

Revisit Euler Buckling problem

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Buckling of rod (with pinned ends)

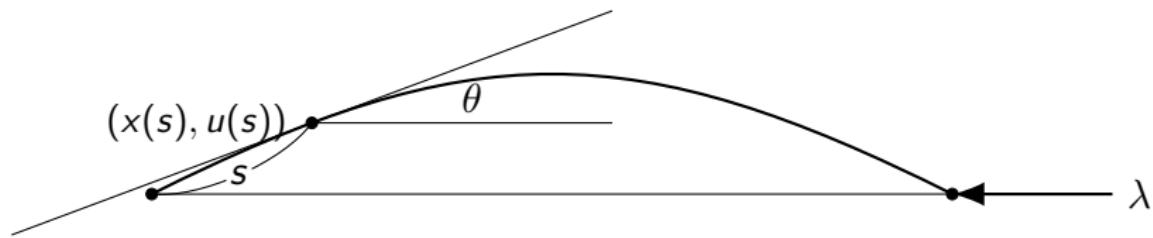


Euler buckling

When $\lambda < \lambda^*$, nothing happens.

When $\lambda > \lambda^*$, we have buckling.

where λ^* is Euler's critical load.



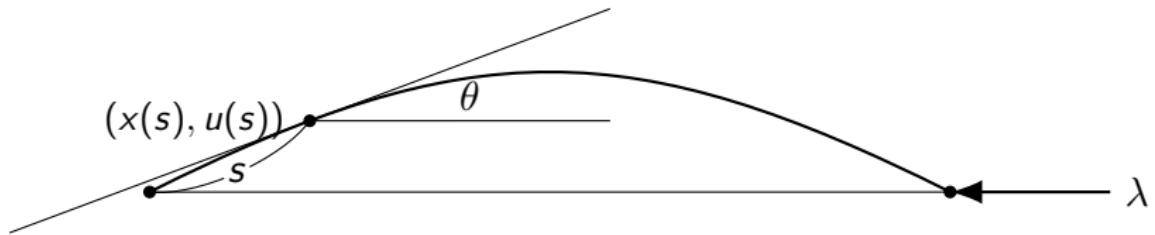
s : arc length parameter

l : the length of the rod

θ : angle

κ : curvature

Energy formulation



Minimize energy $E = S + \lambda T$ where

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^l \kappa^2 ds \quad \text{strain energy,}$$

$$T = x(s) \quad \text{potential energy}$$

Variational problem

- Minimize the energy $E = S + \lambda T$
- Investigate zero of

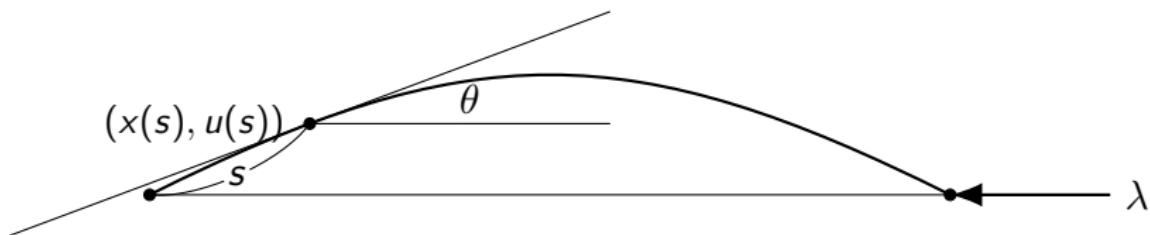
$$X \rightarrow X^*, \quad u \mapsto [\phi \mapsto D_\phi E]$$

where X is some Banach space, X^* dual space of X , and

$$(D_\phi E)_u = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{t} (E|_{u+t\phi} - E|_u)$$

- We would like to know the bifurcation of the zero set above.

Let us start compute



- s : arc length parameter, $x' = \cos \theta$, $u' = \sin \theta$
- κ : curvature

$$\kappa = \frac{d\theta}{ds} = \frac{d}{ds} \sin^{-1} u' = \frac{u''}{(1 - (u')^2)^{1/2}}$$

- T : potential energy

$$T = x(s) = \int_0^I x' ds = \int_0^I \cos \theta ds = \int_0^I (1 - (u')^2)^{1/2} ds$$

Variational formulation

- Minimize E

$$E = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^I \left(\frac{u''}{(1 - (u')^2)^{1/2}} \right)^2 ds + \lambda \int_0^I (1 - (u')^2)^{1/2} ds$$

- on X

$$X = \{u \in H^2[0, I] : u(0) = u(I) = 0\}$$

- where $H^2[0, I]$ is Sobolev space on $[0, I]$
- First variation formula:

$$(D_\phi E)_u = \int_0^I \left[\frac{u''\phi''}{1 - (u')^2} + \left(\frac{u'(u'')^2}{(1 - (u')^2)^2} - \frac{\lambda u'}{(1 - (u')^2)^{1/2}} \right) \phi' \right] ds$$

- Investigate the bifurcation of zero of

$$\Phi : X \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow X^*, \quad \Phi(u, \lambda) = [\phi \mapsto (D_\phi E)_u]$$

Sobolev space $W^{k,p}[0, l]$

$$\mathcal{F}[0, l] = \{f : [0, l] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\} / \text{a.e.}$$

$f \underset{\text{a.e.}}{\sim} g$ means f and g coincide except measure zero set.

$$W^{k,p}[0, l] = \{u \in \mathcal{F}[0, l] : \|u\|_{k,p} < \infty\}$$

$$\|u\|_{k,p} = \left(\sum_{i=0}^k \binom{k}{i} \|D^i u\|_p^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad \text{Sobolev norm}$$

$$\|u\|_p = \begin{cases} \left(\int_0^l |u|^p ds \right)^{1/p}, & 1 \leq p < \infty, \\ \sup\{|u(s)| : s \in [0, l]\}, & p = \infty, \end{cases}$$

where $D^i u$ denote the i th order distributional derivatives of u .

$$H^k[0, l] = W^{k,2}[0, l]$$

which is a Hilbert space.

Let us see the bifurcation from trivial solution

- $u = 0$ is a solution

$$\Phi(0, \lambda) = 0$$

- Set $u = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} y_m u_m$, $y_m \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$u_m = \frac{1}{\sqrt{l/2}} \sin \frac{m\pi s}{l}, \quad m = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

- Consider

$$\Phi(y_1, y_2, \dots, \lambda) = \Phi\left(\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} y_m u_m, \lambda\right)$$

- By computation,

$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y_m}(0, \lambda) = \left(\frac{\pi^2 m^2}{l^2} - \lambda \right) \frac{\pi^2 m^2}{l^2} u_m^*$$

Setting $\Phi = \Phi_1 u_1^* + \Phi_2 u_2^* + \dots$,

$$J\Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \Phi_1}{\partial y_1} & & & \\ & \frac{\partial \Phi_2}{\partial y_2} & & \\ & & \frac{\partial \Phi_3}{\partial y_3} & \\ & & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

- Inverse mapping theorem implies that
 $u = 0$ is only solution near 0 when $\lambda \neq \frac{\pi^2 m^2}{l^2}$
- When $\lambda = \frac{\pi^2 m^2}{l^2}$, we have pitchfork bifurcation at $u = 0$.

Lyapunov-Schmidt reduction

- When $\lambda = \lambda^* = \frac{\pi^2 n^2}{l^2}$, the matrix

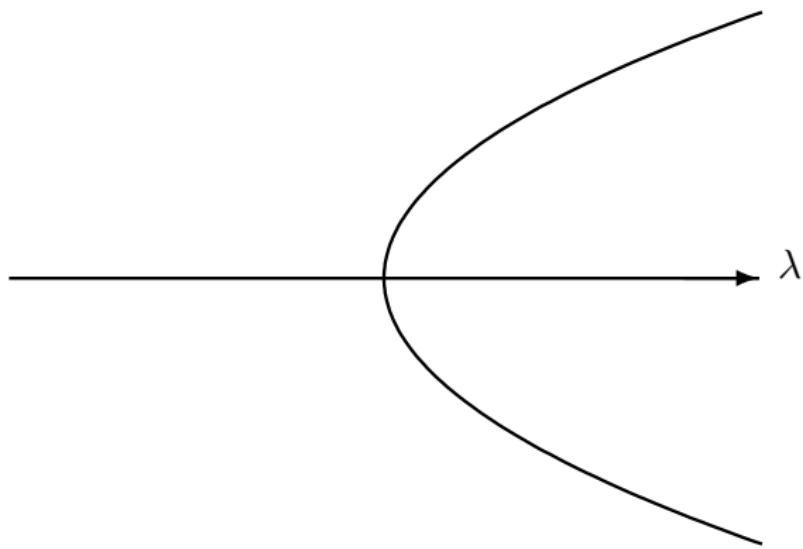
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- So $\Phi(y_1, y_2, \dots, \lambda) = 0$ defines y_m ($m \neq n$) as functions of y_n and λ by implicit function theorem.
- Now problem is of finite dimension and we conclude **pitchfork bifurcation** at $u = 0$.

Pitchfork bifurcation

$$F(x, \lambda) = x^3 - \lambda x = 0$$



$$\begin{aligned} F(0, 0) &= F_x(0, 0) = F_{xx}(0, 0) = F_\lambda(0, 0) = 0, \\ F_{xxx}(0, 0) &\neq 0, \quad F_{x\lambda}(0, 0) \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Bifurcation set B and hysteresis set H

$$F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0$$

$$B = \{\alpha : \exists (x, \lambda) \ F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0, F_x(x, \lambda, \alpha) = F_\lambda(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0\},$$

$$H = \{\alpha : \exists (x, \lambda) \ F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0, F_x(x, \lambda, \alpha) = F_{xx}(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0\}$$

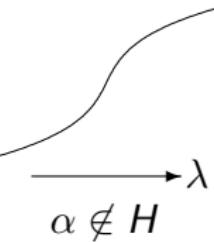
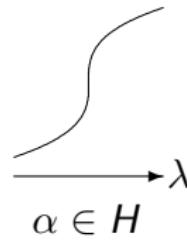
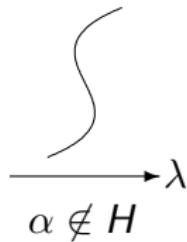
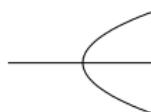
$$\alpha \in B$$

transcritical
bifurcation

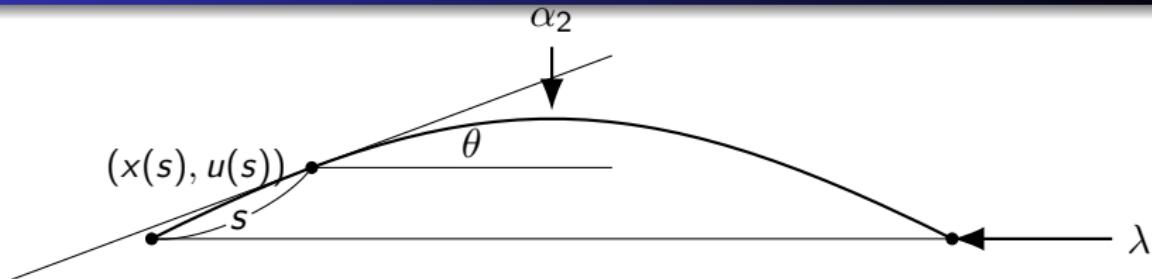


$$\alpha \in B$$

pitchfork
bifurcation



Modified problem (due to Golubitsky and Schaefer)



- Minimize $E = S + \lambda T + \alpha_2 u$ where

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^l (\kappa - \alpha_1)^2 ds$$

- $\Phi(u, \lambda, \alpha_1, \alpha_2) = [\phi \mapsto (D_\phi E)_{(u, \lambda, \alpha)}]$
- Apply Lyapunov-Schmidt reduction, and find W so that

$$\langle \Phi(xu_1 + W(x, \lambda, \alpha)), u_m \rangle = 0, \quad m = 2, 3, \dots$$

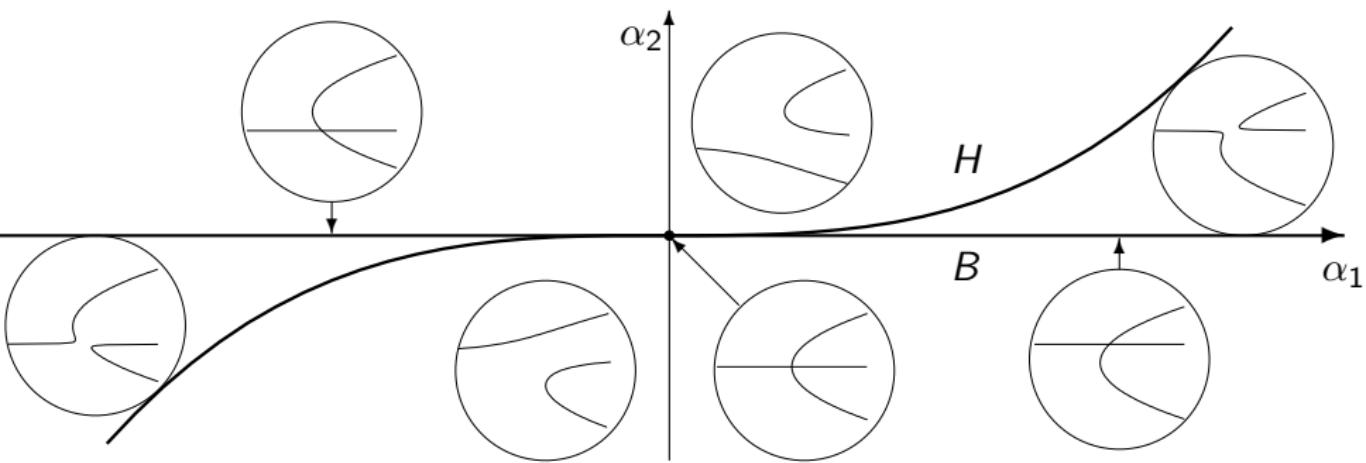
- $F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = \langle \Phi(xu_1 + W, \lambda, \alpha), u_1 \rangle$ is **p-K-versal unfolding** of pitchfork bifurcation.

Example of $p\mathcal{K}$ -versal unfolding

$$F(x, \lambda, \alpha_1, \alpha_2) = x^3 - \lambda x + \alpha_1 x^2 + \alpha_2$$

$$B = \{\alpha_2 = 0\}, \quad H = \{\alpha_1^3 = 27\alpha_2\}$$

The bifurcation diagrams of the zeros of $f_\alpha(x, \lambda) = F(x, \lambda, \alpha)$ are shown as follows:



We consider

Minimize $E = S + \lambda T + \alpha_2 u$ on $X = H^2[0, l]$ where

$$S = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^l (\kappa - \alpha_1 \kappa)^2 ds$$

where $\kappa = \frac{1}{\sqrt{l/2}} \left[a_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i \cos \frac{2i\pi s}{l} \right]$.

We obtain that

$$(D_\phi E)_{(u, \lambda, \alpha)} = ((\Psi)_u - \lambda(\Lambda)_u) \cdot \phi - \alpha_1(K)_u \cdot \phi + \alpha_2 \phi(\frac{l}{2})$$

where

$$(\Psi)_u \cdot \phi = \int_0^l \left(\frac{u'' \phi''}{(1 - (u')^2)} + \frac{u' (u'')^2 \phi'}{(1 - (u')^2)^2} \right) ds,$$

$$(\Lambda)_u \cdot \phi = \int_0^l \frac{u' \phi'}{(1 - (u')^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}} ds,$$

$$(K)_u \cdot \phi = \int_0^l \kappa \left(\frac{\phi''}{(1 - (u')^2)^{1/2}} + \frac{u' u'' \phi'}{(1 - (u')^2)^{3/2}} \right) ds.$$

Smoothness

$$\Phi : X \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow X^*, \quad \Phi(u, \lambda, \alpha) = [\phi \mapsto (D_\phi E)_{(u, \lambda, \alpha)}]$$

Since we are in the context of variational problem, the smoothness of Φ is not a priori clear.

- Theorem: Φ is smooth
- Key: If $j + i_1 + \cdots + i_k \leq k + 2$,

$$\left| \int_0^I A(u') (u'')^j v_1^{(i_1)} \cdots v_k^{(i_k)} ds \right| \leq C \|A(u')\|_\infty \|u\|_{2,2}^j \|v_1\|_{2,2} \cdots \|v_k\|_{2,2}.$$

- If $j + i_1 + \cdots + i_k > k + 2$, we need to replace $\|\cdot\|_{2,2}$ by $\|\cdot\|_{3,2}$.

$$F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = \langle \Phi(xu_n + W(x, \lambda, \alpha), \lambda, \alpha), u_n \rangle$$

$$F = \frac{x^3}{6} \bar{F}_{xxx} + \bar{F}_{x\lambda} \lambda x + \textcolor{blue}{\bar{F}_1 \alpha_1} + \bar{F}_2 \alpha_2 + \frac{x^2}{2} \ell(\alpha) + x Q(\alpha) + \textcolor{red}{C(\alpha)} + O(4),$$

where

$$\ell(\alpha) = \bar{F}_{xx1} \alpha_1 + \bar{F}_{xx2} \alpha_2$$

$$Q(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2} (\bar{F}_{x11} \alpha_1^2 + 2 \bar{F}_{x12} \alpha_1 \alpha_2 + \bar{F}_{x22} \alpha_2^2)$$

$$\textcolor{red}{C(\alpha)} = \frac{1}{6} (\bar{F}_{111} \alpha_1^3 + 3 \bar{F}_{112} \alpha_1^2 \alpha_2 + 3 \bar{F}_{122} \alpha_1 \alpha_2^2 + \bar{F}_{222} \alpha_2^3)$$

where $\bar{F}_{xxx} = F_{xxx}(0, \lambda^*, 0)$, $\bar{F}_{x\lambda} = F_{x\lambda}(0, \lambda^*, 0)$,
 $\bar{F}_1 = F_{\alpha_1}(0, \lambda^*, 0)$, and so on.

$$\textcolor{blue}{\bar{F}_1 \alpha_1 + \bar{F}_2 \alpha_2} = \left(\frac{4\pi n^2}{l^2} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{n a_i}{n^2 - 4i^2} \right) \alpha_1 + \left((-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{l}} \right) \alpha_2$$

$$\text{where } \kappa = \frac{1}{\sqrt{l/2}} \left[a_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i \cos \frac{2i\pi s}{l} \right]$$

Bifurcation of $F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0$

- $\lambda^* = n^2\pi^2/l^2$
- Theorem: The bifurcation of $F(x, \lambda, 0) = 0$ at $(0, \lambda^*)$ is pitchfork.
- Theorem: If n is odd, $F(x, \lambda, \alpha) = 0$ is $p\text{-}\mathcal{K}$ -versal unfolding of pitchfork bifurcation.

Let us compute the 3-jet of F to draw approximate figures of B and H in this case.

B and H up to 3-jet

The bifurcation set B and the hysteresis set H are

$$B = \{\alpha : \bar{F}_1\alpha_1 + \bar{F}_2\alpha_2 + C(\alpha) + O(4)\}$$

$$H = \{\alpha : \bar{F}_1\alpha_1 + \bar{F}_2\alpha_2 + C(\alpha) - \frac{2l^{14}}{27n^{12}\pi^{12}}\ell(\alpha)^3 + O(4)\}$$

Here we have

$$\bar{F}_1\alpha_1 + \bar{F}_2\alpha_2 = \left(\frac{4\pi n^2}{l^2} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{na_i}{n^2 - 4i^2} \right) \alpha_1 + \left((-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{l}} \right) \alpha_2$$

$$C(\alpha) = \frac{1}{6} (\bar{F}_{111}\alpha_1^3 + 3\bar{F}_{112}\alpha_1^2\alpha_2 + 3\bar{F}_{122}\alpha_1\alpha_2^2 + \bar{F}_{222}\alpha_2^3)$$

$$\ell(\alpha) = \bar{F}_{xx1}\alpha_1 + \bar{F}_{xx2}\alpha_2$$

More on $C(\alpha)$

$$\Phi : X \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow X^*, (u, \lambda, \alpha) \mapsto [\phi \mapsto (L)_u \cdot \phi - \alpha_1 (K)_u \cdot \phi + \alpha_2 \delta \cdot \phi]$$

where $(L)_u = (\Psi)_u - \lambda(\Lambda)_u$

$$(L)_u \cdot \phi = L_1[u] \cdot \phi + \frac{1}{6} L_3[u, u, u] \cdot \phi + \dots$$

$$= (\Psi_1 - \lambda \Lambda_1)[u] \cdot \phi + \frac{1}{6} (\Psi_3 - \lambda \Lambda_3)[u, u, u] \cdot \phi + \dots$$

$$(K)_u \cdot \phi = K_0 \cdot \phi + \frac{1}{2} K_2[u, u] \cdot \phi + \dots$$

$$C(\alpha) = \left(\frac{1}{6} L_3[u, u, u] - \frac{\alpha_1}{2} K_2[u, u] \right) \cdot u_n \Big|_{u=\bar{W}}, \quad \bar{W} = \bar{W}_1 \alpha_1 + \bar{W}_2 \alpha_2$$

$$\bar{W} = -\frac{l^2}{\pi^2} \sum_{\substack{m: \text{ odd} \\ m \neq n}} \frac{1}{m^2 - n^2} \left(\frac{4\alpha_1}{\pi} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{ma_i}{m^2 - 4i^2} u_m^* + \frac{l^2}{\pi^2} \frac{\alpha_2}{m^2 \sqrt{l/2}} \right) u_m^*$$

Some numerical result

When $n = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} L_3[\bar{W}, \bar{W}, \bar{W}] \cdot u_1 = & \frac{1}{l\pi} \left(c_0 \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \alpha_1 \right)^3 + 3c_1 \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \alpha_1 \right)^2 \frac{l^2 \alpha_2}{\pi^2 \sqrt{l/2}} \right. \\ & \left. + 3c_2 \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \alpha_1 \right) \left(\frac{l^2 \alpha_2}{\pi^2 \sqrt{l/2}} \right)^2 + c_3 \left(\frac{l^2 \alpha_2}{\pi^2 \sqrt{l/2}} \right)^3 \right) \end{aligned}$$

where c_0, c_1, c_2, c_3 are constants.

$$\begin{aligned} c_0 \simeq & 0.305307a_0^3 + 1.20457a_0^2a_1 + 0.556055a_0^2a_2 + 0.449847a_0^2a_3 + \dots \\ & + 1.5754a_0a_1^2 + 1.60049a_0a_1a_2 + 1.23451a_0a_1a_3 + \dots \\ & + 0.0536143a_0a_2^2 + 0.410507a_0a_2a_3 - 0.0983358a_0a_3^2 + \dots \\ & + 0.683785a_1^3 + 1.15217a_1^2a_2 + 0.821541a_1^2a_3 + \dots \\ & - 0.121613a_1a_2^2 + 0.763853a_1a_2a_3 - 0.154765a_1a_3^2 + \dots \\ & + 0.0918374a_2^3 - 0.322925a_2^2a_3 + 0.0171554a_2a_3^2 + 0.0409826a_3^2 + \dots \\ c_1 \simeq & (0.0560462a_0 + 0.147036a_1 + 0.078606a_2 + 0.0592183a_3 + \dots)a_0 \\ & + (0.0965134a_1 + 0.112754a_2 + 0.0758876a_3 + \dots)a_1 \\ & + (0.00853948a_2 + 0.0472655a_3 + \dots)a_2 - 0.00887054a_3^2 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

For $K_2[\bar{W}, \bar{W}] \cdot u_n, n = 1$

Setting $\bar{W} = \bar{W}_1\alpha_1 + \bar{W}_2\alpha_2$, we have

$$K_2[\bar{W}, \bar{W}] \cdot u_n = k_0\alpha_1^2 + 2k_1\alpha_1\alpha_2 + k_2\alpha_2^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} k_0 &= -\frac{4}{\pi^3 l} \sum_{i,i_1,i_2=0}^{\infty} a_i a_{i_1} a_{i_2} \left[\frac{(12i_1^2 + 1)(12i_2^2 + 1)}{(4i_1^2 - 1)^2(4i_2^2 - 1)^2} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{\substack{a,b:\text{odd} \\ a,b \neq 1}} \frac{4^2 i}{(a^2 - 4i_1^2)(b^2 - 4i_2^2)} \frac{a^2 b^2}{(a^2 - 1)(b^2 - 1)} \sum_{\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2 = \pm 1} \frac{i^2}{(\varepsilon_1 a + \varepsilon_2 b + 1)^2 - 4i^2} \right], \\ k_1 &= -\frac{16l}{\pi^4} \sqrt{\frac{2}{l}} \sum_{i,i_1=0}^{\infty} a_i a_{i_1} \left[\frac{12i_1^2 + 1}{4(4i_1^2 - 1)^2} \left(\frac{3}{4} - \log 2 \right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_{\substack{a,b:\text{odd} \\ a,b \neq 1}} \frac{1}{a^2 - 4i_1^2} \frac{a^2}{b(a^2 - 1)(b^2 - 1)} \sum_{\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2 = \pm 1} \frac{i^2}{(\varepsilon_1 a + \varepsilon_2 b + 1)^2 - 4i^2} \right], \\ k_2 &= -\frac{8l^2}{\pi^5} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i \left[\left(\frac{3}{4} - \log 2 \right)^2 + \sum_{\substack{a,b:\text{odd} \\ a,b \neq 1}} \frac{1}{ab(a^2 - 1)(b^2 - 1)} \sum_{\varepsilon_1, \varepsilon_2 = \pm 1} \frac{i^2}{(\varepsilon_1 a + \varepsilon_2 b + 1)^2 - 4i^2} \right] \end{aligned}$$

If $a_0 = 1, a_i = 0 (i \geq 1)$, then

$$K_2[\bar{W}, \bar{W}] \cdot u_1 = -\frac{8}{l\pi} \left(\frac{1}{\pi} \alpha_1 + \frac{3 - 4 \log 2}{4} \frac{l^2}{\pi^2} \sqrt{\frac{2}{l}} \alpha_2 \right)^2.$$

For $\ell(\alpha)$

$$\begin{aligned}\ell(\alpha) &= \bar{F}_{xx1}\alpha_1 + \bar{F}_{xx2}\alpha_2 \\ &= (L_3[u_n, u_n, \bar{W}] - \alpha_1 K_2[u_n, u_n]) \cdot u_n\end{aligned}$$

where $\bar{W} = \bar{W}_1\alpha_1 + \bar{W}_2\alpha_2$.

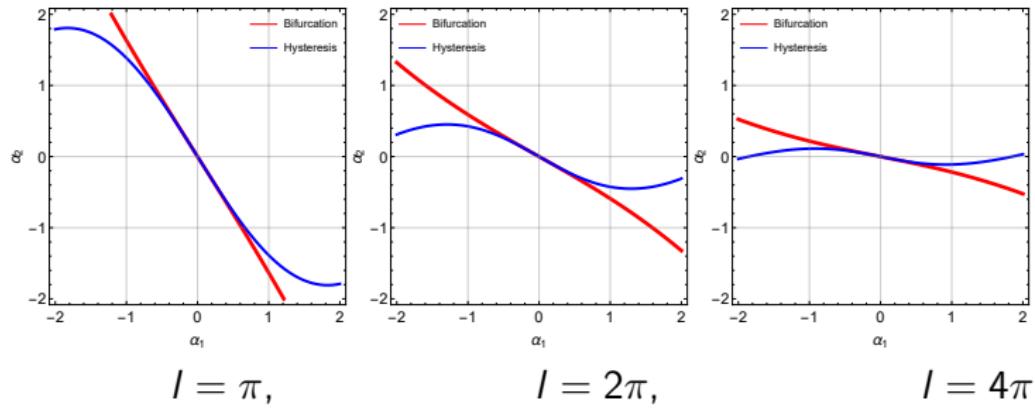
n is odd

$$\bar{F}_{xx1} = \frac{3n^5\pi^3}{4l^5} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{69n^2 - 20i^2}{(9n^2 - 4i^2)(n^2 - 4i^2)} a_i,$$

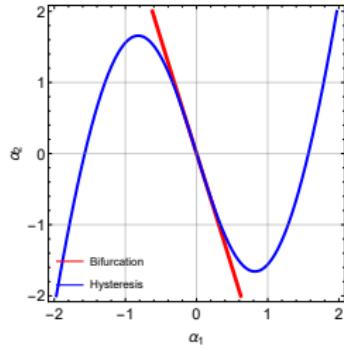
and

$$\bar{F}_{xx2} = -\frac{3n^2\pi^2}{16l^3} \sqrt{\frac{2}{l}}.$$

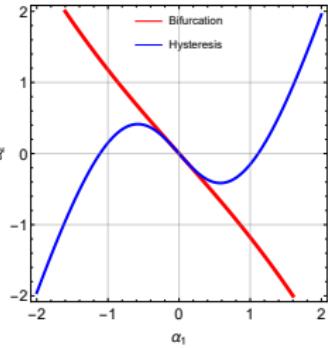
Approximations of B and H ($a_0 = 1, a_{i \geq 1} = 0$)



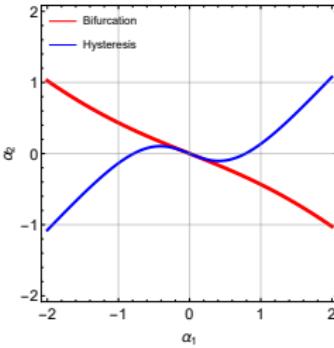
Approximations of B and H ($a_0 = 2, a_{i \geq 1} = 0$)



$$l = \pi,$$

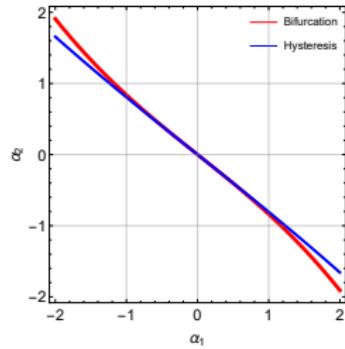


$$l = 2\pi,$$

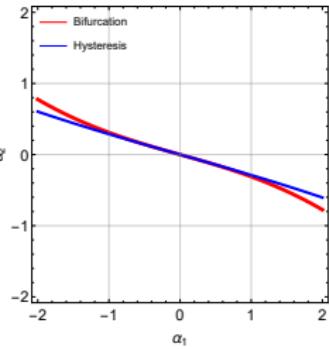


$$l = 4\pi$$

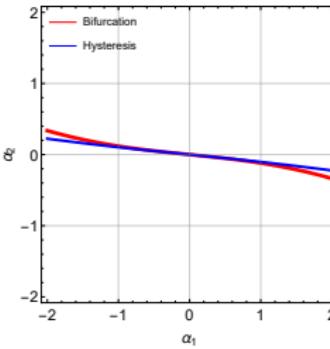
Approximations of B and H ($a_0 = 1/2, a_{i \geq 1} = 0$)



$$l = \pi,$$

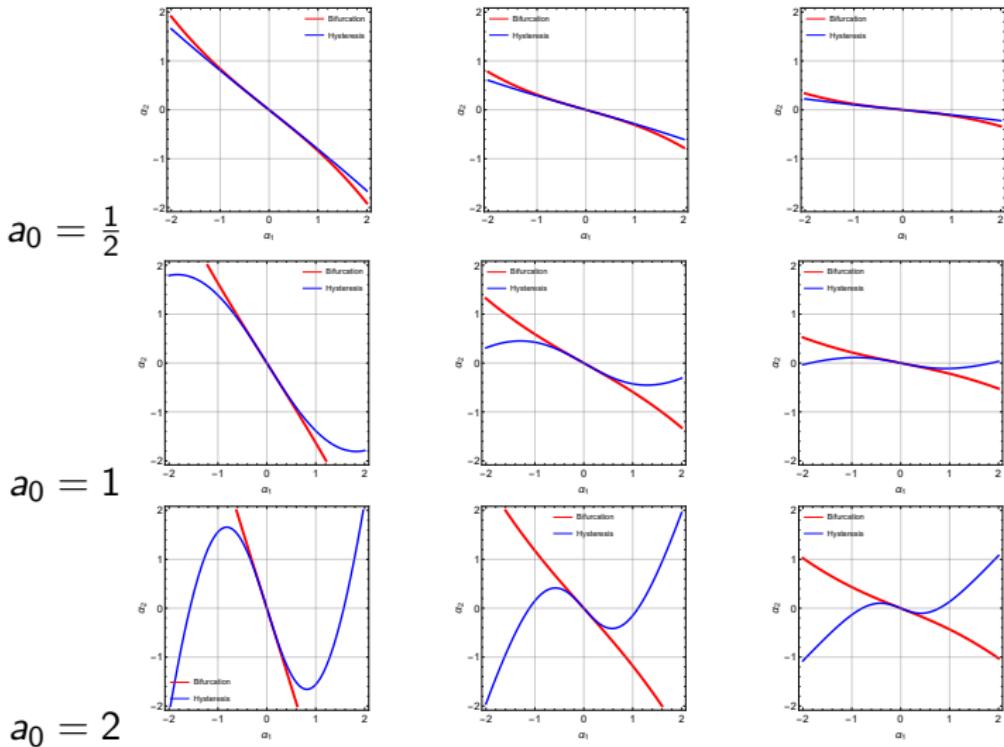


$$l = 2\pi,$$



$$l = 4\pi$$

Approximations of B and H ($a_0 = 1/2, 1, 2, a_{i \geq 1} = 0$)



$$l = \pi,$$

$$l = 2\pi,$$

$$l = 4\pi$$

Conclusion

We would like to see perturbation (imperfection) of bifurcation of solutions of PDE, variational problem,

These are just to investigate singularities of zero sets of certain maps of some Hilbert space with parameters.

Our motivation is just to watch how bifurcation set B and hysteresis set H , etc. are.

We revisit Euler buckling problem, and treat very simple bifurcation: pitchfork bifurcation.

We manage to compute the equations defining B and H up to order 3, but it is complicated enough.

What is next?

We continue much complicated examples? or equations with physical background?

Need to find handy examples. Any suggestions are welcome.

Thank you very much
for your attention!