

吸着性溶質を含む微粒子分散液の 乾燥・濃縮過程の直接数値計算

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Particle film formation

微粒子分散液

(Colloidal suspensions)

塗布・乾燥

(Coating) (Drying)

機能性薄膜

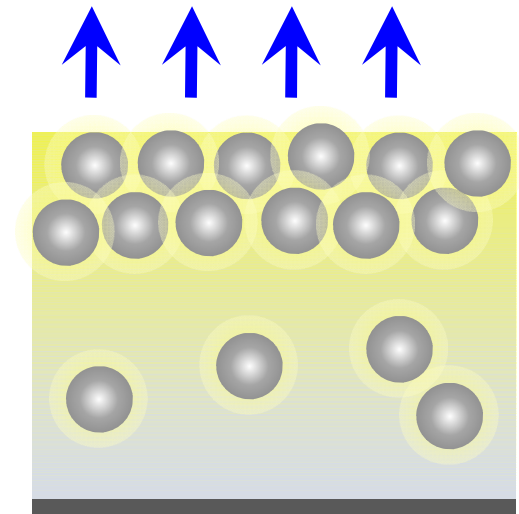
(Functional thin films)

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溶質(高分子, 界面活性剤など)の添加
(Addition of solutes)

粒子構造の解明・制御

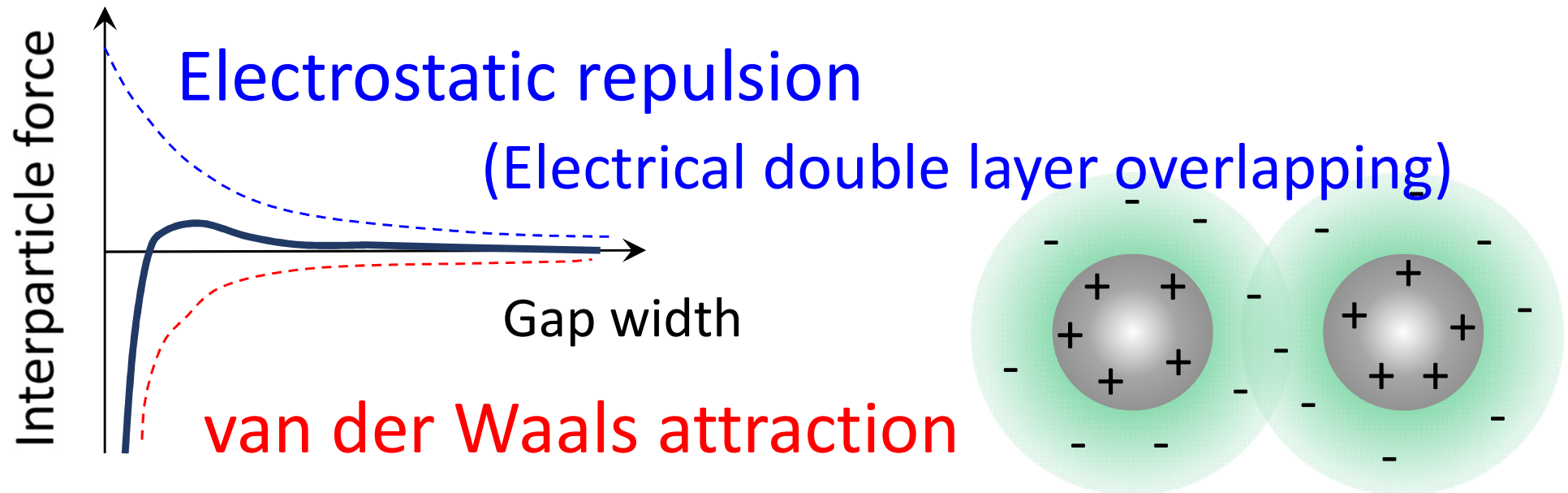
(Elucidation and control of particle configuration)

Evaporation



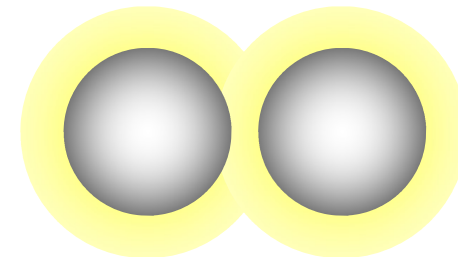
Interaction

DLVO Theory



Addition of adsorbing solutes

Adsorption layer overlapping

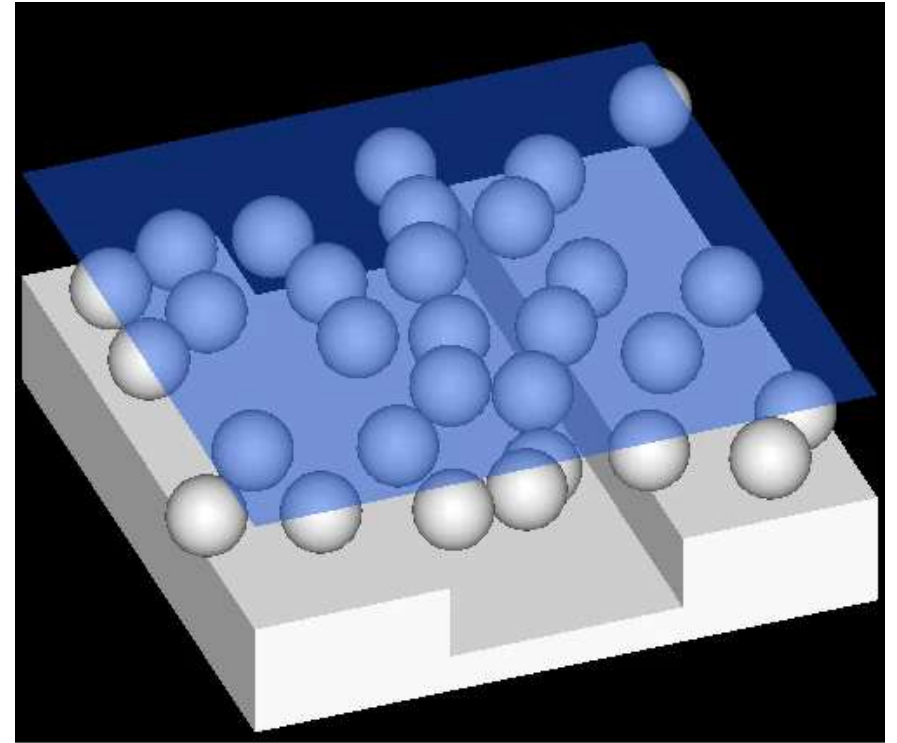
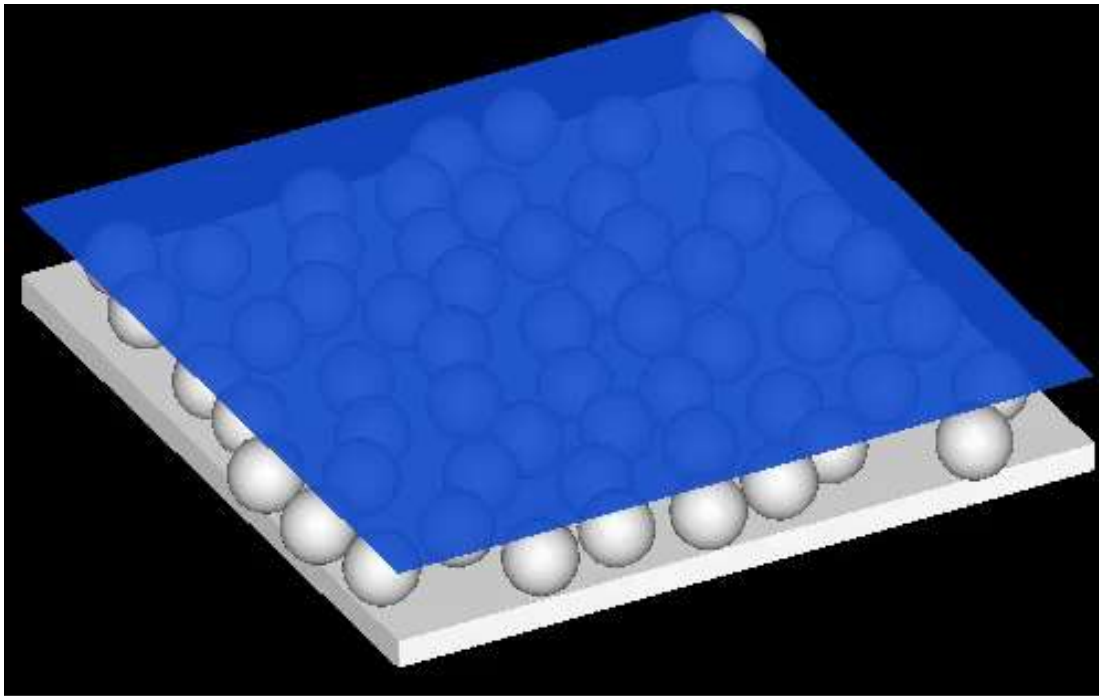


Purpose

メソスケールモデル構築 (Mesoscale modeling)
直接数値計算 (**D**irect **N**umerical **S**imulation)

- ・粒子/流体運動 (Particle/fluid motion)
- ・自由界面移動 (Free surface movement)
[Previous work]
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- ・溶質吸着/移動 (Transport of adsorbing solutes)

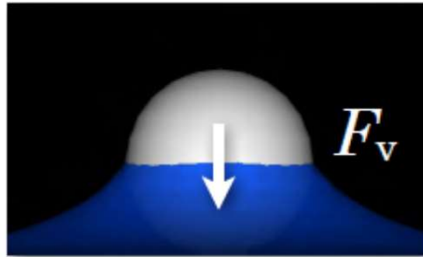
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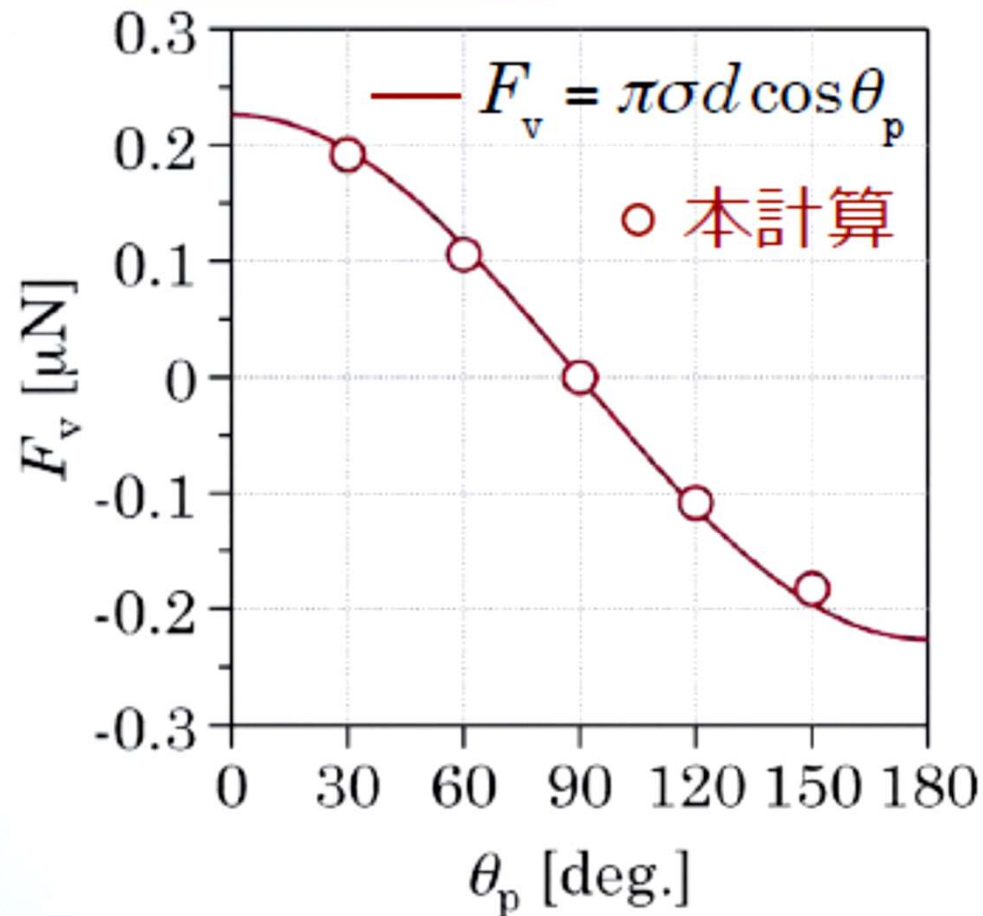
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縦毛管力 (Vertical capillary force)

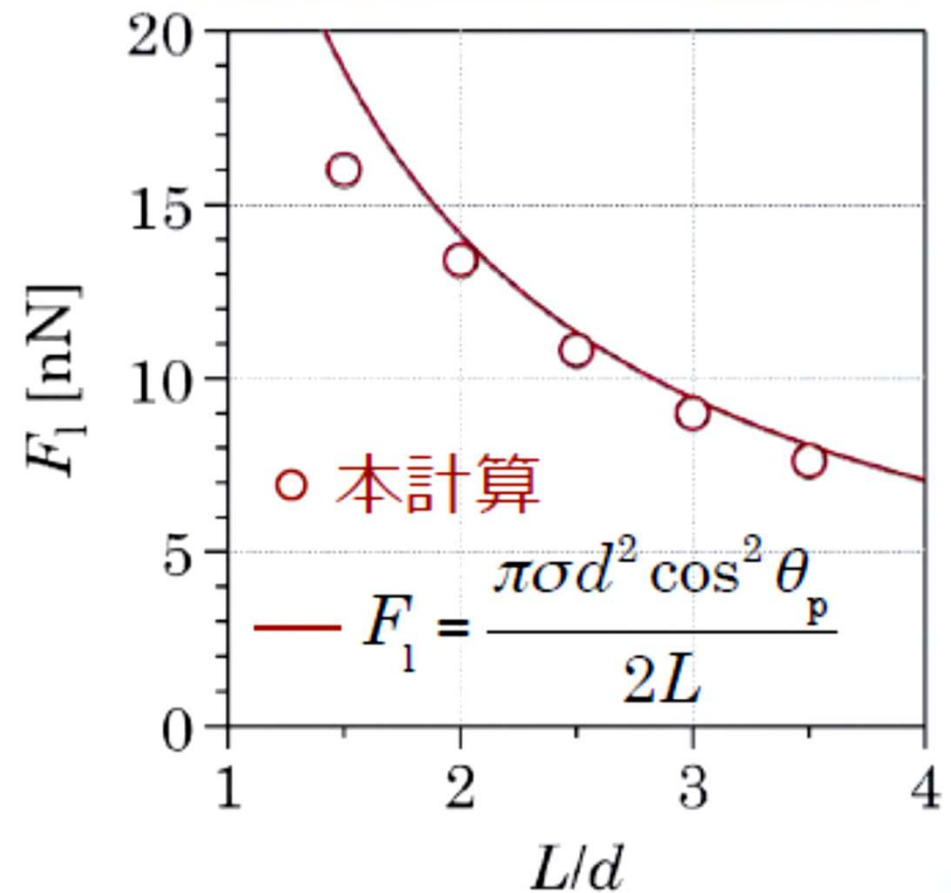
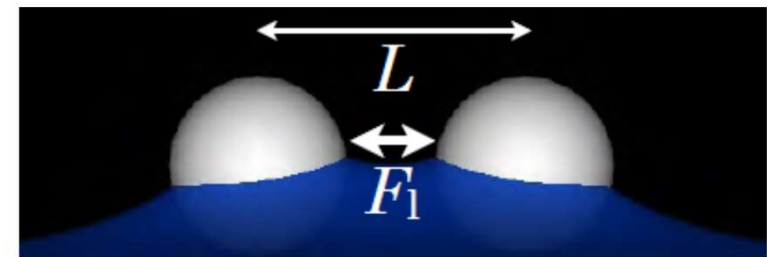


$$d = 1 \mu\text{m}$$

$$\sigma = 0.072 \text{ N/m}$$



横毛管力 (Lateral capillary force)

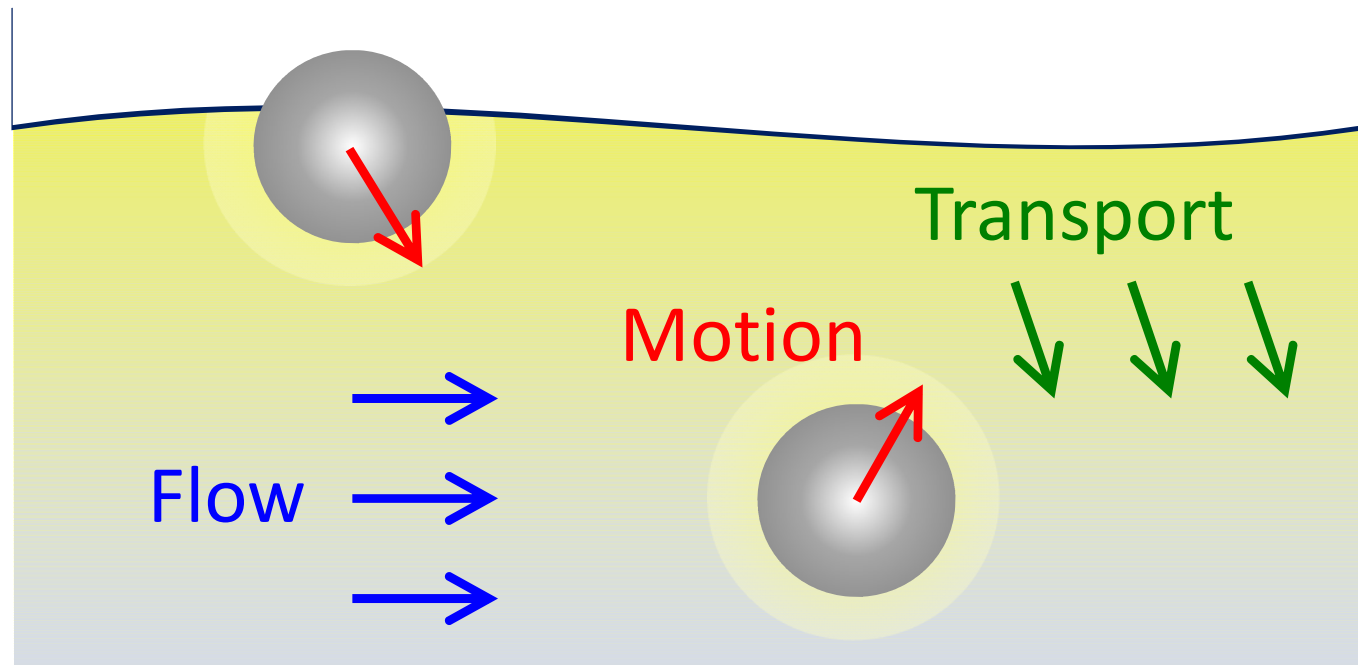


Model

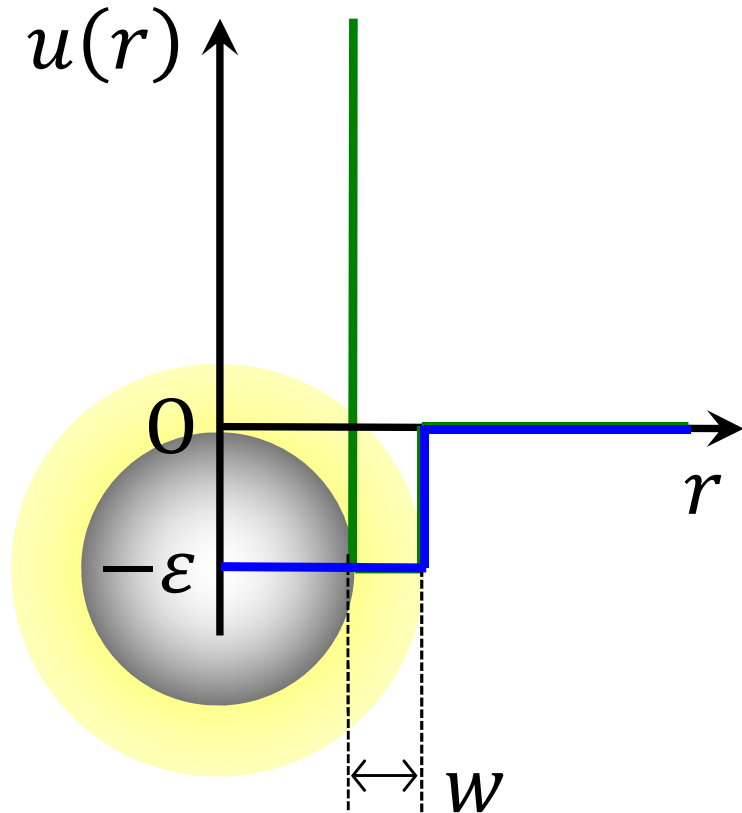
Coupled

- 粒子: Newton-Euler 運動方程式
- 流体: 流体方程式
- 自由界面: 移流方程式
- 溶質: 移流拡散方程式

Free surface
movement



Particle-solute interaction



井戸型ポテンシャル
(Square-well potential)

$$u(r) = \begin{cases} \infty & r < a \\ -\varepsilon & a \leq r < a + w \\ 0 & r \geq a + w \end{cases}$$

吸着エネルギー: $\beta\varepsilon = \varepsilon/k_B T$
(Adsorption energy)

吸着層厚み: $\lambda = w/a$
(Adsorption layer thickness)

吸着ポテンシャル
(Adsorption potential)

$$u^{\text{ad}}(r) = \begin{cases} -\varepsilon & r < a + w \\ 0 & r \geq a + w \end{cases}$$

$$U^{\text{ad}}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_i u^{\text{ad}}(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_i|)$$

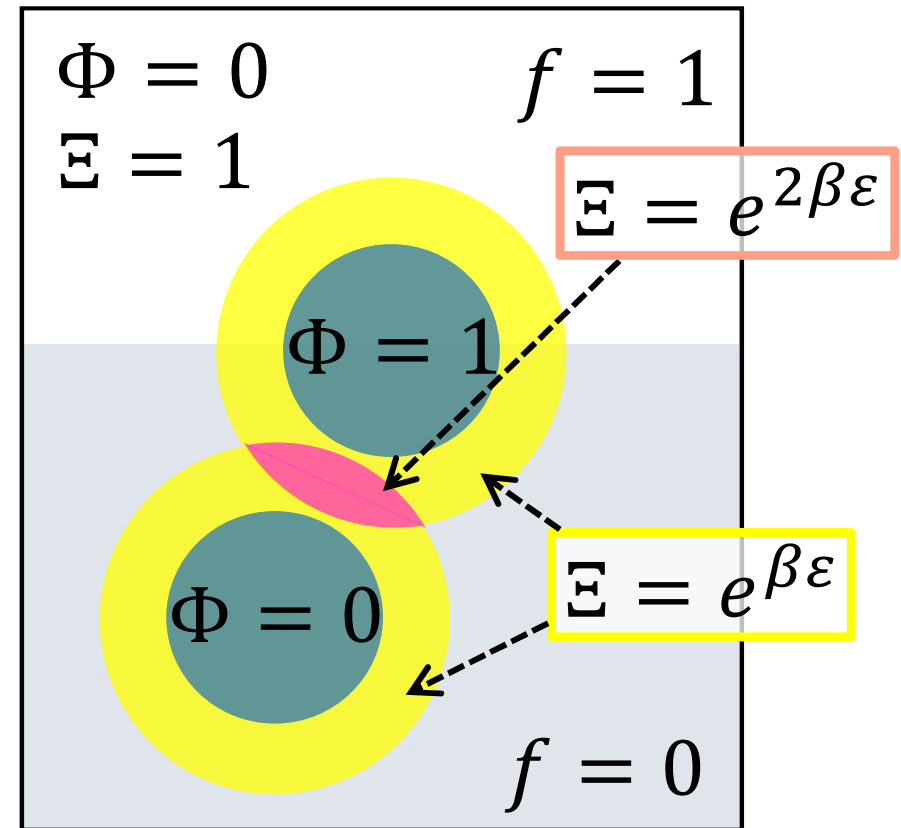
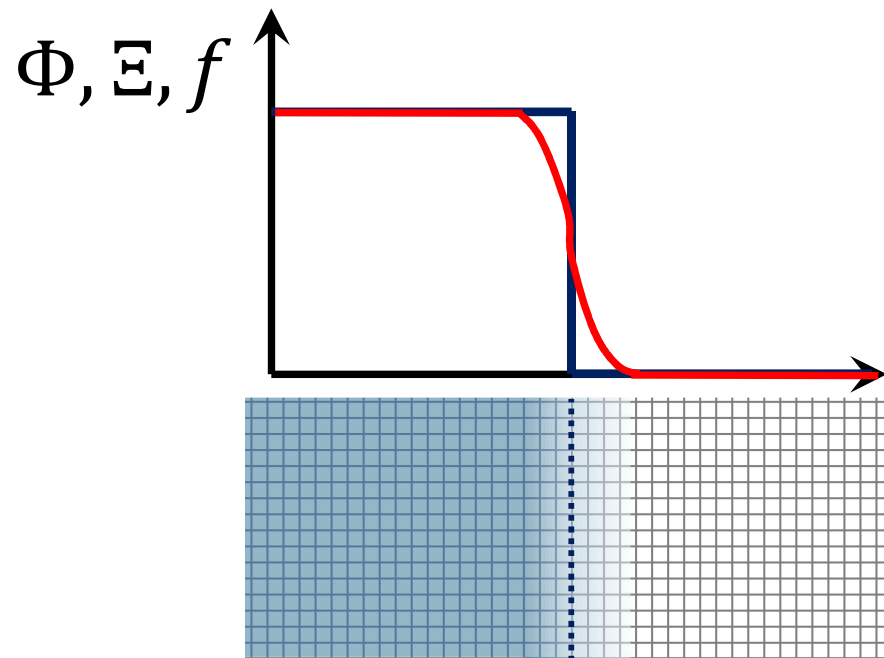
Indicator functions

Particle $\Phi \in [0,1]$

Liquid $f \in [0,1]$

Adsorption $\Xi = e^{-\beta U^{\text{ad}}}$
 $= e^{n\beta\epsilon}$

Overlapping number: n



For DNS:

step function

→ continuous function

Solute transport

$$\frac{\partial c}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (c\mathbf{v}) = -\nabla \cdot (J + \zeta)$$

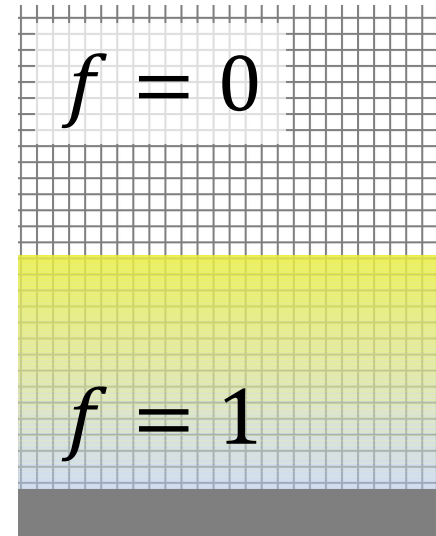
Fluctuations

$$J = -f(1 - \Phi)\epsilon D \nabla c^*$$

Liquid

Gas

$$\begin{aligned} c &= (1 - \Phi)\epsilon [f c^* + (1 - f) k c^*] \\ &= (1 - \Phi)\epsilon [f(1 - k) + k] c^* \end{aligned}$$



分配係数 (Partition coefficient) : k

気相への溶質非透過条件 (impermeability) : $k = 0$

For DNS: $0 < k \ll 1$

Free surface movement

Mass conservation

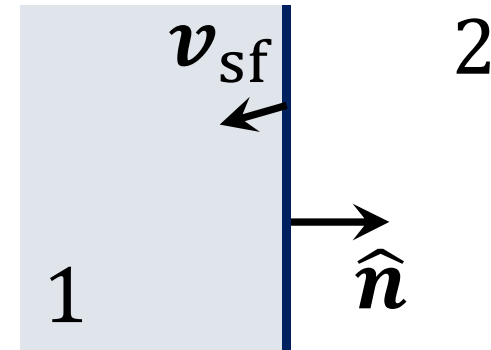
$$[\rho(\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v}_{\text{sf}}) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}}] = 0$$

$$\rho(\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{v}_{\text{sf}}) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} = (1 - \Phi)\dot{\omega}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{\text{sf}} = \mathbf{v} - (1 - \Phi) \frac{\dot{\omega}}{\rho} \hat{\mathbf{n}}$$

$\dot{\omega}$: evaporation mass flow rate

$\mathbf{v}_{\text{sf}}$: velocity of free surface



$$[Q] \equiv Q_2 - Q_1$$

on free surface

Free surface movement

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \left[\mathbf{v} - (1 - \Phi) \frac{\dot{\omega}}{\rho} \hat{\mathbf{n}} \right] \cdot \nabla f = 0$$

For DNS: level set method

Fluid flow

Mass conservation $[\mathbf{v} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}}] = (1 - \Phi)\dot{\omega}[1/\rho]$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v} = (1 - \Phi)\dot{\omega}|\nabla(1/\rho)|$$

Momentum conservation

$$\rho \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{v} \right) = \nabla \cdot (\underbrace{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}_{\text{Fluctuations}} + \underbrace{\mathbf{s}}_{\text{Fluctuations}}) + \rho \mathbf{g} + \underbrace{\gamma \kappa \nabla f}_{\text{Surface tension}} - \underbrace{c \nabla U^{\text{ad}}}_{\text{Particle-solute interaction}} + \underbrace{\rho \Phi \mathbf{a}}_{\text{Particle velocity forcing}}$$

Surface tension Particle-solute interaction Particle velocity forcing

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = -(p + \underline{\pi})\mathbf{I} + \eta[\nabla \mathbf{v} + (\nabla \mathbf{v})^T] - \frac{2}{3}\eta(\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v})\mathbf{I}$$

Osmotic pressure $\pi = k_B T(\Xi - 1)c^*$

Particles' motion

$$\text{[Translation]} \quad M_i \dot{\mathbf{V}}_i = \mathbf{F}_i^C + \underline{\mathbf{F}_i^H} + \underline{\mathbf{F}_i^S} \quad \dot{\mathbf{R}}_i = \mathbf{V}_i$$

$$\text{[Rotation]} \quad \mathbf{I}_i \cdot \dot{\mathbf{\Omega}}_i = N_i^C + \underline{N_i^H}$$

Hydrodynamic force/torque

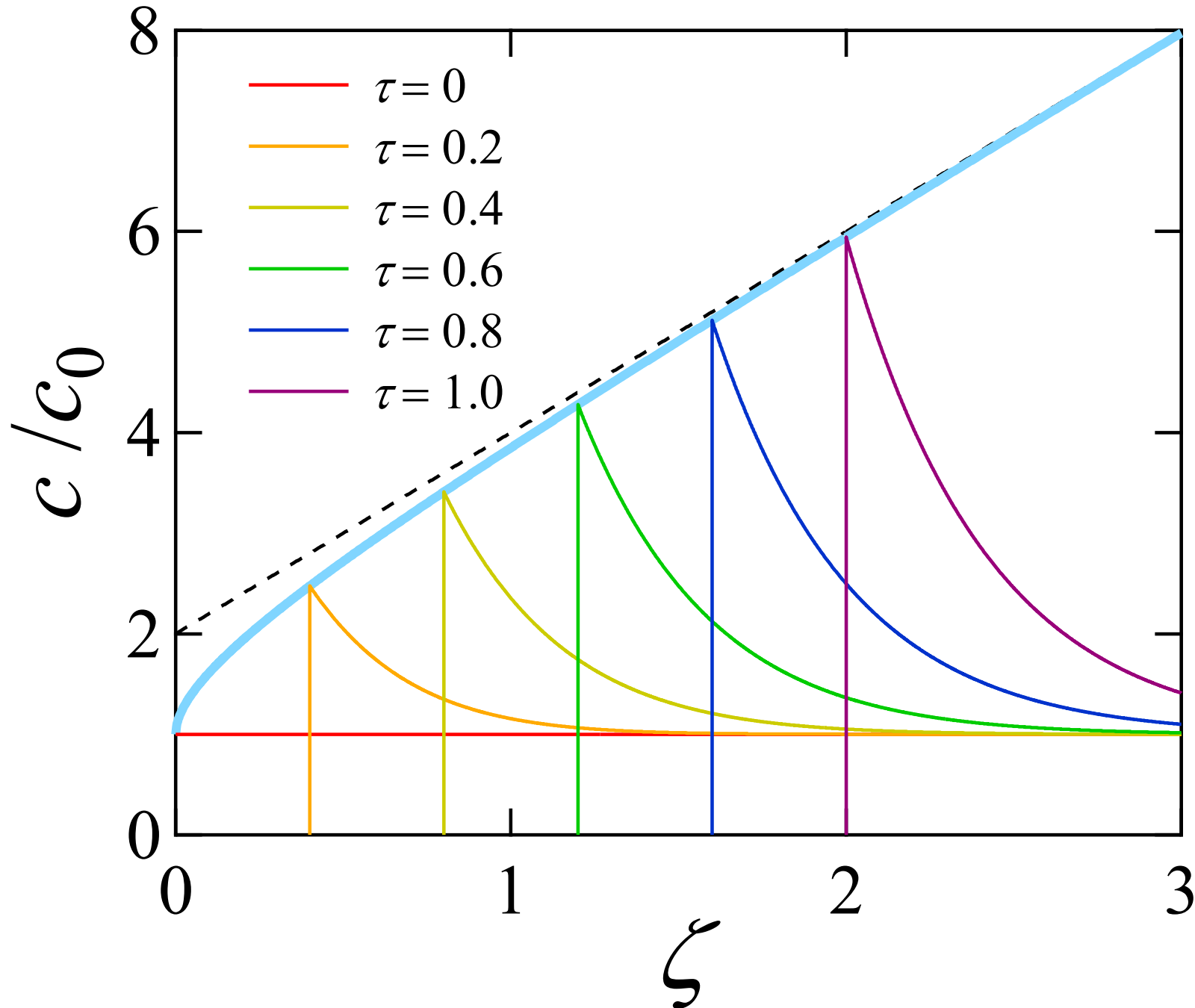
Particle-solute interaction

$$\mathbf{F}_i^H = - \int [\rho \Phi \mathbf{a} - \Phi (\rho_p - \rho) \mathbf{g}] d\mathbf{r} \quad \mathbf{F}_i^S = \int c \nabla U^{\text{ad}} d\mathbf{r}$$

$$\mathbf{N}_i^H = - \int (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_i) \times \rho \Phi \mathbf{a} d\mathbf{r}$$

Momentum exchange:
particle $\leftrightarrow$ fluid

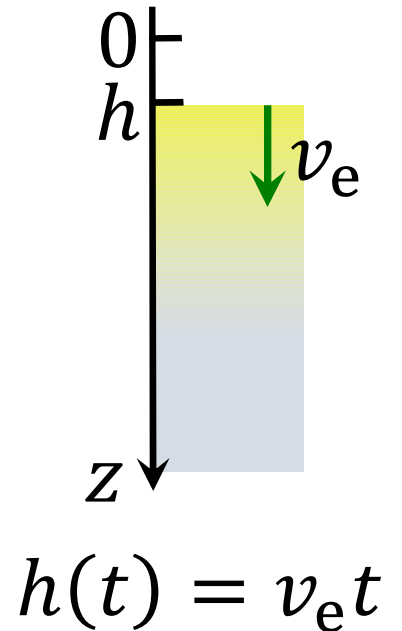
Concentration distribution



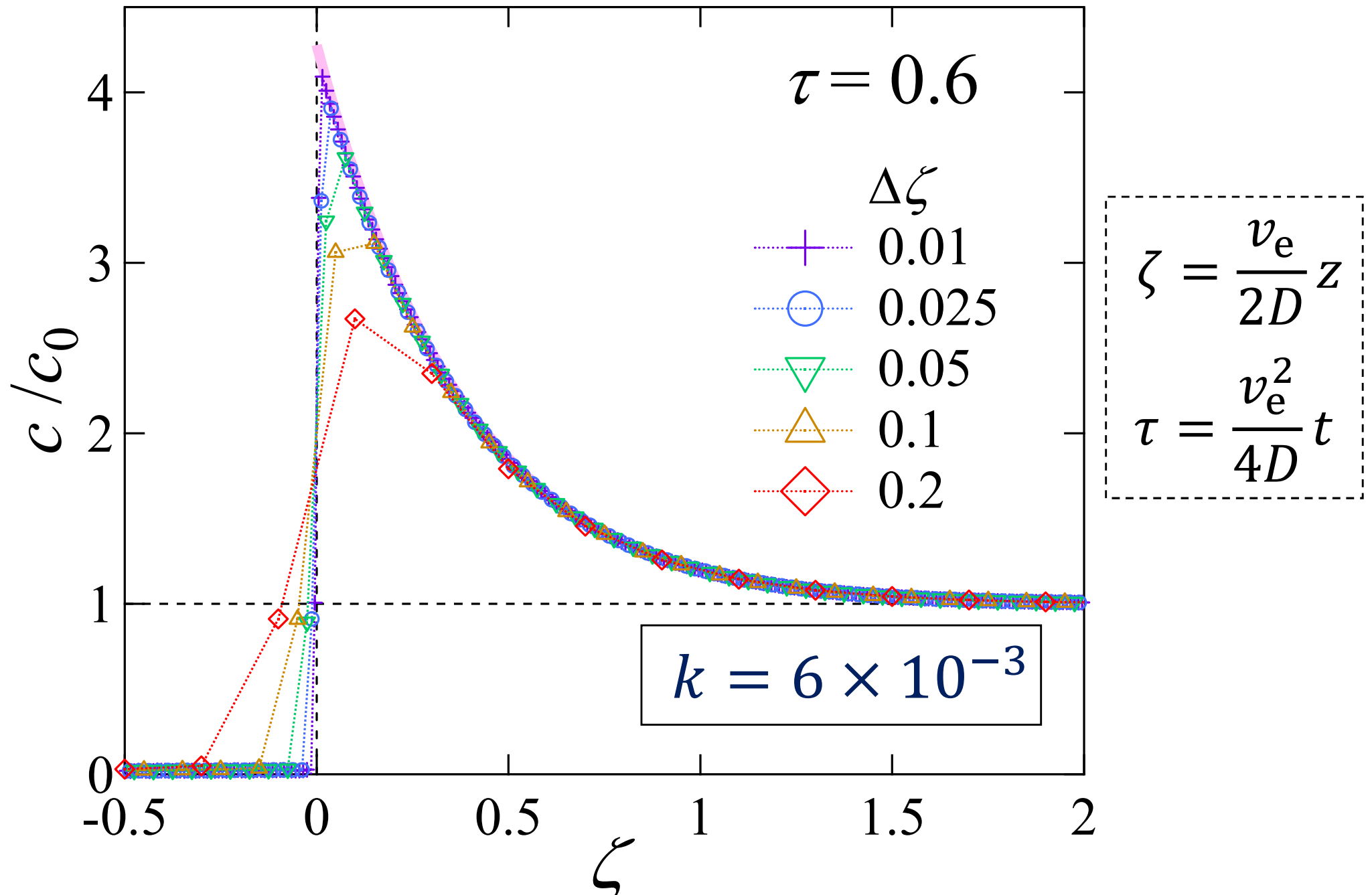
解析解

$$\zeta = \frac{v_e}{2D} z$$

$$\tau = \frac{v_e^2}{4D} t$$

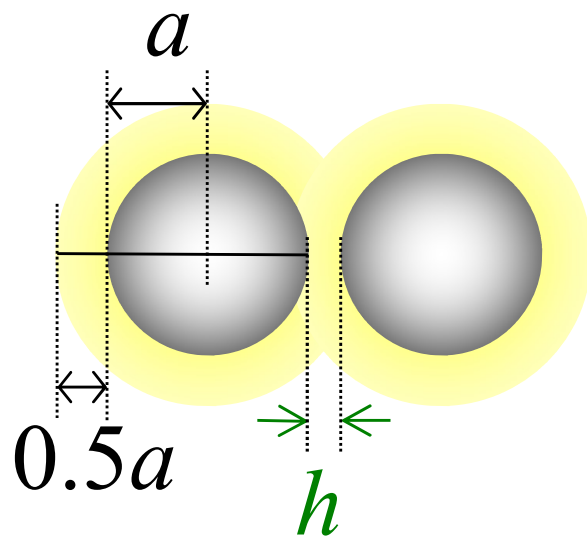


Validation

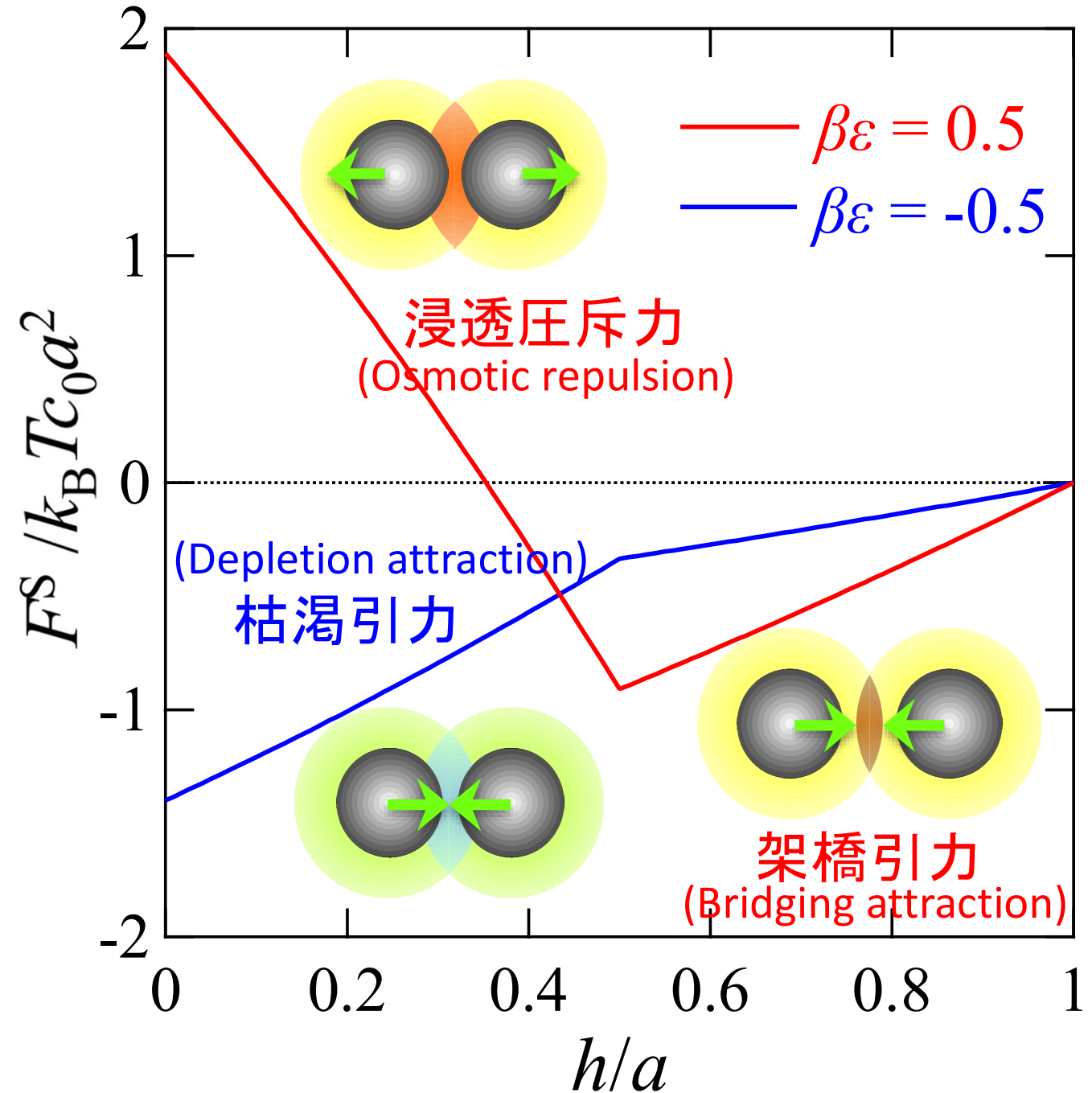


Interparticle force

解析解



粒子表面間距離
(Gap width)



Simulation conditions

粒子半径 (Particle radius)

$$a = 50 \text{ nm}$$

動粘性係数 (Dynamic viscosity)

$$\nu = 5.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$$

表面張力 (Surface tension)

$$\gamma = 2.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ N/m}$$

接触角 (Contact angle)

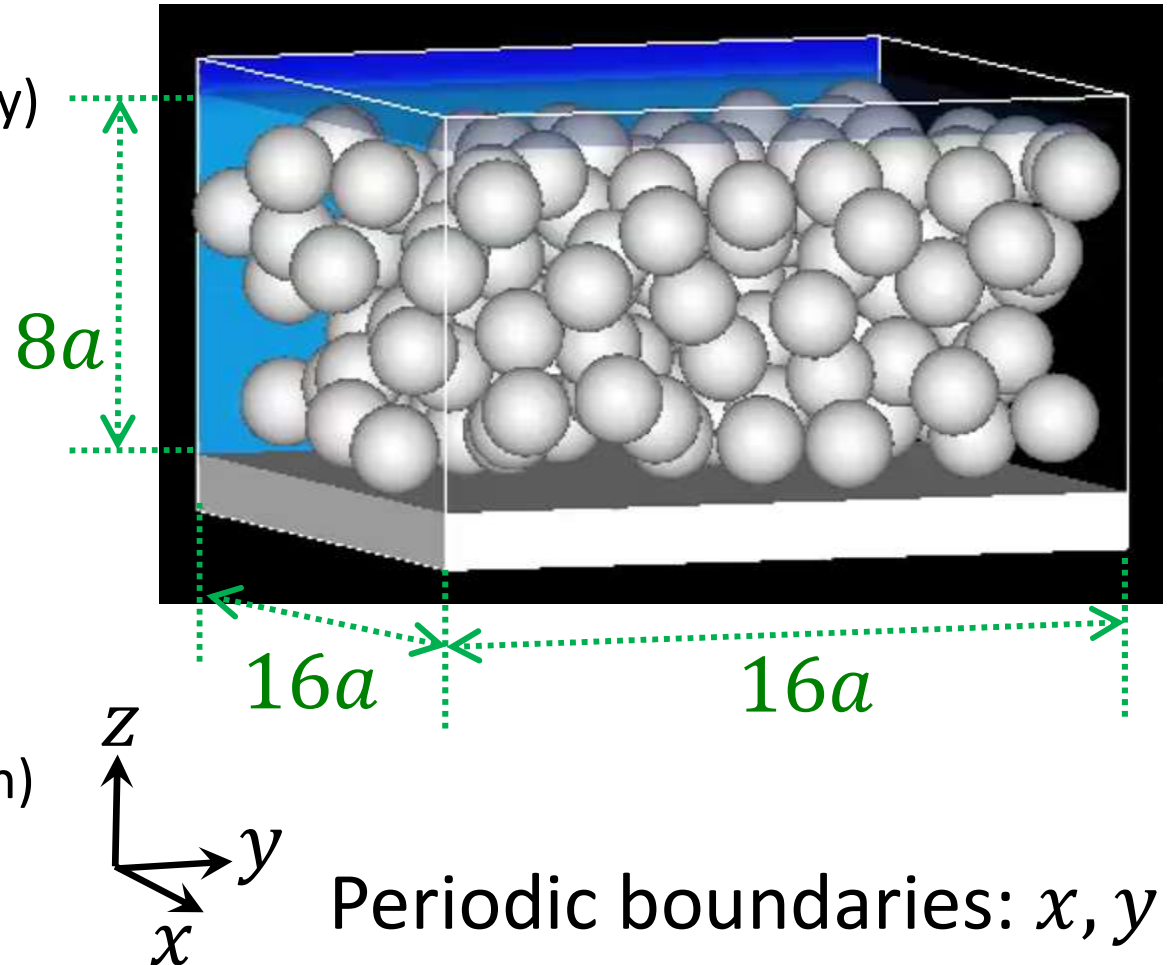
$$\alpha = 45^\circ$$

溶質濃度 (Solute concentration)

$$c_0 = 5.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol/L}$$

初期体積分率 (Initial volume fraction)

$$\phi_0 = 30 \text{ vol. \%}$$



Diffusion

Diffusion coefficient

Particle $D_{\text{prt}} = 10^{-12} \sim 10^{-11} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$

Solute $D_{\text{slt}} = 10^{-10} \sim 10^{-8} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$

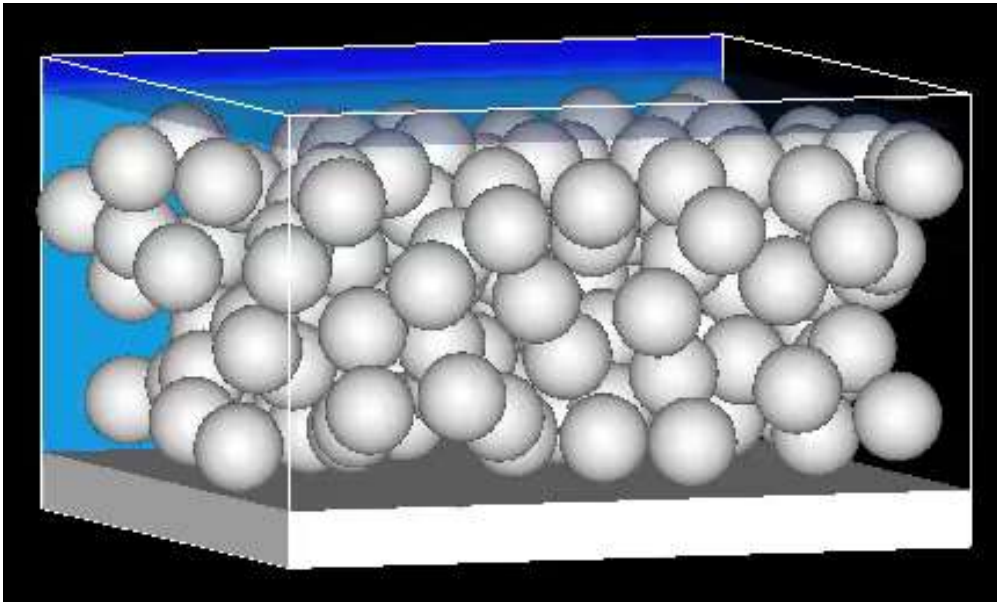
Péclet number

$$\text{Pe} = \frac{av_e}{D} \quad \frac{\text{Pe}_{\text{prt}}}{\text{Pe}_{\text{slt}}} = \frac{D_{\text{slt}}}{D_{\text{prt}}} \gg 1$$

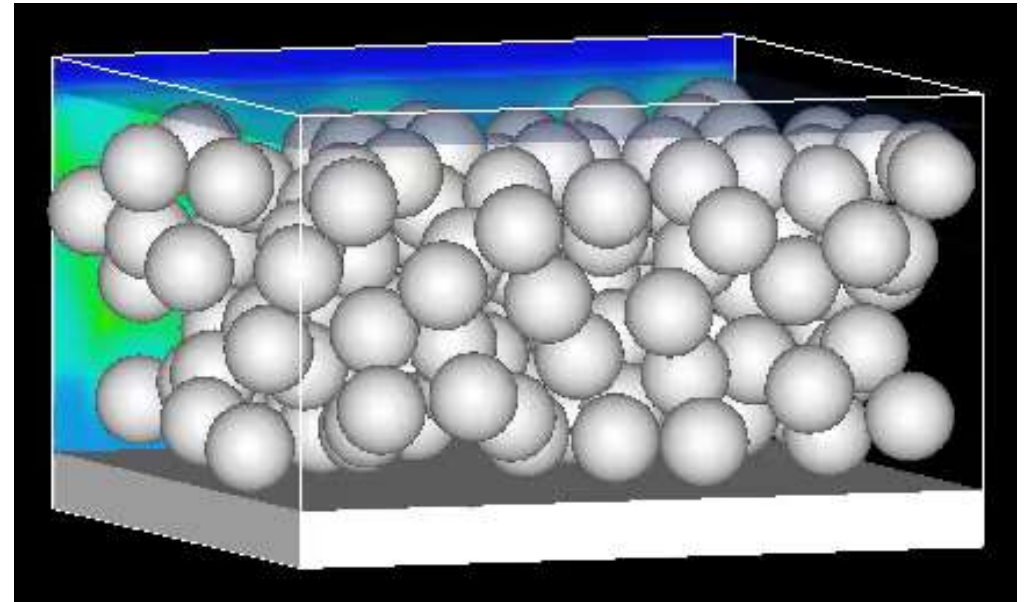
Approximation: $\text{Pe}_{\text{prt}} = \infty$

Solute adsorption

$$Pe_{slt} = 0.01$$



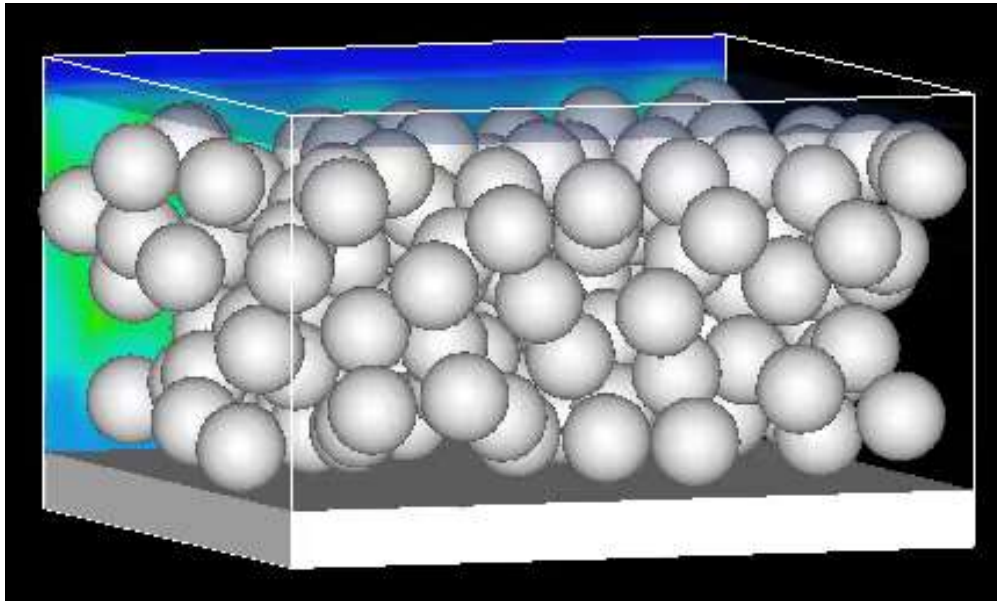
$$\beta\epsilon = 0$$



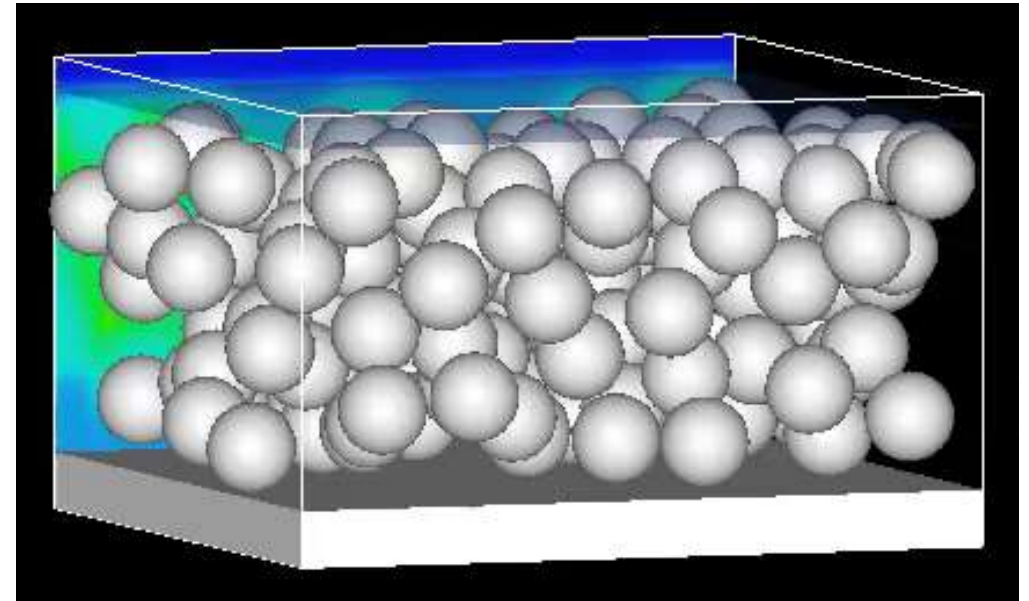
$$\beta\epsilon = 0.5$$

Ordering by interparticle force

Solute Péclet number

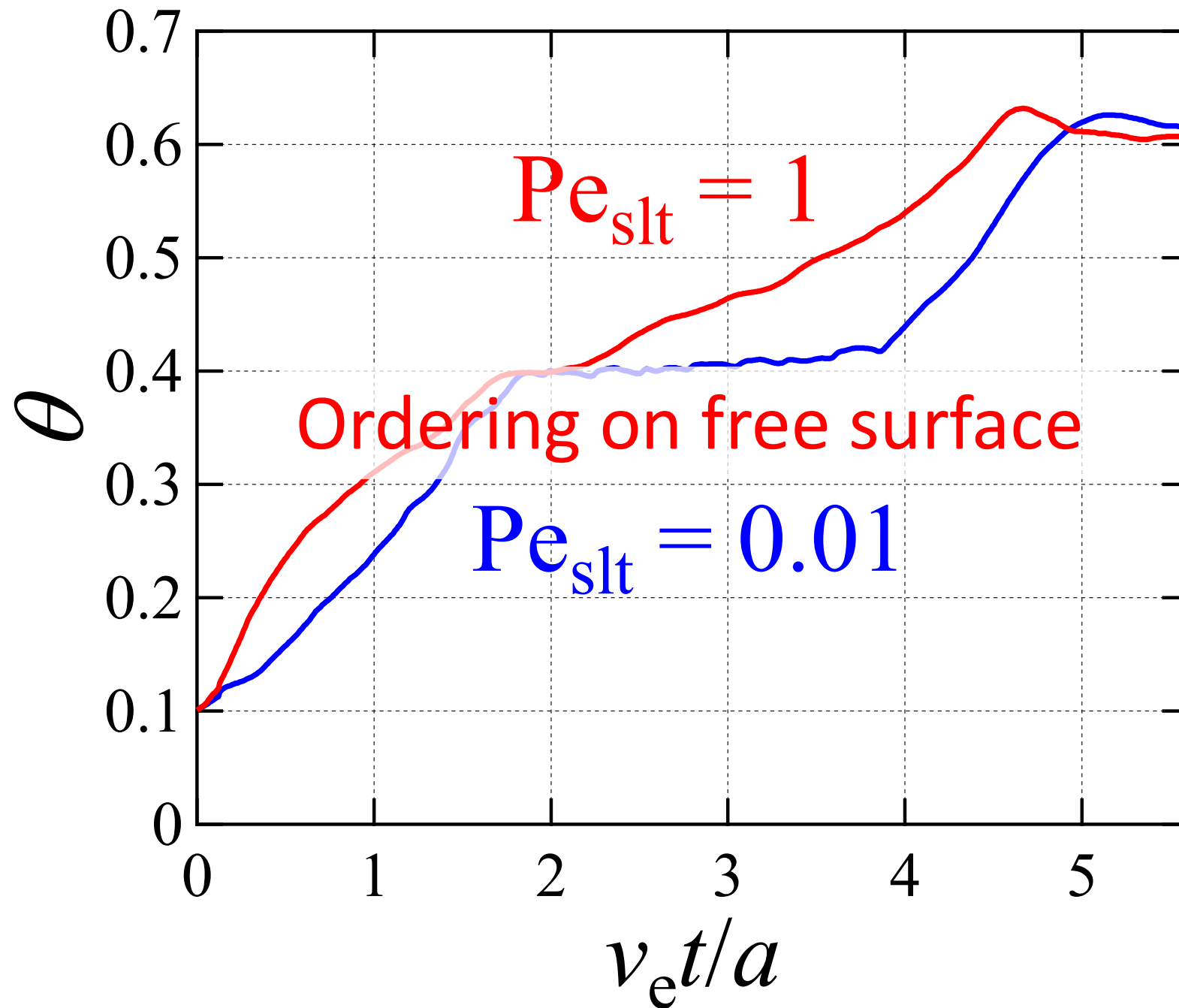


$$Pe_{slt} = 0.01$$

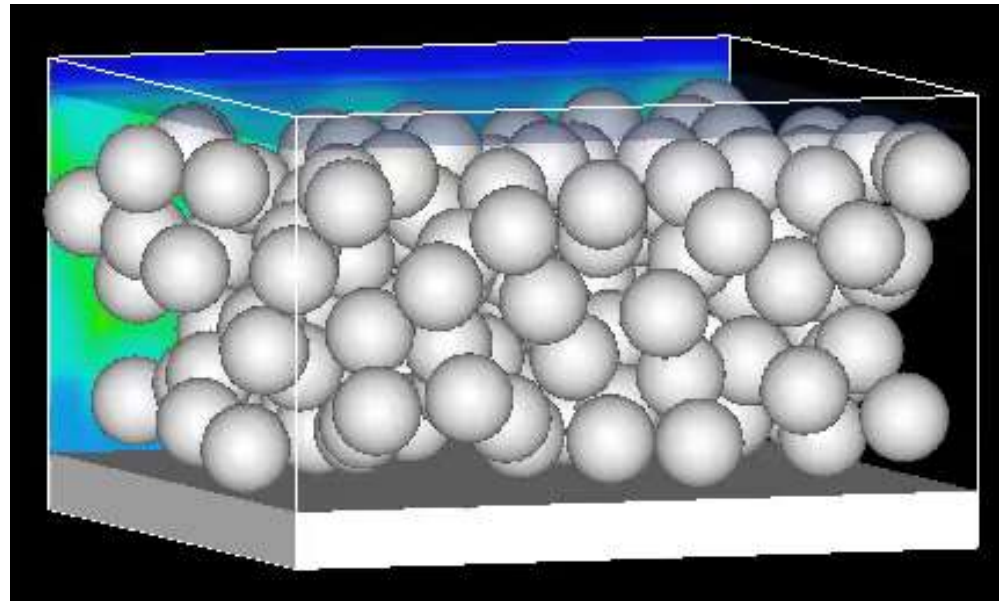


$$Pe_{slt} = 1$$

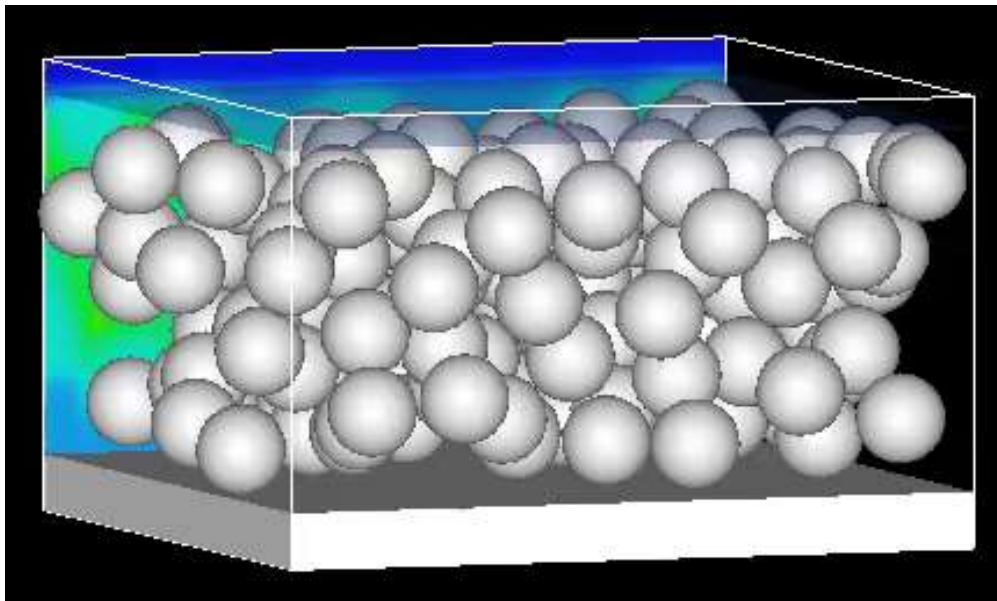
Coverage



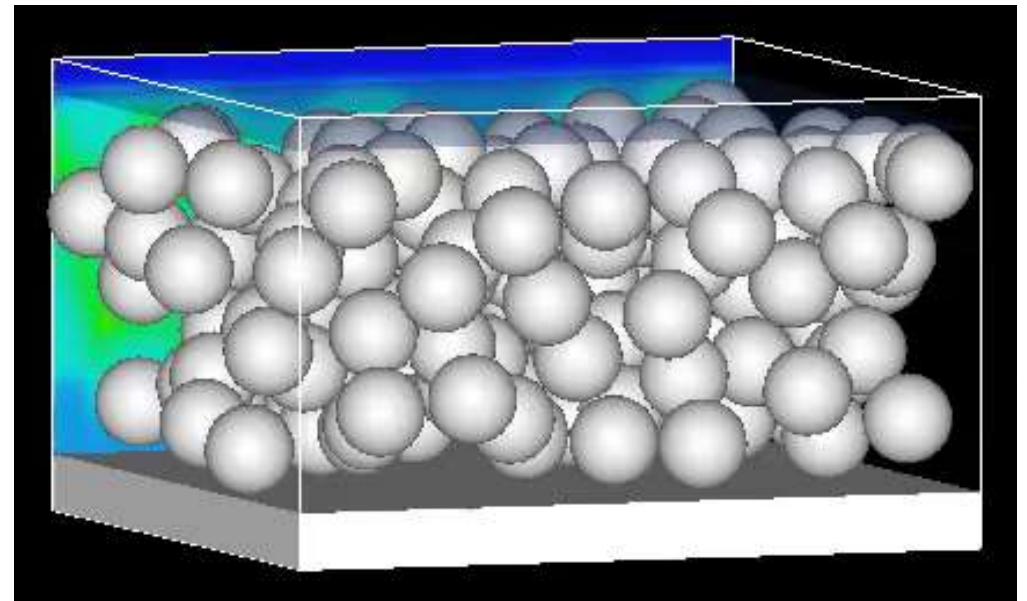
Solute Péclet number



$$Pe_{slt} = 0.1$$



$$Pe_{slt} = 0.01$$



$$Pe_{slt} = 1$$

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数値計算結果 (Numerical results)

- ・溶質吸着 → 粒子整列に影響
- ・Péclet数 (溶質濃縮層の発達) に依存

Particle ordering depends on solute Péclet number.