

Kelvin Circulation Theorem (Helmholtz 1858; Kelvin 1869)

For ideal incompressible flow

$$\partial_t \vec{\omega} = \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{\omega}) \quad (62)$$

Define flux of vorticity through a surface at time  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  as

$$\int_{S_1} \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S} \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{S_2} \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S}. \quad \text{I will}$$

show that (62)  $\Rightarrow$  Kelvin Circulation Theorem:

$$\frac{d\Phi}{dt} \equiv \frac{d}{dt} \int \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \int_{S_1} \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_{S_2} \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S}. \quad (63)$$

The proof also applies to the magnetic field  $\vec{B}$ , as the induction equation has the same form as (62).

For a coil that is ...

$$\int_{S_1} \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S}$$

$$\int_{S_2} \vec{\omega} \cdot d\vec{S} \quad (64)$$

for ...



# Derivation of the time evolution of FLUX <sup>F1</sup> (Blachman 217/110)

(51a)

Let  $\frac{D}{Dt} \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla}$  be the material derivative that follows the time evolution of a quantity as fluid moves with velocity  $\vec{v}(\vec{x}, t)$ . For a vector  $\vec{A}$

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \left( \int_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} \right) = \frac{D}{Dt} \int_{S_0} \vec{A} \cdot \vec{J} dS_0, \quad (F1)$$

where  $d\vec{S}$  is a surface element on the surface that evolves as the result of the fluid motion and  $d\vec{S}_0$  is surface element of a fixed control surface (e.g. at  $t=0$ ) surface.  $\vec{J}$  is the Jacobian for the coordinate transformation.

For a surface integral, this is given by

$$\vec{J}_k = \epsilon_{kij} \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial \sigma_1} \frac{\partial x_j}{\partial \sigma_2} \quad (F2)$$

where  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2$  are local cartesian coordinates of the fixed surface element  $dS_0$  and  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  are local cartesian coordinates of evolving surface element  $dS$

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Because the right side of (1) is an integral (2)  
 over a fixed surface, we can take the  $\frac{D}{Dt}$  inside (516)  
 the integral in (1):

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} = \frac{D}{Dt} \int_{S_0} \vec{A} \cdot \vec{J} dS_0 = \int \left( \vec{J} \cdot \frac{D\vec{A}}{Dt} + \vec{A} \cdot \frac{D\vec{J}}{Dt} \right) dS_0 \quad (F3)$$

We need an expression for  $\frac{D\vec{J}}{Dt}$ . On page (F4) I  
 derive this explicitly. For the moment I just  
 take the result:

$$\frac{DJ_q}{Dt} = J_m (\delta_{mq} (\nabla \cdot \vec{v}) - \partial_q V_m) \quad (F4)$$

Using (4) and  $\left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Note} \\ (\vec{v} \cdot \nabla \vec{A})_i = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla} A_i \\ \text{in cartesian} \\ \text{coords} \end{array} \right] \quad (F5)$

$$\frac{DA_i}{Dt} = \frac{\partial A_i}{\partial t} + (\vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \vec{A})_i$$

In equation (3), we obtain

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int \underbrace{\left( \frac{\partial A_i}{\partial t} + (\vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \vec{A})_i \right) J_i}_{(a)} + \underbrace{A_q \underbrace{J_m (\delta_{mq} (\nabla \cdot \vec{v}) - \partial_q V_m)}_{(b)}}_{(F6)} dS_0$$

The contributions (a) and (b) can be combined in equation (6) giving

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(5c)

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_{S_0} \left( \frac{\partial A_i}{\partial t} + \vec{v} \cdot \nabla A_i + A_i \vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} - \vec{A} \cdot \nabla v_i \right) J_i dS_0 \quad (7)$$

Since  $J_i dS_0 = dS_i$  we now have

an integral over the moving surface in (7).

In addition, we have the vector identity

$$\vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{A}) = \vec{A} \cdot \nabla \vec{v} - \vec{v} \cdot \nabla \vec{A} - \vec{A} (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}) + \vec{v} (\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) \quad (8)$$

Using  $J_i dS_0 = dS_i$  and (8) in (7), we have

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int_S \left[ \left( \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} - \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{A}) \right) + \vec{v} (\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) \right] \cdot d\vec{S} \quad (9)$$

thus if  $\frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{A})$  AND  $\nabla \cdot \vec{A} = 0$ , then

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int_S \vec{A} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0 \quad //$$

F(4)

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Derivation of  $\frac{D\vec{J}}{Dt}$  (needed in eqn (4))

$$J_k = \epsilon_{kij} \frac{\partial X_i}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial s_2}$$

$$\frac{DJ_k}{Dt} = \epsilon_{kij} \left( \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial s_1} \frac{DX_i}{Dt} \right) \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial s_2} + \frac{\partial X_i}{\partial s_1} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial s_2} \frac{DX_j}{Dt} \right) \right) \quad (F10)$$

but  $\frac{DX_j}{Dt} = V_j$  and  $\frac{DX_i}{Dt} = V_i$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{DJ_k}{Dt} &= \epsilon_{kij} \left( \frac{\partial V_i}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial s_2} + \frac{\partial X_i}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial V_j}{\partial s_2} \right) \quad (F11) \\ &= \epsilon_{kij} \left( \frac{\partial V_i}{\partial X_m} \frac{\partial X_m}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial s_2} + \frac{\partial X_i}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial V_j}{\partial X_m} \frac{\partial X_m}{\partial s_2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Use antisymmetry of  $\epsilon_{kij}$  in index interchange between  $i \leftrightarrow j$  to obtain:

$$= \epsilon_{kij} \frac{\partial V_i}{\partial X_m} \left( \frac{\partial X_m}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial X_j}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial X_m}{\partial s_2} \right) \quad (F12)$$

now consider each component of (F12):

the  $\hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \hat{x}_3$  components of (12) obtained

by setting  $k =$  to 1, 2, and 3 respectively:

and using  $\epsilon_{kij} = -\epsilon_{kji}$  along

with the fact that  $\epsilon_{ijn}$  vanishes when any two indices are the same. Thus:

$$\frac{dJ_i}{dt} = \frac{\partial V_a}{\partial x_q} \left( \frac{\partial x_q}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_q}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_1} \right) - \frac{\partial V_b}{\partial x_q} \left( \frac{\partial x_q}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_q}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_1} \right) \quad (6)$$

- though  $q$  indices are summed,  $q=3$  does not contribute to first term and  $q=2$  does not contribute to second term.

• recognize that

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_1} &= -J_2 \\ \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_1} &= J_1 \\ \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_2} &= J_3 \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (F14)$$

using the equations of (F14), (F13)  $\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dJ_i}{dt} &= -\frac{\partial V_a}{\partial x_1} J_2 + \frac{\partial V_a}{\partial x_2} J_1 - \frac{\partial V_b}{\partial x_1} J_3 + \frac{\partial V_b}{\partial x_3} J_1 \\ &= (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V}) J_i - \vec{J} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{V}}{\partial x_i} \end{aligned} \quad (F15)$$

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analogously to (13) we have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{DJ_2}{Dt} &= \frac{\partial V_3}{\partial x_4} \left( \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_1} \right) \\ &\quad - \frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_8} \left( \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_3}{\partial s_1} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (F16)$$

similarly to the treatment below (F3), using (F4)

this reduces to:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{DJ_2}{Dt} &= -\frac{\partial V_3}{\partial x_2} J_3 + \frac{\partial V_3}{\partial x_3} J_2 + \frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_1} J_2 - \frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_2} J_1 \\ &= (\nabla \cdot \vec{v}) J_2 - \vec{J} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{v}}{\partial x_2} \end{aligned} \quad (F17)$$

Finally we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{DJ_3}{Dt} &= \frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_8} \left( \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_2}{\partial s_1} \right) - \frac{\partial V_2}{\partial x_8} \left( \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_2} - \frac{\partial x_8}{\partial s_2} \frac{\partial x_1}{\partial s_1} \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_1} J_3 - \frac{\partial V_1}{\partial x_3} J_1 - \frac{\partial V_2}{\partial x_2} J_3 - \frac{\partial V_2}{\partial x_3} J_2 \\ &= (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v}) J_3 - \vec{J} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{v}}{\partial x_3} \end{aligned} \quad (F18)$$

Combining (F15), (F17) & (F18) :

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$$\frac{D J_q}{D t} = (\nabla \cdot \vec{V}) J_q - \vec{J}_m \cdot \nabla_q \vec{V}_m$$

$$= J_m (\delta_{mq} (\nabla \cdot \vec{V}) - \partial_q V_m)$$

(F19)

which is eqn (4) ==

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F(8)  
 (514)

So eqn (F9) shows that only when  $\nabla \cdot \vec{A} = 0$  AND  $\frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} - \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{A}) = 0$  does the material derivative of flux transport hold. When  $\vec{A} = \vec{w}$  this is the Kelvin circulation theorem for vorticity lines. When  $\vec{A} = \vec{B}$  this is Alfvén's theorem (though not his proof)

Consider the case when  $\nabla \cdot \vec{A} \neq 0$ . This means a source of monopoles: (eg if  $\vec{A} = \vec{B}$ ) the magnetic monopole density would be proportional to  $\nabla \cdot \vec{B}$  (by analogy to  $\nabla \cdot \vec{E}$  for electric charge). If we set  $\vec{A} = \vec{B}$  in F9 and take advantage of the induction equation  $\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$ , then

$$\frac{D}{Dt} \int \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S} = \int \vec{v} \cdot (\nabla \cdot \vec{B}) d\vec{S} \quad (F20)$$

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like an advection of magnetic charge

(There is more to be said about the interpretation of F20, we will discuss...)

# Analogy between vorticity & B-field

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Maxwell's equations:

$$\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} + \nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0 \quad (70)$$

$$\frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{E}}{\partial t} + \nabla \times \mathbf{B} = \frac{4\pi \mathbf{J}}{c} \quad (71)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E} = 4\pi \rho \quad (72)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{B} = 0 \quad (73)$$

Ohm's Law:

results from subtracting momentum equations for positive and negative charges. That is one integrates Boltzmann equation for "+" and "-" charges in presence of electromagnetic force. The result is

$$\mathbf{E} + \frac{\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}}{c} = \eta \mathbf{J} + \left( \frac{1}{ne} \mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B} - \frac{1}{ne} \nabla p_e - \frac{m_e}{ne} \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{J}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{v}_e \cdot \nabla \mathbf{J} \right) + \eta_2 \nabla^2 \mathbf{J} \right) \quad (74)$$

↓ MHD Ohm's Law

(Generalized Ohm's law also includes)

these plasma terms are "usually" small for "colder denser" plasmas or astrophysics; they are important for "hot diffuse" plasmas in the lab

(Using MHD Ohm's law in (70):

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}) - \eta \nabla \times \mathbf{J} \quad (75)$$

$$\cong \nabla \times (\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}) \quad \text{for } \eta = 0$$

thus

$$\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{B}) \text{ in ideal MHD}$$

so that  $\frac{d}{dt} \int \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S} = 0$  by analogy

to the ideal circulation theorem.

This is flux freezing since  $\int \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{S} = \Phi$

is magnetic flux. The interpretation

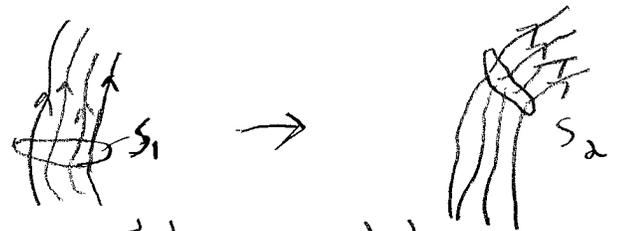
for magnetic flux freezing is identical

to vortex line freezing: As we

follow fluid elements that constitute a surface  $S_1$  at  $t_1$  as they evolve to surface  $S_2$  at  $t_2$ ,

the normal component of vorticity or magnetic field adjusts to conserve

the respective fluxes, E.g.



$$\begin{aligned} \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{\omega}_1 &= \vec{S}_2 \cdot \vec{\omega}_2 \\ \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{B} &= \vec{S}_2 \cdot \vec{B} \end{aligned}$$

How far can one take the analogy between vorticity and magnetic field?  
 Topic of discussion...

## Viscous flows

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ideal fluids are assumed to have no viscosity. This means that  $P_{ij} = p\delta_{ij} + \pi_{ij}$  and that the forces on a fluid surface are normal to that surface.

Force density  $\propto \nabla_i P_{ij}$  so  $j$ th component of force is  $F_j \propto \int \nabla_i P_{ij} dV = \int P_{ij} dS_i$

but if  $\pi_{ij} = 0$ , then  $F_j \propto \int P dS_j$

So that force points  $\perp$  to the surface  $dS_j$  and since vector area has direction  $\perp$  surface.

But this violates our common experience: moving your hand through water you feel a "drag" force which is a force between different layers in a fluid, not a normal force. Thus  $\pi_{ij}$  cannot in general be zero. We showed earlier that the fluid momentum equation

with viscosity can be written

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$$\frac{\partial \vec{v}}{\partial t} + \vec{v} \cdot \nabla \vec{v} = \vec{F} - \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla p + \nu \nabla^2 \vec{v} \quad (76)$$

where  $\nu \equiv \frac{\mu}{\rho}$  and we have ignored both spatial dependence of  $\nu$  and  $\nabla \cdot \vec{v}$  term in  $\Pi_{ij}$ .

this is the Navier-Stokes equation (reduces to Euler equation with  $\nu = 0$ )  $\nu$  is called the kinematic viscosity.

The presence of the  $\nu$  term means that vorticity is no longer conserved:

taking curl of (76)  $\Rightarrow$

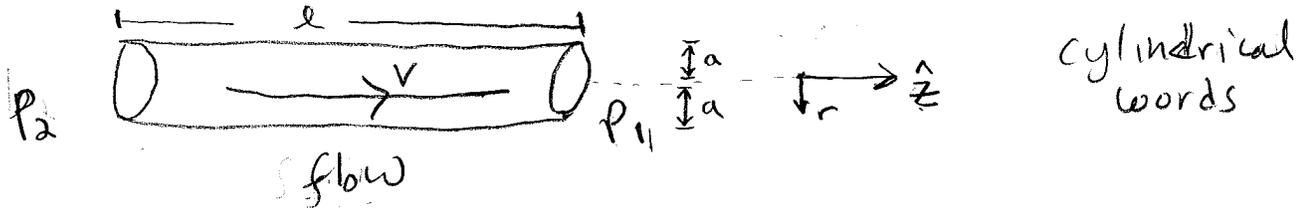
$$\frac{\partial \vec{\omega}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{\omega}) + \underbrace{\nu \nabla^2 \vec{\omega}}_{\text{allows vorticity flux dissipation}}$$

( similarly non-ideal MHD )

$$\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = \nabla \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{B}) + \underbrace{\nu_m \nabla^2 \vec{B}}_{\text{allows magnetic dissipation}}$$

# Viscous flow through pipe

Consider steady flow of incompressible viscous fluid through pipe of circular cross section.



$$P_2 - P_1 = \Delta P \quad \text{pressure drives the flow}$$

For incompressible flow,  $v$  should not depend

$$\text{on } z \therefore \rho VA = \text{constant}, \text{ where } A \text{ is}$$

cross sectional area.  $\Rightarrow v = \text{constant for } \rho, A \text{ constant.}$

Thus we have  $v_z = v_z(r)$ .

From steady Nav-Stokes eqn:

$$-\nabla p = \underbrace{\vec{v} \cdot \nabla \vec{v}}_{(\vec{v}_z \partial_z v_z = 0)} + \mu \nabla^2 \vec{v}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-\Delta p}{l} = \mu \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} \right) \quad \text{in cylindrical coords. (77)}$$

2nd order equation so we need

2 boundary conditions  $\rightarrow$

First boundary condition is that

$v_z = 0$  at wall of pipe. For pipe of

radius  $a$ ,  $v = 0$  at  $r = a$

Second boundary condition is that  $v(r)$

profile is symmetric and smooth around  $r = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dr} = 0 \text{ at } r = 0.$$

Integrating (77) with the two bdy conds

integrate  
once

$$-\frac{\Delta P}{2l} r^2 = \mu r \frac{dv}{dr} + C_1 \quad \text{since } \frac{dv}{dr} = 0 \text{ at } r = 0$$

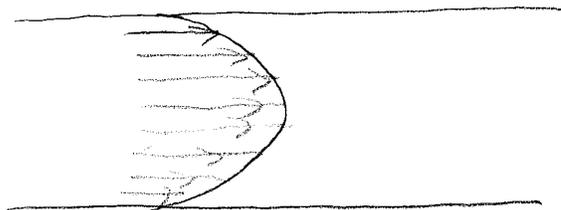
integrate  
again :

$$-\frac{\Delta P}{4\mu l} r^2 + C_2 = v$$

$$C_2 = \frac{a^2 \Delta P}{4\mu l} \Rightarrow$$

$$v(r) = \frac{\Delta P}{4\mu l} (a^2 - r^2) \quad (78)$$

the velocity profile is parabolic!



Mass flux through pipe is given by

$$Q = \int_0^a \rho v(r) \cdot 2\pi r dr, \text{ using (78)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{Q = \frac{\pi \Delta p}{8 \nu L} a^4} \quad (79)$$

where  $\nu = \frac{\mu}{\rho}$

(79) is Poiseuille's formula and can be used to measure viscosity of liquids! :

① measure  $\Delta p$  ② measure  $Q$  ③  $L, a$  are known from pipe shape. ①, ②, ③ imply viscosity can be measured.

The parabolic shape just described is valid for laminar flows which occur at relatively slow velocities but not valid for turbulent flows which occur at larger velocities. The sense of "large" and "small" needs to be made precise  $\longrightarrow$