

- a) We have a constant internal body force due to rotational motion and a point force due to added mass at the tip.

We first derive the internal force expression:

$$\Delta F_c = \Delta m \omega^2 x$$

$$= g A \alpha x \cdot \omega^2 x$$

$$\frac{\partial F_c}{\partial x} = g A \omega^2 x$$

Taking $\lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0}$,

$$\left[\frac{dF_c}{dx} = g A \omega^2 x \right] \textcircled{1}$$



$$F_c = \Delta m \omega^2 x$$

We then derive the point mass formula:

$$M_{bar} = g V$$

$$= g (L \cdot t^2)$$

$$M_{point} = 0.1 M_{bar} = 0.1 g (L \cdot t^2)$$

$$\left[F_{point} = M_{point} \cdot \omega^2 L \right]$$

$$= 0.1 g L \cdot t^2 \cdot \omega^2 \cdot L \textcircled{2}$$

We then recall the Rayleigh-Ritz formula:

$$\Pi = \frac{1}{2} \int_V \underline{\epsilon} \underline{\epsilon}^T dV - \int_S \underline{u}^T \underline{t} ds - \int_V \underline{u}^T \underline{b} dV - \Psi S$$

For our case, we have:

$$\Pi = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \underline{\epsilon} \underline{\epsilon}^T dV}_{\text{Term 1}} - \underbrace{F_{point} u|_{x=L}}_{\text{Term 2}} - \underbrace{\int_0^L \underline{u}^T \underline{b} dV}_{\text{Term 3}}$$

Our guess is:

$$u = a + bx + cx^2 + dx^3$$

$$\text{we know } u = 0 \text{ at } x = 0,$$

$$[0 = a] \textcircled{3}$$

$$u(x) = bx + cx^2 + dx^3$$

$$\text{Term 1} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L EA \left(\frac{\partial u(x)}{\partial x} \right)^2 dx$$

$$= 3.5E6 b^2 + (7E6)bc + (7E6)bd + \frac{14E6 c^2}{3} + (1.05E7)cd + 6.3E6 d^2$$

$$\text{Term 2} = 0.1 g L \cdot t^2 \cdot w^3 \cdot L (b + c + d)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Term 3} &= \int_0^L \underline{u}^T \underline{F}_c dx \\ &= \int_0^L (u(x)) (g A w^2 x) dx\end{aligned}$$

$$= 90000b + 67500c + 54000d$$

$$\Pi = \text{Term 1} - \text{Term 2} - \text{Term 3}$$

We then minimize Π w.r.t b, c, d

$$\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial b} = 0 \quad \textcircled{4}$$

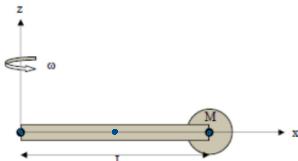
$$\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial c} = 0 \quad \textcircled{5}$$

$$\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial d} = 0 \quad \textcircled{6}$$

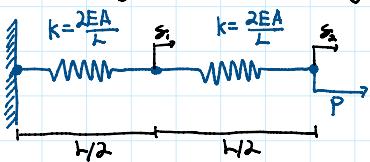
We plug this into MATLAB symbolic expression and solve for coefficients:

$$\begin{bmatrix} b = +0.0231 \\ c = 0 \\ d = -0.0064 \end{bmatrix}$$

b)



Using three nodes/two elements, perhaps we can draw the new system as the following:



$$m_{x=0} = 0 \text{ kg} \quad m_{x=L/2} = 0.5m = \frac{1}{2} g A L \quad m_{x=L} = g A L$$

We do this because cross-sectional area is constant and the increase in mass is linear.

$\Pi = \text{internal work} - \text{external work}$

$$\text{Internal Work} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2EA}{L} \right) \dot{\varepsilon}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2EA}{L} \right) (\dot{\varepsilon}_1 + \dot{\varepsilon}_2)^2$$

$$\text{External Work} = (m_{x=L/2} w^3 (L/2 + \dot{\varepsilon}_1) + m_{x=L} w^3 (L + \dot{\varepsilon}_1 + \dot{\varepsilon}_2)) + (0.1 \rho L \cdot t^2 \cdot w^3 \cdot L) (\dot{\varepsilon}_1 + \dot{\varepsilon}_2)$$

$$\text{Internal Work} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2EA}{L} \right) \delta_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2EA}{L} \right) (\delta_1 + \delta_2)^2$$

$$\text{External Work} = \underbrace{\left(m_{\text{bar}} w^2 \left(\frac{L}{2} + \delta_1 \right) + m_{\text{load}} w^2 \left(L + \delta_1 + \delta_2 \right) \right)}_{\text{Body Force}} + \underbrace{\left(0.1 g L \cdot t^2 \cdot w^2 \cdot L \right)}_{\text{Point Force}} (\delta_1 + \delta_2)$$

$$\Pi = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2EA}{L} \right) \delta_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2EA}{L} \right) (\delta_1 + \delta_2)^2 - \left(m_{\text{bar}} w^2 (\delta_1) + m_{\text{load}} w^2 (\delta_1 + \delta_2) - (0.1 g L \cdot t^2 \cdot w^2 \cdot L) (\delta_1 + \delta_2) \right)$$

We then take derivate with respect to both δ_1 & δ_2 and set them to 0:

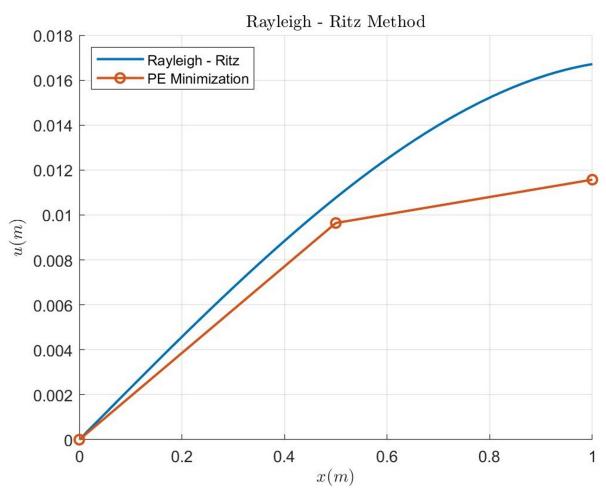
$$\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial \delta_1} = 0 = 28000000 \delta_1 + 14000000 \delta_2 - 432000$$

$$\frac{\partial \Pi}{\partial \delta_2} = 0 = 14000000 \delta_1 + 14000000 \delta_2 - 297000$$

We put this into matrix form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 28000000 & 14000000 \\ 14000000 & 14000000 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1 \\ \delta_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 432000 \\ 297000 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \delta_1 \\ \delta_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0094 \\ 0.0116 \end{bmatrix} \text{m}$$



We see that for both Rayleigh-Ritz method and potential energy minimization, the trends look approximately the same. The discrepancy between the values however diverges further along the bar. With more points, we should expect a better alignment of the PE Minimization with regards to the Rayleigh-Ritz method.

In addition, I am a bit unsure whether my calculation for PE Minimization is correct, as I would have expected the PE Minimization to match up more with Rayleigh-Ritz. The point of unsure lies in the displacement between δ_1 and δ_2 . Intuitively I think that the potential energy of the springs would depend on the combined displacement of both δ_1 and δ_2 , but I have seen other sources where the displacement is actually $\delta_2 - \delta_1$. Regardless, I believe my solution procedure for both parts are approximately correct. I have also attached my code for conveniences.

Part C) was left blank due to message from Professor Goulbourne that we should leave the part until the next homework.