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Collapse of a (non-)axisymmetric air cavity in water

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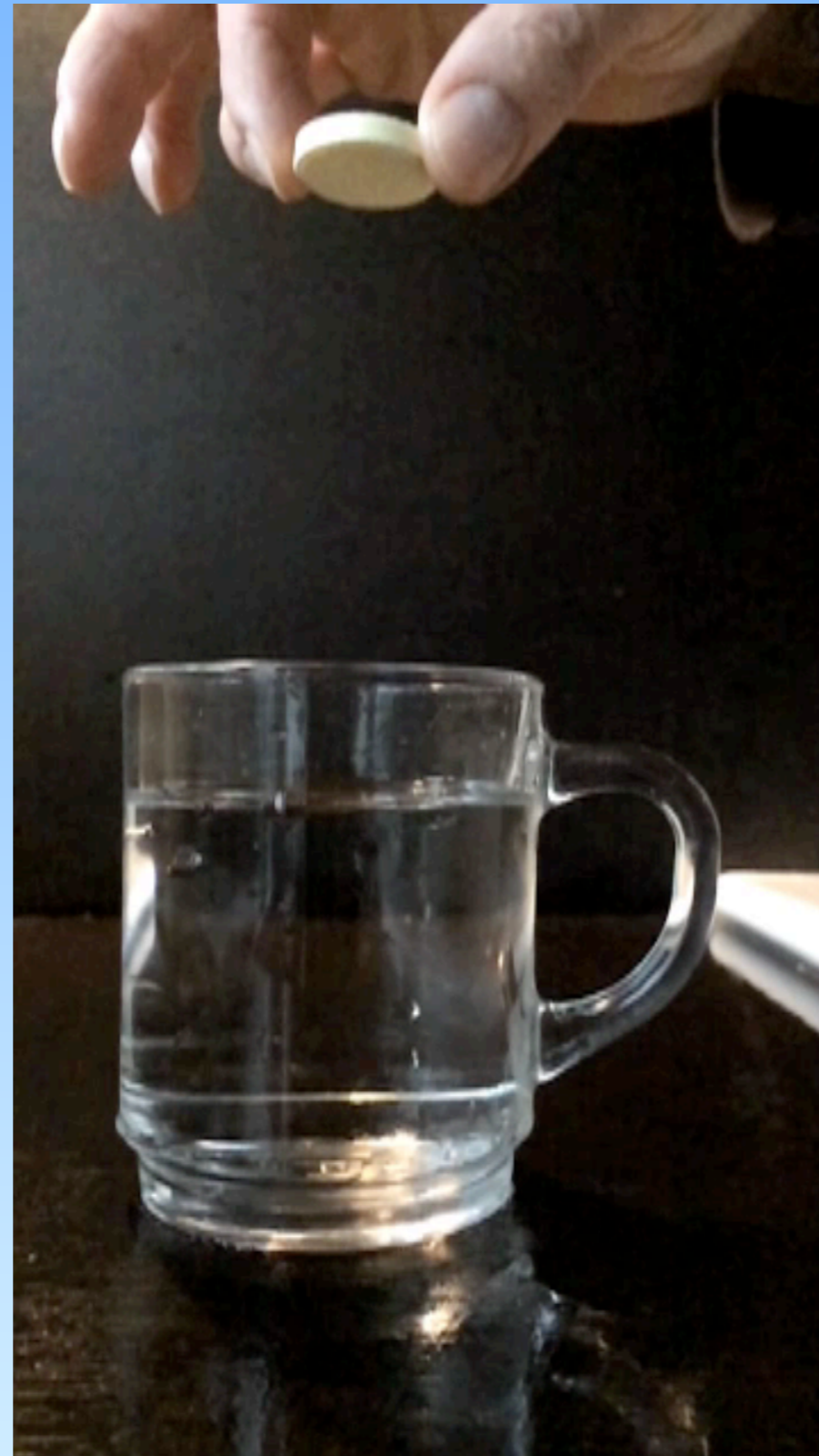
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Disclaimer

- ▶ **singularity**
- ▶ **(controlled) instabilities**
- ▶ **air entrapment**
- ▶ **experiments, theory & numerics**

Talk by Utkarsh Jain - Wednesday at 16:30

Try this at home



... in our lab



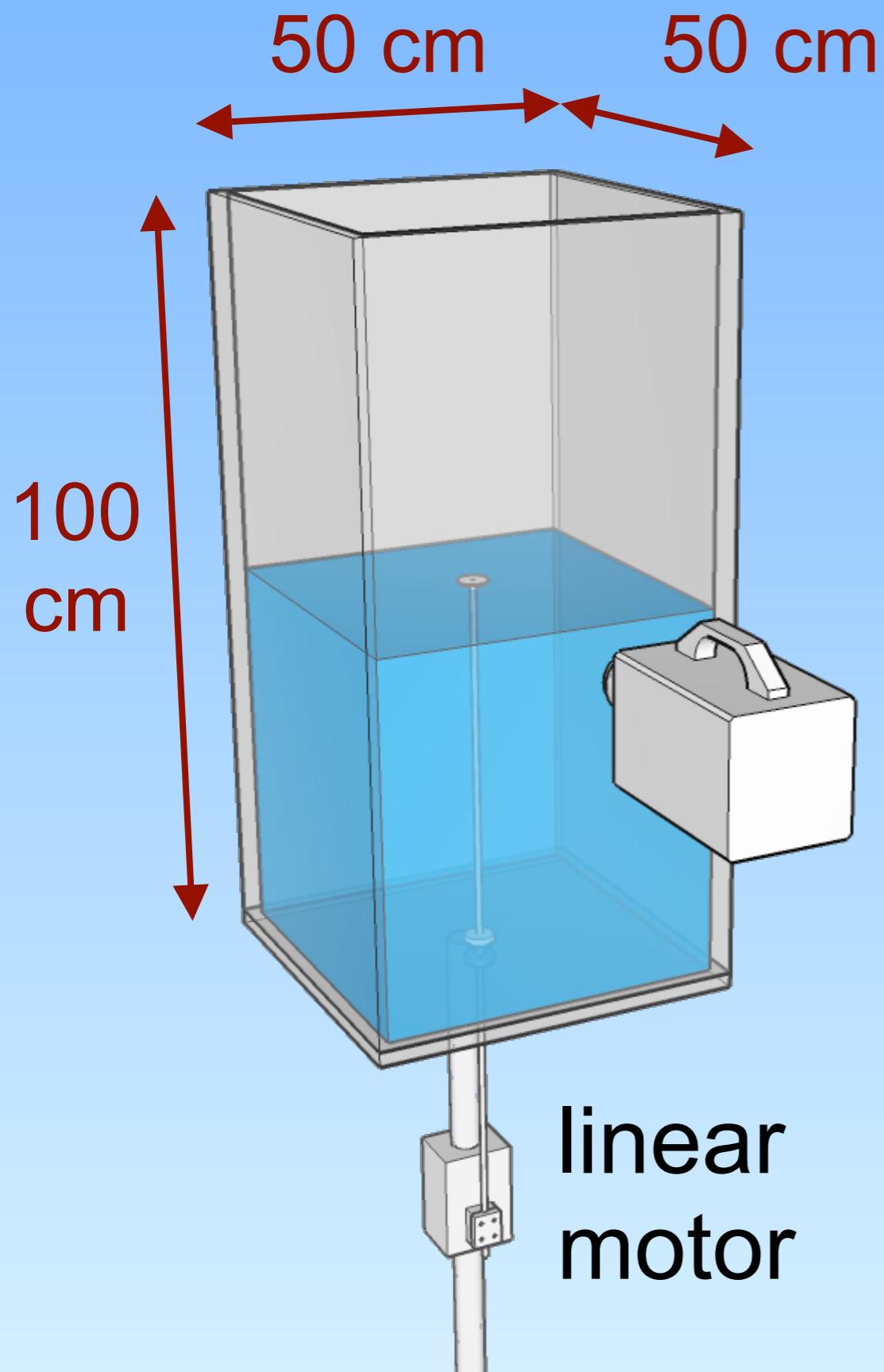
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Experimental setup



Disk pulled through interface



$$V_{impact} = 1.0 \text{ m/s}$$

$$R_{disk} = 0.03 \text{ m}$$

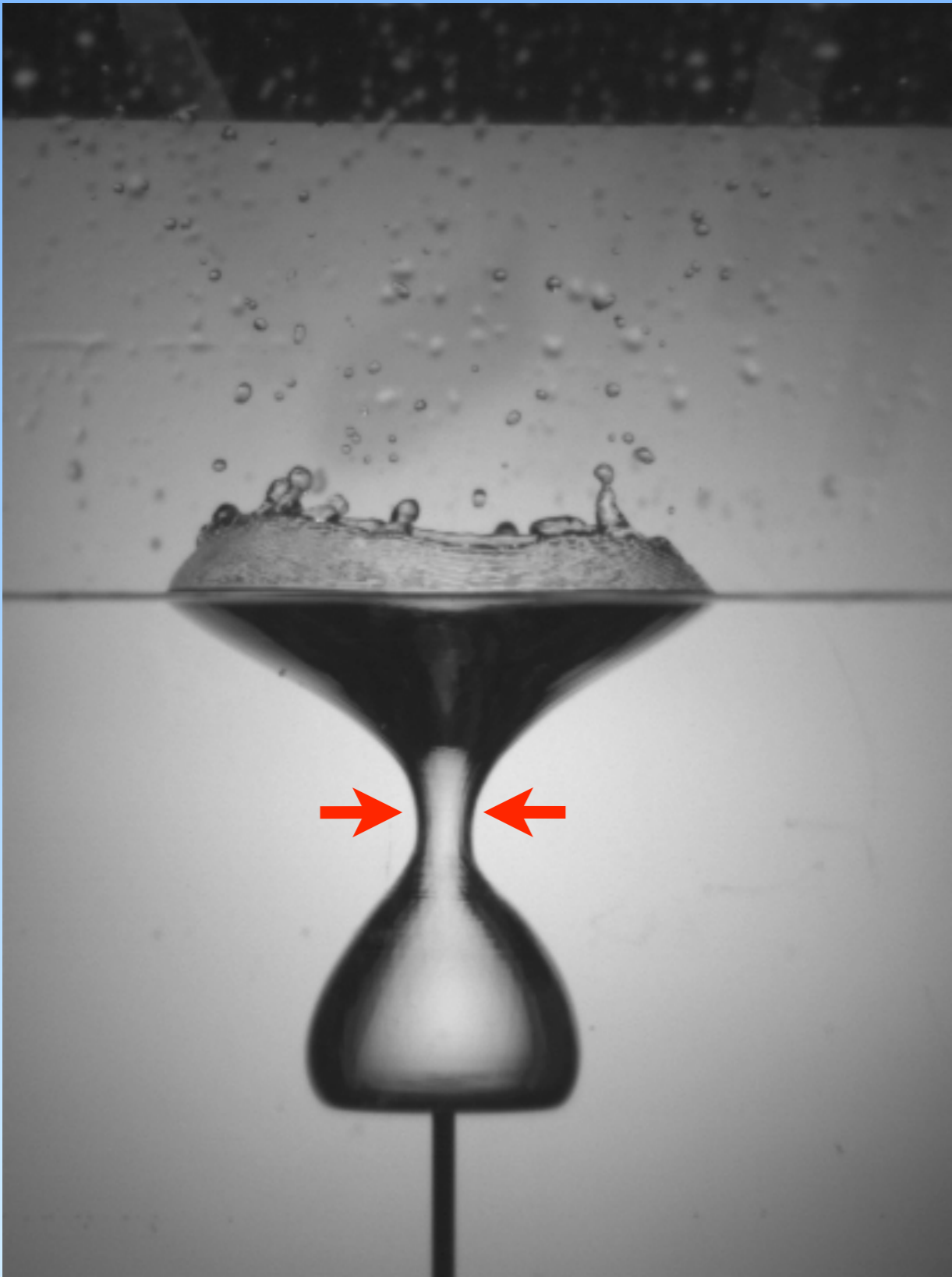
camera @ 1000 fps

Series of events



void creation

Series of events



void creation

void collapse

Series of events



void creation

void collapse

jet creation at singularity

Series of events



void creation

void collapse

jet creation at singularity

air-entrainment

“giant bubble”

Dimensional Analysis

Relevant parameters:

- ▶ disk radius $R_0 \approx 2$ cm
- ▶ disk velocity $V \approx 1$ m/s
- ▶ gravity $g = 9.8$ m/s²
- ▶ density $\rho = 1000$ kg/m³
- ▶ viscosity $\eta = 1.0$ mPas
- ▶ surface tension $\sigma = 0.074$ N/m

$$\text{Fr} = \frac{V^2}{gR_0} \approx 5$$

(Froude number)

inertia and gravity
dominant

$$\text{We} = \frac{\rho V^2 R_0}{\sigma} \approx 300$$

(Weber number)

$$\text{Re} = \frac{\rho V R_0}{\eta} \approx 20,000$$

(Reynolds number)

viscosity unimportant
⇒ potential flow

Boundary Integral simulations

Laplace equation for potential:

$$\nabla^2 \varphi = 0$$

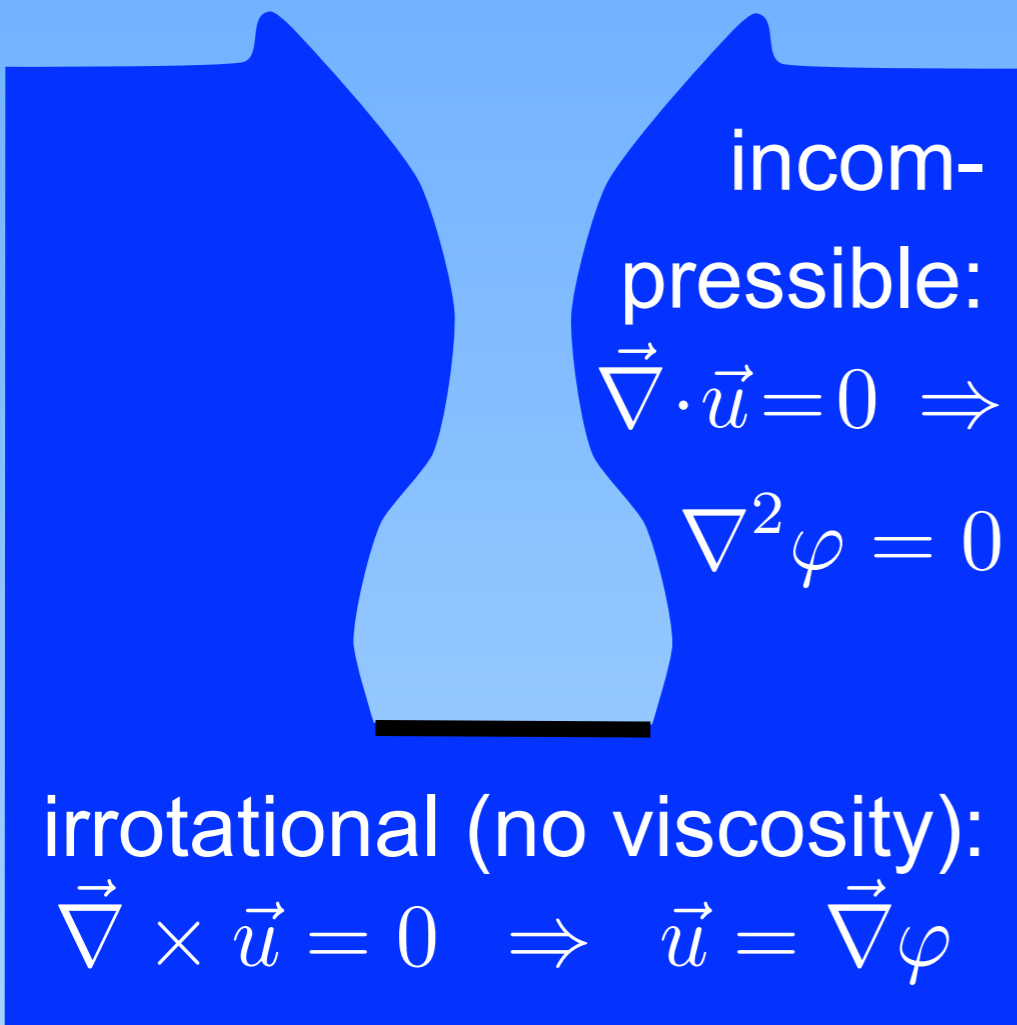
is solved as a boundary integral:

$$\varphi(\vec{x}_0, t) = \iint_{\partial V} \left[G(|\vec{x} - \vec{x}_0|) \vec{\nabla} \varphi(\vec{x}, t) - \varphi(\vec{x}, t) \vec{\nabla} G(|\vec{x} - \vec{x}_0|) \right] \cdot d\vec{A}$$

(Green's third identity)

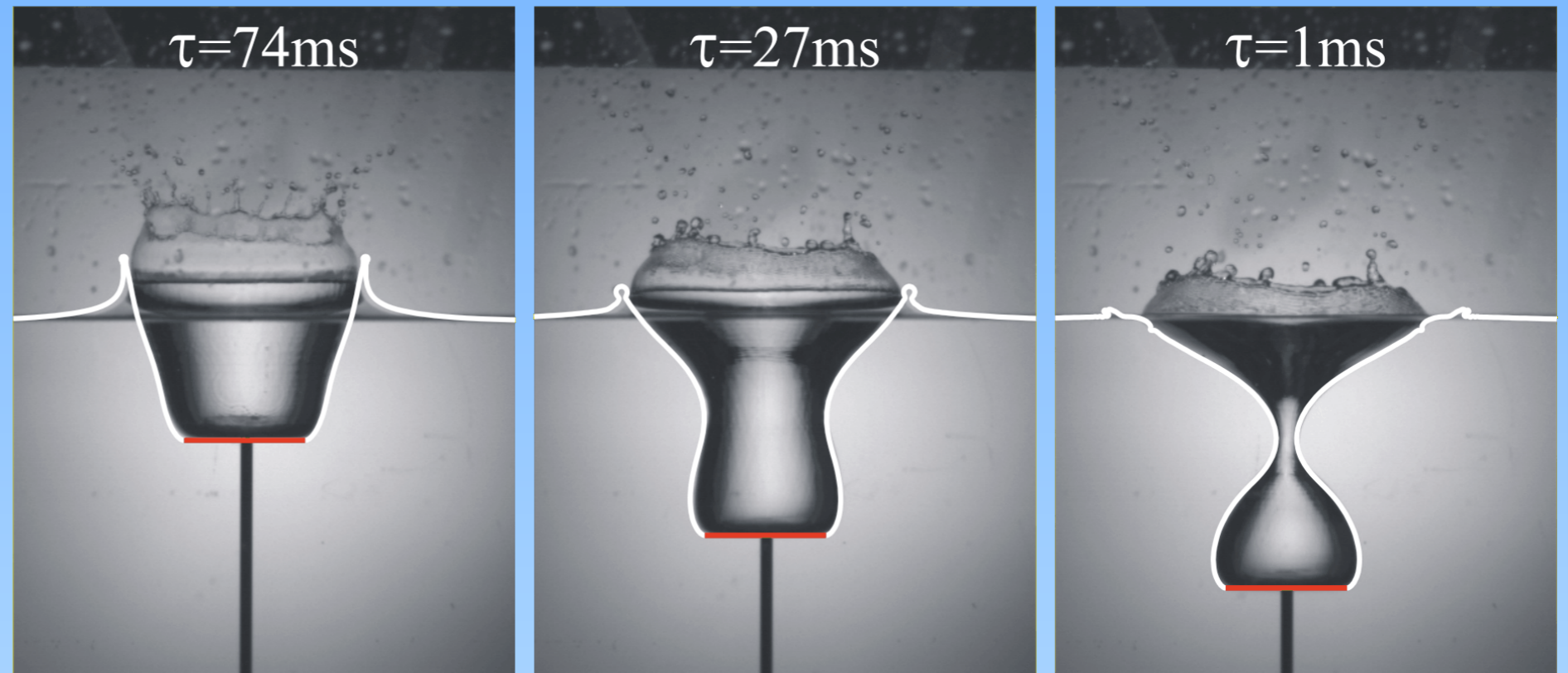
Unsteady Bernoulli equation provides time evolution:

$$\frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2} |\vec{\nabla} \varphi|^2 = -gz - \frac{\sigma}{\rho} \kappa$$

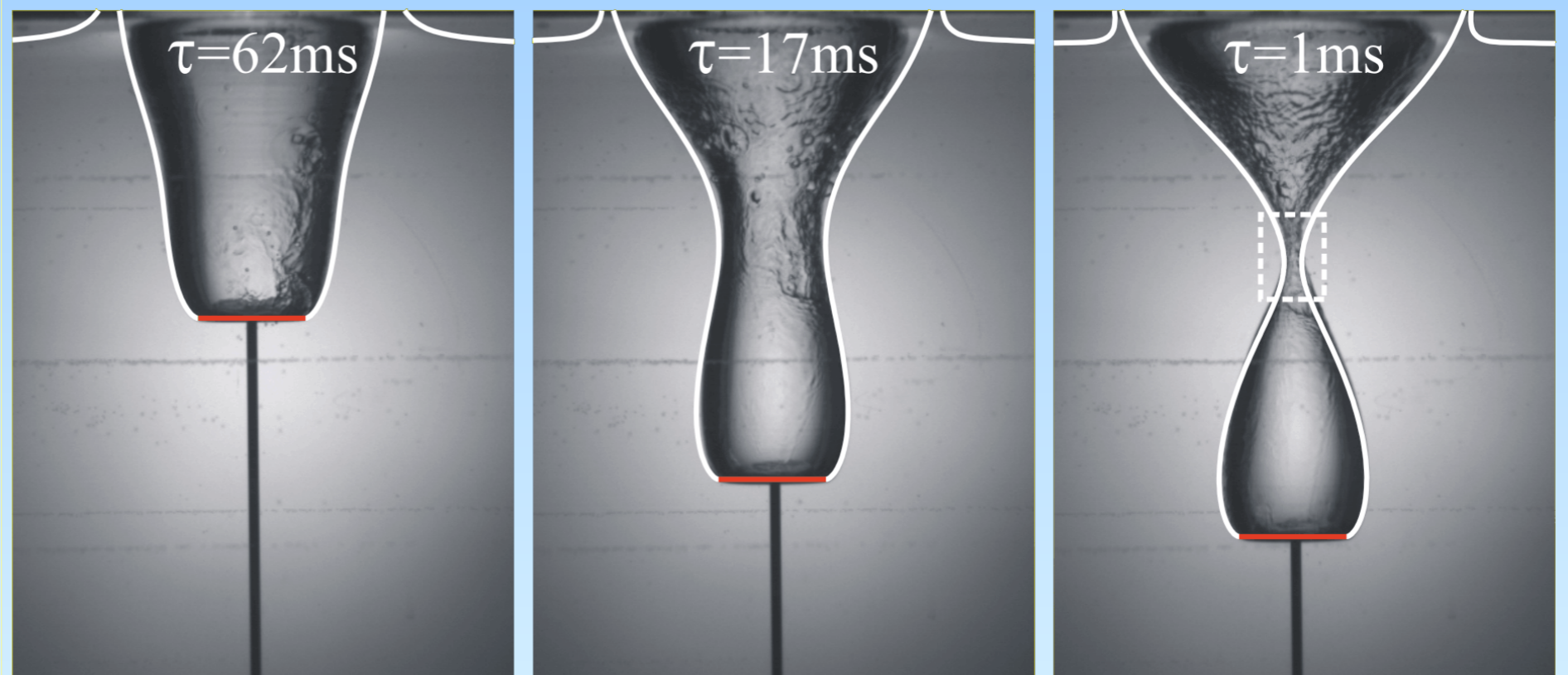


BI simulation vs. experiments

$Fr = 3.4$

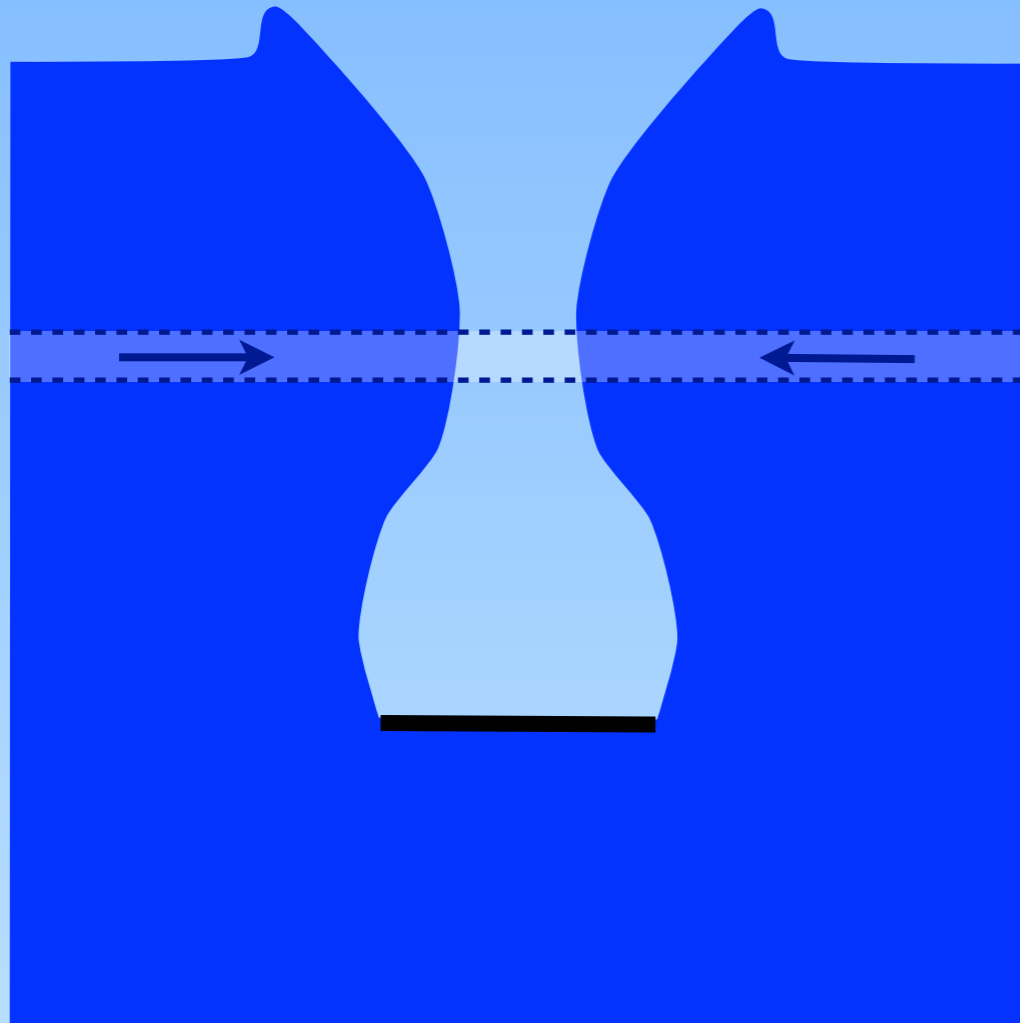


$Fr = 13.6$



No free parameter!

Model: Slender cavity limit



Flow in horizontal layers:

→ Assume potential flow

→ Assume axisymmetry

→ Neglect axial flow

needed: equation for
2D fluid flow in layers

2D Rayleigh-Besant equation

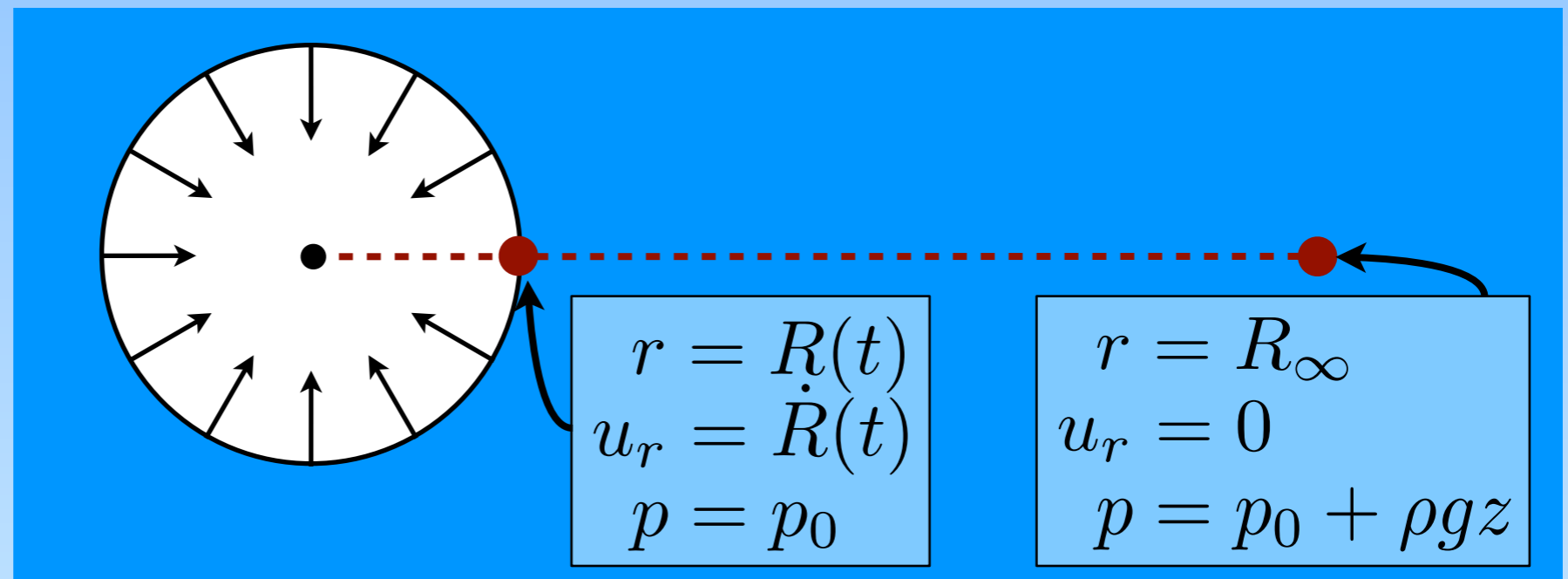
Euler equation in cylindrical coordinates

$$\frac{\partial u_r}{\partial t} + u_r \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial r} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial r}$$

Continuity equation

$$r u_r = R \dot{R}$$

Integrate with boundary conditions:



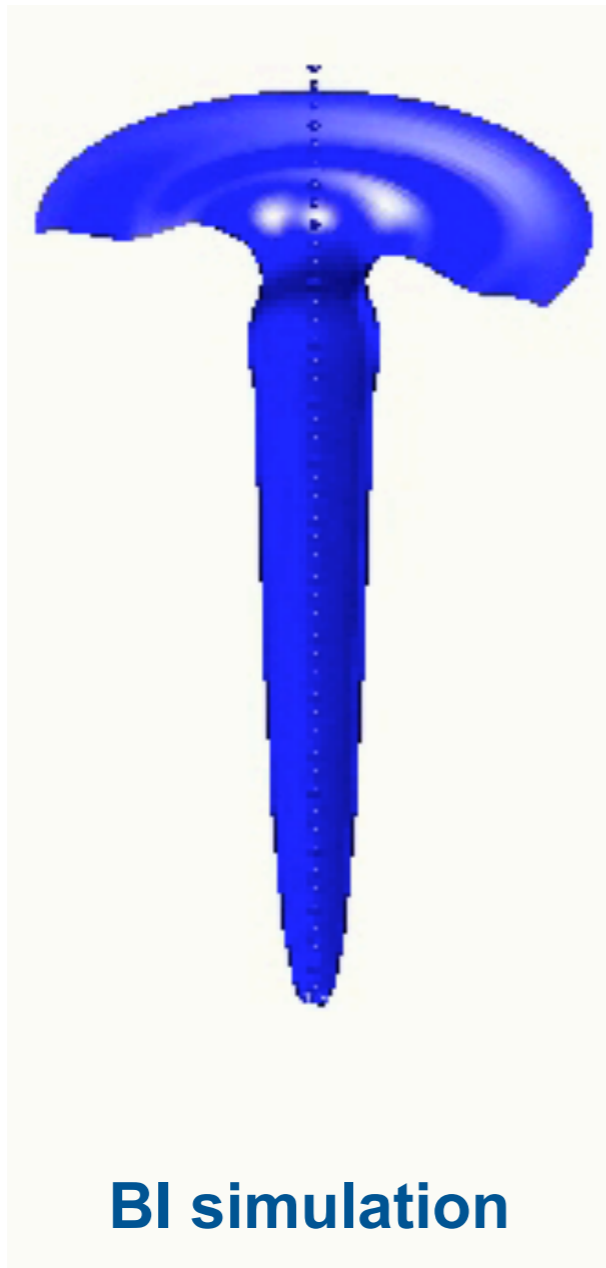
result

$$\frac{d}{dt} (R \dot{R}) \log \frac{R}{R_\infty} + \frac{1}{2} \dot{R}^2 = g z$$

2D Rayleigh equation

Void creation (at microscale)

**Impact of a train
of micro droplets**
($d = 100 \mu\text{m}$;
 $V = 12.6 \text{ m/s}$)



BI simulation

$$\frac{d}{dt} (R\dot{R}) \underbrace{\log \frac{R}{R_\infty}}_{\text{large}} + \frac{1}{2} \dot{R}^2 = \cancel{gz}$$

**gravity
negligible**

$$\frac{d}{dt} (R\dot{R}) = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} R^2 \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow R(t) = \sqrt{2R_0\dot{R}_0(t + t_0)}$$

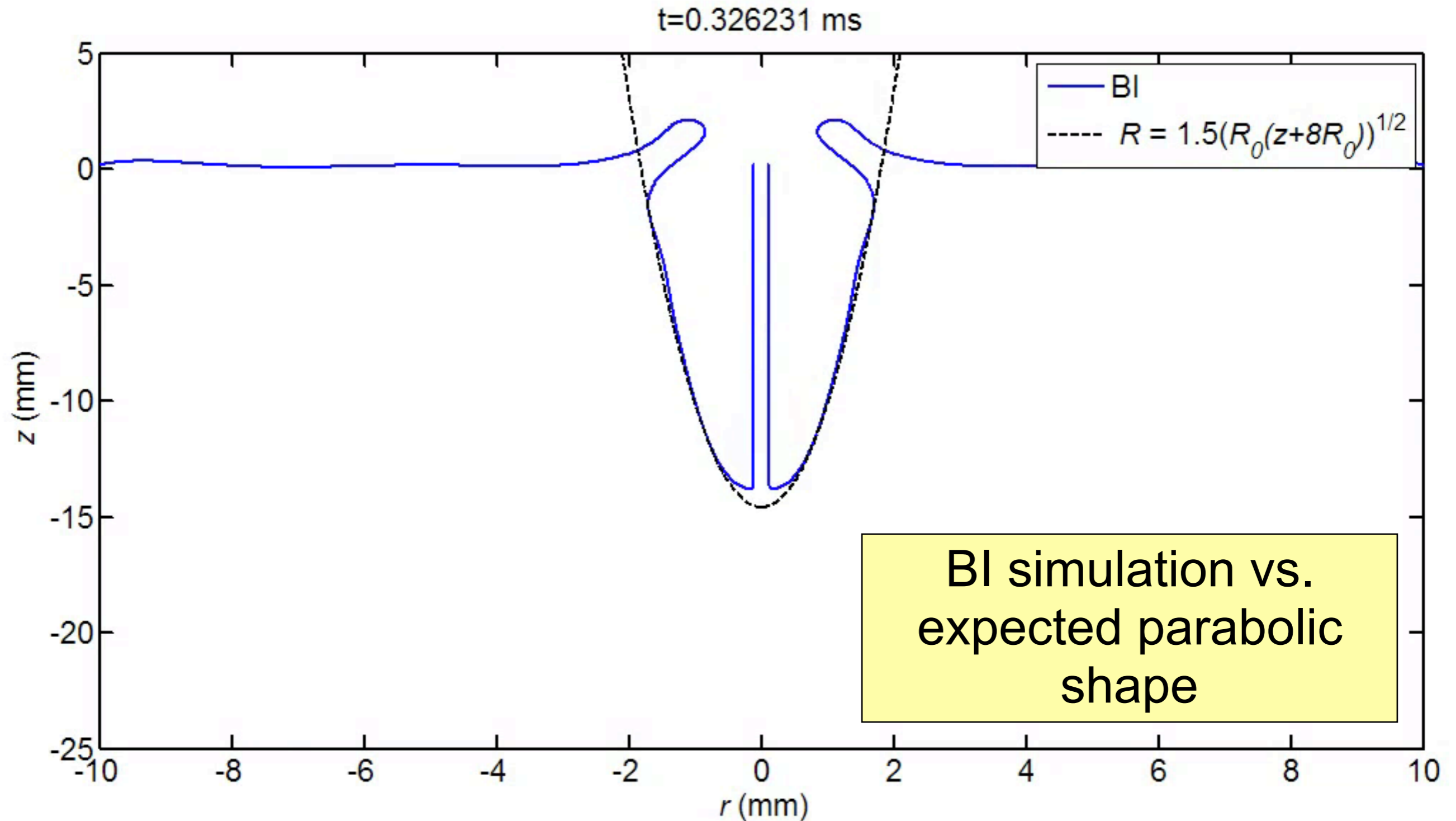
**Void created with
constant velocity V :**

$$t = \frac{z}{V}$$

$$R(z) = \sqrt{2R_0 \frac{\dot{R}_0}{V} (z + z_0)}$$

Parabolic shape !

Cavity shape (at microscale)



Cavity shape (disc impact)

$$\Delta t_{reach} = \frac{z}{V}$$

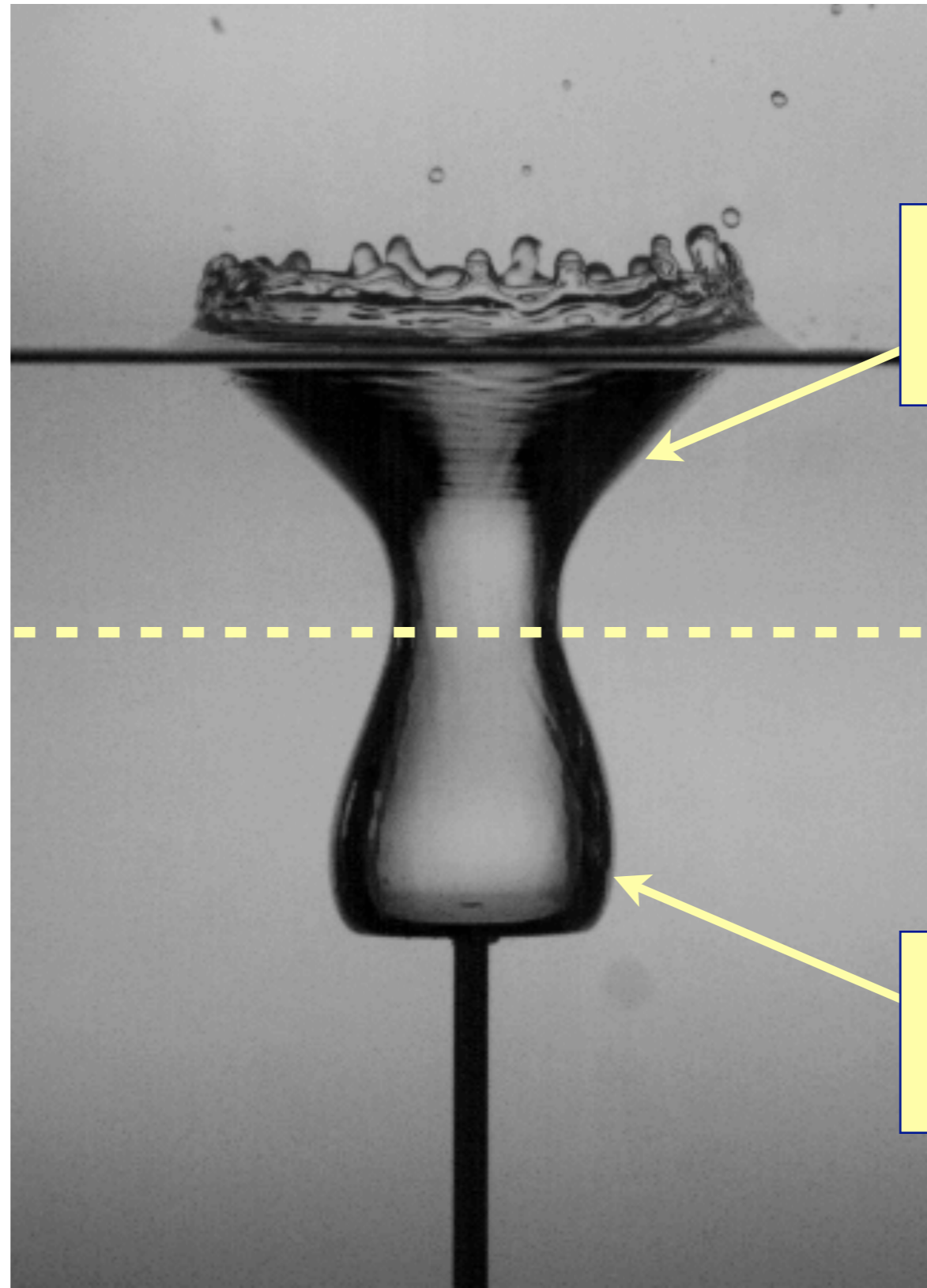
determined by
impact speed

$$\Delta t_{coll}$$

determined by
hydrostatic
pressure

$$\frac{d}{dt}(R\dot{R}) \log \frac{R}{R_\infty}$$

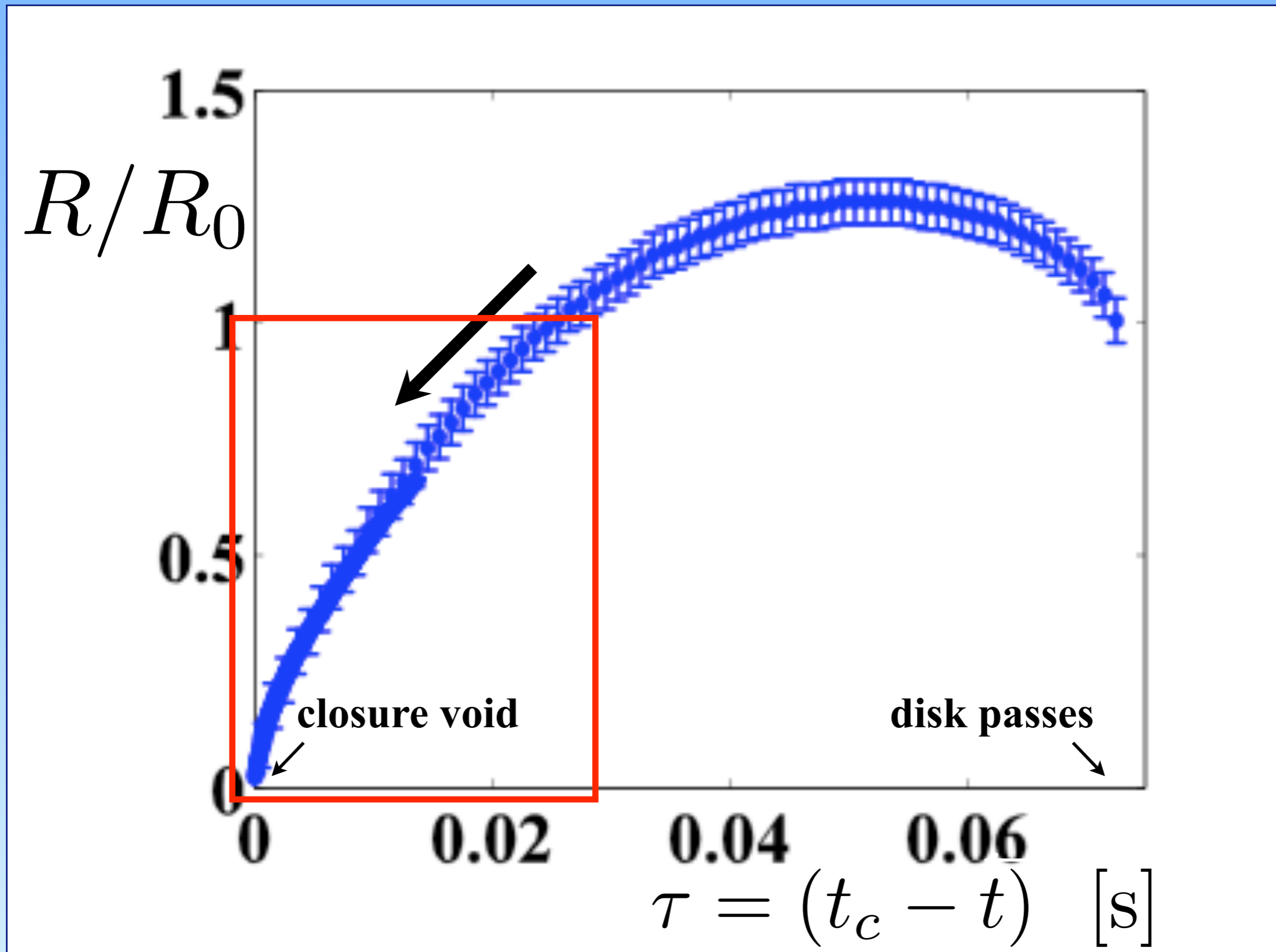
$$+ \frac{1}{2}\dot{R}^2 = gz$$



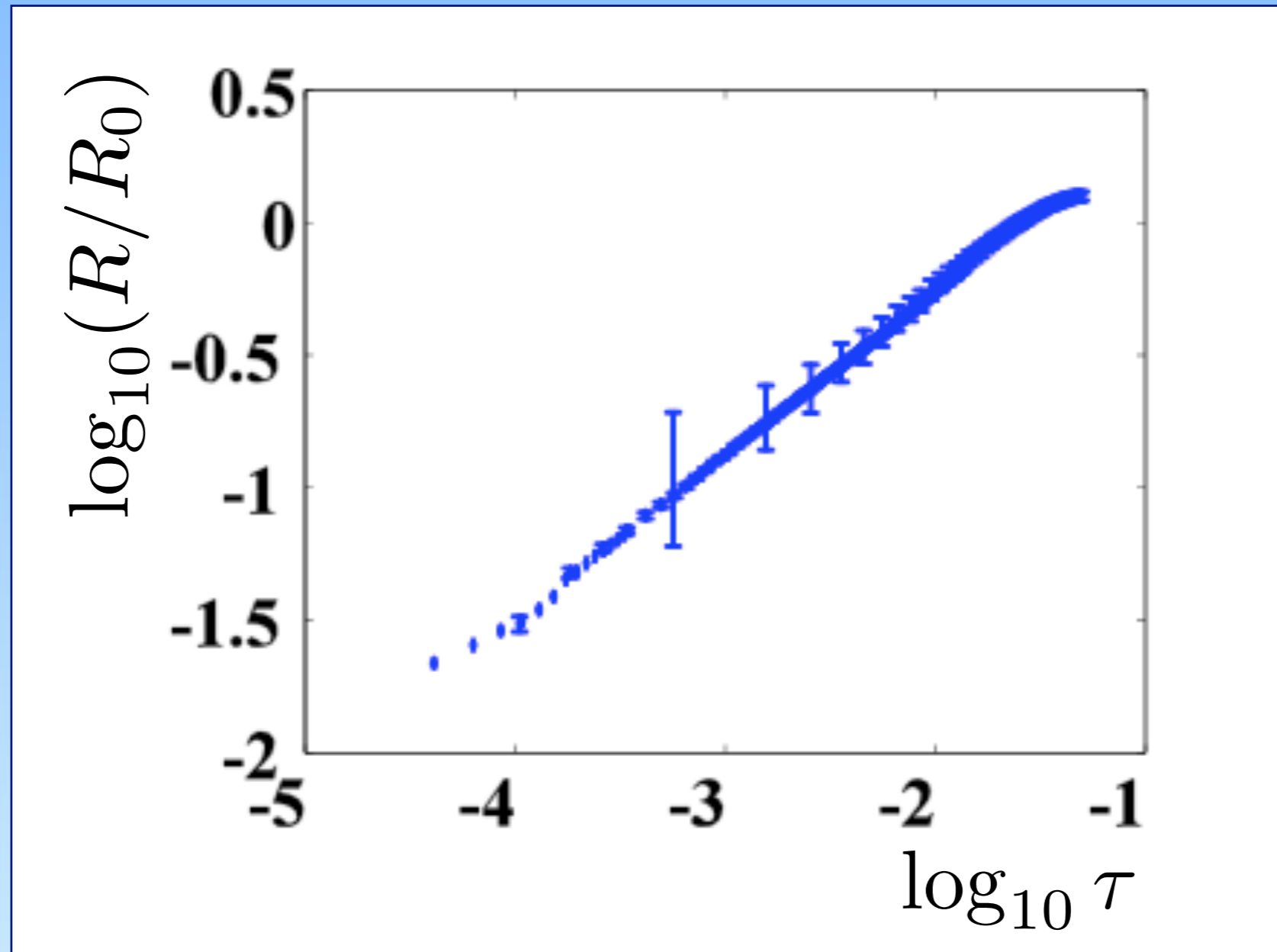
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Δt_{reach} is long
 Δt_{coll} is short

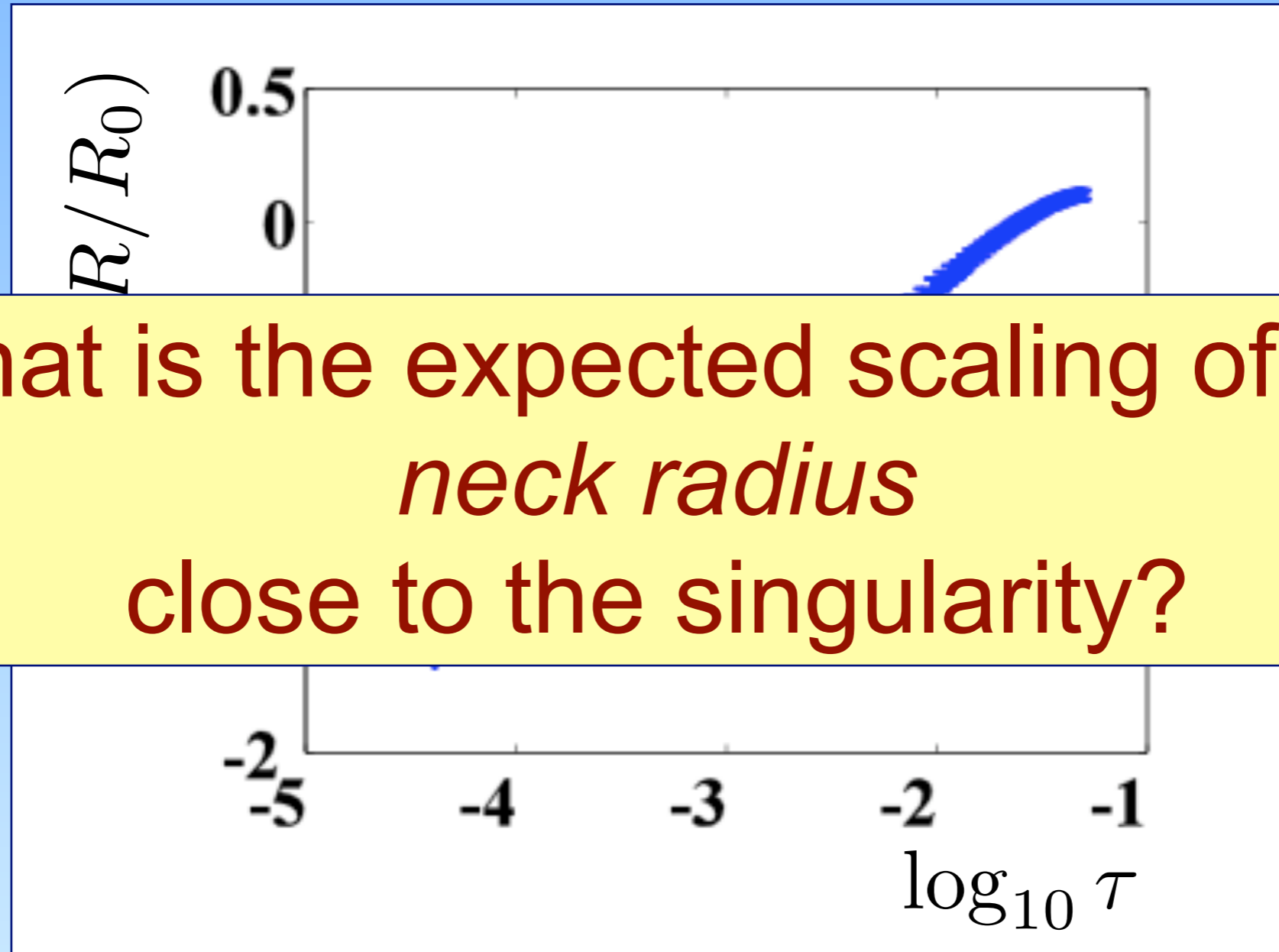
Neck radius $R(\tau)$ [experiment]



Neck radius scaling



Neck radius scaling



Back to 2D Rayleigh

$$\frac{d}{dt}(R\dot{R}) \underbrace{\log \frac{R}{R_\infty}}_{\text{large}} + \frac{1}{2}\dot{R}^2 = \cancel{gz}$$

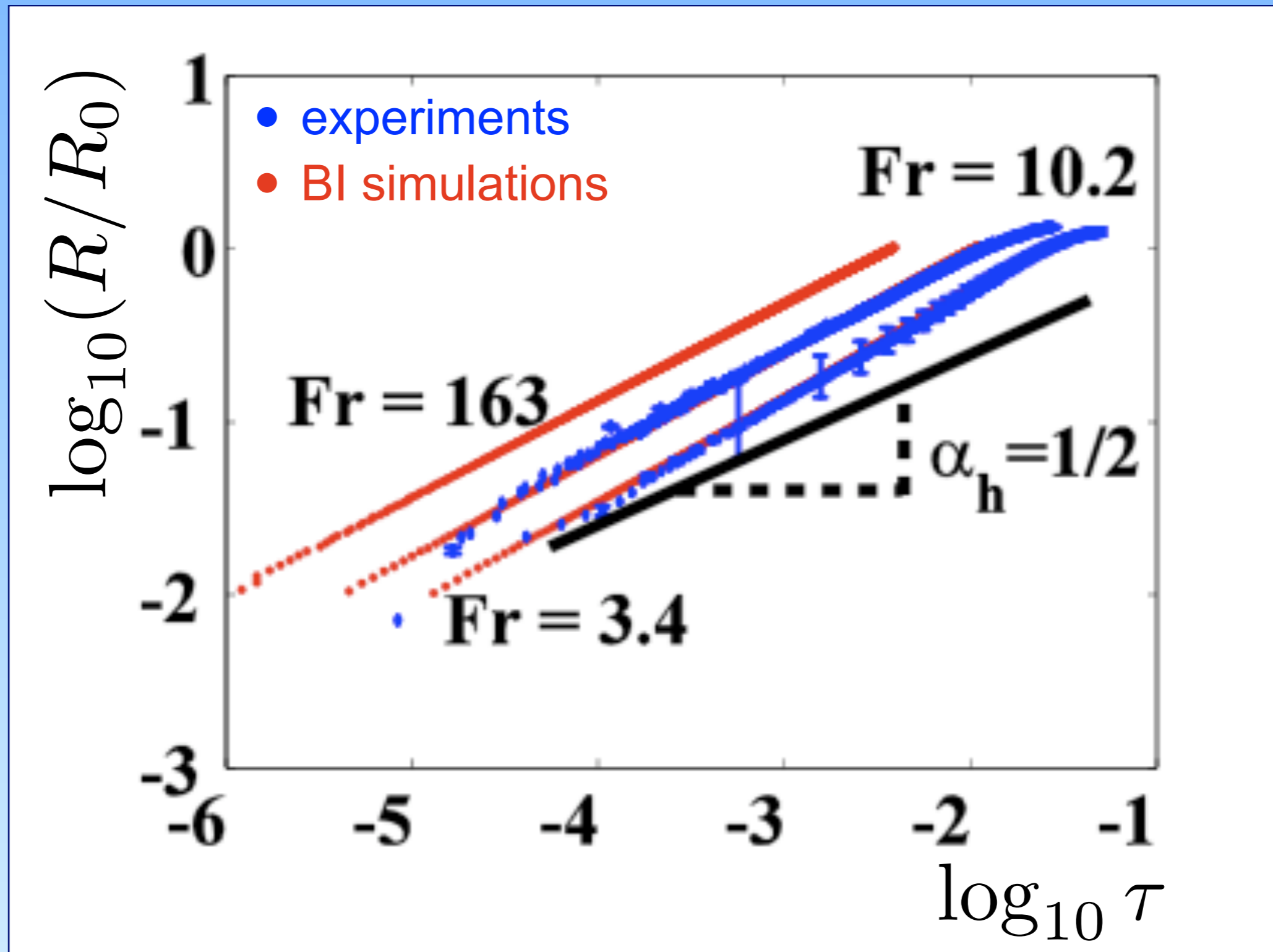
gravity negligible

$$\frac{d}{dt}(R\dot{R}) = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} R^2 \right) = 0$$
$$R(t_c) = 0 \quad (\text{collapse time } t_c)$$

} \Rightarrow

$$R(t) \sim R_0 (t_c - t)^{1/2}$$

Rayleigh scaling in experiment?



Rayleigh scaling in experiment?

Scaling exponent α consistently higher than 2D Rayleigh:

$$R \sim R_0 \tau^{1/2}$$

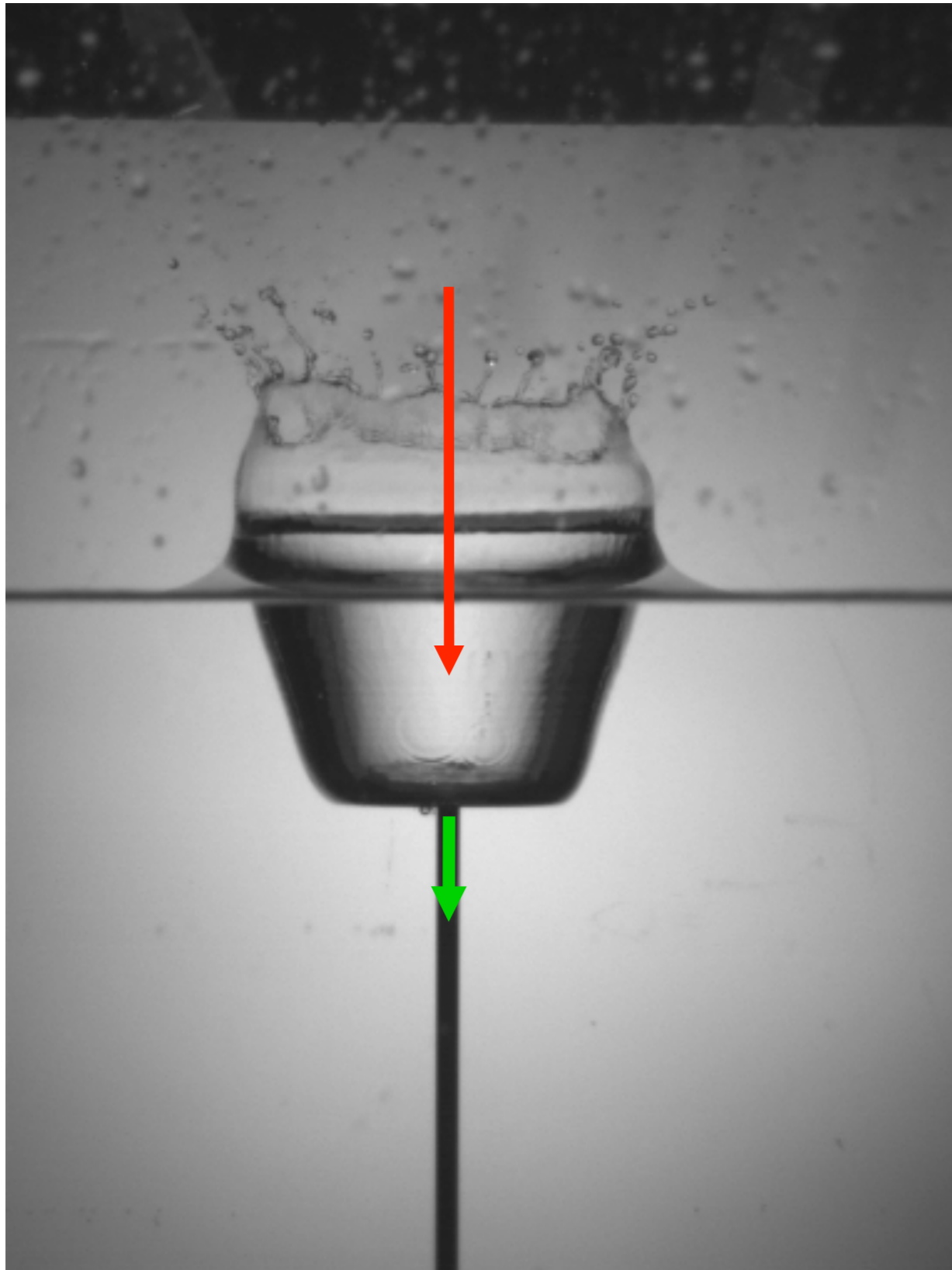
More elaborate analysis of 2D Rayleigh:

$$\alpha = \frac{\log(\frac{1}{4}\gamma^2)}{1 + 2\log(\frac{1}{4}\gamma^2)}$$

where γ is the cavity aspect ratio

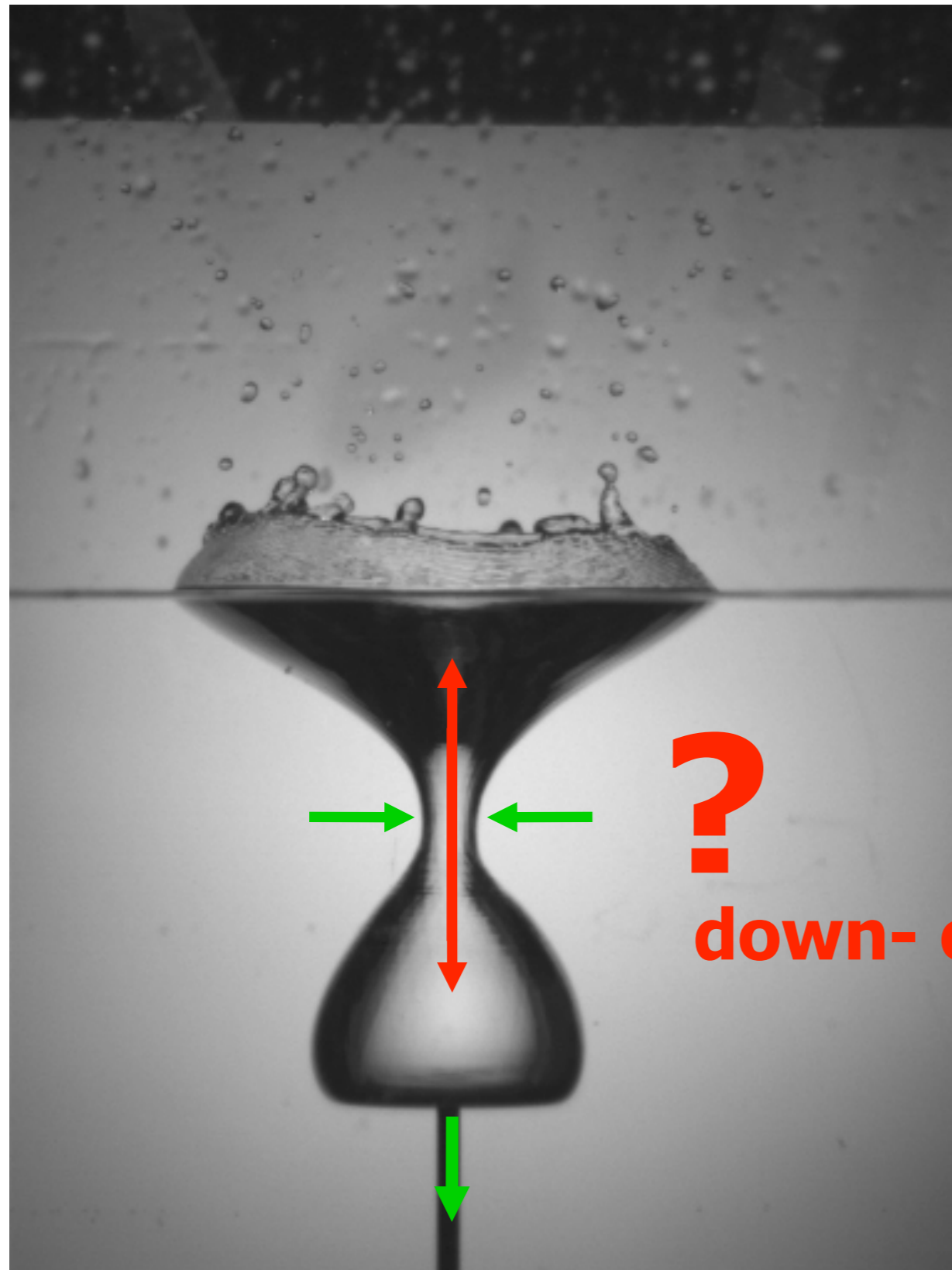
$\log_{10} \tau$

How about the airflow in the cavity ?



crown splash &
cavity formation

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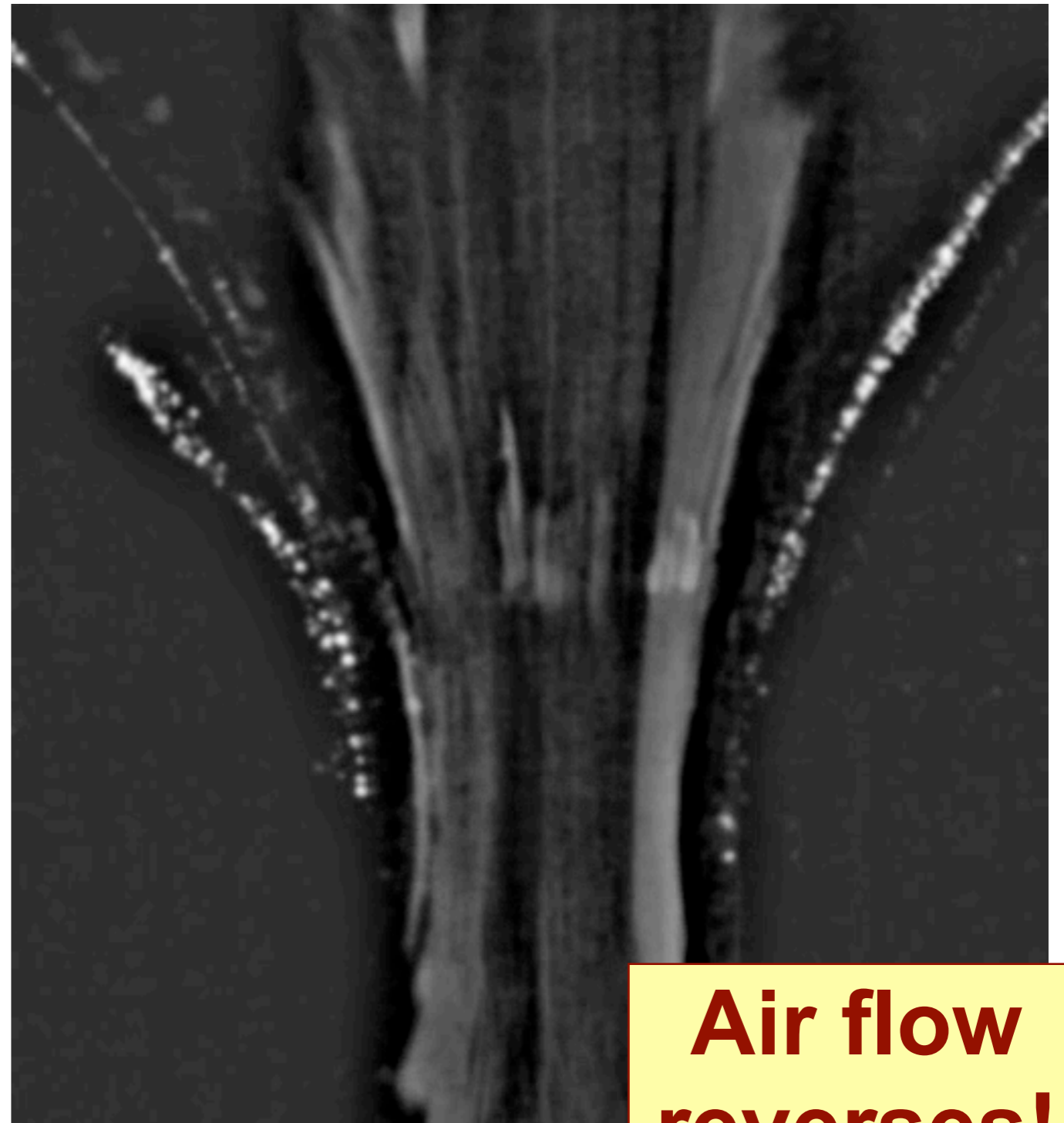
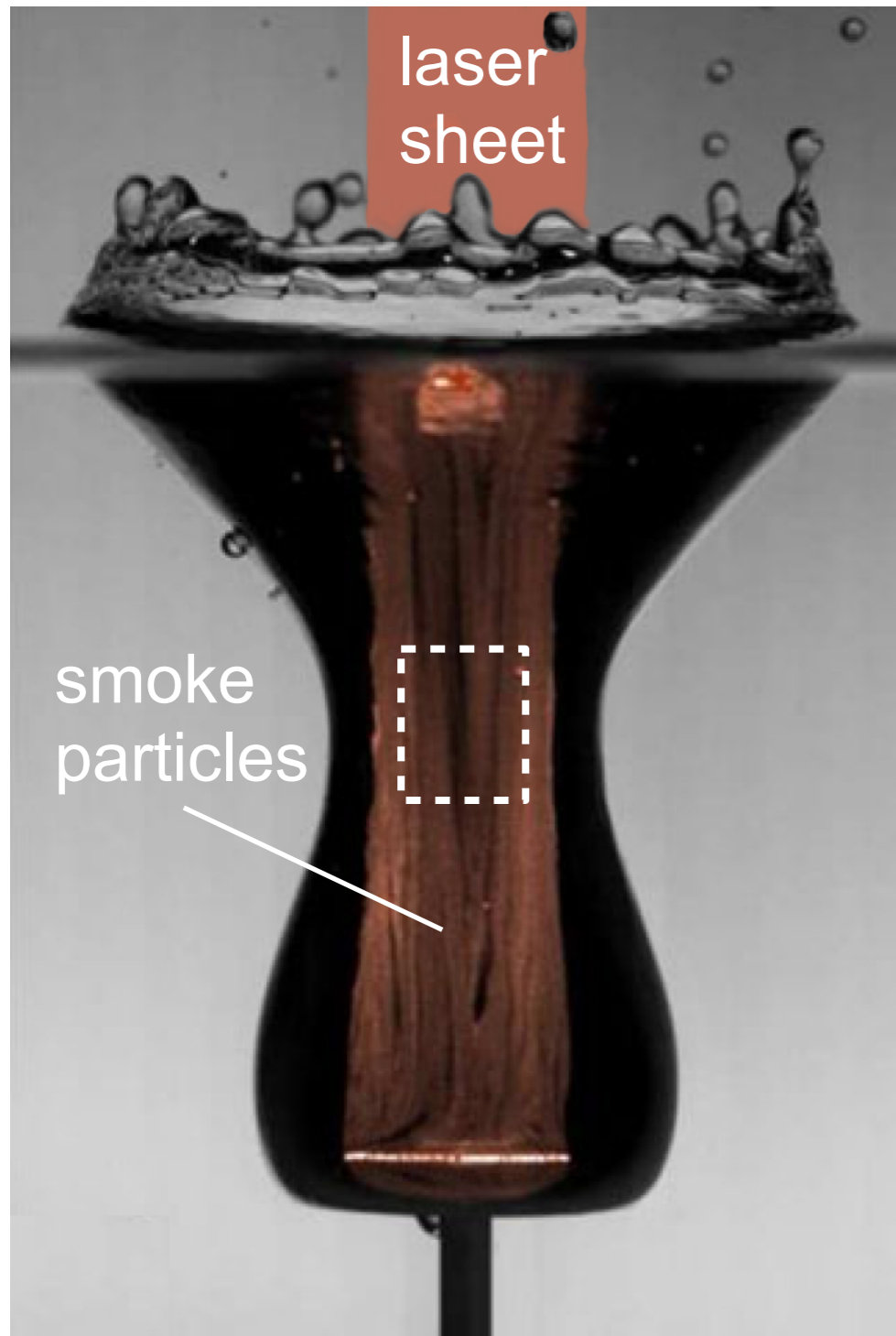
crown splash &
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cavity closure

?

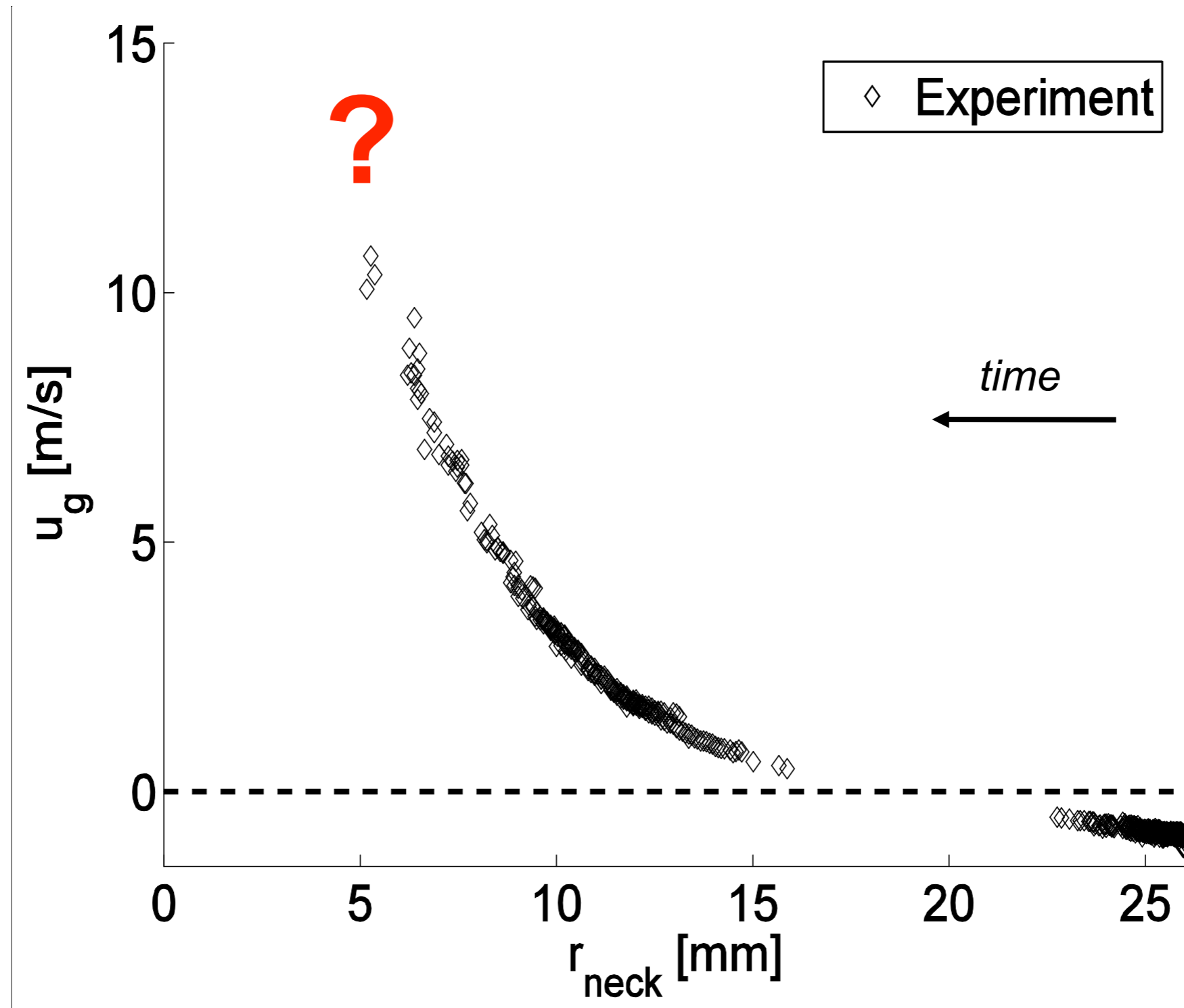
down- or upwards ?

Following smoke particles



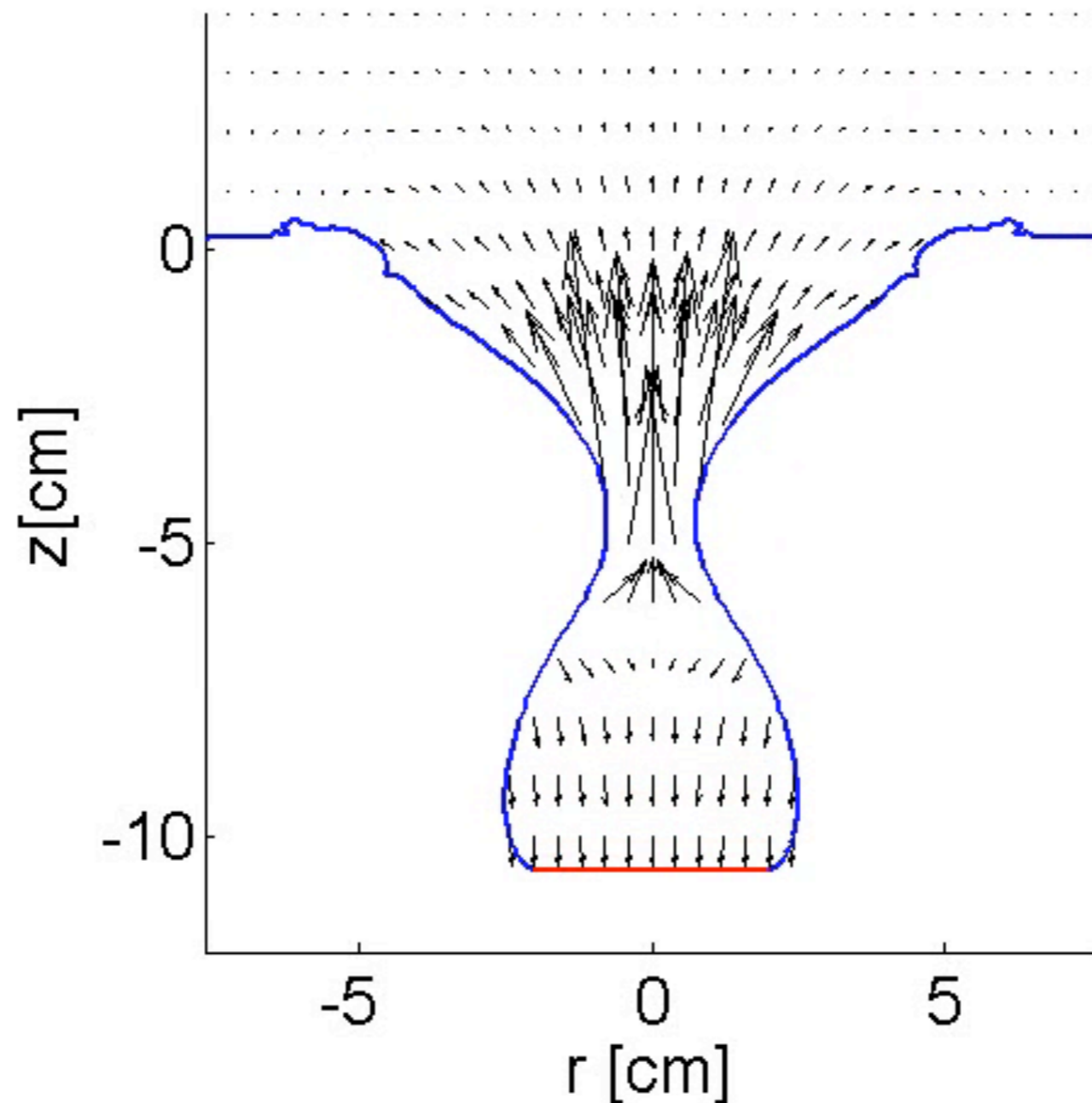
Air flow reverses!

Air speed from smoke measurements



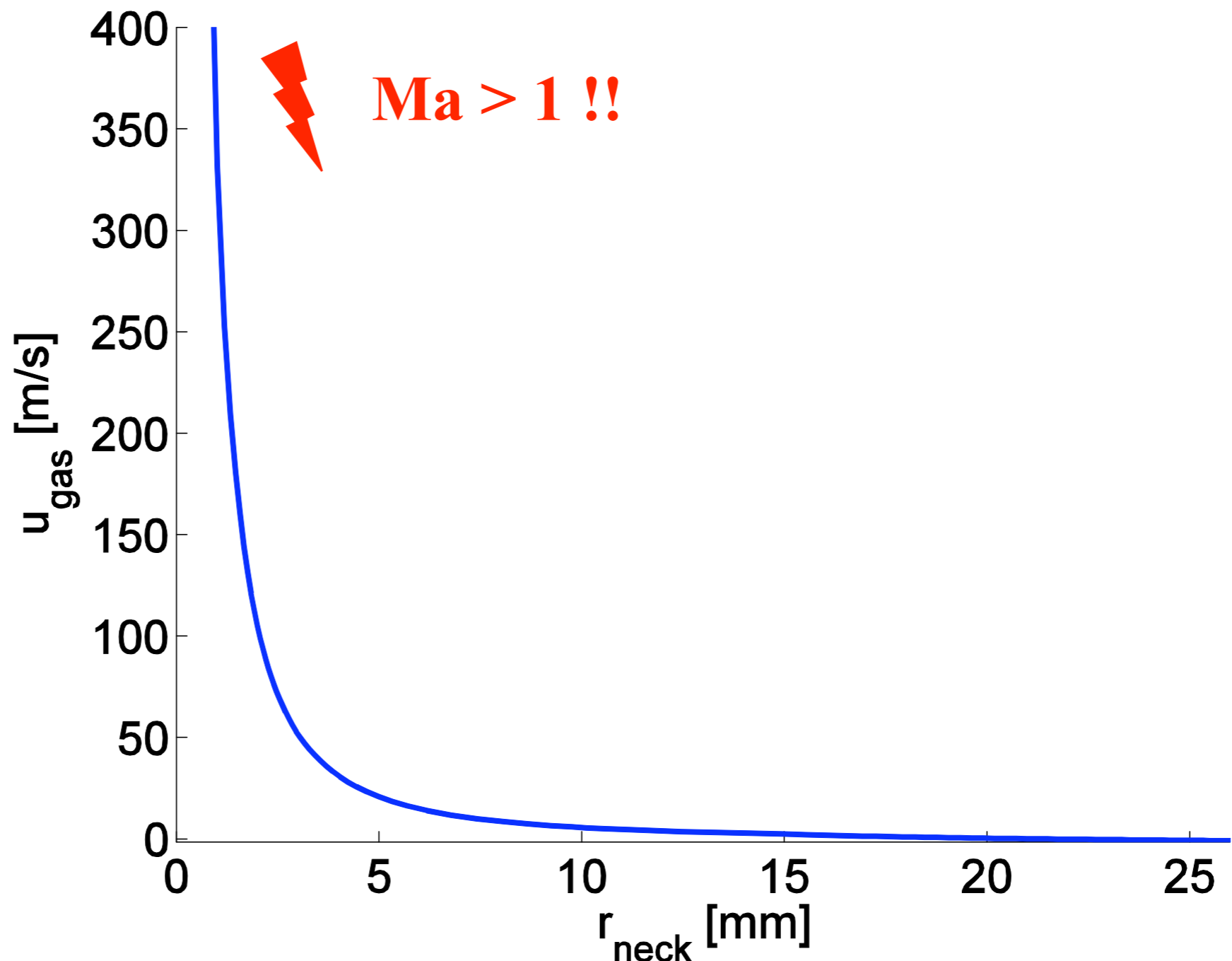
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- Potential flow for both liquid and air:
irrotational, inviscid, incompressible

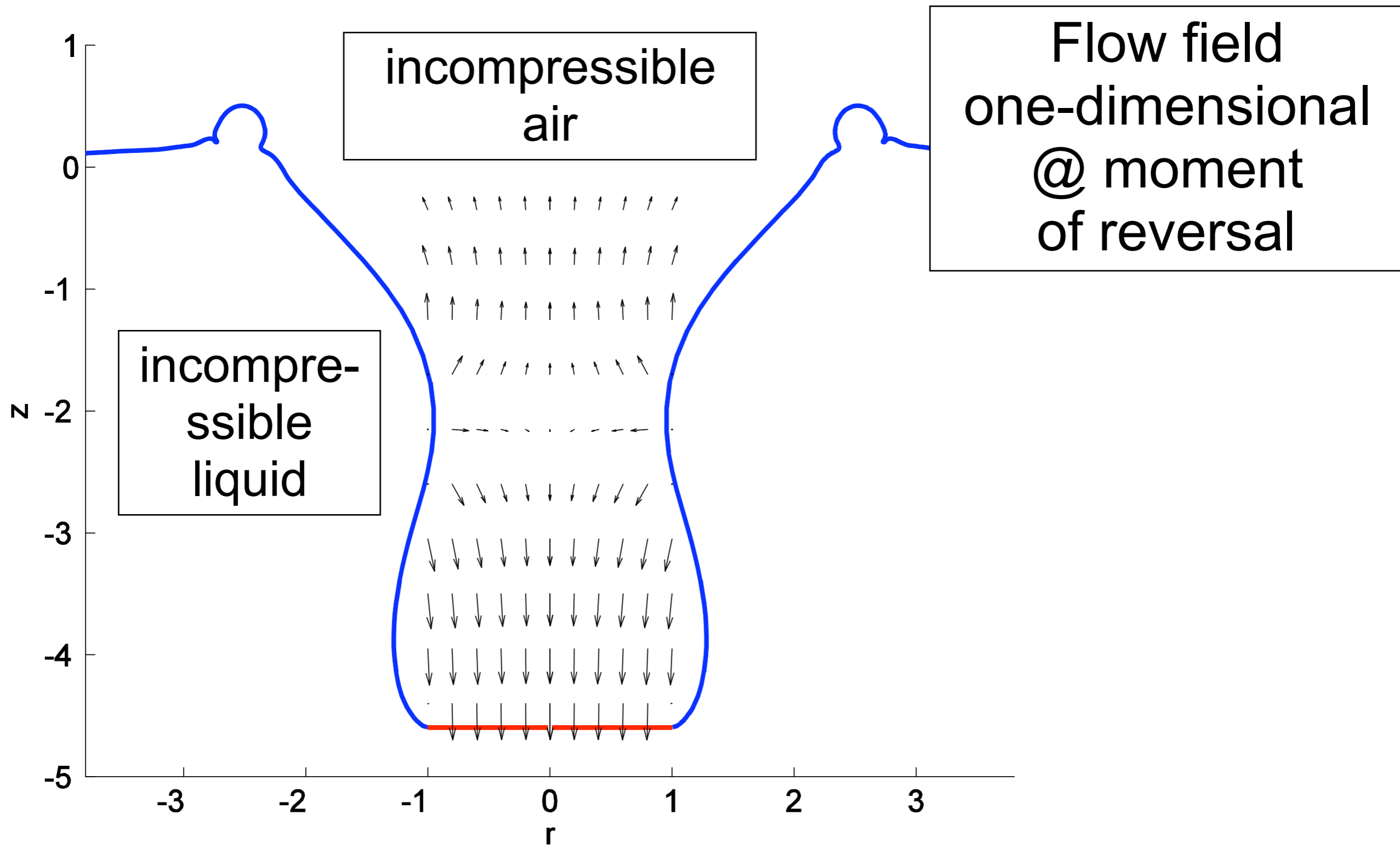


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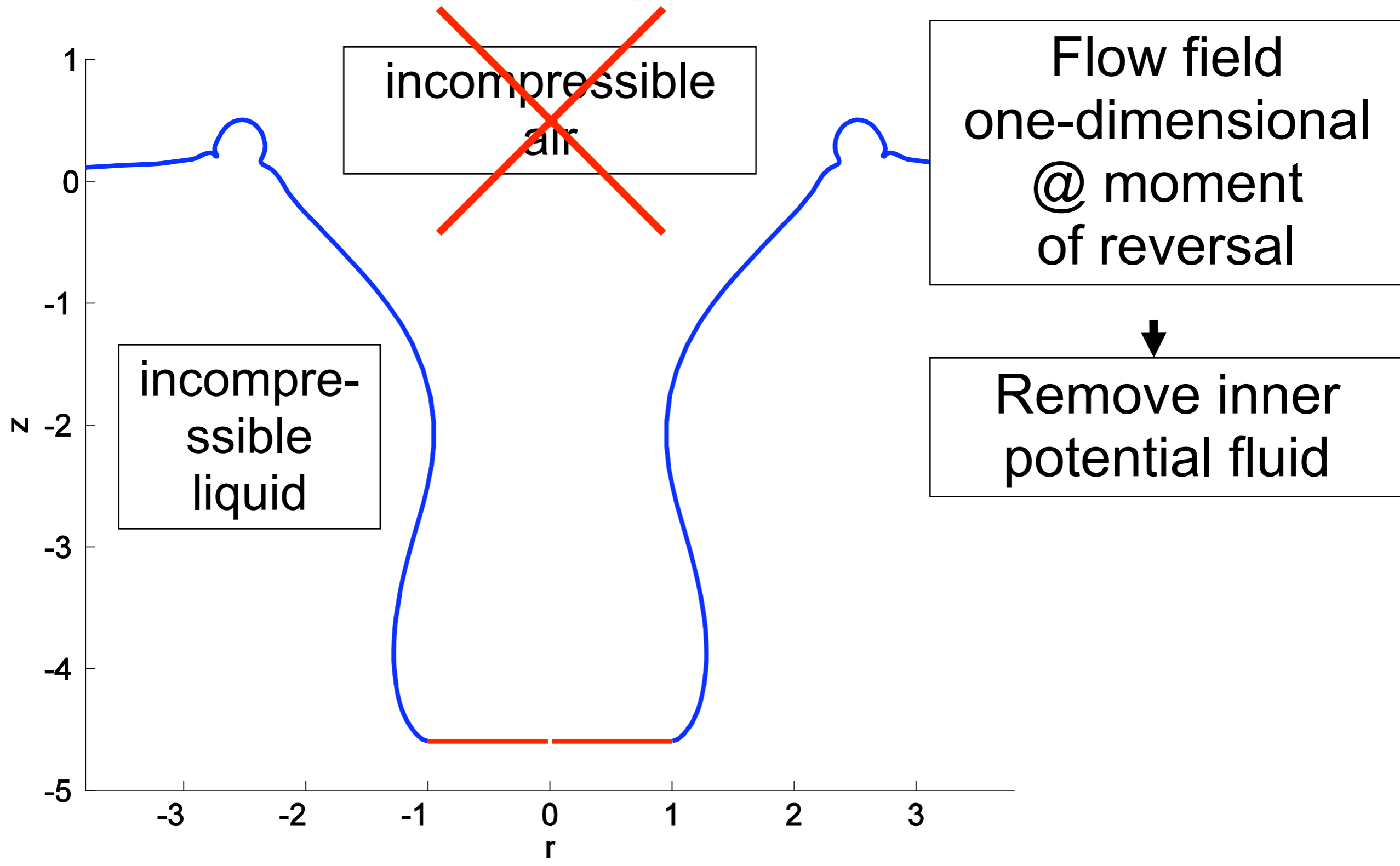
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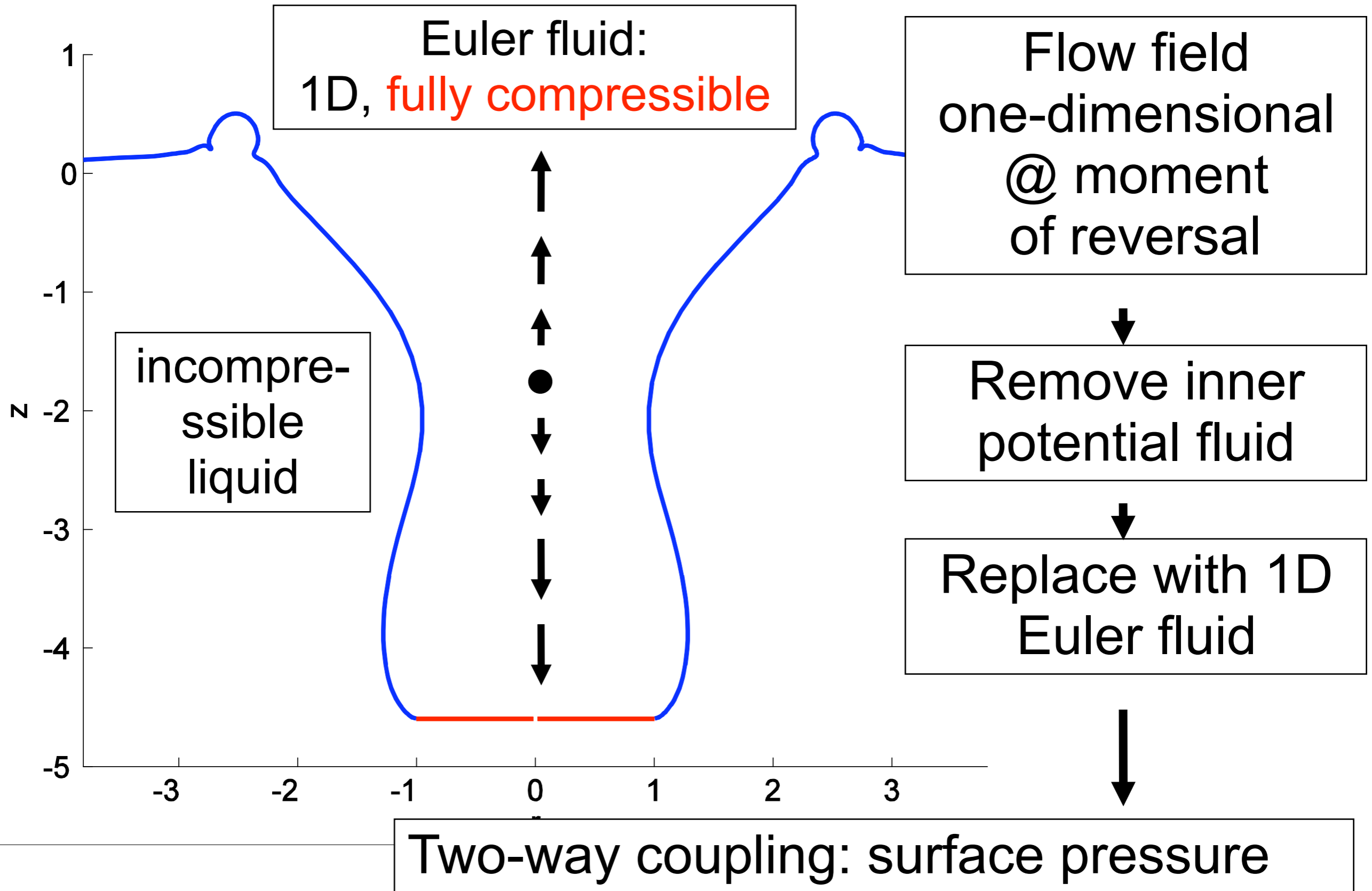
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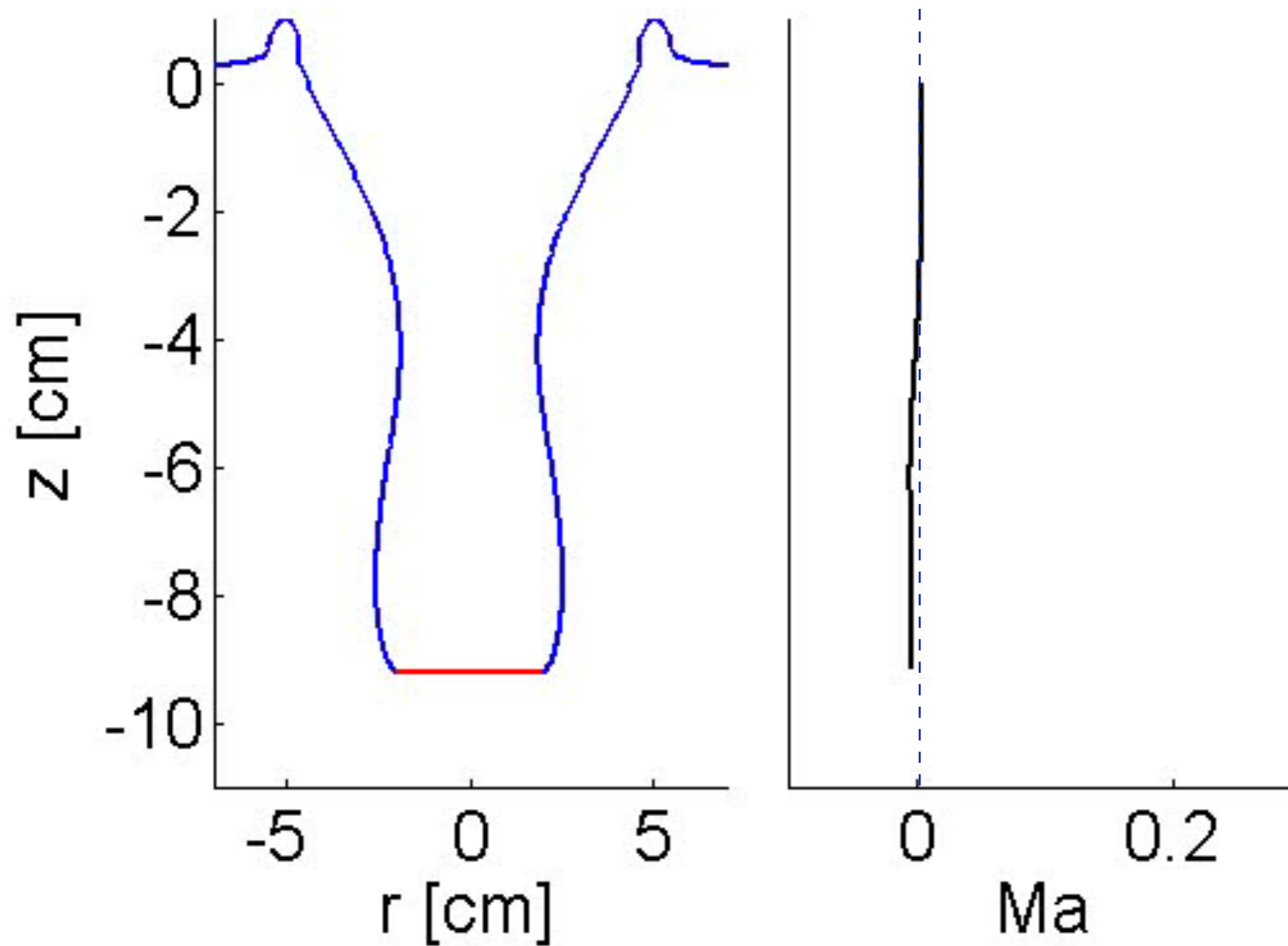
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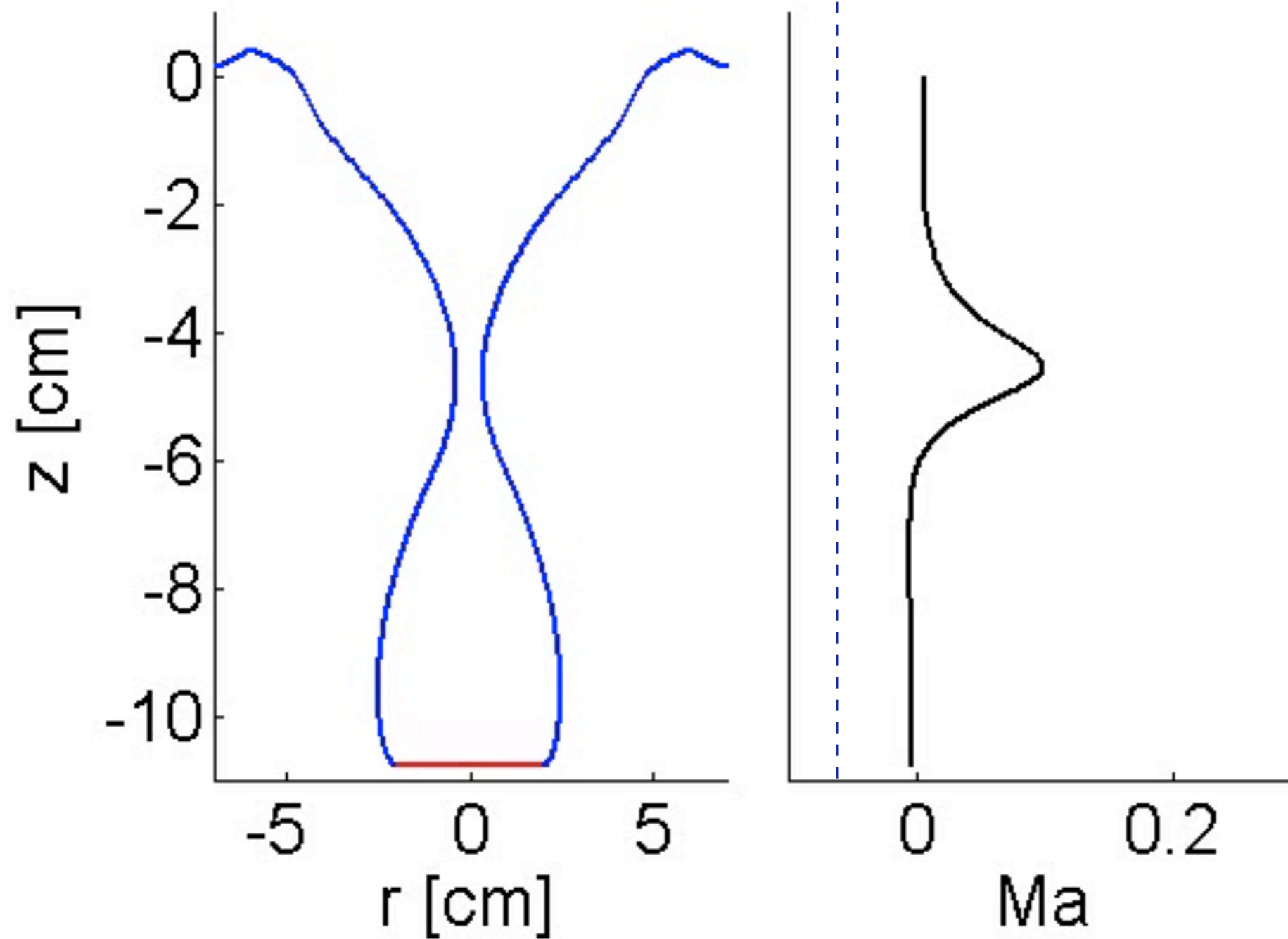
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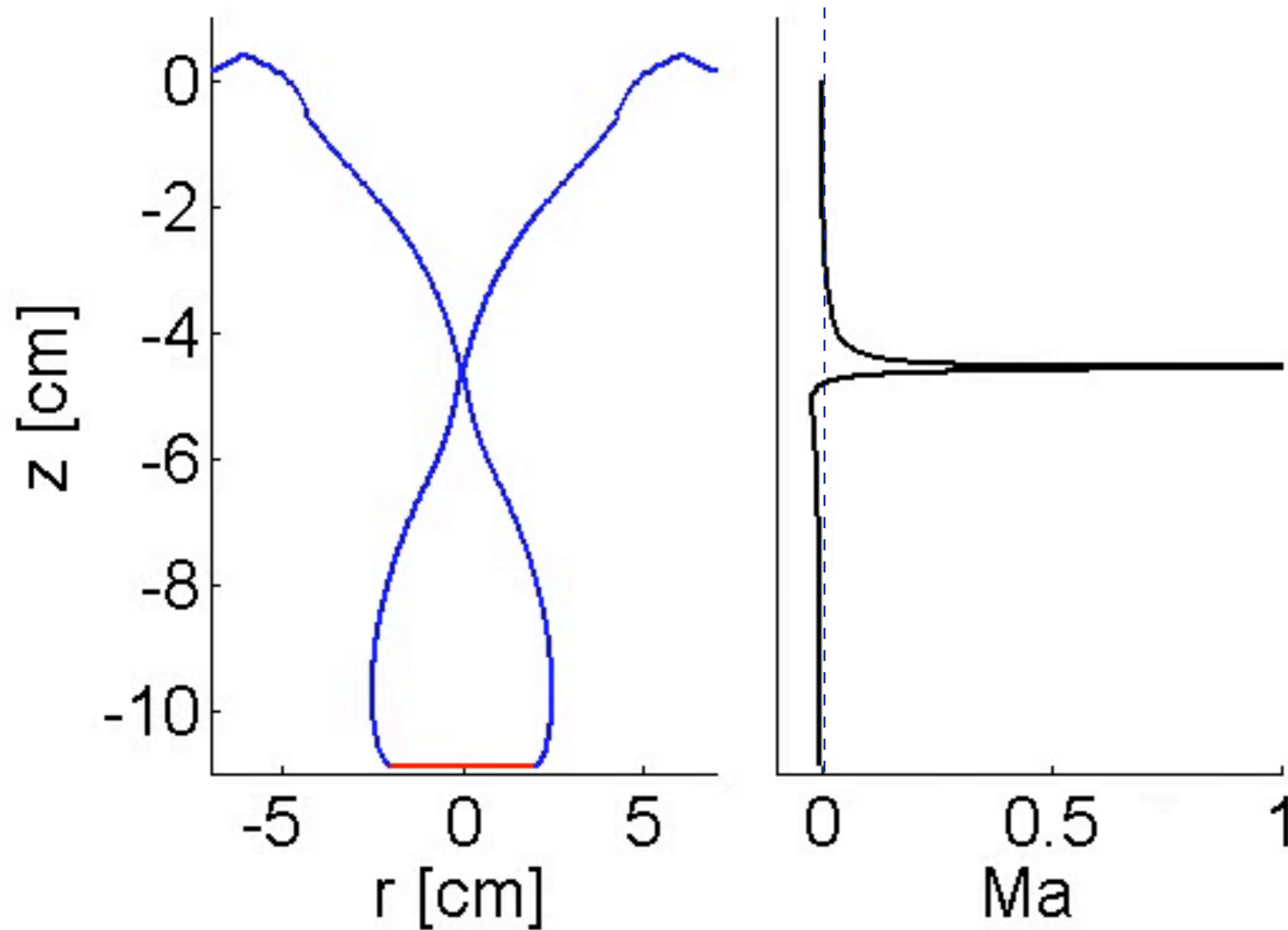
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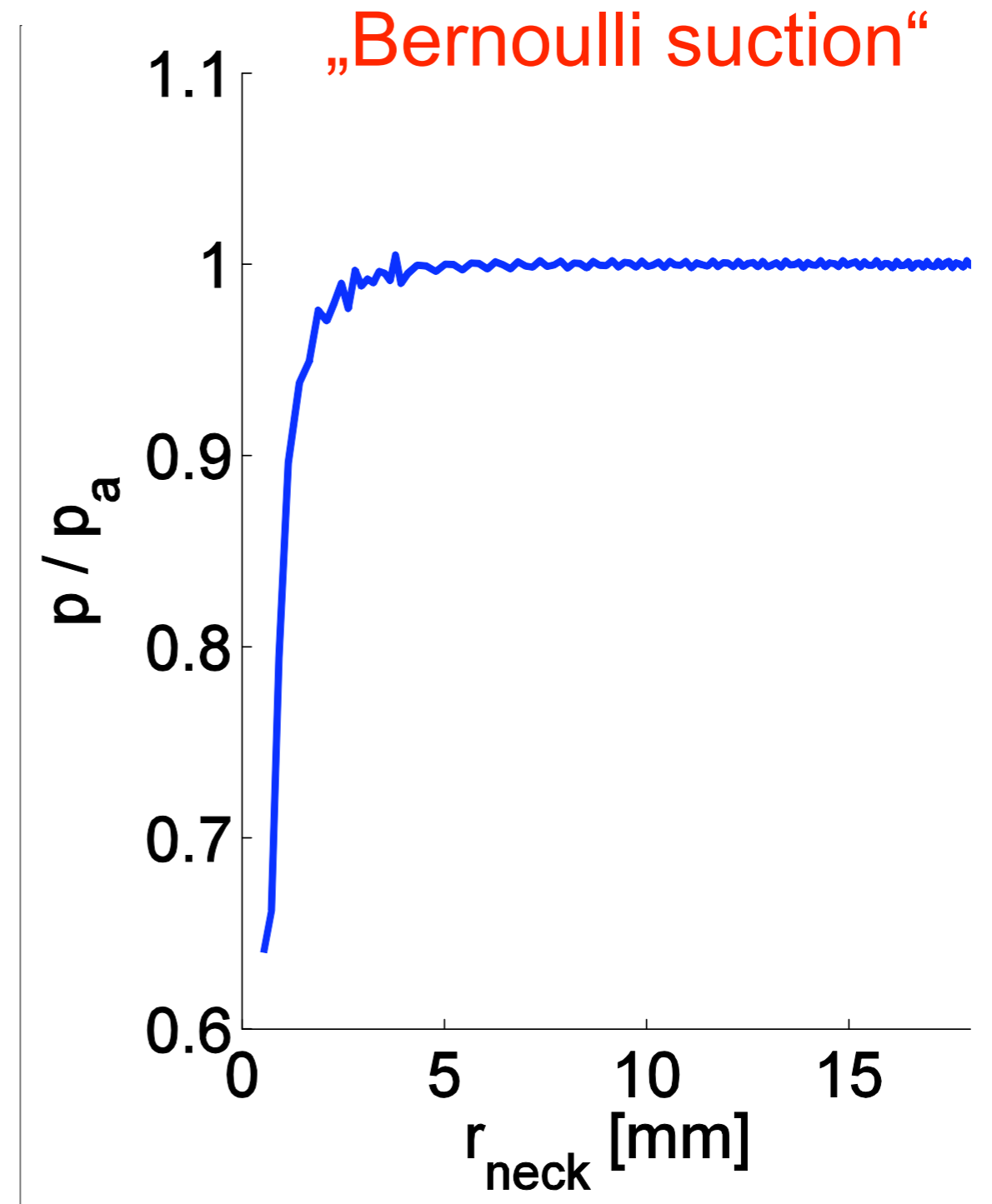
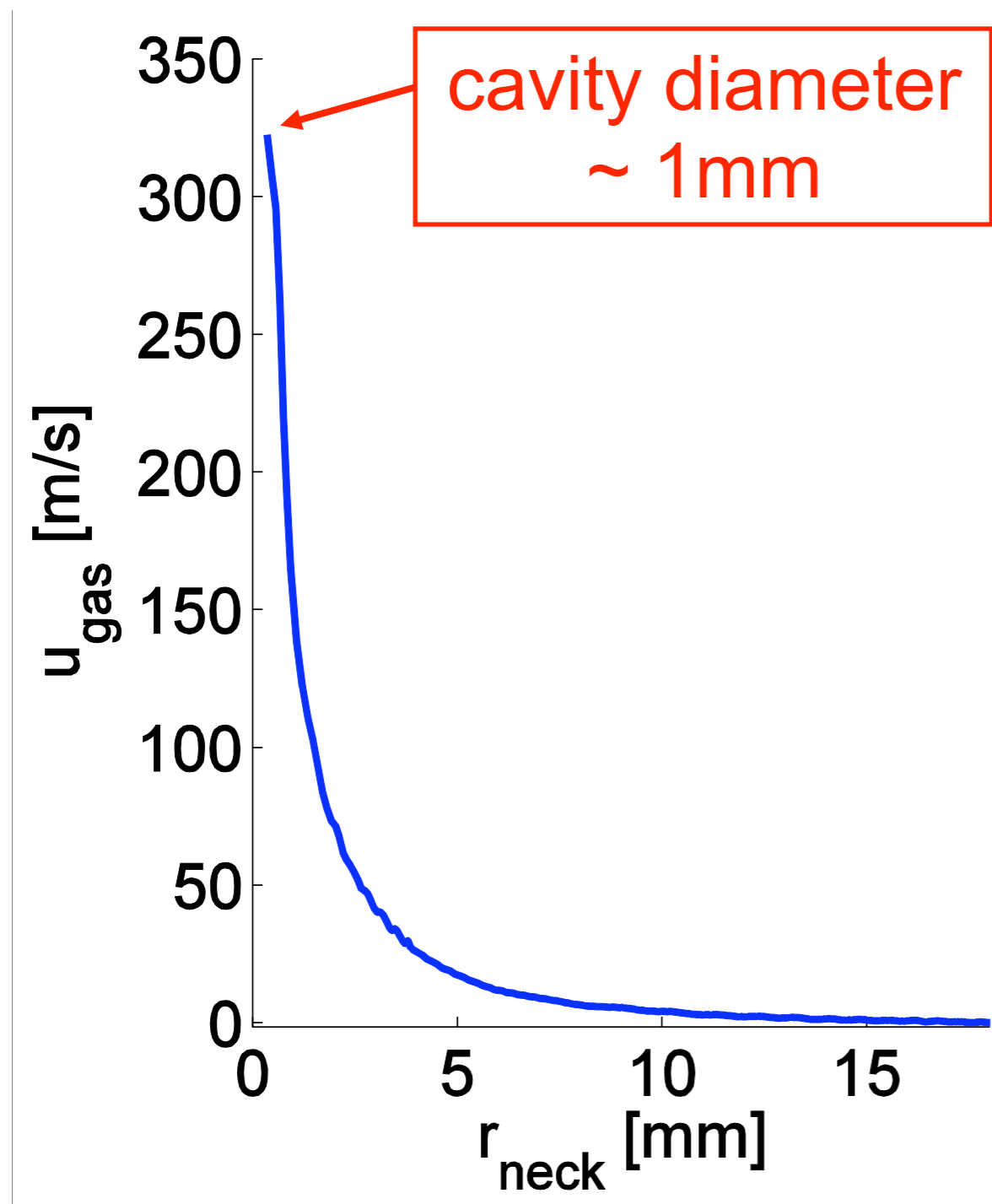
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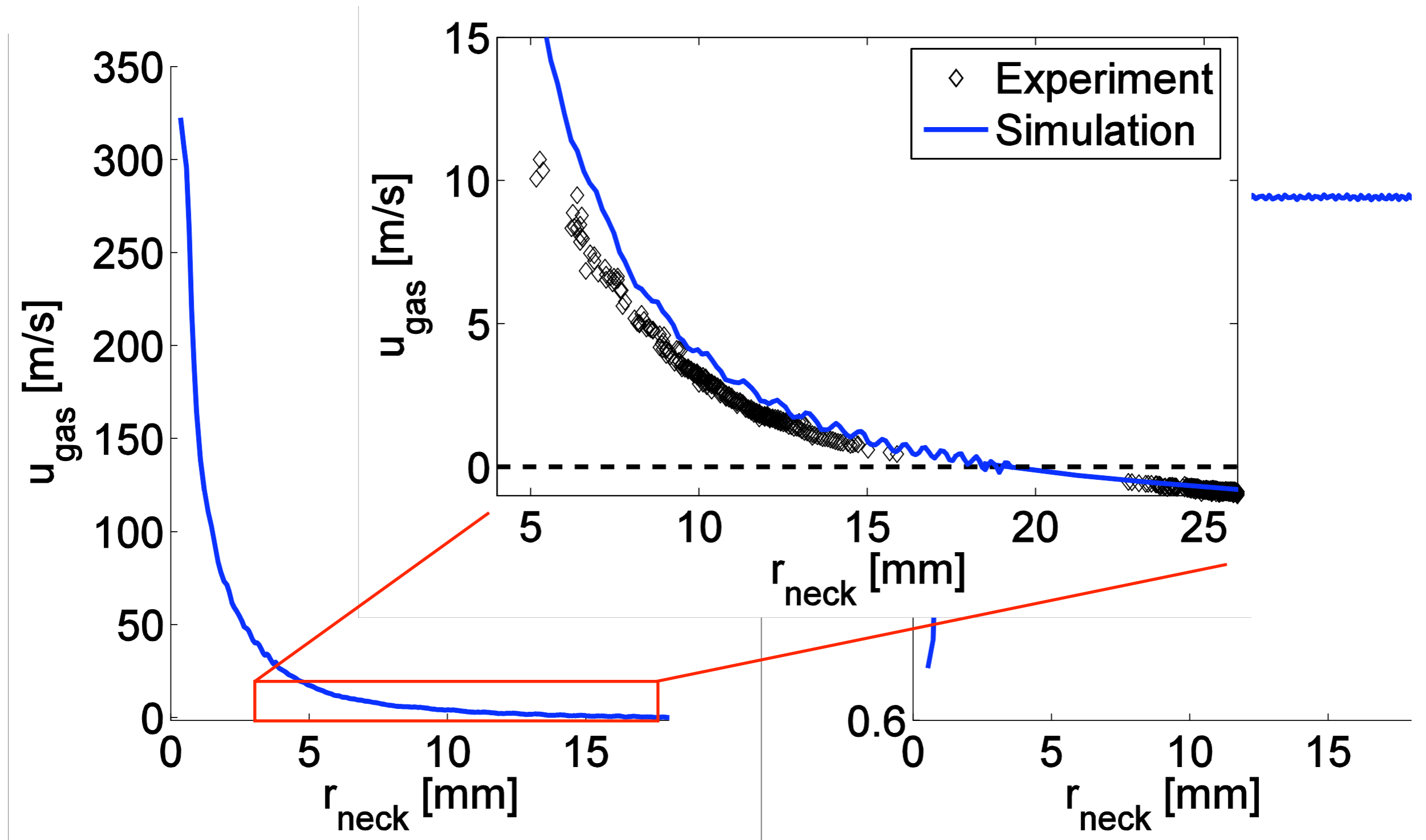
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Results: Air flow at the cavity neck

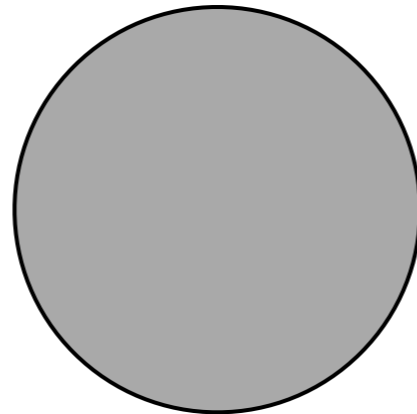


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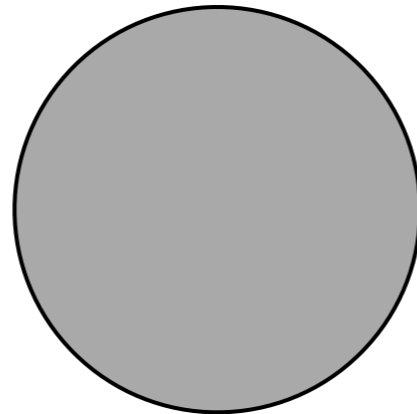
Breaking axial symmetry

Instead of round disc:

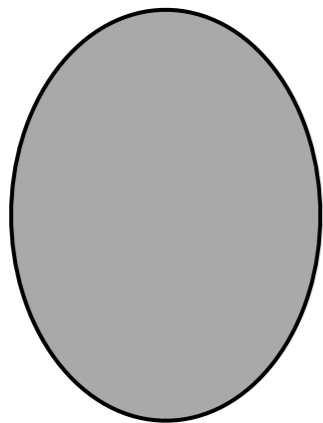


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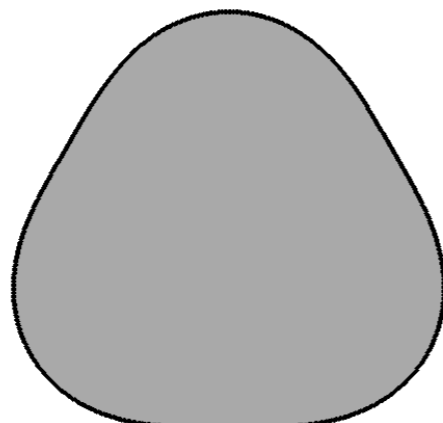
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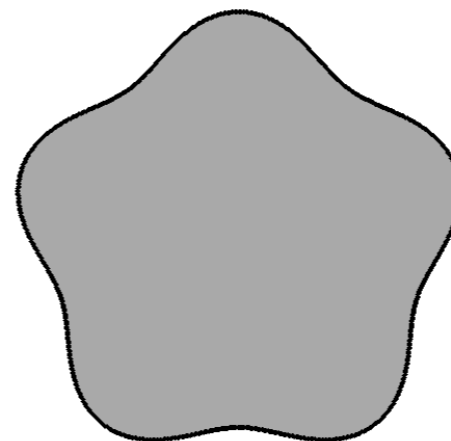
use flowershaped discs with perturbation:



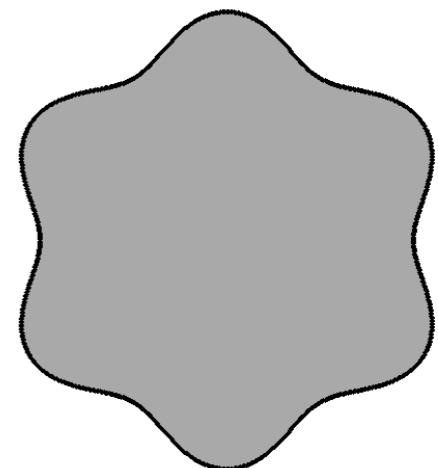
$m = 2$



$m = 3$



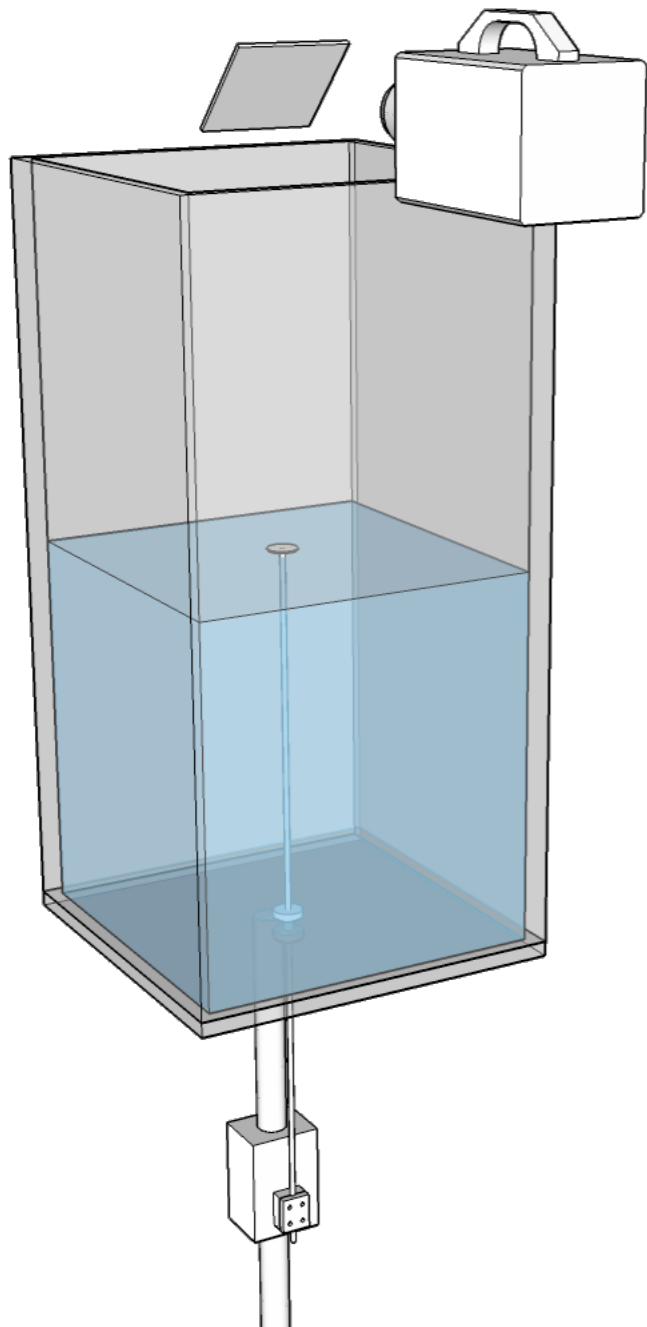
$m = 5$



$m = 6$

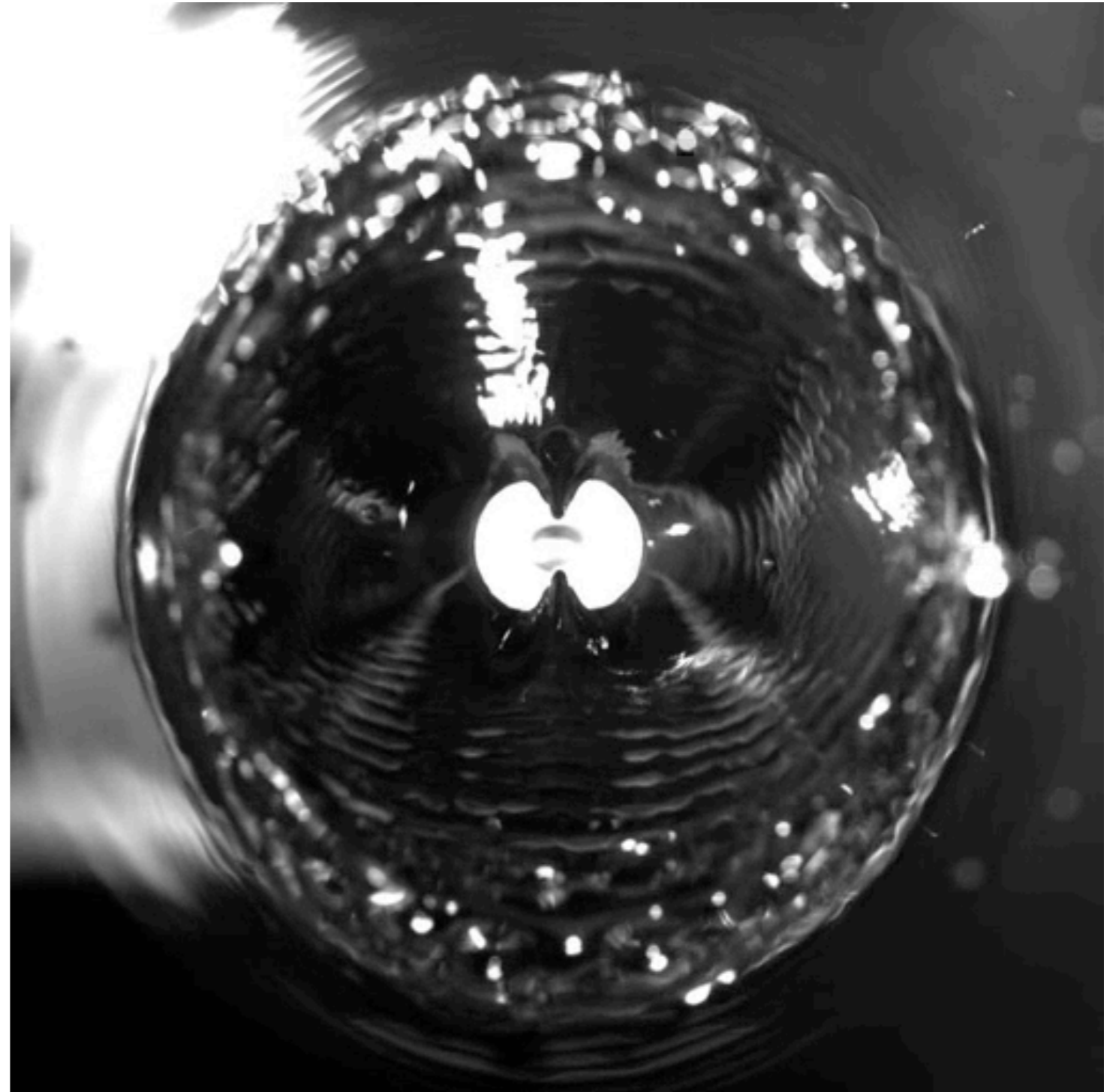
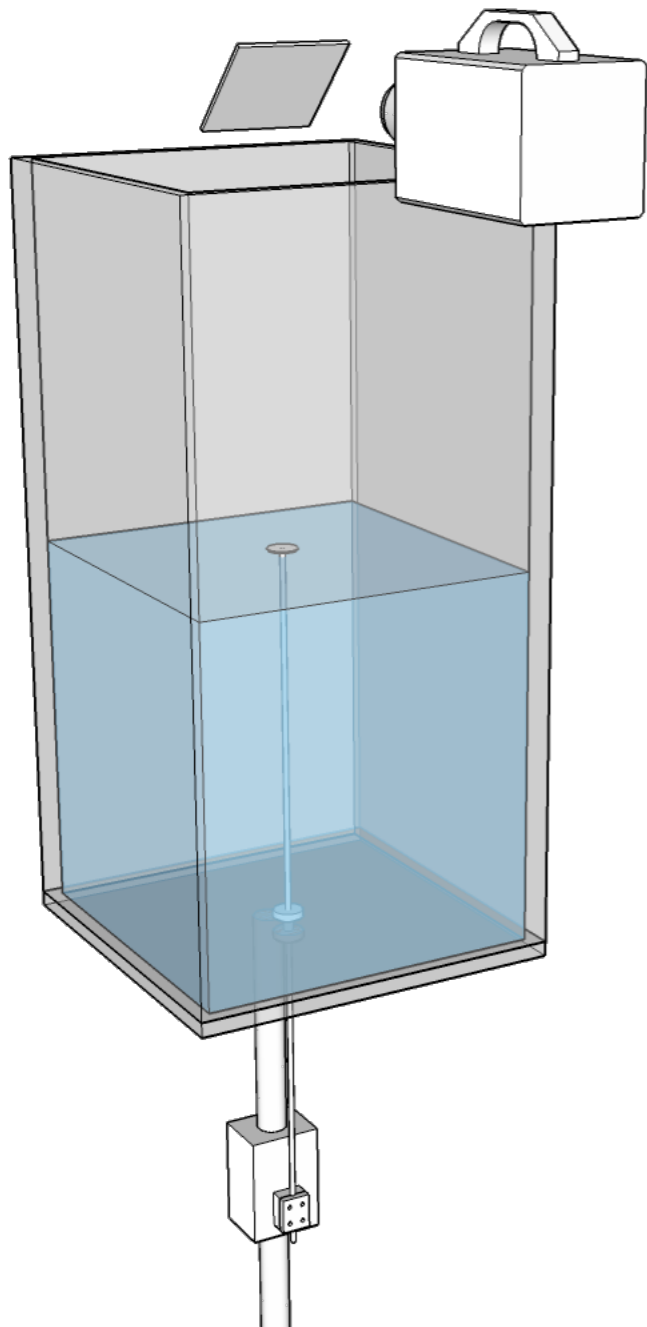
Experiment for $m = 2$

Top view



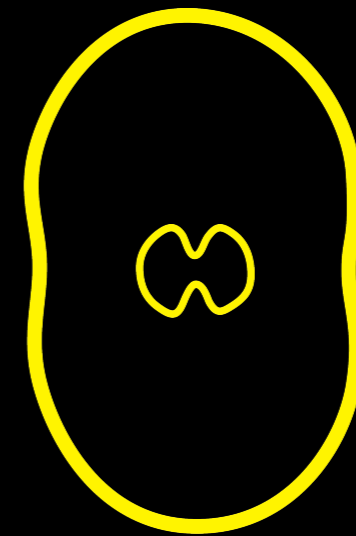
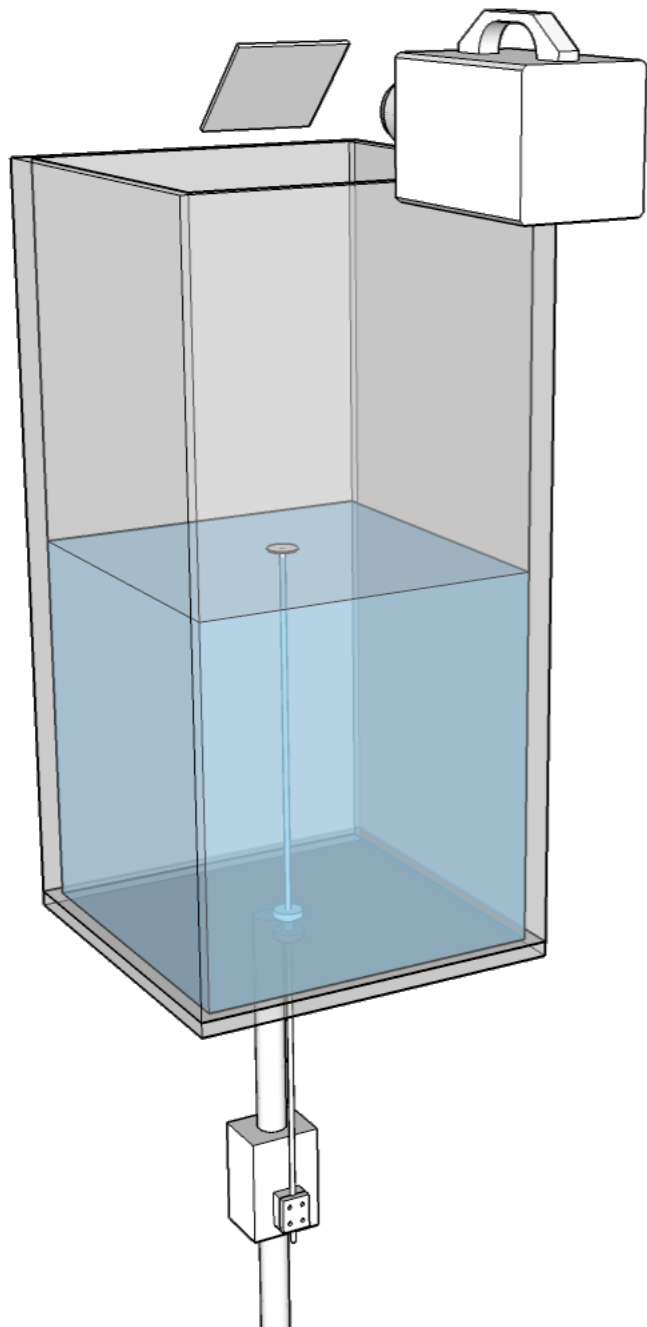
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cavity shape reverses !

Basic mechanism: circular cavity

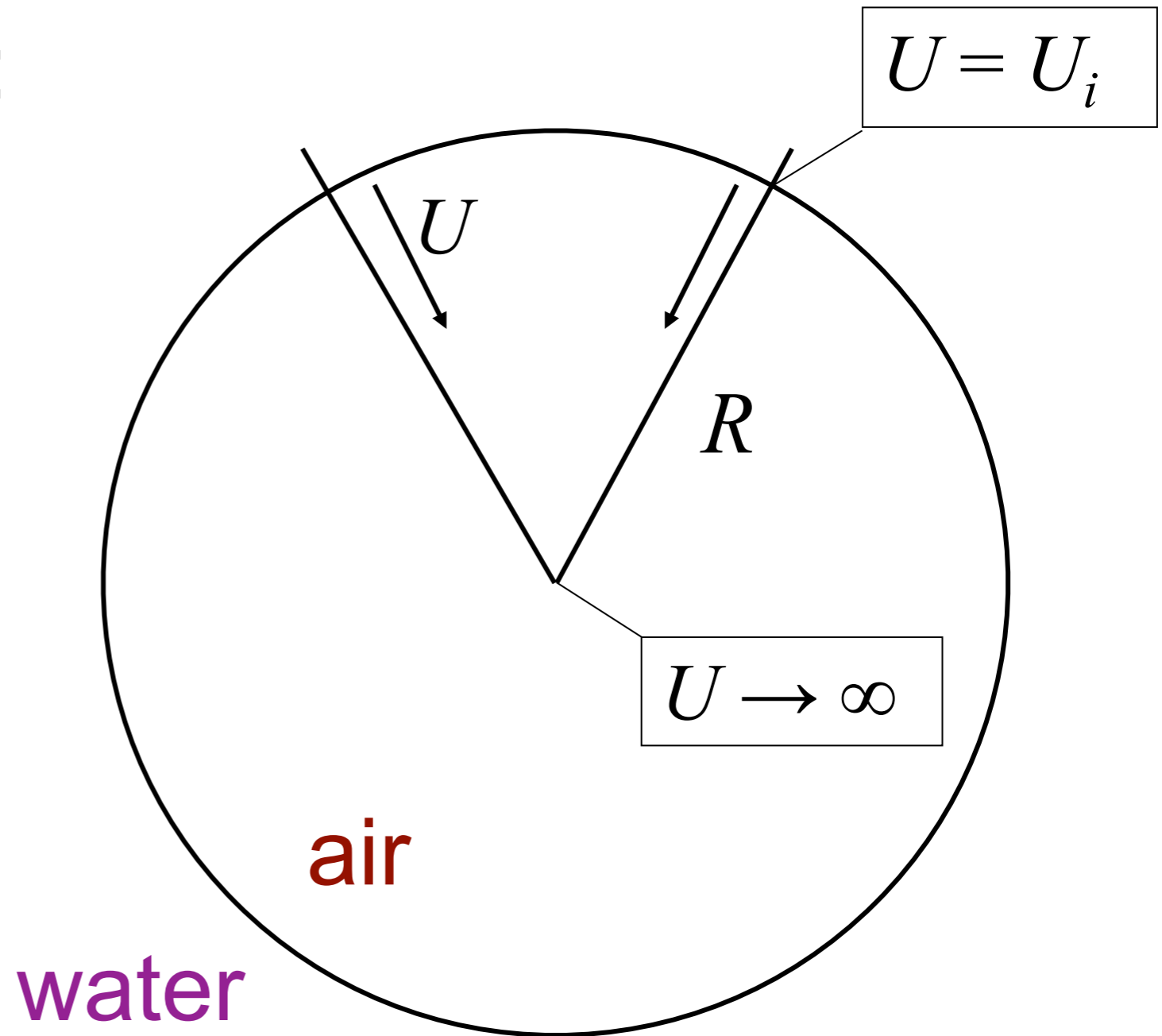
Continuity argument:
(cylindrical cavity)

$$UR = C \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{dU}{dt} = \frac{U^2}{R}$$

$$\left(\dot{U} = -\frac{U\dot{R}}{R} = \frac{U^2}{R} \right)$$

$\dot{R} = -U$



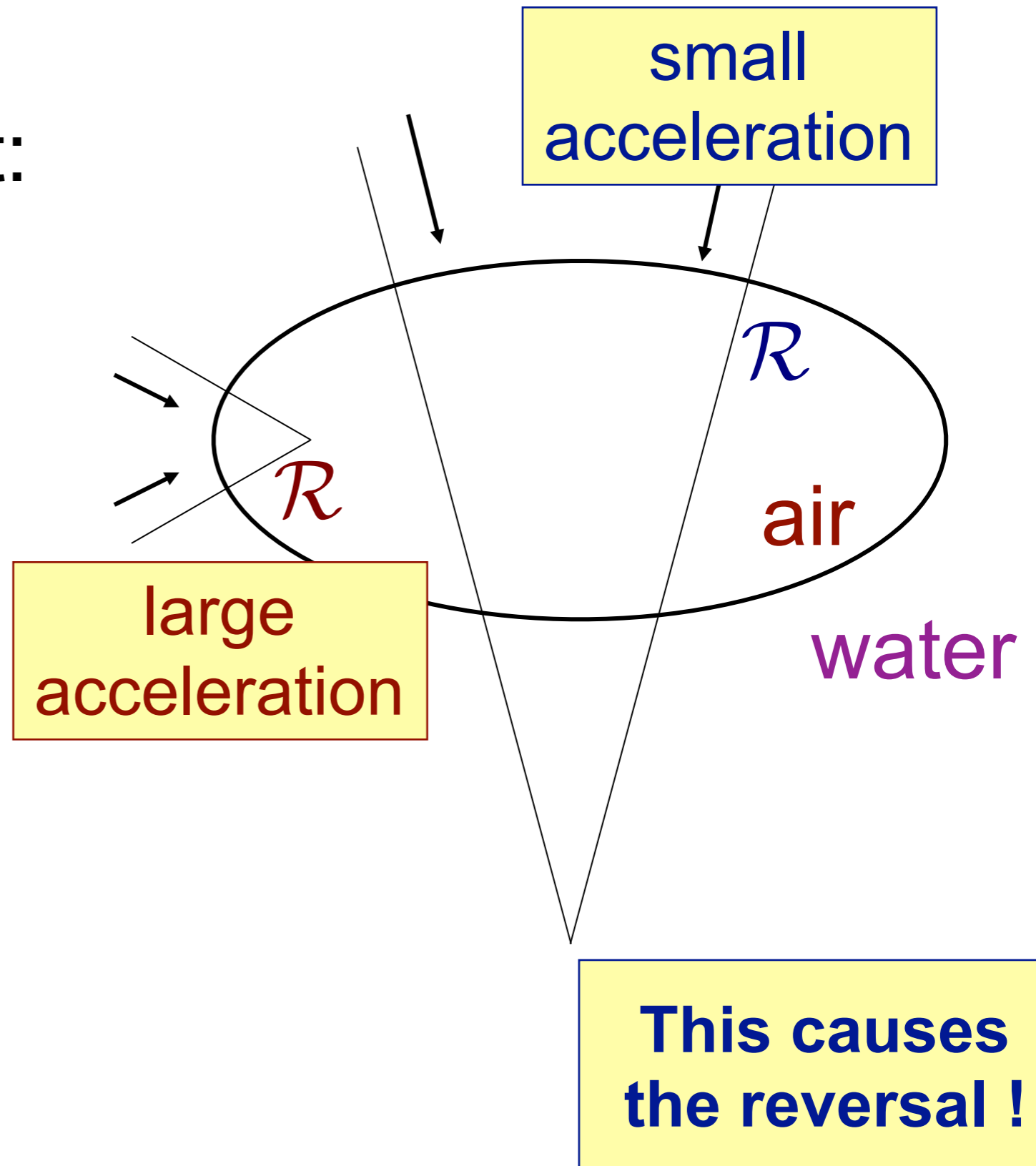
Basic mechanism: elliptical cavity

Continuity argument:
(elliptical cavity)

$$UR = C$$

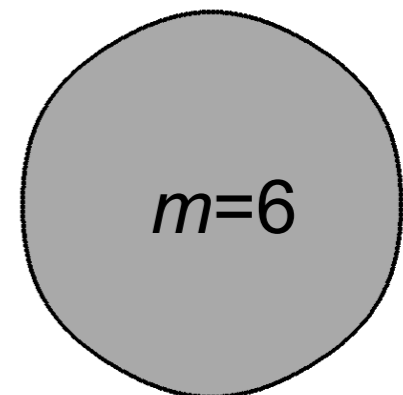
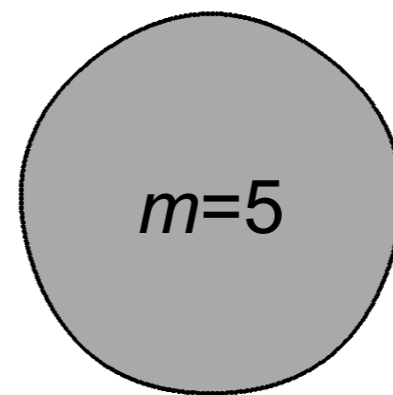
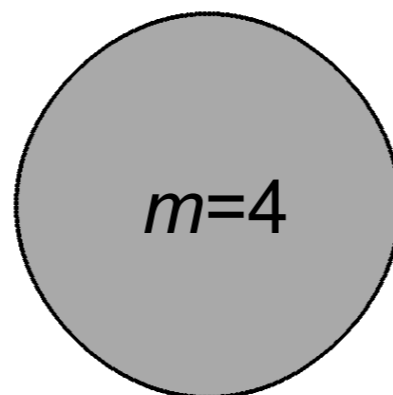
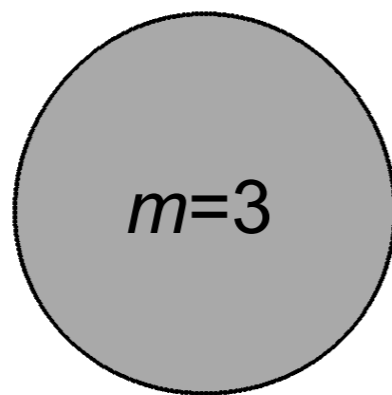
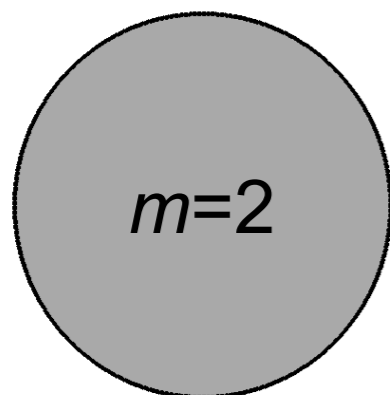
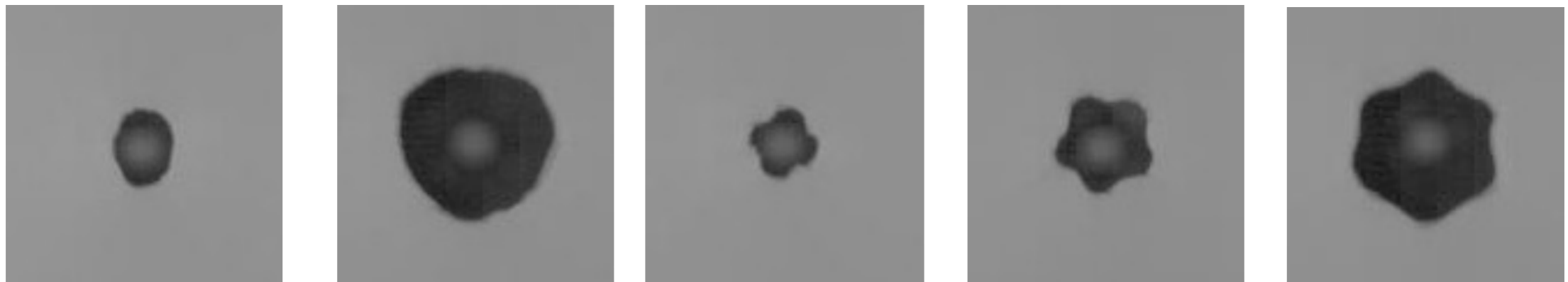
$\mathcal{R} =$ local radius
of curvature

$$\frac{dU}{dt} = \frac{U^2}{\mathcal{R}}$$



Experiments in linear regime

- Linear behavior: $a \ll R$
- Disks with 1% perturbation
- Water + powdered milk for visualization



A bit of theory:

Collapsing cavity with small azimuthal perturbation mode m around average $\bar{R}(t)$:

$$R(\theta, t) = \bar{R}(t) + a_m(t) \cos(m\theta)$$

corresponds to the flow potential:

$$\phi(r, t) = Q(t) \log r + d_m(t) r^{-m} \cos(m\theta)$$

The kinematic boundary condition at the cavity wall gives:

$$\left. \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} \right|_{r=\bar{R}(t)} = \frac{\partial R}{\partial t} \Rightarrow Q(t) = \bar{R} \dot{\bar{R}} ; \quad d_m(t) = \frac{-\bar{R}^{m+1}}{m} \left[\dot{a}_m + a_m \frac{\dot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}} \right]$$

Combining with Bernoulli between R_∞ and cavity wall $R(t)$ (dynamic b.c.):

$$\rho \left[\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{2} |\vec{\nabla} \phi|^2 \right]_{R_\infty}^{R(t)} = (P_\infty - P_0) + \cancel{\gamma \kappa}$$

after linearizing in a_m provides the amplitude equation:

$$\ddot{a}_m + \left(\frac{2\dot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}} \right) \dot{a}_m + \left(\frac{\ddot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}} (1 - m) \right) a_m = 0$$

Inserting 2D Rayleigh scaling

Using the 2D Rayleigh scaling for the average radius $\bar{R}(t)$

$$\bar{R}(t) = C \sqrt{R_0 V} (t_c - t)^{1/2}$$

in the linear amplitude equation

$$\ddot{a}_m + \left(\frac{2\dot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}} \right) \dot{a}_m + \left(\frac{\ddot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}} (1 - m) \right) a_m = 0$$

we find the solution:

$$a_m(t) = a_m(0) \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{m-1} \log(t_c - t) + \tilde{\delta}\right)$$

or:

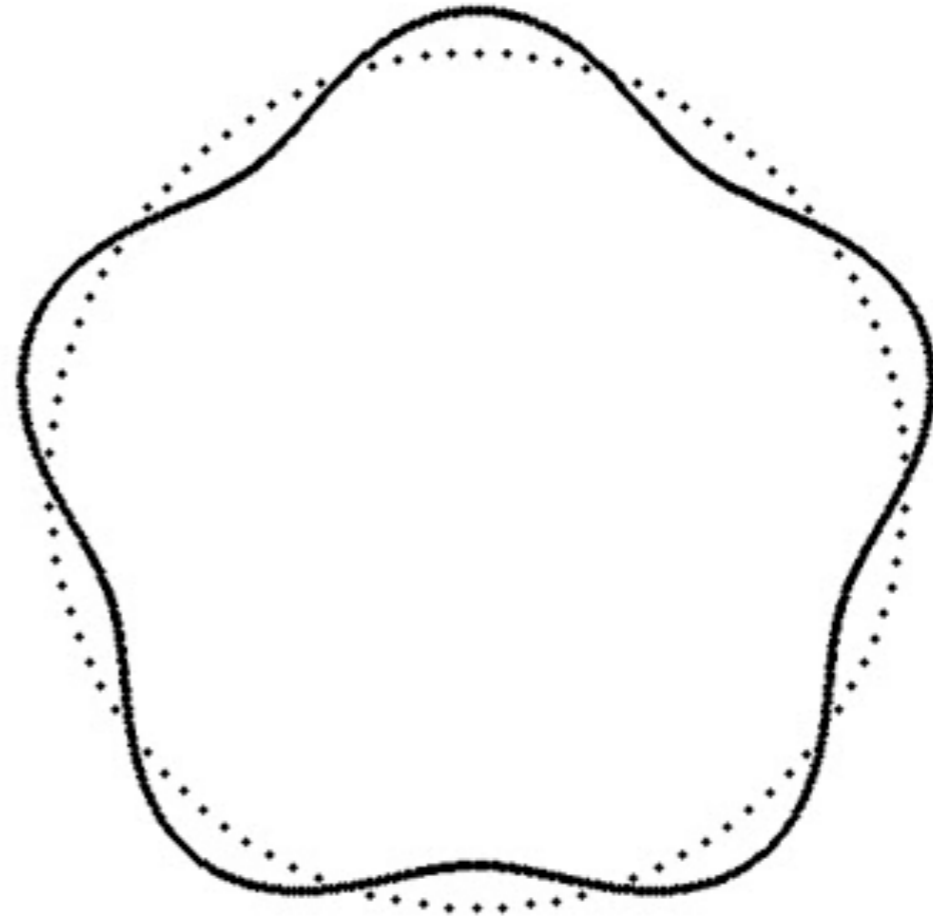
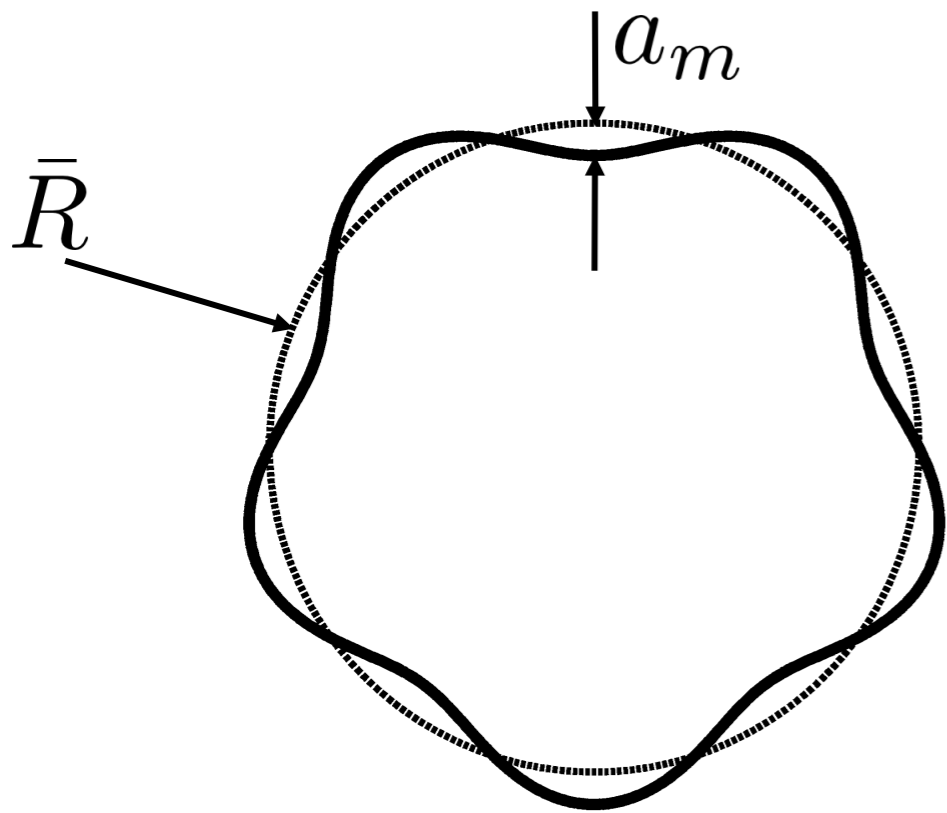
$$a_m(\bar{R}) = a_m(0) \cos\left(\sqrt{m-1} \log(\bar{R}/R_0) + \delta\right)$$

constant amplitude $a_m \Rightarrow$

a_m/\bar{R} diverges !

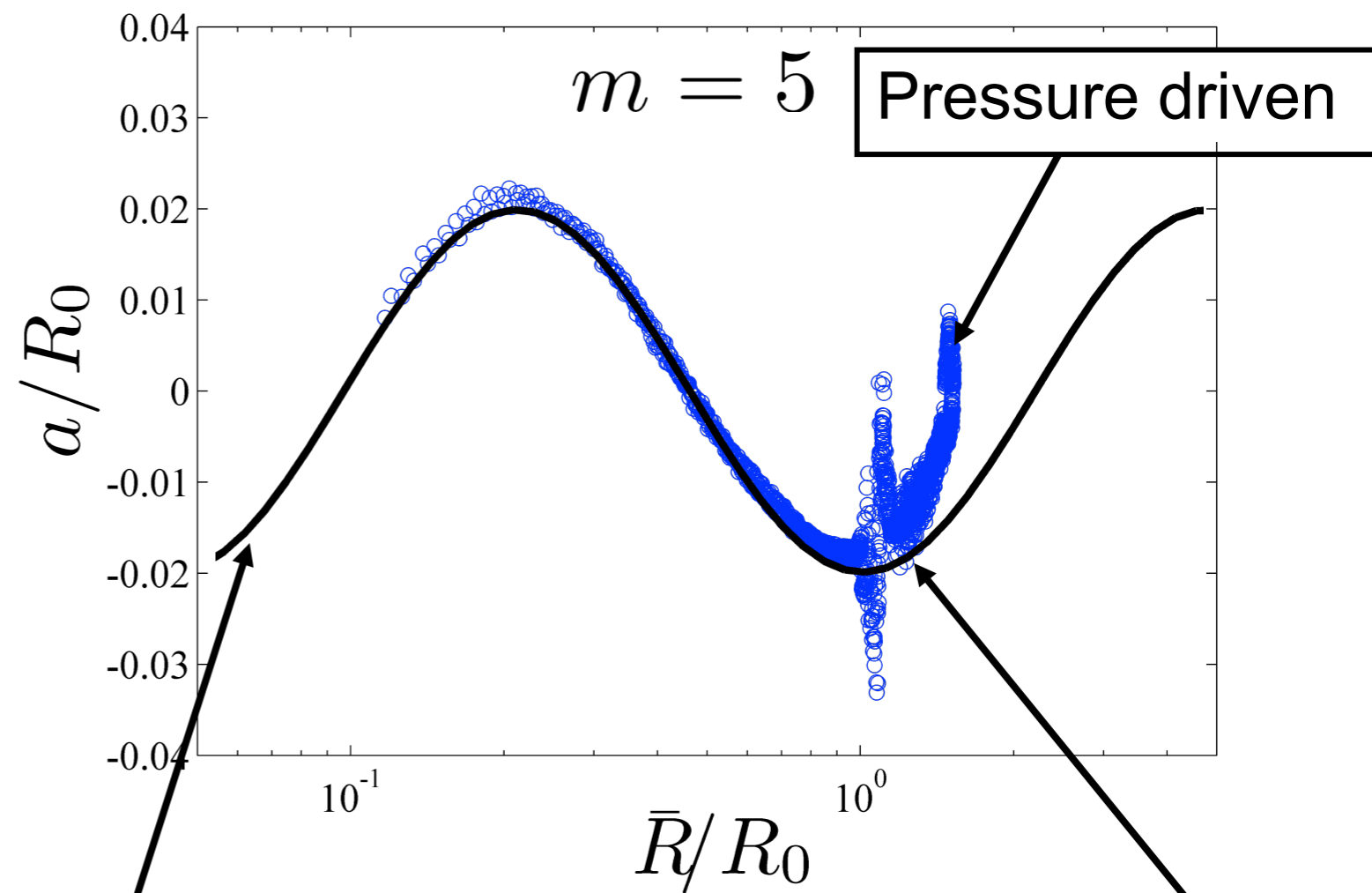
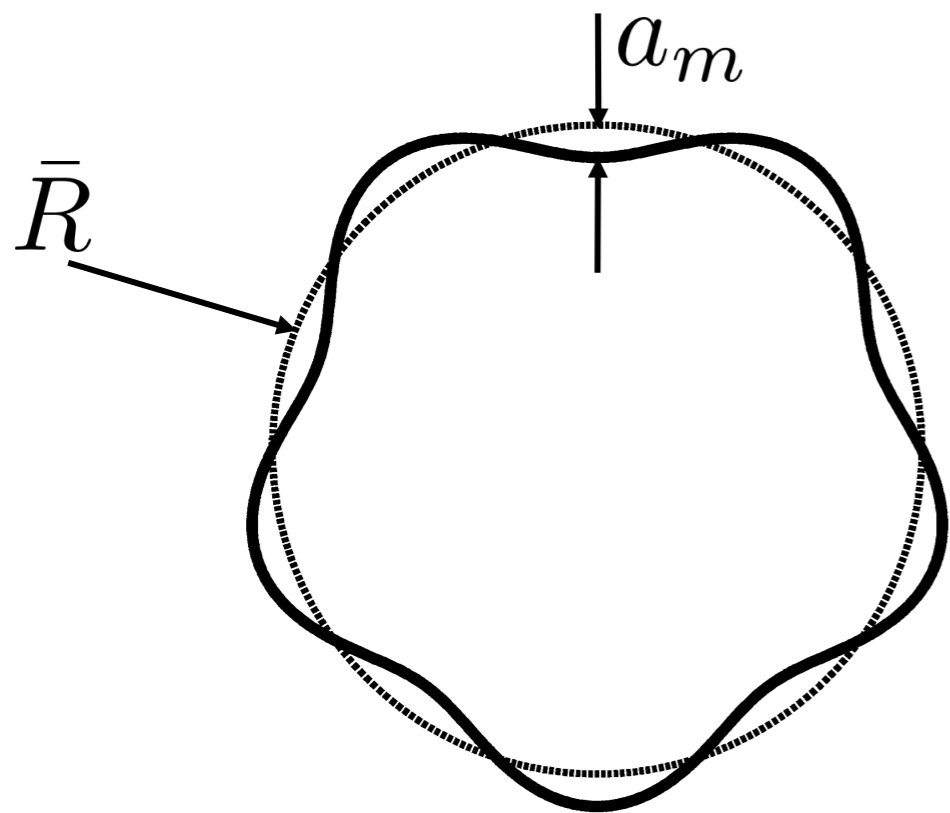
frequency chirps !

Results (linear regime)



$$R(\theta, t) = \bar{R}(t) + a_m(t) \cos(m\theta)$$

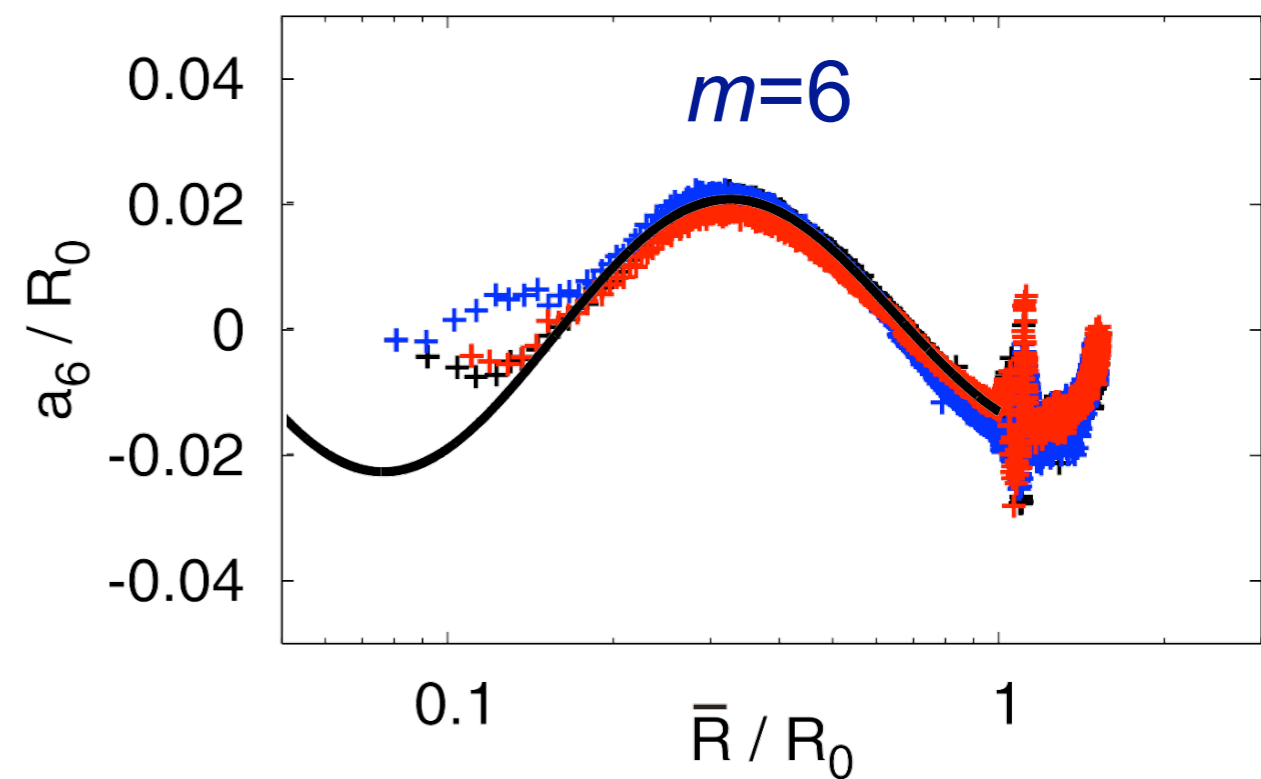
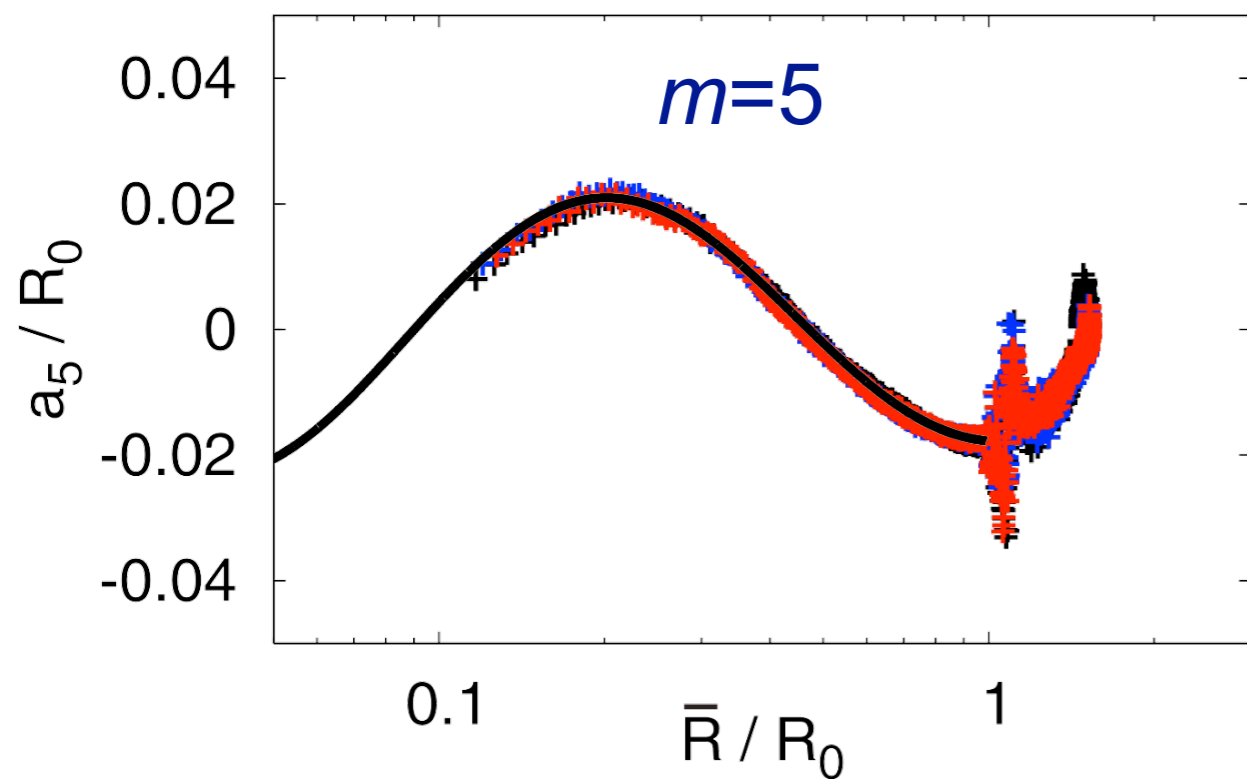
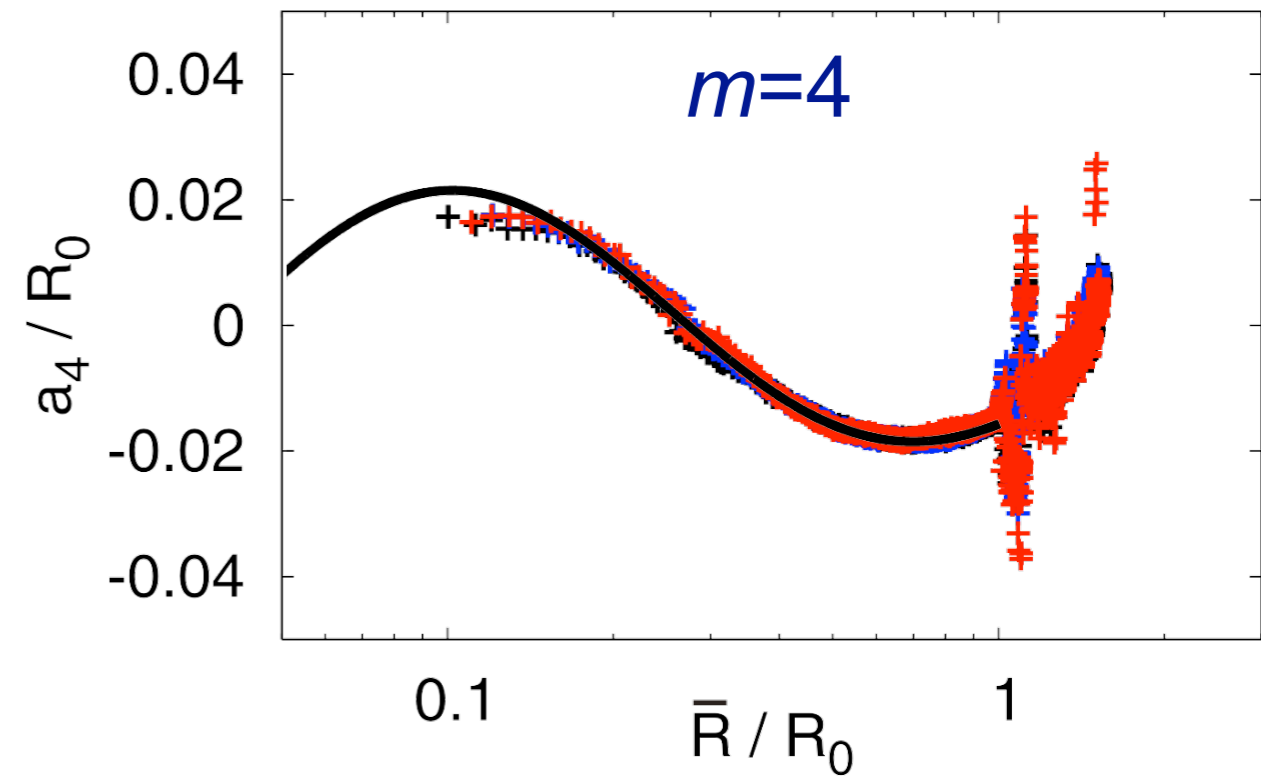
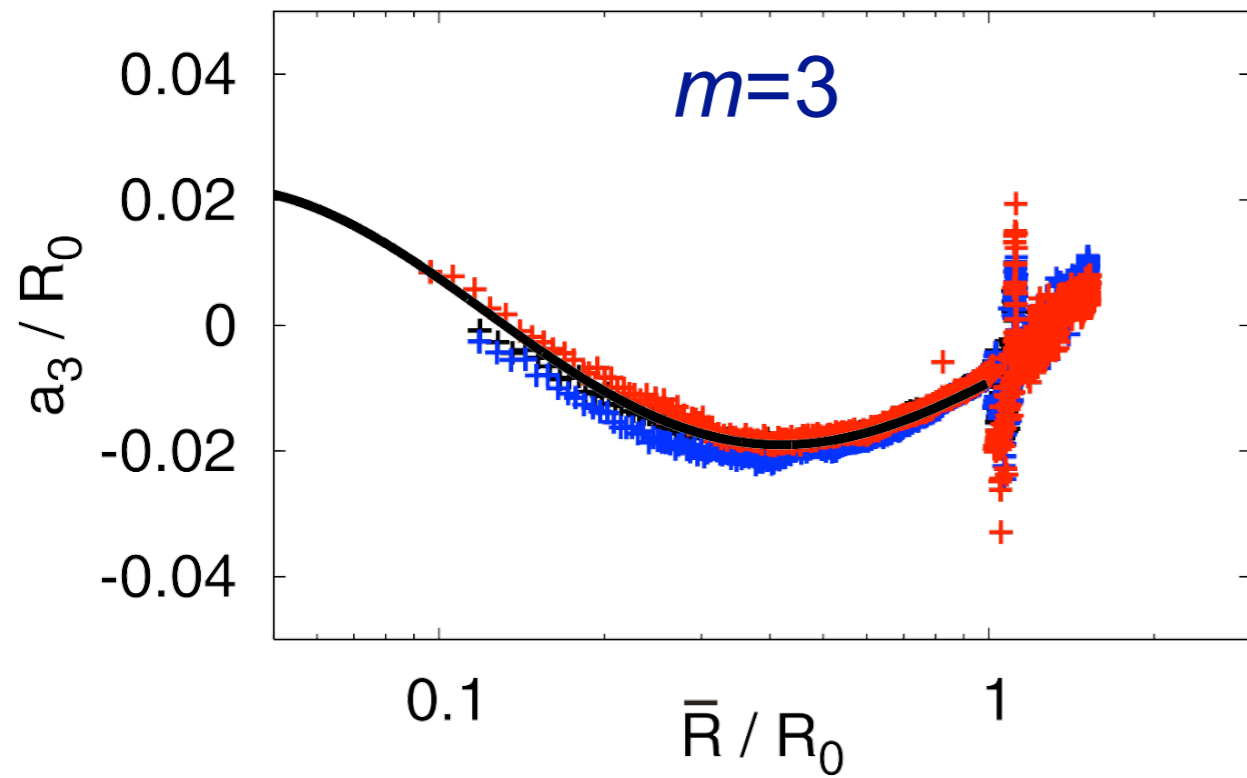
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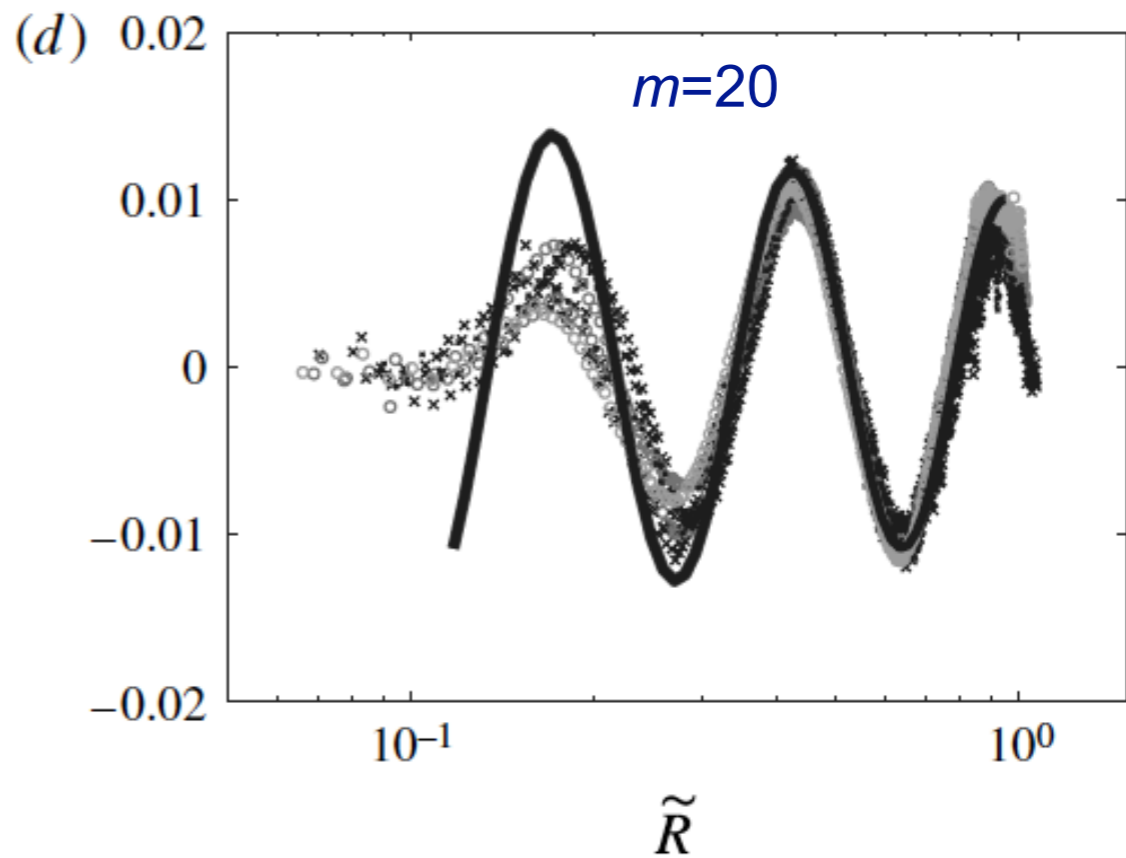
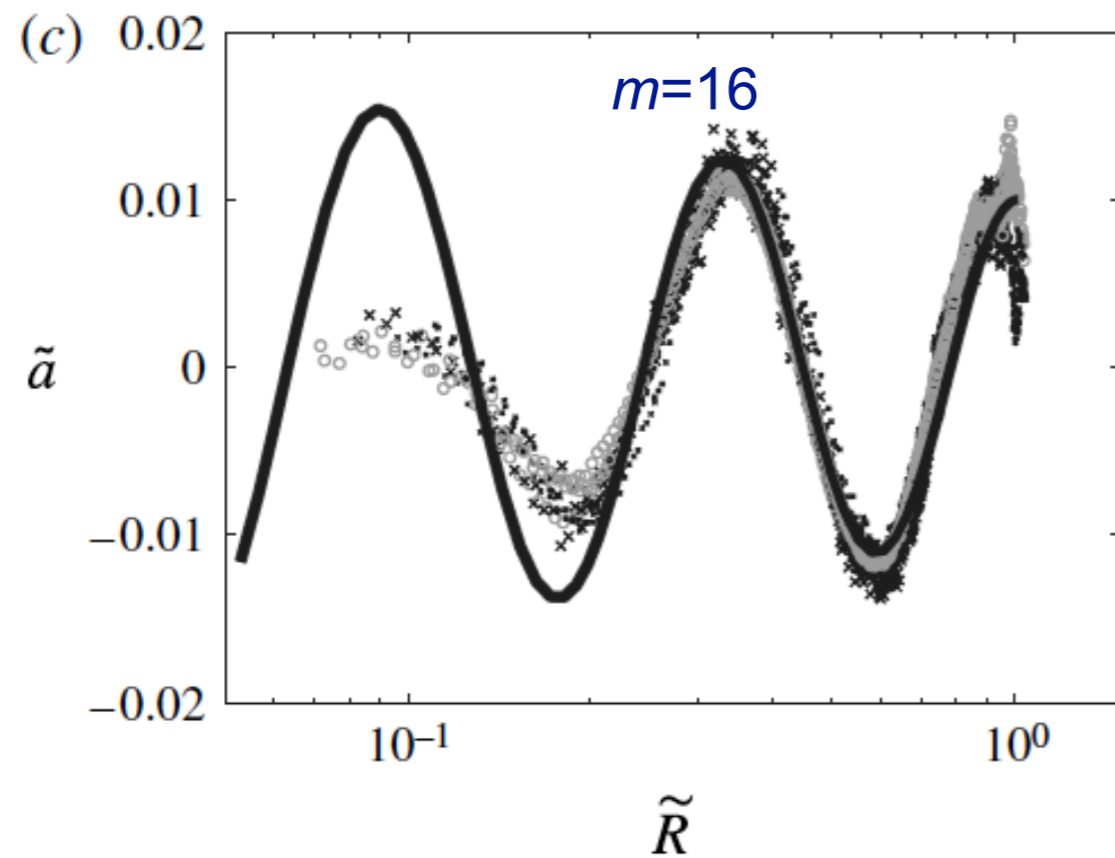
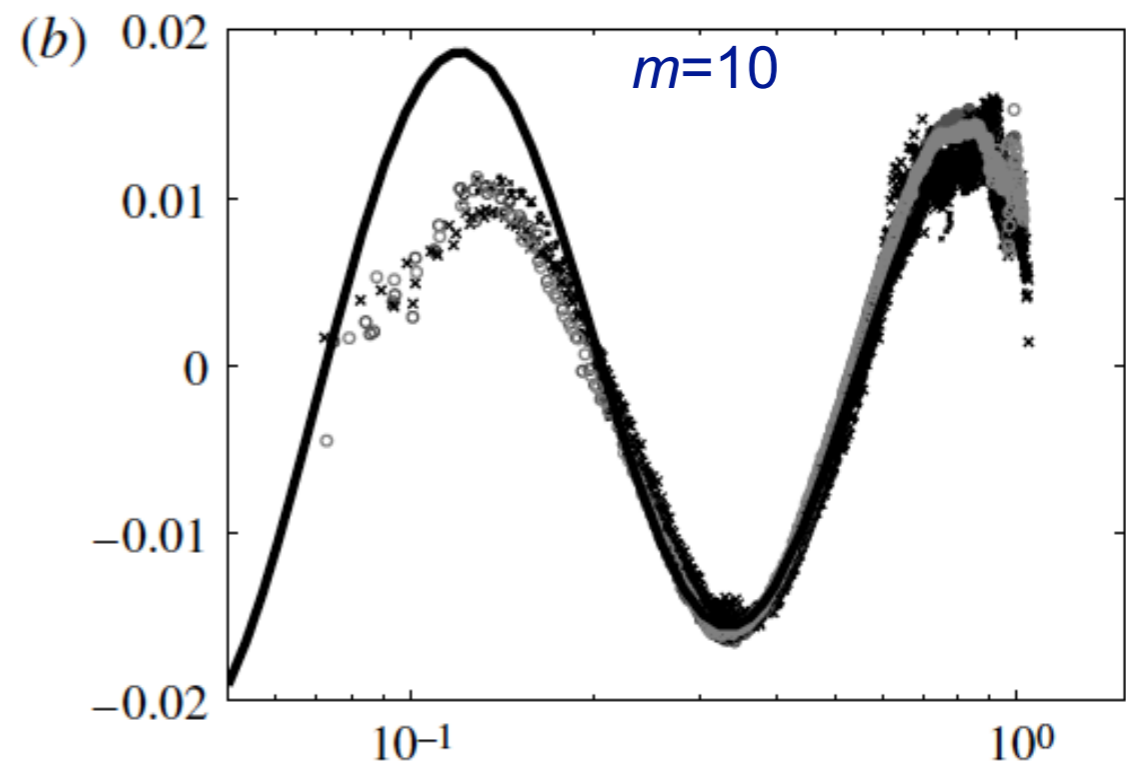
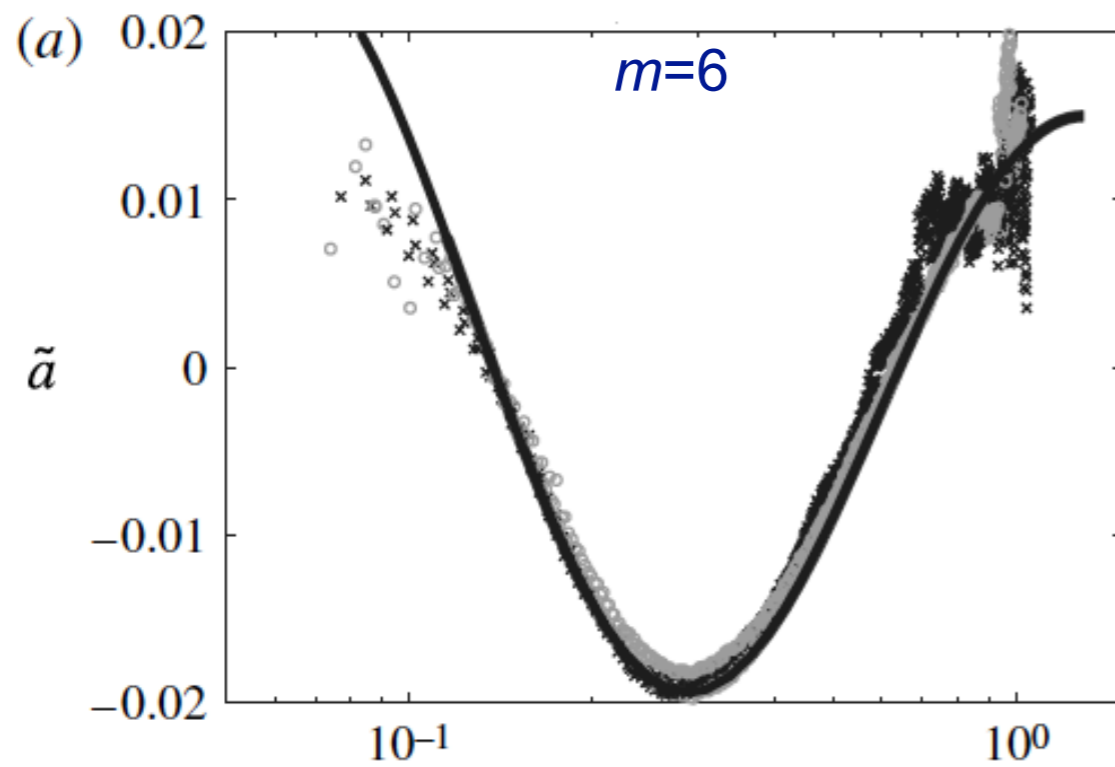
$$a_m(\bar{R}) = a_m(0) \cos(\sqrt{m-1} \log(\bar{R}/R_0) + \delta)$$

$$\bar{R} \approx R_0$$

Linear regime, 1% perturbation



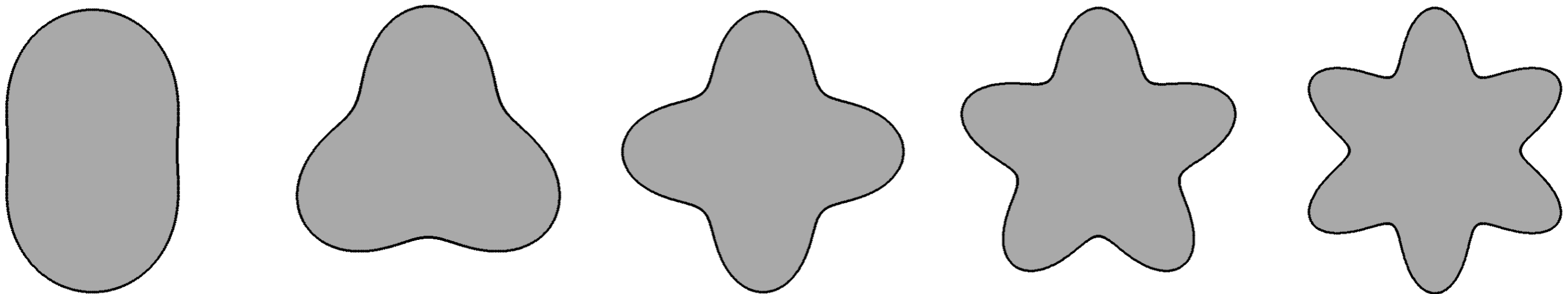
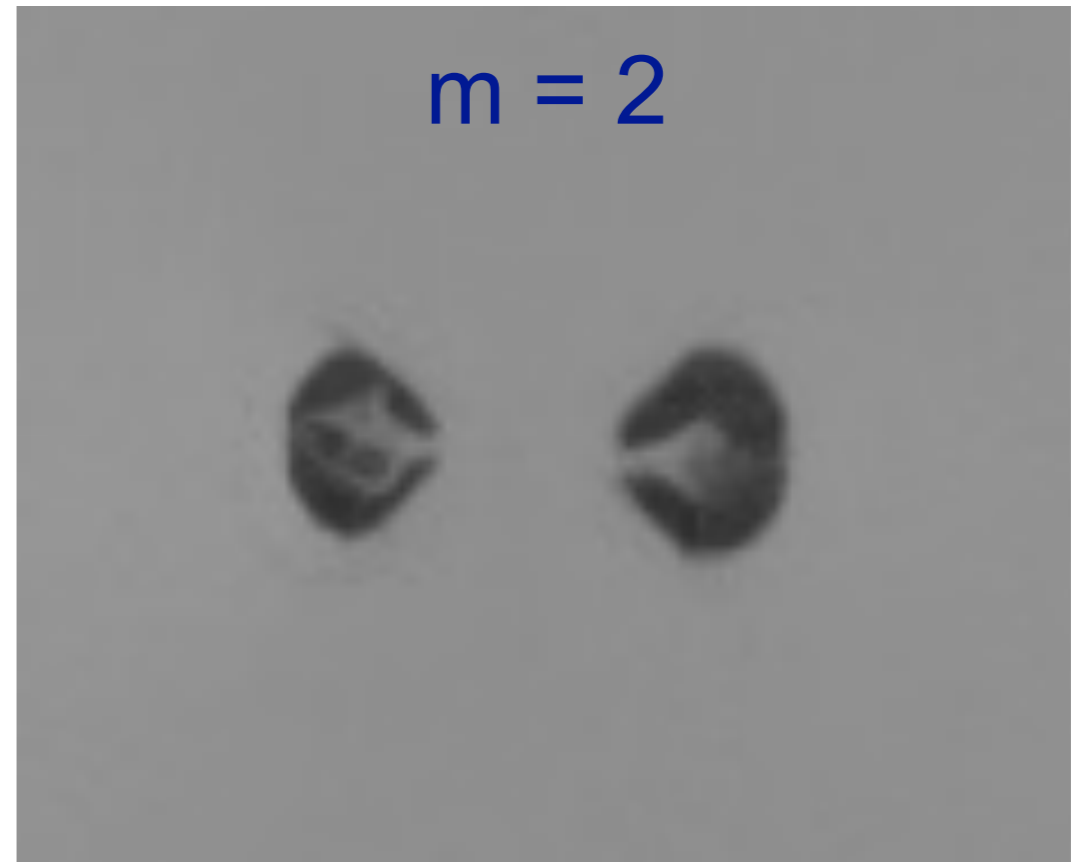
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Experiments in the non-linear regime

(perturbations a comparable to disc radius R_0)

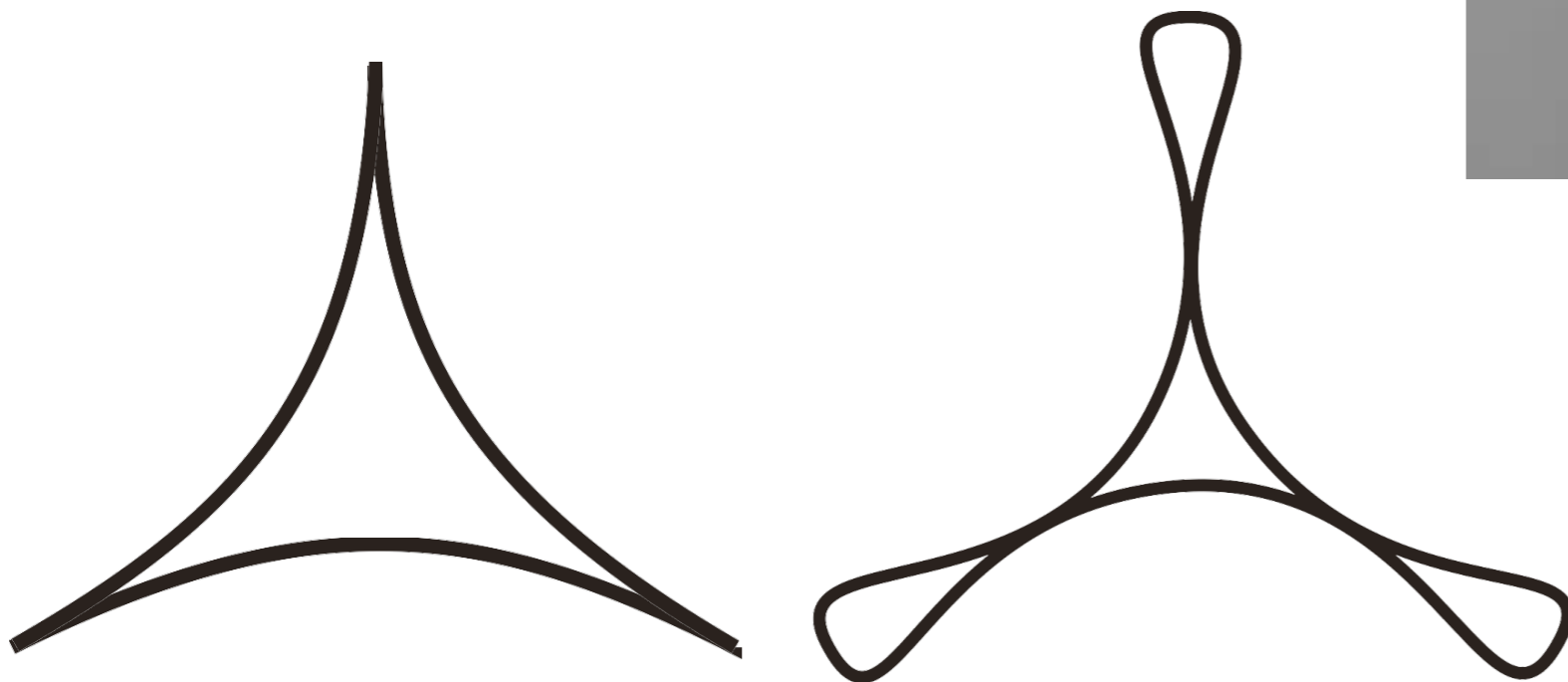
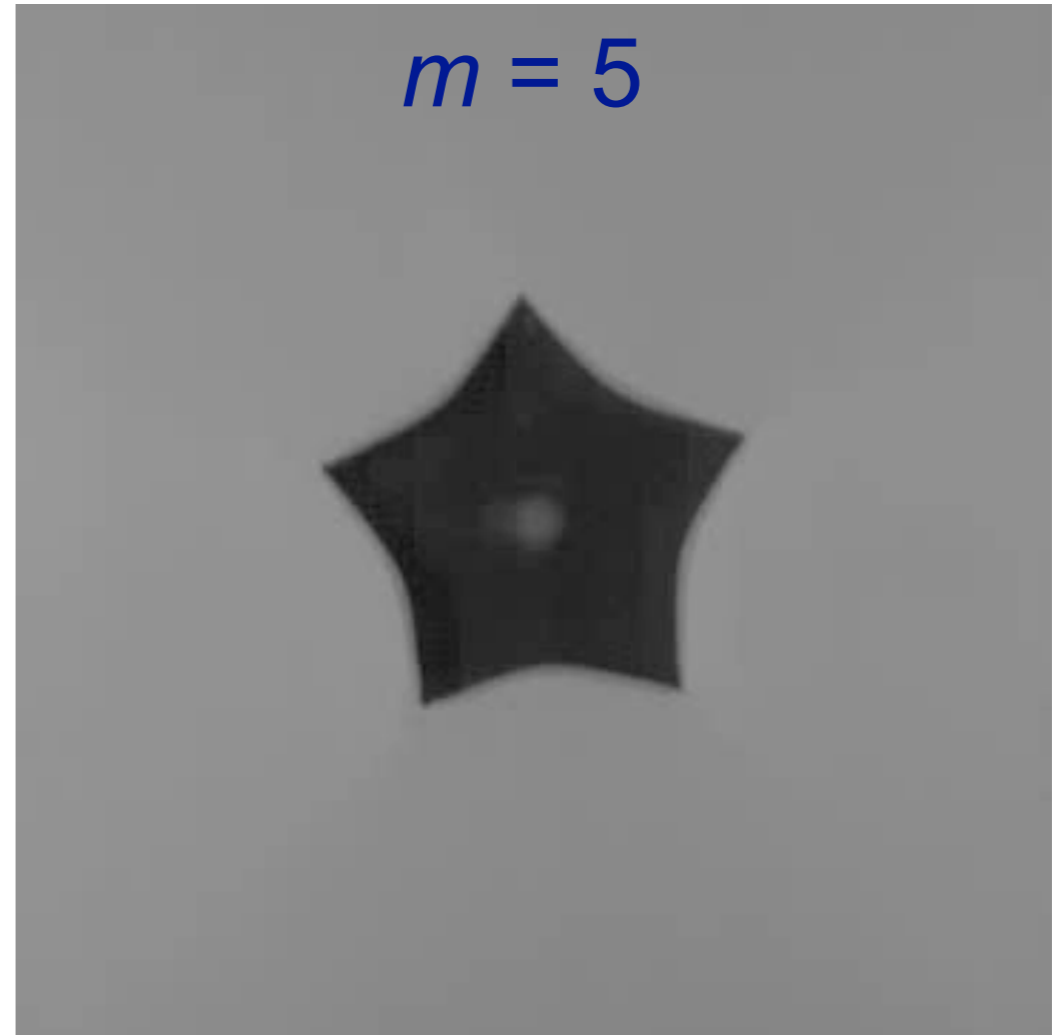
▶ jet formation



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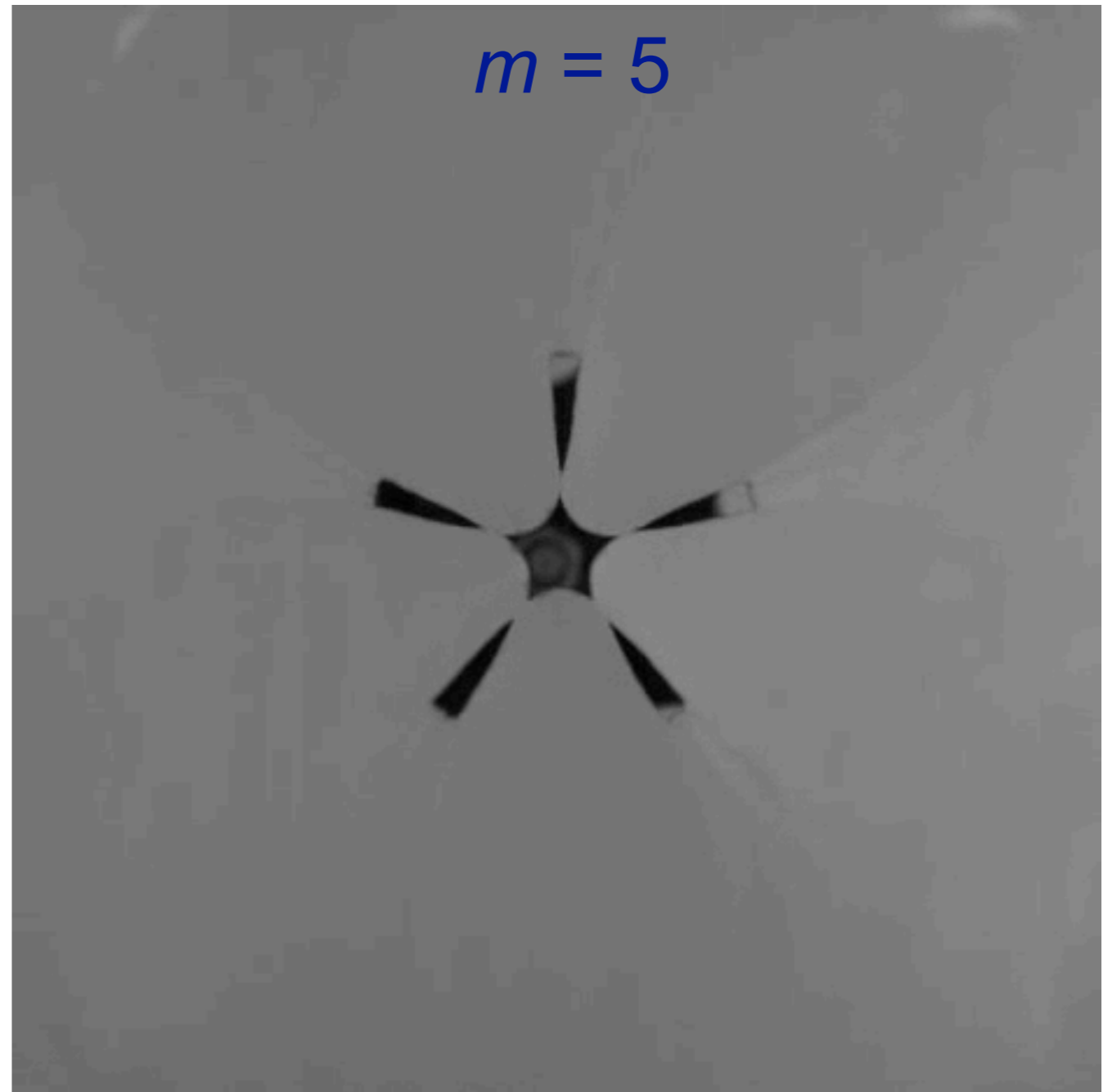
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Experiments in the non-linear regime

(perturbations a comparable to disc radius R_0)

- ▶ jet formation
- ▶ cusp formation ($m \geq 3$)
- ▶ subcavities



A side view ($m=20$, 10% perturbation)



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Understanding the side view pattern



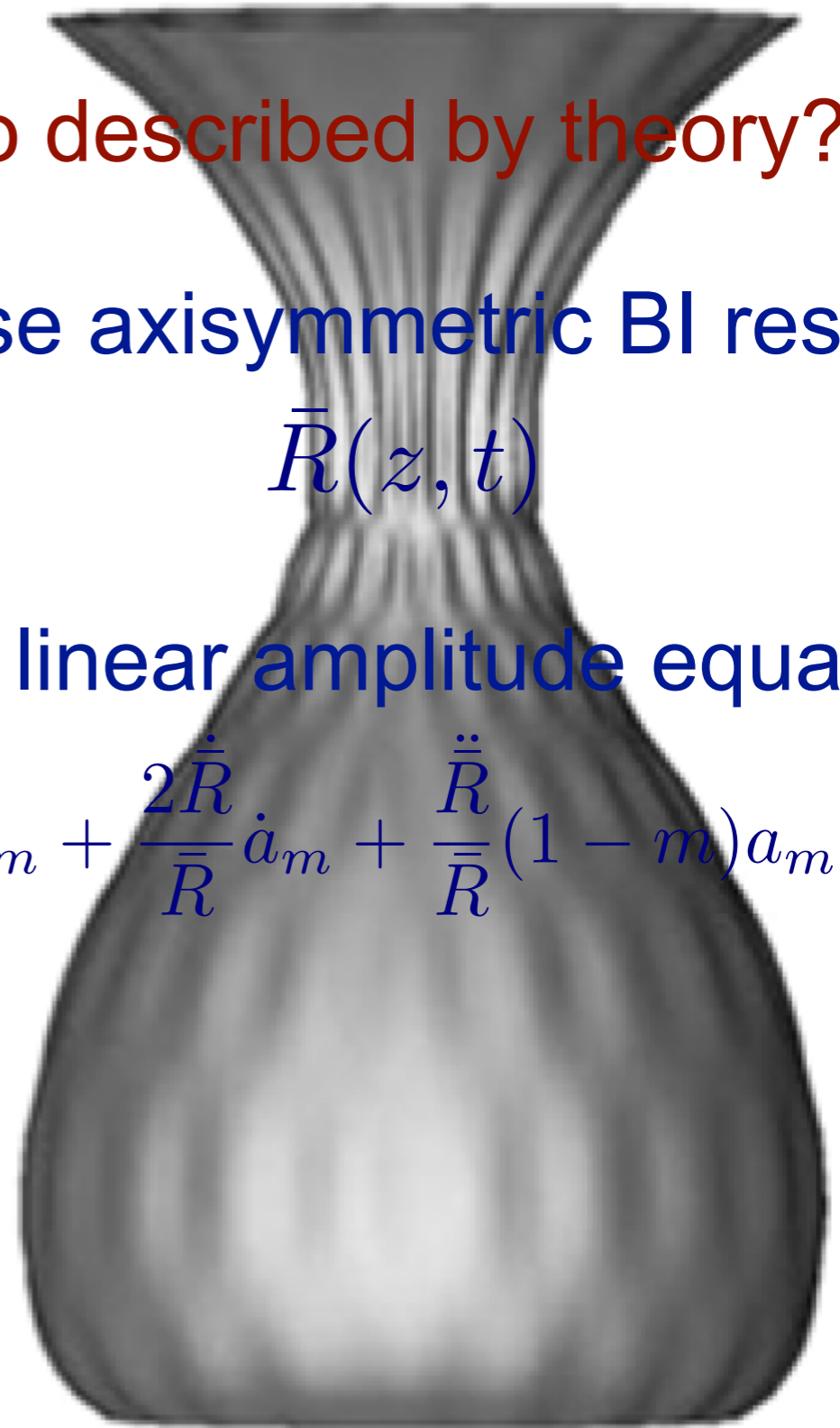
Also described by theory?

- ▶ use axisymmetric BI result

$$\bar{R}(z, t)$$

- ▶ in linear amplitude equation

$$\ddot{a}_m + \frac{2\dot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}}\dot{a}_m + \frac{\ddot{\bar{R}}}{\bar{R}}(1 - m)a_m = 0$$



Conclusions

Void creation and collapse:

- experiment & BI numerics agree wonderfully
- 2D Rayleigh equation captures essential dynamics
- Airflow becomes supersonic in the neck

Breaking axisymmetry:

- perfect agreement small oscillations with Schmidt's theory
- large perturbations show cusp, jet & subcavity formation
- axisymmetric BI result + Schmidt's theory captures pineapple shape cavity



THANK YOU !