# **Control Volume Analysis**

Used for flow through systems



Use closed system analysis (fixed system mass M) to derive expressions for conservation of mass and energy



 $M_S(t) = M_{CV}(t) + m_i$   $M_S(t+\Delta t) = M_{CV}(t+\Delta t) + m_e$ 

Note:  $m_i$  doesn't have to be equal to  $m_e$  since  $M_{CV}(t)$ doesn't have to be equal to  $M_{CV}(t+\Delta t)$ 

For a closed system  $M_S(t) = M_S(t+\Delta t)$ , so

$$
M_{CV}(t) + m_i = M_{CV}(t + \Delta t) + m_e
$$

$$
M_{CV}(t+\Delta t) - M_{CV}(t) = m_i - m_e
$$

Divide through by ∆t to get time rate quantities

$$
\frac{M_{CV}(t+\Delta t) - M_{CV}(t)}{\Delta t} = \frac{m_i}{\Delta t} - \frac{m_e}{\Delta t}
$$

Taking limit as  $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$ , closed system and control volume boundaries coincide

$$
\lim_{\Delta t \to 0} \left[ \frac{M_{CV}(t + \Delta t) - M_{CV}(t)}{\Delta t} \right] = \dot{m}_i - \dot{m}_e
$$

Note: *in* is called the **mass flow rate** with units kg/s, subscript *i* is for inlet and *e* is for exits

$$
\frac{dM_{CV}}{dt} = \dot{m}_i - \dot{m}_e
$$

Time rate of change of mass contained within the control volume equals the net mass flow rate *m* into the control volume

For multiple inlets and outlets

$$
\frac{dM_{CV}}{dt} = \sum_{i} \dot{m}_i - \sum_{e} \dot{m}_e
$$

For steady-state  $(dM_{CV}/dt=0)$ 

$$
\sum_i \dot{m}_i = \sum_e \dot{m}_e
$$

#### **Mass flow rate in terms of local properties**

Consider a small quantity of matter flowing with velocity ン<br>アナ  $\overrightarrow{V}$  across an incremental area dA, in a time interval  $\Delta t$ 



 $V_n$  is the normal component of the velocity vector The volume of matter in the cylinder is  $V_n\Delta t dA$ Mass of matter crossing dA in  $\Delta t$  is  $\Delta m = \rho V_n \Delta t dA$ 

### **Conservation of Energy for a Control Volume**

Perform closed system analysis where the system at time t includes the fluid in the CV and inlet region i



At time t, the energy of the system is:

$$
E_{S}(t) = E_{CV}(t) + m_{i}(u_{i} + V_{i}^{2}/2 + gZ_{i})
$$

At time t+ $\Delta t$ , the energy of the system is:

$$
E_{S}(t + \Delta t) = E_{CV}(t + \Delta t) + m_{e}(u_{e} + V_{e}^{2}/2 + gZ_{e})
$$

First law applied to the closed system gives:

$$
E_{S}(t + \Delta t) - E_{S}(t) = Q_{S} - W_{S}
$$
  
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$$
E_{CV}(t + \Delta t) + m_{e}(u_{e} + V_{e}^{2}/2 + gZ_{e})
$$
  
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$$
- [E_{CV}(t) + m_{i}(u_{i} + V_{i}^{2}/2 + gZ_{i})] = Q_{S} - W_{S}
$$
  
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$$
E_{CV}(t + \Delta t) - E_{CV}(t) = Q_{S} - W_{S} + m_{i}(u_{i} + V_{i}^{2}/2 + gZ_{i})
$$
  
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$$
- m_{e}(u_{e} + V_{e}^{2}/2 + gZ_{e})
$$

The change in energy in the CV is equal to the energy transferred to the system by heat and work plus the energy entering into the CV by  $m_i$  less the energy leaving the CV by  $m_e$ 

Divide through by  $\Delta t$ , take limit as  $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$ , closed system and control volume boundaries coincide, note  $\dot{Q}_{s} = \dot{Q}_{CV}$ ,  $\dot{W}_{s} = \dot{W}_{CV}$ 

$$
\frac{dE_{CV}(t)}{dt} = \dot{Q} - \dot{W} + \dot{m}_i (u_i + V_i^2 / 2 + gZ_i) \n- \dot{m}_e (u_e + V_e^2 / 2 + gZ_e)
$$

where  $u_i$ ,  $V_i$ ,  $Z_i$  are evaluated at the inlet *ue, Ve, Ze* are evaluated at the exit

### **Consider the work term**

# Work consists of **shaft type work** and **flow work**



Consider the inlet of cross-sectional area A



Flow work is the energy used to get fluid into CV in time ∆t

$$
\Delta W = F \Delta x = (P_i A_i) \Delta x
$$

Dividing through by  $\Delta t$  and taking limit as  $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$ 

$$
\lim_{\Delta t \to 0} \frac{\Delta W}{\Delta t} = (P_i A_i) \lim_{\Delta t \to 0} \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}
$$

This yield the rate of work done, note  $\dot{m}_i = \rho_i A_i V_i$ 

$$
\dot{W}_i = (P_i A_i) V_i = P_i (A_i V_i) = P_i (\dot{m}_i / \rho_i)
$$

Flow work at the inlet is  $\left[ \vec{W}_i = \dot{m}_i (P_i v_i) \right]$ 

Similarly, flow work at the exit  $\boxed{\dot{W}_e = -\dot{m}_e (P_e v_e)}$ 

Substituting into the energy conservation equation

$$
\frac{dE_{CV}(t)}{dt} = \dot{Q} - \dot{W}_{\text{shaff}} + \dot{m}_i P_i v_i - \dot{m}_e P_e v_e
$$
  
+ 
$$
\dot{m}_i (u_i + V_i^2 / 2 + g Z_i) - \dot{m}_e (u_e + V_e^2 / 2 + g Z_e)
$$

Generalizing for multiple inlets and exits and substituting for  $h = u + pv$ 

$$
\frac{dE_{CV}(t)}{dt} = \dot{Q} - \dot{W}_{shafi} + \sum_{i} \dot{m}_i (h_i + V_i^2 / 2 + gZ_i) - \sum_{e} \dot{m}_e (h_e + V_e^2 / 2 + gZ_e)
$$

Common engineering applications involve one inlet and one exit and the flow is steady,  $dE/dt = 0$ ,  $\dot{m}_i = \dot{m}_e = \dot{m}$ 

$$
\frac{dE}{dt} = \frac{\dot{Q}}{\dot{m}} - \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{shaff}}}{\dot{m}} + (h_i + V_i^2/2 + gZ_i) - (h_e + V_e^2/2 + gZ_e)
$$

 $0 = \dot{q} - \dot{w}_s + (h_i + V_i^2/2 + gZ_i) - (h_e + V_e^2/2 + gZ_e)$ 

where *m W w m*  $\dot{q} = \frac{\dot{Q}}{\dot{Q}}, \,\, \dot{W} = \frac{W_{\textit{shaff}}}{\dot{Q}}$  $\dot{q} = \frac{\dot{Q}}{\dot{m}}$ ,  $\dot{w} = \frac{\dot{W}_{shaft}}{\dot{m}}$  are heat added and shaft work done *per unit mass,* units are J/kg

Note  $\dot{q}$ ,  $\dot{w}$  are *not* rates, i.e., J/s