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Back to Lamb Modes in a Soft Plate

Soft Solids

EcoFlex[®] = silicon gel

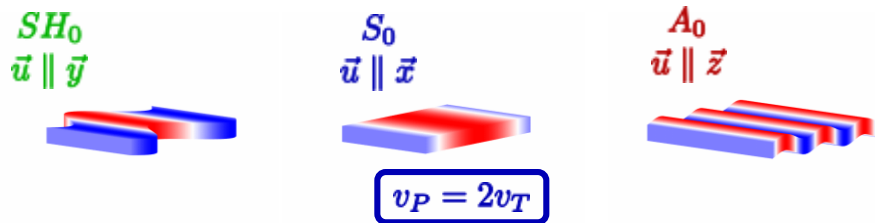
Order of magnitude : $v_T \sim 5 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$
 $v_L \sim 1000 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$



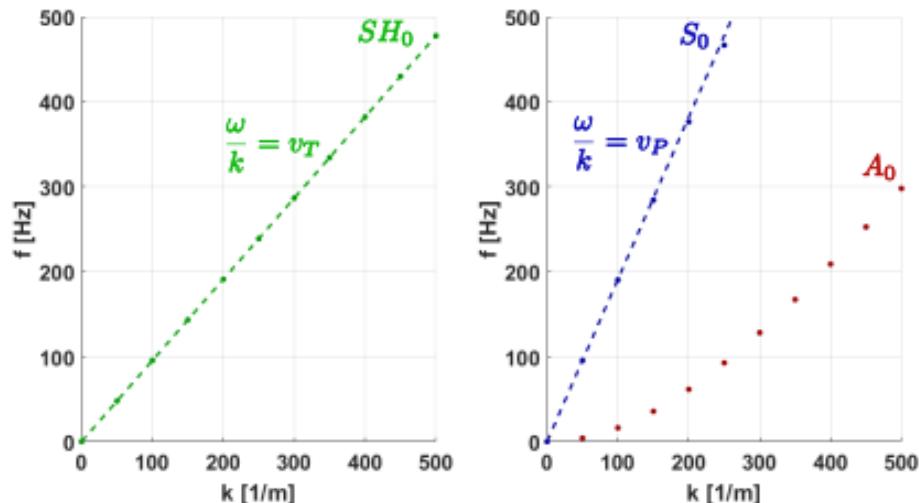
Lamb modes in a Plate of Ecoflex

Families of modes

Unchanged SH
 Symmetric S
 Antisymmetric A



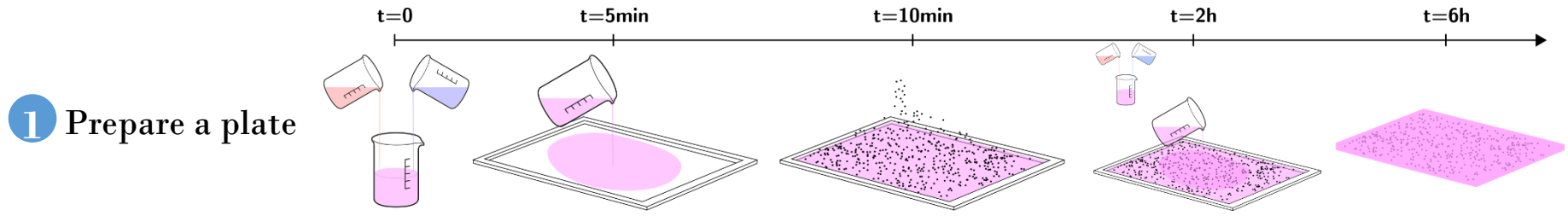
Dispersion Relation, thickness=3mm (COMSOL)



In-plane displacement & Non-dispersive



Experimental Setup

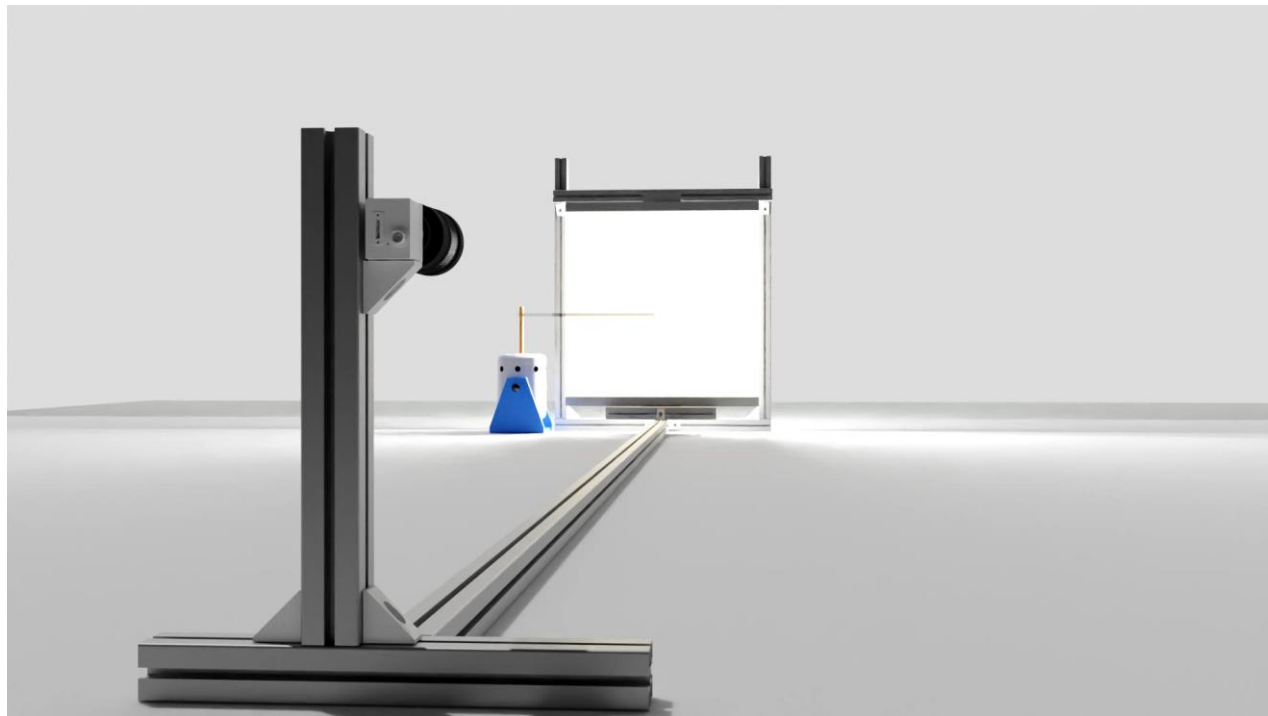


1 Prepare a plate

2 Monochromatic point source

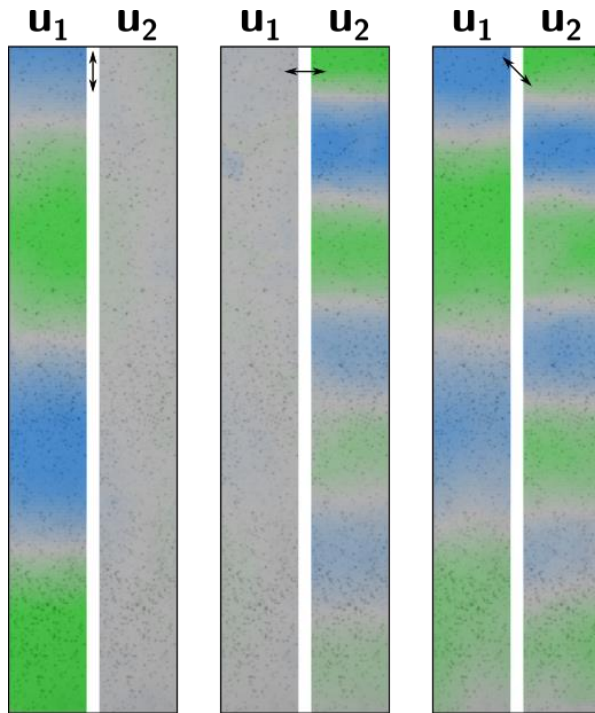
3 Stroboscopy

4 Digital Image Correlation



Measurement of Mode Velocities in a Soft Plate

Monochromatic plane wave

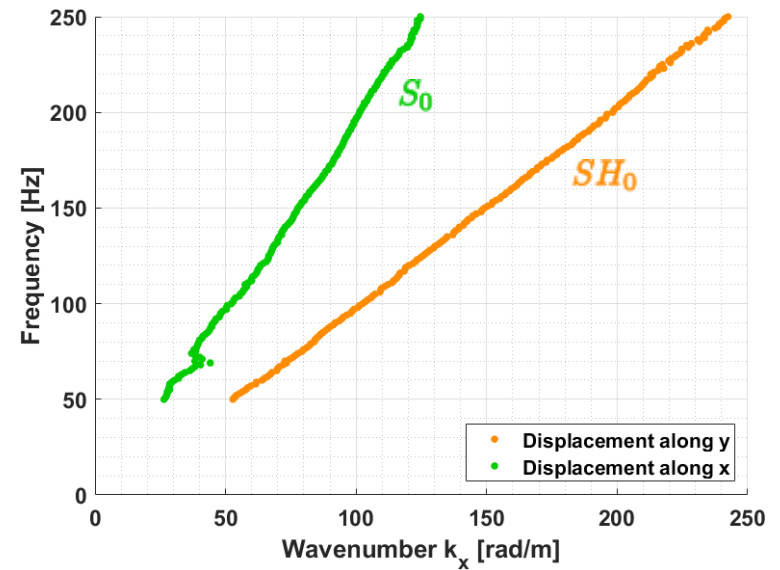


Time-Fourier coefficient of the displacement field for different source polarisations at 120 Hz

Spatial FT



Mode dispersion and velocities



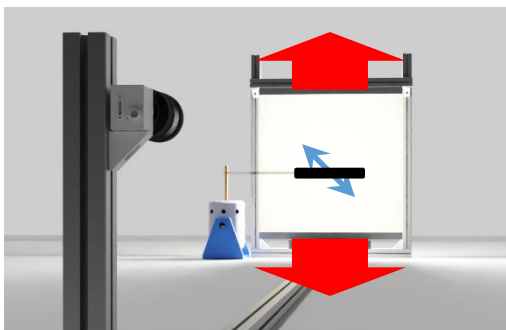
$$v_T = 6 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$$

$$v_P = 12 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$$

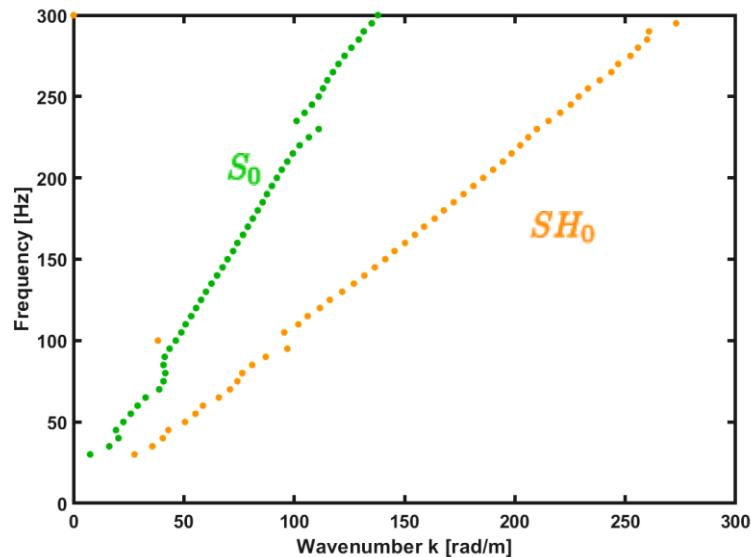
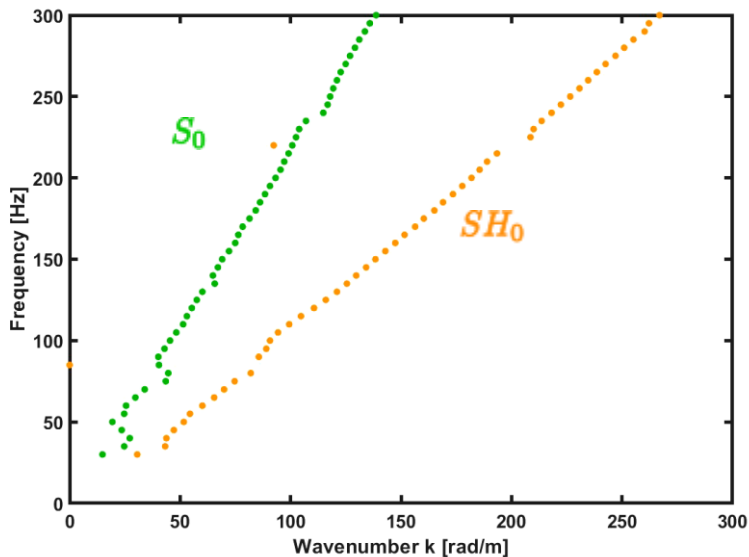
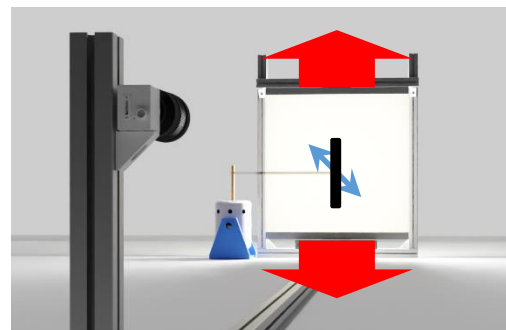


And in a Stretched Soft Plate

Along the elongation

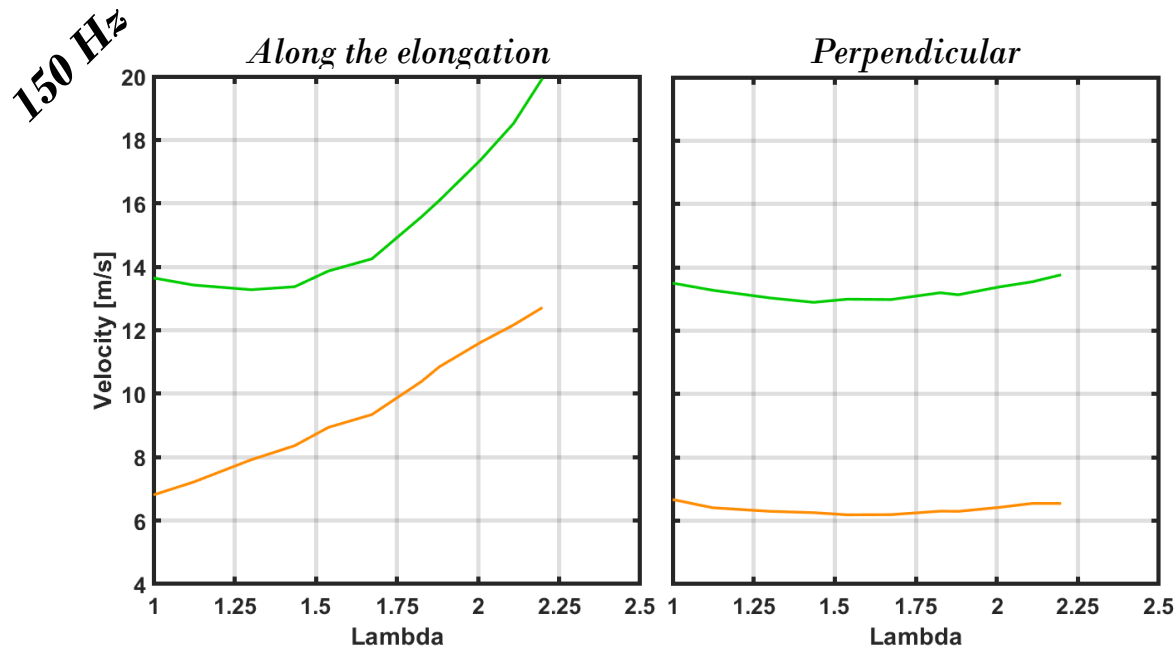


Perpendicular to the elongation





Evolution of Mode Velocities with Stretch Ratio



- **Change in Velocities**
- **Non-linear Evolution**
- **Induced Anisotropy**

How to build a model to understand those evolutions ?

From Linear Elasticity ...

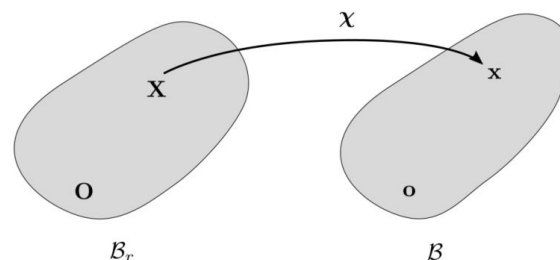
Let's define some useful tensors

Deformation gradient $F = \text{Grad } \chi(\mathbf{X})$

Displacement field $\mathbf{u}(\mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{X}$

Linear Strain tensor $\epsilon = \frac{\nabla \mathbf{u}^\top + \nabla \mathbf{u}}{2}$

Cauchy's Stress tensor σ



Hooke's Law = Constitutive Law for Linear Materials

$$\sigma_{ij} = C_{ijkl} \epsilon_{kl}$$

Elasticity Tensor

where $C_{ijkl} = C_{jikl} = C_{ijlk} = C_{klij}$

Major Symmetries \rightarrow Voigt Notation

Wave Equation

$$C_{ijkl} \frac{\partial^2 u_l}{\partial X_j \partial X_k} = \rho_r \frac{\partial^2 u_i}{\partial t^2}$$



... to Non-Linear Elasticity

Tensors need to be modified

$$\epsilon = \frac{\nabla \mathbf{u}^\top + \nabla \mathbf{u}}{2} \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathbf{E} = \frac{\nabla \mathbf{u}_0^\top + \nabla_0 \mathbf{u}}{2} + \frac{\nabla_0 \mathbf{u}^\top \nabla \mathbf{u}}{2}$$

Cauchy stress tensor defined in the deformed configuration σ \rightarrow S 2nd Piola-Kirchhoff tensor defined in the reference configuration

$$\sigma_{ij} = C_{ijkl} \epsilon_{kl} \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathbf{S} = f(\mathbf{E})$$

Neo-Hookean	$\frac{\mu}{2} (\bar{I}_1 - 3) + \frac{K}{2} (J - 1)^2$
Mooney-Rivlin	$c_1 (\bar{I}_1 - 3) + c_2 (\bar{I}_2 - 3) + \frac{K}{2} (J - 1)^2$
Gent	$-\frac{\mu J_m}{2} \ln \left(1 - \frac{\bar{I}_1 - 3}{J_m} \right) + \frac{K}{2} (J - 1)^2$
Fung	$\frac{\mu}{2b} \left[e^{b(\bar{I}_1 - 3)} - 1 \right] + \frac{K}{2} (J - 1)^2$

Hyperelasticity, with a strain energy density function

$$\mathbf{S} = \frac{\partial W}{\partial \mathbf{E}} \quad \rightarrow \quad C_{ijkl} = \frac{\partial^2 W}{\partial F_{ji} \partial F_{lk}} \quad \text{and} \quad C_{0ijkl} = \frac{1}{J} F_{ip} F_{kq} C_{pjql}$$

*Eulerian Elasticity
(using material coordinates)*

Wave Equation

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Hyperelasticity

$$C_{ijkl} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ c_{66} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ c_{66} & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \bullet & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \bullet & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}$$

hyperelastic

eulerian $\rightarrow C_{0ijkl} = \begin{pmatrix} \bullet & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}$

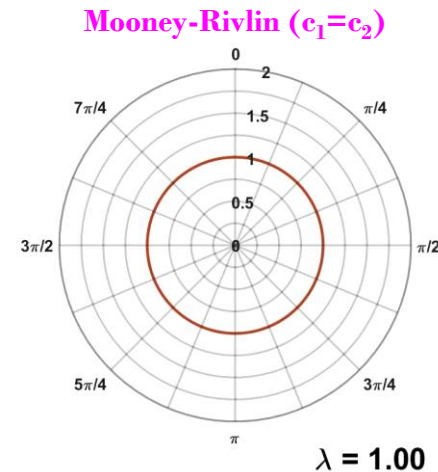
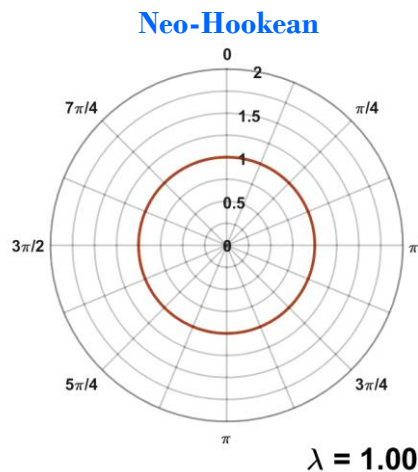
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Shear Velocities and Slowness Curves

Christoffel Equation for plane waves

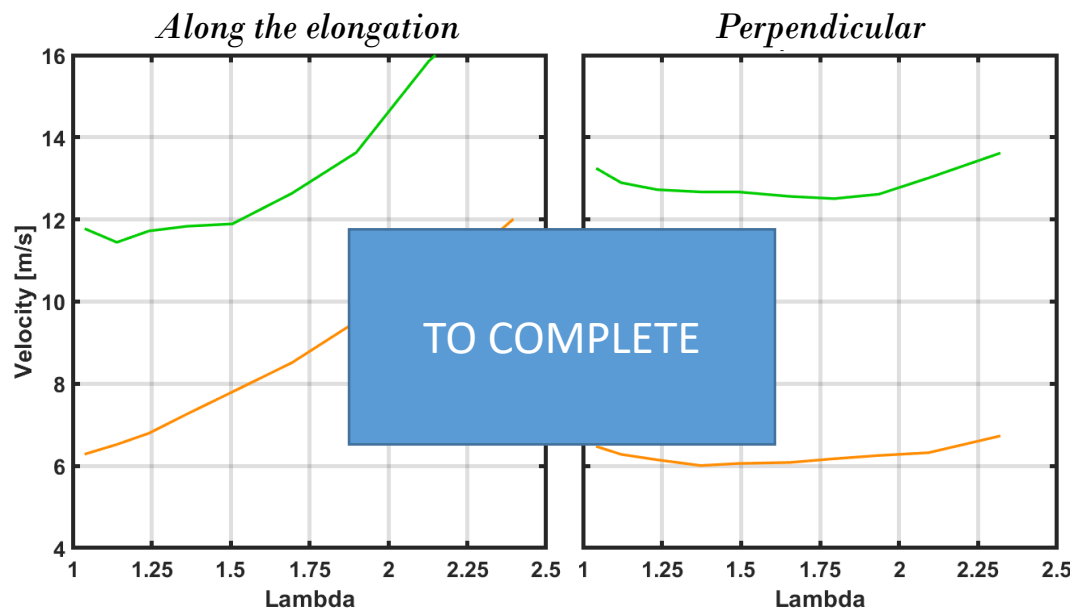
$$\rho V^2 u_i^0 = C_{ijkl} n_j n_k u_l^0$$

velocity y polarisation n direction of propagation



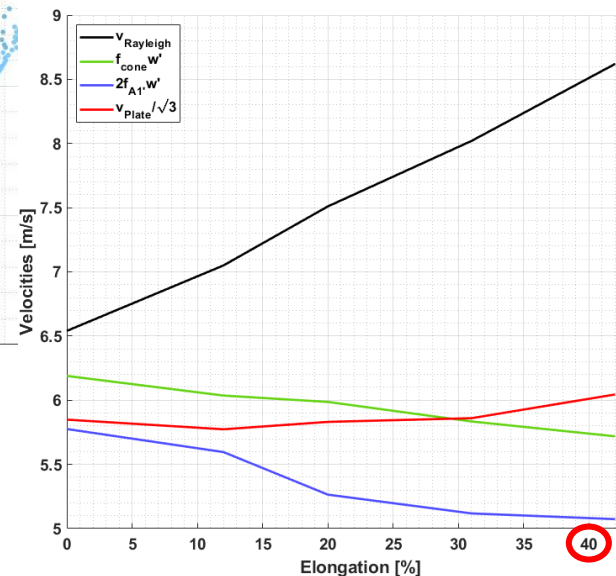
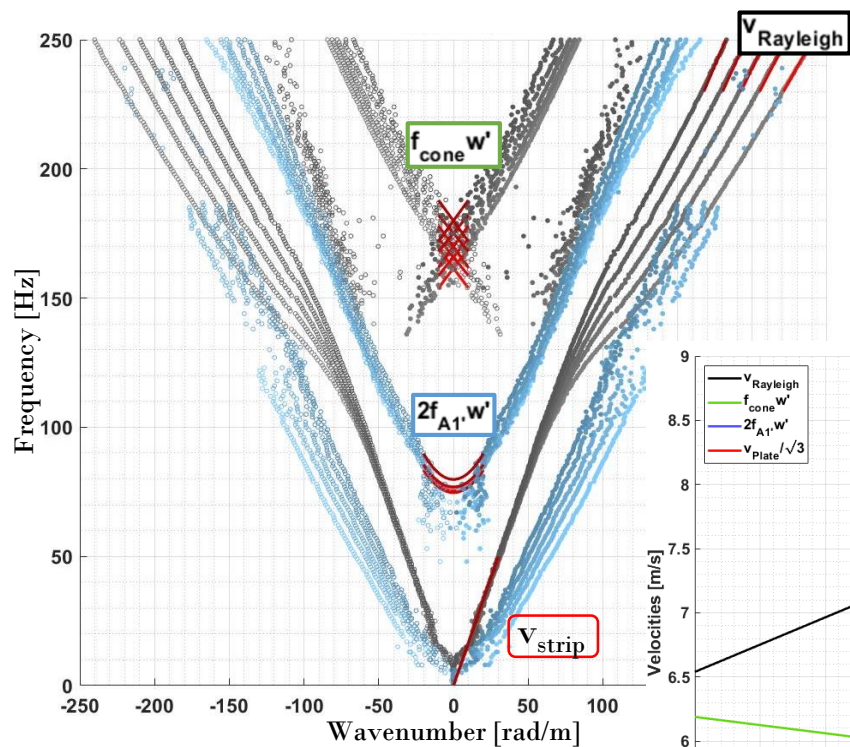
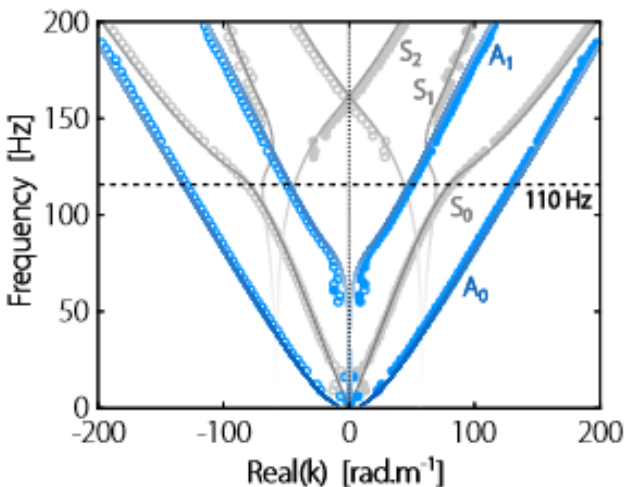


Fitting of Experimental Measurements



What's next ? Guided elastic waves in a soft strip

Dispersion relation of Lamb modes with new Poisson's ratio $\nu = 1/3$



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Thanks you for your attention !

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Rayleigh-Lamb Equation

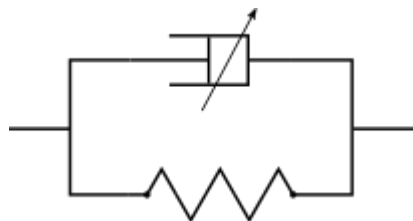
$$(k^2 - q^2)^2 \cos(pw + \alpha) \sin(qw + \alpha) + 4k^2 pq \sin(pw + \alpha) \cos(qw + \alpha) = 0$$

$$\text{Where } \begin{cases} p^2 = (\omega/v_L)^2 - k^2 \\ q^2 = (\omega/v_T)^2 - k^2 \\ \alpha = 0 \text{ for } S \text{ and } \alpha = \pi/2 \text{ for } A \end{cases}$$



Rheology of Ecoflex

Fractionnal Kelvin-Voigt
Viscoelastic Model



$$\mu = \mu(\omega) = \mu_0 (1 + (i\omega\tau)^\alpha) \quad \text{with} \quad \begin{cases} \mu_0 &= 25 \text{ kPa} \\ \tau &= 0.23 \text{ ms} \\ \alpha &= 0.3 \end{cases}$$

