



# Fully-Implicit Finite-Volume Methods for Clot Formation Modelling

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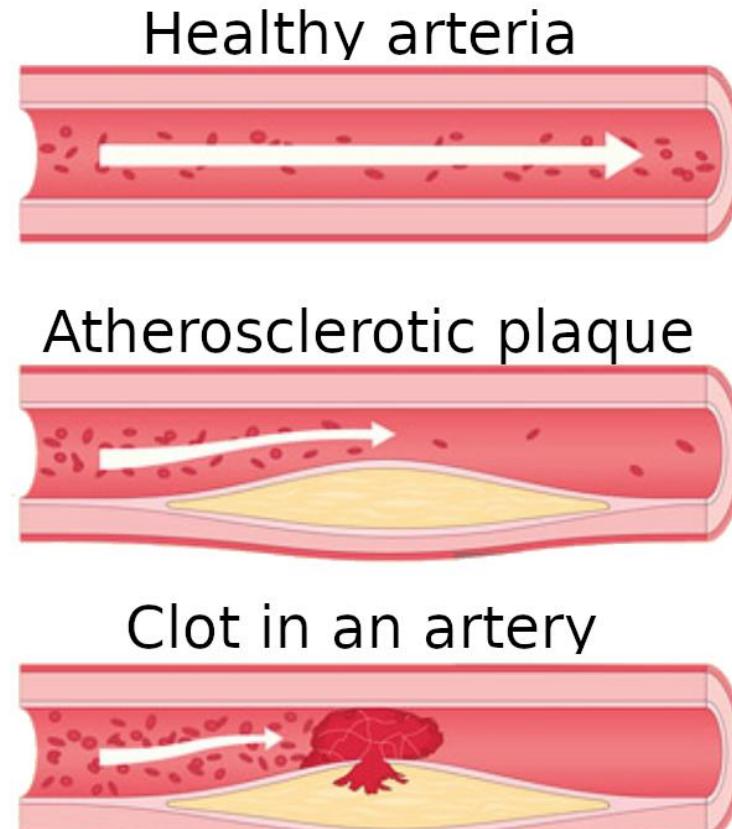
# Problem

actuality and complexity



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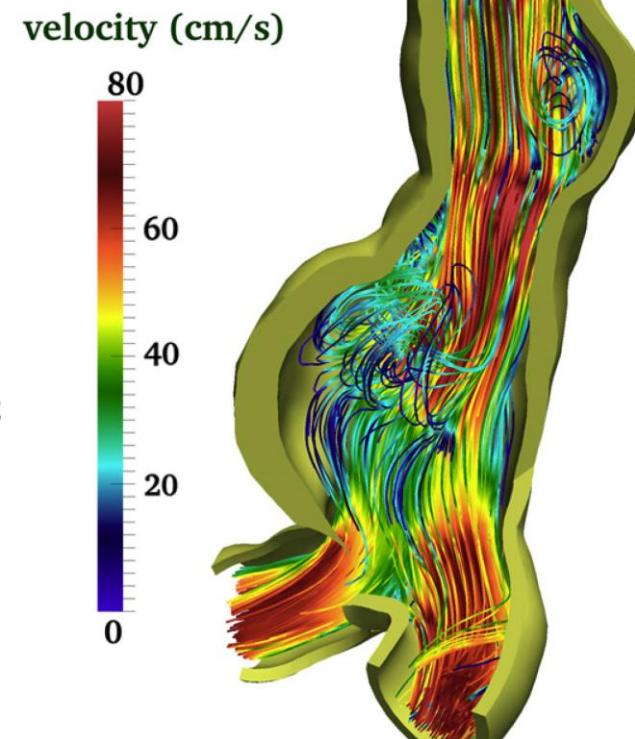
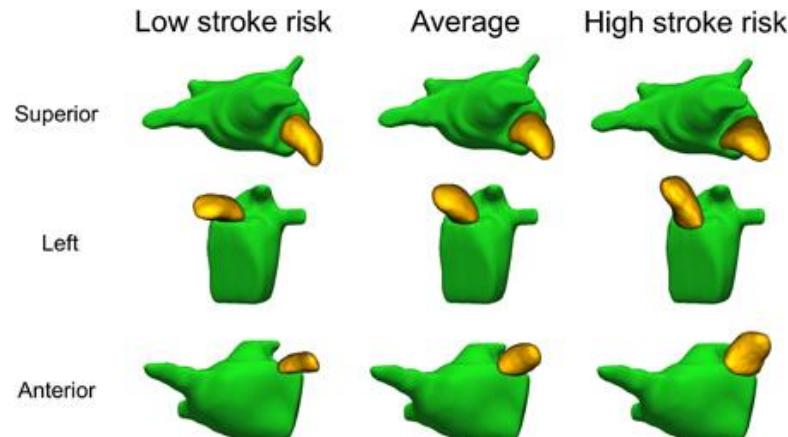
- Construction of **three-dimensional** model of blood flow and coagulation, clot formation after damage of blood vessel



Clot formulation  
(illustration from internet)

# What for?

- **Three-dimensional** model is needed for decision making in case of complex patient-oriented geometry of blood vessel or arteria.

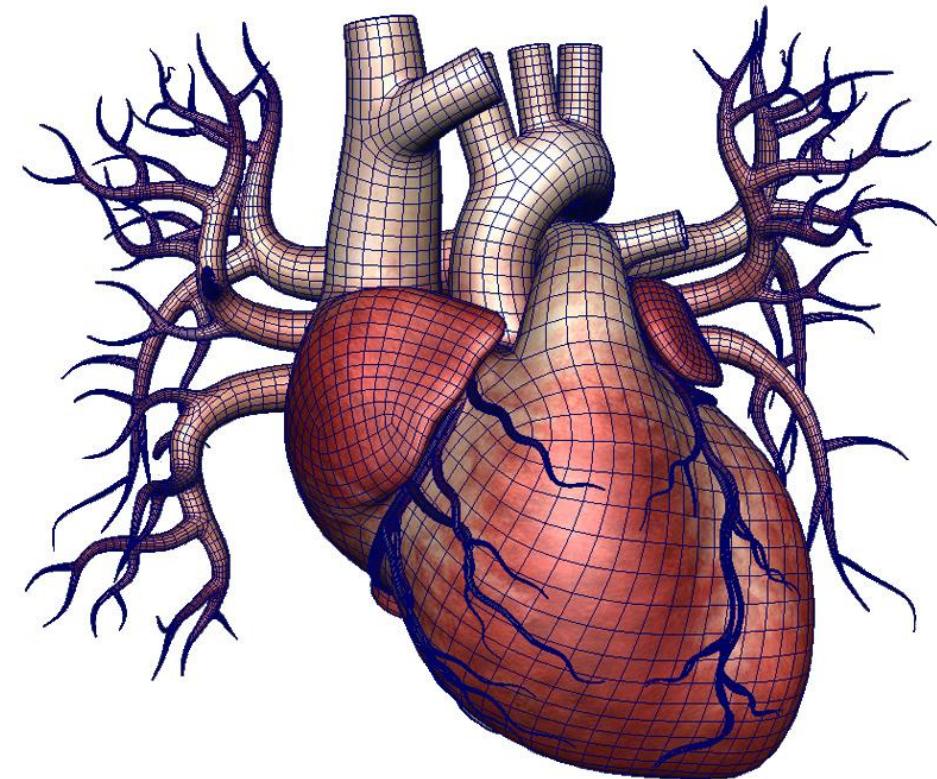


Modeling of aneurysm  
(from Quarteroni)



# What for?

- Diseases of the heart and blood vessels is the **primary** cause of death
  - thromboembolic complications
- **Three-dimensional** model allows to assess the risk of
  - vessel occlusion
  - myocardial infarction

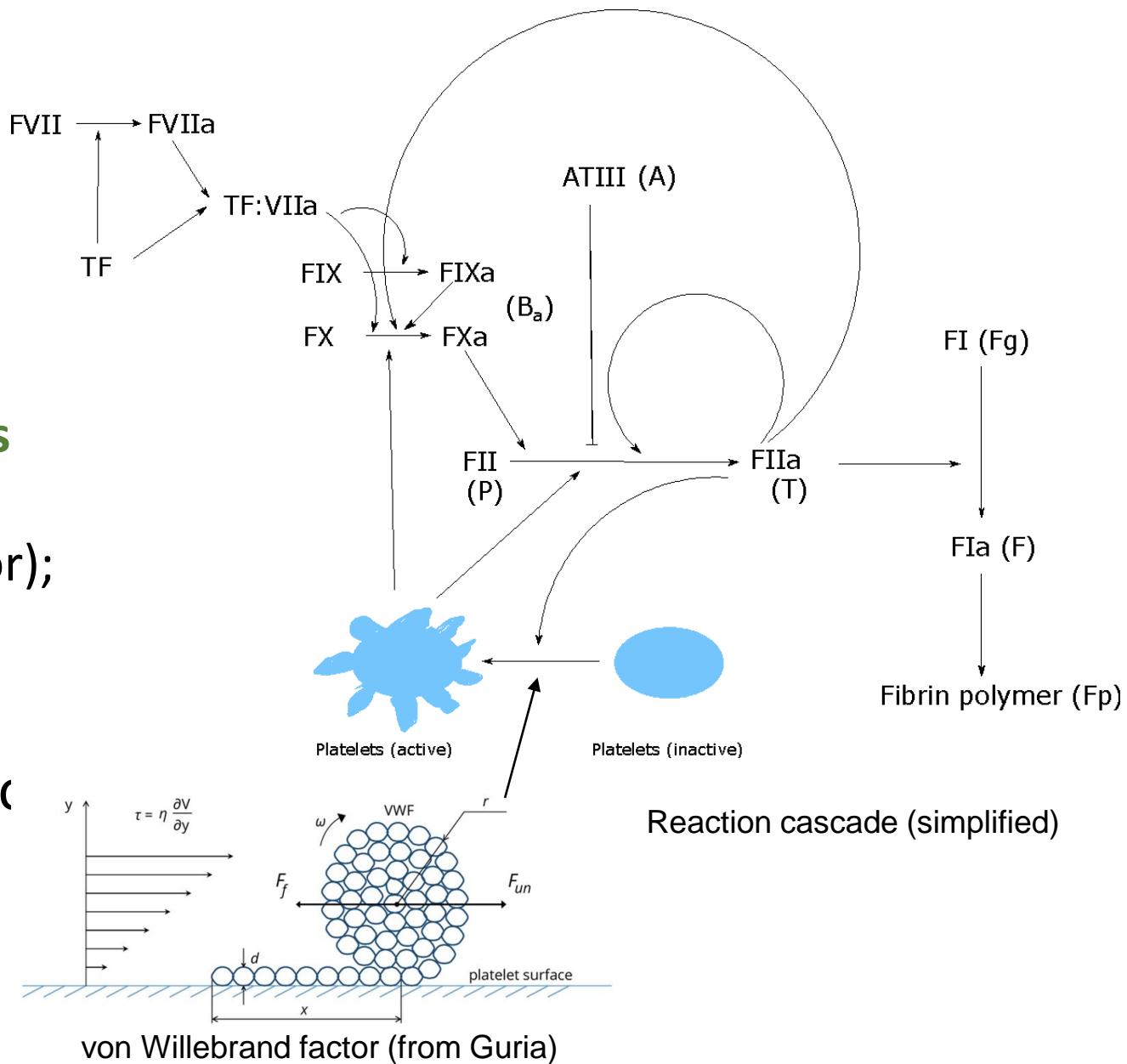


Heart model



# Complexity

- Model coupling:
  - **Hemodynamics** model with account for fibrin-polymer permeability .
  - Model of **biochemical reactions** for blood plasma coagulation:
    - Due to damage (tissue factor);
    - Due to shear (vWF factor).
  - Model of **platelets**.
- **Reaction cascade** and model for platelets are **stiff**: very small time step.
- **Fully implicit** model.





# Assumptions

- Blood is considered as an **incompressible Newton's** fluid: no account for **complex nonlinear rheology** of blood
- Blood vessels/arteria are **rigid**: no account for **wall motion**
- Fibrin-polymer is **immobile**: no account for clot **detachment**



# Complete system

- Navier-Stokes system:

$$\frac{\partial \rho \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u} \mathbf{u}^T - \boldsymbol{\tau} + p \mathbb{I}) = -\frac{\mu}{K_f} \mathbf{u},$$

$$\operatorname{div}(\rho \mathbf{u}) = 0,$$

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = 2\mu \boldsymbol{\epsilon}, \quad \boldsymbol{\epsilon} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{u} \nabla^T + \nabla \mathbf{u}^T), \quad \dot{\gamma} = \|\boldsymbol{\epsilon}\|_F,$$

- Prothrombin (II):  $\frac{\partial P}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(P \mathbf{u} - D \nabla P) = -(k_1 \phi_c + k_2 B_a + t(T))P,$
- Thrombin (IIa):  $\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(T \mathbf{u} - D \nabla T) = (k_1 \phi_c + k_2 B_a + t(T))P - k_6 g(A, T),$
- Clot factors (IXa, Xa):  $\frac{\partial B_a}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(B_a \mathbf{u} - D \nabla B_a) = (k_7 \phi_c + k_8 T)(B_0 - B_a) - k_9 A B_a,$
- Antithrombin (ATIII):  $\frac{\partial A}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(A \mathbf{u} - D \nabla A) = -k_6 g(A, T) - k_9 A B_a,$
- Fibrinogen (I):  $\frac{\partial F_g}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(F_g \mathbf{u} - D \nabla F_g) = -\frac{k_{10} T F_g}{K_{10} + F_g},$

**To be continued...**



# Complete system

- Fibrin (Ia):  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}(F\mathbf{u} - D\nabla F) = \frac{k_{10}TF_g}{K_{10}+F_g} - k_{11}F,$
- Fibrin-polymer:  $\frac{\partial F_p}{\partial t} = k_{11}F,$
- Inactivated platelets:  $\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial t} + \operatorname{div}\left(k(\phi_c, \phi_f)(\phi_f \mathbf{u} - D_p \nabla \phi_f)\right) = (k_{12}T - k_{13}\phi_c - K\gamma^n)\phi_f,$
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- Platelets mobility:  $k(\phi_c, \phi_f) = \tanh\left(\pi\left(1 - \frac{\phi_c + \phi_f}{\phi_{max}}\right)\right),$
- Anticoagulation:  $g(A, T) = \frac{ATH}{\alpha k_{AT}k_T + \alpha k_{AT}T + \alpha k_TA + AT},$  Thrombin generation:  $t(T) = k_3T + k_4T^2 + k_5T^3.$
- Permeability:  $\frac{1}{K_f} = \frac{16}{\alpha^2} \phi_p^{\frac{3}{2}} (1 + 56\phi_p) \frac{\phi_{max} + \phi_c}{\phi_{max} - \phi_c}, \quad \phi_p = \min\left(\frac{7}{10}, \frac{F_p}{7000}\right)$
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vWF factor (Hellums, Goodman)

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Non-monotone function (Leiderman et al)

Griffith model for Heparin

- Anticoagulation:

$$g(A, T) = \frac{ATH}{\alpha k_{AT} k_T + \alpha k_{AT} T + \alpha k_T A + AT}$$

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For platelets-rich plasma (Wufsus et al)

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# Boundary Conditions

- BC on blood vessel damage:

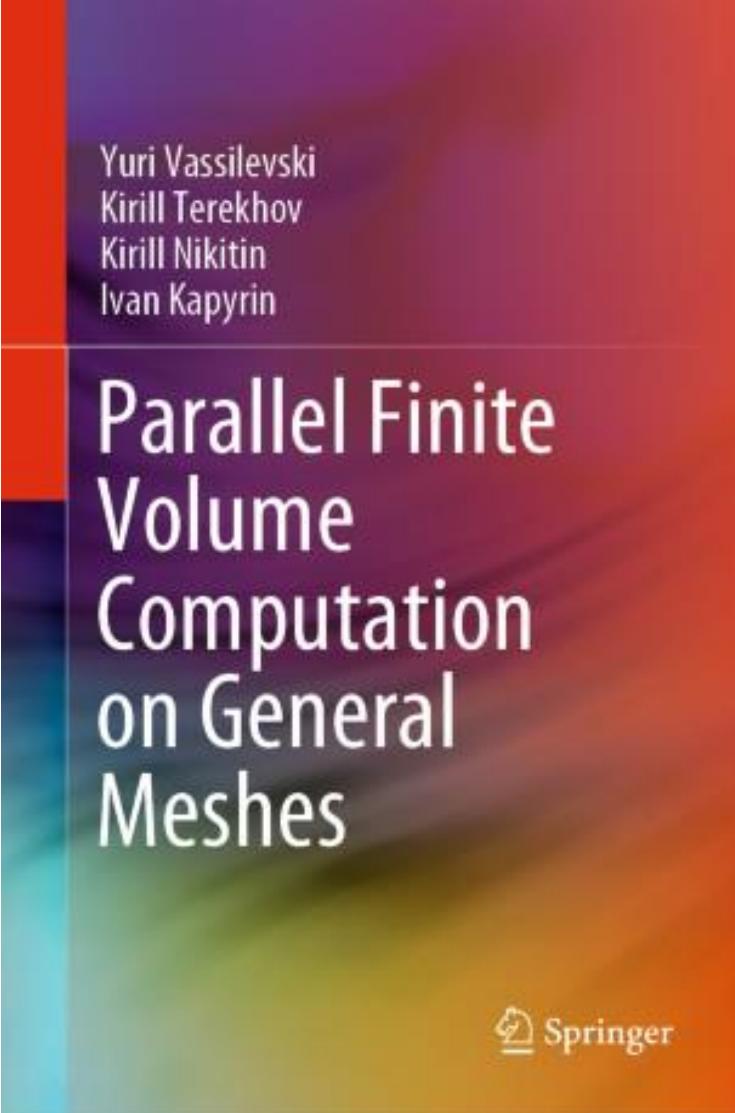
$$\frac{\partial B_a}{\partial \mathbf{n}} = \frac{\alpha(B^0 - B_a)}{1 + \beta(B^0 - B_a)}$$

- BC for Navier-Stokes:
  - no-slip condition on walls
  - pressure drop between inflow and outflow
- BC of Dirichlet/Neumann type for blood components.
- Model parameters:
  - from literature (Griffith, Goodman, Hokin et al, Kuharsky, Leiderman, Fogelson, Wiebe et al, Tsian et al, ...),
  - from 0D thrombin generation model,
  - fitted by Anass.



# Numerical Methods

for model construction



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# Parallel Finite Volume Computation on General Meshes

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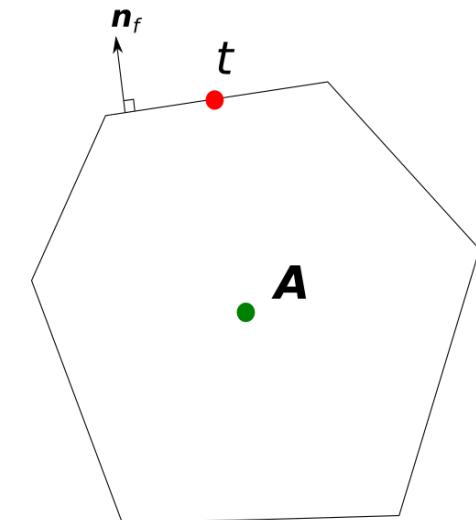
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# Finite-Volume Method

- Ostrogradsky-Gauss theorem:

$$\begin{aligned} -\operatorname{div}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{g} &\implies - \oint_{\partial V} \mathbf{A} d\mathbf{S} = \int_V \mathbf{g} dV \\ &\implies - \sum_{f \in \mathcal{F}(V)} |f| \mathbf{A} \mathbf{n}|_{\mathbf{x}_f} = |V| \mathbf{g}|_{\mathbf{x}_V} \end{aligned}$$



- Requires the **flux approximation**:

$$t = \mathbf{A} \mathbf{n}|_{\mathbf{x}_f}$$



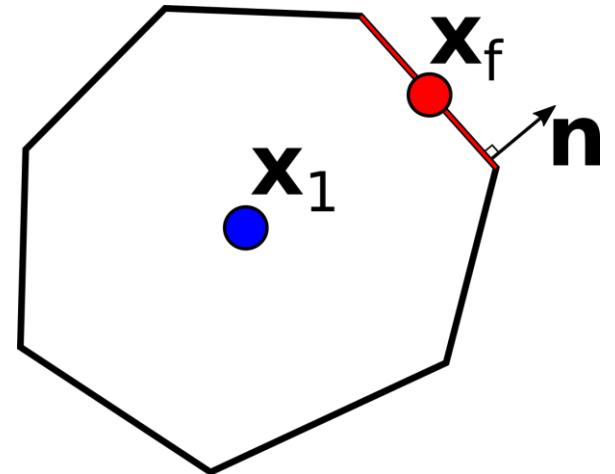
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- Flux:

$$t = \begin{cases} \rho \mathbf{u} \mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{n} - \mu (\nabla \mathbf{u}^T + \mathbf{u} \nabla^T) \mathbf{n} + p \mathbf{n} \\ \mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u} \end{cases}$$

- Second-order Taylor series for advective term:

$$\begin{aligned} \rho \mathbf{u} \mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{n} \Big|_{x_f} &\approx \rho \mathbf{u} \mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{n} \Big|_{x_1} + \rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{u} \mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{n}}{\partial \mathbf{u}} \Big|_{x_1} \nabla \mathbf{u} (x_f - x_1) \\ &\approx \frac{\rho}{2} (\mathbf{u}_1 \mathbf{n}^T + \mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} \mathbb{I}) (2\mathbf{u}_f - \mathbf{u}_1) \end{aligned}$$



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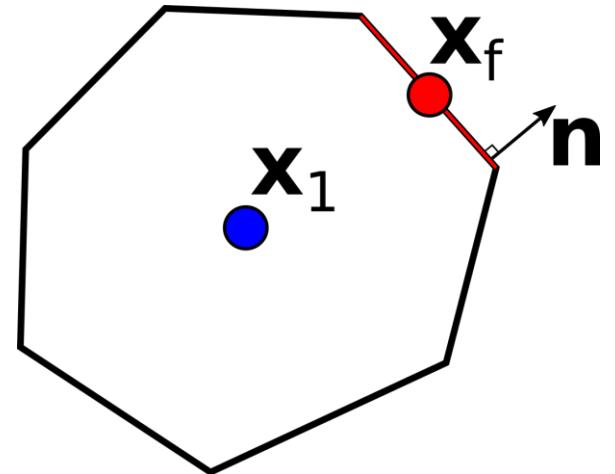
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- Second-order decomposition of viscous term:

$$-\mu (\nabla \mathbf{u}^T + \mathbf{u} \nabla^T) \mathbf{n} \Big|_{x_f} \approx \frac{\mu}{r_1} (\mathbb{I} + \mathbf{n} \mathbf{n}^T) (\mathbf{u}_1 - \mathbf{u}_f)$$

$$-\mu \left( \mathbb{I} \otimes \mathbf{n}^T + \mathbf{n} \otimes \mathbb{I} - \frac{1}{r_1} (\mathbb{I} + \mathbf{n} \mathbf{n}^T) \otimes (\mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_1)^T \right) (\mathbf{u}_1 \otimes \nabla)$$

- Two-point yields positive matrix coefficients.
- Transversal correction **do not vanish** on orthogonal grids.

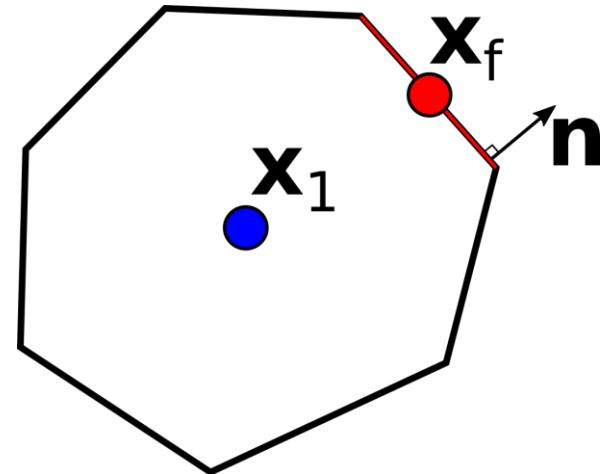




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- Decomposition of **indefinite** matrix coefficient:

$$\begin{aligned} \left. \begin{cases} p \mathbf{n} \\ \mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u} \end{cases} \right|_{x_f} &= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{n} \\ \mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_f \\ p_f \end{bmatrix} \\ &\approx \begin{bmatrix} a(\mathbb{I} + \mathbf{n}\mathbf{n}^T) & c\mathbf{n} \\ c\mathbf{n}^T & b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} a(\mathbb{I} + \mathbf{n}\mathbf{n}^T) & (c-1)\mathbf{n} \\ (c-1)\mathbf{n}^T & b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_f \\ p_f \end{bmatrix} \\ &+ \begin{bmatrix} a(\mathbb{I} + \mathbf{n}\mathbf{n}^T) & c\mathbf{n} \\ c\mathbf{n}^T & b \end{bmatrix} \otimes (\mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_1)^T \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \nabla \right) \end{aligned}$$

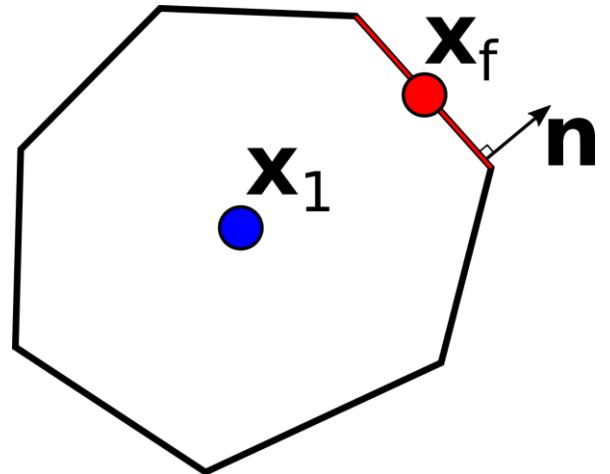
- Coefficients are tuned for LBB-**stability**.



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- Combining the approximations:

$$\mathbf{t} \approx (T_1 - Q_1) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} - (T_1 - S_1 - 2Q_1) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_f \\ p_f \end{bmatrix} + (T_1 \otimes (\mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_1)^T - W_1) \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \nabla \right),$$

- Matrix coefficients are:

$$T_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \left( \mathbf{a} + \frac{\mu}{r_1} \right) (\mathbb{I} + \mathbf{n} \mathbf{n}^T) & \mathbf{c} \mathbf{n} \\ \mathbf{c} \mathbf{n}^T & b \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\rho}{2} (\mathbf{u}_1 \mathbf{n}^T + \mathbf{u}_1 \cdot \mathbf{n} \mathbb{I}) \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix},$$
$$S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{n}^T & \mathbf{n} \end{bmatrix}, \quad W_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \mu (\mathbb{I} \otimes \mathbf{n}^T + \mathbf{n} \otimes \mathbb{I}) \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}.$$



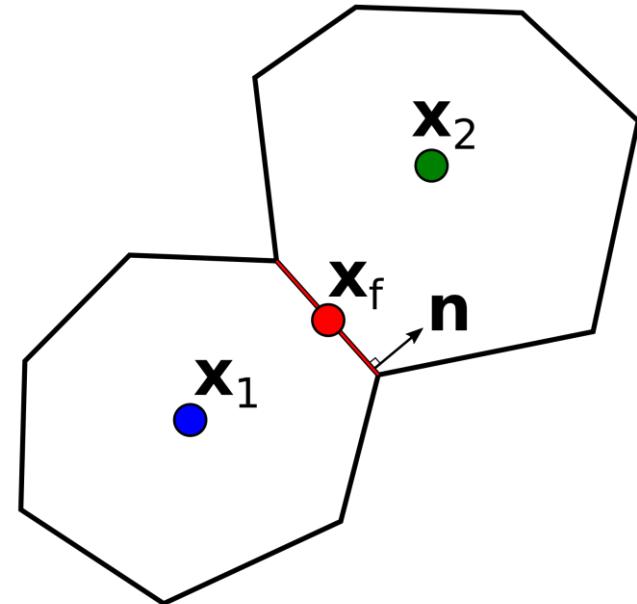
# FVM for Navier-Stokes

- Flux:

$$t = \begin{cases} \rho u u^T n - \mu (\nabla u^T + u \nabla^T) n + p n \\ n^T u \end{cases}$$

- From the flux continuity:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_f \\ p_f \end{bmatrix} \approx (T_1 + T_2 - S_1 - S_2 - 2Q_1 - 2Q_2)^{-1} \times \left( (T_1 - Q_1) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} + (T_1 \otimes (\mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_1)^T - W_1) \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \nabla \right) \right) + (T_2 - Q_2) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} + (T_2 \otimes (\mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_2)^T - W_2) \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \nabla \right)$$





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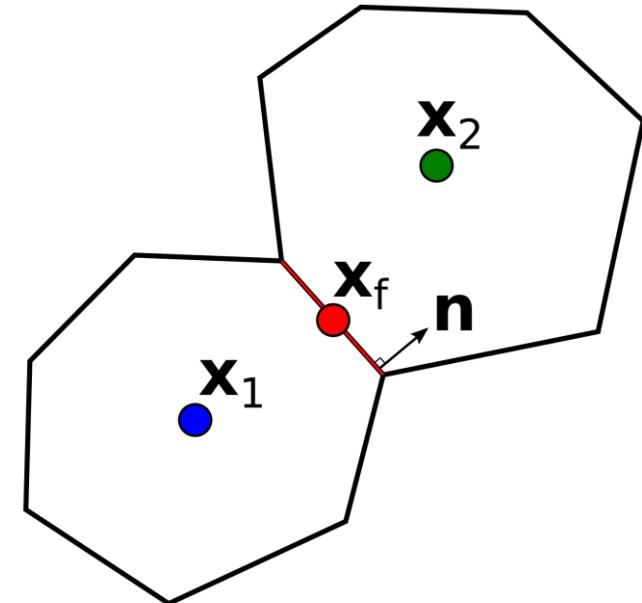
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- Computation of the gradients is based on the Green's formula.





# Eigenvalues in Matrix Coefficients

- Single-sided flux expression:

$$\mathbf{t} \approx (T_1 - Q_1) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix} - (T_1 - S_1 - 2Q_1) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_f \\ p_f \end{bmatrix} + \left( T_1 \otimes (\mathbf{x}_f - \mathbf{x}_1)^T - W_1 \right) \nabla \otimes \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 \\ p_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Eigenvalues** for  $T_1 - Q_1$ :

$$\lambda_{1,2} = a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 / 2 + b / 2 \pm \sqrt{(a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 / 2 - b / 2)^2 + c^2},$$

$$\lambda_{3,4} = a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 / 2.$$

- **Eigenvalues** for  $T_1 - S_1 - 2Q_1$ :

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$$\lambda_{3,4} = a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1.$$



# Eigenvalues in Matrix Coefficients

- Find **minimal possible** values with constraints:

$$a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 \geq 0, \quad a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 / 2 \geq 0,$$

$$2b(a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1) \geq (c-1)^2, \quad 2b(a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 / 2) \geq c^2.$$

- Results in:

$$a = \max(\rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 - \mu r_1^{-1}, 0) + \theta > 0$$

$$b \geq \frac{1}{2} \max\left(\frac{(1-c)^2}{a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1}, \frac{c^2}{a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho n \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 / 2}\right)$$

- If **a** is too **small**, **b** has to be **big!**

- To control this, use  $\theta = \rho \sqrt{\mathbf{u}_1 (\mathbb{I} - \mathbf{n} \mathbf{n}^T) \mathbf{u}_1} + \varepsilon$



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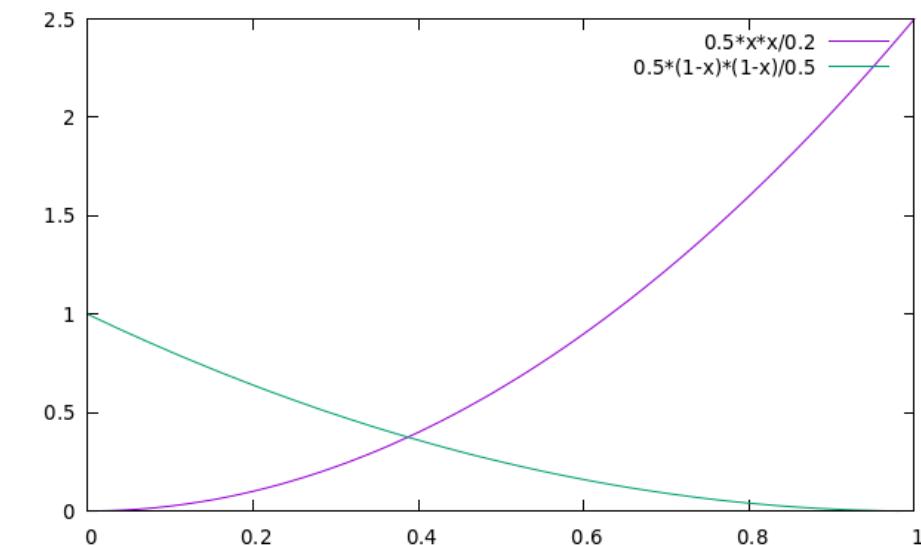
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- Solution

$$c = \begin{cases} 1 + t - \sqrt{t + t^2}, & \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 > 0, \\ 1/2, & \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 = 0, \\ 1 + t + \sqrt{t + t^2}, & \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 < 0, \end{cases}$$

- Where  $t = 2 \left( \frac{a + \mu r_1^{-1}}{\rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1} - 1 \right)$



Intersection of two parabolas for  $c$



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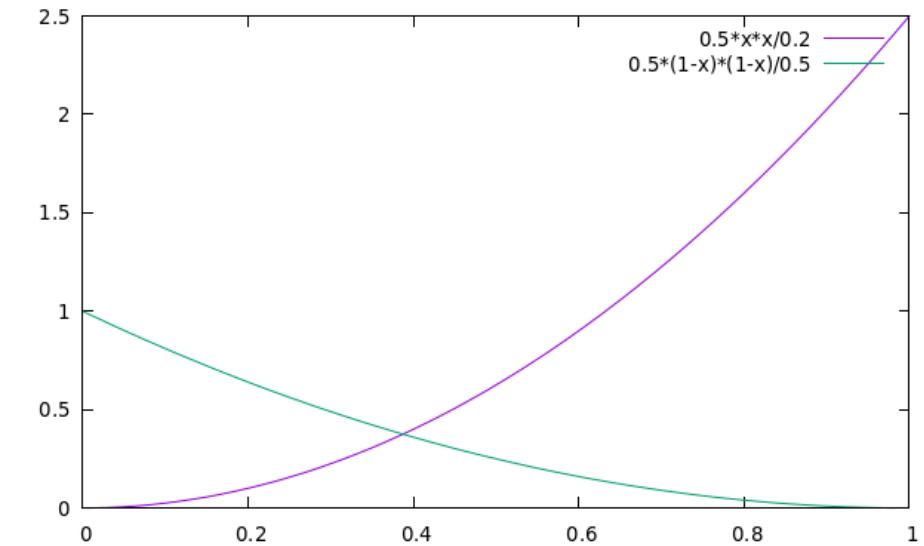
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- Solution  $b(a + \mu r_1^{-1} - \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1) =$

$$\begin{cases} t(1/2 + t - \sqrt{t + t^2}), & \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 > 0, \\ 1/8, & \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 = 0, \\ t(1/2 + t + \sqrt{t + t^2}), & \rho \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{u}_1 < 0, \end{cases}$$

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# FVM for Blood Components

- Flux expression:  $\mathbf{n}^T(C\mathbf{u} - D\nabla C)$
- Advection: **first-order** upstream:

$$C\mathbf{n}^T\mathbf{u} \approx \frac{1}{2} (C_1(\mathbf{n}^T\mathbf{u} + |\mathbf{n}^T\mathbf{u}|) + C_2(\mathbf{n}^T\mathbf{u} - |\mathbf{n}^T\mathbf{u}|))$$

- Diffusion: **second-order** nonlinear two-point approximation:
- $D\mathbf{n}^T\nabla C \approx D \frac{(C_1 - C_2)}{|\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2|} - D(\mu_1 \nabla C_1 + \mu_2 \nabla C_2) \cdot \left( \mathbf{n} - \frac{(\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2)}{|\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2|} \right) = D(\mathbf{T}_1 C_1 - \mathbf{T}_2 C_2)$
- Solution is **nonnegative** – very important for reactions!



# FVM for Traffic Flow

- Flux expression:  $\lambda(C)\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}$ 
  - advection:  $\lambda(C) = C$
  - traffic:  $\lambda(C) = C(1 - C)$
  - our case:  $\lambda(C) = C \tanh(1 - C)$
- **First-order** upstream approximation:

$\lambda'(C_1)\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}$	$\lambda'(C_1)\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}$	$t$
+	+	$\lambda(C_1)\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}$
-	-	$\lambda(C_2)\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}$
+	-	$\text{minmod}(\lambda(C_1), \lambda(C_2))\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}$
-	+	$\lambda(C)\mathbf{n}^T \mathbf{u}, \lambda'(C) = 0$



Moscow traffic  
(image from internet)

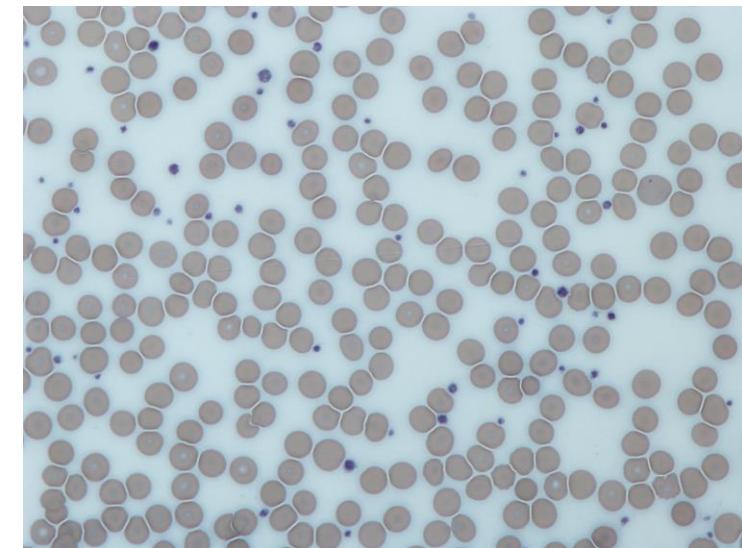
# FVM for Platelets

- Flux expression:  $\mathbf{t}(\phi_c, \phi_f) = \tanh\left(\pi\left(1 - \frac{\phi_c + \phi_f}{\phi_{max}}\right)\right) \mathbf{n}^T (\mathbf{u} - D_p \nabla) \begin{pmatrix} \phi_c \\ \phi_f \end{pmatrix}$
- Jacobian contribution:

$$J(\phi_c, \phi_f) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \mathbf{t}_1(\phi_c, \phi_f)}{\partial \phi_c} & \frac{\partial \mathbf{t}_1(\phi_c, \phi_f)}{\partial \phi_f} \\ \frac{\partial \mathbf{t}_2(\phi_c, \phi_f)}{\partial \phi_c} & \frac{\partial \mathbf{t}_2(\phi_c, \phi_f)}{\partial \phi_f} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d\phi_c \\ d\phi_f \end{pmatrix} = Q(\phi_c, \phi_f) \begin{pmatrix} d\phi_c \\ d\phi_f \end{pmatrix}$$

- Matrix-weighted combination for two cells:

$$\Phi = M_1 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{c,1} \\ \phi_{f,1} \end{pmatrix} + M_2 \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{c,2} \\ \phi_{f,2} \end{pmatrix}$$



Platelets  
(image from internet)



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- Iterative search:

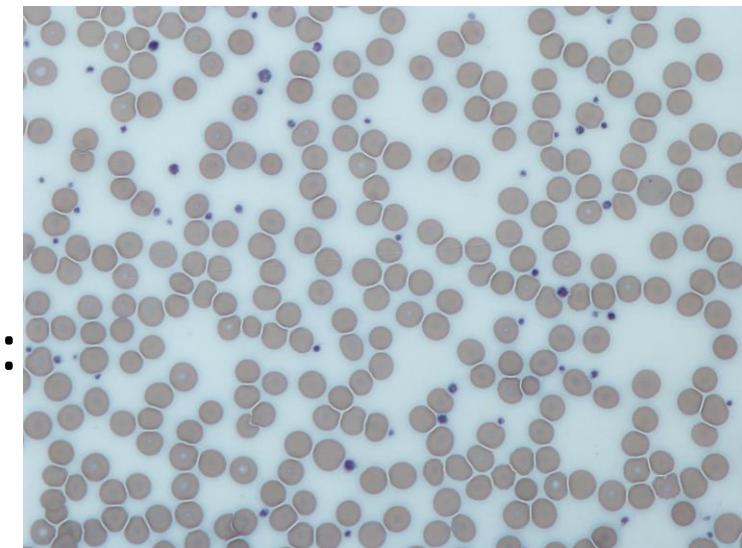
$$J(\Phi) = Q(\Phi) M_1 \begin{pmatrix} d\phi_{c,1} \\ d\phi_{f,1} \end{pmatrix} + Q(\Phi) M_2 \begin{pmatrix} d\phi_{c,2} \\ d\phi_{f,2} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Matrices are obtained using eigendecomposition:

$$Q(\Phi) = L \Lambda L^T,$$

$$M_1 = \frac{1}{2} L (\text{sgn}(\Lambda) + |\text{sgn}(\Lambda)|) L^T$$

$$M_2 = \frac{1}{2} L (\text{sgn}(\Lambda) - |\text{sgn}(\Lambda)|) L^T$$



Platelets  
(image from internet)



# Approximation for Reactions

- Reactions lead to very **small time step** even with fully implicit integration.
- Problem – **bad contribution** to off-diagonal terms of Jacobian matrix.
- **Automatic approach in the talk by Ivan Butakov, Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology.**



# Approximation for Reactions

- Red terms are extrapolated from previous time steps:

$$R(\Theta^{n+1}) \approx \begin{pmatrix} -\left(k_1\hat{\phi}_c + k_2B_\alpha^{n+1} + k_3\hat{T} + k_4\hat{T}^2 + k_5\hat{T}^3\right)P^{n+1} \\ \left(k_1\hat{\phi}_c + k_2B_\alpha^{n+1} + k_3\hat{T} + k_4\hat{T}^2 + k_5\hat{T}^3\right)P - k_6A^{n+1}T^{n+1} \\ \left(k_7\phi_c^{n+1} + k_8T^{n+1}\right)\left(B^0 - B_\alpha^{n+1}\right) - k_9A^{n+1}B_\alpha^{n+1} \\ -\left(k_6T^{n+1} + k_9B_\alpha^{n+1}\right)A^{n+1} \\ -\frac{k_{10}\hat{T}F_g^{n+1}}{K_{10}+F_g^{n+1}} \\ \frac{k_{10}\hat{T}F_g^{n+1}}{K_{10}+F_g^{n+1}} - k_{11}F^{n+1} \\ k_{11}F^{n+1} \\ -\left(k_{12}\hat{T} - k_{13}\phi_c^{n+1}\right)\phi_f^{n+1} \\ \left(k_{12}\hat{T} - k_{13}\phi_c^{n+1}\right)\phi_f^{n+1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} P \\ T \\ B \\ A \\ F \\ F \\ F \\ \phi \\ \phi \\ c \end{matrix}$$

- Fully implicit model with 13 unknowns.



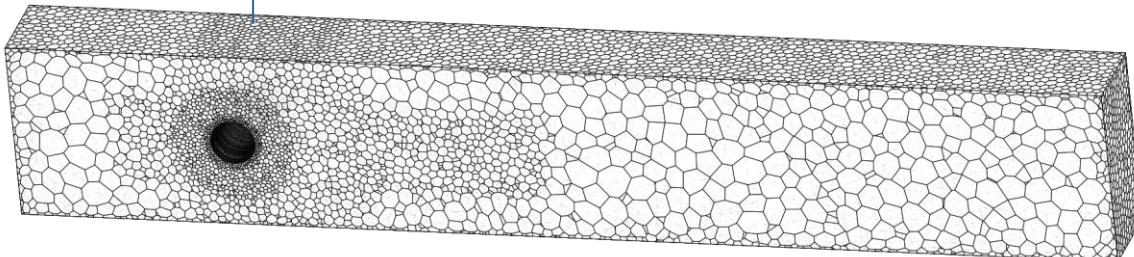
# Verification

of the methods and model

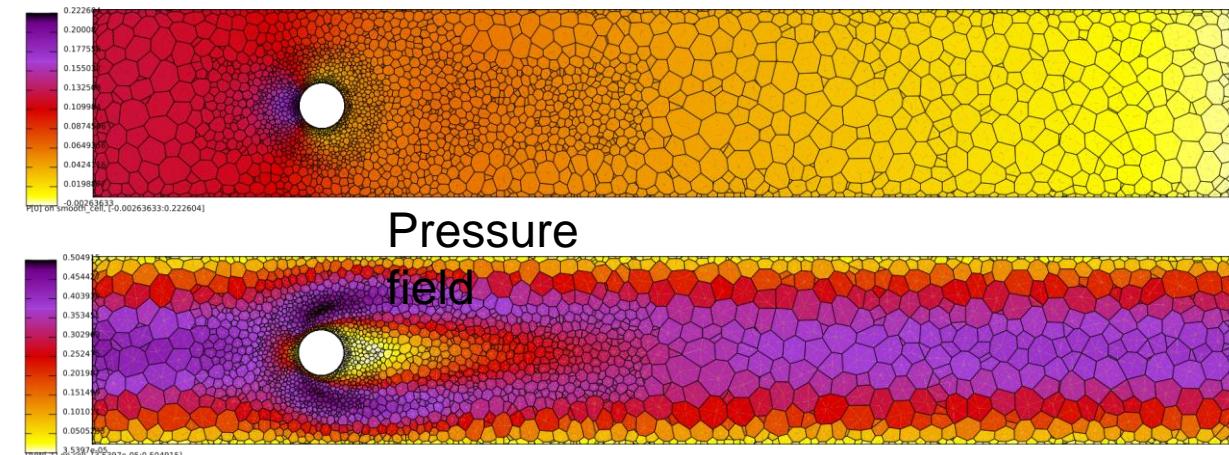


# Viscous Flow Past a Cylinder

Refinement	Cells	Drag	Lift	Pressure drop
1	910	3.862	-0.08556	0.1481
2	4328	4.964	-0.02525	0.1854
3	24687	5.515	0.07256	0.1672
4	164806	5.876	0.00803	0.1890
$3^{\dagger}$	53211	6.064	0.01015	0.1801
$3^{\ddagger}$	98517	6.155	0.01006	0.1792
Schäfer & Turek [23]	-	6.05-6.25	0.008-0.01	0.165-0.175
Braack & Richter [7]	-	<u>6.185331</u>	<u>0.00940</u>	<u>0.1713</u>



Locally refined polyhedral mesh

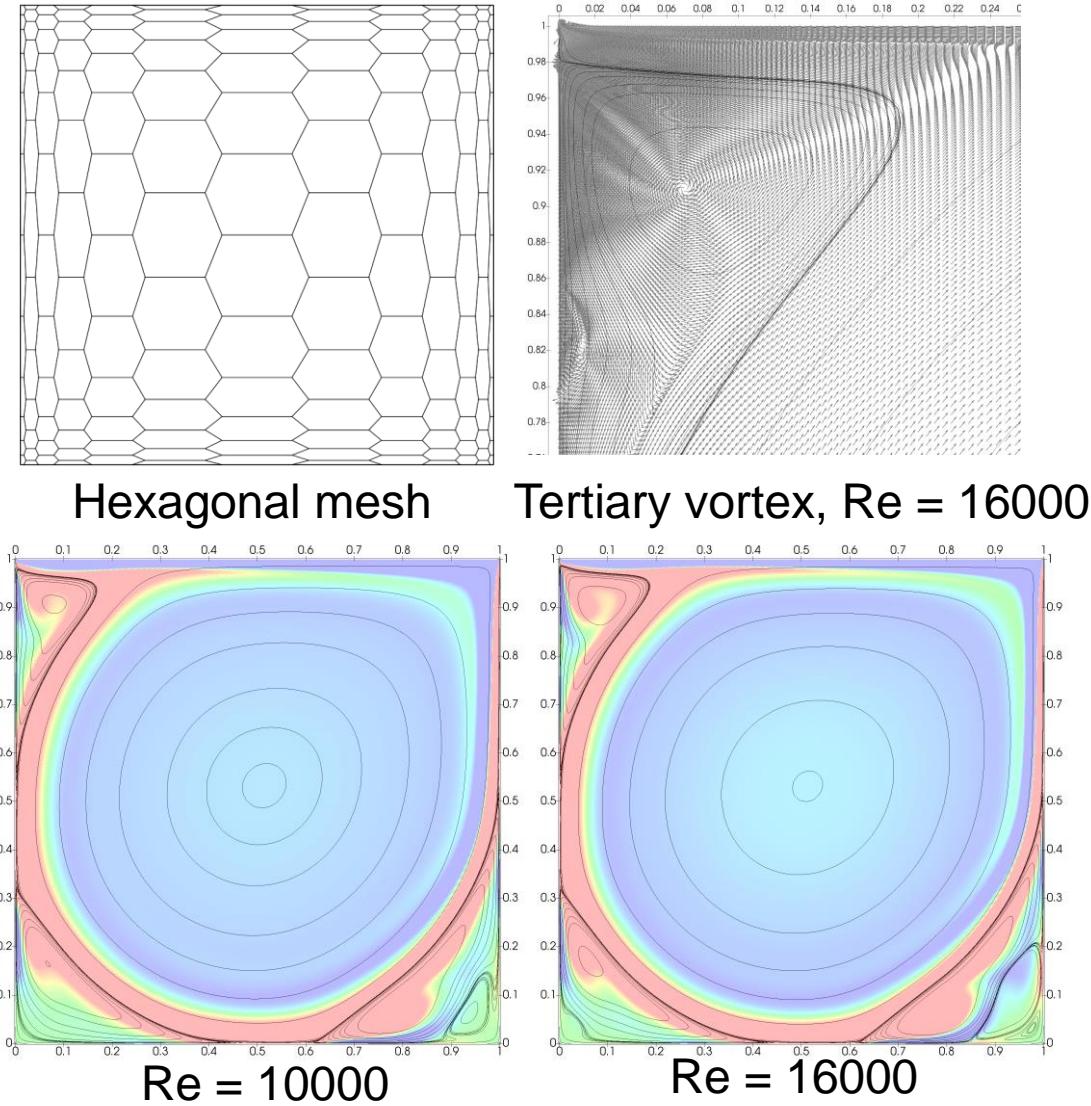
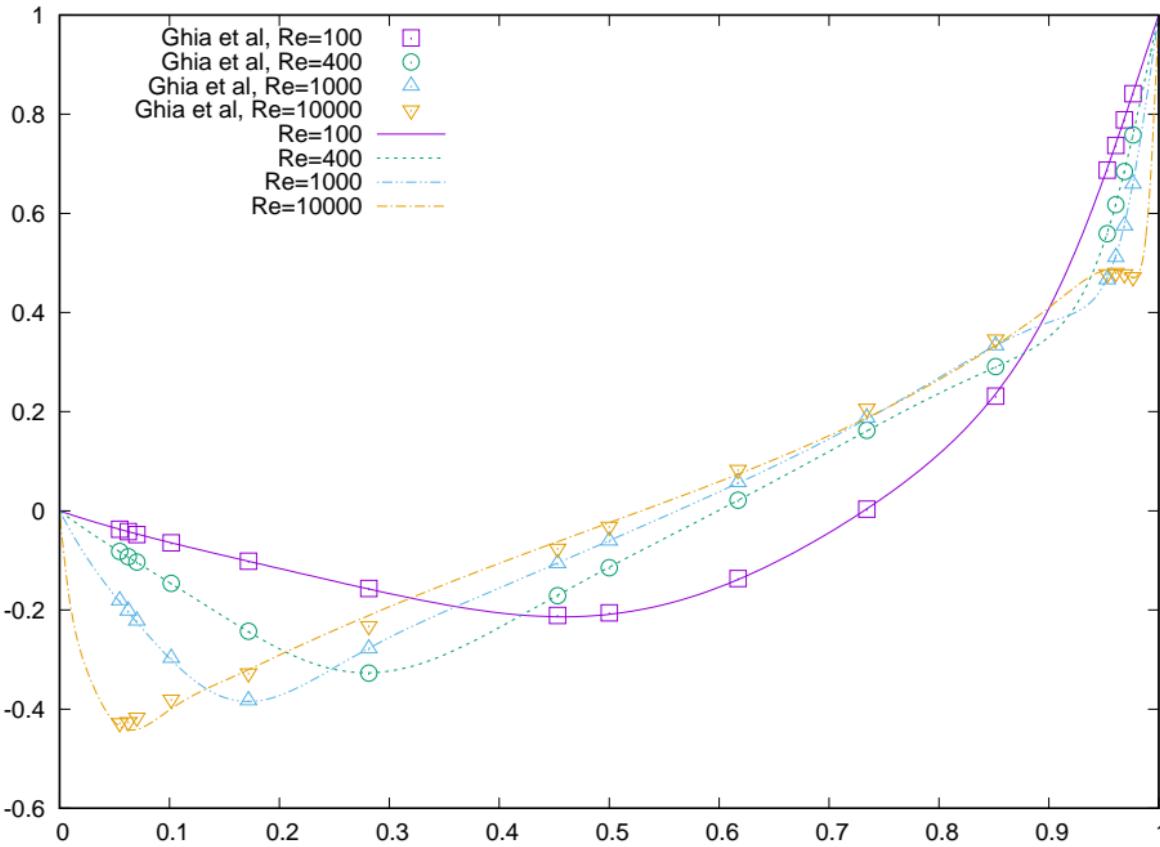


Velocity  
magnitude



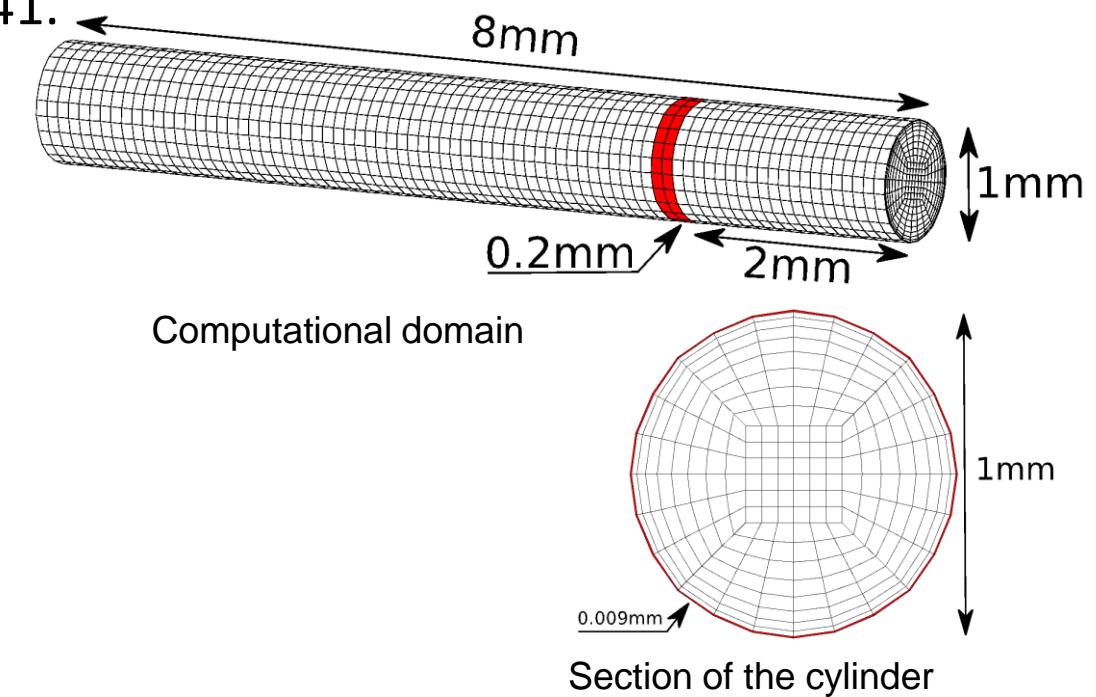
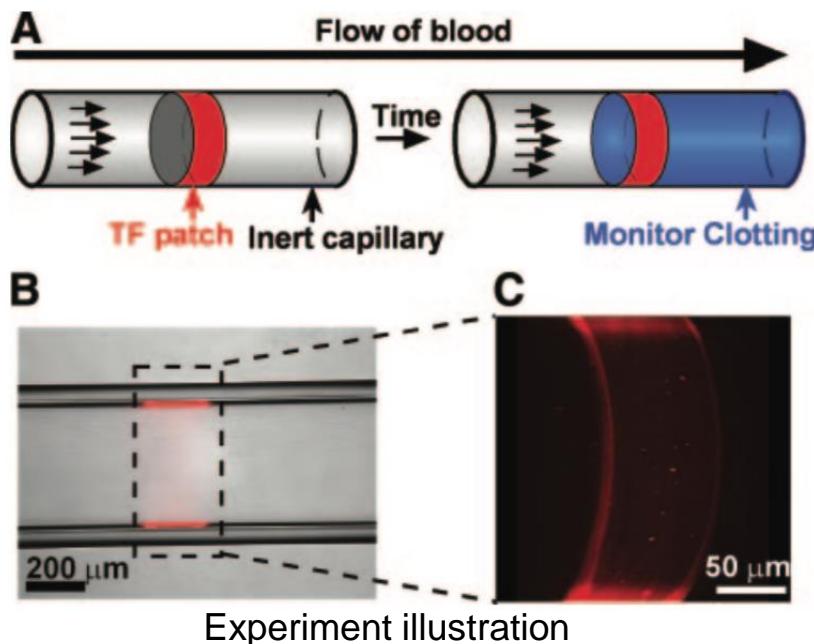
# Cavity Flow at High Reynolds Numbers

- Comparison to reference data of Ghia et al.



# Comparison to the Experimental Data

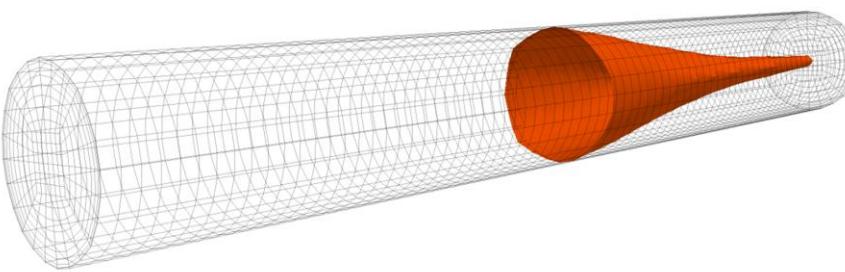
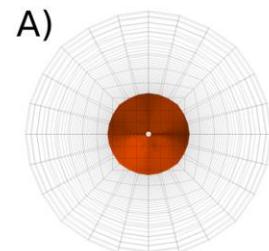
- Based on the **experimental research**: Shen F., Kastrup C.J., Liu Y., Ismagilov R.F.: ***Threshold response of initiation of blood coagulation by tissue factor in patterned microfluidic capillaries is controlled by shear rate. Arteriosclerosis, thrombosis, and vascular biology.*** 2008, 28(11): 2035–2041.



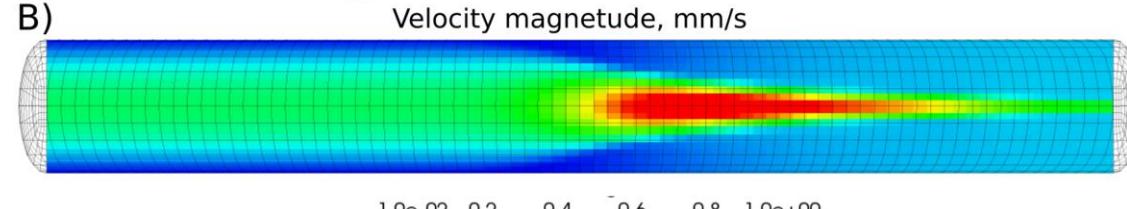


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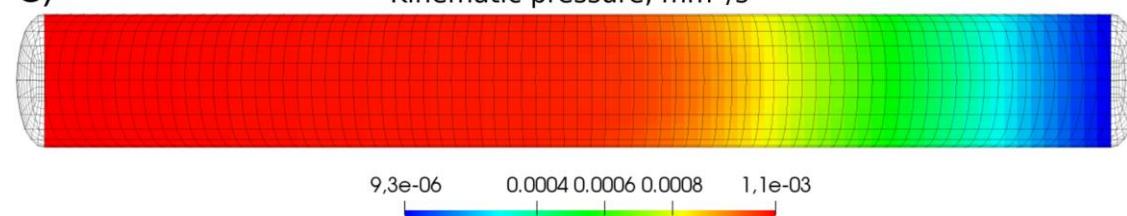
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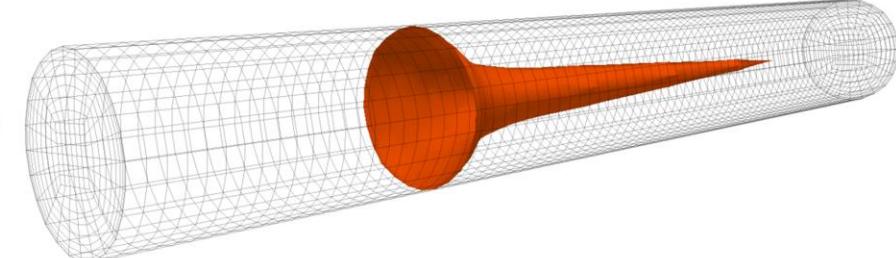
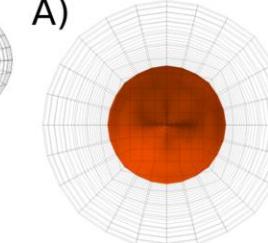
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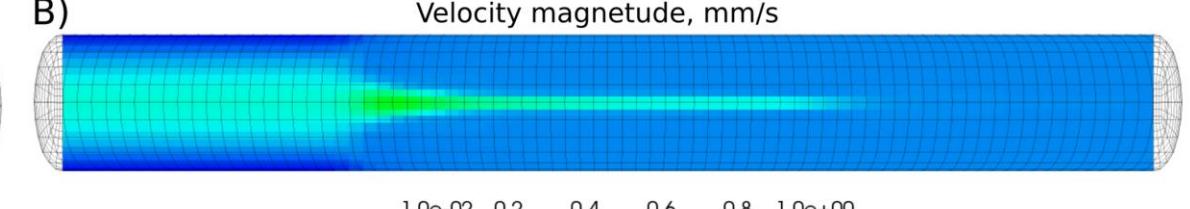
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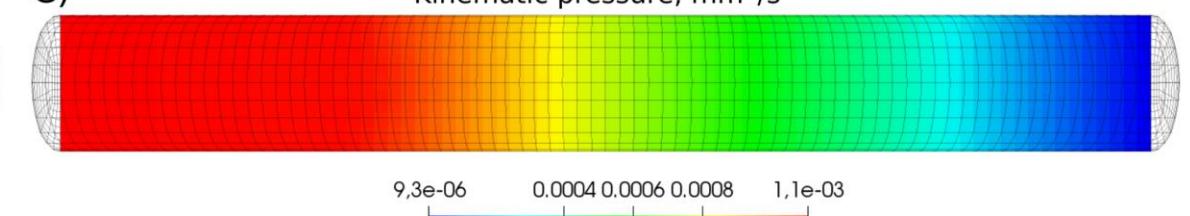
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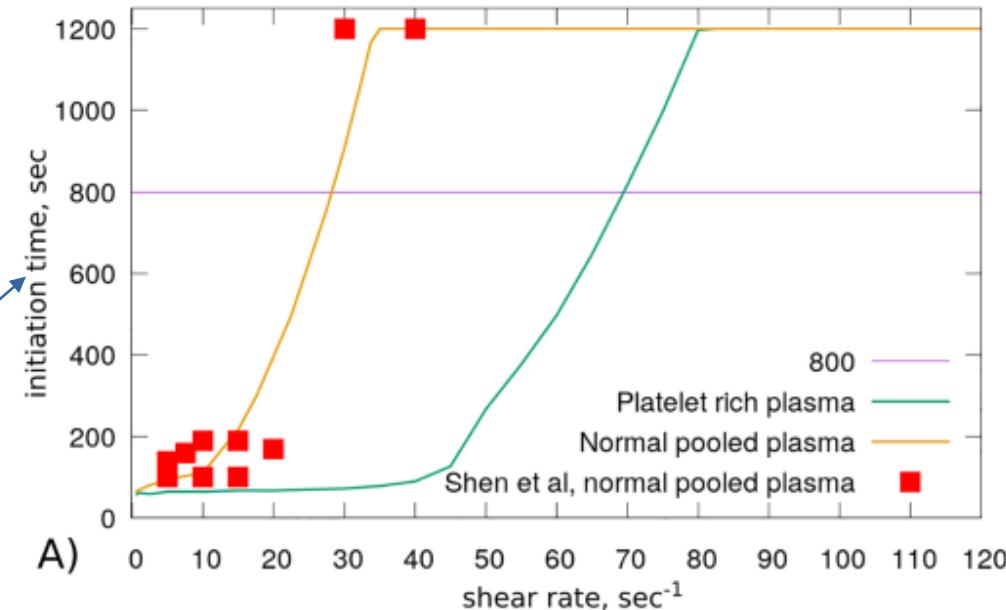
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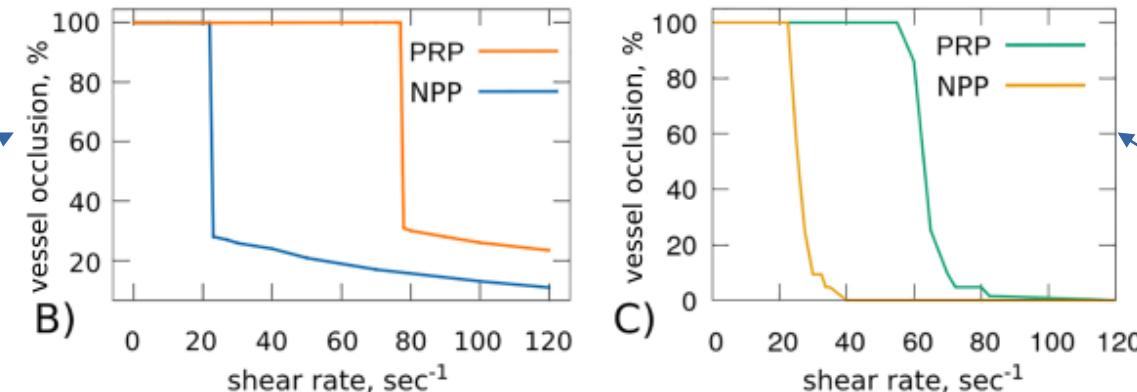
Reproduction of qualitative characteristics of the experiment

# Comparison to the Experimental Data

A) Validation of 3D model  
on experimental data



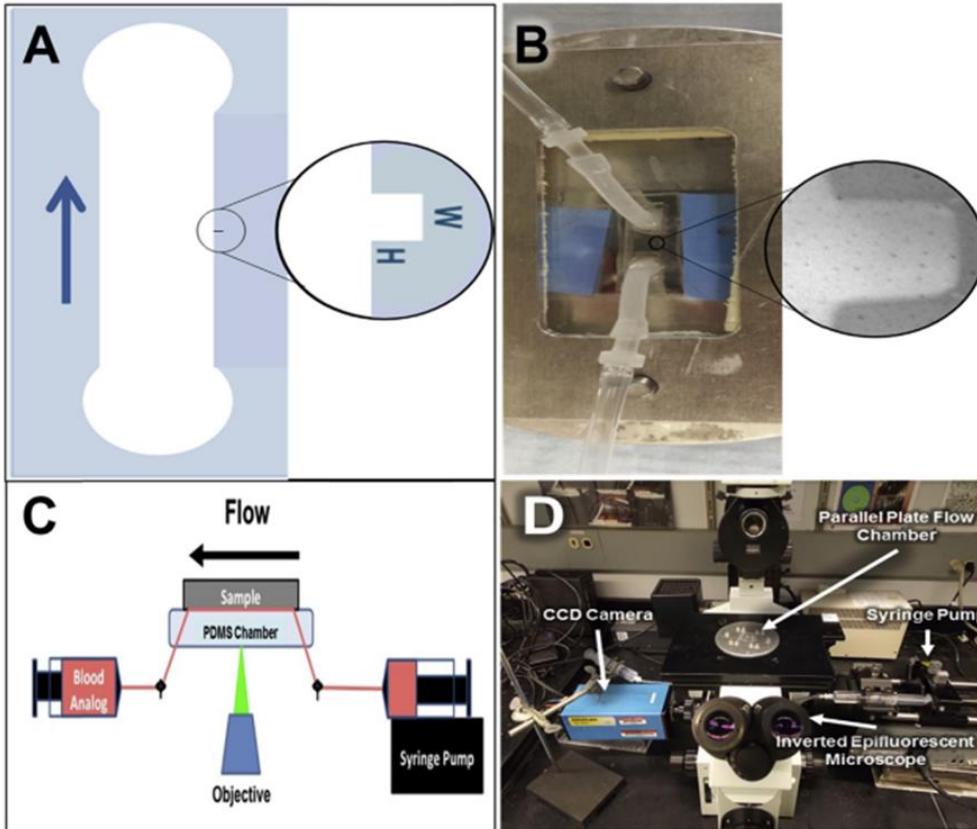
B) Simplified 1D clot formation model



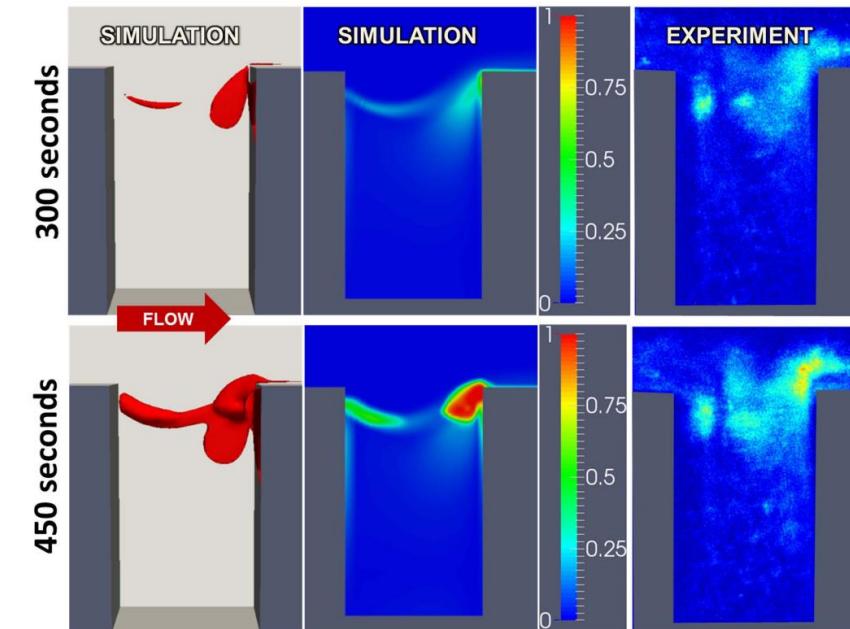
C) Full 3D simulation of clot formation

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# Comparison to the Experimental Data



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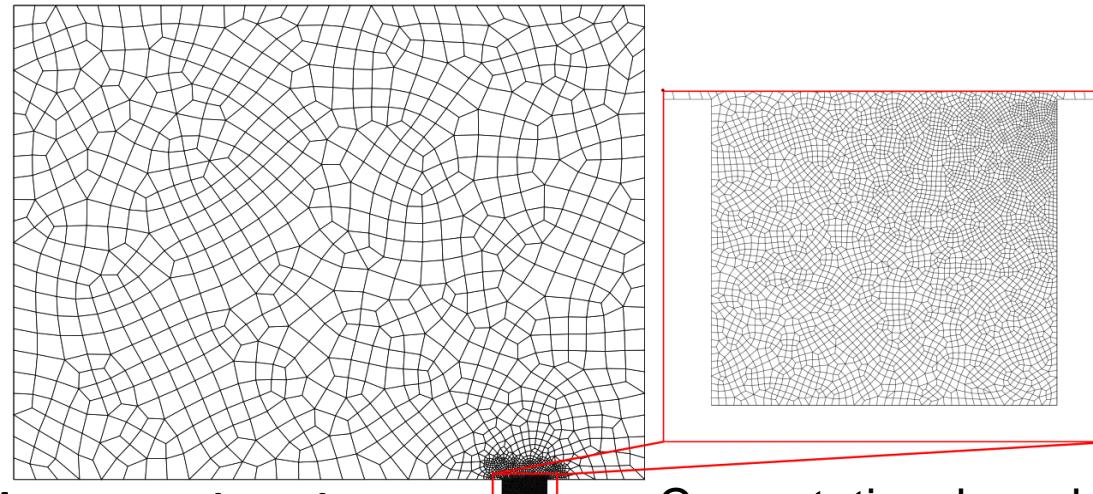
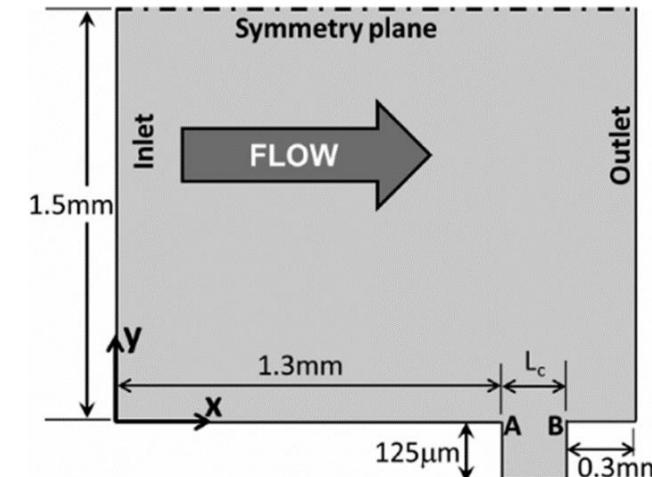
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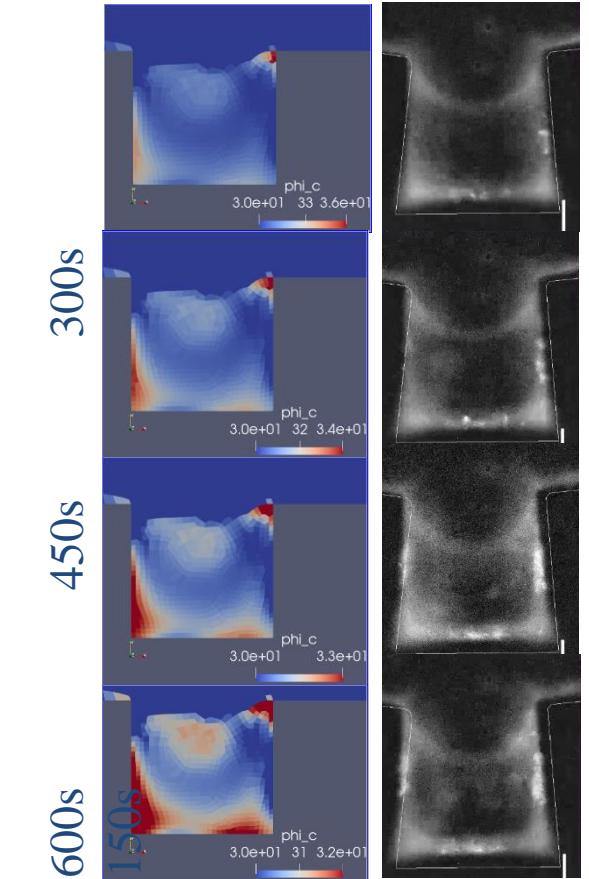
# Comparison to the Experimental Data

Difference from previous test:

- No tissue factor due to damage.
- Large role of anticoagulation agent.
- Reduced role of Fibrin polymer (**red clot**).
- Larger contribution of platelets (**white clot**).
- Current model poorly capture white clot dynamics.



by Nadezhda Suslova, Sechenov University

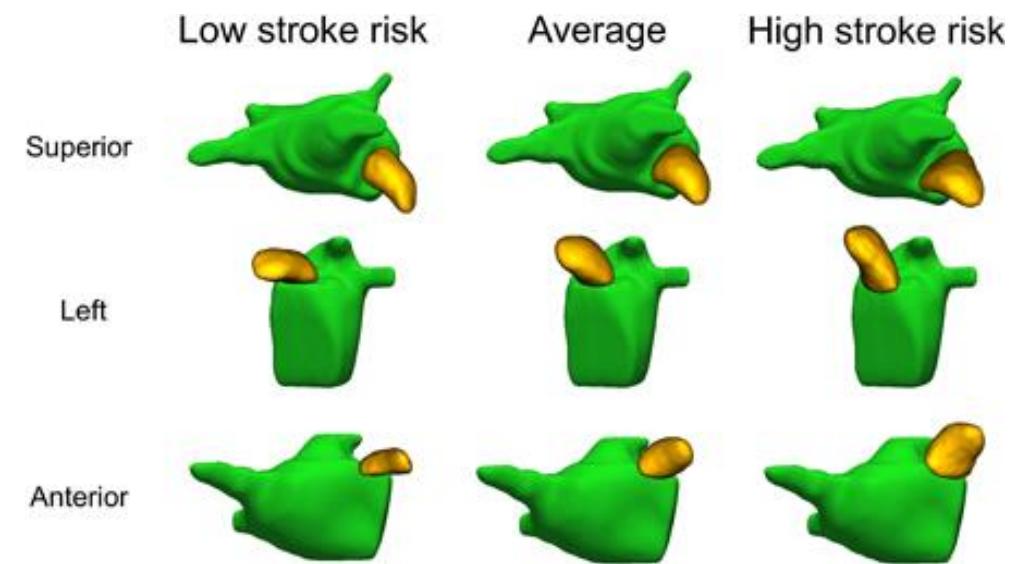


Simulated and real platelets distribution



# Future Directions

- Integration of automatic stabilization of chemical reactions (Ivan Butakov)
- Improve model for white clots.
- Tuning of coefficient in dependence of von Willebrant length and concentration.
- Modelling of clot formation in left ventrical appendage.



**Thank you for your attention!**

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