Effect of Particle Shape on Motion in Microfluidic Channel



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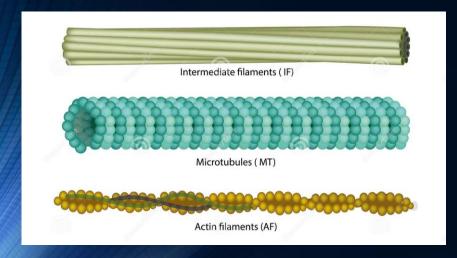
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- ☐ Why microchannels?
- ☐ What's the history?
- ☐ A nature communication paper
- Conformity with experimental results
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- Conclusion

INTRODUCTION

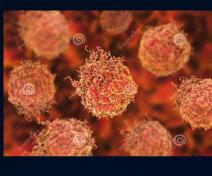
What's the Difference?

- q2D motion
- Quicker damping
- More noises
- IT'S ABOUT OUR BODY









Once in the bloodstream, the cells move through





Tumor cells

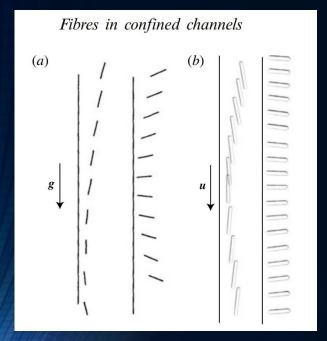
Giving rise to new tumor cells

METASTASIS

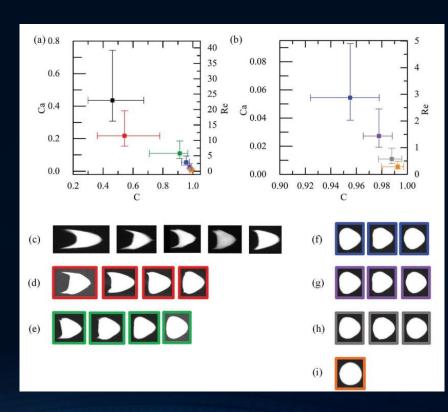
Tumor cells enter

the bloodstream

Other Works

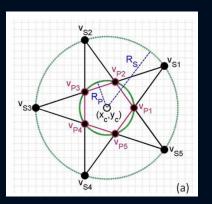


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So what did W.Uspal, H.Eral & P.Doyle

do?





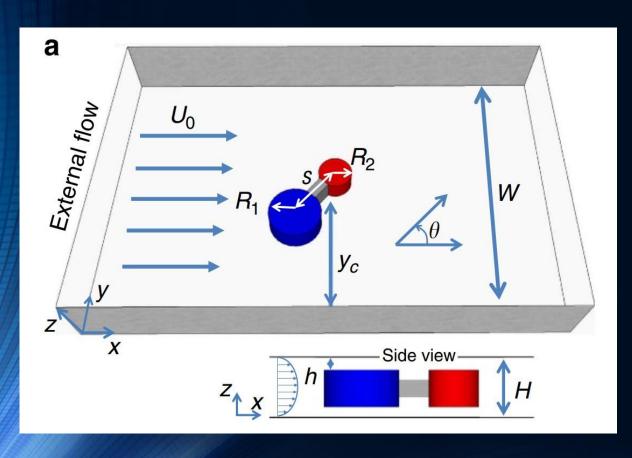


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Channel and Particle Geometry



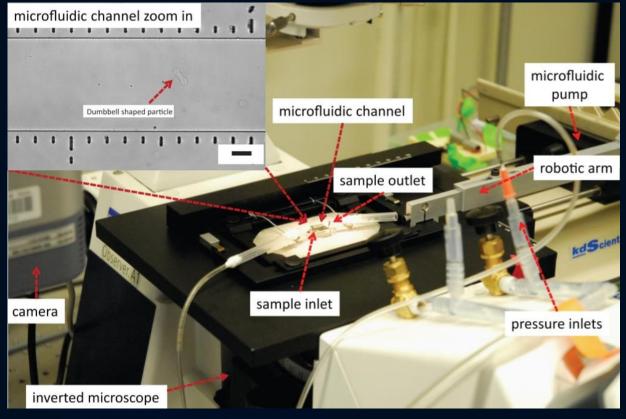
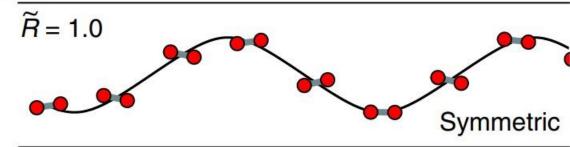


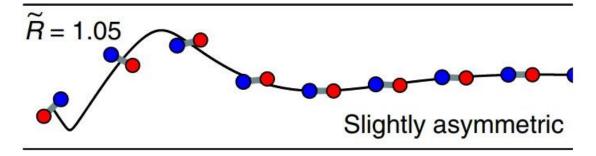
Figure 1

$$\tilde{R} \equiv \frac{R_1}{R_2}$$

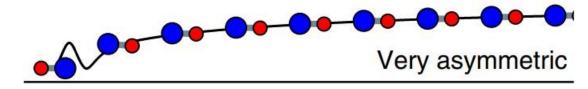
- Oscillation
- Damped oscillation
- Over damped oscillation





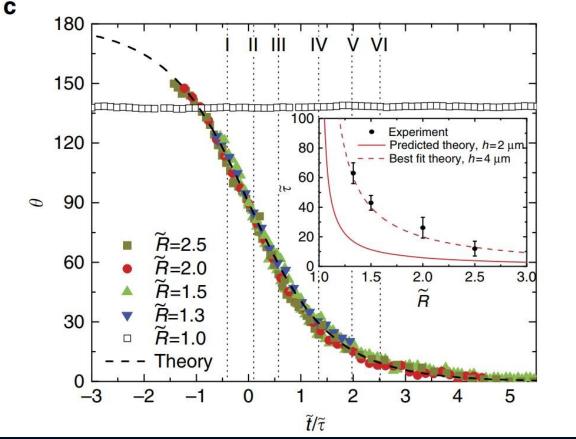






Self-Interaction





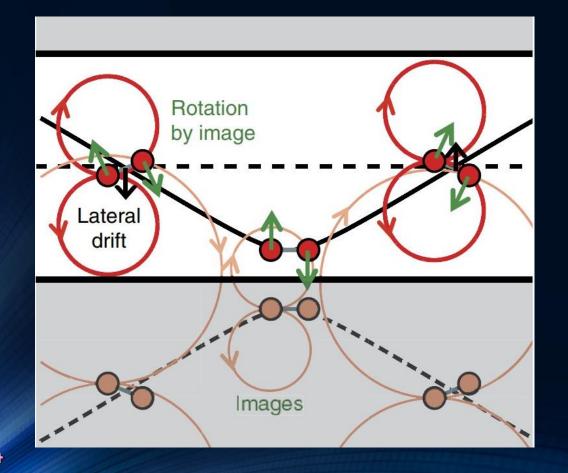
Bipolar hydrodynamic fields

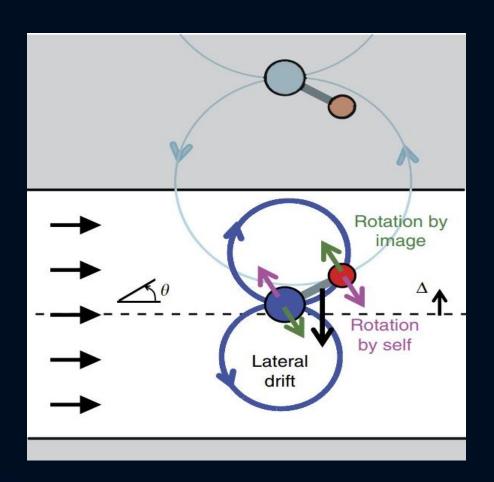
Figure 2

Particle-wall Interaction

A little trick...

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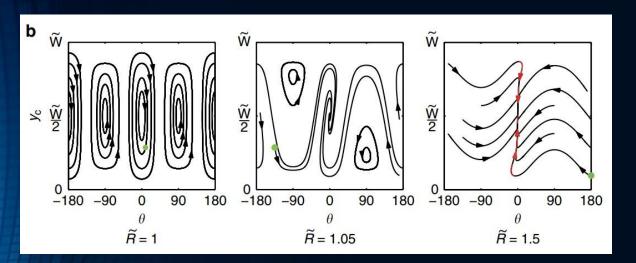


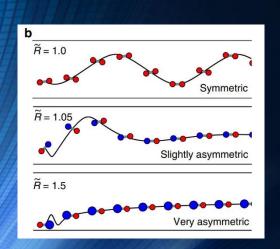


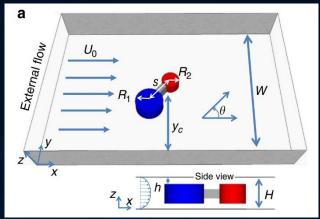
$$\dot{\theta} = b\Delta - c\theta$$

NUMERICAL RESULTS

Critical Boundary







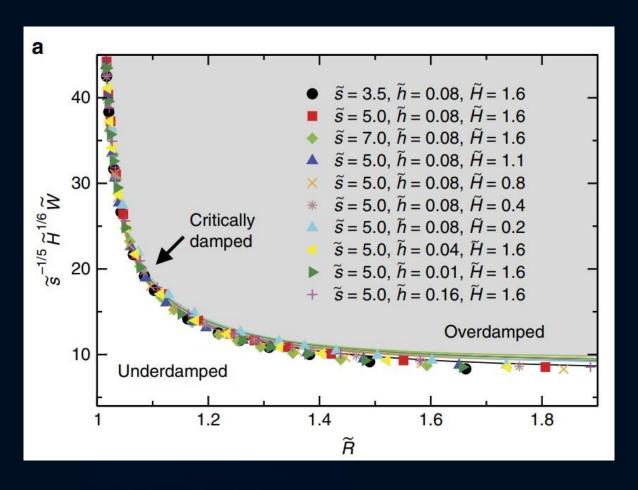
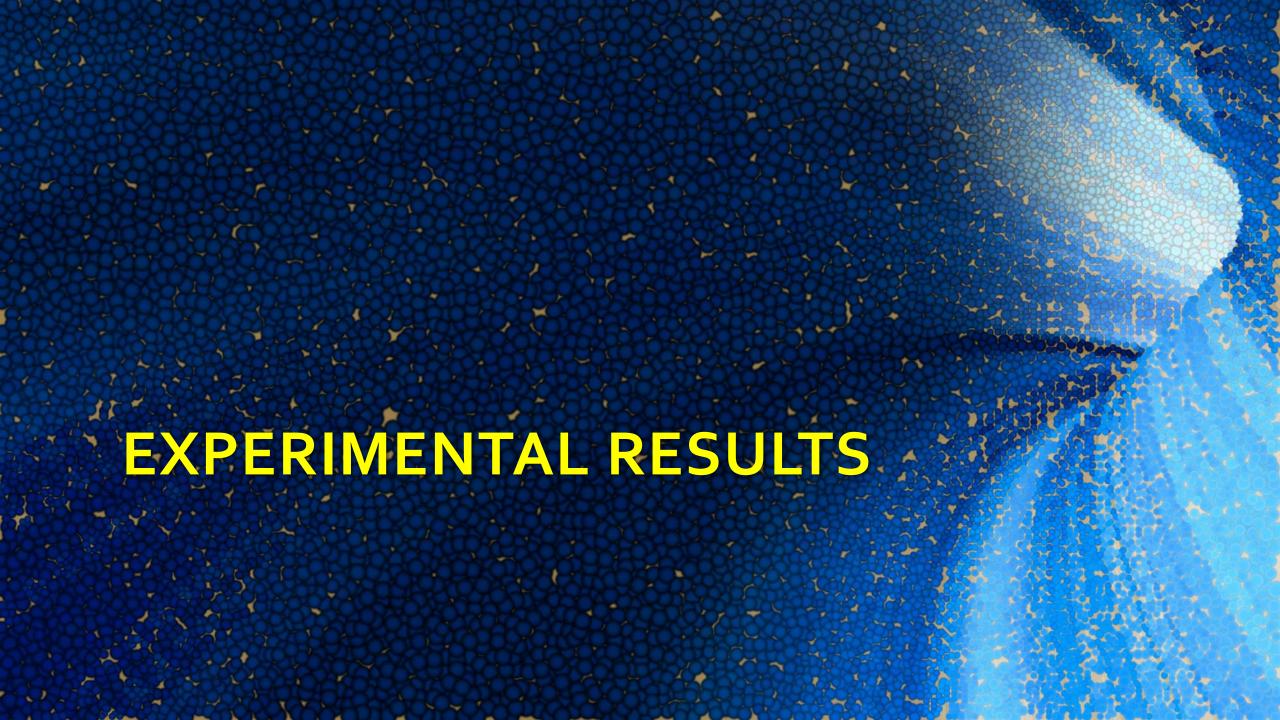
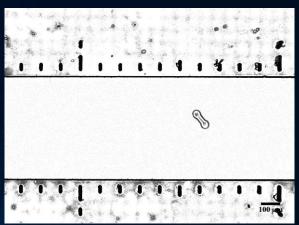


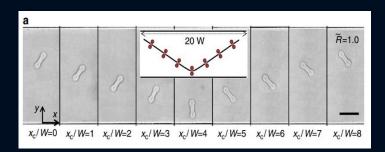
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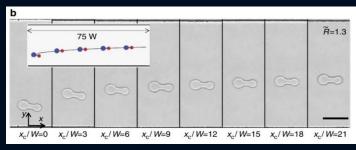


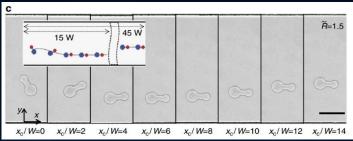
Individual Particle Trajectories

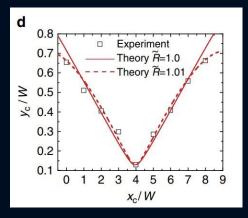


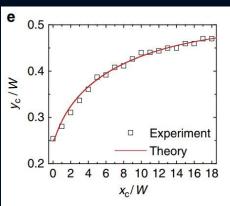


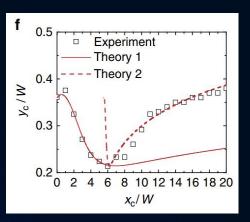






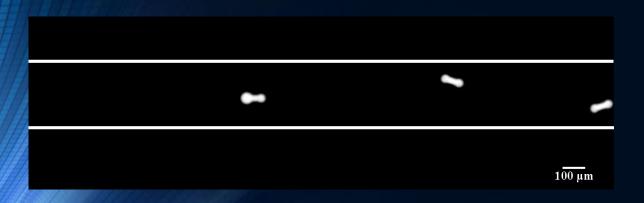


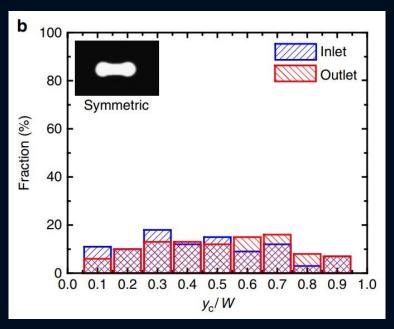


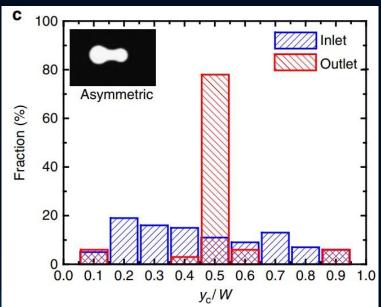


Channel Outlet

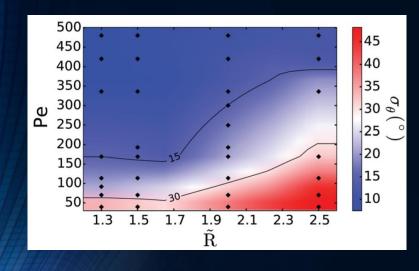




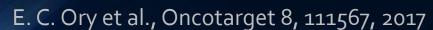


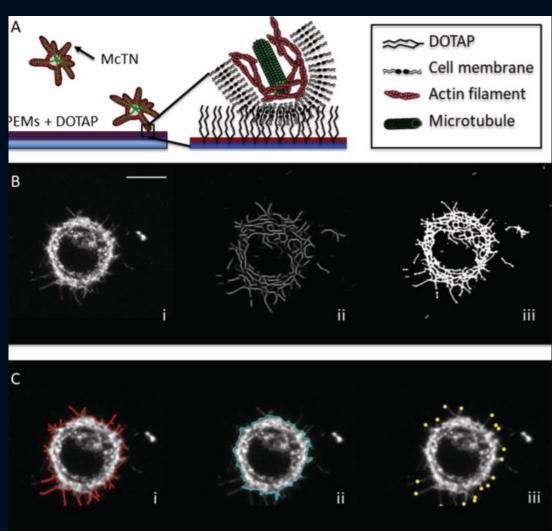


What's Next?



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CONCLUSION

- ✓ Importance
- ✓ Topics
- Engineering particle trajectories
- ✓ Future works

THANKYOU

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