

# Unit 10 - Week 8

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## Assignment 8

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.  
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

**Due on 2019-09-25, 23:59 IST.**

1) Third-order structure function  $S_3(l) = \langle (\Delta \mathbf{u})_{\parallel}^3 \rangle$  for a three-dimensional homogeneous isotropic turbulent flow is related to the energy dissipation rate  $\epsilon$  and the separation  $l$  as:

$S_3(l) = \frac{2}{3} \epsilon l$

$S_3(l) = -\frac{4}{5} \epsilon^{2/3} l^{2/3}$

$S_3(l) = -\frac{4}{5} \epsilon l$

No relation exists

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $S_3(l) = -\frac{4}{5} \epsilon l$

2) Choose the correct statement.

Homogeneous flows are always isotropic.

Isotropic flows are always homogeneous.

Wall bounded flows (for example channel flow) are homogeneous and isotropic.

Rapidly rotating flows are anisotropic.

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
*Rapidly rotating flows are anisotropic.*

3) An isotropic vector which is a function of  $l$  can be represented as  $[\hat{l}, \hat{x}, \hat{z}]$  are unit vectors in respective directions.]:

$(1/l)\hat{x}$

$(1/l)\hat{z}$

$(1/l)\hat{x} + (1/l)\hat{z}$

$(1/l)\hat{l}$

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $(1/l)\hat{l}$

4) Choose the correct relation.

$\langle |\partial u_1 / \partial x_3| \rangle = \bar{u} / \lambda$

$\langle (\partial u_1 / \partial x_1)^2 \rangle = \bar{u}^2 / \lambda^2$

$\langle (\partial u_1 / \partial x_2)^3 \rangle = \bar{u}^3 / \lambda^3$

None of these

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $\langle (\partial u_1 / \partial x_1)^2 \rangle = \bar{u}^2 / \lambda^2$

5) Which one of following is the correct expression for the energy dissipation rate ( $\epsilon$ ) in terms of Taylor microscale ( $\lambda$ ) for isotropic turbulence?

$\epsilon = 2\nu(\bar{u}^2 / \lambda^2)$

$\epsilon = \bar{u}^3 / \lambda$

$\epsilon = 15\nu(\bar{u}^2 / \lambda^2)$

None of these

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $\epsilon = 15\nu(\bar{u}^2 / \lambda^2)$

6) The three important length scales in turbulent flows are --- Kolmogorov length scale ( $\eta$ ), Taylor microscale ( $\lambda$ ), and integral length scale ( $\ell$ ). Which one of the following condition is true at  $Re \rightarrow \infty$ ?

$\lambda \ll \ell \ll \eta$

$\eta \sim \lambda < \ell$

$\eta \ll \lambda \ll \ell$

Depends on flow conditions

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $\eta \ll \lambda \ll \ell$

7) Consider the following statements for integral length scale ( $\ell$ ). Which one is **incorrect**?

It represents the size of the eddies in the inertial range.

It represents the size of large eddies in a turbulent flow.

$\ell = \int_0^\infty f(l) dl$ , where  $f(l)$  is the longitudinal velocity correlation function.

None of these

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
*It represents the size of the eddies in the inertial range.*

8) The equations needed to derive the third-order structure function  $S_3(l) = -\frac{4}{5} \epsilon l$  for a turbulent flow are:

Momentum equation and  $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0$  (incompressibility condition)

Only momentum equation

Only  $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0$  (incompressibility condition)

It does not require any equations

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
*Momentum equation and  $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0$  (incompressibility condition)*

9) An isotropic second-order tensor ( $T_{ij}$ ), which is a function of  $\mathbf{r}$  (vector), can be represented as:

$T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}) = B(\mathbf{r})\delta_{ij}$

$T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}) = A(\mathbf{r})(r_i r_j / r^2)$

$T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}) = A(\mathbf{r})(r_i r_j / r^2) + B(\mathbf{r})$

$T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}) = A(\mathbf{r})(r_i r_j / r^2) + B(\mathbf{r})\delta_{ij}$

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $T_{ij}(\mathbf{r}) = A(\mathbf{r})(r_i r_j / r^2) + B(\mathbf{r})\delta_{ij}$

10) For a fully-developed 3D homogeneous isotropic turbulent flow,  $q^{th}$ -order structure function is customarily modelled as  $S_q(l) \sim \langle \langle \epsilon \rangle l \rangle^{q/\zeta_q}$ . Among all the available models, which expression for  $\zeta_q$  fits best with the experimental and numerical data?

$\zeta_q = (q/3) - (0.2/18)q(q-1)$

$\zeta_q = (q/9) + 2(1 - (2/3)^{q/3})$

$\zeta_q = 3q/5$

No such model exists

**No, the answer is incorrect.**  
**Score: 0**

**Accepted Answers:**  
 $\zeta_q = (q/9) + 2(1 - (2/3)^{q/3})$