

Figure 2. Experimental and numerical determinations of the stratified drag ΔC_D on a sphere (adapted from Greenslade 2000, by kind permission of the author). The data are taken from (+) Mason (1977), the horizontal bars representing mean values and the vertical bars standard errors, (\diamond) Lofquist & Purtell (1984), (\circ) Hanazaki (1988), (\blacklozenge) Shishkina (1996) and (\square) Vosper *et al.* (1999). The continuous lines represent the models (1.16) for large F and (1.17)–(1.18) for small F .