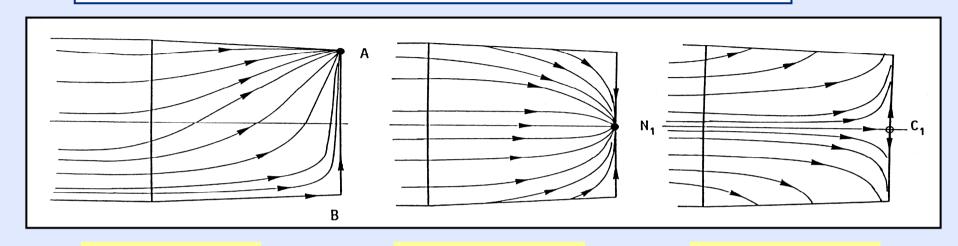


## **Afterbody flows**

- 1. Non-propelled afterbody
- 2. Propelled afterbody without base
- 3. Propelled afterbody with base
- 4. Rectangular section afterbody
- 5. Two-nozzle afterbody
- 6. Flow past an automobile

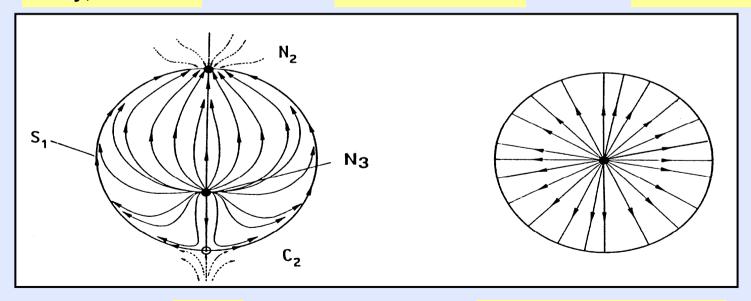
# Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Skin friction line pattern



Body, side view

Seen from above

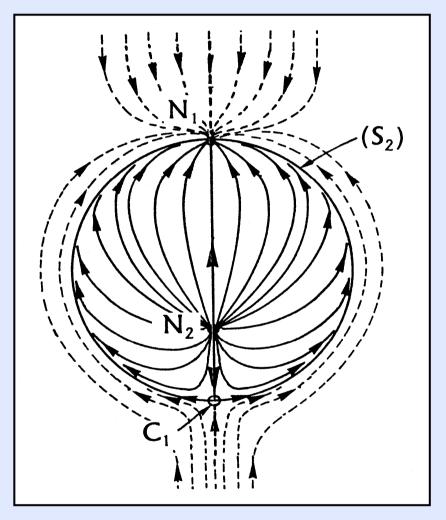
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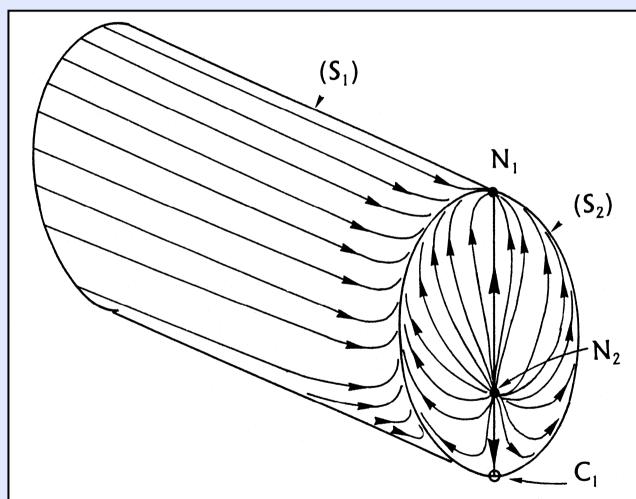


**Base** 

Base at zero incidence

# Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Skin friction line pattern

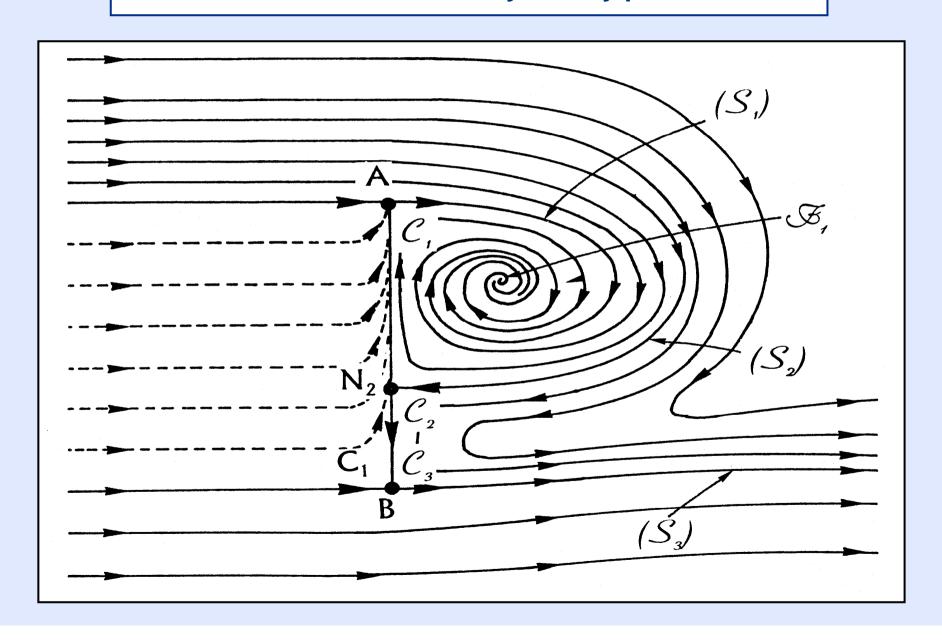




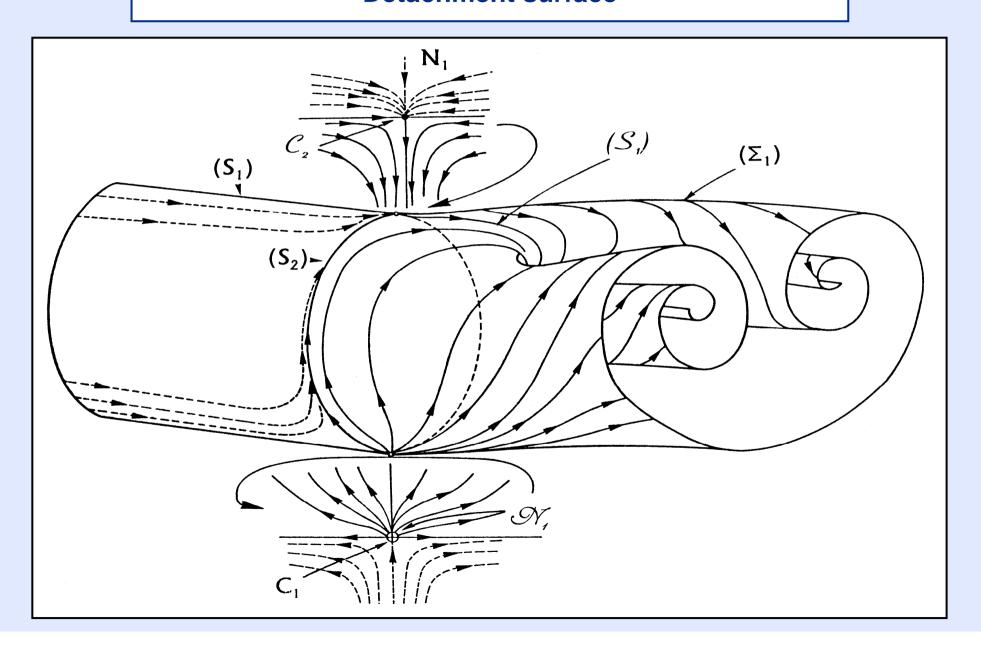
On the base

On the afterbody

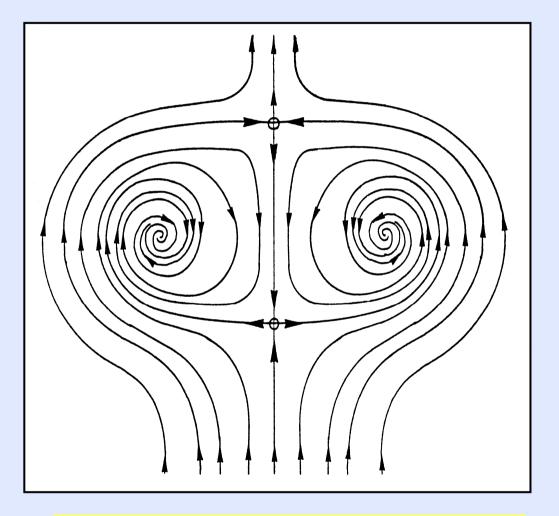
# Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Flow in the vertical symmetry plane

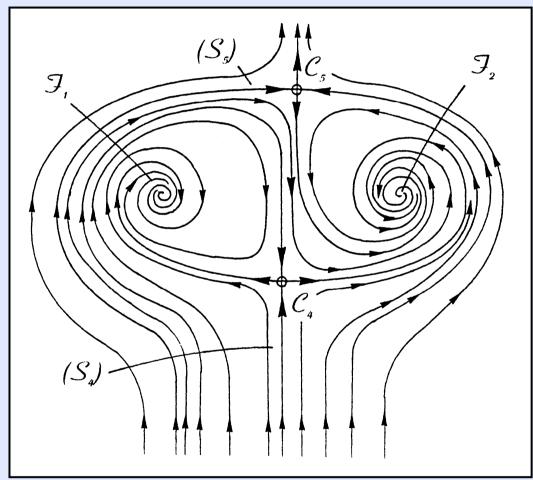


### Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Detachment surface



## Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Flow projected in a vertical downstream plane

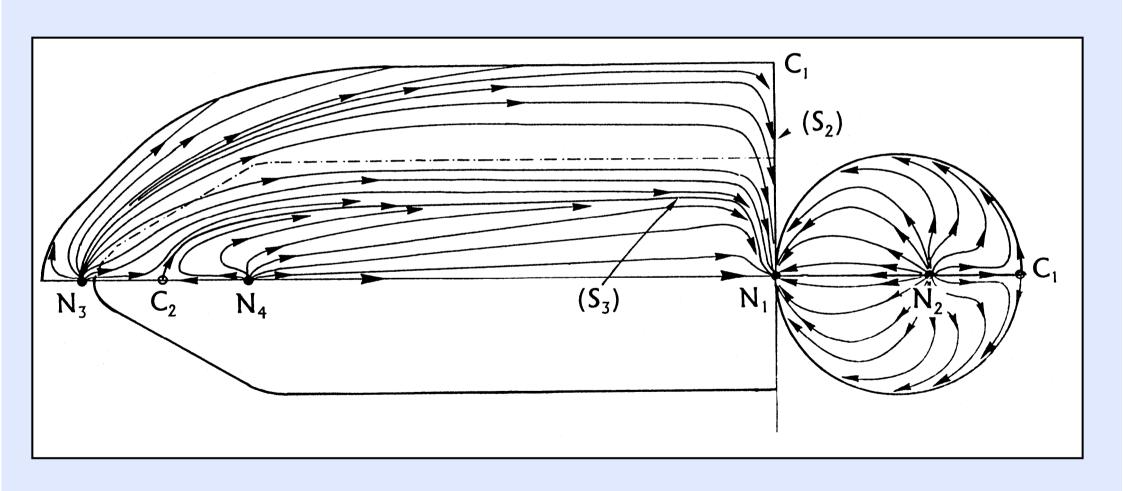




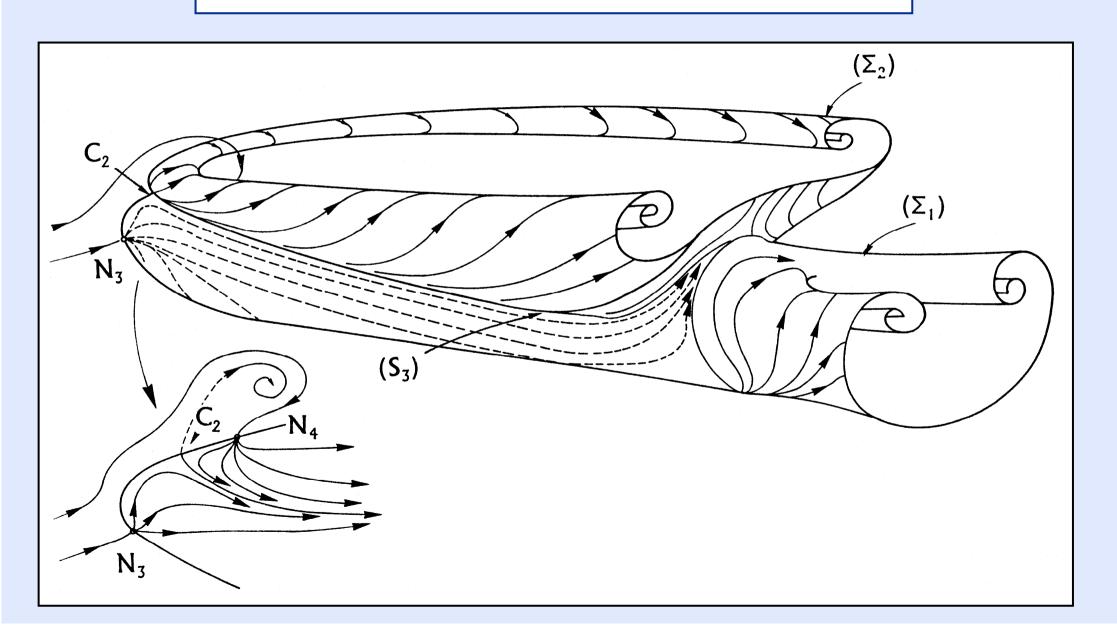
Improbable symmetric organisation

More probable asymmetric organisation

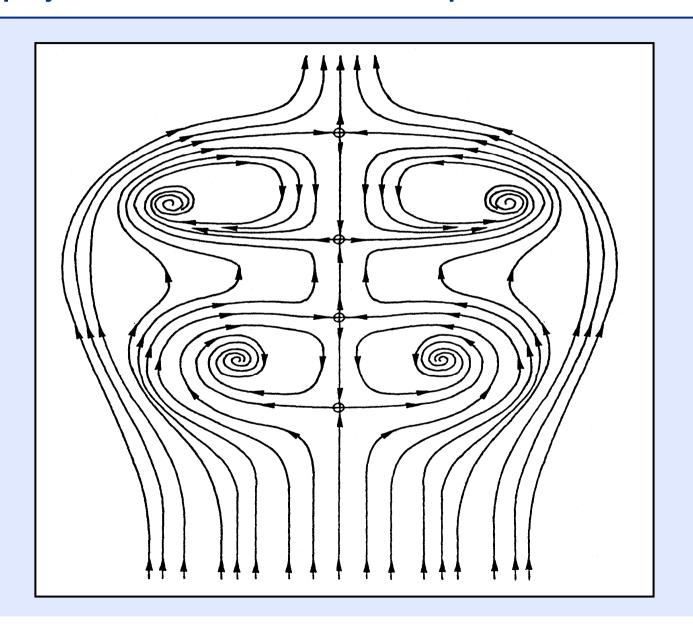
### Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Skin friction line pattern (upstream part developed)



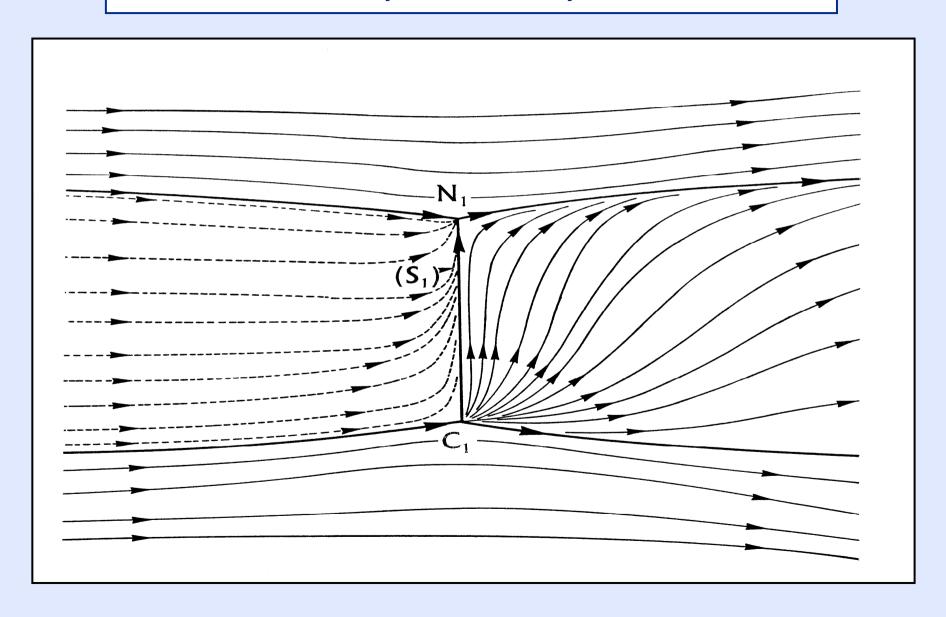
## Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Main detachment surfaces



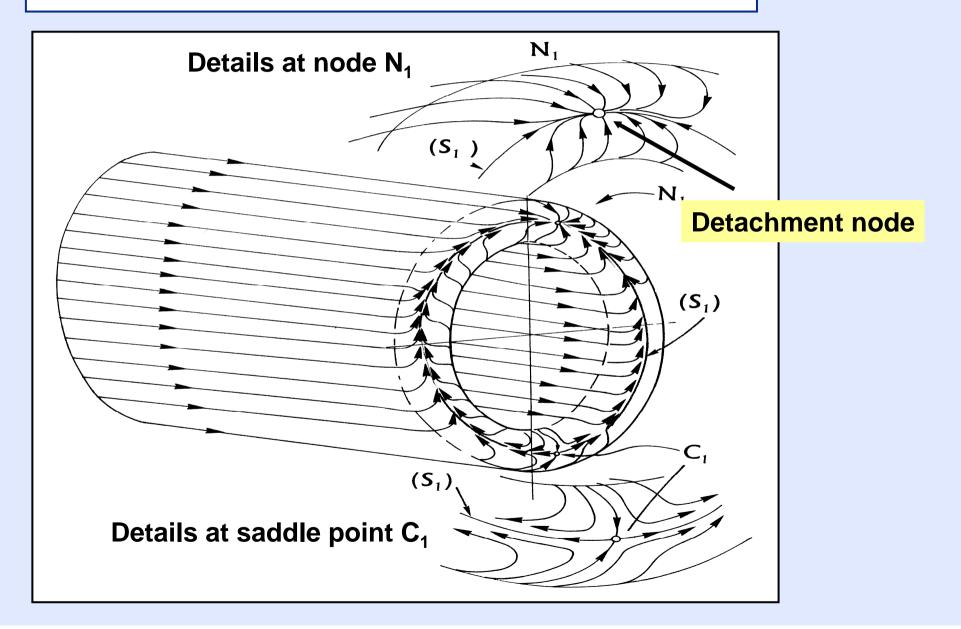
# Non-propelled axisymmetric afterbody at incidence Flow projected in a vertical downstream plane or wake structure



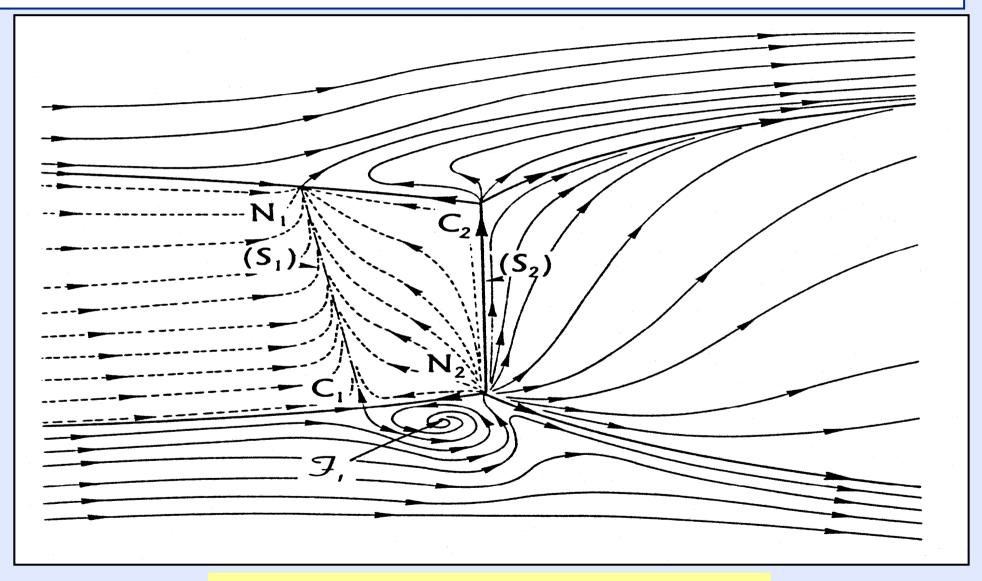
### Propelled afterbody without base at incidence Skin friction line pattern and separation surface



# Propelled afterbody without base at incidence Skin friction line pattern at nozzle exit

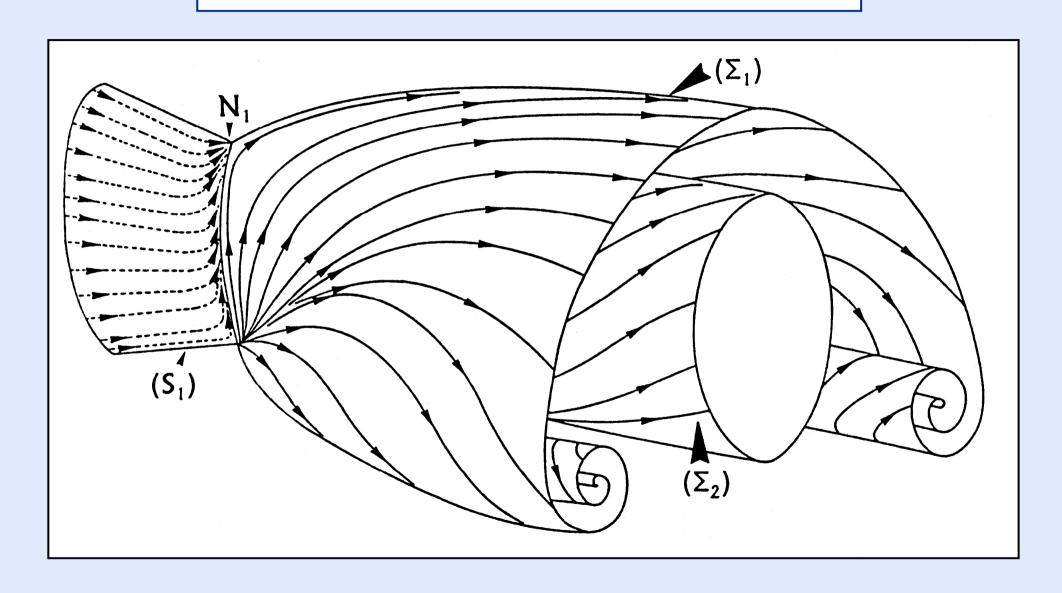


# Propelled afterbody without base at incidence with jet pluming Skin friction line pattern on the fuselage and jet surface

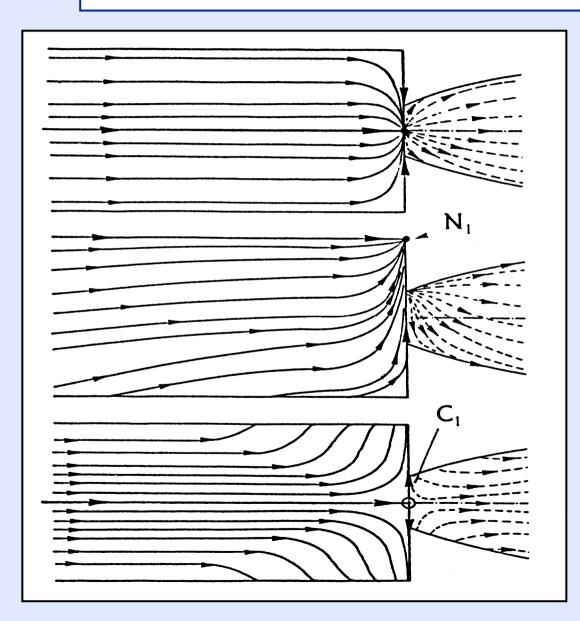


Symmetry plane and jet separation surface

## Propelled afterbody without base and jet pluming Main detachment surfaces



### Propelled afterbody with base at incidence Skin friction line pattern on the fuselage

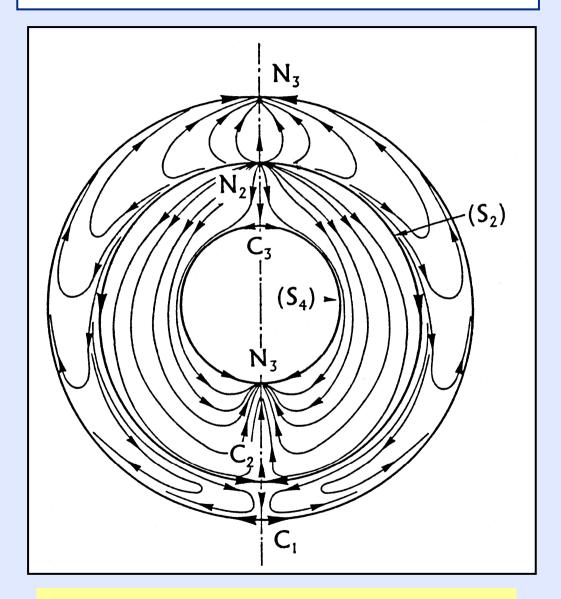


Seen from above Leeside

Side view

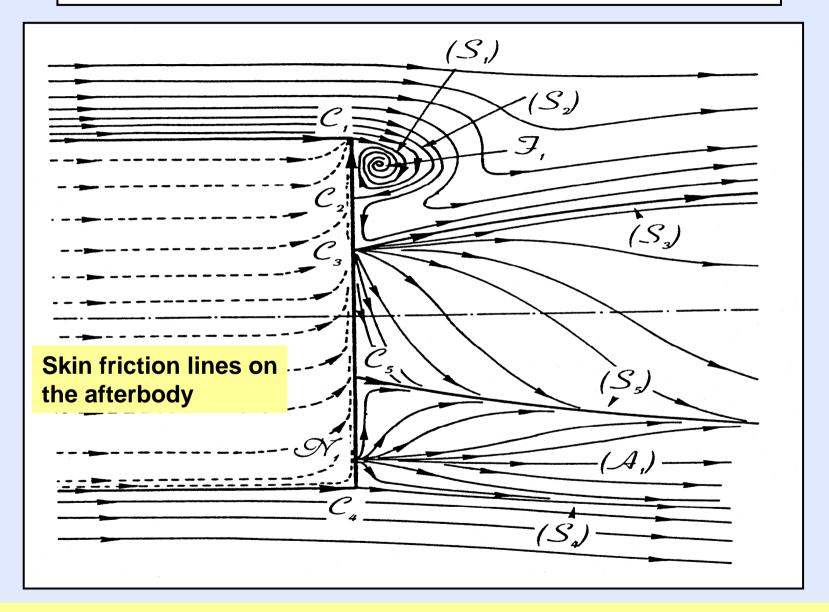
Seen from below Windward side

## Propelled afterbody with a base



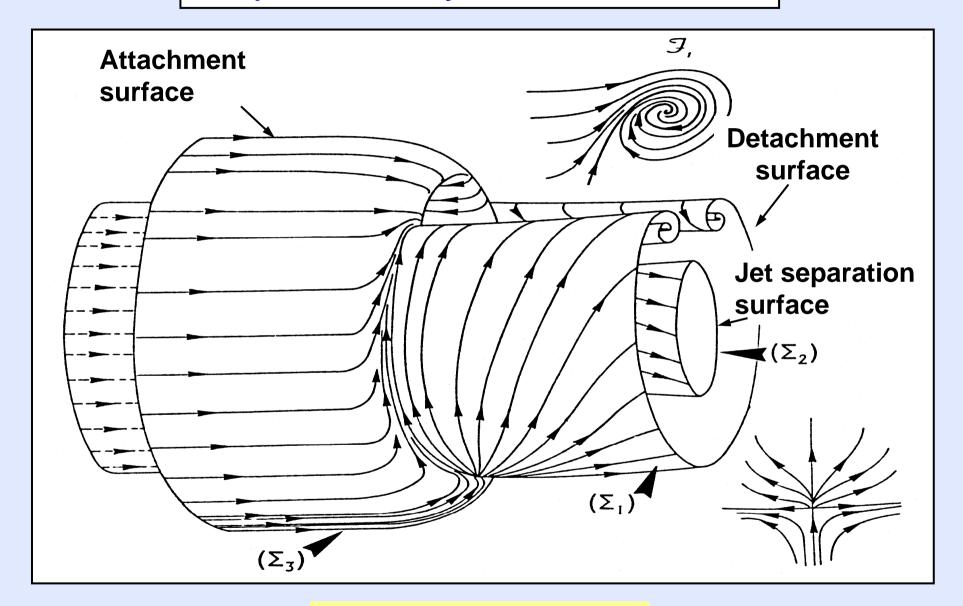
**Skin friction line pattern on the base** 

#### Propelled afterbody with base at incidence



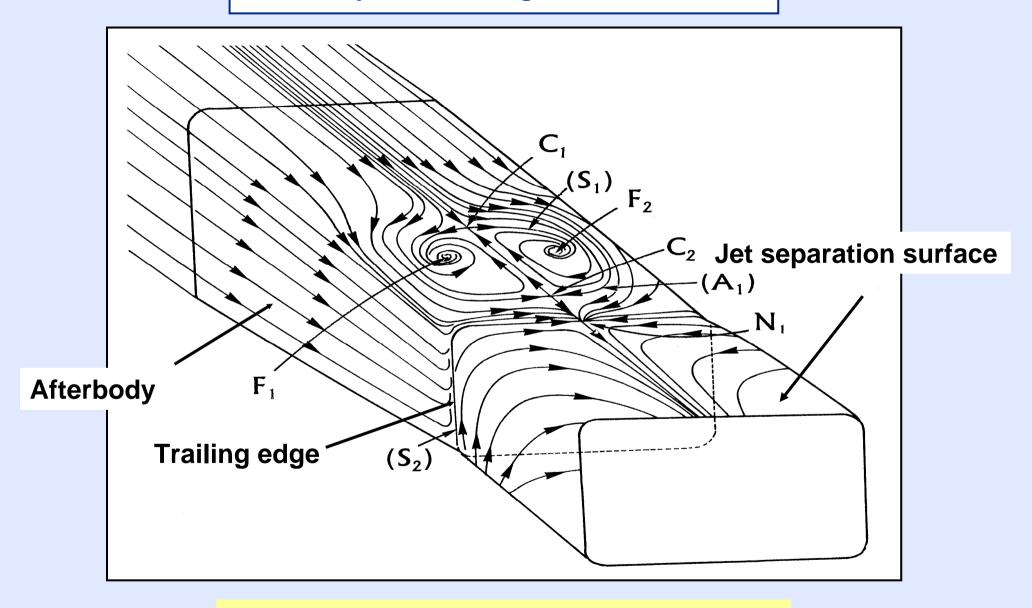
Streamlines in the symmetry plane and on the jet separation surface

### Propelled afterbody with base at incidence



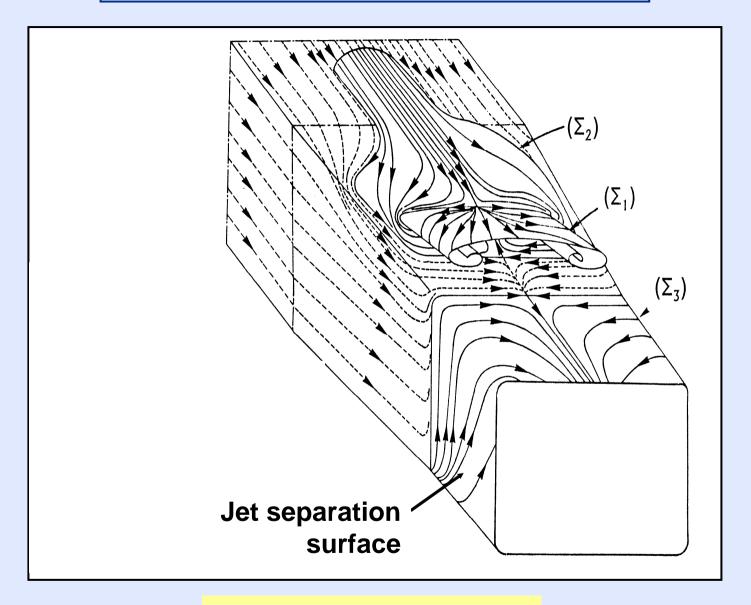
**Main separation surfaces** 

#### Afterbody with rectangular cross section



Skin friction line pattern on the suction side

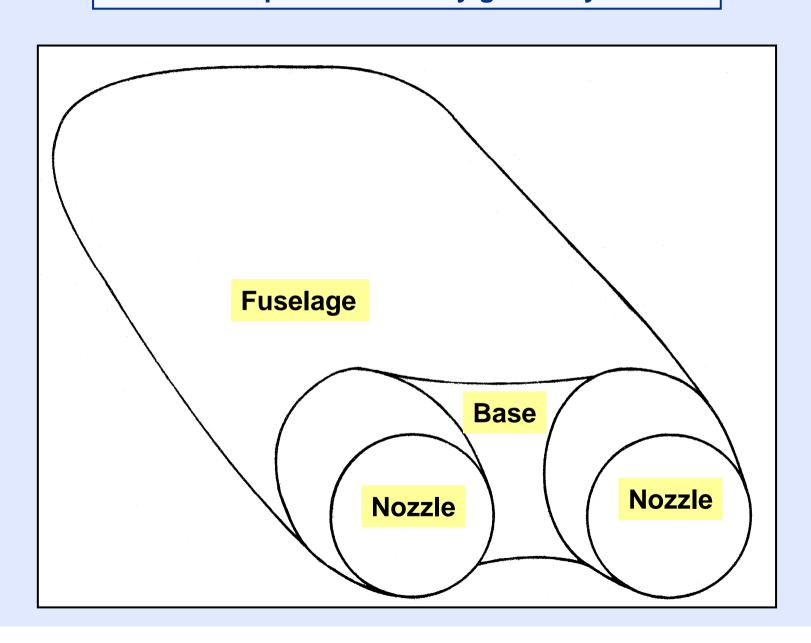
## Afterbody with rectangular cross section

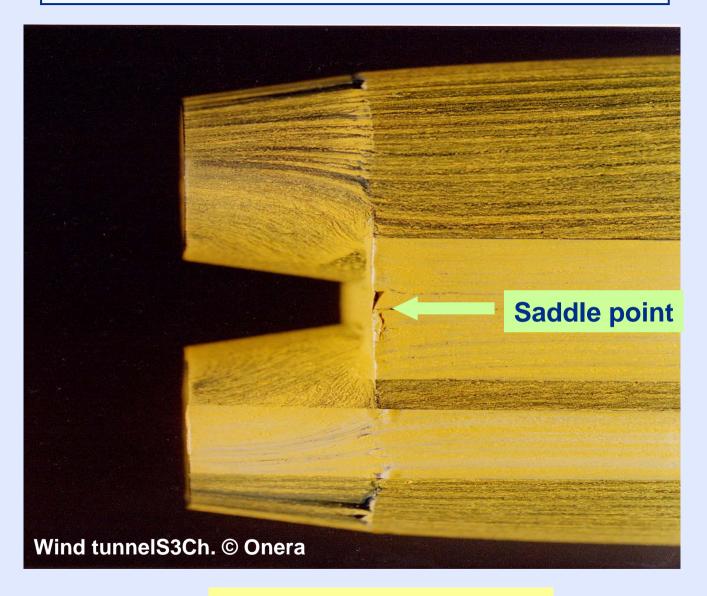


**Main separation surfaces** 

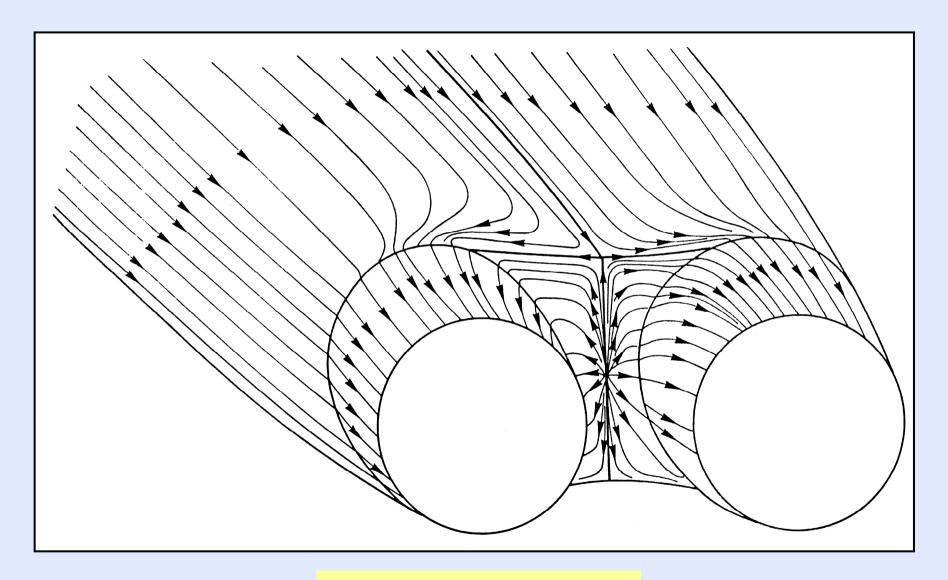


# Afterbody of a twin-nozzle fighter aircraft Simplified afterbody geometry



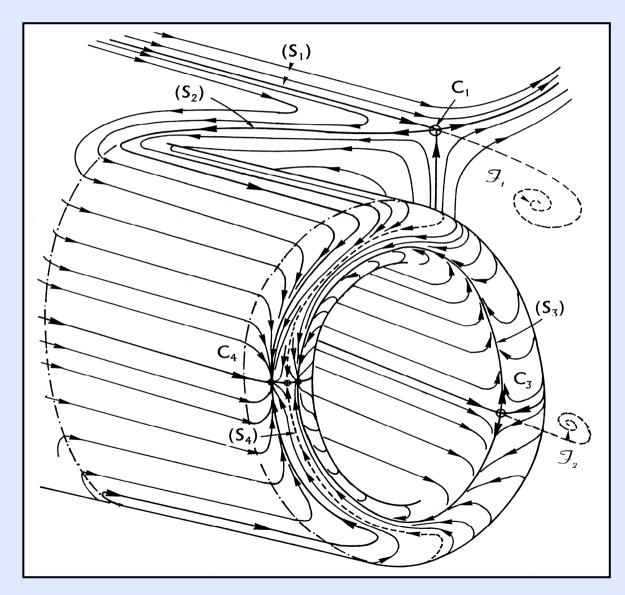


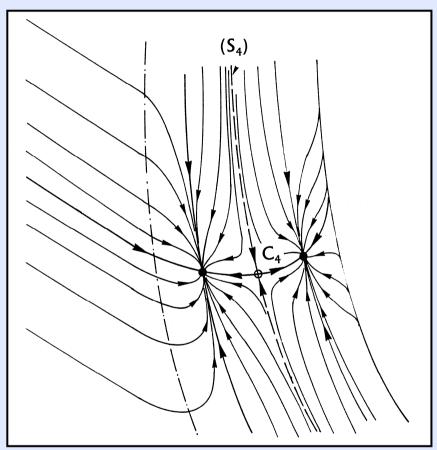
**Surface flow visualization** 



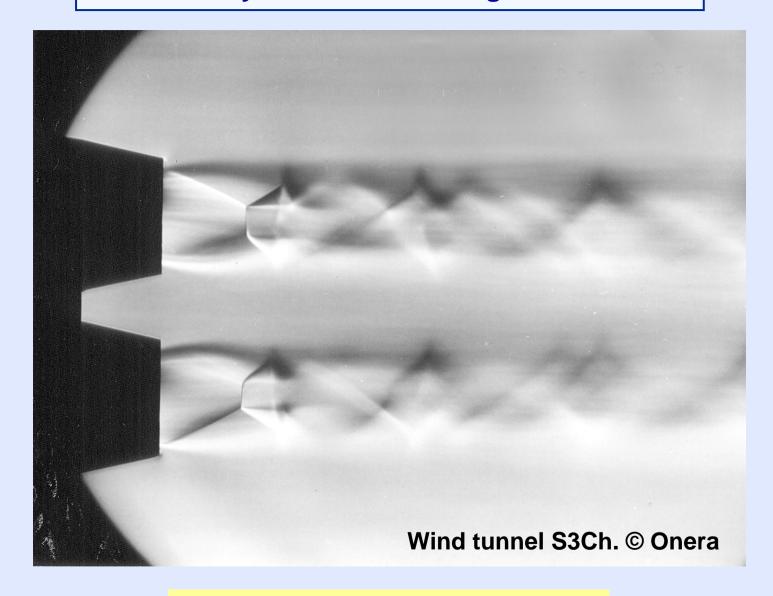
**Skin friction line pattern** 

# Afterbody of a twin-nozzle fighter aircraft Skin friction line pattern. Details at the nozzle lip



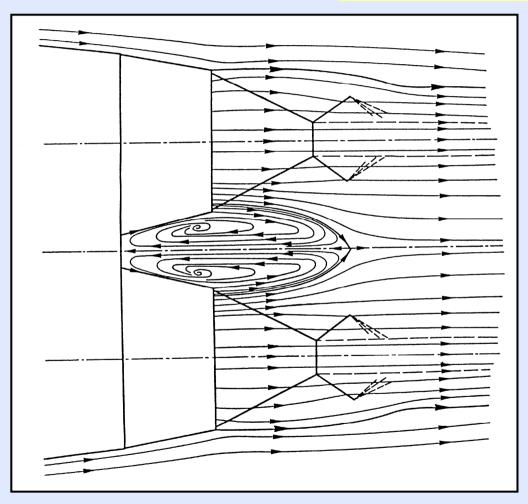


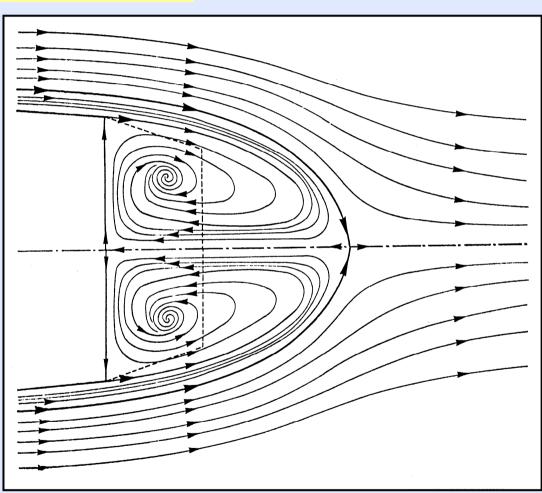
Details in the vicinity of saddle point C<sub>4</sub>



Schlieren visualisation of the jets

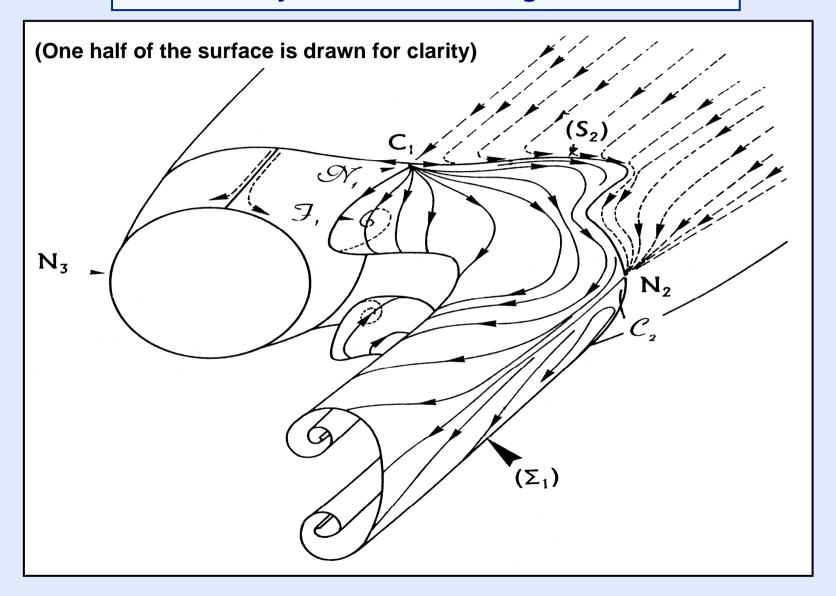
### Flow in the symmetry planes



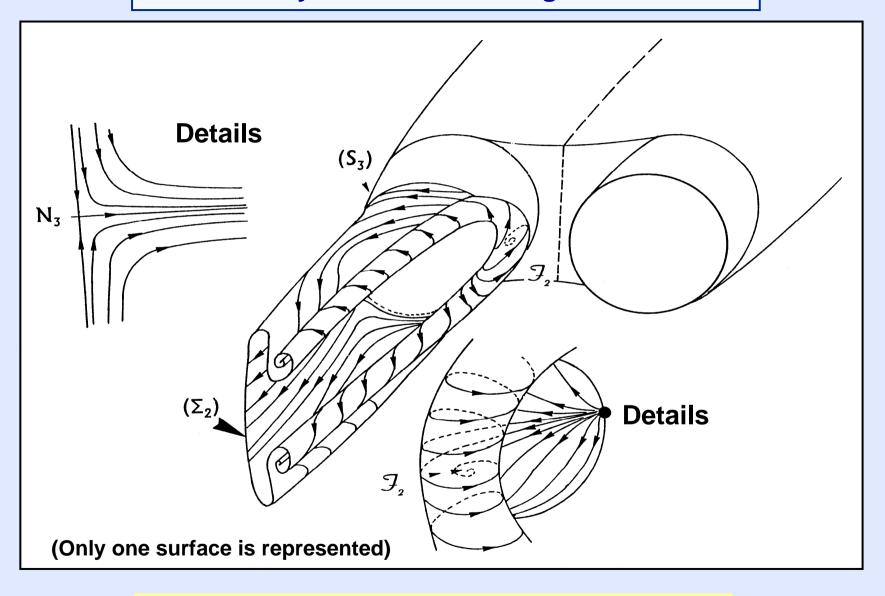


Plane containing the nozzle axes

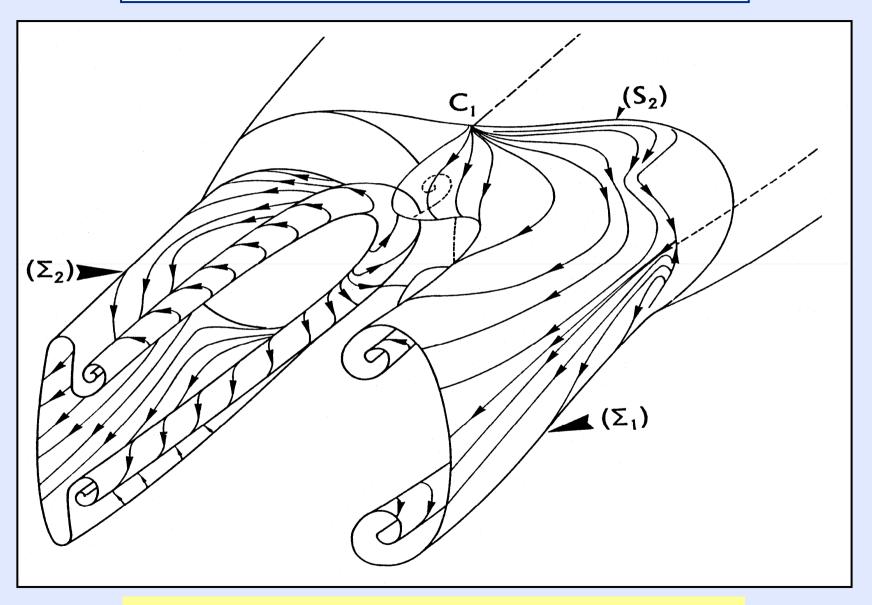
Perpendicular plane



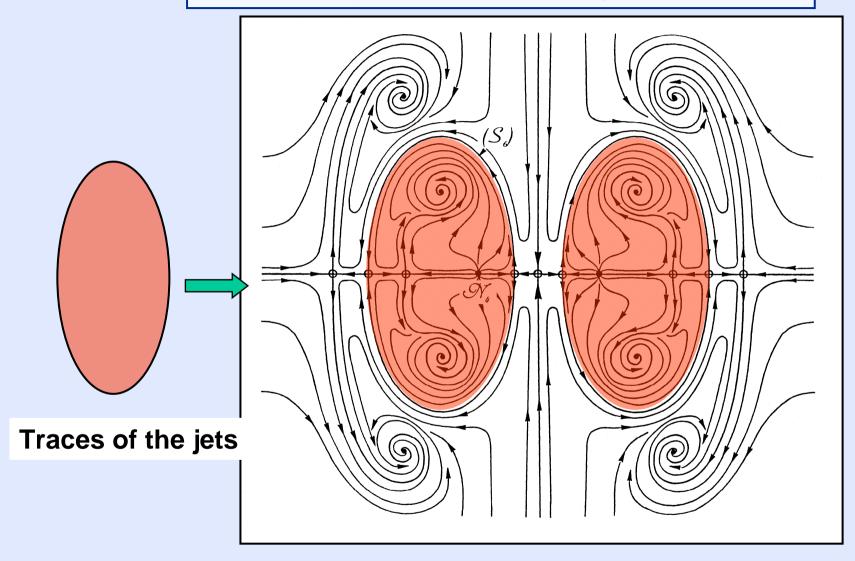
**Detachment surface attached to the afterbody extremity** 



Detachment surface attached to the nozzle lip

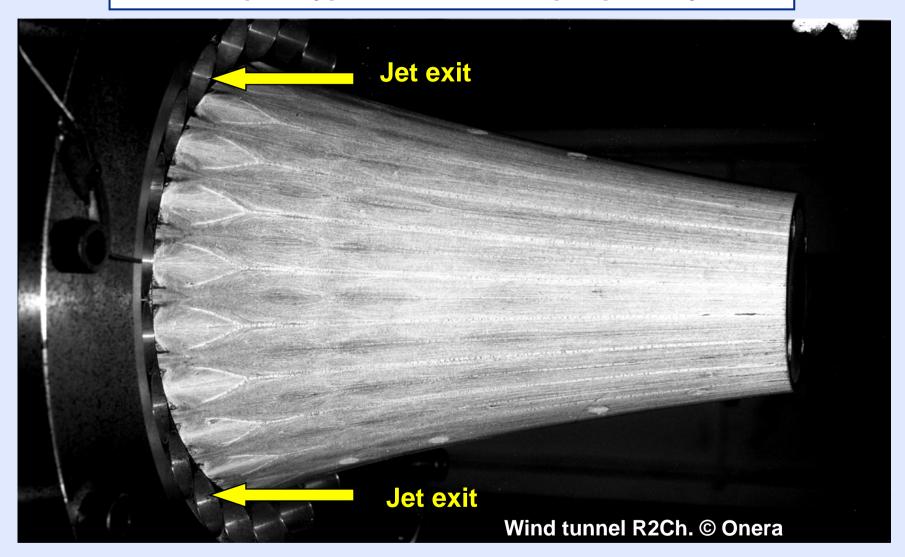


Representation of the main separation surfaces



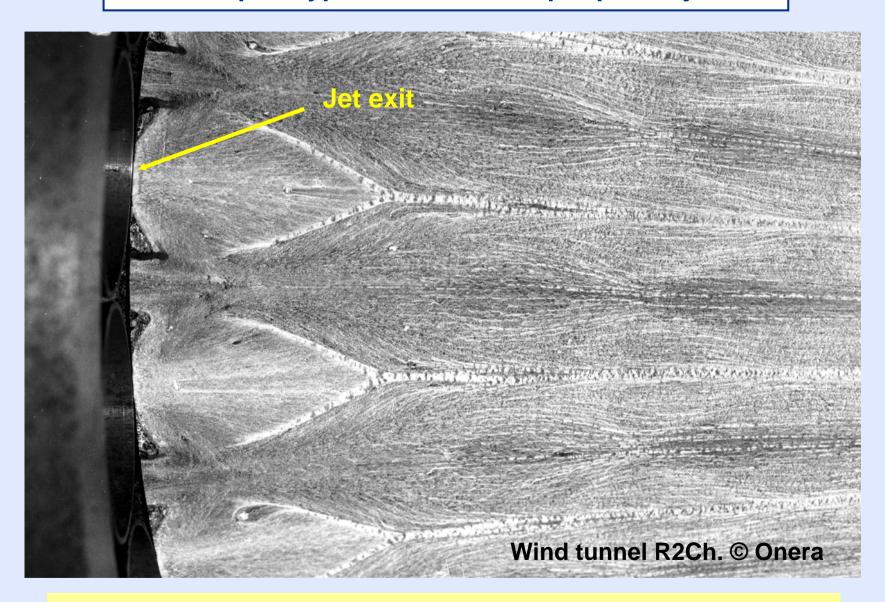
Flow projected in a normal downstream plane

## Aerospike type nozzle with 24 peripheral jets



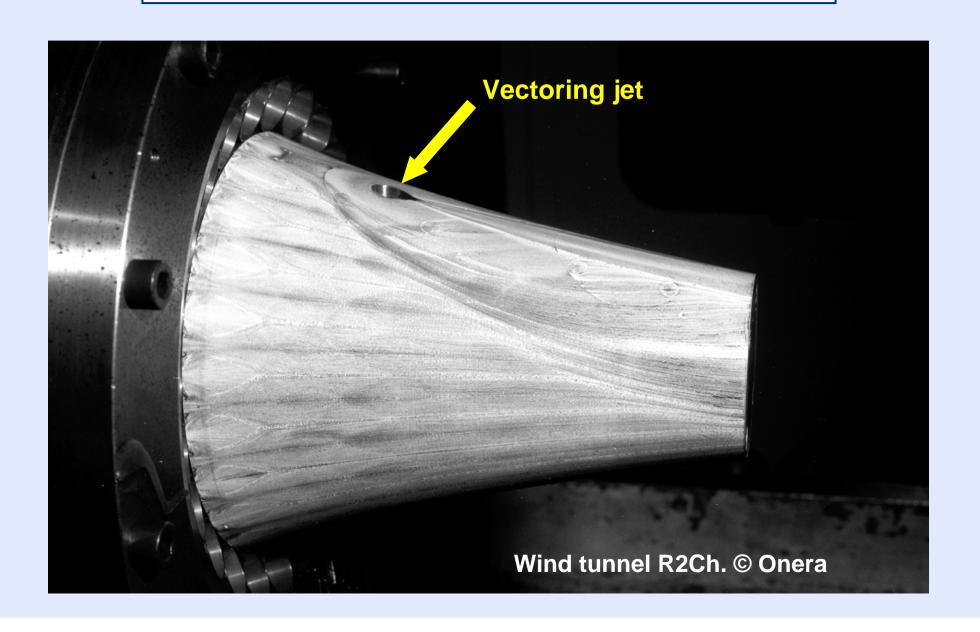
**Surface flow visualisation** 

### Aerospike type nozzle with 24 peripheral jets



Surface flow visualisation. Close up of the jet exit region

## Aerospike type nozzle with vectoring lateral jet Surface flow visualisation

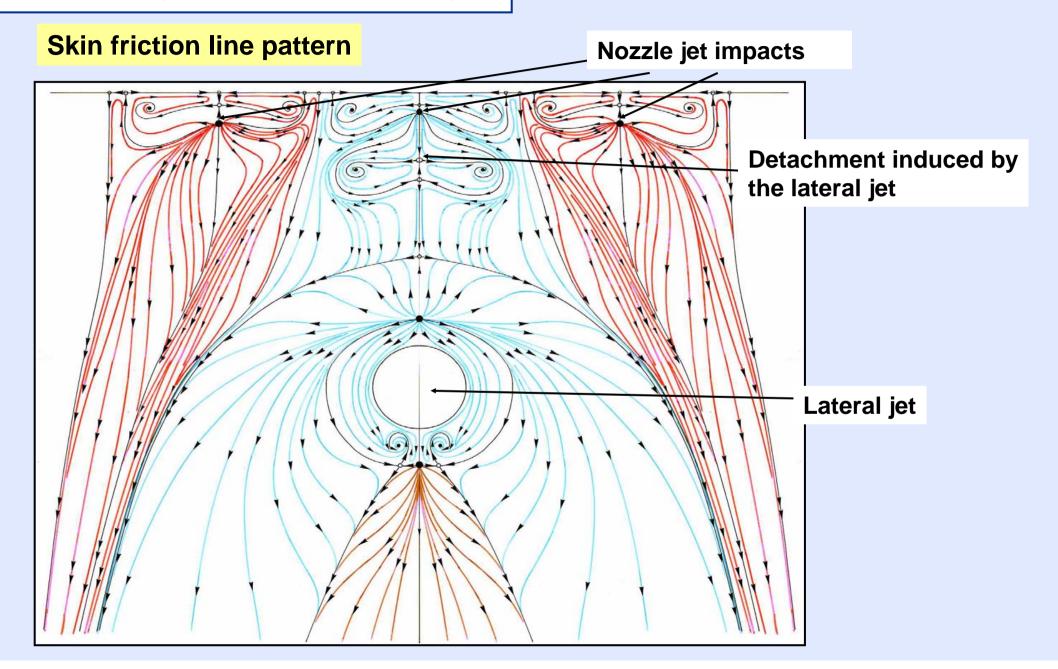


### Aerospike type nozzle with vectoring lateral jet

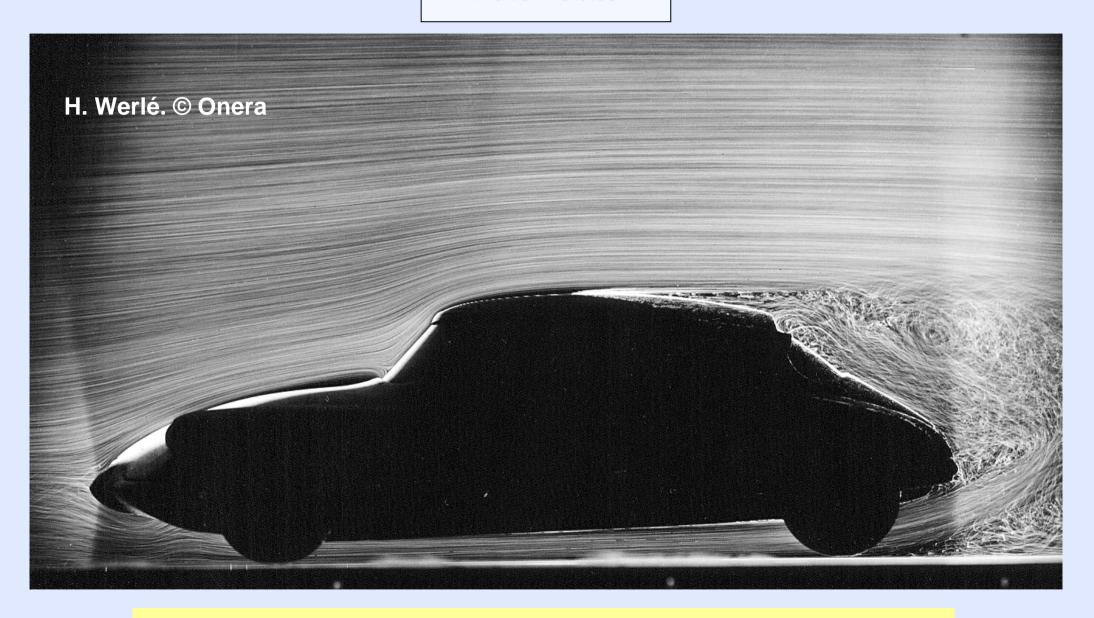


Surface flow visualisation. Lateral jet exit region

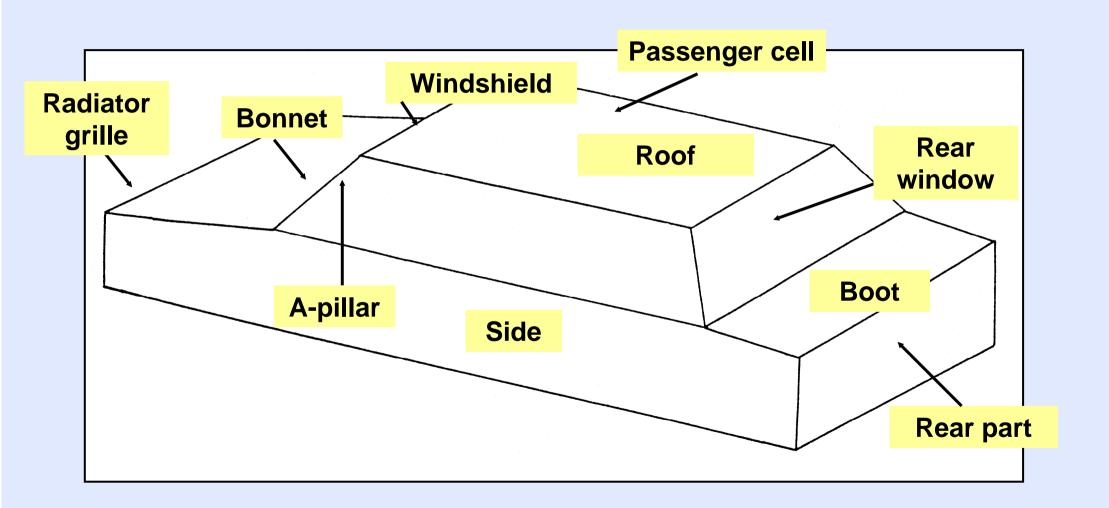
### Aerospike type nozzle with lateral jet



#### **Automobile**



Water tunnel visualisation of the flow past the Citroën DS21 car

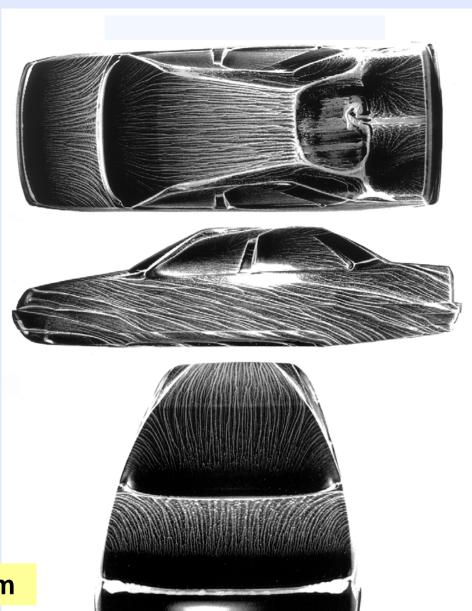


Seen from above

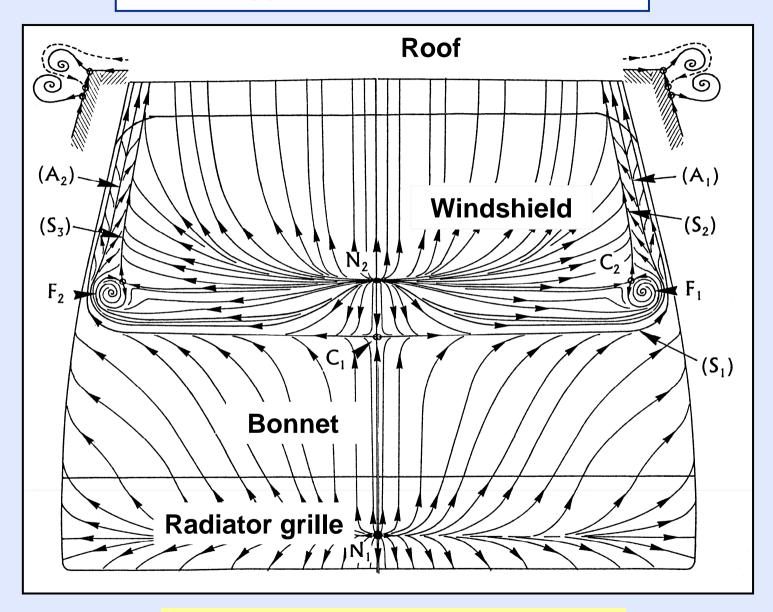
Side view

**Front view** 

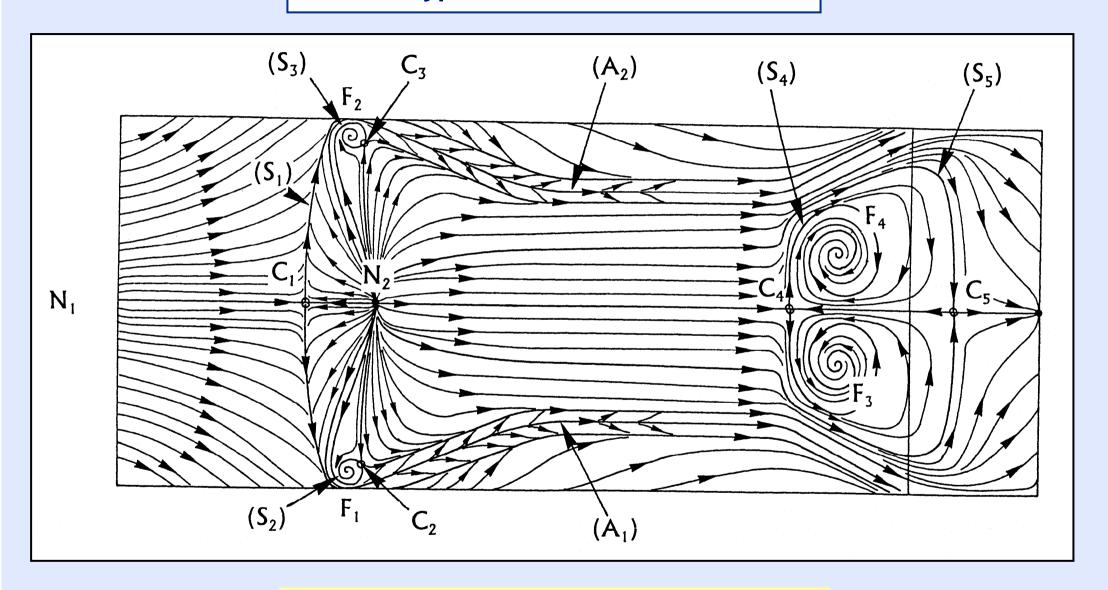
Surface flow visualizations with viscous film



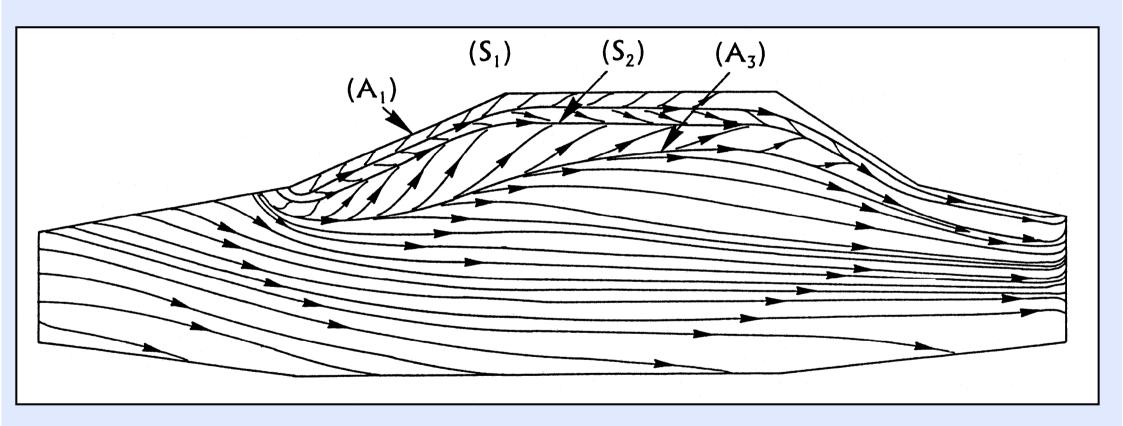
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**Skin friction line pattern. Front part** 



Skin friction line pattern. View from above

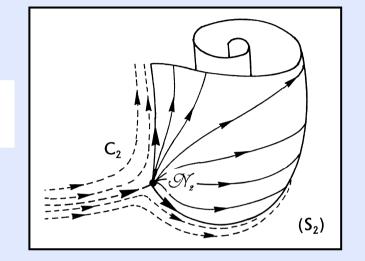


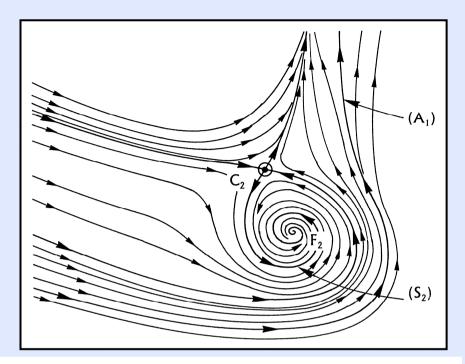
Skin friction line pattern. Side view

#### Sedan type automobile

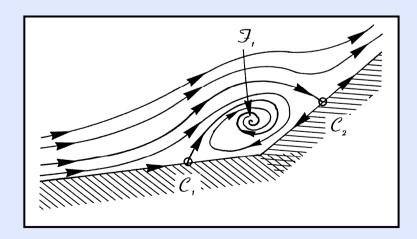
# Formation of windshield and A-pillar vortices

Start of the A-pillar vortex

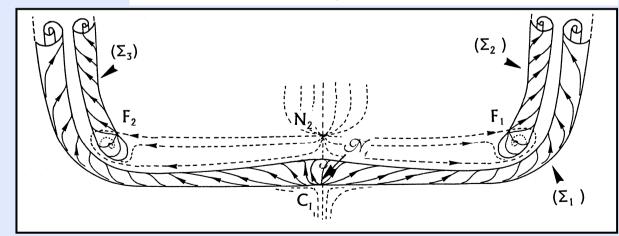




Skin friction line pattern in the vicinity of focus F2

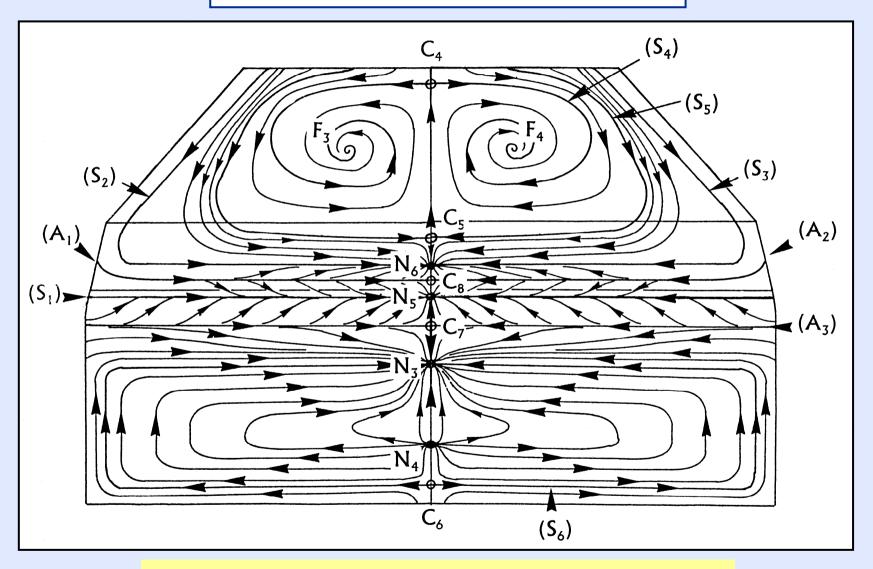


Windshield detachment



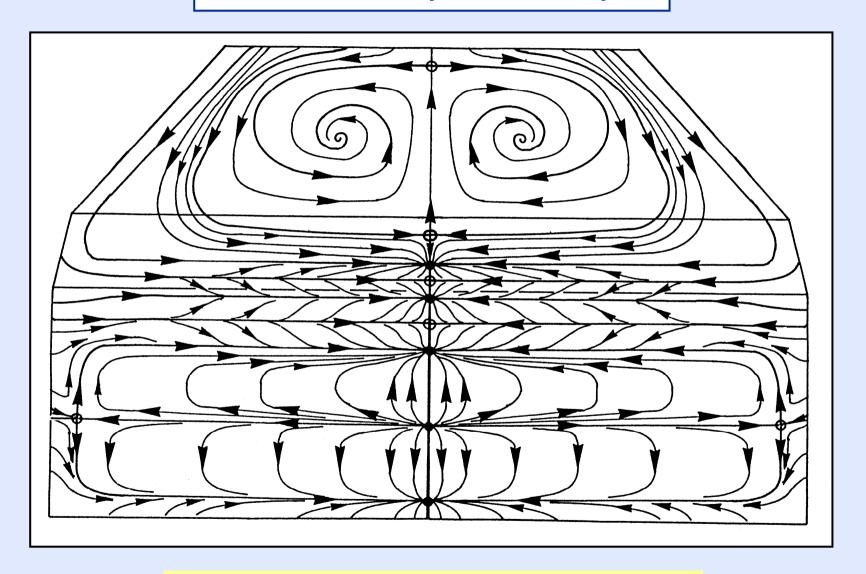
Starting of the detachment surfaces

## Sedan type automobile Skin friction line pattern. Rear part



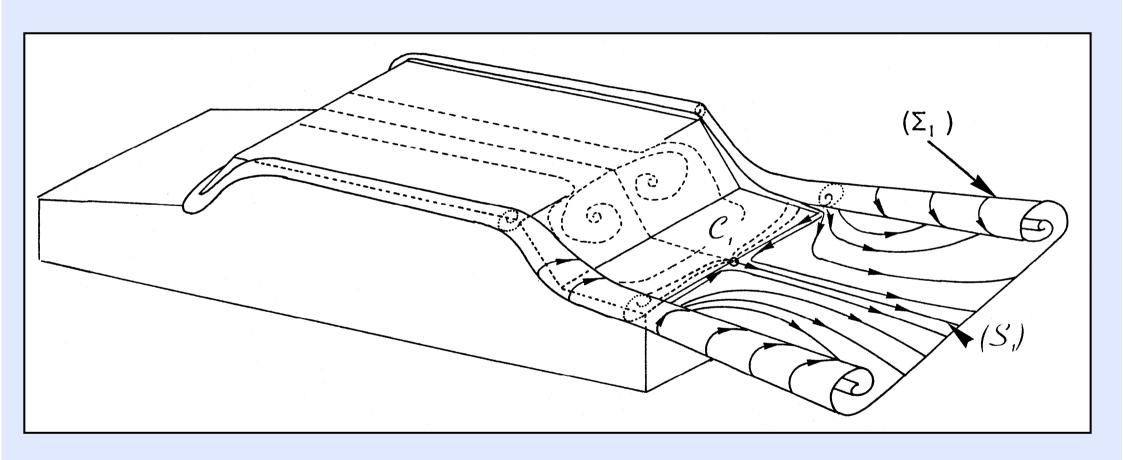
First interpretation: One boot vortex

# Sedan type automobile Skin friction line pattern. Rear part

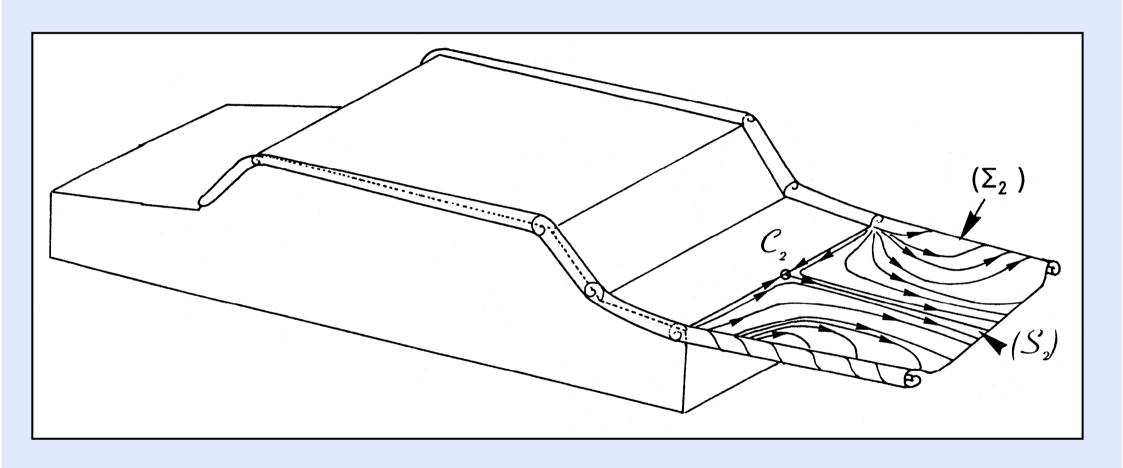


**Second interpretation: Two boot vortices** 

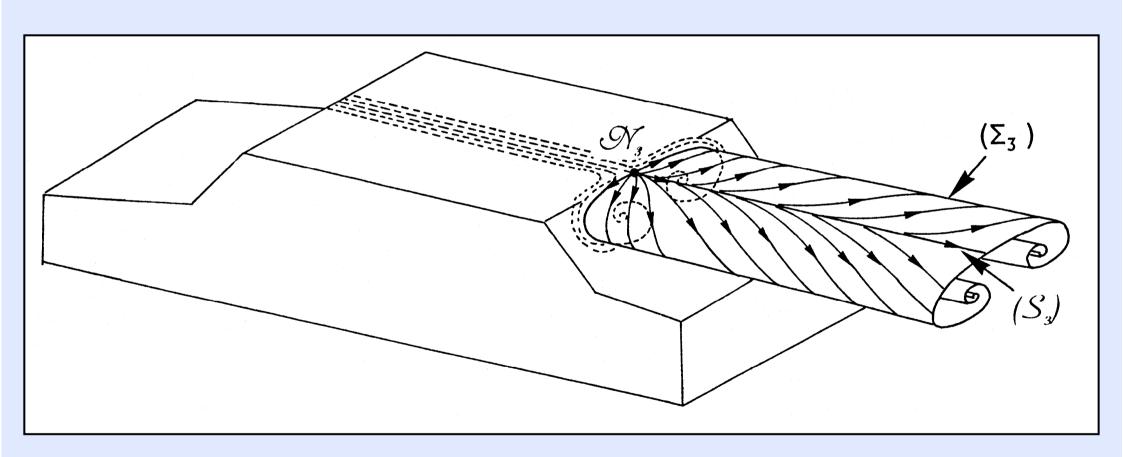
# Sedan type or three-box automobile Separation surfaces. Windshield detachment



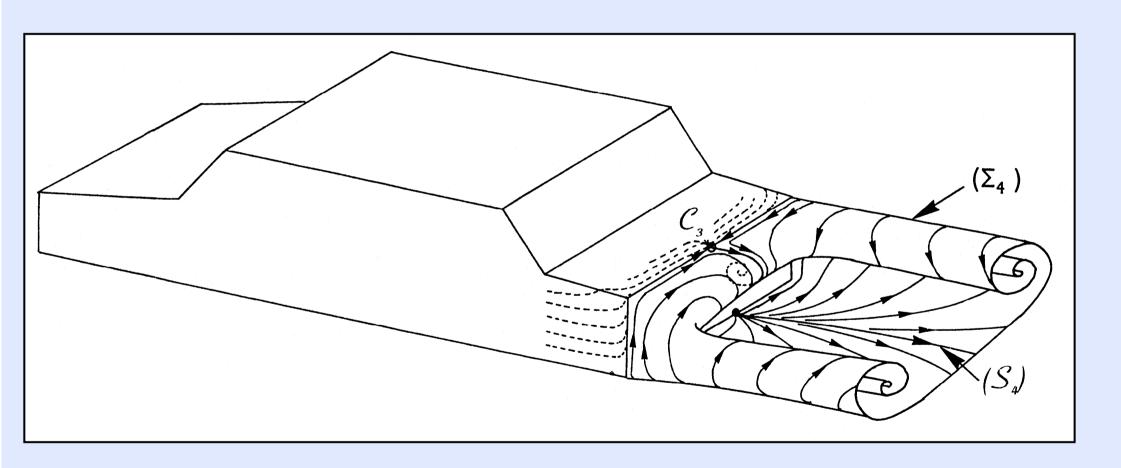
# Sedan type or three-box automobile Separation surfaces. A-pillar detachment



# Sedan type or three-box automobile Separation surfaces. Rear window detachment

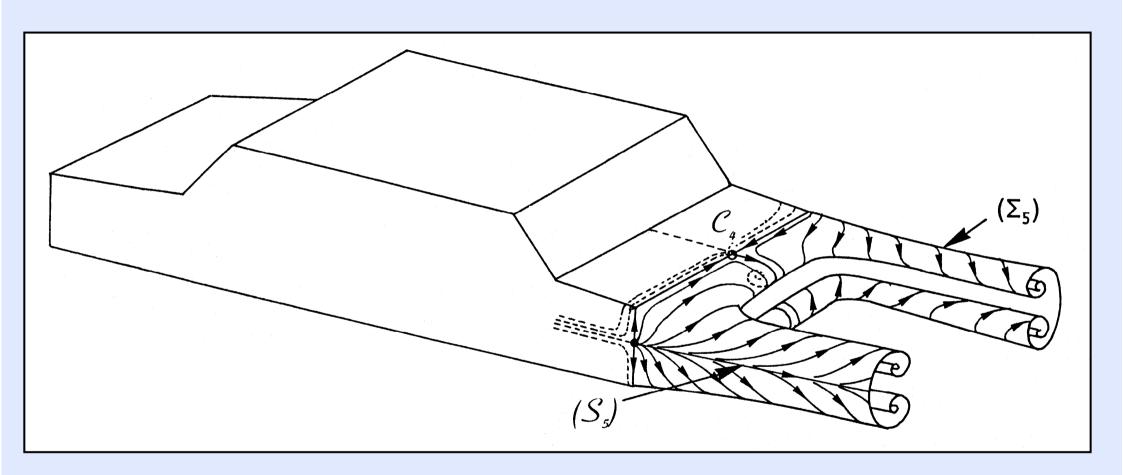


# Sedan type or three-box automobile Separation surfaces. Trunk detachment



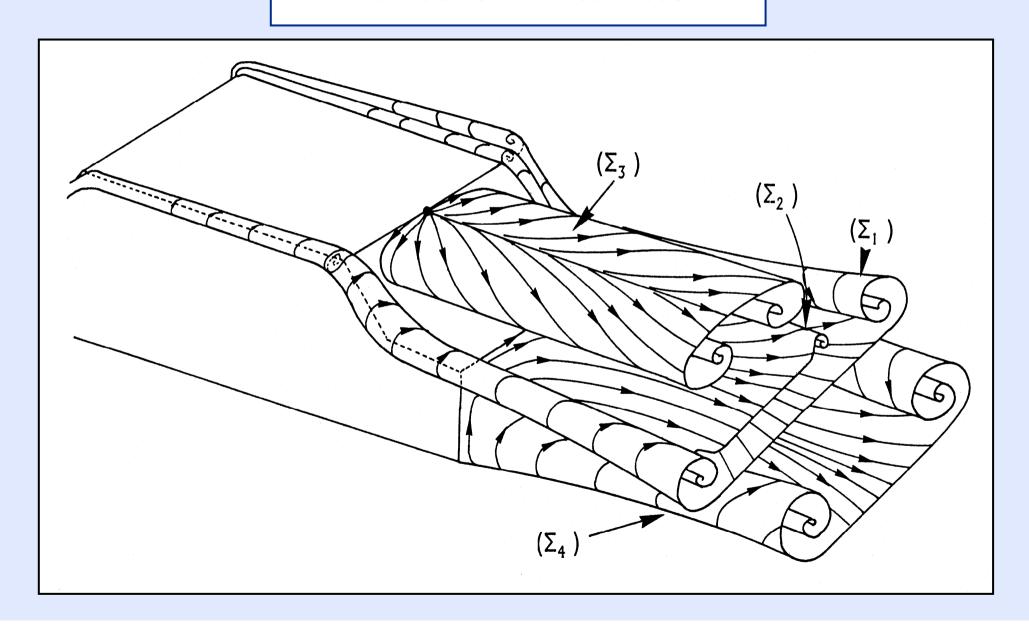
First possibility: One horseshoe vortex

# Sedan type or three-box automobile Separation surfaces. Trunk detachment



Second possibility: Two horseshoe vortices

# Sedan type or three-box automobile Main detachment surfaces



# Sedan type or three-box automobile Field projected in a vertical downstream plane

