

**Particle Transport, Deposition and Removal** 

# Particle Removal From Rough Surfaces

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# Outline



- **van der Waals/Pull-off Force for Rough Surfaces**
- **Rolling and Sliding Removal of Rough Particles**
- **Hydrodynamic Forces and Torque**
- **Critical Shear Velocity for Detachment**

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# JKR Adhesion Model



**Pull-Off Force**  $\Rightarrow F_{po}^{JKR} = \frac{3}{4} \pi W_A d$

**Contact Radius at Separation**

$a = \left( \frac{3\pi W_A d^2}{8K} \right)^{1/3}$

$a = \left( \frac{F_{Po} d}{2K} \right)^{1/3}$

$K = \frac{4}{3} \left[ \frac{(1-\nu_1^2)}{E_1} + \frac{(1-\nu_2^2)}{E_2} \right]^{-1}$

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# Rough Surfaces



**Pull-Off Force**  $\Rightarrow F_M = \pi a^2 N f_{Po} e^{-0.6/\Delta_c}$

$\Delta_c = \frac{\delta_c}{\sigma}$

Max Asperity Extension  $\delta_c$   
 Roughness Height Standard deviation  $\sigma$

Number of Pull-Off Force Asperities per Unit Area for each Asperity  $N$

**Contact Radius**  $\xrightarrow{\text{Estimated}}$   $a = \left( \frac{F_M d}{2K} \right)^{1/3}$

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**JKR Model**

$$\delta_c = \left[ \frac{f_{Po}^2}{3K^2\beta} \right]^{1/3}$$

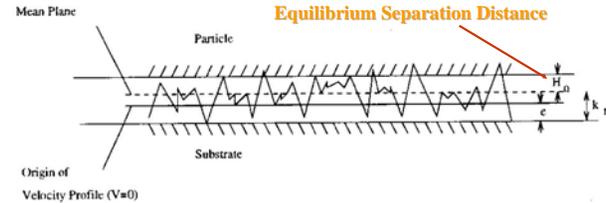
**Greenwood-Williamson**

$$\sigma\beta N \approx 0.1$$

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# Contact of Rough Surfaces Clarkson University



Average Roughness Height

$$k_r = 5.9\sigma$$

Displaced Origin of Velocity Profile

$$e = 0.53k_r$$

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# Hydrodynamic Forces Clarkson University

**Drag Force**

$$F_t = \frac{3\pi\mu d}{C_c} V$$

**Lift Force**

$$F_l = 1.61d^2V(\rho\mu)^{1/2} \frac{dV/dy}{|dV/dy|^{1/2}}$$

**Hydrodynamic Torque**

$$M_t = \frac{2\pi\mu f_m d^2 V}{C_c}$$

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# Sublayer Model Clarkson University

$$u^+ = y^+$$

$$v^+ = -\beta_o y^{+2}, y^+ \leq 1.85$$

$$w^+ = 2\beta_o y^+ z^+$$

$$\beta_o = 0.01085$$

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## Velocity at Particle Centroid Clarkson University

$$u^+ = \frac{d^+}{2} + 2.76\sigma^+ + H_0^+ - \alpha^+ = L^+$$

$$w^+ = \beta \frac{\Lambda^+}{2} \left( \frac{d^+}{2} + 2.76\sigma^+ + H_0^+ - \alpha^+ \right)$$

$$L = \frac{d}{2} + 2.76\sigma + H_0 - \alpha$$

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## Hydrodynamic Forces Clarkson University

**Drag Force**

$$F_t = \frac{5.8\pi\rho d u^*{}^2 L}{C}$$

**Lift Force**

$$F_L = \frac{1.95\rho d^2 u^*{}^3 L}{\nu}$$

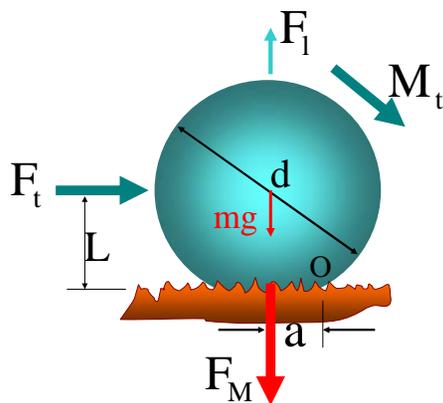
**Hydrodynamic Torque**

$$M_t = \frac{2.14\pi\rho u^*{}^2 d^2 L}{C}$$

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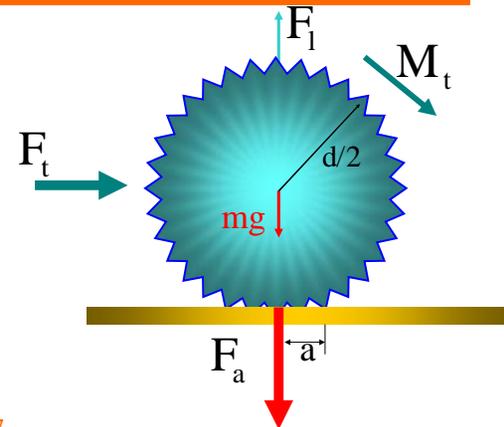
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## Rough Particle Clarkson University



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# Detachment Model Clarkson University

## MOMENT DETACHMENT

$$M_t + F_t \left( \frac{d}{2} - \alpha_0 \right) + (F_L - mg)a \geq F_M a$$

## SLIDING DETACHMENT

$$F_t \geq k(F_M + mg - F_L)$$

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# Detachment Models- Sublayer Clarkson University

## Rolling

$$u_c^* = \left[ \frac{aC[\pi a^2 N f_{po} \exp[-0.6/(\Delta_c)^2] + mg]}{\rho L d^2 (5.04\pi + 1.95 \frac{aC u_c^*}{v})} \right]^{1/2}$$

## Sliding

$$u_c^* = \left[ \frac{kC[\pi a^2 N f_{po} \exp[-0.6/(\Delta_c)^2] + mg]}{\rho L d (5.8\pi + 1.95 \frac{kC d u_c^*}{v})} \right]^{1/2}$$

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# Detachment Models-Burst Clarkson University

## Rolling

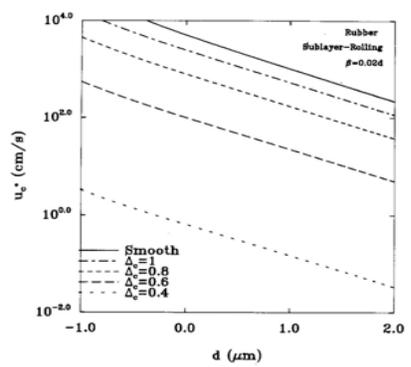
$$u_c^* = \left[ \frac{aC(\pi a^2 N f_{po} \exp[-0.6/(\Delta_c)^2] + mg)}{\rho L d^2 (1.72 + 0.1 \frac{u_c^* L}{v}) \left( 5.04\pi + 1.95 \frac{aC u_c^*}{v} (1.72 + 0.2 \frac{u_c^* L}{v})^{1/2} \right)} \right]^{1/2}$$

## Sliding

$$u_c^* = \left[ \frac{kC[\pi a^2 N f_{po} \exp[-0.6/(\Delta_c)^2] + mg]}{\rho d L (1.72 + 0.1 \frac{u_c^* L}{v}) \left( 5.8\pi + 1.95 \frac{kC d u_c^*}{v} (1.72 + 0.2 \frac{u_c^* L}{v})^{1/2} \right)} \right]^{1/2}$$

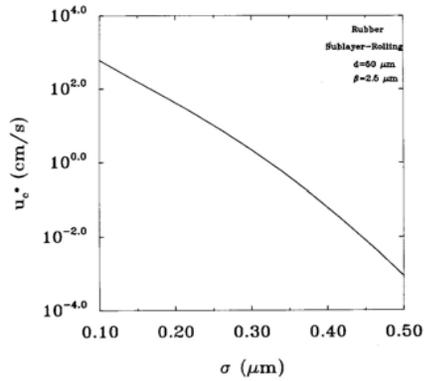
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# Critical Detachment Shear Velocity Clarkson University



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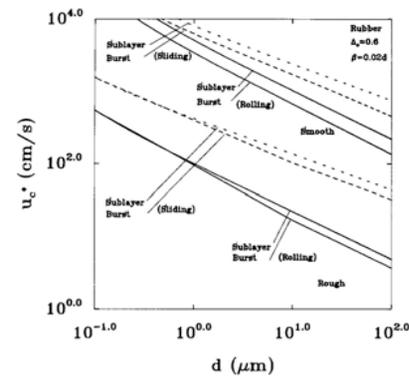
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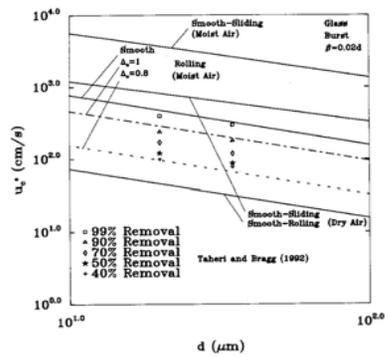
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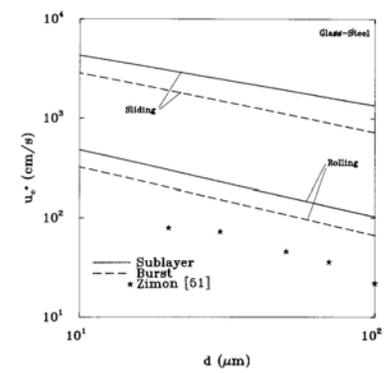
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# Comparison with Zimon

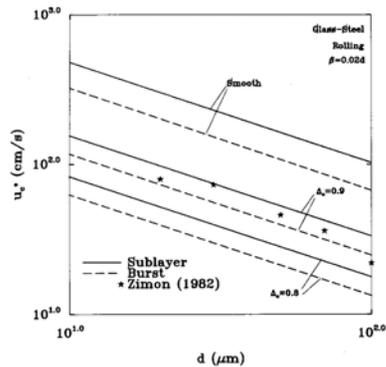


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## Critical Detachment Shear Velocity

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## Conclusions

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- Rolling detachment is the dominant mechanism for detachment of rough spherical particles.
- Roughness significantly reduces the adhesion pull-off force.
- Turbulence near wall flow structure plays an important role in particle detachment process.
- Accounting for surface roughness improves the agreement between the model prediction and experimental data

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# Thank you!

# Questions?

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