

### Wrinkling Anisotropy

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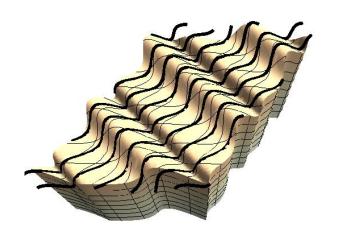
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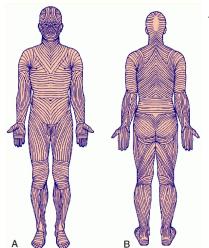
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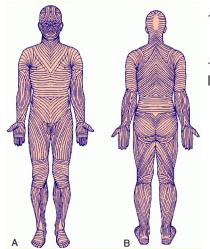
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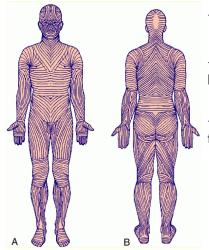


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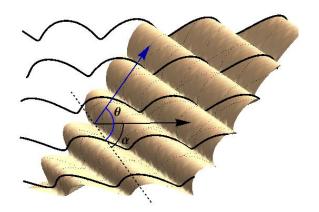




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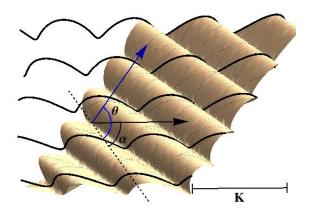
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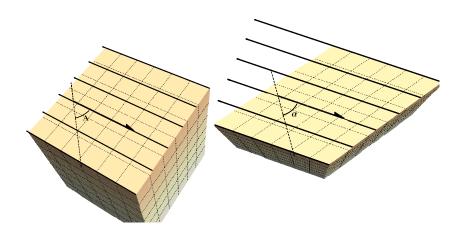


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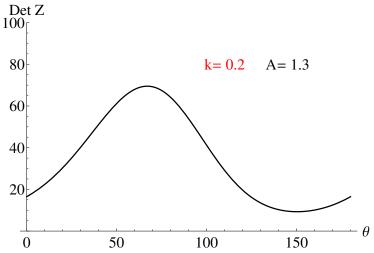
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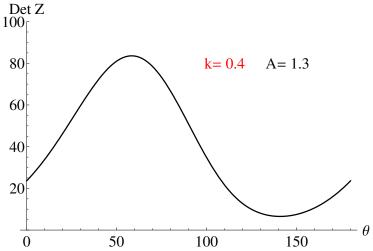
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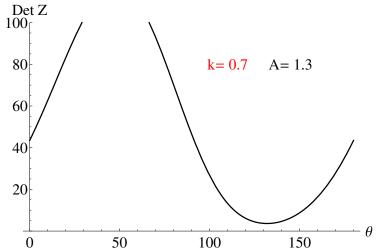
$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{e}_z \Big|_{z=0} = 0 \implies \mathbf{Z} \mathbf{U}_0 = 0 \implies \det \mathbf{Z} = 0.$$

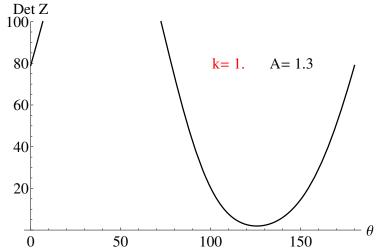


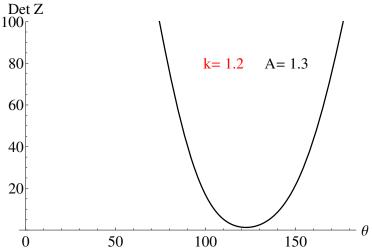
The method is to fix A, and then for each K: Open Gifs

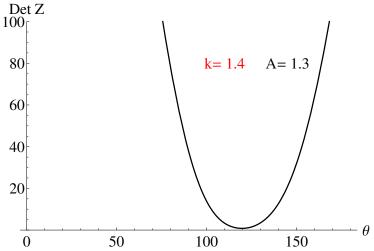


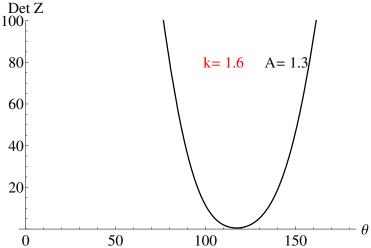


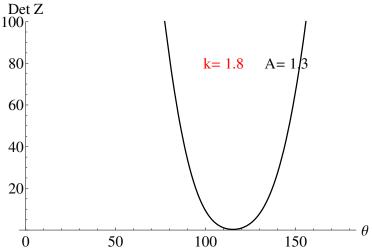


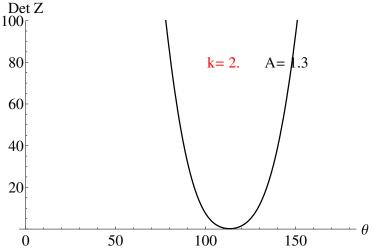


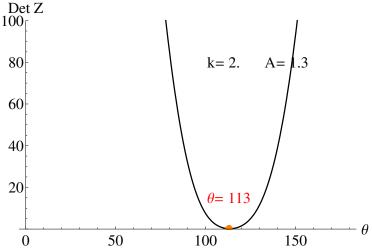


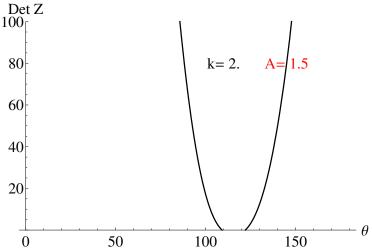












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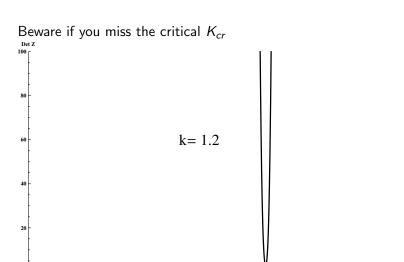


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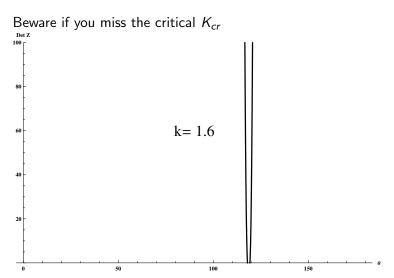


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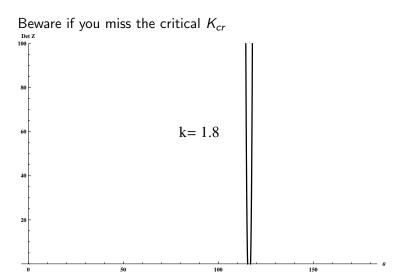


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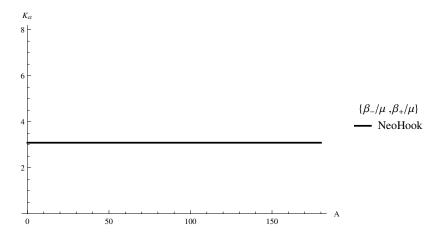
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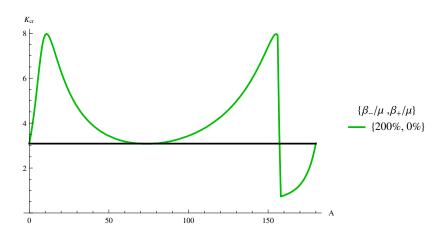
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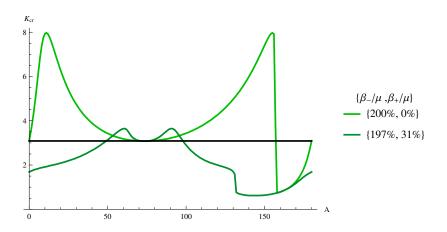
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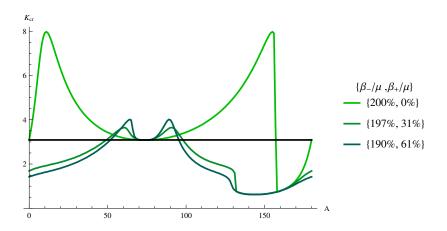
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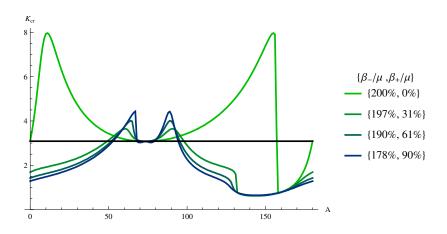
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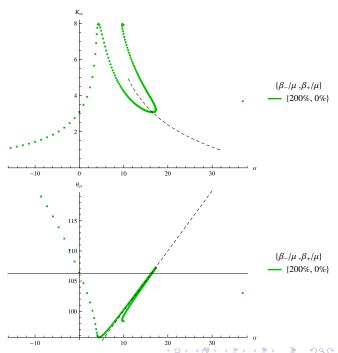
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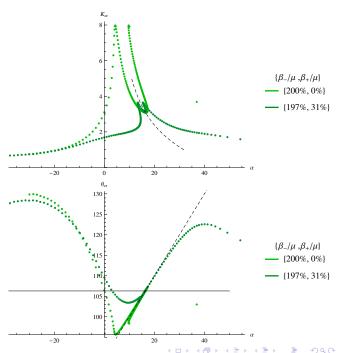
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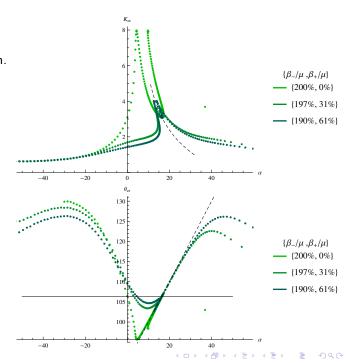
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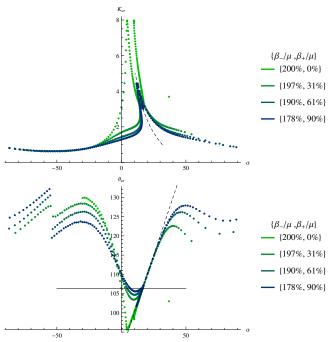
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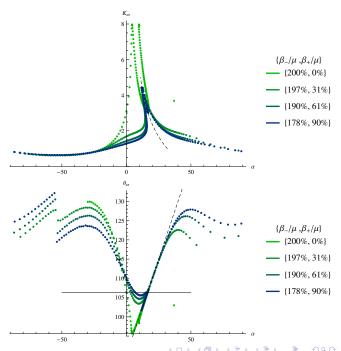


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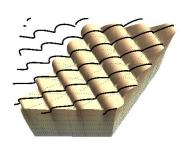
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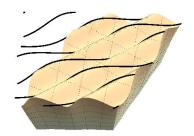
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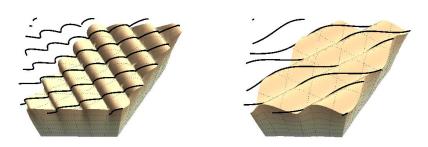




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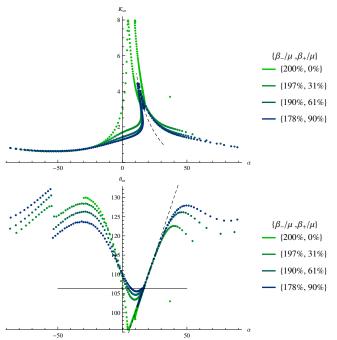


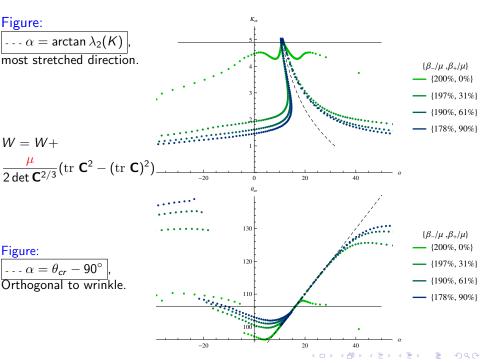
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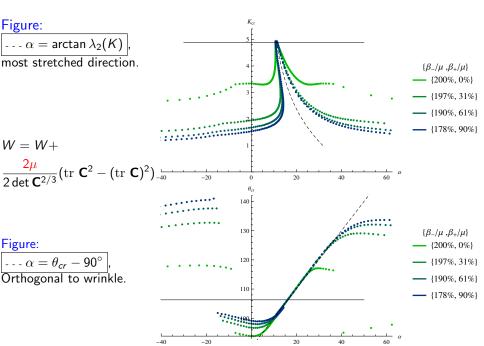
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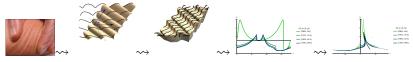
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