

**Today, we will:**

- Finish discussing Reynolds stress turbulence models
- Look at the summary chart for turbulence models
- Start solving some turbulent flow problems! – Start with channel flow.
- Do **Candy Questions for Candy Friday**

RSM (comments)

• K appears in several terms

$$- \rho \overline{u_i u_j} = \tau_{ij, turb}$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2} \overline{u_i u_i} \rightarrow K = \frac{-1}{2\rho} \tau_{ii, turb} \quad (\text{Trace})$$

Fluct → 2D RSM → solve  $P, U, V + \overline{uu}, \overline{vv}, \overline{ww}, \overline{uv}, \epsilon, K$

3D  $P, U, V, W + \overline{uu}, \overline{vv}, \overline{ww}, \overline{uv}, \overline{vw}, \overline{uw}, \epsilon, K$

$\epsilon$  eq. → Not same as  $\epsilon$  eq in K- $\epsilon$  model

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RSM - no eddy viscosity

eddy viscosity appears in the eq.

C. SUMMARY OF RSM

- Advant: • Generally perform better than 2- $\epsilon$ . models: (not always)
- more physics
  - transport eqs for all 6 components of R.S.
  - especially good for flows with large anisotropy

eg Curved ducts, cyclones, separated flows  
 rotating flows, flows with secondary flows

Orlando: RDM 4 eqs + 7 new transport eqs } 11 trans. eq.  
 [8 in fluent] } [12 in fluent]

compared to

K-ε 4 eqs + 2 new ones } 6 transport eq.  
 [6 in fluent]

• Eqs get stiffer - converges slower

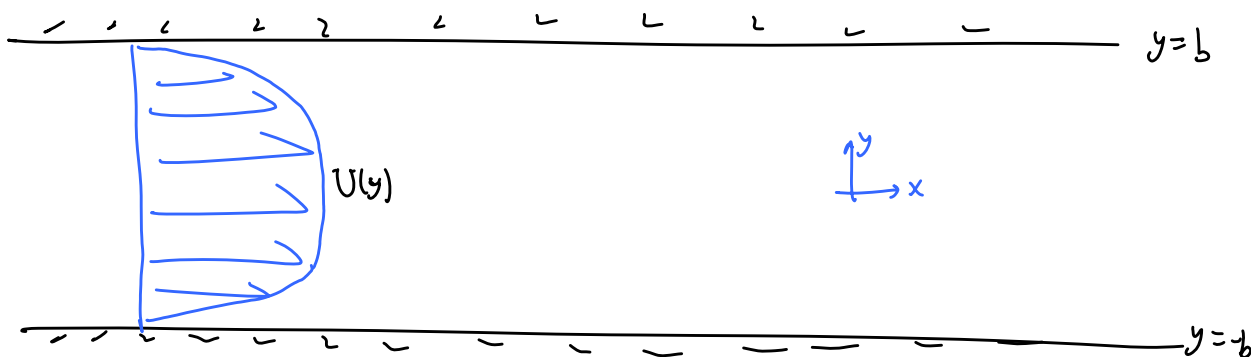
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Look at the summary chart

## F. TURBULENT FLOW SOLUTIONS

### 1. Turbulent Channel Flow (Fully developed)

#### a. Analytical analysis (as far as we can go)



Approx / Assumptions

(1) infinite, parallel walls

(2)  $z=0 \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial z}(\bar{\quad}) = 0$

(3) incompressible & neglect gravity

(4) Fully developed  $\rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\bar{\quad}) = 0$

except  $\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} \neq 0$  (Pressure drives the flow)

(5) stationary  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}(\bar{\quad}) = 0$

(6) parallel flow  $\rightarrow V = W = 0 \quad [U \neq 0]$

Mean Eqs:

Cont:  $\frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_i} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial V}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial W}{\partial z} = 0$   
(4) (6) (6)

Mom:  $\rho \left[ \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial t} + U_j \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} \right] = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial U_i}{\partial x_j} - \rho \overline{u_i u_j} \right]$   
(5)

3 components:

X-mom:  $\rho U \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} + \rho V \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} + \rho W \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial U}{\partial x} - \rho \overline{u^2} \right]$   
(4) (6) (6) keep (4) #0

$+ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} - \rho \overline{uv} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial U}{\partial z} - \rho \overline{uw} \right]$   
keep (2)

$0 = -\frac{\partial P}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial U}{\partial y} - \rho \overline{uv} \right]$  (1)

Use Boussinesq eddy viscosity model to estimate (approximate)  $\overline{v'w'}$  for this flow

$$\tau_{ij}^{\text{turb}} = -\rho \overline{u_i u_j} = -\frac{2}{3} \rho K \delta_{ij} + 2\mu_e E_{ij}$$

for  $\overline{v'w'}$   $\begin{matrix} i=2 \\ j=3 \end{matrix}$   $\rightarrow$   $-\frac{2}{3} \rho K \delta_{23} + 2\mu_e \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial U_2}{\partial x_3} + \frac{\partial U_3}{\partial x_2} \right)$

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$\frac{\partial v}{\partial t}$      $\frac{\partial w}{\partial y}$

$\therefore \overline{v'w'} = 0$  in this flow (if Boussinesq is *parallel flow* applied)

y-mom:

$$\rho \frac{Dv}{Dt} = -\frac{dp}{dy} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [\ ] + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} - \rho \overline{v'^2} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [\ ]$$

(5)                      fully dev.                      (6)                      (2)

$$\frac{dp}{dy} = -\rho \frac{d}{dy} (\overline{v'^2}) \quad (2)$$

z-mom:

$$\rho \frac{Dw}{Dt} = -\frac{dp}{dz} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} [\ ] + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left[ \mu \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} - \rho \overline{v'w'} \right] + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} [\ ]$$

$$0 = \frac{d}{dy} (\overline{v'w'}) \rightarrow \text{integrate: } \overline{v'w'} = \text{constant everywhere}$$

@ wall,  $\overline{v'w'} = 0 \therefore \text{const} = 0$

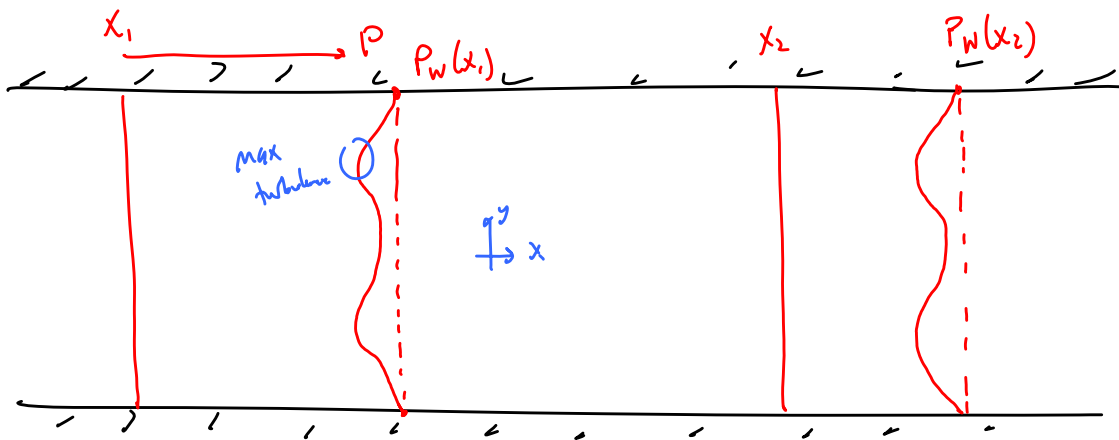
$\therefore \overline{v'w'} = 0$  everywhere

{Agrees with Boussinesq.}

Integrate (2)  $P = -\rho \bar{v}^2 + f(x)$

Specify  $P = P_w$  at either wall,  $\uparrow$  func. of  $x$  at  $y = \pm b$ ,  $P = P_w(x)$   
 $\bar{v}^2 = 0$  @  $y = \pm b$

$$P(x, y) = P_w(x) - \rho \bar{v}^2(y)$$



Same  $P$  profile — not changing with  $x$   
except that  $P_w$  decreases with  $x$