

ME-251: Thermodynamics and energetics I Second Law V

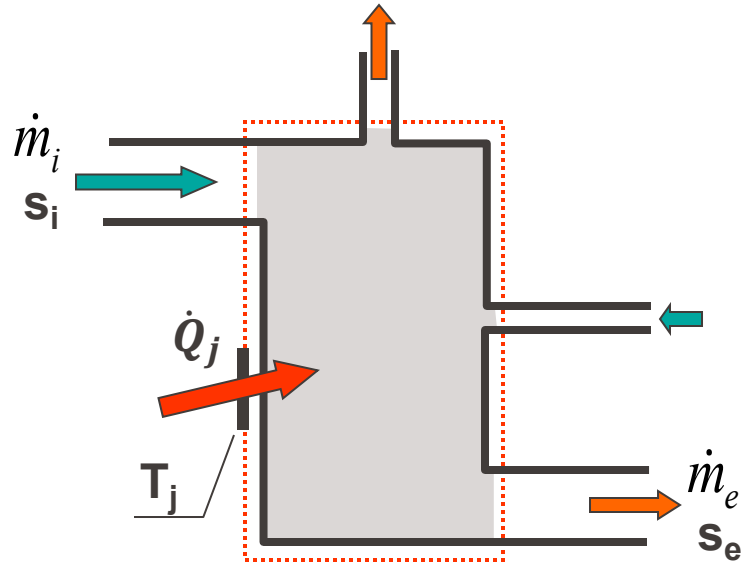
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- Open system entropy rate balance
- Isentropic process



**Mass
balance**

$$\frac{dm_{cv}}{dt} = \sum_i \dot{m}_i - \sum_e \dot{m}_e$$

**Energy
balance**

$$\frac{dE_{cv}}{dt} = \sum_j \dot{Q}_j - \dot{W}_{cv} + \sum_i \dot{m}_i \left(h_i + \frac{\vec{V}_i^2}{2} + gz_i \right) - \sum_e \dot{m}_e \left(h_e + \frac{\vec{V}_e^2}{2} + gz_e \right)$$

**Entropy
balance**

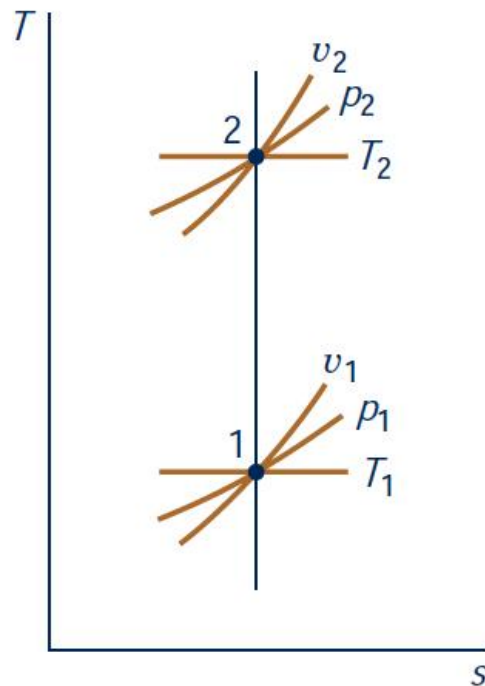
$$\frac{dS_{cv}}{dt} = \sum_j \frac{\dot{Q}_j}{T_j} + \sum_i \dot{m}_i s_i - \sum_e \dot{m}_e s_e + \dot{\sigma}_{cv} \quad [\text{W/K}]$$

Entropy change

Entropy transfer

Entropy generation

Isentropic means constant entropy (typically constant specific entropy)



For perfect gas

$$\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{v_1}{v_2} \right)^{k-1}$$

$$\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \left(\frac{p_2}{p_1} \right)^{\frac{k-1}{k}}$$

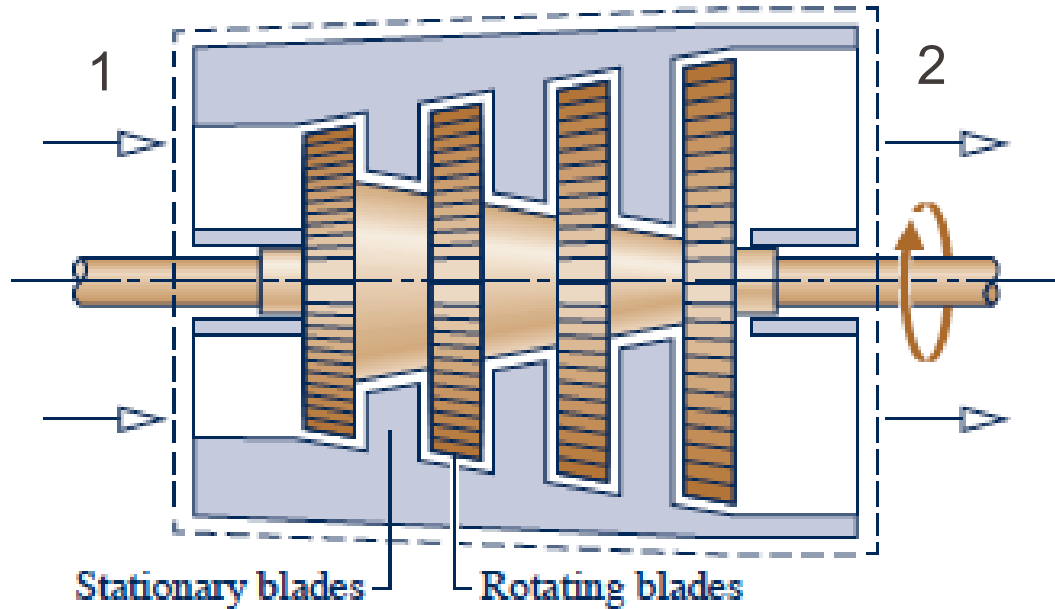
$$p_1 v_1^k = p_2 v_2^k$$

- Isentropic efficiency
- Internally reversible, steady-state flow processes
- Reading: 6.12 and 6.13

For turbines, nozzles, compressors, and pumps at steady states

Isentropic efficiency is to compare the actual performance of a device to the performance that would be achieved under **idealized circumstances** for the **same inlet state** and the **same exit pressure**

What's typically assumed in the ideal case: **adiabaticity** and **internal reversibility**



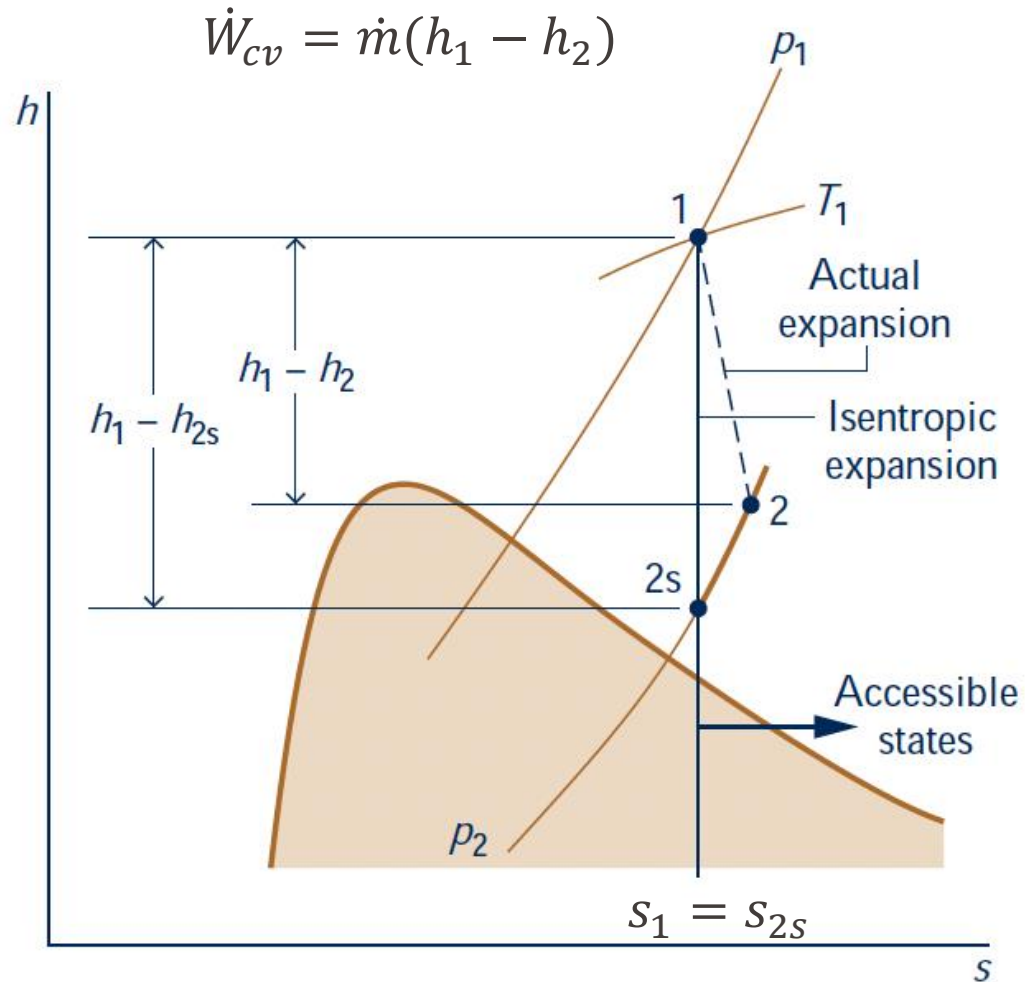
Idealized process ($1 \rightarrow 2_s$)
with no internal irreversibility

$$0 = \dot{m}(s_1 - s_{2s}) + \cancel{\dot{\sigma}_{cv}}$$

The ideal process is isentropic

- Ignore kinetic and potential energy change
- Assume no heat exchange with the surrounding

$$0 = -\dot{W}_{cv} + \dot{m}(h_1 - h_2)$$



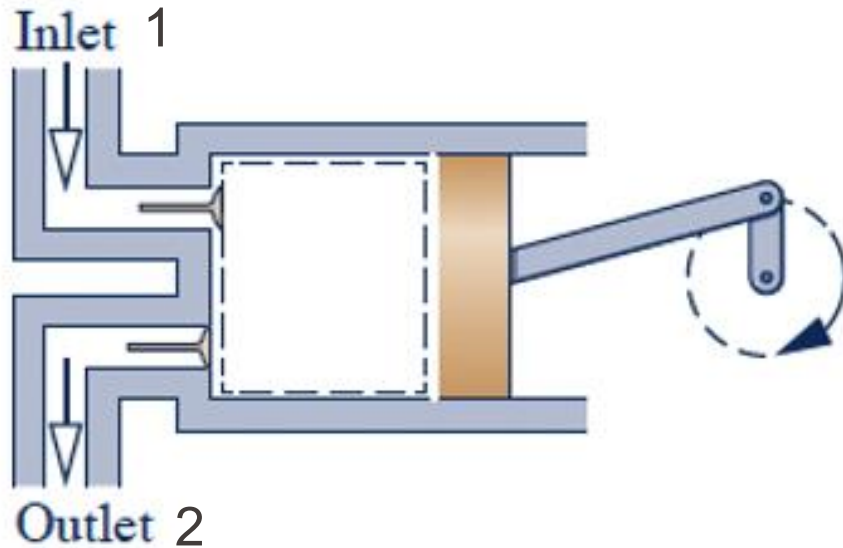
Actual process: same inlet state and exit pressure, with internal irreversibility

$$0 = \dot{m}(s_1 - s_2) + \dot{\sigma}_{cv}$$

$$\dot{\sigma}_{cv} > 0 \Rightarrow s_2 > s_1$$

Isentropic efficiency for turbine

$$\eta_t = \frac{\dot{W}_{cv}/\dot{m}}{(\dot{W}_{cv}/\dot{m})_s} = \frac{h_1 - h_2}{h_1 - h_{2s}}$$



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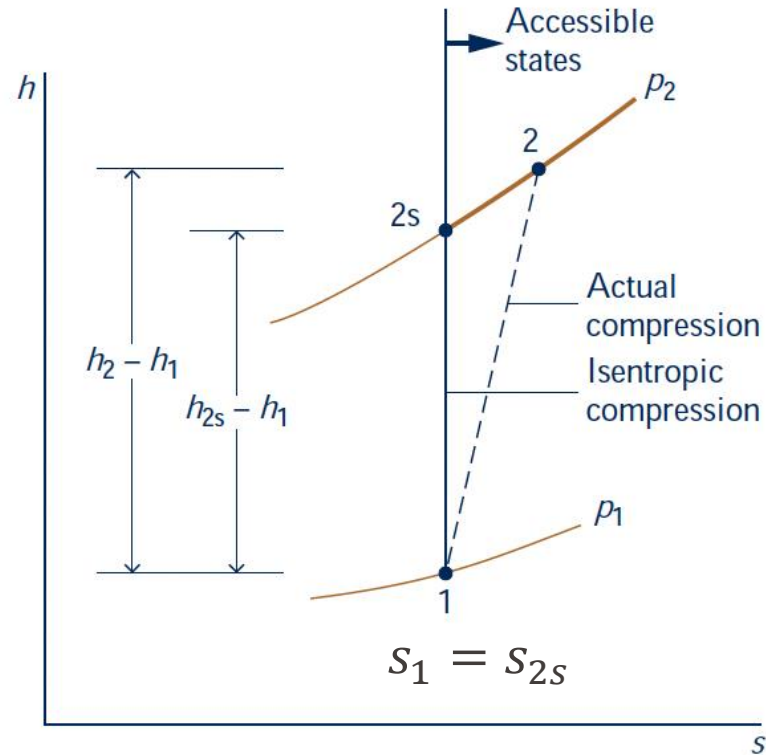
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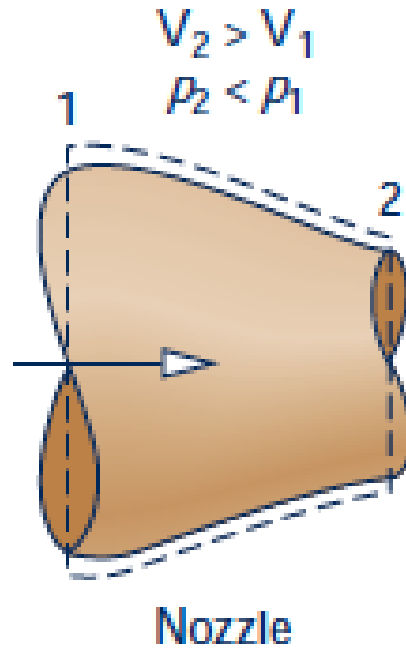
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Isentropic efficiency for compressors and pumps

$$\eta_c = \frac{-(\dot{W}_{cv}/\dot{m})_s}{-\dot{W}_{cv}/\dot{m}} = \frac{h_{2s} - h_1}{h_2 - h_1} = \frac{\text{Min. work needed}}{\text{Actual work}}$$



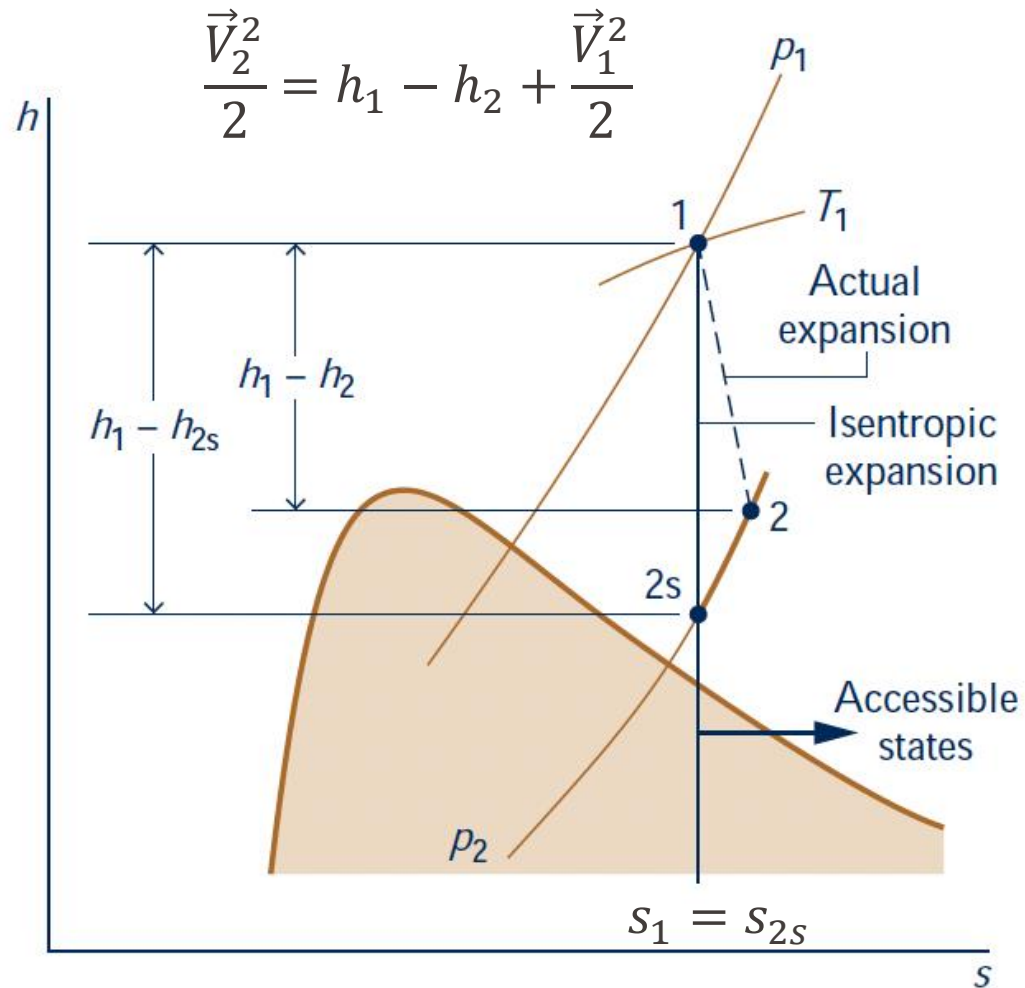
Idealized situation ($1 \rightarrow 2s$) with no internal irreversibility

$$0 = \dot{m}(s_1 - s_{2s}) + \cancel{\dot{\sigma}_{cv}}$$

$$s_1 = s_{2s}$$

Ignore PE change and heat transfer

$$h_1 + \frac{\vec{V}_1^2}{2} = h_2 + \frac{\vec{V}_2^2}{2}$$



Actual process: same inlet state and exit pressure, with internal irreversibility

$$0 = \dot{m}(s_1 - s_2) + \dot{\sigma}_{cv}$$

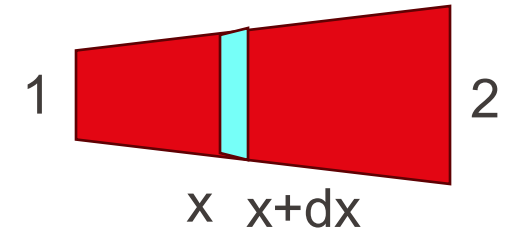
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Isentropic efficiency for nozzles

$$\eta_{nozzle} = \frac{\vec{V}_2^2}{\vec{V}_{2s}^2}$$

Internally Reversible, Steady-State Flow Processes

One-inlet, one-exit control volumes at steady state



Entropy balance

$$0 = \frac{\delta(\dot{Q}_{cv})_{int\ rev}}{T_x} + \dot{m}(s_x - s_{x+dx}) + \cancel{\delta\sigma}$$

$$\delta\left(\frac{\dot{Q}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} = T_x ds$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{Q}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} = \int_1^2 T_x ds$$

For isothermal processes: $\left(\frac{\dot{Q}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} = T(s_2 - s_1)$

Heat transfer

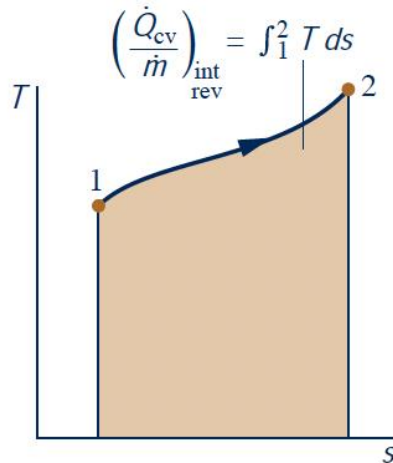


Fig. 6.13 Area representation of heat transfer for an internally reversible flow process.

Work transfer

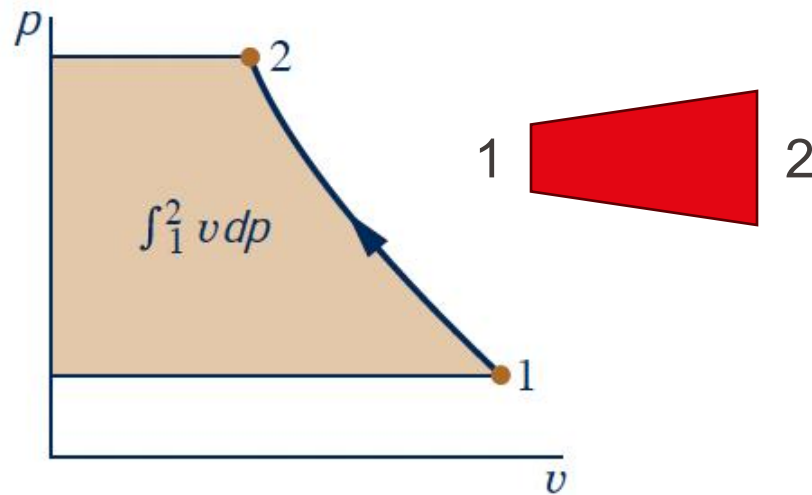


Fig. 6.14 Area representation of $\int_1^2 v dp$.

$$\left(\frac{\dot{W}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} = \left(\frac{\dot{Q}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} + h_1 - h_2 + \frac{\vec{V}_1^2 - \vec{V}_2^2}{2} + g(z_1 - z_2)$$

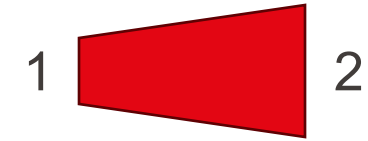
$$\left(\frac{\dot{Q}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} + h_1 - h_2 = \int_1^2 (T ds - dh) = - \int_1^2 v dp$$

Ignoring KE and PE change $\left(\frac{\dot{W}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} = - \int_1^2 v dp$

For incompressible fluids $\left(\frac{\dot{W}_{cv}}{\dot{m}}\right)_{int\ rev} = -v(p_2 - p_1)$

When $\dot{W}_{cv} = 0$, keeping PE and KE terms $\int_1^2 v dp + \frac{\vec{V}_2^2 - \vec{V}_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) = 0$

$$\int_1^2 v dp + \frac{\vec{V}_2^2 - \vec{V}_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) = 0$$



Incompressible fluids

$$v(p_2 - p_1) + \frac{\vec{V}_2^2 - \vec{V}_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) = 0$$

Perfect gas
(adiabatic)

$$\int_1^2 p_1^{\frac{1}{k}} v_1 \cdot p^{-\frac{1}{k}} dp + \frac{\vec{V}_2^2 - \vec{V}_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) = 0$$

$$\frac{k}{k-1} (p_2 v_2 - p_1 v_1) + \frac{\vec{V}_2^2 - \vec{V}_1^2}{2} + g(z_2 - z_1) = 0$$



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Question: This football is going *upward* while spinning *counterclockwise*. Based on your understanding, it will:

- A) curve to the left
- B) go along a straight line
- C) curve to the right
- D) I don't know

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Incomplete explanation

Bernoulli's principle cannot fully explain the Magnus effect