

# Compressible Flow - TME085

## Lecture 6

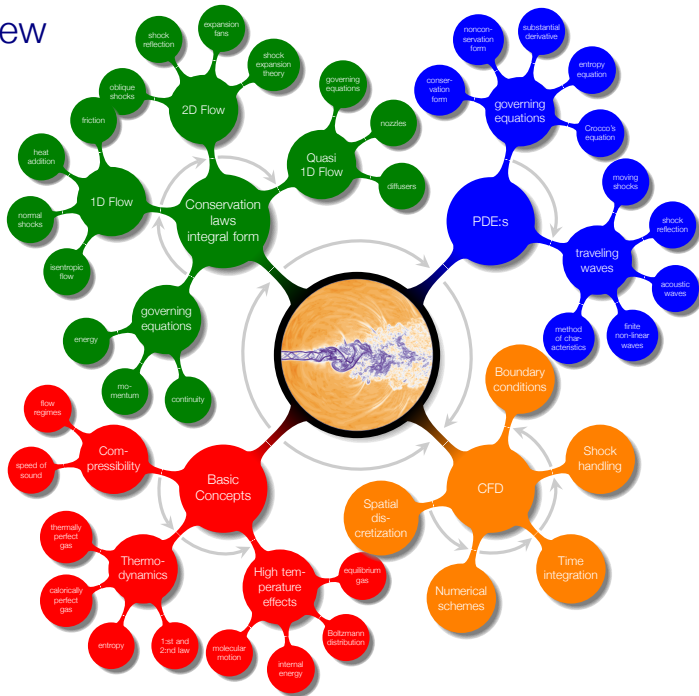
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# Overview

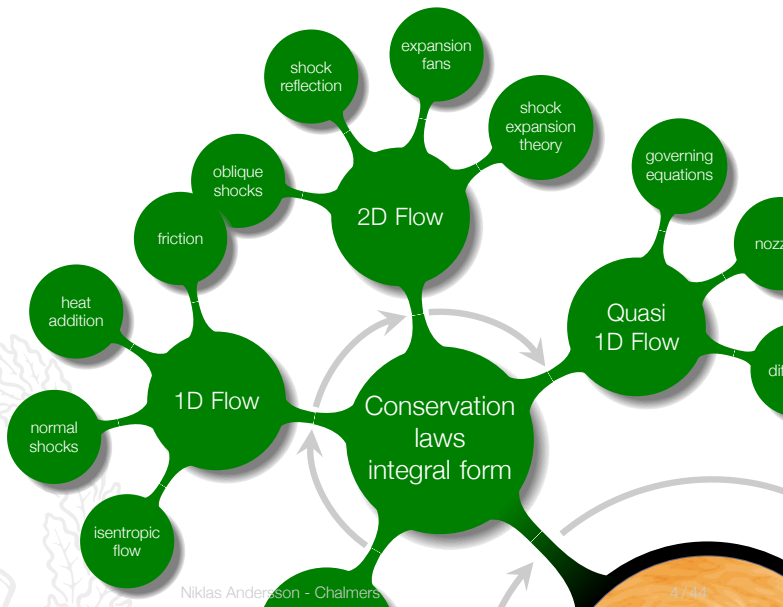


# Chapter 4

## Oblique Shocks and Expansion Waves



# Overview

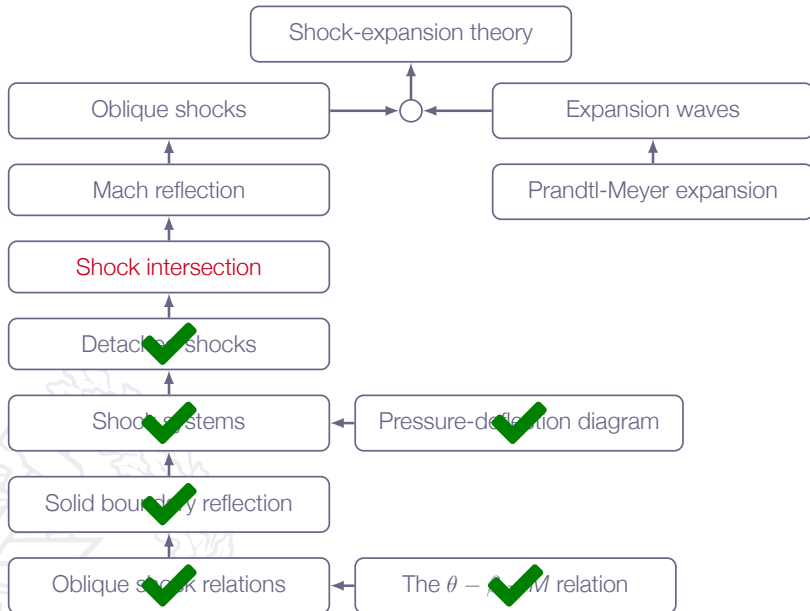


# Addressed Learning Outcomes

- 7 **Explain** why entropy is important for flow discontinuities
- 8 **Derive** (marked) and **apply** (all) of the presented mathematical formulae for classical gas dynamics
  - e oblique shocks in 2D\*
  - f shock reflection at solid walls\*
  - g contact discontinuities
  - h Prandtl-Meyer expansion fans in 2D
  - i detached blunt body shocks, nozzle flows
- 9 **Solve** engineering problems involving the above-mentioned phenomena (8a-8k)

*what is the opposite of a shock?*

# Roadmap - Oblique Shocks and Expansion Waves



# Chapter 4.10

## Intersection of Shocks of the Same Family



# Mach Waves

Oblique shock, angle  $\beta$ , flow deflection  $\theta$ :

$$M_{n_2}^2 = \frac{M_{n_1}^2 + [2/(\gamma - 1)]}{[2\gamma/(\gamma - 1)]M_{n_1}^2 - 1}$$

where

$$M_{n_1} = M_1 \sin(\beta)$$

and

$$M_{n_2} = M_2 \sin(\beta - \theta)$$

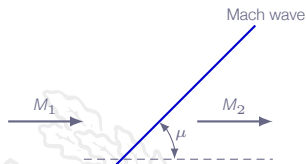
Now, let  $M_{n_1} \rightarrow 1$  and  $M_{n_2} \rightarrow 1 \Rightarrow$  infinitely weak shock!

Such very weak shocks are called **Mach waves**



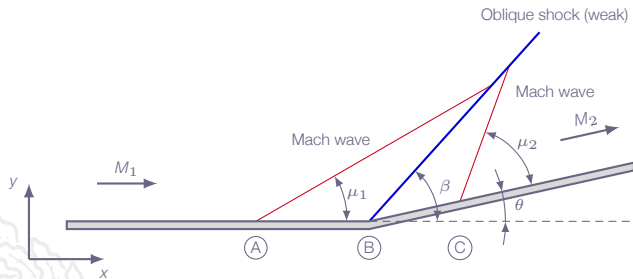
# Mach Waves

$$M_{n1} = 1 \Rightarrow M_1 \sin(\beta) = 1 \Rightarrow \beta = \arcsin(1/M_1)$$



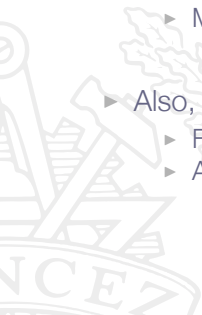
- ▶  $M_2 \approx M_1$
- ▶  $\theta \approx 0$
- ▶  $\mu = \arcsin(1/M_1)$

# Mach Waves

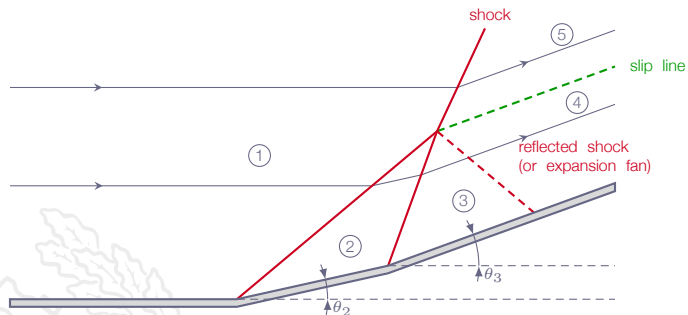


# Mach Waves

- ▶ Mach wave at A:  $\sin(\mu_1) = 1/M_1$
- ▶ Mach wave at C:  $\sin(\mu_2) = 1/M_2$
- ▶ Oblique shock at B:  $M_{n_1} = M_1 \sin(\beta) \Rightarrow \sin(\beta) = M_{n_1}/M_1$ 
  - ▶ Existence of shock requires  $M_{n_1} > 1 \Rightarrow \beta > \mu_1$
  - ▶ Mach wave intercepts shock!
- ▶ Also,  $M_{n_2} = M_2 \sin(\beta - \theta) \Rightarrow \sin(\beta - \theta) = M_{n_2}/M_2$ 
  - ▶ For finite shock strength  $M_{n_2} < 1 \Rightarrow (\beta - \theta) < \mu_2$
  - ▶ Again, Mach wave intercepts shock



# Shock Intersection - Same Family



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Case 1: Streamline going through regions 1, 2, 3, and 4  
(through two oblique (weak) shocks)

Case 2: Streamline going through regions 1 and 5  
(through one oblique (weak) shock)

Problem: Find conditions 4 and 5 such that

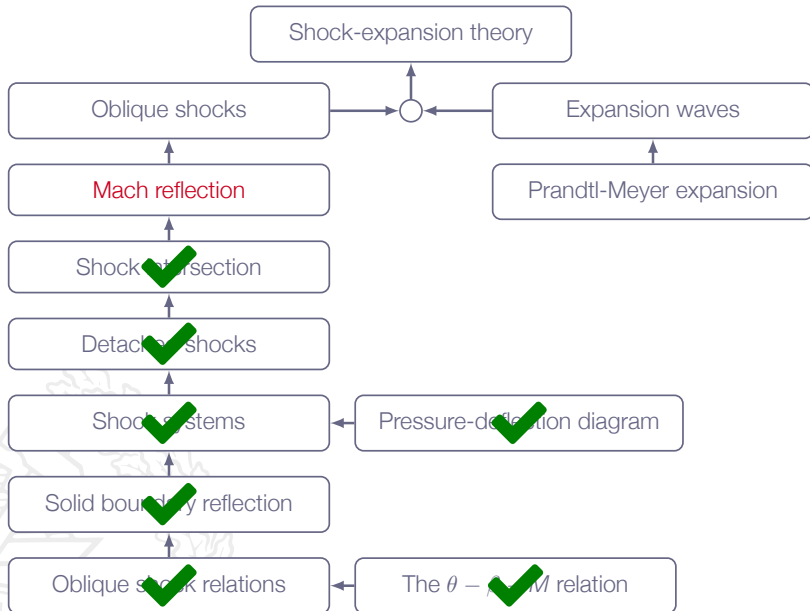
a.  $\rho_4 = \rho_5$

b. flow angle in 4 equals flow angle in 5

Solution may give either **reflected shock** or **expansion fan**,  
depending on actual conditions

A **slip line** usually appears, across which there is a  
discontinuity in all variables except  $p$  and flow angle

# Roadmap - Oblique Shocks and Expansion Waves



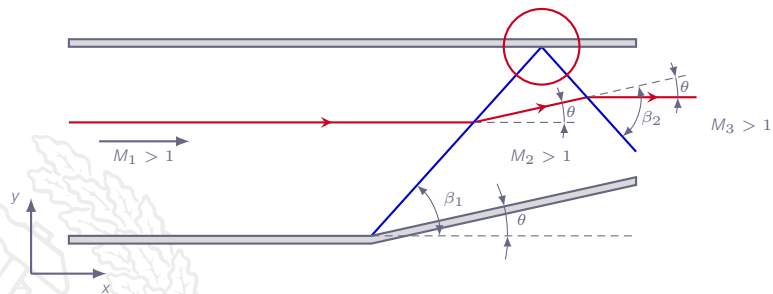
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## Mach Reflection



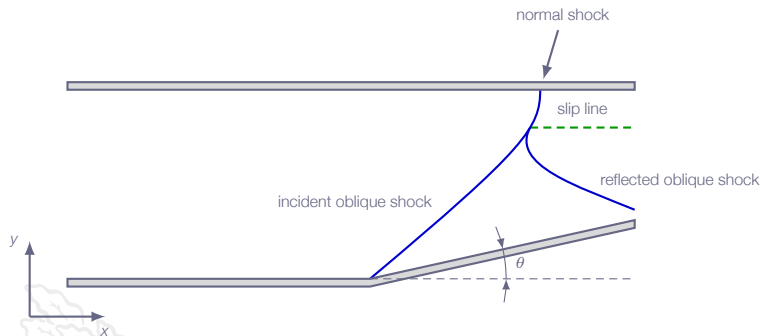
# Regular Shock Reflection

Regular reflection possible if both primary and reflected shocks are weak (see  $\theta$ - $\beta$ - $M$  relation)





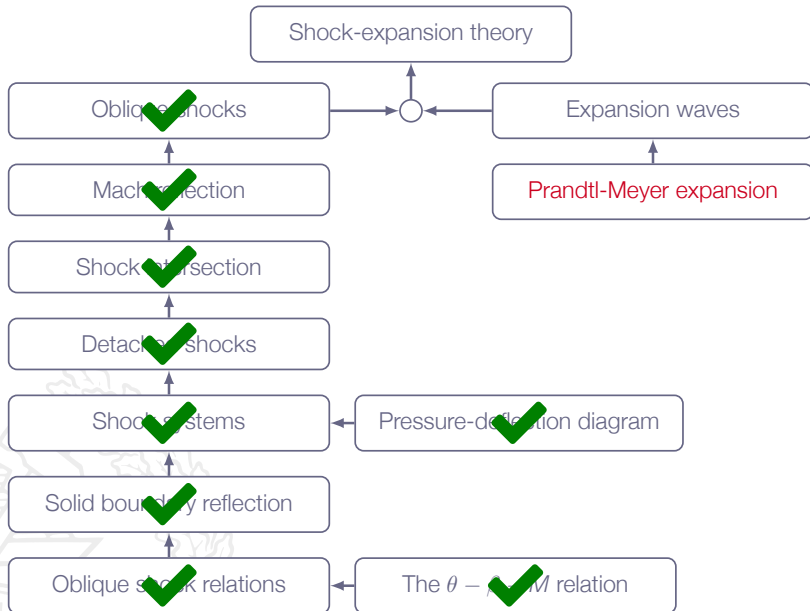
# Mach Reflection



Mach reflection:

- ▶ appears when regular reflection is not possible
- ▶ more complex flow than for a regular reflection
- ▶ no analytic solution - numerical solution necessary

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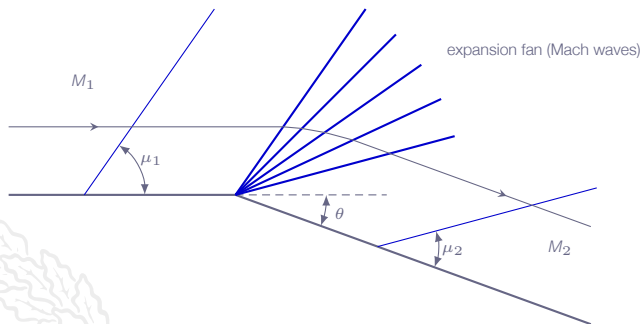
# Chapter 4.14

## Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves



# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

An expansion fan is a centered simple wave (also called Prandtl-Meyer expansion)



- ▶  $M_2 > M_1$  (the flow accelerates through the expansion fan)
- ▶  $\rho_2 < \rho_1, \rho_2 < \rho_1, T_2 < T_1$

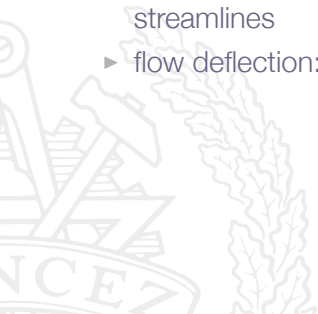
# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

- ▶ Continuous expansion region
- ▶ Infinite number of weak Mach waves
- ▶ Streamlines through the expansion wave are smooth curved lines
- ▶  $ds = 0$  for each Mach wave  $\Rightarrow$  the expansion process is **ISENTROPIC!**



# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

- ▶ upstream of expansion  $M_1 > 1$ ,  $\sin(\mu_1) = 1/M_1$
- ▶ flow accelerates as it curves through the expansion fan
- ▶ downstream of expansion  $M_2 > M_1$ ,  $\sin(\mu_2) = 1/M_2$
- ▶ flow is isentropic  $\Rightarrow s, \rho_0, T_0, \rho_0, a_0, \dots$  are constant along streamlines
- ▶ flow deflection:  $\theta$



# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

It can be shown that  $d\theta = \sqrt{M^2 - 1} \frac{dv}{v}$ , where  $v = |\mathbf{v}|$   
(valid for all gases)

Integration gives

$$\int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} d\theta = \int_{M_1}^{M_2} \sqrt{M^2 - 1} \frac{dv}{v}$$

the term  $\frac{dv}{v}$  needs to be expressed in terms of Mach number

$$v = Ma \Rightarrow \ln v = \ln M + \ln a \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{dv}{v} = \frac{dM}{M} + \frac{da}{a}$$

# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Calorically perfect gas and adiabatic flow gives

$$\frac{T_o}{T} = 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2$$

$$\left\{ a = \sqrt{\gamma RT}, a_o = \sqrt{\gamma RT_o} \right\} \Rightarrow \frac{T_o}{T} = \left( \frac{a_o}{a} \right)^2 \Rightarrow$$

$$\left( \frac{a_o}{a} \right)^2 = 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2$$

or

$$a = a_o \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2 \right]^{-1/2}$$



# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Differentiation gives:

$$da = a_o \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2 \right]^{-3/2} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) (\gamma - 1)M dM$$

or

$$da = a \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2 \right]^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) (\gamma - 1)M dM$$

which gives

$$\frac{dv}{v} = \frac{dM}{M} + \frac{da}{a} = \frac{dM}{M} + \frac{-\frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M dM}{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2} \frac{dM}{M}$$

# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Thus,

$$\int_{\theta_1}^{\theta_2} d\theta = \theta_2 - \theta_1 = \int_{M_1}^{M_2} \frac{\sqrt{M^2 - 1}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2} \frac{dM}{M} = \nu(M_2) - \nu(M_1)$$

where

$$\nu(M) = \int \frac{\sqrt{M^2 - 1}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2} \frac{dM}{M}$$

is the so-called **Prandtl-Meyer function**

# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Performing the integration gives:

$$\nu(M) = \sqrt{\frac{\gamma+1}{\gamma-1}} \tan^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{\gamma-1}{\gamma+1}(M^2-1)} - \tan^{-1} \sqrt{M^2-1}$$

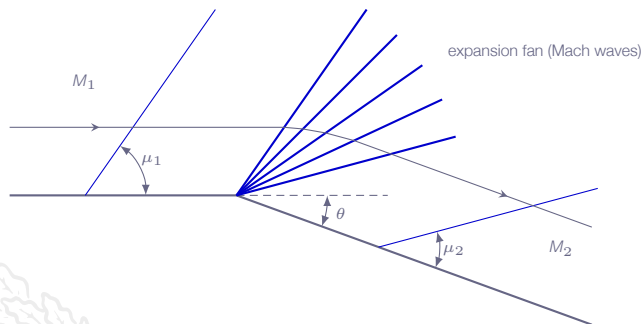
We can now calculate the deflection angle  $\Delta\theta$  as:

$$\Delta\theta = \nu(M_2) - \nu(M_1)$$

$\nu(M)$  is tabulated in Table A.5 for a range of Mach numbers ( $\gamma = 1.4$ )

# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Example:



- ▶  $\theta_1 = 0$ ,  $M_1 > 1$  is given
- ▶  $\theta_2$  is given
- ▶ problem: find  $M_2$  such that  $\theta_2 = \nu(M_2) - \nu(M_1)$
- ▶  $\nu(M)$  for  $\gamma = 1.4$  can be found in Table A.5

# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Since flow is isentropic, the usual isentropic relations apply:

( $\rho_o$  and  $T_o$  are constant)

Calorically perfect gas:

$$\frac{\rho_o}{\rho} = \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2 \right]^{\frac{\gamma}{\gamma-1}}$$

$$\frac{T_o}{T} = \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M^2 \right]$$

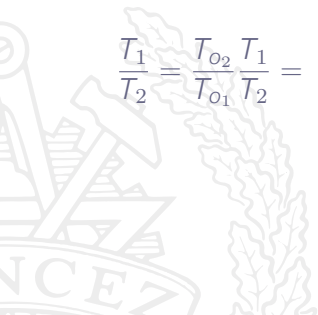


# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

since  $p_{o1} = p_{o2}$  and  $T_{o1} = T_{o2}$

$$\frac{p_1}{p_2} = \frac{p_{o2}}{p_{o1}} \frac{p_1}{p_2} = \left( \frac{p_{o2}}{p_2} \right) / \left( \frac{p_{o1}}{p_1} \right) = \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M_2^2}{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M_1^2} \right]^{\frac{\gamma}{\gamma-1}}$$

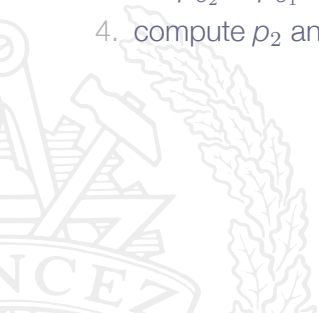
$$\frac{T_1}{T_2} = \frac{T_{o2}}{T_{o1}} \frac{T_1}{T_2} = \left( \frac{T_{o2}}{T_2} \right) / \left( \frac{T_{o1}}{T_1} \right) = \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M_2^2}{1 + \frac{1}{2}(\gamma - 1)M_1^2} \right]$$



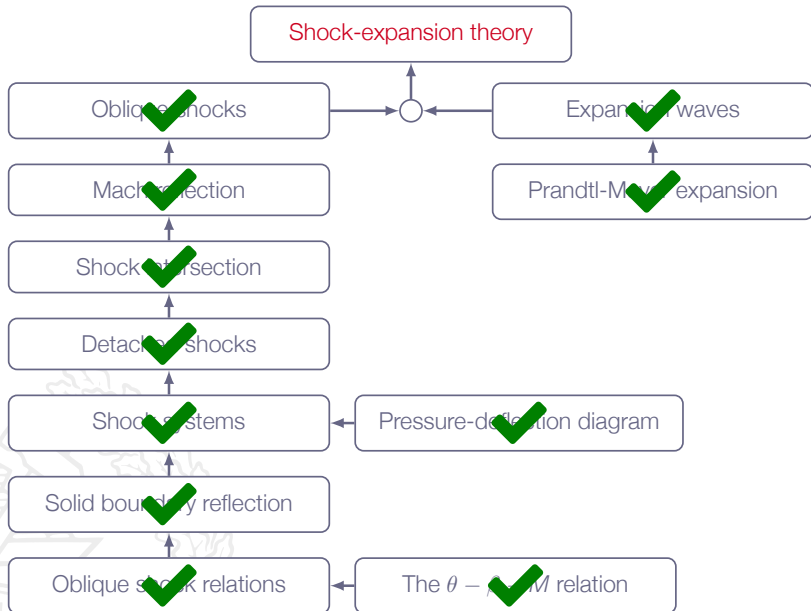
# Prandtl-Meyer Expansion Waves

Alternative solution:

1. determine  $M_2$  from  $\theta_2 = \nu(M_2) - \nu(M_1)$
2. compute  $p_{o_1}$  and  $T_{o_1}$  from  $p_1$ ,  $T_1$ , and  $M_1$  (or use Table A.1)
3. set  $p_{o_2} = p_{o_1}$  and  $T_{o_2} = T_{o_1}$
4. compute  $p_2$  and  $T_2$  from  $p_{o_2}$ ,  $T_{o_2}$ , and  $M_2$  (or use Table A.1)



# Roadmap - Oblique Shocks and Expansion Waves



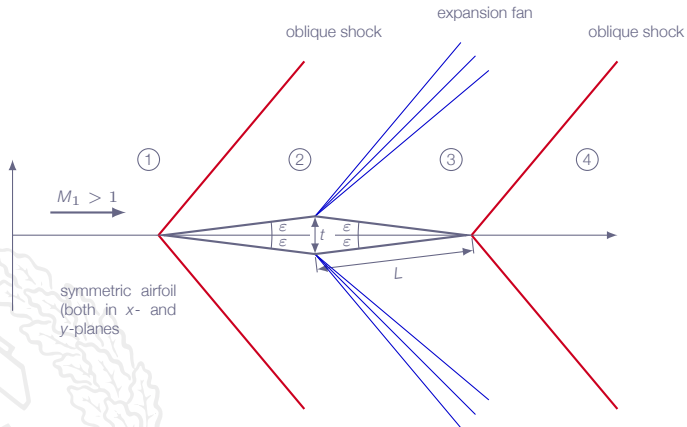


# Chapter 4.15

## Shock Expansion Theory



# Diamond-Wedge Airfoil



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- 1-2 standard oblique shock calculation for flow deflection angle  $\varepsilon$  and upstream Mach number  $M_1$
- 2-3 Prandtl-Meyer expansion for flow deflection angle  $2\varepsilon$  and upstream Mach number  $M_2$
- 3-4 standard oblique shock calculation for flow deflection angle  $\varepsilon$  and upstream Mach number  $M_3$

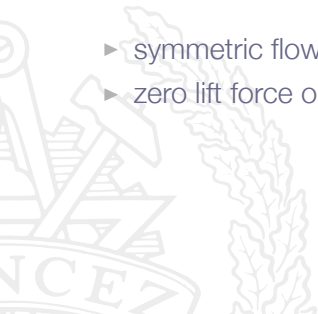


# Diamond-Wedge Airfoil

- ▶ symmetric airfoil
- ▶ zero incidence flow (freestream aligned with flow axis)

gives:

- ▶ symmetric flow field
- ▶ zero lift force on airfoil



# Diamond-Wedge Airfoil

Drag force:

$$D = - \iint_{\partial\Omega} p(\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{e}_x) dS$$

$\partial\Omega$	airfoil surface
$p$	surface pressure
$\mathbf{n}$	outward facing unit normal vector
$\mathbf{e}_x$	unit vector in x-direction

# Diamond-Wedge Airfoil

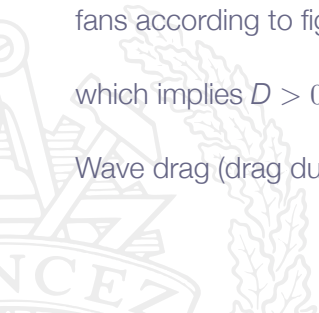
Since conditions 2 and 3 are constant in their respective regions, we obtain:

$$D = 2 [\rho_2 L \sin(\varepsilon) - \rho_3 L \sin(\varepsilon)] = 2(\rho_2 - \rho_3) \frac{t}{2} = (\rho_2 - \rho_3)t$$

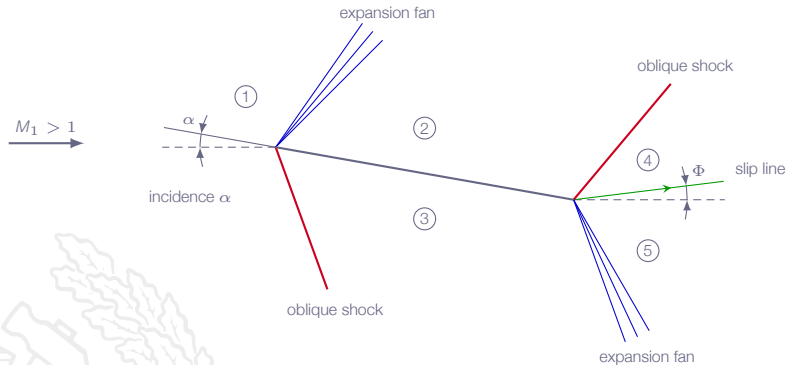
For supersonic free stream ( $M_1 > 1$ ), with shocks and expansion fans according to figure we will always find that  $\rho_2 > \rho_3$

which implies  $D > 0$

Wave drag (drag due to flow loss at compression shocks)



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For the flow in the vicinity of the plate this is the correct picture. Further out from the plate, shock and expansion waves will interact and eventually sort the mismatch of flow angles out

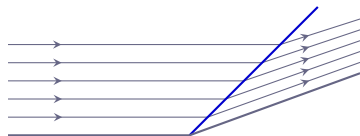


# Flat-Plate Airfoil

- ▶ Flow states 4 and 5 must satisfy:
  - ▶  $\rho_4 = \rho_5$
  - ▶ flow direction 4 equals flow direction 5 ( $\Phi$ )
- ▶ Shock between 2 and 4 as well as expansion fan between 3 and 5 will unjust themselves to comply with the requirements
- ▶ For calculation of lift and drag only states 2 and 3 are needed
- ▶ States 2 and 3 can be obtained using standard oblique shock formulas and Prandtl-Meyer expansion

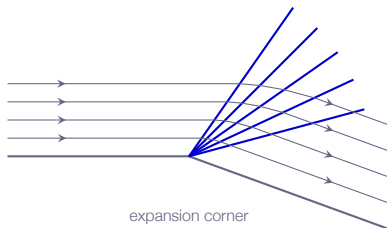


# Oblique Shocks and Expansion Waves



compression corner

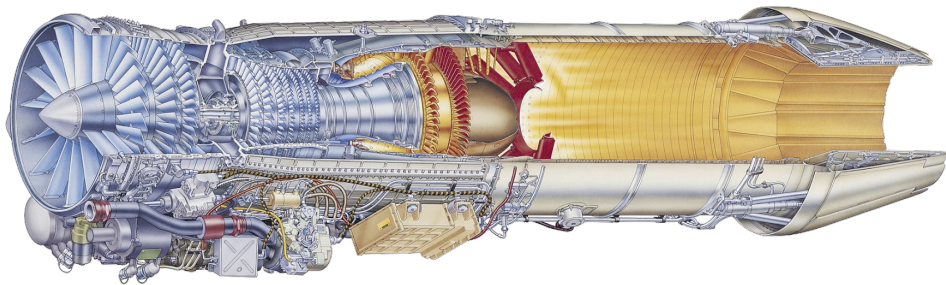
- ▶  $M$  decrease
- ▶  $\|\mathbf{v}\|$  decrease
- ▶  $p$  increase
- ▶  $\rho$  increase
- ▶  $T$  increase



expansion corner

- ▶  $M$  increase
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- ▶  $p$  decrease
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# Roadmap - Oblique Shocks and Expansion Waves

