

Viscoelastic response of the impact process in dense suspensions

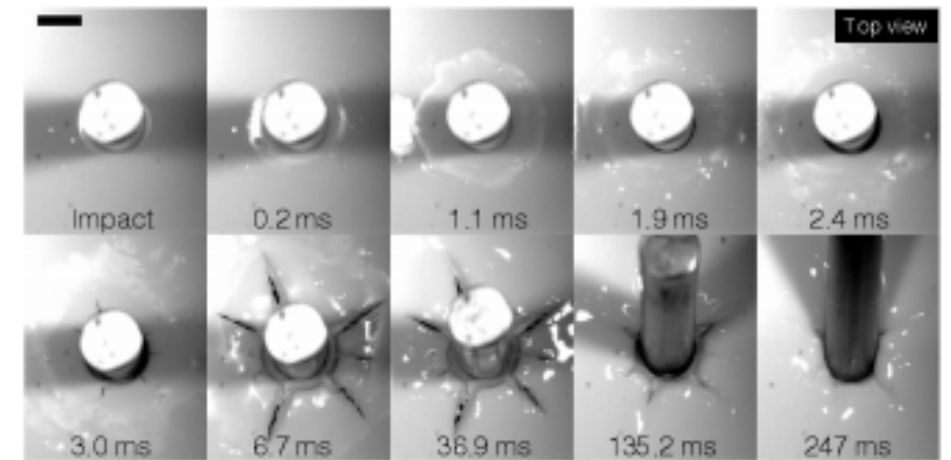
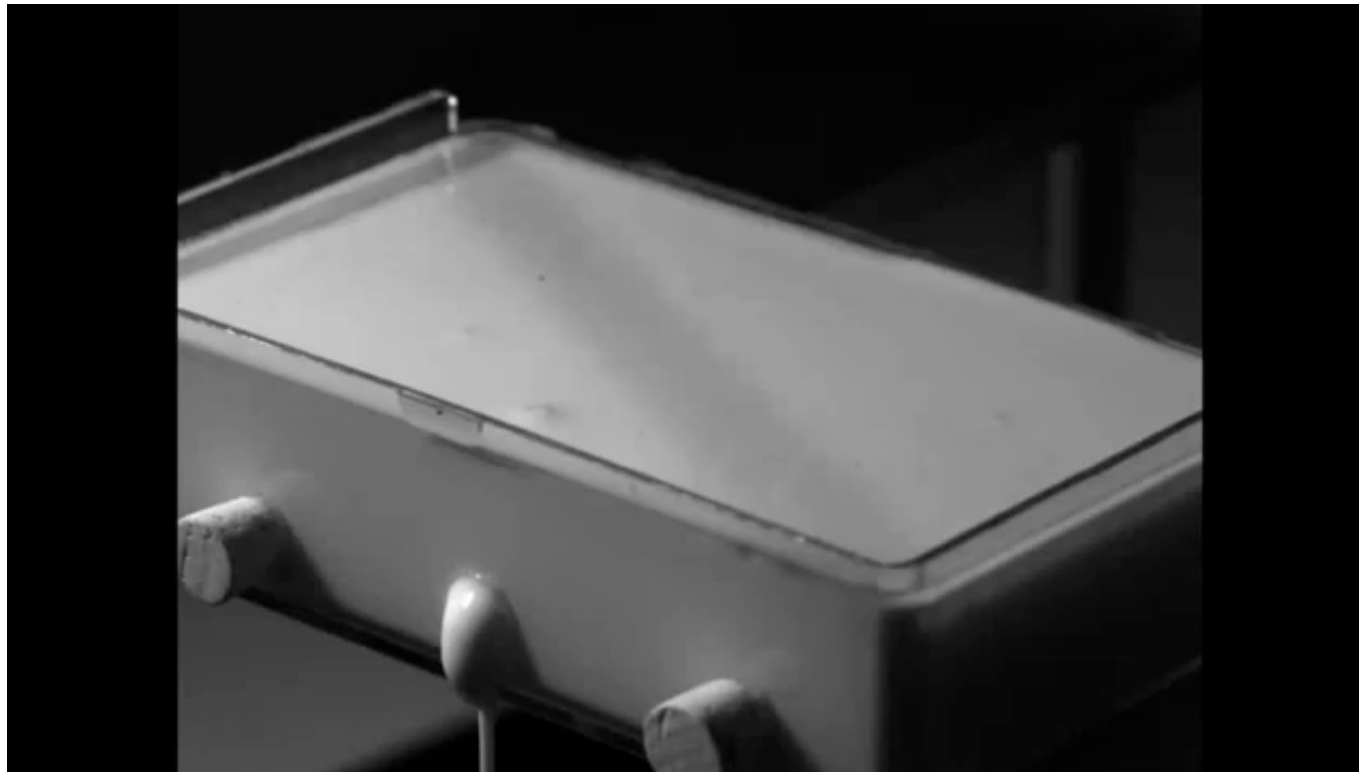
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Dense suspensions under impact



Fracture Roche et al, PRL 2013

Source: Itai Cohen Group on YouTube <https://youtu.be/hP88C-LgnE>

Impact-induced hardening

Occurs on hard particles
suspended in Newtonian solvent

Cannot be observed in fluids or
granular particles alone

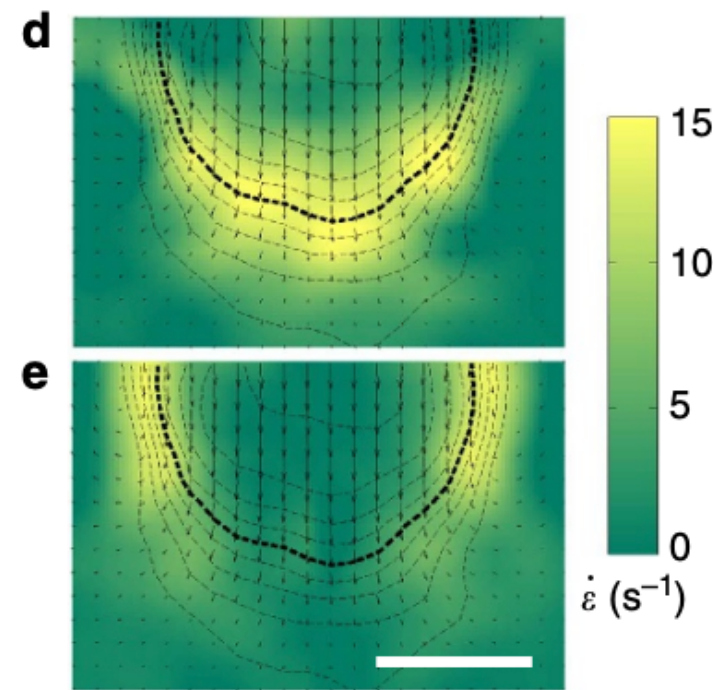
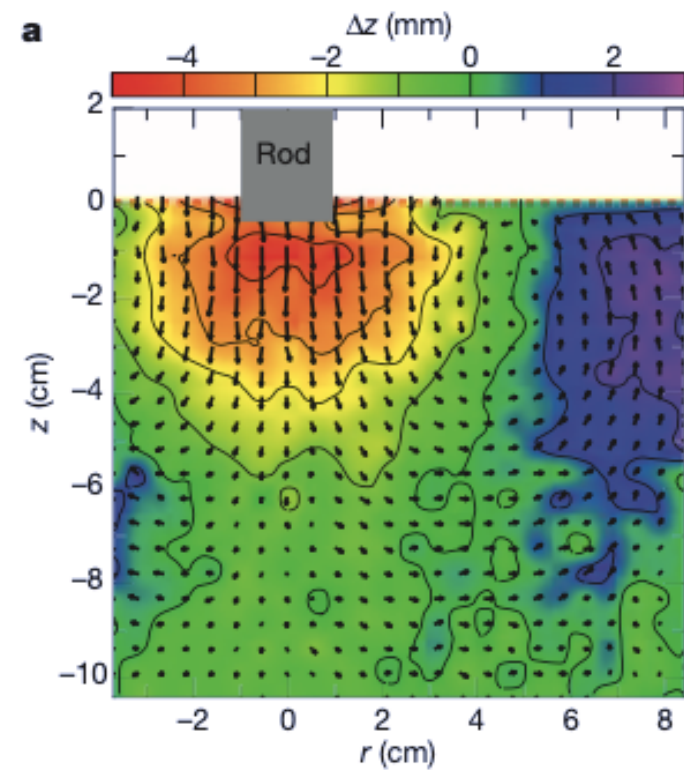
A person can run on top of
dense suspensions

Physical explanations remain
elusive

- Inherently far-from-equilibrium
- Highly dissipative —> transient

Dense suspensions under impact have stronger response than the one observed in shear thickening suspensions

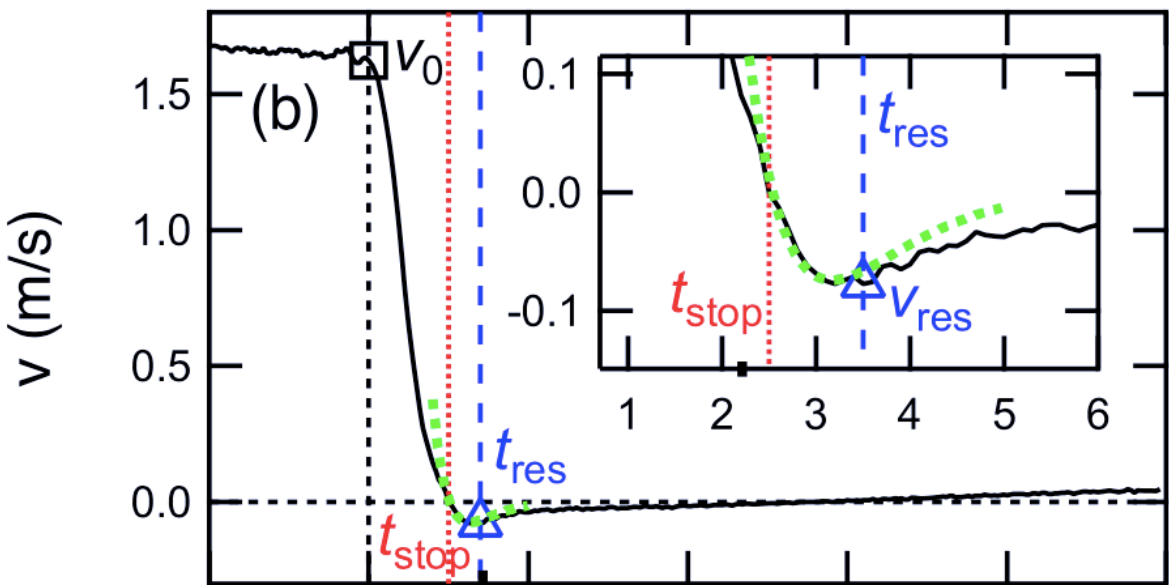
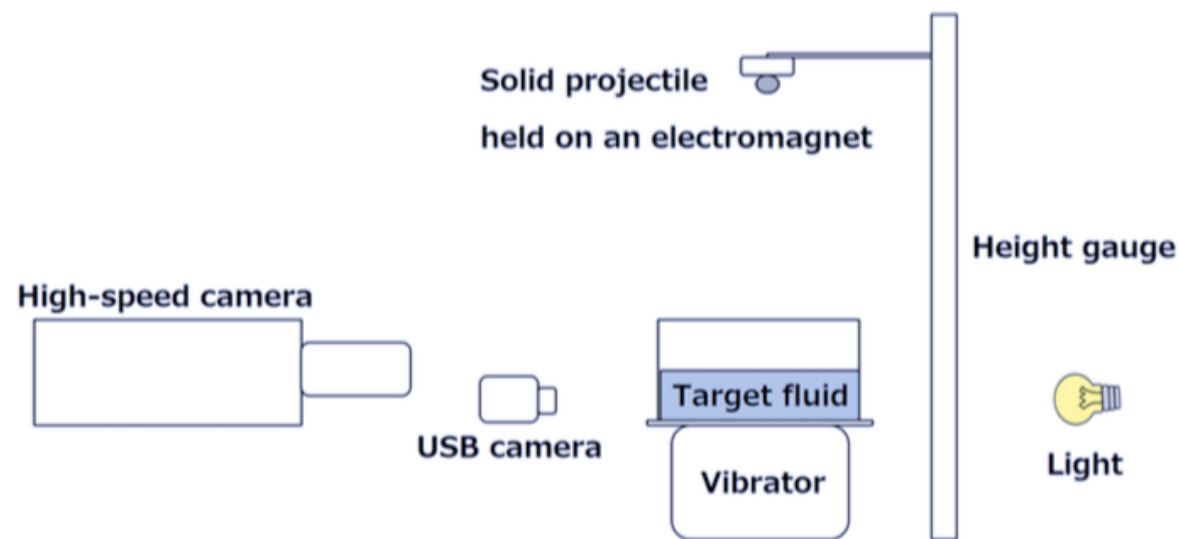
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Dynamically Jammed Region

Localized and transient solid-like region beneath the impactor

Elastic rebound Egawa and Katsuragi, Phys. Fluids **31**, 053304 (2019)

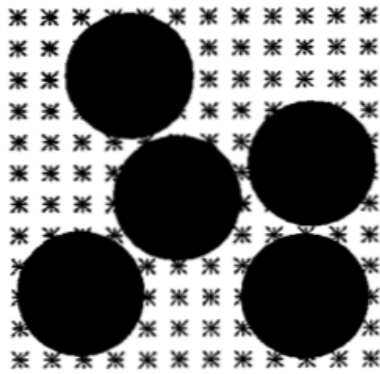


Simulation of impact-induced hardening

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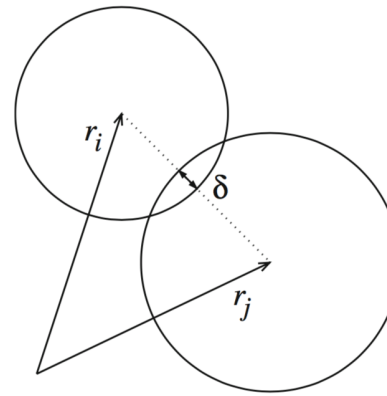
Hydrodynamic interaction

LBM + Lubrication corrections



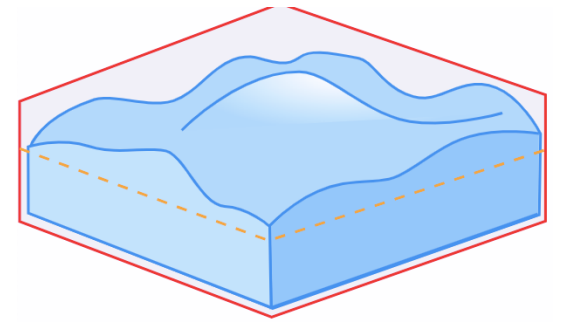
Contact between particles

DEM

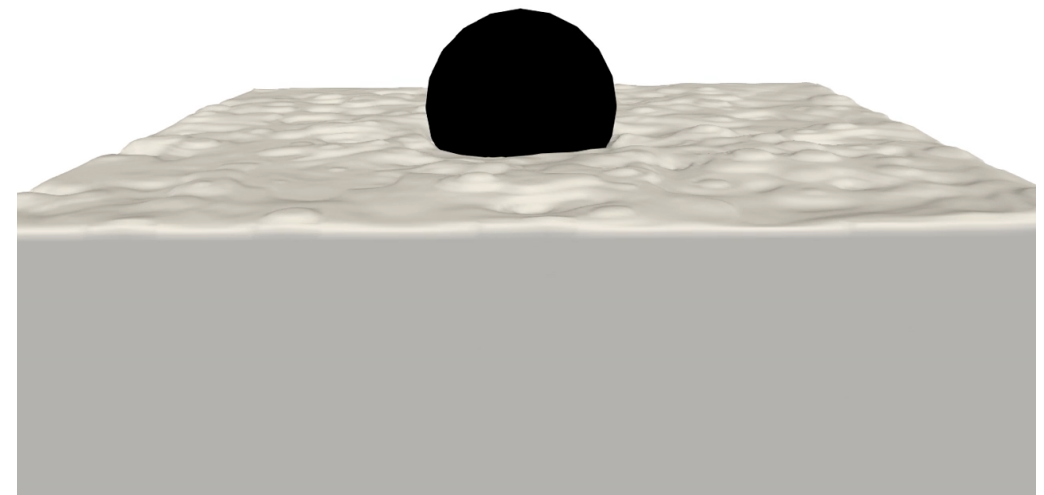
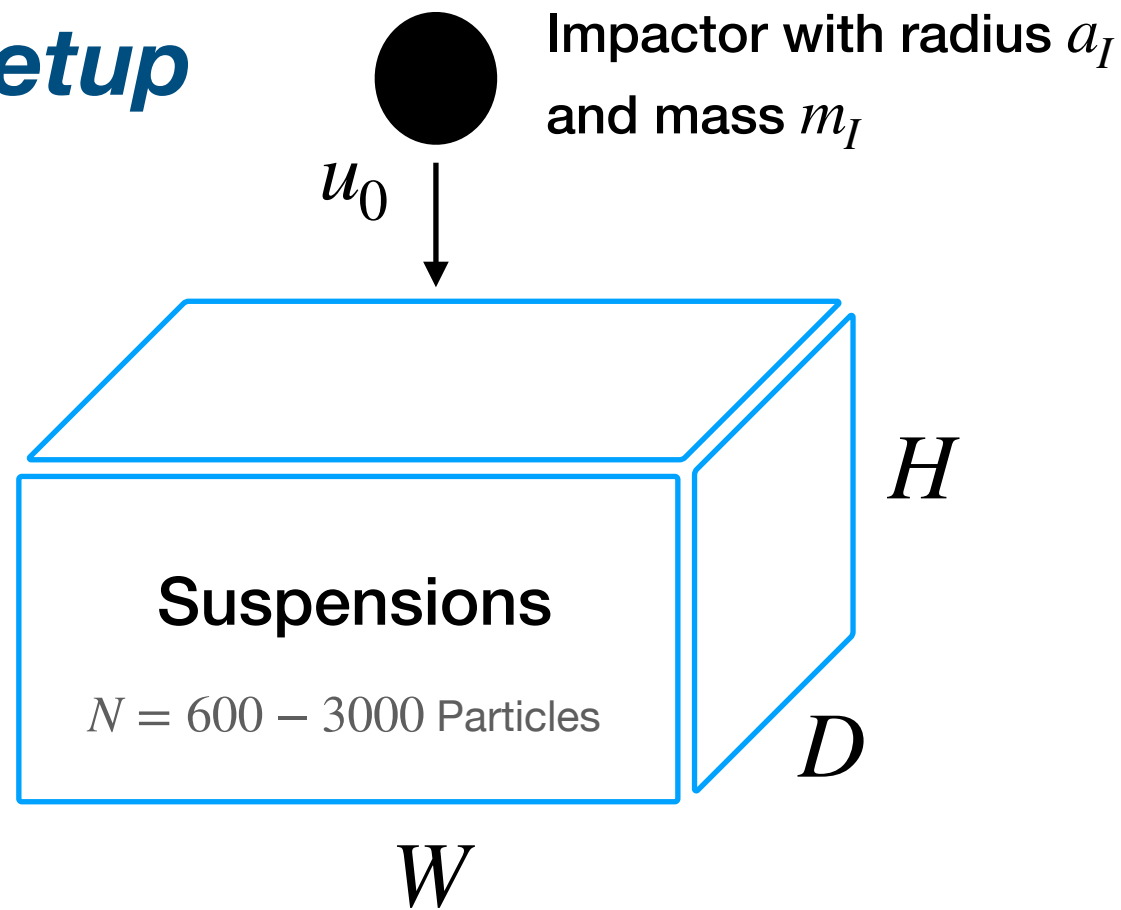


Free surface

LBM



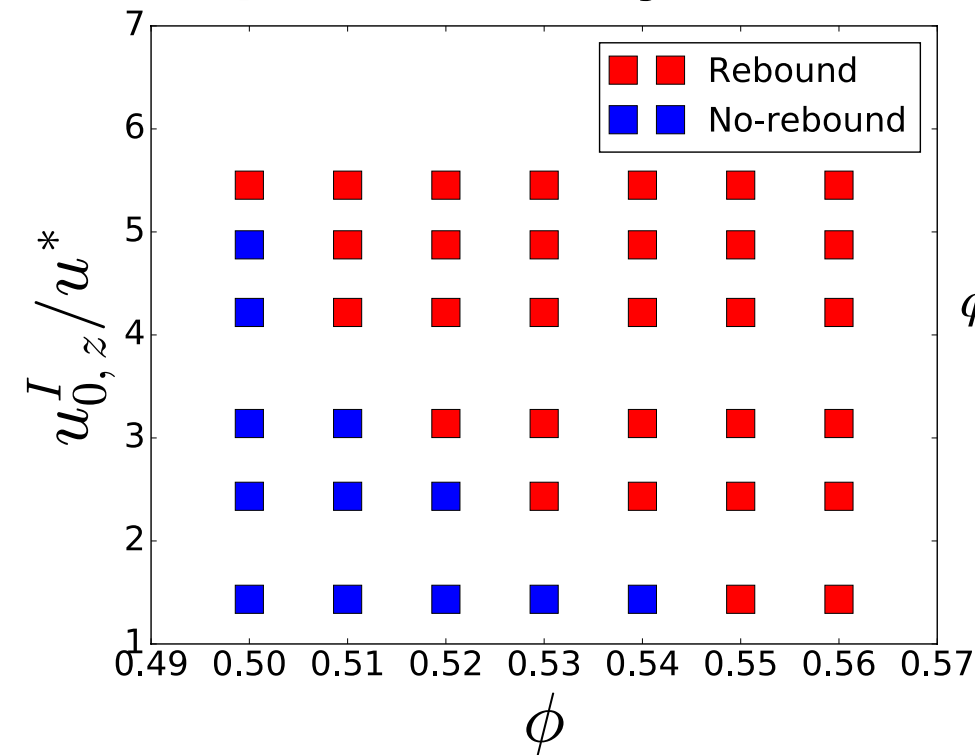
Setup



Elastic rebound depends on impact velocity and frictional interactions between particles

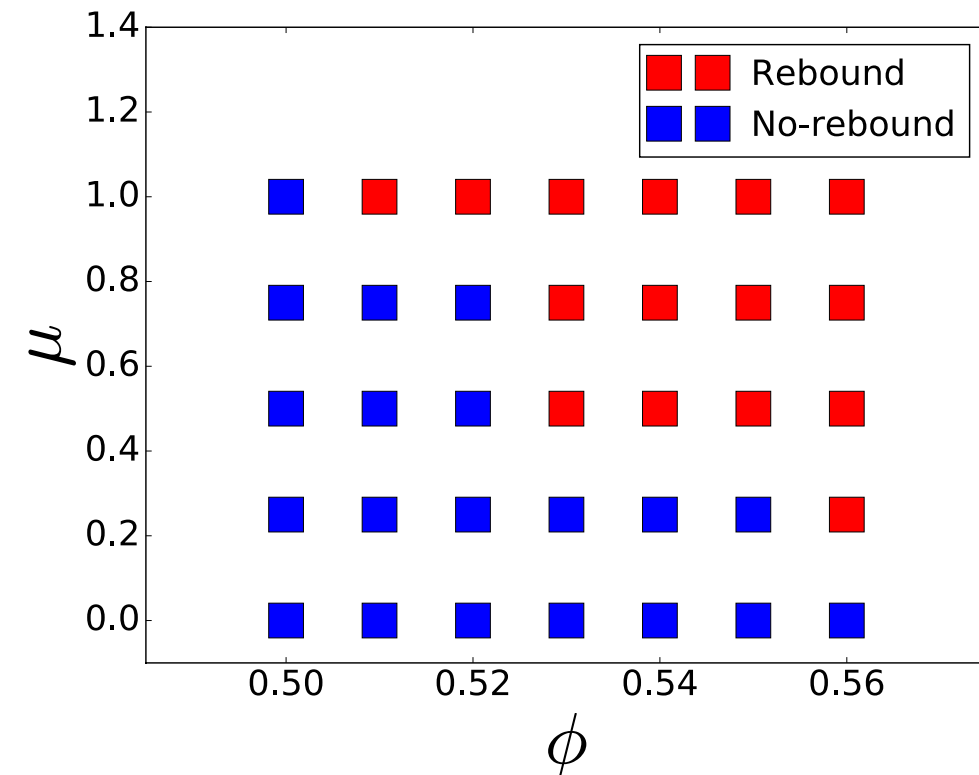
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Impact velocity

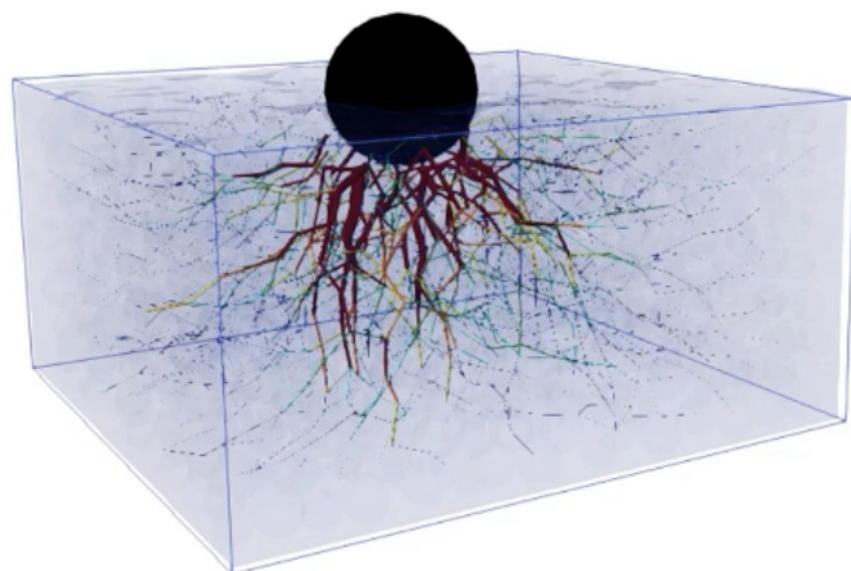


$$\phi = \frac{\text{Total solid particles volume}}{\text{Volume of the container}}$$

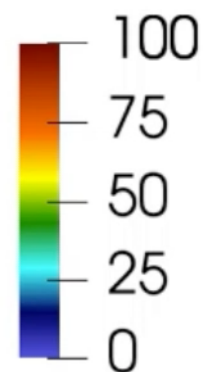
Friction coefficients



Inside the hardening suspension



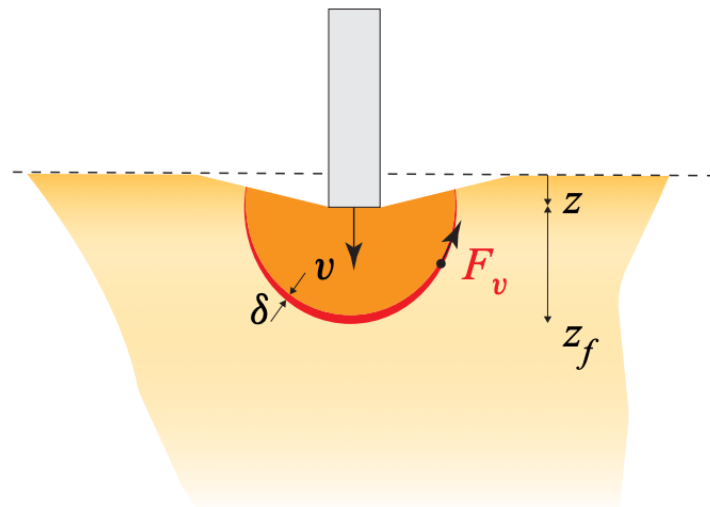
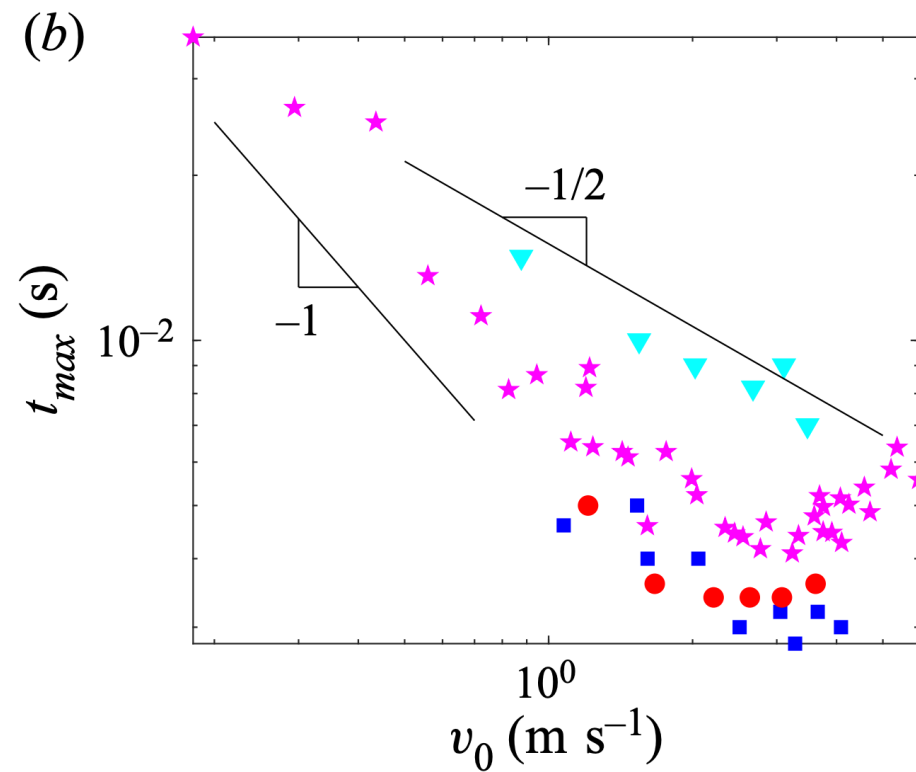
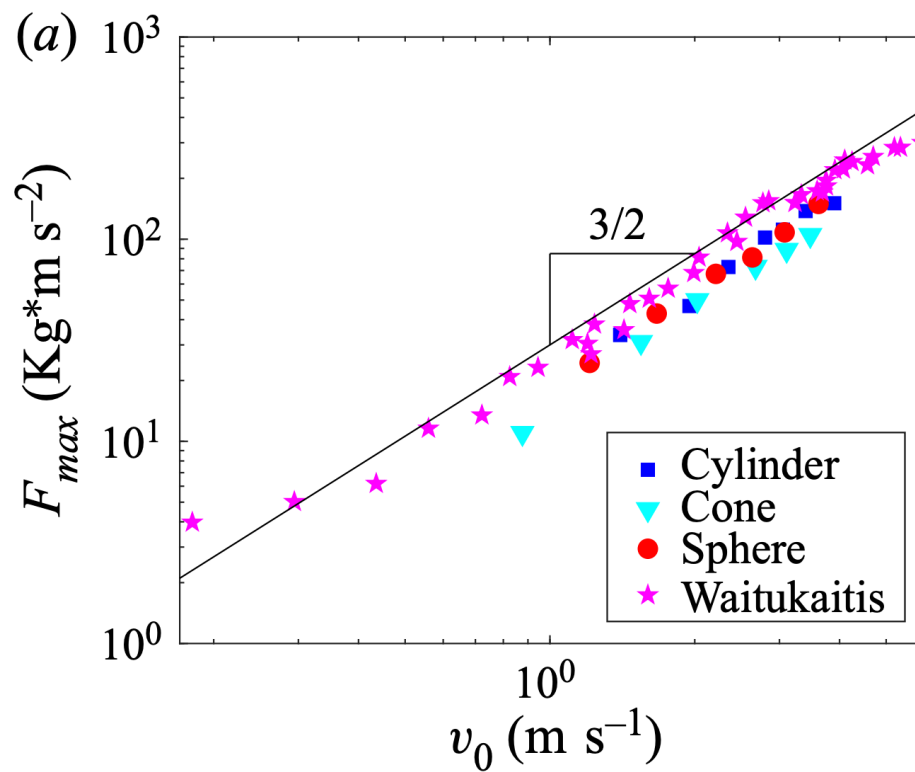
$$|\mathbf{F}_{ij}^{c,n}| / F_0$$



Force chains

- Formed by contacting suspended particles
- Transmitting force from the impactor to the bottom boundary
- Sustain the impactor → rebound

Power-law relations between u_0 , $F_{\max}$, and $t_{\max}$ Brassard, et. al, JFM **923**, A38 (2021)



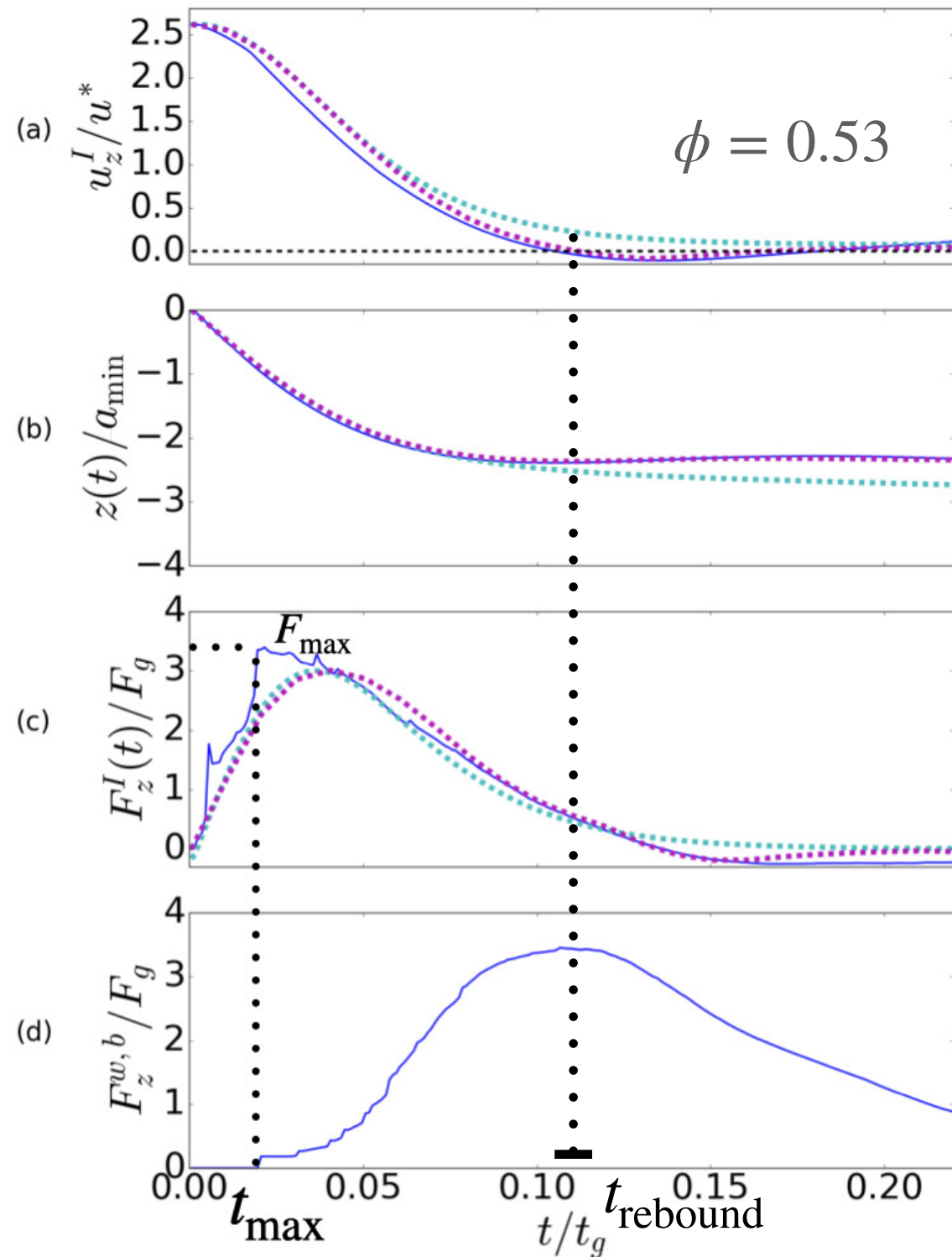
Viscous force from the dynamically jammed region

$$F_v = -C_v \pi D \eta_s k z \frac{v}{\delta}. \quad \text{Cannot recover the elastic rebound}$$

Purpose of this talk

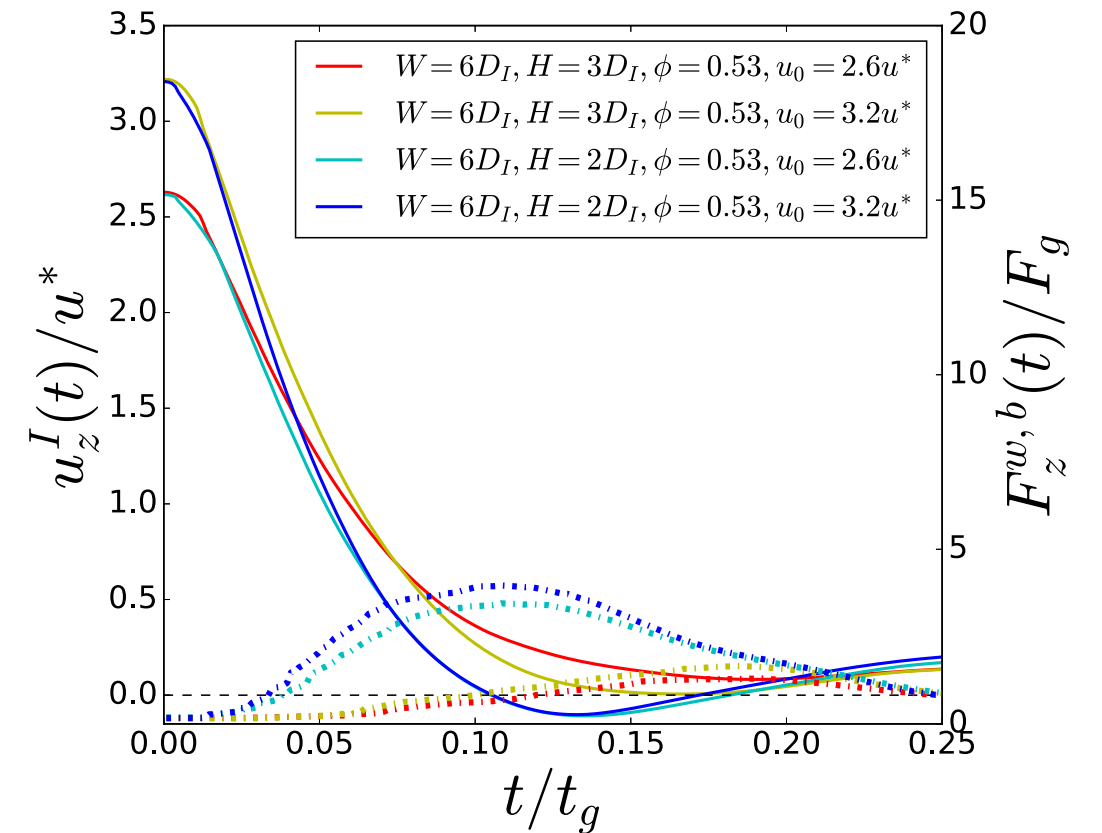
Elucidate the connection between this power-law relation and the rebound motion

Force on the impactor reach its peak before the rebound



Dyn. jammed region
touch the bottom and
starts accumulating

Dyn. jammed region
reached its peak on the
bottom and soften →
impactor starts to sink



Rebound depends on the depth
of the container

The origin of $F_{\max}$ is the
floating jammed region

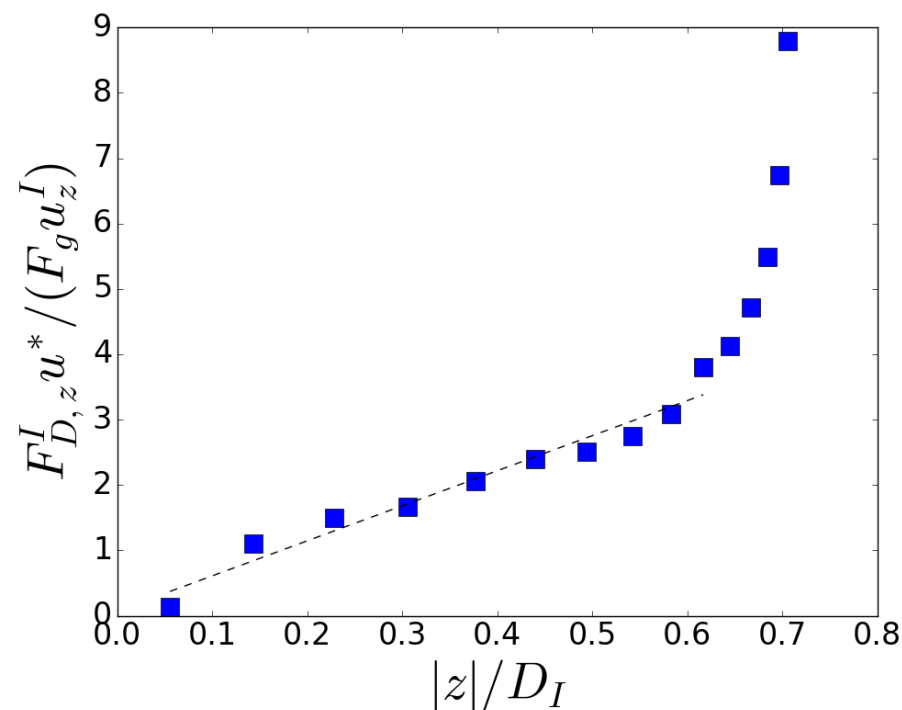
The origin of rebound is the
transmission of force from the
impactor to the bottom plate
and vice versa

Phenomenology Floating + force chains model

$$m_I \frac{d^2 z_I}{dt^2} = -m_I \tilde{g} + \overset{\text{Viscous}}{3\pi\eta_{\text{eff}} \dot{z}_I |z|} + \overset{\text{Elastic}}{n(t)k_n z_I}$$

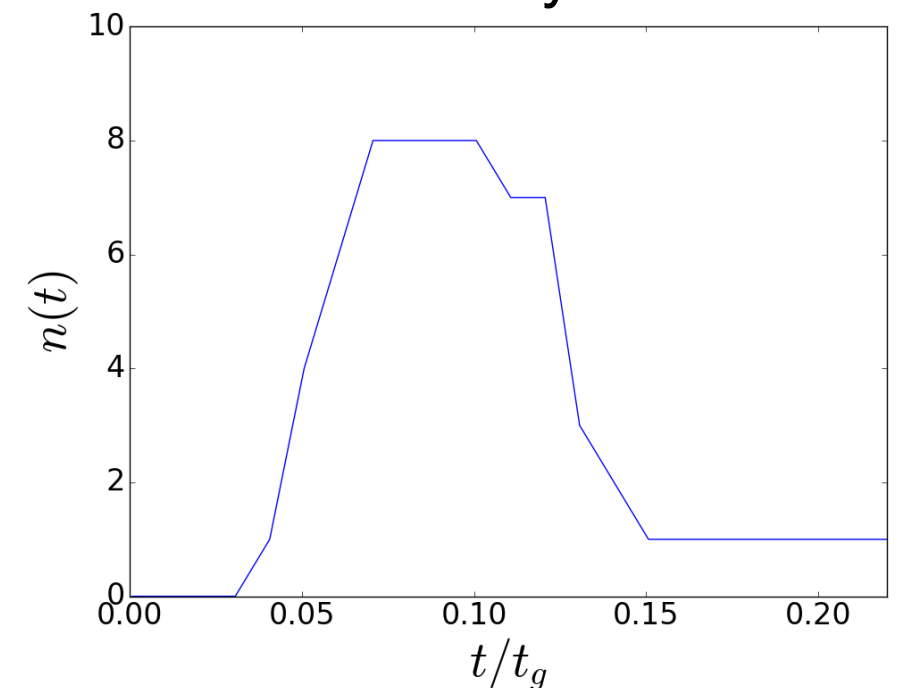
From floating jammed region

Drag on the impactor is proportional to its depth before completely immersed



From force chains

$n(t)$ $\longrightarrow$ Number of percolating force chains from the impactor to the bottom boundary

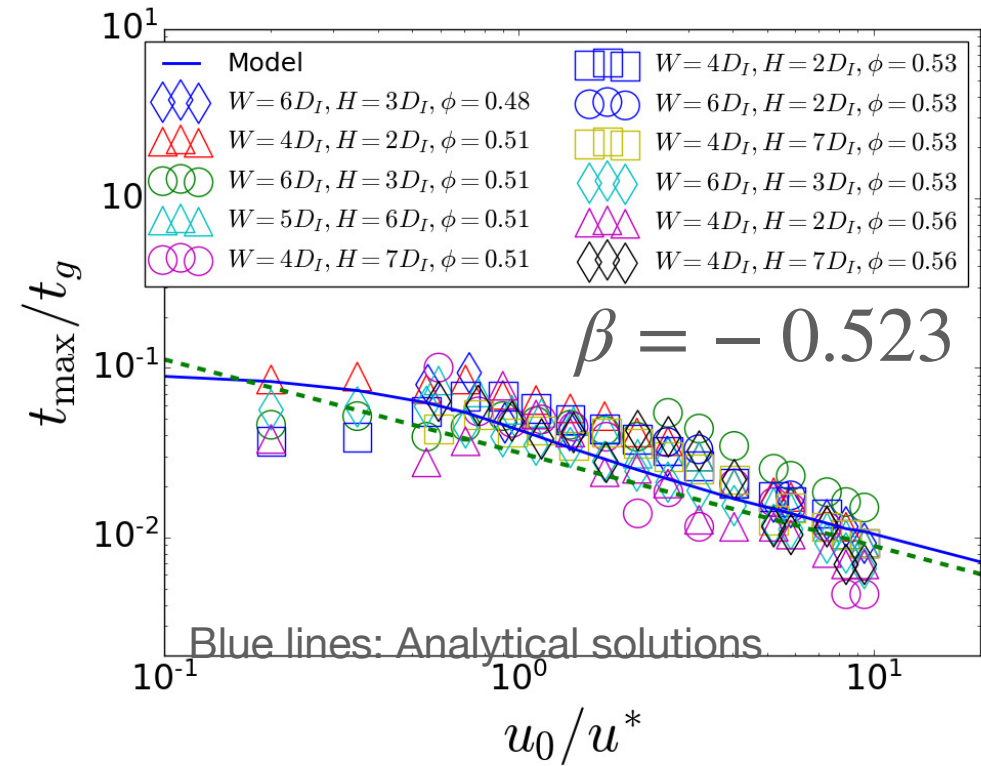
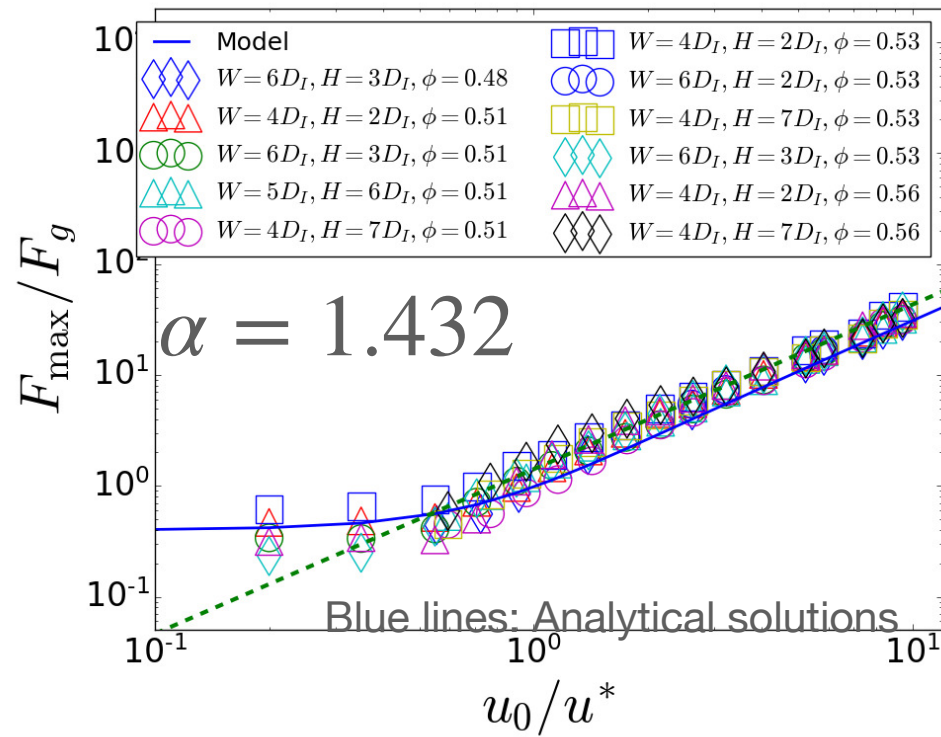


Analytical solution of floating model in $u_0 \gg 1/\eta_{\text{eff}}$:

$$F_{\text{max}} \propto u_0^{\frac{3}{2}} \text{ and } t_{\text{max}} \propto u_0^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

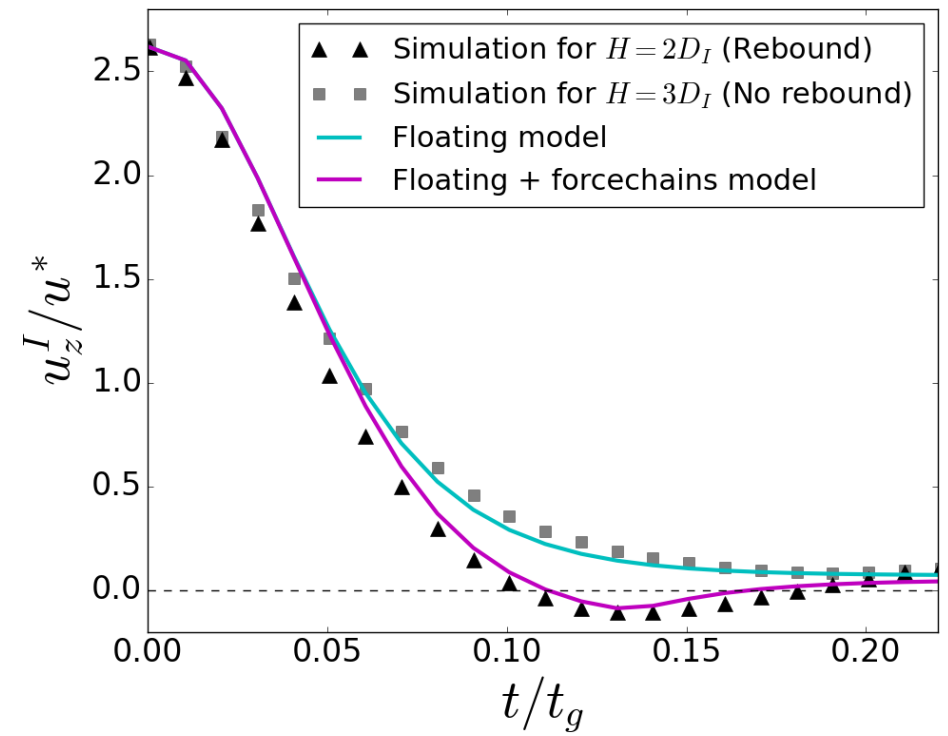
Model vs simulations Power-law relationships between $F_{\max}$, $t_{\max}$, and u_0

$$m_I \frac{d^2 z_I}{dt^2} = -m_I \tilde{g} + 3\pi\eta_{\text{eff}} \dot{z}_I |z| + n(t)k_n z_I$$



- **Crossover** from low u_0 to high u_0 regime
- High u_0 regime: $F_{\max} \propto u_0^\alpha$ and $t_{\max} \propto u_0^\beta$
 - Similar to experiments
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 - Independent of system size

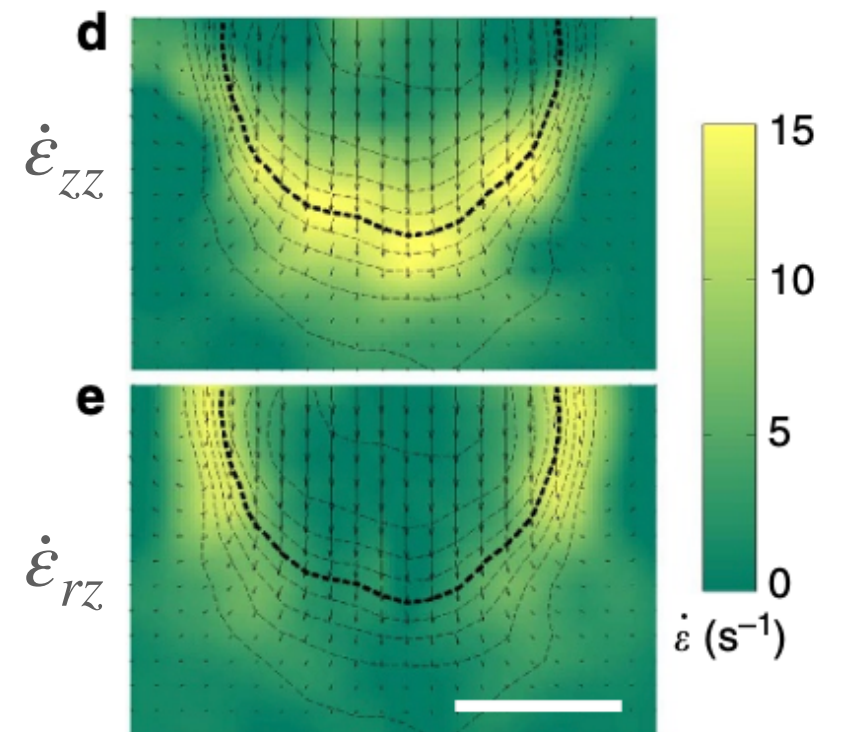
- Elastic term from percolating force chains is necessary to recover rebound



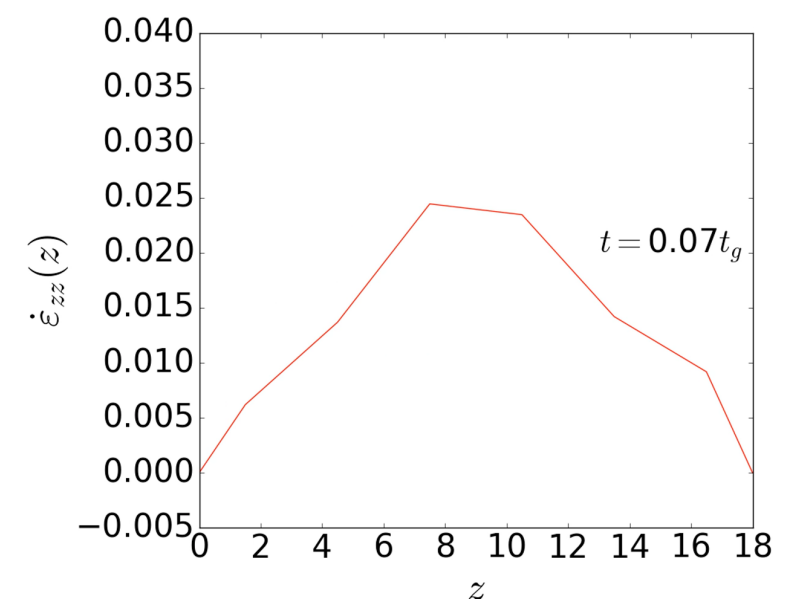
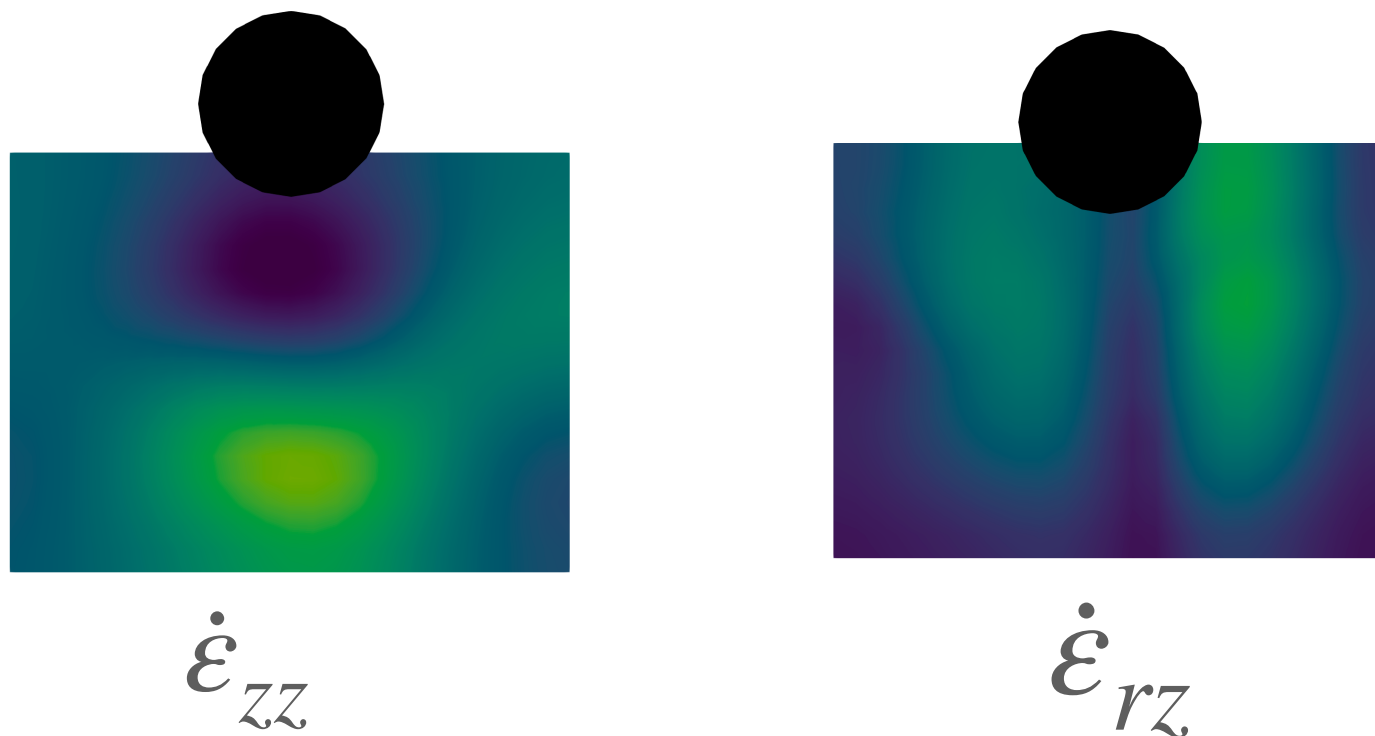
Discussions and future directions

- **Current picture:** elastic response only takes place when force chains percolate
- Even before touching the boundary, dynamically jammed region is **rigid**
- **Future task:**
 - Delineate the dynamically jammed region
 - Directly measure the elasticity of the dynamically jammed region

Han et al, Nat. Comms. 2016



Coarse-grained fields J. Zhang, R. P. Behringer, I. Goldhirsch, Prog. Theor. Phys. Supp **184**, 16 (2010)



Summary

Rebound motion depends on the system size and takes place later than $t_{\max}$

Our phenomenology shows that the power-law relationship between $F_{\max}$, $t_{\max}$, and u_0 arises solely from the viscous process

(Current picture) Elastic rebound is originated from percolating force chains

Future task: Measure the elasticity of the dynamically jammed region

For more details, please check:

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