

# Fluid Mechanics - MTF053

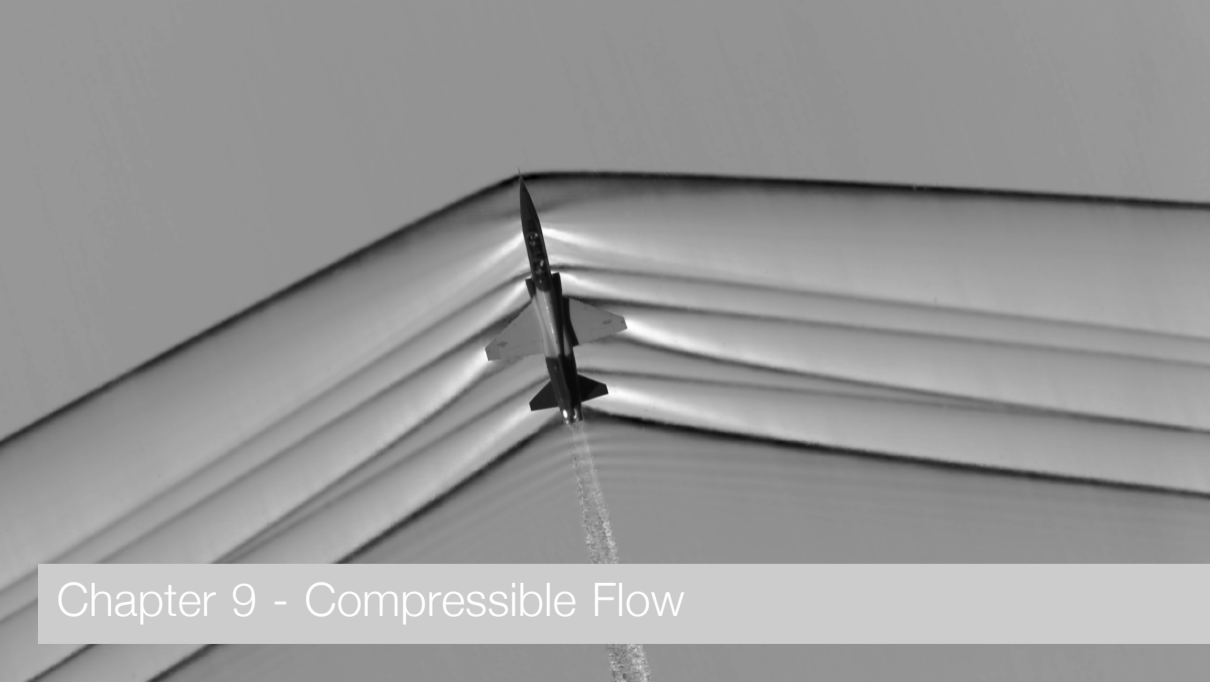
## Lecture 19

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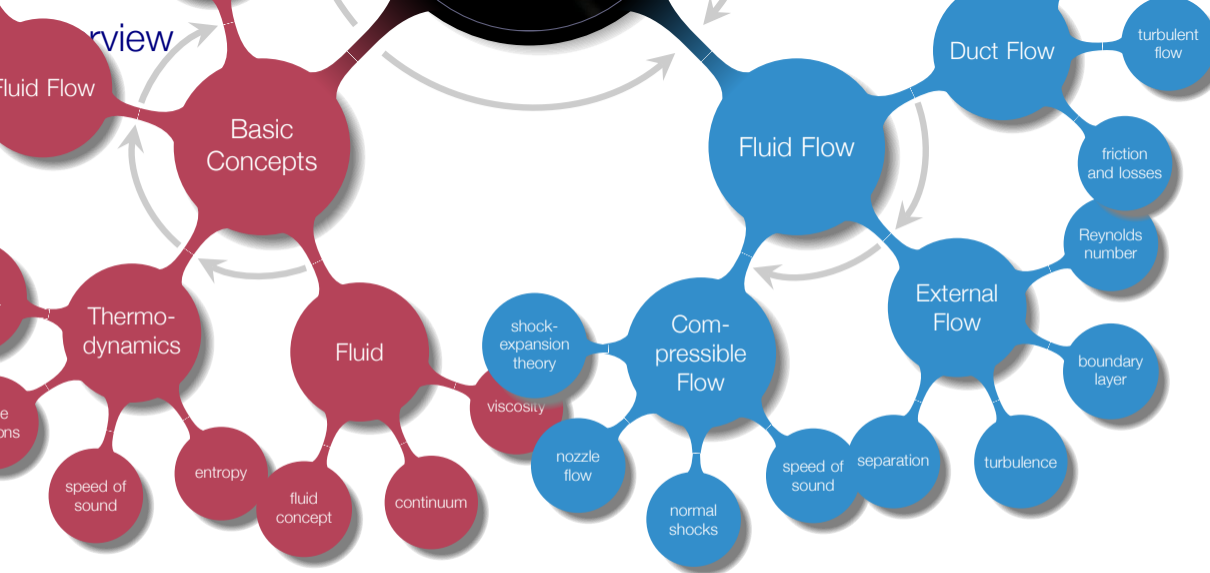
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Chapter 9 - Compressible Flow



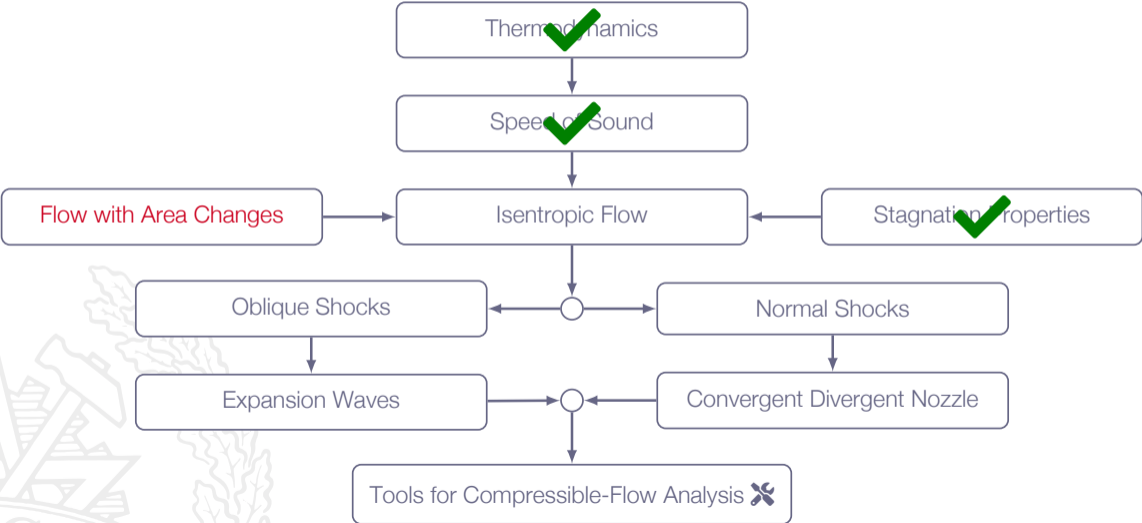
# Learning Outcomes

- 4 Be **able to categorize** a flow and **have knowledge about** how to select applicable methods for the analysis of a specific flow based on category
- 37 **Understand and explain** basic concepts of compressible flows (the gas law, speed of sound, Mach number, isentropic flow with changing area, normal shocks, oblique shocks, Prandtl-Meyer expansion)

*Let's go supersonic ...*



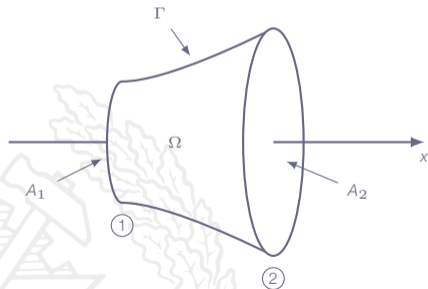
# Roadmap - Compressible Flow



# Isentropic Quasi-1D Flow

## Quasi-1D:

- ▶ Flow properties varies in one direction only ( $x$ )
- ▶ The flow area is a smooth function  $A = A(x)$
- ▶ Steady-state, inviscid and isentropic flow



# The Area-Velocity Relation

## Continuity:

$$\rho(x)V(x)A(x) = \text{const} \Rightarrow d(\rho VA) = 0 \Rightarrow AVd\rho + \rho AdV + \rho VdA = 0$$

divide by  $\rho VA$  gives

$$\frac{d\rho}{\rho} + \frac{dV}{V} + \frac{dA}{A} = 0$$



# The Area-Velocity Relation

In the following, isentropic flow is assumed

## Stagnation enthalpy:

$$h_o = h + \frac{1}{2}V^2 = \text{const} \Rightarrow dh + VdV = 0$$

## The first and second law of thermodynamics:

$$Tds = 0 = dh - \frac{dp}{\rho} \Rightarrow dh = \frac{dp}{\rho}$$

and thus

$$\frac{dp}{\rho} + VdV = 0$$



# The Area-Velocity Relation

$$\frac{dp}{\rho} + VdV = 0$$

From the definition of the **speed of sound**

$$dp = a^2 d\rho \Rightarrow a^2 \frac{d\rho}{\rho} + VdV = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d\rho}{\rho} = -\frac{1}{a^2} VdV$$



# The Area-Velocity Relation

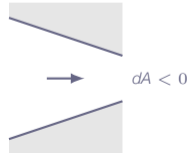
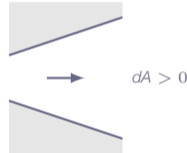
$$\frac{d\rho}{\rho} + \frac{dV}{V} + \frac{dA}{A} = \frac{dV}{V} - \frac{1}{a^2}VdV + \frac{dA}{A} = 0$$

$$\frac{dV}{V} \left( \frac{V^2}{a^2} - 1 \right) = \frac{dA}{A}$$

$$\frac{dV}{V} = \frac{1}{M^2 - 1} \frac{dA}{A} = -\frac{dp}{\rho V^2}$$

# The Area-Velocity Relation

$$\frac{dV}{V}(M^2 - 1) = \frac{dA}{A}$$



**Subsonic**  $M < 1$     **Supersonic**  $M > 1$

subsonic diffuser

$$dV < 0$$

$$dp > 0$$

supersonic nozzle

$$dV > 0$$

$$dp < 0$$

subsonic nozzle

$$dV > 0$$

$$dp < 0$$

supersonic diffuser

$$dV < 0$$

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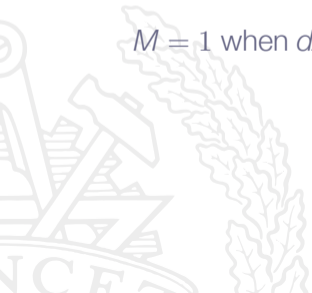


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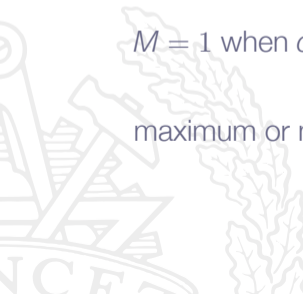
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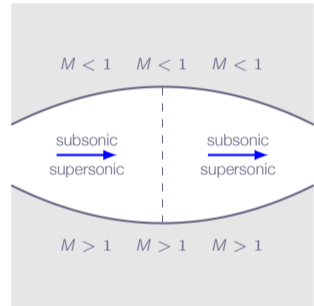
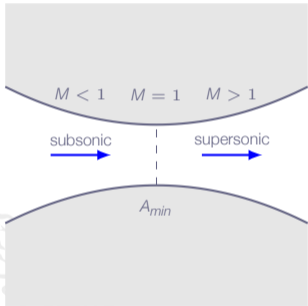
What happens when  $M = 1$ ?

$M = 1$  when  $dA = 0$

maximum or minimum area



# The Area-Velocity Relation



# The Area-Mach-Number Relation

$$\rho AV = \rho^* A^* V^* \Rightarrow \frac{A}{A^*} = \frac{\rho^*}{\rho} \frac{V^*}{V}$$

$$\frac{\rho^*}{\rho} = \frac{\rho^*}{\rho_0} \frac{\rho_0}{\rho} = \left[ \frac{2}{\gamma+1} \left( 1 + \frac{\gamma-1}{2} M^2 \right) \right]^{1/(\gamma-1)}$$

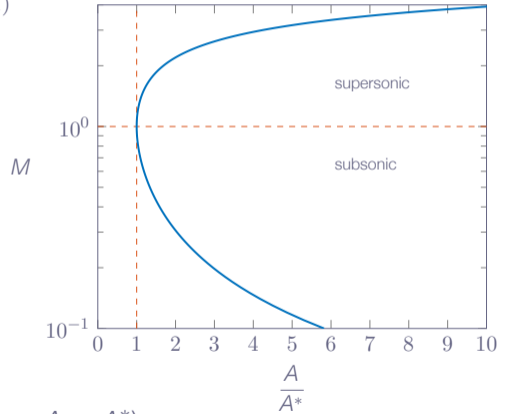
$$\frac{V^*}{V} = \frac{(\gamma RT^*)^{1/2}}{V} = \frac{(\gamma RT)^{1/2}}{V} \left( \frac{T^*}{T_0} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{T_0}{T} \right)^{1/2} = \frac{1}{M} \left[ \frac{2}{\gamma+1} \left( 1 + \frac{\gamma-1}{2} M^2 \right) \right]^{1/2}$$

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



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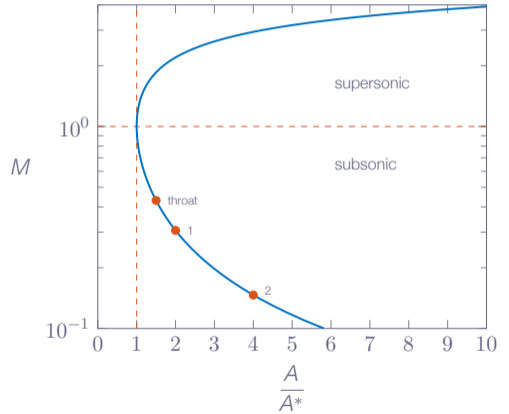
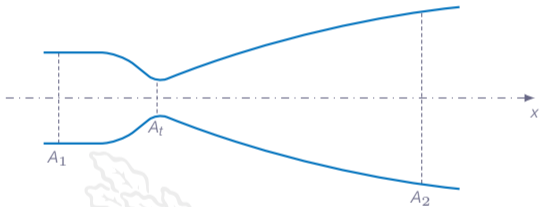


## Note!

Two possible solutions for each value of  $\frac{A}{A^*}$ :  
one subsonic and one supersonic (except when  $A = A^*$ )

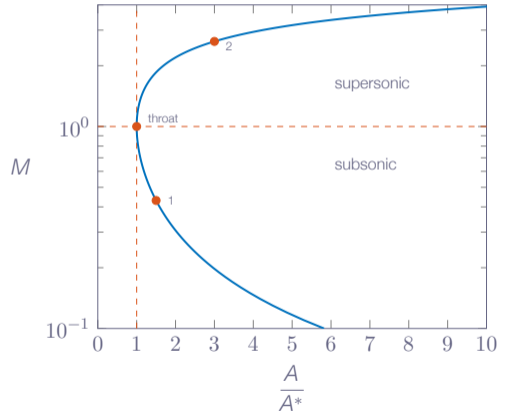
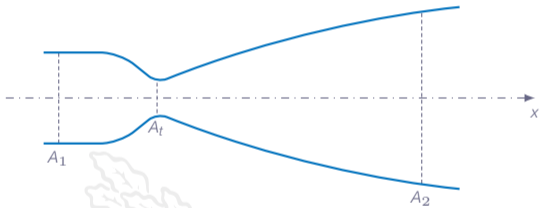
# The Area-Mach-Number Relation

Sub-critical (non-choked) nozzle flow



# The Area-Mach-Number Relation

Critical (choked) nozzle flow

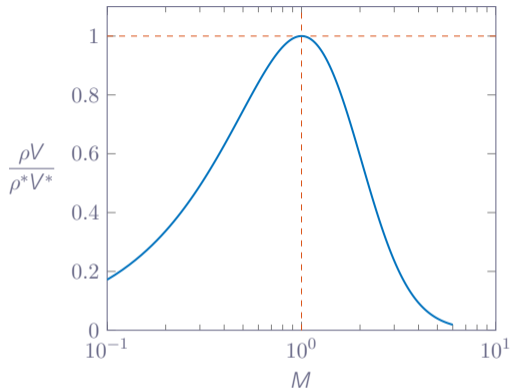


# Choking

$$\rho VA = \rho^* A^* V^* \Rightarrow \frac{A^*}{A} = \frac{\rho V}{\rho^* V^*}$$

From the area-Mach-number relation

$$\frac{A^*}{A} = \begin{cases} < 1 & \text{if } M < 1 \\ 1 & \text{if } M = 1 \\ < 1 & \text{if } M > 1 \end{cases}$$



The maximum possible mass flow through a duct is achieved when its throat reaches sonic conditions

# Choking

$$\dot{m}_{max} = \rho^* A^* V^*$$

$$\frac{\rho^*}{\rho_o} = \left( \frac{2}{\gamma + 1} \right)^{1/(\gamma-1)}$$

$$V^* = \sqrt{\gamma R T^*}$$

$$\frac{T^*}{T_o} = \frac{2}{\gamma + 1}$$

$$\dot{m}_{max} = \frac{A^* p_o}{\sqrt{T_o}} \sqrt{\frac{\gamma}{R} \left( \frac{2}{\gamma + 1} \right)^{\frac{\gamma+1}{\gamma-1}}}$$