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Fluid/elastic stationary modes of a flexible plate clamped on a cylinder

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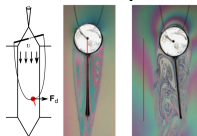
Spontaneous plate deviation \rightarrow non-zero lift force.

- ✈ How to predict the instability onset ?
- ✈ What are the underlying mechanisms ?

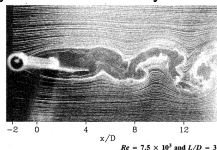
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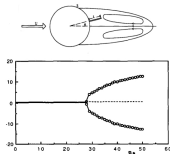
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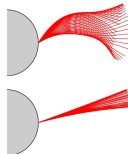
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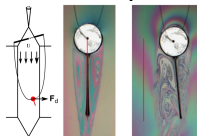
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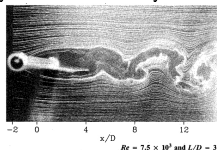
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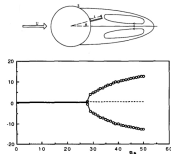
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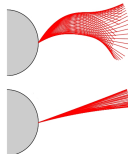
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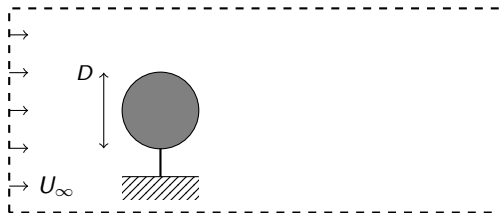
🌀 Here : approach based on linear stability analysis.

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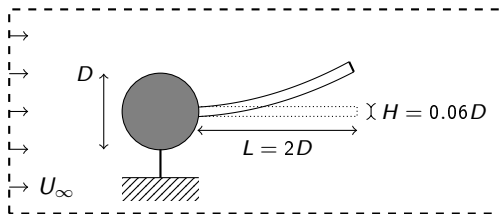
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- ✈ Parameters :
 - ▶ $\rho_{\text{solid}}/\rho_{\text{fluid}} = 1$,
 - ▶ Poisson coefficient $\nu_s = 0.4$, variable **rigidity** coefficient \mathcal{K}_B ,
 - ▶ Variable **Reynolds number** $\mathcal{R}e = U_\infty D/\nu$.
- ✈ Physics modeling :
 - ▶ Incompressible laminar flow,
 - ▶ Non-linear elastic solid (Saint-Venant Kirchhoff).

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The coupled problem is then written as

$$\mathcal{B} \frac{\partial \mathbf{q}}{\partial t} - \mathcal{R}(\mathbf{q}) = 0 \quad \text{in a **fixed** domain } \Omega_0$$

$$\mathbf{q} = \begin{cases} \text{velocity (solid/fluid)} \\ \text{displacement (solid/**fluid**)} \\ \text{pressure (fluid)} \end{cases} \quad \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{R} = \begin{cases} \text{Navier-Stokes equations (fluid)} \\ \text{Elasticity equations (solid)} \\ \text{Stress/velocity continuity (interface)} \\ \text{**Fluid mesh equation**} \end{cases}$$

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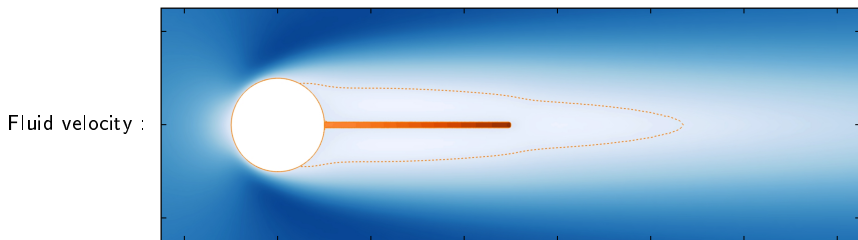
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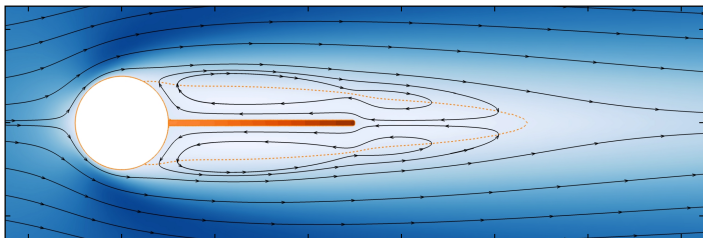
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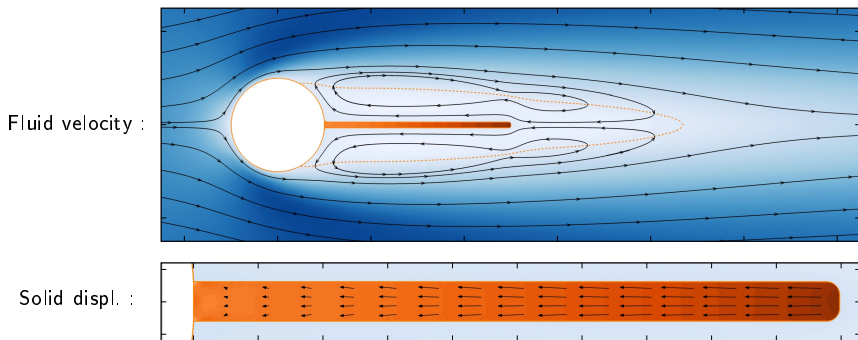


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- ⊕ Small compression ($\simeq 0.01\%$ of the length) in the solid due to viscous shear

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Linear stability problem \rightarrow look for *unstable* modes ($\text{Re}(\sigma > 0)$), $\hat{\mathbf{q}}$

$$\sigma \mathcal{B} \hat{\mathbf{q}} - \left. \frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right|_{\mathbf{q}_b} \hat{\mathbf{q}} = 0$$

Eigenvalue problem

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Coupling operators :

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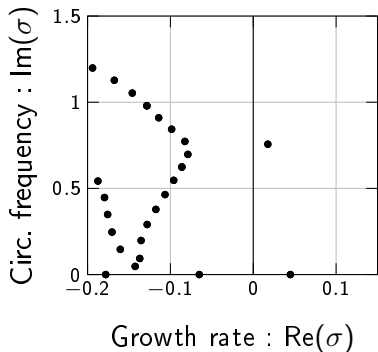
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Large eigenvalue problem, solved in FreeFem++/ARPACK⁸ with finite-elements and an exact Jacobian matrix.

8. www.caam.rice.edu/software/ARPACK/

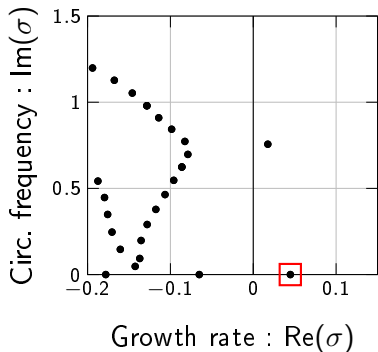
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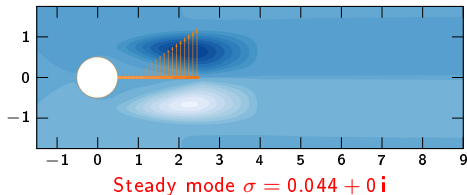


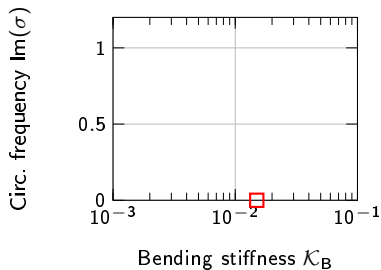
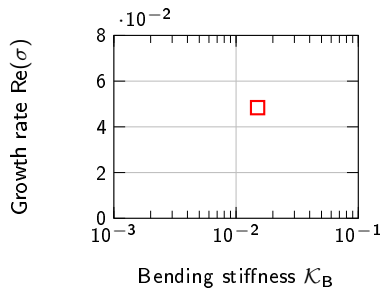
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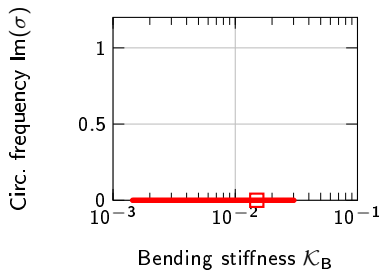
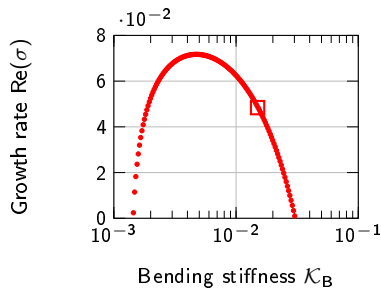
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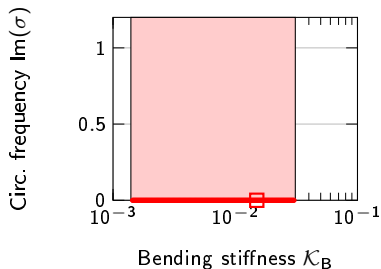
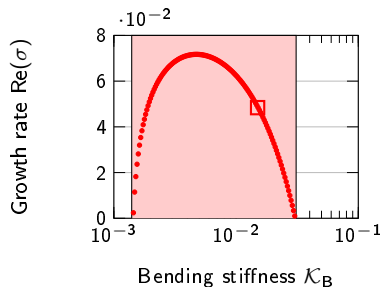


Mode (u velocity and solid displ.) :



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- ✈ The steady mode is unstable over a finite range of rigidities,
- ✈ In what follows we focus on this range.

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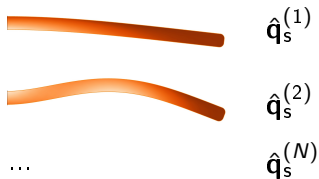
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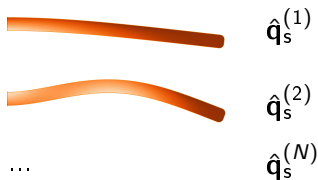


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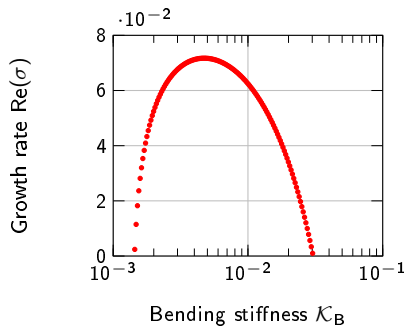
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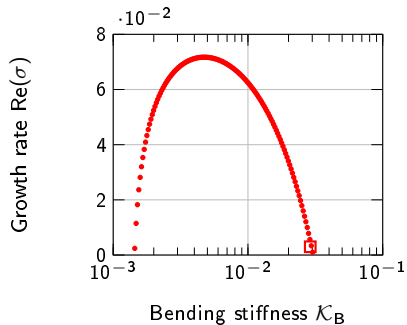
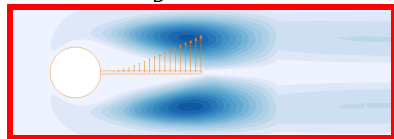
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Free solid modes are orthogonal \rightarrow **projection basis** (coefficients y_j)

$$\hat{\mathbf{q}}_s = \sum_{j=1}^N y_j \hat{\mathbf{q}}_s^{(j)}$$

Effect of the bending stiffness \mathcal{K}_B on the mode

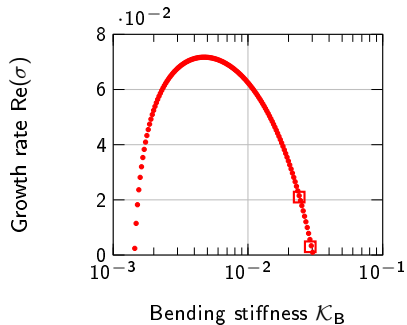
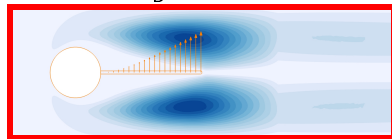
Effect of the bending stiffness \mathcal{K}_B on the modeSteady mode shape, $\mathcal{R}e = 80$ $\mathcal{K}_B = 0.0290$ 

Projections :

$$y_1/(y_1 + y_2) = 97\%$$

$$y_2/(y_1 + y_2) = 3\%$$

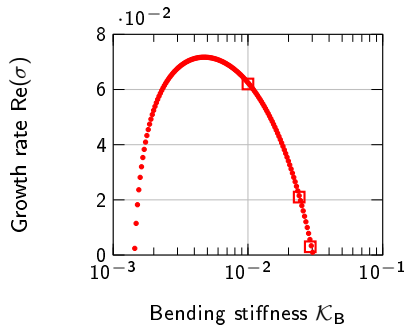
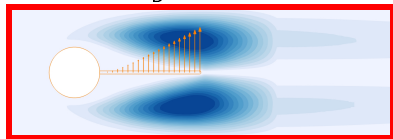


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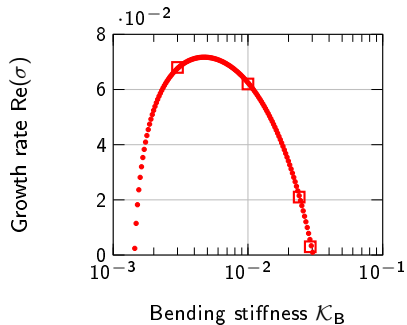
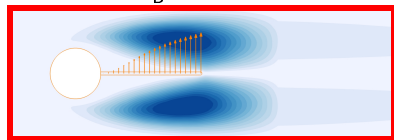
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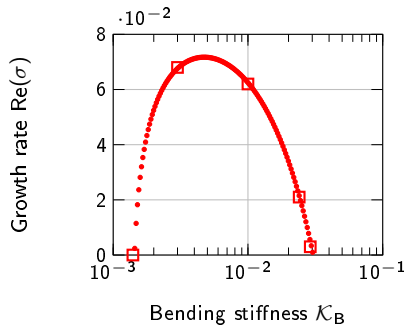
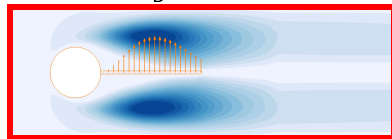
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Projections :

$$y_1/(y_1 + y_2) = 75\%$$

$$y_2/(y_1 + y_2) = 25\%$$



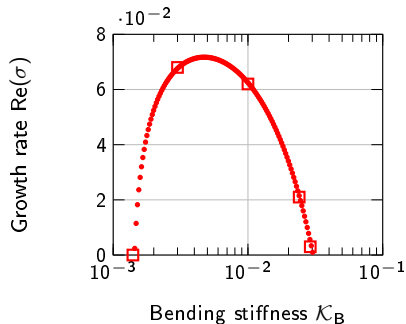
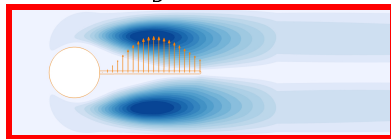
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- When \mathcal{K}_B is decreased, in the solid the contribution of the second mode increases

Reduced model

Coupled system :

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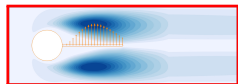
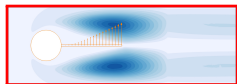
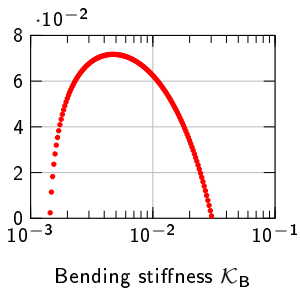
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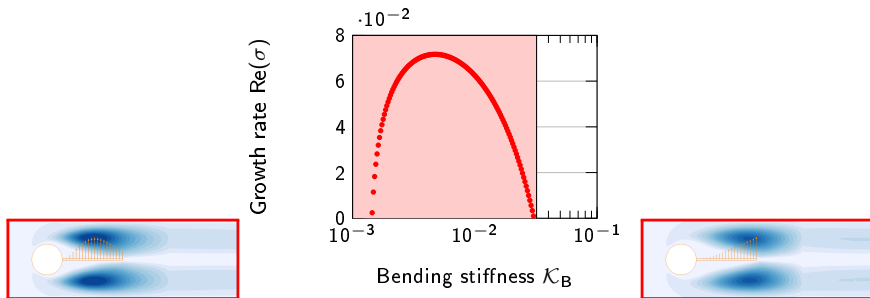
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The fluid load (factor $K_{11,0}$) acts as a *negative added stiffness*
 → possible *divergence* instability.

Reduced model results

Growth rate $\text{Re}(\sigma)$ 

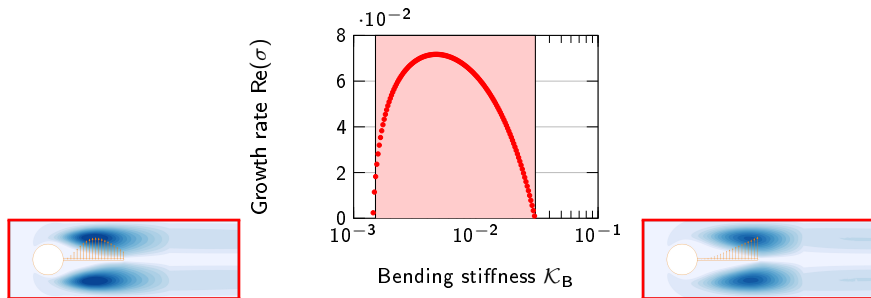
Reduced model results



Unstable region, reduced model with mode 1

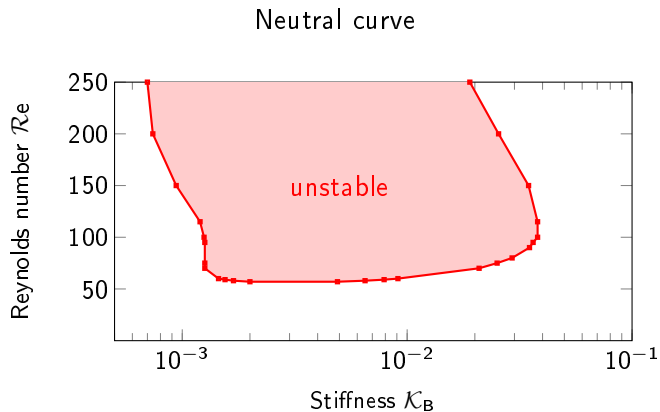
$$\omega_{s,1}^2 - K_{11,0} < 0$$

Reduced model results



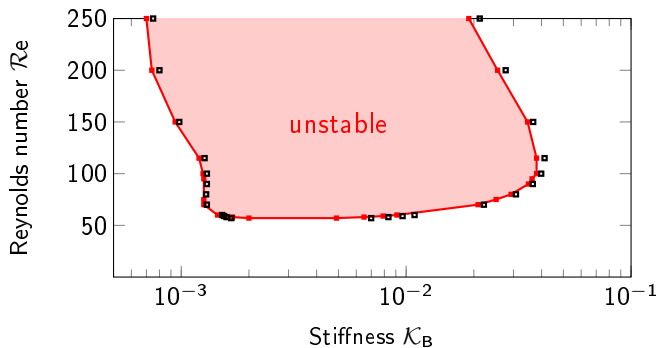
Unstable region, reduced model with mode 1 and mode 2

$$(\omega_{s,1}^2 - K_{11,0}) (\omega_{s,2}^2 - K_{22,0}) - K_{12,0} K_{21,0} < 0$$

Neutral curve in $(\mathcal{K}_B, \mathcal{R}e)$ plane

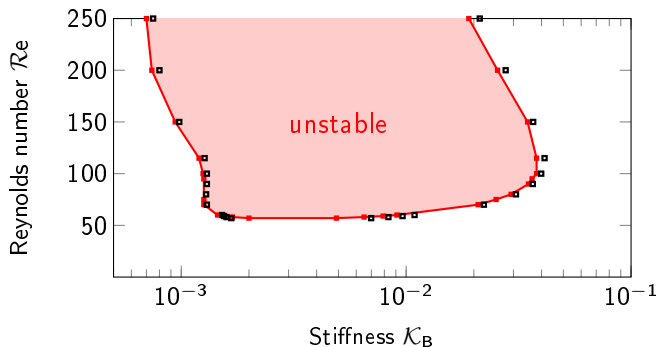
Neutral curve in $(\mathcal{K}_B, \mathcal{Re})$ plane

Neutral curve vs. two-modes approximation



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Good agreement : the hypothesis is validated.

Conclusion

- ✈ Linearized fluid/solid stability analysis can predict well the instability thresholds,
- ✈ The static fluid/solid bifurcation mechanism is a solid stiffness cancellation due to negative fluid added stiffness.

Thank you – Questions

Appendix – Parameters

Non-dimensional parameters :

$$\mathcal{R}e = \frac{DU_\infty}{\nu}, \quad \mathcal{K}_B = \frac{EH^3}{12\rho_f U_\infty^2 L^3}, \quad \mathcal{M}_\rho = \rho_s/\rho_f$$

In this study :

- ✈ $H/L \sim 1\%$
- ✈ $\mathcal{R}e \sim 100$
- ✈ $\mathcal{K}_B \sim 10^{-3} - 1$
- ✈ $\mathcal{M}_\rho = 1$

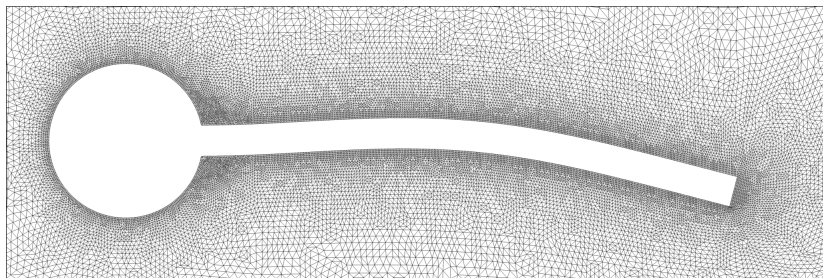
Corresponding values in the real world (e.g. in a water channel) :

- ✈ $D \sim 1 \text{ mm}, U_\infty \sim 0.1 \text{ m/s}, E \sim 1 - 100 \text{ MPa (rubber)}$

→ Haemodynamics, small water-swimmers,...

Appendix – Spatial discretization

- ✈ Domain $x/D \in [-20, 50]$, $y/D \in [-20, 20]$
- ✈ Finite elements P2 for velocity/displacement, P1 for the pressure
- ✈ Conformal mesh with $\sim 30k$ elements $\rightarrow 200k$ d.o.f. in the stability problem



Appendix – Non-linear ALE system

Local equations⁹

$$J \frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial t} + \nabla \mathbf{u} \Phi \left(\mathbf{u} - \frac{\partial \xi}{\partial t} \right) - \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^f = 0, \quad \text{fluid momentum eq.}$$

$$\nabla \mathbf{u} : \Phi^T = 0, \quad \text{fluid continuity eq.}$$

$$\nabla^2 \xi = 0, \quad \text{extension eq.}$$

$$\mathcal{M}_\rho \frac{\partial^2 \xi}{\partial t^2} - \nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^s = 0 \quad \text{solid momentum eq.}$$

Constitutive relations

$$\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^f = \left(-p \mathbf{I} + \frac{1}{\text{Re}} \frac{1}{J} \left(\nabla \mathbf{u} \Phi + \Phi^T \nabla \mathbf{u}^T \right) \right) \Phi^T, \quad \text{viscous fluid}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\Sigma}^s = \lambda \text{tr}(\mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{F} - \mathbf{I}) \mathbf{I} + 2\mu (\mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{F} - \mathbf{I}) \quad \text{Saint-Venant Kirchhoff solid}$$

Interface conditions : stress, displacement and velocity continuity.

9. $\Phi = J \mathbf{F}^{-1}$, $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{I} + \nabla \xi$, $J = \det \mathbf{F}$ (geometric transformation operators)

Appendix – Stationary solver

Problem : Solve the stationary *non-linear* system :

$$\mathcal{R}(\mathbf{q}) = 0.$$

Approach : Newton method \rightarrow solve successively *linear* systems :

$$\left. \frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right|_{\mathbf{q}^k} (\mathbf{q}^{k+1} - \mathbf{q}^k) = -\mathcal{R}(\mathbf{q}^k).$$

- ✈ Monolithic approach : the fluid, solid and extension equation are solved simultaneously.
- ✈ *Exact Jacobian* implementation : an analytical derivation of $\partial \mathcal{R} / \partial \mathbf{q}$ is done rather than finite-differences \rightarrow gain in convergence.
- ✈ Direct solver MUMPS for linear systems.

Appendix – Eigenvalue solver

Problem : Solve the eigenvalue problem :

$$\sigma \mathcal{B} \hat{\mathbf{q}} - \left. \frac{\partial \mathcal{R}}{\partial \mathbf{q}} \right|_{\mathbf{q}_b} \hat{\mathbf{q}} = 0$$

Unknowns (on the whole domain) in \mathbf{q} : 2×velocity + 4×displacement + 4×displacement velocity (fluid/solid, overlapping) + 1×pressure + interface Lagrange multipliers → symmetric \mathcal{B} matrix.

Procedures :

- ✈ Exact Jacobian implementation,
- ✈ Shift-and-invert & ARNOLDI method,
- ✈ MUMPS solver for LU matrix decomposition,
- ✈ ARPACK interface in FreeFem++.

Appendix – DNS

Approach : ALE equations in reference conf. + monolithic weak form¹⁰ :

- + No mesh-moving procedure (except for post-treatments)
- + No numerical added-mass effect
- Strongly non-linear

Procedure : At each time-step n the fully implicit problem

$$\left. \frac{\partial \mathbf{q}}{\partial t} \right|^{n+1} + \mathcal{R}(\mathbf{q}^{n+1}, \mathbf{q}^n, \dots) = 0$$

is solved using FreeFem++, with

- ✈ a (evtl. shifted) Crank-Nicholson time-discretization scheme (2nd order),
- ✈ a Newton method + exact Jacobian expressions,
- ✈ parallel matrix assembly & MUMPS direct solver.

Validated by comparison with popular FSI benchmarks (Turek & Hron)

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