

BMEGEÁTMW03 „FLOW MEASUREMENTS”

Optical flow visualization,
Introduction to lasers applied to optical flow
diagnostics
Laser-optical measurement techniques for flow
characterization

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AIM:

- VISUALIZATION of the FLOW FIELD
- MEASUREMENT of FLOW VELOCITY $\underline{v}(r,t)$

& CHARACTERISATION of PARTICULATE PHASE (d_p)

Contents:

- Lasers, examples (FlowVis, LDV, PDA, PIV, PTV(S))
 - Characterization of particle-laden mixtures
 - Particle dynamics, equation of motion
 - Particles: seeding/tracer problematic
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- Advantage / disadvantage / limits of laser-optical techniques

...lasers...

(L.A.S.E.R.)

OPERATION

continuous lasers

solid

Diode
Rod
Disk
Fiber

gas

Industrial operation:
- „sealed“ up to 400W
- „turbo“ up to 20kW

pulsed lasers

solid

rod
disk
fiber

gas

Industrial operation:
CO₂ & Eximer lasers

for LASER OPTICAL FLOW MEASUREMENTS:
from ~10 mW..... to ~6W

FLOW MEAS?

- Flow visualization
- LDV: Laser Doppler Velocimetry
- PDA: Phase Doppler Anemometry

Example:
diode, HeNe, Ar-Ion, Nd:YAG

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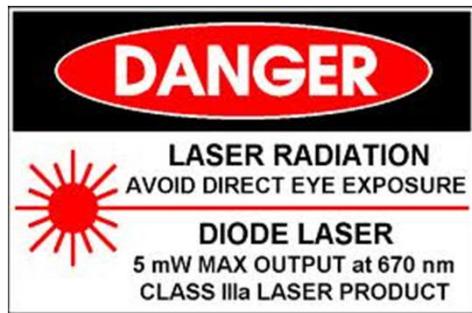
- Flow visualization (!cont.mode)
- PIV: Particle Imaging Velocimetry
- PIV, PTV(S)

Example:
Nd:YAG, CVL (copper-vapour), Ar-Ion, CO₂

main „Laser DANGER” signs

EU sign: Class 1, 1M, 2, 2M, 3R, 3B, 4

USA sign: Class I., II., III., IV.)



MEANING of the class signs:

1. : ~ equivalent to sunlight

1M. : ~ avoid to examine the light source with optical elements

2. : 400-700nm, max.1mW, cont., up to MPE=0.25s (max permissible exposition time), light protectors are not needed up to this MPE

3A,R : up to max. 5mW, cont. operation

3B : ! eye protector, safety measures: starting key and beam shutter is a must

4. : ! as all above + direct & undirect reflected lights are also dangerous

Available lasers at the Department or R&D partners:

1) for FLOW VIS:

- laser diodes (10, 25, 50, 100, 500 mW) for flow visualization (610nm, 532nm)

2) Laser Doppler Velocimeters:

2.1 15mW LDV, „ILA” LDV, HeNe: $\lambda=632\text{nm}$ (red), 1D, without Bragg cell (=unshifted)

2.2 300mW LDV Melles Griot, Ar-Ion, $\lambda=514\text{nm}$, 488nm (green, blue), 2D, with Bragg cell

Others, used in R&D cooperation with other institutions:

a) LDV Laser Doppler Velocimeter:

UNI MAGDEBURG 100mW diode „POLYTEC LDV-380” $\lambda=810\text{nm}$ (infrared)

VKI (many, mainly 50-300mW 1D 632nm (red) or 2D

b) Particle Image Velocimeter and Particle Tracking Velocimetry & Sizing

PIV+PTV(S): VKI: Von Kármán Institute (Nd:YAG, 6W, green)

Other PIV-s: from UNI Magdeburg; ELTE – PIV Lab for Atmospheric Flows

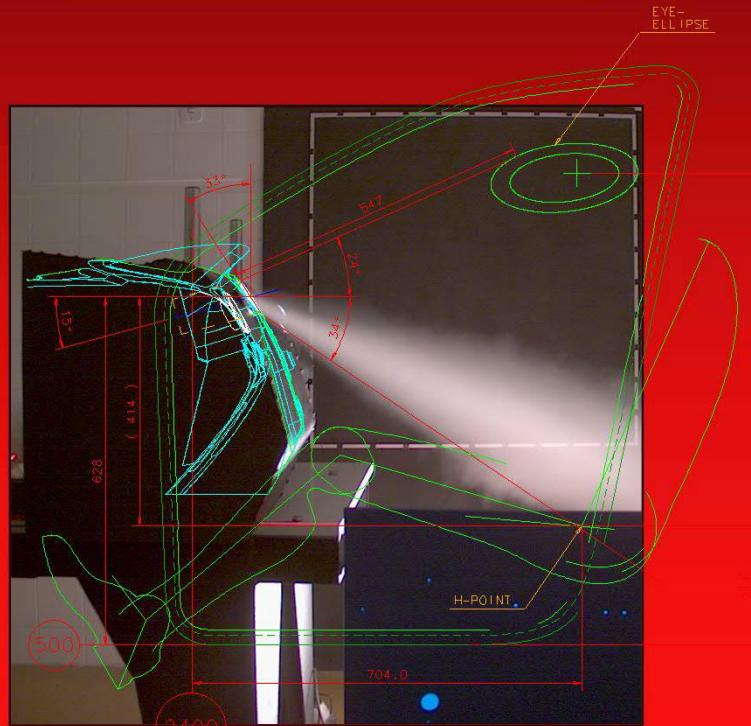
c) Phase Doppler Anemometer

At VKI (Von Kármán Institute) and at UNI Karlsruhe (125mW 632nm)

FLOW VISUALIZATION (50 - 100 mW diode)

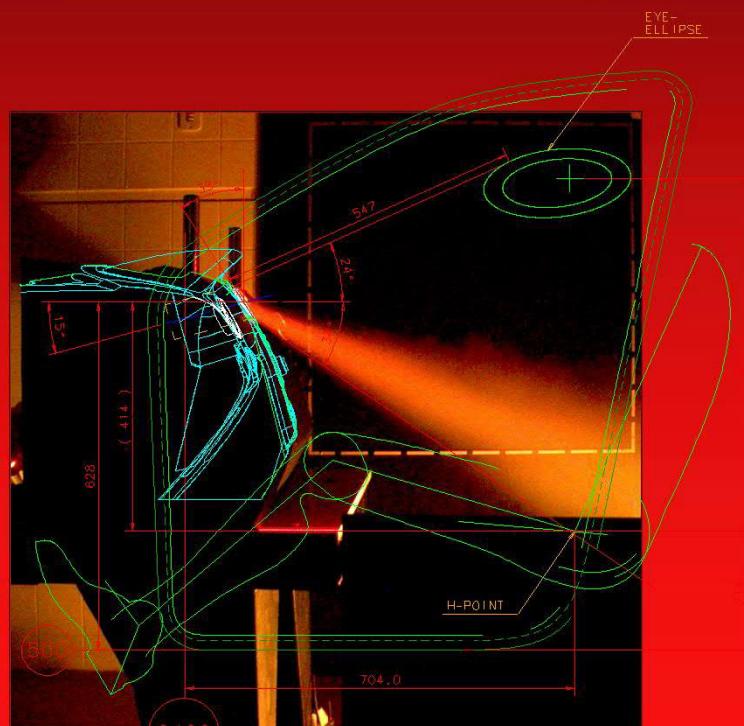


light sheet illumination



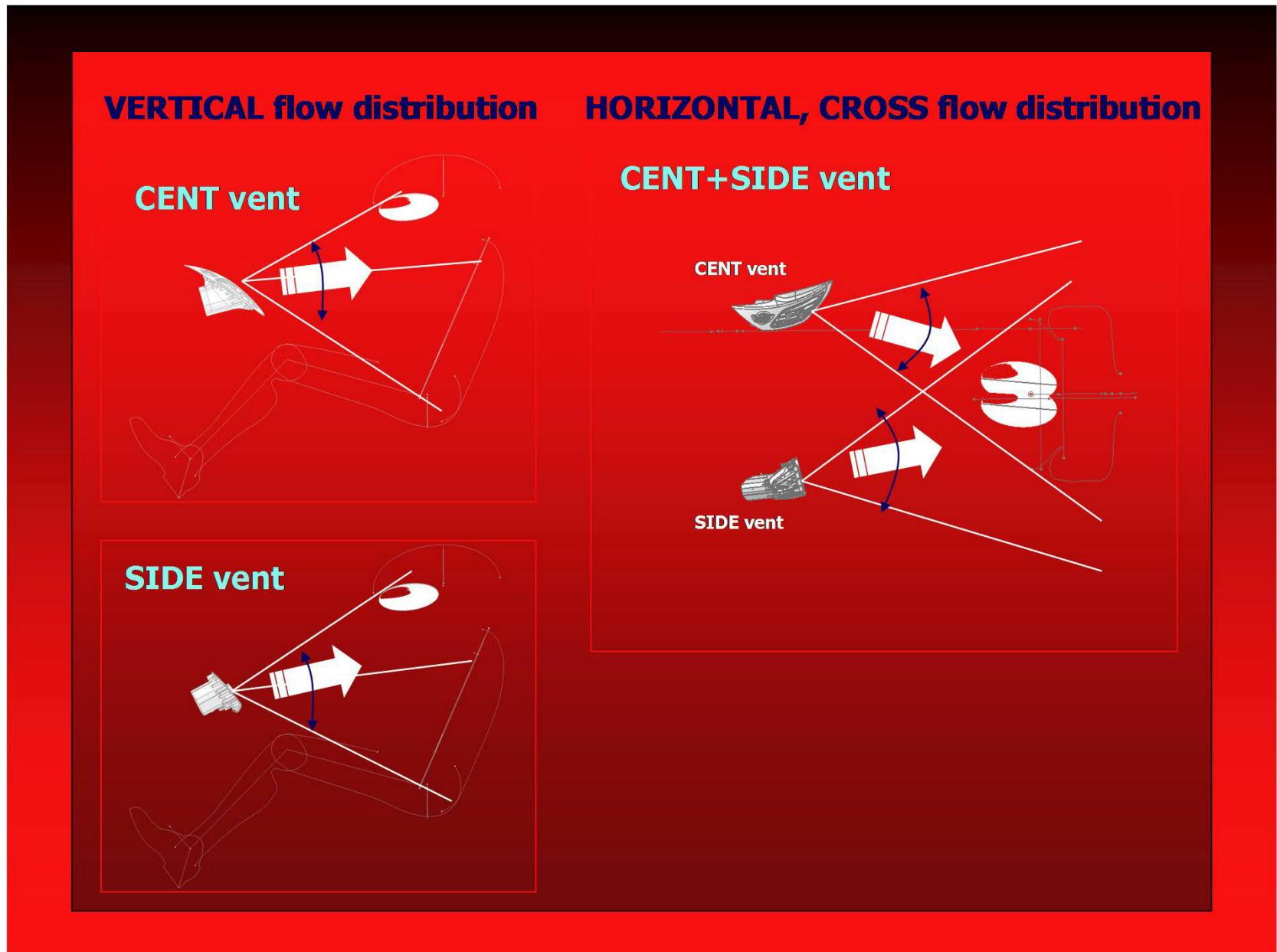
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laser sheet illumination



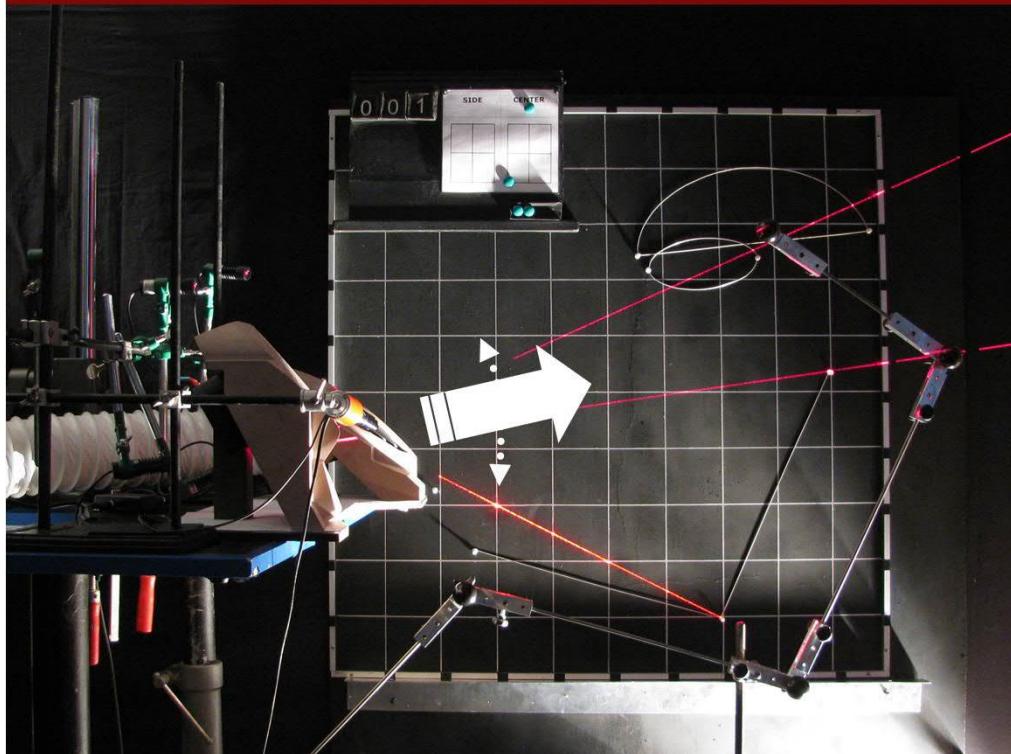
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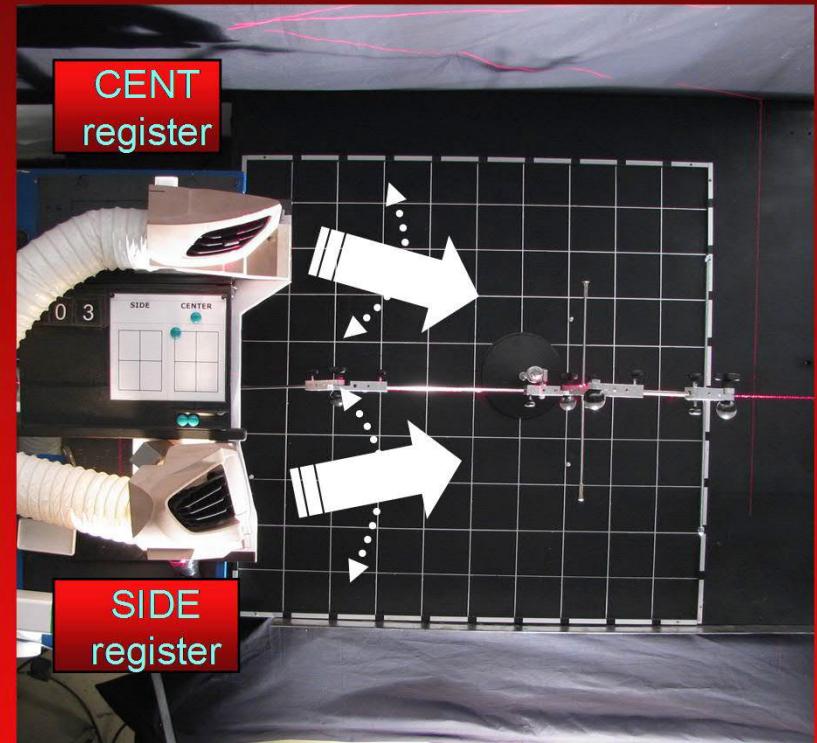
FLOW VISUALIZATION (50 – 100 mW diode)

VERTICAL flow view



side view

HORIZONTAL flow view
(SINGLE & CROSS)

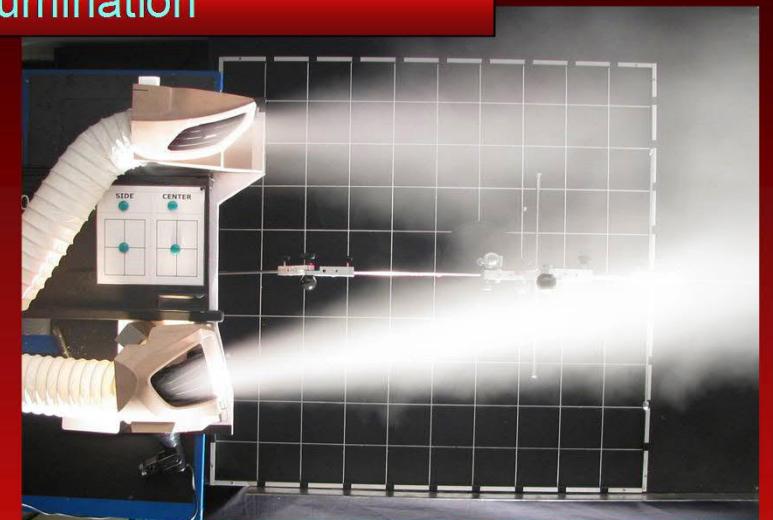


top view

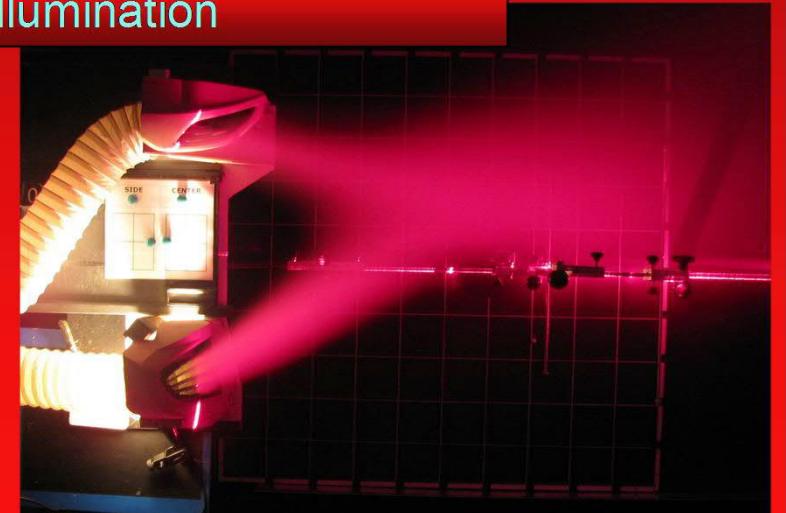
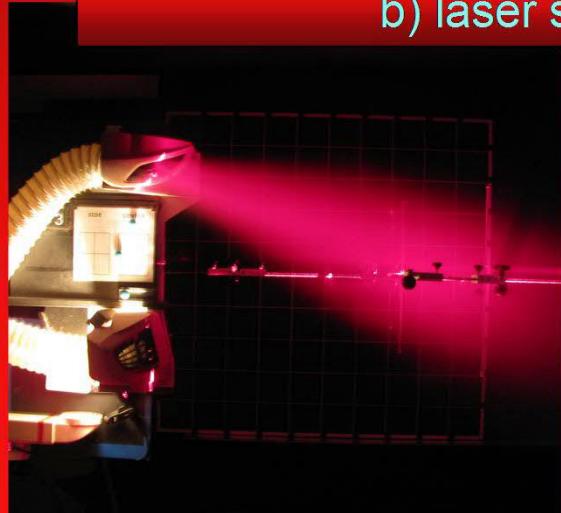
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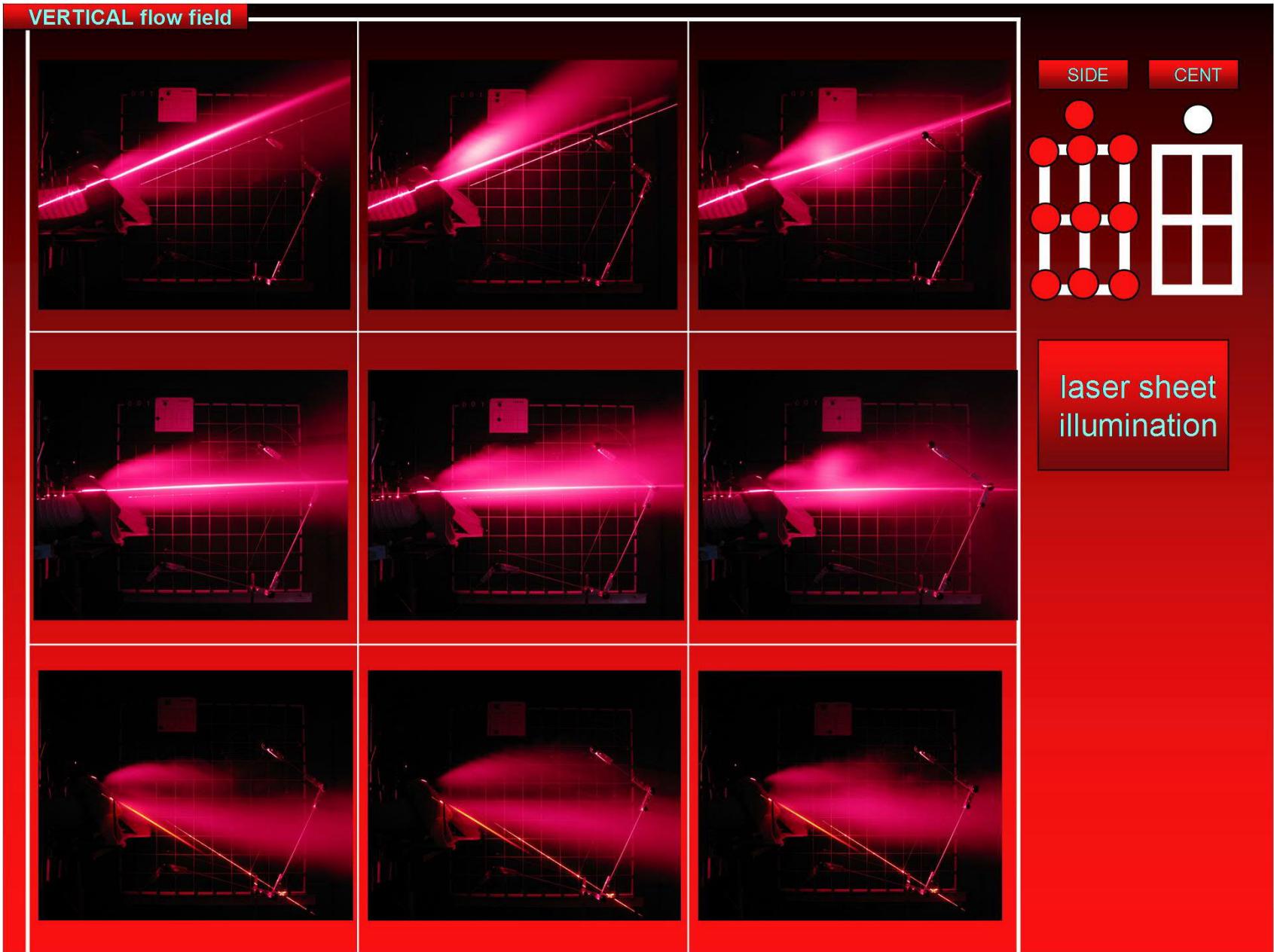
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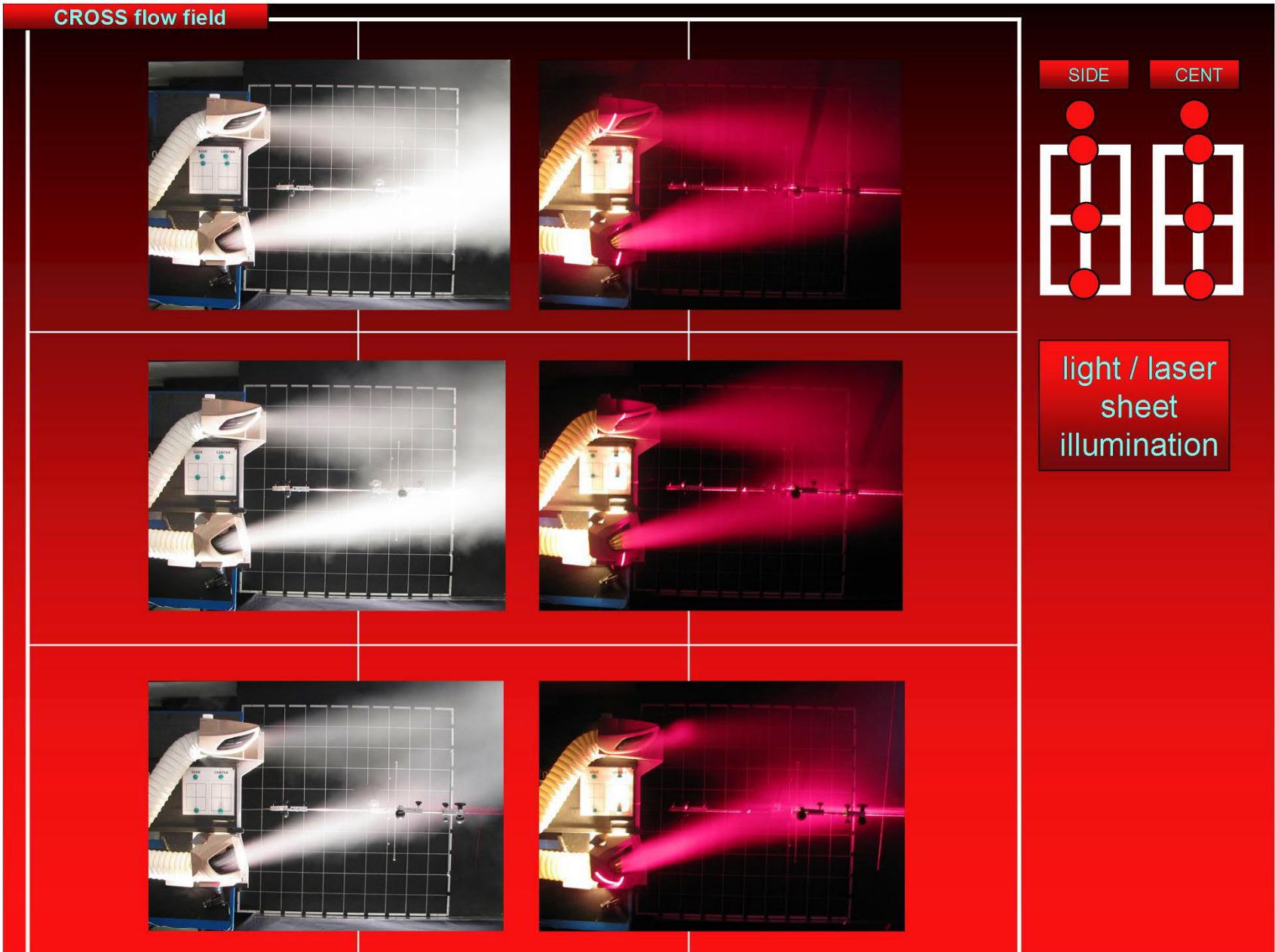
b) laser sheet illumination



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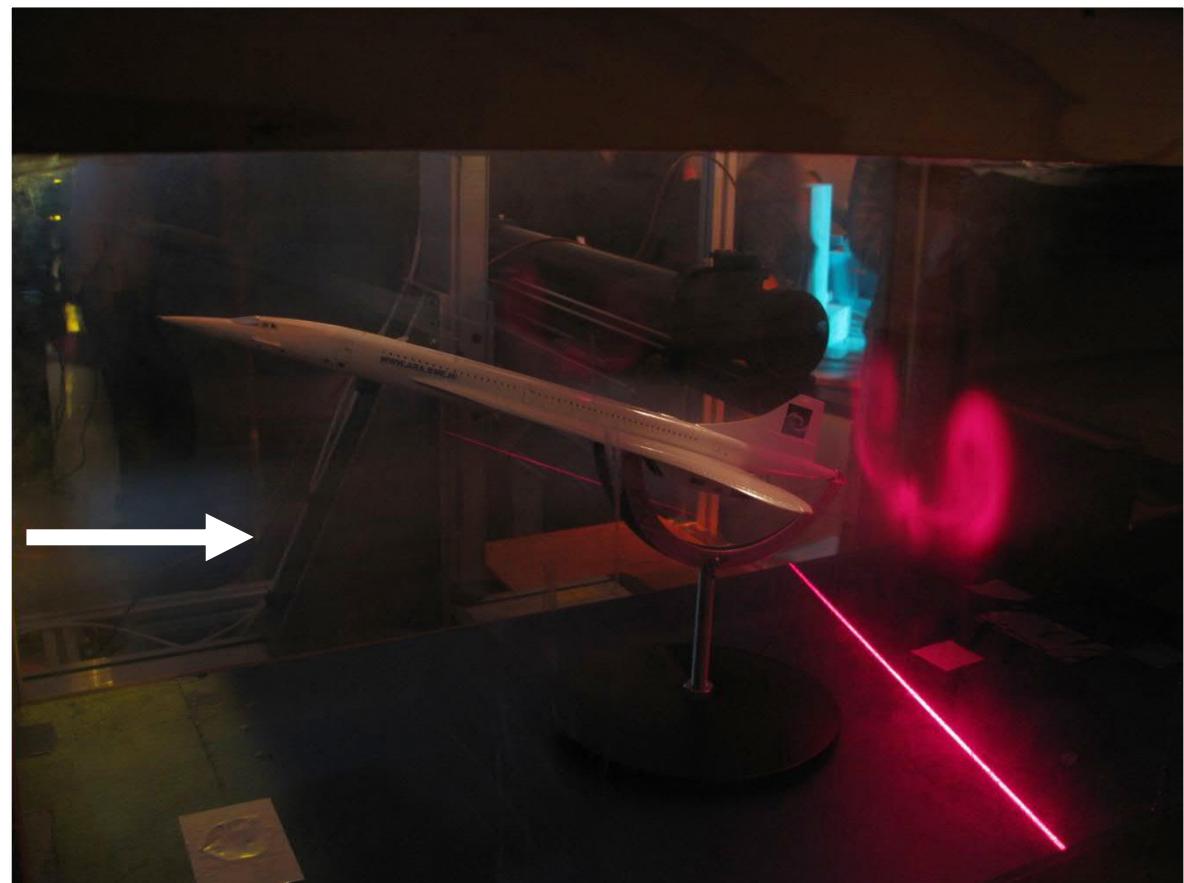
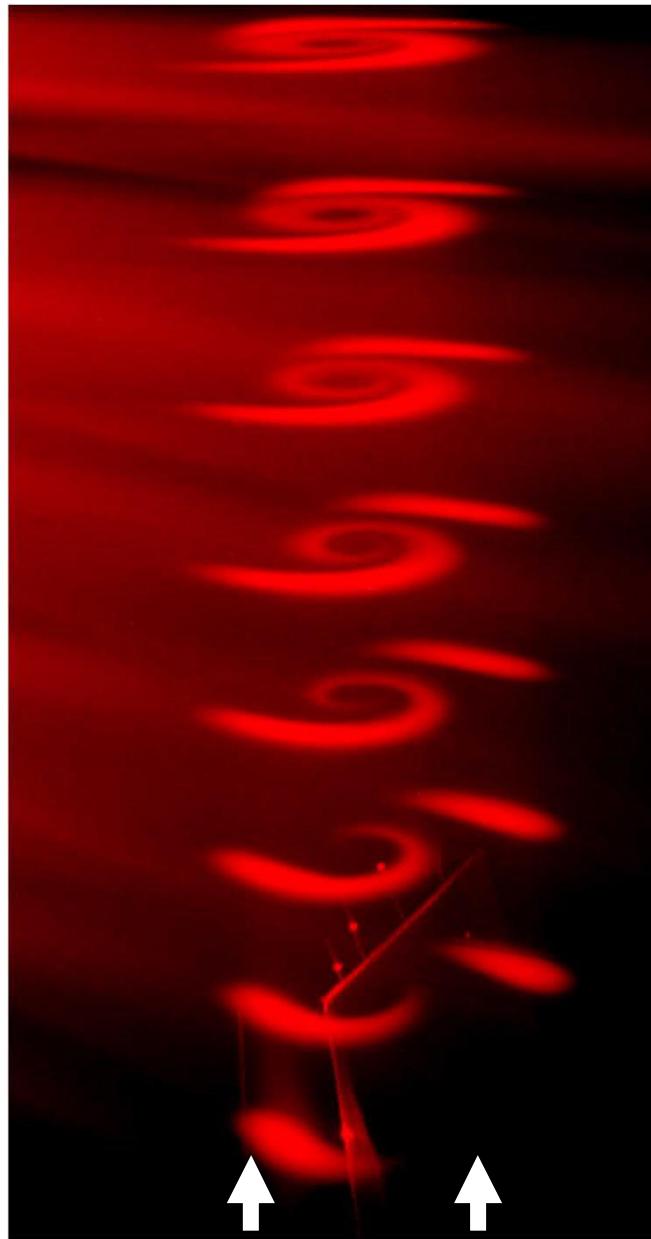


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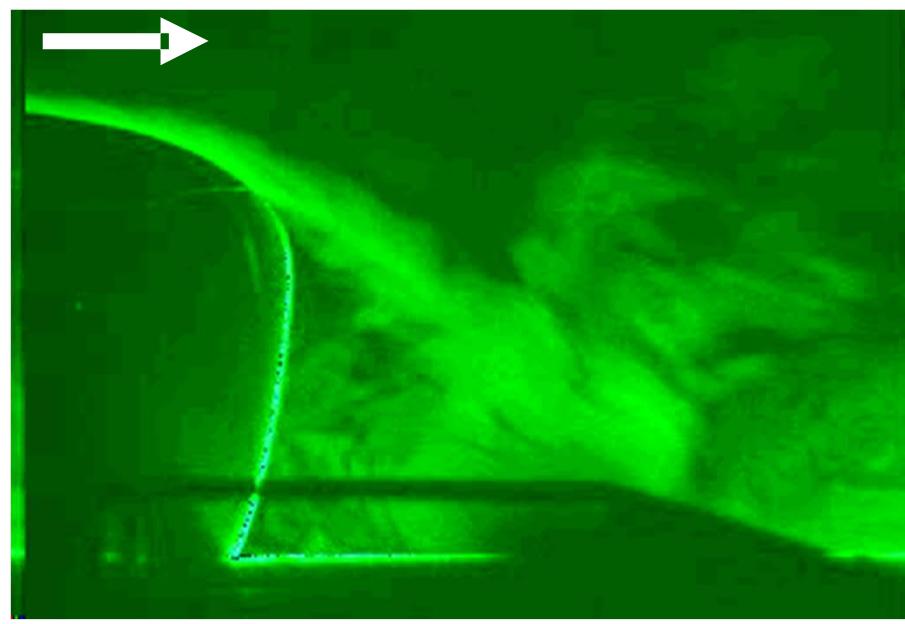
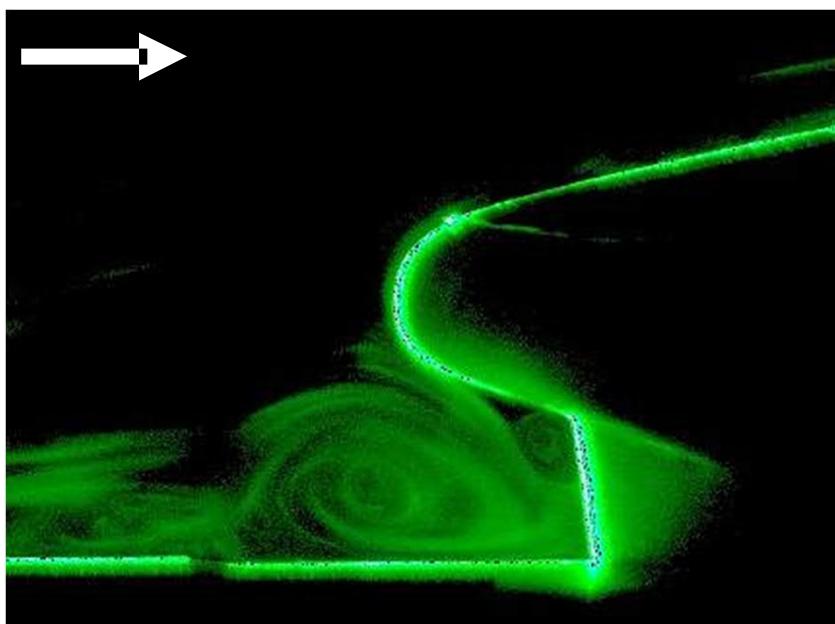
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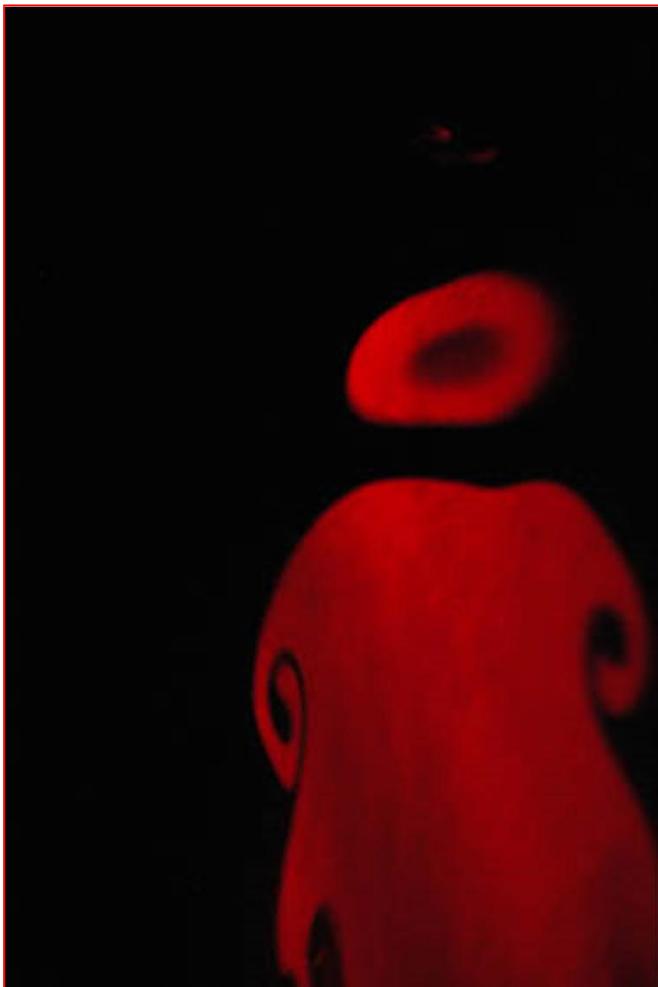
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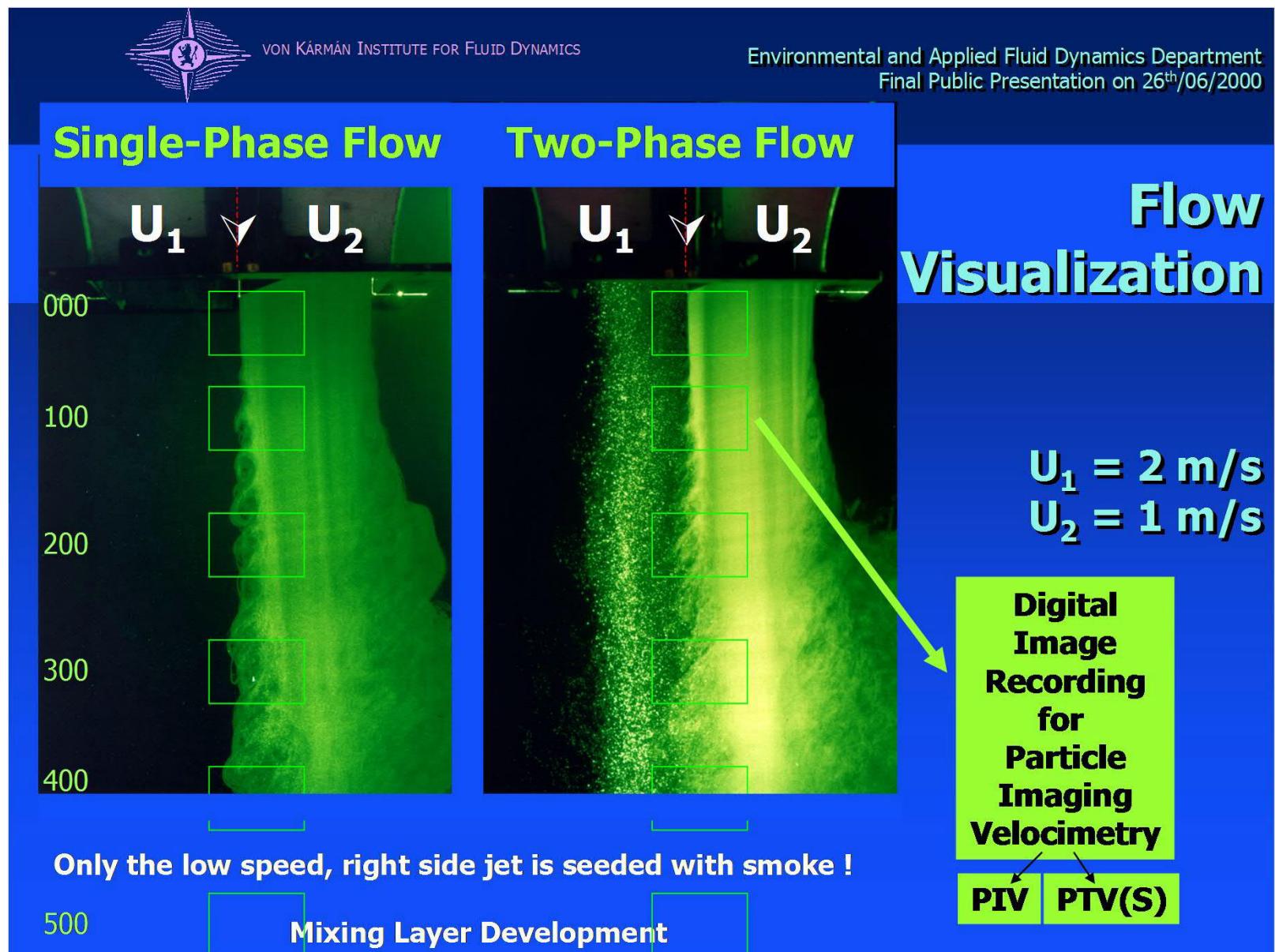


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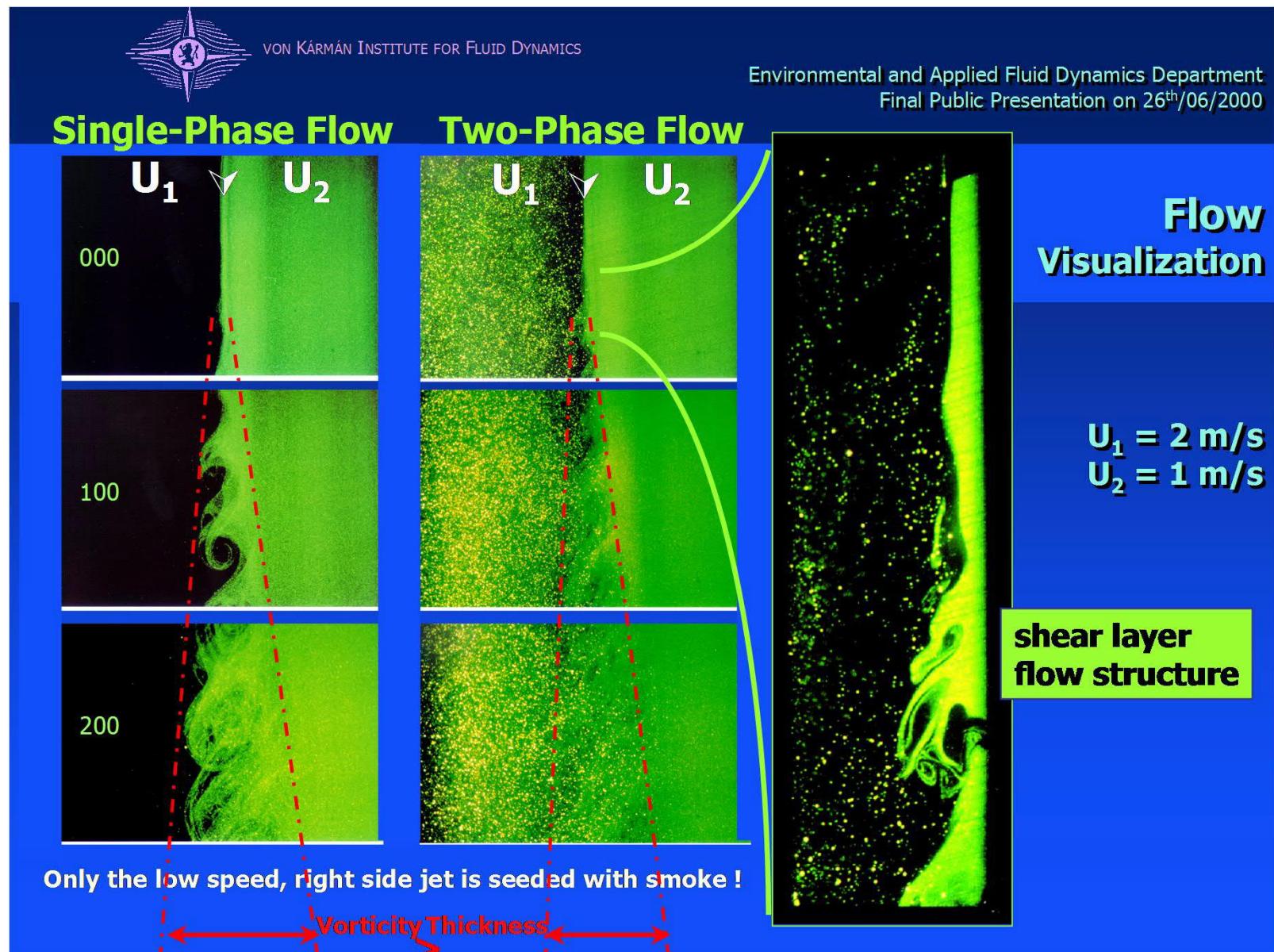
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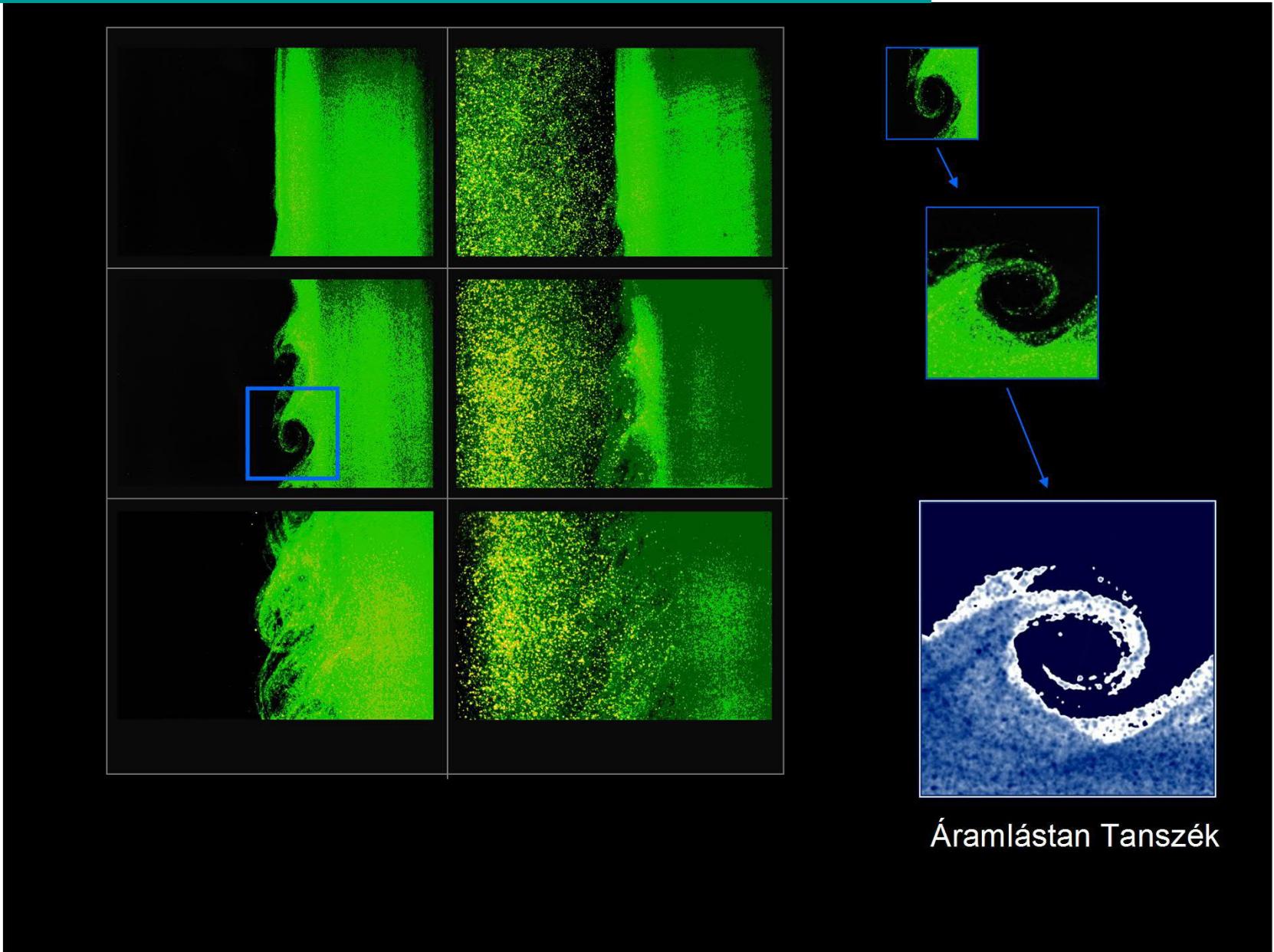
FLOW VISUALIZATION (6W: Nd:YAG, cont. mode)



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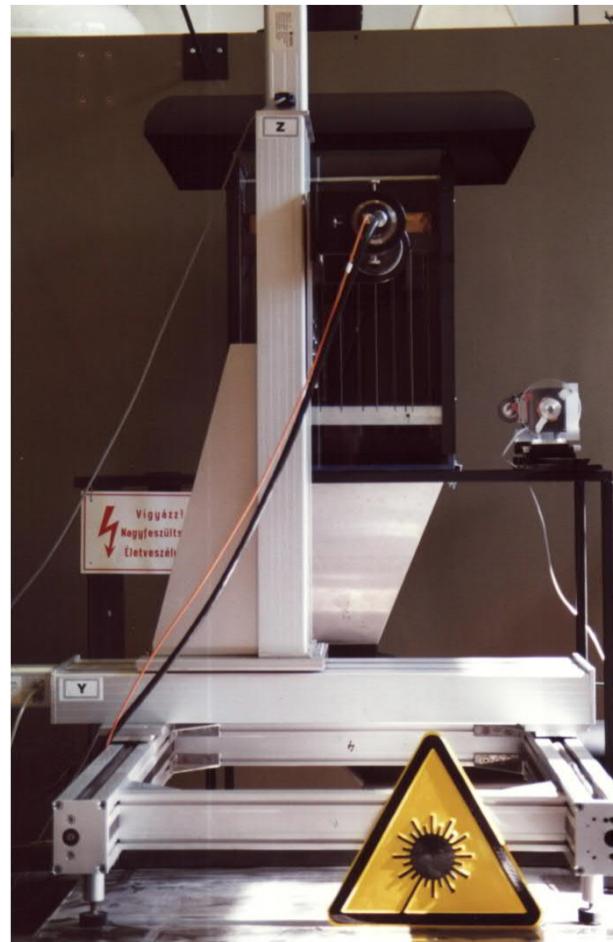
FLOW VISUALIZATION (6W Nd:YAG, cont. mode)



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LASER DOPPLER ANEMOMETRY

LDV POLYTEC LDV-380 100mW diode laser
1D: only for single velocity component meas.
 $\lambda = 810$ nm (infrared)
(R&D cooperation with UNI MAGDEBURG)



PARTICLES

**Types and sizes of particles
BEHAVIOUR in the carrier flow
„seeding / tracer” problematic**

Types of „aerosols” $0.01 \mu\text{m} < d_p < 50 \mu\text{m}$

Dust:

size range: $d \geq 0.2 [\mu\text{m}]$
description: solid particles, produced by breaking or attrition, abrasion, wearing of solid substances, perceptible to the eye, the diameter is larger than the wave length of light.

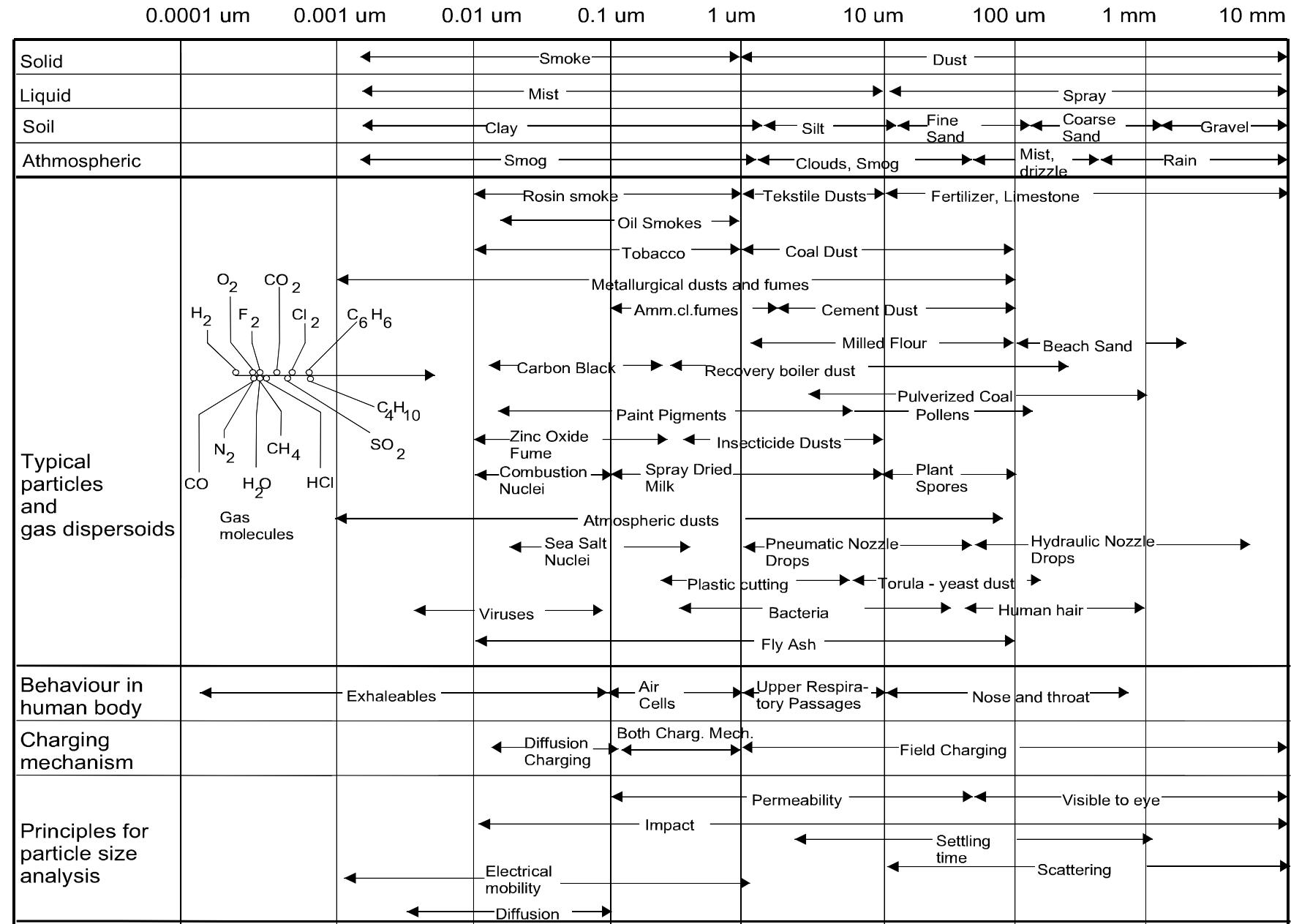
Smoke (fume):

size range: $d \leq 1 [\mu\text{m}]$
description: solid or liquid particles or droplets, originated from condensation or chemical reaction, in most cases chain-like structures. Produced at combustion, chemical processes etc.

Mist (fog):

size range: $0.1 \leq d \leq 200 [\mu\text{m}]$
description: liquid droplets originated from steam condensation or by atomization, spraying. The mist droplets and the saturated steam of that liquid are in equilibrium state.

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BASIC FUNDAMENTALS OF LIGHT SCATTERING

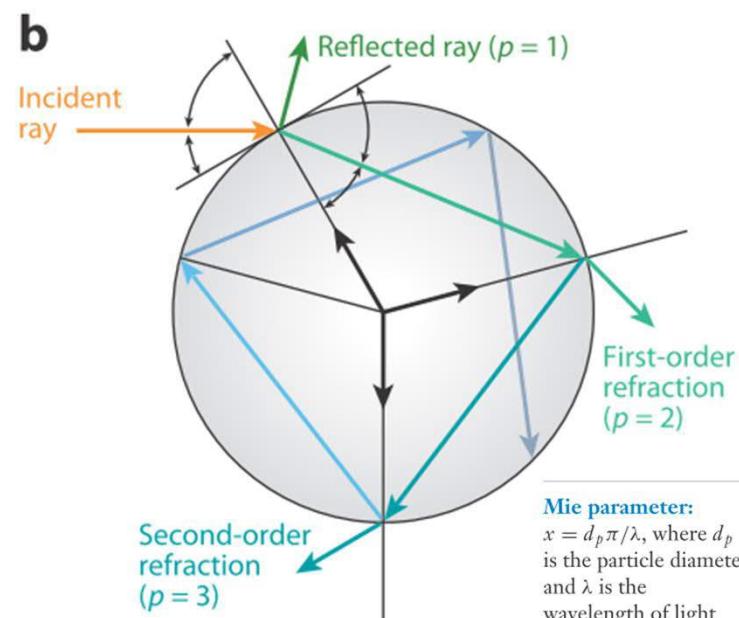
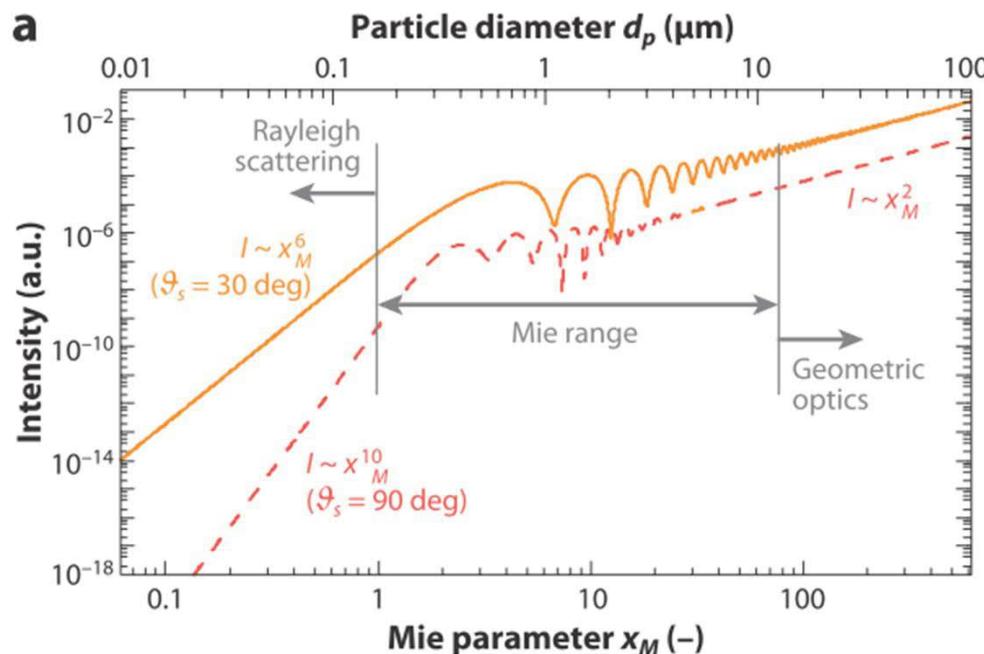


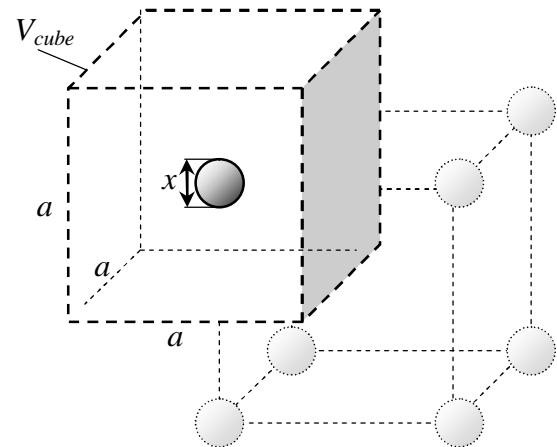
Table 1 Overview of measurement techniques for optical particle characterization

| Measurement principle | Measured quantity | Measurement technique |
|----------------------------|--|---|
| Direct imaging | Velocity, size, shape | PIV/PTV, shadowgraphy, glare-point separation |
| Intensity, intensity ratio | Size, temperature, species | Extinction/absorption, modulation depth, Mie/LIF ratio, two-band/three-band LIF |
| Interferometry | Velocity, size, refractive index/temperature | Laser Doppler, phase Doppler, ILIDS/IPI, diffraction, rainbow refractometry, holography |
| Time shift | Size, velocity | Time of flight, pulse displacement, time-shift technique |
| Pulse delay | Size, temperature | Femtosecond laser methods |
| Raman scattering | Temperature, species concentration | Raman spectroscopy |

Abbreviations: ILIDS, interferometric laser imaging for droplet size; IPI, interferometric particle imaging; LIF, laser-induced fluorescence; PIV, particle image velocimetry; PTV, particle tracking velocimetry.

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| $c \text{ [g/m}^3\text{]}$ | $\frac{a}{x}$ | $N \text{ [db/cm}^3\text{]}$ |
|----------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| 10 | 47 | 350.000 |
| 1 | 101 | 35.000 |
| 0.1 | 218 | 3.500 |



Let's calculate the $c \text{ [kg/m}^3\text{]}$ mass concentration of n particles evenly distributed in a particle-gas mixture having a volume of V_{g+p} . Let's assume that each particle is sitting in the center of a cube. (see Figure below).

The concentration can be calculated:

$$c = \frac{\sum m_p}{V_{g+p}} \cong \frac{\sum m_p}{V_{g+p}} = \frac{\sum V_p \cdot \rho_p}{V_{g+p}} = \frac{n \cdot \frac{x^3 \cdot \pi}{6} \cdot \rho_p}{n \cdot a^3} = \frac{x^3 \cdot \pi}{6} \cdot \frac{\rho_p}{a^3}$$

where $c \text{ [kg/m}^3\text{]}$ mass concentration, $a \text{ [m]}$ average distance between particles, $\rho_p \text{ [kg/m}^3\text{]}$ density of particles, n is number of particles.

For the average relative distance (a/x) between neighboring particles in gas we get:

$$\frac{a}{x} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{\rho_p \cdot \pi}{6 \cdot c}},$$

Conclusion:

- in case of usual particle concentration values the particle-laden flows are very dilute mixtures. (the distance between neighboring particles is very large).
- particles are present with very high number even in particle-gas mixtures having very low concentration.

PARTICLES (seeding / tracer problematic)

We need to seed, but only with particles that follow (trace) the flow field.

What does it mean: follow the flow?

Inertial parameter: $\Psi_p = St_p$: particle Stokes number

By neglecting the effect of the gravity field strength the dimensionless equation of motion of particles will turn to another form using the w_s settling velocity:

$$\frac{du'}{dt'} = \frac{l_0}{v_0^2} \frac{g}{x^2 \rho_p} \frac{1}{v_0} \underline{w}' \cong \frac{18 \mu}{x^2 \rho_p} \frac{l_0}{v_0} \underline{w}' = \frac{g \cdot l_0}{w_s v_0} \underline{w}'$$

$$\boxed{\frac{du'}{dt'} = \frac{g \cdot l_0}{w_s v_0} \underline{w}'}$$

Introducing ψ inertia parameter will help us to evaluate the particle motion in gas flow:

$$\boxed{\psi = \frac{w_s v_0}{g \cdot l_0}}$$

Dimensionless momentum equation for particles with inertia parameter:

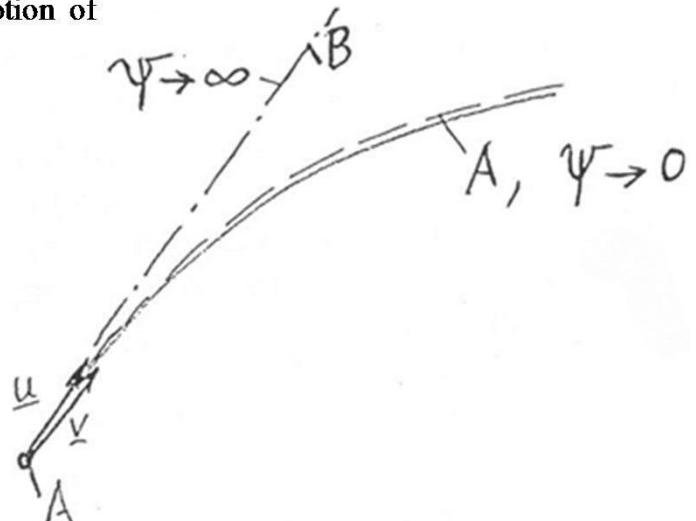
$$\boxed{\frac{du'}{dt'} = \frac{1}{\psi} \underline{w}' = \frac{1}{\psi} (\underline{v}' - \underline{u}')}}$$

case A) dashed line in the upper figure

When $\psi \rightarrow 0$, for small (x) and/or light (ρ_p) particles, which settling velocity is small, or $w_s \rightarrow 0$, and if $(\underline{v}' - \underline{u}') \neq 0 \Rightarrow \frac{du'}{dt'} \rightarrow \infty$, hence particle move along the gas streamline, particle follow the carrier gas flow.

case B) dash-dot line in the upper figure

When $\psi \rightarrow \infty$, for large and/or heavy particles, which settling velocity is large, $\frac{1}{\psi} \rightarrow 0$, consequently $\frac{du'}{dt'} \rightarrow 0$. hence particle move along its initial path, leaving the gas streamline.



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Settling velocity of the particle (w_s):

Settling of particle of ρ_p density in a gas of ρ_g density:

$$w_s = \frac{x^2(\rho_p - \rho_g)g}{18\mu}$$

Correction of settling velocity due to the diffusion effect in submicron size-range:

$$w_{s,corr} = Cu \cdot w_s$$

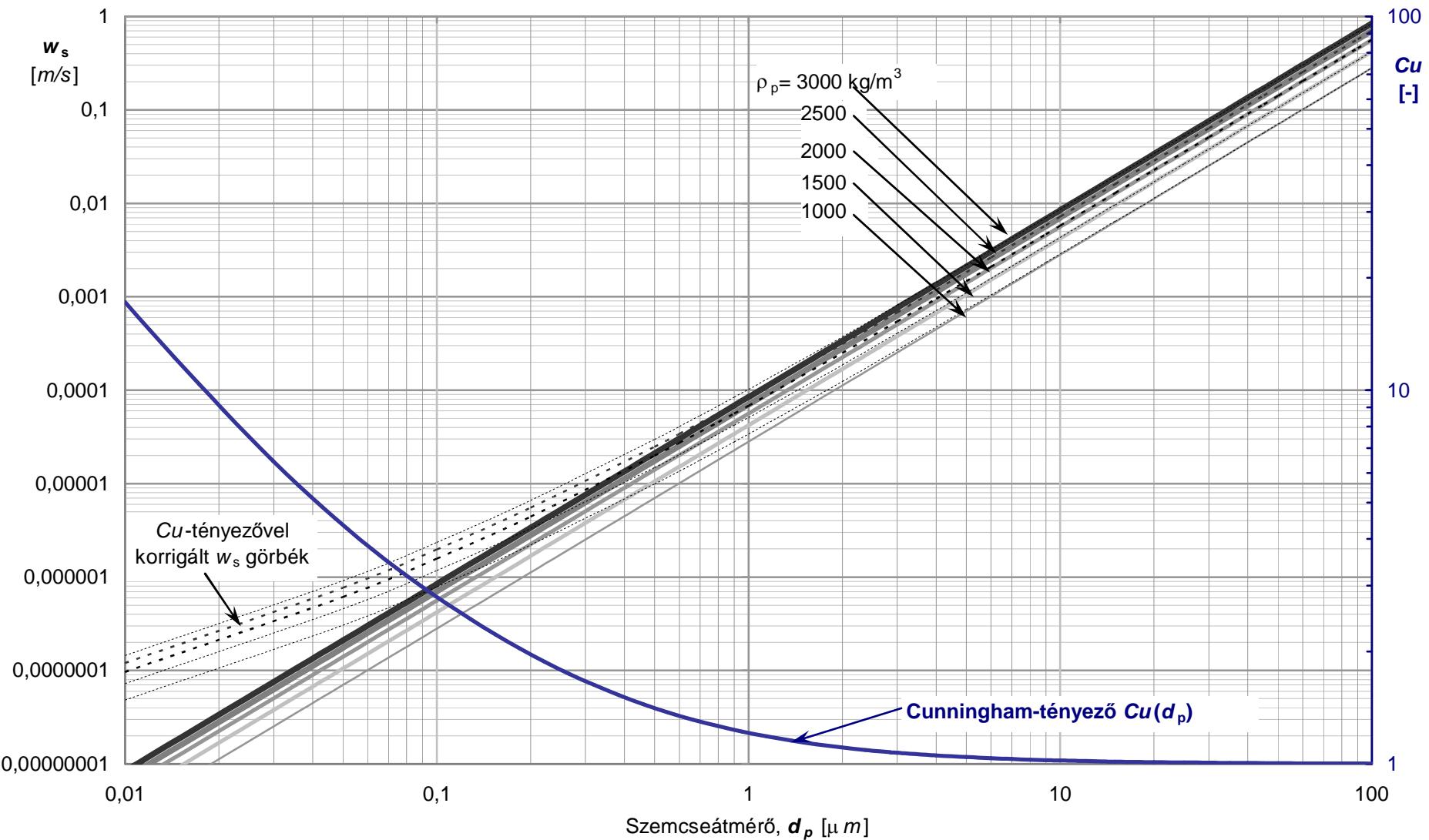
where $Cu = 1 + \frac{2A\lambda}{x}$ is the Cunningham coefficient (or Cunningham correction factor),

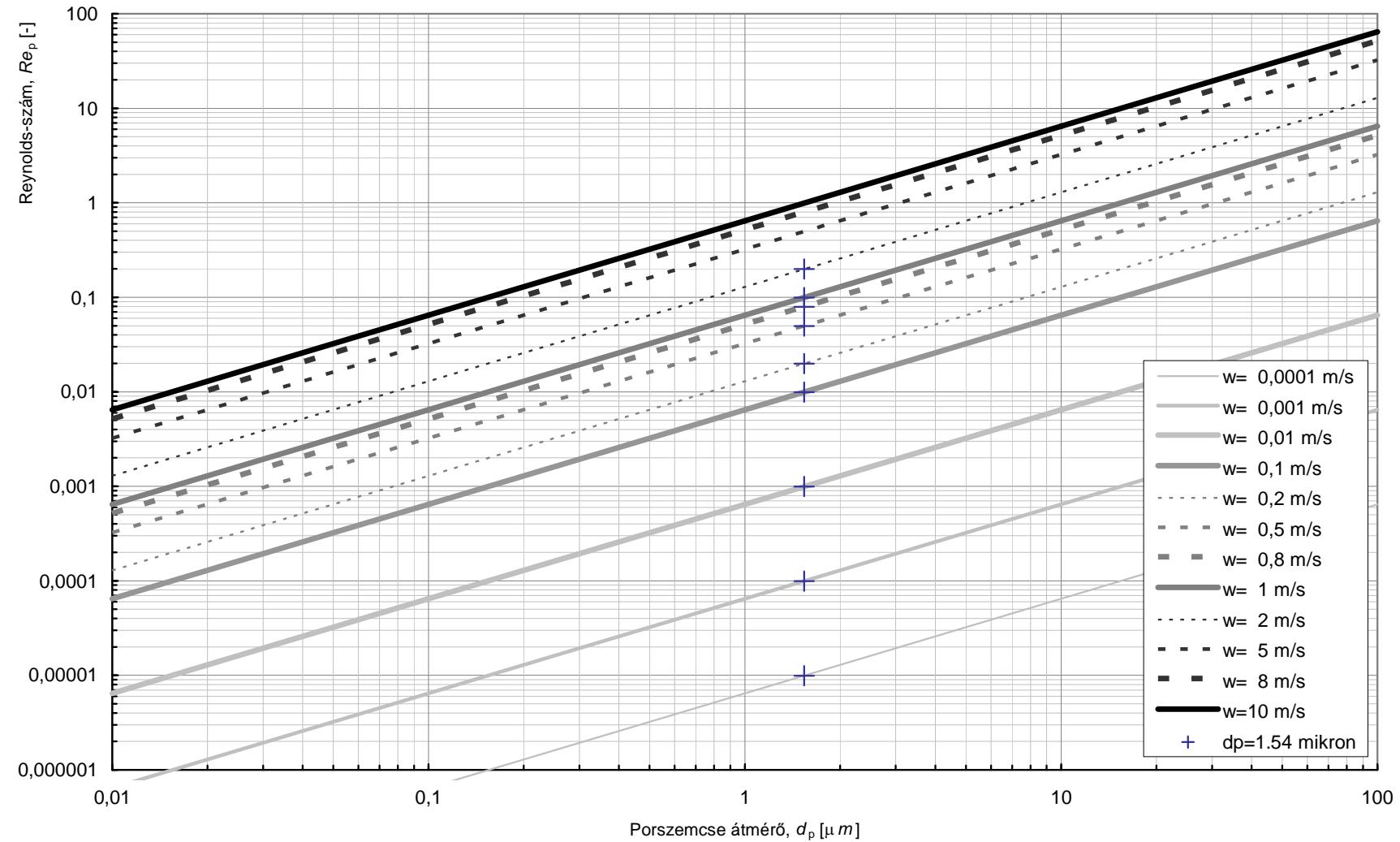
where $A \approx 1.4$, and λ is the mean free path of molecules, at room-temperature $\lambda = 6.5 * 10^{-2} \mu\text{m}$).

$$Cu = 1 + \frac{2A\lambda}{x}$$

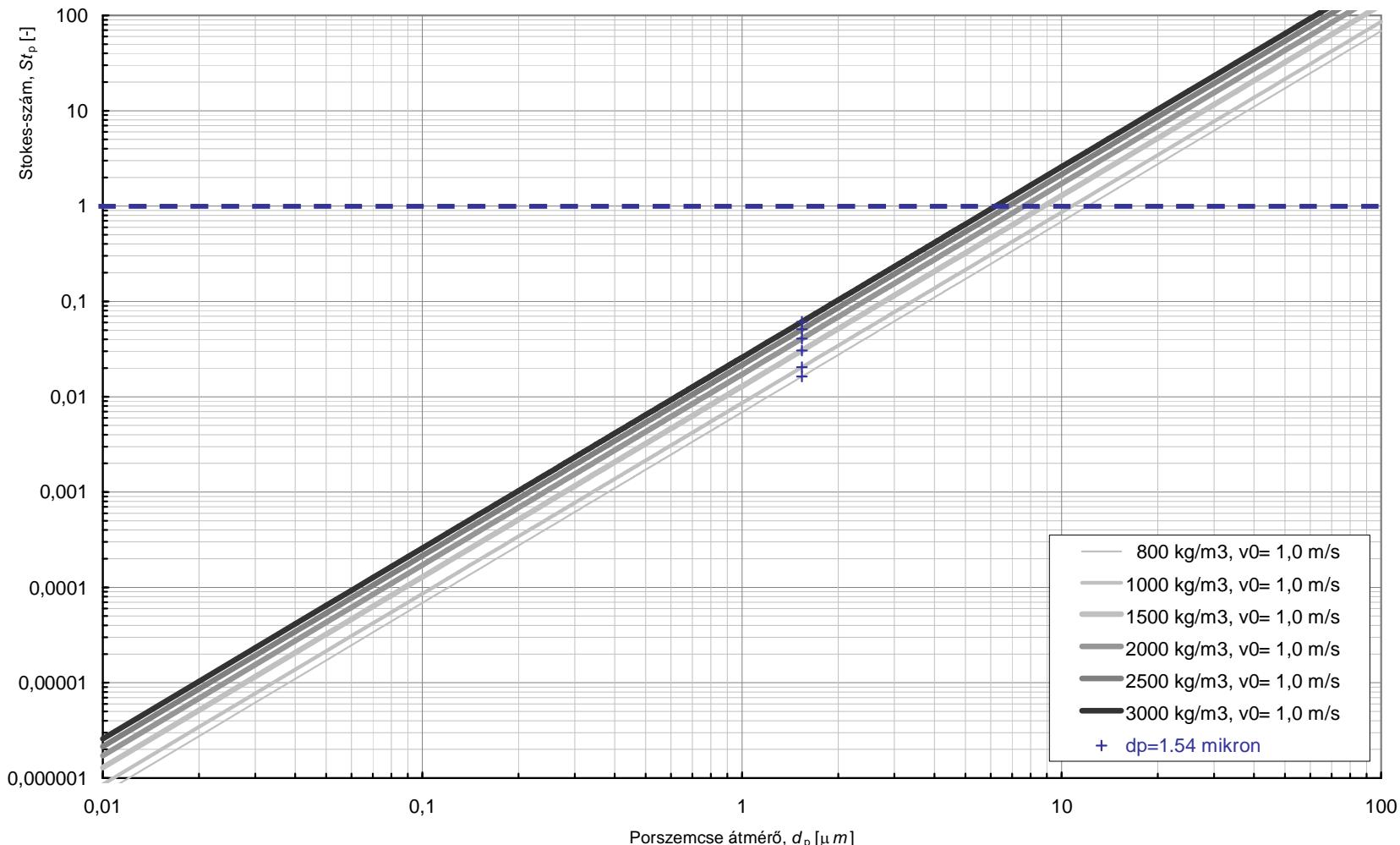
$$Cu = 1 + 1,246 \cdot \frac{2\lambda}{d_p} + 0,42 \cdot \frac{2\lambda}{d_p} \cdot e^{-0,87 \frac{2\lambda}{d_p}}$$

PARTICLES: setting velocity = *function of (particle diameter)*



PARTICLES: particle Reynolds-number = *function of* (particle diameter)

PARTICLES: particle Stokes-number = *function of* (particle diameter)



PARTICLES

Characteristic parameters of the primary & secondary phase:

- carrier fluid (primary phase)
- seeding /tracer particles (secondary phase)

Volume ratio:

$$\alpha_p = \frac{V_p}{V_g} = \frac{\frac{d_p^3 \pi}{6}}{a^3} = \frac{c_p}{\rho_p}$$

Mass loading ratio:

$$M = \frac{c_p}{\rho_g} = \alpha_p \frac{\rho_p}{\rho_g}$$

$$\frac{M}{\alpha_p} = \frac{\rho_p}{\rho_g}, \text{ or } \frac{\alpha_p}{M} = \frac{\rho_g}{\rho_p}$$

where:

c_p : particle mass concentration

ρ_g : density of gas (carrier phase)

ρ_p : density of particle (material)

| α_p | $\rho_p [kg/m^3]$ | | | |
|---------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | 800 | 1500 | 2500 | |
| $c_p [g/m^3]$ | 0,0001 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-10}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-11}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-11}$ |
| | 0,001 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-9}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-10}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-10}$ |
| | 0,01 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-8}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-9}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-9}$ |
| | 0,1 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-8}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-8}$ |
| | 1 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-6}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-7}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-7}$ |
| | 10 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-5}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-6}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-6}$ |
| | 100 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-4}$ | $6,7 \cdot 10^{-5}$ | $4,0 \cdot 10^{-5}$ |

| M | $\rho_g [kg/m^3]$ | | | |
|---------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| | 0,8 | 1,0 | 1,2 | |
| $c_p [g/m^3]$ | 0,0001 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ | $1,0 \cdot 10^{-7}$ | $8,3 \cdot 10^{-8}$ |
| | 0,001 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-6}$ | $1,0 \cdot 10^{-6}$ | $8,3 \cdot 10^{-7}$ |
| | 0,01 | $1,3 \cdot 10^{-5}$ | $1,0 \cdot 10^{-5}$ | $8,3 \cdot 10^{-6}$ |
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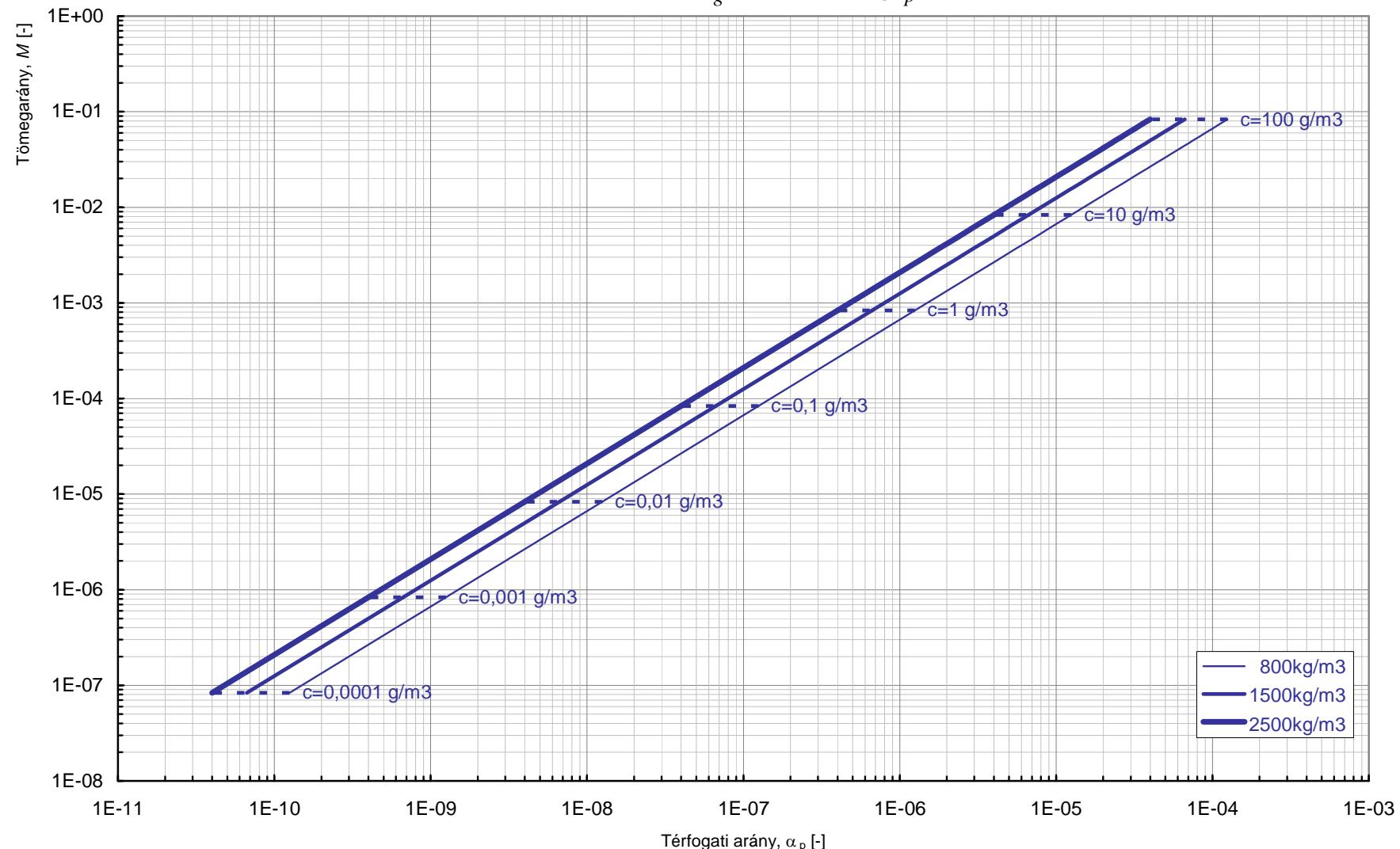
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Volume ratio:

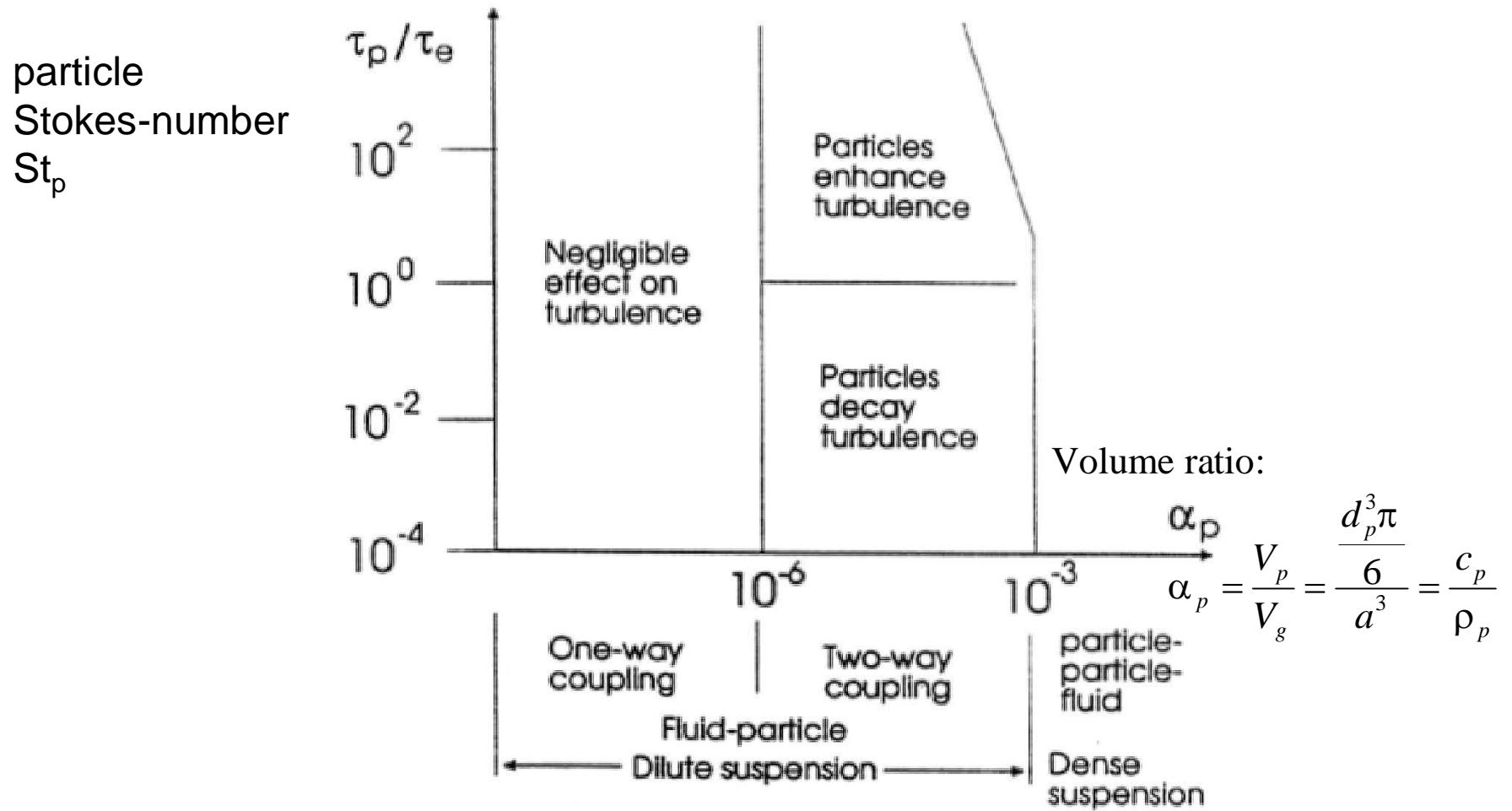
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Mass loading ratio:

$$M = \frac{c_p}{\rho_g} = \alpha_p \frac{\rho_p}{\rho_g}$$



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ELGHOBASHI (1994): „Turbulence modulation map”: particle STOKES-number ($St_p = \tau_p / \tau_e$) in function of the α_p

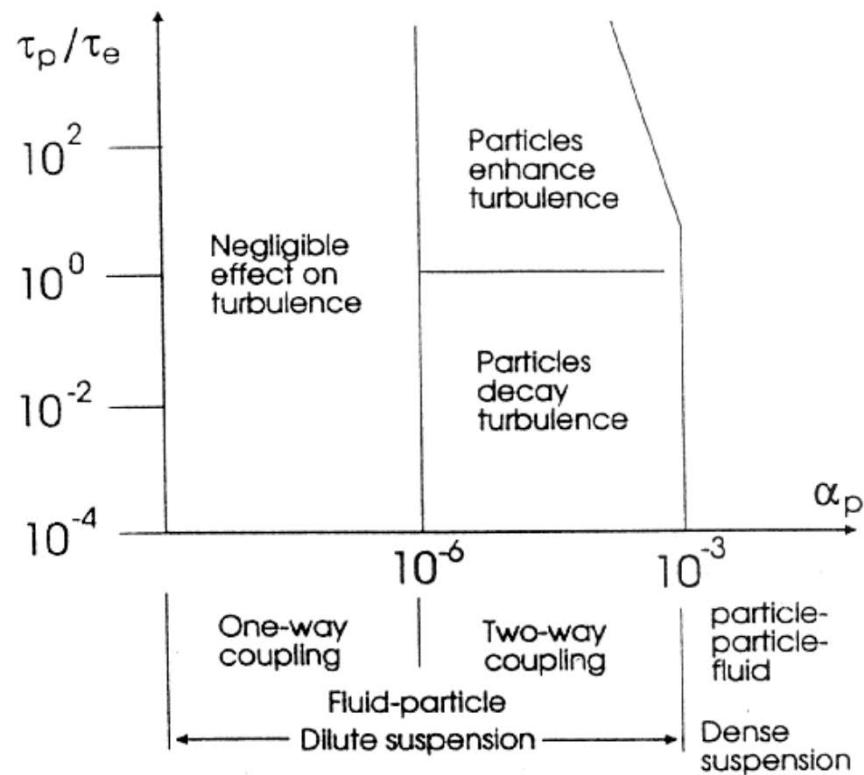
τ_p : characteristic (response) time of the particle

τ_e : characteristic time of the carrier fluid

dilute mixtures: $\alpha_p < 10^{-3}$

dense mixtures: $\alpha_p > 10^{-3}$

PARTICLES' influence on turbulence of the carrier flow



[ELGHOBASHI, 1994]

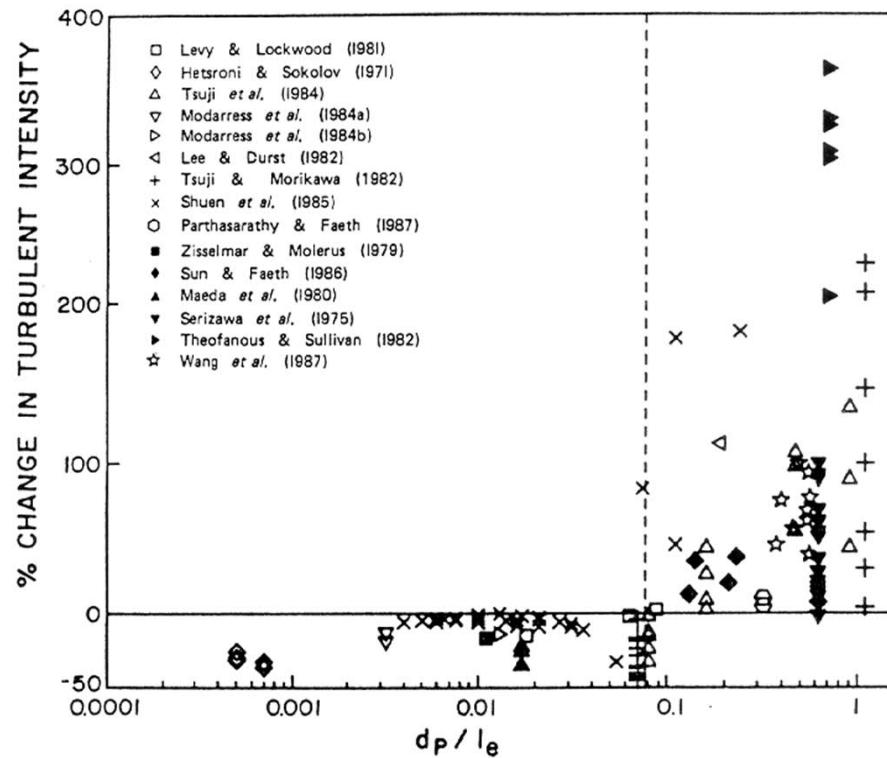


Figure 2. Change in turbulent intensity as function of length scale ratio.

[GORE and CROWE, 1989]

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Table 3. Seeding particles in gas flows.

| Material | d_p (μm) | Laser | Pulse energy, pulse time | Light sheet | | Reference |
|--|----------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|-------------|------------|--|
| | | | | w (mm) | t (mm) | |
| TiO ₂ ($m = 2.6$, $\rho = 3500 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | <1 | Nd:YAG | 10 mJ, 20 ns | 15 | 0.3 | Reuss <i>et al</i> (1989) |
| TiO ₂ , ZrO ₂ | 0.7–1 | Nd:YAG | 110 mJ, 12 ns | | | Paone <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| Al ₂ O ₃ ($m = 1.76$, $\rho = 3970 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 0.3 | Nd:YAG | 400 mJ | | 0.2 | Muniz <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| | 3 | Nd:YAG | 9 mJ, 6 ns | | | Anderson <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| | 0.8 | Ruby | 20 ns | 150 | $\simeq 1$ | Krothapalli <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| Polycrystalline | 30 | Nd:YAG | 135 mJ, 6 ns | | | Grant <i>et al</i> (1994) |
| Glass | 30 | Ruby | 30 mJ, 30 ns | | | Schmidt and Löffler (1993) |
| Oil smoke | 1 | Ruby | 5 J | | | Stewart <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| Corn oil | 1–2 | Nd:YAG | 100 mJ | | | Jakobsen <i>et al</i> (1994) |
| Oil | 1–2 | Nd:YAG | 120 mJ | | 0.4 | Westerweel <i>et al</i> (1993) |
| Olive oil ($m = 1.47$, $\rho = 970 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 1.06 | Nd:YAG | 70 mJ, 16 ns | 200 | 0.5 | Höcker and Kompenhans (1991) Fischer (1994) Raffel <i>et al</i> (1996) |

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Table 4. Seeding particles in liquid flows.

| Material | d_p (μm) | Laser | CW power or energy, time | Light sheet | | Reference |
|---|----------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------------|-----------|---|
| | | | | w (mm) | t (mm) | |
| TiO ₂ | 3 | Nd:YAG | | | | Longmire and Alahyari (1994) |
| Al ₂ O ₃ | 9.5 | Ruby | 2 J, 30 ns | 100 | 0.8 | Liu <i>et al</i> (1991) |
| Conifer pollen ($\rho = 1000 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 50–60 | Ar ion | 1–2 W | | | Westergaard <i>et al</i> (1993) McCluskey <i>et al</i> (1995) Gallagher and McEwan (1996) |
| Polymer ($\rho = 1030 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 30 | Ar ion | 0.5–5 W | | 0.5 | Draad and Westerweel (1996) McCluskey <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| Phosphorescent polymer | 80 | Ar ion | 5 W | | 1 | Willert and Gharib (1991) |
| Fluorescent | 50 | Nd:YAG | | | | Hart (1996) |
| | 20 | Cu vapour | 45 W | | 1 | Roth <i>et al</i> (1995) |
| Polystyrene ($\rho = 1050 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 500 | | | | | Khoo <i>et al</i> (1992) |
| | 15 | Ruby | 25 mJ, 20 ns | | | Zhang <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| Thermoplastic ($\rho = 1020 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 6 | Nd:YAG | | 50 | 2 | Hassan <i>et al</i> (1994) |
| Reflective ($\rho = 1010 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | 60 | Ar ion | 18 W | | | Grant <i>et al</i> (1992) |
| | 30 | Ar ion | 12–18 W | 200 | | Grant and Wang (1994) |
| Metallic coated | 4 | Ar ion | 2 W | | 2 | Magness <i>et al</i> (1993) |
| | 14 | Ar ion | | | 1 | Johari <i>et al</i> (1996) |
| Microspheres ($\rho = 700 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$) | <30 | Ar ion | | | | Graham and Soria (1994) |
| H ₂ bubbles | | Ar ion | 1 W | | 0.3 | Dieter <i>et al</i> (1994) |

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Table 2. Particle response in turbulent flow ($\eta = 0.99$).

| Particle | ρ_p (kg m ⁻³) | Gas (10 ⁵ Pa) | Density ratio s | Viscosity ν (m ² s ⁻¹) | f_c (kHz) | Sk_c | d_p (μm) |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|--|----------------|------------------|---------------|
| TiO ₂ | 3500 | Air (300 K) | 2950 | 1.50×10^{-5} | 1 10 | 0.0295 0.0113 | 1.44 0.45 |
| Al ₂ O ₃ | 3970 | Flame (1800 K) | 20250 | 3.00×10^{-4} | 1 10 | 0.0113 0.0342 | 2.46 1.67 |
| Glass | 2600 | Air (300 K) | 2190 | 1.50×10^{-5} | 1 10 | 0.0645 0.1742 | 0.53 0.98 |
| Olive oil | 970 | Air (220 K) | 617 | 1.45×10^{-5} | 1 10 | 8.50 2.69 | 3.09 |
| Microballoon | 100 | Air (300 K) | 84.5 | 1.50×10^{-5} | 1 10 | | |

the Stokes number Sk , a characteristic non-dimensional frequency of the particle response. Sk is defined here as

$$Sk = \left(\frac{\omega}{\nu} \right)^{1/2} d_p \quad (6)$$

SEPARATE SLIDES!

1. LDA (ppt, Dantec)
2. PIV (ppt, VKI) + Stereo PIV (Dantec)
3. PTV(S) (ppt, PDF, VKI – pivneta course)

Suggested hadout, books, literatures:

Website of Dept. Fluid Mech for this subject:

<http://wwwара.bme.hu/oktatas/tantargy/NEPTUN/BMEGEATMW03/2011-2012-II/>

Springer Handbook of Experimental Fluid Mechanics

(Eds.: Tropea, Yarin, Foss), ISBN 978-3-540-25141-5 (Springer-Verlag Berlin 2007)

Measurement Techniques in Fluid Dynamics – An Introduction

(VKI Lecture Series 2001)

Advanced measurement techniques

(VKI Lecture Series, 1998.)

Optical velocity measurements

(VKI Lecture Series 1994.

Laser Doppler Velocimetry

(Dantec website: www.dantecdynamics.com)

Particle Image Velocimetry - A Practical Guide

(Eds.: Raffel/Willart/Kompenhans) Springer-Verlag, Berlin 1998, ISBN 978-3-540-72307-3

Flow Visualization - Techniques and Examples

(Eds.: Smits&Lim), Imperial College Press, London, 2003

Laser Doppler and Phase Doppler Measurement Techniques

(Albrecht, Damaschke, Borys, Tropea: Springer-Verlag)

Laser Techniques and Applications in Fluid Mechanics

(Springer Verlag ISBN 3-540-56879-4)

Speckle Metrology (Eds: R.S. Sirohi, , Marcel Dekker, New York, 1993, ISBN 0-82478-932-6

Holographic Interferometry: Principles and Methods

(Kreis) Akademie Verlag, 1996, ISBN 3-05501-644-0

Handbook of Holographic Interferometry

(Kreis) Wiley-VCH, Weinheim 2005, ISBN 3-527-40546-1

Optical Measurement Techniques and Applications

(Ed. Pramod K. Rastogi); Artech House 1997, ISBN 0-89006-516-0

PIV systems:

conventional 2D PIV

stereo PIV

High speed (Time Resolved) PIV

micro PIV

ABILITY of the various systems:

- 2D / Planar system provides velocity measurement in a single plane, normally at frame rates up to 15 image pairs/second.
- Stereo / 3D systems use a pair of cameras to provide stereo / 3D measurement of velocity.
- High speed / time resolved products use high speed cameras and high repetition rate, double pulse lasers to take thousands of image pairs per second to provide time resolved velocity data.
- Micro systems view via a time resolved system and provide flow measurement in microfluidic devices.



CVL: Copper vapour laser

-ideal for high-speed, high-power imaging laser. (short pulse, high beam quality, high power beam) makes it ideal for imaging applications at frequencies 10kHz requiring light-sheets or area illumination.

Applications

- High Speed Imaging
- Time Resolved PIV
- Spray Pattern Measurement
- Flow Visualisation



Specifications:

Laser Type: Copper Vapour Laser

Average Power: 20-35W (depending on model)

Pulse Duration: 25ns

Wavelength: 511nm

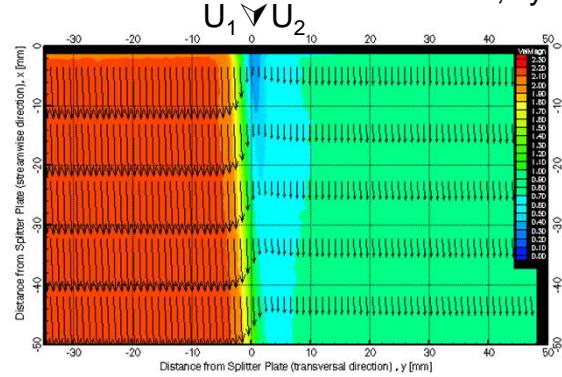
Frequency: 3.5-20KHz continuous running frequency. Burst mode frequencies from 0 to 50KHz available.

Timing Jitter: <2-5ns (depending on model)

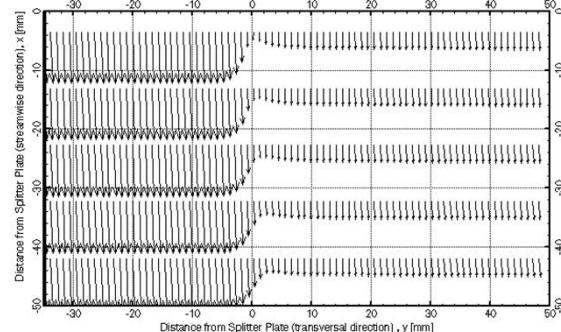
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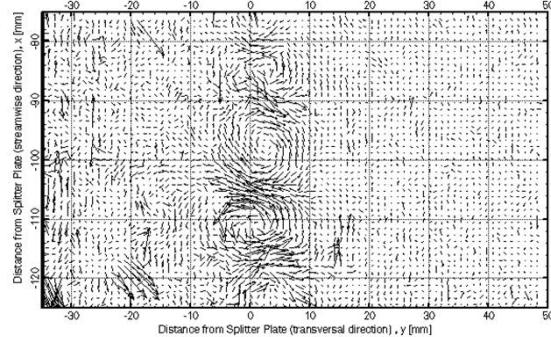
Instantaneous mean ($v_x; v_y$)



$U_1 \searrow U_2$



Instant. fluct.
($v'_x; v'_y$)



(transversal T.I. $_y$)

