

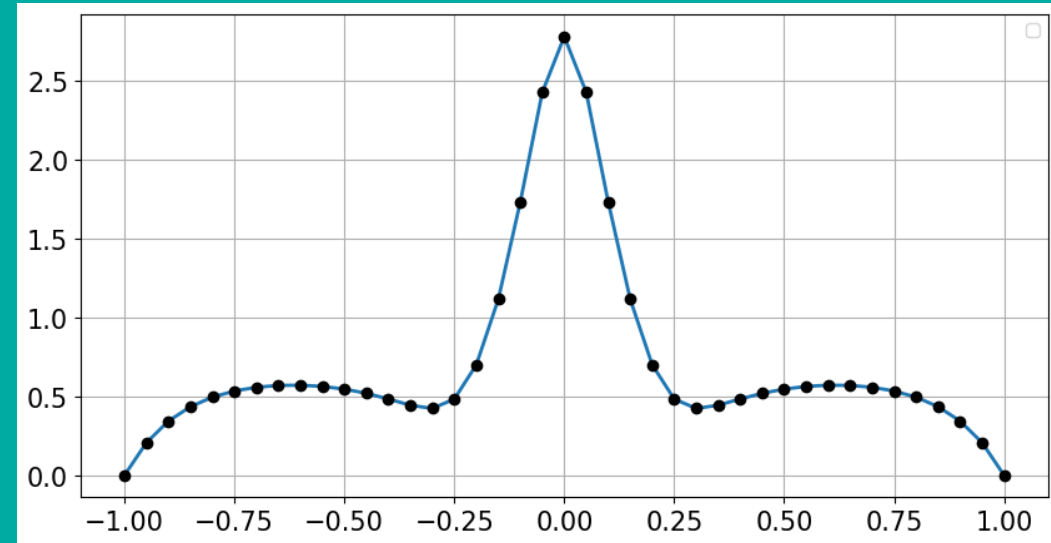


## NONLINEAR STANDING WAVE FORMATION IN DAMPED OSCILLATOR CHAINS

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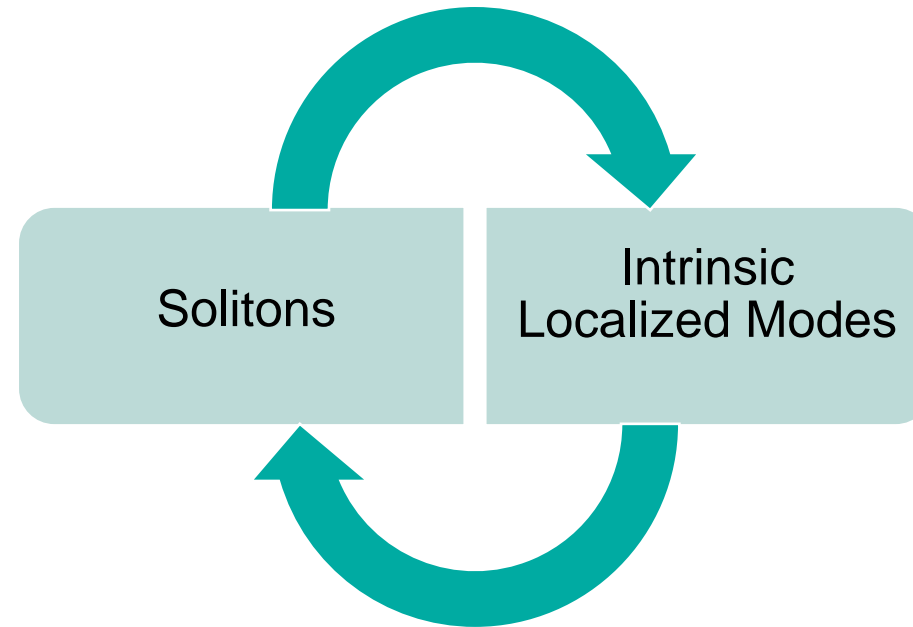
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# Introduction and motivation of work

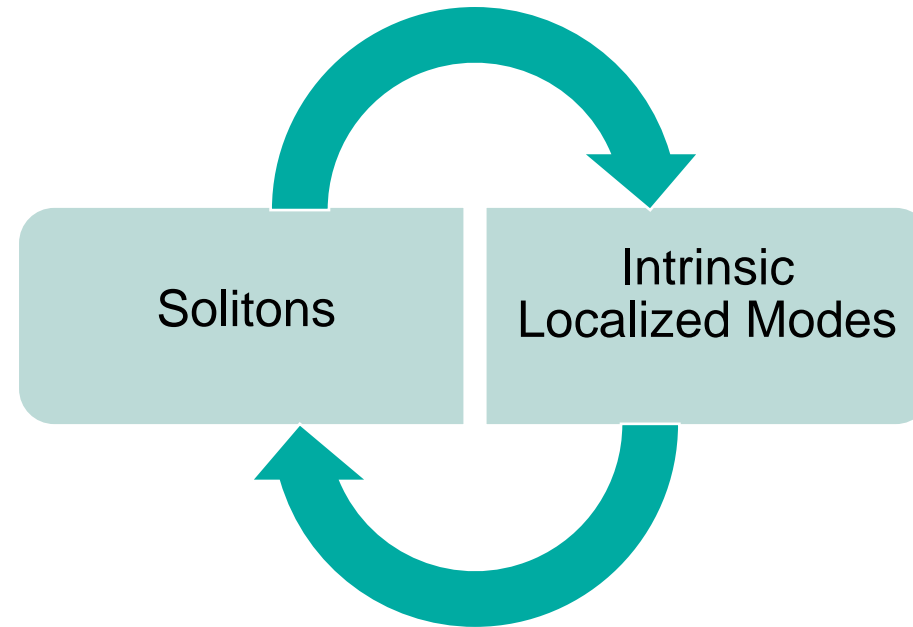
- non-dispersive waves that **maintain their shape and speed** over time and space
- arise due to a balance between **nonlinear effects and dispersion**
- **localized energy** that is concentrated in a **compact region** of space



- non-linear **vibration** localization phenomenon
- spatially **localized** and temporary periodic solution
- **homogeneous** lattice

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- Mechanics
- Optics
- Plasma Physics
- Hydrodynamic
- ...

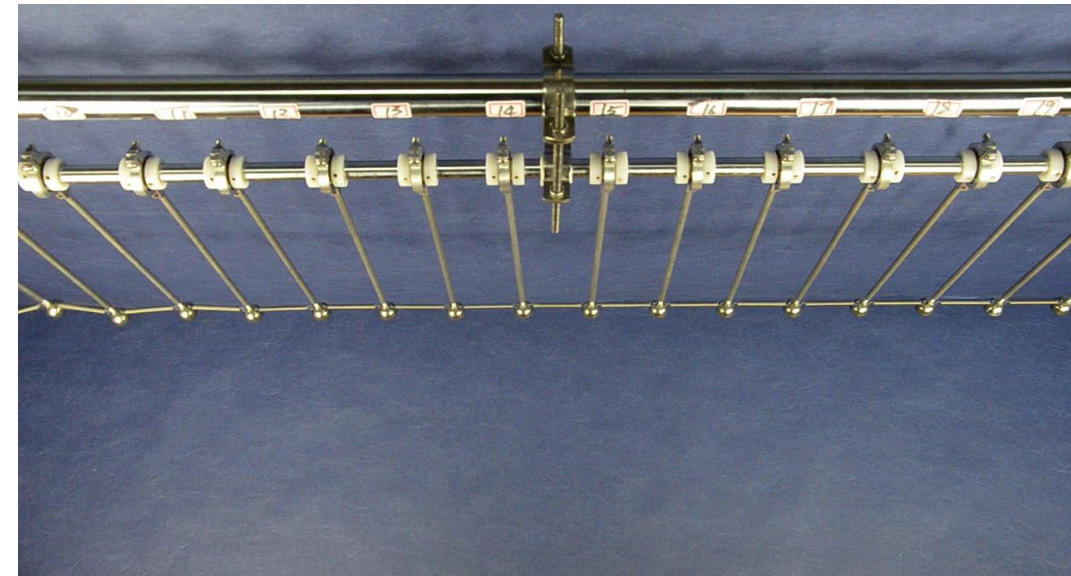


- Beams
- Pendulums
- Point Masses
- Rotors
- Coupled nonlinear oscillators in general

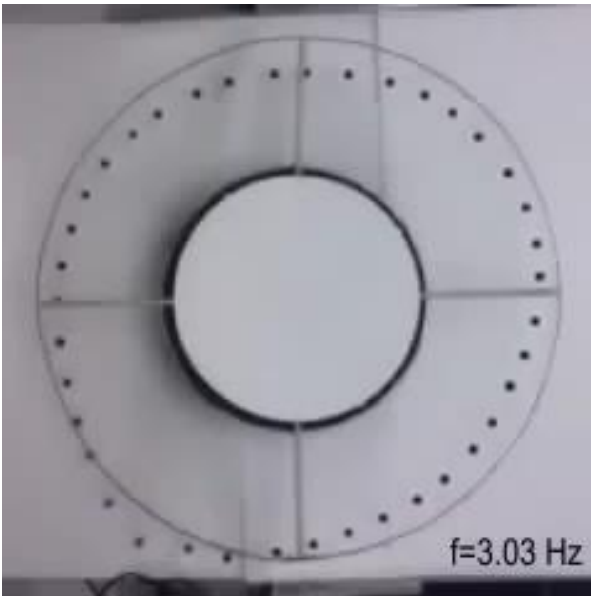
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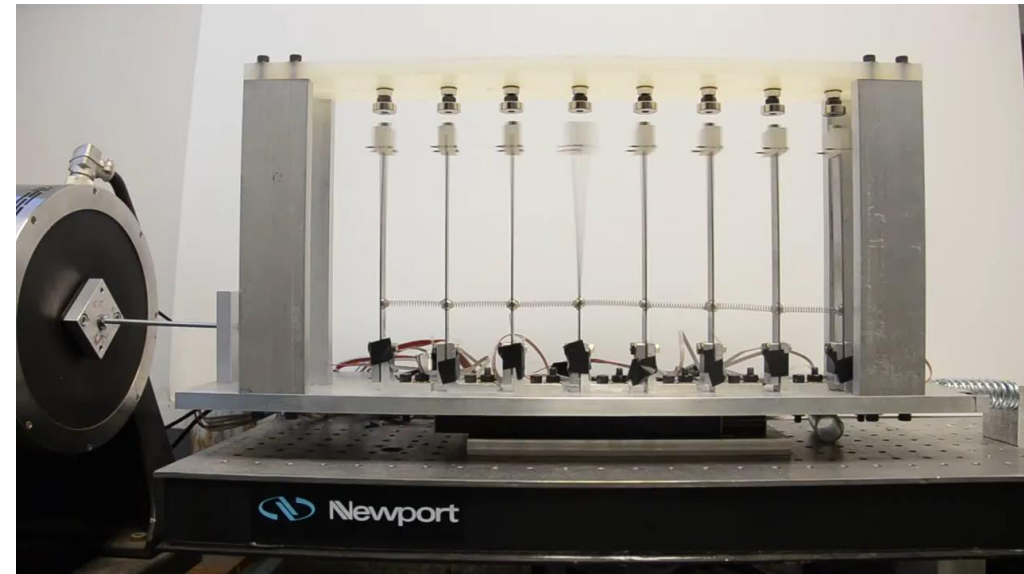


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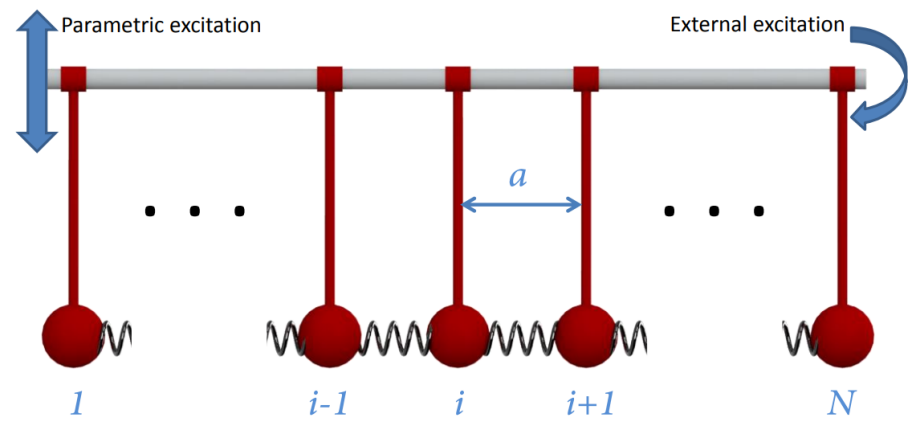


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Continuous Domain

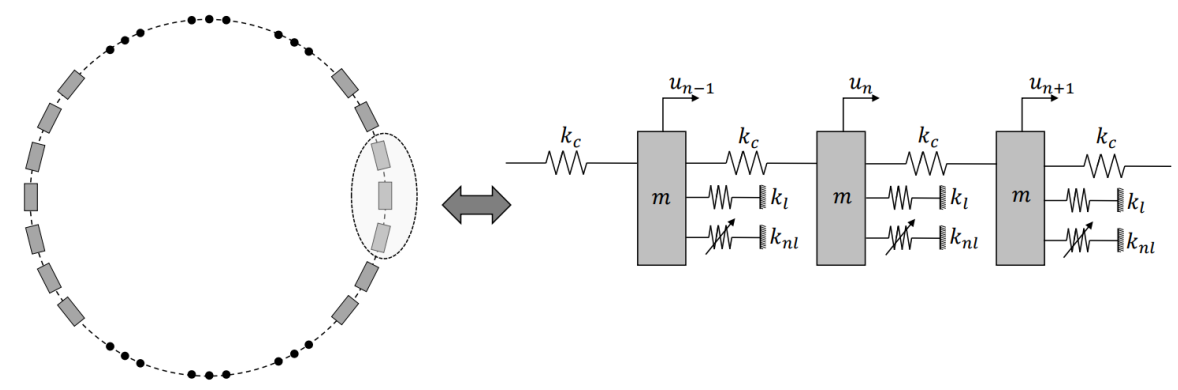


Discrete Domain



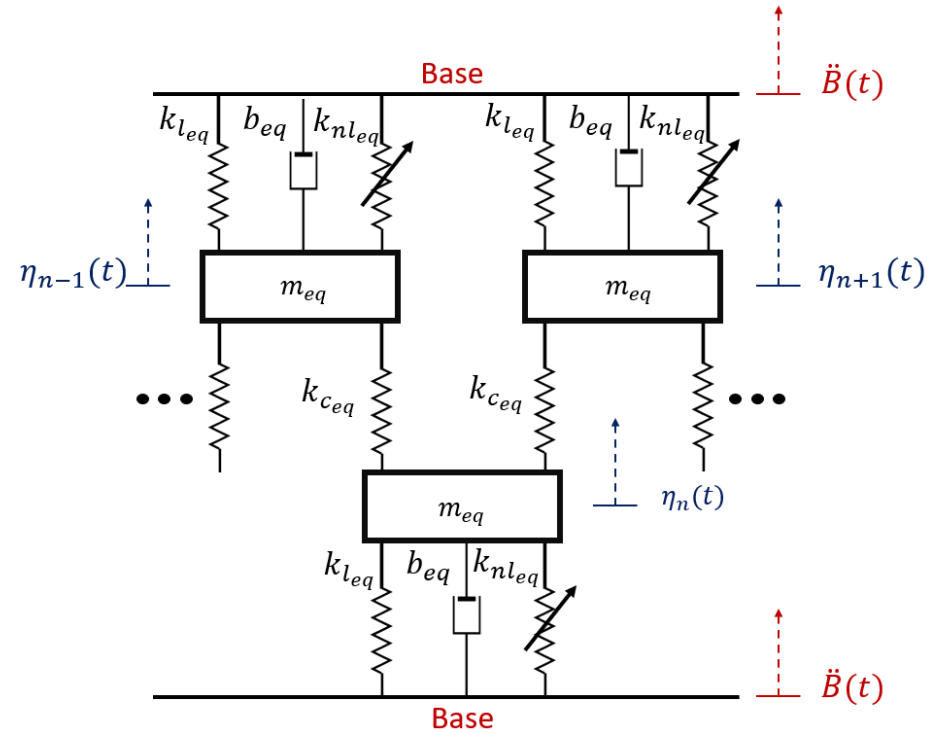
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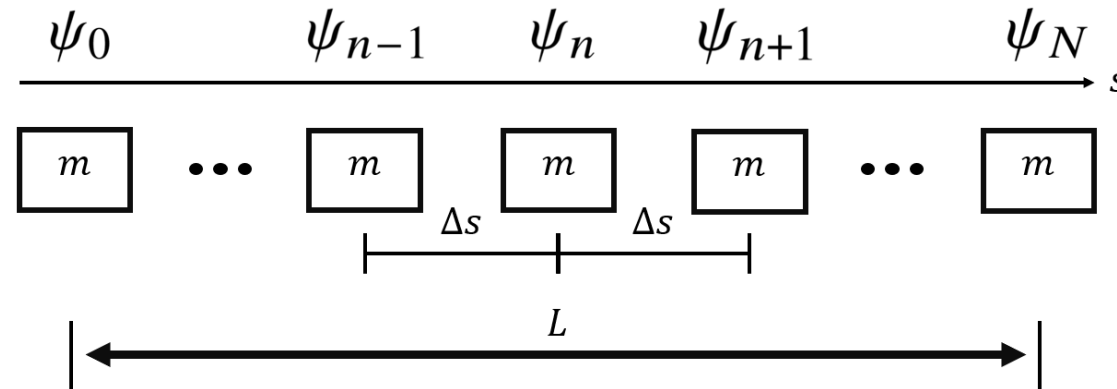


# Mathematical Model for Nonlinear Oscillator Chains

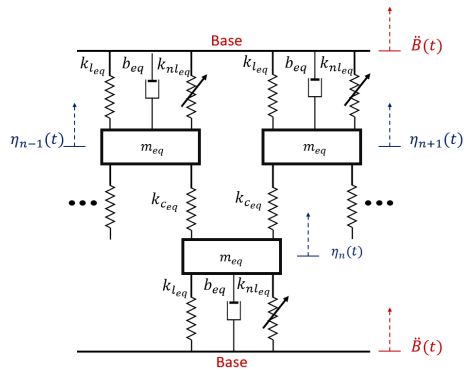
Equivalent System



Continuity hypothesis



# Mathematical Model for Nonlinear Oscillator Chains



$$\begin{aligned} \ddot{\eta}_n + 2\zeta\omega_0\dot{\eta}_n + \omega_0^2\eta_n - \frac{k_{nleq}}{m_{eq}}\eta_n^3 + \frac{k_{ceq}}{m_{eq}}(2\eta_n - \eta_{n+1} - \eta_{n-1}) &= \\ &= -0.5B_A(e^{i\omega t} + e^{-i\omega t}) \end{aligned}$$

Perturbation method

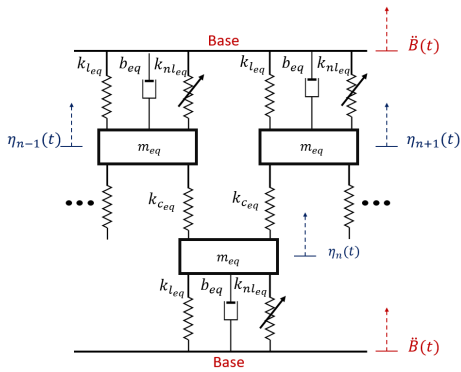
$$\left. \begin{aligned} B_A &= \varepsilon B_{Ae}, \quad k_c = \varepsilon k_{ce} \\ k_{nl} &= \varepsilon k_{nle}, \quad \zeta = \varepsilon \zeta_e \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Multiple scale method

$$\left. \eta_n = -(\psi_n(T) e^{-it\omega_0(1-\varepsilon)} + e^{it\omega_0(1-\varepsilon)} \bar{\psi}_n(T)) + O(\varepsilon) \right\}$$



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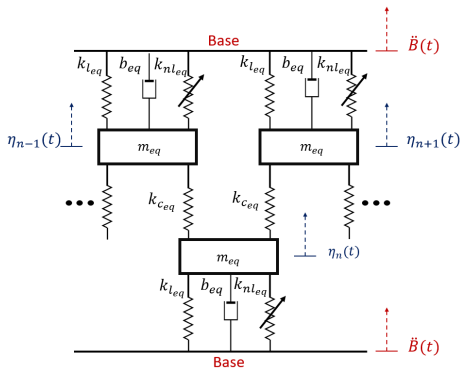


$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{0.25mB_{Ae}}{k_l} + i\zeta_e\psi_n(T) + \frac{3k_{nle}}{2k_l}\psi_n^2(T)\bar{\psi}_n(T) \\
 & + \\
 & \left( \frac{k_{ce}}{k_l}\psi_n(T) - \frac{k_{ce}}{2k_l}\psi_{n+1}(T) - \frac{k_{ce}}{2k_l}\psi_{n-1}(T) \right) - \psi_n(T) \\
 & = \\
 & -\frac{i}{\omega_0} \frac{d\psi_n(T)}{dT} .
 \end{aligned}$$

Nonlinear Schrödinger Equation:

- Discretized
- Dimensional

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Adjacent  
Oscillators



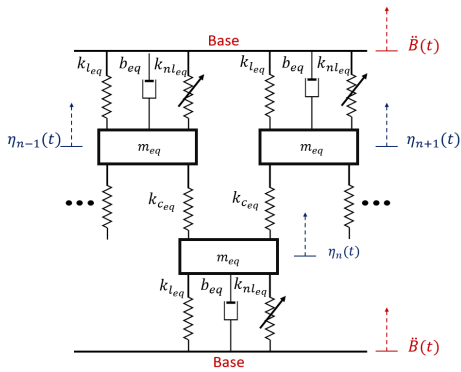
$$\begin{aligned} \psi_n(T) &= \psi(n\Delta s, T) = \psi(s_n, T) \\ \psi_{n\pm 1} &\approx \psi(s_n, T) \pm \Delta s \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \psi(s_n, T) + 0.5\Delta s^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial s^2} \psi(s_n, T) \end{aligned}$$

Adimensionalization



$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\psi} &= \sqrt{\frac{3k_{nle}}{4k_l}} \psi(s, T), & \hat{T} &= T\omega_0, & \hat{s} &= \frac{s}{\delta}, \\ \Delta \hat{s} &= \frac{\Delta s}{\delta}, & k_{ce} &= \frac{2\delta^2}{\Delta s^2} k_l, & h &= 0.125\sqrt{3}mB_{Ae} \sqrt{\frac{k_{nle}}{k_l^3}}, \end{aligned}$$

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$$-i \frac{\partial \hat{\psi}}{\partial \hat{T}} = h + (2|\hat{\psi}|^2 + i\zeta_e - 1)\hat{\psi} + \frac{\partial^2 \hat{\psi}}{\partial \hat{s}^2}$$

Nonlinear Schrödinger Equation:

- Continuous Domain
- Dimensionless

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Time Factor

External Excitation

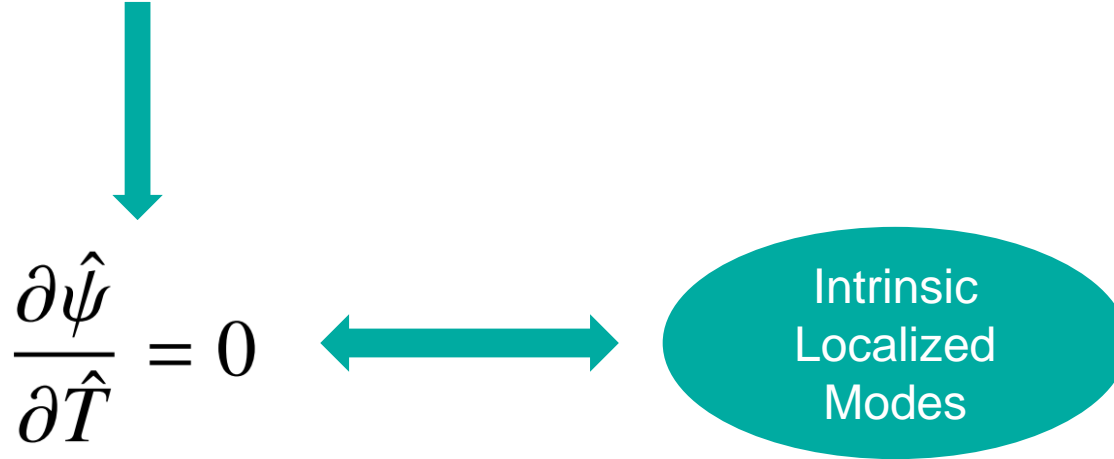
Nonlinearity

Damping

Space Factor

# Existence and Stability of Solitonic Solutions

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$$\zeta_e = 0 \longleftrightarrow \text{Damping} = 0$$

Analytical solutions

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \psi(x) = \psi_0 \left( 1 + \frac{2 \sinh^2 \alpha}{1 - \cosh \alpha \cosh(Ax)} \right) \\ h = \frac{\sqrt{2} \cosh^2 \alpha}{(1 + 2 \cosh^2 \alpha)^{3/2}}, \quad \psi_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1 + 2 \cosh^2 \alpha)}}, \quad A = 2\psi_0 \sinh \alpha \end{array} \right\}$$

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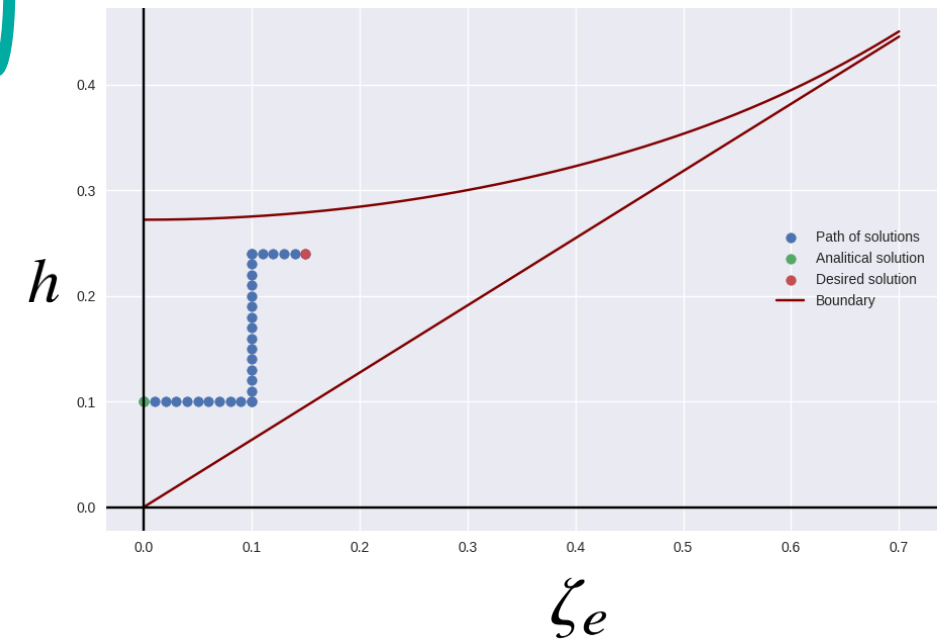
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External Excitation

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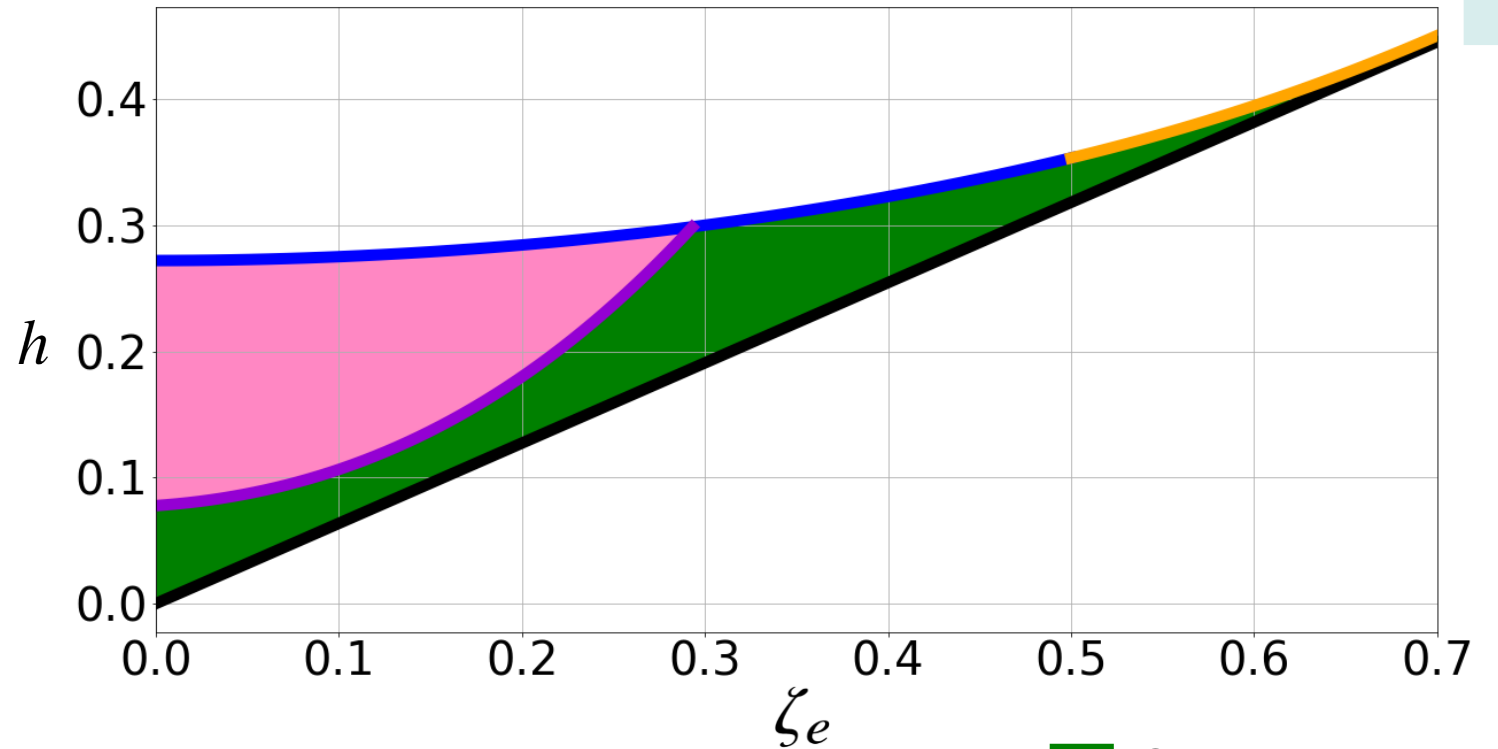
No analytical solutions



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$$\frac{\partial \hat{\psi}}{\partial \hat{T}} = 0$$



Stable  
Unstable



# Design methodology

$$\zeta = \varepsilon \zeta_e$$

$$\hat{L} = \frac{L}{\delta}$$

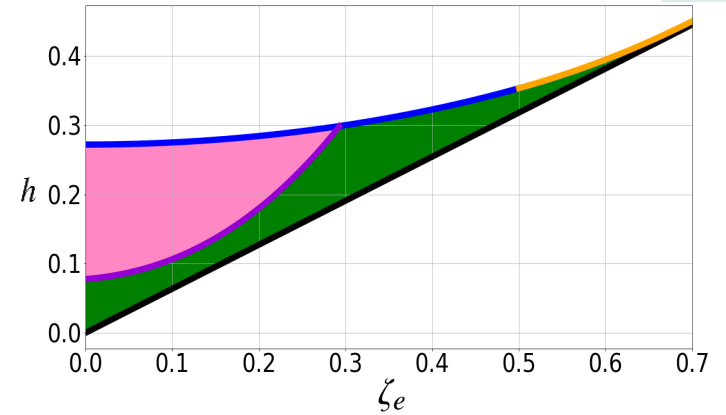
$$k_c = \frac{2\varepsilon\delta^2}{\Delta s^2} k_l$$

$$h = 0.125\sqrt{3}m \frac{B_A}{\varepsilon} \sqrt{\frac{k_{nl}}{\varepsilon k_l^3}}$$

Design Variables



Stability Conditions



# Design methodology

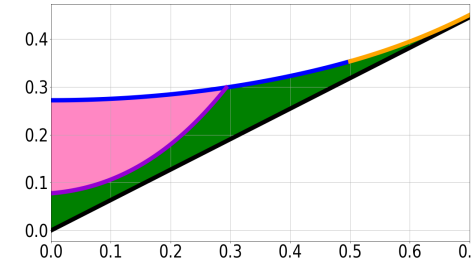


1<sup>o</sup> Physical variables of the oscillators  $\omega_0^2 = \frac{k_{leq}}{m_{eq}} \quad \frac{b_{eq}}{m_{eq}} = 2\zeta\omega_0$

2<sup>o</sup> Perturbation factor  
 $\zeta = \varepsilon\zeta_e$

Domain construction  
 $\hat{L} = \frac{L}{\delta}$

4<sup>o</sup> Stability Conditions



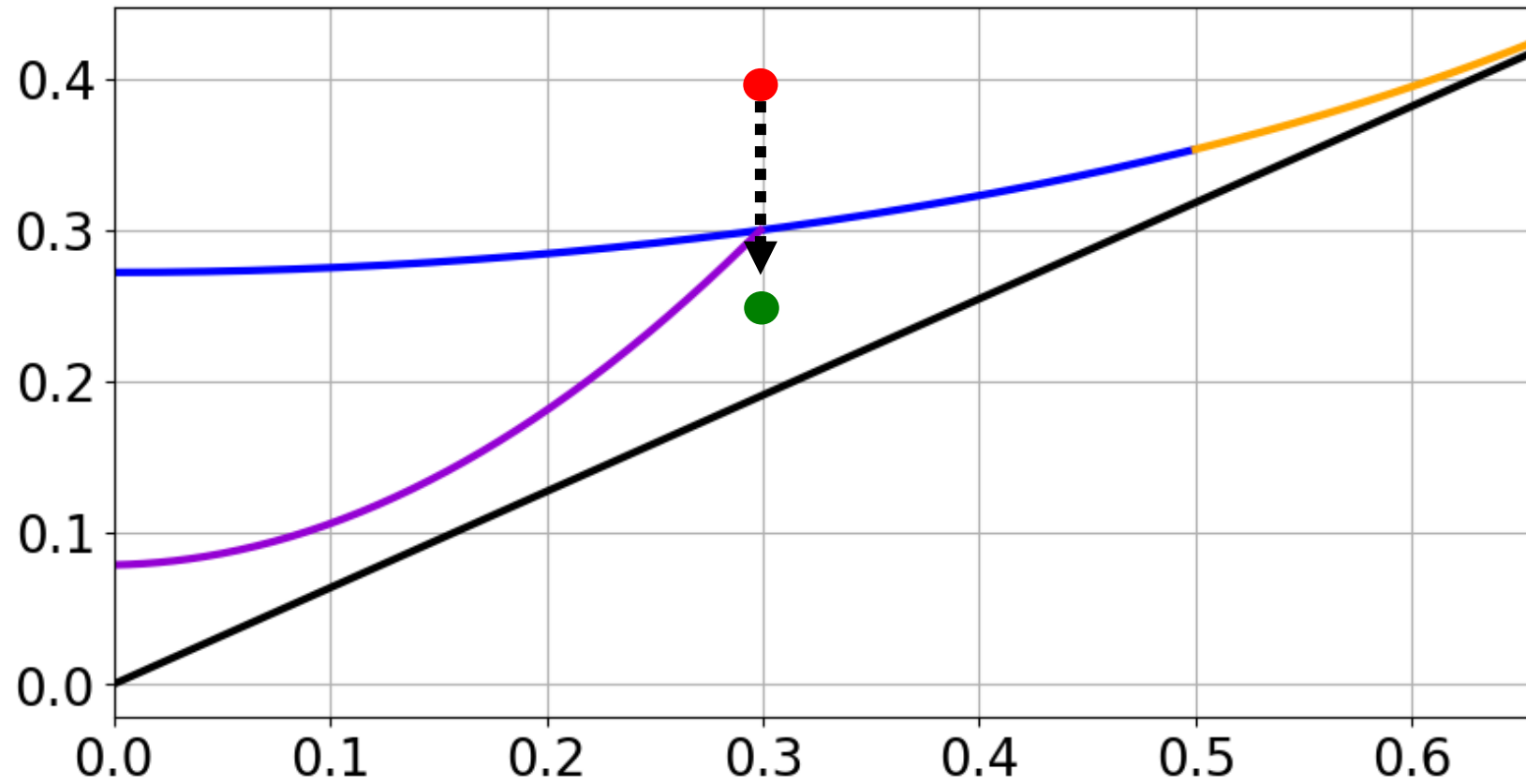
3<sup>o</sup> Number of oscillators  $\Delta s = \frac{L}{N-1}$

5<sup>o</sup> Nonlinearity  $h = 0.125\sqrt{3}m\frac{B_A}{\varepsilon} \sqrt{\frac{k_{nl}}{\varepsilon k_l^3}}$

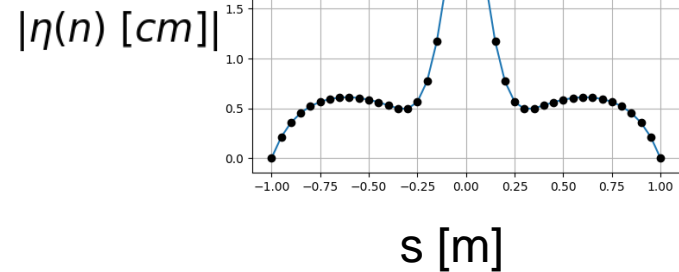
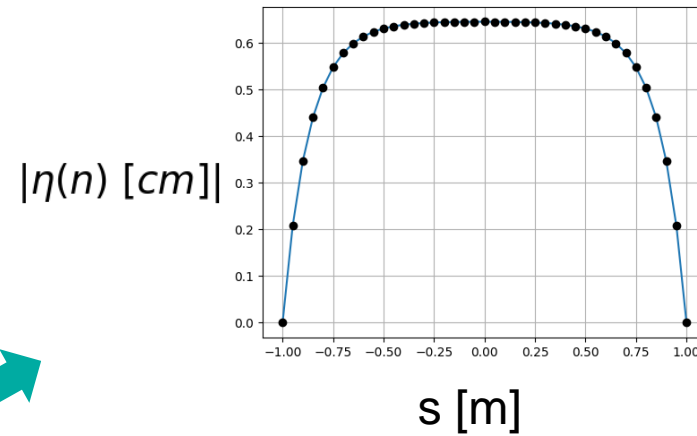
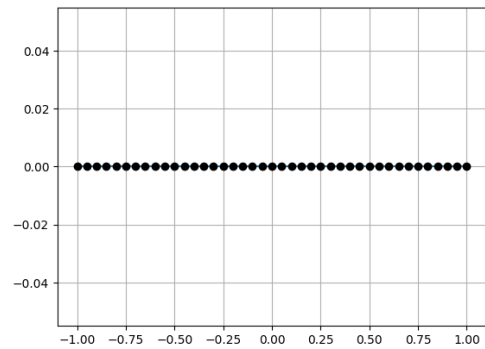
Coupling stiffness  $k_c = \frac{2\varepsilon\delta^2}{\Delta s^2} k_l$



# Numerical Example



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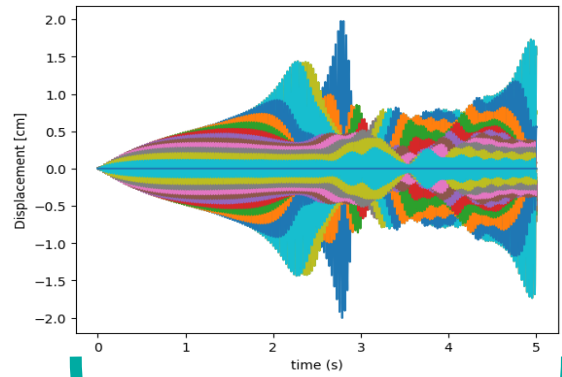
Parameters obtained  
by the developed  
methodology

Parameter	value	Unit
$m$	0.5	kg
$k_l$	24180.530	N/m
$\omega_0$	$70\pi$	rad/s
$\zeta$	0.3%	dimensionless
$B_A$	2.943	$m/s^2$
$N$	41	dimensionless
$L$	2	m
$\Delta s$	0.05	m
$\varepsilon$	0.01	dimensionless
$\delta$	0.118	dimensionless
$k_c$	2693.518	N/m

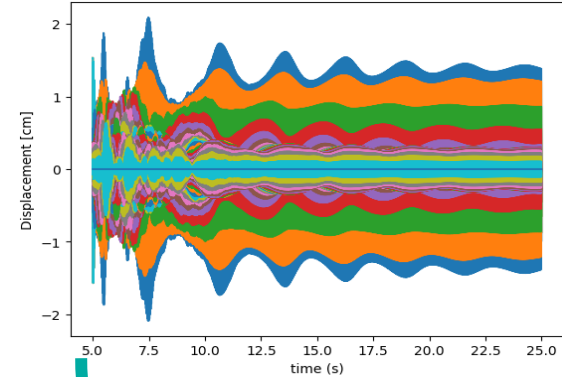
Parameter	value	Unit
Total simulation time	25	s
Time step between iterations	0.0005	s
$h$ for time < 5s	0.4	dimensionless
$k_{nl}$ for time < 5s	22287207.593	$N/m^3$
$h$ for time $\geq$ 5s	0.25	dimensionless
$k_{nl}$ for time $\geq$ 5s	8705940.466	$N/m^3$



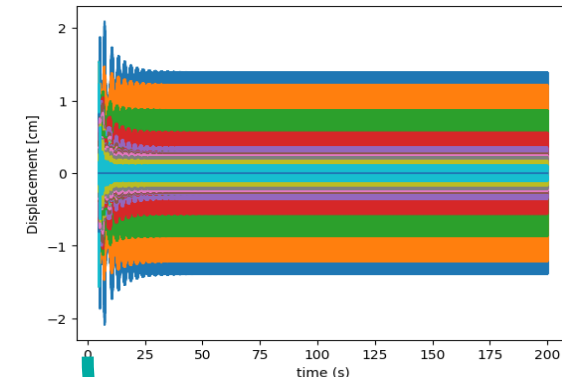
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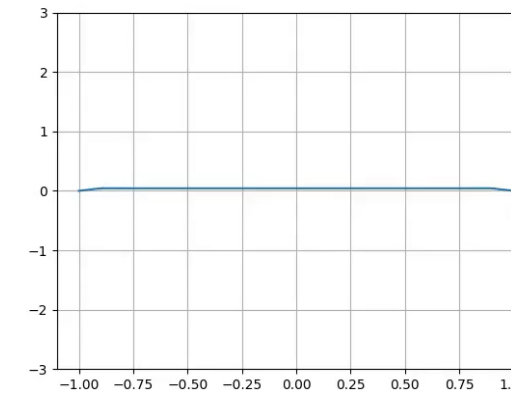
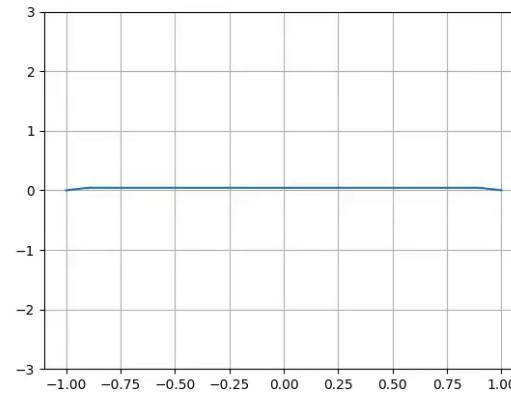
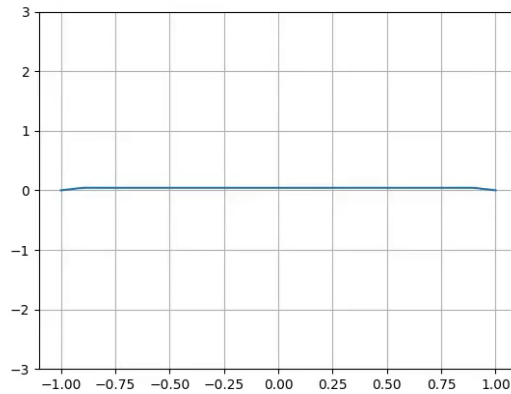
Initial Unstable Condition



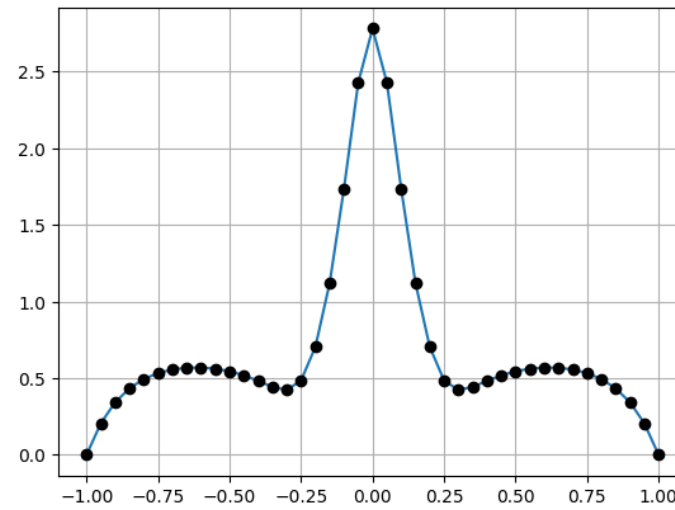
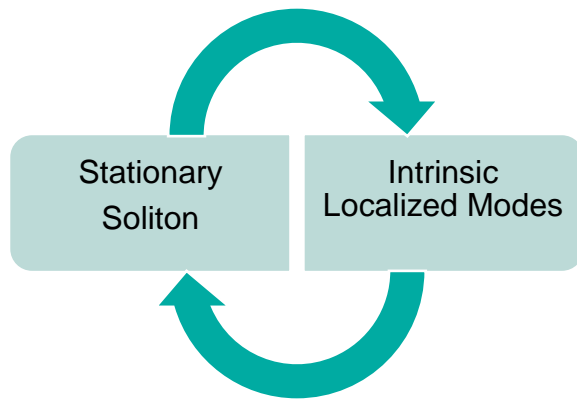
Initial Stable Condition



Temporal Stability



# Discussion and Conclusion



Topics requiring additional investigation:

- Number of Oscillators
- Initial conditions of instability
- Numerical Integration Algorithms

Thank you very much for your attention

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