

1. A viscous flow of viscosity  $\mu$  is given by the stream function (20%)

$$\psi = -Axy, \quad A > 0.$$

Assume that there is no body force. You are asked to obtain a relation between the pressure, density,  $A$ ,  $x$ , and  $y$ .

2. Show that (20%)

$$\phi = Ar^{\frac{\pi}{\alpha}} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{\alpha}\theta\right)$$

is a velocity potential of an inviscid flow, where  $A$  and  $\alpha$  are constants, and  $r, \theta$  are the polar coordinates.

3. The two-dimensional steady incompressible uniform flow over a flat plate will produce (20%) a boundary layer flow. The boundary flow has the following governing equations

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0$$

$$u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial p}{\partial y} = 0$$

where  $u, v$  are the velocity components in  $x$  and  $y$ -directions, respectively,  $p$  is the pressure, and  $\rho$  is the density.

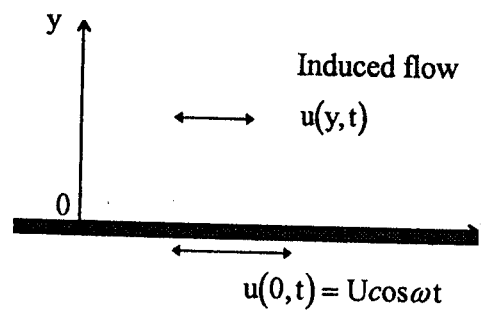
- a. Derive the von Karman momentum integral equation for the boundary layer flow. (8%)
- b. Assume linear variation of velocity within the boundary, say  $\frac{u}{U} = \frac{y}{\delta}$ , where  $U$  is the free stream velocity,  $\delta = \delta(x)$  is the boundary layer thickness. Prove that the boundary thickness satisfy the following relation

$$\delta = \delta(x) = \frac{3.46x}{\sqrt{Re_x}}$$

where  $Re_x = \frac{\rho U x}{\mu}$  (8%)

- c. Draw a schematic diagram to show a more correct velocity distribution within the boundary layer, and discuss why the above boundary layer thickness of item(2) is underestimated. (The exact solution is  $\delta = \frac{5x}{\sqrt{Re_x}}$ .) (4 %)

4. Consider viscous flow over an oscillating wall of infinite length, as shown (20%)



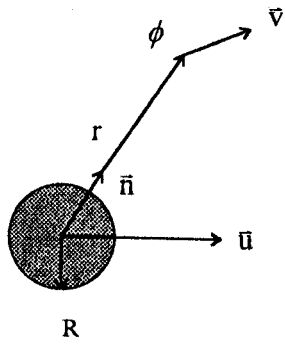
- (a) Write down the governing equations and boundary conditions to describe the problem.
- (b) Find the final solution of the velocity distribution  $u(y,t)$  in the flow field.
- (c) Show that for the height  $\delta$  above which the induced flow velocity is less than  $0.01U$ .

$$\delta = 6.4 \left( \frac{\omega}{\nu} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

Note : The fluid kinematic viscosity is  $\nu$ .

5. An infinite cylinder of radius  $R$  moving perpendicular to its axis with velocity  $\bar{u}$  in an incompressible ideal fluid.

- (a) Determine the velocity potential  $\phi$  of flow past the cylinder.
- (b) Find the velocity distribution  $\bar{v}$  in the flow field.
- (c) Find the pressure distribution  $p$  on the cylinder surface.



$r$  : distance from center of cylinder to a position in flow field.  
 $\bar{n}$  : outward normal vector of cylinder surface along  $r$ .