

Theoretical and experimental study of a continuously tunable NES

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Proposed design – adimensional equation of motion



• Approximate EoM (Series expansion)

$$(1+\epsilon)\ddot{u} + u + 2\zeta\dot{u} - \epsilon\left(\ddot{\theta} - \frac{1}{2}\theta^{2}\ddot{\theta} - \theta\dot{\theta}^{2}\right) = F\cos\Omega t$$

$$\ddot{\theta} - \ddot{u}\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2\right) + \kappa\theta^3 + \lambda\theta^2\dot{\theta} = 0$$

Objectives

- Describe the dynamical behavior of the system
- Compare between translational and pendulum NES
- Experimental exploration

Proposed design – How to adjust the nonlinear stiffness?









Dynamical behavior – Influence of NES parameters on the SIM



• For a translational NES, the SIM is multi-valued $\forall \lambda < \kappa \sqrt{3}$

Dynamical behavior – Influence of NES parameters on the SIM



Dynamical behavior – Performance comparison

Defining the dynamic range: $\Delta = \frac{\max(G_{isola}, G_{ampl})}{G_{fs}}$



- Nonlinear damping **significantly increase** the dynamic range
- Translation and pendulum NES have similar dynamic range



Dynamical behavior – Experimental setup



Dynamical behavior – Evidence of 1:1 resonance capture



Dynamical behavior – Differents configurations of NES



Dynamical behavior – Influence of nonlinear damping



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SIM if the damping was linear...



Conclusion & Perspectives

• New type of NES



• Theoretical beahvior using MMS-HBM



• Experimental validation



Perspectives:

- Experimental caracterization of NES
- Implementation on FOWT numerical twin

• ...

Proposed design – adimensional full equation of motion



The linear stiffness vanishes if the initial length of the spring $r_0 = l_1 + l_2$

Dynamical behavior – Example of sizing diagram



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Dynamical behavior – analysis using the MMS-HBM

 $u(t) = A(t)e^{it_0} + \bar{A}(t)e^{-it_0}$ $\theta(t) = B(t)e^{it_0} + \bar{B}(t)e^{-it_0}$

Order ϵ^0 : Slow Invariant Manifold (SIM)

$$A\left(1-\frac{1}{4}B\overline{B}\right)-B-\frac{1}{8}\overline{A}B^{2}+\frac{1}{4}(3\kappa+i\lambda)B^{2}\overline{B}=0$$

Order ϵ^1 : Amplitude Modulation Equation



Going back to the equation of the NES at $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0)$: a harmonically forced nonlinear oscillator

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(A e^{it_0} + \bar{A} e^{-it_0} \right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \theta_0^2 \right) + d_0^2 \theta_0 + \kappa \theta_0^3 + \lambda \theta_0^2 d_0 \theta_0 = 0$$

Stability computation using **Floquet theory** •

i. Adding **perturbations**:
$$\theta_0(t_0, t_1) = \frac{1}{2}B(t_1)e^{it_0} + \frac{1}{2}\overline{B}(t_1)e^{-it_0} + y(t_0)$$

ii. **Linearizing** around disturbances:

$$d_0^2 y + M_1(t) d_0 y + M_2(t) y = 0$$

periodic coefficient of period 2π

 $y(t_0) = \phi(t_0) e^{\gamma t_0}$ iii. We seek a solution of **Floquet form**: Floquet exponent

iv. Expanding $\phi(t_0)$ in Fourier series and balancing first harmonic \rightarrow Fourth order polynomial in γ !!!!

Dynamical behavior – analysis using the MMS-HBM

• Introducing independent time scales:

$$t_0 = t$$
, $t_1 = \epsilon t$, $\epsilon \ll 1$
Fast time Slow time

• Power series expansion of the dependent variable:

 $u(t;\epsilon) = u_0(t_0,t_1) + \epsilon u_1(t_0,t_1)$ $\theta(t;\epsilon) = \theta_0(t_0,t_1) + \epsilon \theta_1(t_0,t_1)$

• Scaling parameters: $\zeta, F \sim \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$

• Substituting into the equation of motion and balancing term with the same power of ϵ

$$\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^{0}): \quad d_{0}^{2}u_{0} + u_{0} = 0 \quad \text{harmonic oscillator} \quad \to \quad u_{0}(t_{0}, t_{1}) = \frac{1}{2}A(t_{1})e^{it_{0}} + \frac{1}{2}\bar{A}(t_{1})e^{-it_{0}}$$
$$d_{0}^{2}\theta_{0} - d_{0}^{2}u_{0}\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta_{0}^{2}\right) + \kappa\theta_{0}^{3} + \lambda\theta_{0}^{2}d_{0}\theta_{0} = 0$$

No closed form solution

• we seek an approximate solutions using **first harmonic method**: $\theta_0(t_0, t_1) = \frac{1}{2}B(t_1)e^{it_0} + \frac{1}{2}\overline{B}(t_1)e^{-it_0}$

Complex valued Slow Invariant Manifold (SIM)

 $A\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}B\bar{B}\right) - B - \frac{1}{8}\bar{A}B^{2} + \frac{1}{4}(3\kappa + i\lambda)B^{2}\bar{B} = 0$

Pendulum NES

Translational NES

$$A - B + \frac{1}{4}(3\kappa + i\lambda)B^2\overline{B} = 0$$

Dynamical behavior – Amplitude modulation equation

 $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^1)$ equation:

$$d_0^2 u_1 + u_1 = -2d_0 d_1 u_0 - d_0^2 u_0 + d_0^2 \theta_0 - \theta_0 (d_0 \theta_0)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \theta_0^2 d_0^2 \theta_0 - 2\zeta d_0 u_0 + G \cos \Omega t_0$$

- The excitation frequency is **close** to the frequency of the primary system: $\Omega = 1 + \epsilon \sigma$
- Substituting solutions at $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^0)$:

$$d_0^2 u_1 + u_1 = \left(-id_1 A - i\zeta A + \frac{1}{2}(A - B) + \frac{1}{16}B^2 \overline{B} + \frac{1}{2}Ge^{i\sigma t_1} \right)e^{it_0} + N.S.T. + c.c.$$

• Elimination of secular terms:

$$-id_1A - i\zeta A + \frac{1}{2}(A - B) + \frac{1}{16}B^2\overline{B} + \frac{1}{2}Ge^{i\sigma t_1} = 0$$

- Projection of the dynamics on the SIM (invariance property of the SIM): $A(t_1) = g(B(t_1))$
- ... after some manipulations (polar form, reabsorbing ϵ , change of phase variable)

Amplitude modulation equation (AME)

 $\dot{b} = f_1(b,\theta), \qquad \dot{\theta} = f_2(b,\theta,\sigma)$

Context



Dynamical behavior – Influence of the forcing amplitude



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- Isola appears?

Dynamical behavior – SMR triggered by grazing flow





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Creation of a pair of **folded singularities**

Singularity theory

Tool to detect **topological** modifications of a **manifold** h = 0

• Isola singularity





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