

Oxytetracycline at Environmental Interfaces Studied by Second Harmonic Generation

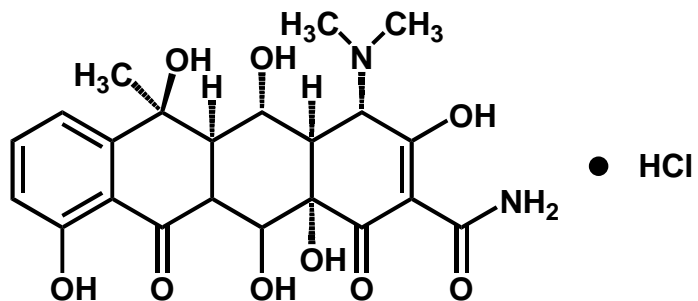


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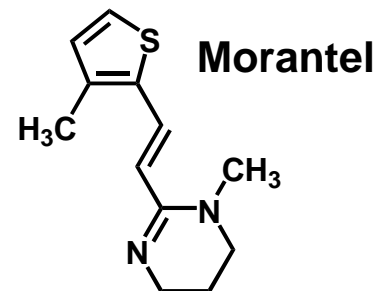
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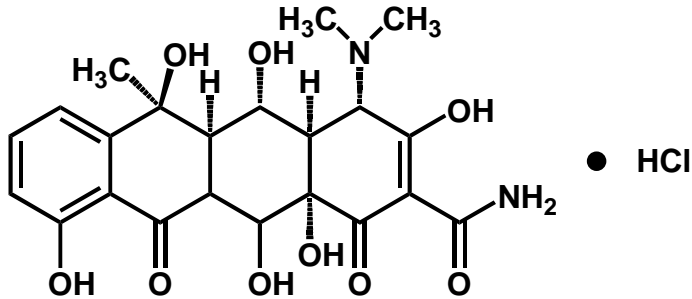
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• **Tetracyclines are used in humans and cattle/poultry/swine**

• **Estimated 3 million pounds of tetracyclines used annually for growth stimulation in livestock!**

• **25-75% of tetracyclines administered to animals are excreted in the active form.**



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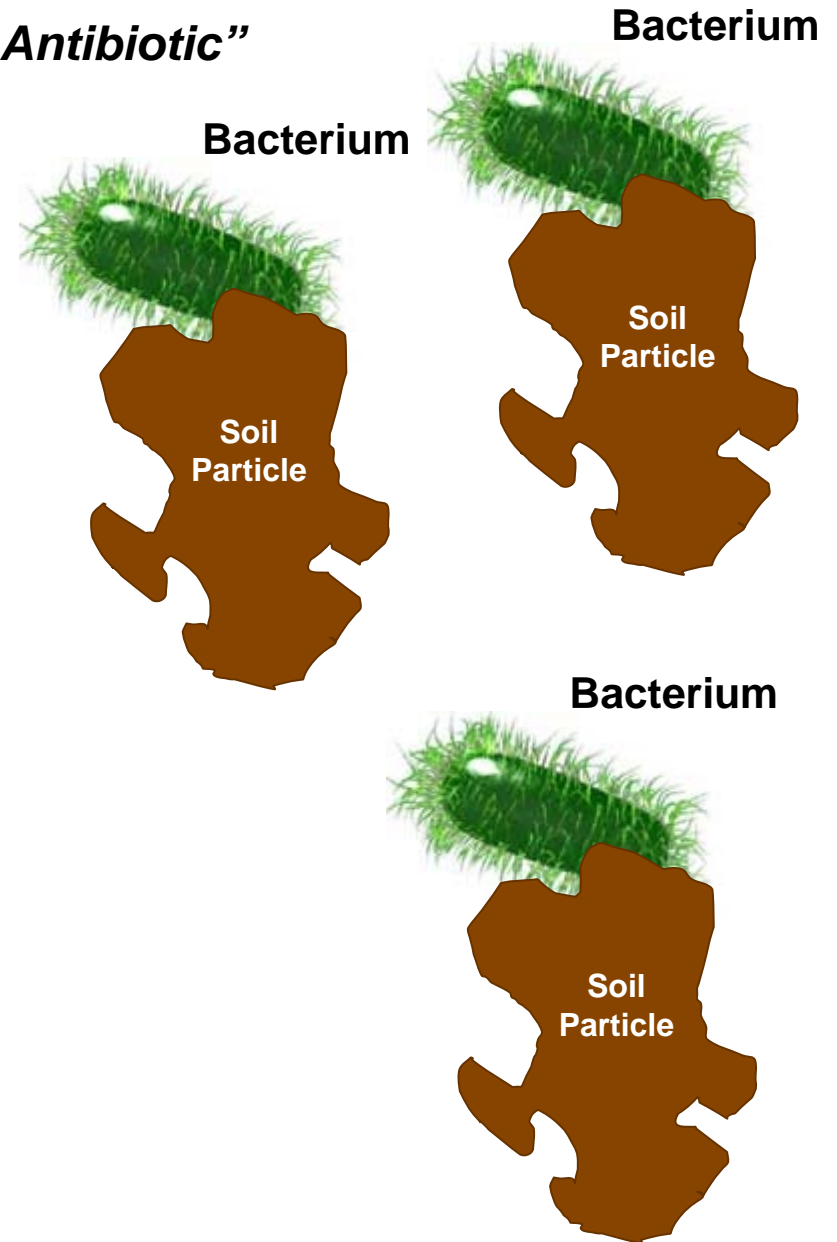
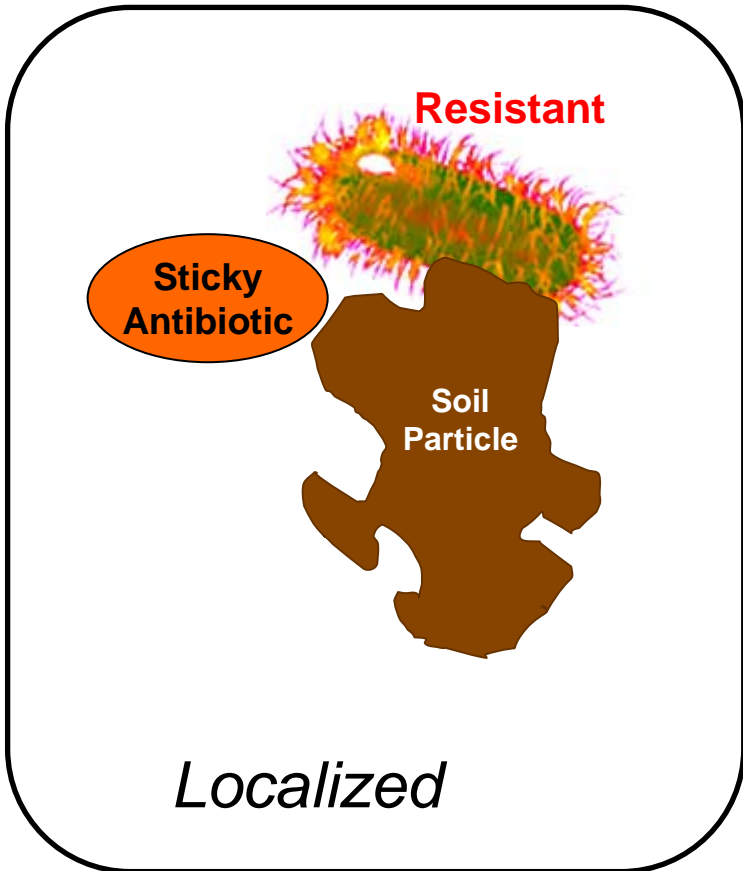
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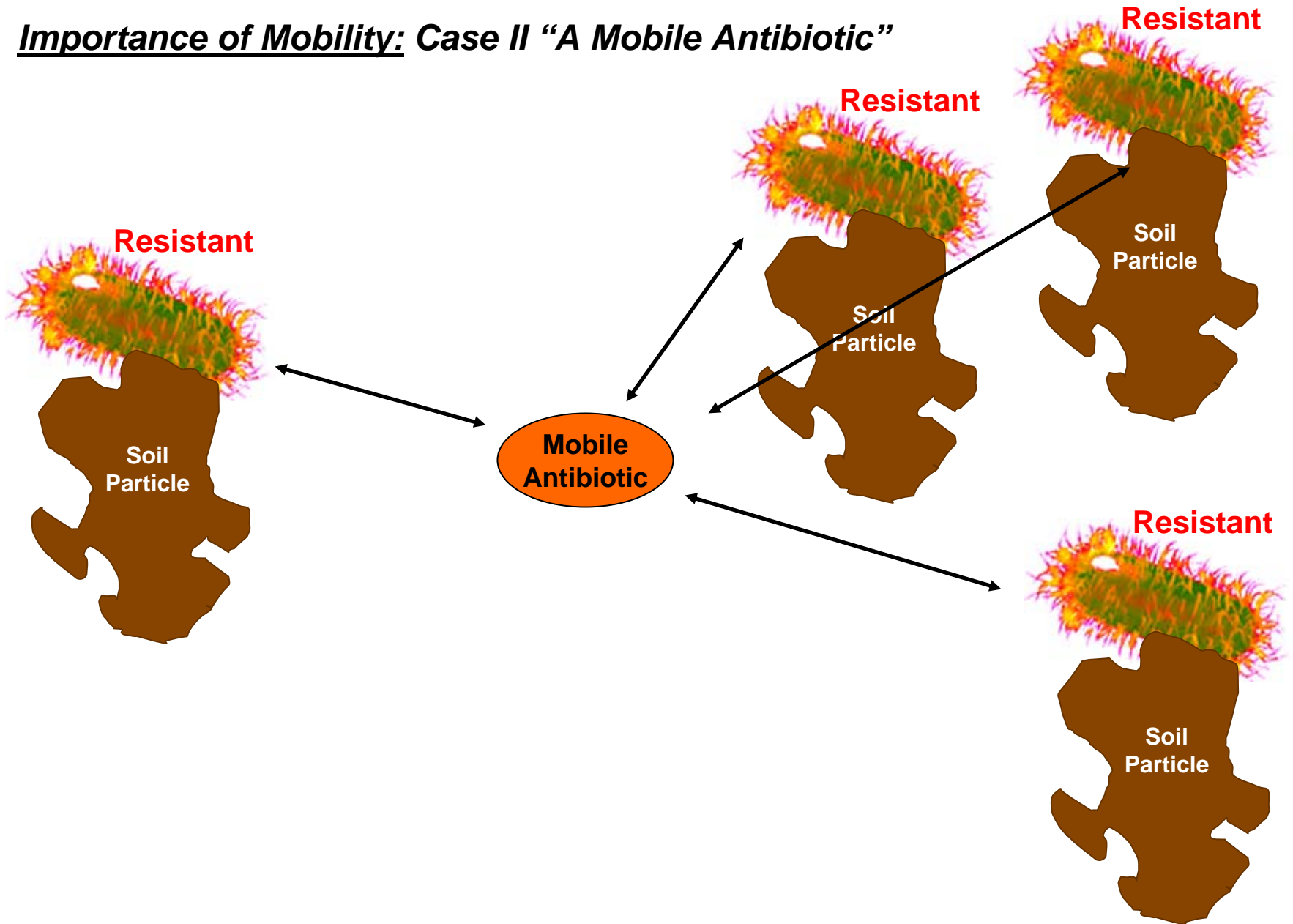
Antibiotic Resistance in Soil Bacteria

Importance of Mobility: Case I “A Sticky Antibiotic”

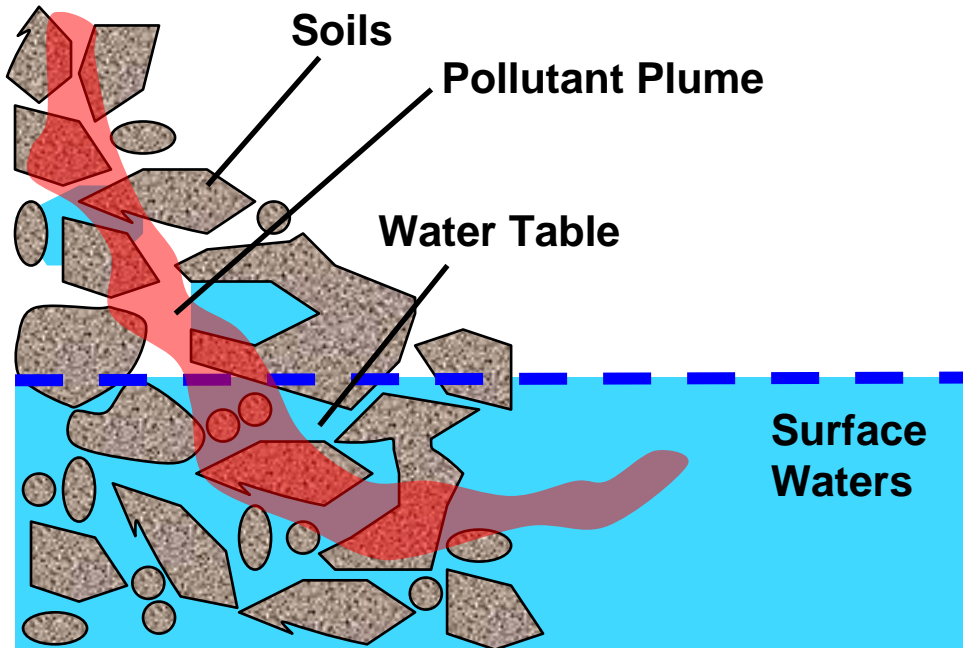


Antibiotic Resistance in Soil Bacteria

Importance of Mobility: Case II "A Mobile Antibiotic"



Environmental Interfaces Control Transport, Reactivity, Bioavailability



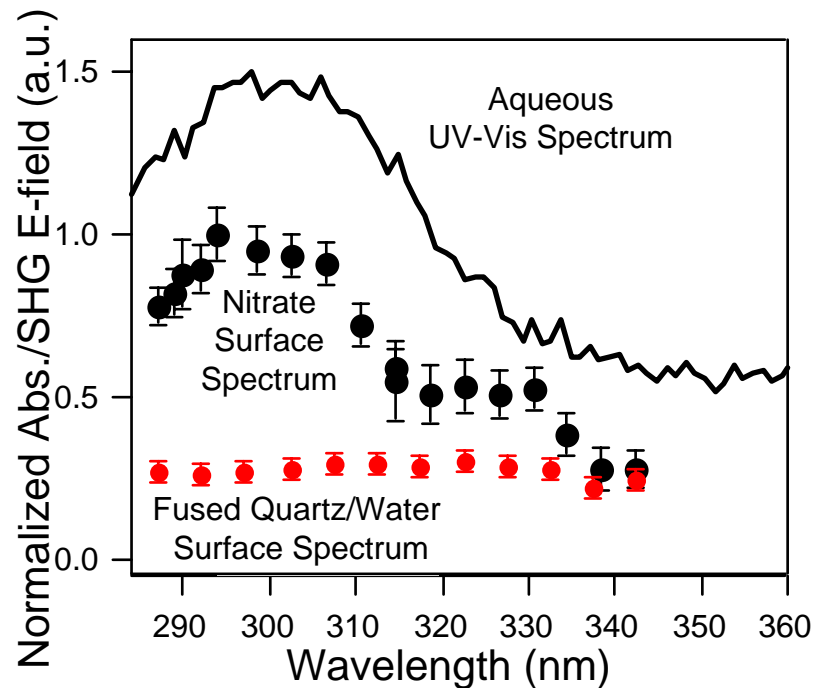
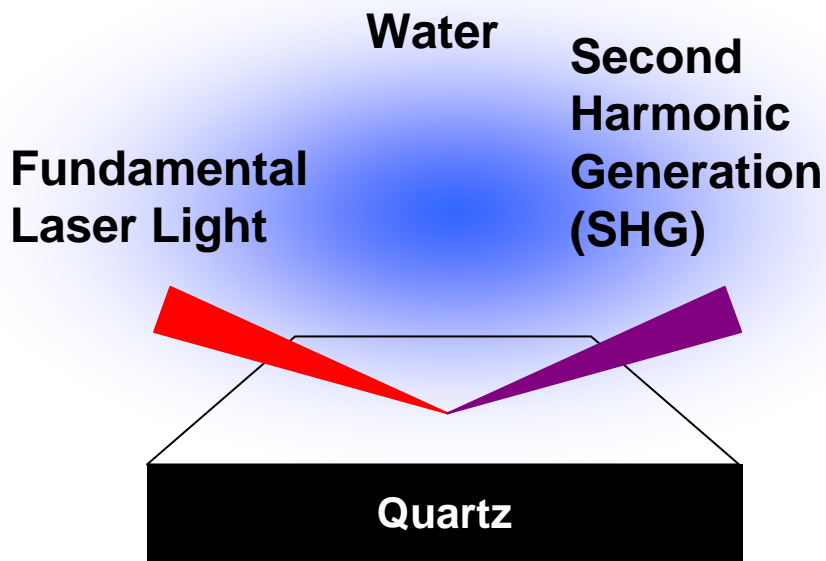
Challenges:

- Complexity
- Separating Bulk from Surface
- Sensitivity



Second Harmonic Generation

Second Harmonic Generation (SHG)



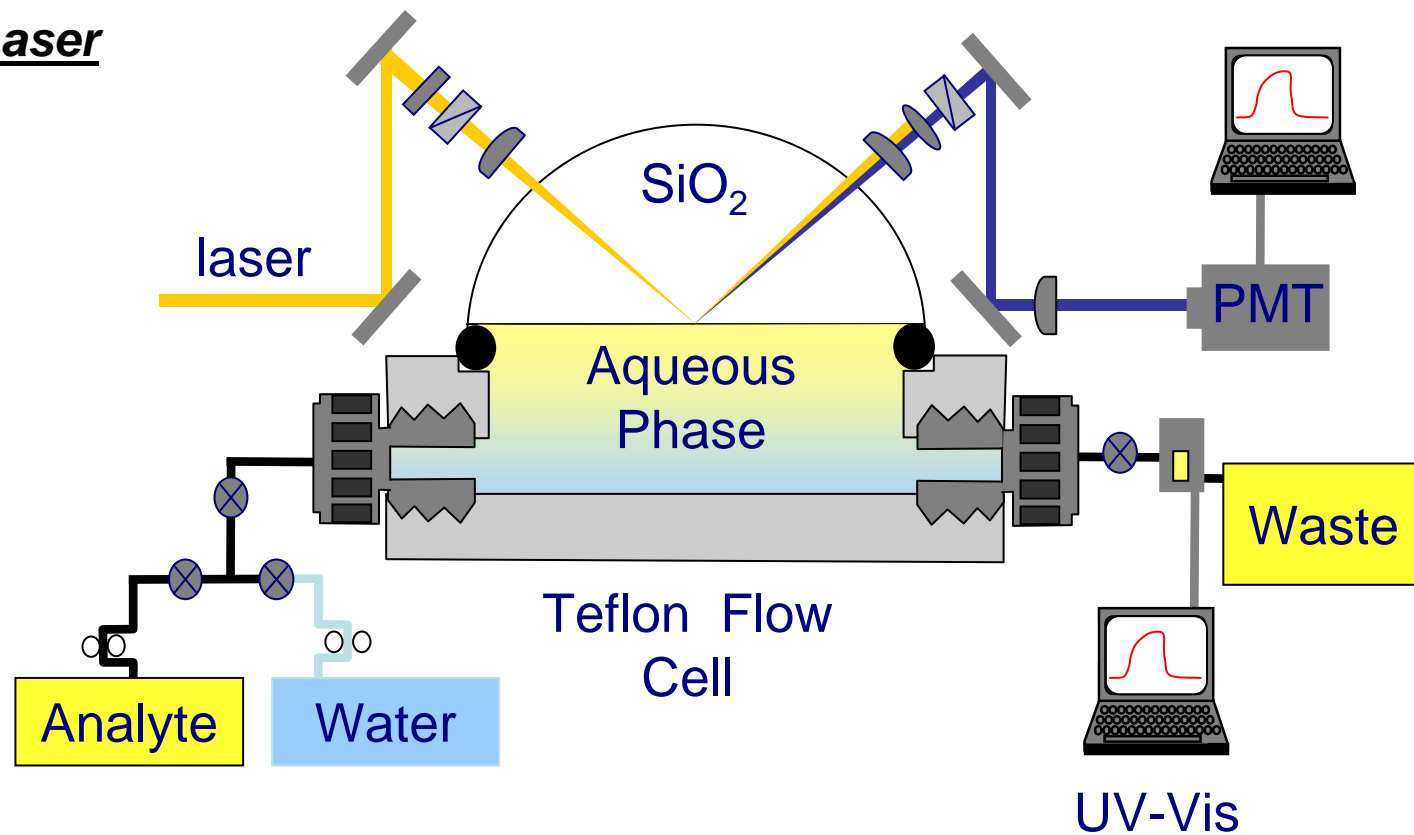
Advantages:

- Surface-Specific
- Sensitivity Allows for Real-time Monitoring of Adsorption
- Experiments Run Under Flow Conditions

“Measurable” is $E_{\text{SHG}} \propto N_{\text{ads}}$

Experimental Setup

Pulsed & Tunable Laser



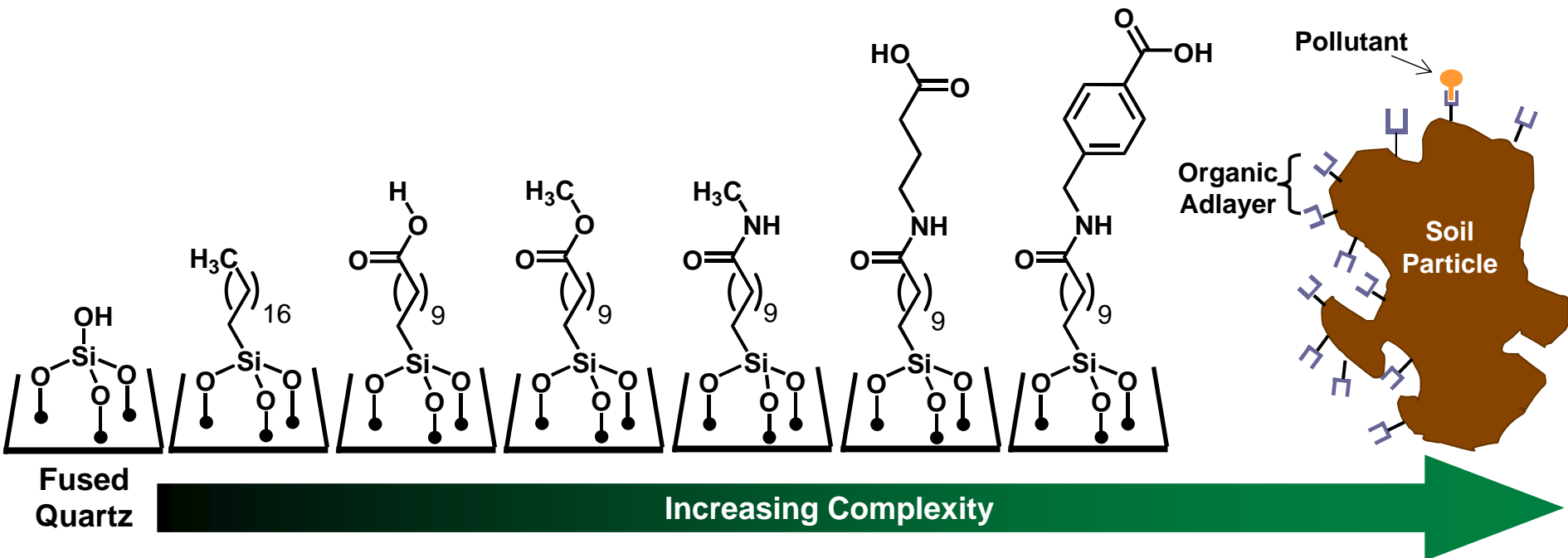
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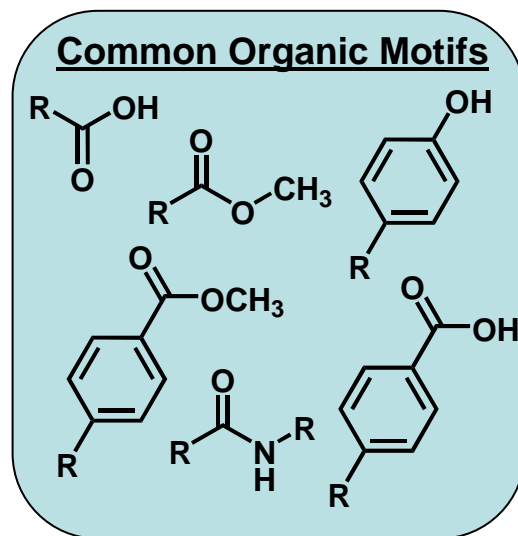
Model Environmental Interfaces



Our Strategy:

Use synthetic chemistry to:

- (1) Isolate and study individual functional groups.
- (2) Build more complex model interfaces.



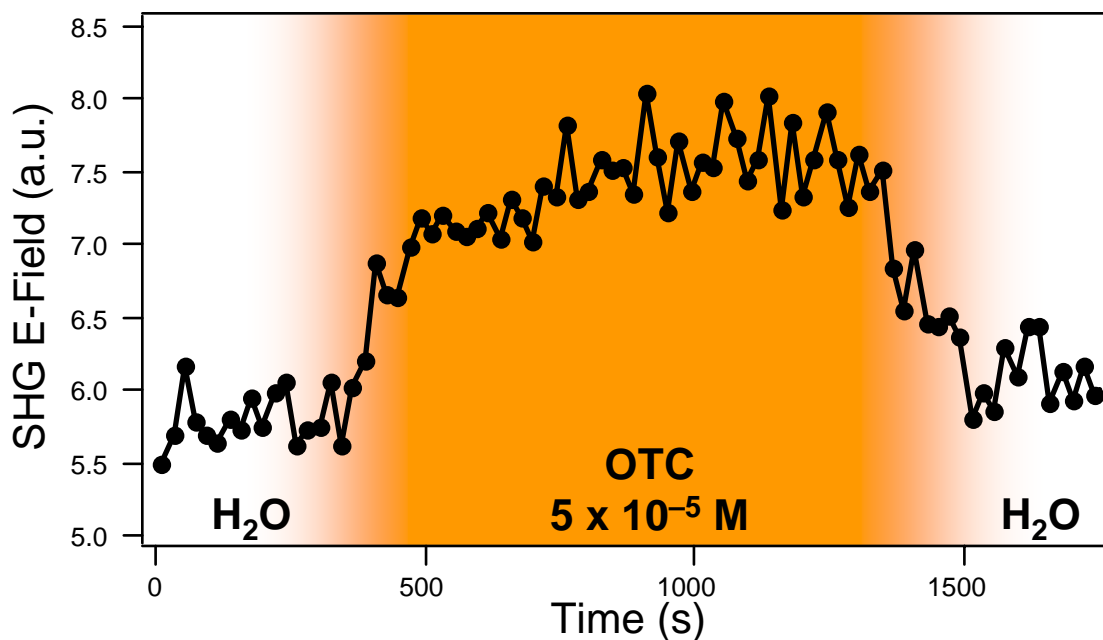
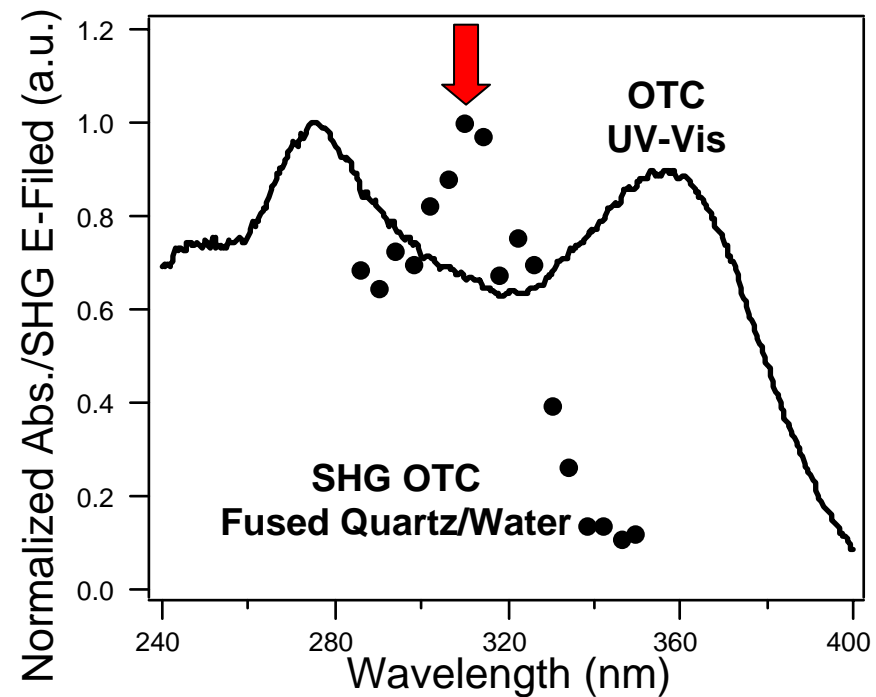
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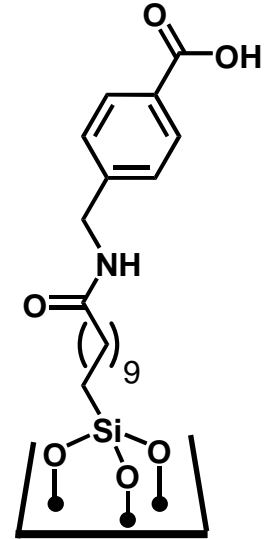
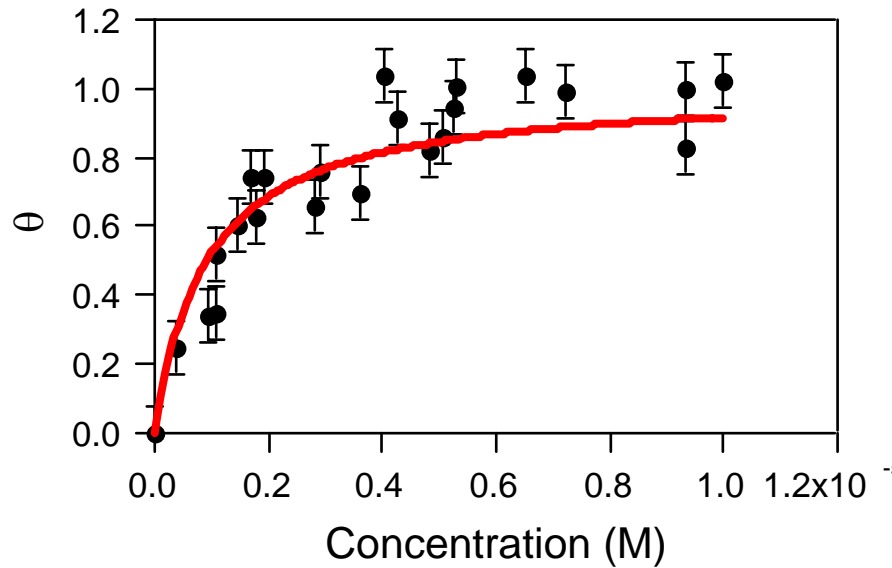
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OTC Spectroscopy and Adsorption/Desorption Trace at Fused Quartz/Water Interface (pH 8)



OTC Isotherm & The K_d Model (pH 8)



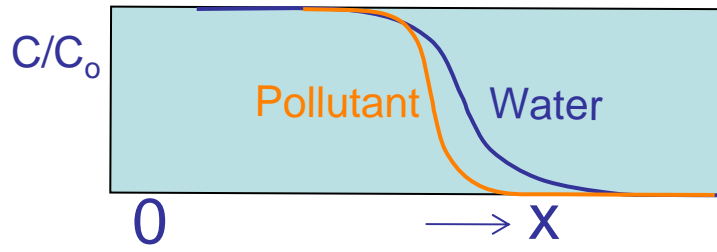
Retardation Factor:

$$R = 1 + (\rho/n) \cdot K_d$$

$$K_d = 0.11 \text{ mL/g}$$

$$\text{Taking: } (\rho/n) = 4 - 10 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

$$R_f = 1.44 - 2.1$$



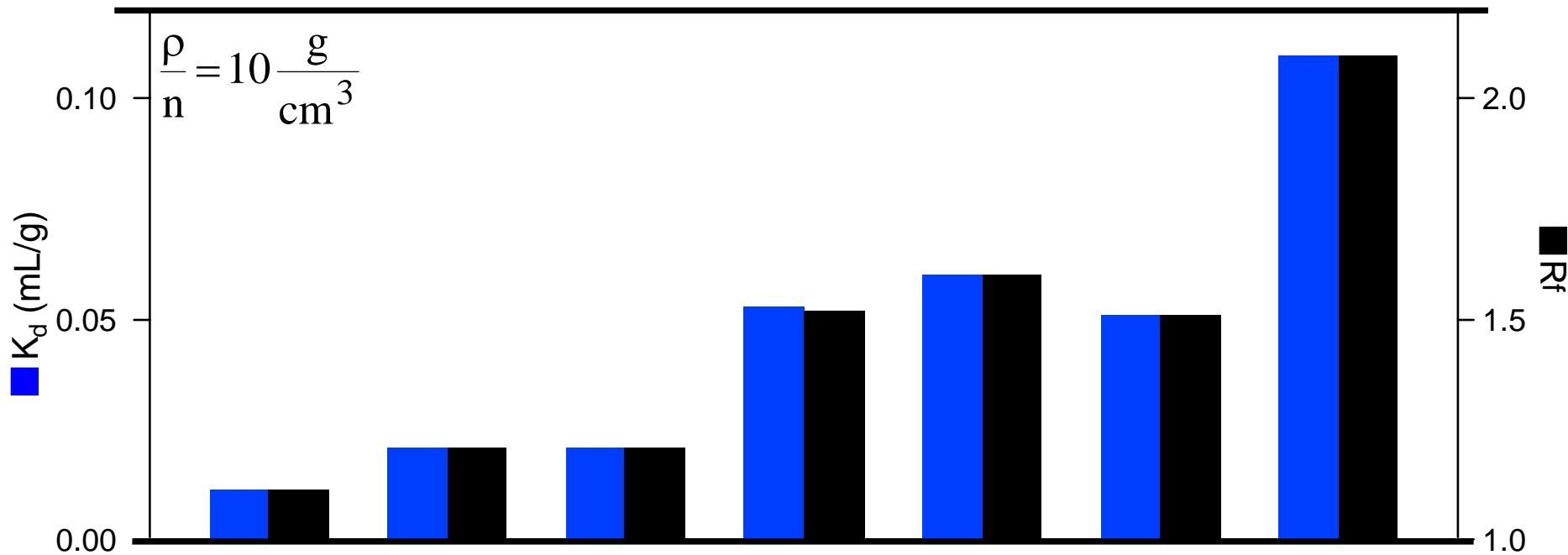
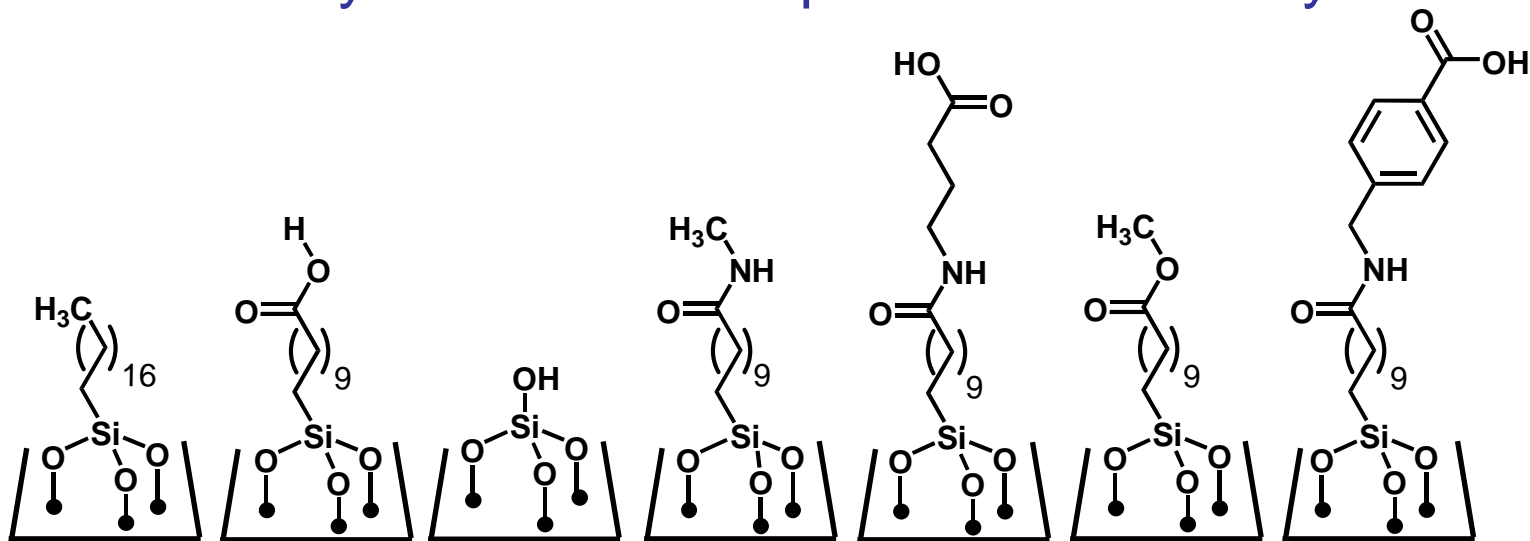
→ $R_f = 2$, corresponds to 50% reduction in OTC mobility relative to water.

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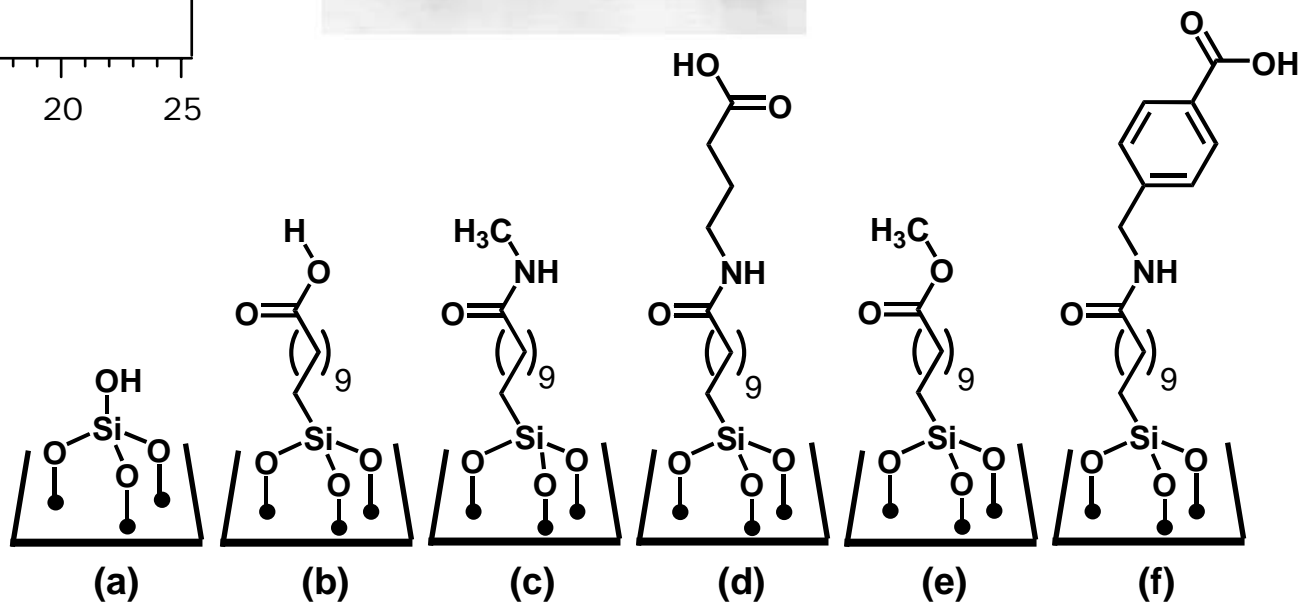
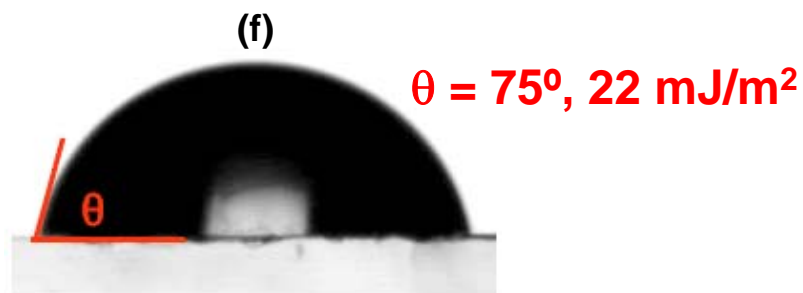
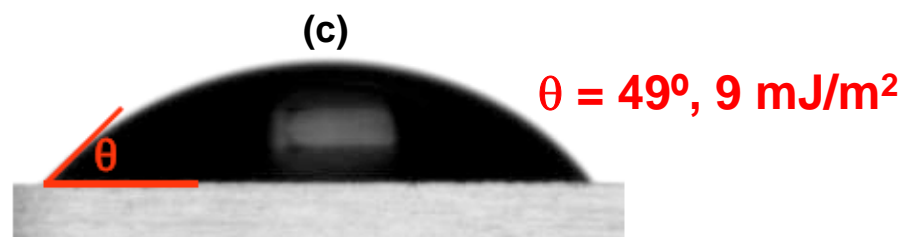
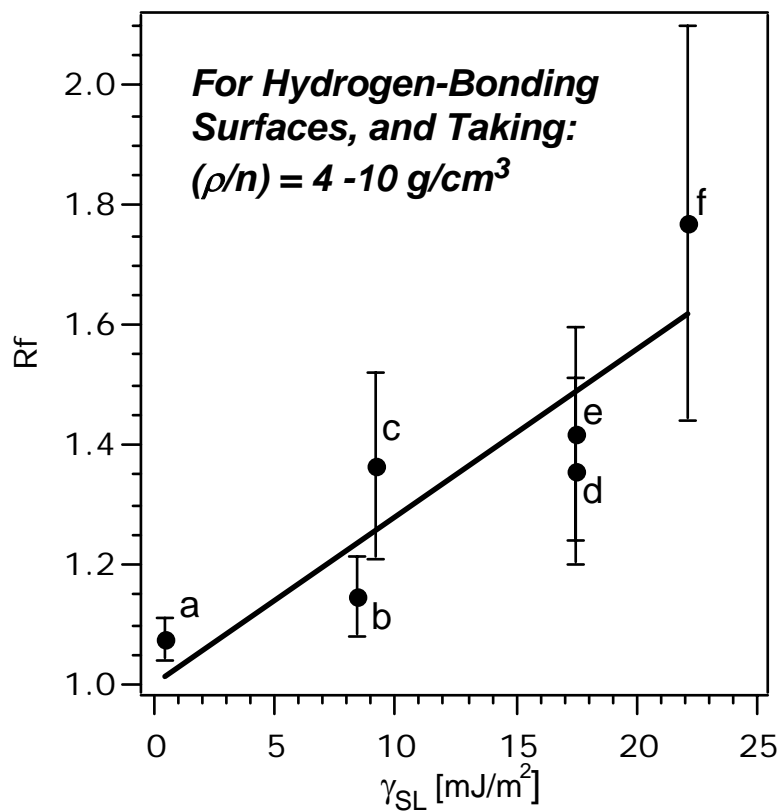
Summary of Isotherm Experiments: Mobility



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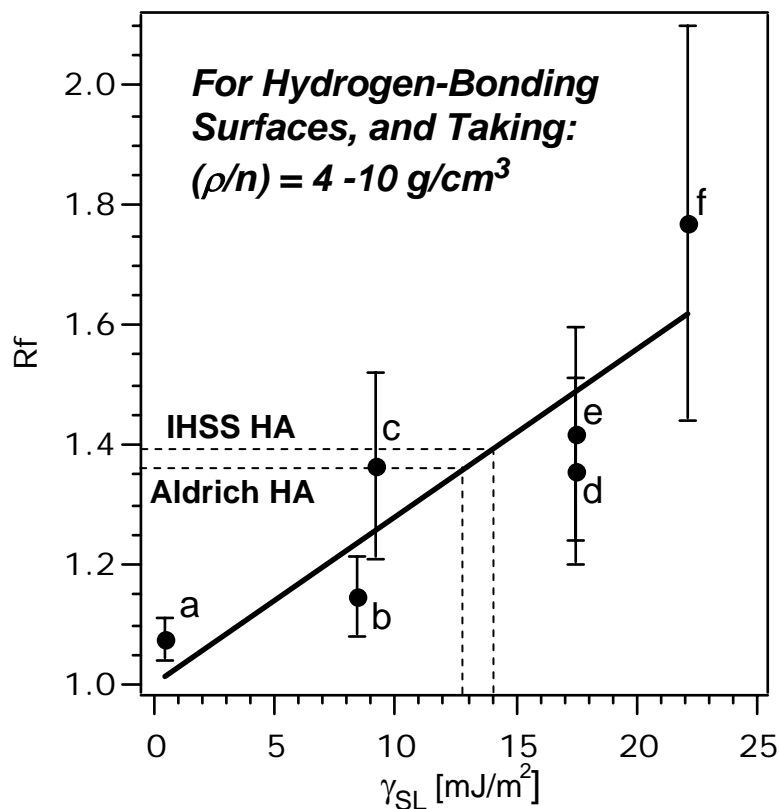
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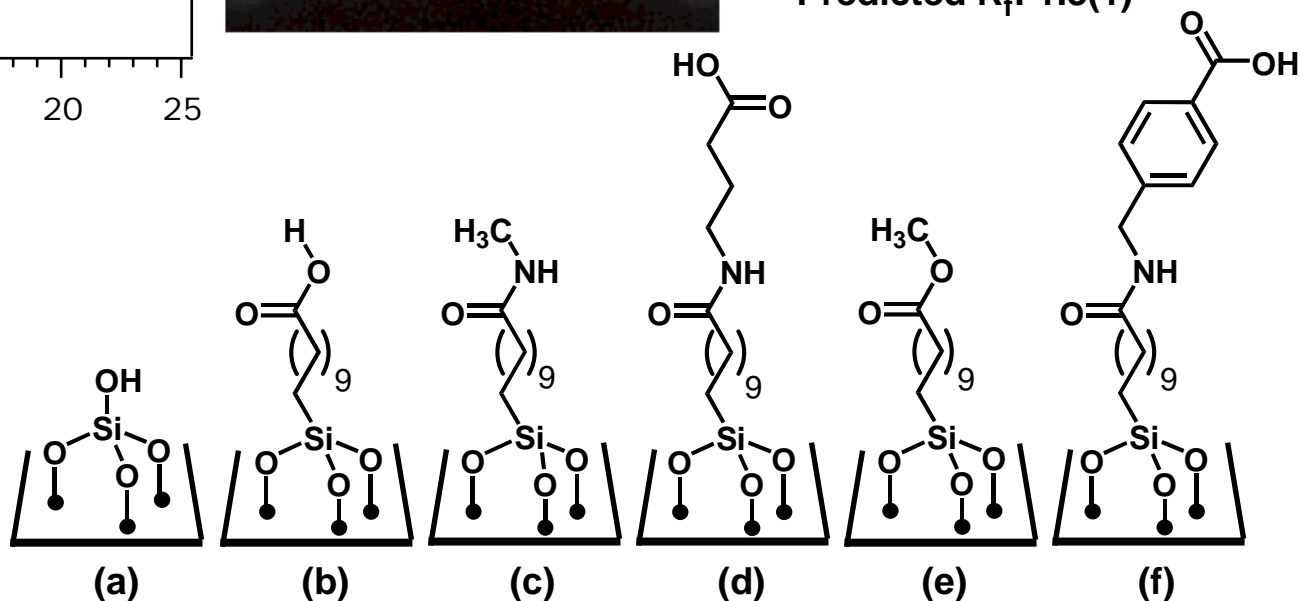


Contact Angle: 59(3)
Surface Energy: 14(1) mJ/m²
Predicted R_f: 1.4(1)

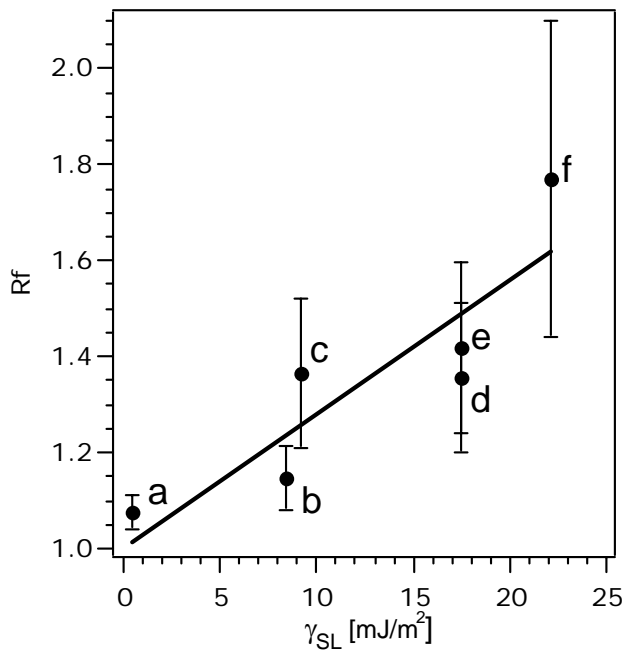
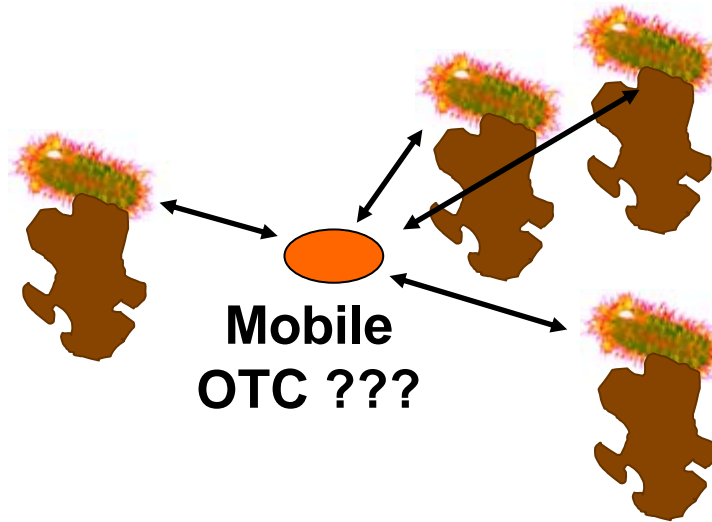
Aldrich Humic Acid:



Contact Angle: 57(3)
Surface Energy: 13(1) mJ/m²
Predicted R_f: 1.3(1)



Connections to Mobility



OTC will tend to be less mobile in silica-rich soils that:

- ***Contain natural organic matter with a large density of benzoic acid functional groups***
- ***Display high interfacial energy***

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