

#### MANU 419 Experimental Setup

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New droplet generator system







New magnetic door switch for safety precaution







- New water pump filter for droplet system
- Activated Carbon
  5 Micron Filter





New Shadowgraphy box able to achieve 47 mbar





- Achieve pictures at different pressures
- Droplets at 49.2 ml/min at atmosphere pressure





## The Water Erosion Rig Imaging System Components

- Trigger
- Arduino Uno







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- High speed camera
- SCHOTT LLS lighting









## The Water Erosion Rig Imaging System Software

- Image Processing code for MatLab
- Debugging of Streampix



1. Vacuum Pump – Excess Water Intake

Liquid Traps / Separators







Can convert the Scavenger Tank into a liquid trap







Peltier Plates for in chamber vapor condensation







Vacuum Pump Isolation

- Spin III needs to be modified by BSI in order to allow the vacuum pump to run with "Chamber Isolation Valve" in CLOSED position.
- Vacuum pump should be run isolated for 30min prior to running experiments. This allows oil temperature to increase, and subsequently ingested water to be purged from oil.



Max Velocity Issues

- Speeds have been limited due to:
  - Chamber pressure
  - Low air pressure from school intake line
    - Indicated by problems opening scavenger tank valve.
    - Observations of gauges

Turbulence Issue:

Water jet deflects due to turbulence.





- Low speed coupons ran at 10 000 RPM with a flow rate of 49.2 ml/min
- First test ran at intervals of 20 min for a total of 1 hour
- The 2 samples did not erode evenly

Time	Sample 1 weight loss	Sample 2 weight loss
20 min	0.0234g	0.01g
40 min	0.0353g	0.0179g
60 min	0.058g	0.0352g



#### Sample 1



Sample 2



- Second Test produced similar results but much less erosion
- Speed 10 000 RPM at a flow rate of 24.6 ml/min

Time	Sample 1 weight loss	Sample 2 weight loss
20 min	0.0007g	0.0017g
40 min	0.001g	0.0036g
70 min	0.005g	0.0139g







# Thank you



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