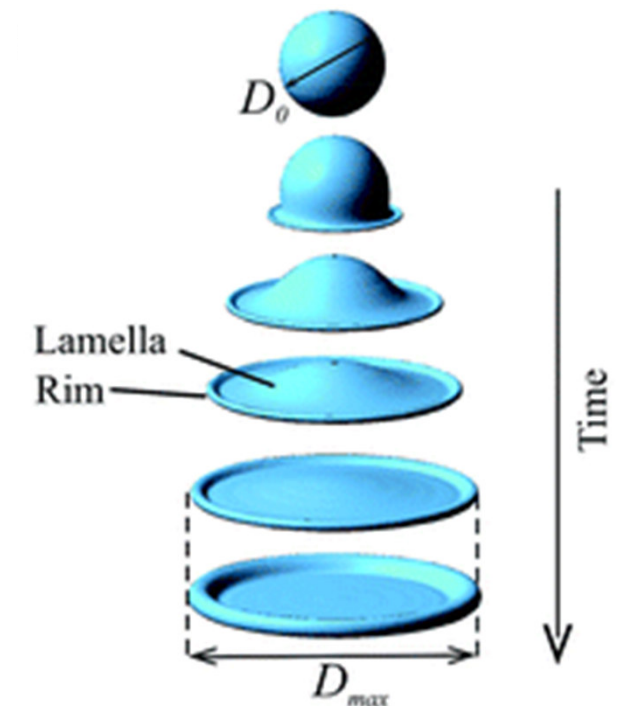


Entwicklung einer universellen analytischen Beziehung für die maximale Ausbreitung eines Tropfens beim Aufprall auf eine Wand

Development of a universal analytical
relationship for the maximum spread of
a drop when hitting a wall



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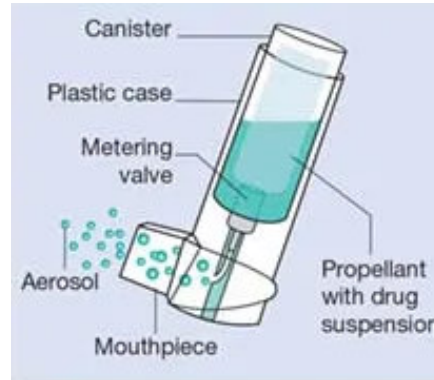
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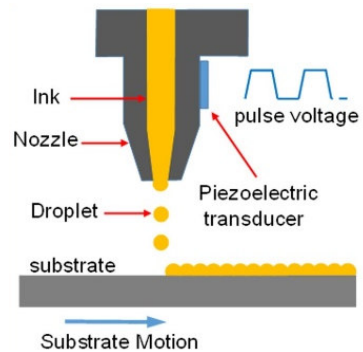
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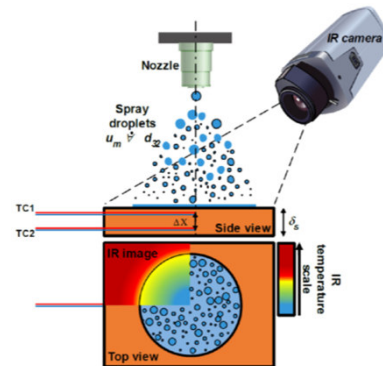
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Manufacturing inkjet printed solar cells



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Heat transfer spray cooling



Benther et al. IJHMT (2021)

Varnishing spray painting



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Internal combustion engine Fuel spray

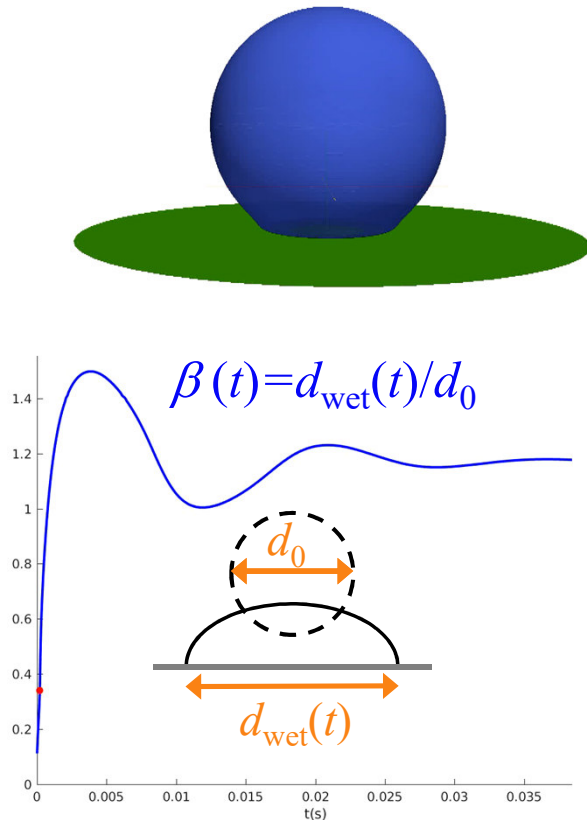


Exhaust pipe AdBlue spray

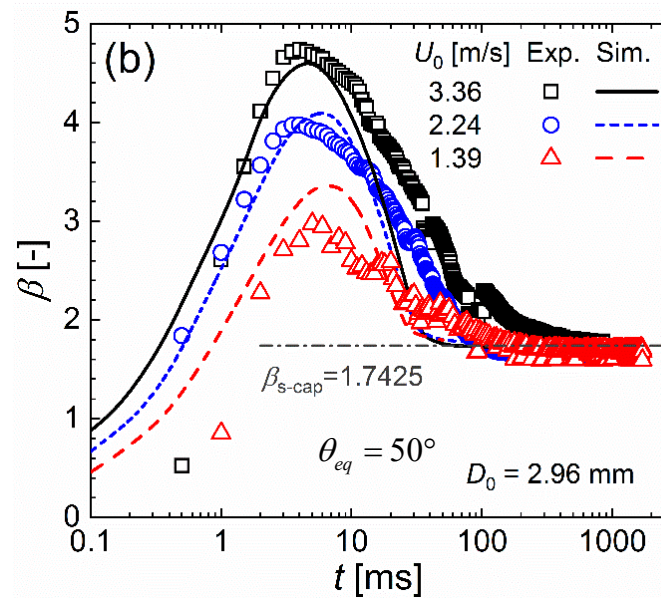


Motivation

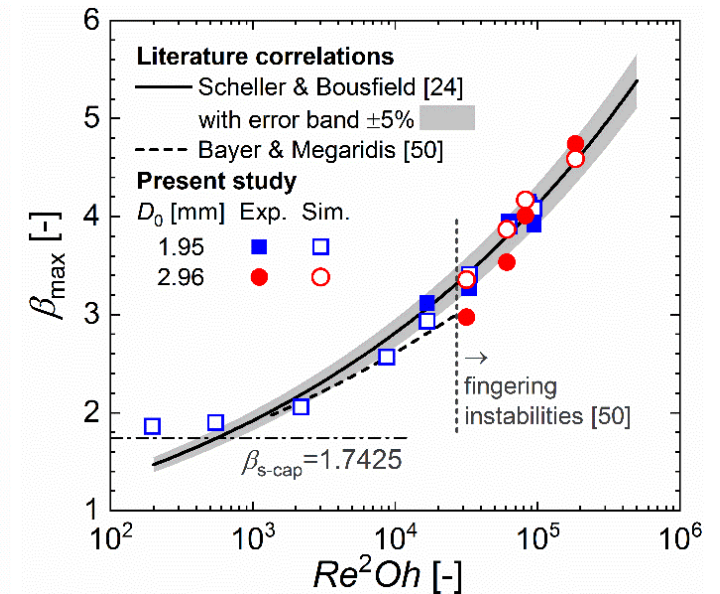
- Predicting the interaction of a single drop with a dry horizontal surface



Spreading factor $\beta(t)$



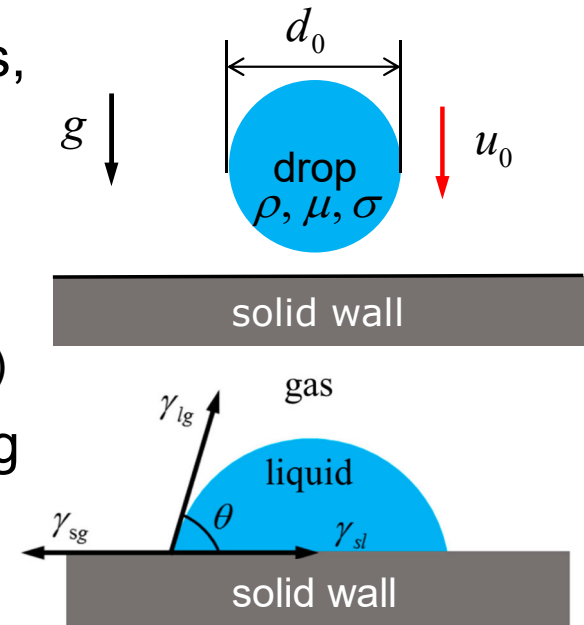
Max. spread factor β_m



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Objective

- Maximum spread diameter depends on physical properties, on drop size/velocity and on wettability of the solid surface
 - Weber number $We = \rho d_0 u_0^2 / \sigma$
 - Reynolds number $Re = \rho d_0 u_0 / \mu$ (or $Oh = \sqrt{We} / Re$)
 - Contact angle θ (static, equilibrium, advancing, receding, dynamic)
- Classification of theoretical models for maximum spreading
 - Models based on scaling relations valid in certain regimes
 - Mechanistic models based on momentum or **energy balance**
- A universal mechanistic model based on the energy balance is missing
 - Difficulty with low/high viscosity liquids and hydrophilic/hydrophobic surfaces
 - Here, significant progress in development of a universal energy balance model is reported



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Balance of mechanical energy

- General energy balance between initial state ($t = 0$) and state at time $t > 0$
 - Consideration of liquid kinetic energy (E_k) and surface energy (E_s)
 - Gravitational energy (E_g) can be neglected because E_g/E_s is typically small
 - Energy lost by (viscous) dissipation $W \geq 0$
 - Normalization of EB by σS_0 , where S_0 denotes the initial gas-liquid surface area

$$\frac{E_{k,0} - E_k(t)}{\sigma S_0} + \frac{E_{s,0} - E_s(t)}{\sigma S_0} = \frac{W(t)}{\sigma S_0} \quad \frac{E_{k,0}}{\sigma S_0} = \frac{(\frac{1}{2} \rho u_0^2)(\frac{\pi}{6} d_0^3)}{\sigma \pi d_0^2} = \frac{\frac{\pi}{12} \rho u_0^2 d_0^3}{\sigma \pi d_0^2} = \frac{We}{12}$$

- Energy balance at time of maximum spreading ($t = t_m$) assuming $E_k(t_m) = 0$

$$\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \frac{S(t_m)}{S_0} + \frac{\cos \theta}{4} \beta_m^2 = \frac{W(t_m)}{\sigma S_0}$$

$\underbrace{S(t_m)}_{=s_m}$
 $\underbrace{\sigma S_0}_{=w_m}$

To obtain a relation for β_m
 models for s_m and w_m are required
 → see slides 11 and 12

Scaling in capillary regime – $\beta_m \sim We^{1/2}$

- Initial kinetic energy is completely converted in surface energy at max. spread


$$\frac{E_{k,0}}{\sigma S_0} = \frac{We}{12} \sim \frac{E_{s,m}}{\sigma S_0}$$


- Estimation of surface energy

Young's equation

- Change of Gibbs free interfacial energy (per unit area) $\Delta G = \underbrace{\gamma_{gl}}_{=\sigma} + \underbrace{\gamma_{sl} - \gamma_{sg}}_{-\sigma \cos \theta} = \sigma(1 - \cos \theta)$
- At maximum spread

$$\frac{E_{s,m}}{\sigma S_0} \sim \frac{\Delta G \cdot A_{\text{wet}}}{\sigma S_0} = \frac{\sigma(1 - \cos \theta) \frac{\pi}{4} d_m^2}{\pi \sigma d_0^2} = \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{4} \beta_m^2 \rightarrow \beta_m \sim \sqrt{\frac{3We}{1 - \cos \theta}} \sim We^{1/2}$$

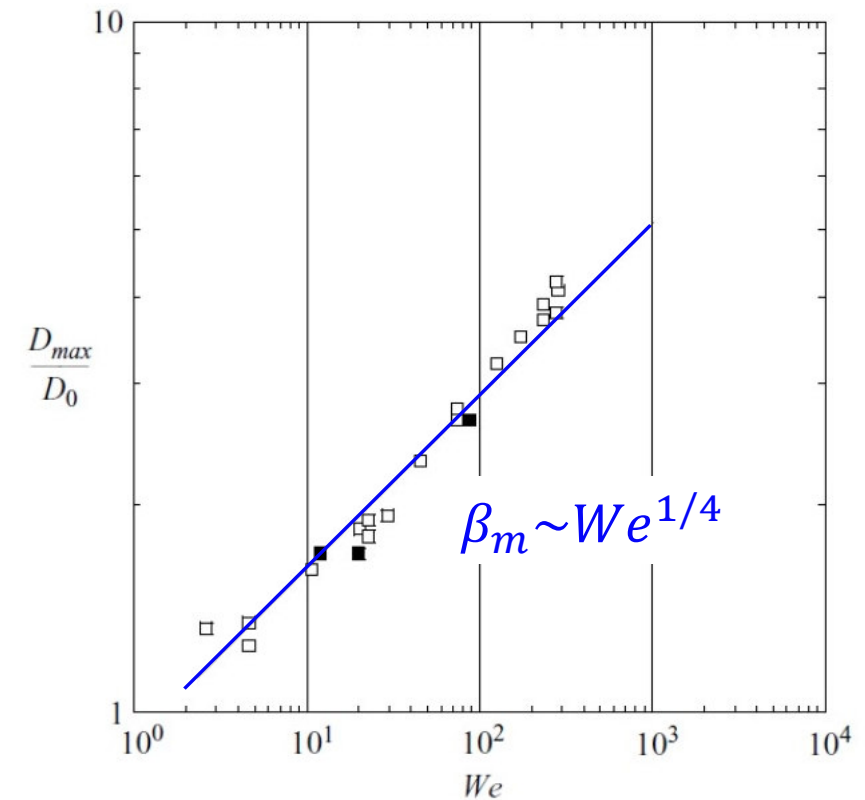
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Scaling in capillary regime – $\beta_m \sim We^{1/4}$

- Experiments of Clanet et al. (2004)
 - Impact of water droplets on smooth superhydrophobic surface ($\theta_{eq} = 170^\circ$)
 - Observed experimental scaling $\beta_m \sim We^{1/4}$
 - Explanation by “effective gravity” force due to drop deceleration after impact
- Exp. by Attane et al. (2007), Laan et al. (2014)
 - Scaling $\beta_m \sim We^{1/4}$ is consistent for water but does not hold for other liquids (e.g. blood)
 - The exact conditions under which this scaling occurs are still unclear



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📖 N. Laan, K.G. de Bruin, D. Bartolo, C. Josserand, D. Bonn, *Physical Review Applied* **2** (2014) 044018

Scaling in viscous regime

- Initial kinetic energy is mainly dissipated at maximum spread

$$\frac{E_{k,0}}{\sigma S_0} = \frac{We}{12} \sim \frac{W_m}{\sigma S_0} \quad W_m = \int_0^{t_m} \int_{V_{\text{drop}}} \mu (\nabla \mathbf{u} + (\nabla \mathbf{u})^T) : \nabla \mathbf{u} \, dV dt$$

- Chandra & Avedisian (1991)

$$W_m \sim \mu \frac{u_0^2}{h_m^2} \cdot d_0^3 \cdot \frac{d_0}{u_0} \sim \frac{\mu u_0 d_0^4}{h_m^2} \quad h_m d_m^2 \sim d_0^3 \quad \rightarrow \quad \beta_m \sim Re^{1/4}$$

volume conservation

(h_m = drop height at maximum spread)

- Clanet et al. (2004)

$$W_m \sim \mu \frac{u_0^2}{h_m^2} \cdot d_m d_0^2 \cdot \frac{d_0}{u_0} \sim \frac{\mu u_0 d_m d_0^3}{h_m^2} \quad \rightarrow \quad \beta_m \sim Re^{1/5} \quad (\text{Scaling observed in experiment of Madejski})$$

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Transition between both regimes

■ Capillary regime $P < 1$

- All initial energy is transferred in surface energy at maximum spreading

$$\beta_m \sim We^{1/2}$$

■ Viscous regime $P > 1$

- Clanet et al. (2004), Fedorchenko et al. (2005), Roisman (2009)

$$\beta_m \sim Re^{1/5}$$

■ Impact parameter P serves to distinguish both regimes

- $b = 4/5$ (Clanet), $b = 1/2$ (Fedorchenko), $b = 2/5$ (Eggers)

$$P = \frac{We}{Re^b}$$

■ Rescaling methods (e.g. Laan et al., 2014)

- Regime discrimination parameter $A = 1.24$ is of order 1

$$\beta_m Re^{-1/5} = \frac{P^{1/2}}{A + P^{1/2}}$$

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EB – Modeling of gas-liquid surface area s_m

■ Geometrical approximations for drop shape

■ Disk with negligible height

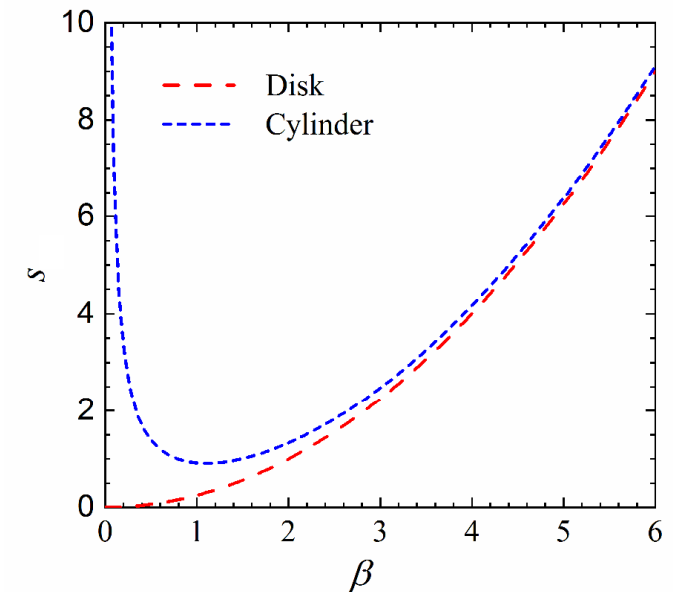
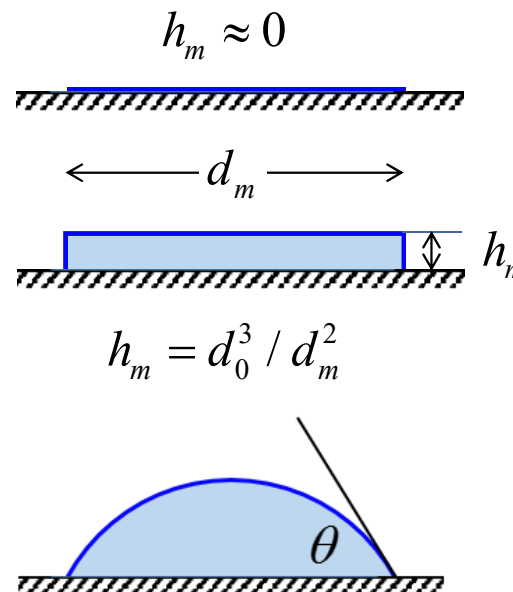
$$s_{\text{disk}}(\beta) = \frac{\beta^2}{4}$$

■ Cylinder with finite height

$$s_{\text{cyl}}(\beta) = \frac{\beta^2}{4} + \frac{2}{3\beta}$$

■ Spherical cap (sc)

$$s_{\text{sc}}(\theta) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{(2 + \cos \theta)^2 (1 - \cos \theta)}}$$



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- 📖 T. Mao, D.C.S. Kuhn, H. Tran, Spread and rebound of liquid droplets upon impact on flat surfaces, *AIChE J.* **43** (1997) 2169-2179
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EB – Modeling of dissipation w_m

■ Mechanistic dissipation models

$$W_m = \int_0^{t_m} \int_{V_{\text{diss}}} \mu (\nabla \mathbf{u} + (\nabla \mathbf{u})^T) : \nabla \mathbf{u} \, dV dt$$

$$\approx \mu \cdot u_c^2 \cdot L_c^{-2} \cdot t_m \cdot V_{\text{diss}}$$

- Various proposals for u_c, L_c, t_m all yield $w_m = W_m / (\sigma S_0) \sim \beta_m^n$ with exponent $n = 2 - 6.5$

- Combinations of models for s_m and w_m give energy balance models of very different form

- *Is dissipation model appropriate? Different dissipation contributions: viscous b.l., c.l. friction, ...*

Literature	Energy models
Chandra and Avedisian (1991) ²¹	$1.5 \frac{We}{Re} \beta_{max}^4 + (1 - \cos \theta) \beta_{max}^2 - \left(\frac{1}{3} We + 4 \right) \approx 0$
Pasandideh-Fard <i>et al.</i> (1996) ²²	$\beta_{max} = \sqrt{\frac{We + 12}{3(1 - \cos \theta) + 4 \frac{We}{\sqrt{Re}}}}$
Mao <i>et al.</i> (1997) ³⁵	$\left[\frac{1}{4} (1 - \cos \theta) + 0.2 \frac{We^{0.83}}{Re^{0.33}} \right] \beta_{max}^3 - \left(\frac{We}{12} + 1 \right) \beta_{max} + \frac{2}{3}$
Ukiwe and Kwok (2005) ²³	$(We + 12) \beta_{max} = 8 + \beta_{max}^3 \left[3(1 - \cos \theta) + 4 \frac{We}{\sqrt{Re}} \right]$
Gao and Li (2014) ³⁴	$1 + \frac{We}{12} = \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{D}{r_c} + \frac{D}{R_c} \right) + 4\theta_a \frac{r_c R_c}{D^2} + \left(\frac{R_c}{D} - \frac{r_c}{D} \sin \theta_a \right) + \left(\frac{R_c}{D} + \frac{r_c}{D} \sin \theta_a \right)^2 \left(\frac{4}{3} \frac{We}{\sqrt{Re}} - \cos \theta_a \right)$
Wildeman <i>et al.</i> (2016) ⁹	$\frac{12}{We} + \frac{1}{2} = \beta_{max}^2 \frac{3(1 - \cos \theta)}{We} + \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{Re}} \beta_{max}^2 \sqrt{\beta_{max} - 1}$ no-slip, $We > 30$

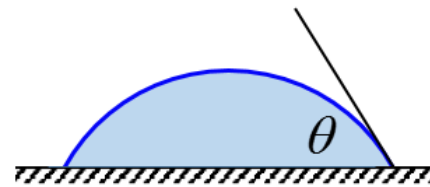
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New model for gas-liquid surface area

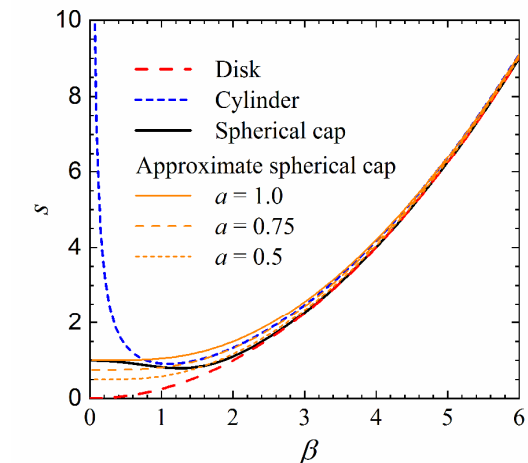
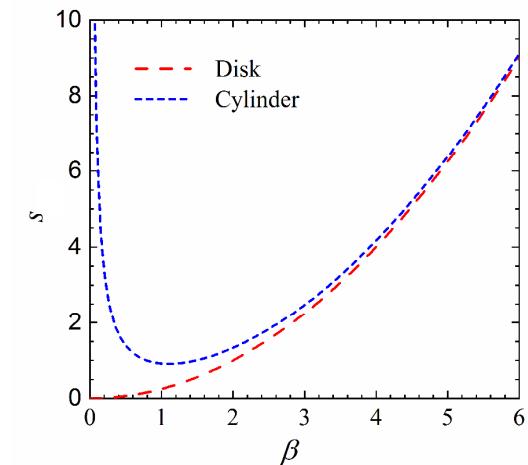
- The disk and cylinder shape models are not suitable for low β (hydrophobic surfaces) and cannot describe the initial state where $s_0 = 1$
- Spherical cap $s_{sc} = s_{sc}(\theta)$
 - New relation $s_{sc} = s_{sc}(\beta)$



$$s_{sc}(\beta) = \frac{\sqrt[3]{\beta^6 + 8\sqrt{\beta^6 + 16 + 32}}}{4} - \frac{\beta^2}{4} + \frac{\beta^4}{4\sqrt[3]{\beta^6 + 8\sqrt{\beta^6 + 16 + 32}}}$$

- Approximate spherical cap (new model)

$$\beta^6 + 8\sqrt{\beta^6 + 16 + 32} \approx (\beta^2 + 4a)^3 \rightarrow s_{asc}(\beta, a) = a + \frac{1}{4} \frac{\beta^4}{\beta^2 + 4a}$$



New concept for modeling of dissipation

- Existing models do not respect the upper physical bound for dissipation
- Energy balance between initial state and terminal deposition state ($t = t_{eq}$)

$$\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \underbrace{\frac{S(t_{eq})}{S_0}}_{=s_{eq}} + \frac{\cos \theta}{4} \beta_{eq}^2 = \underbrace{\frac{W(t_{eq})}{\sigma S_0}}_{=w_{eq}} \xrightarrow{eq=sc} w_{eq} = \frac{We}{12} + \underbrace{1 - \sqrt[3]{(2 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)^2}}_{0 \leq w_{eq,s} \leq 1} / 4$$

$$s_{eq} = s_{sc}(\theta) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{2}{(2 + \cos \theta)^2 (1 - \cos \theta)}}$$

$$\beta_{eq} = \beta_{sc}(\theta) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{4 \sin^3 \theta}{(2 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)^2}}$$

- New model for dissipation upon maximum spread
 - Dissipation function f_w needs to be determined

$$w_m = f_w w_{eq}, \quad 0 \leq f_w \leq 1$$

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Energy balance with the two new concepts

- Introducing the proposed models for s_m and w_m in the energy balance yields

$$\frac{1}{4} \frac{\beta_m^4}{\beta_m^2 + 4a} - \frac{\cos \theta}{4} \beta_m^2 - \underbrace{\left[\frac{We}{12} + 1 - a - f_w \left(\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \sqrt[3]{(2 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)^2 / 4} \right) \right]}_{=Q} = 0$$

- Solution of this fourth order equation in β_m

$$\beta_m = \sqrt{\frac{2(Q + a \cos \theta) + 2\sqrt{(Q + a \cos \theta)^2 + 4aQ(1 - \cos \theta)}}{1 - \cos \theta}}$$

$$Q > 0 \rightarrow \beta_m > 0$$

- Assumed relationship for the dissipation function

$$f_w = \frac{P^c}{A + P^c}$$

- The exponents b of the Reynolds number and c of the impact parameter are determined by asymptotic analysis

$$P = WeRe^{-b}$$

Asymptotic analysis ($a = 1$) – Case 1

- Assumption $(Q + \cos \theta)^2 \gg 4Q(1 - \cos \theta)$ i.e. $Q \gg 4 - 6 \cos \theta$

$$\beta_m = \sqrt{\frac{2(Q + \cos \theta) + 2\sqrt{(Q + \cos \theta)^2 + 4Q(1 - \cos \theta)}}{1 - \cos \theta}} \approx \sqrt{\frac{4Q}{1 - \cos \theta}} \approx \sqrt{\frac{4}{1 - \cos \theta} \frac{A}{A + P^c} \frac{We}{12}}$$

$$P^c = We^c Re^{-bc}$$

- Assumption $We \gg 12$

$$Q = \frac{We}{12} - f_w \left(\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \sqrt{\frac{(2 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)^2}{4}} \right) \rightarrow Q \approx (1 - f_w) \frac{We}{12} = \frac{A}{A + P^c} \frac{We}{12}$$

Capillary regime $P^c < A$

$$\beta_m \approx \sqrt{\frac{We}{3(1 - \cos \theta)}} \sim We^{1/2} \checkmark$$

Viscous regime $P^c > A$

$$\beta_m \approx \sqrt{\frac{AP^{-c}We}{3(1 - \cos \theta)}} \sim We^{(1-c)/2} Re^{bc/2} \stackrel{!}{=} Re^{1/5} \rightarrow c = 1, b = 2/5$$

Eggers (2010)

$$P = WeRe^{-2/5}$$

Asymptotic analysis ($a = 1$) – Case 2

- Assumption $(Q + \cos \theta)^2 \ll 4Q(1 - \cos \theta)$ i.e. $Q \ll 4 - 6 \cos \theta \leq 10$

$$\beta_m = \sqrt{\frac{2(Q + \cos \theta) + 2\sqrt{(Q + \cos \theta)^2 + 4Q(1 - \cos \theta)}}{1 - \cos \theta}} \approx \sqrt[4]{\frac{16Q}{1 - \cos \theta}} \approx \sqrt[4]{\frac{16}{1 - \cos \theta} \frac{A}{A + P^c} \frac{We}{12}}$$

$$P^c = We^c Re^{-bc}$$

- Assumption $We \gg 12$

$$Q = \frac{We}{12} - f_w \left(\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \sqrt[3]{(2 + \cos \theta)(1 - \cos \theta)^2 / 4} \right) \rightarrow Q \approx (1 - f_w) \frac{We}{12} = \frac{A}{A + P^c} \frac{We}{12}$$

Capillary regime $P^c < A$

$$\beta_m \approx \sqrt[4]{\frac{4}{3} \frac{We}{1 - \cos \theta}} \sim We^{1/4} \quad \checkmark$$

Viscous regime $P^c > A$

$$\beta_m \approx \sqrt[4]{\frac{4}{3} \frac{AP^{-c}We}{1 - \cos \theta}} \sim We^{(1-c)/4} Re^{bc/4} = Re^{1/5} \rightarrow c = 1, b = 4/5$$

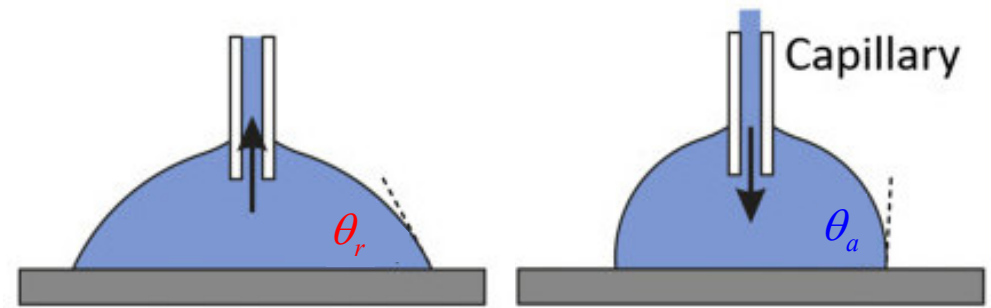
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$$P = WeRe^{-4/5}$$

Determination of parameter A in $f_w = P/(A + P)$

- Evaluation of relative dissipation from literature data on maximum spread

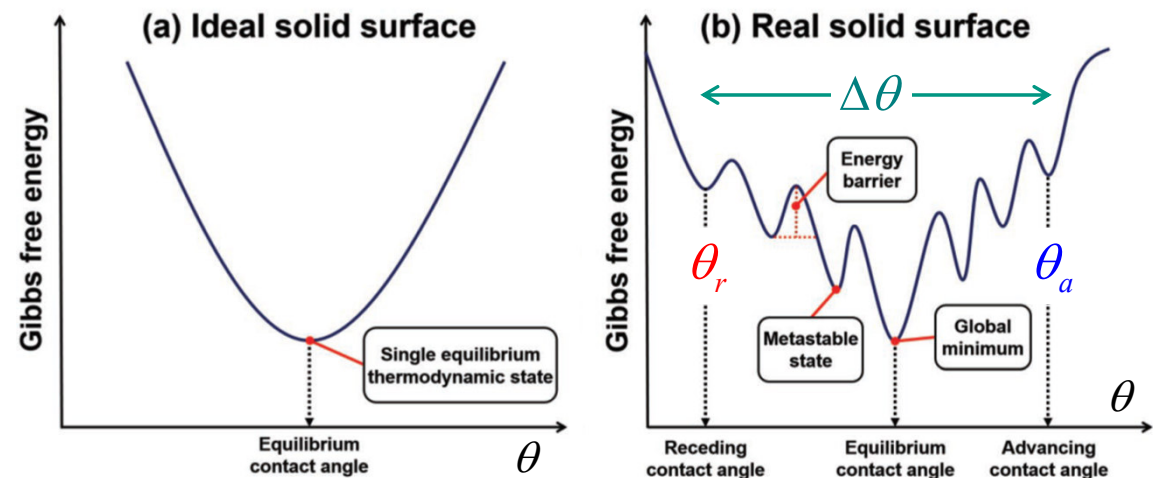
$$f_w = \frac{w_m}{w_{eq}} \approx \frac{\frac{We}{12} + 1 - s_{asc}(\beta_m, a) + \frac{\cos \theta_a}{4} \beta_m^2}{\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \sqrt{\frac{(2 + \cos \theta_r)(1 - \cos \theta_r)^2}{4}}}$$



- Which contact angle to use?

- Equilibrium contact angle θ_{eq}
- Advancing contact angle θ_a
- Receding contact angle θ_r
- Hysteresis $\Delta\theta = \theta_a - \theta_r$

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$$f_w = \frac{w_m}{w_{eq}} \approx \frac{\frac{We}{12} + 1 - s_{asc}(\beta_m, a) + \frac{\cos \theta_a}{4} \beta_m^2}{\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \sqrt[3]{\frac{(2 + \cos \theta_a)(1 - \cos \theta_a)^2}{4}}}$$

- We use $a = 3/4$ since this gives best agreement with cylinder model

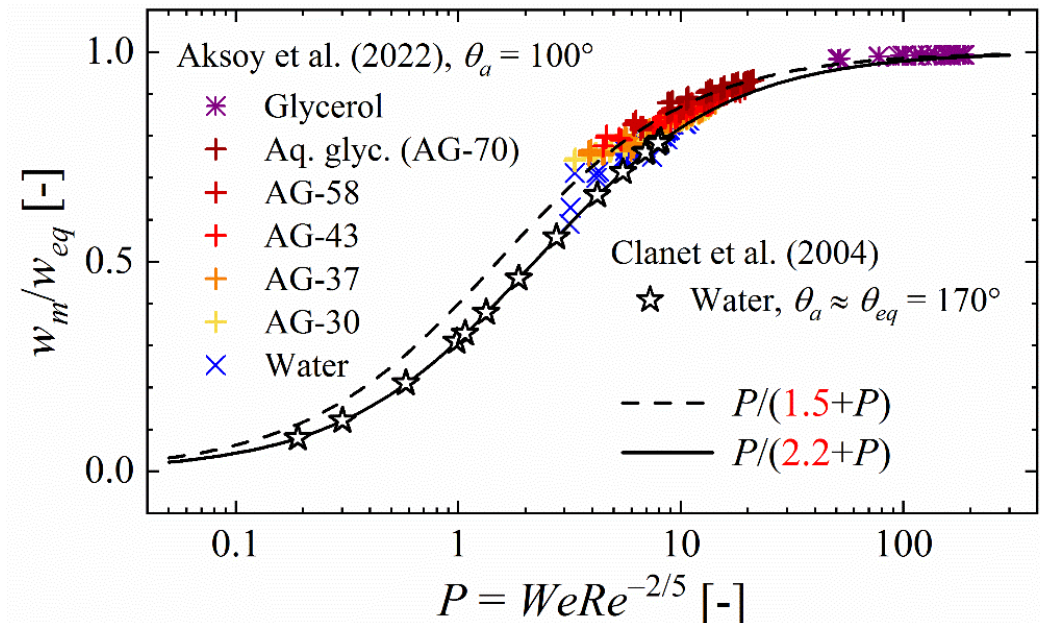
$$\rightarrow s_{asc}(\beta_m) = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \frac{\beta_m^4}{\beta_m^2 + 4 \cdot \frac{3}{4}}$$

- Experimental data of Aksoy et al. (2022)

- Seven different liquids, $57 < We < 460$, $4 < Re < 9200$, $\theta_a = 100^\circ$ (294 data points)

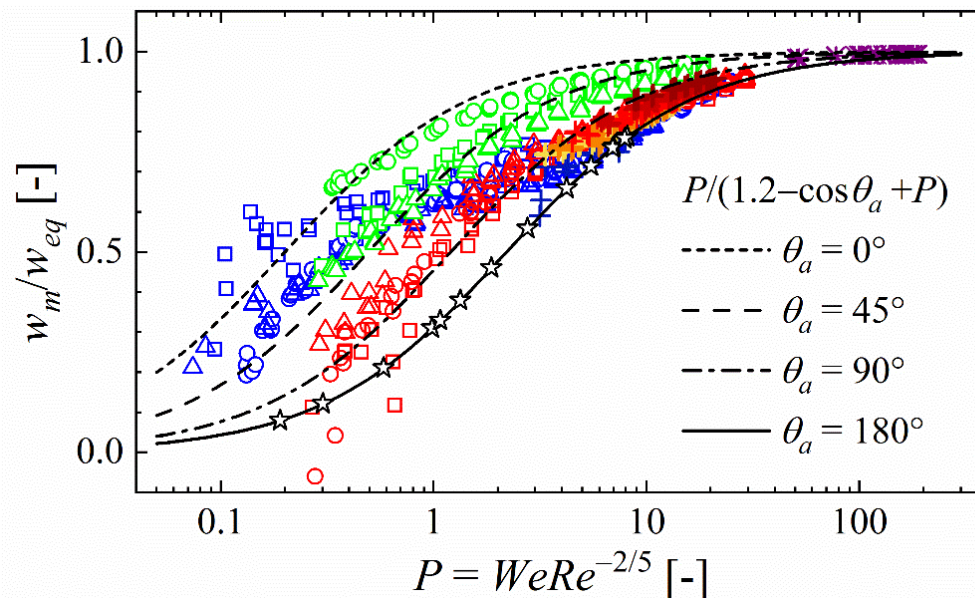
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Determination of parameter A (continued)


- Regime discrimination parameter A depends on the advancing contact angle θ_a
- Experimental data of Lee et al. (2016); reported θ_d and θ_{eq} , assumption $\theta_a = \theta_d$
 - Three different liquids and surfaces, $1 < We < 1200$, $40 < Re < 17\,800$, $44^\circ < \theta_a < 123^\circ$



- Model for the dissipation function

$$f_w = \frac{WeRe^{-2/5}}{\underbrace{1.2 - \cos \theta_a}_{=A(\theta_a)} + WeRe^{-2/5}}$$

- For fixed impact parameter $P = WeRe^{-2/5}$ hydrophobic surfaces dissipate less energy upon maximum spreading as compared to hydrophilic surfaces → enables drop rebound

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Test of the proposed new model

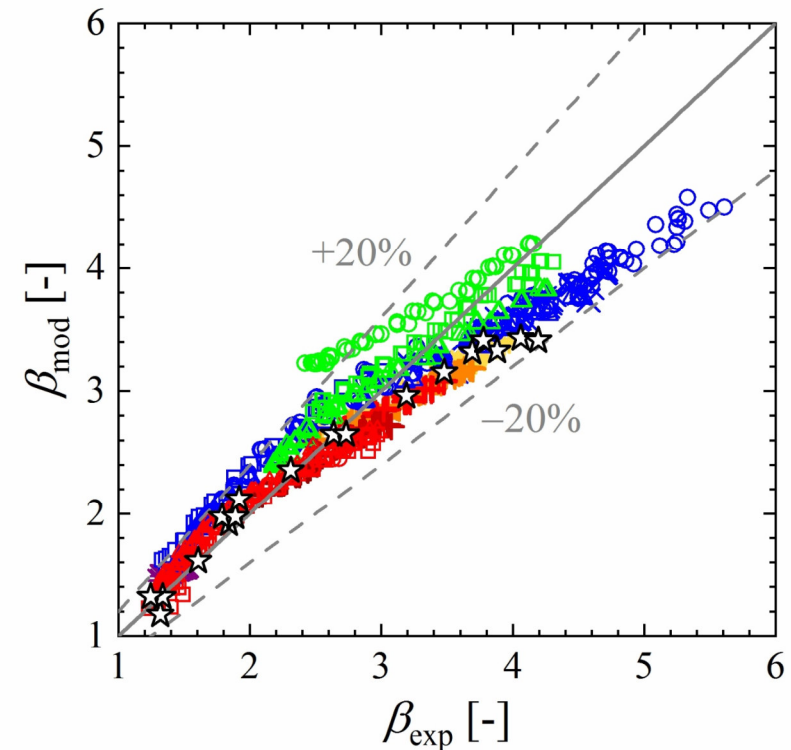
$$\beta_m = \sqrt{\frac{2(Q + \frac{3}{4} \cos \theta_a) + 2\sqrt{(Q + \frac{3}{4} \cos \theta_a)^2 + 4(1 - \cos \theta_a)Q}}{1 - \cos \theta_a}}$$

$$Q = 1 - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{We}{12} - \frac{WeRe^{-2/5}}{1.2 - \cos \theta_a + WeRe^{-2/5}}$$

$$\times \left(\frac{We}{12} + 1 - \sqrt[3]{\frac{(2 + \cos \theta_a)(1 - \cos \theta_a)^2}{4}} \right)$$

■ Parity plot against experimental data

- Agreement is within $\pm 20\%$
- For all experimental data it is $Q > 0$



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Conclusions

- Existing energy balance models for max. spread have two shortcomings
 - Gas-liquid area is not properly modelled for superhydrophobic surfaces (low β_m)
 - Models for dissipation do not account for proper upper physical limit
- Proposal of new concepts for the two closure terms in the energy balance
 - Approximate spherical cap (asc) model for gas-liquid surface area
 - Model for dissipation that respects the upper physical limit
- Proposal of a new 'universal' energy balance model for maximum spread
 - Model comprises power law scaling for viscous regime and both capillary regimes
 - Model is explicit and thus no iteration is required
 - Dissipation function is determined from exp. data with wide ranges of We , Re , θ_a
 - Model is in good agreement with exp. with a maximum deviation of about 20%

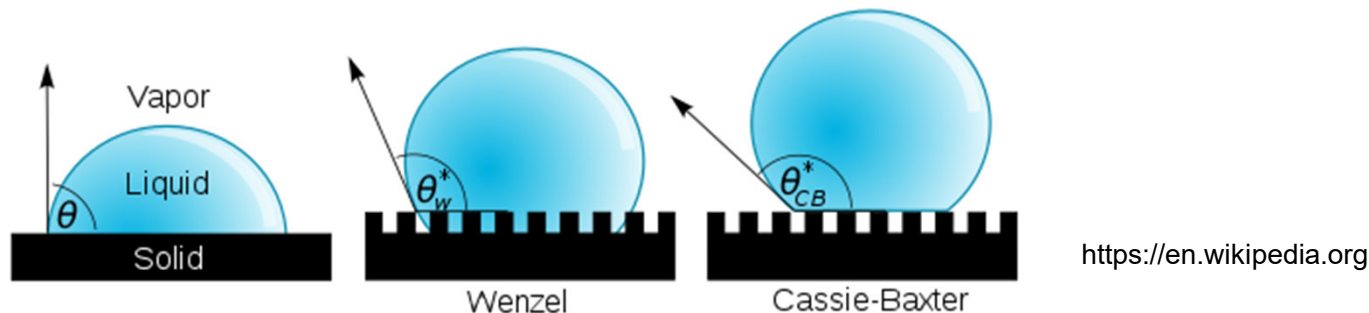
Outlook

■ Directions for model refinement

- The current model assumes zero kinetic energy at maximum spread
- The current model for total dissipation w_{eq} assumes zero c.a. hysteresis
- Test model against further experimental and numerical data from literature
- Goal: regime discrimination parameter $A = A(\theta_a, \Delta\theta)$
 - measurement of the advancing and the receding contact angle is required

■ Extend model to surfaces with regular roughness

- Wenzel and Cassie-Baxter wetting states



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