Breaking Away: Glycerol in oil

Primary Maker
Sidney Nagel

Date
2000

Medium
Gelatin silver print

Dimensions
Image: 21 1/4 x 11 1/2 in. (54 x 29.2 cm) Sheet: 23 3/4 x 19 5/8 in. (60.3 x 49.8 cm)

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Type
Photographs

A drop of glycerol (a liquid with a viscosity one thousand times greater than that of water) breaking apart inside another fluid, PDMS, of the same viscosity as the glycerol.