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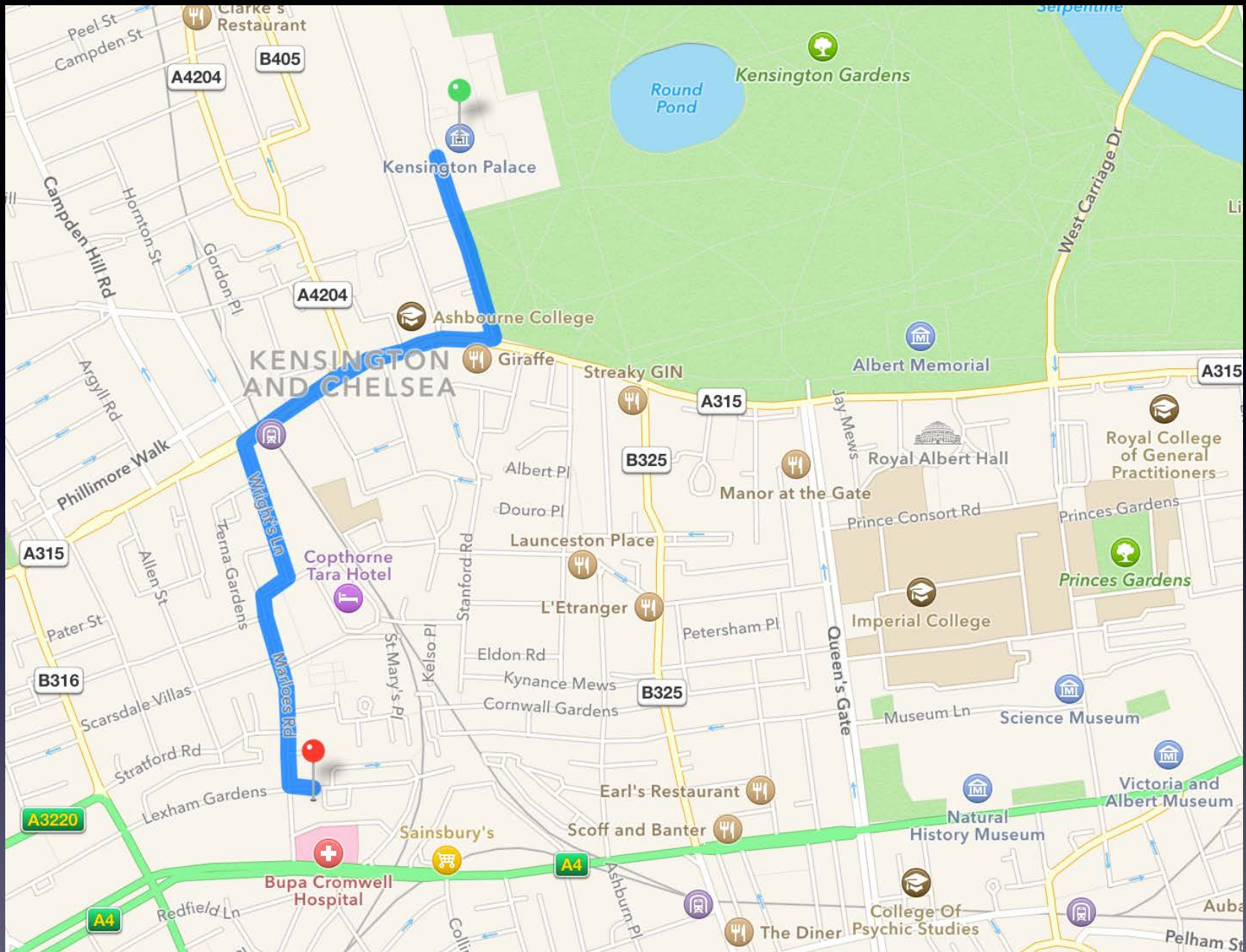
Could read some history before you go... and then explore

- The Monarchy is a special institution to the people of Great Britain
 - or at least England....
- Kensington Palace is in your neighborhood
 - Childhood home of Queen Victoria
 - Plenty of “videos” and “movies” to get info about her

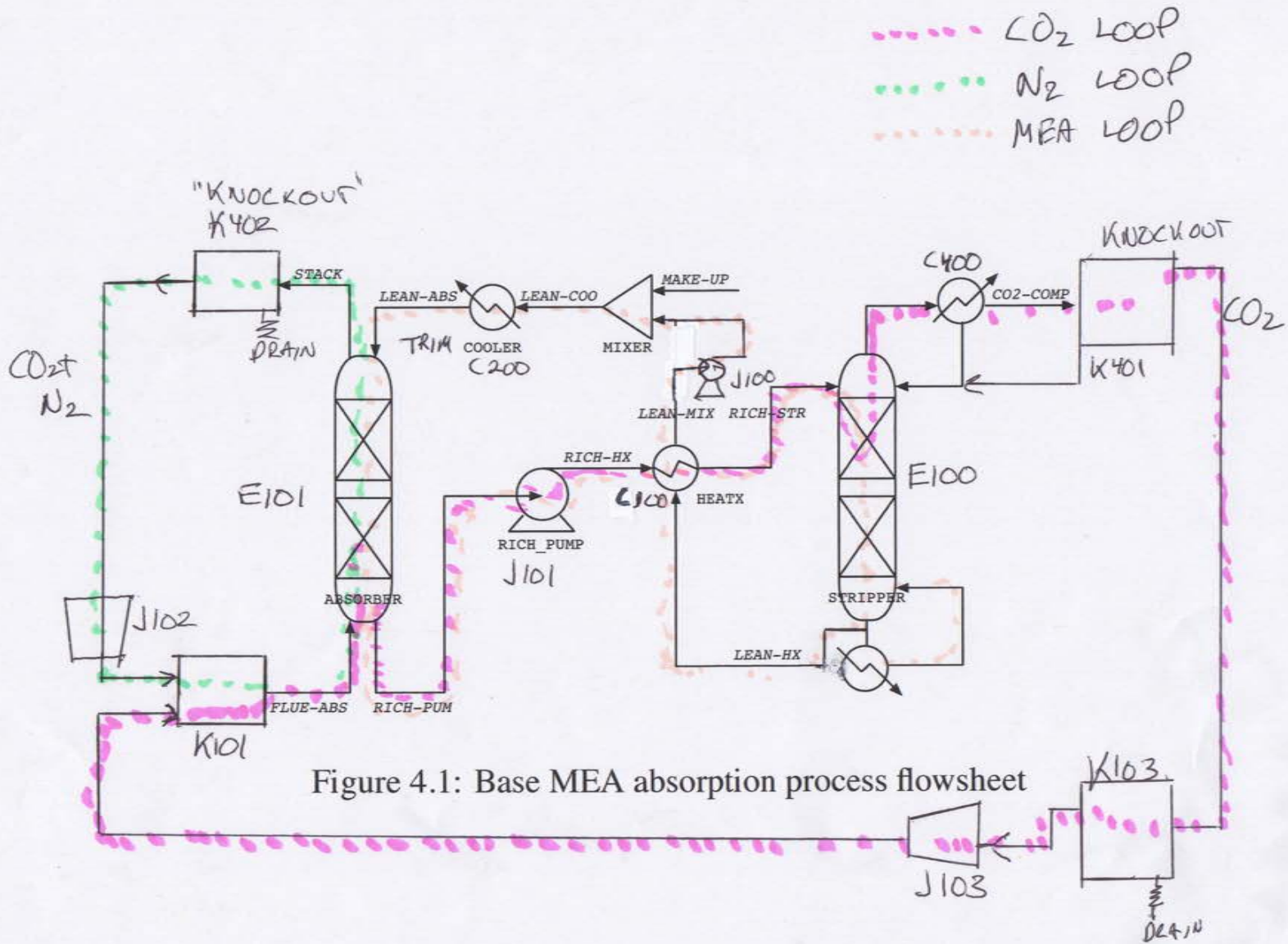
Kensington Palace



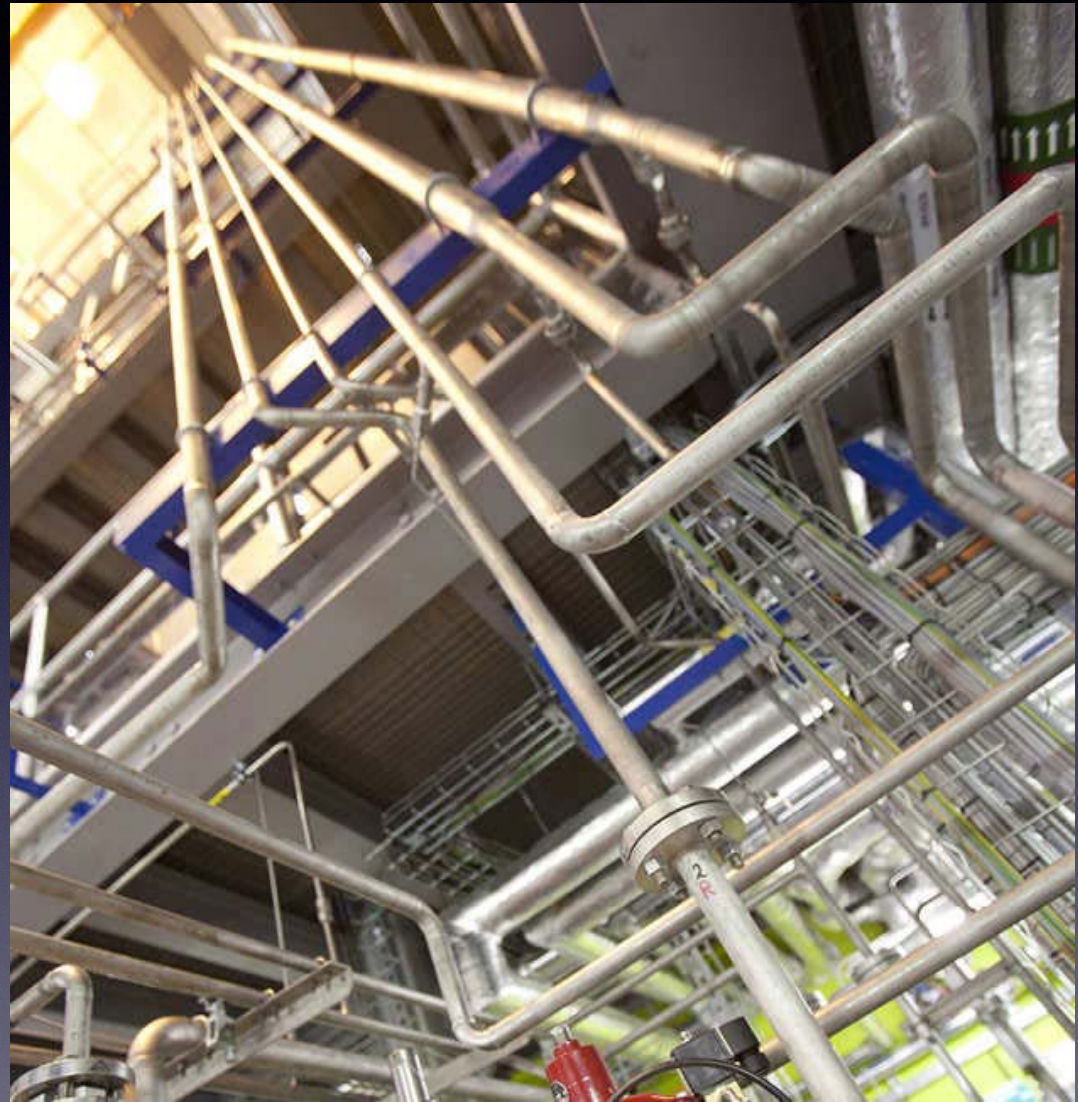
- Queen Victoria's childhood home



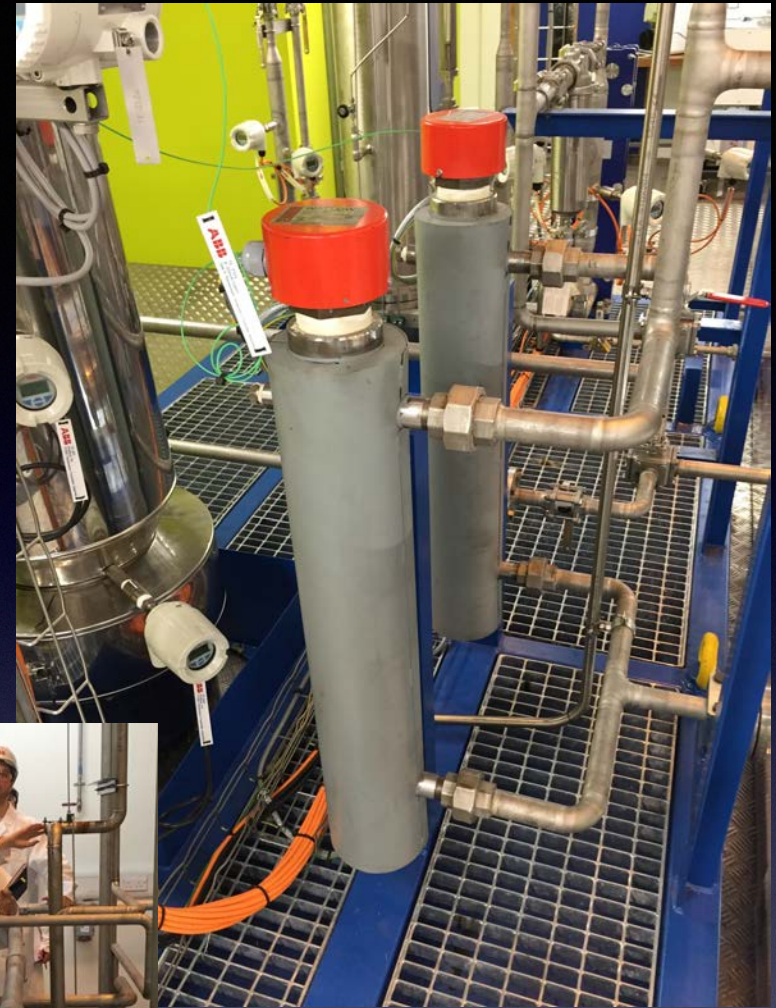
Imperial Flowsheet



Pipes!



Pipes

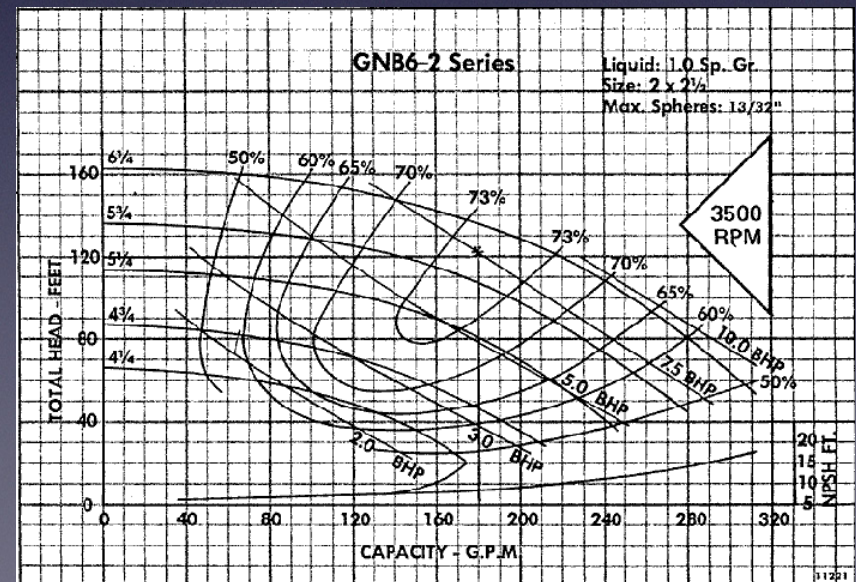
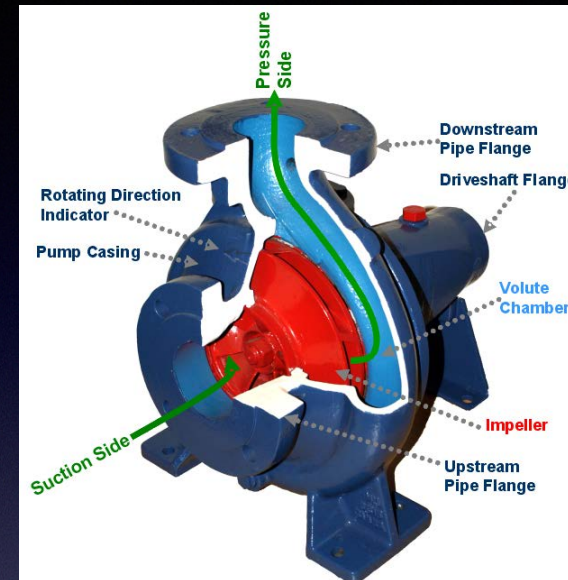


Pumping fluids

- Blowers and compressors are used for gases
- For low and moderate viscosity liquids, low to very high volumetric flow rates...
 - Centrifugal pumps are most common.
 - *Imperial* is a special case... they use mostly positive displacement pumps with direct motor drive.
- The other key word is “positive displacement”
 - This means that specific volumes of fluid are forced through the pump/compressor/blower (with no back flow) so that the flow rate must be controlled by the speed of the motor/driving coupling.

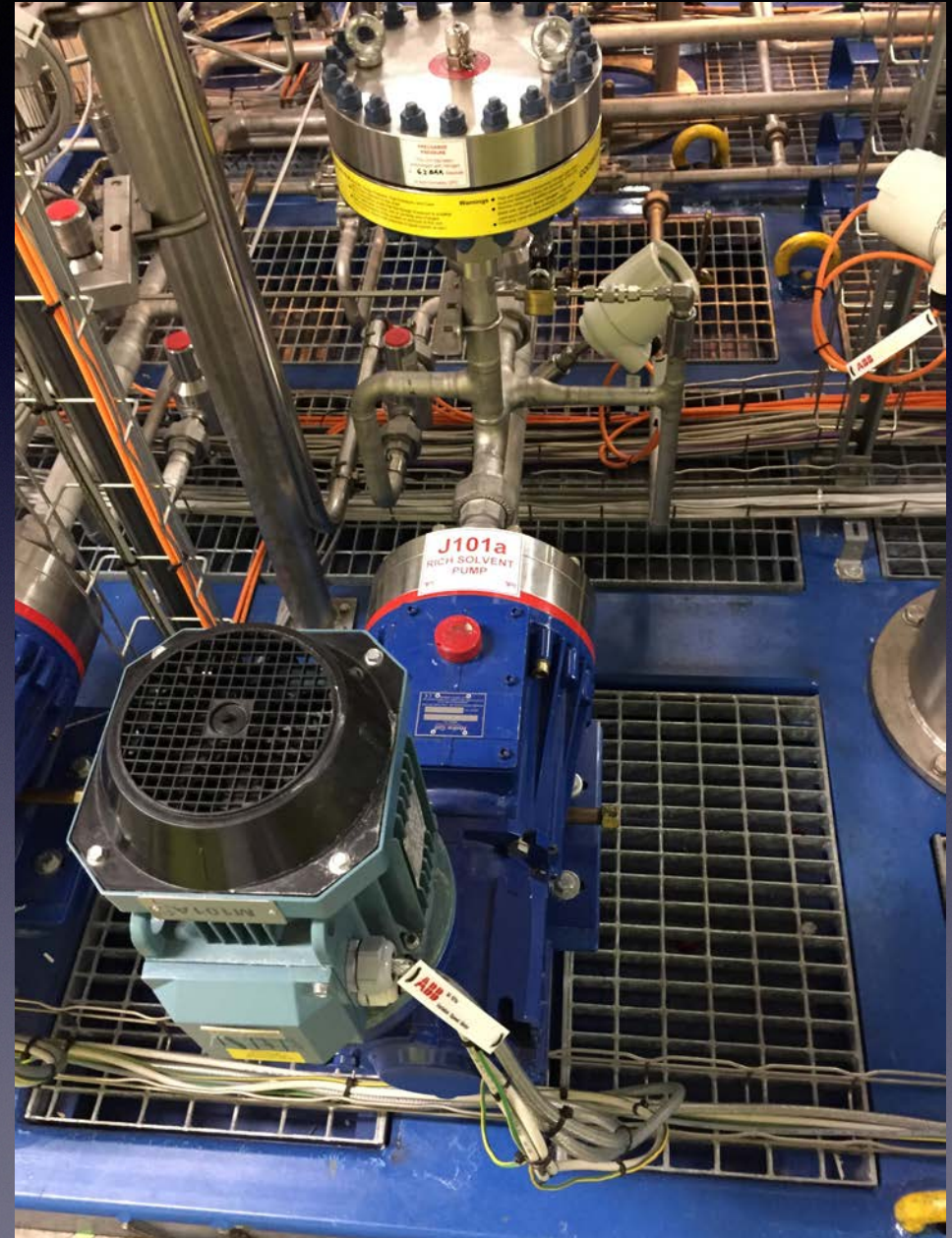
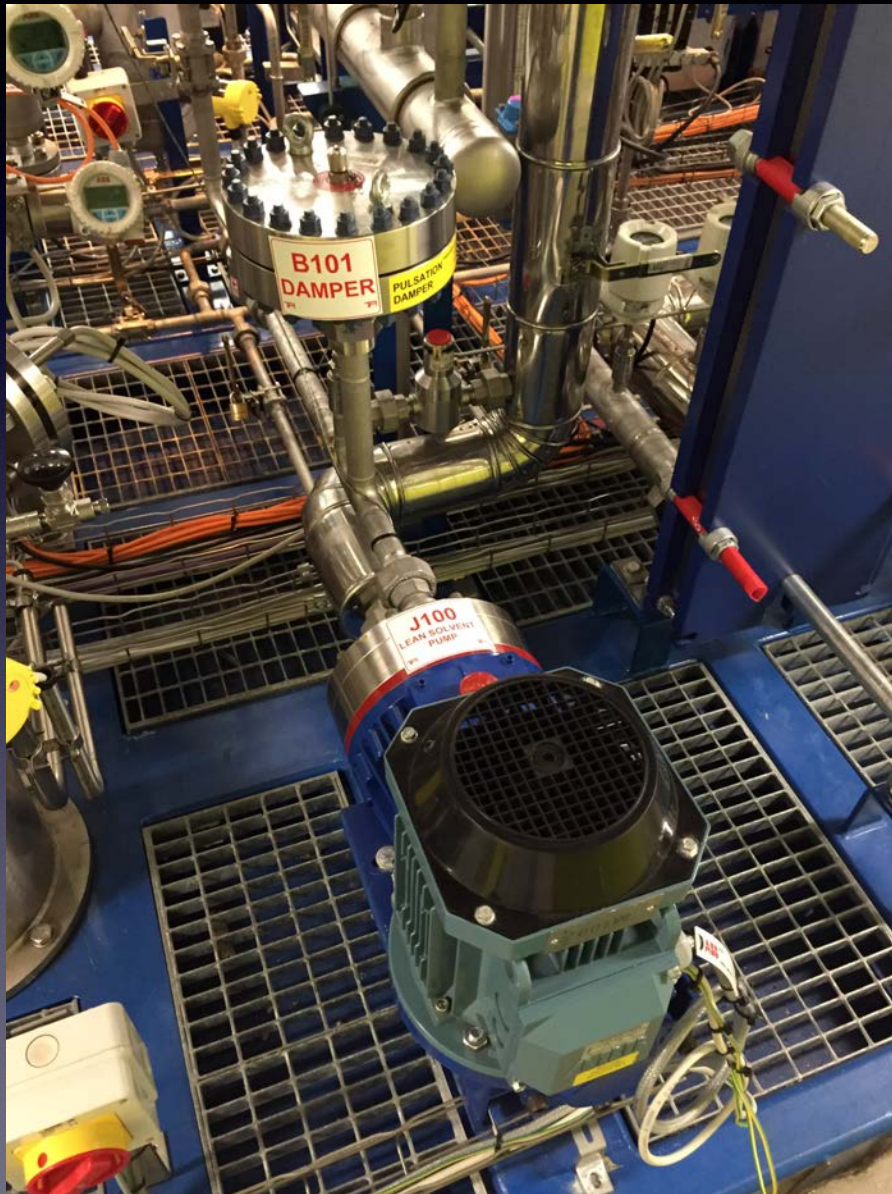
Centrifugal pump

- Not positive displacement. A valve at the outlet can control the flowrate.
- These can be throttled down quite a bit without causing any damage.



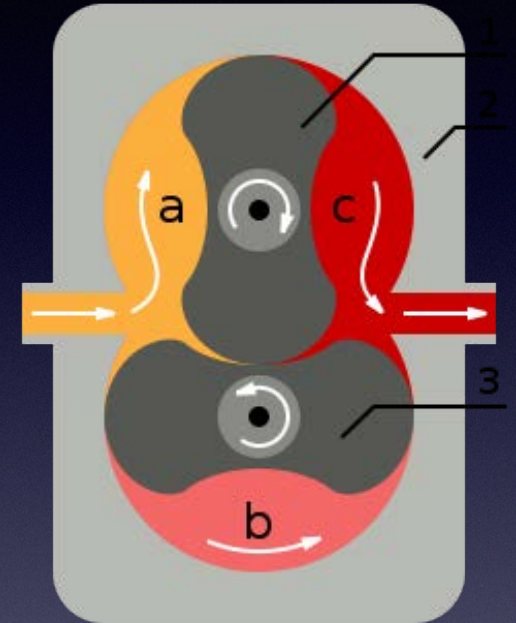
Pump Curves

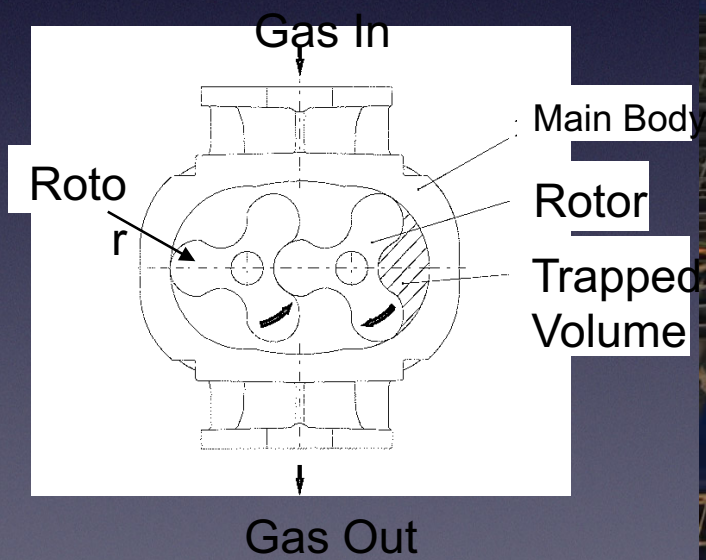
Direct Drive positive displacement pumps



“Blower”

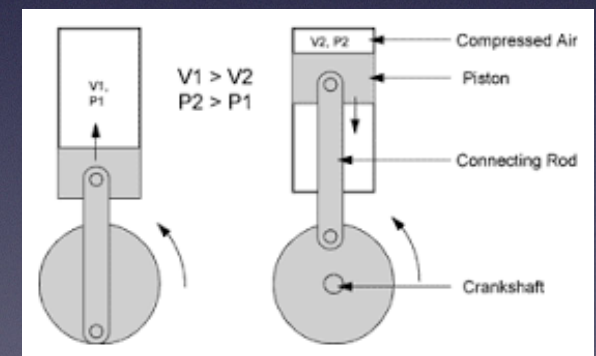
- Gases are pumped using blowers and compressors
- Imperial has a “lobe” blower for the N2 recycle.
- Blowers usually provide some modest increase in pressure, but handle large volumes of air efficiently





Compressor

- Compressors usually provide some “ratio” increase in pressure.
- Hence the power requirements are significant
- Come in all sizes
- Reciprocating compressors are generally used for smaller scale flows (<50 HP)
- Imperial Compressor is a single-stage (“piston”) reciprocating compressor





Pistons on top

Pipes

- Standard sizes of fabrication
 - “schedule” ... relates to wall thickness
- Chose material for appropriate compatibility
 - 304 Stainless is fine for MEA

NPS tables for selected sizes [\[edit\]](#)

NPS 1/8 to NPS 3 1/2 [\[edit\]](#)

NPS ^[6]	DN ^[2]	OD [in (mm)]	Wall thickness [in (mm)]							
			SCH 5s	SCH 10s/20	SCH 30	SCH 40s/40 /STD	SCH 80s/80 /XS	SCH 120	SCH 160	XXS
1/8	6	0.404 (10.26)	0.035 (0.889)	0.049 (1.245)	0.057 (1.448)	0.068 (1.727)	0.095 (2.413)	—	—	—
1/4	8	0.540 (13.72)	0.049 (1.245)	0.065 (1.651)	0.073 (1.854)	0.088 (2.235)	0.119 (3.023)	—	—	—
3/8	10	0.675 (17.15)	0.049 (1.245)	0.065 (1.651)	0.073 (1.854)	0.091 (2.311)	0.126 (3.200)	—	—	—
1/2	15	0.840 (21.34)	0.065 (1.651)	0.083 (2.108)	0.095 (2.413)	0.109 (2.769)	0.147 (3.734)	—	0.188 (4.775)	0.294 (7.468)
3/4	20	1.050 (26.67)	0.065 (1.651)	0.083 (2.108)	0.095 (2.413)	0.113 (2.870)	0.154 (3.912)	—	0.219 (5.563)	0.308 (7.823)
1	25	1.315 (33.40)	0.065 (1.651)	0.109 (2.769)	0.114 (2.896)	0.133 (3.378)	0.179 (4.547)	—	0.250 (6.350)	0.358 (9.093)
1 1/4	32	1.660 (42.16)	0.065 (1.651)	0.109 (2.769)	0.117 (2.972)	0.140 (3.556)	0.191 (4.851)	—	0.250 (6.350)	0.382 (9.703)
1 1/2	40	1.900 (48.26)	0.065 (1.651)	0.109 (2.769)	0.125 (3.175)	0.145 (3.683)	0.200 (5.080)	—	0.281 (7.137)	0.400 (10.160)
2	50	2.375 (60.33)	0.065 (1.651)	0.109 (2.769)	0.125 (3.175)	0.154 (3.912)	0.218 (5.537)	0.250 (6.350)	0.343 (8.712)	0.436 (11.074)
2 1/2	65	2.875 (73.03)	0.083 (2.108)	0.120 (3.048)	0.188 (4.775)	0.203 (5.156)	0.276 (7.010)	0.300 (7.620)	0.375 (9.525)	0.552 (14.021)
3	80	3.500 (88.90)	0.083 (2.108)	0.120 (3.048)	0.188 (4.775)	0.216 (5.486)	0.300 (7.620)	0.350 (8.890)	0.438 (11.125)	0.600 (15.240)
3 1/2	90	4.000 (101.60)	0.083 (2.108)	0.120 (3.048)	0.188 (4.775)	0.226 (5.740)	0.381 (9.677)	—	—	0.636 (16.154)

Tolerance: The tolerance on pipe OD is +1/64 (.0156)inch, -1/32 (.0312)inch.^[7]

Stainless Steel Chemical Resistance Chart


Chemicals M-O

Chemical	Stainless Steel 304 Compatibility	Stainless Steel 316 Compatibility
Magnesium Bisulfate	A-Excellent	A-Excellent
Magnesium Carbonate	B-Good	B-Good
Magnesium Chloride	D-Severe Effect	D-Severe Effect
Magnesium Hydroxide	B-Good	A-Excellent

Monochloroacetic acid	A-Excellent	A-Excellent
Monoethanolamine	A-Excellent	A-Excellent
Morpholine	N/A	A-Excellent

Chemical Compatibility

Chemical Compatibility Results

 Material and their Compatibility Rating with your selected Chemical are listed below:

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Chemical Selected: Ethanolamine [Shop now](#)

Material	Compatibility
ABS plastic	N/A
Acetal (Delrin®)	D-Severe Effect
Aluminum	B-Good
Brass	N/A
Bronze	B-Good
Buna N (Nitrile)	B-Good
Carbon graphite	A-Excellent
Carbon Steel	B-Good
Carpenter 20	A-Excellent
Cast iron	N/A
Ceramic Al2O3	A-Excellent
Ceramic magnet	N/A
ChemRaz (FFKM)	A-Excellent
Copper	D-Severe Effect
CPVC	N/A
EPDM	B-Good
Epoxy	A ¹ -Excellent
Fluorocarbon (FKM)	D-Severe Effect
Hastelloy-C®	B-Good

Explanation of Footnotes
1. Satisfactory to 72°F (22°C)
2. Satisfactory to 120°F (48°C)

Ratings -- Chemical Effect

A = Excellent.
B = Good -- Minor Effect, slight corrosion or discoloration.
C = Fair -- Moderate Effect, not recommended for continuous use. Softening, loss of strength, swelling may occur.
D = Severe Effect, not recommended for ANY use.
N/A = Information not available.

Pipe fittings



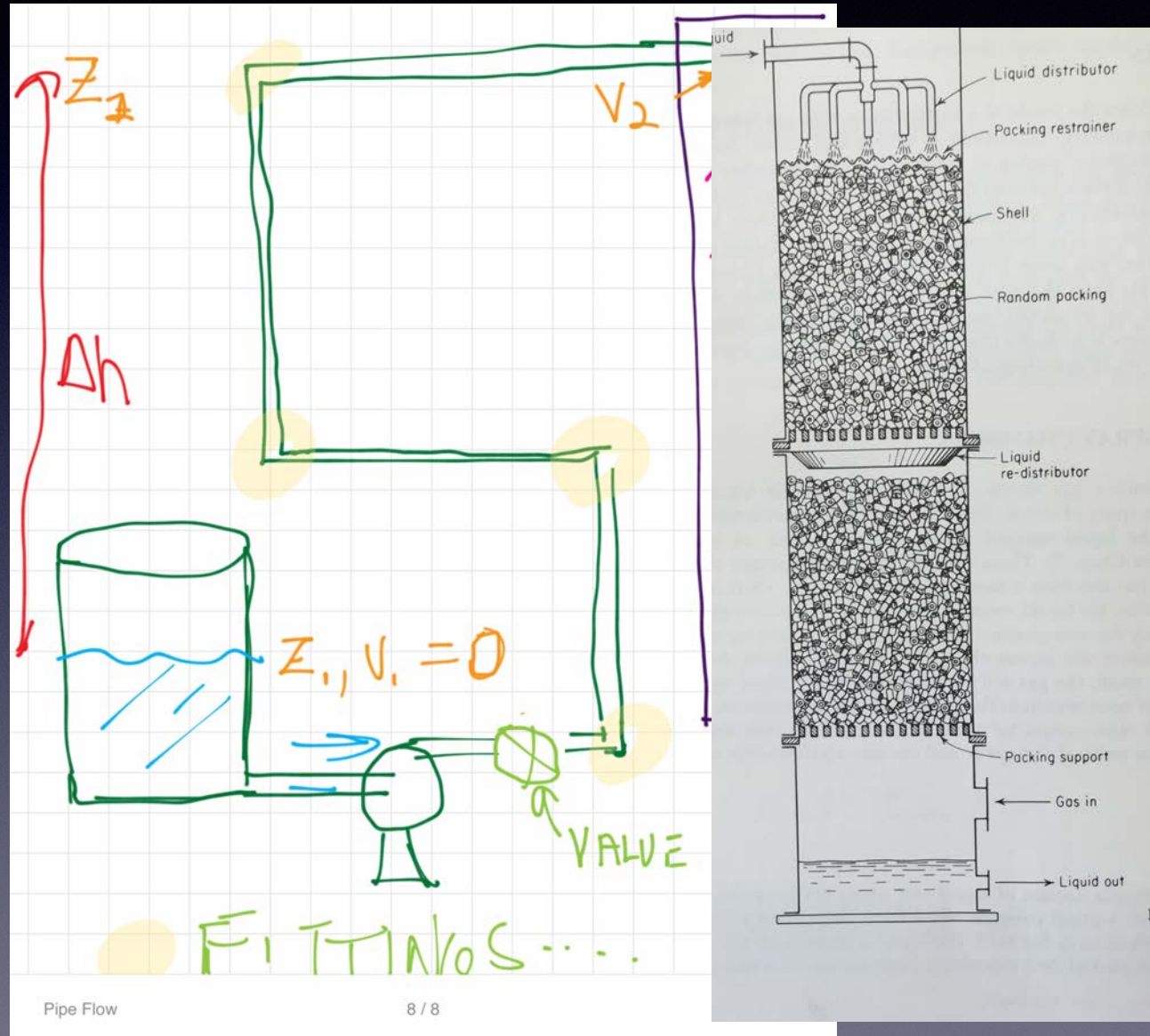
Welded joints/Bolted Flanges



Pipe threads



How big should the pump be?



Engineering Tradeoff

- Capital costs
- Operating Costs
- “Optimal pipe diameter” is a classic problem
 - For engineers and
 - It is evident in your circulatory system!

“Regimes of Pipe Flow”

- “Laminar”
 - Straight streamlines
- “Turbulent”
 - Irregularity of the flow causes increased pressure drop
- “You” don’t get to choose. The system and conditions determine which will occur!

Dye Streak Experiment

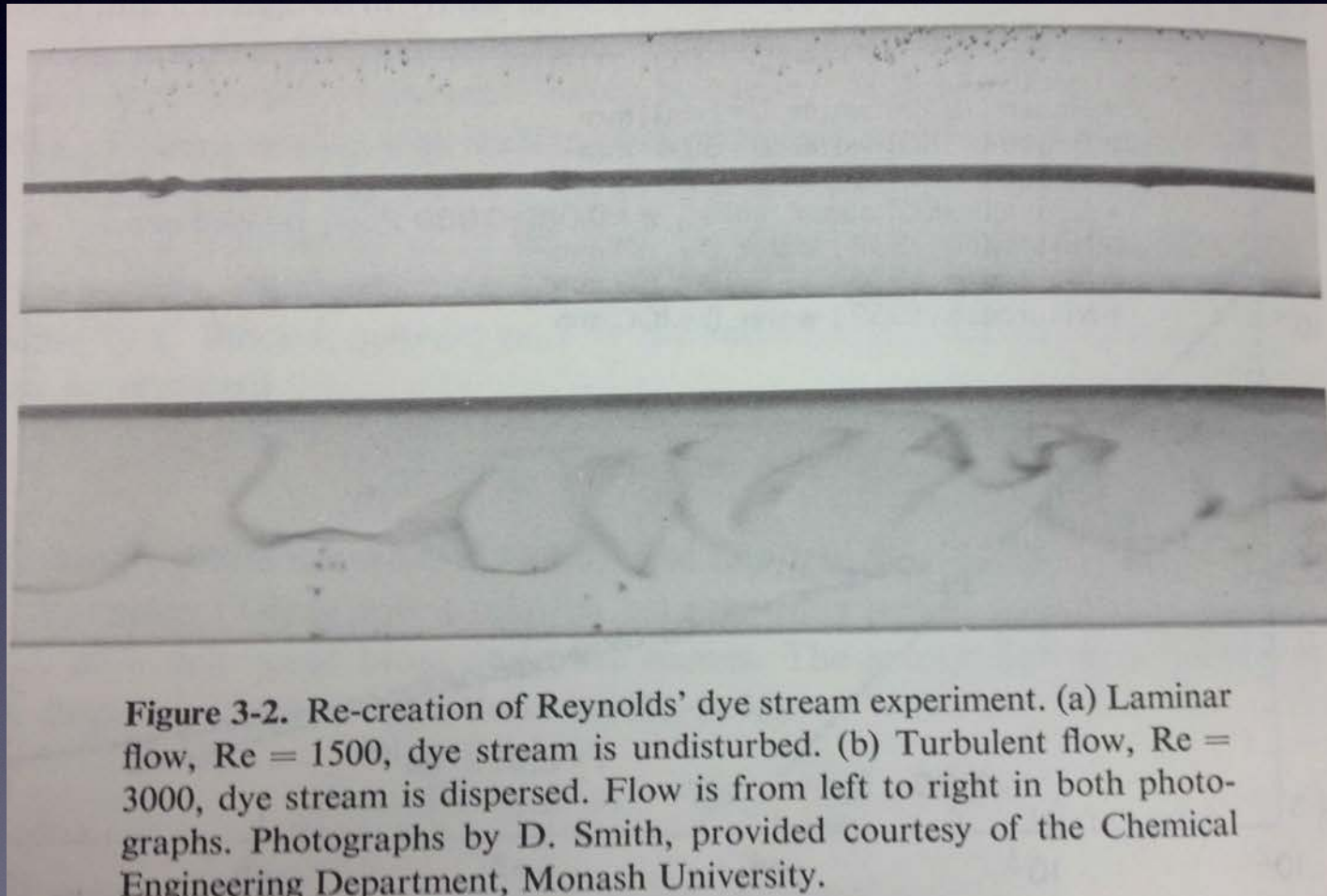
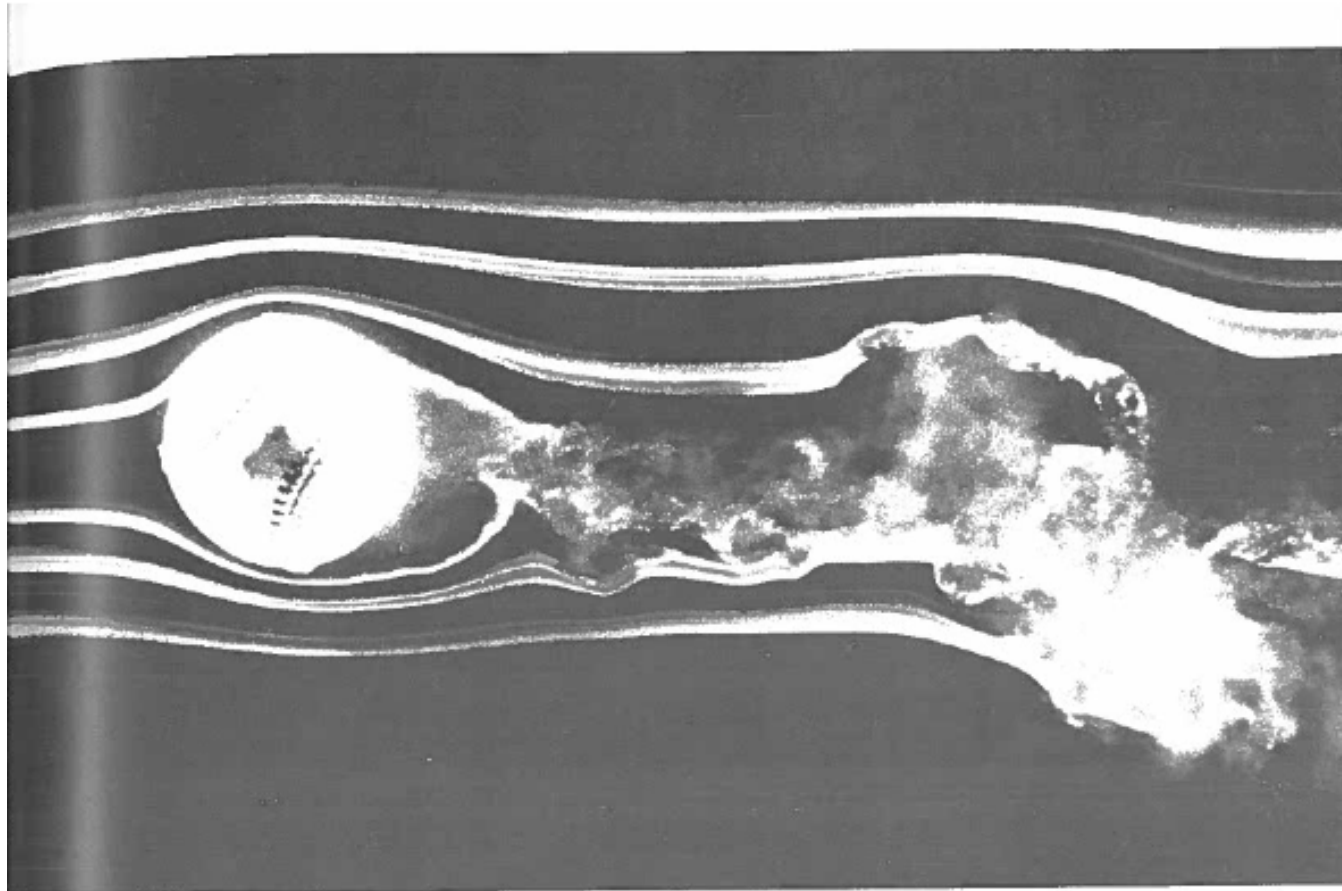


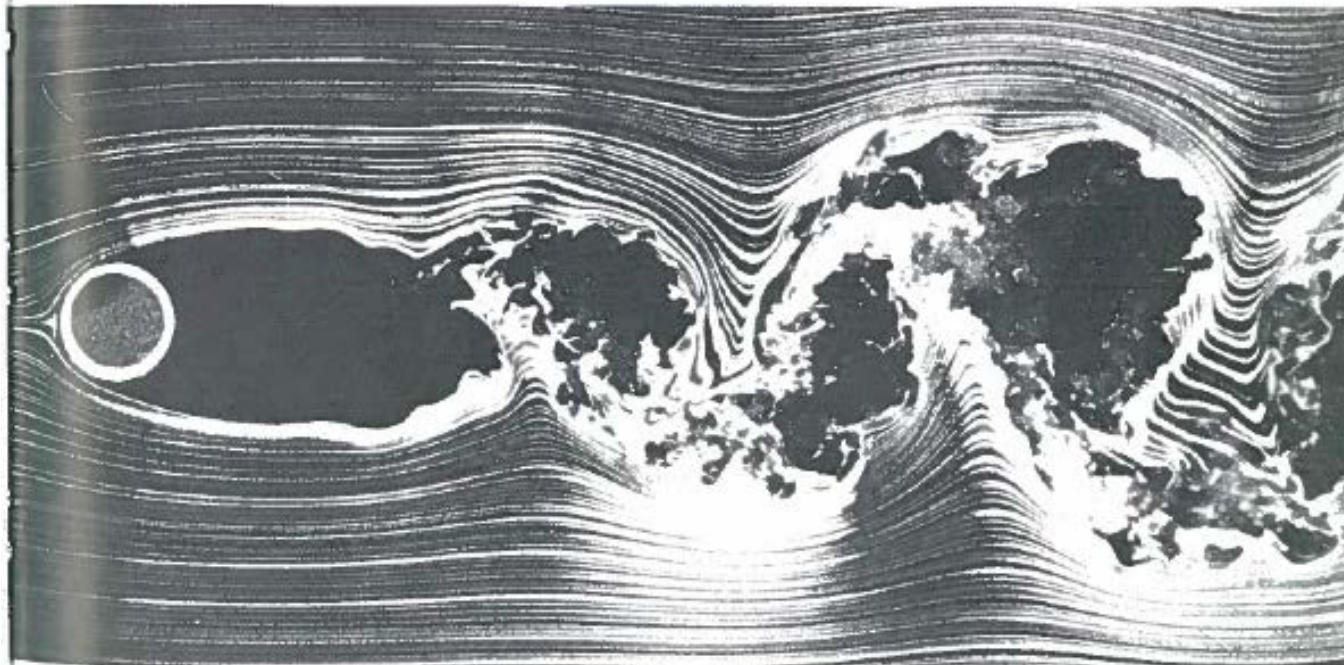
Photo taken at Notre Dame, presumably in a building that used to be SSW of Jordan Hall.



66. Spinning baseball. The late F. N. M. Brown devoted many years to developing and using smoke visualization in wind tunnels at the University of Notre Dame. Here the

flow speed is about 77 ft/sec and the ball is rotated at 630 rpm. This unpublished photograph is similar to several in Brown 1971. Photograph courtesy of T. J. Mueller

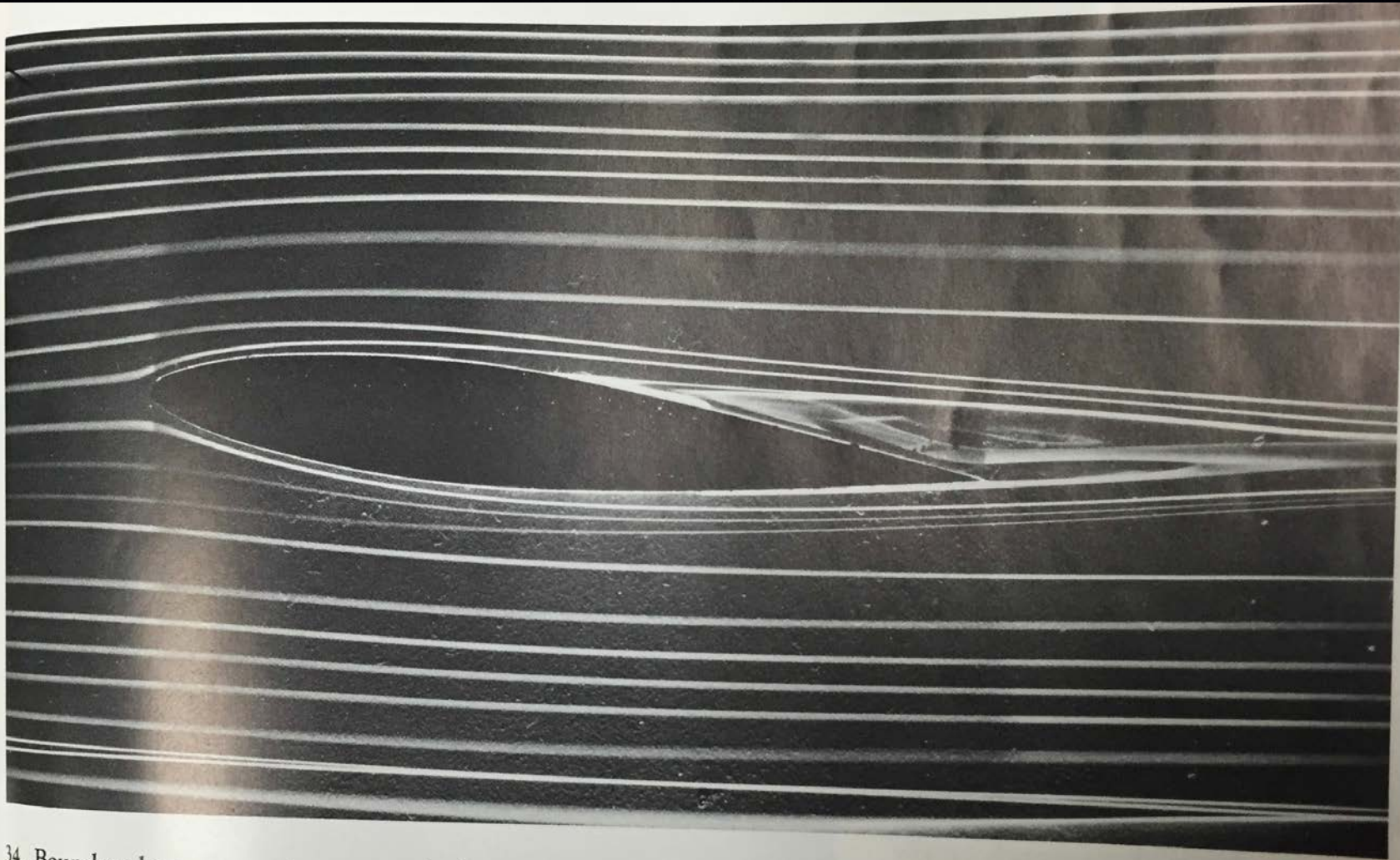
Fast flow past a cylinder



48. Circular cylinder at $R=10,000$. At five times the speed of the photograph at the top of the page, the flow pattern is scarcely changed. The drag coefficient consequently remains almost constant in the range of Reynolds

number spanned by these two photographs. It drops later when, as in figure 57, the boundary layer becomes turbulent at separation. Photograph by Thomas Corke and Hassan Nagib

Boundary-Layer must be very thin and viscous effects confined to region close to surface



34. **Boundary-layer separation on an inclined airfoil.** When the NACA 64A015 airfoil of figure 23 is raised to 5° incidence the laminar boundary layer separates from the rear half of the upper surface. The flow remains attached

to the lower surface, from which it leaves tangentially at the trailing edge. Streamlines are shown by colored fluid filaments in water. *ONERA photograph, Werlé 1974*

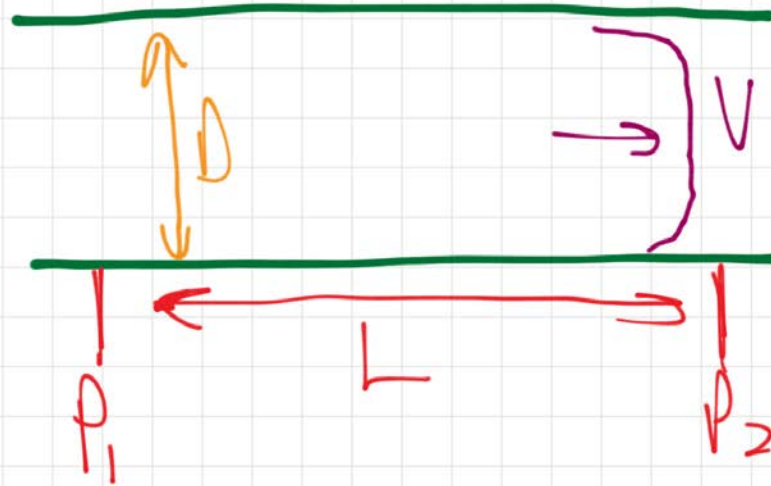
boundary-layer separation and “reattachment”



35. **Leading-edge separation on a plate with laminar reattachment.** A flat plate 2 per cent thick with beveled edges is inclined at 2.5° to the stream. The laminar boundary layer separates at the leading edge over the upper sur-

face. At this Reynolds number of 10,000 based on length it then reattaches while still laminar, enclosing a long leading-edge “bubble” of recirculating fluid. Visualization is by air bubbles in water. *ONERA photograph, Werlé 1974*

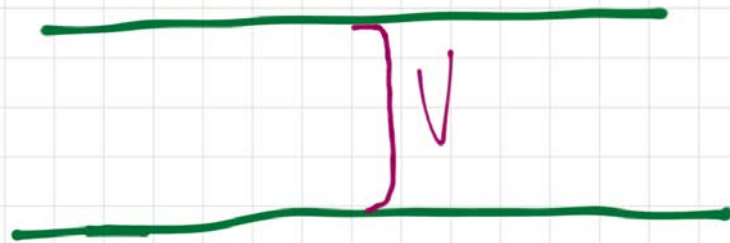
How to characterize pipe flow



μ - VISCOSITY

ρ - DENSITY

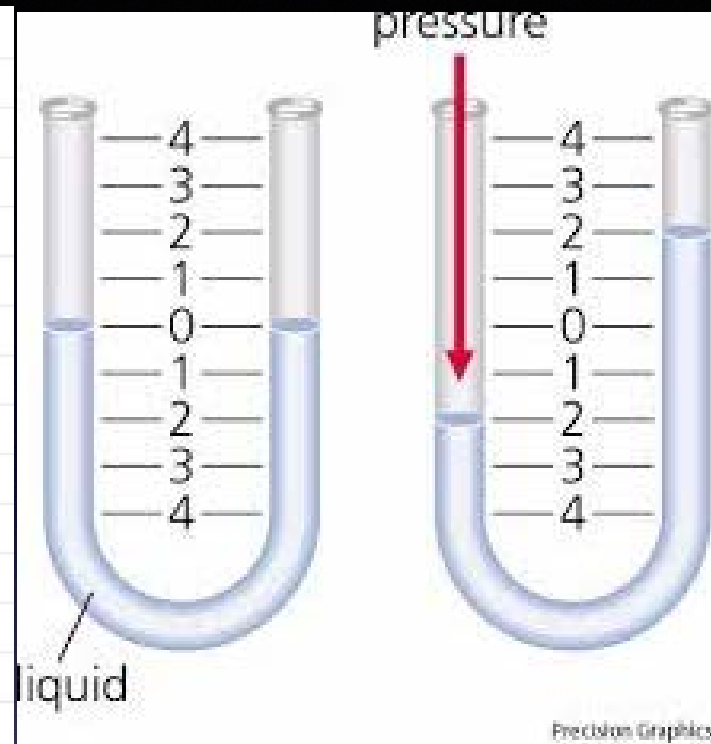
Essentially all process flows are turbulent
 So that the velocity profile is relatively flat



Two dimensionless parameters
 Reynolds number
 Friction factor

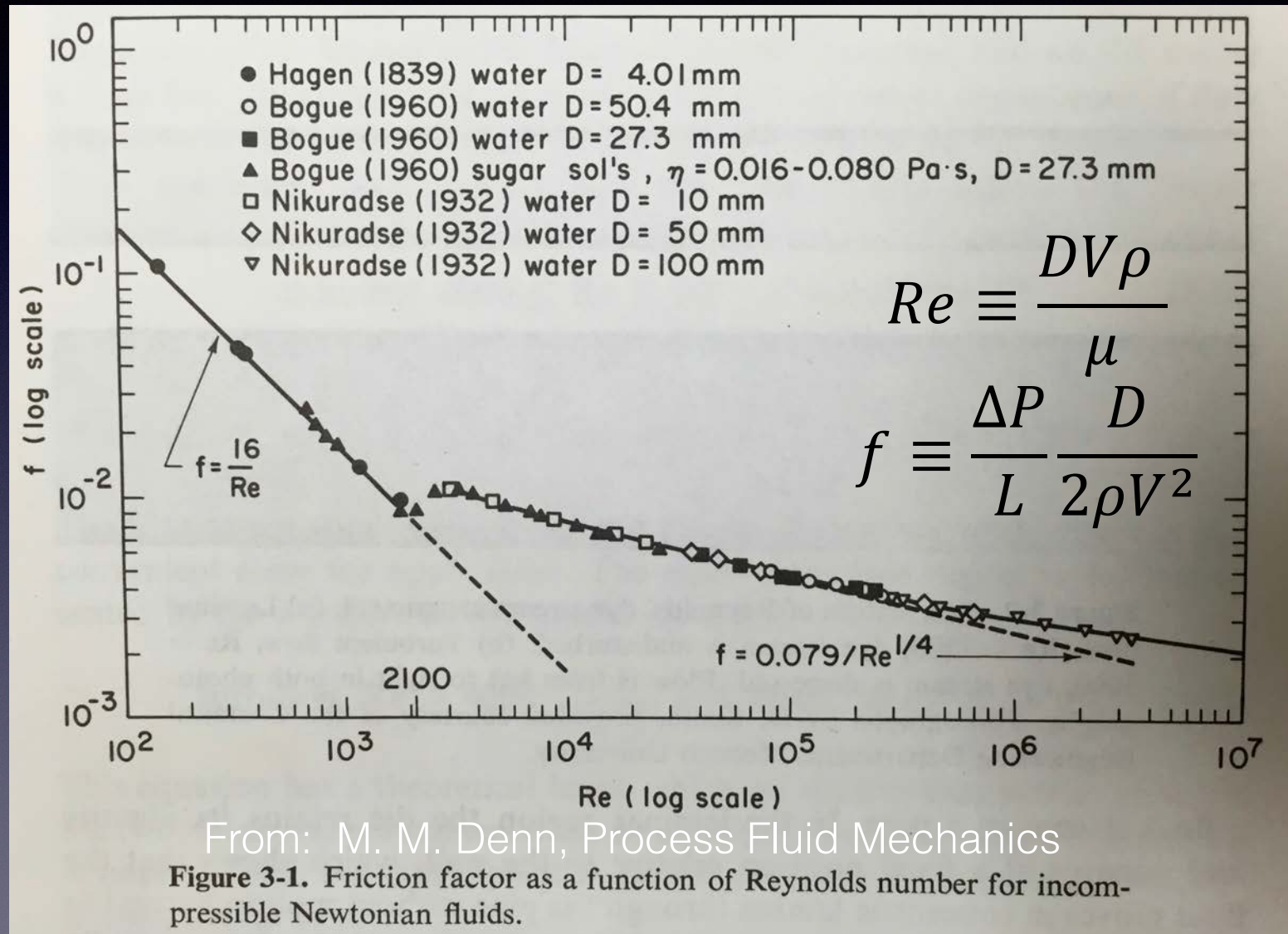
$$Re \equiv \frac{D v_s}{\mu}$$

$$f \equiv \frac{\Delta P D}{2 L \rho v^2}$$



$$\Delta p = \rho g \Delta h$$

Laminar and turbulent pipe flow



FOR $Re \leq 2100$

$$f = \frac{16}{Re} \quad (\text{EXACT RESULT})$$

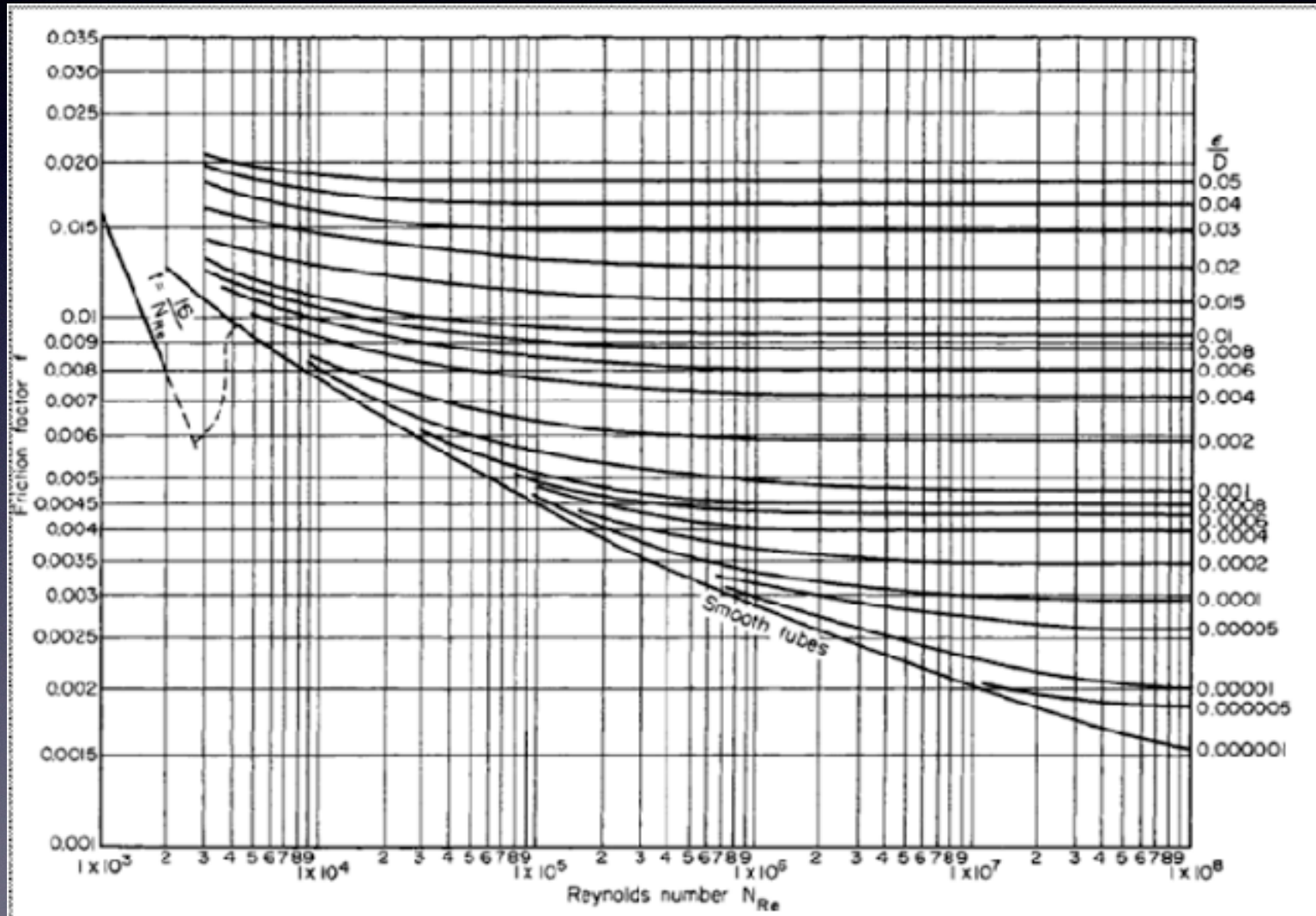
LAMINAR FLOW

FOR $Re \geq 5000$

$$f = 0.079 Re^{-0.25}$$

Typical homework problem would be something like you have 10 GPM of water flowing in a 1-in schedule 40 pipe. What is the Reynolds number? What is the pressure drop? What is the power necessary for pumping this?

Friction factor — Reynolds number chart



Imperial Lab



Schematic

- You calibrate by weighing oil collected in tank.
- Then you collect data from the pressure transducers as a function of flow rates

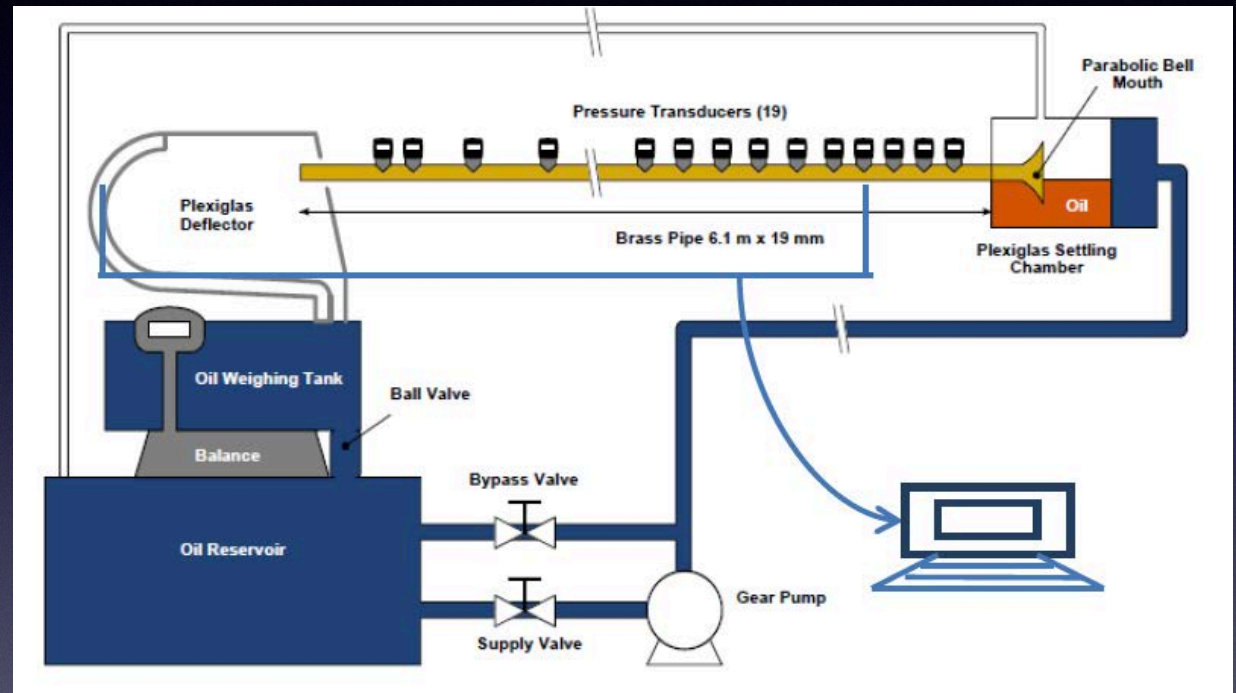
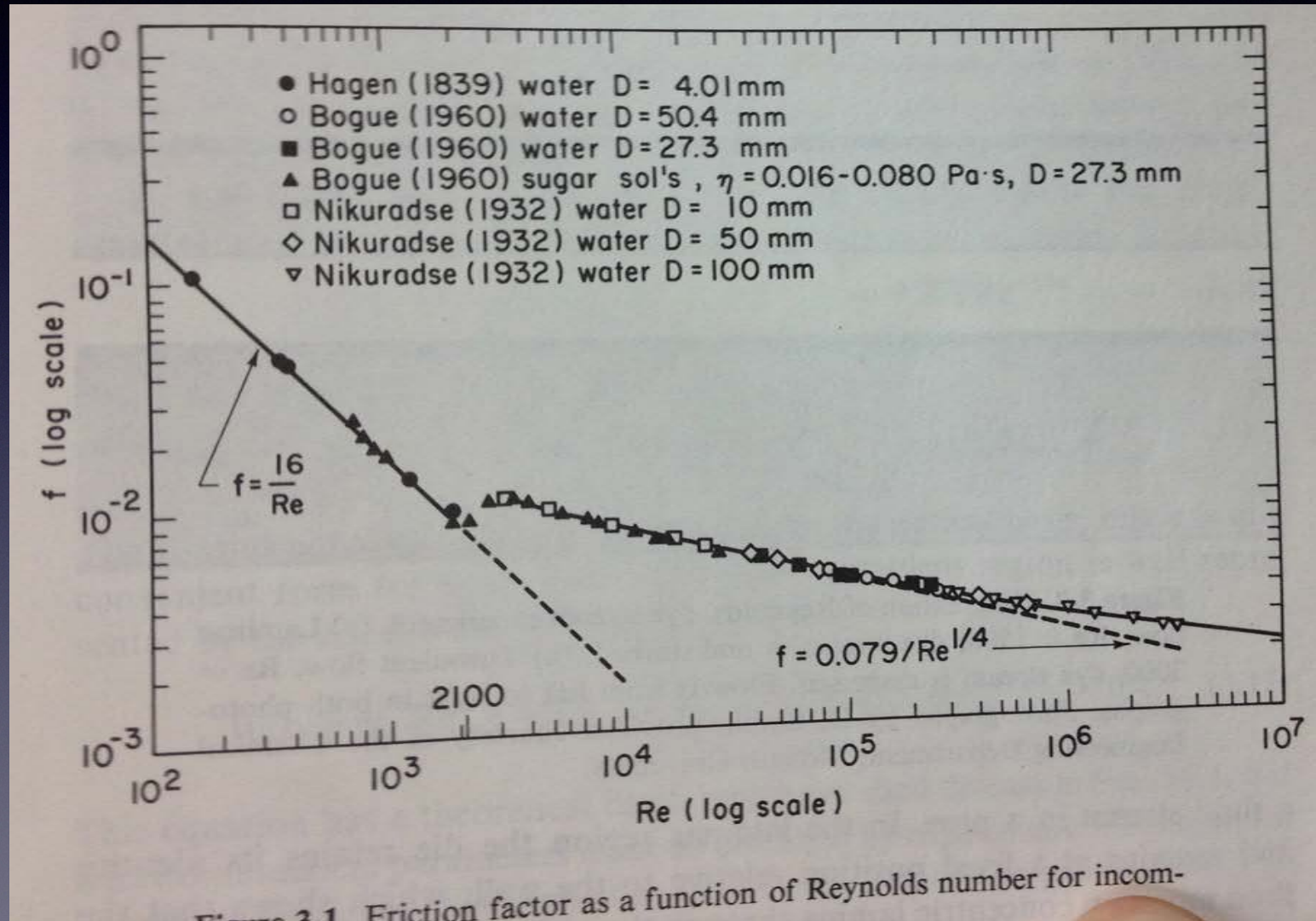


Figure 3: Schematic Design of Apparatus used in Pipe Flow Experiment

Experiment data

- Pressure readings at all of the transducers for all settings of the pump speed (flowrate)
 - You will see that the pressure varies linearly with distance except for the first ~3-4 transducers— this is the pressure drop
- Flow will be in laminar region. You will reproduce the friction-factor Reynolds number plot and see how well it fits

Friction factor plot



For a piping system, you would worry about

- * height change (takes power to pump up!)
- * frictional "losses" that must be overcome
- * any acceleration of fluid

BASIC EQUATION

2.7-28 BERNOULLI

ENGINEERING BERNOULLI

EQUATION: $\overset{\text{TURB FLOW}}{d=}$

$$\frac{1}{2\alpha} (v_2^2 - v_1^2) + g(z_2 - z_1) + \frac{P_2 - P_1}{\rho}$$

$$+ \sum F + \dot{W}_s = 0$$