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### Foam

### Gas (nitrogen) + Liquid (water & glycerol) + Surfactant (soap)





















Soft materials: Hybrids, solid/liquid

Weird solid: Elasticity of Foams

Weird liquid: Rheology of Foams



A M Kraynik Annu. Rev. Fluid Mech. 20 325 (1988) H M Princen J. Colloid Interface Sci. 91 160 (1983) H M Princen and A D Kiss J. Colloid Interface Sci. 112 427 (1986) Makse et al



Unjamming at  $\phi = \pi/(2 \text{ sqrt } 3) \approx 0.91$ Z=6 Elasticity Independent of Wetness Compression ~ Shear: K~G~k (2D)

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Unjamming at  $\phi \approx 0.84$ 

Z from 4 to 6

**Elasticity Depends on Wetness** 

Compression ≠ Shear

F Bolton and D Weaire, Phys. Rev. Lett. 65 3449 (1990)





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## Flow and Disorder: Experiments



Gijs Katgert, Matthias Möbius & MvH, PRL 101 058301 (2008); PRE 79 066318 (2009)

### Foams and Disordered Media

# Solid/liquid

### Weird solid

### Weird liquid



## Simple Model for Disordered Jammed Matter



Disordered Packings Purely Repulsive Purely Mechanical (T=0)

CS O'Hern et al, PRE 2003

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What are mechanical properties as function of P?

#### CS O'Hern et al, PRE 2003

### Scaling near Jamming: Contact Number



# Contact Number in 2D Foams



\$\$\overline{4}\$: Density\$\$z\$: Contact number

G Katgert and MvH, EPL 92 34002 (2010)

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## Scaling near Jamming: Pressure



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## Scaling near Jamming: Bulk Modulus



# Scaling near Jamming: Shear Modulus



### Scaling near Jamming: Shear Modulus



# Scaling near Jamming: Shear Modulus

Affine



# Floppy Networks



# **Elasticity Random Networks**



Compression Jammed Packings is Special!

#### Ellenbroek et al, EPL 87 34004 (2009)

### Local Probe: Relative Displacements



 $P(\alpha)$ ,  $P(u_{//})$ ,  $P(u_{perp})$ 

### $P(\alpha)$ : Shear



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### P(u): Shear





#### Ellenbroek et al, PRL 97 258001 (2006) / PRE 80 061307 (2009)

## Jamming

### Simple model: solid/vacuum

Marginal point: weird

Scaling away from marginal point: G ~ k sqrt(d $\phi$ )

Non-affinity:



Tomorrow: Flow near Jamming

MvH, J Phys Cond Matt 22 033101 (2010)
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# Flow of Foams: the Jamming Perspective

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# Setup



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# Jamming and Rheology: Commonalities

Strong Fluctuations Govern Elasticity Near Jamming .....

..... So What Governs Anomalous Rheology?

Anomalously Strong Fluctuations!









#### Anomalous Fluctuations: Experiments



M Moebius, G. Katgert, MvH EPL 90 44003 (2010)

# Connect Jamming, Fluctuations & Rheology

BP Tighe et al, PRL 105 088303 (2010)

#### **Microscopic Model**



#### No inertia, force balance at all times

Doug Durian 1995 (Bubble Model), Olsson & Teitel, Langlois, Tighe, .....

#### Rheology: Viscous vs Elastic Stresses



#### Rheology: Elastic Stresses



#### **Microscopic Model**



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Power in = Power out





Ono IK, Tewari S, Langer SA, Liu AJ, PRE 67 061503 (2003)



 $<\Lambda v^2>$  $\sim$ 



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 $\Delta \mathbf{v} / \dot{\gamma} \sim \dot{\gamma}^{-1/4}$ 



$$\sigma \dot{\gamma} \sim \langle \Delta v^2 \rangle \qquad \overleftarrow{p}_{10^2} \qquad 10^1 \qquad 10^0 \qquad 10^0 \qquad 10^0 \qquad 10^{-1} \qquad \Delta v / \dot{\gamma} \sim \dot{\gamma} \cdot 1 / 4 \qquad 10^{-2} \qquad 10^$$

$$\frac{10^{2}}{10^{2}} + \frac{10^{2}}{10^{4}} + \frac{10^{2}}{10^{5}} + \frac{10^{2}}{10^{6}} + \frac{1$$

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 $\sigma \dot{\gamma} \sim < \Delta v^2 >$ 



#### BP Tighe et al, PRL 105 088303 (2010)

Energy: 
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Test 2: Solve for Rheology

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Stress:  $\sigma = \begin{bmatrix} |\gamma_{eff}| \end{bmatrix} \gamma_{eff}$ 

$$\begin{array}{l} \Delta \phi \ \text{very small} \\ \sigma \sim \gamma_{\text{eff}}^{2} \sim (\dot{\gamma} / \Delta \mathbf{v})^{2} \sim \dot{\gamma}^{2} / \sigma \dot{\gamma} \sim \dot{\gamma} / \sigma \\ \sigma \sim \dot{\gamma}^{1/2} \end{array}$$

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$$\Delta \phi >>> \dot{\gamma}$$
  
$$\sigma \sim (\Delta \phi)^{3/2}$$







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#### Other Systems: Critical Regime

Disorder: Local drag exponent  $\rightarrow$  Global drag exponent

OK	1	0.5
OK	α=2/3	$2\alpha/(\alpha+3)=4/11 \approx 0.36$
OK	0	0

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, but for 
$$\beta = 0.36 \pm 0.05$$
, this s  
nimized. We find that for  $\alpha = 0$
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Elastic Interactions also Matter Nipa (Gollub, Durian, PRL 2010) We: 1/2, 2, 4 Data:











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### Foams from a Jamming Perspective

