LARGE FRICTIONAL DRAG BY SHEAR-INDUCED SOLIDIFICATION OF GRANULAR LAYER

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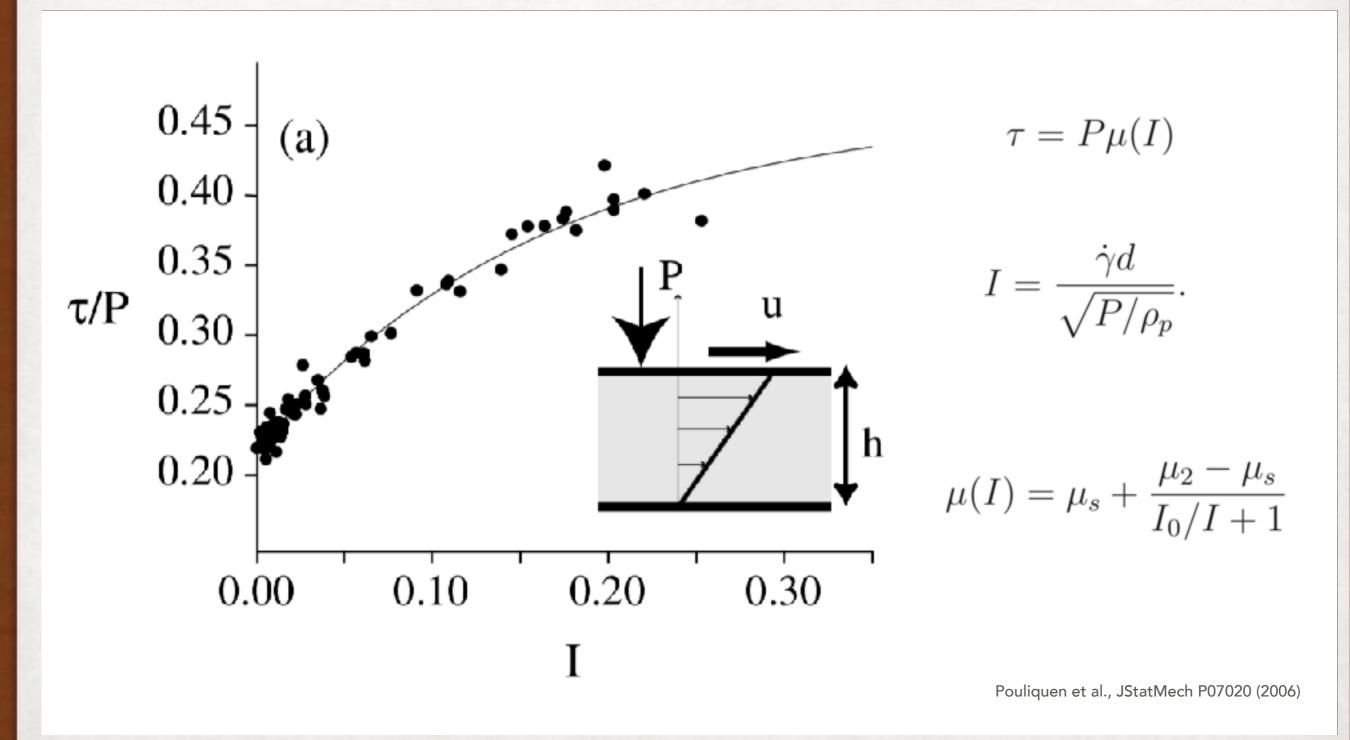
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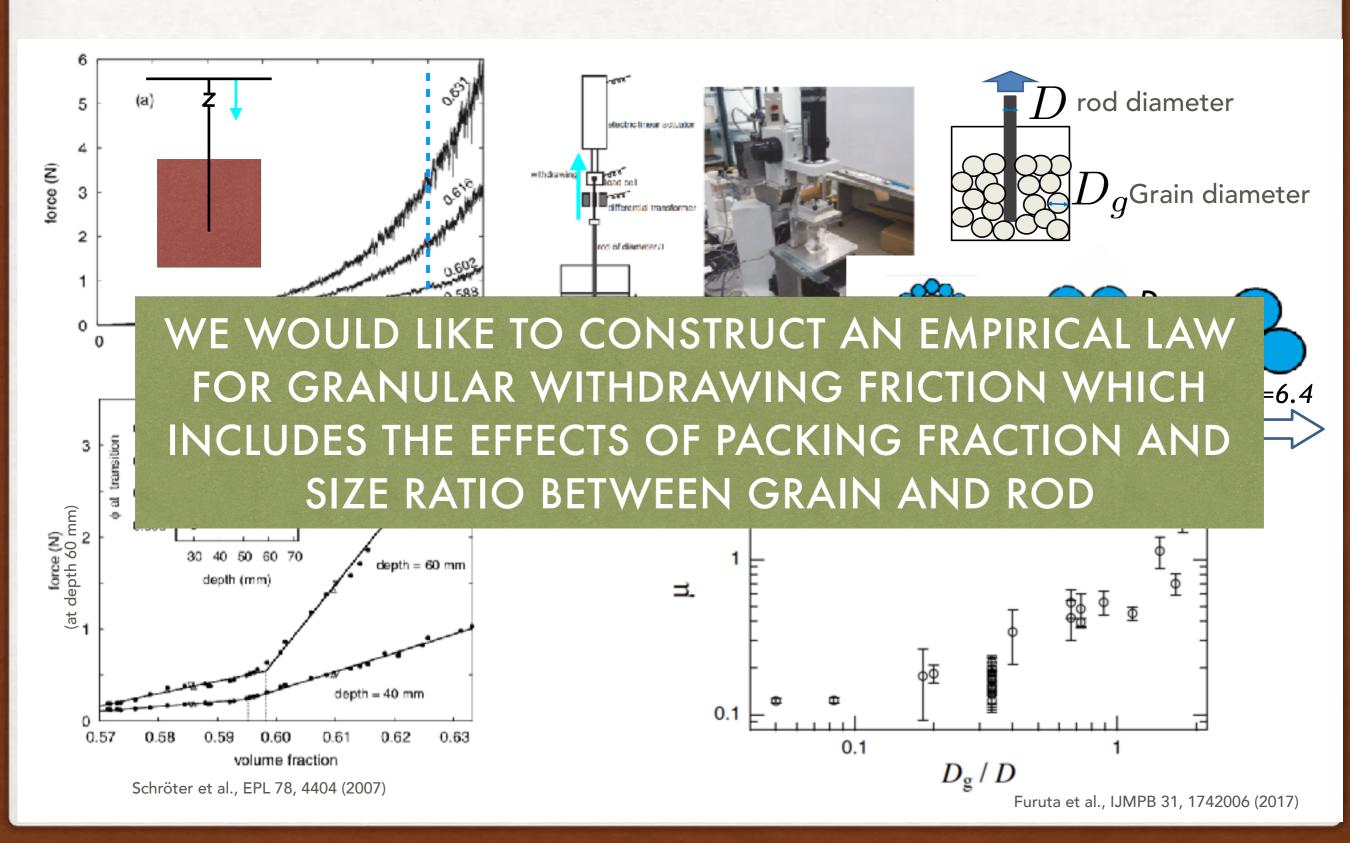
GRANULAR FRICTION

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PENETRATION AND WITHDRAWING

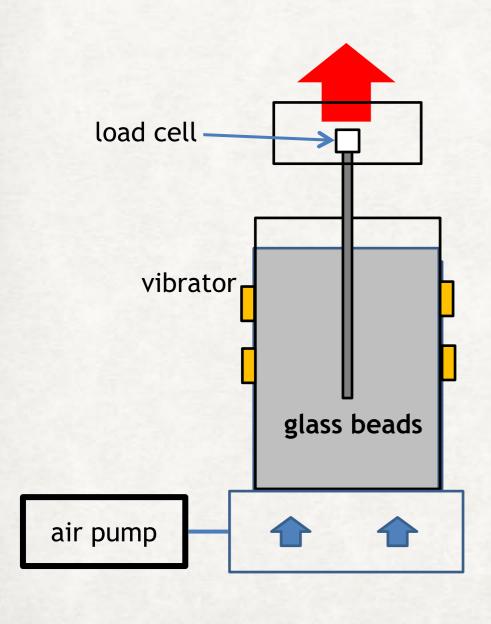
WITH GRANULAR FRICTION



EXPERIMENTAL SETUP

PROTOCOL & MATERIALS

Setup:



Protocol:

- 1. Preparing a glass beads layer
- 2. Making a porous granular layer by air fluidization
- 3. Controlling a compaction degree by vibration
- 4. Measuring packing fraction
- 5. Withdrawing a rod and measuring force

Parameters:

Grain diameter: $D_g = 0.4 - 2.0 \text{ mm}$

Rod diameter: D = 0.3 - 3.2 mm

Size ratio: $D_g/D = 0.13 - 2.7$

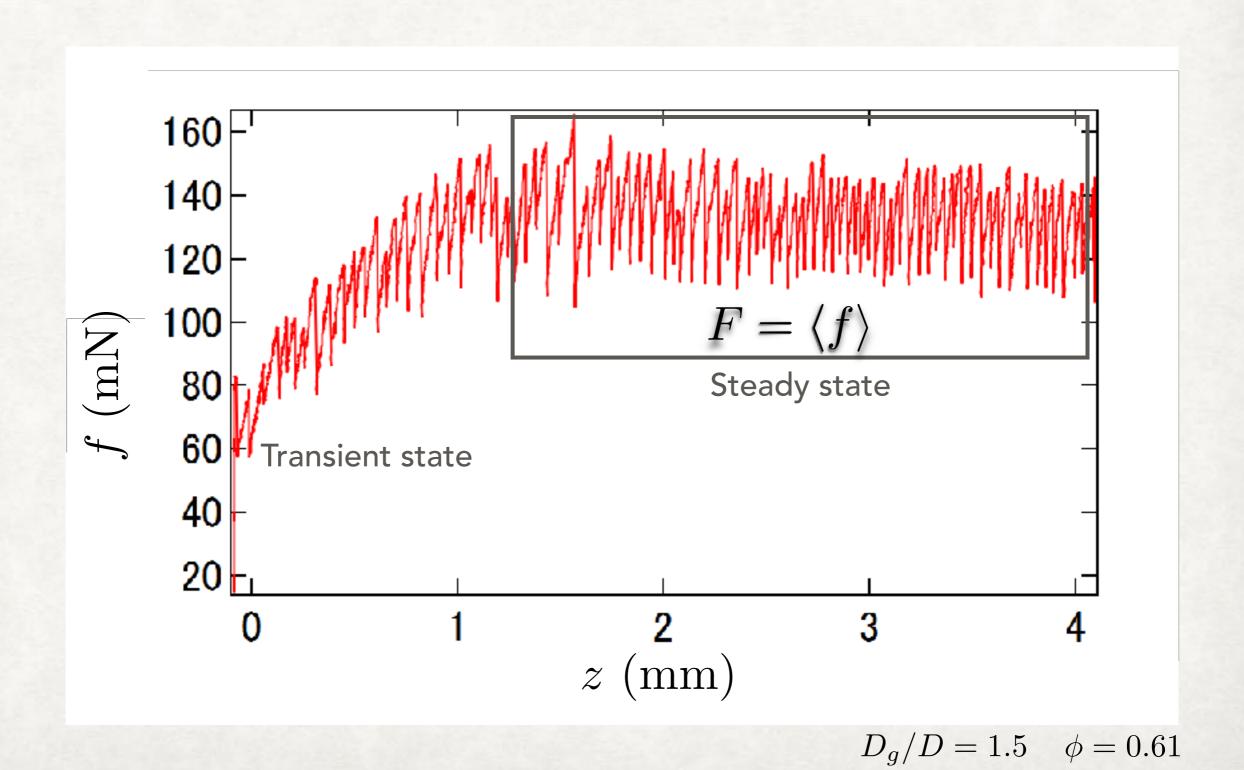
Packing fraction: $\phi = 0.58 - 0.62$

Vessel diameter: 51 mm

Initial buried depth: 45 mm

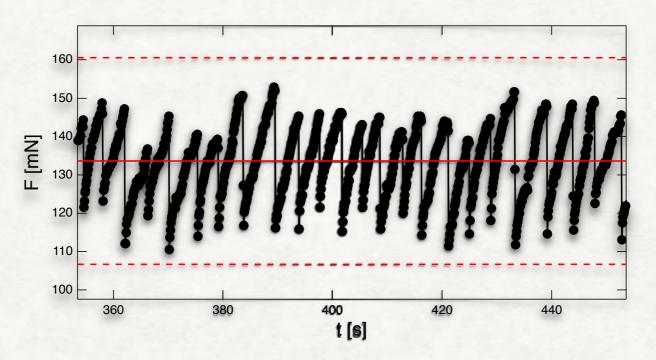
RAW DATA OF FRICTION FORCE

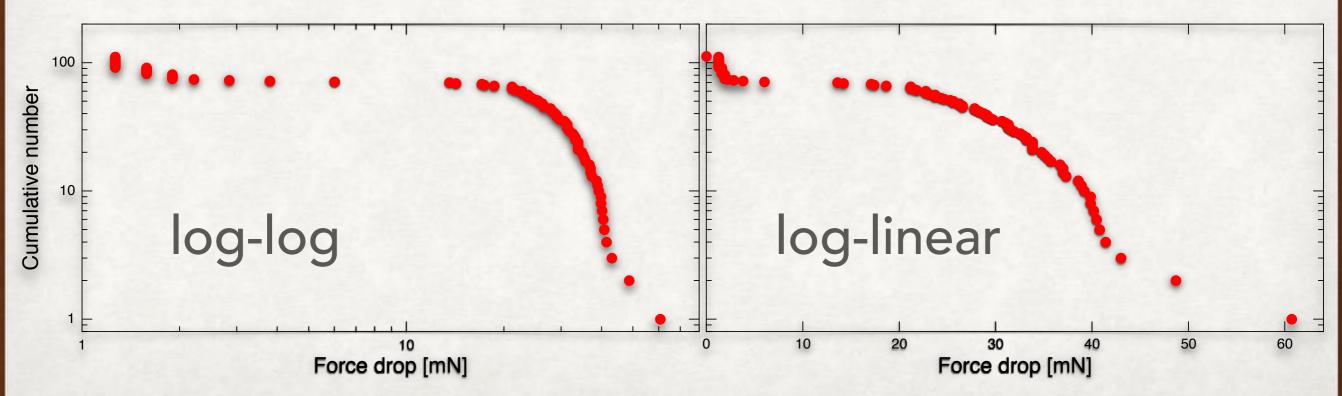
IN STEADY STATE



SIZE DISTRIBUTION OF FORCE DROPS

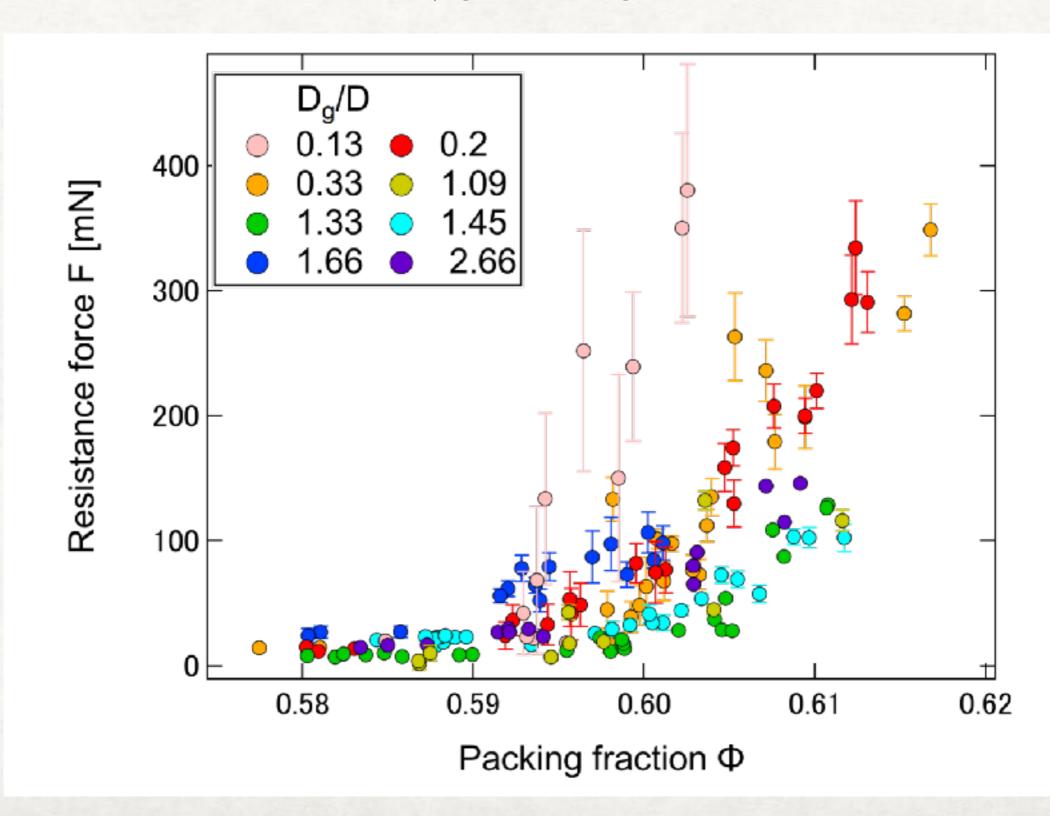
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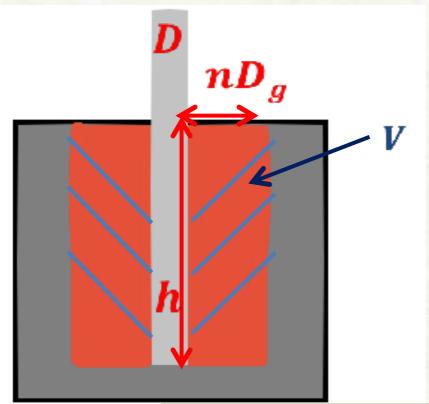
FORCE VS PACKING FRACTION

IN STEADY STATE



SOLIDIFIED NORMAL FORCE MODEL

BY SHEAR JAMMING



$$F = \mu N$$

$$F = \mu \kappa \rho g V$$

$$\mu' = \mu \kappa \simeq 0.18 \times 0.5 \simeq 0.1$$

glass - stainless friction (San Jose delta Inc.)

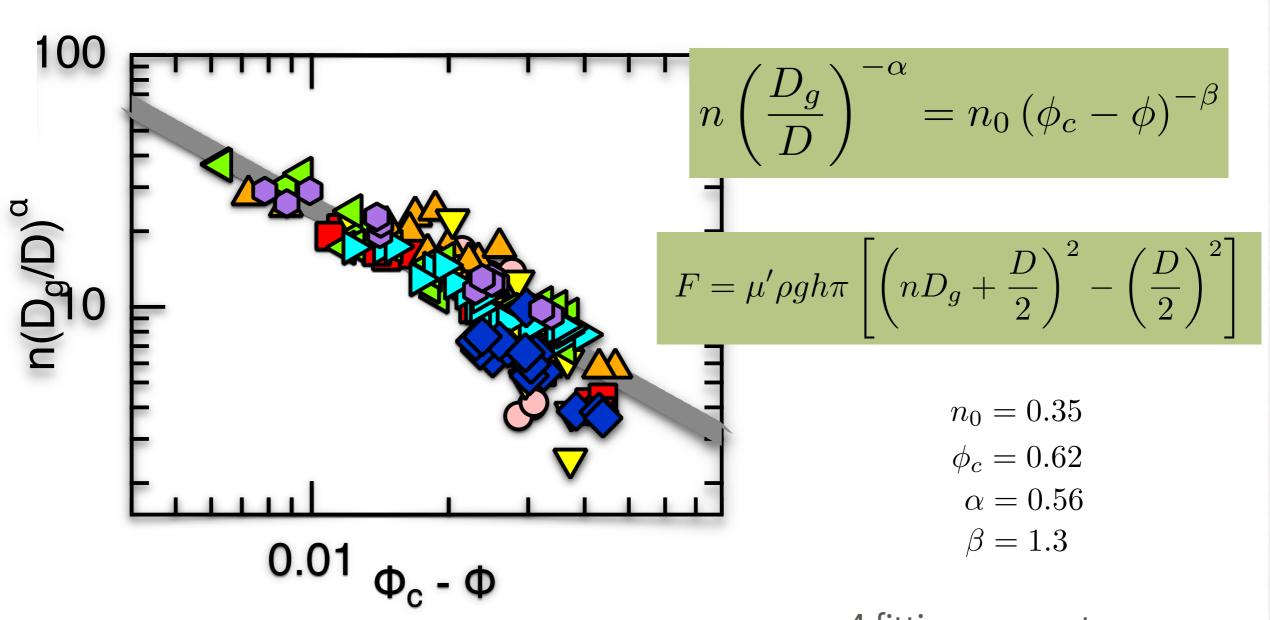
 κ : Janssen parameter

$$F = \mu' \rho g h \pi \left[\left(n D_g + \frac{D}{2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{D}{2} \right)^2 \right]$$

$$n = \frac{-AD + \sqrt{(AD)^2 + 4AF}}{2AD_g}$$

$$A = \mu' \rho g h \pi$$

DATA COLLAPSE CRITICAL DIVERGENCE



4 fitting parameters, but 2 or 3 are (hopefully) universal...

SUMMARY

- The empirical granular friction law for withdrawing an object from a relatively porous granular layer was experimentally obtained.
- From the experimental and numerical results, a shear-induced solidification could be triggered by the withdrawing.
- Using the obtained empirical law, we can easily estimate the granular frictional resistance force in various situation including probe extraction from regolith layer.