

Aerodynamics I - AE 305



CHAPTER 0

Course Objectives and Syllabus

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Course Information



Lectures: Thursday – 13:30-16:00 (A11)
Friday – 08:30-10:10 (AEROLAB)

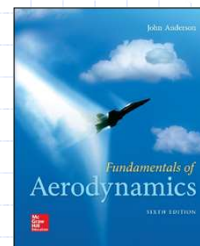
Credits: 3 (Theory) + 2 (Pratice)

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Compulsory Text



Fundamentals of Aerodynamics
6th Edition or newer
by John Anderson



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Recommended Texts



- Aerodynamics for Engineers
International Edition
by John J. Bertin,
Russell M. Cummings



- Kuethe, A. M. and Chow, C. Y., “Fundamentals of Aerodynamics: Bases of Aerodynamic Design” 5th edition, Wiley, 1998.
- Houghton E. L. and Carpenter P. W., “ Aerodynamics for Engineering Students” 2003
- Flandro, G., McMahon, H., and Roach, R., “ Basic Aerodynamics: Incompressible Flow” 2011

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Course Objectives



This course deals with the fundamentals of Aerodynamics including:

- fundamentals of incompressible aerodynamics,
- basic aerodynamics problem solutions,
- to gain experience and develop skills in the experimental and analytical investigation of aerodynamic systems, as well as in the design of basic aerodynamic components and systems. **(NEW THIS SEMESTER)**

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Expected Learning Outcomes



After successful completion of this course the students will have:

- An ability to apply airfoil theory to predict airfoil performance.
- An ability to analyze and optimize wing performance.
- An exposure to recent developments in aerodynamics, with application to aerospace systems
- An ability to apply the concepts of aerodynamics to the design of aerospace systems.

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Assessment (LOOK OUT !)



- Attendance
- Labs (NEW)
- Examinations
- Final Grades

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- Attendance

Late attendances to lecture hours in class and **in lab quizzes** are not encouraged.

In case you have to miss a class, **you are responsible for keeping up** with the class work and being informed of all announcements made in the class concerning midterms, labs, etc.

If you encounter difficulties of any kind, feel free to send me e-mail. I can answer them during my spare time.

Assessment (LOOK OUT !)



- Labs:

Regular attendance to lab works is **strictly required (at least 80 %)**.

Twelve laboratory sessions will be comprised, dates of which can be found at the end of these slides in the schedule. Prior to each laboratory session, a quiz will be conducted for a period of **five minutes at 8.30 AM** in the UM CLASSES in the «Aircraft Assembly Workshop» building. The total lab grade will be distributed as follows: 24% for the laboratories (18% for the reports, and 6% for the quizzes)

It is expected that students will attend the laboratory sessions punctually. A student who do not attend the quiz of the corresponding lab session, cannot attend the laboratory.

Groups of **five** will be announced by lecture assistant, Burak Çiftçioğlu. You can suggest your lab group to him till the end of tomorrow (4.10.2024) or you will randomly grouped in five. The lab groups will be announced in lecture assistant's site on 7.10.2024, Monday.

Assessment (LOOK OUT !)



- Labs:

The following regulations shall be observed in the laboratory:

- It is required that each group submit a single report.
- Each group is required to write each part independently and then convene with their fellow group members to consolidate their findings.
- All reports are to be submitted **the same day (Friday) by 17.00** to the corresponding assistant in his office.

Assessment (LOOK OUT !)



- Labs:

LAB REPORT FORMAT

**DO NOT COPY/PASTE FROM OTHER GROUPS OR INTERNET SITES.
OTHERWISE YOU WILL NOT BE GRADED!**

The lab report (no longer than 15 pages – all included –) should include the followings (unless otherwise specified):

1. Objective
2. Theory
3. Procedure
4. Results
5. Sample calculation
6. Necessary plots
7. Discussion on results, errors and graphs
8. Conclusion

Assessment (LOOK OUT !)



- Examinations

Two term tests are scheduled. A final comprehensive examination will be given according to the school schedules based on the same format as the term tests.

They will consist of a section on concepts, definitions, and short exercises plus section with numerical problems. **Both will be closed-book, closed-notes, no formula sheet (you need to memorize the equations needed, if it is not given in the exam paper).**

Make-up exams may be given for legitimate excuses if you contact the instructor as soon as you return to the school. It will be given for excused absences only and must be scheduled immediately upon returning to class. Excused absences require a medical excuse or notice of official school business by the V.P. of Academic Affairs.

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Assessment (LOOK OUT !)



- Final Grades:

Midterm 1	18 %
Midterm 2	18 %
Labs	24 %
Final Comprehensive Exam	40 %
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Total	100 %

Letter grades will be given relative to the average of the class !

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1. Introduction - Aerodynamics: Some Introductory Thoughts
2. Aerodynamics: Some Fundamental Principles and Equations
3. Fundamentals of Inviscid, Incompressible Flow
4. Incompressible Flows Over Airfoils
5. Incompressible Flows Over Finite Wings
6. Three-Dimensional Incompressible Flow

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Tentative* Schedule

Week -1: Chapter 0: Introduction (Thursday) & Lab introduction (Friday)	Week-9: • Lifting flow over a circular cylinder • Kutta Joukowski Theorem - Chapter 4: Incompressible Flows Over Airfoils • Introduction • Airfoil Nomenclature Airfoil Characteristics • The Vortex Sheet Model • The Kutta Condition • Kelvin's Circulation Theorem and the Starting Vortex (Thursday) & Lab-7 (Friday)
Week-2: Chapter 1: Aerodynamics: Some Introductory Thoughts • Aerodynamics Classifications and Objectives (Thursday) & Lab-1 (Friday)	Week-10: • Classical Thin Airfoil Theory • The Cambered Airfoil • The Vortex Panel Method • Viscous Flow (Thursday) & Lab-8 (Friday)
Week-3: • Fundamental Aerodynamics Variables • Aerodynamics Forces and Moments • Center of Pressure • Dimensional Analysis: The Buckingham Pi Theorem • Flow Similarity (Thursday) & Lab-2 (Friday)	Week-11: Chapter 5: Incompressible Flow Over Finite Wings • Downwash and Induced Drag (Thursday) & Lab-9 (Friday)
Week-4: • Types of Flow - Chapter 2: Aerodynamics: Some Fundamental Principles and Equations • Review of vector relations • Control volumes and fluid elements (Thursday) & Lab-3 (Friday)	Week-12: • The Vortex Filament, The Biot-Savart Law, The Helmholtz Theory • Prandtl's Classical Lifting-Line Theory • Elliptical lift distribution • General lift distribution (Thursday) & PROBLEM HOUR-2 (Friday)
Week-5: • Continuity equation • Momentum equation • Pathlines and streamline • Angular velocity, vorticity (Thursday) & Lab-4 (Friday)	Week-13: MIDTERM 2 – December 26th 2024, Thursday at 13.30, classroom A11 & Lab-10 (Friday)
Week-6: • Circulation • Stream function and velocity potential - Chapter 3: Fundamentals of Inviscid, Incompressible Flow • Bernoulli's equation and its application (Thursday) & PROBLEM HOUR-1 (Friday)	Week-14: Chapter 6: Three-Dimensional Incompressible Flow • Three-Dimensional Source, Three-Dimensional Doublet • Flow over a Sphere, Comment on the 3D Relieving Effect • General 3D Flows: Panel Techniques, Applied Aerodynamics (Thursday) & Lab-11 (Friday)
Week-7: MIDTERM 1 - November 14th 2024, Thursday at 13.30, classroom A11 & Lab-5 (Friday)	Week-15: LECTURE REVIEW & Lab-12 (Friday)
Week-8: • Pitot tube – Pitotstatic tube • Pressure coefficient • Laplace's equation for irrotational, incompressible flow • Elementary flows • Combination of elementary flows • Nonlifting flow over a circular cylinder (Thursday) & Lab-6 (Friday)	

Schedule can be re-organized because of uncertain conditions. Follow the announcements from @dremrekara twitter page

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Next Lecture (TOMORROW)



LAB INTRODUCTION



ON FRIDAY AT 8.30, THE LAB
INTRODUCTION WILL BE GIVEN
IN THE «AERODYNAMICS
LABORATORY - **AEROLAB**» IN
THE «AIRCRAFT ASSEMBLY
WORKSHOP» BUILDING.