

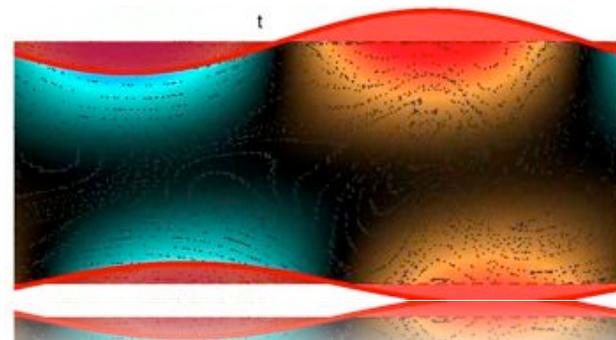
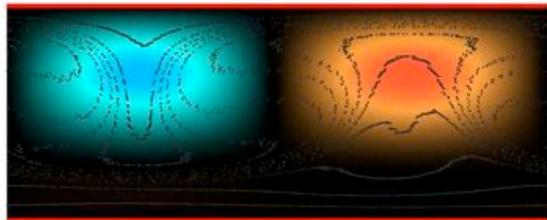
Energy growth in the compliant channel

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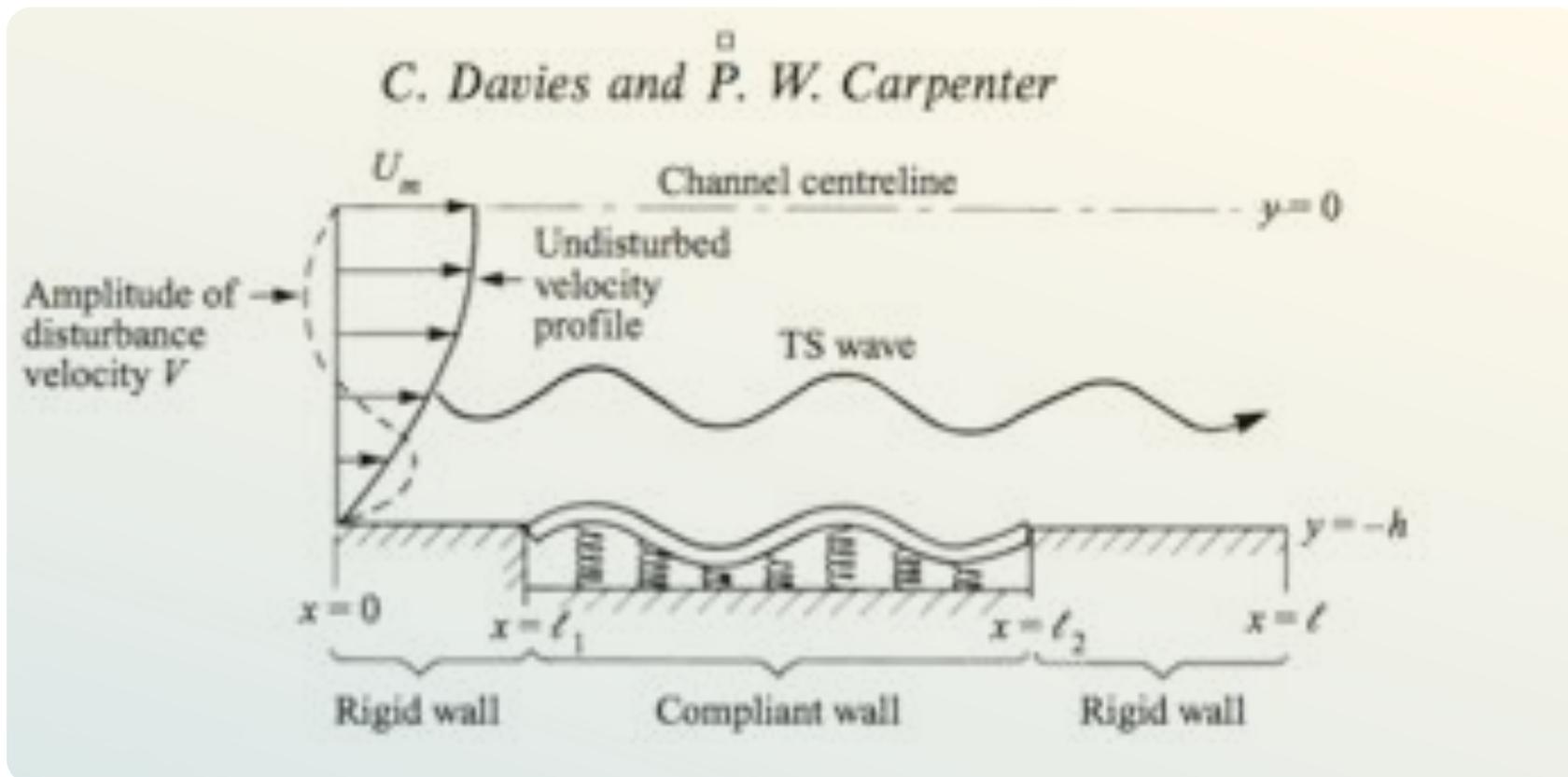
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Compliant surfaces



Compliant surfaces

Gray(30s): observation of dolphins

Kramer(50s): reproduce dolphins' skin

Classical question:

Can flow/walls coupled dynamics reduce instabilities?

Delay/prevent transition to turbulence

Sensitivity:

an alternative view on the problem

Wall dynamics

η : wall displacement:

$$m\eta_{tt} + \frac{d}{Re}\eta_t + \frac{B\Delta^2 - T\Delta + K}{Re^2}\eta = \pm p|_{\text{wall}},$$

mass,
acceleration

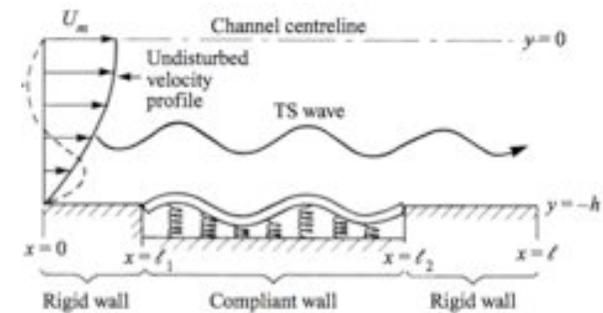
Damping

Tension T, rigidity
B, spring stiffness
K

Forcing by the
pressure

Flexible plate forced by
fluid pressure

Boundary conditions:
no slip at the moving wall



Coupled system: flow/walls

Flow

$$\begin{aligned}u_t + Uu_x + U_y v &= -p_x + \Delta u / Re, \\v_t + Uv_x &= -p_y + \Delta v / Re, \\w_t + Uw_x &= -p_z + \Delta w / Re, \\u_x + v_y + w_z &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

Navier-Stokes linearised
about base flow profile:
stability analysis.

Wall

$$m\eta_{tt} + \frac{d}{Re}\eta_t + \frac{B\Delta^2 - T\Delta + K}{Re^2}\eta = \pm p|_{\text{wall}},$$

The state vector: $(\hat{u}, \hat{v}, \hat{w}, \hat{p}, \hat{\gamma}_{top}, \hat{\eta}_{top}, \hat{\gamma}_{bot}, \hat{\eta}_{bot})^T$,

Stabilisation of Tollmien-Schlichting instability

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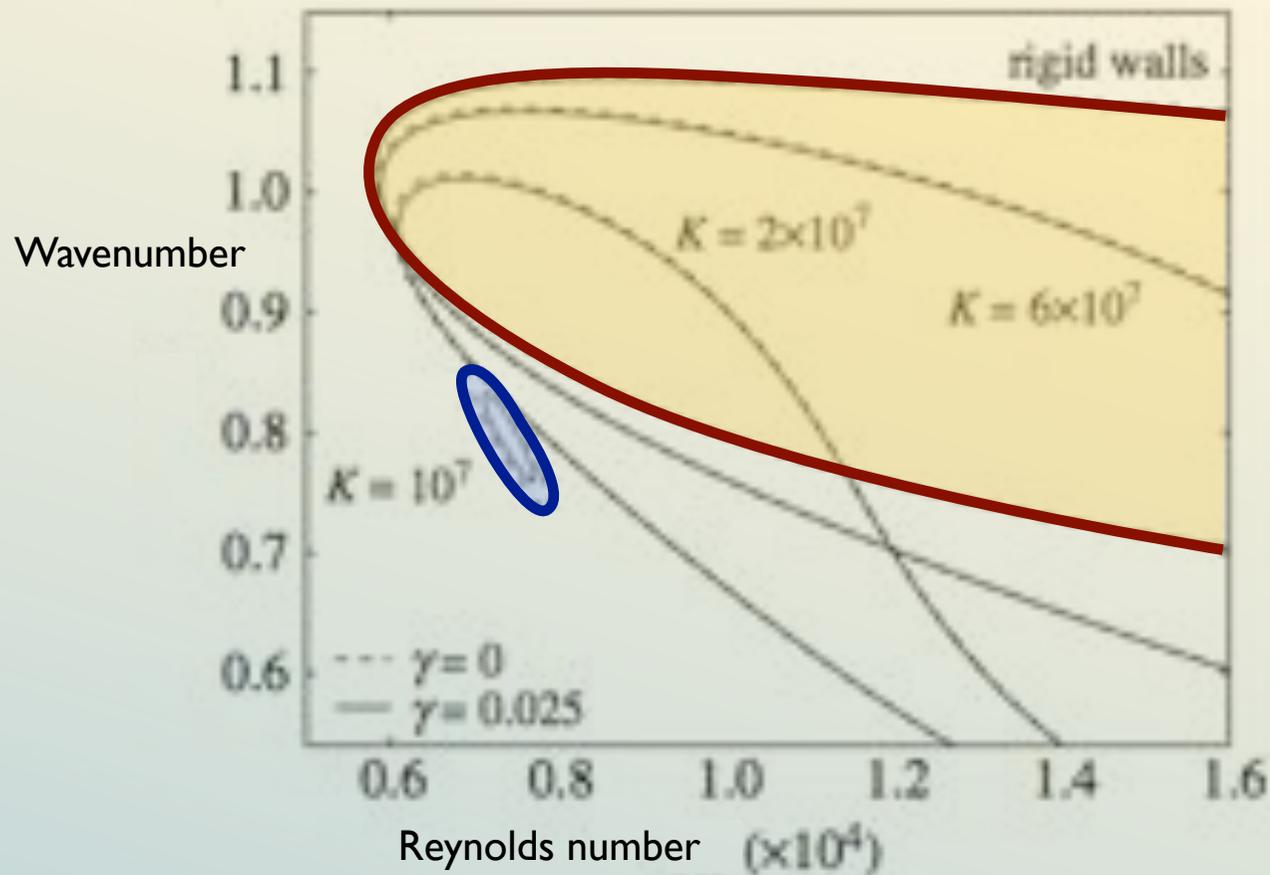
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Neutral curves



Other instabilities!

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➡ FLOW

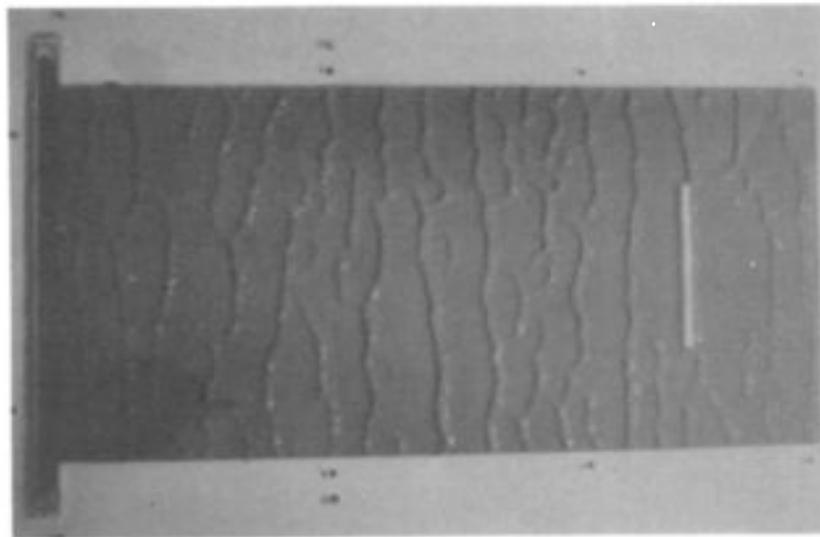


Figure 5 Static-divergence waves under a turbulent boundary layer (from Gad-el-Hak et al. 1984).

Turbulent
boundary layer

Static
divergence

Aero-elastic
instabilities

Periodic/transient

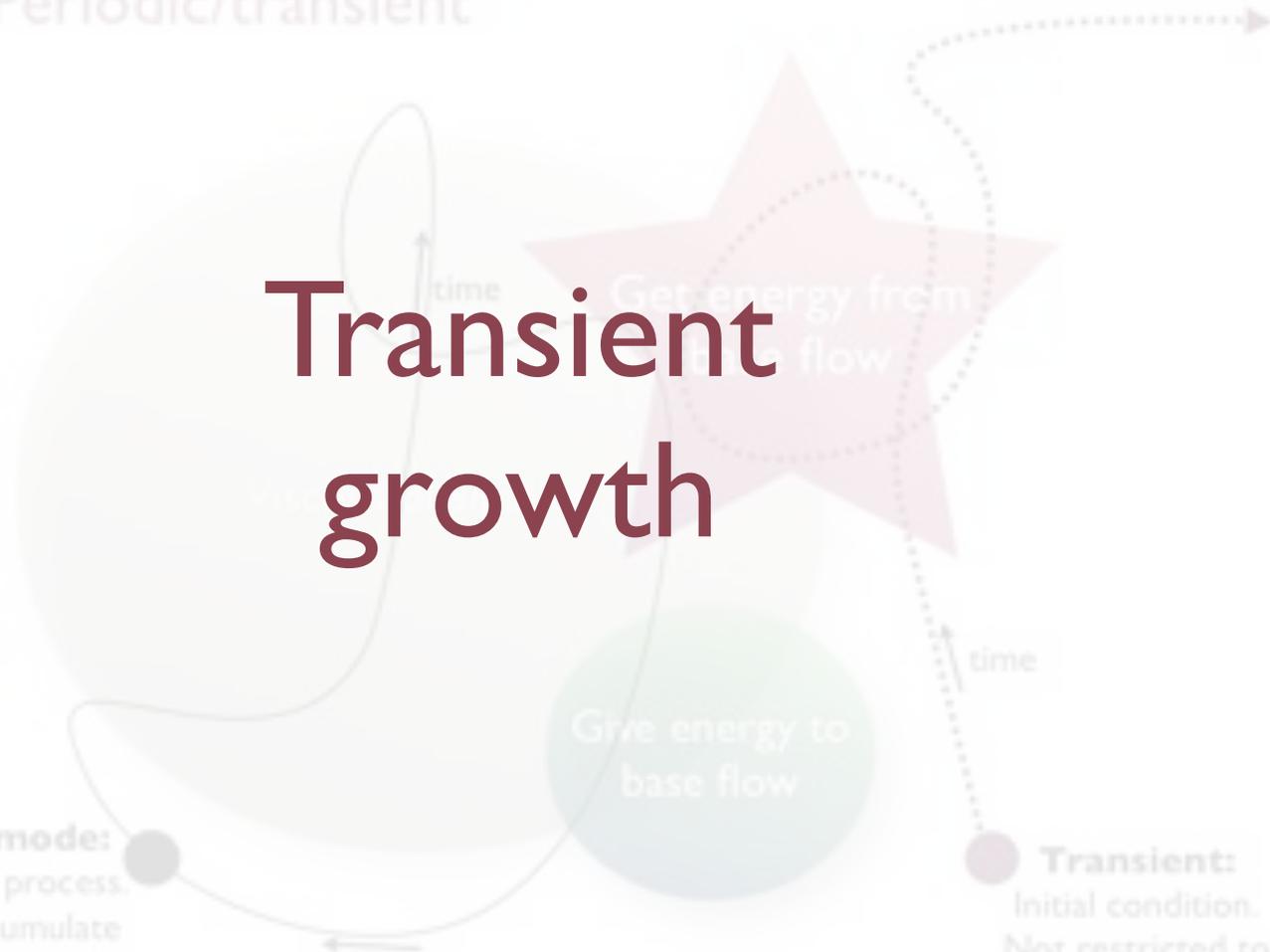
Transient growth

Eigenmode:
periodic process.
Can accumulate
energy at each
period

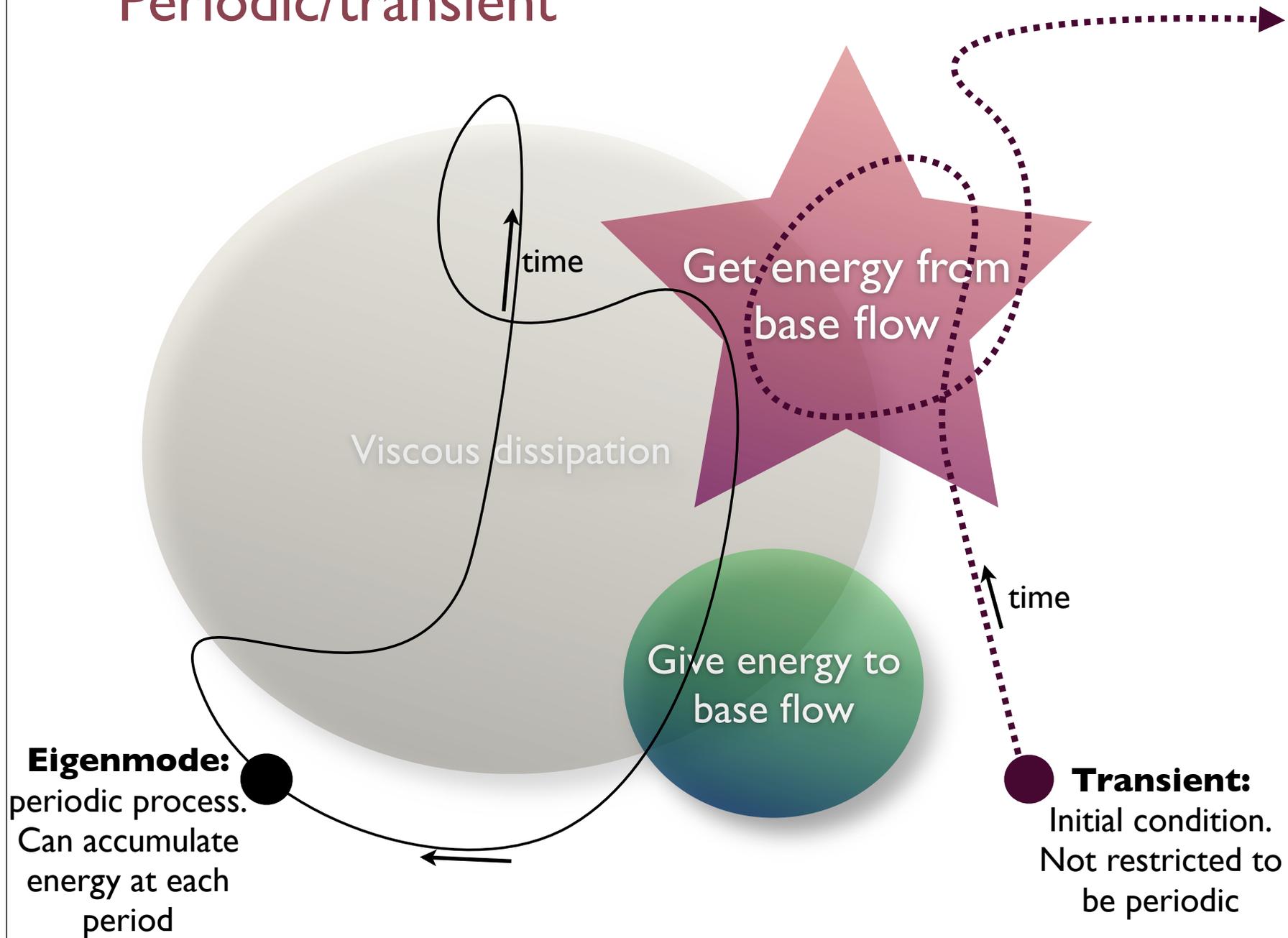
Give energy to
base flow

Transient:
Initial condition.
Not restricted to
be periodic

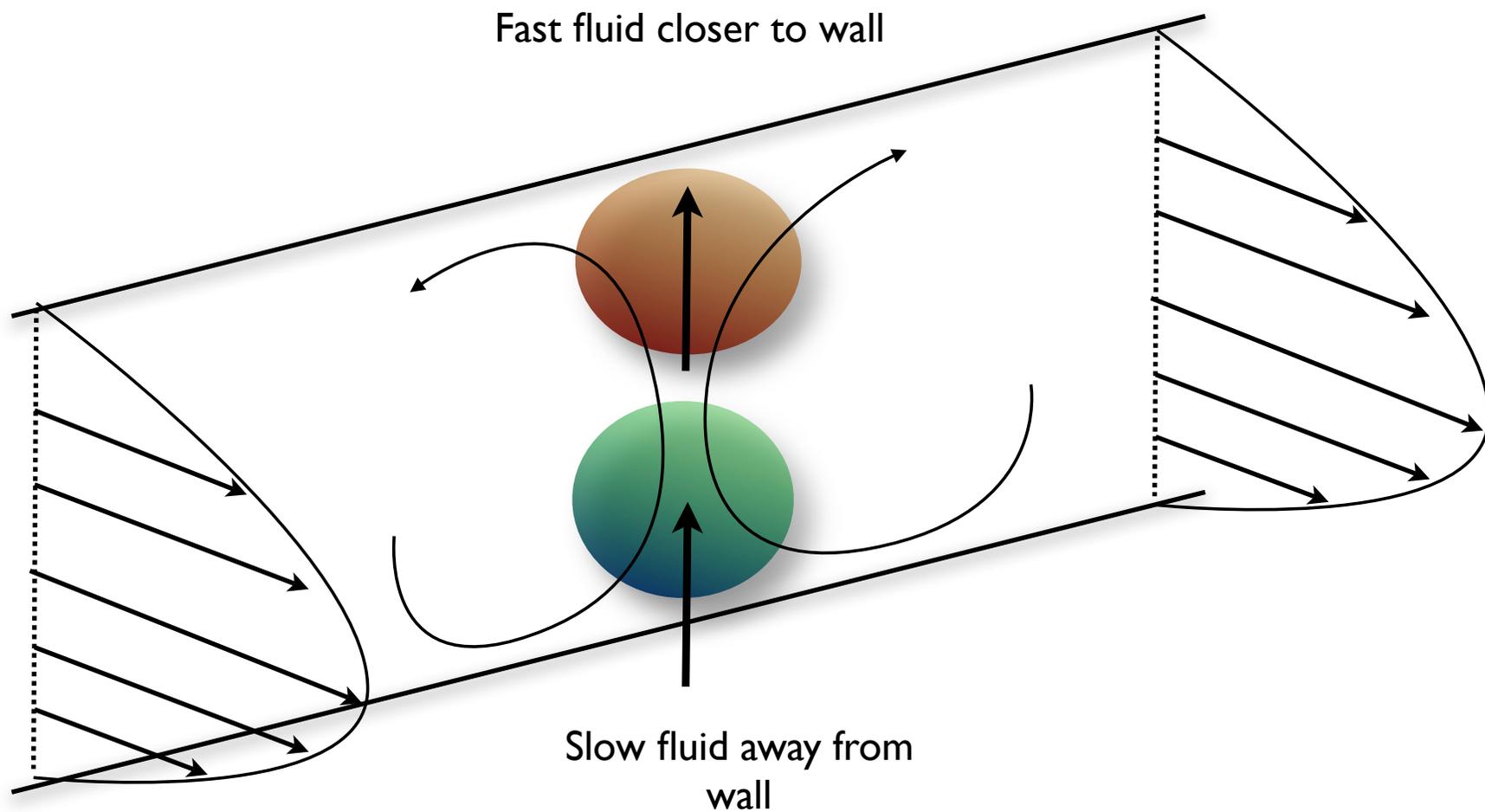
Get energy from
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Periodic/transient



Lift-up



Lift-up

$$\begin{aligned}u_t + Uu_x + U_y v &= -p_x + \Delta u / Re, \\v_t + Uv_x &= -p_y + \Delta v / Re, \\w_t + Uw_x &= -p_z + \Delta w / Re, \\u_x + v_y + w_z &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

Navier-Stokes
linearized about
parallel base flow

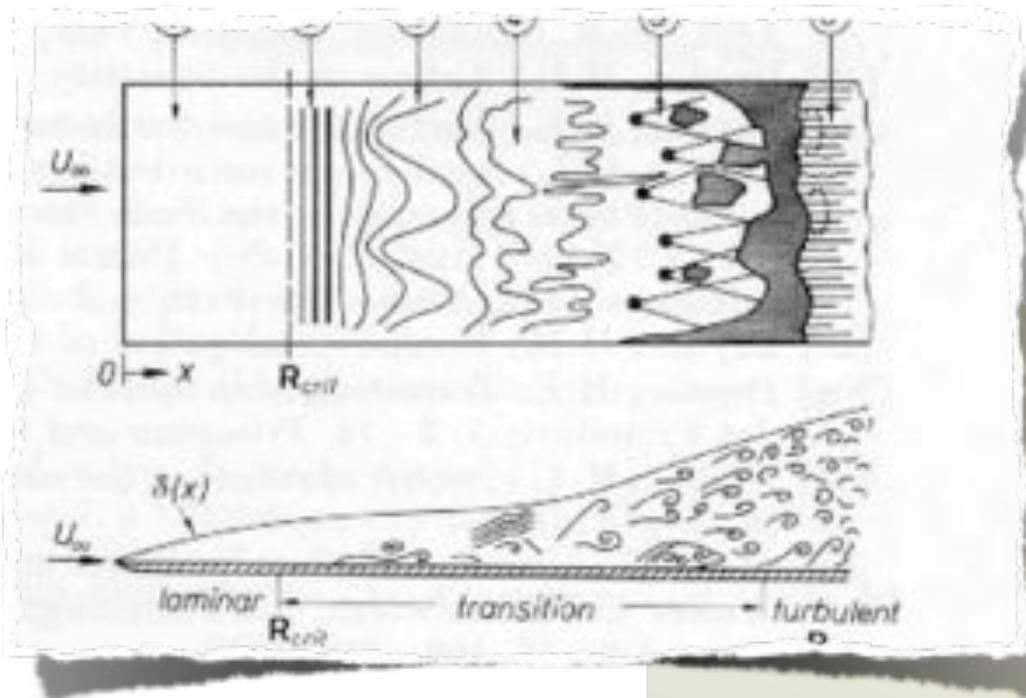
Low viscosity
constant in
streamwise

$$\begin{aligned}u_t + U_y v &= 0, \\v_t &= -p_y, \\w_t &= -p_z, \\v_y + w_z &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

**Most efficient
mechanism to
enhance
transient
amplification**
 $\alpha=0$

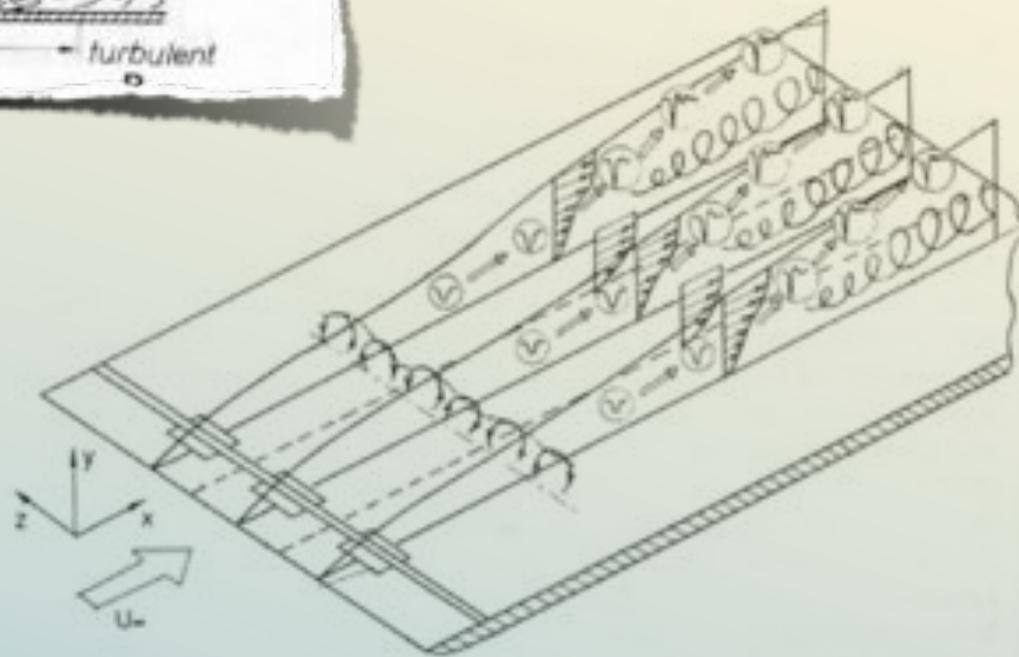
$$u = -tU_y v,$$

Lift-up: Transition to turbulence

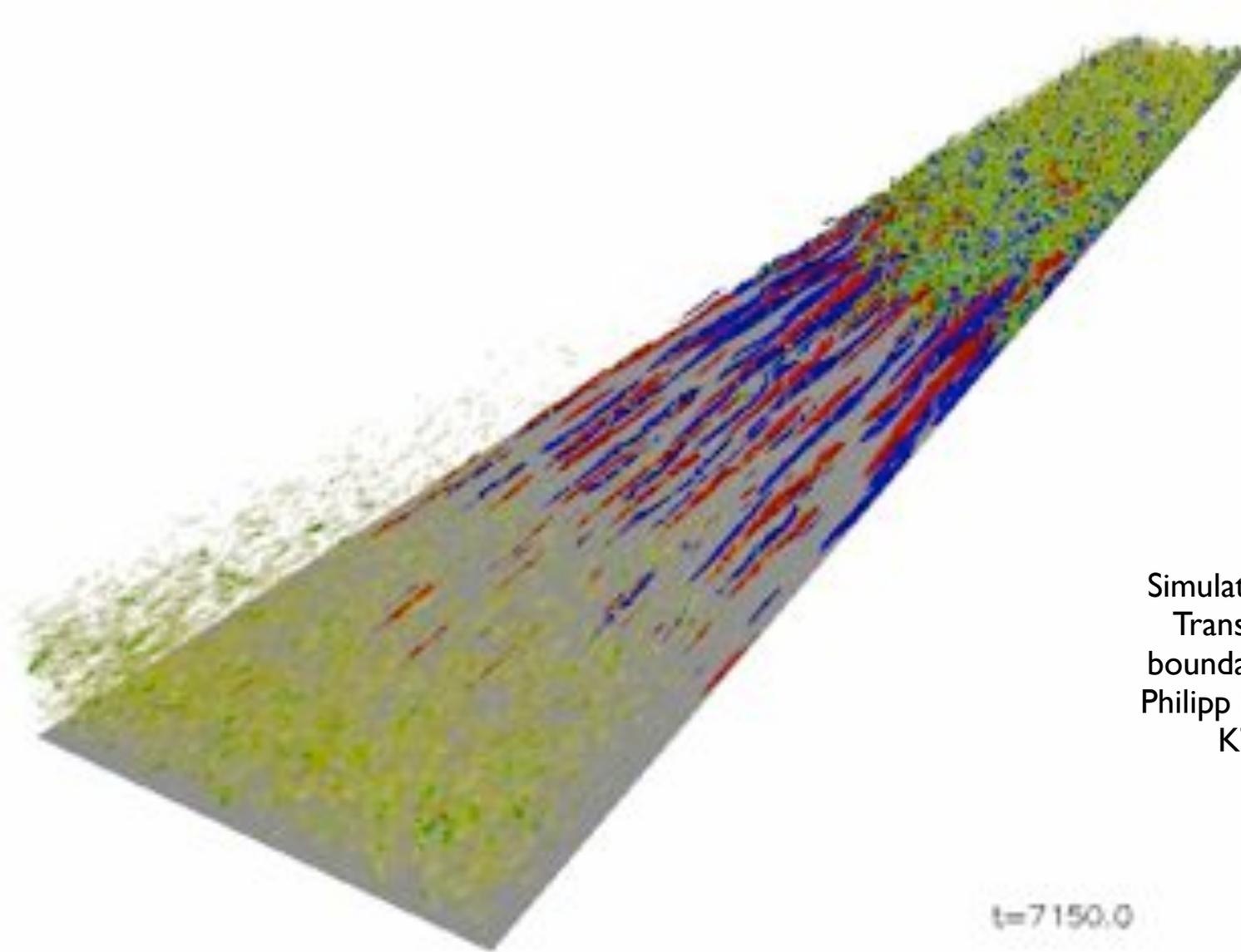


Classical mechanism:
Tollmien-Schlichting waves and secondary instabilities

Bypass transition:
free-stream turbulence/
streaks and secondary instability



Lift-up



Simulation LES.
Transitional
boundary layer.
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$t=7150.0$

Looking for “special things” in flows using optimization

Three-dimensional optimal perturbations in viscous shear flow

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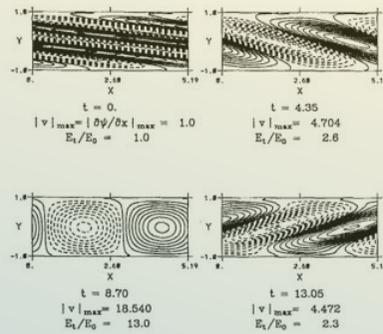
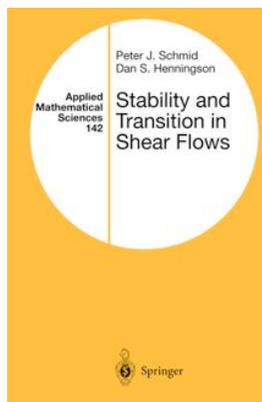


FIG. 2. Development of the perturbation streamfunction ψ for the best growing 2-D energy optimal in Couette flow with $R=1000$, located at $\alpha=1.21$, $\tau=8.7$. The streamfunction ψ is defined by $-\partial\psi/\partial y=u$ and $\partial\psi/\partial x=v$.



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On the stability of a falling liquid curtain

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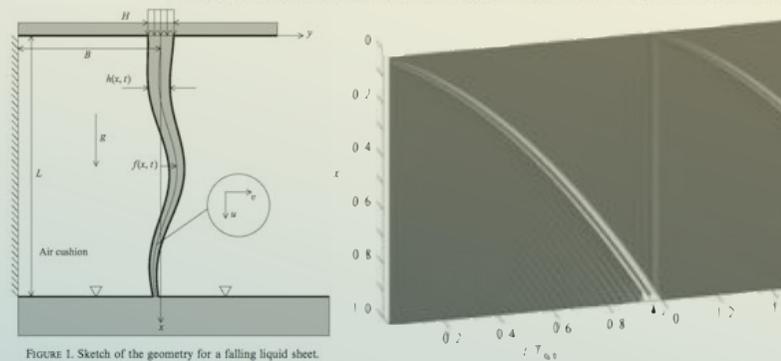


FIGURE 1. Sketch of the geometry for a falling liquid sheet.

FIGURE 5. Curtain shape versus time for $\kappa = 5 \times 10^4$ and $U = 0.4$ starting with the optimal initial condition, i.e. the initial condition that results in the maximum energy amplification near $t = T_{0.6}$ in figure 4(a).

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Transient growth in two-phase mixing layers

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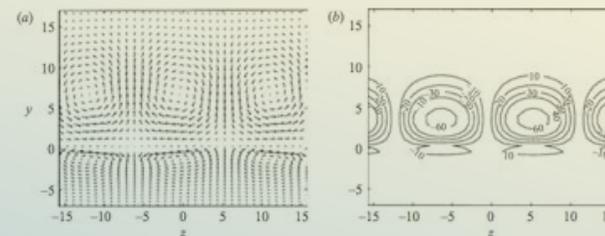


FIGURE 4. Optimal disturbance having $G_O = 13660$, $\beta_O = 0.25$, $t_O = 29.8$ at $Re = 100$, $We = 5.5$, $r = 0.0012$, $m = 0.018$: (a) $(0, v, w)$ field; (b) $(u, 0, 0)$ field.

Optimization of the initial conditions

Optimality:

$$G(t) = \max_{\kappa_0} \frac{\|\kappa(t)\|_{\mathcal{Q}}}{\|\kappa_0\|_{\mathcal{Q}}} = \max_{\kappa_0} \frac{\|e^{\Lambda t} \kappa_0\|_{\mathcal{Q}}}{\|\kappa_0\|_{\mathcal{Q}}} = \|e^{\Lambda t}\|_{\mathcal{Q}} = \underbrace{\|F^{-1} e^{\Lambda t} F\|_2}_{\mathcal{H}}$$

Energy

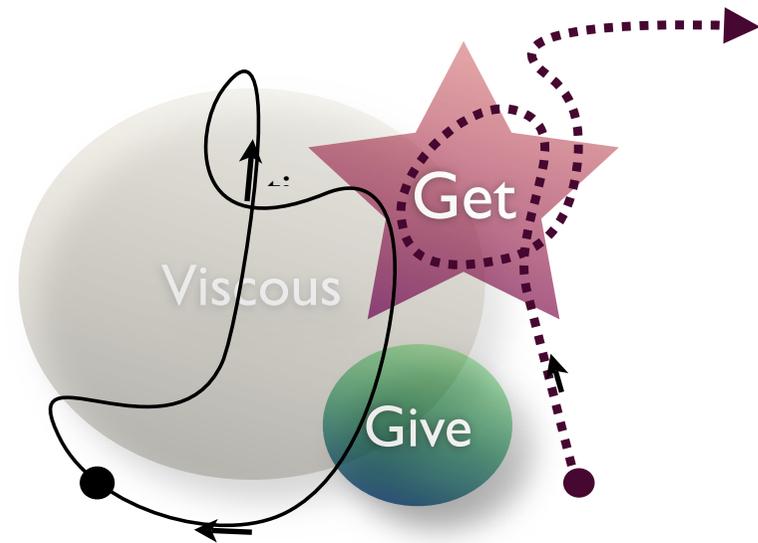
$$E \triangleq \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_y \overline{u^2 + v^2 + w^2} dy}_{\text{Flow}} + \underbrace{\sum_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} \frac{1}{2} \left(m \overline{\eta_t^2} + \frac{B \Delta_{2D}^2 + T \Delta_{2D} + K \overline{\eta^2}}{Re^2} \right)}_{\text{Walls}}$$

Optimize:

Flow energy + wall kinetic and potential energy

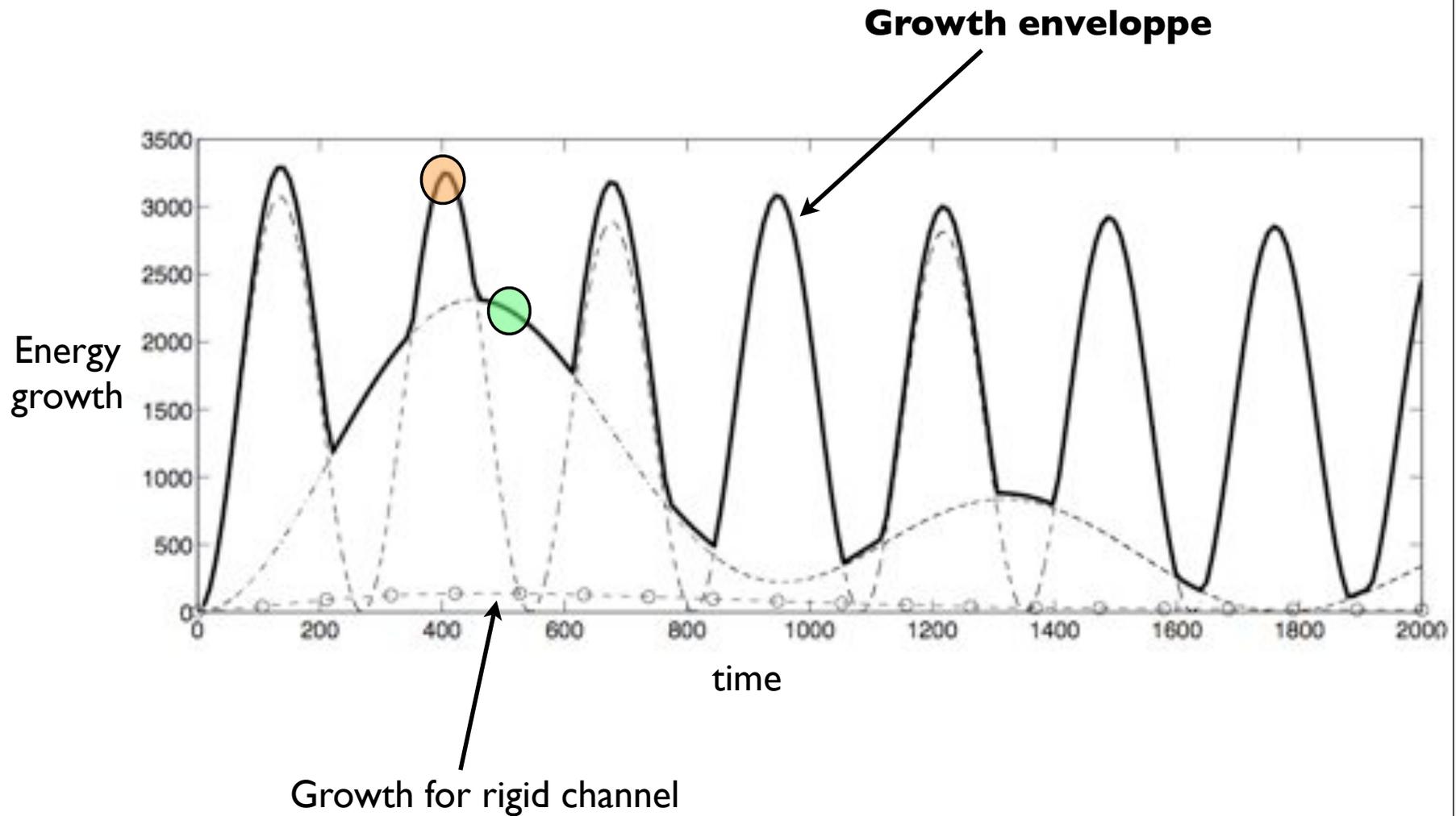
Energy exchange:

$$E_t = \underbrace{- \int_y U_y \overline{w} dy + \frac{1}{Re} \left[\overline{(u^2 + v^2 + w^2)}_y \right]_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}}}_{\text{Energy exchange with base flow}} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{Re} \int_y \overline{\omega \cdot \omega} dy + \sum_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} \frac{d}{Re} \overline{\eta_t^2}}_{\text{Viscous damping}}$$



What is the effect
of wall compliance?

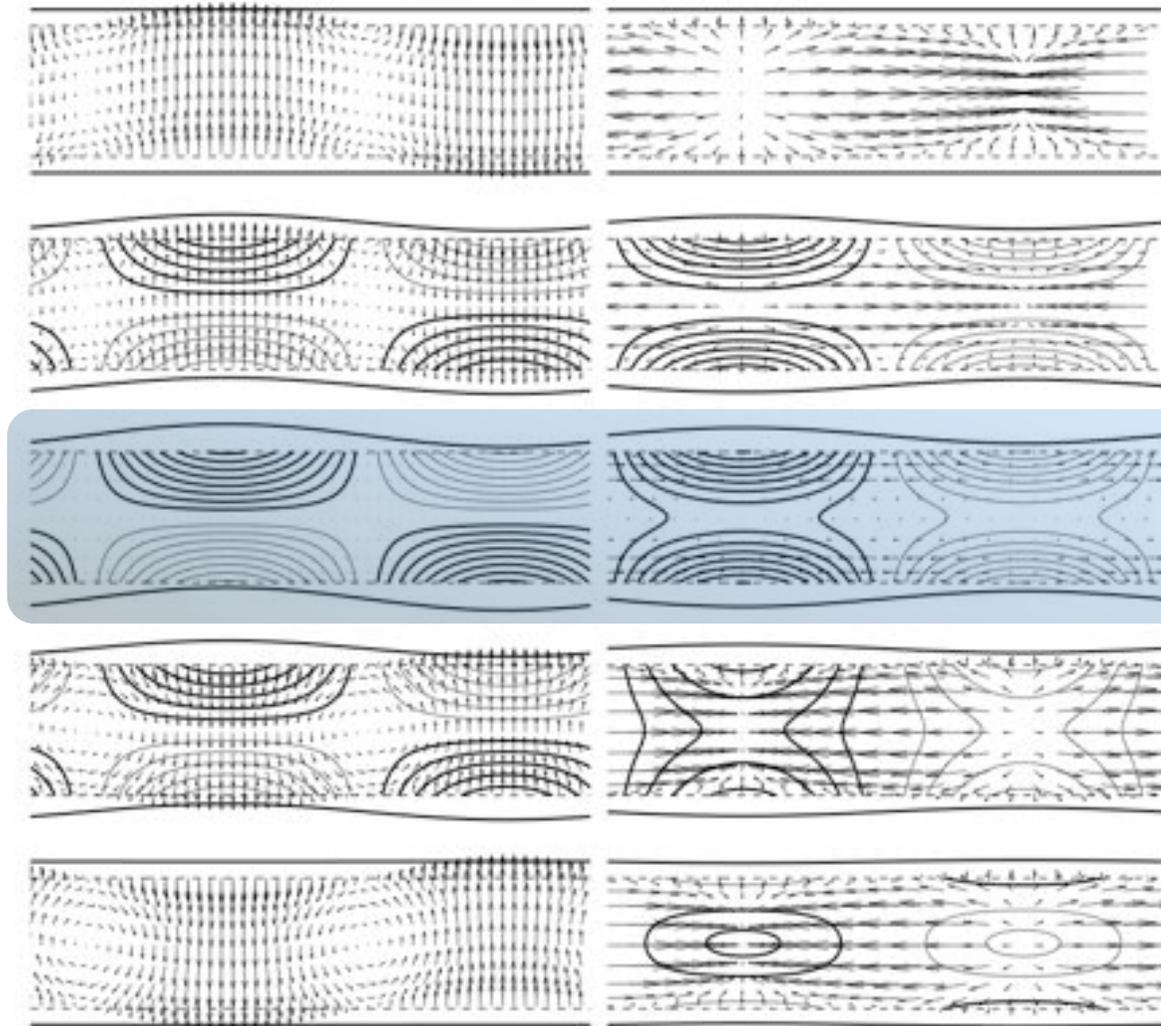
Optimization results



Optimization results

Sinuuous

Varicose

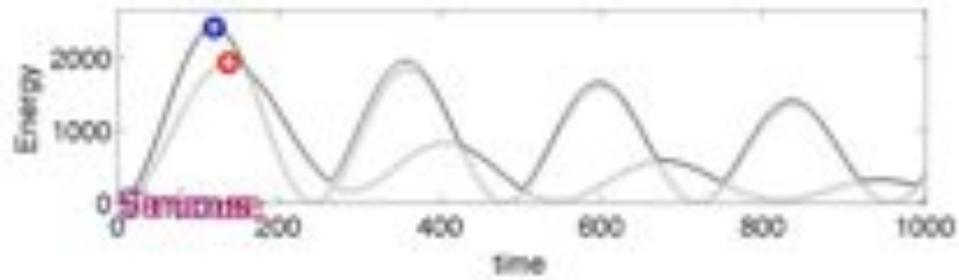


Time of largest energy

Time

Standing
wave
pattern

Optimal solutions

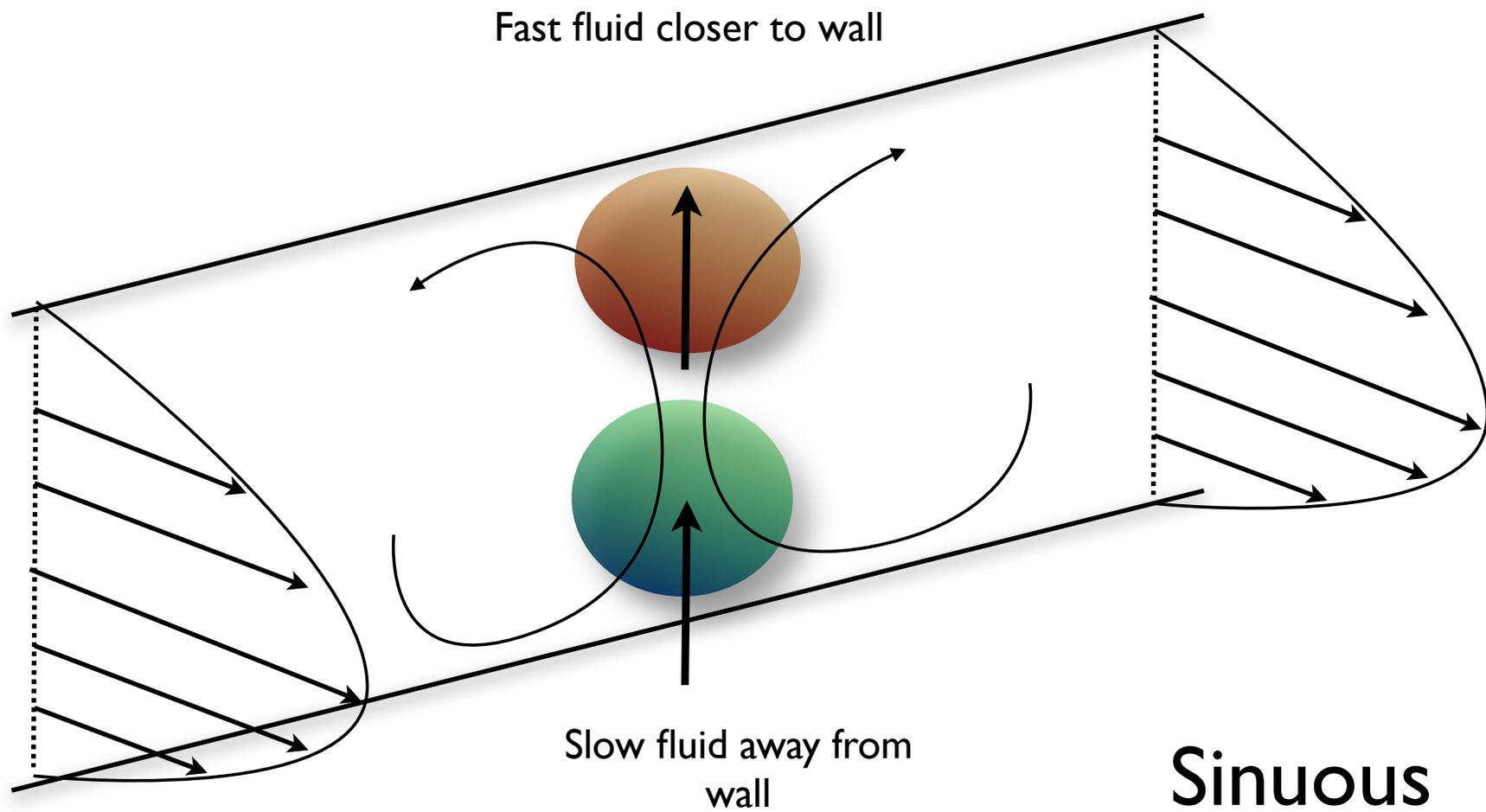


Sinuous

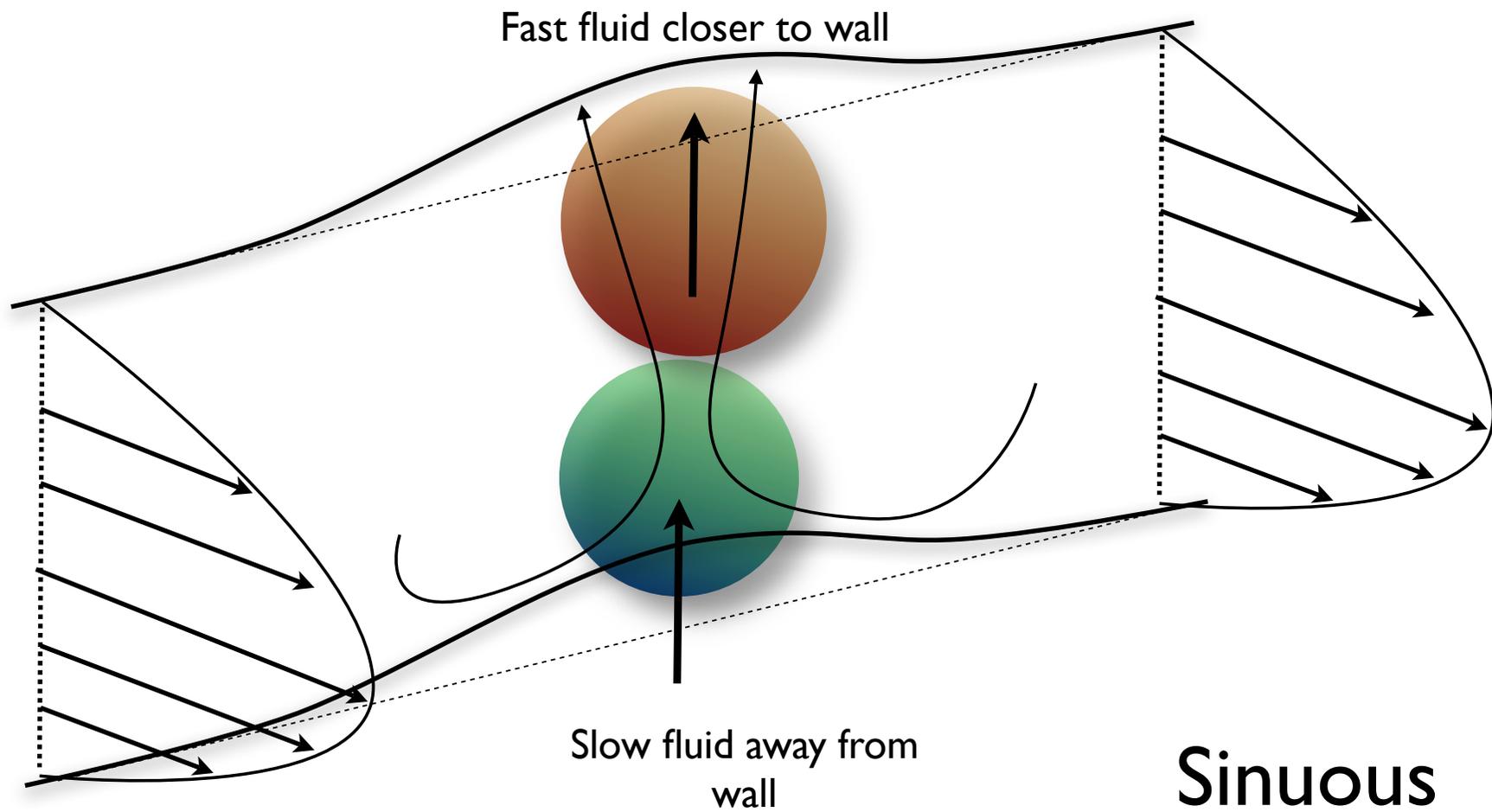


Varicose

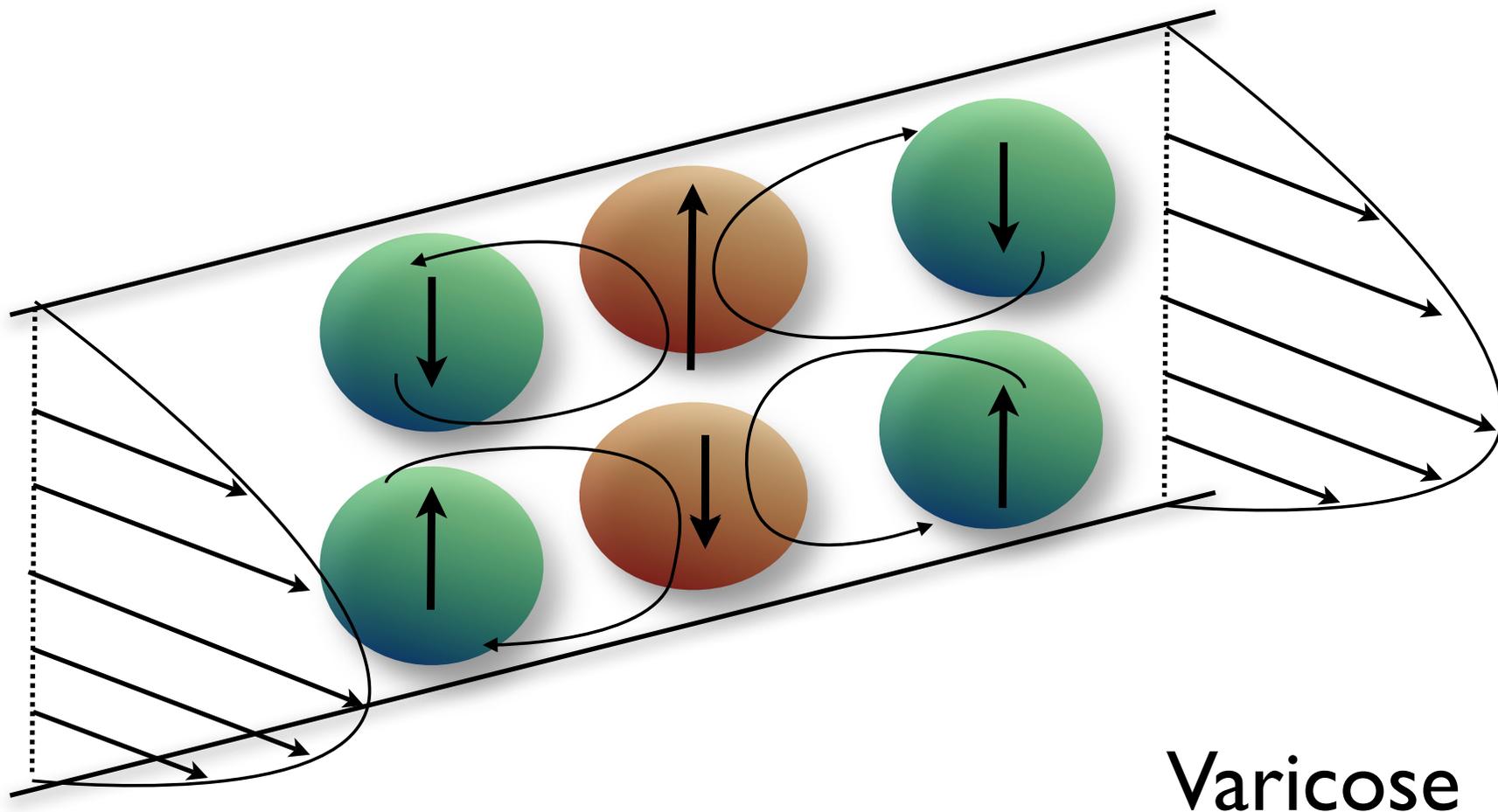
Lift-up: rigid walls



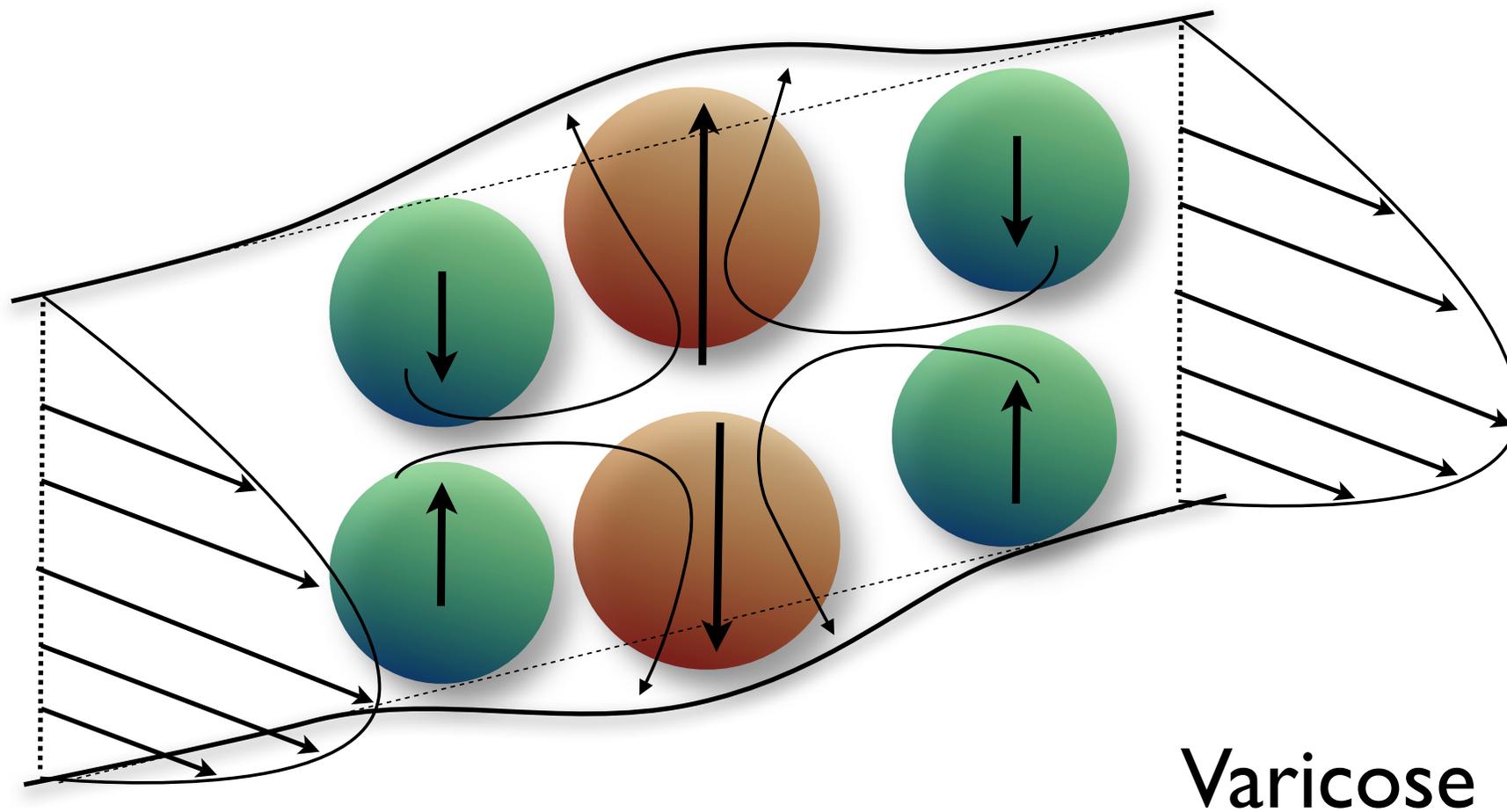
Lift-up: flexible walls



Lift-up: rigid walls



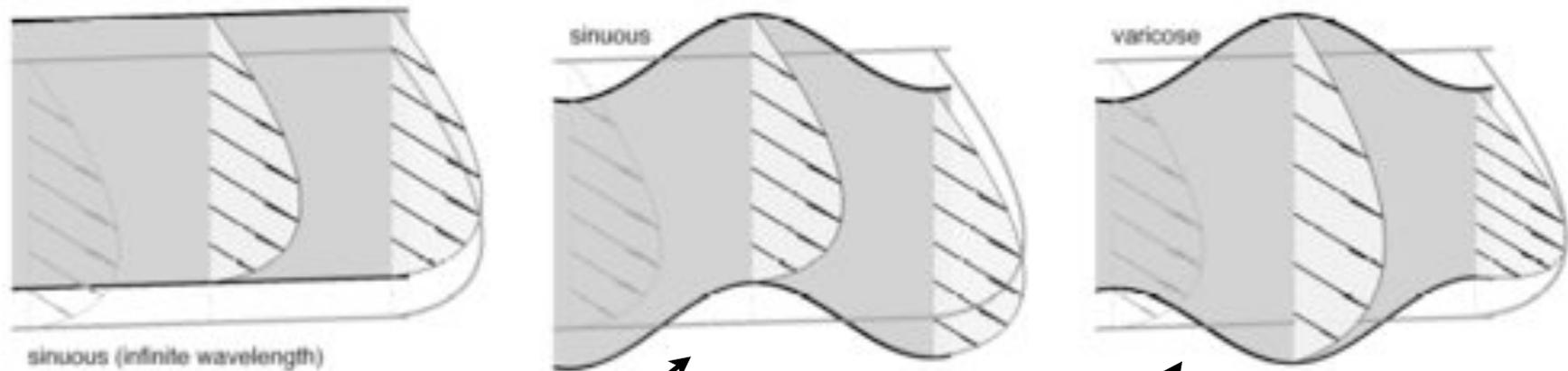
Lift-up: rigid walls



Candidate mechanisms

Model:

We suppose a simple deformation of the base flow

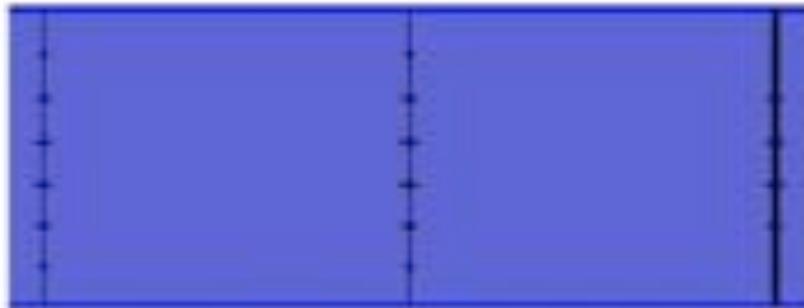


$$G^s = 1 + \frac{4}{3} \frac{Re^2}{Bk^4 + Tk^2 + K}$$

$$G^v = 1 + \frac{14}{15} \frac{Re^2}{Bk^4 + Tk^2 + K}$$

Compliant surfaces

Standing wave in the spanwise direction



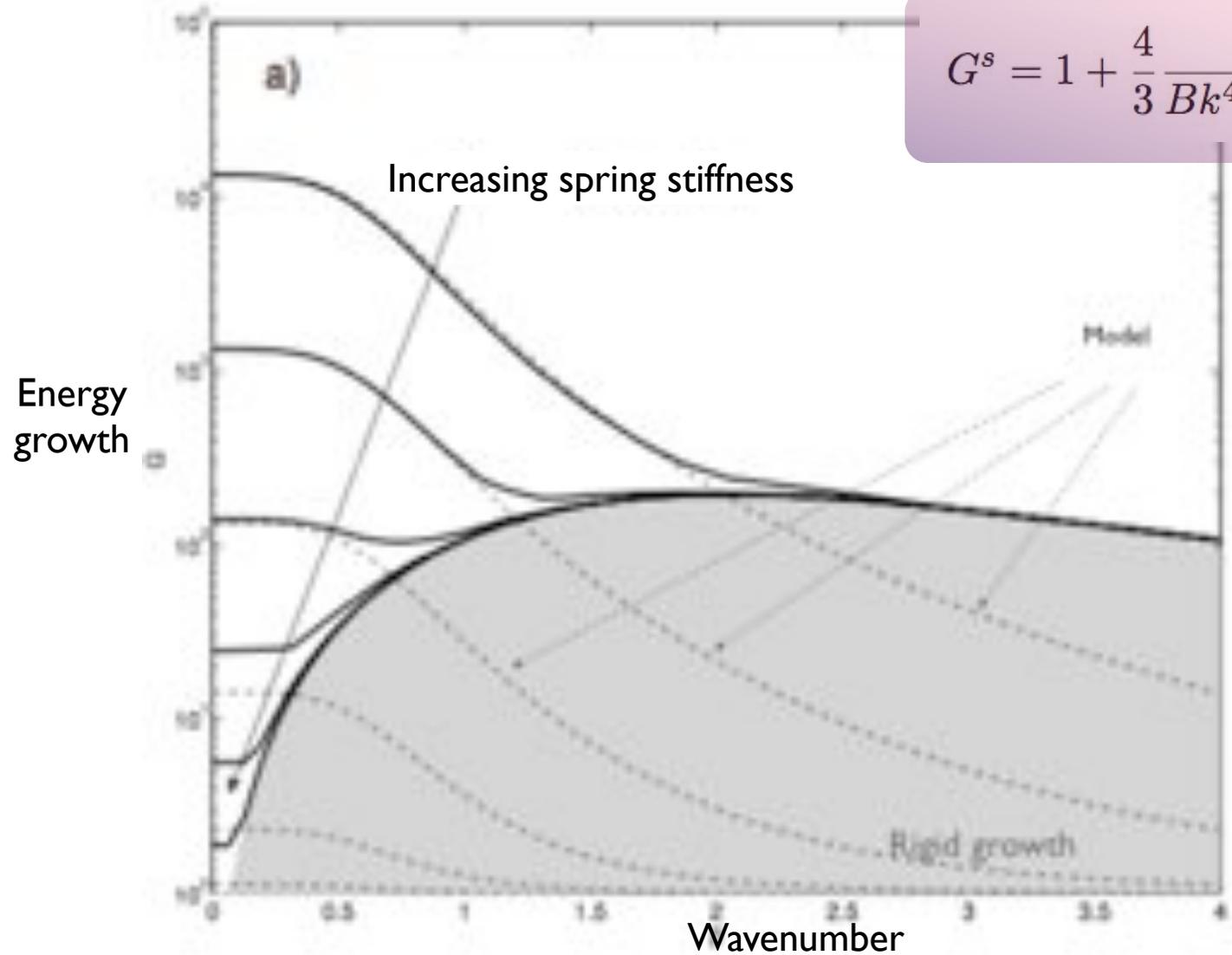
sinuous



varicose

Up and down model

Sinusous

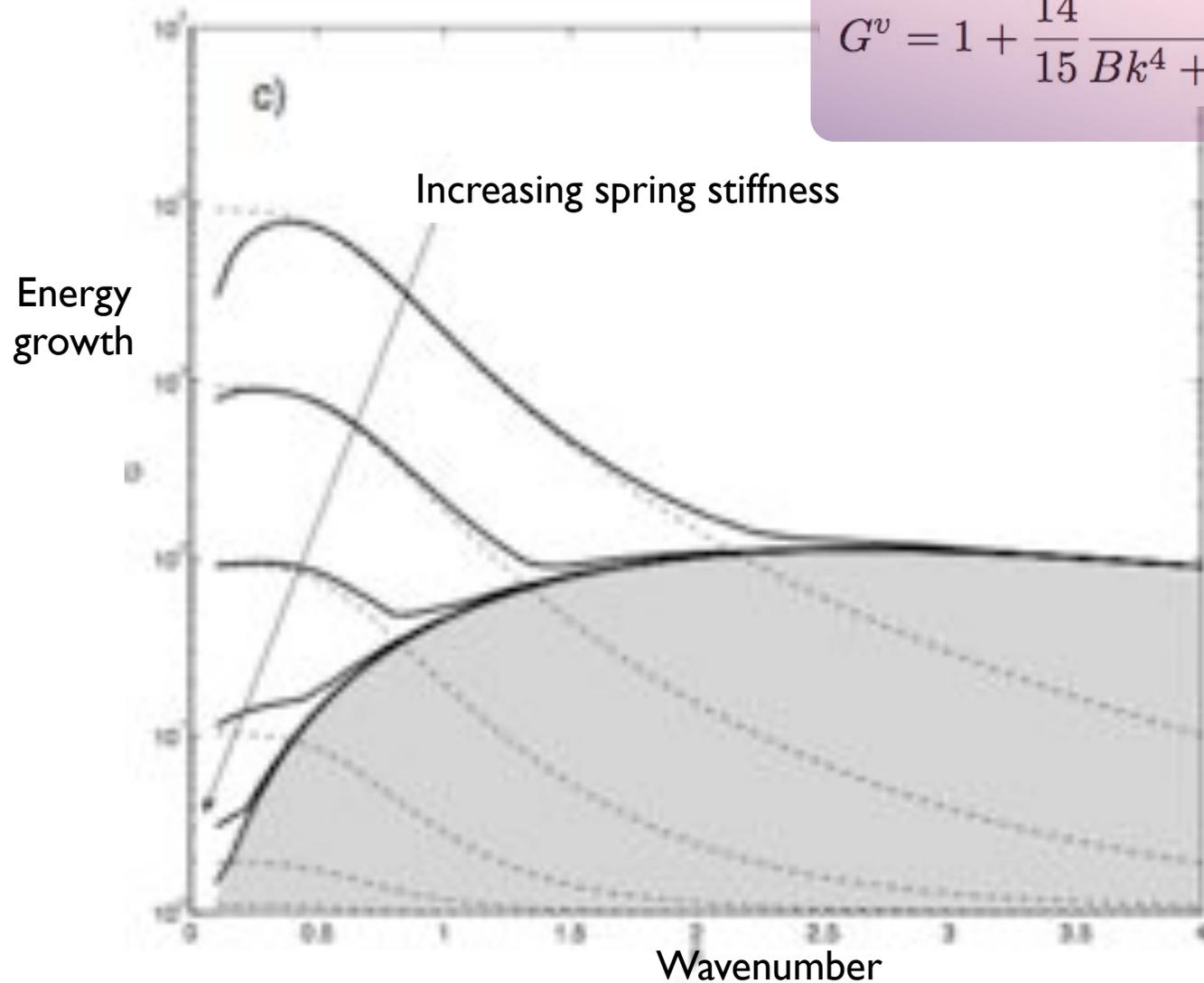


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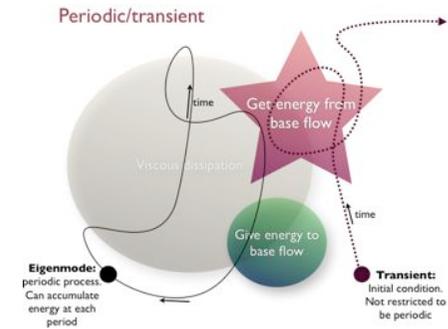
Up and down model

Varicose

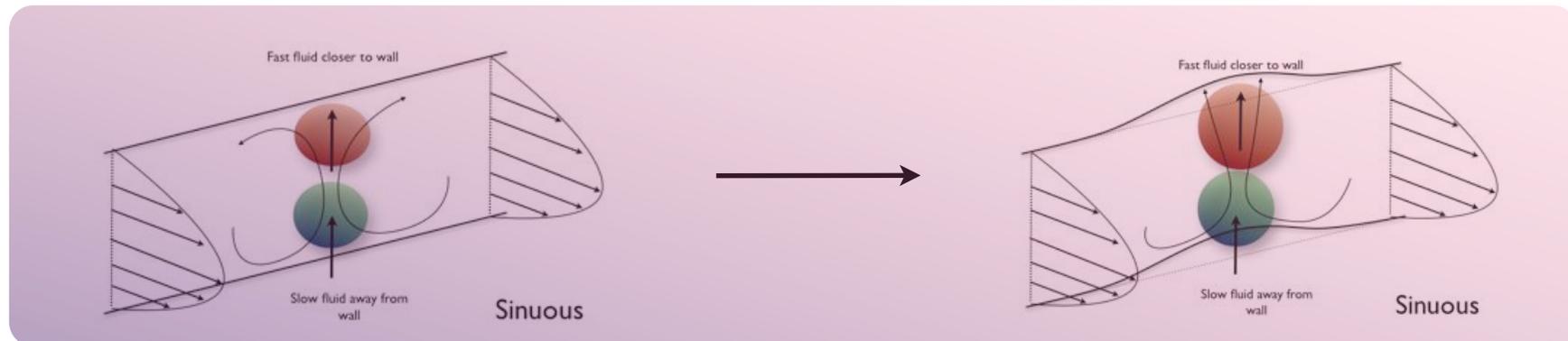
$$G^v = 1 + \frac{14}{15} \frac{Re^2}{Bk^4 + Tk^2 + K}$$



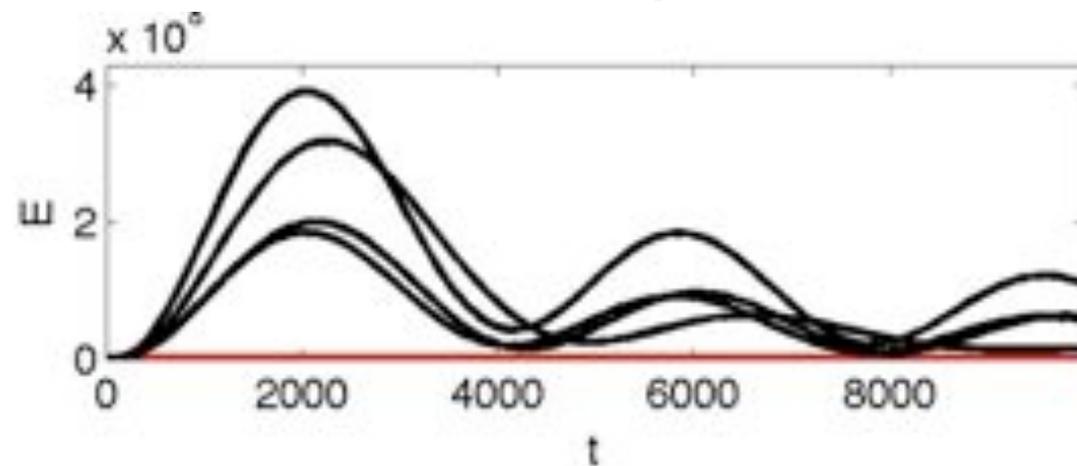
Conclusions



- Computation of the optimal initial conditions in channel flow with compliant walls: growth increases with wall compliance
- Transition likely to result from a competition of algebraic and exponential amplification mechanisms
- Random initial conditions excite sinuous and varicose mechanisms



Compliant surfaces



$$K=10^1$$

Flexible channel: slow oscillations

Large amplitude

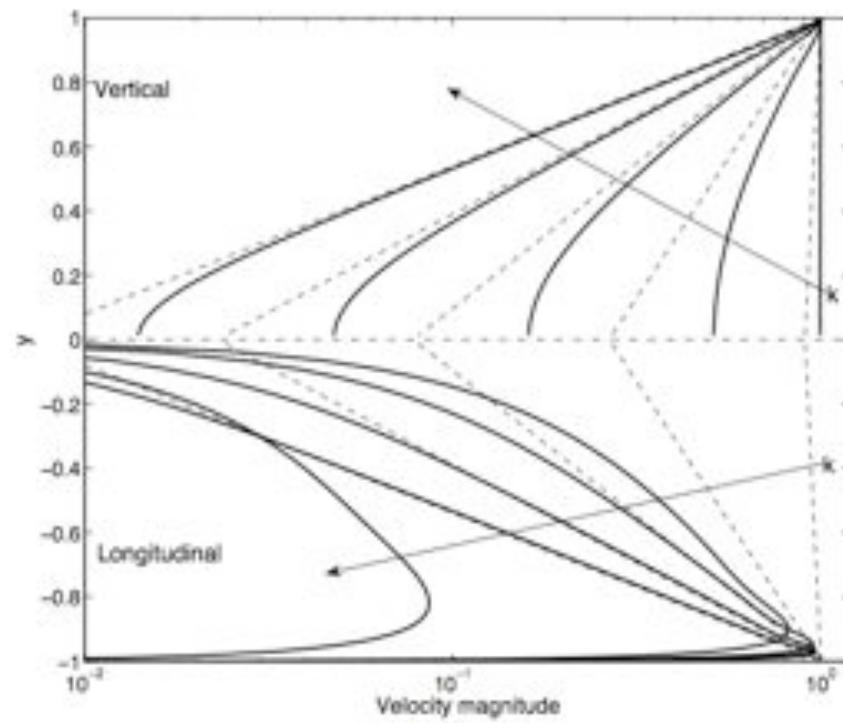
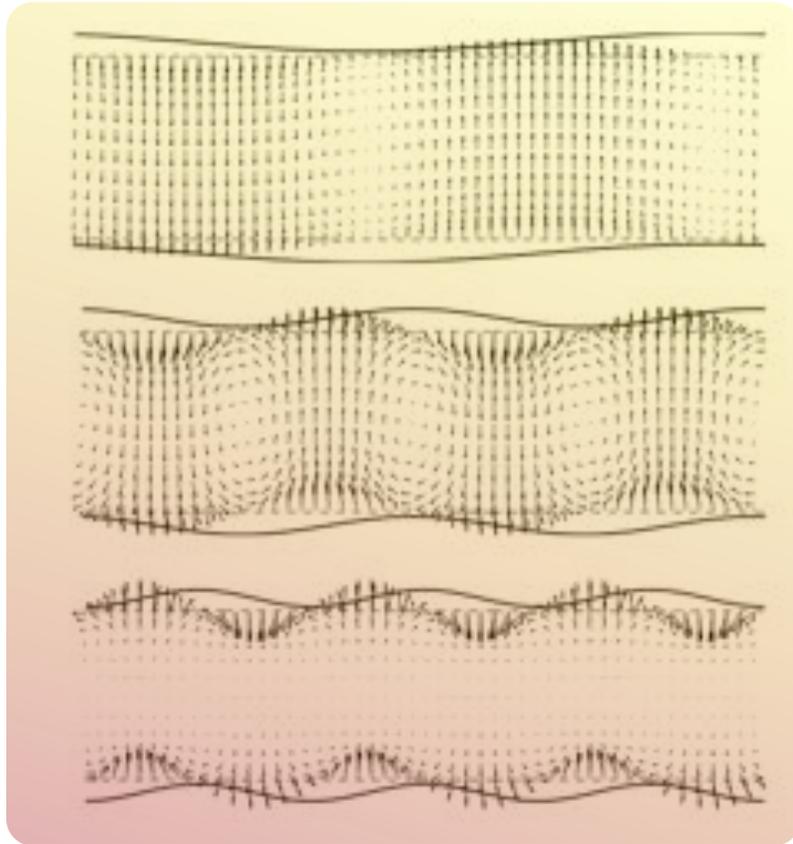
Wall waves

Pulsation of
the free wall:

$$m\omega^2 = \frac{Bk^4 + Tk^2 + K}{Re^2}$$

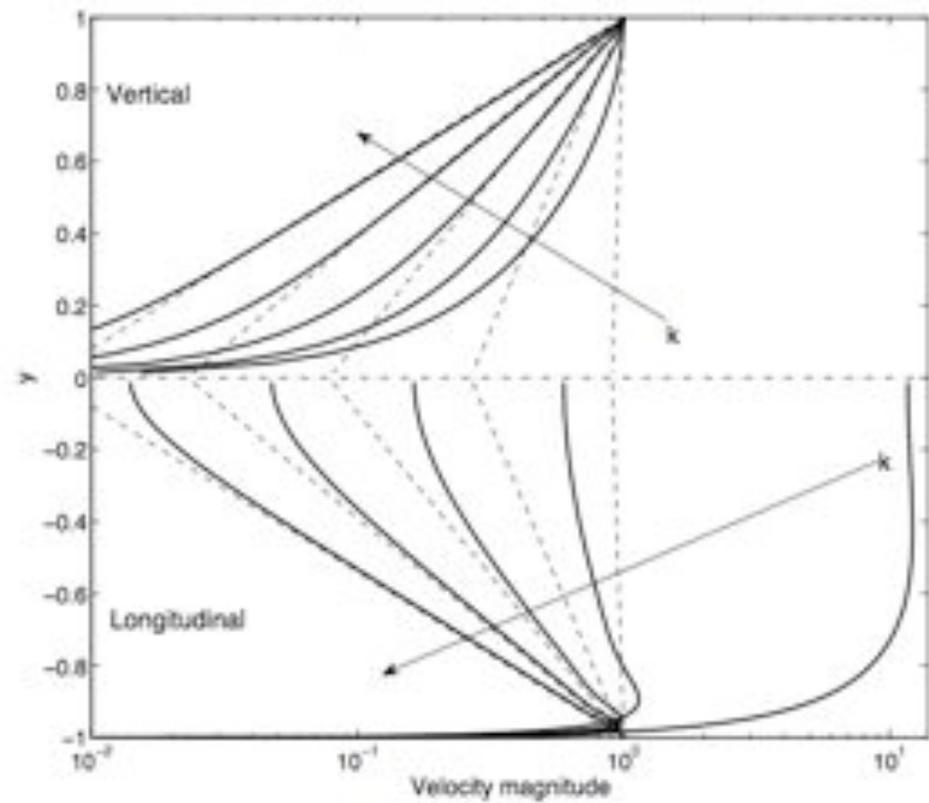
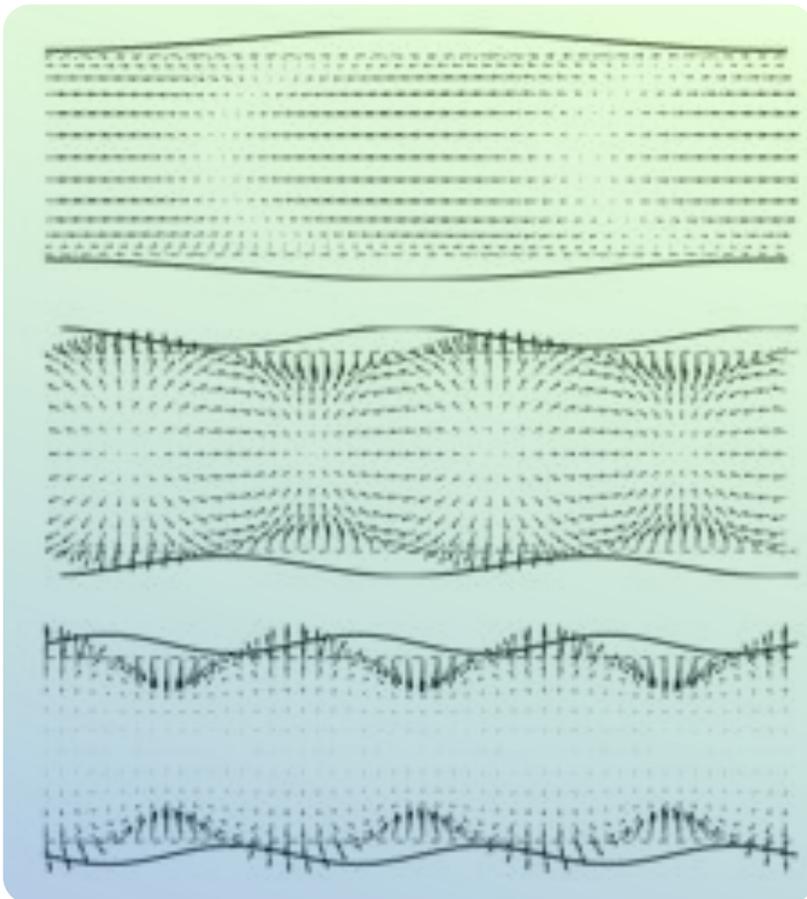
Wall waves

Sinuuous:



Wall waves

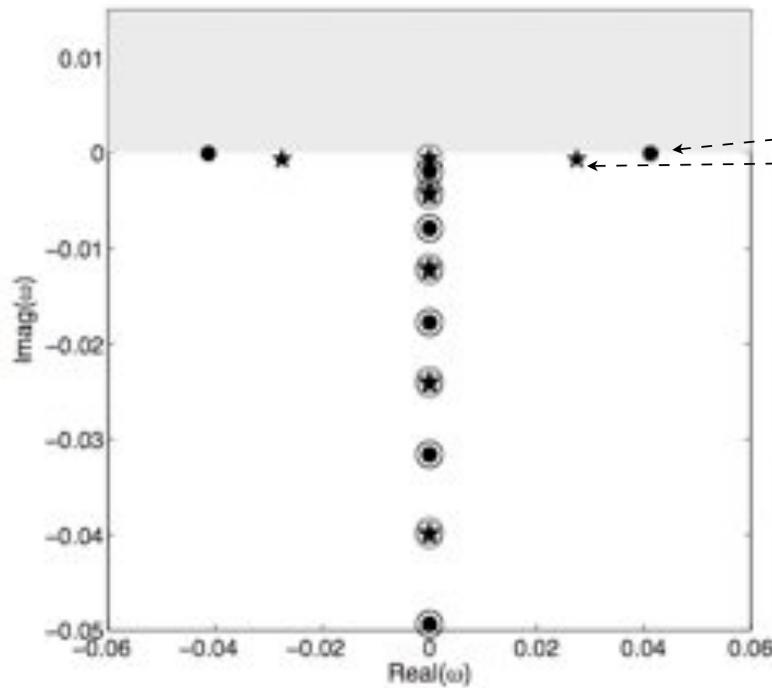
Varicose:



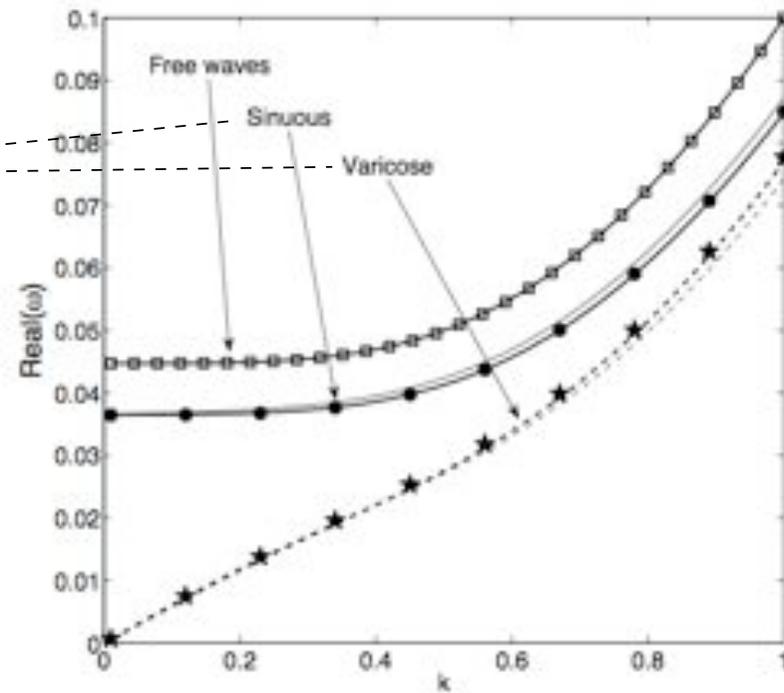
Fluid effect: added mass

sinuous: $m_a^s = (1 - e^{-k})/k$

varicose: $m_a^v = (1 - e^{-k})/k + 1/k^2$



Spectra



Pulsation:

free wall, computed eigenmodes,
added mass model, inviscid

Energy budget

$$\underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{2} \int_y \overline{u^2 + v^2 + w^2} dy \right)_t}_{(E_K^f)_t} + [\overline{vp}]_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} =$$

$$- \underbrace{\int_y U_y \overline{uv} dy}_{\text{Reynolds stress term}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{Re} [\overline{uu_y + vv_y}]_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}}}_{\text{Extra-energy removal and supply term}} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{Re} \int_y \overline{\omega \cdot \omega} dy}_{\text{Fluid viscous damping term}},$$

$$[\overline{vp}]_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} = \sum_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} \eta_t \left(m \eta_{tt} + \frac{d}{Re} \eta_t + \frac{B \Delta^2 - T \Delta + K}{Re^2} \eta \right),$$

$$= \sum_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} \left\{ \underbrace{m \left(\frac{\overline{\eta_t^2}}{2} \right)_t}_{(E_K^w)_t} + \underbrace{\frac{d}{Re} \overline{\eta_t^2}}_{\text{Viscous damping term in the wall}} + \underbrace{\left(\frac{B \overline{(\Delta \eta)^2} + T \overline{\nabla \eta \cdot \nabla \eta} + K \overline{\eta^2}}{2 Re^2} \right)_t}_{(E_P^w)_t} \right\},$$

$$\overline{E} \triangleq \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_y \overline{u^2 + v^2 + w^2} dy}_{\text{Flow}} + \underbrace{\sum_{\text{bot}}^{\text{top}} \frac{1}{2} \left(m \overline{\eta_t^2} + \frac{B \overline{(\Delta \eta)^2} + T \overline{\nabla \eta \cdot \nabla \eta} + K \overline{\eta^2}}{Re^2} \right)}_{\text{Walls}}.$$

Optimization of the initial conditions

$$\begin{aligned}u_t + U_y v &= 0, \\v_t &= -p_y, \\w_t &= -p_z, \\v_y + w_z &= 0.\end{aligned}$$



Energy growth scales like the square of the oscillation period

$$i\omega \hat{u} + U_y \hat{v} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \|\hat{u}\| = \frac{T^2}{4\pi^2} \int_y |U_y \hat{v}|^2 dy,$$

alpha non zero

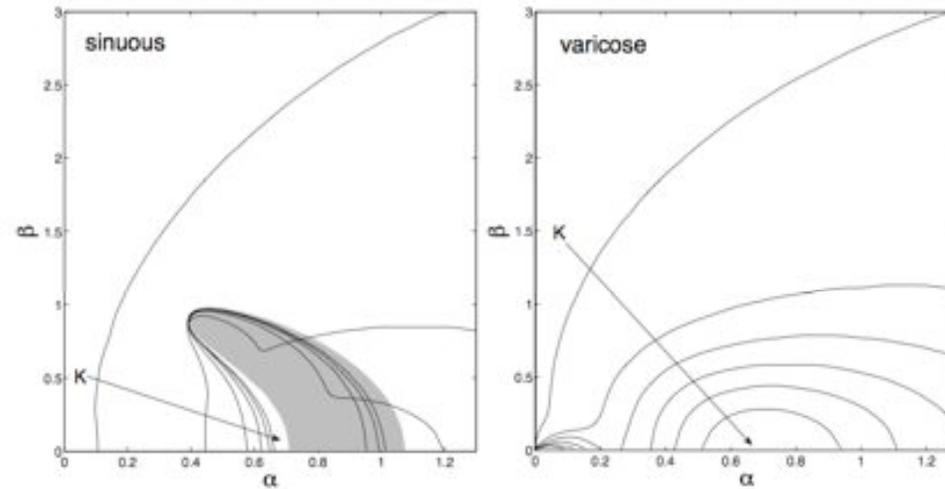


FIGURE 11. Neutral curves for spring stiffness K logarithmically spaced from 10^6 to 10^8 at $Re = 15000$, $d = 100$. The shaded area corresponds to unstable TS waves in the rigid channel.

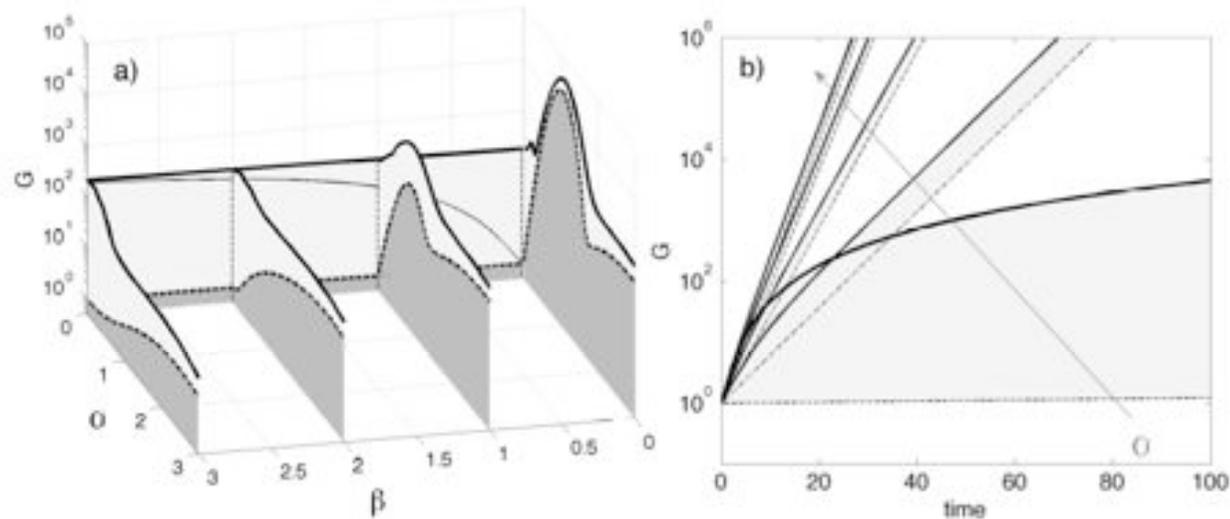
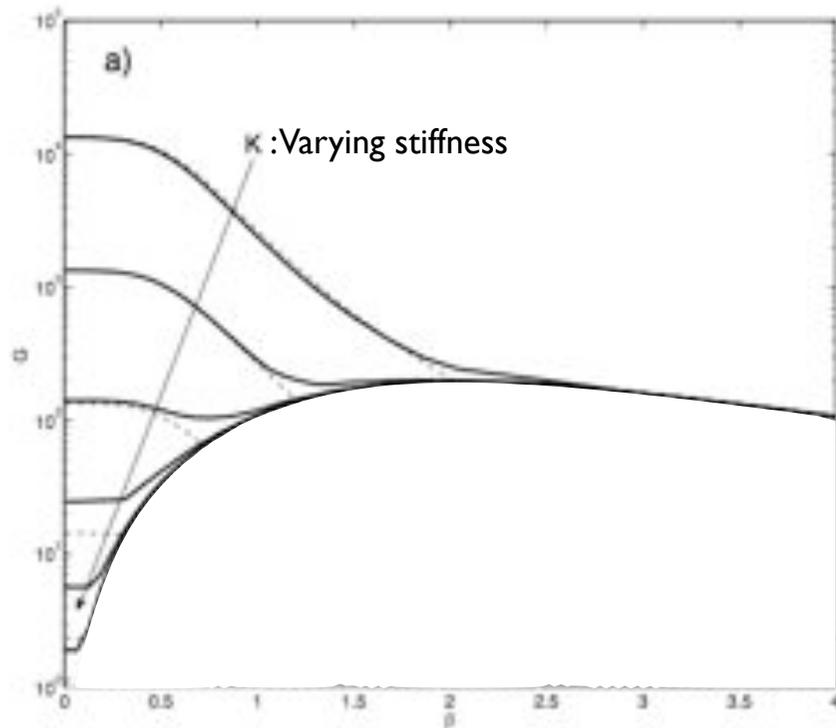
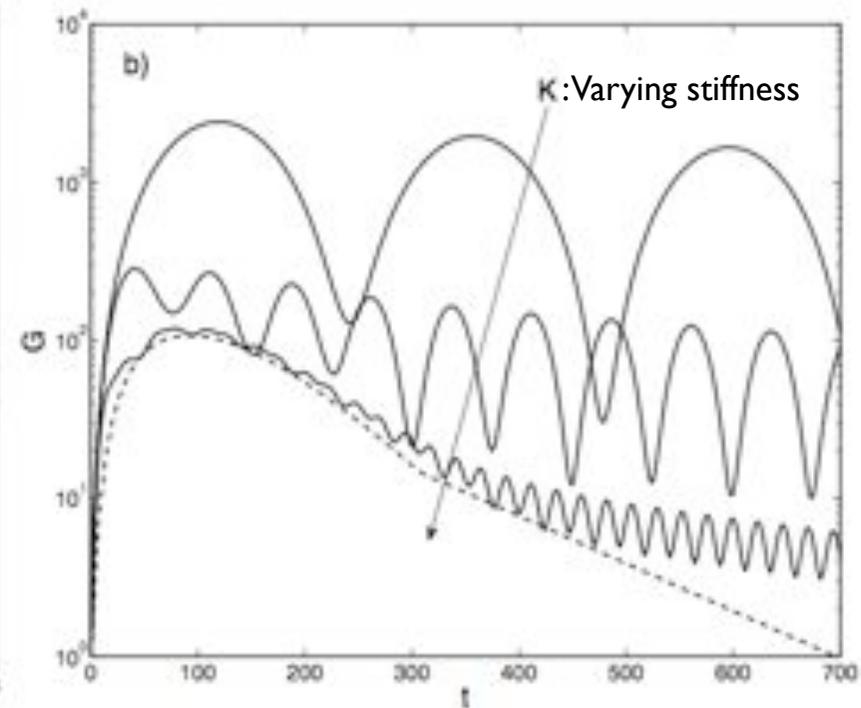


FIGURE 12. *a)* Optimal (thick solid) and exponential (dashed) growth at time 20, compared to optimal growth of the rigid-walls system at $\alpha = 0$ (thin solid) for $K = 1000$, $Re = 5000$, $d = 100$. *b)* Optimal (thick solid) and exponential growth (dashed) in time for $\beta = 0$ and α equispaced from 0.01 to 1.

Optimization results



Maximum growth, varying spanwise wavelength, compare to rigid growth



Envelopes in time, varying stiffness