

Laser Diagnostics Two Phase flows

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UNDERSTANDING, ACCELERATED

Outline

- + Particle Image Velocimetry (PIV)
- + Shadowgraph techniques
- + Volumetric PIV and Two Phase flows
- + MicroPIV



Particle Velocimetry

+ Numerous techniques

- **Particle Image Velocimetry (PIV)**
- Particle Tracking Velocimetry (PTV)
- Volumetric 3-Component Velocimetry
- Common elements
 - Optically clear Fluid
 - Small tracer particles follow fluid flow
 - Images of particle positions, illuminated by a pulsed laser, are captured at separate times
 - Particle displacements are calculated across Δt , the time between laser pulses, to determine velocity



Definition

+ Particle Image Velocimetry (PIV)

- an optical imaging technique to measure fluid or particulate velocity vectors at many (e. g. thousands) points in a flow field **simultaneously**.
- Typically measurements (2 or 3 components of velocity) made in “Planar slices” of the flow field
 - Evolving into Volumetric
 - Time Resolved

+ Accuracy and spatial resolution

- can be comparable to LDV and HWA.



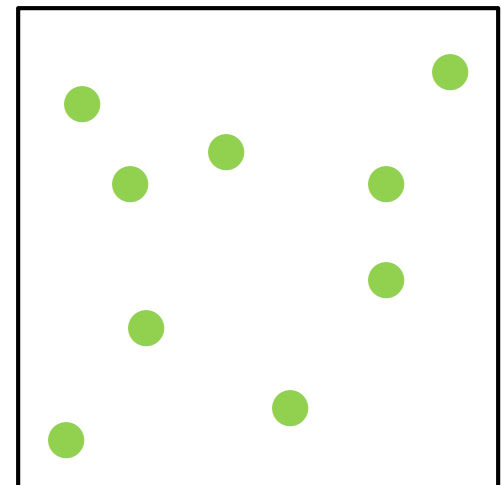
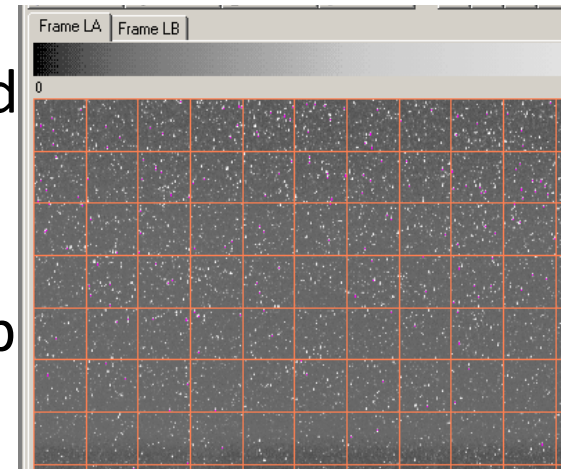
PIV Fundamentals

- + **PIV measures the displacement of tracer seed particles in a flowfield to determine the 2D velocity field**
 - At time t_1
 - Pulsed laser sheet illuminates a planar region of the flow
 - Particles are imaged on the camera (Frame A)
 - At time $t_1 + \Delta t$
 - A second image (Frame B) is taken of a second light sheet
 - Statistical (Cross-Correlation) methods are used to determine the particle displacement over the time Δt , and thus the local velocity
- + One **vector** represents flow “averaged” over a single cross-correlation **interrogation region**
 - Need enough particles to build up a good “average”
 - Velocity variation within a single interrogation region should be small

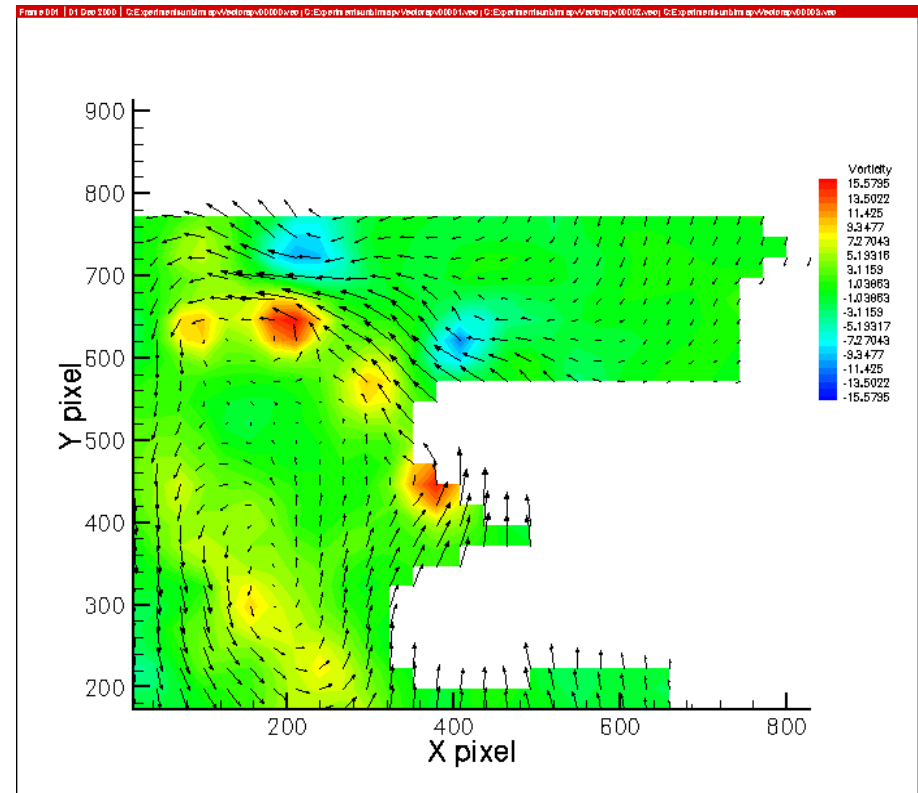


Cross Correlation

- + All particles look alike, so approach is not find the 'same' particle in both Frame A and B (as in PTV)
- + Instead, PIV uses a statistical approach to find the most likely displacement of a group of particles
- + Frame A is broken up into a grid of 'interrogation regions'
- + The group of particles in the interrogation region creates a fairly unique 'fingerprint' that we can look for in both frames (PIV)



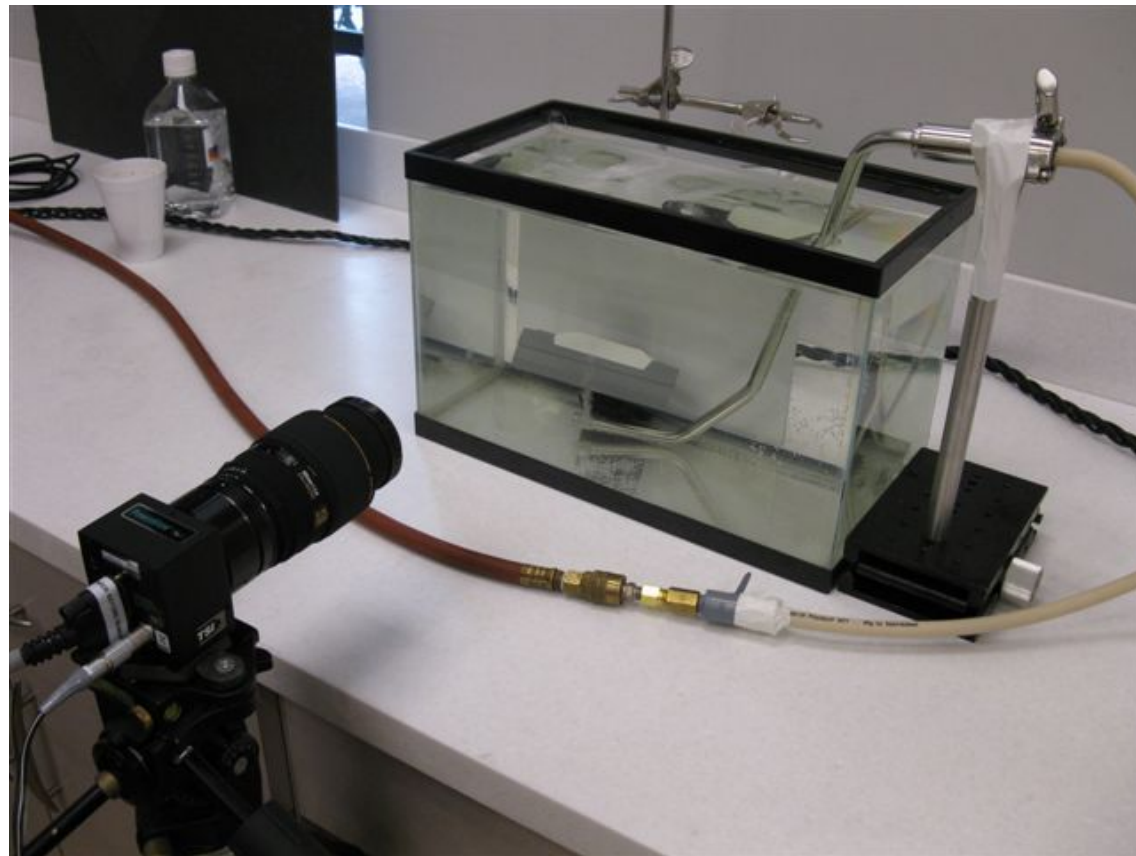
Impeller Mixing Study



Courtesy of University of Birmingham

Shadowgraphy to measure Particle size and velocity

+ Sparger

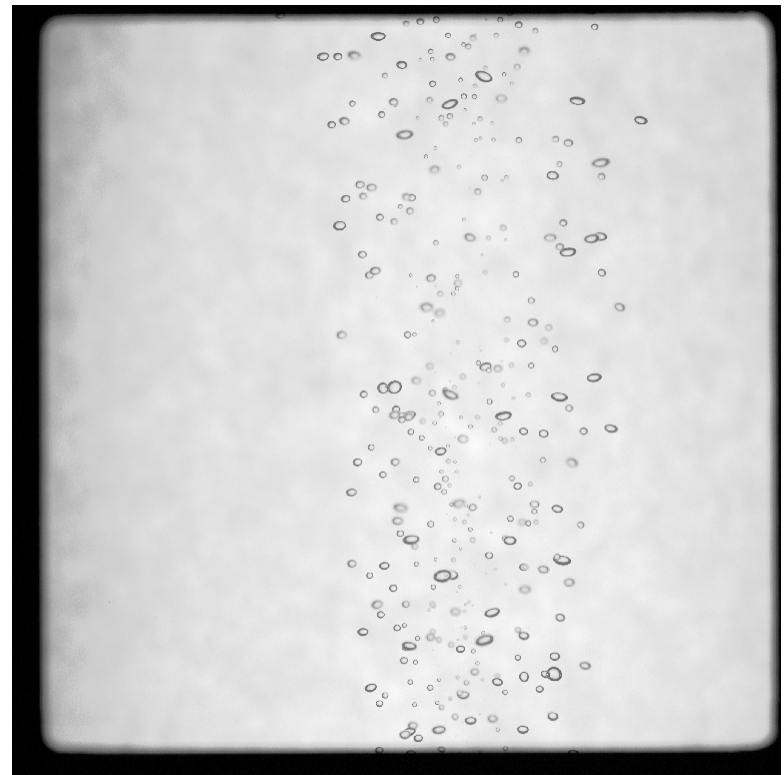
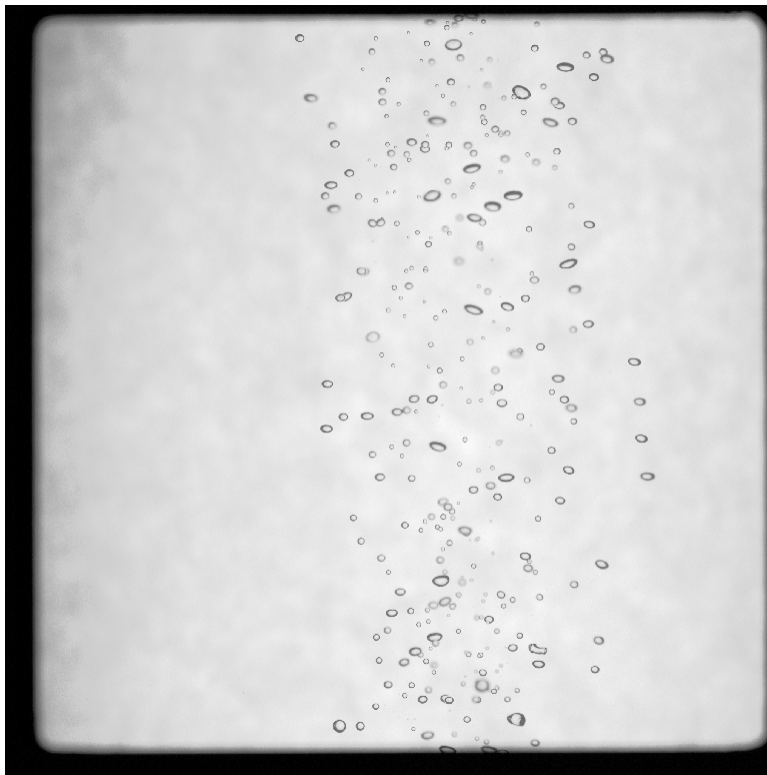


Sparge conditions

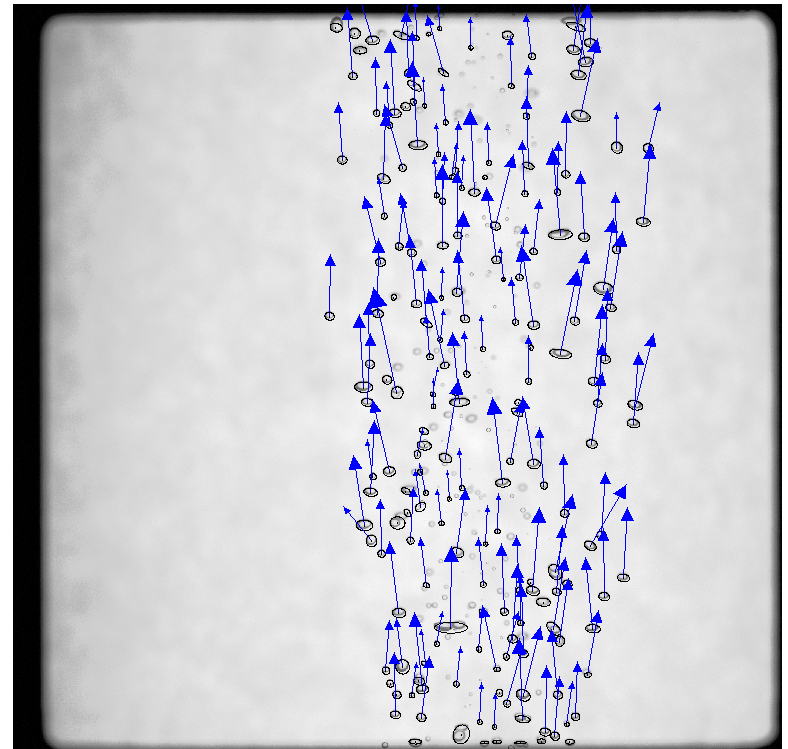
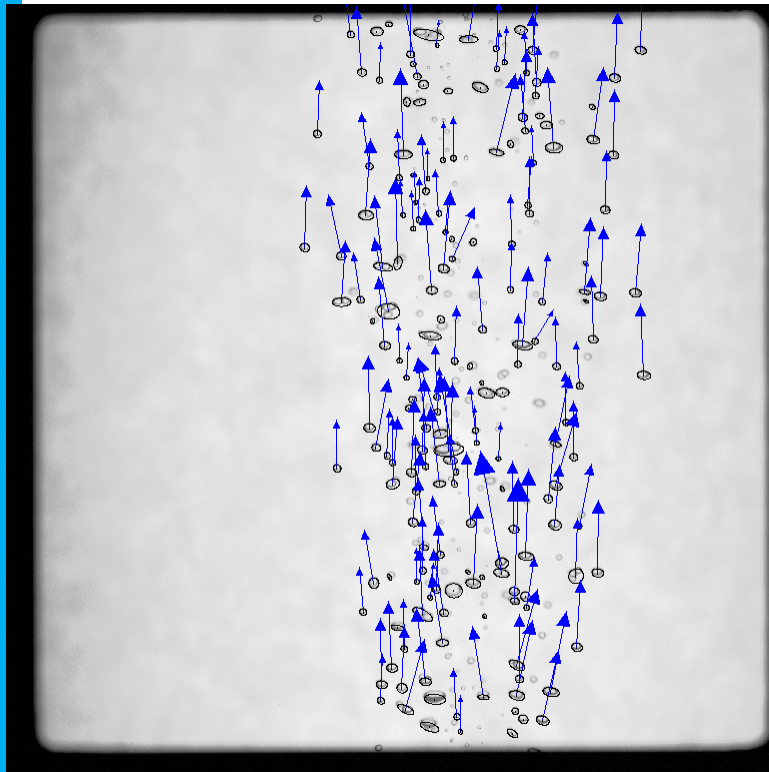
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- + 50 mL / min
 - + No applied flow
 - + Fine sparger
 - + No surfactant added
 - + Approximate Field of View: 7 cm x 7 cm
 - + 36 image pairs



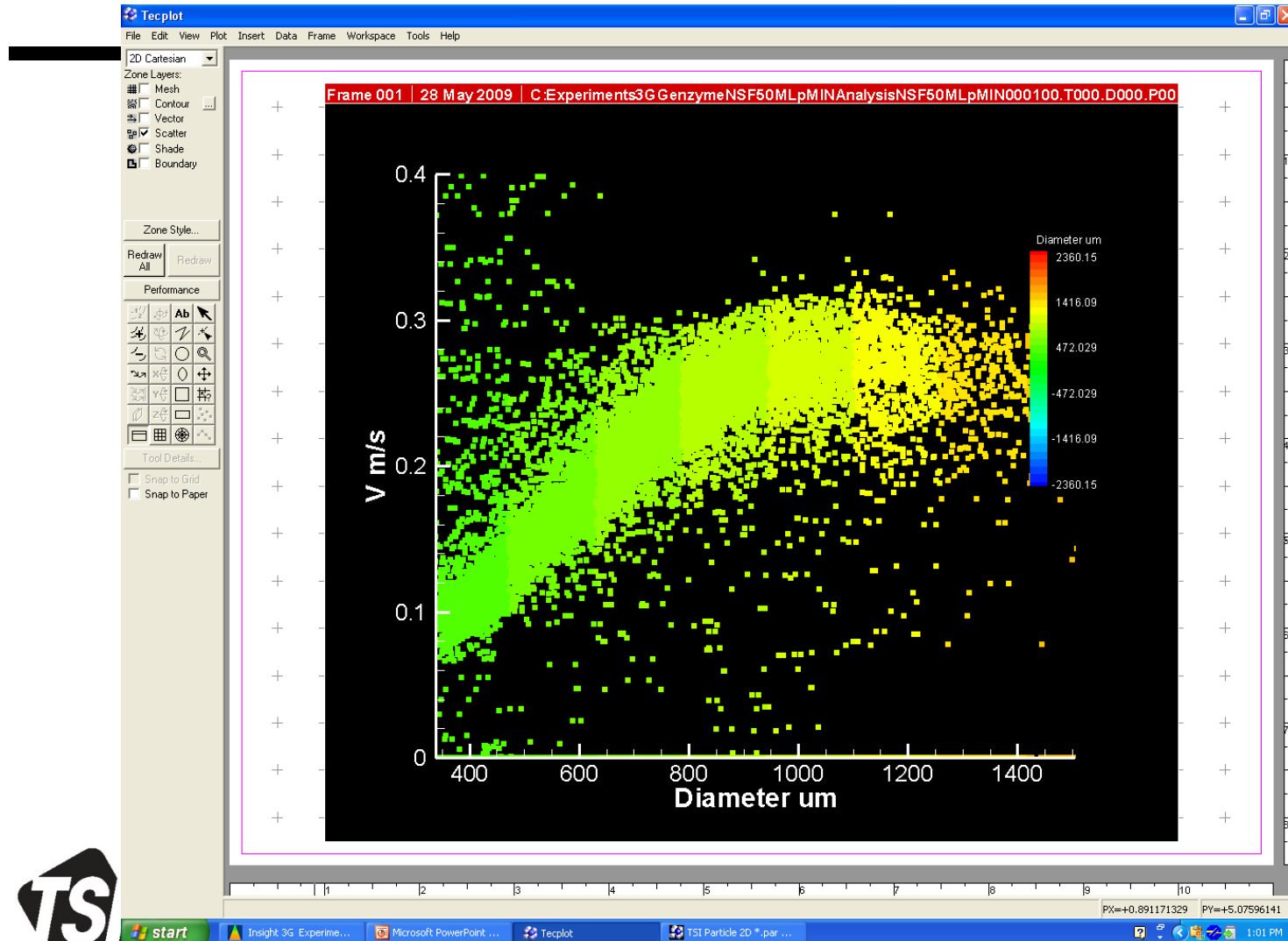
Sample Raw Images



Processed Images



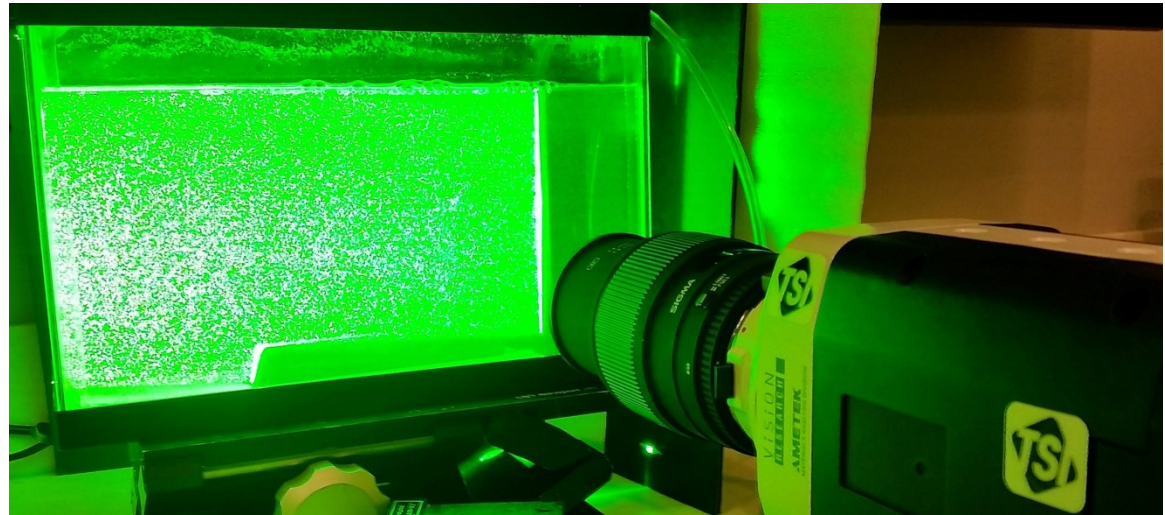
Size – Velocity Correlation



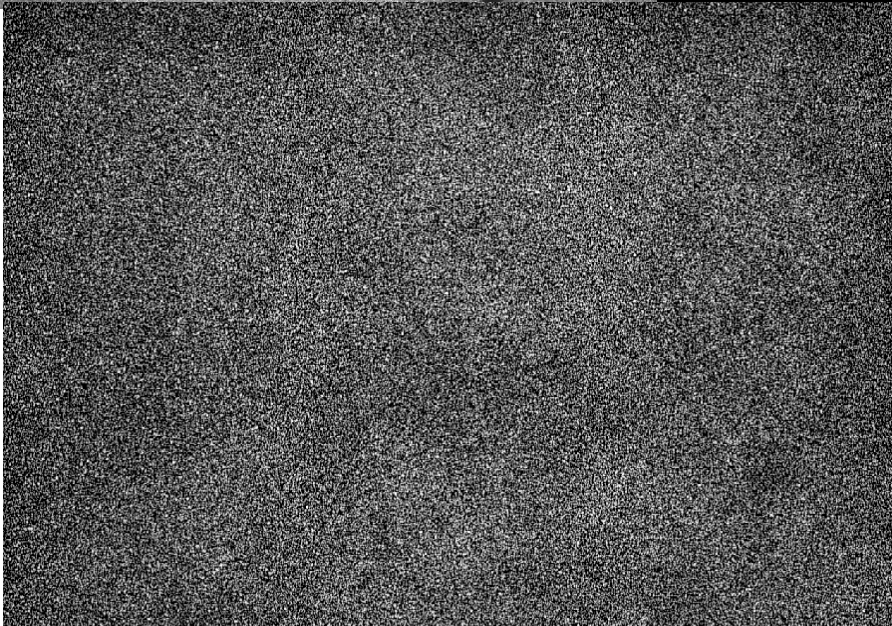
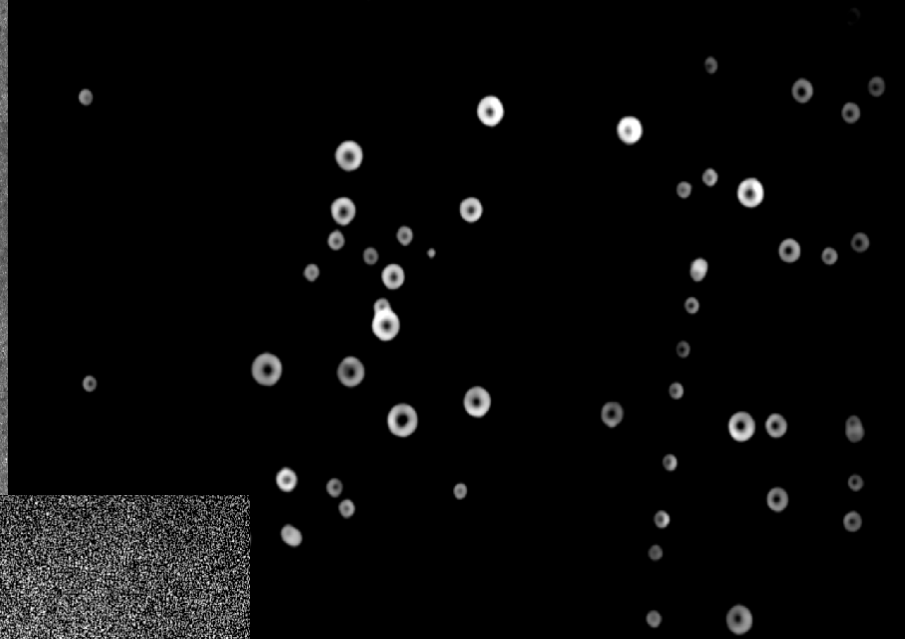
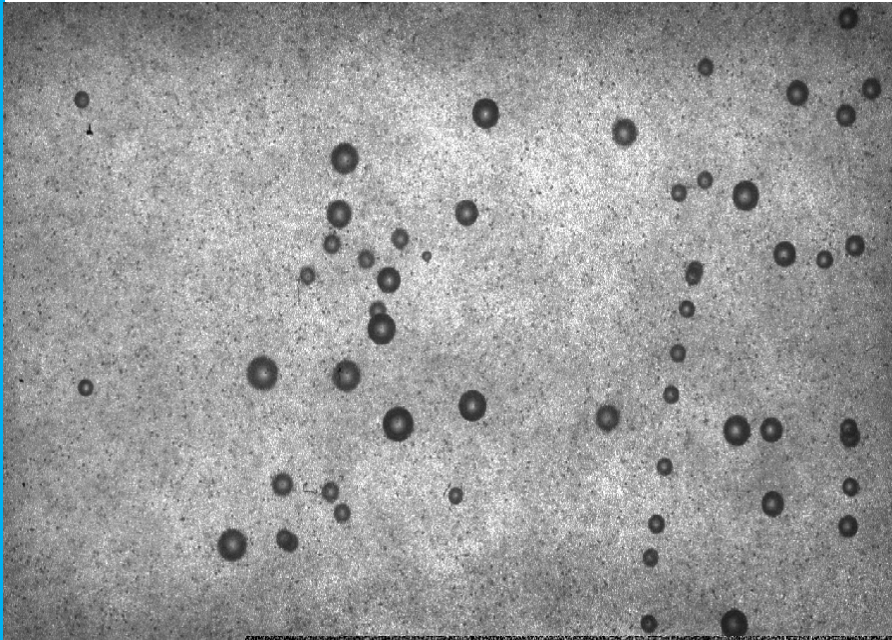
TIME-RESOLVED PIV MEASUREMENTS OF A 2-PHASE FLOW(BUBBLES AND MEDIA)

PIV system consisted of:

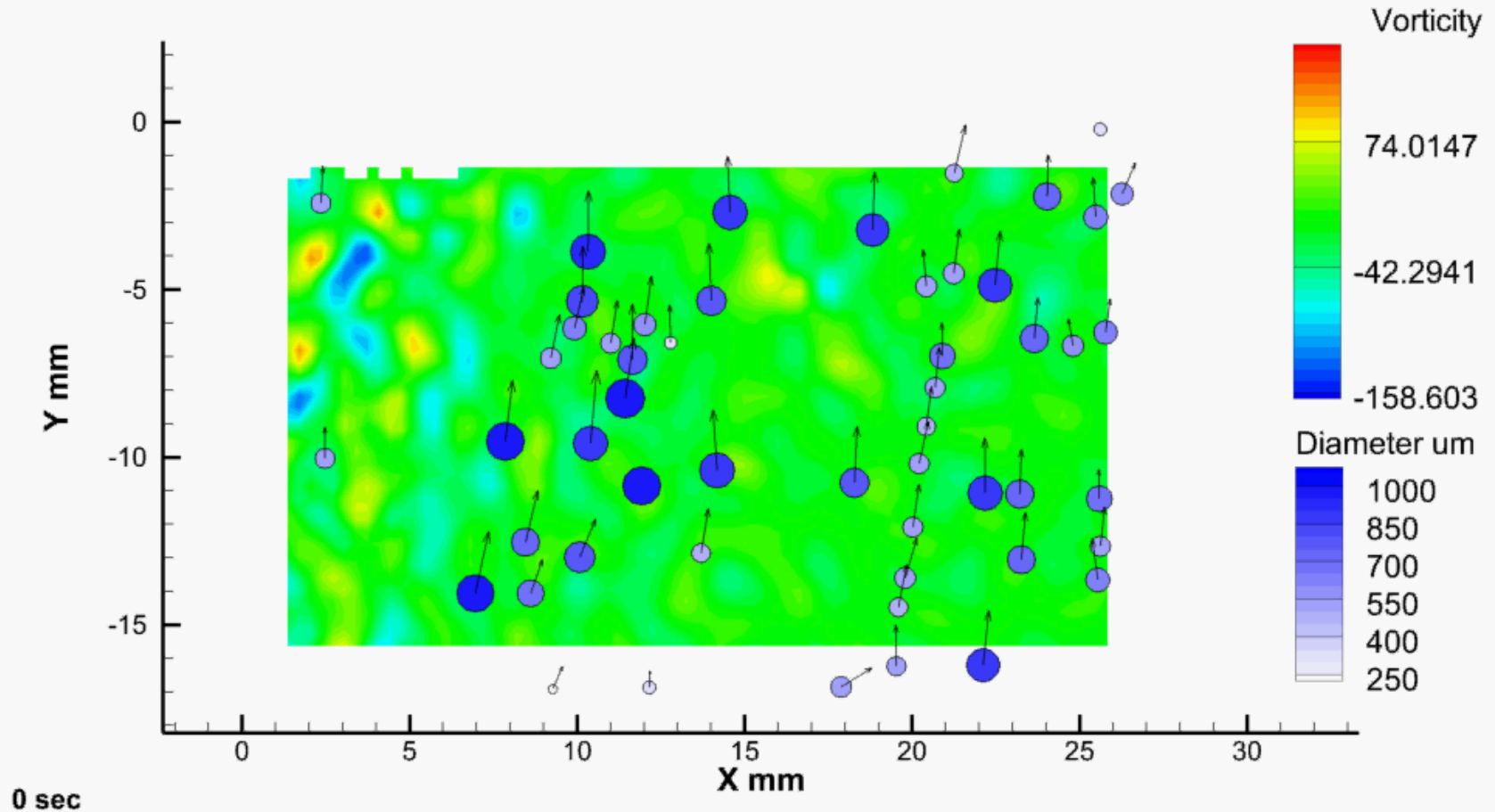
- Dual-head 1000 Hz Nd:YLF pulsed laser with 30 mJ/pulse and fitted with adjustable light sheet optics
 - 1280 × 800 pixel CMOS camera operating at 1000 Hz (Model# 630083-3GB).
- The laser illuminated a diffuser placed at the background of the bubbly flow chamber.
 - The camera was with its axis collinear with the laser illumination.
 - A sparger was positioned at the bottom of the flow chamber, and bubbles of approximate size 1-2 mm were formed and were drawn upward through buoyancy forces



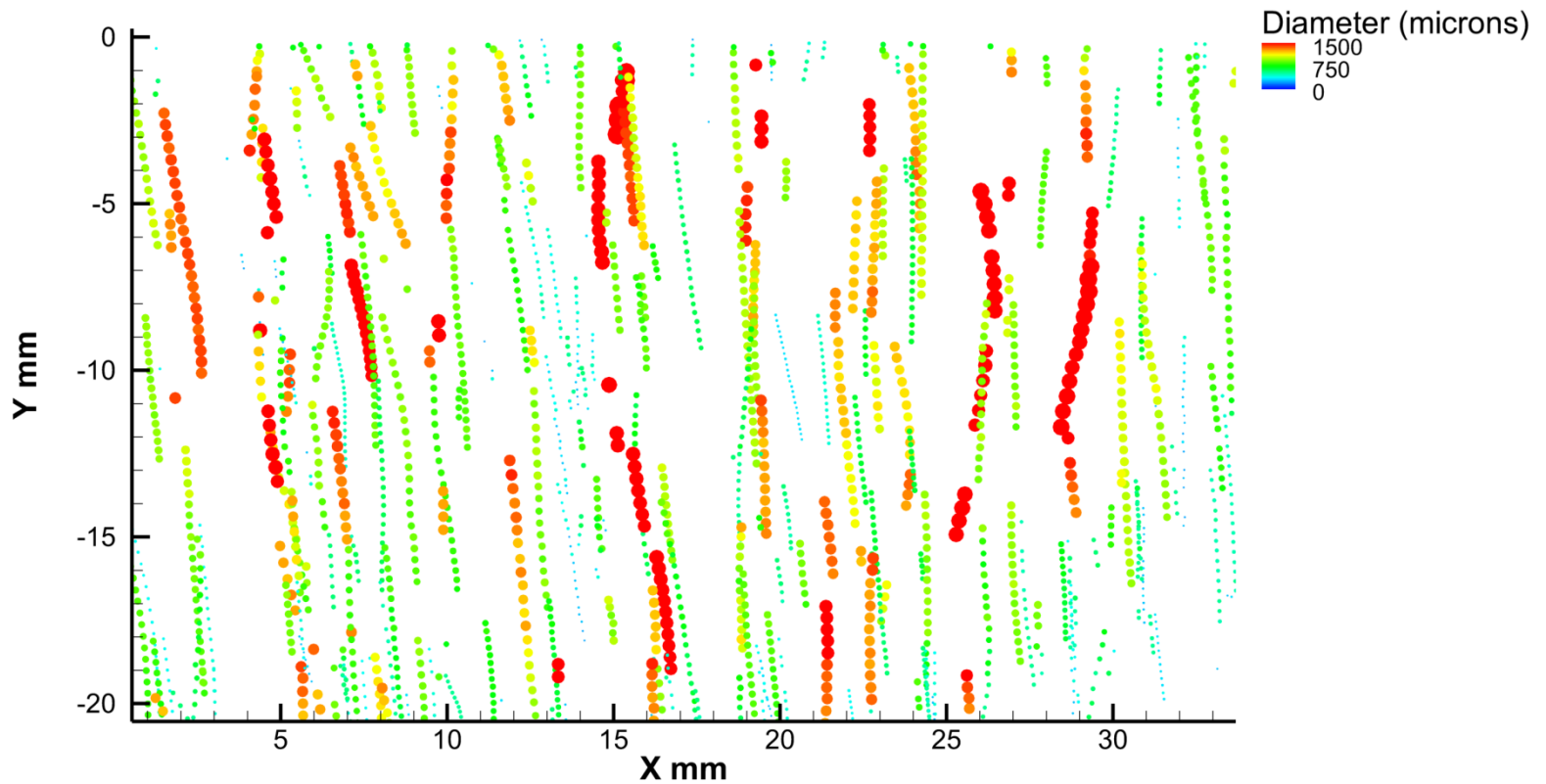
Phase Separation SSA PIV Bubbles



Bubbles and Flow Field



Bubble trajectories

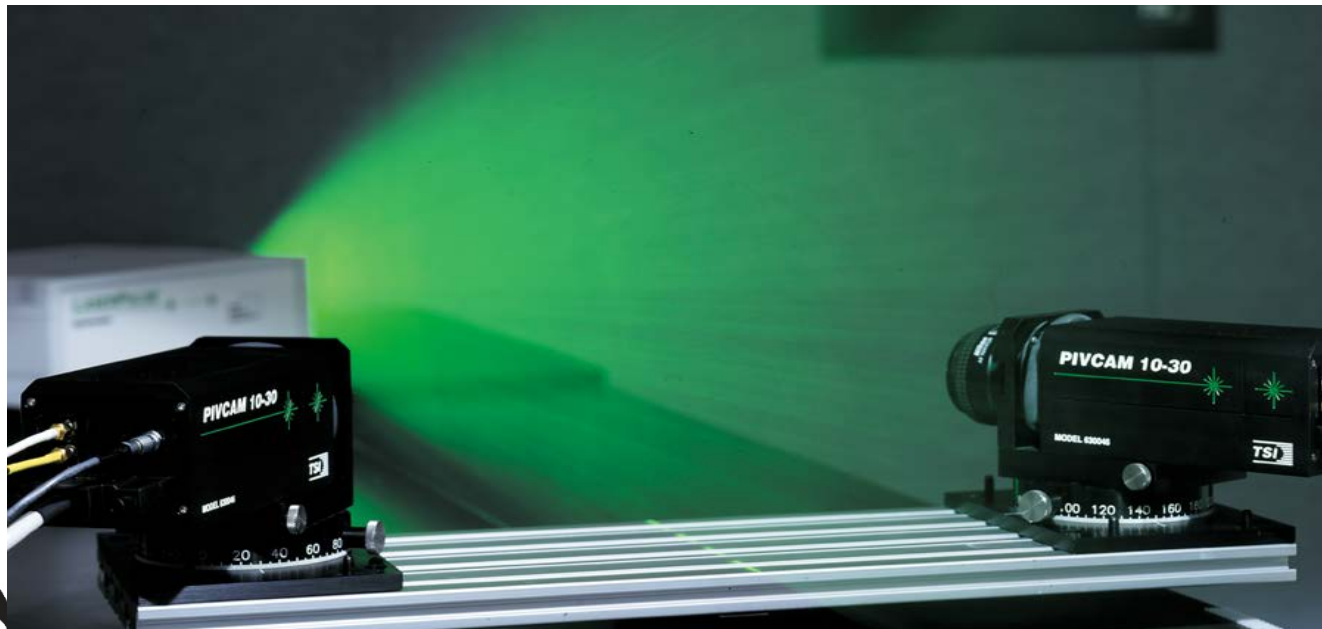


Particle Image Velocimetry




3 Component measurements

+ Three Component PIV Measurements

- Measurement of 3 components of velocity simultaneously
- Illumination : using a light sheet
- 3 components of measurements in a plane

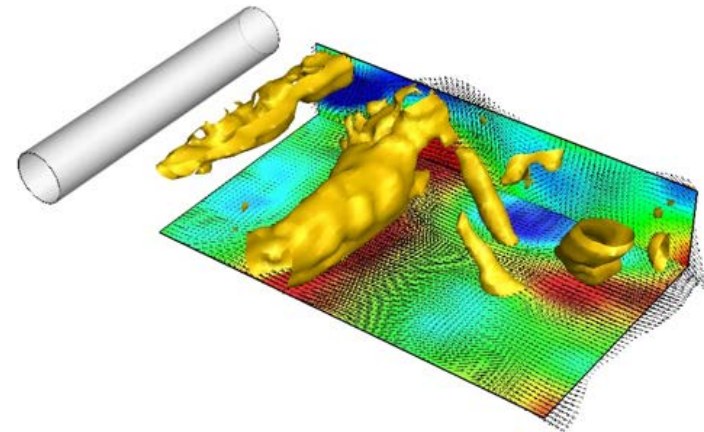
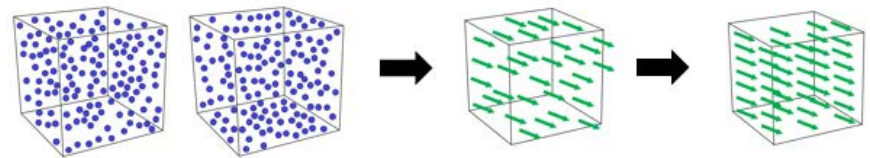
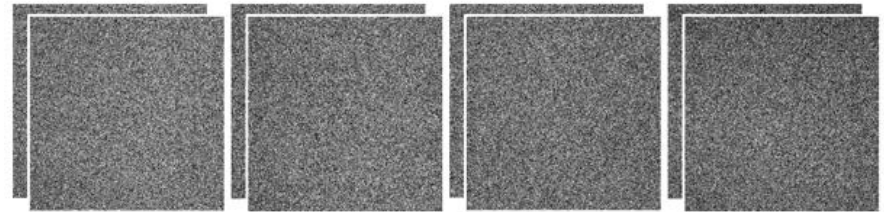
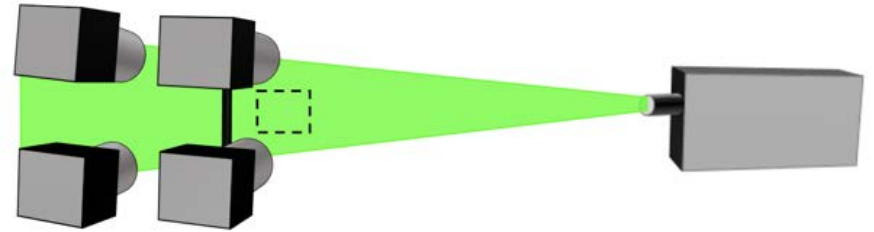


Volumetric PIV systems

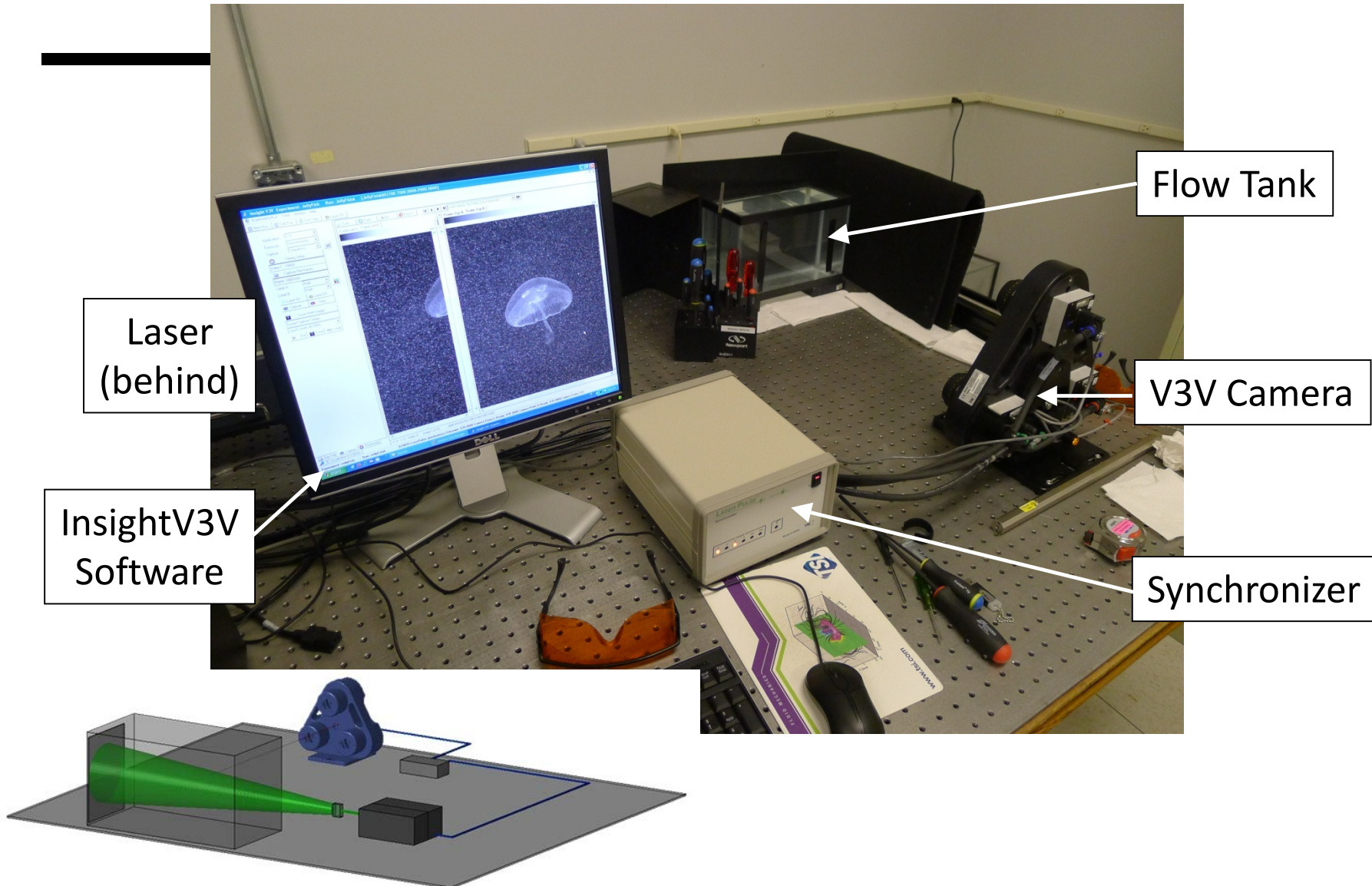
System Type	Characteristics and functions
	V3V-TS volumetric PIV system <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal system with fixed volume size -- 50 mm x 50 mm x 30 mm max • Use of three camera configuration with detachable camera arrangement • High resolution cameras up to 29MPixels with frame rate up to 180 fps • High spatial resolution to resolve turbulent flow structure
	V3V-CS volumetric PIV system <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimal system with fixed volume size -- 140 mm x 140 mm x 100 mm max • Use of three camera configuration with detachable camera arrangement • High resolution cameras up to 29MPixels with frame rate up to 180 fps • Large volume size to capture complete coherent flow structure
	4-Camera volumetric PIV system <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flexible camera arrangement for optimized measurement volume and spatial resolution • Support of high speed cameras for Time-resolved volumetric measurements with capture rate up to 10kHz • Variety of hardware makes it possible to choose between high temporal or spatial resolution, or both • Upgradeable from single camera PIV, stereo PIV and V3V to the latest configuration

TAPTV Operation Overview

- **3D Imaging Technique**
 - Calibrate Camera with a target of known dot-spacing
- **Capture and Identify Particle Images**
 - Laser illuminates tracers in a volume
 - 2 laser pulses (like PIV)
 - Identify 2D particle locations in each image
- **3D Particle Mapping**
 - Map particle images into 3D space using the camera calibration
- **Particle Tracking**
 - Determine individual particle tracks within the volume
 - $\text{Velocity} = \text{displacement} / \text{time}$
- **Interpolation (Optional)**
 - Interpolate tracks onto a regular grid

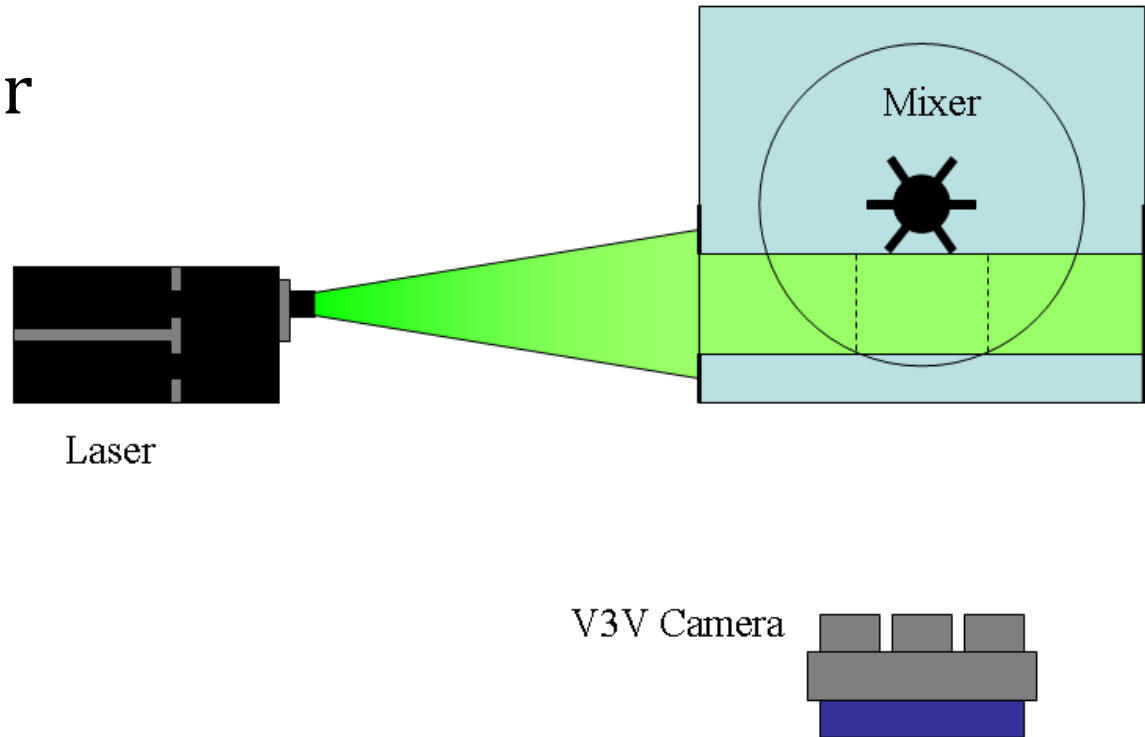


V3V System in Operation



Rushton Turbine

+ Rushton Mixer



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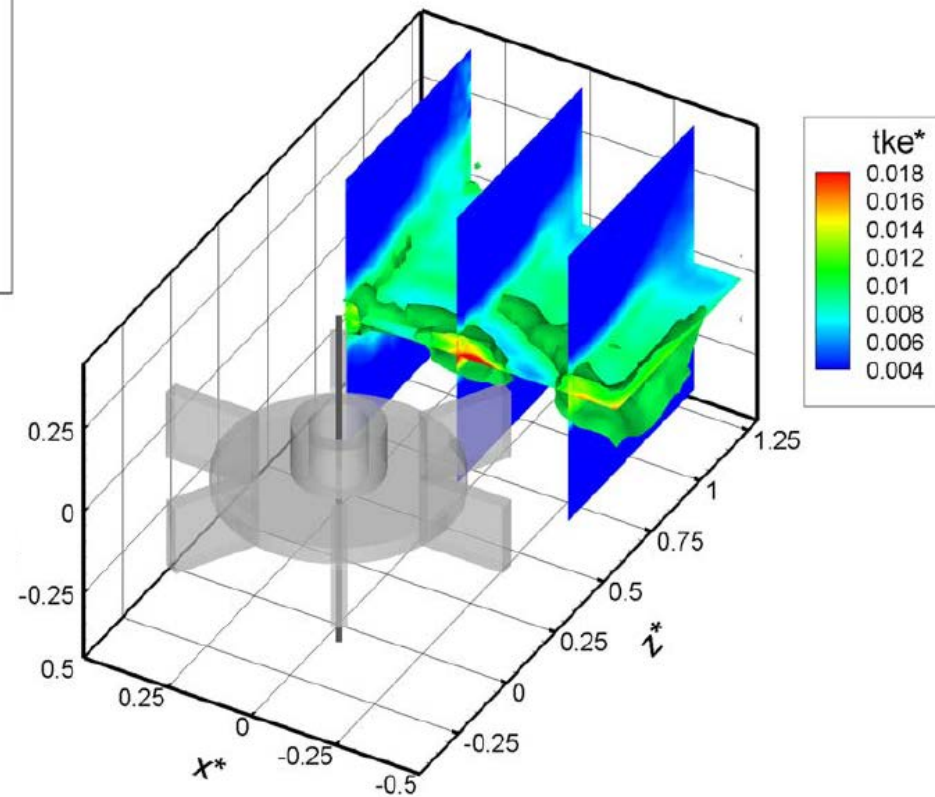
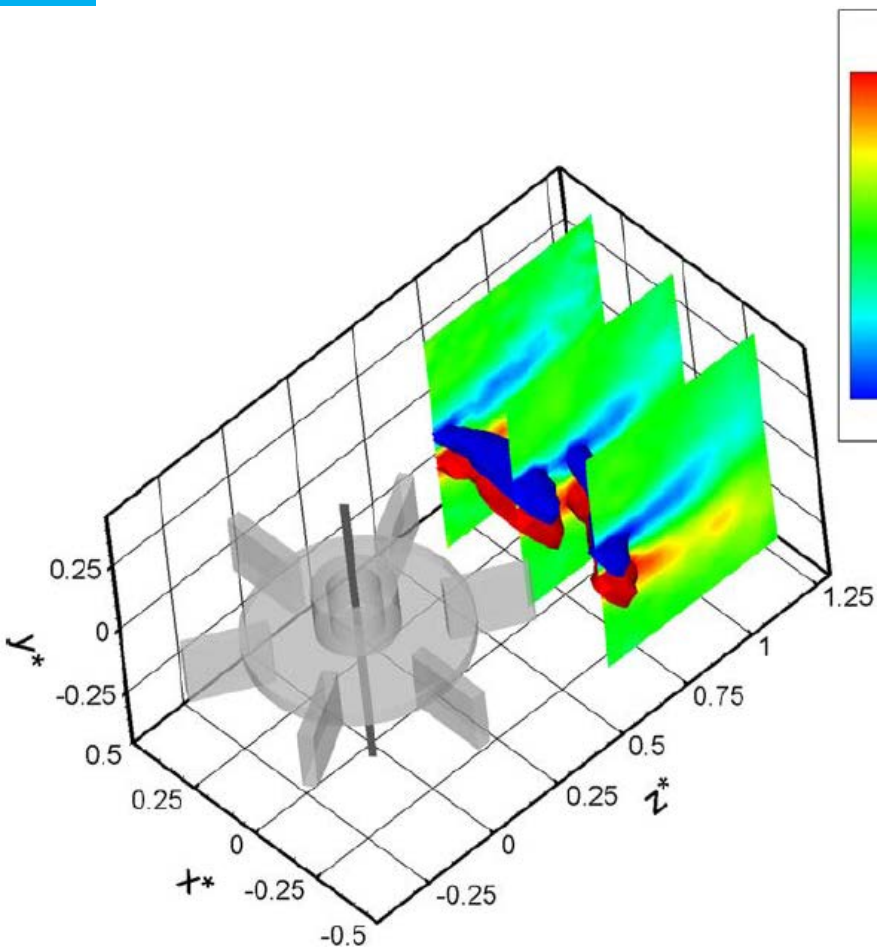


Rushton Turbine

- + $Re = 107,000$
- + 295rpm
- + Inner Diameter $D=44.3\text{cm}$
- + Turbine placed at $D/2$
- + Water depth $=D$
- + Turbine Blade Diameter $D/3$
(tip to tip)
- + Volume 120 by 120 by 100mm
- + Seeding polycrystalline
particles 100 micron
- + Average of 250 Phase locked
measurements shown
- + Spacing 4mm between vectors

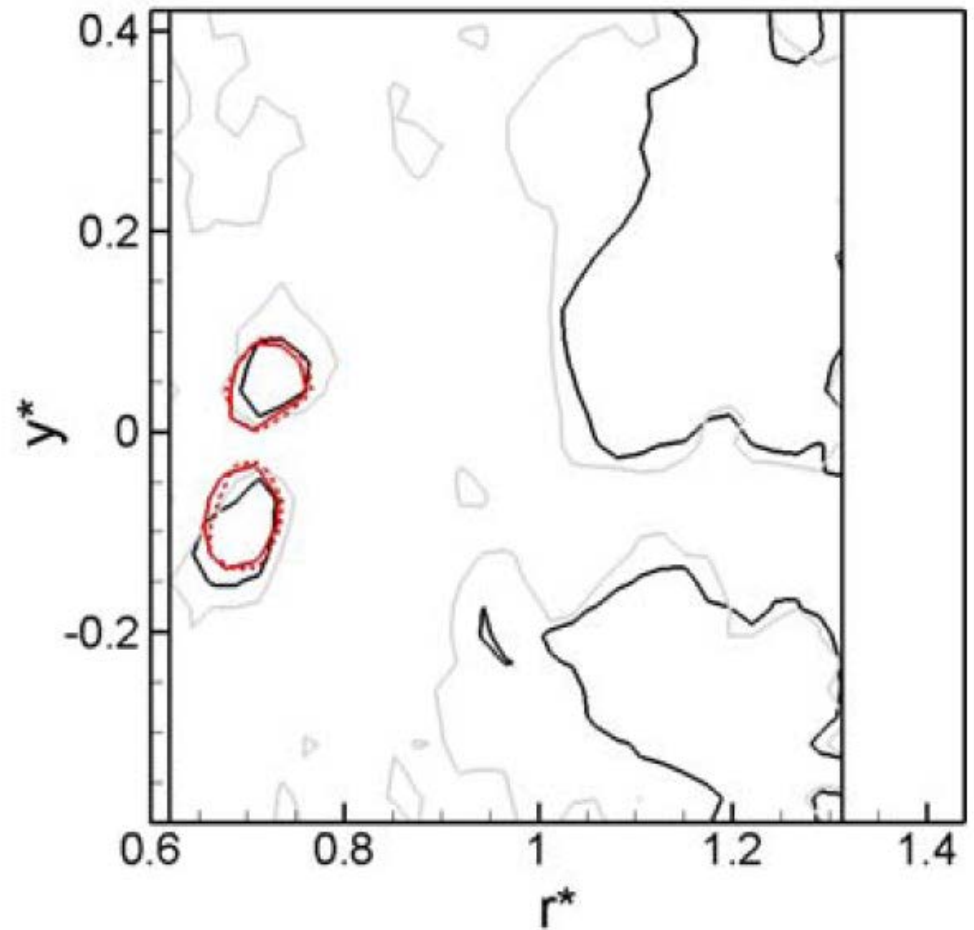


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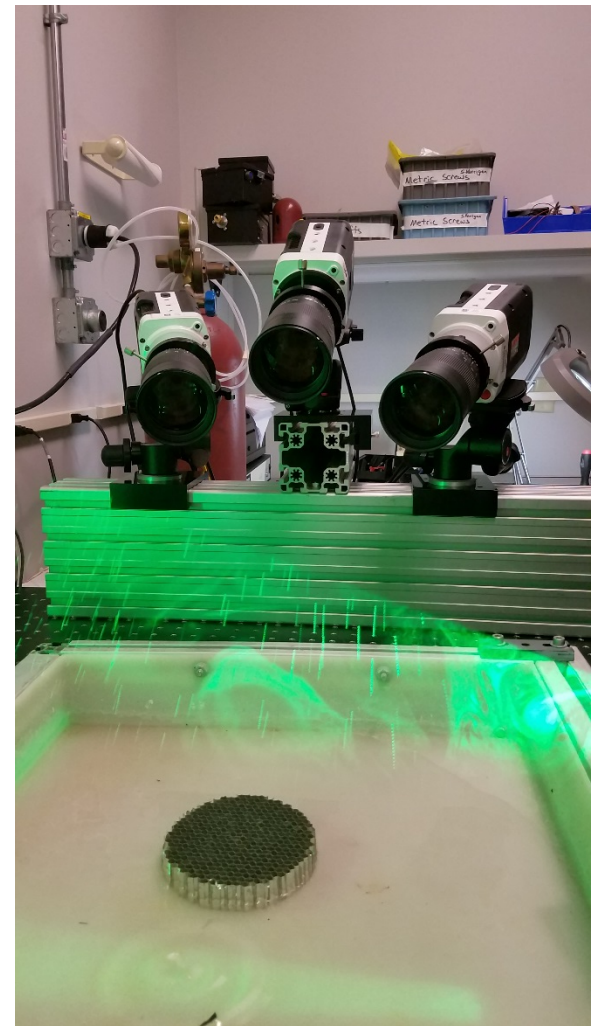
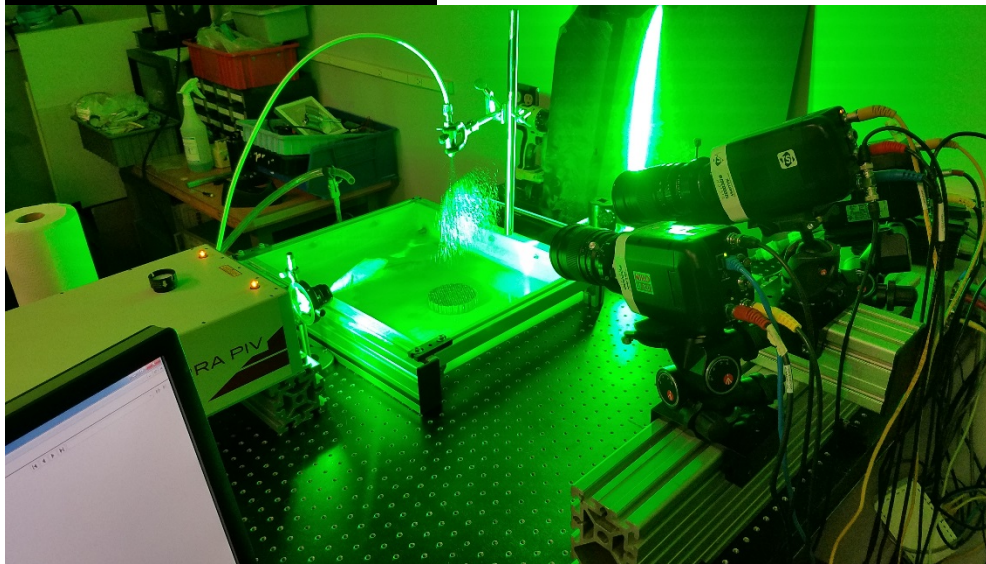


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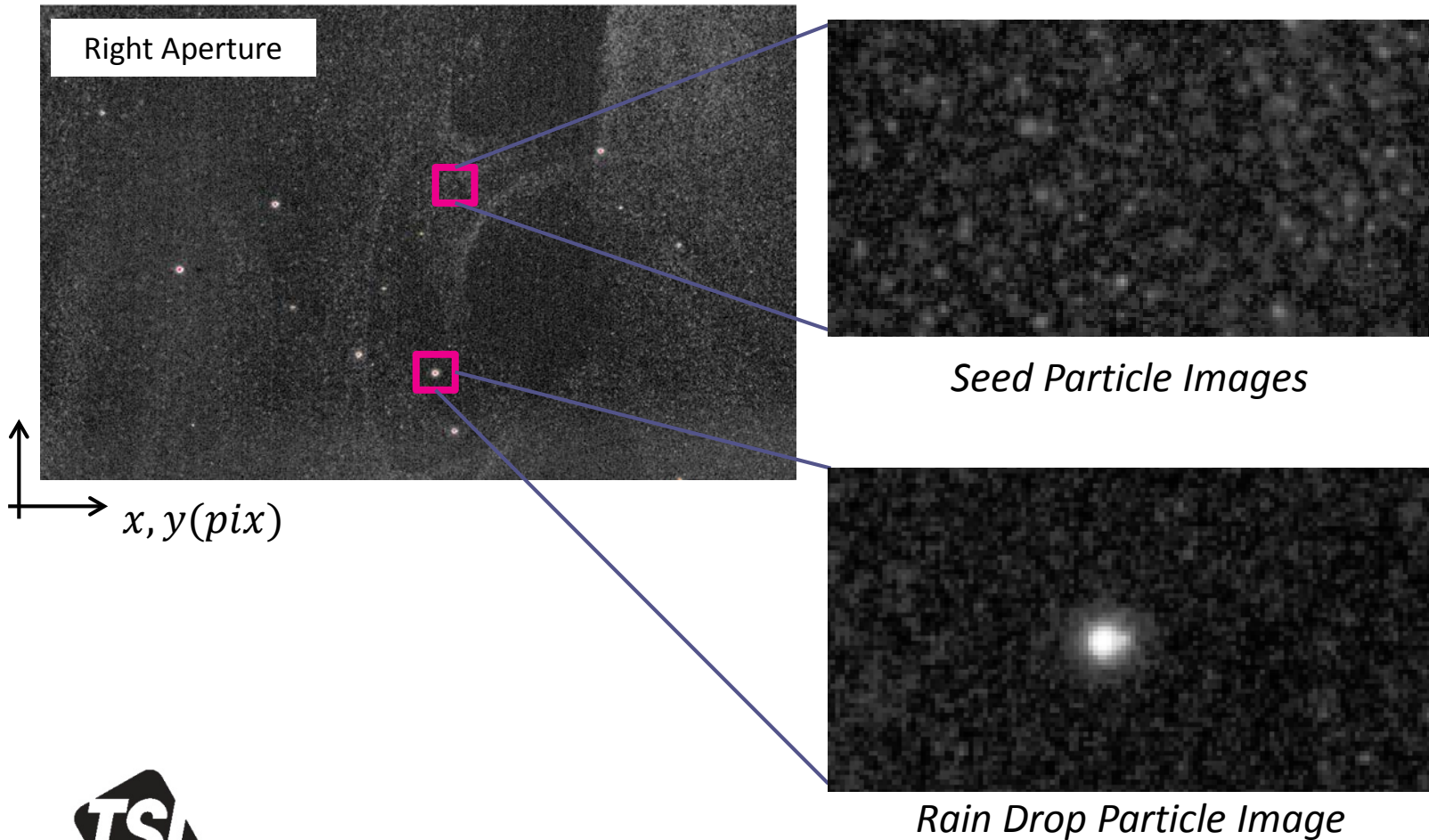
- Comparison to PIV
- λ_{ci}
 - Red Solid – V3V
 - Red Dashed – PIV
- λ_2
 - Black – V3V
 - Gray – PIV



Volumetric PIV: Experimental Setup



Volumetric PIV: Two-Phase Particle Identification



Rain drops with flow tracers

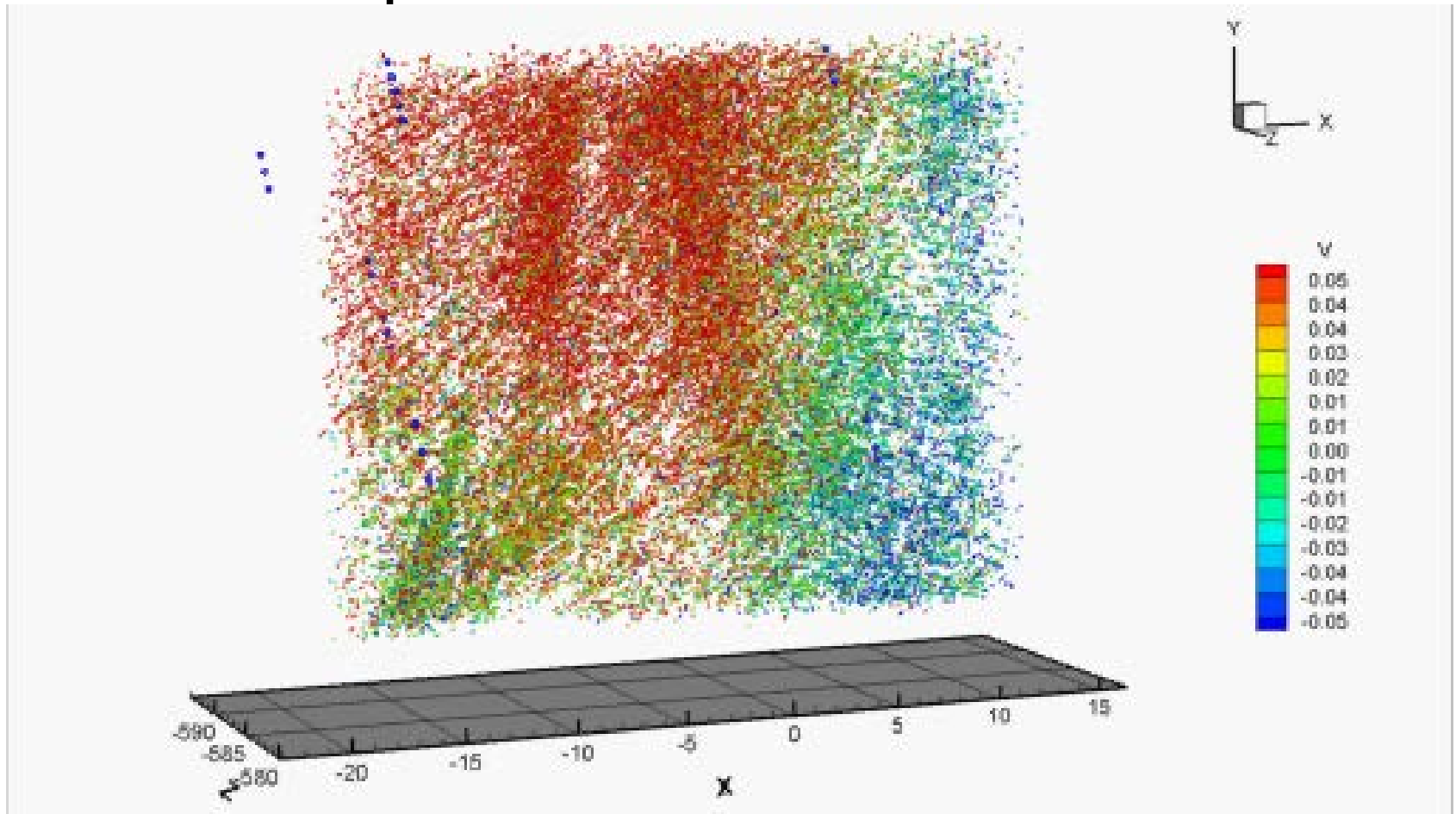
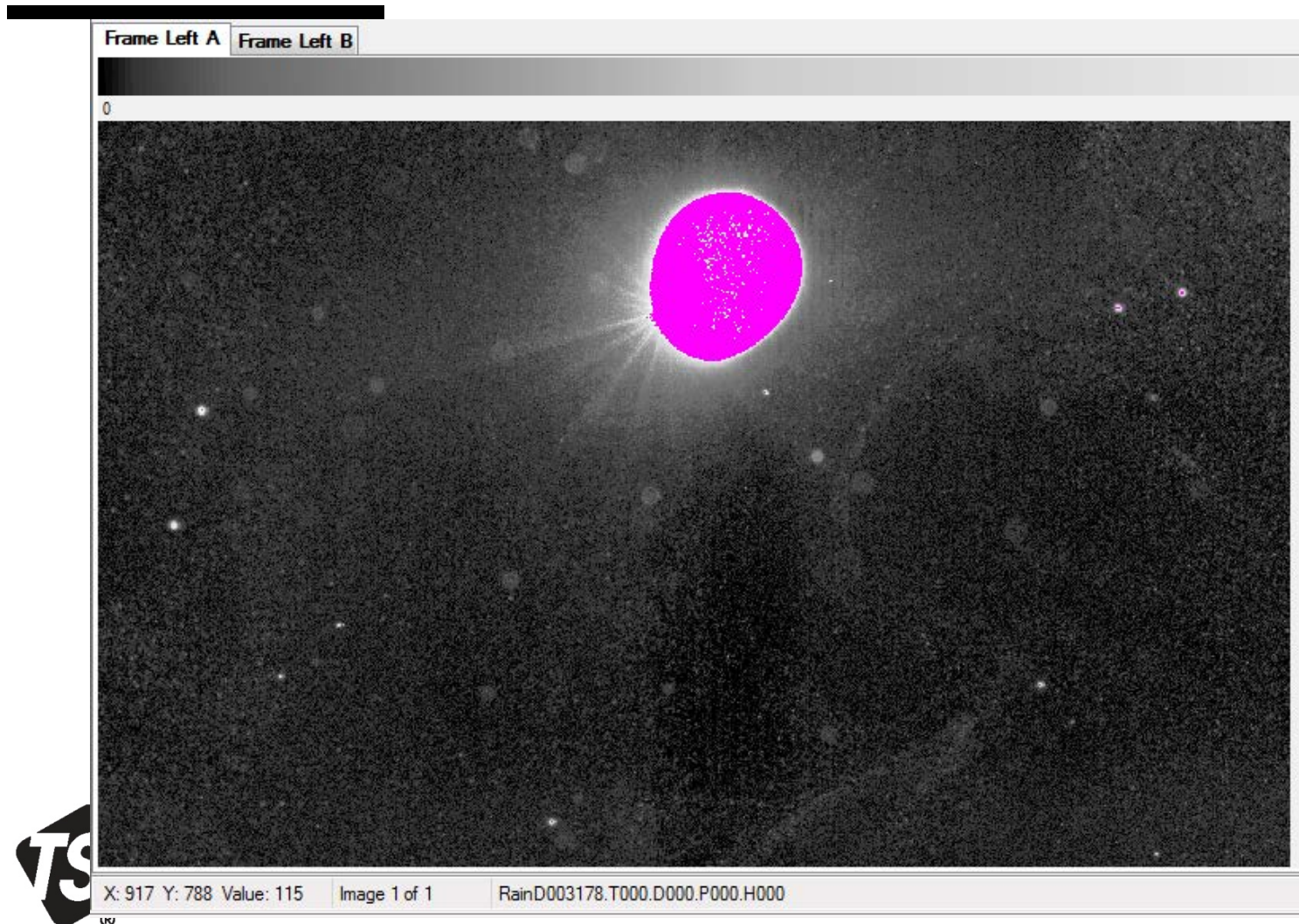


Image showing large rain drop



Volumetric PIV: InsightV3V Two-Phase Measurements

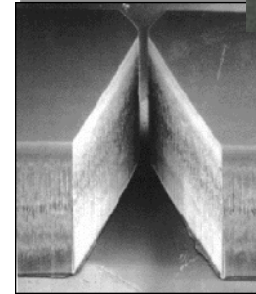


*Simultaneous seed particle velocity vectors & droplet particles size & velocity vectors.
Colored by normalized velocity magnitude.*

MicroPIV Motivation

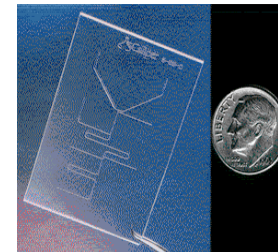
+ Aero-MEMS applications

- Micron scale supersonic nozzles (MIT)
- Remote surveillance aircraft (UCLA, Caltech)
- Micro Air Vehicle (MAV): flapping-wing vehicle < 15 cm in all directions (UCLA)
- Micro-jet engine (Epstein *et al.*, MIT)



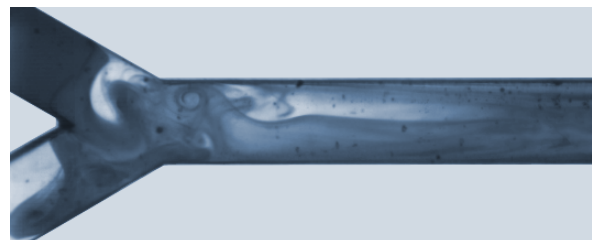
+ Bio-MEMS Applications:

- Chemical and biological analysis: “lab-on-a-chip” for medical and defense applications
- Microfabricated needles for drug delivery
- Flow sorter (Caltech)

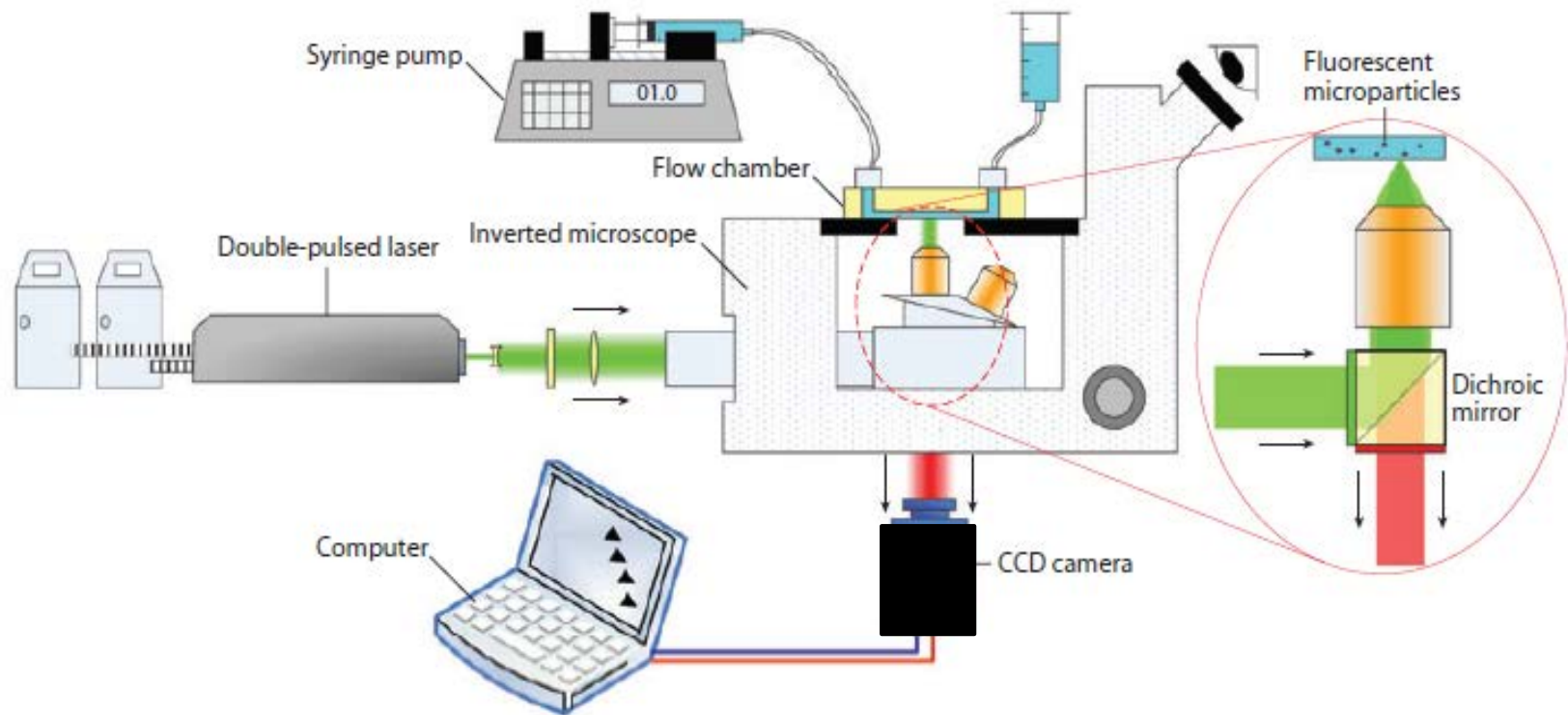


+ Complex microfluidic devices:

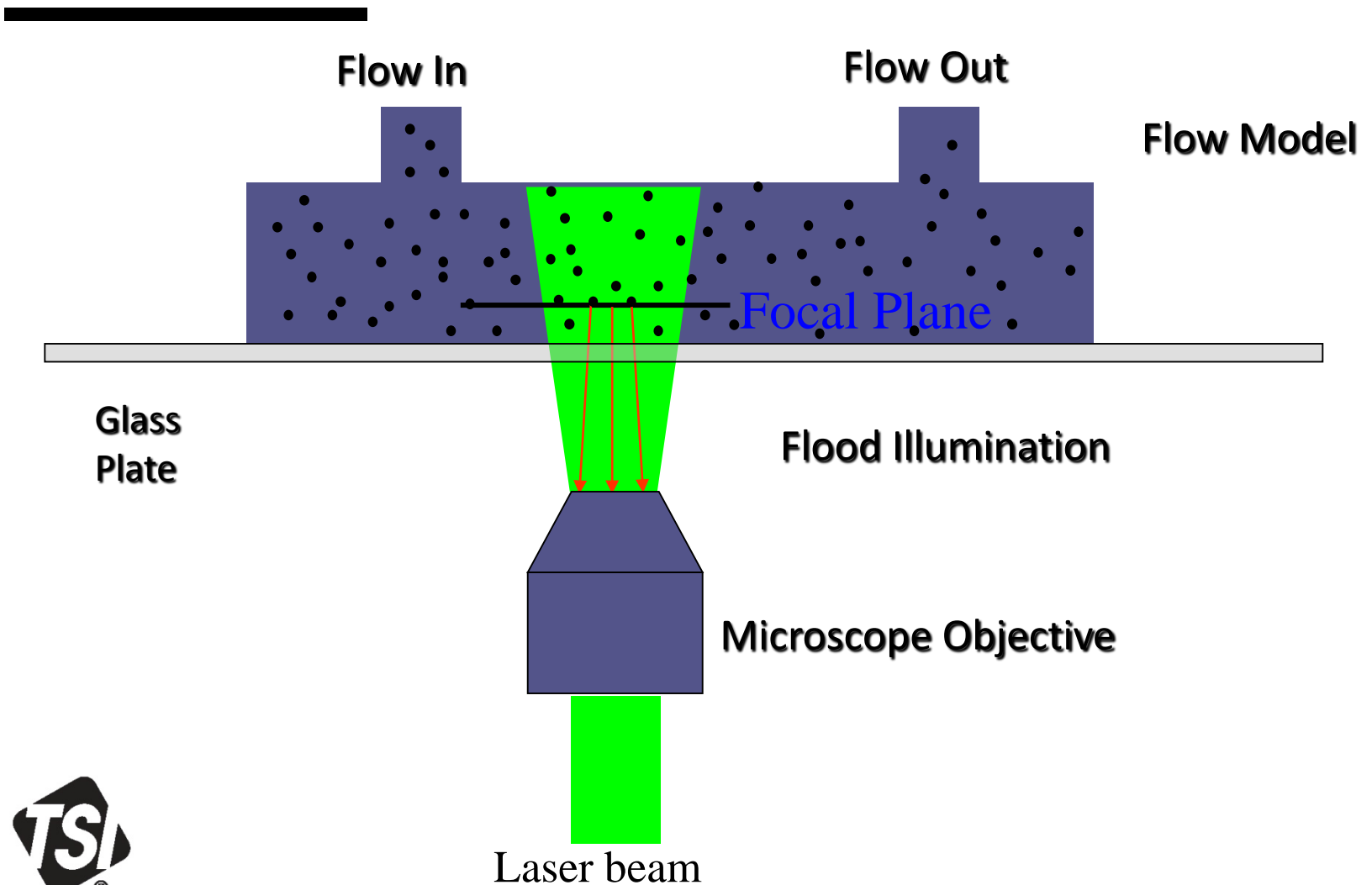
- Micro mixers
- Micro bio-reactors
- Micro heat-exchangers



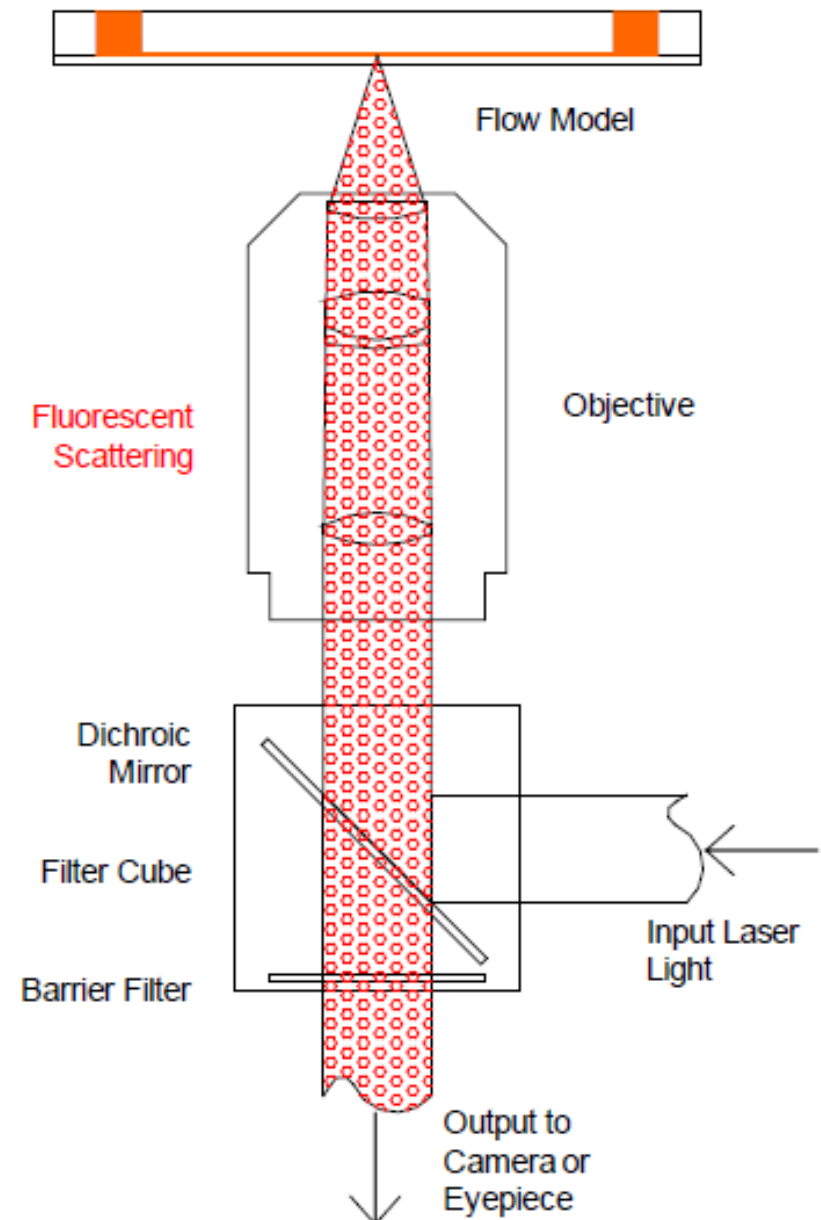
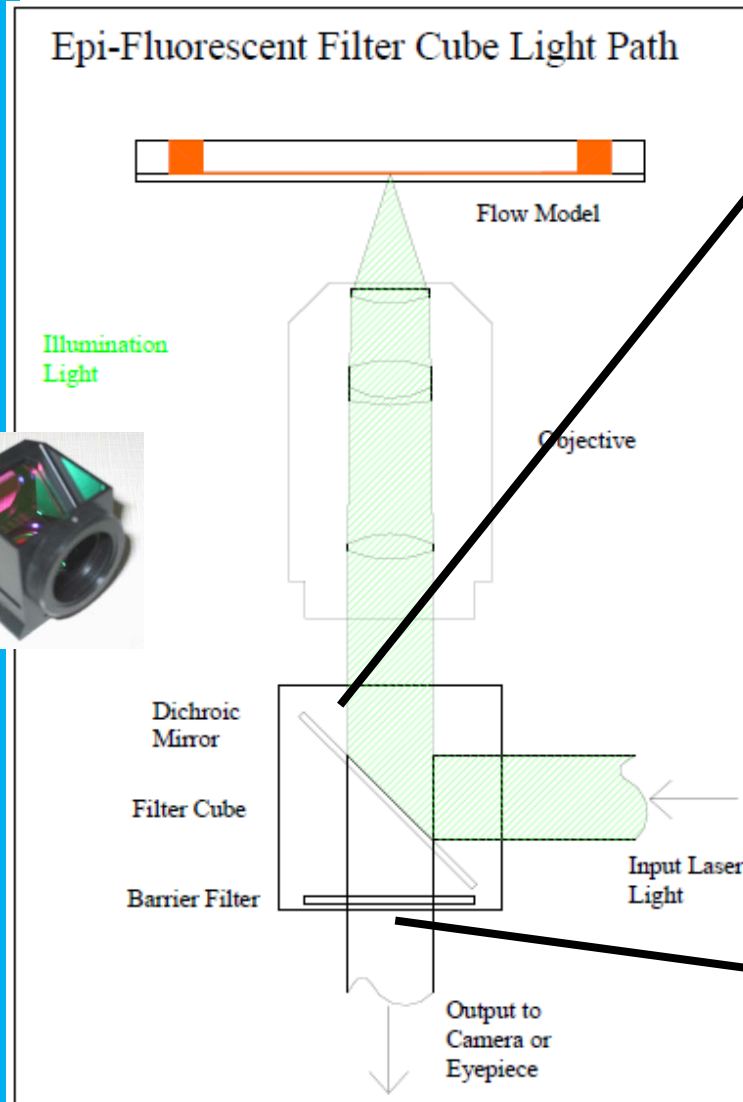
Theory of Operation (Schematic)



Details on Micro-flows Measurement



Theory of Operation (Filter cube light path)



Theory of Operation (Similarities and Differentiators with PIV)

+ **Illumination sources:**

- Dual pulsed – Dual Head Lasers (527 or 532nm, 15Hz to kHz)
- CW lasers
- LED

+ **Volume illumination**

- Via microscope objectives
- Measurement plane defined by Depth of Correlation (DOF)

+ **Fluorescent particles**

- In general working with smaller size particles (0.1 to 3 μm)
- Important to mention:
 - Brownian motion \rightarrow random thermal vibration of seed particles
 - Saffman force \rightarrow can become large near boundary
 - External arbitrary forces \rightarrow hard to account for...

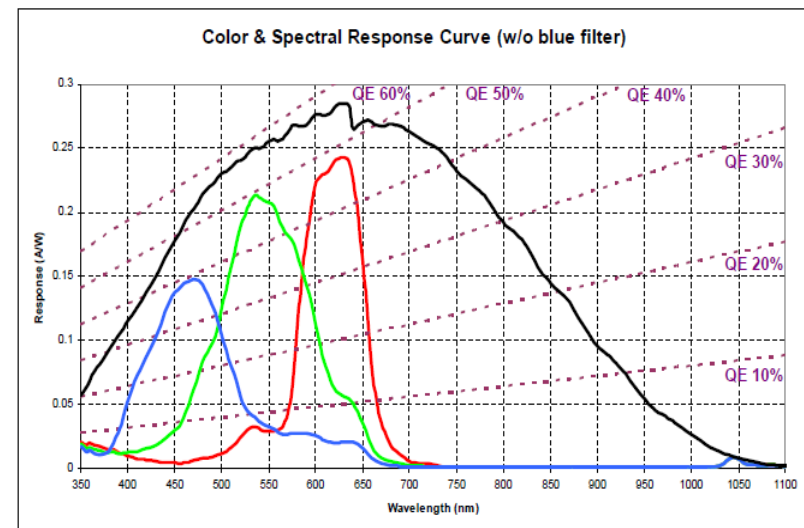
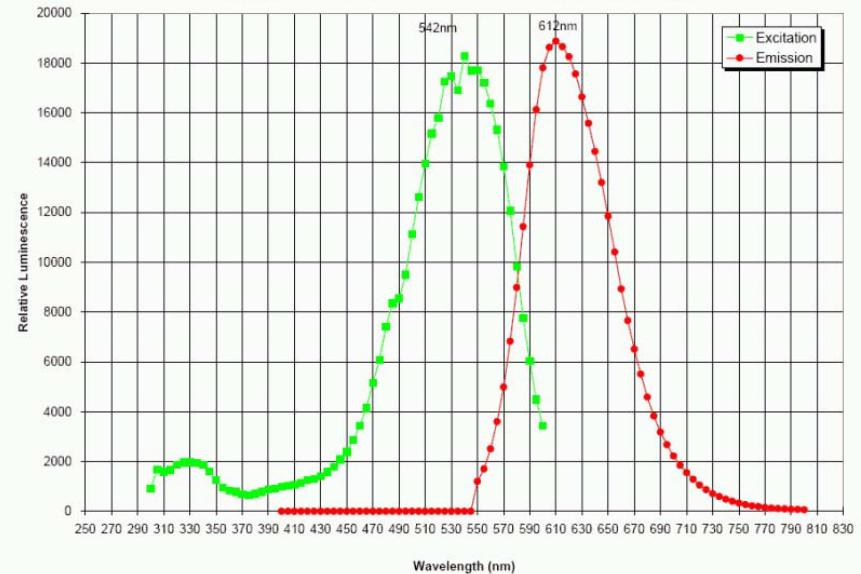


Fluorescent Particles

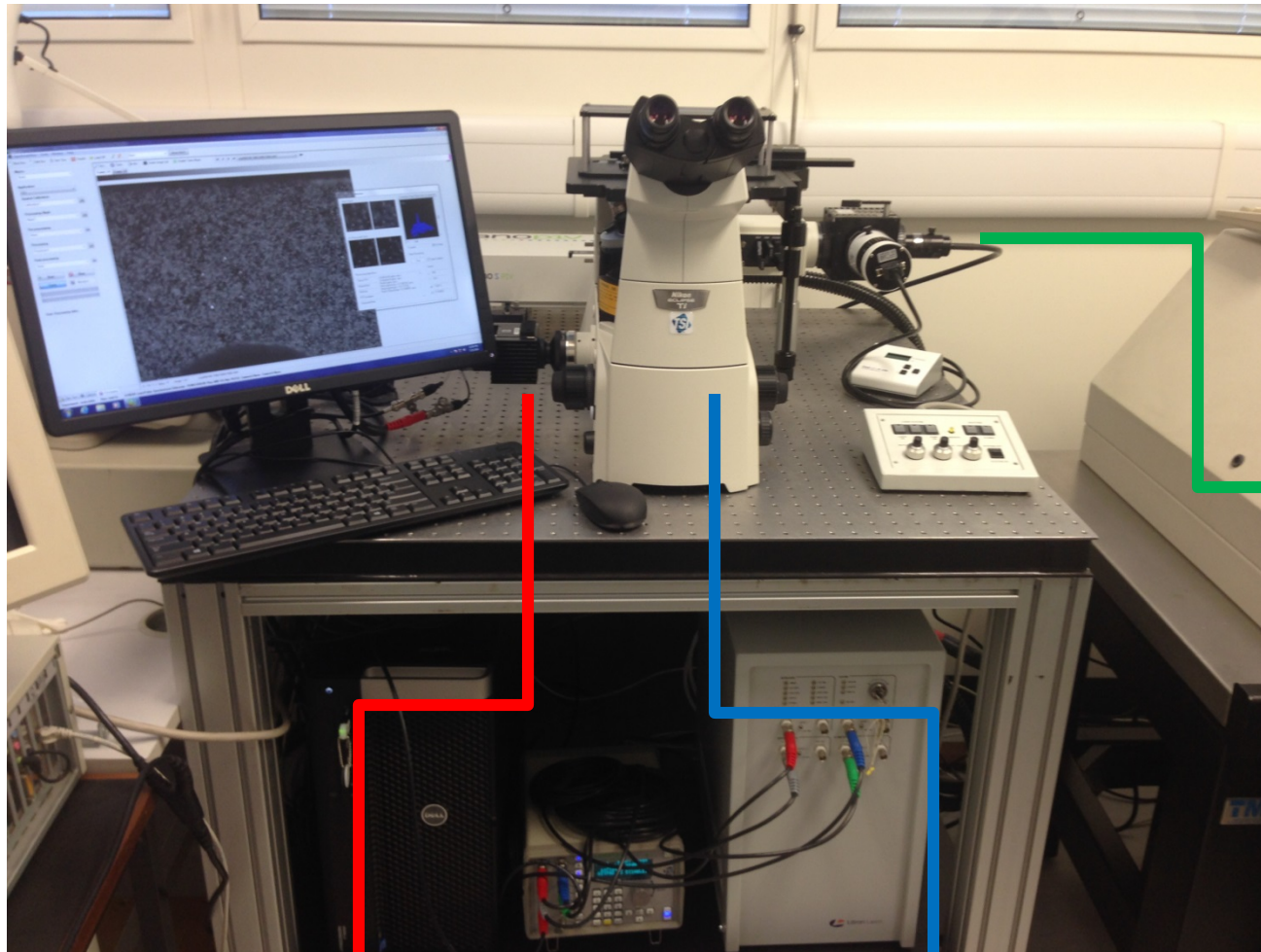
- + Sizes (0.1 to 3 μ m)
- + Orange
 - (540nm, 565nm)
- + Red
 - (542nm, 612nm)
- + Vendors
 - Molecular probes
 - Thermo
- + Quantum Efficiency (QE):
 - CCD sensors
 - CMOS sensors
 - Intensified cameras



Duke Scientific Corporation Red Fluorescent Microspheres
Spectra in DI Water
Stokes Shift = 70nm



Typical micro PIV system

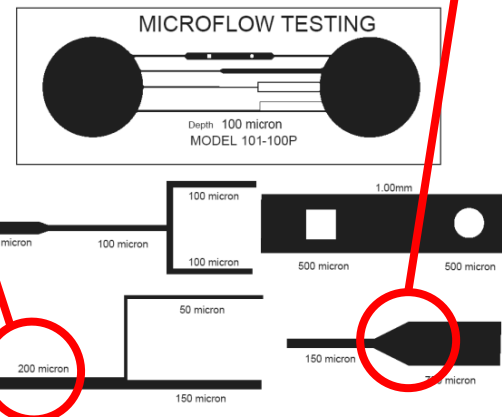
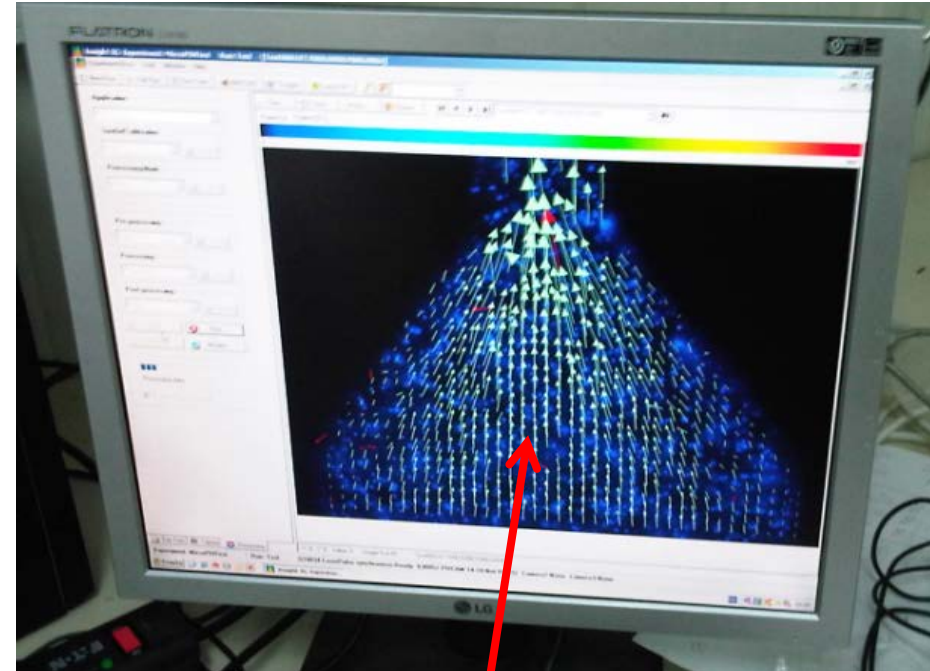
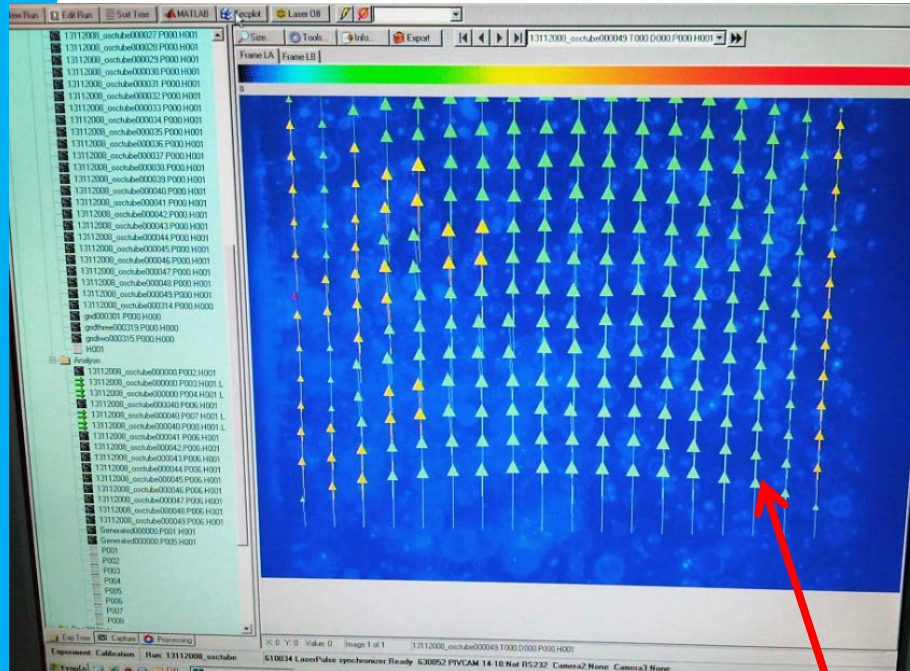


CCD camera

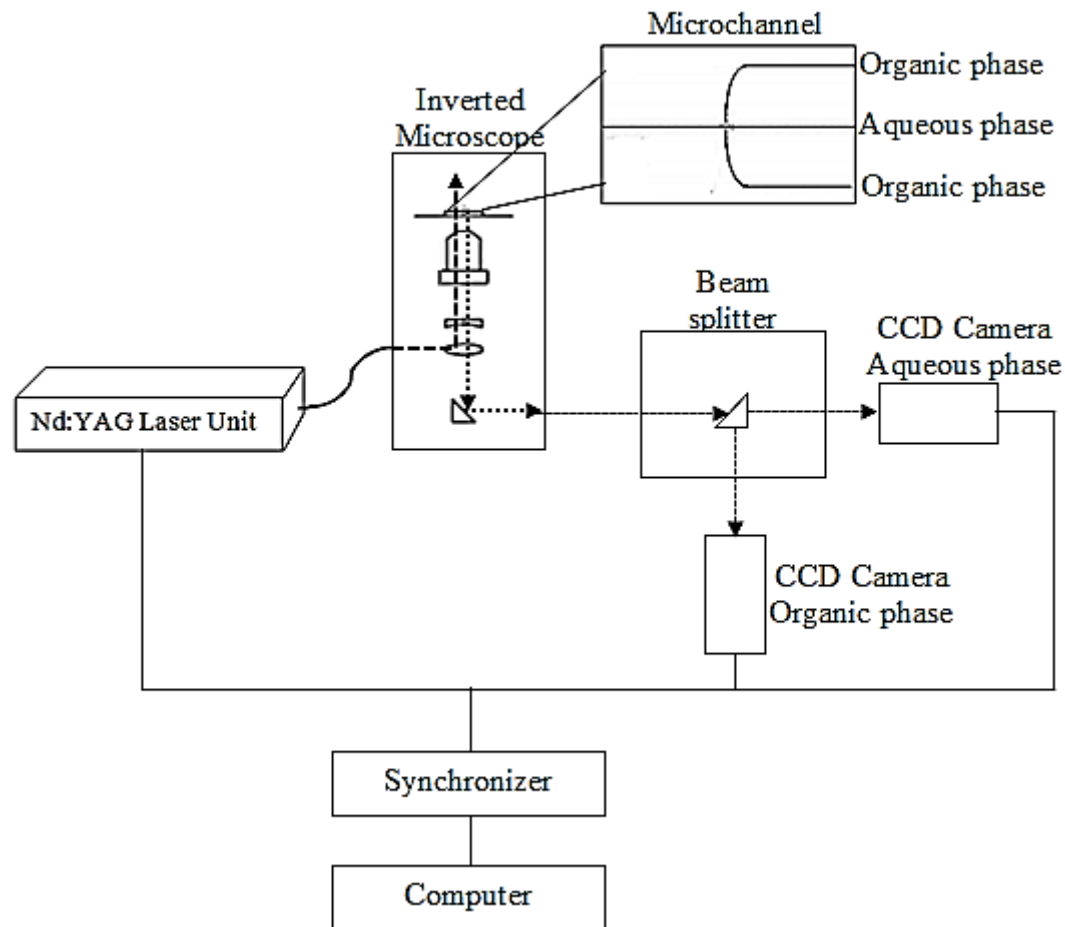
**Inverted
microscope**

**Liquid Light
Guide**

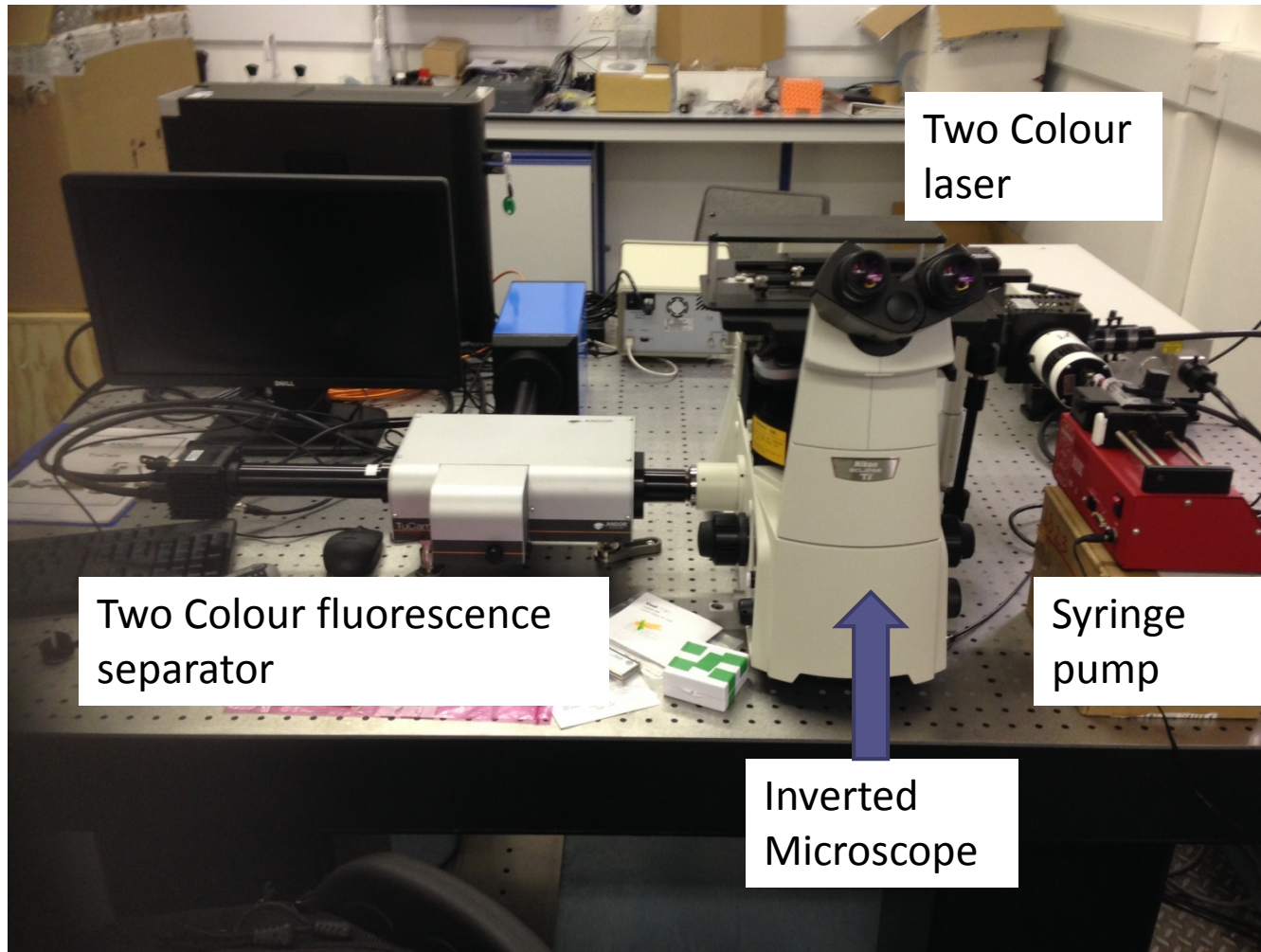
Typical micro PIV system



Two Colour Micro PIV



Two Colour Micro PIV

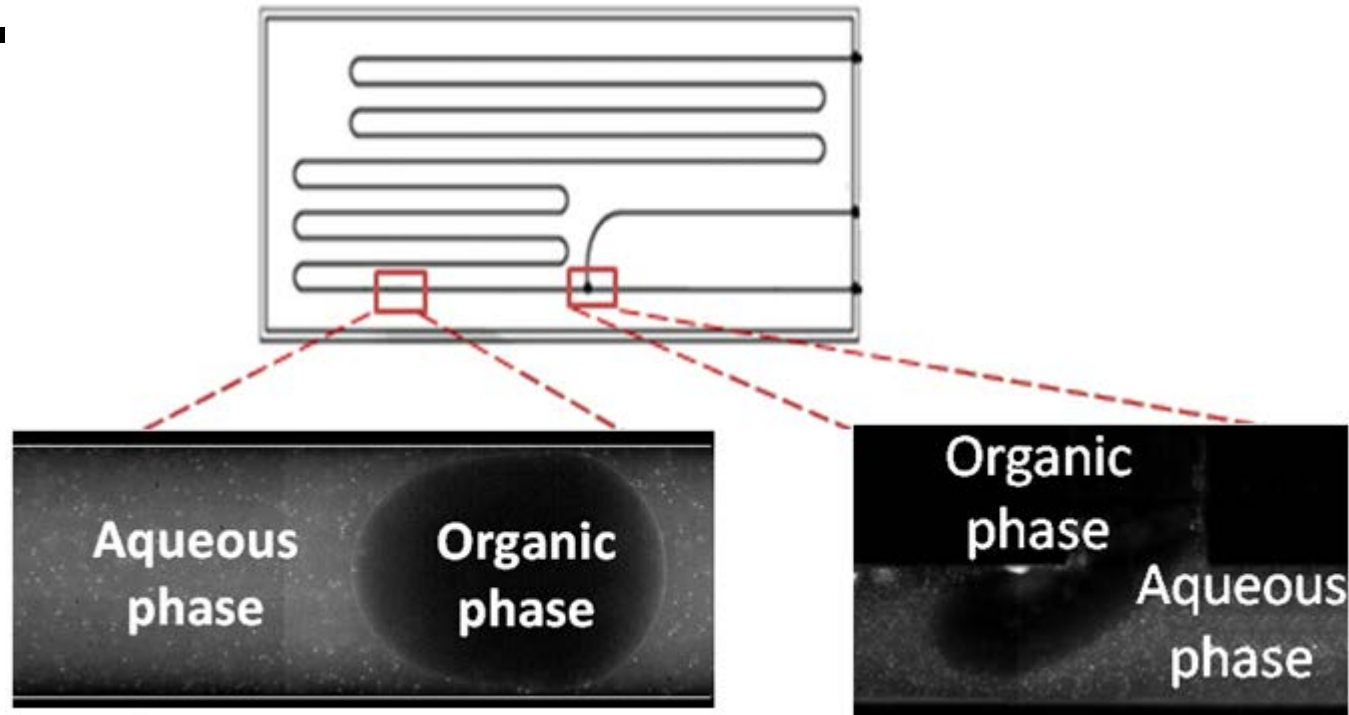


Details of set up

- + Aqueous phase seeded with 1 μm carboxylate-modified microspheres FluoSpheres® (540/560 nm)
- + Organic phase with 1 μm blue silica microspheres particles Sicastar® (350/440 nm).
- + Rhodamine 6G fluorescent dye (1 ppm) was also added in the aqueous phase to improve the detection of the liquid-liquid interface



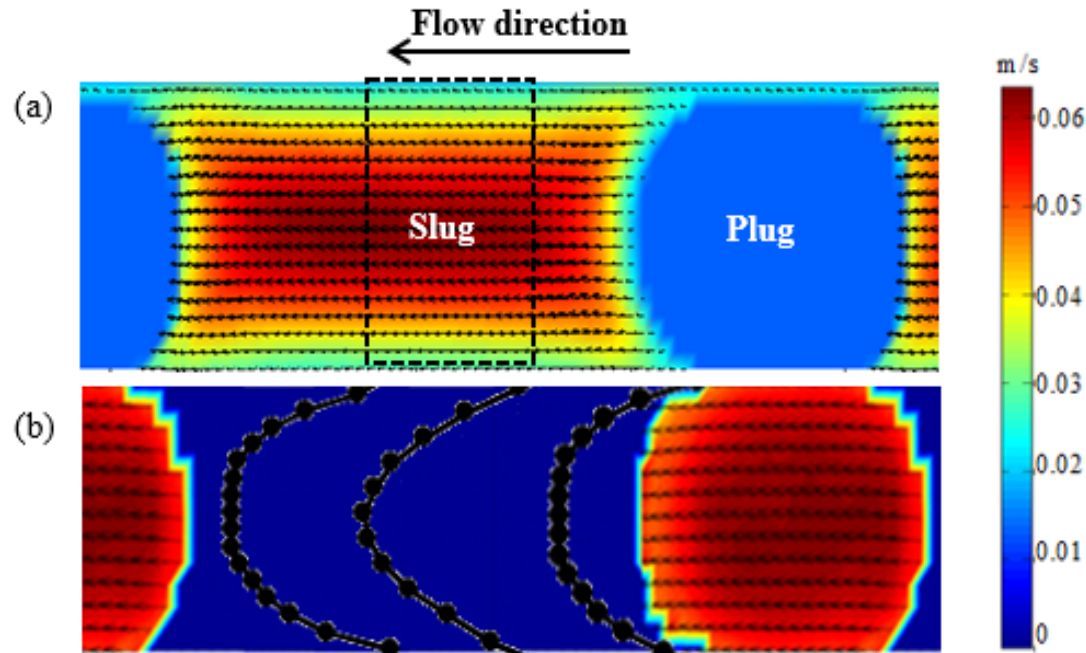
Two Colour Micro PIV



Use the velocity fields of both the continuous and dispersed phase in order to understand the two-phase flow droplet formation and to evaluate the effect of interfacial tension and viscosity on the flow



Averaged velocity profiles using the two-colour PIV (Newtonian fluid)



- (a) slug 48% w/w water and 52% w/w glycerol
- (b) plug for silicone oil
- (c) Dotted rectangle indicates the fully developed laminar flow area ($Q_C = 0.07 \text{ cm}^3/\text{min}$; $Q_D = 0.03 \text{ cm}^3/\text{min}$).

Questions

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