

# ME-662 CONVECTIVE HEAT AND MASS TRANSFER

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# Integral Method - Ext BLs - 1 L29( $\frac{1}{19}$ )

- 1 The **Integral Momentum Eqn (IME)** is applicable to laminar, transition and turbulent BLs ( lecture 10 )

$$\frac{d \delta_2}{d x} + \frac{1}{U_\infty} \frac{d U_\infty}{d x} (2 \delta_2 + \delta_1) = \frac{C_{f,x}}{2} + \frac{V_w}{U_\infty}$$
$$\delta_1 = \int_0^\delta \left(1 - \frac{u}{U_\infty}\right) d y \quad \text{and} \quad \delta_2 = \int_0^\delta \frac{u}{U_\infty} \left(1 - \frac{u}{U_\infty}\right) d y$$

- 2 In each flow regime appropriate profiles of  $u/U_\infty$  must be specified.
- 3 We consider **Fully turbulent boundary layer** starting from  $x = 0$  ( leading edge ) or from  $x = x_{te}$  ( end of transition )

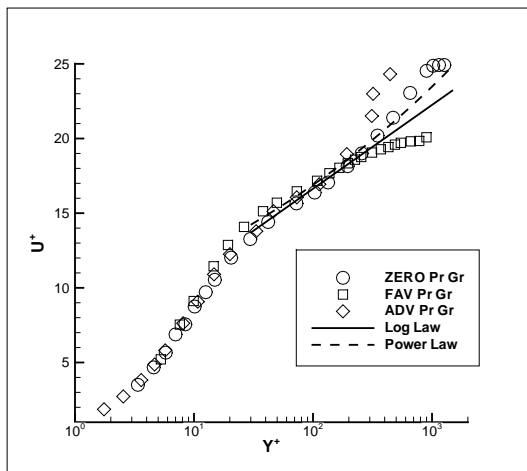
# Power Law Assumption - L29( $\frac{2}{19}$ )

- 1 Evaluations of  $\delta_1$  and  $\delta_2$  are negligibly affected in TBLs when Laminar sub-layer and transition layers are ignored.
- 2 Then, only fully turbulent vel profile ( universal logarithmic law ( inner ) + law of the wake ( outer ) ) suffices.
- 3 However, integration as well as evaluation of  $C_{f,x} = \tau_w / (\rho U_\infty^2)$  becomes extremely involved.
- 4 Hence, for an impermeable smooth wall (  $v_w = 0$  ), a power-law is assumed

$$u^+ = a y^{+b} \quad a \simeq 8.75 \quad \text{and} \quad b = 1./7.$$

- 5 This 1 / 7th power law fits the logarithmic law well upto  $y^+ \simeq 1500$  and also fits the exptl data in the wake-region better than log-law ( see next slide )

# Comparison with Expt Data - L29( $\frac{3}{19}$ )



# Use of power law - $v_w = 0$ - L29( $\frac{4}{19}$ )

① Then, it follows that

$$\frac{u}{U_\infty} = \left(\frac{y}{\delta}\right)^{1/7} \text{ integration gives}$$

$$\frac{\delta_1}{\delta} = 0.125, \quad \frac{\delta_2}{\delta} = \frac{7}{72} = 0.097, \quad H = \frac{\delta_1}{\delta_2} = 1.29$$

② Now, unlike in laminar flows,  $\tau_w = \rho u_\tau^2$  is evaluated from  $(U_\infty/u_\tau) = 8.75 (\delta u_\tau/\nu)^{1/7}$  giving

$$\frac{C_{f,x}}{2} = \frac{\tau_w}{\rho U_\infty^2} = 0.0225 \left(\frac{U_\infty \delta}{\nu}\right)^{-0.25} = 0.0125 \left(\frac{U_\infty \delta_2}{\nu}\right)^{-0.25}$$

③ Both expressions are very good approximations to mildly adv pr gr through to highly fav. pr. gr and upto  $Re_x \simeq 10^7$ .

# Solving Int Mom Eqn - L29( $\frac{5}{19}$ )

- ① Substituting for  $\delta_1$  and  $C_{f,x}$  with  $v_w = 0$  gives

$$\frac{d \delta_2}{dx} = 0.0125 \left( \frac{U_\infty \delta_2}{\nu} \right)^{-0.25} - 3.29 \frac{\delta_2}{U_\infty} \frac{d U_\infty}{dx} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ U_\infty^{4.11} \delta_2^{1.25} \right] = 0.0156 \nu^{0.25} U_\infty^{3.86} \quad \text{integration gives}$$

$$U_\infty^{4.11} \delta_2^{1.25} \Big|_x = U_\infty^{4.11} \delta_2^{1.25} \Big|_{x_{in}} + 0.0156 \nu^{0.25} \int_{x_{in}}^x U_\infty^{3.86} dx$$

- ② If TBL originates at the leading edge ( $x_{in} = 0$ )

$$\delta_2 = \frac{0.036 \nu^{0.2}}{U_\infty^{3.29}} \left( \int_0^x U_\infty^{3.86} dx \right)^{0.8} \rightarrow C_{f,x} = 0.025 \left( \frac{U_\infty \delta_2}{\nu} \right)^{-0.25}$$

$\delta_2$  and  $C_{f,x}$  can be evaluated for any arbitrary variation of  $U_\infty$  from mildly adv pr gr through to highly fav. pr. gr

For  $U_\infty = \text{const}$ ,  $C_{f,x,dpdx=0} = 0.0574 \left( \frac{U_\infty x}{\nu} \right)^{-0.2}$

# Highly Adv Pr Gr & $v_w$ - L29( $\frac{6}{19}$ )

1 For these cases, IME is again written as

$$\frac{d \delta_2}{d x} + \frac{\delta_2}{U_\infty} \frac{d U_\infty}{d x} (2 + H) = \frac{C_{f,x}}{2} + \frac{V_w}{U_\infty}$$

2 Now,  $H$  and  $C_{f,x}$  are modeled as

$$H = \left[ 1 - G \sqrt{C_{f,x}/2.0} \right]^{-1}$$

$$G \simeq 6.2 (1.43 + \beta + B)^{0.482}, \quad \beta = \frac{\delta_1}{\tau_w} \frac{dp}{dx}, \quad B = \frac{v_w/U_\infty}{C_{f,x}/2}$$

$$C_{f,x} = C_{f,x,dpdx=0} \times (1 + 0.2 \beta)^{-1} \quad (\text{Crawford and Kays}), \text{ or}$$

$$C_{f,x} = 0.246 \times 10^{-0.678 H} \times Re_{\delta_2}^{-0.268} \quad (\text{Ludwig and Tilman})$$

$$C_{f,x} = 0.336 \times \{ \ln (854.6 \delta_2/y_{re}) \}^{-2} \quad (\text{rough surface})$$

Valid for  $-1.43 < \beta + B < 12$ . Iterative soln of IME is required.



# Complete BL Prediction - 1 - L29( $\frac{7}{19}$ )

## Laminar Regime

- 1 For given  $U_\infty(x)$  and  $v_w(x)$ , evaluate  $\delta_{2,l}(x)$
- 2 Hence, evaluate  $\kappa = (\delta_{2,l}^2/\nu) dU_\infty/dx$ ,  $H = \delta_{1,l}/\delta_{2,l}$  and  $S = \delta_{2,l}/\delta_{4,l}$ .
- 3 Hence evaluate  $C_{f,x,l}$  - **subscript l for laminar**
- 4 Continue calculations until **Onset of transition** using Cebeci or Fraser and Milne criterion ( lecture 28 ).  
Note the values of  $x_{t,s}$  and **End of transition** (  $x_{te} - x_{ts}$  )

# Complete BL Prediction - 2 - L29( $\frac{8}{19}$ )

In the Transition regime

$$\left(\frac{u}{U_\infty}\right)_{tr} = (1 - \gamma) \left(\frac{u}{U_\infty}\right)_l + \gamma \left(\frac{u}{U_\infty}\right)_t$$

$$\gamma = 1 - \exp(-5 \xi^3) \quad \xi = (x - x_{ts}) / (x_{te} - x_{ts})$$

$$\delta_{1,tr} = (1 - \gamma) \delta_{1,l} + \gamma \delta_{1,t}$$

$$\delta_{2,tr} = (1 - \gamma) \{ (1 - \gamma) \delta_{2,l} - \gamma \delta_{1,l} \}$$

$$+ \gamma \{ \gamma \delta_{2,t} - (1 - \gamma) \delta_{1,t} \}$$

$$+ 2 \gamma (1 - \gamma) \int_0^\delta \left[ 1 - \left(\frac{u}{U_\infty}\right)_l \left(\frac{u}{U_\infty}\right)_t \right] dy$$

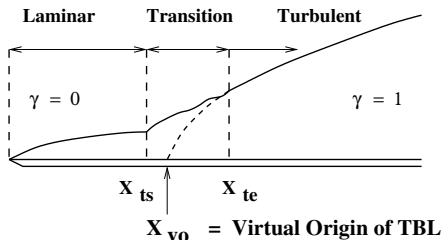
$$H_{tr} = \delta_{1,tr} / \delta_{2,tr}$$

$$C_{f,x,tr} = (1 - \gamma) C_{f,x,l} + \gamma C_{f,x,t}$$

$$\left(\frac{u}{U_\infty}\right)_t = \left(\frac{y}{\delta_t}\right)^{1/n} \rightarrow n = \frac{2}{H_t - 1} \rightarrow \delta_t = \delta_{2,t} \frac{H_t (H_t + 1)}{H_t - 1}$$

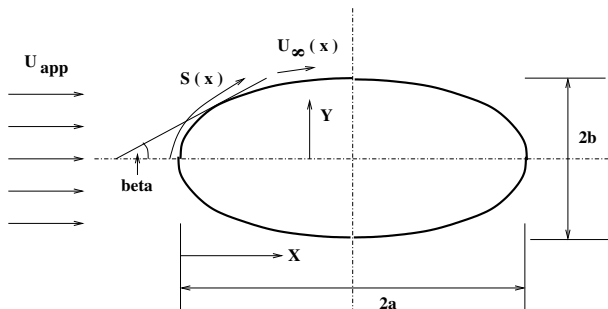
# Complete BL Prediction - 3 - L29( $\frac{9}{19}$ )

- 1 To compute in **Turbulent regime**, we define  $x_{vo} - x_{ts} = 0.126 (x_{te} - x_{ts})$
- 2 Define  $x' = x - x_{vo}$  and **commence soln of turbulent IME** where at  $x' = 0$ , arbitrarily,  $\delta_{2,t} = 0.2 \delta_{2,l}$ ,  $H_t = 1.5$  and  $C_{f,x,t} = 0.99 C_{f,x,l}$
- 3 At  $x'_{te} = x_{te} - x_{vo}$ , the appropriate specifications are  $\delta_{2,t} = \delta_{2,tr}$ ,  $H_t = H_{tr}$  and  $C_{f,x,t} = C_{f,x,tr}$  and laminar calculations are stopped.



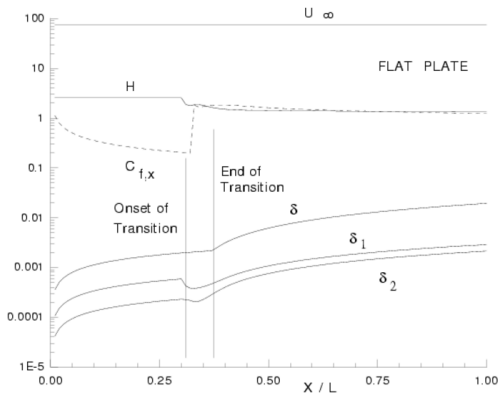
For  $x' > x'_{te}$ , turbulent IME is solved iteratively as described in slide 5. With  $\Delta x' = 0.25 \delta_{2,t}$ , convergence is obtained in  $\leq 4$  iterations.

# Solns for Ellipse Family - L29( $\frac{10}{19}$ )



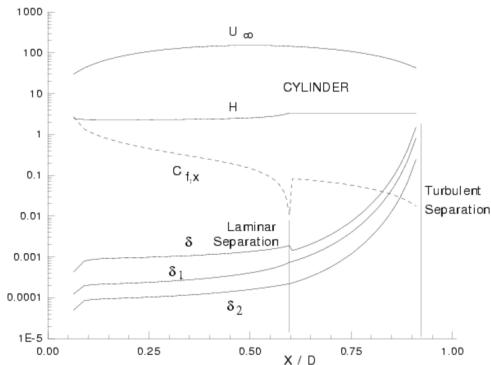
- 1  $a, b, U_{app}, \rho$  and  $\mu$  are specified.  $Re = (\rho U_{app} 2a) / \mu$
- 2  $U_{\infty} = U_{app} \times (1 + b/a) \times \cos(\beta)$  where  $\beta$  is function of  $x$
- 3  $S(x)$  is distance along the surface.
- 4  $(b/a) > 0$  ( Ellipse ),  $= 1.0$  ( cylinder ),  $= 0$  ( flat plate )

# Flat Plate - L29( $\frac{11}{19}$ )



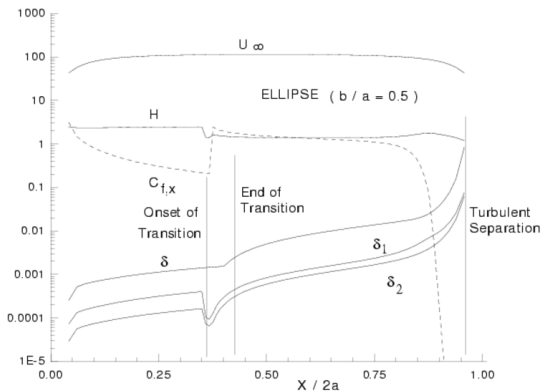
- 1  $L = 2a$ ,  $Re_L = 10^7$ ,  $C_{f,x} \times 500$  are plotted.
- 2  $(x_{ts}/L) = 0.31$ ,  $(x_{te}/L) = 0.4342$ ,  $(x_{vo}/L) = 0.325$

# Cylinder - L29( $\frac{12}{19}$ )



- 1  $D = 2a$ ,  $Re_D = 10^7$ ,  $C_{f,x} \times 500$  are plotted.
- 2 Laminar Separation at  $(x_{sep}/D) = 0.597$   
 $\equiv$  Turbulent Reattachment assumed
- 3 Turbulent Separation at  $(x_{sep}/D) = 0.812$

# Ellipse ( $\frac{b}{a} = 0.5$ ) - L29( $\frac{13}{19}$ )



- 1  $Re_{2a} = 10^7$ ,  $C_{f,x} \times 500$  are plotted.
- 2  $(x_{ts}/2a) = 0.3588$ ,  $(x_{te}/2a) = 0.4284$ ,  $(x_{vo}/2a) = 0.3676$
- 3 Turbulent Separation at  $(x_{sep}/2a) = 0.958$

# Similarity Method for TBL - L29( $\frac{14}{19}$ )

- ① The differential eqn governing TBL can be written as

$$u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = U_{\infty} \frac{dU_{\infty}}{dx} + \nu \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[ (1 + \nu_t^+) \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right]$$

where  $\nu_t^+ = \nu_t/\nu$  and  $\nu_t$  is given by Prandtl's mixing length.

- ② To convert this eqn to an ODE, we invoke following similarity variables

$$\eta \equiv y \times \frac{U_{\infty}}{\sqrt{2 \nu L V \xi}} \quad \psi \equiv \sqrt{2 \nu L V \xi} \times f(\xi, \eta)$$

$$\xi \equiv \frac{1}{L V} \int_0^x U_{\infty} dx \quad \beta \equiv \frac{2}{U_{\infty}^2} \frac{dU_{\infty}}{dx} \int_0^x U_{\infty} dx$$

$$\frac{d}{d\eta} \left[ (1 + \nu_t^+) f'' \right] + f f'' + \beta (1 - f'^2) = 2 \xi \left( f' \frac{df'}{d\xi} - f'' \frac{df}{d\xi} \right)$$

with  $f(\xi, 0) = f'(\xi, 0) = 0$ ,  $f'(\xi, \infty) = 1.0$ .  $U_{\infty}(x)$  is prescribed arbitrary variation. L and V - reference scales.



# Sim Meth for Eq. BLs - L29( $\frac{15}{19}$ )

- 1 The Eqn of previous slide can be used for flow over an ellipse, for example, with  $U_\infty = U_{app} \times (1 + b/a) \times \cos(\beta)$  and  $\nu_t^+ = 0$  (Lam) and  $\nu_{tr}^+ = (1 - \gamma) + \gamma \nu_t^+$  (Trans)
- 2 When  $U_\infty = C x^m$ , (Equilibrium BLs), we have

$$\eta = y \times \sqrt{\left(\frac{U_\infty}{\nu x}\right) \left(\frac{m+1}{2}\right)}$$

$$\psi = \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{m+1}\right) (U_\infty \nu x)} \times f(x, \eta)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{d\eta} \left[ (1 + \nu_t^+) f'' \right] + f f'' + \left(\frac{2m}{m+1}\right) (1 - f'^2) \\ = x \left( f' \frac{df'}{dx} - f'' \frac{df}{dx} \right) \end{aligned}$$

with  $f(x, 0) = f'(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $f'(x, \infty) = 1.0$ .

## Soln Procedure - L29( $\frac{16}{19}$ )

- 1 The presence of axial derivatives on the RHS requires iterative solution.
- 2 Therefore, at first  $\Delta x$ , Set RHS = 0 and solve 3rd order ODE to predict  $f$ ,  $f'$  and  $f''$  as functions of  $\eta$
- 3 At subsequent  $\Delta x$ 's, evaluate the RHS from  $df/dx = (f_x - f_{x-\Delta x})/\Delta x$  etc and solve the 3rd order ODE by Runge-Kutta method.
- 4 Using the new  $f$ ,  $f'$  and  $f''$  distributions, evaluate the RHS and Solve the ODE again
- 5 Go to step 3 until predicted  $f$ -distributions between iterations converge within a tolerance.
- 6 For further refinements of this method see **Cebeci and Cousteix**, *Modeling and Computation of Boundary-Layer Flows*, 2nd ed, Springer, ( 2005 )

## F. D. Pipe Flow - 1 - L29( $\frac{17}{19}$ )

- ① In lecture 26, it was shown that the **log-law predicts the vel profile remarkably well upto the pipe center line** . Then

$$\bar{u} = \frac{2}{R^2} \int_0^R u r dr$$

$$\bar{u}^+ = \frac{2}{R^{+2}} \int_0^{R^+} u^+ (R^+ - y^+) dy^+ \rightarrow y = R - r$$

- ② Since  $R^+ = O(1000)$ , contribution to the integral upto  $y^+ = 30$  is negligible. **Writing log-law as  $y^+ = E^{-1} \exp(\kappa u^+)$** , where  $E = 9.152$  and  $\kappa = 0.41$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{u}^+ &= \frac{2\kappa}{ER^{+2}} \int_0^{u_{cl}^+} u^+ \{R^+ - E^{-1} \exp(\kappa u^+)\} \exp(\kappa u^+) du^+ \\ &= u_{cl}^+ - \frac{3}{2\kappa} + \frac{2}{\kappa ER^+} - \frac{1}{\kappa E^2 R^{+2}} \simeq u_{cl}^+ - \frac{3}{2\kappa} \end{aligned}$$

where subscript cl = centerline

## F. D. Pipe Flow - 2 - L29( $\frac{18}{19}$ )

- 1 The last expression shows that

$$u_{cl}^+ = \bar{u}^+ + 3.66 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{f}} + 3.66 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{0.046 Re^{-0.2}}} + 3.66$$

- 2 Taking  $Re = 50,000$ ,  $u_{cl}^+ = 23.11$  or  $(\bar{u}/u_{cl}) = 1 - 3.66/23.11 = 0.84$  or  $(u_{cl}/\bar{u}) \simeq 1.19$ .  $u_{cl}^+$  increases and  $(u_{cl}/\bar{u})$  decreases with increase in  $Re$ .

- 3 Further, writing  $u_{cl}^+ = \kappa^{-1} \ln(E R^+)$ , we have

$$\bar{u}^+ = \frac{1}{\kappa} \ln\left(\frac{E}{2} Re \sqrt{\frac{f}{2}}\right) - 3.66 \quad \text{or}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{2}{f}} = \frac{1}{0.41} \ln\left(\frac{9.152}{2} Re \sqrt{\frac{f}{2}}\right) - 3.66 \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{f}{2} = 0.168 \left[ \ln\left(1.021 Re \sqrt{\frac{f}{2}}\right) \right]^{-2} \quad \text{implicit formula}$$

## F. D. Pipe Flow - 3 - L29( $\frac{19}{19}$ )

- ① To derive an explicit formula for  $f$ , we use Power law profile  $u^+ = a y^{+b}$ . Then, evaluating  $\bar{u}^+$

$$\frac{f}{2} = \left[ \left( \frac{(1+b)(2+b)}{2a} \right) \times \left( \frac{2}{Re} \right)^b \right]^{2/(1+b)}$$

- ② For  $a = 8.75$  and  $b = 1/7$ ,  $f = 0.079 Re^{-0.25}$  ( $Re < 50000$ )  
For  $a = 10.3$  and  $b = 1/9$ ,  $f = 0.046 Re^{-0.2}$  ( $Re > 50000$ )
- ③ For a Rough pipe, log-law is given by (lecture 28)  
 $u^+ = \kappa^{-1} \ln(y^+/y_{re}^+) + 8.48 = \kappa^{-1} \ln(29.73 y^+/y_{re}^+)$ . Then, carrying out integration as before, it can be shown that

$$\frac{f}{2} = \left[ 2.5 \ln\left(\frac{D}{y_{re}}\right) + 3.0 \right]^{-2}$$

This eqn is independent of Reynolds number.