

K41 理论

Big whorls, little whorls - 2024 年 4 月 15 日

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湍流唯象学

Big whorls, little whorls

Big whorls have little whorls

Which feed on their velocity,

And little whorls have lesser whorls

And so on to viscosity.



图 1 Studies of water (RCIN 912661).

湍流尺度

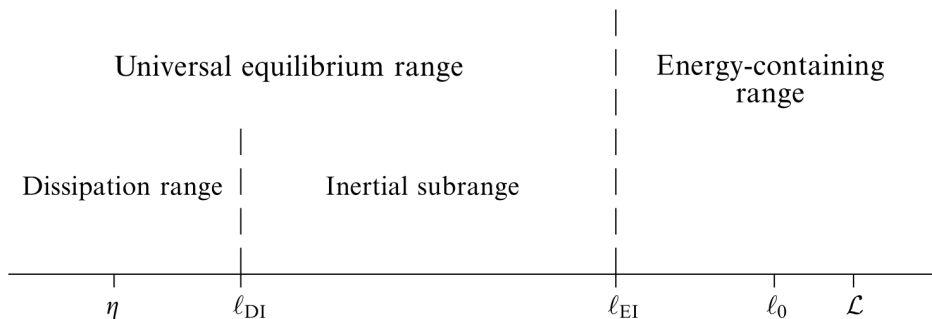


图 2 湍流涡体尺度分布^[1].

- \mathcal{L} : 高雷诺数充分发展湍流的特征长度
- l_0 : 最大尺度涡的特征长度($l_0 \sim \mathcal{L}$)
- η : 最小尺度涡的特征长度(Kolmogorov 尺度)

能量串级

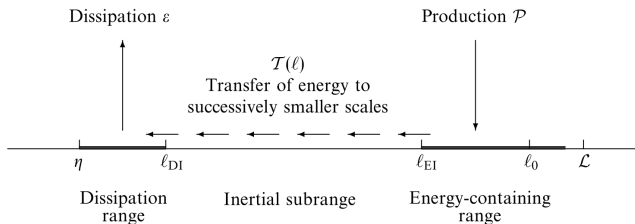
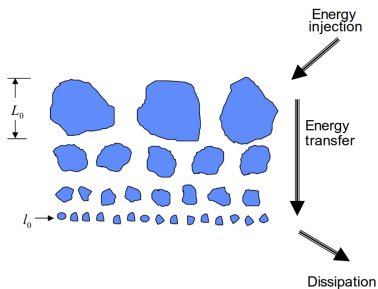


图 3 高雷诺数情况下的（正向）能量串级示意图^[1].



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The local structure of turbulence in incompressible viscous fluid for very large Reynolds numbers†

BY A. N. KOLMOGOROV

图 5 K41a^[2].

Dissipation of energy in the locally isotropic turbulence†

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图 6 K41c^[3].

流速结构函数的 2/3 律

实验结果表明，二阶流速结构函数满足 2/3 律:

$$S_2(r) = \langle [u_1(x+r) - u_1(x)]^2 \rangle \sim r^{\frac{2}{3}}. \quad (1)$$

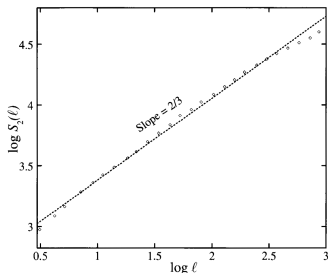


图 7 双对数坐标下二阶流速结构函数^[4].

- p_{th} order velocity structure function:

$$S_p(r) = \langle [(\vec{u}(\vec{x} + r\vec{l}^0) - \vec{u}(\vec{x})) \cdot \vec{l}^0]^p \rangle. \quad (2)$$

K41a: Universal similarity hypotheses

Hypothesis 1: first similarity.

In every turbulent flow at sufficiently high Reynolds number, the statistics of the small-scale motions ($\ell < \ell_{EI}$) have a **universal form** that is **uniquely determined by ν and $\bar{\epsilon}$** . (Kolmogorov, 1941a)

由 H1 并结合量纲分析得到 Kolmogorov 尺度: $\eta = \left(\frac{\nu^3}{\bar{\epsilon}}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$.

Hypothesis 2: second similarity.

In every turbulent flow at sufficiently high Reynolds number, the statistics of the motions of scale ℓ in the range $\ell_0 \gg \ell \gg \eta$ have a **universal form** that is **uniquely determined by $\bar{\epsilon}$** , independent of ν .

由 H2 并结合量纲分析得到二阶流速结构函数的 2/3 律:

$$S_2(r) = C\bar{\epsilon}^{\frac{2}{3}}r^{\frac{2}{3}}. \quad (3)$$

K41a 困境: the lack of universality

- 公式 3 中的常数 C 不是一个普适的常数, 在不同湍流工况中不一致。

朗道的质疑^[5,6]: *The result of the averaging therefore cannot be universal.*

考虑 N 次独立的湍流测量结果, 得到总体平均(ensemble average)的二阶流速结构函数 $S_2(r)$ 和湍动能耗散率 $\bar{\varepsilon}$ 为:

$$\begin{cases} S_2(r) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i S_2^i(r) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i C \varepsilon_i^{\frac{2}{3}} r^{\frac{2}{3}}, \\ \bar{\varepsilon} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \varepsilon_i. \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

公式 3 成立意味着

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_i \varepsilon_i^{\frac{2}{3}} = \left(\frac{1}{N} \sum_i \varepsilon_i \right)^{\frac{2}{3}}. \quad \text{等式不成立} \quad (5)$$

K41c: 三阶流速结构函数的 4/5 律

Kolmogorov^[3] 通过 Karman-Howarth-Monin 公式^[7] 从理论上推导了:

$$S_3(r) = \langle [u_1(x+r) - u_1(x)]^3 \rangle = \frac{4}{5} \bar{\varepsilon} r. \quad (6)$$

Kolmogorov 假设流速差 $\Delta u_1(r) = u_1(x+r) - u_1(x)$ 的概率分布偏度 (skewness) S 为常数:

$$S = \frac{S_3(r)}{S_2(r)^{\frac{3}{2}}} = \text{const.} \quad (7)$$

因此从理论上阐释了二阶流速结构函数的 2/3 律:

$$S_2(r) = \left(-\frac{4}{5S} \right)^{\frac{2}{3}} (\bar{\varepsilon} r)^{\frac{2}{3}} \sim r^{\frac{2}{3}}. \quad (8)$$

he assumes that the skewness is ‘constant’ (independent of scale) rather than ‘universal’ (independent of the flow).^[4]

K41 理论的推论

Corollary 1: 湍流惯性区功率谱密度-5/3 律.

$$E(k) \sim \varepsilon^{\frac{2}{3}} k^{-\frac{5}{3}}. \quad (9)$$

二阶流速结构函数 $S_2(r)$ 可表示为相关函数 $R_{11}(r) = \langle u_1(x+r)u_1(x) \rangle$ 的形式:

$$S_2(r) = 2R_{11}(0) - R_{11}(r) - R_{11}(-r) = 2R_{11}(0) - 2R_{11}(r). \quad (10)$$

由于相关函数 $R_{11}(r)$ 与功率谱密度 $E(k)$ 为一对 Fourier 变换对 (维纳-辛钦定理), 因此功率谱密度可表示为二阶流速结构函数的 Fourier 变换形式:

$$S_2(r) = 2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (1 - e^{ik \cdot r}) E(k) dk. \quad (11)$$

由公式 11, 从二阶流速结构函数的 2/3 律导出功率谱密度的-5/3 律.

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