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#-----  
from .openStaadHelper import *  
from comtypes import automation  
from comtypes import client  
from comtypes import CoInitialize  
from .oserrors import *
```

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```
class OSSupport:  
    CoInitialize()  
  
    def __init__(self, staadObj):  
        self._staad = staadObj  
        self._support = self._staad.Support  
  
        self._functions= [  
            "AssignSupportToNode",  
            "CreateSupportFixed",  
            "CreateSupportPinned",  
            "CreateSupportFixedBut",  
            "GetSupportCount",  
            "GetSupportNodes",  
            "GetSupportType",  
            "GetSupportInformation",  
            "GetSupportUniqueID",  
            "SetSupportUniqueID",  
            "RemoveSupportFromNode",  
            "DeleteSupport",  
            "GetSupportName",  
            "GetSupportInformationEx",  
            "CreateInclinedSupport",  
            "CreateElasticMat",  
            "GetCountOfElasticMat",  
            "GetElasticMatDetail",  
            "GetElasticMatAssignmentList",  
            "RemoveElasticMat",  
            "RemoveElasticMatFromNode",  
            "AssignSupportToEntityList",  
            "CreatePlateMat",  
            "GetCountOfPlateMat",  
            "GetPlateMatSupportId",  
            "GetPlateMatDetail",  
            "GetPlateMatAssignmentList",  
            "RemovePlateMat",  
            "RemovePlateMatFromPlate",  
            "CreateElasticFooting",  
            "GetCountOfElasticFooting",  
            "GetElasticFootingDetail",  
            "GetElasticFootingAssignmentList",  
            "RemoveElasticFooting",
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        "RemoveElasticFootingFromNode"
    ]

    for function_name in self._functions:
        self._support._FlagAsMethod(function_name)

## SUPPORT FUNCTIONS

\[docs\]
def AssignSupportToNode(self, NodeIDs: list|int, SupportID: int):
    """
    Assign a support to one or more nodes.

    Parameters
    -----
    NodeIDs : list of int or int
        List of node numbers or a single node number to assign the support to.
    SupportID : int
        Support reference number ID.

    Returns
    -----
    None

    Examples
    -----
    >>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
    >>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
    >>> fixed_id = staad_obj.Support.CreateSupportFixed()
    >>> staad_obj.Support.AssignSupportToNode([1, 2, 3], fixed_id) // Passing list
    >>> staad_obj.Support.AssignSupportToNode(5, fixed_id) //Passing support ID
    """
    if (isinstance(NodeIDs, int)):
        NodeIDs = [NodeIDs]
    safe_list = make_safe_array_long_input(NodeIDs)
    self._support.AssignSupportToNode(safe_list, SupportID)

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def CreateSupportFixed(self):
    """
    Creates a fully fixed support.

    Returns
    -----
    int
        Support reference number ID.
        -1 indicates General Error.

    Examples
    -----

```

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> count = staad_obj.Support.CreateSupportFixed()
"""
return self._support.CreateSupportFixed()
```

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```
def CreateSupportPinned(self):
"""
Creates a pinned support (i.e., free to rotate about local y and z axis).

Returns
-----
int
    Support reference number ID.
    -1 indicates General Error.

Examples
-----
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> count = staad_obj.Support.CreateSupportPinned()
"""
return self._support.CreateSupportPinned()
```

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```
def CreateSupportFixedBut(self, ReleaseSpec:list, SpringSpec:list):
"""
Creates fixed support with releases in specified directions or a spring

Returns
-----
int
    Support reference number ID.
    -1 indicates General Error.

Examples
-----
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> count = staad_obj.Support.CreateSupportFixedBut(ReleaseSpec, SpringSpec)
"""
release = make_safe_array_double_input(ReleaseSpec)
spring = make_safe_array_double_input(SpringSpec)
release_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(release, automation.VT_ARRAY | automation.VT_BYREF)
spring_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(spring, automation.VT_ARRAY | automation.VT_BYREF)
return self._support.CreateSupportFixedBut(release_vt, spring_vt)
```

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```
def GetSupportCount(self):
    """
    Get the total number of supported nodes in the current structure.

    Returns
    -----
    int
        Number of supported nodes.

    Examples
    -----
    >>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
    >>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
    >>> count = staad_obj.Support.GetSupportCount()
    """
    return self._support.GetSupportCount()
```

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```
def GetSupportNodes(self):
    """
    Get all supported node numbers.

    Returns
    -----
    list of int
        List of supported node numbers.

    Examples
    -----
    >>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
    >>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
    >>> nodes = staad_obj.Support.GetSupportNodes()
    """
    count = self.GetSupportCount()
    safe_list = make_safe_array_long(count)
    node_list = make_variant_vt_ref(safe_list, automation.VT_ARRAY | automa
    self._support.GetSupportNodes(node_list)
    return node_list[0]
```

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```
def GetSupportType(self, nodeNo: int):
    """
    Get the support type for the specified node.

    Parameters
    -----
    nodeNo : int
        Node number.
```

**Returns**  
-----  
**int**  
    Support type code.

**Examples**  
-----  

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> staad_obj.Support.GetSupportType(1)
"""
return self._support.GetSupportType(nodeNo)
```

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**def GetSupportInformation(self, nodeNo: int):**  
"""  
    Get support information for the specified node.  
  
**Parameters**  
-----  
**nodeNo : int**  
    Node number.  
  
**Returns**  
-----  
**tuple**  
    Returns a tuple consisting of support\_type, list of release specifici  
  
**Examples**  
-----  

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> stype, release, spring = staad_obj.Support.GetSupportInformation(1)
"""
release = make_safe_array_long(6)
spring = make_safe_array_double(6)
release_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(release, automation.VT_ARRAY | automation.VT_BYREF)
spring_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(spring, automation.VT_ARRAY | automation.VT_BYREF)
stype = self._support.GetSupportInformation(nodeNo, release_vt, spring_vt)
return stype, list(release_vt[0]), list(spring_vt[0])
```

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**def GetSupportUniqueID(self, supportNo: int):**  
"""  
    Get unique ID GUID string for a support item.  
  
**Parameters**  
-----  
**supportNo : int**

Support item number.

#### Returns

-----

`str`

GUID string.

#### Examples

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> staad_obj.Support.GetSupportUniqueID(2)
"""
return self._support.GetSupportUniqueID(supportNo)
```

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```
def SetSupportUniqueID(self, supportNo: int, guid: str):
```

"""

Set unique ID for a support item.

#### Parameters

-----

`supportNo : int`

Support item number.

`guid : str`

GUID string.

#### Returns

-----

`None`

#### Examples

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> staad_obj.Support.SetSupportUniqueID(2, "supportId")
"""
self._support.SetSupportUniqueID(supportNo, guid)
```

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```
def RemoveSupportFromNode(self, NodeIDs: list):
```

"""

Remove support from one or more nodes.

#### Parameters

-----

`NodeIDs : list of int`

List of node numbers from which to remove the support.

#### Returns

```
-----  
None
```

### Examples

```
-----  
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical  
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()  
>>> staad_obj.Support.RemoveSupportFromNode([1, 2, 3])  
"""  
  
safe_list = make_safe_array_long_input(NodeIDs)  
NodeIDs_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(safe_list, automation.VT_ARRAY | automation.VT_BYREF)  
self._support.RemoveSupportFromNode(NodeIDs_vt)
```

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```
def DeleteSupport(self, supportNo: int):  
    """
```

Remove a support item from the model.

### Parameters

```
-----  
supportNo : int  
    Support item number.
```

### Returns

```
-----  
bool  
    True if successful.
```

### Examples

```
-----  
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical  
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()  
>>> status = staad_obj.Support.DeleteSupport(2)  
>>> print(status)  
"""  
  
return self._support.DeleteSupport(supportNo)
```

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```
def GetSupportName(self, supportNo: int):  
    """
```

Get support string name.

### Parameters

```
-----  
supportNo : int  
    Support item number.
```

### Returns

```
-----  
str
```

Support name.

### Examples

```
-----
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> staad_obj.Support.GetSupportName(2)
"""
return self._support.GetSupportName(supportNo)
```

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def GetSupportInformationEx(self, nodeNo: int):

"""

Get extended support information for the specified node.

### Parameters

-----

nodeNo : int

Node number.

### Returns

-----

tuple

(supportNo, supportType, releaseSpec, springSpec)

- supportNo

Support item number.

- supportType

Support type code.

- releaseSpec

List of release specifications. ( = 1) or Fixed ( = 0) or Spring

- springSpec

List of spring specifications. [KFX, KFY, KFZ, KMX, KMY, KMZ]

### Examples

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
```

```
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
```

```
>>> staad_obj.Support.GetSupportInformationEx(1)
```

"""

```
supportNo = make_variant_vt()
```

```
supportNo_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(supportNo, automation.VT_I4)
```

```
supportType = make_variant_vt()
```

```
supportType_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(supportType, automation.VT_I4)
```

```
release = make_safe_array_long(6)
```

```
spring = make_safe_array_double(6)
```

```
release_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(release, automation.VT_ARRAY | automati
```

```
spring_vt = make_variant_vt_ref(spring, automation.VT_ARRAY | automati
```

```

        retval = self._support.GetSupportInformationEx(nodeNo, supportNo_ref, s
if not bool(retval):
    raise_os_error_if_error_code(-1)
return (supportNo_ref[0], supportType_ref[0], list(release_vt[0]), list


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```

def CreateInclinedSupport(self, inclinedType:int, refType:int, refNode:int,
"""
Create an inclined support.

Parameters
-----
inclinedType : int
    Type of the inclined support:
    +-----+-----+
    | Value | Inclined Type |
    +=====+=====+
    | 1     | Pinned      |
    +-----+-----+
    | 2     | Fixed       |
    +-----+-----+
    | 3     | FixedBut   |
    +-----+-----+
    | 4     | Enforced    |
    +-----+-----+
    | 5     | EnforcedBut |
    +-----+-----+

refType : int
    Type of the reference point:
    +-----+-----+
    | Value | Table Type
    +=====+=====+
    | 0     | fRefX, fRefY, fRefZ global distances from the joint
    +-----+-----+
    | 1     | fRefX, fRefY, fRefZ global coordinates of the reference
    +-----+-----+
    | 2     | a joint number ( vaRefNode) whose x, y, z global coord
    +-----+-----+

refNode : int
    Reference node number.
coord : list of float
    Reference coordinates. [X, Y, Z]
releaseSpec : list of float
    Release specification. Fixed (= 0) or Release (= 1) [FX, FY, FZ, MX, MY, MZ]
springSpec : list of float
    Spring specification. [KFX, KFY, KFZ, KMX, KMY, KMZ]

Returns
-----
int
    Support reference number ID.

```

## Examples

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> support_id = staad_obj.Support.CreateInclinedSupport(2, 2, 1, [0,0,0], 1)
>>> print(support_id)
"""
coord_vt = make_safe_array_double_input(coord)
release_vt = make_safe_array_double_input(releaseSpec)
spring_vt = make_safe_array_double_input(springSpec)
result = self._support.CreateInclinedSupport(inclinedType, refType, refCoord,
if result < 0:
    raise_os_error_if_error_code(result)
return result
```

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def `CreateElasticMat`(`self`, direction, subgrade, printFlag, springType):

"""

Create an elastic mat support.

### Parameters

-----

`direction` : int  
     Direction.  
`subgrade` : float  
     Subgrade modulus.  
`printFlag` : int  
     Print flag.  
`springType` : int  
     Spring type.

### Returns

-----

`int`  
     Support reference number ID.

## Examples

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> support_id = staad_obj.Support.CreateElasticMat(5, 20, 0, 1)
>>> print(support_id)
"""
return self._support.CreateElasticMat(direction, subgrade, printFlag, springType)
```

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def `GetCountOfElasticMat`(`self`):

"""

Get the total number of ElasticMat supports.

**Returns**  
-----  
**int**  
    Number of ElasticMat supports.

**Examples**

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> support_count = staad_obj.Support.GetCountOfElasticMat()
>>> print(support_count)
"""
return self._support.GetCountOfElasticMat()
```

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**def GetElasticMatDetail(self, supportid):**  
"""  
Get elastic mat support information for a specific support Id.

**Parameters**

-----  
**supportid : int**  
    Support reference ID.

**Returns**

-----  
**tuple**  
    (direction, subgrade, printFlag, springType, nodesCount)

- **direction : int**  

Value	Inclined Type
0	X Direction
1	Y Direction
2	Z Direction
3	X Only Direction
4	Y Only Direction
5	Z Only Direction

- **subgrade : float**  
    Subgrade modulus.

- **printFlag : bool**  
    Print flag. True if checked, False if not.

```

- springType : int
+-----+-----+
| Value | Spring Type   |
+=====+=====+
| 0     | None          |
+-----+-----+
| 1     | Compression only |
+-----+-----+
| 2     | Multi-linear    |
+-----+-----+

```

- nodesCount : int  
Number of nodes assigned to this support.

### Examples

```

-----
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> details = staad_obj.Support.GetElasticMatDetail(4)
>>> print(details)
"""

dir = make_variant_vt()
dir_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(dir, automation.VT_I4)
subgrade = make_variant_vt()
subgrade_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(subgrade, automation.VT_R8)
printFlag = make_variant_vt()
printFlag_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(printFlag, automation.VT_I4)
springType = make_variant_vt()
springType_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(springType, automation.VT_I4)
nodesCount = make_variant_vt()
nodesCount_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(nodesCount, automation.VT_I4)
self._support.GetElasticMatDetail(supportid, dir_ref, subgrade_ref, pri
return dir_ref[0], subgrade_ref[0], bool(printFlag_ref[0]), springType_

```

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```

def GetElasticMatAssignmentList(self, supportid):
"""
Get elastic mat support entity list for a specific support Id.

```

### Parameters

```

-----
supportid : int
    Support reference ID.

```

### Returns

```

-----
list of int
    List of node numbers.

```

### Examples

```

-----
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()

```

```
>>> node_list = staad_obj.Support.GetElasticMatAssignmentList(4)
>>> print(node_list)
"""

# Get node count first
_, _, _, _, nodesCount = self.GetElasticMatDetail(supportid)
if nodesCount == 0:
    return []
safe_list = make_safe_array_long(nodesCount)
node_list = make_variant_vt_ref(safe_list, automation.VT_ARRAY | automa
retval = self._support.GetElasticMatAssignmentList(supportid, node_list)
if not bool(retval):
    return []
return node_list[0]
```

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```
def RemoveElasticMat(self, supportid):
"""
Remove elastic mat support for a specific support Id.

Parameters
-----
supportid : int
    Support reference ID.
```

**Returns**  
-----  
bool  
True if successful.

#### Examples

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> status = staad_obj.Support.RemoveElasticMat(4)
>>> print(status)
"""

return self._support.RemoveElasticMat(supportid)
```

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```
def RemoveElasticMatFromNode(self, nodeid):
"""
Remove elastic mat support from a specific node.
```

**Parameters**  
-----  
nodeid : int  
Node number.

#### Returns

```

bool
    True if successful.

Examples
-----
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> status = staad_obj.Support.RemoveElasticMatFromNode(7)
>>> print(status)
"""
return bool(self._support.RemoveElasticMatFromNode(nodeid))

```

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```
def AssignSupportToEntityList(self, supportid, entitylist):
```

```
"""
```

Assign the specified support to an entity list.

#### Parameters

```
-----
```

`supportid` : int

Support reference ID.

`entitylist` : list of int

List of node or plate numbers.

#### Returns

```
-----
```

`bool`

True if successful.

#### Examples

```
-----
```

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
```

```
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
```

```
>>> status = staad_obj.Support.AssignSupportToEntityList(3, [41, 42])
```

```
>>> print(status)
"""


```

```
safe_list = make_safe_array_long_input(entitylist)
```

```
retval = self._support.AssignSupportToEntityList(supportid, safe_list)
```

```
return bool(retval)
```

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```
def CreatePlateMat(self, direction:int, subgrades, printFlag:bool, springTy
```

```
"""
```

Create a plate mat support.

#### Parameters

```
-----
```

`direction` : int

+-----+	-----+
Value	Inclined Type

```
+=====+=====
| 0   | X Direction |
+-----+
| 1   | Y Direction |
+-----+
| 2   | Z Direction |
+-----+
| 3   | X Only Direction |
+-----+
| 4   | Y Only Direction |
+-----+
| 5   | Z Only Direction |
+-----+
| 6   | All Direction |
+-----+
```

**subgrades** : list of float or float  
     Subgrade modulus value(s).

**printFlag** : bool  
     Print flag.

**springType** : int  
     Spring type.

**Returns**

-----

**int**  
     Support reference number ID. / 0 if error.

**Examples**

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> support_id = staad_obj.Support.CreatePlateMat(2, [20, 30, 40], False)
>>> print(support_id)
"""
if isinstance(subgrades, float):
    subgrades = [subgrades]
subgrades_vt = make_safe_array_double_input(subgrades)
return self._support.CreatePlateMat(direction, subgrades_vt, int(printFlag))
```

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```
def GetCountOfPlateMat(self):
    """
    Get the total number of plate mat supports.

    Returns
    -----
    int
        Number of plate mat supports.
```

**Examples**

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
```

```
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> support_count = staad_obj.Support.GetCountOfPlateMat()
>>> print(support_count)
"""
return self._support.GetCountOfPlateMat()
```

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```
def GetPlateMatSupportId(self, plateMatIndex):
```

```
"""
```

```
Get the plate mat support ID.
```

**Parameters**

```
-----
```

```
plateMatIndex : int
```

```
PlateMat index (starting from 0).
```

**Returns**

```
-----
```

```
int
```

```
Plate mat support ID.
```

**Examples**

```
-----
```

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
```

```
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
```

```
>>> support_id = staad_obj.Support.GetPlateMatSupportId(1)
```

```
>>> print(support_id)
```

```
"""

```

```
retval = self._support.GetPlateMatSupportId(plateMatIndex)
```

```
if retval < 0:
```

```
    raise_os_error_if_error_code(-1)
```

```
return retval
```

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```
def GetPlateMatDetail(self, plateMatNo):
```

```
"""
```

```
Get plate mat support information for a specific support Id.
```

**Parameters**

```
-----
```

```
plateMatNo : int
```

```
Plate mat support ID.
```

**Returns**

```
-----
```

```
tuple
```

```
(direction, subgrade1, subgrade2, subgrade3, printFlag, springType,
```

**Examples**

```
-----
```

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> details = staad_obj.Support.GetPlateMatDetail(1)
>>> print(details)
"""

direction = make_safe_array_int(1)
direction_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(direction, automation.VT_I4)
subgrade1 = make_safe_array_double(1)
subgrade1_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(subgrade1, automation.VT_R8)
subgrade2 = make_safe_array_double(1)
subgrade2_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(subgrade2, automation.VT_R8)
subgrade3 = make_safe_array_double(1)
subgrade3_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(subgrade3, automation.VT_R8)
printFlag = make_safe_array_int(1)
printFlag_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(printFlag, automation.VT_I4)
springType = make_safe_array_int(1)
springType_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(springType, automation.VT_I4)
nAssignedPlateCount = make_safe_array_int(1)
nAssignedPlateCount_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(nAssignedPlateCount, automation.VT_I4)
retval = self._support.GetPlateMatDetail(plateMatNo, direction_ref, subgrade1_ref, subgrade2_ref, subgrade3_ref, printFlag_ref, springType_ref, nAssignedPlateCount_ref)
if not bool(retval):
    raise_os_error_if_error_code(-1)
return (direction_ref[0], subgrade1_ref[0], subgrade2_ref[0], subgrade3_ref[0], printFlag_ref[0], springType_ref[0], nAssignedPlateCount_ref[0])
```

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def GetPlateMatAssignmentList(self, plateMatNo):  
 """  
 Get plate mat support entity list for a specific support Id.  
  
 Parameters  
 -----  
 plateMatNo : int  
 Plate mat support ID.  
  
 Returns  
 -----  
 list of int  
 List of plate numbers.  
  
 Examples  
 -----  
 >>> from openstaadpy import os\_analytical
 >>> staad\_obj = os\_analytical.connect()
 >>> plate\_list = staad\_obj.Support.GetPlateMatAssignmentList(1)
 >>> print(plate\_list)
 """
 # Get plate count first
 \_, \_, \_, \_, \_, nAssignedPlateCount = self.\_support.GetPlateMatDetail(plateMatNo, direction\_ref, subgrade1\_ref, subgrade2\_ref, subgrade3\_ref, printFlag\_ref, springType\_ref, nAssignedPlateCount\_ref)
 if nAssignedPlateCount == 0:
 return []
 safe\_list = make\_safe\_array\_long(nAssignedPlateCount)
 plate\_list = make\_variant\_vt\_ref(safe\_list, automation.VT\_ARRAY | automation.VT\_BYREF)
 retval = self.\_support.GetPlateMatAssignmentList(plateMatNo, plate\_list)

```
if not bool(retval):
    return []
return plate_list[0]
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def RemovePlateMat(self, supportId):
    """
    Remove plate mat support for a specific support Id.

    Parameters
    -----
    supportId : int
        Plate mat support ID.

    Returns
    -----
    bool
        True if successful.

    Examples
    -----
    >>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
    >>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
    >>> status = staad_obj.Support.RemovePlateMat(4)
    >>> print(status)
    """
    return bool(self._support.RemovePlateMat(supportId))
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def RemovePlateMatFromPlate(self, plateNo:int):
    """
    Remove plate mat support from a specific plate.

    Parameters
    -----
    plateNo : int
        Plate number.

    Returns
    -----
    bool
        True if successful.

    Examples
    -----
    >>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
    >>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
    >>> status = staad_obj.Support.RemovePlateMatFromPlate(56)
    >>> print(status)
```

```
    """
    return bool(self._support.RemovePlateMatFromPlate(plateNo))
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def CreateElasticFooting(self, length, width, direction, subgrade):
```

```
    """
    Create an elastic footing support.
```

#### Parameters

```
-----
```

```
length : float
```

```
    Length of footing.
```

```
width : float
```

```
    Width of footing.
```

```
direction : int
```

```
    Direction.
```

```
subgrade : float
```

```
    Subgrade modulus.
```

#### Returns

```
-----
```

```
int
```

```
    Support reference number ID.
```

#### Examples

```
-----
```

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> support_id = staad_obj.Support.CreateElasticFooting(5, 6, 2, 20)
>>> print(support_id)
"""

```

```
return self._support.CreateElasticFooting(length, width, direction, subg
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def GetCountOfElasticFooting(self):
```

```
    """
    Get the total number of elastic footing supports.
```

#### Returns

```
-----
```

```
int
```

```
    Number of elastic footing supports.
```

#### Examples

```
-----
```

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> count = staad_obj.Support.GetCountOfElasticFooting()
>>> print(count)
```

```
    """
    return self._support.GetCountOfElasticFooting()
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def GetElasticFootingDetail(self, supportid):
    """
    Get elastic footing support information for a specific support Id.
```

#### Parameters

-----

```
supportid : int
    Support reference ID.
```

#### Returns

-----

```
tuple
    (length, width, direction, subgrade, nodesCount)
```

#### Examples

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> details = staad_obj.Support.GetElasticFootingDetail(2)
>>> print(details)
"""

length = make_safe_array_double(1)
length_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(length, automation.VT_R8)
width = make_safe_array_double(1)
width_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(width, automation.VT_R8)
direction = make_safe_array_int(1)
direction_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(direction, automation.VT_I4)
subgrade = make_safe_array_double(1)
subgrade_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(subgrade, automation.VT_R8)
nodesCount = make_safe_array_int(1)
nodesCount_ref = make_variant_vt_ref(nodesCount, automation.VT_I4)
retval = self._support.GetElasticFootingDetail(supportid, length_ref, w:
if retval == 0:
    raise_os_error_if_error_code(-1)
return (length_ref[0], width_ref[0], direction_ref[0], subgrade_ref[0],
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def GetElasticFootingAssignmentList(self, supportid):
    """
    Get list of assigned node Ids for a specific elastic footing support Id
```

#### Parameters

-----

```
supportid : int
    Support reference ID.
```

**Returns**

-----

```
list of int
    List of node numbers.
```

**Examples**

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> node_list = staad_obj.Support.GetElasticFootingAssignmentList(3)
>>> print(node_list)
"""

_, _, _, _, nodesCount = self.GetElasticFootingDetail(supportid)
if nodesCount == 0:
    return []
safe_list = make_safe_array_long(nodesCount)
node_list = make_variant_vt_ref(safe_list, automation.VT_ARRAY | automa
retval = self._support.GetElasticFootingAssignmentList(supportid, node_
if retval == 0:
    return []
return node_list[0]
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def RemoveElasticFooting(self, supportid):
```

"""

Remove elastic footing support for a specific support Id.

**Parameters**

-----

```
supportid : int
    Support reference ID.
```

**Returns**

-----

```
bool
    True if successful.
```

**Examples**

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> status = staad_obj.Support.RemoveElasticFooting(3)
>>> print(status)
"""

return self._support.RemoveElasticFooting(supportid)
```

[\[docs\]](#)

```
def RemoveElasticFootingFromNode(self, nodeid):
```

"""

Remove elastic footing support from a specific node.

**Parameters**

-----

`nodeid : int`

Node number.

**Returns**

-----

`bool`

True if successful.

**Examples**

-----

```
>>> from openstaadpy import os_analytical
>>> staad_obj = os_analytical.connect()
>>> status = staad_obj.Support.RemoveElasticFootingFromNode(2)
>>> print(status)
"""
return self._support.RemoveElasticFootingFromNode(nodeid)
```

---