

# Nonexistence results for biharmonic problems with supercritical growth on *h*-starlike domains

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In 1995, Donato Passaseo proved that, for bounded domains  $\Omega$  homotopic to spheres, the only solution to the problem

$$-\Delta u = f(u) \text{ in } \Omega \text{ and } u=0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega$$

is  $u \equiv 0$ , when the source term  $f(u)$  is a nonlinearity having a supercritical growth. We prove this result with respect to the biharmonic operator  $\Delta^2$  in both cases of Dirichlet and Navier boundary conditions. We generalize Passaseo's Domains to a more general class of domains we call *h*-starlike domains. As for Passaseo, our main tool is the Pohozaev identity. Currently, we generalize these results to the  $p$ -Laplace equation.