

Figure 1. Schematic diagram

Table 1. Physical properties

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| Gas phase | |
| Viscosity | $1.8 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Pa} \cdot \text{s}$ |
| Density | 1 kg/m^3 |
| Solid phase | |
| Density | 1500 kg/m^3 |
| Spring constant | 50 N/m |
| Coefficient of restitution | 0.9 |
| Coefficient of friction | 0.3 |

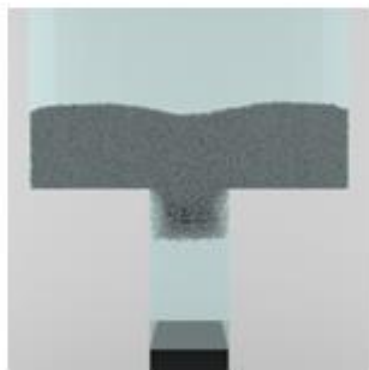
Table 2. Calculation conditions

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| Particle diameter | $250 \text{ }\mu\text{m}$ |
| Number of particles | 500,000 |
| Grid size | 0.5 mm |
| Calculation time | 0.24 s |

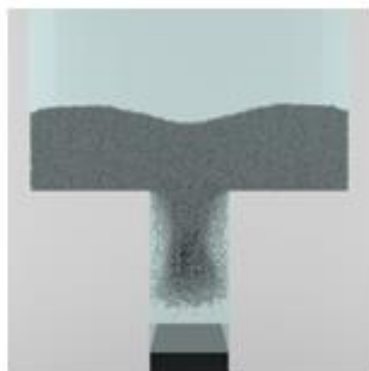
0.020 s



0.040 s



0.060 s



0.080 s



Gravity filling



Suction filling

Figure 2. Powder distribution
In case suction filling, the punch speed was 500 mm/s.

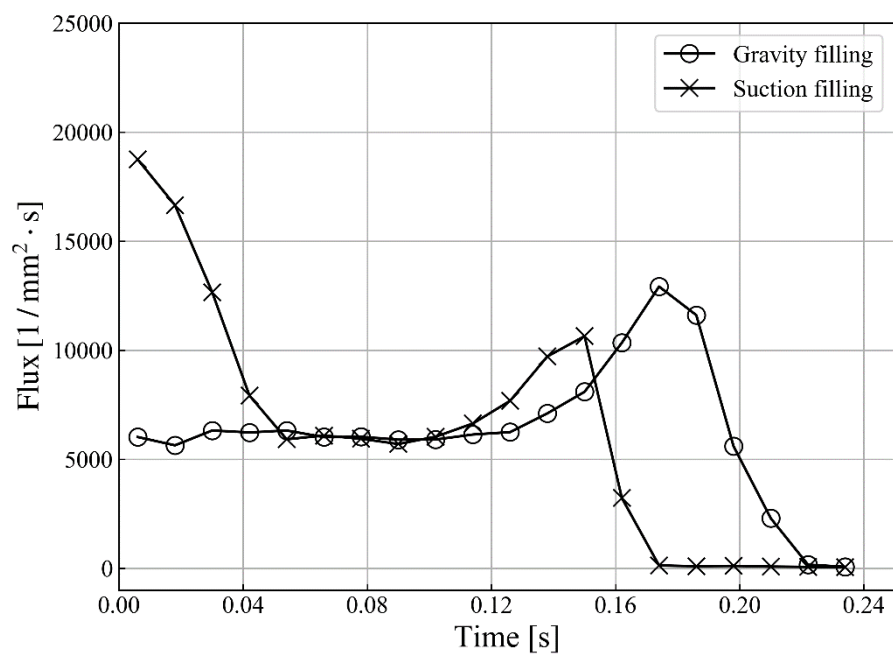


Figure 3. Flux of powder to die region

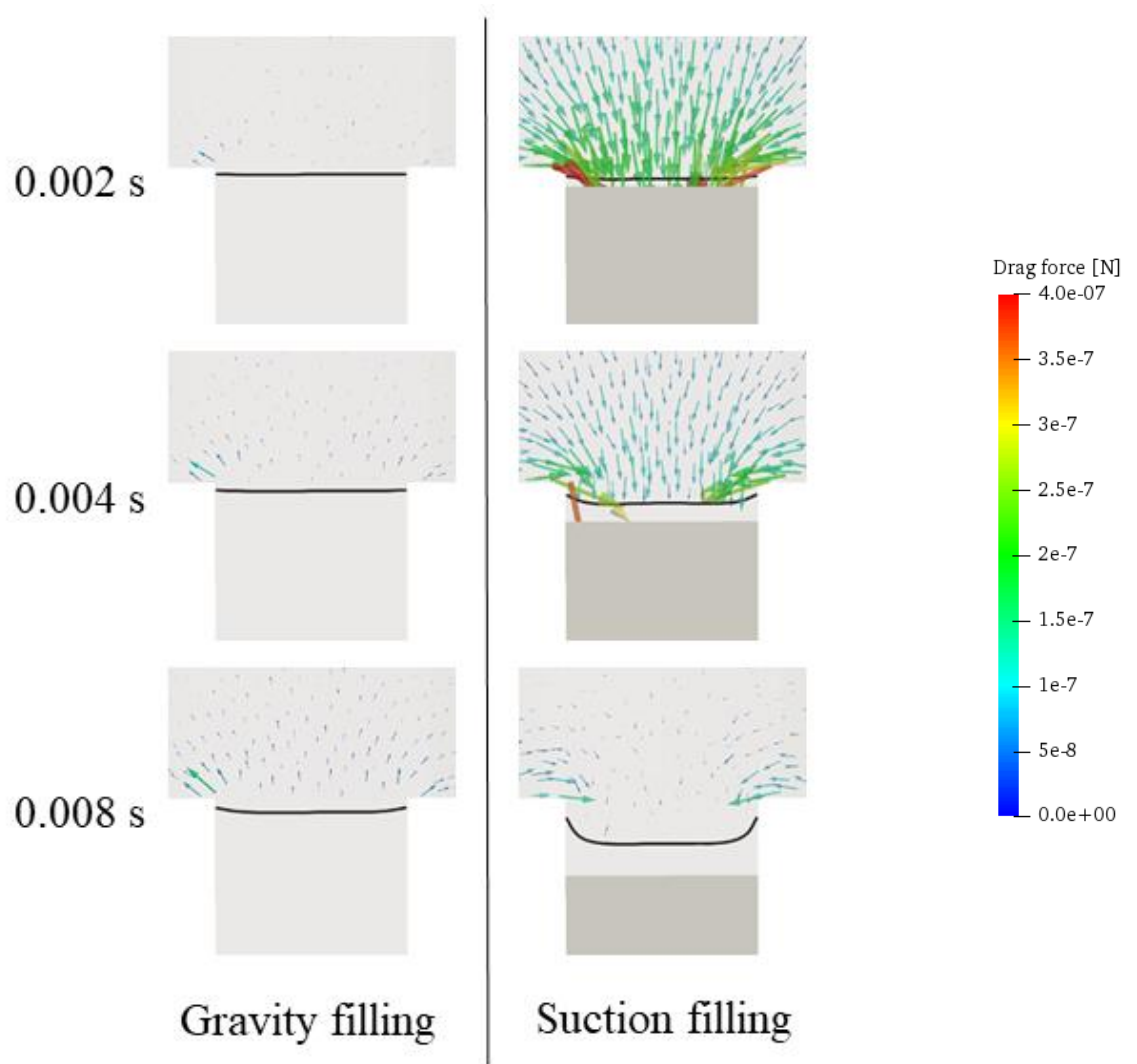


Figure 4. Drag force

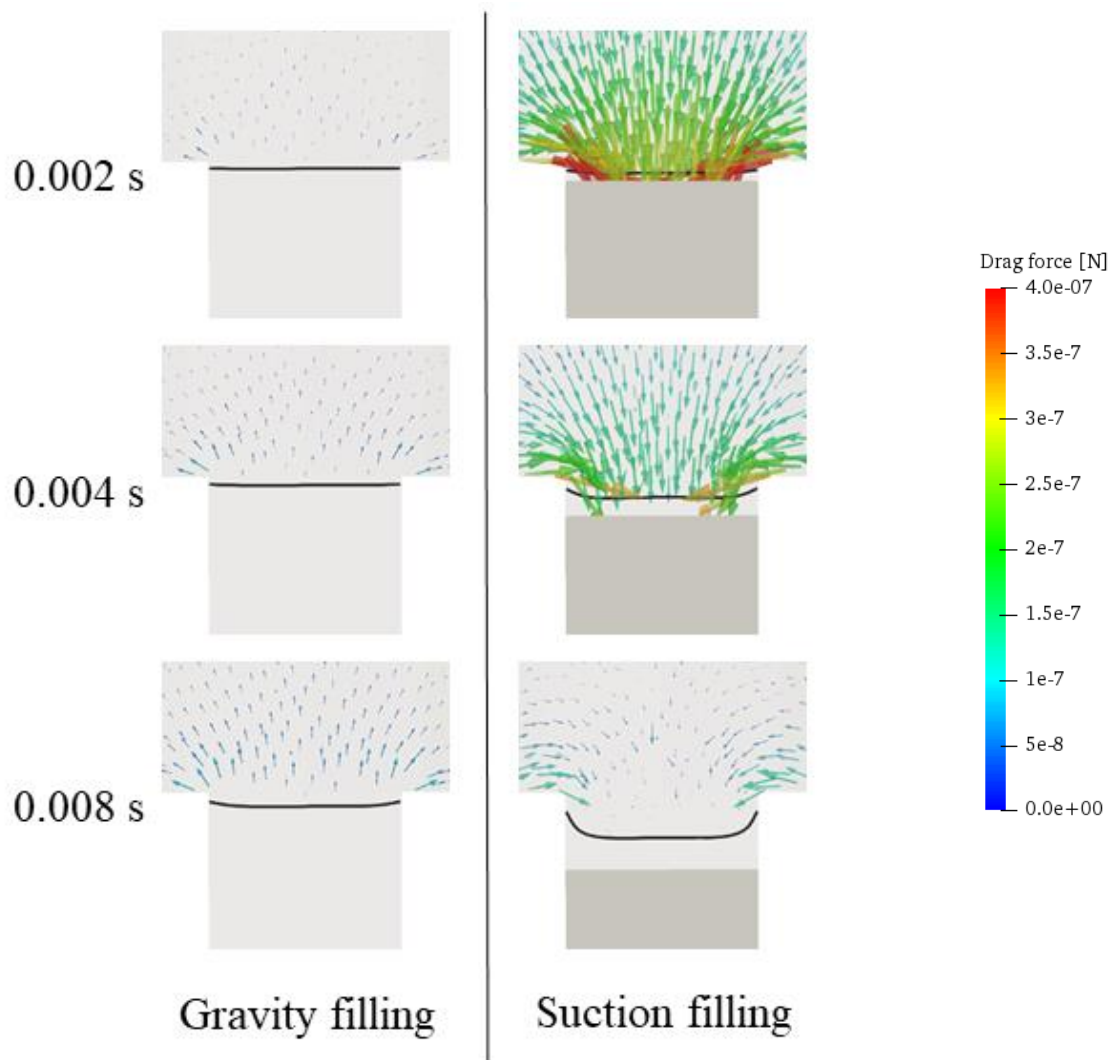


Figure 5. Pressure force

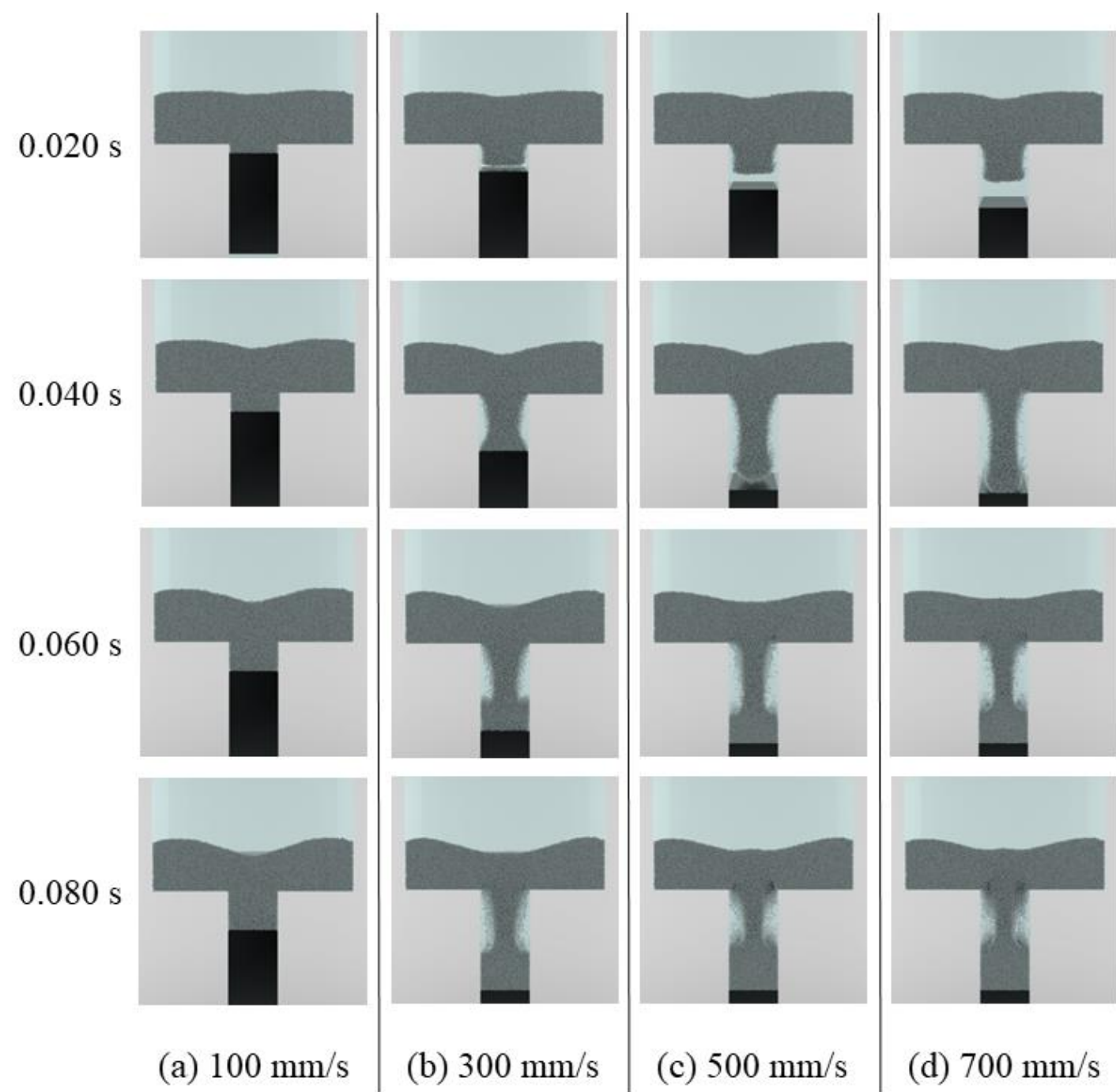


Figure 7. Powder distribution

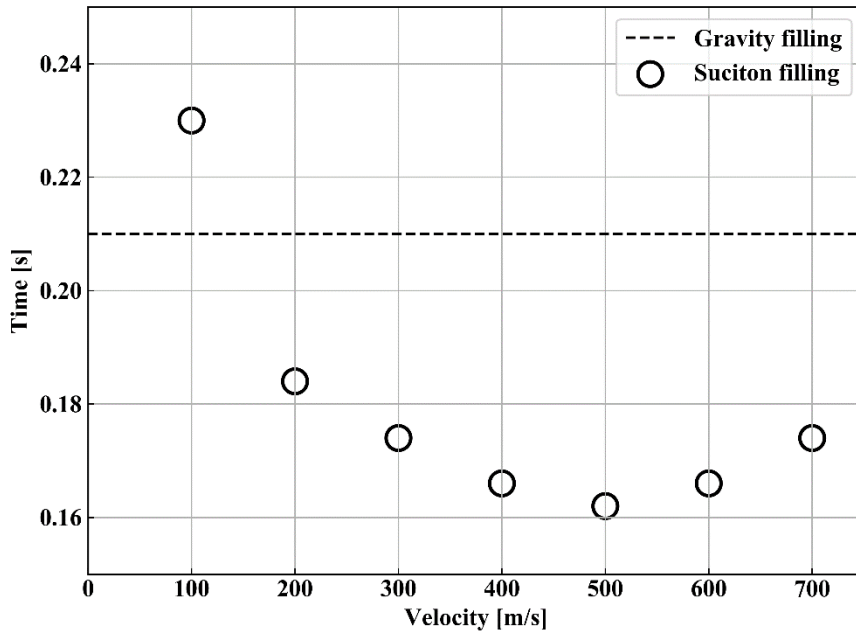


Figure 8. Filling time

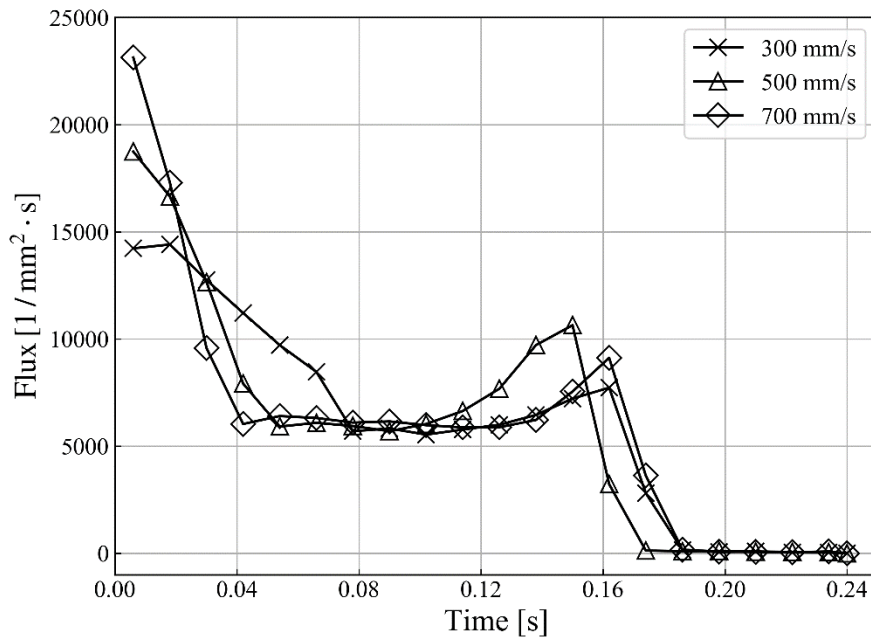


Figure 9. Flux of powder to die region

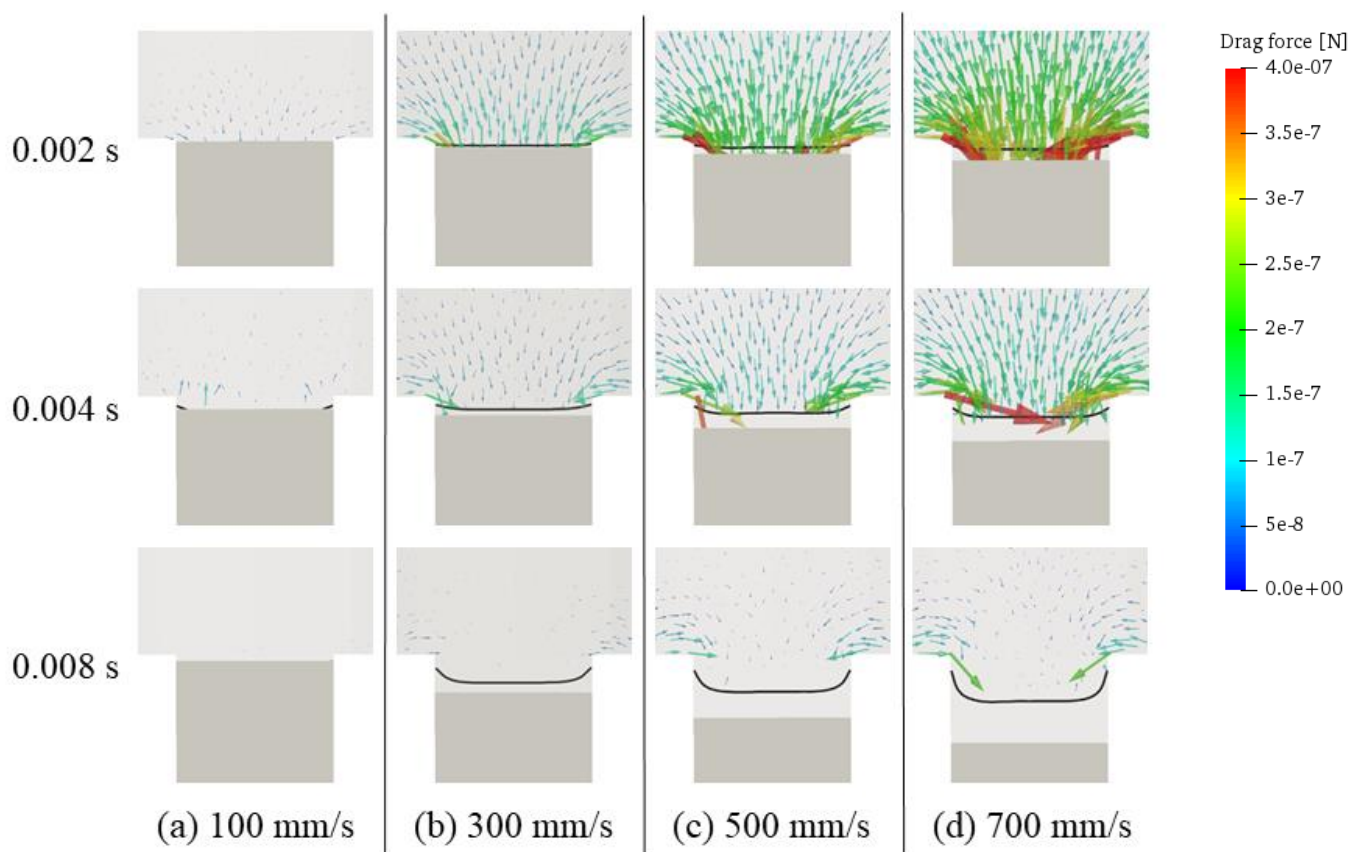


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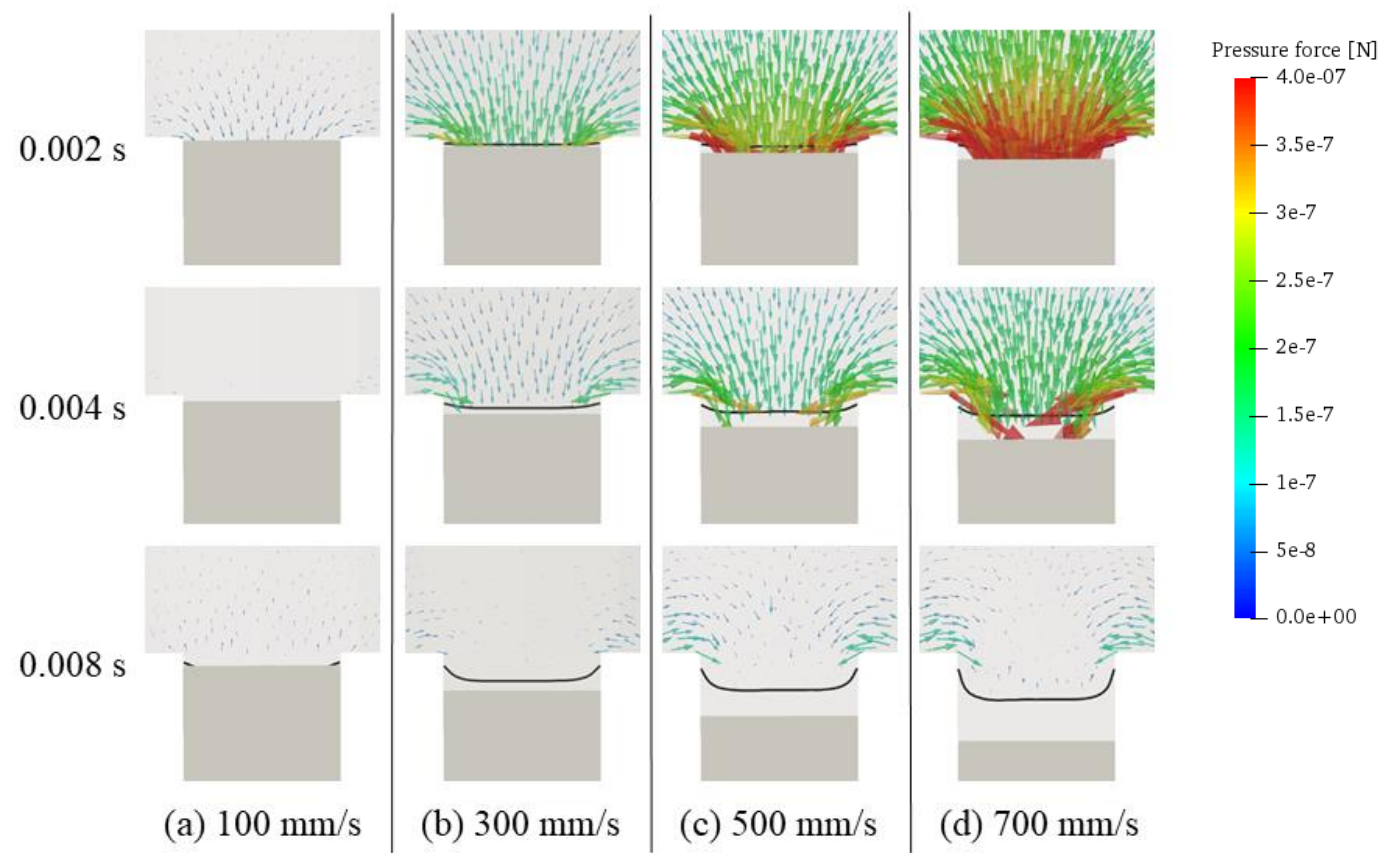


Figure 11. Pressure force

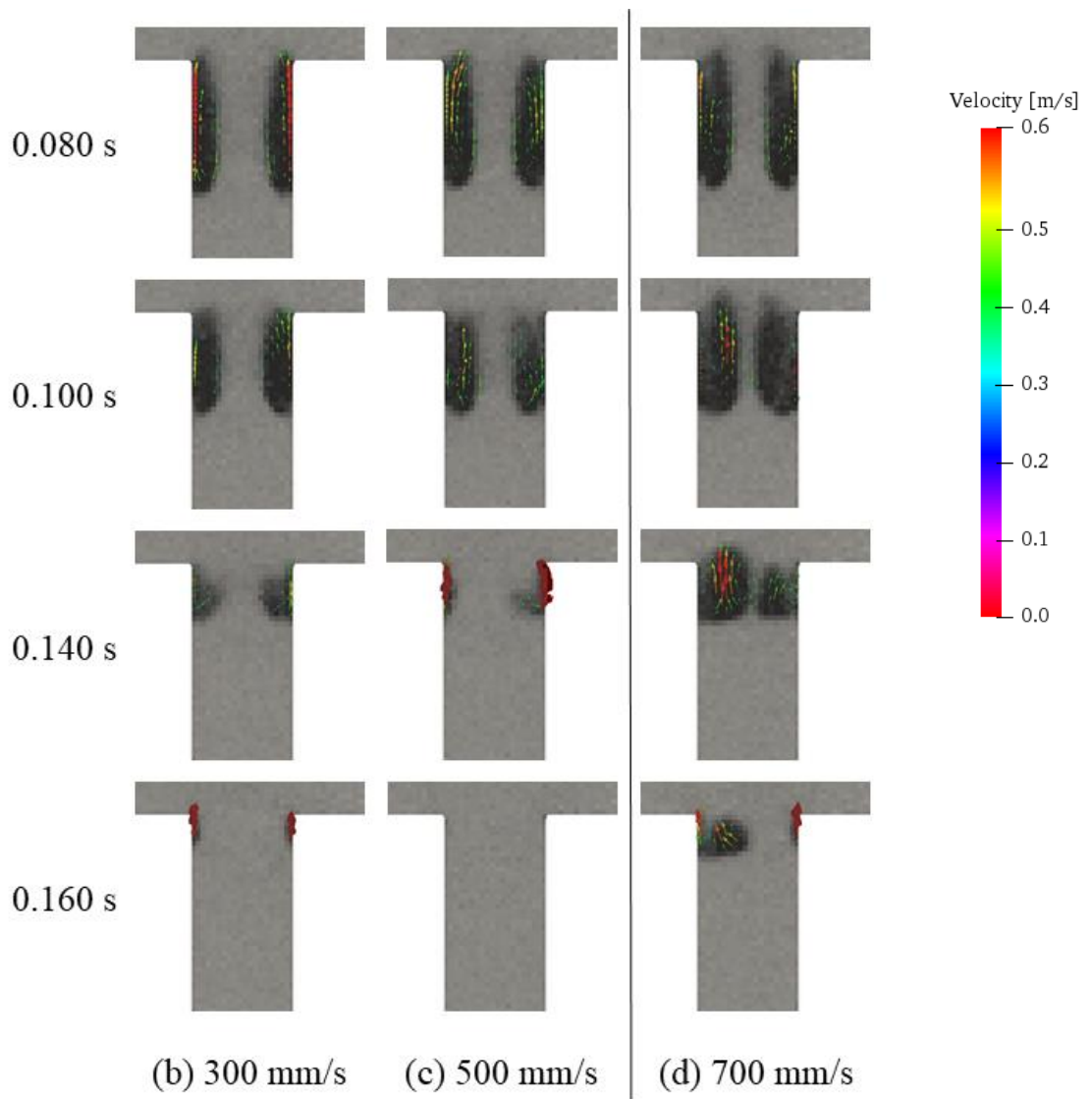


Figure 12. Bubble velocity