A compressible two-layer model for transient gas-liquid flows in pipes

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Industrial context

• In nuclear power plants, hydraulic systems are used :



• BUT unwanted air pockets could give rise to transient multi-regime air/water flows :



- Requirement : determining the maximum acceptable volume of air in pipes to guarantee operability of pumps
 - Experimental studies : how the pump is affected by the different regimes ?
 - Modeling/Numerical studies : how air pockets will be transported until the pump ?
- Same issues in wastewater pipes, petroleum industries...

Technical specifications

Our goal is to develop a 1D model satisfying the following constraints :

• Physical constraints

- Two-phase flow, gas and liquid
- Interactions between both phases
- Several regimes : pressurized, stratified and entrapped air pockets
- Transition from stratified to pressurized flow

• Geometric constraints

- Sloping pipes
- Rectangular channels or circular pipes

Mathematical constraints

- Hyperbolicity
- Positivity
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Averaging process

• Averaging operators :

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and

$$\widehat{f_k(x,t)} = \frac{\overline{\rho_k f_k}}{\overline{\rho_k}}$$

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$$\frac{\partial h_k \overline{\rho_k}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h_k \overline{\rho_k}}{\partial x} \widehat{u_k} = h_k \overline{M_k}.$$

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How to satisfy the hydrostatic constraint for water?

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with $h_2 = H - h_1.$

• Closure laws for U₁ and the source terms?

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial t} + U_l \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x} &= \Phi_1, \\ \frac{\partial h_k \rho_k}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h_k \rho_k u_k}{\partial x} &= M_k, \\ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1 u_1}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h_1 (\rho_1 u_1^2 + P_1(\rho_1))}{\partial x} - \left(P_1(\rho_1) - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2}\right) \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x} &= D_1, \\ \frac{\partial h_2 \rho_2 u_2}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h_2 (\rho_2 u_2^2 + P_2(\rho_2))}{\partial x} - \left(P_1(\rho_1) - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2}\right) \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial x} &= D_2, \end{aligned}$$

with $h_2 = H - h_1$.

- Closure laws for U_l and the source terms?
 - Assumption : $U_I = \beta u_1 + (1 \beta) u_2, \ \beta \in [0, 1].$
 - Entropy inequality.



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• One obtains :

$$\begin{split} \Phi_1 &= \lambda_p (P_1 - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2} - P_2) = \lambda_p (P_I - P_2), \\ M_k &= (-1)^k \lambda_m \Big(\big(\frac{P_1 + \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2}}{\rho_1} + \Psi_1 \big) - \big(\frac{P_2}{\rho_2} + \Psi_2 \big) + \frac{u_2^2 - u_1^2}{2} \Big) \\ D_k &= (-1)^k \lambda_u (u_1 - u_2). \end{split}$$

where λ_p , λ_m and λ_u are positive bounded functions which depend on the state variable $(h_1, \rho_1, \rho_2, u_1, u_2)$.

The entropy inequality thus writes :

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{E}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \mathcal{G}}{\partial x} \leq 0$$

where the entropy \mathcal{E} and the entropy flux \mathcal{G} are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{E} &= E_{c,1} + E_{p,1} + E_{t,1} + E_{c,2} + E_{t,2}, \\ \mathcal{G} &= u_1(E_{c,1} + E_{p,1} + E_{t,1}) + u_2(E_{c,2} + E_{t,2}) + u_1h_1P_1 + u_2h_2P_2, \end{aligned}$$

with

$$E_{c,k} = \frac{1}{2} h_k \rho_k u_k^2, \ E_{t,k} = h_k \rho_k \Psi_k(\rho_k), \ E_{\rho,1} = \rho_1 g \frac{h_1^2}{2}.$$

Resulting averaged closed system

1D compressible two-layer model for air/water flows

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial t} &+ u_2 \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x} = \lambda_{\rho} (P_1 - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2} - P_2) = \lambda_{\rho} (P_l - P_2), \\ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1 u_1}{\partial x} = 0, \\ \frac{\partial h_2 \rho_2}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial h_2 \rho_2 u_2}{\partial x} = 0, \\ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1 u_1}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial h_1 (\rho_1 u_1^2 + P_1)}{\partial x} - (P_1 - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2}) \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x} = \lambda_u (u_2 - u_1), \\ \frac{\partial h_2 \rho_2 u_2}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial h_2 (\rho_2 u_2^2 + P_2)}{\partial x} - (P_1 - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2}) \frac{\partial h_2}{\partial x} = \lambda_u (u_1 - u_2). \end{split}$$



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Consistency with the shallow water equations

• Pressure relaxation. Consider the following system :

$$\frac{\partial h_1}{\partial t} = \lambda_p (P_l - P_2)$$
$$\frac{\partial h_k \rho_k}{\partial t} = 0.$$

Easy calculations yield :

$$P_I \xrightarrow[t \to +\infty]{} P_2.$$

• Without source terms, using $P_l = P_1 - \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2}$, mass and momentum conservation equations for water writes :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1 u_1}{\partial x} = 0, \\ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1 u_1}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial h_1 \rho_1 u_1^2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \rho_1 g \frac{h_1^2}{2}}{\partial x} + h_1 \frac{\partial P_1}{\partial x} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

 Asymptotically, it may be read as a compressible shallow water system with variable atmospheric pressure P₂(x, t).

Comments on the closed system

• Comparison with the two-fluid two-pressure models.

- Same structure as a Baer-Nunziato type model obtained with statistical averaging.
- Statistical framework : $\beta \in \{0, 1, \frac{h_1\rho_1}{h_1\rho_1 + h_2\rho_2}\}$.
- Significant mathematical properties.

Towards pressurized flows.

Formally, considering $h_1 = H$ one obtains :

$$\begin{split} &\frac{\partial\rho_1}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial\rho_1 u_1}{\partial x} = 0, \\ &\frac{\partial\rho_1 u_1}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial(\rho_1 u_1^2 + P_1(\rho_1))}{\partial x} = 0, \end{split}$$

as soon as the source terms vanish when $h_1 = H$.

Sloping pipes



Constant slope : replace g by $g \cos \theta$ in the closure laws.

Variable slope : curvilinear formulation?



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Mathematical properties : hyperbolicity

We study the homogeneous system :

$$\frac{\partial h_{1}}{\partial t} + u_{2} \frac{\partial h_{1}}{\partial x} = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{k} \rho_{k}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h_{k} \rho_{k} u_{k}}{\partial x} = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial h_{k} \rho_{k} u_{k}}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h_{k} (\rho_{k} u_{k}^{2} + P_{k})}{\partial x} - (P_{1} - \rho_{1}g\frac{h_{1}}{2})\frac{\partial h_{k}}{\partial x} = 0.$$

$$\lambda_{2} = u_{2} - c_{2}$$

$$\lambda_{3} = u_{2} + c_{2}$$

$$\lambda_{5} = u_{1} + c_{1}$$

Hyperbolicity

The homogeneous system is hyperbolic under the non-resonant condition :

$$|u_1-u_2|\neq c_1.$$

Its eigenvalues are unconditionally real and given by

 $\lambda_{1} = u_{2},$ $\lambda_{2} = u_{2} - c_{2}, \ \lambda_{3} = u_{2} + c_{2},$ $\lambda_{4} = u_{1} - c_{1}, \ \lambda_{5} = u_{1} + c_{1}.$

• Remarks :

- The eigenstructure can be easily detailed
- ▶ In the context of air/water flows, $c_1 \approx 1500 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$ and the resonant situation is clearly out of the scope of interest.

Mathematical properties : characteristic fields

Nature of characteristic fields and Riemann invariants

The field associated with the 1-wave λ_1 is linearly degenerate.

The fields associated with the p-waves λ_p , p = 2, ..., 5, are genuinely nonlinear.

If I^P denotes the vector of p-Riemann invariants, one obtains :

$$I^{1} = \left(u_{2}, m_{1}(u_{1} - u_{2}), m_{1}u_{1}(u_{1} - u_{2}) + h_{1}P_{1} + h_{2}P_{2}, \frac{P_{1} + \rho_{1}g\frac{n_{1}}{2}}{\rho_{1}} + \Psi_{1} + \frac{(u_{1} - u_{2})^{2}}{2}\right),$$

$$I^{2} = \left(h_{1}, \rho_{1}, u_{1}, u_{2} + \int \frac{c_{2}(\rho_{2})}{\rho_{2}}d\rho_{2}\right), I^{3} = \left(h_{1}, \rho_{1}, u_{1}, u_{2} - \int \frac{c_{2}(\rho_{2})}{\rho_{2}}d\rho_{2}\right),$$

$$I^{4} = \left(h_{1}, \rho_{2}, u_{2}, u_{1} + \int \frac{c_{1}(\rho_{1})}{\rho_{1}}d\rho_{1}\right), I^{5} = \left(h_{1}, \rho_{2}, u_{2}, u_{1} - \int \frac{c_{1}(\rho_{1})}{\rho_{1}}d\rho_{1}\right),$$



Mathematical properties : jump conditions

Jump conditions for genuine non-linear fields

For all genuine non-linear fields corresponding to the *p*-waves, p = 2, ..., 5, the Rankine-Hugoniot jump conditions across a single discontinuity of speed σ write

$$\begin{split} & [h_k] = 0, \\ & [m_k(u_k - \sigma)] = 0, \\ & [m_k u_k(u_k - \sigma) + h_k P_k] = 0, \end{split}$$

where brackets [.] denote the difference between the states on both sides of the discontinuity.

- Across the linearly degenerate field :
 - h₁ may jump.
 - ▶ The non-conservative products $u_2\partial_x h_1$ and $(P_1 \rho_1 g \frac{h_1}{2})\partial_x h_1$ are well defined using the available 1-Riemann invariants.
- One can build analytical solutions including rarefaction waves, shock waves and contact discontinuities.

Mathematical properties : positivity

Positivity

Let L and T be two positive and real constants. Assume that u_k , $\partial_x u_k$ and the source terms belong to $L^{\infty}([0, L] \times [0, T])$ for k = 1, 2. Then, admissible inlet boundary conditions lead to

$$egin{aligned} &h_k(t,x)\in[0,H],\ \ orall(x,t)\in[0,L] imes[0,T],\ &
ho_k(t,x)\geq 0,\ \ \ orall(x,t)\in[0,L] imes[0,T], \end{aligned}$$

when restricting ourselves to regular solutions.

• Classical result considering regular solutions of the equation :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial t} + u_2 \frac{\partial h_1}{\partial x} &= \Phi_1, \\ \frac{\partial h_k \rho_k}{\partial t} + u_k \frac{\partial h_k \rho_k}{\partial x} + h_k \rho_k \frac{\partial u_k}{\partial x} &= M_k. \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion

- This 1D compressible two-layer model satisfies :
 - Physical constraints
 - ★ Gas-liquid model
 - * Several regimes : stratified, pressurized, entrapped air pockets (formally)
 - * Transition between the regimes (formally)
 - Geometric constraints
 - Sloping pipes (constant angle only)
 - * Rectangular channels and circular pipes with variable cross-section
 - Mathematical constraints
 - ★ Hyperbolicity
 - * Positivity of h_k and ρ_k
 - ★ Entropy inequality
 - Uniqueness of jump conditions
- The current work involves :
 - Development of a numerical solver
 - With large time steps : implicit-explicit schemes to avoid the acoustic CFL condition
 - * Robust enough to deal with vanishing phases, $h_k
 ightarrow 0$
 - Validation against experimental data

Thank you for your attention

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Circular pipe with variable cross-section



1D compressible two-layer model for air/water flows in pipe with variable cross-section

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial t} &+ u_2 \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial x} = \lambda_{\rho} (P_1 - \rho_1 g \ell_1 - P_2) + \frac{\theta_k}{2\pi} (\frac{\partial S}{\partial t} + u_2 \frac{\partial S}{\partial x}), \\ \frac{\partial A_k \rho_k}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial A_k \rho_k u_k}{\partial x} = 0, \\ \frac{\partial A_1 \rho_1 u_1}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial A_1 (\rho_1 u_1^2 + P_1)}{\partial x} - (P_1 - \rho_1 g \ell_1) \frac{\partial A_1}{\partial x} = \lambda_u (u_2 - u_1) + \rho_1 g \ell_1 \frac{\theta_1}{2\pi} \frac{\partial S}{\partial x}, \\ \frac{\partial A_2 \rho_2 u_2}{\partial t} &+ \frac{\partial A_2 (\rho_2 u_2^2 + P_2)}{\partial x} - (P_1 - \rho_1 g \ell_1) \frac{\partial A_2}{\partial x} = \lambda_u (u_1 - u_2) + (P_2 - (P_1 - \rho_1 g \ell_1)) \frac{\theta_2}{2\pi} \frac{\partial S}{\partial x}. \end{split}$$