

**They are not third parties:  
solutes and polymers in fluid-structure  
interaction**

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**Cardiac differentiation**

**Dendritic spine motility**

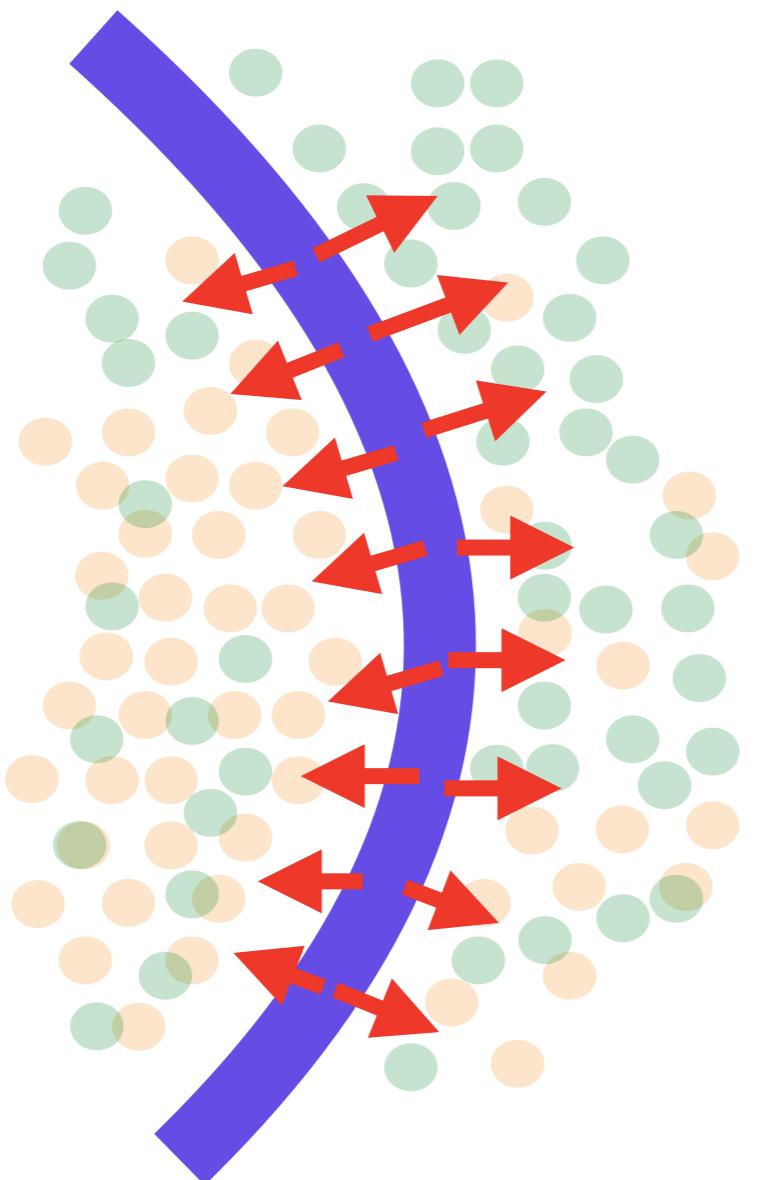
## **The Immersed Boundary Method**

- i) Advection-electrodiffusion
- ii) Two-phase viscoelastic fluids and gels

**Renal peristaltic concentration**

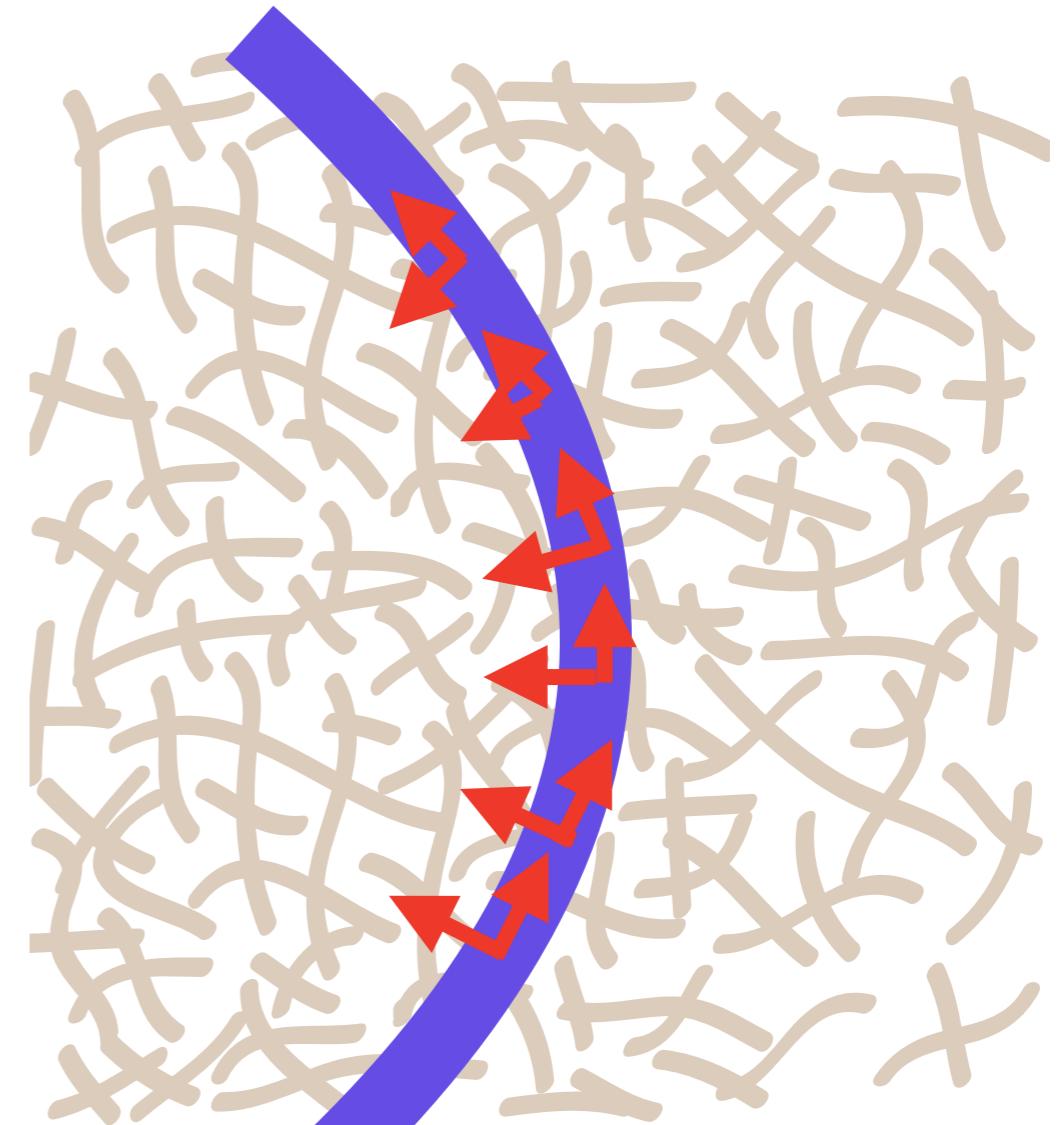
**Non-Newtonian swimming**

# Fluid-structure interaction with solutes/polymers



$$-\frac{\delta E}{\delta \mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{F}_{\text{ms}} + \mathbf{F}_{\text{mf}}$$

Chemical potential barrier



$$-\frac{\delta E}{\delta \mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{F}_{\text{mp}} + \mathbf{F}_{\text{mf}}$$

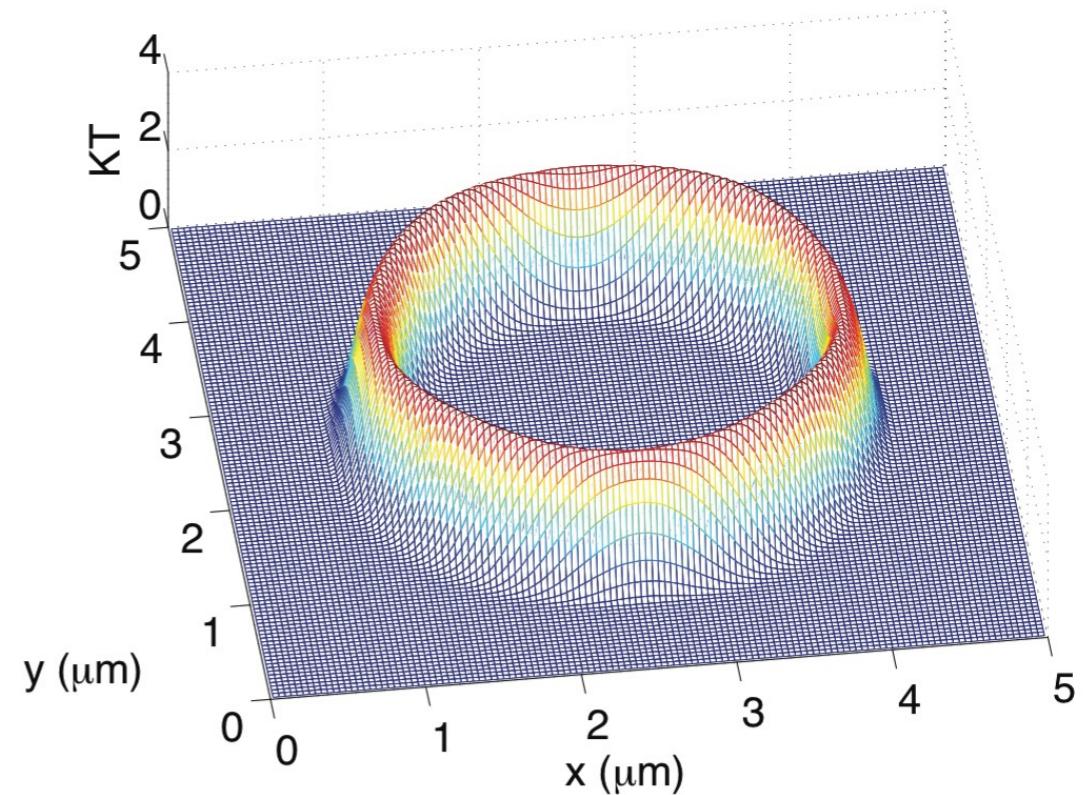
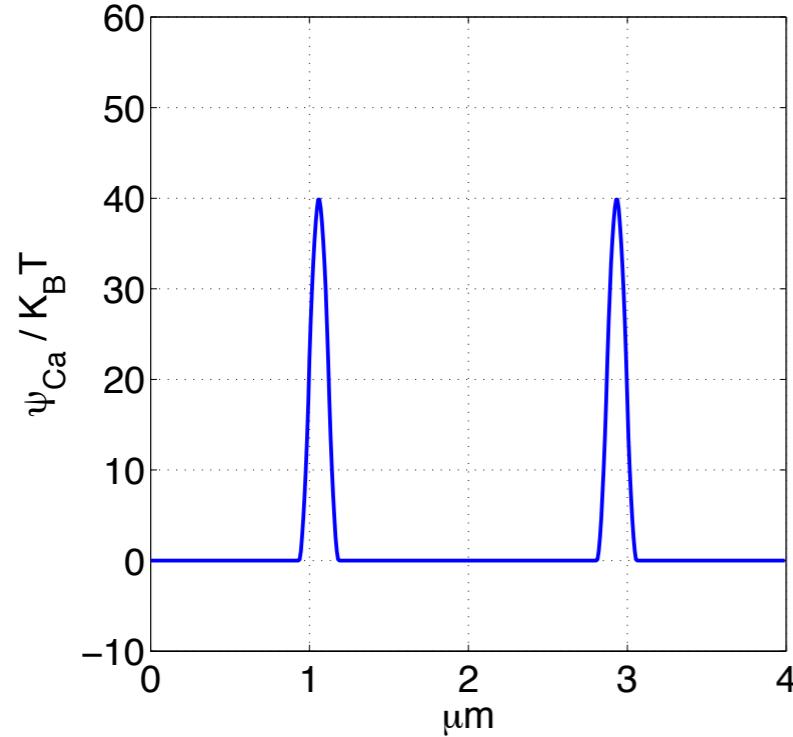
Resistive drag

# IB method for advection-electrodiffusion

## Chemical potential barrier

$$\psi_i(\mathbf{x}, t) = \int_{\Omega_L} \Psi(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{X}(s, t)) A_i(s, t) ds$$

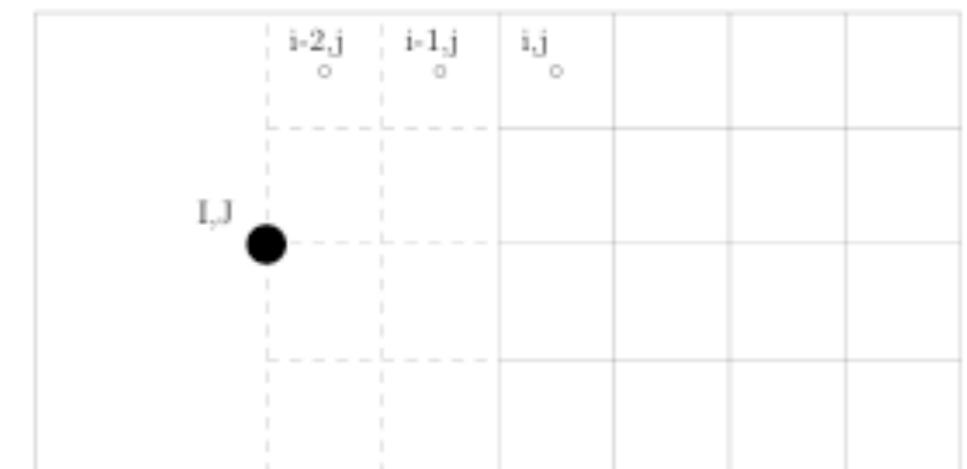
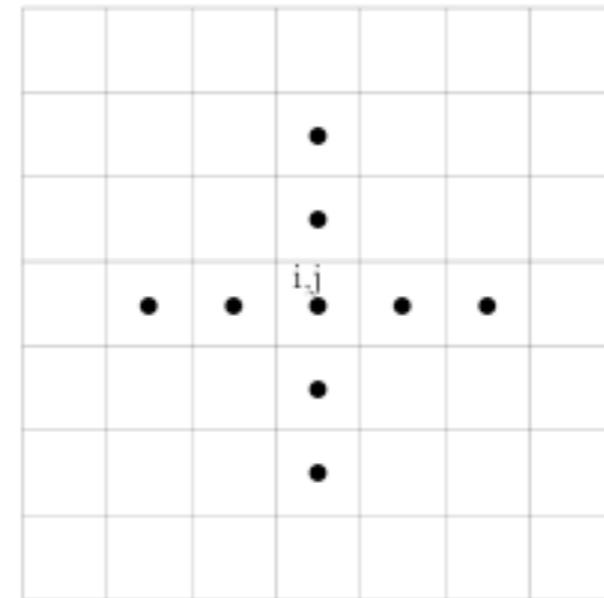
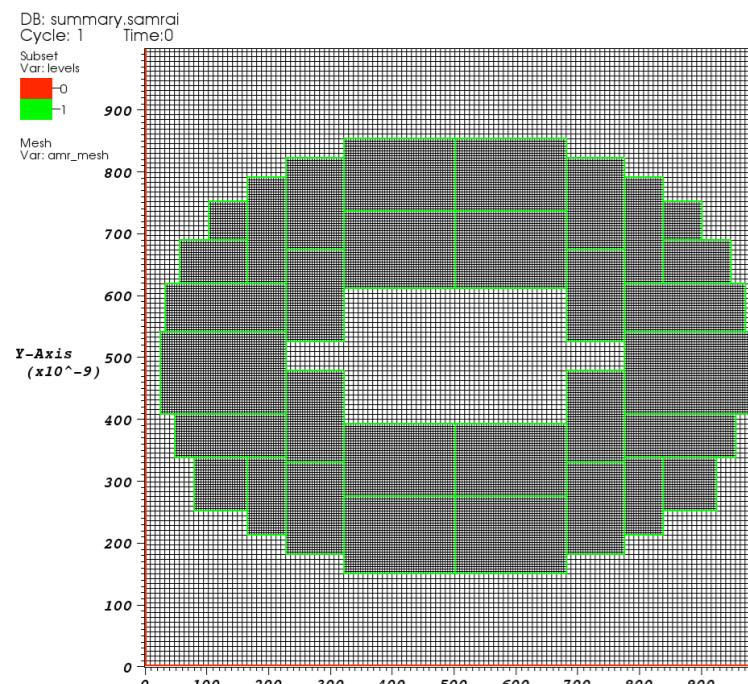
$$\mathbf{F}_{ms}(s, t) = \int_{\Omega_E} \sum_k (-\nabla \Psi(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{X}(s, t)) A_k(s, t) c_k(\mathbf{x}, t) d\mathbf{x}$$



# IB method for advection-electrodiffusion

## Fast composite multigrid

- PETSc
- SAMRAI - multilevel adaptive mesh refinement
- Hypre - algebraic multigrid



# IB method for advection-electrodiffusion

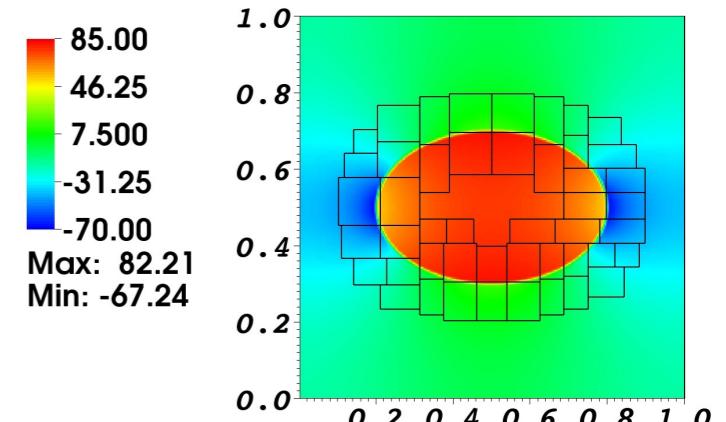
The Stokes equations with permeable membrane

$$\rho \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{u}} - \mathbf{u}^n}{\Delta t} + \mathbf{D}_h p^{n-\frac{1}{2}} = \mu L_h \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{u}} + \mathbf{u}^n}{2} + \mathbf{S}_n \mathbf{F}_{\text{mf}}^{n+1} + \mathbf{f}_b^n$$

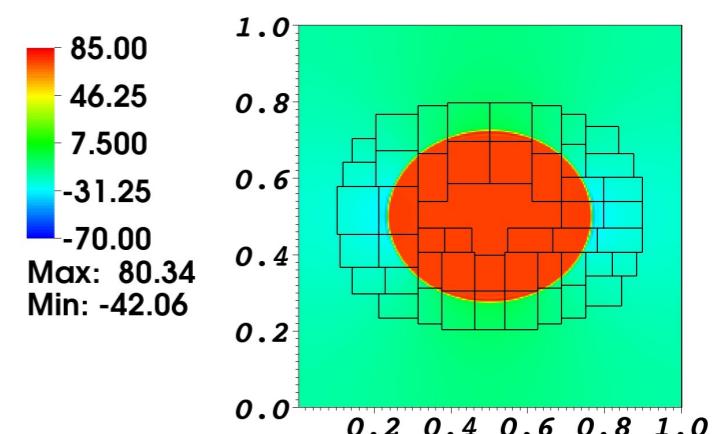
$$\mathbf{u}^{n+1} = P\tilde{\mathbf{u}}$$

$$\zeta \left( \frac{\mathbf{X}^{n+1} - \mathbf{X}^n}{\Delta t} - \frac{\mathbf{U}^{n+1} + \mathbf{U}^n}{2} \right) = (\mathbf{F}_{\text{mf}}^{n+1} \cdot \mathbf{N}_n) \mathbf{N}_n$$

$$p^{n+1/2} = p^{n-1/2} + \left( \frac{\rho}{\Delta t} L^{-1} - \frac{\mu}{2} I \right) \mathbf{D}_h \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{u}}$$



- Fast adaptive composite (FAC) method: preconditioner
- One layer of ghost cells, bottom solver (PFMG)
- Krylov subspace GMRES: main solver
- Cell-centered approximate projection method



# IB method for advection-electrodiffusion

$$\frac{c_i^{n+1} - c_i^n}{\Delta t} + \mathbf{D}_h \cdot \mathbf{J}_i^{n+1} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{J}_i^{n+1} = -D_i(D_h c_i^{n+1}) + [\frac{D_i}{K_B T}(-qz_i D_h \varphi^n - D_h \psi_i^n) + \mathbf{u}^n] c_i^{n+1}$$

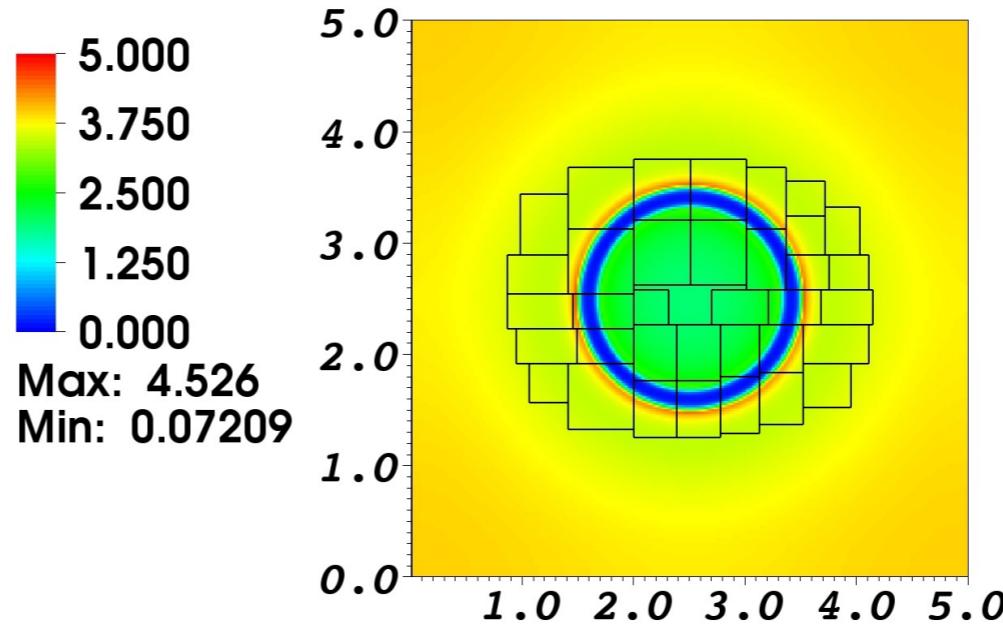
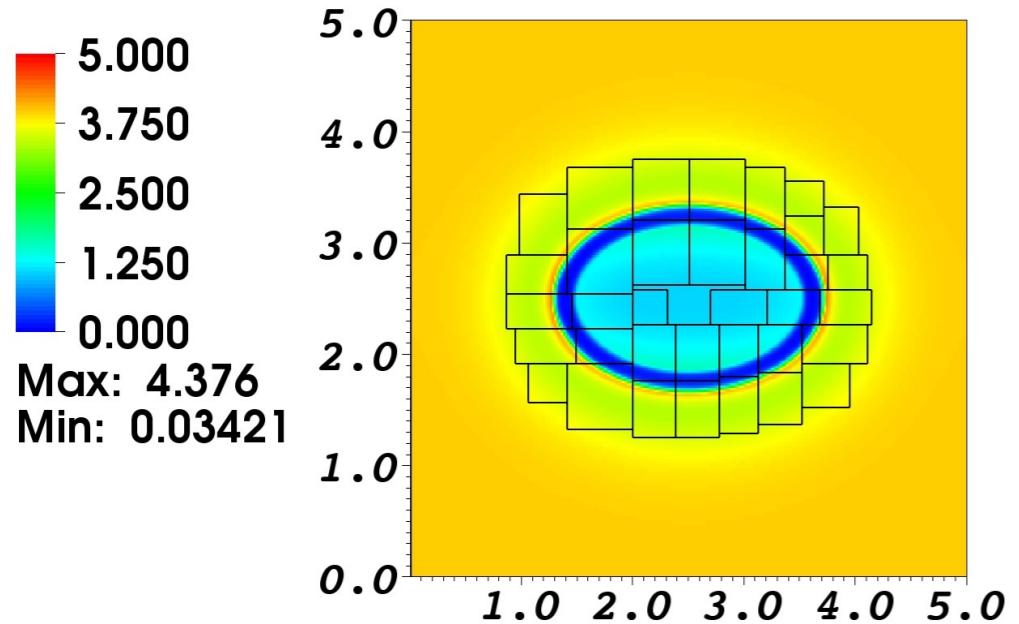
$$-L_h \varphi^n = (\sum_i qz_i^n c_i^n + \rho_b)/\epsilon$$

$$L_i^n c_i^{n+1} = c_i^n$$

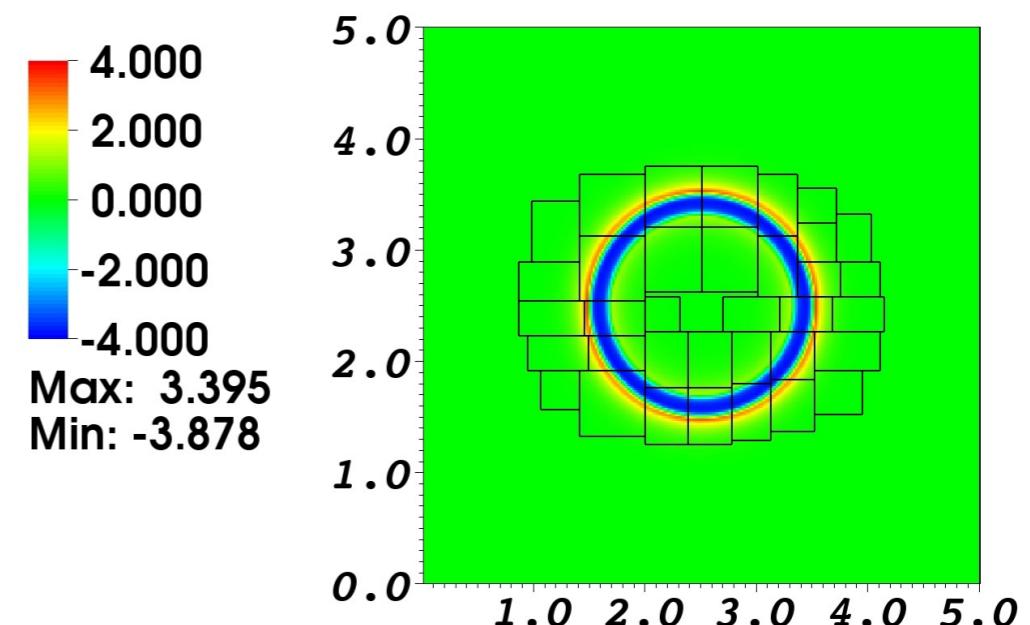
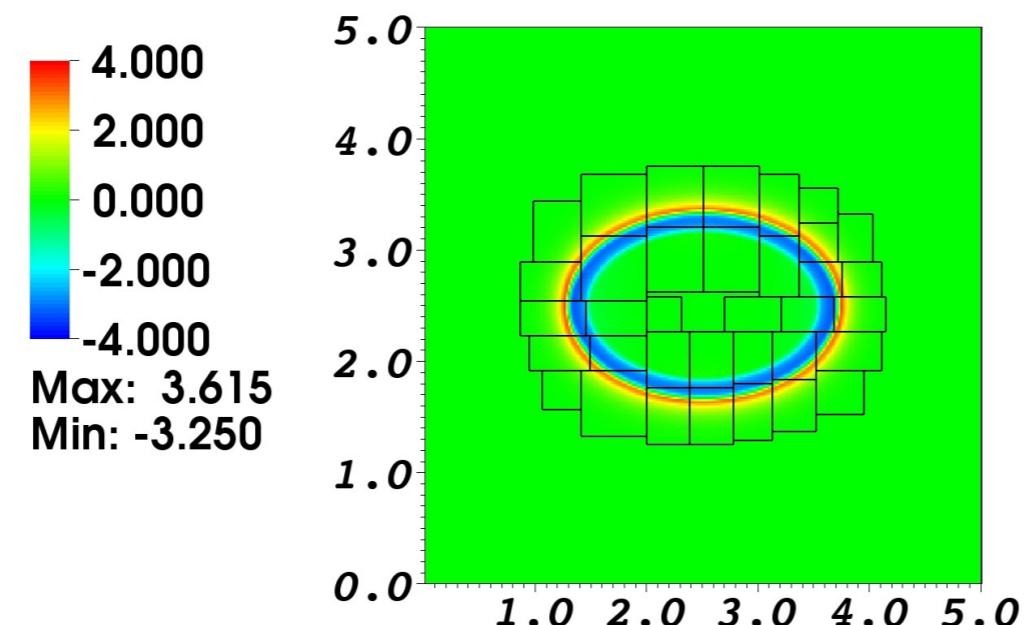
$$L_i^n = L(\mathbf{u}^n, \varphi^n, \psi_i^n)$$

- Fast adaptive composite (FAC) method, preconditioner
- two layers of ghost cells
- bottom solver (PFMG), first order upwind
- GMRES, main solver

# IB method for advection-electrodiffusion

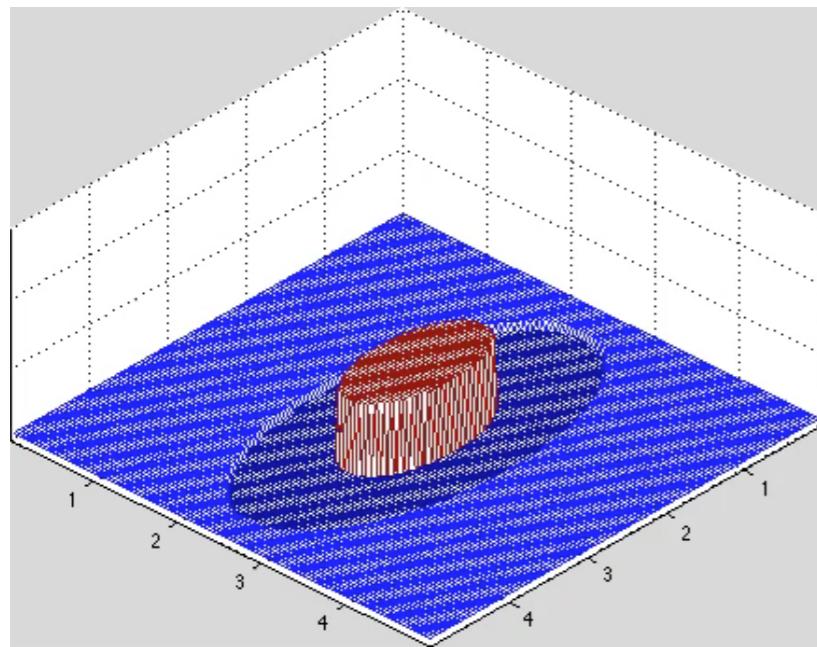


**[Ca $^{++}$ ] distribution**

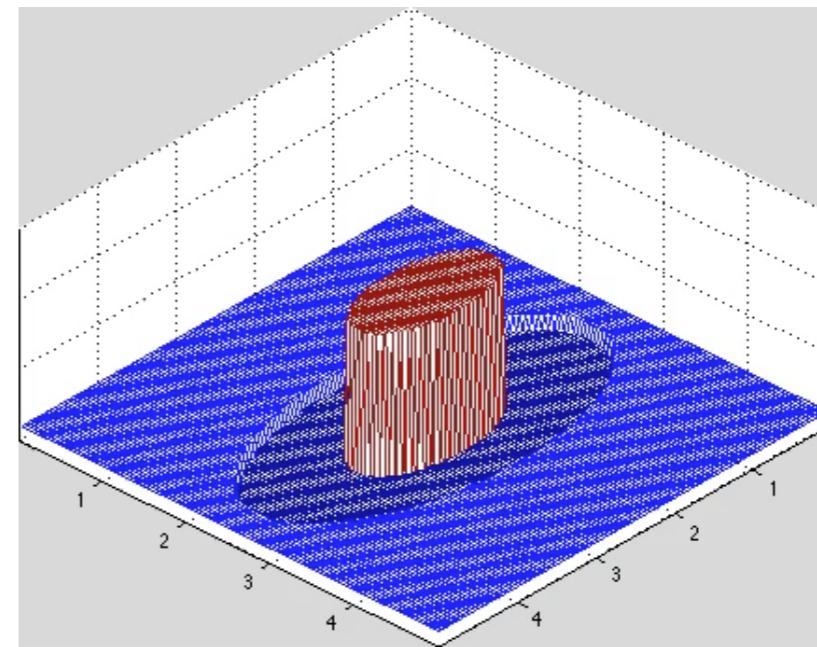


**Electrical charge density distribution**

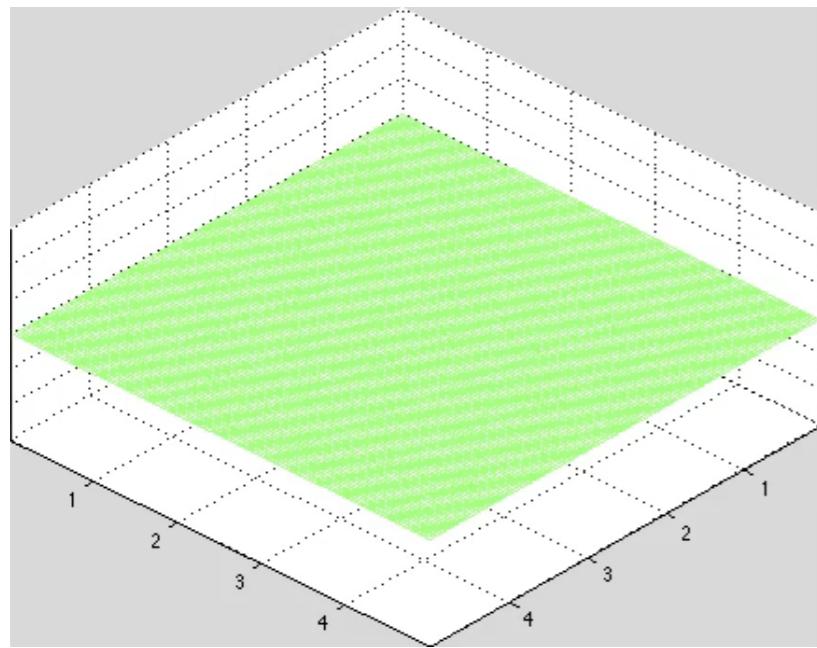
# Concentration dependent contraction



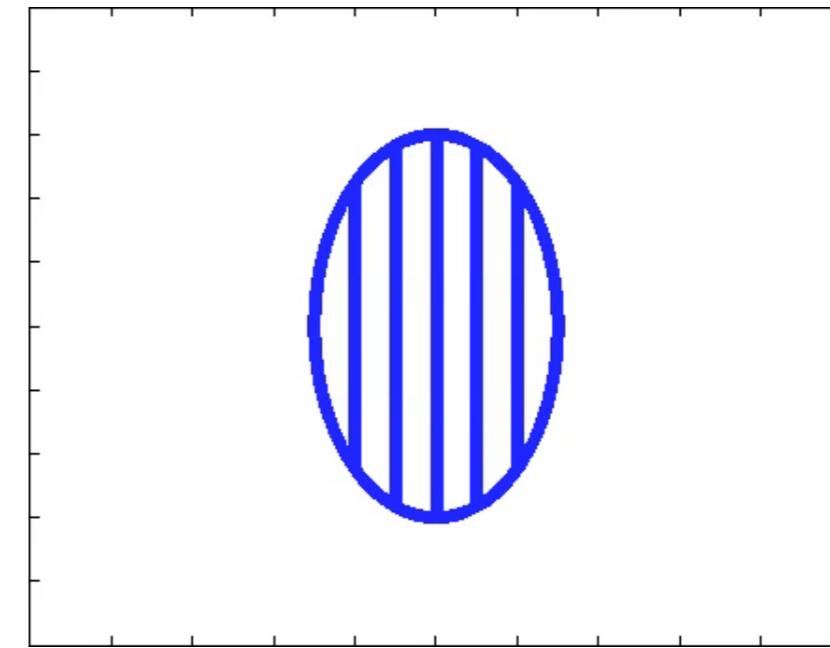
[Ca<sup>++</sup>] spatial distribution



[Cl<sup>-</sup>] spatial distribution

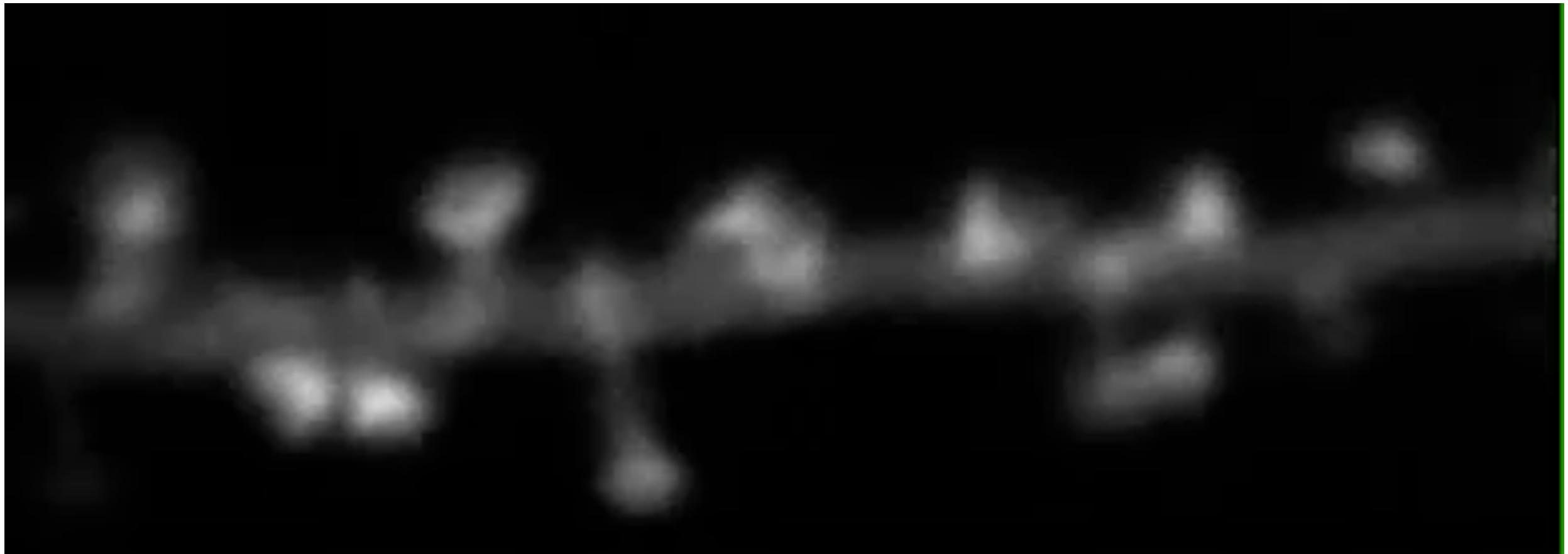


Electrical charge density spatial distribution



Contraction of actomyosin fibers

# Dendritic spine motility and dendritic integration

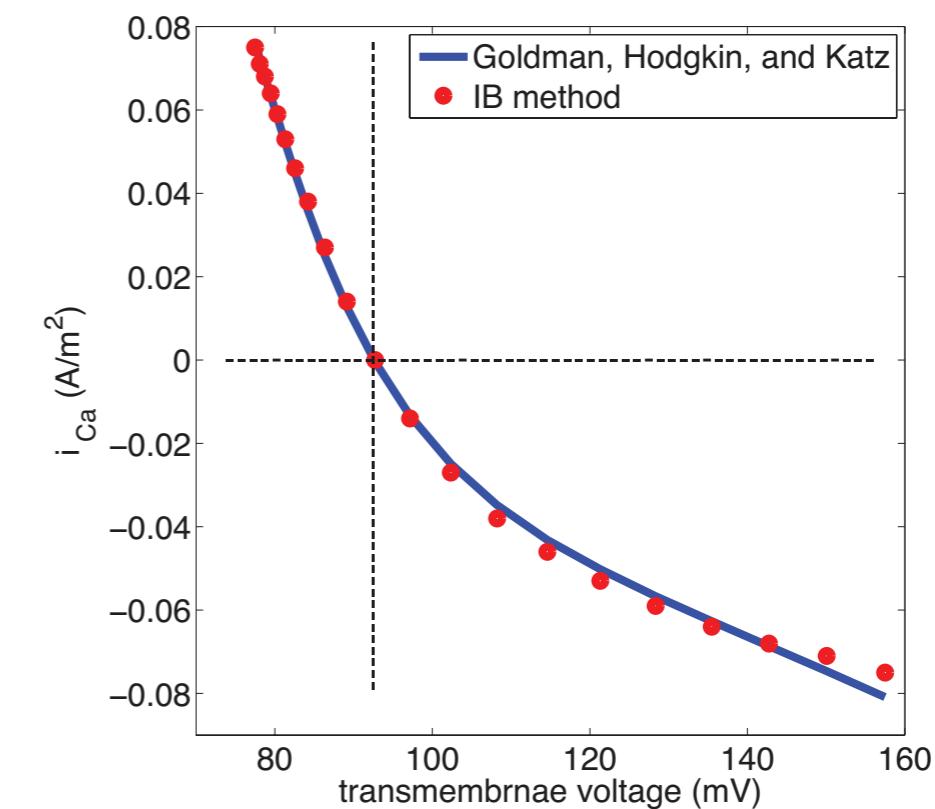
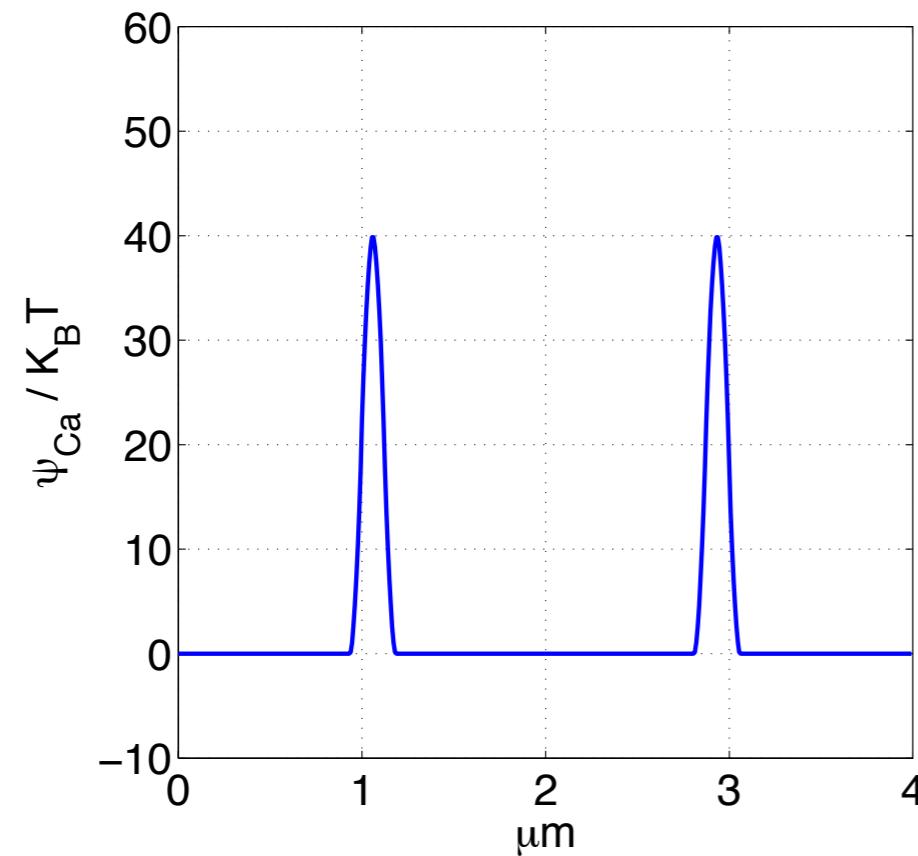


Matus, et al. 2006

How the following signals in dendritic spines change calcium dynamics and structural plasticity in dendrites and functionality in neural circuits?

- Myosin II activation
- Wnt signaling
- Amyloid beta aggregation

# Voltage sensitive calcium ion channels in a dendritic spine



Membrane physiology  
Interface boundary condition



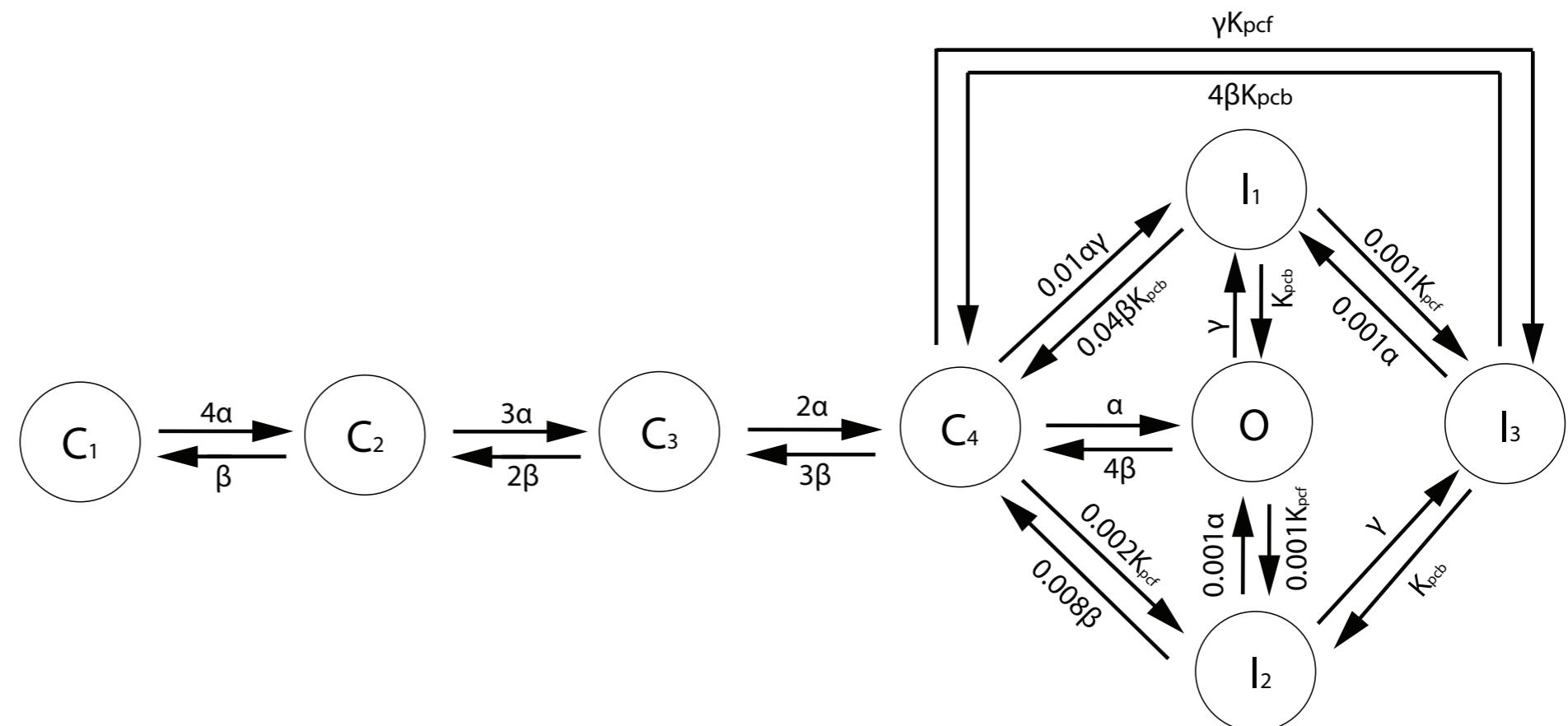
Chemical potential barrier

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Continuous-time Markov process

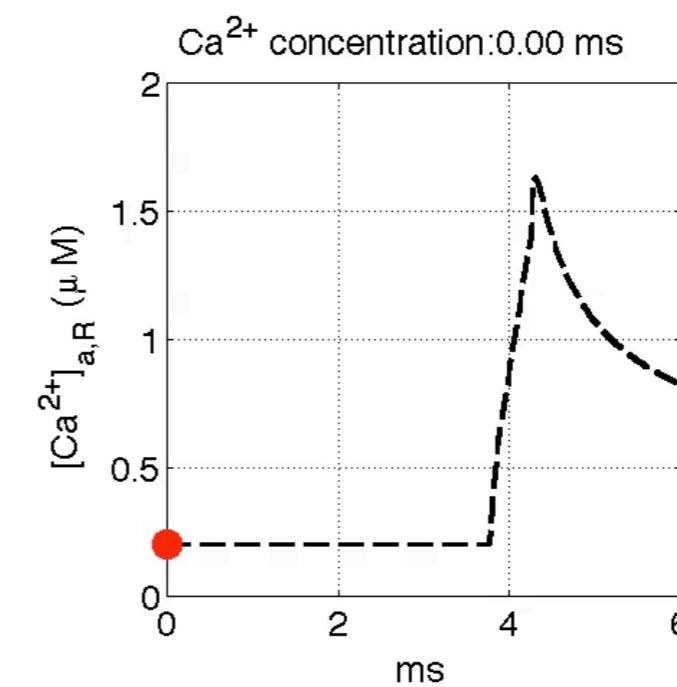
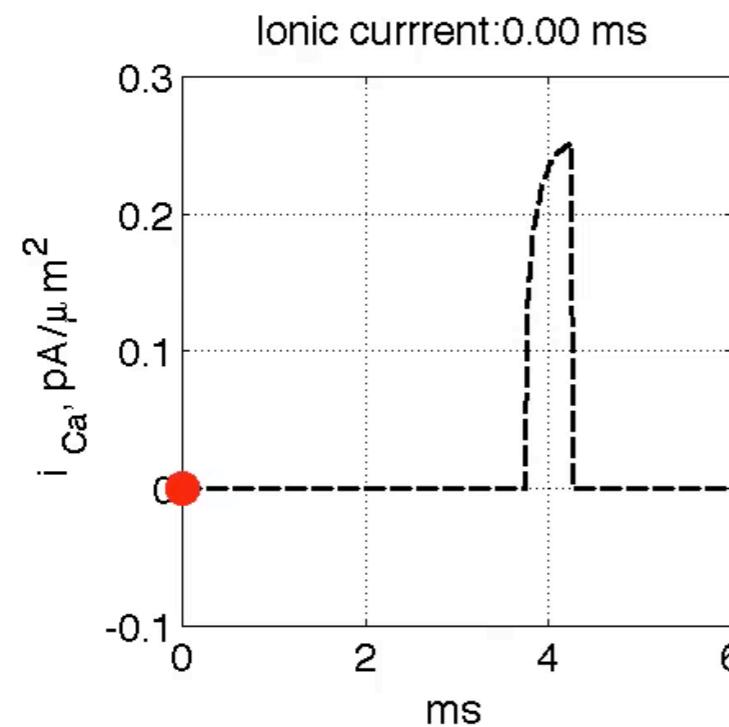
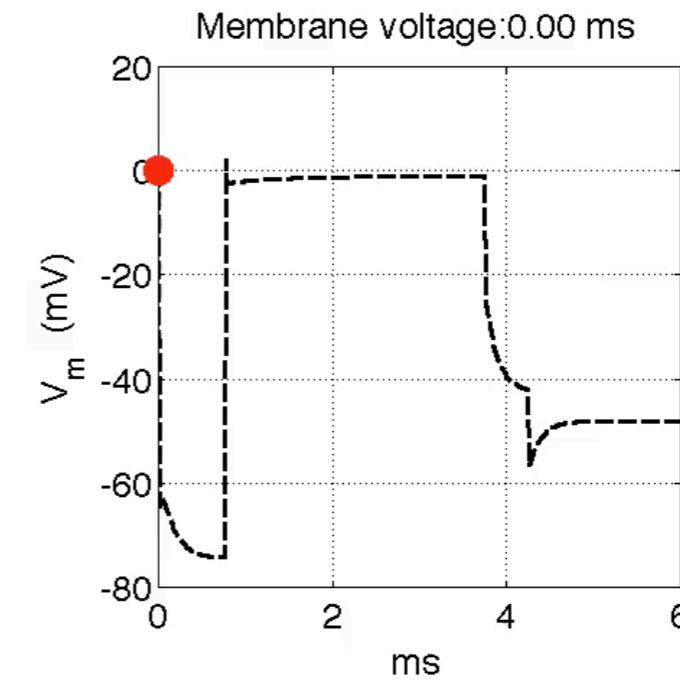
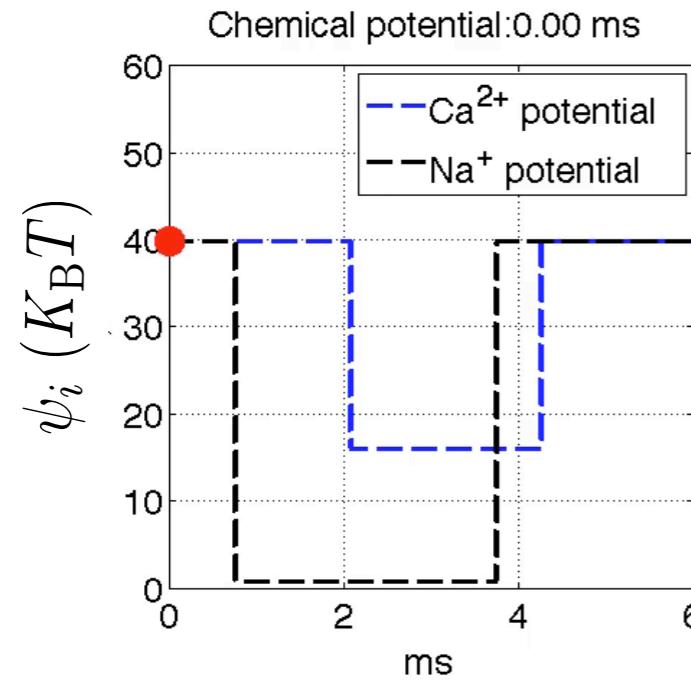
$$P(S(t + dt) = S_j | S(t) = S_i) = r_{i,j} dt$$

Markov chain of calcium ion channel,  
Bondarenko et al. 2004

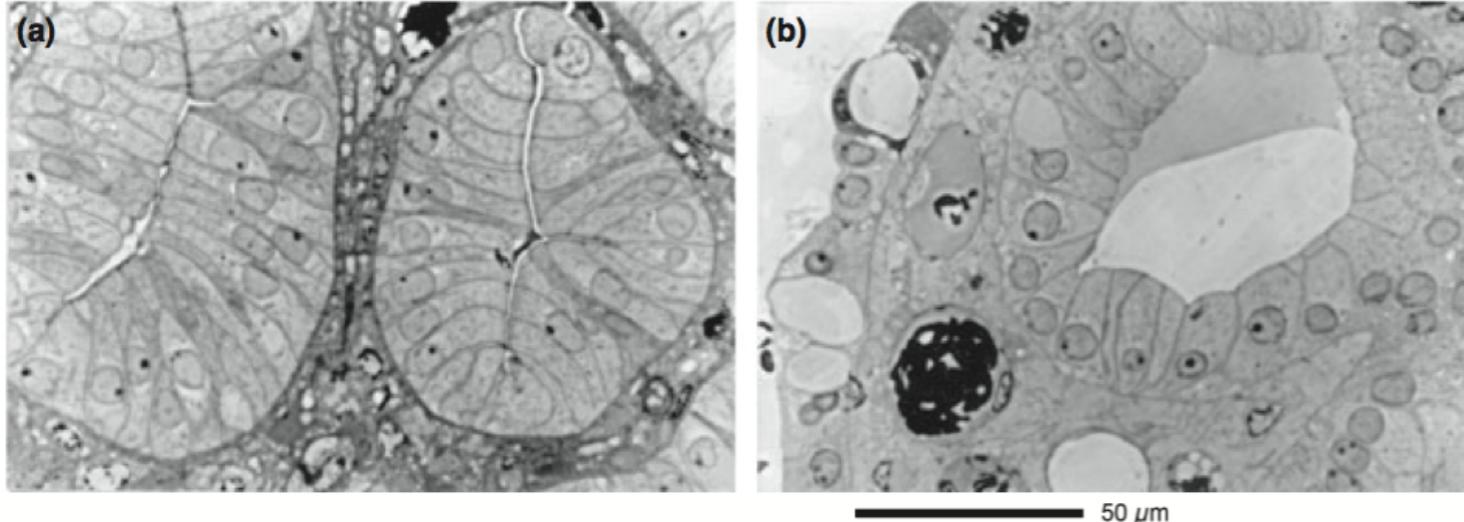


- 4 subunits
- voltage dependent activation
- intracellular calcium and voltage dependent inactivation

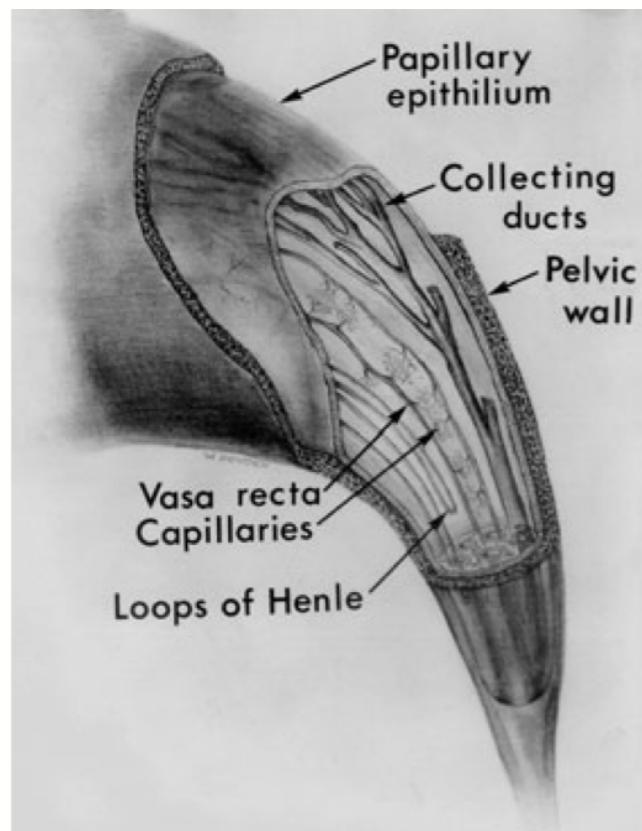
# Voltage sensitive calcium ion channels in a dendritic spine



# Renal peristaltic concentration



A cross-section of papilla 300 micron above the tip, collecting ducts (a) closed with peristaltic contraction and (b) open with peristaltic relaxation

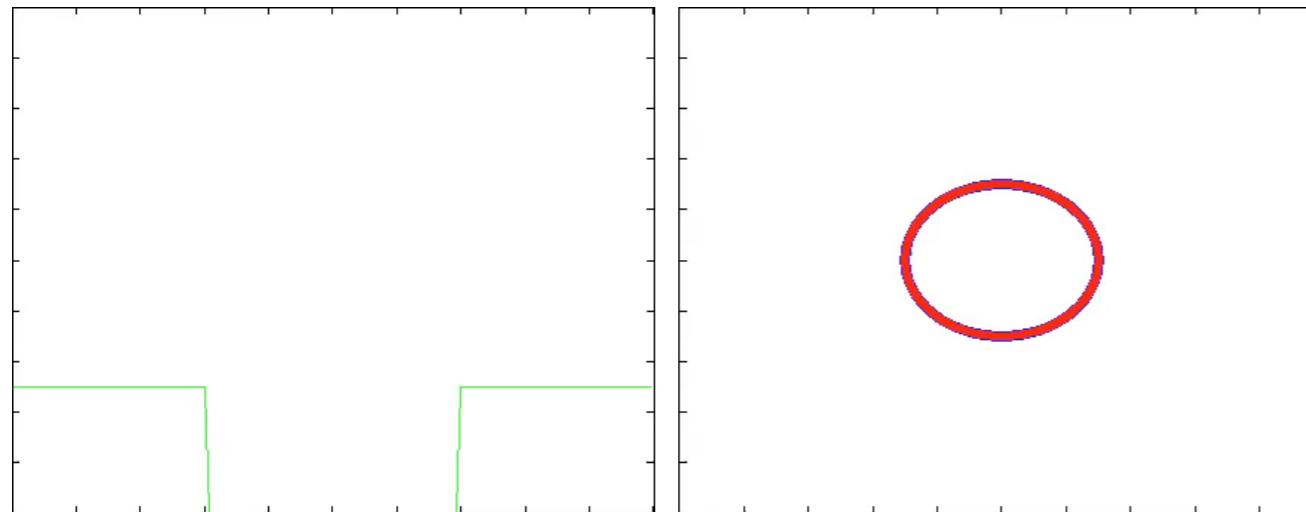


Peristalsis moves the green colored urine in waves through collecting ducts in the renal papilla

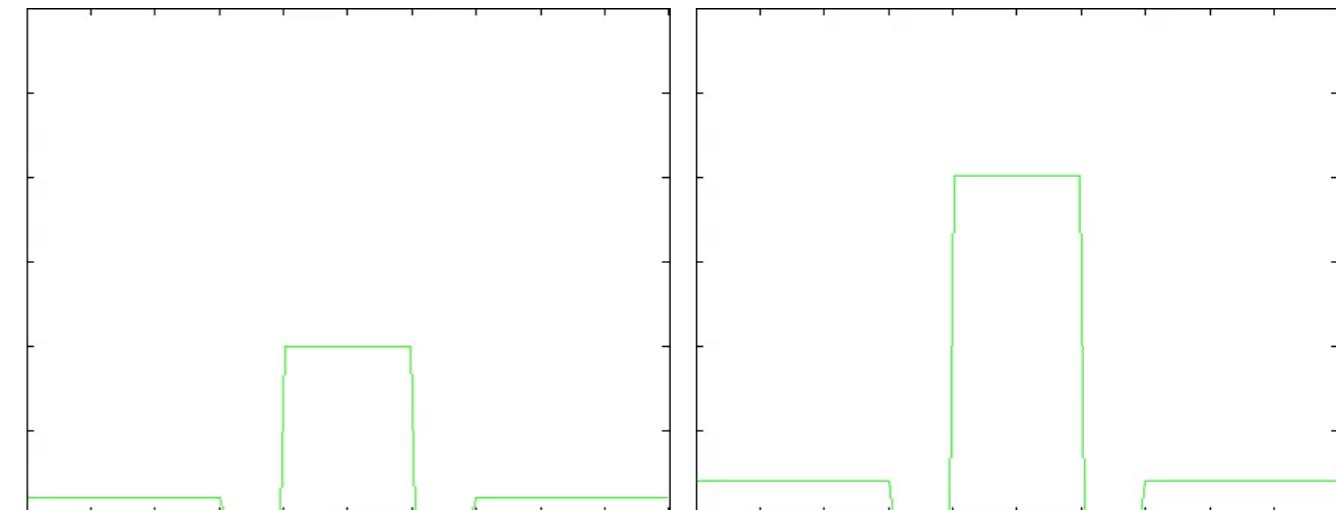
(Lower left) Schematic drawing of a hamster papilla

# Osmotic volume change

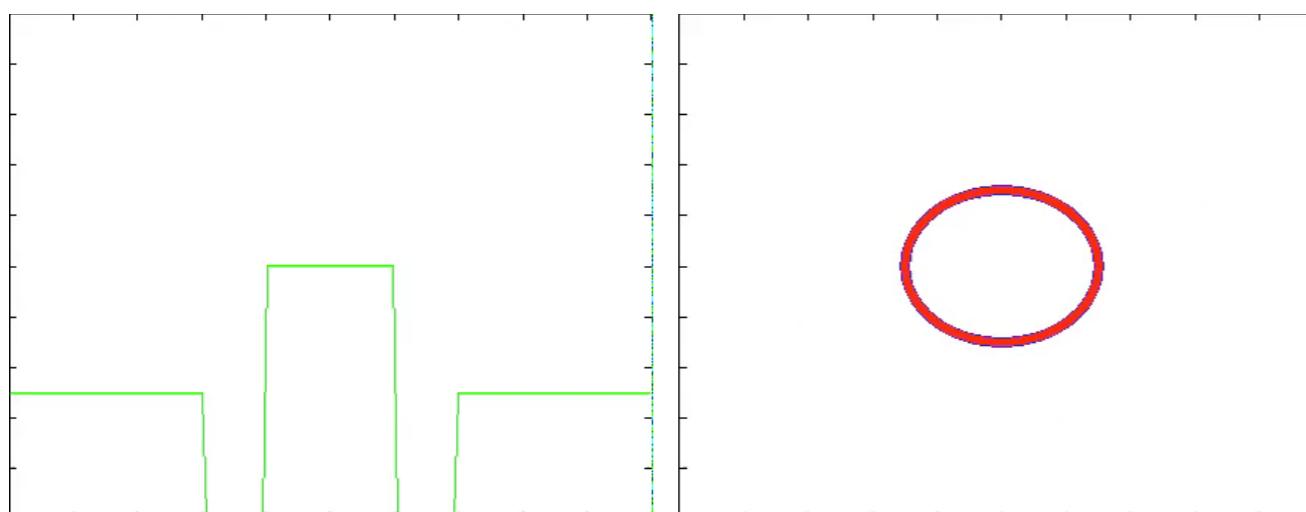
I. Water semi-permeable vesicle with hypotonic distribution



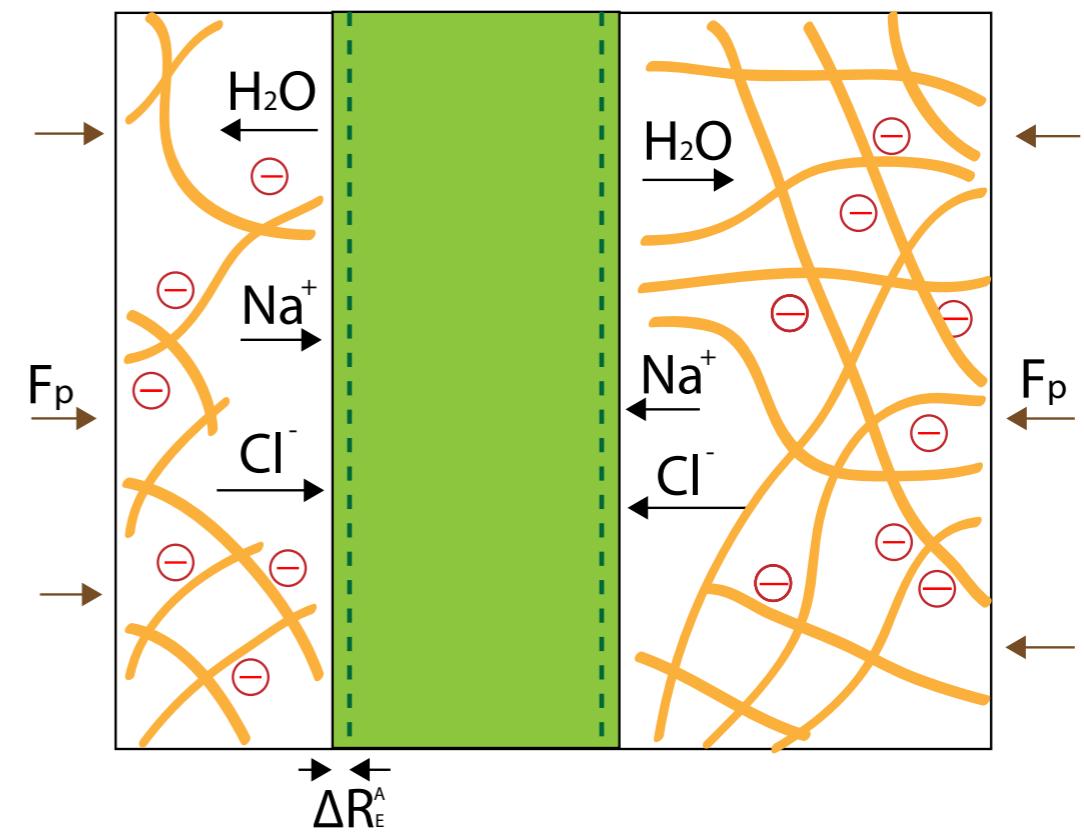
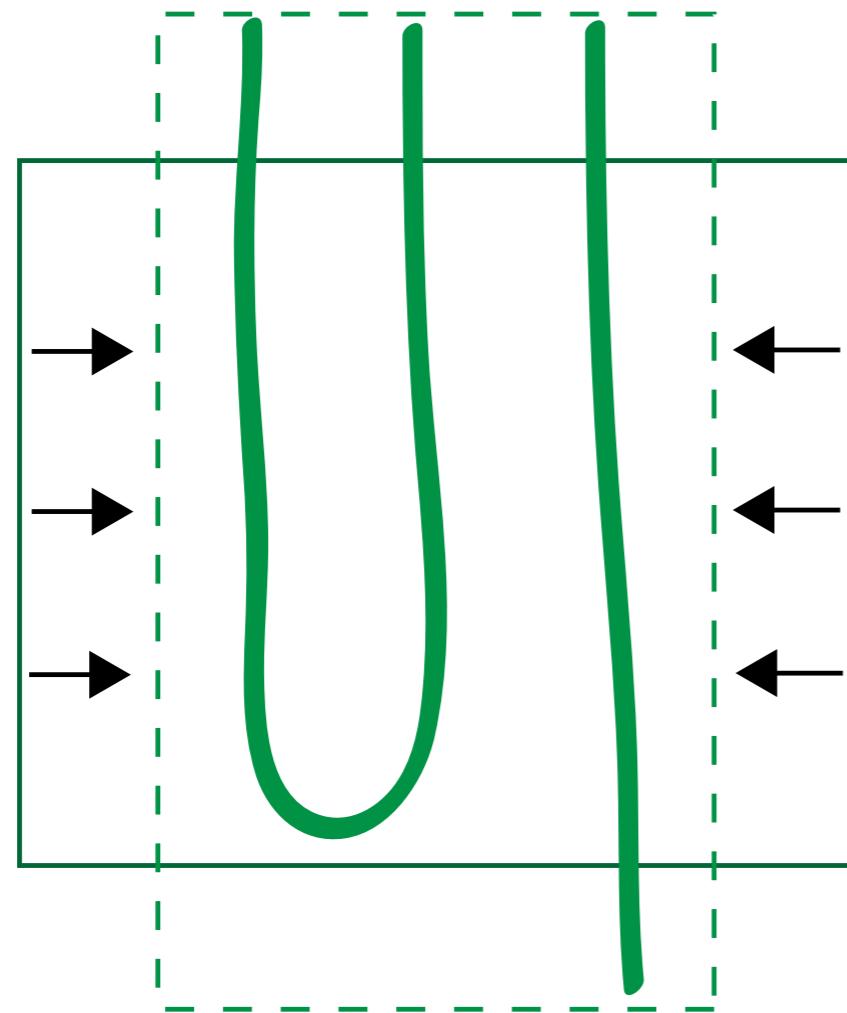
III. Water semi-permeable vesicle with hypertonic distribution



II. Water semi-permeable vesicle in equilibrium

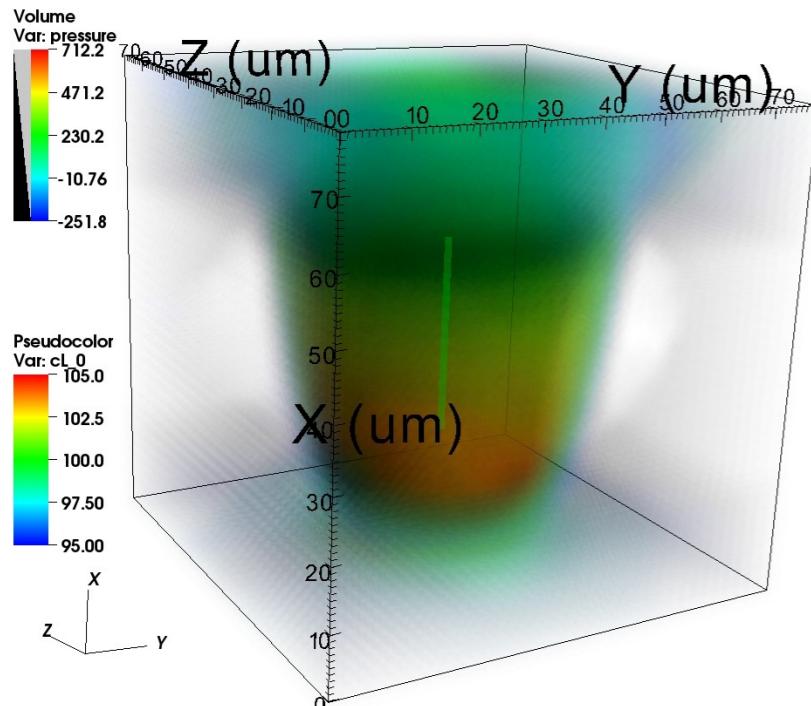


# Renal peristaltic concentration

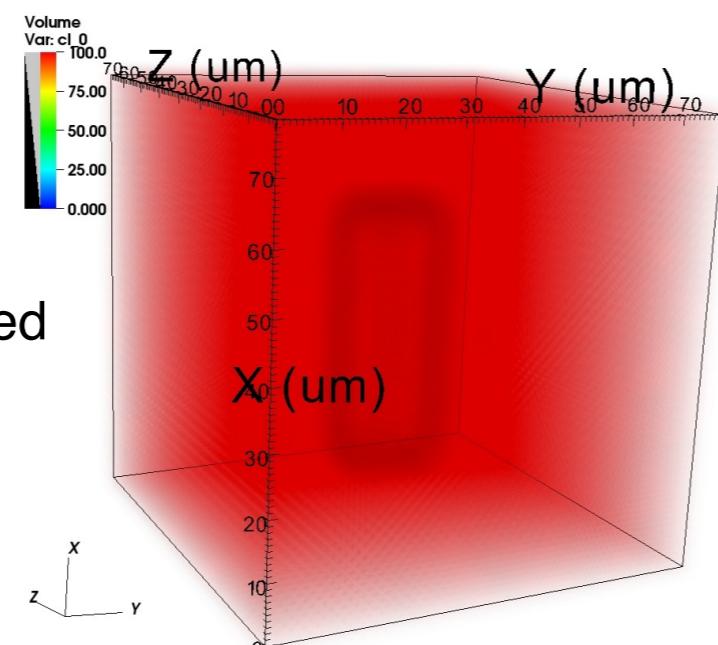


Hypothesized mechanisms of **rectified transport** of ions across epithelial layer via i) **electrically charged** and ii) **viscoelastic extracellular matrix**

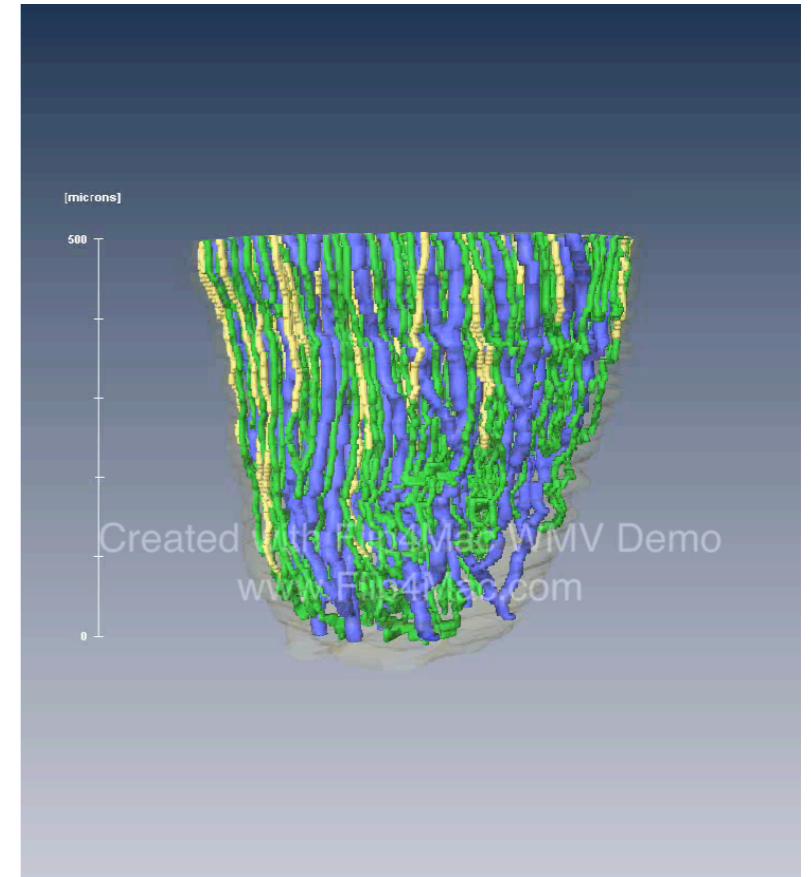
# Renal peristaltic concentration



3D hydrostatic pressure distribution from peristaltic contraction and the luminal concentration in collecting duct



3D solute concentration in interstitium using the immersed boundary method with **chemical potential barrier**



3D reconstruction of all papillary collecting ducts (AQP2, blue), ascending thin limbs (CIC-K1, green), and descending thin limbs (AQP1-null, yellow) in a kidney.

T.L. Pannabecker and W.H. Dantzler, 2007

The way to go is to take realistic 1D tubules in 3D, and combine counter-current and peristaltic mechanisms in the renal concentration.

# IB method for two-phase fluids and gels

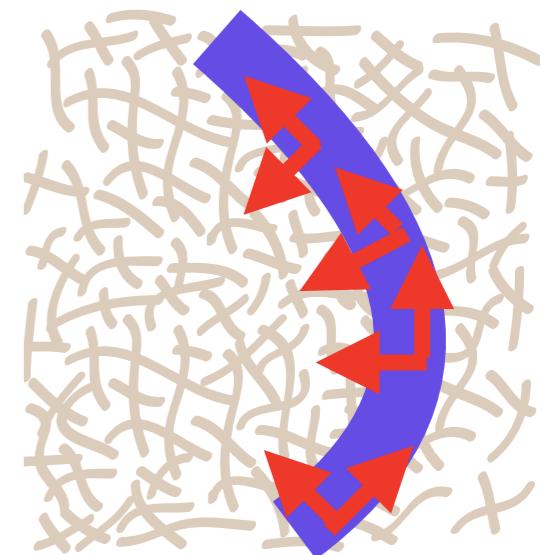
$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\phi \mathbf{v}_p) = 0$$

$$\rho_f \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_f}{\partial t} + \Gamma(\mathbf{v}_f - \mathbf{v}_p) = -(1 - \phi) \nabla p + \eta_f \nabla \cdot (\nabla \mathbf{v}_f + \nabla \mathbf{v}_f^T) + S \mathbf{F}_f$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_p \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_p}{\partial t} + \Gamma(\mathbf{v}_p - \mathbf{v}_f) &= -\phi \nabla p - \sigma_0 \nabla \phi \\ &\quad + \eta_p \nabla \cdot (\nabla \mathbf{v}_p + \nabla \mathbf{v}_p^T) + \mu \nabla \cdot (\nabla \mathbf{u} + \nabla \mathbf{u}^T) + S \mathbf{F}_p. \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{u}}{dt} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \mathbf{v}_p \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v}_p$$

$$\nabla \cdot \{(1 - \phi)\mathbf{v}_f + \phi \mathbf{v}_p\} = 0$$



$$\mathbf{F}_p \cdot \mathbf{T} = \Xi_T S^* (\mathbf{v}_f - \mathbf{v}_p) \cdot \mathbf{T}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_p \cdot \mathbf{N} = \Xi_N S^* (\mathbf{v}_f - \mathbf{v}_p) \cdot \mathbf{N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_f + \mathbf{F}_p = -\frac{\delta E}{\delta \mathbf{X}}$$

# IB method for two-phase fluids and gels

## Semi-implicit approximate projection approach

STEP I) without volume conservation condition

$$\frac{\phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \phi^n}{\Delta t/2} + D_h \cdot (\phi^n \mathbf{v}_p^n) = 0 \quad \mathcal{L}_h = L_h + G_h D_h \cdot$$

$$\rho_f \frac{\mathbf{v}_f^* - \mathbf{v}_f^n}{\Delta t} + \Gamma(\mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}) = -(1 - \phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}}) G_h p^{n-\frac{1}{2}} \\ + \eta_f \mathcal{L}_h \mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} + S_{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{F}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}$$

$$\rho_p \frac{\mathbf{v}_p^* - \mathbf{v}_p^n}{\Delta t} + \Gamma(\mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} - \mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}) = -\phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}} G_h p^{n-\frac{1}{2}} - \sigma_0 G_h \phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \\ + \eta_p \mathcal{L}_h \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} + \mu \mathcal{L}_h \mathbf{u}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} + S_{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{F}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{u}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \mathbf{u}^n}{\Delta t/2} + \mathbf{v}_p^n \cdot G_h \mathbf{u}^n = \mathbf{v}_p^n$$

$$\mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} = \frac{\mathbf{v}_f^n + \mathbf{v}_f^*}{2}, \quad \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} = \frac{\mathbf{v}_p^n + \mathbf{v}_p^*}{2}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} = \Xi_T(\mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}) \cdot \mathbf{T}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{T}^{n+\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*} = -\frac{\partial E}{\partial \mathbf{X}^{n+\frac{1}{2}}} - \mathbf{F}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{X}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \mathbf{X}^n}{\Delta t/2} = S_n^* \mathbf{v}_f^n$$

# IB method for two-phase fluids and gels

## Semi-implicit approximate projection approach

### STEP II) with approximate projection

$$\frac{\phi^{n+1} - \phi^n}{\Delta t} + D_h \cdot (\phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2}}) = 0$$

$$\rho_f \frac{\mathbf{v}_f^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}_f^n}{\Delta t} + \Gamma(\mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2}}) = -(1 - \phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}}) G_h p^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \\ + \eta_f \mathcal{L}_h \mathbf{v}_f^{n+1} + S_{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{F}_f^{n+1}$$

$$\rho_p \frac{\mathbf{v}_p^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}_p^n}{\Delta t} + \Gamma(\mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2}}) = -\phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}} G_h p^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \sigma_0 G_h \phi^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \\ + \eta_p \mathcal{L}_h \mathbf{v}_p^{n+1} + \mu \mathcal{L}_h \mathbf{u}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} + S_{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{F}_p^{n+1}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_p^{n+1} = \Xi_T (\mathbf{v}_f^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+1}) \cdot \mathbf{T}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{T}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \\ + \Xi_N (\mathbf{v}_f^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+1}) \cdot \mathbf{N}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{N}^{n+\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_f^{n+1} = -\frac{\partial E}{\partial \mathbf{X}^{n+\frac{1}{2}}} - \mathbf{F}_p^{n+1}$$

$$(1 - \phi^{n+1}) \mathbf{v}_f^{n+1} + \phi^{n+1} \mathbf{v}_p^{n+1} = \\ (I - G_h L_h^{-1} D_h) (1 - \phi^{n+1}) \mathbf{v}_f^* + \phi^{n+1} \mathbf{v}_p^*$$

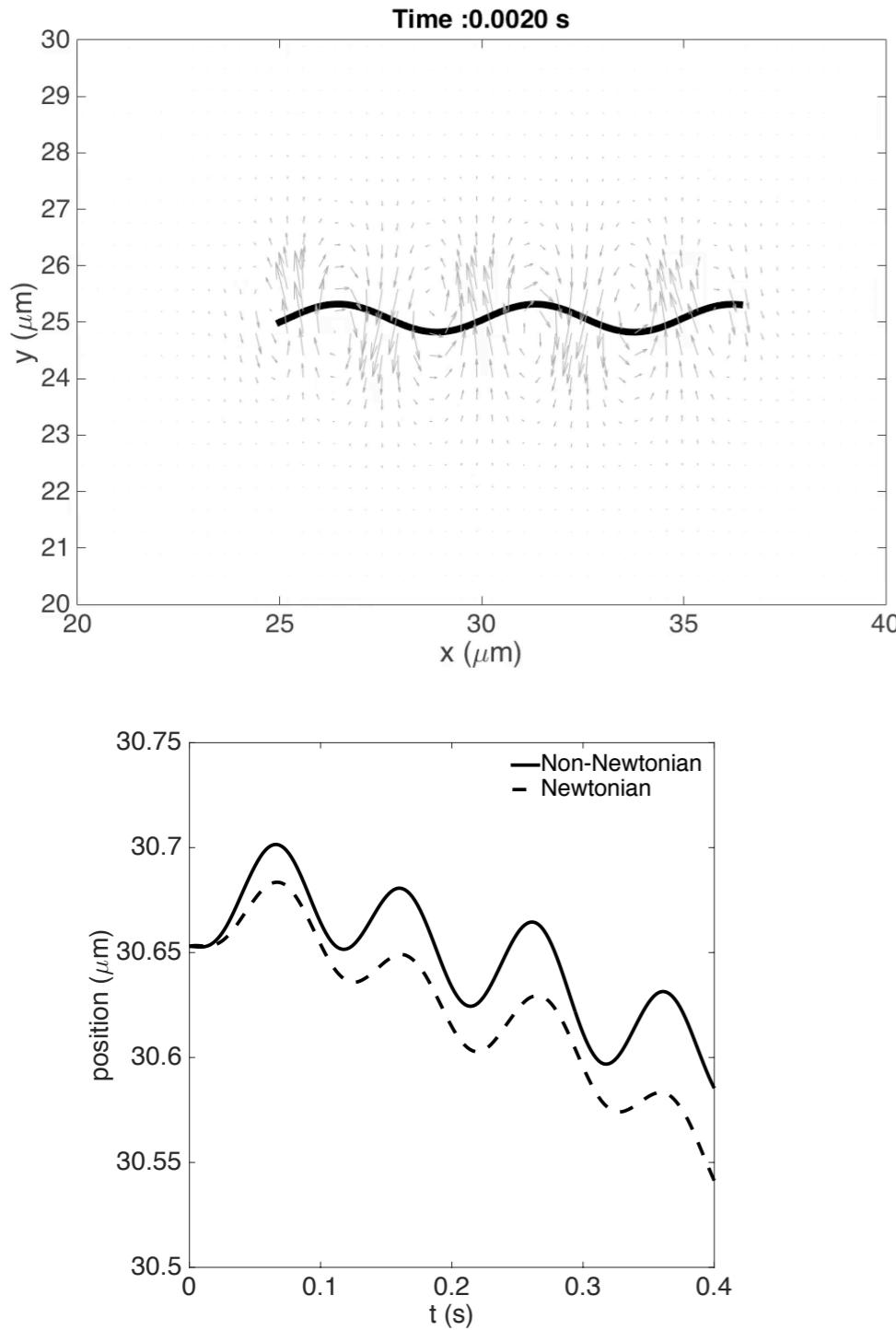
$$\frac{\mathbf{u}^{n+1} - \mathbf{u}^n}{\Delta t} + \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2}} \cdot G_h \mathbf{u}^{n+\frac{1}{2}} = \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{X}^{n+1} - \mathbf{X}^n}{\Delta t} = S_n^* \mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2}}$$

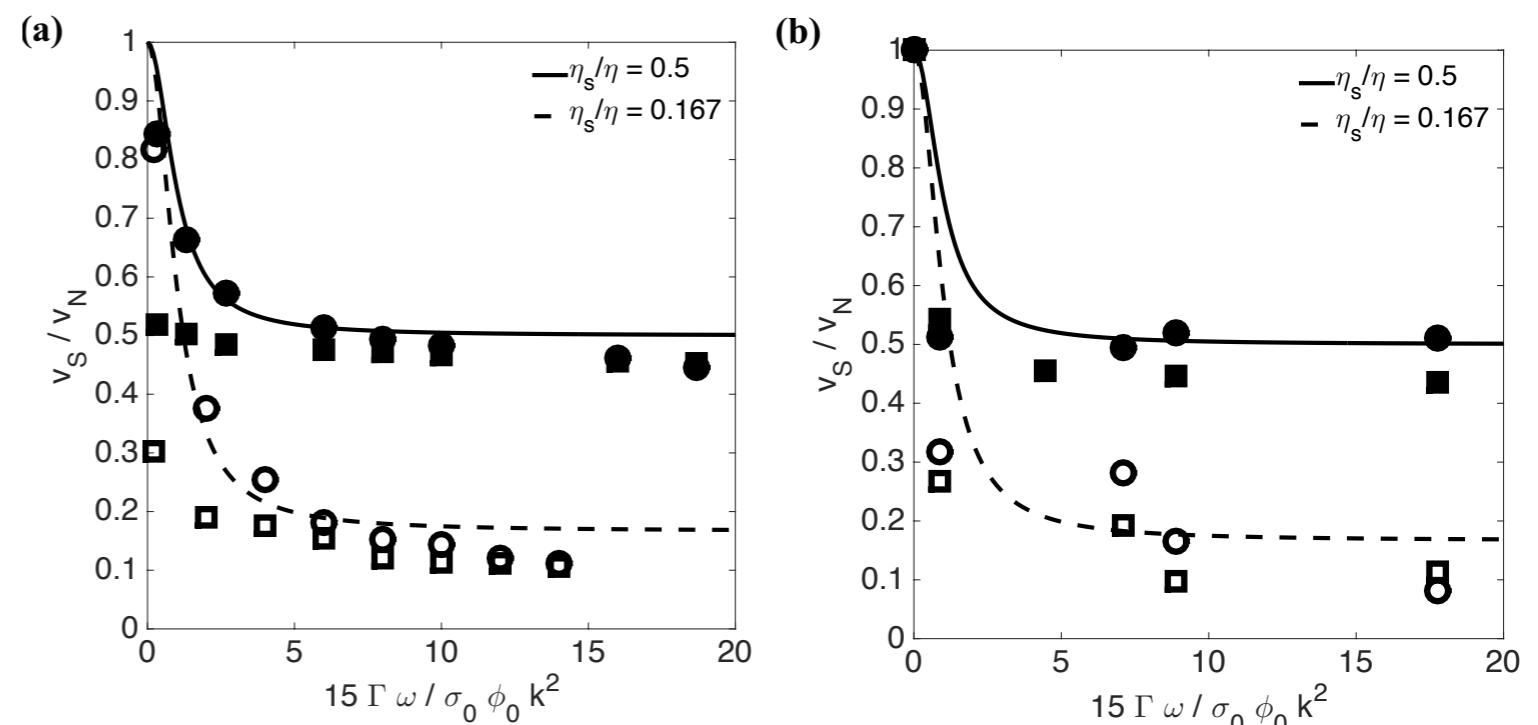
$$p^{n+\frac{1}{2}} - p^{n-\frac{1}{2}} = L_h^{-1} D_h \cdot \left\{ \rho_f \frac{\mathbf{v}_f^* - \mathbf{v}_f^{n+1}}{\Delta t} + \rho_p \frac{\mathbf{v}_p^* - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+1}}{\Delta t} \right. \\ \left. + \eta_f \mathcal{L}_h (\mathbf{v}_f^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}_f^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}) + \eta_p \mathcal{L}_h (\mathbf{v}_p^{n+1} - \mathbf{v}_p^{n+\frac{1}{2},*}) \right\}$$

# IB method for two-phase fluids and gels

## Two phase vs. single phase / Oldroyd B



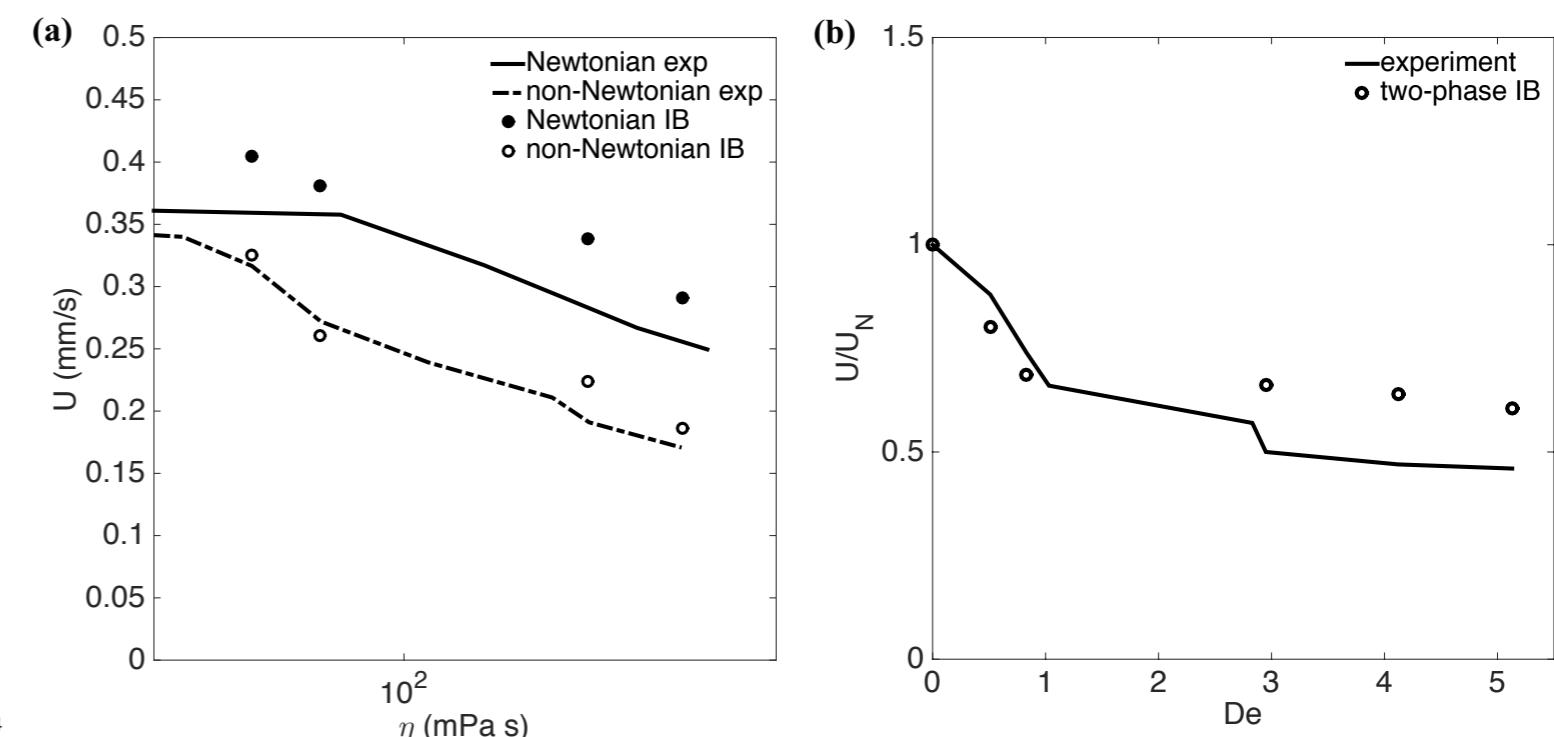
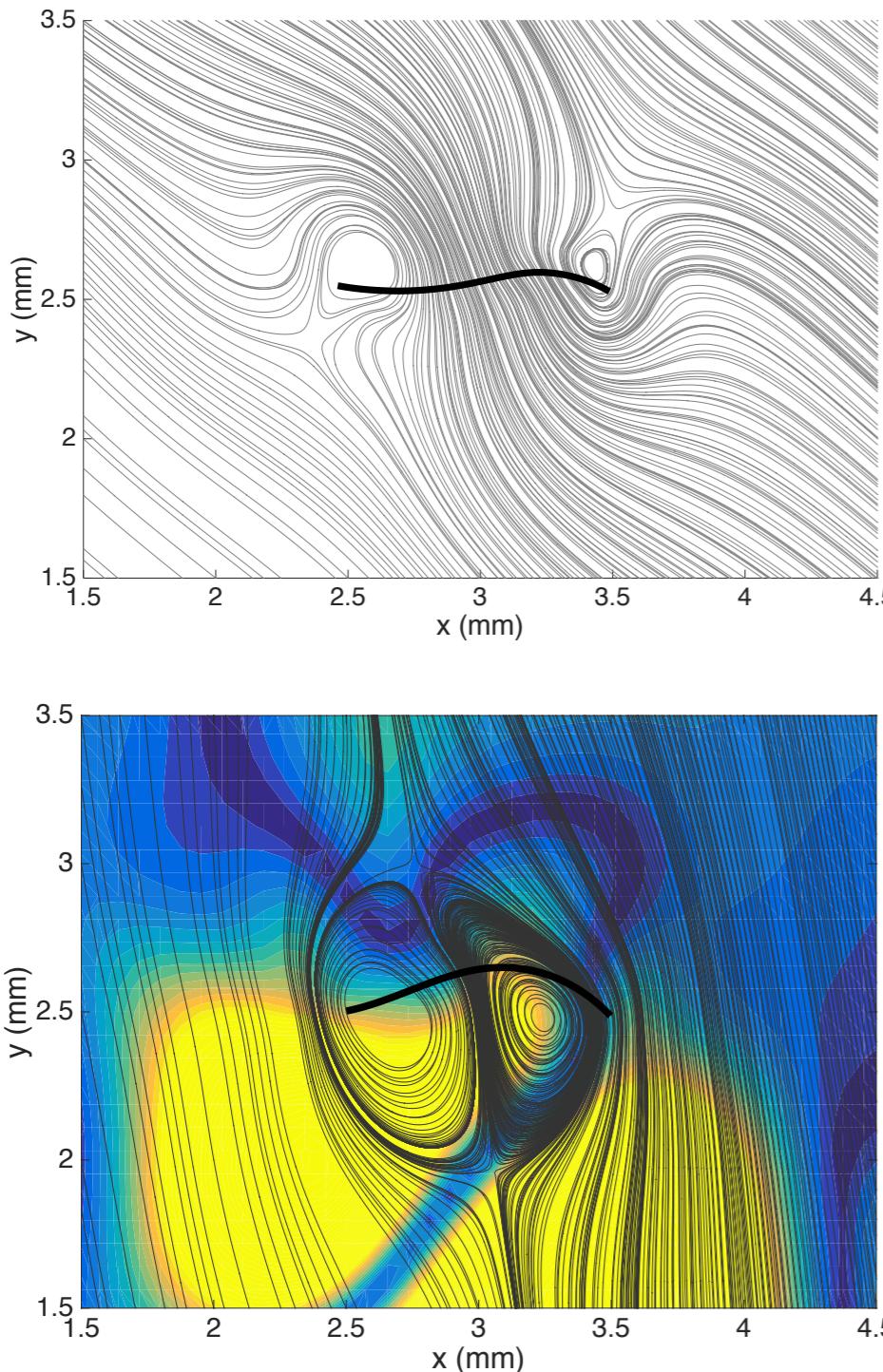
$$V_S/V_N = \frac{1 + \eta_S/\eta \ De^2}{1 + De^2} \quad \text{Lauga, 2007}$$



**(a) small amplitude, infinite**  
**(b) finite length swimmer**

# IB method for two-phase fluids and gels

## *C. elegans* swimming / hyperbolic extensional flows



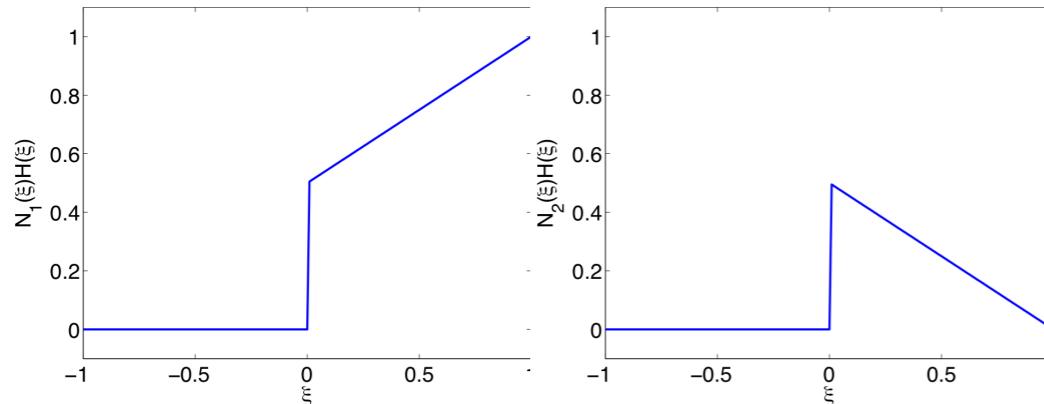
Experiments: Arratia lab

Flow streamlines about a swimming *C. elegans*. The colormap shows the magnitude of the trace of the elastic stress.

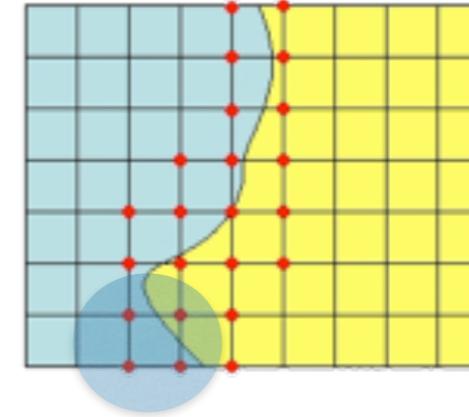
# Future work

## IB for advection-electrodiffusion with DG/XFEM

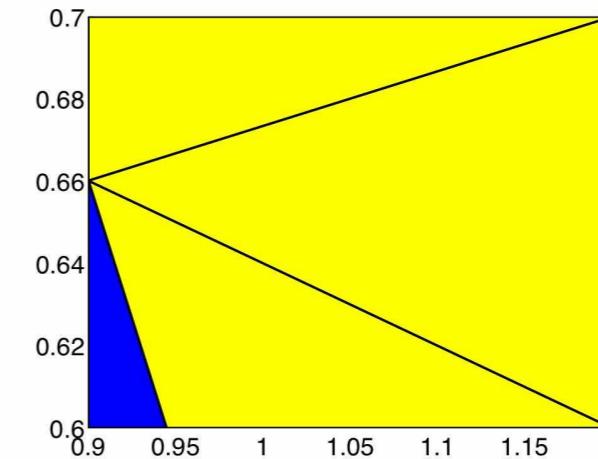
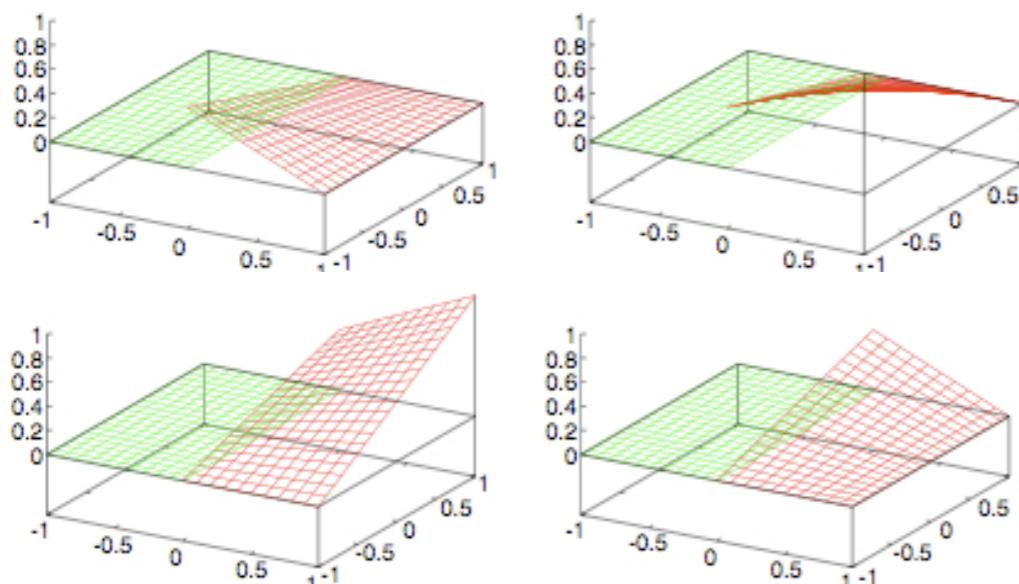
extended shape function 1D



enriched nodes



extended shape function 2D



Integration by Delaunay triangulation

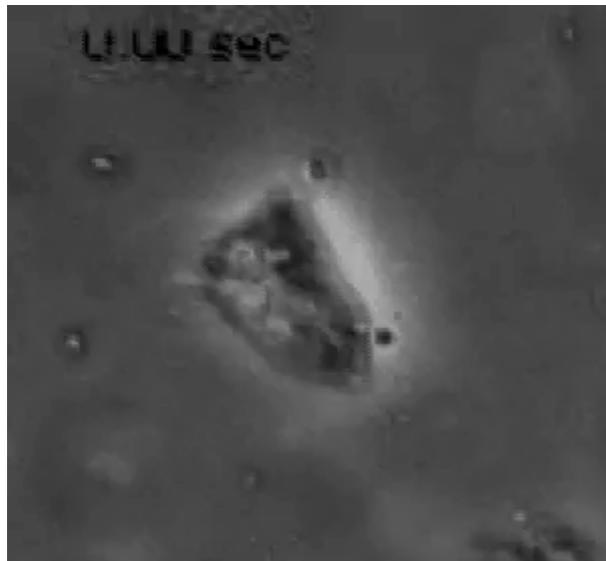
## IB for two-phase viscoelastic fluids

Fast composite multigrid as preconditioner

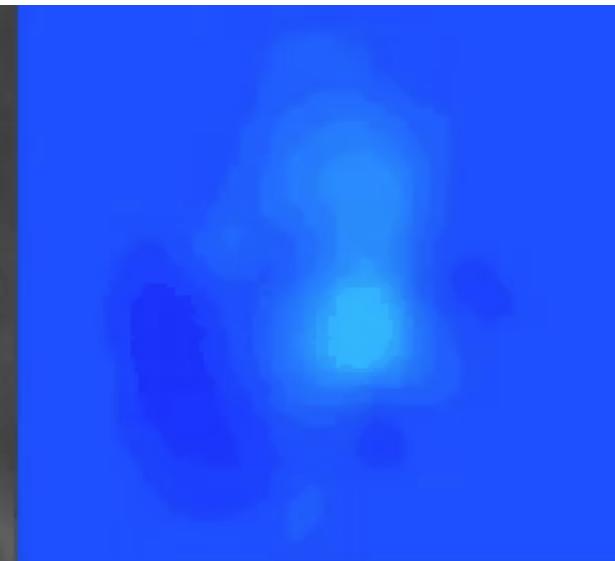
Exact projection method, MAC scheme

# Mechano-sensing of cardiac differentiation

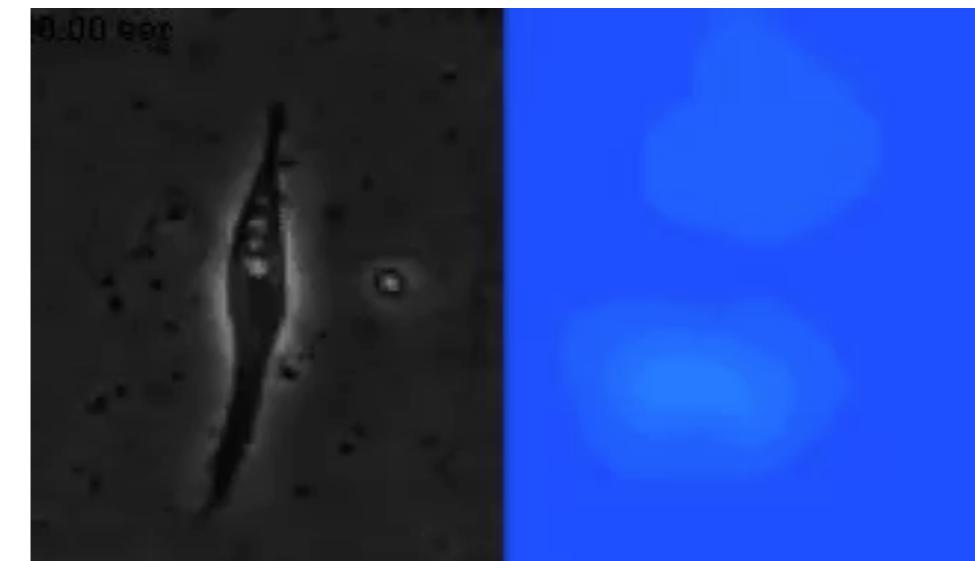
## Embryonic cardiac myocytes contraction vs. microenvironment



Engler, et al. 2008



soft gel strain



stiff gel strain

How the following developmental mechanisms are influenced by mechanical microenvioronment?

- myofibrillogenesis
- biogenesis
- calcium handling
- mitochondria PTP gating and volume regulation

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