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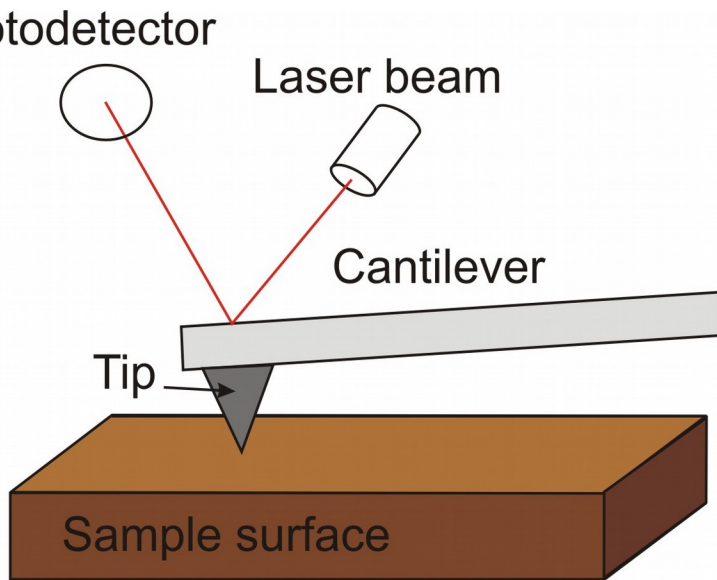
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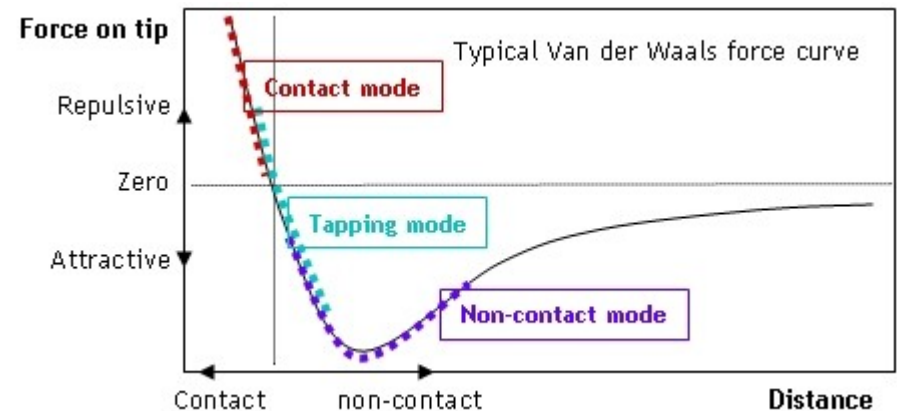
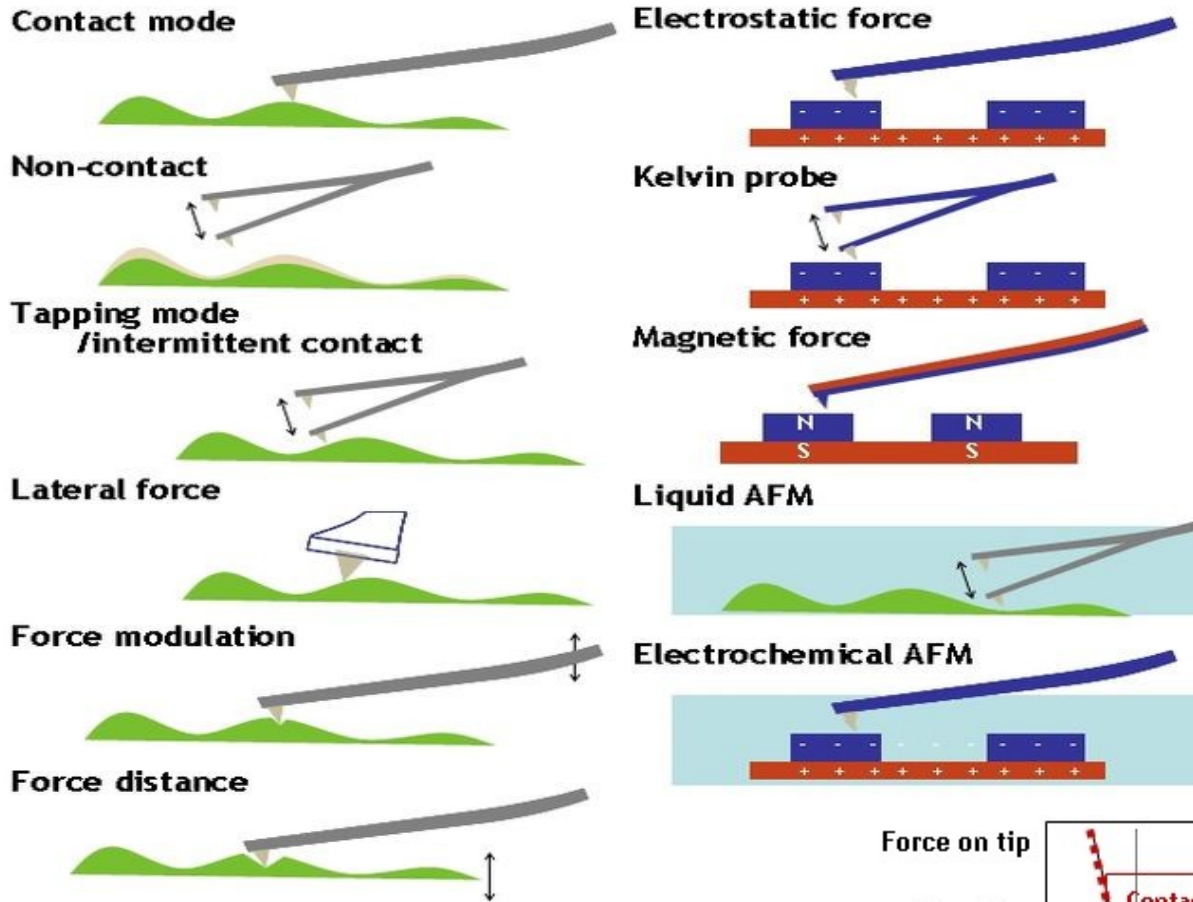
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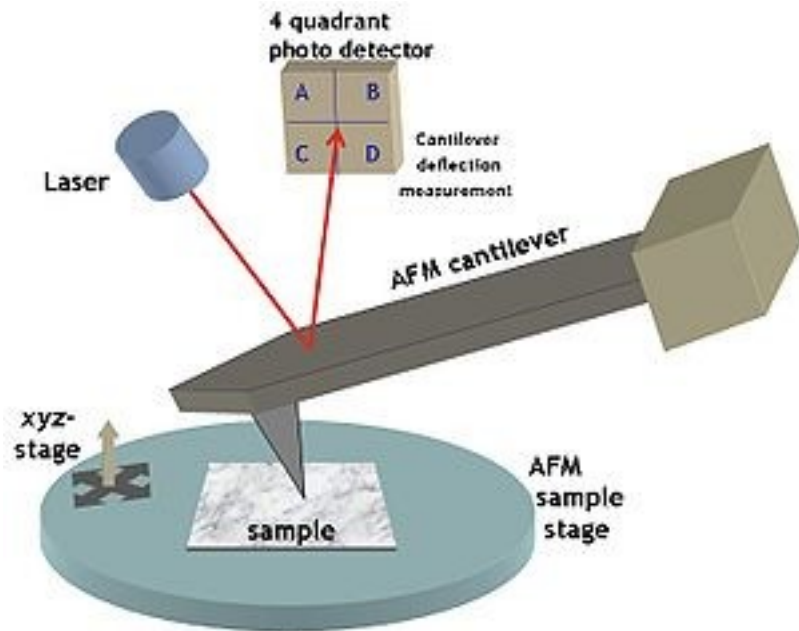
	STM	AFM
Lateral Resolution	0.5-1 nm	0.5 nm
Vertical Resolution	2D only	0.05nm
Field of view	1-2 X 1-2 mm	100 x 100 μm
Vertical range		100 μm
Preparation	Couche conductrice	----
Environment	vide	L'air, liquide

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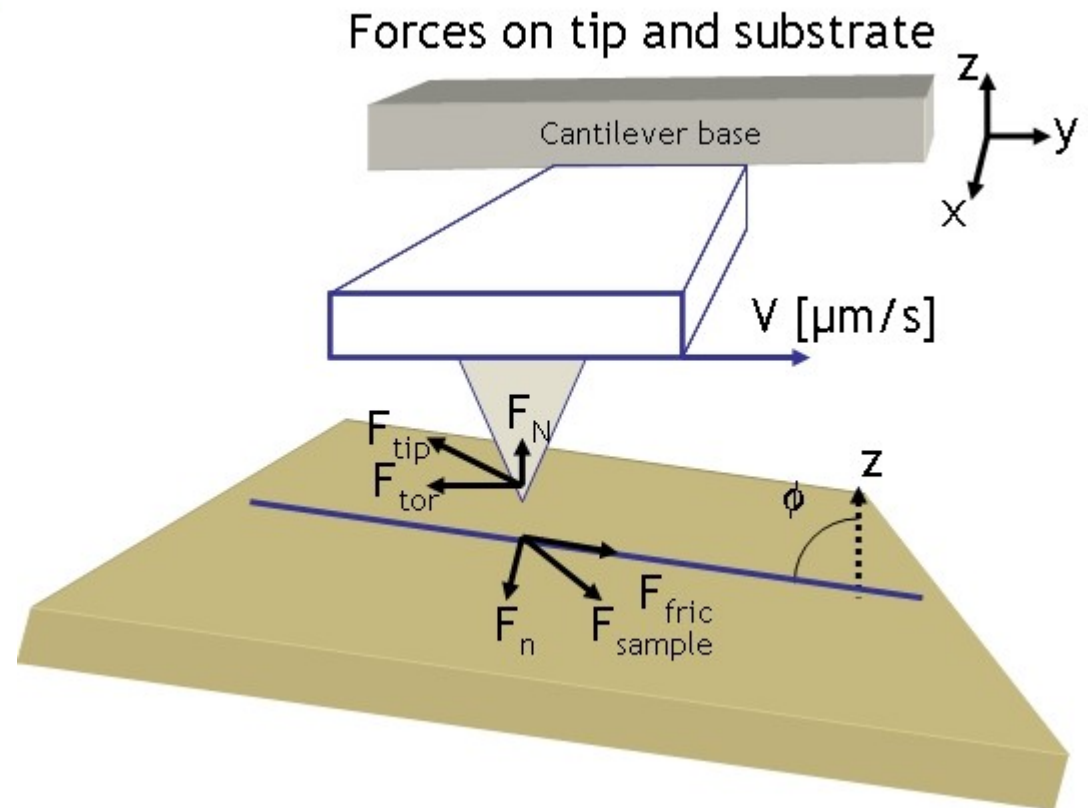
AFM: les modes de fonctionnement



Microscope à force atomique



Signal de droit-gauche: $A+C-(B+D)$
Signal de haut en bas: $A+B-(C+D)$



Microscope à force atomique

I. PRINCIPE GÉNÉRAL: UNE OSCILLATEUR CLASSIQUE

$$\ddot{u} + 2\beta\dot{u} + \omega_0^2 u = \gamma \cos \omega t + \frac{1}{m} F(D, u)$$

où

D = distance entre la surface et la position de la pointe quand le cantilever n'est pas défléchi.

z = distance entre la surface et la position de la pointe actuelle

$u = z - D$ = déviation

m = mass effective

$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$ = la fréquence de résonance de l'oscillateur

k = la raideur du cantilever

β = un terme de dissipation

γ = l'amplitude de l'excitation

ω = fréquence de l'excitation

$F(D, u)$ = la force d'interaction pointe-surface

N.B. $Q \equiv \frac{\omega_0}{2\beta}$ est le *facteur de qualité*.

Microscope à force atomique

II. CASE I: CONTACT MODE

Ne pas d'excitation:

$$\ddot{u} + 2\beta\dot{u} + \omega_0^2 u = \frac{1}{m} F(D, u) \implies ku = F(D, u)$$

e.g.

$$ku \simeq F(D) + uF'(D) \implies u = \frac{F(D)}{k - F'(D)}, \text{ Si } k \gg F'(D), u \simeq \frac{F(D)}{k}$$

III. CASE II: LE MODE RÉSONNANT LINÉAIRE

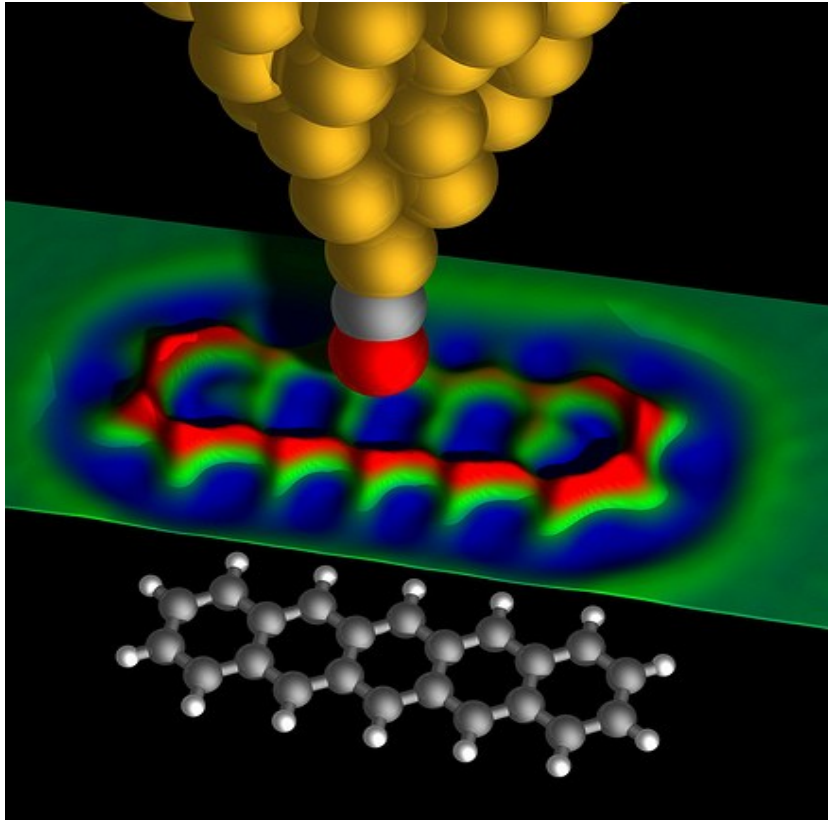
$$\ddot{u} + 2\beta\dot{u} + \omega_0^2 u \simeq \gamma \cos \omega t + \frac{1}{m} F(D) + u \frac{1}{m} F'(D)$$

de sorte que

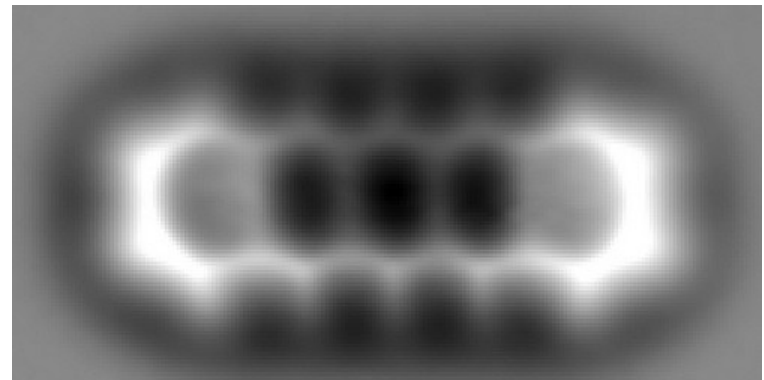
$$\ddot{u} + 2\beta\dot{u} + \omega_0^2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{k} F'(D)\right) u \simeq \gamma \cos \omega t + \frac{1}{m} F(D)$$

Ça veut dire que il y a un changement de fréquence naturelle de l'oscillateur.

AFM Recherche actuelle ...



Imaging the "anatomy" of a pentacene molecule - 3D rendered view: By using an atomically sharp metal tip terminated with a carbon monoxide (CO) molecule, IBM scientists were able to measure in the short-range regime of forces which allowed them to obtain an image of the inner structure of the molecule. The colored surface represents experimental data. (Image courtesy of IBM Research/Zurich)



Resume

	Optique	Xray	Confocal	TEM/SEM	STM	AFM
Lateral Resolution	200nm	25nm	200nm	0.1nm/3nm	0.1 nm	0.5 nm
Vertical Resolution	2D only	-----	500nm	-----	2D only	0.05nm
Field of view	grande	50 μ m	grande	Bayalage	1-2 X 1-2 mm	100 x 100 μ m
Vertical range	-----	-----	Limité par le temps (1-1000 sec/mm ² /tranche)	-----	-----	100 μ m
Preparation	-----	-----	-----	tres mince	Couche conductrice	----
Environment	L'air, liquide, ...	L'air, liquide	liquide	vide	vide	L'air, liquide

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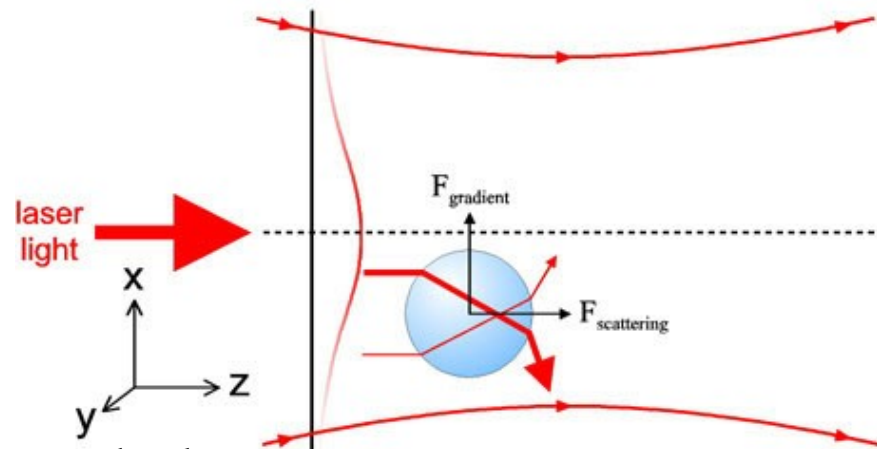
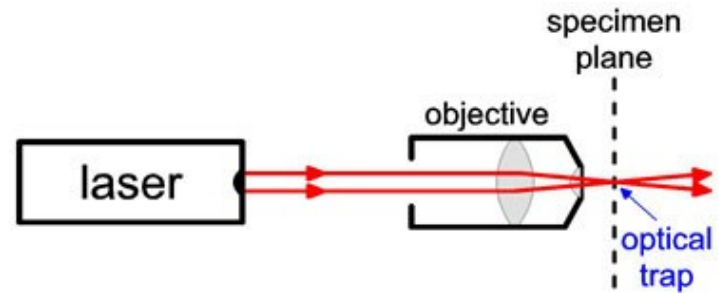
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Optical Tweezers

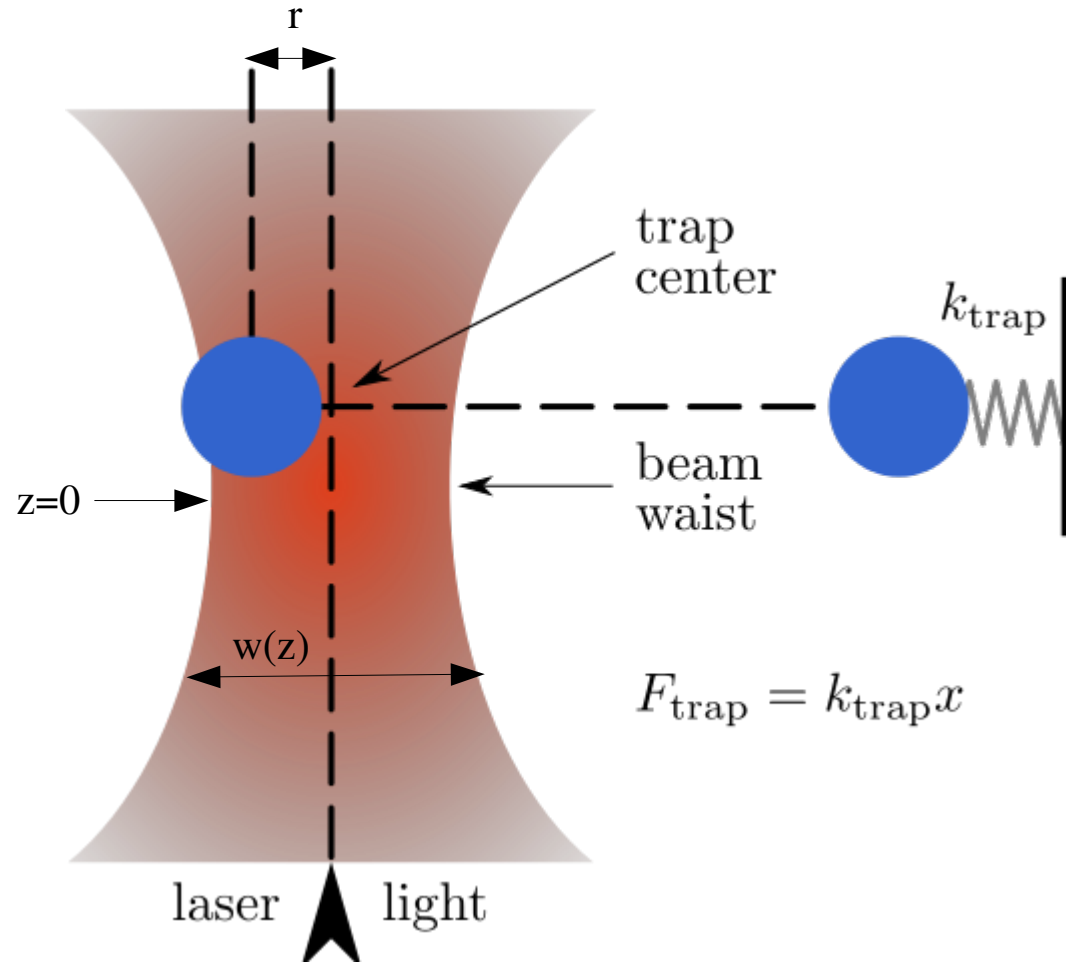
Optical Tweezers use light to manipulate microscopic objects as small as a single atom. The radiation pressure from a focused laser beam is able to trap small particles. In the biological sciences, these instruments have been used to apply forces in the pN-range and to measure displacements in the nm range of objects ranging in size from 10 nm to over 100 nm.

3 regimes:

- $D \gg \lambda \implies$ ray optics
- $D \sim \lambda \implies$ Maxwell's equations
- $D \ll \lambda \implies$ Electrostatics



Optical Tweezers

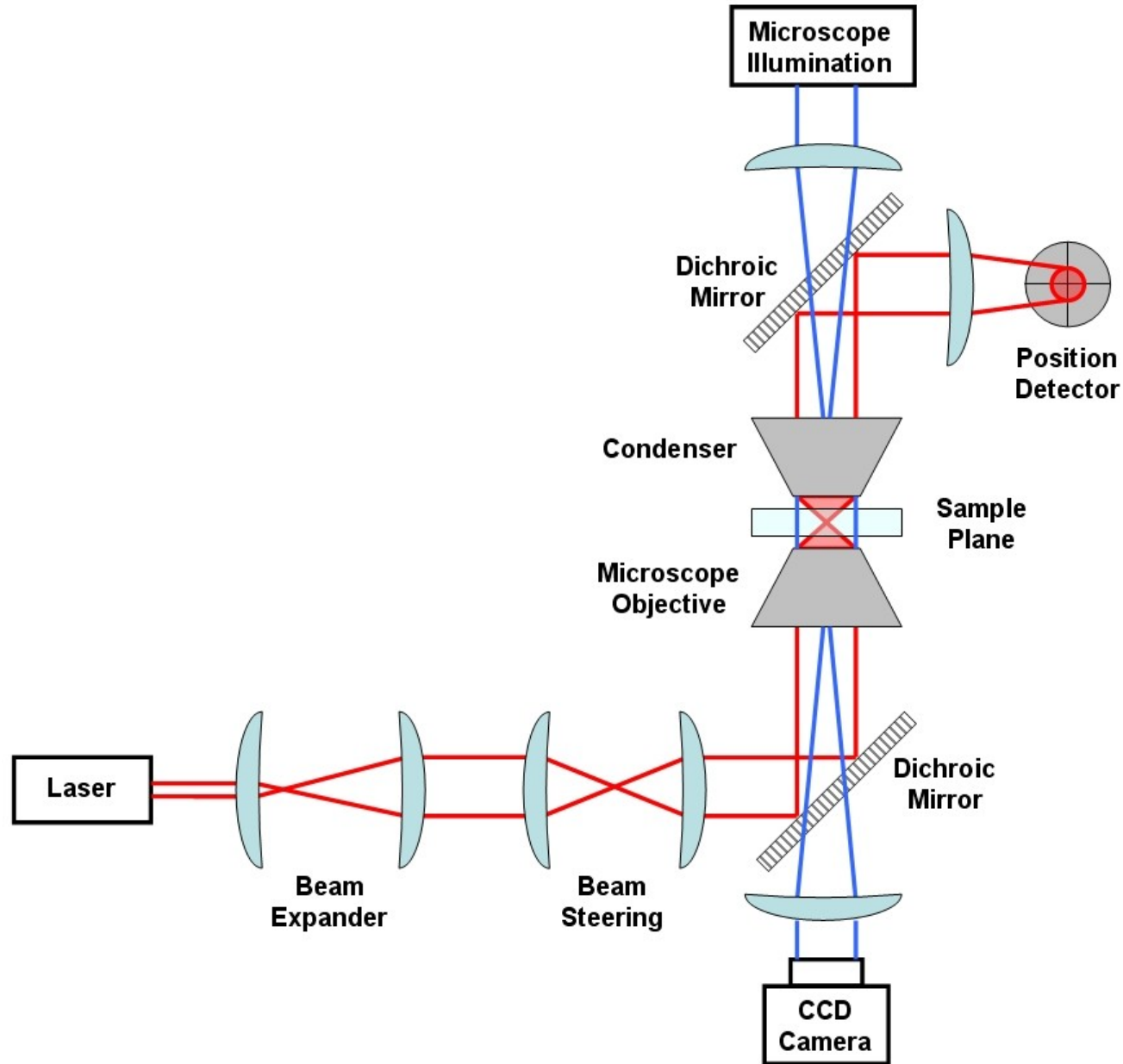


$$I(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{1}{2\eta} E^2(\mathbf{r}) = I_0 \left(\frac{w_0}{w(z)} \right)^2 \exp\left(-\frac{2r^2}{w(z)^2}\right)$$

$$w(z) = w_0 \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{z}{z_R}\right)^2}$$

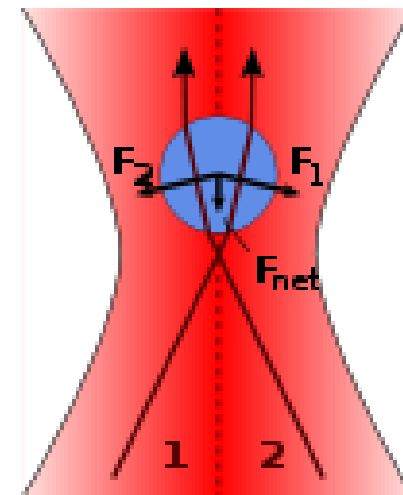
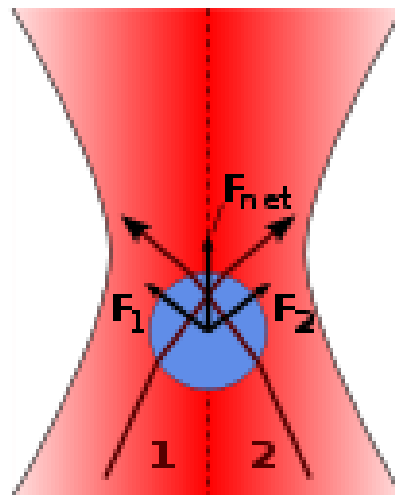
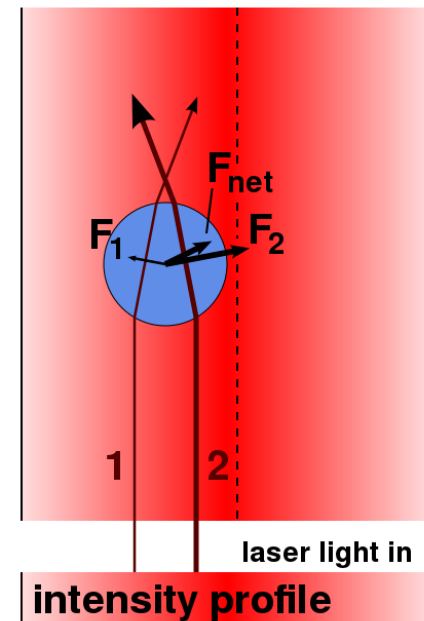
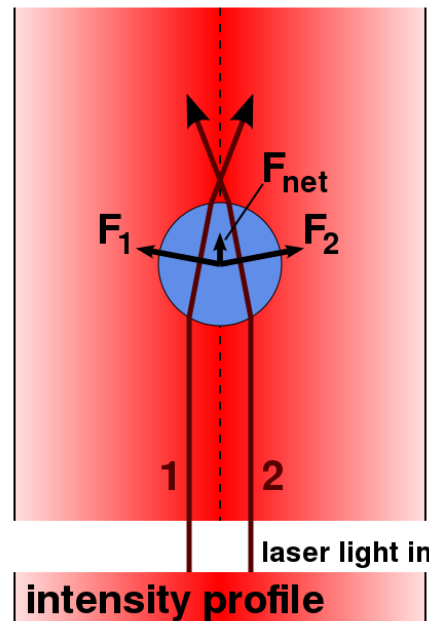
$$z_R = \frac{\pi w_0^2}{\lambda}$$

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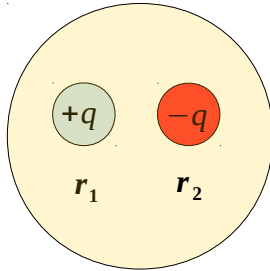
Optical Tweezers: $D \gg \lambda \implies$ ray optics

Force is due to change in momentum of refracted light.



Optical Tweezers: $D \ll \lambda$

Particle is treated as a point (induced) dipole



$$\mathbf{R} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_1 + \mathbf{r}_2}{2} \quad \mathbf{r} = \mathbf{r}_2 - \mathbf{r}_1 \quad \mathbf{d} = q\mathbf{r}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_i = q_i \left\{ \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{r}_i) + \frac{d\mathbf{r}_i}{dt} \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r}_i) \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}_{total} &= q \left\{ \mathbf{r} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) + \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) \right\} + \text{higher order in } r \\ &= \mathbf{d} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) + \frac{d\mathbf{d}}{dt} \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}) + \text{higher order in } r \end{aligned}$$

Assuming linear dielectric: $\mathbf{d} = \alpha \mathbf{E}$

and using one of Maxwell's equations: $\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial t}$

$$\mathbf{F}_{total} = \alpha \left\{ \nabla E(\mathbf{R})^2 + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \underbrace{(\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{R}) \times \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{R}))}_{\text{power per unit area}} \right\} + \text{higher order in } r$$

For dielectric sphere

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= \frac{\pi D^3 \epsilon_0}{2} \frac{\epsilon - \epsilon_0}{\epsilon + 2\epsilon_0} \\ &\approx \frac{\pi D^3 \epsilon_0}{2} \frac{n^2 - n_0^2}{n^2 + 2n_0^2} \end{aligned}$$

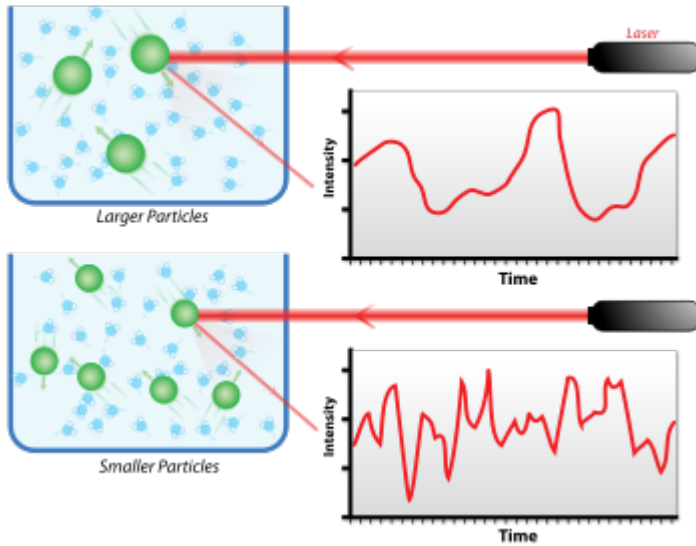
Proof = exercise!

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Dynamic light scattering

- Typically used for particles diffusing in a liquid bath
- Determines size of particles



Field auto-correlation function (what you want):

$$g_1(q, t) = \frac{\langle E(q, t) E(q, t + \tau) \rangle}{\langle E(q, t) E(q, t) \rangle}$$

Intensity auto-correlation function (what you measure):

$$g_2(q, t) = \frac{\langle I(q, t) I(q, t + \tau) \rangle}{\langle I(q, t) I(q, t) \rangle}$$

$$g_2(q, t) \sim 1 + \text{const} \times [g_1(q, t)]^2$$

$$g_1(q, t) = \exp(-q^2 D t), \quad D = \text{diffusion constant}$$

$$q = \frac{4 \pi n_0}{\lambda} \sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$