

REYNOLDS TRANSPORT THEOREM (CONTD...)

Yesterday, we started discussing on Reynolds Transport Theorem. For application of conservation laws - mass, linear momentum, angular momentum, energy, etc. - which can be directly applied for a system (as in solid mechanics), you may find it difficult in fluid mechanics. Because inside the control volume, the fluid system is changing.

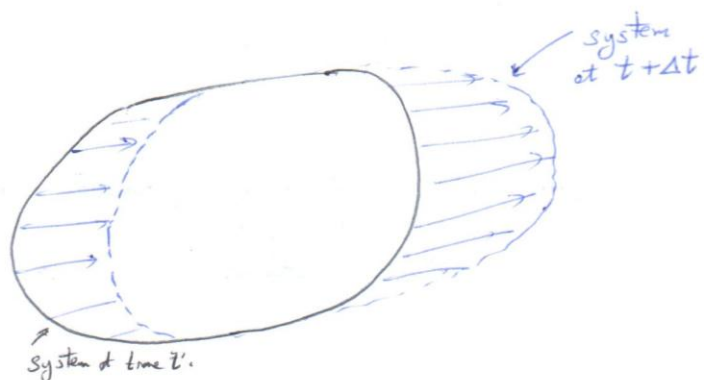
We need to convert system analysis to control volume analysis that is represented by Reynolds Transport Theorem.

⇒ We had discussed about Volume Flow Rate and Mass Flow Rate.

⇒ While describing RTT, we drew an arbitrary control volume.

→ The black color solid line is a control volume of fluid

→ At an instant t a system of fluid occupies the space inside the control volume.



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→ We have a fixed volume in the space and it is called control volume.

→ However, the system that occupied the control volume at time 't' might have moved to a different position at time 't + Δt'.

→ Recall about the extensive property B and intensive property β .

$$B_{cv} = \int_{cv} \beta \rho dU$$

⇒ There can be three reasons for change of property B in the control volume

(i) The time rate of change of B within the control volume → $\frac{d}{dt} \left(\int_{cv} \beta \rho dU \right)$

(ii) The outflow of property B through the control surfaces of the volume → $\int_{cs} \beta \rho \mathbf{v} \cos \theta dA_{out}$

(iii) The inflow of property B through the control surfaces of the volume → $\int_{cs} \beta \rho \mathbf{v} \cos \theta dA_{in}$

⇒ Both the outflow and inflow can be marked as net outflow. Also note that through the surface, where inflow occurs, $\vec{v} \cdot \hat{n}$ is always negative.

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Similarly, $\vec{v} \cdot \hat{n}$ is positive, where outflow occurs.

\therefore The changes in B in control volume can be

summed as:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \beta \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \beta \rho \vec{v} \cdot \hat{n} dA$$

\Rightarrow If we tend $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$, then the control volume will be same as the system volume at time t .

That is, we can relate the time rate of change of property B stored in system with respect to that of control volume.

\therefore When $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$

$$\boxed{\frac{d}{dt} (B_{\text{system}}) = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \beta \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \beta \rho \vec{v} \cdot \hat{n} dA}$$

This is Reynolds Transport Theorem.

\Rightarrow If we have a fixed control volume, which is non-deformable, then we can write RTT as:

$$\frac{d}{dt} (B_{\text{system}}) = \int_{cv} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\beta \rho) dU + \int_{cs} \beta \rho (\vec{v} \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

\Rightarrow If the control volume is moving at a constant velocity, \vec{v}_s , then we can define relative velocity \vec{v}_r and your RTT will be:

$$\vec{v}_r = \vec{v} - \vec{v}_s$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (B_{\text{system}}) = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \beta \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \beta \rho (\vec{v}_r \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

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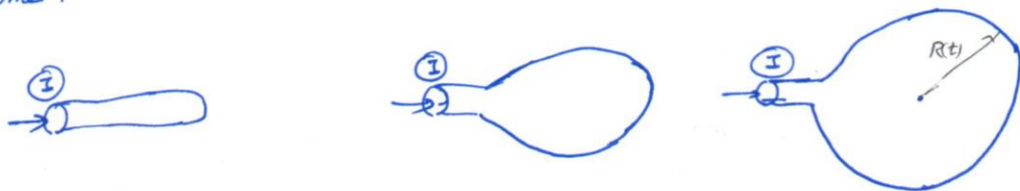
Example (As adopted from FM White's Fluid Mechanics)

A Balloon is filled through section I. Area at that section is A_I , velocity is V_I , fluid density is ρ_I .

The average density within the balloon is $\rho_b(t)$. Find an expression for rate of change of fluid system mass within the balloon at this instant.

Solution

You know that the Balloon volume changes with respect to time.



- For this case, the Balloon boundary forms the control volume. However, this volume increases with time.
- This example is a case of deformable control volume

We will use the RTT

$$\frac{d}{dt} (\beta_{\text{system}}) = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \beta \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \beta \rho \vec{V}_n \cdot \hat{n} dA$$

$$\beta_{\text{system}} = \text{Mass of air in the balloon} = m_{\text{system}}$$

∴ From conservation of mass principle,

$$\frac{d}{dt} [m_{\text{system}}] = 0.$$

$$\text{Also } \beta = 1$$

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\therefore In RTT,

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V}_n \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

At inlet, $|\vec{V}_n| = V_I$
 At outlet, $|\vec{V}_n| = 0$ } There is only one inlet portion and there is no outflow section. \odot

$$\therefore 0 = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \rho_b(t) dU \right] + \int_{outlet} \rho \times 0 - \int_{inlet} \rho (\vec{V}_n \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

$$0 = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\rho_b \frac{4\pi}{3} R^3 \right] - \rho_I A_I V_I$$

$$\text{or } \underline{\underline{\frac{d}{dt} (\rho_b R^3) = \frac{3}{4\pi} \rho_I A_I V_I}}$$

Application of RTT to conservation of mass principle

As the general form of RTT is:

$$\frac{d}{dt} (B_{system}) = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \beta \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \beta \rho (\vec{V}_n \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

For conservation of mass, $B_{system} = m_{system}$

$B =$ mass of fluid in control volume at instant 't'.

$$\beta = 1, \quad \therefore B_{cv} = \int_{cv} \rho dU$$

$$\frac{d m_{system}}{dt} = 0 = \frac{d}{dt} \left[\int_{cv} \rho dU \right] + \int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V}_n \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

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For a fixed, non-deformable control volume,

$$0 = \int_{cv} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} [\rho dV] + \int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V} \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

i.e. $0 = \int_{cv} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} dV + \int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V} \cdot \hat{n}) dA$

\Rightarrow If the flow is steady, then

$$\int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V} \cdot \hat{n}) dA = 0$$

That is net outflow is zero. (Or Inflow and Outflow are equal).

If a control surface has one-dimensional inlets and outlets

Then $\sum_{\text{inlet section}} A_i V_i = \sum_{\text{outlet section}} A_j V_j$

\Rightarrow Incompressible liquids:

An incompressible liquid is one in which the density does not vary significantly.

\therefore In a non-deformable fixed control volume:

$$0 = \int_{cv} \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} dV + \int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V} \cdot \hat{n}) dA$$

$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = 0$ (due to incompressibility).

$$\int_{cs} \rho (\vec{V} \cdot \hat{n}) dA = 0$$