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Title: *3-Manifolds that admit knotted solenoids as attractors*

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Abstract: Motivated by Smale's work in dynamics, the following questions are studied and answered:

- (1) Which 3-manifolds admit an automorphism whose non-wandering set consists of Smale solenoids?
- (2) Which 3-manifolds admit an automorphism having a knotted Smale solenoid as attractor? As a consequence of (2), every solenoid that appears as an attractor of a homeomorphism of R^3 is UNknotted.