

Vortex Rings

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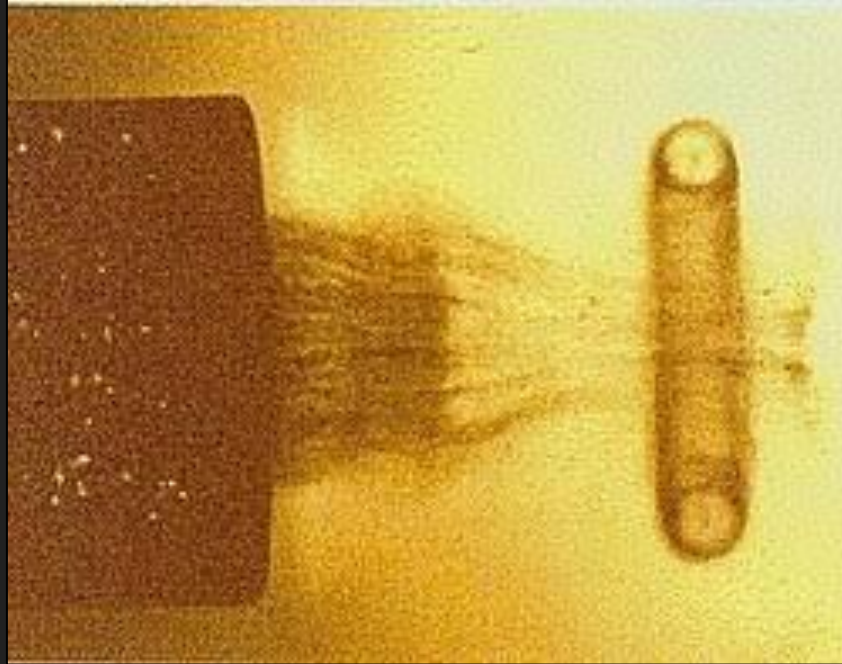


<https://hackaday.com/2018/06/22/when-vortex-rings-collide/>



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Phenomena Explained



<https://physics.stackexchange.com/questions/413158/two-vortex-rings-colliding-reasons-and-the-number-of-rings-created>

Construction of Experiment



Conclusion From Experiment

Large Cannon:



Diameter: 8"

Velocity: 9.81 ft/s

Small Cannon:



Diameter: 3"

Velocity: 13.2 ft/s

Relevant Equations

$$V = \frac{\Gamma}{4\pi R} \left(\ln \frac{8R}{a} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

Velocity

$$K = \frac{1}{2} \rho \Gamma^2 R \left[\ln \frac{8R}{a} - 2 \right]$$

Energy

Natural Occurrences



<https://www.howitworksdaily.com/how-vortex-rings-form/>



http://ffden-2.phys.uaf.edu/212_spring2011.web.dir/kodiak_cullen/ring.html

