

AM5450 Assignment 1

Q1)

MATLAB Code:

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1  clc; clear all; close all; format compact; format shortg;
2
3  syms x y z;
4  eqn1 = 2*x - 3*y - z == 5;
5  eqn2 = 4*x + 4*y - 3*z == 3;
6  eqn3 = -2*x + 3*y - z == 1;
7
8  sol = solve([eqn1, eqn2, eqn3], [x,y,z]);
9  x = sol.x
10 y = sol.y
11 z = sol.z

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Output:

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Command Window
x =
-1/2
y =
-1
z =
-3

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Q2)

MATLAB Code:

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1  clc; clear all; close all; format compact; format shortg;
2
3  syms x a0 a1 a2 a3 a4 a5
4
5  %Degree 5 polynomial
6  p = poly2sym([a5,a4,a3,a2,a1,a0])
7
8  %1st to 5th order derivatives
9  d1 = diff(p,x,1)
10 d2 = diff(p,x,2)
11 d3 = diff(p,x,3)
12 d4 = diff(p,x,4)
13 d5 = diff(p,x,5)
14
15 %Partial derivatives wrt to ai
16 da0 = diff(p,a1,1)
17 da1 = diff(p,a1,1)
18 da2 = diff(p,a2,1)
19 da3 = diff(p,a3,1)
20 da4 = diff(p,a4,1)
21 da5 = diff(p,a5,1)

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Output:

a) Polynomial for $k = 5$

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p =  
a5*x^5 + a4*x^4 + a3*x^3 + a2*x^2 + a1*x + a0
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b) 1st to 5th order derivatives with respect to x

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d1 =  
5*a5*x^4 + 4*a4*x^3 + 3*a3*x^2 + 2*a2*x + a1  
d2 =  
20*a5*x^3 + 12*a4*x^2 + 6*a3*x + 2*a2  
d3 =  
60*a5*x^2 + 24*a4*x + 6*a3  
d4 =  
24*a4 + 120*a5*x  
d5 =  
120*a5
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c) Partial derivatives with respect to a_i :

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da0 =  
x  
da1 =  
x  
da2 =  
x^2  
da3 =  
x^3  
da4 =  
x^4  
da5 =  
x^5
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Q2>

$$b) \quad P_n(x) = \sum_{n=0}^K a_n x^n$$

$$\therefore P_5(x) = a_5 x^5 + a_4 x^4 + a_3 x^3 + a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0$$

$$\frac{dP_5}{dx} = 5a_5 x^4 + 4a_4 x^3 + 3a_3 x^2 + 2a_2 x + a_1$$

$$\frac{d^2 P_5}{dx^2} = 20a_5 x^3 + 12a_4 x^2 + 6a_3 x + 2a_2$$

$$\frac{d^3 P_5}{dx^3} = 60a_5 x^2 + 24a_4 x + 6a_3$$

$$\frac{d^4 P_5}{dx^4} = 120a_5 x + 24a_4$$

$$\frac{d^5 P_5}{dx^5} = 120a_5$$

The hand calculated derivatives match with the values using MATLAB above

$$c) \quad \frac{\partial P_5}{\partial a_0} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial P_5}{\partial a_1} = x$$

$$\frac{\partial P_5}{\partial a_2} = x^2$$

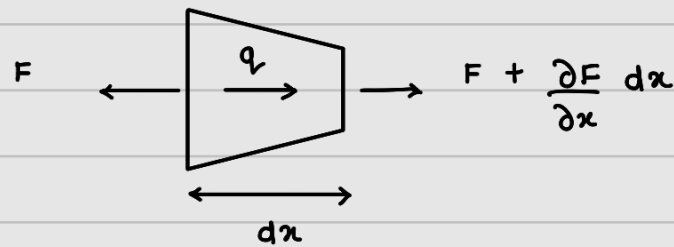
$$\frac{\partial P_5}{\partial a_3} = x^3$$

$$\frac{\partial P_5}{\partial a_4} = x^4$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial a_5} = x^5$$

Again, these hand calculated values match with the ones calculated using MATLAB

Q3) Consider an infinitesimally small part of the bar dx



Using Newton's second law, $\Sigma F = ma$

$$\therefore F + \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} dx - F + q dx = ma$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} dx + q dx = ma$$

As the cross sectional area varies linearly from A_0 at $x = 0$ to A_L at $x = L$,

$$\therefore A(x) = A_0 + \frac{x}{L} (A_L - A_0)$$

For static equilibrium case, $a = \frac{d^2 u}{dt^2} = 0$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} dx + q dx = 0, \quad \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} + q = 0$$

Now, $F = \sigma A(x)$ and $\sigma = E \epsilon = E \frac{du}{dx}$

$$\therefore F(x) = EA(x) \frac{du}{dx} = E \left\{ A_0 + \frac{x}{L} (A_L - A_0) \right\} \frac{du}{dx}$$

Also, $q = cx$

$$\therefore \text{We get } \frac{d}{dx} \left\{ E \left[A_0 + \frac{x}{L} (A_L - A_0) \right] \frac{du}{dx} \right\} + cx = 0$$

$$\therefore E \left[A_0 + \frac{x}{L} (A_L - A_0) \right] \frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} + \frac{E}{L} (A_L - A_0) \frac{du}{dx} + cx = 0, \quad \text{with } 0 \leq x \leq L$$

As the bar is fixed at $x = 0$,

$u(x=0) = 0$ is the Dirichlet BC at $x=0$

At $x=L$,

$$F = \sigma A_L = E A_L \epsilon_L = E A_L \left. \frac{du}{dx} \right|_{x=L} = P$$

$\therefore \left. \frac{du}{dx} \right|_{x=L} = \frac{P}{EA_L}$ is the Neumann BC at $x=L$

Q4) For constant cross sectional area, the governing equation becomes

$$EA \frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} + cx = 0 \quad ; \quad 0 \leq x \leq L$$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} = -\frac{cx}{EA}$$

$$\text{Integrating, } \int \frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} dx = \int -\frac{cx}{EA} dx$$

$$\therefore \frac{du}{dx} = -\frac{cx^2}{2EA} + K_1$$

From the Neumann BC at $x=L$,

$$\left. \frac{du}{dx} \right|_{x=L} = \frac{P}{EA}$$

$$\therefore -\frac{cL^2}{2EA} + K_1 = \frac{P}{EA}$$

$$\therefore K_1 = \frac{2P + cL^2}{2EA}$$

$$\therefore \frac{du}{dx} = -\frac{cx^2}{2EA} + \frac{2P + cL^2}{2EA}$$

$$\text{Integrating again, } \int \frac{du}{dx} dx = \int -\frac{cx^2}{2EA} + \frac{2P + cL^2}{2EA} dx$$

$$\therefore u(x) = -\frac{cx^3}{6EA} + \frac{(2P + cL^2)x}{EA} + K_2$$

Using the Dirichlet BC $u(0) = 0$ at $x=0$,

$$\therefore K_2 = 0$$

\therefore The analytical solution for $u(x)$ and $u'(x)$ are

$$u(x) = -\frac{cx^3}{6EA} + \frac{(2P + cL^2)x}{2EA}$$

$$u'(x) = -\frac{cx^2}{2EA} + \frac{2P + cL^2}{2EA}$$

Values of all constants are substituted in MATLAB and the required plots are generated as follows:

Q4)

MATLAB code for calculating and plotting displacement and strain fields:

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1      clc; clear all; close all; format compact; format shortg;
2
3      %Constants
4      E = 200*10^9; d = 20*10^-3; A = pi*d^2/4; P = 2*10^3; L = 2; C = 10^3;
5
6      x = 0:0.01:L;
7
8      %Calculating displacement and strain fields
9      u = -(C/(6*E*A))*x.^3 + ((2*P+C*L^2)/(2*E*A))*x;
10     u_prime = -(C/(2*E*A))*x.^2 + (2*P+C*L^2)/(2*E*A);
11
12     %Plotting
13     figure;
14     plot(x,u,'-r')
15     title("u vs x")
16     xlabel("Length (m)")
17     ylabel('Displacement (m)')
18
19     figure;
20     plot(x,u_prime,'-b')
21     title("u' vs x")
22     xlabel("Length (m)")
23     ylabel('Strain')
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24
25     %Changing the values of c
26     C_vec = 10^3*[1,3,5,7,9];
27
28     figure;
29     for i = 1:numel(C_vec)
30         C = C_vec(i);
31         u = -(C/(6*E*A))*x.^3 + ((2*P+C*L^2)/(2*E*A))*x;
32         plot(x,u,DisplayName=num2str(C)); hold on
33     end
34     title("u vs x")
35     xlabel("Length (m)")
36     ylabel('Displacement (m)')
37     legend("show")
38
39     figure;
40     for i = 1:numel(C_vec)
41         C = C_vec(i);
42         u_prime = -(C/(2*E*A))*x.^2 + (2*P+C*L^2)/(2*E*A);
43         plot(x,u_prime,DisplayName=num2str(C)); hold on
44     end
45     title("u' vs x")
46     xlabel("Length (m)")
47     ylabel('Strain')
48     legend("show")
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Plots:

a)

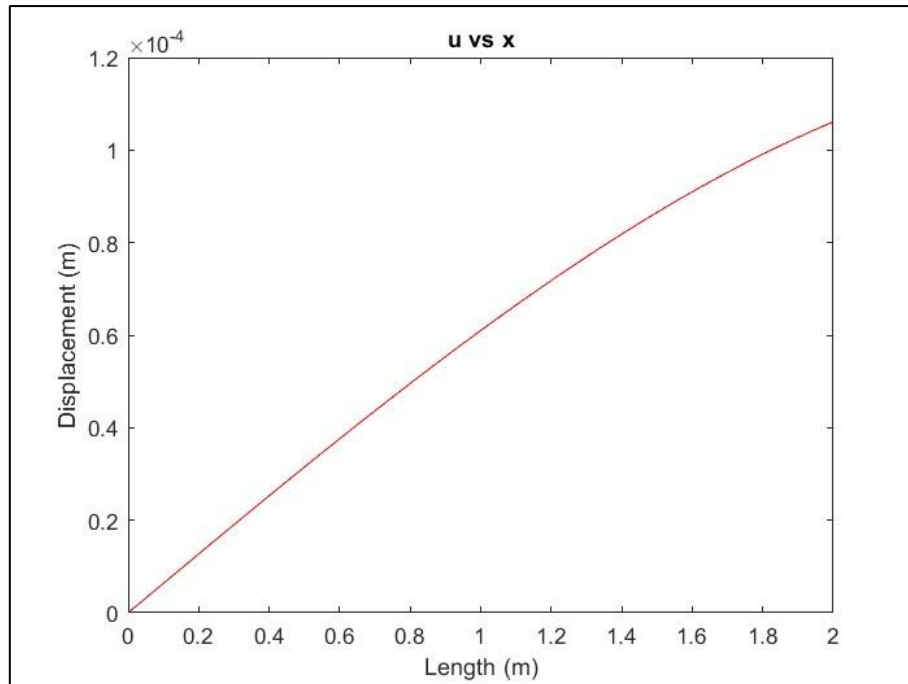


Fig 1: Displacement field vs x for $c = 1$ kN/m

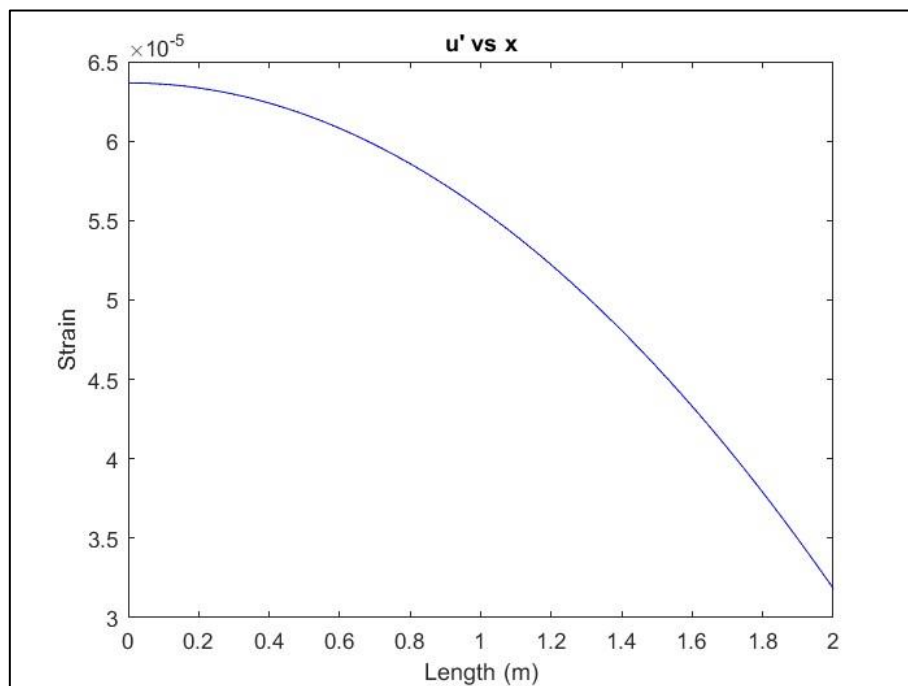


Fig 2: Strain vs x for $c = 1$ kN/m

b) Comparison of strain and displacement fields for different values of c

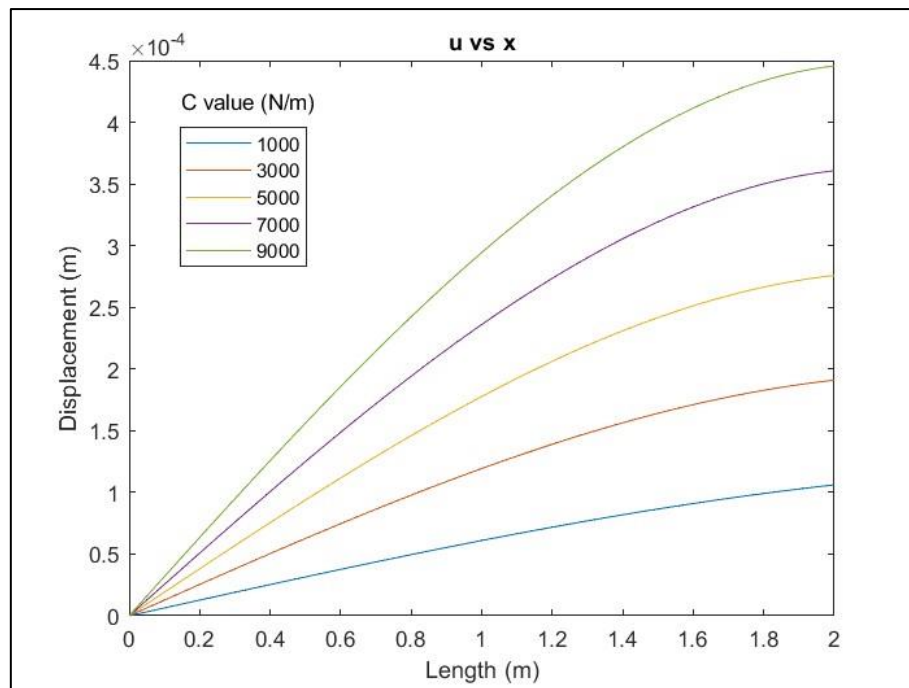


Fig 3: Displacement field vs x for different values of c

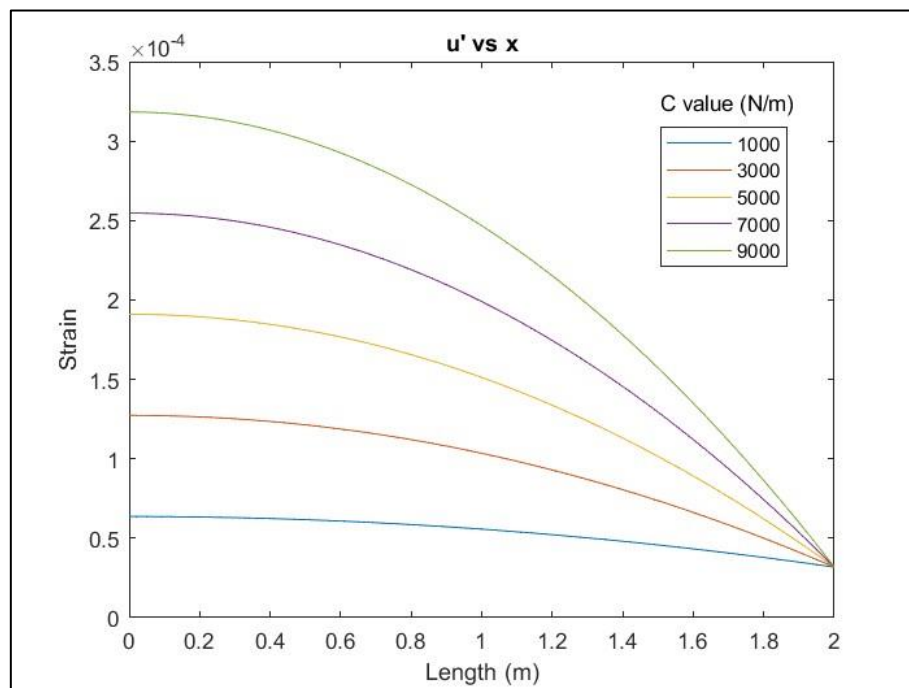


Fig 4: Strain vs x for different values of c

- From the above plots, we can observe that the variation (or nature of the curves) of the displacement as well as the strain with the length x remains the same for all values of c .
- But as C increases, the values of displacement and the strain also increase.