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Motivation

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Motivation

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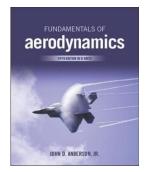
Flow domain

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Supersonic

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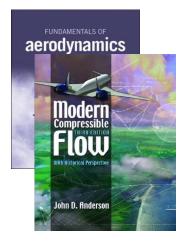














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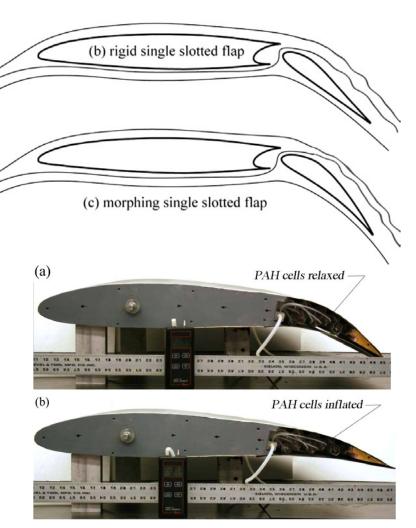


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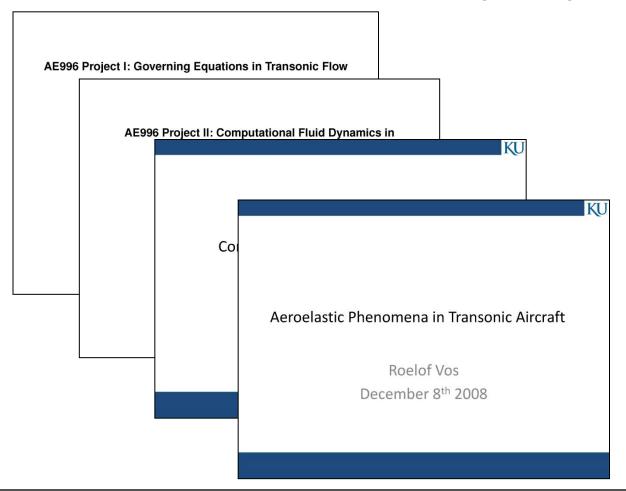






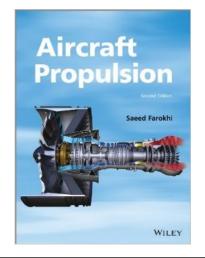


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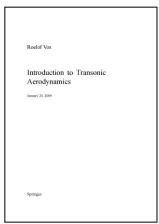


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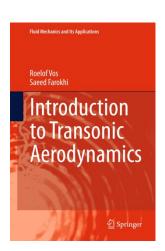
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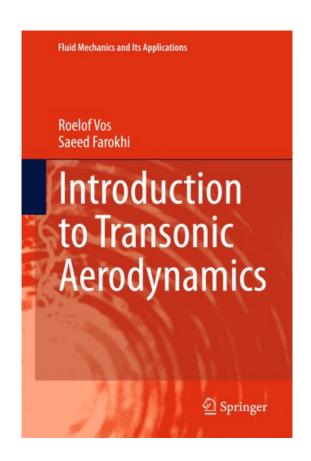
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- 60 examples
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- Look-up tables
- Solutions
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1 Introduction and Historic Perspective

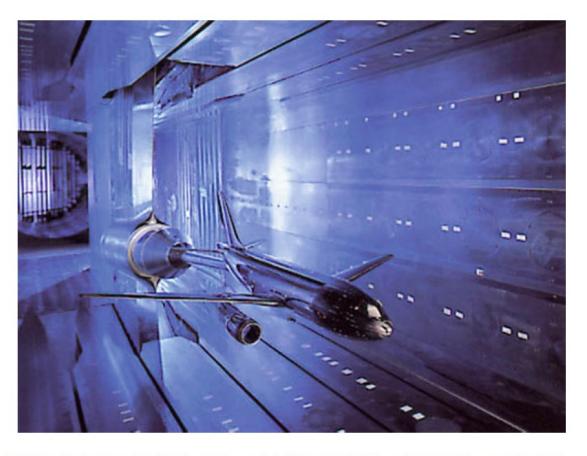


Fig. 1.6 ETW wind tunnel with aircraft model (*Photo* ETW; printed with permission)



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2 Review of Fundamental Equations

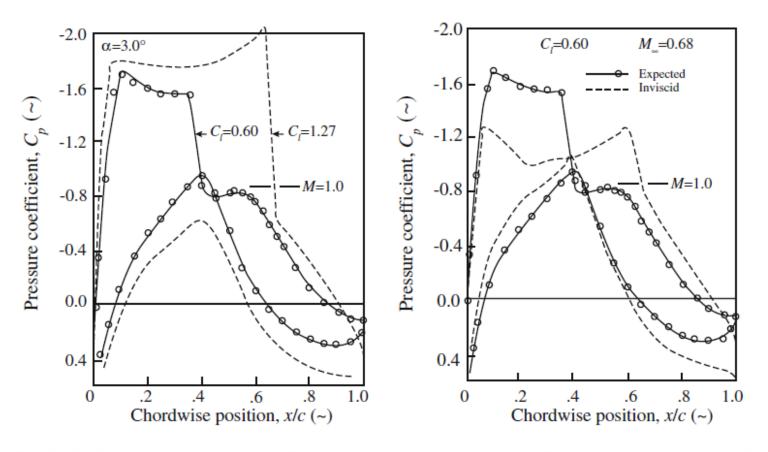


Fig. 2.12 Comparison between predicted and measured pressure distribution at constant angle of attack (*left*) and constant lift coefficient (*right*) (after Ref. [5])



3.5 3-D Planar and Axisymmetric Slender Bodies

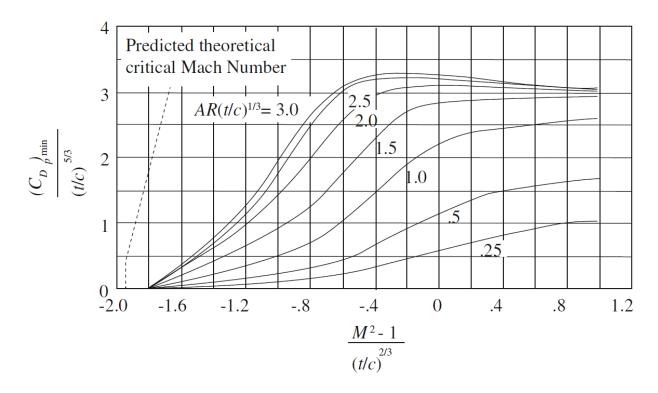


Fig. 3.21 Curves of the generalized drag coefficient for symmetrical wings for $\gamma = 1.4$ (after Ref. [6])



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4 Shock-Expansion Theory

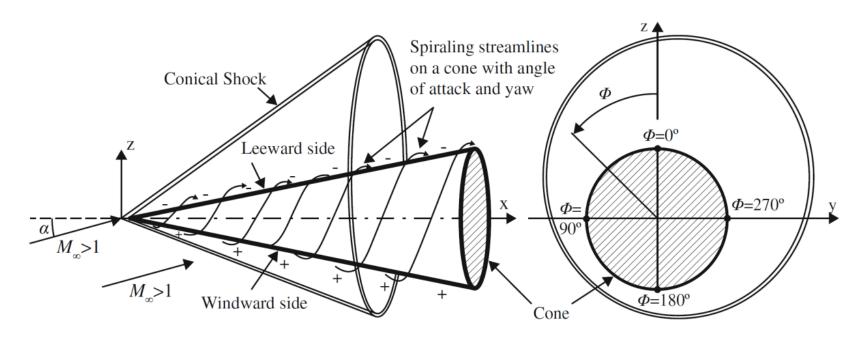


Fig. 4.29 Spiraling streamlines on a cone in supersonic flow at angle of attack and yaw



5 Method of Characteristics

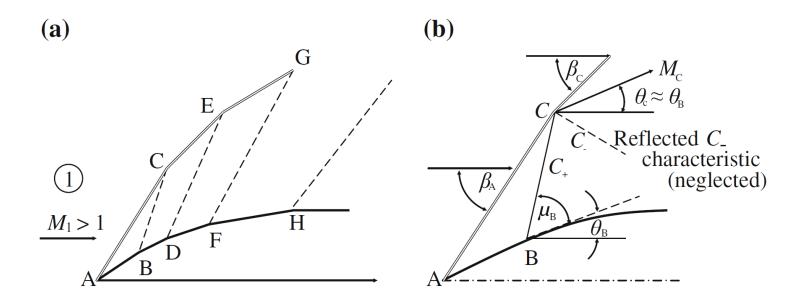


Fig. 5.35 The waves on a slender body in supersonic flow **a** Interaction of Mach waves and an oblique shock (simplified view), **b** expanded view of the flow and shock angles



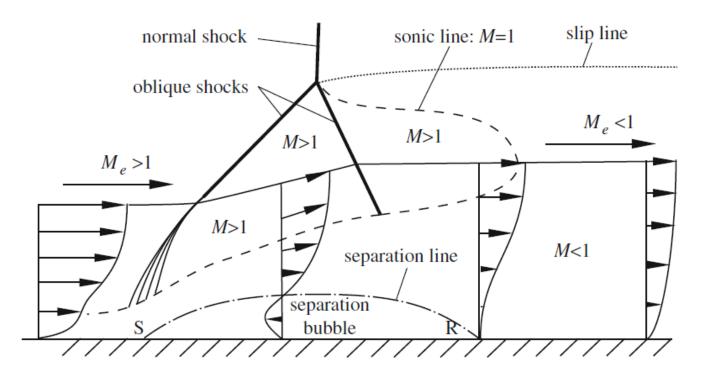


Fig. 6.41 Detail of strong shock-wave boundary-layer interaction for a turbulent boundary layer (after: [16])



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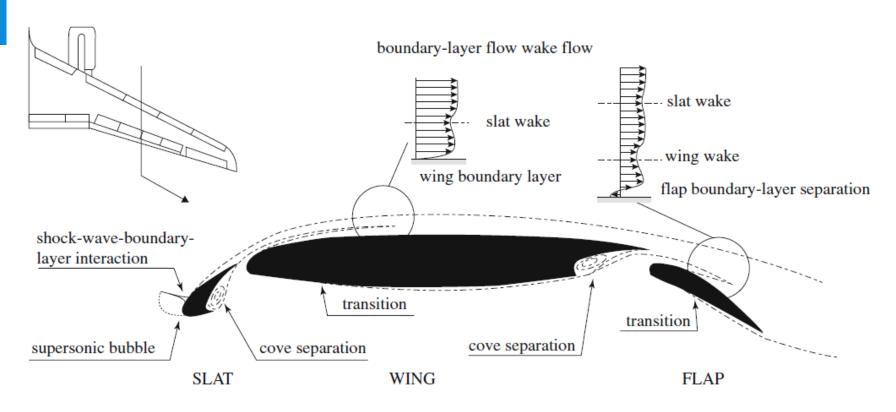


Fig. 7.29 A320 airfoil in landing configuration (modified from Ref. [13])



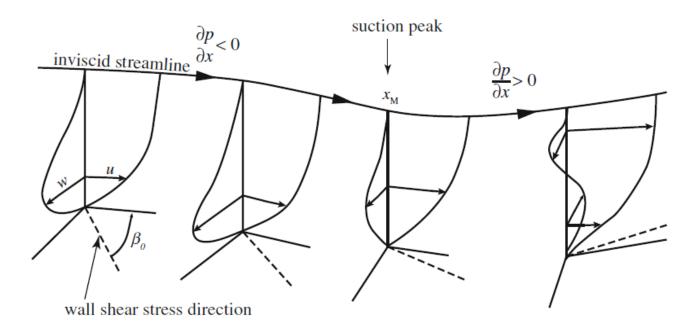
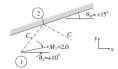


Fig. 8.29 Laminar boundary layer development on a swept wing. $x_{\rm M}$ is the location of the inviscid streamline inflection point. β_0 is the angle between the wall shear stress vector and the inviscid streamline (after Ref. [9])

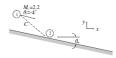


problems

5 Method of Characteristics



5.2 In a steady, 2-D, irrotational, isentropic supersonic nozzle flow, we have the flow Mach number and direction at point 1, as shown. The nozzle wall is straight and makes an angle, $\theta_w = -9.5^{\circ}$ with respect to x-axis. Calculate the flow Mach number on the nozzle wall that corresponds to the C_{-} characteristic that passes through point 1 (i.e., point 2, M_2). Also calculate the slope of the C_{-} characteristic, dy/dx, between points 1 and 2.



- 5.3 Based on the initial data line in a diverging section of a 2-D supersonic nozzle, as shown, $M_1 = M_3 = 1.6$, $\theta_1 = -\theta_3 = -15^\circ$, $M_2 = 1.8$, $\theta_2 = 0^\circ$. Use Method of Characteristics (MOC) for 2-D irrotational flow to calculate:
- (a) M_5 and θ_5
- (b) M_7 and θ_7



- 5.4 A 2-D C+ characteristic intersects an oblique shock, as shown. Assuming the flow angle at point 2 is 12°, calculate:
- (a) Oblique shock angle, β_2
- (b) Downstream Mach number, M₂
- (c) Constants K_{+1} and K_{+2}
- (d) Was the assumption about θ_2 correct?

solutions

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Partial Answers to Selected Problems

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(a) $\bar{R} = 6.5$ (b) $\delta_0 = 22.6$

(c) $C_{pp} = 0.05$, $C_{pv} = 0.20$

(d) $C_D^{PP} = 0.118$

(a) $\sigma = 48^{\circ}$

(b) $M_c = 0.8$

(c) $C_{D_p} = 0.65$

(a) $C_{p1} = 0$, $C_{p2} = 0.837$ (b) $c_d = 0.4835$

(c) $c_l = 0.8374$

 $4.35 M_3 = 2.85$

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(a) $|\alpha| > 3^{\circ}$

(b) $\alpha = \pm 2.5^{\circ}$

Chapter 5

5.1 $M_2 \approx 2.2$, dy/dx = 0.869

No	K_	K ₊	θ (deg)	ν (deg)	M	μ (deg)
1	-0.14	-29.86	-15	14.86	1.6	36.68
2	20.73	-20.73	0	20.73	1.8	33.75
3	29.86	0.14	15	14.86	1.6	36.68
4	20.73	-29.86	-4.565	25.295	1.96	30.68
5	29.86	-20.73	4.565	25.295	1.96	30.68
6	20.73	-29.86	-4.565	25.295	1.96	30.68
7	29.86	-29.86	0	29.86	2.1	28.44
8	29.86	-20.73	4.565	25.295	1.96	30.68

5.5

(a) $\theta_{w,\text{max}} = 22.875^{\circ}$ (c) dy/dx = -2.37

(d) dy/dx = 0.3823

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Appendix B Normal Shock Table

Table B.1 shows the normal shock table for $\gamma = 1.4$

Table B	.1 N	ormal	shock t	table	for v	- 1	4

M_1	<i>M</i> ₂	T_2/T_1	p_2/p_1	ρ_2/ρ_1	p_{t2}/p_{t1}	P_{t2}/p_1	$\Delta s/R$
1	1	1	1	1	1	1.8929	0
1.02	0.9805	1.01E+00	1.05E+00	1.03E+00	1.00E+00	1.94E+00	9.96E-06
1.04	0.962	1.03E+00	1.10E+00	1.07E+00	1.00E+00	1.98E+00	7.67E-05
1.06	0.9444	1.04E+00	1.14E+00	1.10E+00	1.00E+00	2.03E+00	2.49E-04
1.08	0.9277	1.05E+00	1.19E+00	1.13E+00	9.99E-01	2.08E+00	5.69E-04
1.1	0.9118	1.06E+00	1.25E+00	1.17E+00	9.99E-01	2.13E+00	1.07E-03
1.12	0.8966	1.08E+00	1.30E+00	1.20E+00	9.98E-01	2.19E+00	1.79E-03
1.14	0.882	1.09E+00	1.35E+00	1.24E+00	9.97E-01	2.24E+00	2.74E-03
1.16	0.8682	1.10E+00	1.40E+00	1.27E+00	9.96E-01	2.29E+00	3.96E-03
1.18	0.8549	1.12E+00	1.46E+00	1.31E+00	9.95E-01	2.35E+00	5.45E-03
1.2	0.8422	1.13E+00	1.51E+00	1.34E+00	9.93E-01	2.41E+00	7.23E-03
1.22	0.83	1.14E+00	1.57E+00	1.38E+00	9.91E-01	2.47E+00	9.31E-03
1.24	0.8183	1.15E+00	1.63E+00	1.41E+00	9.88E-01	2.53E+00	1.17E-02
1.26	0.8071	1.17E+00	1.69E+00	1.45E+00	9.86E-01	2.59E+00	1.44E-02
1.28	0.7963	1.18E+00	1.74E+00	1.48E+00	9.83E-01	2.65E+00	1.75E-02
1.3	0.786	1.19E+00	1.81E+00	1.52E+00	9.79E-01	2.71E+00	2.08E-02
1.32	0.776	1.20E+00	1.87E+00	1.55E+00	9.76E-01	2.78E+00	2.45E-02
1.34	0.7664	1.22E+00	1.93E+00	1.59E+00	9.72E-01	2.84E+00	2.86E-02
1.36	0.7572	1.23E+00	1.99E+00	1.62E+00	9.68E-01	2.91E+00	3.30E-02
1.38	0.7483	1.24E+00	2.06E+00	1.65E+00	9.63E-01	2.98E+00	3.77E-02
1.4	0.7397	1.25E+00	2.12E+00	1.69E+00	9.58E-01	3.05E+00	4.27E-02
1.42	0.7314	1.27E+00	2.19E+00	1.72E+00	9.53E-01	3.12E+00	4.81E-02
1.44	0.7235	1.28E+00	2.25E+00	1.76E+00	9.48E-01	3.19E+00	5.38E-02

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Latin symbols

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Cross-sectional area or axial force (m<sup>2</sup>, N)
          Ambient speed of sound (a = \sqrt{\gamma RT}) (m/s<sup>2</sup>)
          Aspect ratio (~)
B
          Non-dimensional constant in law of the wake (6.109) (~)
          Wing span (m)
         Characteristic curve in physical space (N/A)
          Chord length, wave propagation speed, or specific heat capacity in a soild
          (m, m/s, J/kg/K)
          Section axial force coefficient (~)
c_a
          Three-dimensional drag coefficient or dissipation coefficient (~, ~)
C_D
          Section drag coefficient (~)
C_f
          Friction coefficient C_f = \frac{1}{c} \int_0^l c_f dx (~)
          Local friction coefficient (~)
         Lift coefficient (~)
          Section lift coefficient (~)
          Section moment coefficient (~)
          Section normal force coefficient (~)
          Pressure coefficient (~)
          Specific heat at constant pressure (J/kg/K)
          Specific heat at constant volume (J/kg/K)
          Drag (N)
          Young's modulus (N/m<sup>2</sup>)
          Internal energy, Oswald factor or normalized distance between elastic axis
          and aerodynamic center (J/kg, ~, ~)
          Total energy (J/m3)
          Fineness ratio of a body (~)
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          Shear modulus (N/m<sup>2</sup>)
         Gravitational constant (m/s2)
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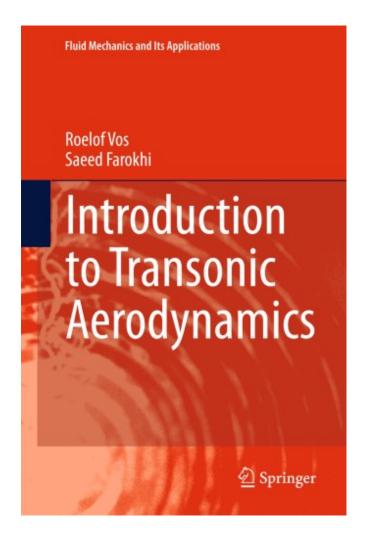
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