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# List of 20 Hypersonic Flow Parameters Formulas

## Hypersonic Flow Parameters

### 1) Axial Force Coefficient

$$\text{fx } \mu = \frac{F}{q \cdot A}$$

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$$\text{ex } 0.00502 = \frac{2.51\text{N}}{10\text{Pa} \cdot 50\text{m}^2}$$

### 2) Coefficient of Drag

$$\text{fx } C_D = \frac{F_D}{q \cdot A}$$

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$$\text{ex } 0.16 = \frac{80\text{N}}{10\text{Pa} \cdot 50\text{m}^2}$$



### 3) Coefficient of Pressure with Similarity Parameters

fx

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$$C_p = 2 \cdot \theta^2 \cdot \left( \frac{Y + 1}{4} + \sqrt{\left( \frac{Y + 1}{4} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{K^2}} \right)$$

ex

$$0.82588 = 2 \cdot (0.53\text{rad})^2 \cdot \left( \frac{1.6 + 1}{4} + \sqrt{\left( \frac{1.6 + 1}{4} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{(2\text{rad})^2}} \right)$$

### 4) Deflection Angle

fx

Open Calculator 

$$\theta_d = \frac{2}{Y - 1} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{M_1} - \frac{1}{M_2} \right)$$

ex

$$-4.444444\text{rad} = \frac{2}{1.6 - 1} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{1.5} - \frac{1}{0.5} \right)$$

### 5) Drag Force

fx

Open Calculator 

$$F_D = C_D \cdot q \cdot A$$

ex

$$80\text{N} = 0.16 \cdot 10\text{Pa} \cdot 50\text{m}^2$$



## 6) Dynamic Pressure

$$fx \quad q = \frac{F_D}{C_D \cdot A}$$

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$$ex \quad 10Pa = \frac{80N}{0.16 \cdot 50m^2}$$

## 7) Dynamic Pressure given Coefficient of Lift

$$fx \quad q = \frac{F_L}{C_L \cdot A}$$

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$$ex \quad 10Pa = \frac{10.5N}{0.021 \cdot 50m^2}$$

## 8) Fourier's Law of Heat Conduction

$$fx \quad q' = k \cdot \Delta T$$

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$$ex \quad 407.2W/m^2 = 10.18W/(m \cdot K) \cdot 40K/m$$

## 9) Hypersonic Similarity Parameter

$$fx \quad K = M \cdot \theta$$

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$$ex \quad 2.0034rad = 3.78 \cdot 0.53rad$$



10) Lift Coefficient 

$$fx \quad C_L = \frac{F_L}{q \cdot A}$$

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$$ex \quad 0.021 = \frac{10.5N}{10Pa \cdot 50m^2}$$

11) Lift Force 

$$fx \quad F_L = C_L \cdot q \cdot A$$

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$$ex \quad 10.5N = 0.021 \cdot 10Pa \cdot 50m^2$$

12) Mach Number with Fluids 

$$fx \quad M = \frac{u_f}{\sqrt{Y \cdot R \cdot T_f}}$$

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$$ex \quad 3.7789 = \frac{256m/s}{\sqrt{1.6 \cdot 8.314 \cdot 345K}}$$

13) Mach Ratio at High Mach Number 

$$fx \quad Ma = 1 - K \cdot \left( \frac{Y - 1}{2} \right)$$

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$$ex \quad 0.4 = 1 - 2rad \cdot \left( \frac{1.6 - 1}{2} \right)$$



14) Moment Coefficient 

$$fx \quad C_m = \frac{M_t}{q \cdot A \cdot L_c}$$

Open Calculator 


$$ex \quad 0.031053 = \frac{59N \cdot m}{10Pa \cdot 50m^2 \cdot 3.8m}$$

15) Newtonian Sine Squared Law for Pressure Coefficient 

$$fx \quad C_p = 2 \cdot \sin(\theta_d)^2$$

Open Calculator 


$$ex \quad 1.859815 = 2 \cdot \sin(-4.444444rad)^2$$

16) Normal Force Coefficient 

$$fx \quad \mu = \frac{F_n}{q \cdot A}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 0.005 = \frac{2.5N}{10Pa \cdot 50m^2}$$

17) Pressure Ratio for High Mach Number 

$$fx \quad r_p = \left( \frac{M_1}{M_2} \right)^{2 \cdot \frac{\gamma}{\gamma-1}}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 350.4666 = \left( \frac{1.5}{0.5} \right)^{2 \cdot \frac{1.6}{1.6-1}}$$



18) Pressure Ratio having High Mach Number with Similarity Constant 

$$\text{fx } r_p = \left( 1 - \left( \frac{Y - 1}{2} \right) \cdot K \right)^{2 \cdot \frac{Y}{Y-1}}$$

Open Calculator 


$$\text{ex } 0.007545 = \left( 1 - \left( \frac{1.6 - 1}{2} \right) \cdot 2\text{rad} \right)^{2 \cdot \frac{1.6}{1.6-1}}$$

19) Shear-Stress Distribution 

$$\text{fx } \tau = \eta \cdot V_g$$

Open Calculator 

$$\text{ex } 0.02\text{Pa} = 0.001\text{Pa}\cdot\text{s} \cdot 20\text{m/s}$$

20) Supersonic Expression for Pressure Coefficient on Surface with Local Deflection Angle 

$$\text{fx } C_p = \frac{2 \cdot \theta}{\sqrt{M^2 - 1}}$$

Open Calculator 

$$\text{ex } 0.290783 = \frac{2 \cdot 0.53\text{rad}}{\sqrt{(3.78)^2 - 1}}$$



## Variables Used

- **A** Area For Flow (*Square Meter*)
- **C<sub>D</sub>** Drag Coefficient
- **C<sub>L</sub>** Lift Coefficient
- **C<sub>m</sub>** Moment Coefficient
- **C<sub>p</sub>** Pressure Coefficient
- **F** Force (*Newton*)
- **F<sub>D</sub>** Drag Force (*Newton*)
- **F<sub>L</sub>** Lift Force (*Newton*)
- **F<sub>n</sub>** Normal Force (*Newton*)
- **k** Thermal Conductivity (*Watt per Meter per K*)
- **K** Hypersonic Similarity Parameter (*Radian*)
- **L<sub>c</sub>** Chord Length (*Meter*)
- **M** Mach Number
- **M<sub>1</sub>** Mach Number ahead of Shock
- **M<sub>2</sub>** Mach Number Behind Shock
- **M<sub>t</sub>** Moment (*Newton Meter*)
- **Ma** Mach Ratio
- **q** Dynamic Pressure (*Pascal*)
- **q'** Heat Flux (*Watt per Square Meter*)
- **R** Universal Gas Constant
- **r<sub>p</sub>** Pressure Ratio
- **T<sub>f</sub>** Final Temperature (*Kelvin*)


















- $u_f$  Fluid Velocity (Meter per Second)
- $V_g$  Velocity Gradient (Meter per Second)
- $\gamma$  Specific Heat Ratio
- $\Delta T$  Temperature Gradient (Kelvin Per Meter)
- $\eta$  Viscosity Coefficient (Pascal Second)
- $\theta$  Flow Deflection angle (Radian)
- $\theta_d$  Deflection Angle (Radian)
- $\mu$  Coefficient of Force
- $\tau$  Shear Stress (Pascal)



## Constants, Functions, Measurements used













- **Function: sin**,  $\sin(\text{Angle})$   
*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.*
- **Function: sqrt**,  $\text{sqrt}(\text{Number})$   
*A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.*
- **Measurement: Length** in Meter (m)  
*Length Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Temperature** in Kelvin (K)  
*Temperature Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Area** in Square Meter ( $\text{m}^2$ )  
*Area Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Pressure** in Pascal (Pa)  
*Pressure Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Speed** in Meter per Second (m/s)  
*Speed Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Energy** in Newton Meter ( $\text{N}\cdot\text{m}$ )  
*Energy Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Force** in Newton (N)  
*Force Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Angle** in Radian (rad)  
*Angle Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Thermal Conductivity** in Watt per Meter per K ( $\text{W}/(\text{m}\cdot\text{K})$ )  
*Thermal Conductivity Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Heat Flux Density** in Watt per Square Meter ( $\text{W}/\text{m}^2$ )  
*Heat Flux Density Unit Conversion* 



- **Measurement: Dynamic Viscosity** in Pascal Second (Pa\*s)  
*Dynamic Viscosity Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Temperature Gradient** in Kelvin Per Meter (K/m)  
*Temperature Gradient Unit Conversion* 
- **Measurement: Stress** in Pascal (Pa)  
*Stress Unit Conversion* 



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