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$$\sum \delta F_s = \rho \delta V v \frac{dv}{ds} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

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Derive the Bernoulli Equation from the Newton Second Law

Solution

Considering a fluid element following a stream line.

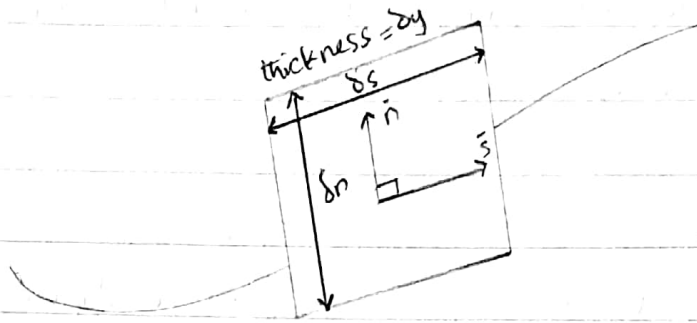


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$$\sum \delta F_s = \sum \delta W_s + \delta F_{ps}$$

$$= -\gamma \delta V \sin \theta + \frac{\partial p}{\partial s} \delta V$$

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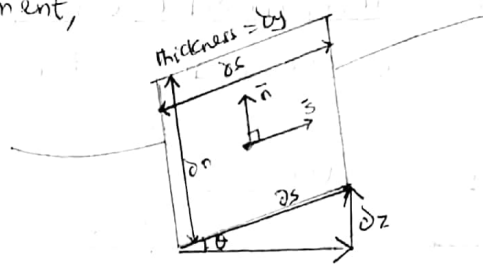
recall $\sum \delta F_s = \rho \delta V \cdot v \frac{\partial v}{\partial s}$

$$\rho \delta V v \frac{\partial v}{\partial s} = \left(-\gamma \sin \theta - \frac{\partial p}{\partial s} \right) \delta V$$

$$\rho v \frac{\partial v}{\partial s} + \gamma \sin \theta + \frac{\partial p}{\partial s} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial s} + \rho v \frac{\partial v}{\partial s} + \gamma \sin \theta = 0 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

From fluid element,



$$\sin \theta = \frac{dz}{ds}$$

Putting $\sin \theta$ into (6)

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial s} + \rho v \frac{\partial v}{\partial s} + \gamma \frac{dz}{ds} = 0$$

$$dp = \frac{\partial p}{\partial s} ds + \frac{\partial p}{\partial n} dn$$

when $dn = 0$

$$dp = \frac{\partial p}{\partial s} ds$$

$$\frac{dp}{ds} = \frac{\partial p}{\partial s}$$

Puttin $\frac{\partial p}{\partial s}$ into (6)

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Assuming the fluid is incompressible

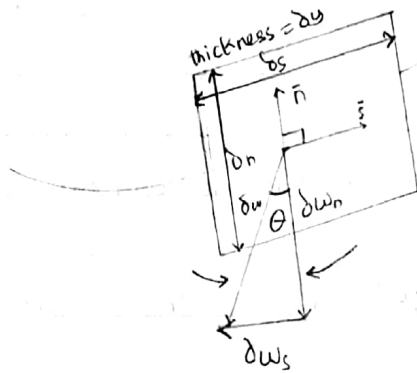


Fig 2

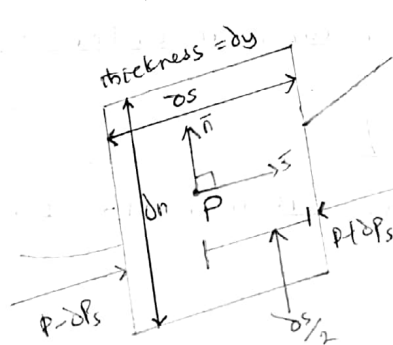
We need to re-write (3) (LHS), the sum of all the forces acting on the part by collecting all the forces that are acting in the streamline direction. First force is gravity which gives the particle a weight.

$$\Delta w = -\delta \delta \delta \sin \theta \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

the negative sign appears because of the way we've drawn our axis in Fig. From the fig 2 the streamline is horizontal i.e. $\theta = 0$, the weight component in the streamline direction is also zero

$$\therefore \text{the weight term } \Delta w = -\delta \delta \delta \sin \theta$$

As pressure acts on the fluid,



Pressure is not constant throughout the fluid because of its weight. So we can say pressure $P(s, n)$

$$\Delta P_s = \frac{\partial P}{\partial s} \Delta s$$

Total force acting on the fluid element

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta F_{ps} &= (P - \Delta P_s) \Delta n \Delta y - (P + \Delta P_s) \Delta n \Delta y \\ &= -2 \Delta P_s \Delta n \Delta y \quad \quad \quad = \frac{\partial P}{\partial s} \Delta \quad \text{--- (5)} \end{aligned}$$

Putting the value of $V \frac{dV}{ds}$ in eq - (6)

$$\frac{dp}{ds} + \frac{1}{2\rho} \frac{d(v^2)}{ds} + \gamma \frac{dz}{ds} = 0$$

$$dp + \frac{1}{2\rho} d(v^2) + \gamma dz = 0 \quad \text{--- (7)}$$

Integrating

$$\int \frac{dp}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} v^2 + \gamma z = \text{constant} \quad \text{--- (8)}$$

Since we assumed the fluid is incompressible, density and specific weight will remain constant and this can be re-written as

$$p + \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2 + \gamma z = \text{constant} \quad \text{--- (9)}$$

This (9) gives the Bernoulli Equation.