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# Abstract

We consider a boundary value problem of nonlinear elasticity on a domain  $\Omega$  [omega] in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  [3-dimensional space] and compute the Complementing Condition for the linearized equations at a point  $x_0$  [x zero] on  $\partial\Omega$  [boundary of omega]. We assume a stored energy function  $W(F)$  depending on the first, second and third invariants of the deformation  $F$  and that the strong-ellipticity condition holds in  $\Omega$ . A surface traction boundary condition is imposed at  $x_0$ .

The Complementing Condition is calculated from a system of 3 second-order ordinary differential equations ( $0 \leq t < \infty$ [infinity]) with boundary conditions at  $t = 0$  and constant coefficients; the condition is satisfied if and only if the only bounded exponential solution is trivial. We compute the Complementing Condition in terms of parameters in  $W$ .

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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

Consider a body in a region  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ , its reference configuration. Let  $f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a deformation of the body. The  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $F(x) = \nabla f(x)$  with components  $\nabla f(x)_{ij} = \frac{\partial f_i(x)}{\partial x_j}$  is called the deformation gradient and belongs to  $\text{Lin}^+$  as  $\det \nabla f > 0$  on  $\Omega$ . Here

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Lin} &= \{3 \times 3 \text{ real matrices}\} \\ \text{Lin}^+ &= \{F \in \text{Lin} : \det F > 0\} \\ \text{and } K \cdot H &= \sum_{i,j=1}^3 K_{ij} H_{ij} \text{ for } K, H \in \text{Lin} \end{aligned}$$

In this thesis, we assume a stored energy function for material of the body :

$$W(F) = \Phi\left(\frac{1}{2} F \cdot F\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{4}(FF^T) \cdot (FF^T)\right) + \Psi(\det F), \quad F \in \text{Lin}^+$$

The Piola-Kirchhoff stress is given by

$$S(F) = \frac{d}{dF} W(F),$$

$$\text{i.e. } S(F) \cdot H = \frac{d}{dt} W(F + tH)|_{t=0}$$

where  $S : \text{Lin}^+ \rightarrow \text{Lin}$ ,  $F \in \text{Lin}^+$ ,  $H \in \text{Lin}$ .

The elasticity tensor is given by

$$C(F) = \frac{dS(F)}{dF};$$

It is the linearization of  $S$  about  $F$  :

$$C[H] = \frac{d}{dt} S(F + tH)|_{t=0} \in \text{Lin}, \text{ for } H \in \text{Lin}$$

We assume  $C$  is strongly elliptic, that is,  $(a \otimes b) \cdot C[a \otimes b] > 0$ ,  $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$  where  $(a \otimes b) \in \text{Lin}$ ,  $(a \otimes b)_{ij} = a_i b_j$ .

We study the boundary value problem

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{div} S(\nabla f) &= -b \text{ on } \Omega, \\ S(\nabla f)n &= t \text{ on } \partial\Omega\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

for a given body force,  $b : \overline{\Omega} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and applied surface traction,  $t : \partial\Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ . Here  $n$  is the outward unit normal to  $\partial\Omega$ .

Fix  $\mu, \omega > 0$  and let  $F_0 = \operatorname{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \omega]$ ,  $f_0(x) = F_0 x$ ,  $x \in \Omega$ ,  $\nabla f_0 = F_0$ .

The linearized equations about  $f_0$  are obtained by letting  $f = f_0 + tu$  and applying  $\frac{d}{dt} \dots|_{t=0}$  to the left side of equation (1).

This yields the linearized boundary value problem :

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] &= 0 \text{ on } \Omega \\ C[\nabla u]n &= 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega\end{aligned}\tag{2}$$

for  $u : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ;  $C$  is the linearization of  $S$  about  $F_0$ .

We calculate the Complementing Condition on  $\partial\Omega$  for equation (2) for different cases when  $\Omega$  is a cylinder  $\{(x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_1^2 + x_2^2 < R^2, 0 < x_3 < L\}$  and  $n = e_1$  and  $n = e_3$ .

Then we assume a stored energy function

$$W(F) = \frac{1}{2} F \cdot F + \Psi(\det F)$$

and calculate the Complementing Condition when  $n = e_1$ .

The Complementing Condition was first formulated by [Lopatinskii\(1953\)](#), [Shapiro\(1953\)](#) and [Agmon, Douglis, Nirenberg\(1964\)](#). It was used to establish estimates for elliptic boundary value problems such as equation (2). It was shown that ellipticity and the Complementing Condition are necessary and sufficient for the estimates to hold ([Friedman\(1969\)](#), "Partial Differential Equations", [Thompson\(1969\)](#), "Some existence theorems for the traction boundary value problem of linearized elastostatics").

Agmon's condition was first defined in [Agmon\(1958\)](#), "The coerciveness problem for integro-differential forms", and [Agmon\(1962\)](#), "On the eigenfunctions and on the eigenvalues of general elliptic boundary value problems", [De Figueiredo \(1963\)](#), "The coerciveness problem for forms over vector valued functions". For system (2) this is :

$$\int_{\Omega} \nabla u \cdot C[\nabla u] dx \geq c_0 \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 dx + c_1 \int_{\Omega} |u|^2 dx$$

for all  $u \in W^{1,2}(\Omega)$  with  $c_0 > 0, c_1 \in \mathbb{R}$ .

In [Simpson and Spector\(1987\)](#), "On the positivity of the second variation in finite elasticity" it is shown this holds iff  $C$  is strongly elliptic and satisfies the Complementing and Agmon's conditions on  $\partial\Omega$  (assuming  $\partial\Omega$  is  $C^1$ -smooth). ([Simpson and Spector\(2008\)](#), [Friedman\(1969\)](#))

In the paper, "On Bifurcation in Finite Elasticity: Buckling of a Rectangular Rod", Henry C. Simpson and Scott J. Spector consider a two dimensional material with stored-energy function  $W(F) = W(\frac{1}{2}F \cdot F, \det F)$  where  $F$  is a two-by-two matrix and describe the strong ellipticity and Complementing Conditions.

In the paper of Pablo V. Negron-Marrero and Error Montes-Pizarro, they study the deformation of cylinders for a stored energy function of a homogeneous and isotropic material of the body, with  $W(F) = av_1 + b(v_1^2 - v_2) + \Psi(v_3)$ ,  $v_1 = \frac{1}{2} F \cdot F, v_2 = \frac{1}{4}(FF^T) \cdot (FF^T), v_3 = \det F$ ,  $a > 0, b \geq 0$ .

In this thesis, we study the deformation in cylinders by calculating the Complementing Condition on  $\partial\Omega$  with  $F = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \omega]$  for  $\mu, \omega > 0$ .

We start with Chapter 2 and 3 which describe the definitions of Complementing Condition and Agmon's Condition. In Chapter 4, we describe a boundary value problem. In Chapter 5 and 6, we calculate the Complementing Condition for our boundary value problem when  $n = e_1$  and  $n = e_3$  respectively. Lastly, in Chapter 7, we consider a slightly altered stored energy function and calculate the Complementing Condition for  $n = e_1$ .

## Chapter 2

### Preliminaries

Let

$$\text{Lin} = \{3 \times 3 \text{ real matrices}\},$$

$$\text{Lin}^+ = \{F \in \text{Lin} : \det F > 0\},$$

with inner product,  $H \cdot K = \text{tr} (H^T K)$

$$= \text{tr} (H K^T) = \sum_{i,j=1}^3 H_{ij} K_{ij} \text{ for } H, K \in \text{Lin}$$

and norm  $|H|^2 = H \cdot H = \sum_{i,j=1}^3 H_{ij}^2$ .

For column vectors  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^3$  we define  $a \otimes b = ab^T \in \text{Lin}$  by

$$(a \otimes b)_{ij} = a_i b_j \text{ (Note } a \otimes b \text{ has rank } \leq 1).$$

Also we define  $\text{Cof } F = (\det F) F^{-T}$  for  $F \in \text{Lin}$  ( $\text{Cof } F$  = matrix of cofactors of  $F$ ).

Assume a material has a stored energy function  $W : \text{Lin}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , and assume  $W$  is  $C^2$ -smooth on  $\text{Lin}^+$ .

The Piola-Kirchhoff stress,  $S : \text{Lin}^+ \rightarrow \text{Lin}$  is given by

$$S(F) = \frac{d}{dF} W(F), \quad F \in \text{Lin}^+$$

In particular, for  $F \in \text{Lin}^+, H \in \text{Lin}$ ,

$$S(F) \cdot H = \frac{d}{dt} W(F + tH)|_{t=0}$$

and  $S(F)$  has components

$$S(F)_{ij} = \frac{\partial W(F)}{\partial F_{ij}}, \quad i, j = 1, 2, 3$$

Fix  $F_0 \in \text{Lin}^+$ .

We can expand each component of  $S$  in a Taylor series about  $F = F_0$  :

$$S(F)_{ij} = S(F_0)_{ij} + \sum_{k,l=1}^3 \frac{\partial S_{ij}}{\partial F_{kl}}(F_0)(F - F_0)_{kl} + 0(\|F - F_0\|^2),$$

for  $F$  near  $F_0$  ( i.e.  $\|F - F_0\|$  small).

The first order terms give the linearization of  $S$  about  $F_0$ :

$$C[H] = \frac{d}{dt} S(F_0 + tH)|_{t=0}$$

$$C[H]_{ij} = \sum_{k,l=1}^3 \frac{\partial S_{ij}}{\partial F_{kl}}(F_0)H_{kl} = \sum_{k,l=1}^3 C_{ijkl}H_{kl}$$

$$\text{where } C_{ijkl} = \frac{\partial S_{ij}}{\partial F_{kl}}(F_0), \quad i, j, k, l = 1, 2, 3, \quad H \in \text{Lin}$$

Here  $H \mapsto C[H] : \text{Lin} \rightarrow \text{Lin}$  is linear in  $H$ .

Thus  $C$  is a 4-tensor (with components  $C_{ijkl}$ ) that maps  $\text{Lin}$  linearly into itself. Also  $C$  is symmetric:

$$C_{ijkl} = \frac{\partial^2 W}{\partial F_{ij} \partial F_{kl}} = C_{klij}$$

$$K \cdot C[H] = H \cdot C[K] = \sum_{ijkl=1}^3 C_{ijkl}K_{ij}H_{kl} \quad \forall H, K \in \text{Lin}.$$

Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ , be an open, bounded set and suppose  $\partial\Omega$  is  $C^2$ - smooth. Consider the boundary value problem

$$\text{div } S(\nabla f) = -b \text{ on } \Omega$$

$$S(\nabla f)n = t \text{ on } \partial\Omega$$

for a given body force,  $b : \overline{\Omega} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and given applied surface traction,  $t : \partial\Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ;

$\text{div } S(\nabla f) = -b$  is the balance of momentum equation,  $S(\nabla f)n = t$  is the surface traction boundary condition. Here  $n$  is the outward unit normal to  $\partial\Omega$ . We wish to solve for  $f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  which is the deformation of the body.

Its derivative, the deformation gradient is the matrix  $\nabla f(x)$  with components

$$\nabla f(x)_{ij} = \frac{\partial f_i(x)}{\partial x_j}, \quad 1 \leq i, j \leq 3$$

$$\nabla f(x) \in \text{Lin}^+ \quad \forall x \in \overline{\Omega}.$$

Fix a deformation  $f_0 : \overline{\Omega} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and assume  $f_0$  is  $C^2$ -smooth.

The linearized equations about  $f_0$  are obtained by applying  $\frac{d}{dt} \dots|_{t=0}$  to the left side of the balance of momentum equation with  $f = f_0 + tu$ , where  $u : \overline{\Omega} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  is an infinitesimal displacement from  $f_0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt}(\operatorname{div} S(\nabla(f_0 + tu)))|_{t=0} &= \operatorname{div} \frac{d}{dt} S(\nabla f_0 + t \nabla u)|_{t=0} = \operatorname{div} C[\nabla u], \\ \frac{d}{dt} S(\nabla(f_0 + tu))n|_{t=0} &= C[\nabla u]n. \end{aligned}$$

This yields the linearized boundary value problem about  $f_0$  :

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] &= 0 \text{ on } \Omega \\ C[\nabla u]n &= 0 \text{ on } \Omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla u(x)_{ij} = \frac{\partial u_i(x)}{\partial x_j}, \quad \nabla u(x) \in \operatorname{Lin} \quad \forall x \in \overline{\Omega}$$

We denote

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}[u] &= \operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] \\ \mathcal{B}[u] &= C[\nabla u]n \end{aligned}$$

**Definition 2.1 :**

The 4 - tensor  $C$  is strongly-elliptic (SE) iff

$$(a \otimes b) \cdot C[a \otimes b] > 0 \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}.$$

**Definition 2.2 :**

For  $b \in \mathbb{R}^3$  define the  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $M(b)$  by

$$M(b)a = C[a \otimes b]b \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

( $M(b)$  is also defined by this formula in case  $a, b \in \mathbb{C}^3$ ).  $M(b)$  is the acoustic tensor; it is a function of  $b \in \mathbb{R}^3$  (or  $\mathbb{C}^3$ ).

**Theorem 2.3.**

For  $a, b \in \mathbb{C}^3$

a)  $M(b)$  is symmetric

b)  $(a \otimes b) \cdot C[a \otimes b] = a^T M(b) a$

c)  $\mathcal{L}[e^{b \cdot x} a] = M(b) a e^{b \cdot x}, \quad \mathcal{B}[e^{b \cdot x} a] = C[a \otimes b] n e^{b \cdot x}.$

*Proof.* c) Let  $u(x) = e^{b \cdot x} a, \quad a, b \in \mathbb{C}^3.$

Then  $\nabla u_{ij} = \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} e^{b \cdot x} a_i = b_j a_i e^{b \cdot x}$

$\implies \nabla u = a b^T e^{b \cdot x} = (a \otimes b) e^{b \cdot x}$

$\mathcal{L}[u]_i = (\operatorname{div} C[\nabla u])_i = \sum_j \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} C[\nabla u]_{ij}$

$= \sum_j C[a \otimes b]_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} e^{b \cdot x}$

$= \sum_j C[a \otimes b]_{ij} b_j e^{b \cdot x}$

$= (C[a \otimes b] b)_i e^{b \cdot x}$

$\implies \mathcal{L}[u] = C[a \otimes b] b e^{b \cdot x} = M(b) a e^{b \cdot x}.$

$\mathcal{B}[u]_i = \sum_j C[\nabla u]_{ij} n_j e^{b \cdot x} = (C[a \otimes b] n)_i e^{b \cdot x}.$

b) Let  $c \in \mathbb{C}^3$ . Then  $c^T M(b) a = c^T C[a \otimes b] b = (c \otimes b) \cdot C[a \otimes b].$

a) From b) and symmetry of  $C$ ,

$c^T M(b) a = (a \otimes b) \cdot C[c \otimes b] = a^T M(b) c.$

Thus  $M(b) = M(b)^T.$

□

## Chapter 3

### Complementing and Agmon's Conditions

Suppose  $n \in \mathbb{R}^3$  is a unit vector,  $|n| = 1$ , and  $C$  is a constant 4-tensor which is strongly elliptic. Denote the halfspace

$$H = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x \cdot n > 0\}$$

with boundary hyperplane

$$\partial H = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x \cdot n = 0\}$$

#### Definition 3.1 :

A function  $u : \overline{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3$  is a bounded exponential iff  $u$  is of the form

$$u(x) = z(n \cdot x) e^{i\xi \cdot x}, x \in \overline{H} \quad (3)$$

for some bounded function  $z : [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3$  and some  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$  such that  $\xi \perp n$  ( $\xi^T n = \xi \cdot n = 0$ ,  $\xi$  is parallel to  $\partial H$ );  $z$  is  $C^2$ -smooth on  $[0, \infty)$ .

We denote the normal variable  $t = n \cdot x \in [0, \infty)$  for  $x \in \overline{H}$ . Then  $t = 0$  for  $x \in \partial H$  and  $z = z(t)$  is a function of  $t \in [0, \infty)$ .

Consider the boundary value problem on  $\overline{H}$  :

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] &= \alpha u && \text{on } H, \\ C[\nabla u]n &= 0 && \text{on } \partial H \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

where  $u : \overline{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3$  is a bounded exponential and  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha \geq 0$ .

**Definition 3.2 :** Assume  $C$  is strongly elliptic.

The pair  $(C, n)$  satisfies the **Complementing Condition** iff for  $\alpha = 0$  and each  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$ , the only bounded exponential solution of equation (4) is  $u \equiv 0$  on  $\overline{H}$  (i.e.  $z \equiv 0$  on  $[0, \infty)$ ).



$(C, n)$  satisfies **Agmon's Condition** iff for every  $\alpha > 0$  and each  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$ , the only bounded exponential solution of equation (4) is  $u \equiv 0$  on  $\overline{H}$ .

In order to determine if the Complementing or Agmon's Condition is satisfied, substitute (3) into equation (4) which yields an ODE system for  $z(t), t \in [0, \infty)$ , with boundary condition at  $t = 0$ . This system consists of 3 second-order ODE's (on  $[0, \infty)$ ) and 3 first-order boundary conditions (at  $t = 0$ ) each with constant (complex) coefficients depending on  $n, \xi$ .

By Theorem 3.3 below, the ODE has 6 linearly independent solutions, and by strong ellipticity of  $C$ , three are exponentially decaying to 0 as  $t \rightarrow \infty$  and three are exponentially unbounded as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ . We denote the exponentially decreasing solutions by  $z^{(1)}, z^{(2)}, z^{(3)}$ .

Thus for bounded  $z$ , we have

$$z(t) = c_1 z^{(1)}(t) + c_2 z^{(2)}(t) + c_3 z^{(3)}(t)$$

$$c_i \in \mathbb{C}, i = 1, 2, 3.$$

Applying the boundary conditions to  $z$  yields 3 algebraic linear equations for  $c_1, c_2, c_3$ . A nontrivial solution  $z$  of equation (3) exists iff  $c = (c_1, c_2, c_3) \neq 0$ .

Thus the Complementing and Agmon's Conditions are algebraic conditions depending on  $C, n$  only.

To calculate these conditions, we find, from equations (3) and (4) :

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] &= \mathcal{L}_\xi[z] e^{i\xi \cdot x}, \quad t \in [0, \infty) \\ C[\nabla u]n &= \mathcal{B}_\xi[z] e^{i\xi \cdot x}, \quad t = 0 \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

where  $\mathcal{L}_\xi$  is a second order ODE operator, and  $\mathcal{B}_\xi$  is a first order boundary operator on  $z$ .

Now equation (4) becomes equivalent to :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\xi[z] &= \alpha z, \quad t \in [0, \infty) \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z] &= 0 \quad \text{at } t = 0 \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

Thus the Complementing Condition is satisfied iff for  $\alpha = 0$  and each  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$ , the only exponentially decreasing solution  $z$  of equations (6) is

$z \equiv 0$  on  $[0, \infty)$ . Agmon's Condition is satisfied iff for every  $\alpha > 0$  and each  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$ , the only exponentially decreasing solution of equations (6) is  $z \equiv 0$  on  $[0, \infty)$ .

To determine  $\mathcal{L}_\xi, \mathcal{B}_\xi$  explicitly first note by equation (3)

$$\nabla u(x) = [z'(t) \otimes n + iz(t) \otimes \xi] e^{i\xi \cdot x}$$

where  $' = \frac{d}{dt}$  in all that follows.

*Proof.* With  $z(t) = \begin{bmatrix} z_1(t) \\ z_2(t) \\ z_3(t) \end{bmatrix}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla u)_{ij} &= \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial z_i}{\partial x_j} e^{i\xi \cdot x} + z_i e^{i\xi \cdot x} \frac{\partial(i\xi \cdot x)}{\partial x_j} \\ &= [z'_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (n \cdot x) + z_i \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (i\xi \cdot x)] e^{i\xi \cdot x} \\ &= [z'_i n_j + iz_i \xi_j] e^{i\xi \cdot x} \\ &= [(z' \otimes n)_{ij} + i(z \otimes \xi)_{ij}] e^{i\xi \cdot x} \end{aligned}$$

□

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\xi[z] &= C[z'' \otimes n + iz' \otimes \xi]n + iC[z' \otimes n + iz \otimes \xi]\xi, \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z] &= C[z' \otimes n + iz \otimes \xi]n \quad \text{at } t = 0. \end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

*Proof.* Put  $H(t) = z'(t) \otimes n + iz(t) \otimes \xi$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} (\operatorname{div} C[\nabla u])_i &= \sum_j \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \{C[H(t)]_{ij} e^{i\xi \cdot x}\} \\ &= \sum_j \left\{ \frac{d}{dt} C[H(t)]_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (n \cdot x) e^{i\xi \cdot x} + C[H(t)]_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} (i\xi \cdot x) e^{i\xi \cdot x} \right\} \\ &= \sum_j \{C[H'(t)]_{ij} n_j + iC[H(t)]_{ij} \xi_j\} e^{i\xi \cdot x} \\ &= [C[H'(t)]n + iC[H(t)]\xi]_i e^{i\xi \cdot x} \\ &\implies \operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] = \{C[H'(t)]n + iC[H(t)]\xi\} e^{i\xi \cdot x}. \\ (C[\nabla u]n)_i &= (C[z' \otimes n + iz \otimes \xi]n)_i e^{i\xi \cdot x} \text{ from formula for } \nabla u \text{ above.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\implies (C[\nabla u])n = \{C[H(t)]n\}e^{i\xi \cdot x}.$$

Then see equation (5). □

To find nontrivial solutions  $z$  of equation (6), we try

$$z(t) = e^{rt}a \tag{8}$$

for some  $r \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{C}^3 \setminus \{0\}$ .

Then  $t = n \cdot x$  and equation (3)  $\implies u(x) = e^{(rn+i\xi) \cdot x}a = e^{b \cdot x}a$   
where  $b = rn + i\xi \in \mathbb{C}^3$

Then following Theorem 2.3 and its proof we have  $\nabla u(x) = a \otimes b e^{b \cdot x}$ ,

$\operatorname{div} C[\nabla u] = \mathcal{L}[e^{b \cdot x}a] = M(b) a e^{b \cdot x} = M(b) a e^{rt}e^{i\xi \cdot x}$ , for  $t \geq 0$  and

$C[\nabla u]n = \mathcal{B}(e^{b \cdot x}a) = C[a \otimes b]n e^{i\xi \cdot x}$  at  $t = 0$ .

Thus by equation (5),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\xi[e^{rt}a] &= M(b)ae^{rt}, \quad t \in [0, \infty), \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}a] &= C[a \otimes b]n, \quad t = 0, \end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

$$b = rn + i\xi.$$

Thus we have nontrivial solutions of equation (6)<sub>1</sub> of the form  $z(t) = e^{rt}a$  iff

$$[M(rn + i\xi) - \alpha I]a = 0 \tag{10}$$

for some  $a \in \mathbb{C}^3$ ,  $a \neq 0$  iff  $p(r) = \det [M(rn + i\xi) - \alpha I] = 0$ ;

$p$  is the characteristic polynomial of  $\mathcal{L}_\xi$ .

### Theorem 3.3.

Assume  $C$  is strongly elliptic and  $\alpha \geq 0$ . Then

a)  $p$  is a 6<sup>th</sup> degree polynomial in  $r$ .

- b)  $p$  has no roots  $r$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r = 0$ .
- c)  $p$  has 3 roots  $r$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r < 0$  and 3 roots with  $\operatorname{Re} r > 0$ .

*Proof.* First we note that by strong ellipticity and Theorem 2.3(b),  $M(b)$  is positive definite for each real  $b \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$ . Also  $M(cb) = c^2 M(b)$  for  $c \in \mathbb{C}$ .

- a) The coefficient of  $r^6$  in  $p(r)$  is  $\det M(n)$  which is nonzero since  $M(n)$  is positive definite.
- b) If  $r \in \mathbb{C}$  is a root of  $p(r)$  then  $[M(rn + i\xi) - \alpha I]a = 0$  holds for some  $a \in \mathbb{C}^3 \setminus \{0\}$ . If  $\operatorname{Re} r = 0$ , say  $r = i\rho$  for  $\rho \in \mathbb{R}$ , then  $M(b) = -M(e)$  for  $e = \rho n + \xi \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Thus  $[M(e) + \alpha I]a = 0$  and  $\bar{a}^T [M(e) + \alpha I]a = 0$ . Also  $e \neq 0$  since  $\xi \neq 0, \xi \perp n$ . Thus  $M(e)$  is positive definite so  $\bar{a}^T M(e)a > 0$ . But  $\alpha \geq 0$  contradicts the above equation.
- c) Since  $\overline{M(b)a} = \overline{C[a \otimes b]b} = C[\bar{a} \otimes \bar{b}]\bar{b} = M(\bar{b})\bar{a}$  then  $\overline{M(b)} = M(\bar{b})$ . Also  $M(-b) = M(b)$  so  $\overline{p(r)} = p(-\bar{r})$ . Thus if  $r$  is a root of  $p$ , so is  $-\bar{r}$  and  $\operatorname{Re} r < 0 \implies \operatorname{Re} (-\bar{r}) > 0$ .

□

The Lamé' 4-tensor of linear elasticity is given by

$$C[H] = \mu(H + H^T) + \lambda(H \cdot I)I, H \in \operatorname{Lin}.$$

for some  $\mu, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ , see [Gurtin\(1981\)](#). Then we have (see also [Mikhlin\(1993\)](#), [Thompson\(1969\)](#), [Simpson and Spector\(1987\)](#))

**Theorem 3.4.**

- a)  $C$  is strongly elliptic iff  $\mu > 0$  and  $2\mu + \lambda > 0$ .
- b) For any unit vector  $n \in \mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff  $\mu + \lambda \neq 0$ ;  $(C, n)$  satisfies Agmon's condition iff  $\mu + \lambda \geq 0$ .

## Chapter 4

### The Boundary Value Problem

In this thesis we assume a stored energy function of the form

$$W(F) = \Phi\left(\frac{1}{2} F \cdot F\right) + \Omega\left(\frac{1}{4}(FF^T) \cdot (FF^T)\right) + \Psi(\det F),$$

i.e.  $W(F) = \sigma(v_1, v_2, v_3) = \Phi(v_1) + \Omega(v_2) + \Psi(v_3)$

where  $v_1 = \frac{1}{2}F \cdot F$ ,  $v_2 = \frac{1}{4}(FF^T) \cdot (FF^T)$ ,  $v_3 = \det F$ ,  $F \in \text{Lin}^+$  for some functions  $\Phi, \Omega, \Psi : (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  ([Gurtin\(1981\) Chapter IX\(25\)](#)),  $v_i$  are invariants of  $FF^T$ .

We assume  $\Phi, \Omega, \Psi$  are  $C^2$ smooth on  $(0, \infty)$ .

Denote  $\sigma_1 = \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial v_1} = \Phi'(v_1)$ ,  $\sigma_2 = \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial v_2} = \Omega'(v_2)$ ,  $\sigma_3 = \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial v_3} = \Psi'(v_3)$ ,  $\sigma_{ii} = \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial v_i^2}$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ .

Then the Piola-Kirchhoff stress is given by

$S(F) = \sigma_1 F + \sigma_2 FF^T F + \sigma_3 \text{Cof } F$ . (See [Simpson\(2008\)](#))

We linearize the equations as in Chapter 2 about

$$F_0 = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \omega]$$

for  $\mu, \omega > 0$ . (See [Negron-Marrero, P.V and E.Montes-Pizarro\(2011\)](#)).

Then the elasticity tensor,

$$\begin{aligned} C[H] = \frac{d}{dt} S(F_0 + tH)|_{t=0} = & \sigma_1 H + \sigma_2 (HF_0^T F_0 + F_0 H^T F_0 + F_0 F_0^T H) \\ & + \sigma_3 (\det F_0) [(F_0^{-T} \cdot H) F_0^{-T} - F_0^{-T} H^T F_0^{-T}] \\ & + \sigma_{11} (G^1 \cdot H) G^1 + \sigma_{22} (G^2 \cdot H) G^2 + \sigma_{33} (G^3 \cdot H) G^3, \\ G^1 = F_0, G^2 = F_0 F_0^T F_0, G^3 = & \text{Cof } F_0 = (\det F_0) F_0^{-T}. \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

We define the constants

$$Y = \sigma_{11}\mu + \sigma_{22}\mu^3 + \sigma_{33}\mu\omega^2$$

$$V = \sigma_{11}\omega^2 + \sigma_{22}\omega^6 + \sigma_{33}\mu^2$$

$$Z = \sigma_{11}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega + \sigma_{22}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega^3 + \sigma_{33}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega$$

$$X = \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 + Z$$

$$\beta_1 = \sigma_1 + (\mu + \omega^2)\sigma_2$$

$$\beta_3 = \sigma_1 + 2\mu\sigma_2$$

$$\tau_1 = \sigma_1 + 3\mu\sigma_2 + Y$$

$$\tau_3 = \sigma_1 + 3\omega^2\sigma_2 + V$$

$$\nu_1 = \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega\sigma_2 - \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3$$

$$\nu_3 = \mu\sigma_2 - \omega\sigma_3$$

$$\gamma = \omega\sigma_3 + Y$$

$$N = X + \nu_1$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma.$$

$$\text{Note } \nu_3 + \gamma = \tau_1 - \beta_3.$$

**Theorem 4.1.** The elasticity tensor in equation (11) is given by

$$\begin{aligned} C[H] = & H_{11} \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 & & \\ & \gamma & \\ & & X \end{bmatrix} + H_{22} \begin{bmatrix} \gamma & & \\ & \tau_1 & \\ & & X \end{bmatrix} + H_{33} \begin{bmatrix} X & & \\ & X & \\ & & \tau_3 \end{bmatrix} + \\ & H_{12} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \beta_3 & 0 \\ \nu_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + H_{21} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \nu_3 & 0 \\ \beta_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + H_{13} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \beta_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \nu_1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + H_{31} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \nu_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \beta_1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \\ & H_{23} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \beta_1 \\ 0 & \nu_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + H_{32} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \nu_1 \\ 0 & \beta_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad H \in \text{Lin}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Proof. Let } H \in \text{Lin}, \quad H = \begin{bmatrix} H_{11} & H_{12} & H_{13} \\ H_{21} & H_{22} & H_{23} \\ H_{31} & H_{32} & H_{33} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Recalling  $F_0 = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \omega]$  we have

$$G^1 = F_0 = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \omega]$$

$$G^2 = F_0 F_0^T F_0 = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{3}{2}}, \omega^3]$$

$$G^3 = \text{Cof } F_0 = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega, \mu]$$

Then  $(\det F_0)[(F_0^{-T} \cdot H)F_0^{-T} - F_0^{-T}H^TF_0^{-T}] = (\det F_0)^{-1}[(G^3 \cdot H)G^3 - G^3H^TG^3]$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= [\mu^{-\frac{1}{2}}(H_{11} + H_{22}) + \omega^{-1}H_{33}] \begin{bmatrix} \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{\mu\omega}G^3 \begin{bmatrix} H_{11} & H_{21} & H_{31} \\ H_{12} & H_{22} & H_{32} \\ H_{13} & H_{23} & H_{33} \end{bmatrix} G^3 \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} \omega & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \omega & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu^{\frac{1}{2}} \end{bmatrix} (H_{11} + H_{22}) + \begin{bmatrix} \mu^{\frac{1}{2}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \mu^{\frac{1}{2}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \mu\omega^{-1} \end{bmatrix} H_{33} \\
&\quad - \frac{1}{\mu\omega} \begin{bmatrix} \mu\omega^2H_{11} & \mu\omega^2H_{21} & \mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega H_{31} \\ \mu\omega^2H_{12} & \mu\omega^2H_{22} & \mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega H_{32} \\ \mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega H_{13} & \mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega H_{23} & \mu^2H_{33} \end{bmatrix}.
\end{aligned}$$

Next,

$$HF_0^TF_0 + F_0H^TF_0 + F_0F_0^TH =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3\mu H_{11} & 2\mu H_{12} + \mu H_{21} & (\omega^2 + \mu)H_{13} + \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega H_{31} \\ 2\mu H_{21} + \mu H_{12} & 3\mu H_{22} & (\omega^2 + \mu)H_{23} + \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega H_{32} \\ (\omega^2 + \mu)H_{31} + \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega H_{13} & (\omega^2 + \mu)H_{32} + \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega H_{23} & 3\omega^2 H_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Next,

$$\sigma_{11}(G^1 \cdot H)G^1 + \sigma_{22}(G^2 \cdot H)G^2 + \sigma_{33}(G^3 \cdot H)G^3 =$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\text{diag} [\sigma_{11}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}(G^1 \cdot H) + \sigma_{22}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}(G^2 \cdot H) + \sigma_{33}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega(G^3 \cdot H), \\
&\quad \sigma_{11}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}(G^1 \cdot H) + \sigma_{22}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}(G^2 \cdot H) + \sigma_{33}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega(G^3 \cdot H), \\
&\quad \sigma_{11}\omega(G^1 \cdot H) + \sigma_{22}\omega^3(G^2 \cdot H) + \sigma_{33}\mu(G^3 \cdot H)]
\end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} Y(H_{11} + H_{22}) + ZH_{33} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & Y(H_{11} + H_{22}) + ZH_{33} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & Z(H_{11} + H_{22}) + V H_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

because :

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{i)} \quad & \sigma_{11}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}(G^1 \cdot H) + \sigma_{22}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}(G^2 \cdot H) + \sigma_{33}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega(G^3 \cdot H) \\
& = (\sigma_{11}\mu + \sigma_{22}\mu^3 + \sigma_{33}\mu\omega^2)(H_{11} + H_{22}) + (\sigma_{11}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega + \sigma_{22}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega^3 + \sigma_{33}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega)H_{33} \\
\text{ii)} \quad & \sigma_{11}\omega(G^1 \cdot H) + \sigma_{22}\omega^3(G^2 \cdot H) + \sigma_{33}\mu(G^3 \cdot H) = \\
& (\sigma_{11}\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega + \sigma_{22}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega^3 + \sigma_{33}\mu^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega)(H_{11} + H_{22}) + (\sigma_{11}\omega^2 + \sigma_{22}\omega^6 + \sigma_{33}\mu^2)H_{33}
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $B = C[H]$ . Then by equation (11)

$$\begin{aligned}
B_{11} &= (\sigma_1 + Y + 3\mu\sigma_2)H_{11} + (\omega\sigma_3 + Y)H_{22} + (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 + Z)H_{33} \\
B_{22} &= (\omega\sigma_3 + Y)H_{11} + (\sigma_1 + Y + 3\mu\sigma_2)H_{22} + (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 + Z)H_{33} \\
B_{33} &= (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 + Z)(H_{11} + H_{22}) + (\sigma_1 + V + 3\omega^2\sigma_2)H_{33} \\
B_{12} &= (\sigma_1 + 2\mu\sigma_2)H_{12} - (\omega\sigma_3 - \mu\sigma_2)H_{21} \\
B_{21} &= (\sigma_1 + 2\mu\sigma_2)H_{21} - (\omega\sigma_3 - \mu\sigma_2)H_{12} \\
B_{13} &= (\sigma_1 + \omega^2\sigma_2 + \mu\sigma_2)H_{13} - (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 - \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega\sigma_2)H_{31} \\
B_{31} &= (\sigma_1 + \omega^2\sigma_2 + \mu\sigma_2)H_{31} - (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 - \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega\sigma_2)H_{13} \\
B_{23} &= (\sigma_1 + \omega^2\sigma_2 + \mu\sigma_2)H_{23} - (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 - \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega\sigma_2)H_{32} \\
B_{32} &= (\sigma_1 + \omega^2\sigma_2 + \mu\sigma_2)H_{32} - (\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3 - \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\omega\sigma_2)H_{23}
\end{aligned}$$

□

#### Theorem 4.2.

If  $C$  in Theorem 4.1 is strongly elliptic then  $\beta_1 > 0, \beta_3 > 0, \tau_1 > 0, \tau_3 > 0$ .

*Proof.* We recall  $C$  is strongly elliptic iff  $H \cdot C[H] > 0$  for all  $H = a \otimes b \neq 0, \quad a, b \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

$$H = e_1 \otimes e_1 \implies \tau_1 > 0, H = e_3 \otimes e_3 \implies \tau_3 > 0,$$

$$H = e_1 \otimes e_3 \implies \beta_1 > 0, H = e_1 \otimes e_2 \implies \beta_3 > 0.$$

$e_1, e_2, e_3$  are the unit vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

□



## Chapter 5

### Calculating the Complementing Condition when $n = e_1$

In this Chapter we calculate the Complementing Condition for  $(C, n)$  with  $n = e_1$  and  $C$  in Theorem 4.1. As in Chapter 3, this is equivalent to showing that for each  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\xi[z] &= 0, \quad t \in [0, \infty) \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z] &= 0 \quad \text{at } t = 0,\end{aligned}\tag{12}$$

the only exponentially decreasing solution of equation (12) is the trivial solution  $z \equiv 0$  on  $[0, \infty)$ .

$$\text{Let } n = e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xi = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \xi_2 \\ \xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z(t) = \begin{bmatrix} z_1(t) \\ z_2(t) \\ z_3(t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad t \in [0, \infty).$$

Let

$$H = z' \otimes n + iz \otimes \xi = \begin{bmatrix} z'_1 & i\xi_2 z_1 & i\xi_3 z_1 \\ z'_2 & i\xi_2 z_2 & i\xi_3 z_2 \\ z'_3 & i\xi_2 z_3 & i\xi_3 z_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then by equation (7)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\xi[z] &= C[H']n + iC[H]\xi \\ &= C[z'' \otimes n]n + iC[z' \otimes \xi]n + iC[z' \otimes n]\xi - C[z \otimes \xi]\xi\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z] = C[H]n = C[z' \otimes n]n + iC[z \otimes \xi]n$$

From the formula for  $C[H]$  in Theorem 4.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\xi[z]_1 &= C[H']_{11} + iC[H]_{12}\xi_2 + iC[H]_{13}\xi_3 \\ &= \tau_1 z_1'' - (\beta_3 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2)z_1 + i\xi_2(\nu_3 + \gamma)z_2' + i\xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_3' \\ \mathcal{L}_\xi[z]_2 &= C[H']_{21} + iC[H]_{22}\xi_2 + iC[H]_{23}\xi_3 \\ &= \beta_3 z_2'' - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2)z_2 + i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)z_1' - \xi_2 \xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_3 \\ \mathcal{L}_\xi[z]_3 &= C[H']_{31} + iC[H]_{32}\xi_2 + iC[H]_{33}\xi_3 \\ &= \beta_1 z_3'' - (\beta_1 \xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2)z_3 + i\xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_1' - \xi_2 \xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_2 \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z]_1 &= C[H]_{11} = \tau_1 z_1' + i\gamma \xi_2 z_2 + iX \xi_3 z_3 \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z]_2 &= C[H]_{21} = \beta_3 z_2' + i\nu_3 \xi_2 z_1 \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z]_3 &= C[H]_{31} = \beta_1 z_3' + i\nu_1 \xi_3 z_1 \end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

Then by equation (12),  $\mathcal{L}_\xi[z] = 0$  iff

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1 z_1'' - (\beta_3 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2)z_1 + i\xi_2(\nu_3 + \gamma)z_2' + i\xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_3' &= 0 \\ \beta_3 z_2'' - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2)z_2 + i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)z_1' - \xi_2 \xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_3 &= 0 \\ \beta_1 z_3'' - (\beta_1 \xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2)z_3 + i\xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_1' - \xi_2 \xi_3(X + \nu_1)z_2 &= 0 \end{aligned} \tag{14}$$

for  $t \geq 0$

and  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z] = 0$  iff

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1 z_1' + i\gamma \xi_2 z_2 + iX \xi_3 z_3 &= 0 \\ \beta_3 z_2' + i\nu_3 \xi_2 z_1 &= 0 \\ \beta_1 z_3' + i\nu_1 \xi_3 z_1 &= 0 \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

at  $t = 0$

We seek decaying exponential solutions of equation (14) of the form

$$z(t) = e^{rt}p, \quad t \geq 0 \tag{16}$$

for  $r \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\text{Re } r < 0, p \in \mathbb{C}^3$ . (See equation (8) with  $a$  replaced by  $p$ ).

By equation (9) we have

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= M(rn + i\xi)pe^{rt}, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= C[p \otimes (rn + i\xi)]n, & t = 0\end{aligned}\tag{17}$$

and  $M$  is the acoustic tensor in Definition 2.2. We define, for  $r \in \mathbb{C}$ , the  $3 \times 3$  complex matrices  $A(r), B(r)$  by

$$A(r) = M(rn + i\xi)$$

$$B(r)p = C[p \otimes (rn + i\xi)]n, \quad p \in \mathbb{C}^3.$$

So equation (17) becomes

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= A(r)pe^{rt}, & t \geq 0 \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= B(r)p, & t = 0\end{aligned}\tag{18}$$

It follows that equation (16) is a solution of equation (14) iff

$$A(r)p = 0.\tag{19}$$

To find  $A(r), B(r)$  we substitute equation (16) with  $p = e_1, e_2, e_3$  into equation (13) and use equation (18) and  $\nu_3 + \gamma = \tau_1 - \beta_3$  to get

$$A(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^2 - (\beta_3 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) & i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & i\xi_3 Nr \\ i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & \beta_3 r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) & -\xi_2 \xi_3 N \\ i\xi_3 Nr & -\xi_2 \xi_3 N & \beta_1 r^2 - (\beta_1 \xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r & i\xi_2 \gamma & i\xi_3 X \\ i\xi_2 \nu_3 & \beta_3 r & 0 \\ i\xi_3 \nu_1 & 0 & \beta_1 r \end{bmatrix}$$

We are looking for nontrivial solutions (16) of equation (14) which requires  $p \neq 0$  in equation (19)  $\implies$

$$\det A(r) = 0 \quad (20)$$

As in Theorem 3.3, this is the 6<sup>th</sup> degree characteristic polynomial in  $r$ . It has exactly 3 roots  $r_1, r_2, r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0$ . By strong ellipticity no root has real part equal to zero. Let

$S$  = set of solutions of equation (14) on  $[0, \infty)$  which are exponentially decreasing as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

$S$  is a vector space over  $\mathbb{C}$  and by Theorem 3.3,  $\dim S = 3$ .

**Theorem 5.1.** Letting  $\rho = r^2 - \xi_2^2$  we have

$$\det A(r) = (\beta_3 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2)(\beta_1 \tau_1 \rho^2 - \lambda \xi_3^2 \rho + \beta_1 \tau_3 \xi_3^4) \quad (21)$$

$$\text{with } \lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2$$

$\det A(r) = 0$  has roots  $\pm r_1, \pm r_2, \pm r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0, i = 1, 2, 3$ .

There are four cases.

**Case i)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$ .

$$r_1^2 = \xi_2^2 + k_1 \xi_3^2, r_2^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3} \xi_3^2, r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + k_3 \xi_3^2$$

where  $k_1, k_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  are the roots of

$$\beta_1 \tau_1 k^2 - \lambda k + \beta_1 \tau_3 = 0 \quad (22)$$

With

$$p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic_1 \xi_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} r_3 \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic_3 \xi_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (23)$$

$$c_i = \frac{\tau_1 k_i - \beta_1}{N}, \quad i = 1, 3 \quad (24)$$

$$S = \text{span} \{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3\}$$

**Case ii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N = 0$

$$r_1^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_1} \xi_3^2, \quad r_2^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3} \xi_3^2, \quad r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\tau_3}{\beta_1} \xi_3^2$$

With

$$p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ i\xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = \text{span} \{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3\}$$

**Case iii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$

$$r_1^2 = \xi_2^2 + k_1 \xi_3^2, \quad r_2^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3} \xi_3^2, \quad r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + k_3 \xi_3^2 \quad \text{with } k_1, k_3 \text{ as in Case i).}$$

With  $p_1, p_2$  in equation (23) and

$$p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} r \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic(r)\xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\tau_1 \rho(r) - \beta_1 \xi_3^2}{N \xi_3^2},$$

$$\rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2, \text{ we have } S = \text{span} \{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, \frac{\partial}{\partial r} [e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_1}\}$$

**Case iv)**  $\xi_3 = 0$

$$r_1^2 = r_2^2 = r_3^2 = |\xi|^2$$

With

$$p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_3 r^2 - \tau_1 \xi_2^2 \\ -i(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r\xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = \text{span} \{e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3, \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_1}\}$$

*Proof.* To find  $\det A(r)$  we reduce  $A(r)$  by row and column operations via  $E(r)$  below to a simpler matrix  $D(r)$ .

Let

$$E(r) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i\xi_2 & 0 \\ 0 & r & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D(r) = E(r)^T A(r) E(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_1(\rho) & -i\xi_2 \eta_2(\rho) & i\xi_3 N r \\ -i\xi_2 \eta_2(\rho) & \rho \eta_2(\rho) & 0 \\ i\xi_3 N r & 0 & \eta_3(\rho) \end{bmatrix}$$

where

$$\rho = r^2 - \xi_2^2$$

$$\eta_1(\rho) = \tau_1 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2 + (\tau_1 - \beta_3) \xi_2^2$$

$$\eta_2(\rho) = \beta_3 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2$$

$$\eta_3(\rho) = \beta_1 \rho - \tau_3 \xi_3^2$$

Expanding the determinant of  $D(r)$  about the third row  $\implies$

(and for brevity writing  $\eta_i = \eta_i(\rho)$  )

$$\det D(r) = [\det E(r)]^2 \det A(r) = \eta_2 [\xi_3^2 N^2 r^2 \rho + \eta_3 (\rho \eta_1 + \xi_2^2 \eta_2)]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \eta_2 r^2 [\xi_3^2 N^2 \rho + \eta_3 (\tau_1 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2)] \\
& \text{(since } \rho \eta_1 + \xi_2^2 \eta_2 = r^2 \eta_1 + \xi_2^2 (\eta_2 - \eta_1) = r^2 \eta_1 - \xi_2^2 (\tau_1 - \beta_3) r^2 \\
&= r^2 (\tau_1 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2) \text{ )} \\
&= \eta_2 r^2 [\xi_3^2 N^2 \rho + (\beta_1 \rho - \tau_3 \xi_3^2) (\tau_1 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2)] \\
&= r^2 (\beta_3 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2) [\beta_1 \tau_1 \rho^2 - \lambda \xi_3^2 \rho + \beta_1 \tau_3 \xi_3^4] \\
& \text{where } \lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2.
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\det E(r) = r$ , we get equation (21).

Let the roots of equation (21) be  $\rho_1, \rho_2, \rho_3 \in \mathbb{C}$ . Then the roots of  $\det A(r)$  are  $\pm r_1, \pm r_2, \pm r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  where  $r_i^2 = \rho_i + \xi_2^2$  and  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ .

i)  $\rho_2$  satisfies

$$\beta_3 \rho - \beta_1 \xi_3^2 = 0 \implies \rho_2 = \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3} \xi_3^2 \quad (25)$$

ii)  $\rho_1, \rho_3$  satisfy

$$\beta_1 \tau_1 \rho^2 - \lambda \xi_3^2 \rho + \beta_1 \tau_3 \xi_3^4 = 0 \quad (26)$$

and putting  $k_1 = \frac{\rho_1}{\xi_3^2}, k_3 = \frac{\rho_3}{\xi_3^2}$

is equivalent to  $k_1, k_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  satisfying equation (22).

$k_1, k_3$  can be complex. Now putting  $r_i^2 = \rho_i + \xi_2^2$  we get :

$$r_1^2 = \xi_2^2 + k_1 \xi_3^2, r_2^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3} \xi_3^2, r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + k_3 \xi_3^2. \quad (27)$$

This gives the 6 roots of equation (20)  $\det A(r) = 0$  which occur in 3 pairs  $\pm r_1, \pm r_2, \pm r_3$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ .

**Case i)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$ :

The roots  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  are given in equation (27).

Next we find the null vectors  $p_i$  of  $A(r_i)$  satisfying equation (19). This is equivalent to finding  $q_i$  such that  $D(r_i)q_i = 0$ , then putting  $p_i = \text{const. } E(r_i)q_i$

Finding the null vector  $p_2$  :

$$r = r_2 \implies \eta_2(\rho_2) = 0 \implies$$

$$D(r_2) = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_1 & 0 & i\xi_3 N r_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ i\xi_3 N r_2 & 0 & \eta_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here  $\eta_i = \eta_i(\rho_2)$ .

$$\text{Then } q_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \implies$$

$$p_2 = E(r_2)q_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Finding the null vectors  $p_1, p_3$  :

Letting  $r = r_i, \rho_i = k_i \xi_3^2$ ,  $i = 1, 3$  in  $D(r_i)$ , we can take

$$q_i = \begin{bmatrix} \rho_i \\ i\xi_2 \\ i\xi_3 r_i c_i \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $c_i = \frac{\tau_1 \rho_i - \beta_1 \xi_3^2}{N \xi_3^2}$  (This uses that  $\rho_i$  satisfies equation (26),  $i = 1, 3$ .)

$$\text{Then } p_i = \text{const. } E(r_i)q_i = \text{const. } \begin{bmatrix} r_i^2 \\ i\xi_2 r_i \\ i\xi_3 r_i c_i \end{bmatrix}$$

Put the constant  $= r_i^{-1} \implies$



$$p_i = \begin{bmatrix} r_i \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic_i\xi_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad i = 1, 3.$$

with  $\rho_i = k_i\xi_3^2$  this gives  $p_1, p_3$  in equation (23). Thus since  $A(r_i)p_i = 0$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3$ , then equation (19)  $\implies e^{r_it}p_i, i = 1, 2, 3$  are exponentially decreasing solutions of equation (14) in  $S$ . They are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$  since  $r_1 \neq r_3$  and  $\{p_1, p_2\}, \{p_2, p_3\}$  are linearly independent in  $\mathbb{C}^3$  due to

$$\det \begin{vmatrix} r_i & -i\xi_2 \\ i\xi_2 & r_2 \end{vmatrix} = r_i r_2 - \xi_2^2 \neq 0 \text{ for } i = 1, 3. \text{ Since } \dim S = 3 \text{ they form a basis for } S$$

and  $S$  is spanned by  $e^{r_it}p_i, i = 1, 2, 3$ .

**Case ii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N = 0$  :

When  $N = 0$ , equation (22) becomes  $(\tau_1 k - \beta_1)(\beta_1 k - \tau_3) = 0$ . So

$k_1 = \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_1}; \quad k_3 = \frac{\tau_3}{\beta_1}$  and the roots are in equation (27).

$$r_1^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_1}\xi_3^2, \quad r_2^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3}\xi_3^2, \quad r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\tau_3}{\beta_1}\xi_3^2, \quad \text{Re } r_i < 0.$$

To find null vectors  $p_i \in \mathbb{C}^3$  of  $A(r_i)$  we have

$$A(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^2 - (\beta_3 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) & i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & 0 \\ i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & \beta_3 r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \beta_1 r^2 - (\beta_1 \xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

We get

$$p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ i\xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

As in Case i)  $\{e^{r_i t} p_i\}_{i=1}^3$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$ , using the fact that  $p_1, p_2, p_3$  are linearly independent in  $\mathbb{C}^3$

$$\left( \begin{vmatrix} r_1 & -i\xi_2 \\ i\xi_2 & r_2 \end{vmatrix} = r_1 r_2 - \xi_2^2 = |r_1||r_2| - \xi_2^2 > |\xi_2||\xi_2| - \xi_2^2 = 0 \text{ since } |r_i| > |\xi_2| \right).$$

Thus they form a basis for  $S$ .

**Case iii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$  :

The roots  $r_i$  are as in Case i). Also, with  $p_1, p_2 \in \mathbb{C}^3$  in equation (23),  $e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2 \in S$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$ . To find a third linearly independent solution in  $S$

$$\text{let } p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} r \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic(r)\xi_3 \end{bmatrix}, c(r) = \frac{\tau_1 \rho(r) - \beta_1 \xi_3^2}{N \xi_3^2}, \quad \rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} A(r)p(r) &= \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^2 - (\beta_3 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) & i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & i\xi_3 N r \\ i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & \beta_3 r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) & -\xi_2 \xi_3 N \\ i\xi_3 N r & -\xi_2 \xi_3 N & \beta_1 r^2 - (\beta_1 \xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic(r)\xi_3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{i}{N \xi_3} (\beta_1 \tau_1 \rho^2 - \lambda \xi_3^2 \rho + \beta_1 \tau_3 \xi_3^4) \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \rho = r^2 - \xi_2^2. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $r_1 = r_3$  then  $k_1 = k_3$  is a double root of equation (22) so  $\beta_1 \tau_1 k^2 - \lambda k + \beta_1 \tau_3 = \beta_1 \tau_1 (k - k_1)^2$ .

Similarly  $\beta_1 \tau_1 \rho^2 - \lambda \xi_3^2 \rho + \beta_1 \tau_3 \xi_3^4 = \beta_1 \tau_1 (\rho - \rho_1)^2$ . Thus

$$A(r)p(r) = \frac{i\beta_1\tau_1}{N\xi_3}(\rho - \rho_1)^2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So  $A(r)p(r)|_{r=r_1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[A(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_1} = 0$  since  $r = r_1 \implies \rho = \rho_1$ .

Now by equation (18) with  $p = p(r)$ , differentiating  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}$  gives

$$\mathcal{L}_\xi[\frac{\partial}{\partial r}(e^{rt}p(r))] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[A(r)p(r)e^{rt}], t \geq 0$$

and therefore

$$\mathcal{L}_\xi[\frac{\partial}{\partial r}(e^{rt}p(r))|_{r=r_1}] = 0 \text{ on } [0, \infty).$$

Thus we let a third linearly independent solution of  $S$  be

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r}(e^{rt}p(r))|_{r=r_1} = te^{r_1t}p_1 + e^{r_1t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \frac{2i\tau_1r_1}{N\xi_3} \end{bmatrix}$$

since  $\rho(r_1) = \rho_1 = k_1\xi_3^2$ ,  $c(r_1) = \frac{\tau_1\rho_1 - \beta_1\xi_3^2}{N\xi_3^2} = \frac{\tau_1k_1 - \beta_1}{N} = c_1 \implies p(r_1) = p_1$  in equation (23).

Since  $p_1, p_2 \in \mathbb{C}^3$  are linearly independent then  $e^{r_1t}p_1, e^{r_2t}p_2, \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt}p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$  and form a basis for  $S$ .

**Case iv)**  $\xi_3 = 0$  :

When  $\xi_3 = 0$ , then  $r_i^2 = \xi_2^2$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$ ,  $\text{Re } r_i < 0 \implies$

$r_1 = r_2 = r_3 = -|\xi_2|$ . Also,

$$A(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1r^2 - \beta_3\xi_2^2 & i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & 0 \\ i\xi_2(\tau_1 - \beta_3)r & \beta_3r^2 - \tau_1\xi_2^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \beta_1(r^2 - \xi_2^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

Then  $A(r_i)$  has null vectors  $p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

and  $e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3 \in S$  and are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$ . As in Case iii) another solution is  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$

with  $p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_3 r^2 - \tau_1 \xi_2^2 \\ -i(\tau_1 - \beta_3) r \xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,

This follows from

$$A(r)p(r) = \tau_1 \beta_3 (r^2 - \xi_2^2)^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

So  $A(r)p(r)|_{r=r_1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[A(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_1} = 0$ .

Now  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}(e^{rt} p(r))|_{r=r_1} = t e^{r_1 t} p(r_1) + e^{r_1 t} p'(r_1)$

$$= t e^{-|\xi_2|t} (\tau_1 - \beta_3) \begin{bmatrix} -\xi_2^2 \\ i\xi_2 |\xi_2| \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + e^{-|\xi_2|t} \begin{bmatrix} -2\beta_3 |\xi_2| \\ -i(\tau_1 - \beta_3) \xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

Then  $e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3, \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$  (considering the cases  $\tau_1 - \beta_3 = 0, \neq 0$  separately).

□

From Theorem 5.1, equation (14) has three linearly independent solutions

$$z^{(i)}(t), \quad i = 1, 2, 3 \quad (28)$$

on  $[0, \infty)$  such that  $z^{(i)}$  are exponentially decreasing.

We substitute these into the boundary operator  $\mathcal{B}_\xi$  in equation (13) at  $t = 0$ . We write

$$B_\xi[z] = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 z'_1 + i\xi_2 \gamma z_2 + i\xi_3 X z_3 \\ \beta_3 z'_2 + i\xi_2 \nu_3 z_1 \\ \beta_1 z'_3 + i\xi_3 \nu_1 z_1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (29)$$

and

$$C_\xi = [\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}]|_{t=0}, \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}]|_{t=0}, \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}]|_{t=0}] ;$$

$C_\xi$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix.

In the following Theorem we find  $C_\xi$  using the four cases in Theorem 5.1.

**Theorem 5.2.**

**Case i)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - X c_1)\xi_3^2 & -ia\xi_2 r_2 & a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_3 - X c_3)\xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r_1 & a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2 & ia\xi_2 r_3 \\ i\xi_3 r_1(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1) & \nu_1 \xi_2 \xi_3 & i\xi_3 r_3(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_3) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma, c_i = \frac{\tau_1 k_i - \beta_1}{N}, \quad i = 1, 3.$$

**Case ii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N = 0$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2 & -ia\xi_2r_2 & i\xi_3X \\ ia\xi_2r_1 & a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2 & 0 \\ i\xi_3r_1\nu_1 & \nu_1\xi_2\xi_3 & \beta_1r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma$$

**Case iii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2 & -ia\xi_2r_2 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[\tau_1r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2]|_{r=r_1} \\ ia\xi_2r_1 & a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[ia\xi_2r]|_{r=r_1} \\ i\xi_3r_1(\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1) & \nu_1\xi_2\xi_3 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[i\xi_3r(\nu_1 + \beta_1c(r))]|_{r=r_1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma, c(r) = \frac{\tau_1\rho(r) - \beta_1\xi_3^2}{N\xi_3^2}, \quad \rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2.$$

**Case iv)**  $\xi_3 = 0$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} ia\xi_2|\xi_2| & 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[\tau_1\beta_3r^3 + ((\tau_1 - \beta_3)\gamma - \tau_1^2)\xi_2^2r]|_{r=r_1} \\ a\xi_2^2 & 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[-i\xi_2(\beta_3\gamma r^2 + \nu_3\tau_1\xi_2^2)]|_{r=r_1} \\ 0 & -\beta_1|\xi_2| & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma, r_1 = -|\xi_2|.$$

*Proof.* In the following calculations we use from equation (18)

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] = B(r)p \quad \text{at } t = 0 \text{ and in cases where } p = p(r),$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt}p(r)]\right] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)] \text{ at } t = 0. \quad (30)$$

Also  $a = \tau_1 - \gamma$ .

**Case i) :**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - X c_1)\xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r_1 \\ i\xi_3 r_1(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -ia\xi_2 r_2 \\ a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2 \\ \nu_1 \xi_2 \xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_3 - X c_3)\xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r_3 \\ i\xi_3 r_3(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_3) \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case ii) :**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N = 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r_1 \\ i\xi_3 r_1 \nu_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -ia\xi_2 r_2 \\ a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2 \\ \nu_1 \xi_2 \xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} i\xi_3 X \\ 0 \\ \beta_1 r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iii) :**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, N \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - X c_1) \\ ia\xi_2 r_1 \\ i\xi_3 r_1 (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -ia\xi_2 r_2 \\ a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2 \\ \nu_1 \xi_2 \xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

From equation (30),  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$

$$\text{where } B(r)p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^2 - \gamma \xi_2^2 - X c(r) \xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r \\ i\xi_3 r (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c(r)) \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iv) :**  $\xi_3 = 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} ia\xi_2 |\xi_2| \\ a\xi_2^2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

using  $\beta_3 + \nu_3 = \tau_1 - \gamma$



$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -\beta_1|\xi_2| \end{bmatrix}$$

From equation (30),  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$

$$B(r)p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1\beta_3r^3 + [(\tau_1 - \beta_3)\gamma - \tau_1^2]\xi_2^2r \\ -i\xi_2(\beta_3\gamma r^2 + \nu_3\tau_1\xi_2^2) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

□

Next we note equations (14), (15) have only the trivial exponentially decreasing solution  $z$  iff  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$ . Since  $\{z^{(1)}, z^{(2)}, z^{(3)}\}$  is a basis for  $S$  then any exponentially decreasing solution  $z$  of equation (14) can be written

$$z(t) = c_1 z^{(1)}(t) + c_2 z^{(2)}(t) + c_3 z^{(3)}(t) \text{ with } c_i \in \mathbb{C}.$$

Then  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z]|_{t=0} = \sum_{i=1}^3 c_i \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(i)}]|_{t=0} = C_\xi c$  where  $c = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ c_3 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^3$ . Thus  $z$  satisfies

equation (15) iff  $C_\xi c = 0$ . Finally,  $z$  is trivial iff  $c = 0$ , and  $C_\xi c = 0$  has only the trivial solution  $c = 0$  iff  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$ .

**Theorem 5.3.**

$(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$ .

*Proof.* By Definition 3.2 and the remarks after equation (6),  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff for each  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}, \xi \perp n$ , the only exponentially decreasing solution  $z$  of equations (14), (15) is trivial  $z \equiv 0$  on  $[0, \infty)$  iff for each such  $\xi$ ,  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$ . □

In view of Theorem 5.3 we calculate  $\det C_\xi$ .

**Theorem 5.4.**

With the  $3 \times 3$  matrix,  $C_\xi$  in all four cases of Theorem 5.2, we find  $\det C_\xi$ .

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma.$$

**Case i)**  $\det C_\xi =$

$$(i\beta_1\xi_3)\{-r_1[a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_3 - Xc_3)\xi_3^2][ac_1\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)\xi_3^2] + r_3[a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2][ac_3\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_3)\xi_3^2] + a^2(c_1 - c_3)\xi_2^2r_1r_2r_3\}$$

**Case ii)**  $\det C_\xi =$

$$-a^2\beta_1r_1r_2r_3\xi_2^2 + \beta_1r_3(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2)^2 + \beta_1X\nu_1r_1\xi_3^4$$

**Case iii)**  $\det C_\xi =$

$$(i\beta_1\xi_3) \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \{-r_1[\tau_1r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2][ac_1\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)\xi_3^2] + r[a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2][ac(r)\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c(r))\xi_3^2] + a^2(c_1 - c(r))\xi_2^2r_1r_2r\}|_{r=r_1}$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\tau_1\rho(r) - \beta_1\xi_3^2}{N\xi_3^2}, \quad \rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2$$

**Case iv)**  $\det C_\xi =$

$$a\beta_1|\xi_2|\xi_2^4[-\tau_1^2 + (3\beta_3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \beta_3\gamma]$$

*Proof.* **Case i)** Expanding  $\det C_\xi$  about its 3<sup>rd</sup> column gives

$$\begin{aligned} \det C_\xi &= [a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_3 - Xc_3)\xi_3^2](i\xi_3r_1)[a\nu_1\xi_2^2 - (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2)] - \\ &ia\xi_2r_3(\xi_2\xi_3)[\nu_1(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2) - ar_1r_2(\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)] + i\xi_3r_3(\nu_1 + \beta_1c_3)[(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2)(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2) - a^2\xi_2^2r_1r_2] \\ &= (i\xi_3)\{-\beta_1r_1[a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_3 - Xc_3)\xi_3^2][ac_1\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)\xi_3^2] - ar_3\xi_2^2[\nu_1(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2) - ar_1r_2(\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)] + r_3(\nu_1 + \beta_1c_3)[(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2)(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2) - a^2\xi_2^2r_1r_2] \\ &= (i\xi_3)\{-\beta_1r_1[a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_3 - Xc_3)\xi_3^2][ac_1\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_1)\xi_3^2] + \beta_1r_3(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2)[ac_3\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1c_3)\xi_3^2] + a^2r_1r_2r_3\xi_2^2\beta_1(c_1 - c_3)\} \end{aligned}$$

**Case ii)** Expanding  $\det C_\xi$  about the second row  $\implies$

$$\begin{aligned} \det C_\xi &= -(ia\xi_2r_1)[-ia\xi_2r_2\beta_1r_3 - i\xi_3X\nu_1\xi_2\xi_3] + (a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2)[\beta_1r_3(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2) - i\xi_3Xi\xi_3r_1\nu_1] \\ &= -a^2\beta_1r_1r_2r_3\xi_2^2 + \beta_1r_3(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1\xi_3^2)^2 + \beta_1X\nu_1r_1\xi_3^4 \end{aligned}$$

**Case iii)** Let

$$C_\xi(r) = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2 & -ia\xi_2 r_2 & \tau_1 r^2 - \gamma\xi_3^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r_1 & a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2 & ia\xi_2 r \\ i\xi_3 r_1(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1) & \nu_1 \xi_2 \xi_3 & i\xi_3 r(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c(r)) \end{bmatrix}$$

Then expanding  $\det C_\xi$  in Case iii) about its 3<sup>rd</sup> column we see  $\det C_\xi = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \det C_\xi(r)|_{r=r_1}$

Expanding  $\det C_\xi(r)$  about the 3<sup>rd</sup> column gives

$$\begin{aligned} \det C_\xi(r) &= [\tau_1 r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2] (i\xi_3 r_1) [a\nu_1 \xi_2^2 - (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)(a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2)] - \\ &ia\xi_2 r(\xi_2 \xi_3) [\nu_1(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2) - ar_1 r_2(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)] + i\xi_3 r(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c(r)) [(a\xi_2^2 + \\ &(\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2) (a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) - a^2 \xi_2^2 r_1 r_2] \\ &= (i\xi_3) \{ -\beta_1 r_1 [\tau_1 r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2] [ac_1 \xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)\xi_3^2] - ar\xi_2^2 [\nu_1(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - \\ &Xc_1)\xi_3^2) - ar_1 r_2(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)] + r(\nu_1 + \beta_1 c(r)) [(a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)\xi_3^2) (a\xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) - \\ &a^2 \xi_2^2 r_1 r_2] \} \\ &= (i\xi_3) \{ -\beta_1 r_1 [\tau_1 r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2] [ac_1 \xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)\xi_3^2] + \beta_1 r [a\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k_1 - \\ &Xc_1)\xi_3^2] [ac(r)\xi_2^2 + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c(r))\xi_3^2] + a^2 r_1 r_2 r \xi_2^2 \beta_1 (c_1 - c(r)) \} \end{aligned}$$

**Case iv)** Let

$$\tilde{C}_\xi(r) = \begin{bmatrix} ia\xi_2 |\xi_2| & 0 & \tau_1 \beta_3 r^3 + ((\tau_1 - \beta_3)\gamma - \tau_1^2)\xi_2^2 r \\ a\xi_2^2 & 0 & -i\xi_2(\beta_3 \gamma r^2 + \nu_3 \tau_1 \xi_2^2) \\ 0 & -\beta_1 |\xi_2| & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then by expanding  $\det C_\xi$  in Case iv) about its 3<sup>rd</sup> column shows  $\det C_\xi = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \det \tilde{C}_\xi(r)|_{r=r_1}$ .

$$\det \tilde{C}_\xi(r) = a\beta_1 |\xi_2| \xi_2^2 [|\xi_2|(\beta_3 \gamma r^2 + \nu_3 \tau_1 \xi_2^2) - (\tau_1 \beta_3 r^3 + ((\tau_1 - \beta_3)\gamma - \tau_1^2)\xi_2^2 r)].$$

Then differentiating  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}$  at  $r = r_1 = -|\xi_2| \implies$

$$\det C_\xi = a\beta_1 |\xi_2| \xi_2^4 [-\tau_1^2 + (3\beta_3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \beta_3 \gamma].$$

□

In the next Theorem we summarize the results of this Chapter. By combining Theorems 5.3, 5.4 we have

**Theorem 5.5.**

Assume  $C$  in Theorem 4.1,  $C$  is strongly elliptic and  $n = e_1$ . Let  $k_1, k_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  be the roots of  $\beta_1 \tau_1 k^2 - \lambda k + \beta_1 \tau_3 = 0$ ,  $\lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2$ . Denote  $a = \tau_1 - \gamma$ . All  $\operatorname{Re}(\dots)^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ .

a) Assume  $N \neq 0, k_1 \neq k_3$ . Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3\beta_3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \beta_3\gamma] \neq 0 \text{ and}$$

$$(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k_3 - Xc_3)][ac_1x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)] - (x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)][ac_3x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_3)] - a^2(c_1 - c_3)x(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}} \neq 0$$

for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . Here  $c_i = \frac{\tau_1 k_i - \beta_1}{N}$ ,  $i = 1, 3$ .

b) Assume  $N = 0$ . Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3\beta_3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \beta_3\gamma] \neq 0 \text{ and}$$

$$X\nu_1(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}} + (x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(ax + \beta_1)^2 - a^2x(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}} \neq 0$$

for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . Here  $k_1 = \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_1}, k_3 = \frac{\tau_3}{\beta_1}$ .

c) Assume  $N \neq 0, k_1 = k_3$ . Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3\beta_3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \beta_3\gamma] \neq 0 \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left\{ (x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))][ac_1x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)] - (x + k)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)][a\hat{c}(k)x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 \hat{c}(k))] + \frac{a^2 \tau_1}{N}(k_1 - k)x(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\} \Big|_{k=k_1} \neq 0$$

for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . Here  $\hat{c}(k) = \frac{\tau_1 k - \beta_1}{N}$ .

*Proof.* We use the results of Theorem 5.3, 5.4 and require  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all possible  $(\xi_2, \xi_3) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$  in order for the Complementing Condition to be satisfied. In particular, when  $\xi_3 = 0$ , Theorem 5.4 (iv) implies

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3\beta_3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \beta_3\gamma] \neq 0 \tag{31}$$

in all cases a), b), c).

a)  $N \neq 0, k_1 \neq k_3$ .

In Theorem 5.4 (i) we put  $x = \frac{\xi_2^2}{\xi_3^2} \in [0, \infty)$ .

Then  $r_i = -(x + k_i)^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|$ ,  $i = 1, 3$ ,  $r_2 = -(x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|$  and  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  iff

$$(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k_3 - Xc_3)][ac_1x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)] - (x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)][ac_3x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_3)] - a^2(c_1 - c_3)x(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}} \neq 0.$$

This must hold for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . The case  $\xi_3 = 0$  is in equation (31). Also

$$\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0 \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{Re} (x + k_i)^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0, \operatorname{Re} (x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0.$$

b)  $N = 0$ .

In Theorem 5.4 (ii) we put  $x = \frac{\xi_2^2}{\xi_3^2} \in [0, \infty)$   $r_i = -(x + k_i)^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|$ ,

$$k_1 = \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_1}, k_2 = \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3}, k_3 = \frac{\tau_3}{\beta_1} \text{ in } \det C_\xi.$$

The case  $\xi_3 = 0$  is in equation (31).

c)  $N \neq 0, k_1 = k_3$ .

In Theorem 5.4 (iii) we put  $x = \frac{\xi_2^2}{\xi_3^2} \in [0, \infty)$  and

$$r = -(x + k)^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|, \quad k > 0, \quad \operatorname{Re} (x + k)^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0. \quad \text{Then } \frac{\partial}{\partial r} = (2r\xi_3^{-2}) \frac{\partial}{\partial k} \text{ and } r = r_1 \Leftrightarrow k = k_1. \text{ Also we put } c(r) = \frac{\tau_1 \rho(r) - \beta_1 \xi_3^2}{N \xi_3^2} = \frac{\tau_1 (r^2 - \xi_3^2) - \beta_1 \xi_3^2}{N \xi_3^2} = \frac{\tau_1 k - \beta_1}{N} = \hat{c}(k)$$

$$\text{so } \tau_1 r^2 - \gamma \xi_3^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2 = (\tau_1 - \gamma)\xi_3^2 + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))\xi_3^2 = [ax + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))]\xi_3^2,$$

$$c_1 - c(r) = \frac{\tau_1 k_1 - \beta_1}{N} - \frac{\tau_1 k - \beta_1}{N} = \frac{\tau_1}{N}(k_1 - k).$$

Then  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  in Theorem 5.4 (iii) iff

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left\{ (x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))][ac_1x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 c_1)] - (x + k)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + (\tau_1 k_1 - Xc_1)][a\hat{c}(k)x + (\nu_1 + \beta_1 \hat{c}(k))]\right. \\ \left. + \frac{a^2 \tau_1}{N}(k_1 - k)x(x + k_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + k_3)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_3})^{\frac{1}{2}} \right\} \Big|_{k=k_1} \neq 0.$$

This must hold for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . The case  $\xi_3 = 0$  is in equation (31). We note  $k$  is a real variable and  $k_1 \in \mathbb{R}$  (since  $k_1$  is a double root of equation (22) which has real coefficients).

□

## Chapter 6

### Calculating the Complementing Condition when $n = e_3$

In this Chapter we calculate the Complementing Condition for  $(C, n)$  with  $n = e_3$  and  $C$  in Theorem 4.1. The calculations are similar to those in Chapter 5.

$$n = e_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xi = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z(t) = \begin{bmatrix} z_1(t) \\ z_2(t) \\ z_3(t) \end{bmatrix}, t \geq 0.$$

Let

$$H = z' \otimes n + iz \otimes \xi = \begin{bmatrix} i\xi_1 z_1 & i\xi_2 z_1 & z'_1 \\ i\xi_1 z_2 & i\xi_2 z_2 & z'_2 \\ i\xi_1 z_3 & i\xi_2 z_3 & z'_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then by equation (7) and the formula for  $C[H]$  in Theorem 4.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}_\xi[z]_1 &= C[H']_{13} + iC[H]_{11}\xi_1 + iC[H]_{12}\xi_2 \\
&= \beta_1 z_1'' + i\xi_1(X + \nu_1)z_3' - (\tau_1\xi_1^2 + \beta_3\xi_2^2)z_1 - \xi_1\xi_2(\nu_3 + \gamma)z_2 \\
\mathcal{L}_\xi[z]_2 &= C[H']_{23} + iC[H]_{21}\xi_1 + iC[H]_{22}\xi_2 \\
&= \beta_1 z_2'' + i\xi_2(X + \nu_1)z_3' - \xi_1\xi_2(\nu_3 + \gamma)z_1 - (\beta_3\xi_1^2 + \tau_1\xi_2^2)z_2 \\
\mathcal{L}_\xi[z]_3 &= C[H']_{33} + iC[H]_{31}\xi_1 + iC[H]_{32}\xi_2 \\
&= \tau_3 z_3'' + i\xi_1(X + \nu_1)z_1' + i\xi_2(X + \nu_1)z_2' - \beta_1(\xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2)z_3 \\
\mathcal{B}_\xi[z]_1 &= C[H]_{13} = \beta_1 z_1' + i\xi_1\nu_1 z_3 \\
\mathcal{B}_\xi[z]_2 &= C[H]_{23} = \beta_1 z_2' + i\xi_2\nu_1 z_3 \\
\mathcal{B}_\xi[z]_3 &= C[H]_{33} = i\xi_1 X z_1 + i\xi_2 X z_2 + \tau_3 z_3'
\end{aligned} \tag{32}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\xi[z] = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\beta_1 z_1'' + i\xi_1(X + \nu_1)z_3' - (\tau_1\xi_1^2 + \beta_3\xi_2^2)z_1 - \xi_1\xi_2(\nu_3 + \gamma)z_2 &= 0 \\
\beta_1 z_2'' + i\xi_2(X + \nu_1)z_3' - \xi_1\xi_2(\nu_3 + \gamma)z_1 - (\beta_3\xi_1^2 + \tau_1\xi_2^2)z_2 &= 0 \\
\tau_3 z_3'' + i\xi_1(X + \nu_1)z_1' + i\xi_2(X + \nu_1)z_2' - \beta_1(\xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2)z_3 &= 0
\end{aligned} \tag{33}$$

for  $t \geq 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z] = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\beta_1 z_1' + i\xi_1\nu_1 z_3 &= 0 \\
\beta_1 z_2' + i\xi_2\nu_1 z_3 &= 0 \\
\tau_3 z_3' + i\xi_1 X z_1 + i\xi_2 X z_2 &= 0
\end{aligned} \tag{34}$$

at  $t = 0$

We seek decaying exponential solutions of equation (18) of the form

$$z(t) = e^{rt}p, \quad t \geq 0 \tag{35}$$

for  $r \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\text{Re } r < 0, p \in \mathbb{C}^3$ .

As in equation (18)

$$A(r) = M(rn + i\xi),$$

$B(r)p = C[p \otimes (rn + i\xi)]n$  for  $r \in \mathbb{C}, p \in \mathbb{C}^3$  and

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= A(r)pe^{rt}, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= B(r)p, & t = 0\end{aligned}\tag{36}$$

Then equation (33) implies

$$A(r)p = 0.\tag{37}$$

Substituting equation (35) into equation (32) with  $\nu_3 + \gamma = \tau_1 - \beta_3, X + \nu_1 = N$  and using equation (36) yields the formula for  $A(r), B(r)$  :

$$A(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_1^2 + \beta_3 \xi_2^2) & -\xi_1 \xi_2 (\tau_1 - \beta_3) & i\xi_1 N r \\ -\xi_1 \xi_2 (\tau_1 - \beta_3) & \beta_1 r^2 - (\beta_3 \xi_1^2 + \tau_1 \xi_2^2) & i\xi_2 N r \\ i\xi_1 N r & i\xi_2 N r & \tau_3 r^2 - \beta_1 (\xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 r & 0 & i\xi_1 \nu_1 \\ 0 & \beta_1 r & i\xi_2 \nu_1 \\ i\xi_1 X & i\xi_2 X & \tau_3 r \end{bmatrix}$$

We are looking for nontrivial solutions (35) of equation (33) which requires  $p \neq 0$  in equation (37)  $\implies$

$$\det A(r) = 0\tag{38}$$

Let

$S$  = set of solutions of equation (33) on  $[0, \infty)$  which are exponentially decreasing as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

By Theorem 3.3,  $\dim S = 3$ .



**Theorem 6.1.**

$$\det A(r) = (\beta_1 r^2 - \beta_3 |\xi|^2)(\beta_1 \tau_3 r^4 - \lambda |\xi|^2 r^2 + \beta_1 \tau_1 |\xi|^4), \quad (39)$$

with  $\lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2$ ,  $|\xi|^2 = \xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2$ .

$\det A(r)$  has roots  $\pm r_1, \pm r_2, \pm r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0, i = 1, 2, 3$ .

**Case i)**  $N \neq 0, r_2 \neq r_3$

$$r_1^2 = \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_1} |\xi|^2, r_2^2 = k_2 |\xi|^2, r_3^2 = k_3 |\xi|^2.$$

$k_2, k_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  are the roots of

$$\beta_1 \tau_3 k^2 - \lambda k + \beta_1 \tau_1 = 0 \quad (40)$$

$$\lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2$$

With

$$p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\xi_2 \\ \xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ i c_2 r_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ i c_3 r_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (41)$$

$$c_i = \frac{\beta_1 k_i - \tau_1}{N k_i}, \quad i = 2, 3$$

$$S = \operatorname{span} \{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3\}$$

**Case ii)**  $N = 0$

$$r_1^2 = \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_1} |\xi|^2, \quad r_2^2 = \frac{\tau_1}{\beta_1} |\xi|^2, \quad r_3^2 = \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_3} |\xi|^2$$

$$p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\xi_2 \\ \xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = \operatorname{span} \{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3\}.$$

**Case iii)**  $N \neq 0, r_2 = r_3$

$r_1^2 = \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_1}|\xi|^2, r_2^2 = k_2|\xi|^2, r_3^2 = k_3|\xi|^2$  with  $k_2, k_3$  as in Case i). With  $p_1, p_2$  as in equation (41) and

$$p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ ic(r) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\beta_1 r^2 - \tau_1 |\xi|^2}{Nr}$$

We have  $S = \text{span}\{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_2}\}$

*Proof.* To find  $\det A(r)$  we reduce  $A(r)$  by row and column operations via  $E(r)$  to a simpler matrix  $D(r)$ .

Let

$$E(r) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\xi_2 & 0 \\ 0 & \xi_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D(r) = E(r)^T A(r) E(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_1(r) & -\xi_2 \eta_2(r) & i\xi_1 Nr \\ -\xi_2 \eta_2(r) & |\xi|^2 \eta_2(r) & 0 \\ i\xi_1 Nr & 0 & \eta_3(r) \end{bmatrix}$$

where

$$|\xi|^2 = \xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2$$

$$\eta_1(r) = \beta_1 r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_1^2 + \beta_3 \xi_2^2)$$

$$\eta_2(r) = \beta_1 r^2 - \beta_3 |\xi|^2$$

$$\eta_3(r) = \tau_3 r^2 - \beta_1 |\xi|^2$$

Expanding the determinant of  $D(r)$  about the third row  $\implies$

$$\det D(r) = [\det E(r)]^2 \det A(r) = \eta_2 [\xi_1^2 N^2 r^2 |\xi|^2 + \eta_1 \eta_3 |\xi|^2 + \xi_2^2 \eta_2 \eta_3]$$

$$\det E(r) = \xi_1 .$$

Substituting for  $\eta_1, \eta_2, \eta_3$ , we get :

$$\det A(r) = (\beta_1 r^2 - \beta_3 |\xi|^2)(\beta_1 \tau_3 r^4 - \lambda |\xi|^2 r^2 + \beta_1 \tau_1 |\xi|^4) = 0, \quad \lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2$$

Let the roots of equation (39) be  $\pm r_1, \pm r_2, \pm r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\text{Re } r_i < 0$ .

i)  $r_1$  satisfies

$$\beta_1 r^2 - \beta_3 |\xi|^2 = 0 \implies r_1^2 = \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_1} |\xi|^2 \quad (42)$$

ii)  $r_2, r_3$  satisfy  $\beta_1 \tau_3 r^4 - \lambda |\xi|^2 r^2 + \beta_1 \tau_1 |\xi|^4 = 0$  and putting  $k_2 = \frac{r_2^2}{|\xi|^2}, k_3 = \frac{r_3^2}{|\xi|^2}$ ,

this is equivalent to  $k_2, k_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  satisfying equation (40) :

We have

$$r_1^2 = \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_1} |\xi|^2, r_2^2 = k_2 |\xi|^2, r_3^2 = k_3 |\xi|^2 \quad (43)$$

**Case i):**  $N \neq 0, r_2 \neq r_3$

The roots  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  are in equation (43).

Next we find the null vectors  $p_i$  of  $A(r_i)$  satisfying equation (37). This is equivalent to finding  $q_i$  such that  $D(r_i)q_i = 0$ ,

then putting  $p_i = \text{const. } E(r_i)q_i$

Finding the null vector  $p_1$  :

$$r = r_1 \implies \eta_2(r_1) = 0 \implies$$

$$D(r_1) = \begin{bmatrix} \eta_1 & 0 & i\xi_1 N r_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ i\xi_1 N r_1 & 0 & \eta_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here  $\eta_i = \eta_i(r_i)$ .

$$\text{Then } q_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \implies$$

$$p_1 = E(r_1)q_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\xi_2 \\ \xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Finding the null vectors  $p_2, p_3$  :

Letting  $r = r_i = k_i|\xi|^2$ ,  $i = 2, 3$  in  $D(r_i)$ , we can take

$$q_i = \begin{bmatrix} |\xi|^2 \\ \xi_2 \\ ic_i r_i \xi_1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{where } c_i = \frac{\beta_1 k_i - \tau_1}{N k_i}.$$

$$p_i = \text{const. } E(r_i)q_i = \text{const.} \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1^2 \\ \xi_1 \xi_2 \\ ic_i r_i \xi_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Putting the constant  $= \xi_1^{-1} \implies$

$$p_i = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ ic_i r_i \end{bmatrix}, \quad i = 2, 3$$

Thus  $e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3$  are exponentially decreasing solutions of equation (33) in

$S$ . They are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$  since  $r_2 \neq r_3$  and  $\{p_1, p_2\}, \{p_1, p_3\}$  are linearly independent in  $\mathbb{C}^3$ . Then  $S$  is spanned by  $e^{r_i t} p_i, i = 1, 2, 3$ .

**Case ii) :**  $N = 0$

Equation (40) becomes  $(\beta_1 k - \tau_1)(\tau_3 k - \beta_1) = 0$  so  $k_2 = \frac{\tau_1}{\beta_1}, k_3 = \frac{\beta_1}{\tau_3}$ . The roots are in equation (43). To find null vectors  $p_i \in \mathbb{C}^3$  of  $A(r_i)$  we have

$$A(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_1^2 + \beta_3 \xi_2^2) & -\xi_1 \xi_2 (\tau_1 - \beta_3) & 0 \\ -\xi_1 \xi_2 (\tau_1 - \beta_3) & \beta_1 r^2 - (\beta_3 \xi_1^2 + \tau_1 \xi_2^2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \tau_3 r^2 - \beta_1 (\xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

We get

$$p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\xi_2 \\ \xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Since  $p_1, p_2, p_3$  are linearly independent in  $\mathbb{C}^3$ , then  $e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$  and they form a basis for  $S$ .

**Case iii) :**  $N \neq 0, r_2 = r_3$

The roots  $r_i$  are as in Case i). With  $p_1, p_2$  in equation (41),  $e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2 \in S$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$ . A third linearly independent solution in  $S$  is  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r} [e^{r t} p(r)]|_{r=r_2}$  where

$$p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \\ ic(r) \end{bmatrix}, \quad c(r) = \frac{\beta_1 r^2 - \tau_1 |\xi|^2}{Nr}$$

This follows from

$$A(r)p(r) = \frac{i}{Nr}(\beta_1\tau_3r^4 - \lambda|\xi|^2r^2 + \tau_1\beta_1|\xi|^4) \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

But since  $r_2 = r_3$  then  $k_2 = k_3$  is a double root of equation (40) so  $\beta_1\tau_3k^2 - \lambda k + \beta_1\tau_1 = \beta_1\tau_3(k - k_2)^2$  and similarly

$$\beta_1\tau_3r^4 - \lambda|\xi|^2r^2 + \tau_1\beta_1|\xi|^4 = \beta_1\tau_3(r^2 - r_2^2)^2.$$

$$\text{Thus } A(r)p(r) = \frac{i\beta_1\tau_3}{Nr}(r^2 - r_2^2)^2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So  $A(r)p(r)|_{r=r_2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[A(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_2} = 0$ .

As in the proof of Case iii) in Theorem 5.1 we see  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt}p(r)]|_{r=r_2}$  is a solution in  $S$ . Also it equals  $te^{r_2t}p_2 + e^{r_2t}p'(r_2)$  since

$c(r_2) = \frac{\tau_1r_2^2 - \tau_1|\xi|^2}{Nr_2} = \frac{\tau_1k_2 - \tau_1}{Nk_2}r_2 = c_2r_2 \implies p(r_2) = p_2$ . Since  $p_1, p_2 \in \mathbb{C}^3$  are linearly independent then  $e^{r_1t}p_1, e^{r_2t}p_2, \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt}p(r)]|_{r=r_2}$  are linearly independent on  $[0, \infty)$  and form a basis for  $S$ .

□

Theorem 6.1 implies equation (33) has three linearly independent solutions  $z^{(1)}(t), z^{(2)}(t), z^{(3)}(t)$  on  $[0, \infty)$  which are exponentially decreasing.

We substitute these into  $\mathcal{B}_\xi$  in equation (32) at  $t = 0$ ,

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z] = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1r & 0 & i\xi_1\nu_1 \\ 0 & \beta_1r & i\xi_2\nu_1 \\ i\xi_1X & i\xi_2X & \tau_3r \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$C_\xi = [\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}]|_{t=0}, \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}]|_{t=0}, \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}]|_{t=0}];$$

$C_\xi$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix.

In the following Theorem we find  $C_\xi$  using Theorem 6.1.

**Theorem 6.2**

**Case i)**  $N \neq 0, r_2 \neq r_3$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2 & r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) \xi_1 & r_3(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3) \xi_1 \\ \beta_1 r_1 \xi_1 & r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) \xi_2 & r_3(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3) \xi_2 \\ 0 & i(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) & i(\tau_3 c_3 r_3^2 + X|\xi|^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c_i = \frac{\beta_1 k_i - \tau_1}{N k_i}, \quad i = 2, 3$$

**Case ii)**  $N = 0$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2 & \beta_1 r_2 \xi_1 & i \nu_1 \xi_1 \\ \beta_1 r_1 \xi_1 & \beta_1 r_2 \xi_2 & i \nu_1 \xi_2 \\ 0 & i X |\xi|^2 & \tau_3 r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iii)**  $N \neq 0, r_2 = r_3$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2 & r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) \xi_1 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[(\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) \xi_1] \big|_{r=r_2} \\ \beta_1 r_1 \xi_1 & r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) \xi_2 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[(\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) \xi_2] \big|_{r=r_2} \\ 0 & i(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[i(\tau_3 c(r) r + X|\xi|^2)] \big|_{r=r_2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\beta_1 r^2 - \tau_1 |\xi|^2}{N r}.$$

*Proof.* In the following we use equation (18)  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] = B(r)p$  at  $t = 0$  and equation (30)

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt}p(r)]\right] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)] \text{ at } t = 0.$$

**Case i) :**  $N \neq 0, r_2 \neq r_3$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] &= B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2 \\ \beta_1 r_1 \xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] &= B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2)\xi_1 \\ r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2)\xi_2 \\ i(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] &= B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} r_3(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3)\xi_1 \\ r_3(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3)\xi_2 \\ i(\tau_3 c_3 r_3^2 + X|\xi|^2) \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

**Case ii):**  $N = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] &= B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2 \\ \beta_1 r_1 \xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] &= B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 r_2 \xi_1 \\ \beta_1 r_2 \xi_2 \\ iX|\xi|^2 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$



$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} i\nu_1\xi_1 \\ i\nu_1\xi_2 \\ \tau_3r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iii) :**  $N \neq 0, r_2 = r_3$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1r_1\xi_2 \\ \beta_1r_1\xi_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1c_2)\xi_1 \\ r_2(\beta_1 - \nu_1c_2)\xi_2 \\ i(\tau_3c_2r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

From equation (30)  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_2}$  where

$$B(r)p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} (\beta_1r - \nu_1c(r))\xi_1 \\ (\beta_1r - \nu_1c(r))\xi_2 \\ i(X|\xi|^2 + c(r)\tau_3r) \end{bmatrix}$$

□

**Theorem 6.3.** We calculate  $\det C_\xi$

**Case i)**  $\det C_\xi =$

$$\frac{i\beta_1r_1|\xi|^4}{N} \{ [\tau_3\beta_1k_2 + (XN - \tau_1\tau_3)] (\beta_1 - \nu_1c_3)r_3 - [\tau_3\beta_1k_3 + (XN - \tau_1\tau_3)] (\beta_1 - \nu_1c_2)r_2 \}$$

**Case ii)**

$$\det C_\xi = -\beta_1r_1|\xi|^4 [X\nu_1 + \beta_1\sqrt{\tau_1\tau_3}]$$

**Case iii)**  $\det C_\xi$

$$= i\beta_1 r_1 |\xi|^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \{ [\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2] (\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) - [\tau_3 c(r)r + X|\xi|^2] (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) r_2 \} \big|_{r=r_2}$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\beta_1 r^2 - \tau_1 |\xi|^2}{Nr}$$

*Proof.* **Case i)** Expanding  $\det C_\xi$  about the 3<sup>rd</sup> row  $\implies$

$$\begin{aligned} \det C_\xi &= -i(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) [\beta_1 r_1 r_3 (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3) (-\xi_2^2 - \xi_1^2)] + i(\tau_3 c_3 r_3^2 + X|\xi|^2) [\beta_1 r_1 r_2 (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) (-\xi_2^2 - \xi_1^2)] \\ &= i\beta_1 r_1 |\xi|^2 [(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3) r_3 - (\tau_3 c_3 r_3^2 + X|\xi|^2) (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) r_2] \\ &= i\beta_1 r_1 |\xi|^4 \left[ \left( \frac{\tau_3 \beta_1}{N} k_2 + \left( X - \frac{\tau_1 \tau_3}{N} \right) \right) (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3) r_3 - \left( \frac{\tau_3 \beta_1}{N} k_3 + \left( X - \frac{\tau_1 \tau_3}{N} \right) \right) (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) r_2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

**Case ii)** Expanding  $\det C_\xi$  about the 3<sup>rd</sup> row  $\implies$

$$\begin{aligned} \det C_\xi &= -iX|\xi|^2 [(-\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2)(i\nu_1 \xi_2) - (\beta_1 r_1 \xi_1)(i\nu_1 \xi_1)] + \tau_3 r_3 [(-\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2)(\beta_1 r_2 \xi_2) - (\beta_1 r_1 \xi_1)(\beta_1 r_2 \xi_1)] \\ &= -X|\xi|^2 \beta_1 \nu_1 r_1 (\xi_2^2 + \xi_1^2) - \tau_3 r_3 \beta_1^2 r_1 r_2 (\xi_2^2 + \xi_1^2) \\ &= -\beta_1 r_1 |\xi|^2 [X\nu_1 |\xi|^2 + \tau_3 \beta_1 r_2 r_3] \\ &= -\beta_1 r_1 |\xi|^4 [X\nu_1 + \beta_1 \sqrt{\tau_1 \tau_3}] \\ \text{using } r_2 &= -\sqrt{\frac{\tau_1}{\beta_1}} |\xi|, \quad r_3 = -\sqrt{\frac{\beta_1}{\tau_3}} |\xi| \end{aligned}$$

**Case iii)** Let

$$C_\xi(r) = \begin{bmatrix} -\beta_1 r_1 \xi_2 & r_2 (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) \xi_1 & (\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) \xi_1 \\ \beta_1 r_1 \xi_1 & r_2 (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) \xi_2 & (\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) \xi_2 \\ 0 & i(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) & i(\tau_3 c(r)r + X|\xi|^2) \end{bmatrix}$$

Expanding  $\det C_\xi$  in Case iii) about its 3<sup>rd</sup> column, we see  $\det C_\xi = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \det C_\xi(r) \big|_{r=r_2}$ .

Expanding  $\det C_\xi(r)$  about the 3<sup>rd</sup> row

$$\det C_\xi(r) = -i(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2) [\beta_1 r_1 (\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) (-\xi_2^2 - \xi_1^2)] + i(\tau_3 c(r)r + X|\xi|^2) [\beta_1 r_1 r_2 (\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2) (-\xi_2^2 - \xi_1^2)]$$

$$= i\beta_1 r_1 |\xi|^2 [(\tau_3 c_2 r_2^2 + X|\xi|^2)(\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) - (\tau_3 c(r)r + X|\xi|^2)(\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2)r_2]$$

□

**Theorem 6.4.**

Assume  $C$  in Theorem 4.1,  $C$  is strongly elliptic and  $n = e_3$ . Let  $k_2, k_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  be the roots of  $\beta_1 \tau_3 k^2 - \lambda k + \beta_1 \tau_1 = 0$ ,  $\lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - N^2$ .

a) Assume  $N \neq 0, k_2 \neq k_3$ .

Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$[\tau_3 \beta_1 k_2 + (XN - \tau_1 \tau_3)](\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_3)k_3^{\frac{1}{2}} - [\tau_3 \beta_1 k_3 + (XN - \tau_1 \tau_3)](\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2)k_2^{\frac{1}{2}} \neq 0$$

Here  $\operatorname{Re} k_i^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ ,  $c_i = \frac{\beta_1 k_i - \tau_1}{N k_i}$ ,  $i = 2, 3$ .

b) Assume  $N = 0$ .

Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff  $X\nu_1 + \beta_1 \sqrt{\tau_1 \tau_3} \neq 0$ .

c) Assume  $N \neq 0, k_2 = k_3$ .

Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \{[\tau_3 c_2 k_2 + X](\beta_1 r - \nu_1 c(r)) + [\tau_3 c(r)r + X](\beta_1 - \nu_1 c_2)k_2^{\frac{1}{2}}\}|_{r=k_2} \neq 0$$

.

Here  $k_2^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ ,  $c_2 = \frac{\beta_1 k_2 - \tau_1}{N k_2}$ ,  $c(r) = \frac{\beta_1 r^2 - \tau_1}{N r}$ .

*Proof.* We use Theorems 6.3, 5.3 and require  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all  $(\xi_1, \xi_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$  in order for the Complementing Condition to be satisfied.

a)  $N \neq 0, k_2 \neq k_3$ .

In Theorem 6.3 (i) we have  $r_i = -k_i^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi|$  ( $|\xi|^2 = \xi_1^2 + \xi_2^2$ ),  $i = 2, 3$ . Then

$\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0 \implies \operatorname{Re} k_i^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ , and  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all  $|\xi| \neq 0$  gives a).

b)  $N = 0$ .

This follows from Theorem 6.3(ii).

c)  $N \neq 0, k_2 = k_3$ .

Here  $k_2$  is real since it is a double root of equation (40) which has real coefficients. In Theorem 6.3(iii) we have  $r_2 = -k_2^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi|$  and  $\operatorname{Re} r_2 < 0 \implies k_2^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ . Also by dividing  $r$  and  $r_2$  by  $|\xi|$  we may assume  $|\xi| = 1$ .

□

## Chapter 7

### Case with Stored Energy Function where $\sigma_1 = 1$

Assume a stored energy function

$$W(F) = \frac{1}{2} F \cdot F + \Psi(\det F),$$

i.e.  $W(F) = \sigma(v_1, v_2, v_3) = v_1 + \Psi(v_3)$

where  $v_1 = \frac{1}{2} F \cdot F$ ,  $v_3 = \det F$ ,  $F \in \text{Lin}^+$  for some  $C^2$ -smooth function  $\Psi : (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Denote  $\sigma_1 = \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial v_1} = 1$ ,  $\sigma_2 = \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial v_2} \equiv 0$ ,  $\sigma_3 = \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial v_3} = \Psi'(v_3)$ .

and  $\sigma_{11} = 0$ ,  $\sigma_{33} = \Psi''(v_3)$

The Piola-Kirchhoff stress,  $S(F) = \sigma_1 F + \sigma_3 \text{Cof} F = \sigma_1 F + \sigma_3 \cdot (\det F) F^{-T}$ .

We linearize about  $F_0 = \text{diag} [\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}, \omega]$  for  $\mu, \omega > 0$ .

Then the elasticity tensor,  $C[H] = \frac{d}{dt} S(F_0 + tH)|_{t=0}$

$$= H + \sigma_3(\det F_0)[(F_0^{-T} \cdot H)F_0^{-T} - F_0^{-T} H^T F_0^{-T}] + \sigma_{33}(G^3 \cdot H)G^3,$$

$$G^3 = \text{Cof} F_0 = (\det F_0) F_0^{-T}.$$

We have the constants

$$Y = \sigma_{33} \mu \omega^2$$

$$V = \sigma_{33} \mu^2$$

$$Z = \sigma_{33} \mu^{\frac{3}{2}} \omega$$

$$X = \mu^{\frac{1}{2}} \sigma_3 + Z$$

$$\beta_1 = \beta_3 = 1$$

$$\tau_1 = 1 + Y$$

$$\tau_3 = 1 + V$$

$$\nu_1 = -\mu^{\frac{1}{2}} \sigma_3$$

$$\nu_3 = -\omega \sigma_3$$

$$\gamma = \omega\sigma_3 + Y$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma = 1 - \omega\sigma_3, \quad b = 1 - \frac{\mu}{\omega}\sigma_3$$

Then  $\nu_3 + \gamma = \tau_1 - \beta_3 = Y$ , and

$$X + \nu_1 = Z$$

Theorems 4.1, 4.2 still hold with the the above constants.

We calculate the Complementing Condition for  $(C, n)$  with  $C$  in Theorem 4.1 and  $n = e_1$ . The calculations are similar to those in Chapters 5, 6.

$$\text{Let } n = e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xi = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \xi_2 \\ \xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z(t) = \begin{bmatrix} z_1(t) \\ z_2(t) \\ z_3(t) \end{bmatrix}, t \in [0, \infty)$$

We get exactly the equations (14), (15) :

$$\mathcal{L}_\xi[z] = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1 z_1'' - (\beta_3 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) z_1 + i \xi_2 (\nu_3 + \gamma) z_2' + i \xi_3 (X + \nu_1) z_3' &= 0 \\ \beta_3 z_2'' - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \beta_1 \xi_3^2) z_2 + i \xi_2 (\tau_1 - \beta_3) z_1' - \xi_2 \xi_3 (X + \nu_1) z_3 &= 0 \\ \beta_1 z_3'' - (\beta_1 \xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2) z_3 + i \xi_3 (X + \nu_1) z_1' - \xi_2 \xi_3 (X + \nu_1) z_2 &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (44)$$

for  $t \geq 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z] = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_1 z_1' + i\gamma \xi_2 z_2 + iX \xi_3 z_3 &= 0 \\ \beta_3 z_2' + i\nu_3 \xi_2 z_1 &= 0 \\ \beta_1 z_3' + i\nu_1 \xi_3 z_1 &= 0\end{aligned}\tag{45}$$

at  $t = 0$

We seek decaying exponential solutions of equation (44)

$$z(t) = e^{rt}p, \quad t \geq 0\tag{46}$$

for  $r \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\text{Re } r < 0, p \in \mathbb{C}^3$ .

Exactly as in equation (18), (36) we have

$A(r) = M(rn + i\xi)$ ,  $B(r)p = C[p(rn + i\xi)]p$  for  $r \in \mathbb{C}, p \in \mathbb{C}^3$  and

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= A(r)pe^{rt}, & t \geq 0, \\ \mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] &= B(r)p, & t = 0\end{aligned}\tag{47}$$

Then equation (44) implies

$$A(r)p = 0\tag{48}$$

Substituting equation (46) into equation (13) with  $\nu_3 + \gamma = \tau_1 - \beta_3 = Y$ ,  $X + \nu_1 = Z$  and using equation (47) we get

$$\begin{aligned}A(r) &= \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^2 - (\xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2) & i\xi_2 Y r & i\xi_3 Z r \\ i\xi_2 Y r & r^2 - (\tau_1 \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2) & -\xi_2 \xi_3 Z \\ i\xi_3 Z r & -\xi_2 \xi_3 Z & r^2 - (\xi_2^2 + \tau_3 \xi_3^2) \end{bmatrix}, \\ B(r) &= \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r & i\xi_2 \gamma & i\xi_3 X \\ i\xi_2 \nu_3 & r & 0 \\ i\xi_3 \nu_1 & 0 & r \end{bmatrix},\end{aligned}$$

As in Theorem 3.3  $\det A(r)$  is a 6<sup>th</sup> degree polynomial in  $r$  and it has exactly three roots  $r_1, r_2, r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0$ . We let

$S$  = set of solutions of equation (44) on  $[0, \infty)$  which are exponentially decreasing as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

$\dim S = 3$ .

**Theorem 7.1.**

Letting  $\rho = r^2 - \xi_2^2$ ,

$$\det A(r) = (\rho - \xi_3^2)^2(\tau_1\rho - \tau_3\xi_3^2). \quad (49)$$

$\det A(r)$  has roots  $\pm r_1, \pm r_2, \pm r_3 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\operatorname{Re} r_i < 0, i = 1, 2, 3$ . There are 4 cases.

**Case i)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$

$r_1^2 = r_2^2 = |\xi|^2 = \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2, \quad r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1}\xi_3^2$ . With

$$p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ i\xi_2 \\ i\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}\xi_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} r_3 \\ i\xi_2 \\ i\frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}\xi_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (50)$$

$S = \operatorname{span} \{e^{r_1 t}p_1, e^{r_2 t}p_2, e^{r_3 t}p_3\}$ .

**Case ii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z = 0$

$r_1^2 = r_2^2 = r_3^2 = |\xi|^2 = \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2$ . With

$$p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$S = \operatorname{span} \{e^{r_1 t}p_1, e^{r_2 t}p_2, e^{r_3 t}p_3\}$ .

**Case iii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$



$$r_1^2 = r_2^2 = |\xi|^2 = \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2, \quad r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1} \xi_3^2.$$

With  $p_1, p_2$  in equation (50) and

$$p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} r \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic(r)\xi_3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad c(r) = \frac{\tau_1 \rho(r) - \xi_3^2}{Z\xi_3^2},$$

$\rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2$  we have

$$S = \text{span} \{e^{r_1 t} p_1, e^{r_2 t} p_2, \frac{\partial}{\partial r} [e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_1}\}.$$

**Case iv)**  $\xi_3 = 0$

$r_1^2 = r_2^2 = r_3^2 = \xi_2^2$ . With

$$p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i\xi_2 \\ r_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} r^2 - \tau_1 \xi_2^2 \\ -i\xi_2 Y r \\ 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$S = \text{span} \{e^{r_2 t} p_2, e^{r_3 t} p_3, \frac{\partial}{\partial r} [e^{rt} p(r)]|_{r=r_1}\}.$$

*Proof.* The proof follows that of Theorem 5.1. Note  $N = X + \nu_1 = Z$ . Then  $\det A(r)$  is in equation (21). Also  
 $\beta_1 = \beta_3 = 1, \quad \lambda = \beta_1^2 + \tau_1 \tau_3 - Z^2 = 1 + (1+Y)(1+V) - \sigma_{33}^2 \mu^3 \omega^2 = 1 + (1+Y)(1+V) - YV$   
 $= 2 + Y + V = \tau_1 + \tau_3, \beta_1 \tau_1 \rho^2 - \lambda \xi_3^2 \rho + \beta_1 \tau_3 \xi_3^4 = (\rho^2 - \xi_3^2)(\tau_1 \rho^2 - \tau_3 \xi_3^2)$  and equation (21) gives (49).

**Case i)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$

The roots of equation (49) are  $\rho_1 = \rho_2 = \xi_3^2, \rho_3 = \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1} \xi_3^2$  and

$$r_i^2 = \rho_i + \xi_2^2 \implies r_1^2 = r_2^2 = \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 = |\xi|^2, \quad r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1} \xi_3^2.$$

In the notation in Theorem 5.1,  $k_1 = 1, k_3 = \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1}$ . The null vectors with  $p_i$  of  $A(r_i)$  are in equation (23) with  $c_1 = \frac{\tau_1 k_1 - \beta_1}{N} = \frac{\tau_1 - 1}{Z} = \frac{Y}{Z} = \frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}, \quad c_3 = \frac{\tau_1 k_3 - \beta_1}{N} = \frac{\tau_3 - 1}{Z} = \frac{V}{Z} = \frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}$ . This gives equation (50).

**Case ii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} Z = 0 &\implies \sigma_{33} = 0 \text{ (since } \mu, \omega > 0) \\ &\implies Y = V = 0 \implies \tau_1 = \tau_3 = 1 \implies k_1 = k_3 = 1 \\ &\implies r_1^2 = r_2^2 = r_3^2 = \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 = |\xi|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Also  $A(r) = (r^2 - |\xi|^2)I$ ,  $I$  = identity matrix. Linearly independent null vectors of  $A(r_i)$  are  $p_1 = e_1, p_2 = e_2, p_3 = e_3$  since  $A(r_i) = 0$ .

**Case iii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$

The roots are in Case i). This case is exactly as in Theorem 5.1 with

$$p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} r \\ i\xi_2 \\ ic(r)\xi_3 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\tau_1 \rho(r) - \beta_1 \xi_3^2}{N \xi_3^2} = \frac{\tau_1 \rho(r) - \xi_3^2}{Z \xi_3^2}, \quad \rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2$$

**Case iv)**  $\xi_3 = 0$

Exactly as in Theorem 5.1,  $r_i^2 = \xi_2^2$ ,  $i = 1, 2, 3$

$$\text{with } p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} r^2 - \tau_1 \xi_2^2 \\ -iYr\xi_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ using } Y = \tau_1 - \beta_3.$$

□

Theorem 7.1 implies equation (44) has 3 linearly independent solutions  $z^{(1)}(t), z^{(2)}(t), z^{(3)}(t)$  on  $[0, \infty)$  which are exponentially decreasing. We substitute these into  $\mathcal{B}_\xi$  in equation (45) at  $t = 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z] = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 z'_1 + i\gamma \xi_2 z_2 + iX \xi_3 z_3 \\ z'_2 + i\nu_3 \xi_2 z_1 \\ z'_3 + i\nu_1 \xi_3 z_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and put

$$C_\xi = [\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}]|_{t=0}, \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}]|_{t=0}, \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}]|_{t=0}]$$

We find  $C_\xi$  using Theorem 7.1.

**Theorem 7.2**

**Case i)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} a|\xi|^2 & i\xi_2|\xi|a & a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2 \\ -ia\xi_2|\xi| & a\xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 & ia\xi_2r_3 \\ -i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{12}}b & \nu_1\xi_2\xi_3 & i\xi_3r_3\frac{\mu^{12}}{\omega}a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma, b = 1 - \frac{\mu}{\omega}\sigma_3$$

**Case ii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z = 0$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} -|\xi| & i\xi_2\gamma & i\xi_3X \\ i\xi_2\nu_3 & -|\xi| & 0 \\ i\xi_3\nu_1 & 0 & -|\xi| \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iii)**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} a|\xi|^2 & i\xi_2|\xi|a & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[\tau_1r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2]|_{r=r_1} \\ -ia\xi_2|\xi| & a\xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[ia\xi_2r]|_{r=r_1} \\ -i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{12}}b & \nu_1\xi_2\xi_3 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[i\xi_3r(\nu_1 + c(r))]|_{r=r_1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma, b = 1 - \frac{\mu}{\omega}\sigma_3$$

$$c(r) = \frac{\tau_1\rho(r) - \xi_3^2}{Z\xi_3^2}, \quad \rho(r) = r^2 - \xi_2^2.$$

**Case iv)**  $\xi_3 = 0$

$$C_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} ia\xi_2|\xi_2| & 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[\tau_1 r^3 + ((\tau_1 - 1)\gamma - \tau_1^2)|\xi|^2 r]|_{r=r_1} \\ a|\xi_2|^2 & 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[-i\xi_2(\gamma r^2 + \nu_3 \tau_1 \xi_2^2)]|_{r=r_1} \\ 0 & -|\xi_2| & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = \tau_1 - \gamma, r_1 = -|\xi_2|$$

*Proof.* We use equation (18)  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[e^{rt}p] = B(r)p$  at  $t = 0$  and equation (30)  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[\frac{\partial}{\partial r}[e^{rt}p(r)]] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)]$  at  $t = 0$ .

**Case i) :**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 \neq r_3$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a|\xi|^2 \\ -ia\xi_2|\xi| \\ -i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{12}}b \end{bmatrix}$$

using  $\nu_3 + 1 = \tau_1 - \gamma = a$ ,  $b = 1 - \frac{\mu}{\omega}\sigma_3$ ,  $X\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \gamma$ .

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} i\xi_2|\xi|a \\ a\xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 \\ \nu_1\xi_2\xi_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2r_3 \\ i\xi_3r_3\frac{\mu^{12}}{\omega}a \end{bmatrix}$$

using  $\tau_3 - X\frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega} = b$

**Case ii) :**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z = 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_1)p_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -|\xi| \\ i\xi_2\nu_3 \\ i\xi_3\nu_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} i\xi_2\gamma \\ -|\xi| \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} i\xi_3X \\ 0 \\ -|\xi| \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iii) :**  $\xi_3 \neq 0, Z \neq 0, r_1 = r_3$

$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}], \mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}]$  are the same as in Case i).

From equation (30),  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$

$$\text{where } B(r)p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^2 - \gamma \xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2 \\ ia\xi_2 r \\ i\xi_3 r(\nu_1 + c(r)) \end{bmatrix}$$

**Case iv) :**  $\xi_3 = 0$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(1)}] = B(r_2)p_2 = \begin{bmatrix} ia\xi_2|\xi_2| \\ a|\xi_2|^2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(2)}] = B(r_3)p_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -|\xi_2| \end{bmatrix}$$

From equation (30),  $\mathcal{B}_\xi[z^{(3)}] = \frac{\partial}{\partial r}[B(r)p(r)]|_{r=r_1}$

$$\text{where } B(r)p(r) = \begin{bmatrix} \tau_1 r^3 + ((\tau_1 - 1)\gamma - \tau_1^2)|\xi|^2 r \\ -i\xi_2(\gamma r^2 + \nu_3 \tau_1 \xi_2^2) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

using  $\gamma = Y - \nu_3$ ,  $Y = \tau_1 - 1$ .

□

We calculate  $\det C_\xi$ .

**Theorem 7.3.**

Denote  $a = 1 - \omega\sigma_3$ .

**Case i)**  $\det C_\xi$

$$= i\xi_3|\xi| \frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}} [a^2 r_3 (\xi_2^2 + \frac{\mu}{\omega^2} \xi_3^2) |\xi| + (a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2)^2]$$

$$\textbf{Case ii)} \det C_\xi = -|\xi|[(1 - \omega^2\sigma_3^2)\xi_2^2 + (1 - \mu\sigma_3^2)\xi_3^2]$$

**Case iii)**  $\det C_\xi$

$$= i\xi_3|\xi| \frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \{a|\xi|r [a\xi_2^2 + \frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}(\nu_1 + c(r))\xi_3^2] + [\tau_1 r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2] [a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2]\}|_{r=r_1}$$

$$\textbf{Case iv)} \det C_\xi = a|\xi_2|\xi_2^4 [-\tau_1^2 + (3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \gamma]$$

*Proof.* **Case i)** To find  $\det C_\xi$ , multiply the first column of  $C_\xi$  by  $(\frac{-i\xi_2}{|\xi|})$  and add to the second column  $\implies$

$$\det C_\xi = \det \begin{bmatrix} a|\xi|^2 & 0 & a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2 \\ -ia\xi_2|\xi| & \xi_3^2 & ia\xi_2r_3 \\ -i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}b & -\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}\xi_2\xi_3 & i\xi_3r_3\frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}a \end{bmatrix}$$

Expanding this about the first row  $\implies$

$$\det C_\xi = i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}} [a^2r_3(\xi_2^2 + \frac{\mu}{\omega^2}\xi_3^2)|\xi| + (a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2)^2]$$

**Case ii)** Expanding about the third row

$$\det C_\xi = (i\xi_3\nu_1)(|\xi|i\xi_3X) - |\xi|(|\xi|^2 + \xi_2^2\gamma\nu_3) = -|\xi|[(1 + \gamma\nu_3)\xi_2^2 + (1 + \nu_1X)\xi_3^2].$$

Then use  $Z = Y = V = 0$ ,  $\gamma = \omega\sigma_3$ ,  $X = \mu^{\frac{1}{2}}\sigma_3$  to get  $-|\xi|[(1 - \omega^2\sigma_3^2)\xi_2^2 + (1 - \mu\sigma_3^2)\xi_3^2]$ .

**Case iii)** Let

$$C_\xi(r) = \begin{bmatrix} a|\xi|^2 & i\xi_2|\xi|a & \tau_1r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2 \\ -ia\xi_2|\xi| & a\xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 & ia\xi_2r \\ -i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}b & \nu_1\xi_2\xi_3 & i\xi_3r(\nu_1 + c(r)) \end{bmatrix}$$

Expanding  $\det C_\xi$  in case iii) about its 3<sup>rd</sup> column we see

$\det C_\xi = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \det C_\xi(r)|_{r=r_1}$ . To find  $\det C_\xi(r)$ , multiply the first column of  $C_\xi(r)$  by  $(\frac{-i\xi_2}{|\xi|})$  and add to its second column  $\implies$

$$\det C_\xi(r)$$

$$= i\xi_3|\xi|\frac{\omega}{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}} \{a|\xi|r[a\xi_2^2 + \frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}(\nu_1 + c(r))\xi_3^2] + [\tau_1r^2 - \gamma\xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2][a\xi_2^2 + b\xi_3^2]\}.$$

**Case iv)** This follows from the proof of Theorem 5.4 (iv) with  $\beta_1 = \beta_3 = 1$ . □

#### Theorem 7.4.

Assume  $C$  in Theorem 4.1,  $C$  is strongly elliptic and  $n = e_1$ . Denote  $a = 1 - \omega\sigma_3$ ,  $b = 1 - \frac{\mu}{\omega}\sigma_3$ . All  $(\dots)^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ .

a) Assume  $Z \neq 0, \tau_1 \neq \tau_3$ .

Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \gamma] \neq 0 \text{ and}$$

$$-a^2\left(x + \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\left(x + \frac{\mu}{\omega^2}\right)(x + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} + (ax + b)^2 \neq 0$$

for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ .

b) Assume  $Z = 0$ .

Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$(1 - \omega^2\sigma_3^2)(1 - \mu\sigma_3^2) > 0$$

c) Assume  $Z = 0, \tau_1 = \tau_3$ .

Then  $(C, n)$  satisfies the Complementing Condition iff

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \gamma] \neq 0 \text{ and}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \{-a(x + k)^{\frac{1}{2}}[ax + \frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}(\nu_1 + \hat{c}(k))](x + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} + [ax + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))](ax + b)\}_{|k=1} \neq 0$$

for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . Here  $\hat{c}(k) = \frac{\tau_1 k - 1}{Z}$ .

*Proof.* We use Theorems 7.3, 5.3 and require  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all  $(\xi_2, \xi_3) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$  in order for the Complementing Condition to be satisfied. In particular, when  $\xi_3 = 0$ , Theorem 7.3 (iv) implies

$$a[-\tau_1^2 + (3 + \gamma)\tau_1 + \gamma] \neq 0 \tag{51}$$

in all cases a), b), c). Also  $r_1 = r_3 \Leftrightarrow \tau_1 = \tau_3$ .

a)  $Z \neq 0, \tau_1 \neq \tau_3$ .

In Theorem 7.3 (i) we put  $x = \frac{\xi_2^2}{\xi_3^2} \in [0, \infty)$ . Then

$r_3 = -(x + \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1})^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|$ ,  $|\xi| = (x + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|$  with each  $(\cdot)^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$ . Then  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  iff



$$-a^2\left(x + \frac{\tau_3}{\tau_1}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\left(x + \frac{\mu}{\omega^2}\right)(x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}} + (ax+b)^2 \neq 0.$$

This must hold for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . The case  $\xi_3 = 0$  is in equation (51).

b)  $Z = 0$ .

In Theorem 7.3 (ii),  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all  $(\xi_2, \xi_3) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$  iff  $1 - \omega^2\sigma_3^2$  and  $1 - \mu\sigma_3^2$  are nonzero and have the same sign. Also  $\tau_1 = 1, \gamma = \omega\sigma_3, a = 1 - \omega\sigma_3 \implies$  the left side of equation (51)  $= 2(1 - \omega^2\sigma_3^2) \implies$  equation (51) is satisfied.

c)  $Z \neq 0, \tau_1 = \tau_3$ .

In Theorem 7.3 (iii) we put

$$x = \frac{\xi_2^2}{\xi_3^2} \in [0, \infty), \quad r = -(x+k)^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|, \quad k > 0, \quad (x+k)^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0.$$

Then  $\frac{\partial}{\partial r} = (2r\xi_3^{-2})\frac{\partial}{\partial k}$  and  $r = r_1 \Leftrightarrow k = 1$  (since  $r_1 = -|\xi|$ ,  $|\xi|^2 = \xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2$ ).

Also we put  $c(r) = \frac{\tau_1\rho(r) - \xi_3^2}{Z\xi_3^2} = \frac{\tau_1(r^2 - \xi_2^2) - \xi_3^2}{Z\xi_3^2} = \frac{\tau_1 k - 1}{Z} = \hat{c}(k)$  so

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1 r^2 - \gamma \xi_2^2 - Xc(r)\xi_3^2 &= (\tau_1 - \gamma)\xi_2^2 + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))\xi_3^2 \\ &= [ax + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))]\xi_3^2, \quad |\xi| = (x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}|\xi_3|. \end{aligned}$$

Then  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  in Theorem 7.3 (iii) iff

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial k} \left\{ -a(x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(x+k)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[ ax + \frac{\mu^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\omega}(\nu_1 + \hat{c}(k)) \right] + [ax + (\tau_1 k - X\hat{c}(k))](ax+b) \right\} \Big|_{k=1} \neq 0.$$

This must hold for all  $x \in [0, \infty)$ . The case  $\xi_3 = 0$  is in equation (51).

□

## Chapter 8

### Conclusion

We calculated the Complementing Condition for the boundary value problem given by equations (1), (2). We have considered different cases when  $\Omega$  is a cylinder and the unit normal,  $n = e_1$  and  $n = e_3$ . The assumed stored energy function for material of the body depends on first, second and third invariants of the deformation  $F$ .

We then calculated the Complementing Condition for a special case of stored energy function when the unit normal,  $n = e_1$ .

We have found solution sets of ODE system, substituted into the boundary conditions and found the Complementing Condition equivalent to  $\det C_\xi \neq 0$  for all  $\xi$  in all cases. The Complementing Condition results are summarized in Theorems 5.5, 6.4, 7.4.

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