







New physical insights in passive dynamical stabilization in time periodic systems

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Time-periodic systems

Child on a swing



2 parameters

Period of modulation Amplitude of modulation

[1] J. A Richards. Springer Science & Business Media, 2012.

Parametric instabilities



Dynamical stabilization



Dynamical stabilization





Dynamical stabilization of the upward position of a pendulum Video credit: University of California

Kapitza limit: $\Gamma^2 \omega^2 \ge 2gL$

P.L. Kapitza, Sov. Phys. JETP, 588-597, 1951.

Dynamical stabilization



Paul's Trap: trapping particles in an electric field [1] Video credit: Newtonian Labs



Making two liquid layer levitate [2]

[1] W. Paul. *Reviews of modern physics*, **62**, 1990.
[2] B.Apffel *et al. Nature*, **585**, 2020.

Electromagnetic inverted pendulum



Large modulations at the macroscopic scale







Experimental dynamical stabilization





 $\omega(0) = 11.1 \text{ rad/s and } \omega(I) = 19.5 \text{ rad/s}$ $T_{OFF} = 0.95\% T$ 0.95 $T_{ON} \stackrel{\bullet}{=} 0.053 \mathrm{s}$ 0.2 L% 0.75 $\frac{d\theta}{dt}|_0$ 0.5 T_{OFF} 0.25 -0.2 -0.2 0.0 θ_0 0.05 0.10 0.15 0.00 $T_{ON}(s)$ 11

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Linear responseNonlinear response



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$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} - \omega^2(0)\theta(t) = 0 \text{ during } T_{OFF}$$
$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \omega^2(I)\theta(t) = 0 \text{ during } T_{ON}$$
$$(\dot{\theta}_0, \theta_0)$$
$$\text{Putside} = [-T_{OFF}/2, -T_{ON}/2] \cup [T_{ON}/2, T_{OFF}/2]$$

Linear IVP: 100 periods

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[1] A.Messiah. Quantum mechanics, 1, 1961.

 $\frac{\mathrm{d}^2\theta}{\mathrm{d}t^2} - \omega^2(0)\theta(t) = 0 \text{ during } T_{OFF}$ $\frac{\mathrm{d}^2\theta}{\mathrm{d}t^2} + \omega^2(I)\theta(t) = 0 \text{ during } T_{ON}$ $\left(\dot{ heta}_{0}, heta_{0}
ight)$ Outside = $[-T_{OFF}/2, -T_{ON}/2] \cup [T_{ON}/2, T_{OFF}/2]$ Boundary value problem [1] $-\left[\frac{\mathrm{d}^2}{\mathrm{d}t^2} - \Delta\Omega^2\right]\theta(t) = \omega^2(I)\theta(t), t \in \text{Outside}$ $-\left|\frac{d^2}{dt^2} + 0\right| \theta(t) = \omega^2(I)\theta(t), t \in [-T_{ON}/2, T_{ON}/2]$ $\theta(-\infty) = \theta(\infty) = 0$ Outside = $[-\infty, -T_{ON}/2] \cup [T_{ON}/2, +\infty]$ and $\Delta \Omega^2 = \omega^2(I) + \omega^2(O)$



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