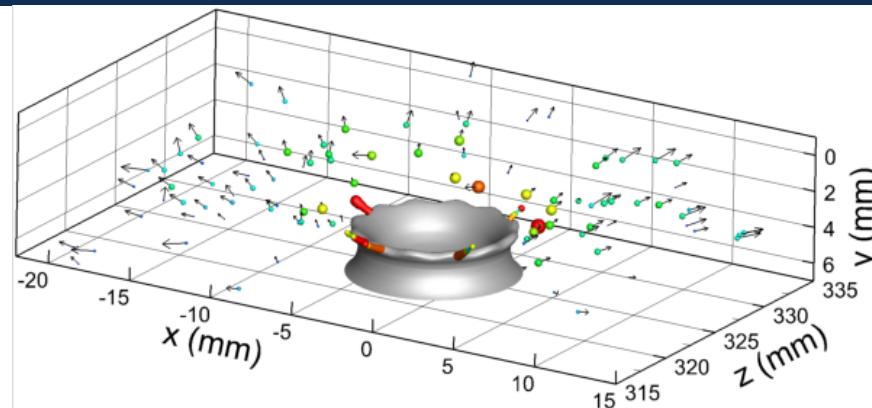
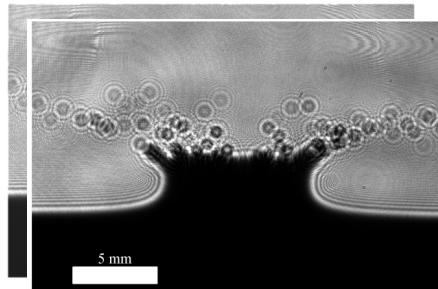


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# High-Speed (20 kHz) Digital In-line Holography (DIH) to Quantify the Impact of a Viscous Drop on a Thin Film

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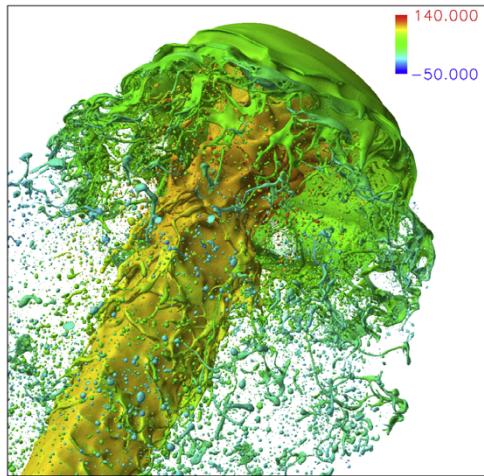
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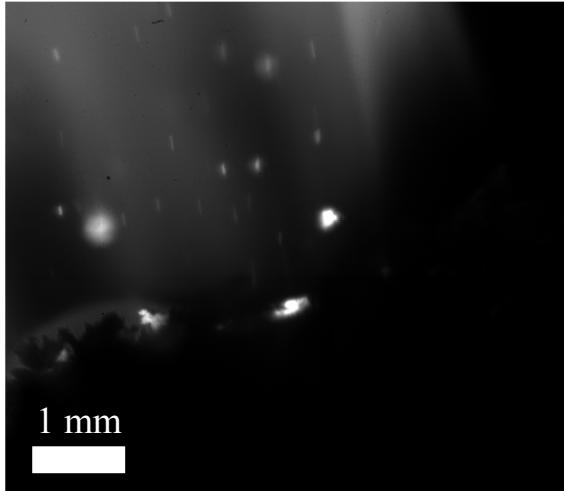
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# Motivation: Single-shot particle statistics

Multi-phase particle flows are often transient and highly 3D



Shinjo and Umemura, 2010,  
*Int. J. Multiphase Flow*

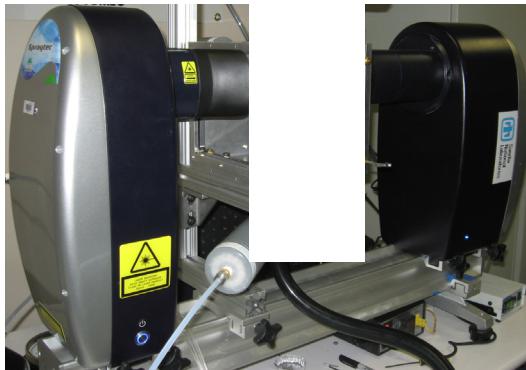


high-speed video of a burning propellant



impact of a water drop on a thin-film.  
Guildenbecher et al, 2013, *Exp. Fluids*.

Yet our diagnostics are mostly limited to 1D or 2D



laser diffraction



phase Doppler

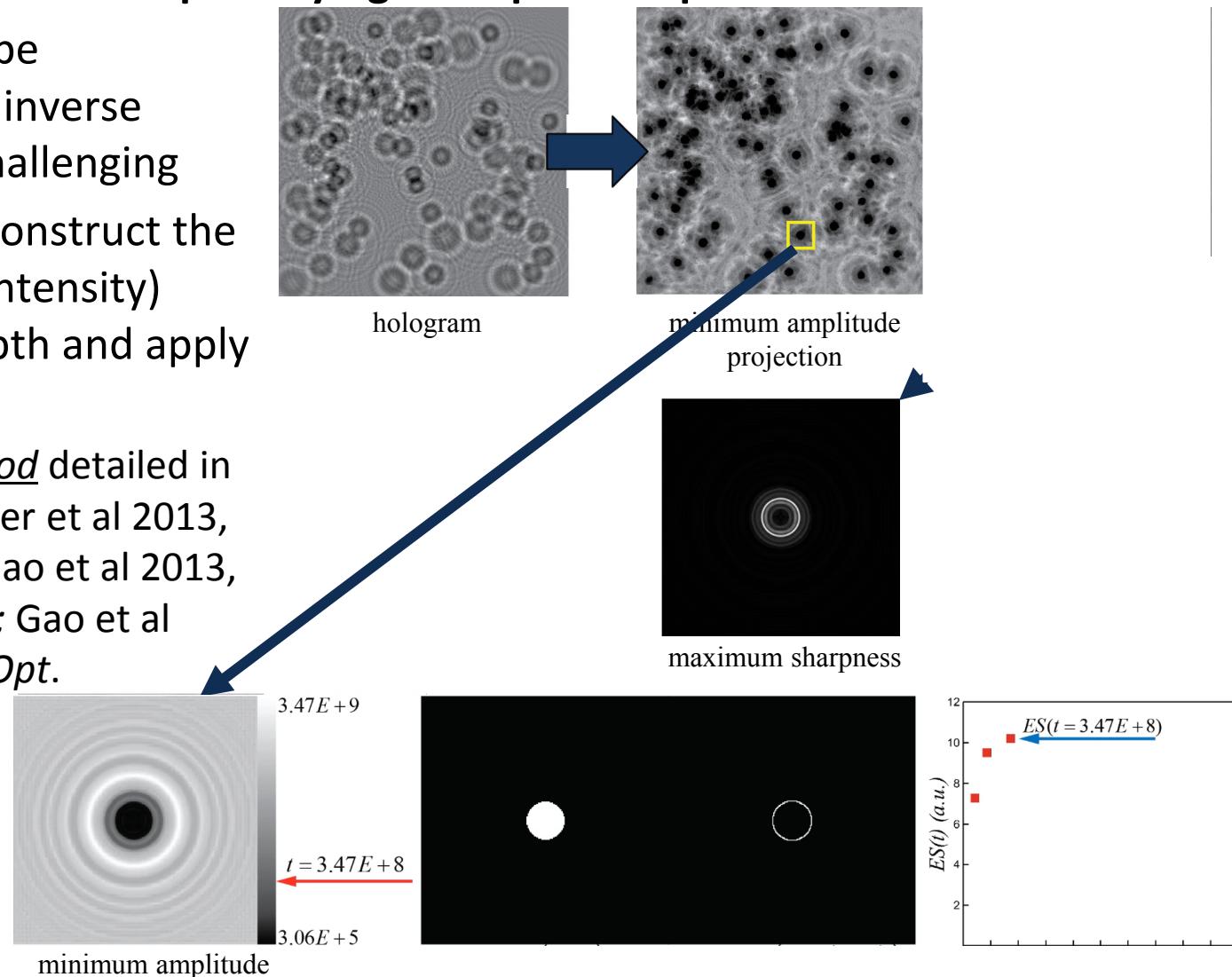
**Digital Holography is one potential solution**

- Large 3D measurement volumes → 1000s of particles from single-shot experiments
- High-speed recording for transient dynamics
- Direct imaging of non-spherical particles

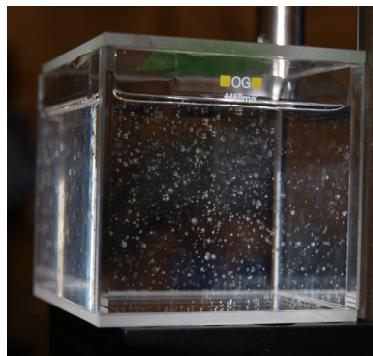
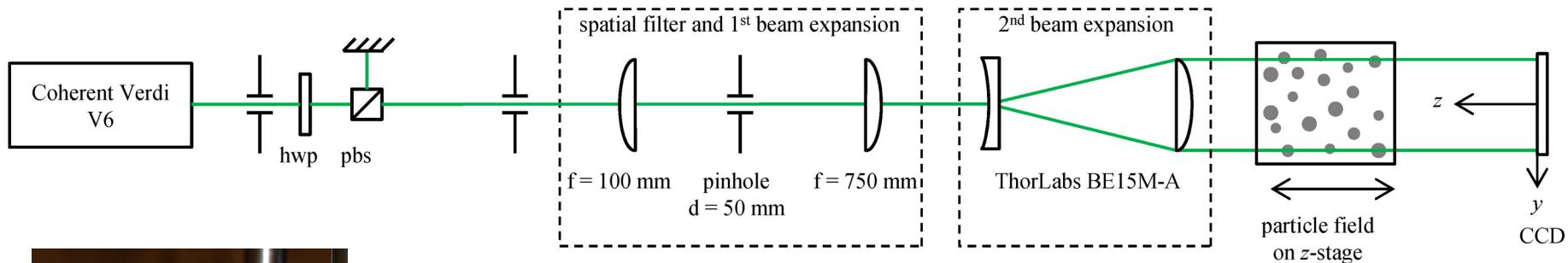
# Hybrid method for particle measurement

We are most interested in quantifying non-spherical particles

- No *a-priori* shape information → inverse methods are challenging
- Instead, we reconstruct the amplitude (or intensity) throughout depth and apply a focus metric
  - Hybrid method detailed in Guildenbecher et al 2013, *Appl. Opt.*; Gao et al 2013, *Opt. Express*; Gao et al 2014, *Appl. Opt.*

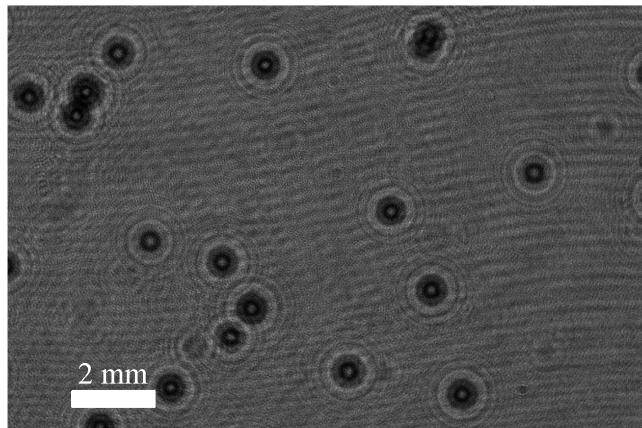


# Experimental validation

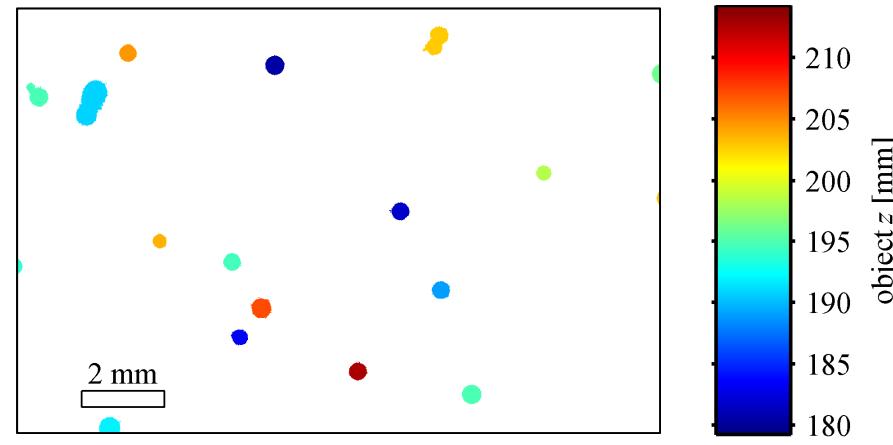


particle field

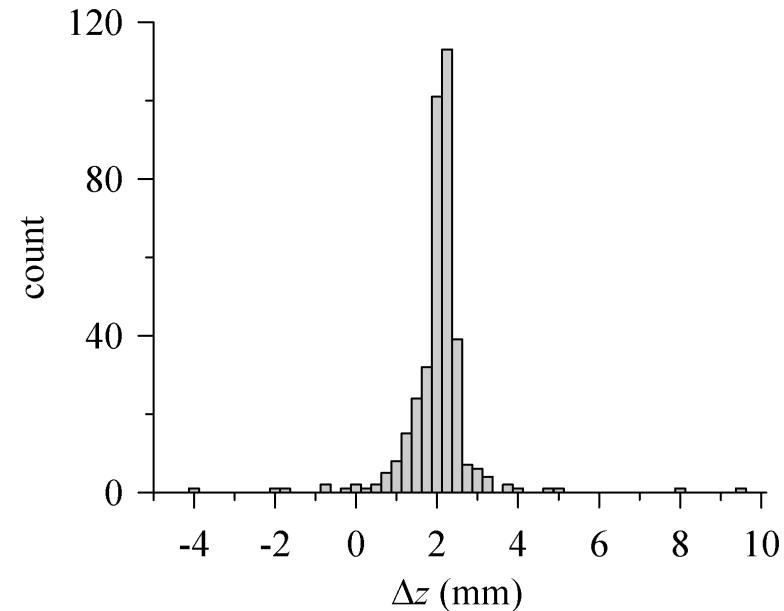
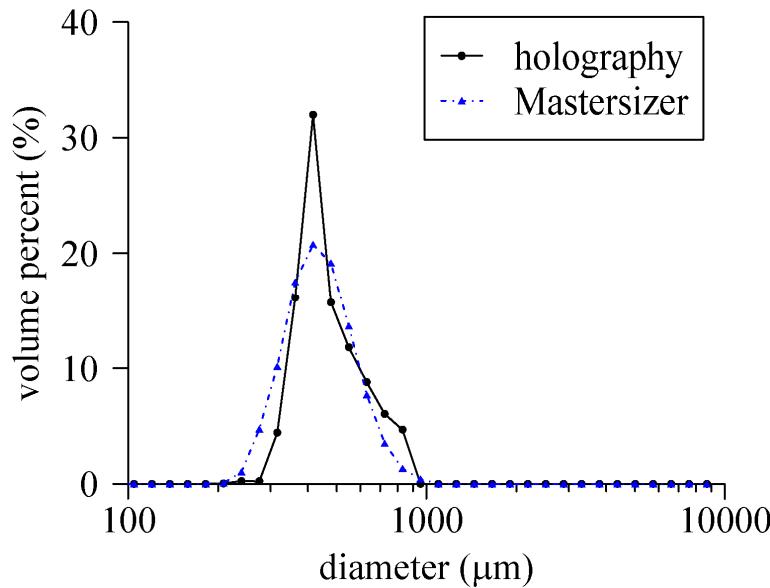
- Quasi-stationary particle field
  - Polystyrene beads ( $\bar{d} \approx 465 \mu\text{m}$ ) in 10,000 cSt silicone oil
  - Settling velocity  $\approx 0.8 \mu\text{m/s}$
- Multiple holograms recorded, displacing the particle field 2 mm in the z-direction between each acquisition



hologram



# Experimental validation



Diameter measured from area of the detected 2D morphology

- Actual mass median diameter = 465  $\mu\text{m}$
- Measured mass median diameter = 474  $\mu\text{m}$ 
  - Error of 2.0% with respect to actual value

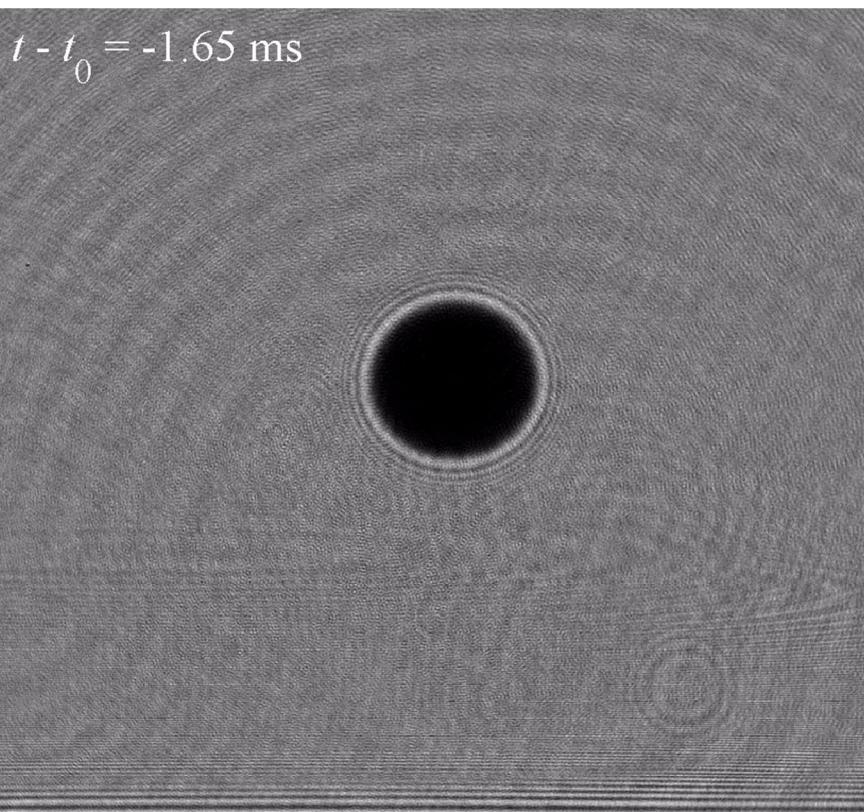
Displacement found by particle matching between successive holograms

- Actual displacement = 2.0 mm
- Mean detected displacement = 1.91 mm  $\pm$  0.81 mm
- Standard deviation of 1.74 times mean diameter

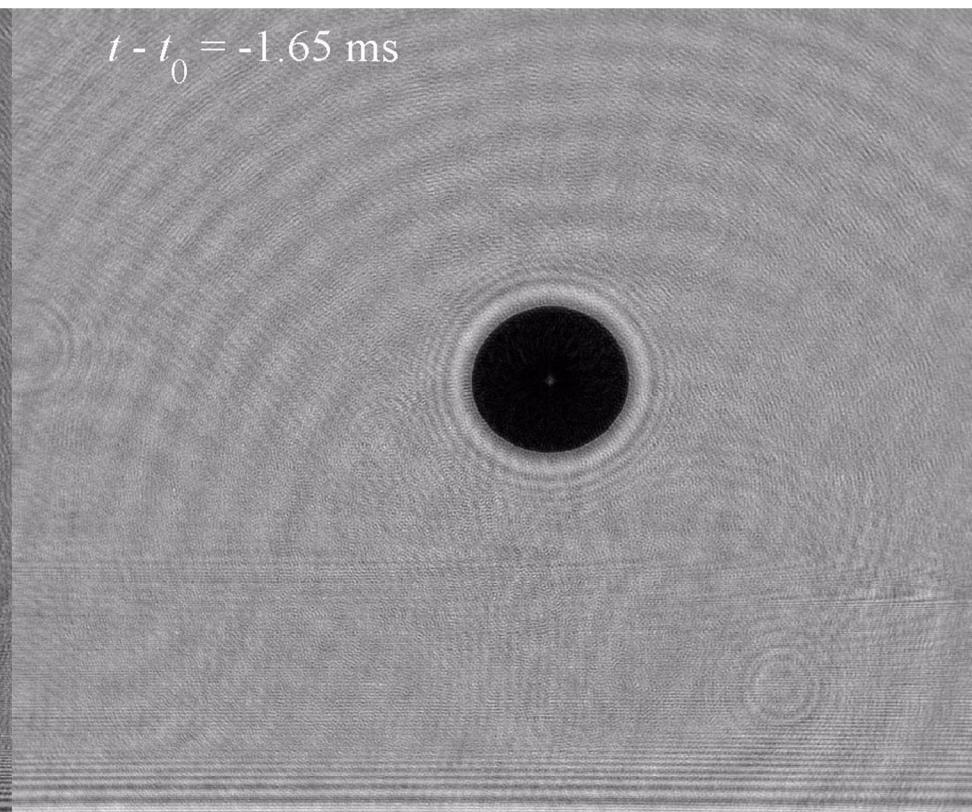
# High-speed (kHz) DIH

Increased temporal resolution is possible using high-speed (kHz rate) cameras

$$t - t_0 = -1.65 \text{ ms}$$

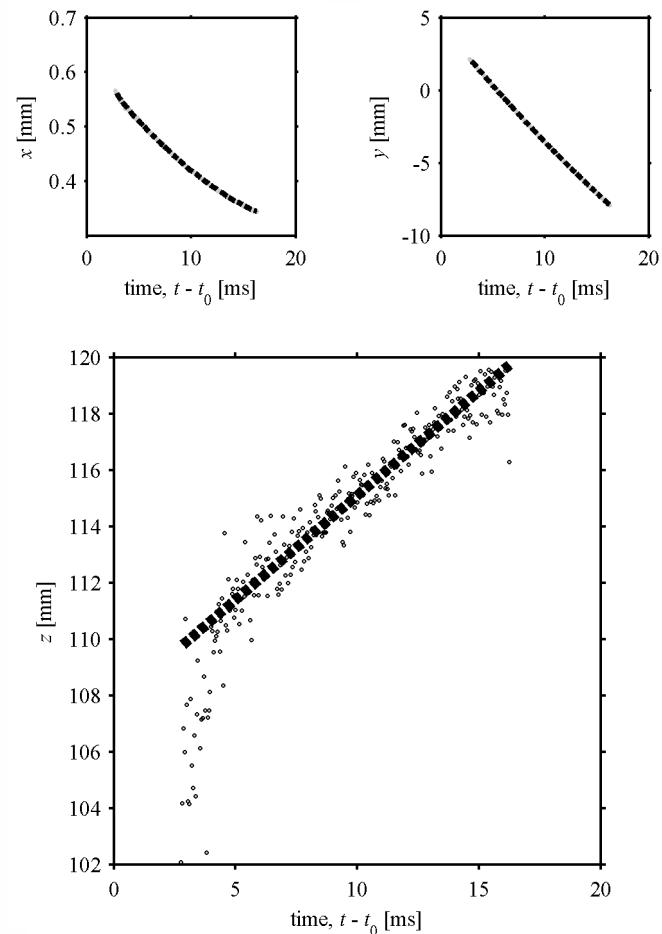
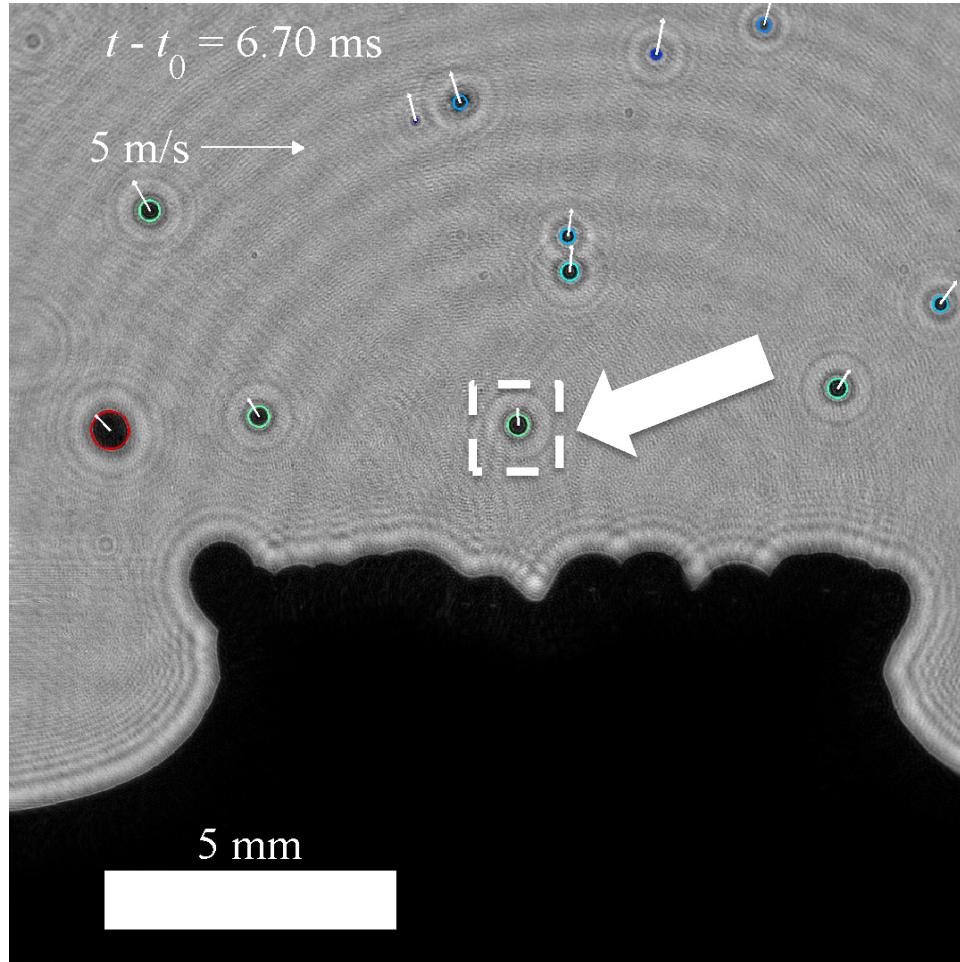


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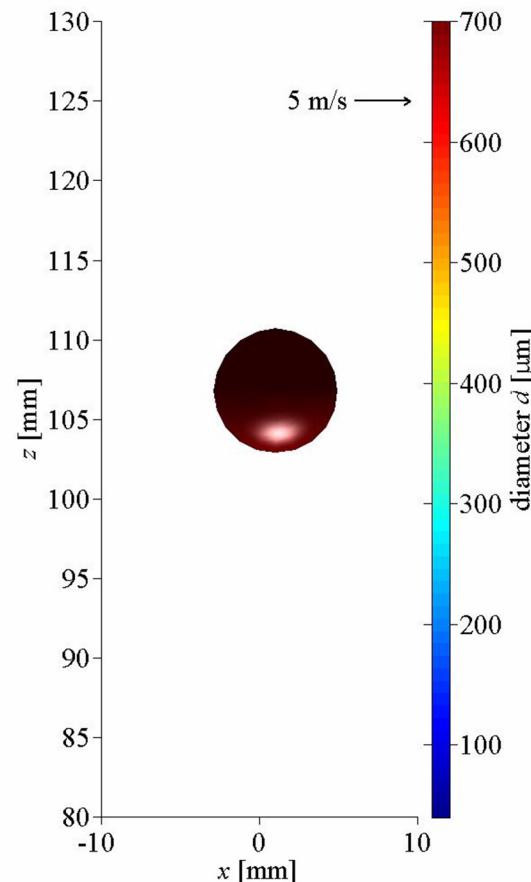
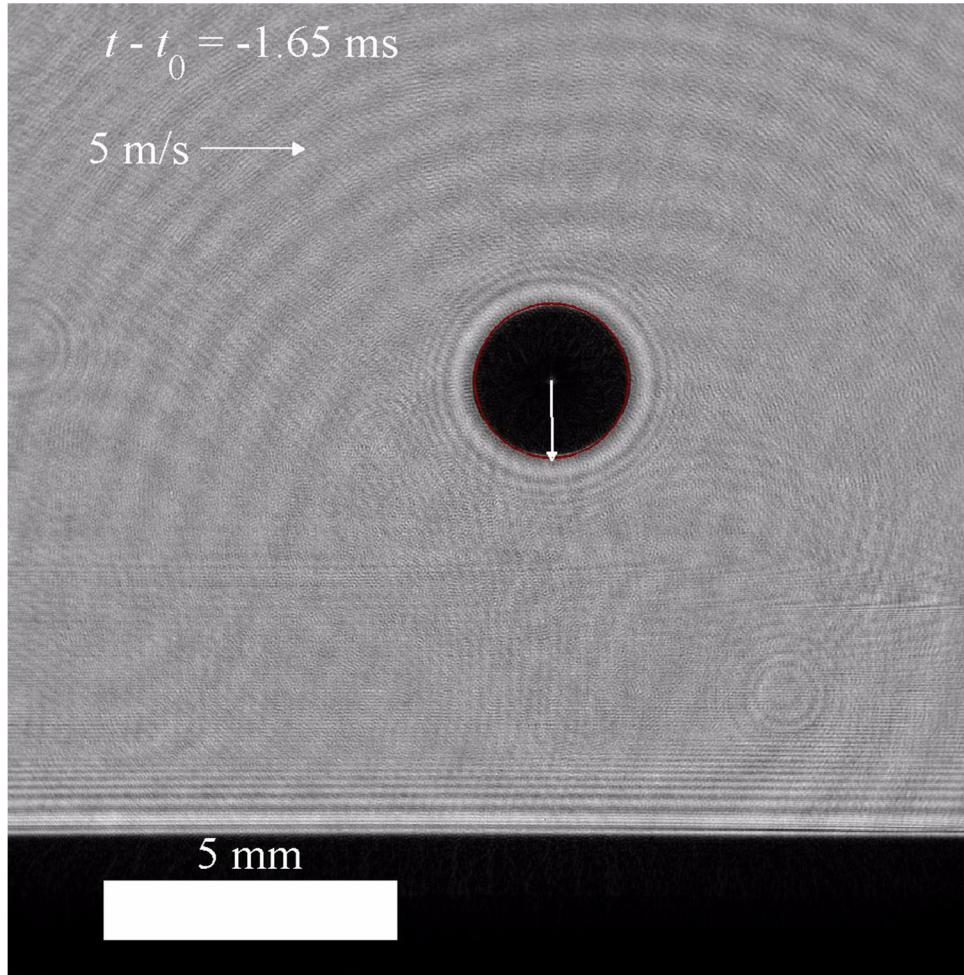
Challenges: (1) higher readout noise, fewer pixels, larger pixel pitches  
(2) very large data sets (10s of Gb)

# High-speed (kHz) DIH



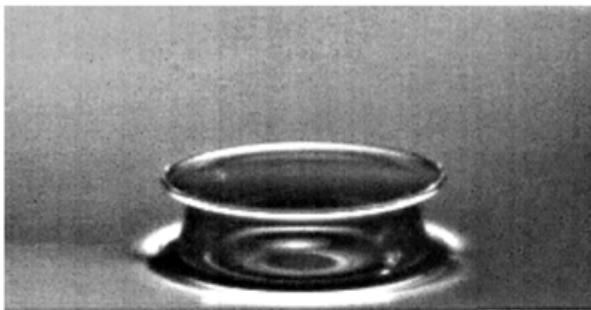
- Frame-to-frame particle matching illustrates the depth-of-focus problem
- With sufficient temporal resolution, particles trajectories can be fit to temporal models

# High-speed (kHz) DIH

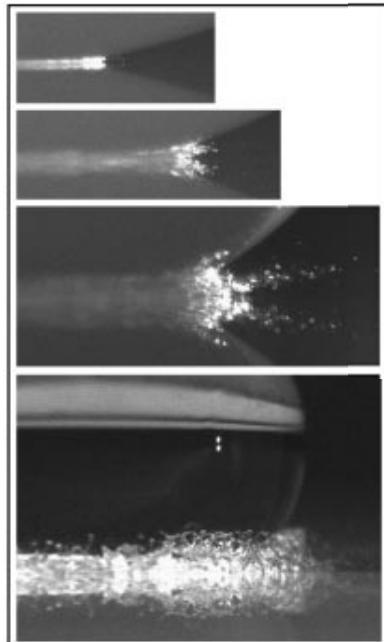


Regression based Multi-frame Tracking (RMT) allows for 3D-3C temporal measurements (Gildenbecher *et al.*, 2016, *Appl. Opt.*)

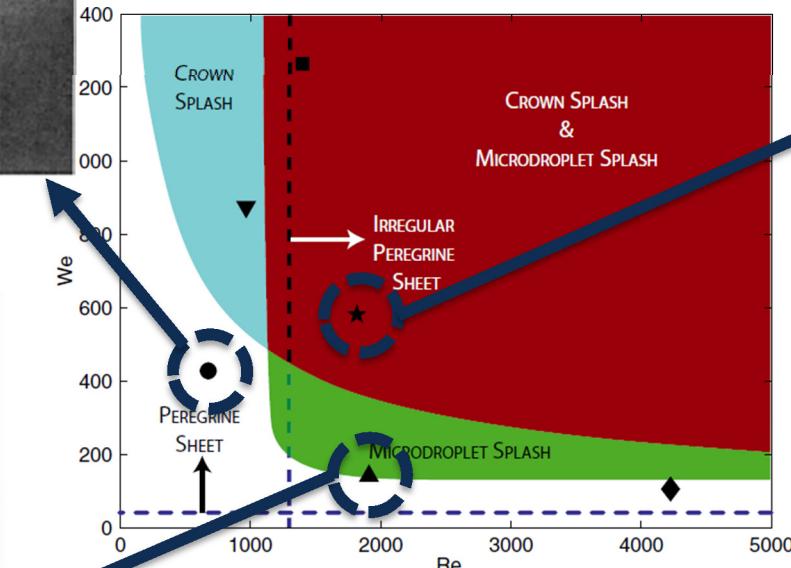
# Viscosity has a significant effect



Deegan et al, 2008, *Nonlinearity*



Thoroddsen, 2002, *J. Fluid Mechanics*



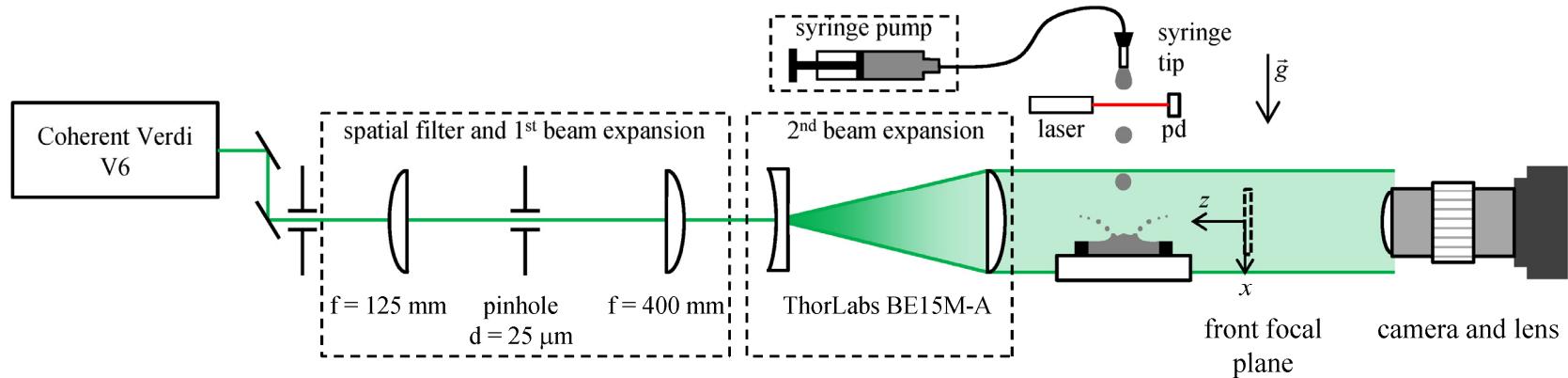
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**Goal: Quantify effects of viscosity on the properties of the secondary fragments**

# Viscous drop impact

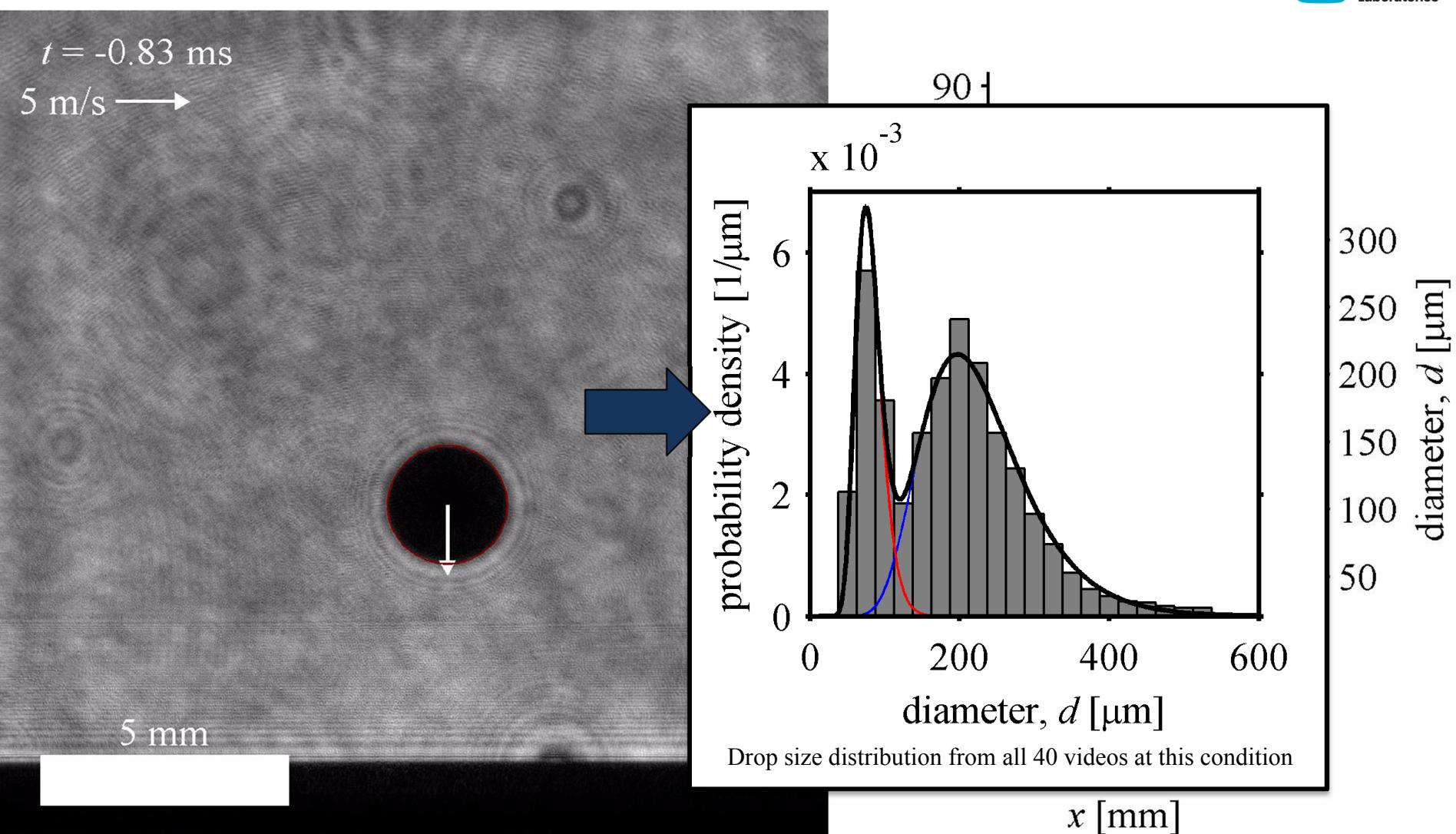


- Five different materials investigated (mixtures of water, methanol, and glycerin)
- Three different fall heights investigated for each material
- Forty impact events investigated at each condition
- Data processed using custom MATLAB<sup>®</sup> routines on a HPC cluster consisting of four NVIDIA K80<sup>®</sup> GPUs
  - Requiring approximately 19 days of wall-clock time

600 videos,  
1.3 TB of  
raw data!



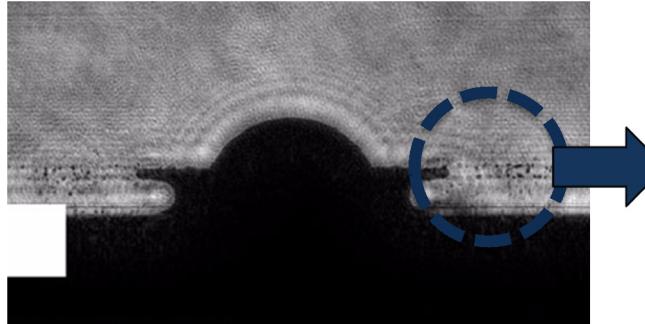
# Viscous drop impact



Multi-mode size distribution indicates multiple fragmentation mechanisms

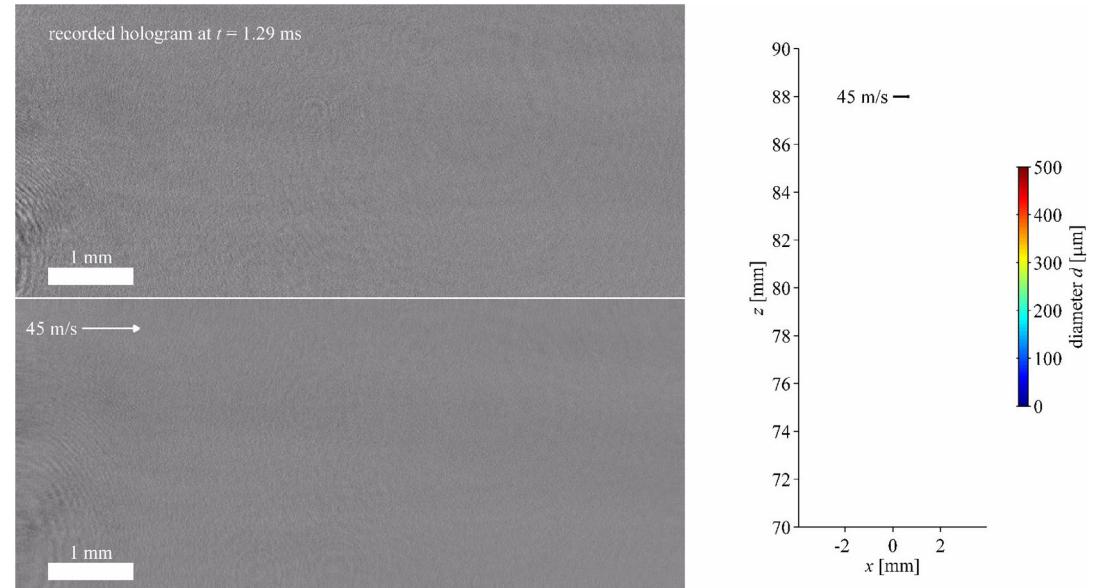
# Current challenges in kHz DIH

1. We get good temporal resolution, but the limited number of pixels reduces the effective particle size dynamic range



Could we quantify these  
fragments, perhaps via  
intelligent super-sampling?

2. Data processing routines can be computationally intensive
  - The community might benefit from a comparison of published methods
3. For more complex, 3D flows the depth-of-focus problem remains an issue



breakup of a water jet in a cross flow, recorded at 100 kHz

# Conclusions

## kHz DIH provides

- Measurement of dynamic events
- Particle size-velocity statistics
- Insight into drop fragmentation

## ... and opportunities for research:

- Improvement of dynamic range
- Increase processing accuracy/speed
- Address depth-of-focus problem

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## Questions