# HYPERBOLIC NETWORKS IN BIOMEDICINE

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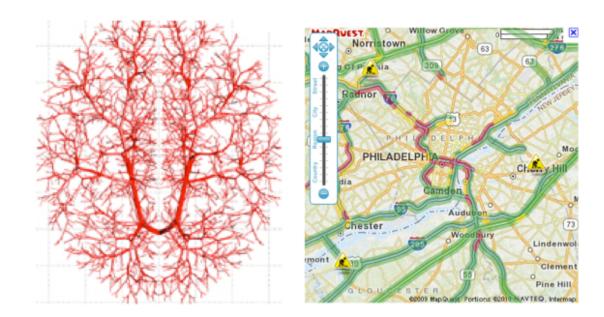
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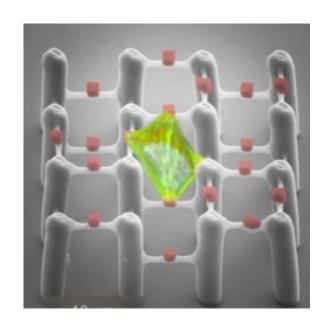
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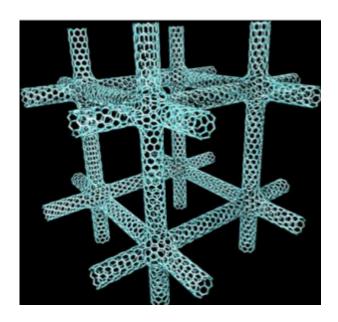
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CEREBRAL VASCULAR NETWORK (LEFT) & NETWORK OF HIGHWAYS IN PHILADELPHIA (RIGHT)

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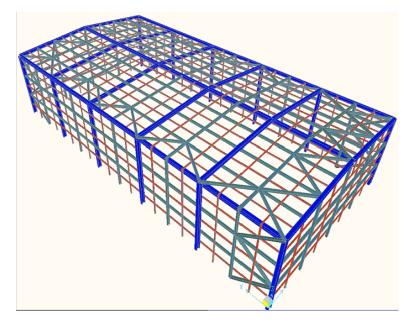


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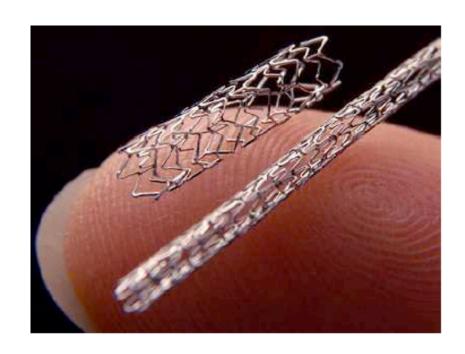


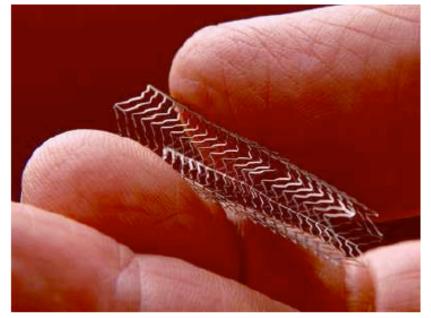




BRIDGES, CRANES, BUILDINGS MADE OF METALLIC FRAME STRUCTURES

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**ENDOVASCULAR STENTS** 

### HYPERBOLIC NETS and NETWORKS

Hyperbolic net/network is a term that will be used to describe a physical problem modeled by hyperbolic conservation laws defined on a collection of 1D domains forming a graph.

$$U_t + F(U)_x = 0$$
 Conservation law 
$$U_t + F(U)_x = G(U)$$
 Balance law Graph

Hyperbolic nets and networks differ only in that hyperbolic nets do not have an a priori association with flow (e.g., stent (net) vs. arterial blood flow network).

#### **HYPERBOLICITY**

$$U_t + F(U)_x = 0, t > 0, x \in R$$
  
 $U = (x,t)$  – state variable  
 $U \in R^n, F : R^n \to R^n$   
 $F$  – smooth function

A conservation law  $U_t + F(U)_x = 0$  is said to be HYPERBOLIC if the eigenvalues of the Jacobian matrix F'(U) are all real.

(Same definition holds for a balance law  $U_t + F(U)_x = G(U)$ )

# **EXAMPLE:** THE NONLINEAR WAVE SYSTEM

$$u_{tt} = (f(u)u_x)_x, \quad f(u) > 0 \qquad \qquad u_t = w$$

$$(w := u_t, \quad v := u_x)$$

$$w_t = (f(u)v)_x$$

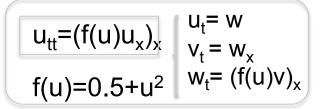
$$\text{System: } U_t + F(U)_x = G(U) \quad \text{where } U = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{pmatrix}, \ F(U) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -w \\ -f(u)v \end{pmatrix} \quad G(U) = \begin{pmatrix} w \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Jacobian matrix: 
$$F'(U) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ f'(u)v & -f(u) & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

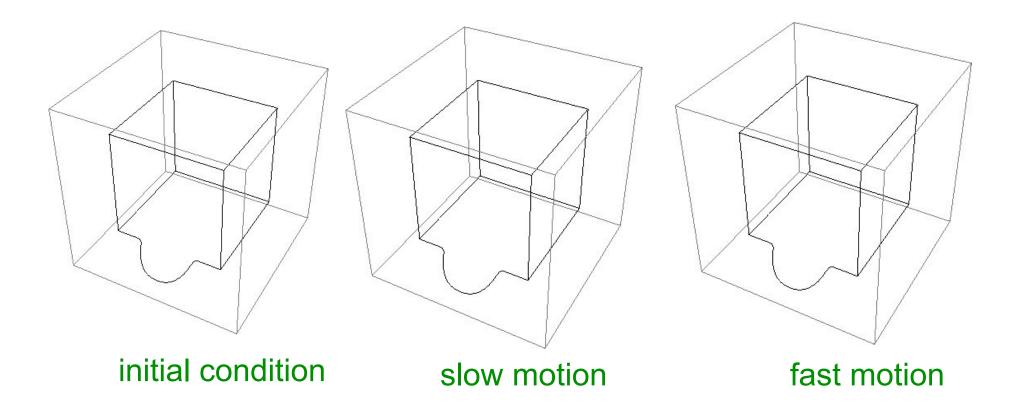
Eigenvalues of the Jacobian: 
$$F'(U) - \lambda I = \begin{pmatrix} -\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\lambda & -1 \\ f'(u)v & -f(u) & -\lambda \end{pmatrix} \Longrightarrow \begin{matrix} \lambda_0 = 0, \\ \lambda_{1,2} = \pm \sqrt{f(u)}, \end{matrix}$$

# ⇒ [SYSTEM IS HYPERBOLIC]

# EXAMPLE: WAVE PROPAGATION IN A 3D NET MODELED BY THE NONLINEAR WAVE EQUATION

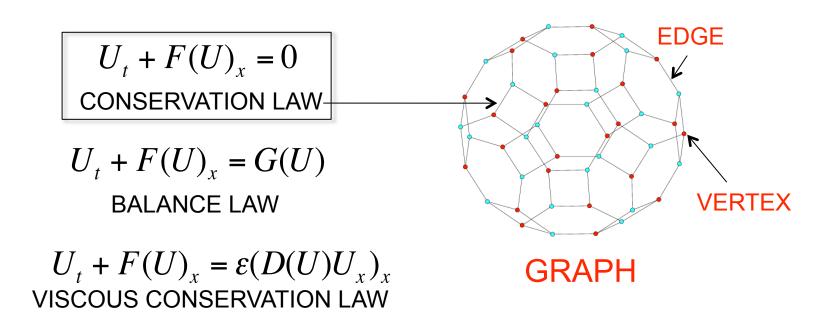


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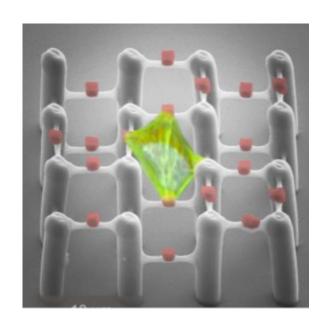


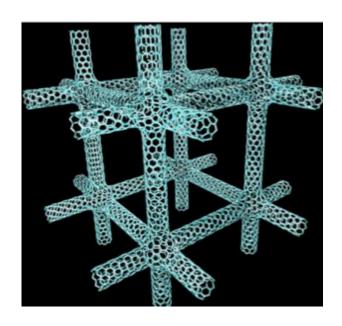
# COMMON PROPERTIES OF MOTIVATING PROBLEMS:

- GEOMETRY: the physical domain is multi-component, and net-like, which can be modeled as a graph
- PHYSICS: the physical/biological problem that holds on each domain component (edge of the graph) can be modeled by 1D hyperbolic conservation (or balance) laws.



# EXAMPLE: STRUCTURAL PROPERTIES OF VISCOUS GELLS, TISSUE SCAFFOLDS, OR CARBON NANOTUBES





TISSUE SCAFFOLDS IN BIOMATERIALS (LEFT) & CARBON NANOTUBES IN MATERIALS SCIENCE(RIGHT)

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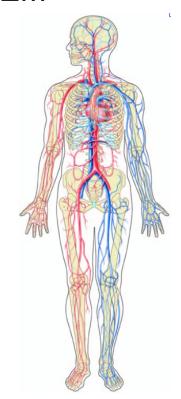
VISCOUS-HYPERBOLIC CONSERVATION LAWS

# WE WILL FOCUS ON TWO EXAMPLES:

 MODELING OF ENDOVASCULAR STENTS AS AN EXAMPLE OF A HYPERBOLIC NET PROBLEM



• MODELING OF THE ARTERIAL NETWORK AS AN EXAMPLE OF A HYPERBOLIC NETWORK PROBLEM



Before we continue, we need to recall some basic theory of nonlinear hyperbolic conservation laws.

# BASIC THEORY OF NONLINEAR CONSERVATION LAWS

$$U_t + F(U)_x = 0, t > 0, x \in R$$

U = (x,t) – state variable

$$U \in \mathbb{R}^n, F : \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$$

F – smooth function

U – conserved quantity, F – flux function (the flux of U)

Integrate the PDE over an arbitrary interval [a,b]:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_a^b u(t,x) dx = -\int_a^b \mathsf{F} \left( u(t,x) \right)_x dx = \mathsf{F} \left( u(t,a) \right) - \mathsf{F} \left( u(t,b) \right)_x dx$$

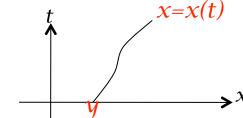
Rate of change of u inside [a.b]

Flux of u that comes in – flux of u that goes out

# **CHARACTERISTICS**

Consider the Cauchy problem: 
$$\begin{cases} u_t + a(t,x,u)u_x = h(t,x,u) \\ u(0,x) = \bar{u}(x), \end{cases}$$

Consider curves x=x(t) such that:  $\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt}=a(t,x,u)\\ x(0,y)=y \end{cases}$ 



Then, along such curves, the derivative of u(t,x(t)) (as a function of t) is:  $du/dt = u_t + a(t,x,u) u_x$ 

The PDE implies: du/dt = h(t,x,u).

Thus, along these curves, solution u of the conservation laws, satsfies an ODE!

The curves 
$$x(t,y)$$
,  $y$  in  $\mathbb{R}$ , satisfying: 
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = a(t,x,u), \\ \frac{du}{dt} = h(t,x,u), \\ x(0,y) = y, \\ u(0,y) = \bar{u}(y). \end{cases}$$

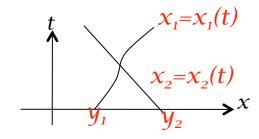
# **CHARACTERISTICS**

Systems: 
$$U_t + F(U)_x = 0$$
  
 $U(0,x) = U_o(x)$ 

Written in quasilinear form: 
$$U_t$$
+ F'( $U$ )  $U_x$  = 0  $U(0,x)=U_o(x)$ 

The slopes of the characteristics are determined by the eigenvalues of the Jacobian F':  $\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_n$ :

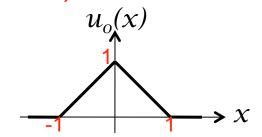
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx_i}{dt} = \lambda_i, & i = 1, ..., n \\ x_i(0) = y_i \end{cases}$$



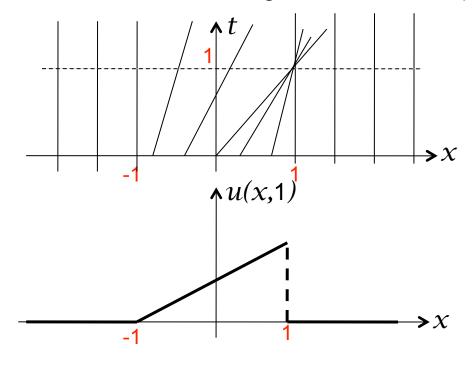
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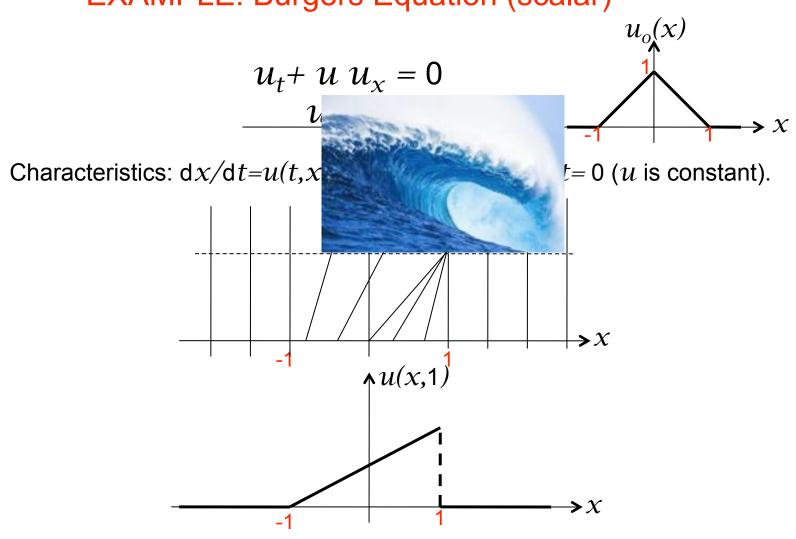
$$u(0,x) = u_o(x)$$



Characteristics: dx/dt=u(t,x(t)), along which du/dt=0 (u is constant).



# **EXAMPLE**: Burgers Equation (scalar)



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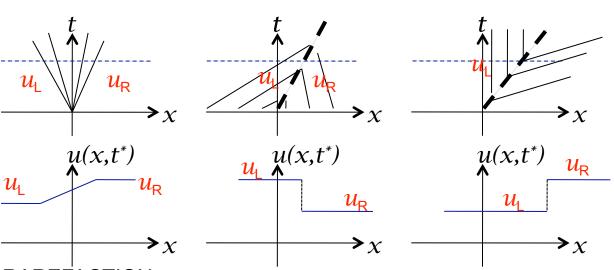
With bounded and measurable initial data  $u_o$  if for every C¹-function  $\psi$  with compact support in [0,T)x  $\mathbb R$  the following holds:

$$\int_0^T \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left\{ u \cdot \psi_t + \mathsf{F}(u) \cdot \psi_x \right\} dx dt + \int_{\mathbb{R}} u_0(x) \cdot \psi(0, x) dx = 0.$$

# Examples:

RIEMANN PROBLEM:

$$u_0(x) = \begin{cases} u_L, & x < 0 \\ u_R, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$



RAREFACTION JUMP DISCONTINUITY JUMP DISCONTINUITY (COMPRESSION SHOCK) (EXPANSION SHOCK)

For convex F, rarefaction wave solution:

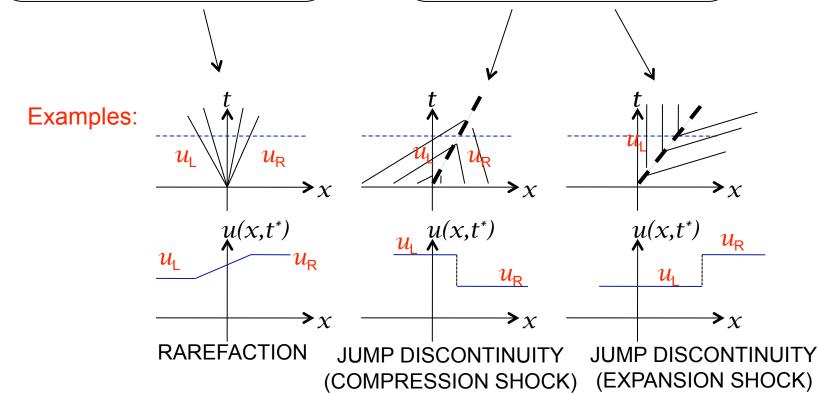
$$u(x,t) = \begin{cases} u_L, & x < F'(u_L)t \\ v(x/t), & F'(u_L)t \le x \le F'(u_R)t \\ u_R, & x > F'(u_R)t \end{cases}$$

where  $v(\xi)$  is the solution of  $F'(v(\xi)) = \xi$ .

Shock wave (jump discontinuity):

$$u(x,t) = \begin{cases} u_L, & x < st \\ u_R, & x > st \end{cases}$$

where *s* is the shock speed.



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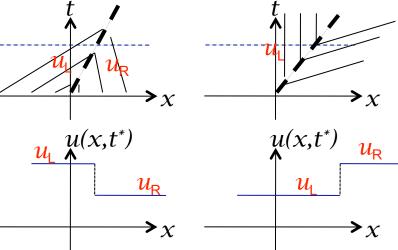
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#### JUMP DISCONTINUITY:

$$-s(u_{R}-u_{L})+(F(u_{R})-F(u_{L}))=0$$

Rankine-Hugoniot Condition (Jump Condition)



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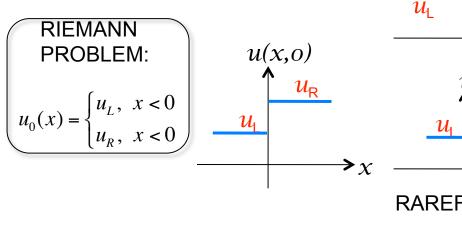
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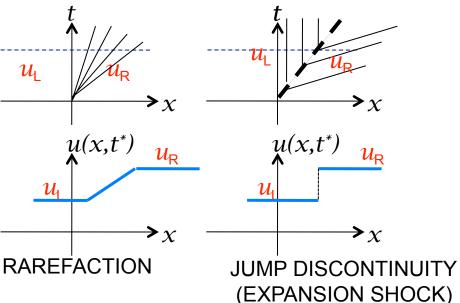
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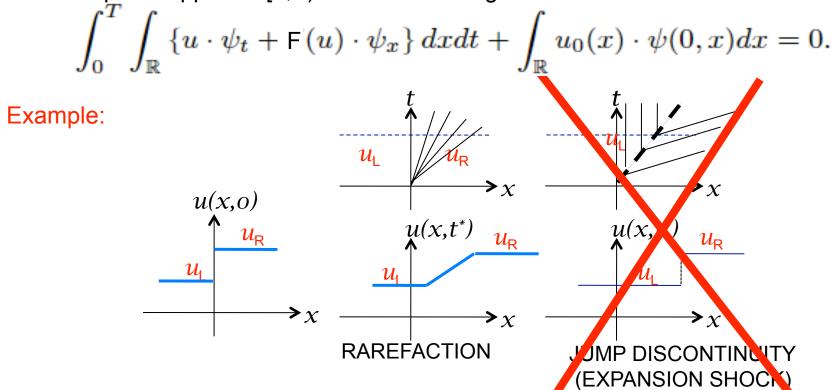




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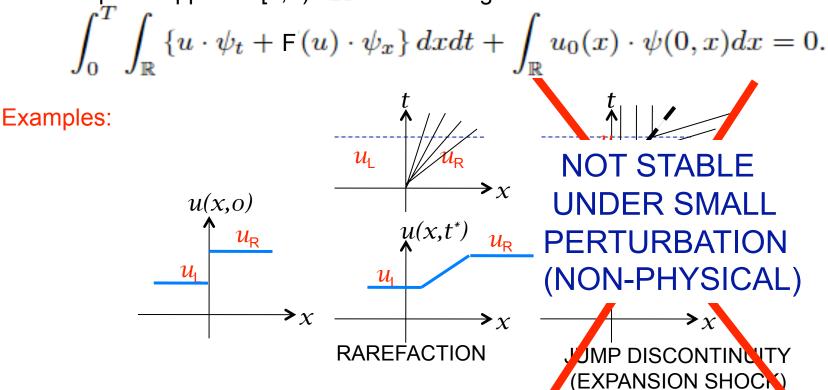
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# SHOCK ADMISSIBILITY (ENTROPY CRITERIA)

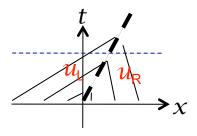
LAX ENTROPY CONDITION: A discontinuity propagating at speed s, given by the Rankine-Hugoniot condition

$$-s(u_{R}-u_{L})+(F(u_{R})-F(u_{L}))=0$$

Satisfies the entropy condition if

$$\left( F'(u_{L}) > s > F'(u_{R}). \right)$$

(Note that F' is the characteristic speed.)



(Glimm (1965), Lax (1953), Dafermos (1972), Bressan, Holden&Risebro, Serre, Smoller, DiPerna)

Functions of bounded Total Variation:  $w:J o\mathbb{R}$  , J subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ 

Tot. Var. 
$$w = \sup \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^{N} |w(x_j) - w(x_{j-1})| \right\}$$

where  $N \ge 1$ , the points  $x_j$  belong to J for every  $j \in \{0, ..., N\}$  and satisfy  $x_0 < x_1 < \cdots < x_N$ 

**Definition** We say that the function  $w: J \to \mathbb{R}$  has bounded total variation if  $Tot.Var.w < +\infty$ . We denote with BV(J) the set of all real functions  $w: J \to \mathbb{R}$  with bounded total variation.

**Lemma** Let  $w: J \to \mathbb{R}$  be a function with bounded total variation and  $\bar{x}$  be a point in the interior of J. Then the limits

$$\lim_{x \to \bar{x}^-} w(x), \qquad \lim_{x \to \bar{x}^+} w(x)$$

exist. Moreover the function w has at most countably many points of discontinuity.

Theorem (GLOBAL EXISTENCE OR WEAK SOLUTIONS): Assume that the system

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$$u(0,x) = u_o(x)$$

is strictly hyperbolic, and that each characteristic field is either linearly degenerate or genuinely nonlinear. Then there exists a constant  $\delta_0$ >0 such that, for every initial data in L<sup>1</sup>(R) with

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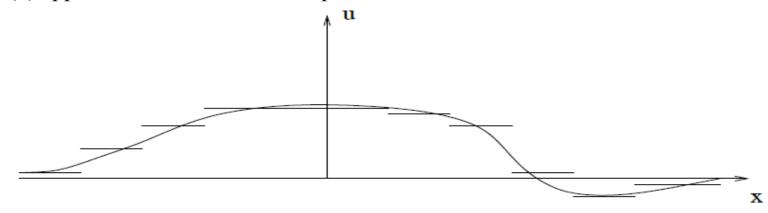
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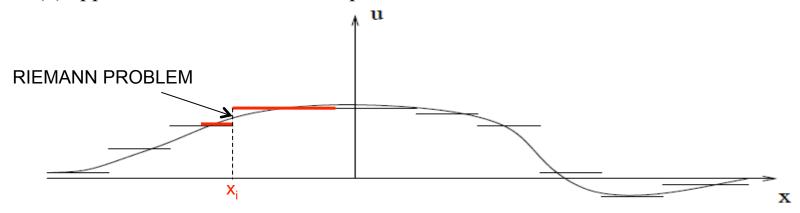
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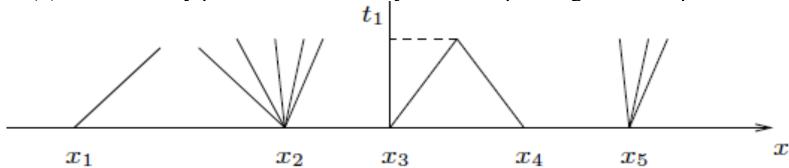
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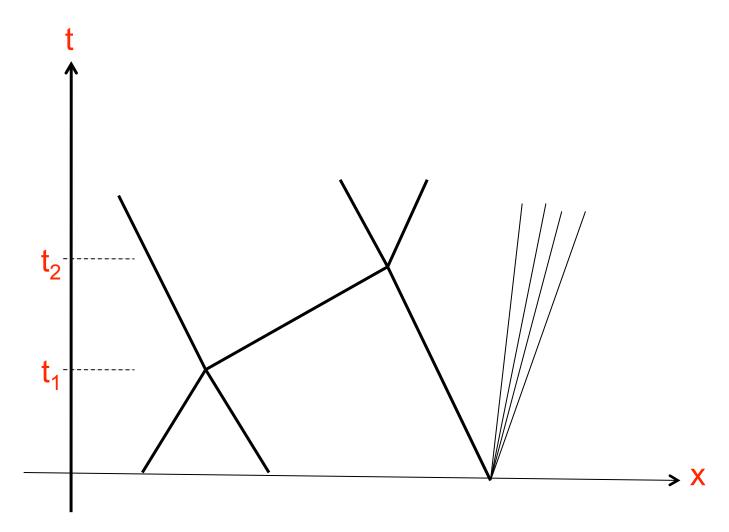
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- (1) approximate initial data with piece-wise constant functions
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- (3) approximate rarefaction waves with a fan of small shocks to get a piece-wise constant function until two waves interact
- (4) repeat the process inductively starting with interaction times
- (5) prove that the functions so constructed converge to a limit function, and that the limit function is an entropy solution



A wave-front tracking approximation

The algorithm produces a sequence of approximate solutions.

Convergence of the sequence is proved by a compactness argument,

Based on uniform bounds of the Total Variation.

More precisely, one needs to be able to control, via estimates:

- (1) the number of waves
- (2) the number of interactions between waves
- (3) the total variation of the approximate solution

These estimates are trivial in the <u>scalar</u> case (single equation) since the number of waves decreases, as does the Total Variation of the solution.

In the <u>systems</u> case, due to the presence of more than one characteristic family, one needs to introduce simplified solutions to Riemann problems to be able to bound wave interactions between different families. The Total Variation increases in time, but only in the lower (quadratic) order contributions, and the control of over the Total Variation is obtained via the decrease in the Glimm's functional.

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Initial-Boundary

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# WEAK SOLUTION TO NETS AND NETWORK PROBLEMS

# THERE IS NO GENERAL THEORY FOR EXISTENCE OF SOLUTIONS TO NONLINEAR HYPERBOLIC NET/NETWORK PROBLEMS!

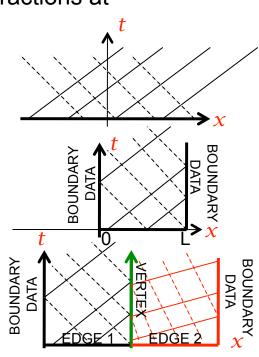
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The main difficulties stem from the analysis of the wave interactions at net's vertices.

<u>Cauchy problem</u>: characteristics carrying information about solution extend to infinity.

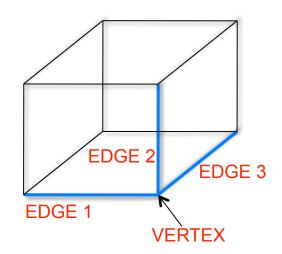
<u>Initial-boundary value problems</u>: characteristics hit the boundary. If the boundary data is not "consistent" with the solution, a reflected wave forms.

<u>Net/network problems</u>: characteristics hit vertices, but the value of the solution at a vertex is NOT KNOWN a priori, but rather it depends on the solution ITSELF!



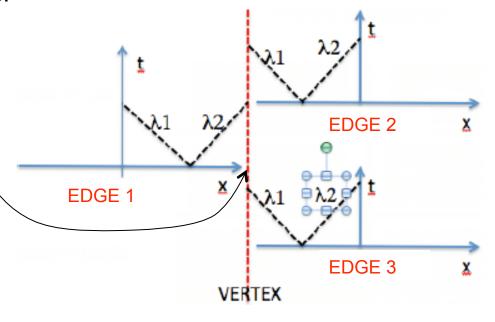
#### Example: 3D NET (CUBE)

Suppose that on each edge, the nonlinear wave equation holds (modeling vibrations of each edge as a nonlinear string).



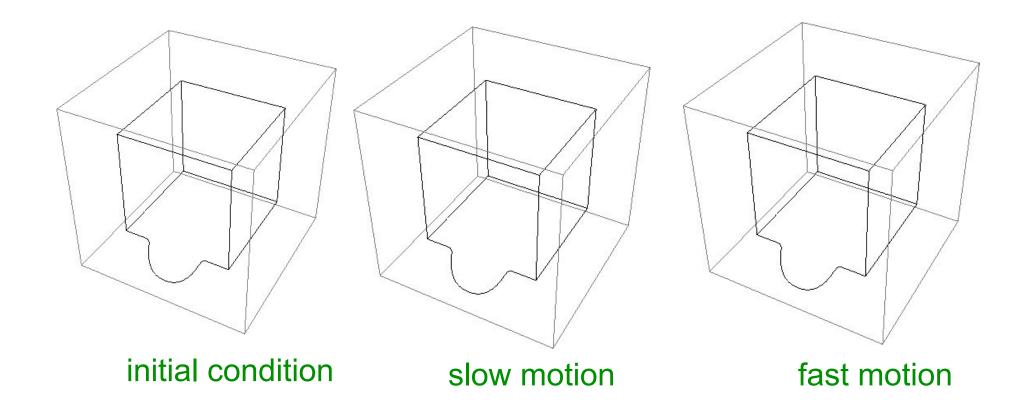
#### Characteristic structure:

Solution at the vertex depends on the solution on the entire net and on the coupling conditions at the vertex.

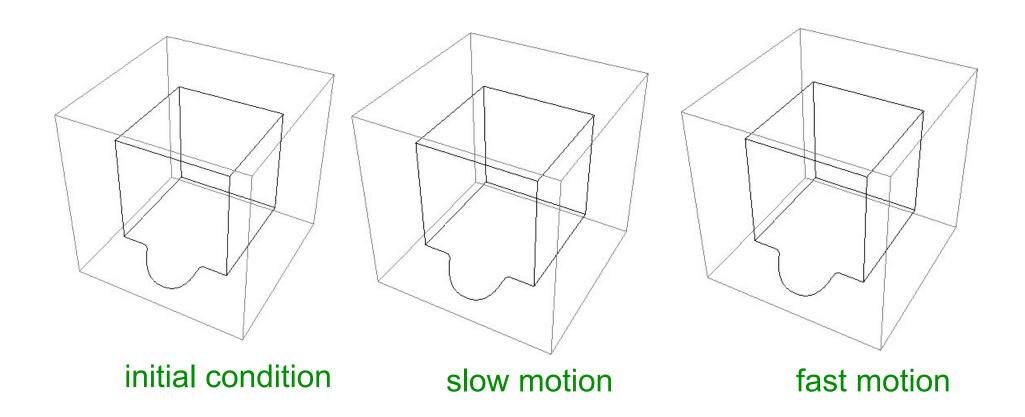


## WAVE PROPAGATION IN A 3D NET MODELED BY THE NONLINEAR WAVE EQUATION

Numerical simulation: FEM (with P1)



Propagation of waves for a linearized problem, and the interaction of waves at net's vertices will be explicitly calculated later.

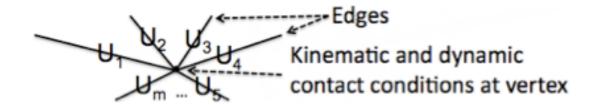


## THEORETICAL STUDY OF SOLUTIONS (NETs and NETWORKS)

- 1. The TV increases to the leading order, not to the lower, quadratic order. It was shown\* that no total-variation-type functional is decreasing along the solutions in nets with loops, or when the characteristic condition is violated.
- 2. Estimating the number of waves interacting at each vertex is nontrivial. In nets and networks, the number of wave interactions at vertices may increase without a bound (e.g., in graphs with loops, or if the non-characteristic condition is not satisfied).

3. One needs an a priori bound on the value of the solution at each vertex to be able to use a compactness argument to establish convergence.

4. Solution estimates at vertices need to be done for a set of multi-Riemann problem data, the solutions of which are all coupled at the vertex via the physical (mathematical) coupling conditions.



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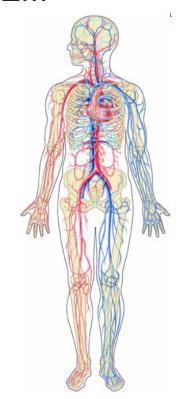
More details exemplifying the main difficulties in the analysis and numerical simulation of net/network problems will be presented later in the lectures by considering some simplified problems associated with our two main examples.

#### **BACK TO TWO EXAMPLES:**

 MODELING OF ENDOVASCULAR STENTS AS AN EXAMPLE OF A HYPERBOLIC NET PROBLEM



 MODELING OF THE ARTERIAL NETWORK AS AN EXAMPLE OF A HYPERBOLIC NETWORK PROBLEM

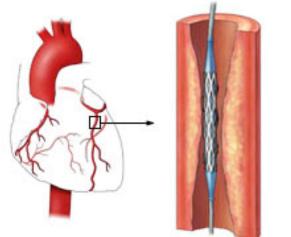


#### **ENDOVASCULAR STENTS**



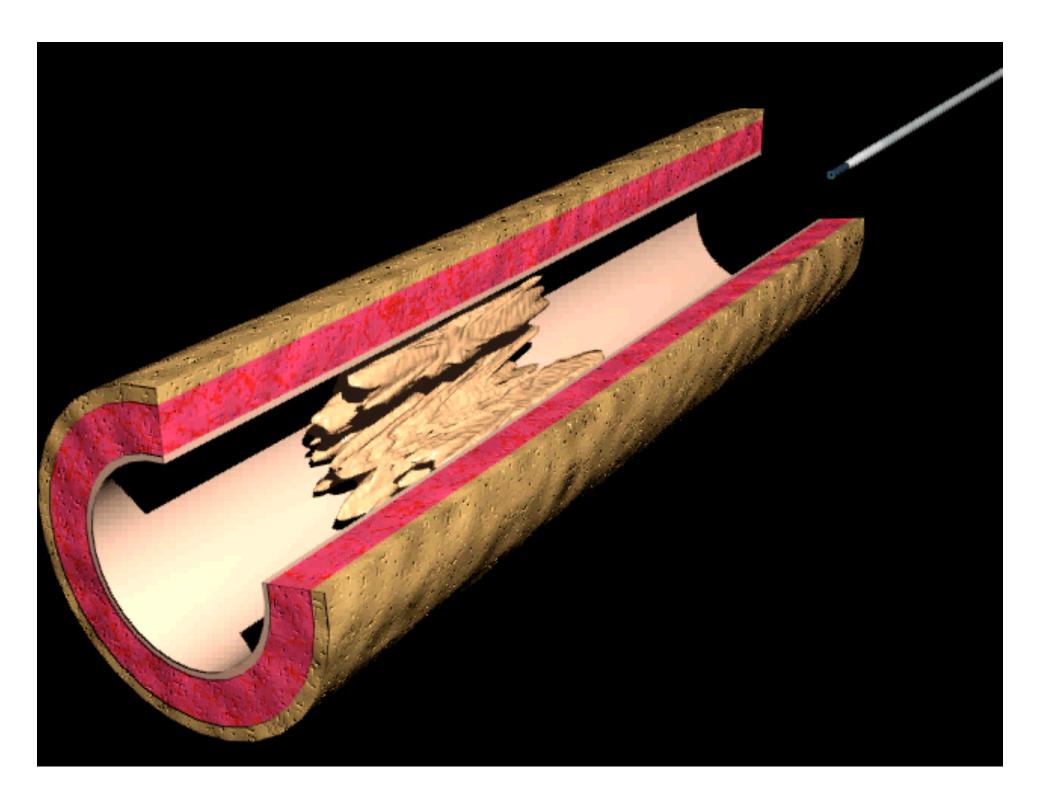
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• STENTS PLAY CRUCIAL ROLE IN TREATMENT OF CORONARY ARTERY DISEASE



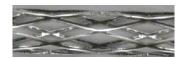


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#### **OPEN QUESTIONS**

WHICH STENT IS APPROPRIATE FOR A GIVEN LESION?



• WHICH STENTS ARE APPROPRIATE FOR TORTUOUS GEOMETRIES?



 WHAT IS THE OPTIMAL STENT DESIGN FOR THE CATHETER-BASED AORTIC VALVE REPLACEMENT?



- WHAT IS THE STENT'S LONGITUDINAL STRAIGHTENING (BENDING RIGIDITY) AND HOW DOES IT DEPEND ON ITS GEOMETRY?
- LONGITUDINAL EXTENSION/SHORTENING DURING PULSATION?
- BIOCOMPATIBILITY and RESTENOSIS

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#### MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF STENTS

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#### HELPED UNDERSTAND MANY STENT PERFORMANCE FEATURES!!!

#### **DRAWBACKS**:

- •3D simulation of each stent strut is computationally very expensive
- •thin and long structure: need extremely fine mesh to achieve reasonable accuracy (view <u>3Dstent</u>)
- commercial software uses "black box" approach: do not know which models are used
- •computationally prohibitive to include dynamic 3D stent modeling in a fluid-structure interaction solver

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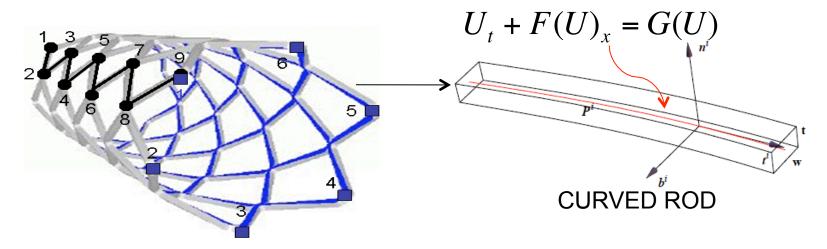
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NEED FOR SIMPLIFIED, REDUCED MODELS (MULTI-COMPONENT, NET-BASED MODELS)

### MODELING A STENT AS A HYPERBOLIC NET MAIN IDEAS:

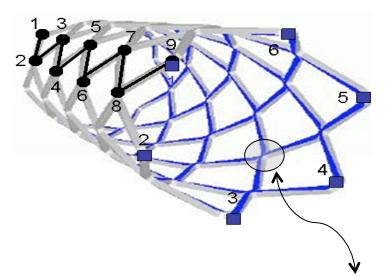
 DIMENSION REDUCTION: approximate the mechanical properties of each 3D slender stent strut by the 1D curved rod model



State variable U: captures the location of the middle line, and the rotation of the cross-sections

#### MAIN IDEAS (CONTINUED):

GEOMETRY: define how 1D curved rods form a graph in 3D



• MECHANICS OF CONTACT: define the contact conditions at graph's vertices defining the physics of contact, i.e., how curved rods (stent struts) meet (interact) at each vertex forming a graph (net) in 3D.

## MODELING A STENT AS A HYPERBOLIC NET: SUMMARY



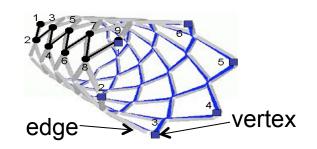
- GEOMETRY: describing how individual components, such as stent struts, comprise a global net structure, such as stent.
- 2. PHYSICS: describing the mechanical properties of each individual net component (stent strut)
- 3. COUPLING CONDITIONS: describing the geometry and mechanics of contact between the net components, thereby forming a hyperbolic net in 3D consisting of 1D components.

## STENT AS A HYPERBOLIC NET: DEFINITION OF A NET GEOMETRY

#### **TOPOLOGY**:

Net  $\mathcal{N} = (\mathcal{N}, \mathcal{E})$ : non-directed graph

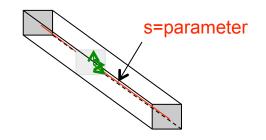
 $\mathcal{E}$  = family of non-ordered pairs of vertices (v,w) ( $n_F$  – number of edges)



#### **GEOMETRY:** defined via:

(1) 1D parameterization P<sup>i</sup> of each edge; e.g., for a straight edge between v and w:

$$\mathbf{P}^{i}(s) = \mathbf{v} + s(\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{w})/\ell_{i}$$



(2) definition of the normal and bi-normal vector functions defined at each point of the 1D net edge

#### (1) 1D parameterization of each edge of a stent:

Denote by  $e^i \in \mathscr{C}$  the i-th edge. The parameterization  $P^i$  of  $e^i$  is defined via a smooth, injective mapping

$$P^i:[0, \ell^i] \longrightarrow e^i$$

(Here: *ℓ* is the edge length, and P<sup>i</sup> is the natural parameterization, i.e., the unit length parameterization)

Stent struts lie on a (virtual) cylindrical surface, and so  $P^i$ s can be defined via a projection onto the cylindrical surface of the straight rods

#### (2) Definition of the normal and bi-normal vector functions:

 $n^{i},b^{i}$  – are smooth functions

$$n^i,b^i:[0,l^i] \rightarrow R^3$$

such that  $\forall s \in [0, l^i]$  we have  $(P^i, n^i, b^i) \in SO(3)$ 



$$t^i(s_1) = \frac{(\mathbf{P}^i)'(s_1)}{\|(\mathbf{P}^i)'(s_1)\|}, \ \mathbf{n}^i(s_1) = \frac{(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})\mathbf{P}^i(s_1)}{\|(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})\mathbf{P}^i(s_1)\|}, \ \mathbf{b}^i(s_1) = t^i(s_1) \times \mathbf{n}^i(s_1),$$

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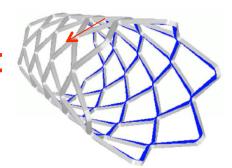
THE STENT NET DOMAIN:  $\Omega = \bigcup_{i=1}^{n_E} P^i(0, l_i)$ 

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# STENT AS A HYPERBOLIC NET: PHYSICS



#### MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF STENT STRUTS

STENT STRUTS: slender bodies —>lower dimensional theories





#### ANTMAN - COSSERAT CURVED ROD MODEL

captures: deformation of the middle line in all 3 spatial directions + rotation of the cross-sections of the curved rod

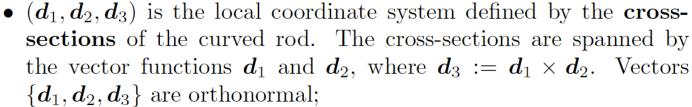
#### THE ANTMAN-COSSERAT CURVED ROD MODEL

FOR ONE STENT STRUT (ONE NET EDGE)!

$$\partial_t(\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{U})) = \partial_s(\mathbf{h}(\mathbf{U})) + \mathbf{k}(\mathbf{U}), \quad t > 0, s \in [0, l]$$

HYPERBOLIC BALANCE LAW

STATE VARIABLE:  $\mathbf{U}=(oldsymbol{d}_1,oldsymbol{d}_2,oldsymbol{d}_3,oldsymbol{u},oldsymbol{y},oldsymbol{\omega},oldsymbol{p})$  21 UNKNOWNS

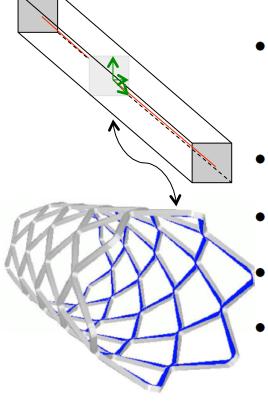


• components  $u_i$  of  $\boldsymbol{u}$  in the local basis  $\{\boldsymbol{d}_i\}$   $(\boldsymbol{u} = \sum_{i=1}^3 u_i \boldsymbol{d}_i)$  measure flexure  $(u_1 \text{ and } u_2)$ , and torsion  $(u_3)$ ;

• components  $v_i$  of  $\mathbf{y} := \partial_s \mathbf{r}$  in the local basis  $\{\mathbf{d}_i\}$   $(\mathbf{y} = \sum_{i=1}^3 v_i \mathbf{d}_i)$  measure **shear**  $(v_1 \text{ and } v_2)$ , and **dilatation**  $(v_3)$ ;

•  $\omega$ , which is defined via  $\partial_t d_i := \omega \times d_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3, is associated with angular velocity of the cross-sections of the curved rod;

•  $p := \partial_t r$  describes the **velocity of the middle line** of the curved rod.

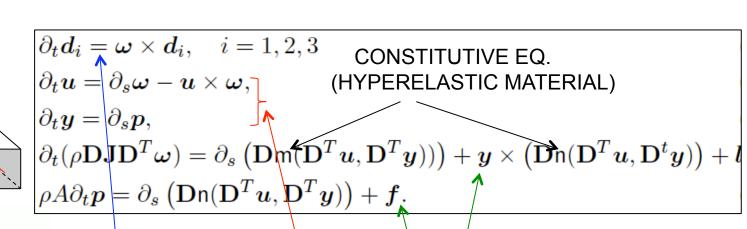


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EVOLUTION OF THE CROSS-SECTIONS

COMPATIBILITY AMONG 2ND ORDER DERIVATIVES  $y_t = r_{st} = r_{ts} = p_s$ 

BALANCE OF ANGULAR AND LINEAR MOMENTUM

#### THE ANTMAN-COSSERAT MODEL

The model is in the form

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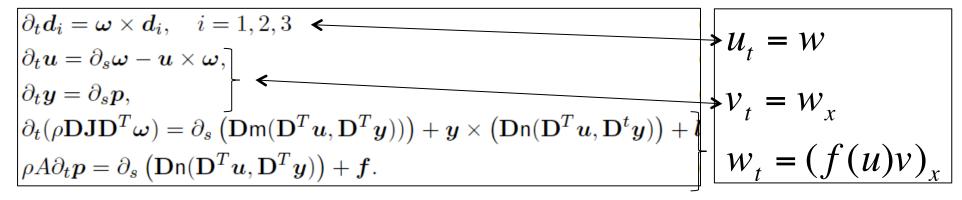
**BALANCE LAW** 

Need to verify if the model is hyperbolic.

Hyperbolic conservation laws have certain common solution properties that can be used to study solutions of hyperbolic net problems.

#### MATHEMATICAL PROPERTIES OF THE SYSTEM

#### •21 X 21 SYSTEM



HYPERBOLICITY IS ASSOCIATED WITH THE FORM OF CONSTITUTIVE EQS.

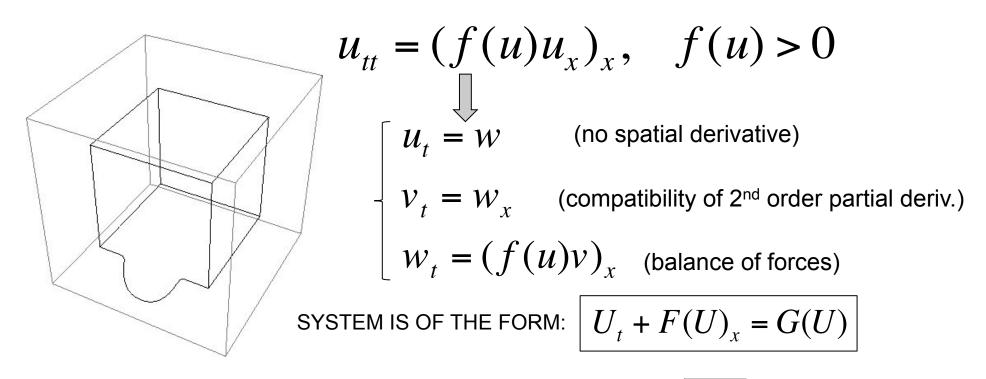
$$\nabla(m,n) := \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} \partial m/\partial u & \partial m/\partial v \\ \partial n/\partial u & \partial n/\partial v \end{array} \right] \ \ \text{POSITIVE DEFINITE} \ \Longrightarrow \ \ \text{HYPERBOLICITY}$$

•EIGENVALUES OF THE JACOBIAN: 9 ARE ZERO, 12 ARE  $\pm\sqrt{\mu_i}$  ,  $\mu_i>0$ 

Antman\*: physically reasonable hyperelastic materials have positive definite  $\nabla(m, n)$ 

\* S.S. Antman "Nonlinear problems of elasticity," Springer 2005.

## MATHEMATICAL STRUCTURE IS SIMILAR TO THE NONLINEAR WAVE EQUATION SYSTEM



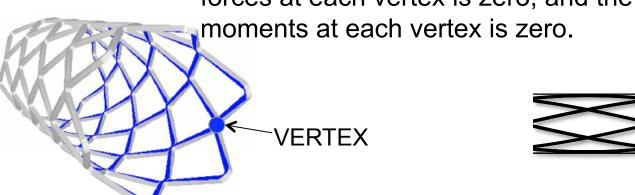
EIGENVALUE OF THE JACOBIAN F'(U):  $\lambda_0 = 0$ ,  $\lambda_{1,2} = \pm \sqrt{f(u)}$ , f(u) > 0

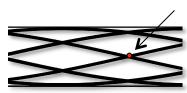
REAL EIGENVALUES: SYSTEM IS HYPERBOLIC

### THE COUPLING CONDITIONS AT NET's VERTICES

Two types of coupling conditions are physically reasonable and are consistent with the global weak formulation of the problem:

- 1. KINEMATIC COUPLING CONDITION: continuity of velocities of middle lines and of cross-sections at each vertex.
- 2. DYNAMIC COUPLING CONDITION: the sum of all contact forces at each vertex is zero, and the sum of all contact moments at each vertex is zero.

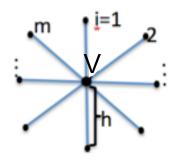




**VERTEX** 

J. Tambaca, I. Velcic, Derivation of the nonlinear bending-torsion model for a junction of elastic rods. Proceedings of the Royal Society of Edinburgh. A: Mathematics. Accepted. (justif. curved rods) Dominique Blanchard, Georges Griso, Asymptotic behavior of structures made of straight rods, Submitted. (justification; straight rods)

#### **EXAMPLE: THE NONLINEAR WAVE EQUATION**



Consider an initial-boundary value problem for the nonlinear wave equation on a simple net consisting of m edges connected at one vertex V:

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_{tt} = (f(u)u_x)_x, & f(u) > 0 \\ u(x,0) = u_0(x) \\ u_t(x,0) = u_1(x) \end{bmatrix}$$
 Initial conditions Boundary conditions at vertices  $V_1, ..., V_m$ 

(Recall: u – displacement of a vibrating string, u<sub>t</sub>- velocity)

The set of all vertices  $\mathscr{D} = \{V, V_1, ..., V_m\}$ . The set of all edges  $\mathscr{E} = \{\{V, V_1\}, ..., \{V, V_m\}\}$ .

Parameterize all the edges so that they "begin" at V, and "end" at V<sub>i</sub>:

$$P^{i}(s) = V + s(V_{i} - V)/h, \ s \in (0,h)$$

#### CONTACT CONDITIONS AT VERTEX V:

(1) THE KINEMATIC CONTACT CONDITION:  $\left[u_1 = \dots = u_m\right]$ 

(here  $\boldsymbol{\mathcal{U}}_i$  is the limiting value of  $\boldsymbol{\mathcal{U}}$  at vertex V, on  $\boldsymbol{\mathcal{e}}_i$ )

This also implies:  $(u_t)_1 = ... = (u_t)_m$  (continuity of velocity at V)

(2) THE DYNAMIC CONTACT CONDITION:

Contact force:  $f(u)u_x$ 

Sum of contact forces = 0 at V:

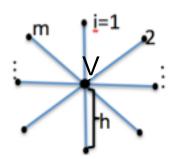
$$\sum_{\substack{edges\\i=1}}^{n_E} (f(u)u_x)_i = 0$$

#### **WEAK FORMULATION**

The problem: 
$$u_{tt} = (f(u)u_x)_x$$
, on  $e_1$ 

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$$u_{tt} = (f(u)u_x)_x$$
, on  $e_m$ 



with initial and boundary conditions defined for each  $e_i$ . Recall, the boundary conditions at V are the coupling (contact) conditions.

We multiply each equation by a test function  $\phi_i$  defined on  $e_i$ , and then sum over all the edges defining the net domain  $\Omega = \bigcup_{i=1}^{n} P^i(0,l_i)$ , where  $P^i$  is a parameterization of the edge  $e_i$ :

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n_E} \{ u_{tt} - (f(u)u_x)_x \}_i \phi_i = 0$$

$$V = \{\phi = (\phi_1,...,\phi_m) \ : \ \phi_k \in H^1([0,h]), \underline{\phi_1(0) = ... = \phi_m(0)}\}$$
 KINEMATIC COUPLING COND.

After the integration by parts:

$$\frac{d^{2}}{dt^{2}} \sum_{i=1}^{m} \int_{0}^{h} u_{i} \phi_{i} dx + \sum_{i=1}^{m} \int_{0}^{h} f(u_{i}) \partial_{x} u_{i} \partial_{x} \phi_{i} dx = \sum_{i=1}^{m} f(u_{i}(h, t)) \partial_{x} u_{i}(h, t) \phi_{i}(h) - \sum_{i=1}^{m} f(u_{i}(0, t)) \partial_{x} u_{i}(0, t) \phi_{i}(0), \quad \forall \phi = (\phi_{1}, ..., \phi_{m}) \in V.$$

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Boundry conditions at outer

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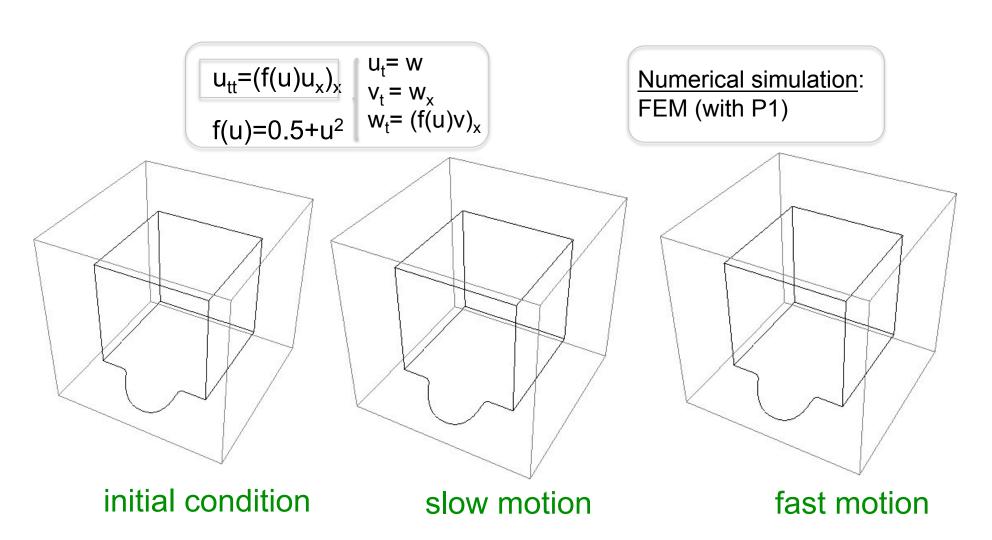
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This formulation is particularly suitable for a FEM approximation of the net problem.

## WAVE PROPAGATION IN A 3D NET MODELED BY THE NONLINEAR WAVE EQUATION



WAVE INTERACTIONS AT VERTICES FORM A MOVING BOUNDARY PROBLEM

# FINDING SMOOTH SOLUTION USING THE METHOD OF CHARACTERISTICS

The linear wave equation:  $u_{tt} = (f(x)u_x)_x$ , f(x) > 0,  $x \in \mathbb{R}, t > 0$ 

Change of variables:  $u_t = w$ ,  $u_x = v$ , obtain first-order system:

$$egin{array}{cccc} v_t &=& w_x, \ w_t &=& (f(x)v)_x \end{array}$$

System in quasilinear form:

$$\begin{pmatrix} v \\ w \end{pmatrix}_t = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ f(x) & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v \\ w \end{pmatrix}_x + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ f'(x)v \end{pmatrix}$$

Jacobian of the flux function

Eigenvalues of the Jacobian:  $\lambda_{1,2} = \pm \sqrt{f(x)}$ 

We have 2 families of characteristics:

$$rac{dx_1}{dt} = \lambda_1 = -\sqrt{f(x)}, \quad rac{dx_2}{dt} = \lambda_2 = \sqrt{f(x)}$$

Eigenvectors of the Jacobian matrix:

$$r_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \lambda_{1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -\sqrt{f(x)} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$r_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \lambda_{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \sqrt{f(x)} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$l_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} -\lambda_{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{f(x)} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad l_{1} \cdot r_{2} = 0$$

$$l_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} -\lambda_{1} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{f(x)} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad l_{2} \cdot r_{1} = 0$$

To study (smooth) solutions, we can use Riemann Invariants, or Characteristic Variables (generalizes to nonlinear 2x2 problems).

Main Idea: Diagonalize the system and find which combination of the unknown functions satisfies an ODE along the characteristics.

Start from 
$$u_t + AU_x = F$$

Multiply by a left eigenvector:  $l_i^T U_t + l_i^T A l_i l_i^T U_x = l_i F$ , i = 1, 2.

Obtain the diagonal system:  $l_i^T U_t + \lambda_i l_i^T U_x = l_i F$ , i = 1, 2.

OR:  $l_1^T U_t + \lambda_1 l_1^T U_x = l_1^T F, \\ l_2^T U_t + \lambda_2 l_2^T U_x = l_2^T F.$ 

Define:  $(w_i)_t = l_i^T U_t \ (w_i)_x = l_i^T U_x$ 

For a constant-coeff.  $(w_i)_t = l_i^T U_t = (l_i^T U)_t,$  system we have:  $(w_i)_x = l_i^T U_x = (l_i^T U)_x.$ 

Functions 
$$[w_i]$$
 satisfy:  $(w_1)_t + \lambda_1(w_1)_x = l_1^T F,$   $(w_2)_t + \lambda_2(w_2)_x = l_2^T F$ 

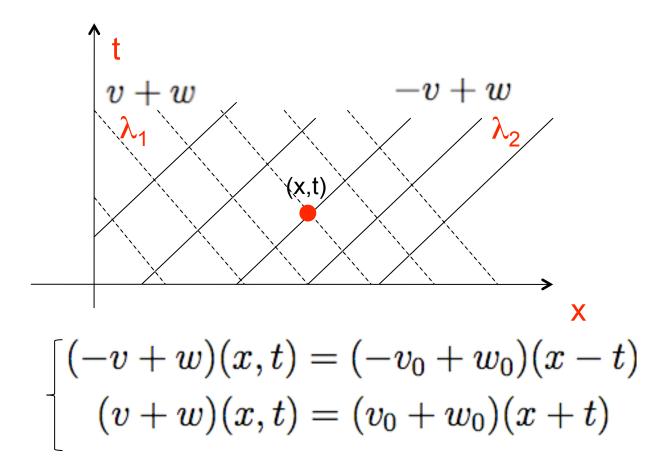
Thus, 
$$w_i$$
 satisfies an ODE:  $\frac{dw_i}{dt} = l_i^T F \text{ along } \frac{dx_i}{dt} = \lambda_i.$ 

Functions  $w_i$  are called RIEMANN INVARIANTS (CHARACTERISTIC VARIABLES).

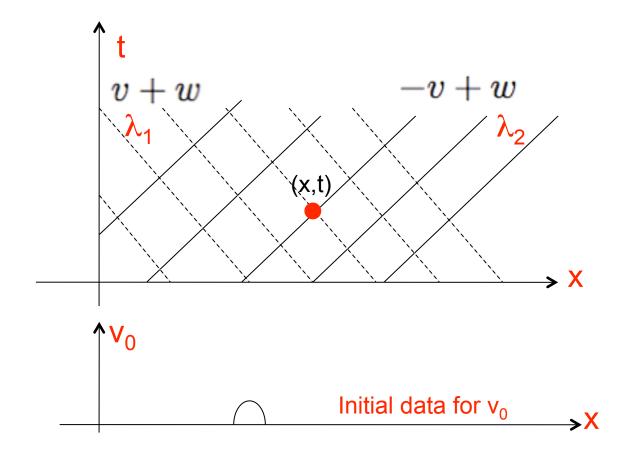
For the linear wave equation:  $w_1 = \sqrt{f(x)}v + w,$   $w_2 = -\sqrt{f(x)}v + w,$ 

When f(x) = 1: 
$$w_1 = v + w,$$
  $w_2 = -v + w$  and  $w_i$  is constant along  $\frac{dx_i}{dt} = \lambda_i$ 

## We can recover smooth solutions:

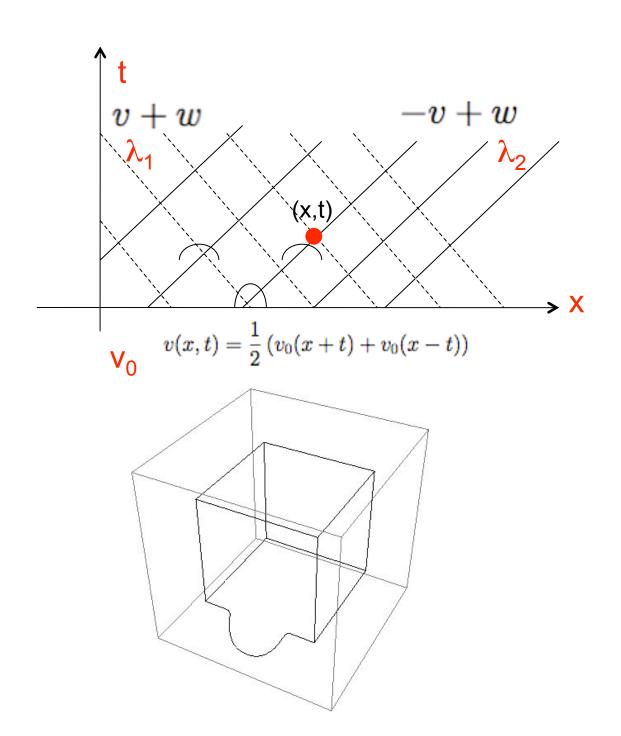


Suppose:  $w_0$  is 0

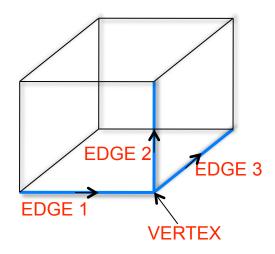


$$[(-v+w)(x,t) = (-v_0 + w_0)(x-t)$$
$$(v+w)(x,t) = (v_0 + w_0)(x+t)$$

Suppose:  $w_0$  is 0



#### INTERACTION OF WAVES WITH VERTICES



NEED TO BE ABLE TO RECOVER 6 UNKNOWNS:  $v^1, v^2, v^3, w^1, w^2, w^3$ 

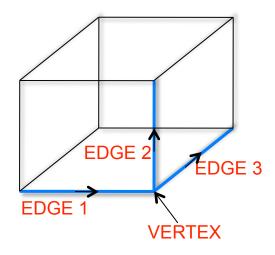
We have 3 equations from the coupling conditions:

1. Continuity of velocity: 
$$oldsymbol{w}^1 = oldsymbol{w}^2 \ oldsymbol{w}^1 = oldsymbol{w}^3$$

2. Balance of forces: 
$$v^1 = v^2 + v^3$$

NEED 3 MORE CONDITIONS TO HAVE A WELL-DEFINED PROBLEM!

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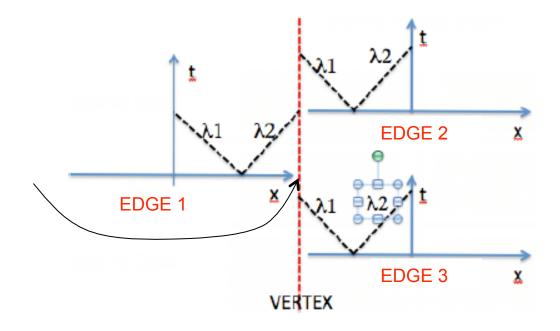
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NEED INFORMATION FROM PDE ABOUT THE WAVES COMING TO THE VERTEX.



Use Riemann Invariants along the characteristic approaching the vertex.

$$-v^{1} + w^{1} = C^{1}$$
  
 $v^{2} + w^{2} = C^{2}$   
 $v^{3} + w^{3} = C^{3}$ .

Obtain a system of 6 equations in 6 unknowns:

$$w^{1} = w^{2}$$
 $w^{1} = w^{3}$ 
 $v^{1} = v^{2} + v^{3}$ 
 $v^{1} = v^{2} + v^{3}$ 
 $-v^{1} + w^{1} = C^{1}$ 
 $v^{2} + w^{2} = C^{2}$ 
 $v^{3} + w^{3} = C^{3}$ 
 $w^{1} = w^{2} = w^{3} = 1/3(C_{1} + C_{2} + C_{3})$ 
 $v^{2} = -1/3C_{1} - +2/3C_{2} - 1/3C_{3}$ 
 $v^{3} = -1/3C_{1} - 1/3C_{2} + 2/3C_{3}$ 
 $v^{1} = -2/3C_{1} + 1/3C_{2} + 1/3C_{3}$ .

(double check the signs ©)

Nonlinear 2x2 problems with smooth solutions can be "solved" using Riemann Invariants.

Riemann Invariants do not exist for general nxn systems. Also, when shocks develop, even in 2x2 systems, Riemann Invariants cannot be used.

There is no general theory about how to construct the solutions at vertices.

One suggestion (Piccoli et al.) is to solve all possible Riemann problems at each vertex, and chose the values of the solution at the vertex so that the RP solutions only

Kinematic and dynamic

contain the waves traveling to the interior of the edge (avoids loss of information).

This approach leads to a nonlinear problem at each vertex that is not necessarily well-posed, especially for large systems, and is not easily solved numerically even when there exists a unique solution!

### Our suggestion:

## **WEAK FORMULATION**

$$\frac{d^2}{dt^2} \sum_{i=1}^m \int_0^h u_i \phi_i dx + \sum_{i=1}^m \int_0^h f(u_i) \partial_x u_i \partial_x \phi_i dx = \sum_{i=1}^m f(u_i(h,t)) \partial_x u_i(h,t) \phi_i(h)$$

$$\forall \phi = (\phi_1, ..., \phi_m) \in V.$$

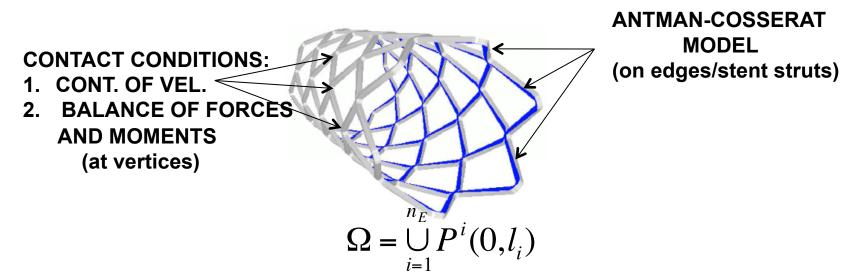
supplemented with the initial conditions

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- incorporates one coupling condition in the solution space
- enforces the other coupling condition in the weak sense
- this approach incorporates, at the same time, both the coupling condition and the information from the PDE simultaneously

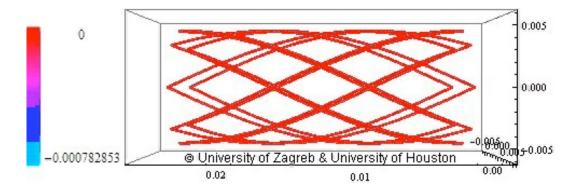
## STENT AS A HYPERBOLIC NET

Used similar ideas for the stent problem, formulated in the weak form similar to the nonlinear wave system.



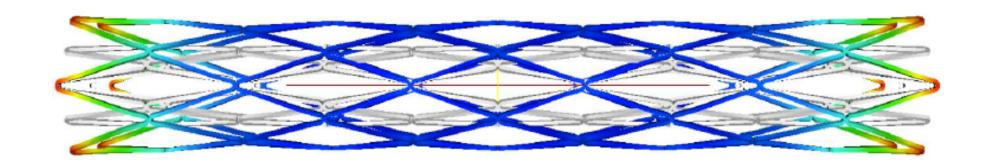
 $P^{i}$  – parameterization of edges of  $\mathscr{M} = (\mathscr{N}, \mathscr{E})$ 

Problem (example): STENT RESPONSE TO UNIFORM PRESSURE LOAD

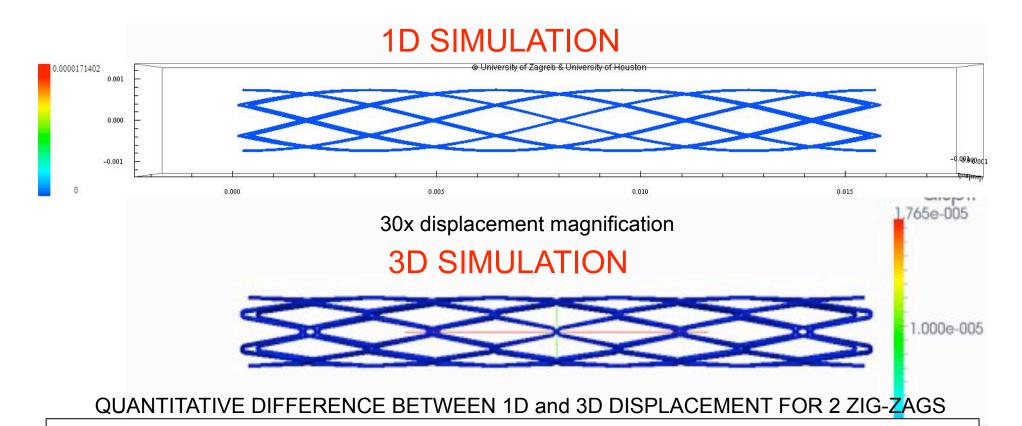


## COMPARISON WITH FULL 3D SIMULATIONS

- STATIC PROBLEM
- LINEARIZED ANTMAN-COSSERAT MODEL: small deformation of an already expanded stent
- 3D SIMULATION: FreeFem++, P2 elements; computational mesh h=1/10,...1/60.
- 1D SIMULATION: in-house FEM code in C++



## COMPARISON WITH FULL 3D SIMULATIONS

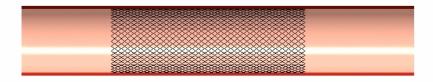


3D simulations converge with mesh refinement to 1D solution with #3D nodes: 211337 v.s. #1D nodes: 474 for 2.7% diff.

## THE REDUCED MODEL PROVIDES:

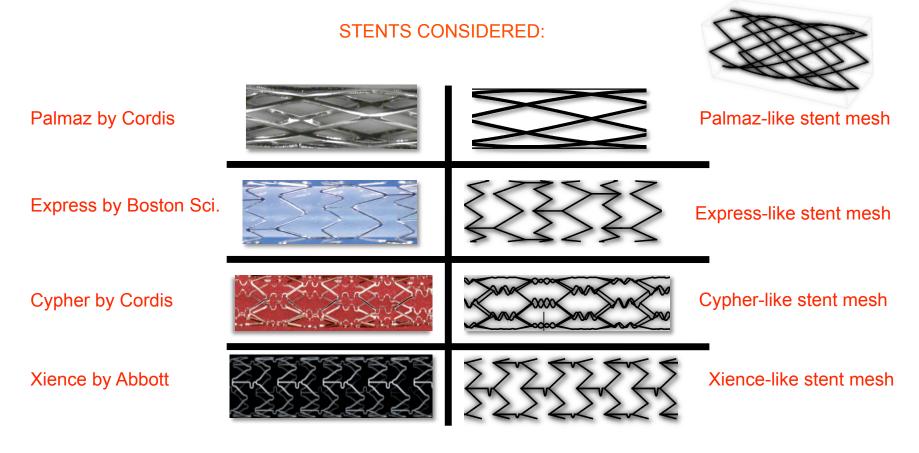


- SIGNIFICANT COMPUTATIONAL SAVINGS
- INCREASED ACURACY in DISPLACEMENT CALCULATIONS
- EFFECTIVE PRESSURE-DISPLACEMENT RELATIONSHIP FROM LEADING-ORDER ENERGY FORMULATION (IMPORTANT for NUMERICAL FLUID-STRUCTURE INTERACT. STUDIES)



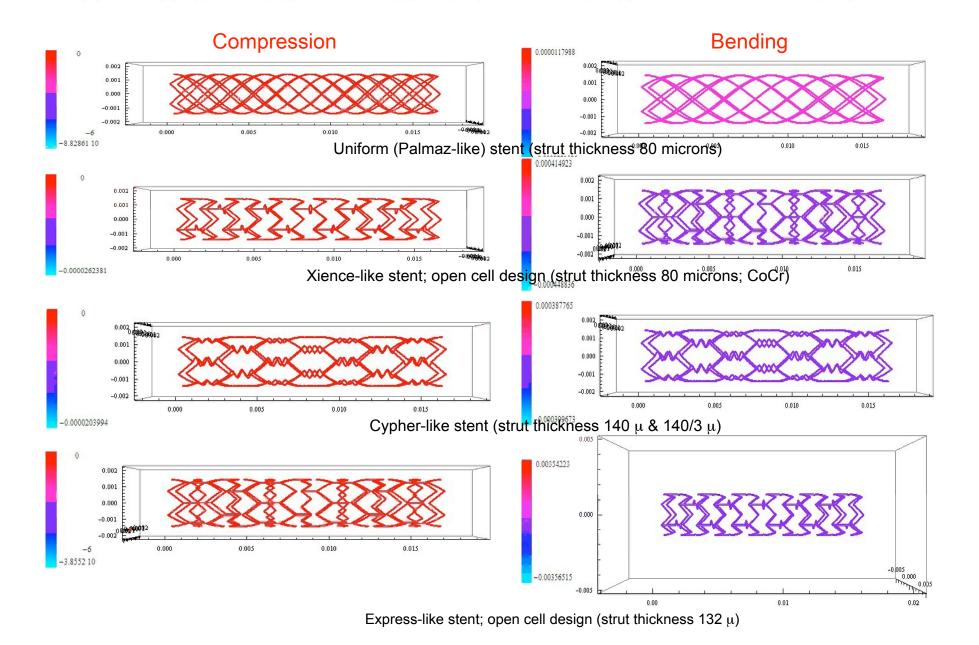
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# •CORONARY STENT RESPONSE TO COMPRESSION AND TO BENDING (DEFORMATION OF STENTS IN THEIR EXPANDED STATE)



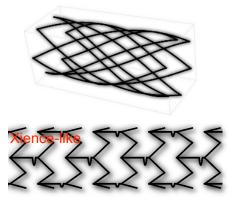
•USING THIS APPROACH: HELPED IN OPTIMAL DESIGN OF STENT FOR TRANSCATHETER AORTIC VALVE REPLACEMENT (with Private Consortium in Houston)

## Movie Gallery of Coronary Stents Exposed to Compression and Bending



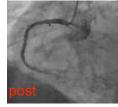
## CONCLUSIONS

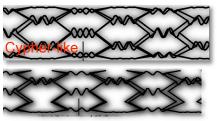
- •Palmaz-like stent is by far the hardest stent with respect to both compression and bending (should not be clinically applied in tortuous geometries [\*])
- open-cell design provides more flexibility to bending (important since longitudinal straightening effect of rigid stent has been clinically associated with increased incidence of major adverse cardiovascular events [\*])
- Express-like stent has high flexibility (bending) while keeping high radial strength (radial displacement: 0.24%) (important to avoid buckling of bent stents)
- Xience-like stent has the smallest longitudinal extension under cyclic loading ("in phase" circumferential rings; not "opposing") (clinically important when landing a stent in an "angle" area formed by a native artery)
- New design: more flexibility than Express with higher radial strength: Cypher-like stent with open-cell design











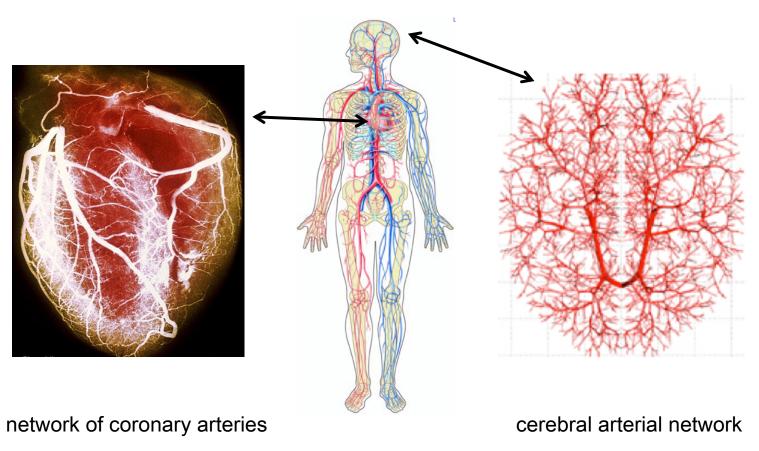
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Computer-generated Cypher-like stent with open cell design

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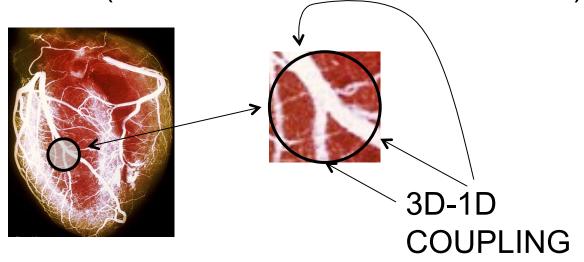
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# ARTERIAL BLOOD FLOW NETWORKS



human cardiovascular network (principal arteries)

- THE COMPLEXITY OF THE HUMAN CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM RENDERS THE NUMERICAL SIMULATION OF THE ENTIRE CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM USING FULL 3D FSI MODELS COMPUTATIONALLY PROHIBITIVE
- MULTI-SCALE APPROACHES HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED THAT COUPLE 3D SIMULATIONS OF SMALLER SEGMENTS WITH 1D SIMULATIONS OF LARGER (NETWORK) SEGMENTS (Quarteroni et al., Veneziani et al.)

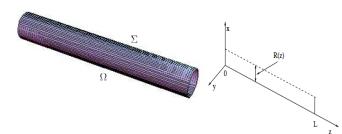


## REDUCED 1D-BASED NETWORK MODELS

- CAN MODEL "BOUNDARY CONDITIONS" FOR 3D SIMULATIONS
- CAPTURES THE FLOW OF A VISCOUS, INCOMPRESSIBLE FLUID IN A STRAIGHT VESSEL WITH SMALL ASPECT RATIO (axial velocity dominant; details to follow)
- CAPTURES THE PRESSUE AND ARTERIAL WAVE PROPAGATION IN THE VASCULAR NETWORK (e.g., study of blood pressure in elderly upon standing up Olufsen et al.)

# BASICS FOR THE 1D BLOOD FLOW MODEL IN ONE COMPLIANT, CYLINDRICAL ARTERY

#### Domain:

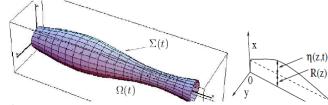


## Reference cylinder:

$$\Omega = \left\{ x = (r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : r \in (0, R(z)), \theta \in (0, 2\pi), z \in (0, L) \right\}$$
 Lateral boundary:

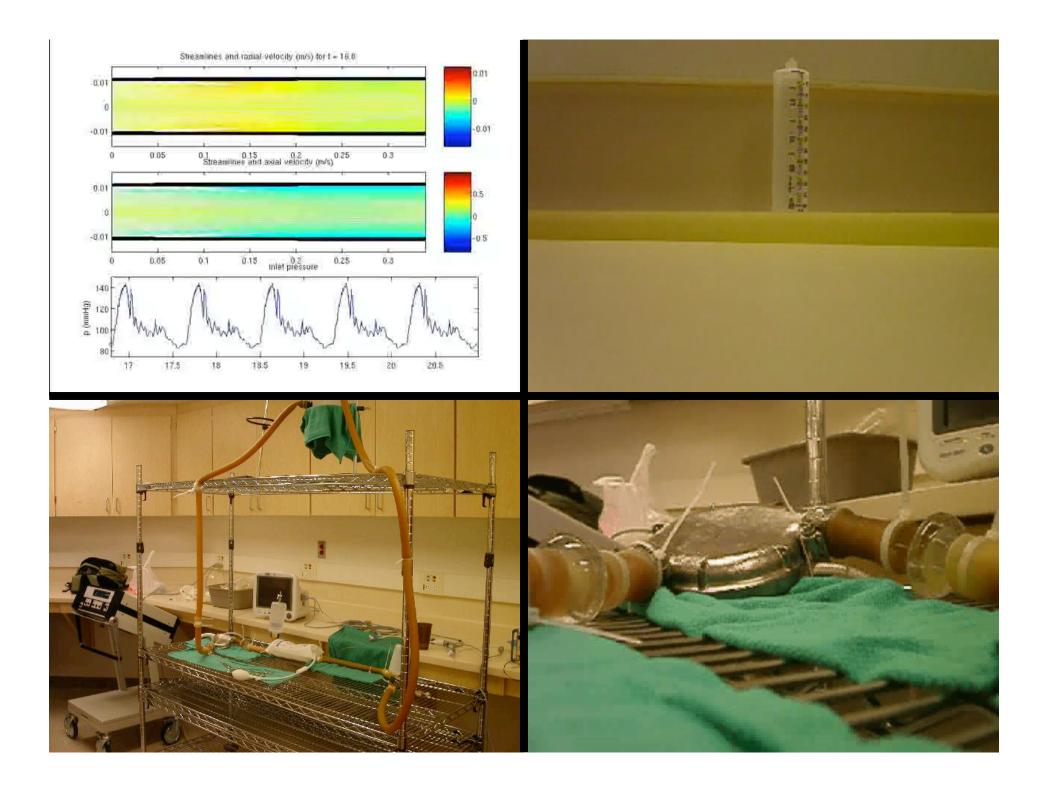
$$\Sigma = \left\{ x = (R(z)\cos\theta, R(z)\sin\theta, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \theta \in (0, 2\pi), z \in (0, L) \right\}$$

## **Deformed cylinder**:



$$\Omega(t) = \left\{ (r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta \, \big| \, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : r \in (0, R(z) + \eta(t, z)), \theta \in (0, 2\pi), z \in (0, L) \right\}$$
 Lateral boundary:

$$\Sigma(t) = \{ ((R(z) + \eta(t, z)) \cos \theta, (R(z) + \eta(t, z)) \sin \theta, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \theta \in (0, 2\pi), z \in (0, L) \}$$



## Basic assumptions (full model):

- medium-to-large arteries: blood can be modeled as a viscous, incompressible, Newtonian fluid
- models for vessel wall dynamics: elastic/viscoelastic
- only radial displacement will be taken into account
- small displacement, and small displ. gradient: linear elasticity/viscoelasticity

## Basic assumptions (dimension reduction: reduced model):

- long and narrow (slender) domain (artery): i.e., small aspect ratio ε = R/L;
- axially symmetric flow
- constant or slowly varying vessel radius

# FULL FLUID-STRUCTURE INTERACTION MODEL IN CYLINDRICAL COORDINATES

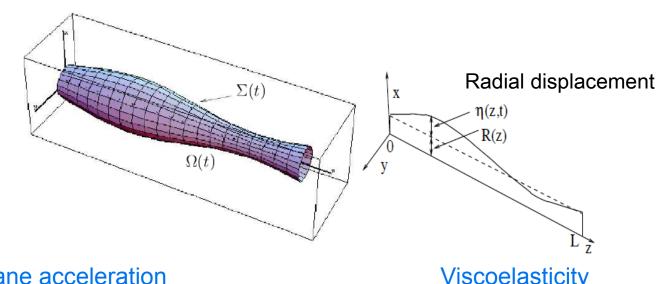
FLUID: Navier-Stokes equations for an incompressible, viscous, Newtonian fluid

$$\rho_F \left( \frac{\partial v_r}{\partial t} + v_r \frac{\partial v_r}{\partial r} + v_z \frac{\partial v_r}{\partial z} \right) + \frac{\partial p}{\partial r} = \mu \left( \frac{\partial^2 v_r}{\partial r^2} + \frac{\partial^2 v_r}{\partial z^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial v_r}{\partial r} - \frac{v_r}{r^2} \right)$$
 Balance of radial momentum 
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 Balance of axial momentum 
$$\frac{\partial v_r}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial v_z}{\partial z} + \frac{v_r}{r} = 0.$$
 Conservation of mass (incompressibility cond)

STRUCTURE: homogeneous, isotropic, linearly viscoelastic membrane (Kelvin-Voigt viscosity), displacing in radial direction only

$$f_r = h \rho_w \frac{\partial^2 \eta}{\partial t^2} + \frac{Eh}{1-\sigma^2} \frac{1}{R^2} \eta + p_{\rm ref} \frac{\eta}{R} + \frac{hC_v}{R^2} \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t} \qquad {\rm 2^{nd}\ Newton's\ Law\ of\ Motion\ (balance\ of\ forces)}$$

# FULL FLUID-STRUCTURE INTERACTION MODEL IN CYLINDRICAL COORDINATES



**Outside force** 

Membrane acceleration

Viscoelasticity

Linear elasticity Pre-stress

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2<sup>nd</sup> Newton's Law of Motion (balance of forces)

## COUPLING BETWEEN THE FLUID AND STRUCTURE

 THE KINEMATIC CONDITION: continuity of velocity at the fluidstructure interface Σ(t) (no slip)

$$v_r(R + \eta(z, t), z, t) = \frac{\partial \eta(z, t)}{\partial t}, \quad v_z(R + \eta(z, t), z, t) = 0$$

• THE DYNAMIC CONDITION: balance of contact forces at the fluidstructure interface  $\Sigma(t)$ 

$$f_r = \left[ (p - p_{\text{ref}})\mathbf{I} - 2\mu D(\boldsymbol{v}) \right] \boldsymbol{n} \cdot \boldsymbol{e}_r \left( 1 + \frac{\eta}{R} \right) \sqrt{1 + (\partial_z \eta)^2}$$

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Normal component of fluid stress Jacobian of the Eulerian-Lagrangian tranf.

#### MEMBRANE CONTACT FORCE

FLUID CONTACT FORCE

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## BENCHMARK PROBLEM IN FSI in BLOOD FLOW

#### LATERAL BOUNDARY CONDITION: COUPLING BETWEEN

FLUID AND STRUCTURE:

- 1. CONTINUITY OF VELOCITY (NO-SLIP)
- BALANCE OF CONTACT FORCE

# INLET BOUNDARY CONDITION

 $p + \rho_F v_z^2 / 2 = P_0(t) + p_{ref}$ (dynamic pressure) (normal stress)

 $\eta$  - given

$$v_r = 0$$

NAVIER-STOKES EQUATIONS FOR AN INCOMPRESSIBLE VISCOUS FLUID IN MOVING DOMAIN

$$\Omega_{\varepsilon}(t) = \{ (r\cos\theta, r\sin\theta, z) | r < R + \eta^{\varepsilon}(z, t), 0 < z < L \}$$

INITIAL CONDITIONS  $\eta^{\varepsilon} = \frac{\partial \eta^{\varepsilon}}{\partial t} = 0, \ v = 0$ 

OUTLET BOUNDARY CONDITION

$$p + \rho_F v_z^2 / 2 = P_1(t) + p_{ref}$$
  
(dynamic pressure)

(normal stress)

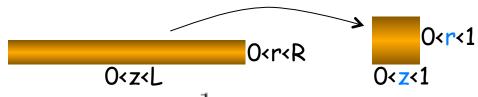
$$\eta$$
 - given

$$v_r = 0$$

## **DIMENSION REDUCTION: REDUCED MODELS**

- Introduce non-dimensional variables
- 2. Derive model in non-dimensional form
- 3. Use the fact that R/L =:  $\varepsilon$  is small
- 4. "Average" the equations across the "slender" direction (dimension reduction; problems with closure)
- 5. Write a hierarchy of equations in terms of  $\varepsilon^0$ ,  $\varepsilon^1$ ,  $\varepsilon^2$ ,...
- 6. Ignore the terms of order  $\varepsilon^2$  and smaller
- 7. Derive the reduced equations that approximate the full problem to  $\varepsilon^2$  accuracy
- 8. Prove that as ε goes to 0, the full model "converges" to the reduced model (error estimates)

## THE NON-DIMENSIONAL PROBLEM



#### THE NON-DIMENSIONAL VARIABLES:

- the independent variables  $\qquad r=R\tilde{r}, \quad z=L\tilde{z}, \quad t=\frac{1}{\omega}\tilde{t}$
- the dependent variables  ${m v}=V ilde{m v}, \ \eta=\Xi ilde{\eta} \ {
  m and} \ p=\rho_F V^2 ilde{p}$

ASYMPTOTIC EXPANSIONS: 
$$\boldsymbol{v} = V \left\{ \tilde{\boldsymbol{v}}^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{\boldsymbol{v}}^1 + \cdots \right\}$$

$$\eta = \Xi \left\{ \tilde{\eta}^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{\eta}^1 + \cdots \right\}$$

$$p = \rho_F V^2 \left\{ \tilde{p}^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{p}^1 + \cdots \right\}$$

Plug into the Navier-Stokes equations and ignore the terms of order  $\varepsilon^2$  or smaller.

### Energy estimates imply:

$$\omega = \frac{1}{L} \sqrt{\frac{1}{\rho_F} \left( \frac{hE}{R(1 - \sigma^2)} + p_{\text{ref}} \right)} \qquad 2V = \frac{\mathcal{P}}{\sqrt{\rho_F}} \left( \frac{hE}{R(1 - \sigma^2)} + p_{\text{ref}} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \qquad 2\Xi = \mathcal{P}R \left( \frac{hE}{R(1 - \sigma^2)} + p_{\text{ref}} \right)^{-1}$$

# **ENERGY**

$$\frac{\rho}{2} \frac{d}{dt} \int_{\Omega(t)}^{2} \left|v\right|^{2} dx + \frac{\pi R}{2} \rho_{s} h \frac{d}{dt} \int_{0}^{L} \left|\frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t}\right|^{2} dz + \frac{d}{dt} E(t) + V_{s}(t) + V_{f}(t) = W_{in}(t) - W_{out}(t).$$

#### where

$$E(t) = \frac{\pi R}{2} \int_{0}^{L} C_{0} |\eta| + C_{1} \left| \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial z} \right|^{2} + C_{2} \left| \frac{\partial^{2} \eta}{\partial z^{2}} \right|^{2} dz, \quad V_{s}(t) = \pi R \int_{0}^{L} D_{0} \left| \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t} \right|^{2} + D_{1} \left| \frac{\partial^{2} \eta}{\partial t \partial z} \right|^{2} + D_{2} \left| \frac{\partial^{3} \eta}{\partial t \partial z^{2}} \right|^{2} dz, \quad V_{f}(t) = 2\mu \|D(v)\|_{L^{2}(\Omega(t))}^{2},$$

$$W_{in}(t) = \int_{0}^{R} P_{1}(t) v_{z}|_{z=0} r dr, \quad W_{out}(t) = \int_{0}^{R} P_{2}(t) v_{z}|_{z=L} r dr.$$

#### A PRIORI ESTIMATES (when inertial forces dominate viscous forces)

$$\frac{1}{L} \| \eta^{\varepsilon}(t) \|_{L^{2}}^{2} \le 4R^{2} \frac{R^{2}(1 - \sigma^{2})^{2}}{h^{2}E^{2}} \frac{1}{B^{2}} P^{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\pi R^{2}L} \| u^{\varepsilon}(t) \|_{L^{2}}^{2} \le \frac{4}{\rho} \frac{R(1 - \sigma^{2})}{hE} \frac{1}{B} P^{2}$$

$$10\% \text{ of } R$$

## THE ε<sup>2</sup> APPROX. OF THE NAVIER-STOKES EQS IN NON-DIMENSIONAL FORM

$$\left( \operatorname{Sh} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \tilde{v}_{z} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \tilde{v}_{r} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{r}} + \frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{z}} \right) = \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}} \left\{ \frac{1}{\tilde{r}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{r}} \left( \tilde{r} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{r}} \right) \right\},$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{r}} \left( \tilde{r} \tilde{v}_{r} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} \left( \tilde{r} \tilde{v}_{z} \right) = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{r}} = 0.$$

Here  $\tilde{v}_r := \tilde{v}_r^1 + \varepsilon \tilde{v}_r^2$  so that  $v_r^{\varepsilon} = \varepsilon V (\tilde{v}_r + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2))$ ,  $\tilde{v}_z := \tilde{v}_z^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{v}_z^1$  so that  $v_z^{\varepsilon} = V (\tilde{v}_z + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2))$ ,  $\tilde{p} := \tilde{p}^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{p}^1$  so that  $p^{\varepsilon} = \rho_F V^2 (\tilde{p} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2))$  and  $\tilde{\eta} := \tilde{\eta}^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{\eta}^1$  so that  $\eta^{\varepsilon} = \Xi (\tilde{\eta} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2))$ . The Strouhal and the Reynolds numbers are given by

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 RATIO OF INERTIAL FORCES TO VISCOUS FORCES

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$$\omega = \frac{1}{L} \sqrt{\frac{1}{\rho_F} \left( \frac{hE}{R(1-\sigma^2)} + p_{\rm ref} \right)}$$
 oscillation frequency or vortex shedding frequency 
$$Sh = \frac{L\omega}{V} \quad \text{and} \quad Re = \frac{\rho_F V R^2}{\mu L}.$$

### **REMARKS:**

- leading-order balance of radial momentum implies hydrostatic pressure, i.e., p = p(z,t).
- leading order balance of axial momentum implies that viscous effects in the axial direction are negligible
- leading order conservation of mass implies that the axial component of the velocity is dominant of the radial velocity, i.e.,  $\tilde{v}_r^0 = 0$ , so that

$$v_r = V(\varepsilon \tilde{v}_r^1 + \varepsilon^2 \tilde{v}_r^2 + ...) = \varepsilon V(\tilde{v}_r^1 + \varepsilon \tilde{v}_r^2 + ...)$$
 while 
$$v_z = V(\tilde{v}_z^0 + \varepsilon \tilde{v}_z^1 + ...)$$
 so that 
$$\frac{v_r}{v_z} = \varepsilon$$

# THE ε<sup>2</sup> APPROX. OF THE BOUNDARY CONDITIONS IN NON-DIMENSIONAL FORM

#### THE LATERAL BOUNDARY CONDITIONS:

$$\tilde{p} - \tilde{p}_{\text{ref}} = \frac{1}{\rho_F V^2} \left\{ \left( \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} + p_{\text{ref}} \right) \frac{\Xi}{R} \tilde{\eta} + \frac{h}{R} C_v \omega \frac{\Xi}{R} \frac{\partial \tilde{\eta}}{\partial \tilde{t}} \right\}$$

$$(\tilde{v}_r, \tilde{v}_z)|_{(1,\tilde{z},\tilde{t})} = \left( \frac{\partial \tilde{\eta}}{\partial \tilde{t}}|_{(\tilde{z},\tilde{t})}, 0 \right)$$

#### **INITIAL DATA:**

$$\tilde{\boldsymbol{v}}|_{(\tilde{r},\tilde{z},0)} = 0, \ \tilde{\eta}|_{(\tilde{z},0)} = 0$$

#### **INLET/OUTLET BOUNDARY DATA:**

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{\eta}|_{(z=0/L,\tilde{t})} = 0, \ \tilde{p}|_{(z=0/L,\tilde{t})} = \frac{(P_{0/L}(\tilde{t}) + p_{\text{ref}})}{\rho_F V^2}, \\ \tilde{v}_{\tilde{r}}|_{(1,z=0/L,\tilde{t})} = 0. \end{cases}$$

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Dominant fluid stress: normal stress

Membrane acceleration drops out

# THE $\varepsilon^2$ APPROX. OF THE BOUNDARY CONDITIONS IN NON-DIMENSIONAL FORM

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$$(\tilde{v}_r, \tilde{v}_z)|_{(1,\tilde{z},\tilde{t})} = \left( \frac{\partial \tilde{\eta}}{\partial \tilde{t}}|_{(\tilde{z},\tilde{t})}, 0 \right)$$

#### **INITIAL DATA:**

$$\tilde{\boldsymbol{v}}|_{(\tilde{r},\tilde{z},0)}=0, \quad \tilde{\eta}|_{(\tilde{z},0)}=0 \quad \text{Initial condition for membrane velocity drops out.}$$

velocity drops out.

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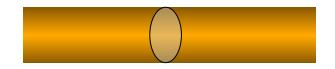
## THE $\varepsilon^2$ APPROX. OF THE FSI PROBLEM

$$\begin{aligned}
\operatorname{Sh} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \tilde{v}_{z} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{z}} + \tilde{v}_{r} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{r}} + \frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{z}} &= \frac{1}{\operatorname{Re}} \left\{ \frac{1}{\tilde{r}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{r}} \left( \tilde{r} \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_{z}}{\partial \tilde{r}} \right) \right\}, \\
\frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{r}} \left( \tilde{r} \tilde{v}_{r} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} \left( \tilde{r} \tilde{v}_{z} \right) &= 0, \\
\frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{r}} &= 0.
\end{aligned}$$

DATA:

$$\begin{cases}
\tilde{p} - \tilde{p}_{\text{ref}} = \frac{1}{\rho_F V^2} \left\{ \left( \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} + p_{\text{ref}} \right) \frac{\Xi}{R} \tilde{\eta} + \frac{h}{R} C_v \omega \frac{\Xi}{R} \frac{\partial \tilde{\eta}}{\partial \tilde{t}} \right\} \\
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\tilde{v}_{\tilde{r}}|_{(1,z=0/L,\tilde{t})} = 0. \\
\tilde{\boldsymbol{v}}|_{(\tilde{r},\tilde{z},0)} = 0, \ \tilde{\eta}|_{(\tilde{z},0)} = 0
\end{cases}$$

## **DIMENSION REDUCTION**



Average over the cross-section

#### **DEFINE:**

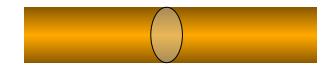
$$\tilde{A} = (1 + \frac{\Xi}{R}\tilde{\eta})^2 ; \tilde{U} = \frac{2}{\tilde{A}} \int_0^{1 + \frac{\Xi}{R}\tilde{\eta}} \tilde{v}_z \tilde{r} d\tilde{r} ; \tilde{\alpha} = \frac{2}{\tilde{A}\tilde{U}^2} \int_0^{1 + \frac{\Xi}{R}\tilde{\eta}} \tilde{v}_z^2 \tilde{r} d\tilde{r}; \tilde{m} = \tilde{A}\tilde{U}$$

# OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING 1D REDUCED MODEL FOR $ilde{A}$ and $ilde{m}$ :

$$\frac{\partial \tilde{A}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \frac{\Xi}{R} \frac{\partial \tilde{m}}{\partial \tilde{z}} = 0,$$

$$Sh \frac{\partial \tilde{m}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} \left( \tilde{\alpha} \frac{\tilde{m}^2}{\tilde{A}} \right) + \tilde{A} \frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{z}} = \frac{2}{Re} \sqrt{\tilde{A}} \left[ \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_z}{\partial \tilde{r}} \right]_{\tilde{\Sigma}}.$$

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OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING 1D REDUCED MODEL FOR  $ilde{A}$  and  $ilde{m}$  :

**BALANCE OF RADIAL MOMENTUM** 

**BALANCE OF AXIAL MOMENTUM** 

$$\frac{\partial \tilde{A}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \frac{\Xi}{R} \frac{\partial \tilde{m}}{\partial \tilde{z}} = 0,$$

$$Sh \frac{\partial \tilde{m}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} \left( \tilde{\alpha} \frac{\tilde{m}^2}{\tilde{A}} \right) + \tilde{A} \frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{z}} \right) = \frac{2}{Re} \sqrt{\tilde{A}} \left[ \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_z}{\partial \tilde{r}} \right]_{\tilde{\Sigma}}.$$

The dynamic coupling condition is used to determine the pressure p = p(A,m):

$$\tilde{p} - \tilde{p}_{\text{ref}} = \frac{1}{\rho_F V^2} \left\{ \left( \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} + p_{\text{ref}} \right) \frac{\Xi}{R} \tilde{\eta} + \frac{h}{R} C_v \omega \frac{\Xi}{R} \frac{\partial \tilde{\eta}}{\partial \tilde{t}} \right\}$$

$$p = p_{\text{ref}} + \left(\frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} + p_{\text{ref}}\right) \left(\sqrt{\frac{A}{A_0}} - 1\right) + \frac{hC_v}{R} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\sqrt{\frac{A}{A_0}}\right)$$

#### Linear, viscoelastic membrane

$$p = p_{\text{ref}} + \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} \left( \sqrt{\frac{A}{A_0}} - 1 \right)$$

Linear, elastic membrane (Law of Laplace)

$$\begin{split} \int \frac{\partial \tilde{A}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \frac{\Xi}{R} \frac{\partial \tilde{m}}{\partial \tilde{z}} &= 0, \\ Sh \frac{\partial \tilde{m}}{\partial \tilde{t}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial \tilde{z}} \left( \tilde{\alpha} \frac{\tilde{m}^2}{\tilde{A}} \right) + \tilde{A} \frac{\partial \tilde{p}}{\partial \tilde{z}} &= \frac{2}{Re} \sqrt{\tilde{A}} \left( \frac{\partial \tilde{v}_z}{\partial \tilde{r}} \right) \\ p &= p_{\text{ref}} + \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} \left( \sqrt{\frac{A}{A_0}} - 1 \right) \end{split}.$$

## THIS SYSTEM IS NOT CLOSED!

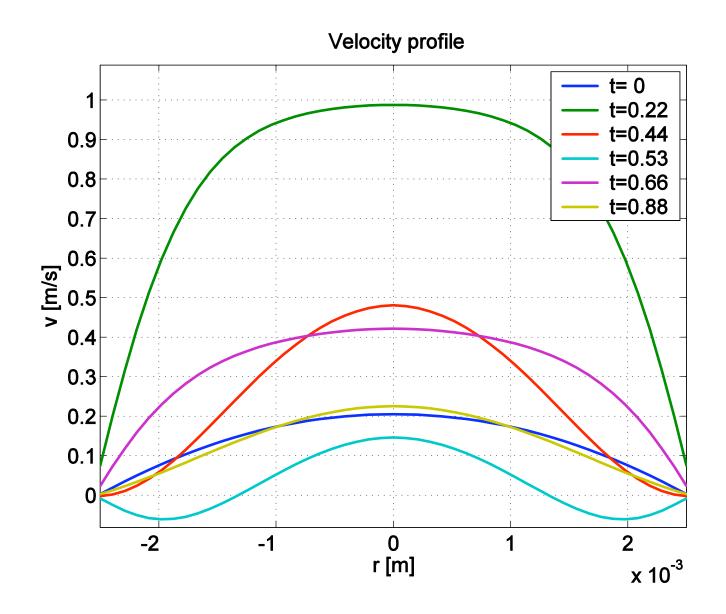
To close the system, the dependence of  $v_7$  on r needs to be prescribed:

$$\tilde{v}_z(\tilde{r}, \tilde{z}, \tilde{t}) = \frac{\gamma + 2}{\gamma} \tilde{U}(\tilde{z}, \tilde{t}) \left( 1 - \left( \frac{\tilde{r}}{1 + \frac{\Xi}{R} \tilde{\eta}(\tilde{z}, \tilde{t})} \right)^{\gamma} \right)$$

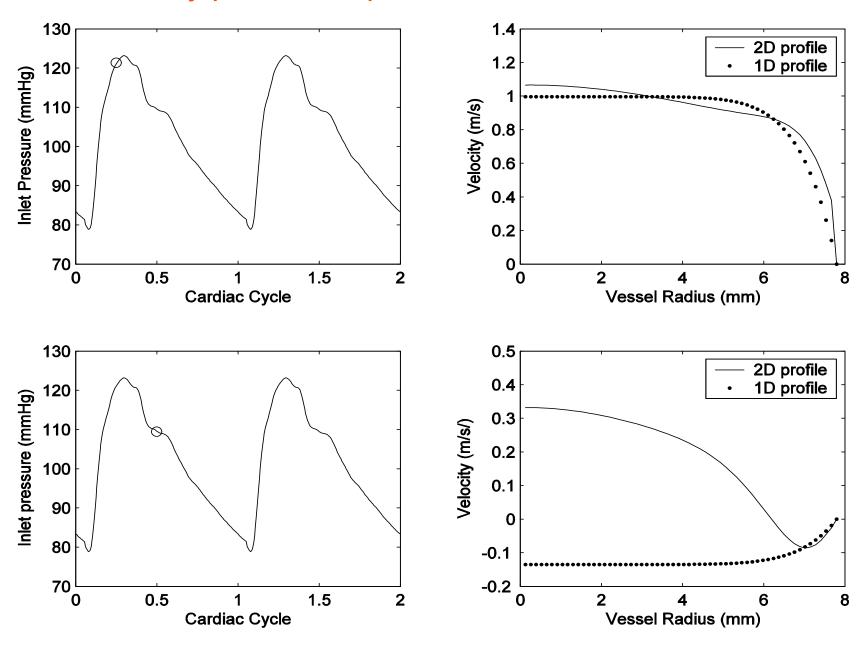
 $\gamma$ =2 : quadratic velocity profile (Poiseuille profile)( $\alpha$ =4/3)

 $\gamma$ =9 : "plug" velocity profile ( $\alpha$ =1.1)

$$\gamma=2$$



# Axial velocity profile comparison between 1D and Full model



## THE REDUCED 1D MODEL IN DIMENSIONAL FORM

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial A}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial m}{\partial z} &= 0, \\ \frac{\partial m}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(\alpha \frac{m^2}{A}\right) + \frac{A}{\rho_F} \frac{\partial p}{\partial z} &= -\frac{2\mu}{\rho_F} (\gamma + 2) \frac{m}{A}. \\ p &= p_{\rm ref} + \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} \left(\sqrt{\frac{A}{A_0}} - 1\right) \\ \text{(LINEARLY ELASTIC)} \end{split}$$

Hunt and Timlake, T. Hughes, A. Quarteroni et al, A. Veneziani, A. Robertson, M. Olufsen et al, Y.C., Fung, Keener and Snyd, S. Canic et al.

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# This reduced model holds under the following assumptions:

- (1) The domain is cylindrical with small aspect ratio  $\varepsilon = R_{\text{max}}/L$ .
- (2) Longitudinal displacement is negligible.
- (3) Radial displacement is not too large, i.e.,  $\delta := \Xi/R \le \varepsilon$ .
- (4) The reference tube radius varies slowly:  $R'(z) \leq \epsilon$
- (5) The Reynolds number Re is small to medium (Re  $\approx$  800).
- (6) The z-derivatives of the non-dimensional quantities are O(1) (not too large).

### MATHEMATICAL PROPERTIES OF THE 1D MODEL

$$\frac{\partial A}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial m}{\partial z} = 0,$$

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$$p = p_{\text{ref}} + \frac{Eh}{(1 - \sigma^2)R} \left(\sqrt{\frac{A}{A_0}} - 1\right)$$

#### SYSTEM IN QUASILINEAR FORM:

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_t \\ m_t \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\alpha \frac{m^2}{A^2} + \frac{1}{\rho} A p'(A) & 2\alpha \frac{m}{A} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_x \\ m_x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2\frac{\alpha}{\alpha - 1} \nu \frac{m}{A} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U_t + F'(U)U_x = G(U)$$

#### EIGENVALUES OF THE JACOBIAN F'(U):

$$\lambda = \alpha \frac{m}{A} - \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{4\alpha^2 \frac{m^2}{A^2} + \frac{4}{\rho} p'(A) - 4\alpha \frac{m^2}{A^2}}, \quad \mu = \alpha \frac{m}{A} + \sqrt{4\alpha^2 \frac{m^2}{A^2} + \frac{4}{\rho} p'(A) - 4\alpha \frac{m^2}{A^2}}$$

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If 
$$4\alpha^2 \frac{m^2}{A^2} + \frac{4}{\rho} p'(A) - 4\alpha \frac{m^2}{A^2}$$
 >=0, the system would be hyperbolic.

THE SIGN OF 
$$4\alpha^2\frac{m^2}{A^2}+\frac{4}{\rho}p'(A)-4\alpha\frac{m^2}{A^2}$$

For  $\alpha$ =1 (plug flow): P'(A)>0 implies that the discriminant is positive

For  $\alpha$ =4/3 (Poiseuille): P'(A) is dominant over the remaining terms because of the Youngs modulus of elasticity = O(10<sup>5</sup>) Pa >> U=O(1)



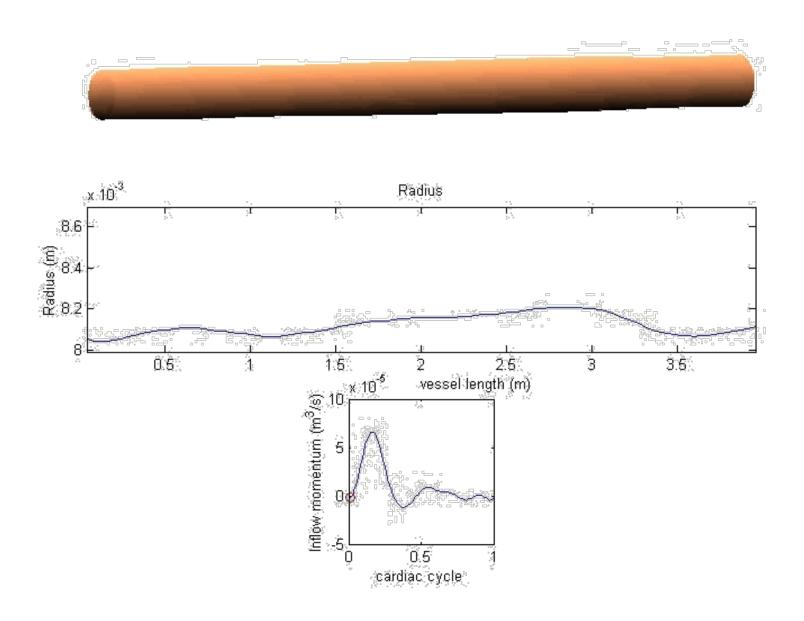
The system is strictly hyperbolic (two real, distinct eigenvalues)

## CONSEQUENCES

- The system is nonlinear and hyperbolic. This implies that solutions can exhibit shock waves in A, and/or m.
- -Shock waves can be interpreted as sharp pressure/velocity wave fronts. Those are not physiologically observed in healthy humans. Sharp pressure waves can be heard through a stethoscope in patients with aortic insufficiency.
- Mathematical analysis of shock wave formation in this model\* shows that for the inlet and outlet pressure data that corresponds to healthy humans, the first time the shock waves form for this model is 3 meters away from the heart!
- Mathematical analysis and numerical simulation also showed that for patients with aortic insufficiency, the shock wave generated by this model occurs within 15 cm away from the heart.

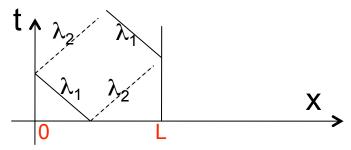
<sup>\*</sup>Canic , S. and E. H. Kim. Mathematical Analysis of the Quasilinear Effects in a Hyperbolic Model of Blood Flow through Compliant Axisymmetric Vessels, *Mathematical Methods in Applied Sciences*, 26 (14) (2003), 1161-1186.

# 1D Model: Shock Formation



## CONSEQUENCES

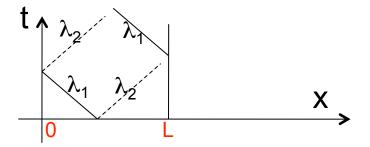
- Boundary conditions: the structure of characteristics determines which boundary conditions give rise to a well-defined problem.
- -The eigenvalues have opposite signs. This implies that we have two families of characteristics: one with positive slope, and one with negative slope.



-This means that 2 pieces of boundary data need to be prescribed: one at the left boundary, and one at the right boundary. So, a well-defined problem would have, say, pressure prescribed at both ends (displacement), or flow rate at both ends, or a combination of pressure and flow rate at each end (Riemann invariants).

## CONSEQUENCES

- Hyperbolicity implies that traveling waves will reflect from the outlet and inlet of the tube if Dirichlet data are prescribed.
  - These reflected waves contaminate the physiological flow.



- Prescribing "transparent" outlet boundary conditions can minimize the presence of spurious reflected waves.

# A REDUCED MODEL WITHOUT AN AD-HOC CLOSURE Canic & Mikelic et al.

By using homogenization theory and energy estimates one obtains\*:

• an approximation to the zero-th order in terms of  $v_z^{\ 0}$  and  $\eta^0$  where

$$V_z = V_z^0 + \varepsilon V_z^1 + O(\varepsilon^2), \eta = \eta^0 + \varepsilon \eta^1 + O(\varepsilon^2)$$

• an  $\epsilon$ -correction in terms of  $v_z^1$  and  $\eta^1$ .

Homogenization provided the correct scaling that enabled the derivation Of a close model that approximates the original problem to the  $\epsilon^2$ -accuracy.

The 0<sup>th</sup> –order solution plus the  $\varepsilon$ -correction solution satisfy the original problem to the  $\varepsilon^2$  accuracy\*.

Canic and Mikelic. Effective equations modeling the flow of a viscous incompressible fluid through a long elastic tube arising in the study of blood flow through small arteries. SIAM Journal on Applied Dynamical Systems 2(3) (2003) 431-463.

Canic , S. A. Mikelic, and D. Lamponi, and J. Tambaca. Self-Consistent Effective Equations Modeling Blood Flow in Medium-to-Large Compliant Arteries. *SIAM J. Multiscale Analysis and Simulation 3(3) (2005) 559-596.* 

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# THE REDUCED EQUATIONS

 $\varepsilon = \frac{R}{I} << 1$ , Re moderate

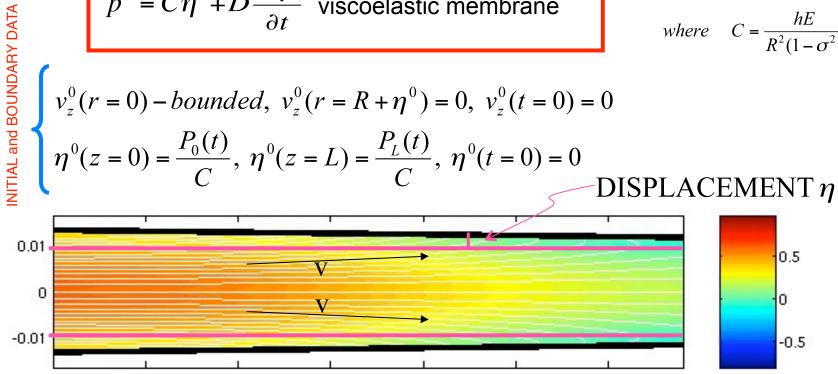
<u>Oth-order approximation</u>:  $v_r^0 = 0$  and  $(v_z^0, \eta^0)$  satisfy

$$(R+\eta^0)\frac{\partial\eta^0}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\int_0^{R+\eta^0} 2rv_z^0 dr = 0 \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{nonlinear} \\ \text{transport} \end{array}$$
 
$$\rho\frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial t} - \mu\frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\bigg(r\frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial r}\bigg) = -\frac{\partial p^0}{\partial z} \quad \text{degenerate} \\ \tilde{p}^0 = C\eta^0 + D\frac{\partial\eta^0}{\partial t} \quad \text{viscoelastic membrane}$$

NOTE: nonlinearity due to the fluid-structure coupling dominates the nonlinearity of fluid advection.

Biot (1956), Mikelic (2002) Sanchez-Palencia (1980) Camassa (2002) Canic et al. (2005)(2006)

where 
$$C = \frac{hE}{R^2(1-\sigma^2)}$$



# THE REDUCED EQUATIONS

 $\varepsilon = \frac{R}{L} \ll 1$ , Re moderate

The ε-correction: correction for the velocity:  $v_r^1(r,z,t)$  and  $v_z^1(r,z,t)$ 

#### 1. Recover:

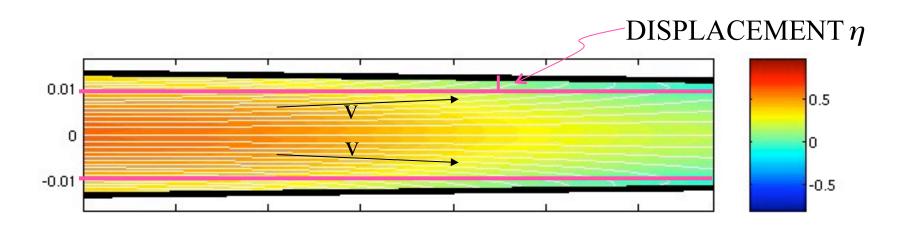
$$rv_r^1(r,z,t) = (R+\eta^0)\frac{\partial\eta^0}{\partial t} + \int_r^{R+\eta^0} \frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial z}(\xi,z,t) \,\xi \,d\xi$$

2. Solve linear fixed-boundary problem:

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial v_z^1}{\partial t} - \nu \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r \frac{\partial v_z^1}{\partial r} \right) &= -S_{v_z^1}(r,z,t) \\ v_z^1(0,z,t) \text{ bounded}, \ v_z^1(R + \eta^0(z,t),z,t) &= 0 \\ v_z^1(r,0,t) &= v_z^1(r,L,t) &= 0 \quad \text{and} \quad v_z^1(r,z,0) &= 0 \end{split}$$

where

$$S_{v_z^1}(r,z,t) = v_r^1 \frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial r} + v_z^0 \frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial z}.$$



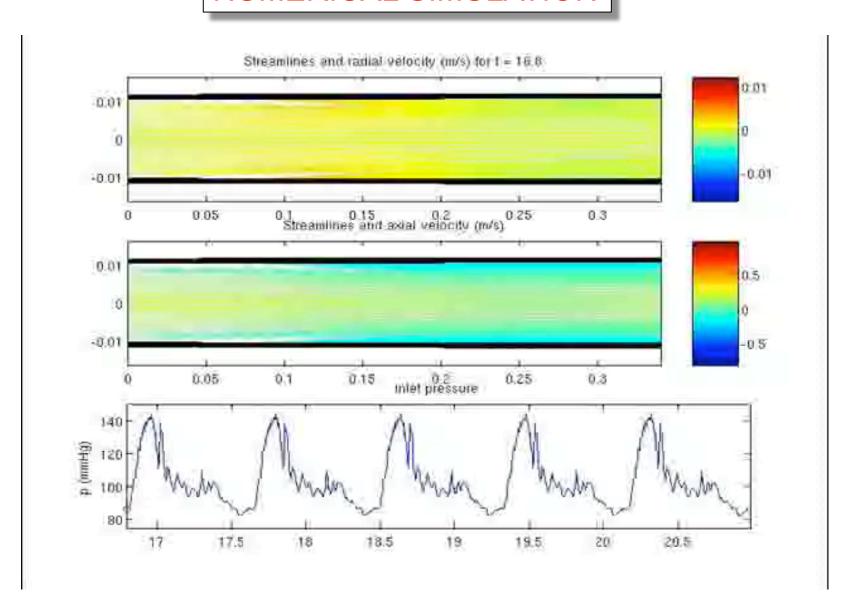
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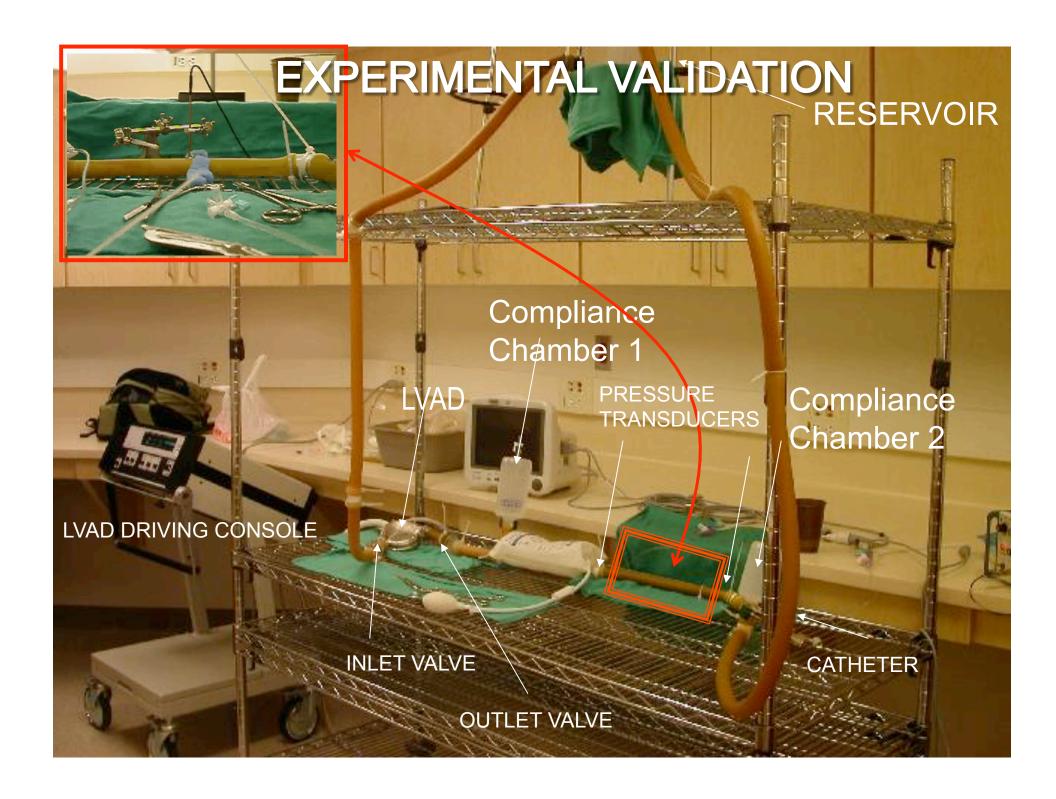
$$(R+\eta^0)\frac{\partial\eta^0}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z}\int_0^{R+\eta^0} 2rv_z^0 dr = 0 \quad \text{nonlinear transport}$$
 
$$\rho\frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial t} - \mu\frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial}{\partial r}\left(r\frac{\partial v_z^0}{\partial r}\right) = -\frac{\partial p^0}{\partial z} \quad \text{degenerate diffusion}$$
 
$$\tilde{p}^0 = C\eta^0 + D\frac{\partial\eta^0}{\partial t} \quad \text{viscoelastic membrane}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_z^0(r=0) - bounded, \ v_z^0(r=R+\eta^0) = 0, \ v_z^0(t=0) = 0 \\ \eta^0(z=0) = \frac{P_0(t)}{C}, \ \eta^0(z=L) = \frac{P_L(t)}{C}, \ \eta^0(t=0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

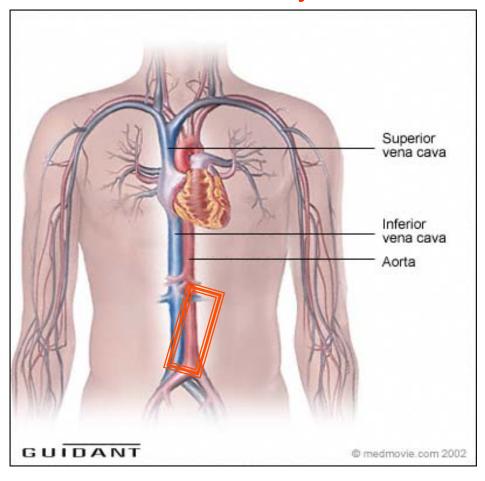
- NONLINEAR MOVING BOUNDARY PROBLEM
- 2 SPATIAL DIMENSIONS (r,z) and TIME t
- BUT, THE DIMENSIONS ARE "SPLIT" SO THAT NUMERICALLY AND ANALYTICALLY, 1D TECHNIQUES APPLY!
- THIS IS WHY WE WILL SAY THAT THIS MODEL IS 1.5 D

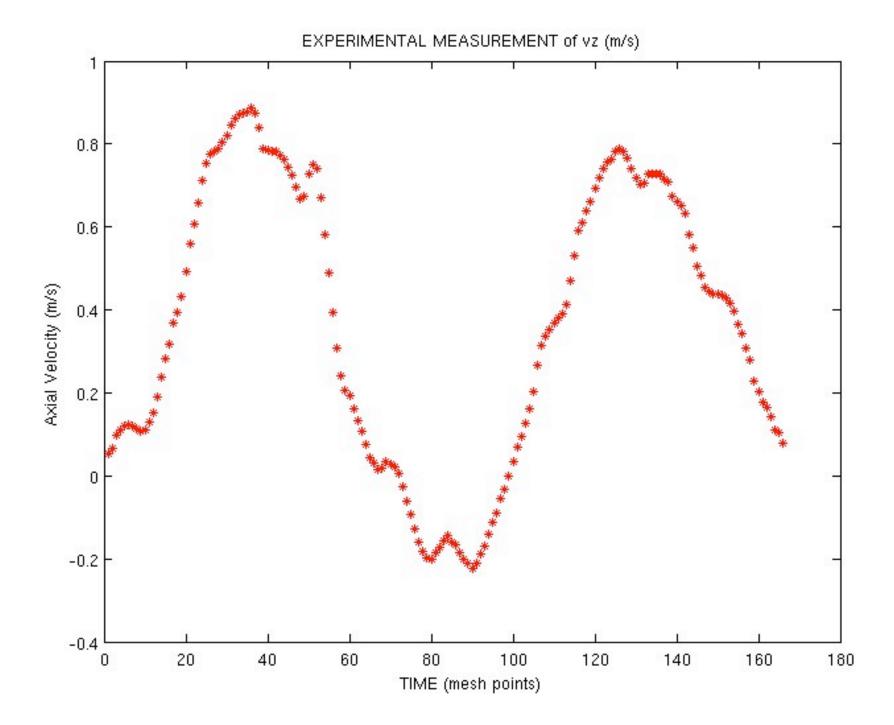
# NUMERICAL SIMULATION

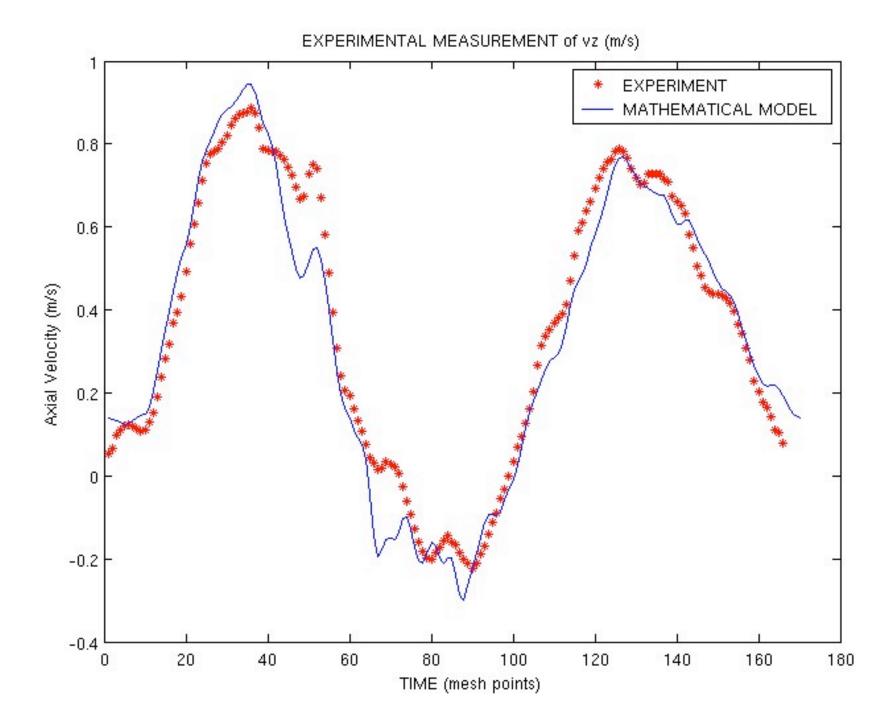




•Recreate conditions in a healthy human abdominal aorta.





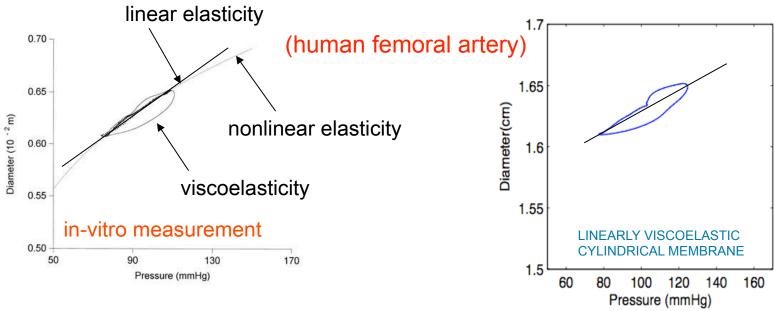


## **COMPARISON WITH EXPERIMENTS**

# (viscoelastic model)

Measured pressure-diameter response (Armetano et al.\*):

Numerical simulation using the reduced (Biot) model



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coming soon: user-friendly software posted on <a href="https://www.math.uh.edu/~canic">www.math.uh.edu/~canic</a> (Tambaca&Kosor)

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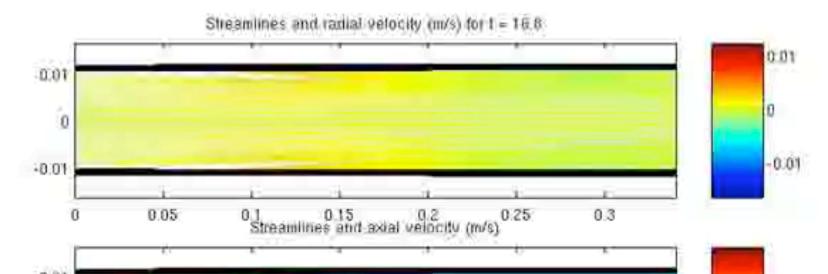
# EXISTENCE OF A UNIQUE MILD SOLUTION

THEOREM: Assumptions: Initial data for displacement (pressure)  $\eta^0$  in  $H^1(0,L)$ Boundary data for displacement (pressure)  $\eta_{\theta_1} \eta_L$  in  $H^1(0,T)$ Initial data for velocity  $v_z$  in  $H^1_{0,0}(\Omega)$ 

Then, for the inlet and outlet pressure data close to the reference pressure  $p_{ref}$ , and for the initial data close the reference cylinder of radius R and initial axial velocity close to 0, there exists exactly one (mild) solution to the Biot FSI problem.

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# PROOF (MAIN STEPS)

- 1. MAP ONTO FIXED DOMAIN (ADDITIONAL NONLINEARITY IN PDEs)
- 2. IMPLICIT FUNCTION THEOREM (HILDEBRANDT AND GRAVES):

#### Assumptions:

- 1.  $\Lambda, X, Z$  Banach spaces
- 2. F:  $\Lambda \times X \rightarrow Z$  defined on an open neighborhood  $U(\lambda_0, x_0)$  and  $F(\lambda_0, x_0) = 0$
- 3.  $F_x$  exists as a Frechet derivative on  $U(\lambda_0, x_0)$  and  $F_x(\lambda_0, x_0) : X \rightarrow Z$  bijective
- 4. F and  $F_x$  continuous at  $(\lambda_0, x_0)$

#### Then:

- 1. There exist  $\delta_0 > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$  such that for every  $\lambda$  in  $\Lambda$  such that  $||\lambda \lambda_0|| < \delta_0$  there is exactly one x in X for which  $||x-x_0|| < \delta$  and  $F(\lambda,x) = 0$ .
- 2. If F is continuous in a neighborhood of  $(\lambda_0, x_0)$  then x is continuous in a neighborhood of  $\lambda_0$

## **MAPPING F**

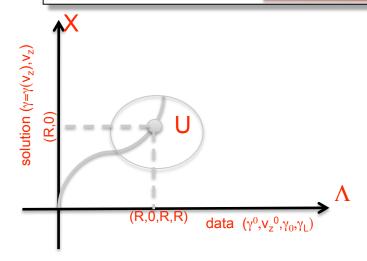
## Mapping F:

$$F: (\underbrace{(\gamma^0, v_z^0, \gamma_0, \gamma_L), (\gamma, v_z)}) := \underbrace{\frac{\partial v_z}{\partial t} - C_1 \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \Delta_r v_z - \frac{r}{\gamma} \frac{\partial \gamma}{\partial t} \frac{\partial v_z}{\partial r} + C_2 \frac{\partial \gamma}{\partial z} + C_3 \frac{\partial^2 \gamma}{\partial z \partial t},}_{\text{left hand-side of balance of momentum}}$$

where:

$$\frac{\partial \gamma}{\partial t} + 2 < v_z > \frac{\partial \gamma}{\partial z} + \gamma \frac{\partial < v_z >}{\partial z} = 0 \qquad (\gamma = \gamma(\mathsf{V}_\mathsf{Z}))$$

CONSTRAINT: conservation of mass (linear in  $\gamma$ )



$$F: U((R, 0, R, R), ((R, 0)) \subset \Lambda \times X \to Z,$$

# FRECHET DERIVATIVE AT $(\lambda_0, x_0)$

$$\begin{split} F_x((R,0,R,R),(R,0))(\eta,w_z) &:= \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial t} - C_1 \frac{1}{R^2} \Delta_r w_z + C_2 \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial z} + C_3 \frac{\partial^2 \eta}{\partial z \partial t} \\ & \text{where} \quad 2 \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t} + R \frac{\partial}{\partial z} < w_z > = 0, \\ & \begin{cases} \eta(0,t) = 0, \ \eta(1,t) = 0, \ \eta(z,0) = 0, \\ w_z(1,z,t) = 0, w_z(r,z,0) = 0, \ w_z(0,z,t) - bounded. \end{cases} \end{split}$$

THEOREM: Frechet derivative at  $(\lambda_0, v_0)$  is a bijective mapping from X to Z.

PROOF (MAIN STEPS): existence of a unique (mild) solution to

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial t} + R \frac{\partial}{\partial z} &< w_z >= 0, \\ \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial t} - \frac{C_1}{R^2} \, \Delta_r \, w_z + C_2 \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial z} + C_3 \frac{\partial^2 \eta}{\partial z \partial t} = f(r, z, t), \end{split}$$

### **EXISTENCE OF A UNIQUE (MILD) SOLUTION TO:**

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with
$$\begin{cases} \eta(0, t) = \eta_0(t), & \eta(1, t) = \eta_L(t), & \eta(z, 0) = \eta^0(z) \\ w_z(1, z, t) = 0, & w_z(0, z, t) - \text{bounded}, & w_z(r, z, 0) = w_z^0(r, z). \end{cases}$$

#### **MAIN STEPS:**

- 1. Existence of a unique WEAK solution
  - 1a. Galerkin approximations
  - 1b. Uniform energy estimates (nontrivial due to mixed hyper-deg. parab. type)
  - 1c. Compactness: weak convergence (to solution)
  - 1d. Uniqueness
- 2. Higher regularity (energy estimates) to get to mild solution

### **WEAK SOLUTION**

$$\begin{split} \overline{\eta} &\in \Gamma = H^1(0,T:L^2(0,1)), \\ w_z &\in V = \{w \in L^2(0,T:H^1_{0,0}(\Omega,r)): \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \in L^2(0,T:H^{-1}_{0,0}(\Omega,r))\}. \\ H^1_{0,0}(\Omega,r) &= \{w \in L^2(\Omega,r): \frac{\partial w}{\partial r} \in L^2(\Omega,r), \ \int_0^1 w \ r dr \in H^1(0,1), \\ w|_{r=1} &= 0, \ |w|_{r=0} \ |<+\infty\}. \end{split}$$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{\partial \bar{\eta}}{\partial t} \varphi \ dz - R \int_0^1 \langle w_z \rangle \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial z} \ dz = -\int_0^1 g_1 \varphi \ dz \qquad \forall \varphi \in H_0^1(0,L)$$

$$\begin{split} &\int_{\Omega} \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial t} \xi \ r dr dz + \frac{C_1}{R^2} \int_{\Omega} \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial r} \frac{\partial \xi}{\partial r} \ r dr dz - C_2 \int_0^1 \bar{\eta} \ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} < \xi > \ dz \\ &- C_3 \int_0^1 \frac{\partial \bar{\eta}}{\partial t} \ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} < \xi > \ dz = \int_0^1 f \varphi \ dz - \int_0^1 g_2 \varphi \ dz, \ a.e. \ 0 \le t \le T, \ \forall w_z \in H^1_{0,0}(\Omega,r) \end{split}$$

with

$$\bar{\eta}(z,0) = \bar{\eta}^0(z), \quad w_z(r,z,0) = w_z^0(r,z) \text{(both in L}^2\text{)}$$

THEOREM: Assume that the initial data  $\bar{\eta}^0$  and  $w_z^0$  satisfy  $\bar{\eta}^0 \in L^2(0,1)$  and  $w_z^0 \in L^2(\Omega,r)$  and that the boundary data  $\eta_0(t)$  and  $\eta_L(t)$  satisfy  $\eta_0, \eta_1 \in H^1(0,T)$ . Then there exists a unique weak solution  $(\bar{\eta}, w_z) \in \Gamma \times V$ 

THEOREM: (Improved Regularity: Part I) Suppose that the boundary data  $\eta_1, \eta_0 \in H^2(0,T)$  and the initial data  $\bar{\eta}^0 \in L^2(0,1), w_z^0 \in H^1_{0,0}(\Omega,r)$ . Then the weak solution  $(\bar{\eta}, w_z) \in \Gamma \times V$  belongs to

$$\frac{\partial \overline{\eta}}{\partial t} \in L^{\infty}(0,T:L^2(0,1)), \ \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial r} \in L^{\infty}(0,T:L^2(\Omega,r)), \ \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial t} \in L^2(0,T:L^2(\Omega,r)).$$

Moreover, the following estimate holds

$$\begin{split} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \left[ \frac{C_3}{R} \left\| \frac{\partial \bar{\eta}}{\partial t} \right\|_{L^2(0,1)}^2 + \frac{2C_1}{R^2} \left\| \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial r} \right\|_{L^2(\Omega,r)}^2 \right] + 2 \int_0^T \left\| \frac{\partial w_z}{\partial t} \right\|_{L^2(\Omega,r)}^2 ds \\ \leq C \left( \left\| f \right\|_{L^2(0,T;L^2(\Omega,r))}^2 + \left\| \eta_1 - \eta_0 \right\|_{H^2(0,T)}^2 + \left\| \eta_0 \right\|_{H^2(0,T)}^2 + \left\| \bar{\eta}^0 \right\|_{L^2(0,1)}^2 + \left\| w_z^0 \right\|_{H^1_{0,0}(\Omega,r)}^2 \right). \end{split}$$

where C depends on 1/R,  $C_2$ ,  $C_3$ , T.

THEOREM: (Improved regularity: Part II) Assume, in addition to the assumptions of Theorem II-4.9, that the initial data  $\bar{\eta}^0 \in H^1(0,1)$ . Then the weak solution  $\bar{\eta}$  satisfies  $\bar{\eta} \in H^1(0,T;H^1(0,1))$ . Furthermore, the following estimate holds:

$$\begin{split} \sup_{0 \leq t \leq T} \frac{C_2 C_3}{12} \left\| \frac{\partial \bar{\eta}}{\partial z} \right\|_{L^2(0,1)}^2 + \frac{C_3^2}{12} \left\| \frac{\partial^2 \bar{\eta}}{\partial t \partial z} \right\|_{L^2(0,T;L^2(0,1))}^2 \leq C \left( \left\| f \right\|_{L^2(0,T;L^2(\Omega,r))}^2 \right. \\ + \left\| \eta_1 - \eta_0 \right\|_{H^2(0,T)}^2 + \left\| \eta_0 \right\|_{H^2(0,T)}^2 + \left\| \bar{\eta}^0 \right\|_{H^1(0,1)}^2 + \left\| w_z^0 \right\|_{H^1_{0,0}(\Omega)}^2 \right), \end{split}$$

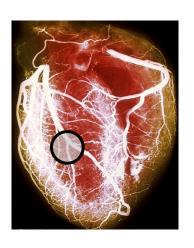
where C depends on 1/R,  $C_2$ ,  $C_3$ , T. This implies that, in fact,

$$\frac{\partial^2 < w_z >}{\partial z^2} \ \in L^2(0,T:L^2(0,1)), \quad \Delta_r w_z \in L^2(0,T:L^2(\Omega,r)).$$

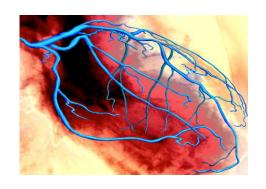
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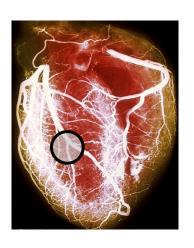


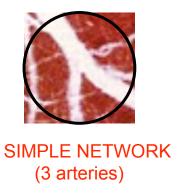


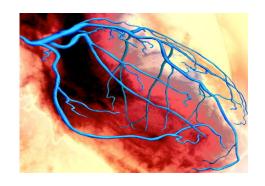


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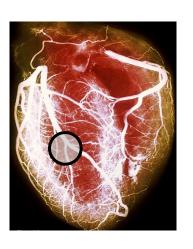




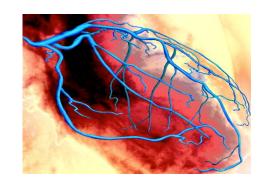


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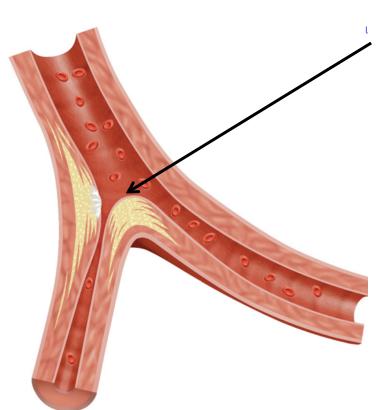






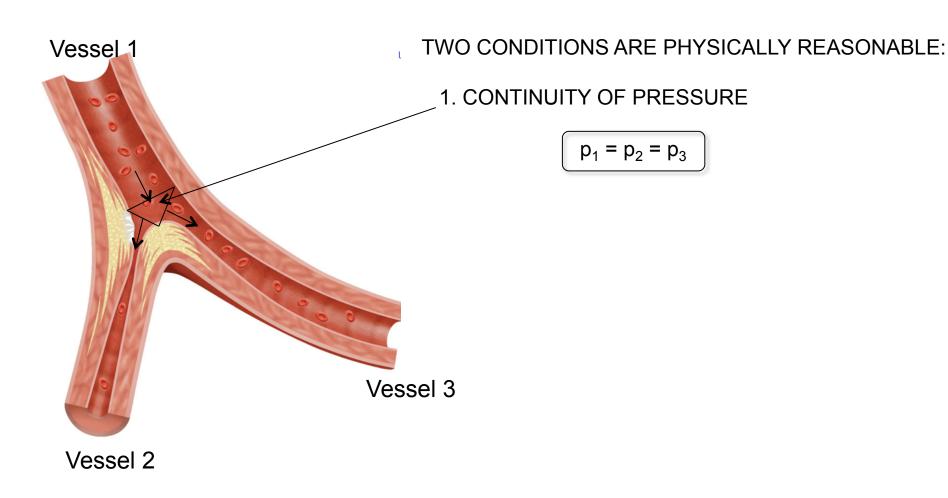
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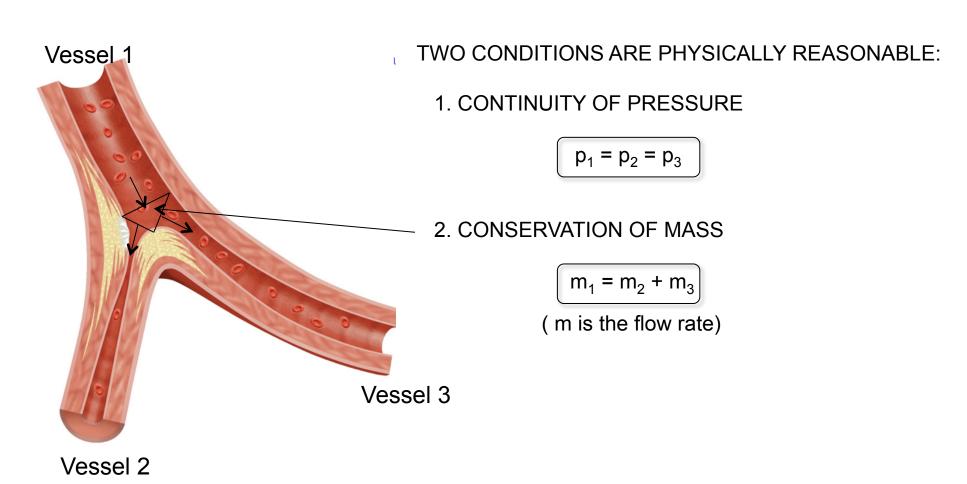


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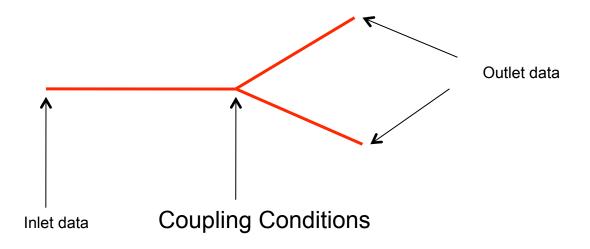
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These conditions lead to a network problem, similar to that one for the nonlinear wave equation.



General existence result is open. Smooth solutions can be studied using Riemann Invariants. Numerical results can be obtained using different approaches (Finite Difference Scheme, Finite Element Method).

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