

# ME-662 CONVECTIVE HEAT AND MASS TRANSFER

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- 1 Fundamental Laws
- 2 Laws Governing Fluid Motion
- 3 Navier-Stokes Equations

# Fundamental Laws - L3( $\frac{1}{16}$ )

- 1 Law of Conservation of Mass ( Transport of Mass )
- 2 Newton's Second Law of Motion ( Transport of Momentum )
- 3 First Law of Thermodynamics ( Transport of Energy )

The first two laws define the fluid motion

The Laws are applied to an infinitesimally small *control-volume* located in a moving fluid.

# Modeling a Fluid and its Motion - L3( $\frac{2}{16}$ )

There are Two approaches

- 1 PARTICLE APPROACH
- 2 CONTINUUM APPROACH

# Particle Approach - $L3(\frac{3}{16})$

- 1 In the *Particle Approach*, the fluid is assumed to consist of particles ( molecules, atoms ) and the laws are applied to study particle motion. **Fluid motion** is then described by **statistically averaged motion of a group of particles**
- 2 For most applications arising in engineering and the environment, this approach is too cumbersome because the **significant dimensions ( L ) of the flow ( eg. Radius of a pipe or Boundary layer thickness )** are considerably bigger than the **Mean Free Path Length ( MFL )** between molecules.
- 3 The Avogadro's number specifies that at normal temperature ( 25 C ) and pressure ( 1 atm ), a gas will contain  $6.022 \times 10^{26}$  molecules per kmol. Thus in air, for example, there will be  $\simeq 2 \times 10^{16}$  molecules per  $mm^3$ . MFL is very small indeed.

# Continuum Approach - L3( $\frac{4}{16}$ )

- 1 In the *Continuum Approach*, therefore, statistical averaging is assumed to have been *already performed* and the fundamental laws are applied to portions of fluid ( or, *control-volumes* ) that contain a large number of particles.
- 2 The *information lost in averaging* must however be *recovered*.
- 3 This is done by invoking some further *auxiliary laws* and by empirical specifications of *transport properties*
  - 1 *Viscosity  $\mu$* , ( *Stokes's Stress-Strain Law* )
  - 2 *Thermal Conductivity  $k$*  ( *Fourier's Law* )
  - 3 *Mass-Diffusivity  $D$*  ( *Fick's Law* )
- 4 The transport properties are typically determined from experiments.

# Knudsen Number - L3( $\frac{5}{16}$ )

- 1 Knudsen Number  $Kn$  is defined as

$$Kn \equiv \frac{l}{L}$$

where  $l$  is MFL and  $L$  is characteristic Flow-dimension

- 2 Continuum Approach is considered valid when  $Kn < 10^{-4}$ .
- 3 In **Micro-Channels** , Particle Approach becomes necessary because  $L$  is very small.

# Control Volume Definition L3( $\frac{6}{16}$ )

- 1 **Control Volume** ( CV ) is defined as  
A region in space across the boundaries of which matter, energy and momentum may flow and, it is a region *within* which source or sink of the same quantities may prevail. Further, it is a region on which external forces may act.
- 2 In general, a CV may be large or infinitesimally small. However, consistent with the idea of a *differential in a continuum* , an infinitesimally small CV is considered.
- 3 The CV is located *within* a moving fluid. Again, two approaches are possible:
  - 1 Lagrangian Approach
  - 2 Eulerian Approach

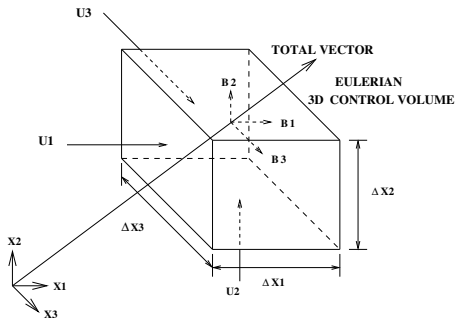


# Lagrangian/Eulerian Approach L3( $\frac{7}{16}$ )

- 1 In the *Lagrangian Approach* , the CV is considered to be **moving with the fluid as a whole**.
- 2 In the *Eulerian Approach* , the CV is assumed **fixed** in space and the fluid is assumed to flow through and past the CV.
- 3 Except when dealing with certain types of unsteady flows ( waves, for example ), the Eulerian approach is generally used for its notional simplicity.
- 4 Measurements made using **Stationary Instruments** ( Pitot Tube, Hot-wire, Laser-Doppler ) can be directly compared with the solutions of differential equations obtained using the Eulerian approach.
- 5 We shall prefer **Continuum + Eulerian Approach**

# Resolution of Total Vectors L3( $\frac{8}{16}$ )

- 1 The **fundamental laws** define *total flows* of mass, momentum and energy not only in terms of *magnitude* but also in terms of *direction*.
- 2 In a general problem of convection, neither magnitude nor direction are known *a priori* at different positions in the flowing fluid.



The problem of ignorance of direction is circumvented by resolving **velocity, force and scalar fluxes** in three directions that define the space.

# Law of Mass Conservation - I L3( $\frac{9}{16}$ )

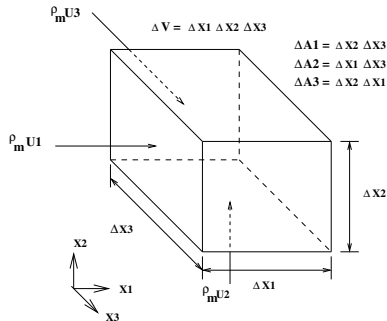
## Statement

Rate of accumulation of mass ( $\dot{M}_{ac}$ ) =  
 Rate of mass in ( $\dot{M}_{in}$ )  
 - Rate of mass out ( $\dot{M}_{out}$ )

$$\dot{M}_{ac} = \frac{\partial(\rho_m \Delta V)}{\partial t}$$

$$\dot{M}_{in} = \rho_m \Delta A_1 u_1 |_{x_1} + \rho_m \Delta A_2 u_2 |_{x_2} + \rho_m \Delta A_3 u_3 |_{x_3}$$

$$\dot{M}_{out} = \rho_m \Delta A_1 u_1 |_{x_1 + \Delta x_1} + \rho_m \Delta A_2 u_2 |_{x_2 + \Delta x_2} + \rho_m \Delta A_3 u_3 |_{x_3 + \Delta x_3}$$



$\rho_m$  = Bulk-Fluid or Mixture Density

Substitute and Divide each term by  $\Delta V$

# Law of Mass Conservation -II L3( $\frac{10}{16}$ )

$$\frac{\partial \rho_m}{\partial t} = \frac{(\rho_m u_1 |_{x_1} - \rho_m u_1 |_{x_1 + \Delta x_1})}{\Delta x_1} + \frac{(\rho_m u_2 |_{x_2} - \rho_m u_2 |_{x_2 + \Delta x_2})}{\Delta x_2} + \frac{(\rho_m u_3 |_{x_3} - \rho_m u_3 |_{x_3 + \Delta x_3})}{\Delta x_3}$$

Let  $\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, \Delta x_3 \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{\partial \rho_m}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_1)}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_2)}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_3)}{\partial x_3} = 0 \quad (1)$$

Alternate Non-Conservative Form

$$\frac{\partial \rho_m}{\partial t} + u_1 \frac{\partial \rho_m}{\partial x_1} + u_2 \frac{\partial \rho_m}{\partial x_2} + u_3 \frac{\partial \rho_m}{\partial x_3} = -\rho_m \left[ \frac{\partial u_1}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial u_3}{\partial x_3} \right]$$
$$\frac{D \rho_m}{D t} = -\rho_m \nabla \cdot \mathbf{V} \quad (2)$$

# Newton's Second Law of Motion - I L3( $\frac{11}{16}$ )

## Statement

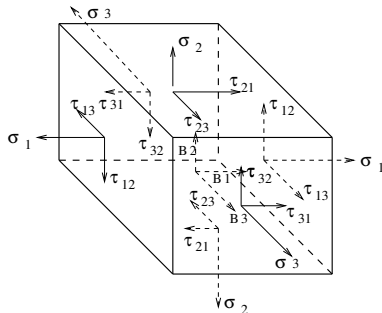
For a **Given Direction**

Rate of accumulation of momentum ( $\dot{M}_{ac}$ ) =

Rate of momentum in ( $\dot{M}_{in}$ )

- Rate of momentum out ( $\dot{M}_{out}$ )

+ Sum of forces acting on the CV ( $F_{cv}$ )



$\tau$  - shear stresses ( $N / m^2$ )

$\sigma$  - normal stresses ( $N / m^2$ )

B - Body forces ( $N / kg$ )

3 equations in 3 directions

# Newton's Second Law of Motion - II L3( $\frac{12}{16}$ )

## In Direction-1

$$Mom_{ac} = \frac{\partial(\rho_m \Delta V u_1)}{\partial t}$$

$$Mom_{in} = (\rho_m \Delta A_1 u_1) u_1 |_{x_1} + (\rho_m \Delta A_2 u_2) u_1 |_{x_2} \\ + (\rho_m \Delta A_3 u_3) u_1 |_{x_3}$$

$$Mom_{out} = (\rho_m \Delta A_1 u_1) u_1 |_{x_1 + \Delta x_1} + (\rho_m \Delta A_2 u_2) u_1 |_{x_2 + \Delta x_2} \\ + (\rho_m \Delta A_3 u_3) u_1 |_{x_3 + \Delta x_3}$$

$$F_{cv} = - (\sigma_1 |_{x_1} - \sigma_1 |_{x_1 + \Delta x_1}) \Delta A_1 \\ + (\tau_{21} |_{x_2 + \Delta x_2} - \tau_{21} |_{x_2}) \Delta A_2 \\ + (\tau_{31} |_{x_3 + \Delta x_3} - \tau_{31} |_{x_3}) \Delta A_3 \\ + \rho_m B_1 \Delta V$$

# Newton's Second Law of Motion - III L3( $\frac{13}{16}$ )

In **Direction-1** Substitute, Divide each term by  $\Delta V$  and let  $\Delta x_1, \Delta x_2, \Delta x_3 \rightarrow 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_1)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_1 u_1)}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_2 u_1)}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_3 u_1)}{\partial x_3} \\ = \frac{\partial(\sigma_1)}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial(\tau_{21})}{\partial x_2} + \frac{\partial(\tau_{31})}{\partial x_3} + \rho_m B_1 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

This is Momentum equation in  $X_1$  direction

LHS  $\equiv$  **Net Rate of Change of Momentum in  $X_1$  direction**

RHS  $\equiv$  **Net Forces in  $X_1$  direction**

Exercise: Similar procedure in Directions 2 and 3.

# Tensor Notation L3( $\frac{14}{16}$ )

## Mass Conservation equation

$$\frac{\partial(\rho_m)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_j)}{\partial x_j} = 0 \quad (4)$$

## Momentum equation in $X_i$ direction ( 3 equations )

$$\frac{\partial(\rho_m u_i)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_j u_i)}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} [\sigma_i \delta_{ij}] + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} [\tau_{ji} (1 - \delta_{ij})] + \rho_m B_i \quad (5)$$

for  $i = 1,2,3$  and  $j = 1,2,3$  ( cyclic ).  $\delta_{ij} =$  **kronecker delta**

**Closure Problem:** 4 equations and 12 unknowns

$u_i$  ( 3 ),  $\sigma_i$  ( 3 ),  $\tau_{ij}$  ( 6 )



# Stokes's Stress-Strain Laws L3( $\frac{15}{16}$ )

## 1 Shear Stress

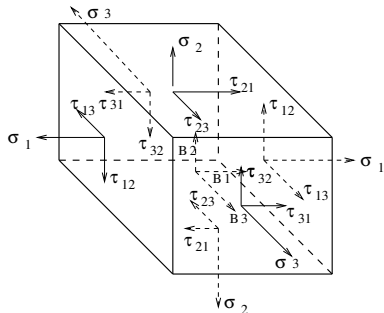
$$\tau_{ij} = \mu \left[ \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right] \quad (6)$$

## 2 Therefore, $\tau_{ij} = \tau_{ji}$ ( Complementary Stress )

## 3 Normal Stress ( Tensile )

$$\sigma_i = -p + 2\mu \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_i} \quad (7)$$

$$= -p + \tau_{ii} \quad (8)$$



Now, we have 4 equations and 4 unknowns:  
 $u_i$  ( 3 ) and  $p$ .

(8) Fluid Viscosity  $\mu$  must be supplied. [See next slide](#)

# Navier - Stokes Equations L3( $\frac{16}{16}$ )

Mass Conservation equation

$$\frac{\partial(\rho_m)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_j)}{\partial x_j} = 0 \quad (9)$$

Momentum equation in  $X_i$  direction ( 3 equations )

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_i)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_m u_j u_i)}{\partial x_j} &= - \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} \right] \\ &+ \rho_m B_i + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

These are known as **Navier - Stokes Equations** . They describe fluid motion completely.