

# Chapter 12

## BERNOULLI AND ENERGY EQUATIONS

This chapter deals with two equations commonly used in fluid mechanics: Bernoulli and energy equations. The *Bernoulli equation* is concerned with the conservation of kinetic, potential, and flow energies of a fluid stream and their conversion to each other in regions of flow where net viscous forces are negligible and where other restrictive conditions apply. The *energy equation* is a statement of the conservation of energy principle. In fluid mechanics, it is found convenient to separate *mechanical energy* from *thermal energy* and to consider the conversion of mechanical energy to thermal energy as a result of frictional effects as *mechanical energy loss*. Then the energy equation becomes the *mechanical energy balance*.

We start this chapter with a discussion of various forms of mechanical energy and the efficiency of mechanical work devices such as pumps and turbines. Then we derive the Bernoulli equation by applying Newton's second law to a fluid element along a streamline and demonstrate its use in a variety of applications. We continue with the development of the energy equation in a form suitable for use in fluid mechanics and introduce the concept of *head loss*. Finally, we apply the energy equation to various engineering systems.

### Objectives

The objectives of this chapter are to:

- Recognize various forms of mechanical energy, and work with energy conversion efficiencies
- Understand the use and limitations of the Bernoulli equation, and apply it to solve a variety of fluid flow problems
- Work with the energy equation expressed in terms of heads, and use it to determine turbine power output and pumping power requirements

## 12-1 ■ MECHANICAL ENERGY AND EFFICIENCY

Many fluid systems are designed to transport a fluid from one location to another at a specified flow rate, velocity, and elevation difference, and the system may generate mechanical work in a turbine or it may consume mechanical work in a pump or fan during this process. These systems do not involve the conversion of nuclear, chemical, or thermal energy to mechanical energy. Also, they do not involve heat transfer in any significant amount, and they operate essentially at constant temperature. Such systems can be analyzed conveniently by considering only the *mechanical forms of energy* and the frictional effects that cause the mechanical energy to be lost (i.e., to be converted to thermal energy that usually cannot be used for any useful purpose).

The **mechanical energy** is defined as *the form of energy that can be converted to mechanical work completely and directly by an ideal mechanical device such as an ideal turbine*. Kinetic and potential energies are the familiar forms of mechanical energy. Thermal energy is not mechanical energy, however, since it cannot be converted to work directly and completely (the second law of thermodynamics).

A pump transfers mechanical energy to a fluid by raising its pressure, and a turbine extracts mechanical energy from a fluid by dropping its pressure. Therefore, the pressure of a flowing fluid is also associated with its mechanical energy. In fact, the pressure unit Pa is equivalent to  $\text{Pa} = \text{N/m}^2 = \text{N} \cdot \text{m/m}^3 = \text{J/m}^3$ , which is energy per unit volume, and the product  $PV$  or its equivalent  $P/\rho$  has the unit  $\text{J/kg}$ , which is energy per unit mass. Note that pressure itself is not a form of energy. But a pressure force acting on a fluid through a distance produces work, called *flow work*, in the amount of  $P/\rho$  per unit mass. Flow work is expressed in terms of fluid properties, and it is convenient to view it as part of the energy of a flowing fluid and call it *flow energy*. Therefore, the mechanical energy of a flowing fluid can be expressed on a unit-mass basis as

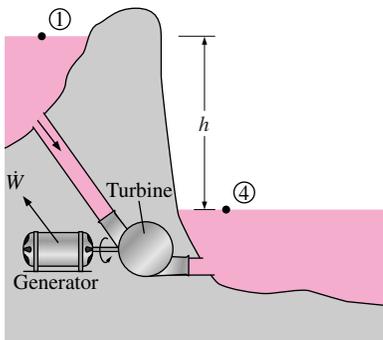
$$e_{\text{mech}} = \frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz$$

where  $P/\rho$  is the *flow energy*,  $V^2/2$  is the *kinetic energy*, and  $gz$  is the *potential energy* of the fluid, all per unit mass. Then the mechanical energy change of a fluid during incompressible flow becomes

$$\Delta e_{\text{mech}} = \frac{P_2 - P_1}{\rho} + \frac{V_2^2 - V_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) \quad (\text{kJ/kg}) \quad (12-1)$$

Therefore, the mechanical energy of a fluid does not change during flow if its pressure, density, velocity, and elevation remain constant. In the absence of any irreversible losses, the mechanical energy change represents the mechanical work supplied to the fluid (if  $\Delta e_{\text{mech}} > 0$ ) or extracted from the fluid (if  $\Delta e_{\text{mech}} < 0$ ). The maximum (ideal) power generated by a turbine, for example, is  $\dot{W}_{\text{max}} = \dot{m}\Delta e_{\text{mech}}$ , as shown in Fig. 12-1.

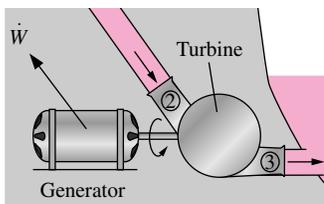
Consider a container of height  $h$  filled with water, as shown in Fig. 12-2, with the reference level selected at the bottom surface. The gage pressure and the potential energy per unit mass are, respectively,  $P_A = 0$  and  $pe_A = gh$



$$\dot{W}_{\text{max}} = \dot{m}\Delta e_{\text{mech}} = \dot{m}g(z_1 - z_4) = \dot{m}gh$$

since  $P_1 \approx P_4 = P_{\text{atm}}$  and  $V_1 = V_4 \approx 0$

(a)



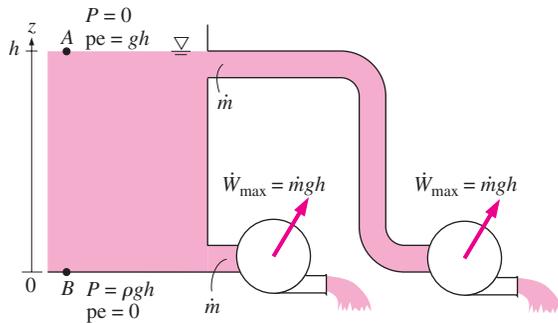
$$\dot{W}_{\text{max}} = \dot{m}\Delta e_{\text{mech}} = \dot{m} \frac{(P_2 - P_3)}{\rho} = \dot{m} \frac{\Delta P}{\rho}$$

since  $V_2 \approx V_3$  and  $z_2 \approx z_3$

(b)

**FIGURE 12-1**

Mechanical energy is illustrated by an ideal hydraulic turbine coupled with an ideal generator. In the absence of irreversible losses, the maximum produced power is proportional to (a) the change in water surface elevation from the upstream to the downstream reservoir or (b) (close-up view) the drop in water pressure from just upstream to just downstream of the turbine.


**FIGURE 12-2**

The mechanical energy of water at the bottom of a container is equal to the mechanical energy at any depth including the free surface of the container.

at point A at the free surface, and  $P_B = \rho gh$  and  $pe_B = 0$  at point B at the bottom of the container. An ideal hydraulic turbine would produce the same work per unit mass  $w_{\text{turbine}} = gh$  whether it receives water (or any other fluid with constant density) from the top or from the bottom of the container. Note that we are also assuming ideal flow (no irreversible losses) through the pipe leading from the tank to the turbine and negligible kinetic energy at the turbine outlet. Therefore, the total mechanical energy of water at the bottom is equivalent to that at the top.

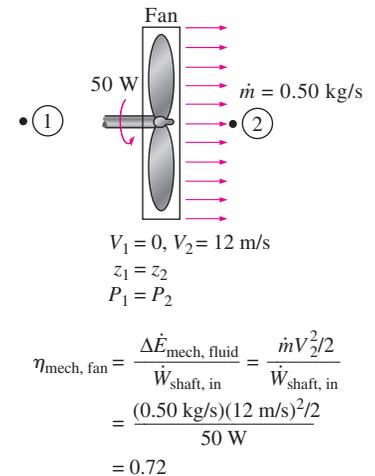
The transfer of mechanical energy is usually accomplished by a rotating shaft, and thus mechanical work is often referred to as *shaft work*. A pump or a fan receives shaft work (usually from an electric motor) and transfers it to the fluid as mechanical energy (less frictional losses). A turbine, on the other hand, converts the mechanical energy of a fluid to shaft work. In the absence of any irreversibilities such as friction, mechanical energy can be converted entirely from one mechanical form to another, and the **mechanical efficiency** of a device or process can be defined as (Fig. 12-3)

$$\eta_{\text{mech}} = \frac{\text{Mechanical energy output}}{\text{Mechanical energy input}} = \frac{E_{\text{mech, out}}}{E_{\text{mech, in}}} = 1 - \frac{E_{\text{mech, loss}}}{E_{\text{mech, in}}} \quad (12-2)$$

A conversion efficiency of less than 100 percent indicates that conversion is less than perfect and some losses have occurred during conversion. A mechanical efficiency of 97 percent indicates that 3 percent of the mechanical energy input is converted to thermal energy as a result of frictional heating, and this manifests itself as a slight rise in the temperature of the fluid.

In fluid systems, we are usually interested in increasing the pressure, velocity, and/or elevation of a fluid. This is done by *supplying mechanical energy* to the fluid by a pump, a fan, or a compressor (we refer to all of them as pumps). Or we are interested in the reverse process of *extracting mechanical energy* from a fluid by a turbine and producing mechanical power in the form of a rotating shaft that can drive a generator or any other rotary device. The degree of perfection of the conversion process between the mechanical work supplied or extracted and the mechanical energy of the fluid is expressed by the **pump efficiency** and **turbine efficiency**, defined as

$$\eta_{\text{pump}} = \frac{\text{Mechanical energy increase of the fluid}}{\text{Mechanical energy input}} = \frac{\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{shaft, in}}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{pump, u}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{pump}}} \quad (12-3)$$


**FIGURE 12-3**

The mechanical efficiency of a fan is the ratio of the kinetic energy of air at the fan exit to the mechanical power input.

where  $\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}} = \dot{E}_{\text{mech, out}} - \dot{E}_{\text{mech, in}}$  is the rate of increase in the mechanical energy of the fluid, which is equivalent to the **useful pumping power**  $\dot{W}_{\text{pump, u}}$  supplied to the fluid, and

$$\eta_{\text{turbine}} = \frac{\text{Mechanical energy output}}{\text{Mechanical energy decrease of the fluid}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{shaft, out}}}{|\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}|} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine, e}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine, e}}} \quad (12-4)$$

where  $|\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}| = \dot{E}_{\text{mech, in}} - \dot{E}_{\text{mech, out}}$  is the rate of decrease in the mechanical energy of the fluid, which is equivalent to the mechanical power extracted from the fluid by the turbine  $\dot{W}_{\text{turbine, e}}$ , and we use the absolute value sign to avoid negative values for efficiencies. A pump or turbine efficiency of 100 percent indicates perfect conversion between the shaft work and the mechanical energy of the fluid, and this value can be approached (but never attained) as the frictional effects are minimized.

The mechanical efficiency should not be confused with the **motor efficiency** and the **generator efficiency**, which are defined as

*Motor:* 
$$\eta_{\text{motor}} = \frac{\text{Mechanical power output}}{\text{Electric power input}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{shaft, out}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, in}}} \quad (12-5)$$

and

*Generator:* 
$$\eta_{\text{generator}} = \frac{\text{Electric power output}}{\text{Mechanical power input}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, out}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{shaft, in}}} \quad (12-6)$$

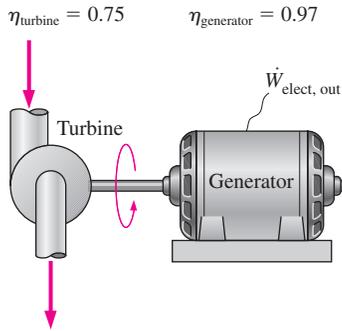
A pump is usually packaged together with its motor, and a turbine with its generator. Therefore, we are usually interested in the **combined** or **overall efficiency** of pump–motor and turbine–generator combinations (Fig. 12–4), which are defined as

$$\eta_{\text{pump-motor}} = \eta_{\text{pump}} \eta_{\text{motor}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{pump, u}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, in}}} = \frac{\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, in}}} \quad (12-7)$$

and

$$\eta_{\text{turbine-gen}} = \eta_{\text{turbine}} \eta_{\text{generator}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, out}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine, e}}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, out}}}{|\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}|} \quad (12-8)$$

All the efficiencies just defined range between 0 and 100 percent. The lower limit of 0 percent corresponds to the conversion of the entire mechanical or electric energy input to thermal energy, and the device in this case functions like a resistance heater. The upper limit of 100 percent corresponds to the case of perfect conversion with no friction or other irreversibilities, and thus no conversion of mechanical or electric energy to thermal energy.



$$\begin{aligned} \eta_{\text{turbine-gen}} &= \eta_{\text{turbine}} \eta_{\text{generator}} \\ &= 0.75 \times 0.97 \\ &= 0.73 \end{aligned}$$

FIGURE 12–4

The overall efficiency of a turbine–generator is the product of the efficiency of the turbine and the efficiency of the generator, and represents the fraction of the mechanical energy of the fluid converted to electric energy.

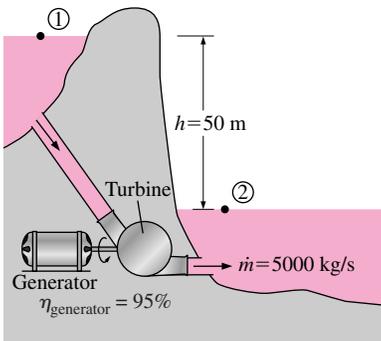


FIGURE 12–5

Schematic for Example 12–1.

**EXAMPLE 12–1 Performance of a Hydraulic Turbine–Generator**

Water flows from a reservoir at point 1 to a turbine at point 2, with a height difference  $h = 50 \text{ m}$ . The mass flow rate is  $\dot{m} = 5000 \text{ kg/s}$  and the generator efficiency is  $\eta_{\text{generator}} = 95\%$ . Determine (a) the mechanical power output of the turbine, (b) the electrical power output of the generator, and (c) the overall efficiency of the turbine–generator combination.

**Solution**

**Assumptions** 1

**Properties**

**Analysis** (a)

$$e_{\text{mech, in}} - e_{\text{mech, out}} = \frac{P_{\text{in}} - P_{\text{out}}}{\rho} + \frac{V_{\text{in}}^2 - V_{\text{out}}^2}{2} + g(z_{\text{in}} - z_{\text{out}})$$

$$= gh$$

$$= (9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)(50 \text{ m}) \left( \frac{1 \text{ kJ/kg}}{1000 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}^2} \right) = 0.491 \text{ kJ/kg}$$

$$|\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}| = \dot{m}(e_{\text{mech, in}} - e_{\text{mech, out}}) = (5000 \text{ kg/s})(0.491 \text{ kJ/kg}) = 2455 \text{ kW}$$

$$\eta_{\text{overall}} = \eta_{\text{turbine-gen}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{elect, out}}}{|\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}|} = \frac{1862 \text{ kW}}{2455 \text{ kW}} = 0.76$$

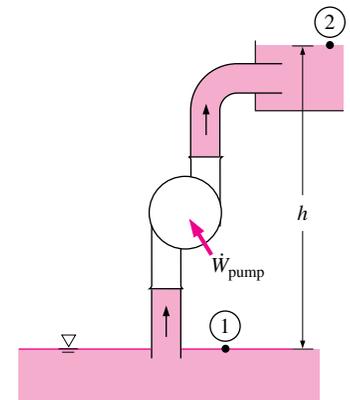
(b)

$$\eta_{\text{turbine-gen}} = \eta_{\text{turbine}} \eta_{\text{generator}} \rightarrow \eta_{\text{turbine}} = \frac{\eta_{\text{turbine-gen}}}{\eta_{\text{generator}}} = \frac{0.76}{0.95} = 0.80$$

(c)

$$\dot{W}_{\text{shaft, out}} = \eta_{\text{turbine}} |\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}| = (0.80)(2455 \text{ kW}) = 1964 \text{ kW}$$

**Discussion**



Steady flow

$$V_1 = V_2 \approx 0$$

$$z_2 = z_1 + h$$

$$P_1 = P_2 = P_{\text{atm}}$$

$$\dot{E}_{\text{mech, in}} = \dot{E}_{\text{mech, out}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}}$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{pump}} + \dot{m}gz_1 = \dot{m}gz_2 + \dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}}$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{pump}} = \dot{m}gh + \dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}}$$

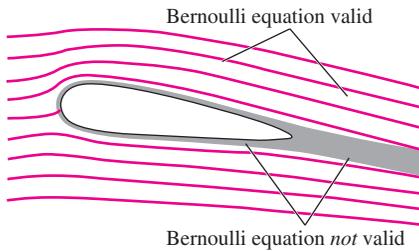
**FIGURE 12-6**

Most fluid flow problems involve mechanical forms of energy only, and such problems are conveniently solved by using a *mechanical energy* balance.

Most processes encountered in practice involve only certain forms of energy, and in such cases it is more convenient to work with the simplified versions of the energy balance. For systems that involve only *mechanical forms of energy* and its transfer as *shaft work*, the conservation of energy principle can be expressed conveniently as

$$E_{\text{mech, in}} - E_{\text{mech, out}} = \Delta E_{\text{mech, system}} + E_{\text{mech, loss}} \quad (12-9)$$

where  $E_{\text{mech, loss}}$  represents the conversion of mechanical energy to thermal energy due to irreversibilities such as friction. For a system in steady operation, the mechanical energy balance becomes  $\dot{E}_{\text{mech, in}} = \dot{E}_{\text{mech, out}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}}$  (Fig. 12-6).


**FIGURE 12-7**

The *Bernoulli equation* is an approximate equation that is valid only in *inviscid regions of flow* where net viscous forces are negligibly small compared to inertial, gravitational, or pressure forces. Such regions occur outside of *boundary layers* and *wakes*.

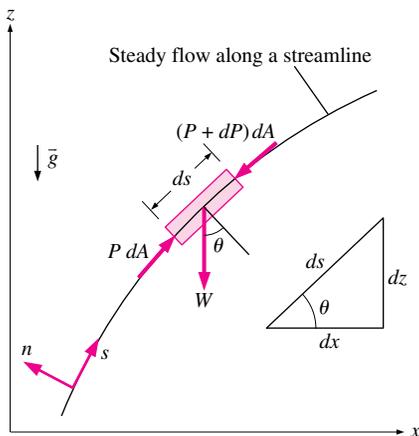
## 12-2 ■ THE BERNOULLI EQUATION

The **Bernoulli equation** is an approximate relation between pressure, velocity, and elevation, and is valid in regions of steady, incompressible flow where net frictional forces are negligible (Fig. 12-7). Despite its simplicity, it has proven to be a very powerful tool in fluid mechanics. In this section, we derive the Bernoulli equation by applying the *conservation of linear momentum principle*, and we demonstrate both its usefulness and its limitations.

The key approximation in the derivation of the Bernoulli equation is that *viscous effects are negligibly small compared to inertial, gravitational, and pressure effects*. Since all fluids have viscosity (there is no such thing as an “inviscid fluid”), this approximation cannot be valid for an entire flow field of practical interest. In other words, we cannot apply the Bernoulli equation *everywhere* in a flow, no matter how small the fluid’s viscosity. However, it turns out that the approximation *is* reasonable in certain *regions* of many practical flows. We refer to such regions as *inviscid regions of flow*, and we stress that they are *not* regions where the fluid itself is inviscid or frictionless, but rather they are regions where net viscous or frictional forces are negligibly small compared to other forces acting on fluid particles.

Care must be exercised when applying the Bernoulli equation since it is an approximation that applies only to inviscid regions of flow. In general, frictional effects are always important very close to solid walls (*boundary layers*) and directly downstream of bodies (*wakes*). Thus, the Bernoulli approximation is typically useful in flow regions outside of boundary layers and wakes, where the fluid motion is governed by the combined effects of pressure and gravity forces.

The motion of a particle and the path it follows are described by the *velocity vector* as a function of time and space coordinates and the initial position of the particle. When the flow is *steady* (no change with time at a specified location), all particles that pass through the same point follow the same path (which is the *streamline*), and the velocity vectors remain tangent to the path at every point.


**FIGURE 12-8**

The forces acting on a fluid particle along a streamline.

### Derivation of the Bernoulli Equation

Consider the motion of a fluid particle in a flow field in steady flow. Applying Newton’s second law (which is referred to as the *linear momentum equation* in fluid mechanics) in the *s*-direction on a particle moving along a streamline gives

$$\sum F_s = ma_s \quad (12-10)$$

In regions of flow where net frictional forces are negligible, there is no pump or turbine, and no heat transfer along the streamline, the significant forces acting in the *s*-direction are the pressure (acting on both sides) and the component of the weight of the particle in the *s*-direction (Fig. 12-8). Therefore, Eq. 12-10 becomes

$$P dA - (P + dP) dA - W \sin \theta = mV \frac{dV}{ds} \quad (12-11)$$

where  $\theta$  is the angle between the normal of the streamline and the vertical *z*-axis at that point,  $m = \rho V = \rho dA ds$  is the mass,  $W = mg = \rho g dA ds$

is the weight of the fluid particle, and  $\sin \theta = dz/ds$ . Substituting,

$$-dP dA - \rho g dA ds \frac{dz}{ds} = \rho dA ds V \frac{dV}{ds} \tag{12-12}$$

Canceling  $dA$  from each term and simplifying,

$$-dP - \rho g dz = \rho V dV \tag{12-13}$$

Noting that  $V dV = \frac{1}{2} d(V^2)$  and dividing each term by  $\rho$  gives

$$\frac{dP}{\rho} + \frac{1}{2} d(V^2) + g dz = 0 \tag{12-14}$$

The last two terms are exact differentials. In the case of incompressible flow, the first term also becomes an exact differential, and integration gives

*Steady, incompressible flow:*  $\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz = \text{constant (along a streamline)}$  (12-15)

This is the famous **Bernoulli equation** (Fig. 12–9), which is commonly used in fluid mechanics for steady, incompressible flow along a streamline in inviscid regions of flow. The Bernoulli equation was first stated in words by the Swiss mathematician Daniel Bernoulli (1700–1782) in a text written in 1738 when he was working in St. Petersburg, Russia. It was later derived in equation form by his associate Leonhard Euler in 1755.

The value of the constant in Eq. 12–15 can be evaluated at any point on the streamline where the pressure, density, velocity, and elevation are known. The Bernoulli equation can also be written between any two points on the same streamline as

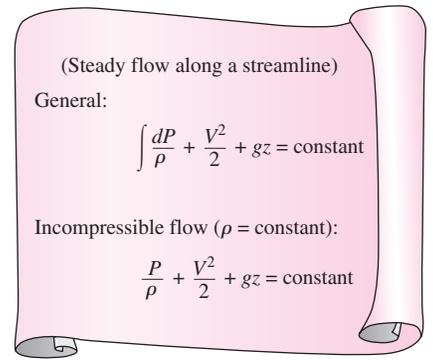
*Steady, incompressible flow:*  $\frac{P_1}{\rho} + \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho} + \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2$  (12-16)

We recognize  $V^2/2$  as *kinetic energy*,  $gz$  as *potential energy*, and  $P/\rho$  as *flow energy*, all per unit mass. Therefore, the Bernoulli equation can be viewed as an expression of *mechanical energy balance* and can be stated as follows (Fig. 12–10):

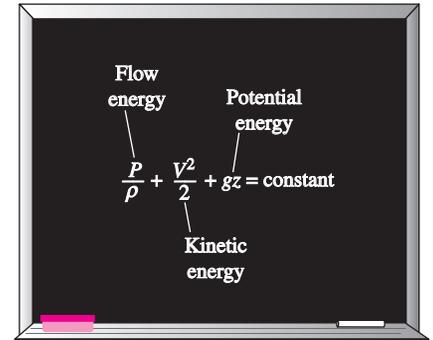
$$\frac{P}{\rho} + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz = \text{constant}$$

The kinetic, potential, and flow energies are the mechanical forms of energy, as discussed in Section 12–1, and the Bernoulli equation can be viewed as the “conservation of mechanical energy principle.” This is equivalent to the general conservation of energy principle for systems that do not involve any conversion of mechanical energy and thermal energy to each other, and thus the mechanical energy and thermal energy are conserved separately. The Bernoulli equation states that during steady, incompressible flow with negligible friction, the various forms of mechanical energy are converted to each other, but their sum remains constant. In other words, there is no dissipation of mechanical energy during such flows since there is no friction that converts mechanical energy to sensible thermal (internal) energy.

Recall that energy is transferred to a system as work when a force is applied to a system through a distance. In the light of Newton’s second law of motion, the Bernoulli equation can also be viewed as: *The work done by*



**FIGURE 12–9** The Bernoulli equation is derived assuming incompressible flow, and thus it should not be used for flows with significant compressibility effects.

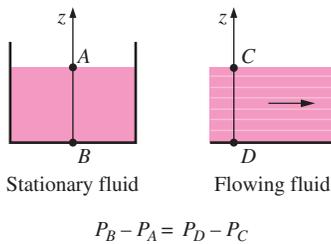


**FIGURE 12–10** The Bernoulli equation states that the sum of the kinetic, potential, and flow energies of a fluid particle is constant along a streamline during steady flow.

the pressure and gravity forces on the fluid particle is equal to the increase in the kinetic energy of the particle.

The Bernoulli equation is obtained from the conservation of momentum for a fluid particle moving along a streamline. It can also be obtained from the *first law of thermodynamics* applied to a steady-flow system, as shown in Section 12–4.

Despite the highly restrictive approximations used in its derivation, the Bernoulli equation is commonly used in practice since a variety of practical fluid flow problems can be analyzed to reasonable accuracy with it. This is because many flows of practical engineering interest are steady (or at least steady in the mean), compressibility effects are relatively small, and net frictional forces are negligible in regions of interest in the flow.



**FIGURE 12–11**

The variation of pressure with elevation in steady, incompressible flow along a straight line is the same as that in the stationary fluid (but this is not the case for a curved flow section).

## Force Balance across Streamlines

It is left as an exercise to show that a force balance in the direction  $n$  normal to the streamline yields the following relation applicable *across* the streamlines for steady, incompressible flow:

$$\frac{P}{\rho} + \int \frac{V^2}{R} dn + gz = \text{constant} \quad (\text{across streamlines}) \quad (12-17)$$

For flow along a straight line,  $R \rightarrow \infty$  and Eq. 12–17 reduces to  $P/\rho + gz = \text{constant}$  or  $P = -\rho gz + \text{constant}$ , which is an expression for the variation of hydrostatic pressure with vertical distance for a stationary fluid body. Therefore, the variation of pressure with elevation in steady, incompressible flow along a straight line is the same as that in the stationary fluid (Fig. 12–11).

## Static, Dynamic, and Stagnation Pressures

The Bernoulli equation states that the sum of the flow, kinetic, and potential energies of a fluid particle along a streamline is constant. Therefore, the kinetic and potential energies of the fluid can be converted to flow energy (and vice versa) during flow, causing the pressure to change. This phenomenon can be made more visible by multiplying the Bernoulli equation by the density  $\rho$ ,

$$P + \rho \frac{V^2}{2} + \rho gz = \text{constant (along a streamline)} \quad (12-18)$$

Each term in this equation has pressure units, and thus each term represents some kind of pressure:

- $P$  is the **static pressure** (it does not incorporate any dynamic effects); it represents the actual thermodynamic pressure of the fluid. This is the same as the pressure used in thermodynamics and property tables.
- $\rho V^2/2$  is the **dynamic pressure**; it represents the pressure rise when the fluid in motion is brought to a stop isentropically.
- $\rho gz$  is the **hydrostatic pressure** term, which is not pressure in a real sense since its value depends on the reference level selected; it accounts for the elevation effects, i.e., of fluid weight on pressure. (Be careful of sign—unlike hydrostatic pressure  $\rho gh$  which *increases* with fluid depth, the hydrostatic pressure term  $\rho gz$  *decreases* with fluid depth.)

The sum of the static, dynamic, and hydrostatic pressures is called the **total pressure**. Therefore, the Bernoulli equation states that *the total pressure along a streamline is constant*.

The sum of the static and dynamic pressures is called the **stagnation pressure**, and it is expressed as

$$P_{\text{stag}} = P + \rho \frac{V^2}{2} \quad (\text{kPa}) \quad (12-19)$$

The stagnation pressure represents the pressure at a point where the fluid is brought to a complete stop isentropically. The static, dynamic, and stagnation pressures are shown in Fig. 12–12. When static and stagnation pressures are measured at a specified location, the fluid velocity at that location can be calculated from

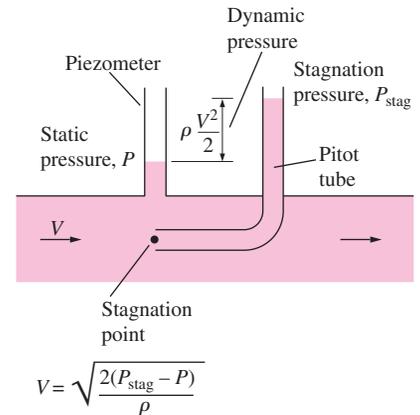
$$V = \sqrt{\frac{2(P_{\text{stag}} - P)}{\rho}} \quad (12-20)$$

Equation 12–20 is useful in the measurement of flow velocity when a combination of a static pressure tap and a Pitot tube is used, as illustrated in Fig. 12–12. A **static pressure tap** is simply a small hole drilled into a wall such that the plane of the hole is parallel to the flow direction. It measures the static pressure. A **Pitot tube** is a small tube with its open end aligned *into* the flow so as to sense the full impact pressure of the flowing fluid. It measures the stagnation pressure. In situations in which the static and stagnation pressure of a flowing *liquid* are greater than atmospheric pressure, a vertical transparent tube called a **piezometer tube** (or simply a **piezometer**) can be attached to the pressure tap and to the Pitot tube, as sketched in Fig. 12–12. The liquid rises in the piezometer tube to a column height (*head*) that is proportional to the pressure being measured. If the pressures to be measured are below atmospheric, or if measuring pressures in *gases*, piezometer tubes do not work. However, the static pressure tap and Pitot tube can still be used, but they must be connected to some other kind of pressure measurement device such as a U-tube manometer or a pressure transducer. Sometimes it is convenient to integrate static pressure holes on a Pitot probe. The result is a **Pitot-static probe**, as shown in Fig. 12–13. A Pitot-static probe connected to a pressure transducer or a manometer measures the dynamic pressure (and thus fluid velocity).

When a stationary body is immersed in a flowing stream, the fluid is brought to a stop at the nose of the body (the **stagnation point**). The flow streamline that extends from far upstream to the stagnation point is called the **stagnation streamline** (Fig. 12–14). For a two-dimensional flow in the *xy*-plane, the stagnation point is actually a *line* parallel the *z*-axis, and the stagnation streamline is actually a *surface* that separates fluid that flows *over* the body from fluid that flows *under* the body. In an incompressible flow, the fluid decelerates nearly isentropically from its free-stream velocity to zero at the stagnation point, and the pressure at the stagnation point is thus the stagnation pressure.

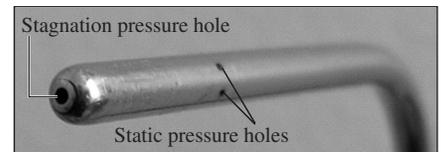
## Limitations on the Use of the Bernoulli Equation

The Bernoulli equation (Eq. 12–15) is one of the most frequently used and *misused* equations in fluid mechanics. Its versatility, simplicity, and ease of



**FIGURE 12–12**

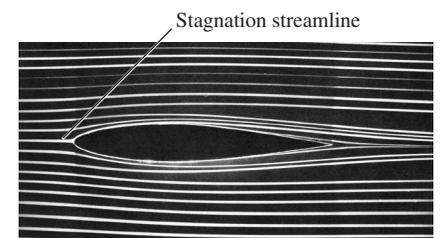
The static, dynamic, and stagnation pressures.



**FIGURE 12–13**

Close-up of a Pitot-static probe, showing the stagnation pressure hole and two of the five static circumferential pressure holes.

Photo by Po-Ya Abel Chuang. Used by permission.



**FIGURE 12–14**

Streaklines produced by colored fluid introduced upstream of an airfoil; since the flow is steady, the streaklines are the same as streamlines and pathlines. The stagnation streamline is marked.

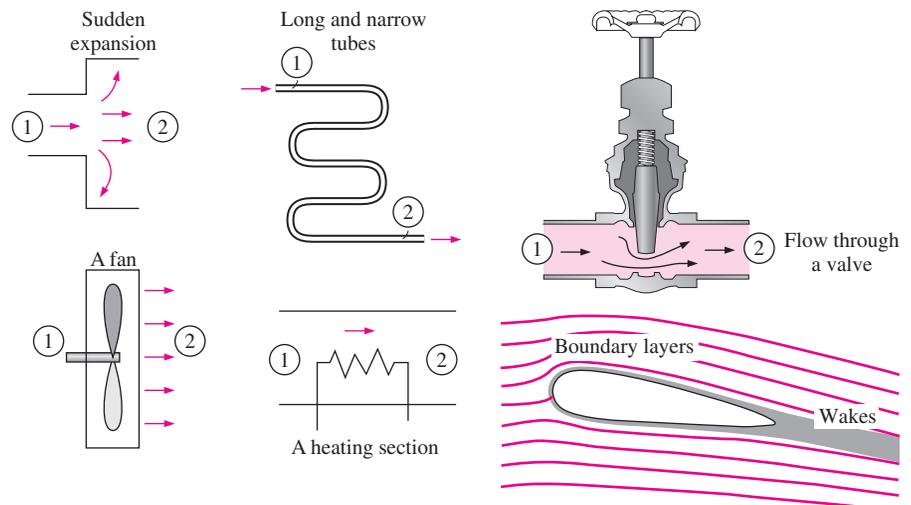
Courtesy ONERA. Photograph by Werlé.

use make it a very valuable tool for use in analysis, but the same attributes also make it very tempting to misuse. Therefore, it is important to understand the restrictions on its applicability and observe the limitations on its use, as explained here:

- 1. Steady flow** The first limitation on the Bernoulli equation is that it is applicable to *steady flow*. Therefore, it should not be used during transient start-up and shut-down periods, or during periods of change in the flow conditions.
- 2. Frictionless flow** Every flow involves some friction, no matter how small, and *frictional effects* may or may not be negligible. The situation is complicated even more by the amount of error that can be tolerated. In general, frictional effects are negligible for short flow sections with large cross sections, especially at low flow velocities. Frictional effects are usually significant in long and narrow flow passages, in the wake region downstream of an object, and in *diverging flow sections* such as diffusers because of the increased possibility of the fluid separating from the walls in such geometries. Frictional effects are also significant near solid surfaces, and thus the Bernoulli equation is usually applicable along a streamline in the core region of the flow, but not along a streamline close to the surface (Fig. 12–15).

A component that disturbs the streamlined structure of flow and thus causes considerable mixing and backflow such as a sharp entrance of a tube or a partially closed valve in a flow section can make the Bernoulli equation inapplicable.

- 3. No shaft work** The Bernoulli equation was derived from a force balance on a particle moving along a streamline. Therefore, the Bernoulli equation is not applicable in a flow section that involves a pump, turbine, fan, or any other machine or impeller since such devices destroy the streamlines and carry out energy interactions with the fluid particles. When the flow section considered involves any of these



**FIGURE 12–15**

Frictional effects and components that disturb the streamlined structure of flow in a flow section make the Bernoulli equation invalid. It should *not* be used in any of the flows shown here.

devices, the energy equation should be used instead to account for the shaft work input or output. However, the Bernoulli equation can still be applied to a flow section prior to or past a machine (assuming, of course, that the other restrictions on its use are satisfied). In such cases, the Bernoulli constant changes from upstream to downstream of the device.

4. **Incompressible flow** One of the assumptions used in the derivation of the Bernoulli equation is that  $\rho = \text{constant}$  and thus the flow is incompressible. This condition is satisfied by liquids and also by gases at Mach numbers less than about 0.3 since compressibility effects and thus density variations of gases are negligible at such relatively low velocities.
5. **No heat transfer** The density of a gas is inversely proportional to temperature, and thus the Bernoulli equation should not be used for flow sections that involve significant temperature change such as heating or cooling sections.
6. **Flow along a streamline** Strictly speaking, the Bernoulli equation  $P/\rho + V^2/2 + gz = C$  is applicable along a streamline, and the value of the constant  $C$  is generally different for different streamlines. When a region of the flow is *irrotational* and there is negligibly small *vorticity* in the flow field, the value of the constant  $C$  remains the same for all streamlines, and the Bernoulli equation becomes applicable *across* streamlines as well (Fig. 12–16). Therefore, we do not need to be concerned about the streamlines when the flow is irrotational, and we can apply the Bernoulli equation between any two points in the irrotational region of the flow.

We derived the Bernoulli equation by considering two-dimensional flow in the  $xz$ -plane for simplicity, but the equation is valid for general three-dimensional flow as well, as long as it is applied along the same streamline. We should always keep in mind the assumptions used in the derivation of the Bernoulli equation and make sure that they are not violated.

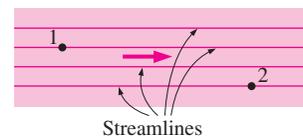
## Hydraulic Grade Line (HGL) and Energy Grade Line (EGL)

It is often convenient to represent the level of mechanical energy graphically using *heights* to facilitate visualization of the various terms of the Bernoulli equation. This is done by dividing each term of the Bernoulli equation by  $g$  to give

$$\frac{P}{\rho g} + \frac{V^2}{2g} + z = H = \text{constant} \quad (\text{along a streamline}) \quad (12-21)$$

Each term in this equation has the dimension of length and represents some kind of “head” of a flowing fluid as follows:

- $P/\rho g$  is the **pressure head**; it represents the height of a fluid column that produces the static pressure  $P$ .



$$\frac{P_1}{\rho} + \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho} + \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2$$

**FIGURE 12–16**

When the flow is irrotational, the Bernoulli equation becomes applicable between any two points along the flow (not just on the same streamline).

$$\frac{P}{\rho g} + \frac{V^2}{2g} + z = H = \text{constant}$$

**FIGURE 12-17**

An alternative form of the Bernoulli equation is expressed in terms of heads as: *The sum of the pressure, velocity, and elevation heads is constant along a streamline.*

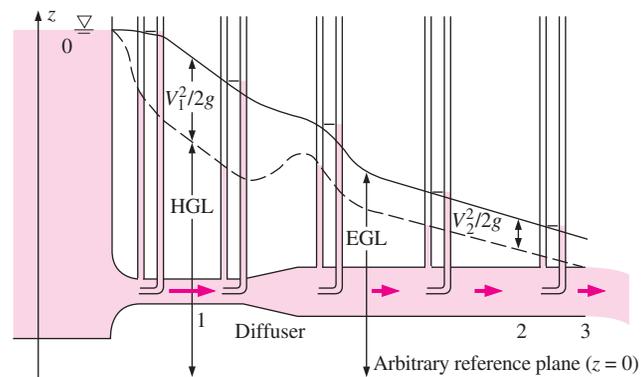
- $V^2/2g$  is the **velocity head**; it represents the elevation needed for a fluid to reach the velocity  $V$  during frictionless free fall.
- $z$  is the **elevation head**; it represents the potential energy of the fluid.

Also,  $H$  is the **total head** for the flow. Therefore, the Bernoulli equation can be expressed in terms of heads as: *The sum of the pressure, velocity, and elevation heads along a streamline is constant during steady flow when the compressibility and frictional effects are negligible* (Fig. 12–17).

If a piezometer (which measures static pressure) is tapped into a pipe, as shown in Fig. 12–18, the liquid would rise to a height of  $P/\rho g$  above the pipe center. The *hydraulic grade line* (HGL) is obtained by doing this at several locations along the pipe and drawing a curve through the liquid levels in the piezometers. The vertical distance above the pipe center is a measure of pressure within the pipe. Similarly, if a Pitot tube (measures static + dynamic pressure) is tapped into a pipe, the liquid would rise to a height of  $P/\rho g + V^2/2g$  above the pipe center, or a distance of  $V^2/2g$  above the HGL. The *energy grade line* (EGL) is obtained by doing this at several locations along the pipe and drawing a curve through the liquid levels in the Pitot tubes.

Noting that the fluid also has elevation head  $z$  (unless the reference level is taken to be the centerline of the pipe), the HGL and EGL are defined as follows: The line that represents the sum of the static pressure and the elevation heads,  $P/\rho g + z$ , is called the **hydraulic grade line**. The line that represents the total head of the fluid,  $P/\rho g + V^2/2g + z$ , is called the **energy grade line**. The difference between the heights of EGL and HGL is equal to the dynamic head,  $V^2/2g$ . We note the following about the HGL and EGL:

- For *stationary bodies* such as reservoirs or lakes, the EGL and HGL coincide with the free surface of the liquid. The elevation of the free surface  $z$  in such cases represents both the EGL and the HGL since the velocity is zero and the static (gage) pressure is zero.
- The EGL is always a distance  $V^2/2g$  above the HGL. These two curves approach each other as the velocity decreases, and they diverge as the velocity increases. The height of the HGL decreases as the velocity increases, and vice versa.
- In an *idealized Bernoulli-type flow*, EGL is horizontal and its height remains constant. This would also be the case for HGL when the flow velocity is constant (Fig. 12–19).



**FIGURE 12-18**

The *hydraulic grade line* (HGL) and the *energy grade line* (EGL) for free discharge from a reservoir through a horizontal pipe with a diffuser.

- For *open-channel flow*, the HGL coincides with the free surface of the liquid, and the EGL is a distance  $V^2/2g$  above the free surface.
- At a *pipe exit*, the pressure head is zero (atmospheric pressure) and thus the HGL coincides with the pipe outlet (location 3 on Fig. 12–18).
- The *mechanical energy loss* due to frictional effects (conversion to thermal energy) causes the EGL and HGL to slope downward in the direction of flow. The slope is a measure of the head loss in the pipe. A component, such as a valve, that generates significant frictional effects causes a sudden drop in both EGL and HGL at that location.
- A *steep jump* occurs in EGL and HGL whenever mechanical energy is added to the fluid (by a pump, for example). Likewise, a *steep drop* occurs in EGL and HGL whenever mechanical energy is removed from the fluid (by a turbine, for example), as shown in Fig. 12–20.
- The (gage) pressure of a fluid is zero at locations where the HGL *intersects* the fluid. The pressure in a flow section that lies above the HGL is negative, and the pressure in a section that lies below the HGL is positive (Fig. 12–21). Therefore, an accurate drawing of a piping system and the HGL can be used to determine the regions where the pressure in the pipe is negative (below the atmospheric pressure).

The last remark enables us to avoid situations in which the pressure drops below the vapor pressure of the liquid (which may cause *cavitation*). Proper consideration is necessary in the placement of a liquid pump to ensure that the suction side pressure does not fall too low, especially at elevated temperatures where vapor pressure is higher than it is at low temperatures.

Now we examine Fig. 12–18 more closely. At point 0 (at the liquid surface), EGL and HGL are even with the liquid surface since there is no flow there. HGL decreases rapidly as the liquid accelerates into the pipe; however, EGL decreases very slowly through the well-rounded pipe inlet. EGL declines continually along the flow direction due to friction and other irreversible losses in the flow. EGL cannot increase in the flow direction unless energy is supplied to the fluid. HGL can rise or fall in the flow direction, but can never exceed EGL. HGL rises in the diffuser section as the velocity decreases, and the static pressure recovers somewhat; the total pressure does *not* recover, however, and EGL decreases through the diffuser. The difference between EGL and HGL is  $V_1^2/2g$  at point 1, and  $V_2^2/2g$  at point 2. Since  $V_1 > V_2$ , the difference between the two grade lines is larger at point 1 than at point 2. The downward slope of both grade lines is larger for the smaller diameter section of pipe since the frictional head loss is greater. Finally, HGL decays to the liquid surface at the outlet since the pressure there is atmospheric. However, EGL is still higher than HGL by the amount  $V_2^2/2g$  since  $V_3 = V_2$  at the outlet.

## Applications of the Bernoulli Equation

So far, we have discussed the fundamental aspects of the Bernoulli equation. Now we demonstrate its use in a wide range of applications through examples.

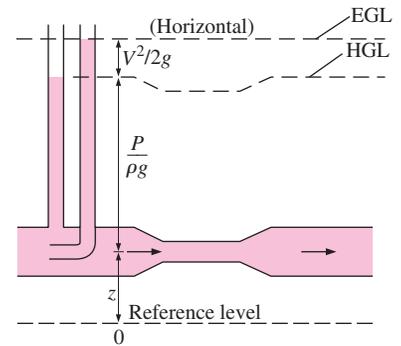


FIGURE 12–19

In an idealized Bernoulli-type flow, EGL is horizontal and its height remains constant. But this is not the case for HGL when the flow velocity varies along the flow.

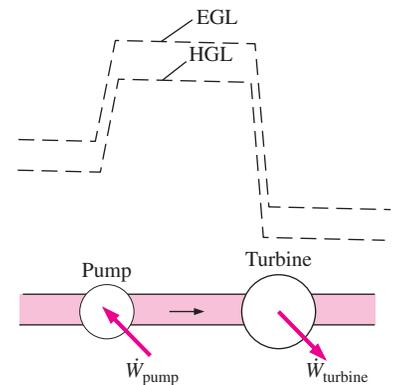


FIGURE 12–20

A *steep jump* occurs in EGL and HGL whenever mechanical energy is added to the fluid by a pump, and a *steep drop* occurs whenever mechanical energy is removed from the fluid by a turbine.

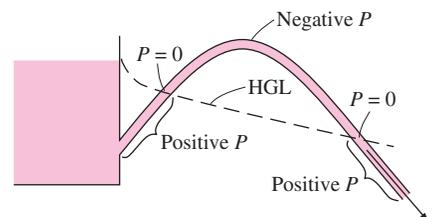
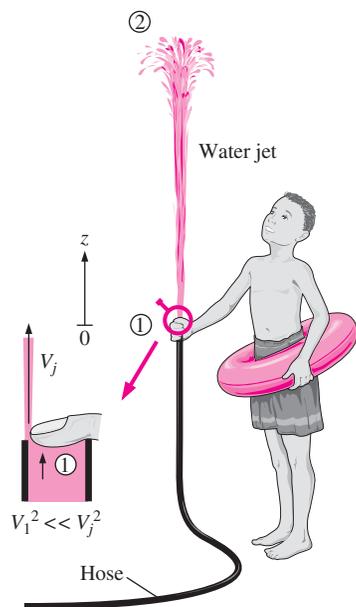


FIGURE 12–21

The (gage) pressure of a fluid is zero at locations where the HGL *intersects* the fluid, and the pressure is negative (vacuum) in a flow section that lies above the HGL.


**FIGURE 12-22**

Schematic for Example 12-2. Inset shows a magnified view of the hose outlet region.

**EXAMPLE 12-2** Spraying Water into the Air

Water is sprayed from a hose (Fig. 12-22). The water jet is shown as a vertical column of water. The velocity of the water jet is  $V_j$ . The velocity of the water in the hose is  $V_1$ . The vertical axis is labeled  $z$ , with the origin at the hose outlet. The water jet is labeled "Water jet" and the hose is labeled "Hose". The inset shows a magnified view of the hose outlet region, where the velocity  $V_1$  is much smaller than the velocity  $V_j$  of the water jet. The vertical axis is labeled  $z$ , with the origin at the hose outlet.

**Solution** We are to determine the height of the water jet.

**Assumptions** 1 The flow is steady. 2 The water is incompressible. 3 The flow is inviscid. 4 The velocity of the water in the hose is much smaller than the velocity of the water jet,  $V_1 \ll V_j$ .

**Properties** The density of water is  $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$ .

**Analysis** We consider two points, 1 and 2, in the water jet. Point 1 is at the hose outlet, and point 2 is at the top of the water jet. The vertical axis is labeled  $z$ , with the origin at the hose outlet. The velocity of the water in the hose is  $V_1$ , and the velocity of the water at the top of the water jet is  $V_2 = 0$ . The pressure at both points is atmospheric pressure,  $P_1 = P_2 = P_{\text{atm}}$ . The height of the water jet is  $z_2$ .

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 \rightarrow \frac{P_1}{\rho g} = \frac{P_{\text{atm}}}{\rho g} + z_2$$

Since  $V_1 \ll V_2$ , we can neglect  $V_1^2$  and  $V_2^2$ .

$$z_2 = \frac{P_1 - P_{\text{atm}}}{\rho g} = \frac{P_{1, \text{gage}}}{\rho g} = \frac{400 \text{ kPa}}{(1000 \text{ kg/m}^3)(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)} \left( \frac{1000 \text{ N/m}^2}{1 \text{ kPa}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}^2}{1 \text{ N}} \right)$$

$$= 40.8 \text{ m}$$

**Discussion** The water jet reaches a height of 40.8 m. This is a significant height, and it shows that the pressure in the hose is much higher than atmospheric pressure. The velocity of the water in the hose is much smaller than the velocity of the water jet,  $V_1 \ll V_j$ .

**EXAMPLE 12-3** Water Discharge from a Large Tank

Water is discharged from a large tank (Fig. 12-23). The water jet is shown as a vertical column of water. The velocity of the water jet is  $V_j$ . The velocity of the water in the tank is  $V_1$ . The vertical axis is labeled  $z$ , with the origin at the tank surface. The water jet is labeled "Water jet" and the tank is labeled "Tank". The inset shows a magnified view of the tank surface, where the velocity  $V_1$  is much smaller than the velocity  $V_j$  of the water jet. The vertical axis is labeled  $z$ , with the origin at the tank surface.

**Solution** We are to determine the height of the water jet.

**Assumptions** 1 The flow is steady. 2 The water is incompressible. 3 The flow is inviscid. 4 The velocity of the water in the tank is much smaller than the velocity of the water jet,  $V_1 \ll V_j$ .

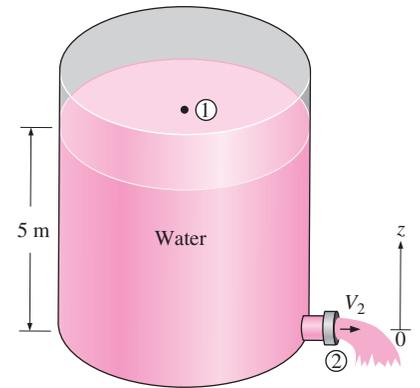
**Analysis** ...

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 \rightarrow z_1 = \frac{V_2^2}{2g}$$

$$V_2 = \sqrt{2gz_1} = \sqrt{2(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)(5 \text{ m})} = 9.9 \text{ m/s}$$

**Toricelli equation.** ...

**Discussion** ...



**FIGURE 12-23**  
Schematic for Example 12-3.

**EXAMPLE 12-4 Velocity Measurement by a Pitot Tube**

... 12-2, ...

**Solution** ...

**Assumptions** 1 ... 2 ...

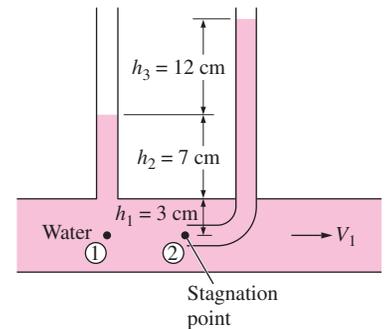
**Analysis** ...

$$P_1 = \rho g(h_1 + h_2)$$

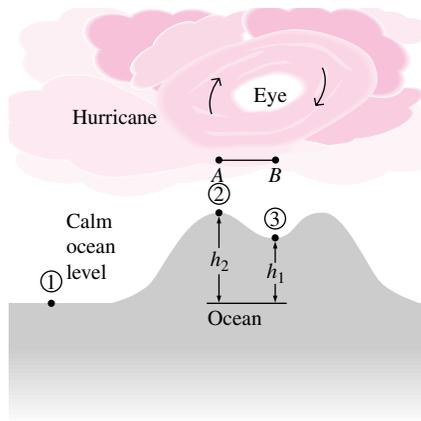
$$P_2 = \rho g(h_1 + h_2 + h_3)$$

$$V_2 = 0 \quad z_1 = z_2$$

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 \rightarrow \frac{V_1^2}{2g} = \frac{P_2 - P_1}{\rho g}$$



**FIGURE 12-24**  
Schematic for Example 12-4.



**FIGURE 12-25**  
Schematic for Example 12-5. The vertical scale is greatly exaggerated.

$$S \quad s.l.l.l \quad l \quad P_1 \quad P_2 \quad ss \quad s \quad v \quad s$$

$$\frac{V_1^2}{2g} = \frac{P_2 - P_1}{\rho g} = \frac{\rho g(h_1 + h_2 + h_3) - \rho g(h_1 + h_2)}{\rho g} = h_3$$

$$S \quad v \quad f \quad V_1 \quad s \quad s.l.l.l \quad ,$$

$$V_1 = \sqrt{2gh_3} = \sqrt{2(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)(0.12 \text{ m})} = \mathbf{1.53 \text{ m/s}}$$

**Discussion**

The velocity of the wind at the eye of the hurricane is 1.53 m/s.

**EXAMPLE 12-5 The Rise of the Ocean Due to a Hurricane**

12-2  
200 m f m l s<sup>3</sup> 0.0  
22.0  
(a) f l l<sup>3</sup> (b) l 2, l  
8 8 mf l<sup>3</sup>, s l v, l mf l<sup>3</sup>.  
0.06 mf l<sup>3</sup>.

**Solution**

**Assumptions** 1

**Properties**

**Analysis** (a)

$$\Delta P = (\rho g h)_{\text{Hg}} = (\rho g h)_{\text{sw}} \rightarrow h_{\text{sw}} = \frac{\rho_{\text{Hg}}}{\rho_{\text{sw}}} h_{\text{Hg}}$$

$$h_1 = \frac{\rho_{\text{Hg}}}{\rho_{\text{sw}}} h_{\text{Hg}} = \left( \frac{848 \text{ lbm/ft}^3}{64 \text{ lbm/ft}^3} \right) [(30 - 22) \text{ in Hg}] \left( \frac{1 \text{ ft}}{12 \text{ in}} \right) = \mathbf{8.83 \text{ ft}}$$

The rise of the ocean surface at the eye of the hurricane is 8.83 ft.

(b) ...  $V_B \cong 0$  ...  $z_A = z_B$  ...

$$\frac{P_A}{\rho g} + \frac{V_A^2}{2g} + z_A = \frac{P_B}{\rho g} + \frac{V_B^2}{2g} + z_B \rightarrow \frac{P_B - P_A}{\rho g} = \frac{V_A^2}{2g}$$

$$\frac{P_B - P_A}{\rho g} = \frac{V_A^2}{2g} = \frac{(155 \text{ mph})^2}{2(32.2 \text{ ft/s}^2)} \left( \frac{1.4667 \text{ ft/s}}{1 \text{ mph}} \right)^2 = 803 \text{ ft}$$

...  $\rho_{\text{air}} = \frac{P_{\text{air}}}{P_{\text{atm air}}} \rho_{\text{atm air}} = \left( \frac{22 \text{ in Hg}}{30 \text{ in Hg}} \right) (0.076 \text{ lbm/ft}^3) = 0.056 \text{ lbm/ft}^3$

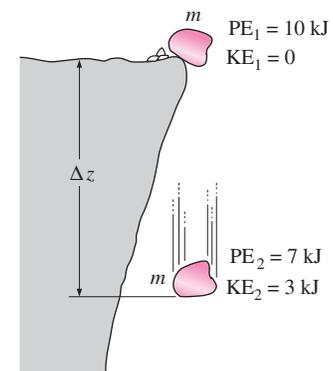
$$\rho_{\text{air}} = \frac{P_{\text{air}}}{P_{\text{atm air}}} \rho_{\text{atm air}} = \left( \frac{22 \text{ in Hg}}{30 \text{ in Hg}} \right) (0.076 \text{ lbm/ft}^3) = 0.056 \text{ lbm/ft}^3$$

$$h_{\text{dynamic}} = \frac{\rho_{\text{air}}}{\rho_{\text{sw}}} h_{\text{air}} = \left( \frac{0.056 \text{ lbm/ft}^3}{64 \text{ lbm/ft}^3} \right) (803 \text{ ft}) = 0.70 \text{ ft}$$

$$h_2 = h_1 + h_{\text{dynamic}} = 8.83 + 0.70 = 9.53 \text{ ft}$$

**Discussion**

... (b) ... not ...



**FIGURE 12-26**

Energy cannot be created or destroyed during a process; it can only change forms.

**12-3 ■ GENERAL ENERGY EQUATION**

One of the most fundamental laws in nature is the **first law of thermodynamics**, also known as the **conservation of energy principle**, which provides a sound basis for studying the relationships among the various forms of energy and energy interactions. It states that *energy can be neither created nor destroyed during a process; it can only change forms*. Therefore, every bit of energy must be accounted for during a process. The conservation of energy principle for any system can be expressed simply as  $E_{\text{in}} - E_{\text{out}} = \Delta E$ .

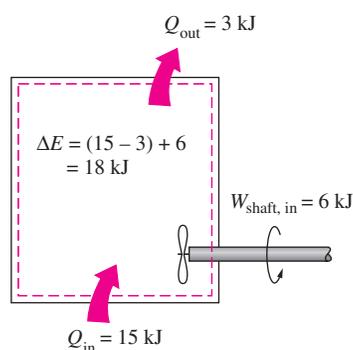


FIGURE 12-27

The energy change of a system during a process is equal to the *net* work and heat transfer between the system and its surroundings.

The transfer of any quantity (such as mass, momentum, and *energy*) is recognized *at the boundary* as the quantity *crosses the boundary*. A quantity is said to *enter* a system (or control volume) if it crosses the boundary from the outside to the inside, and to *exit* the system if it moves in the reverse direction. A quantity that moves from one location to another within a system is not considered as a transferred quantity in an analysis since it does not enter or exit the system. Therefore, it is important to specify the system and thus clearly identify its boundaries before an engineering analysis is performed.

The energy content of a fixed quantity of mass (a closed system) can be changed by two mechanisms: *heat transfer*  $Q$  and *work*  $W$ . Then the conservation of energy for a fixed quantity of mass can be expressed in rate form as (Fig. 12-27)

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{net in}} = \frac{dE_{\text{sys}}}{dt} \quad \text{or} \quad \dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{sys}} \rho e \, dV \quad (12-22)$$

where  $\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} = \dot{Q}_{\text{in}} - \dot{Q}_{\text{out}}$  is the net rate of heat transfer to the system (negative, if from the system),  $\dot{W}_{\text{net in}} = \dot{W}_{\text{in}} - \dot{W}_{\text{out}}$  is the net power input to the system in all forms (negative, if power output) and  $dE_{\text{sys}}/dt$  is the rate of change of the total energy content of the system. For simple compressible systems, total energy consists of internal, kinetic, and potential energies, and it is expressed on a unit-mass basis as (see Chap. 3)

$$e = u + ke + pe = u + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \quad (12-23)$$

Note that total energy is a property, and its value does not change unless the state of the system changes.

## Energy Transfer by Heat, $Q$

In daily life, we frequently refer to the sensible and latent forms of internal energy as *heat*, and talk about the heat content of bodies. Scientifically the more correct name for these forms of energy is *thermal energy*. For single-phase substances, a change in the thermal energy of a given mass results in a change in temperature, and thus temperature is a good representative of thermal energy. Thermal energy tends to move naturally in the direction of decreasing temperature. The transfer of energy from one system to another as a result of a temperature difference is called **heat transfer**. The warming up of a canned drink in a warmer room, for example, is due to heat transfer (Fig. 12-28). The time rate of heat transfer is called **heat transfer rate** and is denoted by  $\dot{Q}$ .

The direction of heat transfer is always from the higher-temperature body to the lower-temperature one. Once temperature equality is established, heat transfer stops. There cannot be any net heat transfer between two systems (or a system and its surroundings) that are at the same temperature.

A process during which there is no heat transfer is called an **adiabatic process**. There are two ways a process can be adiabatic: Either the system is well insulated so that only a negligible amount of heat can pass through the

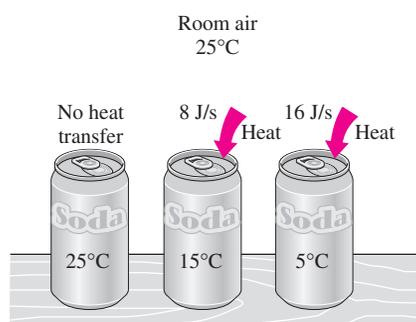


FIGURE 12-28

Temperature difference is the driving force for heat transfer. The larger the temperature difference, the higher is the rate of heat transfer.

system boundary, or both the system and the surroundings are at the same temperature and therefore there is no driving force (temperature difference) for net heat transfer. An adiabatic process should not be confused with an isothermal process. Even though there is no heat transfer during an adiabatic process, the energy content and thus the temperature of a system can still be changed by other means such as work.

## Energy Transfer by Work, $W$

An energy interaction is **work** if it is associated with a force acting through a distance. A rising piston, a rotating shaft, and an electric wire crossing the system boundary are all associated with work interactions. The time rate of doing work is called **power** and is denoted by  $\dot{W}$ . Car engines and hydraulic, steam, and gas turbines produce work; compressors, pumps, fans, and mixers consume work.

Work-consuming devices transfer energy to the fluid, and thus increase the energy of the fluid. A fan in a room, for example, mobilizes the air and increases its kinetic energy. The electric energy a fan consumes is first converted to mechanical energy by its motor that forces the shaft of the blades to rotate. This mechanical energy is then transferred to the air, as evidenced by the increase in air velocity. This energy transfer to air has nothing to do with a temperature difference, so it cannot be heat transfer. Therefore, it must be work. Air discharged by the fan eventually comes to a stop and thus loses its mechanical energy as a result of friction between air particles of different velocities. But this is not a “loss” in the real sense; it is simply the conversion of mechanical energy to an equivalent amount of thermal energy (which is of limited value, and thus the term *loss*) in accordance with the conservation of energy principle. If a fan runs a long time in a sealed room, we can sense the buildup of this thermal energy by a rise in air temperature.

A system may involve numerous forms of work, and the total work can be expressed as

$$W_{\text{total}} = W_{\text{shaft}} + W_{\text{pressure}} + W_{\text{viscous}} + W_{\text{other}} \quad (12-24)$$

where  $W_{\text{shaft}}$  is the work transmitted by a rotating shaft,  $W_{\text{pressure}}$  is the work done by the pressure forces on the control surface,  $W_{\text{viscous}}$  is the work done by the normal and shear components of viscous forces on the control surface, and  $W_{\text{other}}$  is the work done by other forces such as electric, magnetic, and surface tension, which are insignificant for simple compressible systems and are not considered in this text. We do not consider  $W_{\text{viscous}}$  either since moving walls, such as fan blades or turbine runners, are usually *inside* the control volume, and are not part of the control surface. But it should be kept in mind that the work done by shear forces as the blades shear through the fluid may need to be considered in a refined analysis of turbomachinery.

## Shaft Work

Many flow systems involve a machine such as a pump, a turbine, a fan, or a compressor whose shaft protrudes through the control surface, and the work transfer associated with all such devices is simply referred to as *shaft work*

$\dot{W}_{\text{shaft}}$ . The power transmitted via a rotating shaft is proportional to the shaft torque  $T_{\text{shaft}}$  and is expressed as

$$\dot{W}_{\text{shaft}} = \omega T_{\text{shaft}} = 2\pi \dot{n} T_{\text{shaft}} \quad (12-25)$$

where  $\omega$  is the angular speed of the shaft in rad/s and  $\dot{n}$  is defined as the number of revolutions of the shaft per unit time, often expressed in rev/min or rpm.

## Work Done by Pressure Forces

Consider a gas being compressed in the piston-cylinder device shown in Fig. 12–29a. When the piston moves down a differential distance  $ds$  under the influence of the pressure force  $PA$ , where  $A$  is the cross-sectional area of the piston, the boundary work done *on* the system is  $\delta W_{\text{boundary}} = PA ds$ . Dividing both sides of this relation by the differential time interval  $dt$  gives the time rate of boundary work (i.e., *power*),

$$\delta \dot{W}_{\text{pressure}} = \delta \dot{W}_{\text{boundary}} = PA V_{\text{piston}}$$

where  $V_{\text{piston}} = ds/dt$  is the piston velocity, which is the velocity of the moving boundary at the piston face.

Now consider a material chunk of fluid (a system) of arbitrary shape, which moves with the flow and is free to deform under the influence of pressure, as shown in Fig. 12–29b. Pressure always acts inward and normal to the surface, and the pressure force acting on a differential area  $dA$  is  $P dA$ . Again noting that work is force times distance and distance traveled per unit time is velocity, the time rate at which work is done by pressure forces on this differential part of the system is

$$\delta \dot{W}_{\text{pressure}} = -P dA V_n = -P dA (\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}) \quad (12-26)$$

since the normal component of velocity through the differential area  $dA$  is  $V_n = V \cos \theta = \vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}$ . Note that  $\vec{n}$  is the outer normal of  $dA$ , and thus the quantity  $\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}$  is positive for expansion and negative for compression. The negative sign in Eq. 12–26 ensures that work done by pressure forces is positive when it is done *on* the system, and negative when it is done *by* the system, which agrees with our sign convention. The total rate of work done by pressure forces is obtained by integrating  $\delta \dot{W}_{\text{pressure}}$  over the entire surface  $A$ ,

$$\dot{W}_{\text{pressure, net in}} = - \int_A P (\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}) dA = - \int_A \frac{P}{\rho} \rho (\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}) dA \quad (12-27)$$

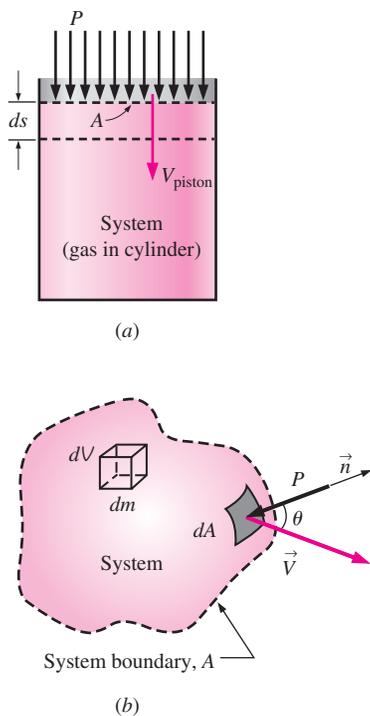
In light of these discussions, the net power transfer is expressed as

$$\dot{W}_{\text{net in}} = \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{pressure, net in}} = \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} - \int_A P (\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}) dA \quad (12-28)$$

Then the rate form of the conservation of energy relation for a closed system becomes

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{pressure, net in}} = \frac{dE_{\text{sys}}}{dt} \quad (12-29)$$

To obtain a relation for the conservation of energy for a *control volume*, we apply the Reynolds transport theorem by replacing  $B$  with total energy



**FIGURE 12-29**

The pressure force acting on (a) the moving boundary of a system in a piston-cylinder device, and (b) the differential surface area of a system of arbitrary shape.

$E$ , and  $b$  with total energy per unit mass  $e$ , which is  $e = u + ke + pe = u + V^2/2 + gz$  (Fig. 12–30). This yields

$$\frac{dE_{\text{sys}}}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e\rho dV + \int_{\text{CS}} e\rho(\vec{V}_r \cdot \vec{n})A \quad (12-30)$$

Substituting the left-hand side of Eq. 12–29 into Eq. 12–30, the general form of the energy equation that applies to fixed, moving, or deforming control volumes becomes

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{pressure, net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e\rho dV + \int_{\text{CS}} e\rho(\vec{V}_r \cdot \vec{n}) dA \quad (12-31)$$

which can be stated as

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{The net rate of energy} \\ \text{transfer into a CV by} \\ \text{heat and work transfer} \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{The time rate of} \\ \text{change of the energy} \\ \text{content of the CV} \end{array} \right) + \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{The net flow rate of} \\ \text{energy out of the control} \\ \text{surface by mass flow} \end{array} \right)$$

Here  $\vec{V}_r = \vec{V} - \vec{V}_{\text{CS}}$  is the fluid velocity relative to the control surface, and the product  $\rho(\vec{V}_r \cdot \vec{n}) dA$  represents the mass flow rate through area element  $dA$  into or out of the control volume. Again noting that  $\vec{n}$  is the outer normal of  $dA$ , the quantity  $\vec{V}_r \cdot \vec{n}$  and thus mass flow is positive for outflow and negative for inflow.

Substituting the surface integral for the rate of pressure work from Eq. 12–27 into Eq. 12–31 and combining it with the surface integral on the right give

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e\rho dV + \int_{\text{CS}} \left( \frac{P}{\rho} + e \right) \rho(\vec{V}_r \cdot \vec{n}) dA \quad (12-32)$$

This is a very convenient form for the energy equation since pressure work is now combined with the energy of the fluid crossing the control surface and we no longer have to deal with pressure work.

The term  $P/\rho = P\upsilon = w_{\text{flow}}$  is the **flow work**, which is the work per unit mass associated with pushing a fluid into or out of a control volume. Note that the fluid velocity at a solid surface is equal to the velocity of the solid surface because of the no-slip condition. As a result, the pressure work along the portions of the control surface that coincide with nonmoving solid surfaces is zero. Therefore, pressure work for fixed control volumes can exist only along the imaginary part of the control surface where the fluid enters and leaves the control volume, i.e., inlets and outlets.

For a fixed control volume (no motion or deformation of control volume),  $\vec{V}_r = \vec{V}$  and the energy equation Eq. 12–32 becomes

$$\text{Fixed CV: } \dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e\rho dV + \int_{\text{CS}} \left( \frac{P}{\rho} + e \right) \rho(\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}) dA \quad (12-33)$$

This equation is not in a convenient form for solving practical engineering problems because of the integrals, and thus it is desirable to rewrite it in terms of average velocities and mass flow rates through inlets and outlets. If  $P/\rho + e$  is nearly uniform across an inlet or outlet, we can simply take it

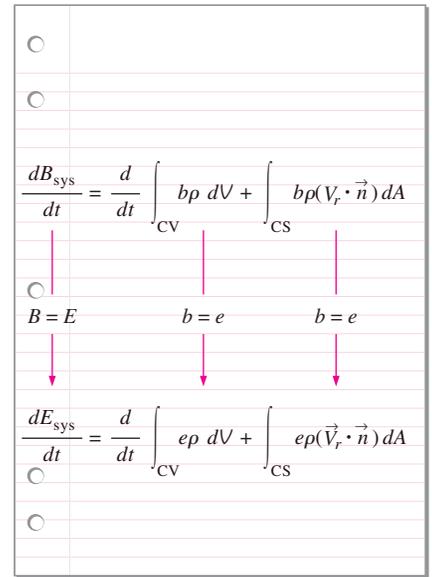
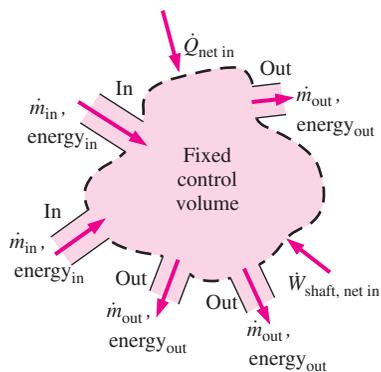


FIGURE 12–30

The conservation of energy equation is obtained by replacing  $B$  in the Reynolds transport theorem by energy  $E$  and  $b$  by  $e$ .


**FIGURE 12-31**

In a typical engineering problem, the control volume may contain many inlets and outlets; energy flows in at each inlet, and energy flows out at each outlet. Energy also enters the control volume through net heat transfer and net shaft work.

outside the integral. Noting that  $\dot{m} = \int_{A_c} \rho(\vec{V} \cdot \vec{n}) dA_c$  is the mass flow rate across an inlet or outlet, the rate of inflow or outflow of energy through the inlet or outlet can be approximated as  $\dot{m}(P/\rho + e)$ . Then the energy equation becomes (Fig. 12–31)

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e \rho dV + \sum_{\text{out}} \dot{m} \left( \frac{P}{\rho} + e \right) - \sum_{\text{in}} \dot{m} \left( \frac{P}{\rho} + e \right) \quad (12-34)$$

where  $e = u + V^2/2 + gz$  (Eq. 12–23) is the total energy per unit mass for both the control volume and flow streams. Then,

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e \rho dV + \sum_{\text{out}} \dot{m} \left( \frac{P}{\rho} + u + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \right) - \sum_{\text{in}} \dot{m} \left( \frac{P}{\rho} + u + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \right) \quad (12-35)$$

or

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\text{CV}} e \rho dV + \sum_{\text{out}} \dot{m} \left( h + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \right) - \sum_{\text{in}} \dot{m} \left( h + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \right) \quad (12-36)$$

where we used the definition of enthalpy  $h = u + Pv = u + P/\rho$ . The last two equations are fairly general expressions of conservation of energy, but their use is still limited to fixed control volumes, uniform flow at inlets and outlets, and negligible work due to viscous forces and other effects. Also, the subscript “net in” stands for “net input,” and thus any heat or work transfer is positive if *to* the system and negative if *from* the system.

## 12-4 ■ ENERGY ANALYSIS OF STEADY FLOWS

For steady flows, the time rate of change of the energy content of the control volume is zero, and Eq. 12–36 simplifies to

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \sum_{\text{out}} \dot{m} \left( h + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \right) - \sum_{\text{in}} \dot{m} \left( h + \frac{V^2}{2} + gz \right) \quad (12-37)$$

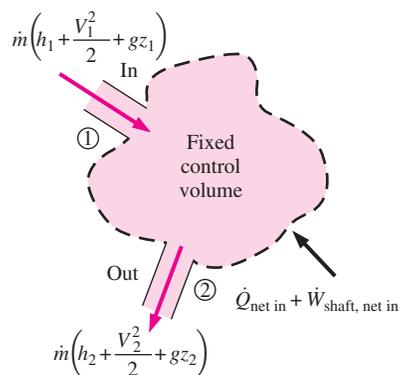
It states that *the net rate of energy transfer to a control volume by heat transfer and work during steady flow is equal to the difference between the rates of outgoing and incoming energy flows with mass.*

Many practical problems involve just one inlet and one outlet (Fig. 12–32). The mass flow rate for such **single-stream devices** remains constant, and Eq. 12–37 reduces to

$$\dot{Q}_{\text{net in}} + \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \dot{m} \left( h_2 - h_1 + \frac{V_2^2 - V_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) \right) \quad (12-38)$$

where subscripts 1 and 2 refer to the inlet and outlet, respectively. The steady-flow energy equation on a unit-mass basis is obtained by dividing Eq. 12–38 by the mass flow rate  $\dot{m}$ ,

$$q_{\text{net in}} + w_{\text{shaft, net in}} = h_2 - h_1 + \frac{V_2^2 - V_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) \quad (12-39)$$


**FIGURE 12-32**

A control volume with only one inlet and one outlet and energy interactions.

where  $q_{\text{net in}} = \dot{Q}_{\text{net in}}/\dot{m}$  is the net heat transfer to the fluid per unit mass and  $w_{\text{shaft, net in}} = \dot{W}_{\text{shaft, net in}}/\dot{m}$  is the net shaft work input to the fluid per unit mass. Using the definition of enthalpy  $h = u + P/\rho$  and rearranging, the steady-flow energy equation can also be expressed as

$$w_{\text{shaft, net in}} + \frac{P_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho_2} + \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2 + (u_2 - u_1 - q_{\text{net in}}) \quad (12-40)$$

where  $u$  is the *internal energy*,  $P/\rho$  is the *flow energy*,  $V^2/2$  is the *kinetic energy*, and  $gz$  is the *potential energy* of the fluid, all per unit mass. These relations are valid for both compressible and incompressible flows.

The left side of Eq. 12-40 represents the mechanical energy input, while the first three terms on the right side represent the mechanical energy output. If the flow is ideal with no irreversibilities such as friction, the total mechanical energy must be conserved, and the term in parentheses ( $u_2 - u_1 - q_{\text{net in}}$ ) must equal zero. That is,

$$\text{Ideal flow (no mechanical energy loss):} \quad q_{\text{net in}} = u_2 - u_1 \quad (12-41)$$

Any increase in  $u_2 - u_1$  above  $q_{\text{net in}}$  is due to the irreversible conversion of mechanical energy to thermal energy, and thus  $u_2 - u_1 - q_{\text{net in}}$  represents the mechanical energy loss (Fig. 12-33). That is,

$$\text{Mechanical energy loss:} \quad e_{\text{mech, loss}} = u_2 - u_1 - q_{\text{net in}} \quad (12-42)$$

For single-phase fluids (a gas or a liquid), we have  $u_2 - u_1 = c_v(T_2 - T_1)$  where  $c_v$  is the constant-volume specific heat.

The steady-flow energy equation on a unit-mass basis can be written conveniently as a **mechanical energy balance** as

$$e_{\text{mech, in}} = e_{\text{mech, out}} + e_{\text{mech, loss}} \quad (12-43)$$

or

$$w_{\text{shaft, net in}} + \frac{P_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho_2} + \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2 + e_{\text{mech, loss}} \quad (12-44)$$

Noting that  $w_{\text{shaft, net in}} = w_{\text{pump}} - w_{\text{turbine}}$ , the mechanical energy balance can be written more explicitly as

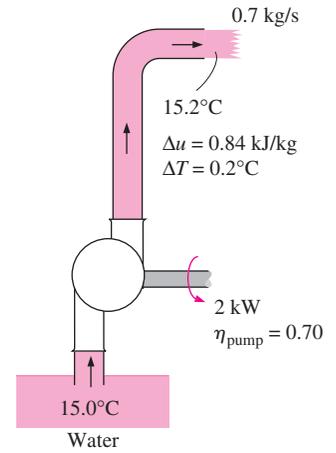
$$\frac{P_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 + w_{\text{pump}} = \frac{P_2}{\rho_2} + \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2 + w_{\text{turbine}} + e_{\text{mech, loss}} \quad (12-45)$$

where  $w_{\text{pump}}$  is the mechanical work input (due to the presence of a pump, fan, compressor, etc.) and  $w_{\text{turbine}}$  is the mechanical work output (due to a turbine). When the flow is incompressible, either absolute or gage pressure can be used for  $P$  since  $P_{\text{atm}}/\rho$  would appear on both sides and would cancel out.

Multiplying Eq. 12-45 by the mass flow rate  $\dot{m}$  gives

$$\dot{m} \left( \frac{P_1}{\rho_1} + \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 \right) + \dot{W}_{\text{pump}} = \dot{m} \left( \frac{P_2}{\rho_2} + \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2 \right) + \dot{W}_{\text{turbine}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}} \quad (12-46)$$

where  $\dot{W}_{\text{pump}}$  is the shaft power input through the pump's shaft,  $\dot{W}_{\text{turbine}}$  is the shaft power output through the turbine's shaft, and  $\dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}}$  is the *total*



**FIGURE 12-33**

The lost mechanical energy in a fluid flow system results in an increase in the internal energy of the fluid and thus in a rise of fluid temperature.

mechanical power loss, which consists of pump and turbine losses as well as the frictional losses in the piping network. That is,

$$\dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}} = \dot{E}_{\text{mech loss, pump}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech loss, turbine}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech loss, piping}}$$

By convention, irreversible pump and turbine losses are treated separately from irreversible losses due to other components of the piping system. Thus the energy equation can be expressed in its most common form in terms of *heads* by dividing each term in Eq. 12–46 by  $\dot{m}g$ . The result is

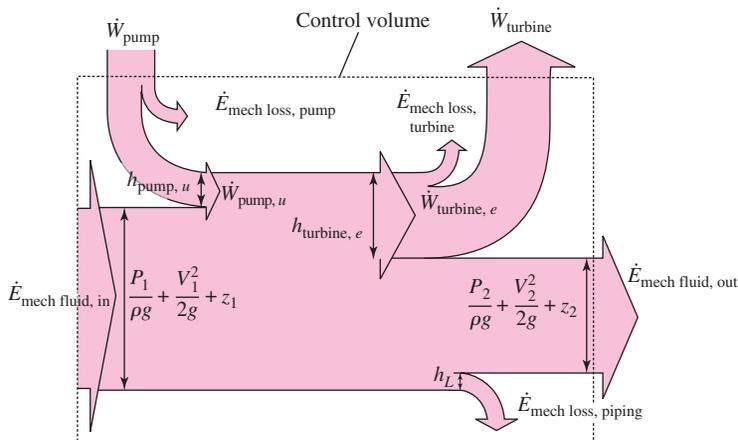
$$\frac{P_1}{\rho_1 g} + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 + h_{\text{pump, } u} = \frac{P_2}{\rho_2 g} + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 + h_{\text{turbine, } e} + h_L \quad (12-47)$$

where

- $h_{\text{pump, } u} = \frac{w_{\text{pump, } u}}{g} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{pump, } u}}{\dot{m}g} = \frac{\eta_{\text{pump}} \dot{W}_{\text{pump}}}{\dot{m}g}$  is the *useful head delivered to the fluid by the pump*. Because of irreversible losses in the pump,  $h_{\text{pump, } u}$  is less than  $\dot{W}_{\text{pump}}/\dot{m}g$  by the factor  $\eta_{\text{pump}}$ .
- $h_{\text{turbine, } e} = \frac{w_{\text{turbine, } e}}{g} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine, } e}}{\dot{m}g} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine}}}{\eta_{\text{turbine}} \dot{m}g}$  is the *extracted head removed from the fluid by the turbine*. Because of irreversible losses in the turbine,  $h_{\text{turbine, } e}$  is greater than  $\dot{W}_{\text{turbine}}/\dot{m}g$  by the factor  $\eta_{\text{turbine}}$ .
- $h_L = \frac{e_{\text{mech loss, piping}}}{g} = \frac{\dot{E}_{\text{mech loss, piping}}}{\dot{m}g}$  is the *irreversible head loss* between 1 and 2 due to all components of the piping system other than the pump or turbine.

Note that the head loss  $h_L$  represents the frictional losses associated with fluid flow in piping, and it does not include the losses that occur within the pump or turbine due to the inefficiencies of these devices—these losses are taken into account by  $\eta_{\text{pump}}$  and  $\eta_{\text{turbine}}$ . Equation 12–47 is illustrated schematically in Fig. 12–34.

The *pump head* is zero if the piping system does not involve a pump, a fan, or a compressor, and the *turbine head* is zero if the system does not involve a turbine.



**FIGURE 12-34**

Mechanical energy flow chart for a fluid flow system that involves a pump and a turbine. Vertical dimensions show each energy term expressed as an equivalent column height of fluid, i.e., *head*, corresponding to each term of Eq. 12–47.

## Special Case: Incompressible Flow with No Mechanical Work Devices and Negligible Friction

When piping losses are negligible, there is negligible dissipation of mechanical energy into thermal energy, and thus  $h_L = e_{\text{mech loss, piping}}/g \cong 0$ . Also,  $h_{\text{pump}, u} = h_{\text{turbine}, e} = 0$  when there are no mechanical work devices such as fans, pumps, or turbines. Then Eq. 12–47 reduces to

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{P}{\rho g} + \frac{V^2}{2g} + z = \text{constant} \quad (12-48)$$

which is the **Bernoulli equation** derived earlier using Newton's second law of motion. Thus, the Bernoulli equation can be thought of as a *degenerate* form of the energy equation.

## Kinetic Energy Correction Factor, $\alpha$

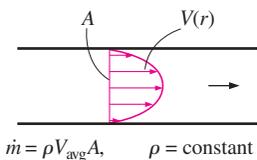
The average flow velocity  $V_{\text{avg}}$  was defined such that the relation  $\rho V_{\text{avg}} A$  gives the actual mass flow rate. Therefore, there is no such thing as a correction factor for mass flow rate. However, as Gaspard Coriolis (1792–1843) showed, the kinetic energy of a fluid stream obtained from  $V^2/2$  is not the same as the actual kinetic energy of the fluid stream since the square of a sum is not equal to the sum of the squares of its components (Fig. 12–35). This error can be corrected by replacing the kinetic energy terms  $V^2/2$  in the energy equation by  $\alpha V_{\text{avg}}^2/2$ , where  $\alpha$  is the **kinetic energy correction factor**. By using equations for the variation of velocity with the radial distance, it can be shown that the correction factor is 2.0 for fully developed laminar pipe flow, and it ranges between 1.04 and 1.11 for fully developed turbulent flow in a round pipe.

The kinetic energy correction factors are often ignored (i.e.,  $\alpha$  is set equal to 1) in an elementary analysis since (1) most flows encountered in practice are turbulent, for which the correction factor is near unity, and (2) the kinetic energy terms are often small relative to the other terms in the energy equation, and multiplying them by a factor less than 2.0 does not make much difference. When the velocity and thus the kinetic energy are high, the flow turns turbulent, and a unity correction factor is more appropriate. However, you should keep in mind that you may encounter some situations for which these factors *are* significant, especially when the flow is laminar. Therefore, we recommend that you always include the kinetic energy correction factor when analyzing fluid flow problems. When the kinetic energy correction factors are included, the energy equations for *steady incompressible flow* (Eqs. 12–46 and 12–47) become

$$\dot{m} \left( \frac{P_1}{\rho} + \alpha_1 \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 \right) + \dot{W}_{\text{pump}} = \dot{m} \left( \frac{P_2}{\rho} + \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2 \right) + \dot{W}_{\text{turbine}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}} \quad (12-49)$$

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \alpha_1 \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 + h_{\text{pump}, u} = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 + h_{\text{turbine}, e} + h_L \quad (12-50)$$

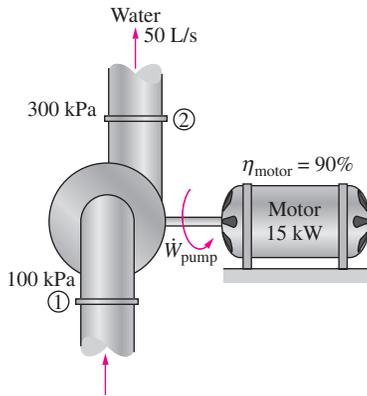
If the flow at an inlet or outlet is fully developed turbulent pipe flow, we recommend using  $\alpha = 1.05$  as a reasonable estimate of the correction factor. This leads to a more conservative estimate of head loss, and it does not take much additional effort to include  $\alpha$  in the equations.



$$\begin{aligned} \dot{m} &= \rho V_{\text{avg}} A, \quad \rho = \text{constant} \\ \text{K}\dot{E}_{\text{act}} &= \int \text{ke} \delta \dot{m} = \int_A \frac{1}{2} V^2(r) [\rho V(r) dA] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \rho \int_A V^3(r) dA \\ \text{K}\dot{E}_{\text{avg}} &= \frac{1}{2} \dot{m} V_{\text{avg}}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \rho A V_{\text{avg}}^3 \\ \alpha &= \frac{\text{K}\dot{E}_{\text{act}}}{\text{K}\dot{E}_{\text{avg}}} = \frac{1}{A} \int_A \left( \frac{V(r)}{V_{\text{avg}}} \right)^3 dA \end{aligned}$$

**FIGURE 12–35**

The determination of the *kinetic energy correction factor* using the actual velocity distribution  $V(r)$  and the average velocity  $V_{\text{avg}}$  at a cross section.



**FIGURE 12-36**  
Schematic for Example 12-6.

### EXAMPLE 12-6 Pumping Power and Frictional Heating in a Pump

Water is pumped from a reservoir at 100 kPa to a pipe at 300 kPa. The pipe has a diameter of 3 cm and a length of 100 m. The flow rate is 50 L/s. The pump work input is  $\dot{W}_{\text{pump}}$ . The motor efficiency is  $\eta_{\text{motor}} = 90\%$  and the motor power is 15 kW.

#### Solution

#### Assumptions

1. The flow is steady and incompressible.
2. The pipe is horizontal and the elevation change is negligible,  $z_1 \cong z_2$ .
3. The flow is frictionless.
4. The pipe diameter is constant,  $V_1 = V_2$ .
5. The fluid properties are constant,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$ .

**Properties** The density of water is  $\rho = 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$  and the specific heat is  $c_p = 4.18 \text{ kJ/kg} \cdot \text{C}$ .

**Analysis** (a) The mass flow rate is

$$\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V} = (1 \text{ kg/L})(50 \text{ L/s}) = 50 \text{ kg/s}$$

The shaft work input to the pump is

$$\dot{W}_{\text{pump, shaft}} = \eta_{\text{motor}} \dot{W}_{\text{electric}} = (0.90)(15 \text{ kW}) = 13.5 \text{ kW}$$

The mechanical energy change of the fluid is

$$\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}} = \dot{E}_{\text{mech, out}} - \dot{E}_{\text{mech, in}} = \dot{m} \left( \frac{P_2}{\rho} + \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2} + gz_2 \right) - \dot{m} \left( \frac{P_1}{\rho} + \alpha_1 \frac{V_1^2}{2} + gz_1 \right)$$

Since the pipe is horizontal and the diameter is constant,  $z_1 = z_2$  and  $V_1 = V_2$ .

$$\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}} = \dot{m} \left( \frac{P_2 - P_1}{\rho} \right) = (50 \text{ kg/s}) \left( \frac{(300 - 100) \text{ kPa}}{1000 \text{ kg/m}^3} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ kJ}}{1 \text{ kPa} \cdot \text{m}^3} \right) = 10.0 \text{ kW}$$

The pump efficiency is

$$\eta_{\text{pump}} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{pump, u}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{pump, shaft}}} = \frac{\Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{pump, shaft}}} = \frac{10.0 \text{ kW}}{13.5 \text{ kW}} = \mathbf{0.741} \text{ or } \mathbf{74.1\%}$$

(b) The mechanical energy loss in the pump is

$$\dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}} = \dot{W}_{\text{pump, shaft}} - \Delta \dot{E}_{\text{mech, fluid}} = 13.5 - 10.0 = 3.5 \text{ kW}$$

The mechanical energy loss is due to frictional heating,  $\dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}} = \dot{m}(u_2 - u_1) = \dot{m}c\Delta T$ .

$$\Delta T = \frac{\dot{E}_{\text{mech, loss}}}{\dot{m}c} = \frac{3.5 \text{ kW}}{(50 \text{ kg/s})(4.18 \text{ kJ/kg} \cdot ^\circ\text{C})} = \mathbf{0.017^\circ\text{C}}$$

**Discussion**

**EXAMPLE 12-7 Hydroelectric Power Generation from a Dam**

A dam is 120 m high. Water flows over the dam at a rate of 100 m<sup>3</sup>/s. The water is collected in a reservoir behind the dam. The water in the reservoir is at a depth of 120 m. The water is then released from the reservoir and falls through a turbine. The turbine is connected to a generator. The efficiency of the turbine-generator is 80%.

**Solution**

**Assumptions**

**Properties**  
**Analysis**

$$\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V} = (1000 \text{ kg/m}^3)(100 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}) = 10^5 \text{ kg/s}$$

Water is treated as an incompressible fluid. The pressure is constant throughout the flow. The velocity of the water at the inlet and outlet is zero. The elevation of the water at the inlet is 120 m and at the outlet is 0 m. The head loss in the turbine is 35 m.

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \alpha_1 \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 + h_{\text{pump},u} = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 + h_{\text{turbine},e} + h_L$$

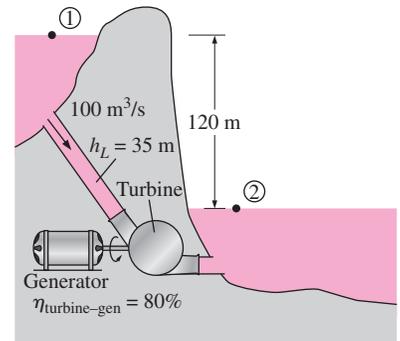
$$h_{\text{turbine},e} = z_1 - h_L$$

$$h_{\text{turbine},e} = z_1 - h_L = 120 - 35 = 85 \text{ m}$$

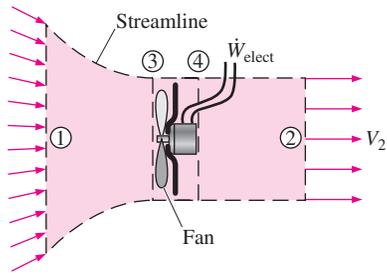
$$\dot{W}_{\text{turbine},e} = \dot{m}gh_{\text{turbine},e} = (10^5 \text{ kg/s})(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)(85 \text{ m}) \left( \frac{1 \text{ kJ/kg}}{1000 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}^2} \right) = 83,400 \text{ kW}$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{electric}} = \eta_{\text{turbine-gen}} \dot{W}_{\text{turbine},e} = (0.80)(83.4 \text{ MW}) = \mathbf{66.7 \text{ MW}}$$

**Discussion**



**FIGURE 12-37**  
Schematic for Example 12-7.



**FIGURE 12-38**  
Schematic for Example 12-8.

**EXAMPLE 12-8 Fan Selection for Air Cooling of a Computer**

A computer case is 12 cm high, 40 cm wide, and 40 cm deep. The void fraction of the case is 0.5. The air inside the case is at 30°C and 1.20 kg/m<sup>3</sup>. The fan is to be selected such that the air velocity in the case is 4.90 m/s. The fan is to be selected such that the air velocity in the case is 4.90 m/s.

**Solution**

**Assumptions**

**Properties**

**Analysis**

$$V = (\text{Void fraction})(\text{Total case volume})$$

$$= 0.5(12 \text{ cm} \times 40 \text{ cm} \times 40 \text{ cm}) = 9600 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\dot{V} = \frac{V}{\Delta t} = \frac{9600 \text{ cm}^3}{1 \text{ s}} = 9600 \text{ cm}^3/\text{s} = 9.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$$

$$\dot{m} = \rho \dot{V} = (1.20 \text{ kg/m}^3)(9.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}) = 0.0115 \text{ kg/s}$$

$$A = \frac{\pi D^2}{4} = \frac{\pi(0.05 \text{ m})^2}{4} = 1.96 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2$$

$$V = \frac{\dot{V}}{A} = \frac{9.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3/\text{s}}{1.96 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^2} = 4.90 \text{ m/s}$$

The fan is to be selected such that the air velocity in the case is 4.90 m/s. The fan is to be selected such that the air velocity in the case is 4.90 m/s.

$$\dot{m} \left( \frac{P_1}{\rho} + \alpha_1 \frac{V_1^2}{2} + g z_1 \right) + \dot{W}_{\text{fan}} = \dot{m} \left( \frac{P_2}{\rho} + \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2} + g z_2 \right) + \dot{W}_{\text{turbine}} + \dot{E}_{\text{mech loss, fan}}$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{fan, u}} = \dot{m} \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2} = (0.0115 \text{ kg/s})(1.10) \frac{(4.90 \text{ m/s})^2}{2} \left( \frac{1 \text{ N}}{1 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m/s}^2} \right) = 0.152 \text{ W}$$



brought to a stop; and  $\rho gz$  is the *hydrostatic pressure*, which accounts for the effects of fluid weight on pressure. The sum of the static, dynamic, and hydrostatic pressures is called the *total pressure*. The Bernoulli equation states that *the total pressure along a streamline is constant*. The sum of the static and dynamic pressures is called the *stagnation pressure*, which represents the pressure at a point where the fluid is brought to a complete stop in a frictionless manner. The Bernoulli equation can also be represented in terms of “heads” by dividing each term by  $g$ ,

$$\frac{P}{\rho g} + \frac{V^2}{2g} + z = H = \text{constant}$$

where  $P/\rho g$  is the *pressure head*, which represents the height of a fluid column that produces the static pressure  $P$ ;  $V^2/2g$  is the *velocity head*, which represents the elevation needed for a fluid to reach the velocity  $V$  during frictionless free fall; and  $z$  is the *elevation head*, which represents the potential energy of the fluid. Also,  $H$  is the *total head* for the flow. The curve that represents the sum of the static pressure and the elevation heads,  $P/\rho g + z$ , is called the *hydraulic grade line* (HGL), and the curve that represents the total head of the fluid,  $P/\rho g + V^2/2g + z$ , is called the *energy grade line* (EGL).

The *energy equation* for steady, incompressible flow is expressed as

$$\frac{P_1}{\rho g} + \alpha_1 \frac{V_1^2}{2g} + z_1 + h_{\text{pump}, u} = \frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \alpha_2 \frac{V_2^2}{2g} + z_2 + h_{\text{turbine}, e} + h_L$$

where

$$h_{\text{pump}, u} = \frac{w_{\text{pump}, u}}{g} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{pump}, u}}{\dot{m}g} = \frac{\eta_{\text{pump}} \dot{W}_{\text{pump}}}{\dot{m}g}$$

$$h_{\text{turbine}, e} = \frac{w_{\text{turbine}, e}}{g} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine}, e}}{\dot{m}g} = \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{turbine}}}{\eta_{\text{turbine}} \dot{m}g}$$

$$h_L = \frac{e_{\text{mech loss, piping}}}{g} = \frac{\dot{E}_{\text{mech loss, piping}}}{\dot{m}g}$$

$$e_{\text{mech, loss}} = u_2 - u_1 - q_{\text{net in}}$$

The Bernoulli and energy equations are two of the most fundamental relations in fluid mechanics.

REFERENCES AND SUGGESTED READING

1. R. C. Dorf, ed. in chief. *The Engineering Handbook*. Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press, 1995.
2. R. L. Panton. *Incompressible Flow*, 2nd ed. New York: Wiley, 1996.
3. M. Van Dyke. *An Album of Fluid Motion*. Stanford, CA: The Parabolic Press, 1982.

PROBLEMS\*

Mechanical Energy and Efficiency

**12-1C** What is mechanical energy? How does it differ from thermal energy? What are the forms of mechanical energy of a fluid stream?

**12-2C** What is mechanical efficiency? What does a mechanical efficiency of 100 percent mean for a hydraulic turbine?

**12-3C** How is the combined pump–motor efficiency of a pump and motor system defined? Can the combined pump–

motor efficiency be greater than either the pump or the motor efficiency?

**12-4C** Define turbine efficiency, generator efficiency, and combined turbine–generator efficiency.

**12-5** Consider a river flowing toward a lake at an average velocity of 3 m/s at a rate of 500 m<sup>3</sup>/s at a location 90 m above the lake surface. Determine the total mechanical energy of the river water per unit mass and the power generation potential of the entire river at that location. *Answer* MW

\* ms s l C l sl s sl ls  
 l s l m ms s l  
 l s ls l S s s l m. ms  
 l l (g) s v s l S, m l s l s  
 l l l m l sl s l s  
 ms l l m sv l  
 l l s v l m l , f s l S  
 sfl l l m sl sl l.

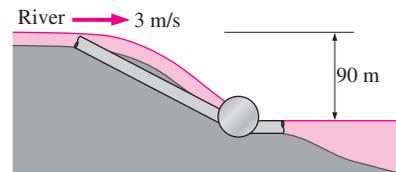


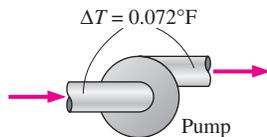
FIGURE P12-5

**12-6** Electric power is to be generated by installing a hydraulic turbine-generator at a site 70 m below the free surface of a large water reservoir that can supply water at a rate of 1500 kg/s steadily. If the mechanical power output of the turbine is 800 kW and the electric power generation is 750 kW, determine the turbine efficiency and the combined turbine-generator efficiency of this plant. Neglect losses in the pipes.

**12-7** At a certain location, wind is blowing steadily at 12 m/s. Determine the mechanical energy of air per unit mass and the power generation potential of a wind turbine with 50-m-diameter blades at that location. Also determine the actual electric power generation assuming an overall efficiency of 30 percent. Take the air density to be  $1.25 \text{ kg/m}^3$ .

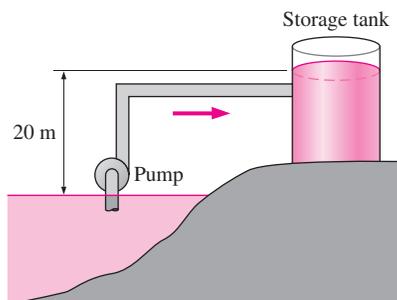
**12-8**  Reconsider Prob. 12-7. Using EES (or other) software, investigate the effect of wind velocity and the blade span diameter on wind power generation. Let the velocity vary from 5 to 20 m/s in increments of 5 m/s, and the diameter to vary from 20 to 80 m in increments of 20 m. Tabulate the results, and discuss their significance.

**12-9E** A differential thermocouple with sensors at the inlet and exit of a pump indicates that the temperature of water rises  $0.072^\circ\text{F}$  as it flows through the pump at a rate of  $1.5 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}$ . If the shaft power input to the pump is 27 hp, determine the mechanical efficiency of the pump. *Answer* 6 . 1



**FIGURE P12-9E**

**12-10** Water is pumped from a lake to a storage tank 20 m above at a rate of 70 L/s while consuming 20.4 kW of electric power. Disregarding any frictional losses in the pipes and any changes in kinetic energy, determine (a) the overall efficiency of the pump-motor unit and (b) the pressure difference between the inlet and the exit of the pump.



**FIGURE P12-10**

## Bernoulli Equation

**12-11C** What is streamwise acceleration? How does it differ from normal acceleration? Can a fluid particle accelerate in steady flow?

**12-12C** Express the Bernoulli equation in three different ways using (a) energies, (b) pressures, and (c) heads.

**12-13C** What are the three major assumptions used in the derivation of the Bernoulli equation?

**12-14C** Define static, dynamic, and hydrostatic pressure. Under what conditions is their sum constant for a flow stream?

**12-15C** What is stagnation pressure? Explain how it can be measured.

**12-16C** Define pressure head, velocity head, and elevation head for a fluid stream and express them for a fluid stream whose pressure is  $P$ , velocity is  $V$ , and elevation is  $z$ .

**12-17C** What is the hydraulic grade line? How does it differ from the energy grade line? Under what conditions do both lines coincide with the free surface of a liquid?

**12-18C** How is the location of the hydraulic grade line determined for open-channel flow? How is it determined at the outlet of a pipe discharging to the atmosphere?

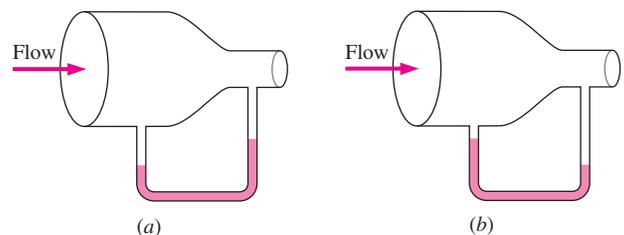
**12-19C** The water level of a tank on a building roof is 20 m above the ground. A hose leads from the tank bottom to the ground. The end of the hose has a nozzle, which is pointed straight up. What is the maximum height to which the water could rise? What factors would reduce this height?

**12-20C** In a certain application, a siphon must go over a high wall. Can water or oil with a specific gravity of 0.8 go over a higher wall? Why?

**12-21C** Explain how and why a siphon works. Someone proposes siphoning cold water over a 7-m-high wall. Is this feasible? Explain.

**12-22C** A student siphons water over a 8.5-m-high wall at sea level. She then climbs to the summit of Mount Shasta (elevation 4390 m,  $P_{\text{atm}} = 58.5 \text{ kPa}$ ) and attempts the same experiment. Comment on her prospects for success.

**12-23C** A glass manometer with oil as the working fluid is connected to an air duct as shown in Fig. P12-23C. Will the oil levels in the manometer be as in Fig. P12-23Ca or b? Explain. What would your response be if the flow direction is reversed?



**FIGURE P12-23C**

**12-24C** The velocity of a fluid flowing in a pipe is to be measured by two different Pitot-type mercury manometers shown in Fig. P12-24C. Would you expect both manometers to predict the same velocity for flowing water? If not, which would be more accurate? Explain. What would your response be if air were flowing in the pipe instead of water?

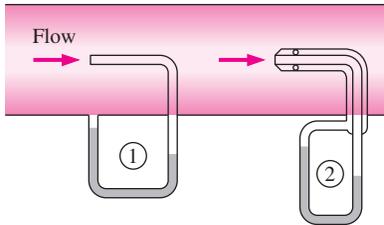


FIGURE P12-24C

**12-25** In cold climates, water pipes may freeze and burst if proper precautions are not taken. In such an occurrence, the exposed part of a pipe on the ground ruptures, and water shoots up to 34 m. Estimate the gage pressure of water in the pipe. State your assumptions and discuss if the actual pressure is more or less than the value you predicted.

**12-26** A Pitot-static probe is used to measure the velocity of an aircraft flying at 3000 m. If the differential pressure reading is 3 kPa, determine the velocity of the aircraft.

**12-27** While traveling on a dirt road, the bottom of a car hits a sharp rock and a small hole develops at the bottom of its gas tank. If the height of the gasoline in the tank is 30 cm, determine the initial velocity of the gasoline at the hole. Discuss how the velocity will change with time and how the flow will be affected if the lid of the tank is closed tightly.

Answer 2.3 m/s

**12-28E**  The drinking water needs of an office are met by large water bottles. One end of a 0.25-in-diameter plastic hose is inserted into the bottle placed on a

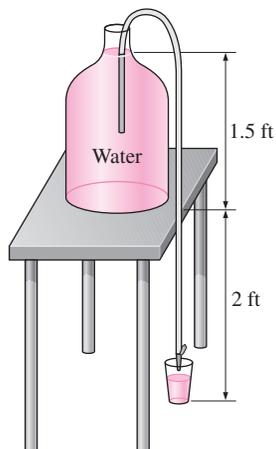


FIGURE P12-28E

high stand, while the other end with an on/off valve is maintained 2 ft below the bottom of the bottle. If the water level in the bottle is 1.5 ft when it is full, determine how long it will take at the minimum to fill an 8-oz glass (= 0.00835 ft<sup>3</sup>) (a) when the bottle is first opened and (b) when the bottle is almost empty. Neglect frictional losses.

**12-29** A piezometer and a Pitot tube are tapped into a 3-cm-diameter horizontal water pipe, and the height of the water columns are measured to be 20 cm in the piezometer and 35 cm in the Pitot tube (both measured from the top surface of the pipe). Determine the velocity at the center of the pipe.

**12-30** The diameter of a cylindrical water tank is  $D_o$  and its height is  $H$ . The tank is filled with water, which is open to the atmosphere. An orifice of diameter  $D$  with a smooth entrance (i.e., no losses) is open at the bottom. Develop a relation for the time required for the tank (a) to empty halfway and (b) to empty completely.

**12-31** A pressurized tank of water has a 10-cm-diameter orifice at the bottom, where water discharges to the atmosphere. The water level is 3 m above the outlet. The tank air pressure above the water level is 300 kPa (absolute) while the atmospheric pressure is 100 kPa. Neglecting frictional effects, determine the initial discharge rate of water from the tank. Answer 0.68 m<sup>3</sup>/s

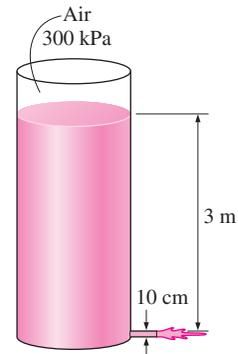


FIGURE P12-31

**12-32**  Reconsider Prob. 12-31. Using EES (or other) software, investigate the effect of water height in the tank on the discharge velocity. Let the water height vary from 0 to 5 m in increments of 0.5 m. Tabulate and plot the results.

**12-33E** A siphon pumps water from a large reservoir to a lower tank that is initially empty. The tank also has a rounded orifice 15 ft below the reservoir surface where the water leaves the tank. Both the siphon and the orifice diameters are 2 in. Ignoring frictional losses, determine to what height the water will rise in the tank at equilibrium.

**12-34** Water enters a tank of diameter  $D_T$  steadily at a mass flow rate of  $\dot{m}_{in}$ . An orifice at the bottom with diameter  $D_o$

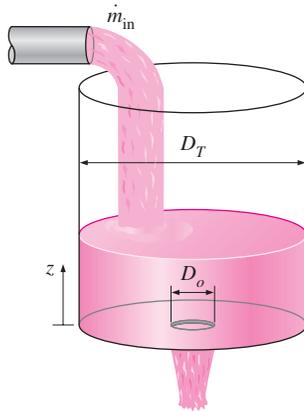


FIGURE P12-34

allows water to escape. The orifice has a rounded entrance, so the frictional losses are negligible. If the tank is initially empty, (a) determine the maximum height that the water will reach in the tank and (b) obtain a relation for water height  $z$  as a function of time.

**12-35E** Water flows through a horizontal pipe at a rate of 1 gal/s. The pipe consists of two sections of diameters 4 in and 2 in with a smooth reducing section. The pressure difference between the two pipe sections is measured by a mercury manometer. Neglecting frictional effects, determine the differential height of mercury between the two pipe sections. *Answer* 0. 2

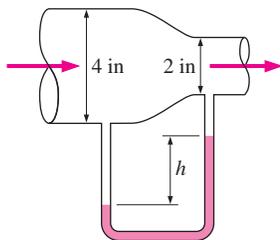


FIGURE P12-35E

**12-36** An airplane is flying at an altitude of 12,000 m. Determine the gage pressure at the stagnation point on the nose of the plane if the speed of the plane is 200 km/h. How would you solve this problem if the speed were 1050 km/h? Explain.

**12-37** The air velocity in the duct of a heating system is to be measured by a Pitot-static probe inserted into the duct parallel to flow. If the differential height between the water columns connected to the two outlets of the probe is 2.4 cm, determine (a) the flow velocity and (b) the pressure rise at the tip of the probe. The air temperature and pressure in the duct are 45°C and 98 kPa, respectively.

**12-38** The water in a 10-m-diameter, 2-m-high above-ground swimming pool is to be emptied by unplugging a 3-cm-diameter, 25-m-long horizontal pipe attached to the bottom of the pool. Determine the maximum discharge rate of water through the pipe. Also, explain why the actual flow rate will be less.

**12-39** Reconsider Prob. 12-38. Determine how long it will take to empty the swimming pool completely. *Answer* 1 9

**12-40**  Reconsider Prob. 12-39. Using EES (or other) software, investigate the effect of the discharge pipe diameter on the time required to empty the pool completely. Let the diameter vary from 1 to 10 cm in increments of 1 cm. Tabulate and plot the results.

**12-41** Air at 110 kPa and 50°C flows upward through a 6-cm-diameter inclined duct at a rate of 45 L/s. The duct diameter is then reduced to 4 cm through a reducer. The pressure change across the reducer is measured by a water manometer. The elevation difference between the two points on the pipe where the two arms of the manometer are attached is 0.20 m. Determine the differential height between the fluid levels of the two arms of the manometer.

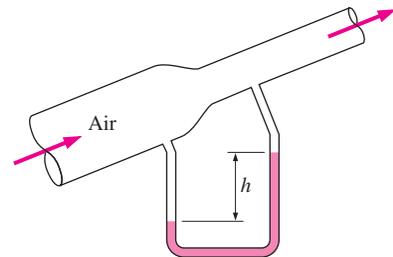


FIGURE P12-41

**12-42E** Air is flowing through a venturi meter whose diameter is 2.6 in at the entrance part (location 1) and 1.8 in at the throat (location 2). The gage pressure is measured to be 12.2 psia at the entrance and 11.8 psia at the throat. Neglecting frictional effects, show that the volume flow rate can be expressed as

$$\dot{V} = A_2 \sqrt{\frac{2(P_1 - P_2)}{\rho(1 - A_2^2/A_1^2)}}$$

and determine the flow rate of air. Take the air density to be 0.075 lbm/ft<sup>3</sup>.

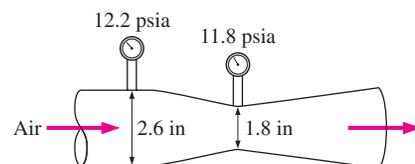
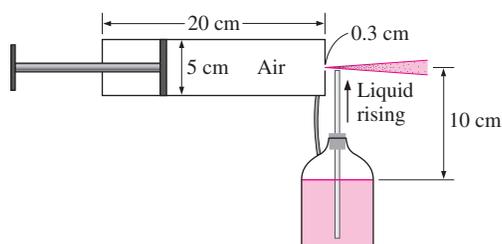


FIGURE P12-42E

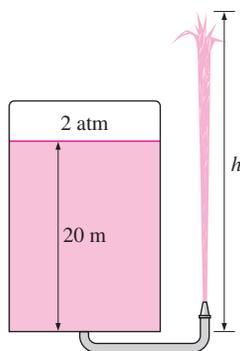
**12-43** The water pressure in the mains of a city at a particular location is 400 kPa gage. Determine if this main can serve water to neighborhoods that are 50 m above this location.

**12-44** A handheld bicycle pump can be used as an atomizer to generate a fine mist of paint or pesticide by forcing air at a high velocity through a small hole and placing a short tube between the liquid reservoir and the high-speed air jet whose low pressure drives the liquid up through the tube. In such an atomizer, the hole diameter is 0.3 cm, the vertical distance between the liquid level in the tube and the hole is 10 cm, and the bore (diameter) and the stroke of the air pump are 5 cm and 20 cm, respectively. If the atmospheric conditions are 20°C and 95 kPa, determine the minimum speed that the piston must be moved in the cylinder during pumping to initiate the atomizing effect. The liquid reservoir is open to the atmosphere.



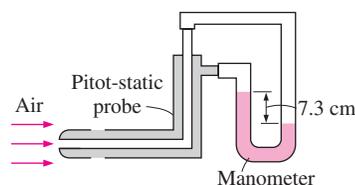
**FIGURE P12-44**

**12-45** The water level in a tank is 20 m above the ground. A hose is connected to the bottom of the tank, and the nozzle at the end of the hose is pointed straight up. The tank cover is airtight, and the air pressure above the water surface is 2 atm gage. The system is at sea level. Determine the maximum height to which the water stream could rise. *Answer* 0. m



**FIGURE P12-45**

**12-46** A Pitot-static probe connected to a water manometer is used to measure the velocity of air. If the deflection (the vertical distance between the fluid levels in the two arms) is



**FIGURE P12-46**

7.3 cm, determine the air velocity. Take the density of air to be  $1.25 \text{ kg/m}^3$ .

**12-47E** The air velocity in a duct is measured by a Pitot-static probe connected to a differential pressure gage. If the air is at 13.4 psia absolute and 70°F and the reading of the differential pressure gage is 0.15 psi, determine the air velocity.

*Answer*  $1 \frac{3}{4} \text{ ft/s}$

**12-48** In a hydroelectric power plant, water enters the turbine nozzles at 700 kPa absolute with a low velocity. If the nozzle outlets are exposed to atmospheric pressure of 100 kPa, determine the maximum velocity to which water can be accelerated by the nozzles before striking the turbine blades.

### Energy Equation

**12-49C** Consider the steady adiabatic flow of an incompressible fluid. Can the temperature of the fluid decrease during flow? Explain.

**12-50C** Consider the steady adiabatic flow of an incompressible fluid. If the temperature of the fluid remains constant during flow, is it accurate to say that the frictional effects are negligible?

**12-51C** What is irreversible head loss? How is it related to the mechanical energy loss?

**12-52C** What is useful pump head? How is it related to the power input to the pump?

**12-53C** What is the kinetic energy correction factor? Is it significant?

**12-54E** In a hydroelectric power plant, water flows from an elevation of 240 ft to a turbine, where electric power is generated. For an overall turbine-generator efficiency of 83 percent, determine the minimum flow rate required to generate 100 kW of electricity. *Answer*  $3 \text{ } 0 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$

**12-55E** Reconsider Prob. 12-54E. Determine the flow rate of water if the irreversible head loss of the piping system between the free surfaces of the source and the sink is 36 ft.

**12-56**  A fan is to be selected to ventilate a bathroom whose dimensions are  $2 \text{ m} \times 3 \text{ m} \times 3 \text{ m}$ . The air velocity is not to exceed 8 m/s to minimize vibration and noise. The combined efficiency of the fan-motor unit to be used can be taken to be 50 percent. If the fan is to replace the entire volume of air in 10 min, determine (a) the wattage of the fan-motor unit to be purchased, (b) the diameter of the

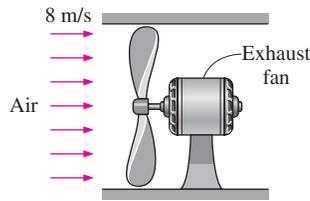


FIGURE P12-56

fan casing, and (c) the pressure difference across the fan. Take the air density to be  $1.25 \text{ kg/m}^3$  and disregard the effect of the kinetic energy correction factors.

**12-57** Water is being pumped from a large lake to a reservoir 25 m above at a rate of 25 L/s by a 10-kW (shaft) pump. If the irreversible head loss of the piping system is 7 m, determine the mechanical efficiency of the pump. *Answer* 8. %

**12-58**  Reconsider Prob. 12-57. Using EES (or other) software, investigate the effect of irreversible head loss on the mechanical efficiency of the pump. Let the head loss vary from 0 to 15 m in increments of 1 m. Plot the results, and discuss them.

**12-59** A 7-hp (shaft) pump is used to raise water to a 15-m higher elevation. If the mechanical efficiency of the pump is 82 percent, determine the maximum volume flow rate of water.

**12-60** Water flows at a rate of  $0.035 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  in a horizontal pipe whose diameter is reduced from 15 cm to 8 cm by a reducer. If the pressure at the centerline is measured to be 470 kPa and 440 kPa before and after the reducer, respectively, determine the irreversible head loss in the reducer. Take the kinetic energy correction factors to be 1.05. *Answer* 0.8 m

**12-61** The water level in a tank is 20 m above the ground. A hose is connected to the bottom of the tank, and the nozzle at the end of the hose is pointed straight up. The tank is at sea level, and the water surface is open to the atmosphere. In the line leading from the tank to the nozzle is a pump, which increases the pressure of water. If the water jet rises to a

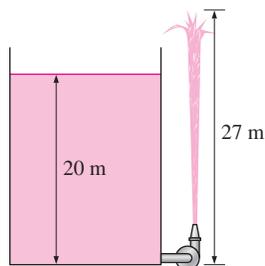


FIGURE P12-61

height of 27 m from the ground, determine the minimum pressure rise supplied by the pump to the water line.

**12-62** A hydraulic turbine has 85 m of head available at a flow rate of  $0.25 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ , and its overall turbine-generator efficiency is 78 percent. Determine the electric power output of this turbine.

**12-63** The demand for electric power is usually much higher during the day than it is at night, and utility companies often sell power at night at much lower prices to encourage consumers to use the available power generation capacity and to avoid building new expensive power plants that will be used only a short time during peak periods. Utilities are also willing to purchase power produced during the day from private parties at a high price.

Suppose a utility company is selling electric power for  $\$0.03/\text{kWh}$  at night and is willing to pay  $\$0.08/\text{kWh}$  for power produced during the day. To take advantage of this opportunity, an entrepreneur is considering building a large reservoir 40 m above the lake level, pumping water from the lake to the reservoir at night using cheap power, and letting the water flow from the reservoir back to the lake during the day, producing power as the pump-motor operates as a turbine-generator during reverse flow. Preliminary analysis shows that a water flow rate of  $2 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  can be used in either direction, and the irreversible head loss of the piping system is 4 m. The combined pump-motor and turbine-generator efficiencies are expected to be 75 percent each. Assuming the system operates for 10 h each in the pump and turbine modes during a typical day, determine the potential revenue this pump-turbine system can generate per year.

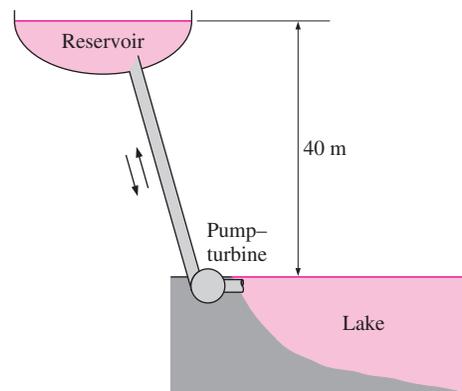


FIGURE P12-63

**12-64** Water flows at a rate of 20 L/s through a horizontal pipe whose diameter is constant at 3 cm as shown in Fig. P12-64. The pressure drop across a valve in the pipe is measured to be 2 kPa. Determine the irreversible head loss of the valve, and the useful pumping power needed to overcome the resulting pressure drop. *Answers* 0.20 m, 0 W

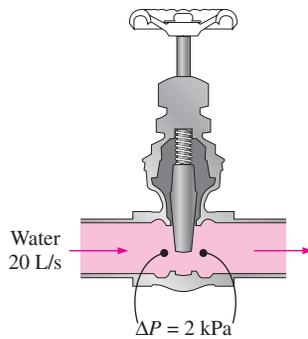


FIGURE P12-64

**12-65** Water enters a hydraulic turbine through a 30-cm-diameter pipe at a rate of  $0.6 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  and exits through a 25-cm-diameter pipe. The pressure drop in the turbine is measured by a mercury manometer to be 1.2 m. For a combined turbine-generator efficiency of 83 percent, determine the net electric power output. Disregard the effect of the kinetic energy correction factors.

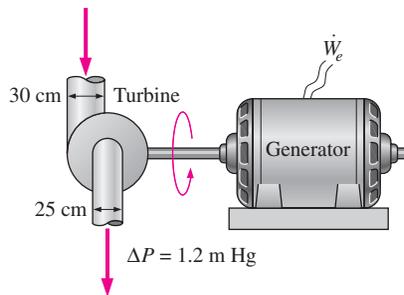


FIGURE P12-65

**12-66** The velocity profile for turbulent flow in a circular pipe is usually approximated as  $u(r) = u_{\max}(1 - r/R)^{1/n}$ , where  $n = 7$ . Determine the kinetic energy correction factor for this flow. *Answer 1.6*

**12-67** An oil pump is drawing 35 kW of electric power while pumping oil with  $\rho = 860 \text{ kg/m}^3$  at a rate of  $0.1 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ .

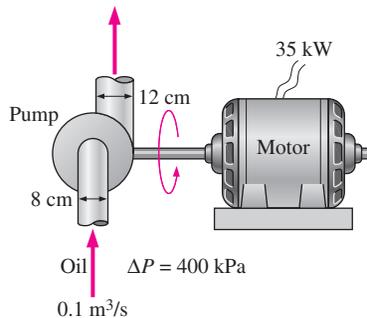


FIGURE P12-67

The inlet and outlet diameters of the pipe are 8 cm and 12 cm, respectively. If the pressure rise of oil in the pump is measured to be 400 kPa and the motor efficiency is 90 percent, determine the mechanical efficiency of the pump. Take the kinetic energy correction factor to be 1.05.

**12-68E** A 73-percent efficient 12-hp pump is pumping water from a lake to a nearby pool at a rate of  $1.2 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}$  through a constant-diameter pipe. The free surface of the pool is 35 ft above that of the lake. Determine the irreversible head loss of the piping system, in ft, and the mechanical power used to overcome it.

**12-69** A fireboat is to fight fires at coastal areas by drawing seawater with a density of  $1030 \text{ kg/m}^3$  through a 20-cm-diameter pipe at a rate of  $0.1 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  and discharging it through a hose nozzle with an exit diameter of 5 cm. The total irreversible head loss of the system is 3 m, and the position of the nozzle is 4 m above sea level. For a pump efficiency of 70 percent, determine the required shaft power input to the pump and the water discharge velocity. *Answers 201 W, 0.9 m/s*

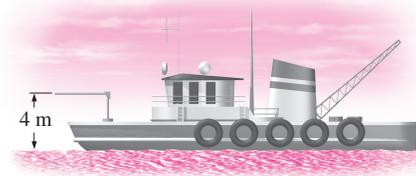


FIGURE P12-69

### Review Problems

**12-70** A pressurized 2-m-diameter tank of water has a 10-cm-diameter orifice at the bottom, where water discharges to the atmosphere. The water level initially is 3 m above the outlet. The tank air pressure above the water level is maintained at 450 kPa absolute and the atmospheric pressure is 100 kPa. Neglecting frictional effects, determine (a) how long it will take for half of the water in the tank to be discharged and (b) the water level in the tank after 10 s.

**12-71** Air flows through a pipe at a rate of 200 L/s. The pipe consists of two sections of diameters 20 cm and 10 cm with a smooth reducing section that connects them. The pressure difference between the two pipe sections is measured by

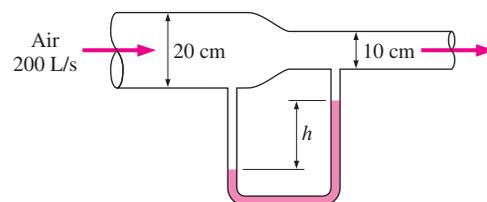
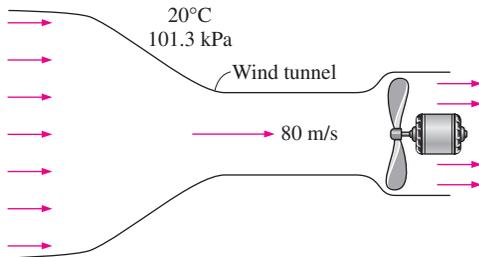


FIGURE P12-71

a water manometer. Neglecting frictional effects, determine the differential height of water between the two pipe sections. Take the air density to be  $1.20 \text{ kg/m}^3$ . *Answer*  $3.1 \text{ m}$

**12-72** A wind tunnel draws atmospheric air at  $20^\circ\text{C}$  and  $101.3 \text{ kPa}$  by a large fan located near the exit of the tunnel. If the air velocity in the tunnel is  $80 \text{ m/s}$ , determine the pressure in the tunnel.



**FIGURE P12-72**

**12-73** Water flows at a rate of  $0.025 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  in a horizontal pipe whose diameter increases from 6 to 11 cm by an enlargement section. If the head loss across the enlargement section is 0.45 m and the kinetic energy correction factor at both the inlet and the outlet is 1.05, determine the pressure change.

### Design and Essay Problems

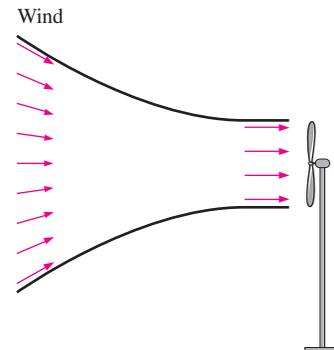
**12-74** Computer-aided designs, the use of better materials, and better manufacturing techniques have resulted in a tremendous increase in the efficiency of pumps, turbines, and electric motors. Contact several pump, turbine, and motor manufacturers and obtain information about the efficiency of

their products. In general, how does efficiency vary with rated power of these devices?

**12-75** Using a handheld bicycle pump to generate an air jet, a soda can as the water reservoir, and a straw as the tube, design and build an atomizer. Study the effects of various parameters such as the tube length, the diameter of the exit hole, and the pumping speed on performance.

**12-76** Using a flexible drinking straw and a ruler, explain how you would measure the water flow velocity in a river.

**12-77** The power generated by a wind turbine is proportional to the cube of the wind velocity. Inspired by the acceleration of a fluid in a nozzle, someone proposes to install a reducer casing to capture the wind energy from a larger area and accelerate it before the wind strikes the turbine blades, as shown in Fig. P12-77. Evaluate if the proposed modification should be given a consideration in the design of new wind turbines.



**FIGURE P12-77**