

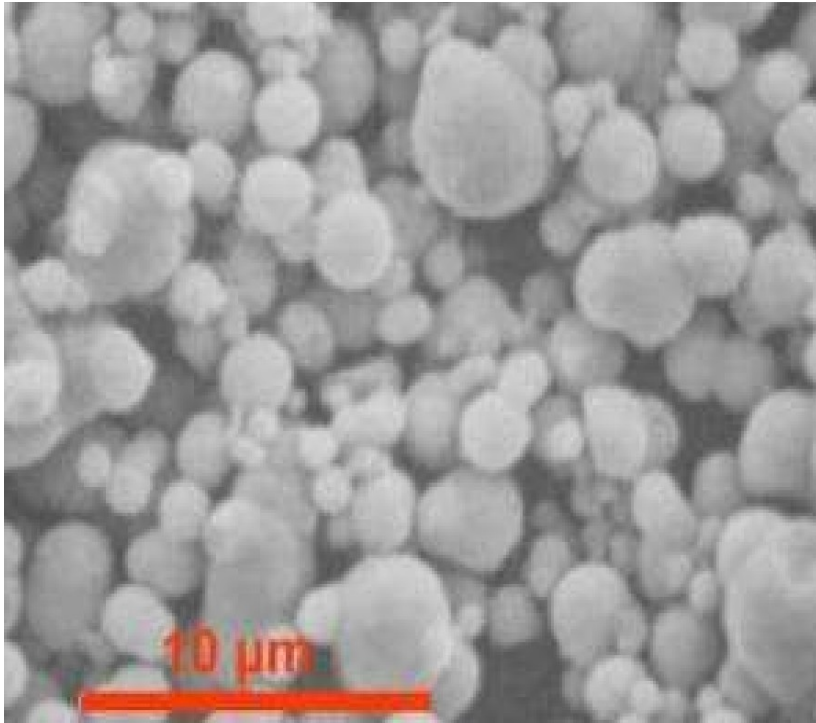
Transport properties of suspensions of spherical particles

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Introduction - suspensions

minute particles in liquid



Liquid:

-temperature

T

-viscosity

μ

-density of the fluid

ρ_f

Particles:

-radius

a

-density of material

ρ_p

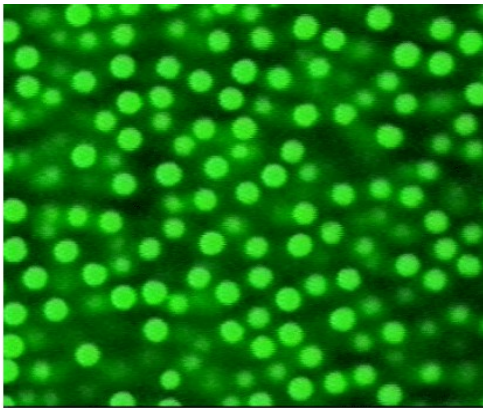
-volume fraction

ϕ

milk, blood,...

Goal of the research

Suspension of spherical particles



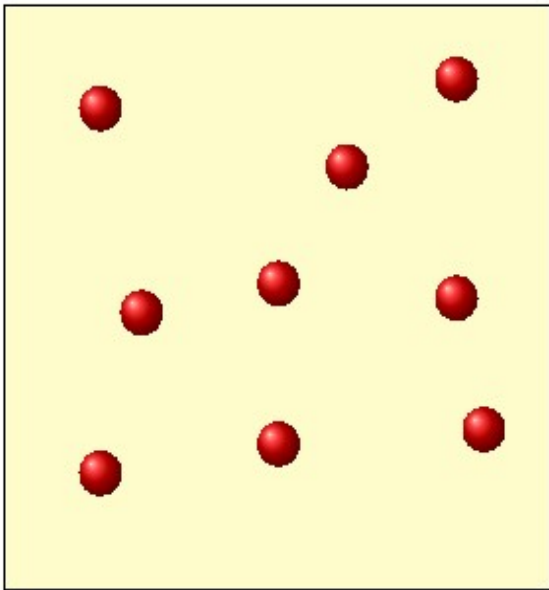
Transport properties (short time):
-effective viscosity
-sedimentation coefficient
-diffusion coefficient

Over 100 years of theoretical research - still an open question

Hard-sphere suspension

Unbounded liquid,

N particles in configuration $X \equiv \mathbf{R}_1, \dots, \mathbf{R}_N$



Stokes equations:

$$\nabla p(\mathbf{r}) - \eta \Delta \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = 0$$

Stick boundary conditions,

$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) \rightarrow \mathbf{v}_0(\mathbf{r}) \text{ for } r \rightarrow \infty$$

Aristotelian world...

Stokes (1851)

Flow around sedimenting particle

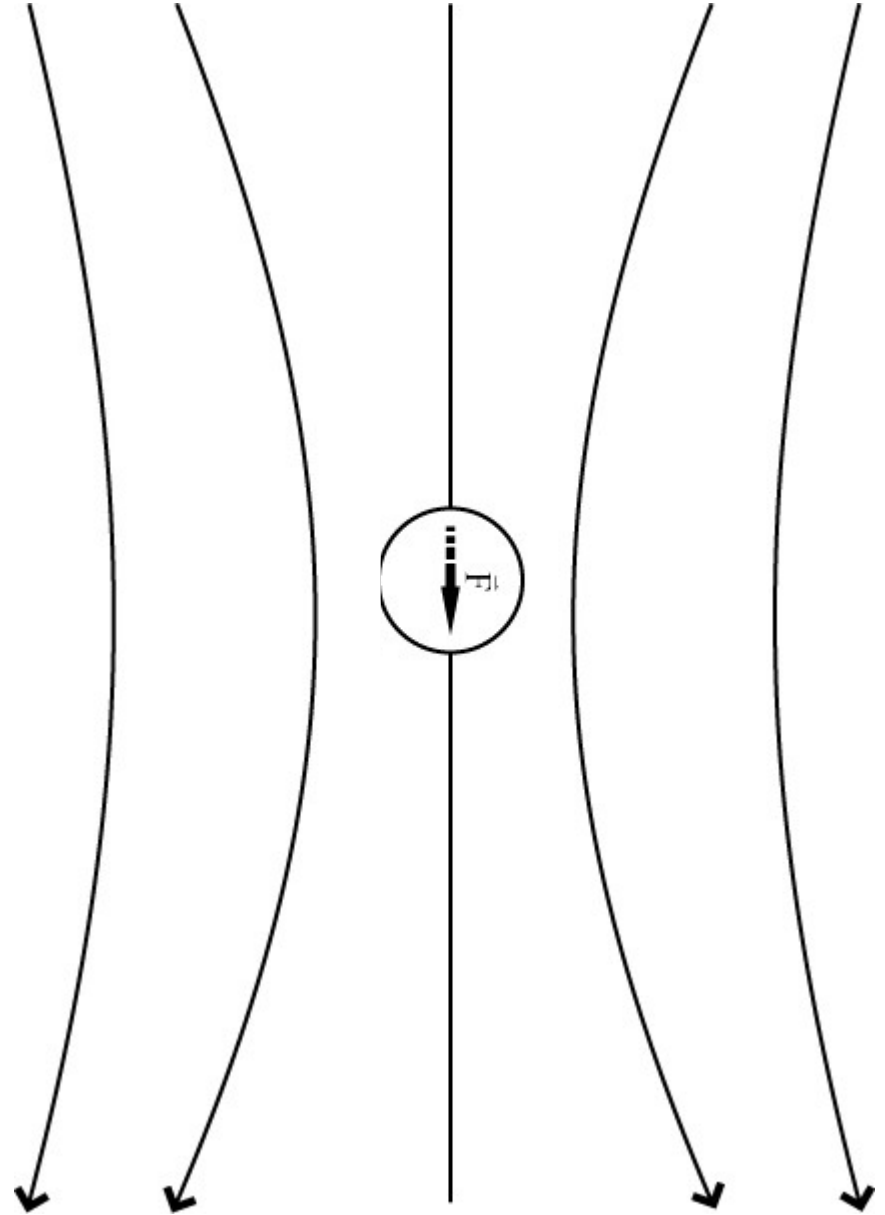
External force acting on the particle

$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) \sim \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r}) \cdot \mathbf{F}$$

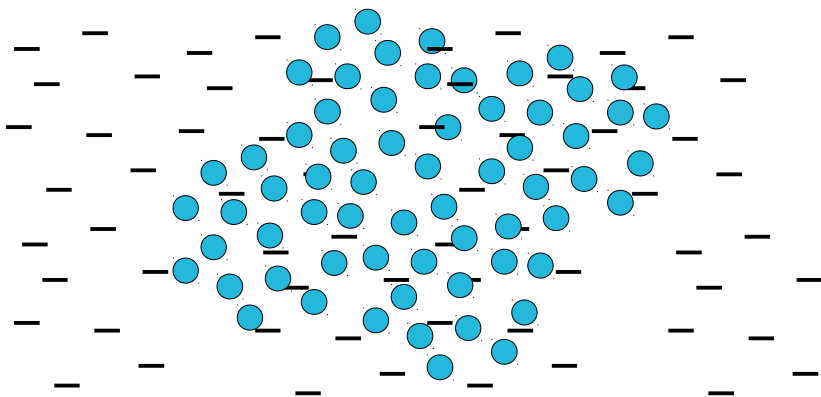
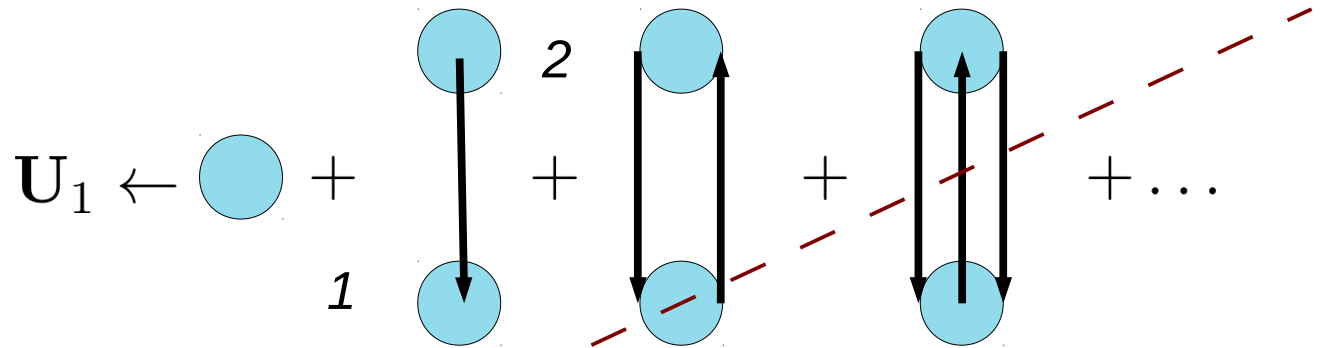
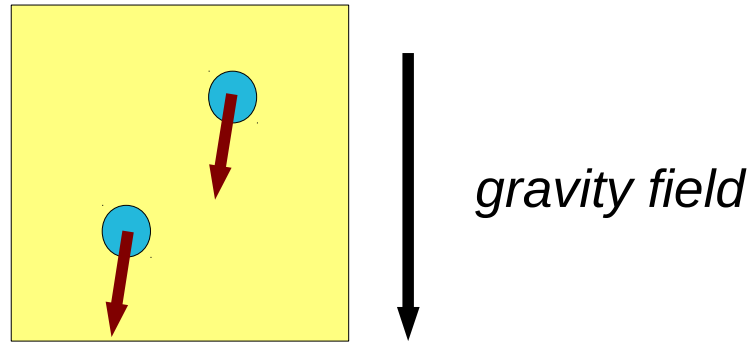
at the distance

Oseen tensor - (Green function)

$$\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{8\pi\eta} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r}$$



Hydrodynamic interactions – Smoluchowski (1911)



Long-range:

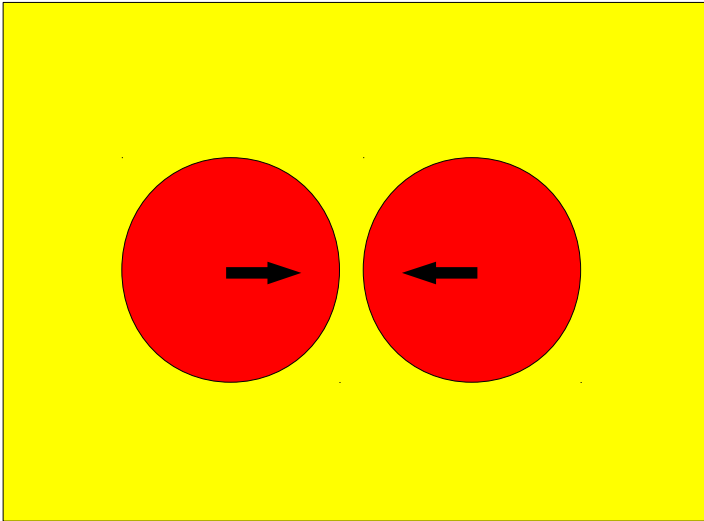
$$\int d^3 r |\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r})| = \infty$$

$$\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{8\pi\eta} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r}$$

Well defined expression for effective viscosity?

Hydrodynamic interactions

Strong interactions of close particles



*For constant velocities asymptotically infinite drag force
(Jeffrey, Onishi (1984))*

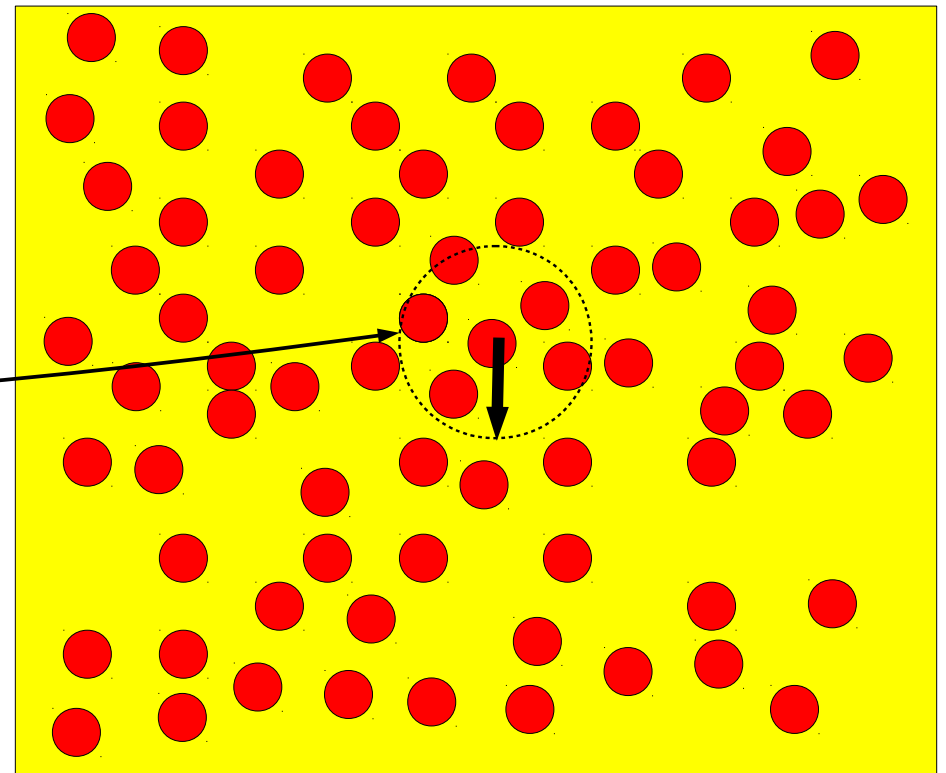
(Lubrication force)

Effective Green function

Flow caused by force acting on particles in the area

total force acting on particles in the area

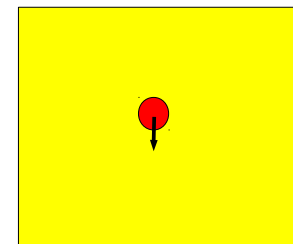
$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) \sim \mathbf{G}_{\text{eff}}(\mathbf{r}) \mathbf{F}$$



effective Green function
(effective propagator):

$$\mathbf{G}_{\text{eff}}(\mathbf{r}) \sim \frac{1}{8\pi\eta_{\text{eff}}} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r} = \frac{\eta}{\eta_{\text{eff}}} \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r})$$

at the distance



$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) \sim \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r}) \cdot \mathbf{F}$$

Transport properties – history and scattering series

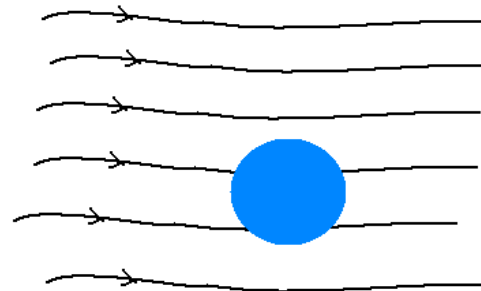
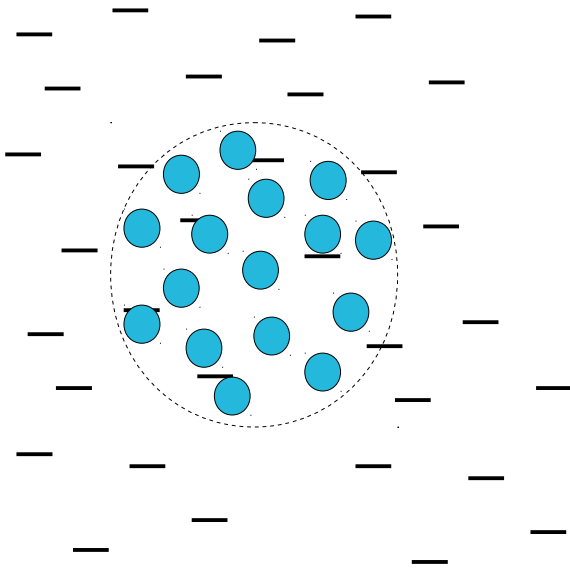


Einstein 1905
(corrected):

$$\eta_{eff} = \eta \left(1 + \frac{5}{2} \phi \right)$$

$$\phi = \frac{4}{3} \pi a^3 n$$

Single particle problem in shear flow

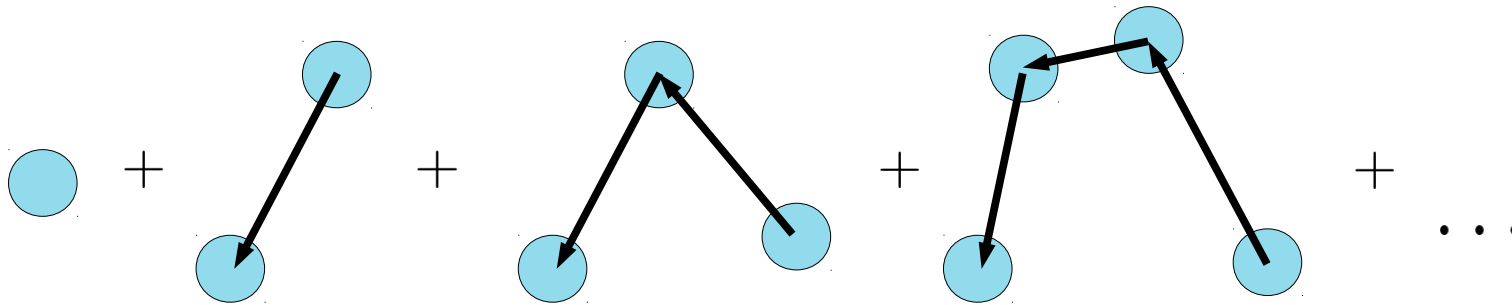
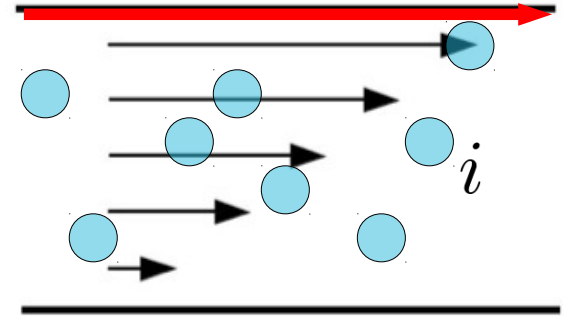


- *Finite system*
- *Hydrodynamic interactions neglected (no reflections)*
- *Diluted suspensions (volume fraction below about 3%)*

Beyond diluted suspensions

Saito (1950):

-extension of Einstein work on mean-field level

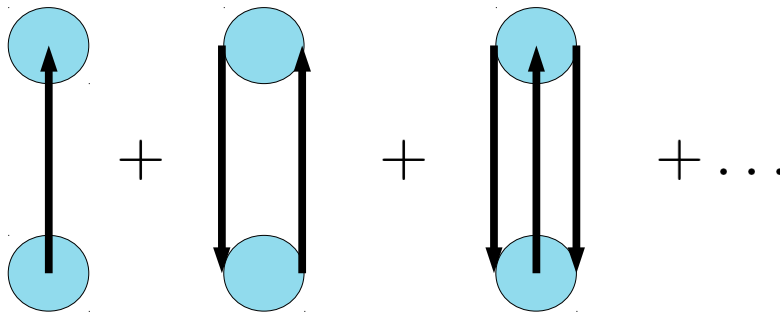
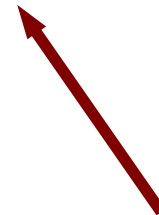


$$\frac{\eta_{eff}}{\eta} = \frac{1 + \frac{3}{2}\phi}{1 - \phi}$$

non-absolutely convergent integrals!

Two-particle hydrodynamic interactions (1963)

$$\frac{\eta_{eff}}{\eta} = 1 + \frac{5}{2}\phi + a_2\phi^2 + \dots$$



absolute convergence

$$\int d^3r |\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r})| = \infty$$

*(well defined expression
on two-body level)*

Peterson, Fixman (1963): $a_2 \approx 4.31784$

Batchelor, Green (1972): $a_2 \approx 5.2$

(ad hoc renormalization)

Problem with long-range HI still not solved

1982 – problem of long-range HI solved



B. U. Felderhof,¹ G. W. Ford,² and E. G. D. Cohen³

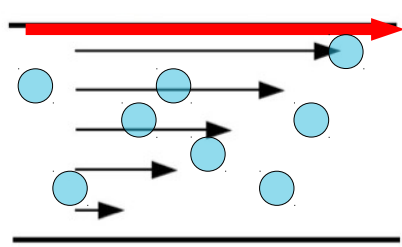
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We derive a cluster expansion for the electric susceptibility kernel of a dielectric suspension of spherically symmetric inclusions in a uniform background. This also leads to a cluster expansion for the effective dielectric constant. It is shown that the cluster integrals of any order are absolutely convergent, so that the dielectric constant is well defined and independent of the shape of the sample in the limit of a large system. We compare with virial expansions derived earlier in

dielectric \Leftrightarrow suspension

Response of suspension (effective viscosity)

Landau's book: Viscosity from the following relation:


$$\langle \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{R}) \rangle = \int d^3 r' \mathbf{T}^{irr}(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{r}') \langle \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}') \rangle$$

average surface force (dipole)

viscosity operator

average velocity field of suspension

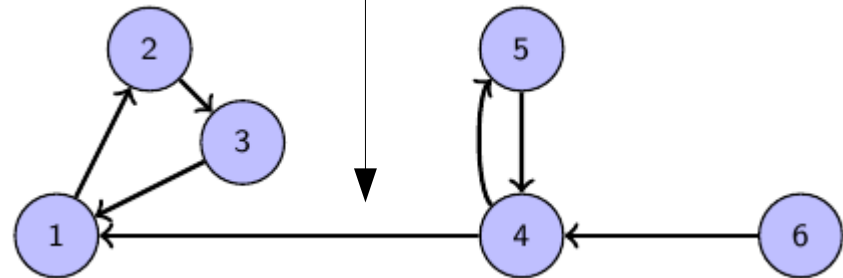
Effective viscosity coefficient is given directly by the response operator T^{irr}

Felderhof, Ford, Cohen – cluster expansion (1982)

$$T^{irr} = \sum_{g=1}^{\infty} \sum_{C_1 \dots C_g} \int dC_1 \dots dC_g \underline{b(C_1 | \dots | C_g)} \underline{S_I(C_1)} \underline{G} \dots \underline{G} \underline{S_I(C_g)}$$

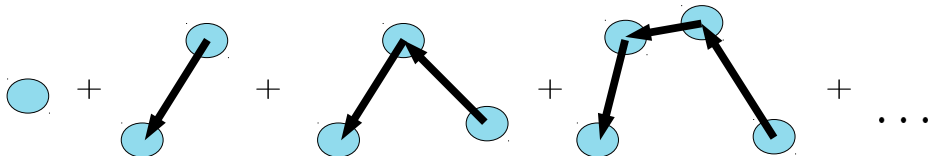
Oseen tensor: $G = \frac{1}{8\pi\eta} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r}$

Information about distribution of particles in space



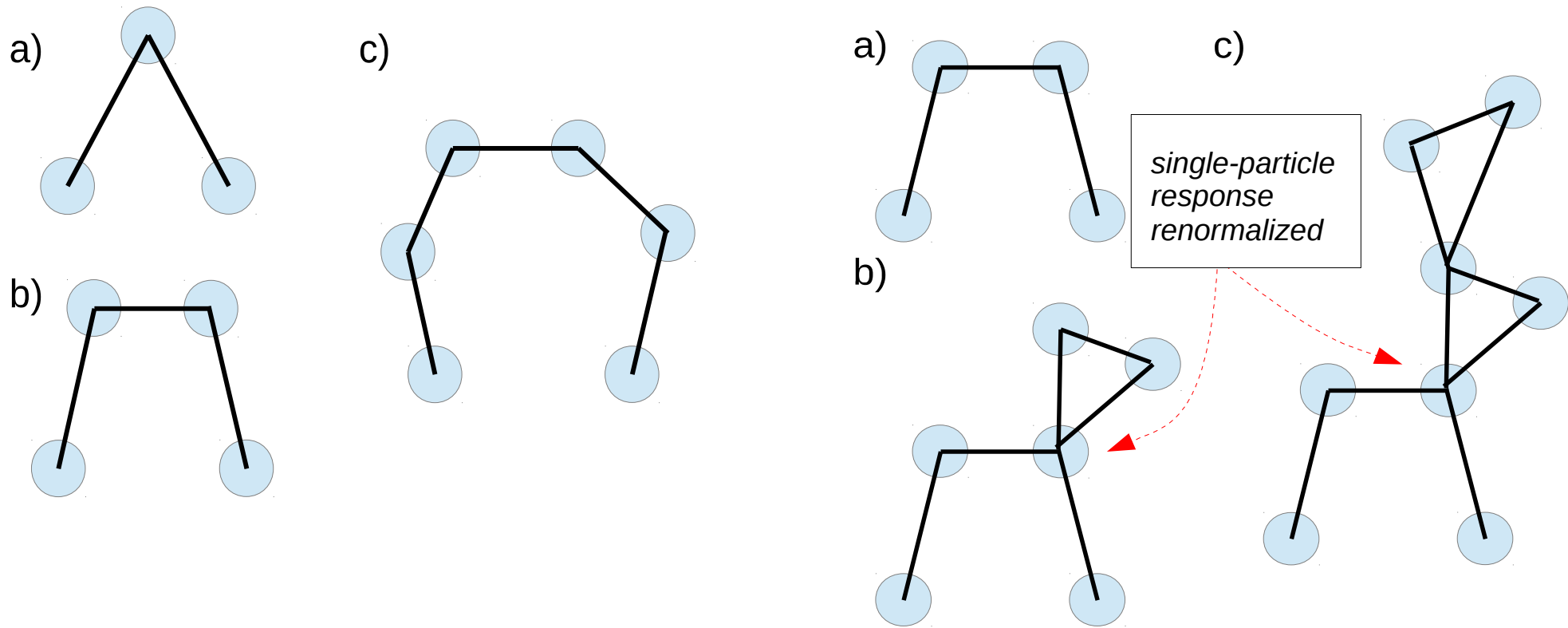
Felderhof, Ford and Cohen also identified terms, which lead to Saito formula for effective viscosity:

$$\frac{\eta_{eff}}{\eta} = \frac{1 + \frac{3}{2}\phi}{1 - \phi}$$



Beenakker-Mazur method (1983)

Idea of the method – resummation of certain class of hydrodynamic interactions – 'ring-selfcorrelations'



Beenakker and Mazur method

*Beenakker and Mazur scheme – expansion in density fluctuations (1983).
The state of the art statistical physics theory for short times properties of
suspension nowadays*

- ✓ Many-body character*
- ✓ Long-range character*
- ✗ Strong interactions of close particles (lubrication)*

No satisfactory statistical physics method including the above three features.

Numerical simulation shows that lubrication is indispensable!

*To construct the method taking into consideration lubrication is an open problem of
theoretical physics.*

Our approach – renormalization of the propagator

Cluster expansion (1982):

$$T^{irr} = \sum_{g=1}^{\infty} \sum_{C_1 \dots C_g} \int dC_1 \dots dC_g b(C_1 | \dots | C_g) S_I(C_1) \mathbf{G} \dots \mathbf{G} S_I(C_g)$$

*block distribution function
(configurations of particles)*

short-range hydrodynamic interaction

Oseen tensor (pure liquid):

$$\mathbf{G} = \frac{1}{8\pi\eta} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r}$$

Ring expansion (2015):

$$T^{irr} = \sum_{g=1}^{\infty} \sum_{C_1 \dots C_g} \int dC_1 \dots dC_g H(C_1 | \dots | C_g) S_I(C_1) \mathbf{G}_{\text{eff}} \dots \mathbf{G}_{\text{eff}} S_I(C_g)$$

*block correlation function
(configurations of particles);
H=b for g=1,2,
H different from b for g>2.*

Effective Green function:

$$\mathbf{G}_{\text{eff}}(\mathbf{r}) \sim \frac{\eta}{\eta_{\text{eff}}} \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r})$$

convergence

Generalization of Clausius-Mossotti approximation

Constructing approximate method by carrying over approximation from cluster expansion to ring expansion with the following modification:

$$G \Longrightarrow G_{\text{eff}}$$

Clausius-Mossotti (Saito)
approximation

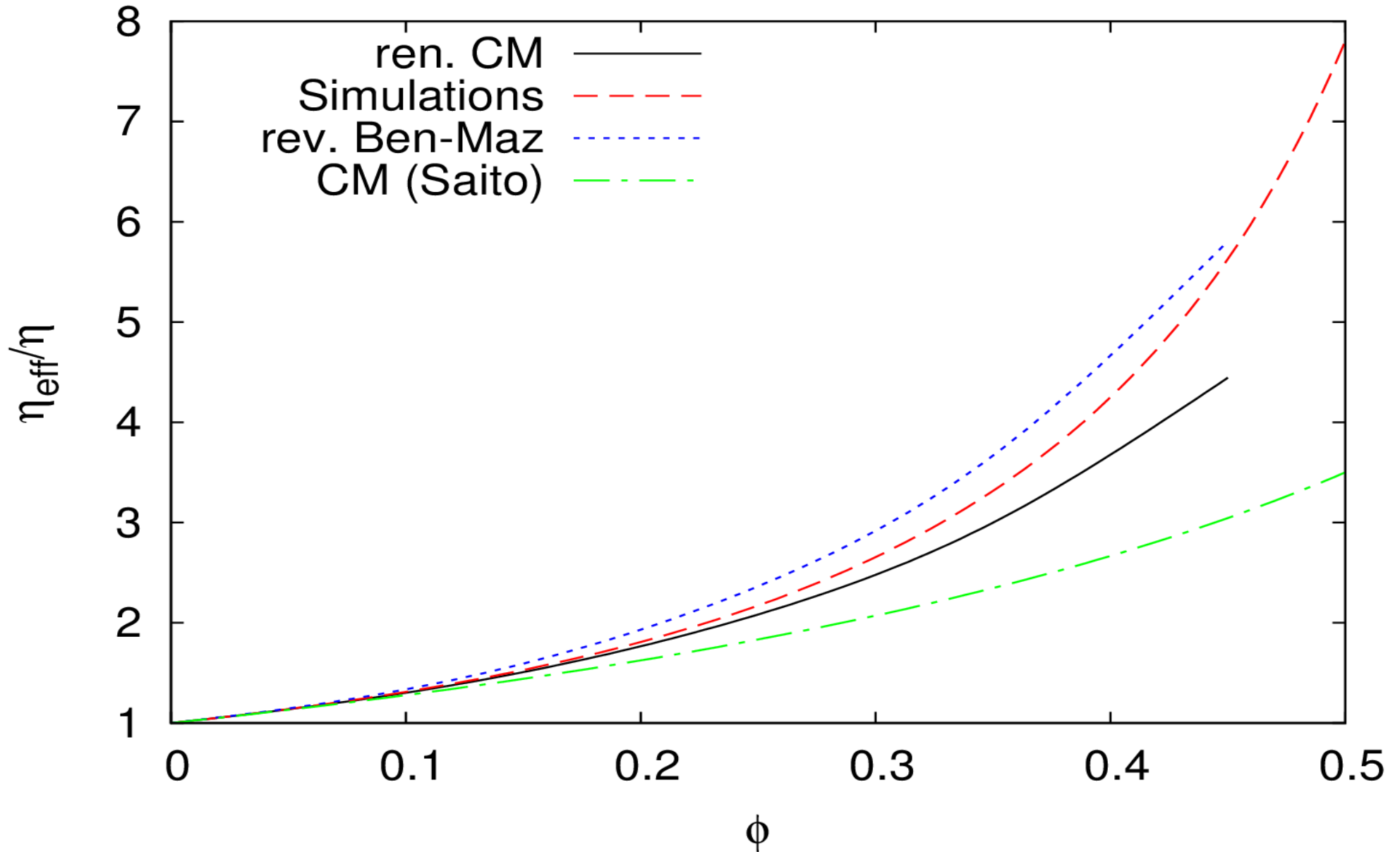


Generalized (renormalized)
Clausius-Mossotti approximation

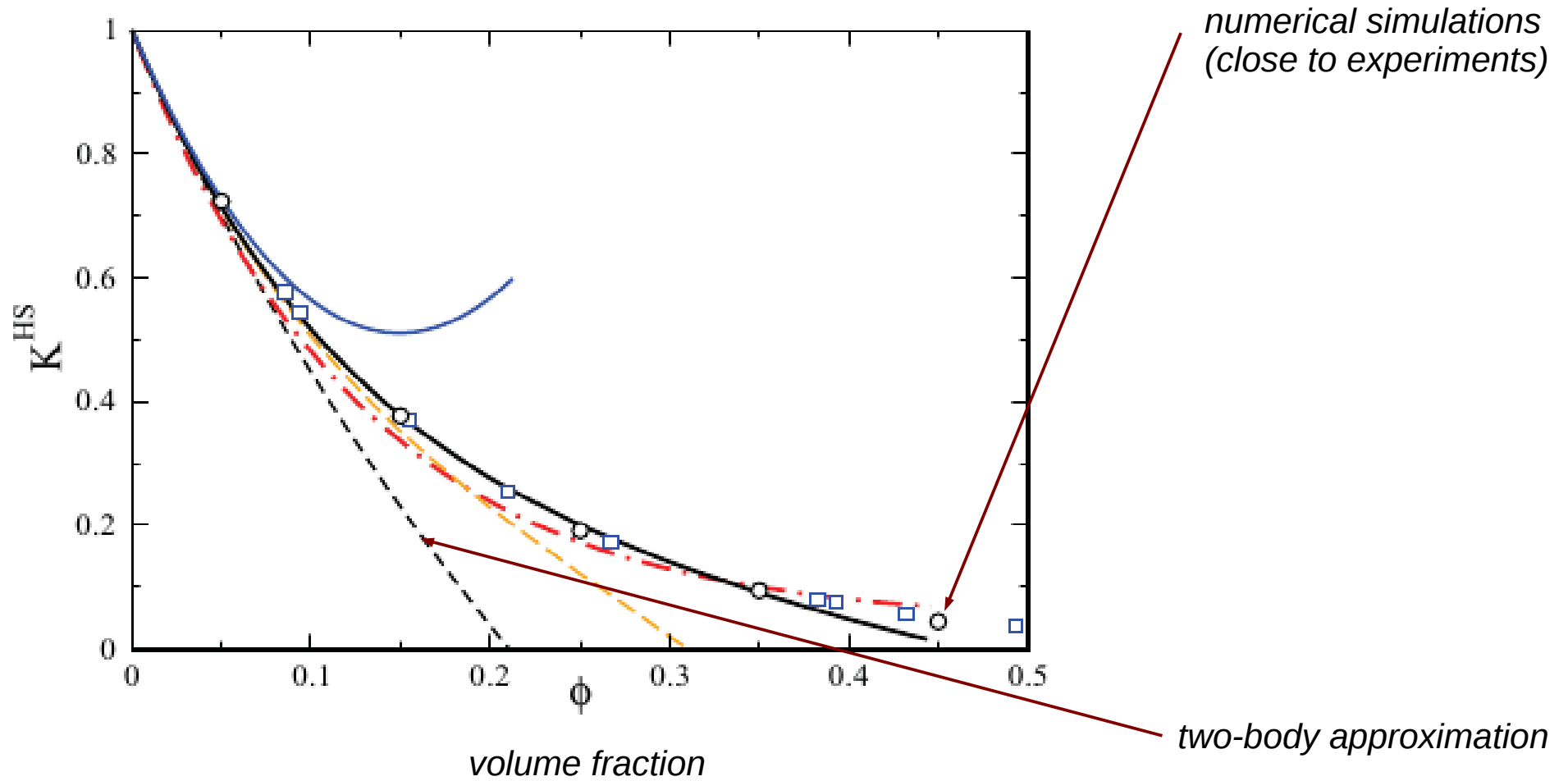
(two-body hydrodynamic interactions incomplete – the same as in Beenakker and Mazur scheme)

Volume fraction, two-body correlation function \Longrightarrow transport properties

Effective viscosity



Sedimentation coefficient



Summary

- Long-range, many-body hydrodynamic interactions and strong interactions of close particles are important in suspensions (still an open problem)
- Rigorous **ring expansion** can grasp all of the above features (opposite to Beenakker-Mazur method)
- **Generalized Clausius-Mossotti approximation** (two-body hydrodynamic interactions not fully taken; comparable to Beenakker-Mazur scheme)

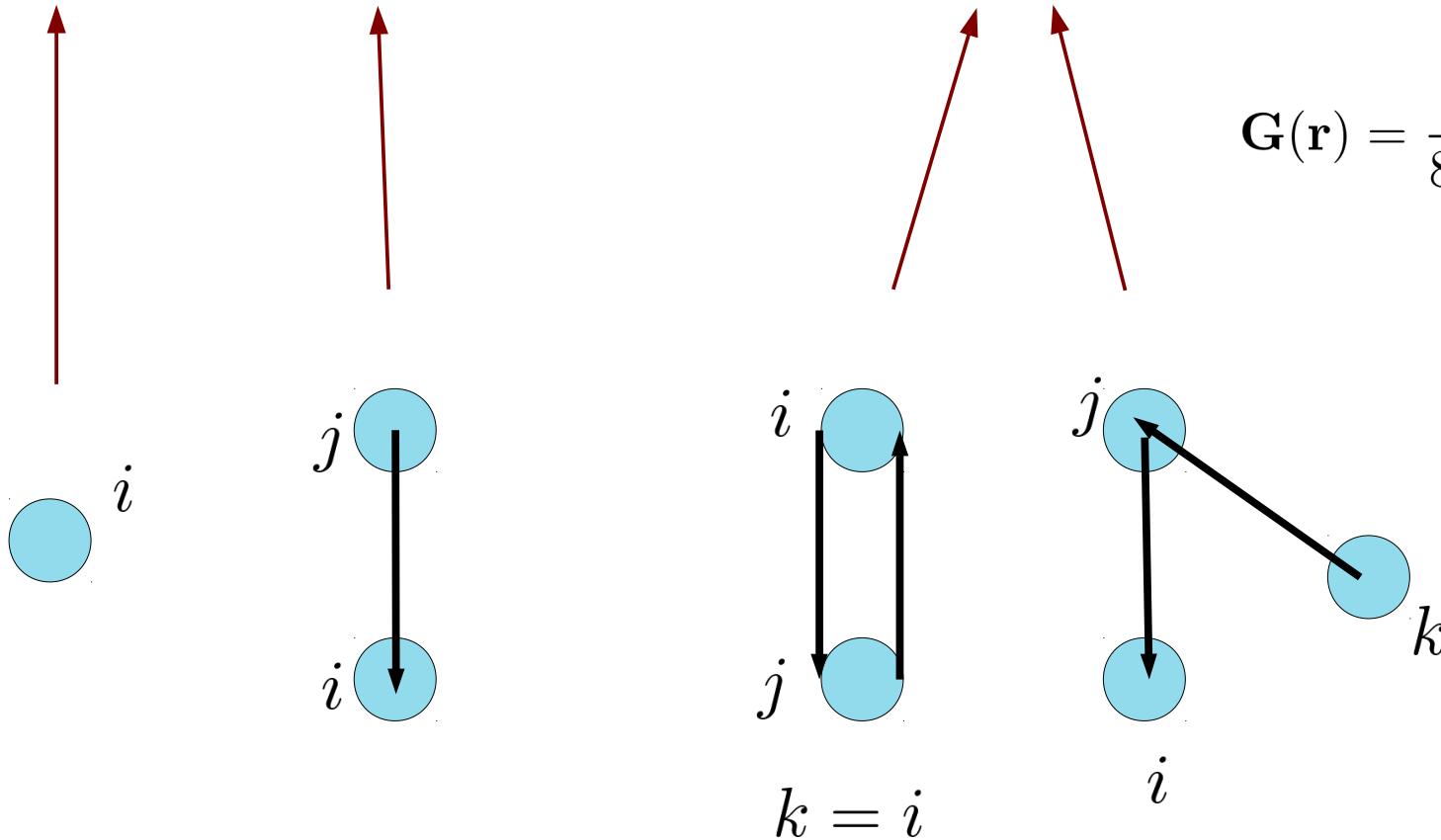


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Scattering series

$$\mathbf{f}_i = \left(\mathbf{M}(i) + \sum_{j \neq i} \mathbf{M}(i) \mathbf{G} \mathbf{M}(j) + \sum_{j \neq i} \sum_{k \neq j} \mathbf{M}(i) \mathbf{G} \mathbf{M}(j) \mathbf{G} \mathbf{M}(k) + \dots \right) \mathbf{v}_0$$

$$\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{8\pi\eta} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r}$$



suspension \Leftrightarrow *dielectrics* \Leftrightarrow *other systems*

Felderhof, Ford, Cohen – microscopic explanation of Clausius-Mossotti (Saito) formula (1983)

$$\mathbf{T}^{irr} \leftarrow \text{[Diagram: single blue circle]} + \text{[Diagram: two overlapping blue circles with a diagonal line]} + \text{[Diagram: three overlapping blue circles with a diagonal line]} + \text{[Diagram: four overlapping blue circles with a diagonal line]} + \dots$$

$$\langle \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{R}) \rangle = \int d^3 r' \mathbf{T}^{irr}(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{r}') \langle \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}') \rangle$$

The following definition

$$\mathbf{T}_{CM}^{irr} = \mathbf{T}^{irr} (1 + [h\mathbf{G}] \mathbf{T}^{irr})^{-1}$$

and approximate closure relation

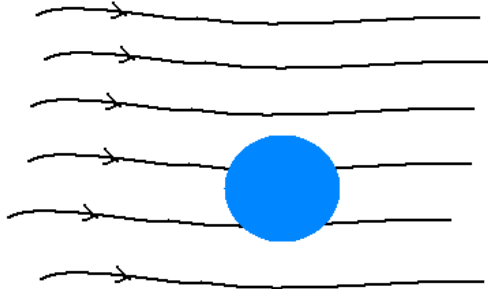
$$\mathbf{T}_{CM}^{irr} \approx n_1 \hat{\mathbf{M}}$$

lead to Saito formula

$$\frac{\eta_{eff}}{\eta} = \frac{1 + \frac{3}{2}\phi}{1 - \phi}$$

Single particle

Single particle in ambient flow $\mathbf{v}_0(\mathbf{r})$



Lamb (1895) $\mathbf{v}_{lm\sigma}^+(\mathbf{r})$
 $l = 1, 2, \dots, \infty$
 $m = -l, \dots, l$
 $\sigma = 0, 1, 2$

$$\mathbf{f}_1(\mathbf{r}) = \int d\mathbf{r}' \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_1, \mathbf{r}' - \mathbf{R}_1) \mathbf{v}_0(\mathbf{r}')$$

Surface force density
 (Cox Brenner (1967); Mazur, Bedeaux (1974))

Single particle operator
 (Felderhof 1976)

$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}) = \mathbf{v}_0(\mathbf{r}) + \int d^3\mathbf{r}' \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}') \cdot \mathbf{f}_1(\mathbf{r}')$$

Oseen tensor:

$$\mathbf{G}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{8\pi\eta} \frac{\mathbf{1} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}\hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r}$$