

P.D.E.s with Discontinuous Hysteresis

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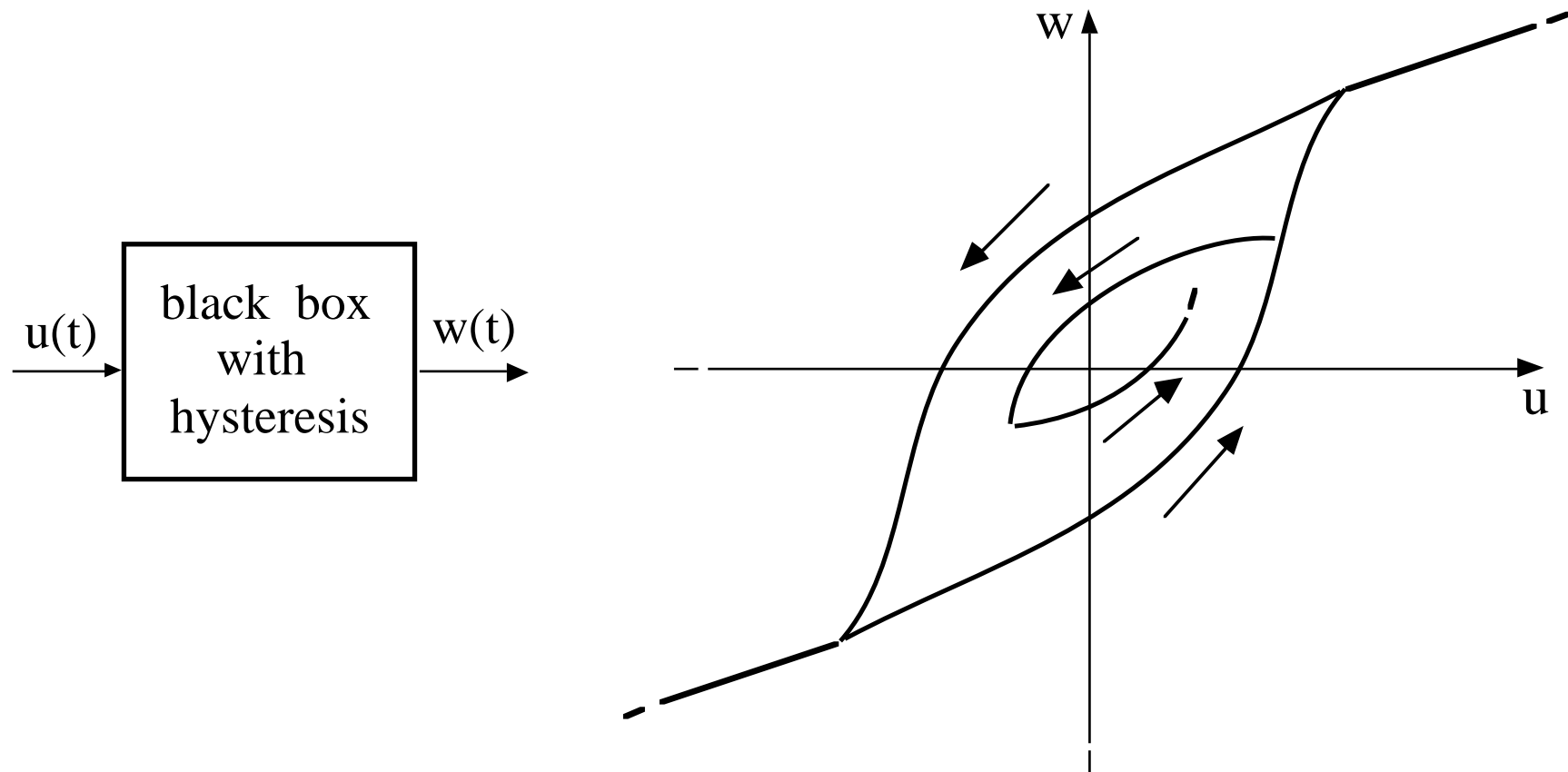
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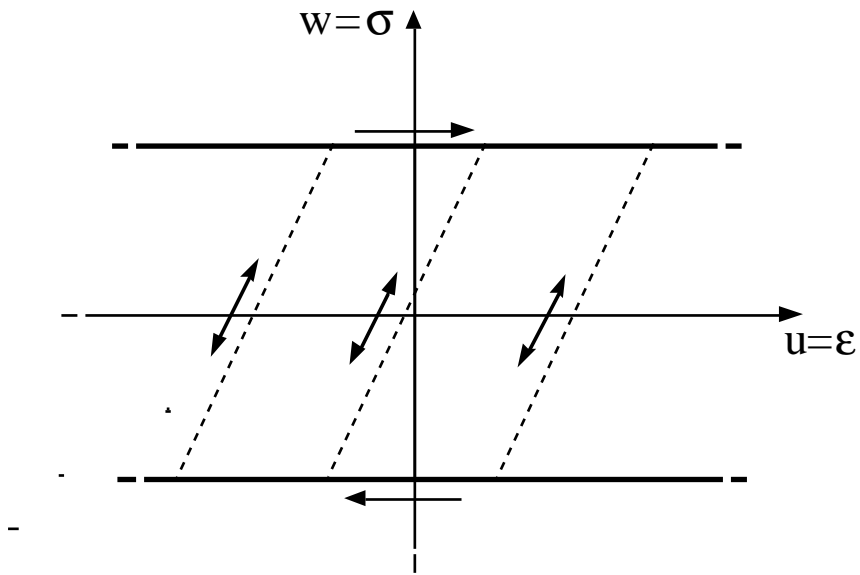
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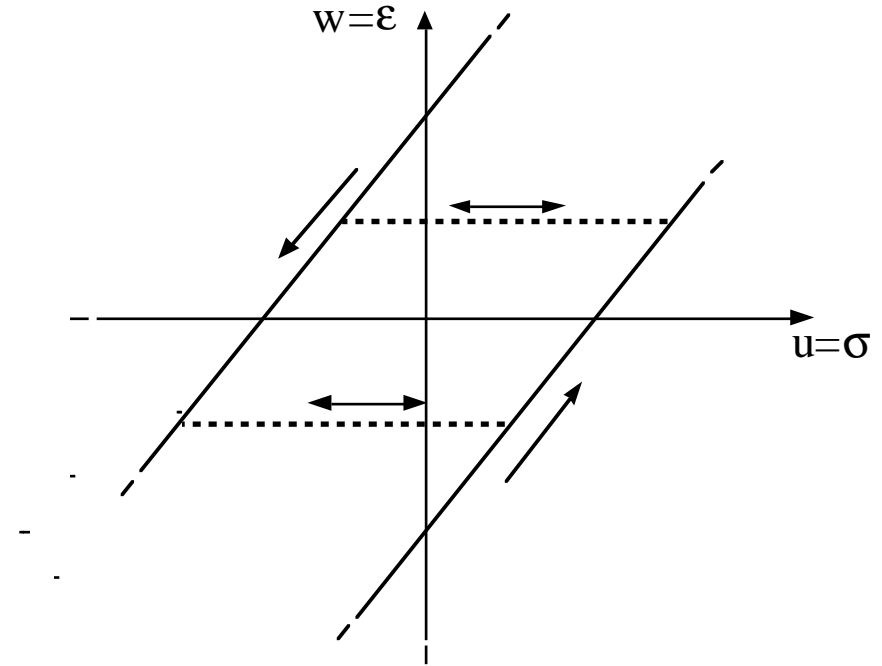
Continuous hysteresis operators are typically constructed via

- (i) definition for piecewise monotone inputs,
- (ii) derivation of a property of uniform continuity,
- (iii) extension by continuity to a Banach space (e.g., $C^0([0, T])$).

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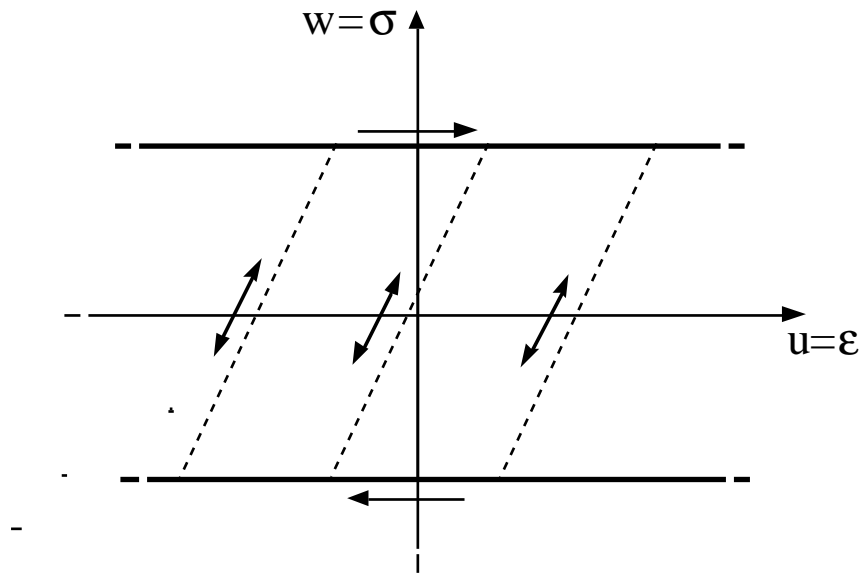


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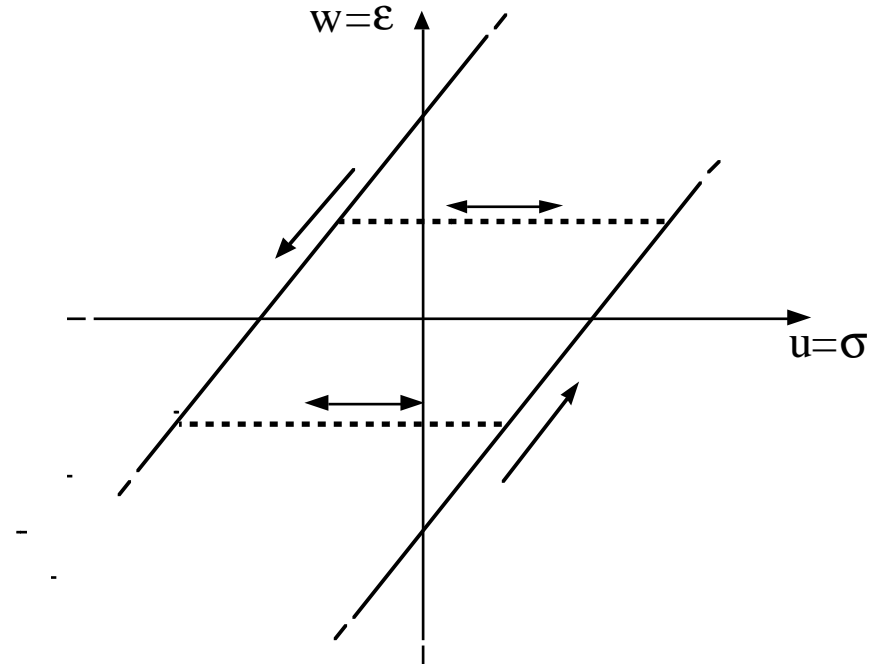
Play

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$$w' + \text{sign}^{-1}(w) \ni u'$$



Play

$$\text{sign}(w') + w \ni u$$

The large class of **Prandtl-Ishlinskii models** is obtained by composing stops and plays.

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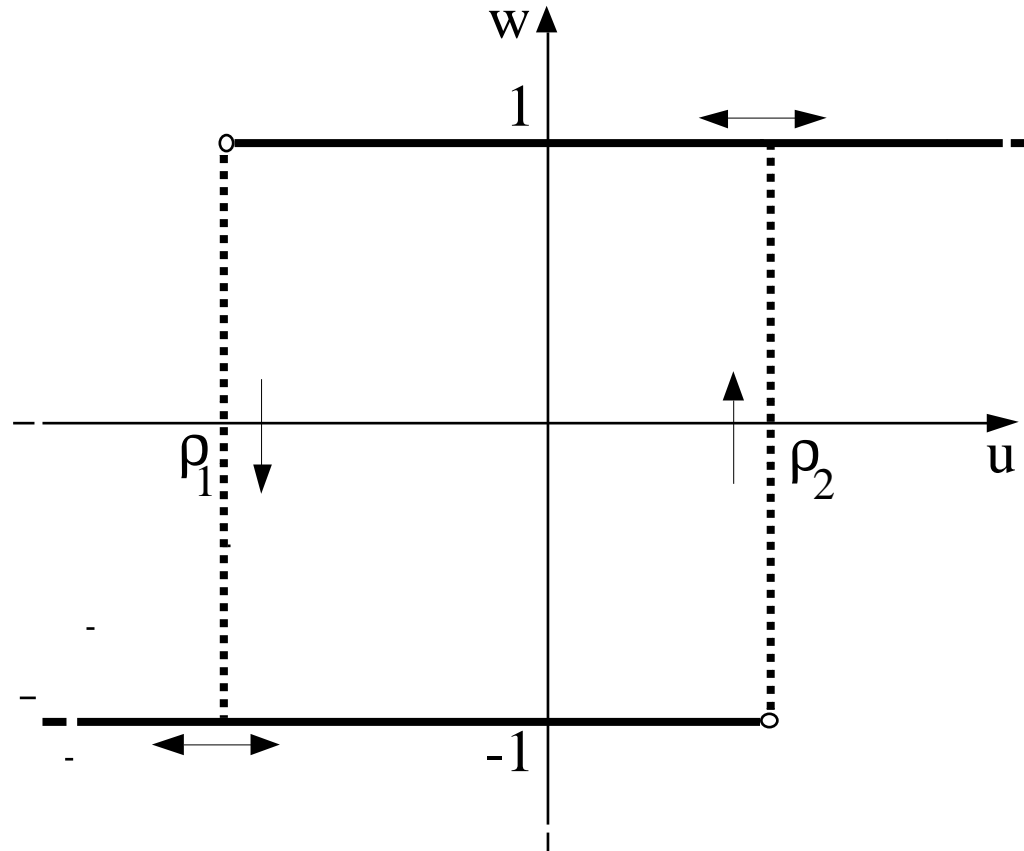
By the irreversibility of hysteresis, $dt \geq 0$; the O.D.E. is then equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dw}{du} = g_1(u, w) & \quad \text{if } u \nearrow \\ \frac{dw}{du} = g_2(u, w) & \quad \text{if } u \searrow \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathcal{F} \text{ is rate-independent.}$$

This formulation can be modified, to confine (u, w) to a subset of \mathbf{R}^2 .

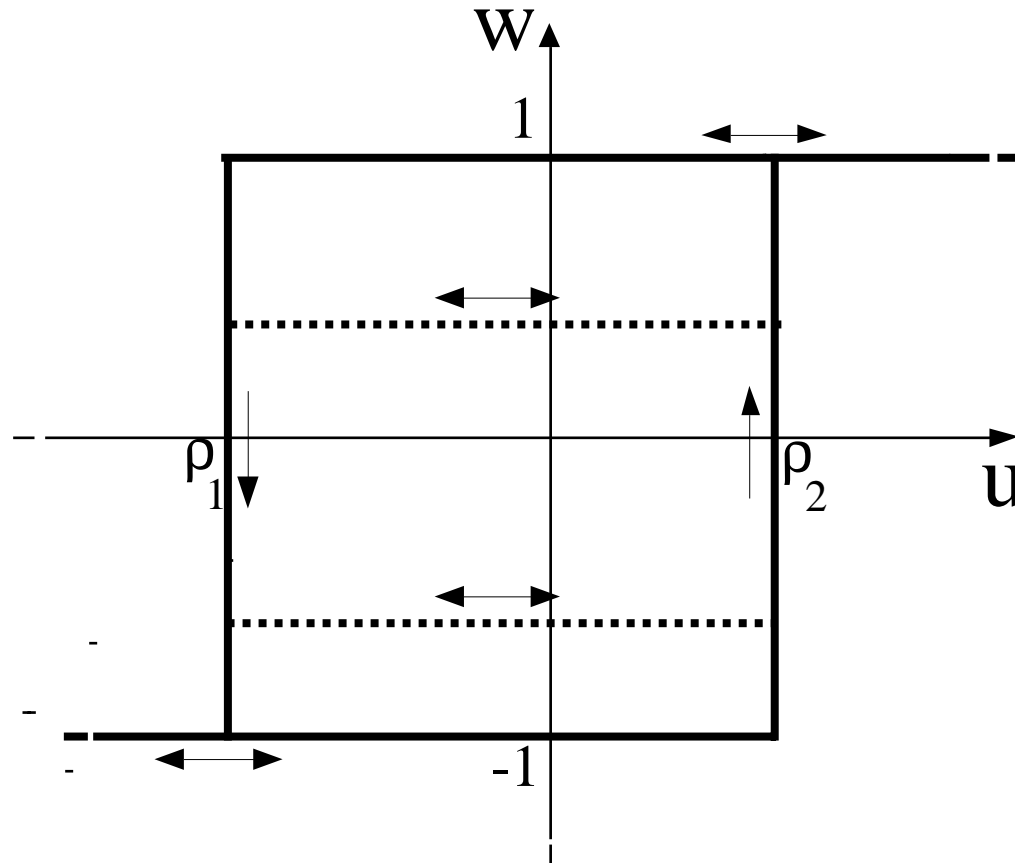
Discontinuous Hysteresis

Relays. For any pair $\rho := (\rho_1, \rho_2) \in \mathbf{R}^2$ ($\rho_1 < \rho_2$), we define the *relay operator* h_ρ :



The operator $h_\rho : C^0([0, T]) \times \{-1, 1\} \rightarrow BV(0, T)$ is not closed.

In connection with P.D.E.s, it is of interest to deal with the closure of h_ρ .
Its graph invades the whole rectangle $[\rho_1, \rho_2] \times [-1, 1]$.

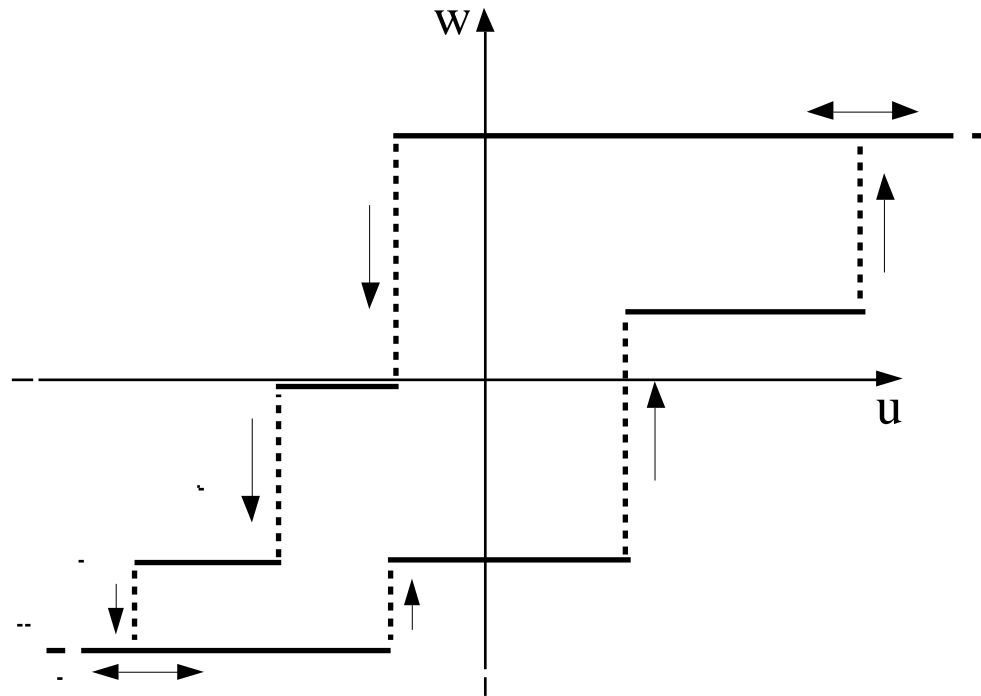


At variance with stops and plays,
relays **cannot** be represented by variational inequalities.

Preisach's Model (1935)

Linear combination of delayed relays with different thresholds and *the same input*:

$$\mathcal{H}_\mu(u, \{\xi_\rho\}) := \int_{\rho_1 < \rho_2} h_\rho(u, \xi_\rho) d\mu(\rho) \quad \text{in } [0, T].$$



Under natural hypotheses on the Preisach measure μ ,
 \mathcal{H}_μ operates and is continuous in $C^0([0, T])$.

P.D.E.s with Hysteresis

\mathcal{F} : (possibly discontinuous) hysteresis operator, A : elliptic operator.

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t}[u + \mathcal{F}(u)] + Au = f \quad \text{quasilinear parabolic} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + Au + \mathcal{F}(u) = f \quad \text{semilinear parabolic} \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{F}(u)}{\partial t} + \vec{v} \cdot \nabla u = f \quad \text{1}^{\text{st}}\text{-order quasilinear hyperbolic} \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2}[u + \mathcal{F}(u)] + Au = f \quad \text{2}^{\text{nd}}\text{-order quasilinear hyperbolic.} \quad (4)$$

(Discontinuous $\mathcal{F} \Rightarrow$ moving fronts, i.e., *free boundaries*.)

Initial- and boundary-value problems associated with (1), (2), (3) are well-posed.

(4) is considered below.

Hysteresis and Monotonicity

The standard L^2 -monotonicity,

$$\int_0^T [\mathcal{F}(u_1) - \mathcal{F}(u_2)](u_1 - u_2) dt \geq 0 \quad \forall u_1, u_2 \in C^0([0, T])$$

is too strong for hysteresis operators.

Piecewise monotonicity looks appropriate:

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Hence

$$u, \mathcal{F}(u) \in W^{1,1}(0, T) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{d\mathcal{F}(u)}{dt} \frac{du}{dt} \geq 0 \quad \text{a.e. in }]0, T[.$$

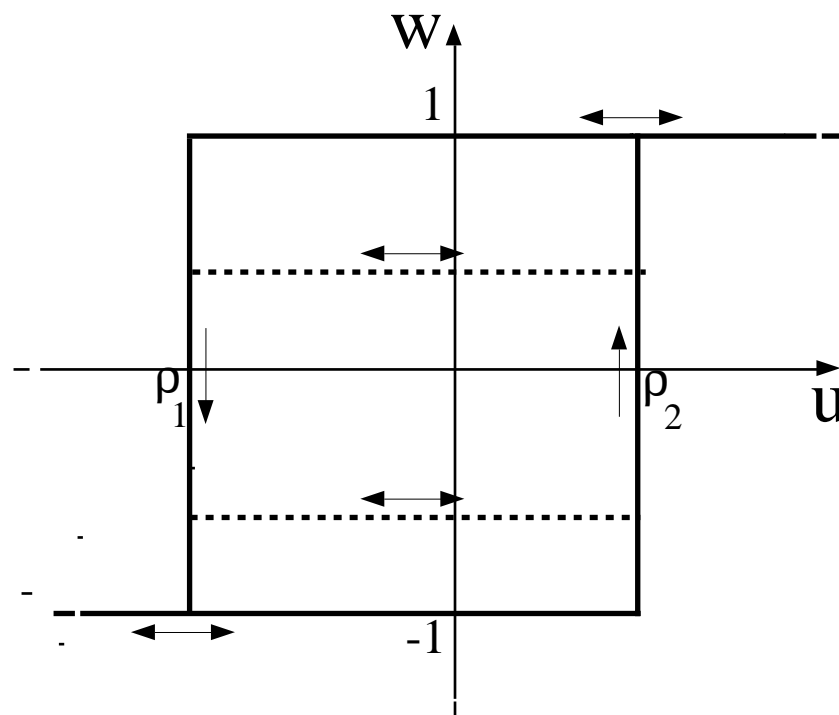
This means that *hysteresis branches* are nondecreasing.

For several P.D.E.s with hysteresis, this property is at the basis of a priori estimates.

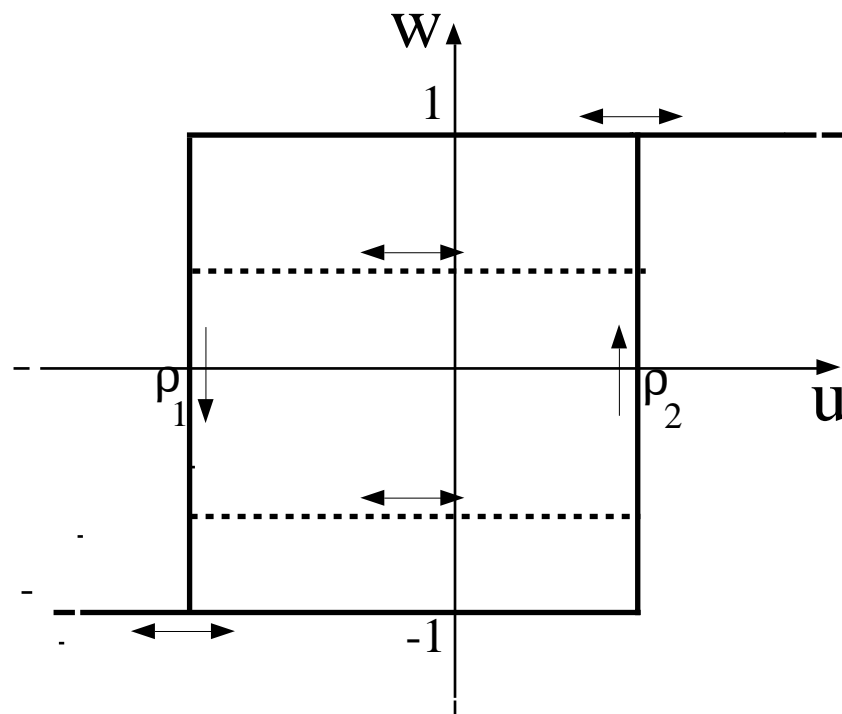
However, to pass to the limit in the hysteresis operator, this property is of no use.

Ferromagnetic Hysteresis

Scalar Problem



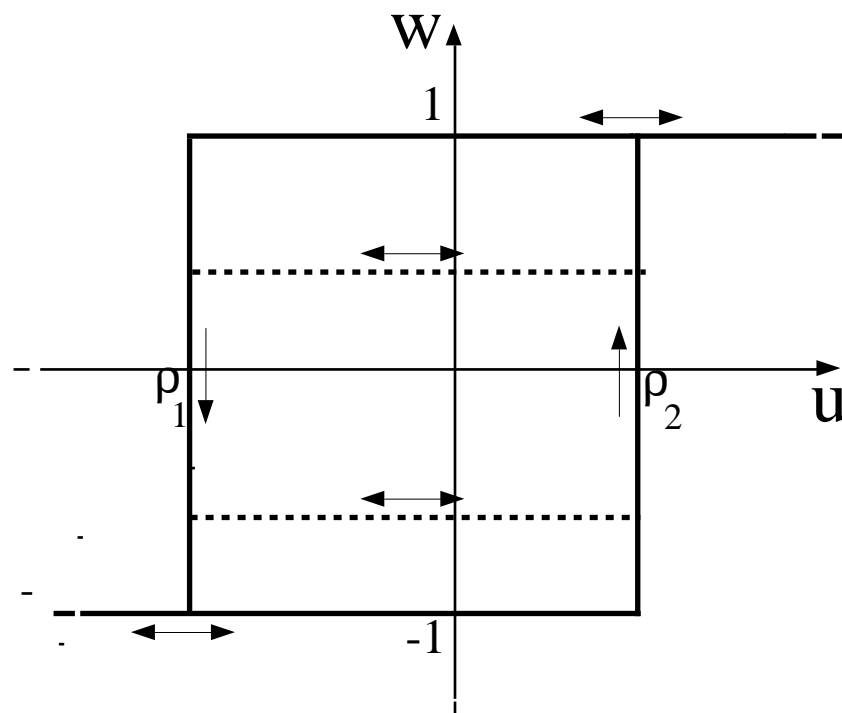
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$$\begin{cases} \int_0^t u \, dw \geq \int_0^t [\rho_2(dw)^+ - \rho_1(dw)^-] \\ = \frac{\rho_2 - \rho_1}{2} \int_0^t |dw| + \frac{\rho_2 + \rho_1}{2} w \Big|_0^y \\ =: \Psi_\rho(w, t) \quad \forall t \end{cases}$$

Scalar Quasilinear Hyperbolic Equation with Hysteresis

Data: $u^0, w^0 \in L^2(\Omega), \quad F \in L^2(0, T; H^{-1}(\Omega)).$

Problem 1. To find $U \in H^1(Q)$ and $w \in L^\infty(Q)$ such that $\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \in C^0(\bar{Q})'$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t}(u + w) - \Delta U = F \quad \text{in } H^{-1}(Q) \quad \left(u := \frac{\partial U}{\partial t} \right)$$

$$|w| \leq 1, \quad \begin{cases} (w - 1)(u - \rho_2) \geq 0 \\ (w + 1)(u - \rho_1) \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{a.e. in } Q$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} [u(x, t)^2 - u^0(x)^2 + |\nabla U(x, t)|^2] dx + \int_{\Omega} \Psi_{\rho}(w(x, \cdot), t) \leq \int_0^t \langle F, u \rangle d\tau$$

$$\gamma_0 U = 0 \quad \text{on } (\Omega \times \{0\}) \cup (\partial\Omega \times]0, T[)$$

$$(u + w)|_{t=0} = u^0 + w^0 \quad \text{in } \Omega.$$

Theorem. $F \in L_t^1(L_x^2) + W_t^{1,1}(H_x^{-1}) \Rightarrow \exists \text{ solution } (U, w):$

$$U \in W^{1,\infty}(0, T; L^2(\Omega)) \cap L^\infty(0, T; H_0^1(\Omega)).$$

This can be extended to the Preisach model. The argument is based upon:

- (i) approximation via implicit time-discretization,
- (ii) derivation of a priori estimates; in particular, by the dissipation condition,

$$\left\| \frac{\partial w_m}{\partial t} \right\|_{C^0(\bar{Q})'} = \int_{\Omega} dx \int_0^T |dw_m| \leq \text{Constant},$$

- (iii) passage to the limit by compactness and lower semicontinuity.

A. V.: *Quasi-linear hyperbolic equations with hysteresis.*

Ann. Inst. H. Poincaré. Nonlinear Analysis, **19** (2002), 451-476

The argument also uses the following *compensated compactness* result.

Lemma 1. *If*

$$z_m \rightharpoonup z \quad \text{weakly in } L^2(Q) \cap H^{-1}(0, T; H^1(\Omega))$$

$$w_m \rightharpoonup w \quad \text{weakly star in } L^\infty(Q)$$

$$\left\| \frac{\partial w_m}{\partial t} \right\|_{L^1(Q)} \leq \text{Constant}$$

then

$$\iint_Q w_m z_m \, dx dt \rightarrow \iint_Q w z \, dx dt.$$

Vector Problem — Maxwell-Ohm's Equations (in Gauss units)

$$c\nabla \times \vec{H} = 4\pi\vec{J} + \frac{\partial \vec{D}}{\partial t} \quad c\nabla \times \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \quad (\nabla \times := \text{curl})$$

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In ferrimagnetic insulators: $\sigma = 0 \rightarrow$ quasilinear hyperbolic

In ferromagnetic metals: $\epsilon \frac{\partial^2 \vec{B}}{\partial t^2} \ll 4\pi\sigma \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \rightarrow$ quasilinear parabolic

For quasi-static processes: $c\nabla \times \vec{H} = 4\pi\vec{J} \quad \nabla \cdot \vec{B} = 0.$

Constitutive Law $\vec{H} \mapsto \vec{M}$

Vector Relay. Each “magnetic element” is characterized by

- (i) a magnetization direction $\vec{\theta} \in S^2$,
- (ii) a pair of thresholds $\rho := (\rho_1, \rho_2) \in \mathcal{P}$.

The vector relay $\vec{h}_{(\rho, \vec{\theta})}$ is defined in terms of the scalar relay \vec{h}_ρ as follows:

$$\vec{h}_{(\rho, \vec{\theta})}(\vec{H}) := h_\rho(\vec{H} \cdot \vec{\theta})\vec{\theta} \quad \forall (\rho, \vec{\theta}) \in \mathcal{P} \times S^2.$$

A vector relay may represent the behaviour of a strongly anisotropic crystal having crystallographic orientation $\vec{\theta}$.

Each of the 3 P.D.E. systems above
(i.e., hyperbolic, parabolic, quasistationary evolution)
can be coupled with the constitutive law

$$\vec{M}(x, t) = [\vec{h}_{(\rho(x), \vec{\theta}(x))}(\vec{H}(x, \cdot))] (t) \quad \text{pointwise in } Q.$$

Each of these 3 problems has a weak solution.

A. V.: *Maxwell's equations with vector hysteresis.*

Archive Rat. Mech. Anal. **175** (2005) 1–38

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Lemma 2. *If*

$$\vec{u}_m \rightharpoonup \vec{u} \quad \text{weakly in } L^2(\mathbf{R}^3 \times]0, T[)^3 \cap H^{-1}(0, T; L^2_{\text{rot}}(\mathbf{R}^3)^3)$$

$$\vec{z}_m \rightharpoonup \vec{z} \quad \text{weakly star in } L^\infty(\mathbf{R}^3 \times]0, T[)^3$$

$$\|\vec{z}_m\|_{L^1(\mathbf{R}^3; BV(0, T)^3)} \leq \text{Constant}$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\vec{u}_m + \vec{z}_m) = 0 \quad \text{in } \mathcal{D}'(\mathbf{R}^3 \times]0, T[), \forall m,$$

then

$$\limsup_{m \rightarrow \infty} \iint_{\mathcal{B} \times]0, T[} \vec{z}_m \cdot \vec{u}_m \, dx dt \leq \iint_{\mathcal{B} \times]0, T[} \vec{z} \cdot \vec{u} \, dx dt \quad \forall \text{ ball } \mathcal{B} \subset \mathbf{R}^3.$$