

(b) For the given data, a plot of sound speed versus gas volume fraction is as follows:

The difference in air and water compressibility is so great that the speed drop-off is quite sharp.

**1.80\*** A two-dimensional steady velocity field is given by  $u = x^2 - y^2$ , v = -2xy. Find the streamline pattern and sketch a few lines. [*Hint*: The differential equation is exact.]

**Solution:** Equation (1.44) leads to the differential equation:

$$\frac{dx}{u} = \frac{dy}{v} = \frac{dx}{x^2 - y^2} = \frac{dy}{-2xy}, \text{ or: } (2xy)dx + (x^2 - y^2)dy = 0$$

As hinted, this equation is *exact*, that is, it has the form  $dF = (\partial F/\partial x)dx + (\partial F/\partial y)dy = 0$ . We may check this readily by noting that  $\partial/\partial y(2xy) = \partial/\partial x(x^2 - y^2) = 2x = \partial^2 F/\partial x \partial y$ . Thus we may integrate to give the formula for streamlines:

$$\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{x}^2 \mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}^3 / 3 + \text{constant}$$
 Ans.

This represents (inviscid) flow in a series of  $60^{\circ}$  corners, as shown in Fig. E4.7a of the text. [This flow is also discussed at length in Section 4.7.]

**1.81** Repeat Ex. 1.13 by letting the velocity components increase linearly with time:

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{K}\mathbf{x}\mathbf{t}\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{K}\mathbf{y}\mathbf{t}\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{0}\mathbf{k}$$

**Solution:** The flow is unsteady and two-dimensional, and Eq. (1.44) still holds:

Streamline: 
$$\frac{dx}{u} = \frac{dy}{v}$$
, or:  $\frac{dx}{Kxt} = \frac{dy}{-Kyt}$