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Assignment # 01

Questions # 01: What is venturi flume? with sketch?

Answer:

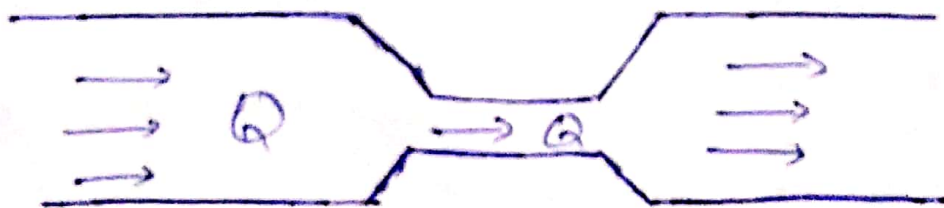
venturi flume:

A venturi flume is a critical-flow open flume with a constricted flow which causes a drop in the hydraulic grade line, creating a critical depth.

It is used in flow measurement of very large flow rates, usually given in millions of cubic unit. A venturi meter would normally measure in millimetres, whereas a venturi meter flume measures in meters.

Measurement of discharge with venturi flumes required two measurements, one upstream and one

at the throat (narrowest cross-section), if the flow passed in a subcritical state through the flume. if the flumes are designed so as to pass the flow sub critical to supercritical state while passing through the flume, a single measurement at the throat (which in the case become a critical section), is sufficient for computation of discharge. To ensure the occurrence of the critical depth at the throat, the flumes are usually designed in such way as to form a hydraulic jump on the downstream side of the structure. These flumes are called Standing waves flume:



Flow Through Venturi flume:

## Question #02

A 3m wide channel carries a total discharge of  $12 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$ .

- Calculate:
- The critical depth
  - The minimum specific energy
  - The alternate depth when  $E = 4\text{m}$ .

Solution:-

Given data:

width of channel =  $b = 3 \text{ m}$

Discharge =  $Q = 12 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$

a) critical depth :

Discharge per unit width

$$q = \frac{Q}{b} = \frac{12}{3}$$

$$q = 4 \text{ m}^2/\text{sec}$$

For Rectangular channel

$$h_c = \left( \frac{q^2}{g} \right)^{1/3} = \left( \frac{4^2}{9.81} \right)^{1/3} = 1.18 \text{ m}$$

$$h_c = 1.18 \text{ m}$$

b) Minimum Specific Energy:  $(E_c)$ ? Page # 04

for Rectangular channel

$$E_c = \frac{3}{2} h_c = \frac{3}{2} \times 1.18$$

$$E_c = 1.77 \text{ m}$$

c) The Alternate depth  $E = 4 \text{ m}$

As  $E > E_c$ , there are two possible depths for a given specific energy.

$$E = h + \frac{V^2}{2g} \quad \text{where} \quad V = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{Q}{b h}$$

for Rectangular channel)

$$E = h + \frac{Q^2}{2g h^3}$$

$$4 = \frac{h + 0.815}{h^2} \quad \text{for the subcritical solution}$$

two first term, associated with the potential energy dominates

$$h = 4 - \frac{0.815}{h^2}$$

iterations (from  $h = 4$ ) given  $h = 3.948 \text{ m}$

For the subcritical (first - shallow) solution the second term associated with kinetic energy.

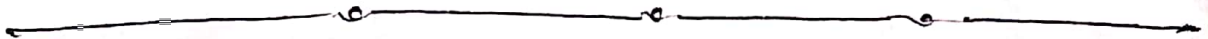
dominates rearrange as

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$$h = \sqrt{\frac{0.8155}{4-h}}$$

⇒ iteration (from  $h=0$ ) gives  $h = 0.4814 \text{ m}$

So Alternate depth are 3.95 & 0.4814 m .



Assignment # 02

Question #01 :- water flows at a depth of 10cm with a velocity of 6m/s in a rectangular channel. Is the flow subcritical or supercritical? what is the alternate depth?

Solution :- first of all we find Froude Number to find the flow.

$$Fr = \frac{v}{\sqrt{gy}} = \frac{6 \text{ m/s}}{\sqrt{9.81 \times 0.1}}$$

$$Fr = 6.06 > 1$$

So the flow is supercritical

Alternate depth :- As we know that

$$E = y + \frac{v^2}{2g}$$
$$= 0.1 + \frac{6^2}{2 \times 9.81} = 1.935 \text{ m}$$

$$E = 1.935 \text{ m}$$

Question # 02 : water flow with velocity of 2 m/s and at a depth of 3 m in a rectangular channel that could exist before the up stream depth changes would result, neglect head losses.

Given data:

$$\text{Velocity} = V_1 = 2 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{depth} = y_1 = 3 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Elevation } \Delta z = 60 \text{ cm} = 0.6 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{down step} = 15 \text{ cm} = 0.15 \text{ m}$$

Solution ←

As we know that

$$E_1 = y_1 + \frac{V_1^2}{2g}$$

$$E_1 = 3 + \frac{2^2}{2 \times 9.81}$$

$$E_1 = 3.20 \text{ m}$$



$$\text{Now } E_2 = E_1 - \Delta z$$

$$E_2 = 3.2 - 0.6$$

$$E_2 = 2.60 \text{ m}$$

Also

$$E_2 = y_2 + \frac{q^2}{2gy_2^2}$$

$$2.60 = y_2 + \frac{6^2}{2 \times 9.81 \cdot y_2^2}$$

$$y_2 = 2.24 \text{ m}$$

$$\Delta y = y_2 - y_1$$

$$\Delta y = 2.24 - 3$$

$$\Delta y = -0.76 \text{ m}$$

So water surface drop = 0.76 m

★) for a downward step of 15 cm or 0.15 m we

have  $E_2 = E_1 - \Delta z = 3.20 - (-0.15)$

$$E_2 = 3.25 \text{ m}$$

Now  $y_2 = 3.17\text{m}$

$$\Delta y = y_2 - y_1 = 3.17 - 3$$

$$\Delta y = 0.17\text{m}$$

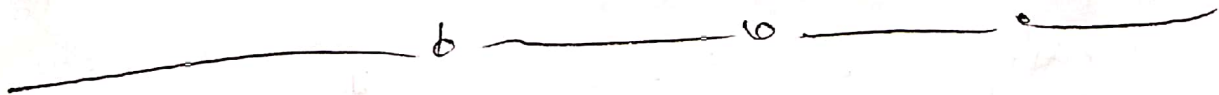
So water surface rises  $0.02\text{m}$

\* ) The maximum upstep possible before affecting upstream water surface level is for  $y_2 = y_c$

$$y_c = \sqrt[3]{\frac{q^2}{g}}$$

$$y_c = \sqrt[3]{\frac{6^2}{9.8}}$$

$$y_c = 1.54\text{m}$$



Assignment #03

Question # A water passing from the slice gate in dam having depth of water in -----  
----- The width of slice gate is 3.9m

- Determine a) Discharge  
b) Froude upstream & downstream:

Given data,

$$y_1 = 3.6 \text{ m} \quad , \quad y_2 = 0.9 \text{ m}$$

$$b = 3.9 \text{ m}$$

Solution:

$$E_1 = E_2$$

$$y_1 + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = y_2 + \frac{v_2^2}{2g} \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Also:

$$Q = A_1 v_1 = A_2 v_2$$

$$b_1 y_1 \cdot v_1 = b_2 y_2 \cdot v_2$$

$$b \cdot y_1 \cdot v_1 = b_2 \cdot y_2 \cdot v_2 \quad (b = b_1 = b_2)$$

$$y_1 \cdot v_1 = y_2 \cdot v_2$$

$$v_2 = \frac{y_1}{y_2} \times v_1 \Rightarrow \frac{3.6}{0.9} \times v_1$$

$$u = 4v_1 \longrightarrow (2)$$

Putting in eq (1)

$$y_1 + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = y_2 + \frac{v_2^2}{2g}$$

$$3.6 + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} = 0.9 + \frac{(4v_1)^2}{2g}$$

$$\frac{v_1^2 - 16v_1^2}{2g} = -2.7$$

$$\frac{15v_1^2}{2g} = 2.7$$

$$v_1 = \sqrt{\frac{2.7 \times 2(9.81)}{15}}$$

$$v_1 = 1.879 \text{ m/sec}$$

Putting in eq (2) we get

$$v_2 = 4v_1$$

$$v_2 = 4(1.879)$$

$$v_2 = 7.516 \text{ m/sec}$$

$$\text{As } Q_1 = A_1 v_1 = b y_1 \cdot v_1$$

$$= 3.9 \times 3.6 \times 1.879$$

$$Q_1 = 26.38 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Q_2 = A_2 V_2 = b \cdot y_2 \cdot V_2$$
$$= 3.9 \times 0.94 \times 7.516$$

$$Q_2 = 26.38 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

$$Q = Q_1 = Q_2 = 26.38 \text{ m}^3/\text{sec}$$

① Froude Number  $\Rightarrow$  At upstream side

$$Fr_1 = \frac{V_1}{\sqrt{g y_1}} = \frac{1.878}{\sqrt{9.81 \times 3.6}} = 0.31$$

So its subcritical flow.

② Froude Number  $\Rightarrow$  At downstream side

$$Fr_2 = \frac{V_2}{\sqrt{g y_2}} = \frac{7.516}{\sqrt{9.81 \times 0.9}} = 2.52$$

So its super critical flow.

