## ME437/ME537 HW SET 3

- 1. Determine the mean deposition velocities of 0.01, 0.1, 1 and 10  $\mu$ m particles in a boundary layer flow of air over a flat plate at Reynolds number of R<sub>eL</sub> = 1000 with L=20 cm.
- 2. Aerosol particles of 1  $\mu$ m diameter are being passed through a filter of fibers which is 5 cm wide. The air stream velocity is 0.5 m/sand the fibers have a radius of a=20  $\mu$ m with a concentration of 30% by volume. Find the ratio of outlet concentrate to inlet (C<sub>2</sub>/C<sub>1</sub>). For increasing the efficiency of the filter, should the diameter of the fiber be increased or decreased?
- 3. For 0.01, 0.1, 1 and 10 μm silicon particles in contact with a silicon substrate, evaluate the contact radius in the absence of external forces. Find the corresponding pull-off for each particle and compare with the weight of the particle. Also computer the maximum resistant moment for rolling detachment. (Hint: Use JKR model. Properties of silicon are given in the paper Soltani and Ahmadi, J. Adhesion Science and Technology, 1994.)