

Problem 2.2

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a. Diagram 1:

$$m_0 = 0, \quad \tilde{s}_0 = 0$$

$$m_1 = \epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_1 = \epsilon$$

$$m_2 = \epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_2 = -\epsilon$$

$$m_4 = 2\epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_4 = 0$$

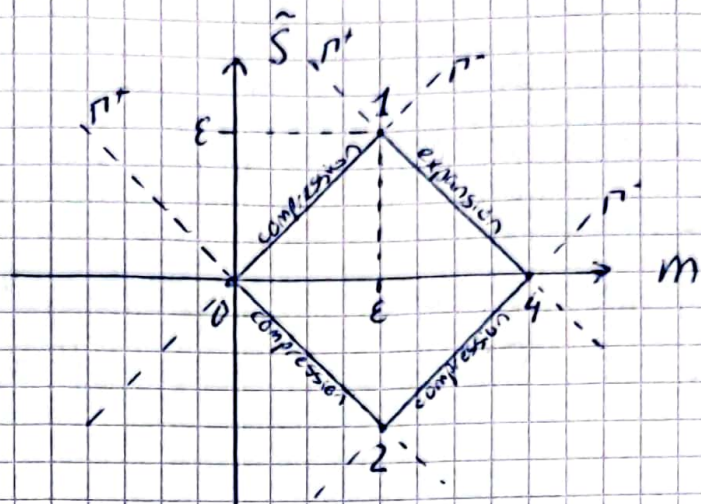


Diagram 2:

$$m_1 = \epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_1 = \epsilon$$

$$m_3 = 0, \quad \tilde{s}_3 = 0$$

$$m_4 = 2\epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_4 = 0$$

$$m_6 = \epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_6 = -\epsilon$$

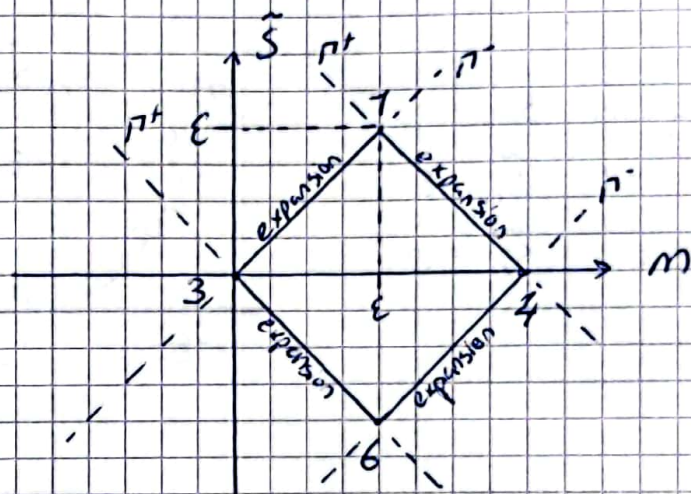


Diagram 3:

$$m_2 = \epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_2 = -\epsilon$$

$$m_4 = 2\epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_4 = 0$$

$$m_5 = 0, \quad \tilde{s}_5 = 0$$

$$m_7 = \epsilon, \quad \tilde{s}_7 = \epsilon$$

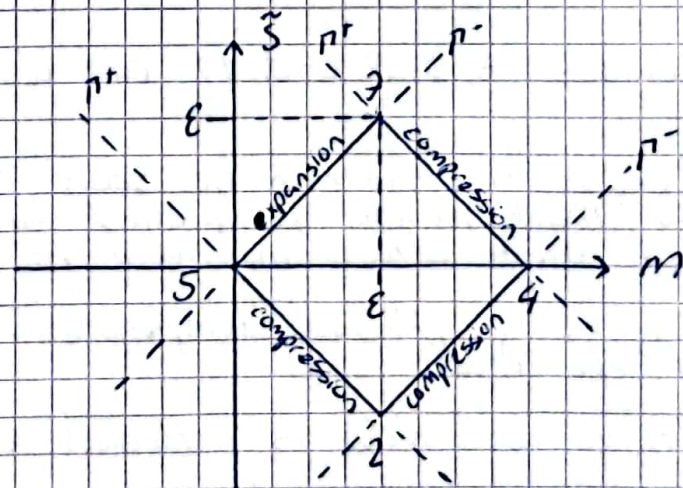


Diagram 4 :

$$\begin{aligned} m_6 &= \epsilon, & \tilde{s}_6 &= -\epsilon \\ m_7 &= \epsilon, & \tilde{s}_7 &= \epsilon \\ m_8 &= 0, & \tilde{s}_8 &= 0 \\ m_9 &= 2\epsilon, & \tilde{s}_9 &= 0 \\ m_{10} &= -\epsilon, & \tilde{s}_{10} &= \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

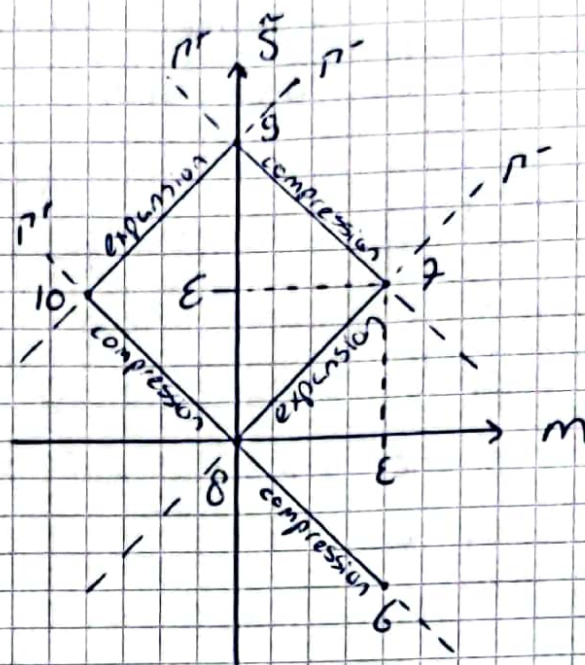
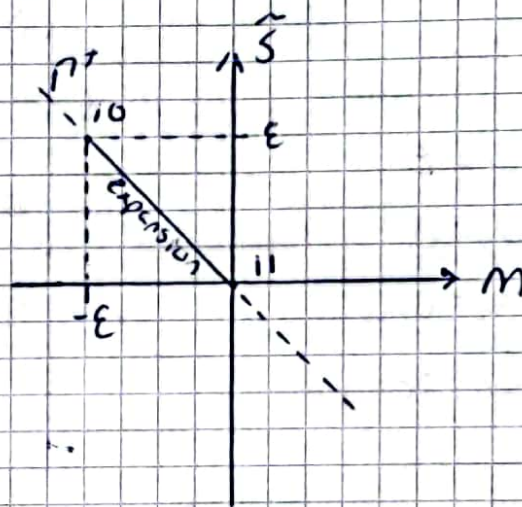


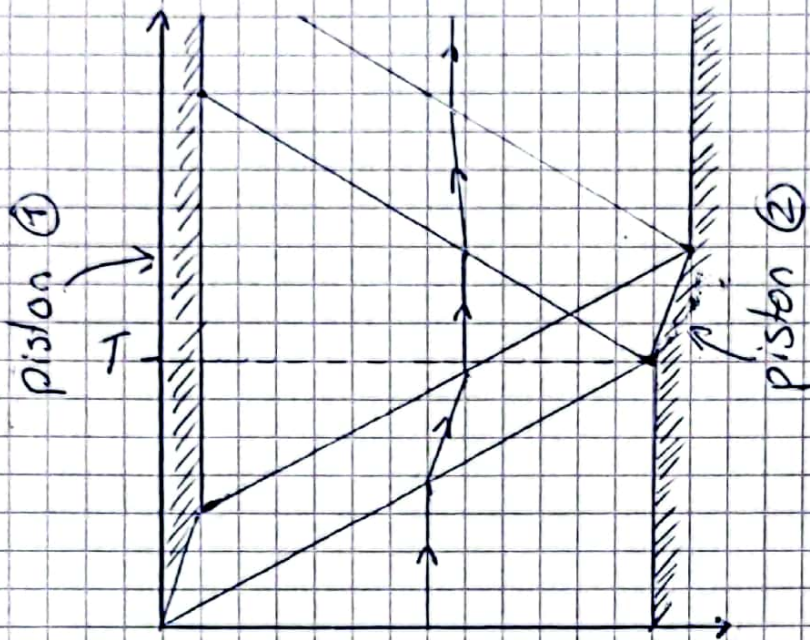
Diagram 5 :

$$\begin{aligned} m_{10} &= -\epsilon, & \tilde{s}_{10} &= \epsilon \\ m_{11} &= 0, & \tilde{s}_{11} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



- b. Regions 3, 5, 8 and 11 are also unperturbed
- c. Region 4. As can be seen in the diagrams above, the Mach number is highest here. Both pistons complement each others movement in region 4.
- d. Region 9. Highest compression, because of reflection of the wall
- e. Region 10. Wave is reflected of wall

ii)



Activating piston ② when the wave from piston ① reaches it. The number of waves are minimized