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NON-IDEAL PLASMA PHYSICS

DUSTY PLASMA IN AN INDUCTIV RF DISCHARGE

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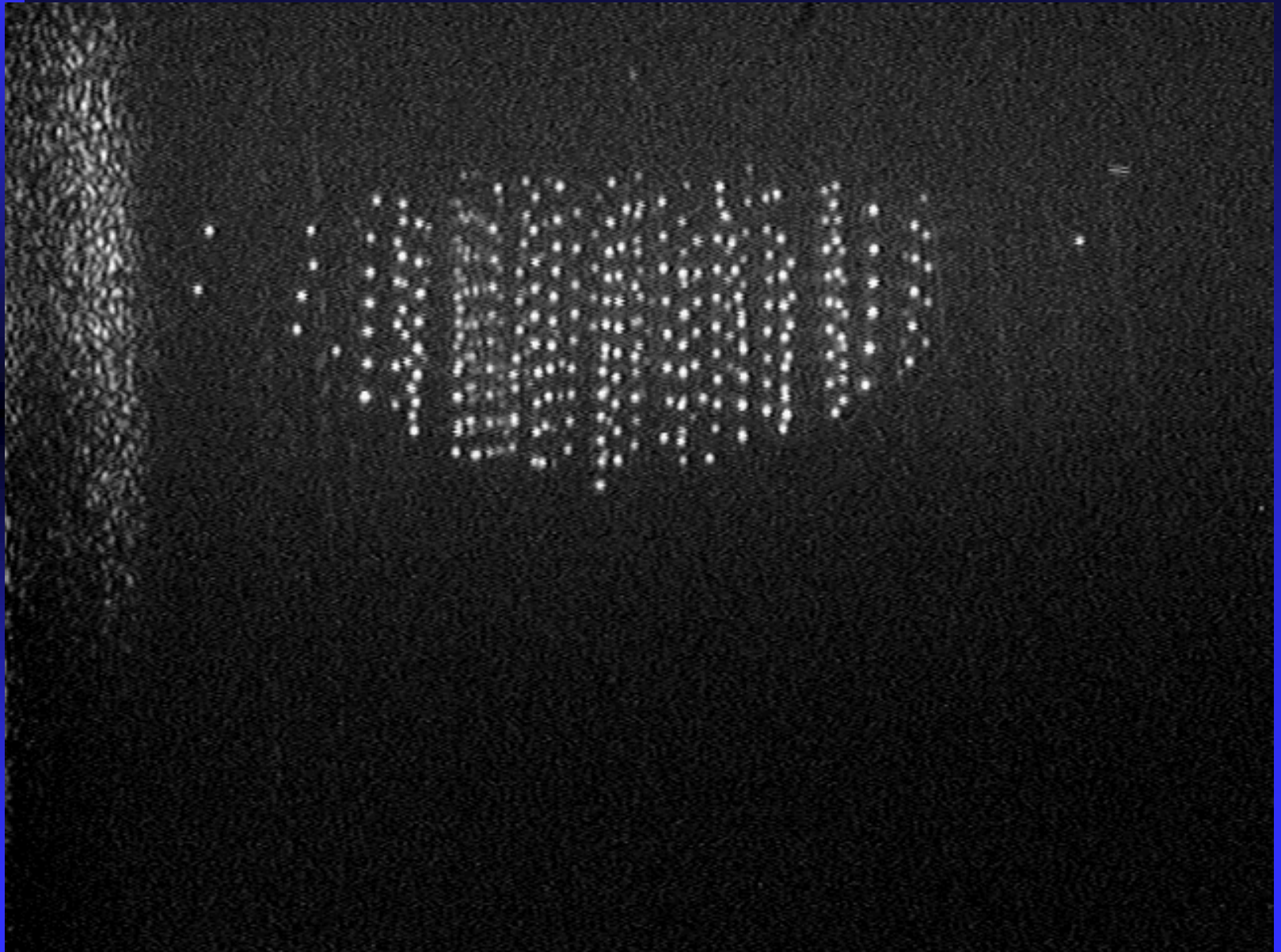
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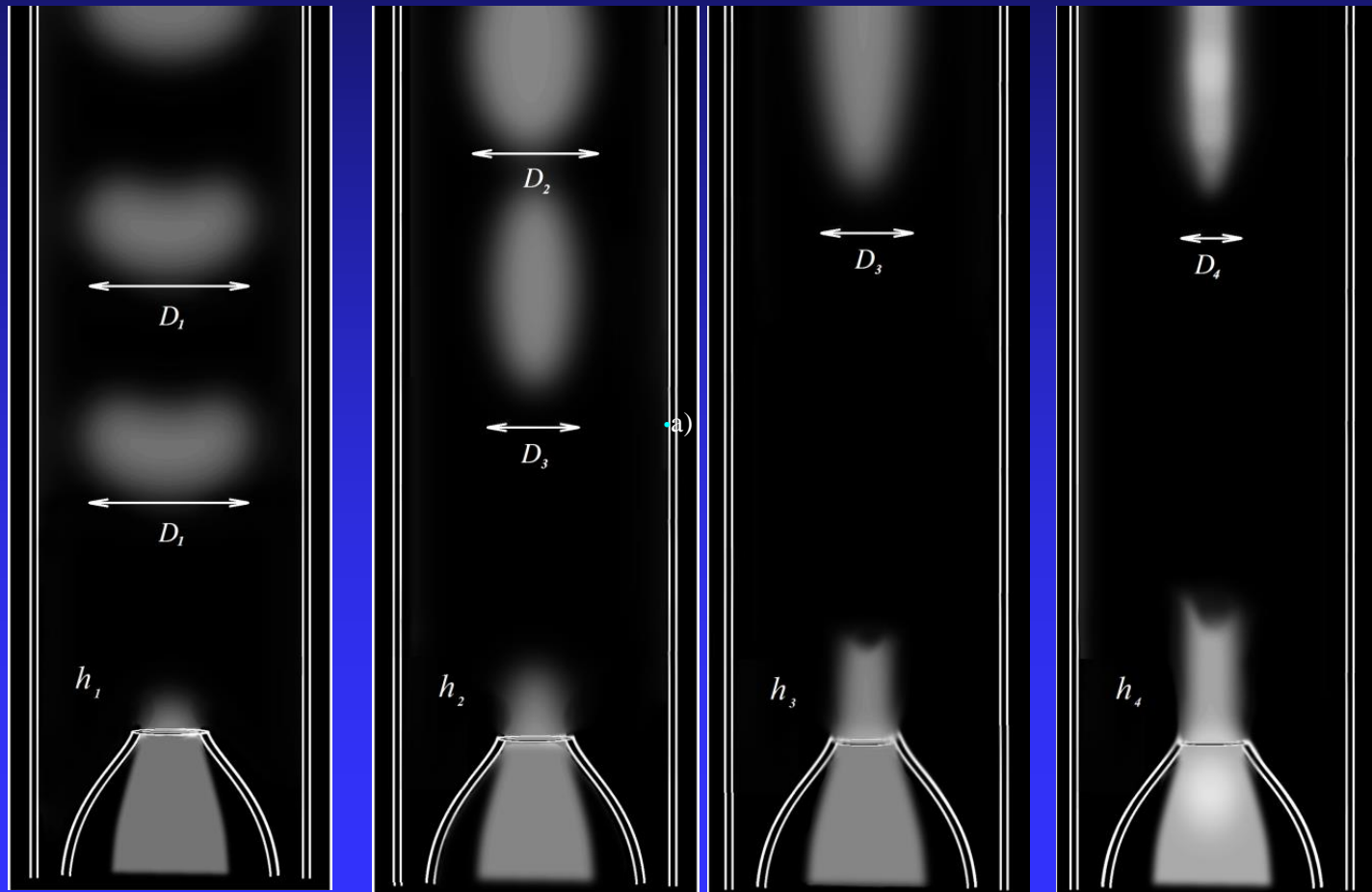
outline

- Motivation. Volumetric dust structures in a magnetic field, trap instability
- Levitation of dust particles in an RF discharge. Particle selection in VFI.
- Dependence of structure formation on the radius of the discharge tube.
- About double structures in RFI.
- Dust structure in an RF discharge in a weak magnetic field.
- Parameters achieved in the experiment in a magnetic field. Features of rotation in neon, argon, helium.

Dusty plasma rotation in dc discharge

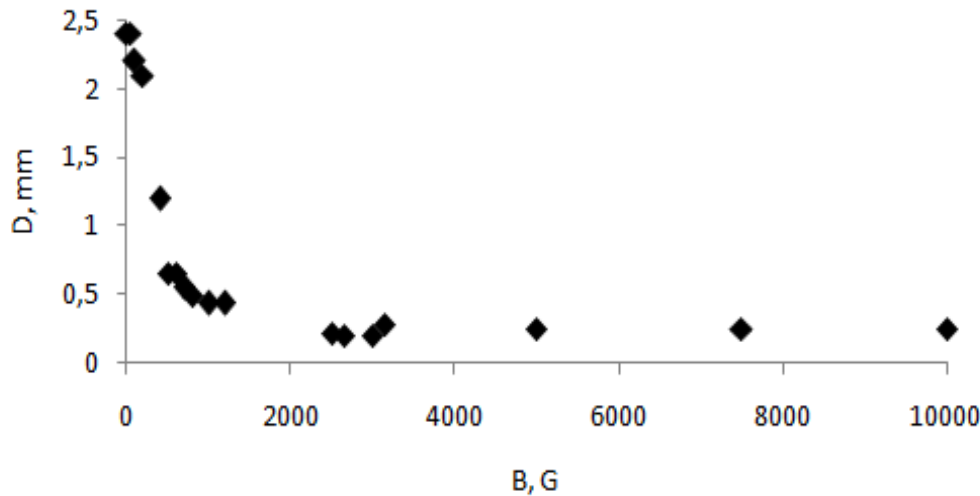


Schematic representation of the discharge at different magnetic fields. a) 0 G, b) 10^3 G, c) $5 \cdot 10^3$ G, d) $2 \cdot 10^4$ G.



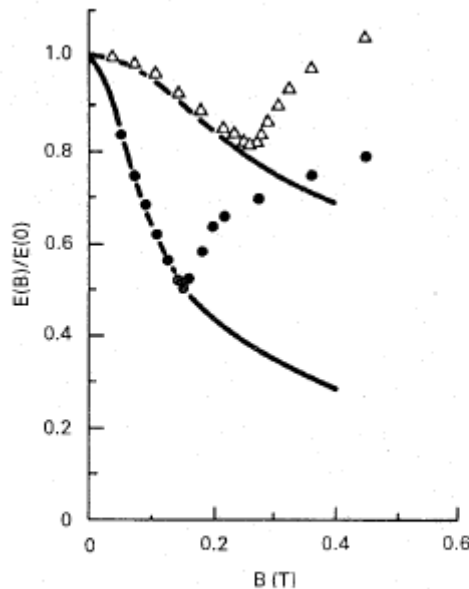
Discharge instability. Tilt of strata.

Radial size



$$\omega_e \tau_e \omega_i \tau_i = 1$$

$$D_{am\perp} = \frac{D_{am}}{1 + \omega_e \tau_e \omega_i \tau_i}$$

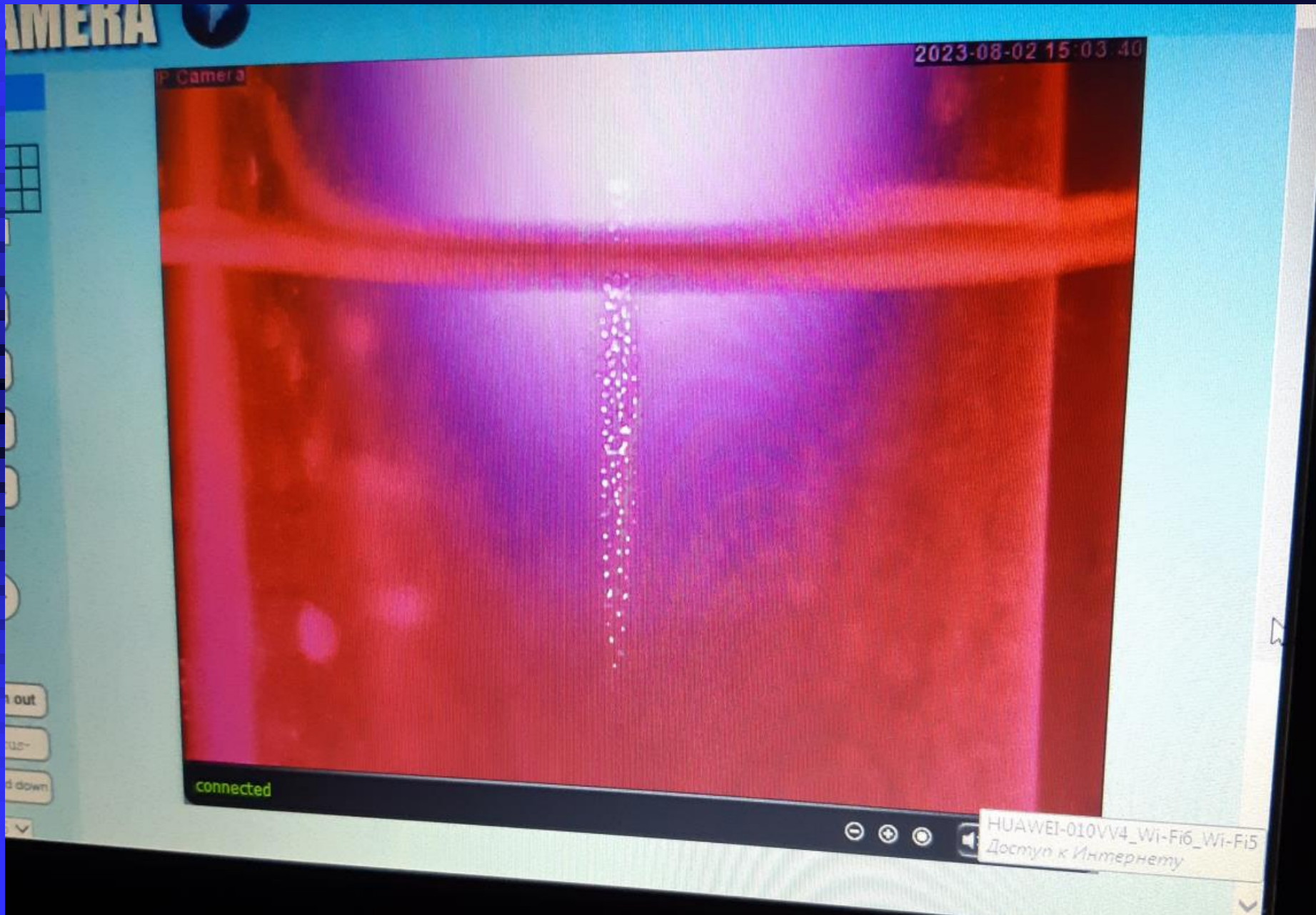


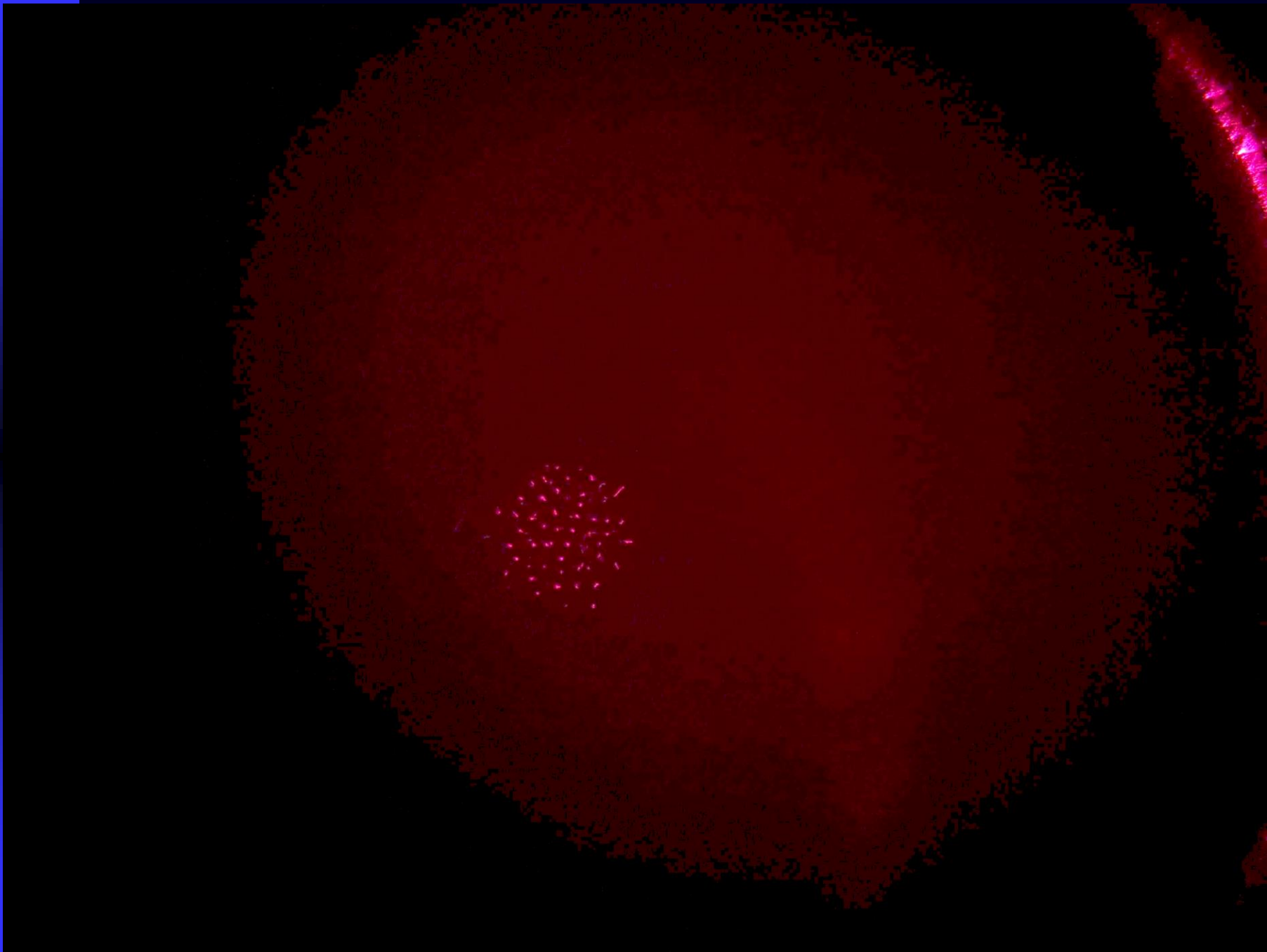
The normalized longitudinal electric field measured as a function of B at two different pressures. Theoretical curves are shown for comparison. [From F. C. Hoh and B. Lehnert, *Phys. Fluids* 3, 600 (1960).]

FIGURE 5-15

$$E_{am} = - \frac{kT_e - kT_i (\omega_e \tau_e \omega_i \tau_i) \nabla n}{e(1 + \omega_e \tau_e \omega_i \tau_i) n}$$

RFI discharge





Particle selection

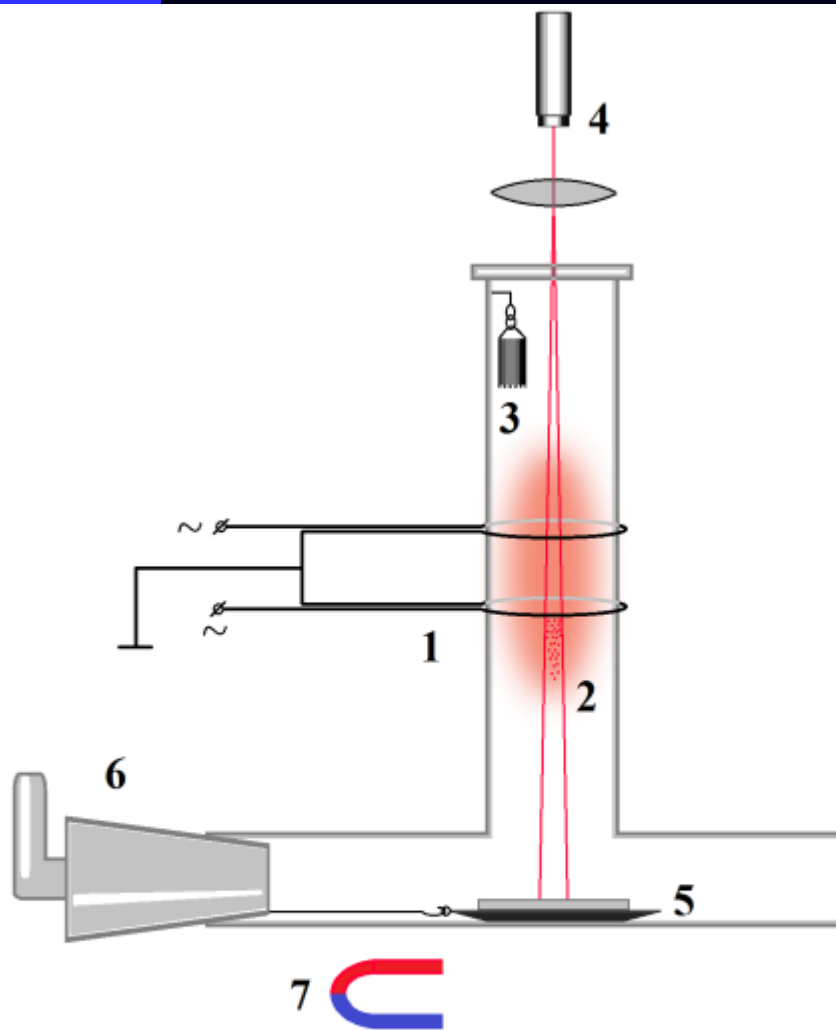
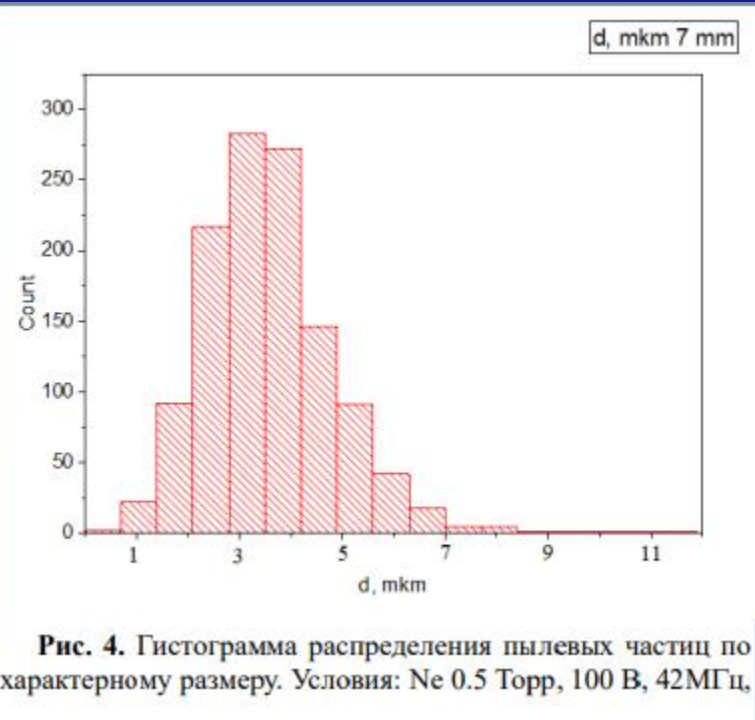
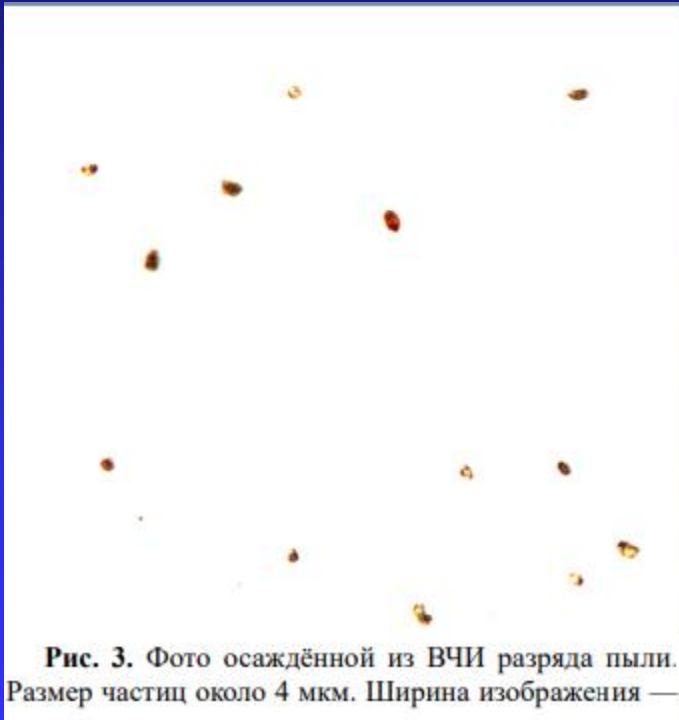


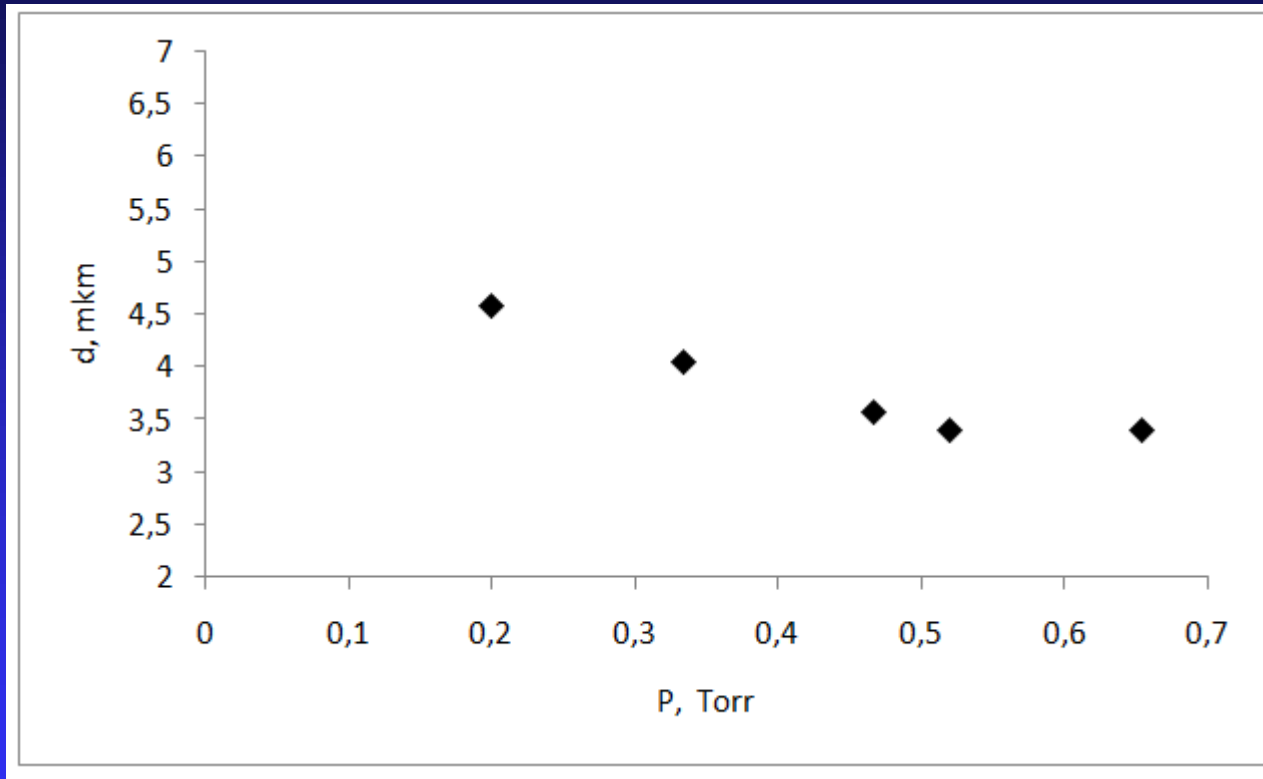
Рис. 1. 1 – индуктор; 2 – пылевая структура; 3 – контейнер для инъекции пылевых частиц в разряд; 4 – система подсветки; 5 – каретка с лежащим на ней предметным стеклом для сбора частиц; 6 – вакуумный кран для извлечения каретки; 7 – магнит для передвижения каретки внутри трубки.



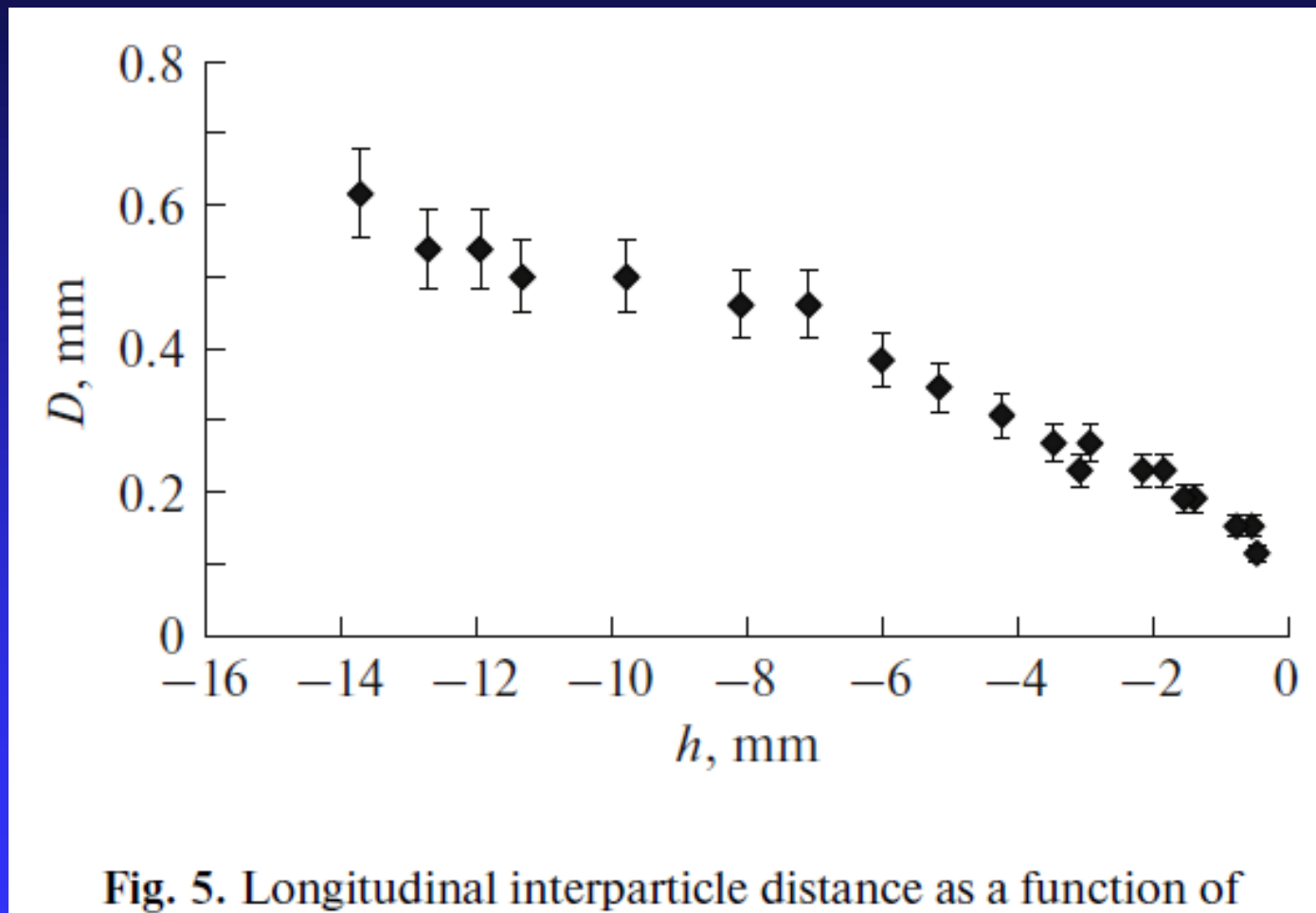
Extracted particles, characteristic size distribution



Dependence of particle size on pressure



Продольное межчастичное расстояние



Balance

$$q_d E_{\parallel} = mg + F_{id} + F_{th}$$

$$mg = (4/3) a^3 \rho g.$$

$$mg = 0.8 \text{ пН.}$$

$$q_d E_{\parallel} = Z_d e E_{\parallel}$$

$$q_d E_{\parallel} = 1,3 \text{ пН.}$$

$$F_{id} = \frac{8\sqrt{2}\pi}{3} a^2 n_i m_i V_{T_i} V \left\{ 1 + \frac{z\tau}{2} + \frac{z^2\tau^2}{4} \Pi \right\}$$

$$0,45 \text{ пН.}$$

$$F_{th.} \quad 0,1 \text{ пН}$$

$$n_e = 10^8 \text{ см}^{-3}, \quad T_e = 3,4 \text{ эВ}, \quad E_{\parallel} = 8 \text{ В/см.}$$

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$$t = T_e/T_i, \quad t = 3,4/0,03 \sim 10^2$$

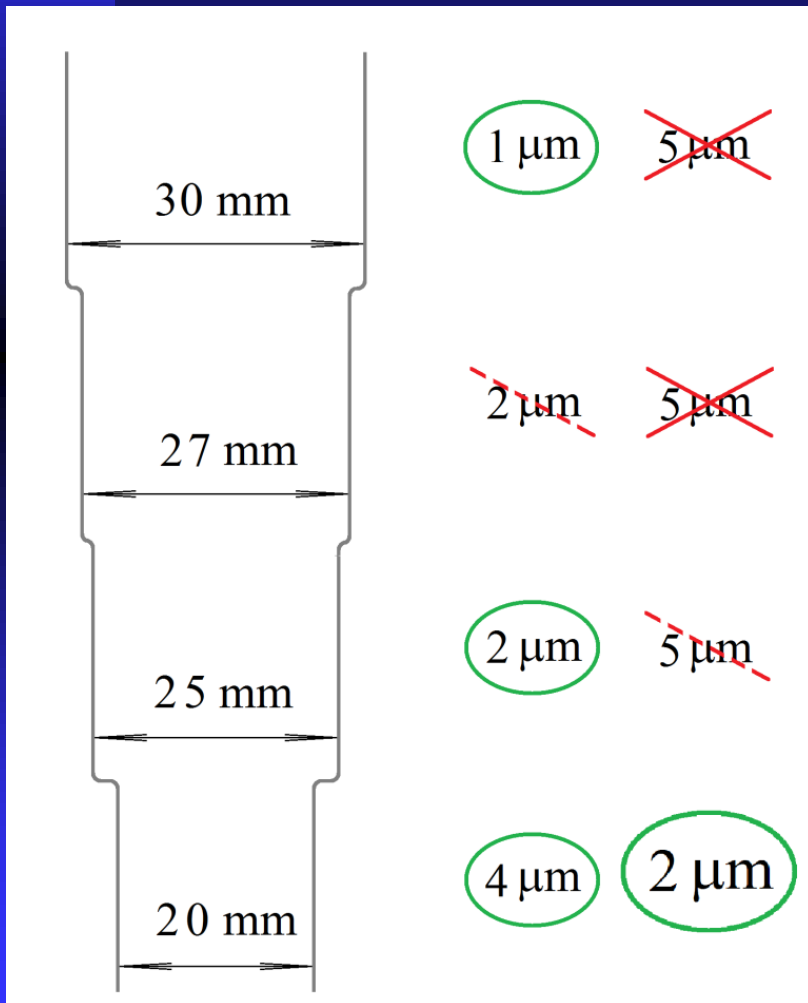
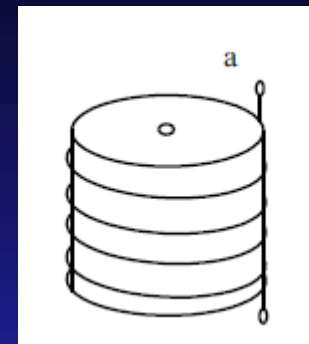
$$a = 2 \text{ МКМ.}$$

0.3 Topp.



Narrow and wide tubes. Levitation of particles of different sizes

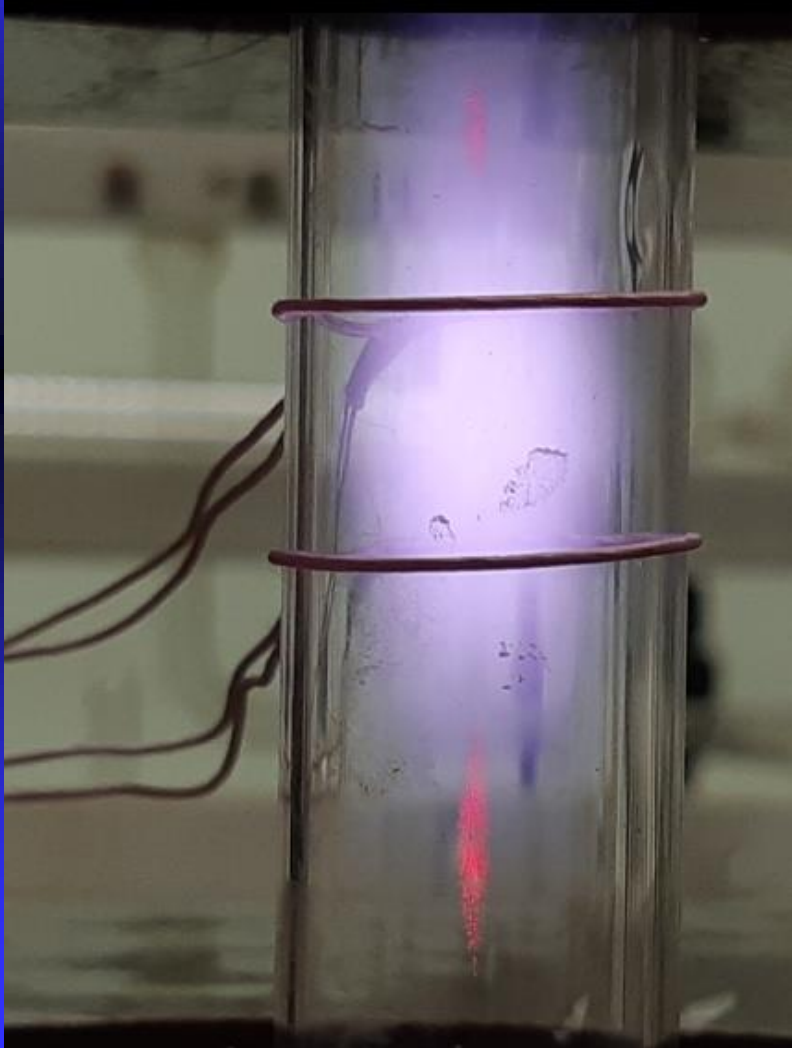
$$\delta = \frac{c}{\omega \kappa} = \frac{c}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma\omega}} = \frac{5,03}{\{\sigma [\text{GМ}^{-1} \cdot \text{сМ}^{-1}] f [\text{MГЦ}]\}^{1/2}} \text{ сМ.}$$



$$eEl_e = kT_e$$

$$l_e = 1 \text{ cm}$$

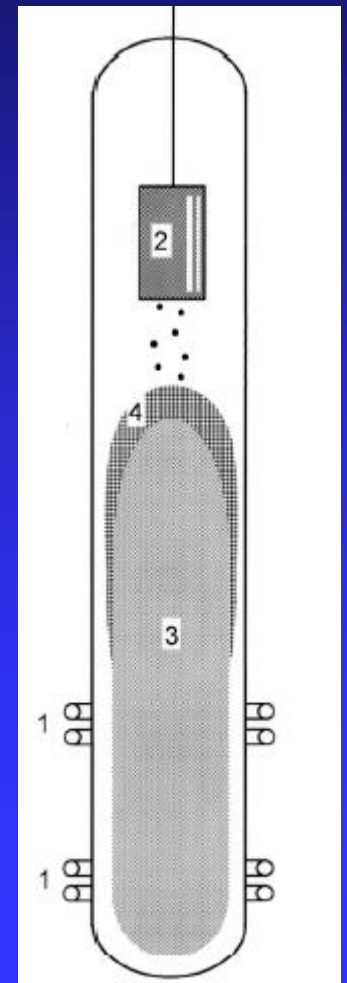
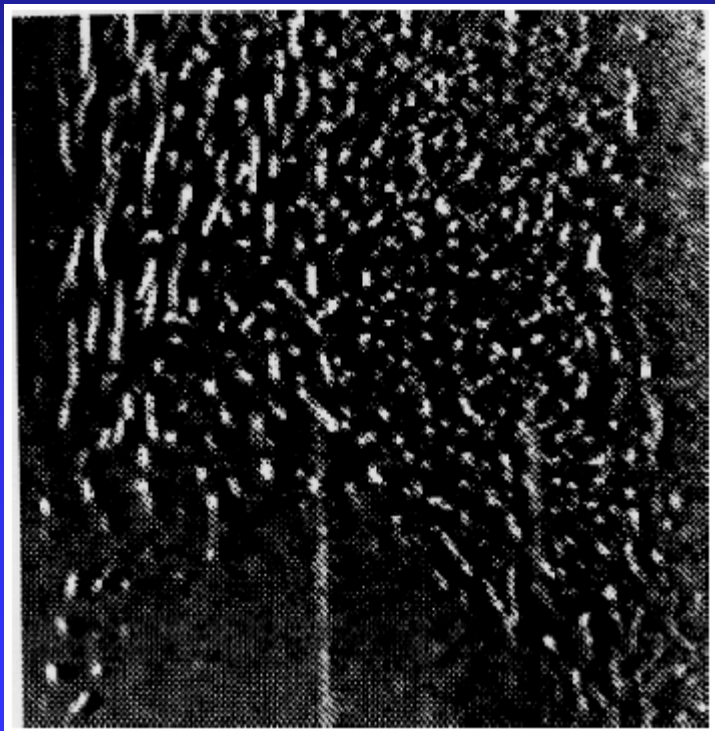
Two structures in a long tube

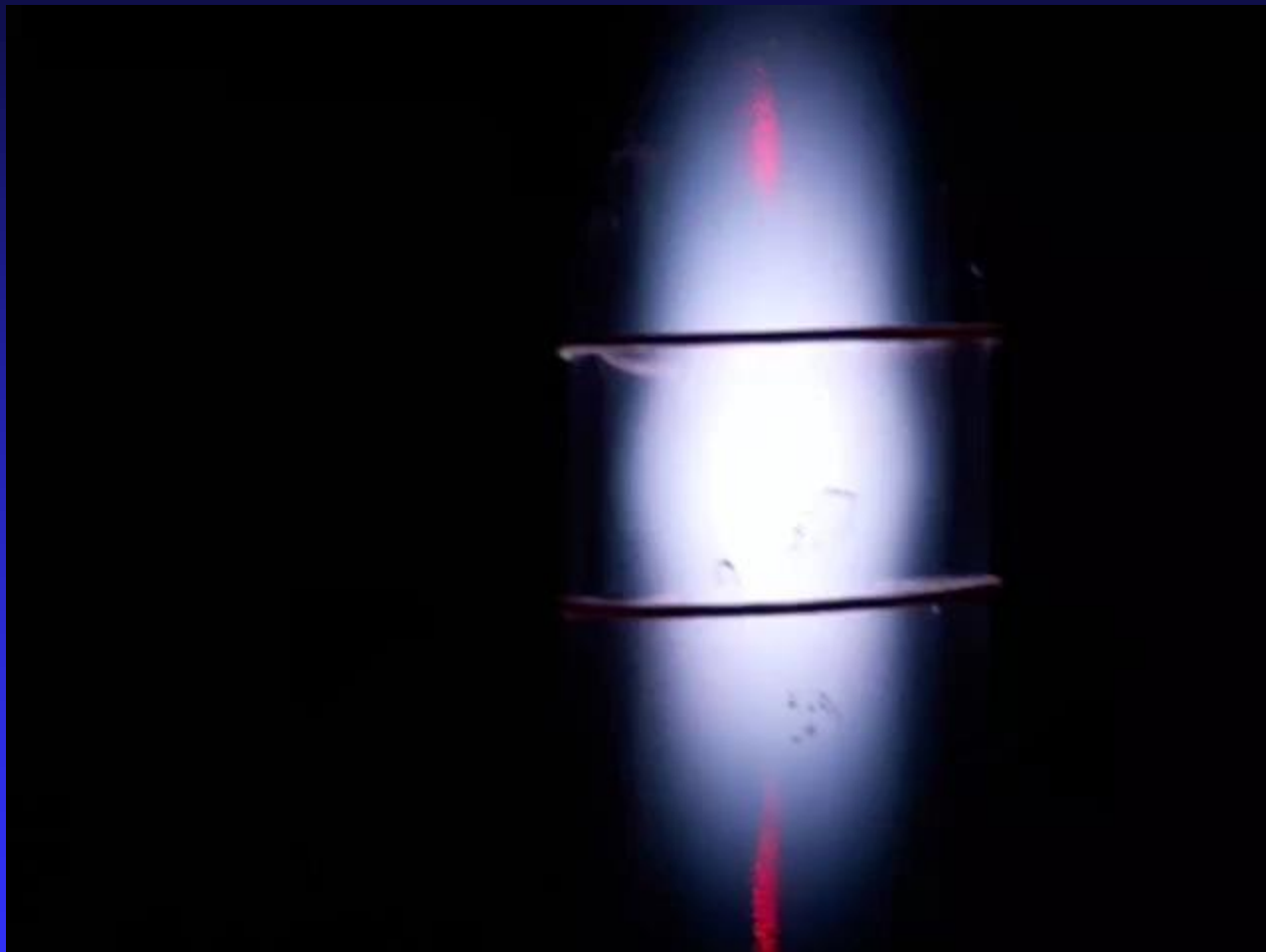


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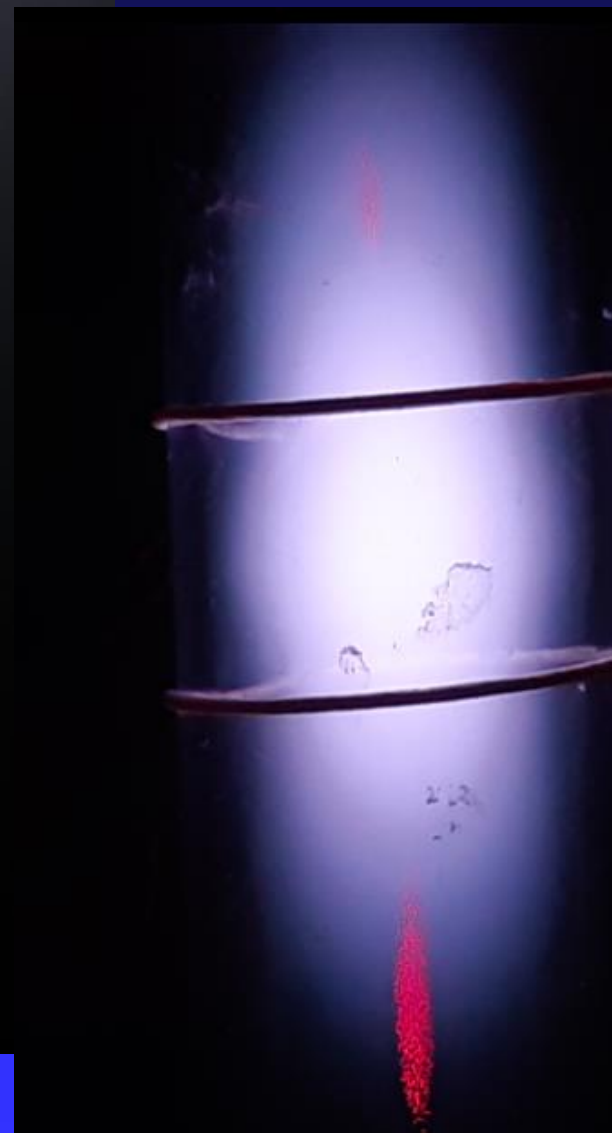




$$F_g + F_q = F_{wind}$$



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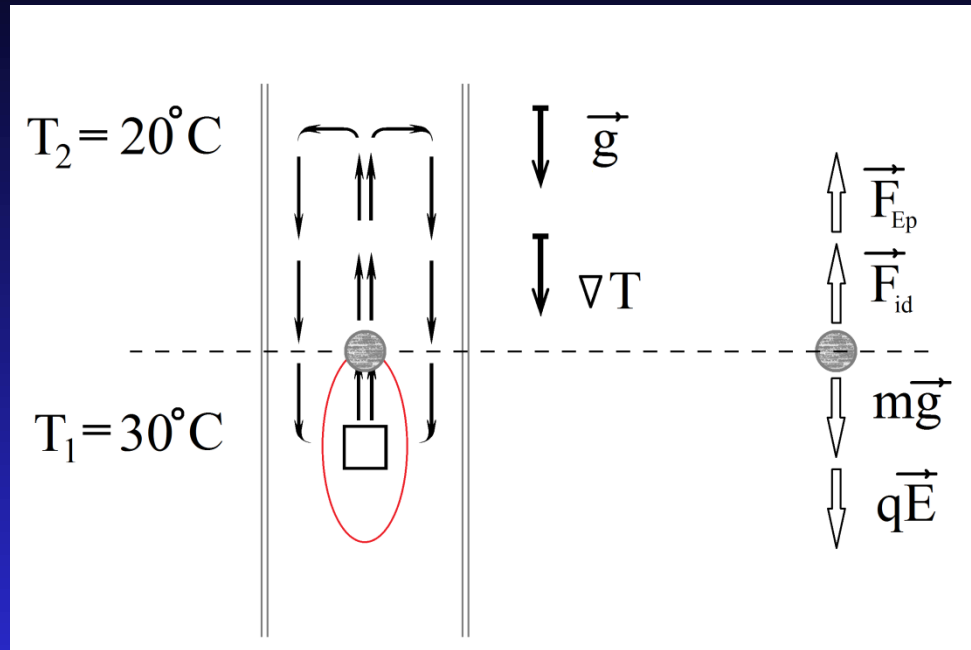


Interpretation of levitation of the upper structure

- ion drag?
- thermal confinement, convection?



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$$a = 1 \text{ } \underline{\text{mkm}}, F \sim 10^{-13} \text{ N}$$

$$F_{id} = 0.8$$

$$\underline{F_{Ep}} = 1.0 \text{ ???}$$

$$\underline{mg} = 1.0$$

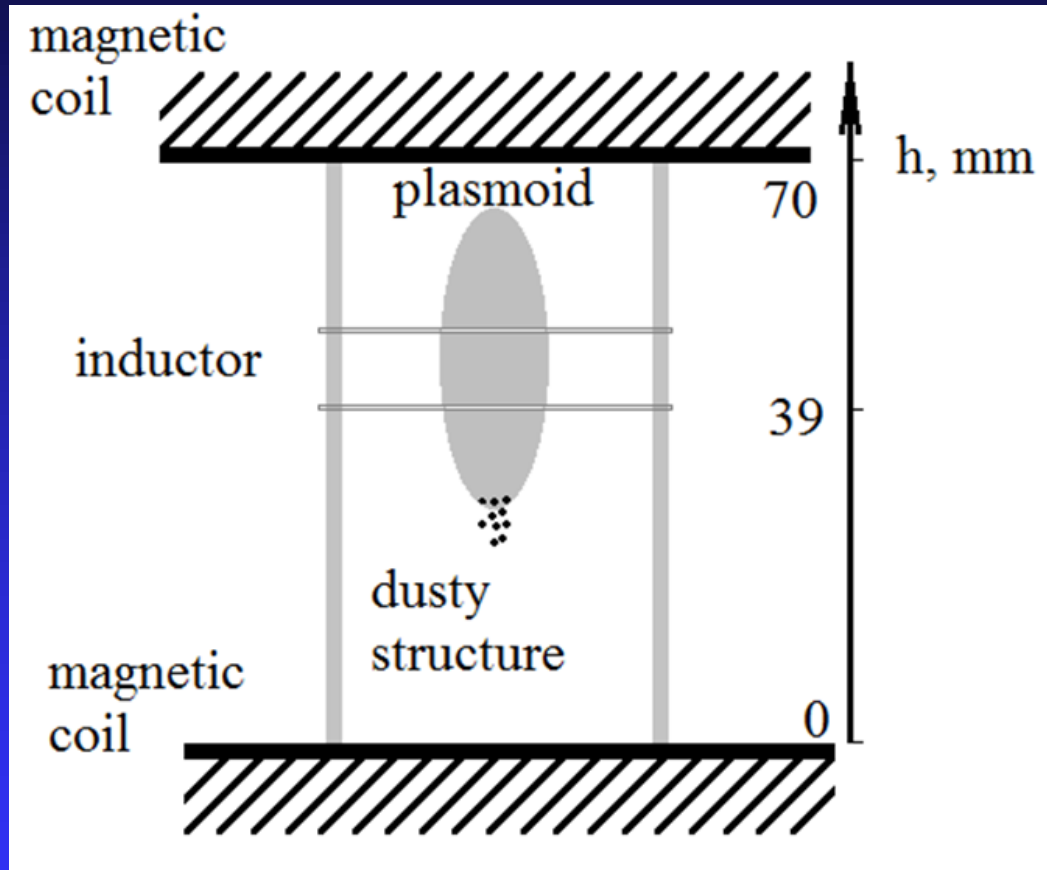
$$qE = 0.6$$

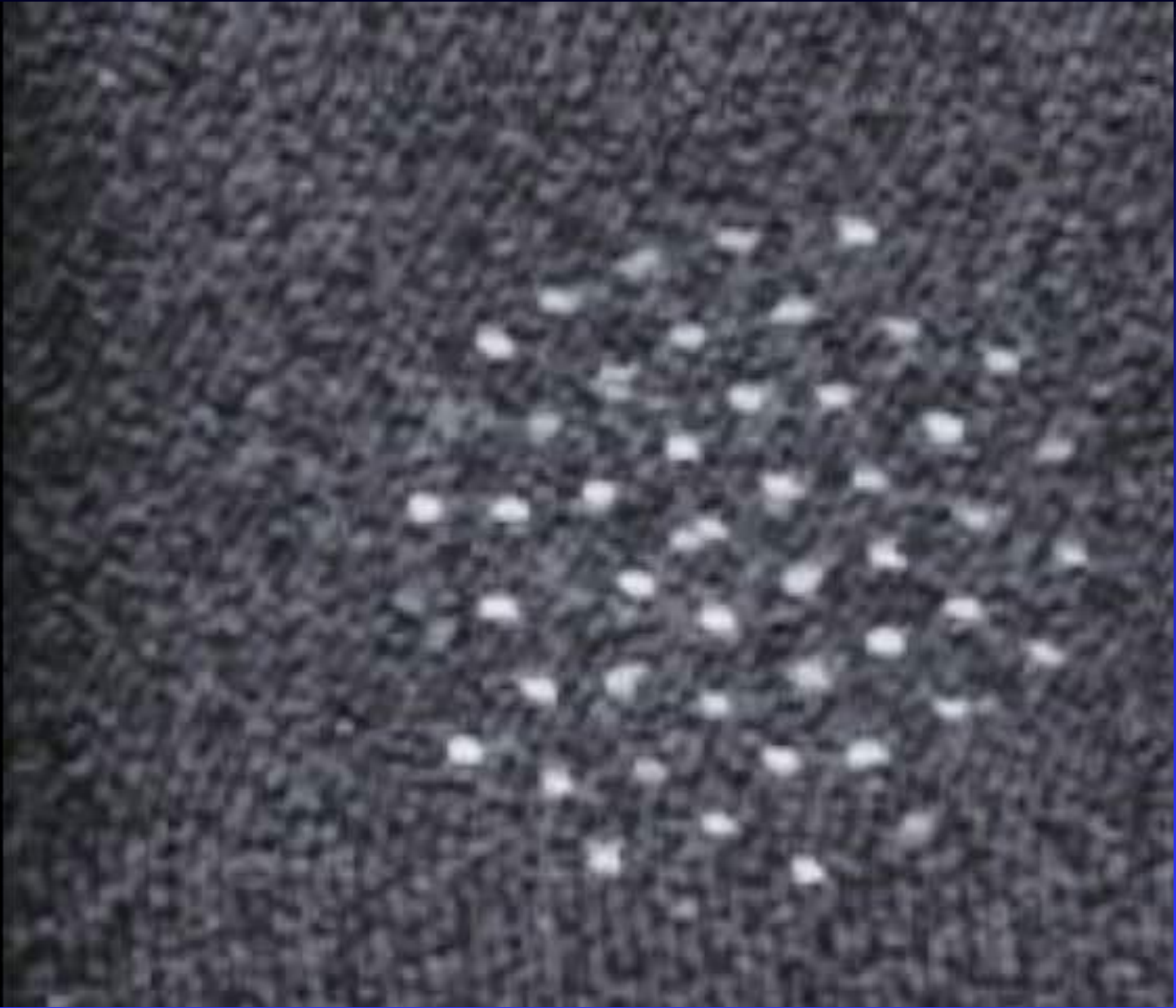
$$n_1 T_1 = n_2 T_2$$

$$F^\uparrow = \underline{\Delta\rho g V} \quad F^\uparrow = 0.03 mg$$

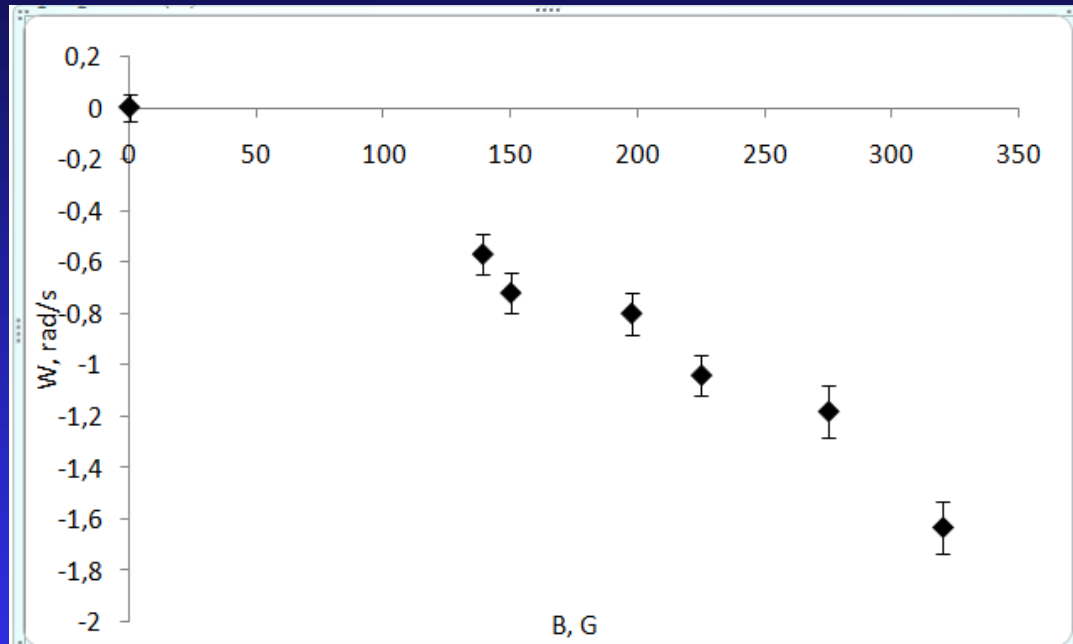
$$v = \underline{a^\uparrow t} = 0.3 \text{ m/c} \quad F_n = \frac{8\sqrt{2\pi}}{3} a^2 p \frac{v}{v_{Tn}}$$

Magnetic field





Rotation velocity in a magnetic field



$$\omega = \frac{n_i m_i \nu_{Ti} (\omega_i \tau_i) U_{ir} \nu_{Ti} \left\{ 1 + \frac{z\tau}{2} + \frac{z^2 \tau^2}{4} \Pi \right\}}{\xi p r_d}$$

Comparison of the dynamics of dust structures in a magnetic field

RF capacitive discharge

Strata

Trap in a narrow current channel

RF induction discharge

Thank you for attention!

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