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Structural Health Monitoring by Based on Piezoelectric Sensors

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General Overview on SHM and NDT Methods

- ❖ NDT methods
- ❖ Extended NDT methods
- ❖ SHM methods
- ❖ General definitions

General Overview on SHM and NDT Methods

NDT methods

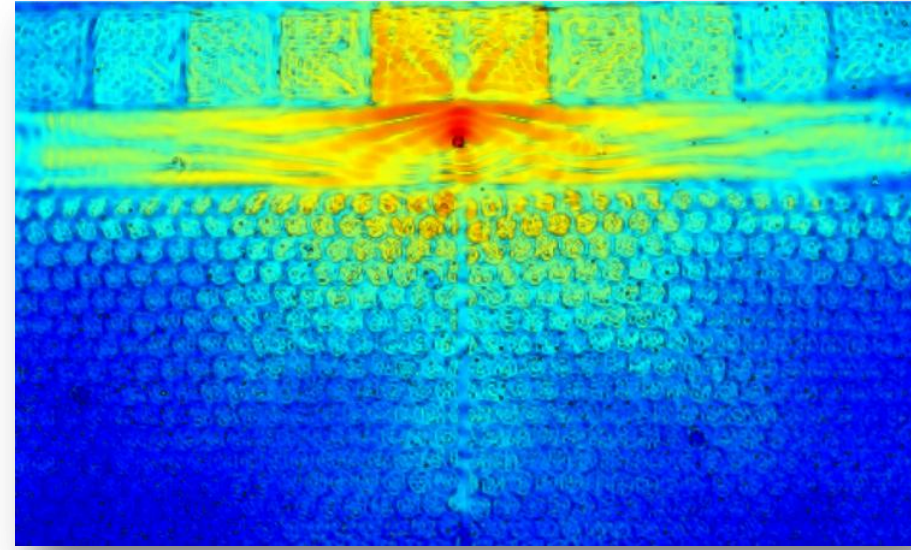
- ❖ *Conventional ultrasounds with frequency analysis*
- ❖ *Nonlinear ultrasounds*
- ❖ *Laser excited ultrasounds*
- ❖ *Eddy current*
- ❖ *Strain gauges*
- ❖ *.....*

General Overview on SHM and NDT Methods

Extended NDT methods

- ❖ *Active thermography using optical excitation*
- ❖ *Active thermography using ultrasound excitation*
- ❖ *THz technology*
- ❖ *Electro-mechanical impedance*
- ❖

Extended NDT Methods

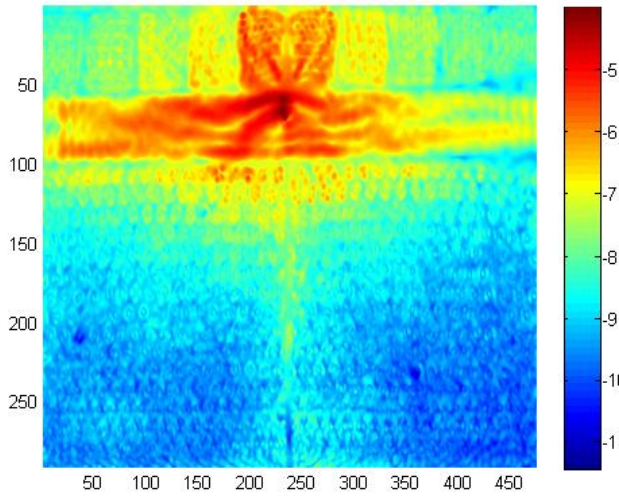


Guided waves monitoring by 3D laser scanning vibrometry

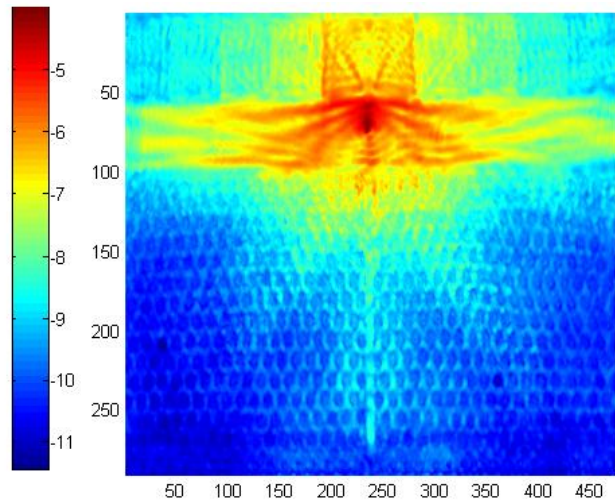


Active thermography

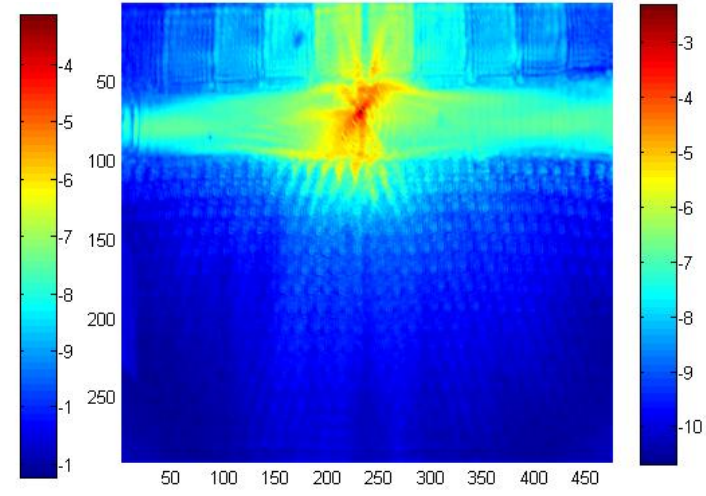
Damage detection



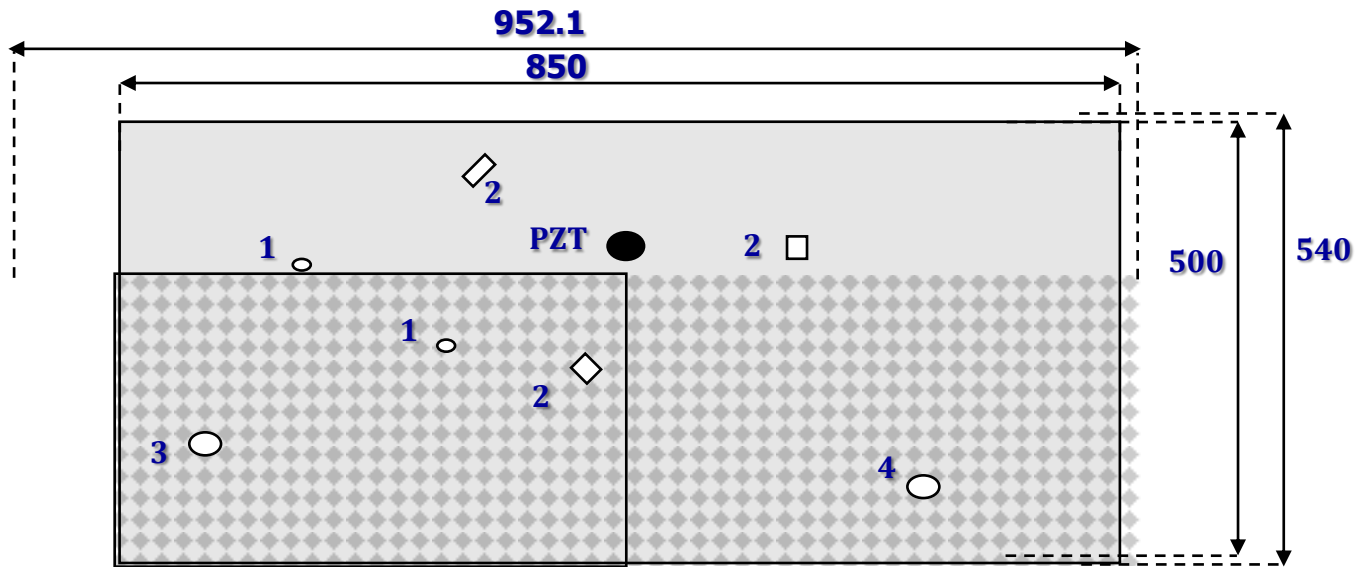
16.5 kHz



35 kHz



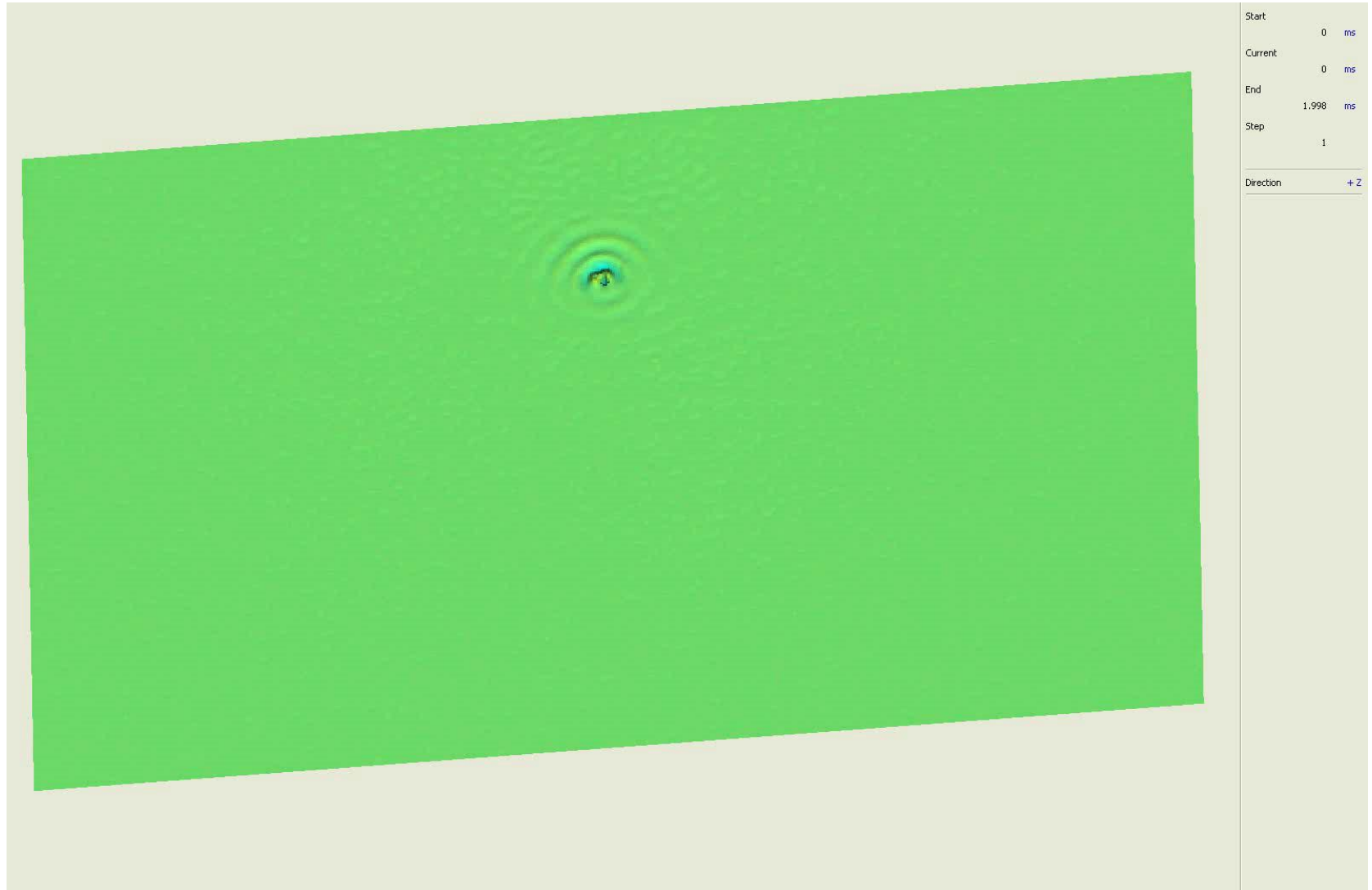
100 kHz



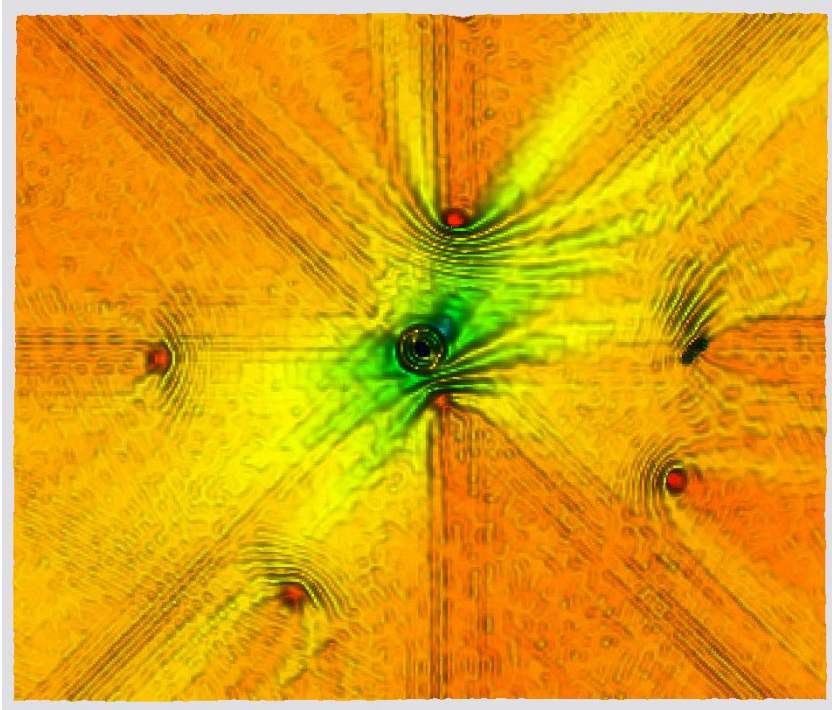
Energy distribution

PZL – WA Stabilizer

A0 Wave 35 kHz

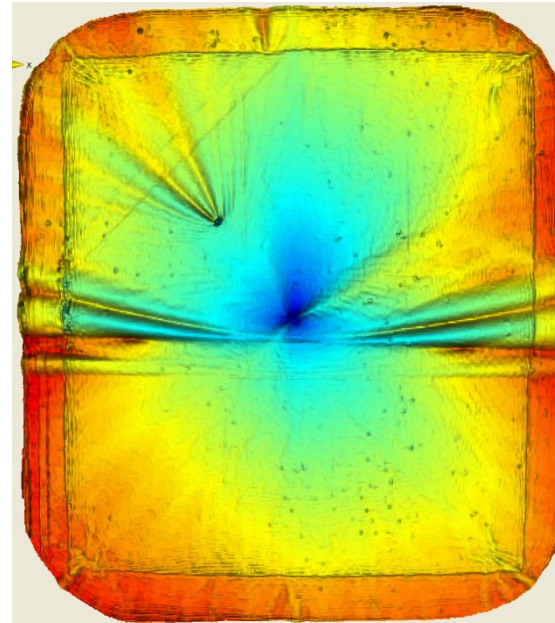
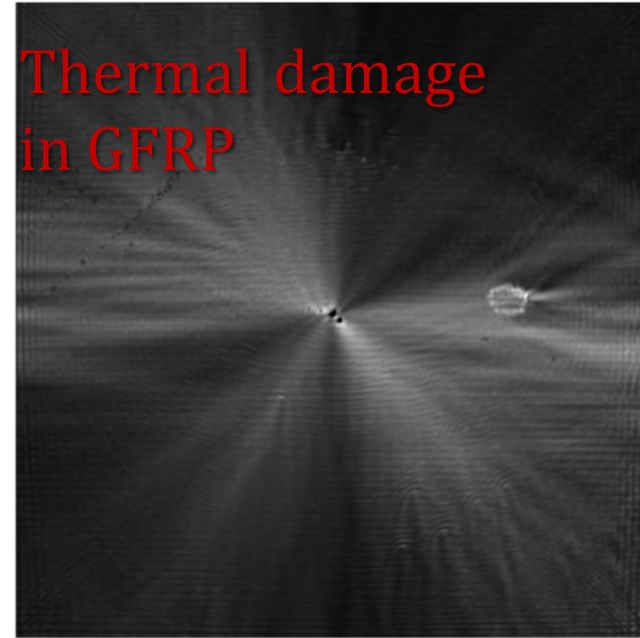


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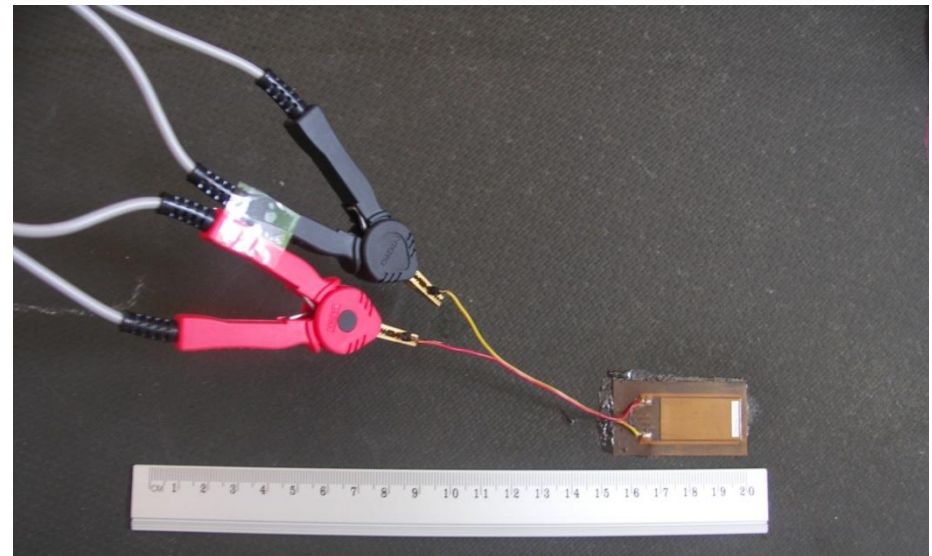
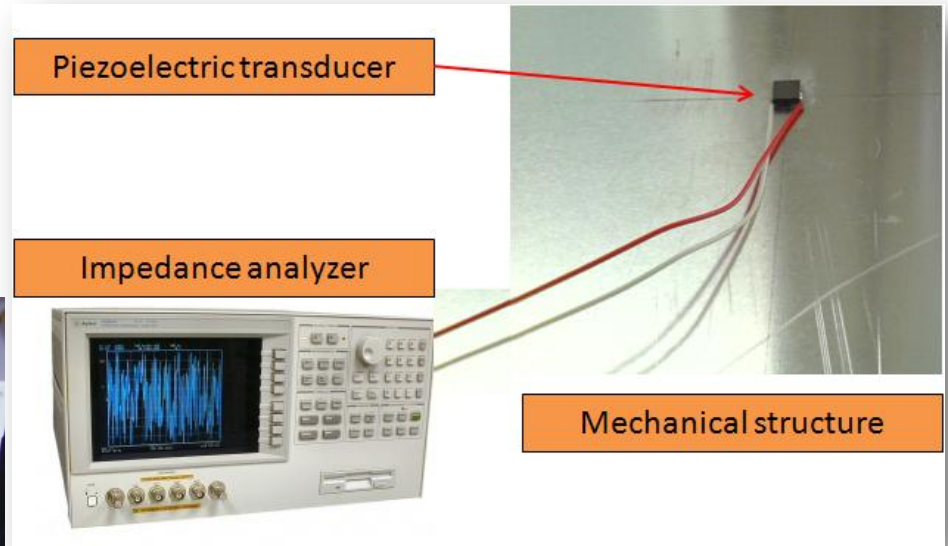
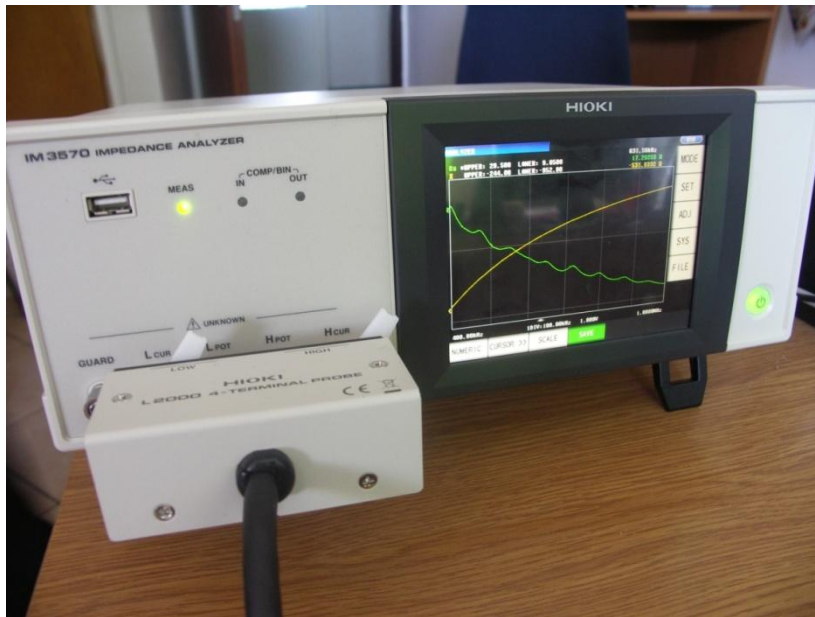
Additional masses detection

Thermal damage
in GFRP

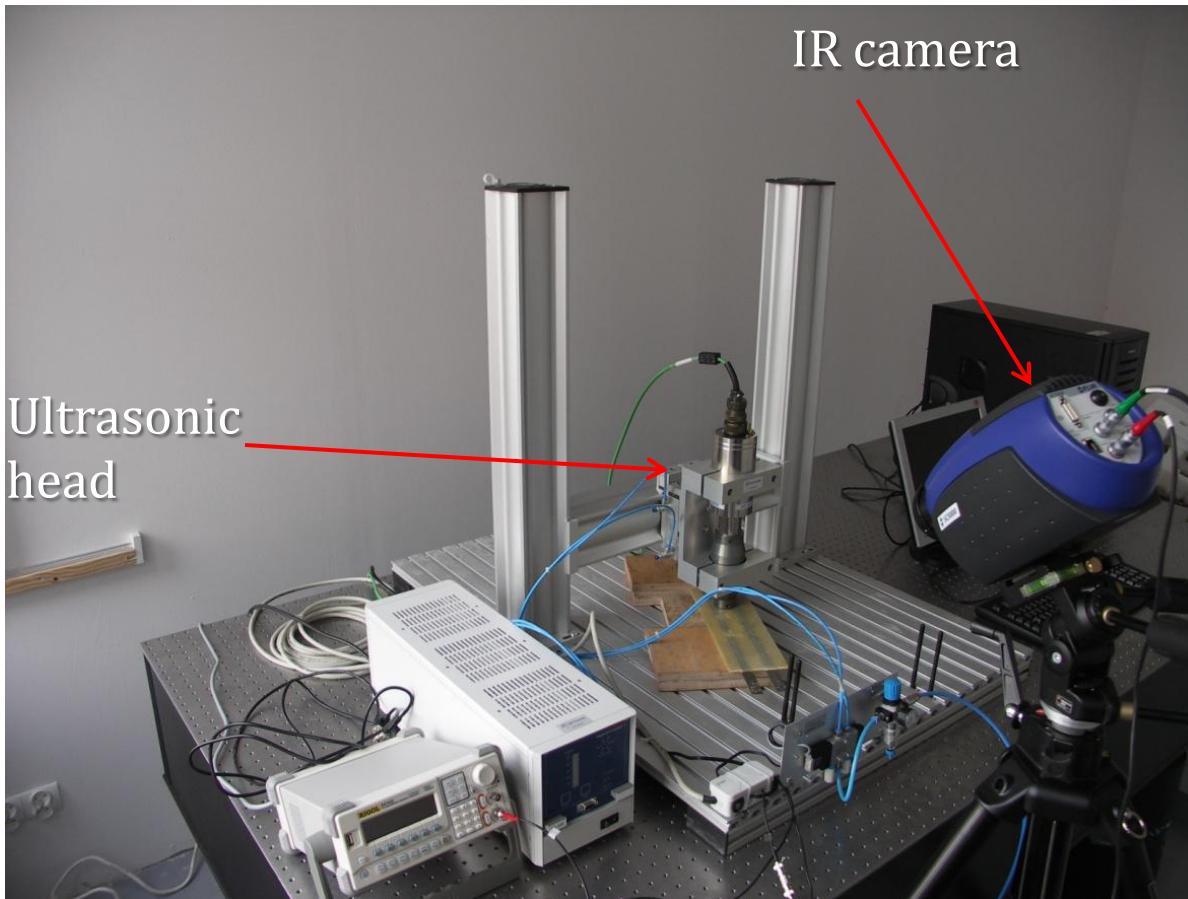


Notch detection

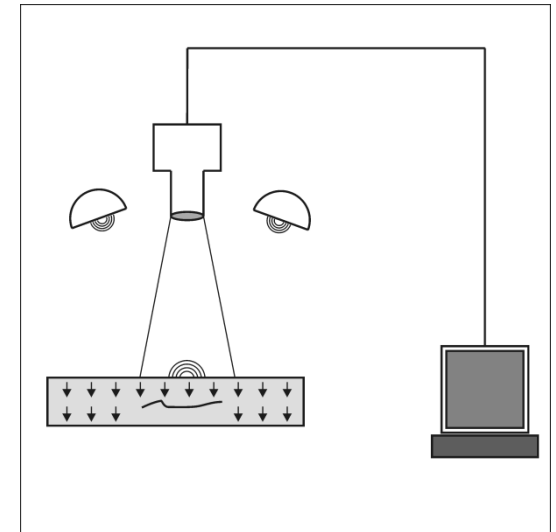
Electro-mechanical impedance



Vibrothermography



Other applications:



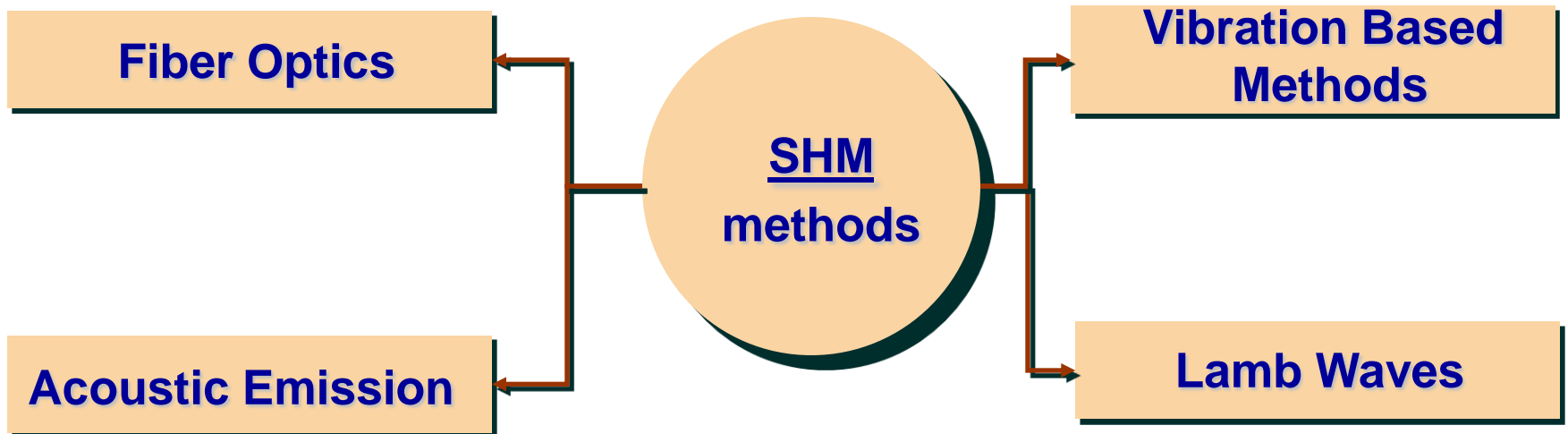
Pulse thermography

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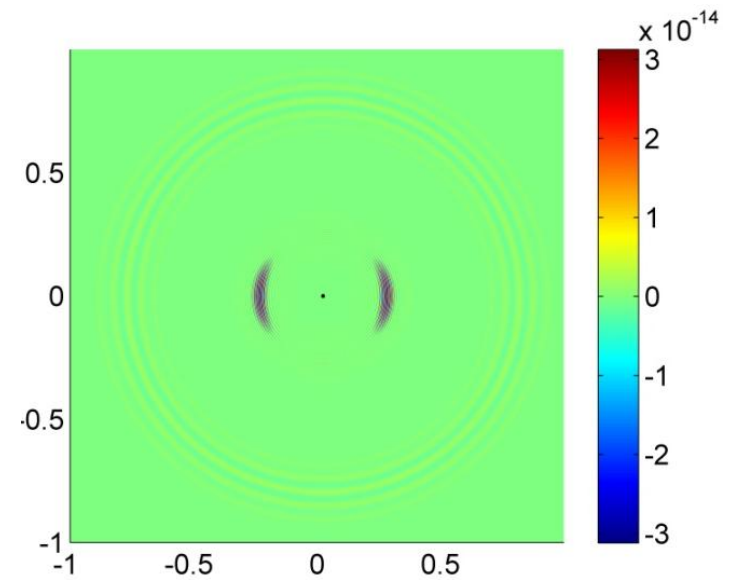
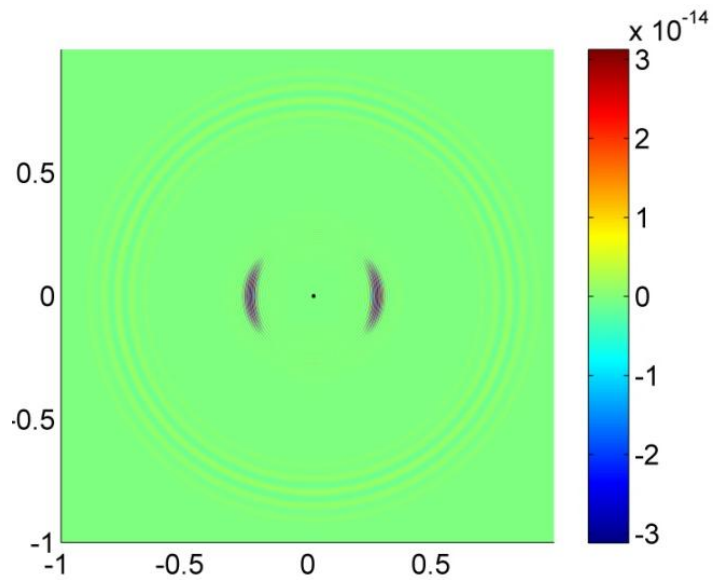
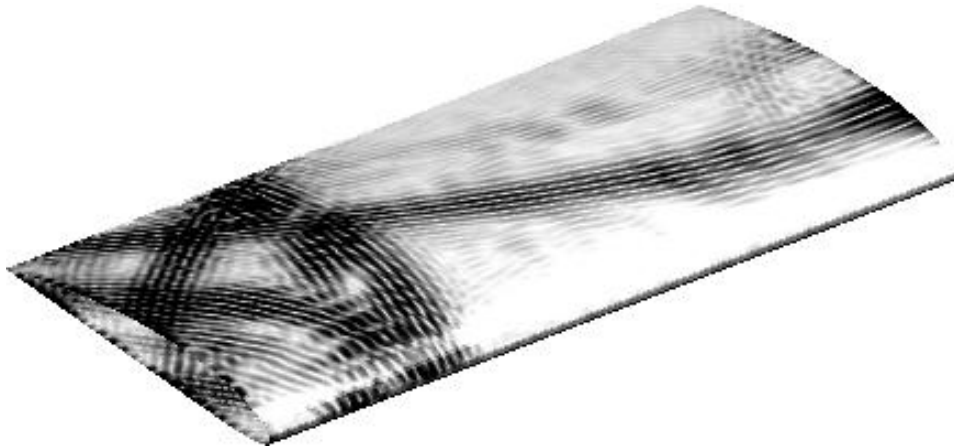
SHM methods

- ❖ *Vibration based methods*
- ❖ *Guided wave methods*
- ❖ *Fiber Optics Techniques*
- ❖ *Acoustic Emission*
- ❖ *Comparative Vacuum Monitoring*
- ❖ *Electromagnetic layer*
- ❖

There is a need for SHM methods capable of comprehensive, real-time condition monitoring

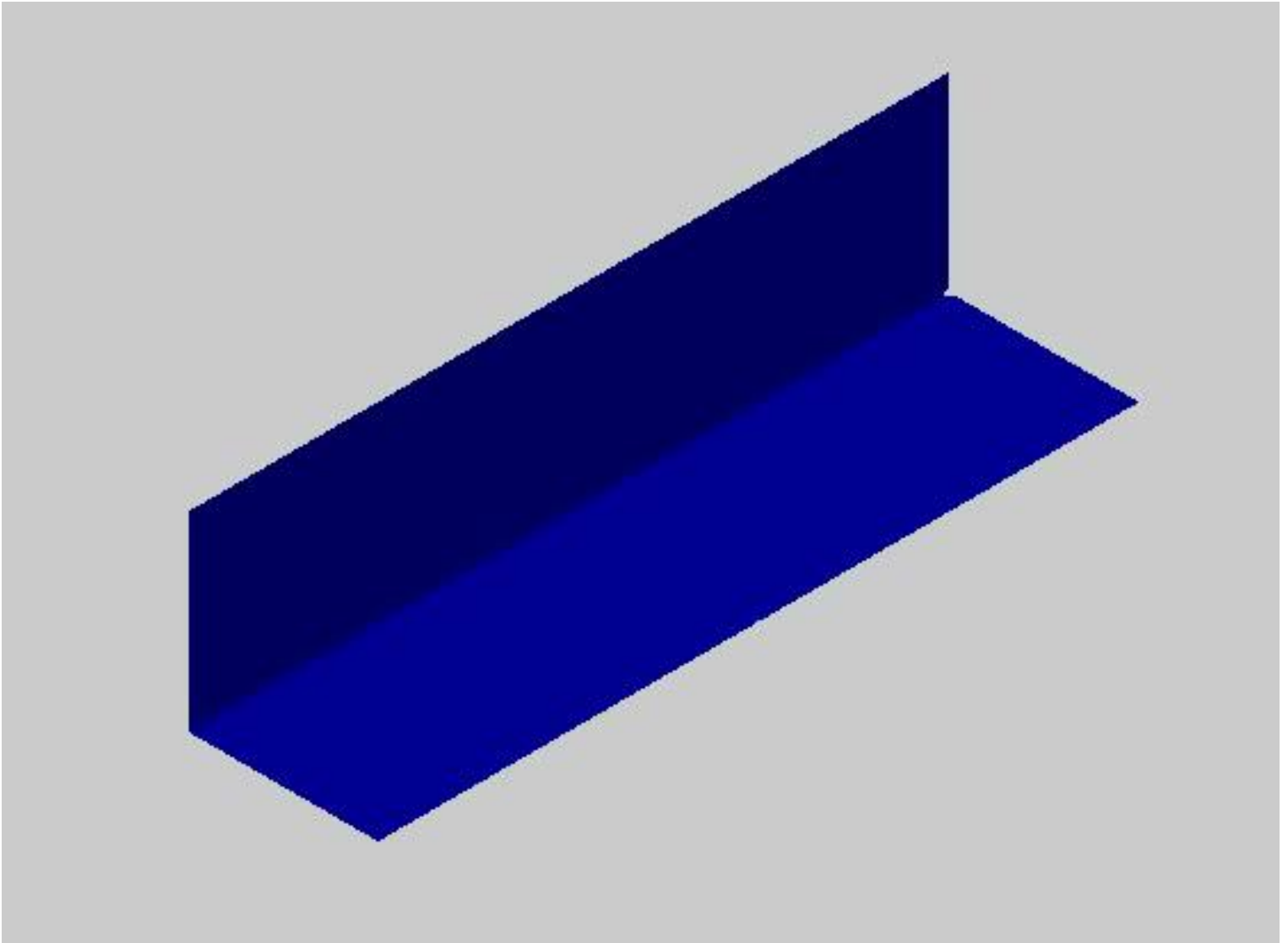


Guided waves propagation



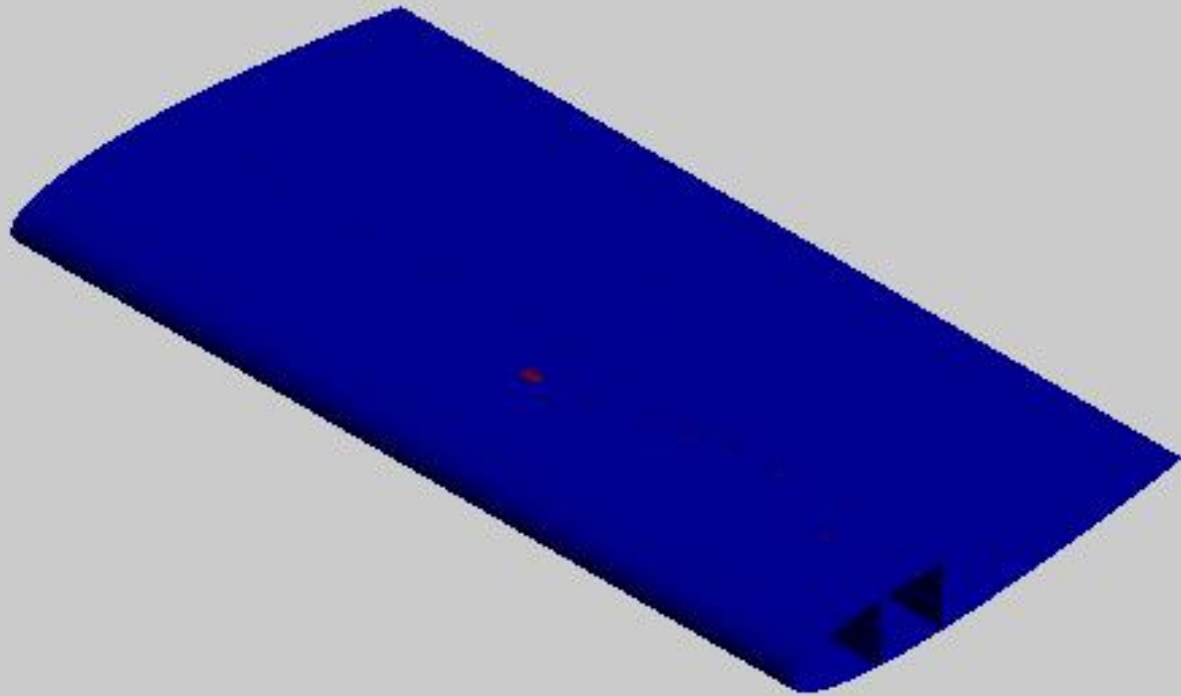
L - Shape

A0 Wave 75 kHz

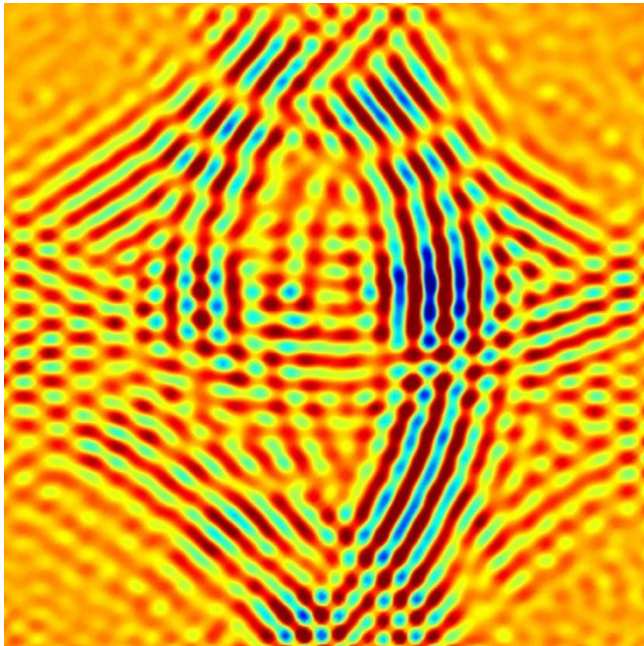


Wing Section

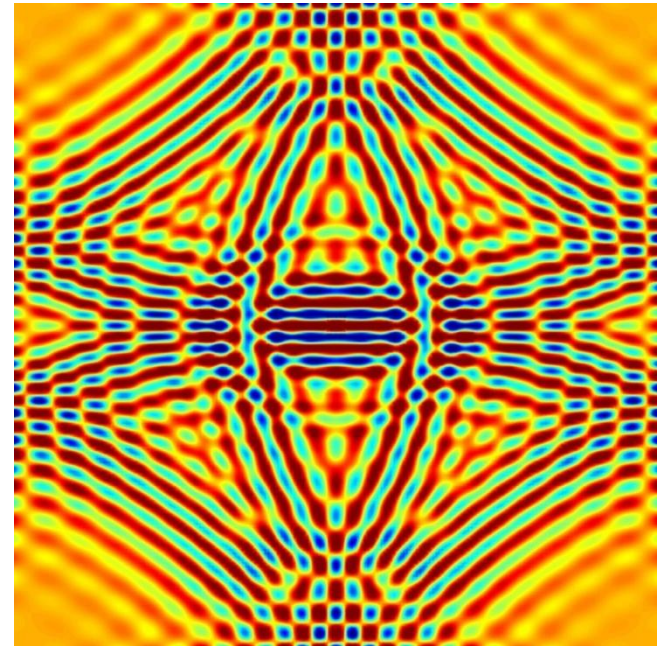
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Experimental vs. numerical results



Laser vibrometry



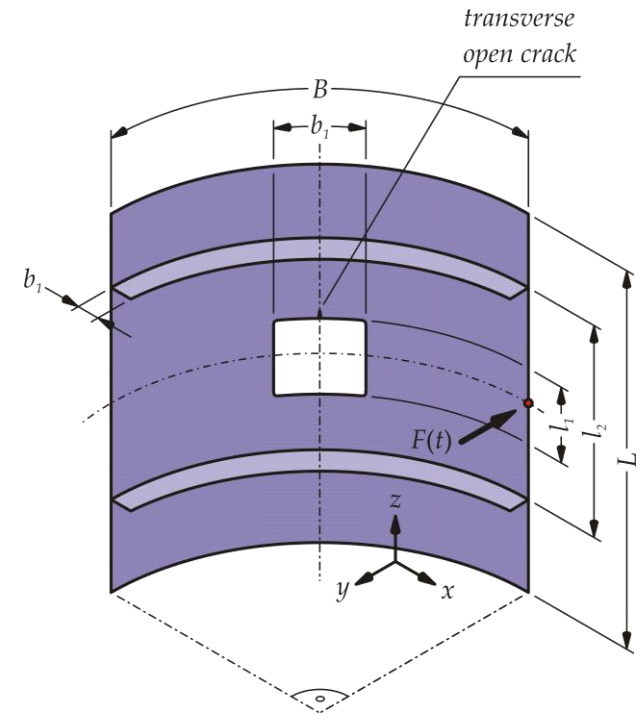
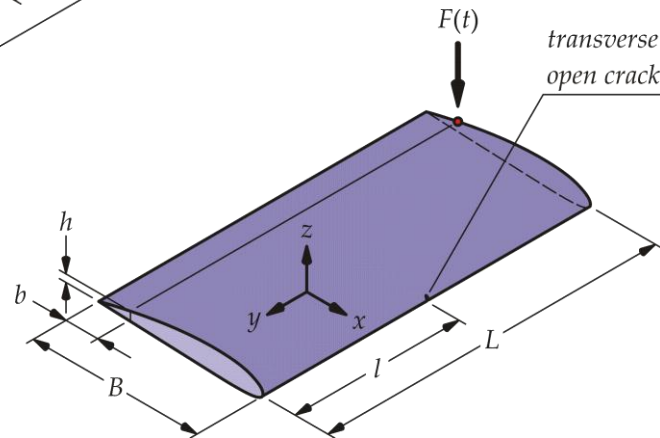
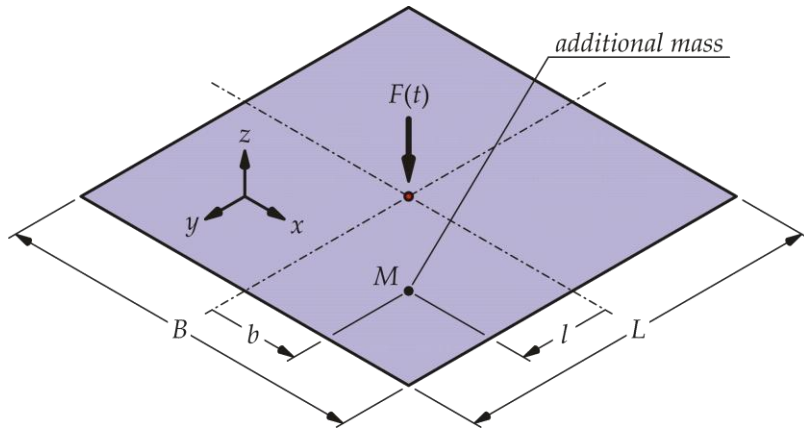
Spectral Finite Element Method
(numerical calculations)

Lateral Velocities

Glass fibers/epoxy, laminate [0/90/0/90]

Spectral Finite Element Method

– Damage Detection and Localization

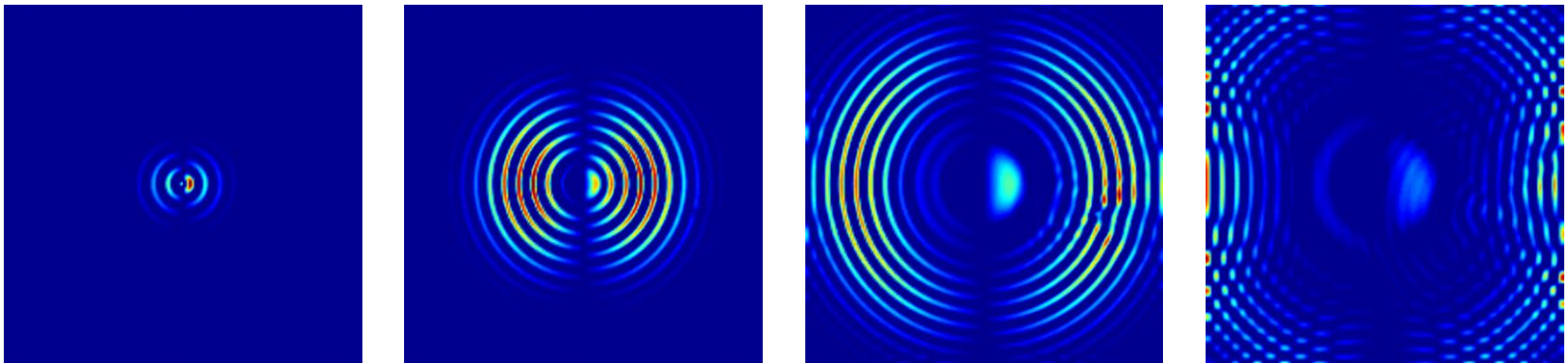


Numerical Simulations – Geometry

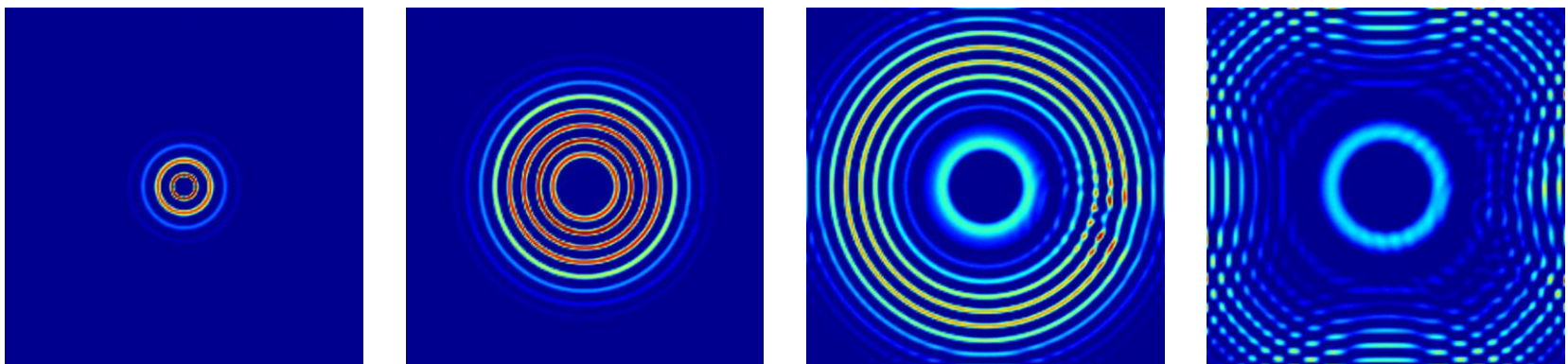
Spectral Finite Element Method

– Damage Detection and Localization

Aluminium plate, detection and localization of additional mass–
 IMV (*Integral Mean Value*) Maps



IMV Maps for displacements u , for the following periods: 0,125 ms; 0,25 ms; 0,375 ms; 0.5 ms

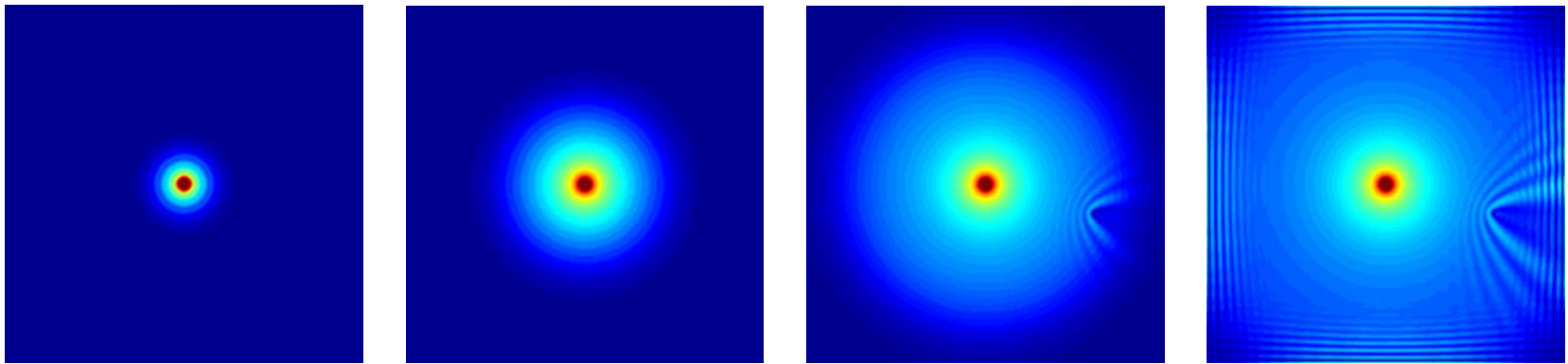


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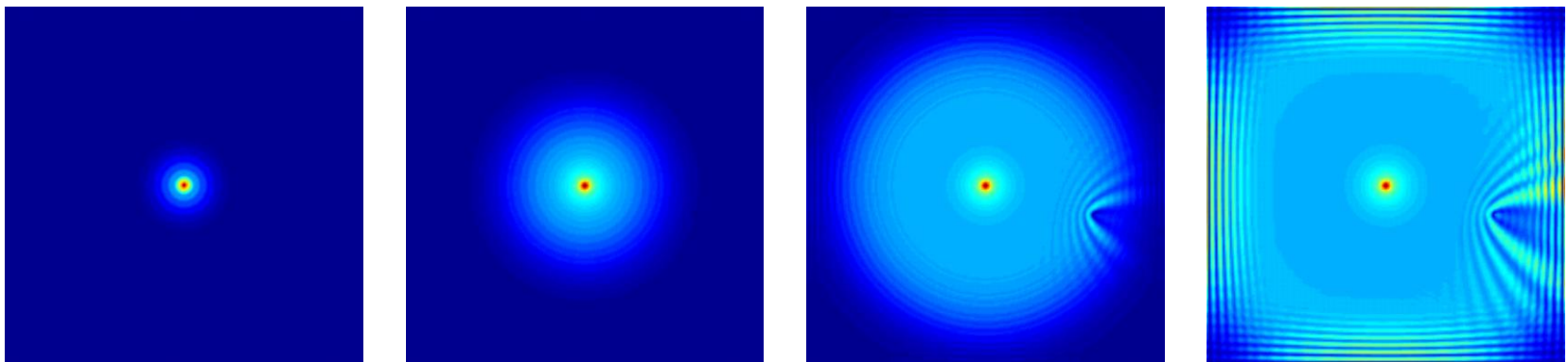
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RMS (*Root Mean Square*) Maps



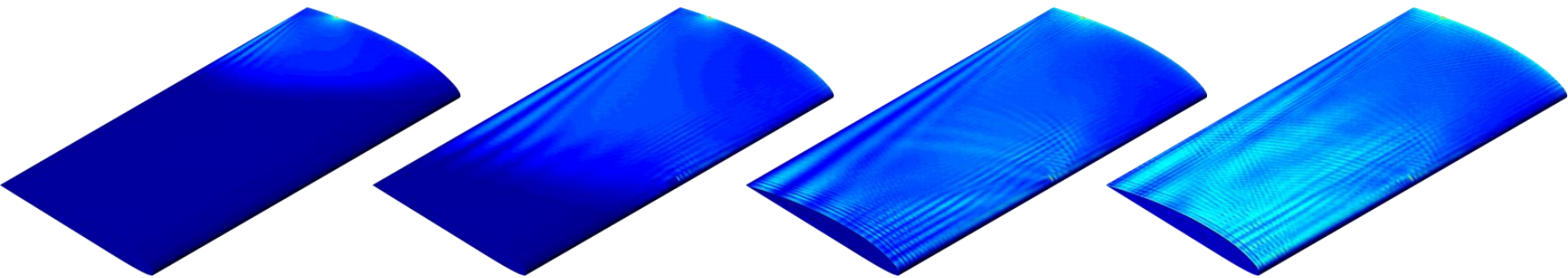
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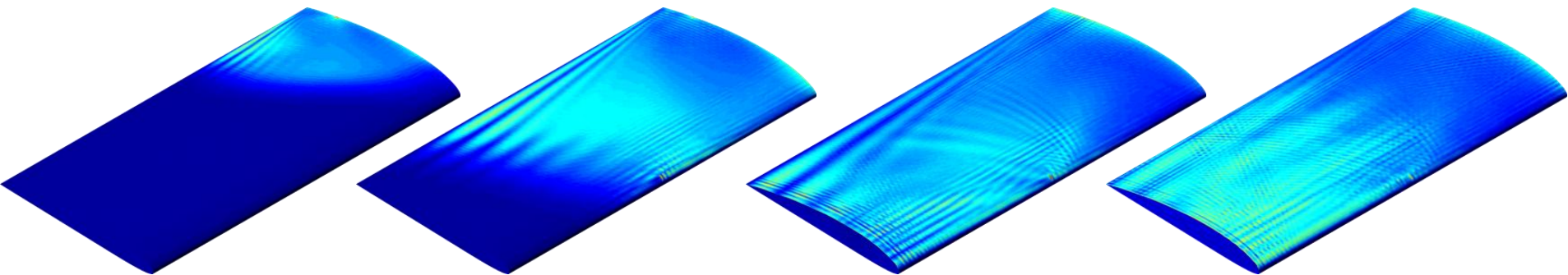
IMV Maps for displacements w , for the following periods: 0,125 ms; 0,25 ms; 0,375 ms; 0,5 ms

Sheathing of a small aircraft wing – detection and location of a failure

RMS (Root Mean Square) maps



RMS maps for displacements w | time: 0,125 ms; 0,25 ms; 0,375 ms; 0,5 ms



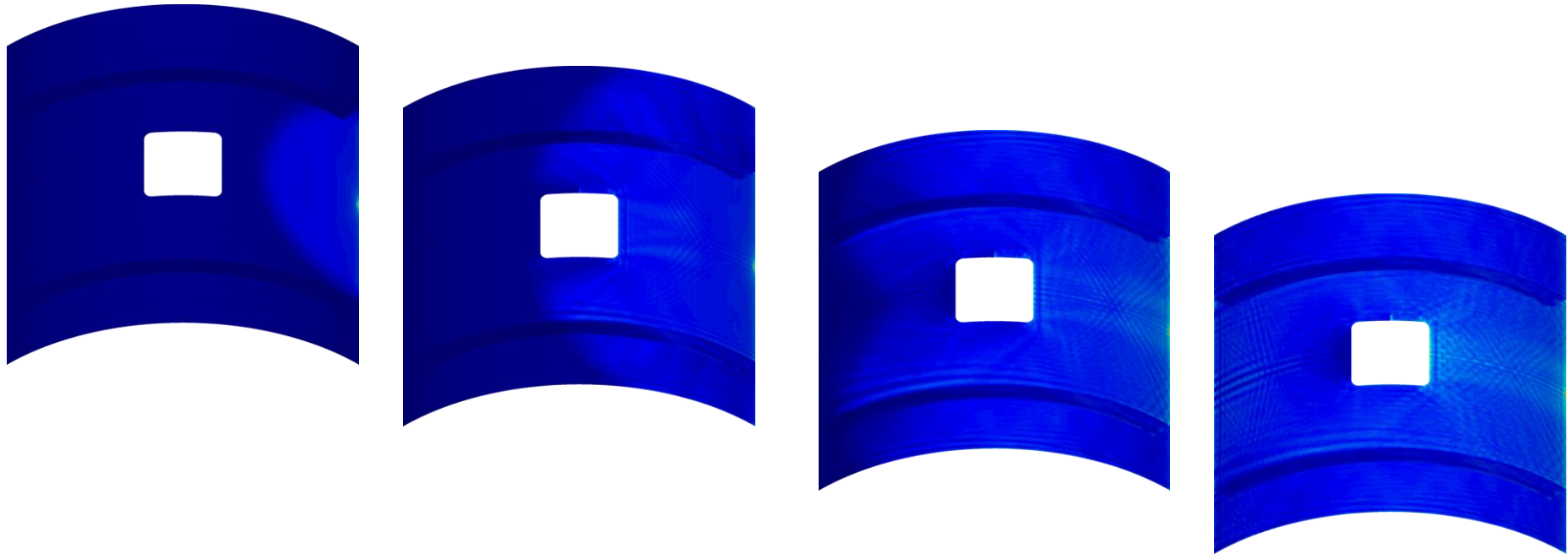
Weighted RMS maps for displacements w | time: 0,125 ms; 0,25 ms; 0,375 ms;
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Spectral Finite Element Method

– Damage Detection and Localization

Part of the fuselage shell, detection and localization of fatigue cracks

RMS (z ang. *Root Mean Square*) Maps

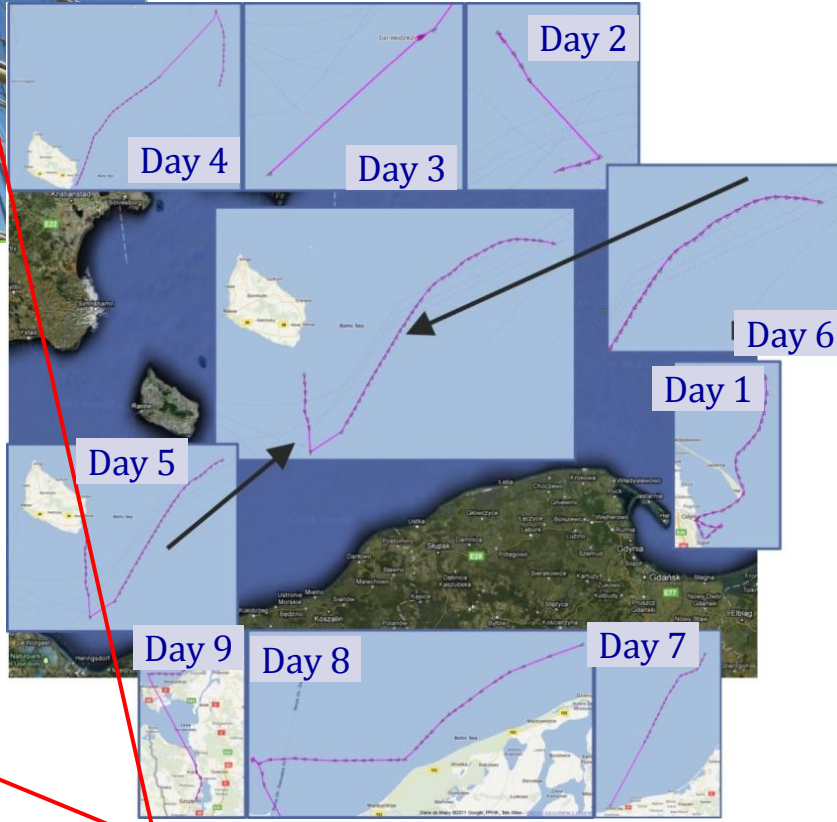


RMS Maps for amplitudes of displacement a , for the following periods: 0,125 ms; 0,25 ms; 0,375 ms; 0,5 ms

source: <http://www.am.gdynia.pl/>



The ship's route 29 May – 6 June 2011



Fokmast with FBG sensors

Problems:

Sensors cannot measure damage

Size of detectable damage versus sensor size

Size of detectable damage versus sensor power

Levels of health monitoring

Sensors cannot measure damage.

Feature extraction through signal analysis and statistical classification are necessary to convert sensor data into damage information.

The size of damage that can be detected from changes in system dynamics is inversely proportional to the frequency range of excitation.

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GENERAL DEFINITIONS

Levels of Health Monitoring

- Level 1: Detect the existence of damage.
 - Level 2: Detect and locate damage.
 - Level 3: Detect, locate and quantify damage.
 - Level 4: Estimate remaining service life (prognosis).
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- Level 5: Self diagnostics.
 - Level 6: Self healing.



INCREASING DEGREE
OF COMPLEXITY.
GREATER NEED FOR
ANALYTICAL MODELS

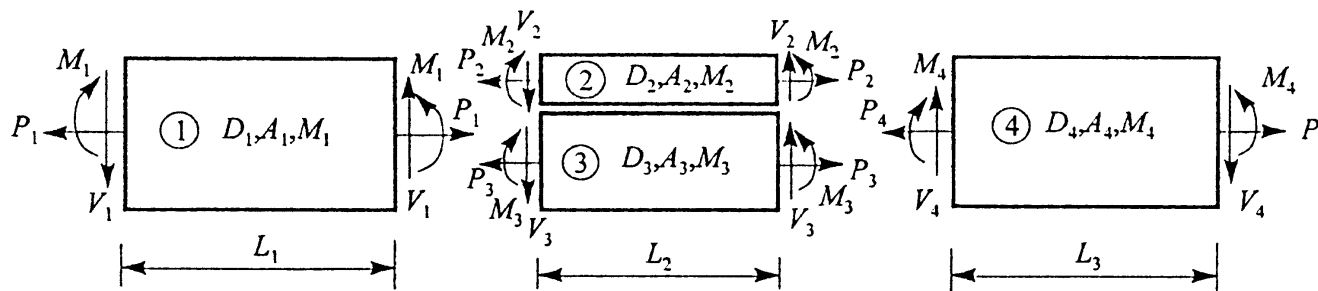
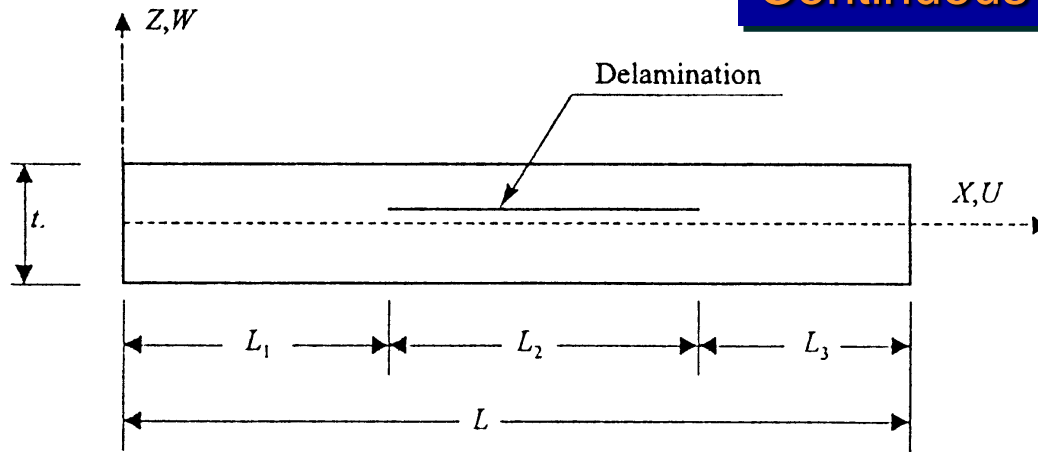
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- ❑ **Continuous models**
- ❑ **Discrete - continuous models**
- ❑ **Discrete models**
 - ❖ Boundary Element Method
 - ❖ Transition Matrix Method
 - ❖ Graph Method
 - ❖ Analogue Method
 - ❖ Finite Element Method

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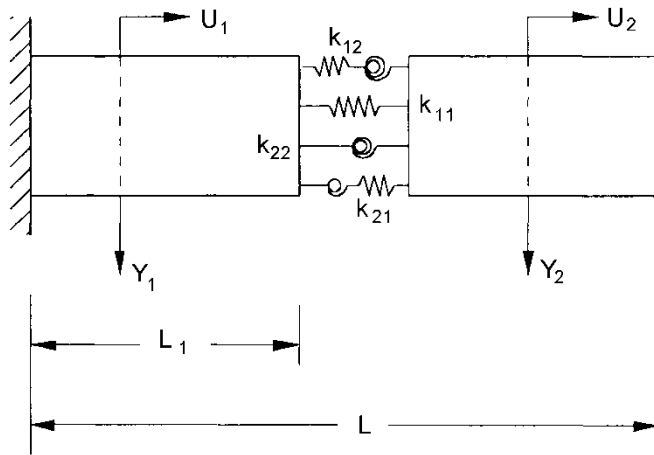


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Discrete - Continuous models



A fatigue crack is represented by additional spring-like elements, compliance of which is calculated according to the laws of fracture.

This method can successfully be used for modelling fatigue cracks in one-dimensional constructional elements (rods, beams, shafts, columns and pipes) or in constructions made of such elements (frames and trusses).

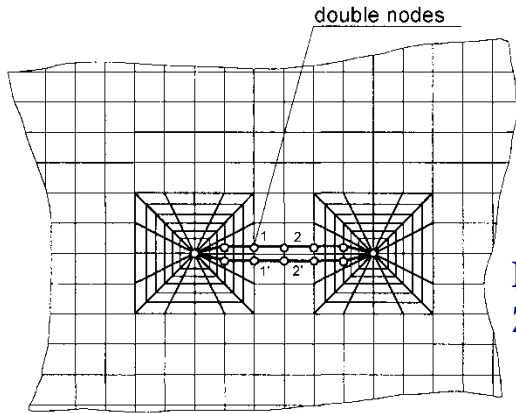
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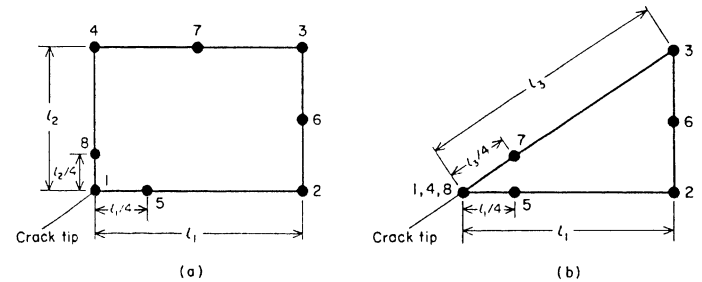
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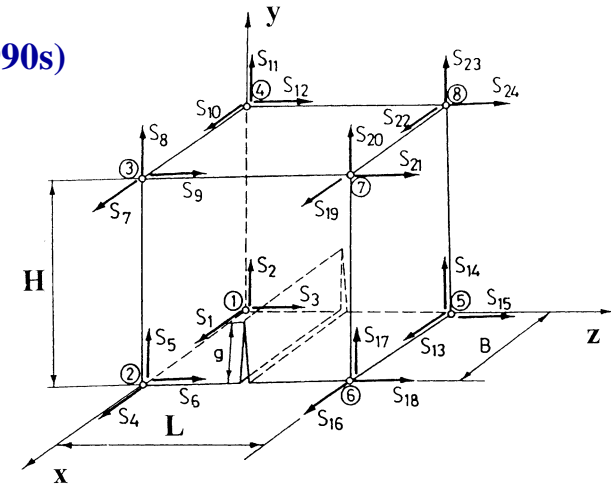
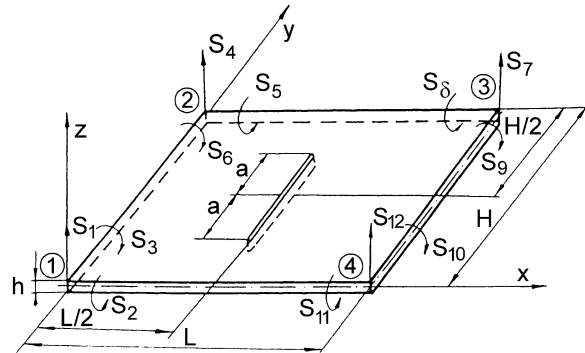
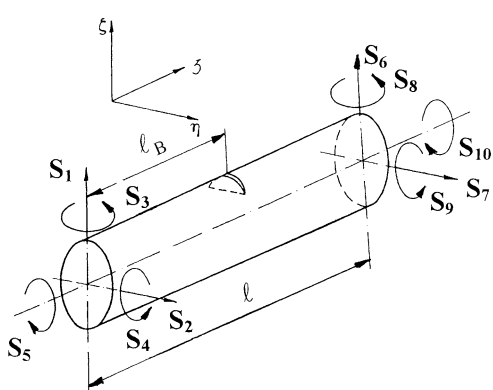
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Finite Element Method

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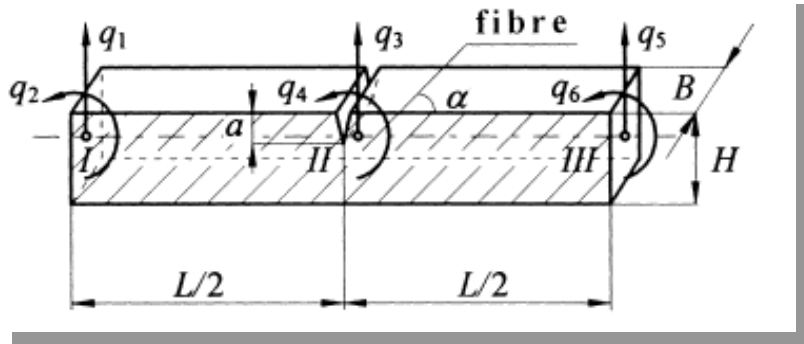


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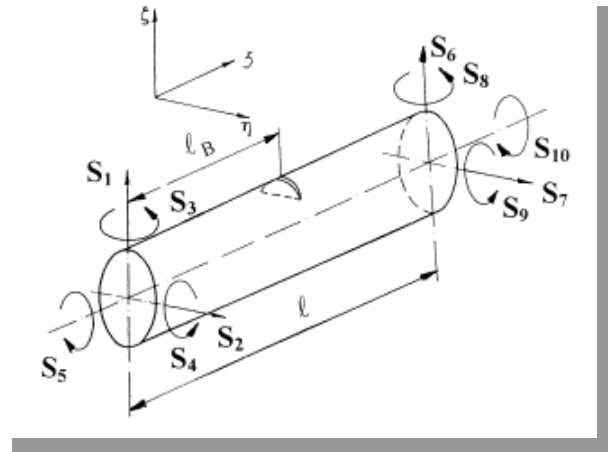


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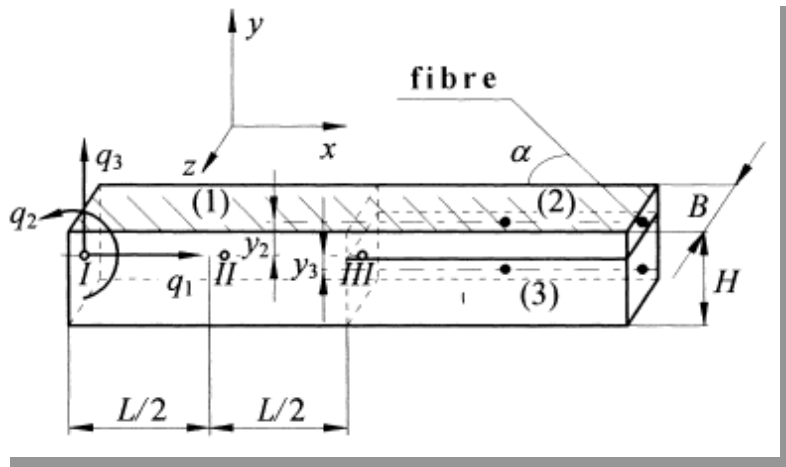
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Composite beam finite element with a crack



Shaft beam finite element with a crack



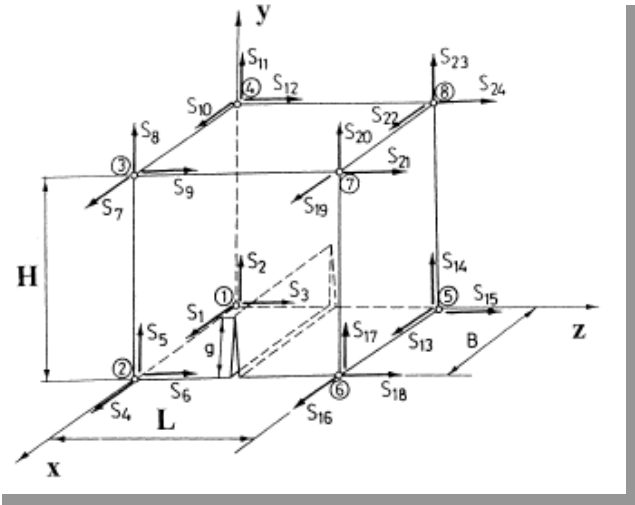
Composite beam finite element with a delamination



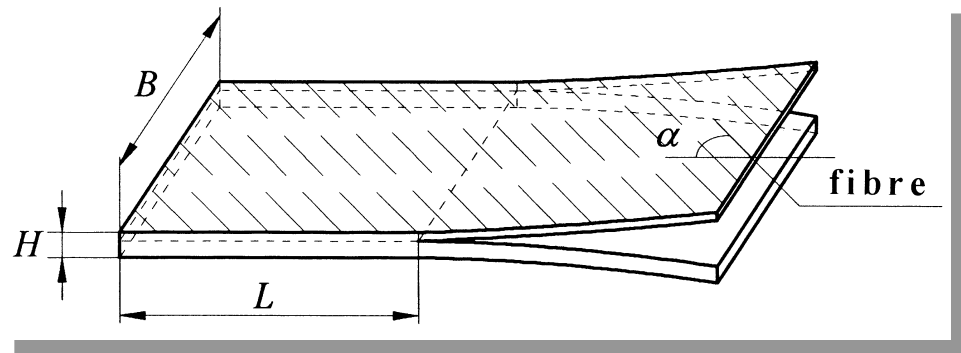
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Solid finite element with a crack



Composite plate finite element with a delamination

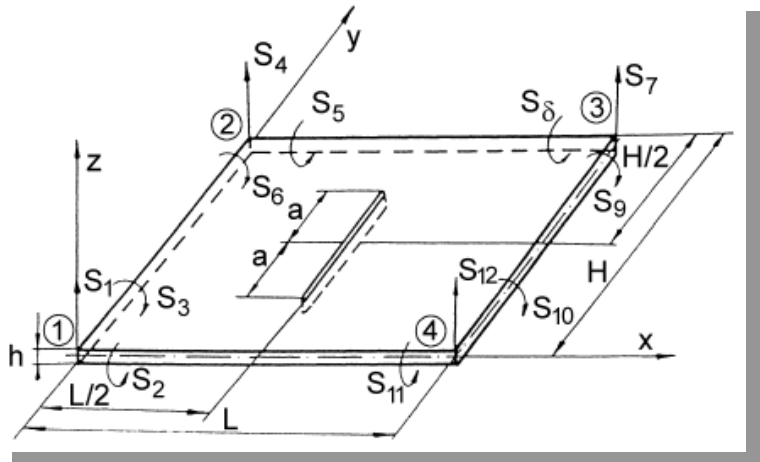


Plate finite elements with a crack



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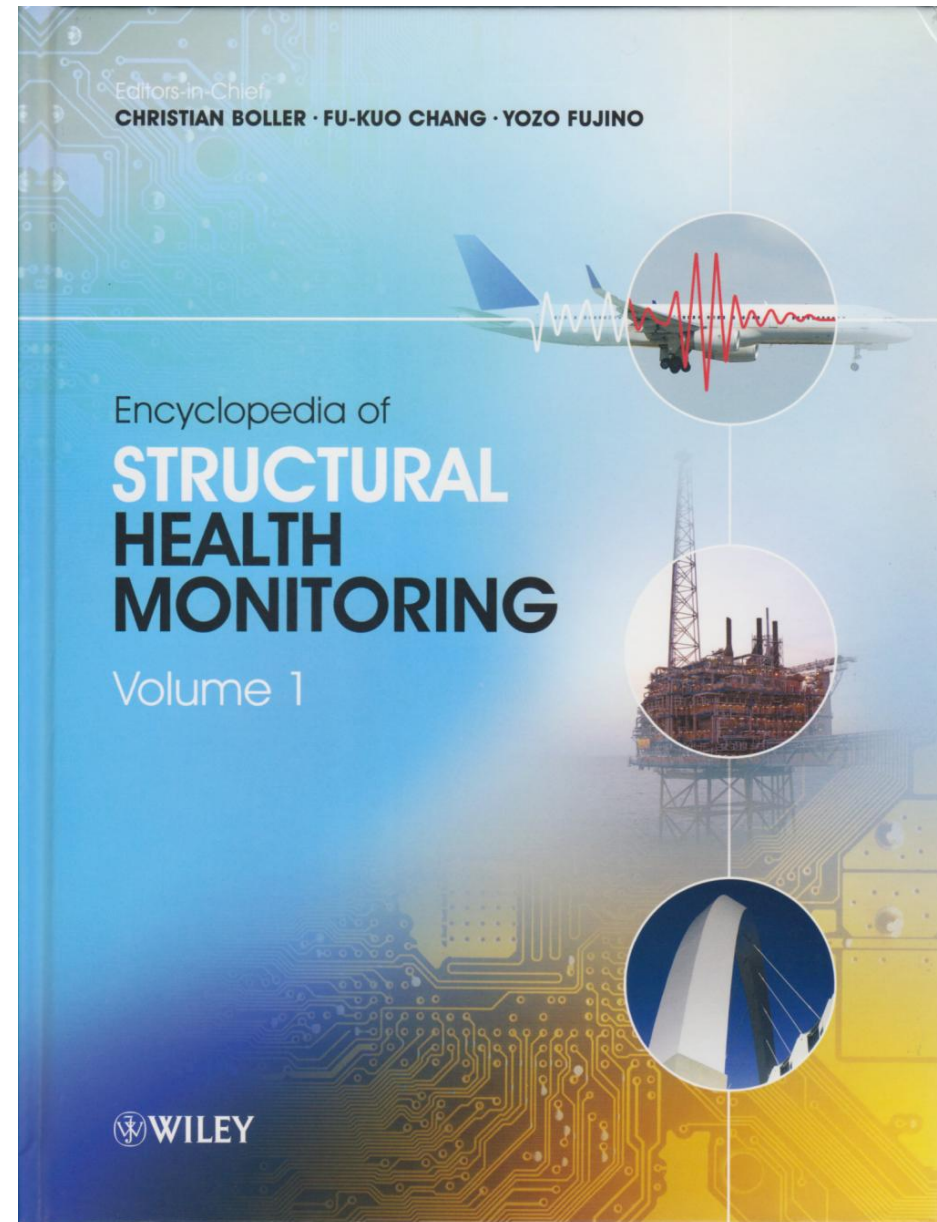
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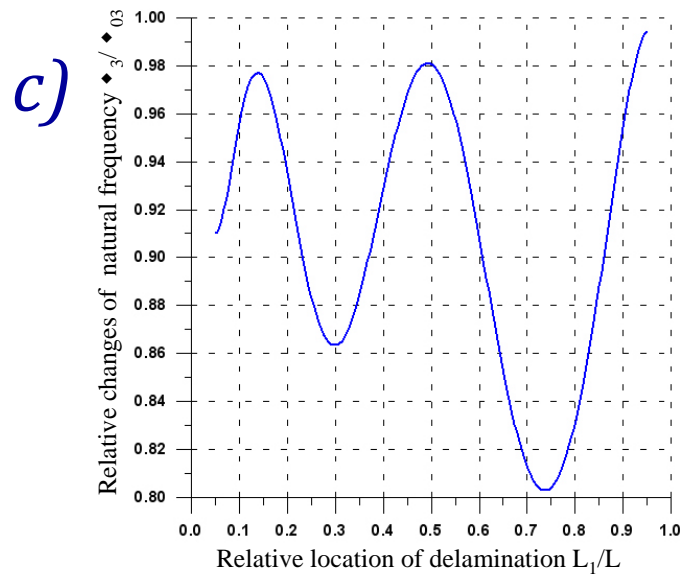
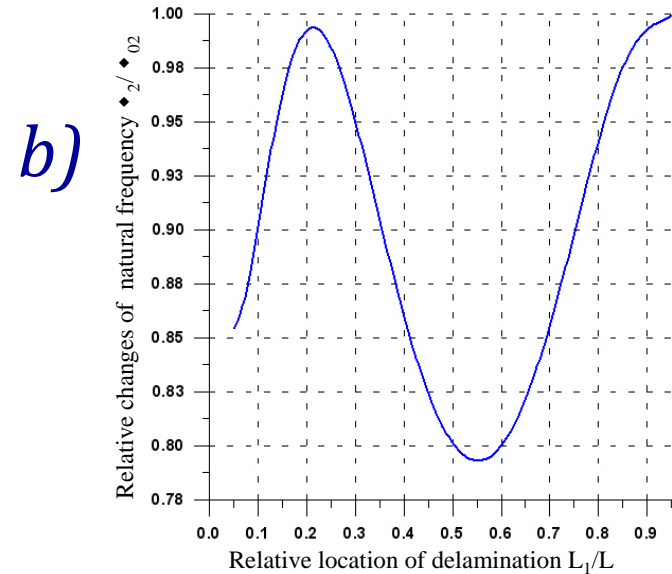
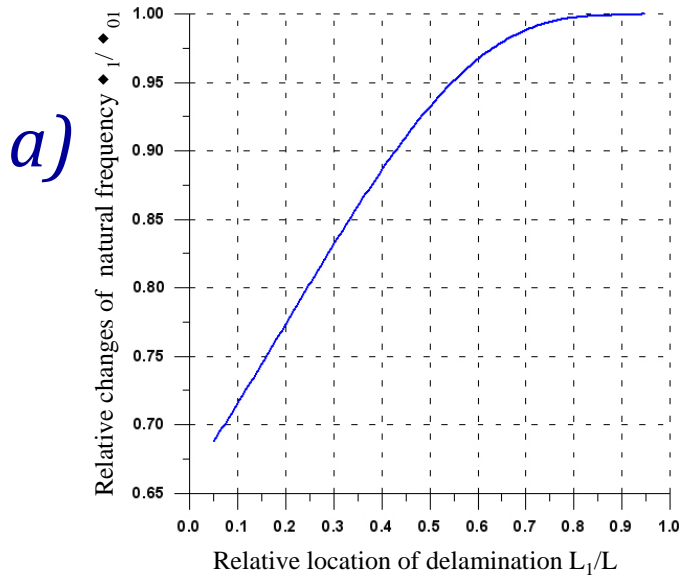


Changes of dynamic properties i.e.:

- mode shapes,**
- natural frequencies,**
- amplitudes of forced vibrations,**
- damping**
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Low frequency method

VIBRATION BASED METHODS



Changes:

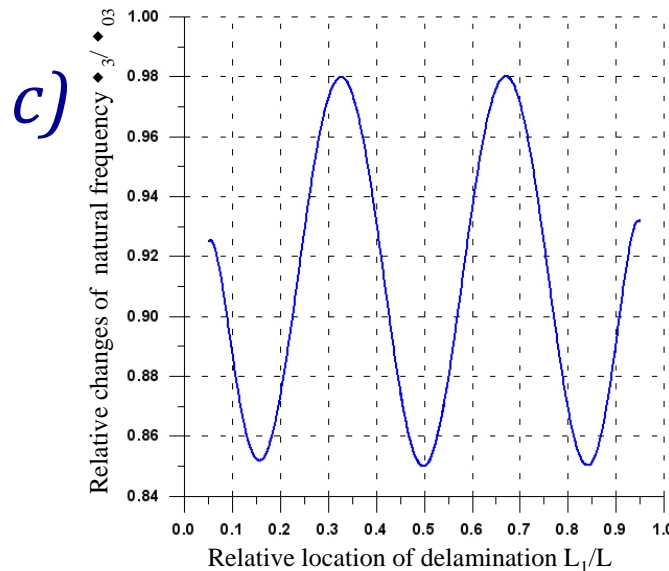
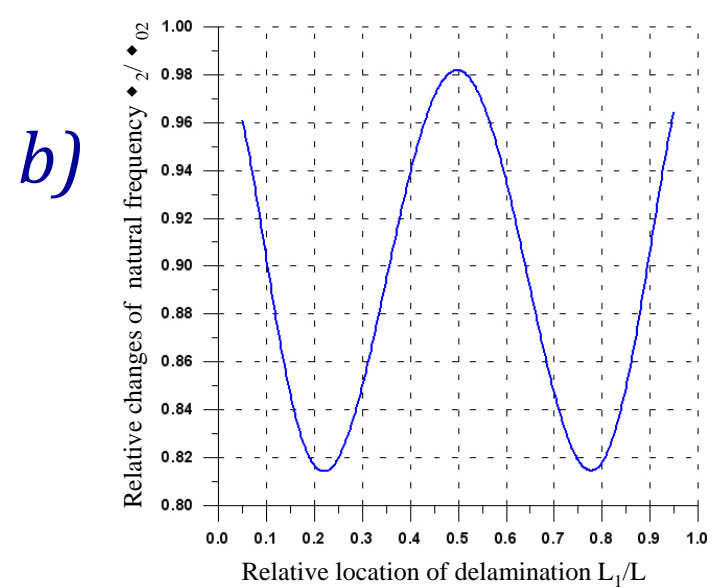
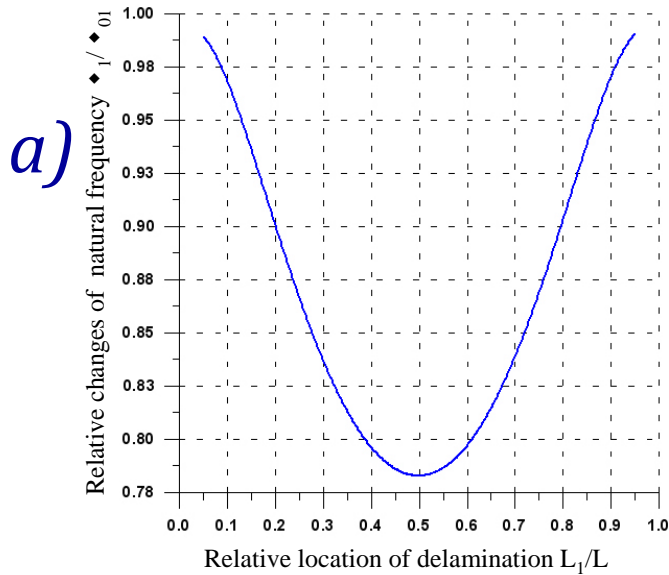
first (a)

second (b)

third (c)

natural frequencies of the cantilever composite beam as a function of damage location (delamination): beam axis

VIBRATION BASED METHODS



Changes:

first (a)

second (b)

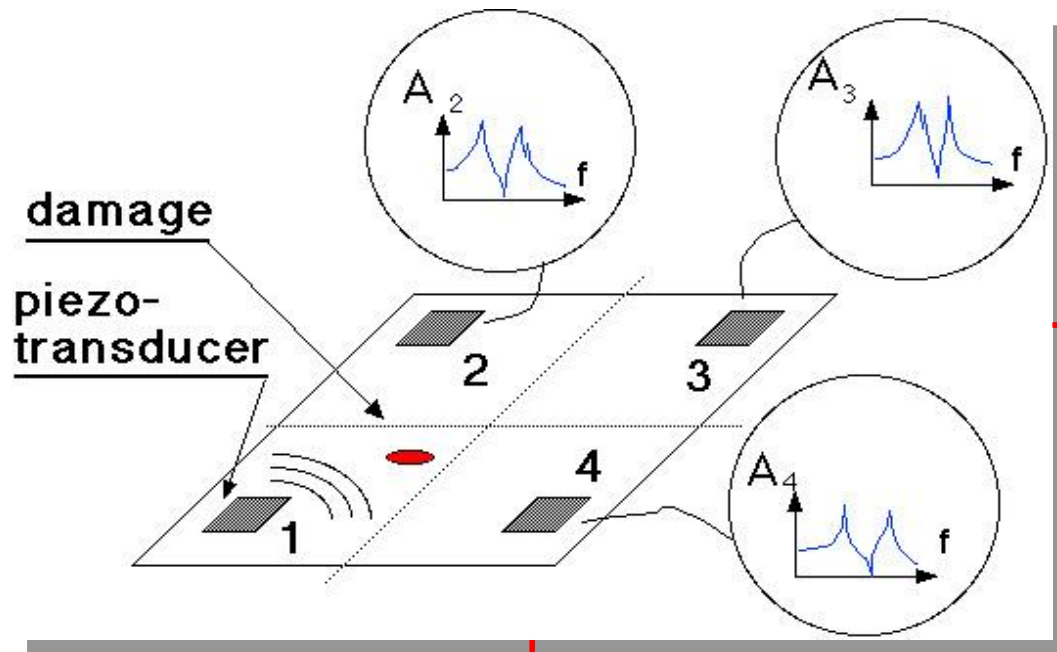
third (c)

natural frequencies of the simple supported composite beam as a function of damage location (delamination): beam axis

Summary of Detection Methods

Method	Strengths	Limitations	SHM Potential
Optical fibres	Embeddable Simple results Very comfortable	Expensive High data rate Accuracy??	Requires laser localised results
Eddy current	Surface mountable Most sensitive	Expensive Complex results Safety hazard	High power Localised results Damage differentiation
Acoustic emission	Inexpensive Surface mountable Good coverage	Complex results High data rates Event driven	No power Impact detection
Modal analysis	Inexpensive Surface mountable Simple procedure	Complex results High data rates Global results	Low power Complex structures Multiple sensor types
Lamb waves	Inexpensive Surface mountable Good coverage	Complex results High data rates Linear scans	High power Damage differentiation

Arrays of distributed piezotransducers:



applicable to most structures

can monitor structural condition throughout the life of the structure

can detect changes in:

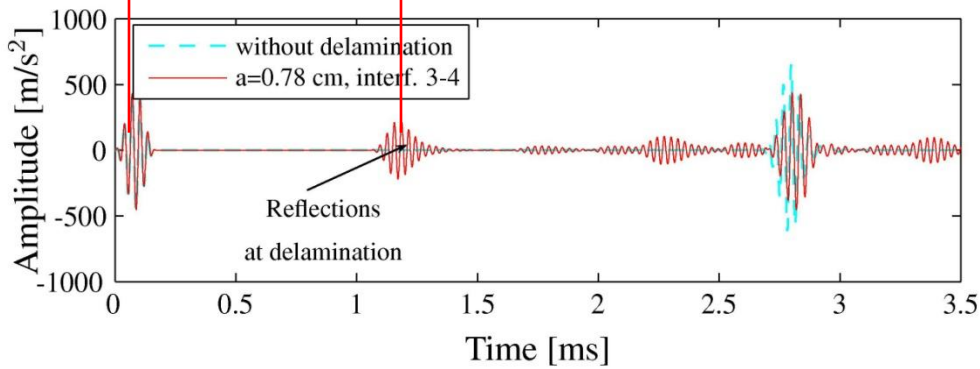
- stiffness
- inertial and damping characteristics
- stress levels

can focus on damage

Motivation

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Signal processing

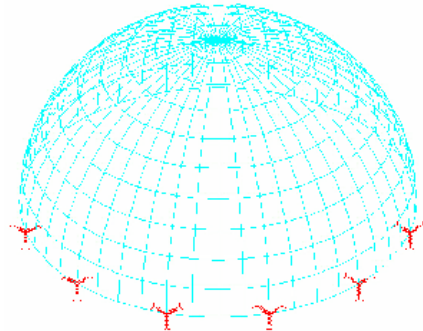
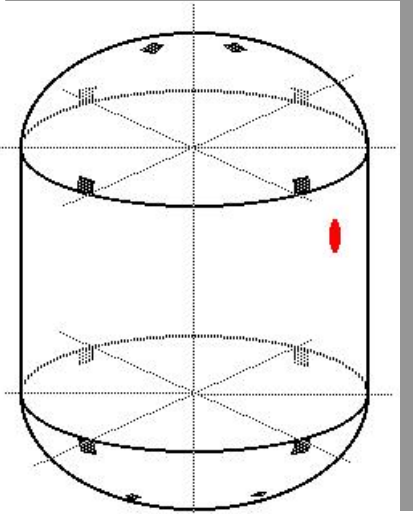


sensors

Damage identification methods:

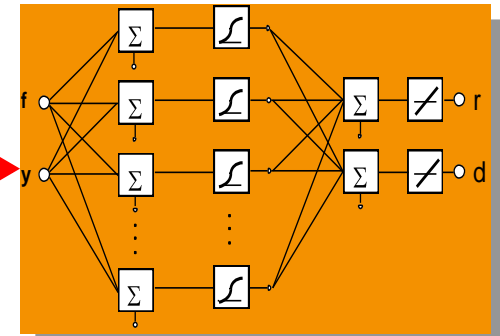
- ❖ Deterministic (based on Time of Flight, amplitude changes)
- ❖ Non-deterministic:
 - Neural Networks
 - Evolutionary Algorithms
 - Genetic Algorithms

Use theoretical, classical finite element and spectral finite element methods

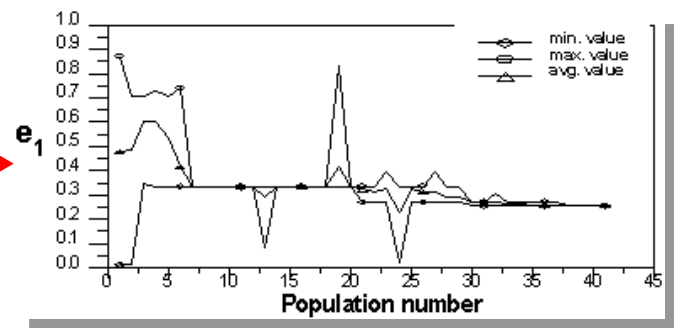


Produce data to train the expert system

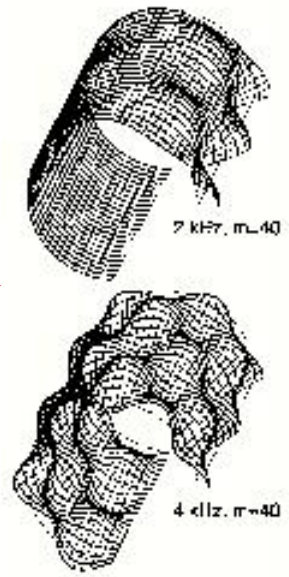
Neural Networks



Genetic Algorithms



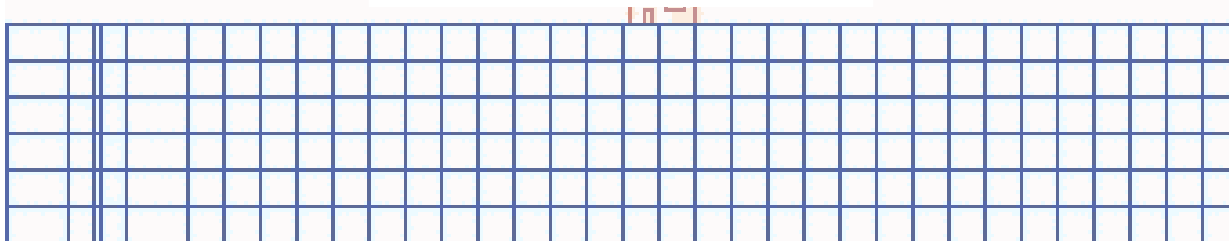
Model of the structure



Elastic Waves

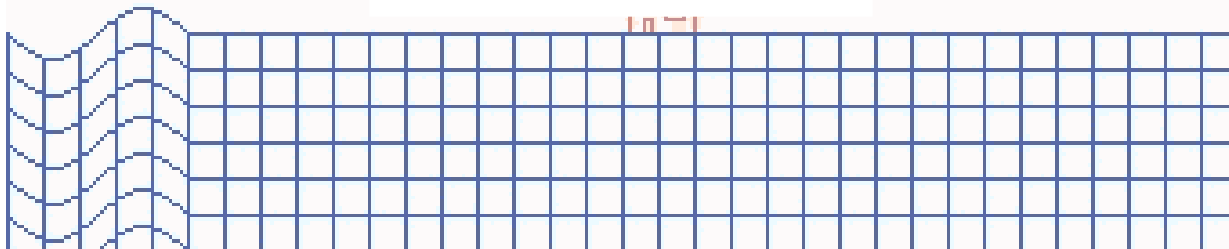
Longitudinal waves – particle motion is in the direction of travel

Longitudinal (P) Wave



Shear waves – particle displacement at each point in the material is perpendicular to the direction of wave propagation

Shear (S) Wave

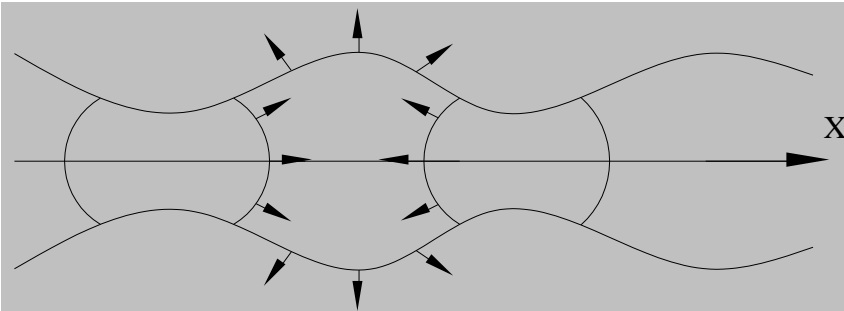


LAMB WAVES

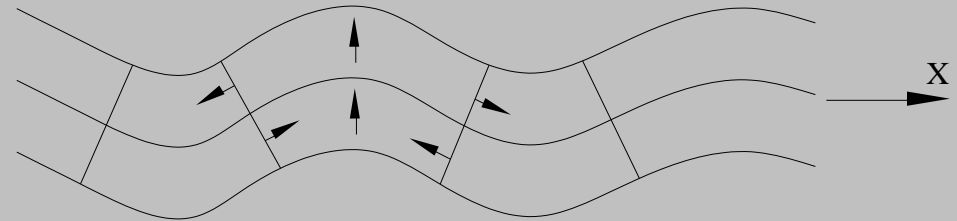
- ❖ Lamb waves are waves of plane strain that occurs in a free plate.
- ❖ Complex wave mechanism –shear vertical (SV) waves form modes in connections with the longitudinal P wave; these P+SV waves are known as Lamb waves.
- ❖ Infinite number of dispersive modes which can propagate in structures.

$$\frac{\tan(qh)}{\tan(ph)} = -\frac{4k^2 pq}{(q^2 - k^2)^2}$$

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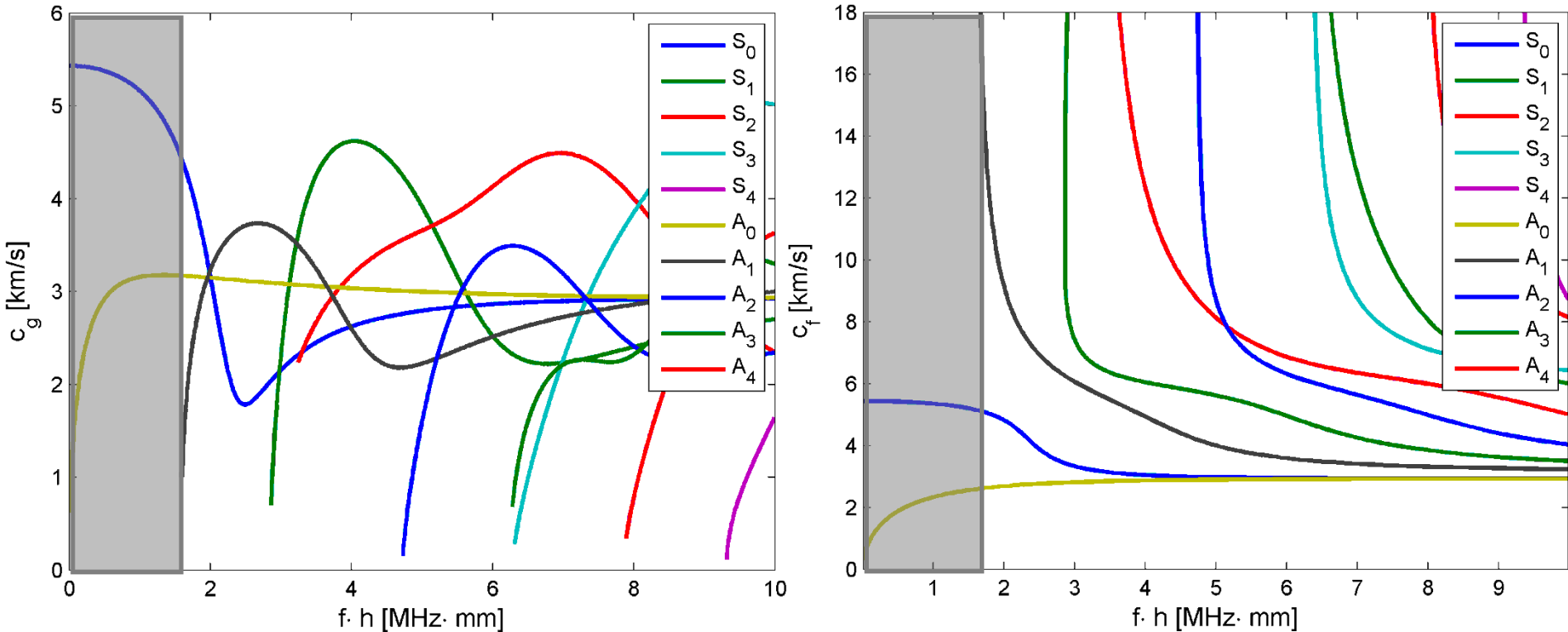


Symmetric



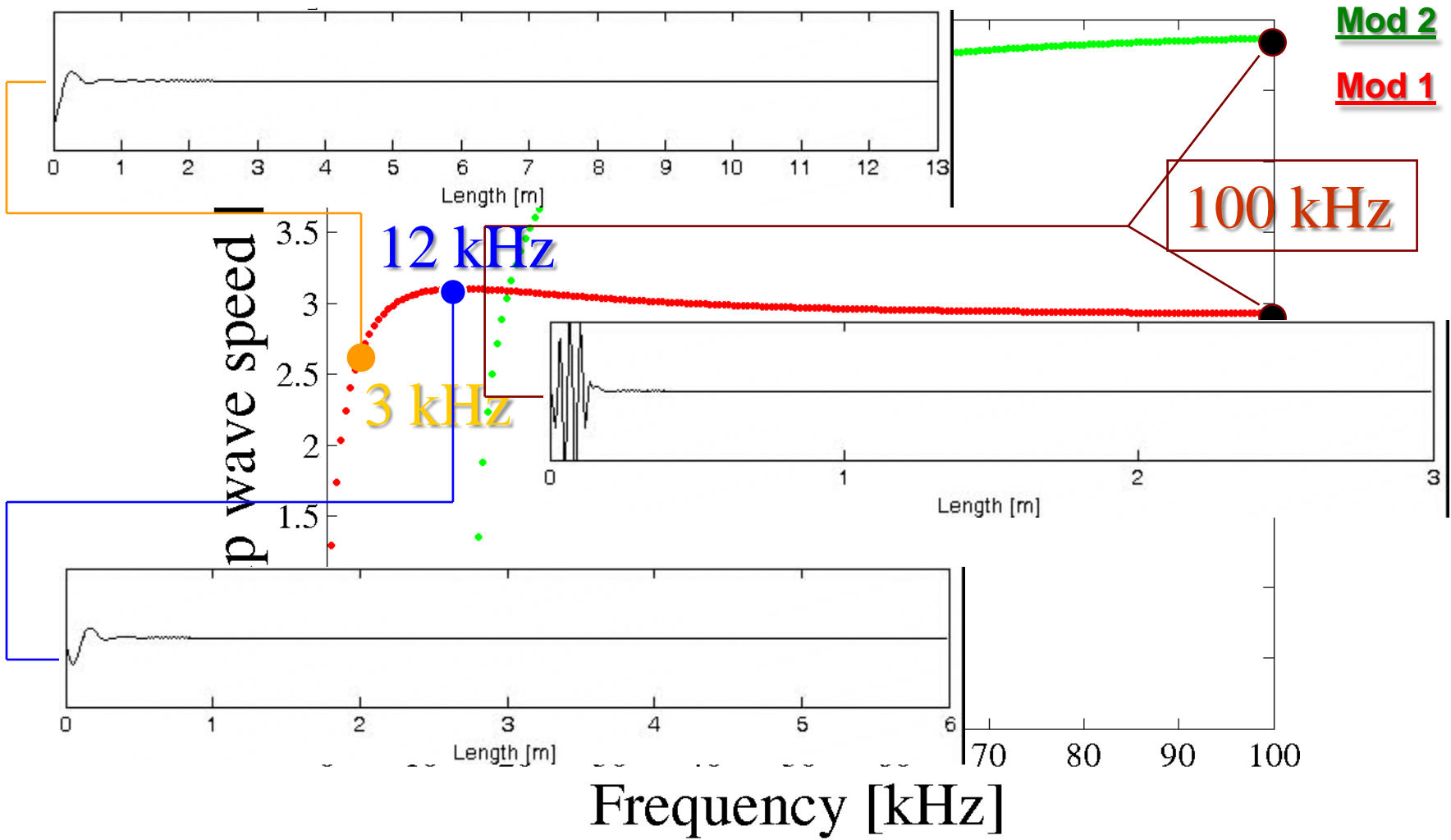
Antisymmetric

LAMB WAVES



- ❖ Dispersion equations are given by Rayleigh-Lamb frequency relations.
- ❖ Lamb wave velocity is a function of the frequency- thickness ($f \cdot d$) product.
- ❖ Fundamental modes – S_0 and A_0 modes.

DISPERSION AND WAVE MODES



Wave propagation modelling

- Finite element Method
- Finite Difference Method (LISA)
- Semi-analytical methods
- FFT-based Spectral Element Method (Doyle)
- Hybrid methods
- Spectral Element Method (Patera 1984)