dy - \frac{dU}{dx} \int u dy - \frac{d}{dx} \int \rho u^2 dy + \int U \frac{dU}{dx} dy = \tau_w / \rho$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int (Uu - u^2) dy + \frac{dU}{dx} \int (U - u) dy = \tau_w / \rho \quad U = f(x)$$

$$\text{Momentum flux } \delta^* = \int \left(1 - \frac{u}{U}\right) dy; \quad \theta = \int \frac{u}{U} \left(1 - \frac{u}{U}\right) dy; \quad H = \delta^* / \theta$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} (U^2 \theta) + U \delta^* \frac{dU}{dx} = \tau_w / \rho$$

$$U^2 \frac{d\theta}{dx} + \theta \frac{dU}{dx} + U H \theta \frac{dU}{dx} = \tau_w / \rho \quad ; \quad C_f = \tau_w / \frac{1}{2} \rho U^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\theta}{dx} + \frac{dU}{dx} \frac{H+2}{U} \theta = \frac{C_f}{2} \quad (\text{use DATA}).$$

(b) If:  $\frac{u}{U} = \eta(2-\eta)$  where  $\eta = Y/\delta^*$

$$\begin{aligned}\theta &= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{u}{U} \left(1 - \frac{u}{U}\right) dY = \int_0^1 (2\eta - \eta^2)(1 - 2\eta + \eta^2) \delta^* d\eta \\ &= \delta^* \int_0^1 (2\eta - 4\eta^2 + 2\eta^3 - \eta^4) d\eta \\ &= \delta^* \left[ \eta^2 - \frac{4}{3}\eta^3 + \frac{1}{2}\eta^4 - \frac{1}{5}\eta^5 \right]_0^1 = \delta^* \left(1 + 1 - \frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{5}\right) \\ &= \delta^* \frac{30 - 25 - 3}{15}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\theta}{\delta^*} = \frac{2}{15}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_w &= \mu \left. \frac{du}{dY} \right|_{Y=0} = \mu \frac{d}{d\eta} [U(2\eta - \eta^2)] \left( \frac{d\eta}{dY} \right) \frac{1}{\delta^*} \\ &= \frac{\mu U}{\delta^*} (2 - 2\eta) \Big|_{\eta=0} = \frac{2\mu U}{\delta^*}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore C_f = \frac{\tau_w}{\frac{1}{2}\rho U^2} = \frac{4 \cdot (\mu/\rho)}{U \delta^*}$$

(c) From (a)  $\frac{d\theta}{dX} = \frac{C_f}{2}$  at zero pressure gradient

Hence, from (b)  $\frac{2}{15} \frac{d\delta^*}{dX} = \frac{2 \cdot (\mu/\rho)}{U \delta^*}$

$$\therefore \int \delta^* d\delta^* = \int \frac{15 \nu}{U} dX$$

$$\therefore \delta^* \sim \sqrt{\frac{30 \nu X}{U}}$$

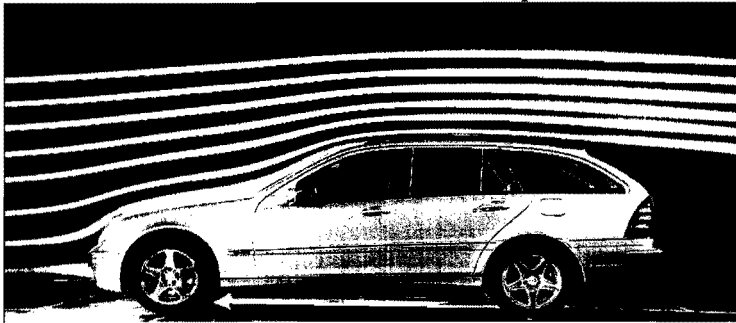


8.

Solutions (The pictures are from the lecture handout).

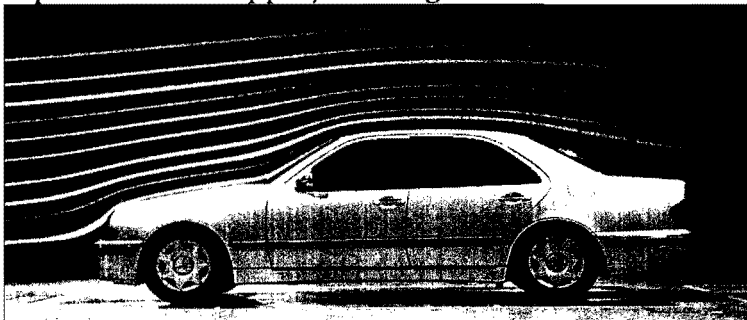
a)

**Hatchback** (the picture is of an estate, but the rear flow is the same):  
The flowfield is dominated by flow separation at the upper edge of the rear window and the whole base flow is separated:



**Saloon**

In a well-designed saloon car, the flow stays attached along the rear window and separates at the upper/rear edge of the boot lid.

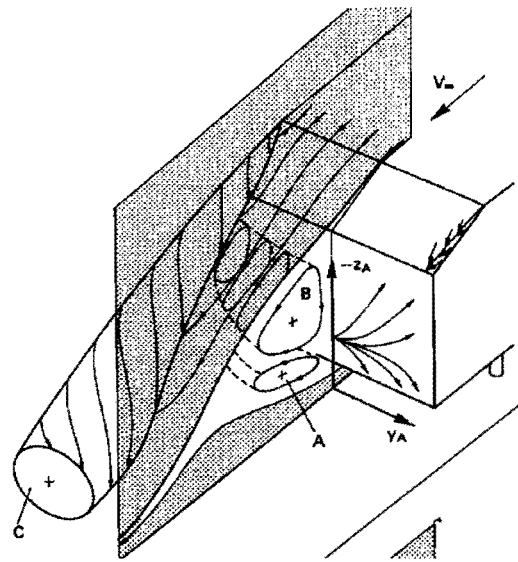
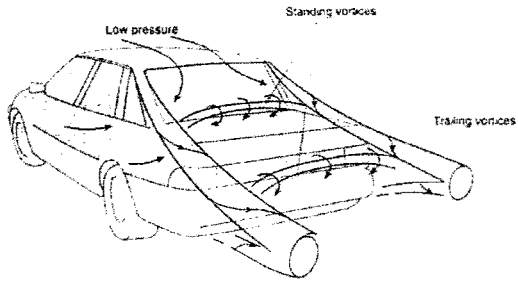


**Fastback**

In a fastback car the flow remains attached along the rear slope.



However, this typically leads to two large counter-rotating vortices (for a 'bonus point):

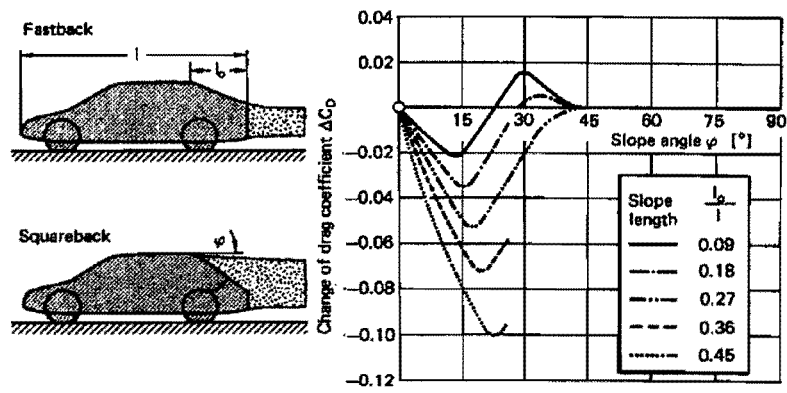


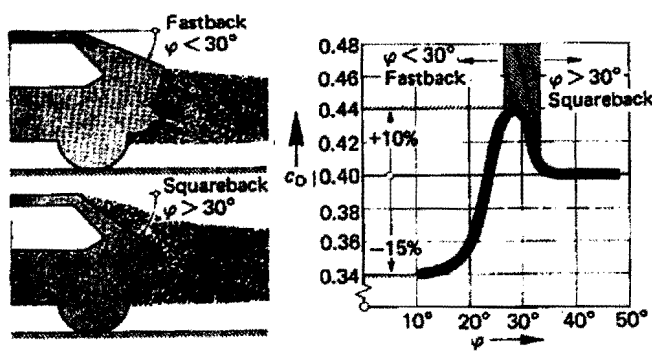
b)

- Hatchback: Large separation (at the roof line) but maximum internal volume (good for short cars). Not the best drag coefficient because of the large separation.
- Fastback: Attached flow along the rear window but possibly with strong vortices. Not good for volume (boot space), but good to excellent drag coefficient. Can have a lot of lift though, which may require spoilers in performance cars.
- Saloon: Attached flow along rear window and the boot lid. Separation at rear of boot lid. Can have vortices (but not as strong as fastback). Decent use of space through classical boot. If well designed this can give very low drag values.

c)

The angle of the rear window slope is crucial. At a slope of around 30degrees the flow changes from attached to separated:

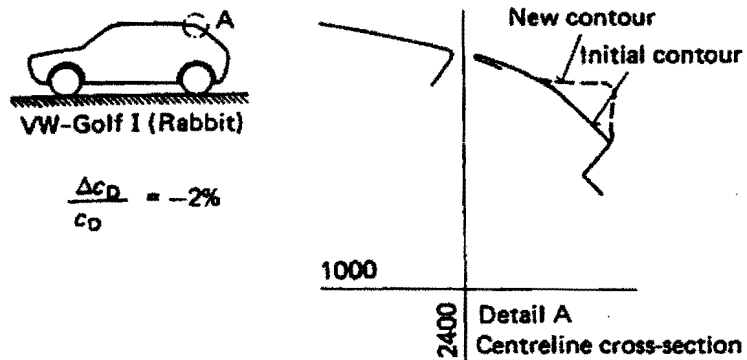




Typical angles for well-designed fastback shaped cars are around 20degrees.

d) There is usually a degree of boattailing to reduce the base area and recover some pressure. This means that the roofline drops slightly before the rear window and that the sides of the car are brought in.

In addition a distinct separation lip can help to slightly improve the base pressure (and thus reduce drag):



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