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In the original version of this article, the droplet radius was conflated with the droplet diameter when processing the raw data causing a factor of 2 error in the Weber number (We) in some text and figure captions and in Figures 4, 8, 12 and Figure S2. Additionally, a formatting error occurred in eq 4. The corrected text and figures are described below. This correction does not alter the major conclusions of this work.

(1) In the abstract, all the presented Weber number values and ranges should be doubled. A bullet-pointed list of these corrections is provided below:

- “... rebound can start at a very low Weber (We) number (~ 1).” should instead read “... rebound can start at a very low Weber (We) number (~ 2).”
- “... complete rebound only occurs at a much higher We number (> 5).” should instead read “... complete rebound only occurs at a much higher We number (> 10).”
- “... complete rebound was not observed, even for a We as high as 200.” should instead read “... complete rebound was not observed, even for a We as high as 400.”
- “... was only observed consistently when the We was above 5–10.” should instead read “... was only observed consistently when the We was above 10–20.”
- “... not observed even at the highest We number tested here (~ 200).” should instead read “... not observed even at the highest We number tested here (~ 400).”

(2) In eq 4, the R should be removed. The corrected eq 4 is

$$Re = \frac{\rho_w D_0 U_0}{\mu_w} \quad (4)$$

(3) In Figure 4, the R_0 symbol should be replaced with a D_0 symbol in the axis labels. Additionally, the y -axis values of all plots should be scaled by a factor of 2 to reflect the new Weber number range. The corrected figure and original figure caption are given below.

(4) In the “Droplet Impact Regimes, Ejection, and Bouncing. Droplet Impact Regimes” section, the Weber number values and ranges presented should all be doubled. A bullet-pointed list of these corrections is provided below:

- “As shown in Figure 4, at low We ($We < 1$), ...” should instead read “As shown in Figure 4, at low We ($We < 2$), ...”

- “Partial rebound occurred much earlier on the SOCAL surfaces than on PDMS ($We \cong 17$ vs $We \cong 147$), ...” should instead read “Partial rebound occurred much earlier on the SOCAL surfaces than on PDMS ($We \cong 34$ vs $We \cong 294$), ...”
- “than on the SOCAL surfaces ($We \cong 4.7$ vs $We \cong 17$).” should instead read “... than on the SOCAL surfaces ($We \cong 9.4$ vs $We \cong 34$).”
- “on the Aerogel surfaces than on SLIPS ($We \cong 60$ vs $We \cong 151$).” should instead read “... on the Aerogel surfaces than on SLIPS ($We \cong 120$ vs $We \cong 302$).”

(5) In the caption of Figure 5, the Weber value ranges should be doubled. The corrected caption is “Figure 5. Evolution of the droplet bouncing ratio and several images of droplet ejection at intermediate We ($60 < We < 80$). (a) Graphs of the bouncing ratio evolution of droplets impacting on plain PDMS, SLIPS, SOCAL, and Aerogel for intermediate We . Droplet ejection occurred on all surfaces except plain PDMS. (b) Droplet ejection images from SLIPS, SOCAL, and Aerogel surfaces. A 2 mm scale bar is provided in the left image. For SOCAL, the secondary droplet curve is shown to separate from the primary curve: this is when the secondary droplet is ejected from the primary droplet.”

(6) In the “Droplet Impact Regimes, Ejection, and Bouncing. Droplet Bouncing” section, above Figure 6, in the paragraph starting “As shown in Figure 6 ...”, the stated Weber value should be doubled from 175 to 350. This paragraph should open “As shown in Figure 6 for high We ($We > 350$), ...”.

(7) The Weber value range presented in the caption of Figure 6 should be doubled. The corrected caption is “Figure 6. Evolution of the droplet bouncing ratio and several images of droplet ejection at high Weber numbers ($300 < We < 410$). (a) Graphs of the bouncing ratio evolution of droplets impacting on plain PDMS, SLIPS, SOCAL, and Aerogel for high We . Droplet

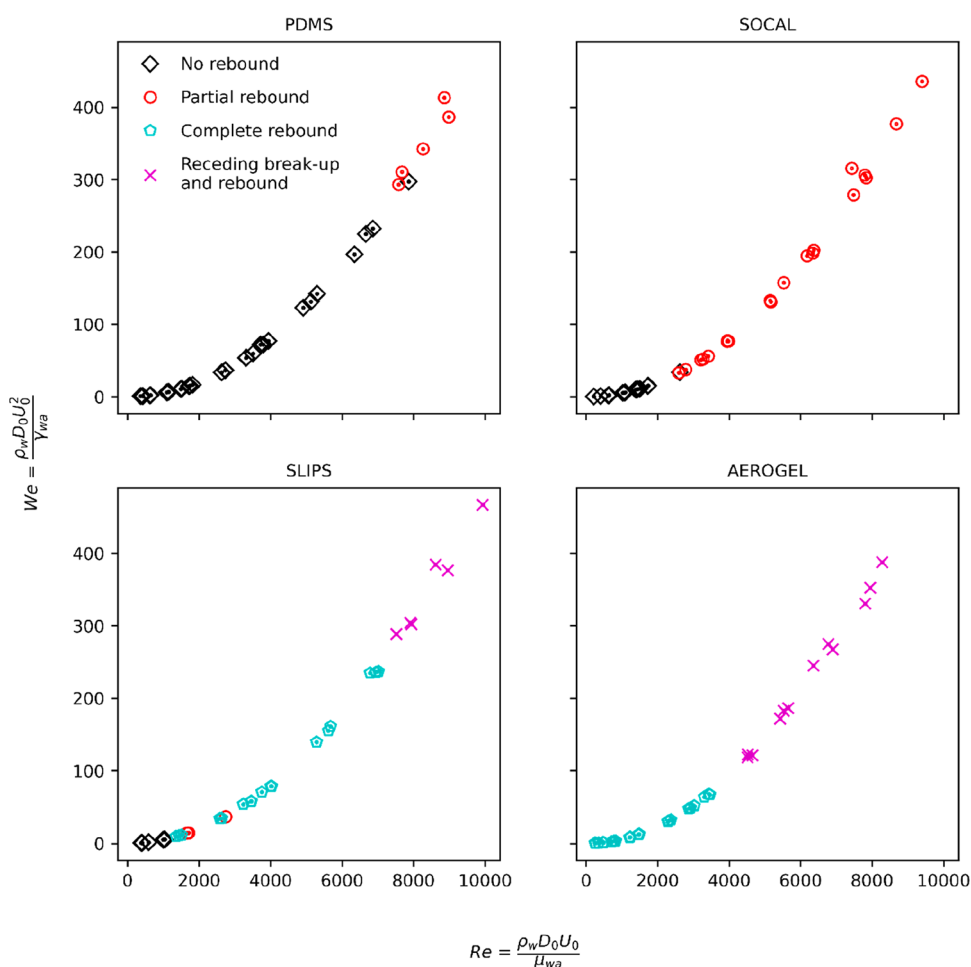


Figure 4. Evolution of impact regime against droplet Weber and Reynolds numbers for each surface. Each surface is presented in a separate graph to improve clarity (there is significant overlap between curves).

ejection occurred on all surfaces including PDMS. (b) Droplet ejection images from SLIPS, SOCAL, and Aerogel surfaces. A 2 mm scale bar is provided in the left image and any breaks in bouncing curves are due to ejected droplets leaving the frame of the captured video.”

(8) In the “**Droplet Impact Regimes, Ejection, and Bouncing. Partial Rebound and Droplet Ejection**” section, the text displayed after Figure 7 reading “At the lowest $We \cong 0.1$, Aerogel was the only surface...” should have its stated Weber number value doubled to 0.2. The corrected sentence should read “At the lowest We tested ($We \cong 0.2$), Aerogel was the only surface...”

(9) In Figure 8, the x -axis values should be doubled and the caption updated to state the correct Weber range. The updated figure and caption are given below.

(10) In the “**Droplet Spreading and Predicting β_{max} . Time-Dependent Droplet Spreading**” section, all Weber values presented in the text should be doubled. A bullet-pointed list of these corrections is provided below:

- “droplet spreading ratio β , against time at low We ($1 < We < 4$).” should instead read “... droplet spreading ratio β , against time at low We ($2 < We < 8$).”
- “Aerogel followed the complete rebound regime at $1 < We < 4$; ...” should instead read “Aerogel followed the complete rebound regime at $2 < We < 8$; ...”.

- “As shown in Figure 10a, at higher We ($30 < We < 40$), ...” should instead read “As shown in Figure 10a, at higher We ($60 < We < 80$), ...”
- “As shown in Figure 11a, at much higher We ($150 < We < 205$), ...” should instead read “As shown in Figure 11a, at much higher We ($300 < We < 410$), ...”

(11) In the caption of Figure 9, the Weber value range should be doubled. The corrected caption is “**Figure 9.** Droplet spreading dynamics at low Weber number ($2 < We < 8$) corresponding to a drop height of 15 mm. (a) Selected snapshots of impacting droplets on each of the surfaces tested in this study (the first four images show droplet spreading, and the final image shows droplet retraction). A 2 mm scale bar is provided in the upper left image. (b) Comparison of the spreading ratio evolutions of droplets impacting each of the four surfaces tested.”

(12) In the caption of Figure 10, the Weber value range should be doubled. The corrected caption is “**Figure 10.** Droplet spreading dynamics at intermediate Weber number ($60 < We < 80$) corresponding to a drop height of 100 mm. (a) Selected snapshots of impacting droplets on each of the surfaces tested in this study (the first three images show droplet spreading, and the final image shows droplet retraction). A 2 mm scale bar is provided in the upper left image. (b) Comparison of the spreading ratio evolutions of droplets impacting each of the four surfaces tested.”

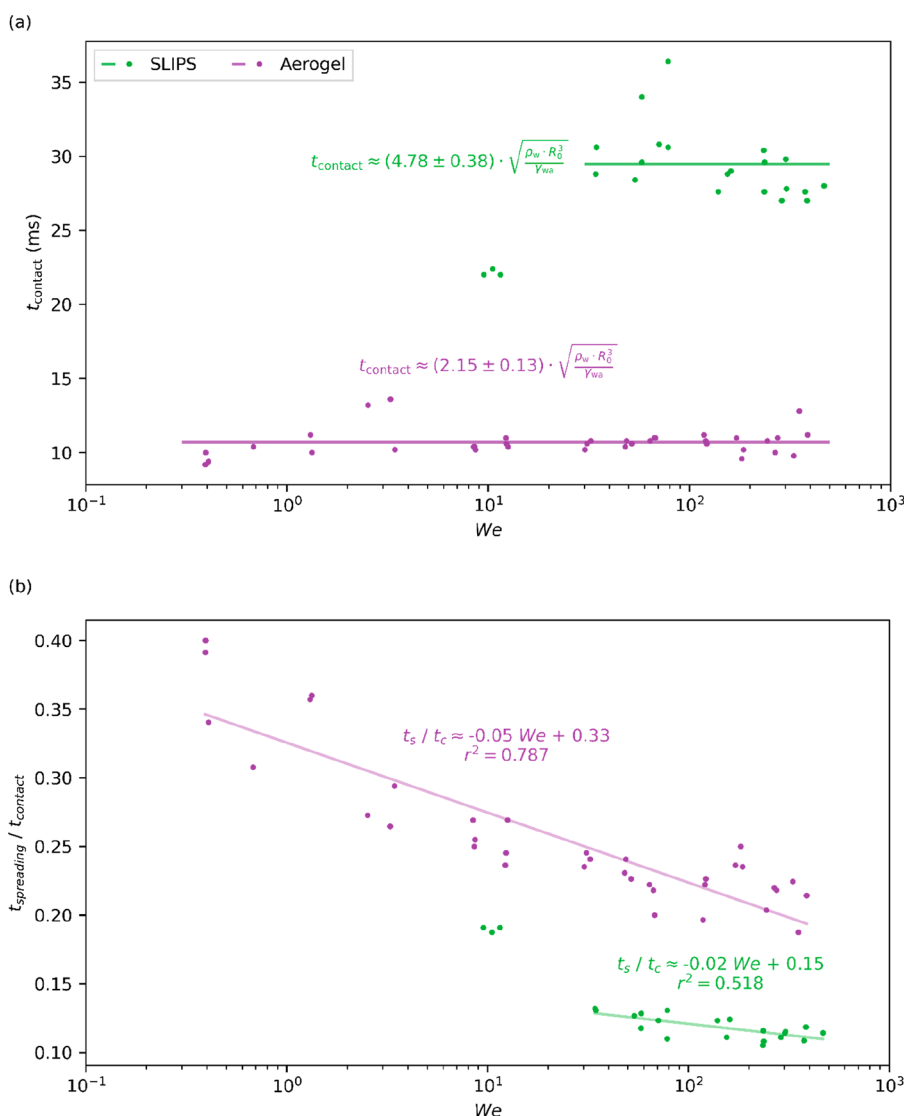


Figure 8. (a) Graph showing the droplet contact time plotted against Weber number. (b) Ratio of spreading time over the contact time for a wide range of We . It appears that such a time ratio decreases with the We number. The three rebounding SLIPS points shown in Figure 4 ($We < 20$) were not included in fittings as they were present in a region of nonconsistent droplet rebound (see Figure 4).

(13) In the caption of Figure 11, the Weber value range should be doubled. The corrected caption is “**Figure 11.** Droplet spreading dynamics at low Weber number ($300 < We < 500$) corresponding to a drop height of 550 mm. (a) Selected snapshots of impacting droplets on each of the surfaces tested in this study (the first four images show droplet spreading, and the final image shows droplet retraction). A 2 mm scale bar is provided in the upper left image. (b) Comparison of the spreading ratio evolutions of droplets impacting each of the four surfaces tested.”

(14) In the “**Droplet Spreading and Predicting β_{max} : Modeling Maximum Spreading Ratio.**” section, the value of the empirical shape factor, s , should be changed from 1.28 to 2.12. The corrected text is “In this study, an empirical shape factor $s = 2.12$ was found...”

(15) In the “**Droplet Spreading and Predicting β_{max} : Modeling Maximum Spreading Ratio.**” section, the Weber value presented in text at the start of the paragraph above eq 10a should be doubled. The corrected sentence is “It is evident that these models overestimate the maximum spreading ratio at low We number ($We < 20$) across all our surfaces”.

(16) In Figure 12, the Weber number range should be doubled. The corrected figure and original figure caption are given below.

(17) In the “**CONCLUSIONS**” section, the Weber value presented in the text should be doubled. The corrected sentence is “As such, Aerogel demonstrated complete rebound at a very low Weber number (~ 2) with 100% ejection volume and the shortest contact time among all the surfaces studied here.”

(18) In the “**Supporting Information**”, Weber number values and ranges shown in text should be doubled. A bullet-pointed list of these corrections is provided below:

“overestimates β_{max} when We falls below 125.” should instead read “... overestimates β_{max} when We falls below 250.”.

“Roisman’s model only provides a decent fit of β_{max} for $25 \leq We \leq 50$.” should instead read “... Roisman’s model only provides a decent fit of β_{max} for $50 \leq We \leq 100$.”.

“... overestimate of β_{max} at low We ($We < 50$) then severely underestimates β_{max} from intermediate-high We ($We > 100$).” should instead read “... overestimate of β_{max} at low

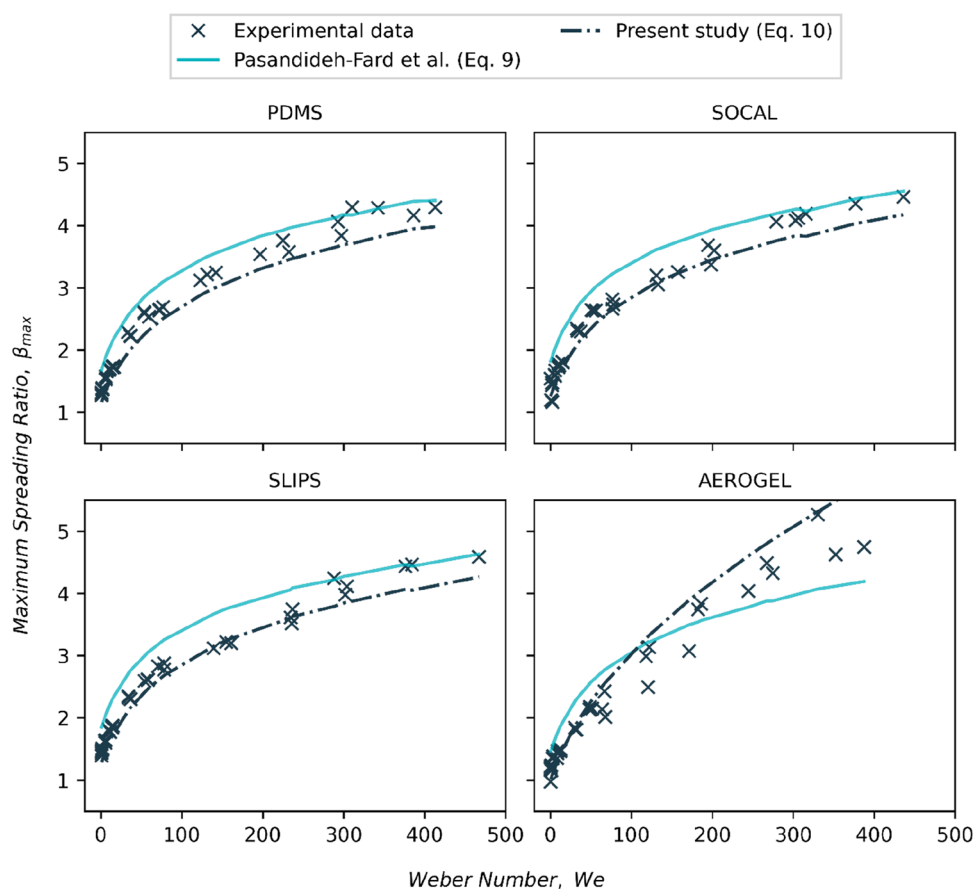


Figure 12. Comparison of β_{max} fittings using the model derived by Pasandideh-Fard et al. (eq 9)⁶³ and present study (eqs 10a and 10b).

We ($We < 100$) then severely underestimates β_{max} from intermediate-high We ($We > 200$).”.

“... it underestimates β_{max} at high We ($We > 100$) for Aerogel.” should instead read “... it underestimates β_{max} at high We ($We > 200$) for Aerogel.”.

“Asai et al.’s model underestimates β_{max} on Aerogel when We is above 100.” should instead read “Asai et al.’s model underestimates β_{max} on Aerogel when We is above 200.”

(19) In the “Supporting Information”, Figure S2 should be updated to display points plot using the new Weber number range. The corrected figure and original figure caption are given below.

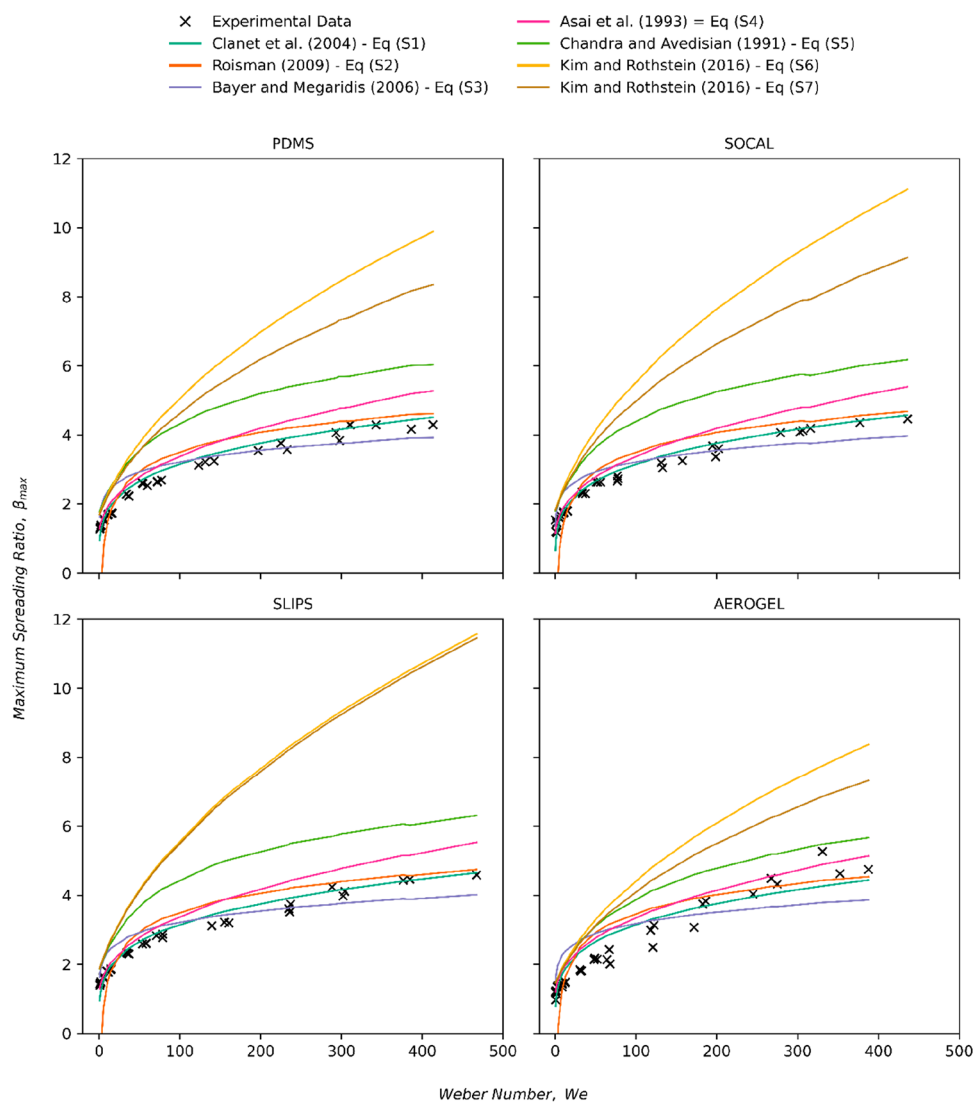


Figure S2. Graphs showing comparisons between the predictions of β_{max} made by the models described in eqs S1–S7 and the experimental results for β_{max} collected across the four different surfaces tested in this study.