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Faraday waves on time-dependent domains MAHDI GHADIRI,
ROUSLAN KRECHETNIKOV, University of Alberta — Faraday wave patterns
– standing waves which form on the free fluid surface due to its vertical vibration
– have been frequently used as a testbed for new theories and ideas. As part of
the recent effort to understand dynamics and evolution on time-dependent spatial
domains, in this talk we will present experimental investigation on how Faraday
wave patterns respond to the domain deformation. In our experimental setup of a
vibrating water container with controlled moving walls, the characteristics of the
free surface patterns are measured using the Fourier transform profilometry tech-
nique, which allows us to get accurate time history of patterns three-dimensional
landscape. Our study reveals, at the experimental level, how patterns transform in
response to the domain dynamics on various length- and time-scales.

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