Problem 3 – Mathematics of Element Formulations showing analytical calculations

Part A) Derivation of Shape Functions for N_i where i = 1,2,3,4

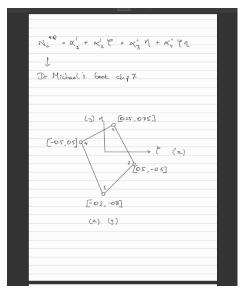


Figure 3.01: Derivation of Shape functions (page 1 of 9)

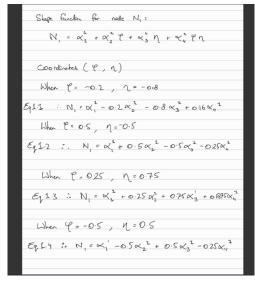


Figure 3.02: Derivation of Shape functions (page 2 of 9)

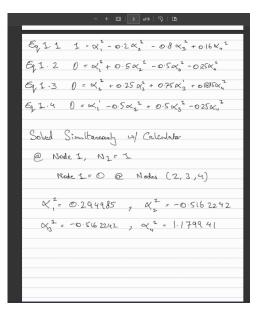


Figure 3.03: Derivation of Shape Functions (page 3 of 9)

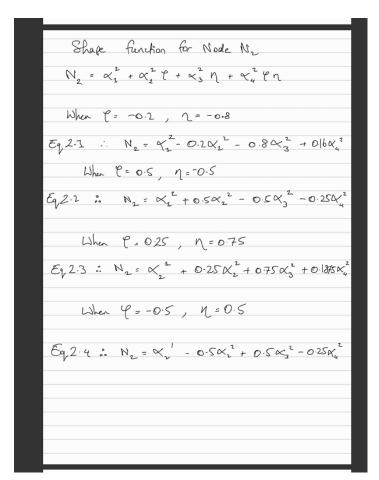


Figure 3.04: Derivation of Shape Functions (page 4 of 9)

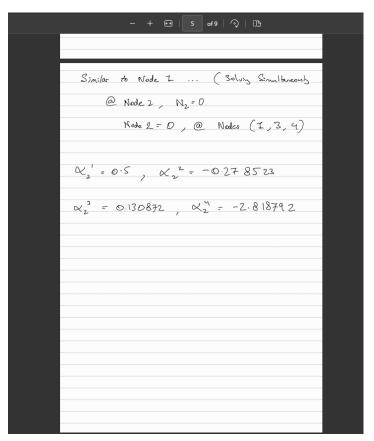


Figure 3.05: Derivation of Shape Functions (page 5 of 9)

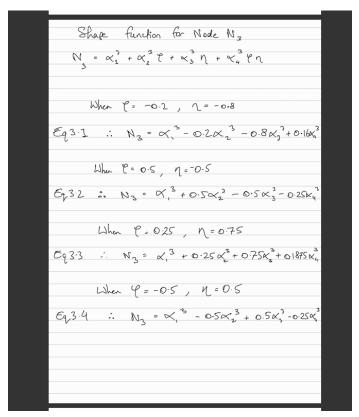


Figure 3.06: Derivation of Shape Functions (page 6 of 9)

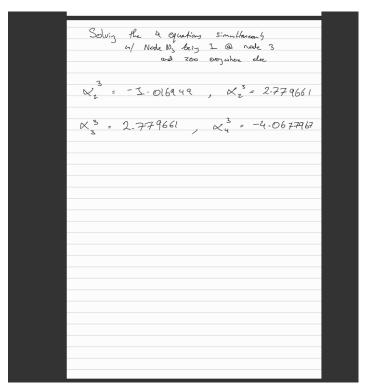


Figure 3.07: Derivation of Shape Functions (page 7 of 9)

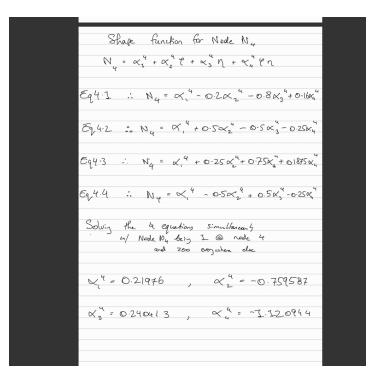


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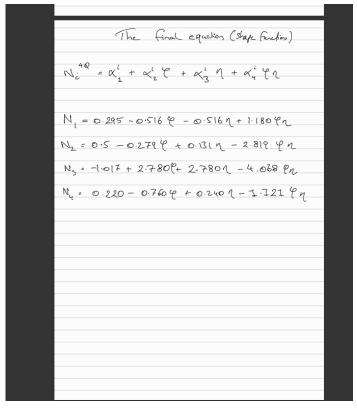


Figure 3.09: Derivation of Shape functions (page 9 of 9)

Figures 3.01 to 3.09 show the step-by-step derivation of the shape functions.

Part B) Shape function plot

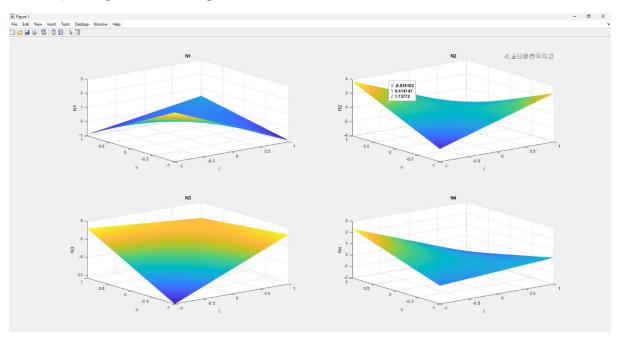


Figure 3.10: Shape Function plots

Part C) Derivation of Resulting Strain-Displacement Matrix, B

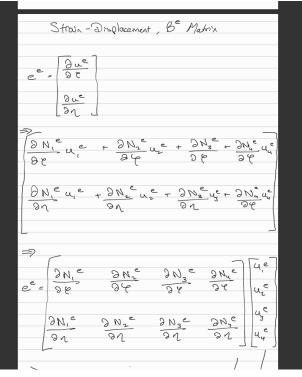
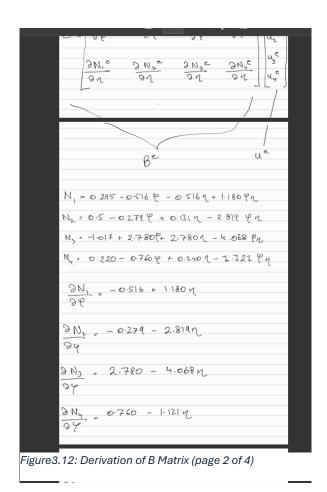


Figure 3.11: Derivation of B Matrix (page 1 of 4)



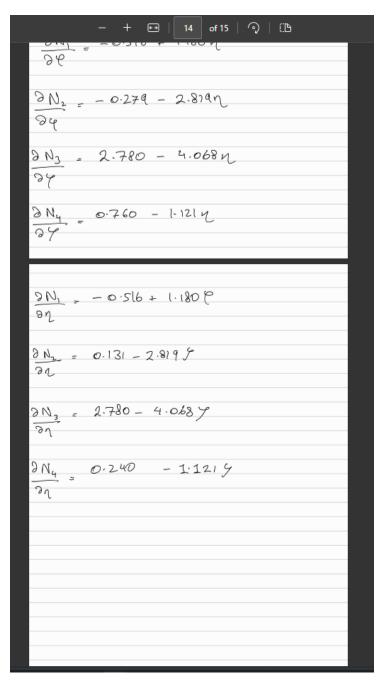


Figure 3.13: Derivation of B Matrix (page 3 of 4)

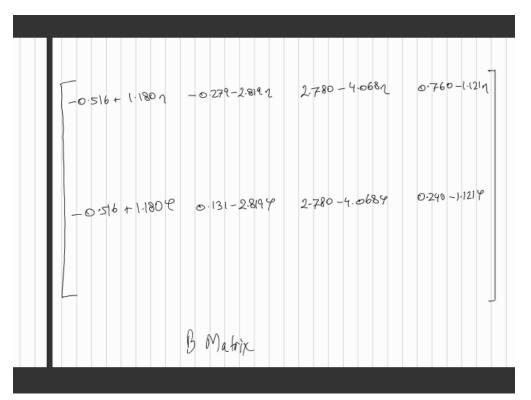


Figure 3.14: Derivation of B Matrix (page 4 of 4)

Part D) Stiffness Matrix, K

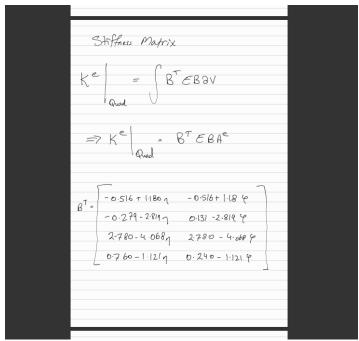


Figure 3.15: derivation of stiffness Matrix (page 1 of 1)

Figure 3.16: Matlab formulation of stiffness matrix, K