

# An assessment of skin-friction drag over a recently cleaned ship hull under steady cruising via in-situ laser based measurement

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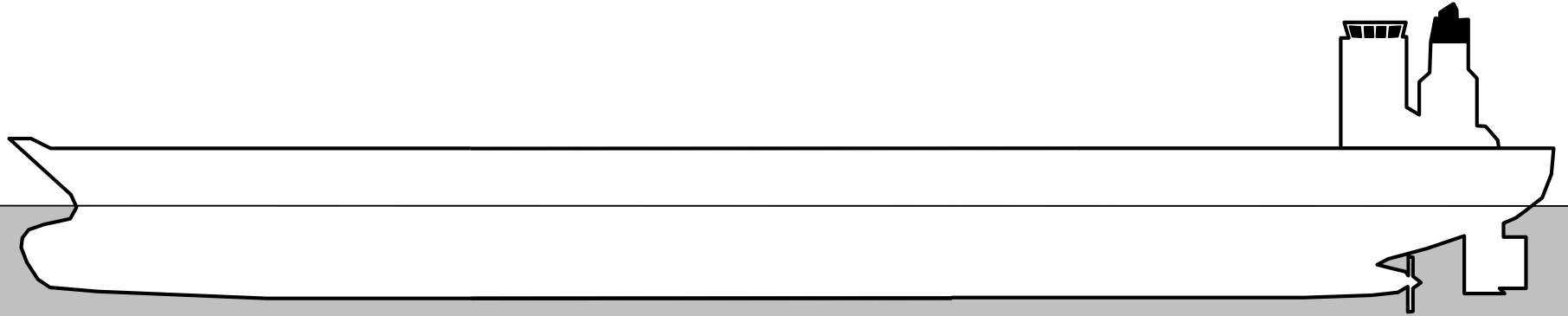
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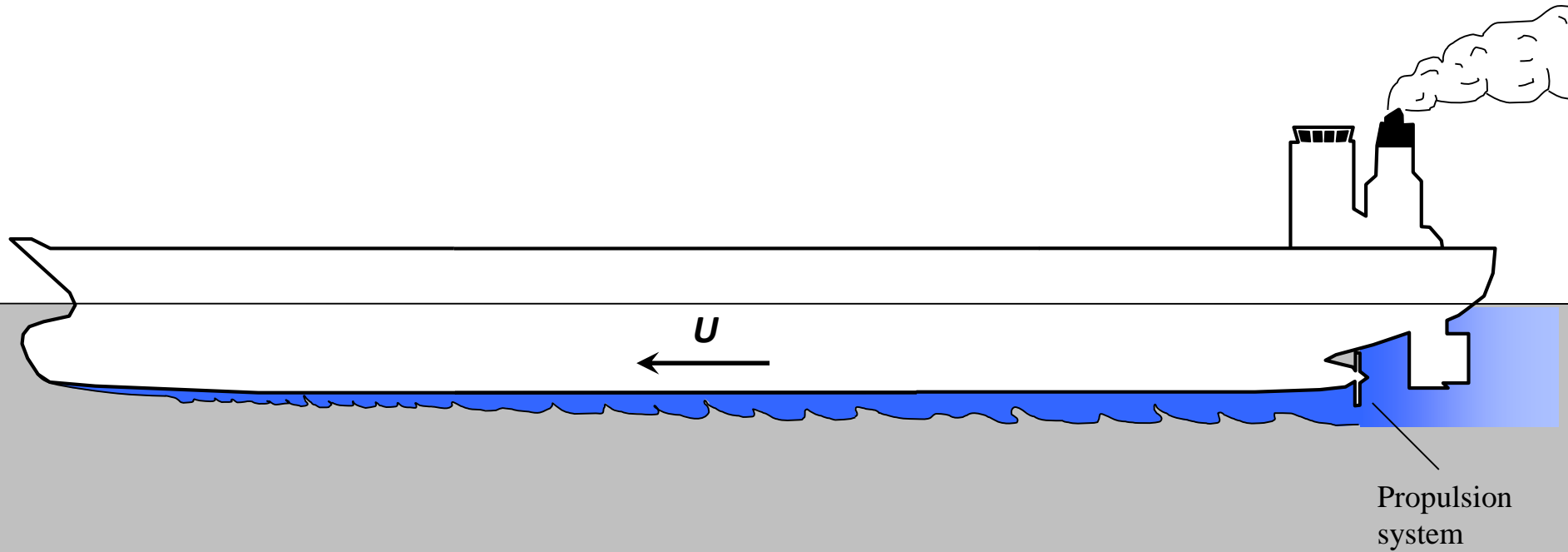
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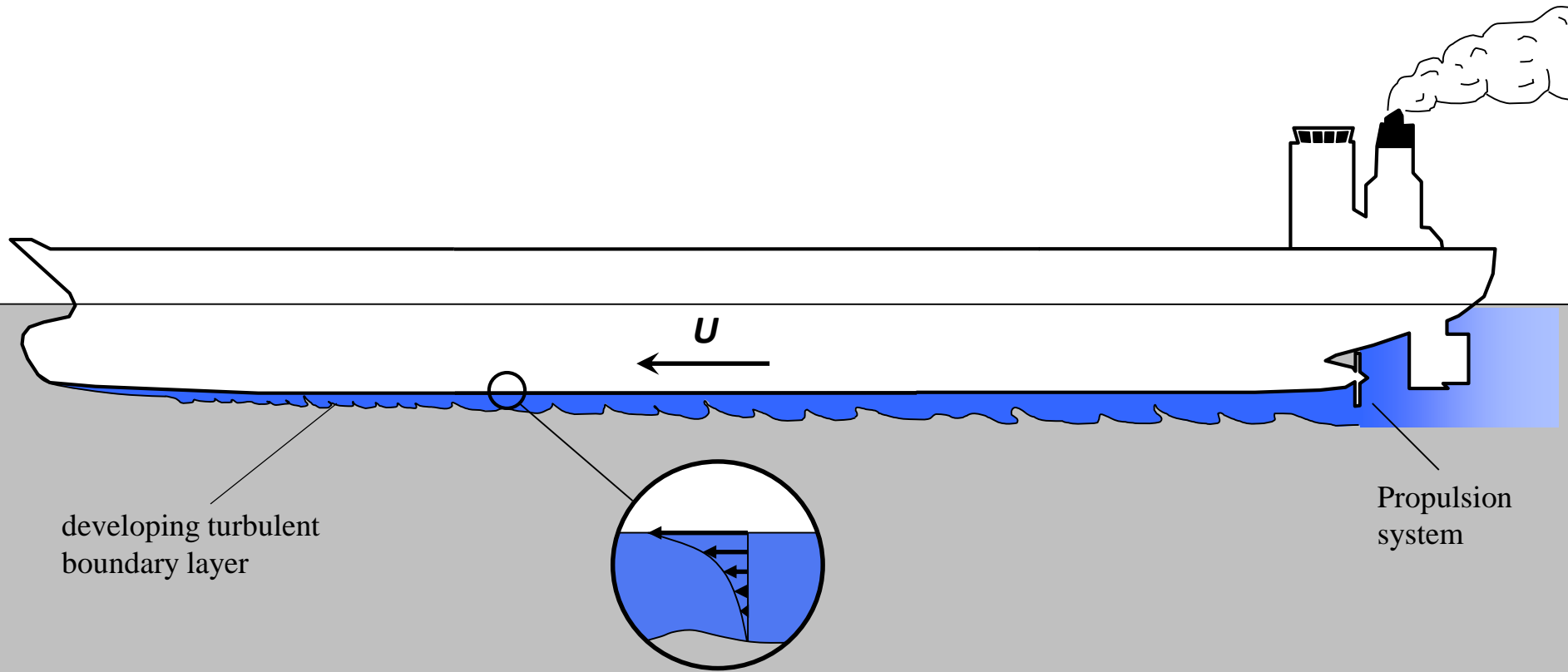
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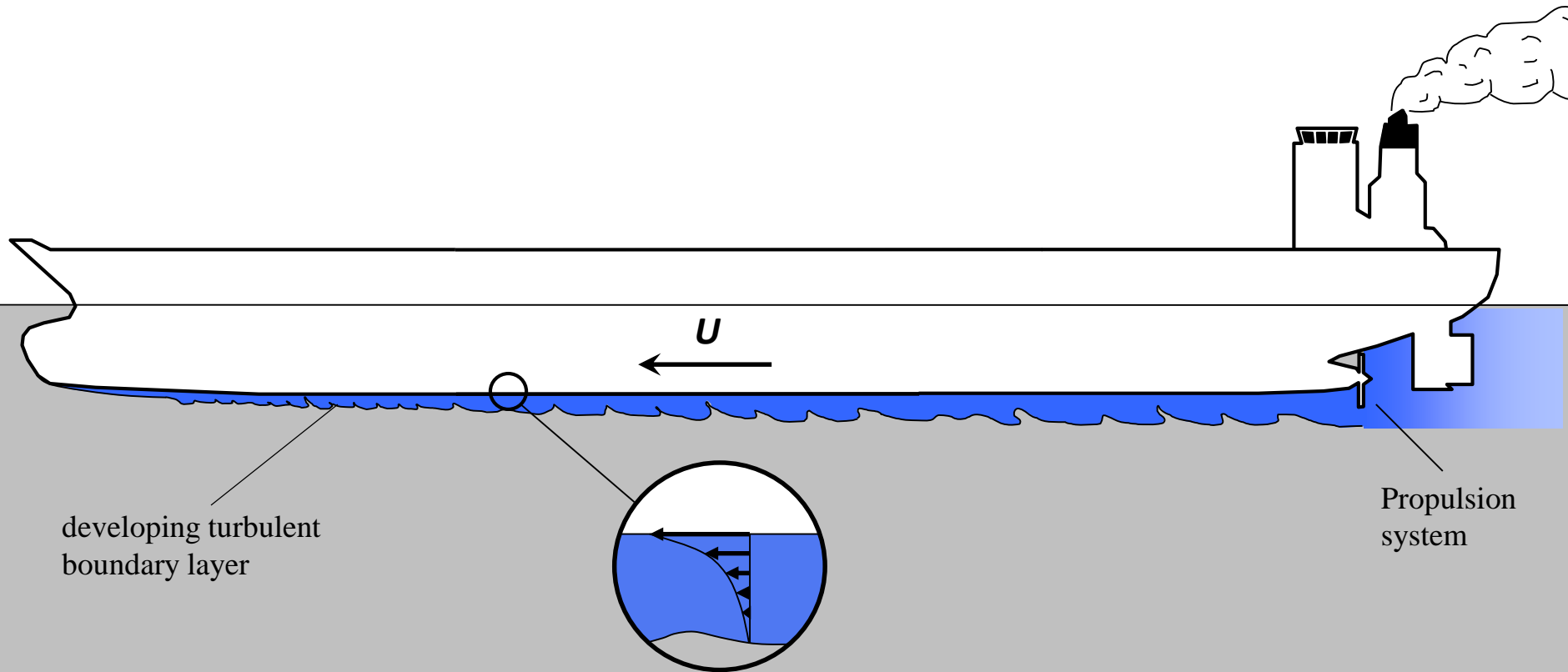


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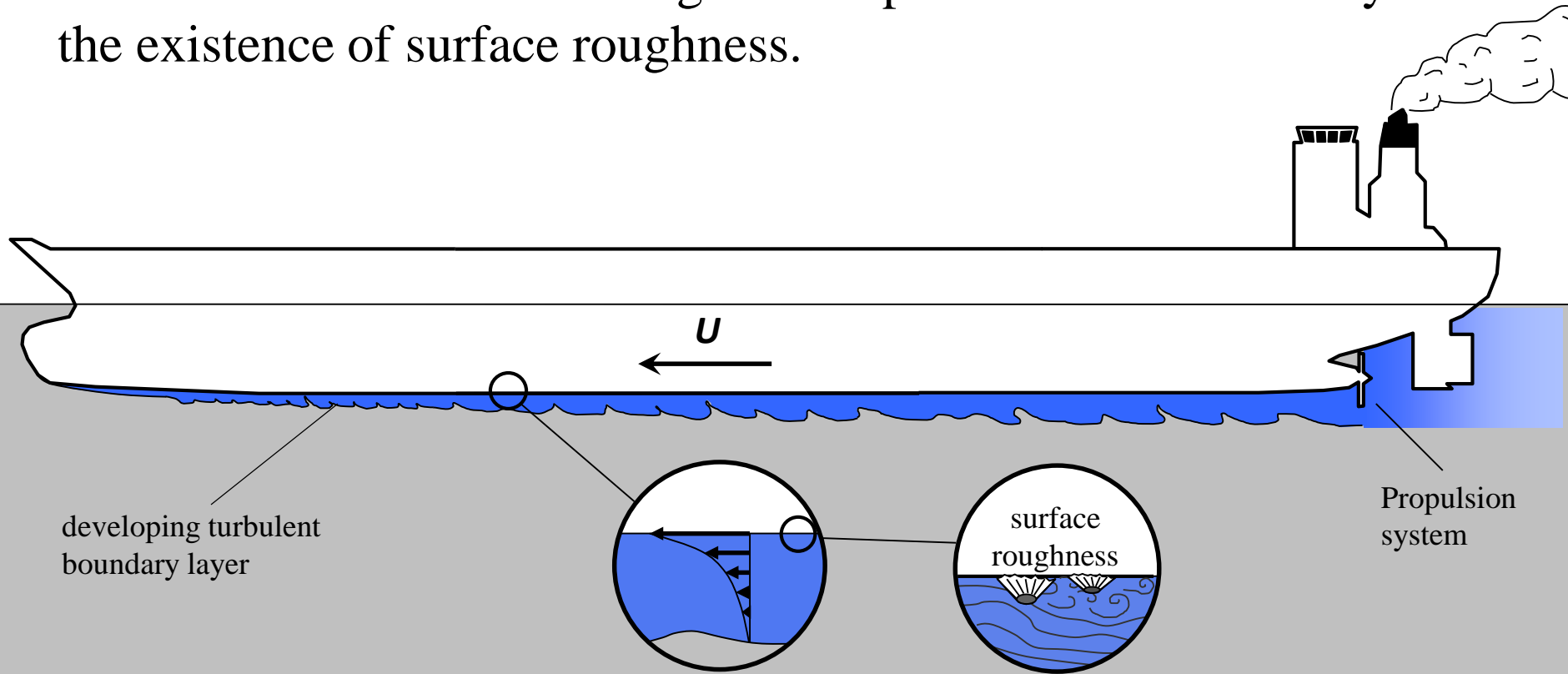
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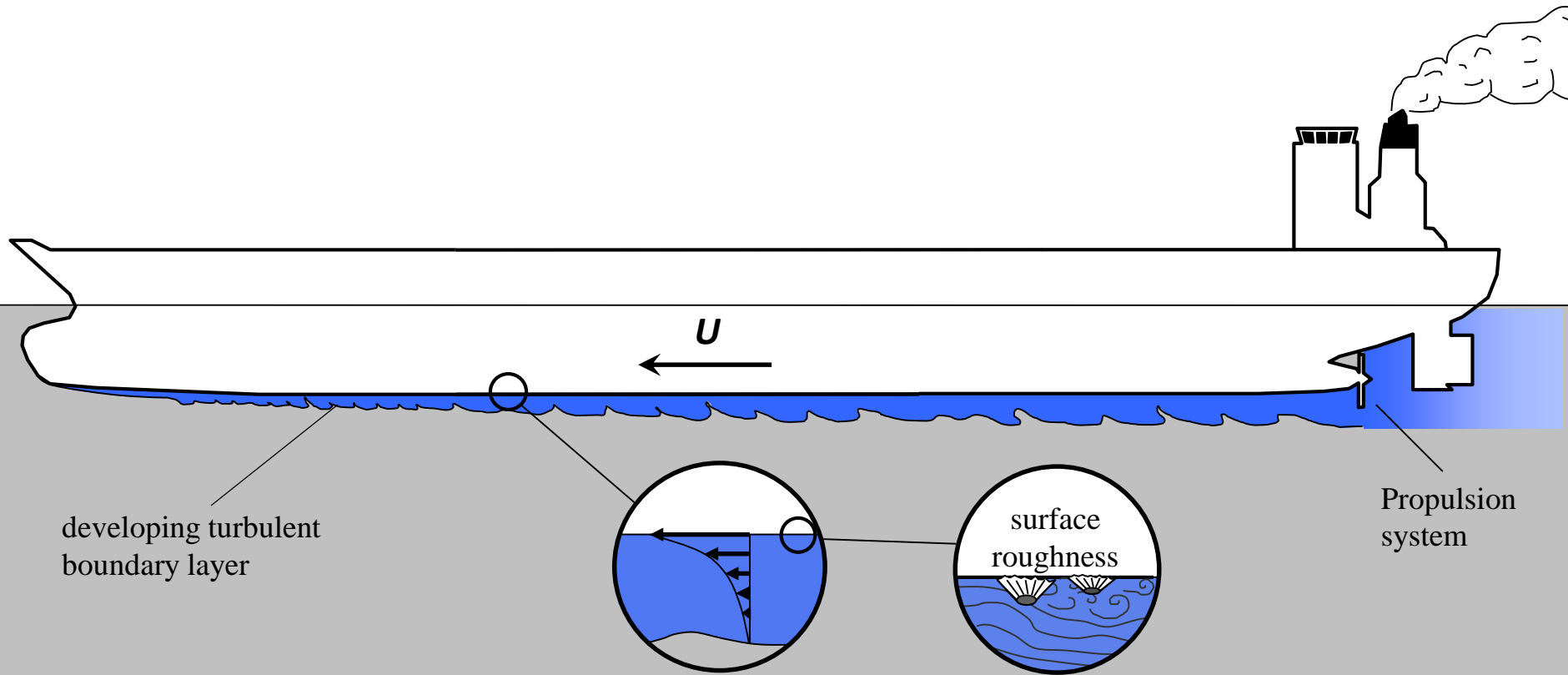
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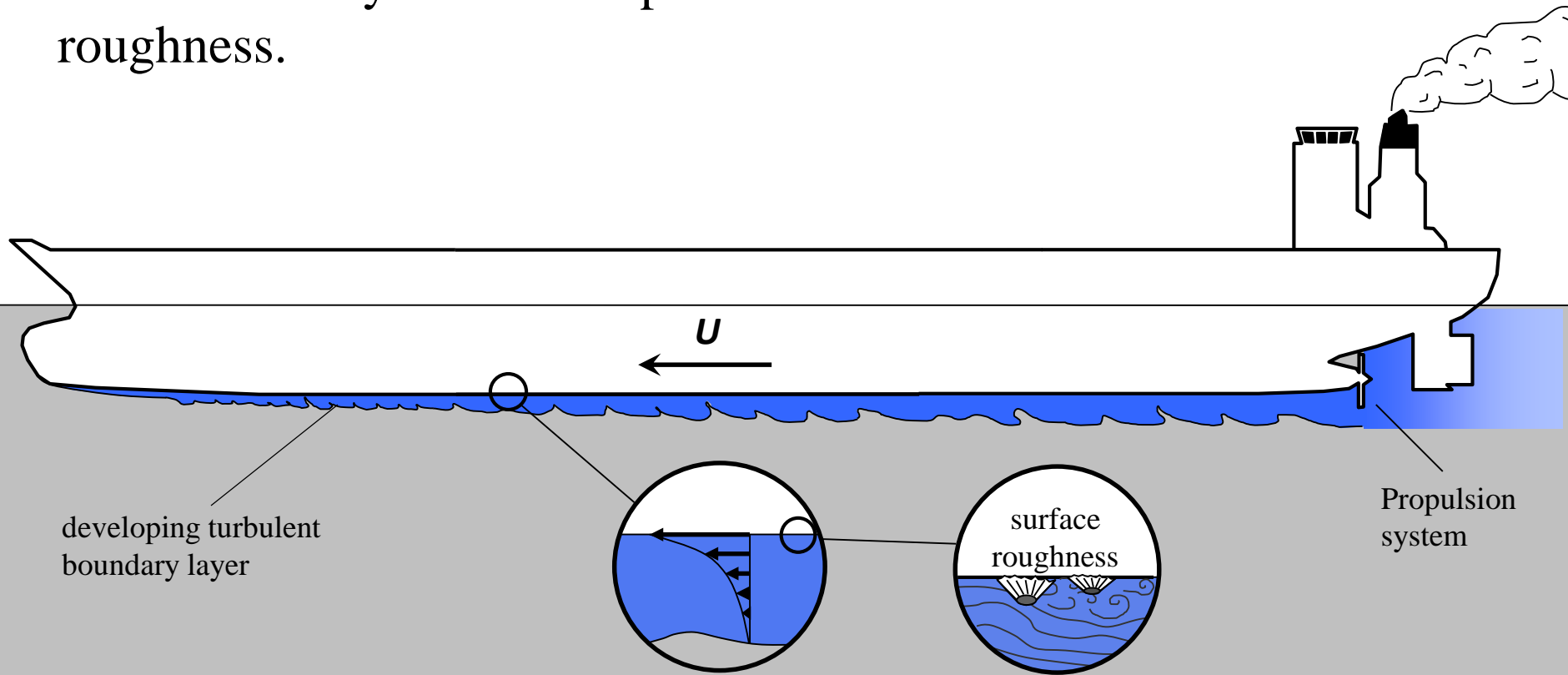
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- Even a recently cleaned ship hull can still exhibit surface roughness.



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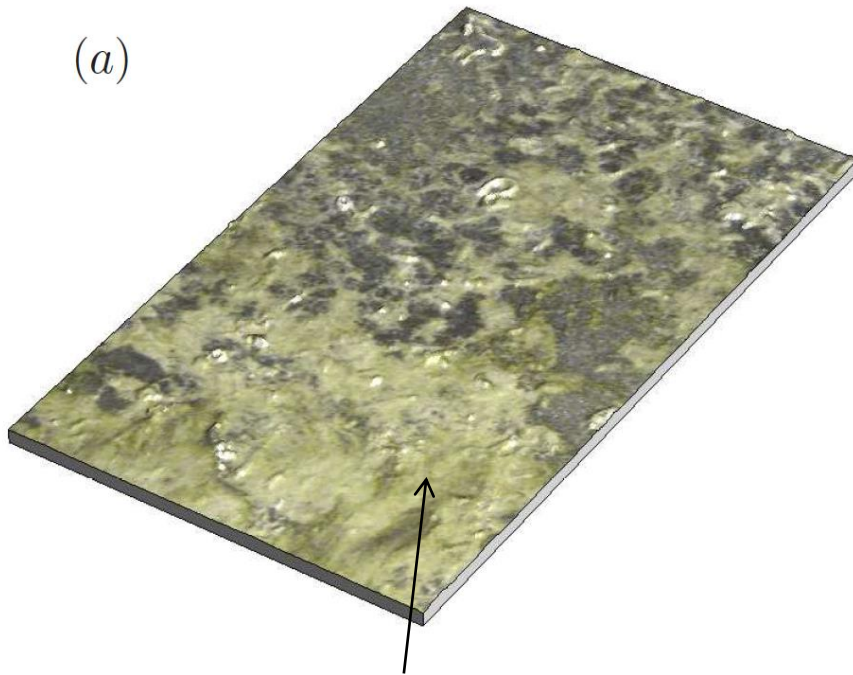
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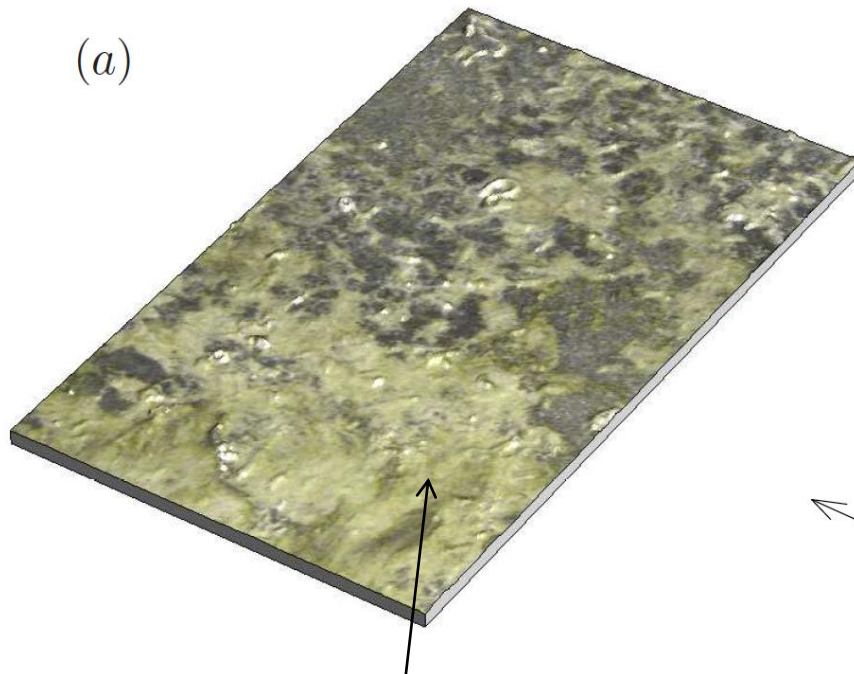


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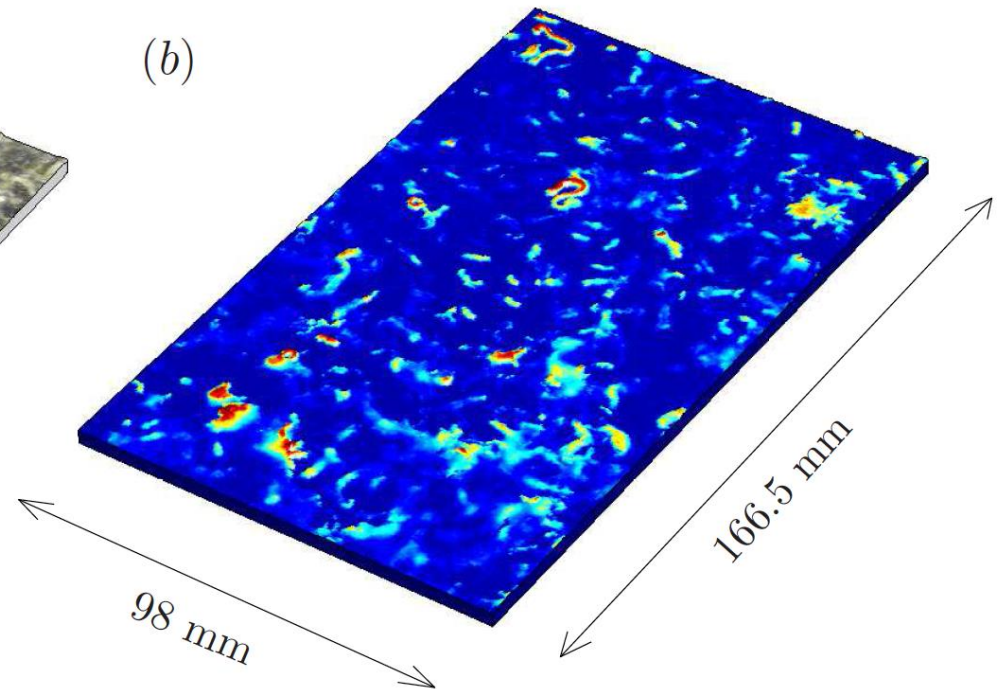
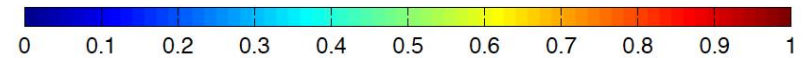
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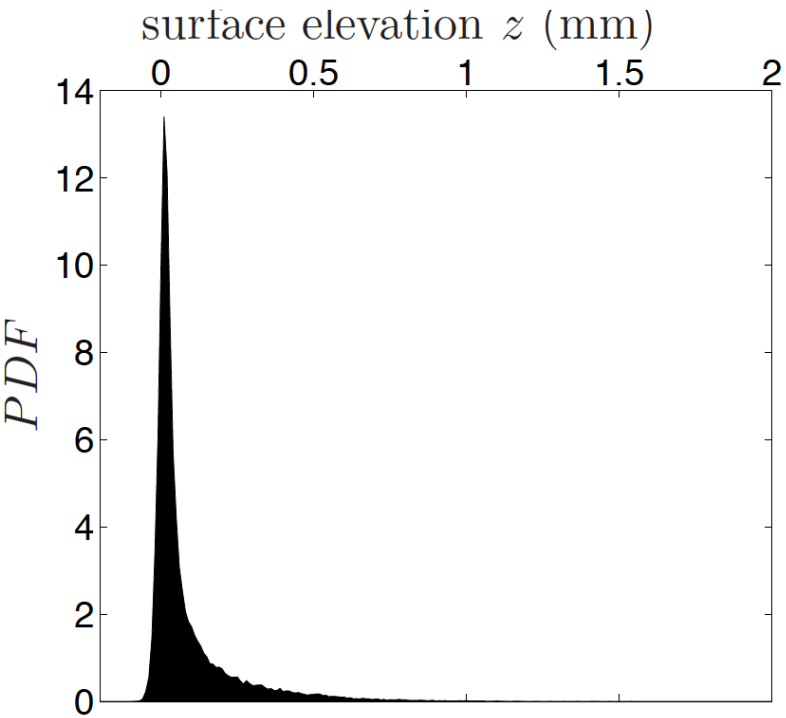
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surface elevation  $z$  (mm)

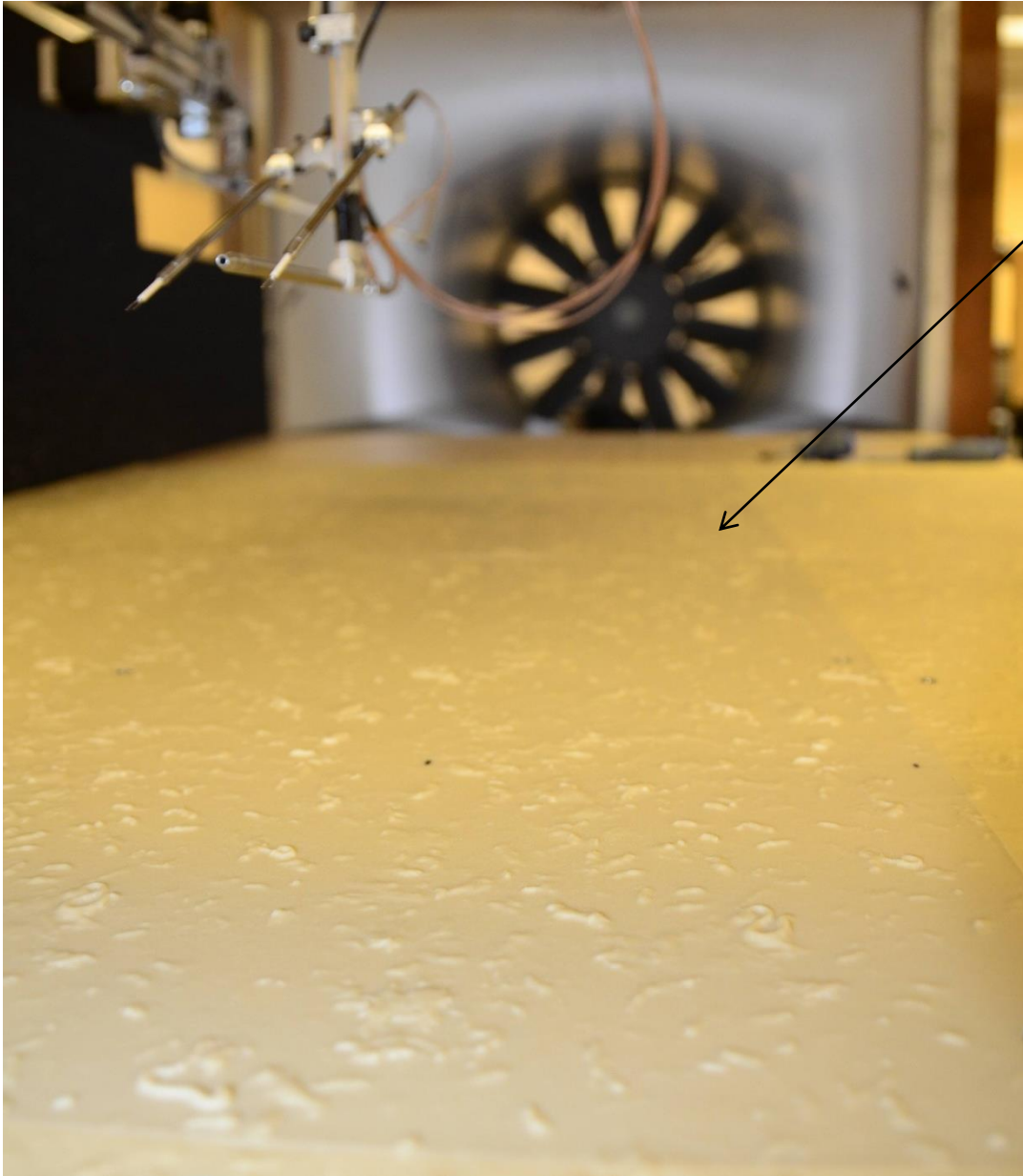


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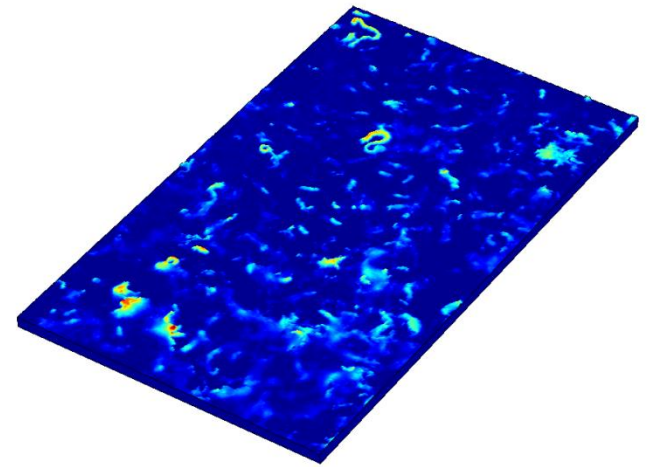
Roughness parameter	value	units	Formula
$k_a$	0.094	mm	$\overline{ z' }$
$k_{rms}$	0.144	mm	$\sqrt{\overline{z'^2}}$
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$k_{sk}$	2.963	—	$\overline{z'^3} / k_{rms}^3$
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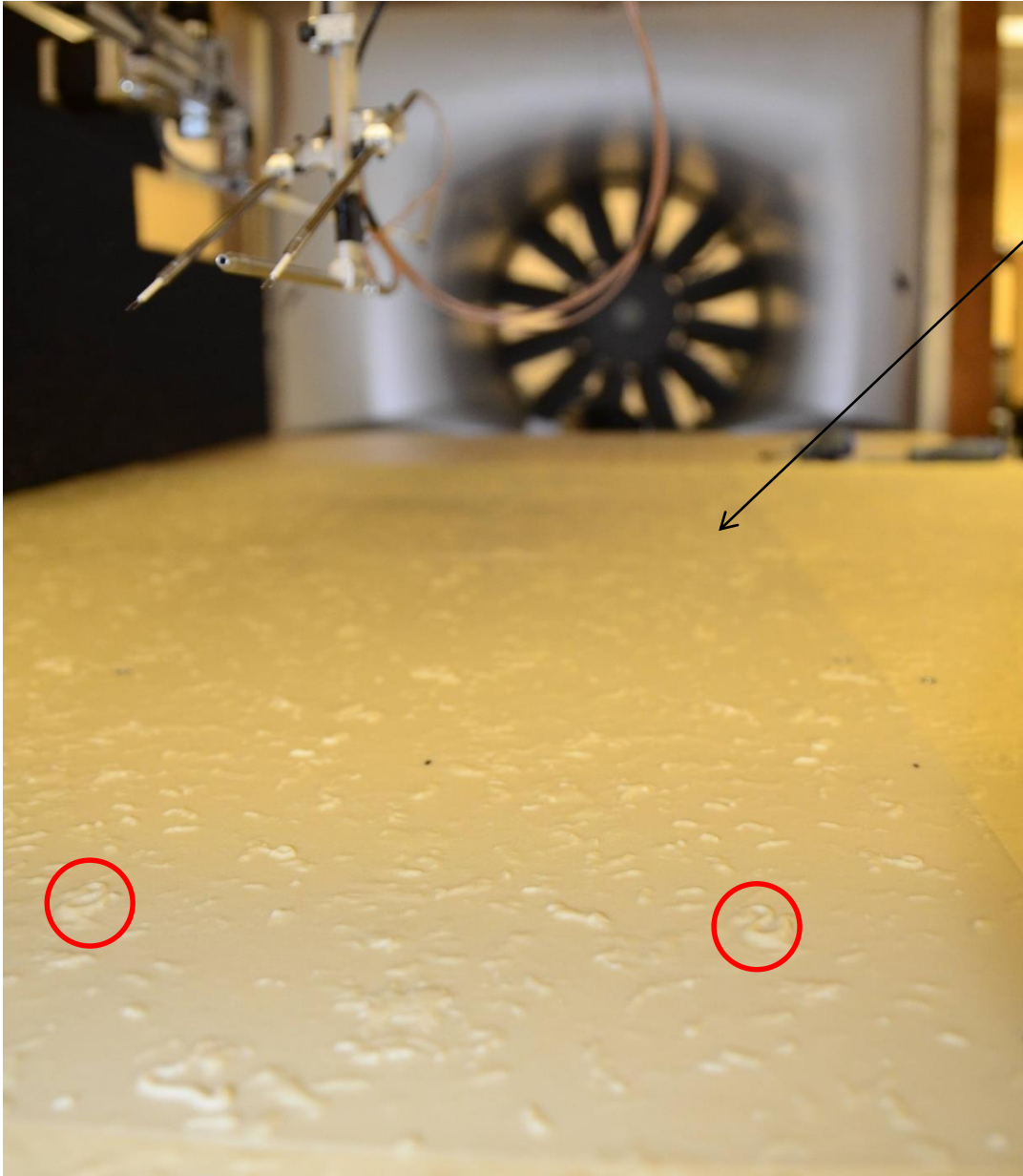


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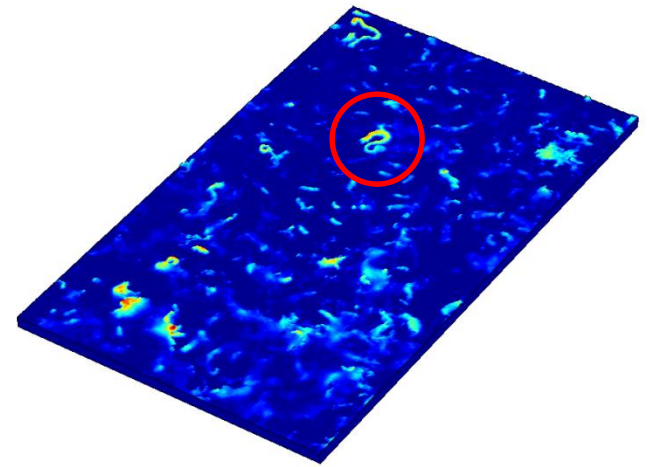




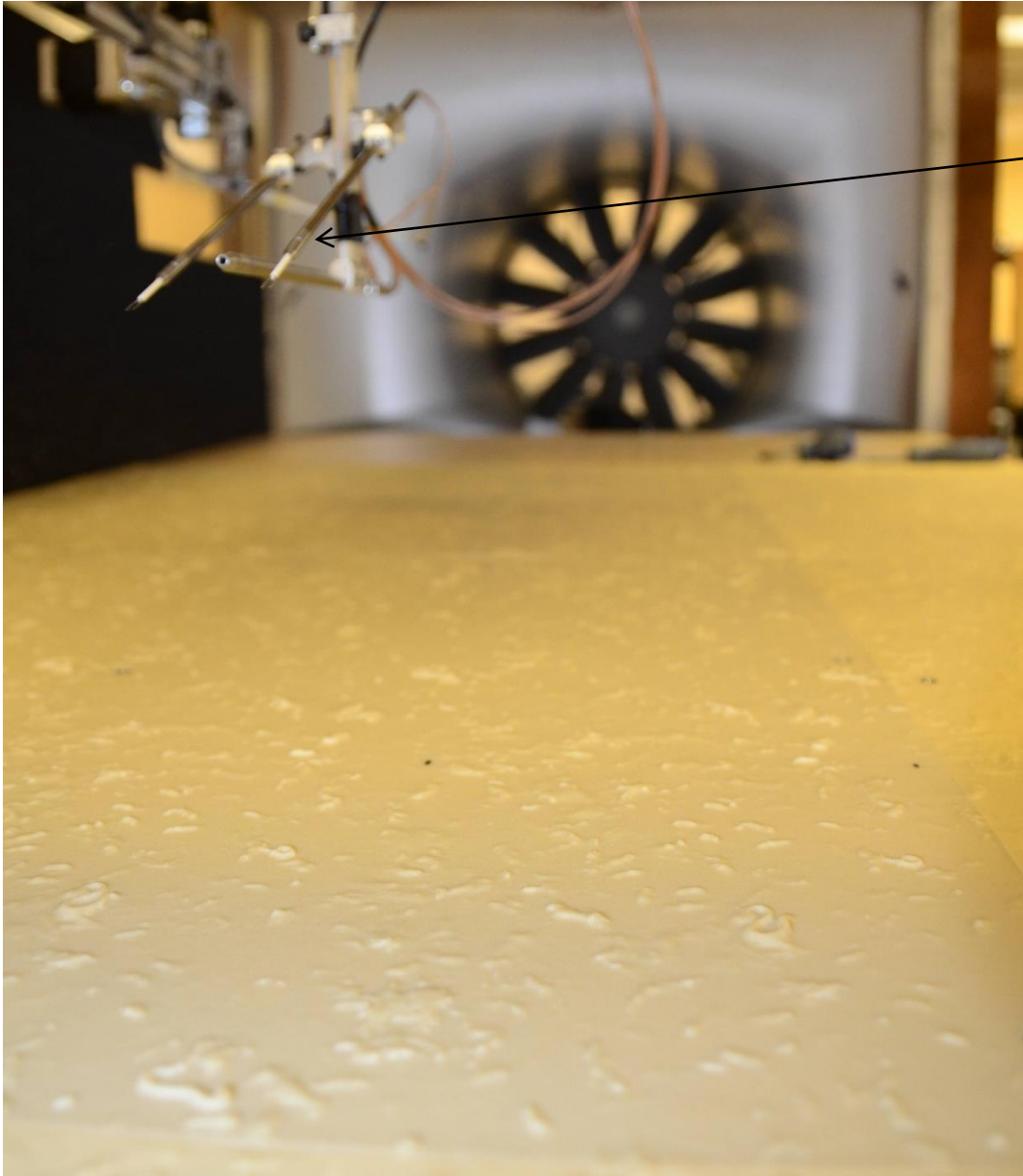
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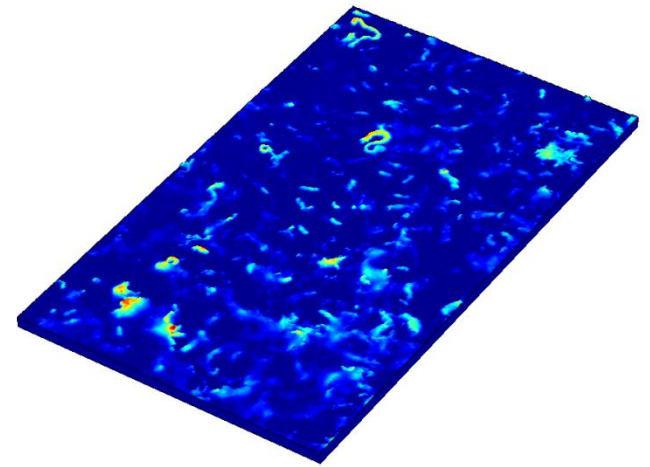
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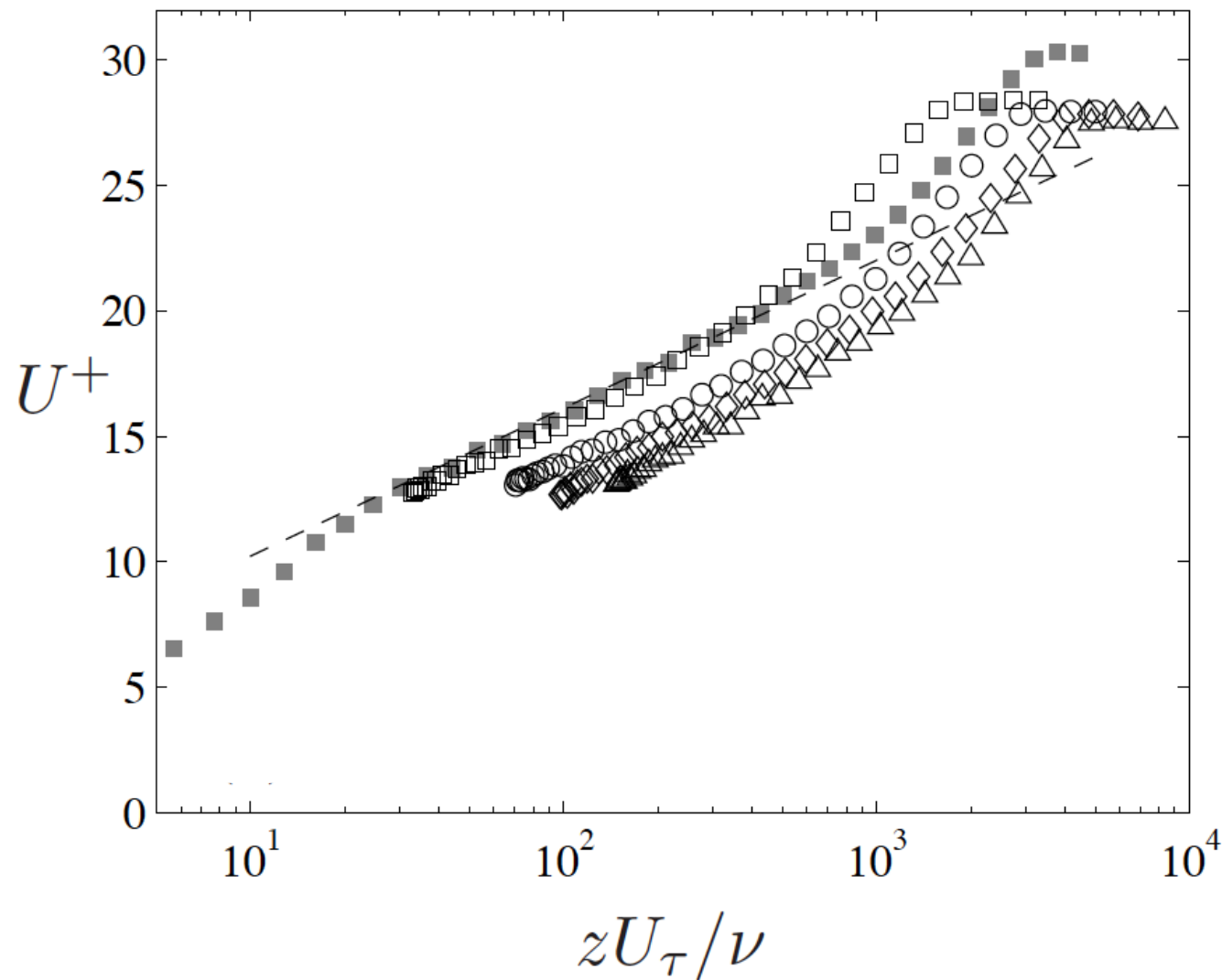
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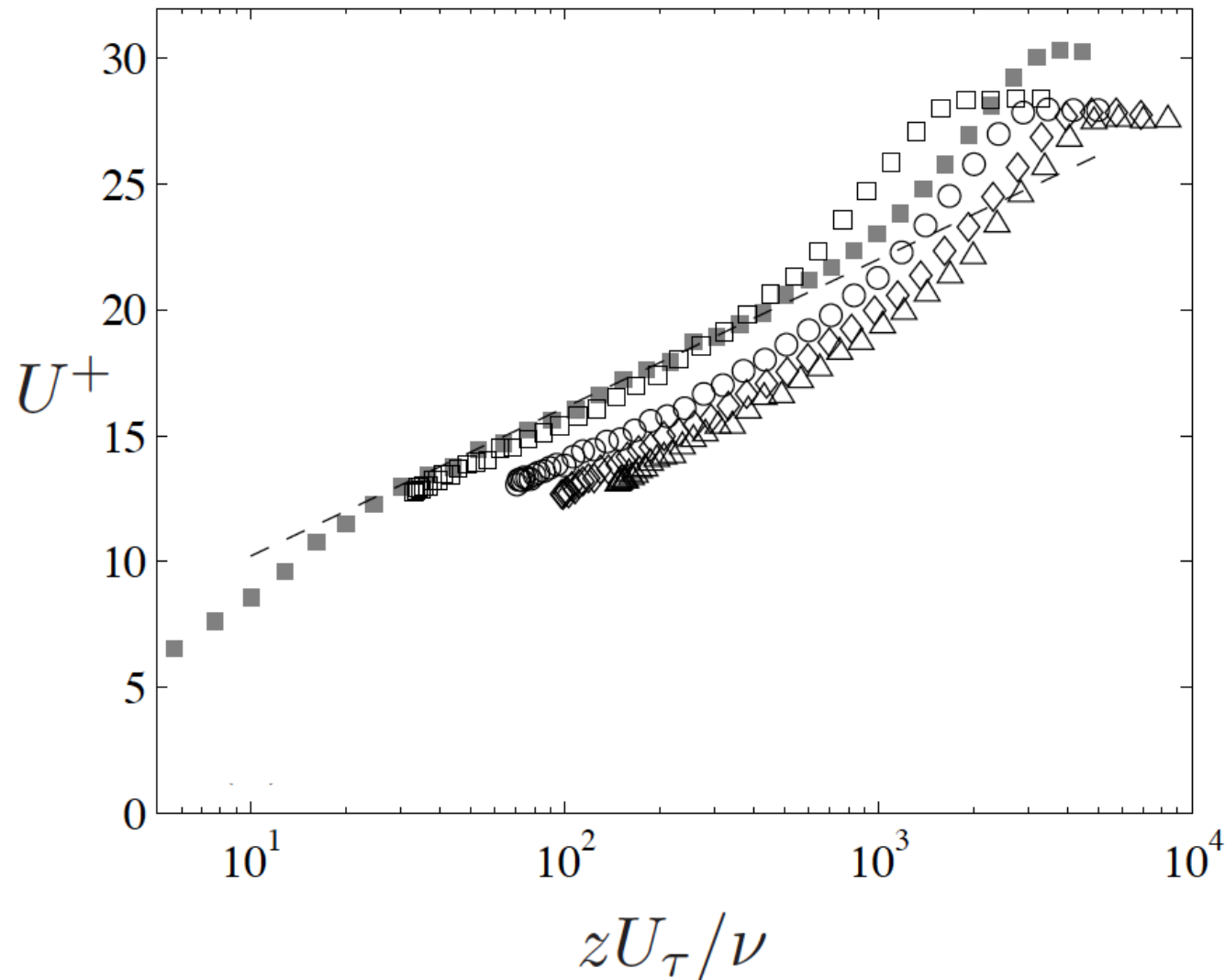


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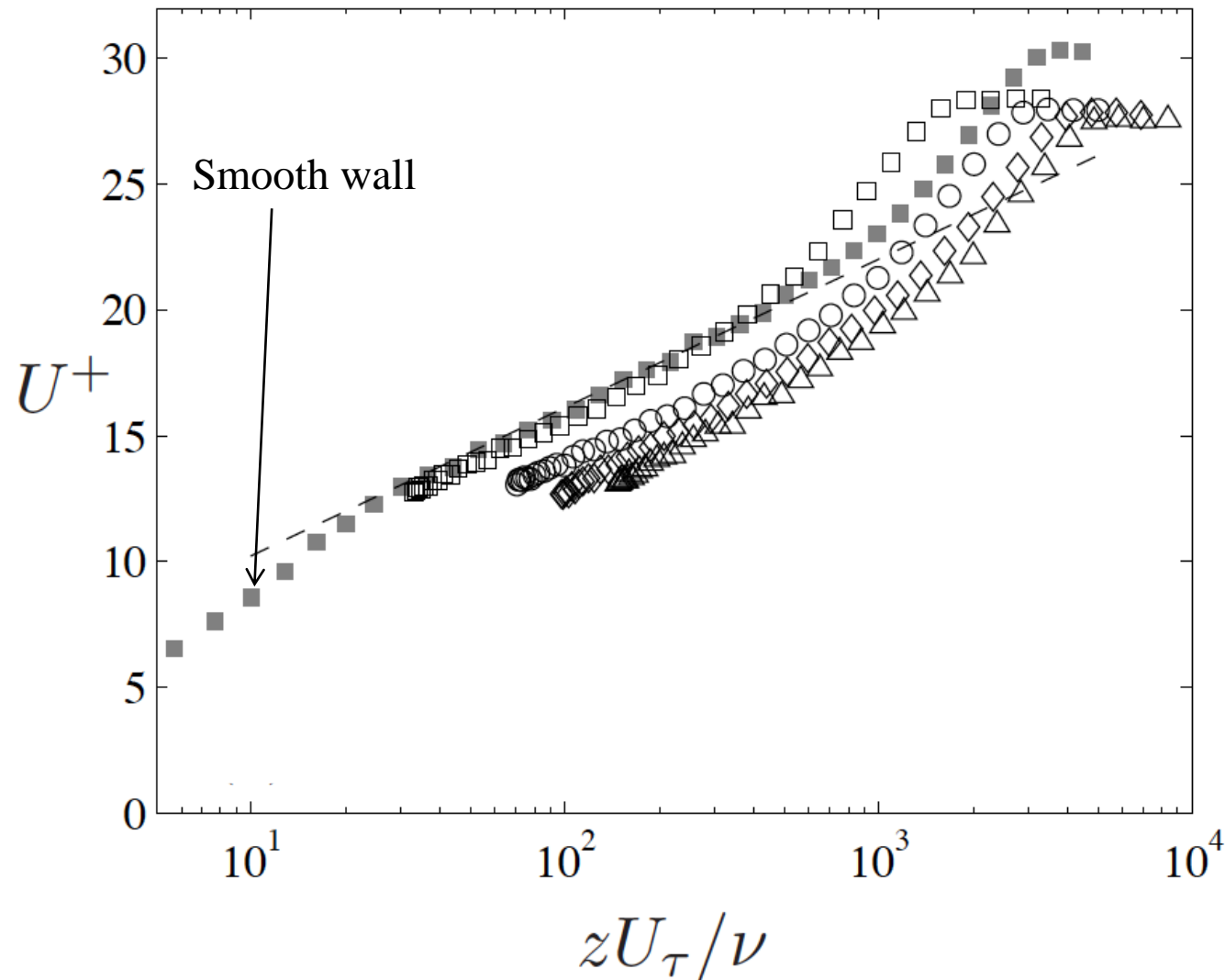
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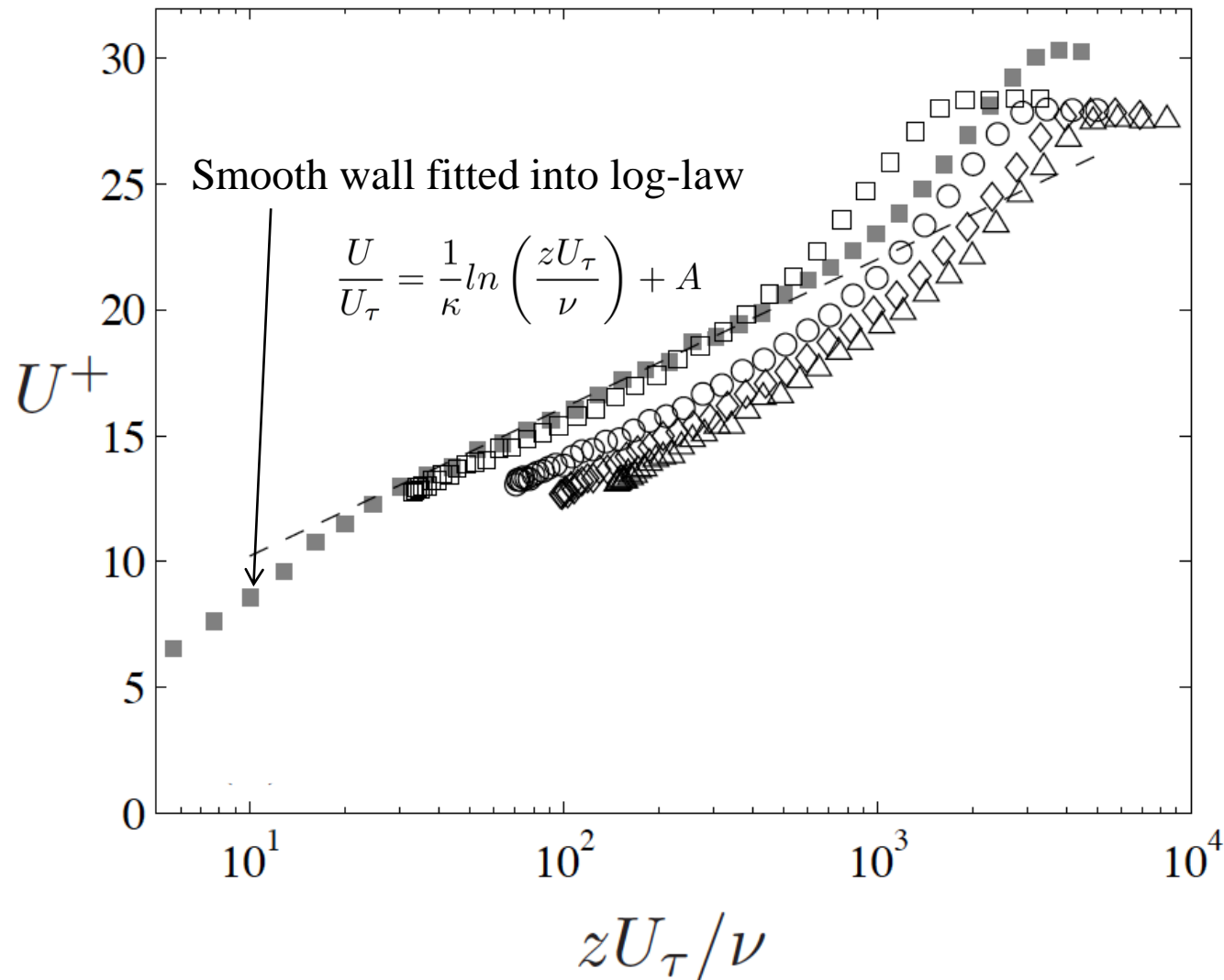
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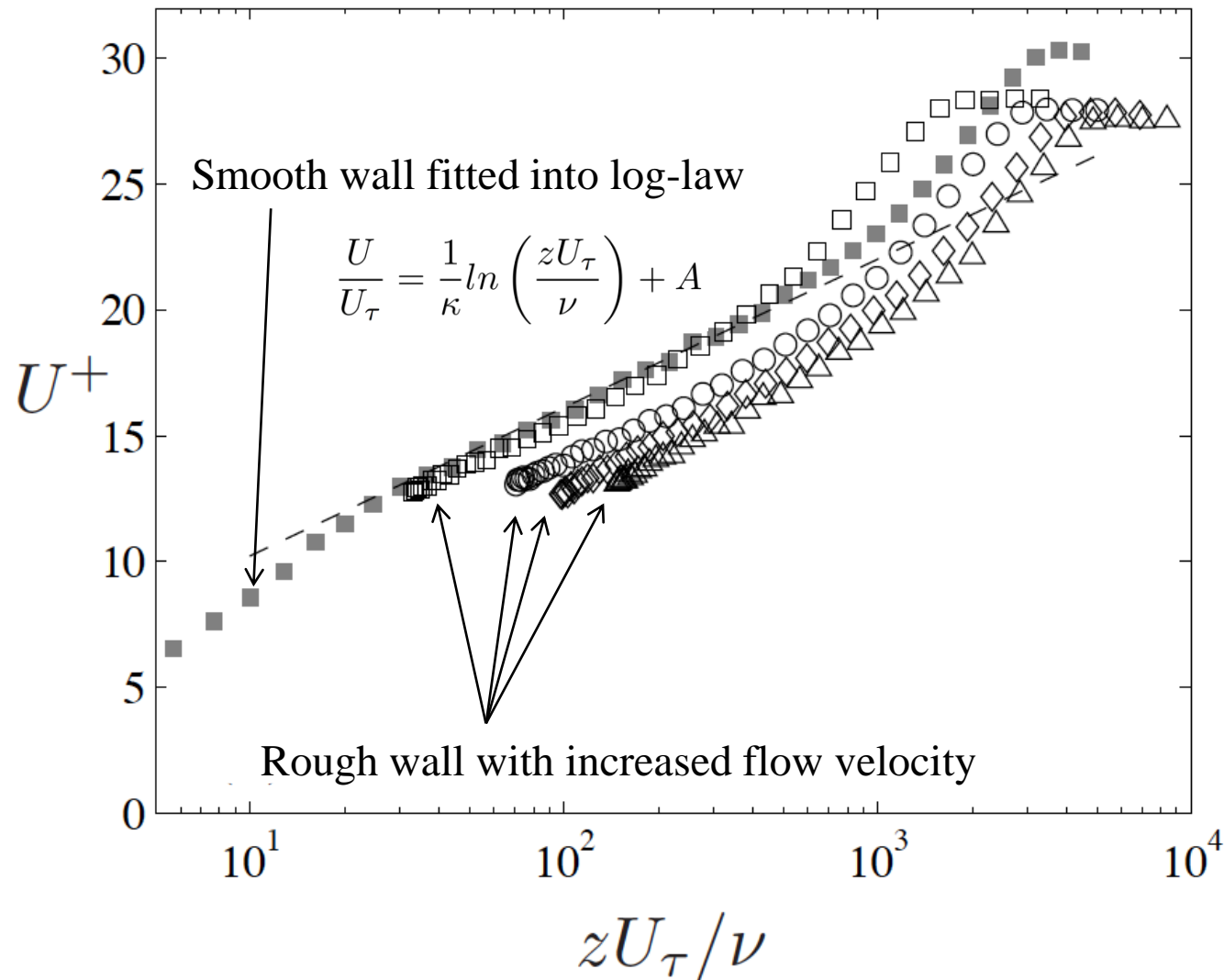
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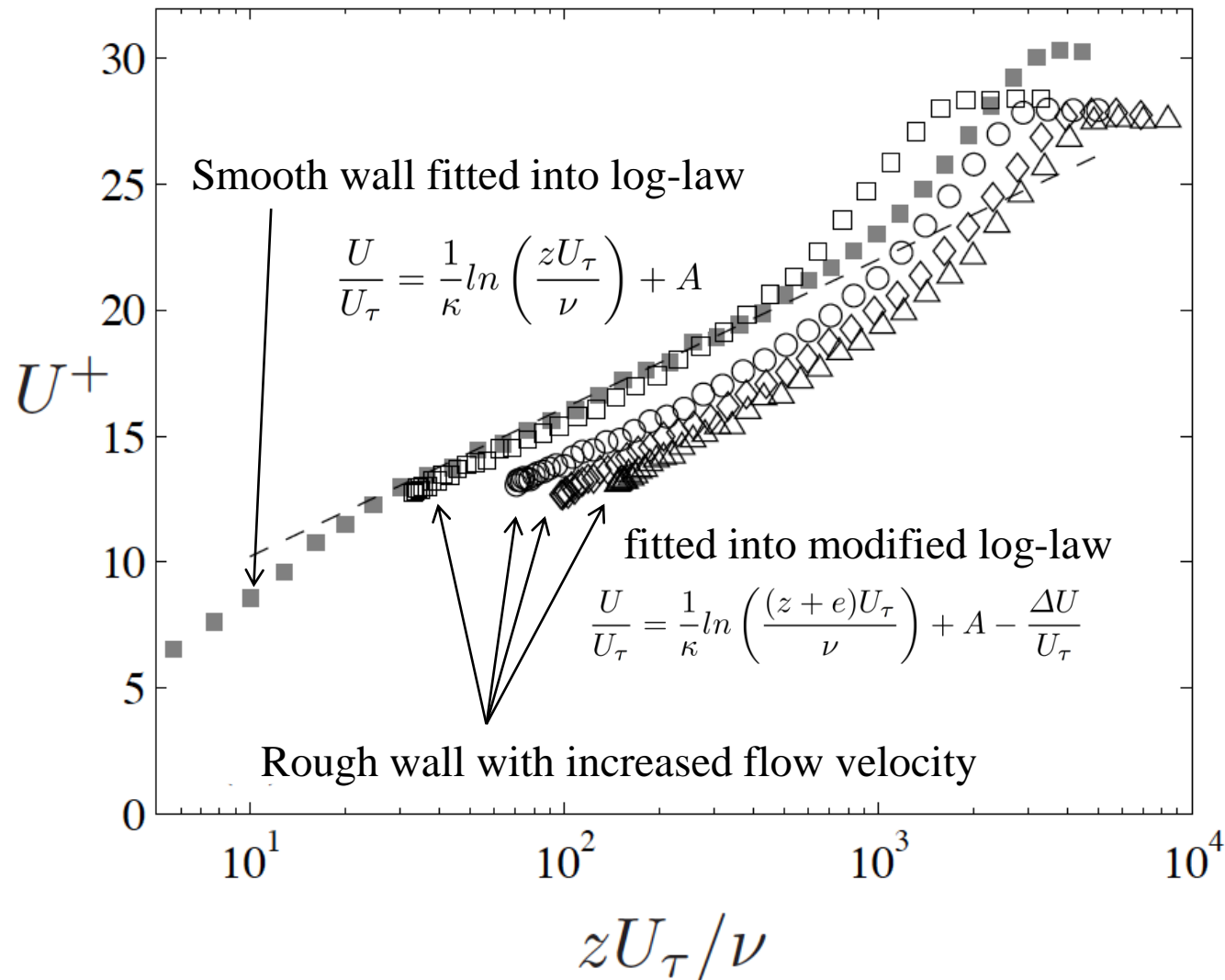
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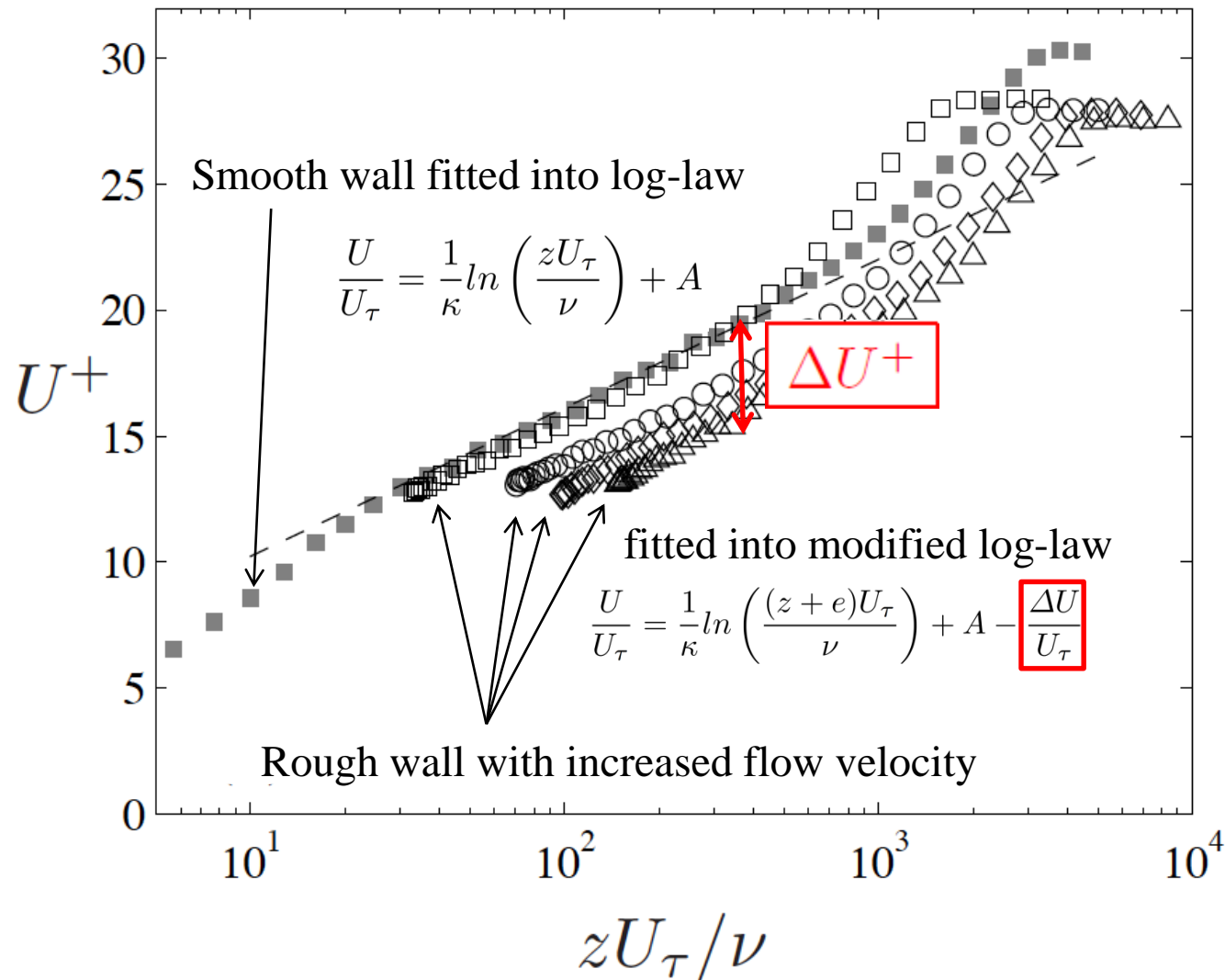
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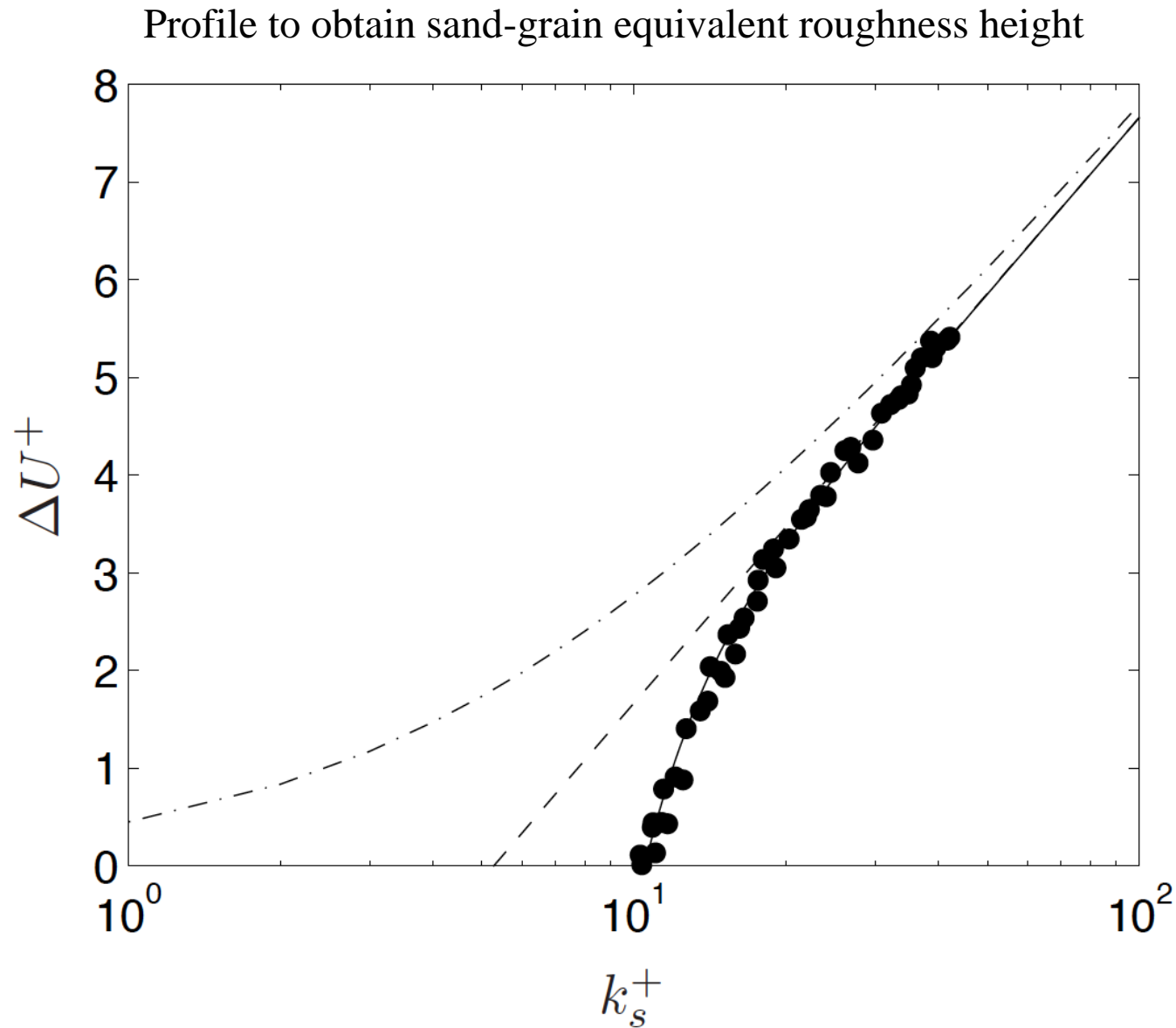
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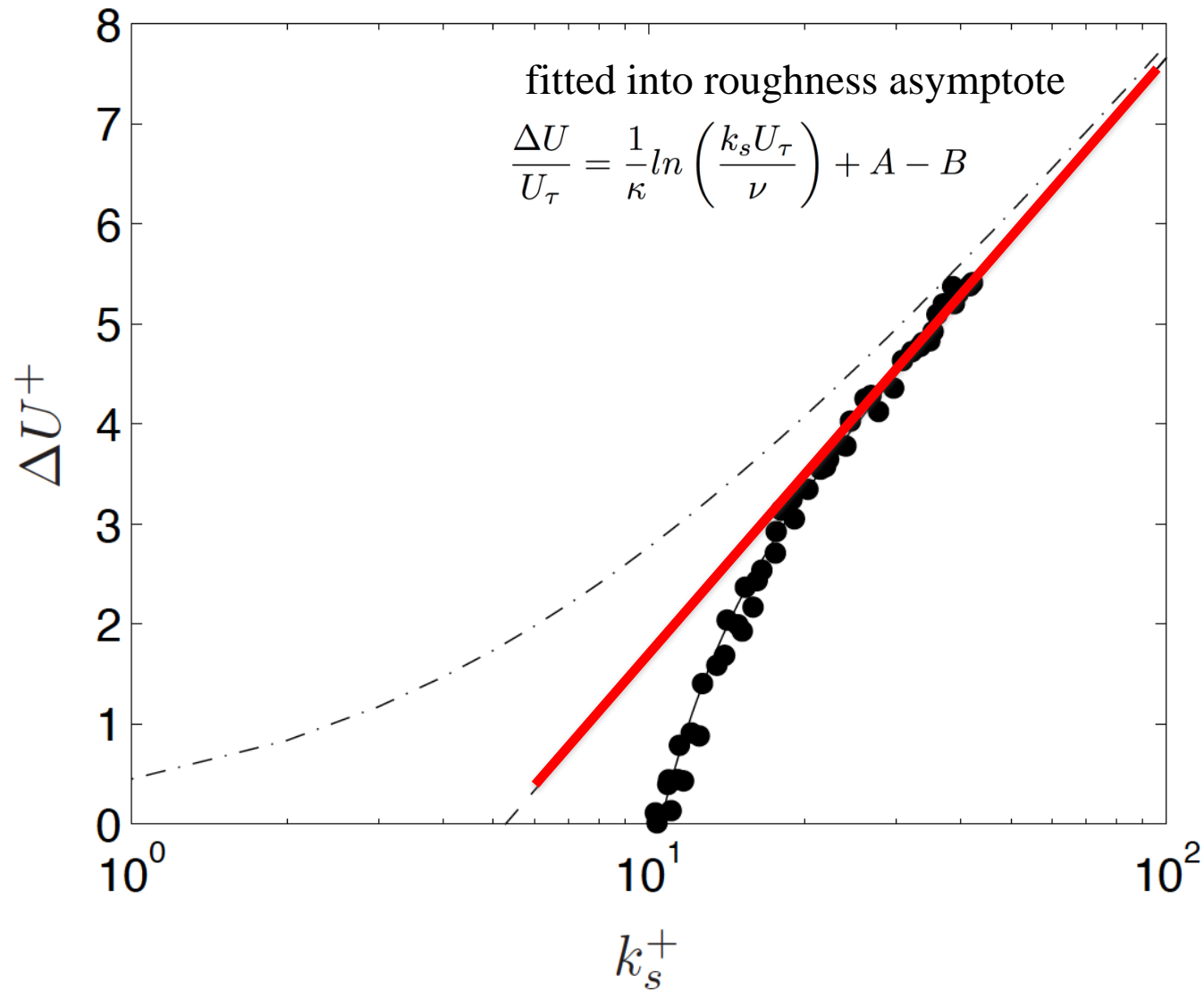
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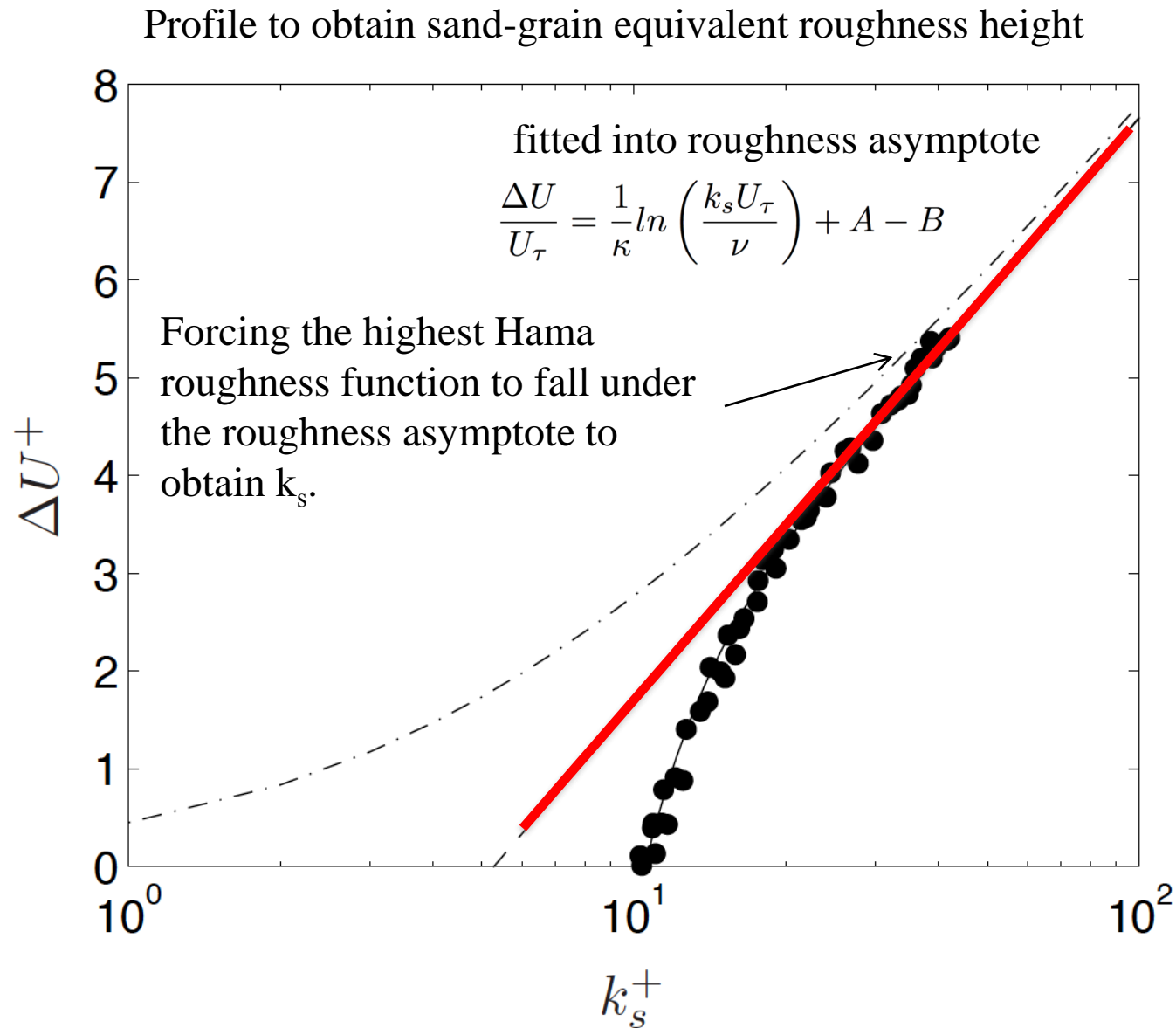


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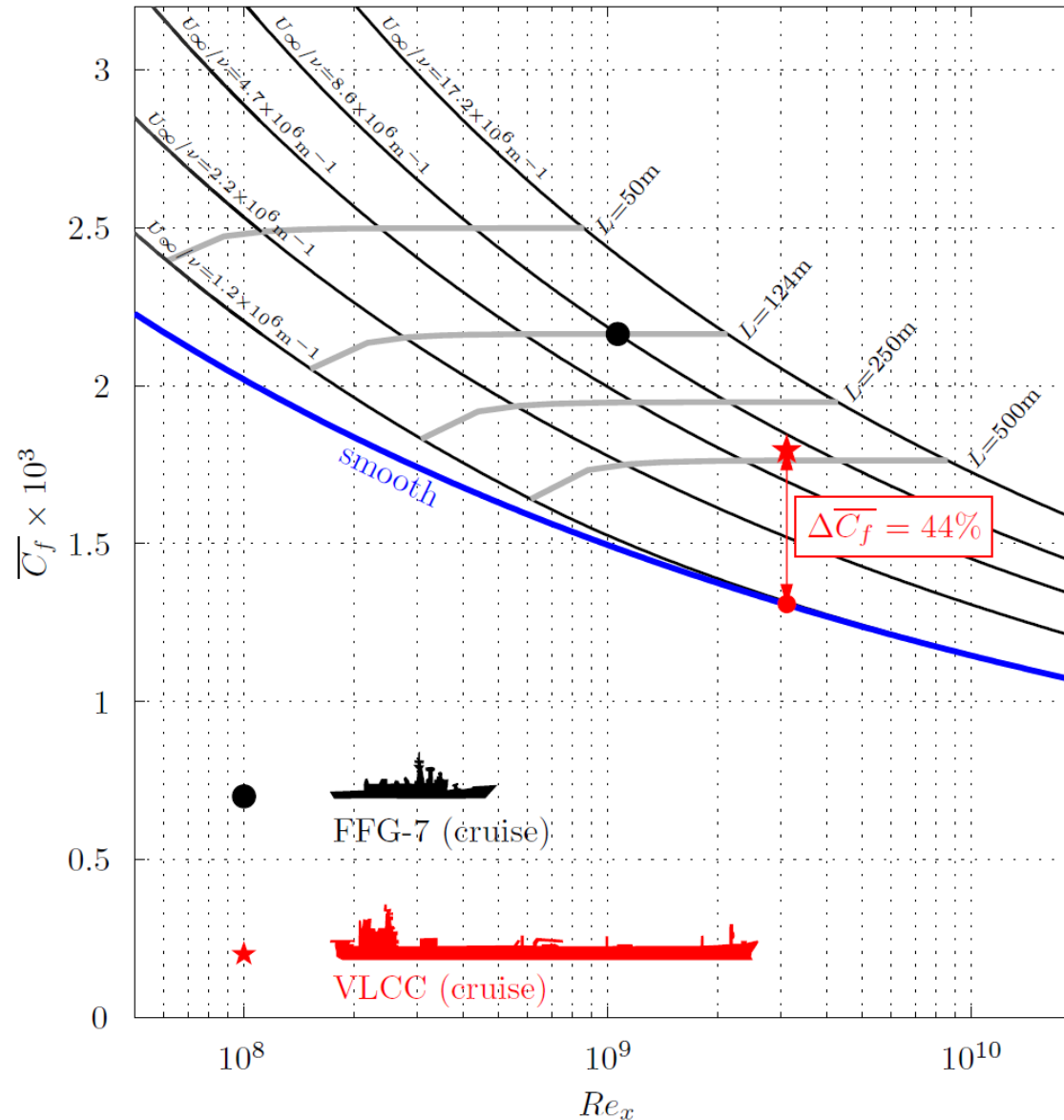


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Estimating full-scale ship drag via mean momentum integral





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Issue with lab experiment:

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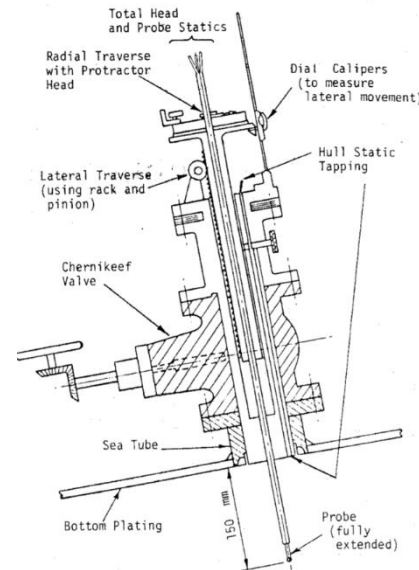
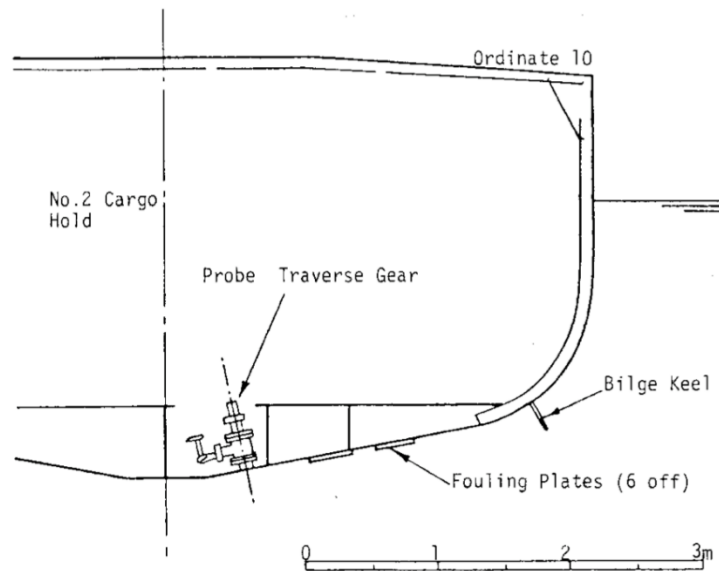
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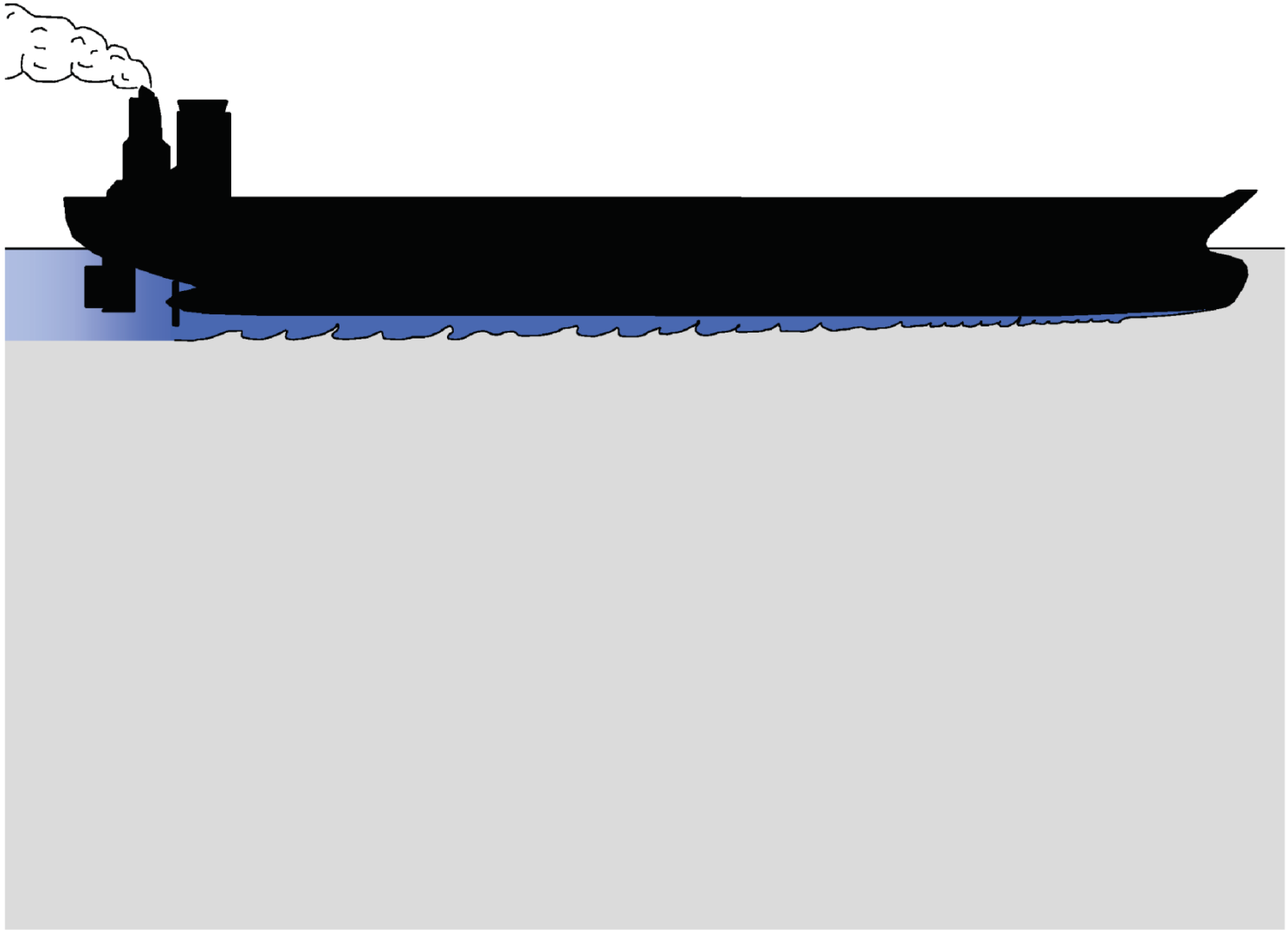
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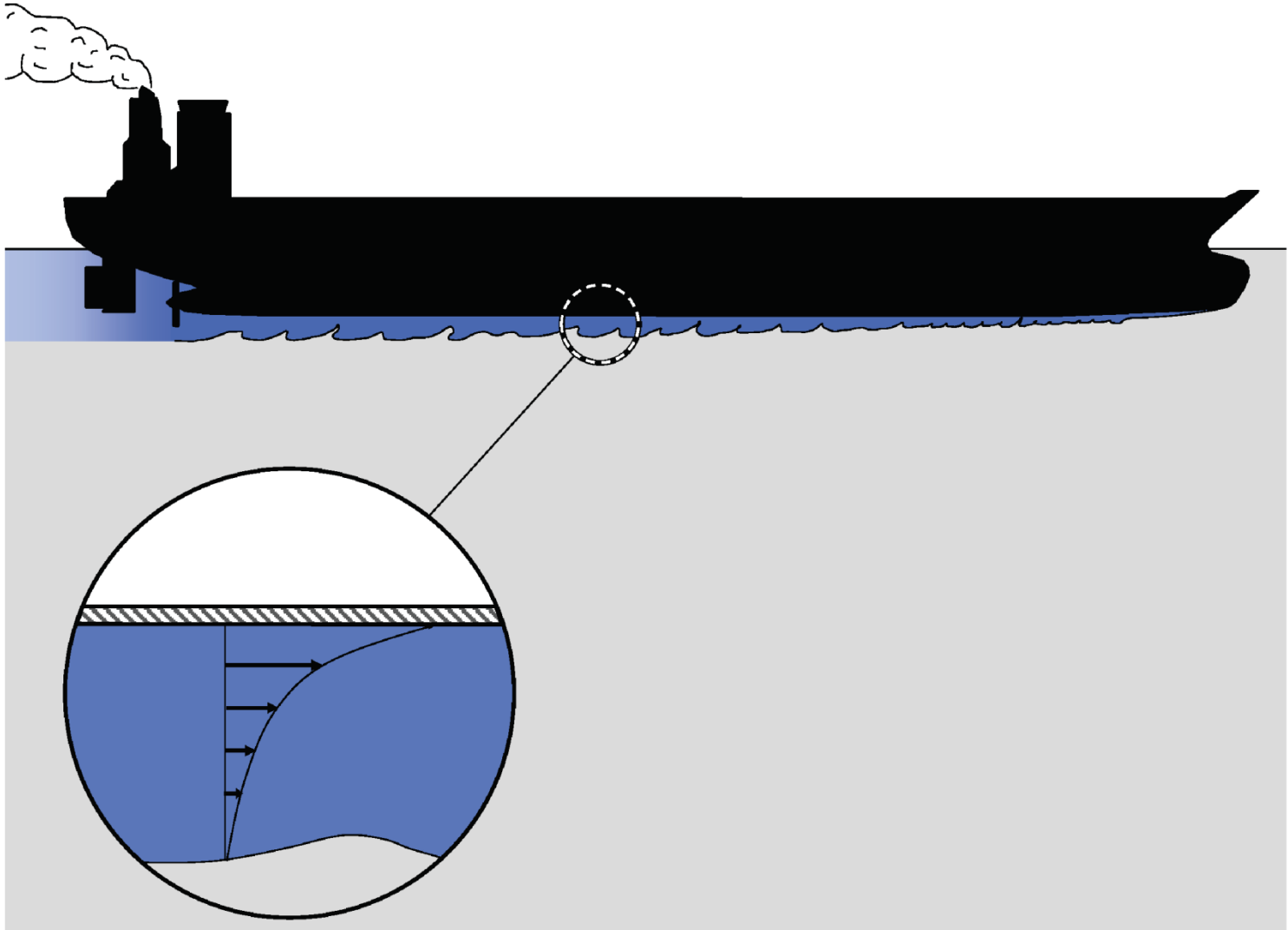
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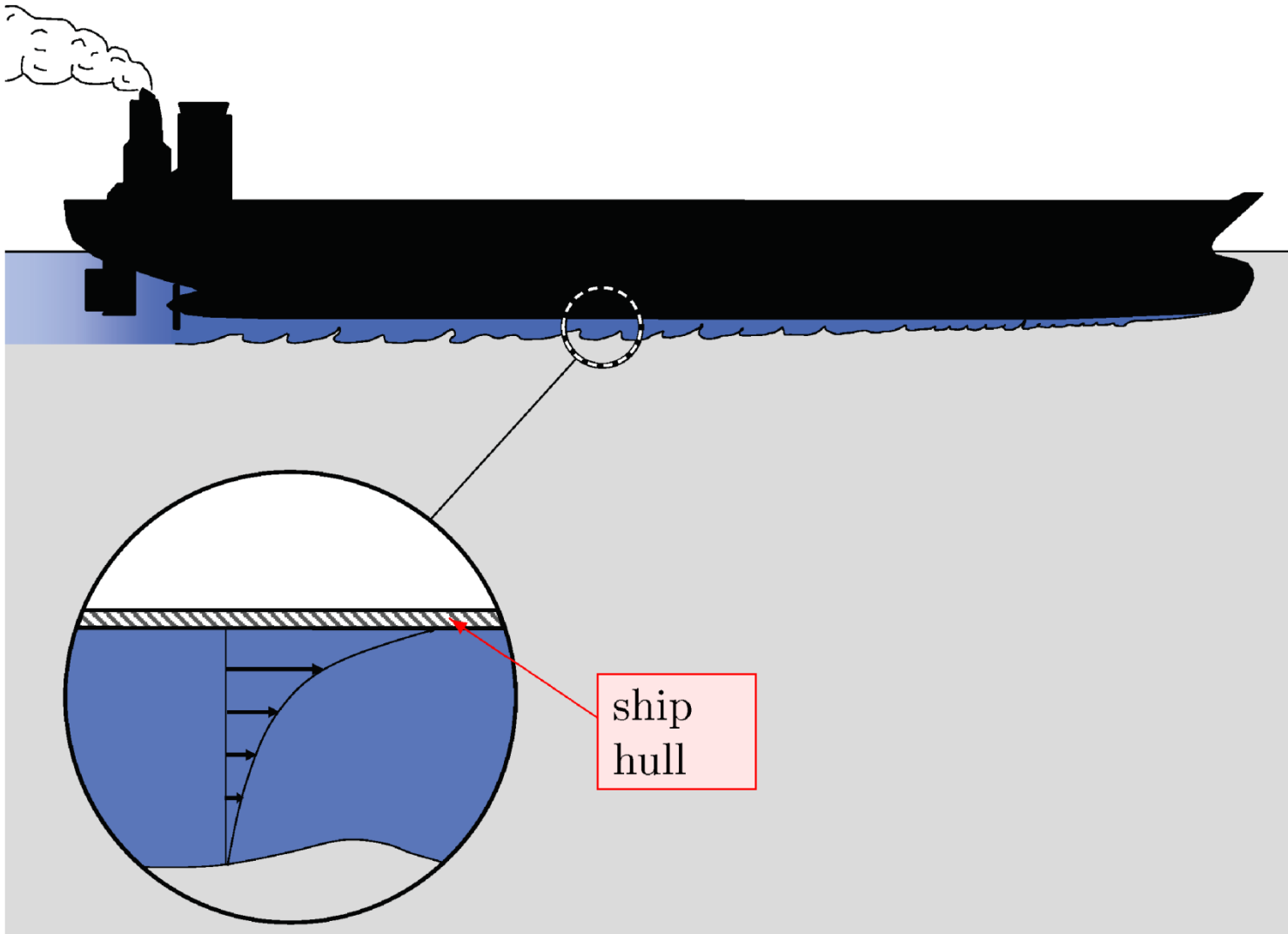


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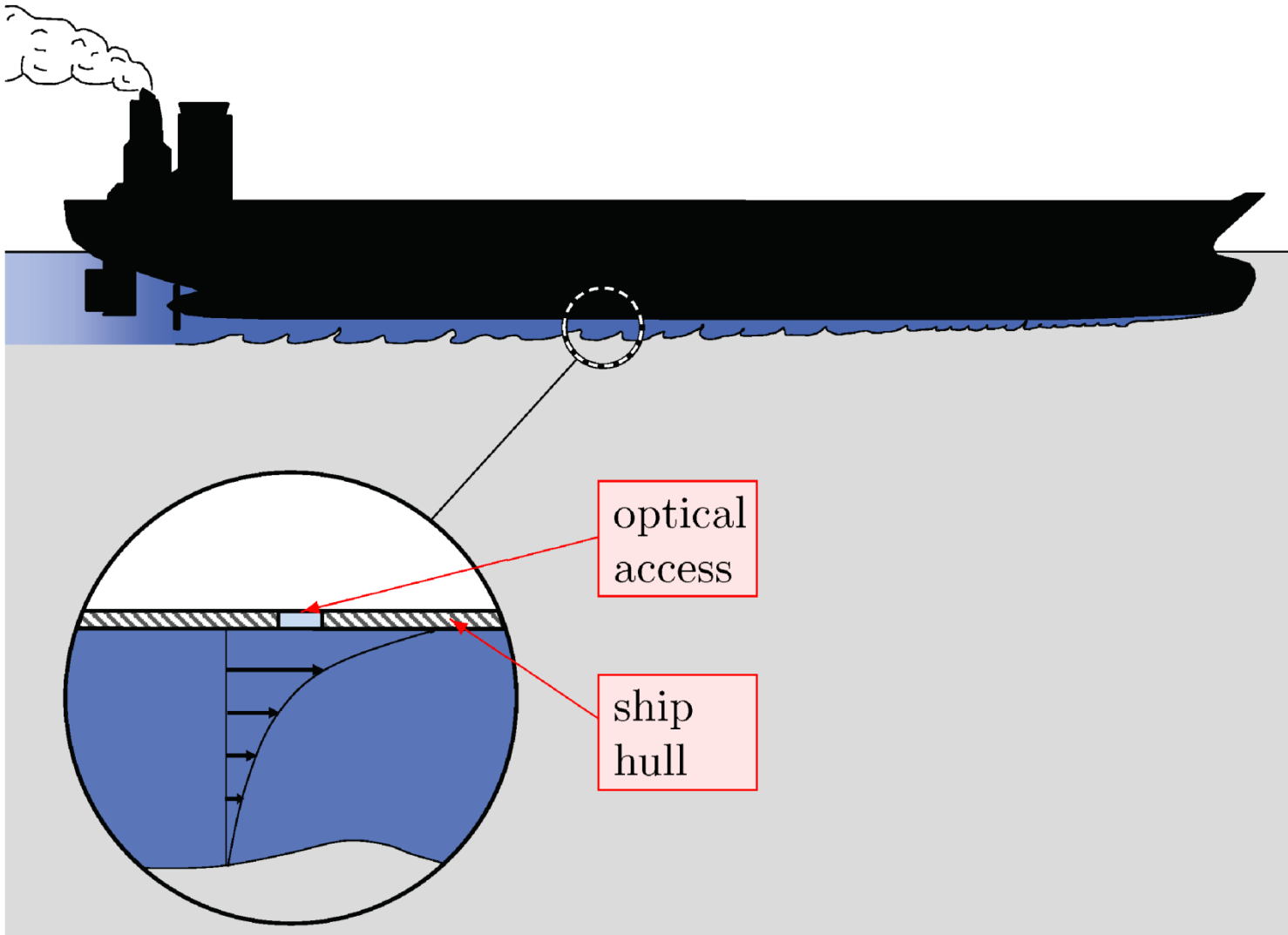




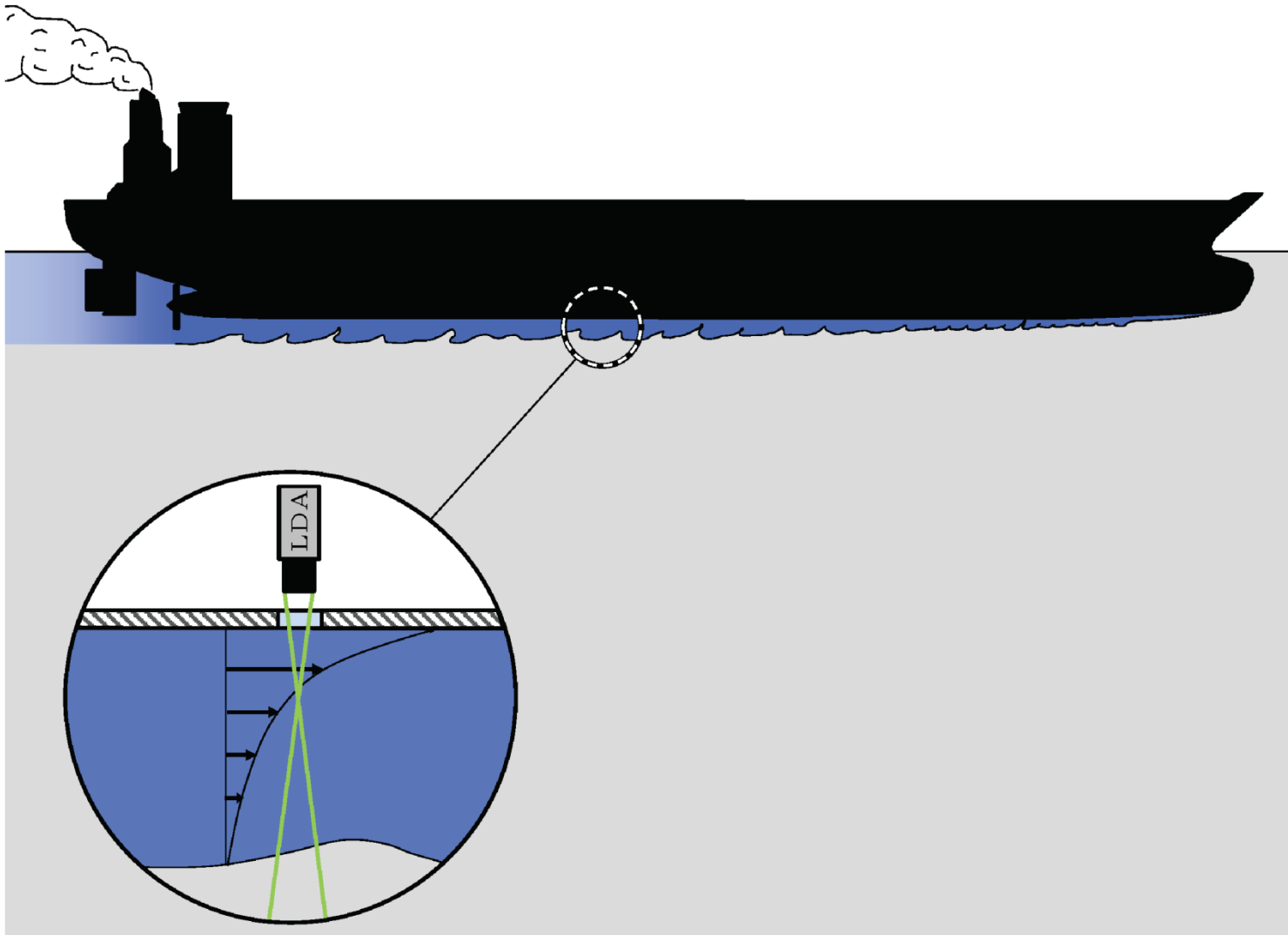
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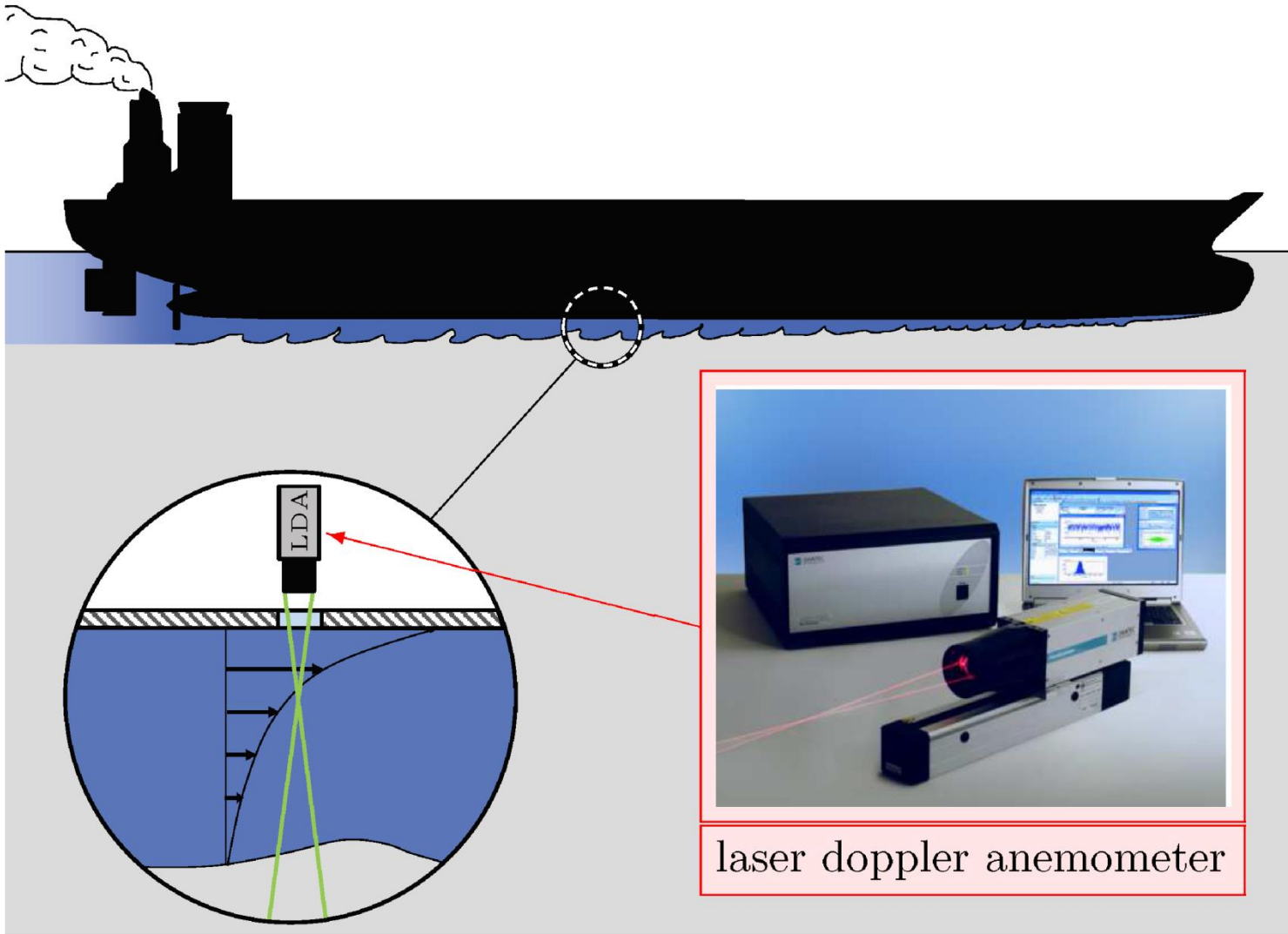
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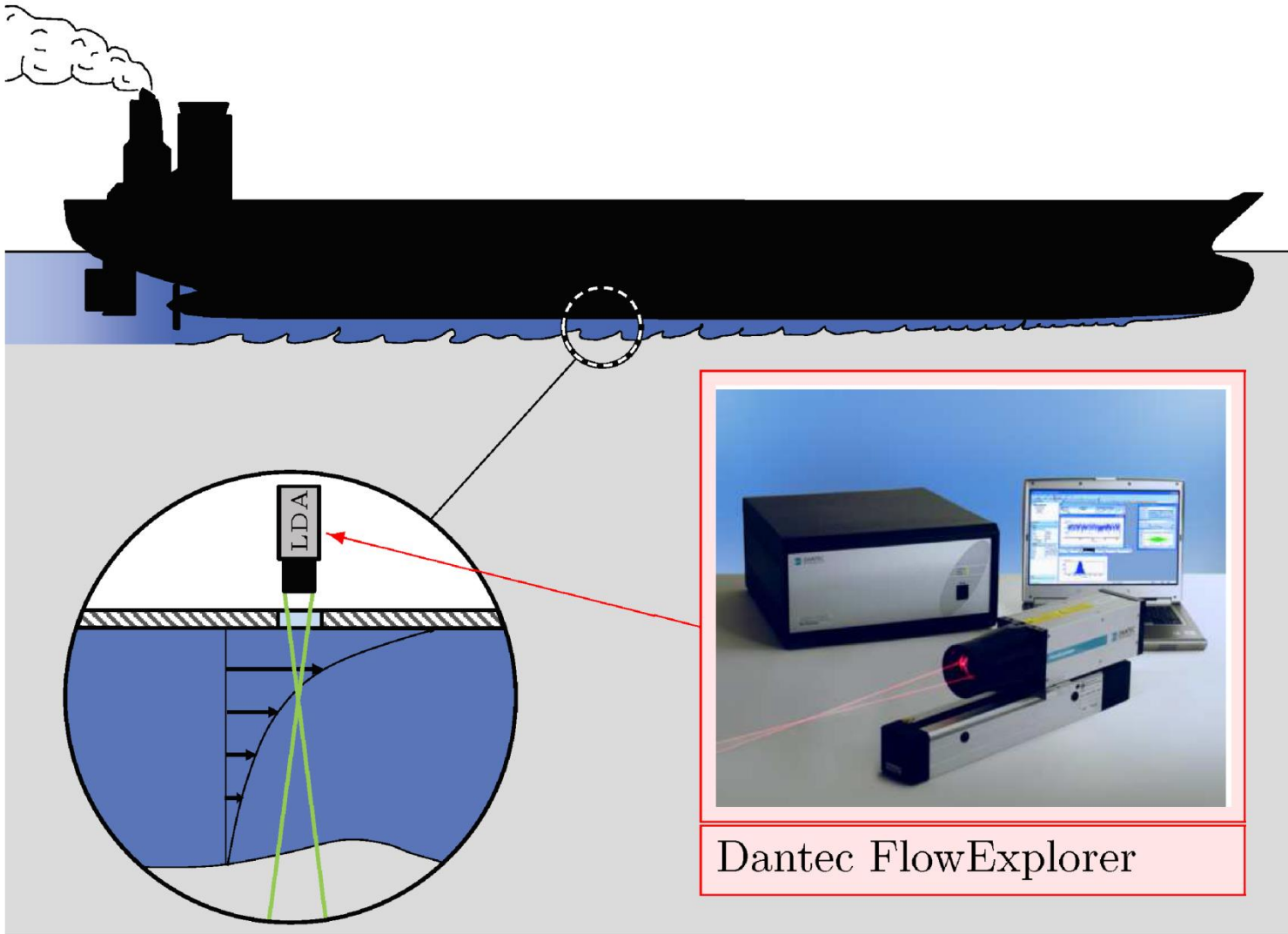
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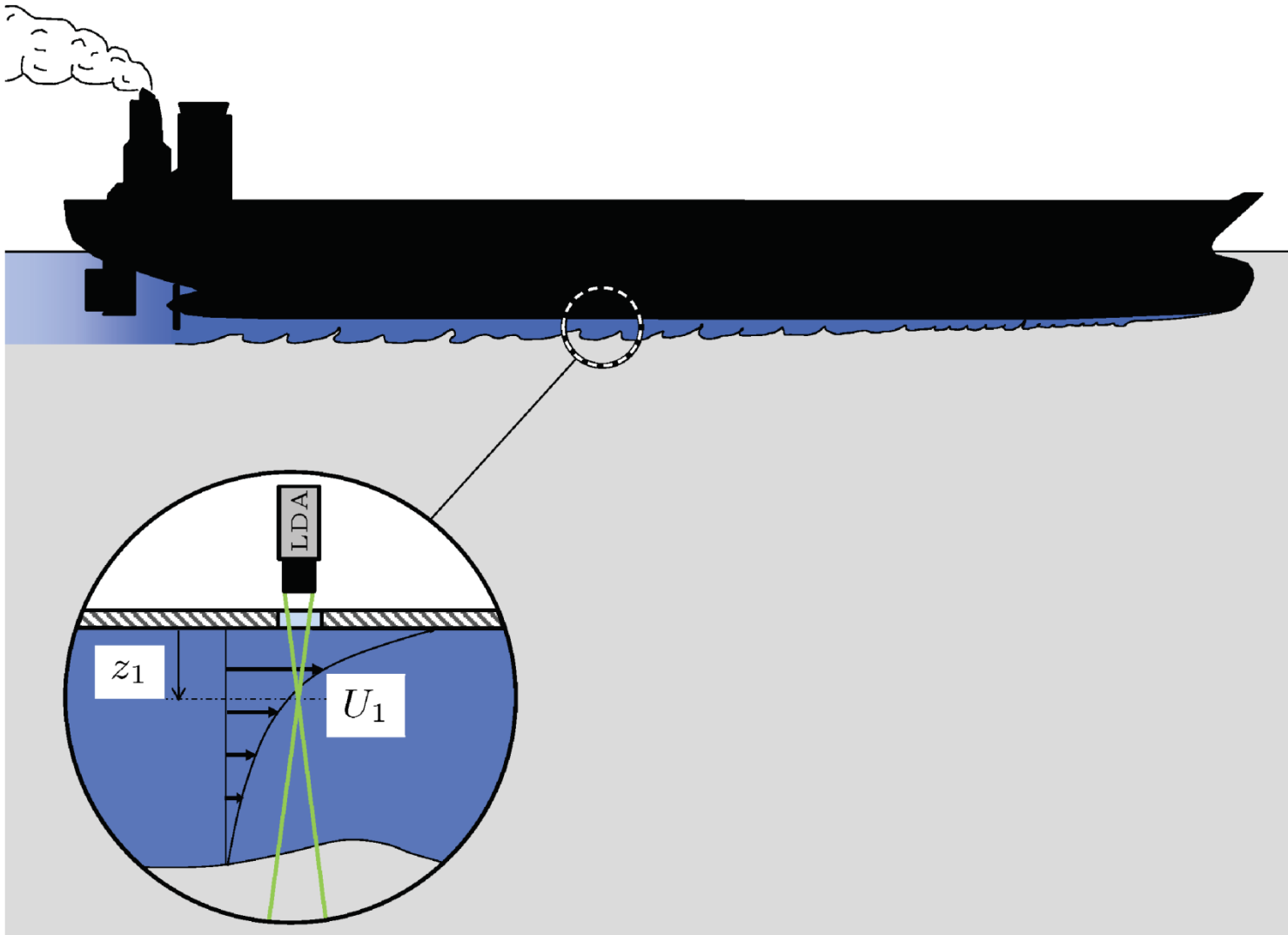
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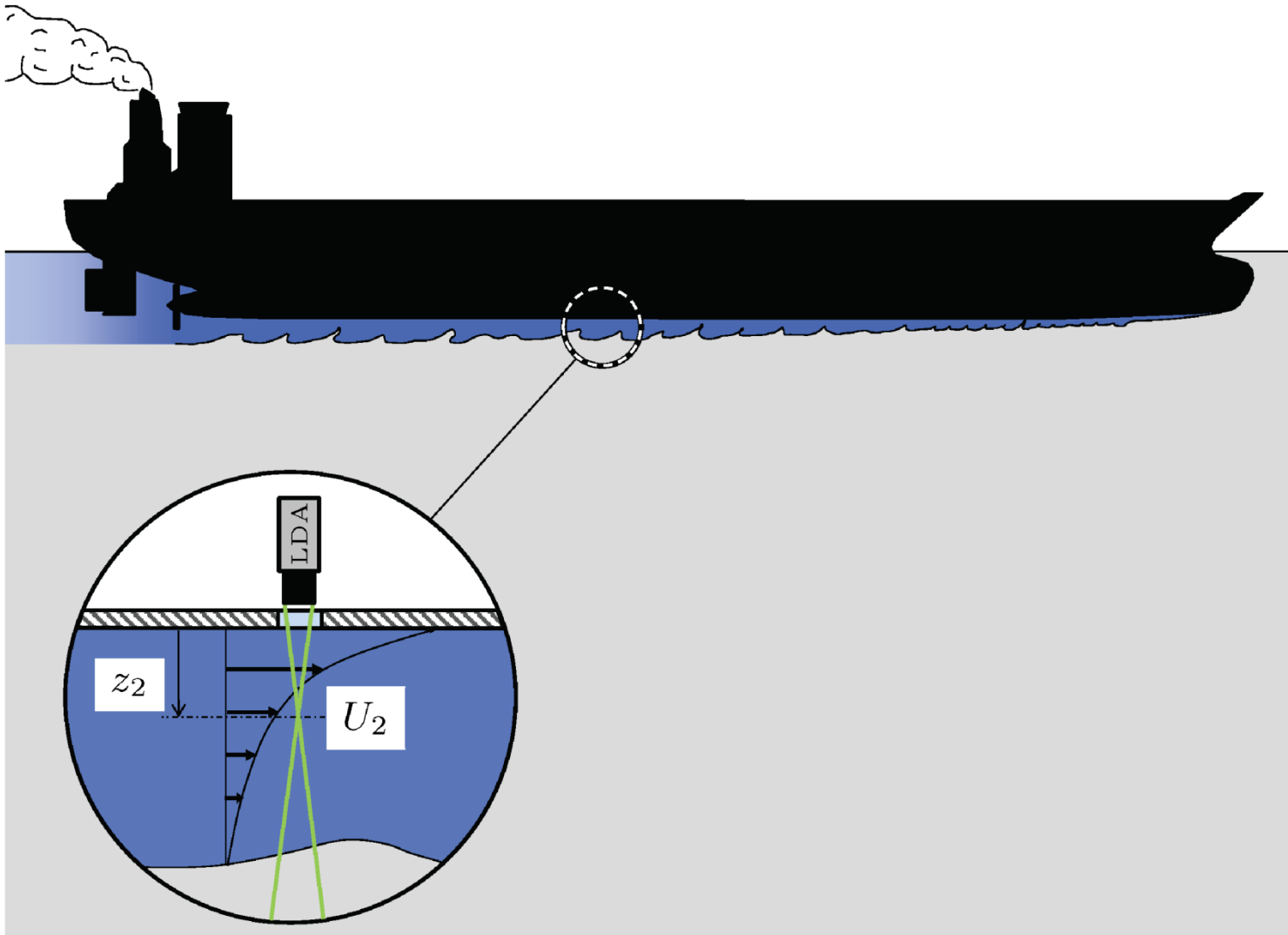
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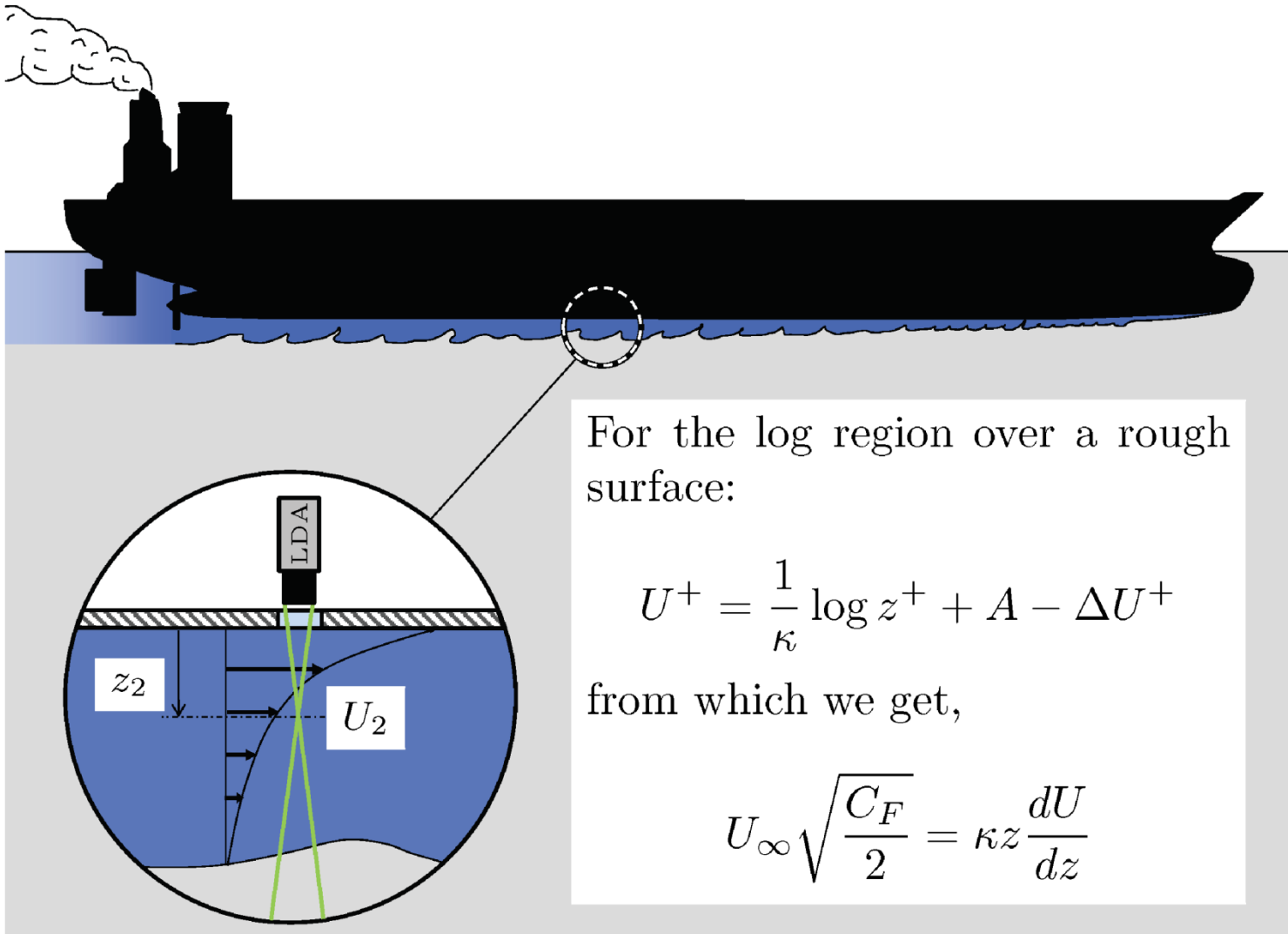
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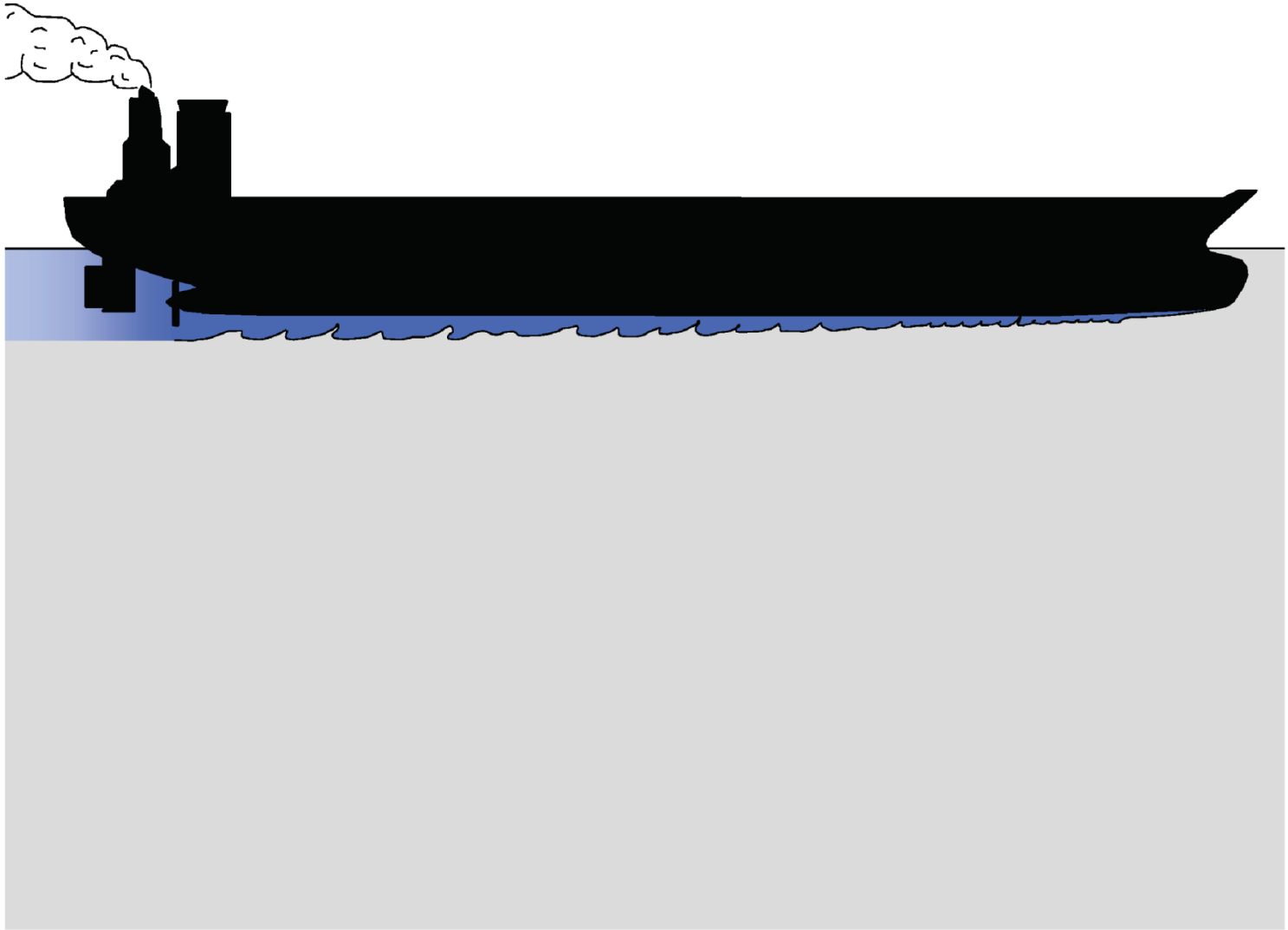




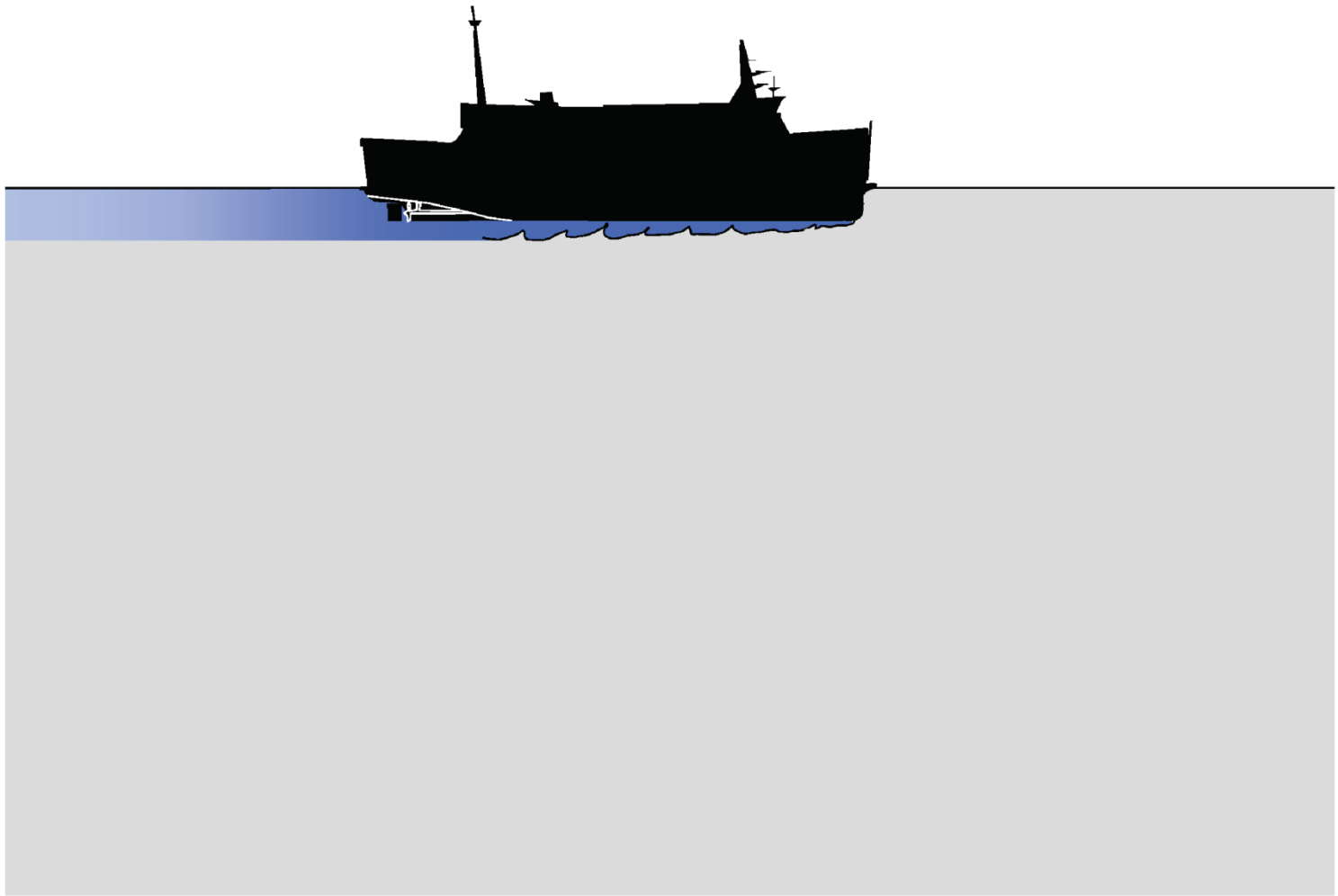
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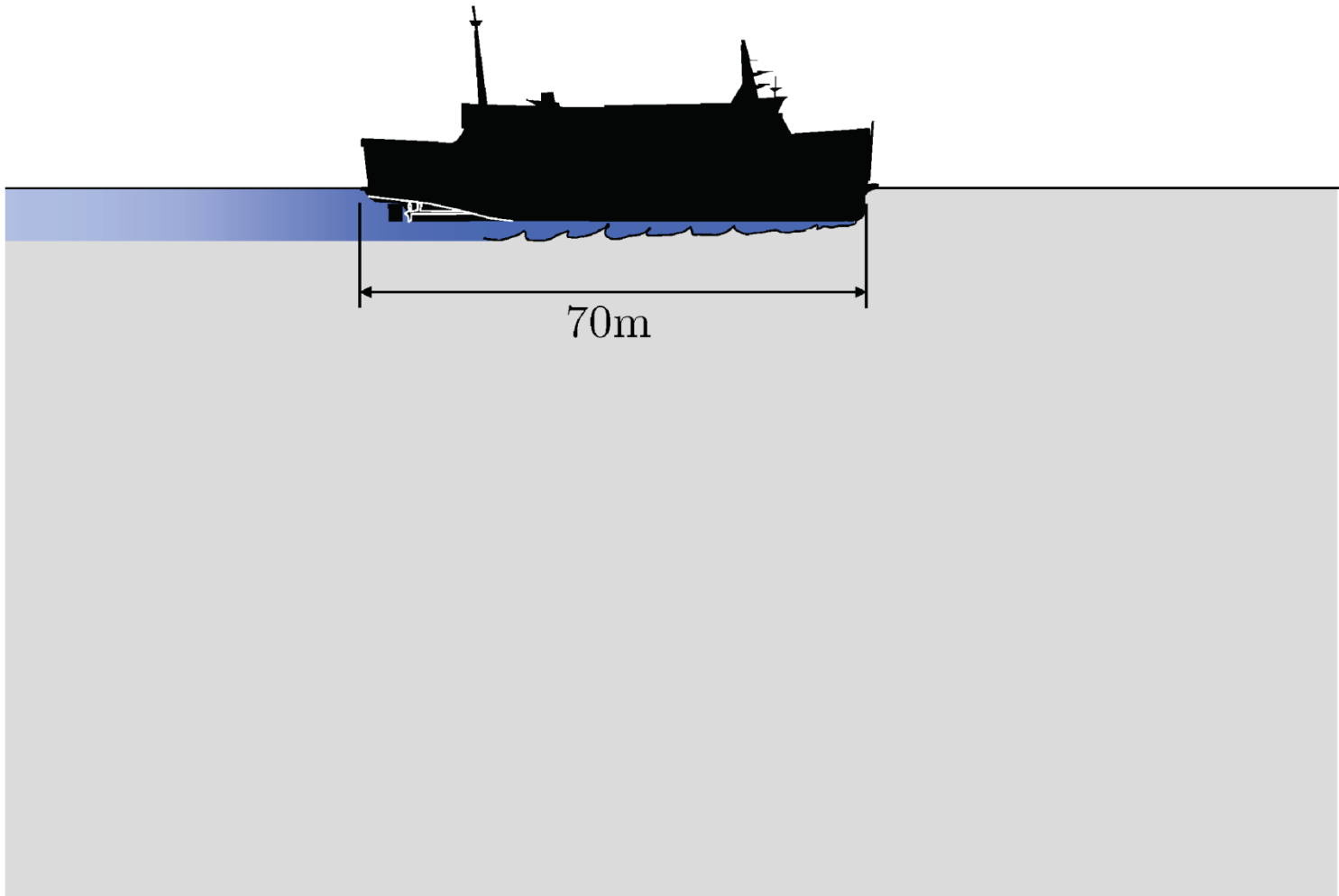
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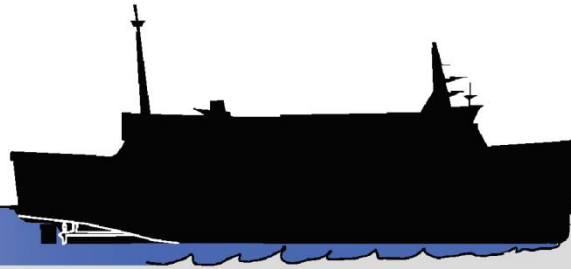
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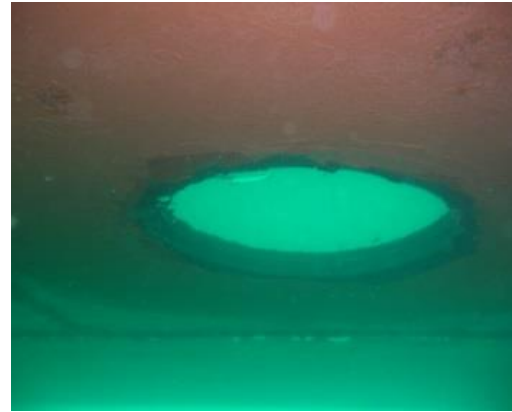
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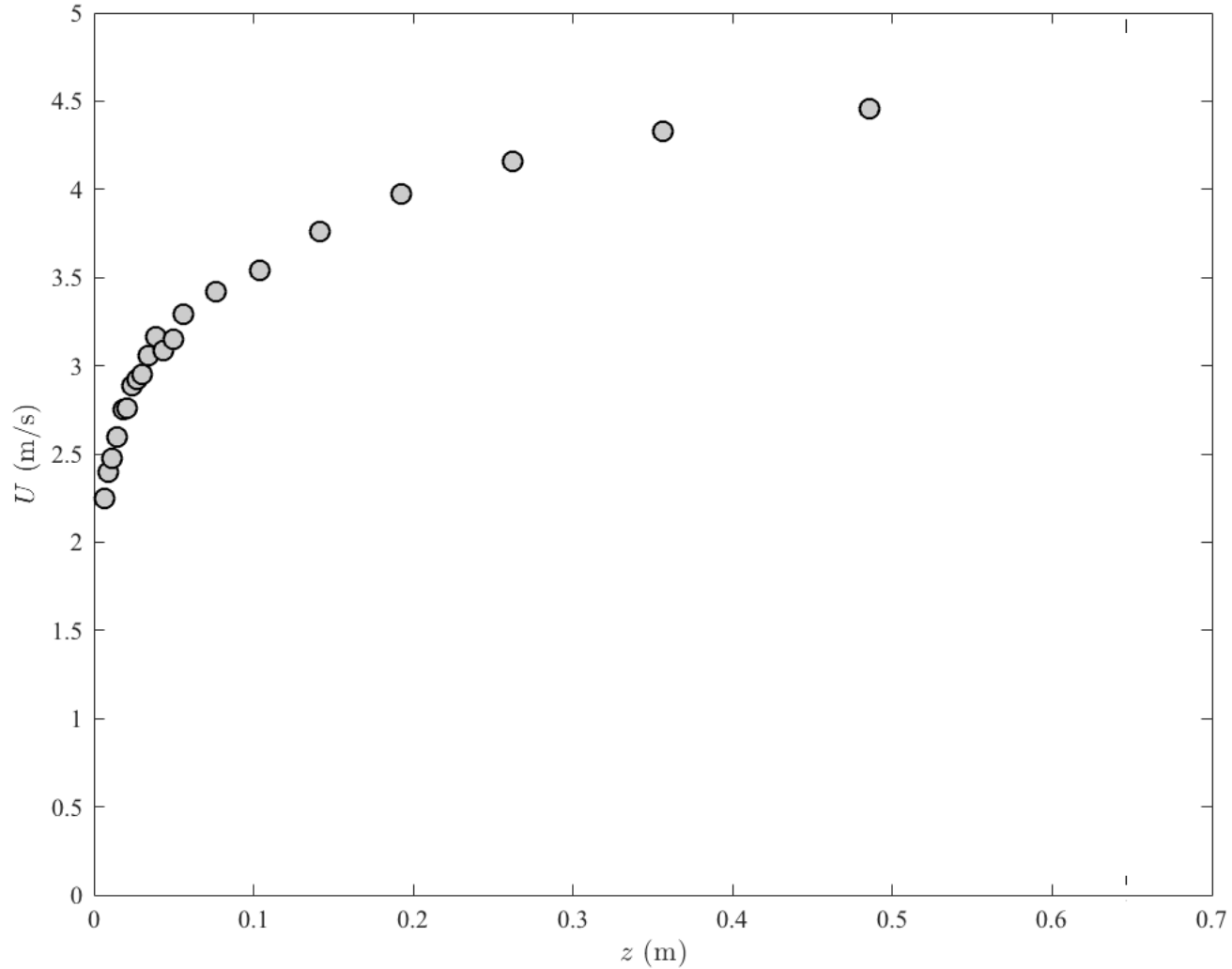


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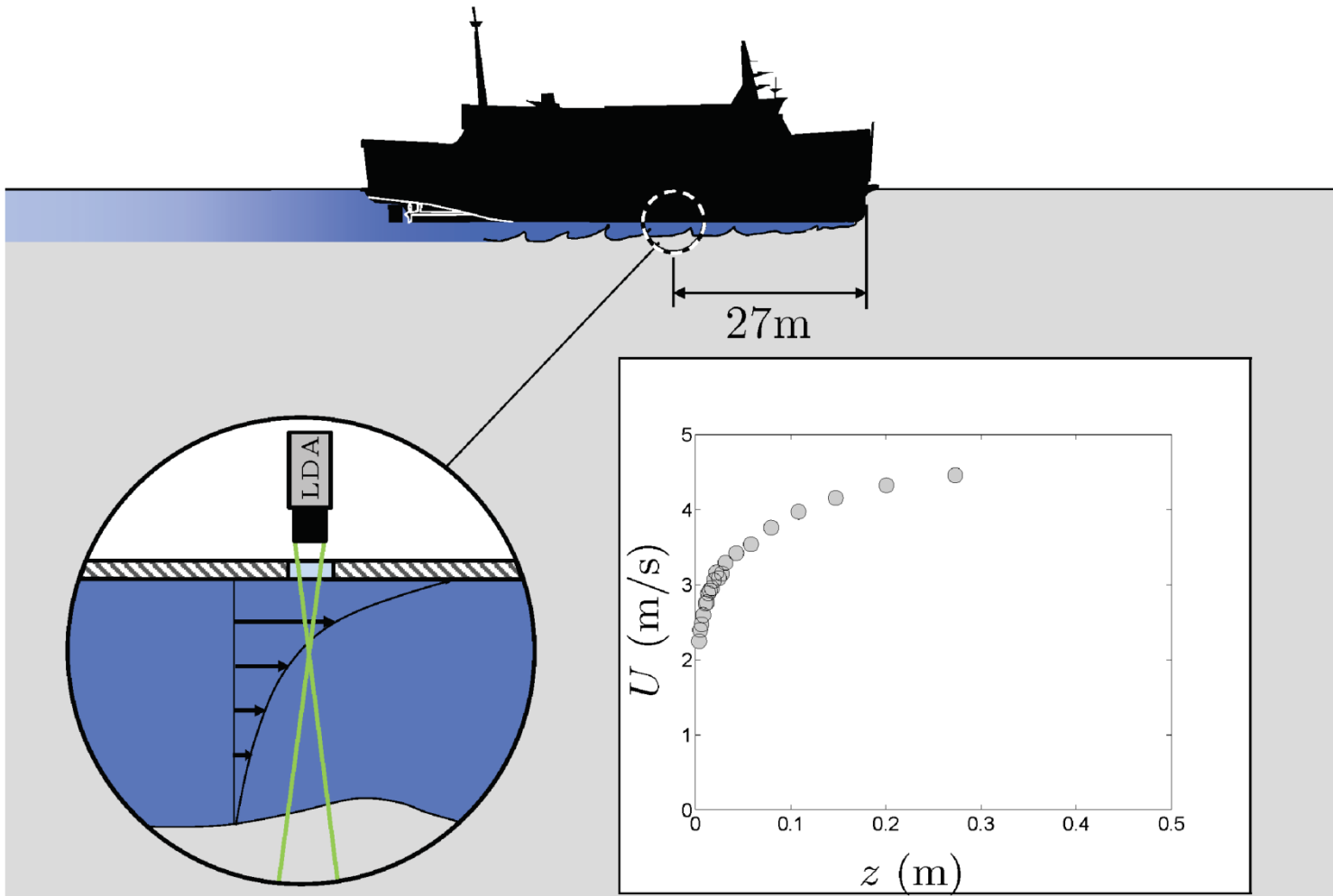
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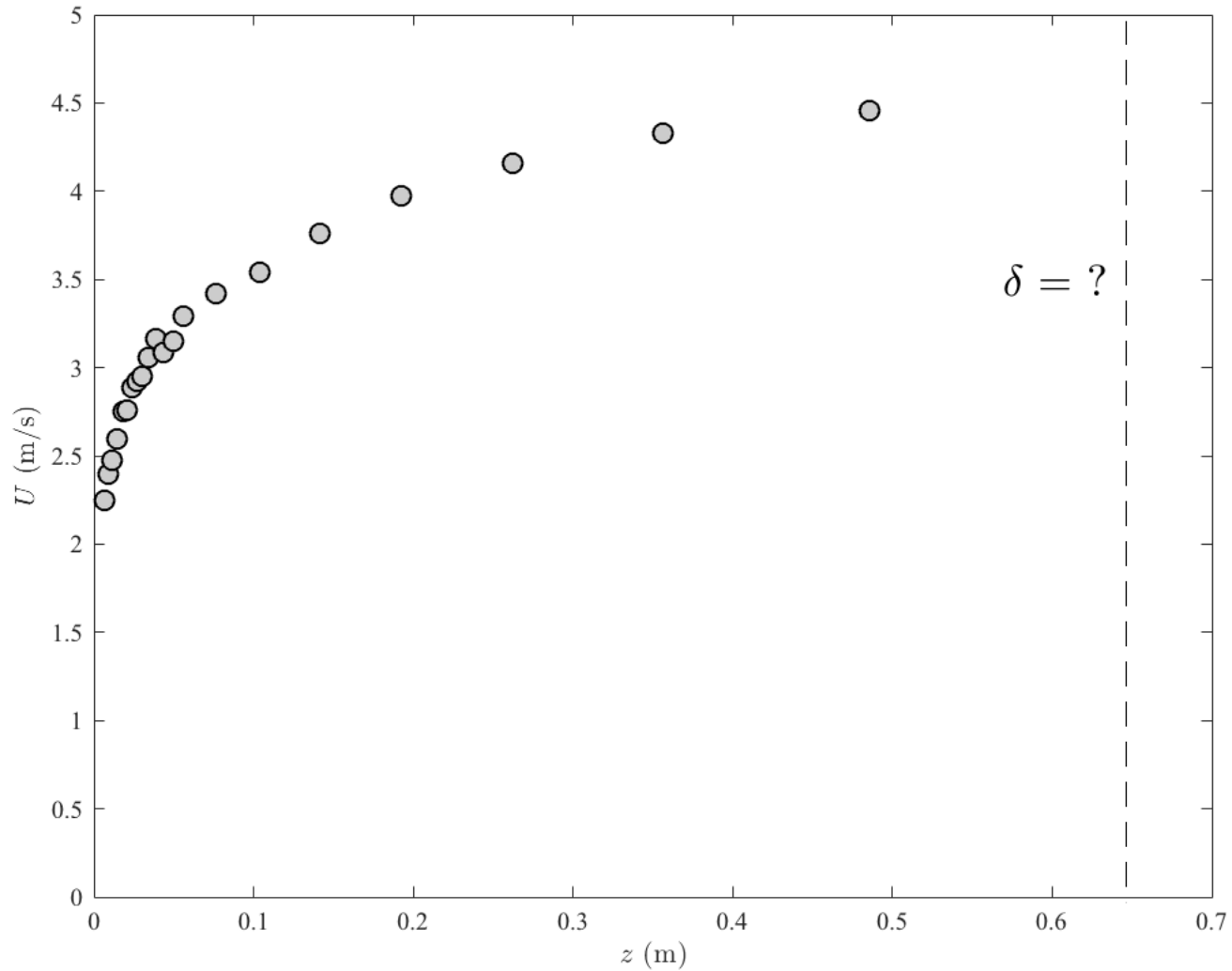


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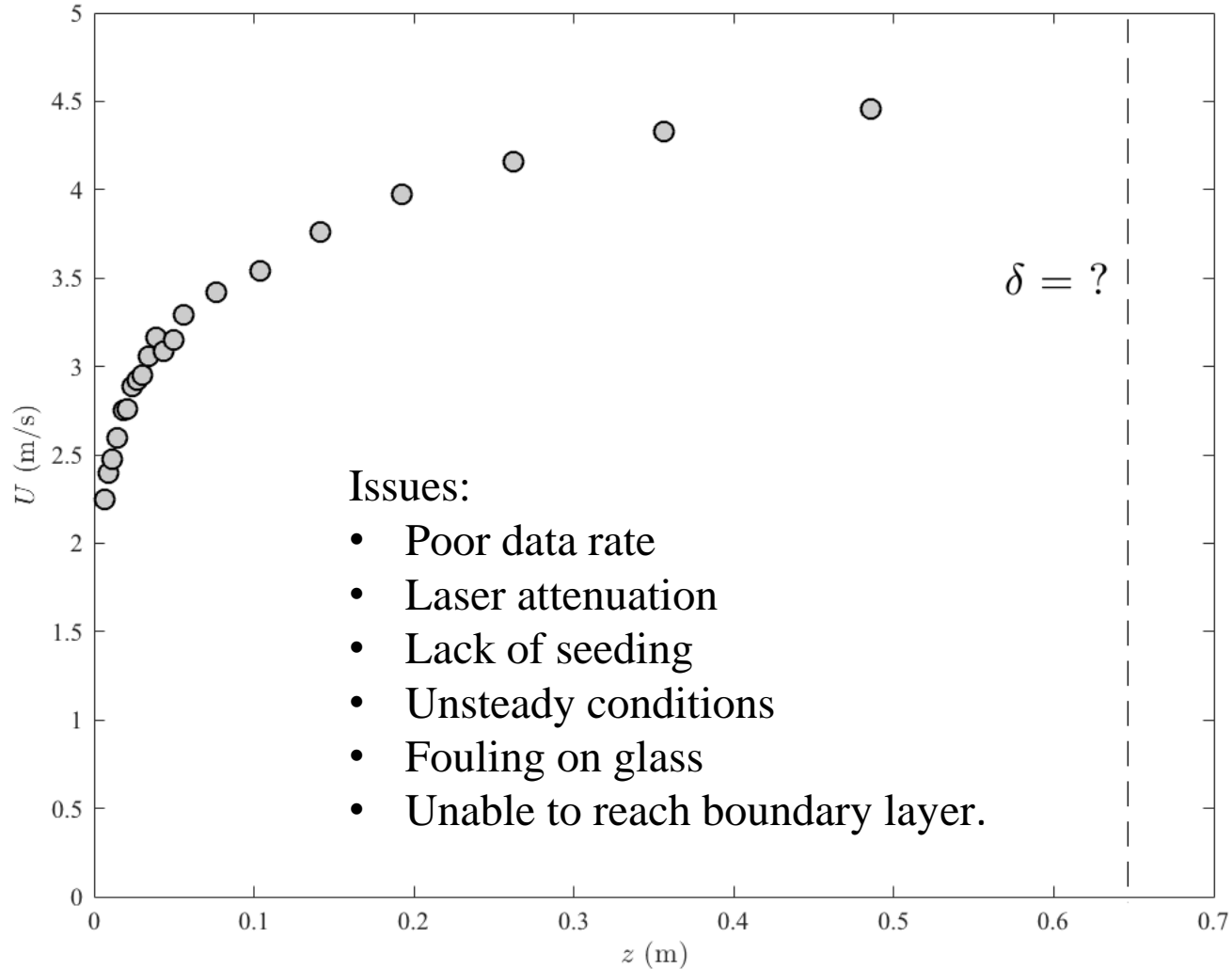
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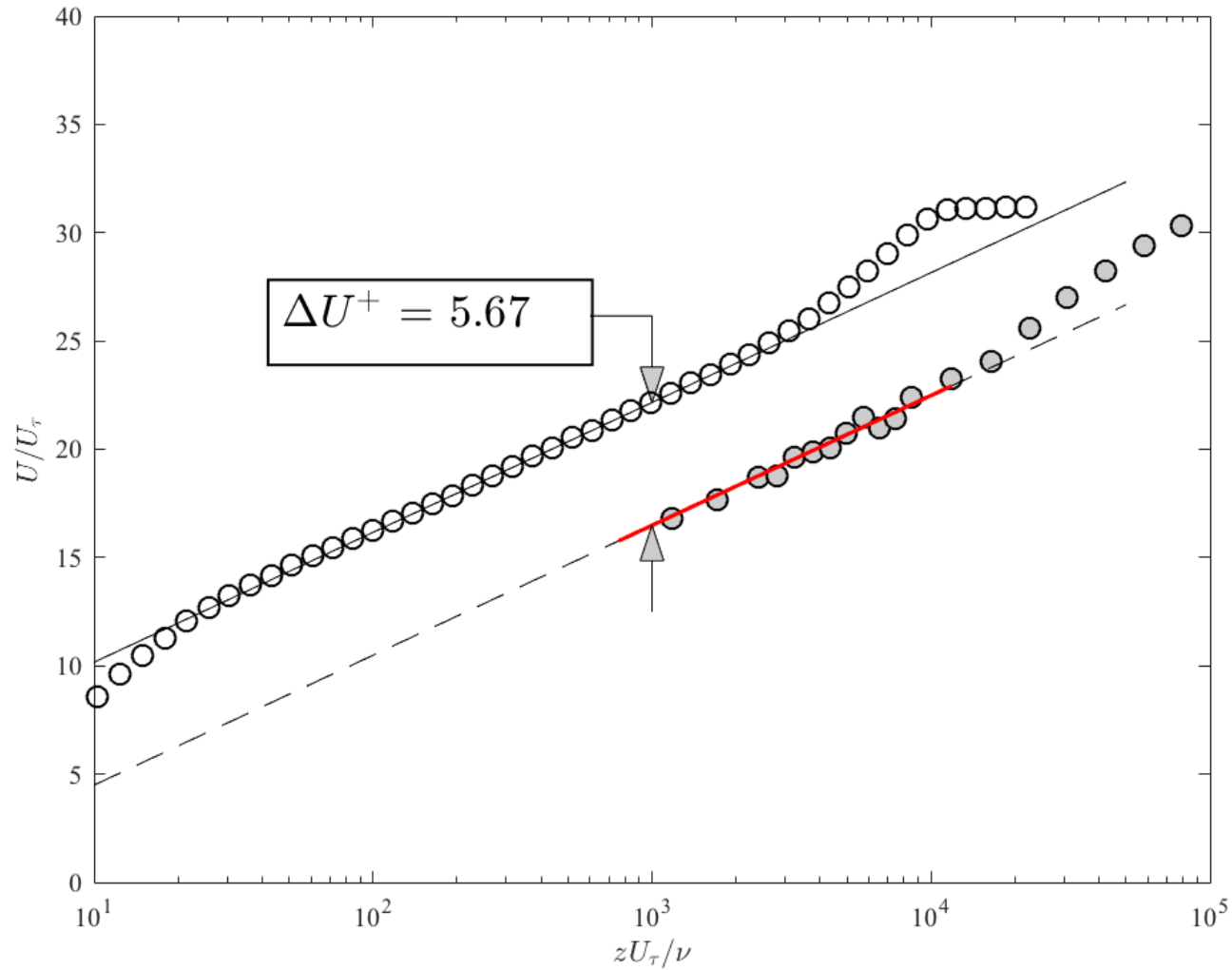
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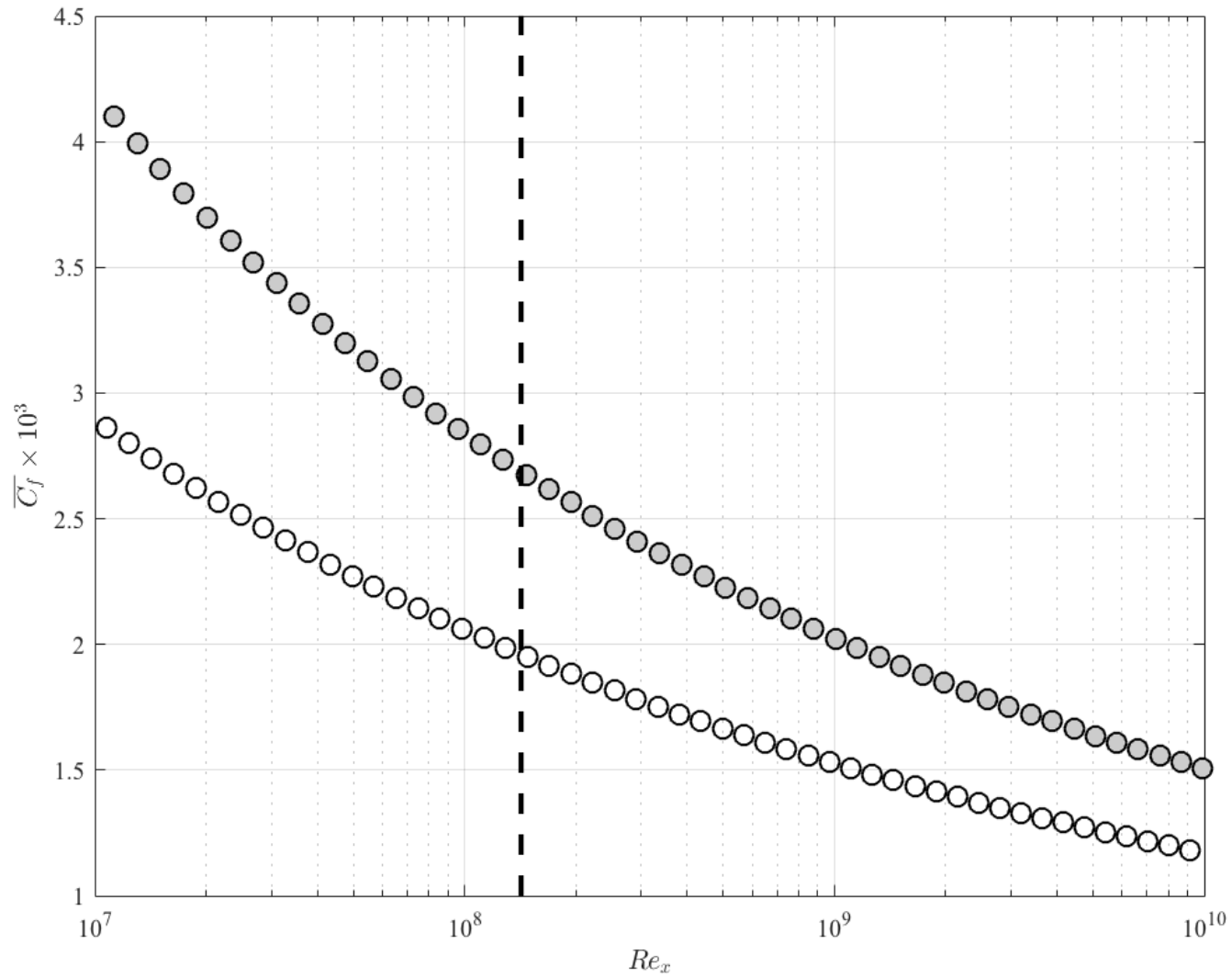


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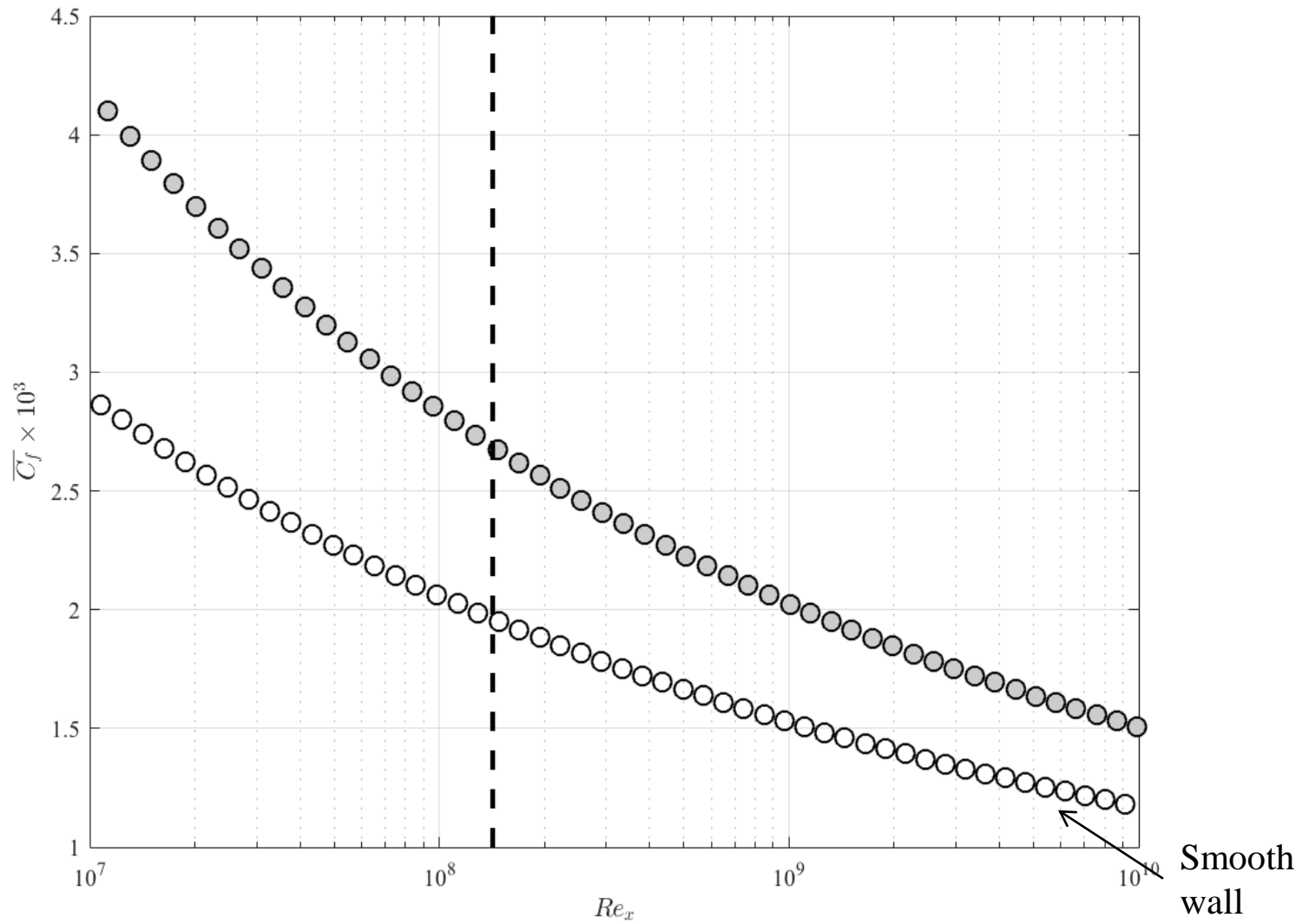
Mean velocity profile, normalised



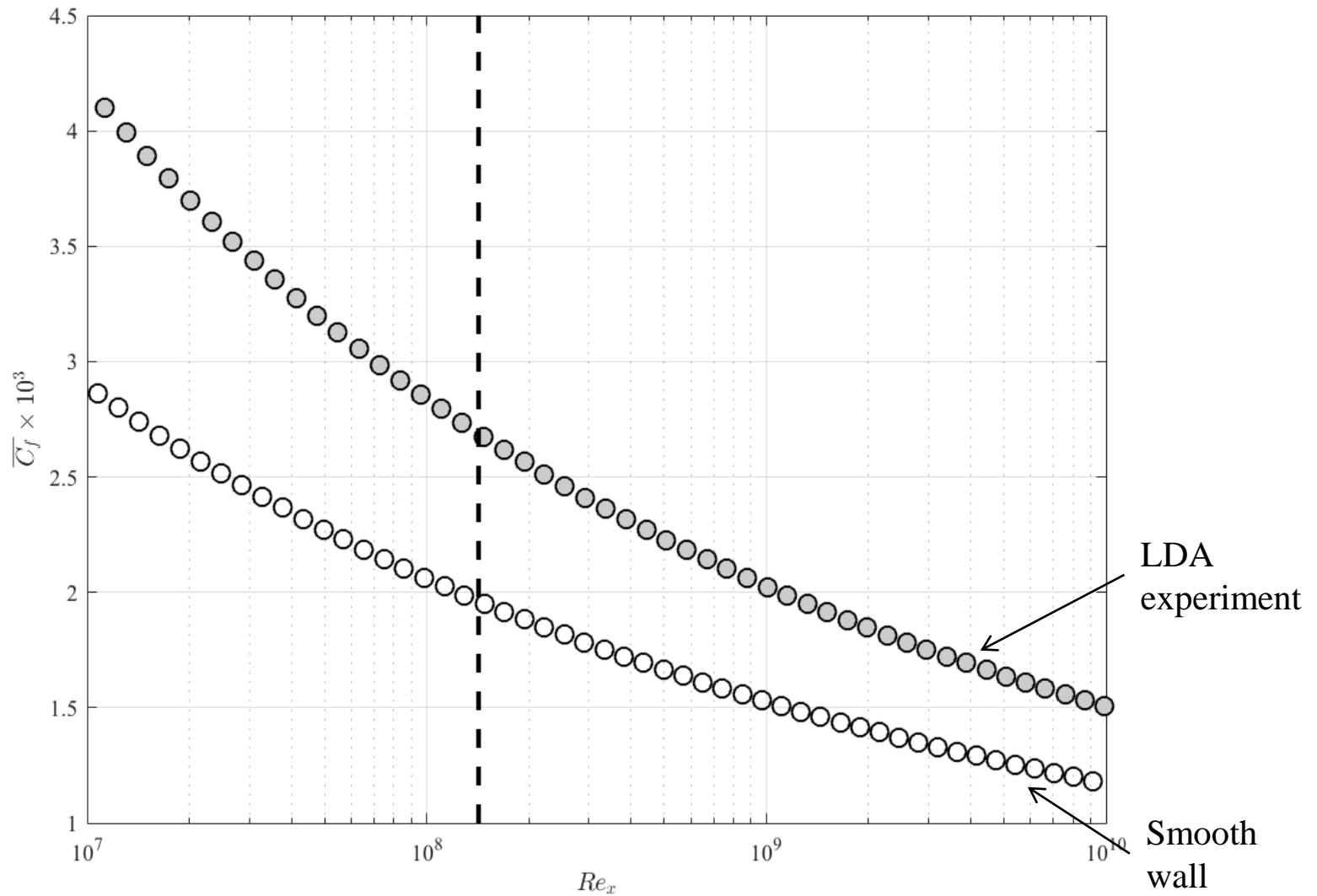
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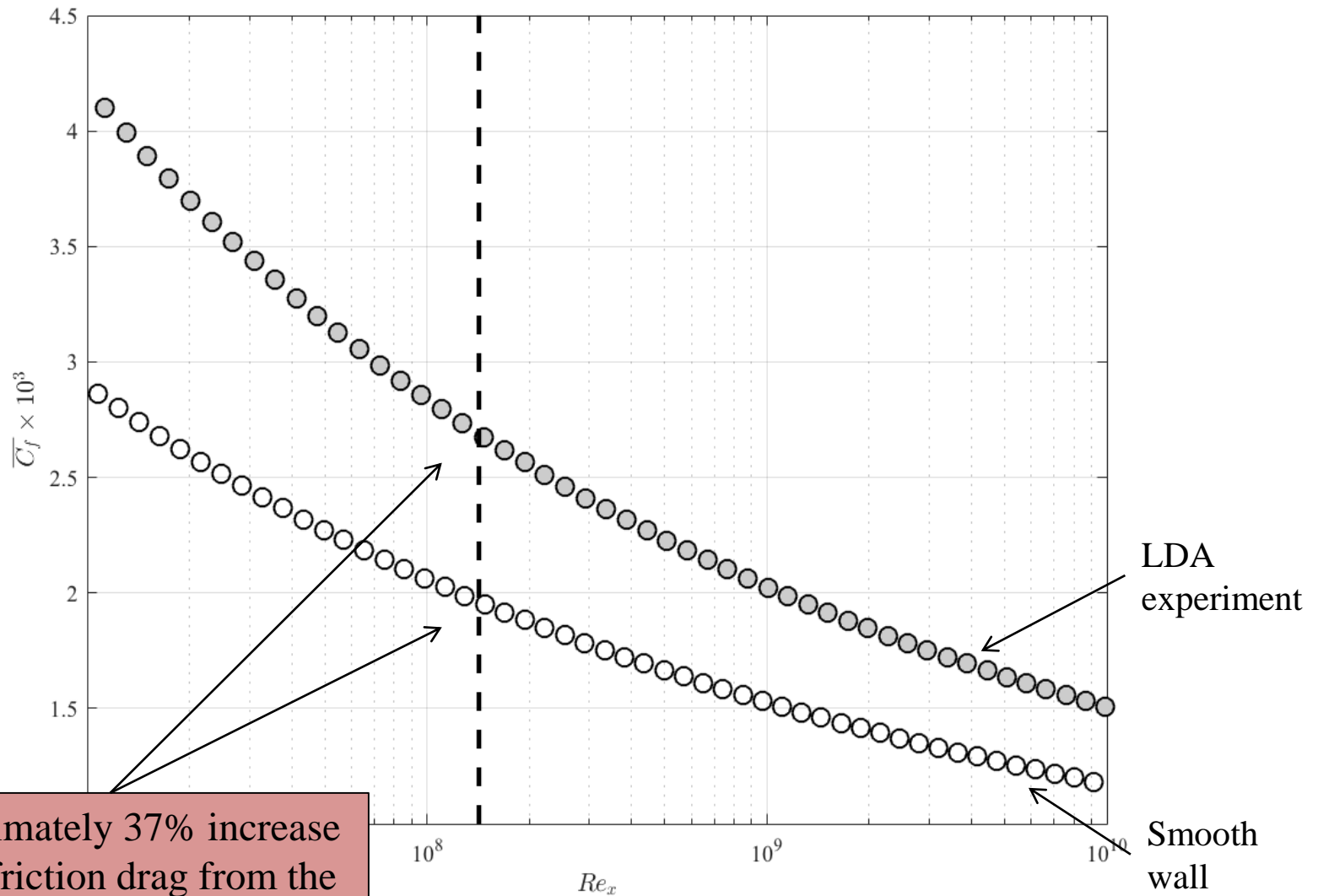
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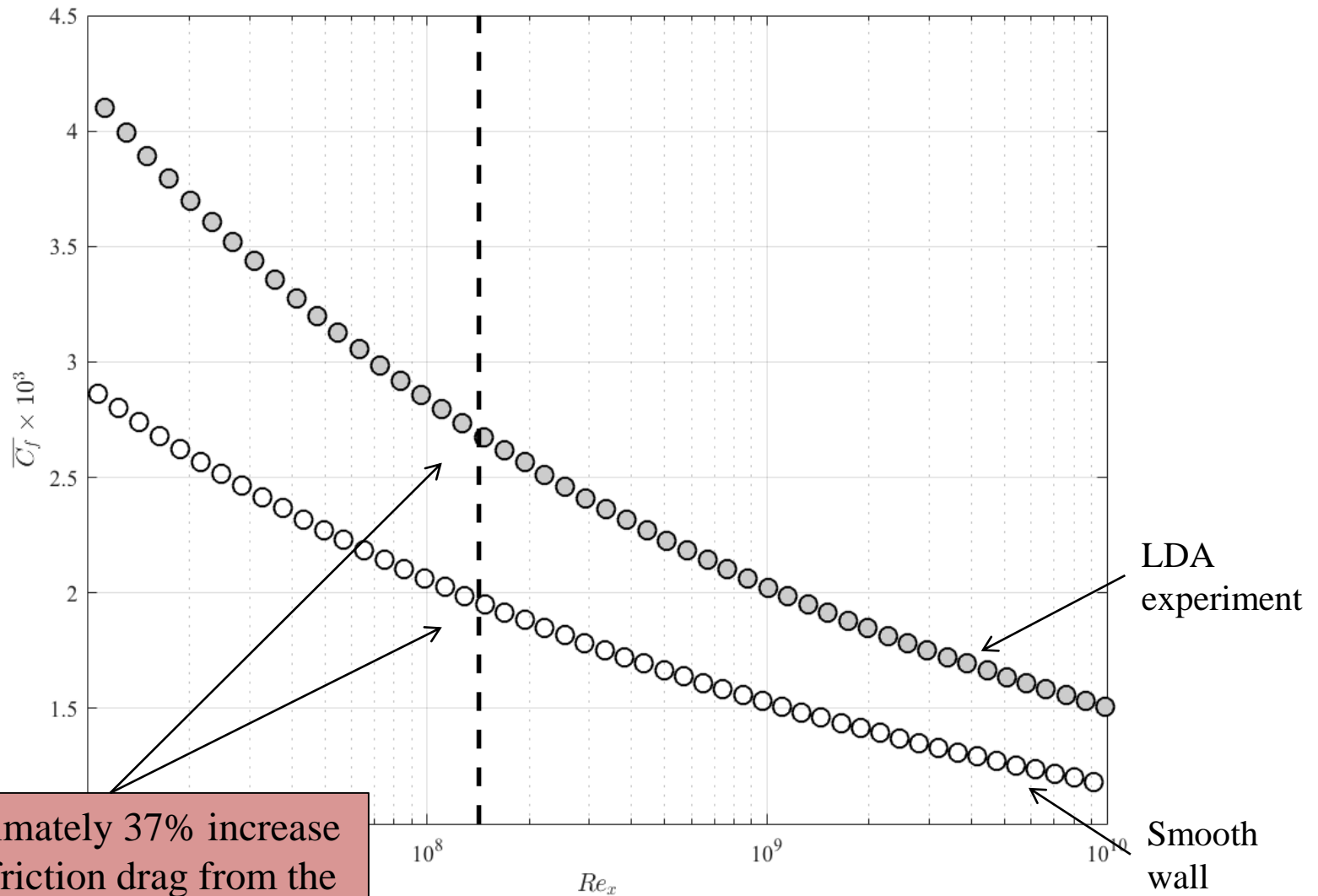
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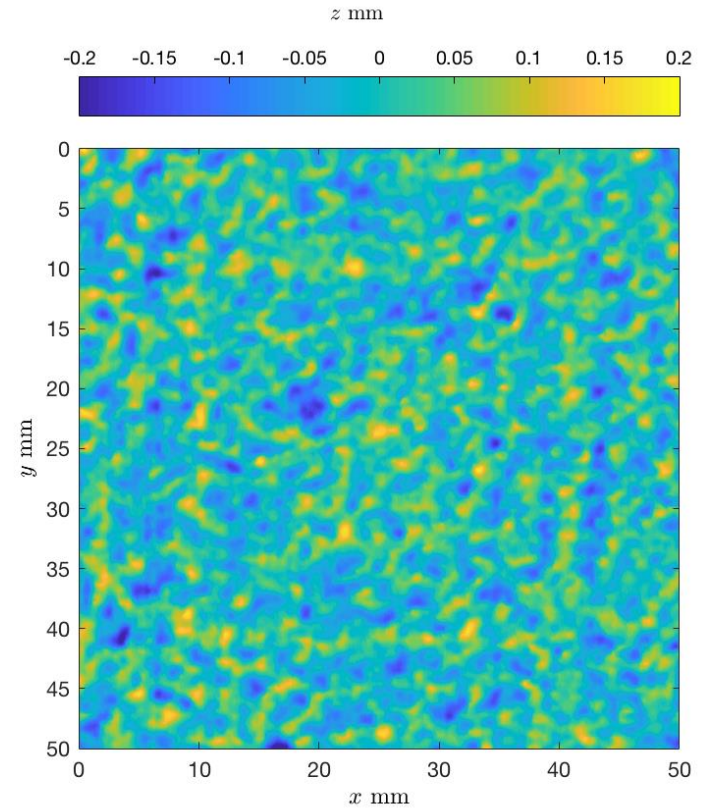


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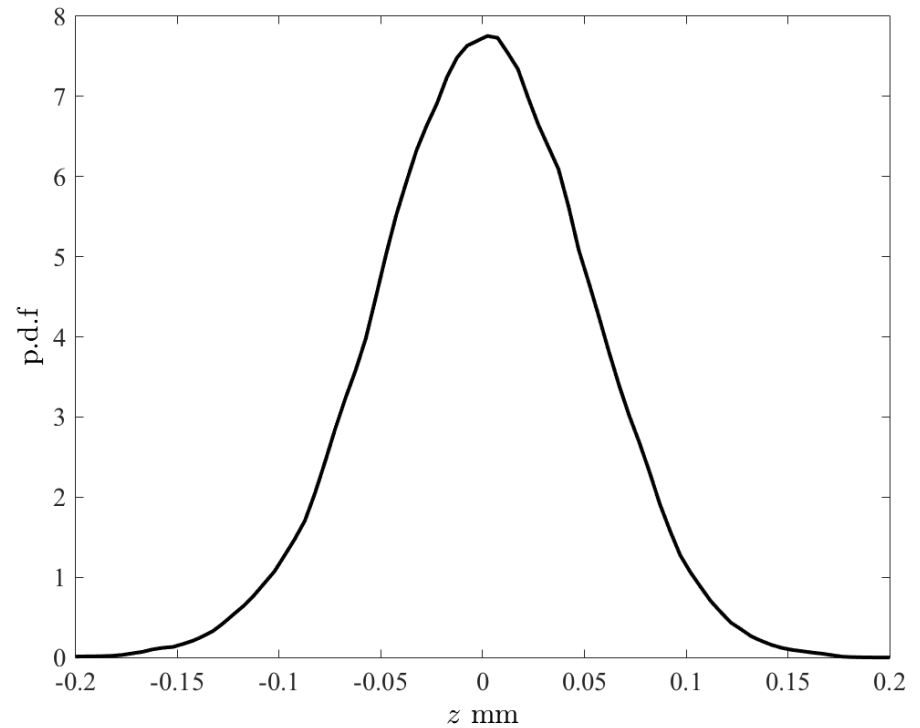
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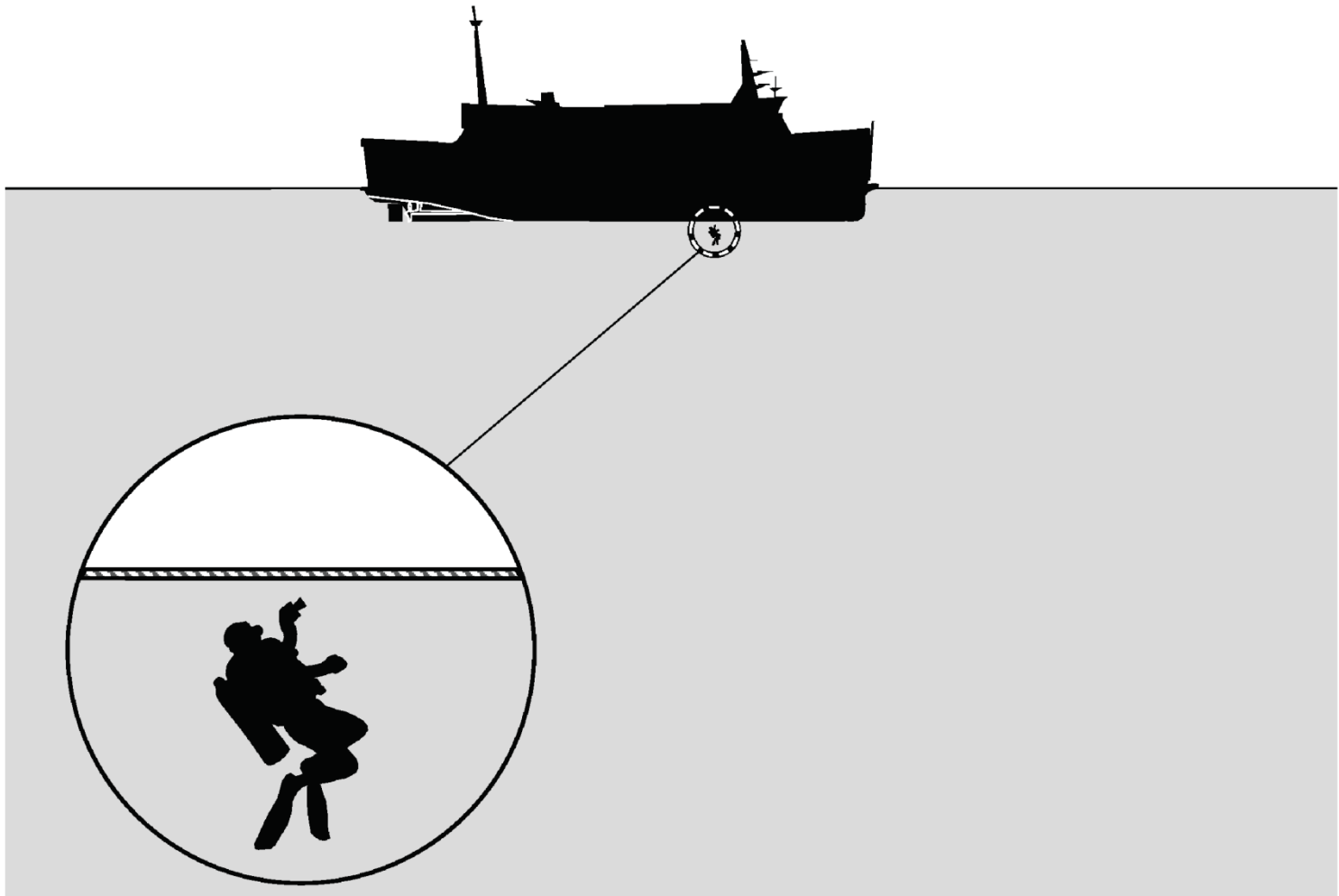
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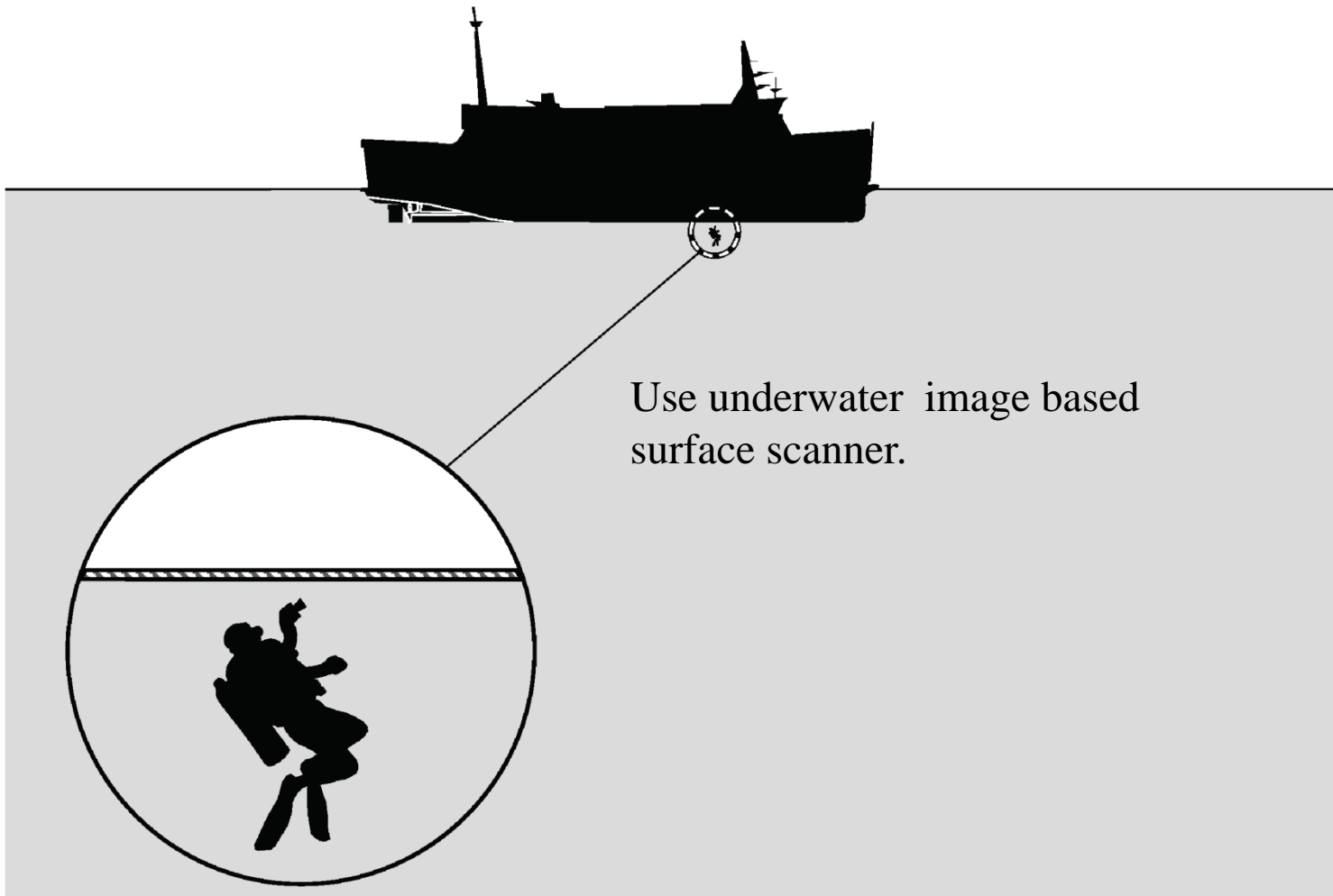
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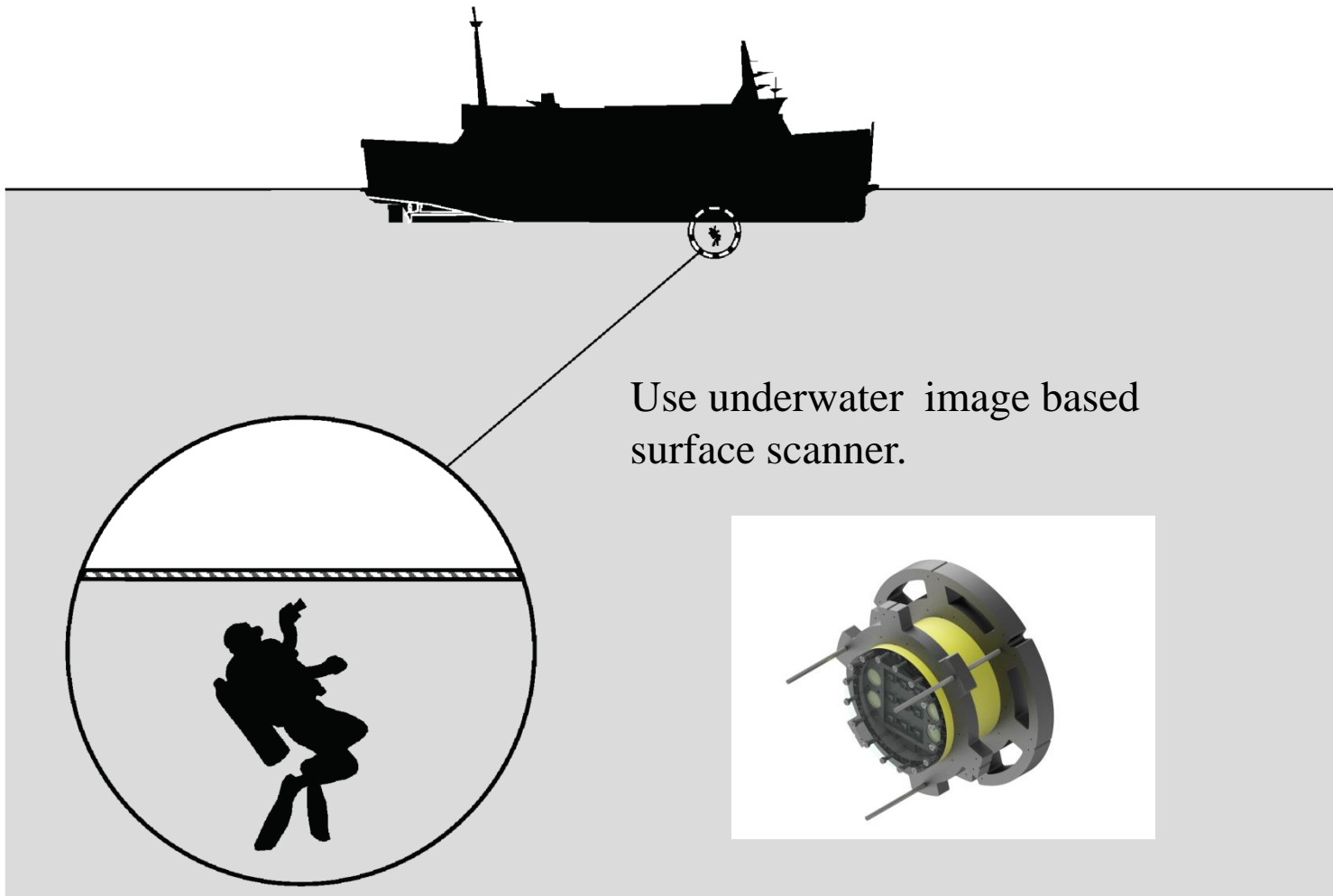
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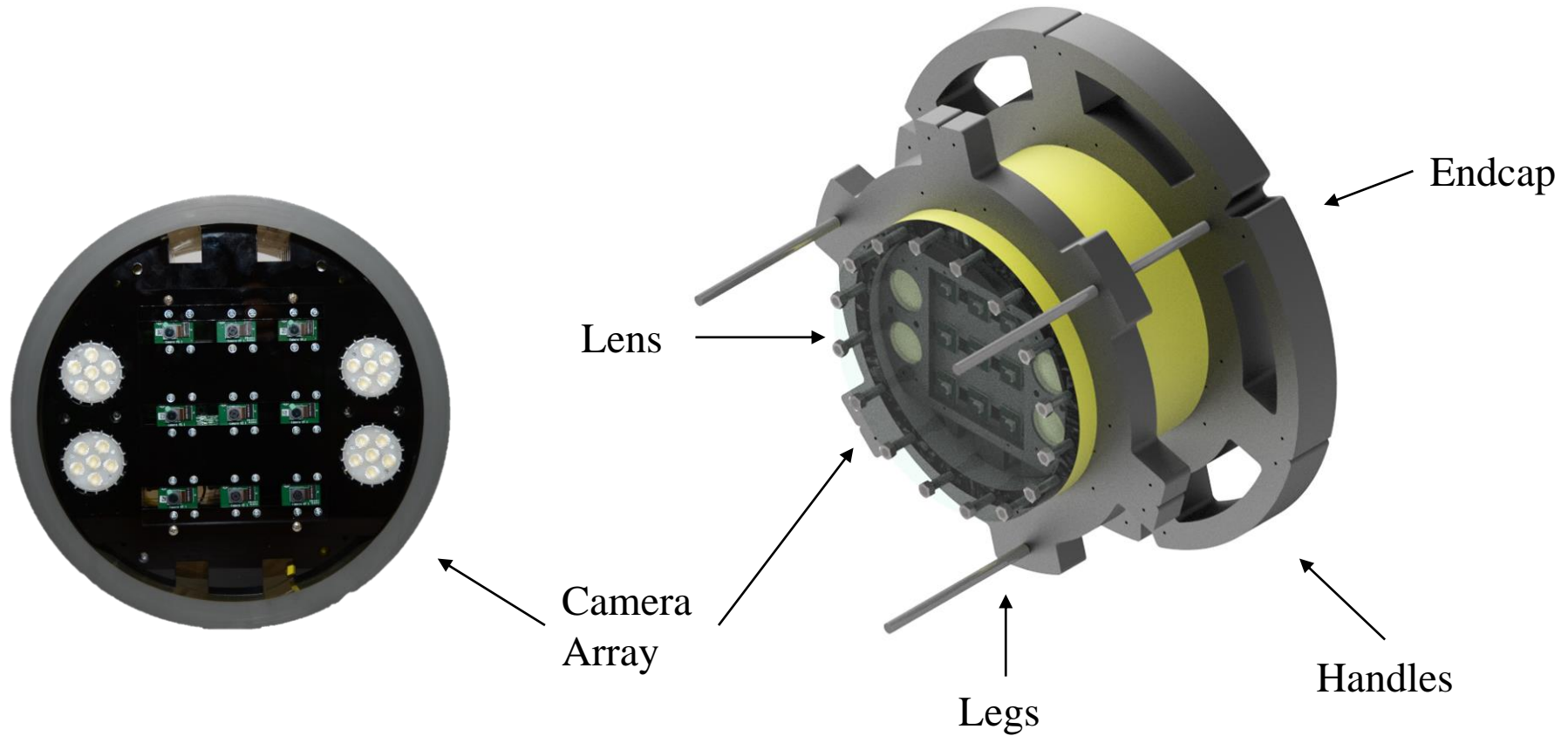
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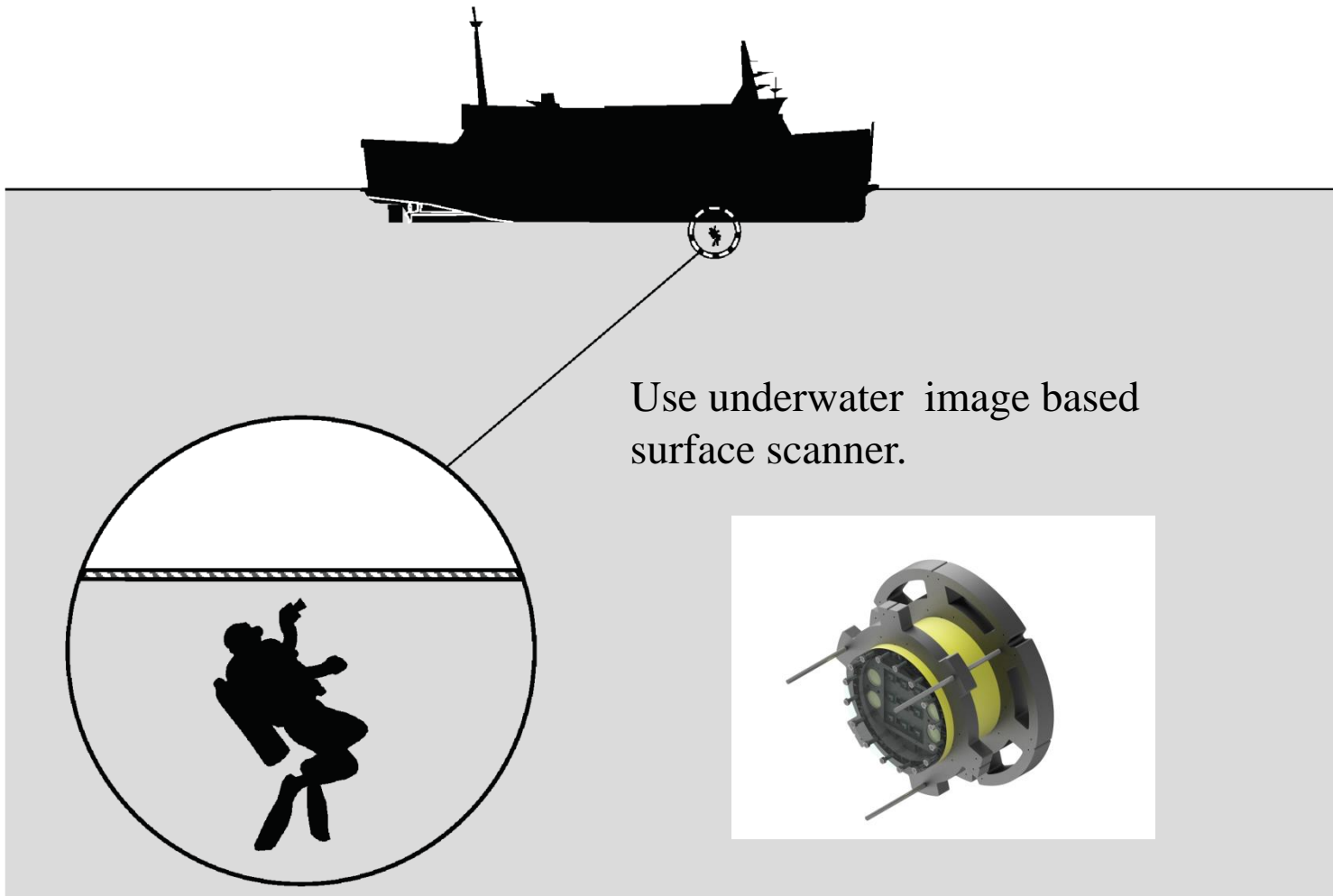
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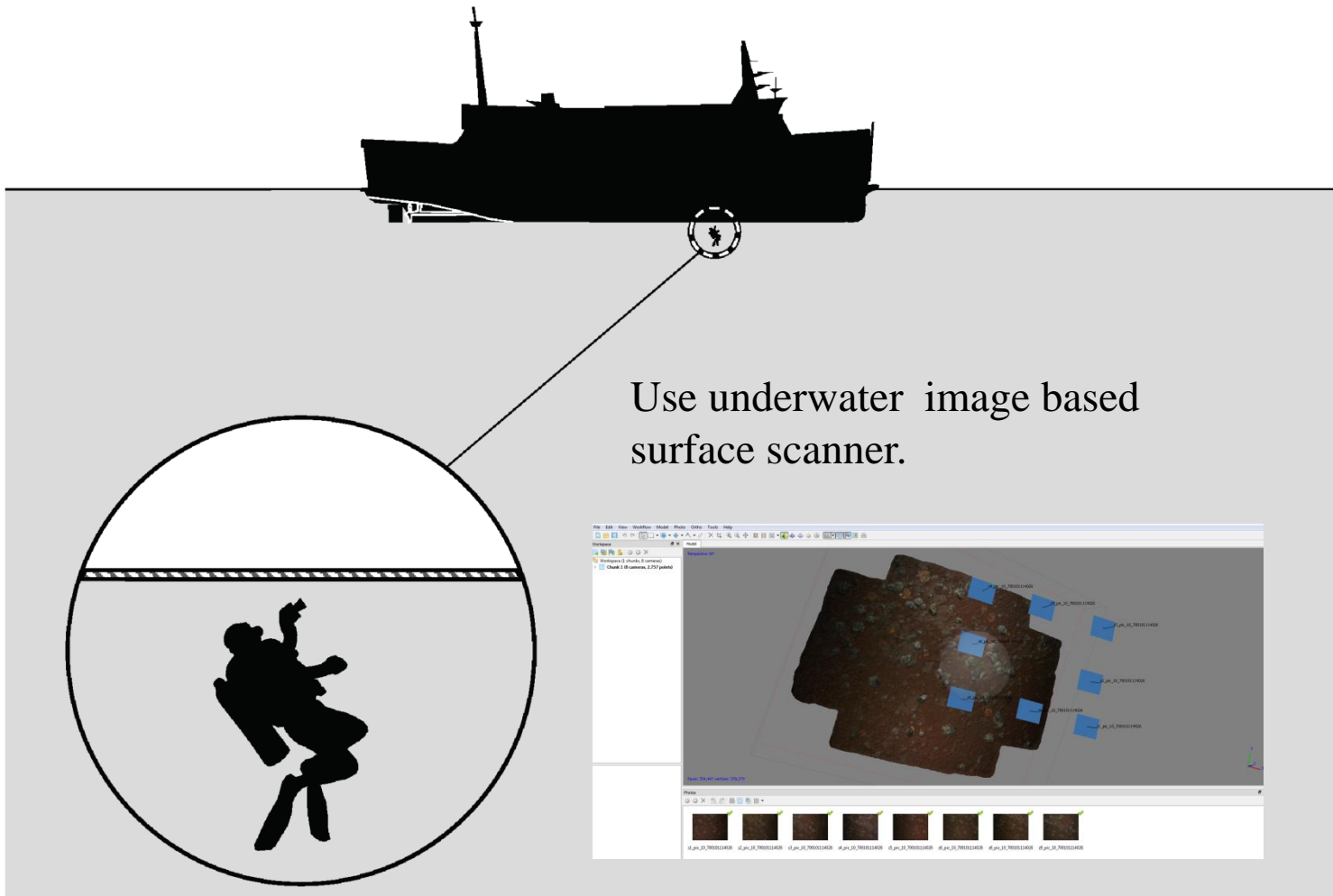


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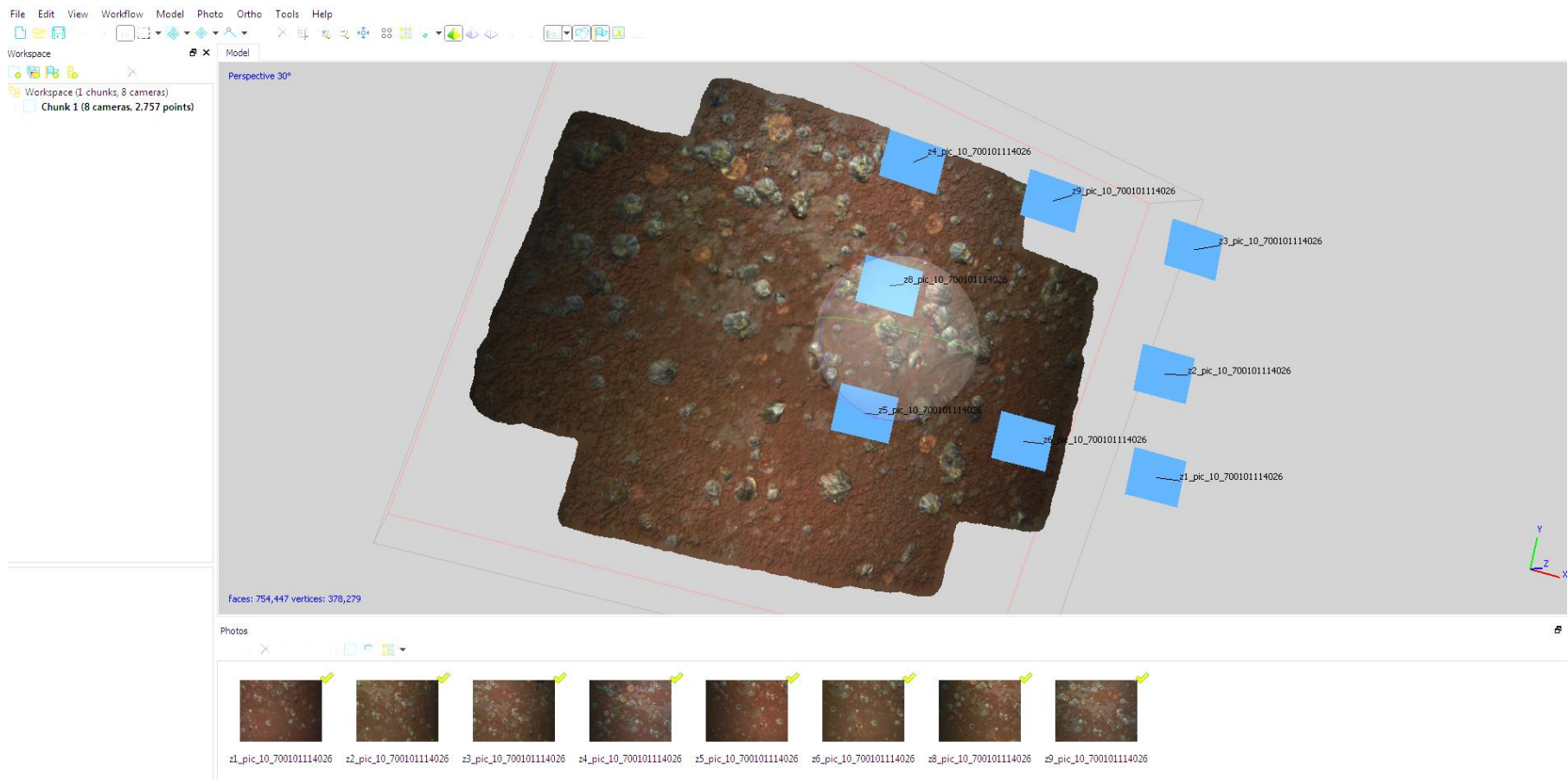


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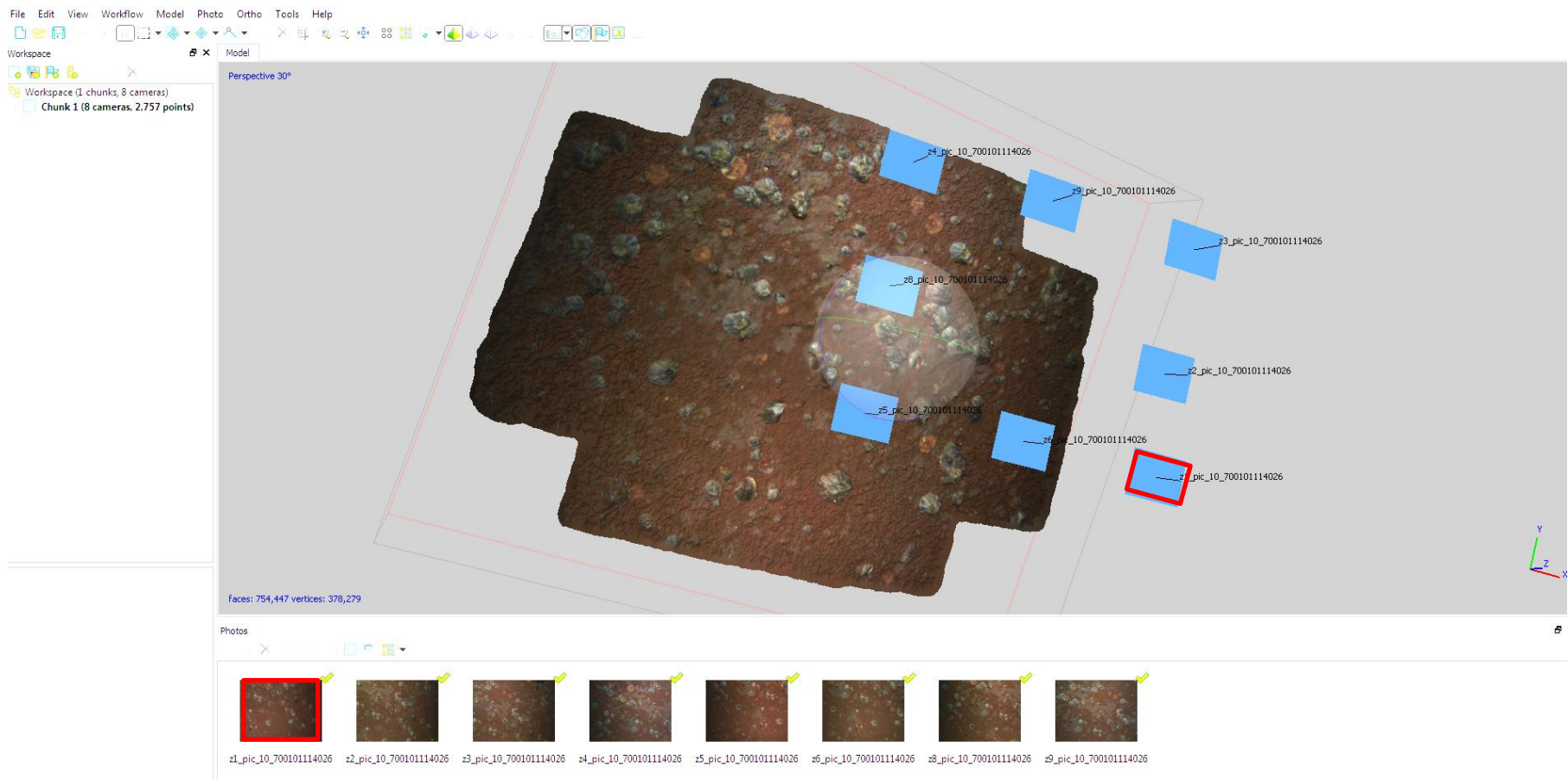
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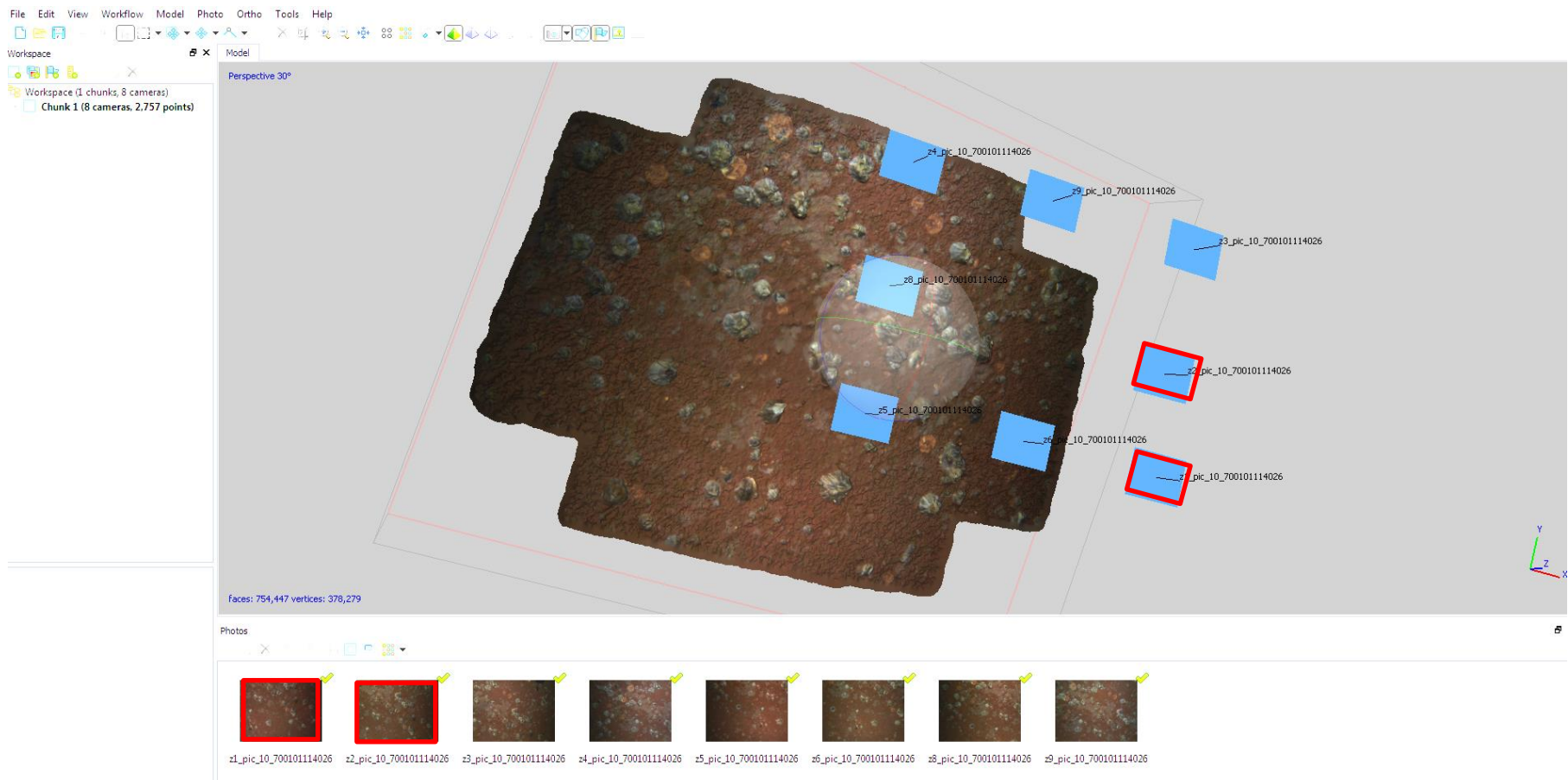
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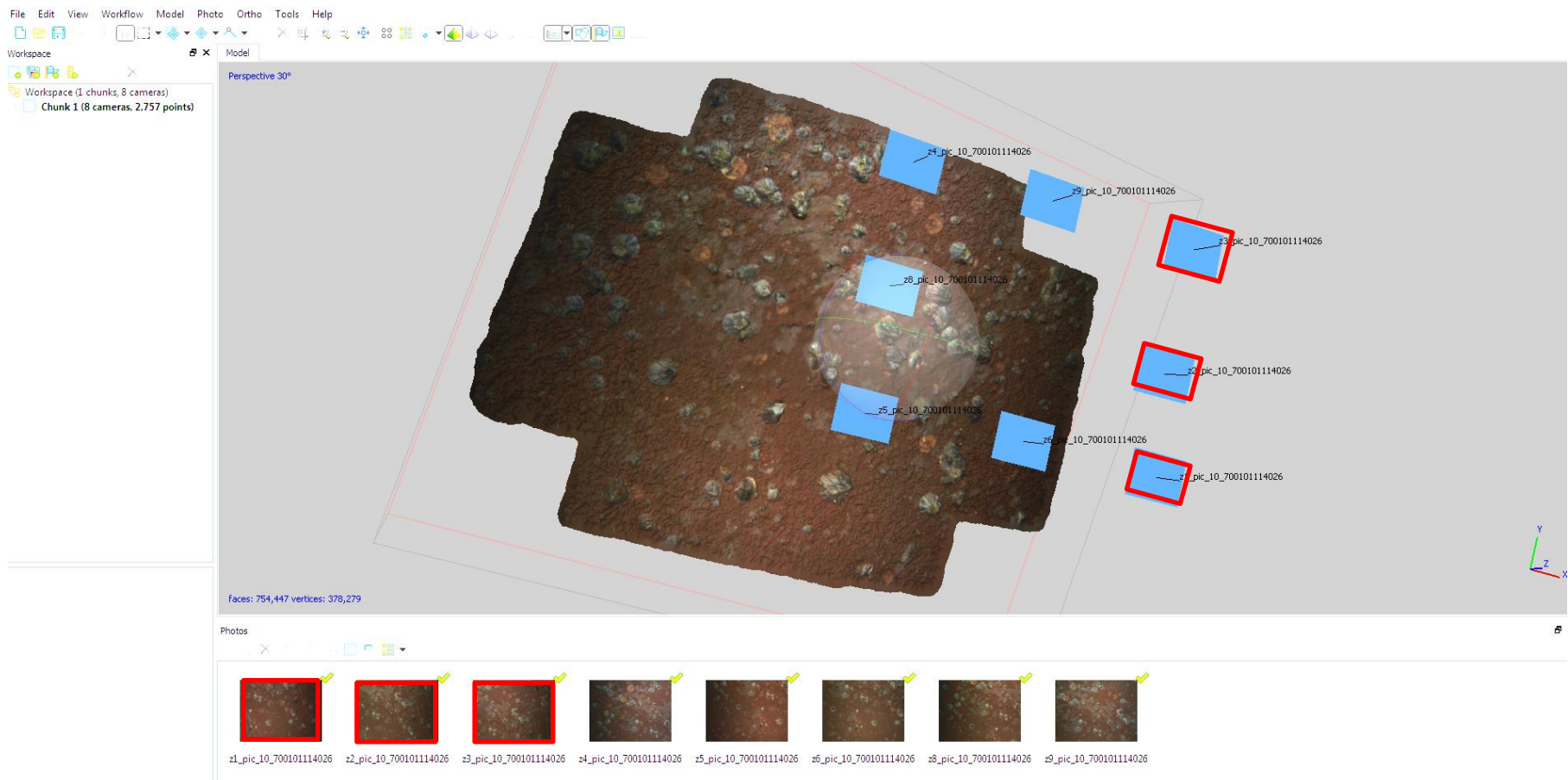
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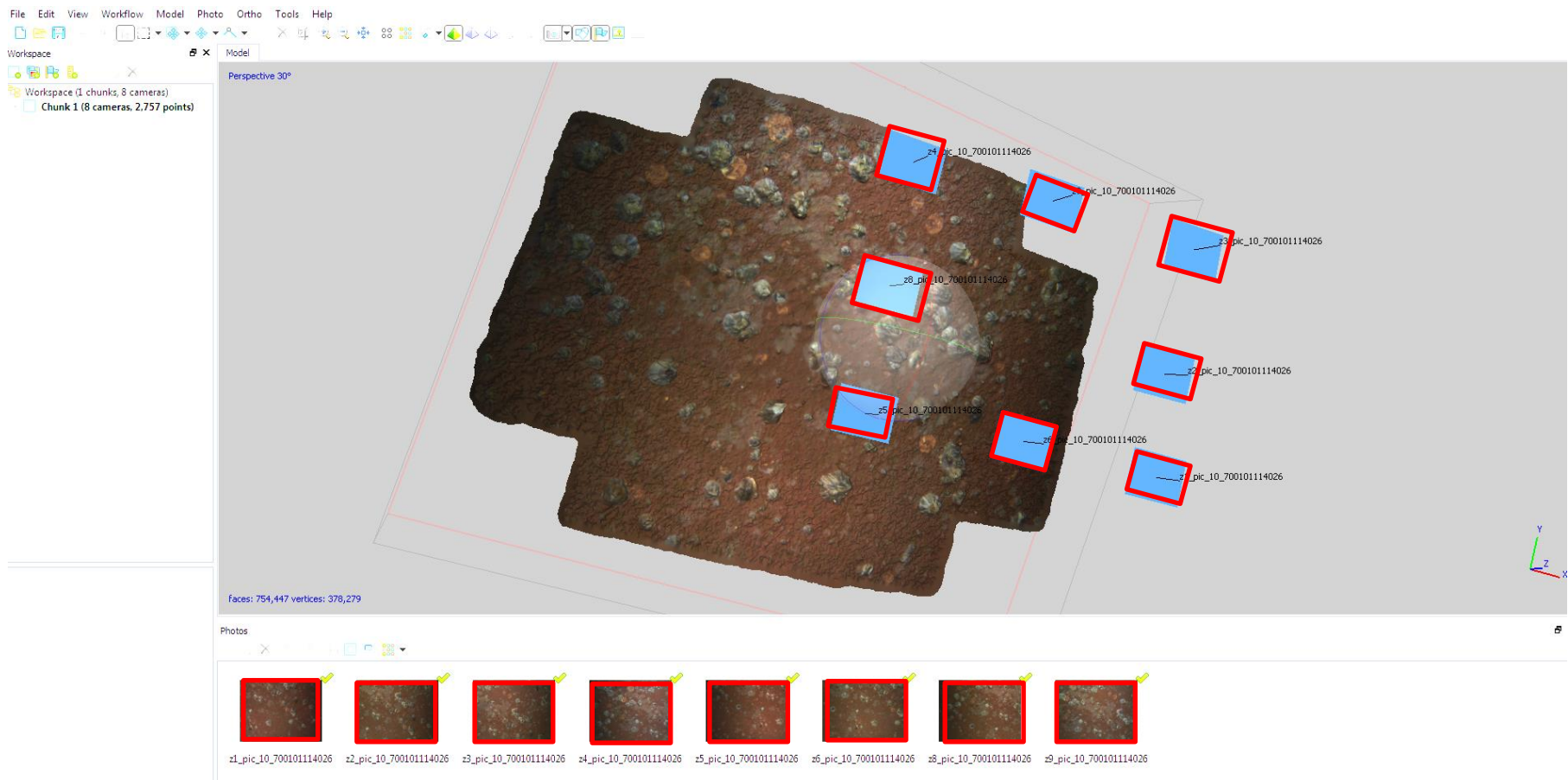
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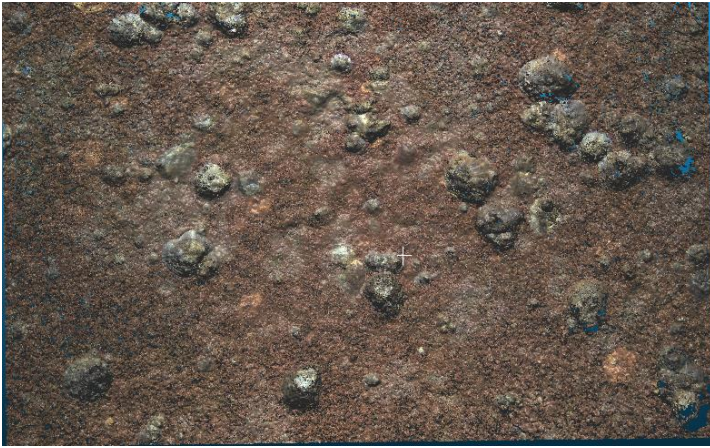
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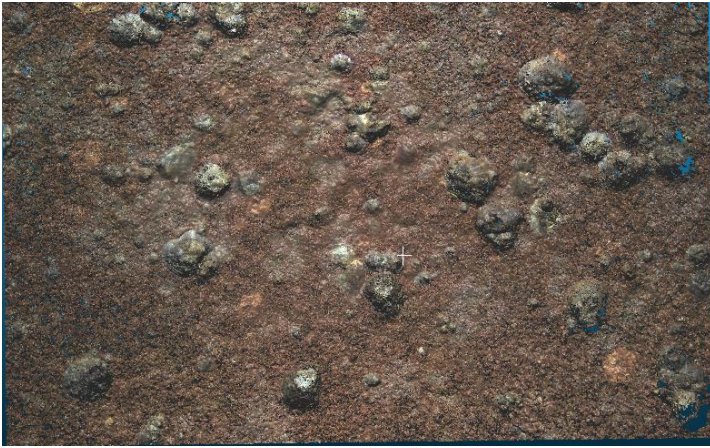
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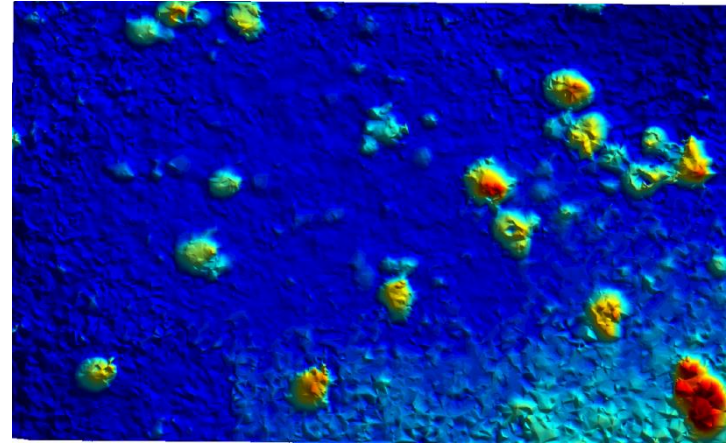


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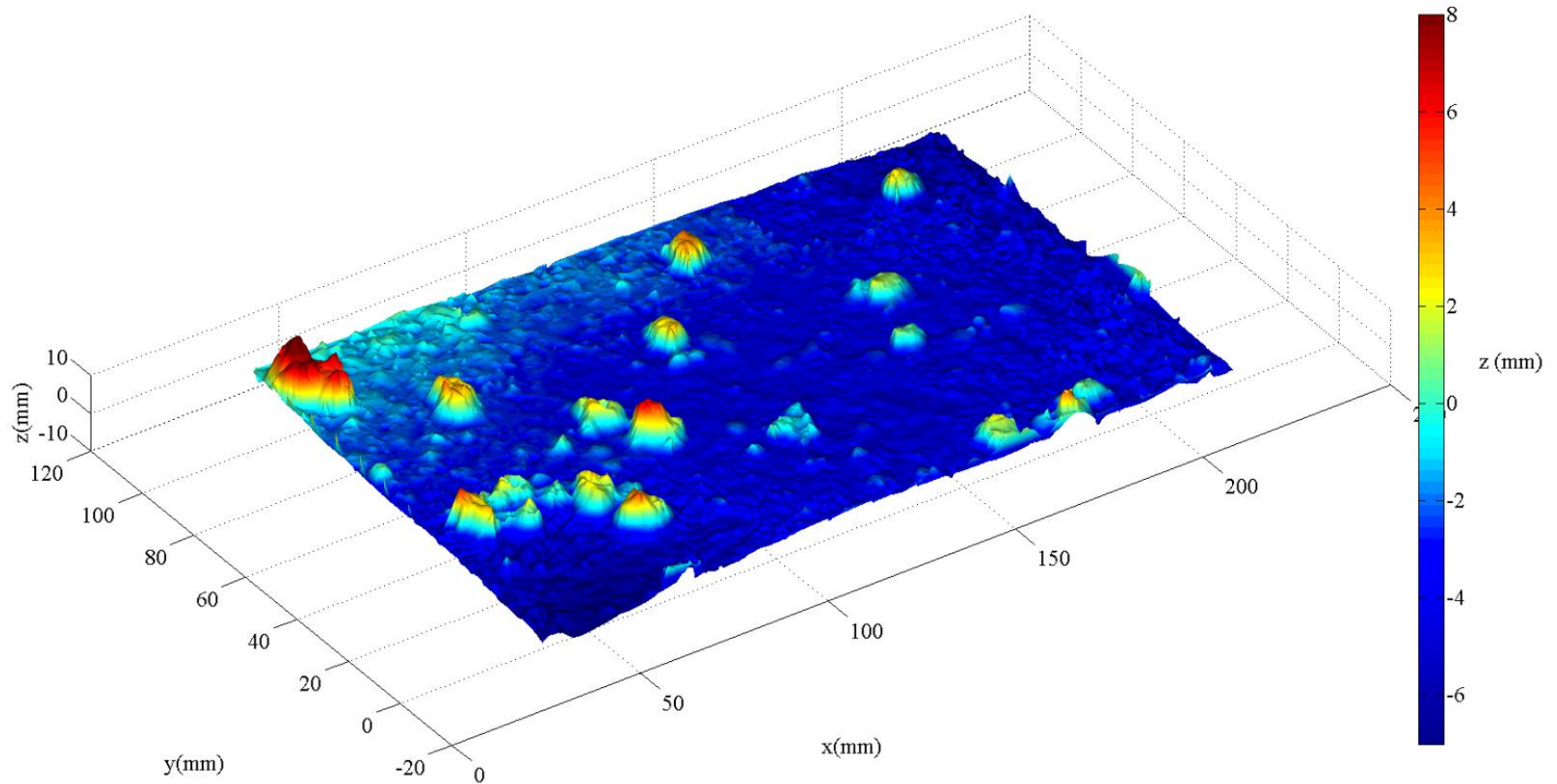


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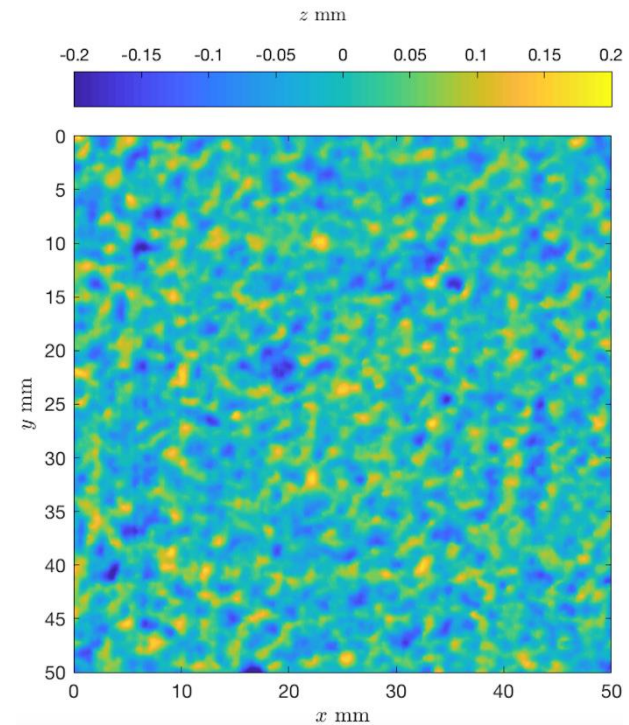
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