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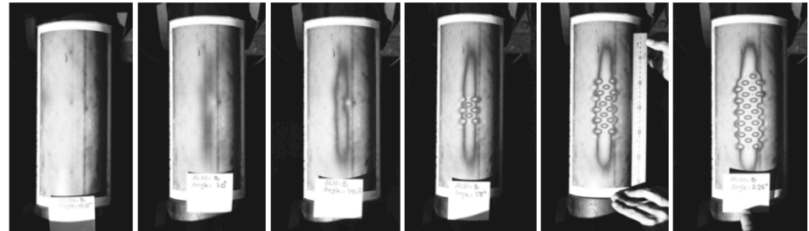


Fig. 5 Elliptical post buckling patterns of a thin shell ( $t=0.11$ ,  $d=127$ ) under pure bending

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