

Discharge coefficient (Cd) is an indistinct idea, but it's very important in fluid mechanic field. The apparatus includes whole elaborate instruction parts. Students can establish a clear concept about Pressure profile, Velocity distribution, Cd, Pressure loss, and Power efficiency of different orifices and nozzles with their own eyes.

# Long Win's Educational Facilities for Thermal & Flow

LW-9357 Orifice & Nozzle's Cd Measurement Apparatus

### **Experimental items**

Providing a standard air flow as a velocity source

> Correlation of pressure profile and velocity distribution

Calculation of standard flow rate and discharge coefficient (Cd)

> Relationship of CA and CV

Reasons of pressure loss and power efficiency



### Example

Cd

Discharge

coefficient

Power

efficiency

4 orifices are all 17 mm in diameter but different in thickness, and expansion direction. While the flow condition is completely the same at the upstream and  $Re > 10^5$ ,

1. Order each back pressure PA, PB, PC, PD from low to high.

 $\underline{2}$ . PA / PB = (PA > PB or PB > PA)

<u>4.</u> PB / PD ≒

3. Pc/Pb = (Pc > Pb or Pb > Pc)

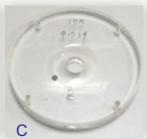
<u>5.</u> Pc / Pa ≒



A
2 mm in thickness,
no expansion



20 mm in thickness, no expansion



20 mm in thickness, toward expansion

0.608

61%



20 mm in thickness, toward contraction

0.948

95%

Testing condition	$ \begin{array}{c}                                     $	$ \begin{array}{c c} \stackrel{20}{\rightleftharpoons} \\ \hline P_B \end{array} $		$ \begin{array}{c c}  & 20 \\  & \\  & \\  & \\  & \\  & \\  & \\  & \\  $		
Pressure profiles with 7 cm away from orifices			************			
Flow rate	Q = 0.48 CMM (Nozzle=34 mm, P <sub>56</sub> =5 mmAq)					
Px mmAq	238	105	208	86		

The first purpose of LW-9357 for learners is to use ideal gas equation and fluid motion equation, to measure and calculate air flow rate as a fundamental tool for air motion research.

0.858

86%

Several factors influence discharge coefficient (Cd), such as inlet's size, shape, thickness, roughness and arrangement condition. In fact, Cd shows efficiency, and is a key point for designs to save energy.

The apparatus takes mass conservation as the comparison conditions.

0.571

57%

In this experiment, students can observe the change due to energy consumption, verify the reason of energy loss when Reynold's number is different, and understand fluid motion behavior clearly.

Other curved expansion or blocked models are available for further expansibility.

Conclusion: For fixed inlet dimension, the functional correlation between discharge coefficient (Cd) and Reynold's number (Re).

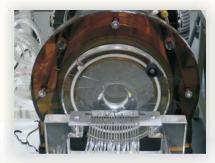
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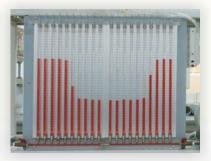




Standard flow rate generator and a set of exchangeable nozzles meeting AMCA 210-99 Standard. By cooperating with digit display meters of parameters, the system can provide a flow rate criterion in fluid mechanics laboratory.







Install different types of orifices and nozzles at the downstream of flow rate generator.

While a velocity source acts on test samples, a row of pressure holes and liquid manometer show pressure profile and velocity distribution for each specific sample and condition.

## **Specifications**

	According to		AMCA 210-99 Standard, Figure 15.		
Flow rate generator	Flow rate range		2.31 ~ 85.9 CFM (0.065~2.41 CMM)		
	Accuracy		3%		
	Common chamber		150 mm in inner diameter		
	Measuring parameters	a. Dry-bulb temperature (Td)		d. Atmospheric pressure (Pb)	
		b. Wet-bulb temperature (Tw)		e. Chamber static pressure (Ps)	
		c. Chamber temperature (Tc)		f. Differential pressure of nozzle (P56)	
Digit differential pressure meter	Accuracy of pressure transducer		0.25%		
	Range		0~127 mmAq		
20-column liquid manometer	Effective height		500 mm		
	With a water level adjusting mechanism				
Pressure holes	Intervals between each hole		3.4 mm		
	Effective spans		61.2 mm		
	Effective displacement along flow		100 mm		
Overall size	With an operation table,		1.2 (L) × 0.7 (D) × 1.6 (H) m		
Power source	AC220V, 5 Amp, 50/60 Hz, single phase.				

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