



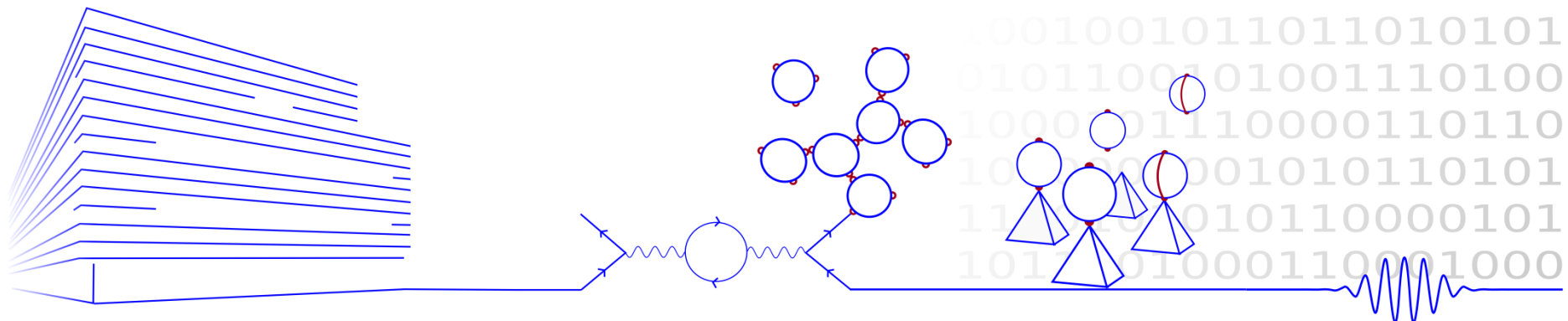
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# Mecânica dos Meios Contínuos

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# Apresentação do curso

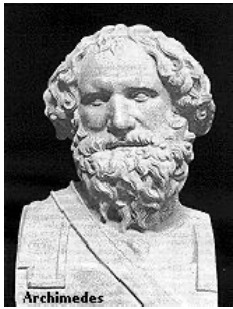
- Avaliação contínua
  - (50%) 6 exames curtos realizados durante as TPs a cada duas semanas dos quais 5 são obrigatórios;
  - (50%) exame final;
  - É obrigatória a entrega de pelo menos de 5 problemas e a presença em pelo menos 2/3 das aulas TPs. Os problemas tem pesos iguais.
- Avaliação não contínua: exame final (100%).
- Bibliografia
  - Fluid Dynamics for Physicists, by T E **Faber**, Cambridge University Press;
  - Elementary Fluid Dynamics (Oxford Applied Mathematics and Computing Science Series) by D J **Acheson**, Oxford University Press;
  - Fluid Mechanics: Fundamentals and Applications, by **Çengel & Cimbala**, McGraw-Hill series in mechanical engineering.

# Programa

- 1. **Introdução** e visão geral da unidade curricular
- 2. **Cinemática**. Descrição de Lagrange e de Euler. Operador  $D/Dt$ . Visualização. O tensor da taxa de deformações. Vorticidade. O teorema de transporte de Reynolds. Conservação da massa e equação da continuidade. Dinâmica. O tensor das tensões. Equação do momento linear. Teorema de Pascal. Fluido ideal e **equação de Euler**. Aplicações: Equilíbrio hidrostático e o vórtice do ralo. O teorema e a equação de Bernoulli. Aparelhos para medir a velocidade e a taxa de escoamento.
- 3. **Escoamento potencial**. O teorema da circulação de Kelvin. Sobreposição. Fontes e sumidouros. Soluções da equação de Laplace em 2d e em 3d. Aplicações: Escoamento potencial à volta de uma esfera. Efeito de Magnus. Forças de elevação e de arrasto.
- 4. **Viscosidade e equação de Navier-Stokes**. Equação de Cauchy. Tensões de corte em fluidos Newtonianos. Viscosidade. O tensor das tensões. Escoamento laminar plano. Escoamento laminar cilíndrico. Equação de Navier-Stokes adimensional. Semelhança dinâmica. Equação de Stokes. Escoamento à volta de uma esfera e lei de Stokes.
- 5. **Vorticidade e camadas limite**. Linhas de vorticidade. Camadas limite. Separação das camadas limite e formação de turbilhões. Turbilhões estacionários na esteira de esferas e cilindros. Aplicações. Equações da camada limite.
- 6. **Instabilidades e Turbulência**. A instabilidade de Rayleigh-Taylor. A instabilidade de Saffman-Taylor. A instabilidade de Rayleigh-Plateau. Turbulência.

# History

## Faces of Fluid Mechanics



**Archimedes**  
(C. 287-212 BC)



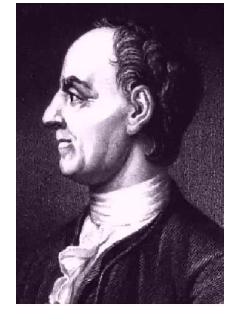
**Newton**  
(1642-1727)



**Leibniz**  
(1646-1716)



**Bernoulli**  
(1667-1748)



**Euler**  
(1707-1783)



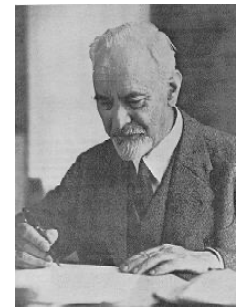
**Navier**  
(1785-1836)



**Stokes**  
(1819-1903)



**Reynolds**  
(1842-1912)



**Prandtl**  
(1875-1953)



**Taylor**  
(1886-1975)

# Significance

- Fluids everywhere
  - Weather & climate
  - Vehicles: automobiles, trains, ships, and planes, etc.
  - Environment
  - Physiology and medicine
  - Sports & recreation
  - Many other examples!

# Weather & Climate

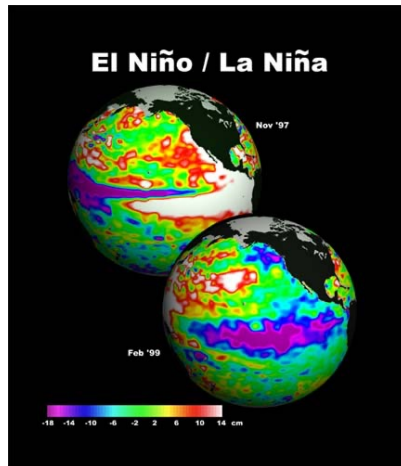
## Tornadoes



## Thunderstorm



## Global Climate



## Hurricanes



# Vehicles

Aircraft



Surface ships



High-speed rail



Submarines



# Environment

## Air pollution



## River hydraulics





Why do rivers curve?



[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8a3r-cG8Wic&feature=emb\\_title](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8a3r-cG8Wic&feature=emb_title)  
<https://physicstoday.scitation.org/doi/10.1063/PT.3.4523>

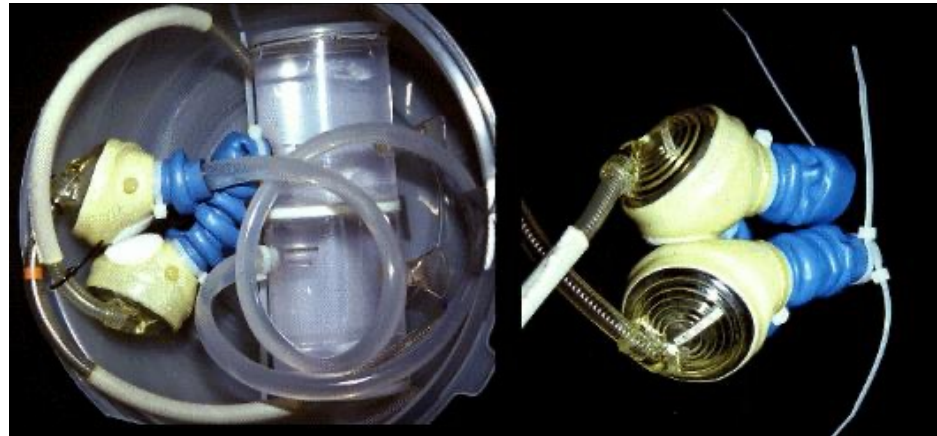
# Physiology and Medicine

Blood pump



A BVS blood pump

Ventricular assist device



# Sports & Recreation

Water sports



Cycling



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Offshore racing



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Auto racing



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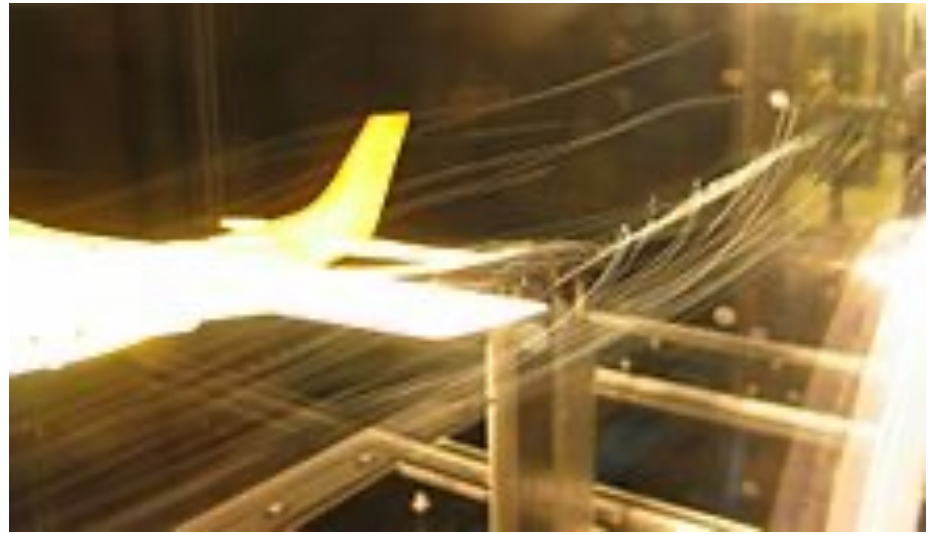
Surfing



# Analytical Fluid Dynamics

- The theory of mathematical physics problem formulation
- Control volume & differential analysis (RTT)
- Exact solutions only exist for simple geometry and conditions
- Approximate solutions for practical applications
  - Linear
  - Empirical relations using EFD data

# Full and model scales: wind tunnel



- Scales: full-scale and model
- Selection of the model scale: governed by dimensional analysis and similarity

# Computational Fluid Dynamics

- CFD is use of computational methods for solving fluid engineering systems, including modeling (mathematical & Physics) and numerical methods (solvers, finite differences, and grid generations, etc.).
- Rapid growth in CFD technology since advent of computer



ENIAC 1, 1946



IBM WorkStation

# Purpose

- The objective of CFD is to model the continuous fluids with Partial Differential Equations (PDEs) and discretize PDEs into an algebra problem, solve it, validate it and achieve **simulation based design** instead of “build & test”
- Simulation of physical fluid phenomena that are difficult to be measured by experiments: **scale simulations** (full-scale ships, airplanes), **hazards** (explosions, radiations, pollution), **physics** (weather prediction, planetary boundary layer, stellar evolution).

# Modeling

- Mathematical physics problem formulation of fluid engineering system
- **Governing equations**: Navier-Stokes equations (momentum), continuity equation, pressure Poisson equation, energy equation, ideal gas law, combustions (chemical reaction equation), multi-phase flows (e.g. Rayleigh equation), and turbulent models (RANS, LES, DES).
- **Coordinates**: Cartesian, cylindrical and spherical coordinates result in different form of governing equations
- **Initial conditions** (initial guess of the solution) and **Boundary Conditions** (no-slip wall, free-surface, zero-gradient, symmetry, velocity/pressure inlet/outlet)
- **Flow conditions**: Geometry approximation, domain, Reynolds Number, and Mach Number, etc.

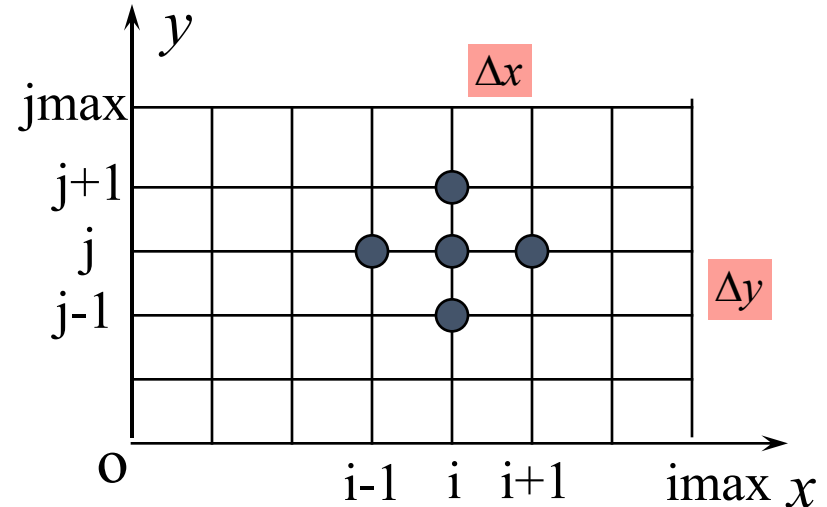


# Numerical methods

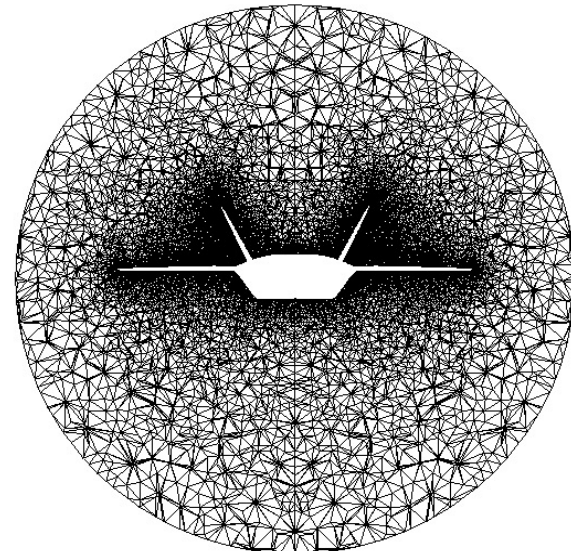
- **Finite difference methods:** using numerical scheme to approximate the exact derivatives in the PDEs

$$\frac{\partial^2 P}{\partial x^2} = \frac{P_{i+1} - 2P_i + P_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 P}{\partial y^2} = \frac{P_{j+1} - 2P_j + P_{j-1}}{\Delta y^2}$$



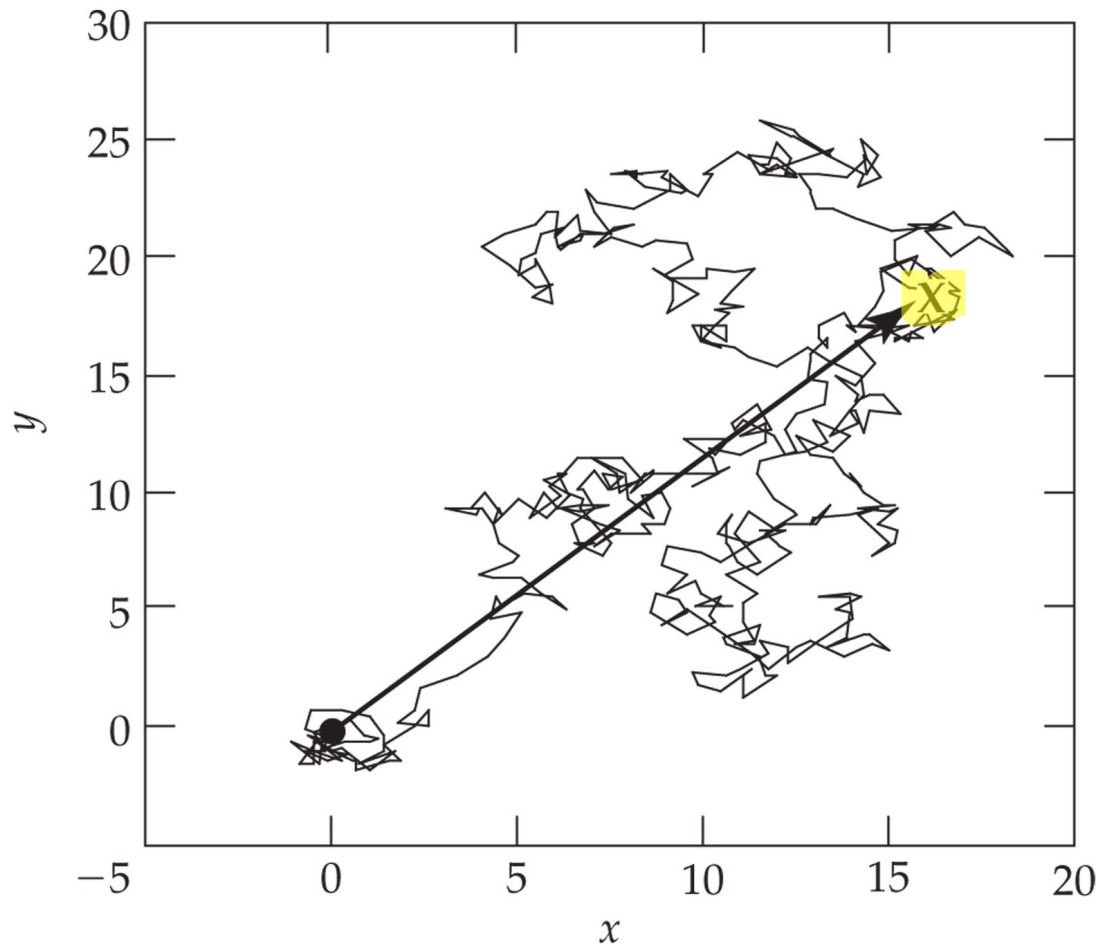
- **Finite volume methods**
- **Grid generation:** conformal mapping, algebraic methods and differential equation methods
- **Grid types:** structured, unstructured
- **Solvers:** **direct methods** (Cramer's rule, Gauss elimination, LU decomposition) and **iterative methods** (Jacobi, Gauss-Seidel, SOR)



Slice of 3D mesh of a fighter aircraft

# Diffusion & Convection

# Diffusion: Random walk



$$t \approx \frac{x^2}{2D}$$

## Range of Values for the Binary Diffusion Coefficient, $D_{ij}$ , at Room Temperature

Diffusing quantity	Diffusion coefficients ( $\text{cm}^2 \text{s}^{-1}$ )
Gases in gases	0.1 to 0.5
Gases in liquids	$1 \times 10^{-7}$ to $7 \times 10^{-5}$
Small molecules in liquids	$1 \times 10^{-5}$
Proteins in liquids	$1 \times 10^{-7}$ to $7 \times 10^{-7}$
Proteins in tissues	$1 \times 10^{-7}$ to $7 \times 10^{-10}$
Lipids in lipid membranes	$1 \times 10^{-9}$
Proteins in lipid membranes	$1 \times 10^{-10}$ to $1 \times 10^{-12}$

**Table 1. Diffusion coefficient values for selected ions and small and large molecules.**

Ion/Molecule	Atomic/Molecular Weight (g/mol)	Diffusion Coefficient (cm <sup>2</sup> /s)
H <sup>+</sup>	1.008	$9.31 \times 10^{-5}$
Na <sup>+</sup>	22.990	$1.33 \times 10^{-5}$
K <sup>+</sup>	39.098	$1.96 \times 10^{-5}$
Ca <sup>2+</sup>	40.078	$0.79 \times 10^{-5}$
Cl <sup>-</sup>	35.453	$2.03 \times 10^{-5}$
Ammonia (NH <sub>3</sub> )	17.031	$1.51 \times 10^{-5}$
Oxygen (O <sub>2</sub> )	31.999	$2.10 \times 10^{-5}$
Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )	44.01	$1.97 \times 10^{-5}$
Urea	60.055	$1.38 \times 10^{-5}$
Glucose	180.156	$5 \times 10^{-6}$
Sucrose	342.296	$5.23 \times 10^{-6}$
Hemoglobin	68,000	$6.9 \times 10^{-7}$
DNA	≈ 6,000,000	$1.3 \times 10^{-8}$

Note: The diffusion coefficient varies with temperature and is also a function of the medium in which diffusion occurs. The values shown are for diffusion in water (H<sub>2</sub>O) at 25 °C.

**Table 2. Time required for diffusion of O<sub>2</sub> over a range of distances.**

Distance of Diffusion	Approximate Time Required
10 nm	23.8 ns
50 nm	595 ns
100 nm	2.38 μs
1 μm	238 μs
10 μm	23.8 ms
100 μm	2.38 s
1 mm	3.97 min
1 cm	6.61 hours
10 cm	27.56 days

In mammals, the circulatory system is such that no cell is more than approximately 10 μm from a capillary. This ensures proper nourishment and waste removal for all cells of the body.

### Range of Values for Viscosity, Density, and Kinematic Viscosity at Room Temperature

	Viscosity, $\mu$ (g cm <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Density, $\rho$ (g cm <sup>-3</sup> )	Kinematic viscosity, $\nu = \mu/\rho$ (cm <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )
Gases	10 <sup>-4</sup>	0.001	0.1
Liquids			
Water	0.01	1.0	0.01
Glycerol	10	1	10
Blood	0.03	1.2	0.025

Peclet number

<b>Relative Importance of Diffusion and Convection</b>				
Molecule	MW (g mol <sup>-1</sup> )	$D_{ij}$ (cm <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Diffusion time, $L^2/D_{ij}$ (s)	Pe = $Lv/D_{ij}$
Oxygen	32	$2 \times 10^{-5}$	5	0.05
Glucose	180	$2 \times 10^{-6}$	50	0.50
Insulin	6,000	$1 \times 10^{-6}$	100	1.0
Antibody	150,000	$6 \times 10^{-7}$	167	1.67

Particle	Diameter	$D_{ij}$ (cm <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Diffusion time (s)	Pe
Virus	0.1 $\mu\text{m}$	$5 \times 10^{-8}$	2,000	20
Bacterium	1 $\mu\text{m}$	$5 \times 10^{-9}$	20,000	200
Cell	10 $\mu\text{m}$	$5 \times 10^{-10}$	200,000	2,000

Note: For  $L = 100 \mu\text{m}$ , and if  $v = 1 \mu\text{m s}^{-1}$ , the time for convection is always equal to  $L/v = 100 \text{ s}$  for all molecules and particles.



# Peclet number

The Peclet number is the ratio of the rate of advection of a physical quantity by the flow to the rate of diffusion of the same quantity driven by an appropriate gradient.

$$Pe = \frac{VL}{D}$$

# Reynolds number

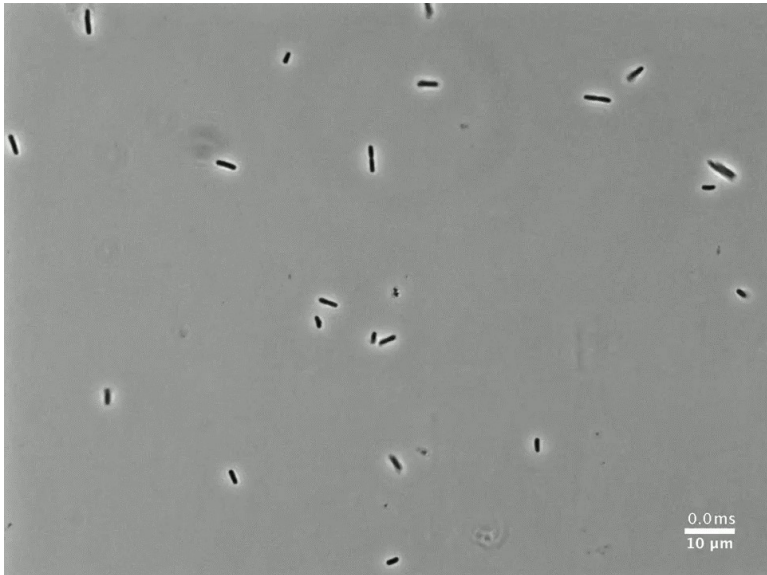
The Reynolds number is the ratio of inertial forces to viscous forces within a fluid which is subjected to relative internal movement due to different fluid velocities.

$$Re = \frac{\rho VL}{\eta}$$



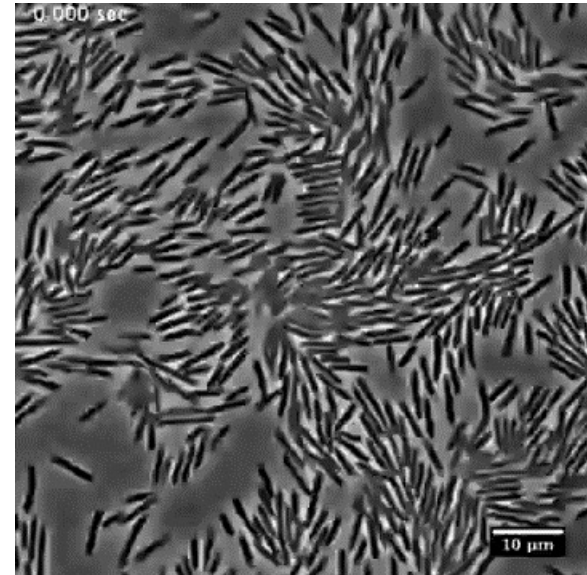
# Collective behavior

Swimming E. coli

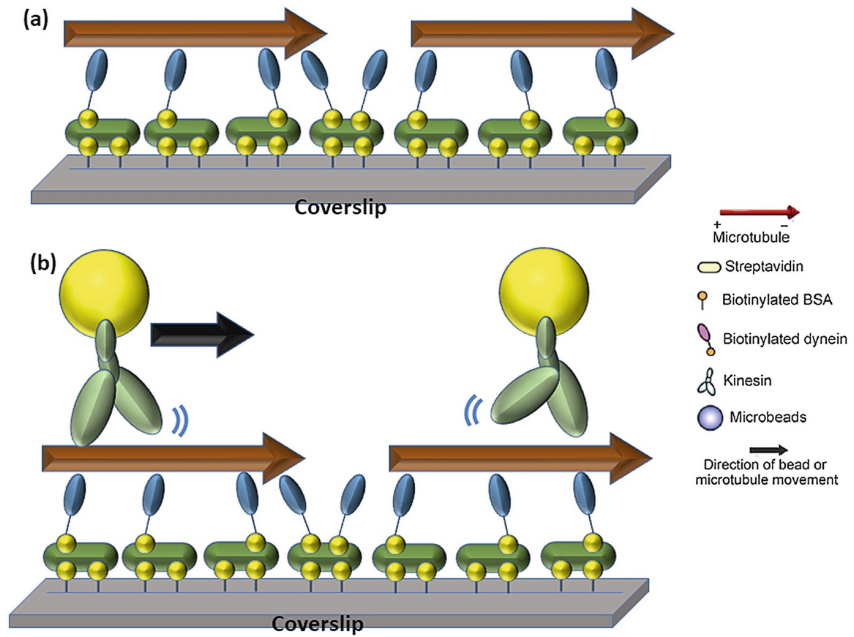


Individual motion

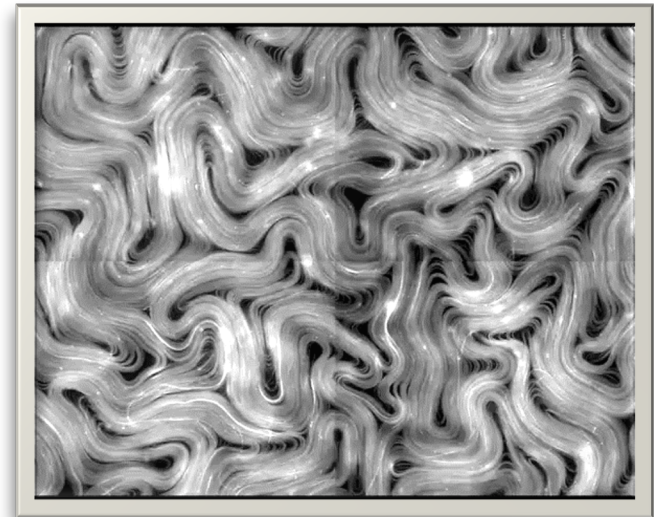
Swarming E. coli



Collective motion

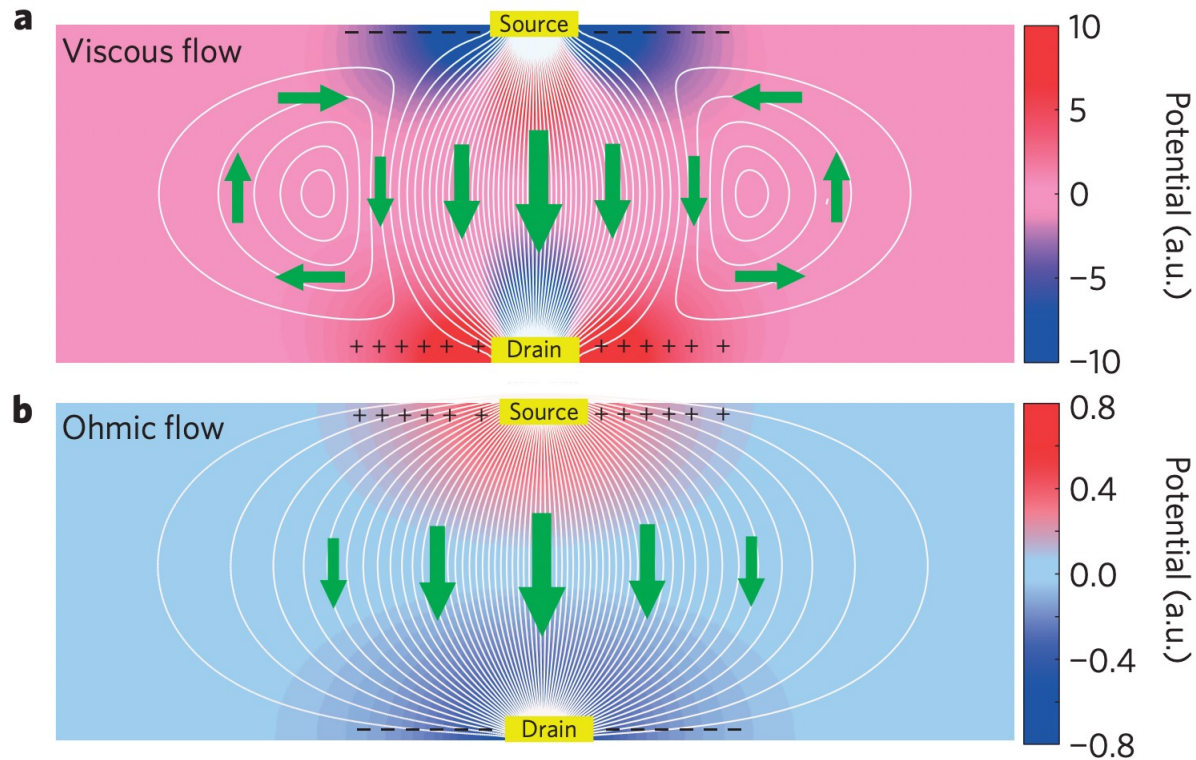


Schematic diagram of Molecular motors



Sanchez et. Al., Nature **491**, 431–434 (2012)

# Electrons in graphene



Review on hydrodynamics of electrons: <https://arxiv.org/pdf/1710.08425.pdf>