Parametrically forced axisymmetric gravity waves and jetting in a circular cylinder

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# Waves in a Cylindrical Container





Introduction



**Theoretical Concepts** 

Dispersion relation:

$$\omega_{mn}^2 = gk_{mn}(1 + \frac{\sigma k_{mn}^2}{g\rho}) \tanh(k_{mn}h)$$

Wave numbers obtained from Boundary condition:



 $k_{01}R=3.832, k_{02}R=7.016$  (axisymmetric modes)  $k_{11}R=1.841, k_{21}R=3.054, k_{31}R=4.201$  (asymmetric modes)

Natural frequency of mode (0,1):

 $\omega_0 \equiv \omega_{01} = 27.472 rad/s$ 



**Problem description** 

- CFD solver : ANSYS FLUENT 15.0
- Model : VOF Multiphase



### **Grid Independence**







### **Phase Diagram**





- Instability threshold
- □ Wave breaking threshold
- □ Unstable wave motion
- Period tripling
- Period quadrupling
- Bifurcation into other modes
- Coexistence of two modes
- \* Instability threshold forcing amplitude+ Wave breaking threshold
- O Instability threshold (Das and Hopfinger, JF 2008)

$$\omega_0 \equiv \omega_{01} = 27.4719 rad/s$$



### Wave Amplitude Response



Wave amplitude response, A/R = 0.006, R = 2.5 cm Das and Hopfinger (JFM,2008)



### Wave amplitude Modulation

**Experiments in a small container (2.5cm radius)** 





### Wave Amplitude Modulation





 11T
 31T
 44T
 49T
 61T

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### Wave Amplitude Modulation







# Wave Amplitude Modulation



Period quadrupling A/R=0.01,  $\omega/\omega_0=1.015$ ;



### Coexistence



Coexistence of mode 01 and 31 A/R=0.012,  $\omega/\omega_0$ =1.020



**Stability behaviour** 



Wave amplitude response, A/R = 0.0015





 $\omega/\omega_0 = 0.995$   $\omega/\omega_0 = 0.995$ 

letting

A composite of two photographs

- wave depression (cavity) below
- jet formation above

Jet velocity depends on:

Surface tension, viscosity, velocity of fluid particle Size of cavity (depth, radius)

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### **Bands of pinch-off**



## Scaling of jet velocity

Cavity shape Glycerin water v = 1.94 cm<sup>2</sup>/s,  $\sigma/\rho = 65$  cm<sup>3</sup>/s<sup>2</sup> Zeff (nature 2000)





FC-72 v = 0.0040 cm<sup>2</sup>/s  $\sigma/\rho$  = 6.5 cm<sup>3</sup>/s<sup>2</sup>

b/bs=0.916 b/bs=0.907 b/bs=0.866

b/bs=0.884, Das and Hopfinger (JFM,2008)



## Velocity contour of jetting and cavity



Pinch-off cavity







No pinch off

Jetting





Conclusion

- Wave amplitude modulations in a slow time scale or period tripling or quadrupling in the stable wave regime
- Parametric instability of axisymmetric mode is of supercritical nature at and above natural frequency and subcritical below natural frequency
- Jet velocity (cavity collapse) scales on wave particle velocity
- Surface tension and viscosity affect the cavity size and its aspect ratio, hence the jet velocity





