







VIBRATED LAYERS OF SLENDER FIBERS

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Nylon flexible fibers of aspect ratio 25-100.

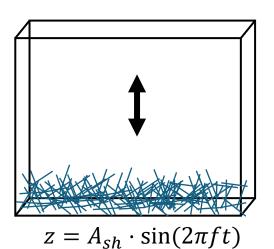
Response of a fiber assembly to mechanical solicitations?





VERTICAL VIBRATION OF FLEXIBLE FIBERS

Fibers of low aspect ratio r



- Quasi-2D cell
- Bed thickness ≈ 1 cm

r = 25



$$f = 20 \, Hz$$
, $A_{sh} = 2 \, mm$

$$f = 10 Hz - 35 Hz$$
$$A_{sh} = 0 - 1 cm$$

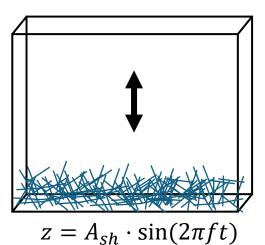


5 cm



VERTICAL VIBRATION OF FLEXIBLE FIBERS

Fibers of high aspect ratio r

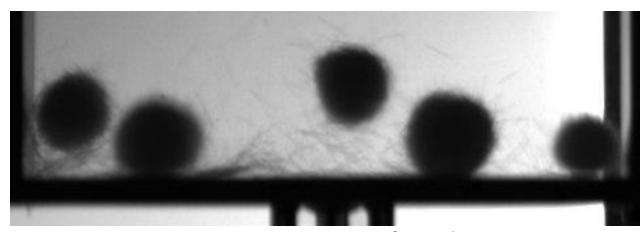


- Bed thickness ≈ 1 cm

Quasi-2D cell

r = 100

$$f = 30 \ Hz, A_{sh} = 2.4 \ mm$$



$$f=15$$
 Hz, $A_{sh}=6$ mm

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5 cm