



# **Aerosol Photometers: The Gold Standard in HEPA Filtration Testing**气溶胶光度计：在HEPA测试中的 黄金标准

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# Introductions



# Agenda 主题

- History of Photometry 光度测定法历史
- Science of Photometry 光度测定法科学
- Applications of Photometry 光度测定法应用



# History of Photometers & HEPA Filters 光度计和HEPA 历史



# History of Photometers & HEPA Filters

**“You can’t have one without the  
other”**

**The photometer was first  
since there was a need**

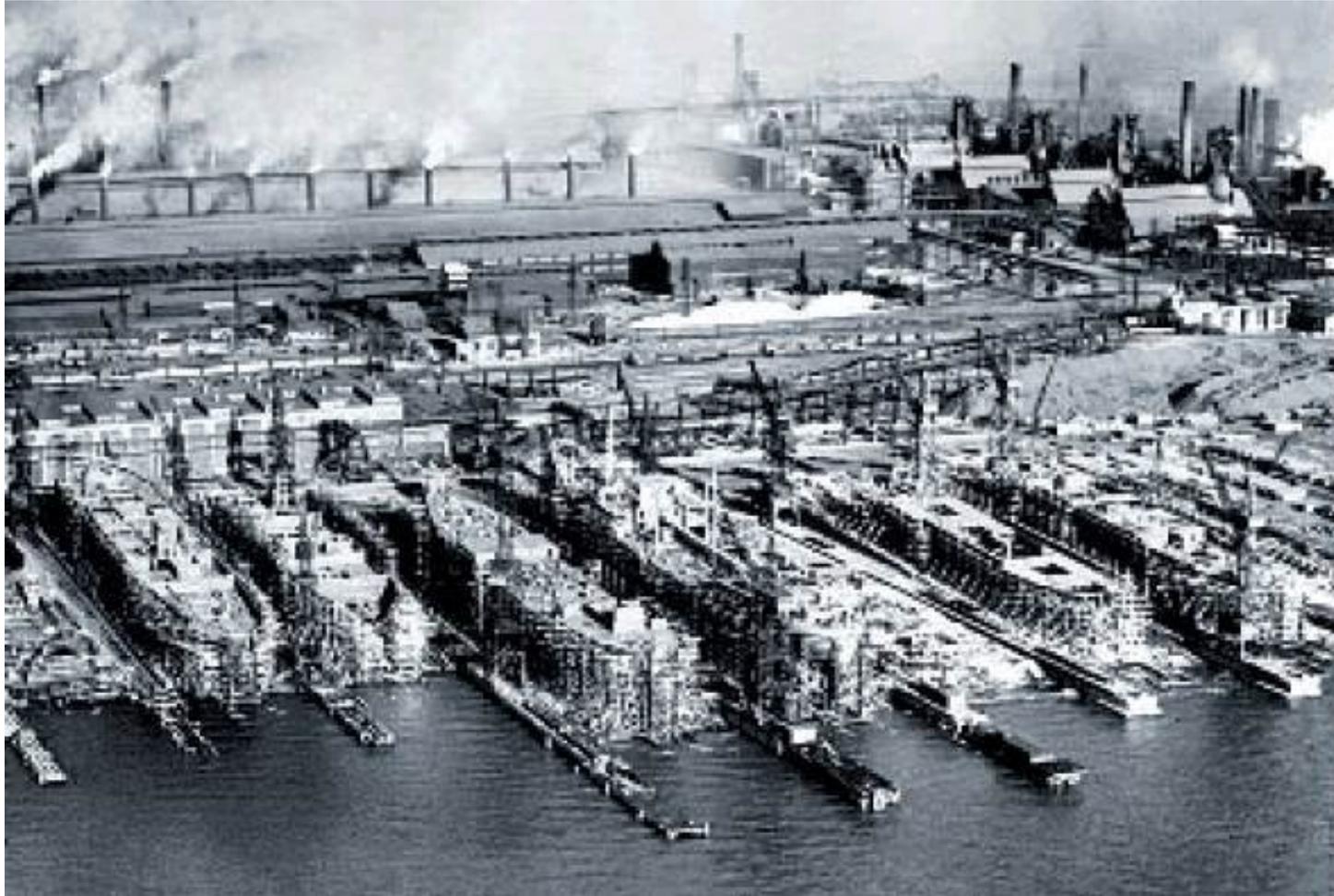
**David Sinclair, Ph.D.**

**(Nephelometer 浊度计)**

**(Not portable and had logarithmic  
display 不是便携式的且是对数显示)**

# Air Pollution Research 1933

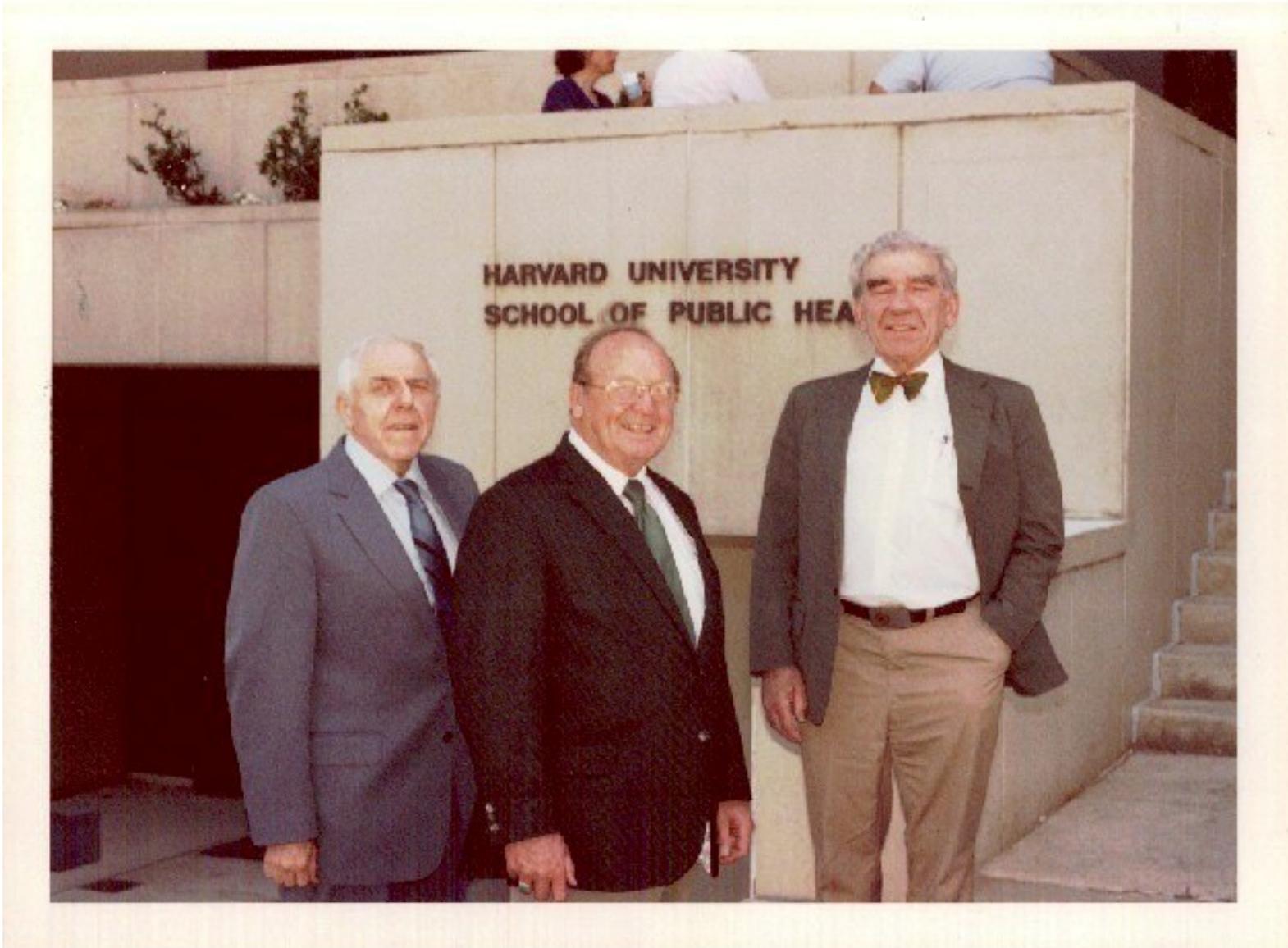
## 自1933年来的空气污染研究



**WW II generated a high  
priority need 二战后产生了一个  
高优先性需求**

**It all started in 1942**

# Some Key Players 主要的玩家



Wendell Anderson, Humphrey Gilbert, Dr. Melvin First

# **Captured WW II German Gas Masks 德国的防毒 面具获得**

- **The US had performed no gas mask development since WW 1 在1战时，美国没有防毒面具**
- **German masks used cellulose asbestos media patented by Dräger Werke in 1933 在二战中德国用德尔格专利的石棉纤维纸作防毒面具的滤材**
- **Wendell Anderson working with H&V developed media comparable to the German sample Wendell Anderson 和哈佛发展能够和德国滤材相比较的滤材。**

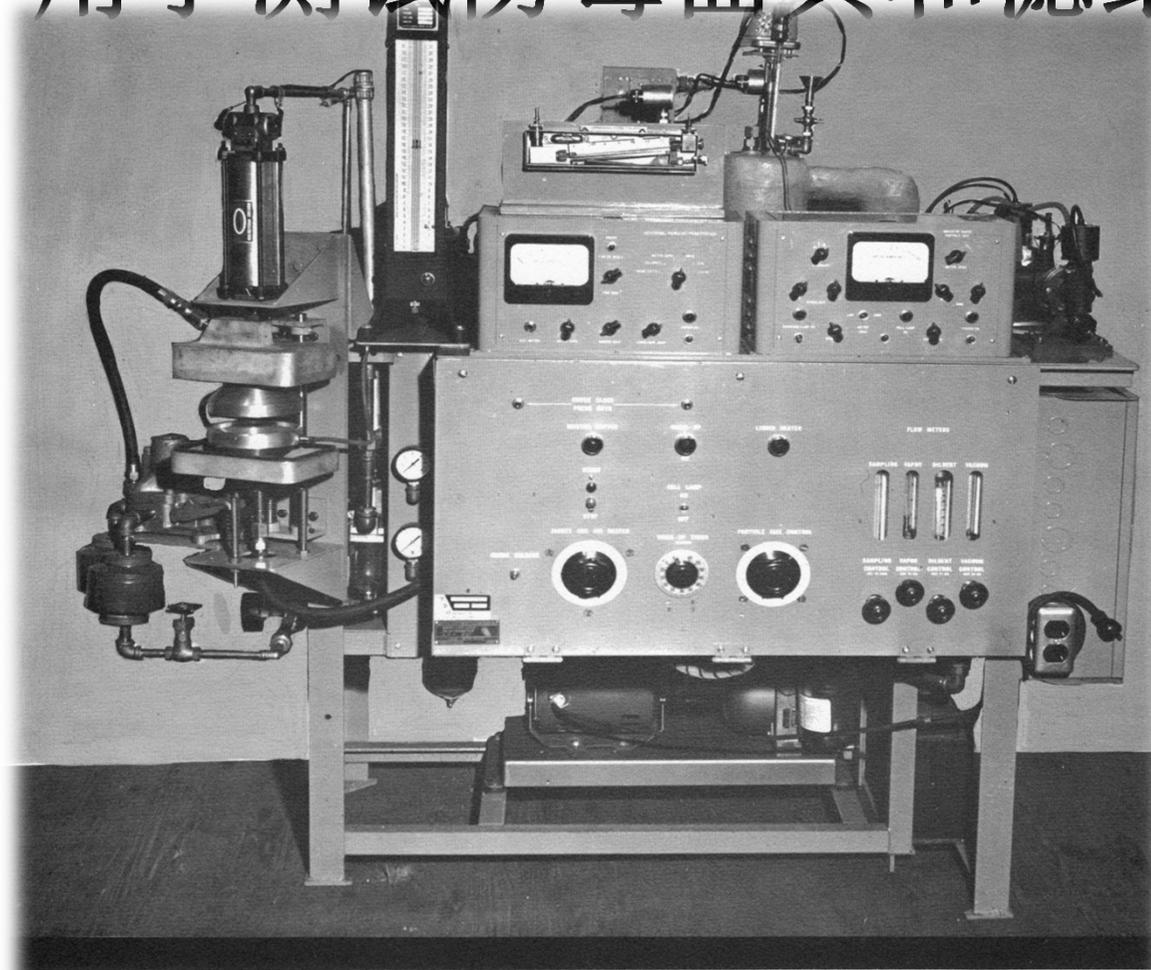
# M10A1 Canister M10A1 滤毒罐



# Tank & APC M-25 Mask 坦克 & APC M-25防毒面具

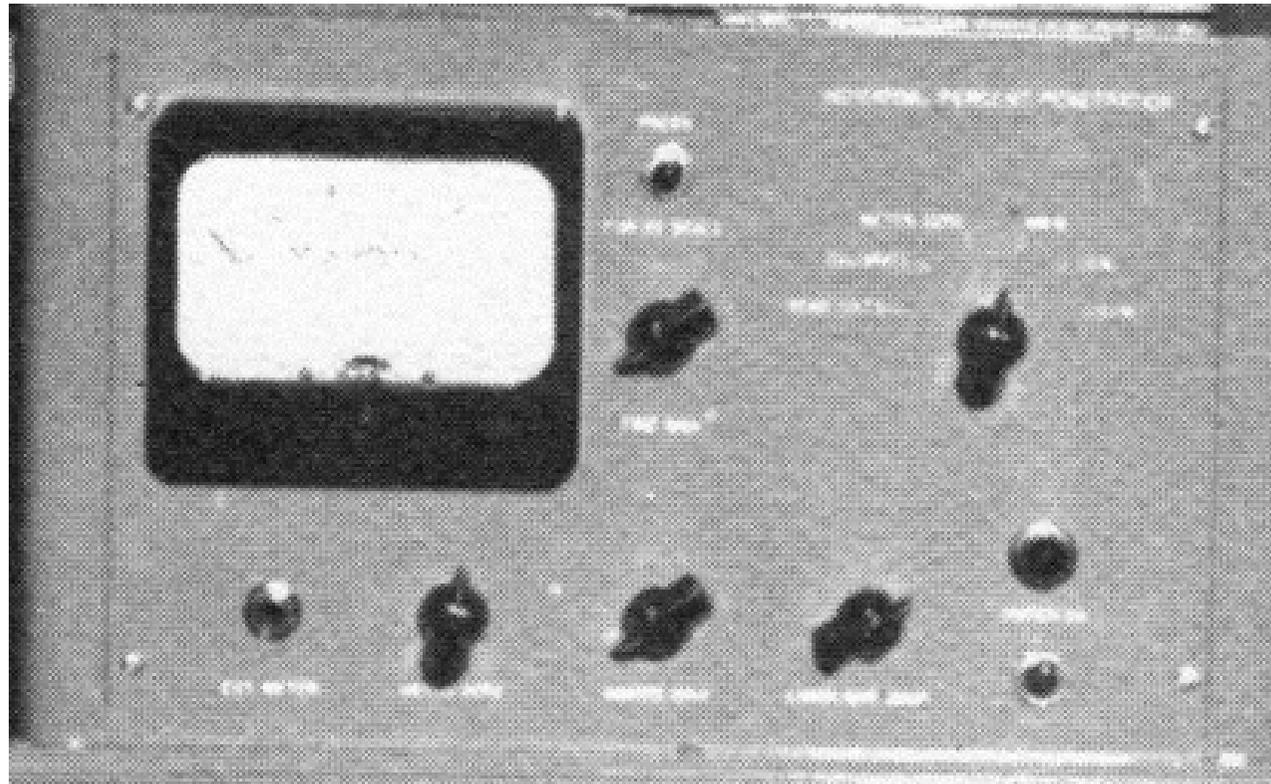


# Smoke Penetrometer to test the gas mask paper & filters 烟雾光度 计用于测试防毒面具和滤纸



**D O P SMOKE PENETROMETER, Q127**

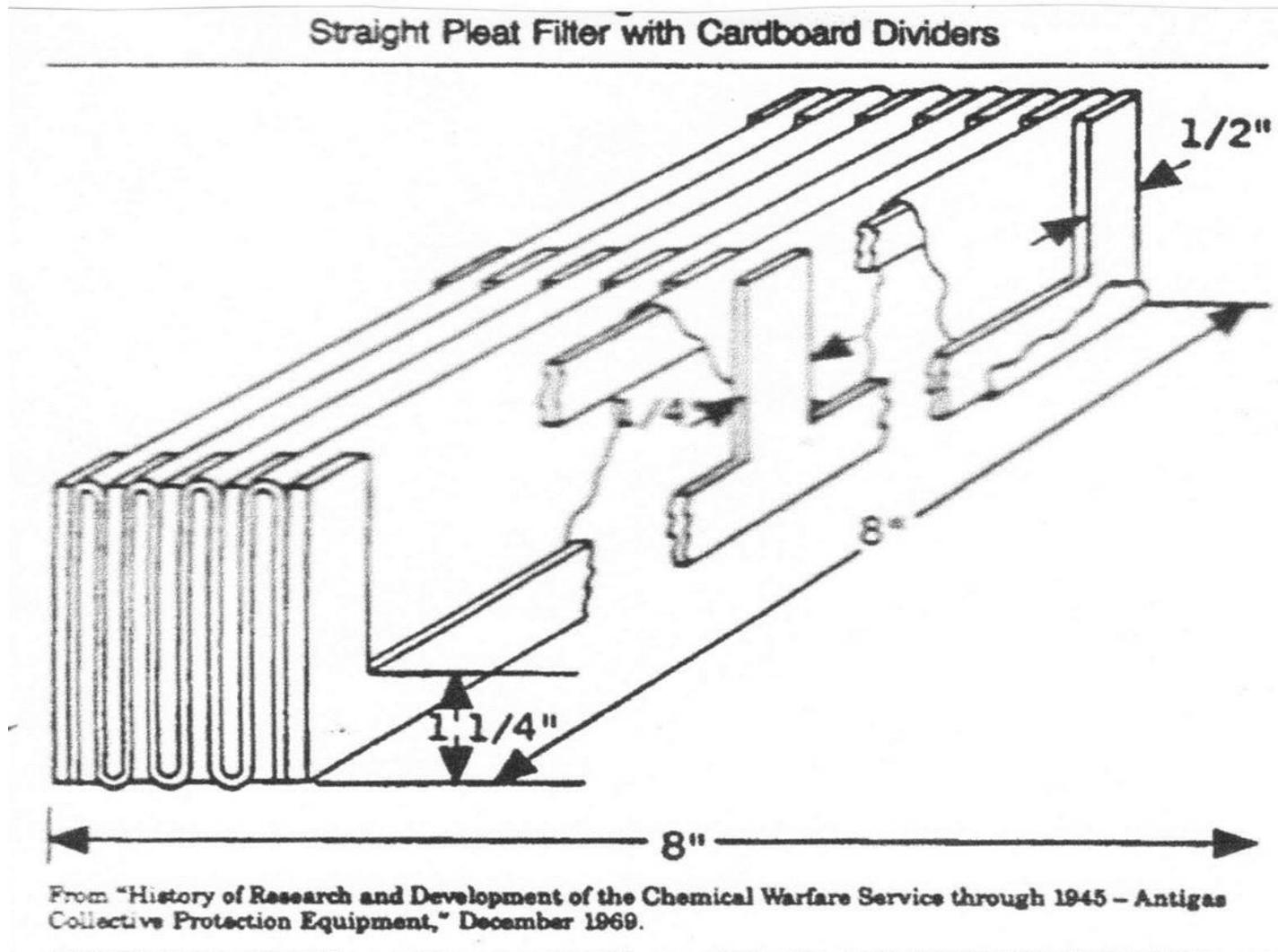
# First Linear Photometer 第一个 线性光度计



# Space Filter空间过滤器

- **US military needed filtration of room areas for people and used gas mask media for a pleated filter for larger air flow (1943-1948)**  
美国军方需要过滤人工作的房间区域，把防毒面具的滤材用到一个褶皱过滤器上，可提供大的气流。
- **Know as “Collective Protection”**被认为是一个集体性的保护
- **Used cardboard spacers between pleats, which had high air flow resistance**在摺之间用纸板作为间隔，这种结构会产生高的气流阻力

# Cardboard Pleat 纸板与摺



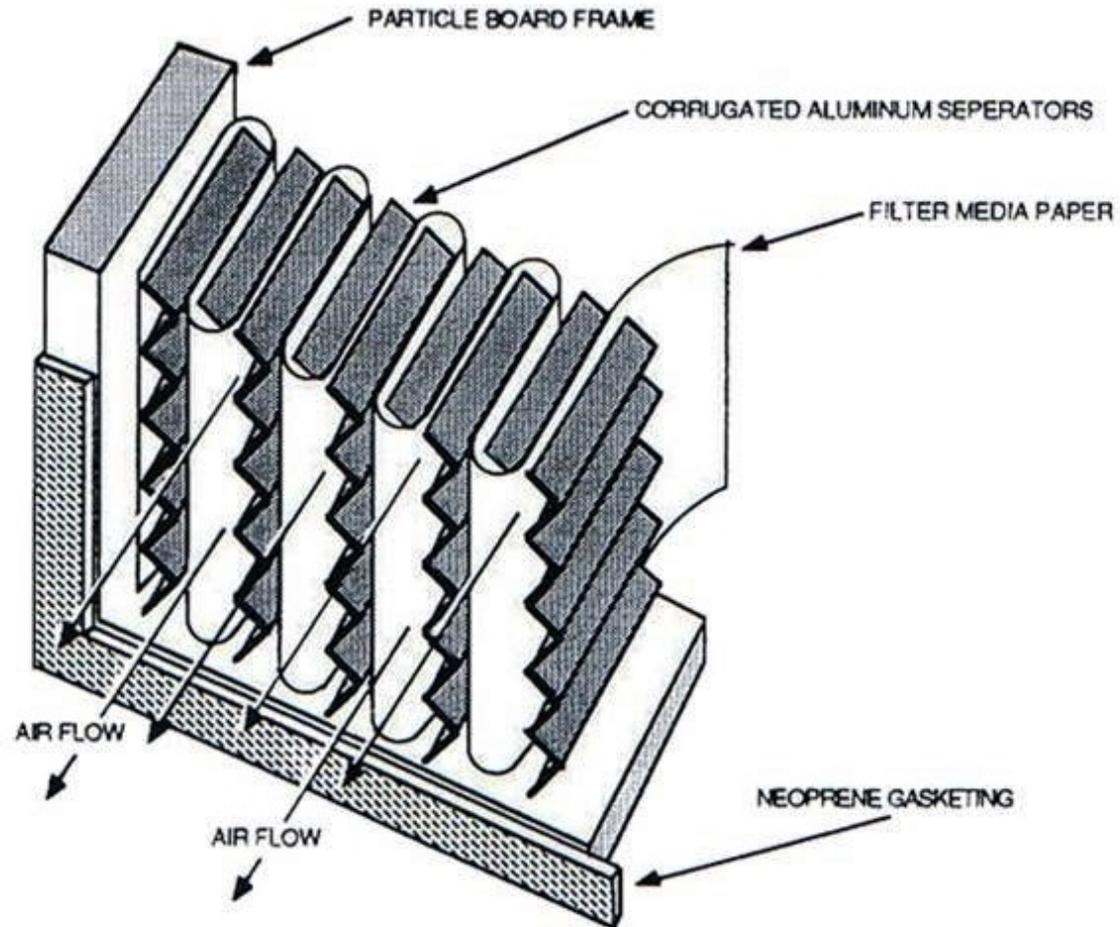
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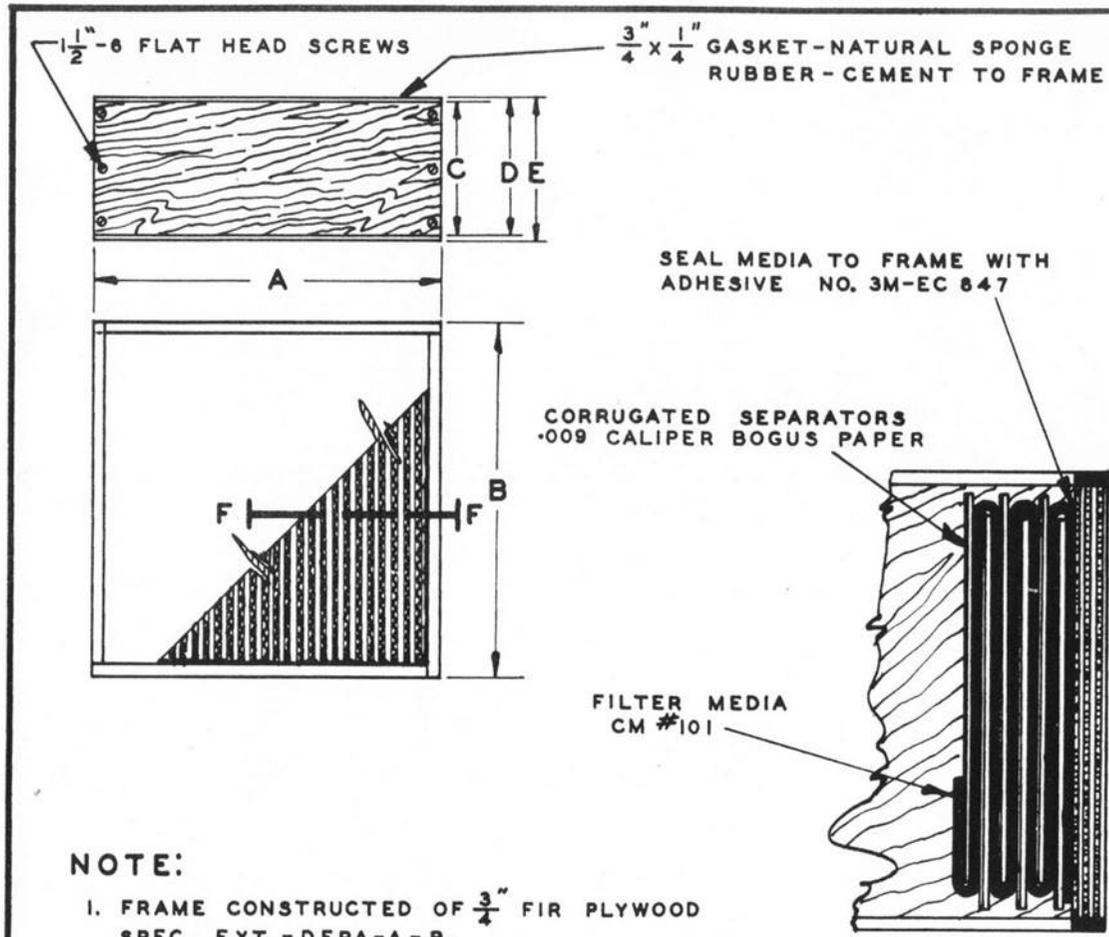
- **Humphrey Gilbert safety engineer at Los Alamos was sent to Oak Ridge**
- **Filters used in Manhattan Project were very thick with extremely high pressure drop**用在曼哈顿工程上的过滤器特别薄，很高的压力降
- **Foresaw need for high efficiency air filters in HVAC systems**预测在HVAC暖通系统中有高效空气过滤器需求

# **Absolute Air Filter**完全的空 气过滤器

- **Gilbert (now with AEC) unhappy with Army Space filter and its limitations****Gilbert (AEC)对空间过滤器和它的限制性很不高兴**
- **AEC in 1948 gives Author D. Little a contract to redesign filter and find a supplier****AEC在1948年AEC给D. Little 一个合同用于重新设计过滤器并找到供应商**
- **Walter Smith Ph.D. comes up with corrugated cardboard separator idea**
- **Walter Smith Ph.D提出使纸板分隔器起邹摺**

# Improved Pleated Filter Design改良后的起邹 摺的过滤器





**NOTE:**

1. FRAME CONSTRUCTED OF 3/4" FIR PLYWOOD SPEC. EXT. - DFPA-A-B.
2. TOLERANCES:  
1/16" ± ON OVERALL DIMENSIONS.
3. MAX. DEVIATION FROM THE SQUARE NOT MORE THAN 1/8" AT ANY CORNER.

MODEL	RATED CFM AT 1" W.G.	DIMENSIONS				
		A	B	C	D	E
IA-25-0	30	8	8	3 1/16	IA-25-1 3 5/16	IA-25-2 3 9/16
IA-50-0	50	8	8	5 7/8	IA-50-1 6 1/8	IA-50-2 6 3/8
IA-250-0	250	24	24	3 1/16	IA-250-1 3 5/16	IA-250-2 3 9/16
IA-600-0	550	24	24	5 7/8	IA-600-1 6 1/8	IA-600-2 6 3/8
IA-1000-0	1000	24	24	11 1/2	IA-1000-1 11 3/4	IA-1000-2 12
IA-1250-0	1250	24	30	11 1/2	IA-1250-1 11 3/4	IA-1250-2 12

DIMENSIONS & MODEL NO. 1 - GASKET

DIMENSIONS & MODEL NO. 2 - GASKETS

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# HEPA Filter Development HEPA过滤器 发展

- **First Air Cleaning Seminar for AEC personnel held June 1951 at Harvard Air Cleaning Laboratory** 1951年6月在哈佛空间洁净实验室举办了第一个空气洁净研讨会
- **First Handbook on Air Cleaning distributed at meeting** 在会上发行了一个有关空气洁净的手册。
- **Fires at several weapons plants made need for high temperature and water resistance necessary** 几个武器工厂的起火造成了对高温和防水性过滤器需求。

# Second Air Cleaning Conference held in Ames, IA 1952

Melvin W. First  
Ph.D.  
Presented four  
research papers

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procedures and  
Apparatus to test  
High Efficiency  
filters and related  
products  
Penetrometers  
Q-127 Low Flow  
Q-76 Med. Flow  
Q-107 High Flow  
Rough Handling  
Water Repellency  
etc.**

**MIL-STD-282**

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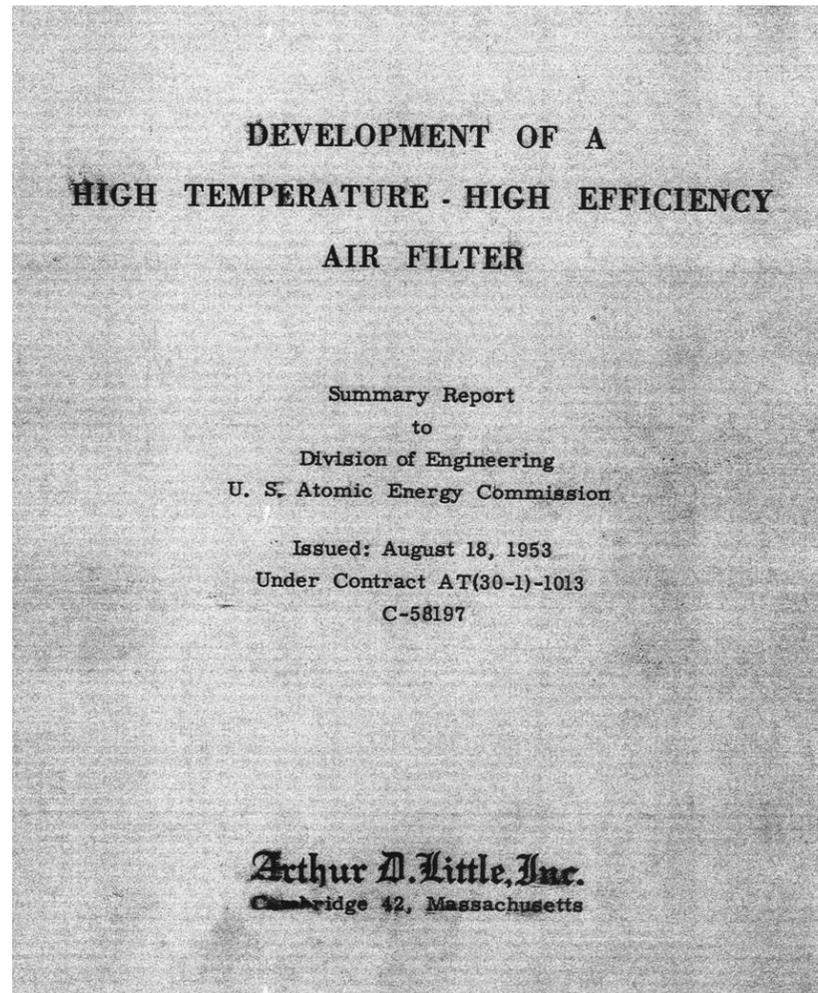
**MILITARY STANDARD**

**FILTER UNITS, PROTECTIVE CLOTHING,  
GAS-MASK COMPONENTS AND  
RELATED PRODUCTS: PERFORMANCE-  
TEST METHODS**



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# HEPA Development for Fire & Water Resistance (1953)



# First HEPA Guide (1961)

HEALTH AND SAFETY

HIGH EFFICIENCY  
PARTICULATE  
AIR FILTER  
UNITS

●  
HUMPHREY GILBERT  
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission  
Washington, D. C.

●  
JAMES H. PALMER  
General Electric Company  
Richland, Washington

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Washington 25, D. C.  
August 1961

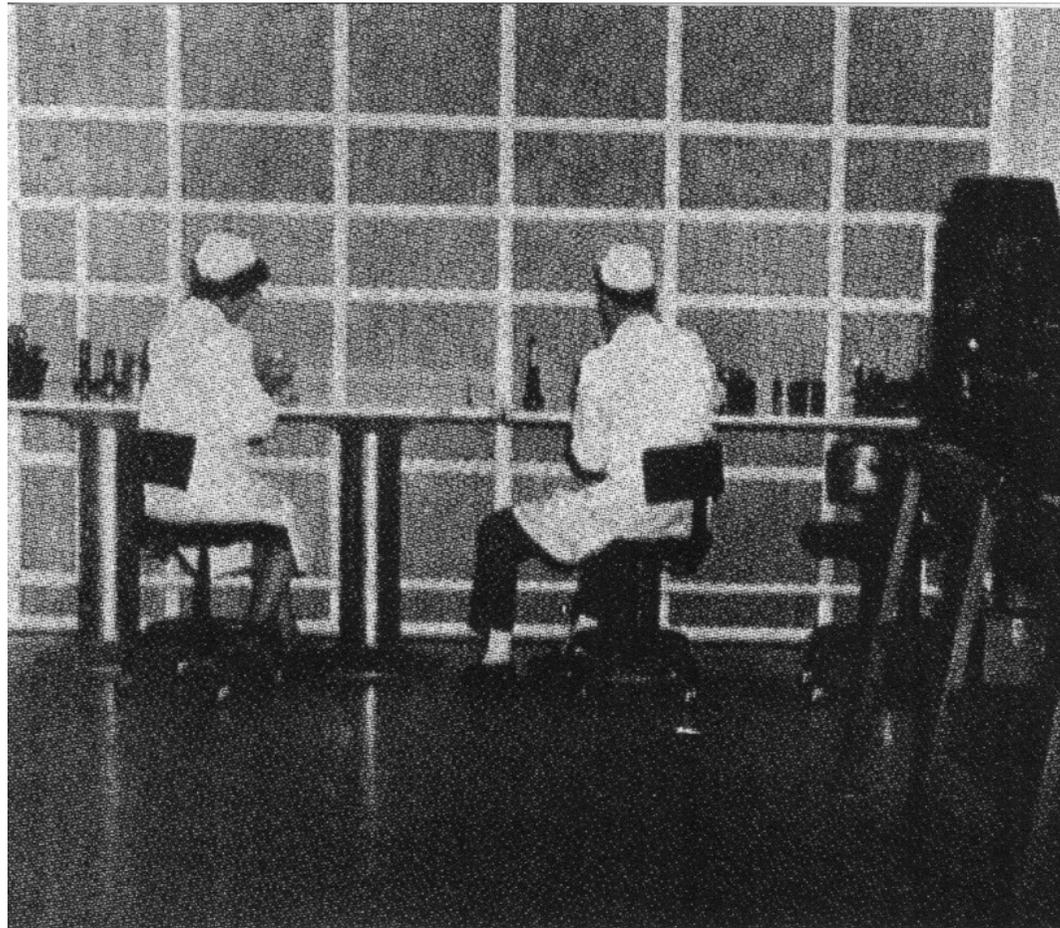
# Willis Whitfield (1961)



Discovery of  
Laminar Flow  
at Sandia  
National Labs  
发明层流在  
Sandia国家实  
验室

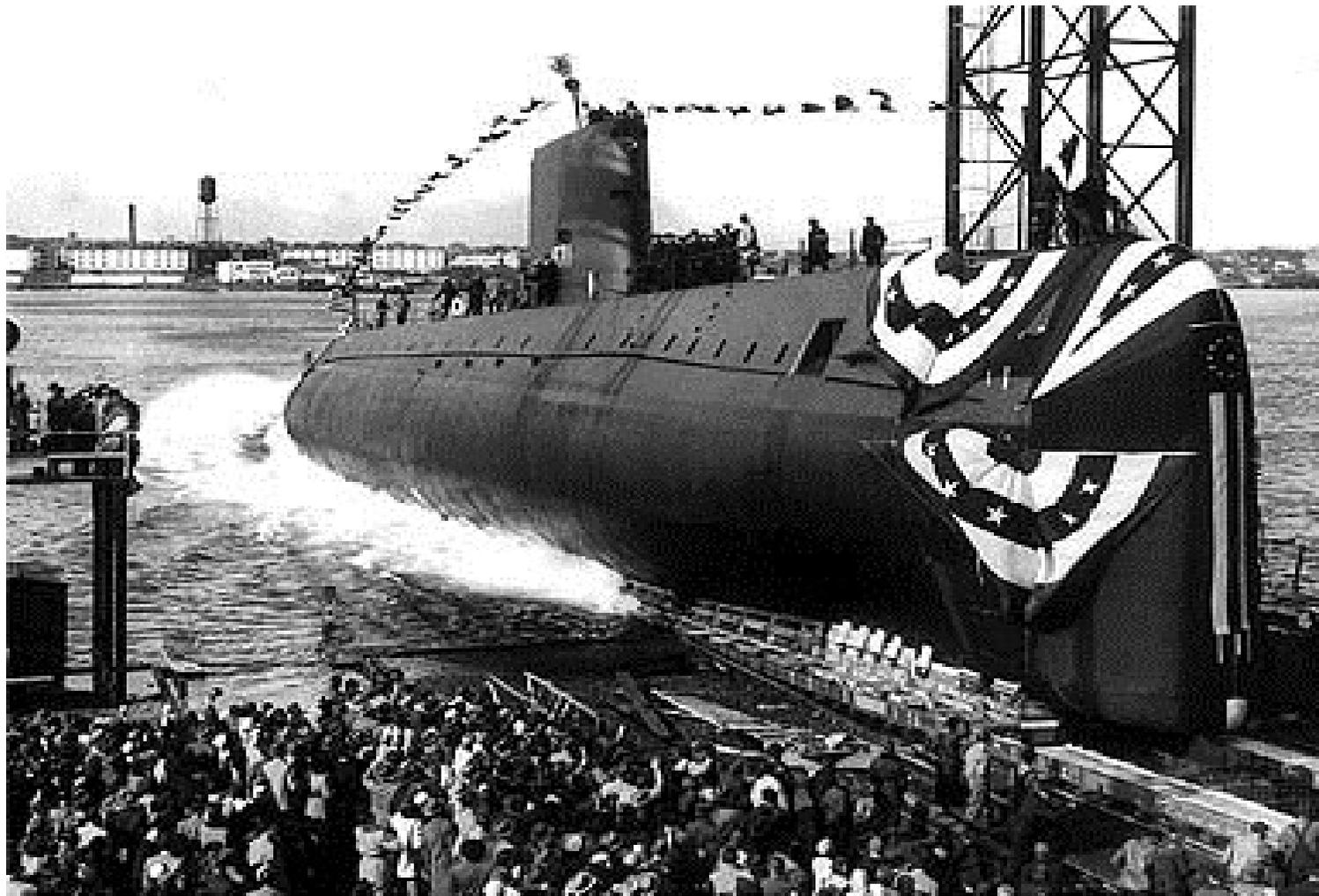
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Sandia国家实验室在芝加哥为**IES(T)**演示洁净室

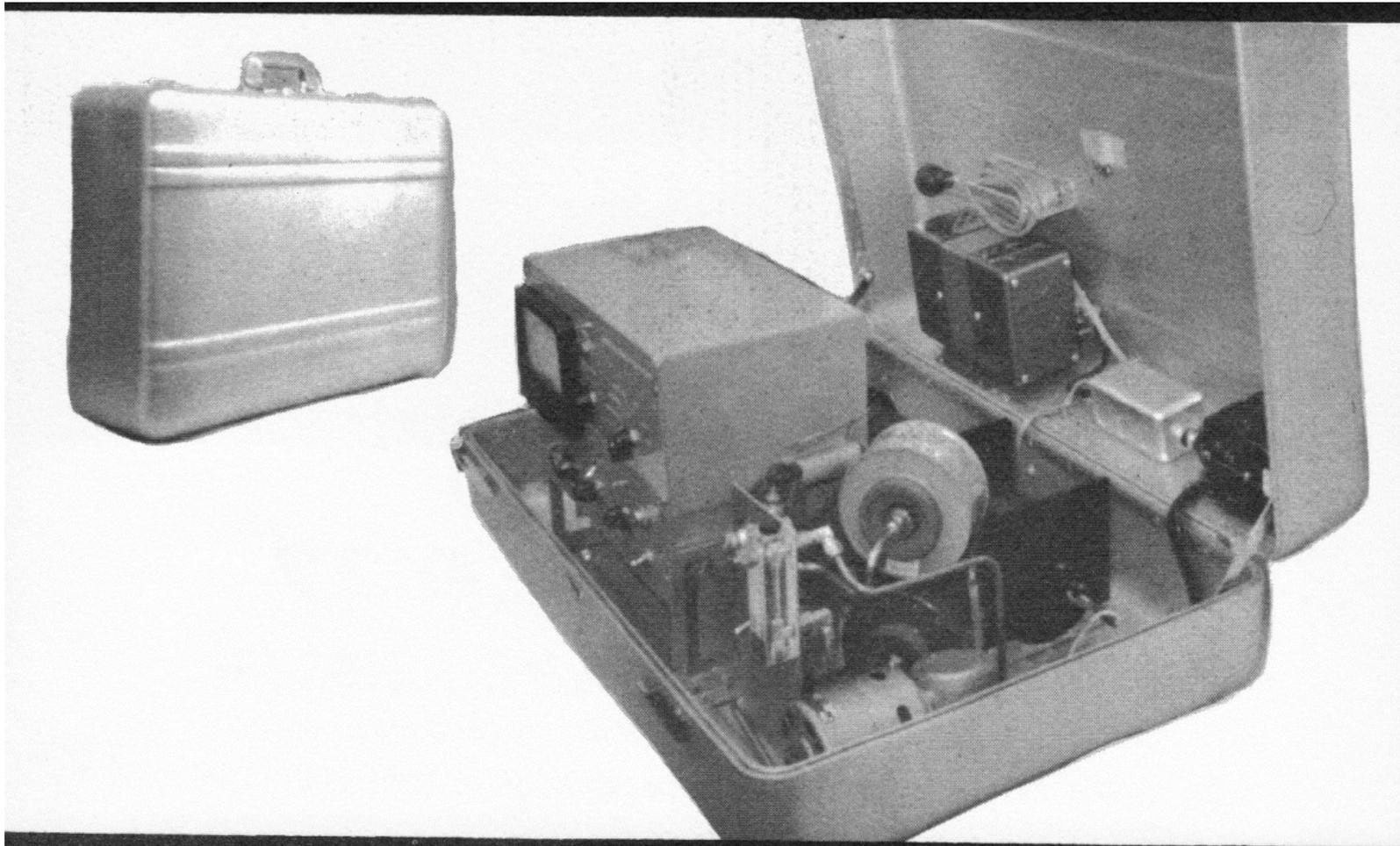


(1962)

# First “In Place Filter Test”

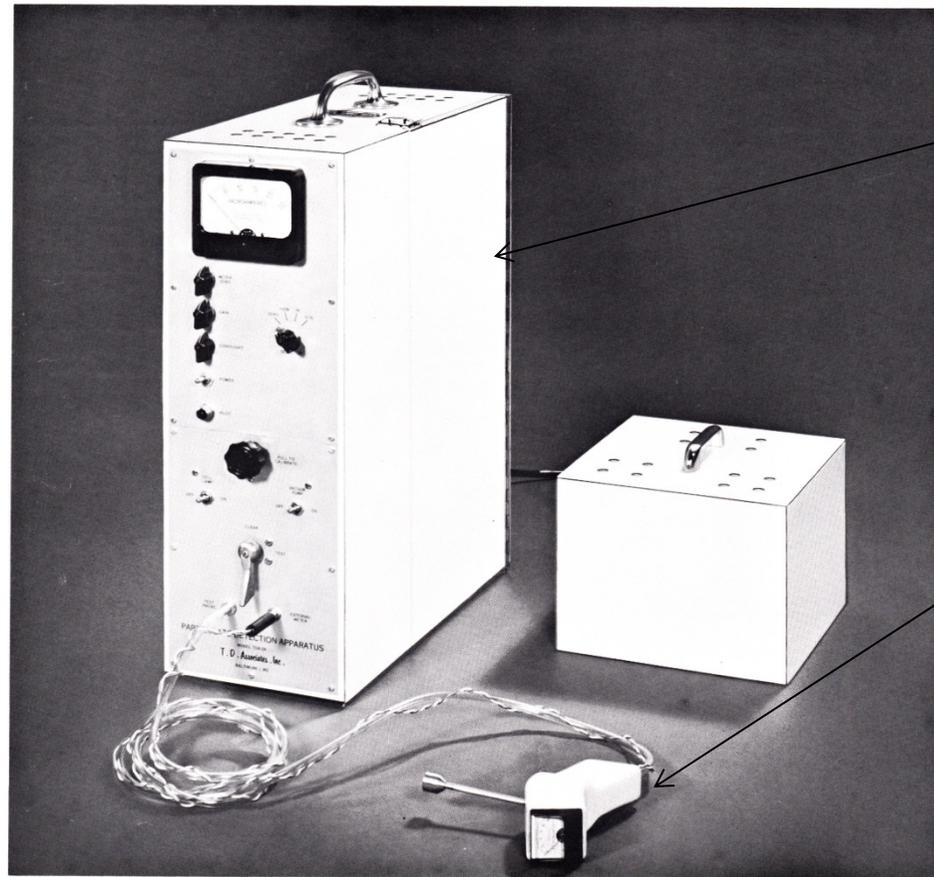


# First Portable Linear Photometer TDA-2 (1962) 第一个便携式的线性光度计





# Next Portable Photometer TDA-2A (1964)



Cabinet covered  
in white Formica  
(White Rooms)

First Scanning  
Probe

TDA-2A PARTICULATE DETECTION UNIT

# Next Portable Photometer TDA-2B (1965-66)

## TDA-2B PARTICULATE DETECTION UNIT



Ergonomic front  
panel design

# First Commercial Standards (1967)

## 第一个商业化标准

Tentative Standard for  
**HEPA FILTERS**

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# First Commercial Standards (1967)

## Tentative Standard for LAMINAR FLOW CLEAN AIR DEVICES

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# Discussion





# What is a Filter 过滤器是什么



# Before Photometry 在光度计之前...

- What is a Filter? 过滤器是什么
  - Filtration Mechanics 过滤机理
  - MPPS 最易穿透滤径
- How to Test a Filter 怎样测试一个过滤器
  - Efficiency 效率
  - Leak (Integrity) 泄露 (完整性)

# What is a Filter? 过滤器是什么

Separation of one phase from another 从另一种物质中分离一种物质

- Solids or liquids in Air (Home Furnace) 空气中的固体或液体
- Solids in liquid (Auto Oil/Gas) 液体中的固体
- Liquid in Air (Air oil separators) 空气中的液体
- Liquid in liquid (RO) 液体中的液体（反渗透）
- Gas in Gas (Activated Carbon) 气体中的气体（活性炭）

# What is a Filter?

A Controlled Leak! 一个被控制的泄露

Filtration controls the amount of impurity that is allowed to pass. 过滤控制杂质允许通过的量

There is no such thing as a 'perfect' filter  
(no resistance and 100% efficiency) 没有一个完美的过滤器，没有阻力但有100%效率

# Filtration Types 过滤器类型

- Materials 滤材
  - Fibers 纤维
  - Fibrous Structures 纤维状结构
  - Micropores 微孔
- Performance 性能
  - High Efficiency 高效率
  - Low Efficiency 低效率

# What are we dealing with? 处理 什么?

Solids or liquids in Air 空气中的固体或液体

&

Fibrous Filters 纤维过滤器

Other structures are more common in ultra  
filtration and special applications 在超高效过滤器  
中和特殊的应用的其它的结构也是很普通

# Fibrous Filters 纤维过滤器

- Typically Depth Filters 典型的深度过滤器
  - Filtration throughout media depth 通过滤材的深度来过滤
  - Very low to very high particle removal 低到高的颗粒除去范围
- Fibrous Filter Construction
  - Filter Disks/Pads 过滤饼状/平板状
  - Pleated Cartridges 邹摺的园筒状
  - Bags/Pockets 包/口袋

# Filtration Mechanics 过滤机理

- Pressure Drop 压力降
- Single Filter Efficiency 单个过滤器效率
- Collection Mechanisms 收集的方法

# Darcy's Law Darcy定律

- A way to determine pressure drop while designing a filter

$$\Delta P = KU\mu L$$

Where:

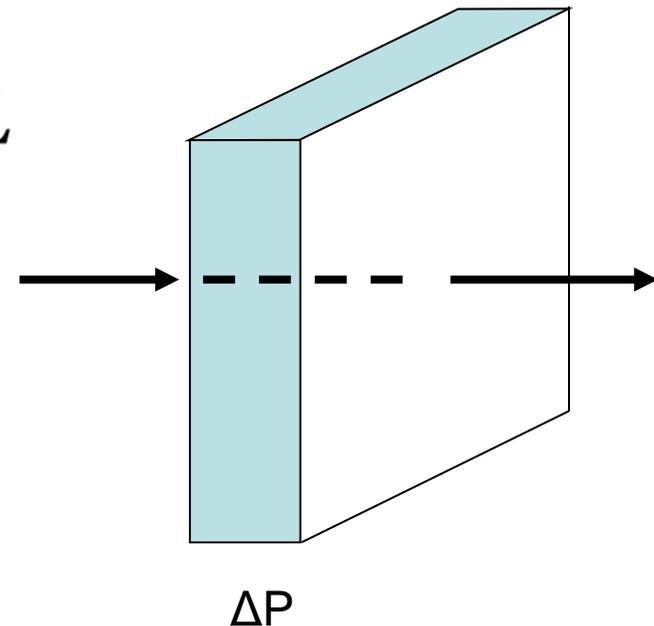
$\Delta P$  = pressure drop

$K$  = Darcy's Law constant

$U$  = face velocity

$\mu$  = viscosity

$L$  = filter thickness



设计一个过滤器时，决定阻力（压力降）的公式， $K$  常数， $U$ 过滤器面速， $\mu$ 风粘度， $L$ 过滤器厚度

# Darcy's Law

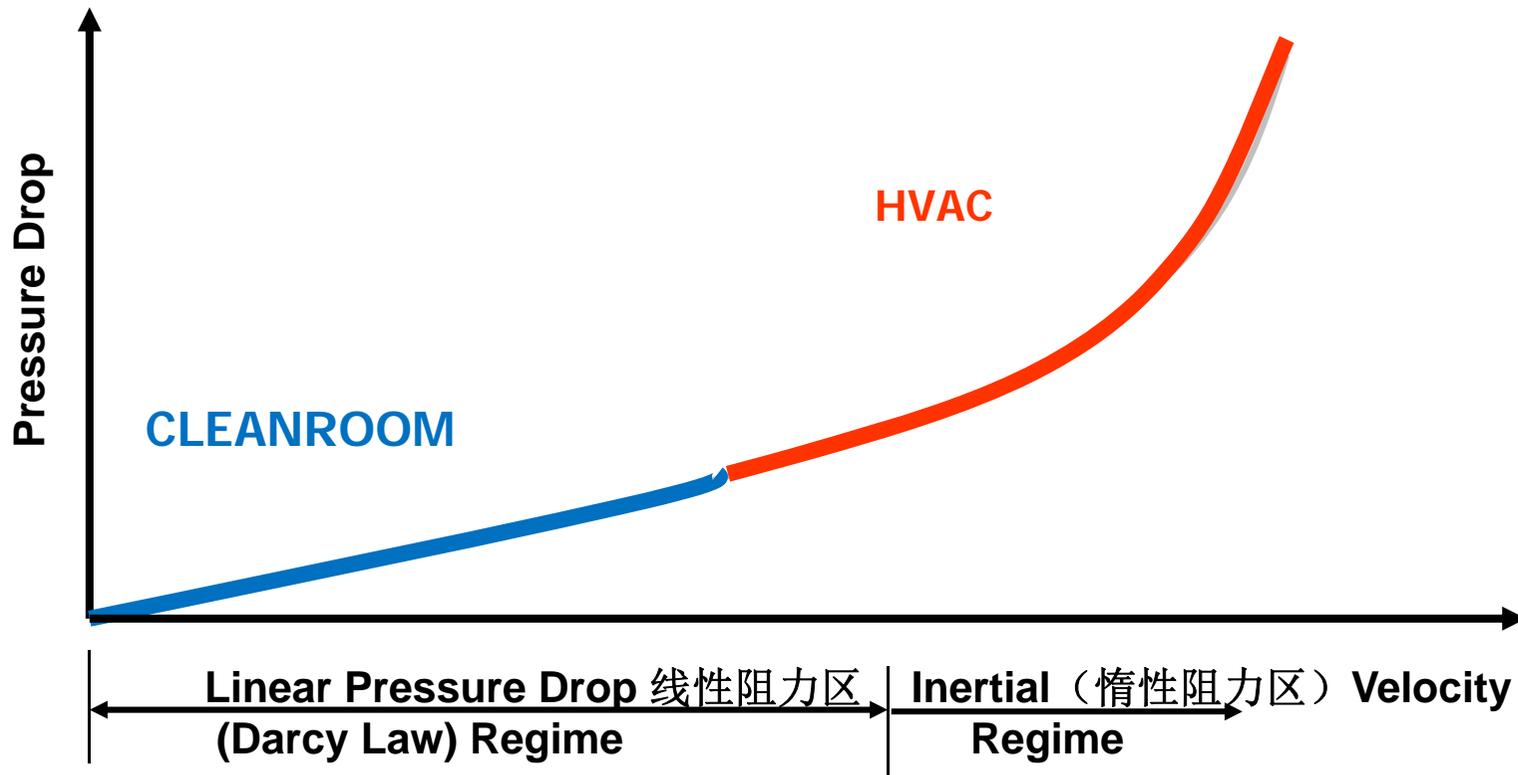
Simplified:  $\Delta P = KU$

Key take away:

Pressure Drop is Proportional to Flow

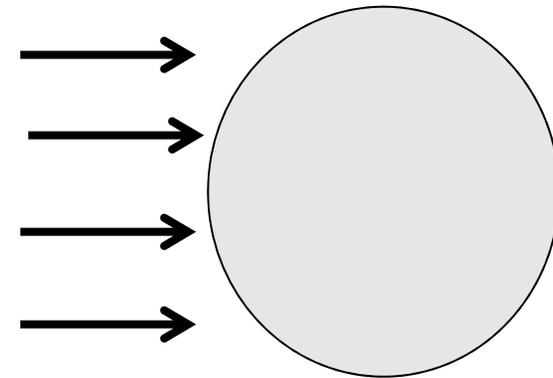
公式可简化为阻力与风量成正比

# Filter Pressure Drop

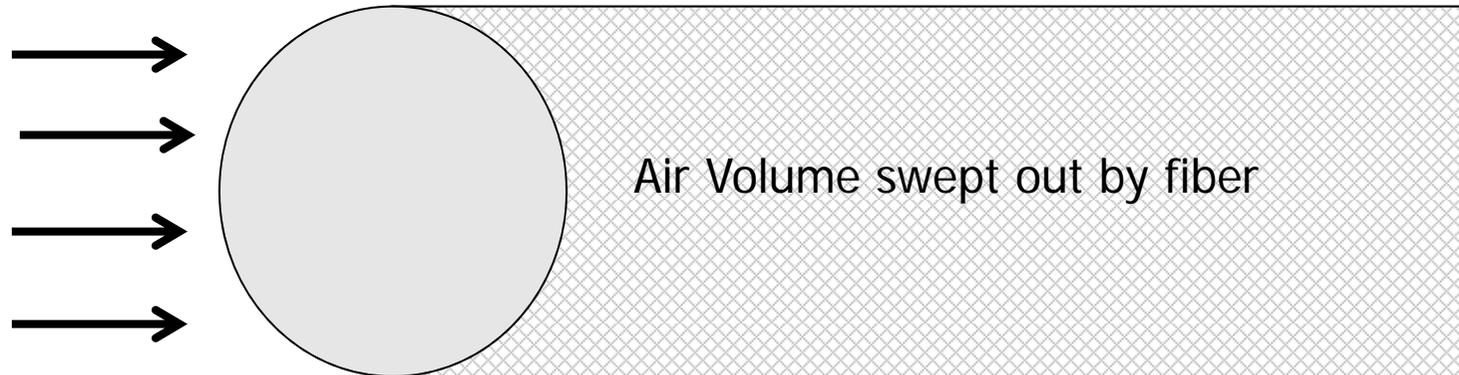


# Filtration Assumptions 过滤设定

- Fibers are in cross flow  
纤维在交叉流动气流中
- Particles are 'collected' upon contact with fiber  
一接触纤维，颗粒将被收集
- Uniform fiber diameter 均匀一致的纤维直径
- Uniform particle size 均匀的颗粒尺寸



# Single Fiber Efficiency 单一纤维的效率

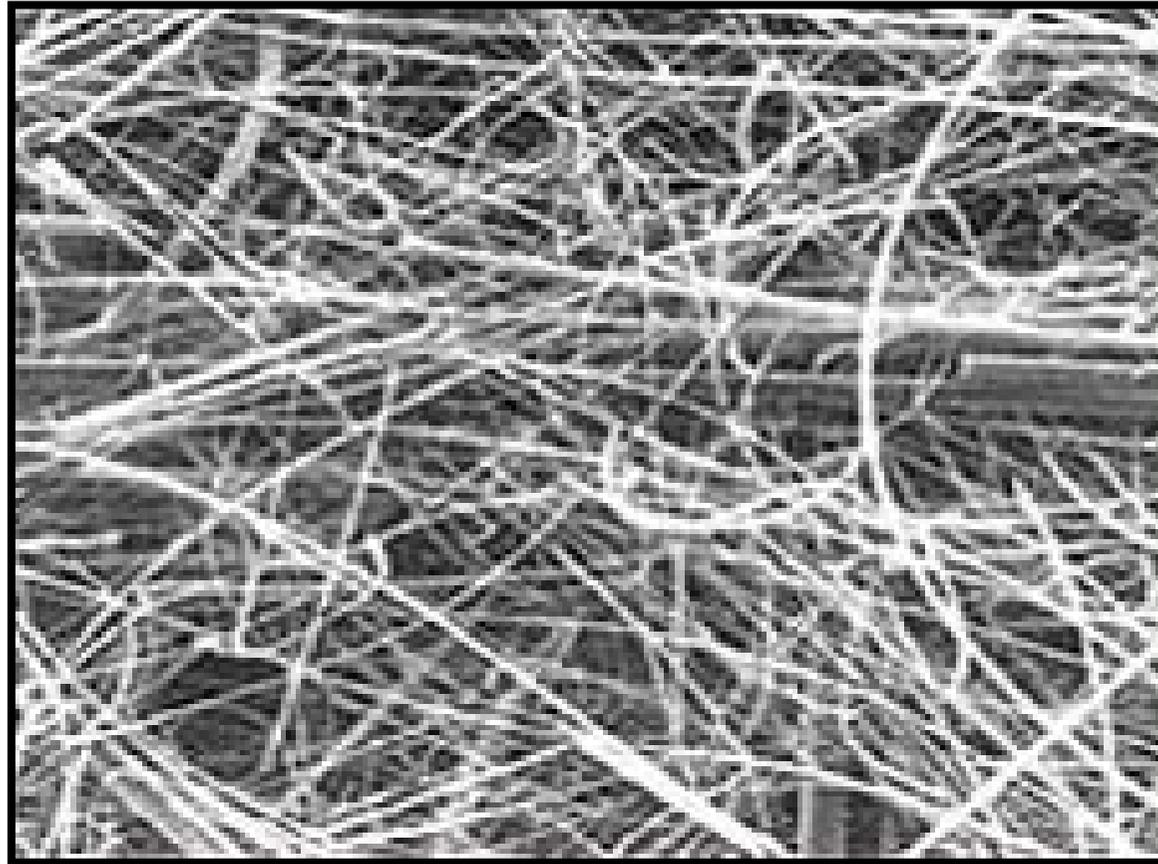


## Single Fiber Efficiency

$$\eta_s = \frac{\text{Particles collected by fiber 被纤维收集的颗粒}}{\text{Particles in volume of air geometrically swept out by fiber 纤维结构中的总颗粒}}$$

# Fiber Structure – HEPA

## HEPA 中纤维的结构

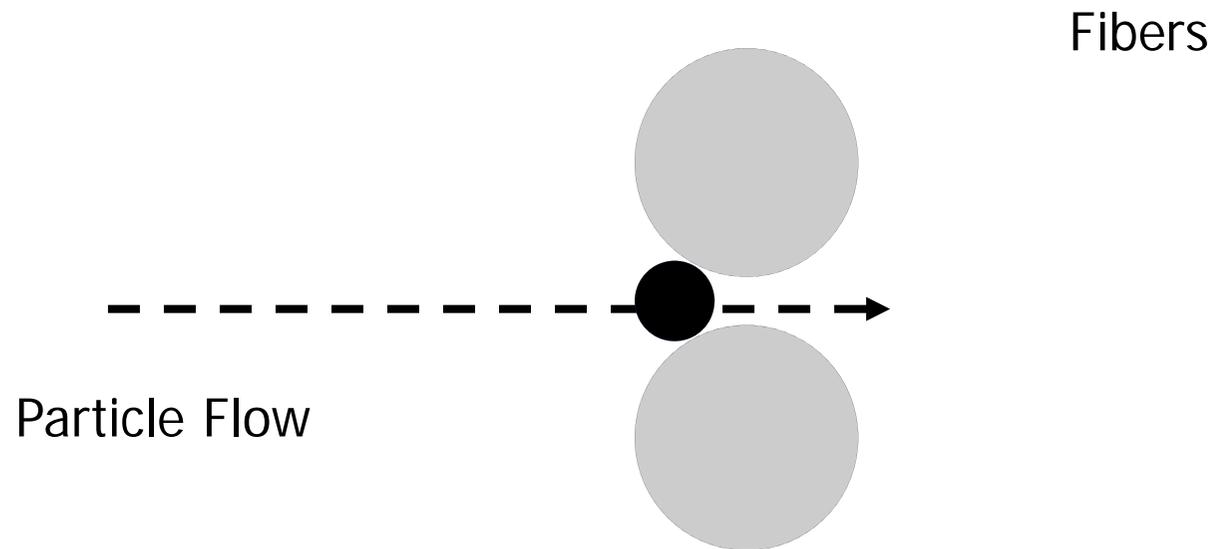


# Particle Collection Mechanics

## 颗粒被收集的机理

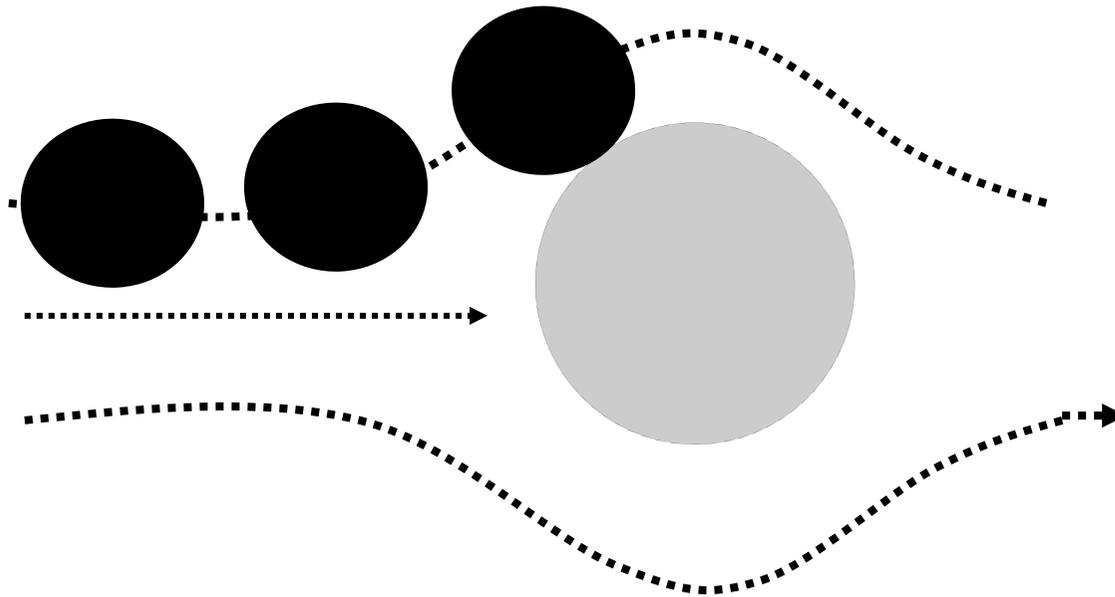
- Sieving 筛
- Inertial Impaction 惯性撞击
- Diffusion 扩散
- Interception 拦截

# Particle Collection: Sieving



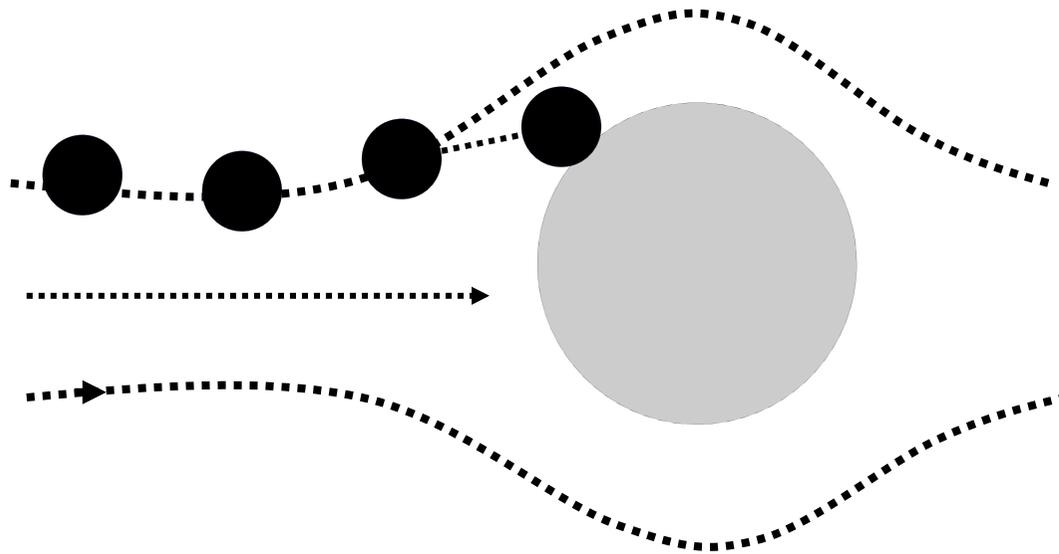
筛是一种最直观的收集方法，然而这个机理通常是发生在预过滤而不是 HEPA过滤器

# Particle Collection: Interception 拦截



拦截机量是一个撞击，颗粒撞击到纤维上于是被收集，大于颗粒常发生，因为其几何体积减少了其扩散的可能性

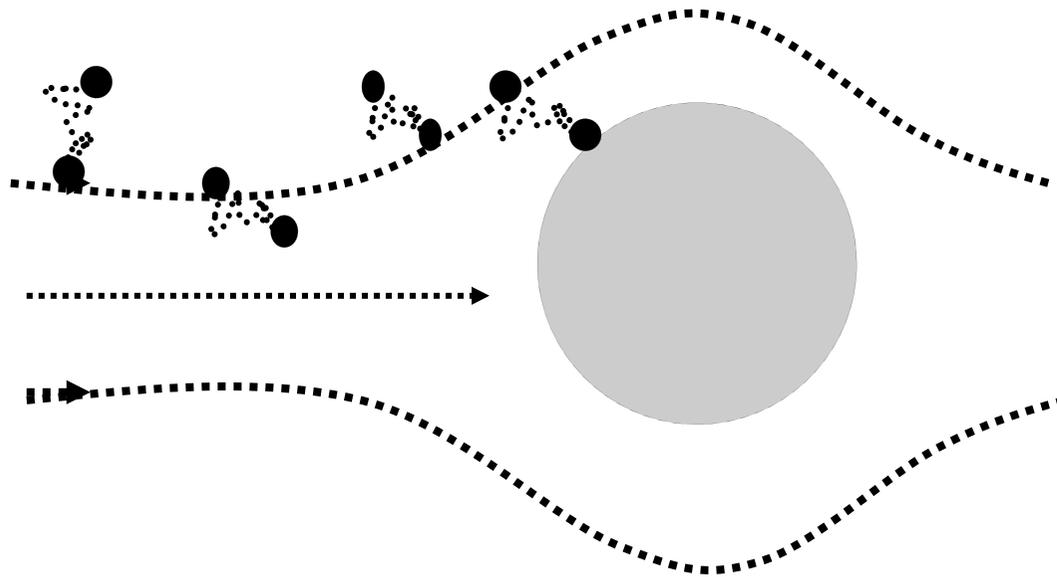
# Particle Collection: Inertial Impaction 惯性撞击



大颗粒，由于其巨大的质量，因而有大的惯性，从空气中分离，当气体混合一个纤维，并撞击到纤维上，在一个高的气流中惯性撞击的效果是很大的。

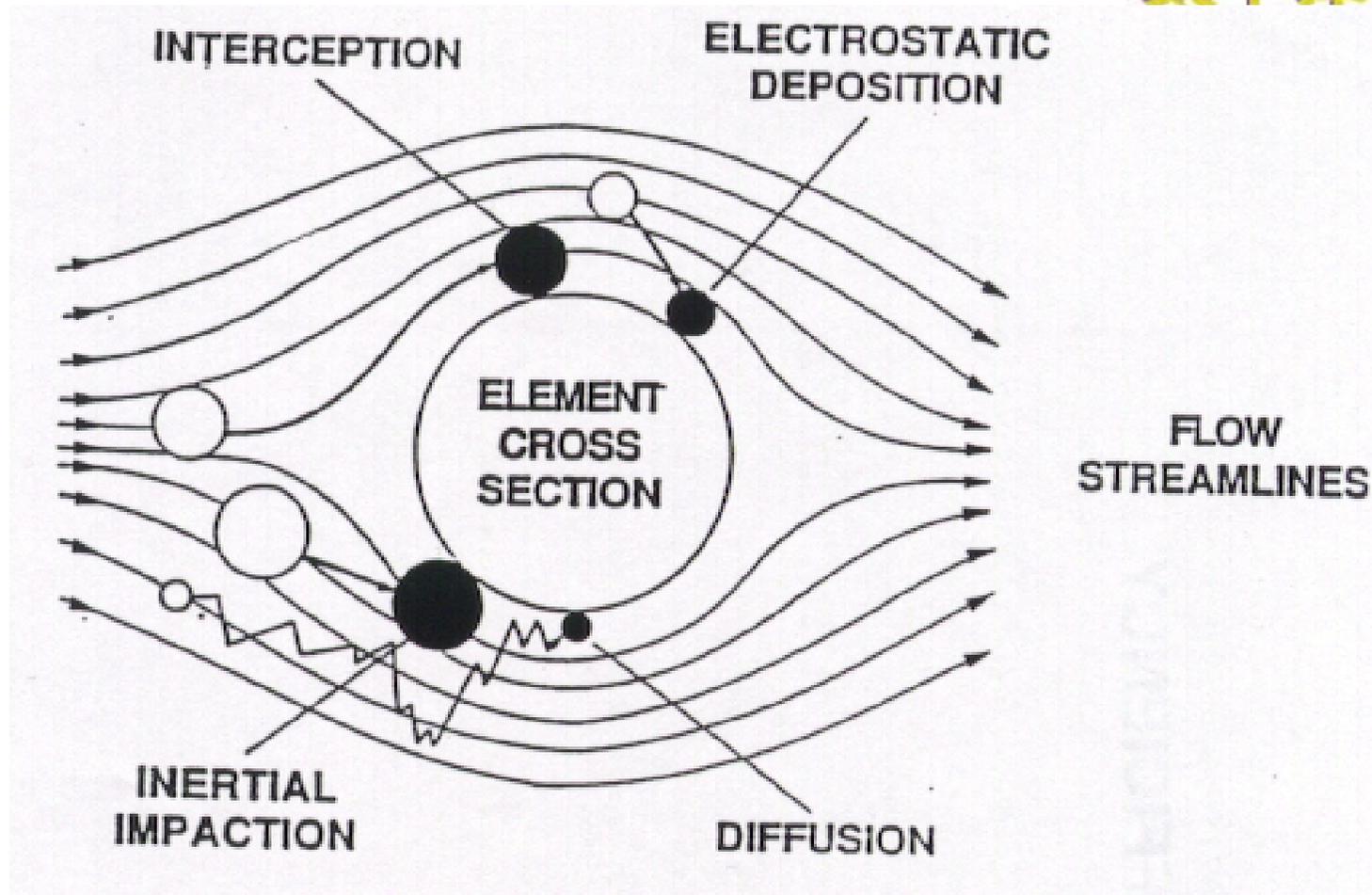
# Particle Collection: Diffusion

## 颗粒收集：扩散



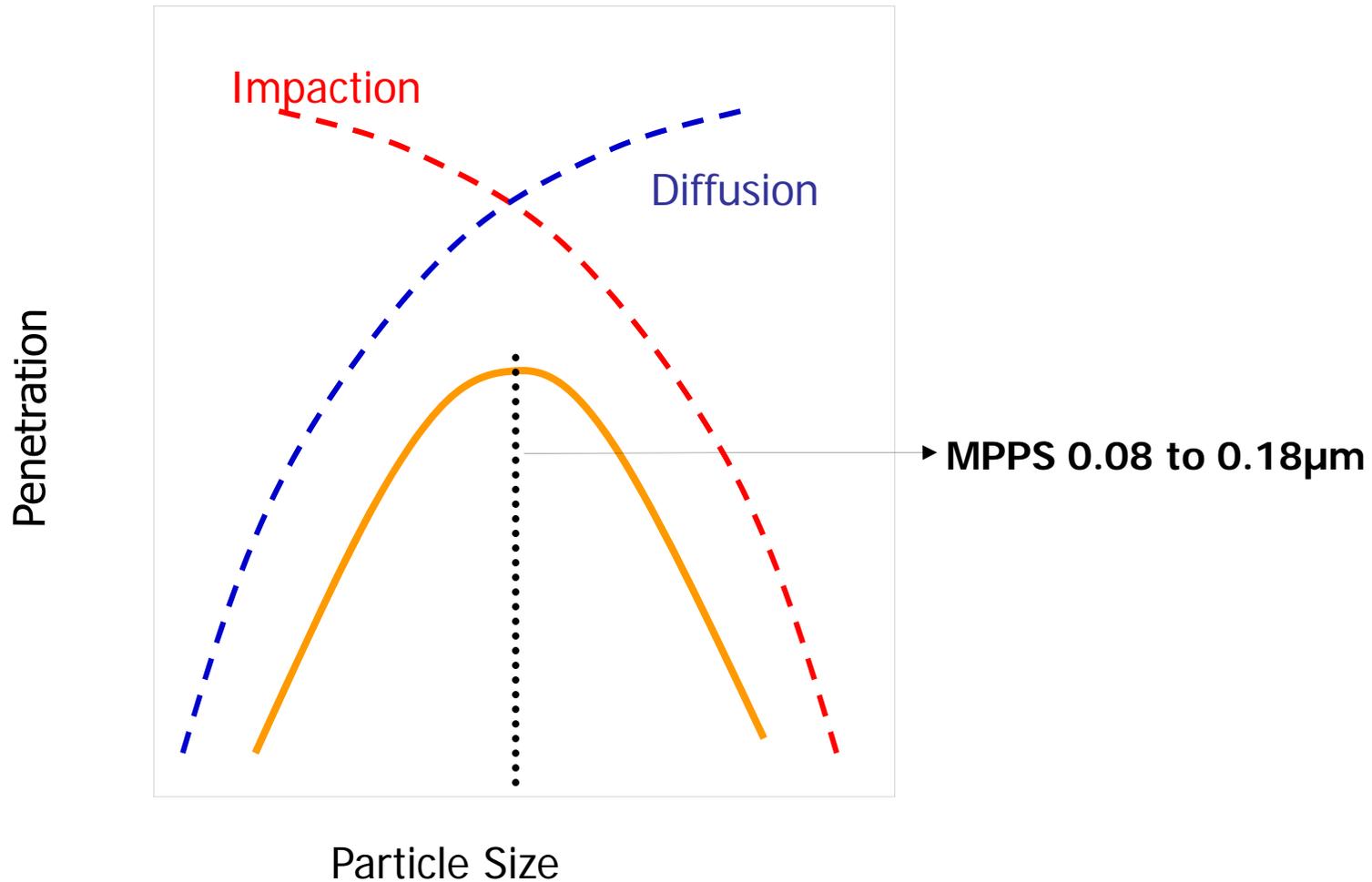
由于小颗粒的无序运动，扩散会产生，对于小颗粒来说扩散是很明显的，他们的无序的运动当碰到纤维时就会被收集到，但对于大颗粒来说扩散效果会减少。

# Particle Collection Mechanisms

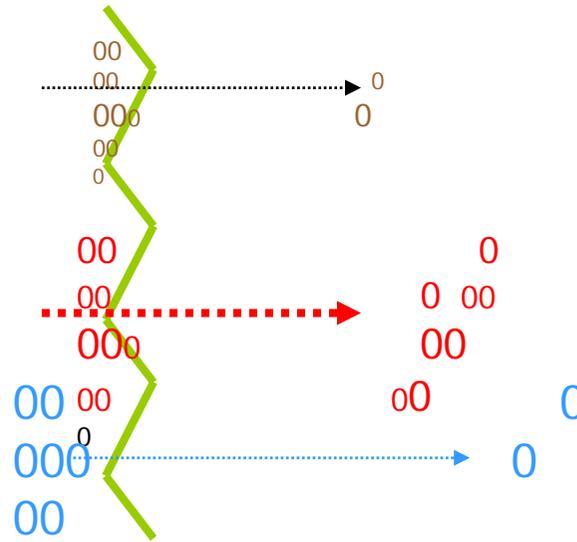


范德华力是一旦接触，颗粒就被捕捉到。这是小的在分子间的电子束缚力，这是为何壁虎能爬垂直的墙，并没有吸或粘的东西。当纤维被带上电荷，颗粒被速上相反的电荷，也有发生这样的，但仅仅是对于一些材质。为了得到静电的永久效果，滤材必须保持干的并被速上电荷的。如果湿气存在，电荷将被泄露掉。实际上高效被带上静电被快速的消散掉。

# High Efficiency Filter MPPS (Most Penetrating Particle Size)

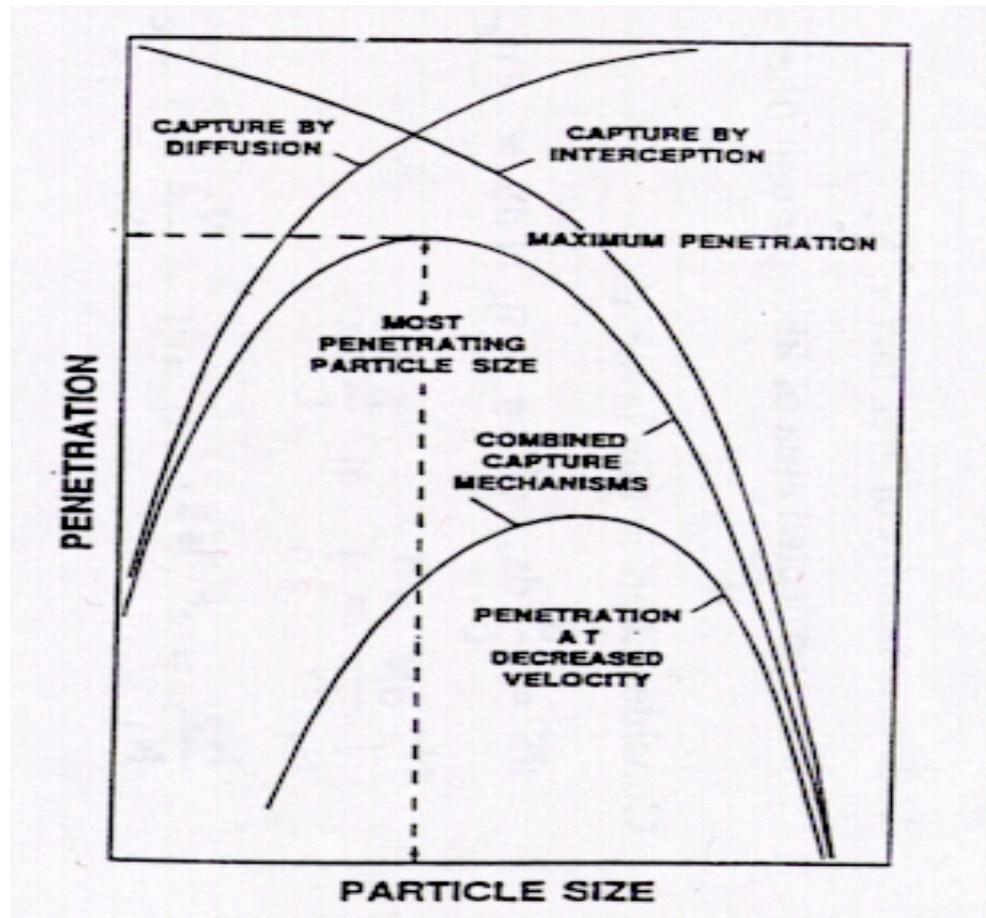


# Filtration is Selective Particle Collection

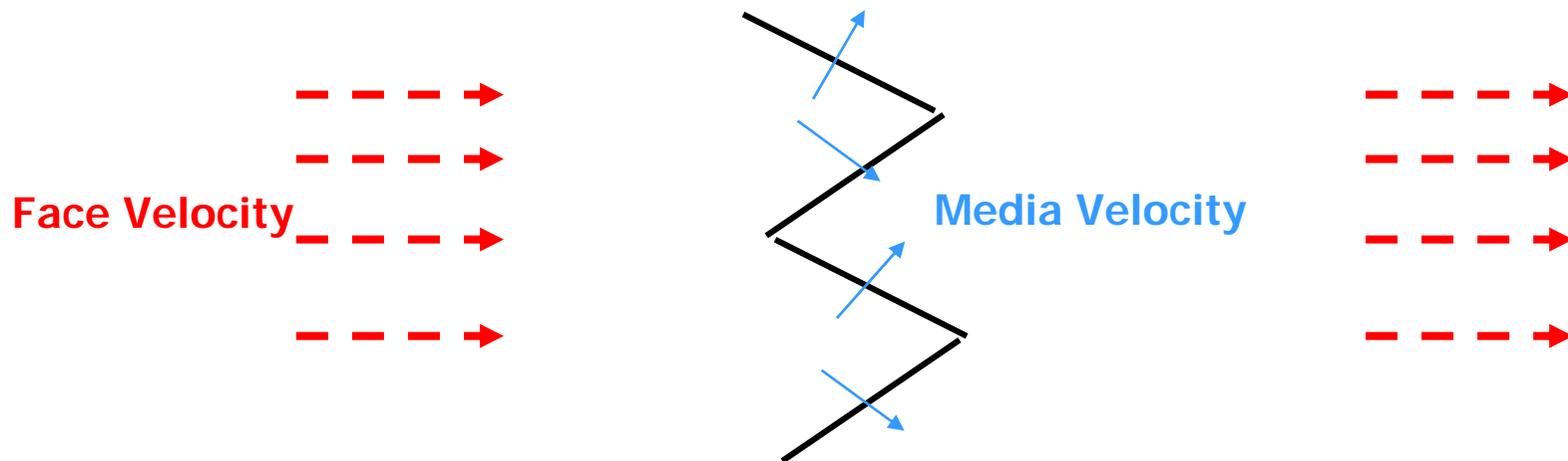


Small and big particles are more effectively collected

# Impact of Flow Rate on Efficiency



# Media Velocity is Lower Than Face Velocity 滤材的速度是低于面速



A Filter's Performance is Determined  
at Media Velocity 过滤器的性能决定于滤材的速度

# Consideration in Filter Design

## 过滤器设计中的考虑

- Penetration or efficiency 穿过率或效率
- Critical Particle Size 关键颗粒尺寸
- Pressure Drop or resistance 压力降或阻力
- (Cost) 成本

# Filter Tests 过滤器测试

- Efficiency 效率
  - Media Manufacturer 滤材制作
  - Filter Manufacturer 过滤器制作
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Certification 第三方论证
- Leak/Integrity 泄露/完整性
  - Filter Manufacturer 过滤器制作
  - Field/In-Situ 现场

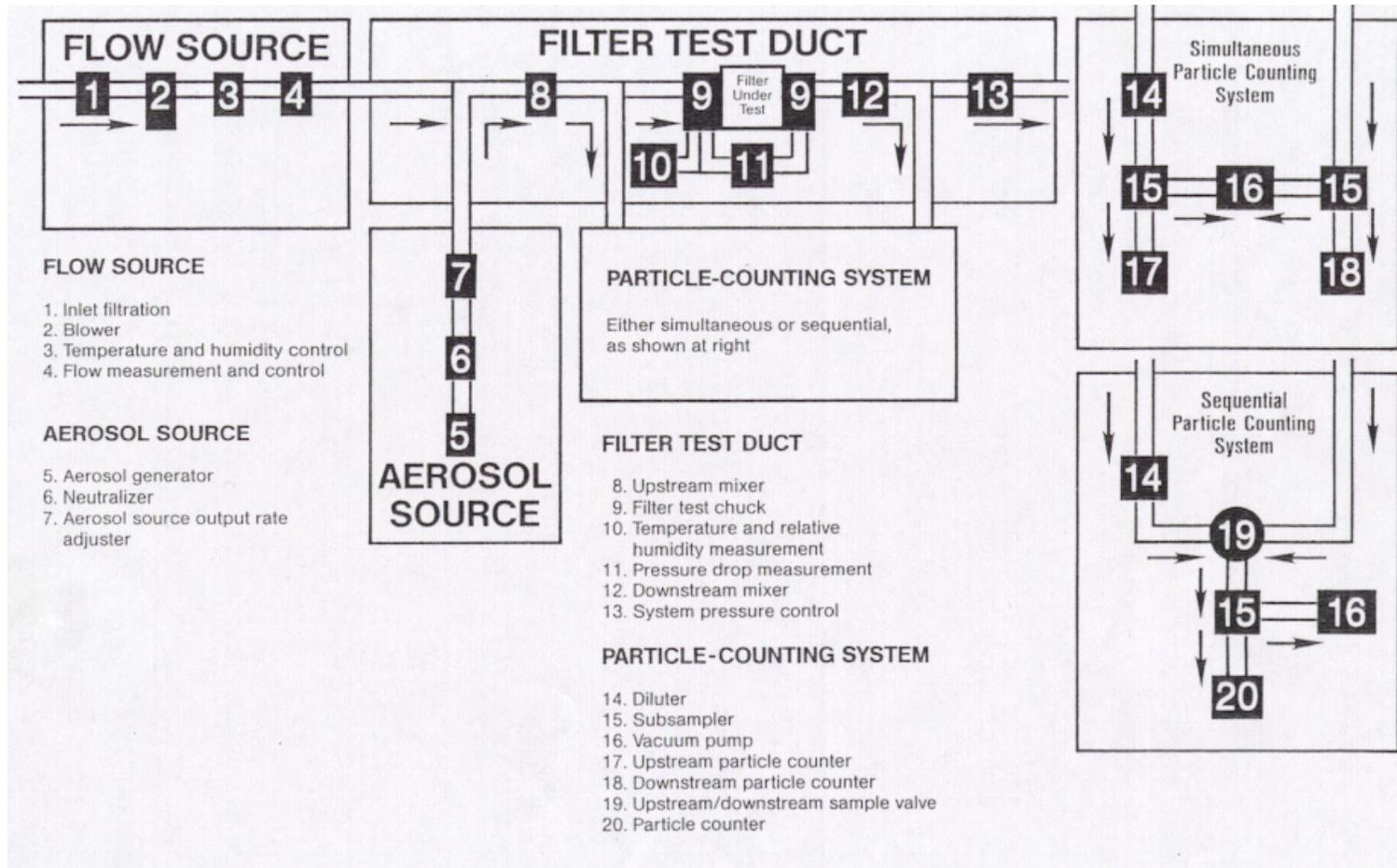
# Efficiency Testing 效率测试

- Challenge filter with aerosol at or near the MPPS
  - This requires a mono-dispersed aerosol (tight distribution)  
用等于或接近于 MPPS 尺寸的颗粒来挑战过滤-需要单一分布的气溶胶
- Measure upstream and downstream concentration 测量上下游浓度
- Sequential or parallel (simultaneous) measurements  
按次序的或平行的测量
- Efficiency =  $1 - \frac{\text{Downstream}}{\text{Upstream}}$

Note: This is a 'global' measurement (i.e. entire filter)

# Typical Filter Efficiency Test System

## 典型的过滤器效率测试



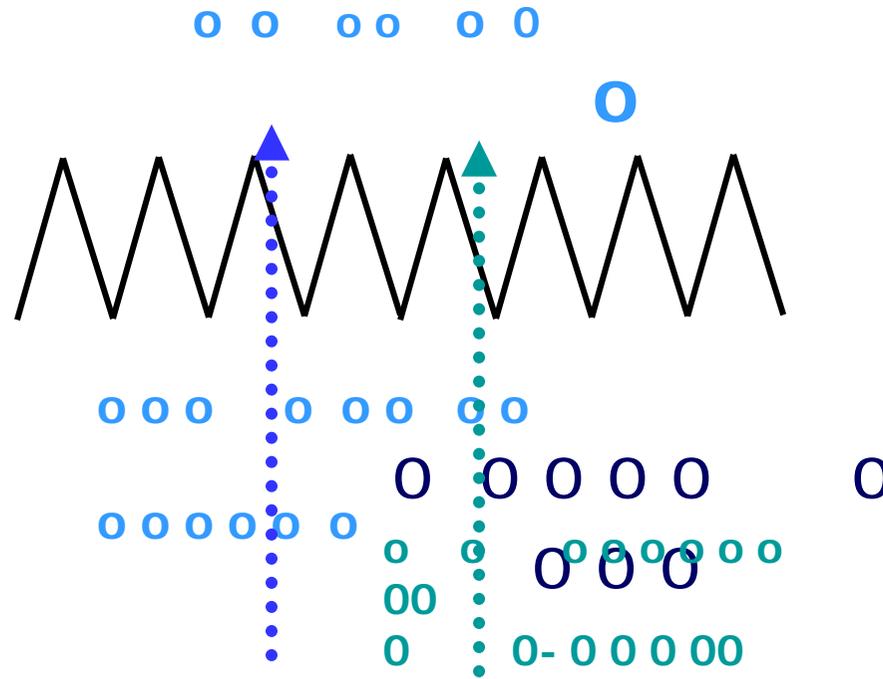
Recommended filter performance test system from IEST RP-CC-0021

# What is a Leak? 什么是泄露

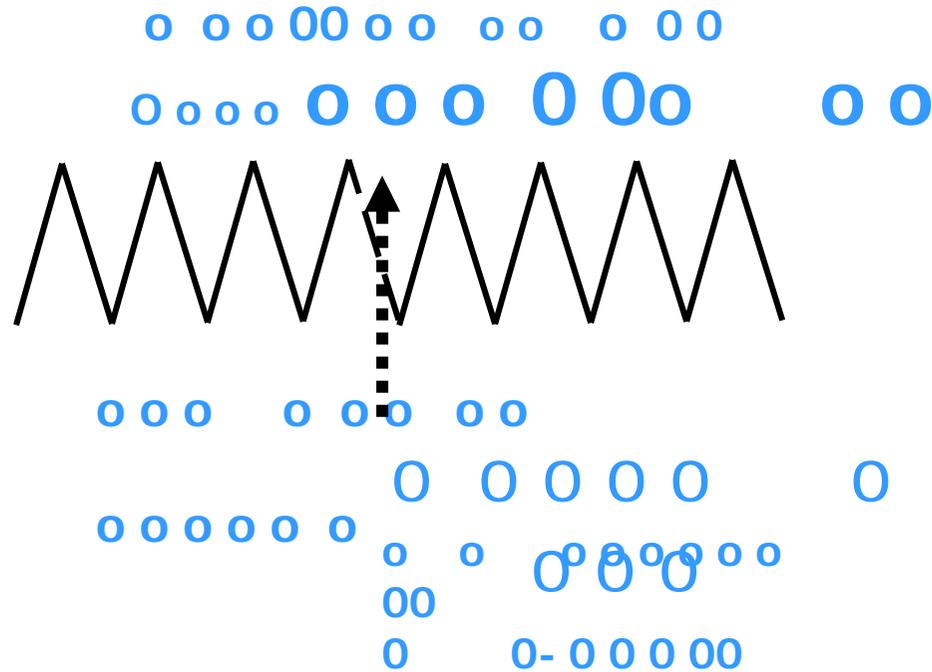
- Leak is a local measurement 泄露是一个局部的测量.
- Leak is generally 5 –10 times the average penetration at a local spot.
- 泄露是在一个局部点上测试约为5-10倍的平均穿透率。
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- Therefore we do not require a mono-dispersed challenge aerosol at the MPPS 因而我们不需要一个单一尺寸的挑战性粒子
  - Easier and less costly to generate larger particles with a broader distribution.
  - 容易且低成本的产生颗粒且一个广泛的分布

# A Good Filter Will Allow Few Particles to Penetrate

好的过滤器  
允许少一些粒子透过



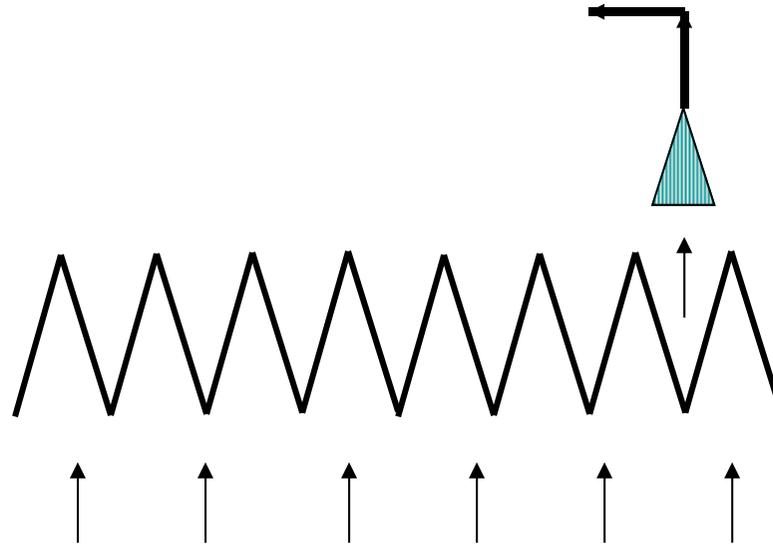
# Add a Leak and...



# Test for a Leak/Integrity

- Measure local penetration at each sample location to determine 在每一个取样位置取样决定本地的穿透率:
  - Filters are not faulty / not been damaged
  - 过滤器没有问题且没有被破坏
  - Filters have been installed properly
  - 过滤器被正确的安装
  - There are no leaks in the mounting frame / between mounting frame and housing 在过滤器安装的边框也没有泄露
  - System contains no by-pass of the filter

# Leak/Integrity Scanning 泄露扫描



Ensure that all parts of filter are within specification  
确认过滤器所有部分都在合适的范围内

# Efficiency vs. Leak/Integrity in General Terms

	<b>Efficiency Testing</b> 效率测试 <i>Global</i> 整体	<b>Leak Testing</b> 汇露测试 <i>Local</i> 局部
Determine % Penetration 决定 穿透率	Yes	Yes <sup>1</sup>
Pinpoint Leaks 针眼泄露	No	Yes
Manufacturer Test 厂家测试	Yes	Yes <sup>2</sup>
Field Test 现场测试	No	Yes

1 – Local % penetration, not overall efficiency

2 – Due to variations in the media manufacturing process

# Discussion





# When Testing a Filter What are We Looking For?

当测试一个过滤器时我们在寻找什么？

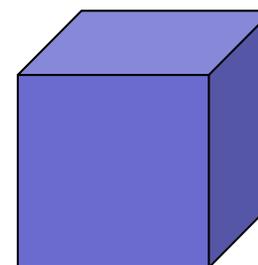
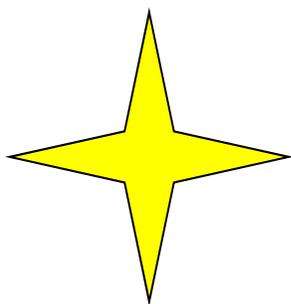
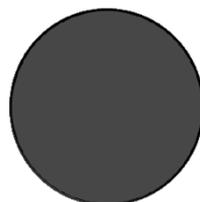
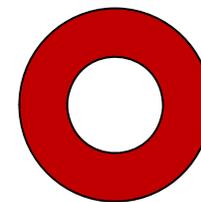
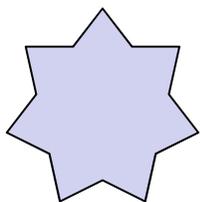


# Let's Review...

- Particulate penetration as 颗粒穿透作为
  - Efficiency 效率
  - Leak 泄露
- Size of interest? 感兴趣尺寸
  - MPPS from 0.08 to 0.18 micron MPPS  
0.08-0.18 微米
  - Even when looking for a leak? 甚至当我们  
寻找一个泄露

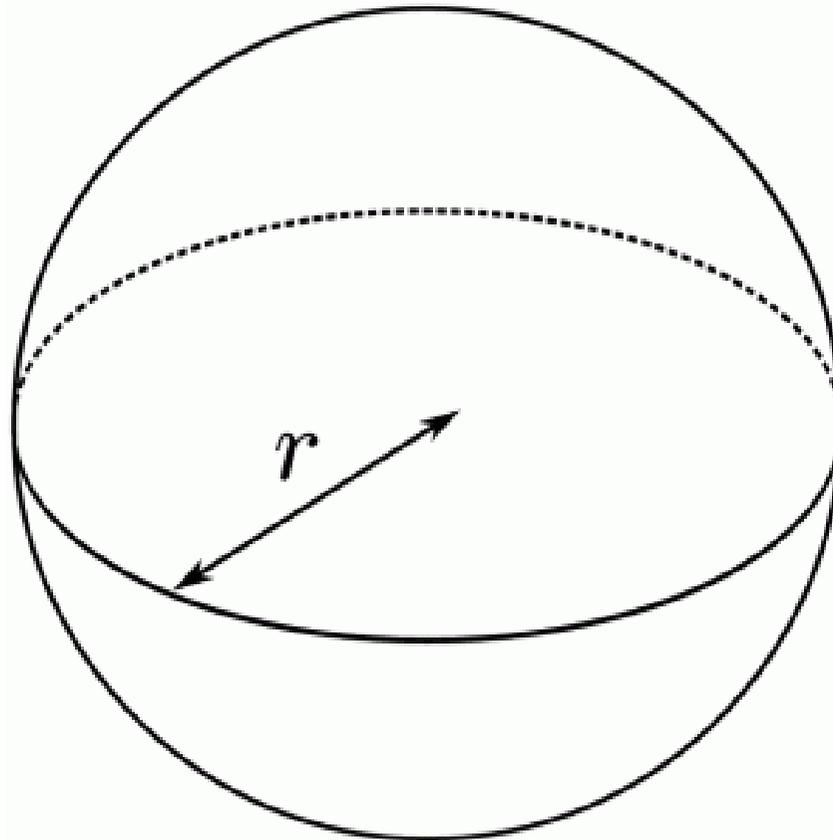
However 然而.....

# What is a particle 什么是颗粒?



颗粒有不同的形状和尺寸，可见的有机物还能改变形状，所以我们怎么能指定一个颗粒粒径呢？

# The Simplest Particle最简单的颗粒？



真实的世界是复杂的，所以我们必须是简化我们所看到的，最简单的3维形状处理是一个球，球的尺寸是它的半径或直径

# Equivalent Particle Sizes 相等的颗粒尺寸

- Diameter of a Sphere that has the same magnitude of a chosen Property as the particle In question 直径有不同的属性
  - Optical Diameter (Eye/microscope) 光学直径（眼/显微镜）
  - Scattering Diameter (Light Scattering) 散射直径（光散射）
  - Electric Mobility (Charge On Particle) 电子迁移（给颗粒充电）
  - Mobility (Diffusion) 移动（扩散）
  - Stokes Diameter (Drag Forces)
  - Aerodynamic Diameter (Settling Speed) 空气动力学直径

# In Filtration, Collections of Particles Interest Us 在过滤器， 收集过滤吸引我们

- Aerosol气溶胶      Solid/Liquid and Gas  
(dust, fog)固体/液体和气体
- Hydrosol水溶胶      Solid固体/Liquid液体 and Liqu  
(milk牛奶, paint油漆, lotion洗液)
- Foam泡沫      Gas in Solid or Liquid  
在固体或液体间的气体  
(sponge海绵, 香波shampoo)



# Key Concepts 主要的概念

- Drag Force 牵引力 – proportional  $d_p > 10\mu\text{m}$
- Slip Correction for  $d_p < 10\mu\text{m}$
- Stopping Distance and Relaxation Time
- Settling velocity
- Mobility and Electric Mobility
- Diffusion and Brownian Motion
- Coagulation
- Dimensionless Numbers

# Units of Measurement in Filtration 测量中的单位

- $\mu\text{m}$             Micrometer,  $10^{-6}$  meter
- Nm                Nanometer,  $10^{-9}$  meter
- A                  Angstrom Unit,  $10^{-10}$  meter

$$1 \mu\text{m} = 1,000 \text{ nm} = 10,000 \text{ A}$$

Some perspective:

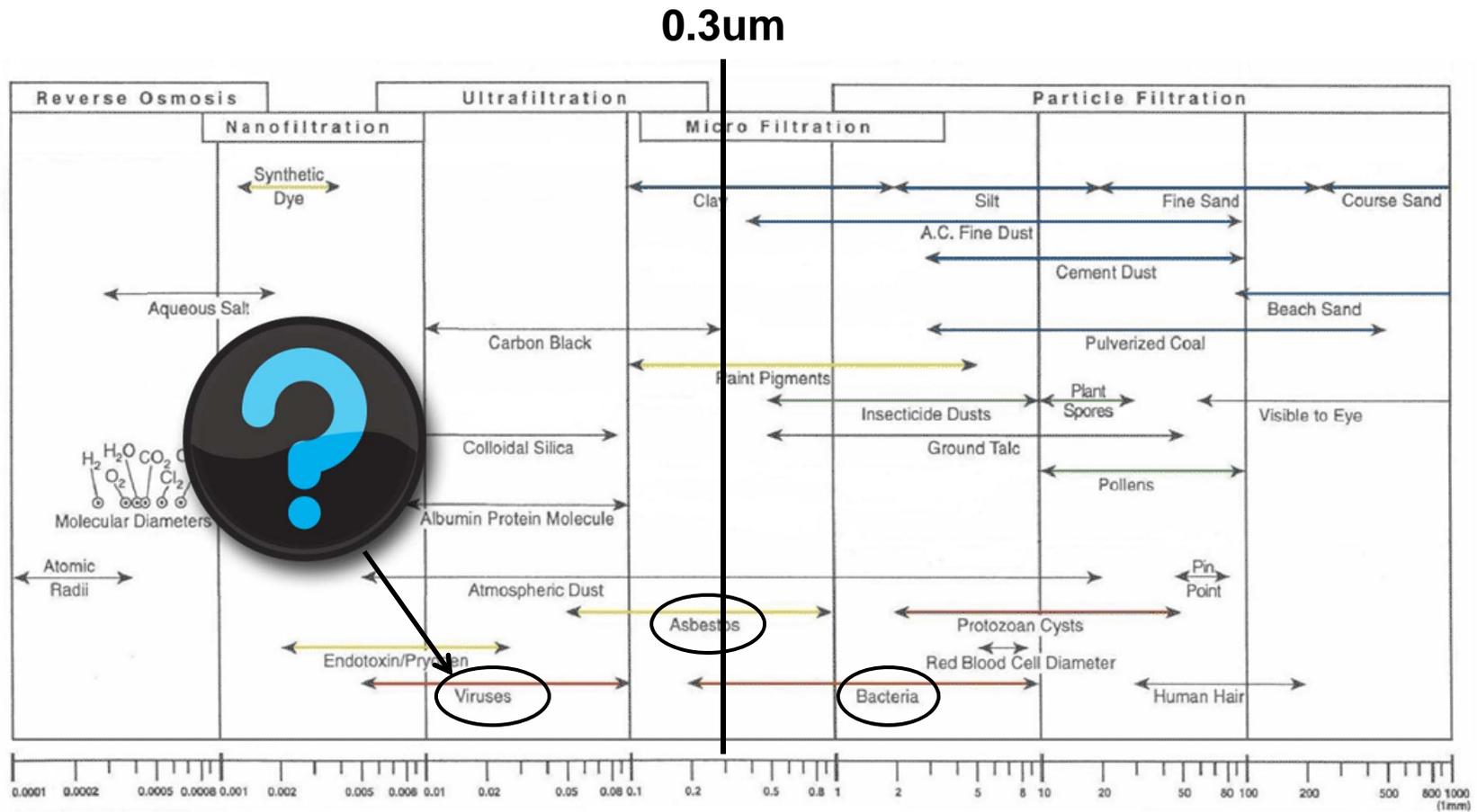
1cm is 1000  $\mu\text{m}$

1in = 2.54 cm = 25,400  $\mu\text{m}$

# Particle Sizes of Interest 感兴趣的颗粒尺寸

Item	Approximate Particle Diameter 对应颗粒尺寸
Eye of a Needle 针眼	1,230 microns
Beach Sand 沙滩	100 – 2000 microns
Table salt 餐桌上的盐	~100 microns
Human hair 人头发	40 - 300 microns
Talcum powder	~10 microns
Tobacco Smoke 烟	0.01 – 1.0 microns
Bacteria 细菌	0.2 - 0.3 microns
Virus 病毒	<0.005 – 0.05 microns

# Typical Particle Sizes

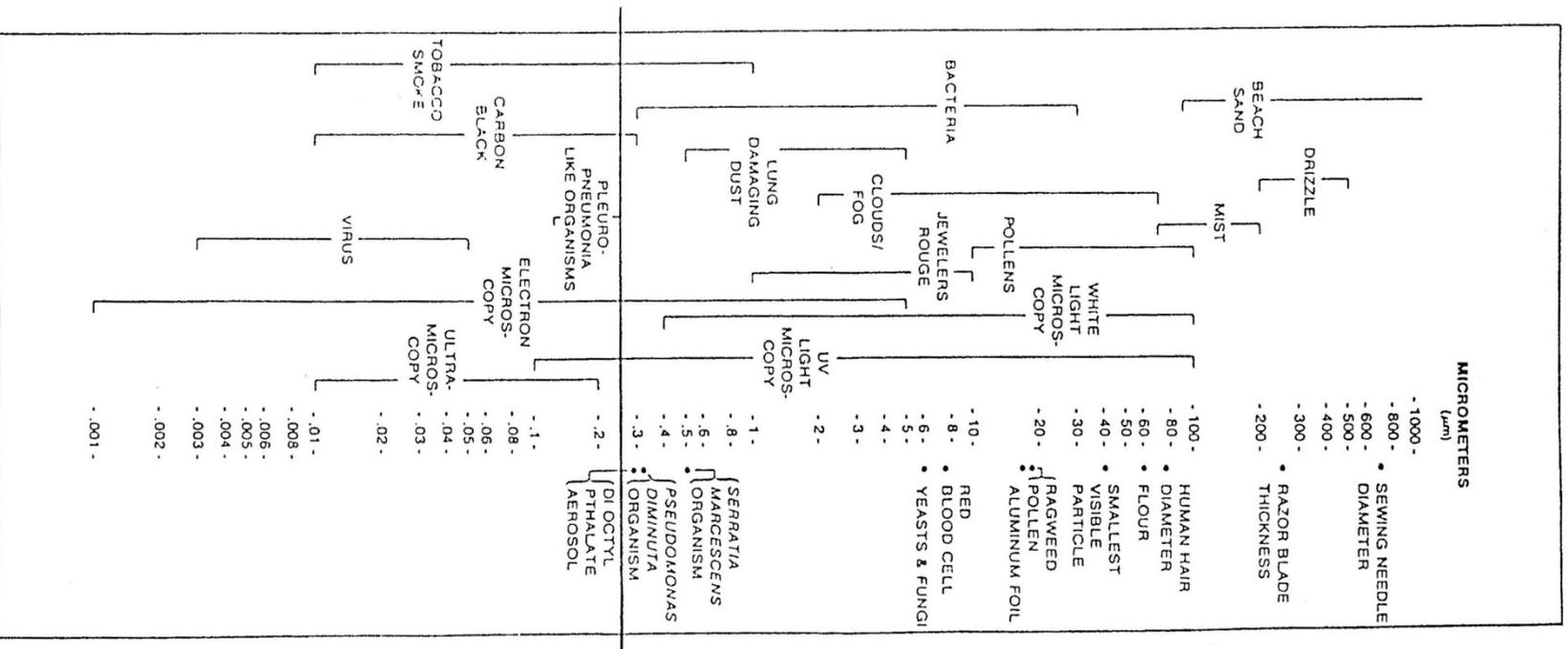


Typical water contaminants grouped by color

PARTICAL SIZE in MICRONS

# Another Particle Size Chart

## Relative Sizes of Small Particles



# Typical Settling Velocity 典型沉降速度

**Diameter (um)    Feet/min英尺/分钟**

0.1	0.00016
1.0	0.002
10.0	0.59
100	59.2

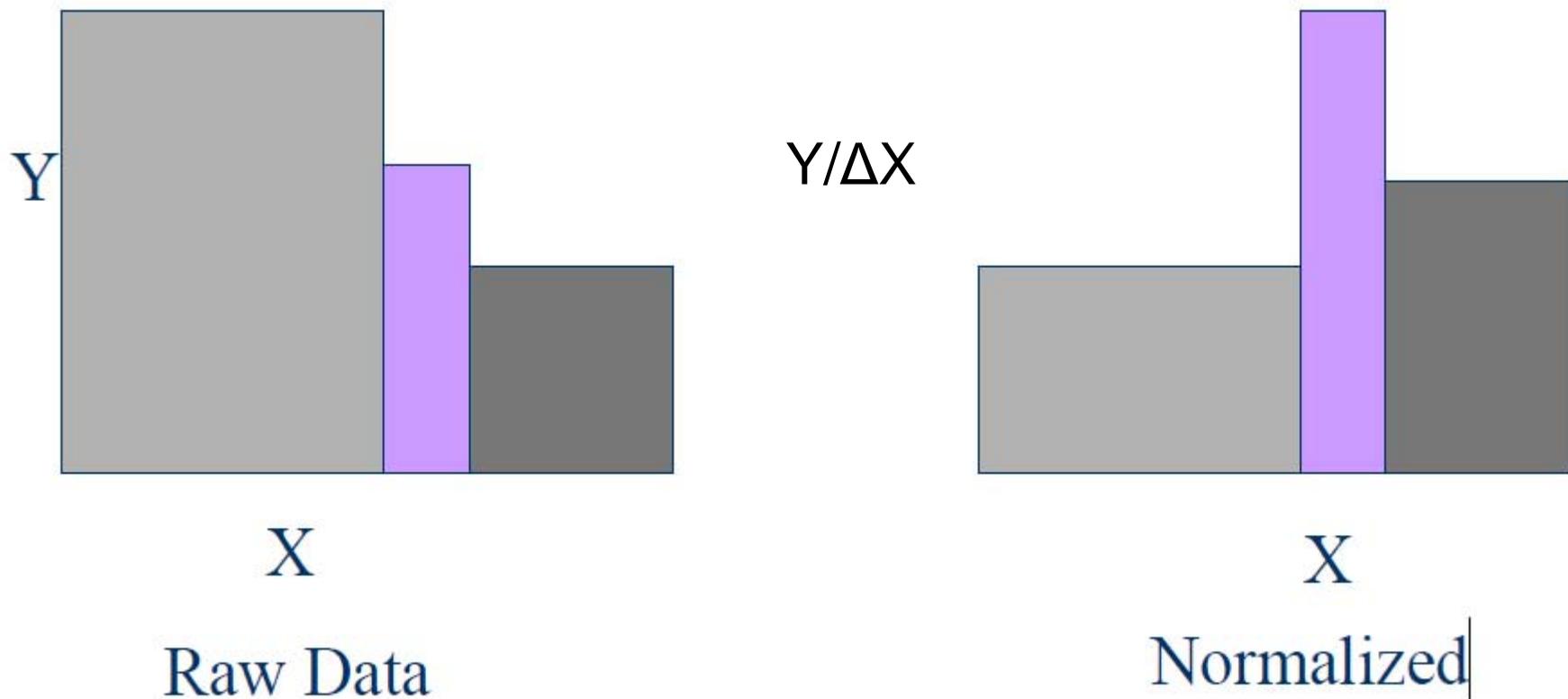
我们感兴趣的颗粒可在空气中停一些时间，大的颗粒将沉降得非常快。

# How is an Aerosol Characterized? 气溶胶的特性

Consider this data set

X (range)	Frequency	
	Raw Data	Normalized
0 to 5	100	20
5 to 6	70	70
6 to 8	60	30

# Normalized Frequency Distribution 标准化的分布



# Size Distribution Terms 尺寸分布定义

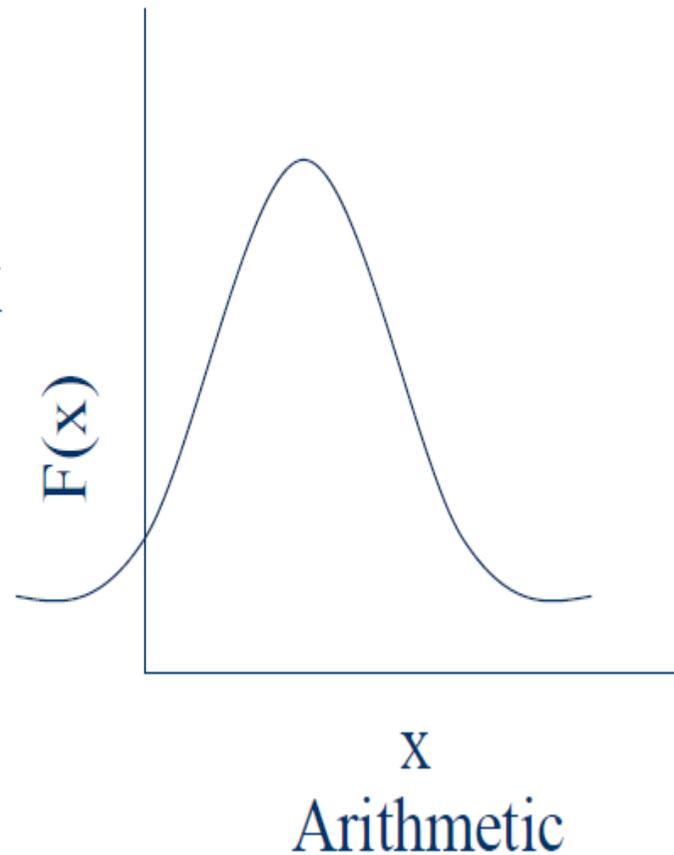
- Independent variable 独立变量,  $X$
- Mean 平均  $X_m$
- Standard Deviation 标准偏差,  $\sigma$
- Mode (peak) 顶值
- Median (50<sup>th</sup> percentile) 中值 (50%)  
)

# Arithmetic Standard Deviation

## 算术标准偏差

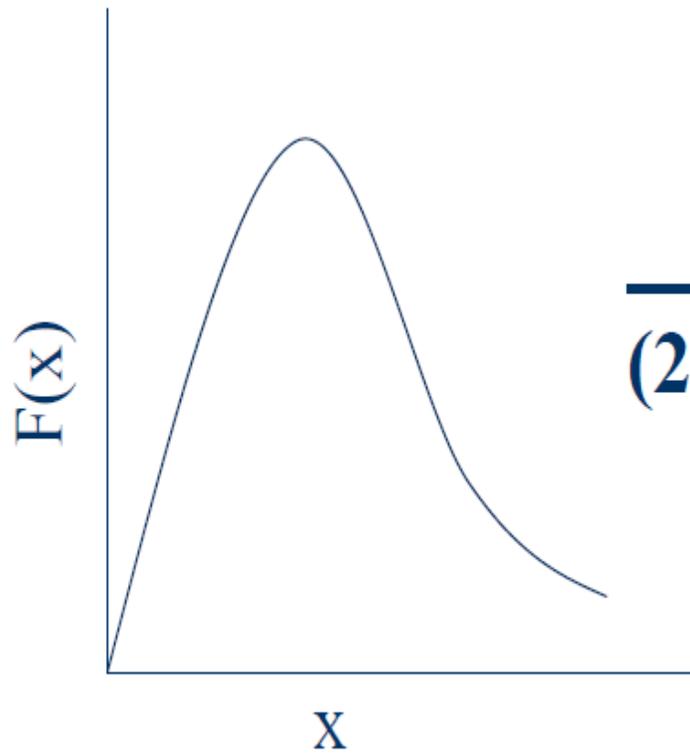
$F(x) =$

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^{1/2} s} \int e^{-\frac{(x-x_m)^2}{2s^2}} dx$$



# Geometric Standard Deviation 几何标准偏差

$$F(x) =$$



$$\frac{1}{(2p)^{1/2} \ln s} \int e^{-\frac{(\ln x - \ln x_m)^2}{2(\ln s)^2}} dx$$

这个世界是几何的，ln表示自然对数，

Geometric

# Particle Size Distribution

- Most Natural Processes are Geometrically Distributed and often multi modal 自然界的存在大多的几何标准分布并且是多种模式存在
- Number (count), Surface, or Volume (mass) Distribution are common weightings 计数，表面积或体积（质量）是通常被称量

# Why is this important? 为什么是重要的

Due to data weighting 相对于数据称量...

...the 0.3um DOP particle measured in the 50's is a volume (mass) mean...0.3um DOP 颗粒测时在50%时是体积平均

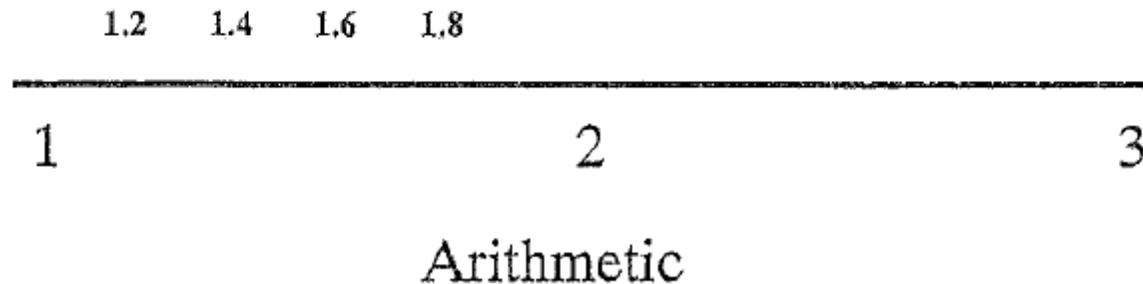
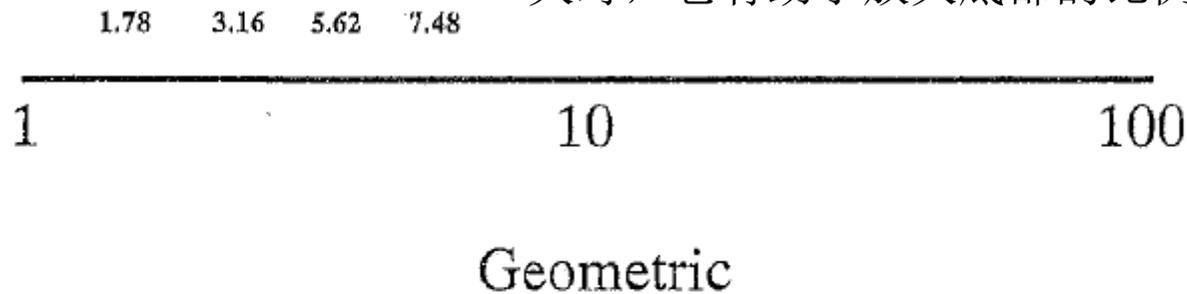
...whose number (count) median is actually closer to 0.18um...the MPPS 它的计数中值接近0.18um.

# Geometric vs. Arithmetic 几何&算术

- Consider Geometric as Arithmetic or Linear on a log scale 考虑几何作为算术或者线性的作为一个对数比例
- Geometric spreads out the lower end
- 几何分布在低一点的端
- In Arithmetic, equal differences result in equal spacing 在算术，相等的差别造成相同的空间
- In Geometric, equal ratios result in equal spacing 在几何，相同的比例造成相同的空间

# Geometric vs. Arithmetic 几何&算术

几何的比例是非常有用的当数据分布是非常大时，它有助于放大底部的比例



Equal intervals

Arithmetic:  $2 - 1.8 = 1.8 - 1.6 = \dots$  (equal differences 相同的差别)

Geometric:  $10 / 7.48 = 7.48 / 5.62 = \dots$  (equal ratios 相同的比例)

# Why Use Log Normal Distributions 为什么用对数分布?

- No Negative Values 非负数值
- For known distributions, the Means of different weightings can be calculated from the others 对于知道的分布，不同的称量的平均能被用下式计算
  - For example, Mass (volume) Mean calculated from Count (number) mean
  - 如，质量（体积）平均，计算从计数平均

# Number and Volume Weighting 数量和体积称量

$d_p$	Number Counts	Volume ( $\pi d^3/6$ )
1	1,000,000	523,000
10	100	523,000
100	1	523,000

# Key Points to Remember

- Particles come in many shapes and sizes
- 颗粒有许多形状和尺寸
- ALL measurements determine some physical property and provide an Equivalent Size
- 所有的测试由物理特性决定需提供一个相等的尺寸
- In filtration, larger particles settle out and are not important, particularly cleanrooms
- 在过滤中，但一点的颗粒下降不重要，特别是洁净室
- Geometric Distributions (aka Log Normal) are used to define particle size distributions
- 几何分布（或对数分布）被用于定义颗粒尺寸分布
- Mass and Number weightings are common in particle measurements  
质量和数量称量是通常在颗粒计量中

# Discussion





**Now we know we are looking for particles...**

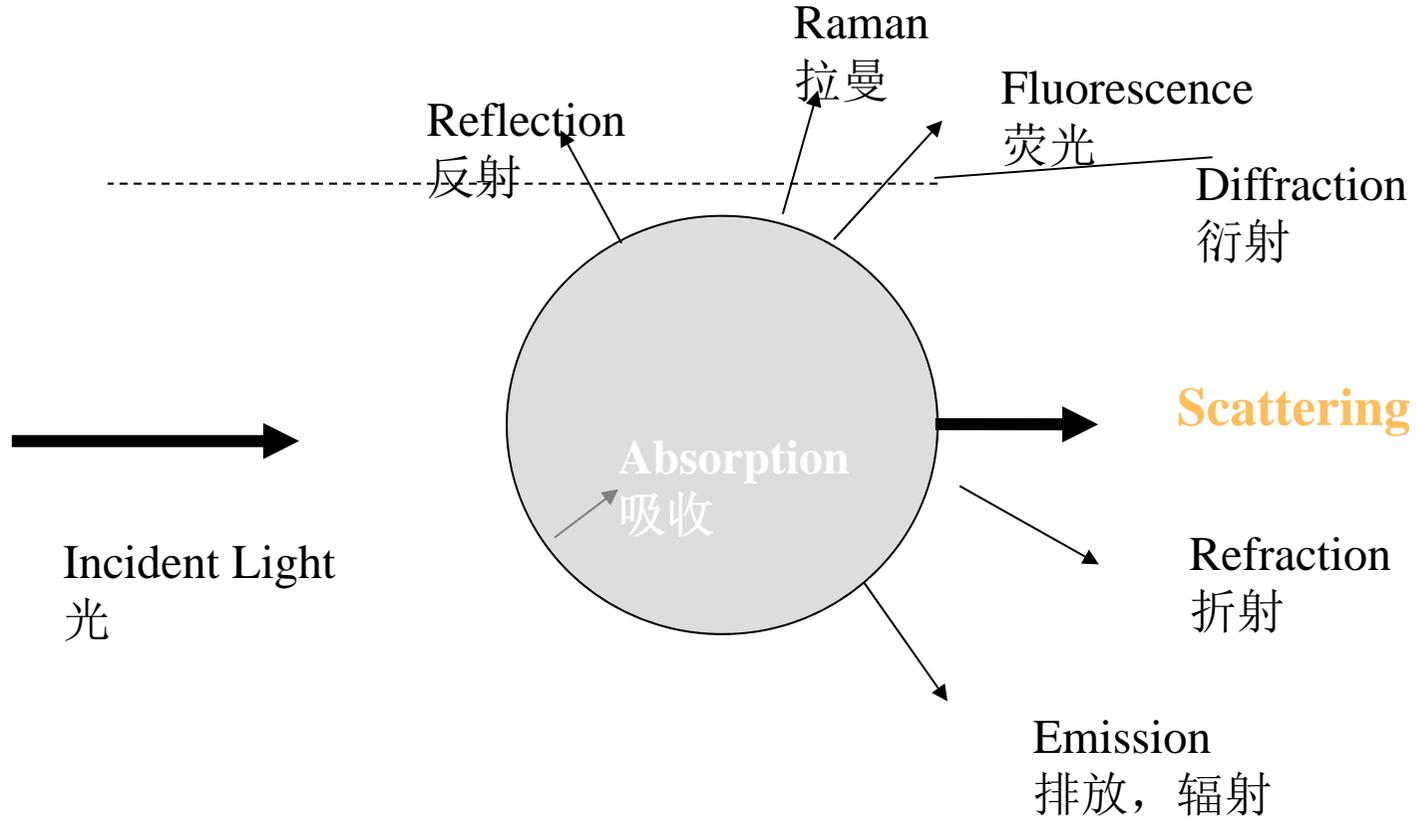
# **The Light-Particle Interaction 光颗粒的相互作用**



# Primary Light-Particle Interactions 基本的光颗粒作用

- Elastic Scattering 弹性散射
  - Rayleigh Scattering 瑞利散射
  - MIE Scattering 米级散射
  - Phase Shift 相位变化
  - Polarization 偏振
- Absorbtion 吸收

# LIGHT PARTICLE INTERACTION 光颗粒相互作用



# Common Properties 共同的特性

- Refraction – the apparent change in direction of light due to change in refractive index within one medium or between dissimilar medium 在一个材质中或不同的材质中光改变方向
- Reflection – redirection of light at the surface of a material 反射 – 材质的表面改变方向
- Diffraction – bending or deflection of light around a particle 衍射 - 光在颗粒周围弯曲或偏移
- Polarization – oscillations of the light occurring in a defined plane 偏振 - 在一个定义的平面光振动

# Complex Numbers 数

- $(4)^{1/2} = 2$
- What is  $(-1)^{1/2}$  ?
- It is defined by the symbol  $i$
- A complex number is written as  $(a - b i)$   
where the imaginary part is represented by the  
symbol  $i$

# Refractive Index 折射系数

- Refractive Index of a material is a complex number  
一个材料的折射系数是一个复杂的数，如下

Usually given as  $2 - 4i$

- The imaginary part is due to absorption

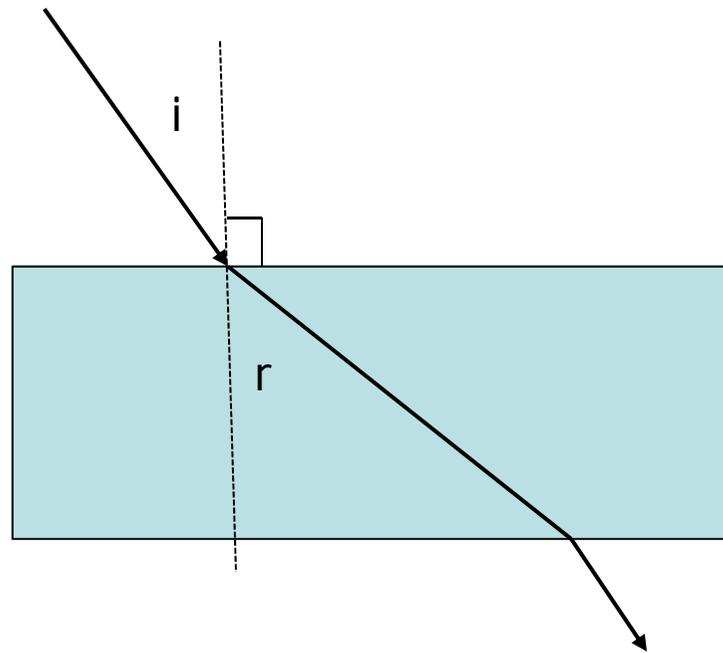
# Refractive Index of Common Materials

## 通常材制质的折射系数

折射系数是一个复杂的数，虚拟部分以*i*表示，是指折射系数中被吸收的部分，许多透明的材质如玻璃，油滴，没有吸收部分，许多金属和有颜色的部分有吸收的部分

- Quartz  $1.54 - 0i$
- Glass  $1.5 \text{ to } 1.9 - 0i$
- PSL  $1.59 - 0i$
- Ca Sulfate  $1.57 - 0i$
- Carbon  $2.0 - 0.33i$
- Iron  $1.5 - 1.63i$

# Refraction 折射



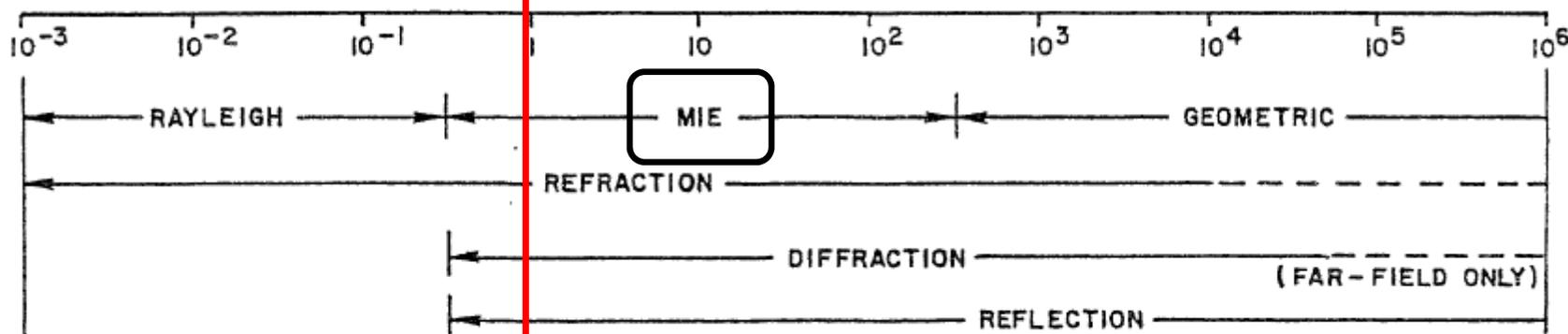
Refractive Index =  $\text{sine } r / \text{sine } i$



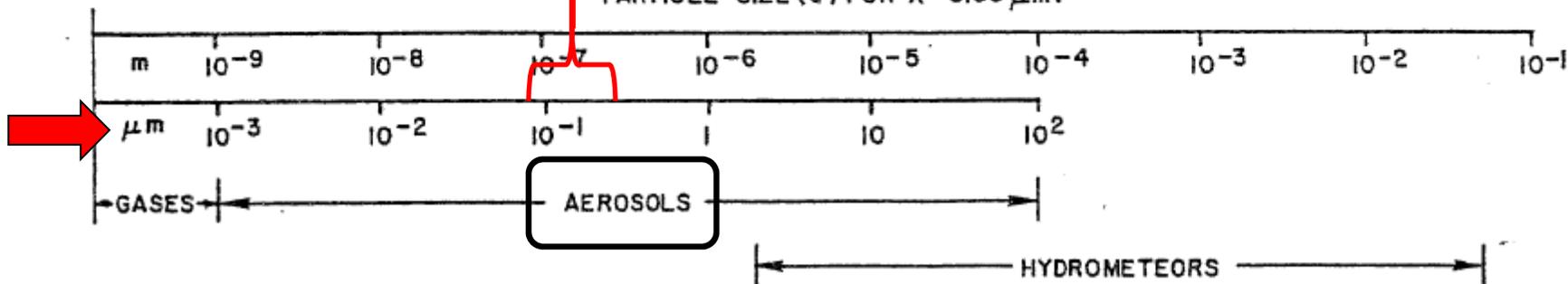
# Size and Scattering Regimes

Size Range  
of Interest

$$\alpha = \pi d / \lambda$$



PARTICLE SIZE (d) FOR  $\lambda = 0.55 \mu\text{m}$ :



From Univ of Minn, Aerosol Measurements Short Course

# Elastic Scattering 弹性散射

Redirection of Incident Light without change in wavelength 光被转向后波长没有改变

- Refraction – internal to particle, wavelength and composition dependent
- Reflection – at surface of particle, dependent on wavelength and composition
- Diffraction – external to particle, independent of wavelength and composition

# Particle Size Affects Elastic Scattering

- Optical Particle Size ( $\alpha$ ) 光学颗粒尺寸

$$\alpha = \pi d / \lambda$$

where:

$d$  = particle diameter 颗粒直径

$\lambda$  = wavelength 波长

- Scattering Intensity ( $I_s$ ) 散射度

$$I_s = \lambda^2 f(\alpha)$$

where:

$f(\alpha)$  is a size dependent function

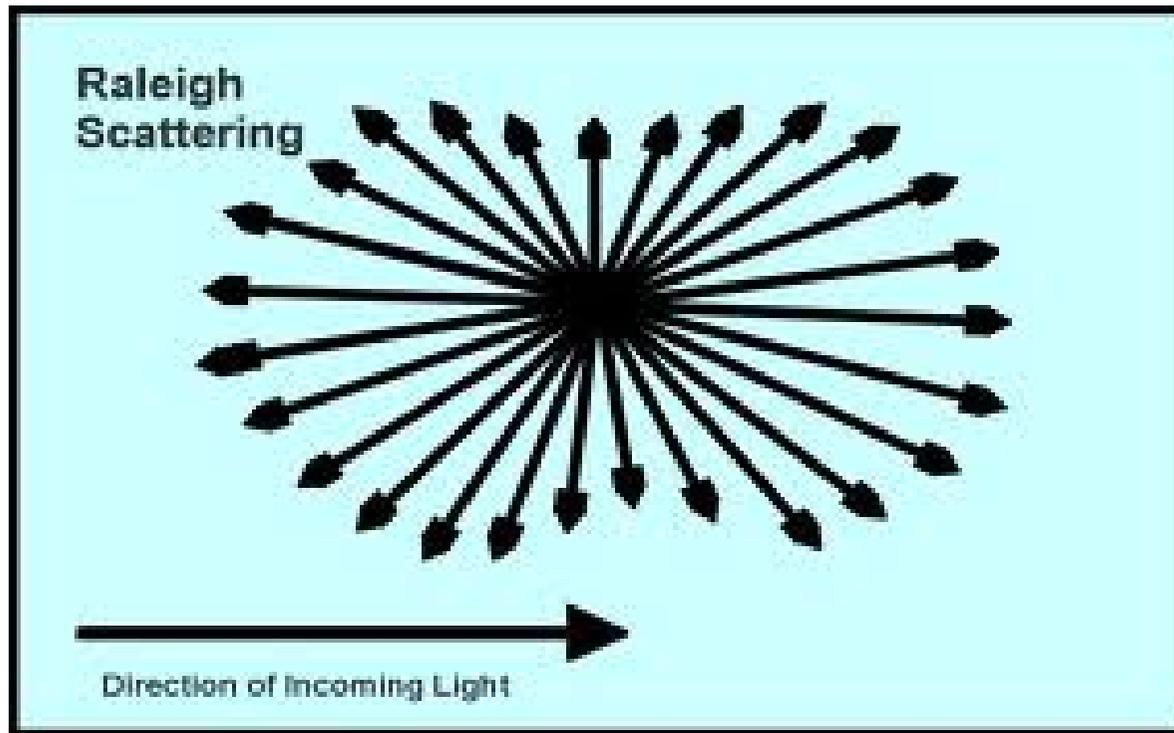
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- Particles comparable to the wavelength of light ( $0.025 > x < 2.5\mu\text{m}$ ) results in Mie Scattering 颗粒在 $0.025$ 到 $2.5\mu\text{m}$ 间与光波长差不多，这个段是米级散射
- Much larger particles result in geometric scattering. 大一点的颗粒造成几何散射

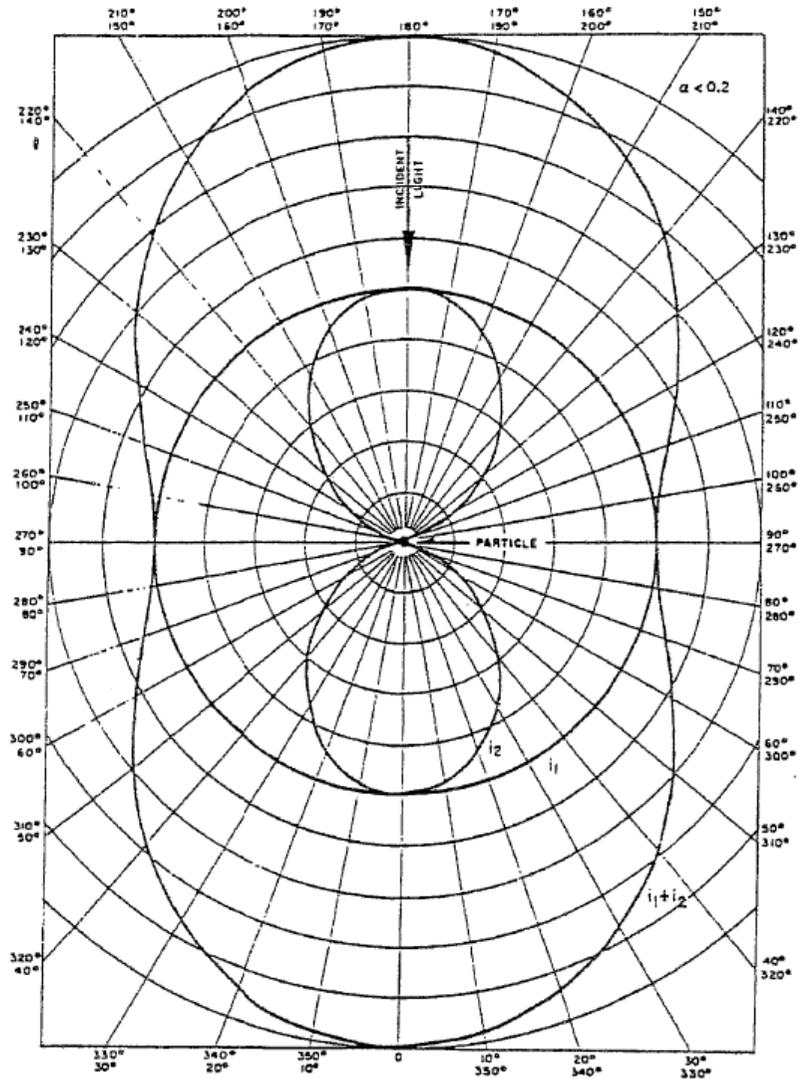
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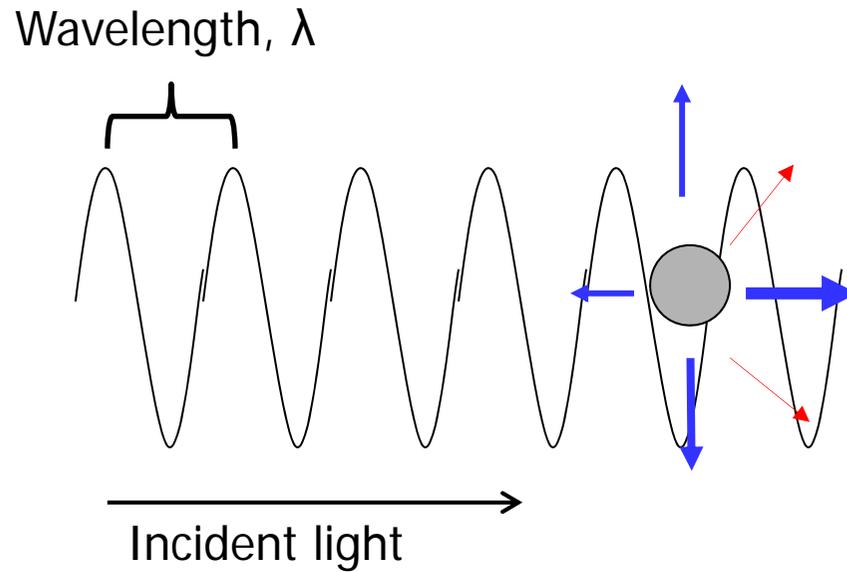
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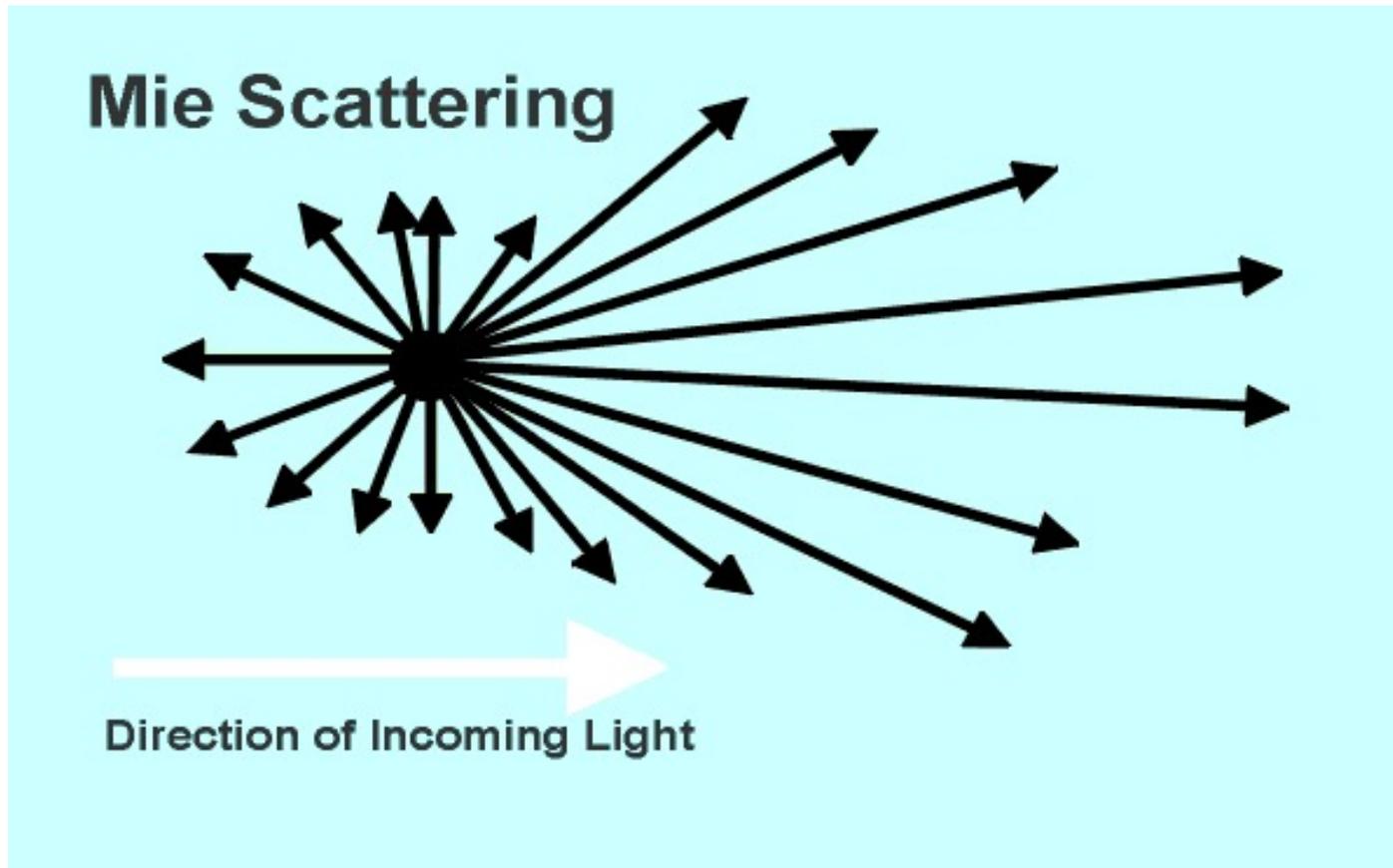


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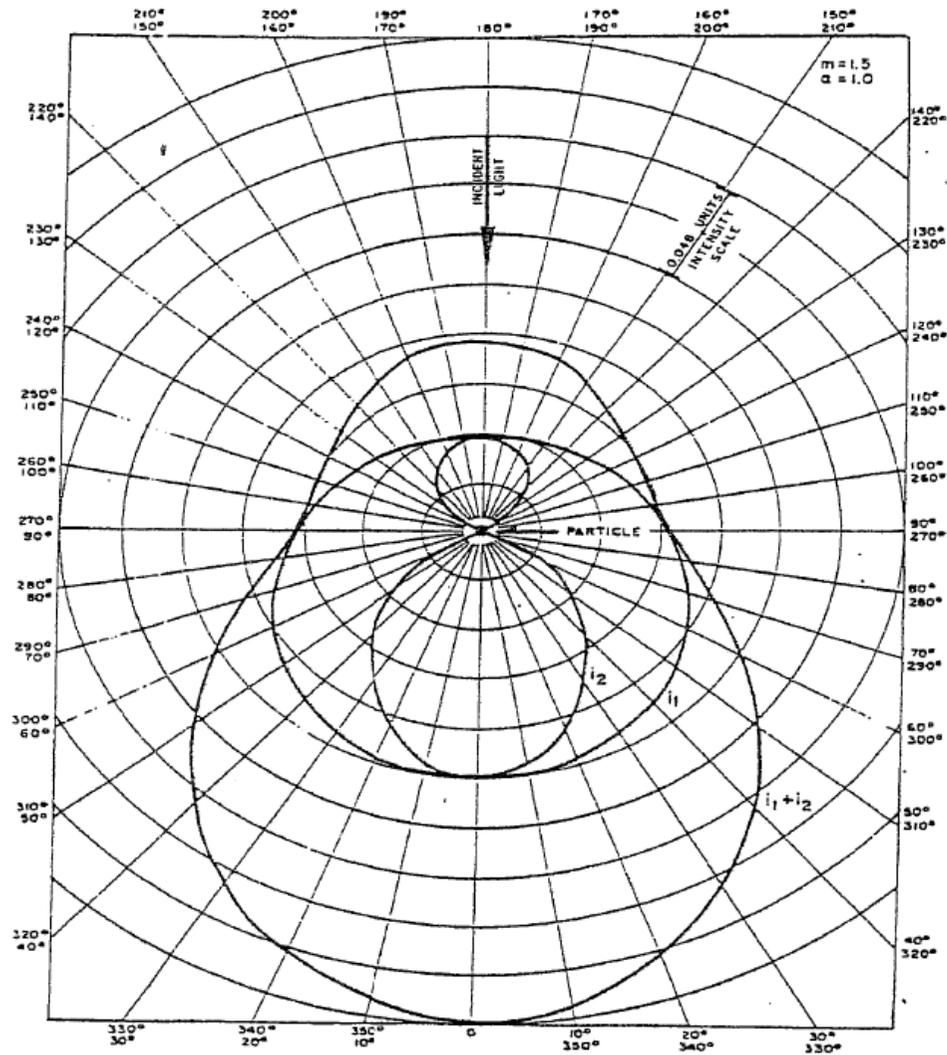


颗粒尺寸接近于光波长，前向散射度更强，散射度少于波长导数的4次幂，这是颗粒计数的操作原理

# MIE Scattering 米散射



# MIE Scattering



# Discussion





# Multiple and Single Particle Sensing and Sensors 多个和单个颗粒感应及传感器



# Multiple Particle Sensing 多个颗粒感应

- Sampling Volume  $\geq 1/\text{number concentration}$   
取样体积大于颗粒数量浓度的倒数
- Independent of sample volume (measuring a 'cloud') 独立的取样体积（测试一个颗粒云）
- Precision depends on averaging time (due to variations in the 'cloud')
- 精密取决于平均的时机（由于云的变动）

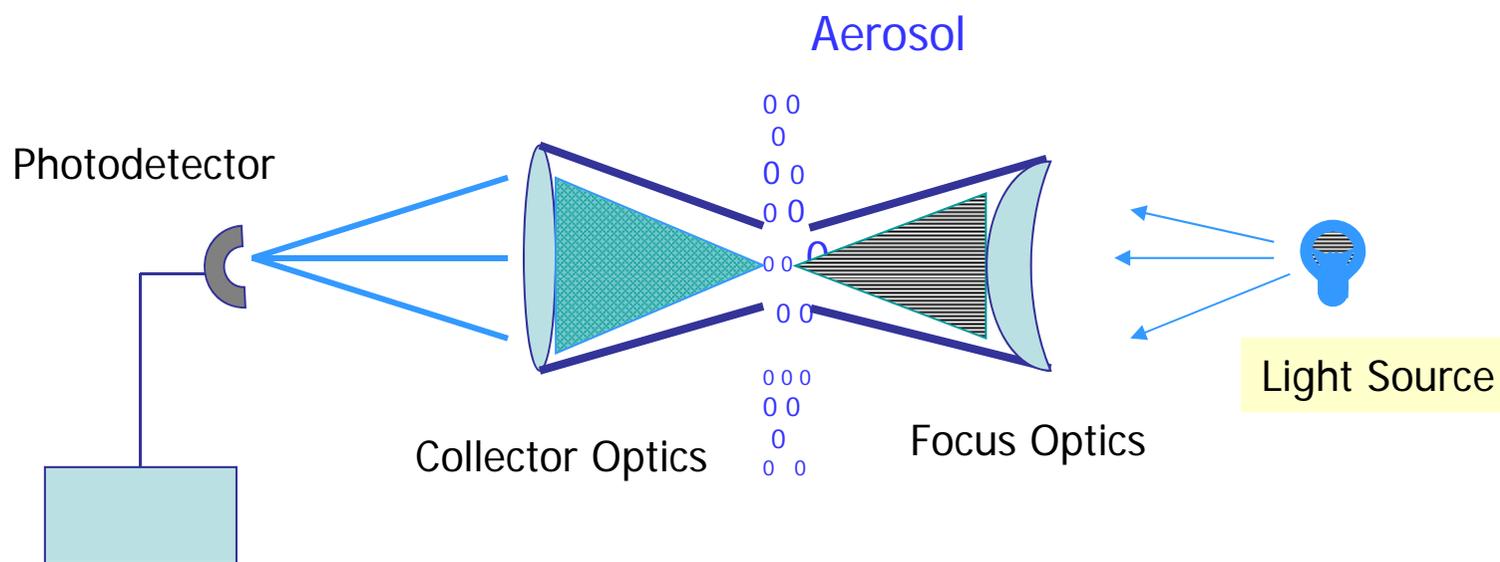
# Multiple Particle Sensors 多颗粒传感器

- Extinction (umbrella) 光阻法
  - Smoke Meter (soot content in exhaust stack)
  - 烟尘测量仪（排出口的物质是烟）
  - Transmissometer (visual ranging)
  - 透光仪（可看到可见光范围）
- Scattering 散射
  - Intensity (nephelometry) 照度（浊度计）
  - Backscatter (LIDAR) 背光散射
  - Photometry 光学计量

# Photometer光度计

- Aerosol is illuminated by a light source
- 气溶胶被光源照射
- Total scattered light is detected by PMT
- 所有的散射光被PMT光电倍增管测到
  
- Total concentration is measured
- 整个浓度都被计量

# Photometer光度计



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光度计用一个已知的气溶胶尺寸，分布和浓度，DOP或PAO. 它内部的参考设定也可以提供其它物质作气溶胶。仪器的反应是瞬时的和常态的  
输出是基于质量多少，校准时通过重量来校准。

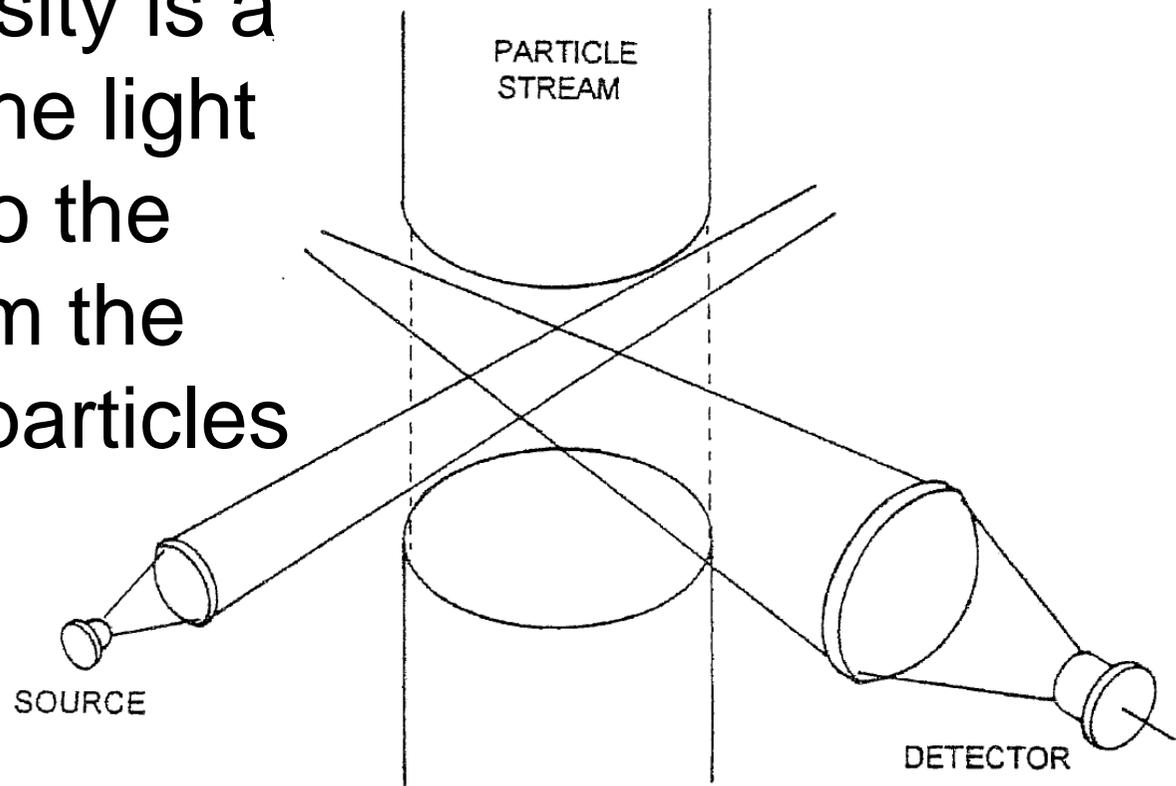
# Photometer Focal Point

## 光度计焦点



# Nephelometer 浊度计

- Particle density is a function of the light reflected into the detector from the illuminated particles



通过测量感应腔的整个散射光来测量浓度，比气溶胶光度计测量的体积大一些，用于外界污染，气象测量以及可见部分测量

# Multiple Particle Sensors

## Summary 多个颗粒传感器总结

- Light-Particle interaction results in scattering  
光颗粒的相互作用造成散射
- Optical instruments in particle measurement is dependent upon the particle size and scattering properties  
在颗粒测量的光仪器基于颗粒尺寸和散射特性
- Multiple particle scattering is independent of volume; depends on averaging time. 多个颗粒散射 基于体积，平均时机等

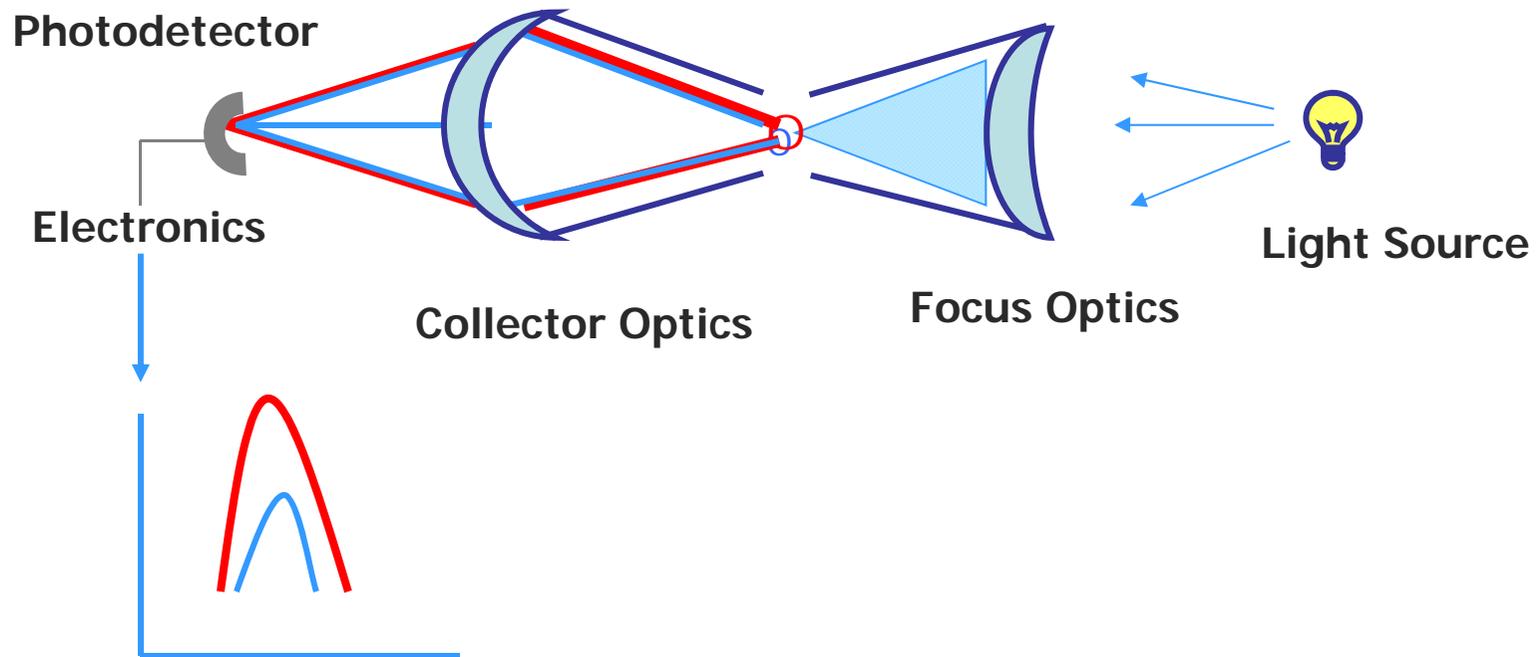
# Single Particle Sensing 单一颗粒感应

- Sample Volume  $\ll 1/\text{number concentration}$
- Requires a precise, known volume of sampled air 需要一个精密的，已知体积的取样体积
- Same as counting events; precision depends on total counts 精密依靠整个计数

# Single Particle Sensors 单一颗粒传感器

- Light attenuation (extinction) 光阻
- Scattering (Particle Counters) 光散射
  - Laser 激光
  - White Light 白光
- Angular Scattering 角度散射
- Doppler anemometer 多普勒风速计

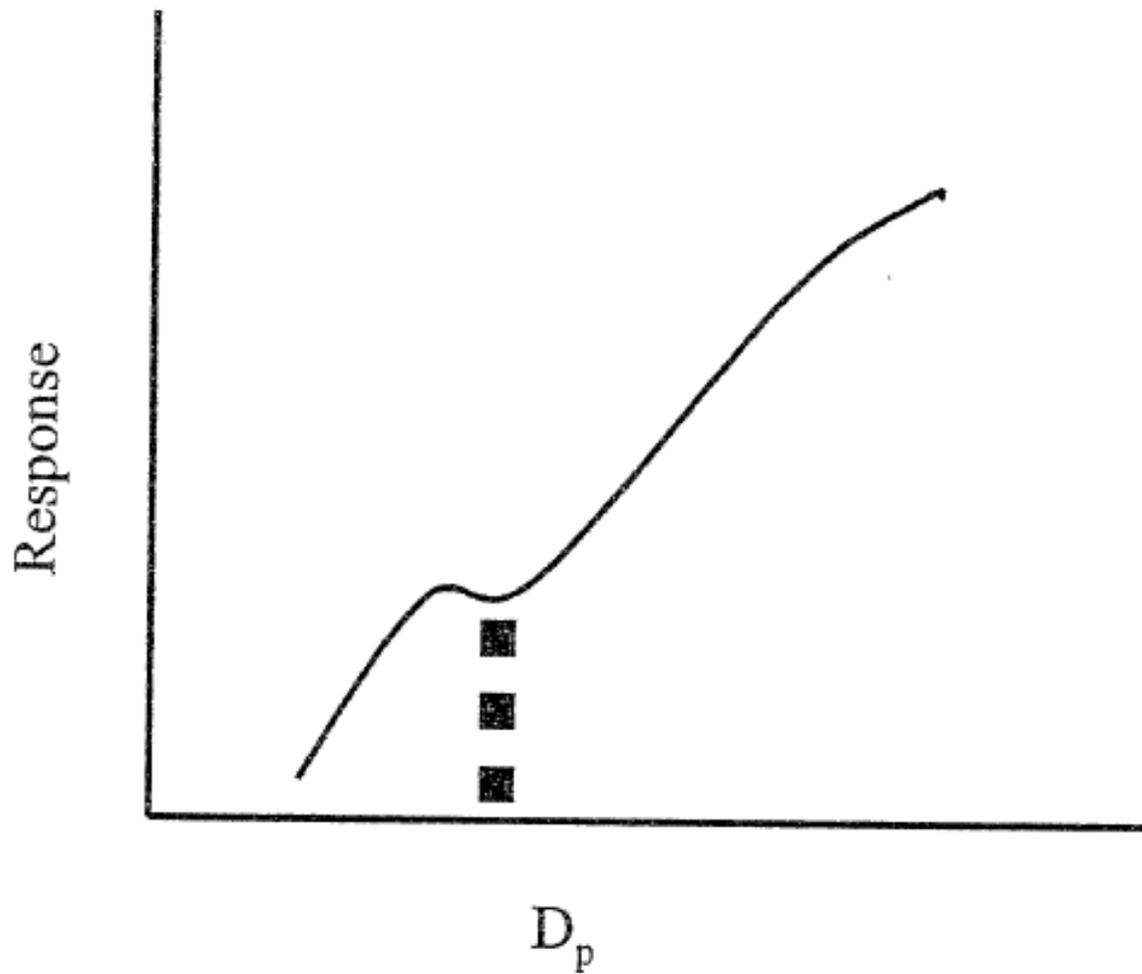
# Particle Counter 颗粒计数器



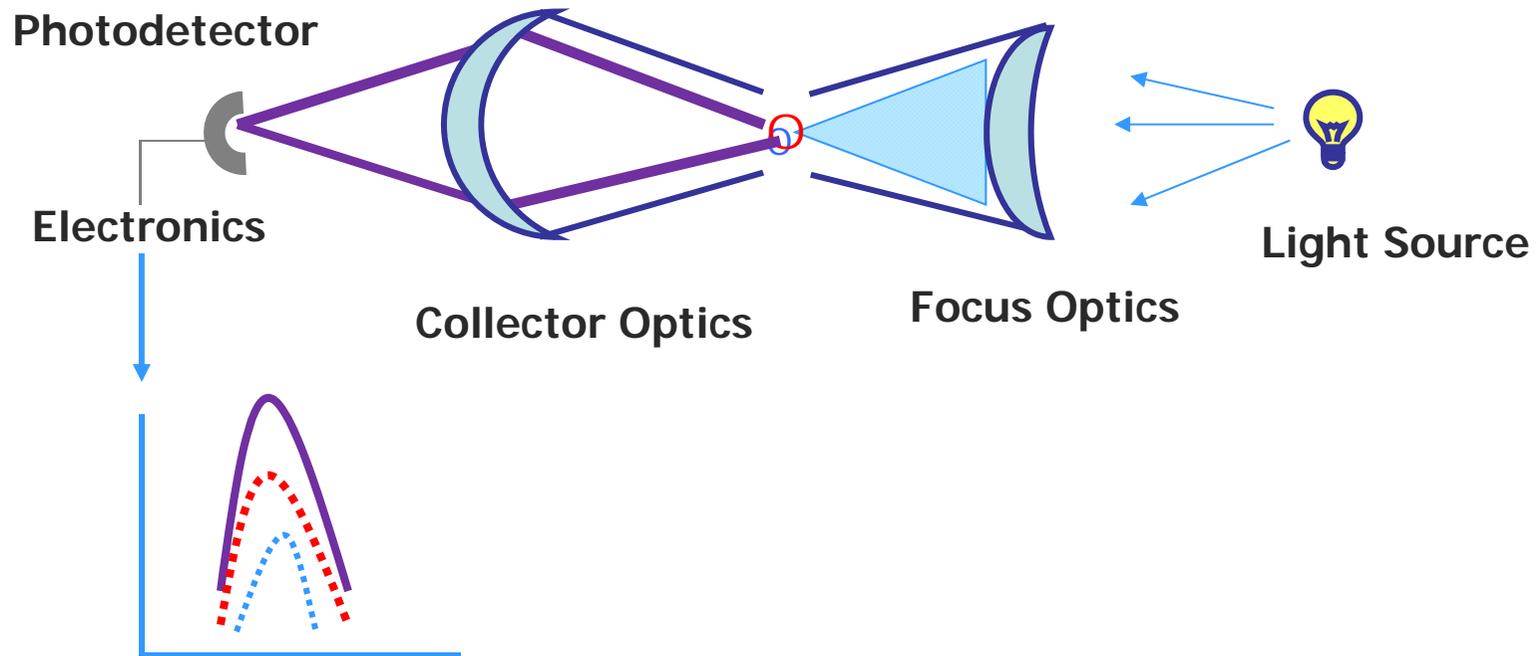
# Common Particle Counter Challenges 颗粒计数器共同挑战

- Multi Valued Response 多值的反应
- Coincidence 颗粒重合
- Problems at small particle sizes
- 小颗粒尺寸问题

# Multi Valued Signal 多值的信号



# Coincidence



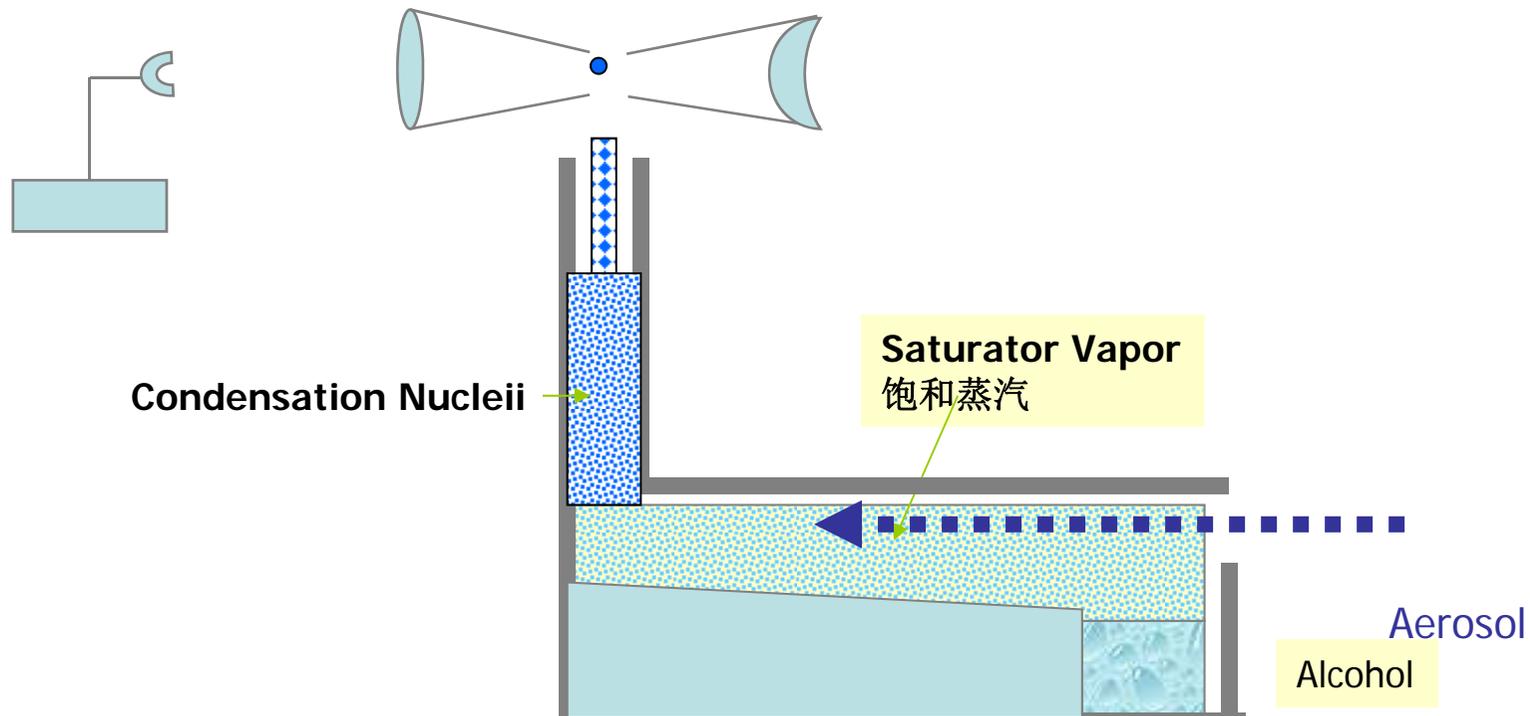
# Small Particle Detection 小颗粒侦测

- Scattering intensity is very small 散射能量非常小
- Common Solutions 共同的解决方案
  - Increase intensity of light 增加光能量
  - Change light source wavelength 改变光波长
  - New techniques? 新技术?

# Small Particle Detection 小颗粒侦测

- Increase Intensity 增加能量
  - Improves signal from particles 增加颗粒的信号
  - Increases noise from air molecules 但也增中了从空气分子中杂音
- Reduce the wavelength 减少波长
  - Shifts the curves to smaller sizes 转变曲线到小的尺寸
  - Increases noise from molecules 增加了杂音
- Reduce the viewing volume 减小可视体积

# Condensation Nucleus Counter 凝结核计数器



颗粒被导入到一个有饱和蒸汽的环境，典型的是乙醇，也有其它的如水。蒸汽在气溶胶中冷凝就象是人工下雨中的播种。这些颗粒在蒸汽的冷凝中长大成一个大的颗粒从而被传统的光散射测到。由于人工的云和液滴建立在颗粒上，颗粒象 $0.03\mu\text{m}$ 都能测到，然后液滴包在颗粒上使它不能测到实际的颗粒尺寸。

# Single Particle Sensors Summary 单

## 一颗粒传感器总结

- Most optical measurements are in the MIE regime
- 许多的光计量在米级
- Single particle counting requires known volume of sampled air 单  
一颗粒计数需要已知取样体积
- Same as counting events; precision depends on total counts –  
long sample times at low counts 如果取样时间长颗粒少会准确一  
些
- Problems of coincidence at high concentrations 在高浓度时会有  
重叠的问题
- Non unique response and low signal to noise ratio at small sizes  
在小尺寸范围时，低信噪比
- Small sizes handled by using smaller wavelengths or proprietary  
methods

# Photometer vs. Particle Counter vs. CNC 光度计&计数仪&凝聚核计数器

- Photometer光度计
  - Measures Total Aerosol测量整个气溶胶
  - Response Linear With Total Aerosol Volume与整个气溶胶量反应线性
  - Requires Known Aerosol And Relatively High Concentration需要知道气溶胶和相对高浓度
  - Problems:
    - No Particle Size Information 没有颗粒尺寸信息
    - Requires High Concentrations 需要高浓度

# Photometer vs. Particle Counter vs. CNC

- Particle Counter (Laser)颗粒计数器（激光）
  - Detects and sizes particles测试和尺寸颗粒
  - Counts by size通过尺寸计数
  - Measures down to 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$ 最小测量到0.1um
  - Can use any aerosol可用气溶胶
  - Problems问题:
    - Assumes everything measured is a PSL 假设每个颗粒都是聚苯乙烯
    - Multi Valued Response多值反应
    - Coincidence重叠
    - Problems at small particle sizes小颗粒问题
    - Long sample times to obtain a statistically valid results

# Photometer vs. Particle Counter vs. CNC

- CNC 凝聚核计数器
  - Particle detector only 仅仅测颗粒
  - Can measure less than 0.05  $\mu\text{m}$
  - Problems 问题:
    - Requires mono-dispersed aerosol 需单一分布的气溶胶
    - Counts all particles, noise at bottom end
    - Long sample times to obtain a statistically valid results

# Discussion





# Aerosols and Aerosol Generators

## 气溶胶和气溶胶发生器



# What is a Standard? 标准是什么

- A KNOWN and Universally Accepted value of a physical property or quantity
- 已知的并且被广泛接受的物理特性或数量值
  - Meter for measure of length 米
  - °C for Temperature 摄氏度

# Why are Standards Necessary? 为什么需要这些

- They establish accuracy of measuring instruments 这些建立了测量仪器的准确度
- Calibrate the accuracy of instruments in use
- 让仪器准确的校准
  - Temperature 温度
  - Scales 比例
  - Flow Meters 流量
  - Photometers 光度计
  - Particle Counters 颗粒计数器

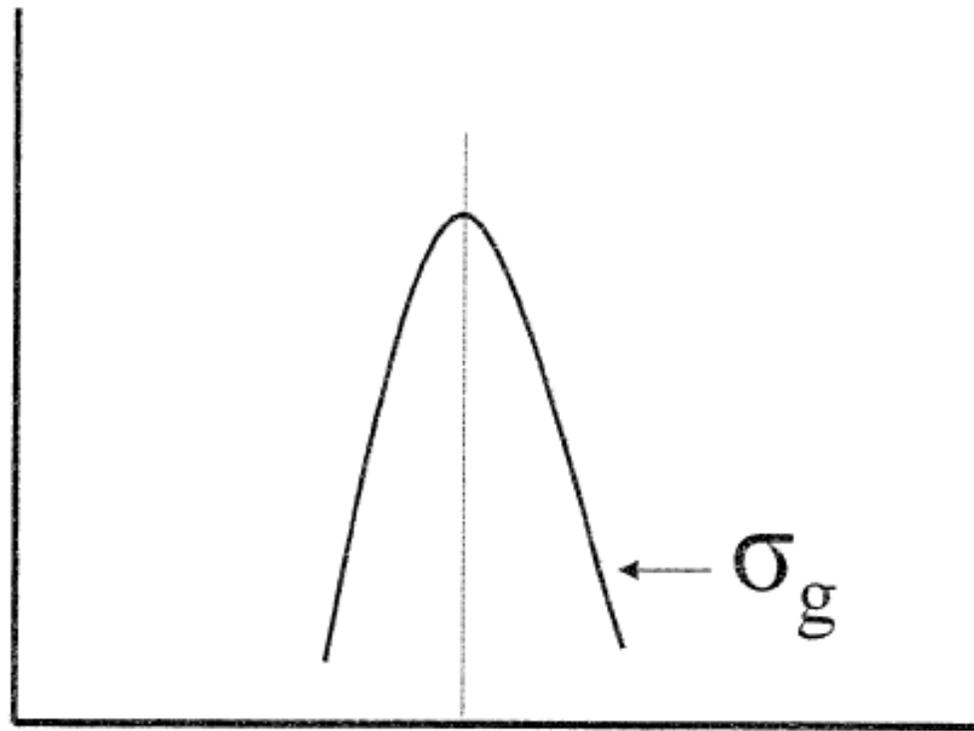
# How Does this Affect Aerosols 这些因素怎样影响气溶胶?

- A Standard Aerosol has KNOWN properties 已知特性
  - Particle Size and Distribution 颗粒尺寸和分布
  - Concentration 浓度
  - Shape (usually spherical) 形状
  - Chemistry (inert) 化学（惰性）
  - And Refractive Index in our business 反射系数

# Aerosol Standards 气溶胶标准

- Mono-disperse Aerosol 单一分布的气溶胶
  - ‘Single’ size particles  $\sigma_g \leq 1.4$ 
    - Instrument Calibration for PCs
    - Research & Development
- Near Mono-disperse Aerosol 接近于单一分布的气溶胶
  - Narrow distribution  $1.4 < \sigma_g \leq 1.6$ 
    - Some Production QC Level of accuracy
- Poly-disperse Aerosol 多分散气溶胶
  - Broad distribution  $1.6 < \sigma_g$
  - Industrial measurements
  - Instrument verification
  - Some instrument calibrations

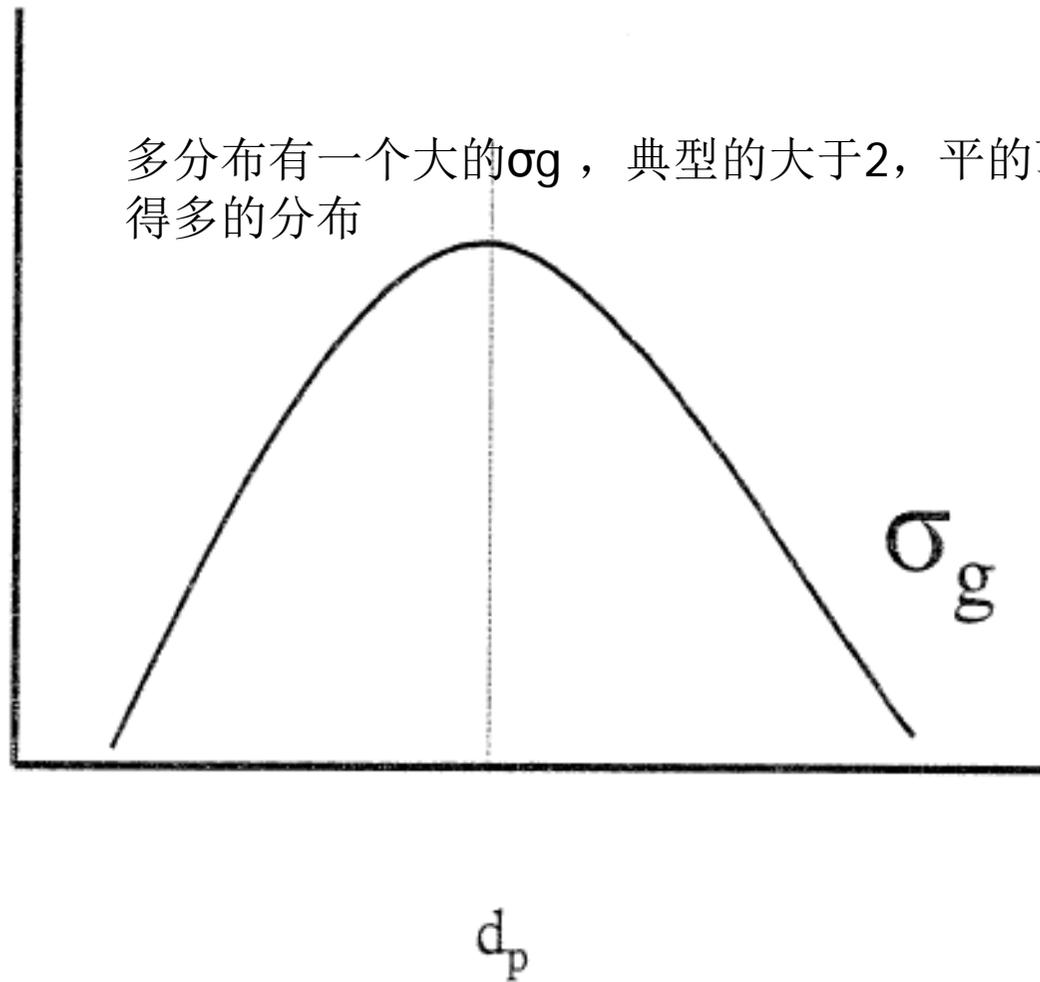
# Mono vs Poly Disperse



单一分布有一个尖的顶和一个窄的分布

$d_p$

# Mono vs Poly Disperse



# Implication on Size Dispersion

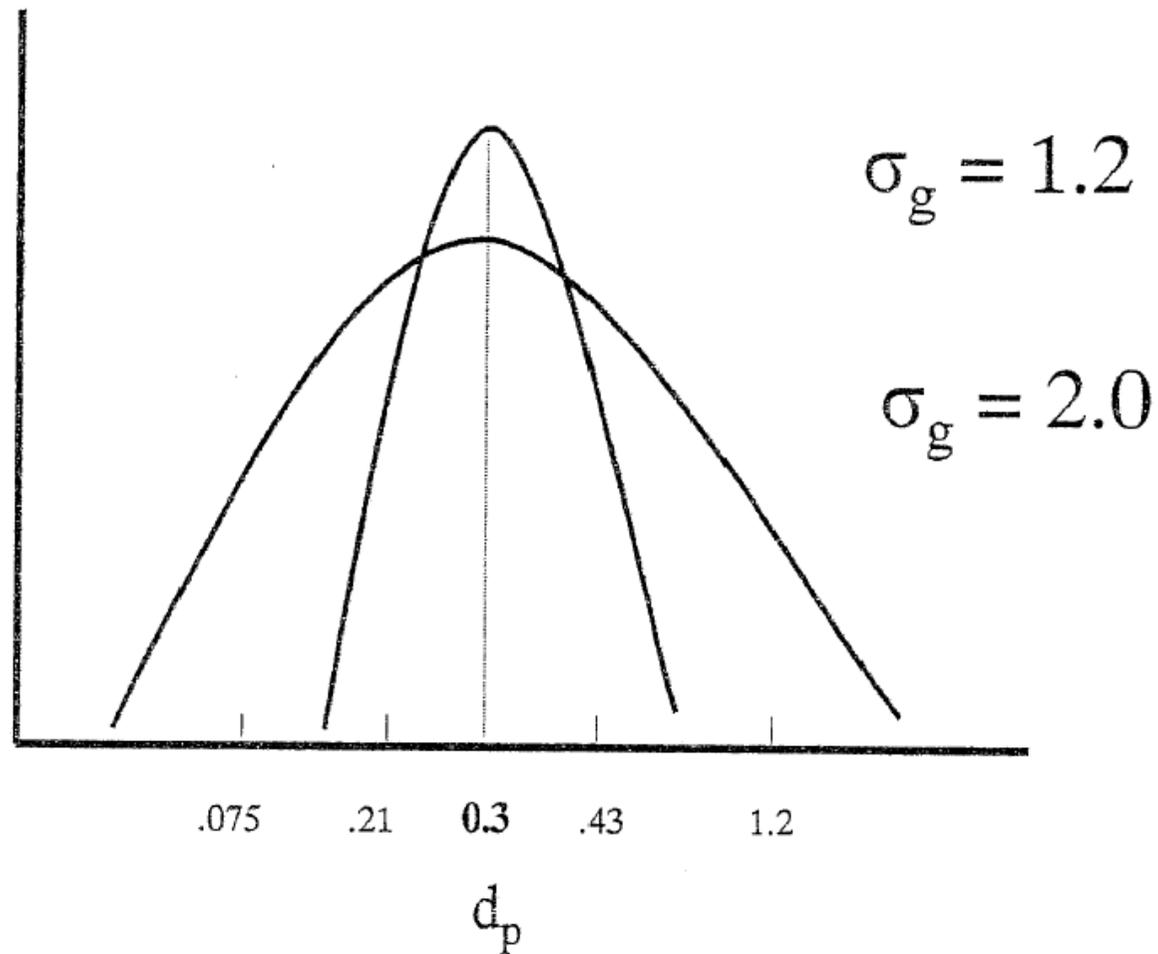
- For a log normal distribution
  - 95% of the particles are between
  - 对于一个对数的分布,

Mean  $\sigma_g^2$  &  $\sigma_g^2$  Mean

# Implication on Size Dispersion

- An aerosol with mean of 0.3 $\mu$ m
  - $\sigma_g = 1.2$ 
    - 95% of particles are between 0.21 & 0.43 $\mu$ m
  - $\sigma_g = 2.0$ 
    - 95% of particles are between 0.075 and 1.2 $\mu$ m

# Mono vs Poly Disperse



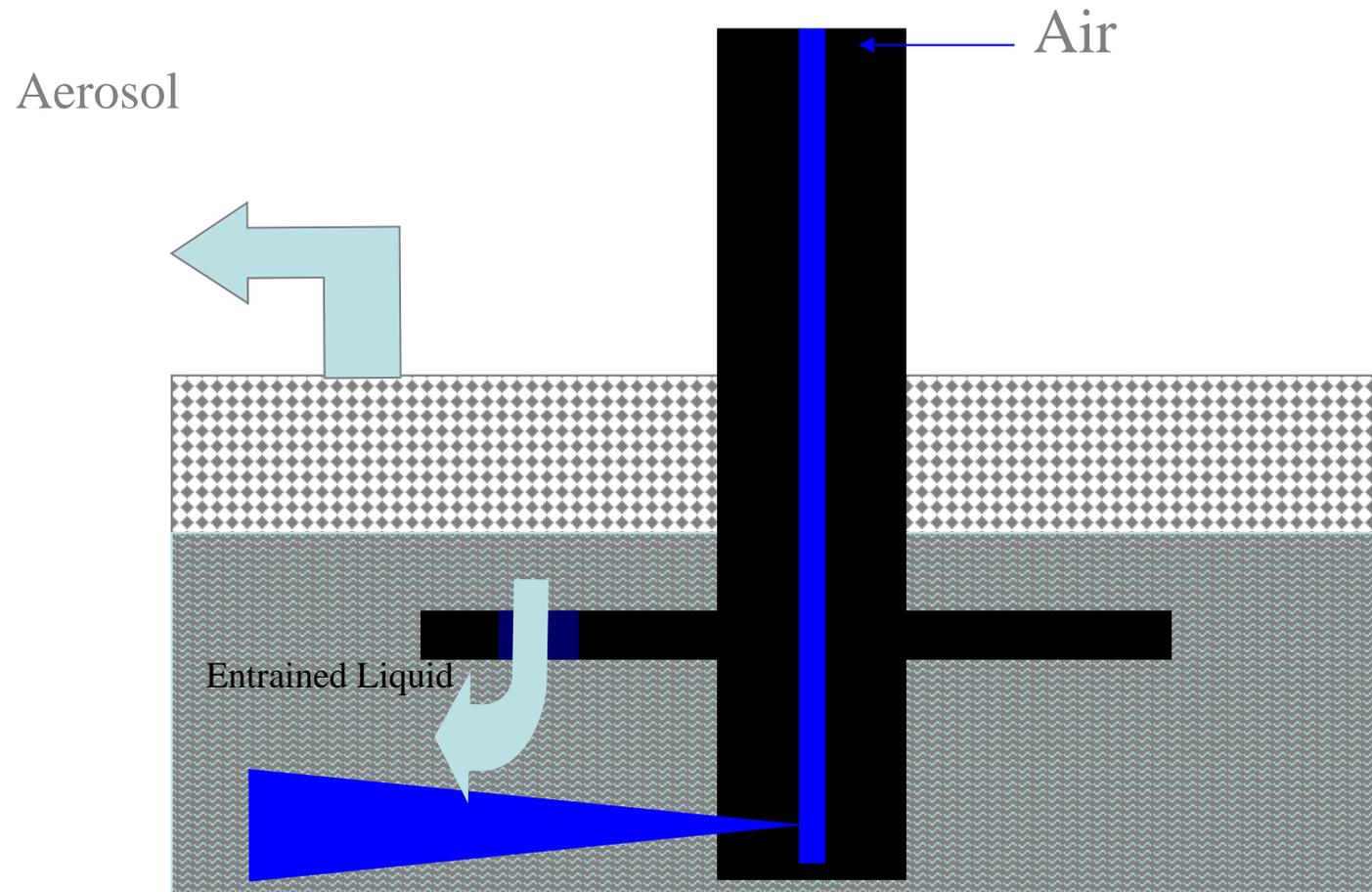
# Three Types of Aerosol 三种气溶胶

- Mono-disperse:  $\sigma_g \leq 1.4$
- Near Mono-disperse:  $1.4 < \sigma_g \leq 1.6$
- 接近于单一分布 分布系数小于1.6大于1.4
- Poly-disperse:  $1.6 < \sigma_g$

# Typical Poly-Disperse Aerosol Standard 典型的多分散溶胶标准

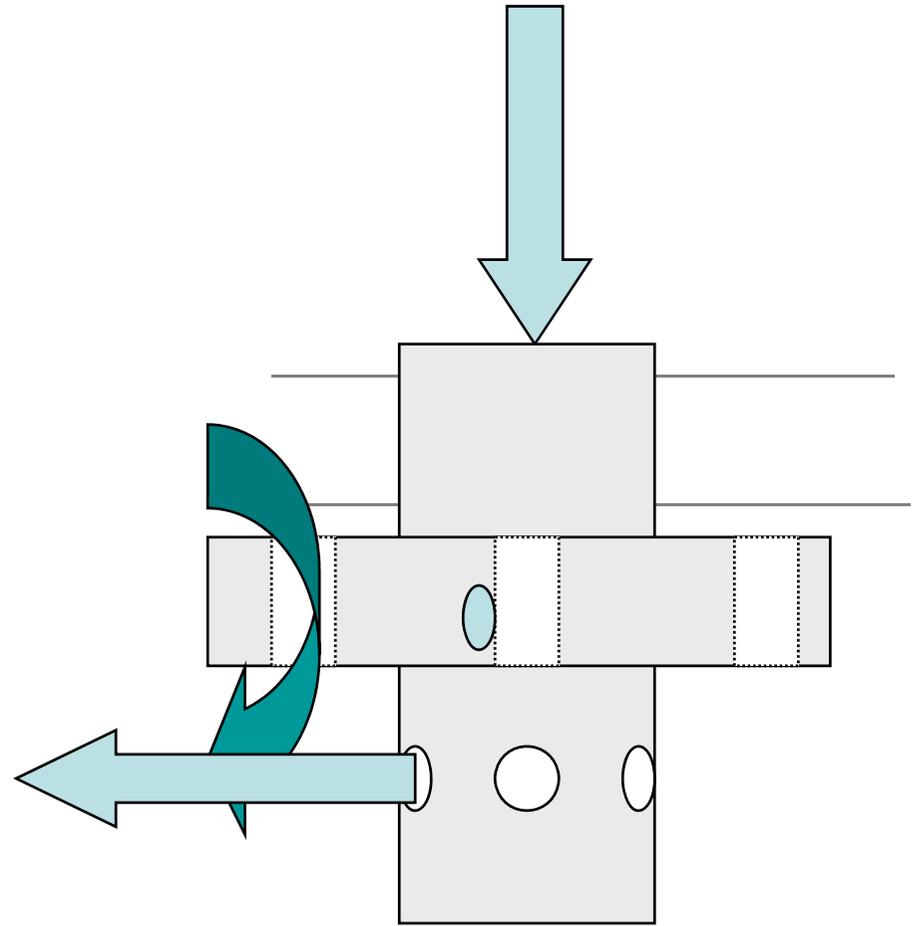
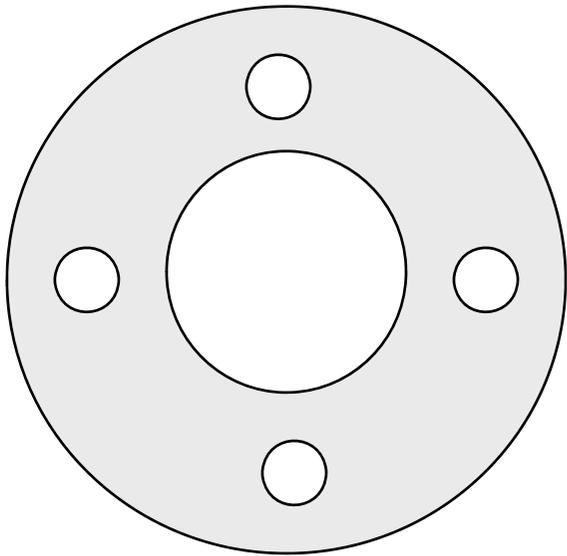
- Laskin Nozzle Laskin喷嘴
- Wright Nebulizer 赖特雾化器
- Pneumatic Nebulizer 气动雾化器
- Condensation Generators 冷凝发生器
- Spinning Disk 旋流片
- Exploding Wire 爆丝线
- Standard Dusts

# Laskin Nozzle



气体喷射流产生气泡，通过液体并且雾沫化液体，增加了气溶胶质量输出以及影响到气溶胶的平均尺寸

# Laskin Nozzle





# Laskin Nozzle Concentration Calculations

Output of Laskin Nozzle is defined:

- By **# Nozzles** @ 20 PSIG

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{\text{\# Nozzles} \times 13,500}{\text{Total Flow (cfm)}}$$

- By **# Jets** at 20 PSIG

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{\text{\# Nozzles} \times 3,375}{\text{Total Flow (cfm)}}$$

\*Note: there are 4 jets in a standard Laskin Nozzle

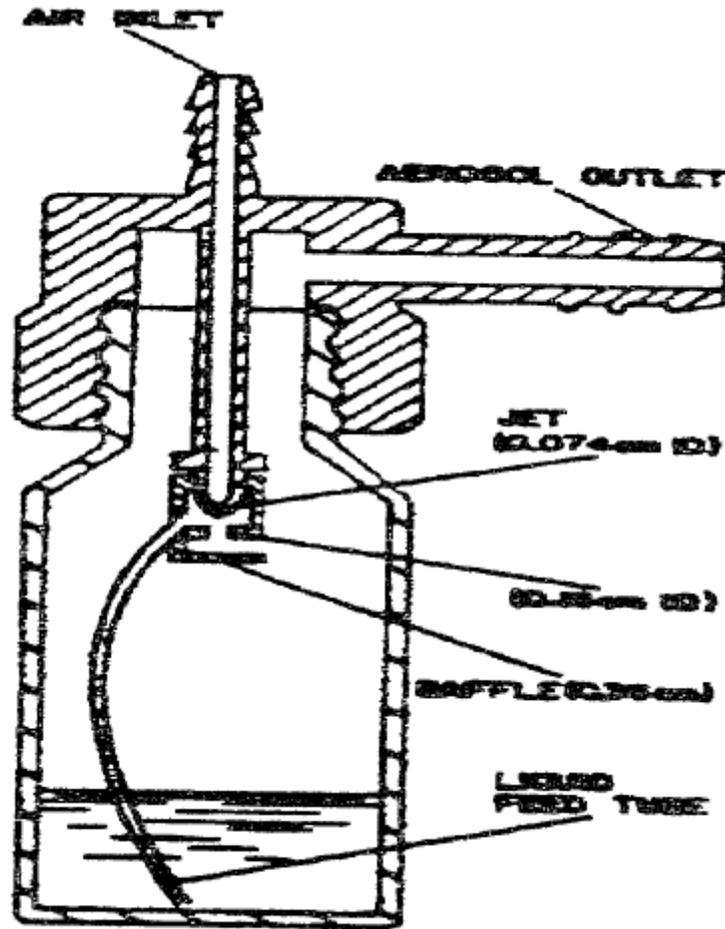
Laskin喷嘴是由美国海军研究室选择，它的输出大部分是次微米的，气溶胶的尺寸和分布，浓度是可重复的，可重生的。

# Laskin Nozzle

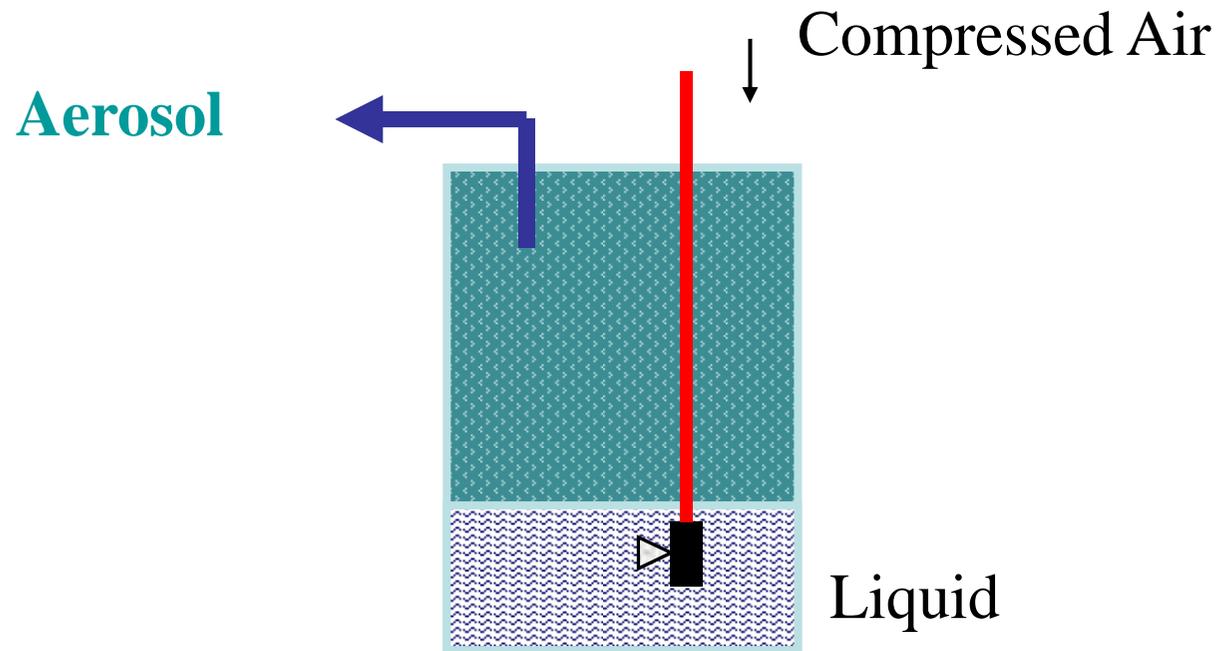
## Concentration Calculations Laskin 喷嘴 浓度计算

- You can calculate the system concentration, if you know:
  - System Air Volume (CFM)
  - Number of Laskin Nozzles/Jets at 20 PSIG
- You can calculate the number of nozzles/Jets, if you know:
  - System Air Volume (CFM)
  - Desired system concentration

# Wright Nebulizer 赖特喷雾器

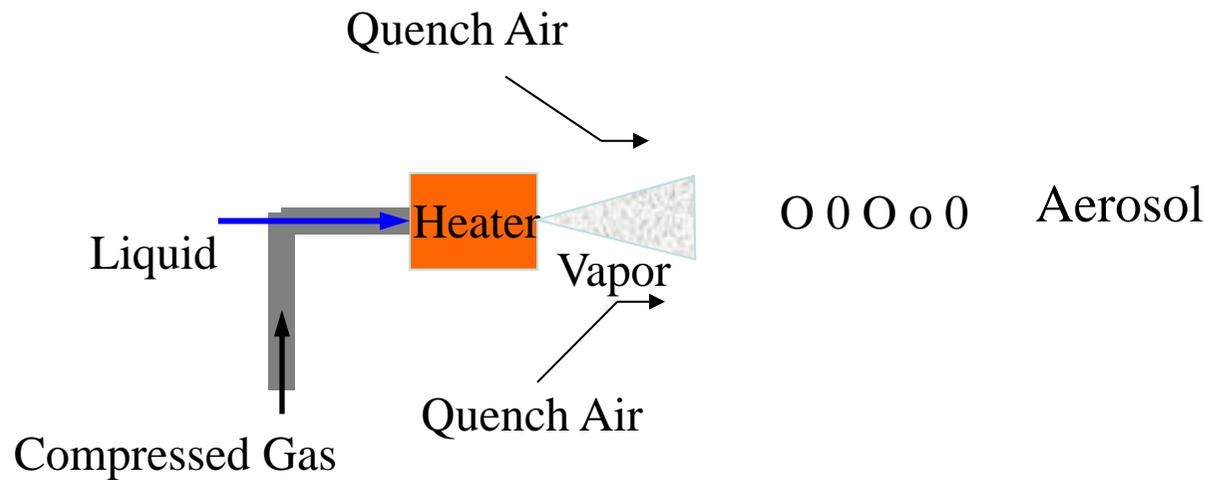


# Pneumatic Nebulizer 充气雾化器



高速的喷射气泡通过液体，在液体中产生了泡沫，在表面产生了颗粒。类似于开水中水的溅起。小的颗粒或液滴在空气中以雾沫存在并且被带出，大的颗粒掉回液体中。

# Thermal Condensation Aerosol Generators 热冷凝 气溶胶发生

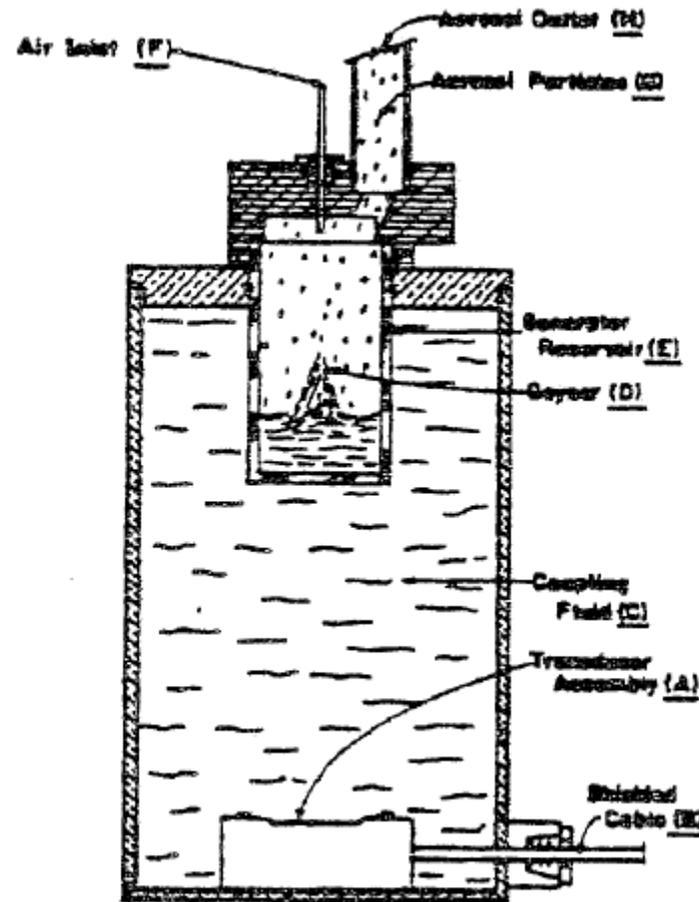


淬冷型雾器形成液滴，淬冷速度和温度对颗粒的尺寸和分布有影响

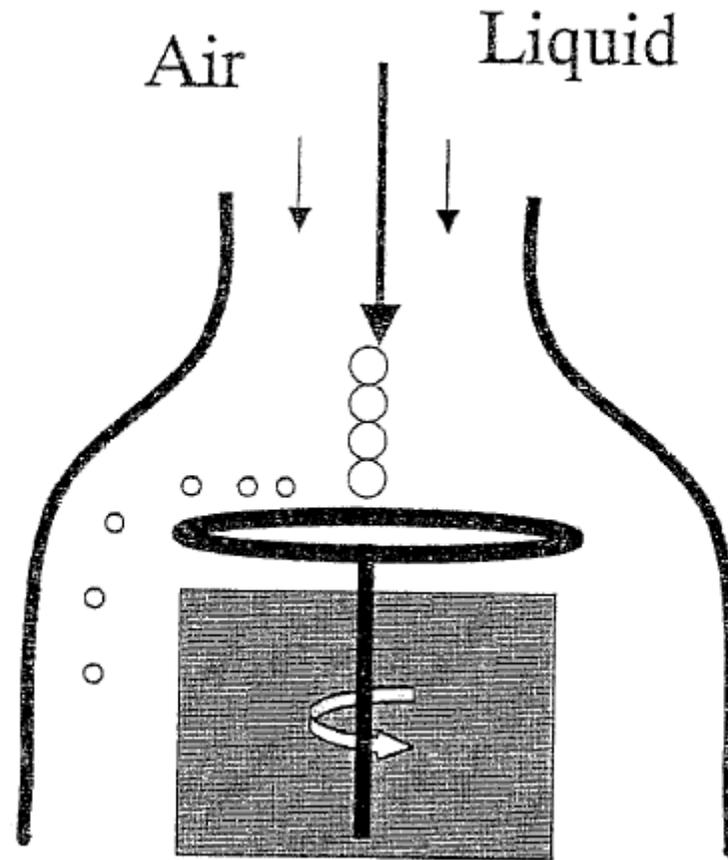
# Thermal Aerosol Generator 热气溶胶 发生器

- Polydispersed 多分散
- Produces a greater level of aerosol concentration than pneumatic type nozzle 产生比充气型多得多的气溶胶浓度
- Applications include higher flow systems
- Median particle size is smaller than pneumatic generation 平均粒径小于充气型
- Output concentration cannot be calculated as output is variable
- Size and distribution shift with concentration 尺寸和分布随浓度的转变而变

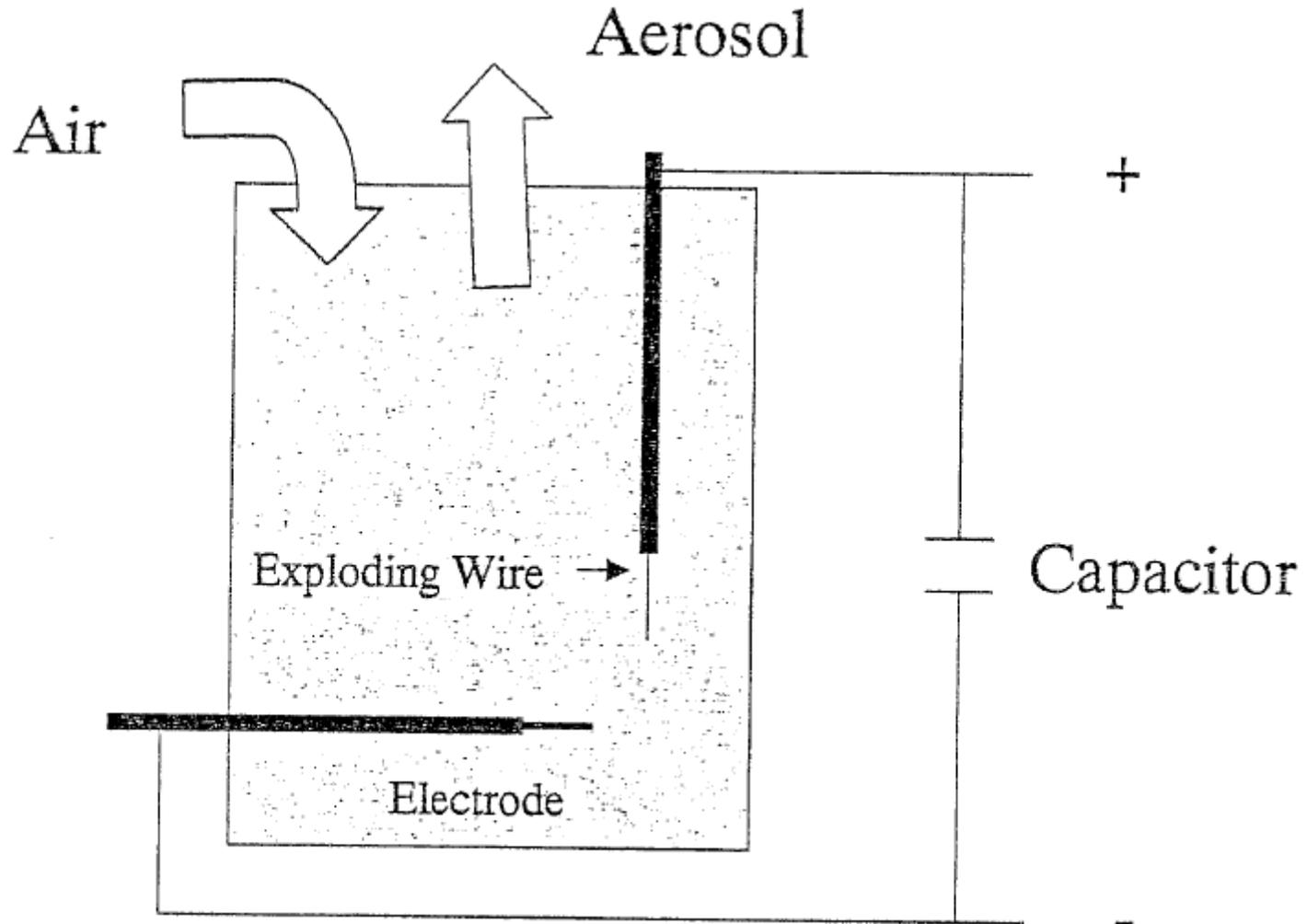
# Ultrasonic Nebulizer 超声喷雾器



# Spinning Disk Particle Generator 旋转气溶胶发生器



# Exploding Wire



# Test Dusts 测试粉尘

- Standard Dust (Arizona Road Dust) 标准粉尘（亚利桑那州粉尘）
  - Mainly Silica with 主要的硅
    - Mass Mean Diameter of 7  $\mu\text{m}$  质量直径平均是7微米
    - $\sigma_g$  of 3.6 分布为3.7
    - Specific Gravity of 2.7 重量是2.7
  - Originally collected from Arizona Desert
  - 原始的收集于亚利桑那州沙漠

# Test Dusts

- ASHRAE 空调舒适性标准
  - Custom blend of包括:
    - 72% ISO 12103-1, A2 Fine Test Dust,
    - 72%ISO粉尘
    - 23% powdered carbon 23%的碳粉
    - 5% milled cotton linters 5%磨的棉线
  - Attempt to simulate natural dust for HVAC
  - 趋向于HVAC的自然粉尘。

# Test Dusts 测试粉尘

- SAE Dusts – automotive filter testing
- SAE 粉尘-自动过滤器测试
  - Fine 细粉尘
    - Mass Median Diameter ~ 25 $\mu$ m 质量平均直径
    - No particles > 100 $\mu$ m 没有颗粒大于100um
  - Coarse 粗粉尘
    - Mass Median Diameter ~ 60 $\mu$ m 60um 平均质量粒径
    - 10%+ may be larger than 100 $\mu$ m, 10%以上大于100um.

# Common Mono-disperse Aerosol Standards 单一分布气溶胶标准

- Poly Styrene Latex (PSL) 聚苯乙烯标准粒子
- Vibrating Orifice 振动孔
- Electrostatic Classification 静电分级
- Condensation Techniques 冷凝技术

# PSL Aerosols PSL 气溶胶

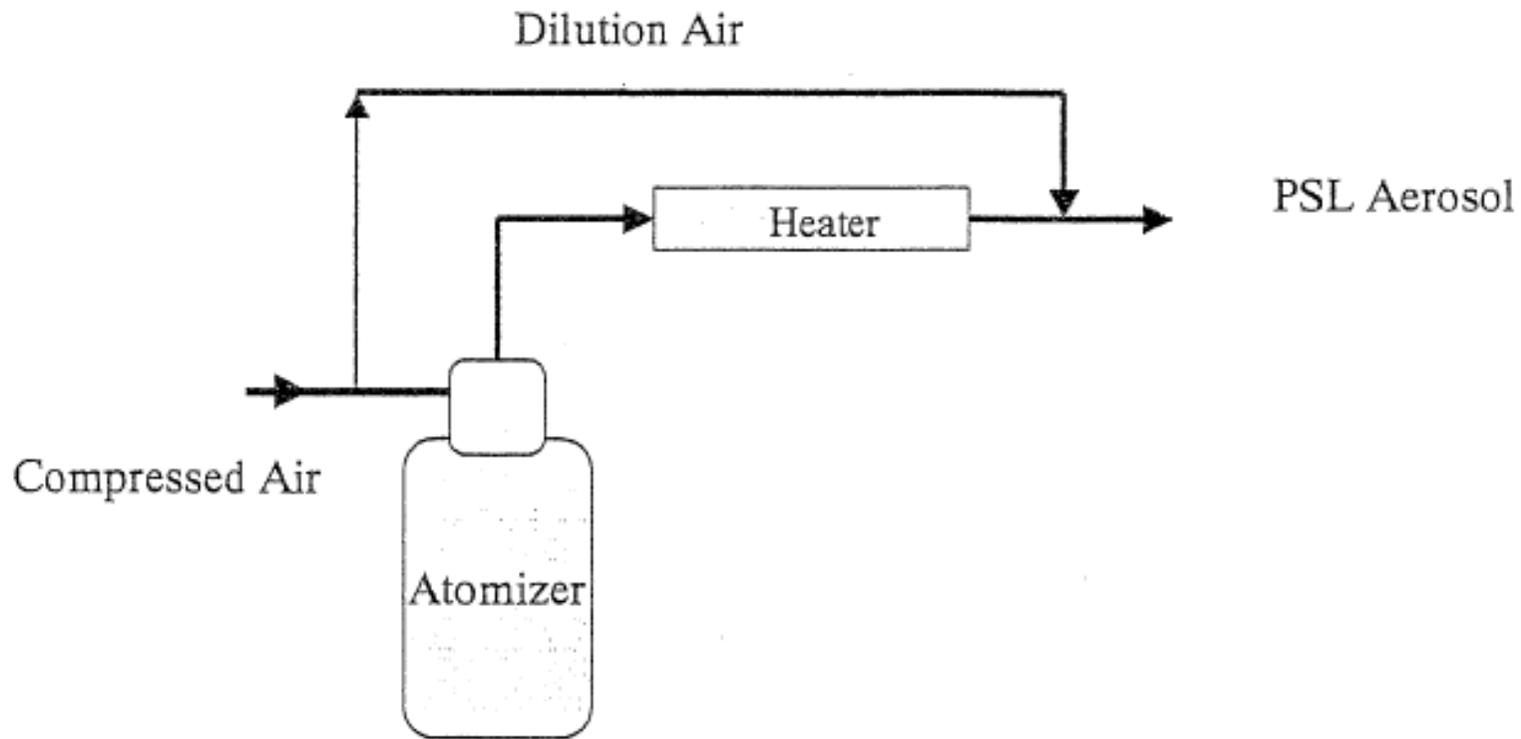
- NIST Traceable PSL Particles 可溯源到NISTPSL粒子
  - Examples

PSL Spheres, NIST SRM, 60.4nm, 101.8nm, 269nm, 895nm				
Product Part #	Nominal Diameter	Certified Mean Peak	Std. Dev & CV	Solids Content
AP1690	895 nm	895nm ± 5 nm	0.7 nm	0.50%
AP1691	269 nm	269nm ± 4 nm	5.3 nm	0.50%
AP1963A	101.8 nm	101.8nm ± 1.1 nm	0.55 nm	0.50%
AP1964	60.4 nm	60.39nm ± 0.63 nm	0.31 nm	0.50%

- Methodology 方法

- Atomize PSL in Liquid (water)在液体里雾化PSL
- Evaporate the liquid 蒸发掉液体
- NIST Traceable PSL Aerosol 可溯源到NIST PSL粒子

# PSL Aerosols PSL产尘仪



# Residue & PSL Aerosols 残留 &PSL气溶胶

- Impurities in water become small particles 水中的杂质变成小颗粒
- These particles can be counted as particles in standard aerosol, especially by a CNC 这些可能被计数，特别是凝聚核计数器

# Residue & PSL Aerosols

Assuming a typical 2um atomizer droplet and 10 ppm purity water, 比方说我们把2um雾化液滴和10ppm的纯水

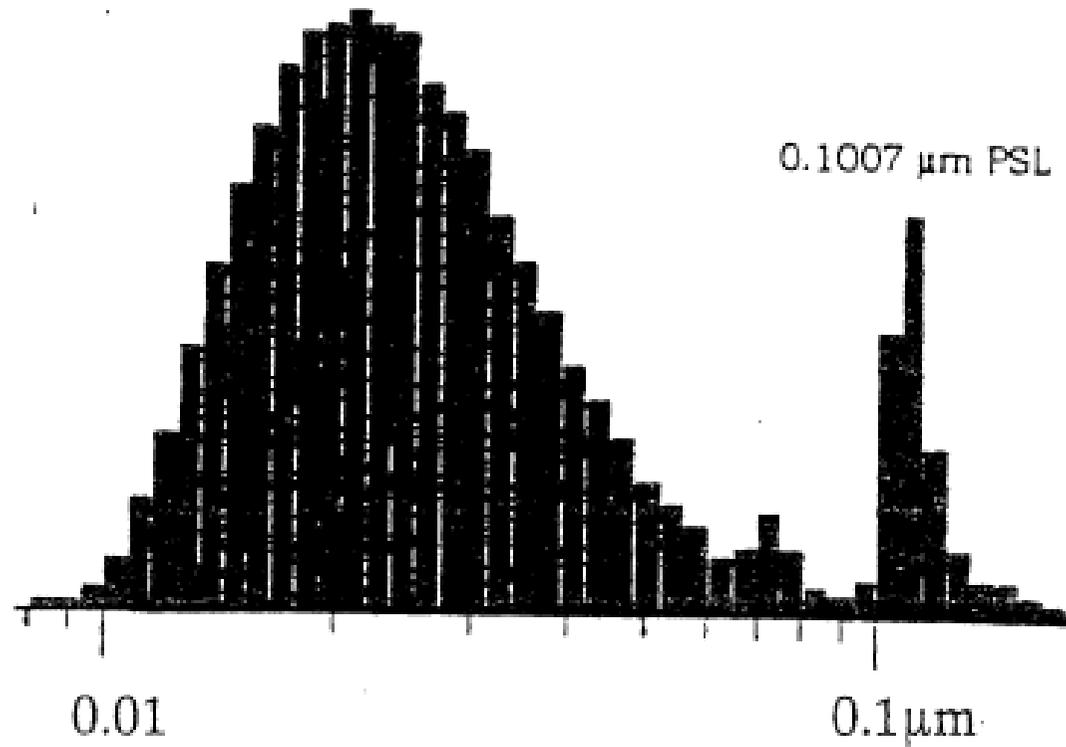
Residue particle size can be computed

$$10 \times 10^{-6} = (\text{residue dia}/\text{drop dia})^3$$

$$\text{Residue Diameter} = 0.04\mu\text{m}$$

# Residue Particles 残留的颗粒

Residue Particles

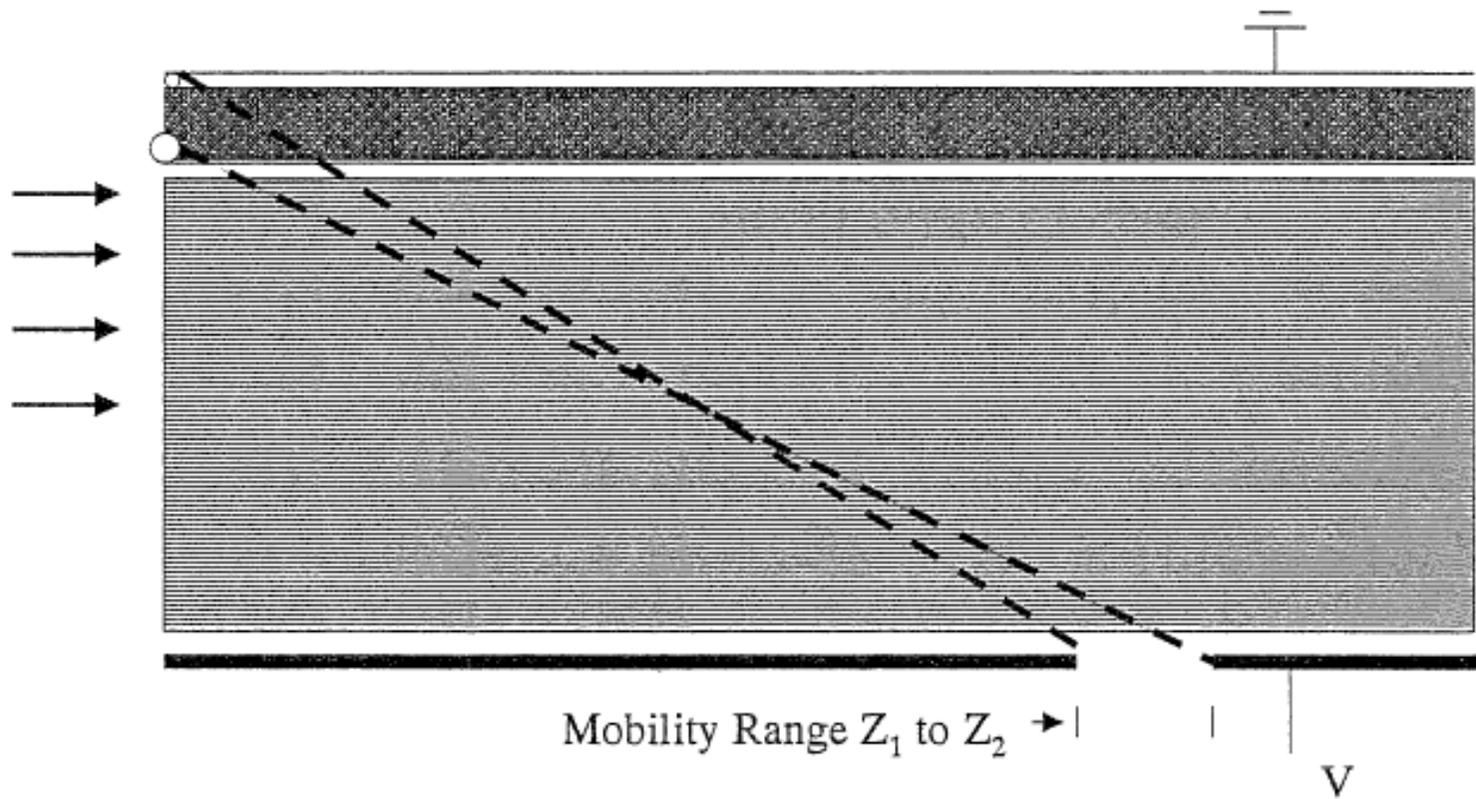


# PSL Aerosols PSL气溶胶

- Common for Cleanroom Applications 常用于洁净室应用
- NIST traceable PSLs are expensive 可溯源到NIST PSL粒子非常贵
- PSLs are easy to aerosolize, but output concentration is variable 容易雾化，但输出浓度变化大
- Limited by residue at small sizes 在小的粒径区有残留
- Not available in large sizes 没有大的尺寸的颗粒
- PSL gives excellent optical response 光学反应上性能优秀
- Used as calibration aerosol for particle counters 用作计数仪的校准气溶胶

# Electric Mobility Classification

## 电纤移分类



# Points to Remember

- Standards are required to verify and calibrate instruments and devices
- A Standard aerosol can be either poly or mono disperse
- R&D standards are more precise and are for laboratory use
- Industrial standards are easier to produce and are widely used

# Points to Remember cont'd.

- Poly-disperse aerosols are commonly generated by atomization, nebulization or mechanical means
- Only a few techniques are available to generate very tight, mono-disperse aerosols
- NIST traceable PSLs are generated in small quantities and are very expensive
- PSL concentration output is variable
- Residue particles can be a problem in small sizes

# Discussion





# Photometer Testing Standards & Practices

## 光度计测试标准和实践



# What is a “Filter” Testing Standard? 过滤器测试标准

- A DOCUMENTED and Universally Accepted method of obtaining a Qualitative Performance Measurement  
一个可记录的广泛接受的方案，得到一个可量化的测量

# Why are Standards Necessary? 标准必需什么

- They establish consistent methodology 建立一致性
- Provide a guide for understanding and compensating for variables encountered during practical application 提供一个指导对理解和补偿在实践中

# How Does this Affect Filter Testing?

- A Test Standard defines methods and limits
  - Aerosol characteristics 气溶胶特性
  - System Operating Conditions 系统操作条件
  - Testing protocols 测试条文
    - Allowable Challenge Concentrations 允许挑战性浓度
    - Sampling Rate 取样速度
    - Maximum “Allowable” Leakage 最大的允许的泄露
    - Scanning Speed 扫描速度

# Standards & Recommended Practices Organizations 标准及建议操作组织

- AACC (American Association for Contamination Control)
- 美国污染控制协会
- ISO (International Organization for Standardization)
- 国际标准组织
- BNL (Brookhaven National Laboratory)
  
- ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)
  
- EN (European Norm)
  
- IEST (Institute of Environmental Science & Technology)
  
- ANSI (American National Standards Institute)
  
- ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)
  
- DOE (Department of Energy)

# Filter Testing Standards

- CS-IT (1968) Standard for HEPA filters
- CS-2T (1968) Standard for Laminar Flow Clean Air Devices - Installation Leak Test (filter and gaskets)
- CS-2T (1968) Standard for Laminar Flow Clean Air Devices - Induction Leak Test (seams and joints)
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# Industries Using Photometry 光度计行业

- Pharmaceutical 制药
- Non-pharmaceutical 非制药
  - Civilian
    - Nuclear Power 核电厂
  - Military
    - Nuclear Weapons 核武器
    - Chemical Weapons 化学武器
    - Biological Weapons 生物武器

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

## 光度计和计数仪

- 1968 CS-1T Standard for HEPA Filters
- 1968年cs-1T HEPA测试标准

### Photometer 光度计

- Upstream challenge aerosol must be at least 27ug/l
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from filter face

### Particle Counter

- No defined method

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# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- 1968 CS-2T Standard for Laminar Flow Clean Air Devices
  - Induction Leak Test (for seams & joints)

## **Photometer**

- Ambient aerosol must be at least  $10 E^3$  above FF
- Maximum Leakage =  $>FF$
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from joint or seam within clean zone

## **Particle Counter**

- Ambient aerosol must be  $>300K$  particles/ft<sup>3</sup>
- Maximum leakage  $>100$  counts
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from joint or seam within clean zone

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- 2005 ISO 14644-3 Cleanrooms & associated controlled environments, Test methods
  - Installed Filter System Leakage
  - 2005年 ISO 14633-3标准

## **Photometer**光度计

- Upstream challenge aerosol of between 20 & 80ug/l
- 上游在20-80ug/L间
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- 最大的泄露是0.01%
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from filter face扫描速度是每秒2英寸，距过滤器面1英寸

## **Limitations**限制

- Efficiency < 99.997% @ MPPS
- Oil aerosols allowed油气溶胶允许
- Ability to achieve required concentrations 可得到需要的浓度

## **Particle Counter** 计数仪

- Upstream challenge aerosol (Too much detail to list here @ 6 pages) sufficiently high that  $N_p > 2$  &  $< 10$
- 上游气溶胶浓度足够高
- Maximum leakage = 0.01%
- 最大的泄露0.01%
- Scanning rate  $\leq 3.14$  inches per second (varies depending on probe dimensions,  $N_p$ , sample rate扫描速度是每秒小于3.14英寸（探头尺寸不同而不同）

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- 2005 ISO 14644-3 Cleanrooms & associated controlled environments, Test methods
  - Containment Test 2005 年ISO 14644-3标准

## Photometer

- Upstream challenge aerosol of between 20 & 80 ug/l
- 上游在20ug/L-80之间
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
  
- Scanning rate  $\leq$  2 inches per second at 2 inches from joint, seal or mating surfaces

## Limitations

- Efficiency  $<$  99.997% @ MPPS
- Oil aerosols allowed

## Particle Counter

- The greater of:
  - ambient count  $\times E10^3$
  - $> 3.5 E10^6$  particles/m<sup>3</sup>
- Maximum leakage =  $\leq$  ambient count  $\times E10^{-2}$
- Scanning rate  $\leq$  2 inches per second at 2 inches from joint, seal or mating surfaces

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- 2001 IH62300:2001 In-Place HEPA Filter testing

## **Photometer**

- Upstream challenge aerosol  $10^4$  greater than ambient
- Maximum Leakage = 0.03%
- Duct measurement-No scan

## **Particle Counter**

- No defined method

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- IEST-RP-CC006 Testing Cleanrooms

## Photometer

- Upstream challenge aerosol of between 10 to 20 ug/l
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from filter face

## Particle Counter

- $3 \times 10^8$  #/m<sup>3</sup> @ particle size of interest (10 counts per Appendix B, Exp. 1)
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- Scanning rate =  
$$\frac{[(C_c)(L_s)(F_s)(D_p)] \div [(60)(N_p)]}{\text{Result } 3.3 \text{ ft/min @ 1 in or 0.65 inches per second (Appendix B, Exp. 1)}}$$

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- IEST-RP-CC034 HEPA & ULPA Filter Leak Tests IEST测试标准

## Photometer

- Upstream challenge aerosol of between 10 to 90 ug/l
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from filter face

## Particle Counter

- $2.8 \times 10^8$  #/m<sup>3</sup> @ particle size of interest (*10 counts per Appendix G, Exp. 1*)
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- Scanning rate =  
[(2.8)(108) ÷ 1000][(0.0001)  
(28.3)(1.25) ÷ (60)(10)]  
Result = 1.25 cm/s @ 1 in  
or 0.5 in/sec  
(*Appendix G, Exp. 1*)

# Photometer vs. Discrete Particle Counter

- 2008 NSF 49 Biosafety Cabinetry
- 2008年NSF 49 生物安全柜

## Photometer

- Upstream challenge aerosol of at least 10 ug/l
- 上游大于10ug/L
- Maximum Leakage = 0.01%
- 最大的泄露是0.01%
- Scanning rate = 2 inches per second @ 1 inch from filter face 扫描速度是每秒2英寸，距过滤器面1英寸

## Particle Counter

- No defined method 无计数仪描述

# Points to Remember!

- Photometer & particle counter results are not likely to correlate due to the different weighting of the technology used.
  - Photometry response is mass weighted while particle response is number weighted.
- Filter testing process is the same regardless of photometer or particle counter use.
  - Measure upstream challenge
  - Measure downstream penetration by scanning or point sampling
  - Calculate penetration

# Points to Remember!

- Filter testing process complexity varies between photometers and particle counters.
  - Challenge concentration
    - Photometers: Variable range of 10-100 ug/l with 10-30 ug/l being typical (Std defined)
    - Particle counters: Variable range of  $3.0 \times 10^5$  to  $3.0 \times 10^8$  (Std defined, calculated to achieve desired  $N_p$ )
  - Measure Downstream
    - Photometers :0.01% leakage maximum while scanning rate of 2 inches /second in most cases (Std defined)
    - Particle counter: 0.01% leakage maximum in most cases while scanning at a calculated, statistically, determined rate (Std defined)

# Points to Remember!

- Calculate Penetration
  - Photometer: Ratio of upstream challenge to downstream expressed as a percent
  - Particle counter: Ratio of upstream challenge to downstream expressed as a percent

# Points to Remember!

- Each technology has design strengths and weaknesses which decide where its use is “reasonable” in filter leakage testing.
  - Photometer
    - Aerosol generator for upstream challenge “oil” aerosol
    - No diluter necessary for Upstream measurements
    - Consistent & essentially “Calculation Free” test method
    - Limited to systems with efficiencies  $\leq 99.997\%$
    - Typically consistent results among multiple units
    - Robust “core” technology
  - Particle counter
    - Aerosol generator required in most cases, but at a lower output
    - Use of solid or liquid aerosol possible
    - Ability to test systems to 99.9999% efficiency
    - Diluter required for upstream sampling
    - Unit to unit result consistency difficult to achieve
    - More sensitive detection system results in less-robust instrument

# Discussion





# Hands On Demo: Photometer Filter Leak Scanning



# Review and Discussion





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