

Square Edge Orifice

An Experimental Investigation of Critical Flow of Subcooled Water through Square Edge Orifices with Small Diameters

150

Square Edge Orifice

Blowdown and Condensation (B&C) Loop

8 가 Orifice 가

Blowdown

Square Edge Orifice

Blowdown Test

가

Square Edge Orifice

가

Pipe

Abstract

To study critical flow phenomena in square edge orifices, and to generate technical data to evaluate the performance of break simulator design for small break accidents in a scaled test facility, critical flow tests have been performed at the Blowdown and Condensation (B&C) Loop. Eight different shape square edge orifices were used for steady state and blowdown critical flow tests. The steady state critical flow data show that critical mass flux can be expressed as a function of discharge coefficient and initial condition. Based upon the test results, a semi-empirical model has been developed. Comparison between the blowdown test data and the model predictions shows that the critical mass flux for square edge orifices with small diameters can be accurately predicted. In addition, the model can correctly calculates critical mass flux through medium size pipe with very short length. Existing break nozzles were investigated and provision for the design of break nozzle for a small scale test facility has been suggested

1.

가

가

Elias and Lellouche [1] 가

20 %

[2-4].

(L) 가

(L ≥

40 mm), / (L/d) 가 (L/d ≥ 10)

가

(8 %).

가

(L/d < 10)

가

. Flashing

가

(, Sharp Orifice)

, L/d 가 1 2

가 ,

L/d 가 가

[5,6].

L/d 가 12

[6].

L/d 가

Square Edge Orifice

가

L/d

(d) 30"

(L) 2.7"

2" 6"

L/d

1.35 0.45 가

L 2.7" 가

Square Edge Orifice

가

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가

[7].

1/200

가

Square Edge Orifice

Blowdown and

Condensation (B&C) Loop

2.

Blowdown

B&C Loop

. B&C Loop

(Sparger)

가

[8].

B&C Loop 가

(Test Section)

(1).

가

Heater 가

0.85 m³

370 °C, 17.8 MPa . 가

2" Sch. 160 Pipe

Square Edge Orifice 가

. 가

Heater

가 , 가

3 m

가 4 m

가

Regulator,

가

가

Venturi 가 , 가 , (가
 가 . B&C Loop
 : QOV) 가 Loop 가
 Tracer Heater 가 .
 QOV 1 ,
 Orifice 2 , 8 가 Square Edge Orifice
 가 . Orifice (d) (L), (D) 1
 , Orifice , 가 .
 20 °C , 4 (2, 3,
 4,5 MPa) . Blowdown 5.4 MPa 15.7 MPa
 , 5 °C 153 °C . 8
 Orifice 가 327 . Blowdown L/d 가
 1 3 Orifice (Orifice 1, 2, 8) , 28

1. Orifice

| Orifice | , D (mm) | Orifice , d (mm) | Orifice , L (mm) | L/d |
|---------|-------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----|
| 1 | 38.1 | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| 2 | 38.1 | 8 | 8 | 1 |
| 3 | 38.1 | 4 | 8 | 2 |
| 4 | 19.05 | 8 | 4 | 0.5 |
| 5 | 19.05 | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| 6 | 19.05 | 2 | 4 | 2 |
| 7 | 9.5 | 4 | 2 | 0.5 |
| 8 | 9.5 | 2 | 2 | 1 |

가 가 , 가 가
 QOV 가 . Blowdown 가
 가 , 가 가 100 °C , 가
 가 Heater 가 , 20
 1 ,
 . Data Acquisition System HP-VXI Controller
 (V743i/100) 가 .

3.

3.1 Orifice ($C_{d,ref}$)

Flashing

(20 °C)

가 Orifice Sharpness 가 Orifice Sharpness 가
 (Orifice Sharpness 가
). Orifice
 가 Orifice
 가 (80 %). Orifice
 가 가 Orifice
 Complete Turbulence Region
 , Region , Orifice
 , Orifice Reynolds Number 10⁵
 8 mm Reynolds Number 8 mm
 [5], Orifice
 가) (2). Blowdown
 가 Rohloff [9] 가

2. Orifice

| (MPa) | T/S 1 | T/S 2 | T/S 3 | T/S 4 | T/S 5 | T/S 6 | T/S 7 | T/S 8 |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 2.0 | 0.74 | 0.62 | 0.79 | 0.64 | 0.74 | 0.88 | 0.69 | 0.79 |
| 3.0 | 0.73 | 0.61 | - | 0.64 | - | 0.85 | 0.68 | 0.78 |
| 4.0 | 0.72 | 0.61 | 0.74 | 0.63 | 0.71 | 0.85 | 0.67 | 0.77 |
| 5.0 | 0.72 | 0.60 | 0.74 | - | 0.71 | 0.85 | 0.67 | 0.78 |
| | 0.75 | 0.76 | 0.79 | 0.67 | 0.76 | 0.79 | 0.66 | 0.76 |

3.2

Orifice Back Pressure 가 100
 가 Orifice
 °C 1 Orifice
 3
 가 Flashing
 Flashing
 가 L/d 가
 [2-4]. 7 Orifice

3.3 Orifice

가 (L) 가 가 4
 가 3 Orifice (5 MPa) ,
 Orifice 가
 (L/d 가)
 Orifice L/d 가 2 Flow Resistance 가 가
 3 L/d
 가 Flashing Non-Flashing
 , Orifice 가
 가 (d)
 . Square Edge Orifice L/d 가 가 5
 , L/d 가 , (Mass Flux)
 3 가
 Non-Flashing
 , Orifice 가 가
 Orifice Sharpness
 가 가
 가

3.4 Blowdown

28 Blowdown 3 Orifice 8, 1, 2
 Orifice 2, 4, 8 mm L/d 가 1 가
 QOV
 가 , 가 Tracer Heater 가
 가
 1 Orifice (2 Blowdown) 가 , ,
 가 6-8 . 1.7 가 가 (11.8 MPa)
 가 9.5 MPa
 . Blowdown 7 가 ,
 가 가
 . Blowdown 가
 가 (298 °C)
 Blowdown 가
 (255 °C) 가 QOV 가 가
 (294 °C) . 280 °C
 가 가 . Blowdown
 가 Tracer Heater
 Blowdown 15 가 가
 (10 °C) . Blowdown

가 (75 °C) 가
 가 가 , 가
 12 °C
 (Subcooled)
 27 Blowdown 2 Blowdown
 가 , 가 , Blowdown

4.

4.1 Square Edge Orifice

가 L/d 가 (G^*)
 (DT^*_{sub}) [2-4].

$$G^* = \frac{G}{G_{ref}} \tag{1}$$

$$\Delta T^*_{sub} = \frac{\Delta T_{sub}}{T_{sat} - T_{ref}} \tag{2}$$

$$G_{ref} = C_{d,ref} \{2r(P_o - P_b)\}_{ref}^{0.5} \tag{3}$$

가 Square Edge Orifice
 9 3 $G^* - DT^*_{sub}$
 , 10 5
 , Square Edge Orifice
 , Square Edge Orifice
 , Geometry
 ($C_{d,ref}$)
 가
 8 Orifices $G^* - DT^*_{sub}$
 11 Curve Fitting

$$G_c = C_{d,ref} \{2r(P_o - P_b)\}_{ref}^{0.5} \left[1.04 - \frac{3.28}{1 + \exp\{(\Delta T^*_{sub} + 1.1) / 0.488\}} \right] \tag{4}$$

가

4.2

가

Square Edge Orifice

Blowdown

가

P_b , P_o, T_o Orifice , Blowdown , T_{sat} , P_o Orifice
 $C_{d,ref}$ 가 , $C_{d,ref}$ 가

$C_{d,ref}$

2 Orifice , (15.2 MPa) 가 (323 °C) ,
 가 , 가 12 . Blowdown 가

가

가

가

7 1 Orifice

가

2

Blowdown

Blowdown

Orifice

가

가

L/d 가 2

Sozzi & Sutherland [10]

Xu [11],

Shrock [12]

Venturi

가

13

12.7 mm

가 4.7 mm

Pipe

Pipe

(

가)

Elliptic Entrance

Pipe 가

($d=12.7$ mm, $L=0$, 12.7 mm) 가

7 %

Xu

Schrock

(100 mm

, Throat

6.4 mm

) Venturi

14

Xu

6 %

Schrock

가

L/d 가 2

Square Edge Orifice

가

가

가

가

5.

(Water Inventory) 가

가

Square Edge Orifice 가

Edge Orifice [13]. [14], LSTF Sharp

BETHSY Smooth Entrance

Volume Scale

2"

0.61 (LSTF) 0.88 (BETHSY)

가 Sharp Edge Orifice

78 % 0.79 가 LSTF 2"

BETHSY Blowdown

Blowdown

6" , LSTF, BETHSY

0.66, 0.63, 0.94 가 LSTF 6"

, BETHSY 140 % BETHSY

Blowdown

가

Orifice Square Edge

가

BETHSY Long Nozzle

LSTF Sharp Edge Orifice

가

6.

Square Edge Orifice

Blowdown and Condensation (B&C) Loop

Blowdown

Square Edge Orifice

Blowdown Test

가

가

Square Edge Orifice

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Pipe

Blowdown

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Nomenclature

| | |
|--------------|---|
| $C_{d,ref}$ | discharge coefficient of 20 °C water, $(f \times L/d + K)_{ref}^{-0.5}$ |
| D | test section inlet diameter, mm |
| d | test section inside diameter, mm |
| f | friction factor |
| G_c | critical mass flux, kg/m^2-s |
| G | mass flux, kg/m^2-s |
| G_{ref} | mass flux of 20 °C water, kg/m^2-s |
| G^* | dimensionless mass flux, G/G_{ref} |
| K | test section form loss coefficient |
| L | test section length, mm |
| P_o | stagnation pressure, Pa |
| P_b | back pressure, Pa |
| ref | refer to ambient temperature (20 °C) |
| T_o | stagnation temperature, °C |
| T_{ref} | ambient temperature, 20 °C |
| T_{sat} | saturation temperature corresponding to P_o |
| DT_{sub} | subcooling, $T_{sat} - T_o$ |
| DT_{sub}^* | dimensionless subcooling, $DT_{sub} / (T_{sat} - T_{ref})$ |
| ρ | density of water, kg/m^3 |

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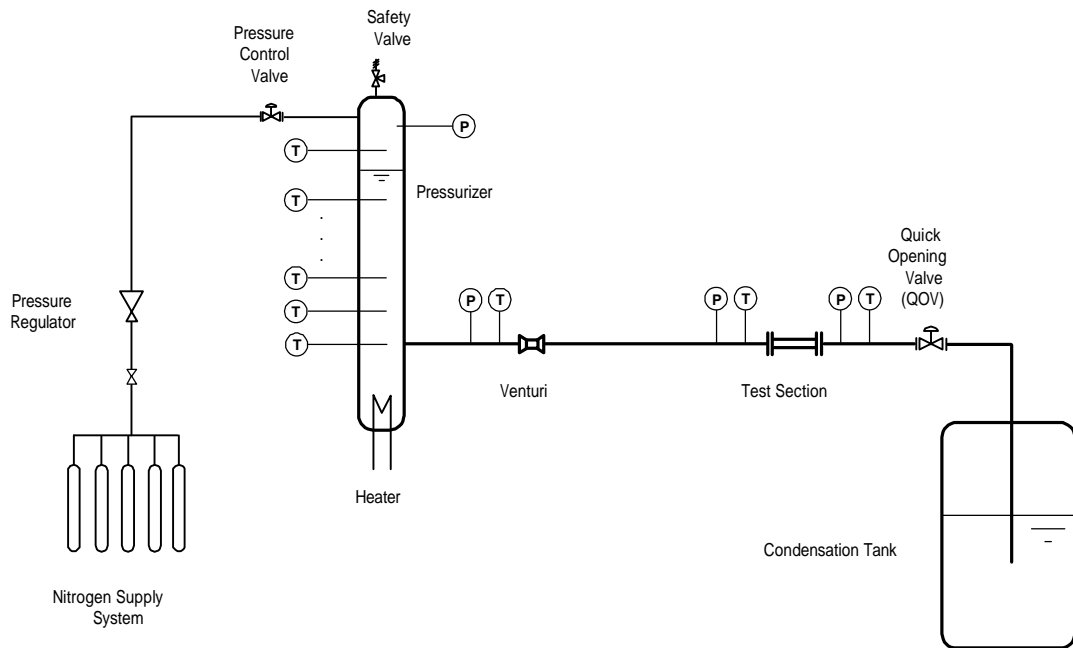


Fig. 1. Schematic Diagram of Blowdown and Condensation (B&C) Loop

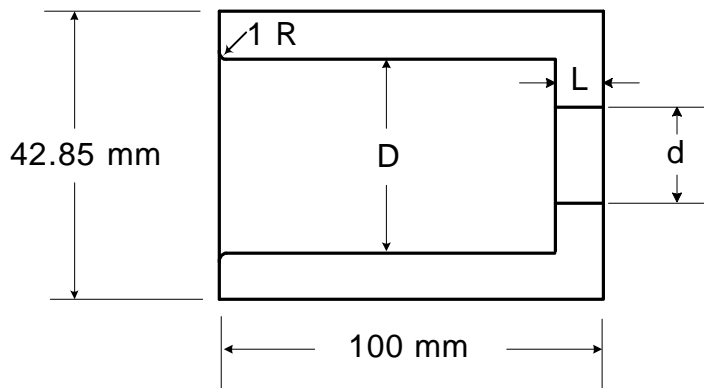


Fig. 2. Test Section Geometry

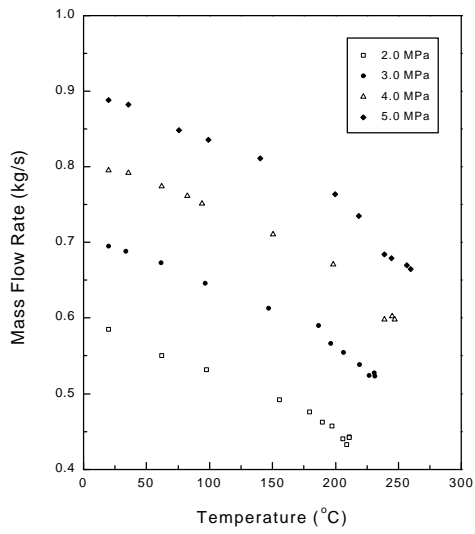


Fig. 3. Mass Flow Rate vs. Temperature for Test Section No. 1 ($d=4\text{ mm}$, $L=4\text{ mm}$)

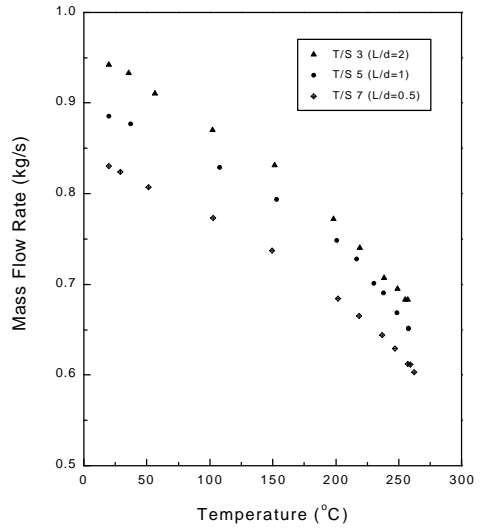


Fig. 4. Test Section Length Effect on Critical Mass Flow Rate

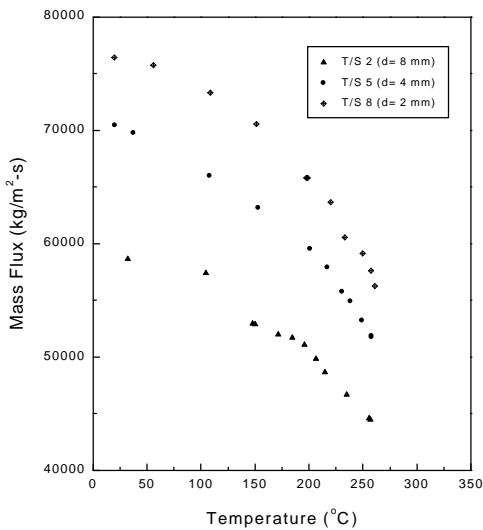


Fig. 5. Test Section Diameter Effect on Critical Mass Flux

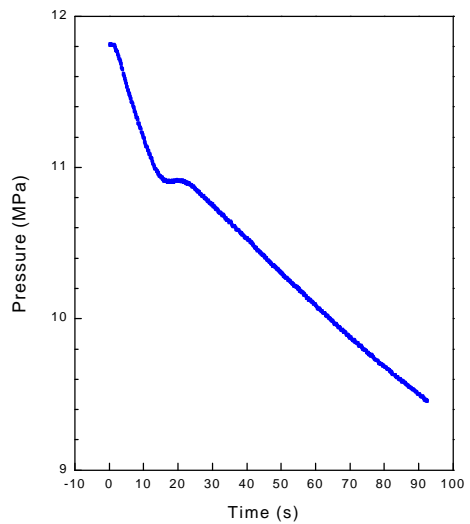


Fig. 6. Pressure Variation during Blowdown Test No. 2 ($P_0=11.8\text{ MPa}$, $T_0=298\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$)

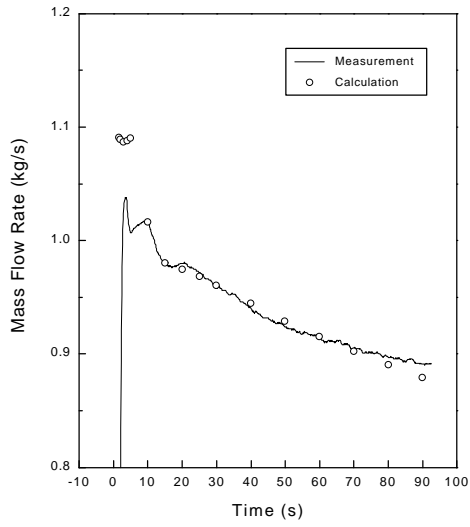


Fig. 7. Mass Flow Rate vs. Time during Blowdown Test No. 2

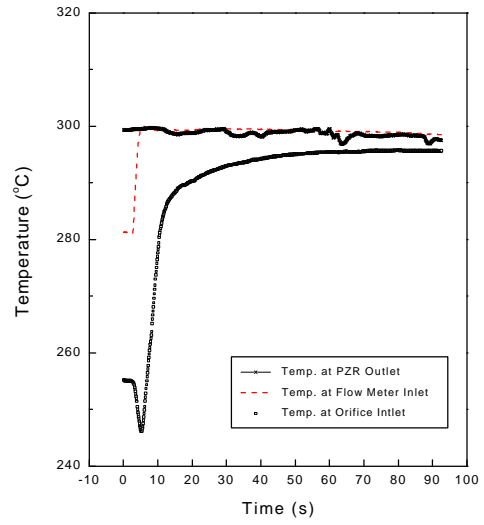


Fig. 8. Fluid Temperature vs. Time during Blowdown Test No. 2

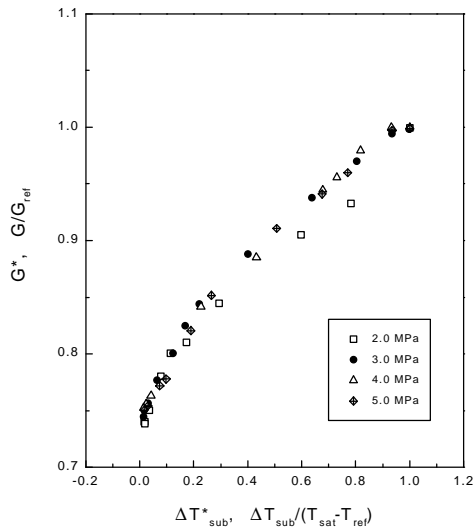


Fig. 9. Dimensionless Mass Flux vs. Dimensionless Subcooling during Steady State Tests for Test Section No. 1

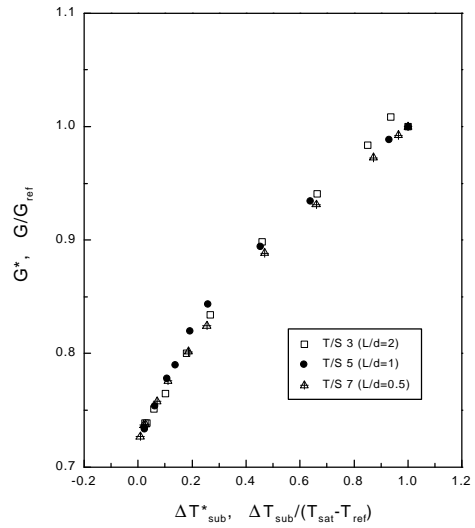


Fig. 10. Dimensionless Mass Flux vs. Dimensionless Subcooling during Steady State Tests for the Same L/d Test Sections

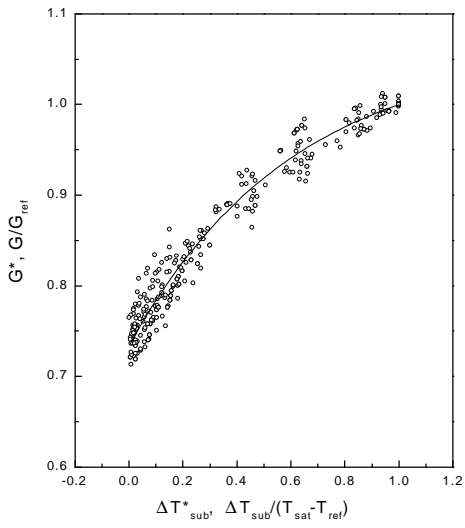


Fig. 11. Dimensionless Mass Flux vs. Dimensionless Subcooling during Steady State Tests

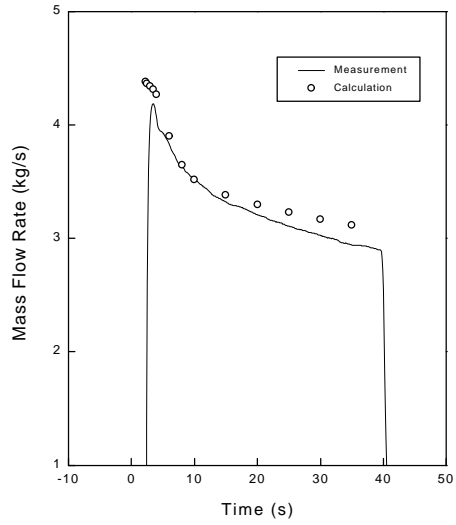


Fig. 12. Comparison between Model Prediction and Blowdown Test No. 12 ($P_o=15.2$ MPa, $T_o=323$ °C)

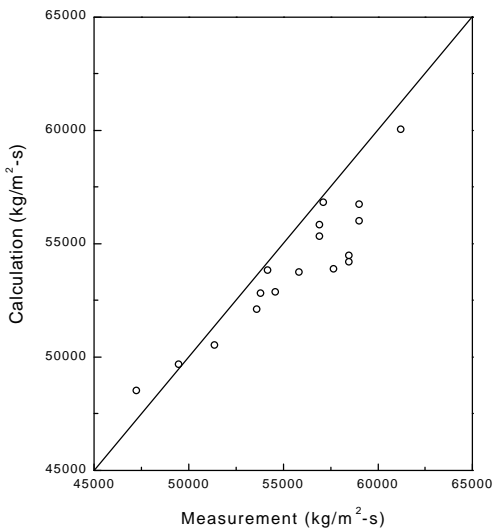


Fig. 13. Comparison between Model Prediction and Test Result of Sozzi and Sutherland for Short Pipe [10]

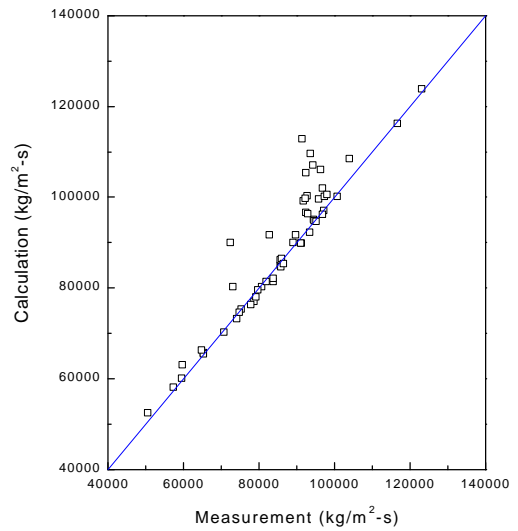


Fig. 14. Comparison between Model Prediction and Test Result of Xu et al. [11]