

Open Channel flow

Reference: # Open channel hydraulics by Ven Te Chow  
main

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open

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# 4. Abdul halim sir lecture note. (Lecture note on open channel flow).

# Hanif Chowdhury → Open channel flow

# Subramanya → problems

CT schedule:

1. 1st CT — 3rd week [1:15]

2. 2nd CT — 9th week

Content:

☐ Open channel flow and its classification.

☐ Uniform flow & varied.

☐ Gradually varied flow, case of gradually varied flow.

☐ Principles of flow measurement and devices.

Open channel flow  $\rightarrow$  gravity এর জন্য হয়, atm pressure

Pipe flow  $\rightarrow$  pressure difference এর জন্য flow হয়, atm

pressure থাকে না।

Sub uniform flow পড়াবেন। (অন) part এ critical flow.

Time duration বেশি হলে rapidly varied flow হয়, not gradually varied flow.

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Types of open channel flow:

(a) Steady and unsteady flow:

$\frac{\partial h}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial t} = 0$  [এক particular location এ depth of water level, velocity, discharge w.r.t. time time unchanged]

(b) Uniform and varied / non uniform flow:

$\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = 0$ 
[space এর respect এ h, Q, v change হয় না]  
কোন নির্দিষ্ট time এ

# Varied flow -

i) Gradually varied flow

$\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \approx \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \approx 0$ 
[variation কে যদি small হয়]

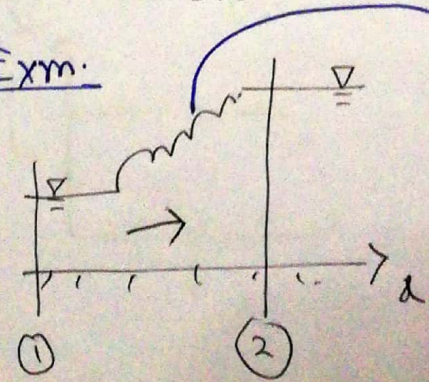
{ এটা প্রায় steady বা unsteady হতে পারে

ii) Rapidly varied flow -

change in the h, v, আনক short distance এ rapidly change

হয়  $\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \gg 0 ; \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \gg 0$ 
[diff. location এ]

Exm.



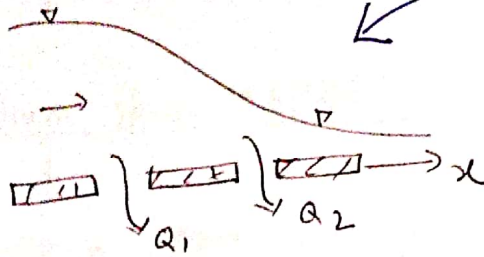
hydraulic jump (if the flow changes from supercritical to subcritical)  
আনক short distance এ change করে (artificial channel এ)

iii) Spatially varied flow:

Along the Length of the channel, discharge  $Q$  vary

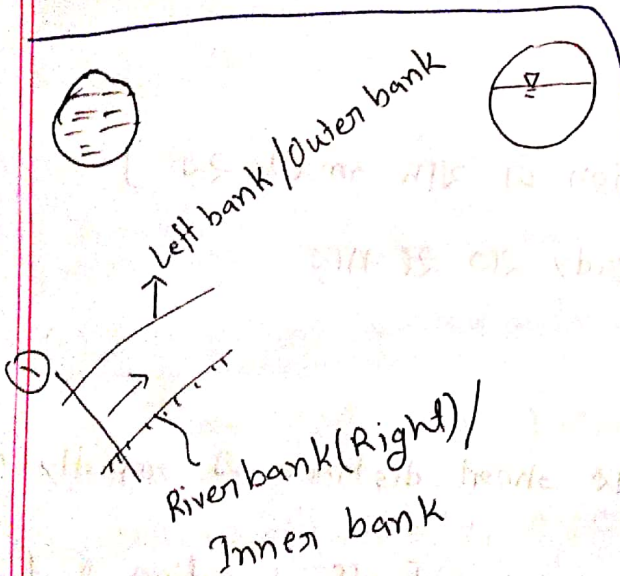
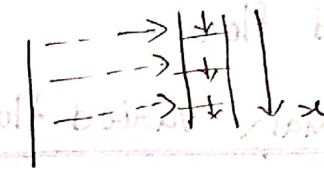
for  $\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \neq 0$

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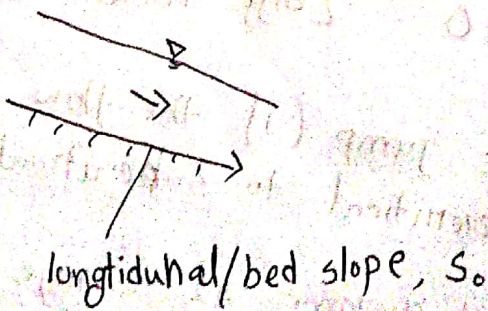


Flow over a bottom rack  
↓  
steady spatially varied flow

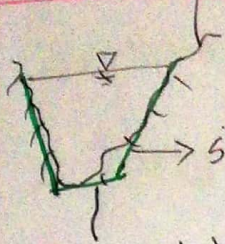
unsteady  
↓  
flow through roadside gutter  
rainfall (rainfall non-uniform)



Open channel flow is  
viscosity force is not  
gravity force is dominant



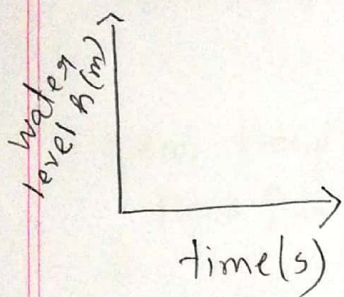
Irregular shape of bed



side slope (s/z) m (m/z denote)

River channel bed

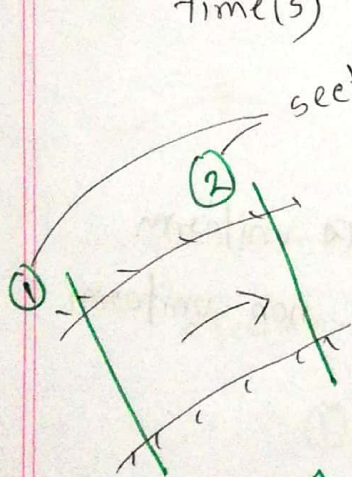
manmade channel regular shape of (Rectangular, circular, parabolic ...). Natural channel irregular shape of.



$h$  = depth of flow / water level (m)

$u$  = velocity of the flowing current (m/s)

$Q$  = discharge ( $m^3/s$  or cfs)



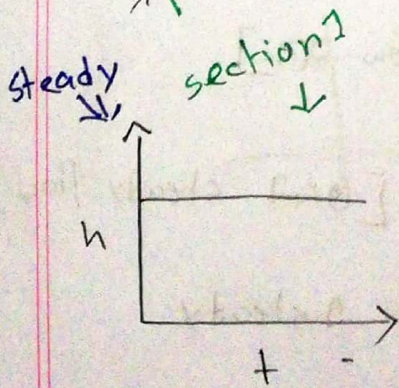
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section upstream) ~~down~~ downstream

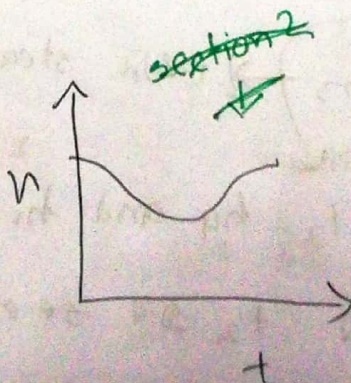
particular location of respect

to decide (u/s) (d/s)

Upstream (u/s) downstream (d/s)

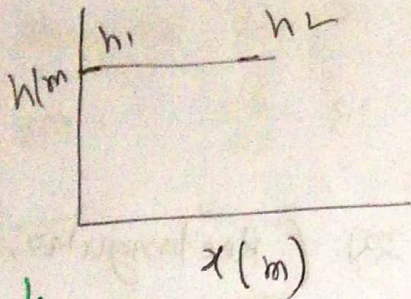


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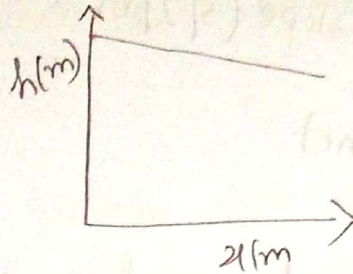


section 2

(B)

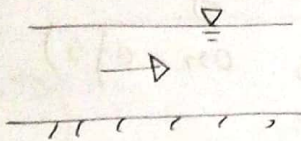


↓  
uniform flow (space respect of h same)



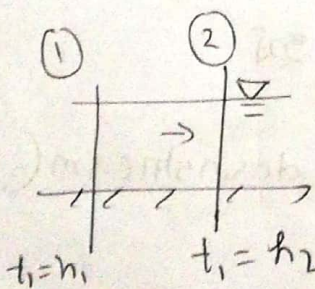
↓  
non-uniform flow.

Steady flow:



Uniform flow → Laboratory में occur

Non- " " → Natural channel में occur



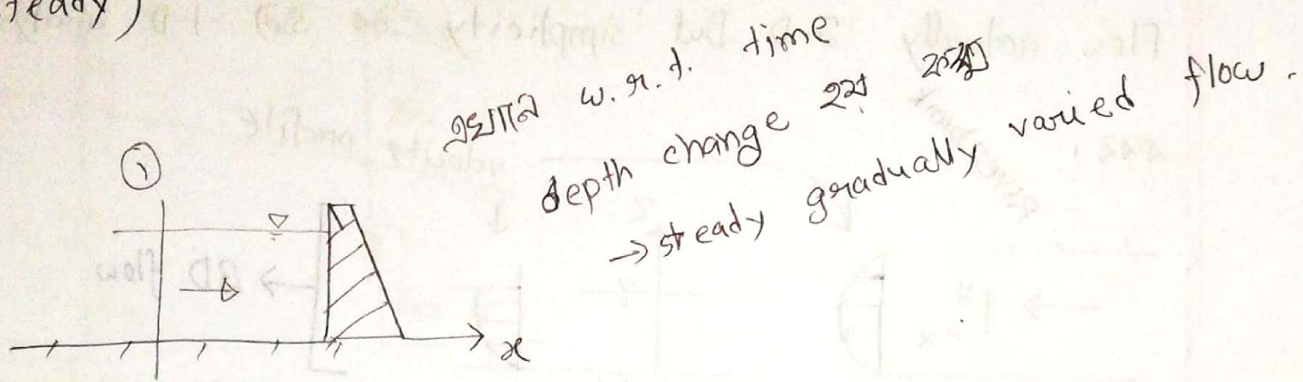
$h_1 = h_2$  शर्त flow शर्त uniform  
 $h_1 \neq h_2$  " " " non-uniform

$t_1 = h_1$   
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 $t_2 = h_2$  and  $h_1 = h_3$  → [स्थिर steady flow शर्त]

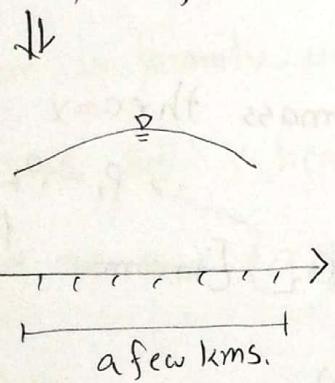
$t_2 = h_4$  and  $h_1 = h_4$  [स्थिर steady flow]

$h_2 = h_4$  स्थिर  $t_2$  शर्त से respect of steady

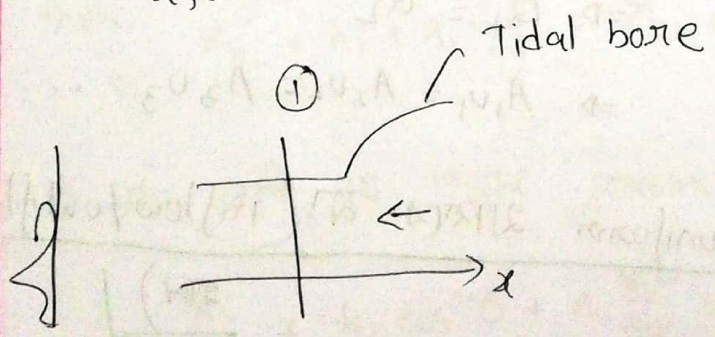
∴ Uniform flow can be steady only [ଅର୍ଥାତ୍ diff. location  
 ଥିବା ସମସ୍ତେ depth ନିମିତ୍ତେ water ଏକ, ତାହା uniform flow always  
 steady)



tidal flow / flood flow → unsteady gradually varied flow



[sea ଏବଂ କାନ୍ଥେ variation ଯୋଗି tide ଏବଂ ଥିବା  
 ଯାହା sea ଏବଂ କାନ୍ଥେ ଯାହା variation କରାଯାଏ]

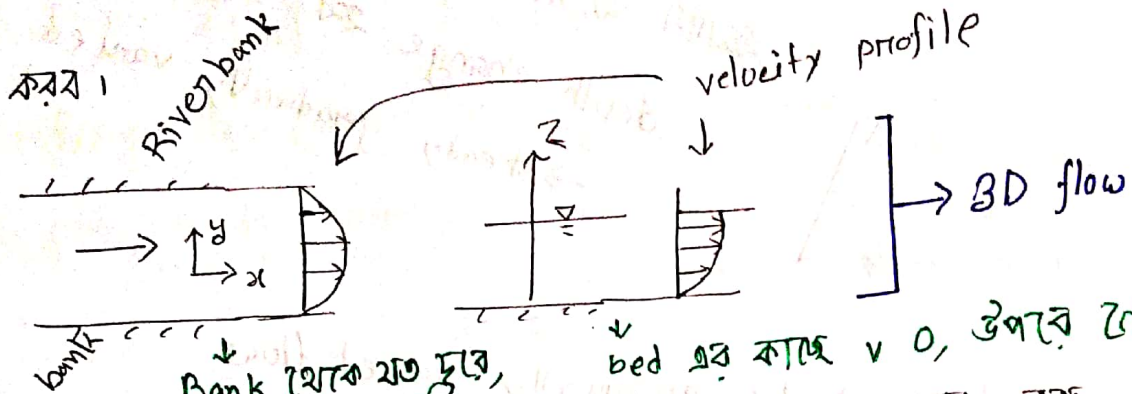


defn, expression, example  
 ନିମ୍ନଲିଖିତ ରହି ଥାଉ

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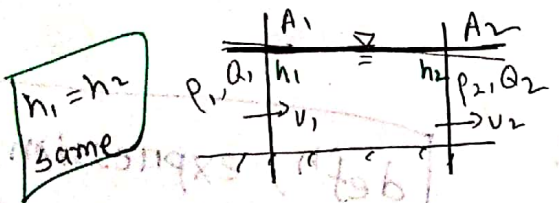
Steady 1-D flow:

Flow actually 3-D. But simplicity এর জন্য 1-D analysis করা।



River width আর depth এর উপর depend করে কয় dimensional যেহেতু width আনক কারণে হল 2D.

① Continuity eq<sup>n</sup>: — conservation of mass theory অনুযায়ী,  $P_1 = P_2$  [incom fluid]

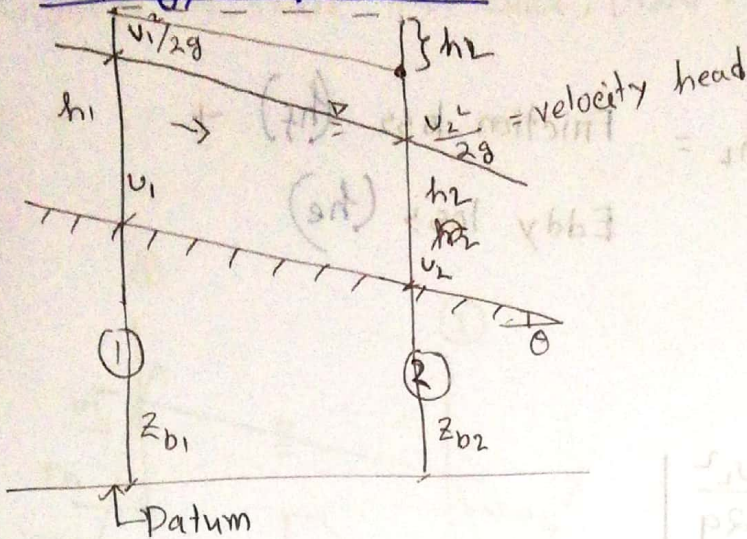


$P_1 Q_1 = P_2 Q_2$  [incom]  $\Rightarrow Q_1 = Q_2$   
 $\Rightarrow A_1 v_1 = A_2 v_2 = A_3 v_3 = \dots$

[Discharge vary করলে uniform থাকবে না (inflow/outflow হল)]

$h_1$  ~~ଅଟେ~~  $h_2$  ~~ଅଟେ~~

2) Energy equation: [Bernoulli ଅଟେ]



$$z_{b1} + h_1 + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = z_{b2} + h_2 + \frac{v_2^2}{2g}$$

[∵ channel is irregular + boundary mat. rough & velocity change ଅଟେ]

Non-uniformity of the velocity

ଅଟେ  $v$  head ଓ co-eff. ମିଶ୍ରଣ

ସୂଚକ ହେଉ  $\alpha_1$

then, 
$$z_{b1} + h_1 + \alpha_1 \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = z_{b2} + h_2 + \alpha_1 \frac{v_2^2}{2g}$$

$\theta$  ଅଟେ ଥିଲେ ହେଉ, ତାହା pressure ଓ  $\cos^2 \theta$  ମିଶ୍ରଣ ସୂତ୍ର

$$z_{b1} + h_1 \cos^2 \theta + \alpha_1 \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = z_{b2} + h_2 \cos^2 \theta + \alpha_1 \frac{v_2^2}{2g}$$

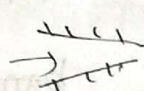
head loss → ① loss due to friction  
 ② " " " " the formation of eddy.

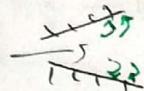
Total head loss,  $h_L =$  Friction loss ( $h_f$ ) +  
 Eddy loss ( $h_e$ )

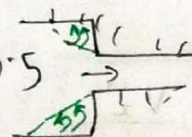
~~$h_e$~~  magnitude

$$h_e \propto \left| \alpha_1 \frac{v_1^2}{2g} - \alpha_2 \frac{v_2^2}{2g} \right|$$

$$\therefore h_e = k_e \left| \alpha_1 \frac{v_1^2}{2g} - \alpha_2 \frac{v_2^2}{2g} \right| \quad k_e = \text{eddy loss coefficient}$$

$k_e = 0.1$   [gradual contraction]

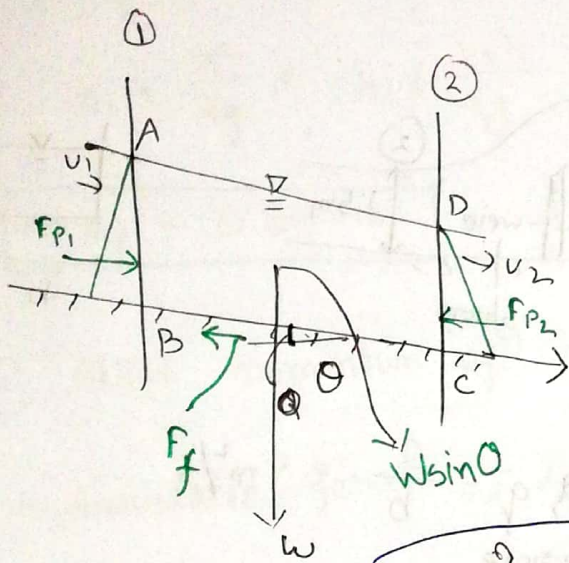
$k_e = 0.2$   [ " expansion ]

$k_e = 0.5$   [sudden contraction / expansion]

$u = \sqrt{2gh}$  ⇒ law of Torricelli

② Momentum eq<sup>n</sup>: [Newton's 2<sup>nd</sup> law of eq<sup>n</sup>] [থাক এটাও]

↳ sheet এ state করা আছে; দেখা।



$F_{P1}$  = hydrostatic force

$F_f$  = frictional force

Momentum coeff =  $\beta$   
[যে velocity uniform এ]

$\rho Q (u_2 - u_1)$

uniform  $u_1 = u_2$   $F_f$   $W \sin \theta$  \*  
[যে velocity uniform এ]

$\rho Q (\beta_2 u_2 - \beta_1 u_1) = F_{P1} - F_{P2} - F_f + W \sin \theta$  [1D steady flow for eq<sup>n</sup>]

•  $\beta = 1$ , velocity dist<sup>n</sup> uniform.

Energy eq<sup>n</sup> [থাক] [যে velocity পাঠা, (যেটা scales) } dir consider  
ন স্থানা same

But momentum eq<sup>n</sup> এ vector [dir. imp] Energy eq<sup>n</sup>

Steady uniform/steady gradually varied এ scales use করা হয় অনেক বেশি।

Canal of obstruction নাই  $\rightarrow$  uniform ধরবে!

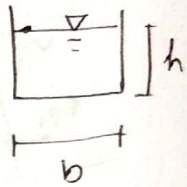
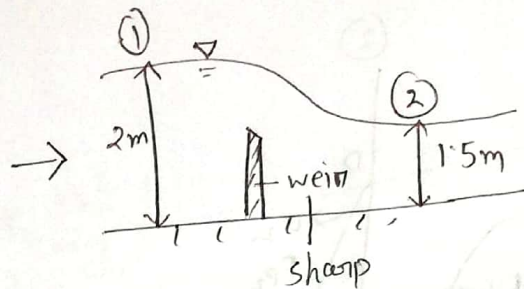
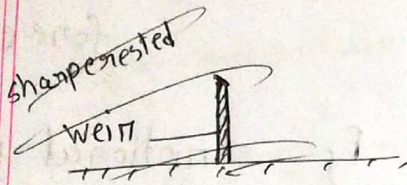
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Application:

কোন কোন eq<sup>n</sup> use করা বুঝতে হবে আপন।

Ex-01



A rectangular channel.

Discharge per unit width / flow rate  $q = \frac{Q}{b} = 4 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$   
 unit  $\text{m}^2/\text{s}$ ; যদি discharge এর unit এটা থাকে তাহলে flow rate বুঝবে।

(a) ① and ② এর মাঝে energy loss কত?

(b) Force on weir? [কোন contraction, expansion নাই তাই eddy loss নাই। পুরোটো friction loss]

এ এর মান থাকলে  $\gamma$  head এর সাথে multiply করতে হবে

weir ५३ ३३३३ - sharp ३३३ broad crested

Solns

(a)  $v_1 = \frac{q}{h_1} = 2 \text{ m/s}$        $v_2 = \frac{q_2}{h_2} = 2.67 \text{ m/s}$

Applying energy eq<sup>n</sup> in between section (1) and (2)

$$h_1 + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = h_2 + \frac{v_2^2}{2g} + h_f$$

$\Rightarrow h_f = 0.34 \text{ m}$

(b) ३३३ momentum eq<sup>n</sup> apply ३३३ ३३३

Hydraulic force =  $\frac{1}{2} \gamma h^2$

Applying momentum eq<sup>n</sup> in between section (1) and (2)

$$\rho q (v_2 - v_1) = \frac{1}{2} \gamma h_1^2 - \frac{1}{2} \gamma h_2^2 - F$$

$\Rightarrow F = 5903.75 \text{ N} \rightarrow$  ३३३ per unit width ३

weir ३३ width ३३ ३३३ ३३३ ans ३ width multiply ३३

$S_w, S_o,$

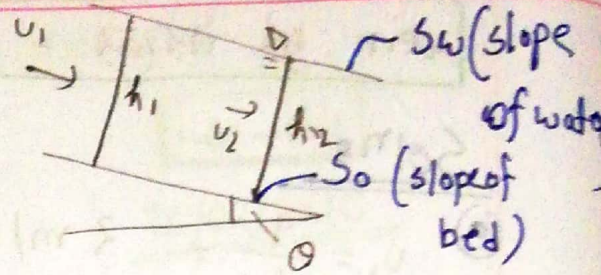
Uniform flow:

From momentum eq<sup>n</sup>:-

$$\rho Q (P_2 v_2 - P_1 v_1) = F_{P_1} - F_{P_2} - F_f + W \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = -F_f + W \sin \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{F_f = W \sin \theta}$$



$$S_o = S_w$$

$$h_1 = h_2$$

$$v_1 = v_2$$

$$\therefore F_{P_1} = F_{P_2}$$

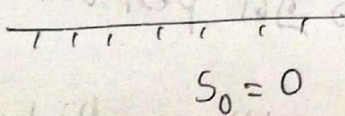
$S_w, S_o$  parallel  $\Rightarrow$  friction line draw  $\Rightarrow$  slope

3 parallel.

$$\boxed{S_f = \text{friction slope / energy slope}}$$

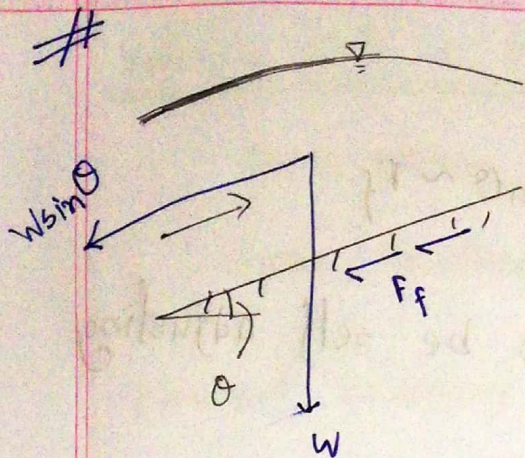
For uniform flow  $\rightarrow$  the conditions:

# To be



ଓଡ଼ିଆ  $W \sin \theta = 0$  ହେଉଥିବାରୁ  $F_f$  ଓ  $0$  ଓଡ଼ିଆ

horizontal sloped channel a uniform flow is not possible.



ଓ଼ି adverse slope channel ଓ଼ି  
uniform flow possible ନା (eq<sup>n</sup> ଅନୁସାରେ)

# Frictionless channel ଓ଼ି flow uniform ହେବ ନା ।

# Ideal fluid frictionless; uniform flow normally a natural water ways ଓ଼ି possible ନା (irregularity of section ଏବ଼ି ଓ଼ି)

### Varied flow ତ଼ି :

#  $W \sin \theta > F_f$  [ତ଼ି flow is accelerated; ଶାନ୍ତି friction ବ଼ା଼ି  
ତ଼ି water velocity ବ଼ା଼ି]

$F_f \propto v^2$ ;  $v$  increase କ଼ାଲେ  $F_f$  ଓ଼ି ବ଼ା଼ି ।  $F_f$  ଓ଼ି  $W \sin \theta$

ଏବ଼ି ବ଼ା଼ି ହ଼ା଼ି କ଼ାଲେ ।

$W \sin \theta \sim F_f$  [uniform ଓ଼ି ହ଼ା଼ି କ଼ାଲେ]

#  $W \sin \theta < F_f$  [Flow will be retarded]

velocity of flow ବ଼ା଼ି;  $F_f \propto v^2$ ;  $F_f$  ଓ଼ି ବ଼ା଼ି;  $W \sin \theta$

এর কাছ যাওয়ার try করুন।

$$v \downarrow \rightarrow F_f \propto v^2 \rightarrow F_f \downarrow \quad \text{---} \quad W \sin \theta \sim F_f$$

Thus, the uniform flow seems to be self adjusting

$$W \sin \theta \approx F_f$$

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### Velocity distribution:

boundary  $\rightarrow$  bed আর side slope এর roughness এর জন্য

non-uniformity in velocity dis<sup>n</sup> আছে।

velocity কে predict করতে চাইলে boundary roughness কে

divide করা হয়  $\rightarrow$

Smooth + transition + Rough boundary

### Shear stress:

Difference  $\rightarrow$  water যে flow করতে গে boundary এর

আগে একটি force এর কাজ করে।

friction force  $F_f = \text{shear force}$

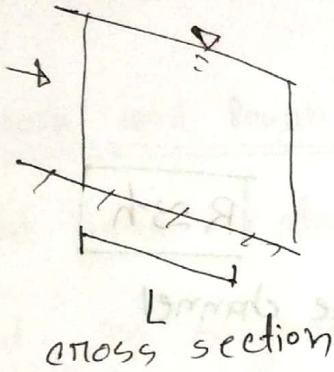
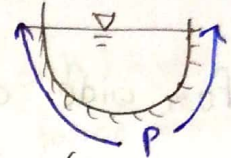
Velocity dis<sup>n</sup> in uniform flow:

Shear stress,  $\tau_0$

Shear / traction / drag force =  $\tau_0 PL$

channel boundary এর যতটুকু পারিস্র

contact এ থাকে, wetted perimeter বলি থাকে (P) long section



$P \times L = \text{Area}$

not cross sectional area

$F_f = \tau_0 PL$

for uniform flow,

$w \sin \theta = PL \times \tau_0$

$\Rightarrow \delta A L / S_0 = \tau_0 PL$

$\Rightarrow \tau_0 = \frac{\delta A}{P} S_0$  Bottom slope

$\tau_0 = \frac{\delta A}{P} S_0$

$w = \delta A L$   
cross-sectional area



$\theta$  small, in radian

$\sin \theta \approx \tan \theta \approx \theta$

$\tan \theta = S_0$

large slope  
শাল ignore  
থাকার না

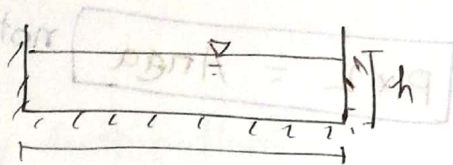
$\cos^2 \theta$  নিয়ে  
mit multiply  
আছে  $\theta \geq 6^\circ$   
এর জন্য

Hydraulic radius,  $R = \frac{A}{P}$   $A = \text{cross section area}$

$$\tau_0 = \gamma R S_0 = \rho g R S_0$$

For wide channel (normally rectangular & 2D)

side channel depth to width ratio vary  $\frac{h}{b}$



$$R = \frac{A}{P} = \frac{b \times h}{b + 2h} \approx \frac{bh}{b} \approx h$$

negligible for wide channel

$$R \approx h$$

$$\tau_0 = \rho g R S_0 = \rho g h S_0$$

Friction velocity / shear / drag velocity: ( $u^* \rightarrow$  designation)

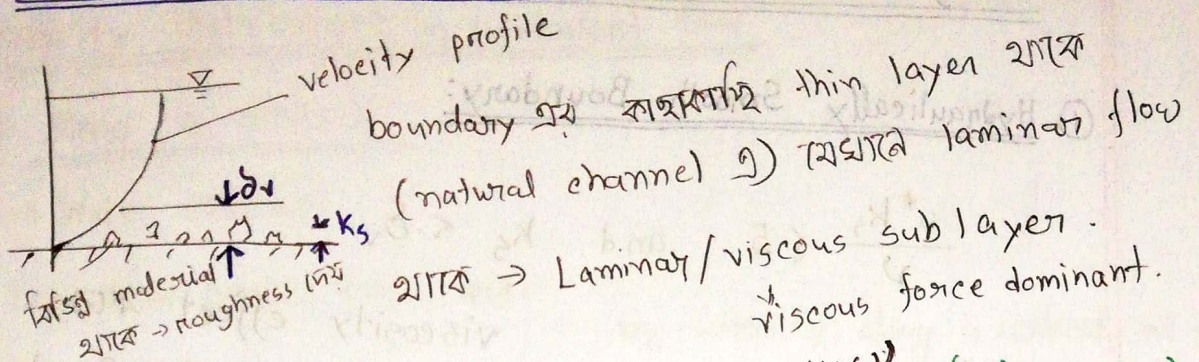
$$u^* = \sqrt{\frac{\tau_0}{\rho}} \quad [\text{distance travelled per unit time} \rightarrow \text{unit}]$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\rho g R S_0}{\rho}}$$

$$\therefore u^* = \sqrt{g R S_0}$$

$$u^* = \sqrt{g h S_0} \quad \text{wide channel}$$

## Laminar / Viscous sub-layer:



Thickness of this laminar sub-layer,  $\delta_v = \frac{11.6\nu}{u^*}$  ( $\frac{m^2/s}{m/s} = m$ )

## Smooth and rough boundary:

Sand grain  $\rightarrow$  standard বা (নয়) হাজাছে  $\rightarrow$  এর সাপেক্ষে অন্য mat. এর roughness express করা হয়।  $\rightarrow$  তখন বনবে e equivalent sand grain roughness.

Equivalent sand grain roughness,  $k_s$

$$\text{Relative roughness} = \frac{k_s}{R}$$

glass  $\rightarrow 0.002$  mm

cast iron  $\rightarrow 0.26$

concrete  $\rightarrow 0.3 - 3$

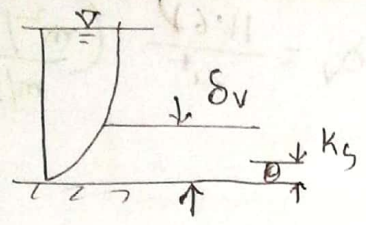
}  $k_s$  এর value

# # Classification of boundary surface:

## (i) Hydraulically Smooth Boundary:

$$\frac{u^* k_s}{\nu} \leq 5 \quad \text{and} \quad k_s < \delta_v$$

viscosity effect করে  
velocity dis<sup>n</sup> এ; Roughness  
করে না।



## (ii) Hydraulically Rough boundary:

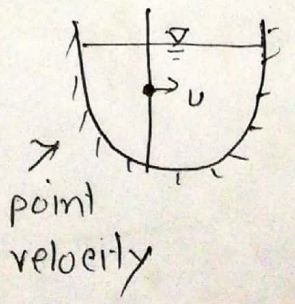
$$\frac{u^* k_s}{\nu} \geq 70 \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_v < k_s$$

viscosity effect করে  
না; Roughness  
করে।

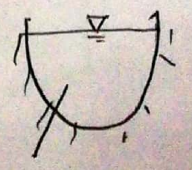
## (iii) Transition:

$$5 < \frac{u^* k_s}{\nu} < 70$$

viscosity আর Roughness দুটোরই effect আছে



u এর ক্ষেত্রে হলে 1st এ লিখাও হবে  
Boundary smooth নাহি rough.



U → cross sectional velocity (capital U)

C.T.

Velocity Distribution in turbulent flow:

# Along a vertical:

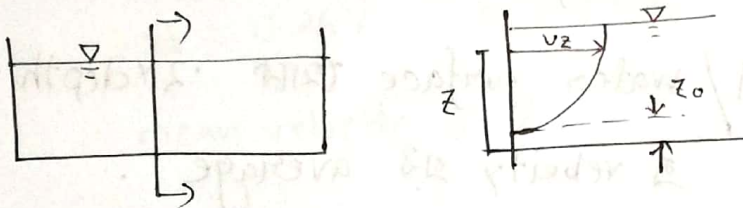
→ Wide channel

log flow profile follow  $u_z$

$u_z$  = velocity along a vertical at a distance  $z$  from channel bottom

$$\frac{u_z}{u^*} = \frac{1}{K} \ln \frac{z}{z_0}$$

$K$  = von-Karman constant (0.4).  $z_0$  = zero velocity level ( $u=0, z=z_0$ )



$z_0$  value  $z_0$   $z_0$  empirical eqn  $z_0$  (Roughness)

$z_0$  depend  $z_0$

Smooth ① Hydraulically smooth boundary  $\rightarrow$

$$\frac{u^* k_s}{\nu} \leq 5$$

$k_s$  = equivalent sand grain roughness

$$z_0 = 0.11 \frac{\nu}{u^*} \text{ (unif m)}$$

## ② Hydraulically Rough boundary:

$$\frac{u^* k_s}{\nu} \geq 70$$

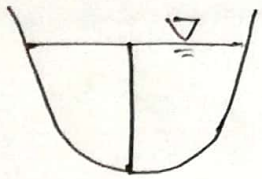
$$\therefore z_0 = 0.033 k_s$$

## ③ Transition boundary:

$$z_0 = 0.11 \frac{\nu}{u^*} + 0.033 k_s$$

# Depth-avg velocity: (ଅଧିକା channel ଓ ଉପର ଓ ଉତ୍ତର)

(point) ଓ depth measure ଅଧିକ '6 x depth from water surface ଓ ଉପ velocity ଧାରା ।



ଅ/ water surface ଉପର '2 x depth + '8 depth ଓ velocity ଓ average .

## # Cross-sectional velocity: $U$ (capital $U$ )

Boundary roughness ଓ ଓଡ଼ା depend

Smooth boundary  $\rightarrow \frac{U}{u^*} = 5.75 \log \left( \frac{3.64 u^* R}{\nu} \right)$

Rough  $\rightarrow \frac{U}{u^*} = 5.75 \log \left( \frac{12.2 R}{k_s} \right)$

Transitional  $\rightarrow \frac{U}{u^*} = 5.75 \log \left( \frac{12.2 R}{k_s + 3.35 \frac{\nu}{u^*}} \right)$

$U^*$  physically exist করে না।  $\frac{U}{U^*}$  করা হয় dimensionless quantity

পাওয়া যায়।

Non-dimensional এর জন্য wide range of application করা যায়।

Relationship coefficient ২৩ ১ এর সাহায্যে, দুটি parameter এর relation গুলো ভালো বুঝাবে।

Problem

Ex-1

Rectangular channel

Bottom width = 6m

$S_0 = 0.25\%$

$k_s = 2 \text{ mm}$

depth of flow,  $h = 0.5 \text{ m}$

mean velocity,  $U = ?$

$\nu = 10^{-6}$  assume  
এর value ল  
থাকবে

১st এ roughness boundary define করতে হবে।

$$\frac{U^* k_s}{\nu} = 205 > 70$$

Hydraulically Rough boundary

$$\frac{U}{U^*} = 5.75 \log \left( \frac{12.2 R}{k_s} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow U = 2.0169 \text{ m/s}$$

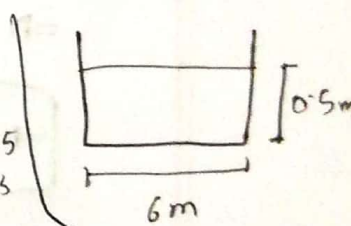
Ans

$$U^* = \sqrt{g R S_0} = 1.025 \text{ m/s}$$

$$R = A/P = 0.43 \text{ m}$$

$$A = bh = 3 \text{ m}^2$$

$$P = 6 + 0.5 + 0.5 = 7 \text{ m}$$



Uniform flow formula:

① Chezy formula:  $W \sin \theta = F_f$

1st assumption:

$W \sin \theta = \gamma A L \sin \theta$

$\Rightarrow W \sin \theta = \gamma A L S_0 = \gamma A L S_f$  — (I)

$F_f \propto v^2$

$F_f = k P L v^2$  — (II)

Total  $F_f$  এর কক্ষের জন্য অর্থোগোনাল

⊕ = ⊕ From (I) and (II),

$\gamma A L S_f = k P L v^2$

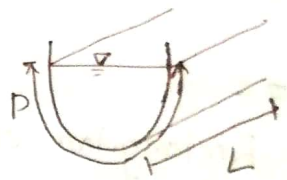
$\Rightarrow v^2 = \frac{\gamma}{k} \frac{A}{P} S_f$

$\Rightarrow v = c R^{1/2} S_f^{1/2}$

$Q = Av$   
 $= c A R^{1/2} S_f^{1/2}$

Formula is applicable for uniform flow

১) ২) uniform flow  $\Rightarrow$   $S_0, S_f$  parallel



$P L = A \pi r a$

$c =$  Chezy constant

$= \sqrt{\frac{\gamma}{k}}$

[dependent on unit of  $\gamma$  and  $k$ ]

(30-80  $m^{1/2}/s$ )  $\Rightarrow$  BOD  $\Rightarrow$

value in SI unit

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