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PUBLICATIONS

9. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, Multidimensional stability and transverse bifurcation of hydraulic shocks and roll waves in open channel flow, **J. Math. Fluid Mech.**, 27, 30 (2025). [Link](#)
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5. S. Jung, **Z. Yang**, and K. Zumbrun, *Stability of strong detonation waves for Majda’s model with general ignition functions*, **Quart. Appl. Math.**, 79, 357-365, (2021). [Link](#)
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3. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, *Stability of hydraulic shock profiles*, **Arch. Ration. Mech. Anal.**, 235, 195-285 (2020). [Link](#)
2. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, *Convergence as period goes to infinity of spectra of periodic traveling waves toward essential spectra of a homoclinic limit*, **J. Math. Pures Appl.**, 132, 27-40, (2019). [Link](#)
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5. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, Orbital stability of undercompressive viscous shock waves under $L^1 \cap H^4$ perturbation, arXiv:2501.18789. [Link](#)
4. Z. Jiao, L. M. Rodrigues, C. Sun, and **Z. Yang**, Small-amplitude finite-depth Stokes waves are transversally unstable, arXiv:2409.01663. [Link](#)
3. V. Hur and **Z. Yang**, Unstable capillary-gravity waves, arXiv:2311.01368. [Link](#)
2. B. Braker, J. Bronski, V. Hur, and **Z. Yang**, *Asymptotic stability of sharp fronts: Analysis and rigorous computation*, preprint, arXiv:2112.04700. [Link](#)
1. **Z. Yang**, *An alternative proof of modulation instability of Stokes waves in deep water*, preprint, arXiv:2109.12101. [Link](#)