

Acoustic metamaterial chains involving inertial amplification: *Linear case*

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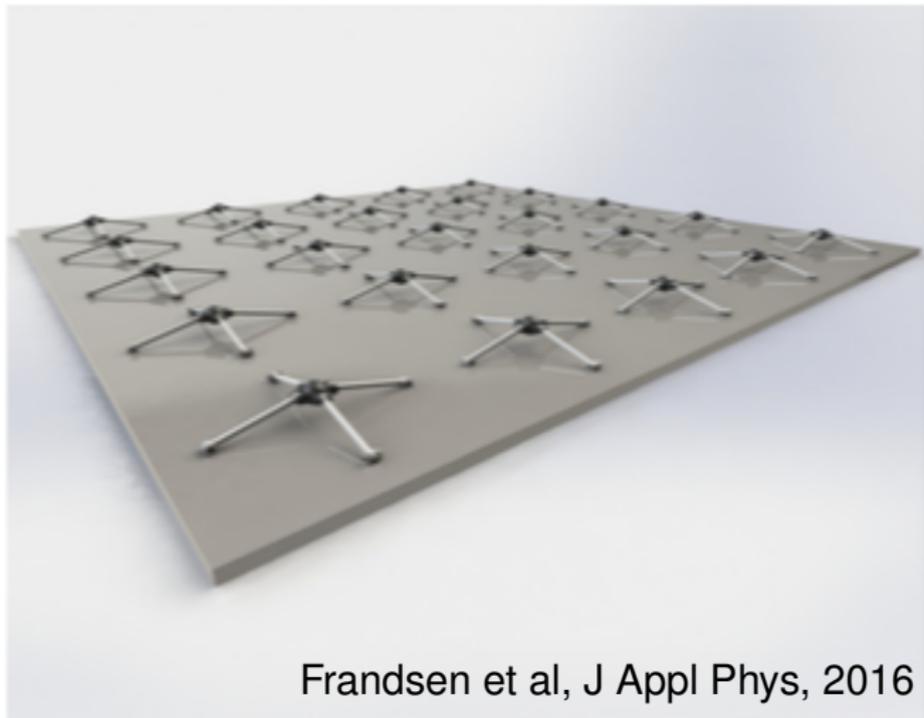
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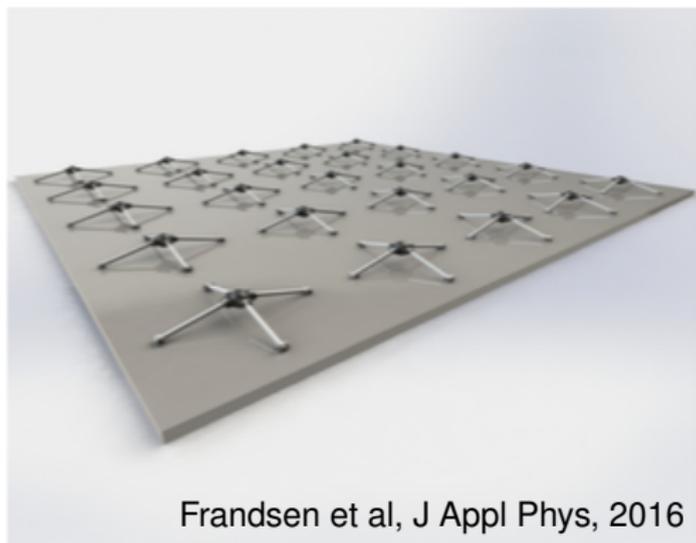
General area

- Seek **effective low-frequency noise isolation** using AMMs.
 - Components that cause noise pollution.
- **Without using heavy elements.**
 - Heavy = impractical for applications.
- Use **inerters**
 - Inertial force proportional to relative motion.
 - E.g. J-dampers in F1 racing car suspension systems.

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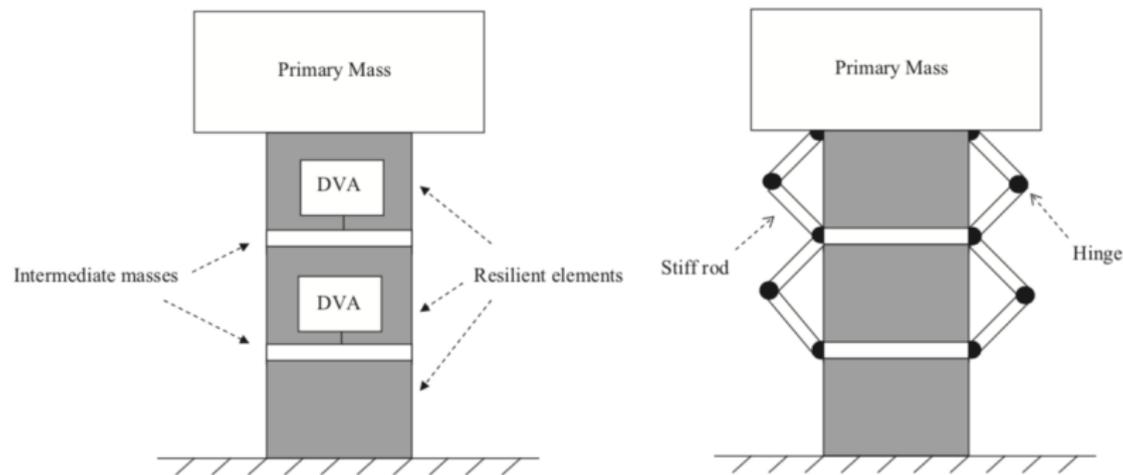
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Frandsen et al, J Appl Phys, 2016

*"... band gaps that are exceedingly wide and deep
... as much as twenty times less added mass
compared to what is needed in a standard local
resonator configuration"*

An application (Dylejko & MacGillvray, 2014)



Vibration isolators

- Prevent noise propagating through supporting structure.
- Suffer from high frequency internal resonances.
- Nb. different motivation.

AMM as 1D chain

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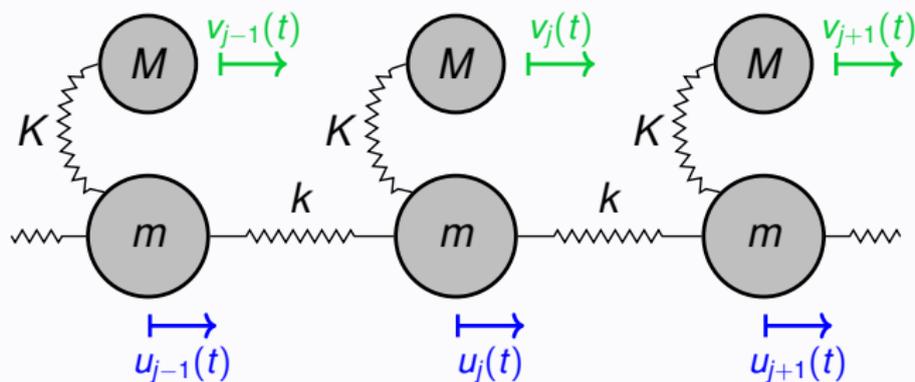
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- **Infinite chain "facilitates analysis"**.

Standard AMM: Mass-in-mass chain

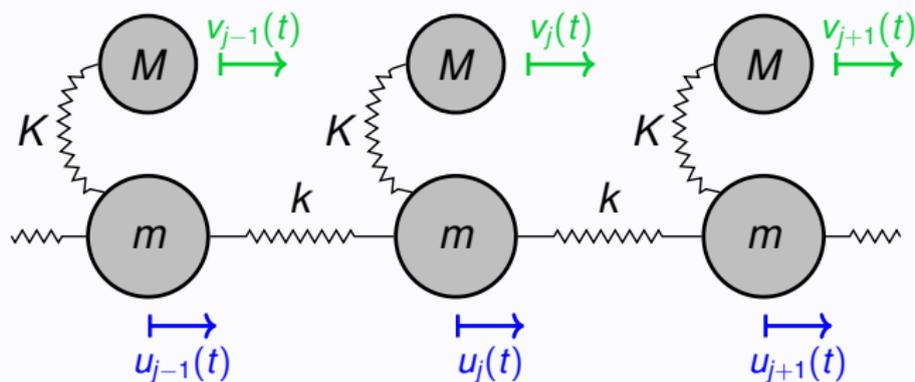


Equations of motion

$$m \ddot{u}_j + k (2 u_j - u_{j-1} - u_{j+1}) + K (u_j - v_j) = 0$$

$$M \ddot{v}_j + K (v_j - u_j) = 0$$

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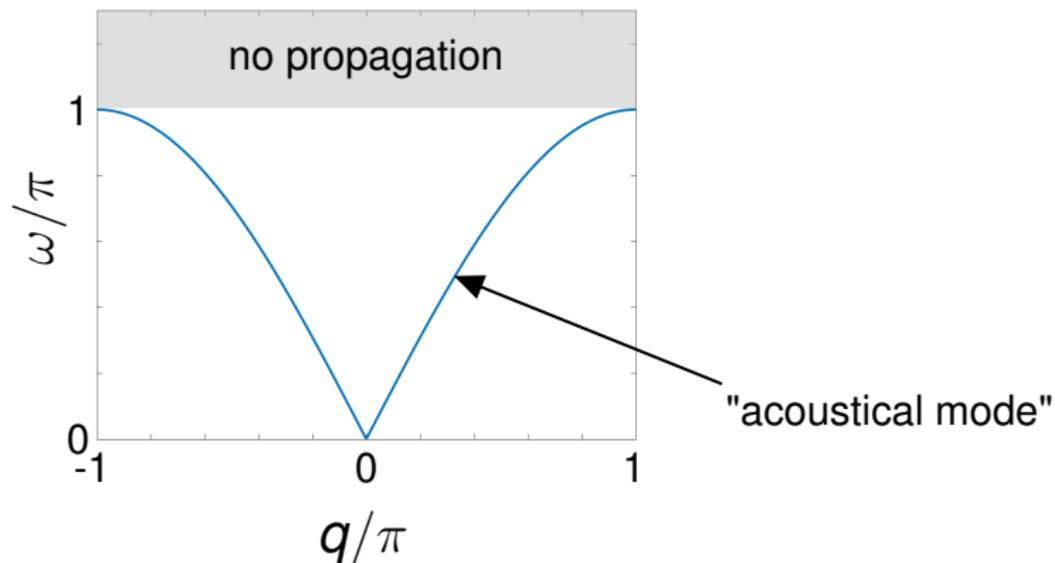
$$u_j = \hat{u} e^{i(qj - \omega t)} \quad \text{and} \quad v_j = \hat{v} e^{i(qj - \omega t)}$$

where ω = angular freq; q = Bloch-Floquet waveno $\in (-\pi, \pi]$.

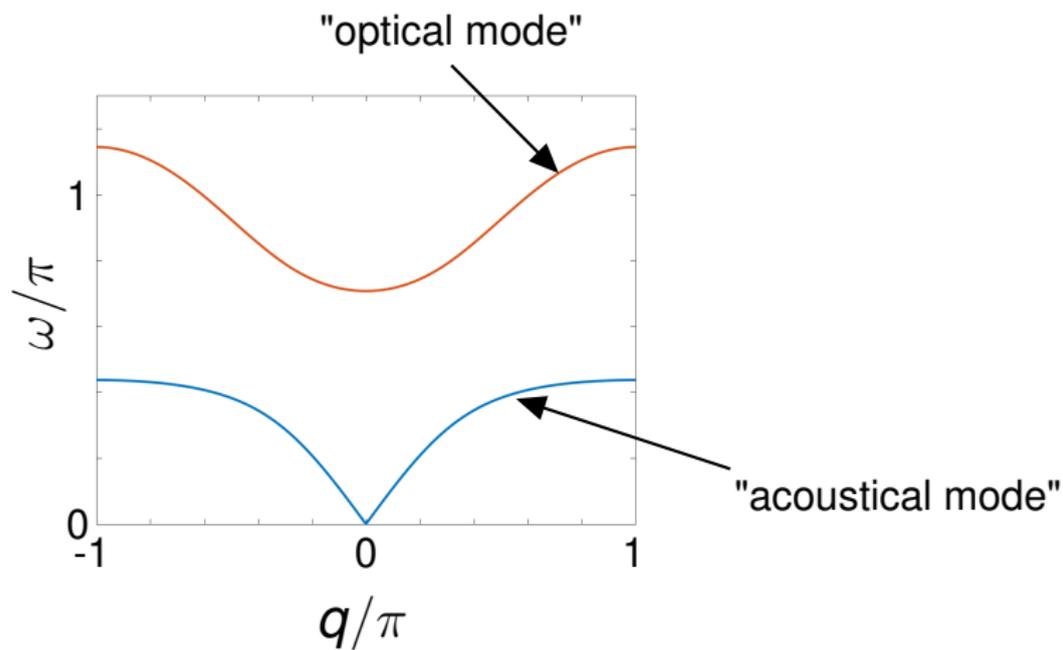
Dispersion relation

$$m M \omega^4 - \{K(m + M) + 2k(1 - \cos q)\} \omega^2 + 2(1 - \cos q) = 0$$

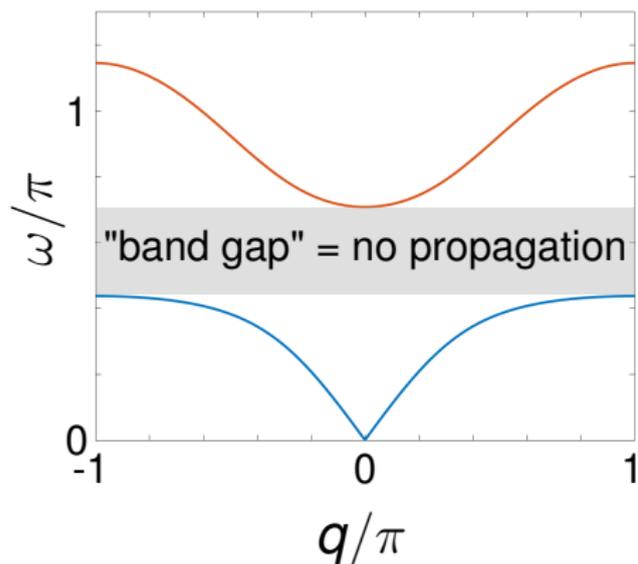
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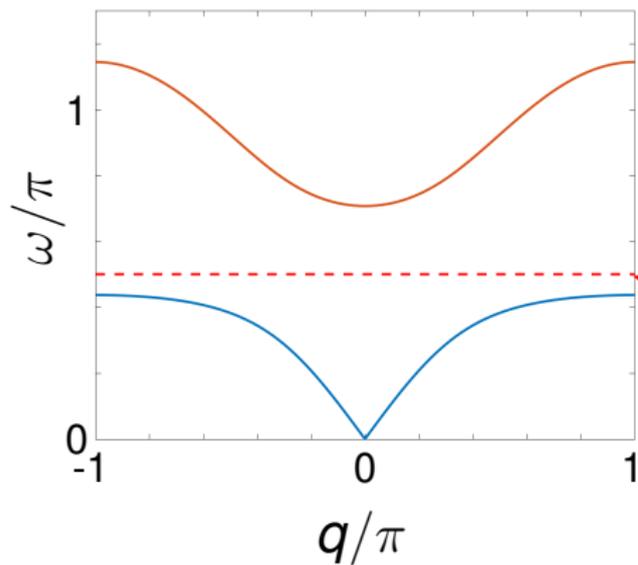
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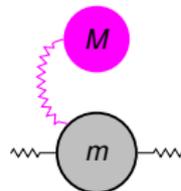
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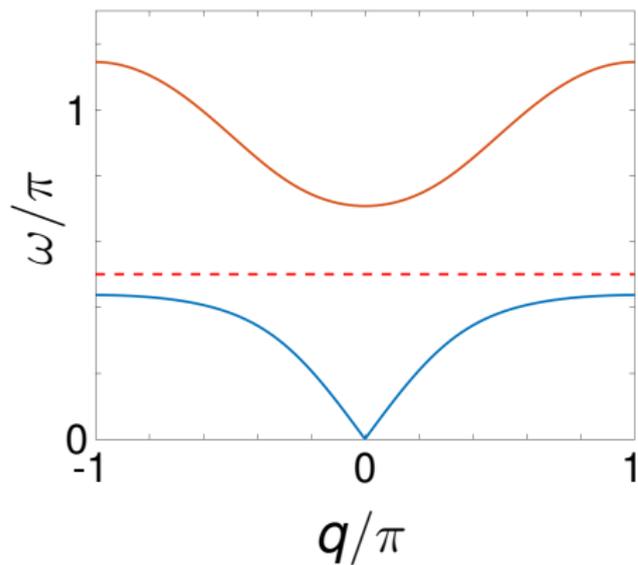


anti-resonance: $\omega^2 = \omega_*^2 \equiv \frac{K}{M}$



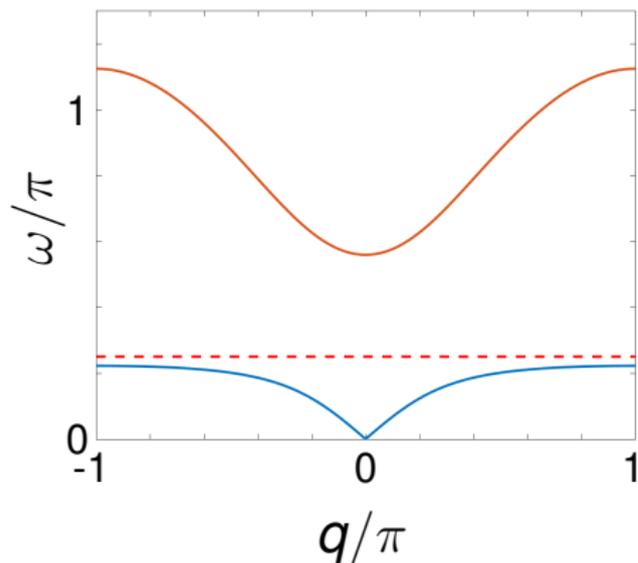
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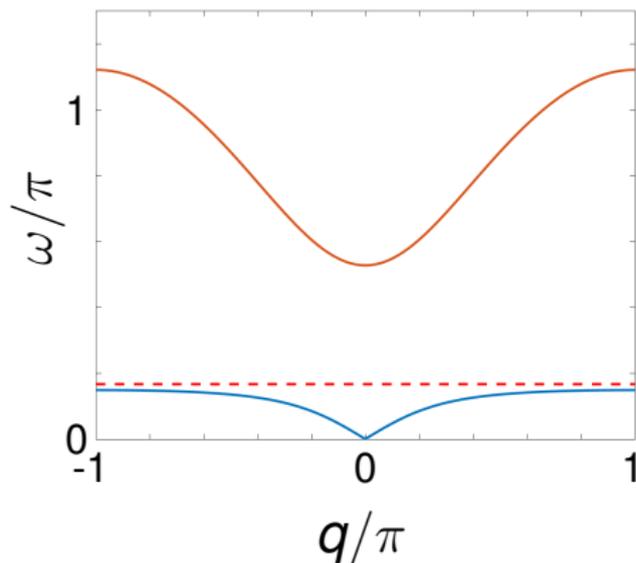
$$M = 4m$$



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= lower band gap

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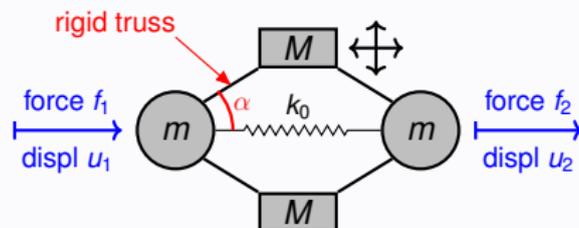
$$M = 9m$$



Lower resonances
= lower band gap
But mass increases

Basic element (the black box)

Lightweight attachments = geometry



Linearised equations of motion

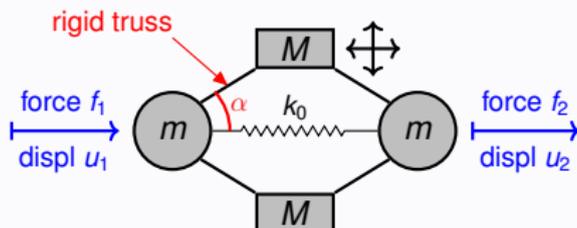
$$-f_1 = \omega^2 \left(m + \frac{M}{2} (1 + \gamma^2) \right) u_1 + \frac{\omega^2 M}{2} (1 - \gamma^2) u_2 + k_0 (u_2 - u_1)$$

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with geometrical parameter $\gamma = \cot \alpha$.

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Compliance and stiffness matrices

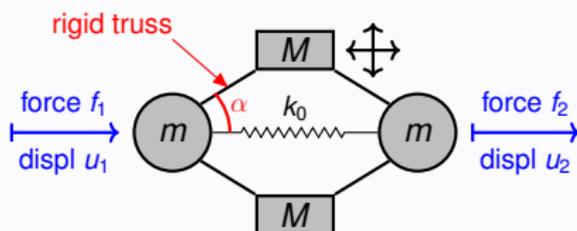
$$\begin{pmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \end{pmatrix} = C_0 \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{pmatrix} = D_0 \begin{pmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Resonance: $\omega = \omega_0$ st. $\det C_0 = 0$

Anti-resonance: $\omega = \omega_*$ st. $C_0 = \text{diag } C_0, D_0 = \text{diag } D_0$

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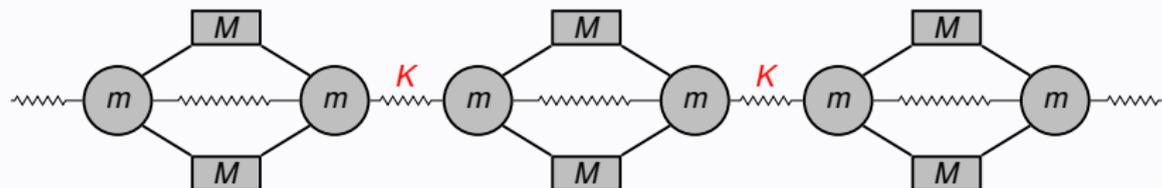
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$$\text{Resonance: } \omega_0^2 = \frac{2 k_0 (m + M)}{m^2 + m M (1 + \gamma^2) + M^2 \gamma^2}$$

$$\text{Anti-resonance: } \omega_*^2 = \frac{2 k_0}{M(\gamma^2 - 1)} \quad \text{for } \gamma < 1, \quad (\alpha < \pi/4)$$

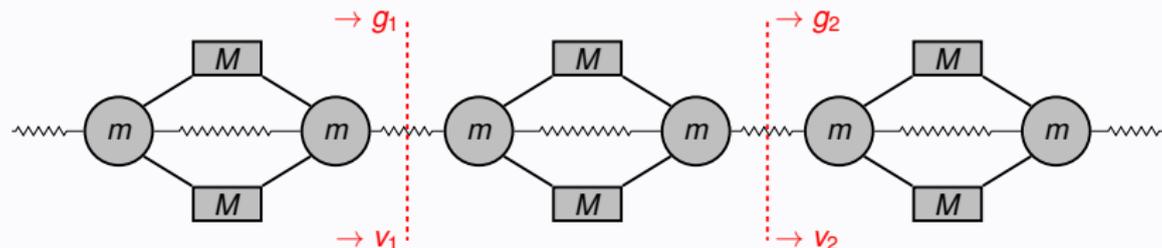
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Transfer matrix P (encodes all info):

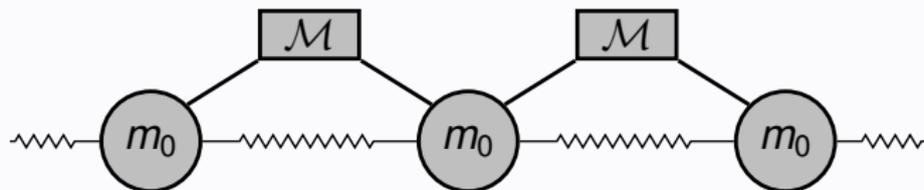
$$\begin{pmatrix} v_2 \\ g_2 \end{pmatrix} = P \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ -g_1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with e'vals} \quad \lambda_{\pm} = \exp(iq)$$

where q = Bloch–Floquet wavenumber.

- ω_* unchanged but ω_0 is (in general).

Limit 1: Yilmaz & Hulbert (Phys Lett A, 2010)

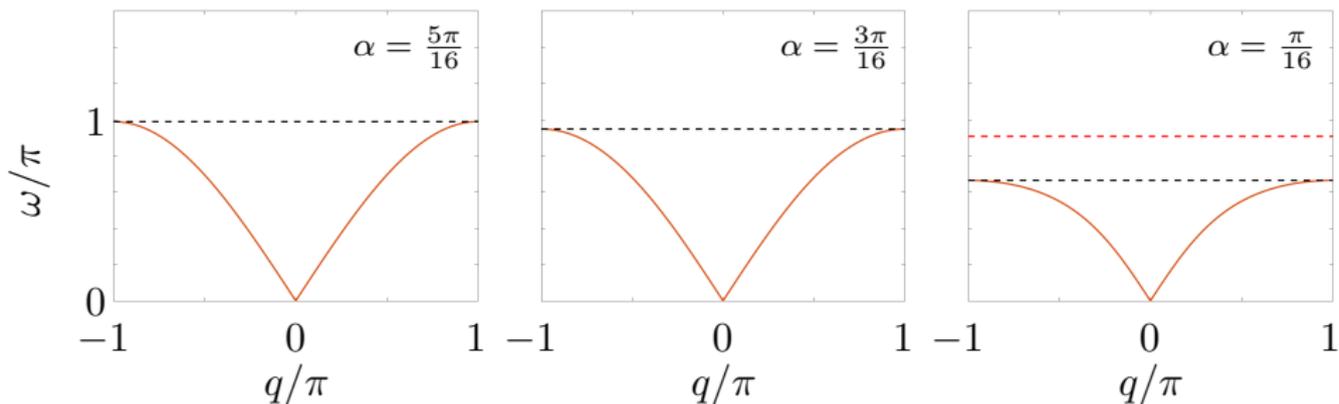
$$K \rightarrow \infty; M = \mathcal{M}/2; m = m_0/2$$



$$\omega_0^2 \rightarrow \frac{4k_0}{m_0 + \mathcal{M}\gamma^2} = \frac{2k_0}{m + M\gamma^2}$$

$$\omega_*^2 \rightarrow \frac{4k_0}{\mathcal{M}(\gamma^2 - 1)} = \frac{2k_0}{M(\gamma^2 - 1)} \quad \text{for } \alpha < \pi/4.$$

Limit 1: Band diagrams $k_0/m_0 = \pi^2/4$, $\mathcal{M}/m_0 = 0.1$

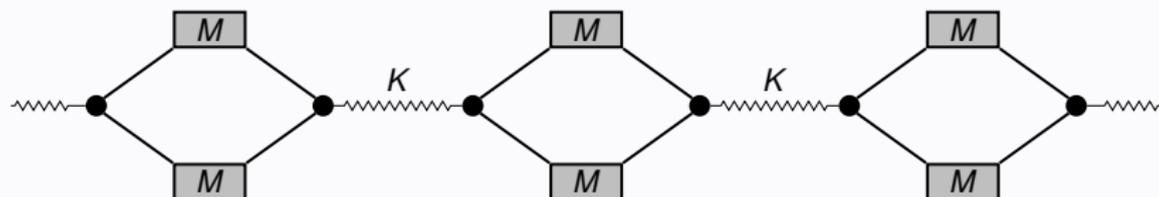


— acoustical branch - - - ω_0 - · - ω_*

- Resonant frequency ω_0 controls band height.
- Anti-resonant frequency ω_* controls gap “depth”.

Limit 2: Bobrovnskii (Acoust Phys, 2014)

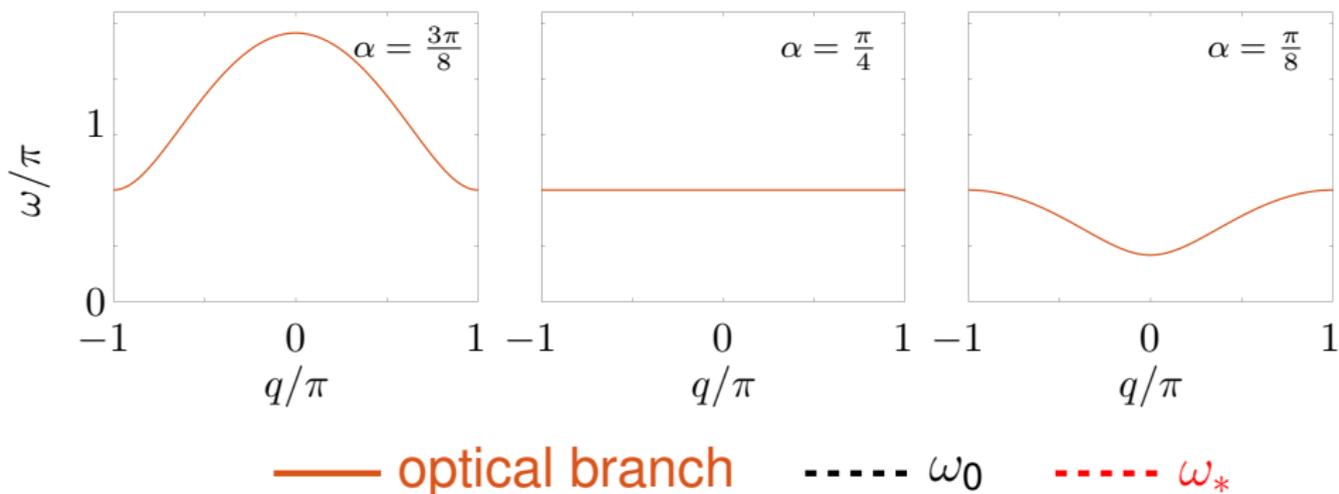
$k_0, m \rightarrow 0$



$$\omega_0^2 \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \omega_*^2 \rightarrow 0$$

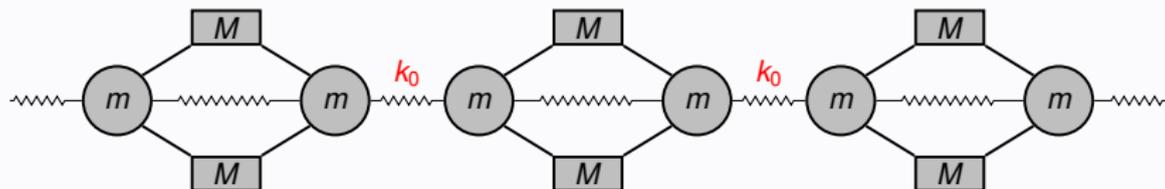
- Basic element has no restoring.
- Always have branch $\omega(q) = 0$.

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- Acoustical branch (not shown) on q -axis.

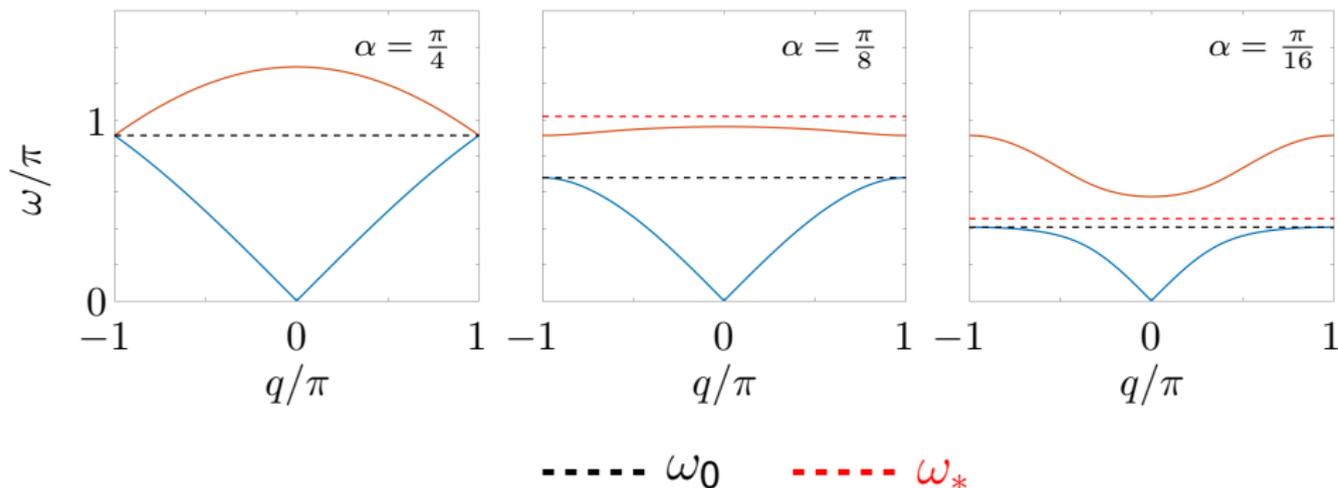
Back to original system with $K = k_0$



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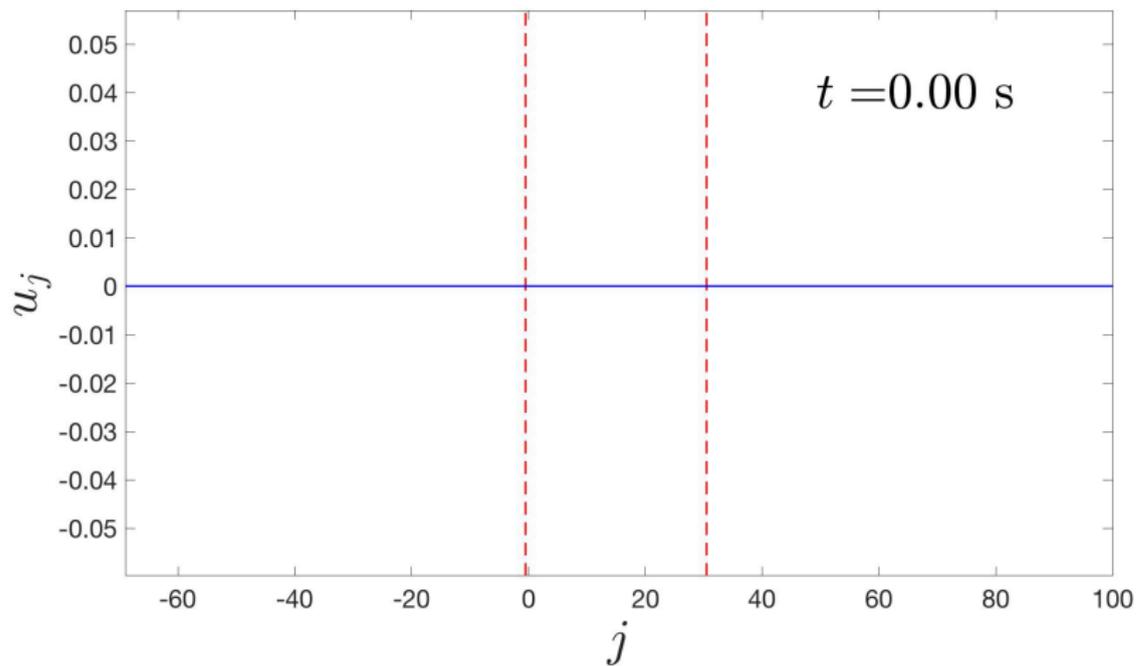
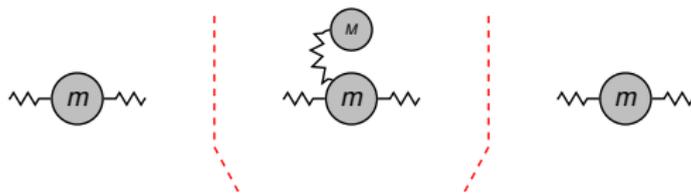
- Same resonance and anti-resonance as Yilmaz chain.
- Half the attached mass, but...

Band diagrams: $M/m = 0.2$; $K/M = \pi^2/2$

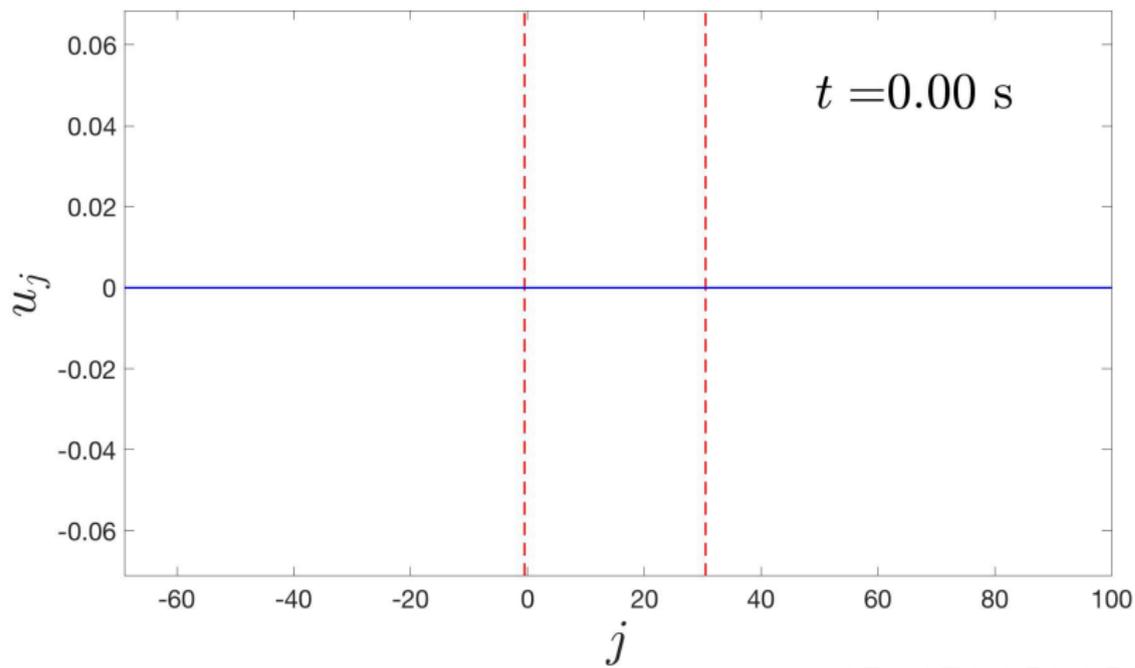
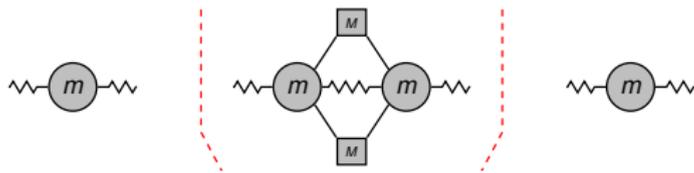


- ... at expense of **acoustical** and **optical** branches.
- Anti-resonance ω_* controls concavity of optical branch.

Mass-in-mass: $M/m = 0.1$; $\omega/\pi = 0.45$



Our system: $M/m = 0.1$; $\omega/\pi = 0.45$; $\alpha = \pi/16$



Final slide

Summary

- Toy model.
- Attached masses excite resonance/anti-resonance to suppress low-frequency vibrations.
- Lightweight attachments can achieve this using geometry.

At KOZWaves 2020...

Alex's idea:

- Nonlinearity (physical or geometrical) to transfer energy to higher frequencies (and damp).
- Modulational instability between acoustical and optical branches for efficient energy transfer.