

Math 613 * Fall 2019 * Homework 11 * Victor Matveev

Problem 1: The Cauchy Momentum Balance Equation (2nd Newton's law for flowing fluid):

Applying the conservation law $\partial_t X + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{J} = \sum Q^{\text{Source}}$ to momentum density $X_k = \rho u_k$ with flux $\mathbf{J}_{X_k} = X_k \mathbf{u}$,

and forces as sources, we obtained: $\frac{\partial X_k}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{J}_{X_k} = \rho g_k + \nabla \cdot \vec{\sigma}_k$ (where $\vec{\sigma}_k \equiv \sigma_{jk}$) \Rightarrow

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial(\rho u_k)}{\partial t} + \partial_j(\rho u_k u_j) = \rho g_k + \partial_j \left[\delta_{jk} \left(-p + \left(\lambda - \frac{2\mu}{3} \right) \partial_m u_m \right) + \mu (\partial_j u_k + \partial_k u_j) \right]$$

Expand derivatives of all products in this expression, to find the equation of a **compressible** fluid flow

Problem 2: Consider the "Stokeslet" Green's function solution for the Stokes flow:

$$\mu \nabla^2 \mathbf{u} - \nabla p = -\mathbf{F} \cdot \delta(\mathbf{r}) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{cases} \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{r}) = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}) & \Rightarrow u_j = F_k J_{kj} \\ p(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{r}}{4\pi r^3} & \Rightarrow p = \frac{F_m x_m}{4\pi r^3} \\ \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{8\pi\mu} \left(\frac{\mathbf{I}}{r} + \frac{\mathbf{r}\mathbf{r}}{r^3} \right) & \Rightarrow J_{kj} = \frac{1}{8\pi\mu} \left(\frac{\delta_{kj}}{r} + \frac{x_k x_j}{r^3} \right) \end{cases}$$

Complete the calculation below to show that $\mu \nabla^2 \mathbf{u} - \nabla p = \mathbf{0}$ for $\mathbf{r} \neq \mathbf{0}$

Use the following differentiation rules: $\partial_k x_m = \delta_{km}$ (since $\frac{\partial x}{\partial x} = 1, \frac{\partial x}{\partial y} = 0, \text{ etc.}$)

$$\partial_k f(r) = \frac{df}{dr} \partial_k r = \frac{df}{dr} \partial_k \sqrt{x_m x_m} = \frac{df}{dr} \frac{\delta_{mk} x_m}{r} = \frac{df}{dr} \frac{x_k}{r}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu \partial_m \partial_m u_j - \partial_j p &= \mu \partial_m \partial_m (F_k J_{kj}) - \frac{1}{4\pi} \partial_j \left(\frac{F_m x_m}{r^3} \right) \\ &= \frac{\mu}{8\pi\mu} F_k \partial_m \partial_m \left(\frac{\delta_{kj}}{r} + \frac{x_k x_j}{r^3} \right) - \frac{F_m}{4\pi} \partial_j \left(\frac{x_m}{r^3} \right) \\ &= \frac{F_k}{8\pi} \left(\delta_{kj} \partial_m \partial_m \left(\frac{1}{r} \right) + x_k x_j \partial_m \partial_m \frac{1}{r^3} + \frac{1}{r^3} \partial_m \partial_m (x_k x_j) + 2 \partial_m (x_k x_j) \partial_m \frac{1}{r^3} \right) - \frac{F_m}{4\pi} \left(\frac{\delta_{mj}}{r^3} - \frac{3x_m x_j}{r^4} \frac{1}{r} \right) \\ &= \frac{F_k}{8\pi} \left(\delta_{kj} \partial_m \left(-\frac{1}{r^2} \frac{x_m}{r} \right) + x_k x_j \partial_m \left(-\frac{3}{r^4} \frac{x_m}{r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^3} \partial_m (x_k \delta_{mj} + x_j \delta_{mk}) + 2(\delta_{mk} x_j + \delta_{mj} x_k) \left(-3 \frac{1}{r^4} \frac{x_m}{r} \right) \right) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{4\pi} \left(\frac{F_j}{r^3} - \frac{3F_m x_m x_j}{r^5} \right) = \dots = \mathbf{0} \end{aligned}$$