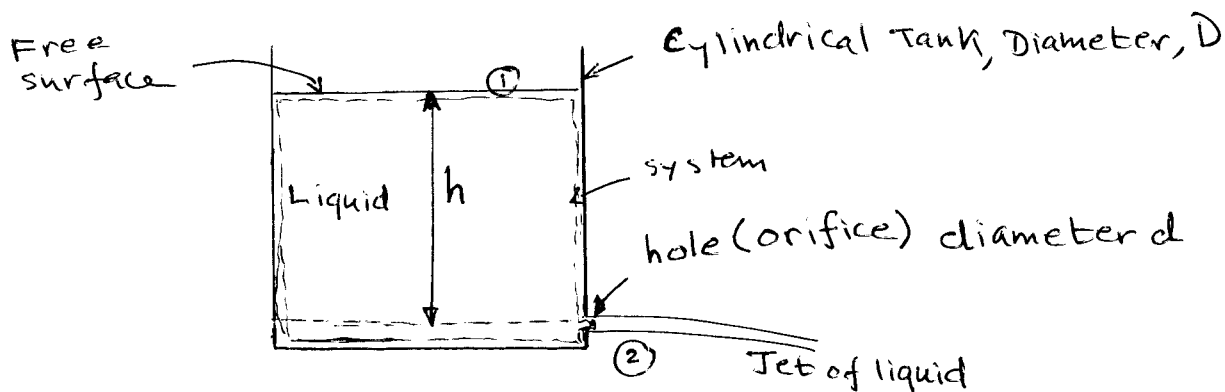


TORICELLI'S EQUATION:

Based on assumption that the flow is frictionless.

Tank Draining:

objective: Find the volume flow rate issuing from a tank with a hole at the side or the bottom of the tank.



Definition of system: Liquid as indicated between level ① free surface (considered as input to system) and plane ② just outside the tank (considered as output from system).

Target: find velocity $v_2 \rightarrow$ multiply by area $A_2 \rightarrow Q$

Solution: Apply Bernoulli's equation to a system in such a way that v_2 is at the outlet of the system.

Bernoulli's Equation:

$$\Delta\left(\frac{P}{\rho} + gz + \frac{v^2}{2}\right) = +\hat{W} - \hat{f}$$

Assumptions:

- Steady state (or quasi steady state $\equiv$ ie changes in height h , and hence Q are very small (negligible) over short period of time $\rightarrow$ constant h)
- $P_1 \approx P_2 = P_{atm}$
- $\hat{f} = 0$ (Frictionless flow).
- No mechanical work

Application of Bernoulli's Equation between (1) and (2)

$$BE \Rightarrow \left(\frac{P_2}{\rho} + gz_2 + \frac{V_2^2}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{P_1}{\rho} + gz_1 + \frac{V_1^2}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$P_1 = P_2 \Rightarrow g(z_2 - z_1) + \left(\frac{V_2^2}{2} - \frac{V_1^2}{2} \right) = 0$$

Continuity equation between (1) and (2)

$$\rho_1 V_1 A_1 = \rho_2 V_2 A_2 \quad \rho_1 = \rho_2$$

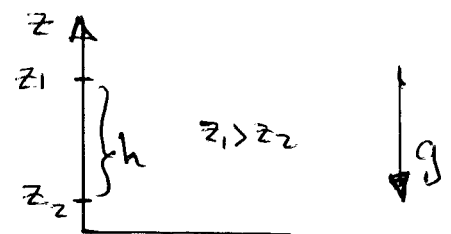
$$V_1 = V_2 \left(\frac{A_2}{A_1} \right)$$

$$(z_2 - z_1) = -h$$

$$\Rightarrow -gh + \frac{V_2^2}{2} \left[1 - \left(\frac{A_2}{A_1} \right)^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\therefore V_2 = \sqrt{\frac{2gh}{1 - \left(\frac{A_2}{A_1} \right)^2}}$$

* Change in PE is converted into KE



Notes:

$$\text{II} \quad A_1 \gg A_2 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{A_2}{A_1} \right)^2 \rightarrow 0$$

This implies that $V_1 \approx 0$ (very small that it can be neglected)

$$\therefore V_2 = \sqrt{2gh}$$

TORICELLI'S EQUATION.

It is seen that V_2 in this case is less than V_2 in the general case *, since the fluid in that case is moving with measurable kinetic energy down in the tank. This means that the increase in V_2 (KE at (2)) is not just PE conversion, there is conversion of KE energy ($\frac{V_1^2}{2}$) in addition to that.

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$A_1 = A_2$ [vertical pipe open at both ends]

Based on general case $V_2 = \infty$!!!

This means that $\mathcal{F}$ cannot be neglected.

$$PE \Rightarrow \mathcal{F}$$



$$BE : g(z_2 - z_1) = -\mathcal{F}$$

- 3 The measured flow rate is less than theoretically calculated. To correct for this, a coefficient called: "coefficient of discharge" is used:

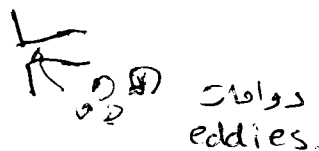
$$C_D = \frac{\text{Actual Discharge}}{\text{Theoretical Discharge}}$$

$$Q_{\text{actual}} = C_D \cdot \sqrt{2gh} \cdot A_0$$

A_0 : orifice area
hole area

This difference is due to:

- Actual discharge velocity is less than theoretical. This is due to friction at exit and eddying in exit stream



$$\therefore V_{\text{actual}} = V_{\text{theoretical}} \times C_v$$

C_v = coefficient of velocity (< 1)

- True area of flow is less than orifice area due to the contraction of flow area to a minimum. The fluid is accelerated a little bit, then it slows down

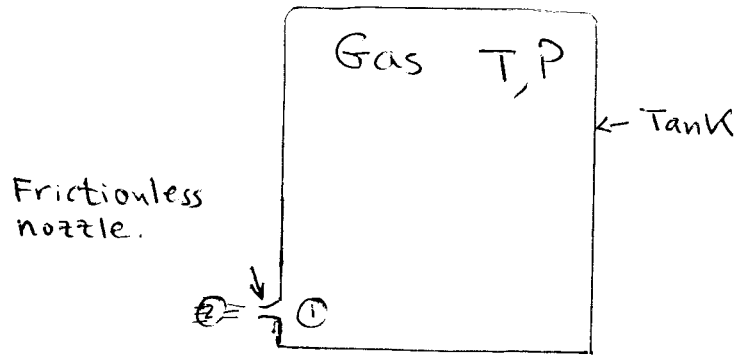
$$A_{\text{actual}} = A_0 \times C_c$$

$$\therefore Q_{\text{actual}} = C_c \cdot C_v \cdot \sqrt{2gh} \cdot A_0$$

$$\therefore C_D = C_c \cdot C_v$$



Ex. Flow of a gas



Required: exit velocity of gas

Given: $V_1 \approx 0$ large tank

$$P_2 = P_{atm}$$

$$z_1 = z_2$$

$$BE: \Delta \left(\frac{P}{\rho} + gz + \frac{V^2}{2} \right) = +\hat{W} - \hat{f}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{P_2 - P_1}{\rho} \right) + \left(\frac{V_2^2 - V_1^2}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P_1 - P_2}{\rho} - \frac{V_2^2}{2} = 0 \quad V_1 = 0, P_2 = P_{atm}, \rho \text{ constant}$$

$$\therefore V_2 = \sqrt{\frac{2(P_1 - P_{atm})}{\rho}}$$

For perfect gas $\rho = \frac{P_1 M}{RT_1}$

$$\therefore V_2 = \left[\frac{2RT_1}{P_1 M} (P_1 - P_{atm}) \right]^{1/2}$$

Analysis:

- choice of P_1, T_1 to calculate ρ is arbitrary
- This equation is reasonable for gas velocities up to approximately 200 m/s
- Bernoulli's equation can be applied to gases when pressure variations are small (less than 10