

# A multiscale model for moisture transport appearing in concrete carbonation process

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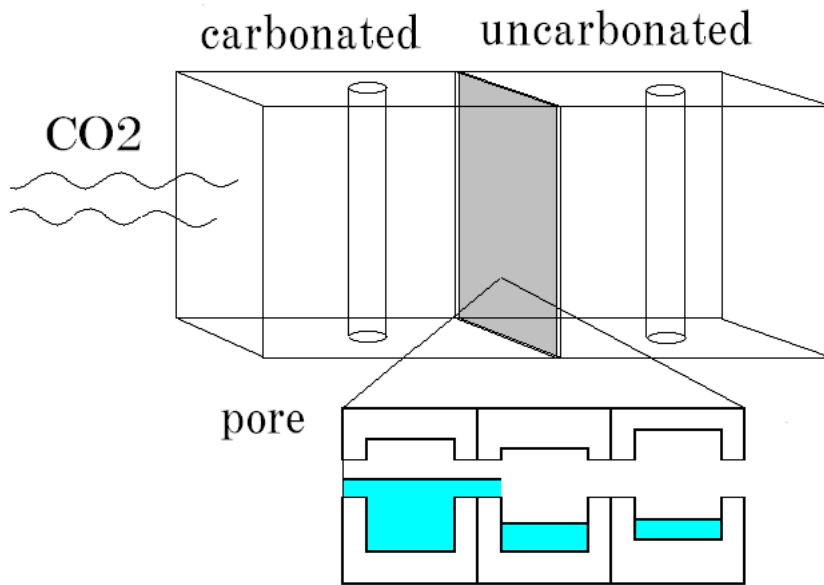
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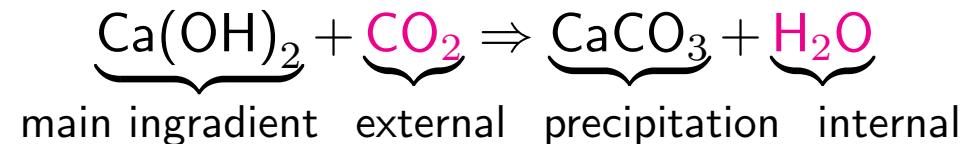
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# 1. Concrete Carbonation



- Chemical reaction :



- Speed :  $x \propto \sqrt{t}$   
( $x$  : position of carbonation,  $t$  : time)

## Previous works (1D)

- Muntean-Böhm '07, '09
- Aiki-Muntean '09, '10
  - Free boundary problem for the front of carbonated zone
  - Large time behavior ( $c\sqrt{t} \leq x \leq C\sqrt{t}$ )

## Previous works(3D)

- K.-Aiki '11, '12, '14 (Moisture transport)
- K. '14 (Carbon dioxide transport)

## 2. Balanced law of moisture [Maekawa-Ishida-Kishi(J. Adv. Concr. Tech. (2003))]

$$\rho \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\phi w) - \operatorname{div}(\phi [C_1 K(h) + C_2(1-w)h] \nabla P) = \phi w v^{q_1} z^{q_2}, \quad w = \mathcal{S}(h)$$

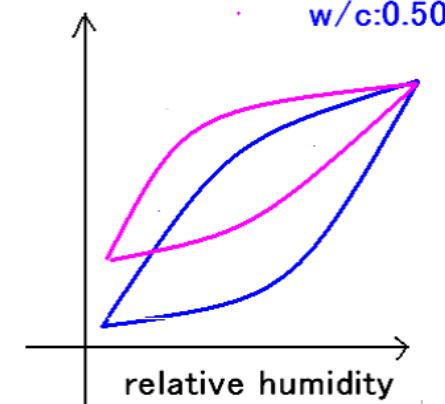
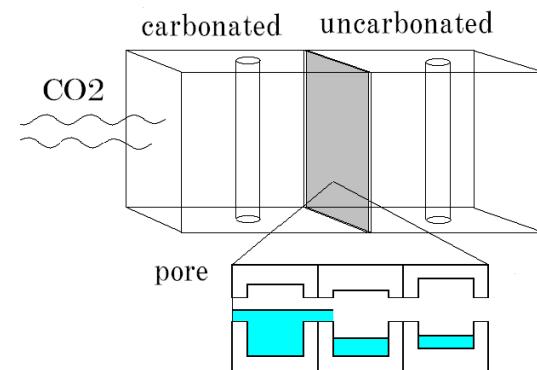
$\phi \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} w$       water + vapor      generation of water      hysteresis

- $h$  : relative humidity  
(=water vapor/saturated water vapor)
- $w$  : degree of saturation
- $\rho$  : density of water ,  $\phi$ : porosity,  $C_1, C_2 \geq 0$
- $P$  : pore pressure ( $= C \log h$ )
- $v$  : concentration of  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  
 $z$  : concentration of  $\text{CaCO}_3$

**Previous works** ( $\nabla P = \nabla h/h$ ,  $\phi = C_1 = C_2 = 1$ )

$$\rho w_t - \operatorname{div}(g(h) \nabla h) = wf, \quad w = \mathcal{S}(h)$$

K. -Aiki : existence('12), uniqueness('14)



## 2.1 Mathematical Treatment of Hysteresis

- M. A. Kranosel'skiĭ, A. V. Pokrovskii "Systems with Hysteresis", Springer-Verlag
- M. Brokate, J. Sprekels, "Hysteresis and Phase Transitions", Springer
- A. Visintin, "Differential models of Hysteresis", Springer

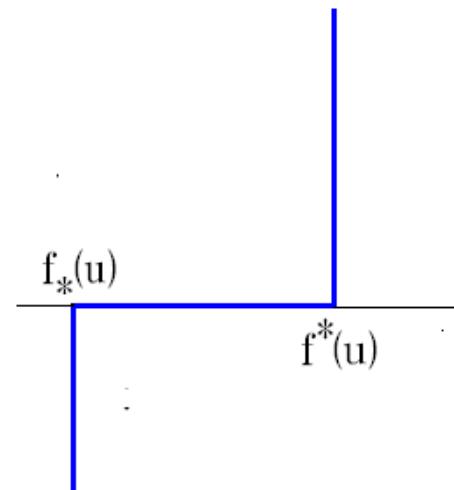
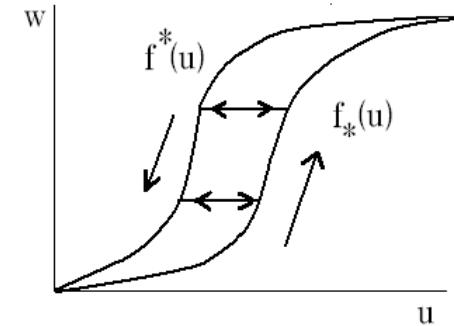
$$w = \mathcal{S}(u) \iff w_t + \partial I(u; w) \ni 0$$

$$I(u; w) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } f_*(u) \leq w \leq f^*(u) \\ +\infty & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\partial I(u; w) = \begin{cases} [0, \infty) & \text{if } w = f^*(u), \\ \{0\} & \text{if } f_*(u) < w < f^*(u), \\ (-\infty, 0] & \text{if } w = f_*(u). \end{cases}$$

$\implies$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho u_t - \operatorname{div}(g(u) \nabla u) &= wf \\ w_t + \partial I(u; w) &\ni 0 \end{aligned}$$



## 2.2 Flow in Porous Media

$$\frac{d}{dt}(\phi w) + \operatorname{div} J = f$$

- non hysteresis between  $P$  and  $w$

- $w = P^{\frac{1}{m}}$ ,  $J = -K\nabla P$

- $w = f(P)$ , ( $f$  : non-decreasing)

$$J = -K(w)(\nabla P + \rho g)$$

- \* Alt(1979,1984),

- \* Alt-Luckhaus-Visintin(1984)

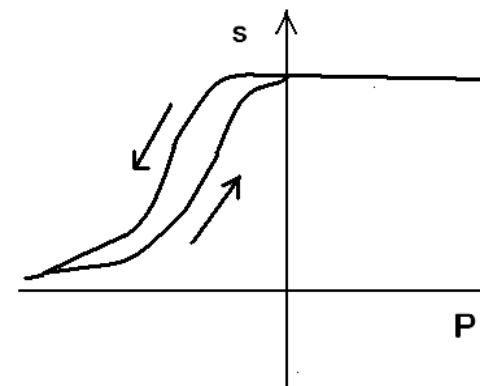
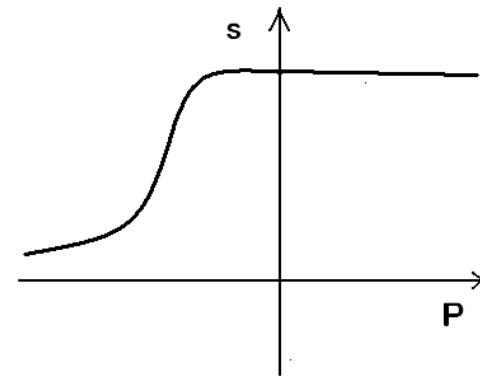
- \* Otto(1997) etc

- Consider hysteresis between  $P$  and  $w$

- $w \in \mathcal{S}(P)$ ,  $J = -K(w)(\nabla P + \rho g)$

- \* Bagagiolo-Visintin(2000,2004)

- \* Kordulová(2010) etc

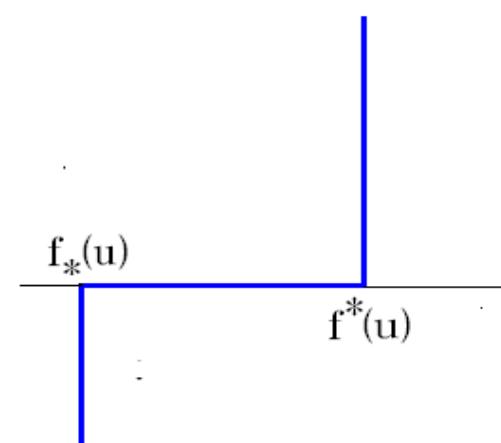
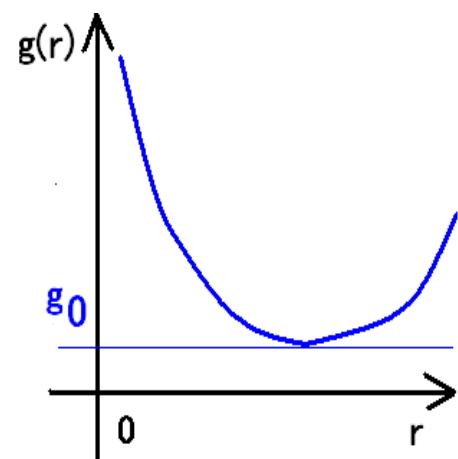


## 2.3 IBVPs for moisture transport

$$(P)_0 \begin{cases} \rho u_t - \operatorname{div}(g(u) \nabla u) = wf \text{ in } Q(T) \\ w_t + \partial I(u; w) \ni 0 \text{ in } Q(T) \\ u = u_b \text{ on } S(T) \\ u(0) = u_0, w(0) = w_0 \text{ in } \Omega \end{cases}$$

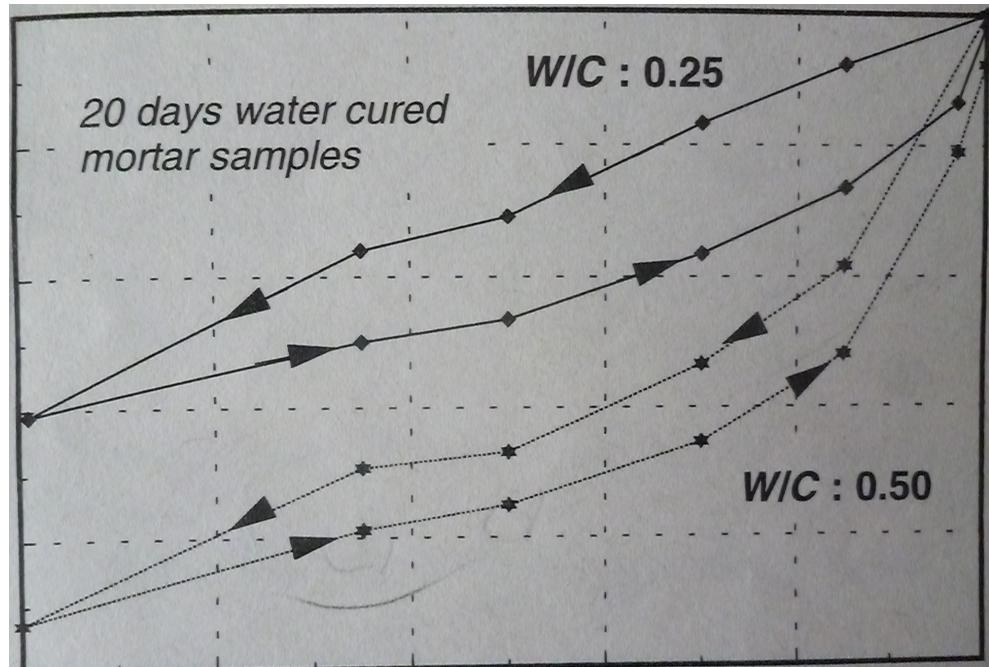
$$(P)_{\nu \lambda m} \begin{cases} \rho u_t - \operatorname{div}(g_m(u) \nabla u) = wf \text{ in } Q(T) \\ w_t - \nu \Delta w + \partial I_\lambda(u; w) = 0 \text{ in } Q(T) \\ u = u_b, w = w_b \text{ on } S(T) \\ u(0) = u_0, w(0) = w_0 \text{ in } \Omega \end{cases}$$

- $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ : smooth,  $Q(T) = [0, T] \times \Omega$
- $g \in C^2((0, \infty)) : \lim_{r \rightarrow +0} g(r) = +\infty$   
 $g(r) \geq g_0 > 0$  for  $r \in \mathbb{R}$   
 $g_m = g$  for  $\frac{1}{m} \leq r \leq m$ ,  $g_m \geq g_0$  on  $\mathbb{R}$
- $f \in L^\infty(Q(T))$  with  $f \geq 0$  a.e. on  $Q(T)$
- $\xi \in \partial I(u; w) \implies \xi(\nu - w) \leq 0$  for  $f_*(u) \leq \nu \leq f^*(u)$
- $\partial I_\lambda(w; u) = \frac{1}{\lambda}[w - f^*(u)]^+ - \frac{1}{\lambda}[f_*(u) - w]^+$



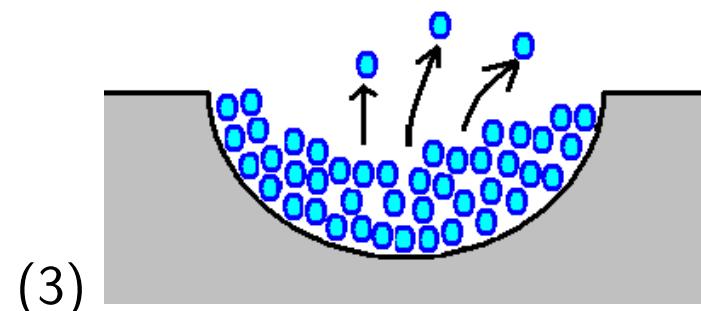
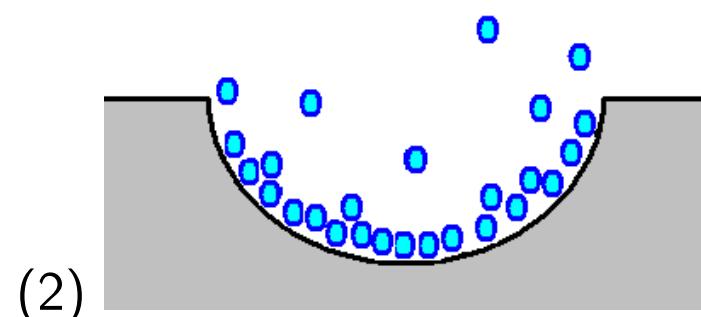
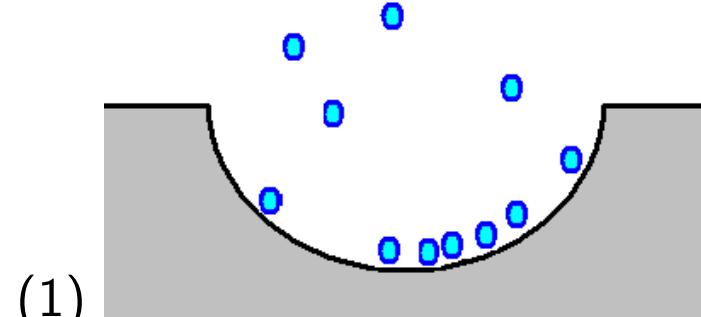
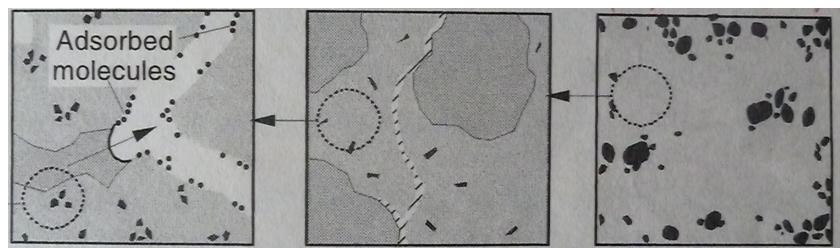
$f_*$ : lower  
 $f^*$ : upper

## 2.4 Relative humidity and Saturation



$$RH = \frac{\text{water vapor}}{\text{saturated water vapor}}$$

## 2.5 Adsorption phenomenon



- vapor content increases (**wetting process**)
- vapor content decreases (**drying process**)

## 2.6 Model for adsorption phenomenon(Sato-Aiki-Murase-Shirakawa'13)

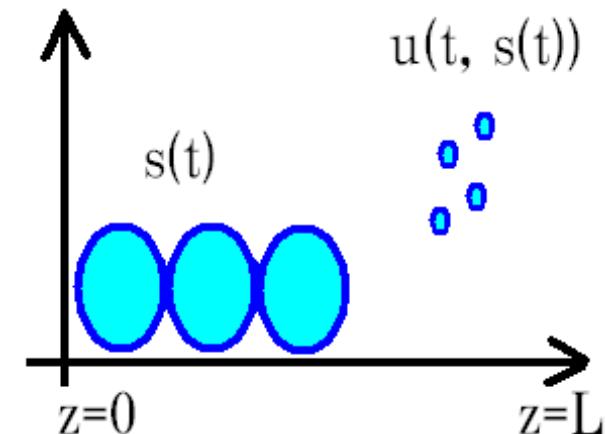
$$\rho_v u_t - k u_{zz} = 0 \text{ on } (s(t), L), \quad (1)$$

$$u(t, L) = h(t) \text{ for } 0 < t < T \quad (2)$$

$$\underbrace{k u_z(t, s(t))}_{\text{vapor to water}} = \underbrace{\rho_w s_t(t)}_{\text{liquid}} - \underbrace{\rho_v u(t, s(t)) s_t(t)}_{\text{vapor}} \quad (3)$$

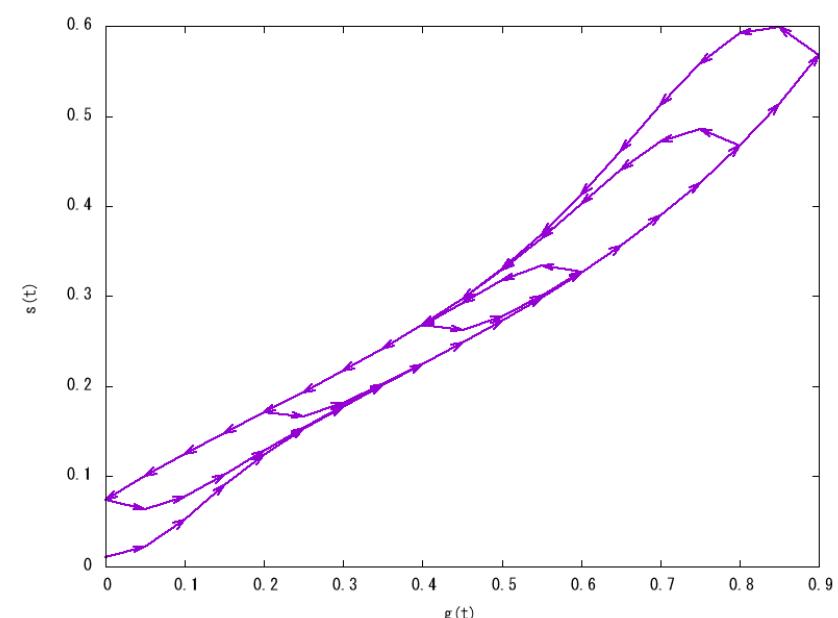
vapor to water      liquid      vapor

$$s_t(t) = a \underbrace{(u(t, s(t))}_{\text{adsorp}} - \underbrace{\varphi(s(t))}_{\text{desorp}} \text{ for } 0 < t < T, \quad (4)$$



- $[0, L]$ : a hole in porous material
- $[0, s(t)]$ : water drop region
- $z = 0$ : wall,  $z = L$ : expose to air
- $u = u(t, z)$ : RH in a hole
- $\rho_v$ : density of water vapor  
 $\rho_w$ : density of water

- (1): mass balanced law of RH  
(3): balanced law of RH on the free boundary  
(4): growth rate of the water drop region

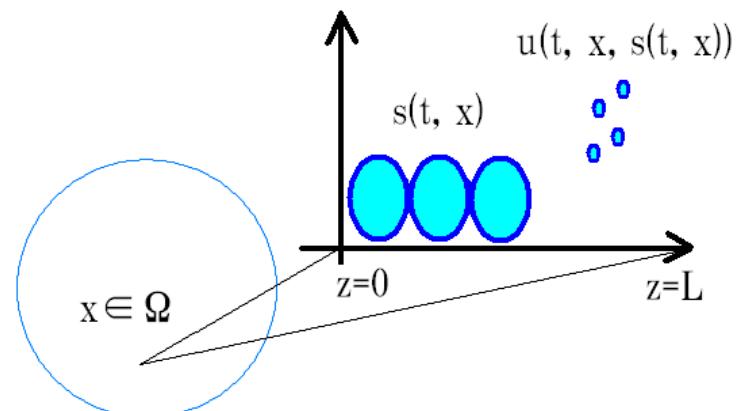


### 3. Multiscale model for moisture transport

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(moisture)} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho_v h_t - \operatorname{div}(g(h) \nabla h) = s f v \text{ in } Q(T) := \Omega \times (0, T), \\ h = h_b \text{ on } S(T) := (0, T) \times \partial\Omega, \quad h(0, x) = h_0(x) \text{ in } \Omega, \end{array} \right. \\
 & \text{macro} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \rho_v u_t - k u_{zz} = 0 \text{ for } (t, x, z) \in Q(T) \times (s(t, x), L), \\ u(t, x, L) = h(t, x) \text{ on } Q(T), \end{array} \right. \\
 & \text{(adsorption)} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} k u_z(t, x, s(t, x)) = (\rho_w - \rho_v u(t, x, s(t, x))) s_t(t, x) \text{ in } Q(T), \\ s_t(t, x) = a(u(t, x, s(t, x)) - \varphi(s(t, x))) \text{ in } Q(T), \\ s(0, x) = s_0(x) \text{ in } \Omega, \quad u(0, x, z) = u_0(x, z) \text{ for } (x, z) \in \Omega \times [s_0(x), L] \end{array} \right. \\
 & \text{micro} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \end{array} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

- $\Omega \subset \mathbf{R}^3$ : concrete
- $h$ : relative humidity (macro)
- $v$ : concentration of  $\text{CO}_2$  in water (given)
- $g \in C^2(0, \infty)$  :  

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow +0} g(r) = \infty, \quad g \geq g_0 > 0$$
- $\rho_v, \rho_w$ : density of water and vapor
- $\varphi$ : the rate of water to vapor (given)



- A. Friedman-A. Travaras (1987)
- A. Muntean-M.N. Radu (2010)

### 3.1 Compair to the previous model

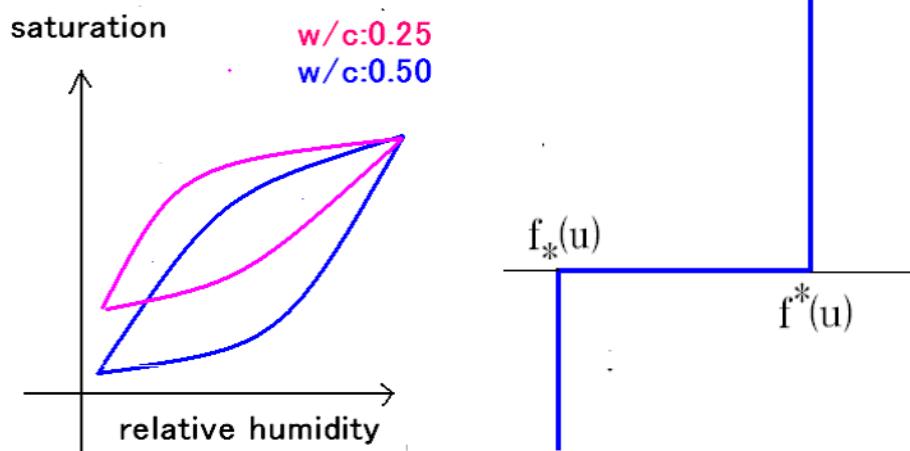
Previous model

$$\rho_v h_t - \operatorname{div}(g(h) \nabla h) = w f(h) v \text{ in } Q(T)$$

$$w = \mathcal{S}(h) \text{ in } Q(T)$$

$$[l(w)v]_t - \operatorname{div}(l(w) \nabla v) = -w_0 w v$$

- $v$ : concentration of  $\text{CO}_2$  in air
- $w = \mathcal{S}(h) \Leftrightarrow w_t + \partial I(h; w) \ni 0$



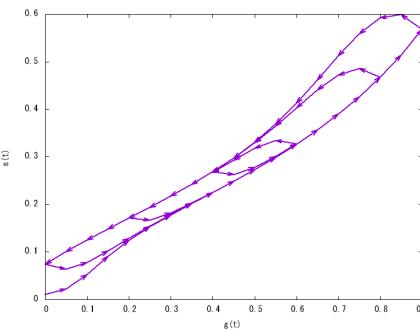
Multiscale model

$$\rho_v h_t - \operatorname{div}(g(h) \nabla h) = s f(h) v \text{ in } Q(T)$$

$$\begin{cases} \rho_v u_t - k u_{zz} = 0 \text{ on } (s(t, x), L), \\ u(t, x, L) = h(t, x) \text{ on } Q(T), \\ k u_z(t, x, s(t, x)) = (\rho_w - \rho_v u(t, x, s(t, x))) s_t(t, x), \\ s_t(t, x) = a(u(t, x, s(t, x)) - \varphi(s(t, x)), \\ [(l(s)v)_t - \operatorname{div}(l(s) \nabla v) = -w_0 s v \text{ in } Q(T)] \end{cases}$$

Previous work

Aiki-Murase(13')



- hysteresis like behavior of  $s$  for given  $h$
- differential possibility of  $s$

### 3.2 Model for adsorption phenomenon for each $x \in \Omega$

$$(AP) \begin{cases} \rho_v u_t - k u_{zz} = 0 \text{ on } (s(t), L) \\ u(t, L) = h(x, t) \text{ for } 0 < t < T \\ k u_z(t, s(t)) = \rho_w s_t(t) - \rho_v u(t, s(t)) s_t(t) \\ s_t(t) = a(u(t, s(t)) - \varphi(s(t))) \text{ for } 0 < t < T \end{cases}$$

- $u = u(t, z) = u(x)(t, z)$ : RH in each hole
- $s = s(t) = s(x)(t)$ : saturation in each hole

$$\implies \tilde{u}(x)(t, y) = u(x)(t, (1-y)s(t) + yL) \text{ for } y \in [0, 1]$$

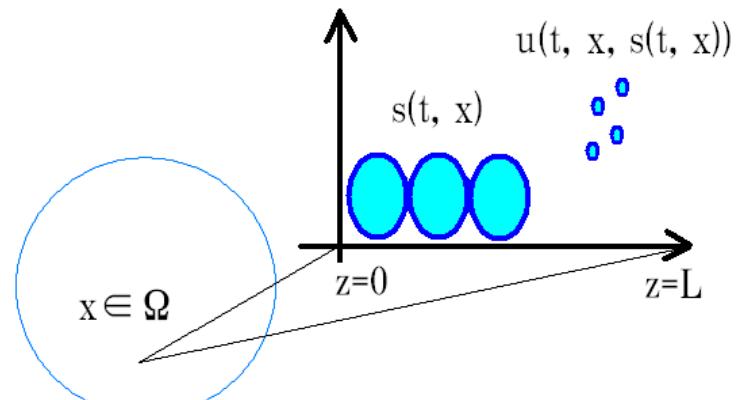
$$\rho_v \tilde{u}_t - \frac{k}{(L - s(t))^2} \tilde{u}_{yy} = \frac{\rho_v (1-y)s_t}{L - s(t)} \tilde{u}_y$$

$$\tilde{u}(t, 1) = h(x, t)$$

$$\frac{k}{L - s(t)} \tilde{u}_y(t, 0) = (\rho_w - \rho_v \tilde{u}(t, 0)) s_t(t)$$

$$s_t(t) = a(\tilde{u}(t, 0) - \varphi(s(t)))$$

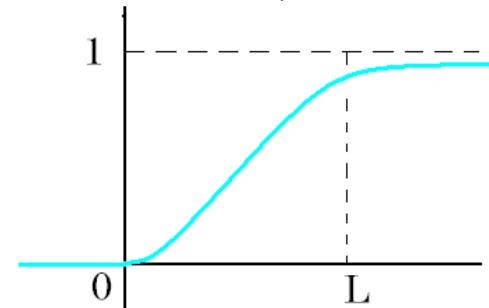
$$s(0) = s_0(x), \quad \tilde{u}(0, y) = u(0, (1-y)s(0) + yL)$$



### 3.3 Assumptions for (AP)

- $\rho_w \geq \rho_v(\sup_{\mathbb{R}} \varphi + 2)$ ,  $9aL\rho_v^2 \leq k\rho_w$
- $s_0 \in L^2(\Omega)$ :  $0 \leq s_0 \leq L - \delta$   
 $x \rightarrow u_0(x)$ : smooth  
 $u_0(x, L) = h(x, 0)$  for  $x \in \Omega$ ,  $0 \leq u_0 \leq 1$
- $h$ : smooth on  $Q(T)$ ,  $0 \leq h \leq h^* < 1$

**Profile of  $\varphi$ :**



### 3.4 Main results for (AP) (K. '16, '17, Adv. Math. Sci. Appl.)

- (i) (**Solvability**) For a.e.  $x \in \Omega$ , (AP) has a solution  $(\tilde{u}, s)$  on  $[0, T]$
- (ii) (**Measurability**)  $\tilde{u} \in L^\infty(\Omega; W^{1,2}(0, T; L^2(0, 1))) \cap L^\infty(\Omega; L^\infty(0, T; H^1(0, 1))) \cap L^\infty(\Omega; L^2(0, T; H^2(0, 1))), s \in L^\infty(\Omega; W^{1,\infty}(0, T))$  and  $0 \leq s \leq L - \delta_*$  for  $t \in [0, T]$  a.e. on  $\Omega$  ( $\delta_* = C(|\nabla \tilde{u}(x)|_{H^1(0,1)})$ ).

#### (ii) (**Continuous Dependence**)

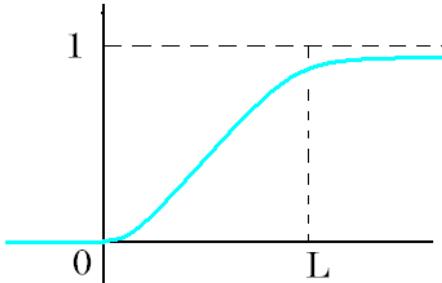
$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{\Omega} |\tilde{u}_1(t) - \tilde{u}_2(t)|_{L^2(0,1)}^2 dx + \int_{\Omega} \int_0^t |\tilde{u}_{1y}(t) - \tilde{u}_{2y}(t)|_{L^2(0,1)}^2 dt dx \\ & + |s_1 - s_2|_{L^\infty(0,t;L^2(\Omega))}^2 \leq C|h_1 - h_2|_{W^{1,2}(0,t;L^2(\Omega))}^2 \text{ for } t \in [0, T], \end{aligned}$$

where  $(\tilde{u}_1(x), s_1(x))$  and  $(\tilde{u}_2(x), s_2(x))$  are solutions of (AP) on  $[0, T]$  for given  $h_1$  and  $h_2$ .

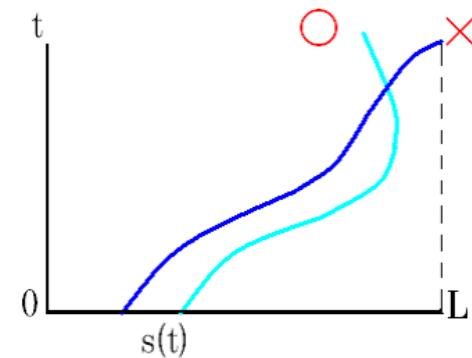
### 3.5 Assumptions ( $H = L^2(\Omega)$ )

- $f \in C^1(\mathbb{R})$  with  $f \geq 0$ , bdd
- $h_b$ : smooth in  $Q(T)$ ,  $\kappa_0 \leq h_b < 1$
- $h_0$ : smooth in  $\Omega$ ,  $\kappa_0 \leq h_0 < 1$   
 $h_0 = h_b(0)$  on  $\partial\Omega$
- $\rho_w \geq \rho_v(\sup_{\mathbb{R}} \varphi + 2)$ ,  $9aL\rho_v^2 \leq k\rho_w$
- $0 \leq s_0(x) < L$  on  $\Omega$   
 $x \rightarrow |u_0(x)|_{H^1(s_0, L)}$ : bdd  
 $u_0(x, L) = h(x, 0)$  for  $x \in \Omega$   
 $0 \leq u_0 \leq 1$  on  $\Omega \times [s_0, L]$

Profile of  $\varphi$ :



Find a solution  $s(t)$ :



### 3.6 Main result (K.-Aiki-Sato-Murase '17 Applicable Analysis)

Under the assumptions, (P) has a unique solution  $(h, s, u)$  on  $[0, T']$  ( $T' < T$ ).

- (Regularity)  $h \in W^{1,2}(0, T; H) \cap L^\infty(0, T; H^1) \cap L^2(0, T; H^2)$ ,  $s \in W^{1,\infty}(Q(T))$   
 $u_t, u_{zz} \in L^2(0, T; L^2(\Omega, L^2(s(\cdot), L)))$ ,  $|u_z(\cdot)|_{L^2(s(\cdot, \cdot), L)} \in L^\infty(Q(T))$
- (Boundedness)  $\kappa_0 \leq h \leq 1$  a.e. on  $Q(T')$ ,  $0 \leq s \leq L - \delta*$  a.e. on  $Q(T')$
- (Proof) Banach's fixed point theorem

### 3.7 Outline of the proof

(Step 1)  $s$  : given on  $[0, T']$

$$\begin{cases} h_t - \operatorname{div}(g(h)\nabla h) = sf \\ h = h_b \text{ on } S(T) \\ h(0) = h_0 \text{ on } \Omega \end{cases}$$

- (i)  $\kappa_0 \leq h < 1$  a.e. on  $Q(T')$
- (ii)  $|\nabla h|_{L^\infty(Q(T))} \leq C$   
(Ladyzenskaja et al)
- (iii)  $|h_t|_{L^\infty(Q(T))} \leq C$

(Step 2)  $h$  : solution of (Step 1) on  $[0, T']$

$$\tilde{u}(t, x, y) = u(t, x, (1-y)s(t, x) + yL) \text{ for } (t, x, y) \in Q(T') \times (0, 1)$$

$$\begin{cases} \rho_v \tilde{u}_t - \frac{k}{(L-s(t,x))^2} \tilde{u}_{yy} = \frac{\rho_v(1-y)s_t}{L-s(t,x)} \tilde{u}_y \text{ on } Q(T) \times (0, 1) \\ \tilde{u}(t, x, 1) = h(t, x) \text{ on } Q(T'), \\ \frac{k}{L-s(t,x)} \tilde{u}_y(t, x, 0) = (\rho_w - \rho_v \tilde{u}(t, x, 0)) s_t(t, x) \text{ on } Q(T'), \\ s_t(t, x) = a(\tilde{u}(t, x, 0) - \varphi(s(t, x))) \text{ on } Q(T'), \\ s(0, x) = s_0(x) \text{ in } \Omega, \tilde{u}(0, x, y) = u_0(x, (1-y)s_0 + yL) \text{ on } \Omega \times [0, 1] \end{cases}$$

$(s, \tilde{u})$ : solution on  $[0, T']$ :

$$\begin{aligned} s &\in W^{1,\infty}(Q(T')), 0 \leq s < L \text{ on } Q(T'), \tilde{u} \in W^{1,2}(0, T'; L^2(\Omega \times (0, 1))) \\ &\cap L^\infty(0, T'; L^2(\Omega, H^1(0, 1))) \cap L^2(0, T'; L^2(\Omega, H^2(0, 1))) \end{aligned}$$

(Step 3)  $s \rightarrow h$  (Step 1)  $\rightarrow (s, \tilde{u})$  (Step 2):

Banach's fixed point theorem ( $\exists T_0 < T' \text{ s.t. } s = \mathcal{S}(s) \text{ on } [0, T']$ )

## 4. Future works

- Time global solution and large time behavior of a solution of (P)
- Multiscale model for concrete carbonation

$$(\text{moisture}) \quad \rho_v h_t - \operatorname{div}(g(h) \nabla h) = s f(h) v \text{ in } Q(T),$$

$$(\text{adsorption}) \quad \begin{cases} \rho_v u_t - k u_{zz} = 0 \text{ on } (s(t, x), L), \\ u(t, x, L) = h(t, x) \text{ on } Q(T), \\ k u_z(t, x, s(t, x)) = (\rho_w - \rho_v u(t, x, s(t, x))) s_t(t, x) \text{ in } Q(T), \\ s_t(t, x) = a(u(t, x, s(t, x))) - \varphi(s(t, x)) \text{ in } Q(T). \end{cases}$$

$$(\text{carbon dioxide}) [(l(s)v)_t - \operatorname{div}(l(s) \nabla v)] = -w_0 s v \text{ in } Q(T)$$

- Multiscale model for concrete carbonation with non-constant porosity
- Improvement (effect of temperature etc)
- Numerical calculation