# Absorbing Boundary Layers in Time Domain Elastodynamics Stability Analysis

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## Principle

Stable direct integration scheme :

$$\exists h_0 > 0$$
 such as  $\forall h \in [0, h_0]$ 

a finite perturbation of the state vector at  $t_n$  gives a non increasing variation of the state vector at a subsequent time  $t_{n+j}$ .

Initial disturbance :

$$\delta X_0 = X_0' - X_0 \tag{1}$$

The non-perturbed solution :

$$X_{n+1} = HX_n + g_{n+1} \tag{2}$$

$$=H^{2}X_{n-1}+Hg_{n}+g_{n+1}$$
 (3)

$$=H^{n+1}X_0+\sum_{i=0}^{n+1}H^{n-j+1}g_j$$
 (5)

Perturbed solution :

$$X'_{n+1} = H^{n+1}X'_0 + \sum_{j=0}^{n+1} H^{n-j+1}g_j$$
 (6)

Effect of initial disturbance at time  $t_{n+1}$ :

$$\delta X_{n+1} = H^{n+1} \delta X_0 \tag{7}$$

Eigenvalues of amplification matrix H:

$$det(H - \lambda I) = 0 (8)$$

•  $\lambda_r, x_{(r)}$  associated eigenvalues and eigenvectors.

Modal expension :

$$\delta X_0 = \sum_{s=1}^{2N} a_s x_{(s)} \tag{9}$$

• Transform the recurrence relation to :

$$\delta X_{n+1} = H^{n+1} \sum_{s=1}^{2N} a_s x_{(s)}$$
 (10)

$$= \sum_{s=1}^{2N} a_s \lambda_s^{n+1} x_{(s)}$$
 (11)

Disturbance will be amplified if eigenvalues are higher than unity.

• Equation of motion at time  $t_n$  and  $t_{n+1}$ :

$$\begin{cases}
M\ddot{U}^{n} = -C\dot{U}^{n} - KU^{n} + P_{int}^{n} \\
M\ddot{U}^{n+1} = -C\dot{U}^{n+1} - KU^{n+1} + P_{int}^{n+1}
\end{cases}$$
(12)

 And the recurrence relationships by Newmark method (it could be another method):

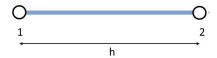
$$\begin{cases}
\dot{U}_{n+1} = \dot{U}_n + (1 - \gamma)dt \ddot{U}_n + \gamma dt \ddot{U}_{n+1} \\
U_{n+1} = U_n + dt \dot{U}_n + dt^2 \left(\frac{1}{2} - \beta\right) \ddot{U}_n + dt^2 \beta \ddot{U}_{n+1}
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(13)

• Check the stability for h = [0.001, 10] by step of 0.001.



## 1D bar element

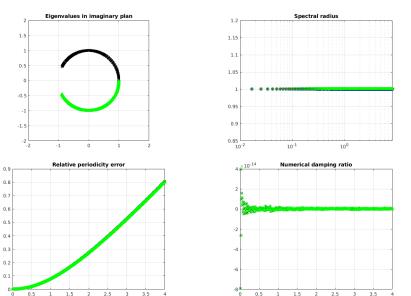
• 1D bar element :



• 4 eigenpairs : corresponding to 2 rigid body motions and traction-elongation modes.

## 1D bar element : Implicit

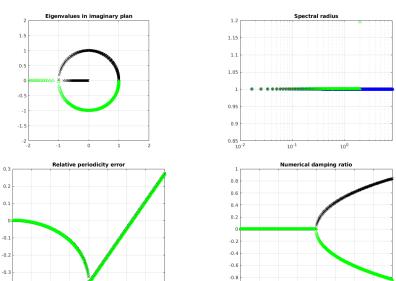




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## 1D bar element : Explicit





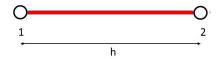
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## 1D PML bar element

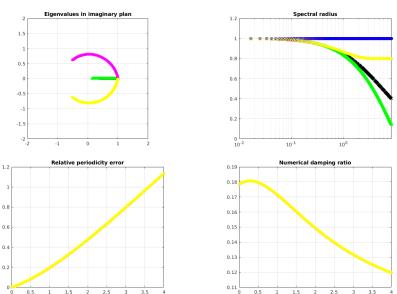
• 1D PML bar element :



• 6 eigenpairs (depending on the order of numerical quadrature) : 2 rigid body motions, traction-elongation and 2 spurious eigenvalues.

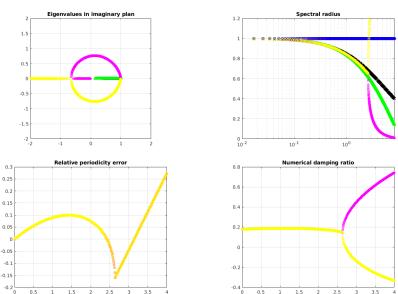


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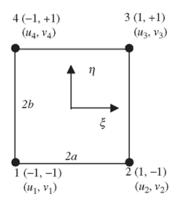
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## 2D element stability

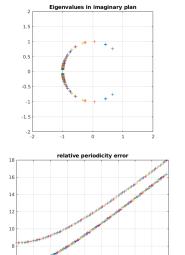
• 2D linear 4-noded element :

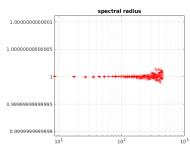


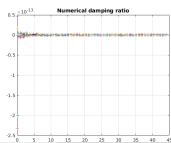
- 8 eigenpairs for the 2D element.
- At least 52 eigenpairs for the 2D PML element (depending on the order of the numerical quadrature used).

# 2D element : Implicit





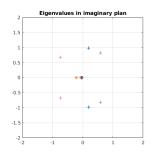


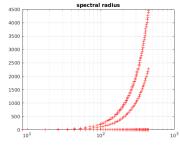


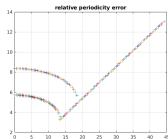
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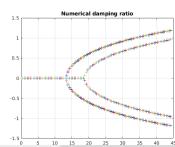
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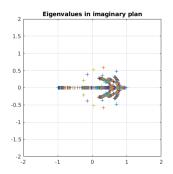


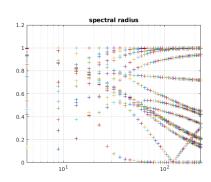




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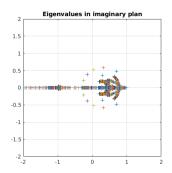


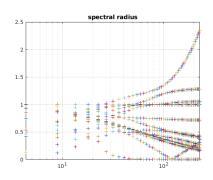




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#### Conclusion



- Overview of the analysis of stability for integration method.
- Stability of 1D and 2D perfectly matched layer (for implicit time integration method).
- Properties of attenuation and delay of unstability for 1D PML.
- Further work :
  - Same analysis of relative periodicity error and numerical damping for 2D PML.
  - Implementation of 2D Perfectly matched layer within Akantu.