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日時: 平成21年8月7日(金)14:00 ~ 15:00

場所: 東北大学流体科学研究所1号館会議室

講師: Prof. Joshua Smith, PhD (Lafayette College)

題目: A nonlinear biphasic model for fluid and mass transport in brain tissue:

Implications for hydrocephalus and convection-enhanced delivery

概要:

Nonlinear stress-strain curves under finite deformations have been documented for brain tissue under both tension and compression.

Nevertheless, most biphasic models of brain tissue have assumed linear elasticity of the solid phase. Recent attempts at modeling convection- enhanced delivery in brain have been conducted under the even more limiting assumption that the tissue is rigid during the infusion. We present a spherically symmetric model of brain tissue that considers both nonlinear stress-strain curves under finite deformation and nonlinear variation of hydraulic conductivity. The spherical model is used to study the physics that occurs during hydrocephalus and convenction-enhanced delivery in order to determine the importance of including nonlinear behaviors in such simulations.

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