

Resonant response of a Maxwell fluid to periodic forcing



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Abstract

We present experimental velocity profiles for a Maxwell and a newtonian fluid in a tube under an oscillatory pressure gradient. We obtained bulk velocity profiles (PIV technique) and interface velocity profiles (deflectometry technique). The bulk profiles are in good agreement with the prediction of a linear theory. Comparing the results obtained with the two techniques shows surface tension effects: velocity profiles at the interface are always smaller than at the bulk.

1. Introduction

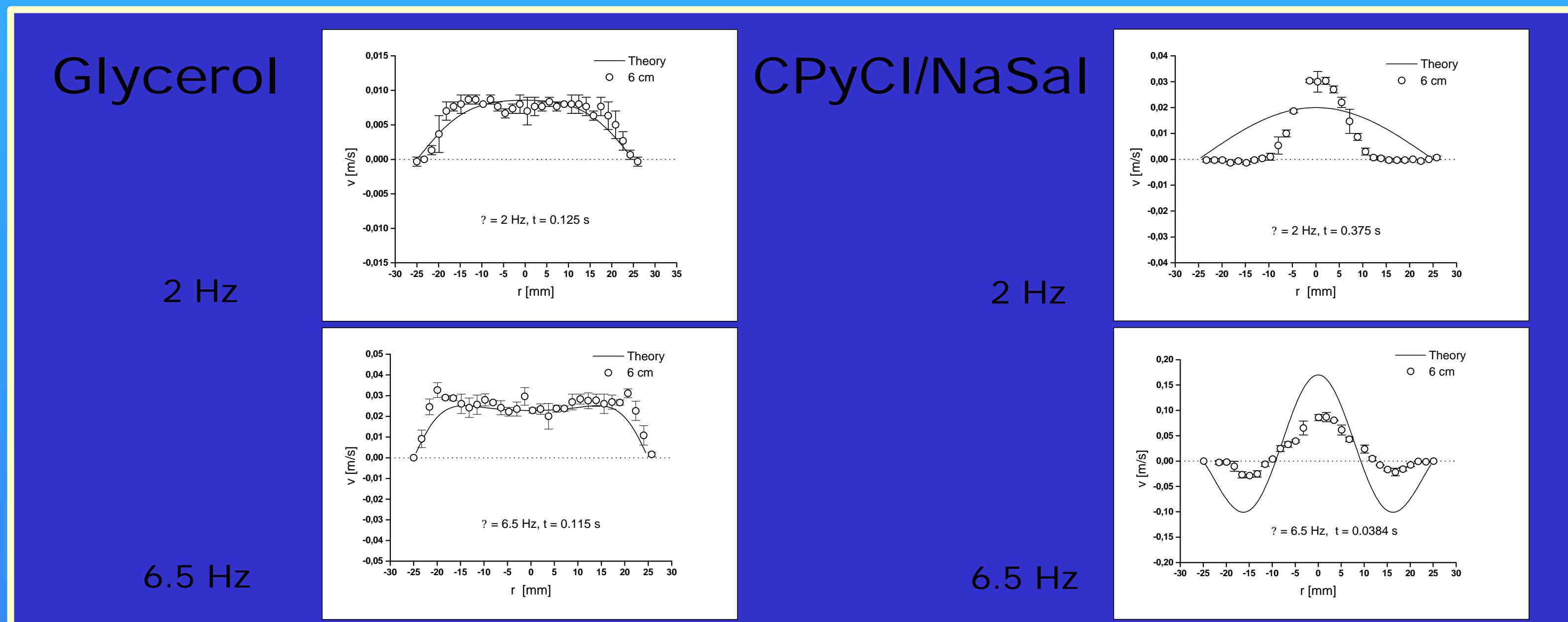
Linearized momentum equation:	$\rho \frac{\partial \vec{v}}{\partial t} = -\vec{\nabla} P + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{r}$	($Re \ll 1$)
Continuity equation:	$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$	
Linearized Maxwell model:	$t_m \frac{\partial \vec{v}}{\partial t} = -\eta \vec{\nabla} \vec{v} - \vec{r}$	
Fourier transform: $t - ?$	$\rho (t_m \omega^2 + i\omega) \vec{V} + \eta \nabla^2 \vec{V} = (1 - i\omega t_m) \vec{\nabla} P$	

Tube:
 - cylindrical coordinates
 - no-slip condition at the walls

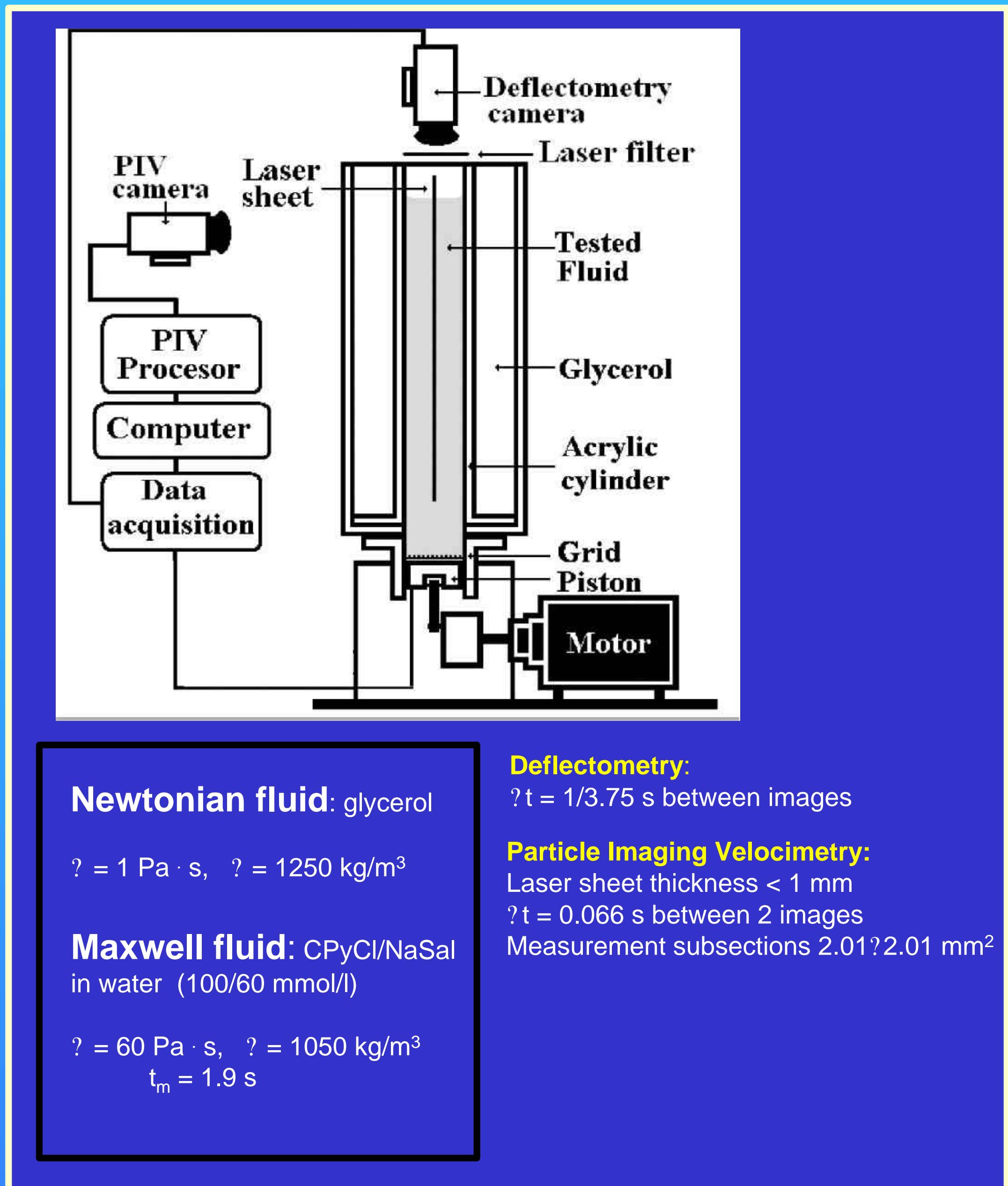
$$V(r, \omega) = -\frac{(1 - i\omega t_m)}{\eta \beta^2} \left[1 - \frac{J_0(\beta r)}{J_0(\beta a)} \right] \frac{dP}{dz}$$

$$\beta = \left(\frac{\rho}{\eta t_m} [(\omega t_m)^2 + i\omega t_m] \right)^{1/2}$$

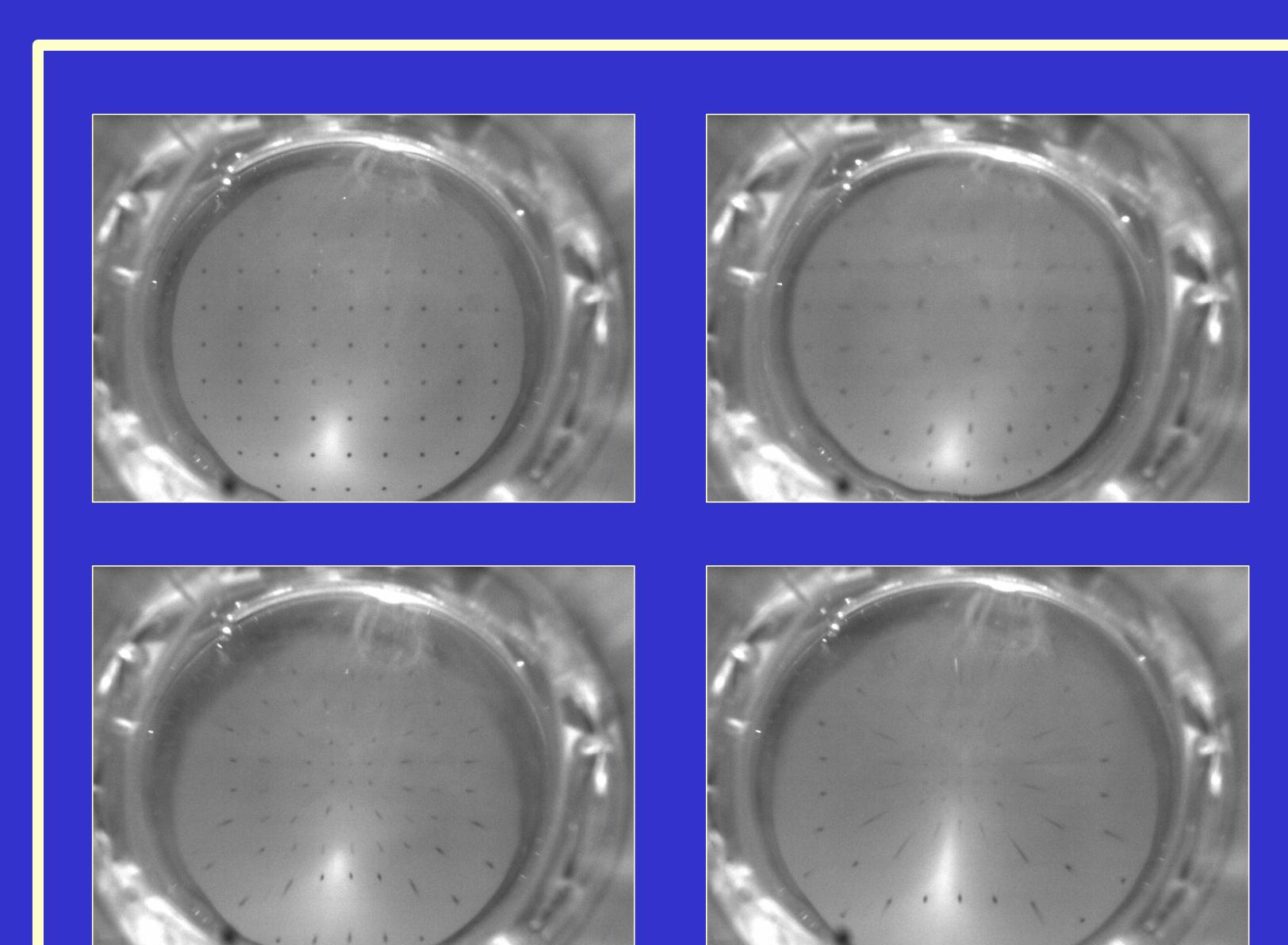
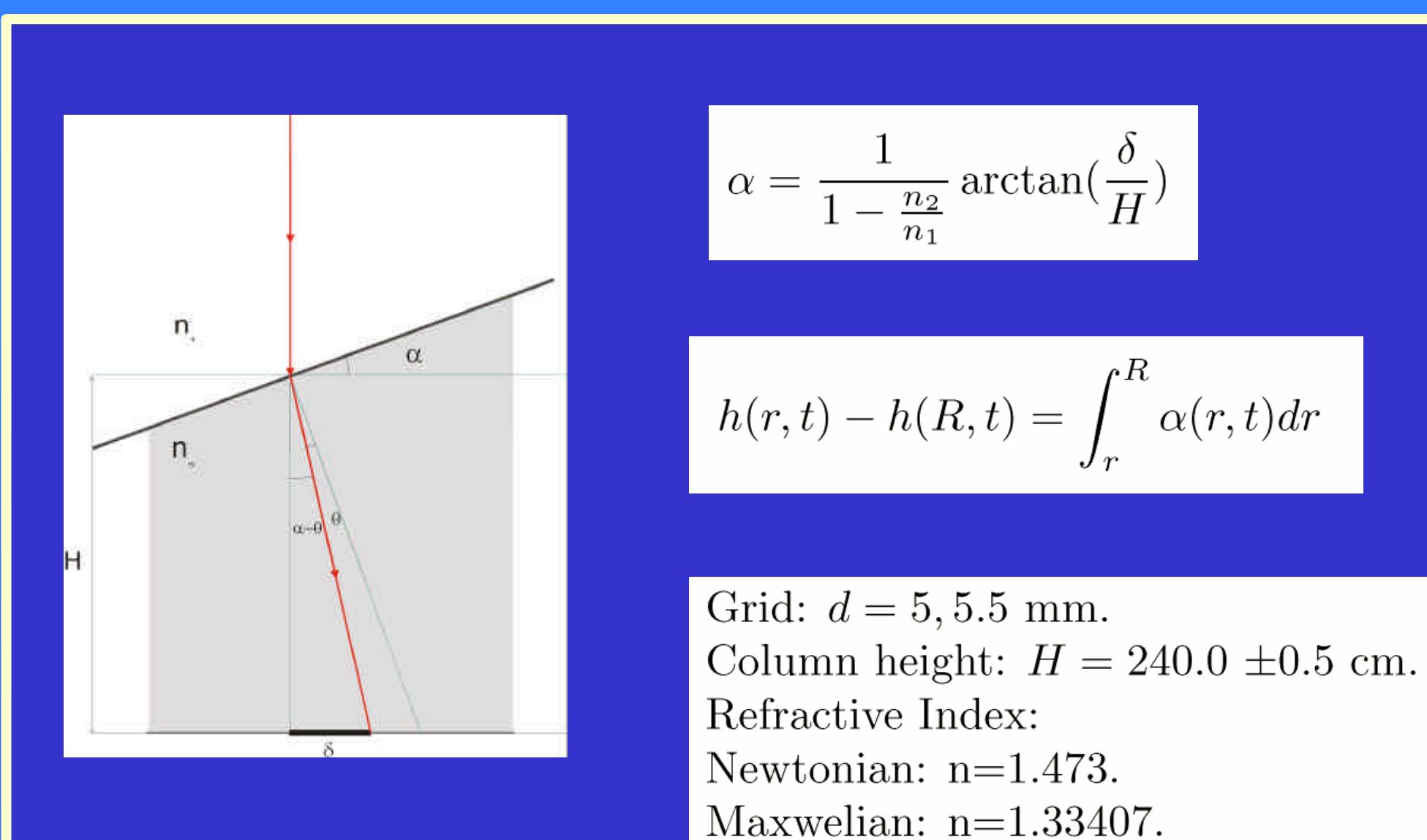
3. PIV: Bulk velocity profiles



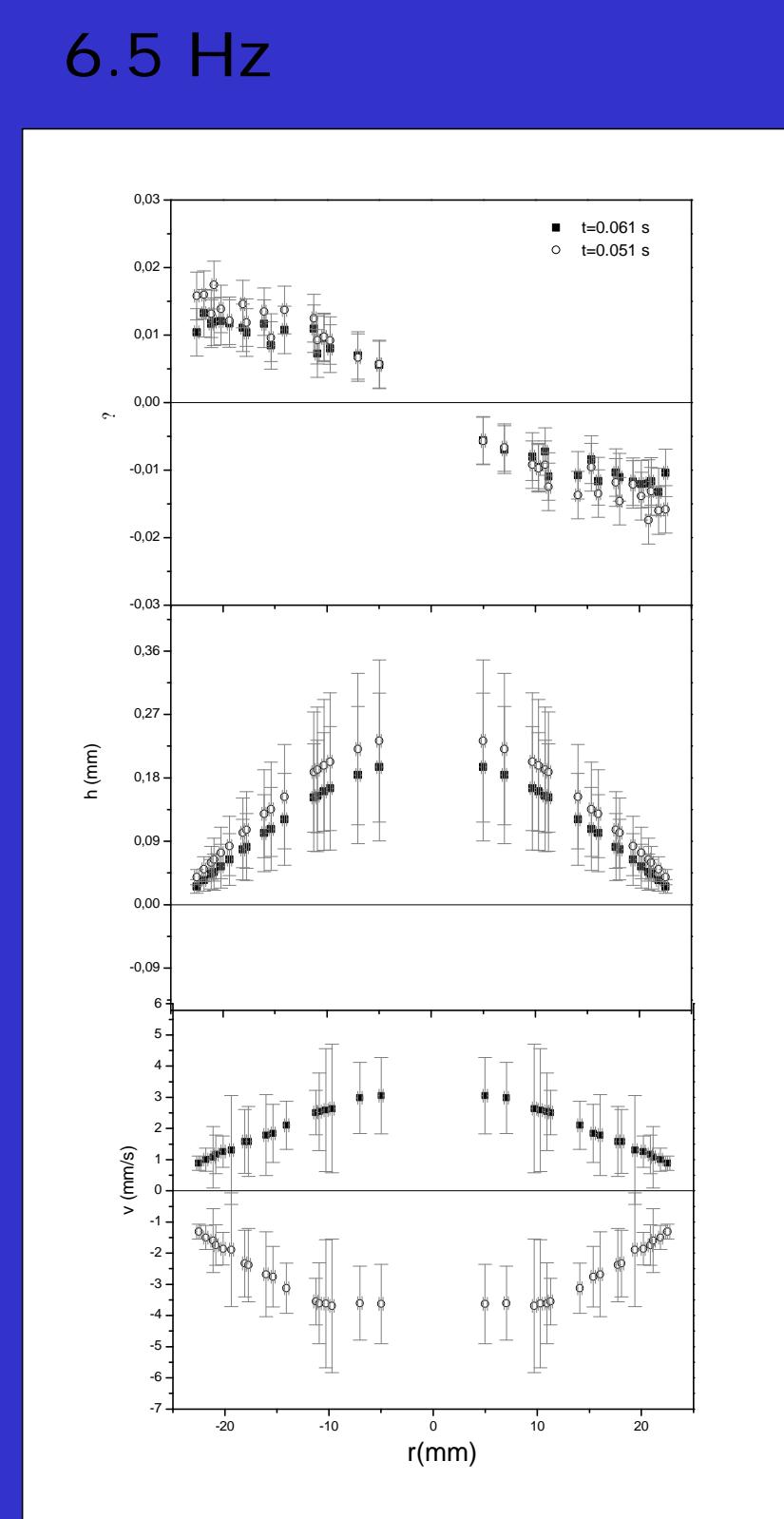
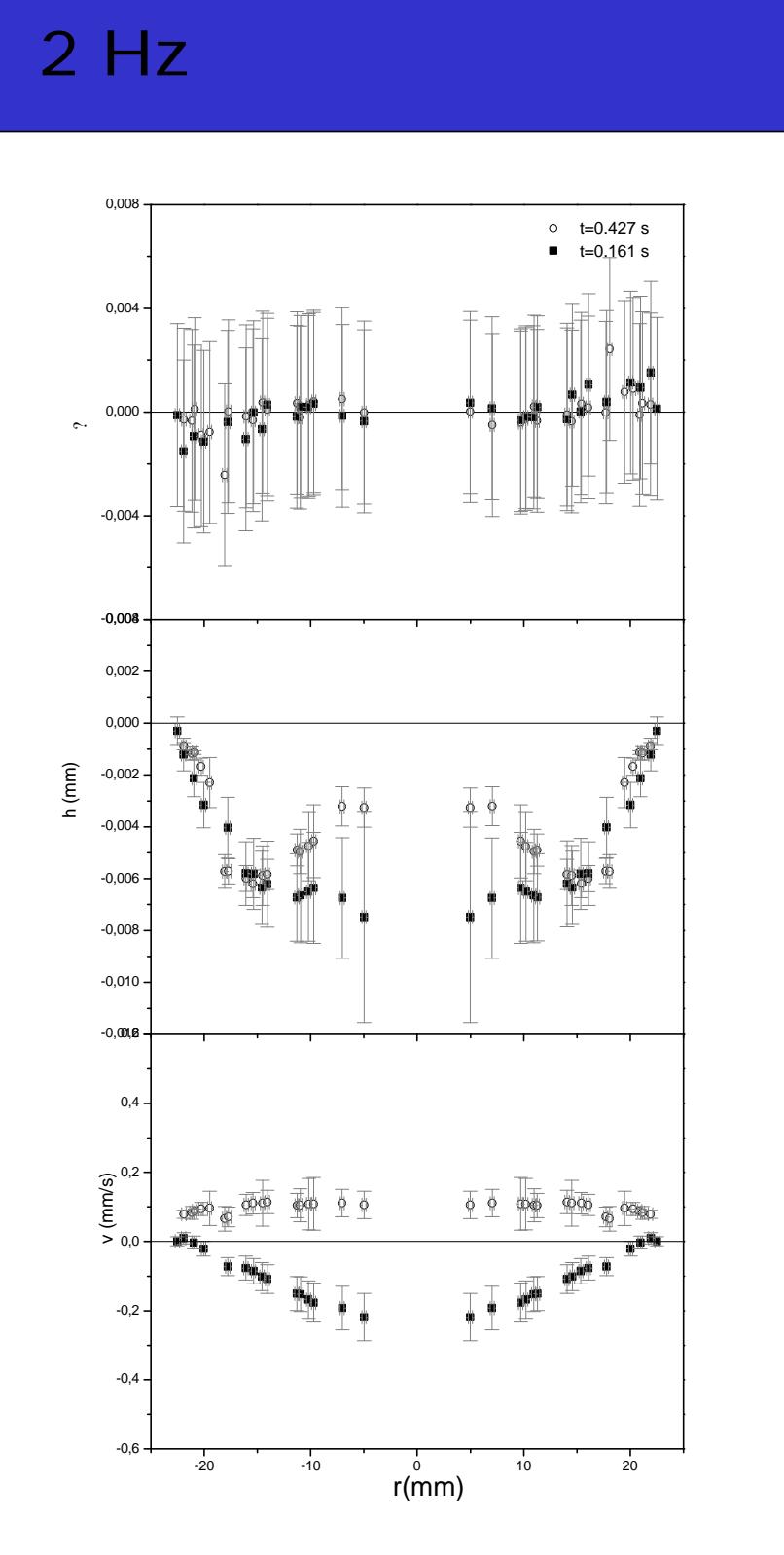
2. Experimental setup



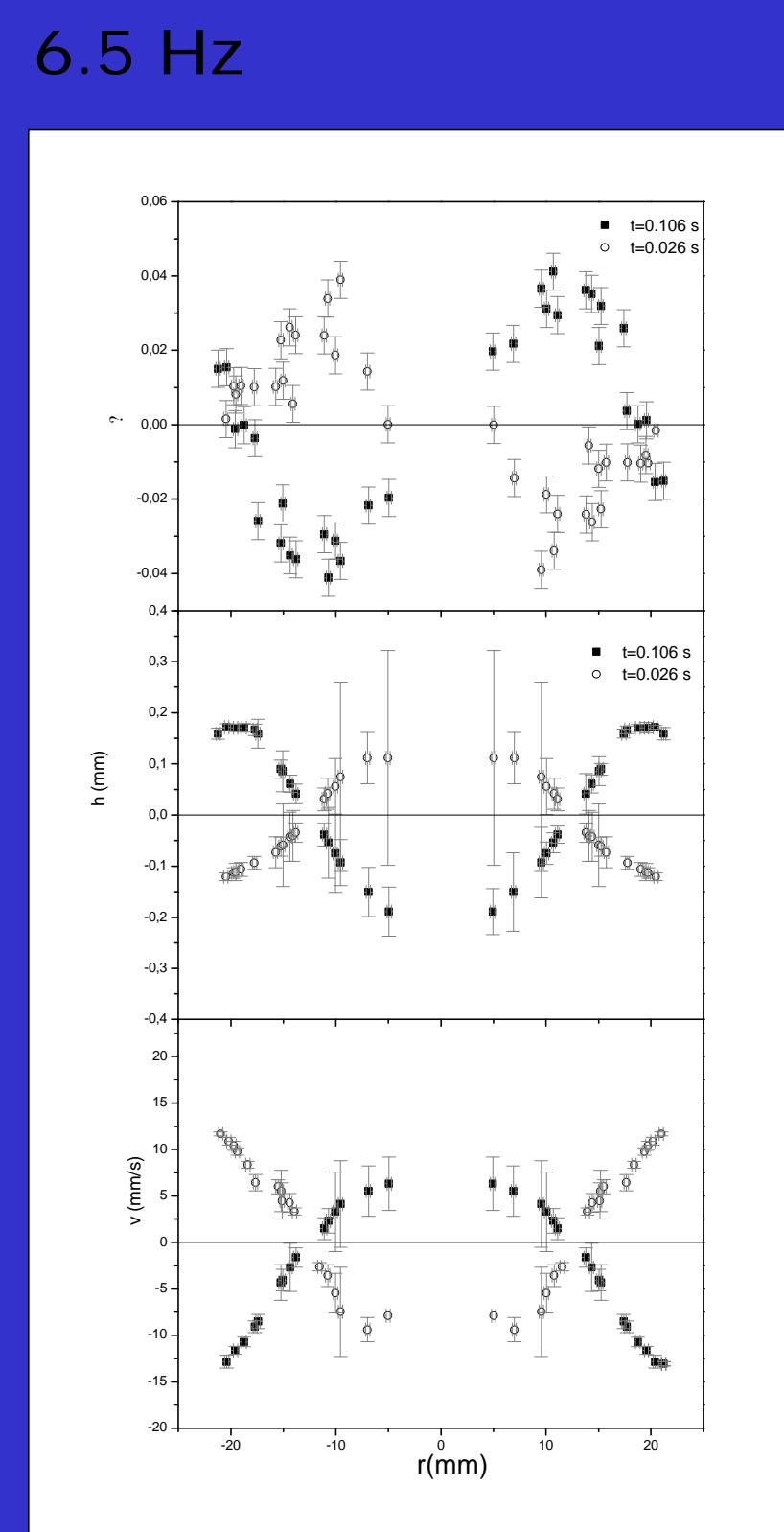
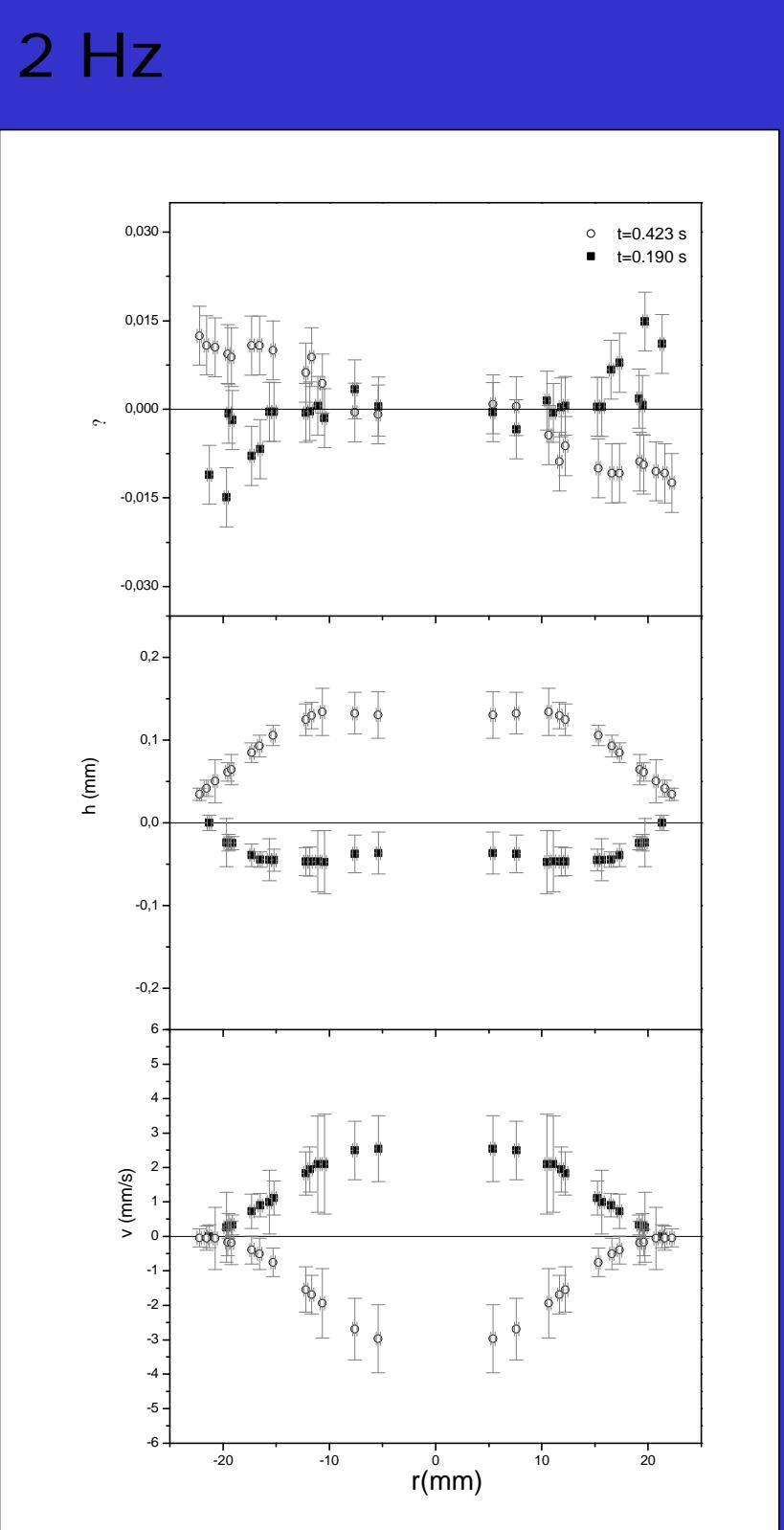
4. Deflectometry: Interface profiles



Glycerol



CPyCl/NaSal



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