



# **Lift and Circulation Formulas**

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# List of 16 Lift and Circulation Formulas

## Lift and Circulation 🕑

## 1) Angle of Attack for Circulation developed on Airfoil

$$f_{\mathbf{X}} \alpha = a \sin\left(\frac{\Gamma}{\pi \cdot \mathbf{U} \cdot \mathbf{C}}\right)$$

$$e_{\mathbf{X}} \left( 6.506912^{\circ} = a \sin\left(\frac{62m^2/s}{\pi \cdot 81m/s \cdot 2.15m}\right) \right)$$

$$e_{\mathbf{X}} \left( 6.506912^{\circ} = a \sin\left(\frac{C_{\mathrm{L} \ airfoil}}{2 \cdot \pi}\right) \right)$$

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$$f_{\mathbf{X}} \left( \mathbf{C} = \frac{\Gamma}{\pi \cdot \mathbf{U} \cdot \sin(\alpha)} \right)$$

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ex 
$$2.152276 \mathrm{m} = rac{62 \mathrm{m}^2 \mathrm{/s}}{\pi \cdot 81 \mathrm{m/s} \cdot \mathrm{sin}(6.5\degree)}$$

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#### 9) Lift Coefficient for Rotating Cylinder with Circulation

fx 
$$C' = \frac{\Gamma_c}{R \cdot V_{\infty}}$$
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ex 
$$12.55814 = \frac{1}{0.9 \text{m} \cdot 21.5 \text{m/s}}$$

### 10) Lift Coefficient for Rotating Cylinder with Tangential Speed 🕑

fx 
$$C' = \frac{2 \cdot \pi \cdot v_t}{V_{\infty}}$$
  
ex  $12.56637 = \frac{2 \cdot \pi \cdot 43m/s}{21.5m/s}$ 

#### 11) Lift Force for Body moving in Fluid 🕑

fx 
$$\left( \mathrm{F_{L}'} 
ight) = rac{\mathrm{C_{L}} \cdot \mathrm{A_{p}} \cdot \mathrm{M_{w}} \cdot \left( \mathrm{v}^2 
ight)}{\mathrm{V_{w}} \cdot 2}$$

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ex 
$$1098.693 \text{N} = rac{0.94 \cdot 1.88 \text{m}^2 \cdot 3.4 \text{kg} \cdot \left( \left( 32 \text{m/s} \right)^2 
ight)}{2.8 \text{m}^3 \cdot 2}$$

#### 12) Lift Force for body moving in Fluid of Certain Density

$$\label{eq:FL} \begin{aligned} & \text{Open Calculator C} \\ \text{fx} \ F_L &= C_L \cdot A_p \cdot \rho \cdot \frac{v^2}{2} \\ \\ \text{ex} \ 1094.816N &= 0.94 \cdot 1.88m^2 \cdot 1.21 \text{kg/m}^3 \cdot \frac{(32 \text{m/s})^2}{2} \\ \\ & \text{ if } \end{aligned}$$

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fx 
$$\mathbf{F}_{\mathrm{L}} = 
ho \cdot \mathbf{I} \cdot \mathbf{\Gamma}_{\mathrm{c}} \cdot \mathbf{V}_{\infty}$$

ex 53733.98N = 1.21kg/m<sup>3</sup>  $\cdot 8.5$ m  $\cdot 243$ m<sup>2</sup>/s  $\cdot 21.5$ m/s

# 14) Radius of Cylinder for Lift Coefficient in Rotating Cylinder with Circulation



$$\mathbf{fx} \mathbf{U} = \frac{\Gamma}{\pi \cdot \mathbf{C} \cdot \sin(\alpha)}$$
ex 81.08576m/s =  $\frac{62m^2/s}{\pi \cdot 2.15m \cdot \sin(6.5^\circ)}$ 





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## Variables Used

- A<sub>p</sub> Projected Area of Body (Square Meter)
- C Chord Length of Airfoil (Meter)
- CL airfoil Lift Coefficient for Airfoil
- CL Lift Coefficient for Body in Fluid
- C' Lift Coefficient for Rotating Cylinder
- **F**<sub>L</sub> Lift Force on Rotating Cylinder (*Newton*)
- FL' Lift Force on Body in Fluid (Newton)
- Length of Cylinder in Fluid Flow (Meter)
- **M**<sub>w</sub> Mass of Flowing Fluid (*Kilogram*)
- **R** Radius of Rotating Cylinder (*Meter*)
- U Velocity of Airfoil (Meter per Second)
- V Velocity of Body or Fluid (Meter per Second)
- $V_{\infty}$  Freestream Velocity of Fluid (Meter per Second)
- V<sub>t</sub> Tangential Velocity of Cylinder in Fluid (Meter per Second)
- **V**<sub>w</sub> Volume of Flowing Fluid (*Cubic Meter*)
- α Angle of Attack on Airfoil (Degree)
- **C**irculation on Airfoil (Square Meter per Second)
- **F**<sub>c</sub> Circulation Around Cylinder (Square Meter per Second)
- **θ** Angle at Stagnation Point (*Degree*)
- ρ Density of Fluid Circulating (Kilogram per Cubic Meter)



## **Constants, Functions, Measurements used**

- Constant: pi, 3.14159265358979323846264338327950288 Archimedes' constant
- Function: **asin**, asin(Number) The inverse sine function, is a trigonometric function that takes a ratio of two sides of a right triangle and outputs the angle opposite the side with the given ratio.
- Function: **sin**, sin(Angle) Sine is a trigonometric function that describes the ratio of the length of the opposite side of a right triangle to the length of the hypotenuse.
- Measurement: Length in Meter (m) Length Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Weight in Kilogram (kg) Weight Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Volume in Cubic Meter (m<sup>3</sup>) Volume Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Area in Square Meter (m<sup>2</sup>) Area Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Speed in Meter per Second (m/s) Speed Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Force in Newton (N) Force Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Angle in Degree (°) Angle Unit Conversion
- Measurement: Density in Kilogram per Cubic Meter (kg/m<sup>3</sup>) Density Unit Conversion



• Measurement: Momentum Diffusivity in Square Meter per Second (m<sup>2</sup>/s) Momentum Diffusivity Unit Conversion



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