Sound damping near jamming

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Introduction

- **Sound** in granular media, e.g. earthquakes.
- Useful for the measurements of elastic **moduli**, e.g. *K* and *G*.
- Anomalous properties of sound in amorphous solids.

S. Gelin, H. Tanaka, and A. Lemaitre, Nat. Materials 15, 1177 (2016). A. Marruzzo, W. Schirmacher, A. Fratalocchi, and G. Ruocco, Sci. Rep. 3, 1407 (2013).

and sideways.

G. Monaco and S. Mossa, PNAS 106, 16907 (2009).





Transverse mode

Motivation

- The role of **contact damping** (see figures).
- K. Saitoh and H. Mizuno, *Soft Matter* 17, 4204 (2021).
- How does the jamming transition affect the sound characteristics?
- What is the link to viscoelasticity, e.g. $G'(\omega)$ and $G''(\omega)$?



Methods

We use a binary mixture of frictionless soft particles in two dimensions, where the size ratio is $R_L/R_S = 1.4$ and the number of particles is N = 2097152.

- Displacements around mechanical equilibrium, $|q(t)\rangle \equiv (\{u_i(t)\}_{i=1,\dots,N})^T$
- Linear equations of motion, $m|\ddot{q}(t)\rangle = -D|q(t)\rangle B|\dot{q}(t)\rangle$

• Dynamical matrix (Hessian),
$$D \equiv \left[\frac{\partial^2 E(0)}{\partial q_k \partial q_l}\right]_{k,l=1,\cdots,2N}$$

- Damping matrix, $B \equiv \left[\frac{\partial^2 R(0)}{\partial \dot{q}_k \partial \dot{q}_l}\right]_{k,l=1,\cdots,2N}$
- Elastic energy, $E(t) = \frac{k_n}{2} \sum_{i < j} \xi_{ij}(t)^2$
- Dissipation function, $R(t) = \frac{\eta}{2} \sum_{i < j} \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_{ij}(t)^2$

cf. Durian's bubble model or balanced contact damping.



Static packing made by the FIRE.

Numerical simulations

We numerically solve the linear equations of motion with initial velocities,

 $\dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_i(0) = \boldsymbol{A} \sin[\boldsymbol{k} \cdot \boldsymbol{r}_i(0)] \quad (i = 1, \cdots, N)$

• Amplitude,
$$|\mathbf{A}| = 10^{-3} d_0/t_0$$
, where $d_0 \equiv R_L + R_S$ and $t_0 \equiv \sqrt{m/k_n}$.

• Wave number,
$$k \equiv |\mathbf{k}| = \frac{2\pi}{L}n$$
 $(n = 1,2,3,\cdots)$

- $A \cdot k = Ak$ for the analysis of longitudinal (L) mode.
- $A \cdot k = 0$ for the analysis of transverse (T) mode.

• Inelasticity,
$$\epsilon \equiv \frac{t_d}{t_0} = \frac{\eta/k_n}{\sqrt{m/k_n}} = \frac{\eta}{\sqrt{mk_n}}$$
, where we examine $\epsilon = 1$ and 0.1.

Initial standing wave



Numerical analyses

- Fourier transform, $\dot{\boldsymbol{u}}(\boldsymbol{k},t) = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_i(t) e^{-l\boldsymbol{k}\cdot\boldsymbol{r}_i(t)}$
- L mode, $\dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_L(\boldsymbol{k},t) \equiv \{ \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}(\boldsymbol{k},t) \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{k}} \} \hat{\boldsymbol{k}}$, where $\hat{\boldsymbol{k}} \equiv \boldsymbol{k}/k$.
- T mode, $\dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_T(\boldsymbol{k},t) \equiv \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}(\boldsymbol{k},t) \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_L(\boldsymbol{k},t)$
- Autocorrelation function, $C_{\alpha}(k,t) = \langle \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_{\alpha}(\boldsymbol{k},t) \cdot \dot{\boldsymbol{u}}_{\alpha}(-\boldsymbol{k},0) \rangle$, for $\alpha = L, T$.
- Fitting to a **damped oscillation**, $C_{\alpha}(k,t) \sim e^{-\Gamma_{\alpha}(k)t} \cos \Omega_{\alpha}(k)t$

We analyze the dependence of the **dispersion relation** $\Omega_{\alpha}(k)$ and **attenuation coefficient** $\Gamma_{\alpha}(k)$ on the proximity to jamming.



The Ioffe-Regel limits

• Note that $C_{\alpha}(k,t)$ oscillates only if

 $\frac{\pi\Gamma_{\alpha}(k)}{\Omega_{\alpha}(k)} < 1$

- Otherwise, $C_{\alpha}(k, t)$ is overdamped.
- The ratio is an increasing function of k and less than unity if $k < k_{\alpha}^{IR}$.
- The loffe-Regel limit is defined as $\Omega_{\alpha}^{IR}(k_{\alpha}^{IR}) \equiv \pi \Gamma_{\alpha}(k_{\alpha}^{IR})$
- H. Mizuno, S. Mossa, and J.-L. Barrat, *PNAS* 111, 11949 (2014).



Sound speeds

- Defined as $v_{\alpha}(k) \equiv \Omega_{\alpha}(k)/k$ with $\alpha = L, T$.
- Parametric plots of $v_{\alpha}(k)$ and $\Omega_{\alpha}(k)$.
- Dependence on the packing fraction ϕ (as listed).
- Inelasticity is $\epsilon = 1$.



Attenuation coefficients

- Dependence on ϕ (as listed).
- Inelasticity is $\epsilon = 1$.
- We show the data below the loffe-Regel limit, $\Omega_{\alpha} < \Omega_{\alpha}^{IR}$



Viscoelasticity near jamming

• Complex moduli

$$\frac{1}{K^*(\omega)} \sim \int_0^\infty \frac{|\Xi(\omega')|^2 D(\omega')}{{\omega'}^2 + i\omega\mu_n} d\omega'$$
$$\frac{1}{G^*(\omega)} \sim \int_0^\infty \frac{|\Lambda(\omega')|^2 D(\omega')}{{\omega'}^2 + i\omega\eta_n} d\omega'$$

• $D(\omega)$ is the density of states

K. Baumgarten and B.P. Tighe, *Soft Matter* **13**, 8368 (2017). <u>K.S.</u>, T. Hatano, A. Ikeda, and B.P. Tighe, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **124**, 118001 (2020).



• Critical scaling near jamming $p \rightarrow 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} G'(\omega) &\sim \begin{cases} p^{1/2} & (\omega < p) \\ \omega^{1/2} & (\omega > p) \end{cases} \\ G''(\omega) &\sim \begin{cases} \omega/p^{1/2} & (\omega < p) \\ \omega^{1/2} & (\omega > p) \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$$K' \sim K_0 + G'$$

 $K^{\prime\prime}\sim G^{\prime\prime}$

Viscoelasticity and sound (1) L mode

- Longitudinal waves in viscoelastic media.
- The mass density ρ .

$$v_L^{-1} = \operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{\rho}{K^*(\omega) + G^*(\omega)}\right]$$

 $-\frac{\Gamma_L}{\omega} = \operatorname{Im}\left[\frac{\rho}{K^*(\omega) + G^*(\omega)}\right]$

Y. C. Fung, "Foundations of Solid Mechanics" 2nd edition (1965)

• In long wave lengths ($\omega < p$),

$$G'(\omega) \sim p^{1/2}$$
$$\frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega} \sim \frac{1}{p^{1/2}}$$

• Near jamming $p \rightarrow 0$,

$$v_L \sim \sqrt{K' + G'} \sim \sqrt{1 + \chi p^{1/2}}$$
$$\Gamma_L \sim \frac{\omega(K'' + G'')}{(K' + G')^{3/2}} \sim \frac{\omega^2}{p^{1/2}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Gamma_L}{p^{1/2}} \sim \left(\frac{\omega}{p^{1/2}}\right)^2$$
 quadratic

Sound damping near jamming

Viscoelasticity and sound (2) T mode

• Transverse waves in viscoelastic media.

$$v_T^{-1} = \operatorname{Re}\left[\frac{\rho}{G^*(\omega)}\right]$$

 $-\frac{\Gamma_T}{\omega} = \operatorname{Im}\left[\frac{\rho}{G^*(\omega)}\right]$

• In long wave lengths ($\omega < p$),

$$G'(\omega) \sim p^{1/2}$$
$$\frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega} \sim \frac{1}{p^{1/2}}$$

• Near jamming $p \rightarrow 0$,

$$v_T \sim \sqrt{G'} \sim p^{1/4}$$

$$\Gamma_T \sim \frac{\omega G^{\prime\prime}}{G^{\prime 3/2}} \sim \frac{\omega^2}{p^{5/4}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Gamma_T}{p^{3/4}} \sim \left(\frac{\omega}{p}\right)^2$$
 quadratic

Data collapses (1) L mode

- Sound characteristics scaled by the pressure *p*.
- The parameter χ is independent of p.
- Inelasticity is $\epsilon = 1$.
- The dashed line is quadratic.



Data collapses (2) T mode

- Sound characteristics near jamming.
- Inelasticity is $\epsilon = 1$.
- The **dashed line** is quadratic.
- The collapse of Γ_T is NOT satisfactory.



Non-local constitutive relations

- The wave number dependent complex shear modulus.
- In long wave lengths,

$$\Omega_T(k) \propto \sqrt{G'(\omega)} k$$

$$\Gamma_T(k) \propto \frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega} k^2$$

H. Mizuno and R. Yamamoto, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **110**, 095901 (2013)

The sound speed and attenuation coefficient,

$$v_T(k) = \frac{\Omega_T(k)}{k} \propto \sqrt{G'(\omega)}$$

$$\Gamma_T(k) \propto \frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega} \left(\frac{\Omega_T(k)}{\nu_T(k)}\right)^2 \sim \frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega G'(\omega)} \Omega_T(k)^2$$

• Near jamming $p \to 0$,

 $v_T(k) \propto \sqrt{G'(\omega)} \sim p^{1/4}$

$$\Gamma_T(k) \propto \frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega G'(\omega)} \Omega_T(k)^2 \sim \frac{\Omega_T(k)^2}{p}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Gamma_T(k)}{p} \sim \left(\frac{\Omega_T(k)}{p}\right)^2$$
 quadratic

Data collapse – revised

- Attenuation coefficient of T mode.
- Inelasticity is $\epsilon = 1$.
- The dashed line is quadratic.
- The non-local constitutive relations well explain the data.



Summary

- We numerically investigated sound damping near jamming.
- The relation between sound characteristics and complex moduli near jamming has been clarified.
- Critical scaling of Γ_{α} is NEW.
- The non-local constitutive relations well explain the data of Γ_T .

Thank you so much!

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Q&A

Effects of ϵ

- Data for $\epsilon = 0.1$.
- The same scaling seems to work.



Transverse mode

Longitudinal mode

n a long wave-length limit (
$$k \ll 1$$
), $v_L \sim \sqrt{K + G'}$ $\Gamma_L \sim ?$

By definition,
$$v_L \equiv \frac{\Omega_L}{k}$$
 $\therefore k = \frac{\Omega_L}{v_L} \sim \frac{\Omega_L}{\sqrt{K+G'}}$

Therefore, $\Gamma_L \sim ?$

If
$$\omega < p$$
, $G' \sim p^{1/2}$ $G'' \sim \omega/p^{1/2}$

Thus,
$$v_L \sim \sqrt{K + p^{1/4}}$$
 $\Gamma_L \sim ?$

Relations to viscoelastic properties



H. Mizuno and R. Yamamoto, Phys. Rev. Lett. 110, 095901 (2013)

(c) T = 0.267 (supercooled liquid state)



Viscoelasticity

$$G' \sim \begin{cases} \Delta z & \omega^{1/2} \\ 1 & 0 \end{cases}, \qquad G'' \sim \begin{cases} \omega/\Delta z & (\omega < s^*) \\ \omega^{1/2} & (s^* < \omega < 1) \\ \omega & (1 < \omega) \end{cases}$$
$$s^* \sim \Delta z^2$$



B.P. Tighe, Phys. Rev. Lett. 107, 158303 (2011)



K. Baumgarten and B.P. Tighe, Soft Matter 13, 8368 (2017)

Viscoelasticity near jamming

- Near jamming, $p \rightarrow 0$
- Critical scaling,

$$G'(\omega) \sim \begin{cases} p^{1/2} & (\omega < p) \\ \omega^{1/2} & (\omega > p) \end{cases}$$

$$G^{\prime\prime}(\omega) \sim \begin{cases} \omega/p^{1/2} & (\omega < p) \\ \omega^{1/2} & (\omega > p) \end{cases}$$

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In long wave lengths ($\omega < p$),

$$G'(\omega) \sim p^{1/2} \qquad \frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega} \sim \frac{1}{p^{1/2}}$$

$$v_T(k) \propto \sqrt{G'(\omega)} \sim p^{1/4}$$

$$\Gamma_T(k) \propto \frac{G''(\omega)}{\omega G'(\omega)} \Omega_T(k)^2 \sim \frac{\Omega_T(k)^2}{p}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\Gamma_T(k)}{p} \sim \left(\frac{\Omega_T(k)}{p}\right)^2 \quad \cdots \text{ quadratic}$$