

# Vibration suppression of composite panel with variable angle tow design and inerter-based nonlinear energy sink

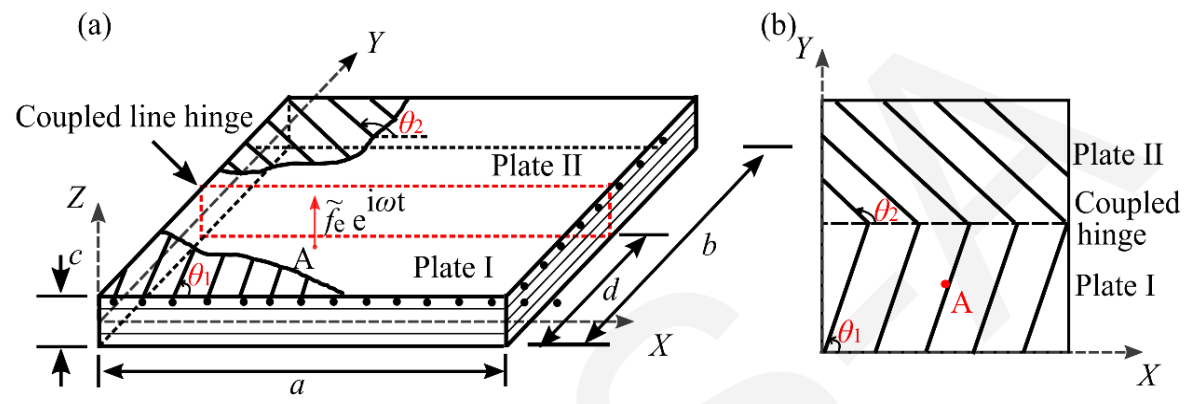
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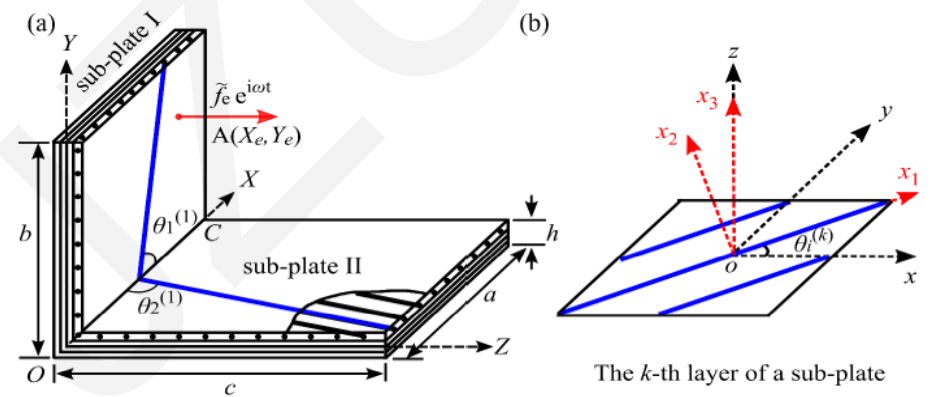
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# Research of composite structure vibration

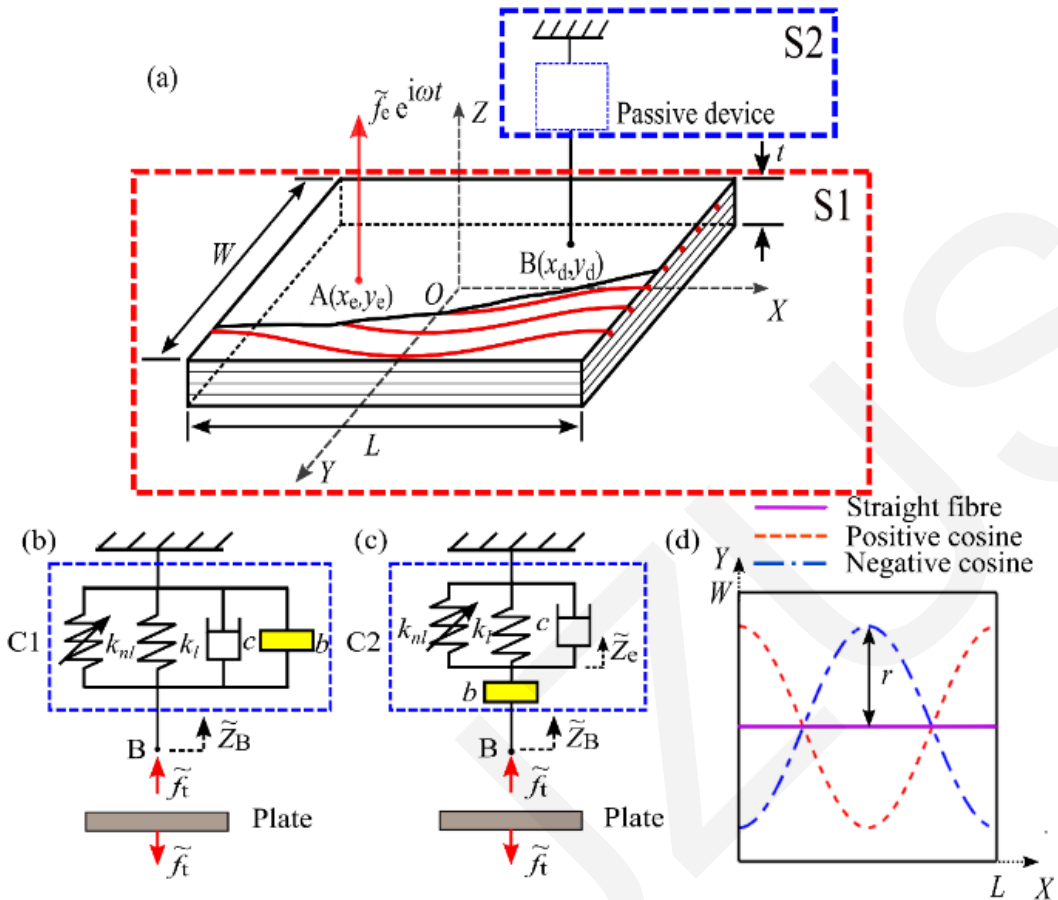


Energy transfer and vibration suppression of laminated composite plates coupled with a line hinge (C. Zhou, J. Yang, Y. Zhu, C. Zhu, *Mechanics of Advanced Materials and Structures*, pp. 1-19, 2023)



Vibration transmission and energy flow analysis of L-shaped laminated composite structure based on a substructure method (C. D. Zhu, J. Yang, C. Rudd, *Thin-Walled Structures*, vol. 169, pp. 108375, 2021)

# Schematic diagram



Fibre shape function:

$$f(x) = y = r * \cos\left(\frac{2\pi x}{L}\right)$$

Fibre orientation:

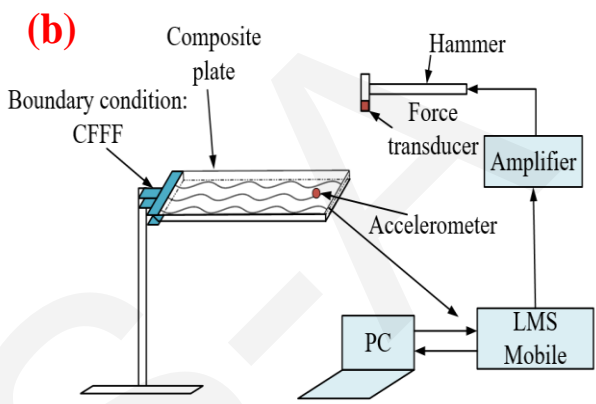
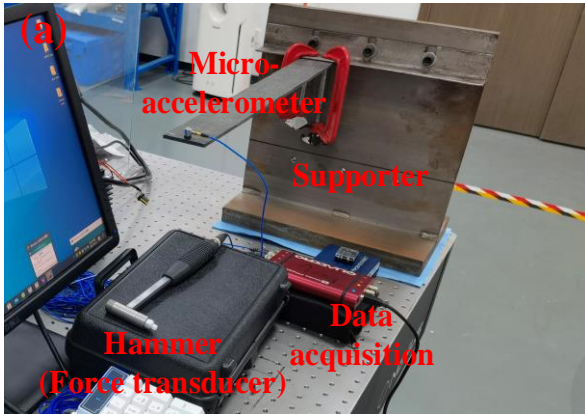
$$\theta(x) = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{2\pi r}{L} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x}{L}\right) \right]$$

M1: [ + + + + ]

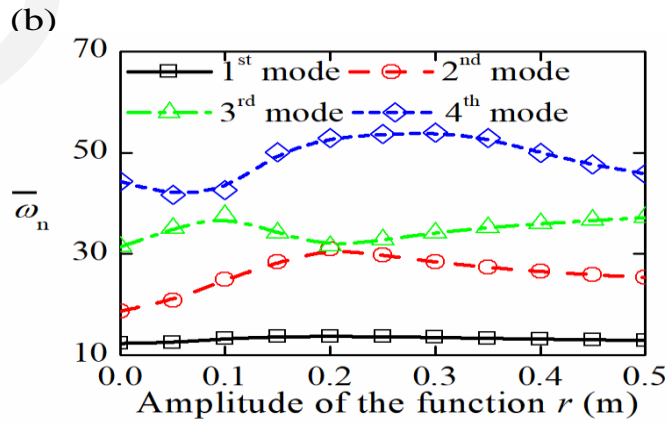
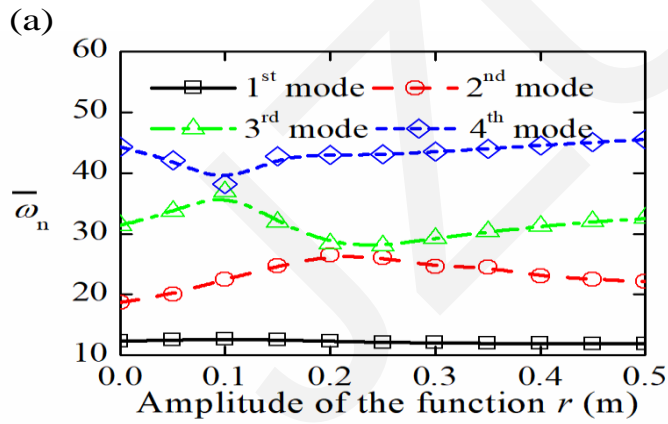
M2: [ + - + - ]

VAT composite plate with an inerter-based passive NES device attached

# Experimental verification and free vibration

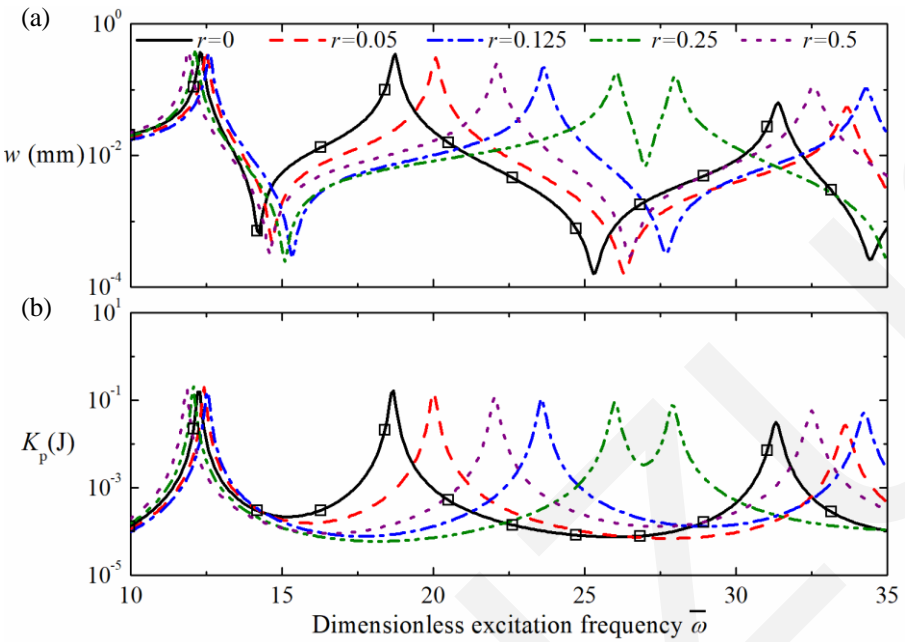


Installation of vibration test equipment: (a) experimental setup and (b) schematic setup

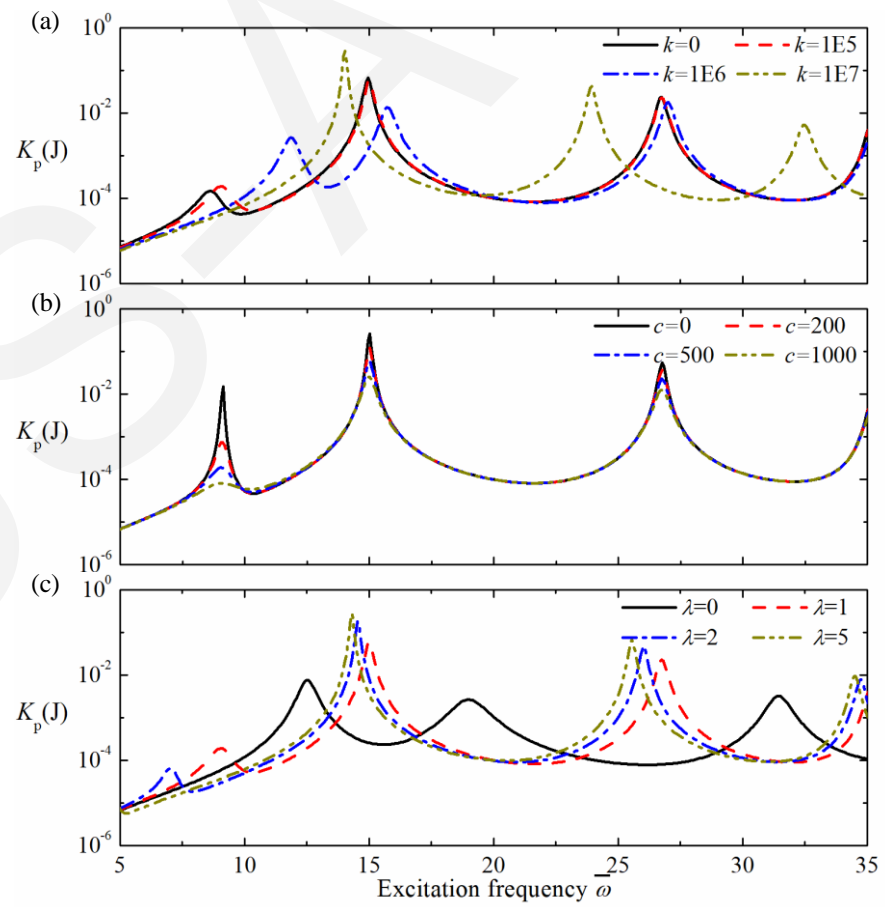


Effect of fiber function on the natural frequencies of the square VAT laminated composite plates with configuration

# Displacement and kinetic energy response



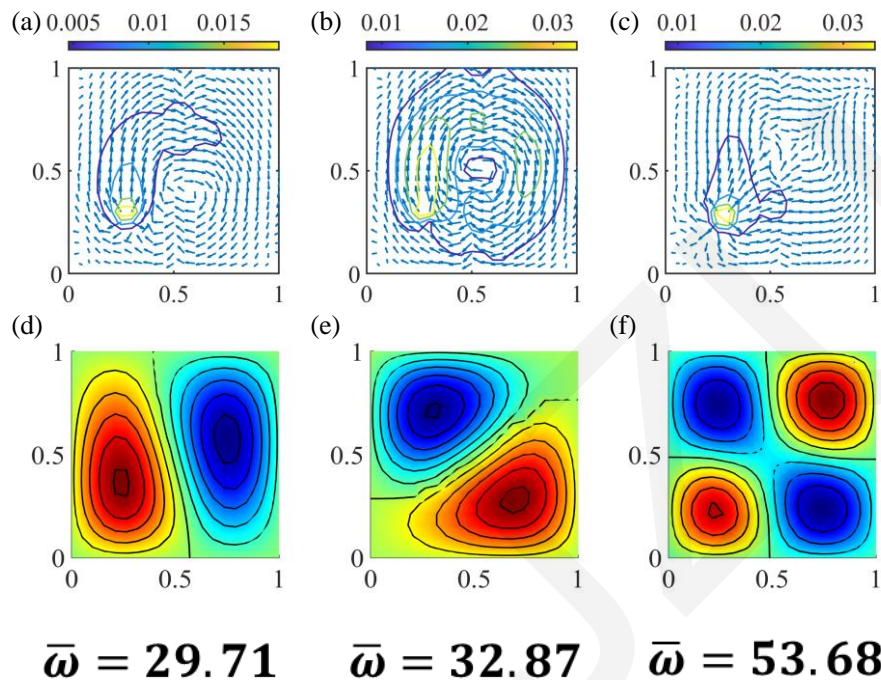
Effect of the fiber function on the  $w$  and  $K_p$  of VAT plate under M2 configuration



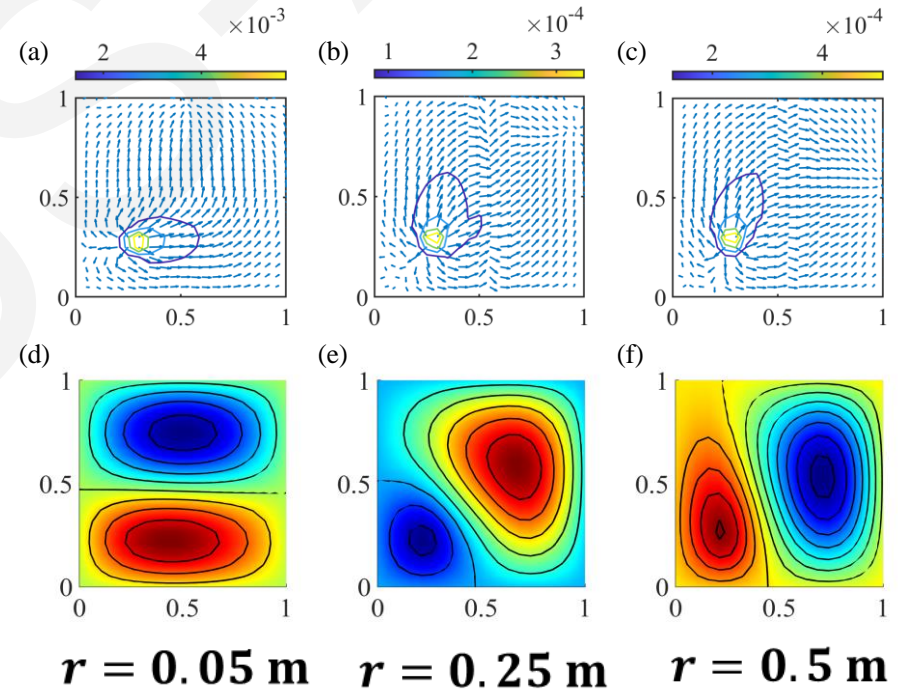
Effect of passive device on the  $K_p$  of VAT plate under M1 configuration

# Energy transmission paths and mode shapes within square VAT composite plates

Effect of the different excitation frequencies



Effect of the different fibre schemes



# Conclusions

- **Substructuring-based power flow method developed**
- **Effects of fiber path function on free vibration examined**
- **Influence of the fiber path function and passive device on the forced responses examined**
- **Dominant energy transmission paths can be tailored designed using fiber shape function and passive device.**