7.WEEK

CHE 212 FLUID MECHANICS

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MOMENTUM BALANCE

- SHELL MOMENTUM BALANCES and VELOCITY DISTRIBUTIONS IN LAMINAR FLOW

In order to obtain a velocity profile in flow systems, a momentum balance shall be made on a volume element, in which momentum enters and leaves the system by;

a. Convection: from flow of the bulk fluid

b. Molecular transport: as a result of velocity gradients (viscous action)

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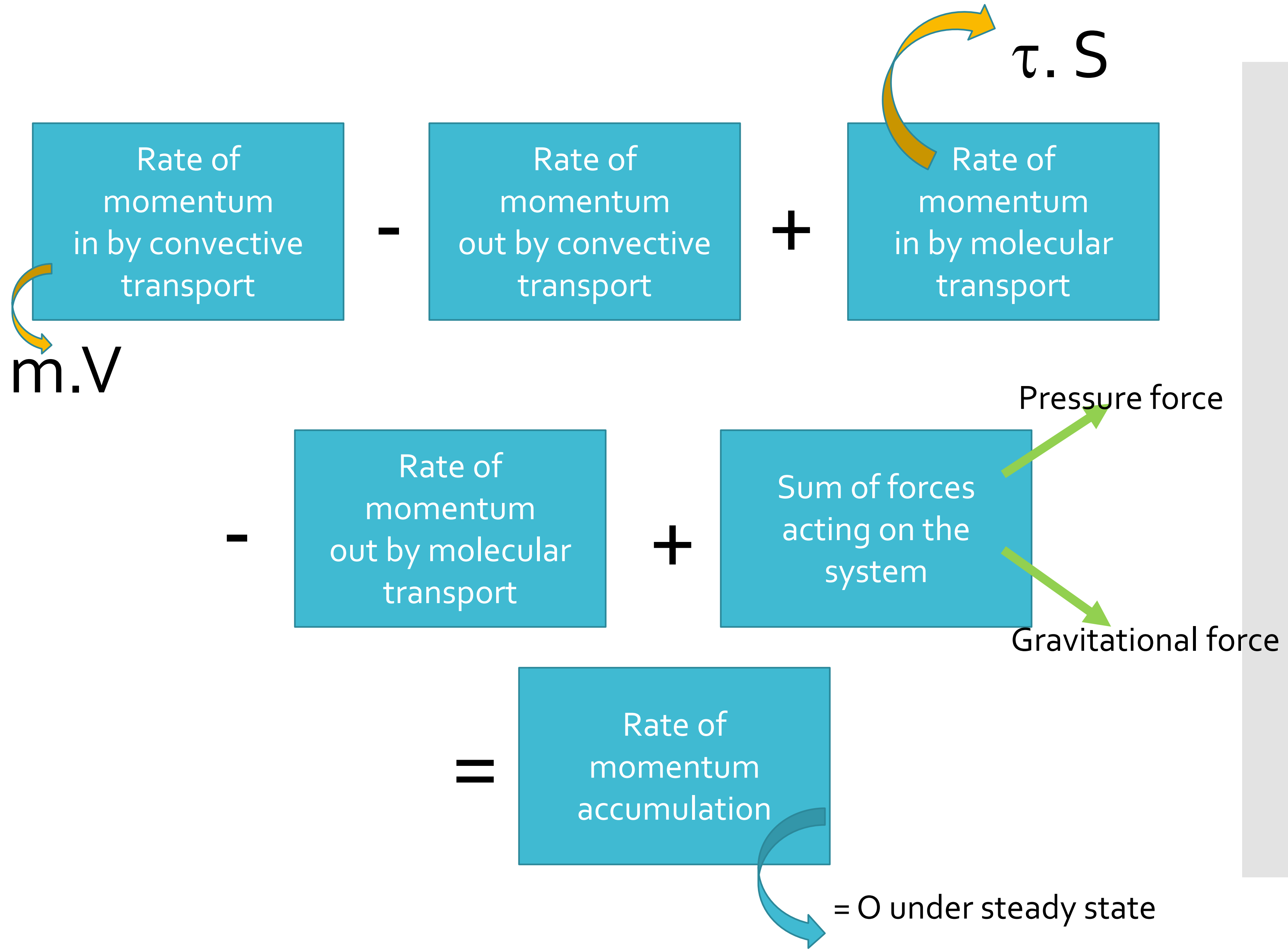

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- In order to set up and solve viscous problems

a. A momentum balance over a thin shell should be written.

b. The differential equation for the momentum flux should be written.

c. Newton's Law of Viscosity should be inserted to obtain a diferential equation for the velocity

d. This equation should be solved by using boundary conditions.

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- Boundary conditions are statements about the velocity or stress at the boundaries of the system. The most commonly used boundary conditions are:

a. At solid-liquid interface, te velocity of the fluid equals the velocity of the solid surface tangential to the fluid.
b. At liquid-liquid interface, momentum transport nad velocity perpendicular to the interface is constant.
c. At gas-liquid interface momentum transport is taken to be zero.

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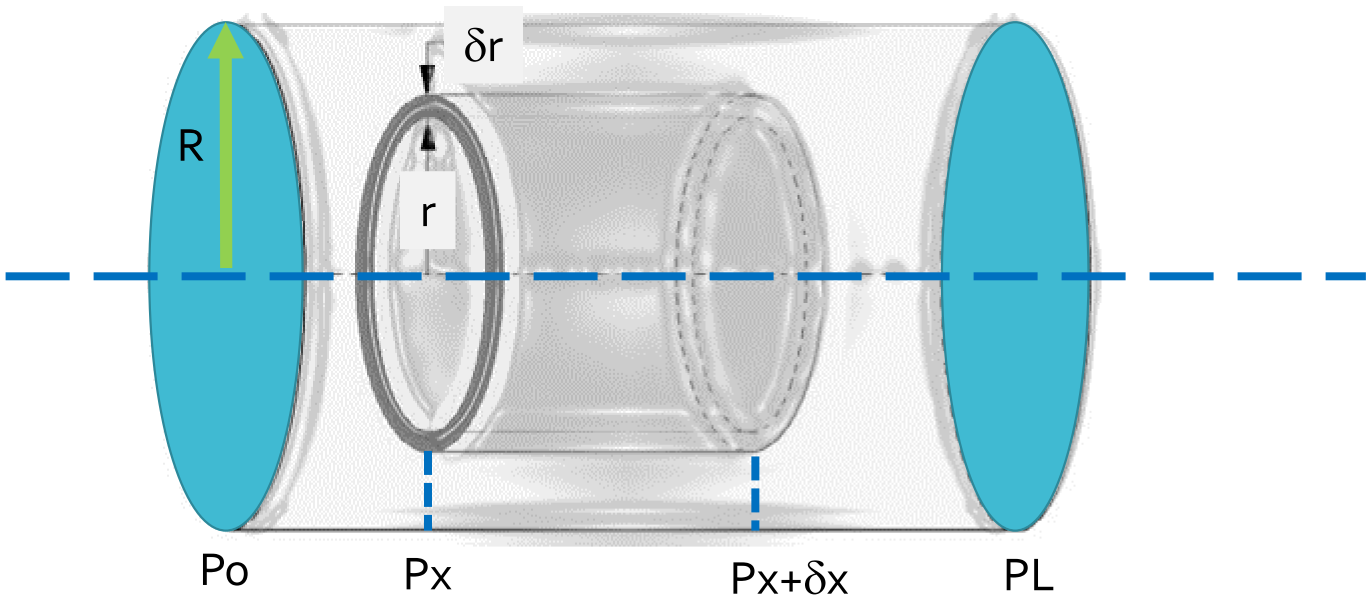

Assumptions:

a. One-dimensional laminar flow
b. Newtonian fluid
c. End-effects are ignored
d. Steady-state

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- Total momentum balance equation:
- $\tau rx.\, 2\pi r\Delta x\big|_{r} - \tau rx.\, 2\pi r\Delta x\big|_{r+\Delta r} + \rho V_x^2.\, 2\pi r\Delta r\big|_{x}\ \rho V_x^2.\, 2\pi r\Delta r\big|_{x+\Delta x} +$

$$P2\pi r\Delta r\big|_{x} - P2\pi r\Delta r\big|_{x+\Delta x} = 0$$

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$$Vx = \frac{\Delta P}{\mu L}\frac{r^2}{4} + c1 lnr + C2$$

Boundary conditions are:

1. r=R Vx=O
2. R=O Vx=Vmax

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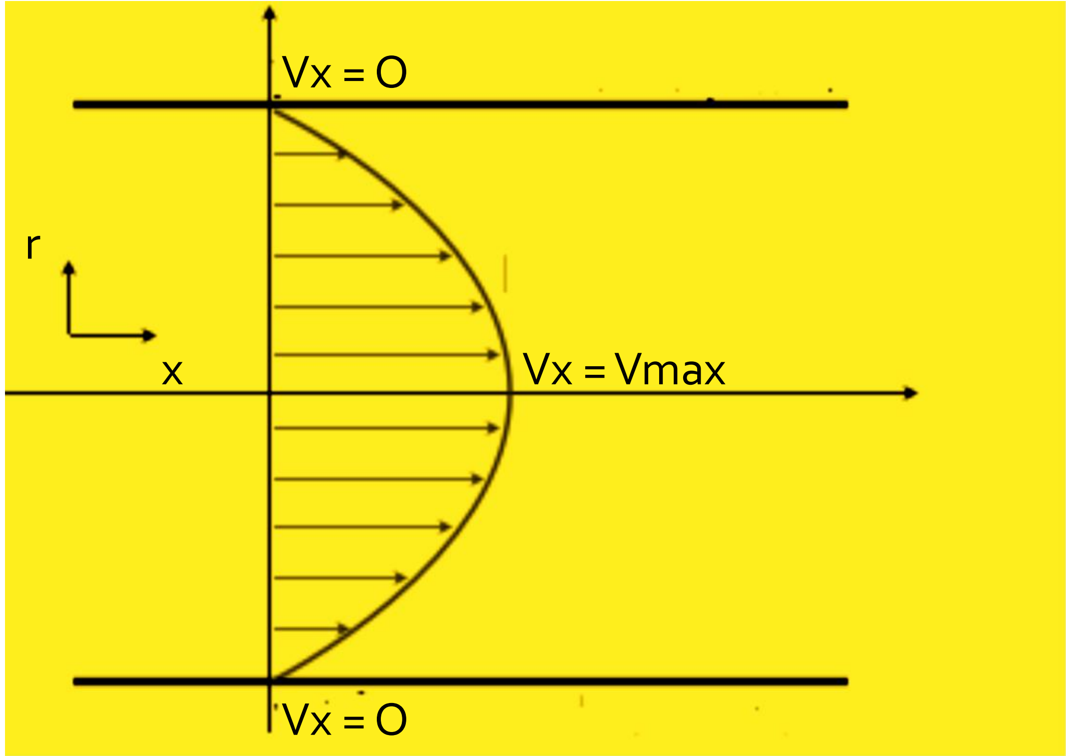
- $Vx = \frac{(Po-PL)}{4\mu L} . R^2 (1 - (\frac{r}{R})^2)$



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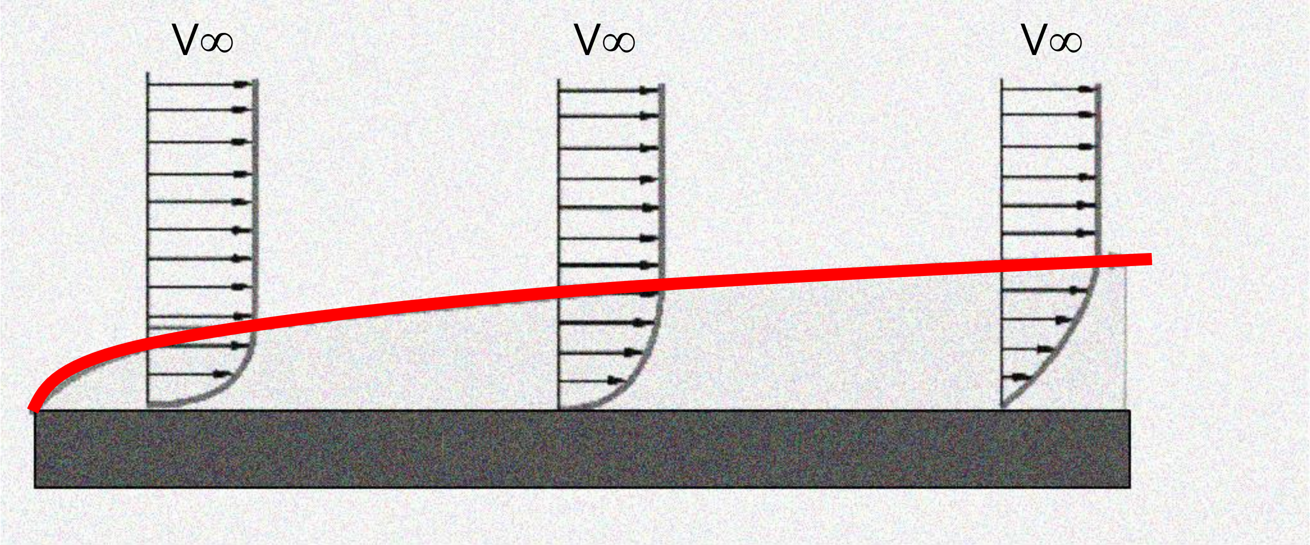
HAGEN-POISEUILLE EQUATION;

$$Vx = \frac{(Po - PL)D^2}{32\ \mu L}$$

gives the pressure drop because of friction in laminar flow through a horizontal pipe. One of its uses is in the experimental measurement of viscosity

BOUNDARY LAYERS

- A Boundary Layer is defined as that part of a moving fluid in which the fluid motion is influenced by the presence of a solid boundary.



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