

**PHY 711 Classical Mechanics and
Mathematical Methods
10-10:50 AM MWF Olin 103**

Plan for Lecture 35:

Chapter 10 in F & W: Surface waves

- 1. Water waves in a channel**
- 2. Wave-like solutions; wave speed**

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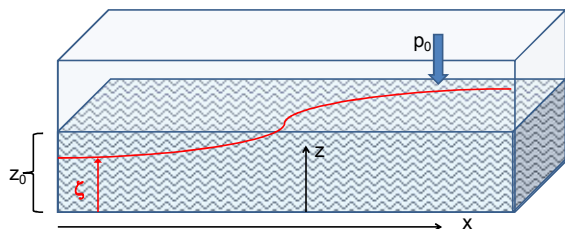
22	Wed, 10/17/2012	Chap. 7, 5	Moment of inertia	
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23	Mon, 10/22/2012	Chap. 5	Rigid body rotation	#16
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26	Mon, 10/29/2012	Chap. 8	Waves in elastic membranes	#19
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Consider a container of water with average height z_0 and surface ζ :



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Euler's equation for incompressible fluid :

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = f_{\text{applied}} - \frac{\nabla p}{\rho} = -g\hat{z} - \frac{\nabla p}{\rho}$$

Assume that $v_z \ll v_x, v_y \Rightarrow -g - \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial z} = 0$

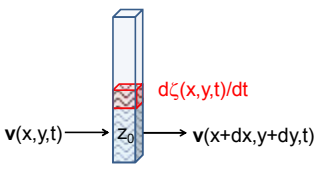
$$\Rightarrow p(x, y, z, t) = p_0 + \rho g(\zeta(x, y, t) - z)$$

Horizontal fluid motions :

$$\frac{dv_x}{dt} \approx \frac{\partial v_x}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x} = -g \frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{dv_y}{dt} \approx \frac{\partial v_y}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial y} = -g \frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial y}$$

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Continuity condition for flow of incompressible fluid :

$$\frac{\partial \zeta}{\partial t} + z_0 \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$$

From horizontal flow relations : $\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} = -g \nabla \zeta$

Equation for surface function : $\frac{\partial^2 \zeta}{\partial t^2} - g z_0 \nabla^2 \zeta = 0$

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Surface wave equation :

$$\frac{\partial^2 \zeta}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \zeta = 0 \quad c^2 = g z_0$$

More complete analysis finds :

$$c^2 = \frac{g}{k} \tanh(k z_0) \quad \text{where } k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

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