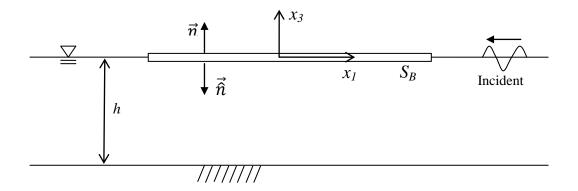
# Hydroelastic analysis of two dimensional floating structure



#### **Green function**

o For finite depth case:

$$G(x_{1},x_{3};\xi_{1},\xi_{3}) = \ln \sqrt{(x_{1}-\xi_{1})^{2} + (x_{3}-\xi_{3})^{2}} + \ln \sqrt{(x_{1}-\xi_{1})^{2} + (2h+x_{3}+\xi_{3})^{2}} - 2\ln h$$

$$-2P.V. \int_{0}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{(K+\tau)e^{-\tau h}\cosh\tau(\xi_{3}+h)\cosh\tau(x_{3}+h)\cos\tau\left|x_{1}-\xi_{1}\right|}{\tau(\tau\sinh\tau h - K\cosh\tau h)} + \frac{e^{-\tau h}}{\tau} \right] d\tau$$

$$+2\pi i \frac{(K+k_{0})e^{-k_{0}h}\cosh k_{0}(\xi_{3}+h)\cosh k_{0}(x_{3}+h)\cos k_{0}\left|x_{1}-\xi_{1}\right|}{k_{0}(\sinh k_{0}h + k_{0}h\cosh k_{0}h - Kh\sinh k_{0}h)}$$

$$(1)$$

where h = water depth

 $x_i$ ,  $\xi_i$  = spatial point, source point

P.V. = Cauchy principle value

 $K = \omega^2 / g$ ,  $k_0 \sinh k_0 h - K \cosh k_0 h = 0$ : dispersion relation

g = acceleration of gravity

 $\omega$  = angular frequency

 $\circ$  In series representation  $(x_3 = 0)$ :

$$G(x_1; \xi_1) = 2\pi \frac{iLke^{-ik|x_1 - \xi_1|}}{\frac{h}{L} \left( L^2k^2 - \left( \frac{L\omega^2}{g} \right)^2 \right) + \frac{L\omega}{g}} - 2\pi \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{L\overline{k}_n e^{-\overline{k}_n|x_1 - \xi_1|}}{\frac{h}{L} \left( L^2\overline{k}_n^2 + \left( \frac{L\omega^2}{g} \right)^2 \right) - \frac{L\omega}{g}}$$
(2)

where k = wave number

L =structure length

$$K + \overline{k}_n \tan \overline{k}_n h = 0, \ \overline{k}_n = ik_n$$

 $\overline{k}_n = \frac{\pi n - \theta_n}{h}$ : roots of dispersion equation

$$\theta_n = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{\omega^2 h / g}{\pi n - \theta_n} \right]$$

o For infinite depth case:

$$G(x_{1}, x_{3}; \xi_{1}, \xi_{3}) = \ln \sqrt{(x_{1} - \xi_{1})^{2} + (x_{3} - \xi_{3})^{2}} + P.V. \int_{0}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{(K + \tau)e^{\tau(x_{3} + \xi_{3})} \cos \tau \left| x_{1} - \xi_{1} \right|}{\tau (K - \tau)} - \frac{e^{-\tau}}{\tau} \right] d\tau + 2\pi i e^{K(x_{3} + \xi_{3})} \cos K \left| x_{1} - \xi_{1} \right|$$

$$(3)$$

### **Boundary integral equation**

 $\circ$  For  $\vec{x}$  on  $S_B(x_3=0)$ :

$$2\pi\phi(\vec{x}) - 2\pi\phi_I(\vec{x}) = \int_{S_B} \left[ \phi(\vec{\xi}) \frac{\partial G(\vec{x}, \vec{\xi})}{\partial n} - G(\vec{x}, \vec{\xi}) \frac{\partial \phi(\vec{\xi})}{\partial n} \right] dS_B \tag{4}$$

where  $\phi_I = i \frac{ga}{\omega} \frac{\cosh[k(x_3 + h)]}{\cosh kh} e^{ikx}$ : potential of incident wave

*a* = amplitude of incident wave

Using the body boundary condition and free surface boundary condition

$$\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n} = i\omega u_3 ,$$

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial n} = \frac{\partial G}{\partial x_3} = \frac{\omega^2}{g} G ,$$
(5)

equation (4) can be rewritten

$$2\pi\phi(\vec{x}) - 2\pi\phi_I(\vec{x}) = \int_{S_B} \left[ \phi(\vec{\xi}) \frac{\omega^2}{g} - i\omega u_3 \right] G(\vec{x}, \vec{\xi}) dS_B.$$
 (6)

The linearized Bernoulli equation is

$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{P}{\rho_{vv}} + gx_3 = 0 , \qquad (7)$$

where  $\rho_w =$  density of fluid.

For the steady state problem, we use

$$x_3 = U_3$$
,  $U_3 = u_3 e^{i\omega t}$ ,  $\Phi = \phi e^{i\omega t}$ ,  $P = p e^{i\omega t}$ , (8)

and then equation (7) becomes

$$i\omega\phi + \frac{p}{\rho_w} + gu_3 = 0 , \quad \phi = -\frac{p}{i\omega\rho_w} - \frac{gu_3}{i\omega} , \quad u_3 = -\frac{i\omega}{g}\phi - \frac{p}{\rho_w g} . \tag{9}$$

Using equation (9) in equation (6) gives

$$2\pi \left(\frac{i}{\omega \rho_w} p(\vec{x}) + \frac{ig}{\omega} u_3(\vec{x})\right) - 2\pi \phi_I(\vec{x}) = \int_{S_B} \frac{i\omega}{\rho_w g} p(\vec{\xi}) G(\vec{x}, \vec{\xi}) dS_B.$$
 (10)

Since  $\vec{x} = (x_1, 0, 0)^T$  and  $\vec{\xi} = (\xi_1, 0, 0)^T$ . Equation (10) can be rewritten

$$2\pi \left(\frac{i}{\omega \rho_w} p(x_1) + \frac{ig}{\omega} u_3(x_1)\right) - 2\pi \phi_I(x_1) = \int_{S_B} \frac{i\omega}{\rho_w g} p(\xi_1) G(x_1, \xi_1) dS_B. \tag{11}$$

## **Variational formulation**

 $\circ$  Structure part ( $\delta u_3$  = virtual displacement):

$$-\int_{V} \omega^{2} \rho_{s} u_{3}(\vec{x}) \delta u_{3}(\vec{x}) dV + \int_{V} \sigma(\vec{x}) \delta \varepsilon(\vec{x}) dV = \int_{S_{B}} p(\vec{x}) \delta u_{3}(\vec{x}) dS_{B}$$
 (12)

where  $\rho_s$  = density of structure

$$\sigma(\vec{x}) = \text{Stress}$$

$$\varepsilon(\vec{x}) = \text{strain}$$

In the Euler-Bernoulli beam theory,

$$\sigma(\vec{x}) \longrightarrow \sigma_{xx}(x_1) = E\varepsilon_{xx}(x_1) ,$$

$$\varepsilon(\vec{x}) \longrightarrow \varepsilon_{xx}(x_1) = -x_3 \frac{\partial^2 u_3(x_1)}{\partial x_1^2} ,$$
(13)

where E = modulus of elasticity.

Using equation (13) in equation (12) gives

$$-\int_{V} \omega^{2} \rho_{s} u_{3}(x_{1}) \delta u_{3}(x_{1}) dV + \int_{V} E x_{3}^{2} \frac{\partial^{2} u_{3}(x_{1})}{\partial x_{1}^{2}} \frac{\partial^{2} \delta u_{3}(x_{1})}{\partial x_{1}^{2}} dV = \int_{S_{R}} p(x_{1}) \delta u_{3}(x_{1}) dS_{B}.$$
 (14)

 $\circ$  Fluid part ( $\delta p$  = virtual pressure) :

$$\int_{S_B} 2\pi \frac{i}{\omega \rho_w} p(x_1) \delta p(x_1) dS_B + \int_{S_B} 2\pi \frac{gi}{\omega} u_3(x_1) \delta p(x_1) dS_B - \int_{S_B} 2\pi \phi_I(x_1) \delta p(x_1) dS_B$$

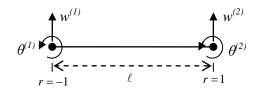
$$= \int_{S_B} \frac{i\omega}{\rho_w g} \int_{S_B} p(\xi_1) G(x_1, \xi_1) \delta p(x_1) dS_B dS_B$$
(15)

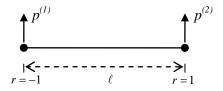
# **Discretization**

✓ Unknown DOF:  $\hat{p} = \text{pressure}, \hat{u}_{x} = \text{displacement}$ 

✓ Structure : 2-node Euler-Bernoulli beam element (2 DOF per node)

✓ Fluid : 2-node fluid element (1 DOF per node)





< 2-node Euler-Bernoulli beam element >

< 2-node fluid element >

 $\circ$  Hermitian cubic interpolation function ( $\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^{e}$ ):

$$\mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^{e} = \left[ h_{w^{(1)}} \ h_{\theta^{(1)}} \ h_{w^{(2)}} \ h_{\theta^{(2)}} \right]$$
 (16)

$$\text{where } \ h_{w^{(1)}} = \frac{1}{4}(1-r)^2(2+r) \ , \quad h_{\theta^{(1)}} = \frac{1}{8}\ell(1-r)^2(1+r) \ , \ h_{w^{(2)}} = \frac{1}{4}(1+r)^2(2-r) \ , \quad h_{\theta^{(2)}} = \frac{1}{8}\ell(1+r)^2(1-r)$$

The superscript e denotes the element.

 $\circ$  2-node interpolation function ( $\mathbf{H}^e$ ):

$$\mathbf{H}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} h^{(1)} & h^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$
where  $h^{(1)} = \frac{1}{2}(1-r), \quad h^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2}(1+r)$ 

• Interpolation scheme :

$$x_{1} = \mathbf{H}^{e} \hat{x}_{1}^{e} , \quad \hat{x}_{1}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{1}^{(1)} & x_{1}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}^{T}$$

$$\xi_{1} = \mathbf{H}^{e} \hat{\xi}_{1}^{e} , \quad \hat{\xi}_{1}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} \xi_{1}^{(1)} & \xi_{1}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}^{T}$$
(18)

Note that  $\xi_{\mathbf{l}}^{(i)}$  are identical to  $x_{\mathbf{l}}^{(i)}$ . The unknown DOF can be defined

$$p = \mathbf{H} \hat{\vec{p}} = \sum_{e=1}^{N} \mathbf{H}^{e} \hat{p}^{e}, \quad \hat{p}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} p^{(1)} & p^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}^{T},$$

$$u_{3} = \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \hat{\vec{u}}_{3} = \sum_{e=1}^{N} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^{e} \hat{u}_{3}^{e}, \quad \hat{u}_{3}^{e} = \begin{bmatrix} w^{(1)} & \theta^{(1)} & w^{(2)} & \theta^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}^{T}.$$

$$(19)$$

We can discretize equation (14) and (15) using equations (16)  $\sim$  (19).

### • Structure part :

$$\left(\omega^{2} \rho_{s} H \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^{T} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \det \mathbf{J} dr - \frac{EI}{B} \int_{-1}^{1} \left(\frac{\partial^{2} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}}{\partial r^{2}}\right)^{T} \left(\frac{\partial^{2} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}}{\partial r^{2}}\right) \det \mathbf{J} dr\right) \hat{\hat{u}}_{3} + \left(\int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^{T} \mathbf{H} \det \mathbf{J} dr\right) \hat{\hat{p}} = 0$$
(20)

where H = structure thickness

B = structure width

I =moment of inertia

 $\det \mathbf{J} = \text{determinant of Jacobian matrix } (= \ell/2)$ 

#### • Fluid part :

$$\left(\int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^{T} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \det \mathbf{J} dr\right) \vec{u}_{3} + \left(\frac{1}{\rho_{w}g} \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^{T} \mathbf{H} \det \mathbf{J} dr\right) \vec{\hat{p}} 
- \left(\frac{\omega^{2}}{2\pi\rho_{w}g^{2}} \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^{T}(s) \left(\int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}(r)G(x_{1}, \xi_{1}) \det \mathbf{J} dr\right) \det \mathbf{J} ds\right) \vec{\hat{p}} = a \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^{T} \exp(x_{1}) \det \mathbf{J} dr$$
(21)

# Final matrix form

We can obtain the final matrix form using equations (20) and (21):

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{S_M} \cdot \mathbf{S_K} & \mathbf{S_C} \\ \mathbf{F_C} & \mathbf{F_M} \cdot \mathbf{F_G} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{\hat{u}}_3 \\ \vec{\hat{p}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{\hat{0}} \\ \vec{\hat{F}}_I \end{bmatrix}, \tag{22}$$

where 
$$\mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{M}} = \omega^2 \rho_s H \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^T \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}} \det \mathbf{J} dr$$
,

$$\mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{K}} = \frac{EI}{B} \int_{-1}^{1} \left( \frac{\partial^{2} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}}{\partial r^{2}} \right)^{T} \left( \frac{\partial^{2} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}}{\partial r^{2}} \right) \det \mathbf{J} dr ,$$

$$\mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{C}} = \mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{C}}^T = \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}_{\mathbf{u}}^T \mathbf{H} \det \mathbf{J} dr$$
,

$$\mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{M}} = \frac{1}{\rho_{w}g} \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^{T} \mathbf{H} \det \mathbf{J} dr ,$$

$$\mathbf{F_{G}} = \frac{\omega^2}{2\pi\rho_w g^2} \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^T(s) \left( \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}(r) G(x_1, \xi_1) \det \mathbf{J} dr \right) \det \mathbf{J} ds,$$

$$\overline{\widehat{F}}_I = a \int_{-1}^{1} \mathbf{H}^T \exp(x_1) \det \mathbf{J} dr .$$

Note that the matrix form in the left hand side of equation (22) is symmetric. Now we can calculate hydrodynamic pressure and displacement. The total pressure can be divided

$$\vec{\hat{p}} = \vec{\hat{p}}_d + \vec{\hat{p}}_s + \vec{\hat{p}}_r, \tag{23}$$

where  $\overline{\hat{p}}_d = \text{diffraction pressure}$ ,

 $\hat{p}_s$  = hydrostatic pressure,

 $\hat{p}_r$  = radiation pressure.

Since diffraction effect happens when the waves encounter the fixed structure, we set  $\vec{u}_3 = 0$  in equation (22) and obtain the diffraction pressure

$$\vec{\hat{p}}_d = (\mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{M}} - \mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{G}})^{-1} \vec{\hat{F}}_I. \tag{24}$$

The hydrostatic pressure can be calculated

$$\vec{\hat{p}}_{s} = -\rho_{w} g \vec{\hat{u}}_{3} , \qquad (25)$$

and the radiation pressure is

$$\vec{\hat{p}}_r = \vec{\hat{p}} - \vec{\hat{p}}_d - \vec{\hat{p}}_s . \tag{26}$$

## **Complex response**

The nodal solution  $\vec{\hat{u}}_3$  consists of complex numbers and the steady state response is

$$\vec{\hat{U}}_{3} = \vec{\hat{u}}_{3}e^{i\omega t},$$
where  $\vec{\hat{u}}_{3} = \text{re}(\vec{\hat{u}}_{3}) + i \text{ im}(\vec{\hat{u}}_{3}),$ 

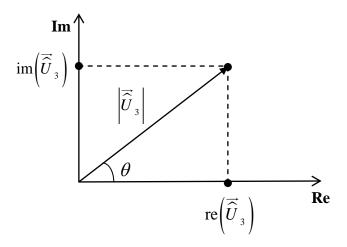
$$e^{i\omega t} = \cos\omega t + i \sin\omega t.$$
(27)

Equation (27) can be rewritten

$$\overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3} = \operatorname{re}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3}\right) + i \operatorname{im}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3}\right),$$
where  $\operatorname{re}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3}\right) = \operatorname{re}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{u}}_{3}\right) \cos \omega t - \operatorname{im}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{u}}_{3}\right) \sin \omega t,$ 

$$\operatorname{im}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3}\right) = \operatorname{im}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{u}}_{3}\right) \cos \omega t + \operatorname{re}\left(\overrightarrow{\widehat{u}}_{3}\right) \sin \omega t.$$
(28)

 $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$  is called the complex response. It is understood that the actual steady state motion will be given by either the real part of  $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$  or the imaginary part of  $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$  depending on  $\omega t$ .



< Complex response representation >

The magnitude and phase angle of  $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$  are

$$\left| \overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3} \right| = \sqrt{\left( \operatorname{re} \left( \overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3} \right) \right)^{2} + \left( \operatorname{im} \left( \overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3} \right) \right)^{2}} ,$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{\operatorname{im} \left( \overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3} \right)}{\operatorname{re} \left( \overrightarrow{\widehat{U}}_{3} \right)} .$$
(29)

Note that the actual steady state motion of  $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$  will be maximum when the phase  $\theta$  is zero and it is same with the magnitude of  $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$ . Mathematically, the magnitude of  $\overline{\hat{U}}_3$  is identical to magnitude of  $\overline{\hat{u}}_3$ :

$$\left| \overline{\widehat{U}}_{3} \right| = \sqrt{\left( \operatorname{re} \left( \overline{\widehat{u}}_{3} \right) \right)^{2} + \left( \operatorname{im} \left( \overline{\widehat{u}}_{3} \right) \right)^{2}} . \tag{30}$$

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# Example problem

In this section, we report an example. The structure and fluid properties are summarized in Tables 1 and 2. Using these properties, we can calculate the dimensionless parameters. The definitions and quantities of the dimensionless parameters are summarized in Table 3.

Fig 1 shows the real, imaginary and absolute values of displacement. Fig 2 shows the hydrodynamic pressure and each pressure component .

<Table 1> Structure properties

	Notation (unit)	Quantity
Structure length	L (m)	10
Structure width	B (m)	1
Structure thickness	H (m)	1
Modulus of elasticity	$E (N/m^2)$	$5.79 \times 10^3$
Moment of inertia	$I (m^4)$	8.33×10 <sup>-2</sup>
Density of structure	$\rho_s \text{ (kg/m}^3)$	8.57
Draft	d (m)	8.36×10 <sup>-3</sup>

<Table 2> Fluid properties

	Notation (unit)	Quantity
Density of fluid	$\rho_w \text{ (kg/m}^3)$	1025
Water depth	h (m)	1.1
Wave length	λ (m)	3.176
Wave number	k (rad/m)	1.979
Angular frequency	$\omega$ (rad/sec)	4.347
Amplitude of incident wave	<i>a</i> (m)	0.001

<Table 3> dimensionless parameters

Definition	Quantity	
$\delta = \frac{h}{L}$	0.11	
$\overline{K} = kL \tanh kL\delta$	19.2823	
$\beta^4 = \frac{EI}{\rho_w g L^4}$	4.8026×10 <sup>-6</sup>	

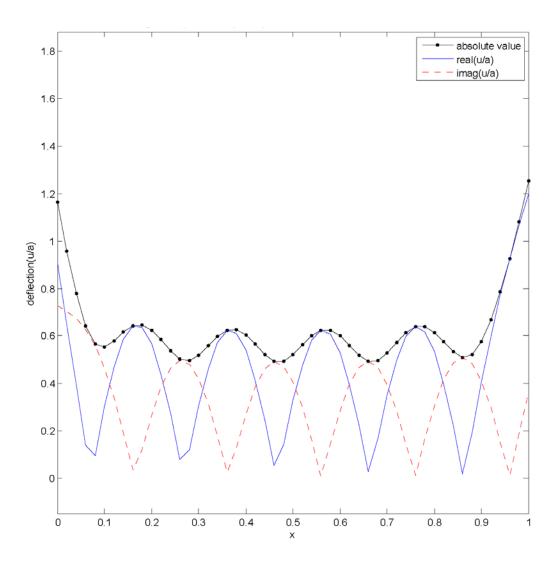


Fig 1. Displacement (heave)

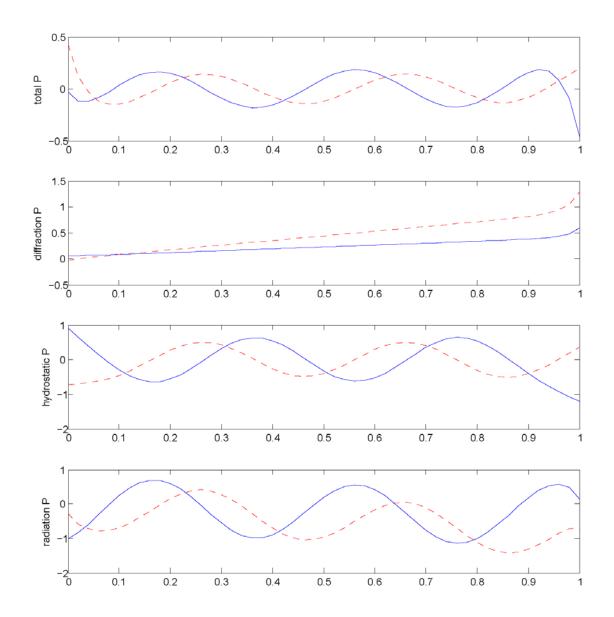


Fig 2. Total pressure and each pressure component

# Homework #6

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You can download the MATLAB code for the hydroelastic analysis of floating beam problems at the course website. However, the code does not have a completed function which calculates the coupling matrix  $S_c$  (or  $F_c^T$ ) in equation (22) as shown in Fig 1.

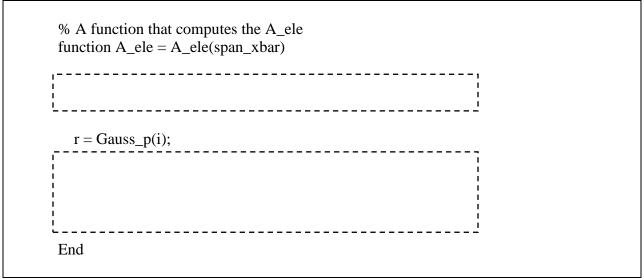


Fig 1. A function to calculate the coupling matrix

- (1) Fill in the blank of the MATLAB file : A\_ele.m.
- (2) Calculate and plot the displacement  $\vec{\hat{u}}_3$  and hydrodynamic pressure  $\vec{\hat{p}}$  for the example problem in the lecture note.
- (3) The hydroelastic response of floating beam structures depends on the dimensionless stiffness parameter  $\beta^4$ . Plot the displacement  $\hat{u}_3$  for the different  $\beta^4$  given in the Table 1 and discuss the results.

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Table 1. Dimensionless stiffness parameter  $\beta^4$ 

	Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
$\beta^4 = \frac{EI}{\rho_w g L^4}$	4.8026×10 <sup>-6</sup>	4.8026×10 <sup>-4</sup>	4.8026×10 <sup>-2</sup>