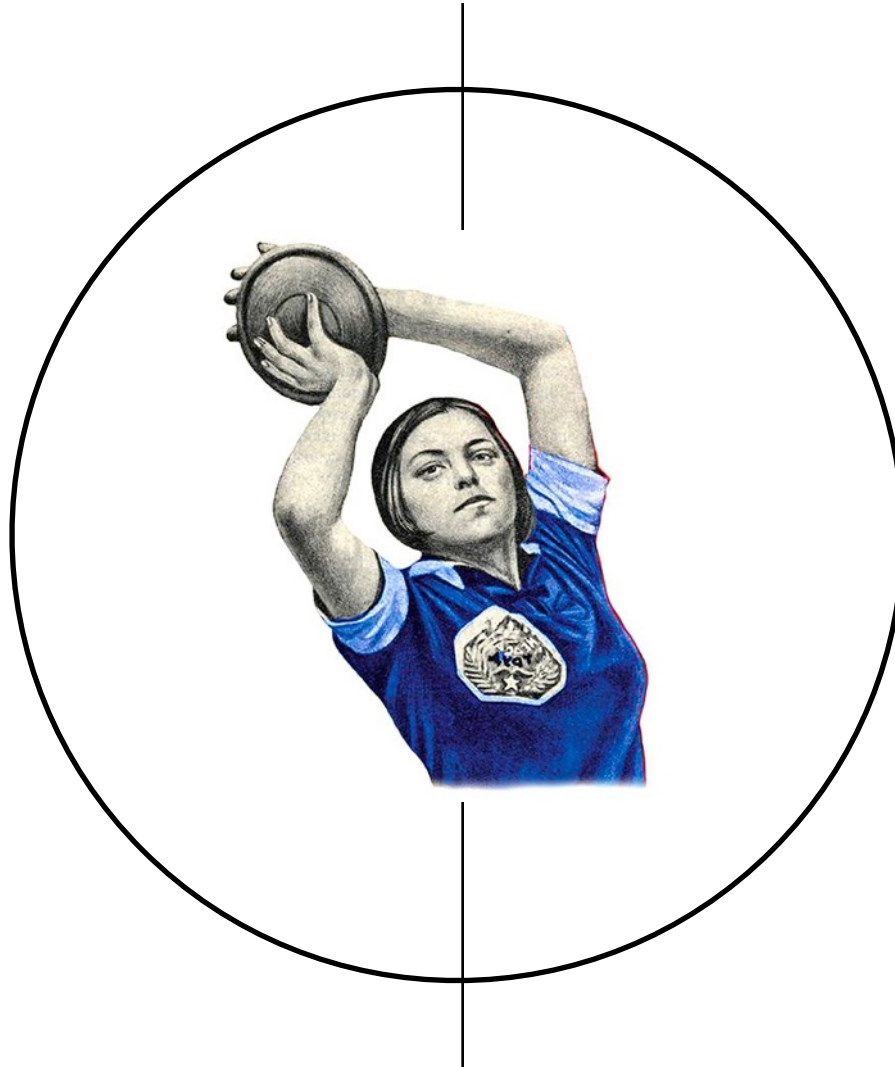


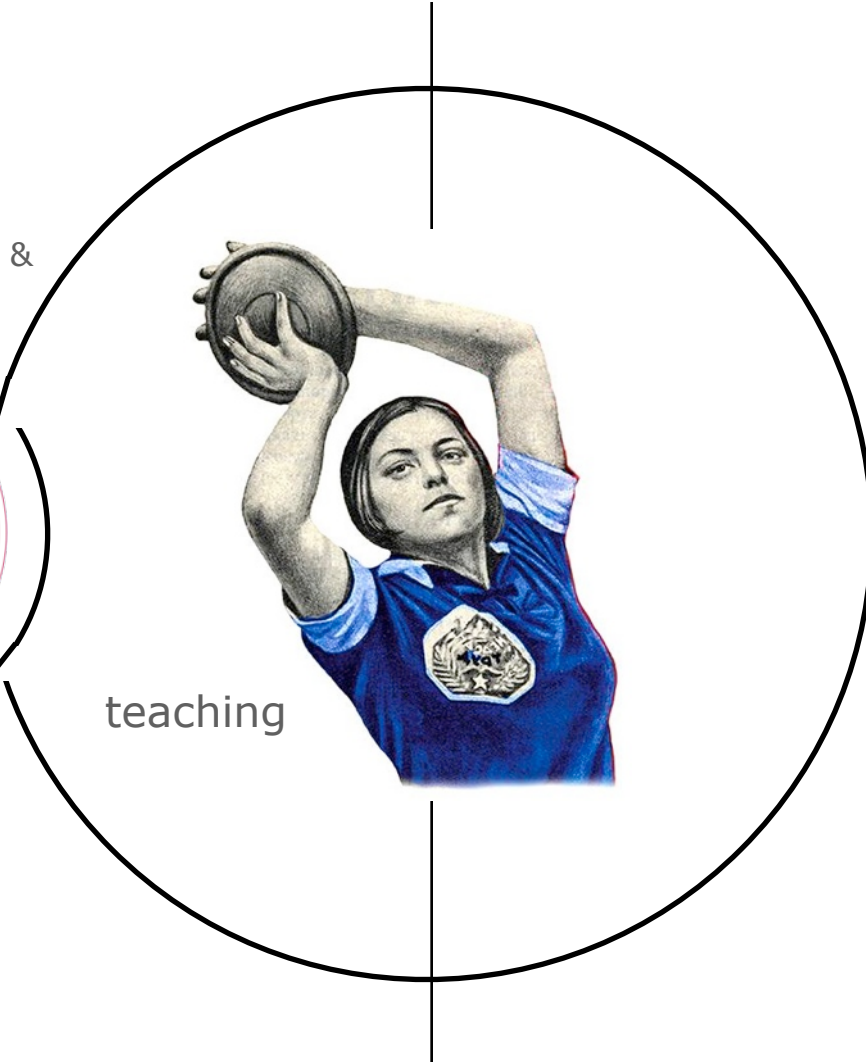
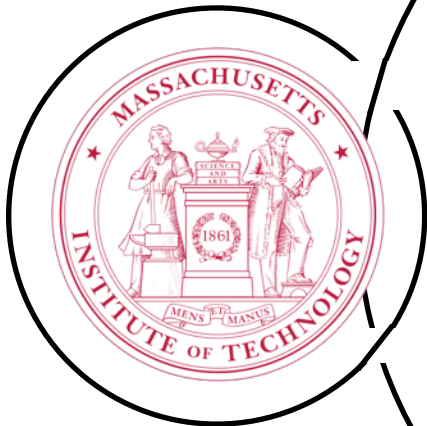
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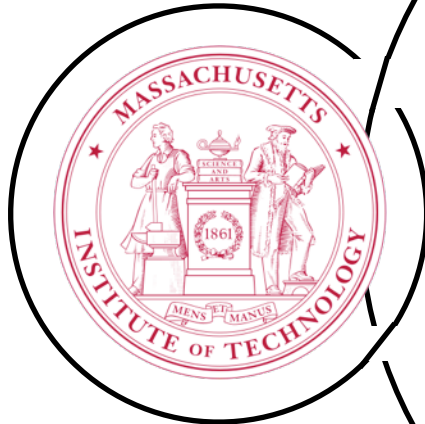
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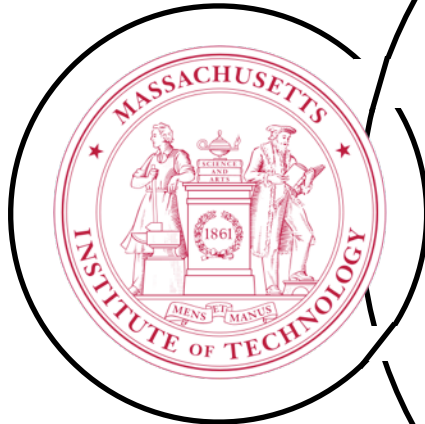
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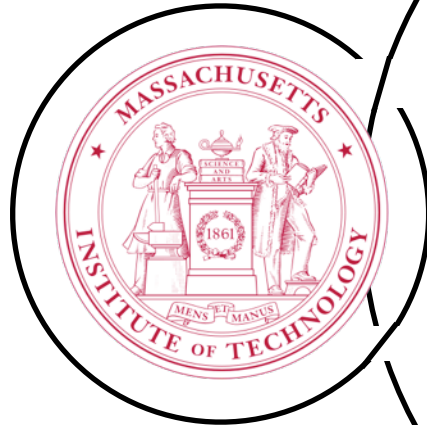


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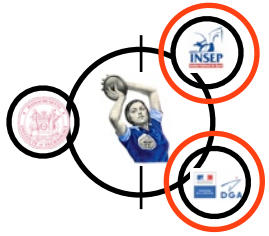
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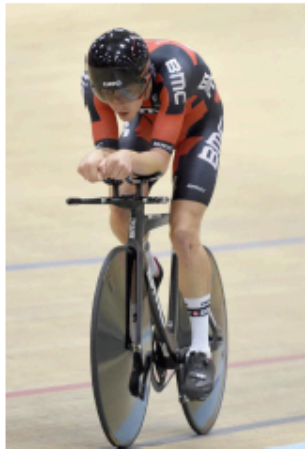


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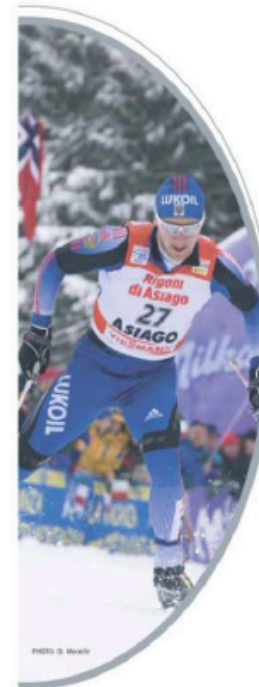
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Peak performance wax to be used in all new and old humid and wet snow conditions. Due to the high concentration of fluorocarbon this wax also gives excellent results on very dirty or melting snow. Mostly used alone with professional results, VA2 can be used with F1 and D1 as top layer with added abrasion resistance guaranteed even on longer tracks or with harsh crystal snow conditions.

VA2 • 30 g

0°/-4°C RH 60-95% 120°C



This excellent wax has a wide application range and a strong response against dirt and coarse grained snow and artificial snow conditions. Remember that artificial snow is normally a very humid condition, even if the relative air humidity is low. VA4 should never run short in the professional ski man's case.

VA4 • 30 g

-2°/-6°C RH 60-95% 130°C



This wax is perfectly formulated with hard synthetic paraffins and fluoro compounds. VA6 responds excellently with humid transformed snow, coarse grain and on intermediately cold artificial snow. Perfect base for F1 in particular cold falling or new snow conditions.

VA6 • 30 g

-4°/-12°C RH 60-95% 140°C



VA8 is the hardest wax of this line and can be used alone in very cold snow with high relative air humidity. In this case, the high content of fluoro has a beneficial effect for the viscosity of the wax and ensures the excellent penetration into the ski base a mix of hard waxes which otherwise are very difficult to apply. VA8 should be scraped before completely cooked.

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## races



## weightlifting



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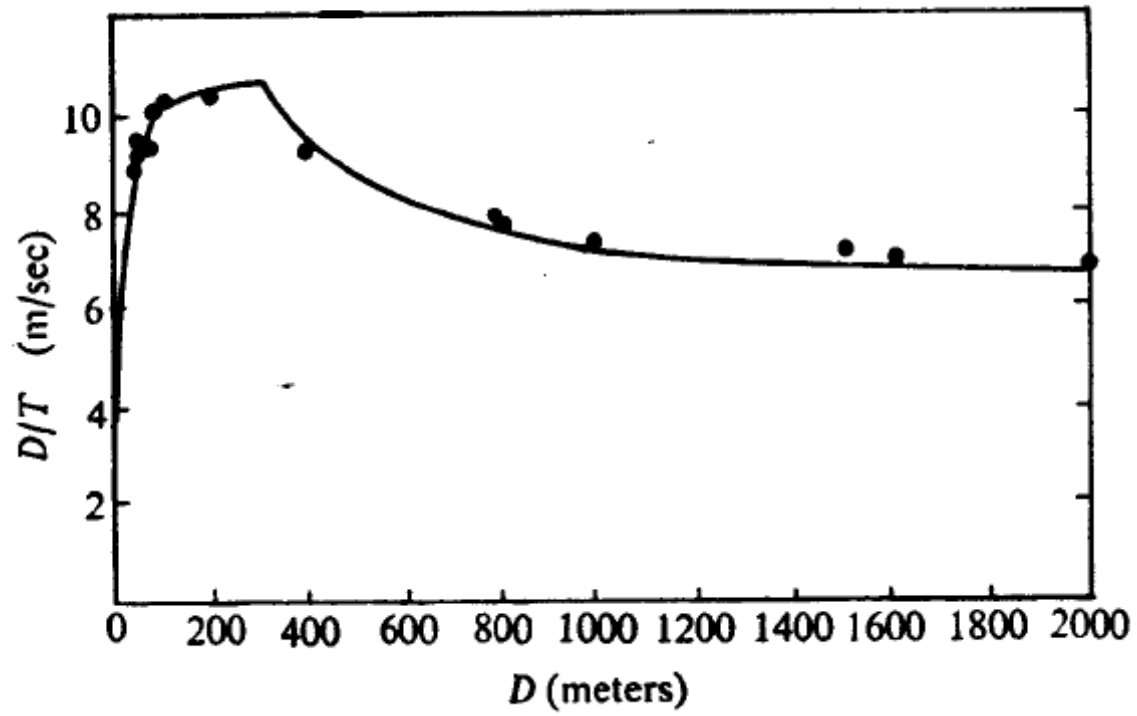
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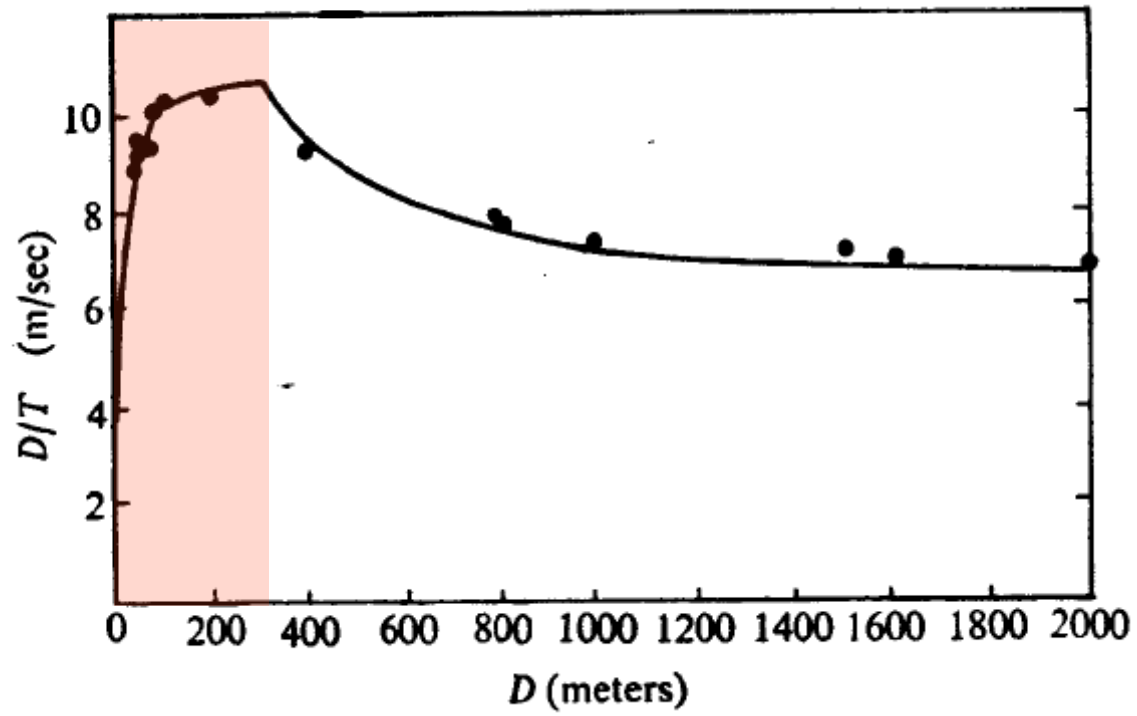
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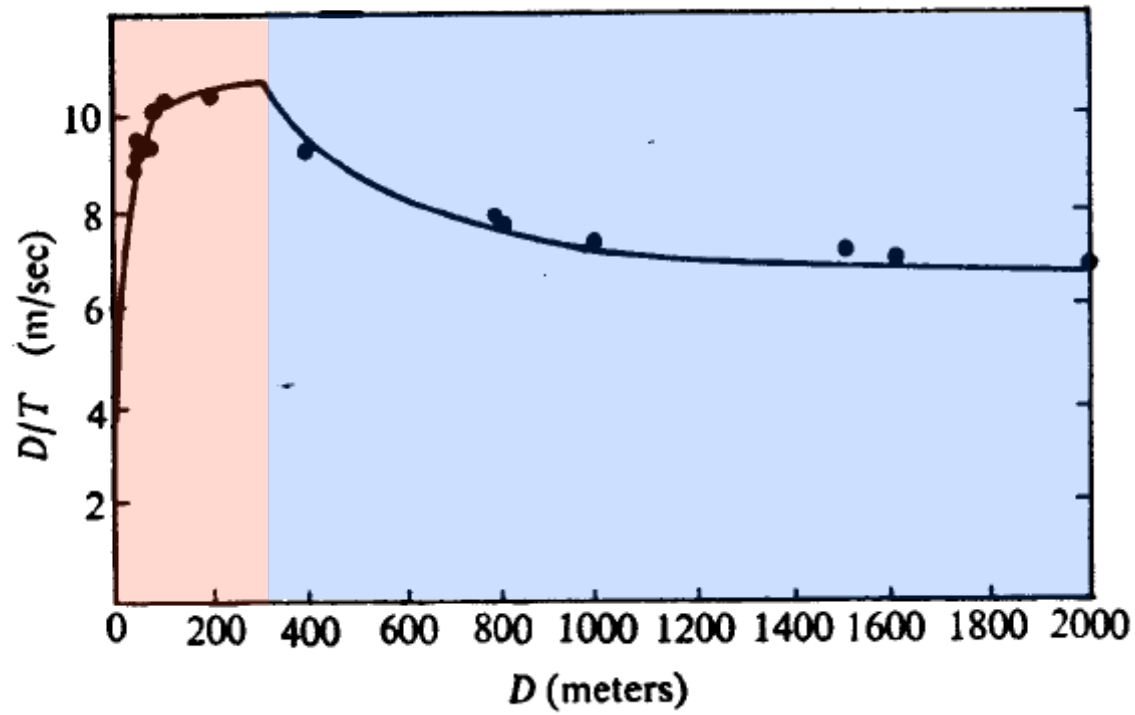
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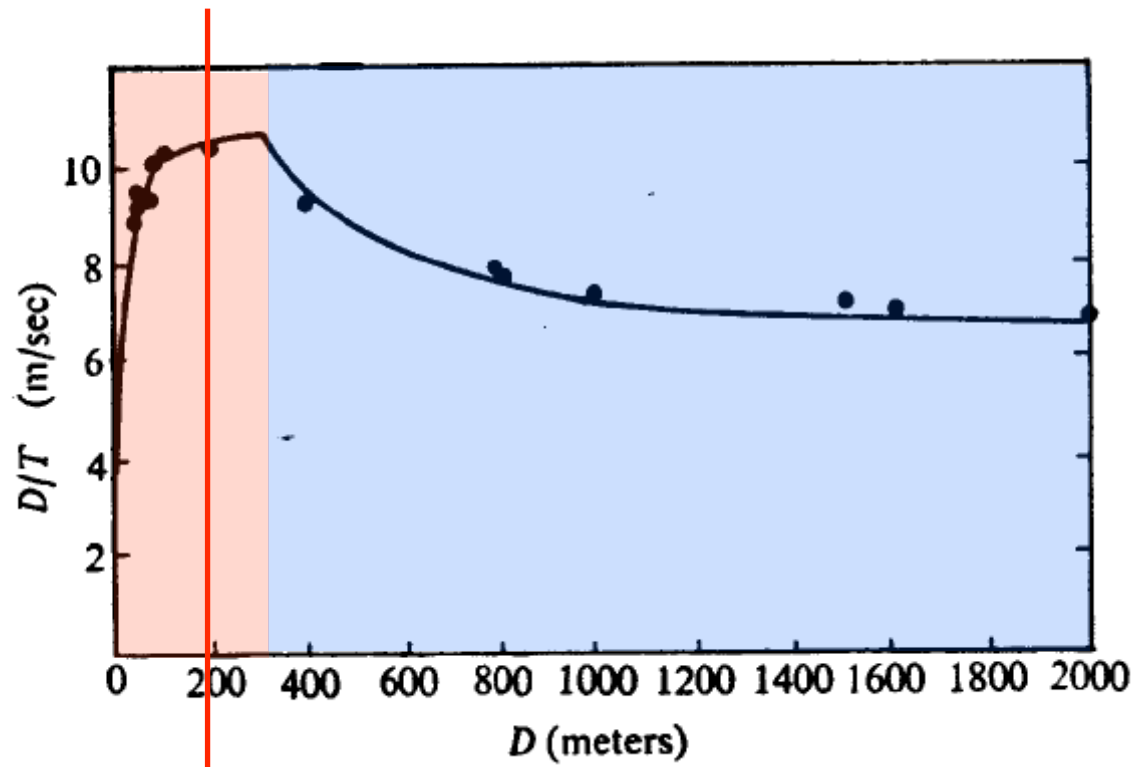
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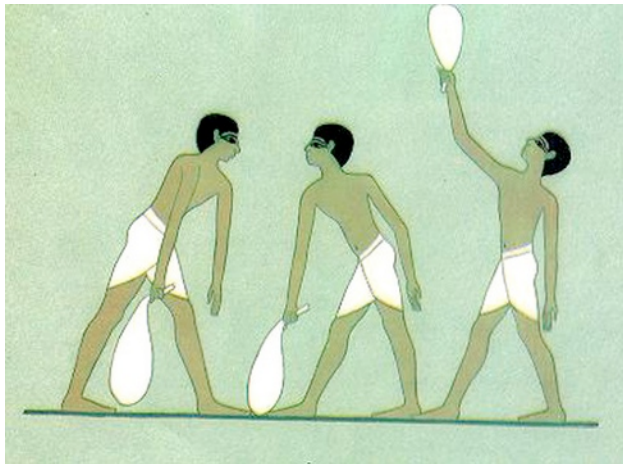
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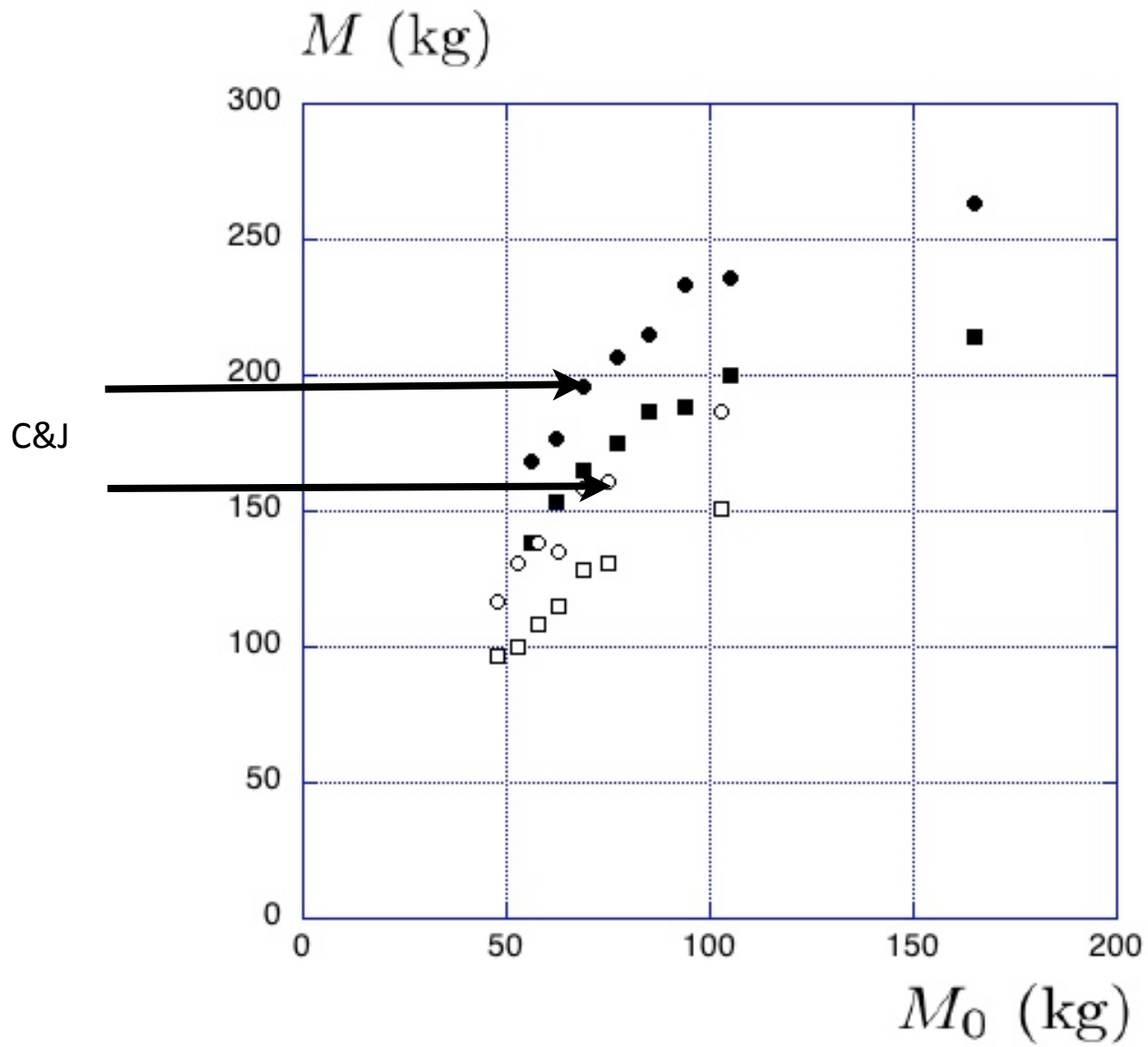


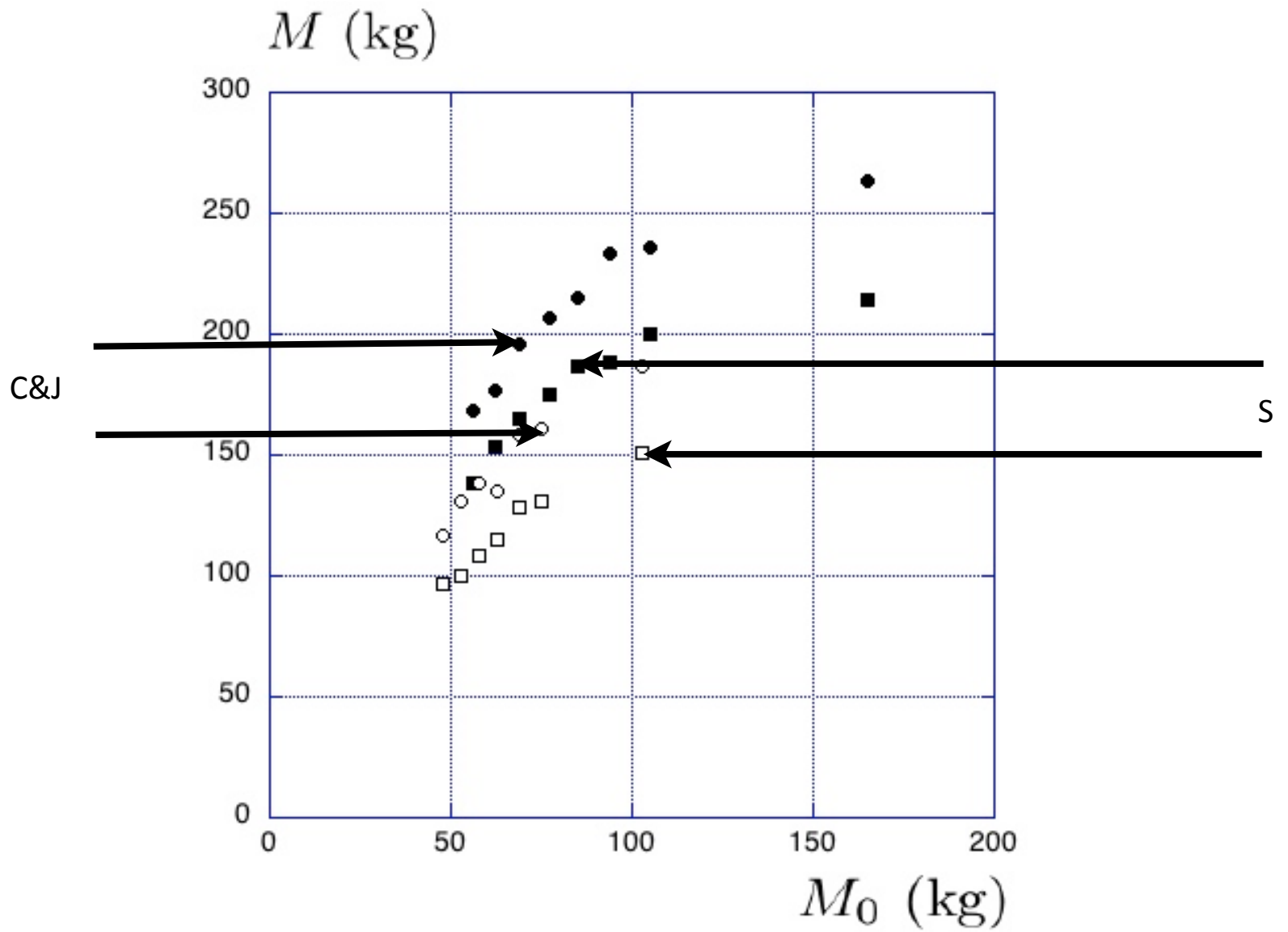
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**the clean and jerk**

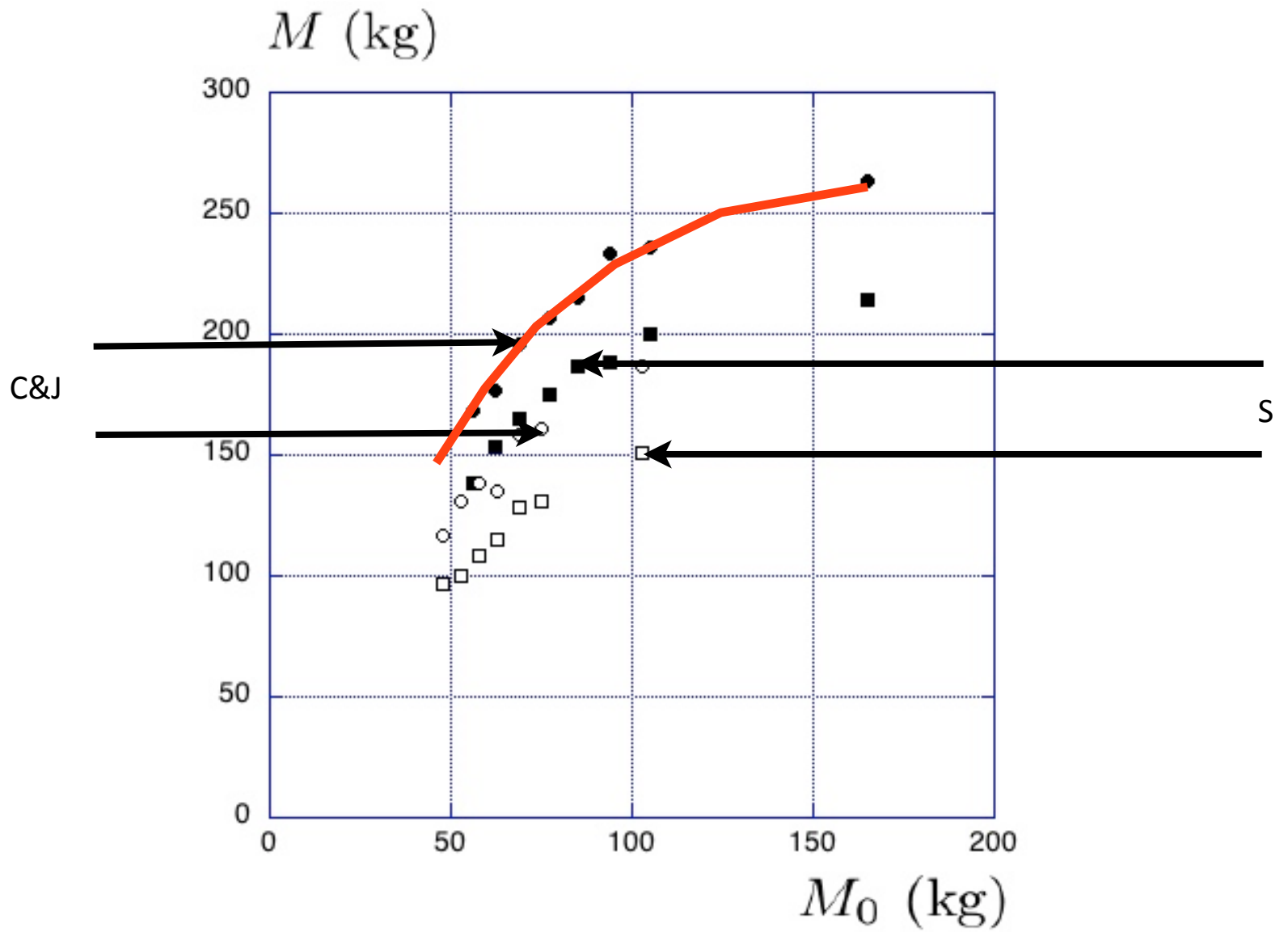


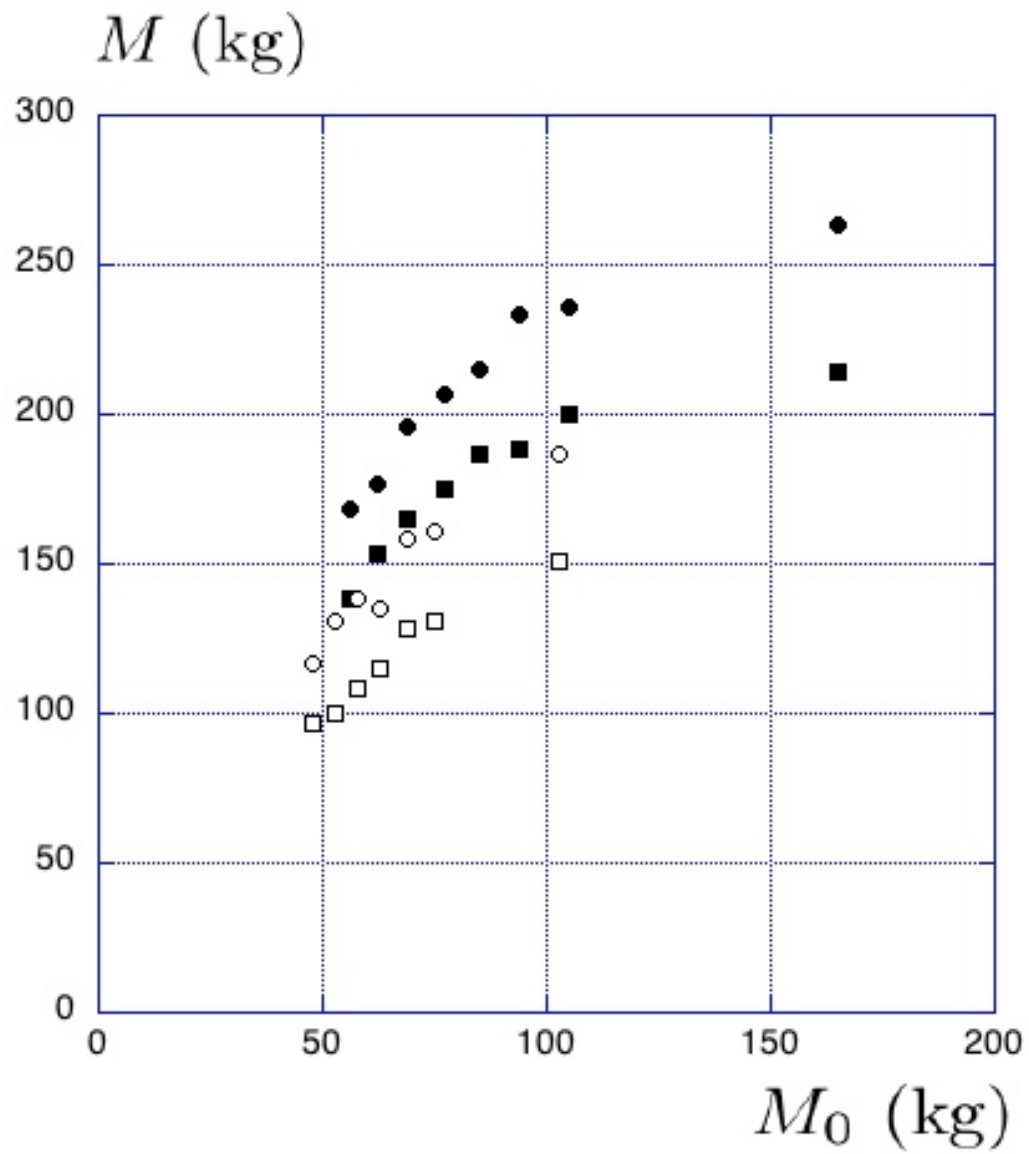
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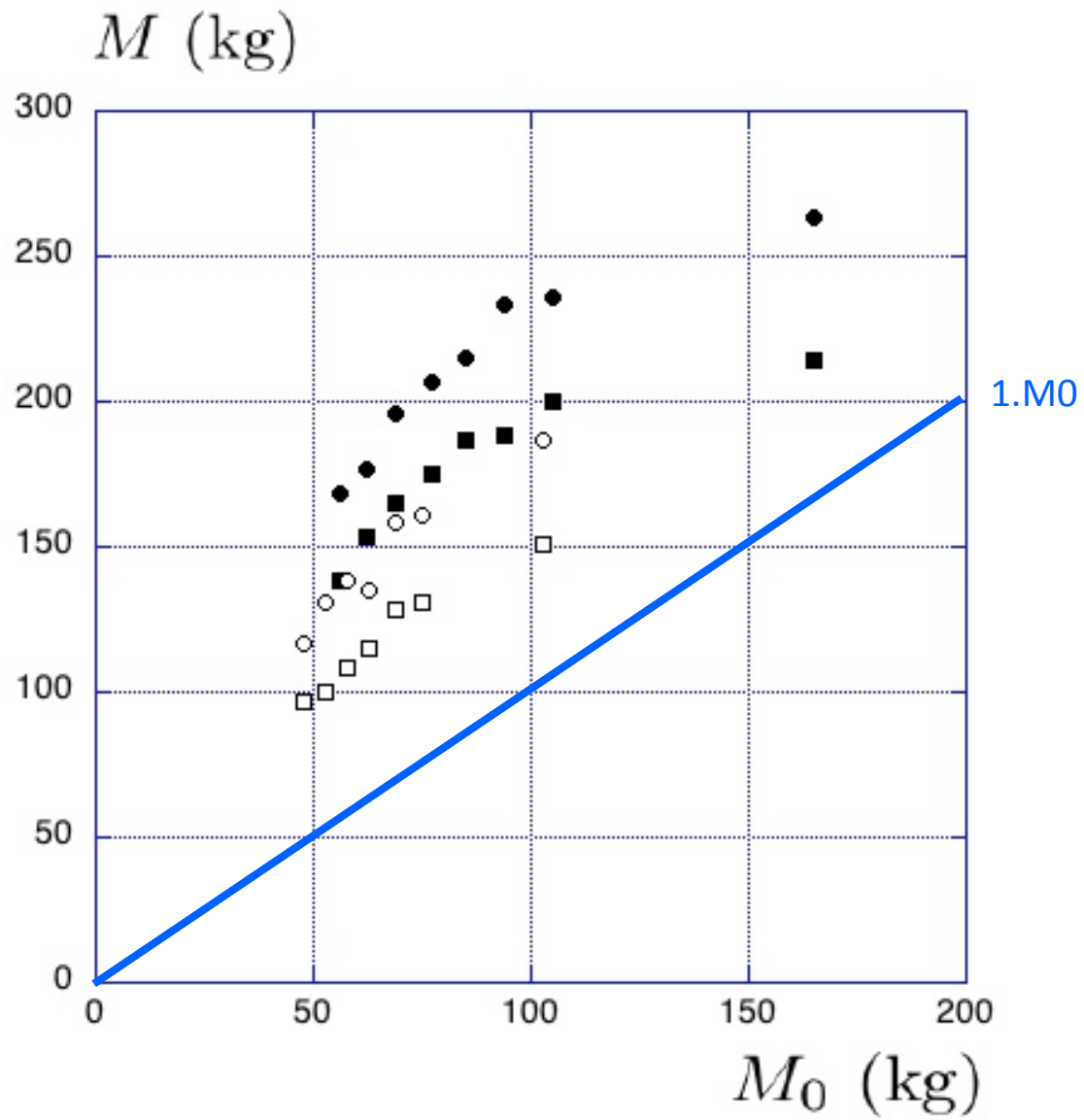


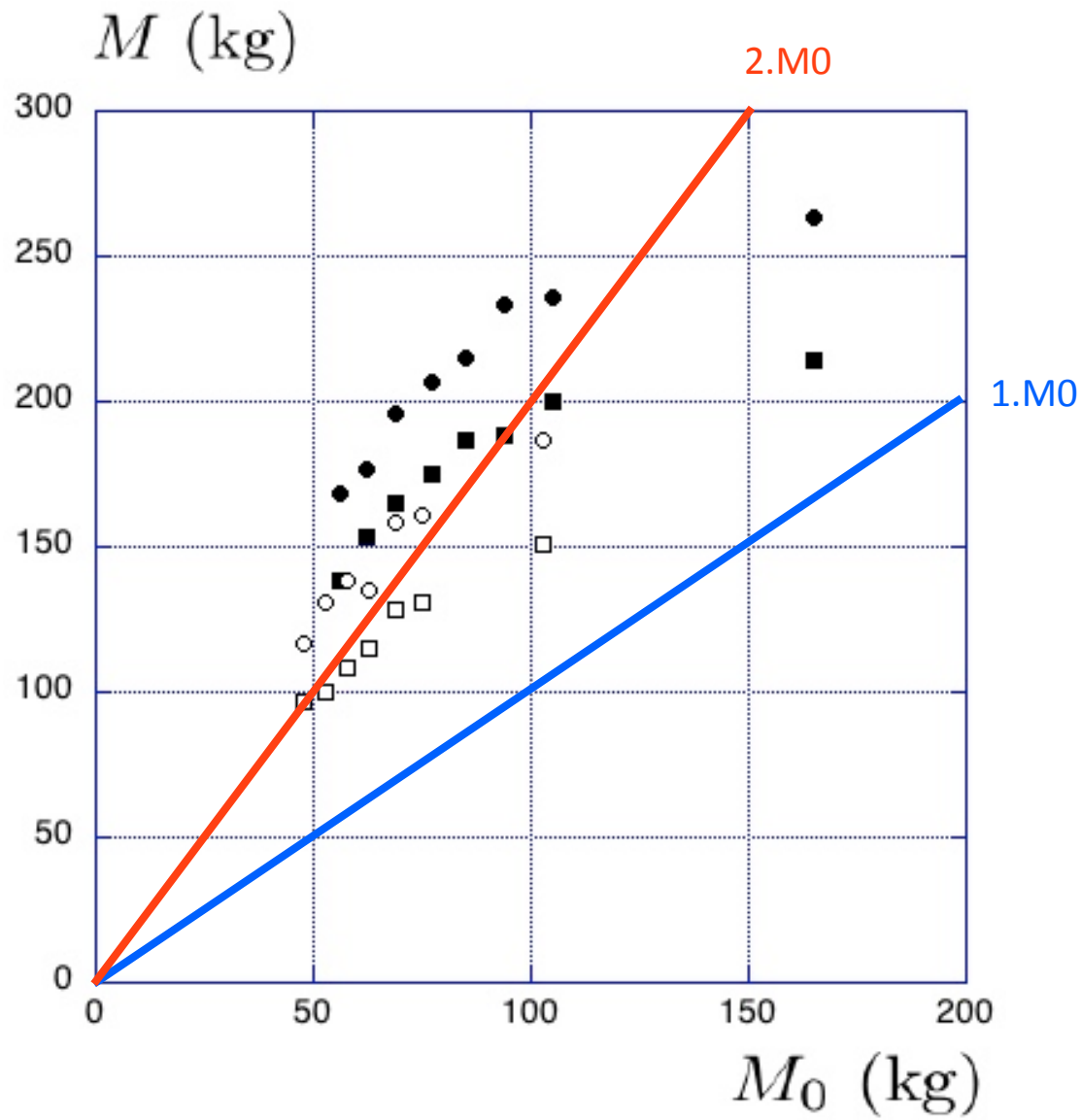


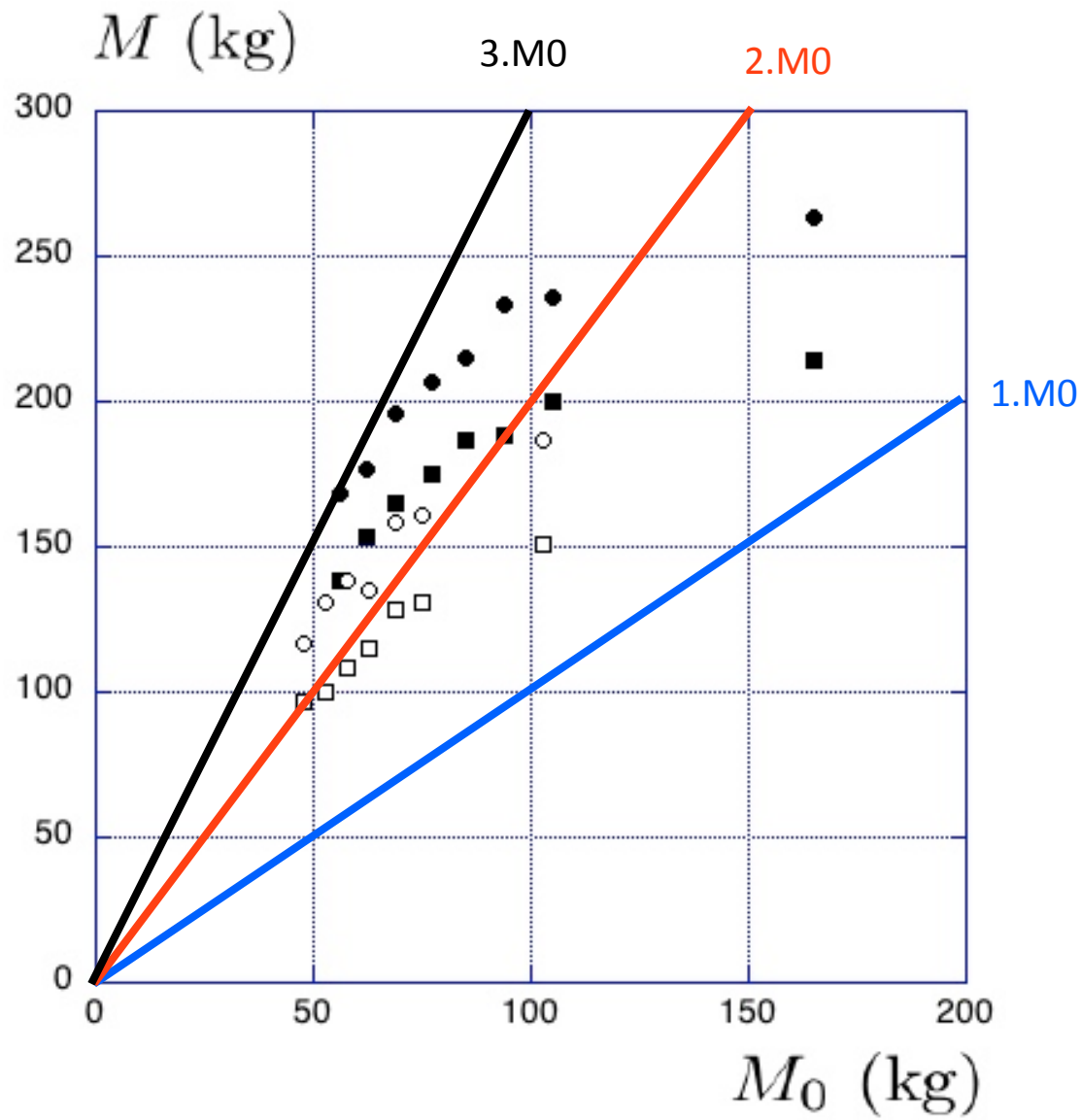




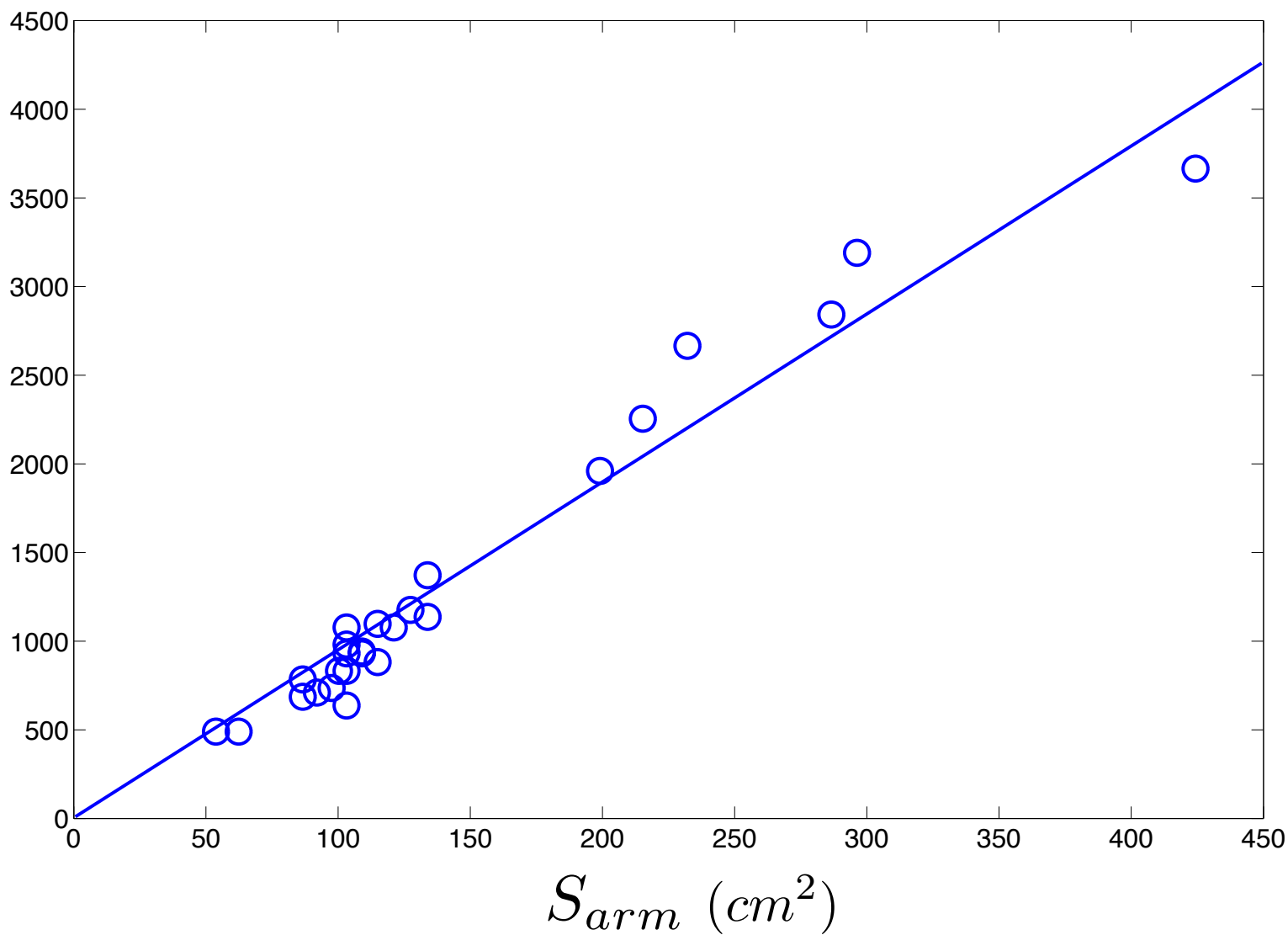








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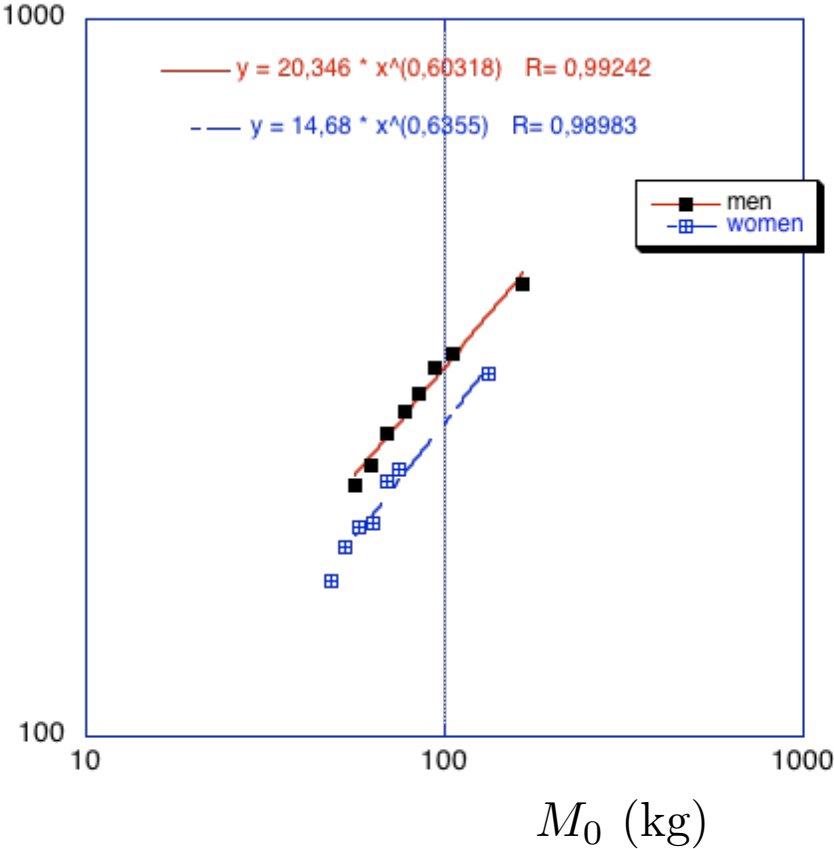
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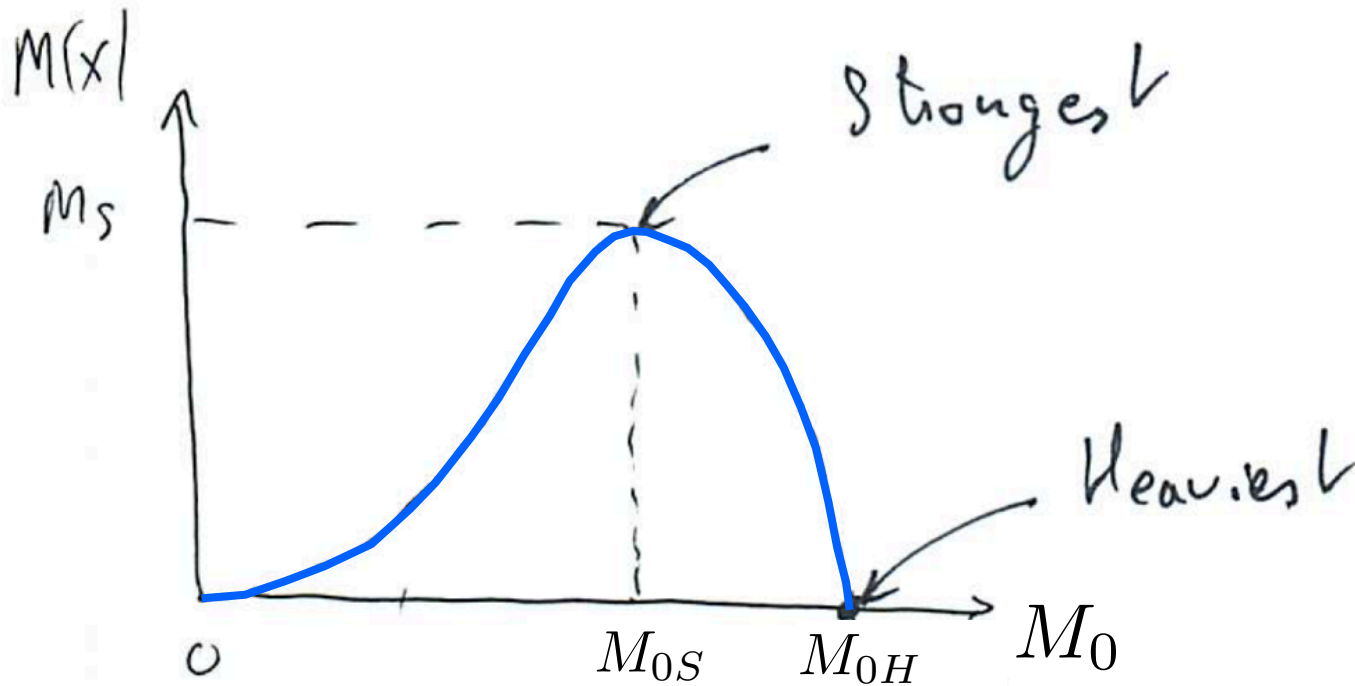
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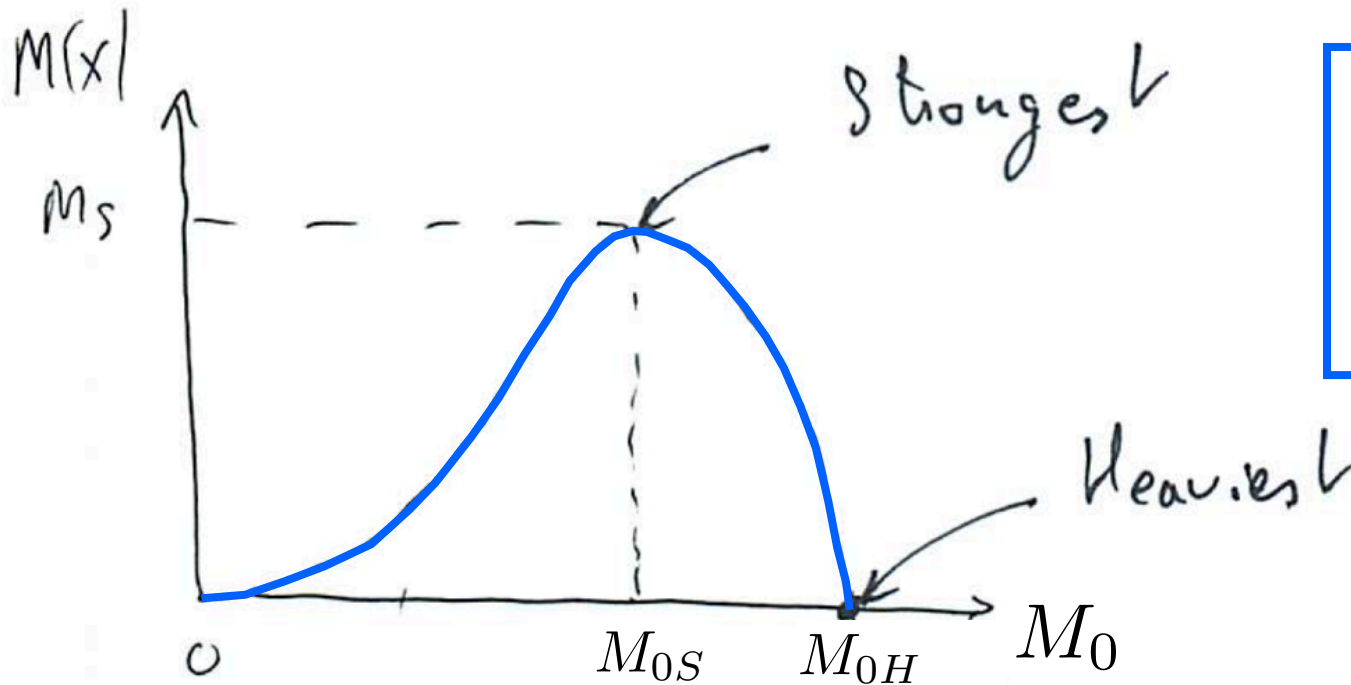
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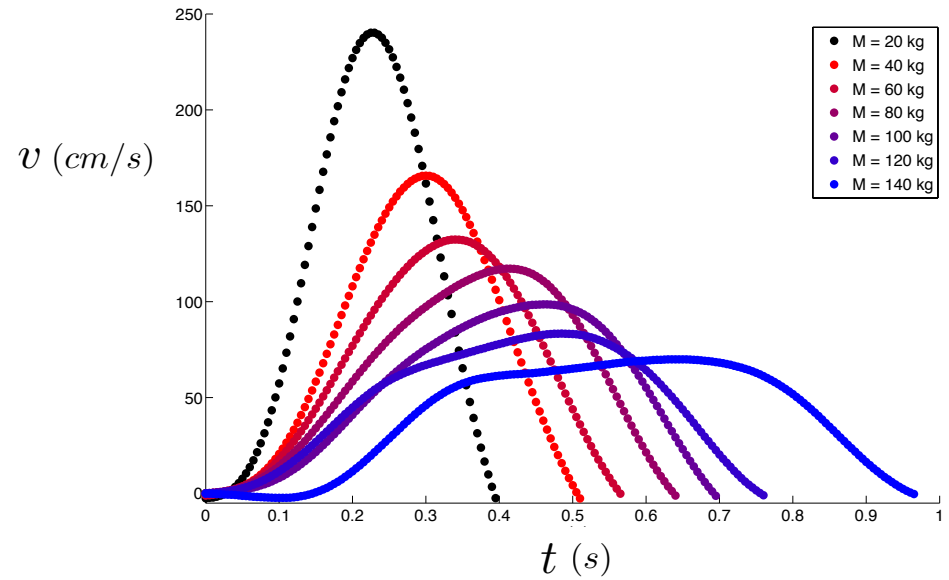
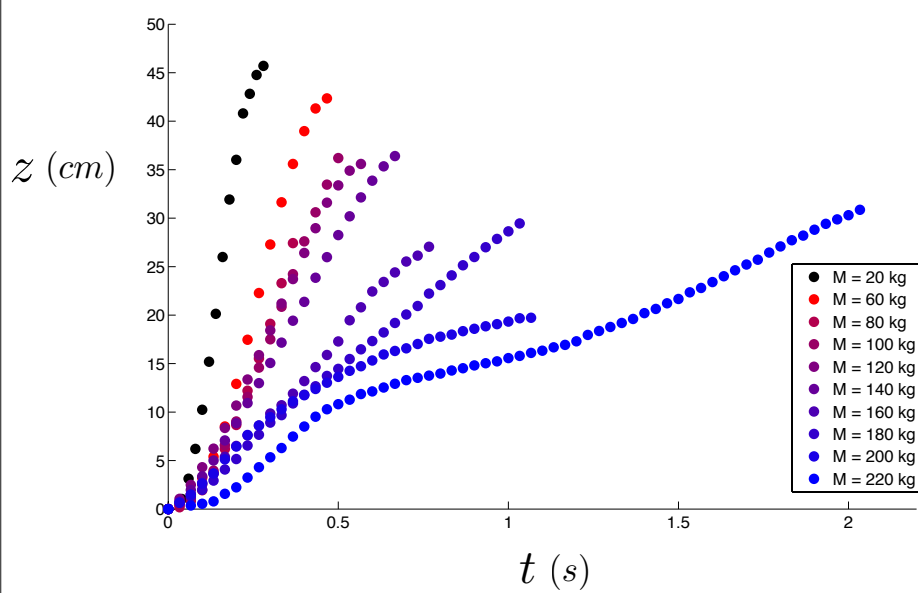
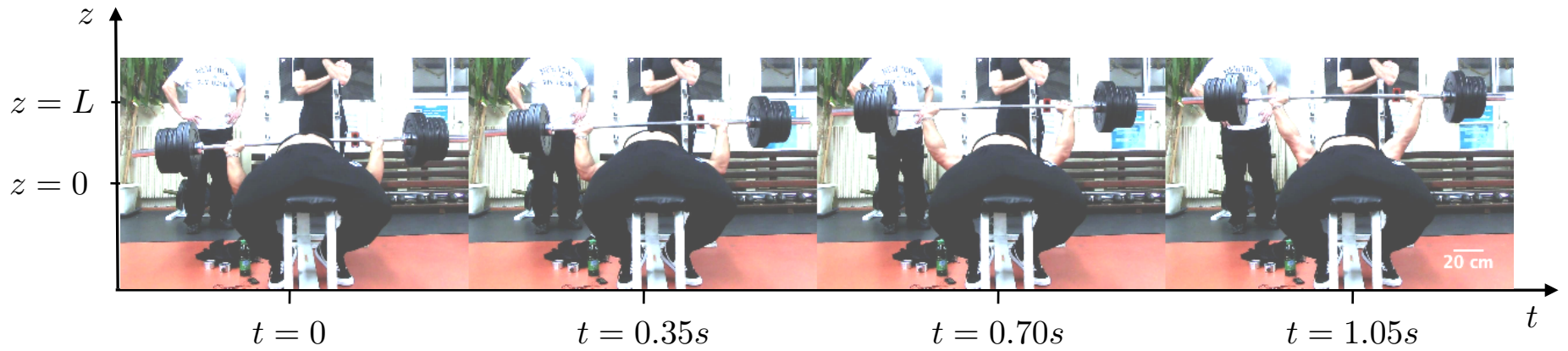
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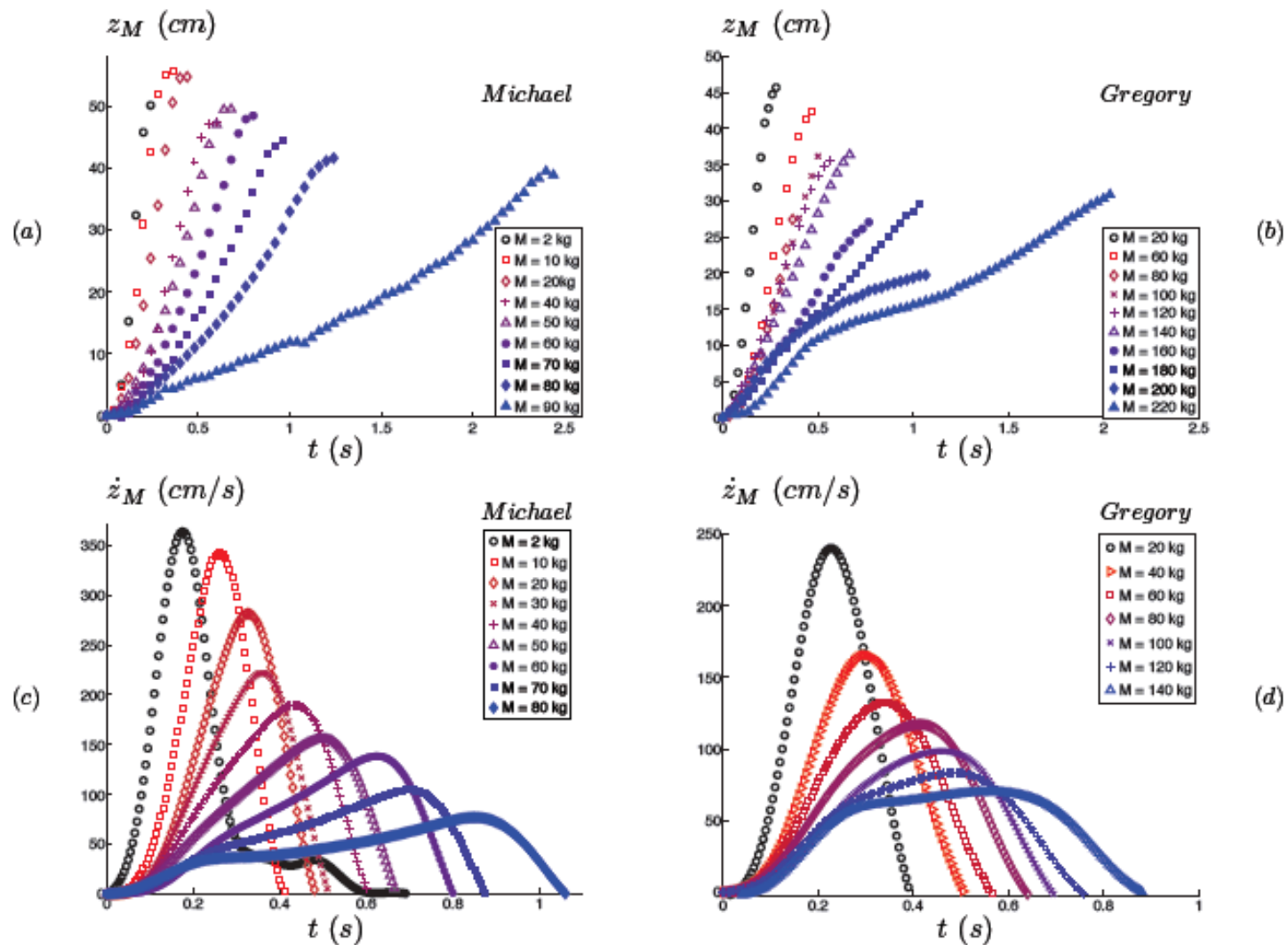


Athlete	$H$ (m)	$M_0$ (kg)	$L_{arm}$ (cm)	$S_{arm}$ (cm <sup>2</sup> )	$M_{min}$ (kg)	$M^*$ (kg)
Gregory	1,80	114	35	241	20	230
Guillaume	1,85	84	40,5	127	2	115
Michael	1,80	71	37	109	2	95
Georges	1,89	77	34,5	100	2	85
Maxime	1,75	66	38	92	2	85
Wilfried	1,82	72	40	103	2	85
Romain	1,90	78	38	103	2	65

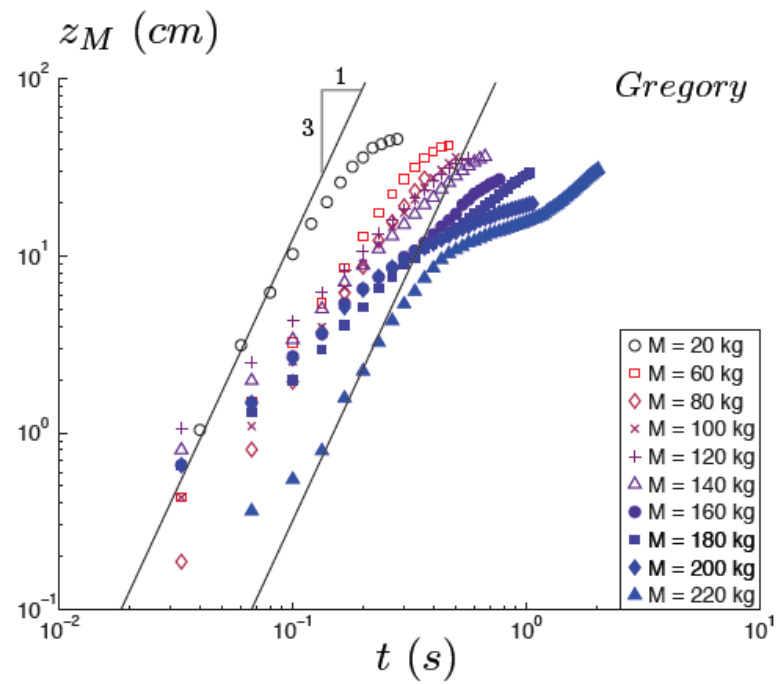
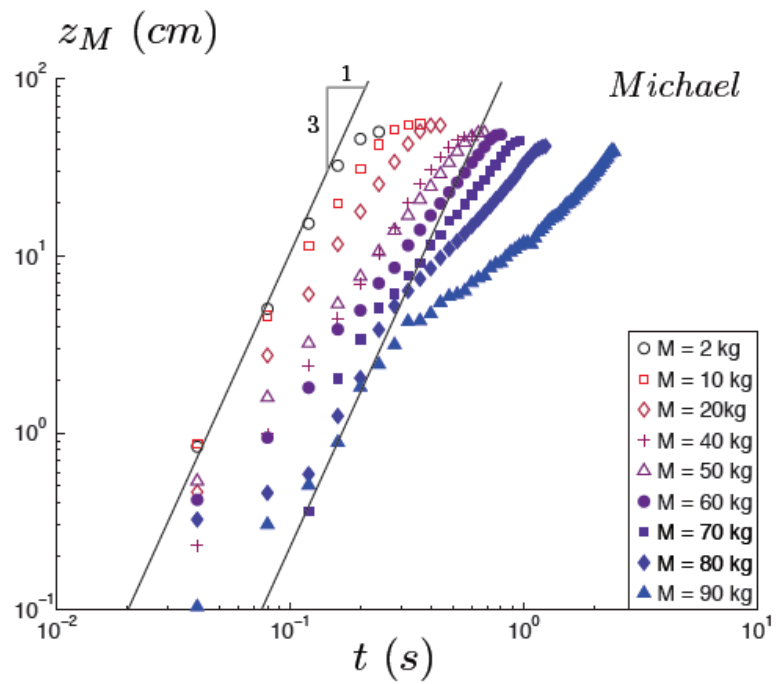


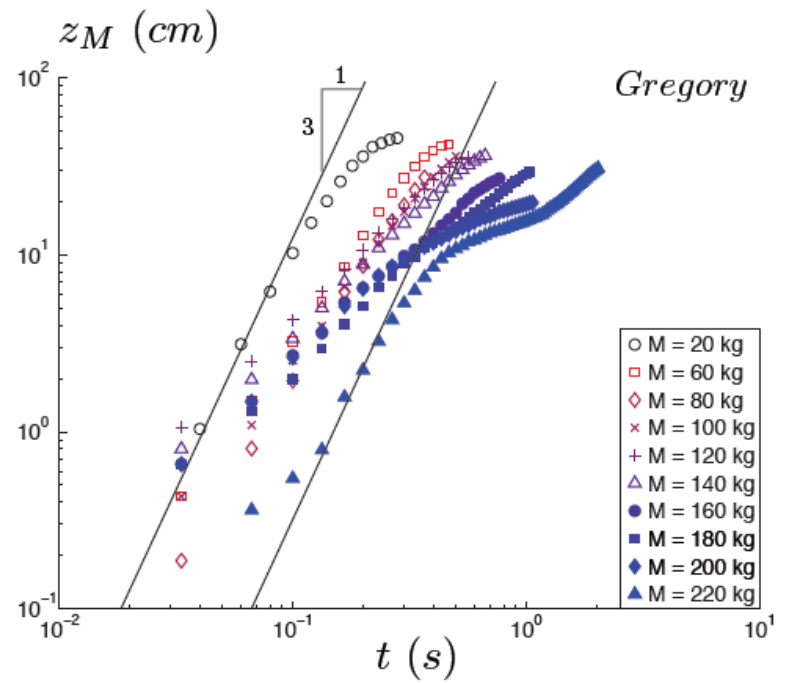
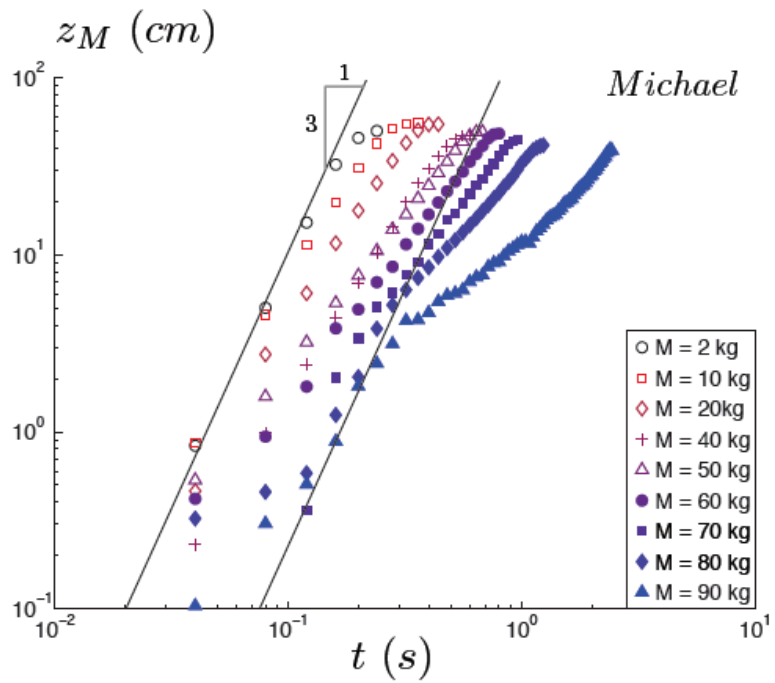
# Greg ( $M_0 = 114\text{kg}$ )





**Fig. 4.** Barbell dynamics: vertical position  $z_M(t)$  and velocity  $\dot{z}_M(t)$  for different masses of the barbell from  $M_{min}$  and  $M^*$  and for Michael ( $M_0 = 71$  kg,  $M^* = 105$  kg) on the left [(a) and (c)], and Gregory ( $M_0 = 114$  kg,  $M^* = 230$  kg) on the right [(b) and (d)].

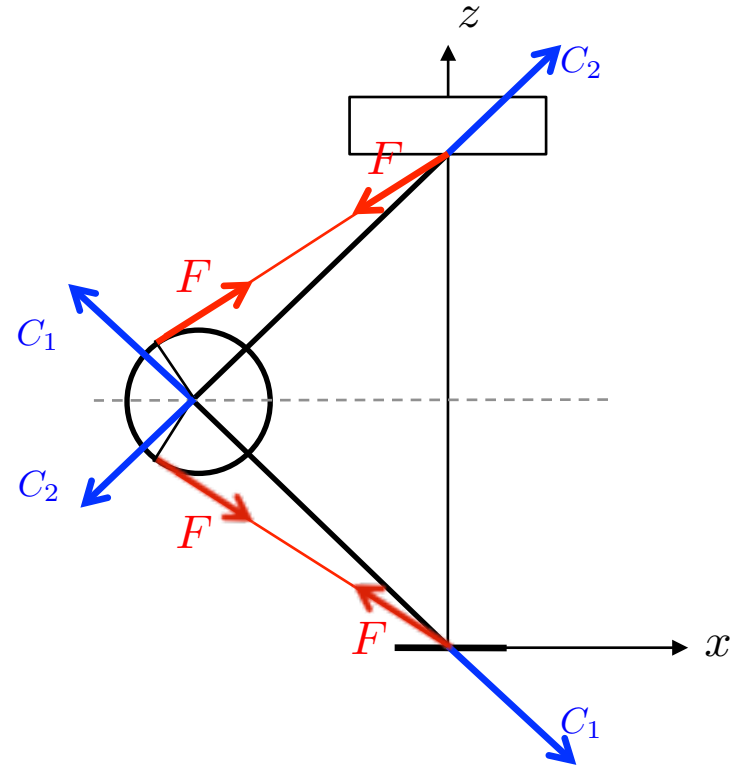
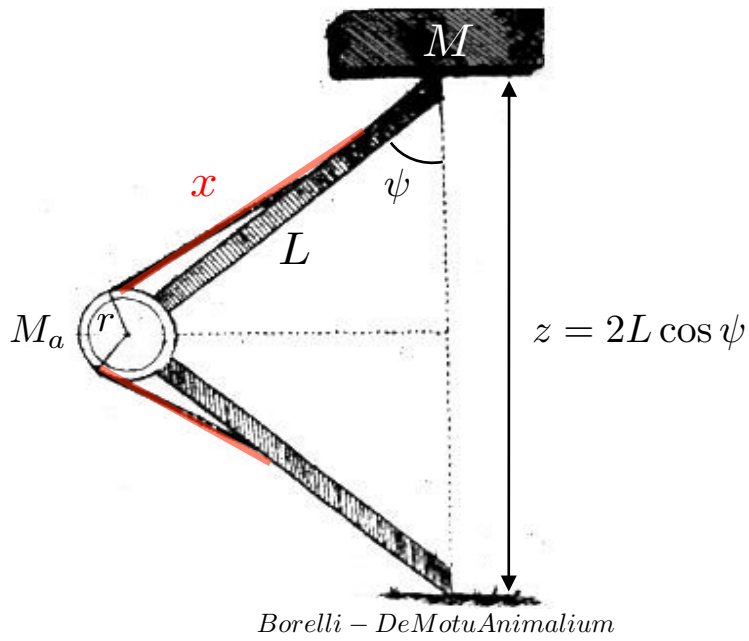




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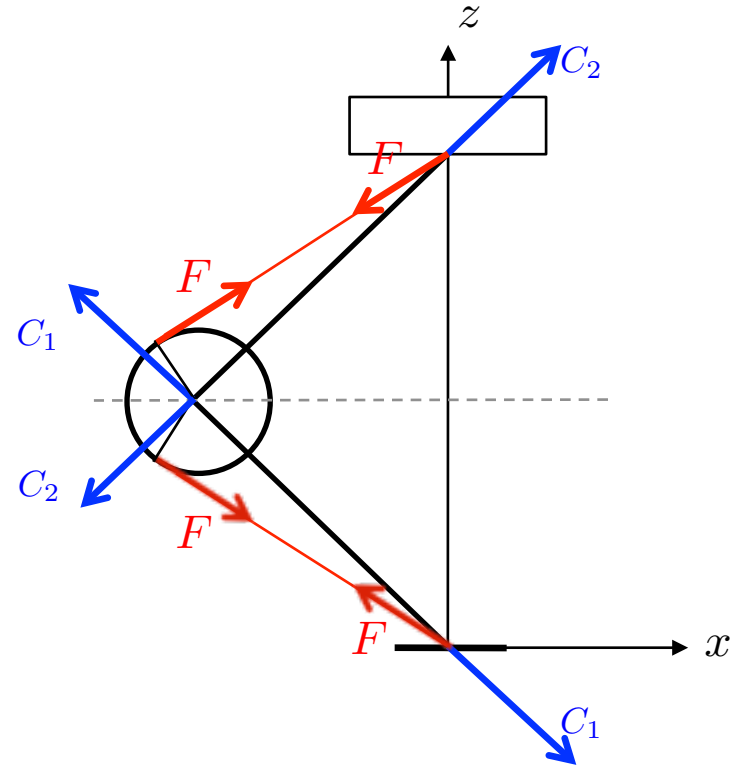
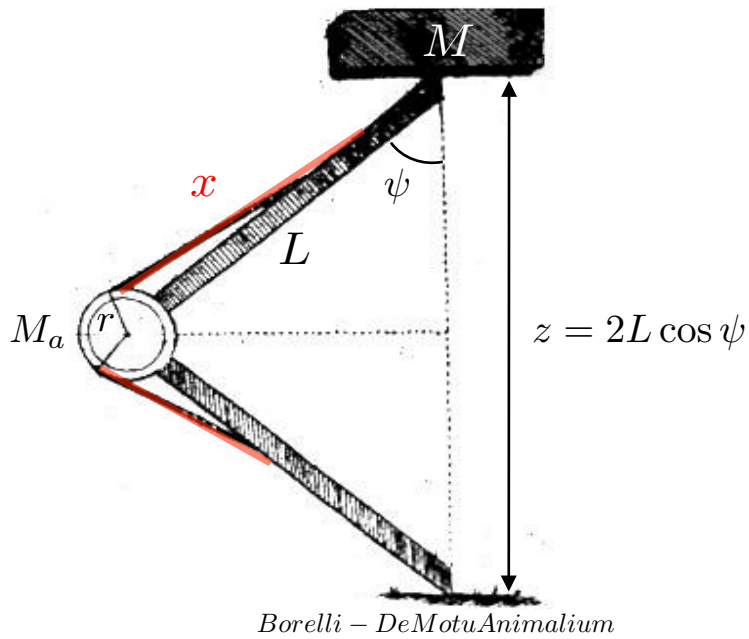


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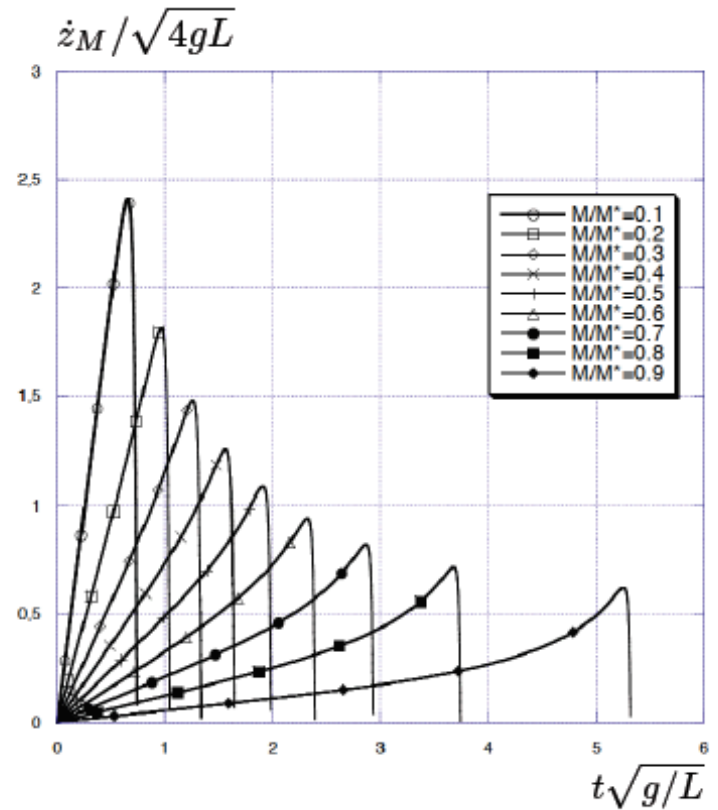
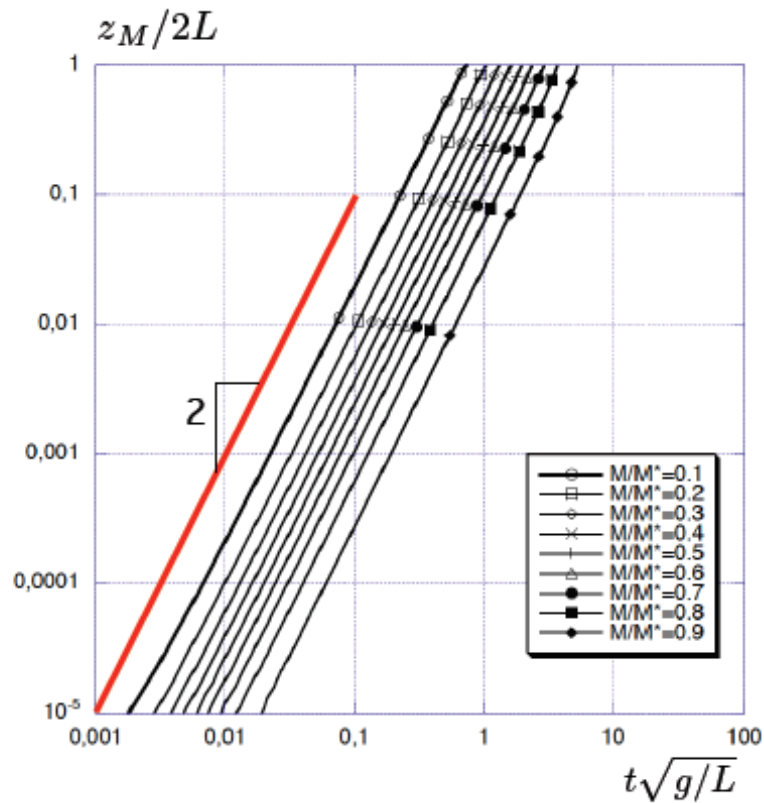
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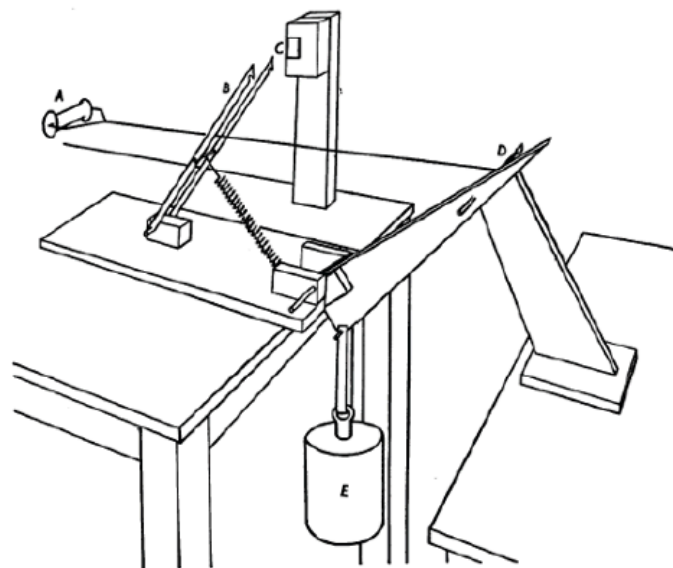
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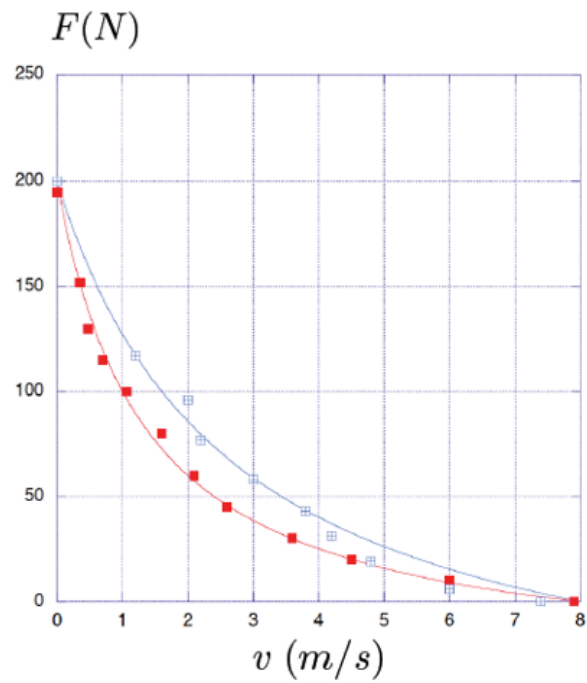
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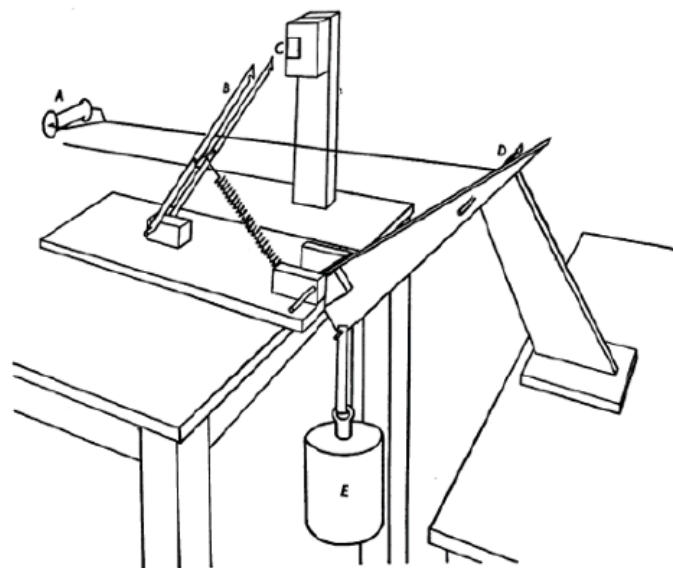
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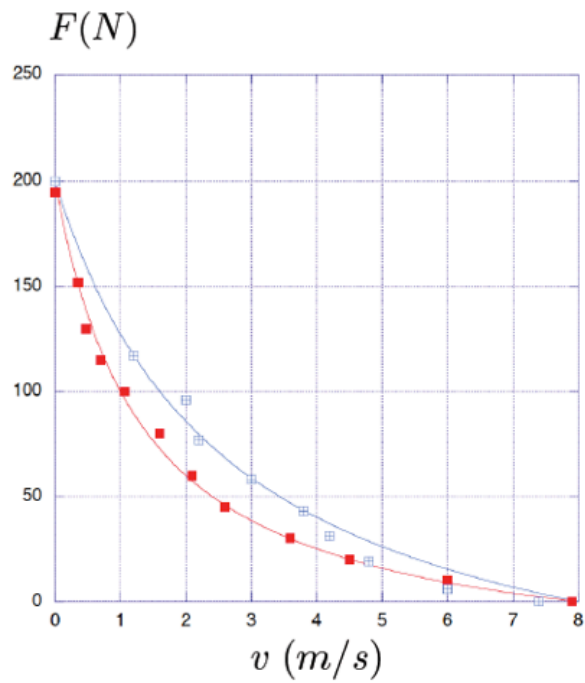
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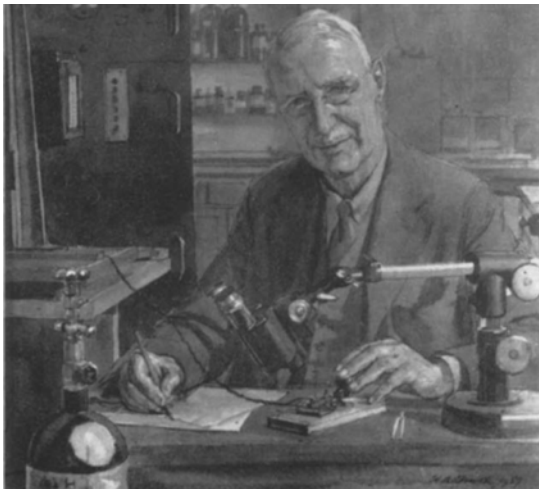
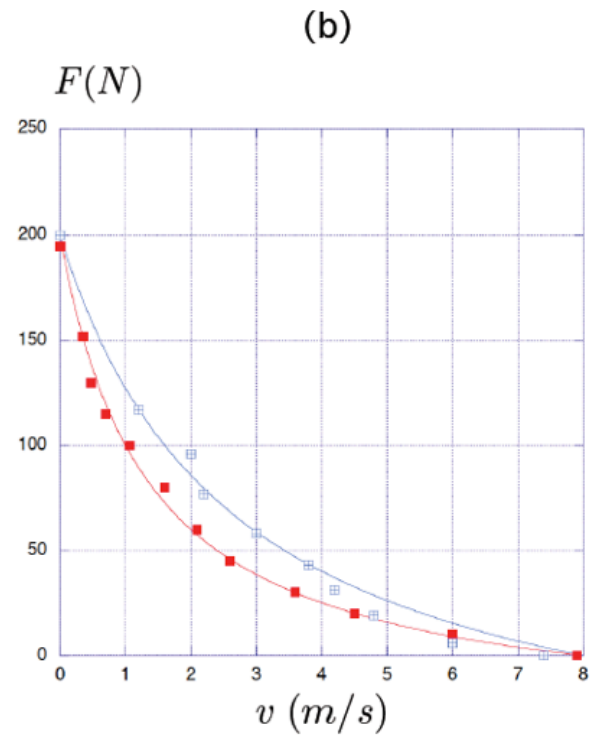
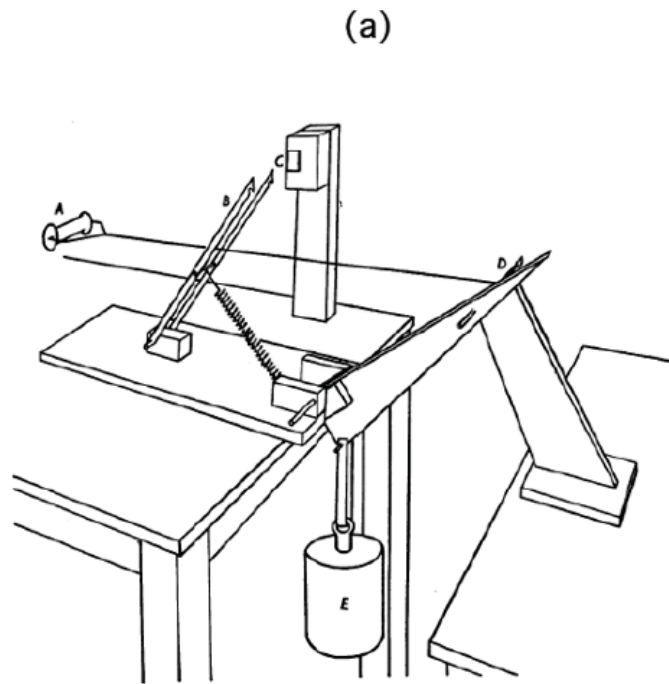


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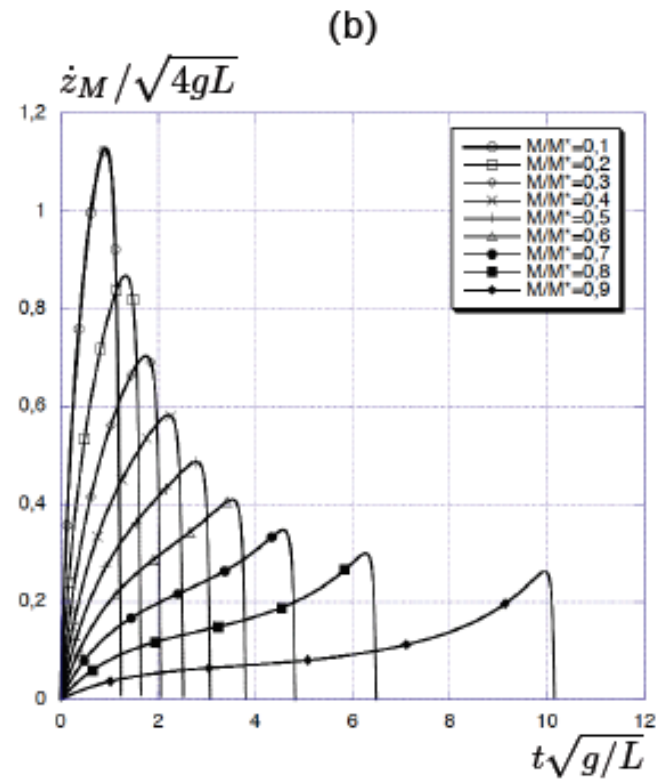
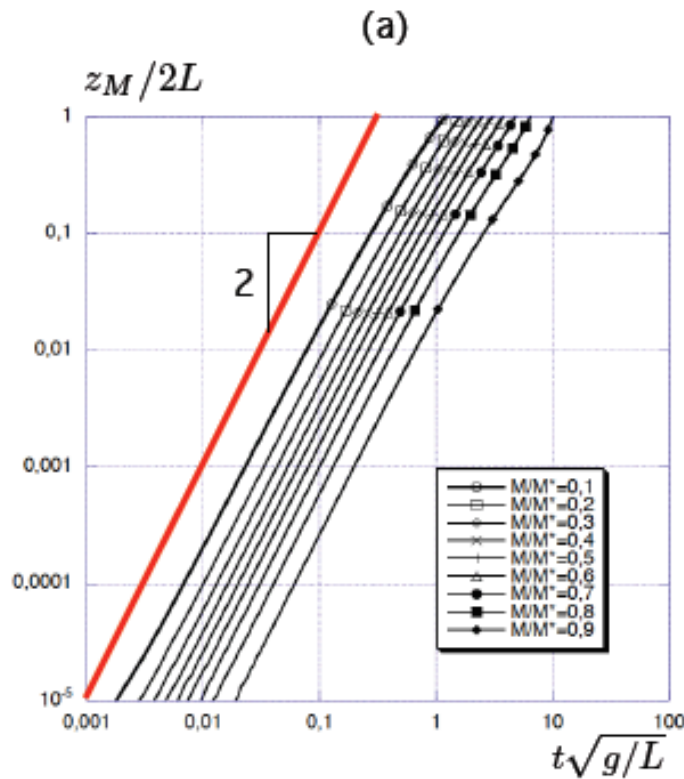
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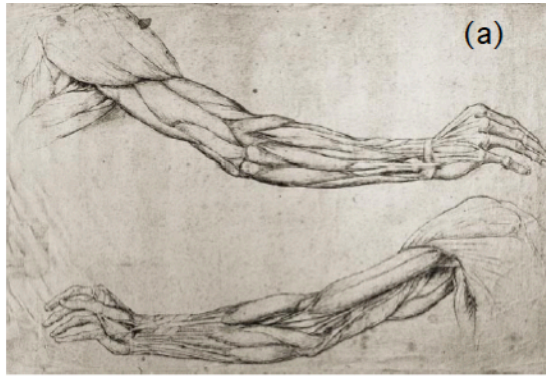
équation de A.V.Hill (1938)

# Hill's equation

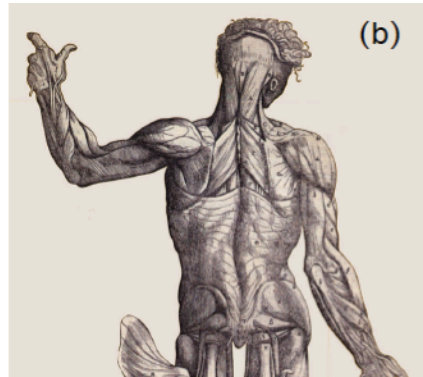
$$\frac{Fr}{MgL} = \frac{M^*}{M} \left( \frac{1 + G\dot{\psi}}{1 - \frac{F_0}{a}G\dot{\psi}} \right)$$

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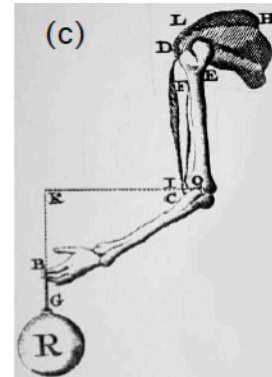




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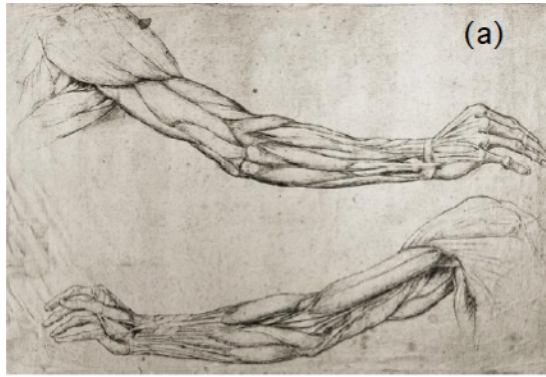


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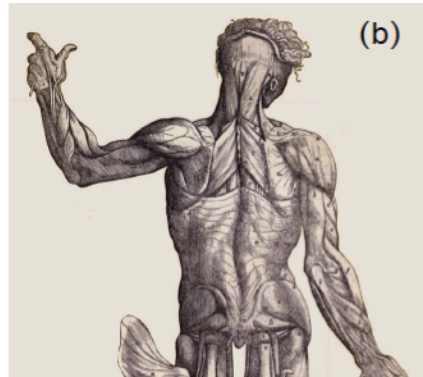
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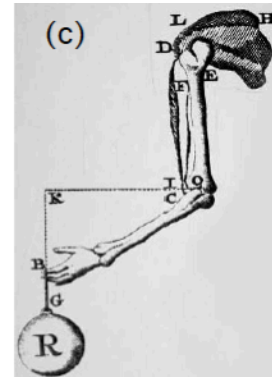




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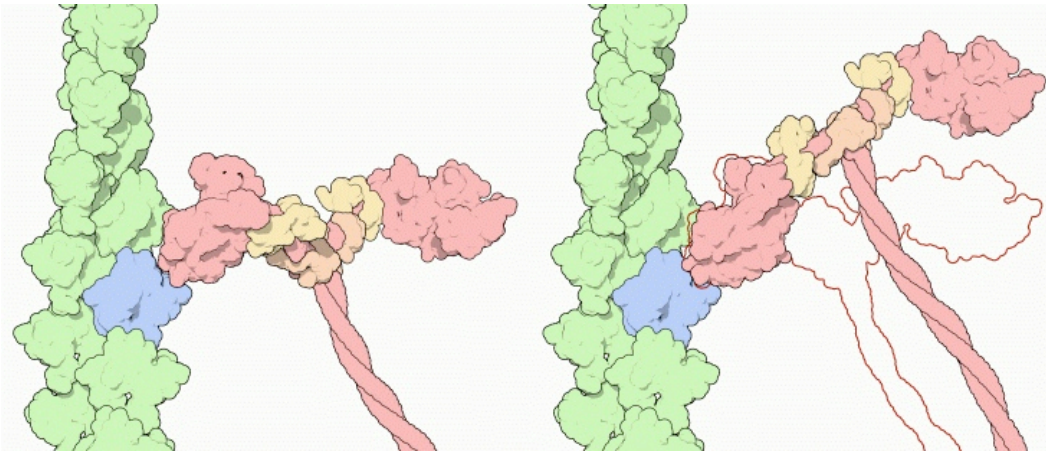
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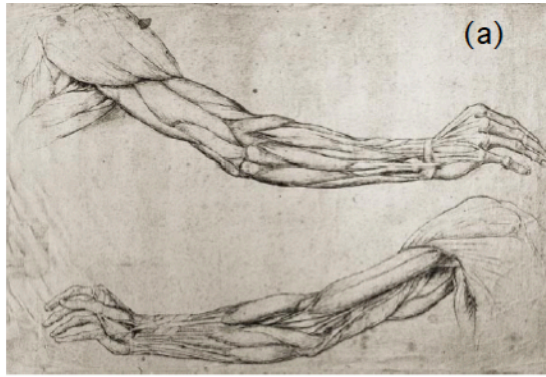
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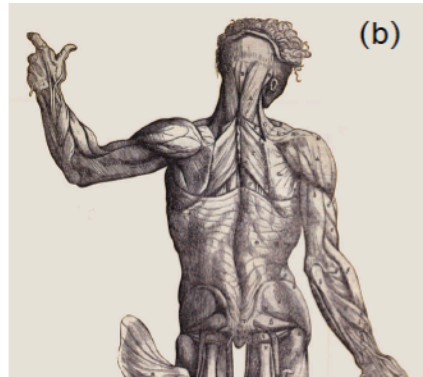
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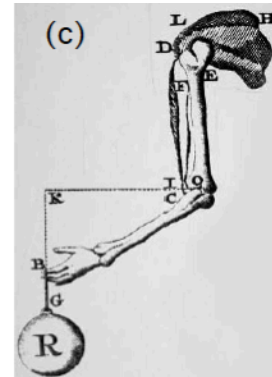
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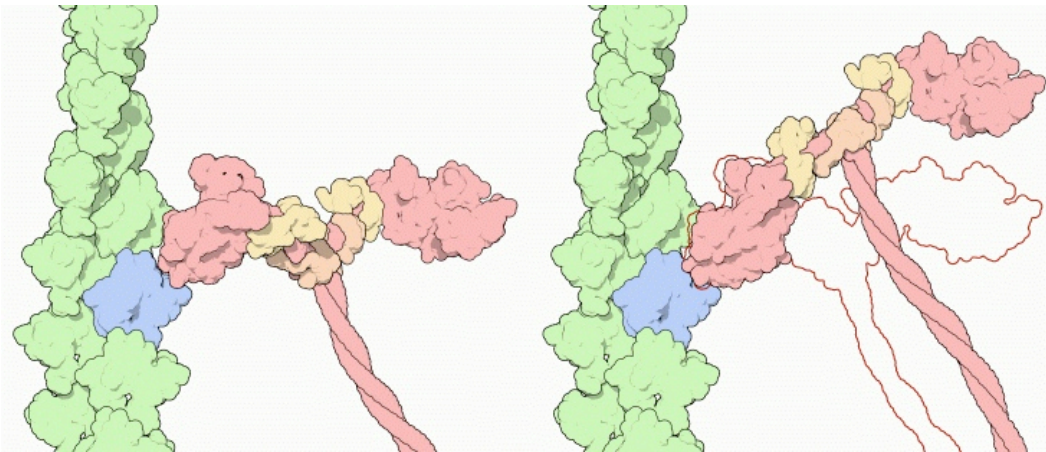


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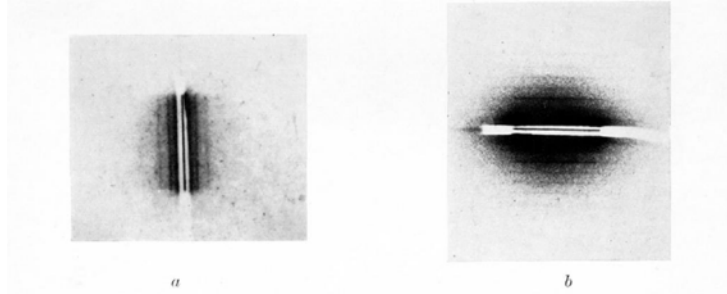
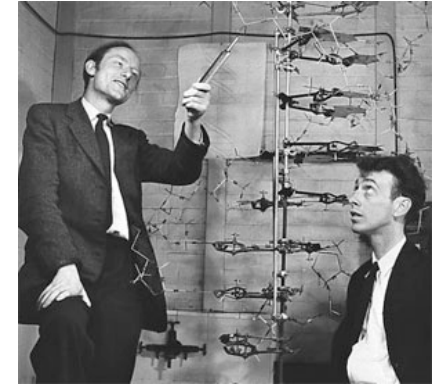
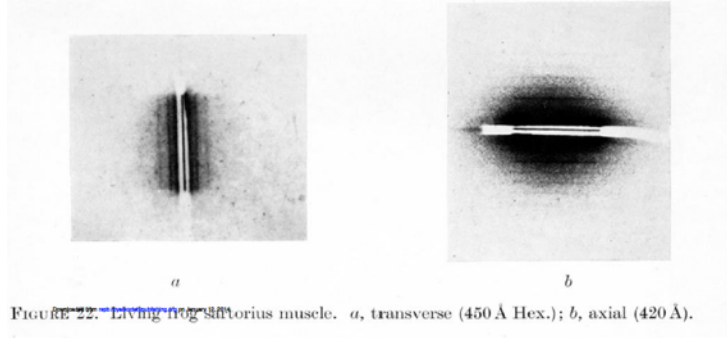


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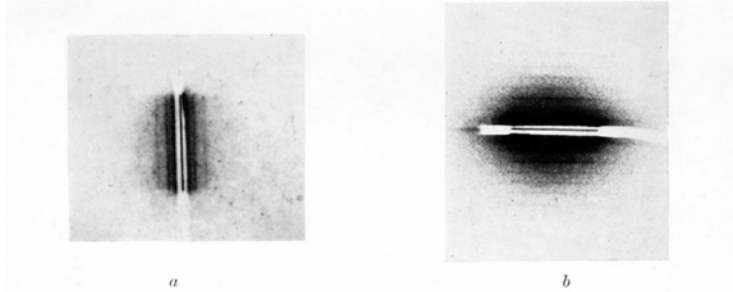
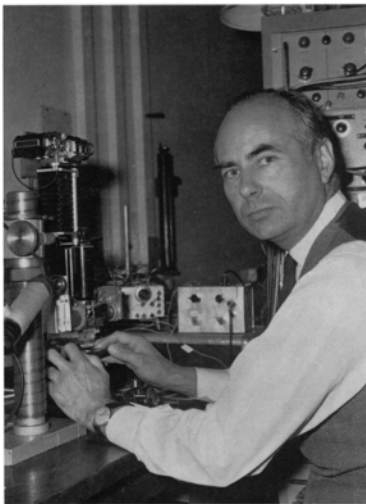


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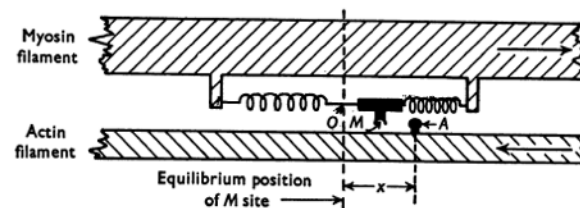


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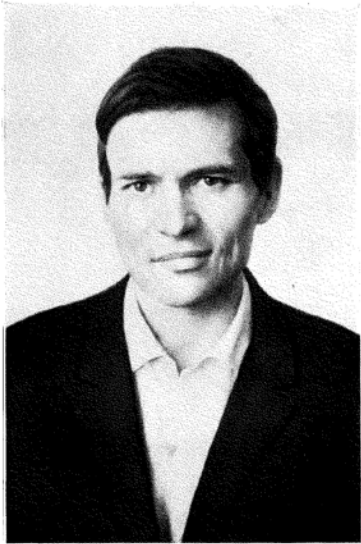


## TWO MODELS OF MUSCULAR CONTRACTION\*

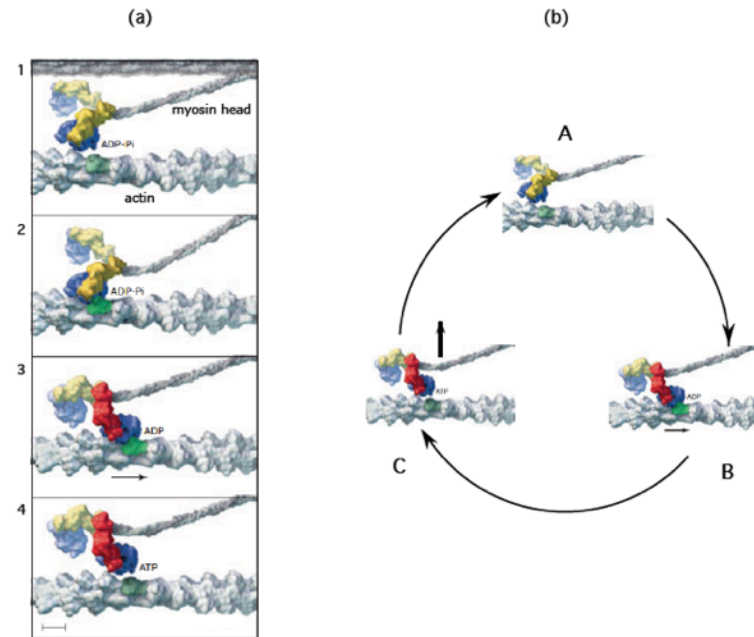
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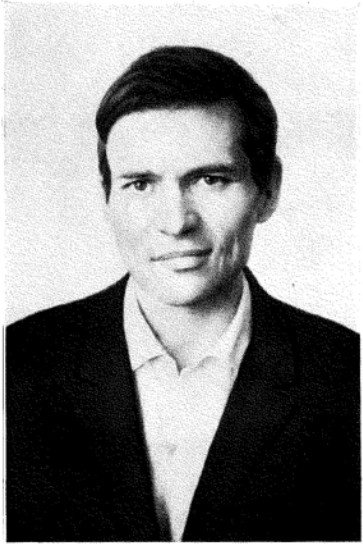
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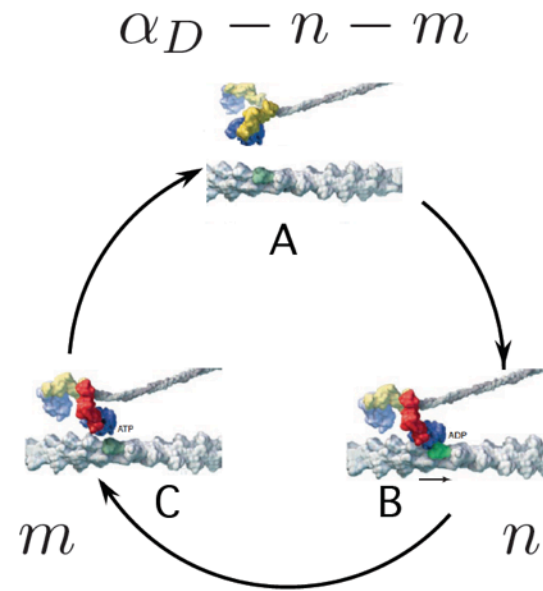
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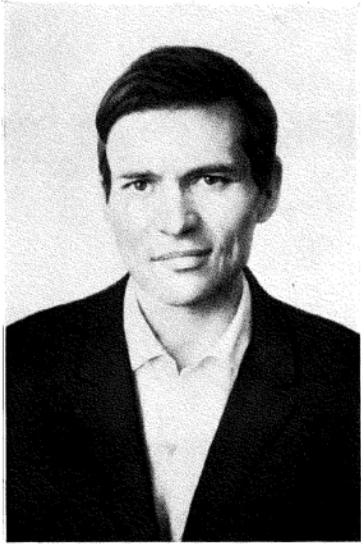
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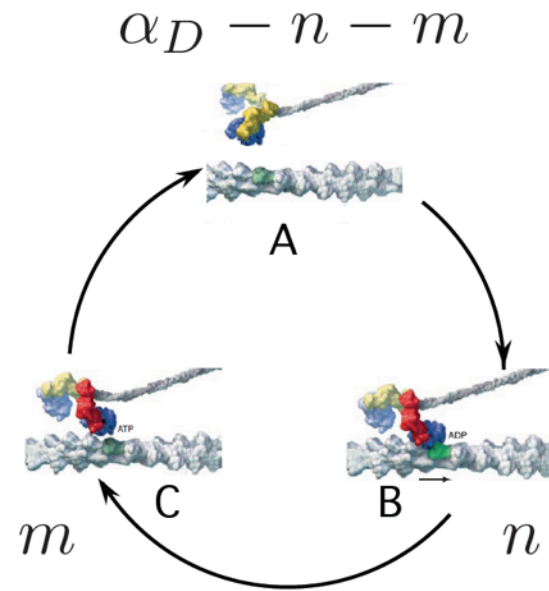
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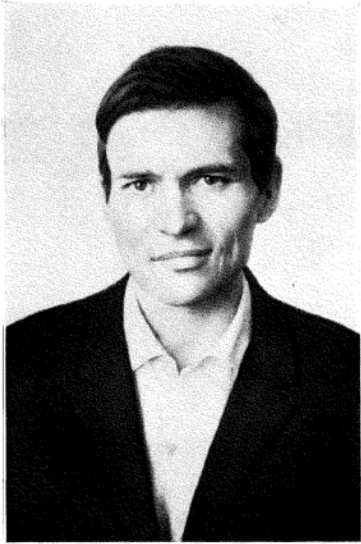




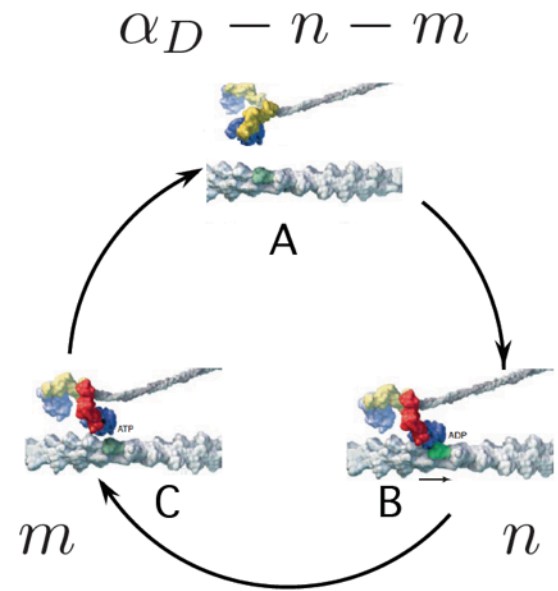
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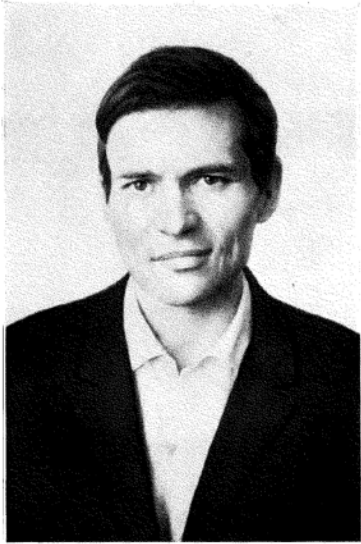


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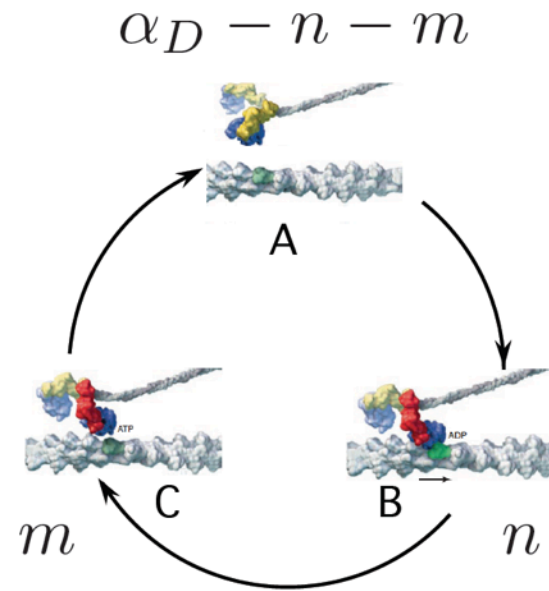


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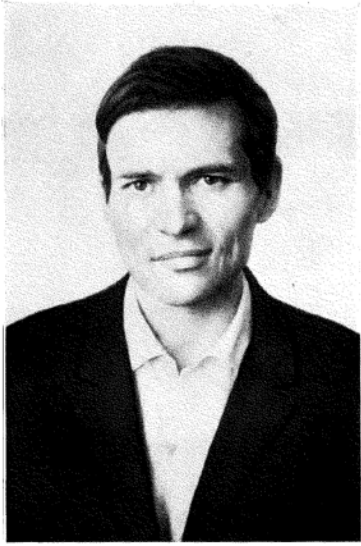
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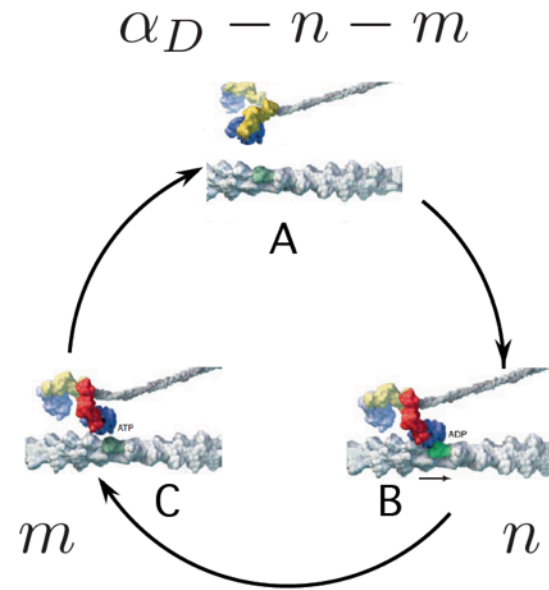
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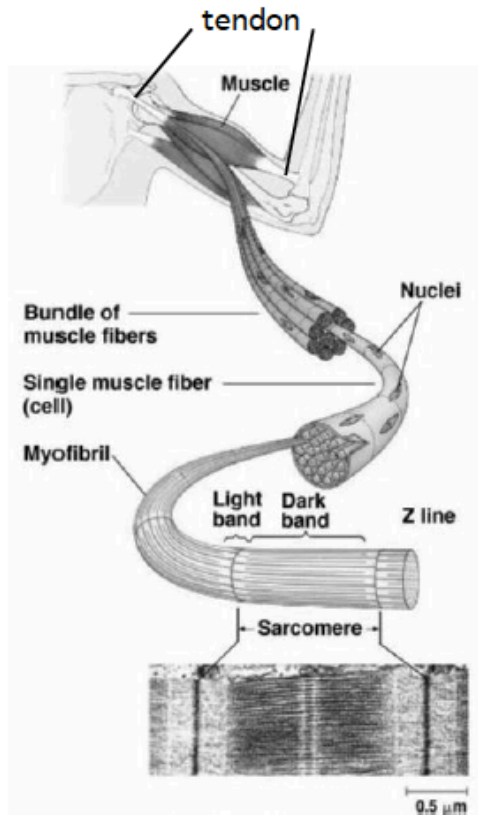
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$$\bar{\tau}_1 \bar{\tau}_2 \ddot{\bar{n}} + \left( \bar{\tau}_1 + \bar{\tau}_2 - \bar{\tau}_1 G \dot{\bar{\psi}} \right) \dot{\bar{n}} + \left[ 1 - \left( 1 + \bar{\tau}_1 / \bar{\tau}_2 \right) G \dot{\bar{\psi}} - \bar{\tau}_1 G \ddot{\bar{\psi}} \right] \bar{n} = 1$$

## du sarcomere au muscle

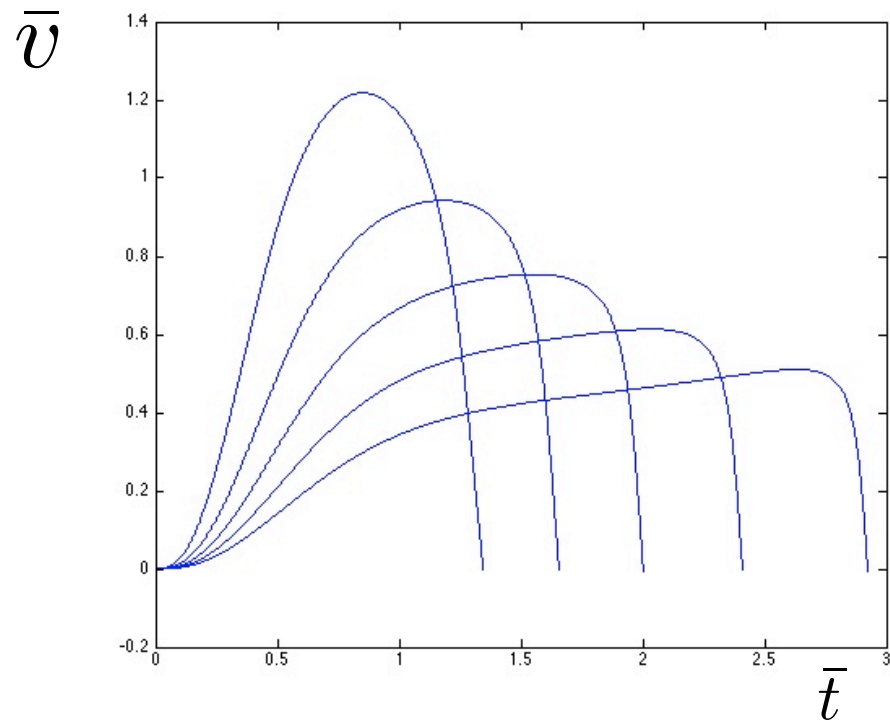
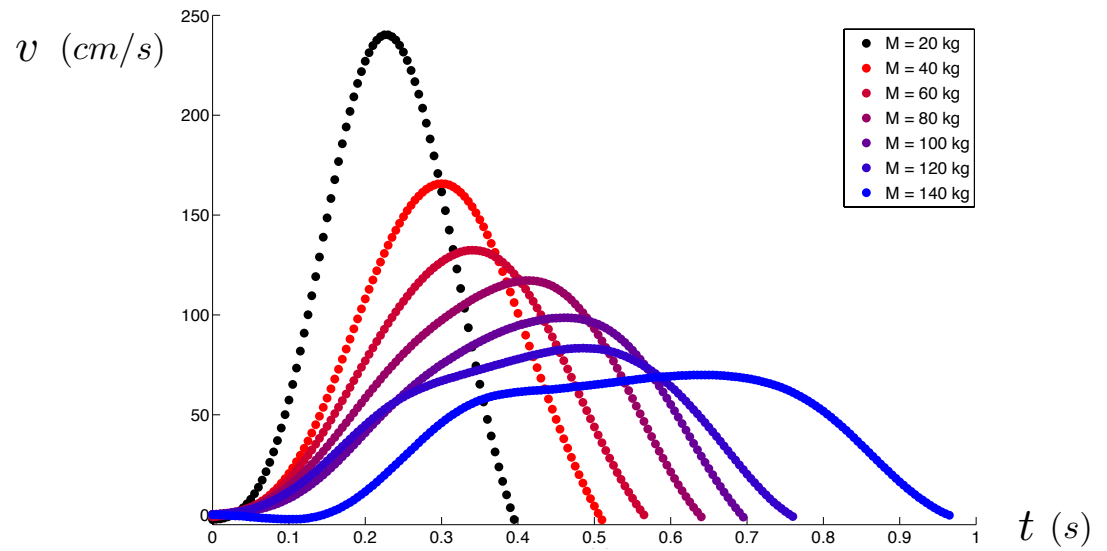


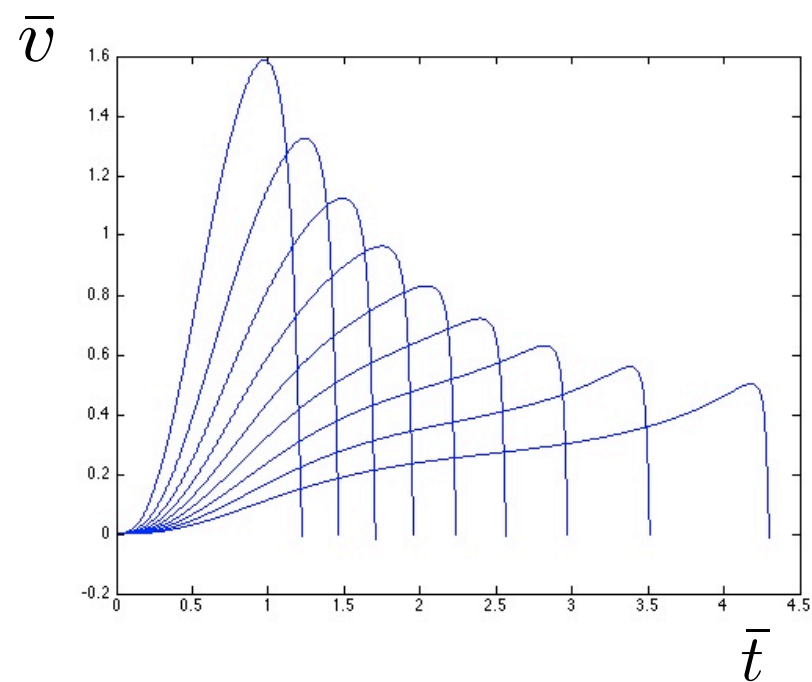
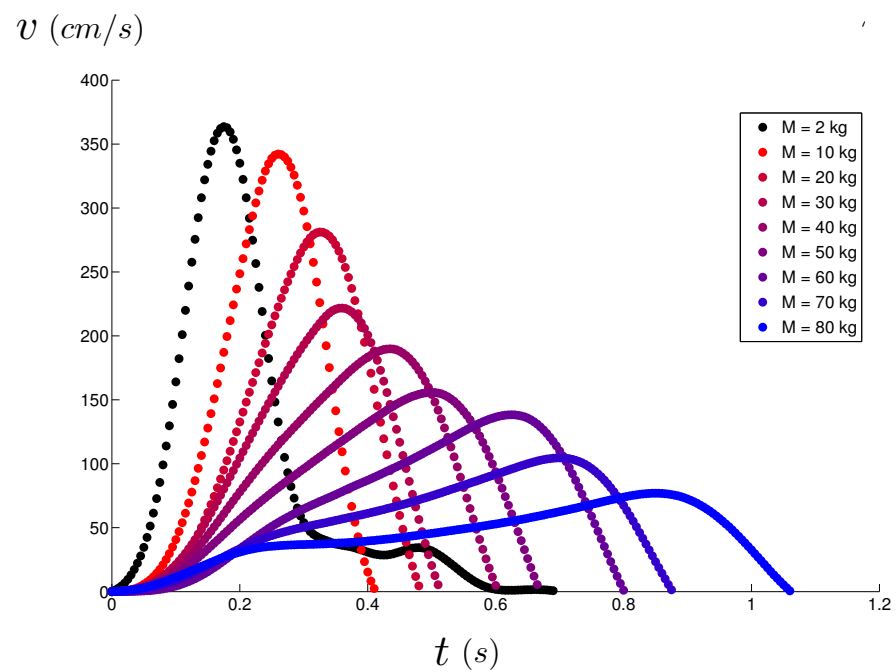
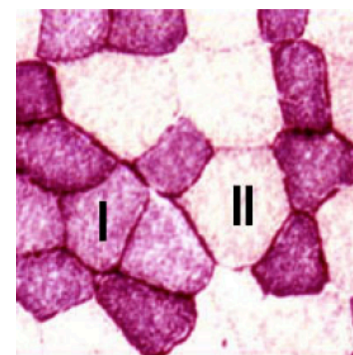
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$$F = F_s \cdot N_p$$

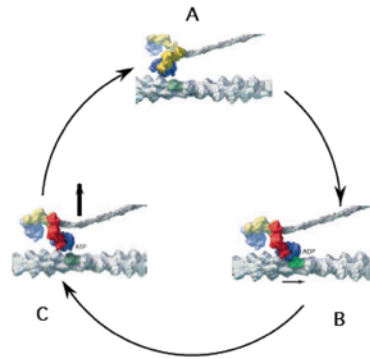


*Greg*  $M_0 = 114 \text{ kg}$   
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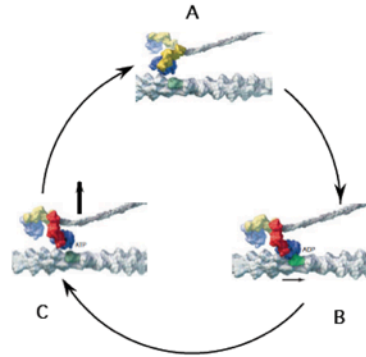


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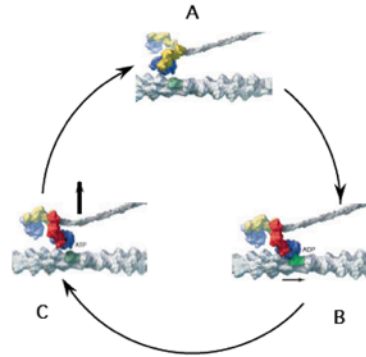


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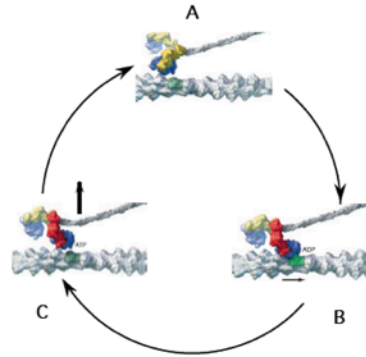
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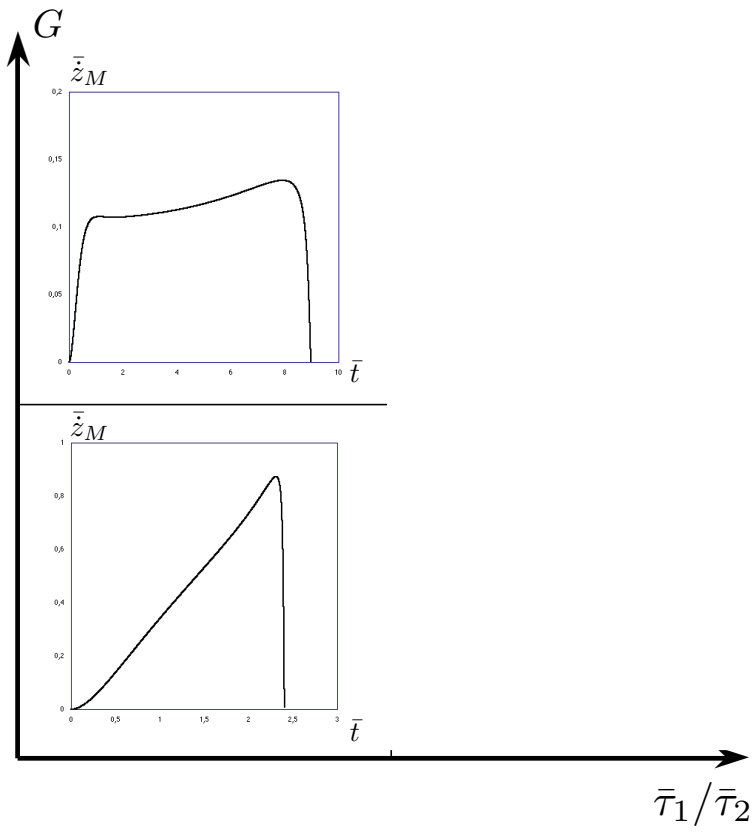
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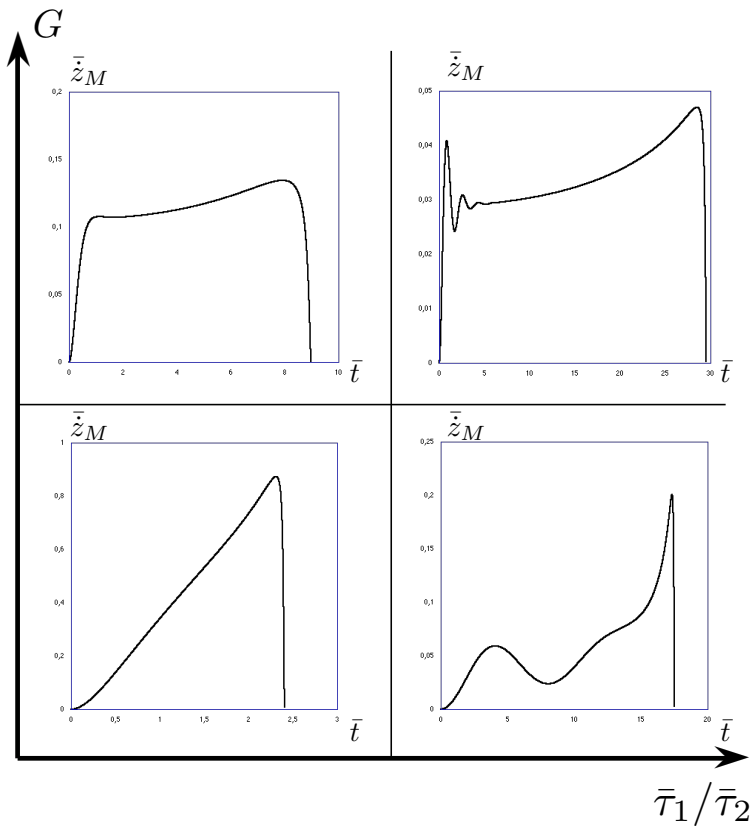
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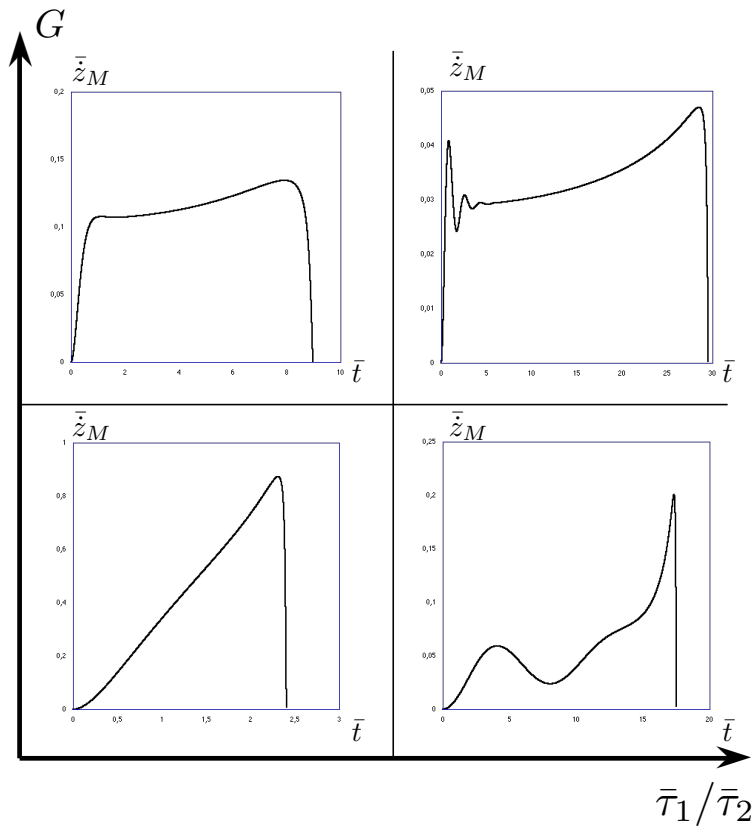
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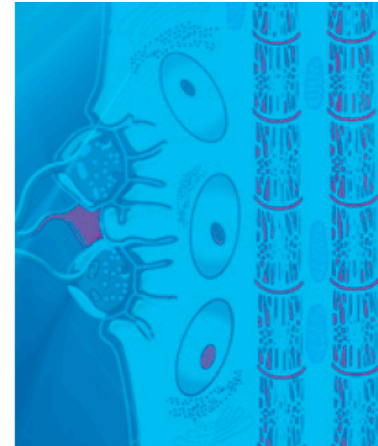
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# maladies neuromusculaires



# Loïc AUVRAY



Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)

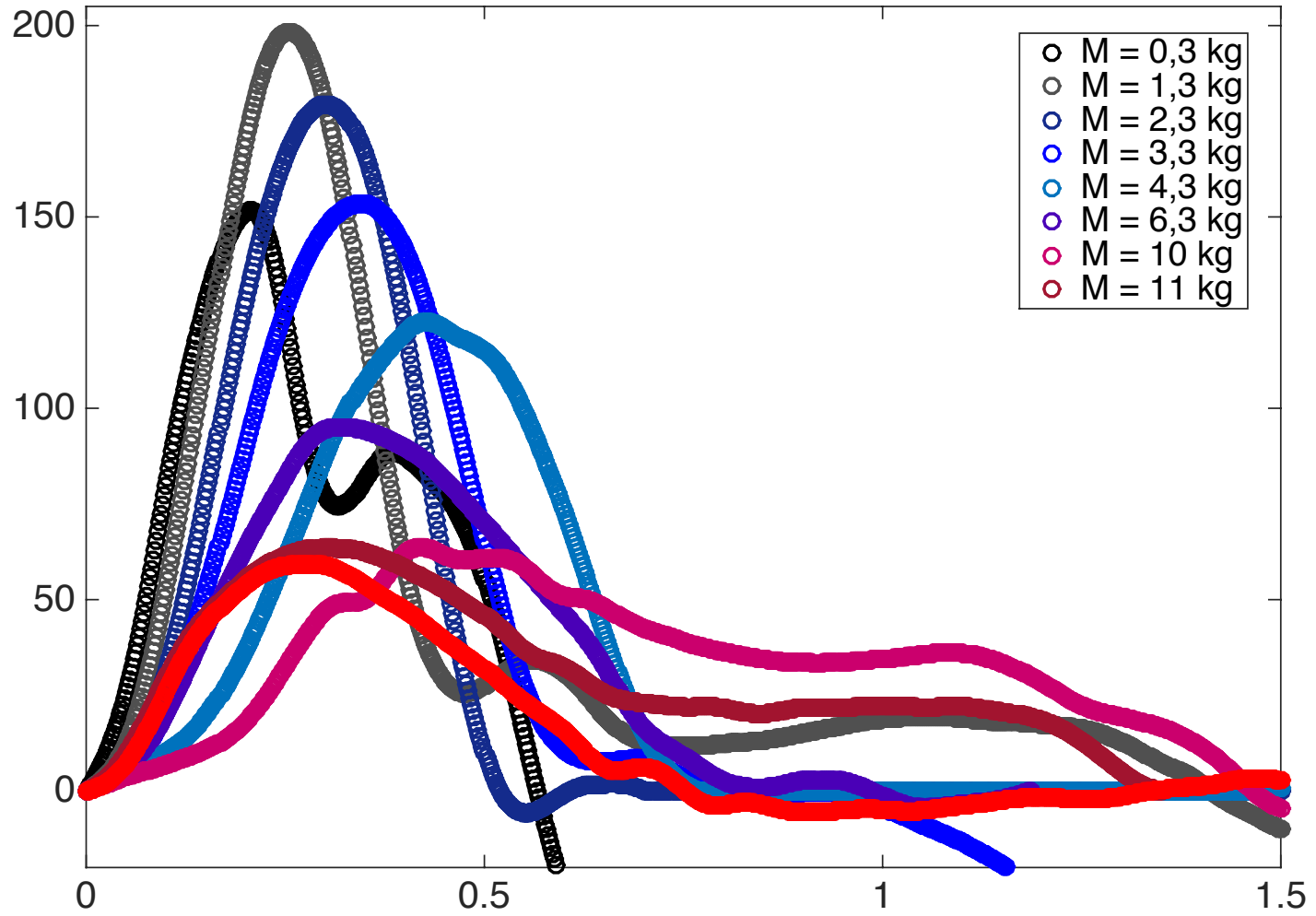
# Loïc AUVRAY



Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), sometimes called Lou Gehrig's disease, is a rapidly progressive, invariably fatal neurological disease that attacks the nerve cells (*neurons*) responsible for controlling voluntary muscles (muscle action we are able to control, such as those in the arms, legs, and face). The disease belongs to a group of disorders known as *motor neuron diseases*, which are characterized by the gradual degeneration and death of motor neurons.

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)





L'ambition de cette partie est de mettre au point un rhéomètre musculaire reposant sur un modèle physique du muscle. Les innovations envisagées sont multiples, soit pour l'amélioration des performances et des techniques d'entraînement, soit pour l'identification précoce de pathologies.

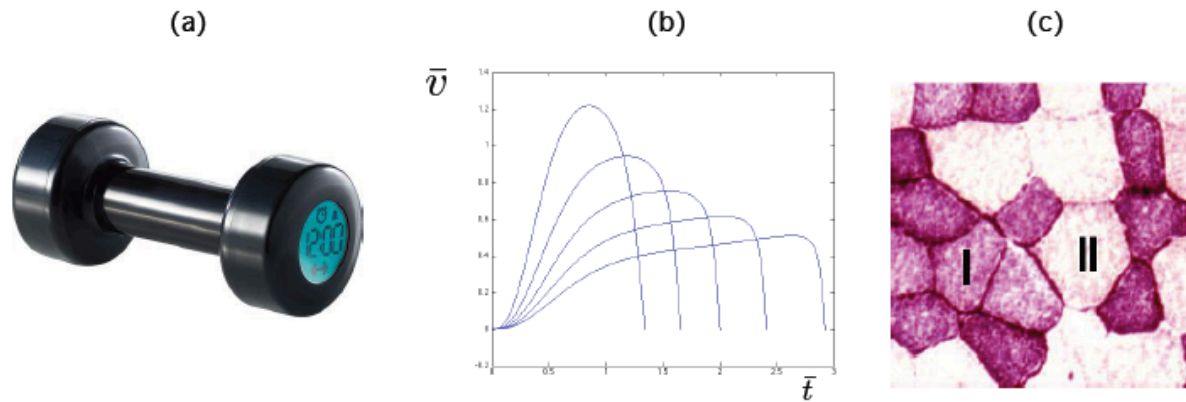
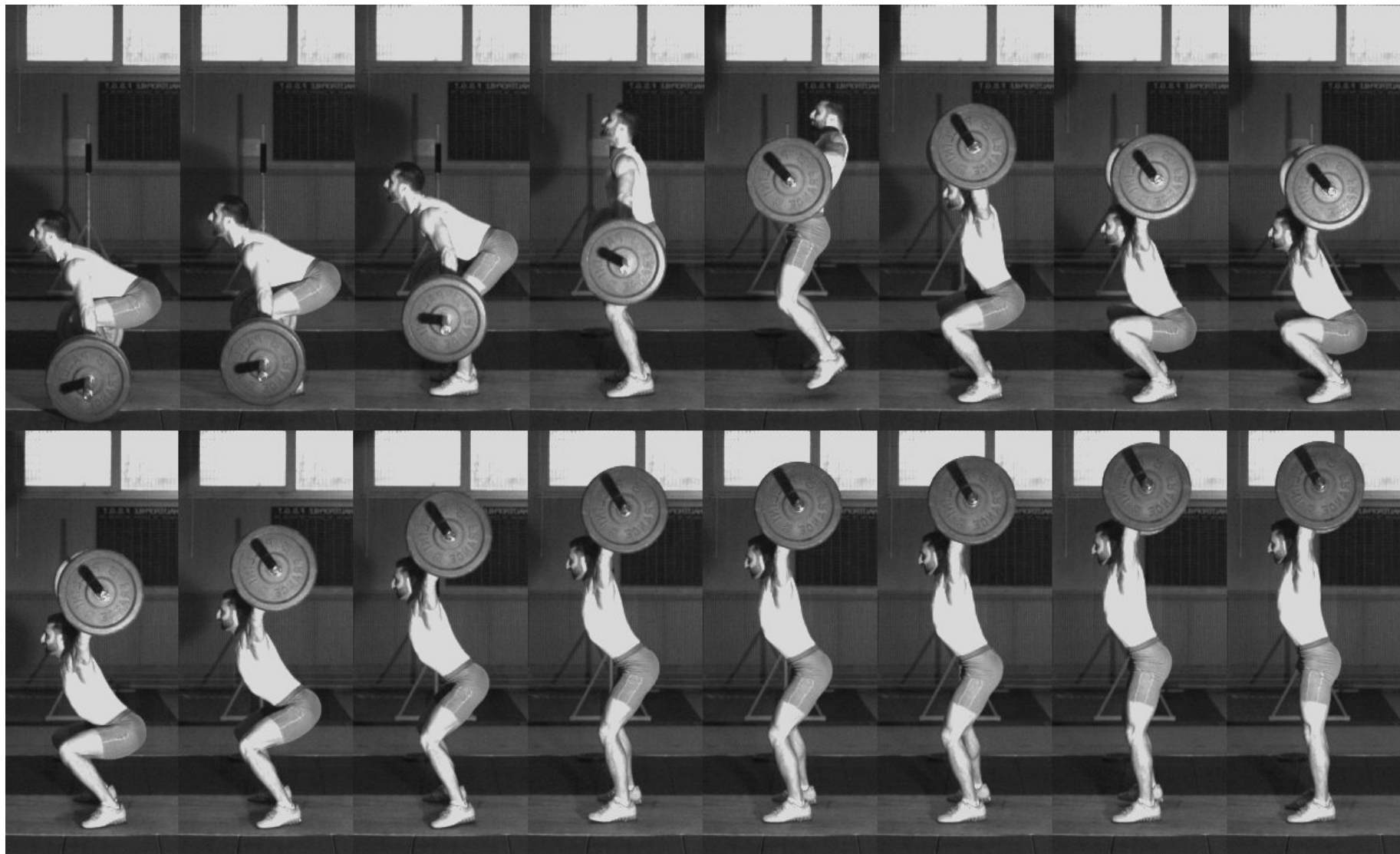


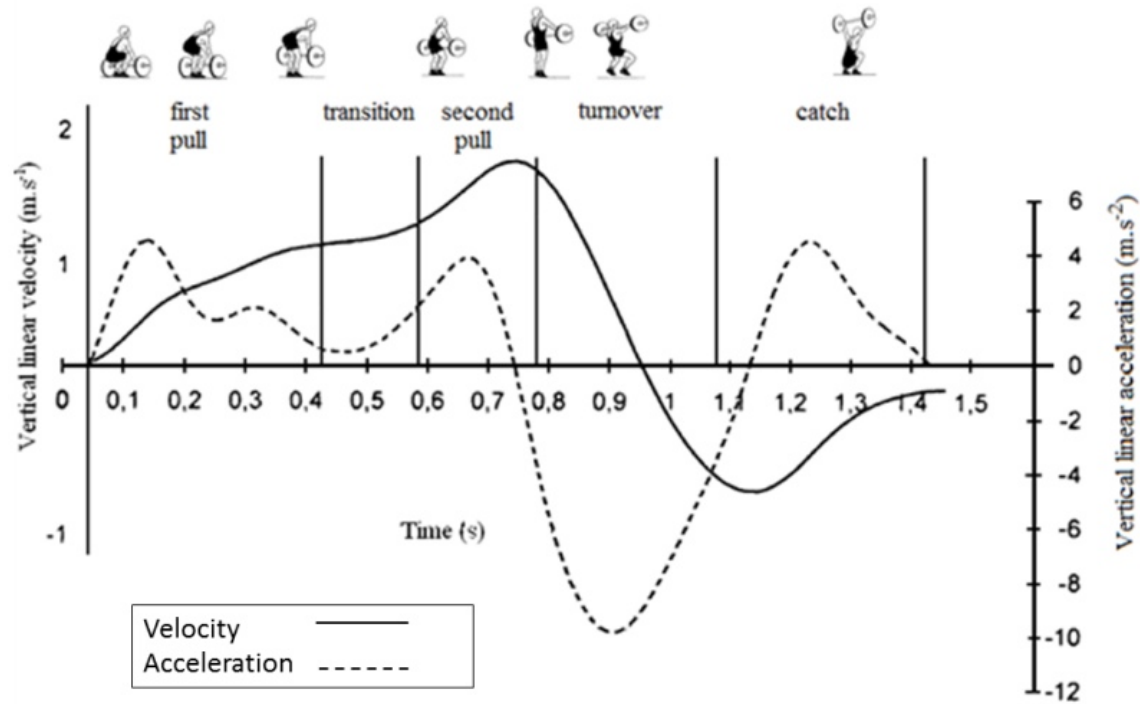
FIGURE 4.2 – (a) Haltère connectée (b) Analyse des lois de levée (c) diagnostic.







Snatch  $M = 75 \text{ kg}$   $dt = 0.4 \text{ s}$



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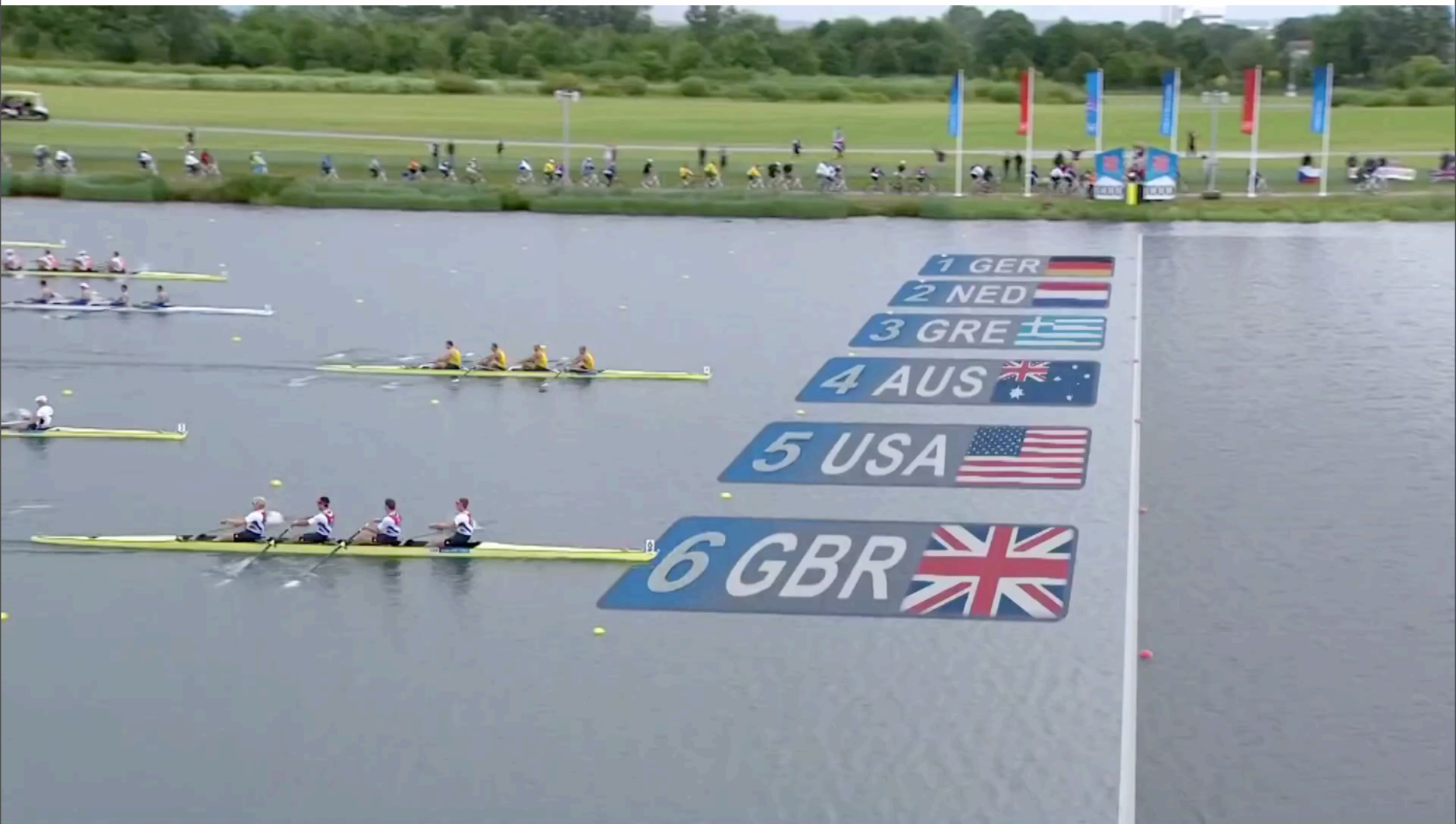
# The Physics of Rowing

A matter of synchronization ?



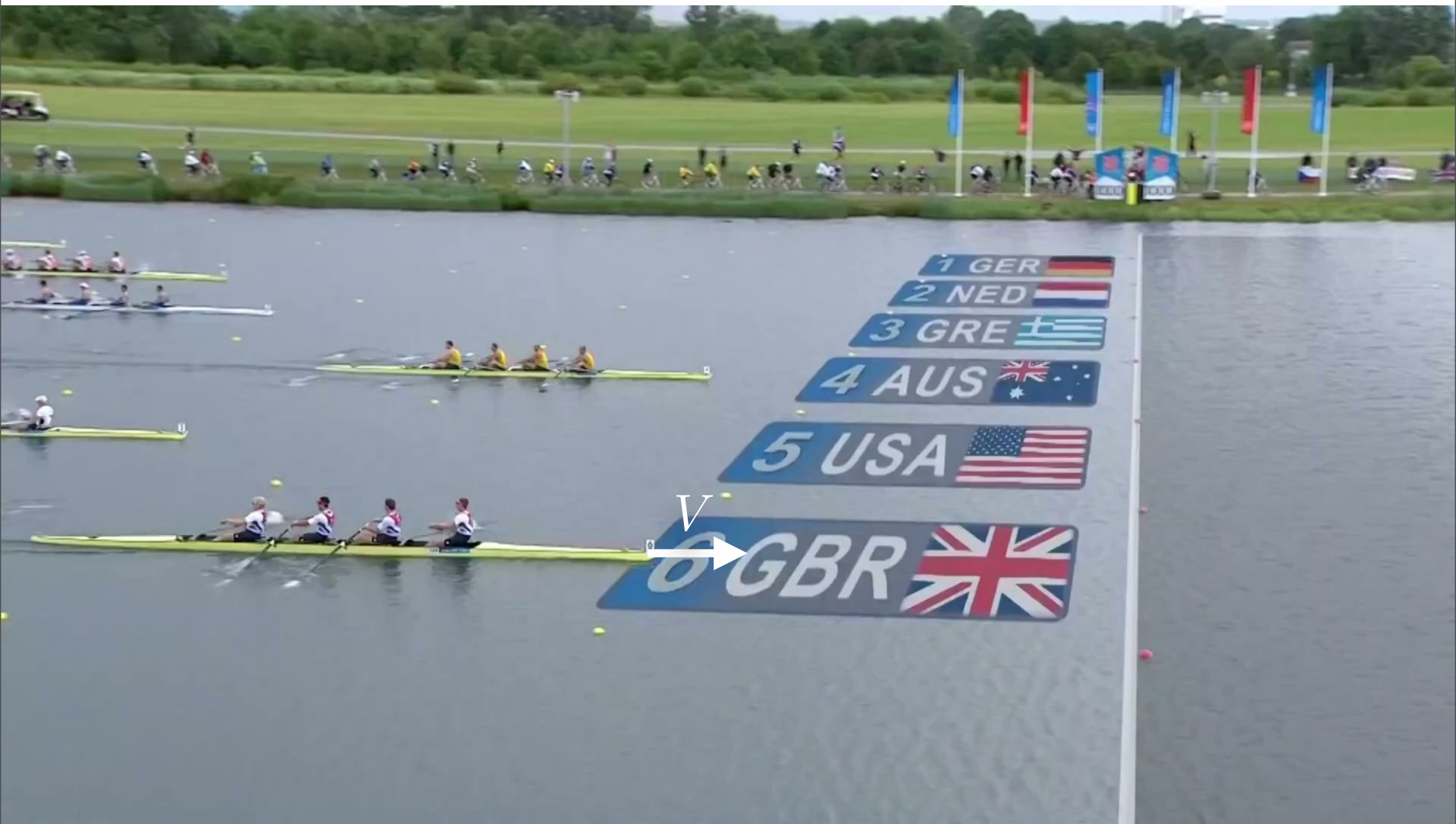
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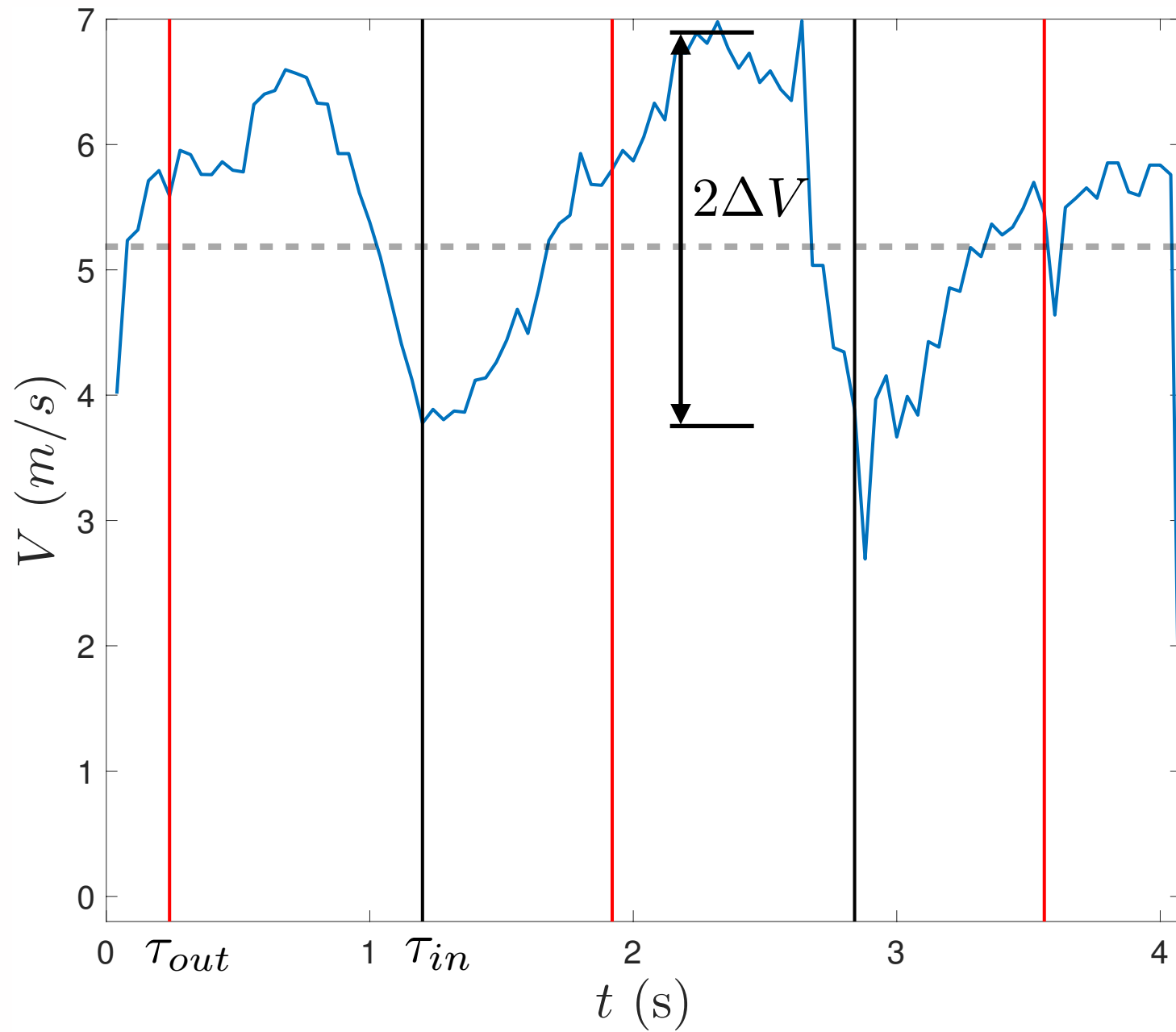


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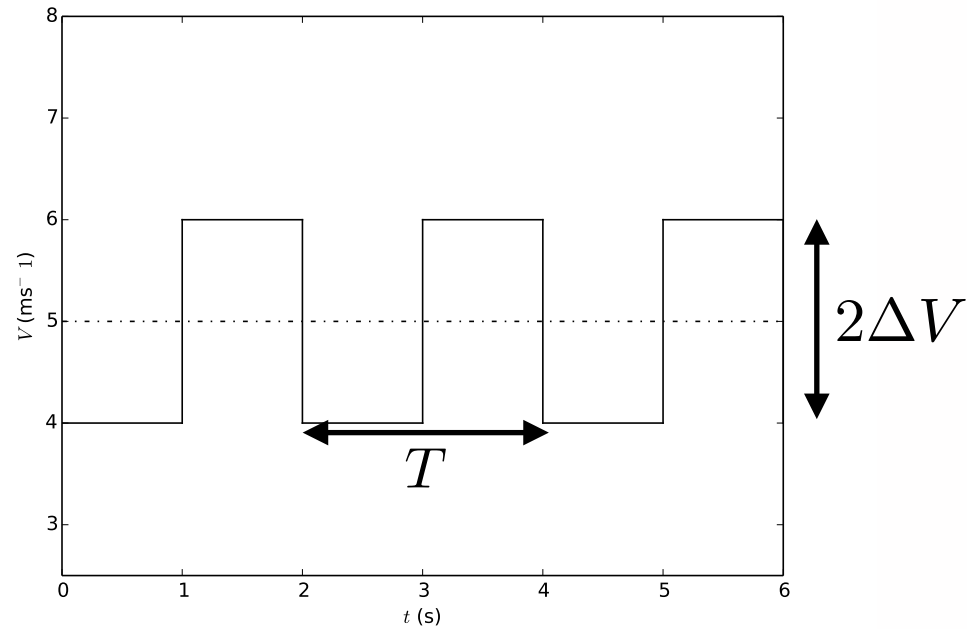
$$\frac{\Delta V}{V} \sim 0.3$$

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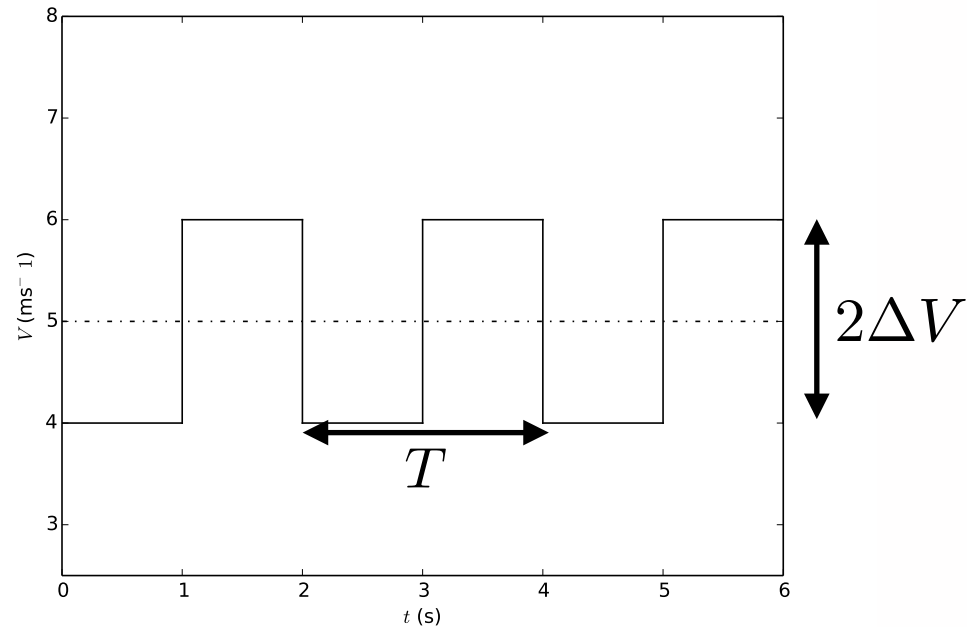
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Mean power dissipated during one cycle :

$$\overline{\mathcal{P}} \sim \overline{F_{drag} V} \sim \frac{1}{2} \rho S \overline{V}^3 \left( 1 + 3 \left( \frac{\Delta V}{\overline{V}} \right)^2 \right)$$

# How do shrimps swim ?

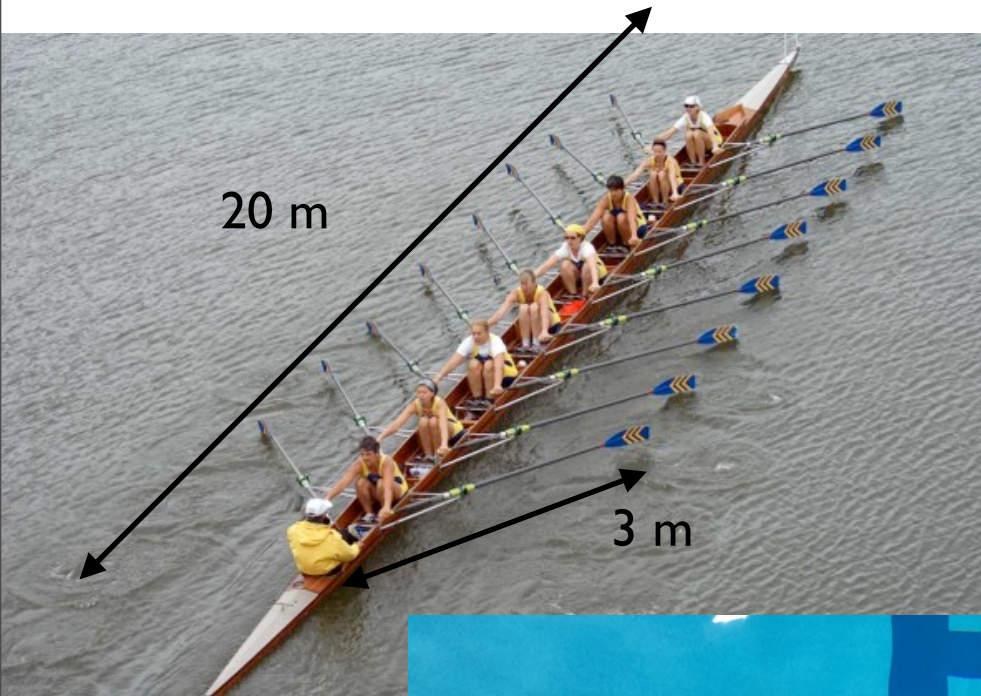
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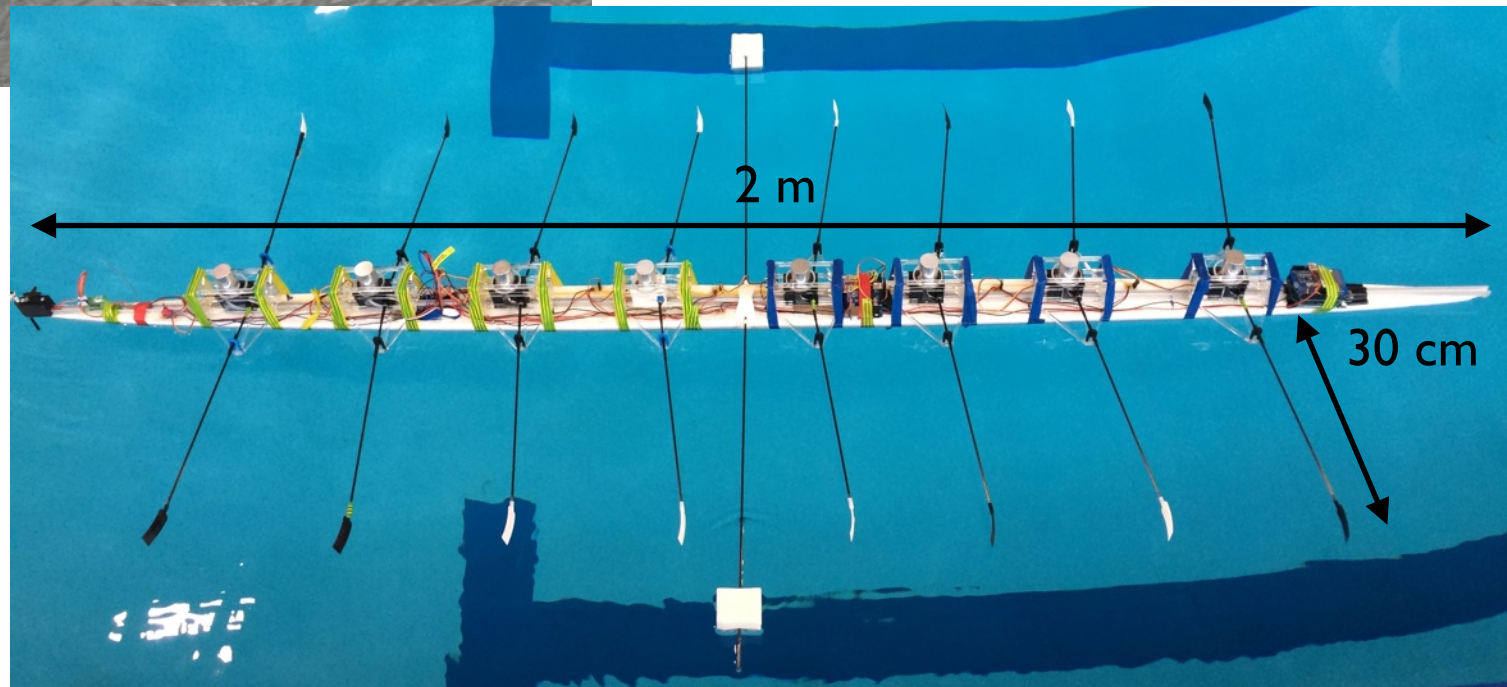


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# Design of a remote rowing boat with 8 rowers

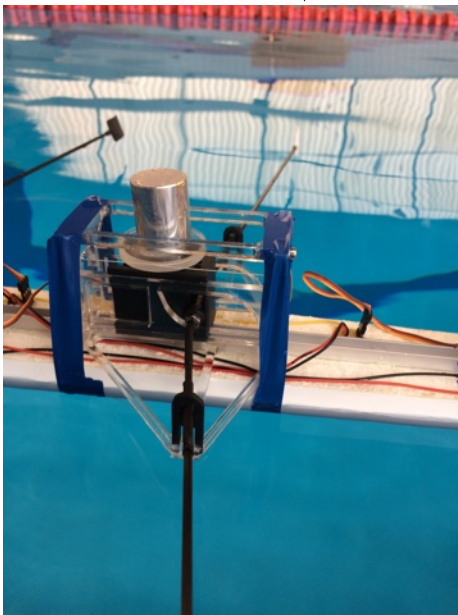
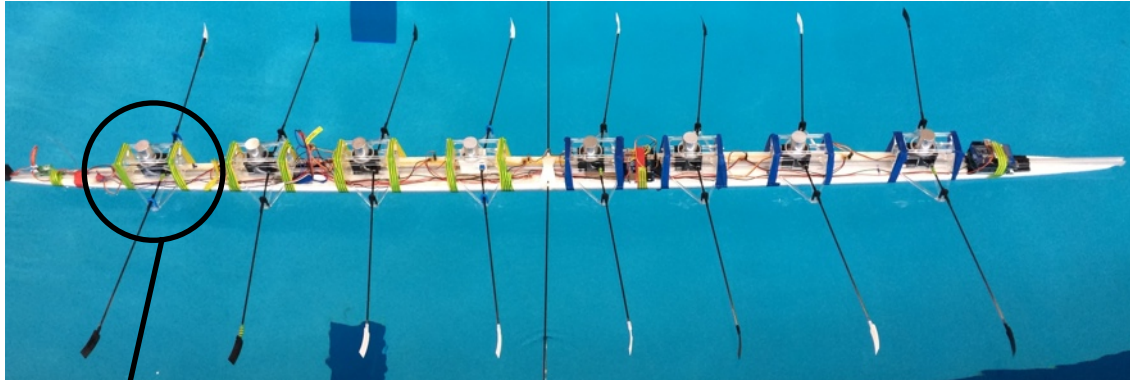


1/10 scale





# Same mass ratio between the boat and the rower



Real Life

$$M_{boat} = 150\text{kg}$$

$$\frac{M_{boat}}{M_{rower}} \sim 1.5$$

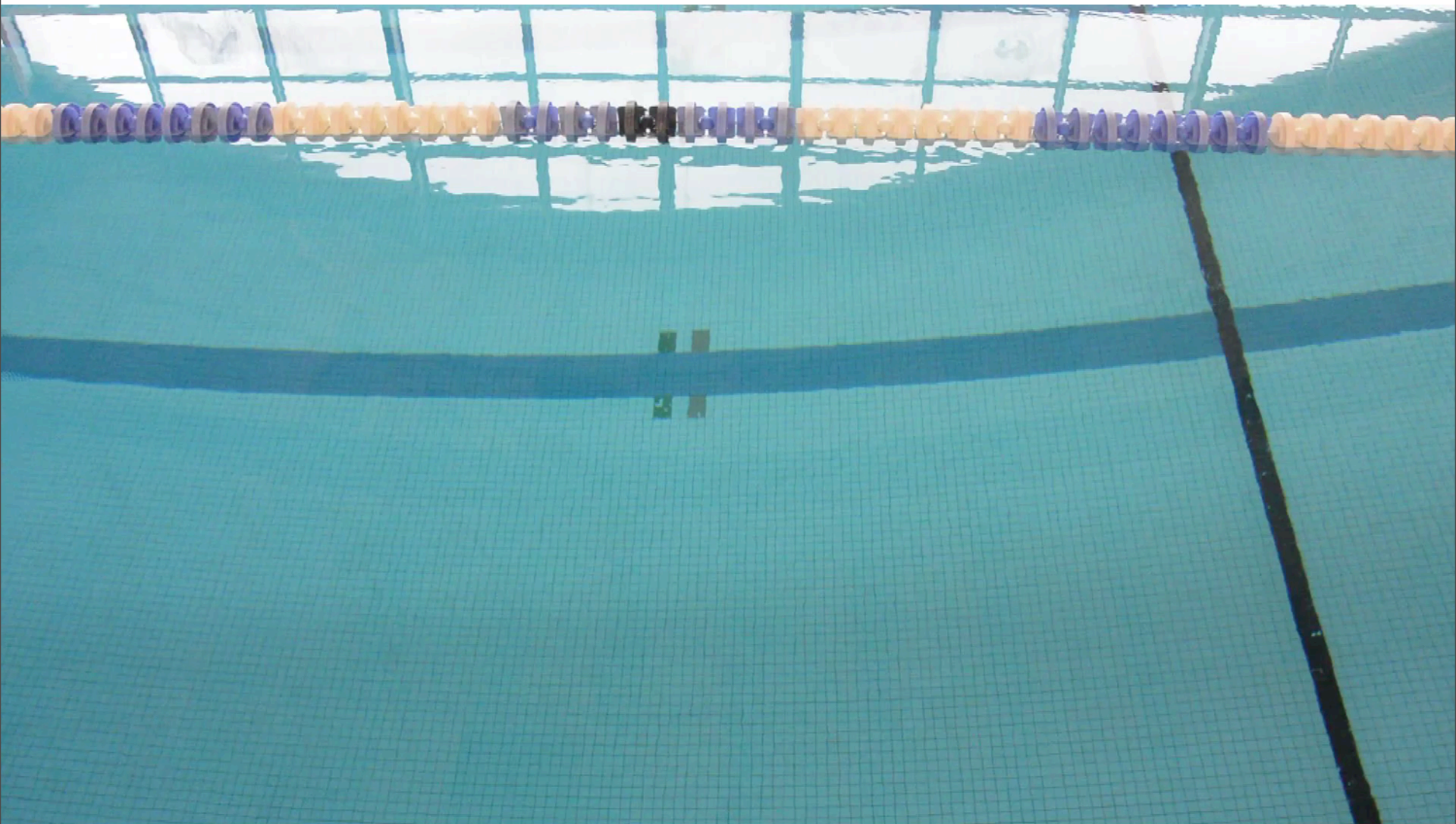
Lab Life

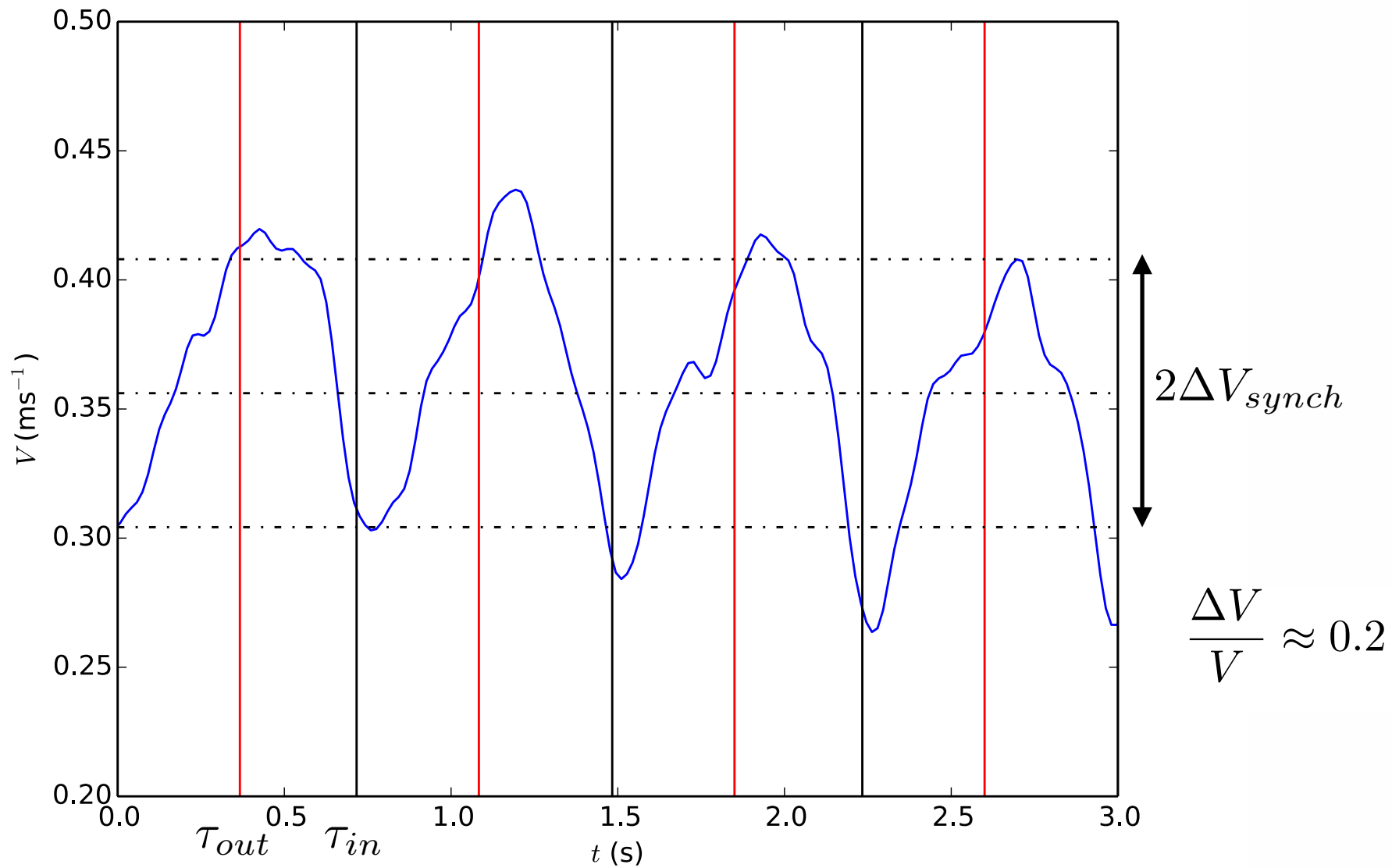
$$M_{boat} = 350\text{ g}$$

$$\frac{M_{boat}}{M_{rower}} \sim 1.4$$

Synchronous state :  $\phi = 0$

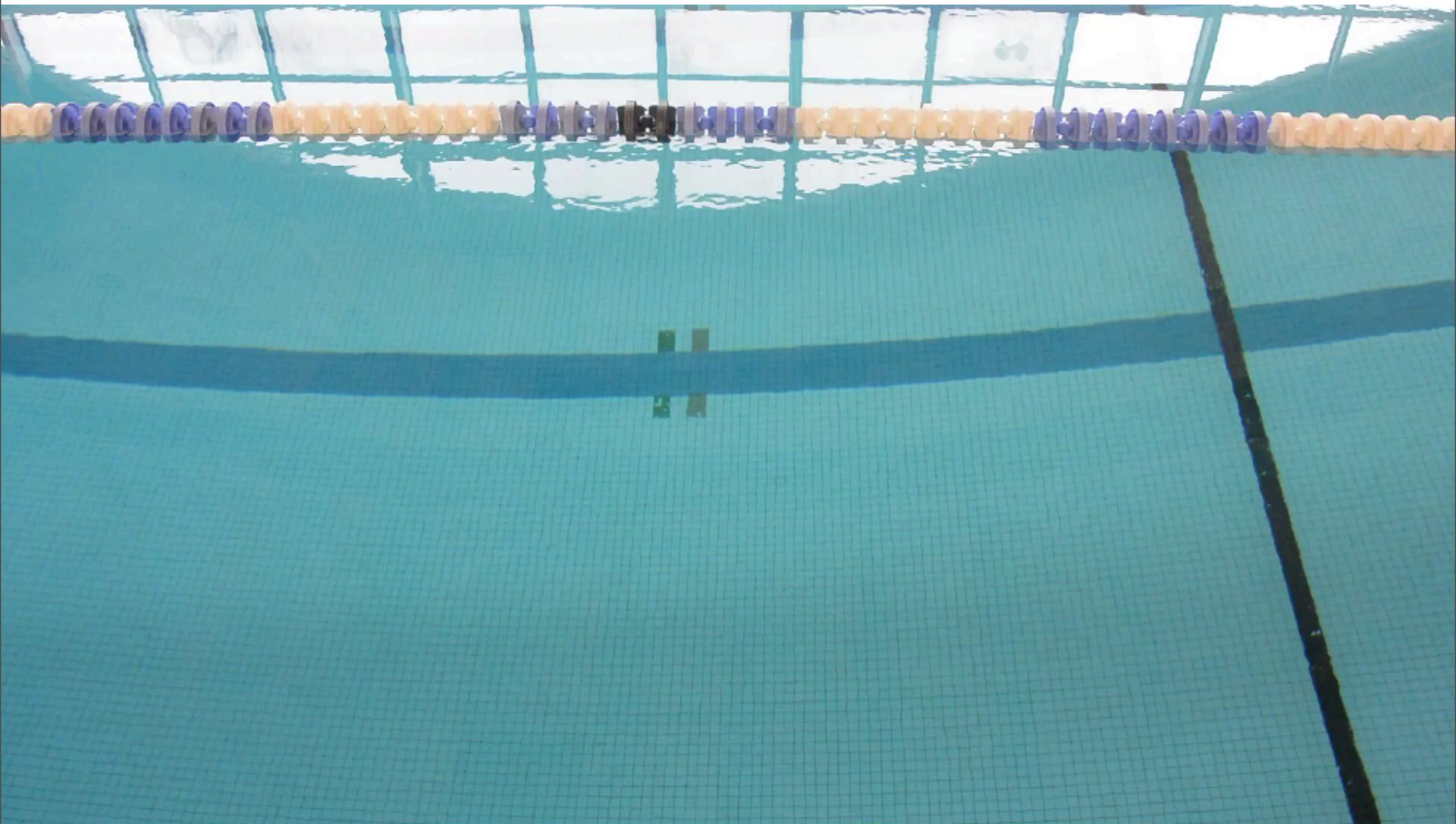
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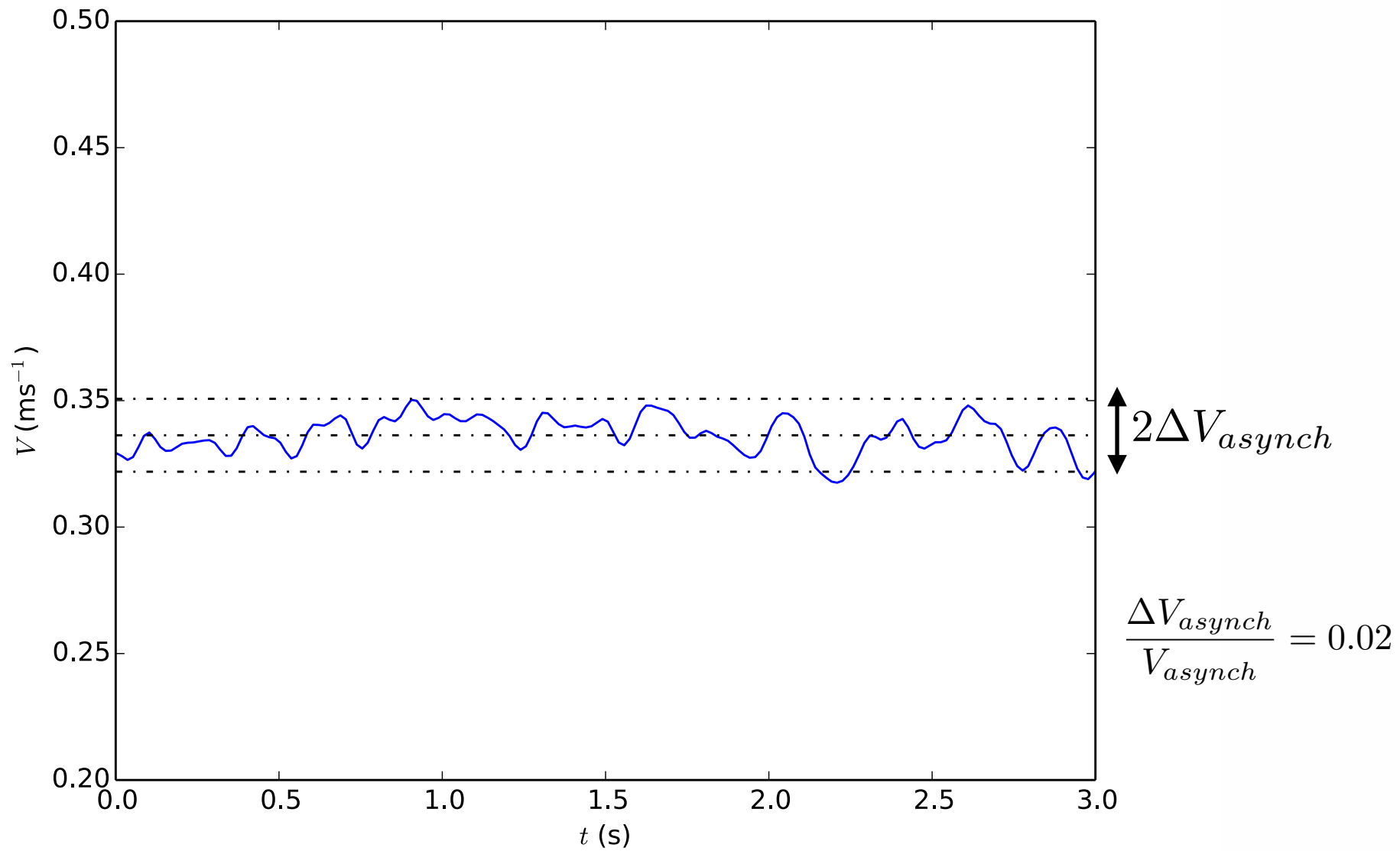


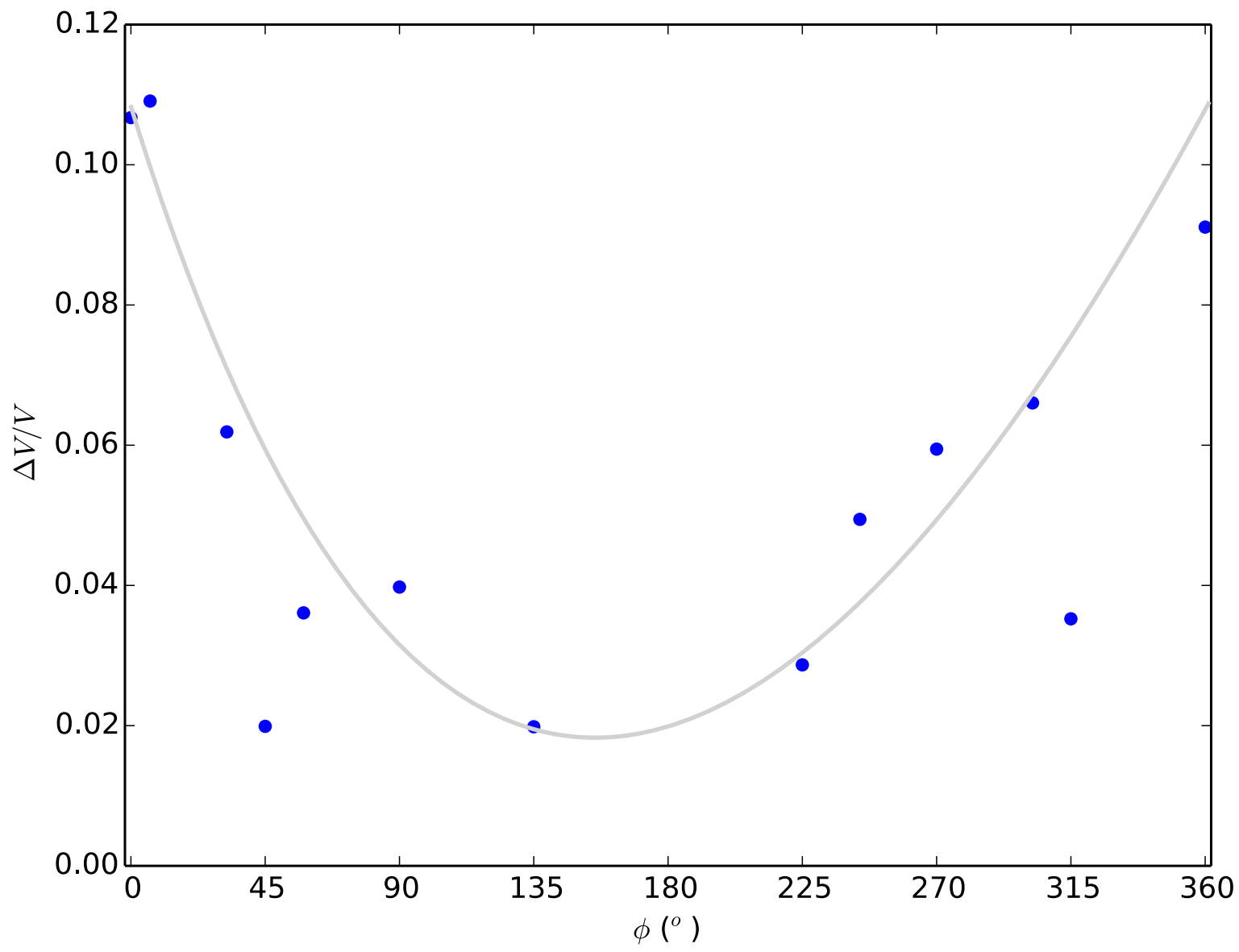


Asynchronous state :  $\phi = 45^\circ$

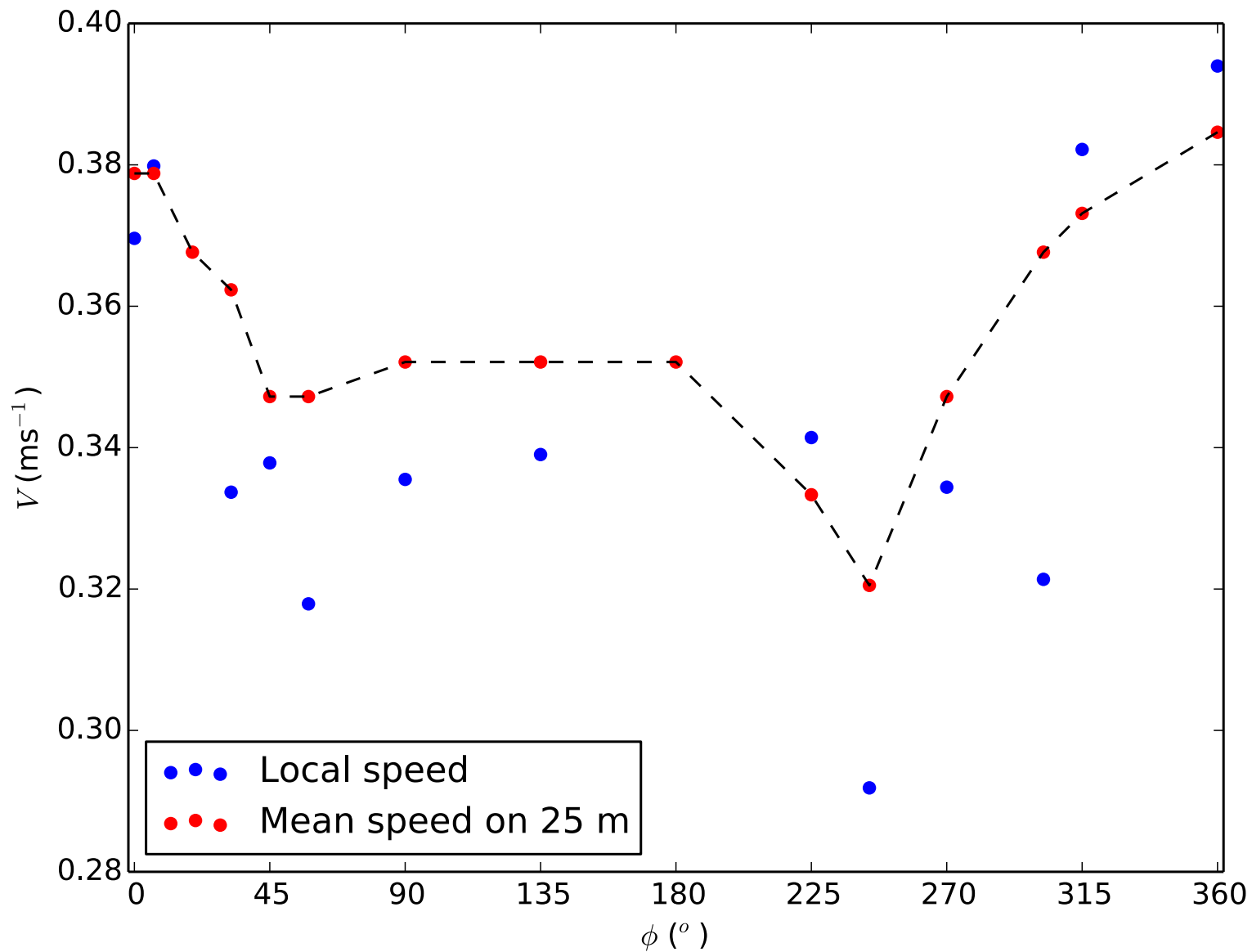
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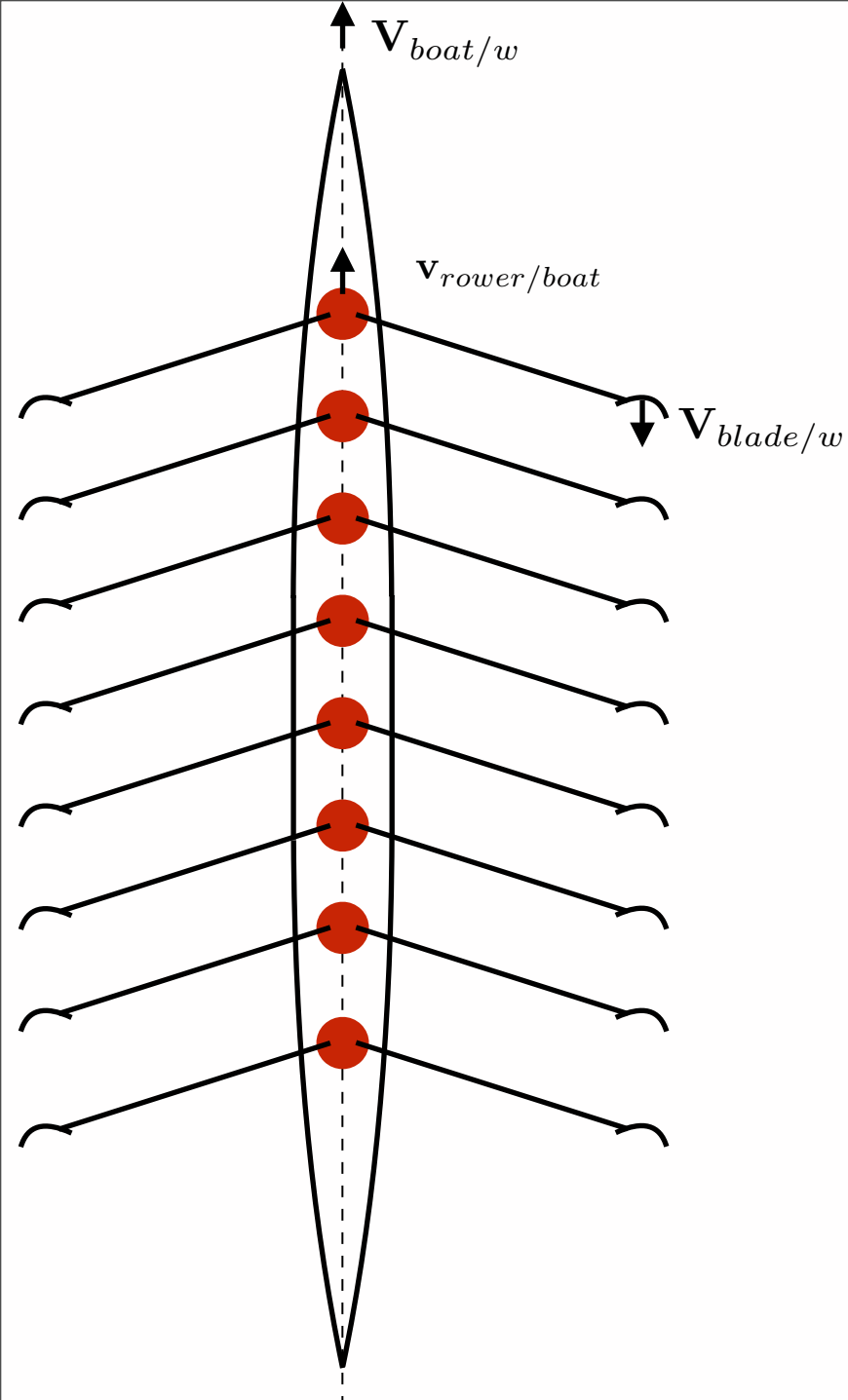






# Propulsive force

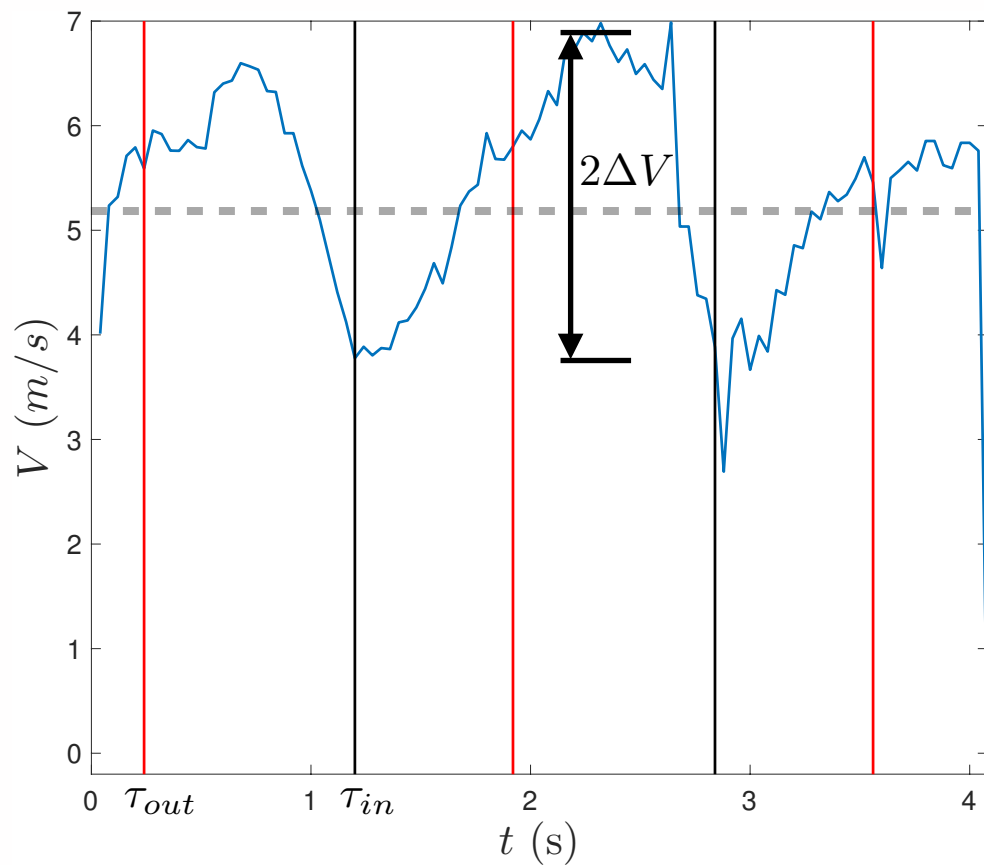
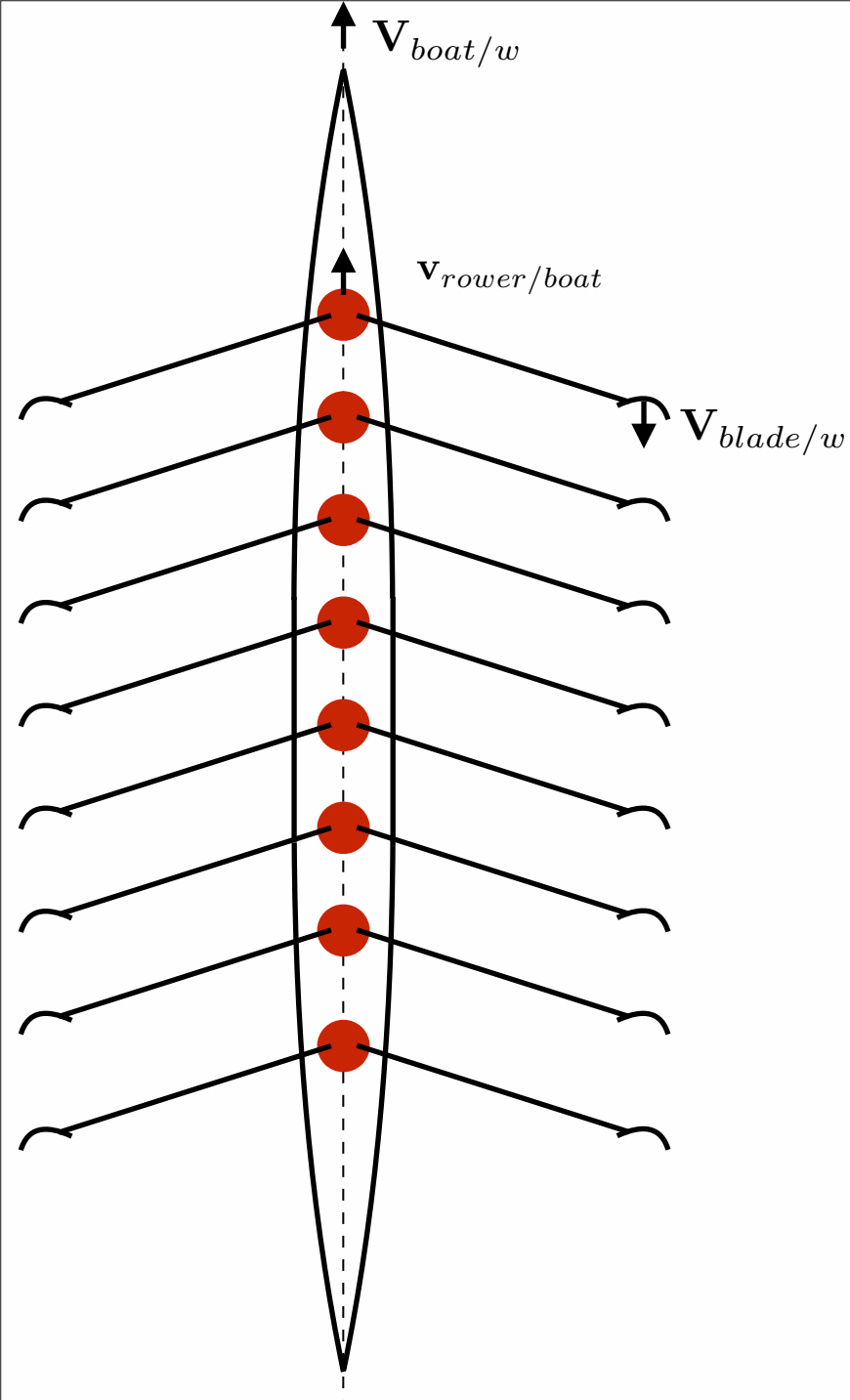
$$\overline{F_{prop}} \sim \rho S_{blade} \overline{V_{blade/w}^2}$$

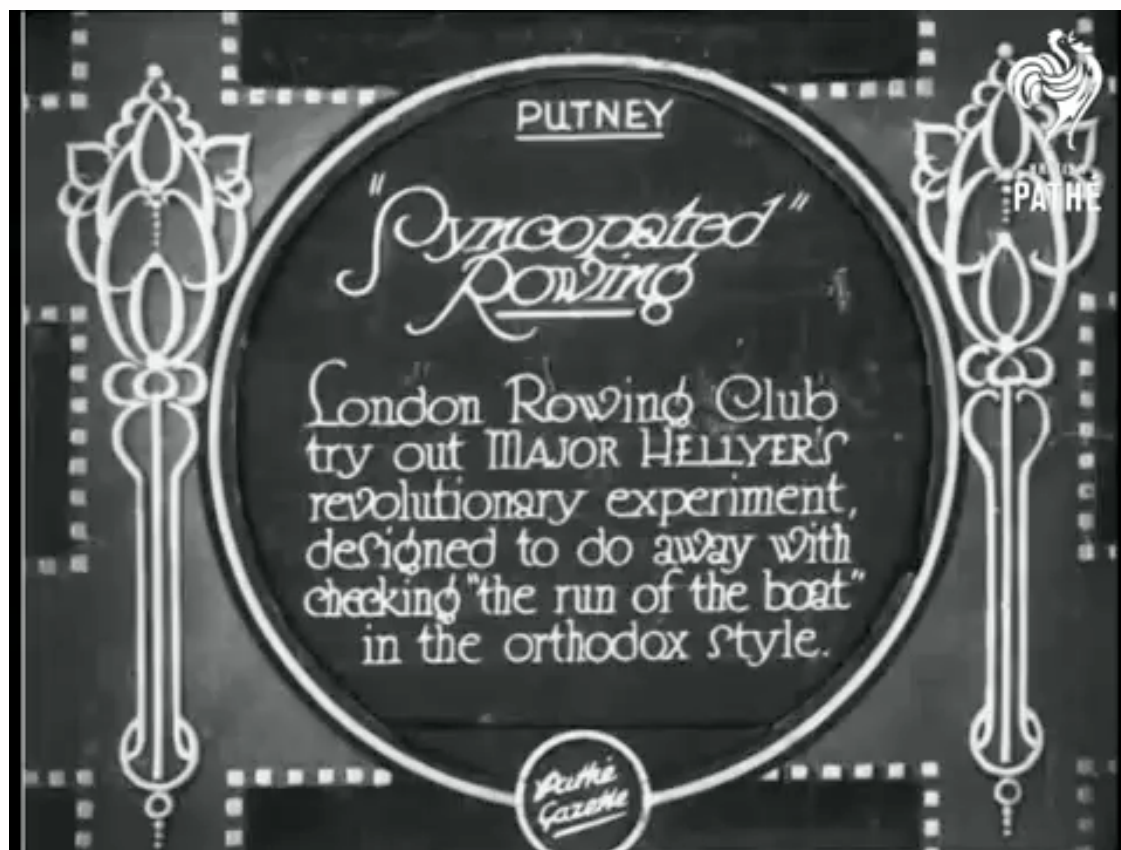


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$$\overline{F_{prop}} \sim \rho S_{blade} \overline{V_{blade/w}^2}$$

$$V_{blade/w} = V_{boat/w} - \beta v_{rower/boat}$$





# Sports Physics

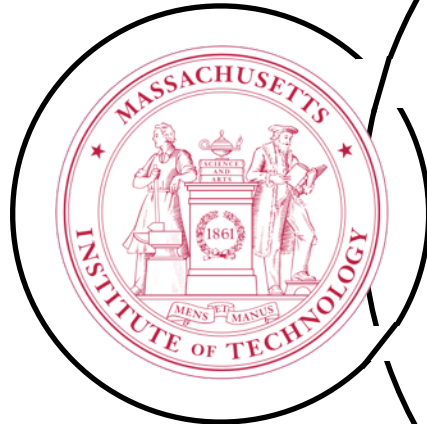


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