

Parametric instability of a many point-vortex system in a multi-layer flow under linear deformation

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I. General results for absolute and relative motion of point-vortex systems in a multi-layer flow under linear deformation

We consider a dynamical system governing the motion of many point vortices located in the different layers of a multi-layer quasi-geostrophic flow under external deformation.

$$\psi = \psi_b + \psi_v, \quad \psi_b = S(t) \left((x - x_0)^2 - (y - y_0)^2 \right) + \Omega(t) \left((x - x_0)^2 - (y - y_0)^2 \right),$$

For method of calculating ψ_v in multilayer model see

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$$\frac{dx_j^\alpha}{dt} = A(t) + 2y_j^\alpha (S(t) - \Omega(t)) - \sum_{i=1}^M h_i \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} \mu_i^\beta \frac{(y_j^\alpha - y_i^\beta)}{(r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta})^2} \Phi_{ji}^{\alpha\beta} (r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}), \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{dy_j^\alpha}{dt} = -B(t) + 2x_j^\alpha (S(t) + \Omega(t)) + \sum_{i=1}^M h_i \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} \mu_i^\beta \frac{(x_j^\alpha - x_i^\beta)}{(r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta})^2} \Phi_{ji}^{\alpha\beta} (r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}).$$

$$\Phi_{ji}^{\alpha\beta} (r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}) = a_{ji}^{\alpha\beta 0} + a_{ji}^{\alpha\beta 1} r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta} K_1 (b_{ji}^{\alpha\beta 1} r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}) + a_{ji}^{\alpha\beta 2} r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta} K_1 (b_{ji}^{\alpha\beta 2} r_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}).$$

$$\mu = \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} h_i \mu_i^\beta \neq 0,$$

$$X = \frac{1}{\mu} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} h_i \mu_i^\beta x_i^\beta, \quad Y = \frac{1}{\mu} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} h_i \mu_i^\beta y_i^\beta.$$

$$\frac{dX}{dt} = A(t) + 2Y(S(t) - \Omega(t)), \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{dY}{dt} = -B(t) + 2X(S(t) + \Omega(t)).$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{X}(t) \mathbf{X}^{-1}(t_0) \begin{pmatrix} X_0 \\ Y_0 \end{pmatrix} + \mathbf{X}(t) \int_{t_0}^t \mathbf{X}^{-1}(\tau) \begin{pmatrix} A(\tau) \\ -B(\tau) \end{pmatrix} d\tau$$

$$\frac{dX}{dt} = 2Y(S(t) - \Omega(t)), \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{dY}{dt} = 2X(S(t) + \Omega(t)).$$

$$Z_1 = X / \sqrt{(S(t) - \Omega(t))}, \quad Z_2 = Y / \sqrt{(S(t) + \Omega(t))}$$

$$\frac{d^2 Z_{1,2}}{dt^2} + \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2 \ln(S(t) \pm \Omega(t))}{dt^2} - \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{d \ln(S(t) \pm \Omega(t))}{dt} \right]^2 - 4(S^2(t) - \Omega^2(t)) \right\} Z_{1,2} = 0,$$

$$S(t) = S_0 \Phi_1(t); \quad \Omega(t) = \Omega_0 \Phi_2(t) \quad \text{in case of} \quad \Phi_1(t) = \Phi_2(t) = \Phi(t)$$

$$X = X_0 \cos \left(2\sqrt{(\Omega_0^2 - S_0^2)} \int_0^t \Phi(\tau) d\tau \right) - \sqrt{\frac{(\Omega_0 - S_0)}{(S_0 + \Omega_0)}} Y_0 \sin \left(2\sqrt{(\Omega_0^2 - S_0^2)} \int_0^t \Phi(\tau) d\tau \right),$$

$$Y = Y_0 \cos \left(2\sqrt{(\Omega_0^2 - S_0^2)} \int_0^t \Phi(\tau) d\tau \right) + \sqrt{\frac{(S_0 + \Omega_0)}{(\Omega_0 - S_0)}} X_0 \sin \left(2\sqrt{(\Omega_0^2 - S_0^2)} \int_0^t \Phi(\tau) d\tau \right).$$

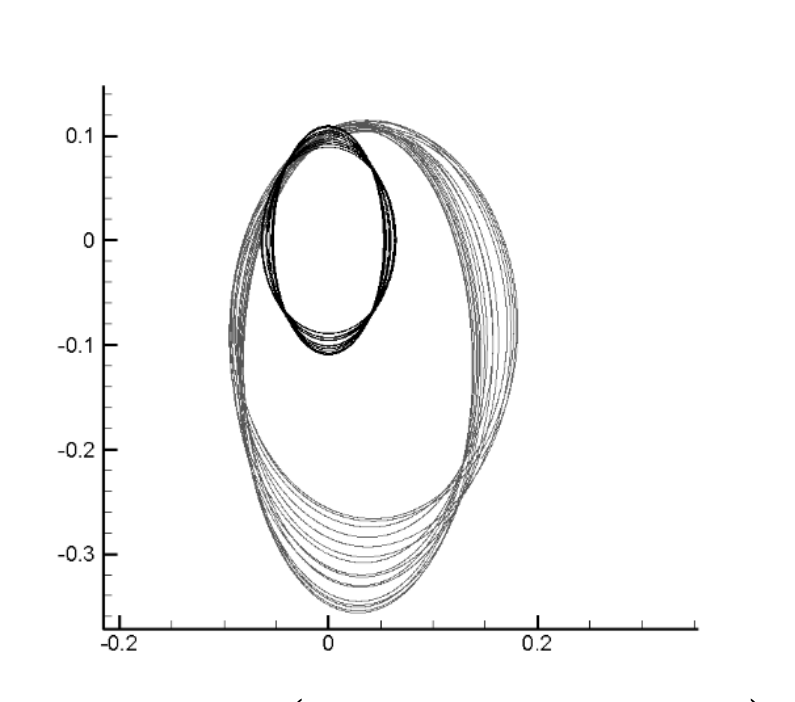
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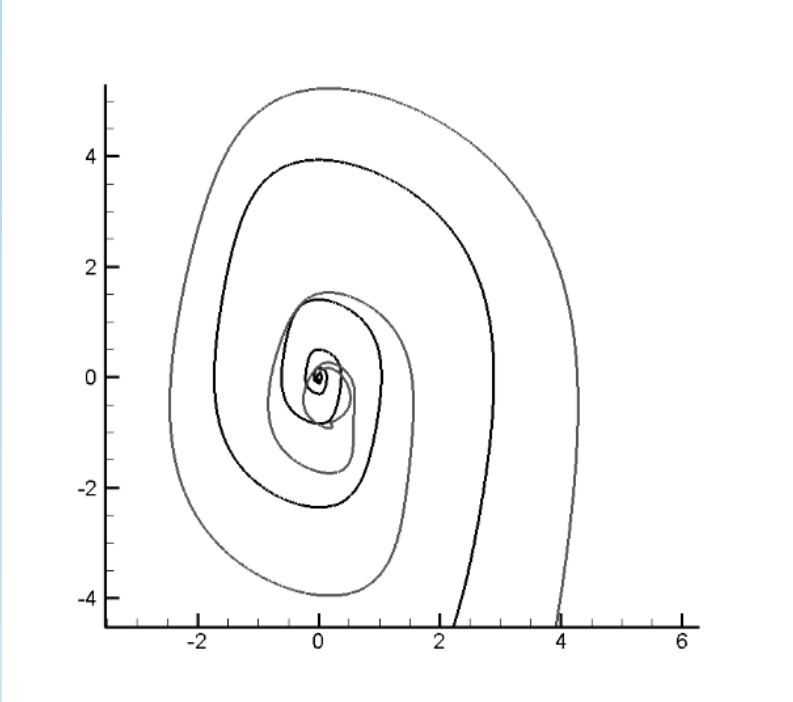
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$$S = -0.01(1 + 0.5 \sin 0.01t);$$

$$\Omega = -0.02(1 + 0.2 \sin 0.01t).$$



$$S = -0.01(1 + 0.5 \sin 0.07t); \quad \Omega = -0.02.$$

Vorticity center trajectories in the bounded motion regime (left), and unbounded motion regime (parametric instability case) (right). The darker trajectories correspond to the absence of the uniform flow $A = B = 0$, the grey trajectories correspond to $A = 0.01(1 + 0.1 \sin 0.01t)$; $B = 0.01(1 + 0.1 \sin 0.01t)$.

$$\tilde{x}_j^\alpha = x_j^\alpha - X; \quad \tilde{y}_j^\alpha = y_j^\alpha - Y,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\tilde{x}_j^\alpha}{dt} &= 2\tilde{y}_j^\alpha (S(t) - \Omega(t)) - \sum_{i=1}^M h_i \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} \mu_i^\beta \frac{(\tilde{y}_j^\alpha - \tilde{y}_i^\beta)}{(\tilde{r}_{ji}^{\alpha\beta})^2} \Phi_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}(\tilde{r}_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}), \\ \frac{d\tilde{y}_j^\alpha}{dt} &= 2\tilde{x}_j^\alpha (S(t) + \Omega(t)) + \sum_{i=1}^M h_i \sum_{\beta=1}^{N_i} \mu_i^\beta \frac{(\tilde{x}_j^\alpha - \tilde{x}_i^\beta)}{(\tilde{r}_{ji}^{\alpha\beta})^2} \Phi_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}(\tilde{r}_{ji}^{\alpha\beta}), \end{aligned} \quad (1')$$

We have two integrals for relative vortex motion: **$\tilde{X} = \tilde{Y} = 0$**

Many results for that case $X = Y = 0$ (see, for example M. A. Sokolovskiy, J. Verron, Dynamics of vortex structures in a stratified rotating fluid, Springer, 2014.) can be spreaded to the case of the arbitrary motion of vorticity center.

II. Simple example:

Two vortex with arbitrary intensities in two layer model.

$$\frac{d\tilde{x}_j}{dt} = 2\tilde{y}_j (S(t) - \Omega(t)) - h_{3-j}\mu_{3-j} \frac{(\tilde{y}_j - \tilde{y}_{3-j})}{(\tilde{r}_{j(3-j)})^2} \left[1 - \gamma \tilde{r}_{j(3-j)} K_1(\gamma \tilde{r}_{j(3-j)}) \right],$$

$$\frac{d\tilde{y}_j}{dt} = 2\tilde{x}_j (S(t) + \Omega(t)) + h_{3-j}\mu_{3-j} \frac{(\tilde{x}_j - \tilde{x}_{3-j})}{(\tilde{r}_{j(3-j)})^2} \left[1 - \gamma \tilde{r}_{j(3-j)} K_1(\gamma \tilde{r}_{j(3-j)}) \right],$$

$$h_1 m_1 \tilde{x}_1 + h_2 m_2 \tilde{x}_2 = 0, \quad h_1 m_1 \tilde{y}_1 + h_2 m_2 \tilde{y}_2 = 0,$$

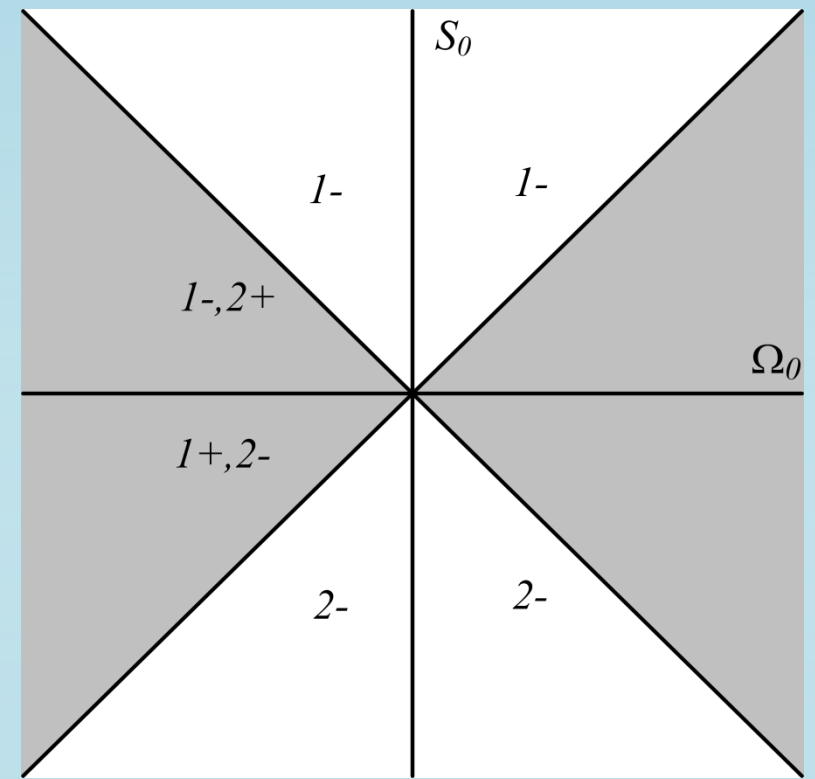
$$\tilde{x}_1 - \tilde{x}_2 = \tilde{x}_1 \left(1 + \frac{h_1 m_1}{h_2 m_2} \right), \quad \tilde{y}_1 - \tilde{y}_2 = \tilde{y}_1 \left(1 + \frac{h_1 m_1}{h_2 m_2} \right), \quad \tilde{r}_{12} = \tilde{r}_1 \left| 1 + \frac{h_1 m_1}{h_2 m_2} \right|.$$

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = y_1 \left(2(S(t) - \Omega(t)) - \frac{\mu}{r_1} \left[\frac{1}{r_1} - K_1(r_1) \right] \right),$$

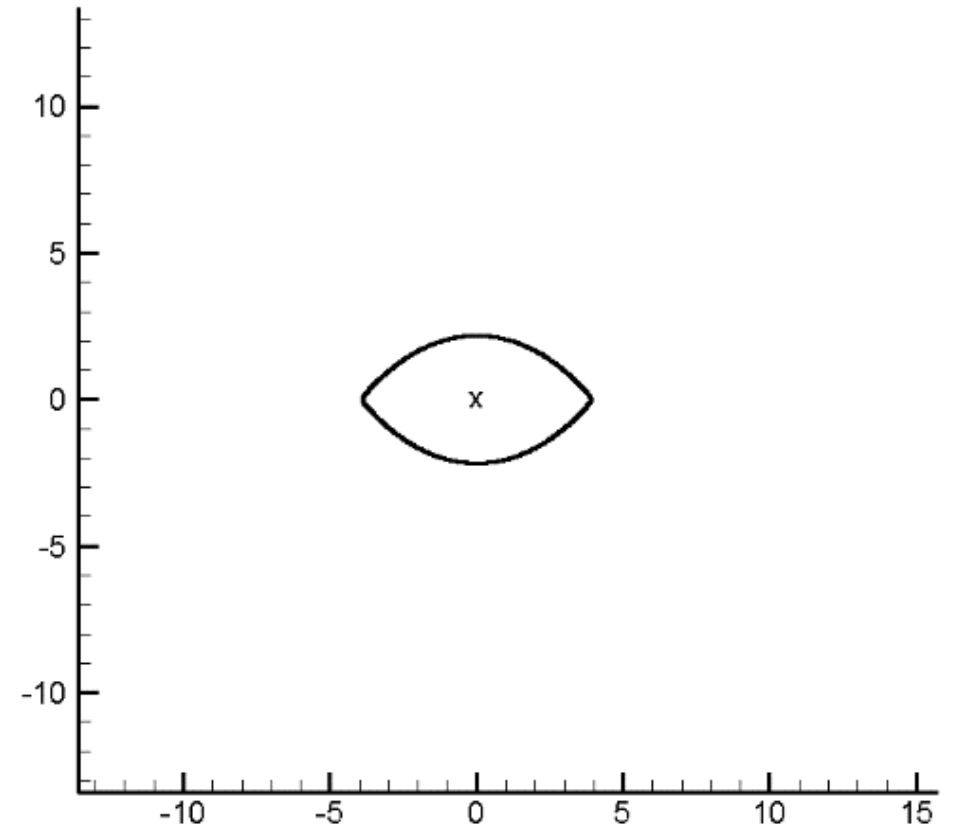
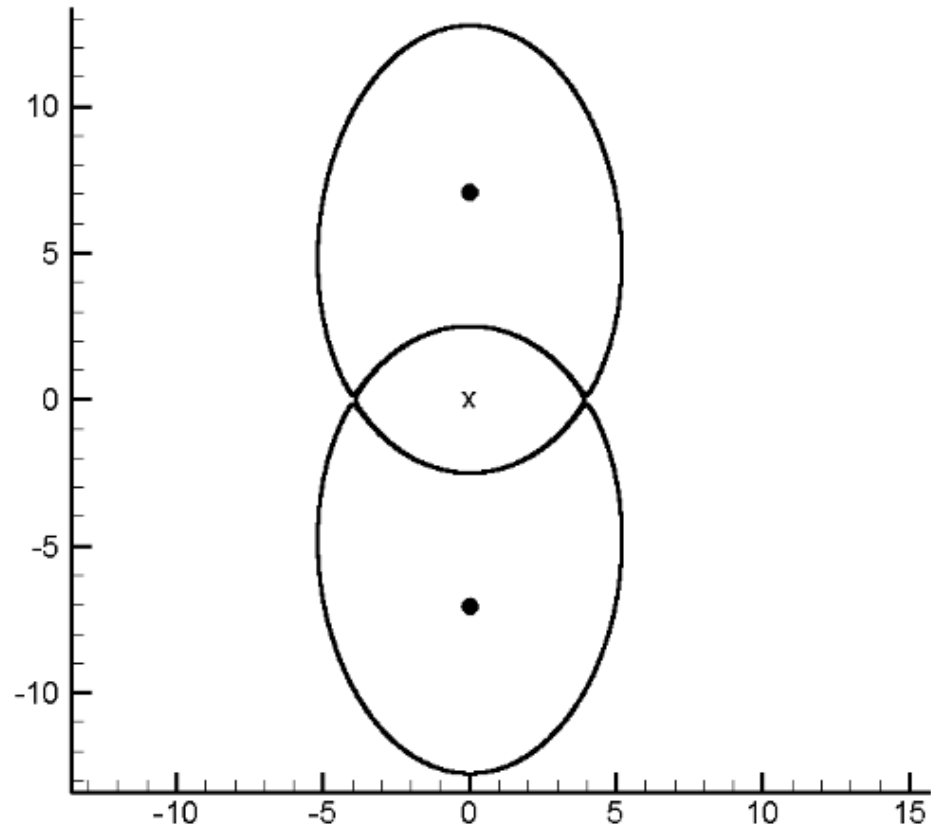
$$\frac{dy_1}{dt} = x_1 \left(2(S(t) + \Omega(t)) + \frac{\mu}{r_1} \left[\frac{1}{r_1} - K_1(r_1) \right] \right).$$

$$x_1 = 0, \quad 2(S_0 - \Omega_0) - \frac{\mu}{|y_1|} \left[\frac{1}{|y_1|} - K_1(|y_1|) \right] = 0,$$

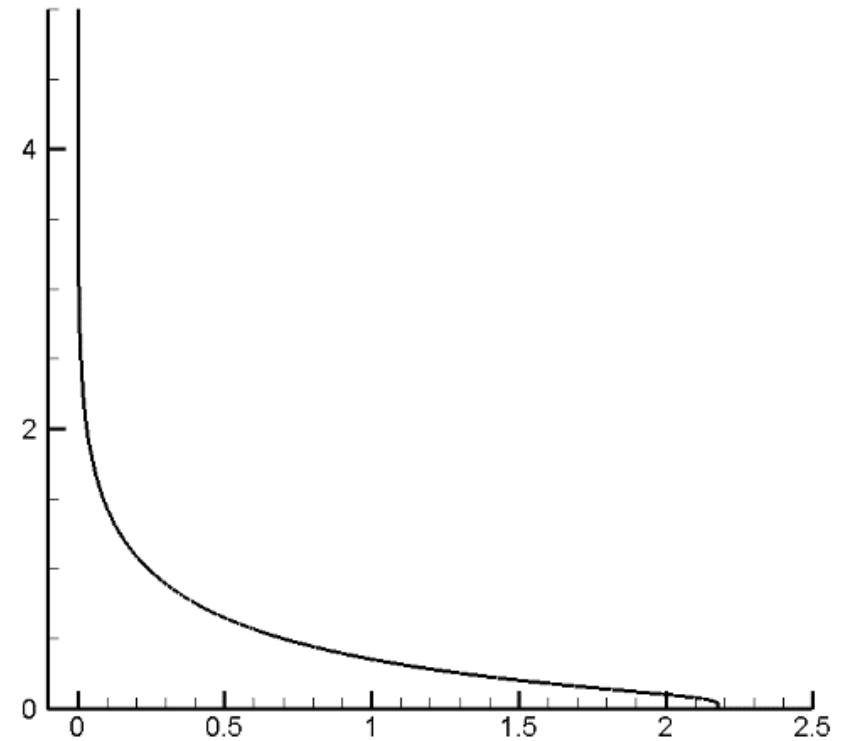
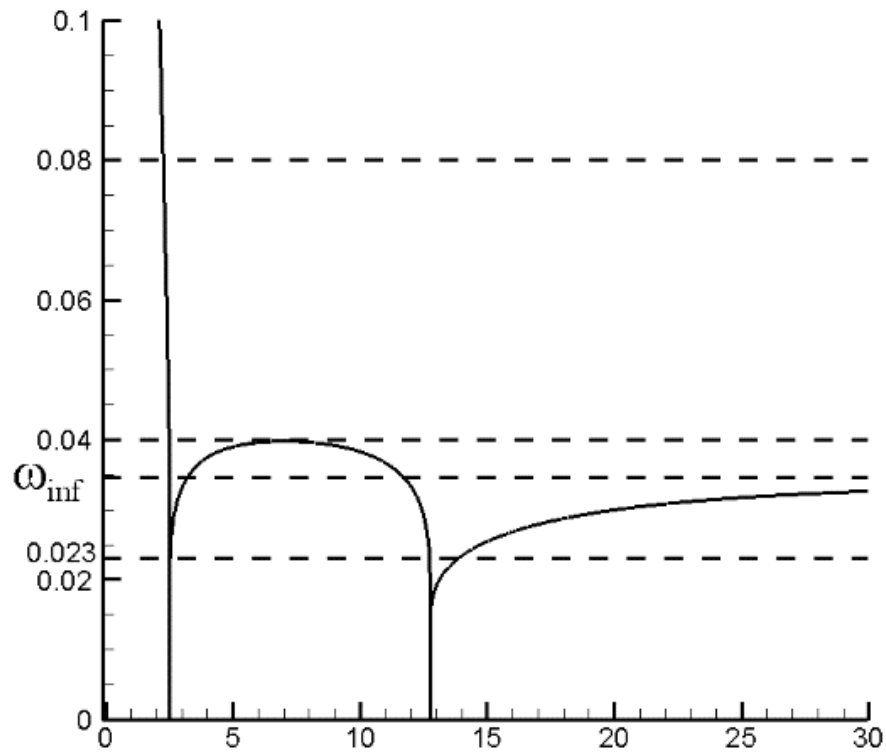
$$2(S_0 + \Omega_0) + \frac{\mu}{|x_1|} \left[\frac{1}{|x_1|} - K_1(|x_1|) \right] = 0, \quad y_1 = 0.$$



The diagram of the number of critical points and their types. 1 - two critical points on the y -axis, 2 - on the x -axis. Minus - hyperbolic points, plus - elliptic. Grey area - steady-state bounded motion of the vorticity center, white - unbounded.



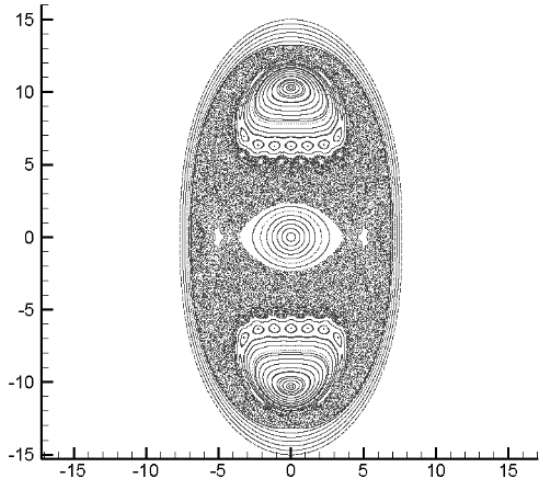
$$S(t) = S_0 (1 + \varepsilon_1 \sin \nu t), \quad \Omega(t) = \Omega_0 (1 + \varepsilon_2 \sin \nu t).$$



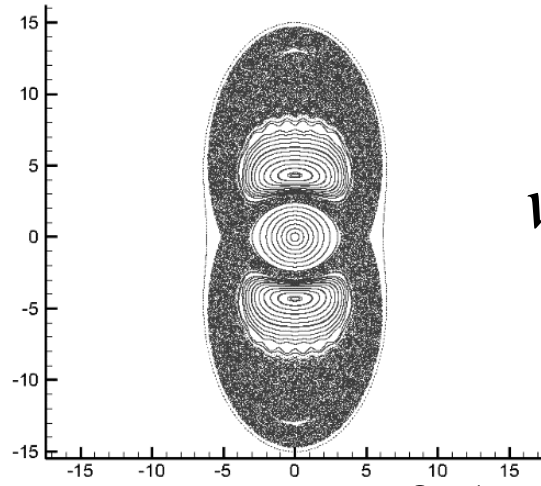
Eigen-frequencies of the vortex rotation about the elliptic points of phase portraits above, respectively. The dashed lines correspond to the perturbation frequencies used further. $\omega_{\text{inf}} = 2\sqrt{|S_0^2 - \Omega_0^2|}$ is the frequency with which the vortices rotate about the vorticity center at infinity.

Poincare sections as $\mu = 1, S_0 = -0.01, \Omega_0 = -0.02$

$\left| \frac{S_0 + \Omega_0}{S_0 - \Omega_0} \right| |\varepsilon_1| = 3 |\varepsilon_1|$

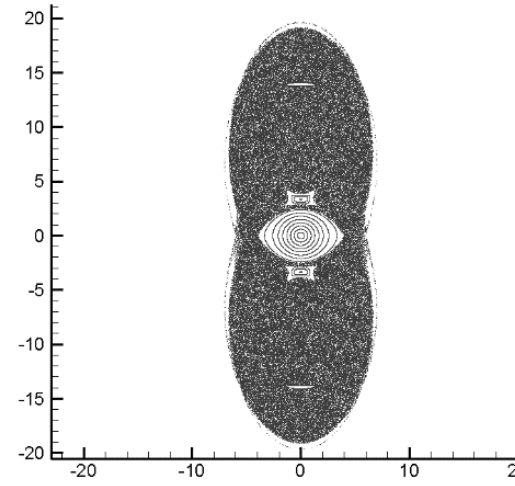


$\varepsilon_1 = \varepsilon_2 = 0.1$

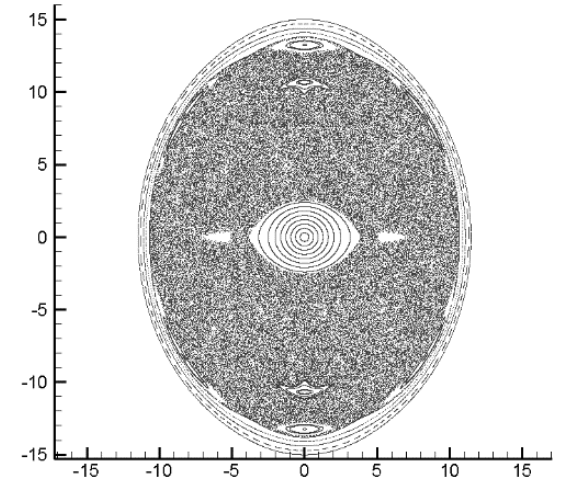


$\varepsilon_1 = \varepsilon_2 = -0.1$

$\nu = 0.04$

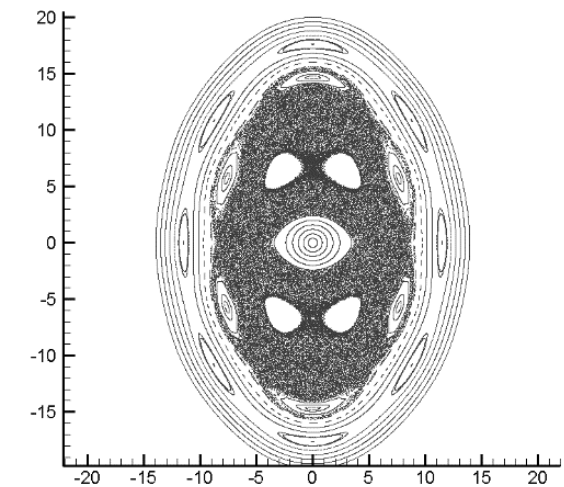
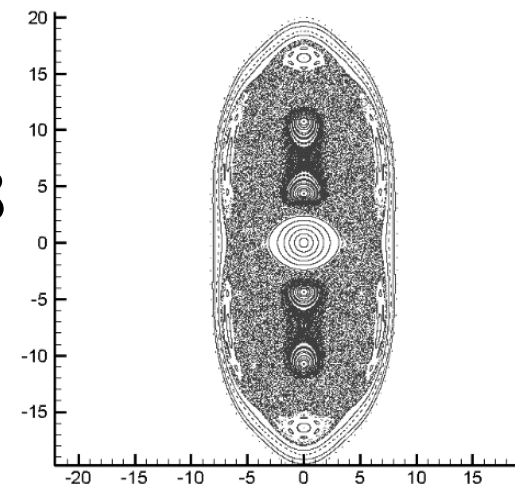
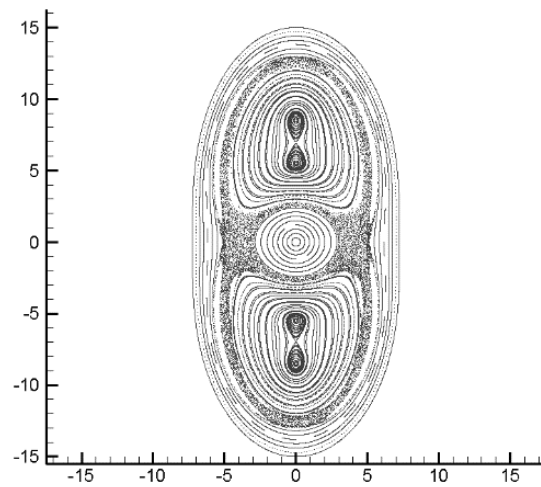
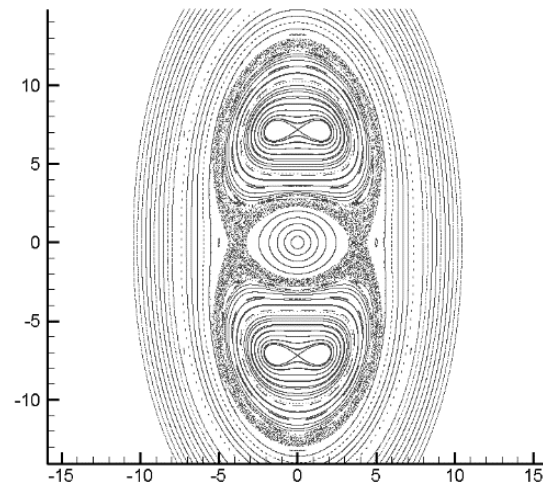


$\varepsilon_1 = 0.1, \varepsilon_2 = -0.1$



$\varepsilon_1 = -0.1, \varepsilon_2 = 0.1$

$\nu = 0.08$

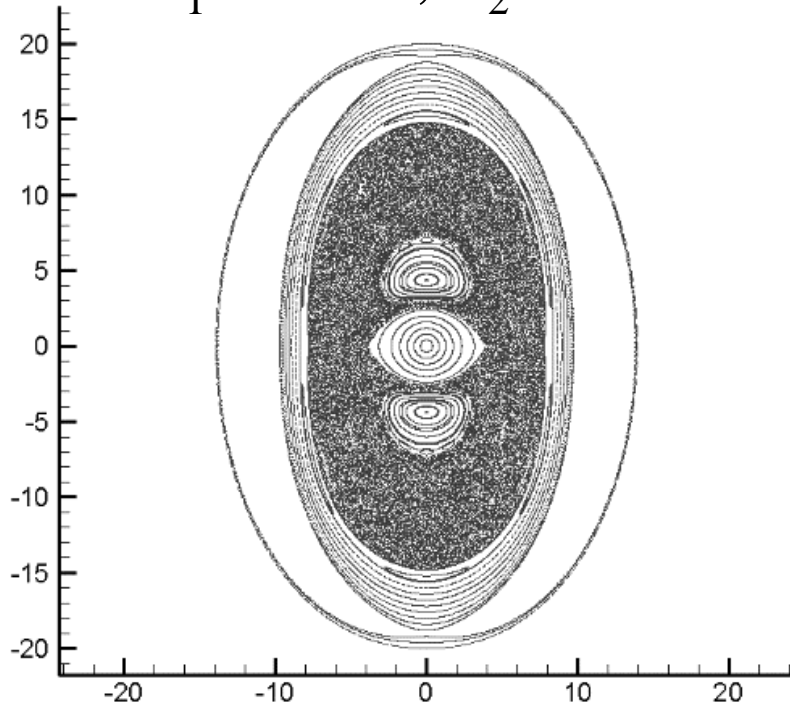


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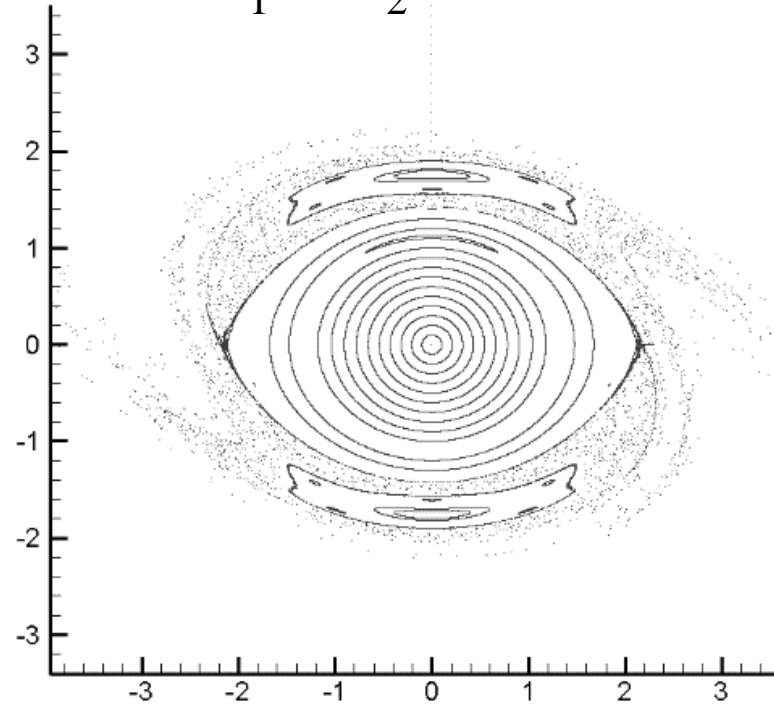
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$$\varepsilon_1 = -0.1, \varepsilon_2 = 0.1$$

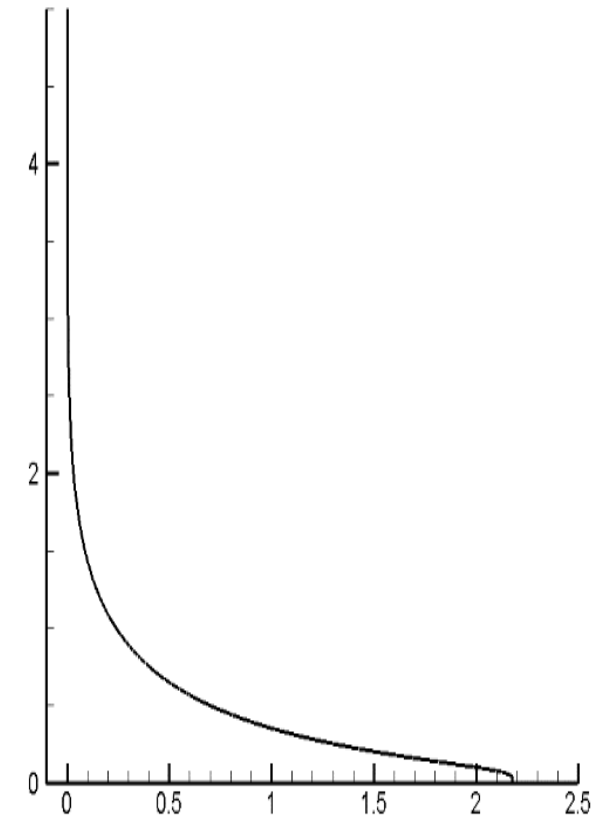


$$\varepsilon_1 = \varepsilon_2 = 0.3$$



$$S_0 = -0.01, \Omega_0 = -0.02, \\ \mu = 1, \nu = 0.02$$

$$S_0 = -0.02, \Omega_0 = -0.01, \\ \mu = 1, \nu = 0.03$$



III. Parametric instability of a two point-vortex system relative motion in a multi-layer flow under linear deformation near the elliptic point.

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = y_1 \left(2(S(t) - \Omega(t)) - \frac{\mu}{r_1} \left[\frac{1}{r_1} - K_1(r_1) \right] \right),$$

$$\frac{dy_1}{dt} = x_1 \left(2(S(t) + \Omega(t)) + \frac{\mu}{r_1} \left[\frac{1}{r_1} - K_1(r_1) \right] \right).$$

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = y_1 \left(2(S(t) - \Omega(t)) - \frac{\mu}{r_1} \left[\frac{1}{r_1} \right] \right),$$

$$\frac{dy_1}{dt} = x_1 \left(2(S(t) + \Omega(t)) + \frac{\mu}{r_1} \left[\frac{1}{r_1} \right] \right).$$

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$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2y_1^0 (S_0 - \Omega_0) \varepsilon \sin \nu t + 2 \left((S_0 - \Omega_0) \varepsilon \sin \nu t + \frac{\mu_2}{(y_1^0)^2} K \right) y,$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2x(2S_0 + (S_0 + \Omega_0) \varepsilon \sin \nu t),$$

$$\frac{dX}{dt} = A(t) + 2Y(S(t) - \Omega(t)),$$

$$\frac{dY}{dt} = -B(t) + 2X(S(t) + \Omega(t)).$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{X}(t) \mathbf{X}^{-1}(t_0) \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \end{pmatrix} + 2y_1^0 (S_0 - \Omega_0) \varepsilon \mathbf{X}(t) \int_{t_0}^t \mathbf{X}^{-1}(\tau) \begin{pmatrix} \sin \nu \tau \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} d\tau,$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2y \left(2|S_0 - \Omega_0|K + (S_0 - \Omega_0)\varepsilon \sin vt \right),$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2x \left(2S_0 + (S_0 + \Omega_0)\varepsilon \sin vt \right).$$

$$R = i \frac{x}{y} - 1,$$

$$\frac{dR}{dt} = i(a_1 + a_2 \sin vt) + i(b_1 + b_2 \sin vt)(R + 1)^2,$$

$$R = \rho(t)e^{-ivt},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\rho}{dt} - iv\rho = & i(a_1 + b_1)e^{ivt} + \frac{a_2 + b_2}{2}(e^{2ivt} - 1) + \\ & + ib_1(2\rho + \rho^2 e^{-ivt}) - \frac{b_2}{2}e^{-ivt}(2\rho + \rho^2 e^{ivt}) + \frac{b_2}{2}(2\rho e^{ivt} + \rho^2). \end{aligned}$$

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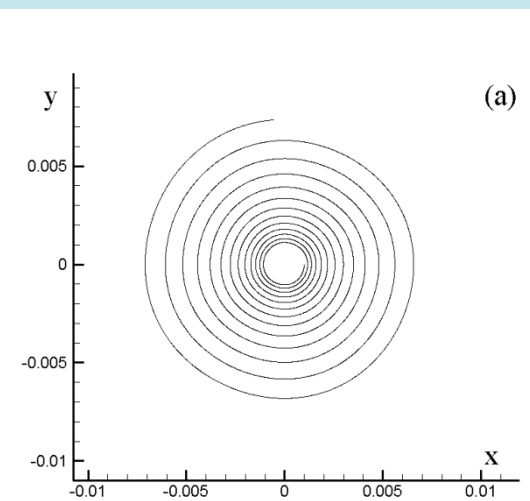
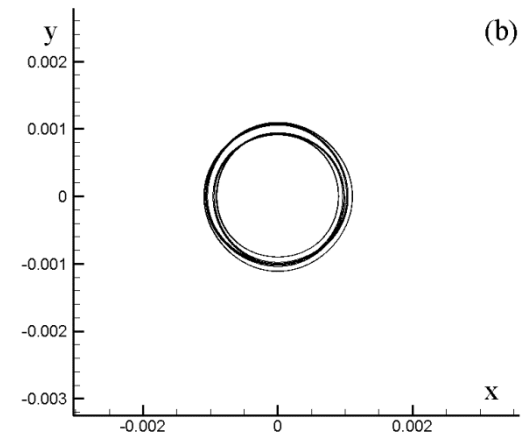
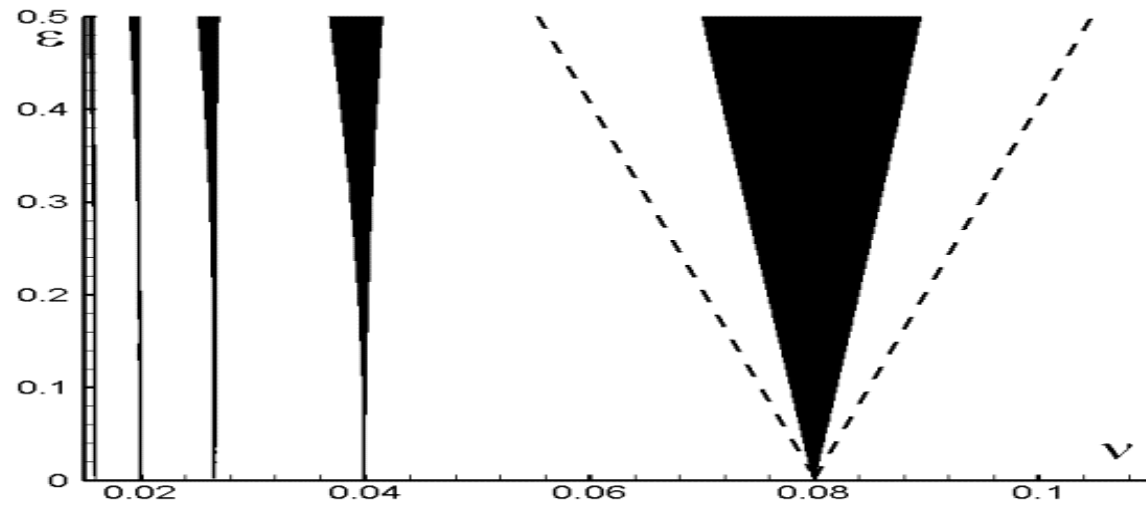
$$\frac{d\bar{\rho}}{dt} - i\nu\bar{\rho} = -\frac{a_2 + b_2}{2} + 2ib_1\bar{\rho} + \frac{b_2}{2}\bar{\rho}^2, \quad \bar{\rho}(0) = 0.$$

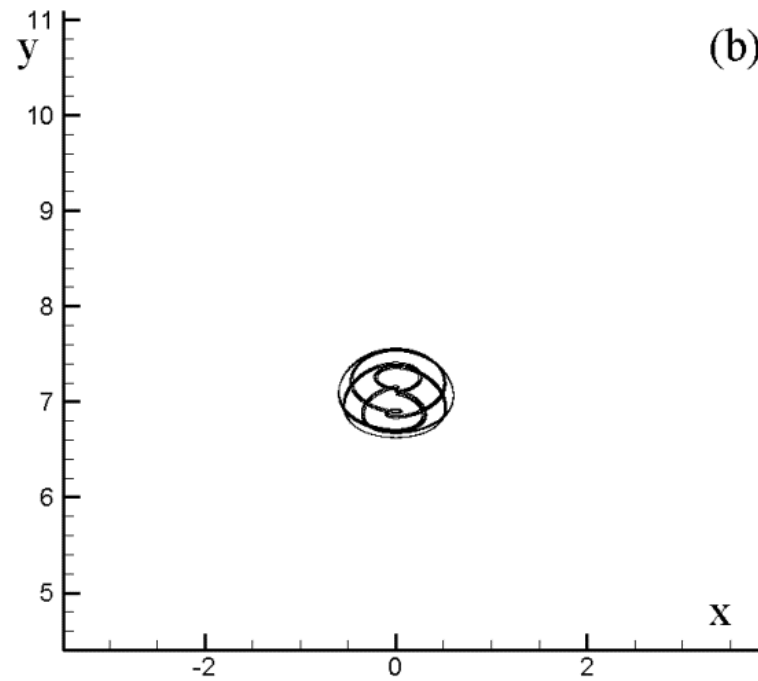
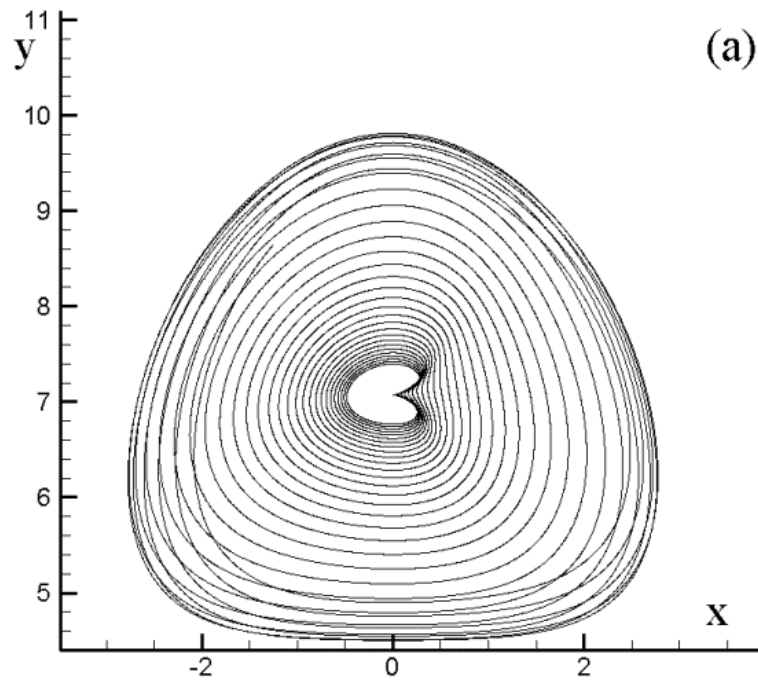
$$\frac{\bar{\rho} - \rho_1}{\bar{\rho} - \rho_2} = e^{\frac{b_2(\rho_2 - \rho_1)t}{2}}, \quad \rho_{1,2} = \pm \left(\frac{a_2 + b_2}{b_2} - \left(\frac{2b_1 + \nu}{b_2} \right)^2 \right)^{1/2} + \frac{i(2b_1 + \nu)}{2},$$

$$\rho_2 - \rho_1 = \pm 2 \left(\frac{a_2 + b_2}{b_2} - \left(\frac{2b_1 + \nu}{b_2} \right)^2 \right)^{1/2}, \quad \rho_2 - \rho_1 = \pm 2 \left(\frac{2S_0}{(S_0 + \Omega_0)} - \left(\frac{8S_0 + \nu}{2\varepsilon(S_0 + \Omega_0)} \right)^2 \right)^{1/2}.$$

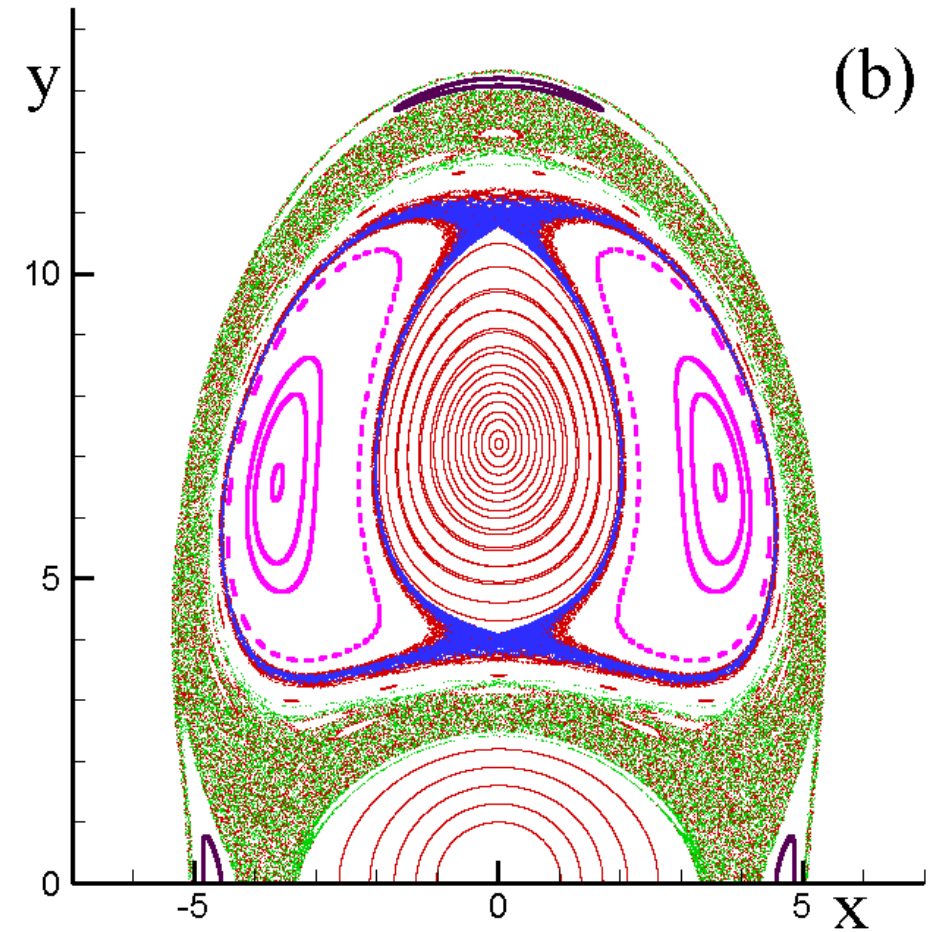
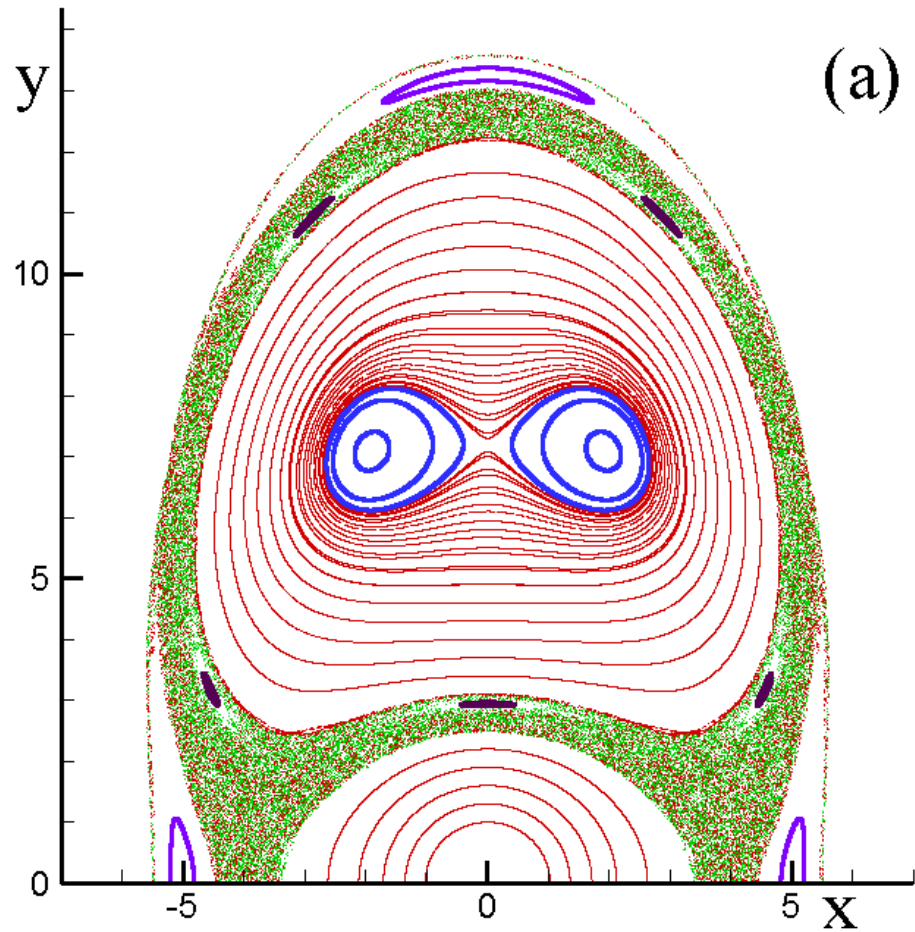
$$\det(\mathbf{X}(T) - \mathbf{E}\rho) = \det \begin{pmatrix} x_1(T) - \rho & x_2(T) \\ y_1(T) & y_2(T) - \rho \end{pmatrix} = \rho^2 - (x_1(T) + y_2(T))\rho + 1 = 0,$$

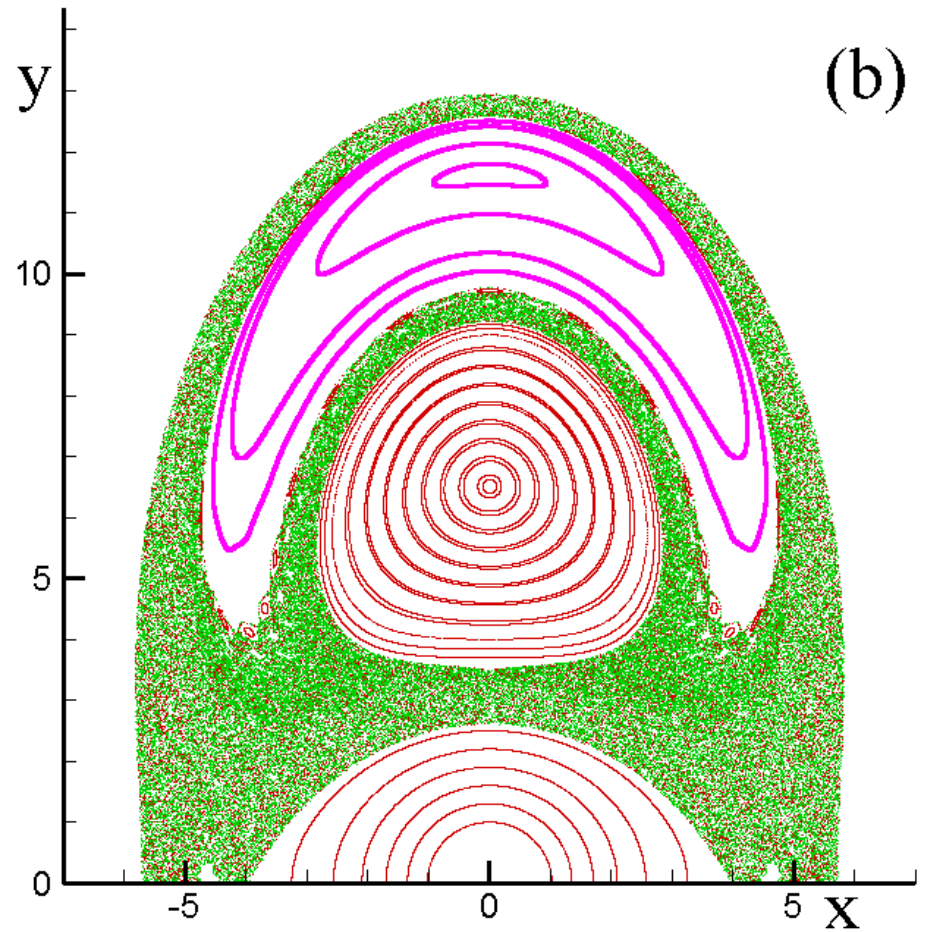
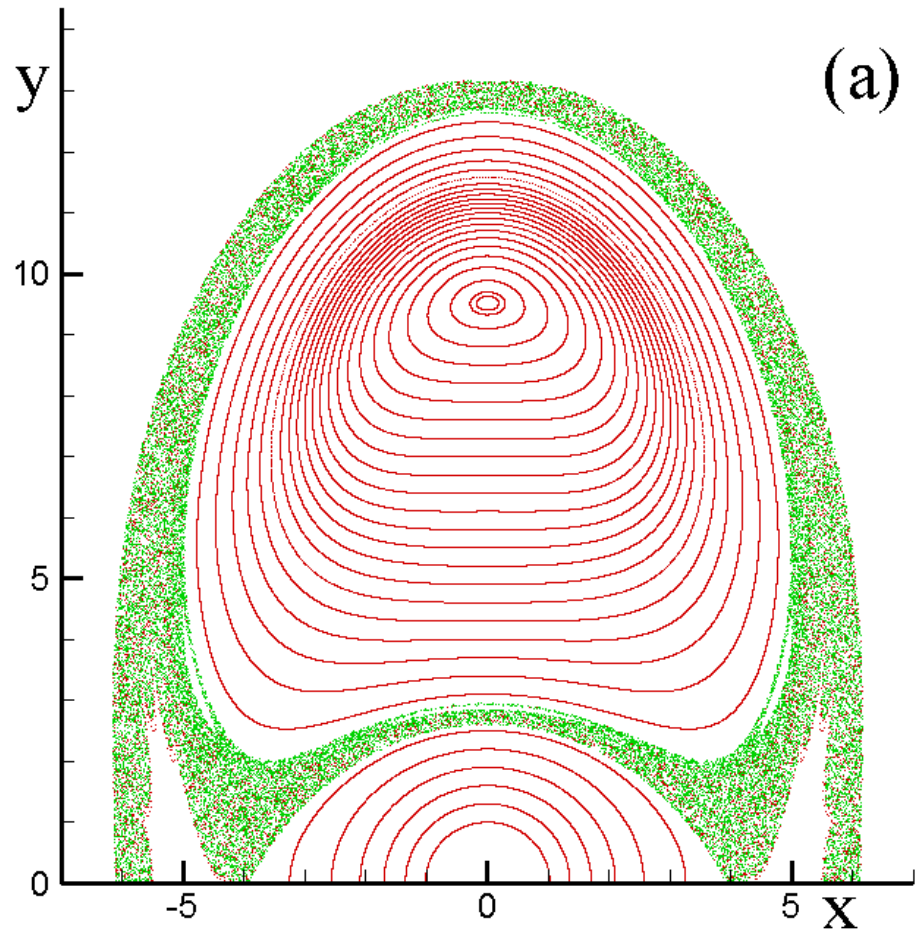
$$x_1(T; \nu, \varepsilon) + y_2(T; \nu, \varepsilon) = \pm 2, \quad T = 2\pi / \nu$$





Trajectories of the original system for $S_0 = 0.01$, $\Omega_0 = -0.02$. (a) locally unbounded motion attributed to the parametric instability for $\nu = 0.08$; $\varepsilon = 0:1$; (b) locally bounded motion with no parametric instability for $\nu = 0.07$; $\varepsilon = 0:1$.





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