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# SPH simulation of drop impact on a hot wall with vaporization effects

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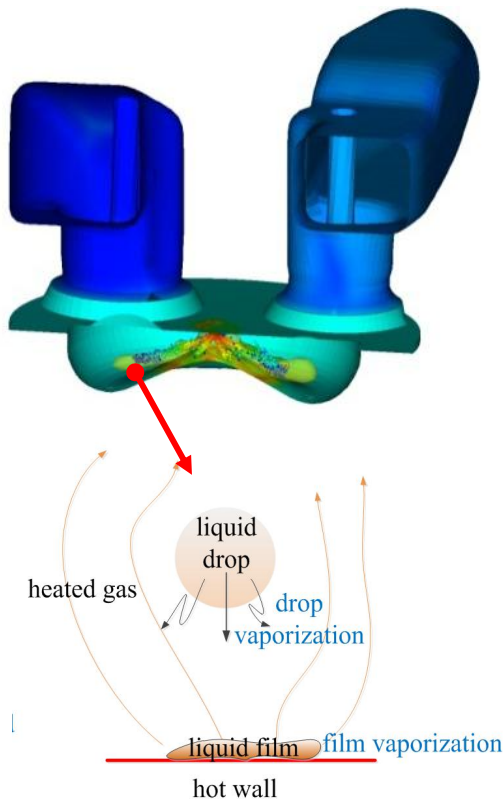
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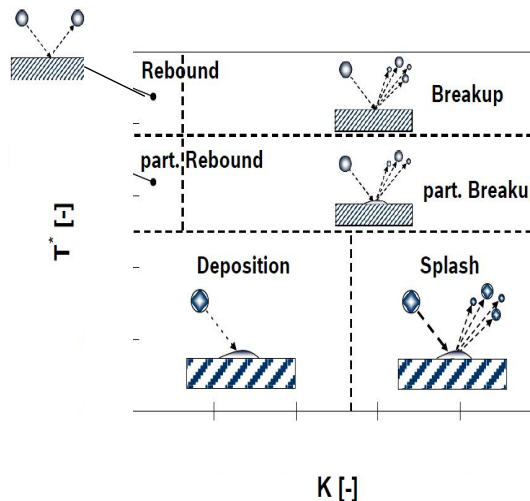
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# Background

- Drop-wall interactions are common and important in industrial applications.
- For IC engines, the fuel drops may impact on solid surfaces.
- Engineering models of drop-wall interaction use empirical formulations.



## Engineering models



$We < 80$ , rebound

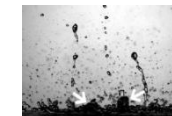
$We > 80$ , wall jet



Rebound



Boiling



Drop on wet surface

- Governing equations

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d\rho}{dt} &= -\rho \nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} + \dot{m}''' \rightarrow \text{Vaporization} \\ \frac{d\mathbf{u}}{dt} &= \mathbf{g} - \frac{1}{\rho} \nabla p + \frac{\mu}{\rho} \nabla^2 \mathbf{u} \\ \frac{dT}{dt} &= \frac{1}{\rho C_p} \nabla \cdot (\kappa \nabla T) - \frac{h_v}{\rho C_p} \dot{m}''' \\ \frac{dY}{dt} &= \frac{\nabla \cdot (\rho D \nabla Y)}{\rho} \\ p &= c^2 (\rho - \rho_r) + p_r\end{aligned}$$

Continuity equation of vapor species

$Y$  is vapor mass fraction

Mass evaporation rate

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{m} &\equiv \frac{dm}{dt} = \frac{V \nabla \cdot (\rho D \nabla Y)}{1 - Y} \\ \dot{m}''' &= \frac{\dot{m}}{V} = \frac{\nabla \cdot (\rho D \nabla Y)}{1 - Y}\end{aligned}$$

Saturated vapor mass fraction

$$\begin{aligned}Y_s &= \frac{X_s M_v}{(1 - X_s) M_g + X_s M_v} \\ X_s &= \frac{p_s}{p_{ag}} = \exp \left[ -\frac{h_v M_v}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T_s} - \frac{1}{T_B} \right) \right]\end{aligned}$$

# SPH method

- SPH formulas

$$\frac{d\rho_a}{dt} = \sum_b m_b (\mathbf{u}_a - \mathbf{u}_b) \cdot \nabla_a W_{ab} + \dot{m}_g''' \quad \text{Valid for gas particles at interface}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{u}_a}{dt} = \mathbf{g} - \sum_b m_b \left( \frac{p_a + p_b}{\rho_a \rho_b} + \Pi_{ab} \right) \nabla_a W_{ab} + \sum_b \frac{m_b (\mu_a + \mu_b) (\mathbf{r}_a - \mathbf{r}_b) \cdot \nabla_a W_{ab}}{\rho_a \rho_b (r_{ab}^2 + \eta)} (\mathbf{u}_a - \mathbf{u}_b)$$

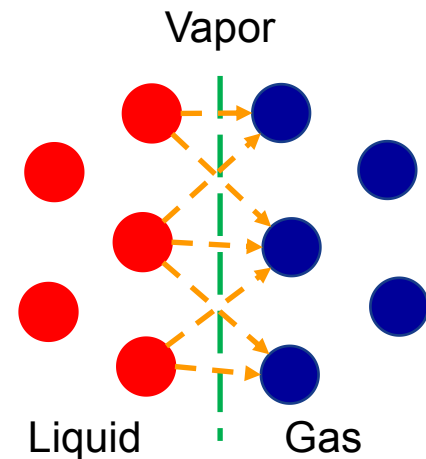
$$\frac{dT_a}{dt} = \frac{1}{C_p} \sum_b \frac{m_b (\kappa_a + \kappa_b) (\mathbf{r}_a - \mathbf{r}_b) \cdot \nabla_a W_{ab}}{\rho_a \rho_b (r_{ab}^2 + \eta)} (T_a - T_b) - \frac{h_v}{\rho C_p} \dot{m}_g''' \quad \text{Valid for liquid particles at interface}$$

$$\frac{dY_a}{dt} = \sum_b \frac{m_b (\rho_a D_a + \rho_b D_b) (\mathbf{r}_a - \mathbf{r}_b) \cdot \nabla_a W_{ab}}{\rho_a \rho_b (r_{ab}^2 + \eta)} (Y_a - Y_b)$$

$$\dot{m}_g''' = \sum_l \frac{2\rho_g m_l D_g (\mathbf{r}_g - \mathbf{r}_l) \cdot \nabla_g W_{gl}}{\rho_l (r_{gl}^2 + \eta) (1 - Y_g)} (Y_g - Y_l)$$

$$\frac{dm_g}{dt} = \sum_l \frac{2m_g m_l D_g (\mathbf{r}_g - \mathbf{r}_l) \cdot \nabla_g W_{gl}}{\rho_l (r_{gl}^2 + \eta) (1 - Y_g)} (Y_g - Y_l)$$

$$\frac{dm_l}{dt} = - \sum_g \frac{2m_g m_l D_g (\mathbf{r}_g - \mathbf{r}_l) \cdot \nabla_g W_{gl}}{\rho_l (r_{gl}^2 + \eta) (1 - Y_g)} (Y_g - Y_l)$$



# SPH method

- Particle splitting

- Particle  $a$  will be split into two smaller particles when the following condition is satisfied.

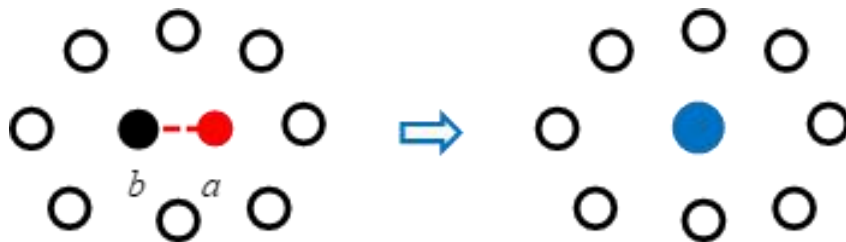
$$\frac{m_a}{m_r} > \gamma_{\max}$$



- Particle merging

- Particle  $a$  will merge with its nearest particle  $b$  when the following condition is satisfied.

$$\frac{m_a}{m_r} < \gamma_{\min}$$



# Physical properties of fluids

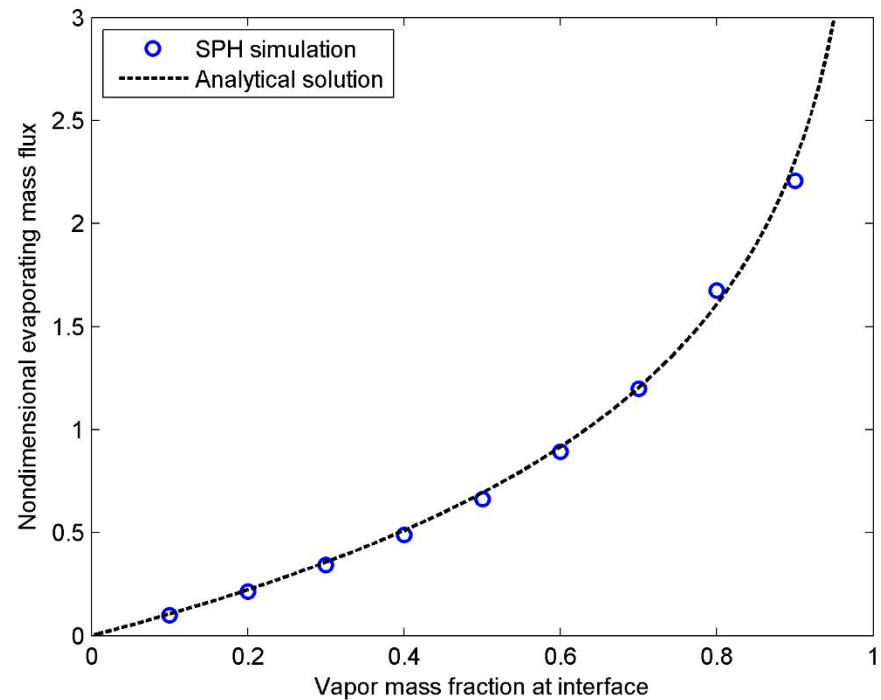
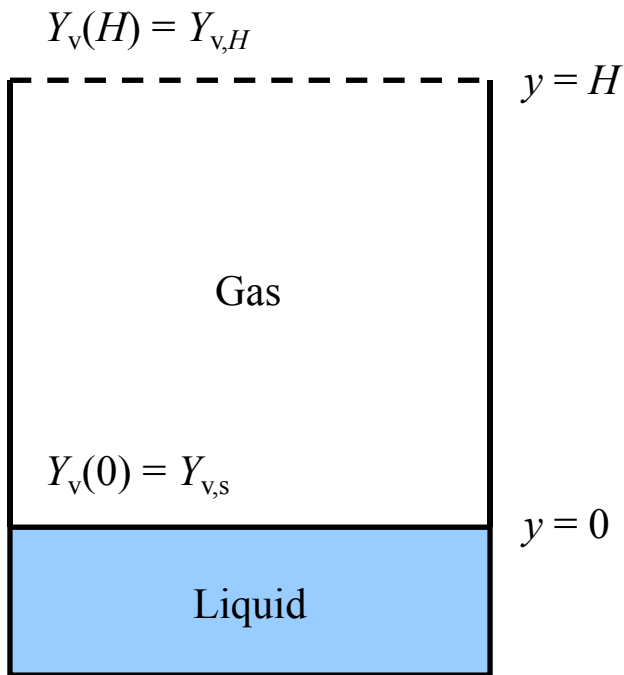
- Physical properties of the liquid and gas phases

	$\rho$ (kg/m <sup>3</sup> )	$\mu$ (kg/m/s)	$\kappa$ (W/m/K)	$C_p$ (J/kg/K)	$M$ (kg/mol)	$h_v$ (J/kg)	$T_B$ (K)	$D_v$ (m <sup>2</sup> /s)
Air	1.2	$2 \times 10^{-5}$	0.046	1000	0.029			$2 \times 10^{-5}$
Water	1000	$1 \times 10^{-3}$	0.6	4180	0.018	$2.3 \times 10^6$	373	
Nitrogen	1.25	$3 \times 10^{-5}$	0.026	1040	0.028			$1 \times 10^{-5}$
n-Heptane	684	$4 \times 10^{-4}$	0.12	2220	0.1	$3.3 \times 10^5$	372	
Air	1.2	$2 \times 10^{-5}$	0.046	1000	0.029			$9 \times 10^{-6}$
iso-Octane	692	$4 \times 10^{-4}$	0.1	2100	0.114	$3.1 \times 10^5$	372	

# Validation

- Stefan problem

$$\dot{m}_v'' = \frac{\rho D_v}{H} \ln \left( \frac{1 - Y_{v,H}}{1 - Y_{v,s}} \right)$$



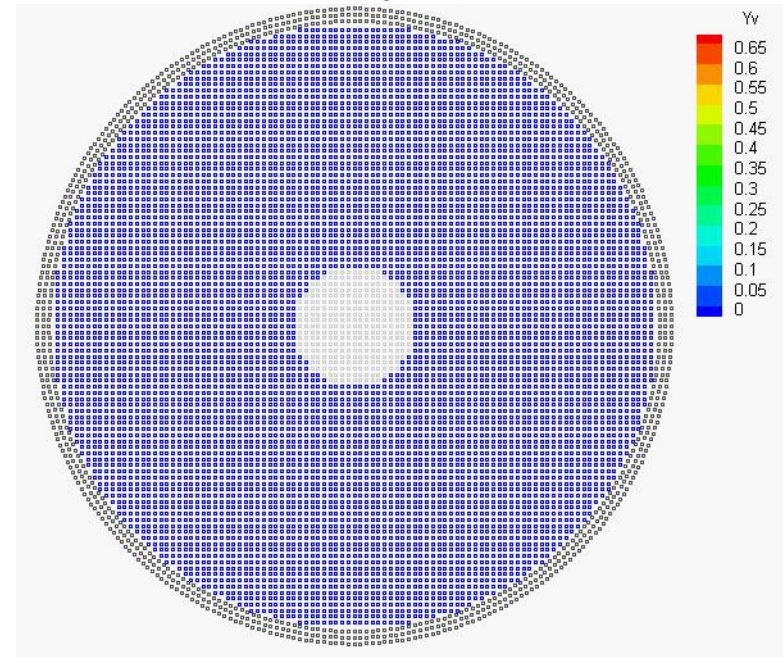
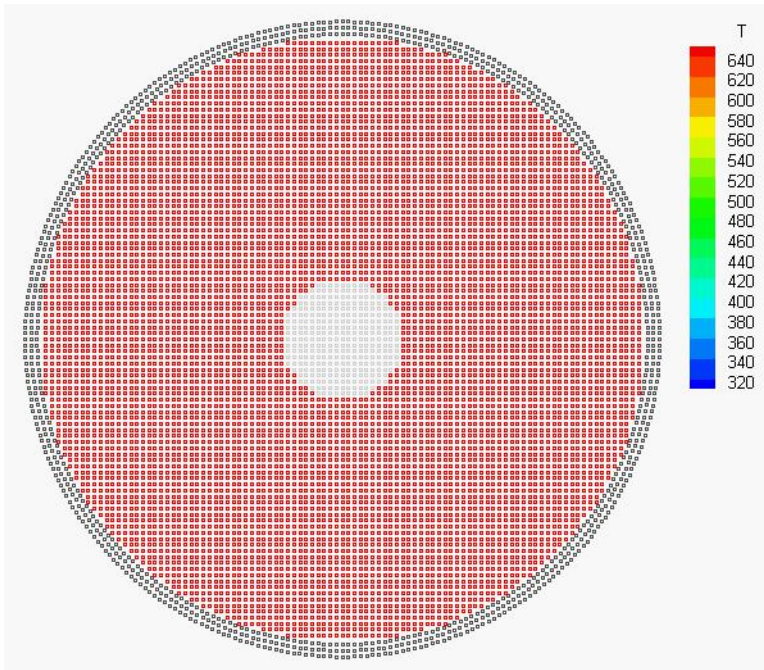
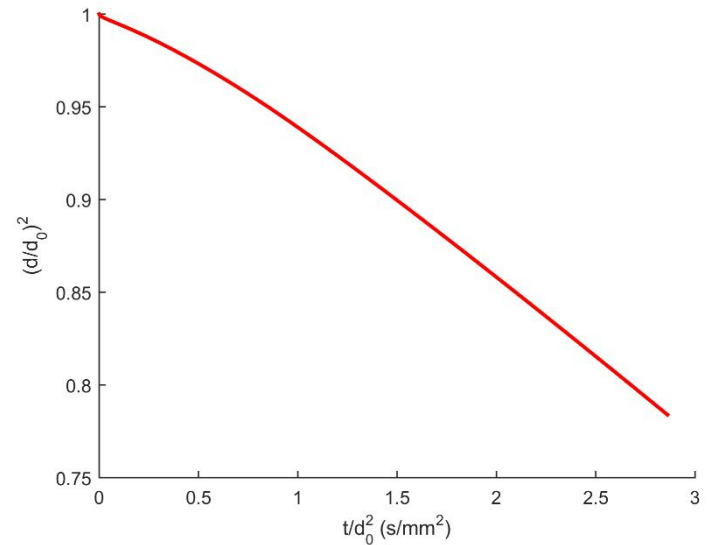


# Validation

- Vaporization of a static drop

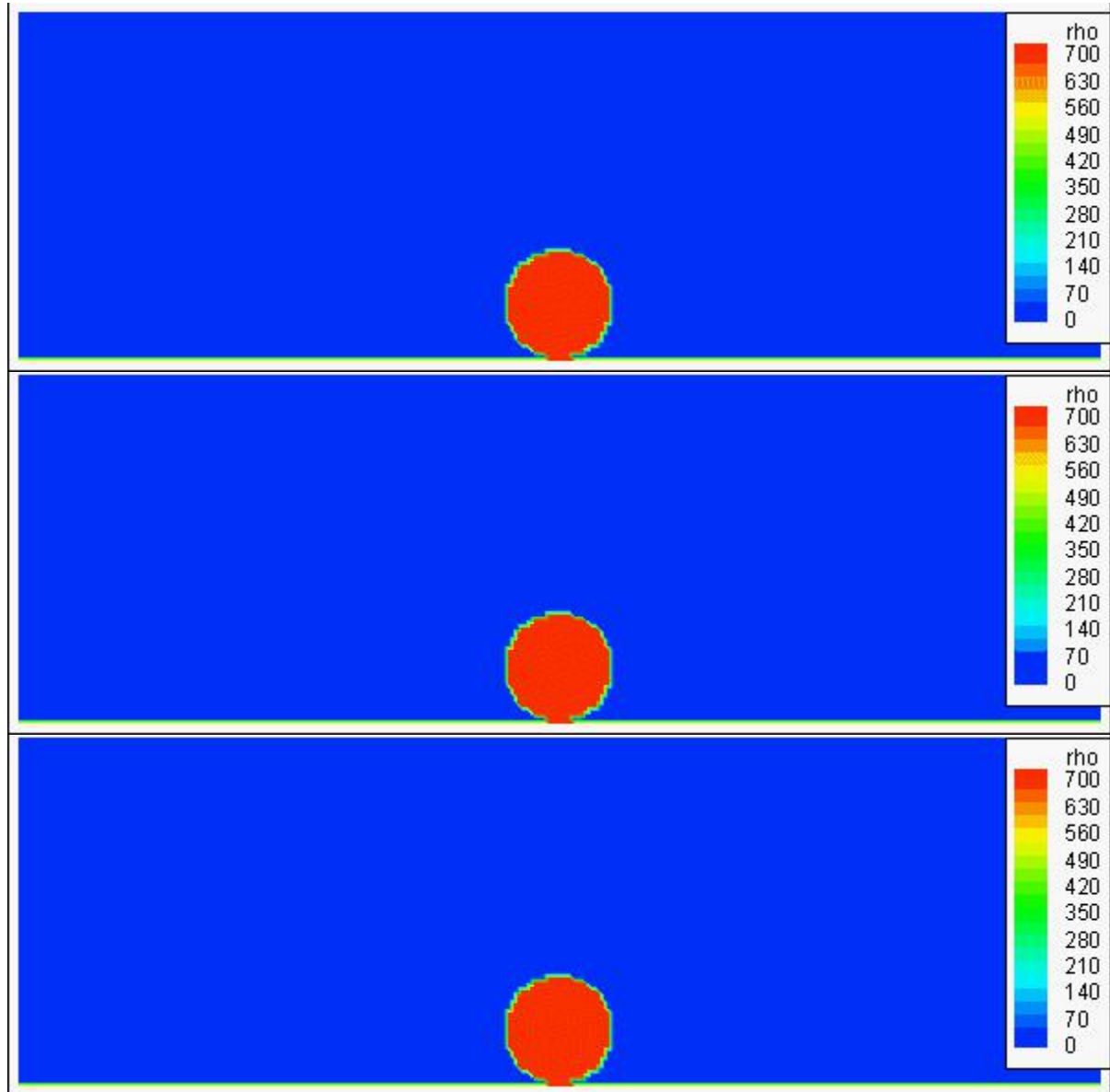
$$\left(2 \ln \frac{r_L}{r_s} + 1\right) \left(\frac{r_s}{r_0}\right)^2 = 1 - 4K \frac{t}{r_0^2}$$

$$K = \frac{\rho_g D_v}{\rho_l} \ln \frac{1 - Y_{v,L}}{1 - Y_{v,s}}$$



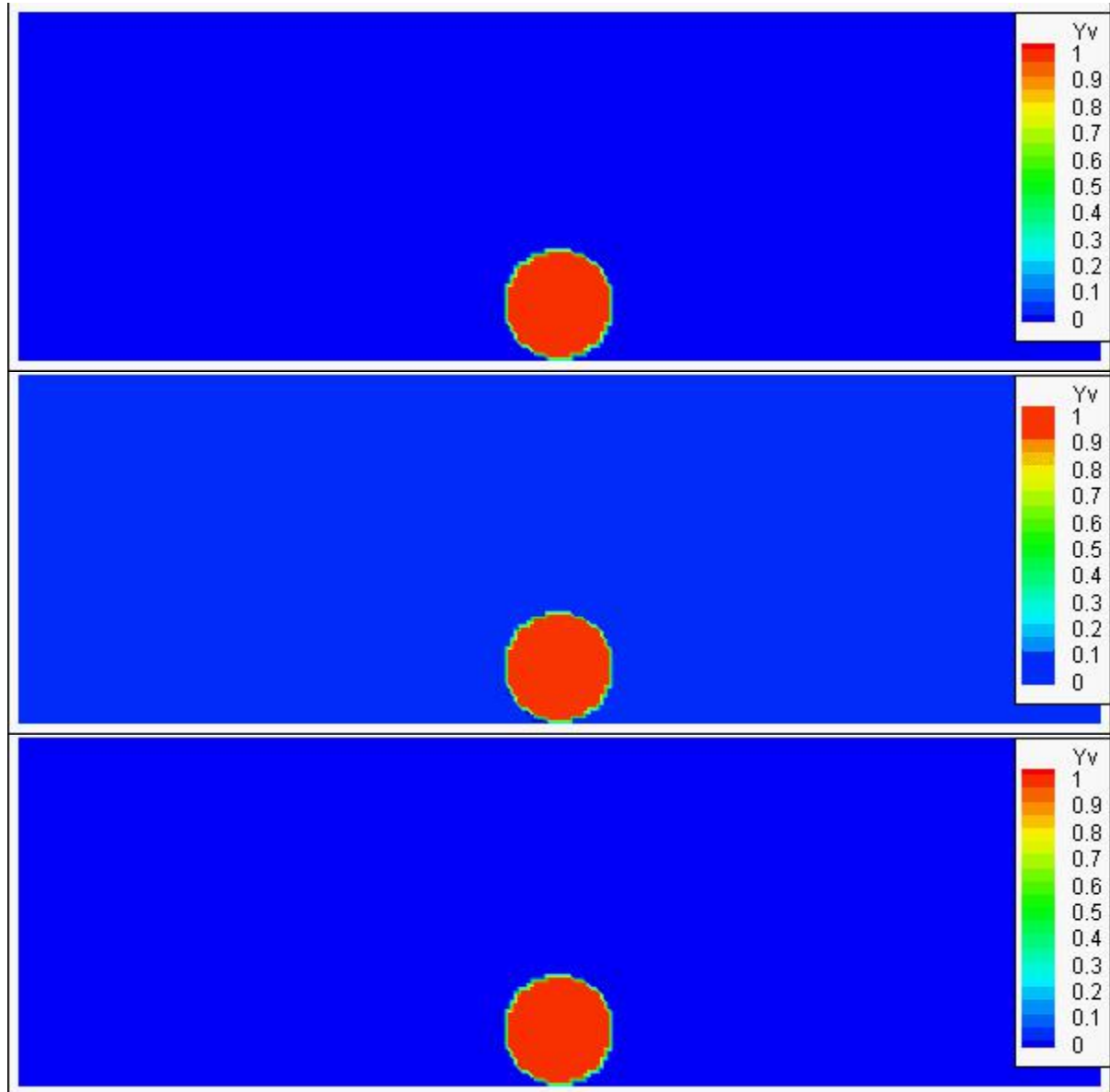
# Drop impact on a surface

- $T_w = 50\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- $D = 50\text{ }\mu\text{m}$
- $U = 2\text{ m/s}$
- Deposition
- $U = 5\text{ m/s}$
- Contact-splash
- $U = 50\text{ m/s}$
- Contact-breakup



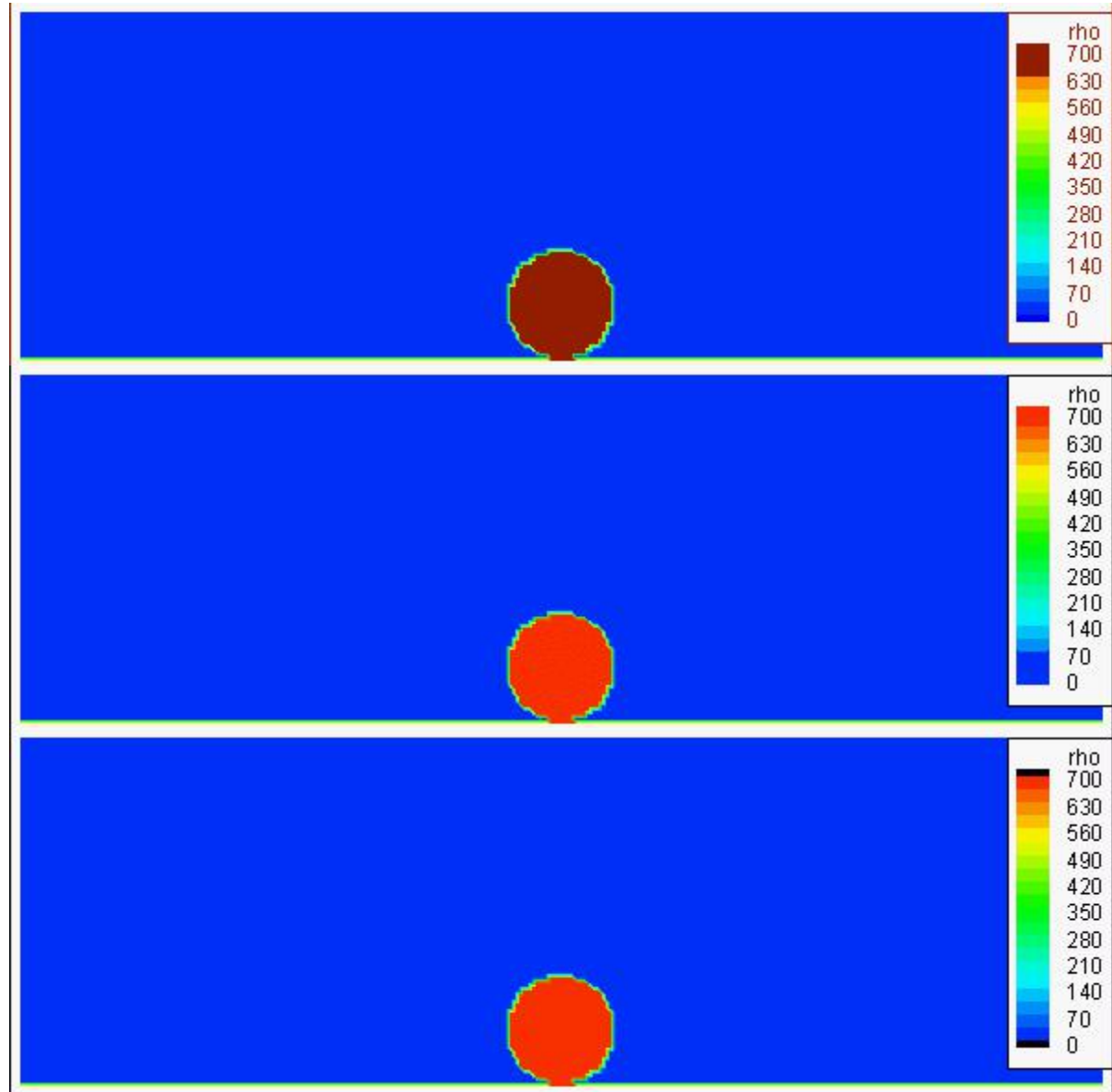
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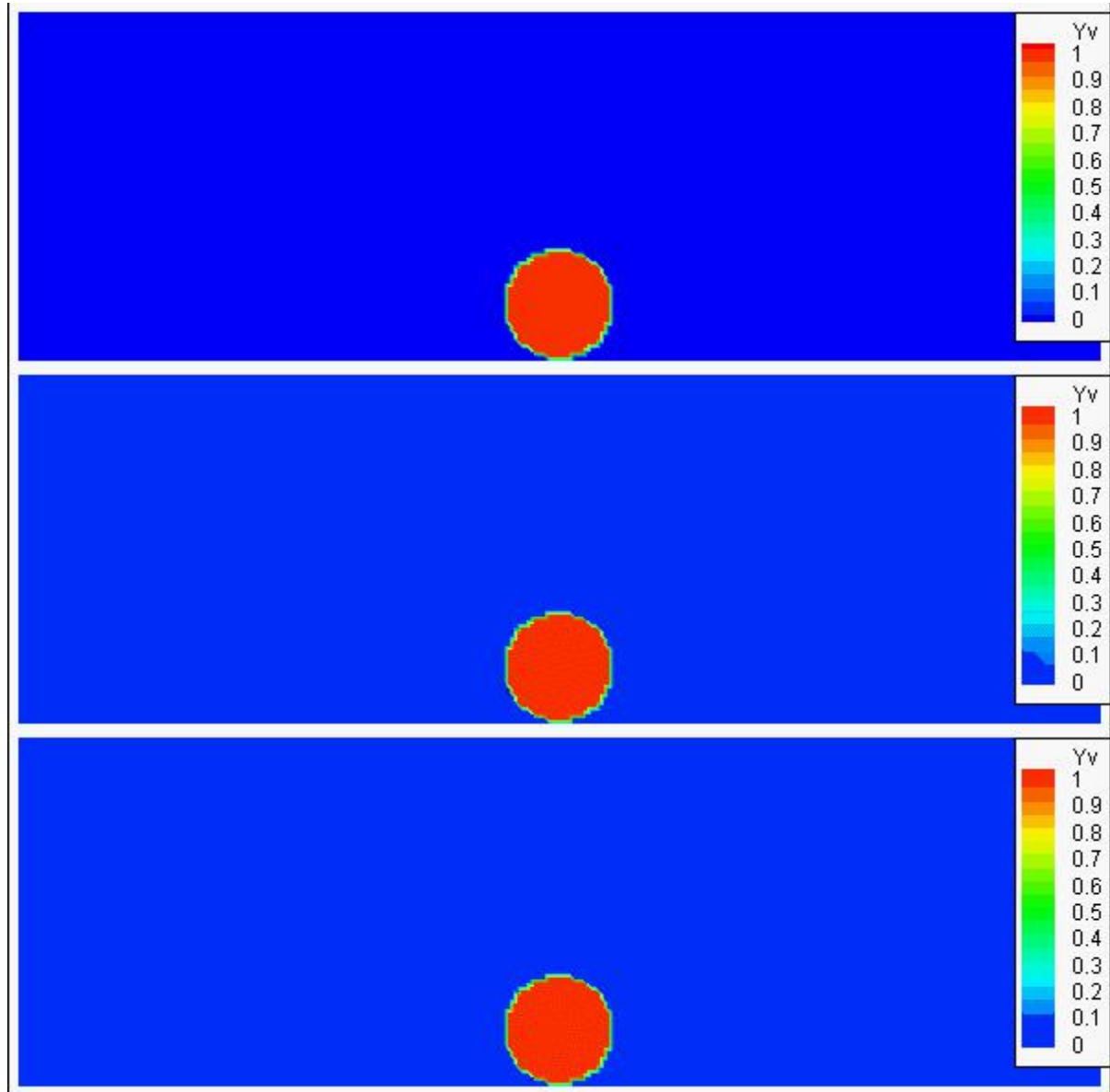
## Drop impact on a hot surface

- $T_w = 250\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- $D = 50\text{ }\mu\text{m}$
- $U = 1\text{ m/s}$
- Rebound
- $U = 5\text{ m/s}$
- Film-splash
- $U = 50\text{ m/s}$
- Film-breakup

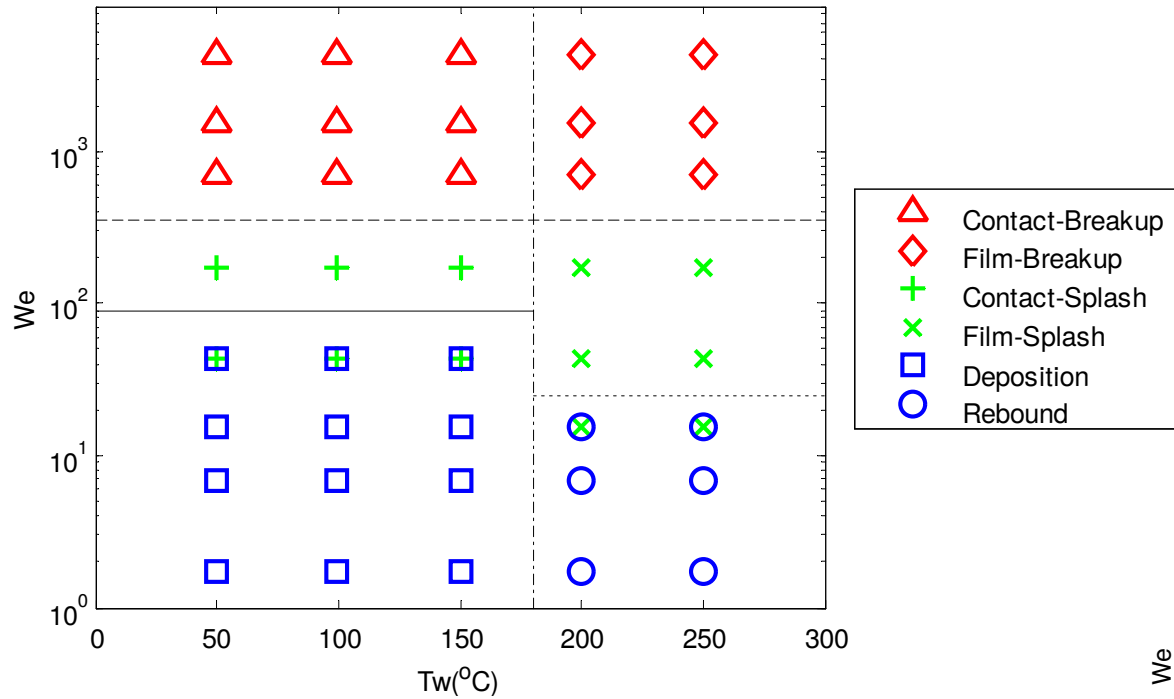


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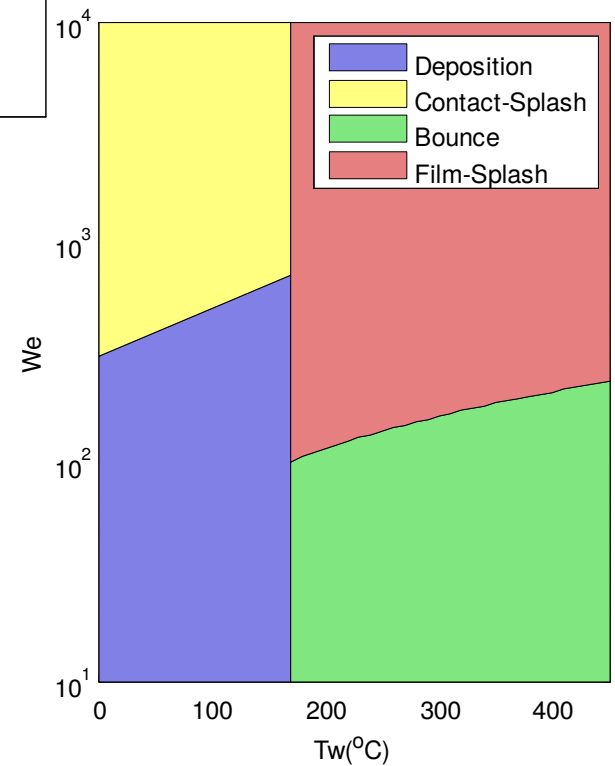
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# Impact regimes



Experiment of ethanol drops  
(Staat, et al. 2015, JFM)



## Summary

- An SPH method for evaporating flows was presented.
- The SPH method was validated by two numerical examples.
- The SPH method was applied to study drop impact on a heated surface at different temperatures.
- Different outcomes of drop-wall interaction were obtained, such as deposition, splash, breakup, and Leidenfrost phenomenon.