Particle pressure and phase migration in suspensions: *an osmotic approach*

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Complex Fluids: Flow and microstructure are coupled

Hard-Sphere Colloidal Dispersions: Simplest Complex Fluids



Uniform silica microspheres (1 µm diam, × 10,000).

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Equilibrium Pair distribution function: Agreement of experiment, simulation and theory (Percus-Yevick, HNC, ...)

Nonequilibrium dispersions



$$\operatorname{Re}_{p} \circ \frac{r\dot{g}a^{2}}{h} \gg \mathbf{0} \quad (**)$$

$$f = \frac{4\rho a^3}{3}n, n = \frac{\#}{\text{volume}}$$
$$\mathbf{Pe} \circ \frac{\dot{g}a^2}{D_0} = \frac{6\rho h \dot{g}a^3}{kT}$$

Concentration or "loading"

D istance from equilibrium

(**) Inertia...Kulkarni & Morris JFM, PoF 2008; Humphrey et al PoF Haddadi & Morris submitted JFM 2013

Non-Newtonian Rheology



ONE GOAL: Microscopic basis for rheology

Flow Kinematics & Microstructure Rheology Particle loading

D. R. Foss & J. F. Brady 2000 J. Fluid Mech. 407, 167–200.
I. E. Zarraga, D. A. Hill, & D. T. Leighton 2000 J. Rheol. 44, 185.
Plots from E. Guazzelli & J. F. Morris 2012 A Physical Introduction to Suspension Dynamics, Cambridge.

Macroscopic phenomena by microfluidics (Confocal microscopy: Eric Weeks lab, Emory Univ.)

Volume fraction $\phi = 0.22$ 2 µm diam. PMMA, slight charge

50 µm





Pe ~ 40

Flowrate increasing

10 μl/min Pe ~ 3400

Frank et al *J. Fluid Mech.* 2003 Semwogerere et al. *J. Fluid Mech.* 2007

SECOND GOAL: Coupling migration to rheology

 $\mathbf{j} \leftrightarrow \Sigma_{\mathbf{P}}$, particle stress

Spreading in particulate mixtures

- Two extremes
 - Osmosis: driven by kT
 - Granular dilation: shear-driven contact stress
- Intermediate conditions...Particle pressure
 - Driven by both kT and shear
 - Contact and noncontact (hydrodynamic) stresses, in principle



Diffusion and stress



Unconfined 1. Spread with time

Constraining diffusion requires normal stress.





2. Confined Stretch membrane



Burst membrane

$$j = -M\nabla \rho = -M\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial f}\nabla f = -D\nabla f$$



Diffusion and stress in dispersions

Pe = 0: Brownian motion & classical osmotic pressure

kT drives motion and sets stress scale

$$D \sim \frac{kT}{ha}$$
 $S_{ij}^P = -Pd_{ij} \sim nkT$

Pe >>1 : Shear-induced diffusion & particle pressure Shear rate drives motion ... plays *role* of temperature

$$D \sim \not{A}^2 \qquad \Sigma^P_{ij} \sim (na^3)\eta \not{A} \sim f(\phi)\eta \not{A}$$



Pine et al. Nature 2005

Suspension stresses: Pe >> 1

Totalstress [Batchelor JFM1970] $\Sigma^{Total} = \Sigma^{F} + \Sigma^{P}$

Shearstress

$$\Sigma_{xy}^{\mathbf{F}} + \Sigma_{xy}^{P} = (\eta_{Fl} + \eta_P) \not X = \eta_s \not X$$

Normalstresses [Morris & Boulay J. Rheol. 1999

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Differences

$$N_1 = \Sigma_{11}^P - \Sigma_{22}^P$$
 $N_2 = \Sigma_{22}^P - \Sigma_{33}^P$

Particle pressure

$$\Pi = -\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{I} : \Sigma^{P} = -\frac{1}{3} [\Sigma_{11}^{P} + \Sigma_{22}^{P} + \Sigma_{33}^{P}]$$
$$\Pi, \mathbf{N_{1}}, \mathbf{N_{2}} \sim \eta_{n} \not \Sigma$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla \Pi(\phi, \not{X}) = \frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial \phi} \nabla \phi + \frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial \not{X}} \nabla \not{X}$$





Two-fluid model and particle migration

Particle conservation:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \langle \boldsymbol{u} \rangle \cdot \nabla f = -\nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{j}_{\wedge}$$

General momentum balance:

$$\boldsymbol{\rho}\left(\frac{\partial \boldsymbol{u}}{\partial t} + \boldsymbol{u} \cdot \nabla \boldsymbol{u}\right) = \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$$

Average over particles (Re<<1):

$$0 = \nabla \cdot \Sigma^{\mathbf{P}} + F_{\mathbf{drag}}$$

Viscous suspensions:

Jenkins & McTigue 1990 Nott & Brady 1994 Morris & Boulay 1999

Similarly in polymeric fluids:

Onuki & Doi 1991 Mavrantzas & Beris 1994 MacDonald & Muller 1996

Two-fluid modeling

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{j}}_{\perp} = \frac{2a^2}{9\eta_c} f(\boldsymbol{\phi}) \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{\mathbf{P}} \sim -\nabla \Pi$$
$$\frac{\partial \boldsymbol{\phi}}{\partial t} + \langle \boldsymbol{u} \rangle \cdot \nabla \boldsymbol{\phi} \approx \frac{2a^2}{9\eta_0} f(\boldsymbol{\phi}) \nabla^2 \Pi$$

Bulk mixture motion $\nabla \cdot \langle u \rangle = 0$ $\nabla \cdot \Sigma = \nabla \cdot \Sigma^{\mathbf{F}} + \nabla \cdot \Sigma^{\mathbf{P}} = 0$ $\Rightarrow \nabla \cdot \Sigma^{\mathbf{F}} = -\nabla \cdot \Sigma^{\mathbf{P}}$





A. Low flowrate = small Pe: Brownian stress – particles dispersed

B. High flowrate = large Pe: Hydrodynamic stress drives migration

Σ^P (and Π) has hydrodynamic (H) and Brownian (B) terms: roughly speaking balance two osmotic contributions

Frank et al JFM 2003



Axial evolution



experiment (solid) model (open) $\phi = 0.26$ Pe = 130

Semwogerere, Morris & Weeks JFM 2007

So particle pressure is useful for modeling ... but is it real (= measurable)?

Suspension stresses: Pe >> 1

Total stress [Batchelor JFM 1970] $S^{Total} = S^{F} + S^{P}$

Shear stress

$$S_{xy}^{F} + S_{xy}^{P} = (h_{Fl} + h_P)\dot{g} = h_s\dot{g}$$

Normal stresses [Morris & Boulay J. Rheol. 1999]

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Suspension pressure

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P,N₁,N₂ ~ h_nġ

$$\Rightarrow \nabla \mathsf{P}(f, \dot{g}) = \frac{\partial \mathsf{P}}{\partial f} \nabla f + \frac{\partial \mathsf{P}}{\partial \dot{g}} \nabla \dot{g}$$



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Rheometry: Incompressibility constraint S_{xx}^{P} $S^{Total} = S^F + S^P \triangleright$ $P^{Total} = P^{Fluid} + P = \text{confining pressure, } P^0 \text{ (reference level } P^0 = 0)$ $P = -\frac{S_{xx}^P + S_{yy}^P + S_{zz}^P}{2}$

 $\triangleright \quad P^{Fluid}(\dot{g}) = - \mathsf{P}(\dot{g})$

∖ Summation obscures : need to discriminate particles & fluid.

Yurkovetsky & Morris J. Rheol. 2008 See also : Prasad & Kytomaa Int. J. Multiphase Flow 1995

Suction into a mixture...osmosis

Osmotic pressure, Π

Thermodynamics:
$$P = -\frac{\P A}{\P V} \Big|_{T,N}$$

A = Helmholtz energy



Colloidal dispersions [Russel *et al.* 1989] : $f = Nv_1/V = nv_1$ solid fraction

$$\mathsf{P} = -\frac{\mathscr{N}}{\mathscr{N}}\Big|_{\mathrm{T,N}} = \frac{\mathscr{F}}{V} \left.\frac{\mathscr{N}}{\mathscr{N}}\right|_{\mathrm{T,N}}\Big|_{\mathrm{T,N}}$$

Hard or repulsive particles-- $\Pi > 0$: Free energy minimized at $\phi = 0$



Concentrated suspension / 3 mm gap Re << 1, Pe >>1, $\phi = 0.45$

Osmosis - classical



Osmosis - shear-induced?





Deboeuf et al. Phys. Rev. Lett. 2009



f = 0.43 g = 20 s Neutrally - buoyant, d = 80 mm fluid viscosity : $h_0 = 2000$ cP

Quantitative rheology

Deboeuf et al. PRL 2009

Details: Garland *et al. J Rheol.* 2013 (extension to $\phi = 0.2$)



Π : the role of microstructure





Configurational sampling from Stokesian Dynamics simulations. [Morris & Katyal *Phys. Fluids* 2002 Kulkarni & Morris *J. Rheol.* 2009]

Flow-induced microstructure





$abla \cdot \left[\mathsf{U}g(\mathsf{r}) - \mathsf{D} \cdot \nabla g(\mathsf{r}) \right] = \mathsf{O}$

U(r) : Relative pair velocity **D(r)** : Relative pair diffusivity

Boundary Conditions:

 $j_r = 0$ at r=2a

Zero radial flux at contact

g(r) = 1 at r/a >> 1 Two particles become de-correlated

E. Nazockdast & J. F. Morris JFM 2012

E. Nazockdast & J. F. Morris Soft Matter 2012



Generates correlation and shear-induced diffusion

Details: E. Nazockdast & J. F. Morris *JFM* 2012

Propagation of correlation



Microstructure



Simulation, $\phi=0.40$, Pe=1

y

х



Simulation: Accelerated Stokesian Dynamics Banchio & Brady J Chem Phys 2003

Microstructure – contact surface





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 φ





Hydrodynamictheory (contact is not essential)of particle pressure, Π



Jeffrey, Morris & Brady Phys Fluids 1993

Morris & Katyal *Phys Fluids* 2002 Melrose & Ball *J. Rheol* 2004

Simulation (Stokesian Dynamics) for varying Pe: *osmotic pressure* to *"viscous dilation"*

Bagnold Proc. Roy. Soc.1954



Yurkovetsky & Morris J Rheol. 2008

Simulated and experimental $\boldsymbol{\Pi}$



Contact is not essential for particle pressure – but **it happens

Discontinuous Shear Thickening in frictional particle suspensions

with Ryohei Seto, Romain Mari, Mort Denn

Levich Institute, City College of New York

R. Seto, R. Mari, J. F. Morris & M.M. Denn PRL Nov. 2013 (available at ArXiv now)



Simulation of friction + hydrodynamics

Stokes hydrodynamics

Bidisperse (radius 1 and 1.4)

Short-range HI: lubrication

Electrostatic forces

Frictional hard sphere contacts

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Roughly speaking--
our model = Stokesian Dyn. - long-range HI + contacts
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Contacts?



Contacts expected at this scale: nm physics for micron-scale particles

Contact model





normal:

tangential:

$$ec{F}_{
m C}^{
m norm} = k_{
m n} h ec{n} \qquad \qquad ec{F}_{
m C}^{
m tan} = k_{
m t} \delta ec{t}$$

$$ert ec{F}_{ ext{C}}^{ ext{tan}} ert \leq \mu ert ec{F}_{ ext{C}}^{ ext{norm}} ert$$

Electrostatic interaction: stabilization

Stokes hydrodynamics + hard spheres: no shear rate dependence

electrostatic double layer repulsion (colloidal particle model):

$$F_{\rm el} = A_{\rm D} e^{-h/\kappa}$$
$$\dot{\Gamma} = \frac{6\pi\eta_0 a^2 \dot{\gamma}}{A_{\rm D}}$$













SUMMARY

- Two phase mixtures
 - stress active objects (e.g. particles, polymers, ...) migrate
 - driving force can be related to normal stresses
 - two phases are in very different (normal) stress states
- Normal stress plays a key role
 - Particle pressure
 - Not an analog of osmotic pressure, but a generalization
 - Connection to granular pore pressure established
 - Feedback to fluid mechanics (through ϕ)
 - Normal stress differences
 - velocity effects (secondary flows)
 - Zrehen & Ramachandran PRL 2013
- Role of contact forces with hydrodynamics
 - Simulations show phenomena seen experimentally
 - Next question: what about large-scale flows, with gradients in Π ?



CHALLENGES

- Complex geometries: rheology in general flows
 - Proposed frame-invariant rheology (Miller, Singh & Morris CES 2009)
 - More experiments !!
 - Need to explore algorithms
 - Micro-macro coupling (with S. Marenne)

Normal stress differences, $\phi=0.40$



Normalized by $\eta \gamma$

Non-Newtonian Rheology at Pe = 270



Shear Viscosity



Shear Viscosity, φ=0.40



Soft Colloids, Comparison with experiments Per = 25



I. Sriram & A Meyer & E. M. Furst (2010) Phys. of Fluids 22, 062003

Osmotic pressure to athermal shear-induced particle pressure



Dense suspension flow through a contraction

Noncolloidal suspension :

380-500 µm PS spheres UCON 50-HB-660 Density matched $h_f = 300 cP$ at $23^{\circ}C$ → Very low Reynolds number Contraction ratio : $\frac{W}{W} = 1/6$ (also 1/3)

 $w/d \sim 10$ (also 20)

Experiments:

Flow visualization at the wall Liquid pressure measured Impose ϕ_{in} ; measure effluent ϕ_{out}



Self-filtration*



 $f_{in} = 0.55, f_{out}^m \gg 0.527 \pm 0.003$

*Haw Phys. Rev. Lett. (2004)

Viscous liquid flow (sans particles)

liquid X ($\eta_s = 36.5 Pa.s$), liquid Y ($\eta_s = 7 Pa.s$)



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H₁(cm)

10

9

9

8

Stokes flow

 $P_1 = \rho g H_1 - \Delta P_1$ ΔP_1 is independent of the material viscosity 250 $\Delta P_1 \propto \eta_s \dot{\gamma} \propto \rho g H_1$ 2000 $\Delta \operatorname{P}_1(\operatorname{Pa})$ 200 ρgH₁ 150 $DP_1 = 0.16 \Gamma g H_1$ 1500 15 P₁(Pa) Likewise: $DP_2 = 0.030 \Gamma g H_1$ 1000 • liquid X Δ liquid Y

> 500∟ 15

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 H_1 (cm)

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Suspension flow

Experiment:

Liquid pressure <u>alone</u> is measured across a screen

For $\phi = 0.50 - 0.58$, $P_1 \downarrow$ as $\phi \uparrow$

 ΔP_1 is independent of material viscosity \rightarrow decrease in P_1 is a two-phase flow phenomenon.

□ Shearing of suspensions generates suction pressure in the suspending liquid

 $\Pi_{liq}=-\Pi(\dot{\gamma},\phi)$

[Yurkovetsky and Morris (2008), Deboeuf et al. (2009)]

 \Box The expression for P₁ (similarly P₂) is modified:

 $P_1 = \rho g H_1 - \Delta P_1 - \Pi_1$





Suspension flow under external load





<u>**Periodic</u>** flow with alternating ''fast" and "slow" motions. V^{p} in "slow" motion under <u>100 g</u> load < V^{p} under <u>no</u> external load.</u>

"Slow" motion $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ deforming granular network(decrease in P1)"Fast" motion $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ suspension flow(pressure peaks)

Microstructure

Simulation, ϕ =0.40, Pe=10



Relating liquid pressure to self-filtration

Combining local rheology $P \mid h_n \dot{g}$ with head dependence $P \mid r_g H_1$

$$\frac{P}{rgH_{1}} = Q(f,x) = K(x) \frac{h_{n}(f)}{h_{s}(f)}$$
Specific to geometry



 Q_c flattens at high $f_{in} \triangleright f_c^{-1} f_{in}$

Liquid suction ahead of the particles into contraction.

 $f_{\rm c}(< f_{\rm in})$ remains constant for $f_{\rm in}$ ³ 0.55

Simplifications and approximations (I) $3 2 \longrightarrow 3 1 + 1^2$ Hydrodynamic interactions are summation of pairs near contact

$(II) \quad F^{H} = F^{EXT} + F^{HD} = 0$

- **F**^{EXT} External force driving particles with mean flow
- F^{HD} Hydrodynamic/lubrication force imposing the excluded volume

