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Numerical/Empirical Results of Converging and Colliding Shock Waves

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Outline

- Motivation
- Converging and diverging detonation
- Converging shock wave
- Shock wave collision



Motivation

- The Hydrocode Validation and Verification (V&V) team at Sandia National Laboratories requested a series of experiments be conducted to ensure shock interactions are being accurately predicted using their standard codes. To that end, experiments to achieve detonation wave convergence at a local level, and more global shock wave collisions within metal plates, were conducted with adequate diagnostics for detailed comparison to simulations. As will be shown, experiments and simulations agreed well allowing confidence in predicting the extreme pressures and temperatures typically obtained during these events.



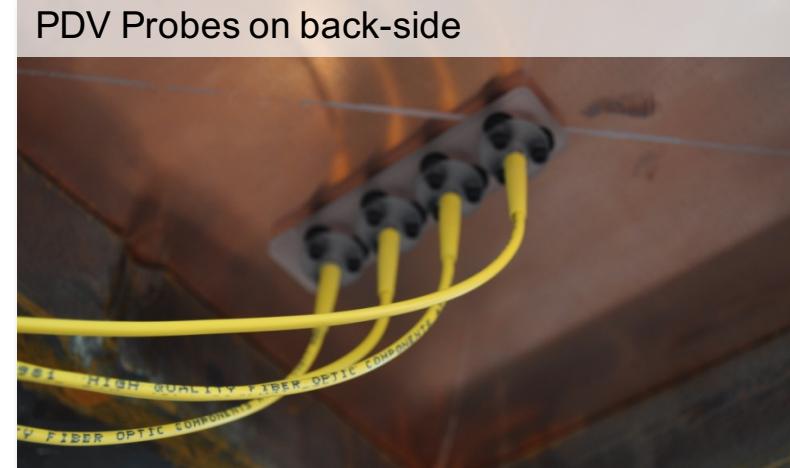
Background

- This data set was compiled to illustrate how the wave speeds differ between the bulk charge and the cylindrical charge. The primary source of data came from the PDV system in which the probes were used to capture the time of arrival (TOA) of the shock wave through various copper plates. Accurately knowing the distance between probe locations, and measuring the TOA of the shock wave at each probe, it is easy to calculate the velocity between two points on the charge, and thus, across the entire charge (or target) surface. This is the method that was used to collect this data.

Cylindrical Charge on Copper

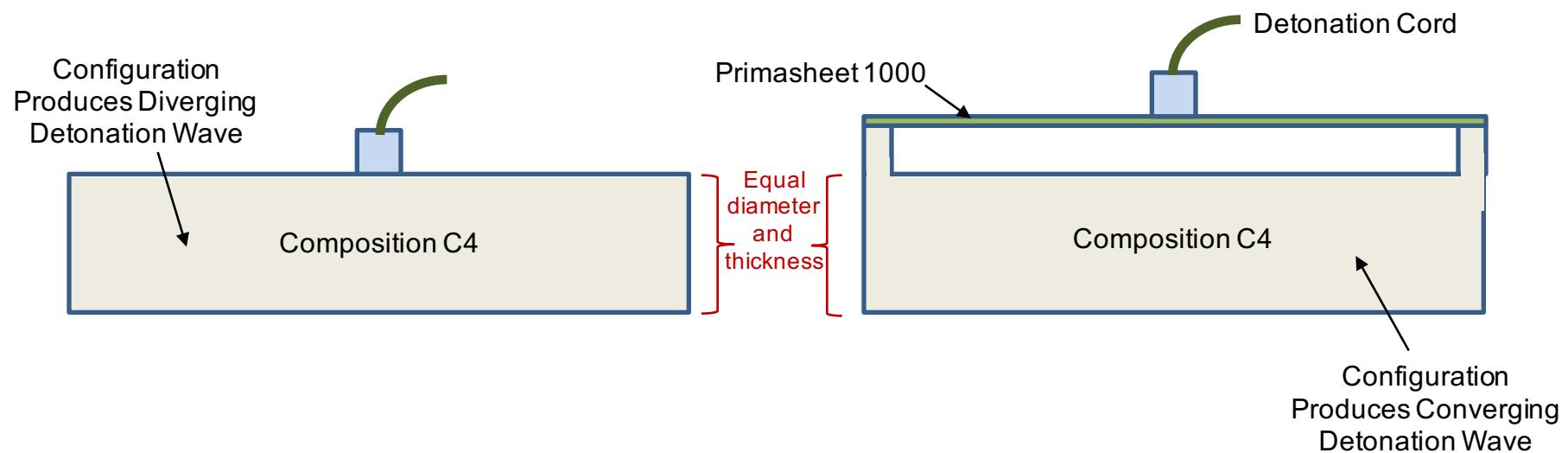


PDV Probes on back-side





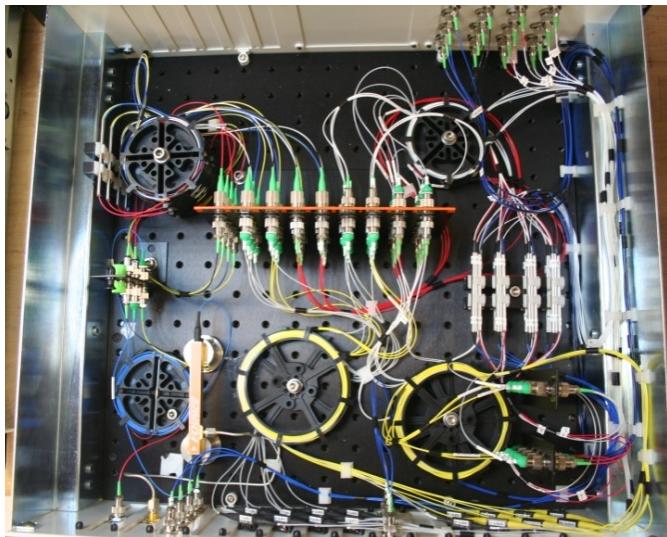
Cylindrical Charge Configuration





1-inch Cu Plate PDV System

- 8 Channels of PDV
- 6 GHz Bandwidth Digitizers
 - Allows us to measure velocities up to ≈ 4.6 km/sec



- Front Panel allows user to connect and adjust all 8 channels without having to open diagnostic.
- Offers independent adjustment of the probe returns and the reference levels.



1-inch Cu Plate PDV Test Configuration

- Reference light from the laser travels a separate path from the probe light.
- Doppler-shifted light returned from the probe(s) is mixed with the reference signals via the 2x2 couplers.
- The output of the 2x2 couplers are collected by high speed detectors on digitizers.

Velocity (m/s)	Beat frequency (GHz)	Time resolution (ns)
250	0.32	24.7
500	0.65	12.3
750	0.97	8.2
1000	1.29	6.2
1250	1.61	4.9
1500	1.94	4.1
1750	2.26	3.5
2000	2.58	3.1

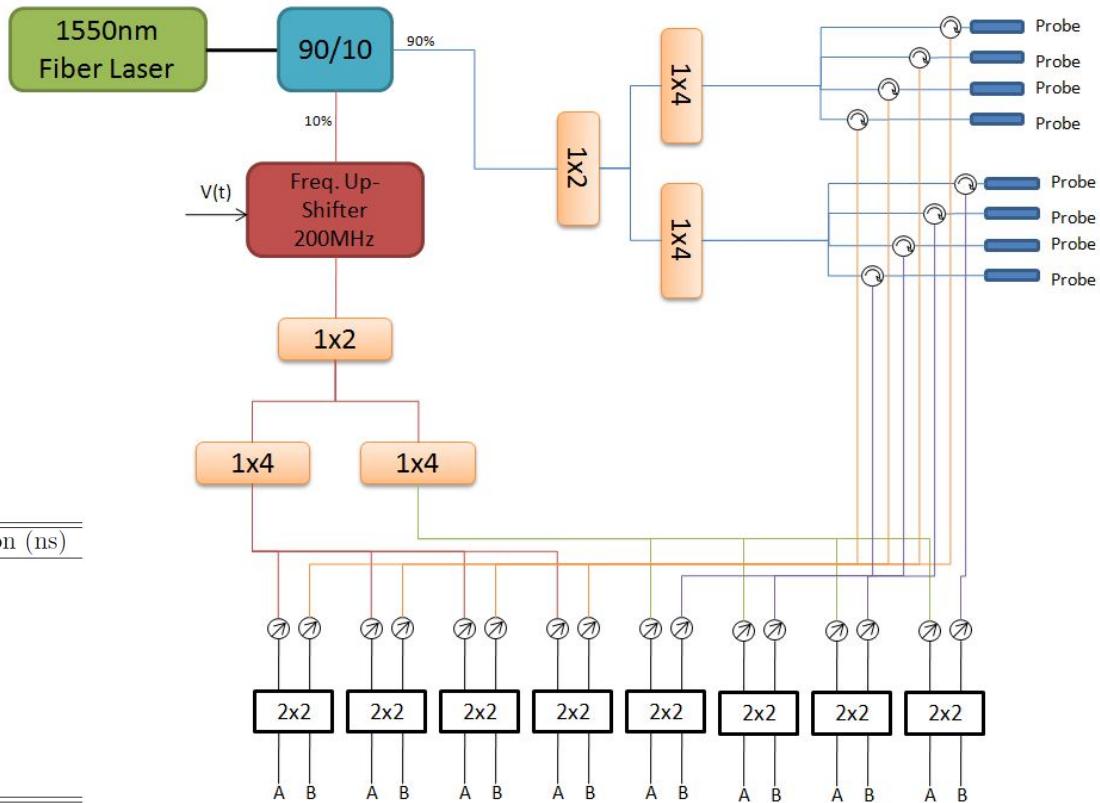
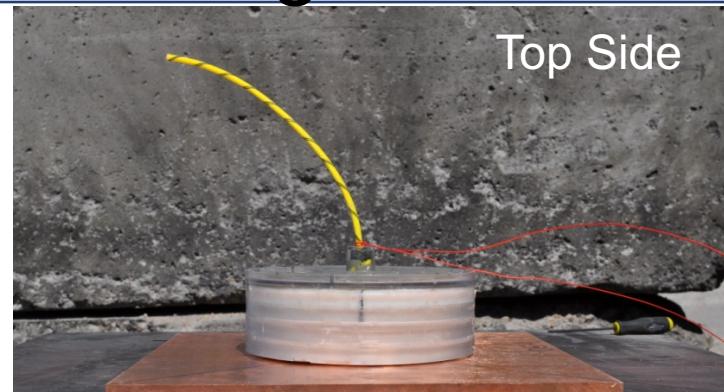
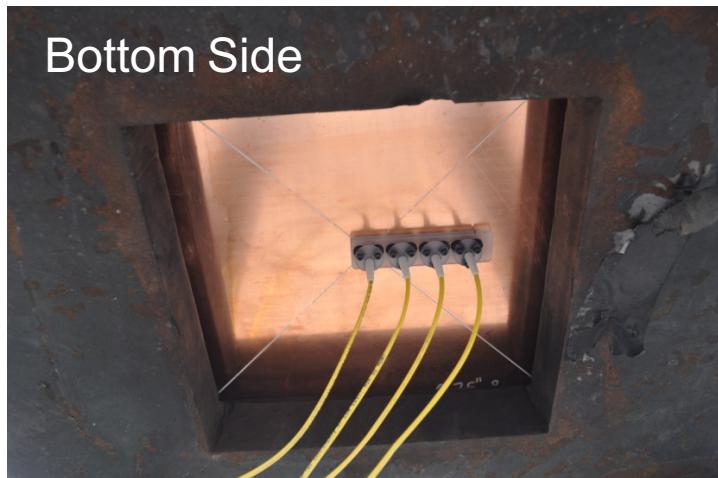


Table above shows the beat frequency that the PDV system will generate for a given target velocity.



1-inch Cu Plate PDV Test Configuration

- Explosive charge is placed on top of copper target plate
- Copper target plate sits atop a steel stand with a square hole cut in it.



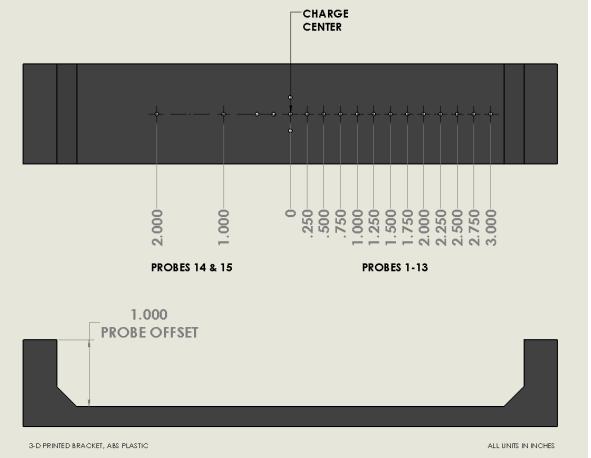
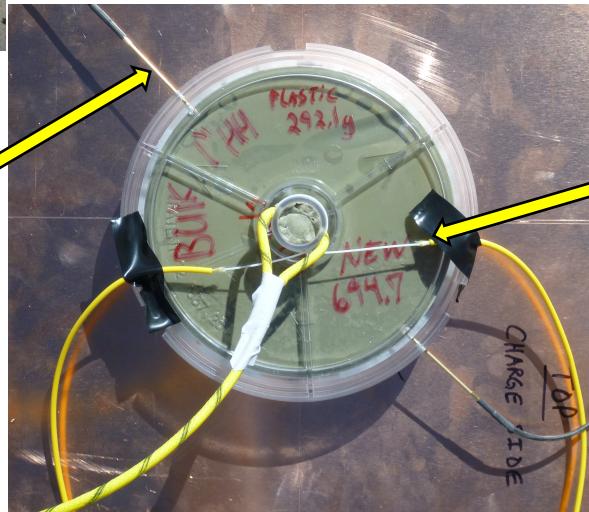
- Four collimated PDV optical probes are adhered to the bottom side of the copper plate.
- These probes will measure the free-surface velocity of the copper at different locations relating to the charge.



0.25-inch Cu Plate PDV Test Configuration



PZT pins for
diagnostic trigger



PDV break-fiber
as timing reference
for charge initiation



0.25-inch Cu Plate PDV Specifications

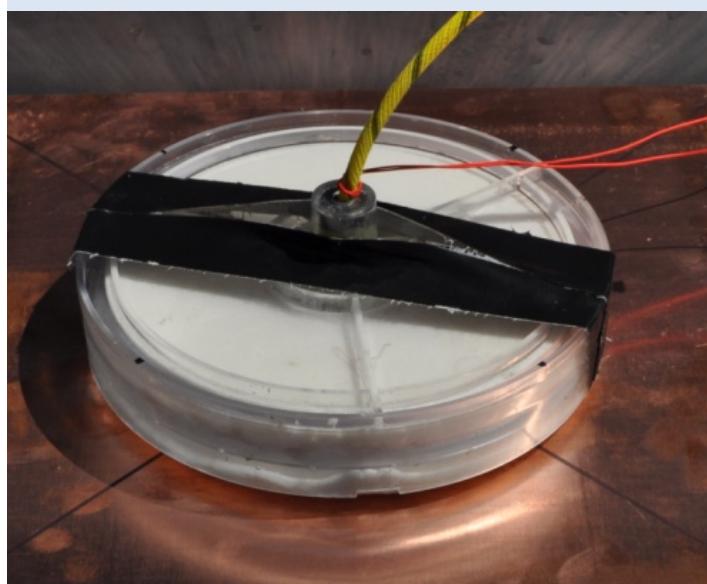
- 16 channel frequency-shifted photonic Doppler velocimetry (PDV) system
 - ~1550nm λ with tunable reference lasers (NKT Photonics)
 - 12.5GHz and 20GHz Miteq optical detectors
 - 8GHz / 40GS/s Keysight (Agilent) digitizers
 - AC Photonics collimating fiber probes, 9 μ m core
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Cylindrical Convergence Test Configuration

- The main body explosive charge is 1-inch thick

Bulk Charge



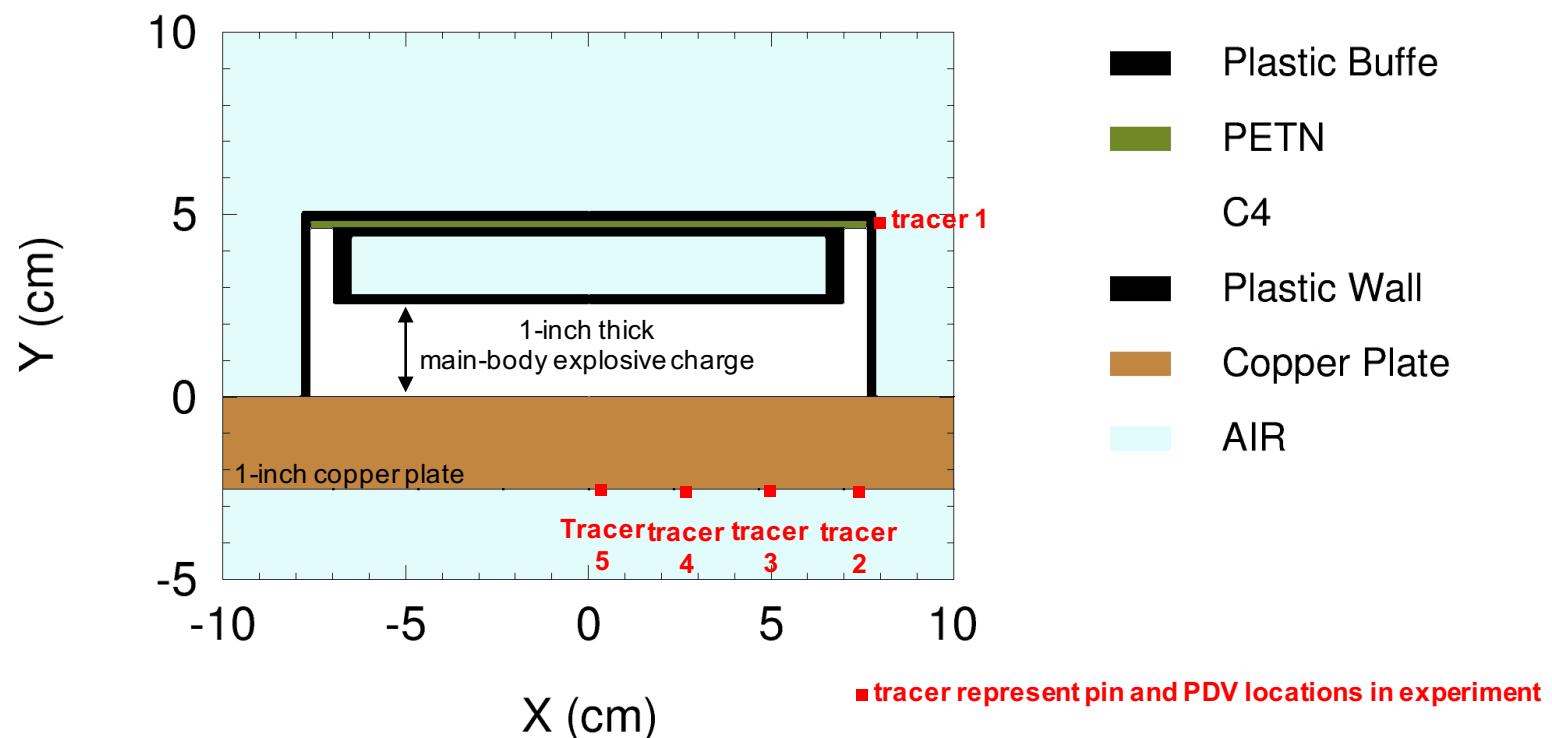
Cylindrical Comp C4 Charge





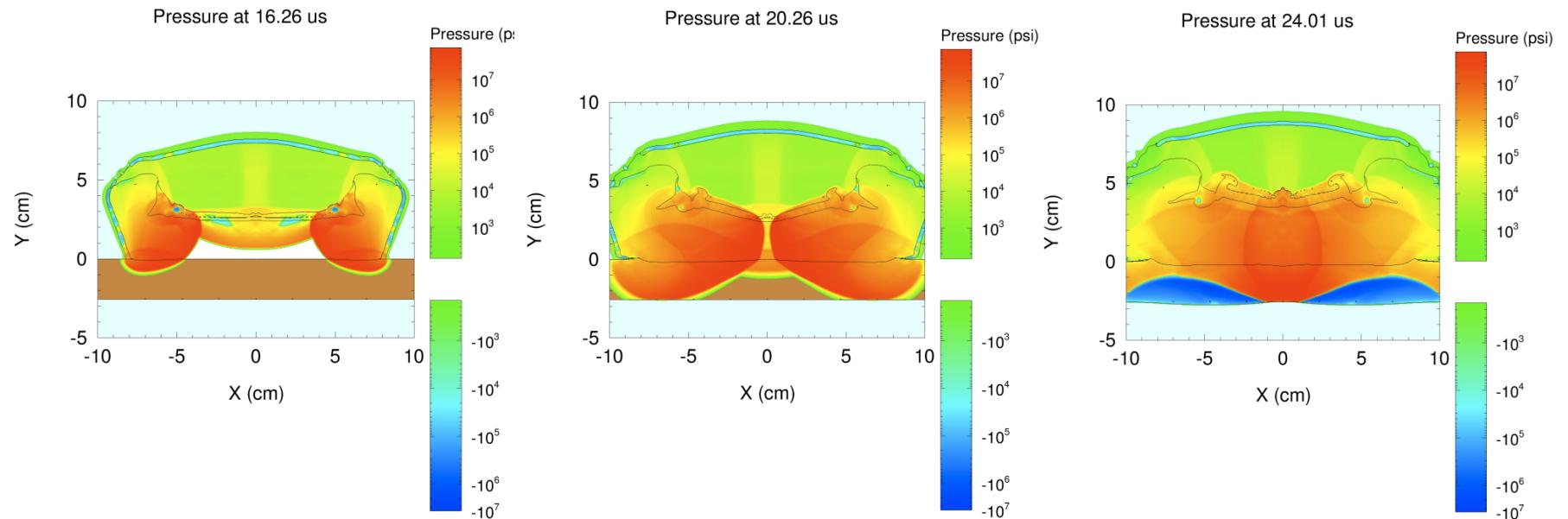
3D Simulation of Cylindrical Convergence

- Material plot at 0.00 us / 6-inch diameter by 1-inch height main body explosive charge





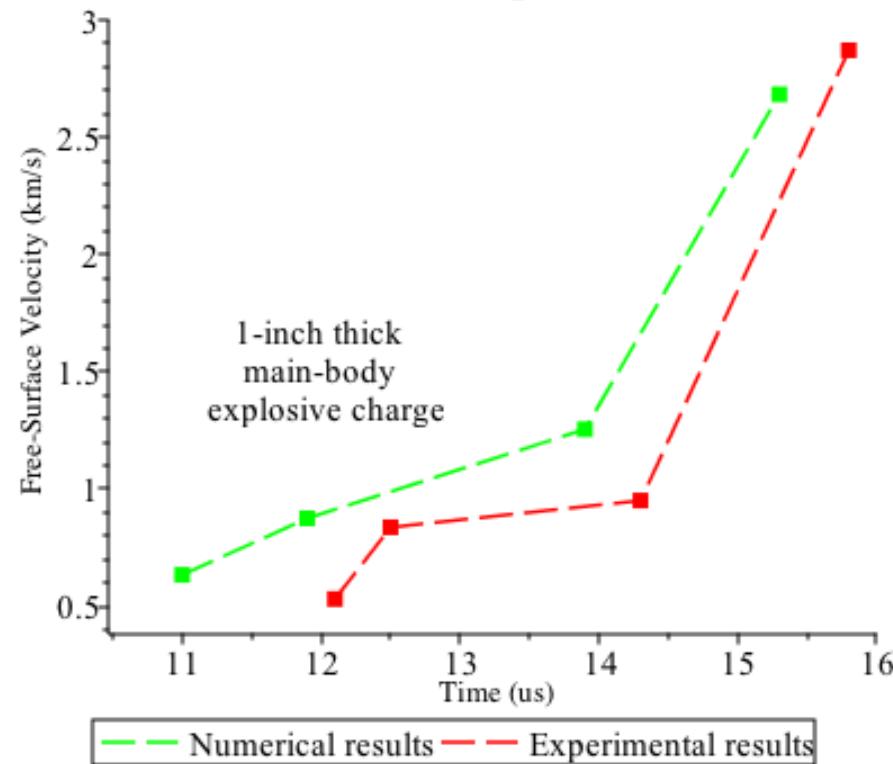
3D Computer Simulation





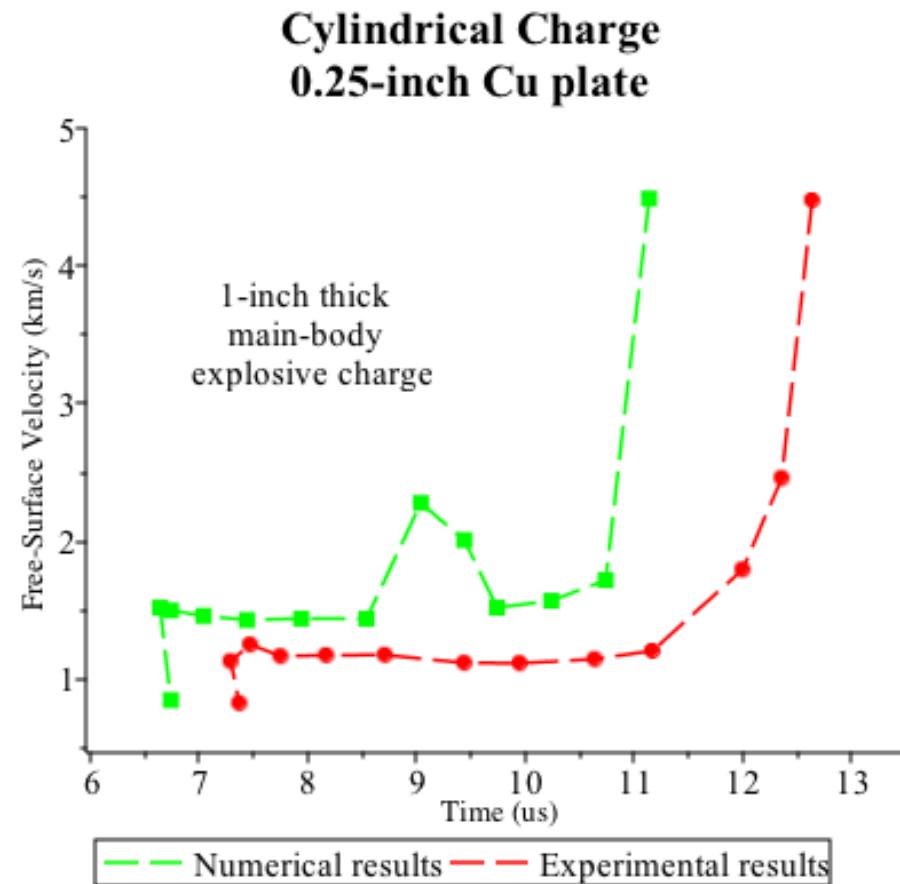
Numerical/Empirical Results

**Cylindrical Charge
1-inch Cu plate**



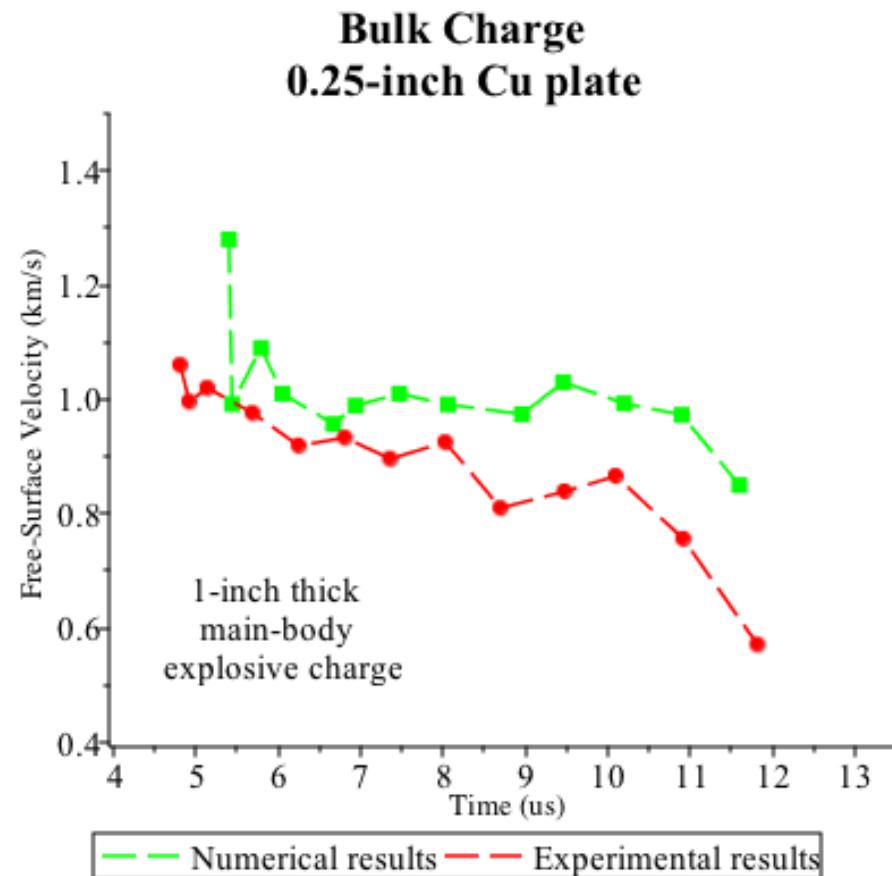


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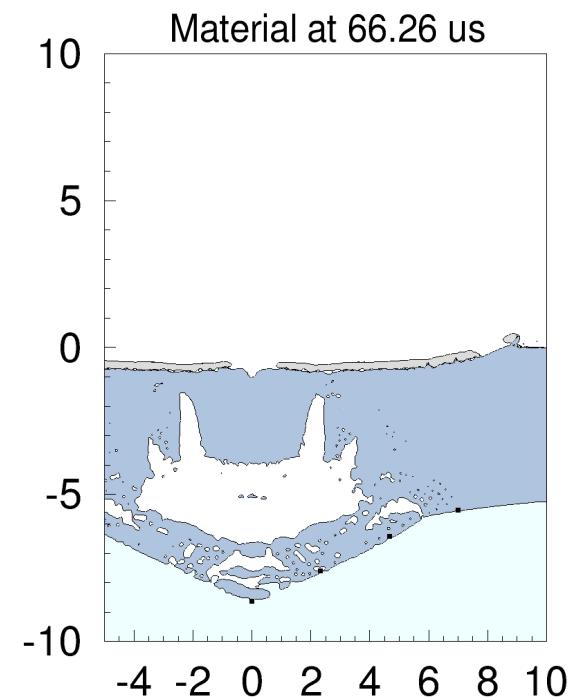
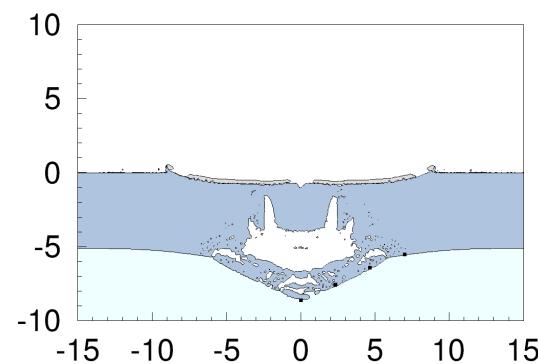
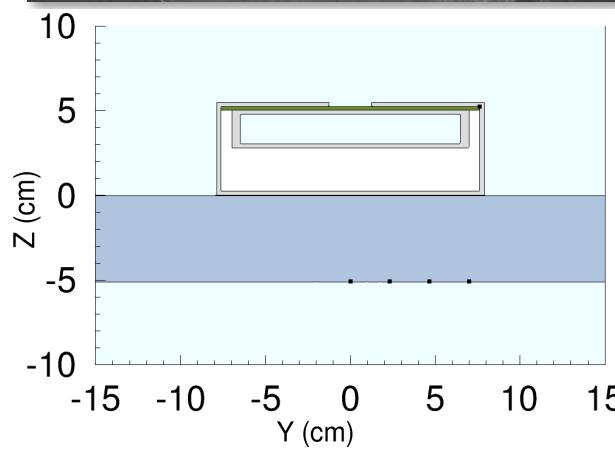


Numerical/Empirical Results





Rarefaction Shock Wave



This pocket and smooth spall surface represents a rarefaction shock region based on an iron polymorphic transformation* from $\alpha - \epsilon$ in iron and steel



Phase Change

- This pocked and smooth spall surface represents a rarefaction shock region based on an iron polymorphic transformation* from $\alpha - \epsilon$ in iron and steel



Smooth fracture surface caused by a rarefaction shock wave



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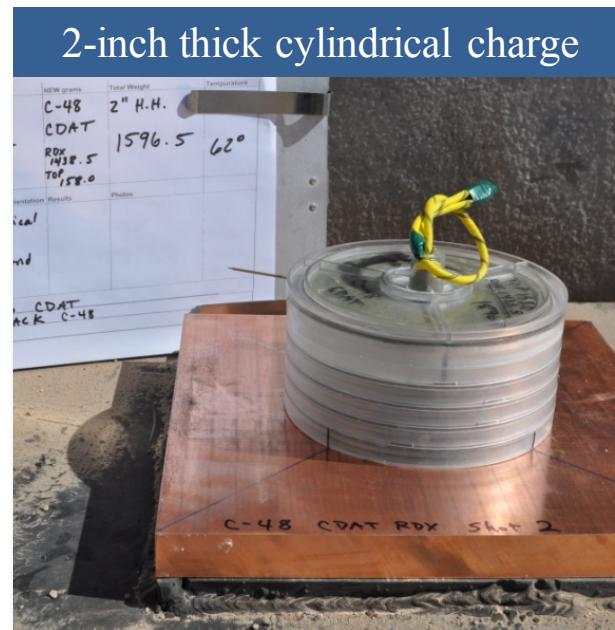
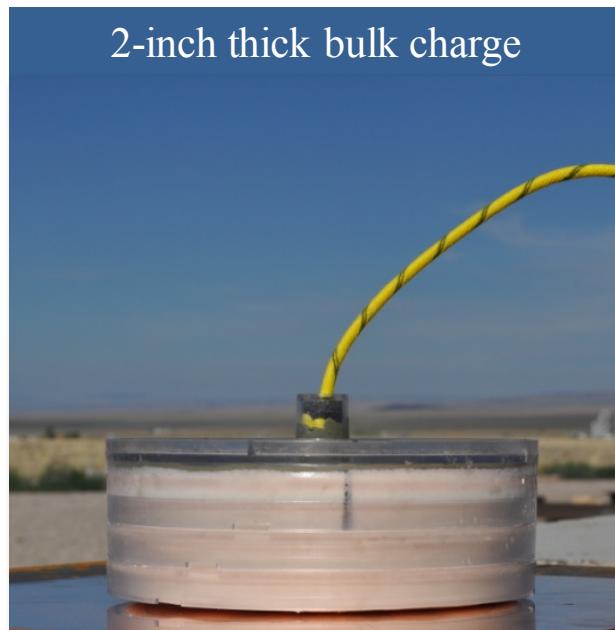
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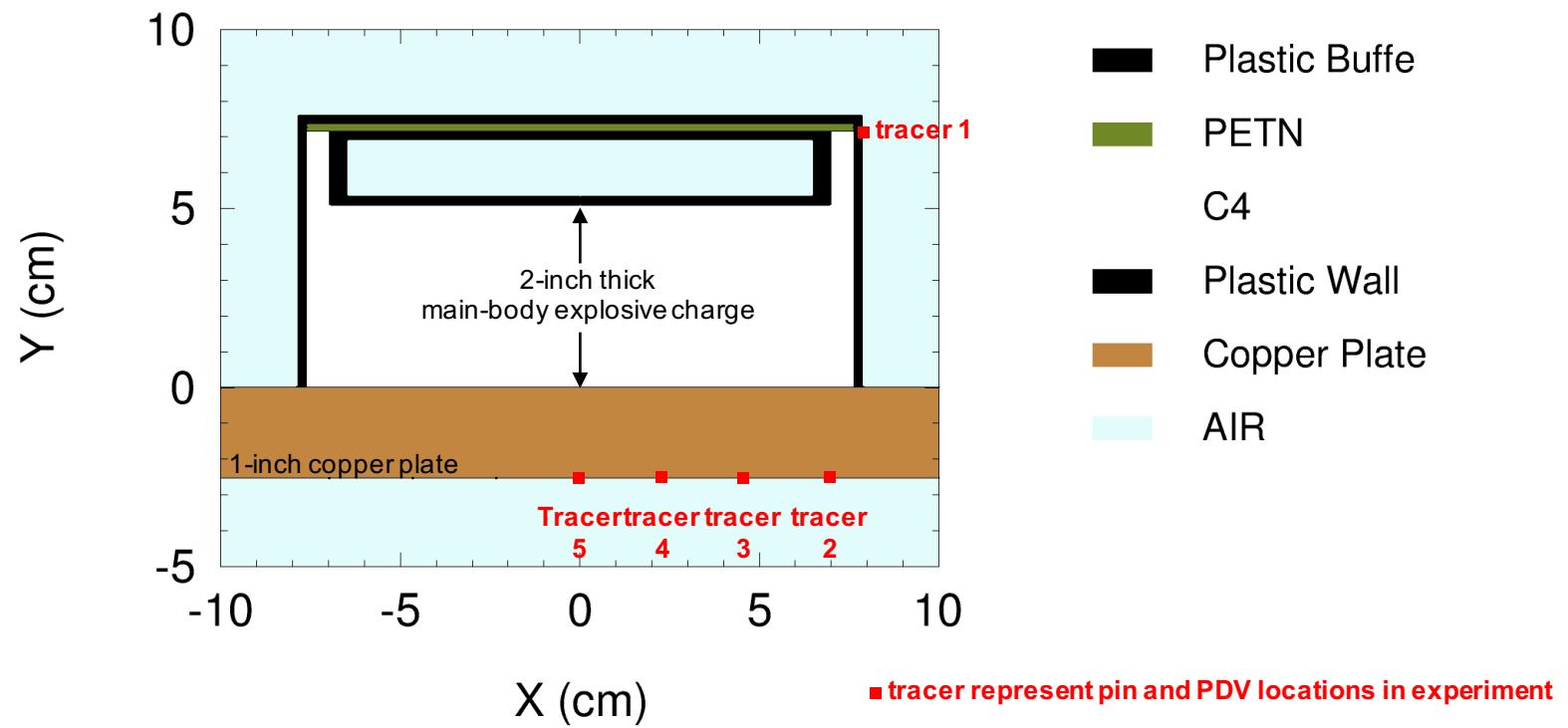
Pre-Experiment Photos

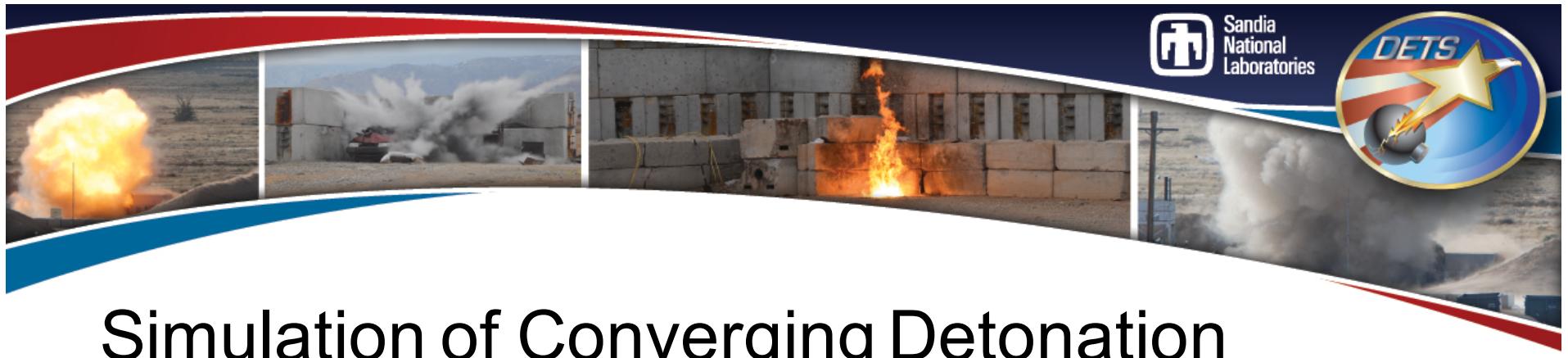
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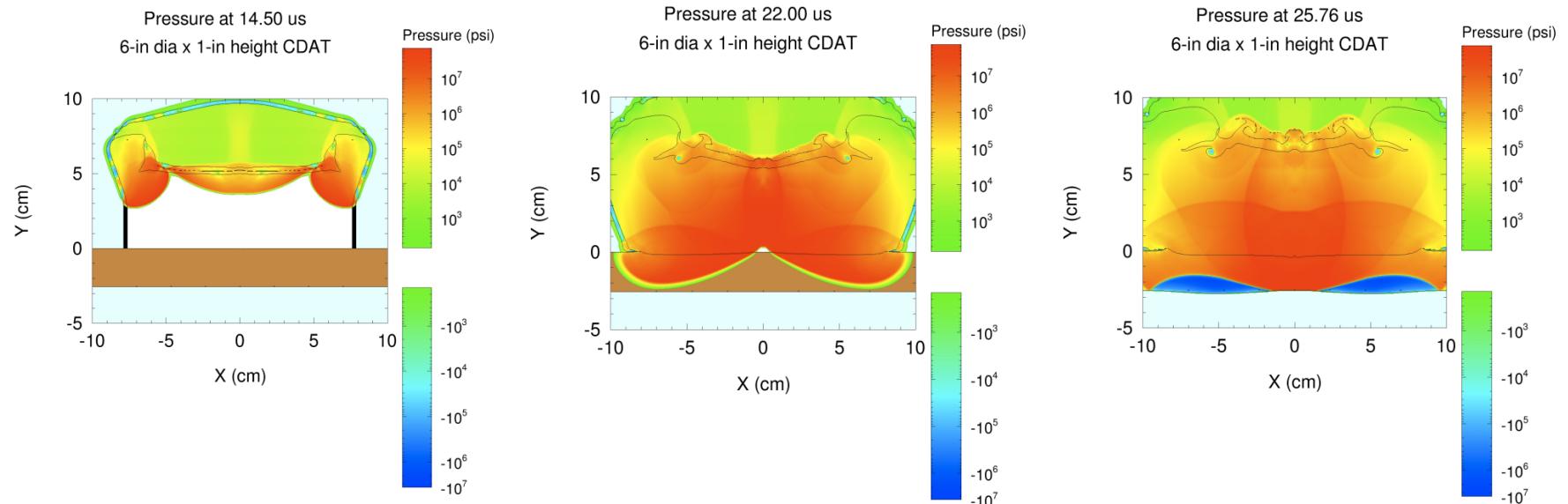


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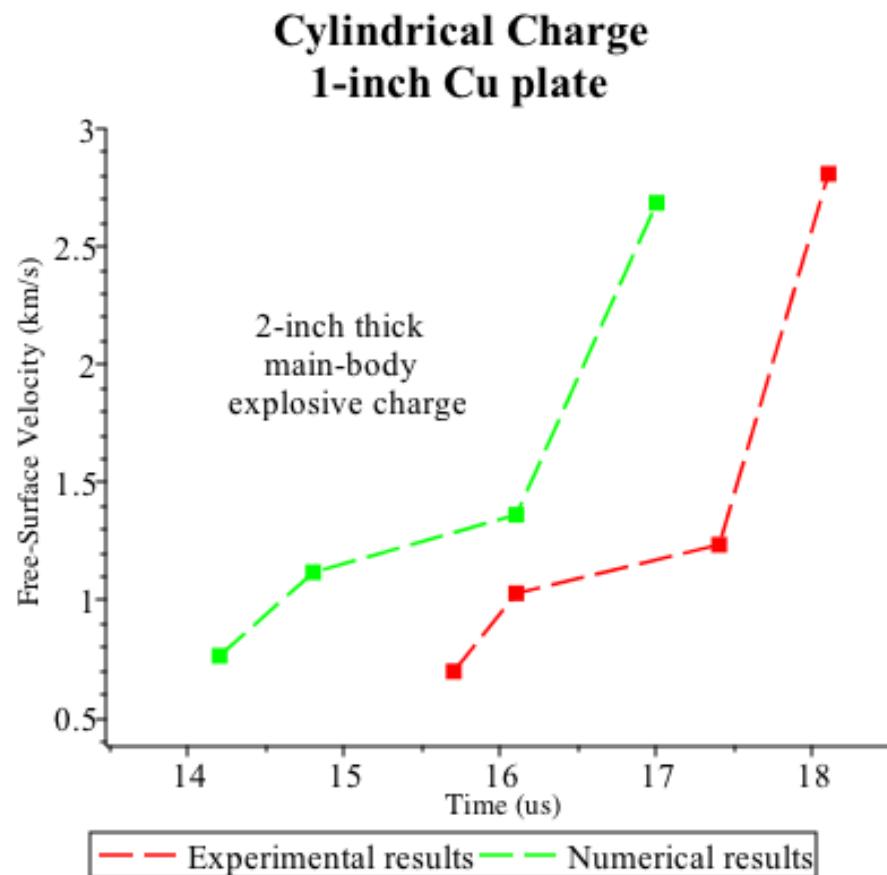


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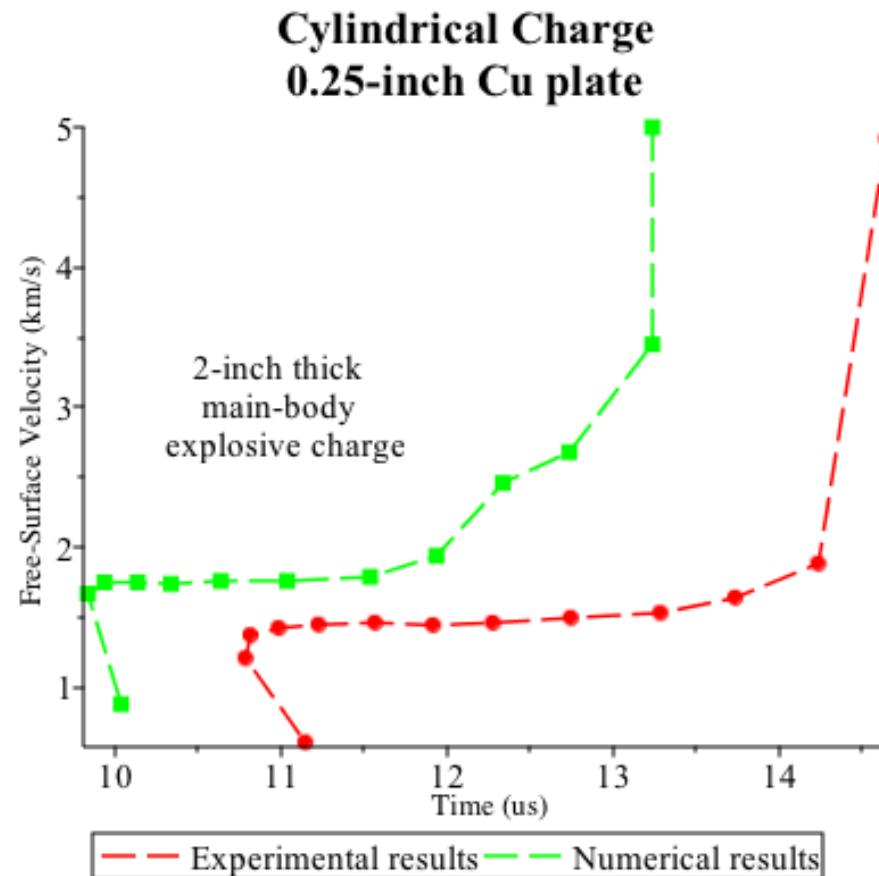


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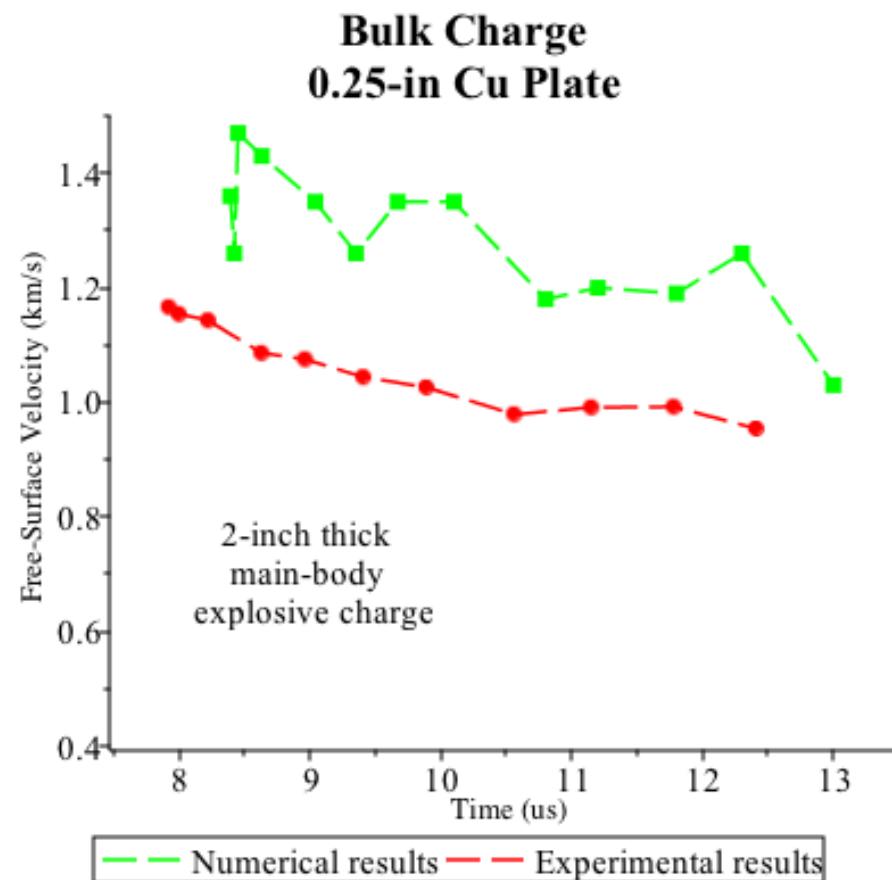


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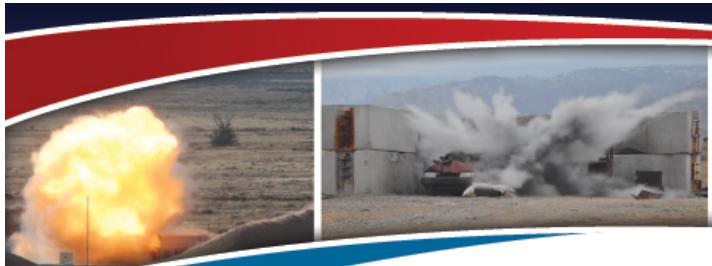




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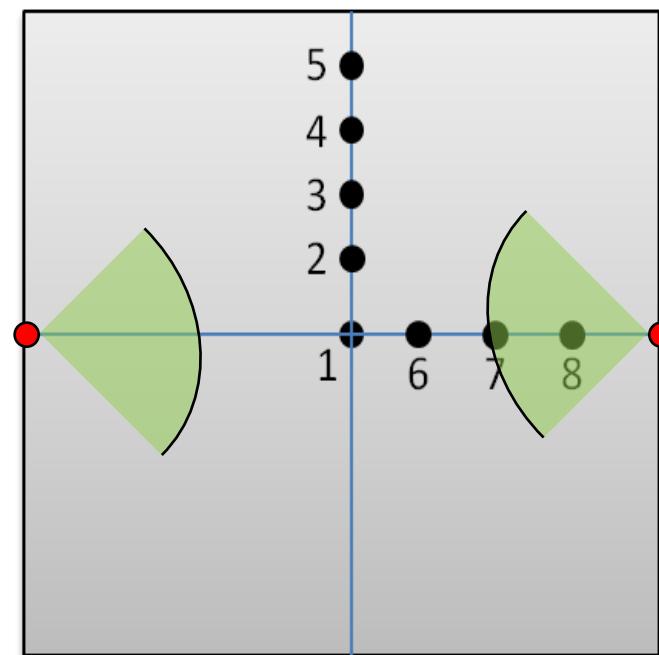
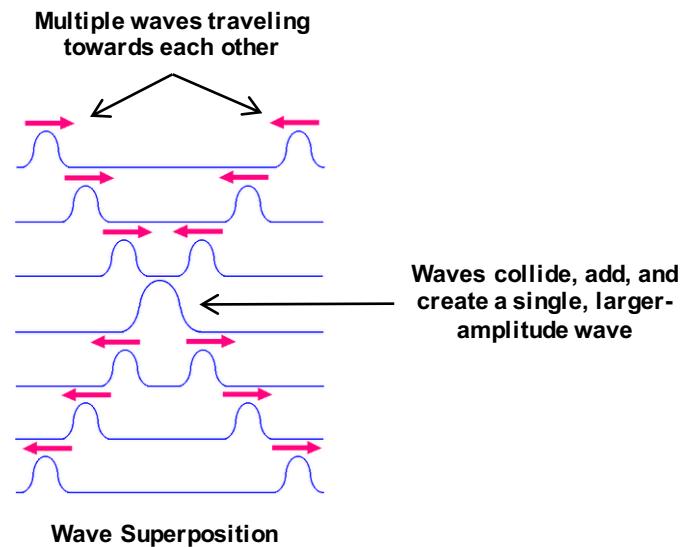


Experimental results missing center and end points. Probes were bad



Two Point Convergence

- Diagram of PDV locations

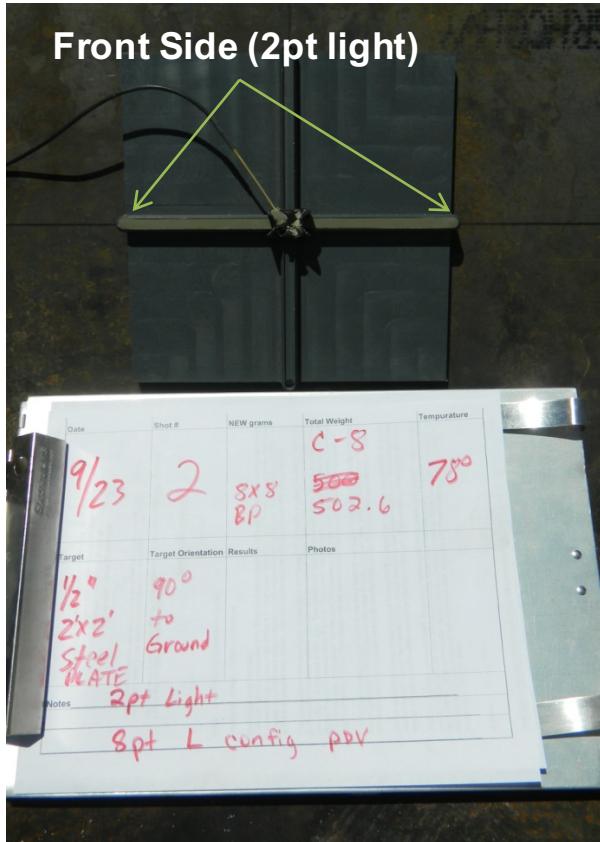


Two-point Light



Two Point Convergence

8 External PDV Probes





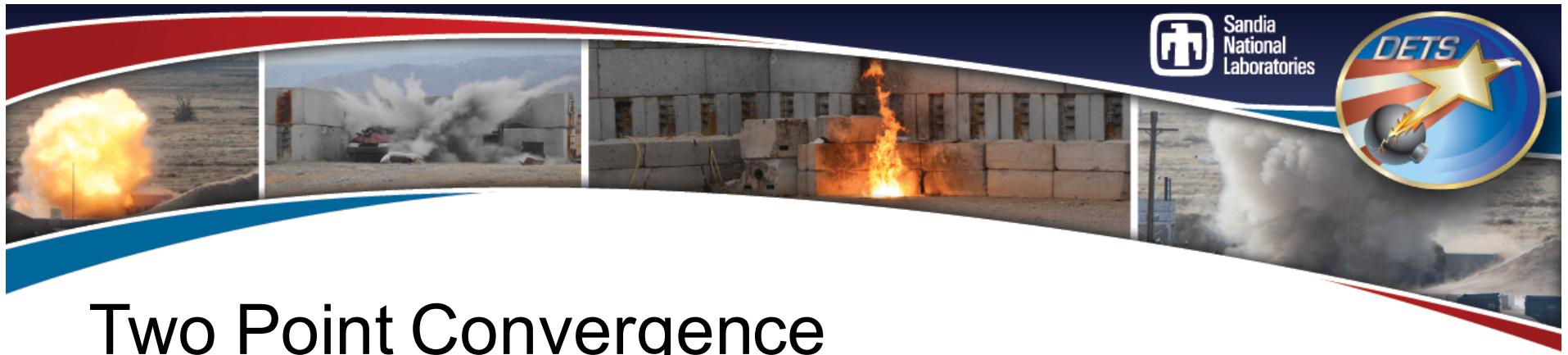
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Post Shot Photos

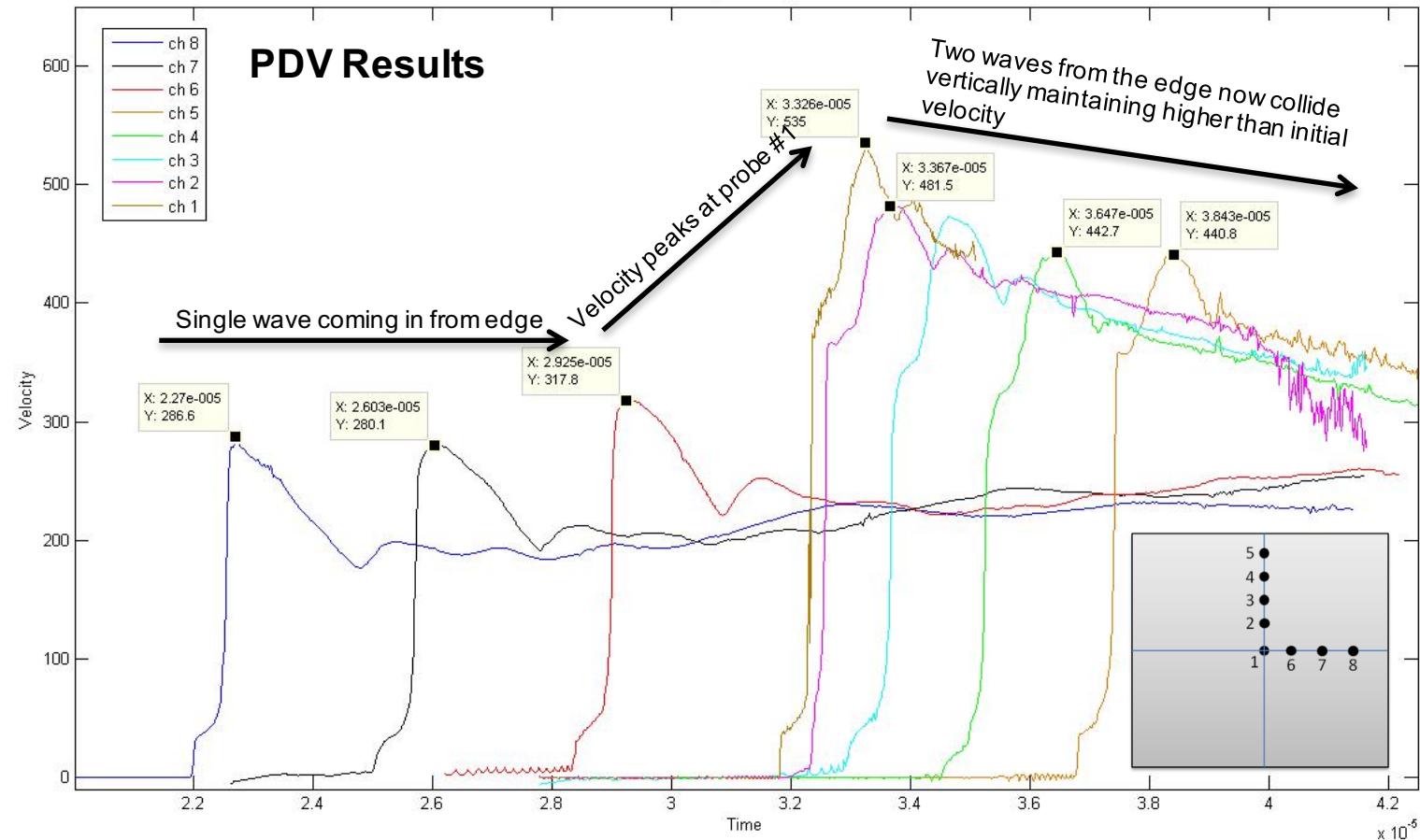


Again, post shot “prints” left on the tear location indicates precise PDV probe location(s).



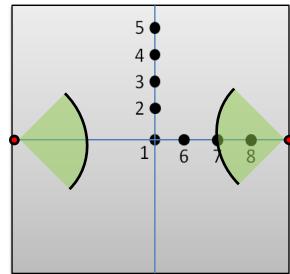


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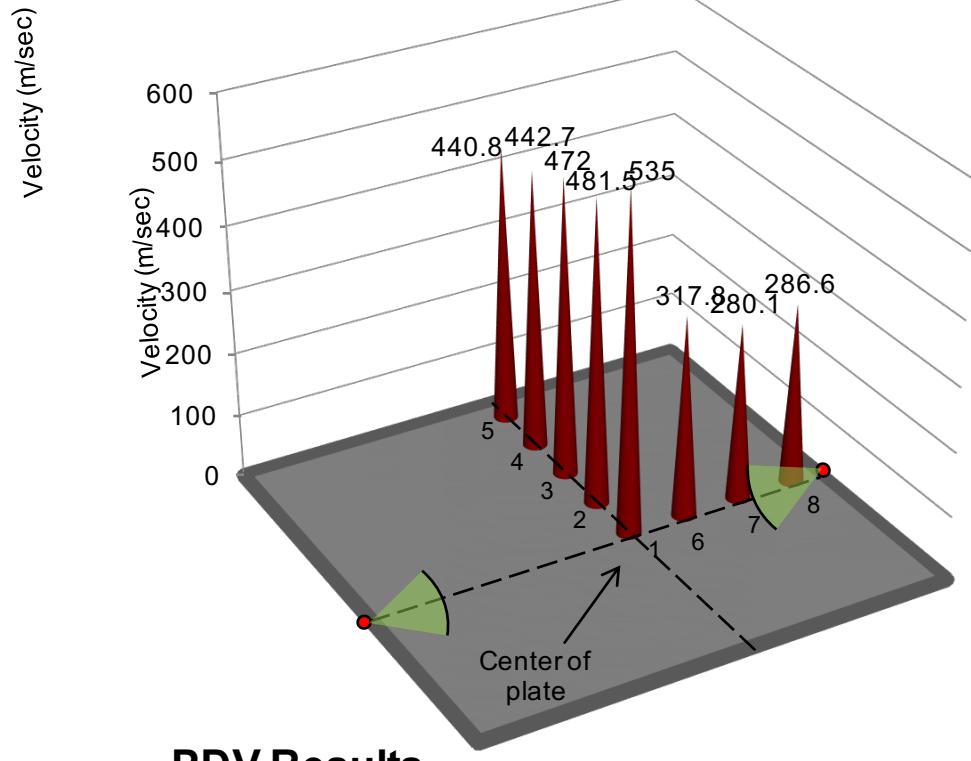
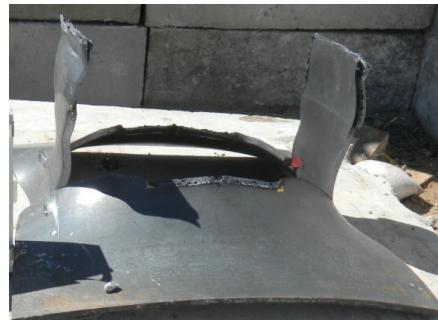




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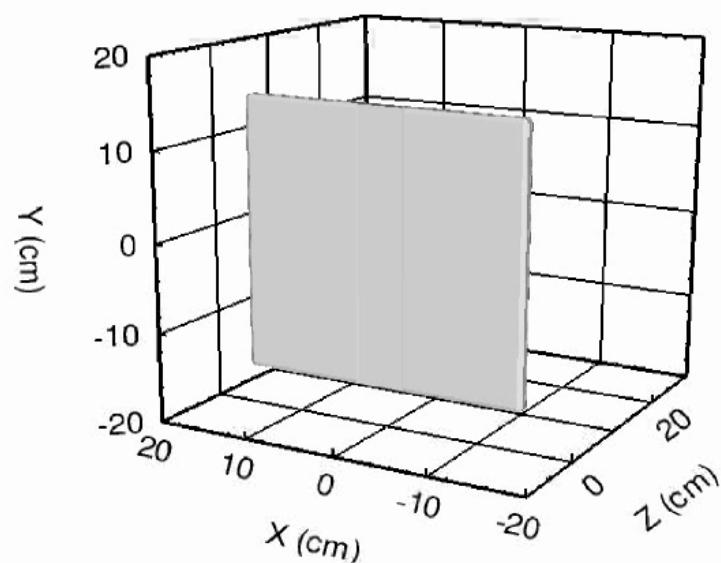


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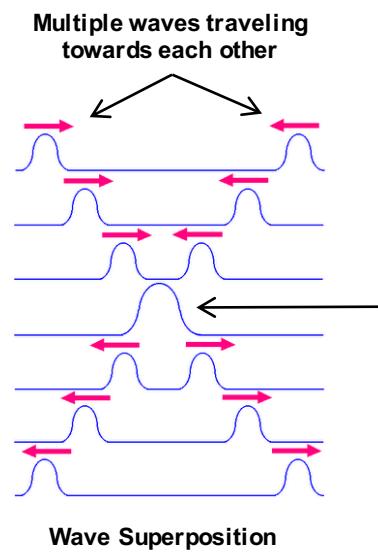
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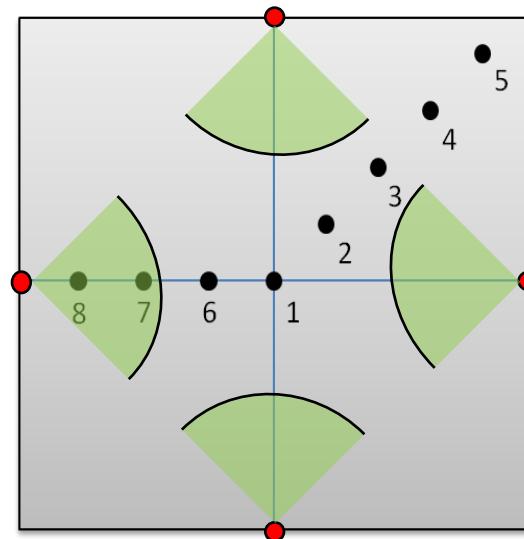
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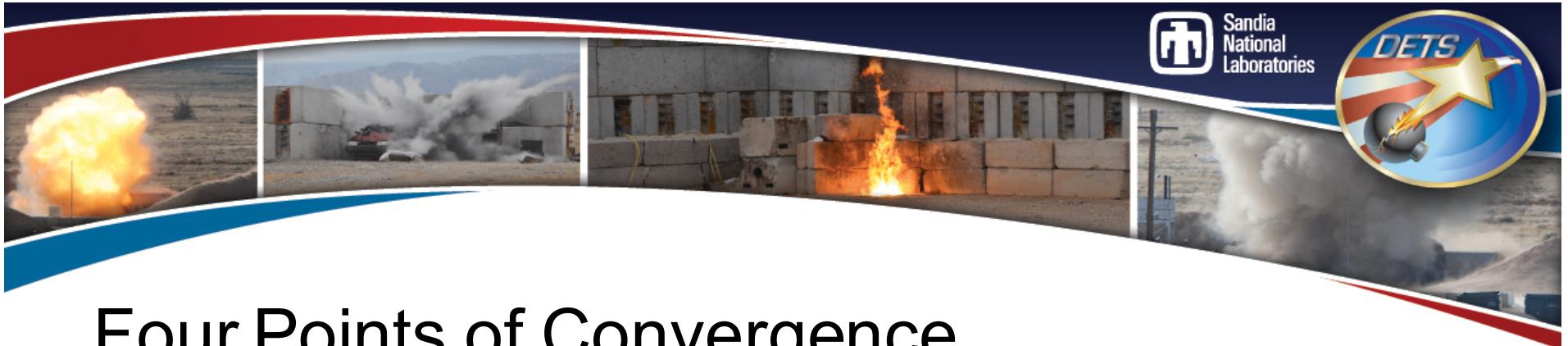


Four Point PDV Placement



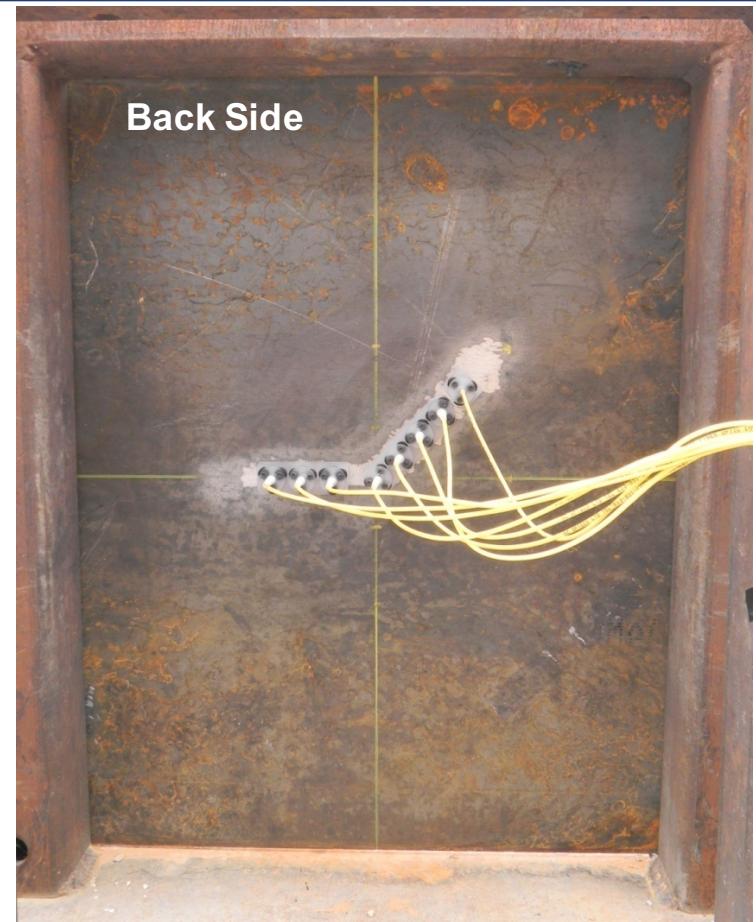
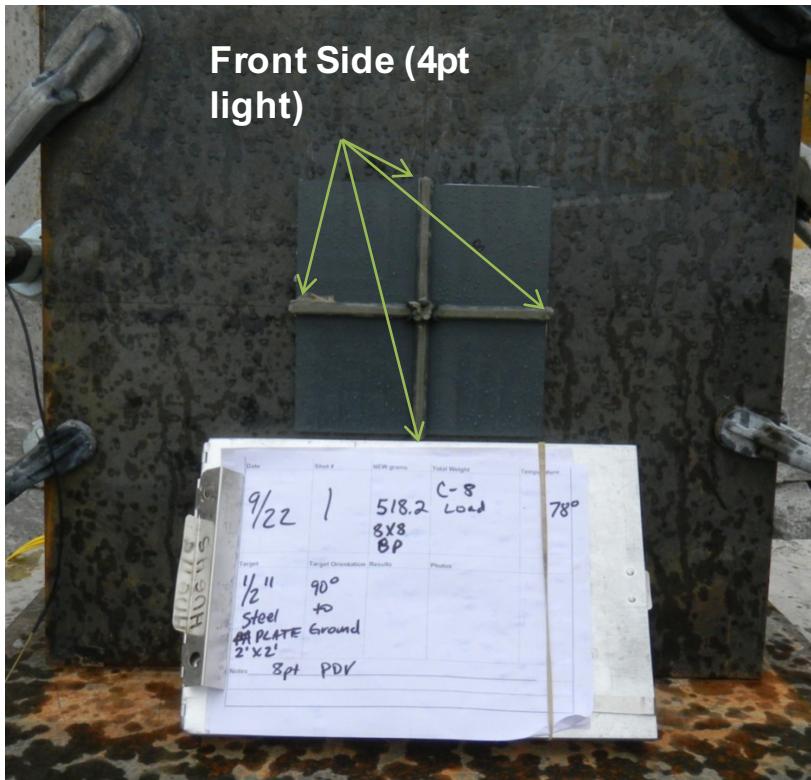
Waves collide, add, and create a single, larger-amplitude wave

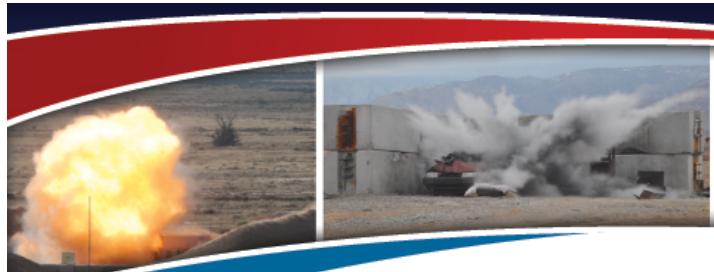




Four Points of Convergence

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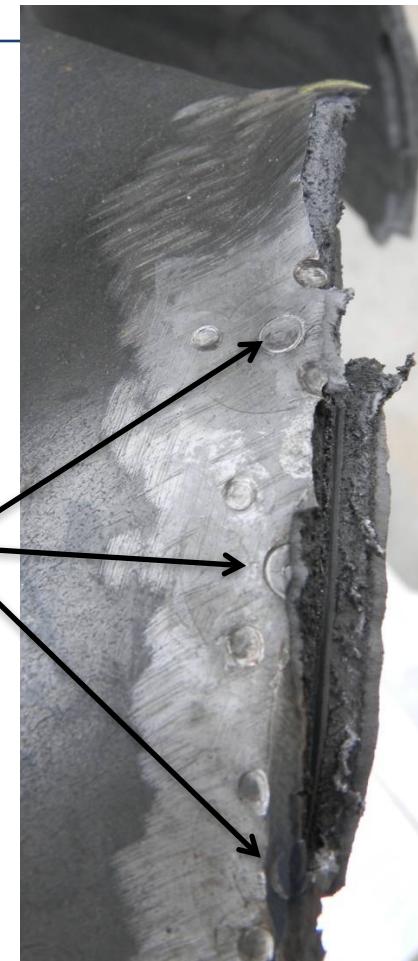


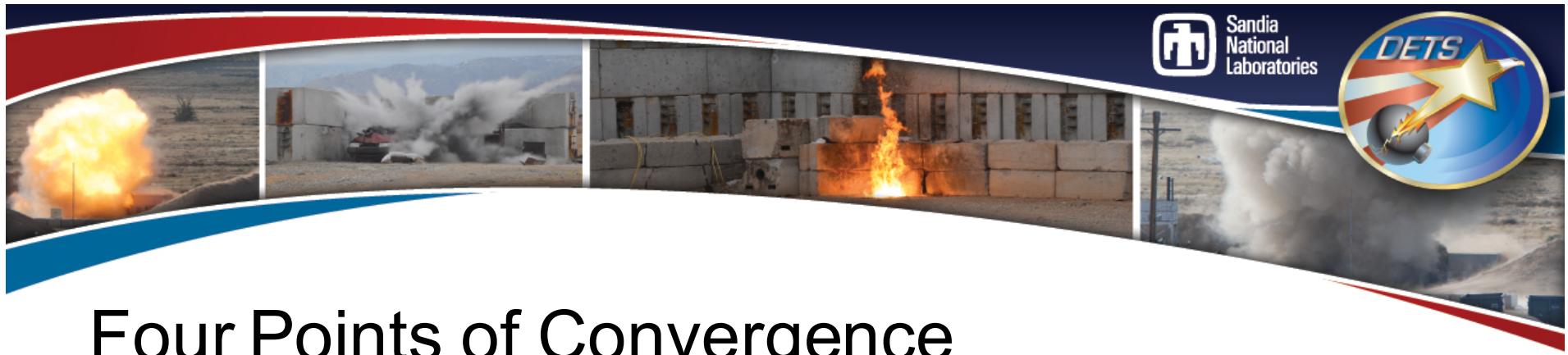


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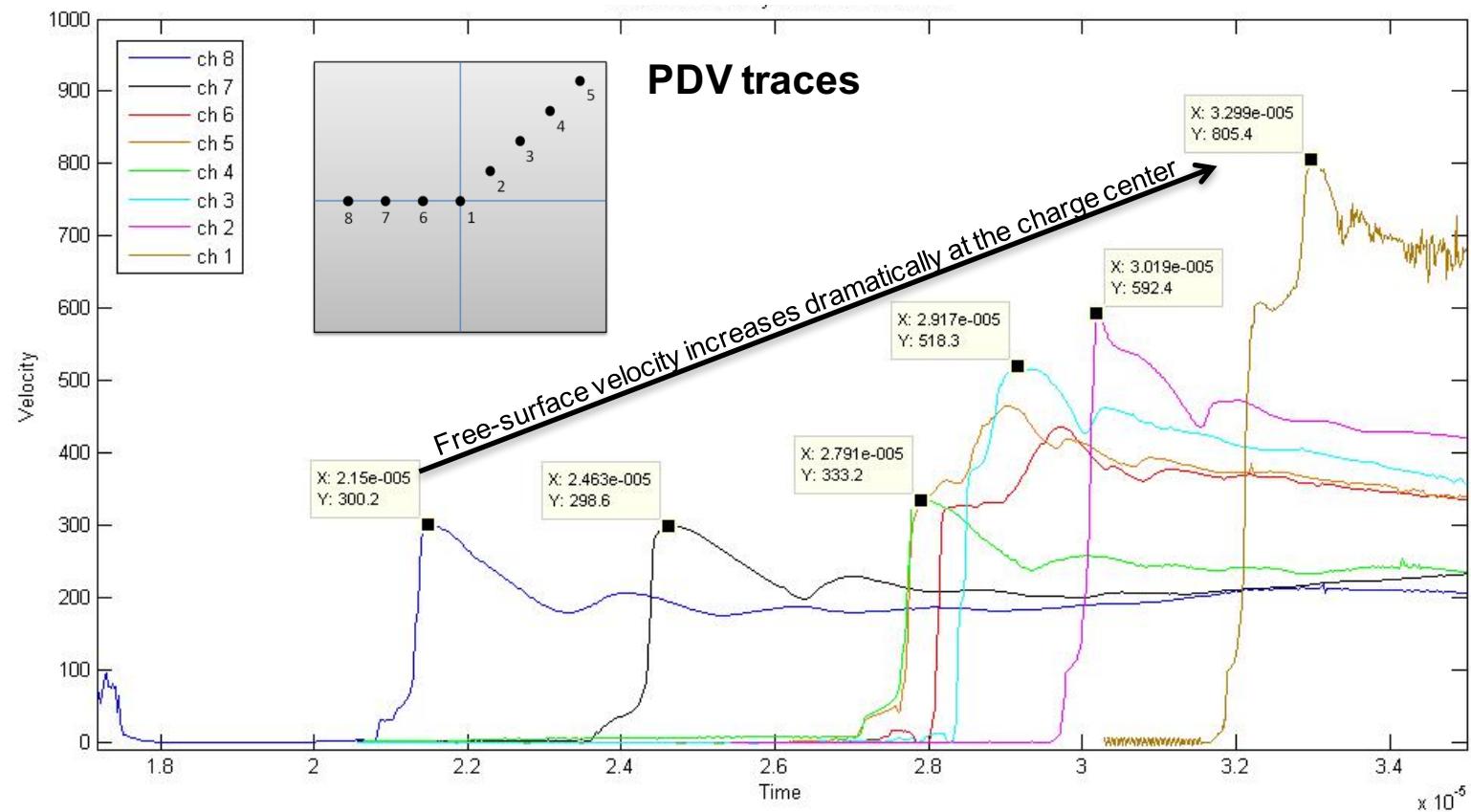


Post shot
“prints” left
on the tear
location
indicates
excellent
PDV probe
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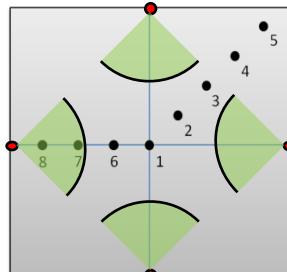


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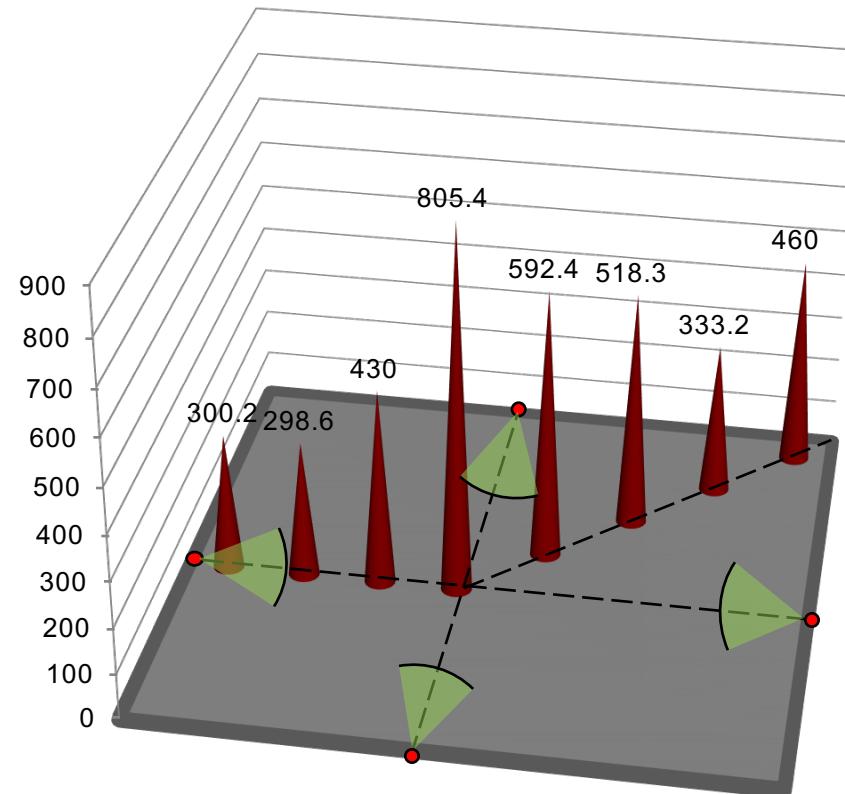




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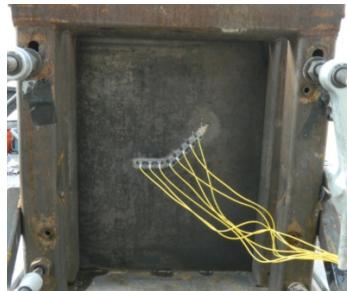
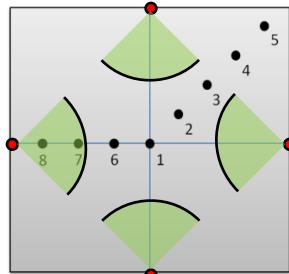
Four-point Light



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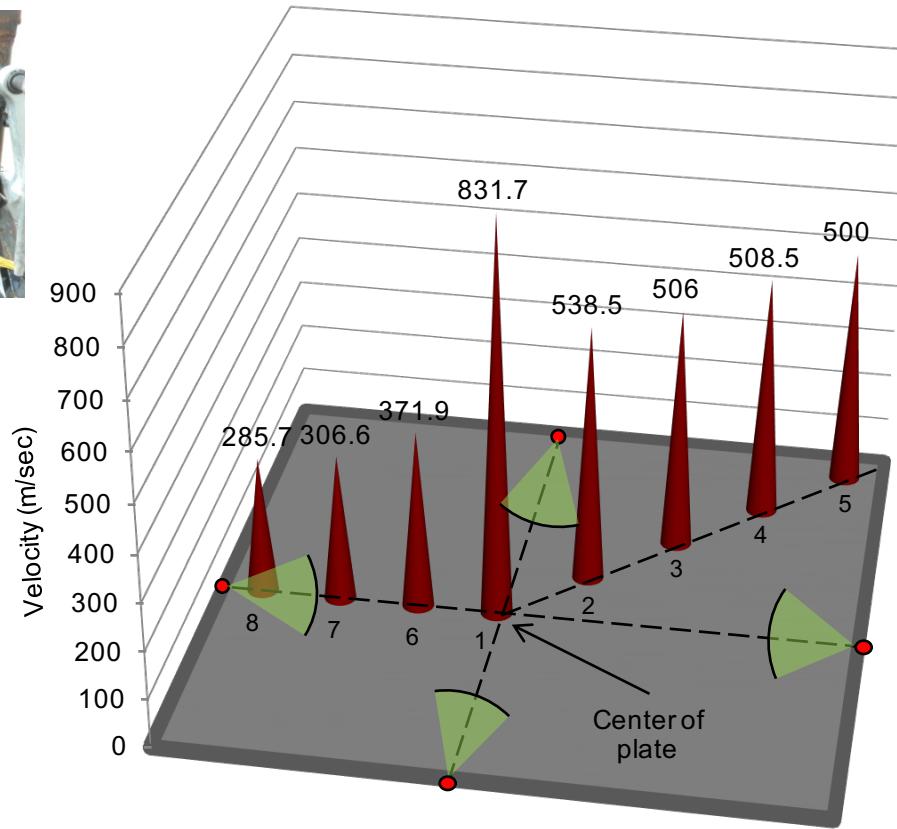


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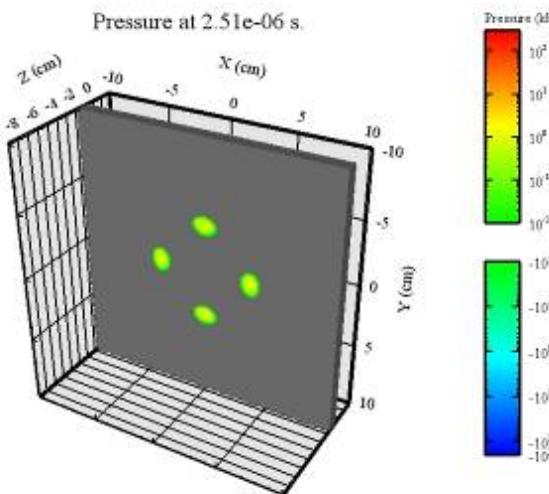
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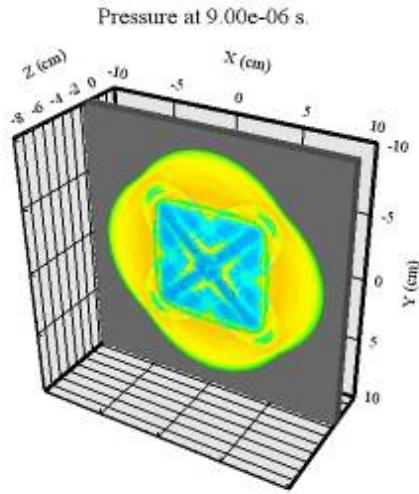
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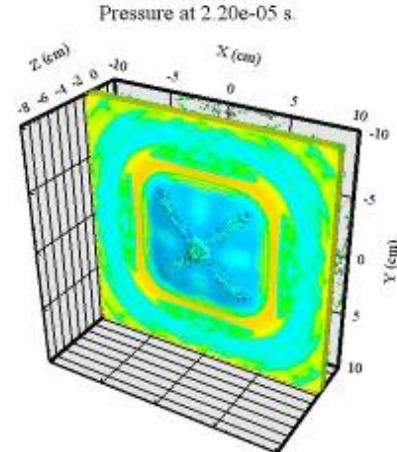
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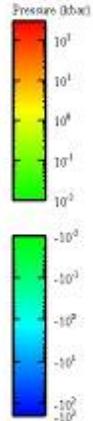
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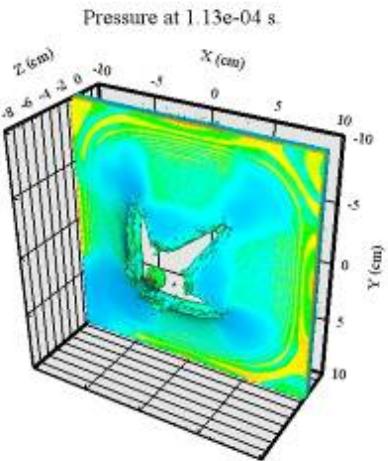
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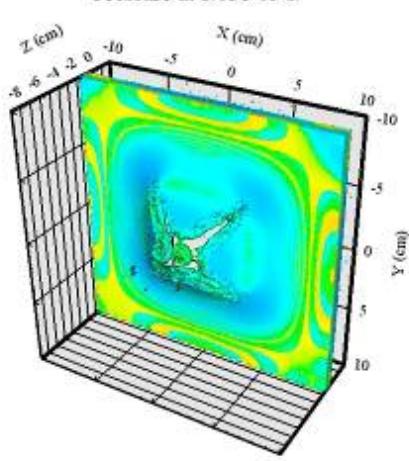
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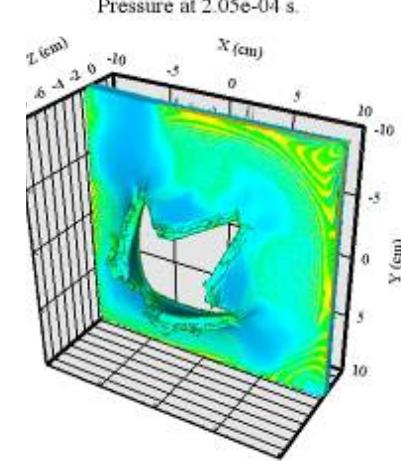
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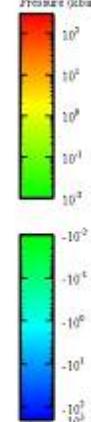
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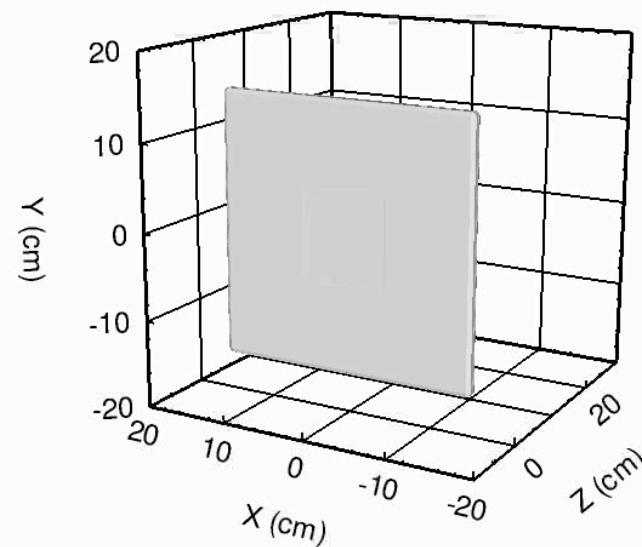


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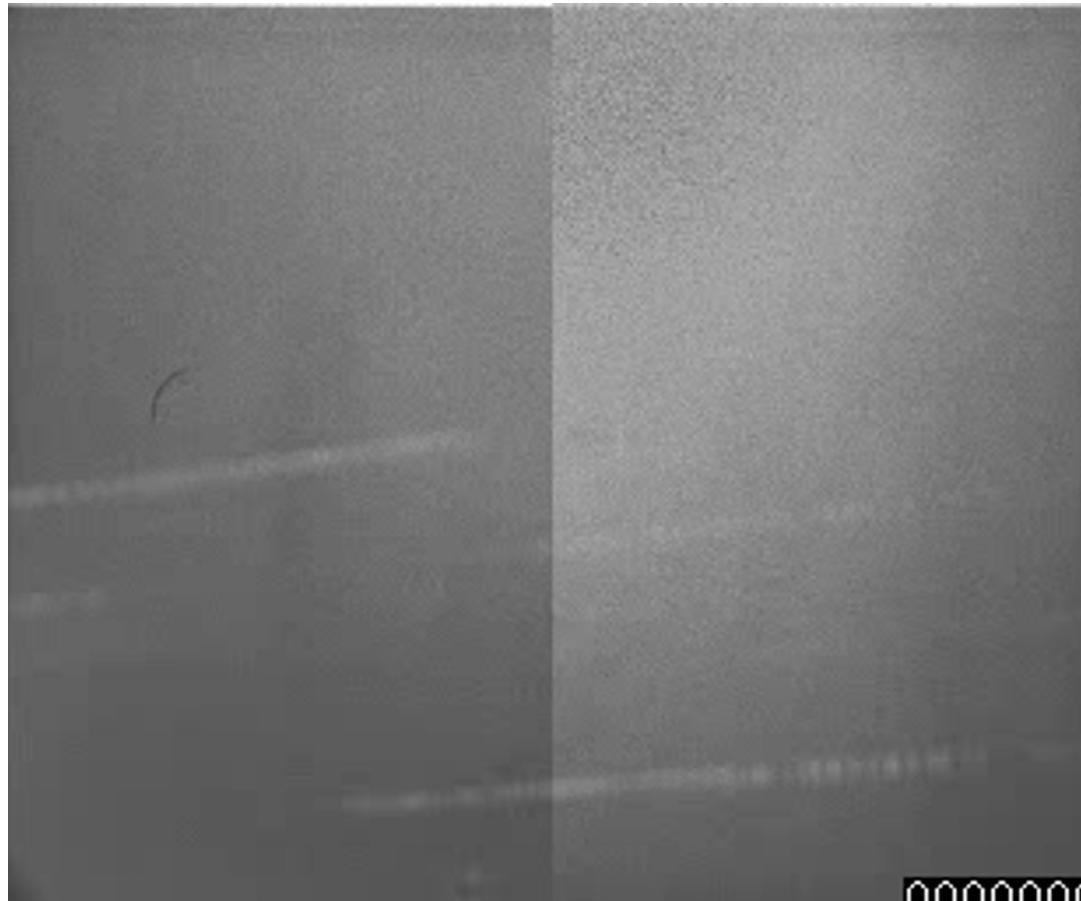
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