Coupling between flow and thermodynamics in phase segregating systems: More experiments and marginal theory

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Coupling between rheology and morphology in two-phase systems will be discussed on several examples including immiscible polymer blends and blends undergoing phase segregation. Theory and in-situ morphology observations during flow will be exposed. Focus will be mainly made on the role of flow on phase diagram of such blends.