Tables that go with the "tank2/oneskirt" tank/skirt system

Table 1 Glossary of variables used in the generic case, "tank2" (This is part of the tank2.DEF file, created automatically by the GENOPT processor, GENTEXT, with use of information, variable names and one-line definitions provided by the GENOPT user.)

C_	ARRAY	Nı	UMBER	OF		PROMPT			
С	?	(R	OWS,C	OLS)	ROLE	NUMBER	NAME	DEFINITION OF VARIABLE	
C C=					•	tank2.PR	,		
C C	n	(0,	0)	 2	10	GRAV	= acceleration of gravity	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	20	DIAVEH	= diameter of launch vehicle	
C	n	į (0,	0)	2	30	AFTDIA	= diameter of the aft dome of the tank	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	2	35	AFTHI	= height of the aft dome of the tank	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	2	40	FWDDIA	= diameter of the forward dome of the tank	
С	n	(0,	0)	2	45	FWDHI	= height of the forward dome of the tank	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	2	50	FLTANK	= axial dist. from aft dome apex to fwd dome apex	
С	n	(0,	0)	2	55	ZAPEX	= global axial coordinate of the aft dome apex	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	60	DENPRP	<pre>= weight density of the propellant</pre>	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	2	65	ZCG	= global axial coordinate of the tank cg	
C	n	(0,	0)	1	70	THKAFT	= thickness of the tank aft dome skin	
С	n	(0,	0)	1	75	THKMID	= thickness of the tank cylinder skin	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	1	80	THKFWD	= thickness of the forward tank dome skin	
С	n	(0,	0)	1	90	STRSPC	= spacing of the tank orthogrid stringers	
C	n	(0,	0)	1	95	RNGSPC	= spacing of the tank orthogrid rings	
С	n	(0,	0)	1	100	STRTHK	= thickness of the tank orthogrid stringers	
C	n	(0,	0)	1	105	STRHI	= height of the tank orthogrid stringers	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	1	110	RNGTHK	= thickness of the tank orthogrid rings	
C	n	(0,	0)	1	115	RNGHI	= height of the tank orthogrid rings	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	2	125	ETANK	= Young's modulus of the cold tank material	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	130	NUTANK	= Poisson's ratio of the tank material	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	135	DENTNK	= mass density of the tank material	
С	n	(Ο,	0)	2	140	ALTNK	= coef.thermal expansion of tank material	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	150	IAXIS	= tank is vertical (1) or horizontal (2)	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	160	IZTANK	<pre>= skirt support ring number in ZTANK(IZTANK)</pre>	
C	У	(2,	0)	1	165	ZTANK	= global axial coordinate of tank support ring	
C	У	(2,	0)	1	170	ZGRND	<pre>= global axial coordinate of "ground"</pre>	
C	У	(2,	0)	2	180	RNGTYP	= propellant tank reinforcement type	
C	n	(0,	0)	2	190	IDUBAXL	= propellant tank reinforcement type number in	
DU	DUBAXL(IDUBAXL)								
C	У	(2,	0)	1	195	DUBAXL	<pre>= axial length of the propellant tank doubler</pre>	
C	У	(2,	0)	1	200	DUBTHK	= max.thickness of the propellant tank doubler	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	210	TRNGTH	= thickness of the tank reinforcement ring	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	215	TRNGHI	<pre>= height of the tank reinforcement ring</pre>	
С	У	(2,	0)	2	220	TRNGE	<pre>= hoop modulus of the tank ring</pre>	
С	У	(2,	0)	2	225	ALRNGT	<pre>= coef.of thermal expansion of the tank ring</pre>	
С	n	(0,	0)	2	235	ISKRTYP	<pre>= skirt type number in SKRTYP(ISKRTYP)</pre>	
С	У	(2,	0)	2	240	SKRTYP	= skirt type index	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	250	LNGTNK1	<pre>= tank-end length of one-layered skirt part</pre>	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	255	THKTNK1	= tank-end thickness of tapered skirt part	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	260	LNGTNK2	<pre>= tank-end length of tapered prongs</pre>	
C	У	(2,	0)	1	265	THKTNK2	<pre>= tank-end thickness of one tapered prong</pre>	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	270	LNGVEH1	= "ground" end length of one-layered skirt part	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	275	THKVEH1	= "ground"-end thickness of tapered skirt part	
C	У	(2,	0)	1	280	LNGVEH2	= "ground"-end length of tapered prongs	
С	У	(2,	0)	1	285	THKVEH2	= "ground"-end thickness of one tapered prong	

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300
                                             = type of wall constructions in skirt type SKRTYP
           2,
                 0)
                                    WALTYP
                 0)
           Ο,
                              310
                                    ITHICK = thickness index in THICK(ITHICK)
С
           15,
                 0)
                        1
                             315
                                    THICK
                                            = thickness of a lamina
           15,
С
                 0)
                             320
                                    ANGLE
                                            = layup angle
                       1
           15,
                 0)
С
                        2
                              325
                                    MATTYP
                                            = Material type
    У
           0,
                                    JLAYTYP = wall type number in LAYTYP(ILAYTYP, JLAYTYP)
С
                  0)
                        2
                              335
    n
                                    ILAYTYP = layer number in LAYTYP(ILAYTYP, JLAYTYP)
С
            0,
                  0)
                        2
                              340
    n
           90,
С
                        2
                              345
                                    LAYTYP = layer type index
    У
                  2)
           0,
С
                  0)
                        2
                             355
                                            = material type in E1(IE1)
    n
С
            2,
                              360
                                             = modulus in the fiber direction
                  0)
    У
С
                                            = modulus transverse to fibers
                 0)
                        2
                              365
                                    E2
    У
С
                        2
                             370
                                   G12
           2,
                 0)
                                            = in-plane shear modulus
                 0)
С
                        2
                              375
                                    NII
                                            = small Poisson's ratio
           2,
    У
            2,
                                            = x-z out-of-plane shear modulus
С
                 0)
                        2
                              380
                                    G13
    У
            2,
                  0)
                        2
                              385
                                    G23
                                            = y-z out-of-plane shear modulus
    У
                                    ALPHA1
                                            = coef.of thermal expansion along fibers
С
                        2
                              390
            2,
                 0)
    У
           2,
                 0)
С
                        2
                             395
                                    ALPHA2
                                            = coef.of thermal expan.transverse to fibers
    У
            2,
                 0)
С
                        2
                             400
                                    TEMTUR
                                             = curing delta temperature (positive)
    У
                 0)
С
                        2
                             405
                                    COND1
                                             = conductivity along the fibers
    У
            2,
С
            2,
                        2
                             410
                                    COND2
                                             = conductivity transverse to fibers
                 0)
    У
                 0)
С
            2,
                        2
                                    DENSTY
                                            = weight density of the material
                             415
    У
            0,
                                             = objective=WGT*(empty tank mass) +(1-
С
                 0)
                        2
                             425
                                    WGT
    n
WGT) * (conductance)
                                             = normalizing empty tank mass
                        2
                             430
С
    n
         (
            Ο,
                 0)
                                    TNKNRM
                                             = normalizing total skirt conductance
С
             0,
                        2
                              435
                                    CONNRM
    n
                  0)
                                             = IPHASE=1=launch phase; IPHASE=2=orbital phase
            0,
С
                  0)
                        2
                              445
                                    IPHASE
    n
         (
             Ο,
                             455
                                    NCASES
                                             = Number of load cases (number of environments)
                  0)
    n
         (
PRESS (NCASES)
                 0)
С
        (20,
                        3
                             460
                                    PRESS
                                             = propellant tank ullage pressure
                 0)
С
           20,
                             465
                                    GAXIAL
                                             = quasi-static axial q-loading
                        3
                              470
                                             = quasi-static lateral g-loading
С
           20,
                  0)
                        3
                                    GLATRL
    У
        (
                                    TNKCOOL = propellant tank cool-down from cryogen
С
    У
           20,
                  0)
                        3
                              475
                                            = vibration mode type in FREQ(NCASES, JFREQ)
С
                        2
                             485
    n
           Ο,
                 0)
                                    JFREO
С
         ( 20,
                                            = free vibration frequency (cps)
                 4)
                        4
                             490
                                    FREO
    У
                 4)
        (20,
С
                        5
                             495
                                    FREOA
                                            = minimum allowable frequency (cps)
    У
         ( 20,
                              500
                                    FREQF
                                             = factor of safety for frequency
                 4)
    У
С
                        2
                             510
                                    JSTRES1 = stress component number in STRES1(NCASES, JSTRES1)
           0,
                 0)
    n
С
         ( 20,
                        4
                             515
                                    STRES1
                                            = maximum stress in material 1
    У
                 6)
        (20,
                                    {\tt STRES1A} = maximum allowable stress in material 1
С
                 6)
                        5
                              520
    У
                                   STRES1F = factor of safety for stress, matl 1 STRES2 = maximum stress in material 2
С
           20,
                        6
                              525
                  6)
    У
                             530
С
    У
         (
           20,
                  6)
                        4
                                    STRES2A = maximum allowable stress in material 2
С
                              535
           20,
                        5
    У
                  6)
         ( 20,
                                    STRES2F = factor of safety for stress, matl 2
С
                  6)
                        6
                              540
    У
С
            0,
                  0)
                             550
                                    JSHLBUK = skirt number (1 for aft skirt) in
    n
         (
SHLBUK (NCASES, JSHLBUK)
С
                        4
                             555
                                    SHLBUK
                                             = buckling of skirt as a shell
         (20,
                 2)
           20,
С
                        5
                              560
                                    SHLBUKA = allowable for shell buckling of skirt
                  2)
    У
          20,
                              565
                                    SHLBUKF = factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt
С
                  2)
                        6
    У
        (
С
    У
         (
           20,
                  2)
                        4
                              570
                                    FORCE
                                            = launch-hold force in a skirt
                                    FORCEA = maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt
С
                              575
    У
           20,
                 2)
                        5
С
         ( 20,
                             580
                                    FORCEF = factor of safety for launch-hold force
                        6
                 2)
    У
                                    TNKSTR = maximum stress in the propellant tank
С
        (20,
                 2)
                        4
                             585
    У
С
        (20,
                2)
                        5
                             590
                                    TNKSTRA = allowable for propellant tank stress
    У
С
                             595
                                    TNKSTRF = factor of safety for tank stress
         (20,
                 2)
                        6
    У
С
         (20,
                 2)
                       4
                             600
                                    TNKBUK = propellant tank buckling load factor
           20,
                                    TNKBUKA = allowable for propellant tank buckling
С
                  2)
                        5
                             605
    У
                                   TNKBUKF = factor of safety for tank buckling
CONDCT = WGTXTOTMAS/TNKNRM +(1-WGT)xCONDCT/CONNRM
           20,
                  2)
                        6
                              610
    У
         (
                       7
            Ο,
                  0)
                              620
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Table 2 The file, test.PRO, generated automatically by GENOPT using the variable names, one-line definitions, and "help" paragraphs supplied by the GENOPT user during his/her interactive GENTEXT session. (This text will be seen by the End user. Therefore, it should be as free of jargon as possible.)

5.0

This is a computer program that uses GENOPT and BIGBOSOR4 to find the optimum design of advanced laminated composite skirts that support the propellant tank. The tank is carried by a booster that imparts a certain ultimate peak axial acceleration and a certain ultimate peak lateral acceleration. The minimum free vibration frequency must be greater than some specified value. The tank is assumed to be either cylindrical with domed ends. It is made of isotropic material. It may have locally thickened regions and stiffening rings to handle the concentrated loads applied by the skirts.

The three parts of the propellant tank (1. aft dome, 2. cylindrical middle, 3. forward dome) have internal orthogrid stiffening that is "smeared out" in all the BIGBOSOR4 models. In the BIGBOSOR4 models the smeared orthogrid stiffeners are treated as an orthotropic layer of constant thickness. The tank wall is modeled as consisting of three layers: Innermost layer: smeared orthogrid of thickness equal to the height of the orthogrid stiffeners and stiffness and density equal to the tank wall material "E" & "rho" multiplied by (orthogrid stiffener thickness)/(stiffener spacing) Middle layer: constant thickness that may differ in each of the three parts of the propellant tank Outer layer: variable thickness that represents tapered doublers attached to the outer wall of the propellant tank centered on axial locations where supporting skirts are attached to external rings that are part of the tank. The BIGBOSOR4 shell wall type, NWALL = 9, is used in order to simulate this three-layered construction. NWALL = 9 is the BIGBOSOR4 option for a laminated composite wall in which one or more of the layers may have thickness that varies along the meridian.

In the free vibration BIGBOSOR4 model the mass of the fluid in the tank is "lumped" into the constant-thickness middle layer of the three-layered orthotropic wall. For the

cylindrical part of the propellant tank the "effective" wall skin density, rho(add), to be added to the material density is obtained from the relationship:
(cylindrical tank volume)xrho(propellant) =
(volume occupied by shell wall skin)xrho(add)
or, for a cylindrical shell:
pi x r^2 x L x rho(propellant) = 2 x pi x r x L x t x rho(add)
which leads to rho(add) = 0.5 x r/t x rho(propellant)
For a spherical dome, we have:
(4/3) x pi x r^3 x rho(propellant) = 4 x pi x r^2 x t x rho(add)
which leads to rho(add) = 0.333 x r/t x rho(propellant)

There are laminated composite skirts attached to the tank at one or two axial locations.

10.1 acceleration of gravity: GRAV

10.2

Example: 386.4 inches/sec^2

15.0

There are many variables with role types 1 and 2 (role type 1 means a decision variable candidate; role type 2 means a constant that is not an environmental variable such as a load and that is not a behavioral variable, an allowable, or a factor of safety.

The role type 1 and role type 2 variables are organized as follows:

1. The launch vehicle diameter: DIAVEH

2. The propellant tank dimensions and properties:

AFTDIA = diameter of the aft dome of the tank

AFTHI = height of the aft dome of the tank

FWDDIA = diameter of the forward dome of the tank

FWDHI = height of the forward dome of the tank

FLTANK = axial distance from the aft dome apex to the forward dome apex

ZAPEX = global axial coordinate of the aft dome apex

DENPRP = weight density of the propellant

ZCG = global axial coordinate of the tank center of gravity

THKAFT = thickness of the tank aft dome skin

THKMID = thickness of the tank cylinder skin

THKFWD = thickness of the forward tank dome skin

STRSPC = spacing of the internal tank orthogrid stringers

RNGSPC = spacing of the internal tank orthogrid rings

STRTHK = thickness of the tank orthogrid stringers

STRHI = height of the tank orthogrid stringers

RNGTHK = thickness of the tank orthogrid rings
RNGHI = height of the tank orthogrid rings
ETANK = Young's modulus of the cold tank
NUTANK = Poisson's ratio of the tank material
DENTNK = mass density of the tank material
ALTNK = coefficient of thermal expansion of the tank material

- 3. Orientation of the propellant tank in the launch vehicle: IAXIS = 1 means tank is vertical; 2 means tank is horizontal
- 4. Propellant tank support rings:
 IZTANK = tank skirt support ring number
 ZTANK = global axial coordinate of a tank support ring
 ZGRND = global axial coordinate of "ground" (launch vehicle)
 for skirt attached at ZTANK
- 5. Dimensions of skirt types:

 SKRTYP = index for the type of skirt

 LNGTNK1 = tank-end length of one-layered skirt part

 THKTNK1 = tank-end thickness of tapered skirt part

 LNGTNK2 = tank-end length of tapered prongs

 THKTNK2 = tank-end thickness of one tapered prong

 LNGVEH1 = "ground" end length of one-layered skirt part

 THKVEH1 = "ground"-end thickness of tapered skirt part

 LNGVEH2 = "ground"-end length of tapered prongs

 THKVEH2 = "ground"-end thickness of one tapered prong
- 6. Properties of the propellant tank reinforcement
 corresponding to each tank reinforcement type:
 RNGTYP = propellant tank reinforcement type
 IDUBAXL= reinforcement type number
 DUBAXL = axial length of the propellant tank tapered doubler
 that is centered on each propellant tank support ring
 DUBTHK = maximum thickness of the tapered propellant tank doubler
 TRNGTH = thickness of the propellant tank support ring
 TRNGHI = height of the propellant tank support ring
 TRNGE = hoop modulus of the propellant tank support ring
 ALRNGT = coefficient of thermal expansion of the tank ring
- 7. Properties of the walls of the composite skirts:
 JWALTYP= 1 means launch skirt; 2 means orbital skirt
 IWALTYP= skirt wall type number
 WALTYP = type of laminated composite skirt wall
 ITHICK = index for type of unidirectional composite ply
 THICK = thickness of lamina of type ITHICK
 ANGLE = layup angle of lamina of type ITHICK
 MATTYP = material type of lamina of type ITHICK
 JLAYTYP= wall type number

ILAYTYP= layer number
LAYTYP = layer type index for layer number ILAYTYP and
wall type number JLAYTYP

- 8. Properties of composite material of which the launch skirts are fabricated:
- IE1 = material type number
- E1 = modulus in the fiber direction in material type IE1
- E2 = modulus transverse to fibers in material type IE1
- G12 = in-plane shear modulus of material type IE1
- NU = minor Poisson ratio of material type IE1
- G13 = x-z out-of-plane shear modulus in material type IE1
- G23 = y-z out-of-plane shear modulus in material type IE1
- ALPHA1 = coefficient of thermal expansion along fibers
- ALPHA2 = coefficient of thermal expansion transverse to fibers
- TEMTUR = curing delta temperature in material type IE1
- COND1 = conductivity along the fibers in material type IE1
- COND2 = conductivity transverse to fibers in material IE1
- DENSTY = weight density of material type IE1
- 9. Elements that are used in the expression for the objective: WGT = weighting coefficient used in the expression for the objective:
- objective = WGTx(normalized empty tank mass)
- + (1-WGT)x(normalized total skirt conductance)
- TNKNRM = normalizing empty tank mass
- CONNRM = normalizing total skirt conductance
- 10. Mission phase index:
- IPHASE = 1 means launch phase of the mission
- IPHASE = 2 means orbital phase of the mission
- 20.1 diameter of launch vehicle: DIAVEH
- 20.2

Diameter of the launch vehicle

The launch vehicle must have a larger diameter than the propellant tank, of course, because it carries the propellant tank. The propellant tank end of the skirts are located on the tank reference surface at the axial attachment point of a ring the centroidal diameter of which is equal to the diameter of the aft dome plus 2 x ECCR, in which ECCR is the radial eccentricity of the support ring attached to the propellant tank.

25.0

The supported mass, what is called here "the tank", is assumed to have domed ends with elliptical cross sections. You will be

asked to provide the height and diameter of each of the two domed ends.

Next, you will be asked to provide the diameter of the aft dome of the tank.

- 30.1 diameter of the aft dome of the tank: AFTDIA
- 30.2

This is the length of the major axis of the ellipsoidal dome.

- 35.1 height of the aft dome of the tank: AFTHI
- 35.2

This is the length of the semi-minor axis of the ellipsoidal dome.

- 40.1 diameter of the forward dome of the tank: FWDDIA
- 40.2

This is the length of the major axis of the ellipsoidal dome. In most cases FWDDIA will be equal to AFTDIA and the middle part of the tank connecting the aft and forward domes will be cylindrical.

- 45.1 height of the forward dome of the tank: FWDHI
- 45.2

This is the length of the semi-minor axis of the ellipsoidal dome.

- 50.1 axial dist. from aft dome apex to fwd dome apex: FLTANK
- 50.2

FLTANK is needed in order to determine if the attachment points of the skirts to the tank are located within the aft or forward domes. NOTE: So far in this study it is assumed that no skirts are attached to either end dome of the propellant tank. All skirts are attached to the cylindrical part of the propellant tank.

- 55.1 global axial coordinate of the aft dome apex: ZAPEX
- 55.2

This quantity is needed in order to determine if the attachment points of the skirts to the tank are located within the aft or forward domes of the tank.

- 60.1 weight density of the propellant: DENPRP
- 60.2

e.g. weight density of aluminum is 0.1 lb/in³ Examples: LH2 = 4.43 lb/ft³ = 0.00256366 lb/in³ LOX = 71.3 lb/ft³ = 0.0412616 lb/in³

- 65.1 global axial coordinate of the tank cg: ZCG
- 65.2

"cg" = center of gravity

70.1 thickness of the tank aft dome skin: THKAFT 70.2

The thickness is assumed to be constant. It is the middle layer of the BIGBOSOR4 three-layered NWALL=9 model of the tank wall, in which the inner layer represents the smeared orthogrid stiffeners and the outer layer represents the tapered doublers. The middle layer of thickness THKAFT is the layer into which is "lumped" the propellant mass.

- 75.1 thickness of the tank cylinder skin: THKMID 75.2
 - This thickness is constant. This is the thickness into which is "lumped" the propellant mass.
- 80.1 thickness of the forward tank dome skin: THKFWD 80.2
 - This thickness is constant. This is the thickness into which is "lumped" the propellant mass.
- 85.0
- All three parts of the tank wall (domes & cyl.) are stiffened internally in what is called an "orthogrid" style. There are internal rings and stringers of rectangular cross sections. The orthogrid stiffeners are "smeared out" in all the models used in this study. The "smeared" orthogrid is modeled as the innermost layer of the tank wall in the BIGBOSOR4 model. The decision variable candidates associated with this internal smeared grid stiffening are:
- 1. STRSPC = spacing of the stringers (axial stiffeners)
- 2. RNGSPC = spacing of the rings
- 3. STRTHK = stringer thickness (dimension parallel to skin)
- 4. STRHI = stringer height (dimension normal to skin)
- 5. RNGTHK = ring thickness (dimension parallel to skin)
- 6. RNGHI = ring height (dimension normal to skin) RNGHI should be equal to STRHI.

This internal orthogrid is smeared out in models of the propellant tank. The smeared orthogrid is treated as the innermost layer (layer 1) of the propellant tank wall. The properties of the propellant tank wall are formatted in the NWALL = 9 option of BIGBOSOR4. NWALL = 9 means "layered orthotropic wall in which one or more of the layers has thickness that varies along the meridian". The thickness of the smeared orthogrid layer is equal to the height of the orthogrid stringers and rings, and the "effective" moduli, E1 and E1, and density are equal to the

stiffness and density of the material muliplied by (stiffener thickness)/(stiffener height).

NOTE: There are two types of rings that enter this model:

- 1. The internal rings that are part of the orthogrid stiffening, and $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right$
- 2. The external rings to which the support skirts are attached. Please don't get them confused!
- 90.1 spacing of the tank orthogrid stringers: STRSPC 90.2

"Stringers" are meridionally oriented stiffeners. the spacing is in the circumferential direction. The fact that in the two domes the circumferential spacing of meridional stiffeners varies from base to apex of a dome is ignored. In the model the internal orthogrid is smeared and the spacing at the equator of the dome is used for the entire dome. A dome could possibly be fabricated in which this is approximately true.

- 95.1 spacing of the tank orthogrid rings: RNGSPC
- The orthogrid is smeared out in all models and is treated as if it were Layer No. 1 in a two-layered orthotropic tank (NWALL = 9 in BIGBOSOR4 jargon).
- 100.1 thickness of the tank orthogrid stringers: STRTHK 100.2

This is the dimension measured parallel to the tank skin.

- 105.1 height of the tank orthogrid stringers: STRHI
- This is the dimension measured normal to the tank skin. It is the dimension from the inner surface of the tank skin to the tip of the stringer
- 110.1 thickness of the tank orthogrid rings: RNGTHK 110.2
 - This is the dimension of the internal ring stiffener measured parallel to the tank skin. NOTE: the "tank ring" we are referring to here is one of the regularly spaced internal rings that form part of the internal orthogrid stiffening on the cylindrical part of the propellant tank, not one of the external rings to which the support skirts are attached.
- 115.1 height of the tank orthogrid rings: RNGHI 115.2

Note that here we are referring to part of the orthogrid

stiffening inside the wall of the propellant tank, not one of the external rings to which the support skirts are attached. RNGHI should be equal to STRHI.

- 120.0
- Next, you will be asked to provide the material properties of the propellant tank. Use the material properties that are appropriate when the tank is filled with cryogen.
- 125.1 Young's modulus of the cold tank material: ETANK
- 125.2

Make sure to use the properties that hold for the propellant tank in its cold condition, that is, after it has been filled with cryogen.

- 130.1 Poisson's ratio of the tank material: NUTANK
- 130.2

Example: 0.3 for aluminum.

- 135.1 mass density of the tank material: DENTNK
- 135.2

For example, aluminum has DENTNK = 0.00025 lb/in^3

- 140.1 coef.thermal expansion of tank material: ALTNK
- 140.2

What is wanted here is the average coefficient of thermal axial expansion between the bottom & top propellant tank support rings. The thermal axial contraction between these rings is included in the stress and buckling analyses of the supporting skirts. Units of ALTNK are "per degree xxx". The temperature difference between the portion of the propellant tank between the two tank support rings must afterward be given in units consistent with the coefficient of thermal axial expansion, of course.

145.0

Next, you will be asked whether the propellant tank is oriented axially or lying on its side in the launch vehicle. This orientation is specified by the value of an integer, IAXIS, being 1 or 2:

IAXIS = 1 means that the axis of the propellant tank is aligned with the axis of the launch vehicle.

IAXIS = 2 means that the axis of the propellant tank is oriented 90 degrees from the axis of the launch vehicle.

150.1 tank is vertical (1) or horizontal (2): IAXIS

150.2

IAXIS = 1 means that the axis of the propellant tank is aligned with the axis of the launch vehicle.

IAXIS = 2 means that the axis of the propellant tank is oriented at 90 degrees with respect to the axis of the launch vehicle.

155.0

The tank is assumed to be supported by up to 2 skirts, one attached at the aft end of the cylindrical part of the propellant tank and the other attached at the forward end of the cylindrical part of the propellant tank.

For each tank support skirts you will be asked to provide the following input data:

- 1. The axial locations and properties of the structural rings to which the propellant-tank-ends of the skirts are attached. These rings are part of the propellant tank.
- 2. The axial lengths of tapered doublers added to the propellant tank wall that are centered on the line of attachment of the propellant tank support ring to the tank shell.
- 3. The maximum thicknesses of these tapered reinforcing doublers.
- 4. Thermal expansion coefficients of the tank and the tank support rings.
- 5. Lengths and thicknesses pertaining to two short parts of each skirt nearest the propellant tank.
- 6. Lengths and thicknesses pertaining to two short parts of each skirt nearest the launch vehicle ("ground").
- 7. For each supporting skirt:
- 7.1 number of layers through the skirt thickness
- 7.2 layer type indicator for each layer
- 7.3 For each new layer type;
- 7.3.1 thickness
- 7.3.2 winding (layup) angle
- 7.3.3 material type indicator
- 8. Material properties for each material type. The skirts are fabricated of laminated composite material.

Next, you will see the prompt:

"Number IZTANK of rows in the array ZTANK: IZTANK"
Want is wanted is the number of axial locations at which
skirts are to be attached to the propellant tank.
With long propellant tanks IZTANK should probably be 2
With spherical or ellipsoidal tanks a choice of IZTANK = 1
is probably best.

160.1 Number IZTANK of rows in the array ZTANK: IZTANK

165.1 global axial coordinate of tank support ring: ZTANK 165.2

Must be a positive number. Use the attachment line of the tank support ring to the tank as the reference measure, not the ring centroidal axis.

NOTE: IF THERE IS ONLY ONE SKIRT, PUT ZTANK
AT AN AXIAL STATION NEAR THE LOCATION OF THE TANK C.G.
ANOTHER NOTE: Do not put the ring exactly at the apex of the
tank dome. If the ring is in the dome make sure that it is
some distance from the dome apex. If it is at the apex a
singularity will occur and the computations will be meaningless.

170.1 global axial coordinate of "ground": ZGRND 170.2

This is the global axial coordinate of the end of a skirt that is connected to "ground", that is, the end of a skirt that is connected to the launch vehicle, which is assumed to be rigid in this study..

175.0

Next, you will be asked to provide the propellant tank reinforcement type. A given propellant tank reinforcement type is associated with the following "bundle" of properties:

1. the doubler length and max. thickness: DUBAXL and DUBTHK

2. the ring cross section properties: ring thickness (TRNGTH), ring height (TRNGHI), ring elastic modulus (TRNGE), and ring coefficient of thermal expansion (ALRNGT).

180.1 propellant tank reinforcement type: RNGTYP 180.2

The propellant tank reinforcement type is associated with the bundle of tapered doubler and discrete ring properties.

185.0

Next, you will be asked to provide the axial lengths of doublers associated with each propellant tank support ring. The propellant tank end of each skirtt is associated not only with a propellant tank support ring but also with a region in the neighborhood of this ring where the propellant tank is thicker than elswhere because of a tapered doubler added to the outside of the propellant tank skin.

You will next see the following prompt:
"Number IDUBAXL of rows in the array DUBAXL: IDUBAXL"
What is wanted is the number of different reinforcement types.
In most cases IDUBAXL should probably be 1

190.1 Number IDUBAXL of rows in the array DUBAXL: IDUBAXL 195.1 axial length of the propellant tank doubler: DUBAXL

195.2

This is the axial length of the axisymmetric doubler

200.1 max.thickness of the propellant tank doubler: DUBTHK 200.2

The tapered doubler is centered at the axial location of the propellant tank support ring with which it is associated. The maximum thickness, DUBTHK, of the tapered doubler occurs at the same axial location as the external discrete ring. This is the additional thickness to be added to the nominal tank thickness that exists in regions remote from each propellant tank support ring. In axial regions where tapered doublers exist the BIGBOSOR4 tank wall model has three layers: innermost layer = smeared orthogrid; middle layer = tank skin of thickness, THKAFT or THKMID or THKFWD; outermost layer = tapered doubler.

205.0

Next, you will be asked to provide properties of the external rings near which the propellant tank end of the support skirts are attached. You will be asked for the following:

TRNGTH = thickness of the propellant tank support ring
TRNGHI = height of the propellant tank support ring
You must provide these two properties of the propellant
tank support rings for each propellant tank reinforcement
type. The propellant tank support rings have rectangular
cross sections.

TRNGE = elastic modulus of the propellant tank support ring ALRNGT = coefficient of thermal expansion of the ring

210.1 thickness of the tank reinforcement ring: TRNGTH 210.2

This ring is part of the propellant tank reinforcement The propellant tank end of the skirt is attached to the tank reference surface at the ring attachment point. TRNGTH is the dimension of the ring measured parallel to the tank skin. The ring is attached to the outer surface of the tank skin. (Not the outer surface of the doubler, but the outer surface of the part of the tank skin of thickness THKMID.)

215.1 height of the tank reinforcement ring: TRNGHI 215.2

TRNGHI is the dimension of the ring measured normal to the tank skin.

220.1 hoop modulus of the tank ring: TRNGE

220.2

The hoop modulus is the stiffness/area of the tank support ring in units, for example, of lb/in**2.

225.1 coef.of thermal expansion of the tank ring: ALRNGT 225.2

What is wanted here is the coefficient of thermal radial expansion of the propellant tank support ring. The thermal radial contraction of each propellant tank support ring is included in the stress and buckling analyses of the supporting skirts. Units of ALRNGT are "per degree xxx". Use consistent units for this quantity and the temperature difference you will be asked for below.

230.0

Next, you will be asked to provide some properties of the skirts that support the propellant tank. etc.

- 235.1 Number ISKRTYP of rows in the array SKRTYP: ISKRTYP
- 240.1 skirt type index: SKRTYP

240.2

There can be 1 or 2 skirt types. If there are 2 skirt types skirt type 1 is the aft skirt and skirt type 2 is the forward skirt.

245.0

Next, you will be asked to provide variables that pertain to each type of skirt:

- 1. length of one-layered section of the end of the skirt that is attached to the propellant tank.
- 2. thickness of the one-layered tank-end section where the skirt is attached to the propellant tank
- 3. length of the multi-layed section of the tank-end of the skirt in which there exist exterior metal "prongs" that enclose the laminated composite skirt wall.
- 4. thickness of the tapered "prongs" at the tank-end junction between the one-layered tank-end section and the multi-layered tank-end section of the skirt.
- 5. length of the one-layered section of the end of the skirt that is attached to "ground".
- 6. thickness of the one-layered "ground"-end section where the skirt is attached to "ground".

- 7. length of the multi-layered section of the "ground"-end of the skirt in which there exist exterior metal "prongs" that enclose the "ground"-end laminated composite skirt wall.
 8. thickness of the tapered "pprongs" at the "ground"-end junction between the one-layered "ground"-end seciotn and the multi-layered "ground"-end section of the skirt.
- 255.1 tank-end thickness of tapered skirt part: THKTNK1 255.2 explain
- 260.1 tank-end length of tapered prongs: LNGTNK2 260.2 explain
- 270.1 "ground" end length of one-layered skirt part: LNGVEH1 270.2 explain
- 280.1 "ground"-end length of tapered prongs: LNGVEH2 280.2 explain
- Next, you will be asked to provide some properties of the skirts that support the propellant tank. etc.
- 295.0

 Next, you will be asked to provide an index for the type of wall construction (type of composite laminate)

associated with the skirt type, SKRTYP.
Skirts at different propellant tank rings may have
different composite layups, that is, different wall types.

300.1 type of wall constructions in skirt type SKRTYP: WALTYP 300.2

Probably the skirts at different axial levels will have different wall types, that is, different composite layups.

305.0

Next, you will be asked to provide thickness types, layup angle types, and material types. These quantities are the "building blocks" of the laminated composite walls that form the skirts.

THICK = thickness corresponding to a layer index ANGLE = layup angle corresponding to a layer index MATTYP = material type corresponding to a layer index. THICK, ANGLE, and MATTYP form a triad that corresponds to a given layer index.

The layer indices are stored in a matrix, LAYTYP(i,j), in which i = the layer number in a laminate and j = a wall type number.

You will next see the prompt:

"Number ITHICK of rows in the array THICK: ITHICK"
What is wanted is the number of different layer indices
that point to a unique triad, (THICK, ANGLE, MATTYP). For
example, suppose you have a laminated composite wall with
ply layup given by [0,+45,-45,90,90,-45,+45,0]total. In
this example ITHICK = 4 (4 unique triads) because each of
the first four layers in the symmetric 8-layered laminate
has a different layup angle. You would provide the following:
ITHICK = 4

THICK(i), i=1,4=0.01, 0.01, 0.01, 0.01 (for example, and to be provided by you one datum at a time) ANGLE(i), i=1.4=0., 45., -45., 90. (one datum at a time) MATTYP(i), i=1,4=1, 1, 1, 1 (one datum at a time)

- 310.1 Number ITHICK of rows in the array THICK: ITHICK
- 315.1 thickness of a lamina: THICK

315.2

It is possible to have multiple adjacent plies of the same thickness type (same thickness index).

- 320.1 layup angle: ANGLE
- 320.2

Please provide the layup angle in degrees

325.1 Material type: MATTYP 325.2

Thickness, Layup angle, and Material type form a triad that corresponds to a layer type, or a layer index. Composite laminated walls consist of a group of layer types. The thickness and layup angle of the layer type can be selected by the user as decision variables. They are called "decision variable candidates".

330.0

Next, you will be asked to provide a matrix of layer types corresponding to each wall type.

LAYTYP(ILAYTYP, JLAYTYP) = layer type(layer no., walltype no.) Suppose you have the following laminate stacking sequence: [0,+45,-45,90,90,-45,+45,0]total. Then, for wall type no. 1 you would want LAYTYP(i,1) to be as follows: LAYTYP(i,1), i=1,8 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 3, 2, 1

You will next see the two prompts:

"Number JLAYTYP of columns in the array, LAYTYP: JLAYTYP"
"Number ILAYTYP of rows in this column of LAYTYP: ILAYTYP"
JLAYTYP is the number of wall types and ILAYTYP is the number of layers in the laminate.

Following the prompts for JLAYTYP and ILAYTYP, you will be prompted to provide the layer types, LAYTYP. Corresponding to the example of the laminate with 8 layers, you would provide: LAYTYP(i,1), i=1,8 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 3, 2, 1 one datum at a time.

- 335.1 Number JLAYTYP of columns in the array, LAYTYP: JLAYTYP
- 340.1 Number ILAYTYP of rows in this column of LAYTYP: ILAYTYP
- 345.1 layer type index: LAYTYP
- 345.2

For example, LAYTYP(7,3) is the layer index for layer number 7 wall type number 3. The integer, LAYTYP(i,j) points to a specific triad: thickness, layup angle, material type.

350.0

Next, you will be asked to supply material properties for an orthotropic ply of composite material. You will be asked to provide the following for each material type:

E1 = modulus in the fiber direction

E2 = modulus transverse to fibers in the plane of the layey G12 = in-plane shear modulus

NU = Poisson's ratio: NU = NU12 = NU21 x E2/E1 NOTE: The NU you provide is the smallest of the two if E1 > E2. This is a bit unusual, so BEWARE! G13 = transverse shear modulus for shear in a plane normal to the fibers G23 = transverse shear modulus for shear in a plane parallel to the fibers.

For an isotropic material just use E1 = E2; G12 = E1/[2(1+NU)] G13 = G23 = G12

ALPHA1 = coefficient of thermal expansion along fibers
ALPHA2 = coefficient of thermal expansion transverse to fibers
TEMTUR = residual stress temperature (curing delta temperature)
COND1 = thermal conductivity along fibers
COND2 = thermal conductivity transverse to fibers

You will next see the prompt:
"Number IE1 of rows in the array E1: IE1"
What is wanted is the number of different material types.
In the example given above in which there is an 8-layered symmetric laminate, there is only one material type, that is, MATTYP(i), i=1,4 = 1, 1, 1, 1 In this example you would provide IE1 = 1

- 355.1 Number IE1 of rows in the array E1: IE1
- 360.1 modulus in the fiber direction: El
- 365.1 modulus transverse to fibers: E2
- 370.1 in-plane shear modulus: G12
- 375.1 small Poisson's ratio: NU

375.2

This is unusual, so BEWARE! NU is the small Poisson's ratio if E1 > E2, which is almost always the case. NU = NU12 = NU21 x E2/E1

380.1 x-z out-of-plane shear modulus: G13 380.2

Ths is the transverse shear modulus governing shear stiffness normal to the laminate in a plane normal to the fibers. For unidirectional tape you might use a value equal to or close to the in-plane shear modulus, G12.

385.1 y-z out-of-plane shear modulus: G23 385.2

This is the transverse shear modulus governing shear stiffness normal to the laminate in a plane parallel to the fibers. For unidirectional tape you might use a value equal or close to the in-plane shear modulus, G12.

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390.1 coef.of thermal expansion along fibers: ALPHA1 395.1 coef.of thermal expan.transverse to fibers: ALPHA2 400.1 curing delta temperature (positive): TEMTUR 400.2
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This is the temperature difference between the temperature at which the material sets and the ambient (room) temperature, that is, the temperature difference that gives rise to residual stresses from curing the composite laminate. Use TEMTUR = 0 if you wish to neglect the effect of curing residual stresses.

405.1 conductivity along the fibers: COND1 405.2

This is the conductivity along the fibers in a unidirectional ply of a composite laminate.

410.1 conductivity transverse to fibers: COND2 410.2

This is the conductivity transverse to the fibers in a unidirectional

ply that is a layer in a composite laminate.

415.1 weight density of the material: DENSTY 415.2

e.g. aluminum = 0.1 lb/in^3
many composite materials have DENSTY = 0.057 lb/in^3

420.0

Next, you will be asked to provide a variable called "WGT". This variable plays a role in the definition of the objective:

OBJECTIVE = WGT*(normalized empty tank mass)
+ (1.0 - WGT)*(normalized conductance of support system)

After you provite WGT you will be asked to provide the normalizing values of empty tank mass and total conductance of all the supporting skirts.

425.1 objective=WGT*(empty tank mass) +(1-WGT)*(conductance): WGT 425.2

WGT is a "weighting" variable by means of which the objective is defined. In general, the objective is defined as:

OBJECTIVE = WGT*(normalized empty tank mass) +(1.-WGT)*(normalized total skirt conductance) If WGT = 0.0 the objective is given by: OBJECTIVE = (total skirt conductance) You will next be asked to provide two variables:

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1. TNKNRM = the normalizing quantity for empty tank mass
      2. CONNRM = the normalizing quantity for total skirt conductance
      With WGT > 0.0 the objective will be as follows:
      OBJECTIVE = WGT*(empty tank mass)/TNKNRM
      +(1.-WGT)*(total skirt conductance)/CONNRM
430.1 normalizing empty tank mass: TNKNRM
430.2
      In general, the objective is defined as:
      OBJECTIVE = WGT*(normalized empty tank mass)
      +(1.-WGT)*(normalized total skirt conductance)
      If WGT = 0.0 the objective is given by:
      OBJECTIVE = (total skirt conductance)
      You will next be asked to provide two variables:
      1. TNKNRM = the normalizing quantity for empty tank mass
      2. CONNRM = the normalizing quantity for total skirt conductance
      With WGT > 0.0 the objective will be as follows:
      OBJECTIVE = WGT*(empty tank mass)/TNKNRM
      +(1.-WGT)*(total skirt conductance)/CONNRM
435.1 normalizing total skirt conductance: CONNRM
435.2
      In general, the objective is defined as:
      OBJECTIVE = WGT*(normalized empty tank mass)
      +(1.-WGT)*(normalized total skirt conductance)
      If WGT = 0.0 the objective is given by:
      OBJECTIVE = (total skirt conductance)
      You will next be asked to provide the variable:
      CONNRM = the normalizing quantity for total skirt conductance
      With WGT > 0.0 the objective will be as follows:
      OBJECTIVE = WGT*(empty tank mass)/TNKNRM
      +(1.-WGT)*(total skirt conductance)/CONNRM
      Next, provide the index for mission phase:
      IPHASE = 1 means launch phase
      IPHASE = 2 means orbital phase
      In the orbital phase the conductance is lower than in the
      launch phase because the heat must flow through both the
      launch skirt and the inner orbital skirt assembly in series.
445.1 IPHASE=1=launch phase; IPHASE=2=orbital phase: IPHASE
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445.2

help for IPHASE

440.0

Next, provide the environment seen by the filled propellant tank. This environment has the following components:

- 1. ullage pressure, PRESS, in the propellant tank
- 2. quasi-static axial g-loading in gees, GAXIAL
- 3. quasi-static lateral q-loading in gees, GLATRL
- 4. propellant tank cool-down in the launch-hold condition
- 5. launch vehicle temperature in the launch-hold condition
- 6. average cool-down of each skirt in the launch-hold condition and during launch
- 7. propellant tank cool-down in the orbital condition
- 8. launch vehicle temperature in the orbital condition
- 9. average cool-down of each skirt in the orbital condition

You will next see the following prompt:
"Number NCASES of load cases (environments): NCASES"
Each case corresponds to a "bundle" of loads: ullage
pressure, PRESS, axial g-loading, GAXIAL, lateral g-loading,
GLATRL, and propellant tank cool-down delta temperature,
TNKCOOL. It is probably best to optimize with NCASES = 2
For example, in Load Case 1 you might have:
PRESS = 24, GAXIAL = 10., GLATRL = 0., TNKCOOL = -200
In load Case 2 you might have:
PRESS = 24, GAXIAL = 0., GLATRL = 10., TNKCOOL = -200

- 455.1 Number NCASES of load cases (environments): NCASES
- 460.1 propellant tank ullage pressure: PRESS

460.2

The propellant tank is internally pressurized in addition to the pressure head provided by the propellant.

- 465.1 quasi-static axial q-loading: GAXIAL
- 465.2

Provide the ultimate axial g-loading to be seen by the propellant tank.

- 470.1 quasi-static lateral q-loading: GLATRL
- 470.2

Provide the ultimate resultant lateral g-loading to be seen by the propellant tank.

- 475.1 propellant tank cool-down from cryogen: TNKCOOL
- 475.2

This is the temperature decrease after the tank has been filled with cryogen.

480.0

The responses (behaviors) include the following:

- 1. four vibration modes and frequencies:
- a. axial vibration
- b. rolling vibration
- c. lateral-pitching vibration mode 1
- d. lateral-pitching vibration mode 2
- 2. maximum stress components in the composite laminates:
- a. maximum tensile stress along the fibers of a ply
- b. maximum compressive stress along the fibers of a ply
- c. maximum tensile stress transverse to the fibers in a ply
- d. maximum compressive stress transverse to the fibers in a ply
- e. maximum in-plane shear stress in a ply
- f. maximum vonMises effective stress if the material is isotropic
- 3. shell buckling of a skirt
- 4. force in a skirt in the launch-hold condition
- 5. maximum effective stress in the propellant tank
- 6. buckling of the propellant tank

You will next see the prompt:

of columns in the array, FREQ: JFREQ" "Number JFREO JFREQ is the number of free vibration frequencies to be computed for the tank/skirt system. In this study JFREQ is must always be equal to 4 There are two free vibration modes corresponding to n = 0 circumferential waves: one corresponding to rolling and the other corresponding to axial translation of the skirt-supported propellant tank. There are two free vibration modes corresponding to n = 1circumferential wave: both corresponding to a combination of lateral translation and pitching of the propellant tank.

of columns in the array, FREQ: JFREQ 485.1 Number JFREO

490.0 free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ

490.2

Four vibration modes are important:

- 1. axial vibration [axisymmetric (n=0) vibration mode]
- 2. rolling vibration [axisymmetric (n=0) vibration mode]
- 3. lateral-pitching mode 1 (vibration with n = 1 circ. wave)
- 4. lateral-pitching mode 2 (vibration with n = 1 circ. wave)
- 495.1 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA

495.2

Typically the minimum allowable frequency during the launch phase of the mission is significantly higher than the minimum allowable frequency in orbit.

500.1 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF

500.2

One suggestion would be a factor of safety of something like 1.2.

505.0

Next, you will be asked to provide behavioral variables relating to stress in the laminated composite skirts. For a unidirectional composite ply there are 5 stress components that are important:

- 1. tensile stress along fibers
- 2. compressive stress along fibers
- 3. tensile stress transverse to fibers
- 4. compressive stress transverse to fibers
- 5. in-plane shear stress

The ply can fail if the allowable stress for any one or more of these stress components is exceeded.

You will next see the prompt:

"Number JSTRES1 of columns in the array, STRES1: JSTRES1" What is wanted is the number of stress components, which must always be 5 in this GENOPT application. Enter "5" when you are presented with this prompting phrase.

- 510.1 Number JSTRES1 of columns in the array, STRES1: JSTRES1
- 515.0 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1

515.2

The six possible stress components are:

- 1. tensile stress along fibers
- 2. compressive stress along fibers
- 3. tensile stress transverse to fibers
- 4. compressive stress transverse to fibers
- 5. in-plane shear stress
- 6. vonMises effective stress (in isotropic material)
- 520.1 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A
- 525.1 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F
- 525.2

Generally use a factor of safety between 1.0 and 1.5.

530.0 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2

530.2

In an analogous manner to the behavior, STRES1, there are six component of stress in the array, STRES2. The only difference here is that we are concerned with material type 2 instead of material type 1.

- 535.1 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A
- 540.1 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F

- 540.2 Generally use a factor of safety between 1.0 and 1.5.
- Next, you will be asked to provide a behavioral variable relating to buckling of the laminated composite skirts.

You will next see the prompt:
"Number JSHLBUK of columns in the array, SHLBUK: JSHLBUK"
What is wanted is the number of skirt supports.

- 550.1 Number JSHLBUK of columns in the array, SHLBUK: JSHLBUK 555.0 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK 555.2
 - The shell buckling mode of the skirt may be a short-axial-wavelength mode. The critical shell buckling mode usually has multiple waves around the circumference of the skirt.
- 560.1 allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA 560.2

 Always set SHLBUKA = 1.0
- 565.1 factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF 565.2

Generally use a factor of safety of about 2.0 in order to account for the inevitable presence of initial imperfections in the skirt.

- 570.0 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE 570.2
 - During lauch-hold a compound skirt, that is, a skirt that has both a launch wall and a "folded" orbital wall, has a "disconnect" feature (a gap) that must remain open during the launch-hold phase and during the orbital phase of a mission. If FORCE is less than the allowable force, then this gap remains open, and the conductance of heat into the propellant tank from the launch vehicle remains small.
- 575.1 maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA 575.2

Consult the maker of "disconnect" skirts for what the maximum allowable launch-hold/orbital FORCE should be.

580.1 factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF 580.2

Generally use a factor of safety between 1.0 and 1.5.

585.0 maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR

585.2

It is assumed here that the propellant tank is made of isotropic material with a single layer in the shell wall.

590.1 allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA

590.2

Conult the experts for what this maximum allowable stress should be.

595.1 factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF

595.2

Use a factor of safety between 1.0 and 2.0

600.0 propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK

600.2

The propellant tank can buckle in various ways:

- 1. Buckling of the internally pressurized ellipsoidal dome at the bottom of the propellant tank
- 2. Buckling due to local compressive membrane stresses in the neighborhoods of where the skirts "poke at" the propellant tank.
- 605.1 allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA

605.2

Always set TNKBUKA = 1.0

610.1 factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF

610.2

Generally use a factor of safety between 1.0 and 1.2

615.0

In this study the objective is a weighted average of the normalized empty tank mass and the normalized total conductance: objective = WGTxTOTMAS/TNKNRM +(1-WGT)xCONDCT/CONNRM in which TOTMAS is the empty tank mass, TNKNRM is a user-provided normalizing empty tank mass, CONDCT is the total conductance of heat into the propellant tank and CONNRM is the normalizing total conductance. This compound objective is to be minimized subject to the responses (behaviors) identified previously.

620.0 WGTxTOTMAS/TNKNRM +(1-WGT)xCONDCT/CONNRM: CONDCT

999.0 DUMMY ENTRY TO MARK END OF FILE

Table 3 Input data for the GENOPT processor, BEGIN (oneskirt.BEG file) (These input data are provided by the End user for the specific case called "test")

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              $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
386.4000
              $ acceleration of gravity: GRAV
              $ diameter of launch vehicle: DIAVEH
     300
     200
              $ diameter of the aft dome of the tank: AFTDIA
      50
              $ height of the aft dome of the tank: AFTHI
              $ diameter of the forward dome of the tank: FWDDIA
     200
     50
              $ height of the forward dome of the tank: FWDHI
              $ axial dist. from aft dome apex to fwd dome apex: FLTANK
     400
              $ global axial coordinate of the aft dome apex: ZAPEX
     100
0.2560000E-02 $ weight density of the propellant: DENPRP
     300
              $ global axial coordinate of the tank cg: ZCG
0.1000000
              $ thickness of the tank aft dome skin: THKAFT
              $ thickness of the tank cylinder skin: THKMID
0.1000000
0.1000000
              $ thickness of the forward tank dome skin: THKFWD
      10
              $ spacing of the tank orthogrid stringers: STRSPC
              $ spacing of the tank orthogrid rings: RNGSPC
      10
0.5000000
              $ thickness of the tank orthogrid stringers: STRTHK
              $ height of the tank orthogrid stringers: STRHI
0.5000000
              $ thickness of the tank orthogrid rings: RNGTHK
              $ height of the tank orthogrid rings: RNGHI
0.1000000E+08 $ Young's modulus of the cold tank material: ETANK
              $ Poisson's ratio of the tank material: NUTANK
0.3000000
0.2500000E-03 $ mass density of the tank material: DENTNK
0.1000000E-04 $ coef.thermal expansion of tank material: ALTNK
              $ tank is vertical (1) or horizontal (2): IAXIS
      1
              $ Number IZTANK of rows in the array ZTANK: IZTANK
      1
              $ global axial coordinate of tank support ring: ZTANK(
     300
              $ global axial coordinate of "ground": ZGRND(
      50
              $ propellant tank reinforcement type: RNGTYP(
      1
                                                             1)
              $ Number IDUBAXL of rows in the array DUBAXL: IDUBAXL
              $ axial length of the propellant tank doubler: DUBAXL(
      30
0.1000000
              $ max.thickness of the propellant tank doubler: DUBTHK(
0.2000000
              $ thickness of the tank reinforcement ring: TRNGTH( 1)
1.000000
              $ height of the tank reinforcement ring: TRNGHI(
0.1000000E+08 $ hoop modulus of the tank ring: TRNGE( 1)
0.1000000E-04 $ coef.of thermal expansion of the tank ring: ALRNGT(
              $ Number ISKRTYP of rows in the array SKRTYP: ISKRTYP
       1
       1
              $ skirt type index: SKRTYP( 1)
       5
              $ tank-end length of one-layered skirt part: LNGTNK1(
0.2500000
              $ tank-end thickness of tapered skirt part: THKTNK1(
              $ tank-end length of tapered prongs: LNGTNK2(
0.5000000E-01 $ tank-end thickness of one tapered pronq: THKTNK2( 1)
              $ "ground" end length of one-layered skirt part: LNGVEH1(
0.2500000
              $ "ground"-end thickness of tapered skirt part: THKVEH1( 1)
              $ "ground"-end length of tapered prongs: LNGVEH2(
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0.5000000E-01 $ "ground"-end thickness of one tapered prong: TNKVEH2( 1)
              $ type of wall constructions in skirt type SKRTYP: WALTYP( 1)
              $ Number ITHICK of rows in the array THICK: ITHICK
0.3000000E-01 $ thickness of a lamina: THICK(
                                               1)
0.3000000E-01 $ thickness of a lamina: THICK(
                                               2)
0.3000000E-01 $ thickness of a lamina: THICK(
                                               3)
0.3000000E-01 $ thickness of a lamina: THICK(
                                               4)
0.3000000E-01 $ thickness of a lamina: THICK(
                                               5)
0.3000000E-01 $ thickness of a lamina: THICK(
      45
              $ layup angle: ANGLE( 1)
              $ layup angle: ANGLE(
     -45
                                     2)
              $ layup angle: ANGLE(
      45
     -45
              $ layup angle: ANGLE(
                                     4)
      45
              $ layup angle: ANGLE(
                                     5)
              $ layup angle: ANGLE( 6)
     -45
              $ Material type: MATTYP(
       1
                                        1)
       1
              $ Material type: MATTYP(
                                        2)
       1
              $ Material type: MATTYP(
                                        3)
       1
              $ Material type: MATTYP(
       1
              $ Material type: MATTYP(
              $ Material type: MATTYP( 6)
       1
       1
              $ Number JLAYTYP of columns in the array, LAYTYP: JLAYTYP
      12
              $ Number ILAYTYP of rows in this column of LAYTYP: ILAYTYP
       1
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP( 1,
                                               1)
       2
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                               1)
       3
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                               1)
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                           4,
                                               1)
       5
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                           5,
                                               1)
                                           6,
       6
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                               1)
       6
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                           7,
                                               1)
       5
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP(
                                           8,
                                               1)
       4
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP( 9,
                                               1)
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP( 10,
       3
       2
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP( 11,
                                               1)
              $ layer type index: LAYTYP( 12, 1)
              $ Number IE1
                               of rows in the array E1: IE1
0.2100000E+08 $ modulus in the fiber direction: E1( 1)
1600000.
              $ modulus transverse to fibers: E2( 1)
679000.0
              $ in-plane shear modulus: G12( 1)
0.2300000E-01 $ small Poisson's ratio: NU( 1)
              $ x-z out-of-plane shear modulus: G13(
627000.0
 334000.0
              $ y-z out-of-plane shear modulus: G23( 1)
0.1000000E-05 $ coef.of thermal expansion along fibers: ALPHA1( 1)
0.1000000E-04 $ coef.of thermal expan.transverse to fibers: ALPHA2(
              $ curing delta temperature (positive): TEMTUR( 1)
     170
0.7270000E-02 $ conductivity along the fibers: COND1(
0.4370000E-02 $ conductivity transverse to fibers: COND2(
0.5700000E-01 $ weight density of the material: DENSTY( 1)
              $ objective=WGT*(empty tank mass) +(1-WGT)*(conductance): WGT
0.5000000
              $ normalizing empty tank mass: TNKNRM
0.2000000E-02 $ normalizing total skirt conductance: CONNRM
       1
              $ IPHASE=1=launch phase; IPHASE=2=orbital phase: IPHASE
              $ Number NCASES of load cases (environments): NCASES
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25
             $ propellant tank ullage pressure: PRESS(
     2.5
               propellant tank ullage pressure: PRESS(
     10
             $ quasi-static axial q-loading: GAXIAL(
      0
             $ quasi-static axial g-loading: GAXIAL(
             $ quasi-static lateral g-loading: GLATRL(
      0
     10
             $ quasi-static lateral g-loading: GLATRL(
             $ propellant tank cool-down from cryogen: TNKCOOL(
   -200
               propellant tank cool-down from cryogen: TNKCOOL(
   -200
      4
             $ Number JFREQ
                               of columns in the array, FREQ: JFREQ
     10
             $ minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
               minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
     10
                                                                 1)
     10
               minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
                                                                 2)
     10
             $ minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
     10
             $ minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
                                                             1,
                                                                 3)
               minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
     10
                                                                 3)
     10
               minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
                                                                 4)
     10
               minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(
                                                            2,
                                                                 4)
1.200000
               factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(
                                                            1)
1.200000
             $ factor of safety for freqency: FREQF(
                                                             1)
             $ factor of safety for freqency: FREQF(
1.200000
                                                             2)
               factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(
1.200000
                                                        2,
                                                             2)
                                                        1,
1.200000
               factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(
                                                             31
               factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(
1.200000
                                                            3)
                                                            4)
1.200000
             $ factor of safety for freqency: FREQF(
                                                        1,
                                                        2,
1.200000
               factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(
                                                             4)
      5
             $ Number JSTRES1 of columns in the array, STRES1: JSTRES1
 140571
               maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
                                                                        1)
               maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
 140571
                                                                    2,
                                                                        1)
 104714
               maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
                                                                        2)
 104714
               maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
                                                                        2)
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
  10557
                                                                        3)
               maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
  10557
                                                                        3)
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
  14529
                                                                        4)
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
                                                                    2,
  14529
                                                                        4)
   6290
               maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
                                                                        5)
   6290
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(
                                                                    2,
                                                                        5)
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
1.500000
                                                                     1)
               factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
1.500000
                                                                     1)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                 1,
                                                                     2)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                     2)
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
1.500000
                                                                 1,
                                                                     3)
1.500000
               factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                     3)
1.500000
               factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                     4)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                 2,
                                                                     4)
1.500000
               factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                     5)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(
                                                                     5)
               maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
 140571
                                                                    1,
                                                                        1)
               maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
                                                                        1)
 140571
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
 104714
                                                                        2)
 104714
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
                                                                    2.
                                                                        2)
  10557
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
                                                                        3)
  10557
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
                                                                        3)
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
  14529
                                                                        4)
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14529
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
                                                                        4)
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
                                                                    1,
   6290
                                                                        5)
             $ maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(
   6290
                                                                    2,
                                                                        5)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
                                                                     1)
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
1.500000
                                                                     1)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
                                                                     2)
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
                                                                     2)
1.500000
                                                                2,
               factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
1.500000
                                                                 1,
                                                                     3)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
                                                                     3)
1.500000
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
                                                                     4)
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
1.500000
                                                                2,
                                                                     4)
               factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
                                                                1,
1.500000
                                                                     5)
             $ factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(
1.500000
      2
             $ Number JSHLBUK of columns in the array, SHLBUK: JSHLBUK
      1
               allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(
      1
             $ allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(
             $ allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(
      1
                                                                       2)
      1
             $ allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(
      2
             $ factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(
                                                                              1)
      2
             $ factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(
                                                                              1)
      2
             $ factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(
                                                                              2)
                                                                          1,
      2
               factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(
                                                                              2)
  15000
             $ maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(
                                                                             1)
  15000
             $ maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(
                                                                             1)
  15000
               maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(
                                                                             2)
  15000
             $ maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(
                                                                             2)
             $ factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(
      1
                                                                       1)
               factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(
                                                                   2,
                                                                       1)
      1
      1
             $ factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(
                                                                  1,
                                                                       2)
                                                                       2)
      1
             $ factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(
  50000
             $ allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(
                                                                      1)
  50000
             $ allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(
                                                                  2,
                                                                      1)
  50000
             $ allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(
  50000
             $ allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(
                                                                 1)
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(
                                                                 1)
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(
                                                                 2)
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(
      1
             $ allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(
                                                                    1,
                                                                        1)
      1
             $ allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(
                                                                        1)
      1
             $ allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(
                                                                        2)
      1
             $ allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(
                                                                        2)
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(
                                                                    1)
      1
             $ factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(
                                                                    2)
             $ factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(
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Table 4 Input data for the GENOPT processor, DECIDE (oneskirt.DEC file) (These data are provided by the End user for the specific case, "oneskirt")

\$ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output? Ν \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)0.2000000E-01 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(\$ Upper bound of variable no.(0.2000000 1) \$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(Ν \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? Y \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)0.2000000E-01 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(0.2000000 \$ Upper bound of variable no.(\$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(2) Ν \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? Y 3 \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)0.2000000E-01 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(\$ Upper bound of variable no.(0.2000000 \$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(3) Ν \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? Y \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)3.000000 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(4) 10.00000 \$ Upper bound of variable no.(\$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(Ν 4) \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? Y 6 \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)0.1000000 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(6) \$ Upper bound of variable no.(1.000000 6) \$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(Ν 6) \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? 7 \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...) 0.200000 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(1.000000 \$ Upper bound of variable no.(7) \$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(Ν 7) \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? Y 11 \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)20 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(11) \$ Upper bound of variable no.(11) 290.0000 \$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(11) Ν Y \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? 13 \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)0.2000000E-01 \$ Lower bound of variable no.(13) 2.000000 \$ Upper bound of variable no.(13) \$ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.(13) N \$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ? Y 14 \$ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)

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0.5000000E-01 $ Lower bound of variable no.( 14)
2.000000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.(14)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 14)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
   Υ
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
      16
              $ Lower bound of variable no.(16)
2.000000
10.00000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.( 16)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no. (16)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
      17
0.5000000E-01 $ Lower bound of variable no.( 17)
1.000000
              $ Upper bound of variable no. (17)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 17)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
   Y
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
      18
2.000000
              $ Lower bound of variable no.( 18)
              $ Upper bound of variable no.( 18)
10.00000
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 18)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
   Υ
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
     19
0.3000000E-01 $ Lower bound of variable no.( 19)
0.3000000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.(19)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 19)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
   Υ
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
      20
2.000000
              $ Lower bound of variable no.(20)
10.00000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.( 20)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 20)
   Ν
   Y
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
     21
0.5000000E-01 $ Lower bound of variable no.( 21)
1.000000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.(21)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 21)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
   Y
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
     22
              $ Lower bound of variable no.(22)
       2
      10
              $ Upper bound of variable no.( 22)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 22)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
   Y
     23
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
0.3000000E-01 $ Lower bound of variable no.( 23)
0.3000000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.(23)
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 23)
   Ν
              $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
              $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
      24
0.5000000E-02 $ Lower bound of variable no.( 24)
0.1000000
              $ Upper bound of variable no.( 24)
   Ν
              $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 24)
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$ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
          $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
  30
  10
          $ Lower bound of variable no.( 30)
  80
          $ Upper bound of variable no.(30)
          $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 30)
Y
          $ Maximum permitted change in variable no.( 30)
   2
Y
          $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
          $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
  32
          $ Lower bound of variable no.( 32)
  10
  80
          $ Upper bound of variable no.( 32)
          $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 32)
Y
   2
          $ Maximum permitted change in variable no.( 32)
          $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
Y
  34
          $ Choose a decision variable (1,2,3,...)
  10
          $ Lower bound of variable no.( 34)
  80
          $ Upper bound of variable no.(34)
          $ Do you want especially to restrict variable no.( 34)
Y
   2
          $ Maximum permitted change in variable no.( 34)
          $ Any more decision variables (Y or N) ?
N
          $ Any linked variables (Y or N) ?
Y
   5
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
   4
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
Ν
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
N
Y
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
   8
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
   6
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
N
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
Y
   9
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
   7
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
Y
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
  15
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
   1
  14
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   5
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
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1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
Ν
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
Y
  25
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
   1
  24
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
Ν
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Y
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
  26
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
  24
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
Υ
  27
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
   1
  24
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
   1
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
Y
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
  28
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
  24
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
Y
  29
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
  24
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
   1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
   1
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
Y
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
  31
   1
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
  30
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
  -1
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
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1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
N
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
Y
  33
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
  1
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
  32
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
  -1
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
Y
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
  35
          $ Choose a linked variable (1,2,3,...)
          $ Choose type of linking (1=polynomial; 2=user-defined)
  1
          $ To which variable is this variable linked?
  34
          $ Assign a value to the linking coefficient, C(j)
  -1
   1
          $ To what power is the decision variable raised?
          $ Any other decision variables in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any constant CO in the linking expression?
Ν
          $ Any more linked variables (Y or N) ?
N
          $ Any inequality relations among variables? (type H)
Ν
Y
          $ Any escape variables (Y or N) ?
Y
          $ Want to have escape variables chosen by default?
```

Table 5 Input data for the GENOPT processor, MAINSETUP (oneskirt.OPT file) (These data are provided by the End user)

N	\$ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
0	\$ Choose an analysis you DON'T want (1, 2,), IBEHAV
0	\$ Choose an analysis you DON'T want (1, 2,), IBEHAV
2	<pre>\$ NPRINT= output index (0=GOOD, 1=ok, 2=debug, 3=too much)</pre>
2	\$ Choose type of analysis (1=opt., 2=fixed, 3=sensit.) ITYPE
5	\$ How many design iterations in this run (3 to 25)?
N	<pre>\$ Take "shortcuts" for perturbed designs (Y or N)?</pre>
2	\$ Choose 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 for IDESIGN
1	\$ Choose 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 for move limits, IMOVE
N	<pre>\$ Do you want default (RATIO=10) for initial move limit jump?</pre>
1000000.	<pre>\$ Provide a value for the "move limit jump" ratio, RATIO</pre>
Y	\$ Do you want the default perturbation $(dx/x = 0.05)$?
N	<pre>\$ Do you want to have dx/x modified by GENOPT?</pre>
N	<pre>\$ Do you want to reset total iterations to zero (Type H)?</pre>
1	\$ Choose IAUTOF= 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 to change X(i)
==========	

Table 6 Output from the GENOPT processor, OPTIMIZE, for a fixed, optimized design. The specific case is called "oneskirt" (long propellant tank with one supporting skirt. (oneskirt.OPM file)

```
$ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
               $ Choose an analysis you DON'T want (1, 2,..), IBEHAV
        0
               $ Choose an analysis you DON'T want (1, 2,..), IBEHAV
               $ NPRINT= output index (0=GOOD, 1=ok, 2=debug, 3=too much)
        2
        2
               $ Choose type of analysis (1=opt., 2=fixed, 3=sensit.) ITYPE
        5
               $ How many design iterations in this run (3 to 25)?
               $ Take "shortcuts" for perturbed designs (Y or N)?
     Ν
        2
               $ Choose 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 for IDESIGN
               $ Choose 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 for move limits, IMOVE
               $ Do you want default (RATIO=10) for initial move limit jump?
     Ν
  1000000.
               $ Provide a value for the "move limit jump" ratio, RATIO
               $ Do you want the default perturbation (dx/x = 0.05)?
     Υ
     Ν
               $ Do you want to have dx/x modified by GENOPT?
               $ Do you want to reset total iterations to zero (Type H)?
     N
               $ Choose IAUTOF= 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 to change X(i)
 ****** END OF THE oneskirt.OPT FILE *******
 ****** AUGUST, 2010 VERSION OF GENOPT **********
 ****** BEGINNING OF THE oneskirt.OPM FILE ******
 ****************** MAIN PROCESSOR **************
The purpose of the mainprocessor, OPTIMIZE, is to perform,
 in a batch mode, the work specified by MAINSETUP for the case
called oneskirt. Results are stored in the file oneskirt.OPM.
Please inspect oneskirt.OPM before doing more design iterations.
 ******************
STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS FOR DESIGN ITERATION NO.
n
 STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS WITH UNPERTURBED DECISION VARIABLES
VAR. DEC. ESCAPE LINK. LINKED LINKING
                                         LOWER
                                                  CURRENT
                                                             UPPER
                                                                         DEFINITION
 NO. VAR.
           VAR.
                 VAR.
                         TO
                              CONSTANT
                                         BOUND
                                                   VALUE
                                                             BOUND
  1
      Y
            Ν
                  Ν
                              0.00E+00
                                        2.00E-02 1.2510E-01
                                                            2.00E-01
                                                                     thickness of the
tank aft dome skin: THKAFT
                              0.00E+00
                                       2.00E-02 6.4820E-02
                                                            2.00E-01
                                                                      thickness of the
  2 Y
            N
                  N
tank cylinder skin: THKMID
                              0.00E+00
                                       2.00E-02 7.4940E-02
                                                            2.00E-01
                                                                      thickness of the
            N
                  N
forward tank dome skin: THKFWD
                              0.00E+00
                                       3.00E+00 5.4320E+00
                                                            1.00E+01
                                                                      spacing of the
     Υ
            N
                  N
```

1.00E+00

0.00E+00

0.00E+00 5.4320E+00

0.00E+00

1.00E-01 5.2020E-01 1.00E+00 thickness of the

spacing of the

tank orthogrid stringers: STRSPC

Y

Ν

6 Y N N 0 0 tank orthogrid stringers: STRTHK

tank orthogrid rings: RNGSPC

```
0.00E+00 2.00E-01 2.0000E-01 1.00E+00 height of the
   7 Y
           N
                  N
                          0
tank orthogrid stringers: STRHI
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 5.2020E-01
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of the
   8
     N
            N
                   Y
                          6
tank orthogrid rings: RNGTHK
                                         0.00E+00 2.0000E-01
   9
                  Y
                          7
                               1.00E+00
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        height of the
      N
            N
tank orthogrid rings: RNGHI
                                         0.00E+00 3.0000E+02
                                                              0.00E+00
            N
                  N
                               0.00E+00
                                                                        global axial
      Ν
                          0
coordinate of tank support ring: ZTANK(1)
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E+01 9.0450E+01
                                                              2.90E+02
                                                                        global axial
            N
                  N
coordinate of "ground": ZGRND(1 )
                                         0.00E+00 3.0000E+01
                                                                        axial length of
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                                              0.00E+00
            N
                  N
the propellant tank doubler: DUBAXL(1)
                                         2.00E-02 7.6930E-02
                                                              2.00E+00 max.thickness of
  13
     Y
           N
                 N
                         0
                               0.00E+00
the propellant tank doubler: DUBTHK(1)
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         5.00E-02 5.4450E-02
                                                              2.00E+00
                                                                       thickness of the
     Y
            N
                  N
tank reinforcement ring: TRNGTH(1)
 15
      N
            N
                   Y
                         14
                               5.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 2.7230E-01
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        height of the
tank reinforcement ring: TRNGHI(1)
     Y
            N
                   N
                         0
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
                                                                        tank-end length
of one-layered skirt part: LNGTNK1(1)
                               0.00E+00 5.00E-02 1.5320E-01
                                                              1.00E+00
                                                                        tank-end
            N
                   N
                          0
thickness of tapered skirt part: THKTNK1(1)
                          0
                               0.00E+00 2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
                                                                        tank-end length
  18
     Y
            N
                   Ν
of tapered prongs: LNGTNK2(1)
     Y
            N
                   N
                          0
                               0.00E+00 3.00E-02 3.1270E-02
                                                              3.00E-01
                                                                        tank-end
thickness of one tapered prong: THKTNK2(1)
                               0.00E+00 2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
                                                                         "ground" end
     Y
            N
                   N
                          0
length of one-layered skirt part: LNGVEH1(1
                               0.00E+00 5.00E-02 1.9510E-01
                                                              1.00E+00
                                                                         "ground"-end
                          0
     Y
            Ν
                   Ν
thickness of tapered skirt part: THKVEH1(1)
            N
                   N
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
                                                                         "ground"-end
length of tapered prongs: LNGVEH2(1 )
                               0.00E+00 3.00E-02 4.2190E-02
                                                              3.00E-01
                                                                         "ground"-end
     Y
            Y
                   N
                          0
thickness of one tapered prong: THKVEH2(1)
                          0
                               0.00E+00 5.00E-03 8.7980E-03
                                                              1.00E-01
                                                                        thickness of a
  24
     Y
             Y
                   Ν
lamina: THICK(1)
  25
                   Y
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of a
     N
            Ν
lamina: THICK(2)
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of a
 26
      N
                   Y
            Ν
lamina: THICK(3)
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of a
  27
      Ν
             Ν
                   Y
lamina: THICK(4)
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of a
  28
      Ν
            Ν
                   Y
                         2.4
lamina: THICK(5)
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of a
  29
                   γ
     N
             Ν
lamina: THICK(6 )
                          0
                               0.00E+00 1.00E+01 3.3740E+01
                                                              8.00E+01
  30 Y
             N
                   N
                                                                        layup angle:
ANGLE (1)
                         30
                              -1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00-3.3740E+01
  31
             Ν
                   Y
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        layup angle:
      Ν
ANGLE (2)
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         1.00E+01 7.6350E+01
                                                              8.00E+01
  32
                   N
                                                                        layup angle:
      Y
             Ν
ANGLE (3)
                   Y
                         32
                              -1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00-7.6350E+01
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        layup angle:
  33
      N
             N
ANGLE (4)
 34
      Y
             Ν
                   N
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         1.00E+01 2.4830E+01
                                                              8.00E+01
                                                                        layup angle:
ANGLE (5)
  35
      N
             Ν
                   Y
                         34
                              -1.00E+00 0.00E+00-2.4830E+01 0.00E+00 layup angle:
ANGLE (6)
```

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BEHAVIOR FOR 1 ENVIRONMENT (LOAD SET)
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CONSTRAINT BEHAVIOR DEFINITION NUMBER VALUE

BEHAVIOR FOR LOAD SET NUMBER, ILOADX= 1

BEHAVIOR OVER J = vibration mode type

CHAPTER 6: Free vibration analysis-BEHX1x, x=1,2; x=load case) This is a BIGBOSOR4 model of the propellant tank with skirts. There is no loading. The mass of the propellant is "lumped" into the middle wall of the three-layered wall (inner layer = smeared orthogrid; middle layer= propellant tank wall of constant thickness; outer layer= tapered doubler centered on the global axial coordinate where the skirts (AFT and FORWARD) attached to the tank.

BIGBOSOR4 input file for: free vibration frequencies for Load Case 1 oneskirt.BEHX11

```
FREE VIBRATION FREQUENCIES AND MODES (BEHX1)
 2.0796E+01(n= 0 circ.waves) 2.6236E+01(n= 0 circ.waves)
 1.1988E+01(n= 1 circ.waves) 1.4294E+01(n= 1 circ.waves)
   1
            20.79563
                         free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1 ,1 )
   2
                         free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1 ,2 )
            11.98785
   3
            26.23620
                         free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1 ,3 )
   4
                         free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1,4)
            14.29377
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = stress component number
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,1 )
   6
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,2 )
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,3 )
   7
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,4 )
   8
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,5 )
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = stress component number
  10
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1 ,1 )
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1 ,2 )
  11
  12
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1,3)
  13
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1 ,4)
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1 ,5)
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
          0.1000000E+11 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(1 ,1 )
  15
          0.1000000E+11 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(1 ,2 )
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
  17
          0.1000000E-09 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(1,1)
  18
          0.1000000E-09 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(1,2)
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
```

CHAPTER 12: Maximum effective stress in the propellant tank/skirt system - BEHX8xy, x=1,2 x=meridian; y=1,2 y=load case The tank/skirt system is loaded by PRESS, GAXIAL, GLATRL, and TNKCOOL. The purpose of this model is to compute the maximum

effective stress in the isotropic propellant tank and the maximum stress in the supporting skirt(s), which consist of five segments each of combined isotropic and laminated composite material. This is an "INDIC=3" BIGBOSOR4 model.

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BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 1:
maximum stress in propellant tank/skirt system from the
prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
 CIRCANG(JCOL) = 0.0000E + 00 in which JCOL = 1
oneskirt.BEHX811
 **** MAX. NORMAL DISP.: PROPELLANT TANK ******
 ***** MAX. NORMAL DISPLACEMENT, LOAD SET A *******
WWWMAX(1) = 7.9681E-01, LOCATW(1)=1000*ISEG+I=6001
 *****************
****** (ALLOWABLE STRESS)/(ACTUAL STRESS) *******
 1 3.6054E+00 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
 2 5.1397E+00 fiber tension: matl=2 , A , seg=2 , node=1 , layer=11,z=0.04 ;FS= 1.00 3 4.2492E+00 fiber compres:: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=13, layer=13,z=0.05 ;FS= 1.00 4 2.2908E+00 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=91, layer=8 ,z=0.02 ;FS= 1.00 5 1.0799E+01 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=92, layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 6 9.9369E-01 fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=17 , node=8 , layer=1 ,z=-0.26 ;FS= 1.00
 7 2.8139E+00 fiber compres: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00
 8 1.3974E+00 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=18, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.03 ;FS= 1.00
9 1.8388E+00 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00 1.5450E+00 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00 1.5188E+00 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 1.3104E+00 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=5 , layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 1.5674E+00 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.7350E+03 fiber tension: matl=2 , A , seg=2 , node=1 , layer=11,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 5.0317E+04 fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=17, node=8 , layer=1 ,z=-0.26 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.4643E+04 fiber compres.: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=13, layer=13,z= 0.05 ;FS=
                                                                                                                1.00
Stress= 1.7769E+04 fiber compres:: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= Stress= 4.6084E+03 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=91, layer=8 ,z= 0.02 ;FS= Stress= 3.5781E+04 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=18, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.03 ;FS=
                                                                                                                 1.00
                                                                                                                1.00
Stress= 2.7192E+04 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 5.8244E+02 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=92, layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 1.3868E+04 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 3.2363E+04 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 3.8157E+04 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=5 , layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 3.1901E+04 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00 Modified maximum stress components for Load Case 1 STRESS2(i),i=1,6=
     5.0317E+04 1.7769E+04 3.5781E+04 2.7192E+04
                                                                             4.6299E+03
                                                                                                  3.8157E+04
     fiber tension fiber compres. transv tension transv compres in-plane shear effect. stress
 **** MAX. STRESS IN THE PROPELLANT TANK ******
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN ISOTROPIC WALL, LOAD A *****
 STRMAX(1) = 1.1141E+04, LOCATS(1)=1000*ISEG+I=5013
 **************
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN NWALL =9 SEGS, LOAD A *****
             5.0317E+04
fiber tension : matl=3 , A , seg=17, node=8 , layer=1 ,z=-0.26 ;FS= 1.00
 **************
                                    maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(1,1)
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maximum stress in propellant tank/skirt system from the
 prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
 CIRCANG(JCOL) = 9.0000E + 01 in which JCOL = 2
oneskirt.BEHX821
 **** MAX. NORMAL DISP.: PROPELLANT TANK ******
 ***** MAX. NORMAL DISPLACEMENT, LOAD SET A *******
 WWWMAX(1)= 7.9681E-01, LOCATW(1)=1000*ISEG+I= 6001
 *****************
 ****** (ALLOWABLE STRESS)/(ACTUAL STRESS) ******
  1 3.6054E+00 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 2 5.1397E+01 fiber tension: matl=2 , A , seg=2 , node=1 , layer=11,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00 3 4.2492E+00 fiber compres: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=13, layer=13,z= 0.05 ;FS= 1.00
  4 2.2908E+00 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=91, layer=8 ,z= 0.02 ;FS= 1.00
  5 1.0799E+01 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=92, layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
5 1.079E+01 in-plane snear: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=92, layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 6 9.9369E-01 fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=17, node=8 , layer=1 ,z=-0.26 ;FS= 1.00 7 2.8139E+00 fiber compres: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00 8 1.3974E+00 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=18, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.03 ;FS= 1.00 9 1.8388E+00 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00 1.5450E+00 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00 1.5188E+00 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 1.3104E+00 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=5 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00 1.5674E+00 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
 ************
Stress= 2.7350E+03 fiber tension : matl=2 , A , seg=2 , node=1 , layer=11,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 5.0317E+04 fiber tension : matl=3 , A , seg=17, node=8 , layer=1 ,z=-0.26 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 2.4643E+04 fiber compres.: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=13, layer=13,z= 0.05 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 1.7769E+04 fiber compres.: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00
 Stress= 4.6084E+03 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=91, layer=8 ,z= 0.02 ;FS= 1.00
 Stress= 3.5781E+04 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=18, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.03 ;FS= 1.00
 Stress= 2.7192E+04 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
  \texttt{Stress= 1.3868E+04 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 , z=-0.05 ; FS= 1.00 } 
Stress= 3.2363E+04 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 3.2921E+04 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 3.8157E+04 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=5 , layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 3.1901E+04 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
 Modified maximum stress components for Load Case 1 STRESS2(i),i=1,6=
      5.0317E+04
                          1.7769E+04
                                            3.5781E+04
                                                                   2.7192E+04
                                                                                         4.6299E+03
      fiber tension fiber compres. transv tension transv compres in-plane shear effect. stress
 **** MAX. STRESS IN THE PROPELLANT TANK ******
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN ISOTROPIC WALL, LOAD A *****
 STRMAX(1) = 1.1141E+04, LOCATS(1)=1000*ISEG+I=5013
 ****************
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN NWALL =9 SEGS, LOAD A *****
                    5.0317E+04
fiber tension : matl=3 , A , seg=17, node=8 , layer=1 ,z=-0.26 ;FS= 1.00
 *****************
    20
                    50317.44
                                         maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(1,2)
  BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
 CHAPTER 13: Buckling of the propellant tank/skirt system
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BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 1:

- BEHX9xy, x=1,2 x=meridian; y=1,2 y=load case
This tank/skirt model is analogous to that
described in CHAPTER 12 (*.BEHX8xy) except that in this case
we are interested in buckling rather than maximum stress.
The propellant tank/skirt system is loaded by PRESS, GAXIAL,
GLATRL and TNKCOOL. The purpose of this model is to compute
the minimum buckling load in the propellant tank/skirt system.
This is an "INDIC=4" BIGBOSOR4 model.

BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 1: buckling in the propellant tank/skirt system from the prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle, CIRCANG(JCOL) = 0.0000E+00 in which JCOL = 1 oneskirt.BEHX911

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BUCKLING OF THE PROPELLANT TANK (BEHX9)
 1.0087E+00(n= 3 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0108E+00(n= 5 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0140E+00(n= 7 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0180E+00(n= 9 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0229E+00(n= 11 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0284E+00(n= 13 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0323E+00(n= 15 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0225E+00(n= 17 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
9.9804E-01(n= 19 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
9.9763E-01(n= 21 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0112E+00(n= 23 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0328E+00(n= 25 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0528E+00(n= 27 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0752E+00(n= 29 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.1049E+00(n= 31 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.1479E+00(n= 33 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.2043E+00(n= 35 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.2630E+00(n= 37 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.3285E+00(n= 39 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.4042E+00(n= 41 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0

1.4928E+00(n= 43 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0

1.5728E+00(n= 45 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.6538E+00(n= 47 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7364E+00(n= 49 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8209E+00(n= 51 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9072E+00(n= 53 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9954E+00(n= 55 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0856E+00(n= 57 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0680E+00(n= 59 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0433E+00(n= 61 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
2.0263E+00(n= 63 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
2.0163E+00(n= 65 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0127E+00(n= 67 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0147E+00(n= 69 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0219E+00(n= 71 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0340E+00(n= 73 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0504E+00(n= 75 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0709E+00(n= 77 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0953E+00(n= 79 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1233E+00(n= 81 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1547E+00(n= 83 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
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2.1894E+00(n= 85 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.2271E+00(n= 87 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.2677E+00(n= 89 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.3112E+00(n= 91 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.3574E+00(n= 93 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.4061E+00(n= 95 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.4574E+00(n= 97 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.5110E+00(n= 99 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
Critical buckling load factor from BIGBOSOR4, TNKBUK= 9.9763E-01
Critical number of axial half-waves (BIGBOSOR4), NWVCRT=
   21
            0.9976277
                           propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(1,1)
BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 1:
buckling in the propellant tank/skirt system from the
prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
CIRCANG(JCOL) = 9.0000E + 01 in which JCOL = 2
oneskirt.BEHX921
BUCKLING OF THE PROPELLANT TANK (BEHX9)
 1.0087E+00(n= 3 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0108E+00(n= 5 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0140E+00(n= 7 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0180E+00(n= 9 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0229E+00(n= 11 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0284E+00(n= 13 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.0404E+00(n= 15 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0225E+00(n= 17 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 9.9804E-01(n= 19 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 9.9763E-01(n= 21 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0112E+00(n= 23 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0328E+00(n= 25 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0527E+00(n= 27 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0752E+00(n= 29 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.1049E+00(n= 31 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.1479E+00(n= 33 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.2043E+00(n= 35 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.2629E+00(n= 37 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.3285E+00(n= 39 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.4042E+00(n= 41 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
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 1.6538E+00(n= 47 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7364E+00(n= 49 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8209E+00(n= 51 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9072E+00(n= 53 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9954E+00(n= 55 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0856E+00(n= 57 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0680E+00(n= 59 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0433E+00(n= 61 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0263E+00(n= 63 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0163E+00(n= 65 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0127E+00(n= 67 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0147E+00(n= 69 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0219E+00(n= 71 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0340E+00(n= 73 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0504E+00(n= 75 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0709E+00(n= 77 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
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2.0953E+00(n= 79 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1233E+00(n= 81 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1547E+00(n= 83 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1894E+00(n= 85 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
2.2271E+00(n= 87 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.2677E+00(n= 89 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.3112E+00(n= 91 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.3574E+00(n= 93 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.4061E+00(n= 95 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.4574E+00(n= 97 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.5110E+00(n= 99 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
Critical buckling load factor from BIGBOSOR4, TNKBUK= 9.9763E-01
Critical number of axial half-waves (BIGBOSOR4), NWVCRT=
                          propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(1,2)
  22
           0.9976277
CHAPTER 14: Computation of the objective:
In general the objective has the form:
objective =
      WGT*(normalized weight of empty tank)
+(1.-WGT)*(normalized total skirt conductance)
in which (normalized weight of empty tank) =
                                                TOTMAS/TNKNRM
         (normalized total skirt conductance) = CONDCT/CONNRM
and WGT, TNKNRM, CONNRM are input variables provided by the
End user during his/her interactive "BEGIN" session (*.BEG).
If WGT = 0, then the objective is simply the total skirt
conductance, CONDCT. Note that the listed definition of the
objective is always "total conductance into the tank: CONDCT".
WGT, TOTMAS, TNKNRM, CONDCT, CONNRM, CONDT(1)=
 5.0000E-01 1.0799E+01 1.0000E+01 2.3539E-03 2.0000E-03 6.2168E-04
***** RESULTS FOR LOAD SET NO. 1 *****
PARAMETERS WHICH DESCRIBE BEHAVIOR (e.g. stress, buckling load)
BEH.
       CURRENT
NO.
        VALUE
                         DEFINITION
     2.080E+01
                   free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1 ,1 )
 1
 2
                   free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1,2)
     1.199E+01
 3
     2.624E+01
                   free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1,3)
                   free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(1 ,4 )
     1.429E+01
 5
     1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,1 )
                   maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,2 )
 6
     1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1,3)
 7
      1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,4 )
 8
      1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(1 ,5 )
 9
      1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1 ,1 )
10
      1.000E-10
11
      1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1,2)
                   maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1 ,3 )
12
      1.000E-10
13
     1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1,4)
14
      1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(1,5)
15
      1.000E+10
                   buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(1 ,1 )
16
      1.000E+10
                   buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(1,2)
                   launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(1 ,1 )
17
      1.000E-10
                   launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(1,2)
18
      1.000E-10
                   maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(1,1)
19
      5.032E+04
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5.032E+04
                    maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(1,2)
                    propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(1 ,1 )
 21
       9.976E-01
 22
       9.976E-01
                    propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(1,2)
 ****** NOTE ****** NOTE ****** NOTE *****
 The phrase, "NOT APPLY", for MARGIN VALUE means that that
 particular margin value is exactly zero.
 *** END NOTE *** END NOTE *** END NOTE *** END NOTE ****
 ***** RESULTS FOR LOAD SET NO. 1 ******
MARGINS CORRESPONDING TO CURRENT DESIGN (F.S.= FACTOR OF SAFETY)
MARGIN CURRENT
 NO.
                          DEFINITION
        VALUE
 1
       7.330E-01
                  (FREQ(1 ,1 )/FREQA(1 ,1 )) / FREQF(1 ,1 )-1; F.S.= 1.20
  2
      -1.013E-03
                  (FREQ(1,2)/FREQA(1,2)) / FREQF(1,2)-1; F.S.= 1.20
  3
      1.186E+00
                  (FREQ(1,3)/FREQA(1,3)) / FREQF(1,3)-1; F.S.= 1.20
  4
      1.911E-01
                  (FREQ(1,4))/FREQA(1,4)) / FREQF(1,4)-1; F.S.= 1.20
  5
      -6.309E-03
                  (TNKSTRA(1 ,1 )/TNKSTR(1 ,1 )) / TNKSTRF(1 ,1 )-1; F.S.=
                  (TNKSTRA(1 ,2 )/TNKSTR(1 ,2 )) / TNKSTRF(1 ,2 )-1; F.S.=
  6
      -6.309E-03
                  (TNKBUK(1,1)/TNKBUKA(1,1)) / TNKBUKF(1,1)-1; F.S.=
  7
      -2.372E-03
      -2.372E-03
                  (TNKBUK(1,2)/TNKBUKA(1,2)) / TNKBUKF(1,2)-1; F.S.=
  8
 STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS WITH UNPERTURBED DECISION VARIABLES
 VAR. DEC. ESCAPE LINK. LINKED LINKING
                                          LOWER
                                                               UPPER
                                                                           DEFINITION
                                                    CURRENT
 NO. VAR.
           VAR.
                 VAR.
                          TО
                               CONSTANT
                                          BOUND
                                                     VALUE
                                                               BOUND
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E-02 1.2510E-01
                                                              2.00E-01 thickness of the
   1
      Υ
            N
                   N
                          0
tank aft dome skin: THKAFT
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E-02 6.4820E-02
                                                              2.00E-01
   2
     Y
            N
                  N
                                                                        thickness of the
tank cylinder skin: THKMID
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E-02 7.4940E-02
                                                              2.00E-01
                                                                        thickness of the
      Y
            N
                  N
forward tank dome skin: THKFWD
                               0.00E+00
                                         3.00E+00 5.4320E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
                          0
                                                                        spacing of the
     Y
            Ν
                  N
tank orthogrid stringers: STRSPC
   5
            N
                   Y
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 5.4320E+00
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        spacing of the
tank orthogrid rings: RNGSPC
                                         1.00E-01 5.2020E-01
   6
            Ν
                  Ν
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                                              1.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of the
tank orthogrid stringers: STRTHK
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E-01 2.0000E-01
                                                              1.00E+00
   7
      Y
            Ν
                   Ν
                          0
                                                                        height of the
tank orthogrid stringers: STRHI
   8
                   Y
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 5.2020E-01
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of the
             Ν
tank orthogrid rings: RNGTHK
   9
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 2.0000E-01
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        height of the
      N
            Ν
                   Y
                          7
tank orthogrid rings: RNGHI
                               0.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 3.0000E+02
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        global axial
  10
            Ν
                   N
coordinate of tank support ring: ZTANK(1)
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         2.00E+01 9.0450E+01
                                                              2.90E+02
                                                                        global axial
      Y
                  N
            Ν
coordinate of "ground": ZGRND(1 )
                                         0.00E+00 3.0000E+01
                          0
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        axial length of
  12
      Ν
             Ν
                  N
                               0.00E + 00
the propellant tank doubler: DUBAXL(1)
                                         2.00E-02 7.6930E-02
                                                              2.00E+00
                                                                        max.thickness of
  13
     Y
            Ν
                  Ν
                          0
                               0.00E+00
the propellant tank doubler: DUBTHK(1)
      Y
            N
                  N
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                         5.00E-02 5.4450E-02
                                                              2.00E+00
                                                                        thickness of the
tank reinforcement ring: TRNGTH(1)
 15
             N
                   Υ
                         14
                               5.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 2.7230E-01 0.00E+00 height of the
tank reinforcement ring: TRNGHI(1)
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0.00E+00 2.00E+00 2.0000E+00 1.00E+01 tank-end length
  16
     Y
            N
                  N
                          0
of one-layered skirt part: LNGTNK1(1)
                                                                        tank-end
                               0.00E+00 5.00E-02 1.5320E-01
                                                              1.00E+00
            N
                  N
                          0
thickness of tapered skirt part: THKTNK1(1)
                               0.00E+00 2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
  18
     Y
            N
                          0
                                                                        tank-end length
                  Ν
of tapered prongs: LNGTNK2(1)
                               0.00E+00 3.00E-02 3.1270E-02
                                                              3.00E-01
  19
      Υ
            N
                  N
                                                                       tank-end
                          0
thickness of one tapered prong: THKTNK2(1)
                          0
                               0.00E+00 2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                              1.00E+01
                                                                        "ground" end
            N
                  N
length of one-layered skirt part: LNGVEH1(1
                                                              1.00E+00
     Y
                         0
                               0.00E+00
                                         5.00E-02 1.9510E-01
                                                                        "ground"-end
            N
                  Ν
thickness of tapered skirt part: THKVEH1(1)
                               0.00E+00
                                        2.00E+00 2.0000E+00
                                                             1.00E+01
                                                                        "ground"-end
                         0
     Y
            Ν
                  Ν
length of tapered prongs: LNGVEH2(1 )
                          0
                               0.00E+00 3.00E-02 4.2190E-02
                                                              3.00E-01
                                                                        "ground"-end
            Y
                  Ν
thickness of one tapered prong: THKVEH2(1)
  2.4
      Y
            γ
                  N
                          0
                               0.00E+00 5.00E-03 8.7980E-03
                                                             1.00E-01 thickness of a
lamina: THICK(1 )
                                                             0.00E+00
  25
     N
                   Y
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                        0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                                       thickness of a
lamina: THICK(2)
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                         0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                       thickness of a
     N
            Ν
lamina: THICK(3 )
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                        0.00E+00 8.7980E-03 0.00E+00
                                                                       thickness of a
  27
     N
            Ν
                   Υ
lamina: THICK(4)
                         24
                               1.00E+00 0.00E+00 8.7980E-03 0.00E+00
  28 N
                   Y
                                                                      thickness of a
            Ν
lamina: THICK(5)
                         24
                               1.00E+00
                                        0.00E+00 8.7980E-03
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                      thickness of a
            N
                  γ
      N
lamina: THICK(6 )
                          0
                               0.00E+00 1.00E+01 3.3740E+01
                                                              8.00E+01
  30
                                                                        layup angle:
            Ν
                  Ν
     Y
ANGLE (1)
                              -1.00E+00 0.00E+00-3.3740E+01
  31
            N
                  Y
                         30
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        layup angle:
      Ν
ANGLE (2)
 32
            N
                  N
                          0
                               0.00E+00
                                        1.00E+01 7.6350E+01
                                                              8.00E+01
                                                                        layup angle:
ANGLE (3)
                  Y
                         32
                              -1.00E+00 0.00E+00-7.6350E+01
                                                              0.00E+00
                                                                        layup angle:
 33
      N
            Ν
ANGLE (4)
  34
            Ν
                  Ν
                          0
                               0.00E+00 1.00E+01 2.4830E+01
                                                              8.00E+01
                                                                        layup angle:
ANGLE (5)
                              -1.00E+00 0.00E+00-2.4830E+01 0.00E+00 layup angle:
                  Y
                         34
 35
      N
            N
ANGLE (6)
 BEHAVIOR FOR 2 ENVIRONMENT (LOAD SET)
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CONSTRAINT BEHAVIOR DEFINITION NUMBER VALUE

BEHAVIOR FOR LOAD SET NUMBER, ILOADX= 2

BEHAVIOR OVER J = vibration mode type

CHAPTER 6: Free vibration analysis-BEHX1x, x=1,2; x=load case) This is a BIGBOSOR4 model of the propellant tank with skirts. There is no loading. The mass of the propellant is "lumped" into the middle wall of the three-layered wall (inner layer = smeared orthogrid; middle layer= propellant tank wall of constant thickness; outer layer= tapered doubler centered on the global axial coordinate where the skirts (AFT and FORWARD) attached to the tank.

BIGBOSOR4 input file for: free vibration frequencies for Load Case 2 oneskirt.BEHX12

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FREE VIBRATION FREQUENCIES AND MODES (BEHX1)
 2.0796E+01(n= 0 circ.waves) 2.6236E+01(n= 0 circ.waves)
 1.1988E+01(n= 1 circ.waves) 1.4294E+01(n= 1 circ.waves)
   1
            20.79563 free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2 ,1)
   2
            11.98785
                          free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2,2)
   3
            26.23620
                          free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2,3)
                          free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2,4)
   4
            14.29377
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = stress component number
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,1 )
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,2 )
0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,3 )
   6
   7
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,4 )
   8
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,5)
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = stress component number
          0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,1 )
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,2 )
  11
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,3 )
  12
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,4 )
  13
           0.1000000E-09 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,5 )
  14
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
  15
           0.1000000E+11 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(2 ,1 )
  16
           0.1000000E+11 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(2,2)
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
           0.1000000E-09 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(2,1)
  17
  18
           0.1000000E-09 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(2,2)
 BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
CHAPTER 12: Maximum effective stress in the propellant tank/
skirt system - BEHX8xy, x=1,2 x=meridian; y=1,2 y=load case
The tank/skirt system is loaded by PRESS, GAXIAL, GLATRL, and
TNKCOOL. The purpose of this model is to compute the maximum
effective stress in the isotropic propellant tank and the
maximum stress in the supporting skirt(s), which consist of
five segments each of combined isotropic and laminated
composite material. This is an "INDIC=3" BIGBOSOR4 model.
BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 2:
maximum stress in propellant tank/skirt system from the
prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
CIRCANG(JCOL) = 0.0000E + 00 in which JCOL = 1
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oneskirt.BEHX812

**** MAX. NORMAL DISP.: PROPELLANT TANK ******

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***** (ALLOWABLE STRESS)/(ACTUAL STRESS) ******
  1 2.5774E+00 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
 2 7.7465E+00 fiber tension : matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=2 , layer=5 ,z=-0.02 ;FS= 1.00 3 5.6918E+00 fiber compres.: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=13, layer=13,z= 0.05 ;FS= 1.00
 4 2.1014E+00 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=19, layer=3 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00 5 5.5767E+00 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=3 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 6 1.0287E+00 fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=22, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00 7 2.8321E+00 fiber compres: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00 8 1.8875E+00 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=49, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00
 9 1.5975E+00 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
10 1.9780E+00 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00 11 1.7903E+00 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00
12 1.7309E+00 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=52, layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 13 1.3887E+00 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
 ***************
Stress= 1.8146E+04 fiber tension : matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=2 , layer=5 ,z=-0.02 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 4.8606E+04 fiber tension : matl=3 , A , seg=22, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 1.8397E+04 fiber compres:: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=13, layer=13,z= 0.05 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 1.7655E+04 fiber compres:: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 5.0237E+03 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=99, layer=3 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.6490E+04 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=49, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00
 \texttt{Stress= 3.1298E+04 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 , z=-0.24 ; FS= 1.00 }  
Stress= 1.1279E+03 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=3 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 1.9400E+04 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 2.5278E+04 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.7929E+04 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.8887E+04 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=52, layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00
Modified maximum stress components for Load Case 2 STRESS2(i),i=1,6=
     4.8606E+04 1.7655E+04 2.6490E+04 3.1298E+04 8.9659E+03
                                                                                           3.6004E+04
     fiber tension fiber compres. transv tension transv compres in-plane shear effect. stress
 **** MAX. STRESS IN THE PROPELLANT TANK *****
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN ISOTROPIC WALL, LOAD A *****
 STRMAX(1) = 1.0116E+04, LOCATS(1)=1000*ISEG+I=5013
 ***************
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN NWALL =9 SEGS, LOAD A *****
 STRESS= 4.8606E+04
fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=22, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
 *****************
   19
                                 maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(2,1)
BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 2:
maximum stress in propellant tank/skirt system from the
prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
 CIRCANG(JCOL) = 9.0000E + 01 in which JCOL = 2
oneskirt.BEHX822
 **** MAX. NORMAL DISP.: PROPELLANT TANK ******
 ***** MAX. NORMAL DISPLACEMENT, LOAD SET A *******
WWWMAX(1) = -5.6845E-01, LOCATW(1)=1000*ISEG+I=23003
 *****************
****** (ALLOWABLE STRESS)/(ACTUAL STRESS) ******
 1 1.8182E+00 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
 2 5.3060E+00 fiber tension: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00 
3 2.9371E+00 fiber compres:: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=1 , layer=12,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00 
4 1.7030E+00 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=92, layer=11,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00
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5 3.2414E+00 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=1 , layer=4 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
  6 1.0028E+00 fiber tension : matl=3 , A , seg=22, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
 7 2.6346E+00 fiber compres.: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00
 8 1.6918E+00 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=48, layer=1 ,z=-0.03 ;FS= 1.00
 9 1.6345E+00 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
10 1.9927E+00 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00 1.5849E+00 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 1.5337E+00 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=51, layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00 1.4005E+00 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
**************
Stress= 2.6493E+04 fiber tension: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 4.9860E+04 fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=22, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 3.5652E+04 fiber compres: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=1 , layer=12,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 1.8978E+04 fiber compres: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=51, layer=1 ,z=-0.23 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 6.1992E+03 transv tension: matl=2 , A , seg=3 , node=92, layer=11,z= 0.04 ;FS= 1.00 Stress= 2.9554E+04 transv tension: matl=3 , A , seg=21, node=48, layer=1 ,z=-0.03 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 3.0591E+04 transv compres: matl=3 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 1.9405E+03 in-plane shear: matl=2 , A , seg=4 , node=1 , layer=4 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.7500E+04 effect. stress: matl=1 , A , seg=4 , node=2 , layer=1 ,z=-0.05 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 2.5091E+04 effect. stress: matl=4 , A , seg=17, node=3 , layer=2 ,z=-0.06 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 3.1548E+04 effect. stress: matl=5 , A , seg=19, node=2 , layer=3 ,z= 0.03 ;FS= 1.00
Stress= 3.2601E+04 effect. stress: matl=6 , A , seg=18, node=51, layer=2 ,z= 0.03 ;FS=
                                                                                                    1.00
Stress= 3.5702E+04 effect. stress: matl=7 , A , seg=23, node=1 , layer=2 ,z=-0.04 ;FS= 1.00 Modified maximum stress components for Load Case 2 STRESS2(i),i=1,6=
                   1.8978E+04 2.9554E+04 3.0591E+04
                                                                      1.5426E+04
                                                                                       3.5702E+04
     4.9860E+04
     fiber tension fiber compres. transv tension transv compres in-plane shear effect. stress
 **** MAX. STRESS IN THE PROPELLANT TANK ******
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN ISOTROPIC WALL, LOAD A *****
STRMAX(1) = 1.8136E+04, LOCATS(1)=1000*ISEG+I=5013
 *****************
 ***** MAX. EFF. STRESS IN NWALL =9 SEGS, LOAD A *****
 STRESS=
               4.9860E+04
fiber tension: matl=3 , A , seg=22, node=6 , layer=1 ,z=-0.24 ;FS=
                                maximum stress in the propellant tank: {\tt TNKSTR(2,2)}
               49860.14
  BEHAVIOR OVER J = skirt number (1 for aft skirt)
CHAPTER 13: Buckling of the propellant tank/skirt system
 - BEHX9xy, x=1,2 x=meridian; y=1,2 y=load case
This tank/skirt model is analogous to that
described in CHAPTER 12 (*.BEHX8xy) except that in this case
we are interested in buckling rather than maximum stress.
The propellant tank/skirt system is loaded by PRESS, GAXIAL,
GLATRL and TNKCOOL. The purpose of this model is to compute
the minimum buckling load in the propellant tank/skirt system.
This is an "INDIC=4" BIGBOSOR4 model.
BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 2:
buckling in the propellant tank/skirt system from the
prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
CIRCANG(JCOL) = 0.0000E + 00 in which JCOL = 1
oneskirt.BEHX912
BUCKLING OF THE PROPELLANT TANK (BEHX9)
  6.3998E+02(n= 3 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.8816E+02(n= 5 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
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7.5511E+01(n= 7 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  4.2061E+01(n= 9 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.7502E+01(n= 11 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9623E+01(n= 13 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.3529E+01(n= 15 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  7.8013E+00(n= 17 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  6.4064E+00(n= 19 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  6.1490E+00(n= 21 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  6.1039E+00(n= 23 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  5.1677E+00(n= 25 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  4.4643E+00(n= 27 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  3.9239E+00(n= 29 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  3.5002E+00(n= 31 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 3.1626E+00(n= 33 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
2.8900E+00(n= 35 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
2.6680E+00(n= 37 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
2.4860E+00(n= 39 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.3362E+00(n= 41 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.2120E+00(n= 43 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.1071E+00(n= 45 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0169E+00(n= 47 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.9415E+00(n= 49 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.8795E+00(n= 51 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.8292E+00(n= 53 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7891E+00(n= 55 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7577E+00(n= 57 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.7340E+00(n= 59 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7171E+00(n= 61 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7063E+00(n= 63 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7009E+00(n= 65 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7005E+00(n= 67 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7045E+00(n= 69 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7127E+00(n= 71 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7247E+00(n= 73 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7403E+00(n= 75 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.7592E+00(n= 77 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7812E+00(n= 79 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.8061E+00(n= 81 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.8339E+00(n= 83 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.8643E+00(n= 85 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.8972E+00(n= 87 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.9326E+00(n= 89 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  1.9703E+00(n= 91 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0103E+00(n= 93 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0524E+00(n= 95 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.0966E+00(n= 97 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
  2.1429E+00(n= 99 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
Critical buckling load factor from BIGBOSOR4, TNKBUK= 1.7005E+00
Critical number of axial half-waves (BIGBOSOR4), NWVCRT=
                             propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(2 ,1 )
   21
              1.700472
BIGBOSOR4 input file for load case 2:
buckling in the propellant tank/skirt system from the
prebuckling load distribution on the meridian at angle,
CIRCANG(JCOL) = 9.0000E + 01 in which JCOL = 2
oneskirt.BEHX922
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BUCKLING OF THE PROPELLANT TANK (BEHX9)
 2.1429E+00(n= 3 circ.waves); IFAILD= 1
 2.3972E+02(n=
                  5 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 8.9090E+01(n=
                  7 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
                9 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 4.7566E+01(n=
 3.0457E+01(n= 11 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1503E+01(n= 13 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.6114E+01(n= 15 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.2563E+01(n= 17 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.0069E+01(n= 19 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 8.2359E+00(n= 21 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 6.8521E+00(n= 23 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 5.7963E+00(n= 25 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
4.9868E+00(n= 27 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
4.3604E+00(n= 29 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
3.8696E+00(n= 31 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
3.4796E+00(n= 33 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 3.1660E+00(n= 35 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.9115E+00(n= 37 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.7031E+00(n= 39 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.5306E+00(n= 41 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.3838E+00(n= 43 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.2564E+00(n= 45 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1494E+00(n= 47 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0613E+00(n= 49 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9891E+00(n= 51 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.9305E+00(n= 53 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8836E+00(n= 55 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8466E+00(n= 57 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8183E+00(n= 59 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7976E+00(n= 61 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7837E+00(n= 63 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7758E+00(n= 65 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7734E+00(n= 67 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7759E+00(n= 69 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7829E+00(n= 71 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.7940E+00(n= 73 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
1.8090E+00(n= 75 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8275E+00(n= 77 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8494E+00(n= 79 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.8745E+00(n= 81 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9025E+00(n= 83 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9334E+00(n= 85 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 1.9669E+00(n= 87 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0030E+00(n= 89 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0416E+00(n= 91 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.0825E+00(n= 93 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1257E+00(n= 95 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.1712E+00(n= 97 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
 2.2187E+00(n= 99 circ.waves); IFAILD= 0
Critical buckling load factor from BIGBOSOR4, TNKBUK= 1.7734E+00
Critical number of axial half-waves (BIGBOSOR4), NWVCRT=
                                                                67
             1.773388
                            propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(2,2)
**** RESULTS FOR LOAD SET NO. 2 *****
PARAMETERS WHICH DESCRIBE BEHAVIOR (e.g. stress, buckling load)
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BEH. CURRENT

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1
     2.080E+01
                 free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2 ,1)
                 free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2,2)
 2
     1.199E+01
 3
     2.624E+01
                 free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2 ,3 )
 4
     1.429E+01
                 free vibration frequency (cps): FREQ(2 ,4)
 5
     1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,1 )
    1.000E-10
 6
                 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,2 )
 7
    1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,3 )
 8
     1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2,4)
                 maximum stress in material 1: STRES1(2 ,5)
 9
     1.000E-10
10
     1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,1 )
     1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2,2)
11
     1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2,3)
12
                 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2,4)
13
     1.000E-10
                 maximum stress in material 2: STRES2(2 ,5 )
14
     1.000E-10
                 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(2 ,1 )
15
     1.000E+10
16
     1.000E+10
                 buckling of skirt as a shell: SHLBUK(2,2)
17
    1.000E-10
                 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(2 ,1 )
18
    1.000E-10
                 launch-hold force in a skirt: FORCE(2,2)
19
     4.861E+04
                 maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(2,1)
                 maximum stress in the propellant tank: TNKSTR(2,2)
2.0
    4.986E+04
21
     1.700E+00
                 propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(2 ,1 )
     1.773E+00
                 propellant tank buckling load factor: TNKBUK(2,2)
22
****** NOTE ****** NOTE ****** NOTE *****
The phrase, "NOT APPLY", for MARGIN VALUE means that that
particular margin value is exactly zero.
*** END NOTE *** END NOTE *** END NOTE ***
***** RESULTS FOR LOAD SET NO. 2 ******
MARGINS CORRESPONDING TO CURRENT DESIGN (F.S. = FACTOR OF SAFETY)
MARGIN CURRENT
NO.
                       DEFINITION
       VALUE
     7.330E-01 (FREQ(2 ,1 )/FREQA(2 ,1 )) / FREQF(2 ,1 )-1; F.S.= 1.20
1
               (FREQ(2 ,2 )/FREQA(2 ,2 )) / FREQF(2 ,2 )-1; F.S.= 1.20
 2
    -1.013E-03
     1.186E+00 (FREQ(2 ,3 )/FREQA(2 ,3 )) / FREQF(2 ,3 )-1; F.S.= 1.20
 3
     1.911E-01 (FREQ(2 ,4 )/FREQA(2 ,4 )) / FREQF(2 ,4 )-1; F.S.= 1.20
 4
 5
     2.869E-02 (TNKSTRA(2 ,1 )/TNKSTR(2 ,1 )) / TNKSTRF(2 ,1 )-1; F.S.= 1.00
     2.805E-03 (TNKSTRA(2 ,2 )/TNKSTR(2 ,2 )) / TNKSTRF(2 ,2 )-1; F.S.=
 6
     7.005E-01 (TNKBUK(2 ,1 )/TNKBUKA(2 ,1 )) / TNKBUKF(2 ,1 )-1; F.S.=
7
     7.734E-01 (TNKBUK(2 ,2 )/TNKBUKA(2 ,2 )) / TNKBUKF(2 ,2 )-1; F.S.= 1.00
*************
************* DESIGN OBJECTIVE ***********
  CURRENT VALUE OF THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION:
VAR.
      CURRENT
NO.
       VALUE
                       DEFINITION
     1.128E+00 WGTxTOTMAS/TNKNRM +(1-WGT)xCONDCT/CONNRM: CONDCT
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                                    *****
************** DESIGN OBJECTIVE ***********
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****** ALL 2 LOAD CASES PROCESSED ********
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NO.

VALUE

DEFINITION

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VAR.
       CURRENT
NO.
        VALUE
                          DEFINITION
 1
      3.864E+02 acceleration of gravity: GRAV
 2
      3.000E+02 diameter of launch vehicle: DIAVEH
 3
      2.000E+02 diameter of the aft dome of the tank: AFTDIA
      5.000E+01 height of the aft dome of the tank: AFTHI
 5
      2.000E+02 diameter of the forward dome of the tank: FWDDIA
      5.000E+01 height of the forward dome of the tank: FWDHI
 6
 7
      4.000E+02 axial dist. from aft dome apex to fwd dome apex: FLTANK
      1.000E+02 global axial coordinate of the aft dome apex: ZAPEX
 8
      2.560E-03 weight density of the propellant: DENPRP
 9
10
      3.000E+02 global axial coordinate of the tank cg: ZCG
      1.000E+07 Young's modulus of the cold tank material: ETANK
11
12
      3.000E-01 Poisson's ratio of the tank material: NUTANK
13
      2.500E-04 mass density of the tank material: DENTNK
14
      1.000E-05 coef.thermal expansion of tank material: ALTNK
      1.000E+07 hoop modulus of the tank ring: TRNGE(1)
      1.000E-05 coef.of thermal expansion of the tank ring: ALRNGT(1)
16
      2.100E+07 modulus in the fiber direction: E1(1)
17
      1.600E+06 modulus transverse to fibers: E2(1)
18
      6.790E+05 in-plane shear modulus: G12(1)
2.300E-02 small Poisson's ratio: NU(1)
6.270E+05 x-z out-of-plane shear modulus: G13(1)
19
20
21
22
      3.340E+05 y-z out-of-plane shear modulus: G23(1)
23
      1.000E-06 coef.of thermal expansion along fibers: ALPHA1(1)
24
      1.000E-05 coef.of thermal expan.transverse to fibers: ALPHA2(1)
25
      1.700E+02 curing delta temperature (positive): TEMTUR(1)
      7.270E-03 conductivity along the fibers: COND1(1)
26
27
      4.370E-03 conductivity transverse to fibers: COND2(1)
28
      5.700E-02 weight density of the material: DENSTY(1)
      5.000E-01 objective=WGT*(empty tank mass) +(1-WGT)*(conductance): WGT
29
      1.000E+01 normalizing empty tank mass: TNKNRM
30
      2.000E-03 normalizing total skirt conductance: CONNRM
PARAMETERS WHICH ARE ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS (e.g. loads, temps.)
       CURRENT
VAR.
NO.
        VALUE
                          DEFINITION
 1
      2.500E+01 propellant tank ullage pressure: PRESS(1)
      2.500E+01 propellant tank ullage pressure: PRESS(2)
 3
      1.000E+01 quasi-static axial q-loading: GAXIAL(1)
      0.000E+00 quasi-static axial g-loading: GAXIAL(2)
 4
      0.000E+00 quasi-static lateral g-loading: GLATRL(1 )
 5
      1.000E+01 quasi-static lateral g-loading: GLATRL(2)
 6
     -2.000E+02 propellant tank cool-down from cryogen: TNKCOOL(1)
-2.000E+02 propellant tank cool-down from cryogen: TNKCOOL(2)
 7
PARAMETERS WHICH ARE CLASSIFIED AS ALLOWABLES (e.g. max. stress)
VAR.
       CURRENT
NO.
       VALUE
                          DEFINITION
 1
      1.000E+01 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(1 ,1 )
 2
      1.000E+01 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(2 ,1 )
      1.000E+01 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(1,2)
 3
      1.000E+01 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(2 ,2 )
 4
      1.000E+01 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(1 ,3 )
 5
```

```
1.000E+01 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(2,3)
 7
                minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(1 ,4 )
      1.000E+01
                 minimum allowable frequency (cps): FREQA(2 ,4 )
 8
      1.000E+01
 9
      1.406E+05
                 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(1 ,1 )
10
                 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(2 ,1 )
      1.406E+05
11
      1.047E+05
                 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(1 ,2 )
                 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(2 ,2 )
12
      1.047E+05
      1.056E+04
13
                 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(1,3)
14
      1.056E+04
                 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(2,3)
      1.453E+04 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(1 ,4 )
15
16
      1.453E+04 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(2 ,4 )
      6.290E+03 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(1 ,5 )
17
      6.290E+03 maximum allowable stress in material 1: STRES1A(2 ,5 )
18
                maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(1 ,1 )
19
      1.406E+05
20
      1.406E+05
                 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(2 ,1 )
21
      1.047E+05
                 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(1 ,2 )
22
      1.047E+05
                 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(2 ,2 )
23
      1.056E+04
                 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(1,3)
24
      1.056E+04
                 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(2 ,3 )
25
      1.453E+04
                 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(1,4)
      1.453E+04 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(2 ,4 )
      6.290E+03 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(1 ,5 )
27
      6.290E+03 maximum allowable stress in material 2: STRES2A(2 ,5 )
28
      1.000E+00 allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(1 ,1 )
29
      1.000E+00 allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(2 ,1 )
30
                 allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(1 ,2 )
31
      1.000E+00
32
      1.000E+00
                 allowable for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKA(2,2)
33
      1.500E+04
                 maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(1 ,1 )
34
      1.500E+04
                 maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(2 ,1 )
35
                 maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(1,2)
      1.500E+04
                maximum allowable launch-hold force in skirt: FORCEA(2,2)
36
      1.500E+04
37
      5.000E+04 allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(1 ,1 )
38
      5.000E+04 allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(2 ,1 )
39
      5.000E+04 allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(1 ,2 )
      5.000E+04 allowable for propellant tank stress: TNKSTRA(2 ,2 )
40
      1.000E+00 allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(1 ,1 )
41
      1.000E+00 allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(2 ,1 )
42
43
      1.000E+00 allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(1 ,2 )
44
      1.000E+00 allowable for propellant tank buckling: TNKBUKA(2 ,2 )
PARAMETERS WHICH ARE FACTORS OF SAFETY
VAR.
       CURRENT
                         DEFINITION
NO.
        VALUE
                factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(1,1)
      1.200E+00
 1
      1.200E+00 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(2 ,1)
 2
      1.200E+00 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(1,2)
 3
      1.200E+00 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(2,2)
 4
 5
      1.200E+00
                 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(1,3)
      1.200E+00 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(2 ,3)
 6
 7
      1.200E+00 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(1,4)
 8
      1.200E+00 factor of safety for frequency: FREQF(2 ,4)
 9
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(1 ,1 )
10
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(2 ,1 )
11
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(1 ,2 )
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(2 ,2 )
12
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(1,3)
13
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(2 ,3)
14
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(1 ,4 )
15
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1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(2 ,4 )
16
       1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(1 ,5 )
17
       1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRES1F(2 ,5)
18
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 1: STRESIF(2,3)
1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(1,1)
1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(2,1)
1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(1,2)
19
20
21
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(2 ,2 )
22
23
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(1,3)
24
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(2 ,3)
25
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(1 ,4)
      1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(2 ,4)
26
       1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(1 ,5 )
27
       1.500E+00 factor of safety for stress, matl 2: STRES2F(2 ,5 )
28
       2.000E+00 factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(1 ,1 )
29
      2.000E+00 factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(2 ,1 )
2.000E+00 factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(1 ,2 )
30
31
      2.000E+00 factor of safety for shell buckling of skirt: SHLBUKF(2 ,2 )
32
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(1 ,1 )
33
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(2 ,1 )
34
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(1,2)
35
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for launch-hold force: FORCEF(2,2)
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(1 ,1 )
37
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(2 ,1 )
38
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(1,2)
39
       1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank stress: TNKSTRF(2 ,2 )
40
      1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(1 ,1 )
1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(2 ,1 )
41
42
43
       1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(1 ,2 )
44
       1.000E+00 factor of safety for tank buckling: TNKBUKF(2 ,2 )
```

O INEQUALITY CONSTRAINTS WHICH MUST BE SATISFIED

DESCRIPTION OF FILES USED AND GENERATED IN THIS RUN:

oneskirt.OPP = Output file containing evolution of design and margins since the beginning of optimization cycles.

oneskirt.CBL = Labelled common blocks for analysis.

(This is an unformatted sequential file.)

oneskirt.OPT = This file contains the input data for MAINSETUP as well as OPTIMIZE. The batch command OPTIMIZE can be given over and over again without having to return to MAINSETUP because oneskirt.OPT exists.

URPROMPT.DAT= Prompt file for interactive input.

For further information about files used and generated during operation of GENOPT, give the command HELPG FILES.

Menu of commands: CHOOSEPLOT, OPTIMIZE, MAINSETUP, CHANGE, DECIDE, SUPEROPT

IN ORDER TO AVOID FALSE CONVERGENCE OF THE DESIGN, BE SURE TO RUN "OPTIMIZE" MANY TIMES DURING AN OPTIMIZATION AND/OR USE THE "GLOBAL" OPTIMIZING SCRIPT, "SUPEROPT".

Table 7 Input data for the GENOPT processor, CHANGE, by means of which optimized designs can be archived (oneskirt.CHG file).

(These data are provided by the End user, long propellant tank, one skirt)

```
$ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
   Y
              $ Do you want to change any values in Parameter Set No. 1?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.1251000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.6482000E-01 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       3
0.0749400
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       4
5.432000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
       5
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
              $ New value of the parameter
5.432000
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       6
0.5202000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.2000000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.5202000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
       9
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.2000000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      10
300.0000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      11
90.45000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      12
30.00000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
```

```
$ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      13
0.0769300
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
     14
              $ New value of the parameter
0.0544500
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      15
              $ New value of the parameter
0.2723000
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      16
              $ New value of the parameter
2.000000
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     17
  0.1532
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
     18
              $ New value of the parameter
2.000000
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      19
0.3127000E-01 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     20
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
              $ New value of the parameter
2.000000
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
     21
              $ New value of the parameter
0.1951000
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
     22
2.000000
              $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      23
0.4219000E-01 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
     24
0.8798000E-02 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
   У
      25
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.8798000E-02 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
     26
0.8798000E-02 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
      27
0.8798000E-02 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
              $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
0.8798000E-02 $ New value of the parameter
              $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
```

```
29
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
 0.8798000E-02 $ New value of the parameter
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     У
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       30
  33.74000
               $ New value of the parameter
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     У
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       31
               $ New value of the parameter
 -33.74000
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     У
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       32
               $ New value of the parameter
  76.35000
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       33
               $ New value of the parameter
 -76.35000
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     У
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       34
  24.83000
               $ New value of the parameter
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     У
               $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
       35
 -24.83000
               $ New value of the parameter
               $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
     n
               $ Do you want to change values of any "fixed" parameters?
     Ν
               $ Do you want to change any loads?
     Ν
               $ Do you want to change values of allowables?
     N
               $ Do you want to change any factors of safety?
______
```

Table 8 Input data for the GENOPT processor, CHOOSEPLOT (oneskirt.CPL file). This type of input leads to a plot analogous to those displayed in Figs. 14 - 21.

```
Ν
          $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
Y
          $ Any design margins to be plotted v. iterations (Y or N)?
   1
          \$ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
   2
          \$ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,..)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
          $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,..)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
  19
          \$ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,\ldots)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
  20
          $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,..)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
  21
          \$ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
  22
          $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,..)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
          $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,..)
  41
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
  42
          \$ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,\ldots)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
          $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,..)
  43
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
У
  44
          \$ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
          $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
n
   1
          $ Give maximum value (positive) to be included in plot frame.
```