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 (4.1)

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Piston mass	Analytical frequency (Rad/s) ^a	TRIA6- S_1 model (Rad/s) ^b	% Error
1.0	281.0	280.81	0.07
0.1	876.0	875.74	0.03
0.01	2441.0	2441.0	0.0
0.001	4130.0	4129.3	0.16

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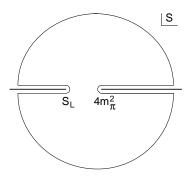


Fig. 1. A schematic illustration of dissociative recombination. The direct mechanism, $4m_\pi^2$ is initiated when the molecular ion S_L captures an electron with kinetic energy.

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$$f(j\delta, i\delta) \cong \frac{\pi}{M} \sum_{n=1}^{M} Q_{\theta_n}(j\cos\theta_n + i\sin\theta_n).$$
 (A.1)

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