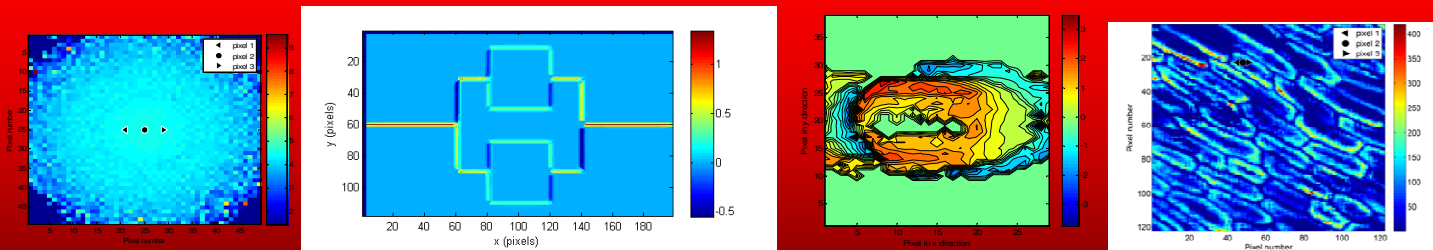


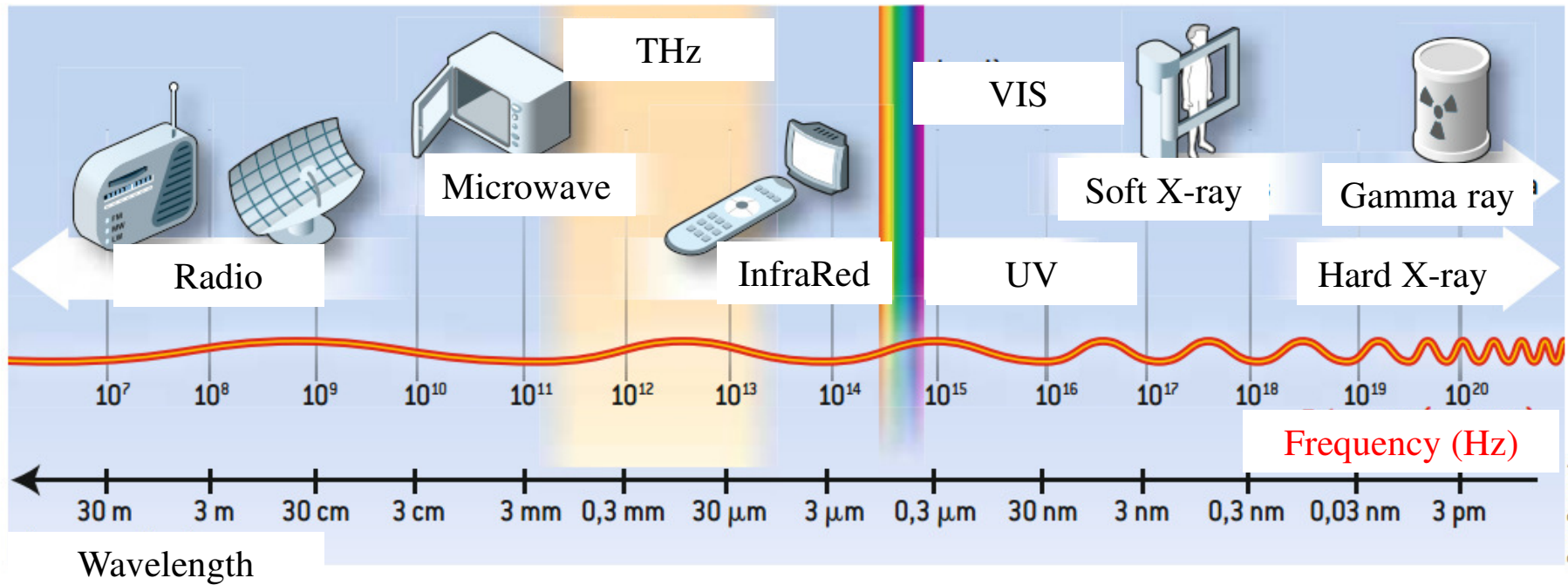
# Multispectral « THz » imaging for heat and mass transfer studies in multiphysics problems



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# What is the range of THz wavelength

THz is defined from 0.3 to 3 THz as sub-millimeter radiation

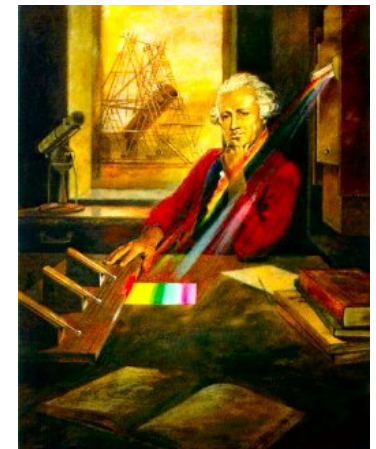


Bruno Bourgeois



*Herschel Space Observatory*

But from a “Range” point of view ???  
 And from “Herschel” point of view ???  
 Could we speak about “IR radiation” ???

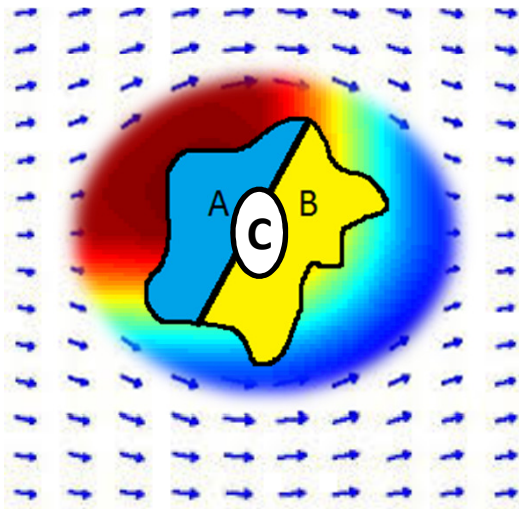


*Sir William Herschel*

## <<REACTION-DIFFUSION>> problems

**Energy conversion** → Chemical reaction, biological system, phase change

Heat and mass transfer with hydrodynamic



**transport**

Multi constituent ( $C_i$ )

Mass transfer (C)

Source (Joule /mol)

Heat transfer (T)

**EQUATIONS  
of  
DIFFUSION**

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2}$$

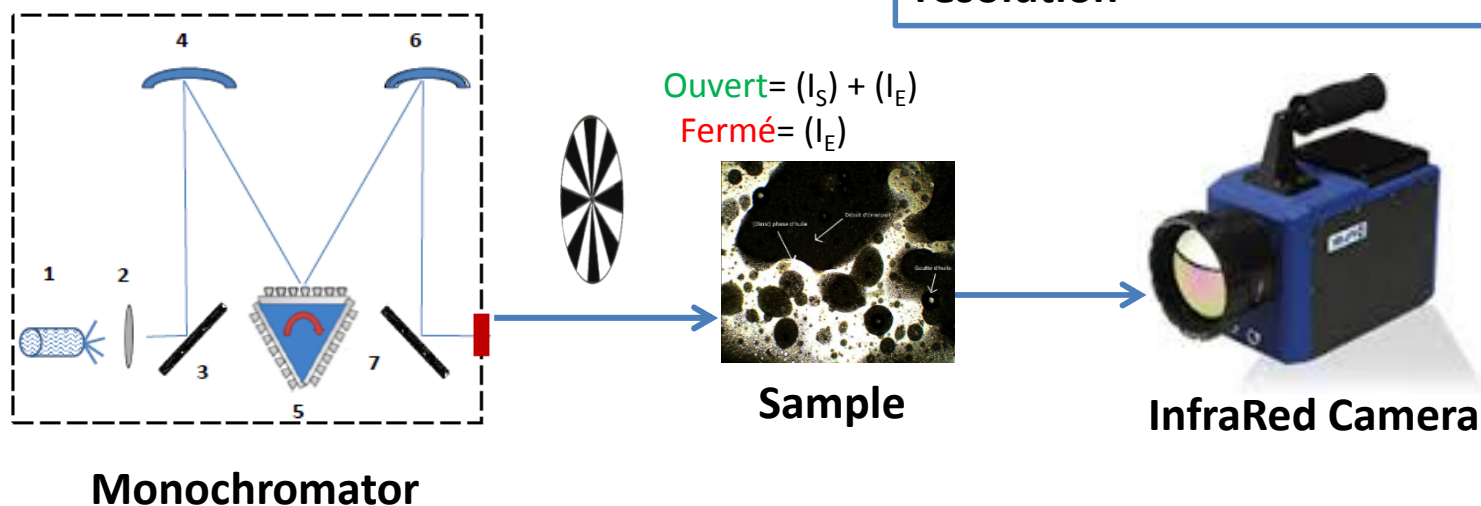
**SCIENTIFIC GOALS** : Understanding such phenomenon

*Design of multiscale thermal characterization from global to local approaches  
From contact to non contact calorimetry  
(heat fluxes and temperatures measurements)*

## General description

Chemical and thermal analysis

High spatial and temporal resolution



Spectral resolution  
 $d\lambda = 0.3 \text{ nm}$

Spatial resolution 4  $\mu\text{m}$  to 3 mm  
 Frequency rate 1 to 1000 Hz

Broadband sensor from 1  $\mu\text{m}$  to 14 mm  
 With IR to THz camera

*M. Romano et.al., Infrared Physics Technology Journal 2015*

## Photography of the system

$I_0(x, y, \lambda)$

incident shortwave radiation

reflected long wave radiation

re-radiated long wave radiation

absorbed

transmitted

heat accumulates slab

$I_R(x, y, \lambda, C, T) = R(x, y, \lambda, T)I_0(x, y, \lambda)$

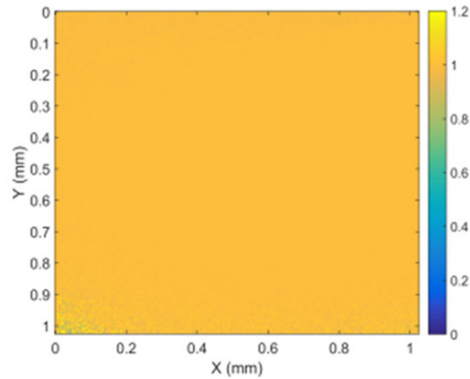
$E(x, y, \lambda, T) \propto \epsilon(x, y, \lambda)\sigma T^4$

**IRT**

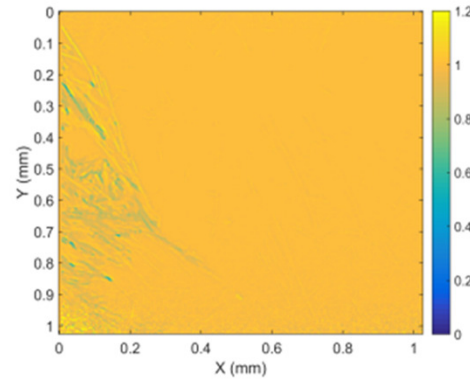
$I_T(x, y, \lambda, C, T) = \Gamma(x, y, \lambda, C, T)I_0(x, y, \lambda)$

*Frame rate 200 images/s*

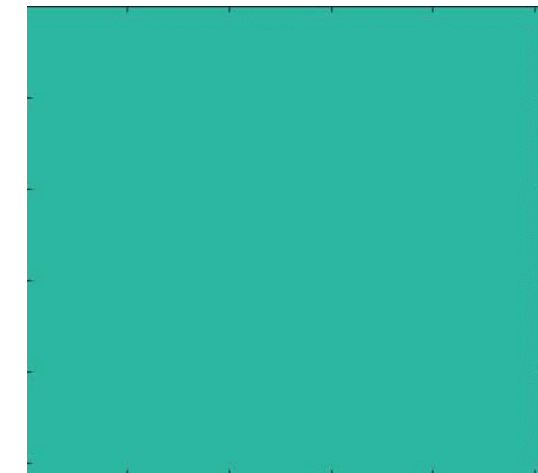
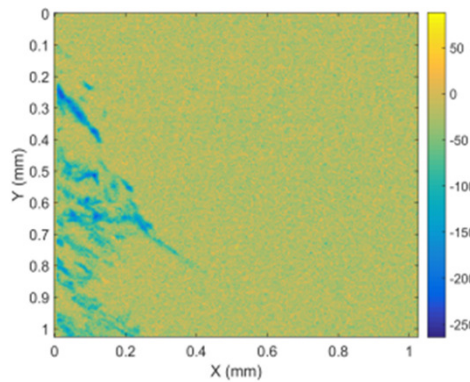
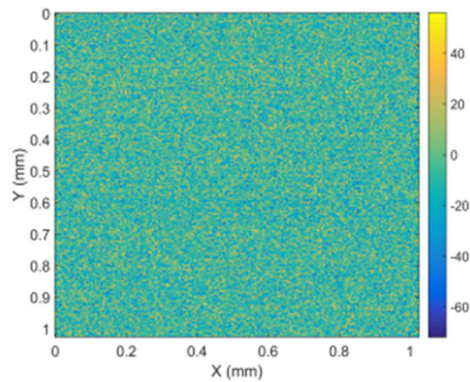
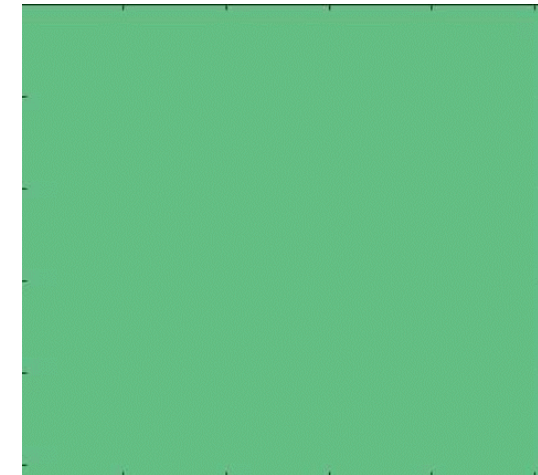
Concentrations



$t = 0$  s



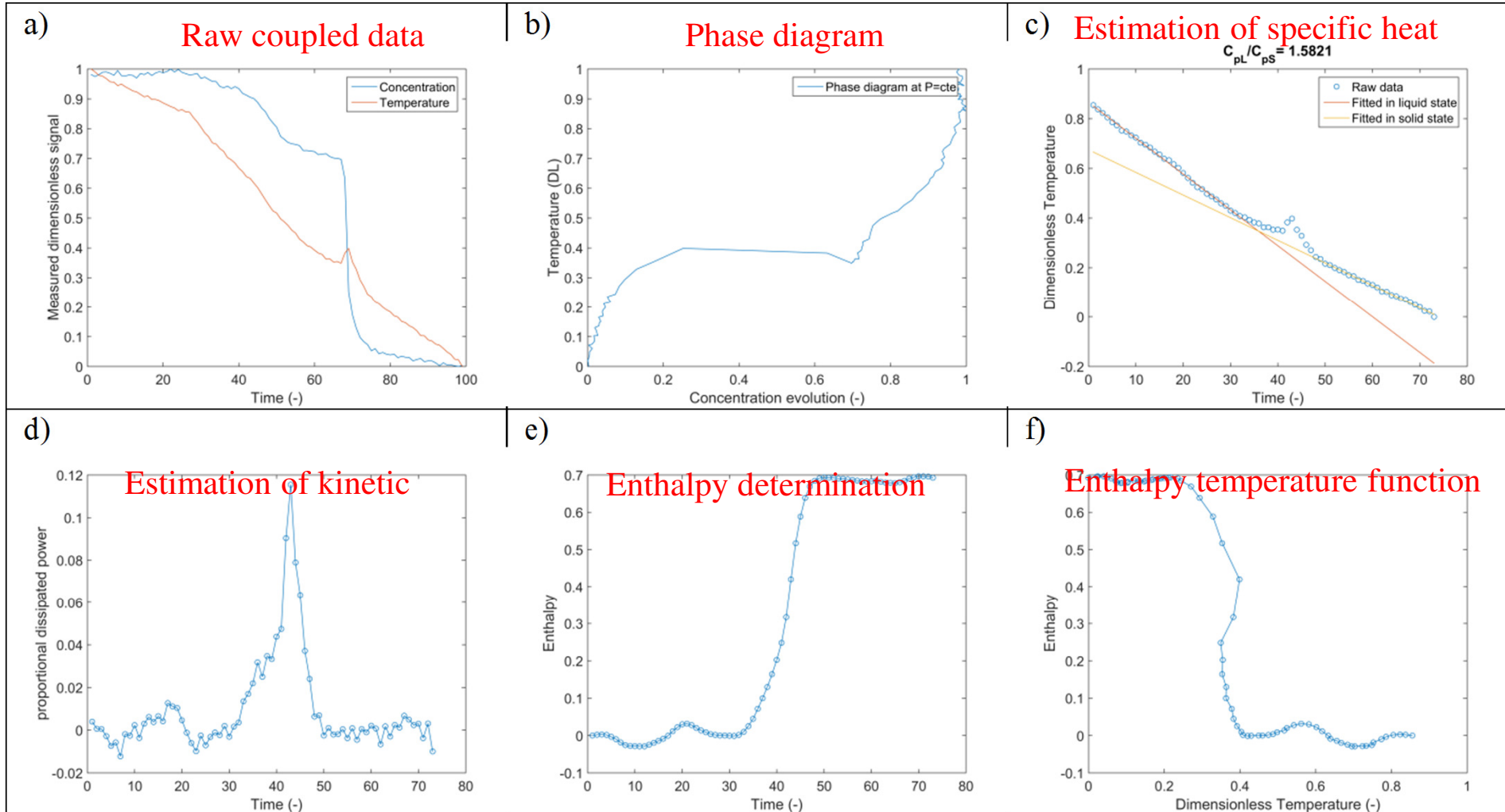
$t = 5$  ms



Temperatures

***Non contact calorimetry***

*Estimation of phase diagram, specific heat, enthalpy temperature function.....*



Application to diffusion, transport  
and source problem

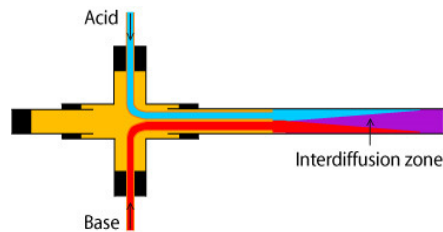
**Example of microfluidic systems**



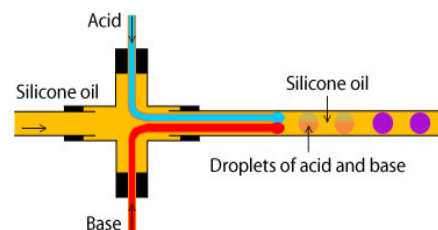
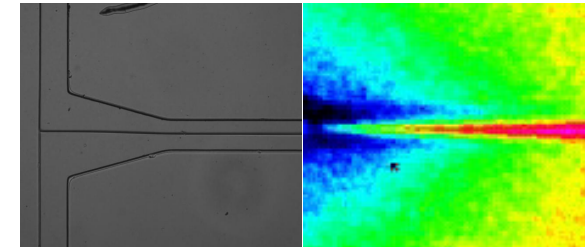


*Goals: Determination of kinetic and enthalpy of chemical reaction or phase change in millifluidic droplet flow and the heat transfer mechanisms*

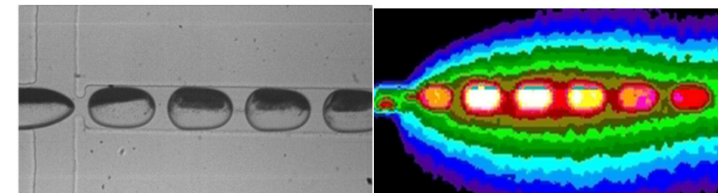
## ① Applications : Chemical reaction or phase change in co-flow or droplet flow



*Laminar flow (low Reynolds number)  
Mixing by species diffusion  
Steady state ( $x = vt$ )*



*Mixing is faster  
1 droplet = 1 microreactor*

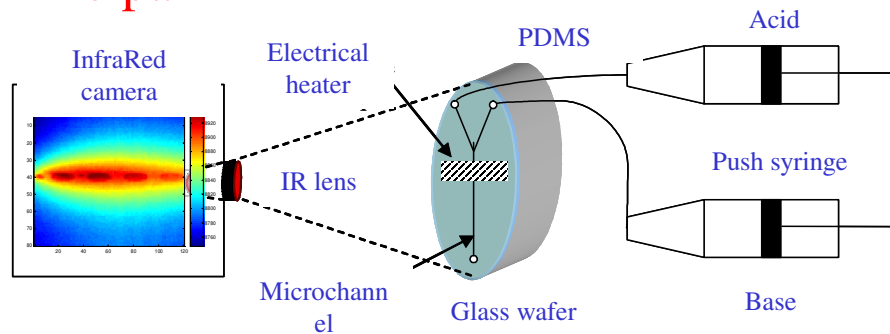


**Tools :** *Temperature fields measurements at microscales* (InfraRed camera), *analytic and numerical modelisation* (quadripole, finite difference...) and *inverse methods* (nodal: OLS, TLS and modal: SVD approaches)

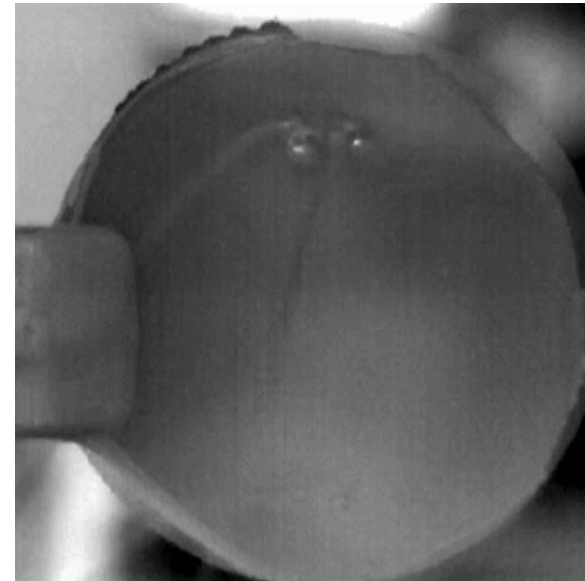
## Method for chemical reaction estimation

Measurement of chemical Acid (HCl)-base (NaOH),  $C = 0.25 \text{ M}$ :

### Principal



### Results

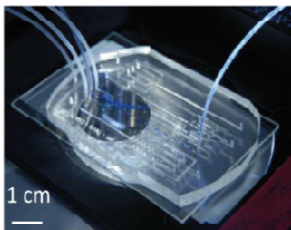


Températures  $T^c$ , à  $Q = 1000 \mu\text{l/h}$

### Thermal modelization

$$\frac{V(x,y)}{a} \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} = \left( \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} \right) + \phi(x,y)$$

$$\phi_{i,j} = \Delta(T_{i,j}^c) - Pe_{i,j} \delta(T_{i,j}^c)$$

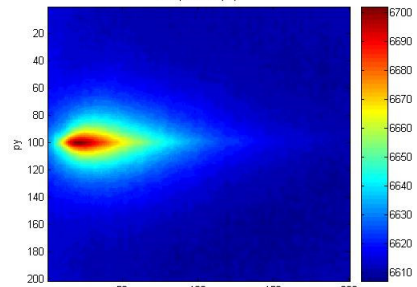


2 parameters estimation  
Peclet number  
Thermal calibration

## Heat source and hydrodynamic analysis

Acide (HCl)-base (NaOH), C = 0.25 M

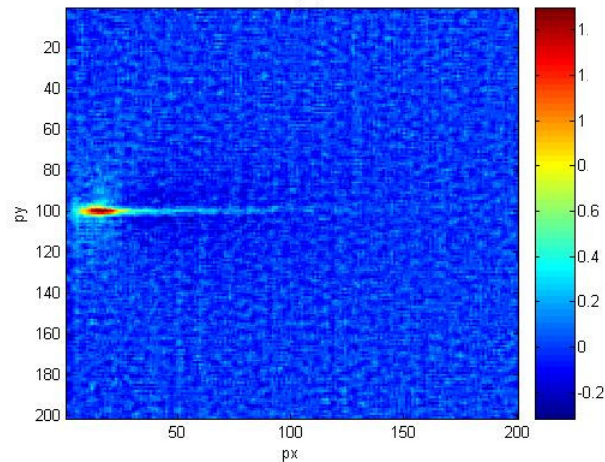
### Temperature measurement



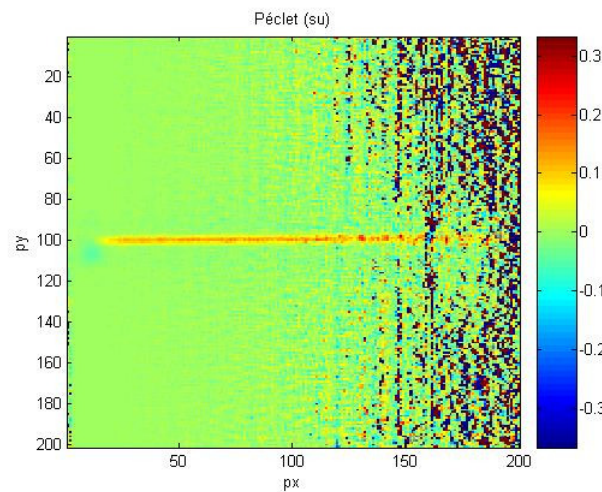
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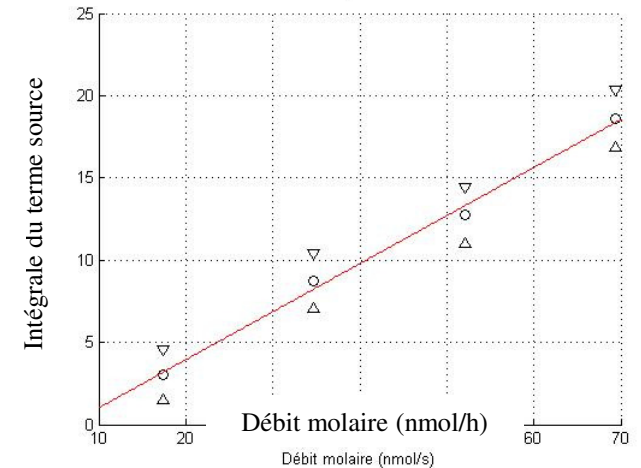
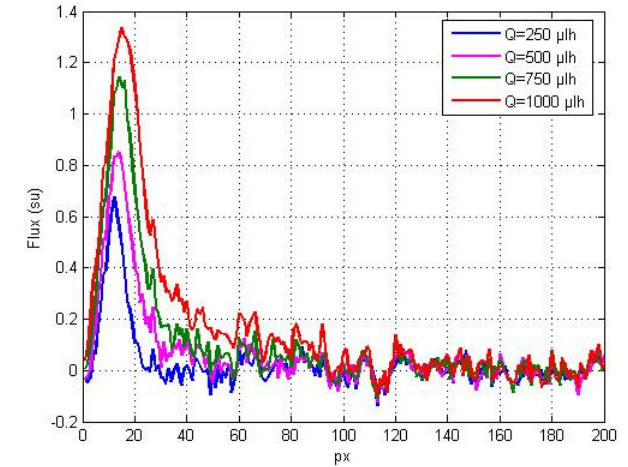
Flux (su)



Cartographie de terme source à  $Q = 1000 \mu\text{l/h}$

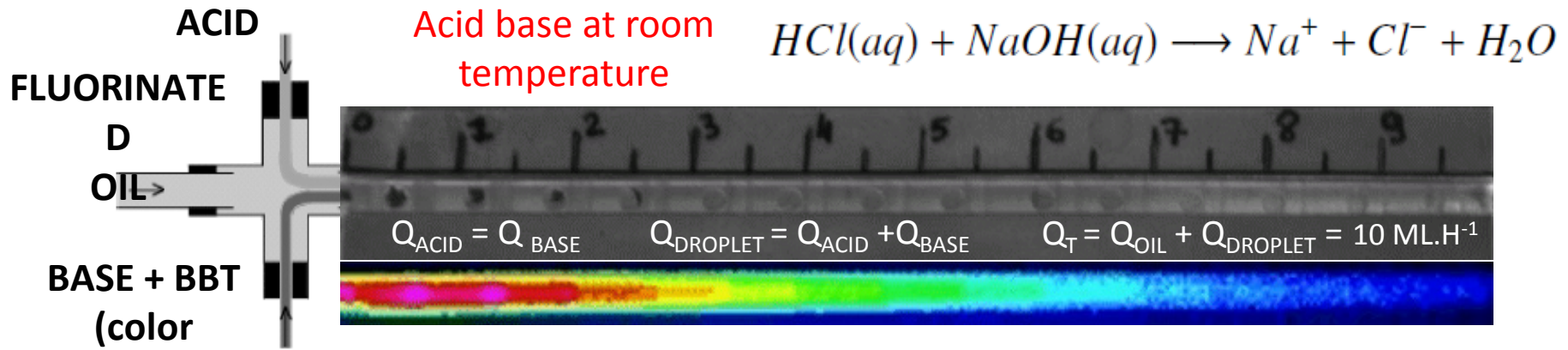


Estimated source

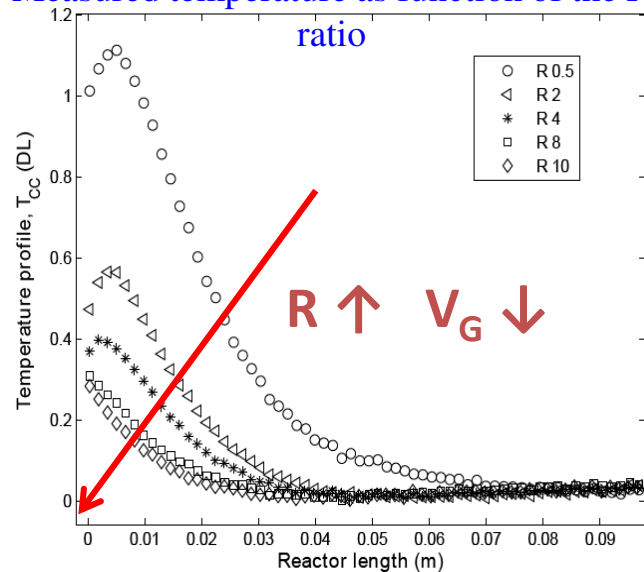


Intégrale du terme source (selon x) à différents débits

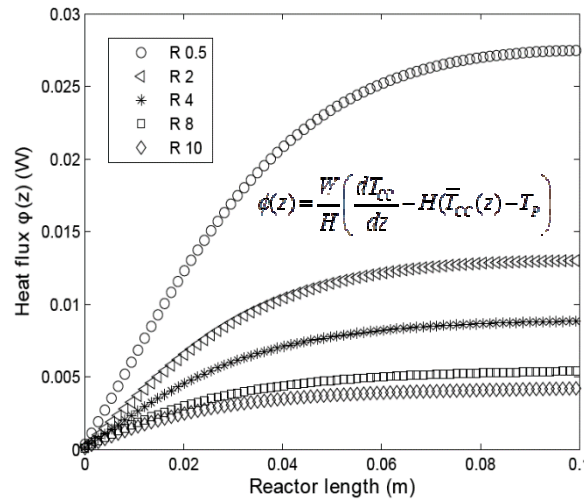
### Kinetic and enthalpy by non contact calorimetry



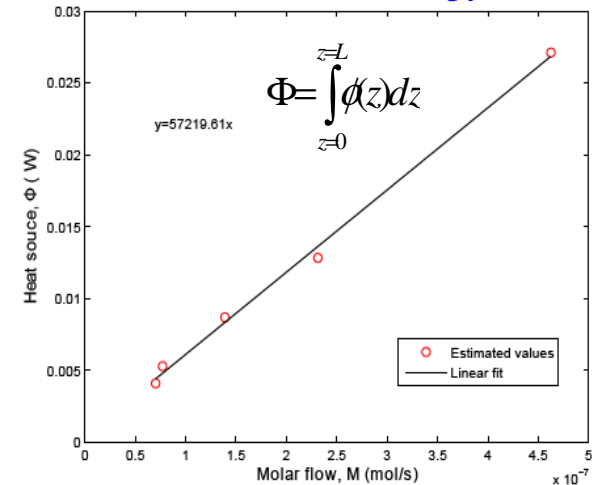
Measured temperature as function of the R ratio



Estimated kinetic



Estimated enthalpy



**Kinetic estimation and Enthalpy measured =  $57 \pm 2.4$  kJ/mol,**  
**Reported valued on literature = 56 kJ/mol**

Application to diffusion problem in  
mass transfer

**Example of drying process**



## Classical law of absorption

THz attenuation coefficient is based on Beer-lambert law

$$\frac{A(x, y, \lambda)}{l_s} = \mu_s(x, y, \lambda) + \mu_w(x, y, \lambda) \frac{\rho_s(x, y, \lambda)}{\rho_w(x, y, \lambda)} W(x, y, \lambda)$$

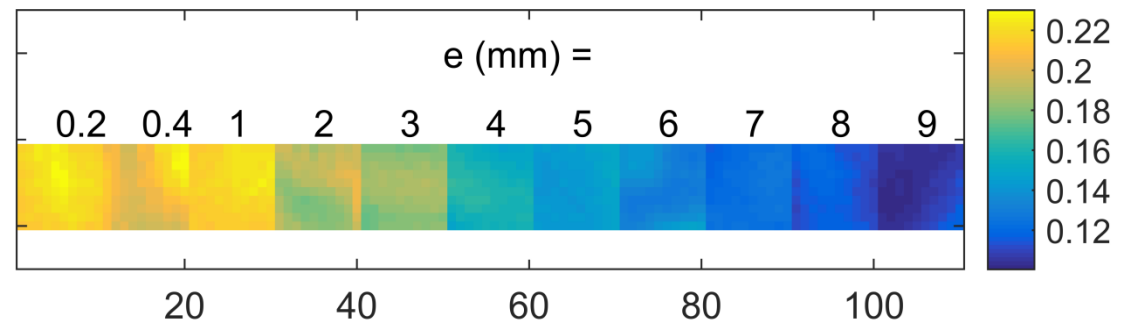
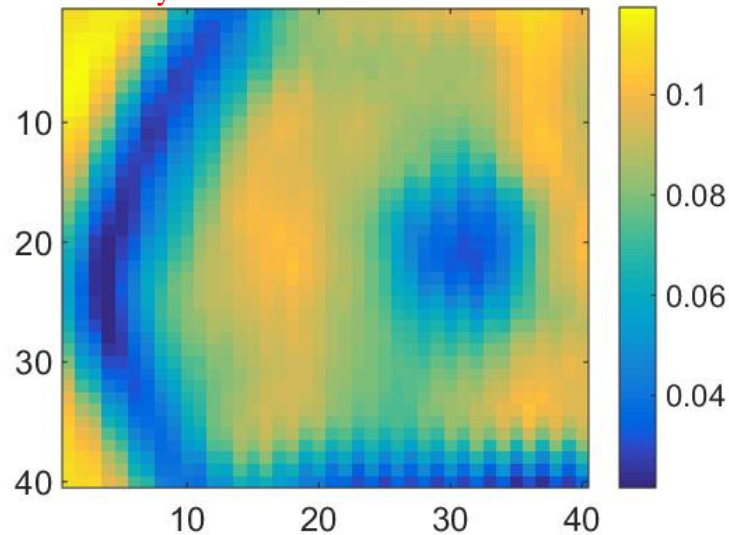
$A(x, y, \lambda)$  is the absorbance,

$\mu_s(x, y, \lambda)$  and  $\mu_w(x, y, \lambda)$  are the absorption coefficient of solid and water,

$\rho_s(x, y, \lambda)$  and  $\rho_w(x, y, \lambda)$  are the density of solid and water,

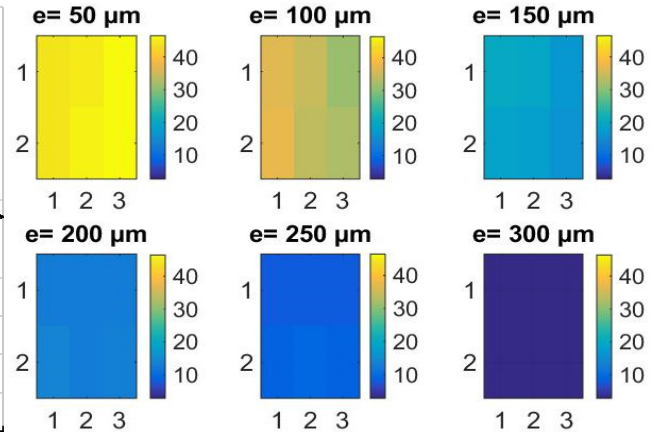
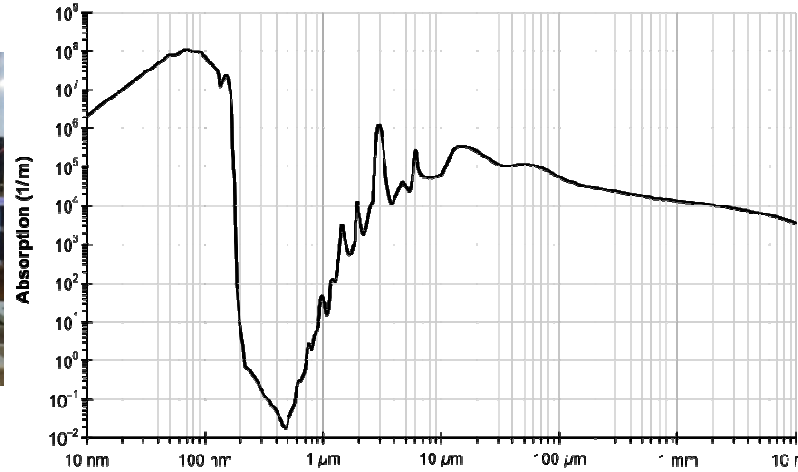
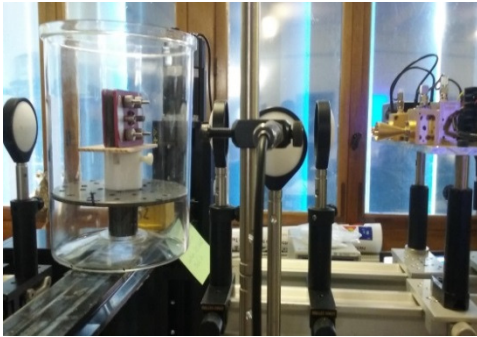
$W(x, y, \lambda)$  is the local water content

Mass density variation at constant thickness and water content on apple slice



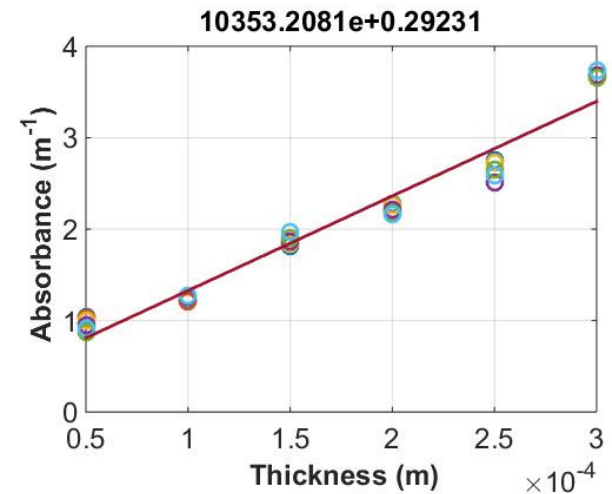
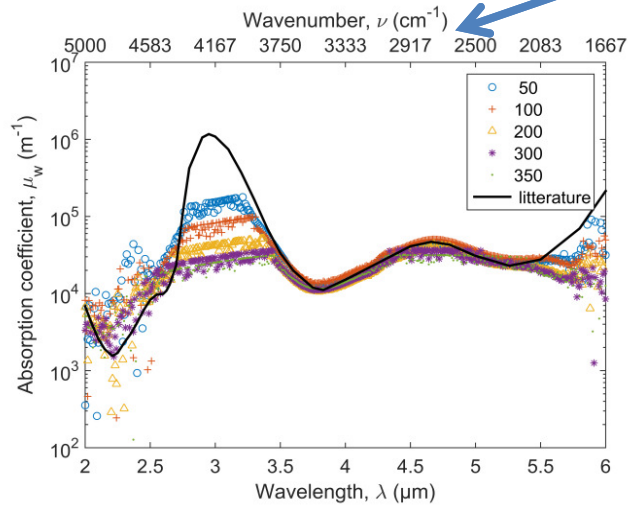
THz attenuation coefficient as function of thickness  
On blotting paper

## Validation on pure water on « THz » wave



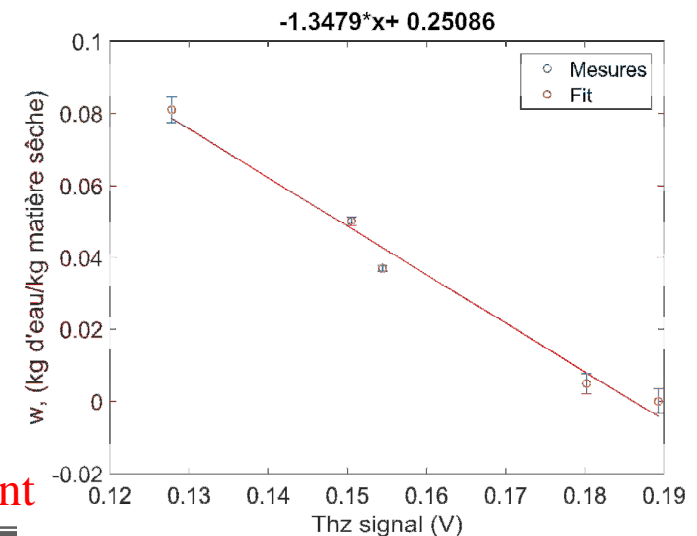
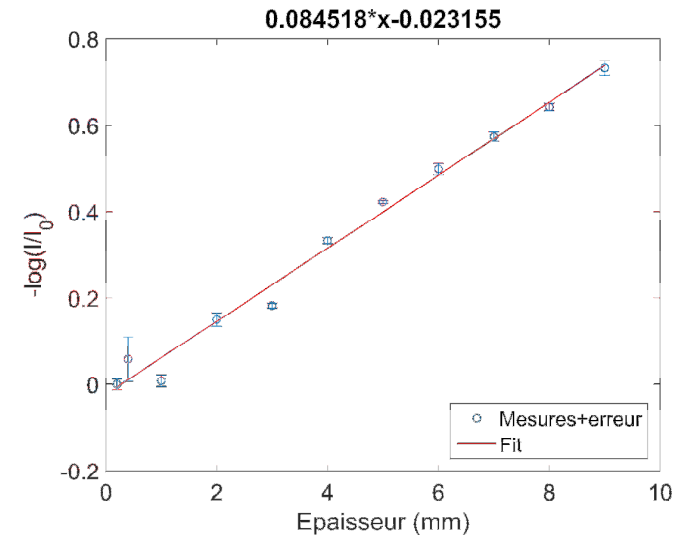
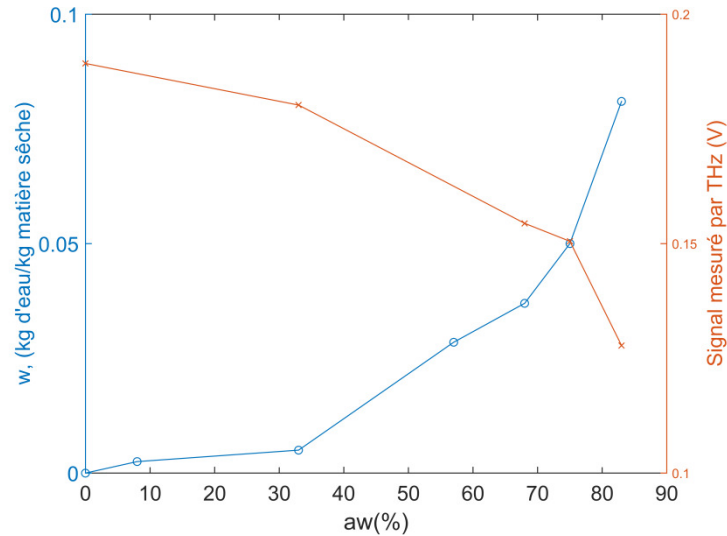
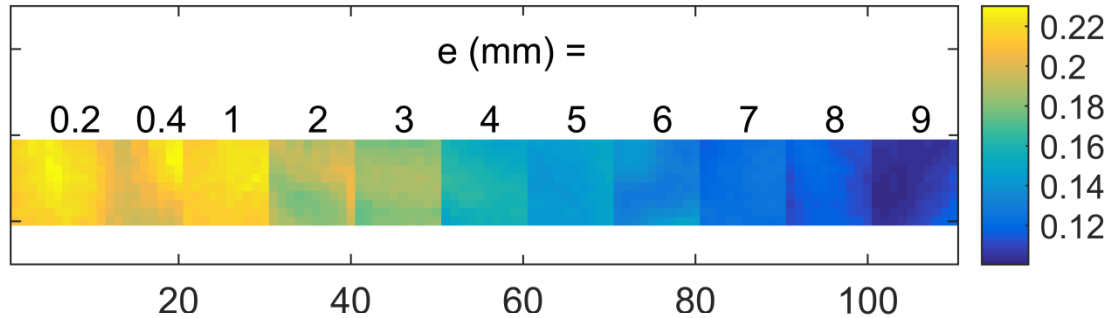
Up to 400 μm of water in mm waves

Up to 10 cm in μm one



## Calibration of water content validity on blotting paper

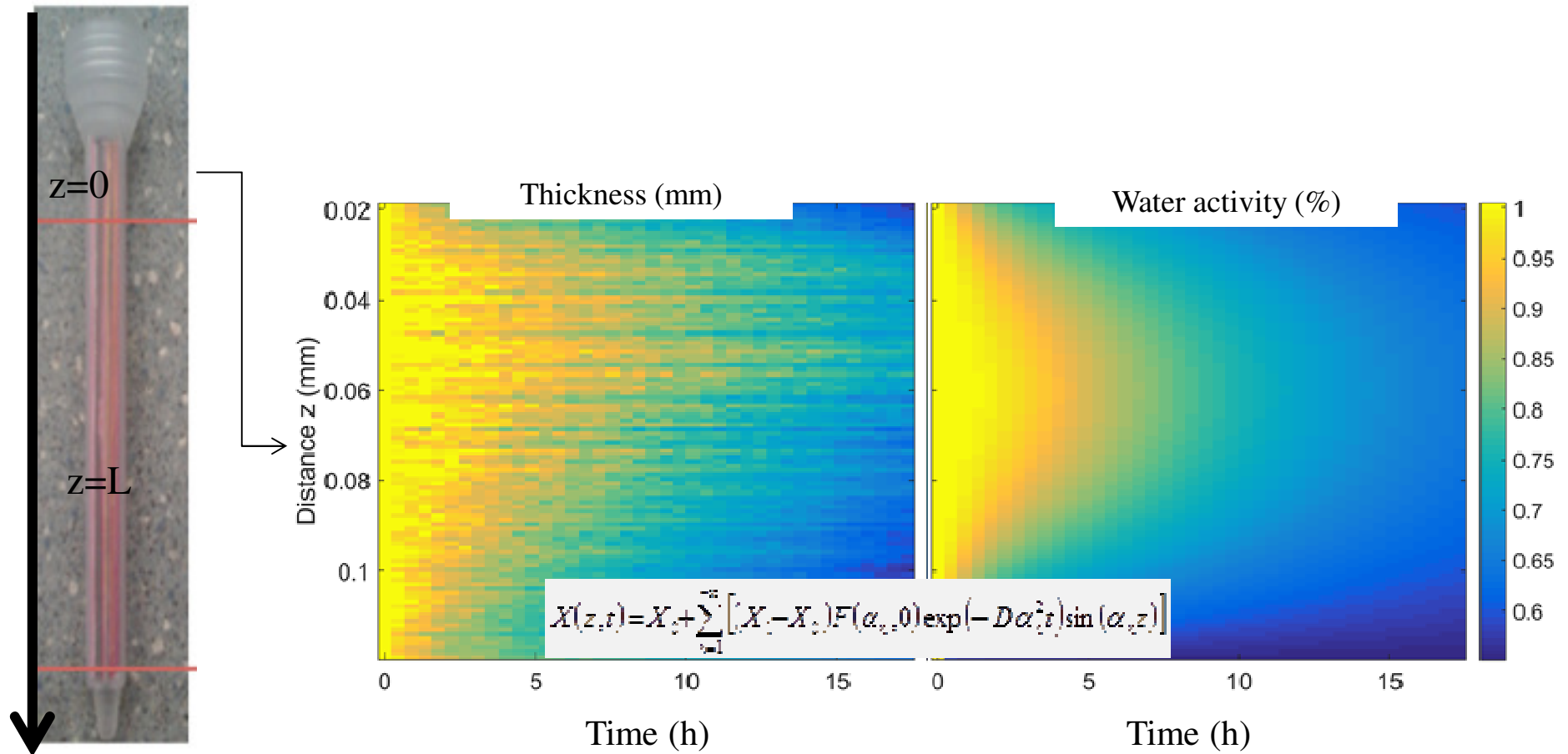
THz attenuation coefficient as function of thickness on blotting paper



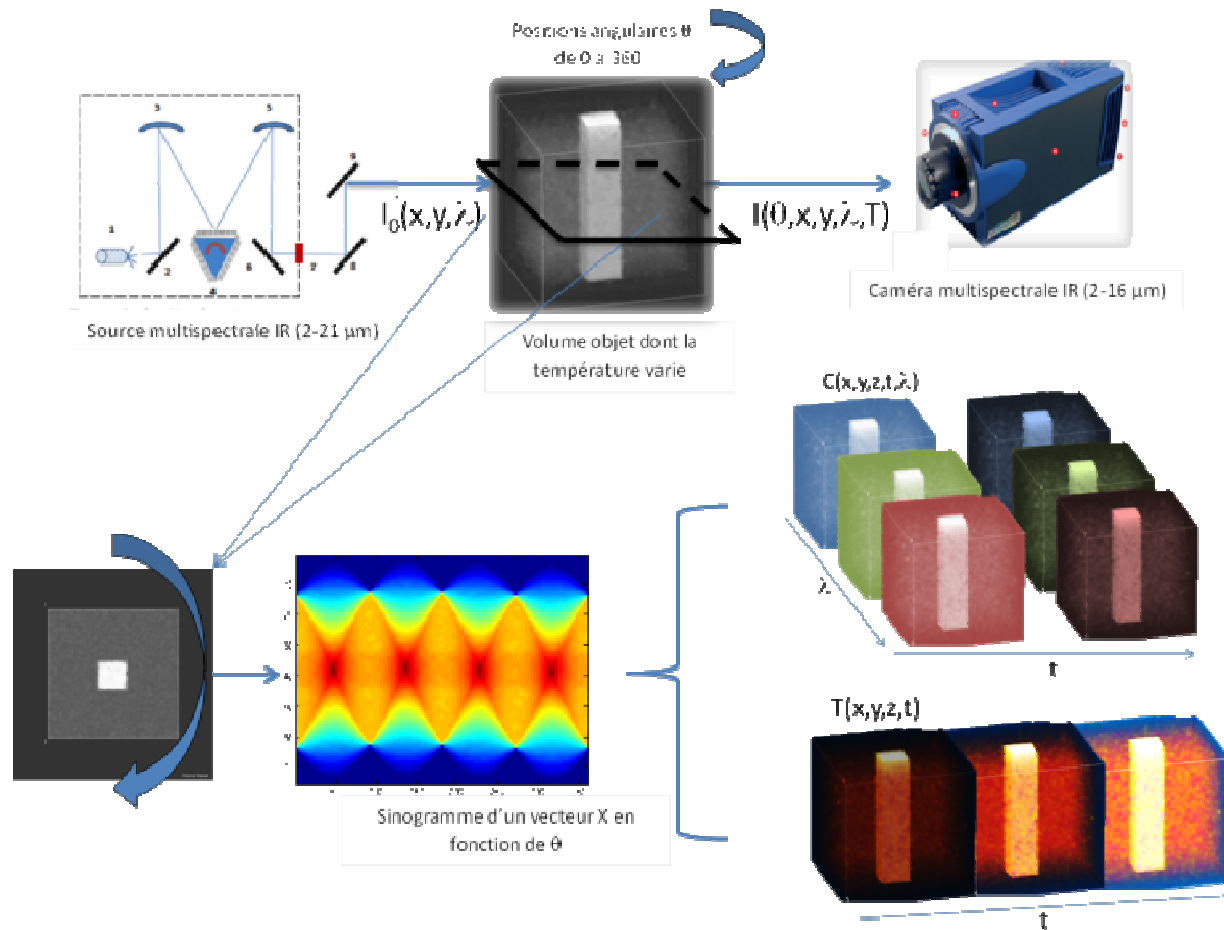
## CONTACTLESS volumic water content measurement



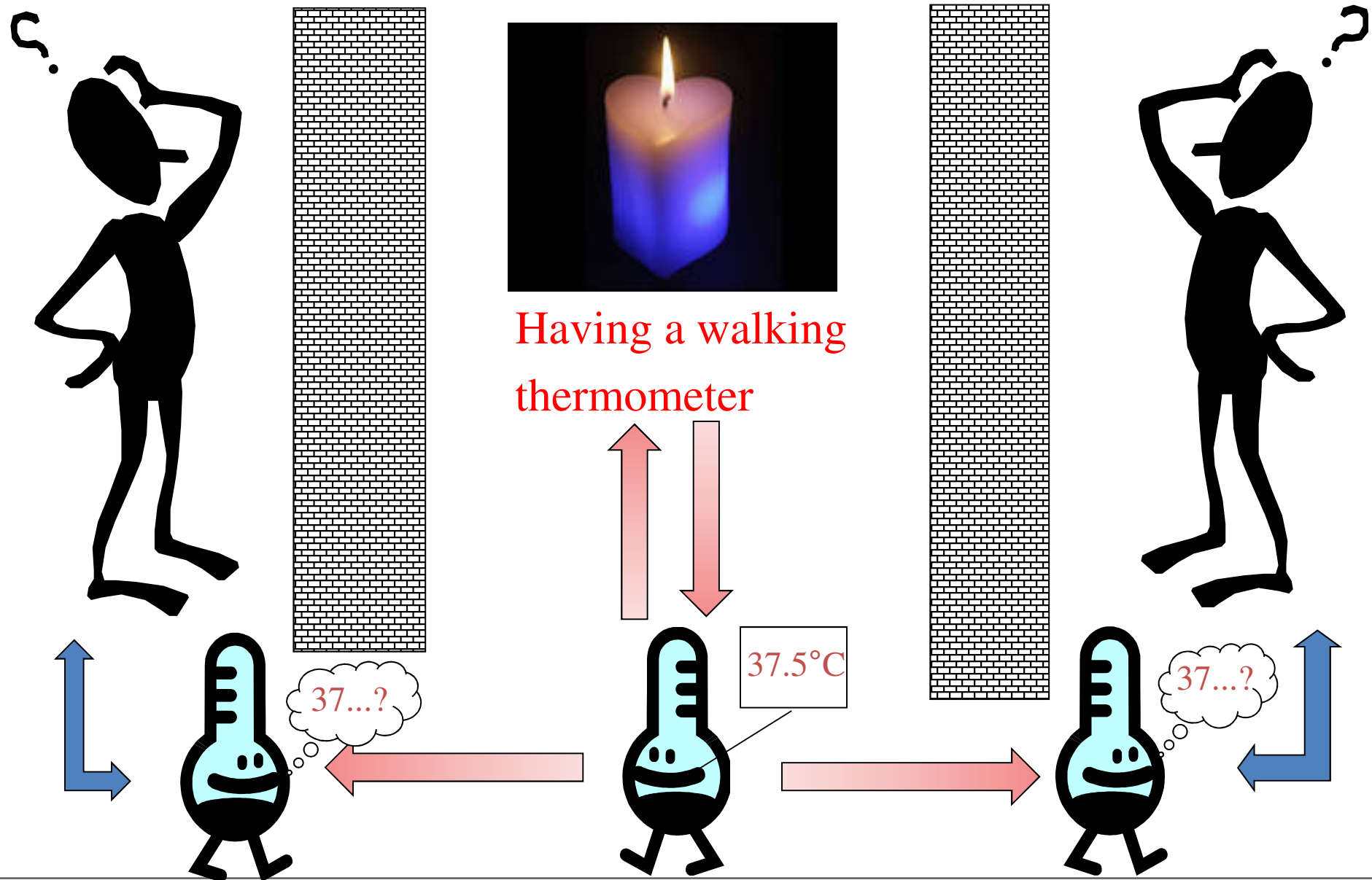
## Application on dynamic mass transfer diffusion problem

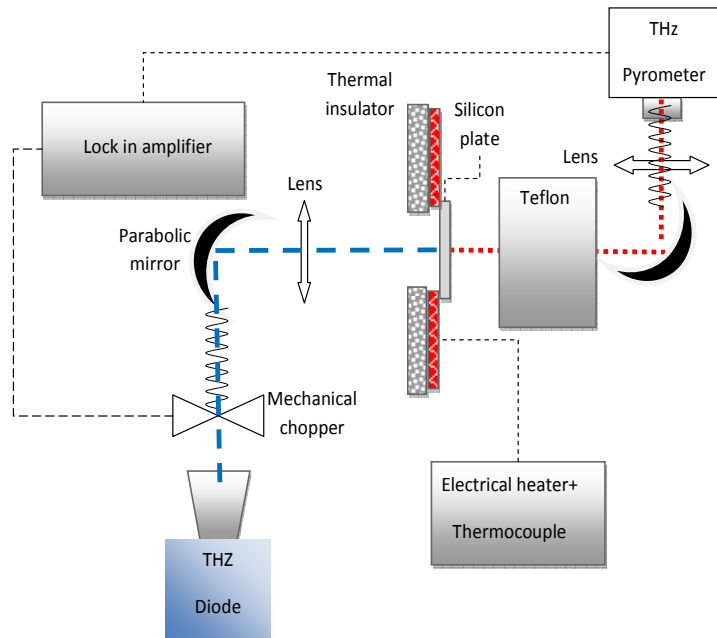


# From broadband THz camera



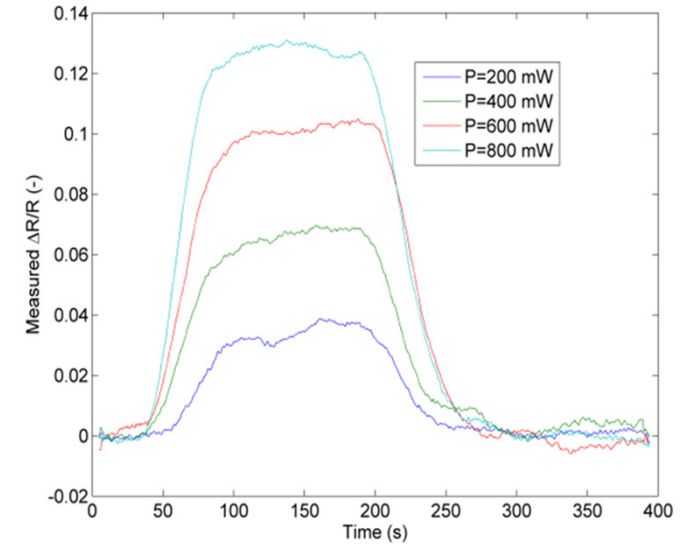
## To 3D thermal imaging tomography



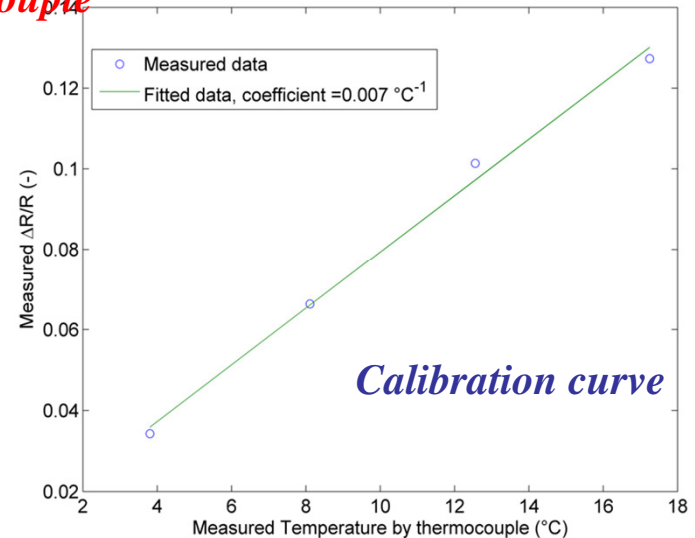
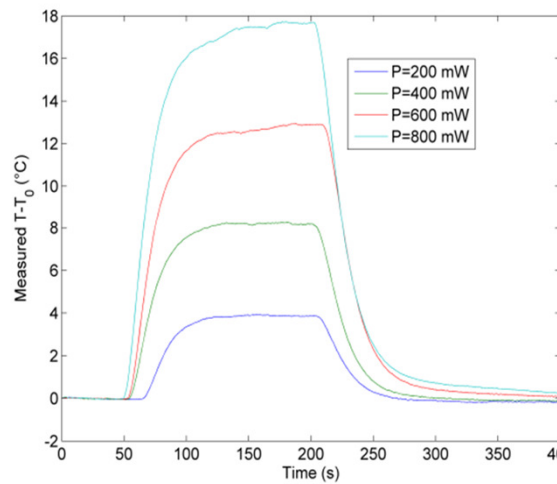


$$\frac{\Gamma(T) - \Gamma(T_0)}{\Gamma(T_0)} = \tau(T - T_0)$$

*Temperature measured by our method*



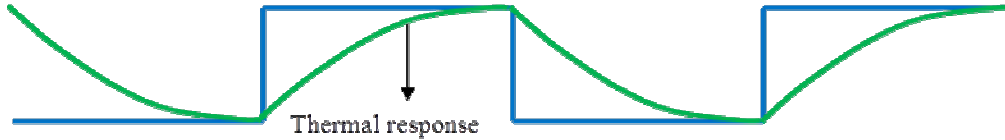
*Temperature measured by thermocouple*



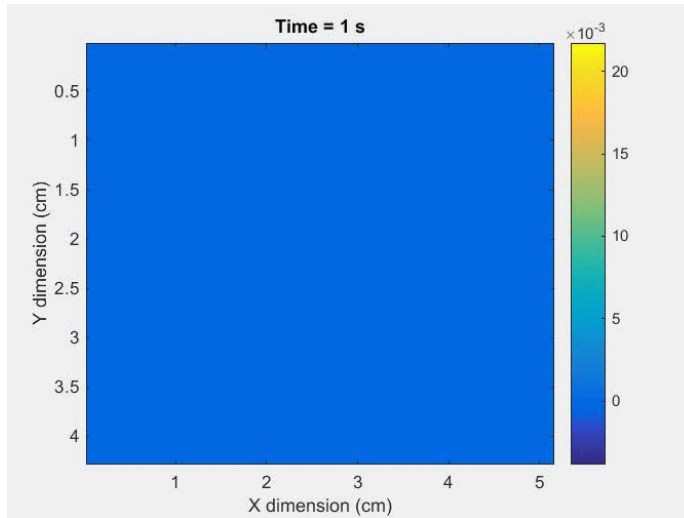
*Very good linearity  
between measured  
temperature with TC  
and THz  
VERY GOOD  
sensitivity 100 mK*



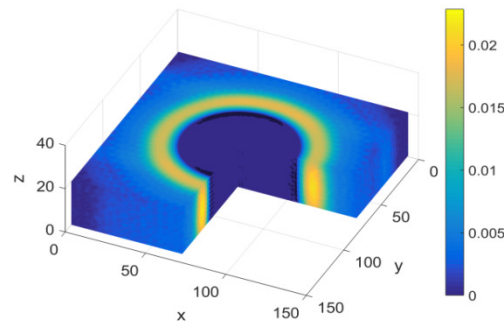
## Experimental procedure



*Angular position*

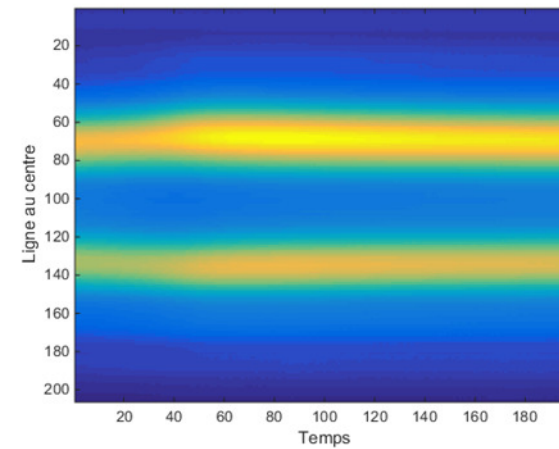
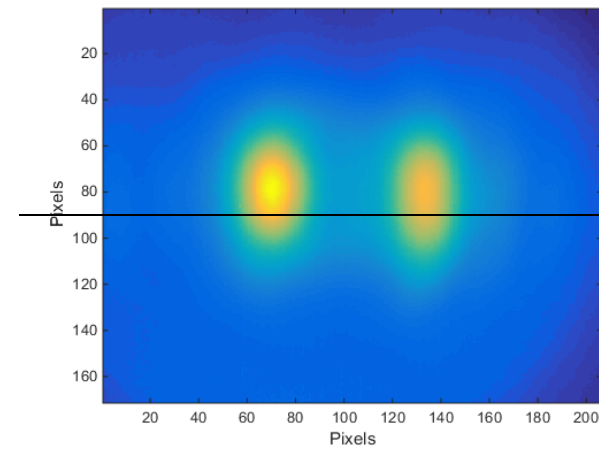


*Measured images as function of time*

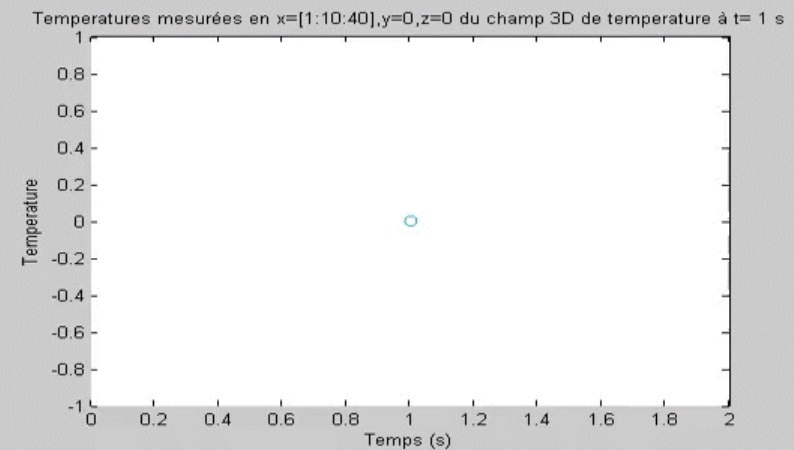
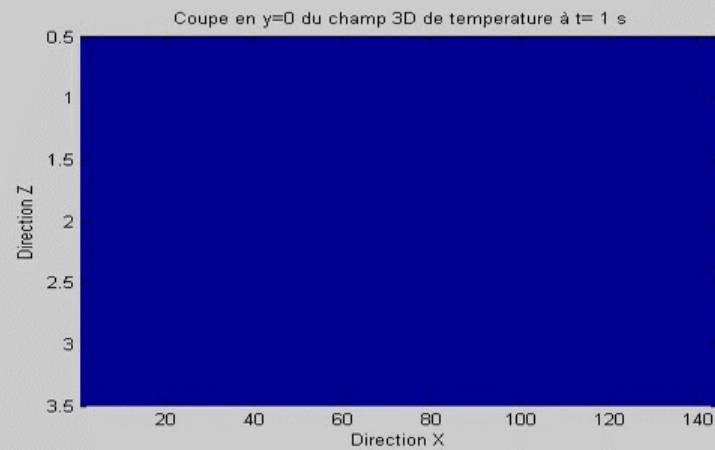
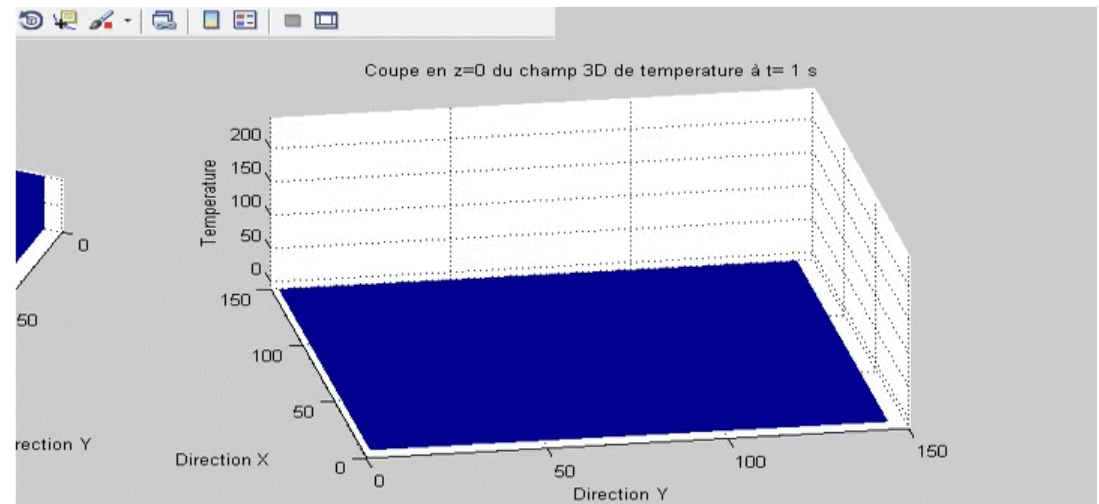


*3D reconstruction after radon transform*

*Image at room temperature*



*Line as function of time*



## *Thz imaging and tomography*

*Development of a broadband multispectral camera*

*No obstacle to measure T and C variations inside materials*

*First temperature images on homogeneous media*

## *Improvements*

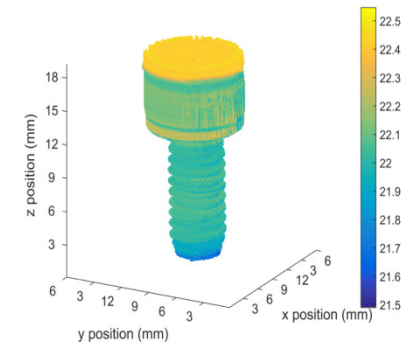
*Analysis of error sources (optics, environment...)*

*Extension to liquids or gas*

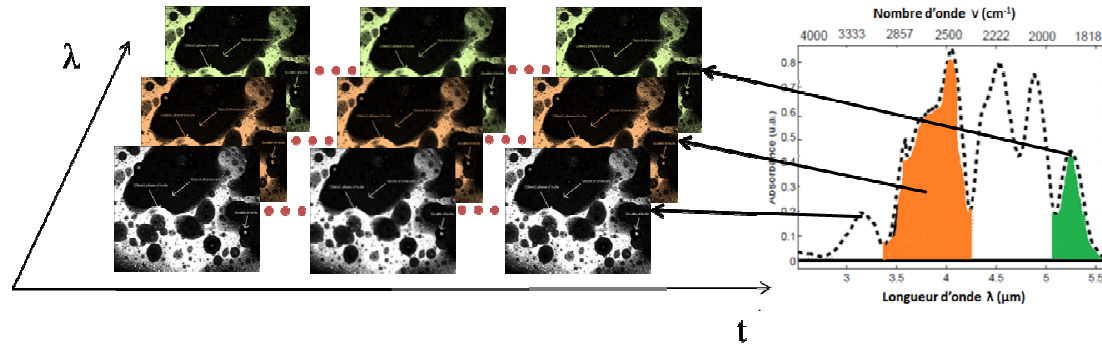
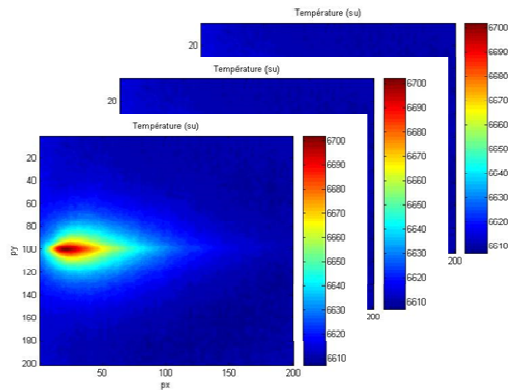
## *Applications*

*Dynamic study of Drying and wetting  
process in wood*

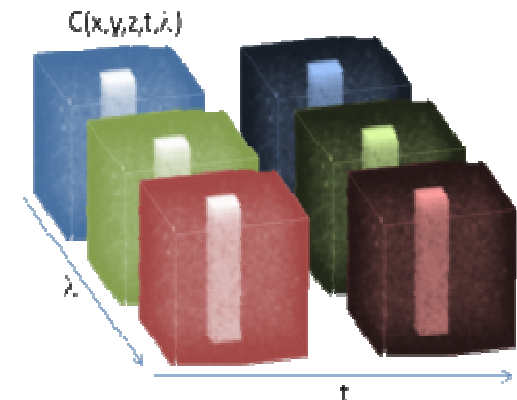
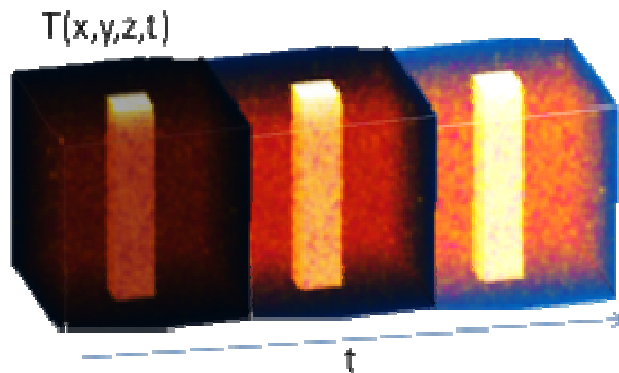
*Tools for 3D characterization of materials*



*Experimentation joint the numeric (big data and multiphysics)*



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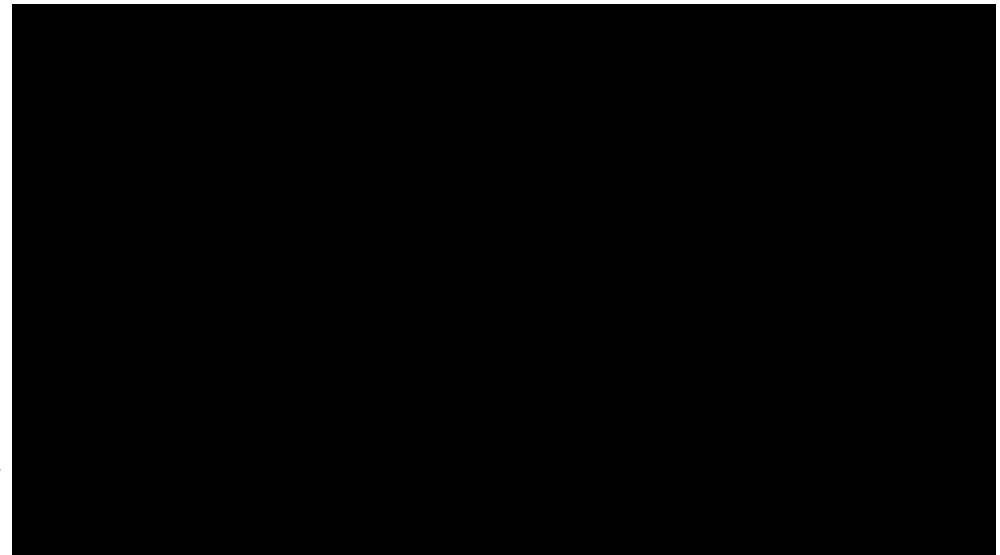


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