

Table 2.1

28 June, 2008

flat.shear.itype1.runstream

This is a monocoque aluminum flat plate under combined axial compression,  $N_x = -30$  lb/in and uniform in-plane shear,  $N_{xy} = 300$  lb/in. The plate is allowed to go into its postbuckled state.

The case is called "flat".

The runstream for optimization is:

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panda2log      (activate PANDA2 commands)
begin          (establish starting design; input data = flat.BEG)
setup          (PANDA2 sets up matrix templates)
decide         (choose decision variables and bounds, etc. input = flat.DEC)
mainsetup      (choose loading, strategy, analysis type, etc.
               cp flat.shear.itype1.opt flat.OPT; input=flat.OPT)
pandaopt       (PANDA2 does computations)
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pandaopt       (PANDA2 does computations)
cp flat.OPP flat.shear.opp
chooseplot     (choose what to plot.
               cp flat.shear.cpl flat.CPL; input = flat.CPL)
diplot         (obtain postscript files: flat.3.ps, flat.4.ps, flat.5.ps)
cp flat.3.ps flat.margins.shearload.ps
cp flat.4.ps flat.thickness.shearload.ps
cp flat.5.ps flat.objective.shearload.ps
(edit flat.OPT to get results for "fixed" (optimized)
 design, that is, change ITYPE from 1 to 2)
pandaopt
cp flat.OPM flat.opm and generate flat.axial.itype2.abridged.opm
cleanpan       (clean up "flat" files)

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Handwritten annotations:

- Table 1.2 points to the first line (panda2log).
- Table 1.3 points to the second line (begin).
- Table 2.2 points to the third line (setup).
- Table 2.3 points to the fourth line (decide).
- Table 2.4 points to the fifth line (mainsetup).
- Fig. 2.1 points to the sixth line (pandaopt).
- Fig. 2.2 points to the seventh line (pandaopt).
- Fig. 2.3 points to the eighth line (pandaopt).
- Table 2.5 points to the ninth line (cp flat.OPM).
- Table 2.6 points to the tenth line (cleanpan).

The optimum thickness is  $t = 0.06026$  inch.

NOTE: You have to include a small initial imperfection whenever the in-plane shear loading is dominant.

Table 2.2

## flat. OPT (optimization)

n \$ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?  
 -30.0000 \$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx( 1)  
 0 \$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny( 1)  
 300.00 \$ In-plane shear in load set A, Nxy( 1)  
 n \$ Does the axial load vary in the L2 direction?  
 0.000000 \$ Applied axial moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), Mx( 1)  
 0.000000 \$ Applied hoop moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), My( 1)  
 Y \$ Want to include effect of transverse shear deformation?  
 0 \$ IQUICK = quick analysis indicator (0 or 1)  
 Y \$ Do you want to vary M for minimum local buckling load?  
 N \$ Do you want to choose a starting M for local buckling?  
 Y \$ Do you want to perform a "low-axial-wavenumber" search?  
 0.2000000 \$ Factor of safety for general instability, FSGEN( 1)  
 0.2000000 \$ Minimum load factor for local buckling (Type H for HELP), FSLOC( 1)  
 1.000000 \$ Minimum load factor for stiffener buckling (Type H), FSBSTR( 1)  
 1.000000 \$ Factor of safety for stress, FSSTR( 1)  
 Y \$ Do you want "flat skin" discretized module for local buckling?  
 N \$ Do you want wide-column buckling to constrain the design?  
 0.000000 \$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx0( 1)  
 0.000000 \$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny0( 1)  
 0 \$ Axial load applied along the (0=neutral plane), (1=panel skin)  
 0.000000 \$ Uniform applied pressure [positive upward. See H(elp)], p( 1)  
 0.000000 \$ Out-of-roundness, Wimpgl=(Max.diameter-Min.diam)/4, Wimpgl( 1)  
 0.010000 \$ Initial buckling modal general imperfection amplitude, Wimpg2( 1)  
 0.010000 \$ Initial local imperfection amplitude (must be positive), Wloc( 1)  
 Y \$ Do you want PANDA2 to change imperfection amplitudes (see H(elp))?( 1)  
 50 \$ Axial halfwavelength of typical general buckling mode, AXLWAV( 1)  
 Y \$ Do you want PANDA2 to find the general imperfection shape?( 1)  
 1.000000 \$ Maximum allowable average axial strain (type H for HELP)( 1)  
 N \$ Is there any thermal "loading" in this load set (Y/N)?  
 Y \$ Do you want a "complete" analysis (type H for "Help")?  
 N \$ Want to provide another load set ?  
 N \$ Do you want to impose minimum TOTAL thickness of any segment?  
 N \$ Do you want to impose maximum TOTAL thickness of any segment?  
 N \$ Use reduced effective stiffness in panel skin (H(elp), Y or N)?  
 0 \$ NPRINT= output index (-1=min. 0=good, 1=ok, 2=more, 3=too much)  
 0 \$ Index for type of shell theory (0 or 1 or 2), ISAND  
 Y \$ Does the postbuckling axial wavelength of local buckles change?  
 Y \$ Want to suppress general buckling mode with many axial waves?  
 N \$ Do you want to double-check PANDA-type eigenvalues [type (H)elp]?  
 0 \$ Choose (0=transverse inextensional; 1=transverse extensional)  
 1 \$ Choose ICONSV = -1 or 0 or 1 or H(elp), ICONSV  
 1 \$ Choose type of analysis (ITYPE = 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5)  
 Y \$ Do you want to prevent secondary buckling (mode jumping)?  
 N \$ Do you want to use the "alternative" buckling solution?  
 5 \$ How many design iterations permitted in this run (5 to 25)?  
 1.000000 \$ MAXMAR. Plot only those margins less than MAXMAR (Type H)  
 N \$ Do you want to reset total iterations to zero (Type H)?  
 1 \$ Index for objective (1=min. weight, 2=min. distortion)  
 1.000000 \$ FMARG (Skip load case with min. margin greater than FMARG)

note →

optimization →

flat.shear.itype1.opt

Note that both local & general buckling are the same phenomenon because there are no stiffeners.

Table 2.3 (1 of 3) flat.opp = flat, shear.opp  
 flat.shear.opp (29 June, 2008)

\*\*\*\*\* July 2007 VERSION OF PANDA2 \*\*\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*\*\* THIS IS THE flat.OPP FILE \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* STORE PROCESSOR \*\*\*\*\*  
 The purpose of STORE is to add the latest results for margins, design variables, and objective to those for previous iterations for the specific case called flat. Later, when the final design has been obtained, the entire history of the design evolution for the specific case flat can be plotted.  
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*output from optimization*

ITRTOT,NITER,ITRPLT,ITRLST = 10 1 10 9  
 IAUTOC,ITIGHT,IDESGN= 0 0 2  
 IITIGH(i),i=1,3= 0 0 0  
 ITRMIN(i),i=1,3= 100000 100000 100000

\*\*\*\*\* DESIGN VARIABLES FOR 10 ITERATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

1 T(1 )(SKN):thickness for layer index no.(1 ): SKN seg=1 , layer=1 =  
 1.0000E-01 9.0000E-02 8.2800E-02 7.7501E-02 7.3533E-02 7.0521E-02 7.0521E-02 6.3469E-02»  
 6.0260E-02 6.0260E-02

\*\*\*\*\* OBJECTIVE FOR 10 ITERATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

1 WEIGHT OF THE ENTIRE PANEL =  
 5.0000E+00 4.5000E+00 4.1400E+00 3.8750E+00 3.6766E+00 3.5260E+00 3.5260E+00 3.1734E+00»  
 3.0130E+00 3.0130E+00

1 Absolute values of maximum constraint gradients, GRDPLT =  
 2.4996E+01 3.2442E+01 3.2950E+01 1.6673E+01 1.1324E+01 0.0000E+00 8.9299E+00 5.6678E+00»  
 5.4789E+00 5.4789E+00

\*\*\*\*\* DESIGN MARGINS FOR 10 ITERATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* LOAD SET NO. 1 \*\*\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*\*\* SUB-CASE (1=MIDLENGTH, 2=PANEL END)= 1 \*\*\*\*\*

1 Local buckling: discrete model =  
 6.9018E+00 4.7624E+00 3.4881E+00 2.6810E+00 2.1444E+00 1.7738E+00 1.7738E+00 1.0225E+00»  
 7.3112E-01 7.3112E-01

2 Local buckling: Koiter theory. =  
 6.9122E+00 4.7693E+00 3.4932E+00 2.6849E+00 2.1476E+00 1.7766E+00 1.7766E+00 1.0243E+00»  
 7.3269E-01 7.3269E-01

3 eff.stress:matl=1; MID. =  
 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 9.7000E-01 9.7000E-01 2.8651E-01»  
 7.1913E-03 7.1913E-03

4 buck(DONL)simp-support general buck; MIDLENGTH =  
 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00»  
 7.3865E-01 7.3865E-01

\*\*\*\*\* DESIGN MARGINS FOR 10 ITERATIONS \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* LOAD SET NO. 1 \*\*\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*\*\* SUB-CASE (1=MIDLENGTH, 2=PANEL END)= 2 \*\*\*\*\*

1 Local buckling: discrete model =  
 6.9018E+00 4.7624E+00 3.4881E+00 2.6810E+00 2.1444E+00 1.7738E+00 1.7738E+00 1.0225E+00»  
 7.3113E-01 7.3112E-01

2 Local buckling: Koiter theory. =  
 6.9122E+00 4.7693E+00 3.4932E+00 2.6849E+00 2.1476E+00 1.7766E+00 1.7766E+00 1.0243E+00»  
 7.3269E-01 7.3269E-01

3 eff.stress:matl=1; ENDS =  
 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 9.7000E-01 9.7000E-01 2.8651E-01»  
 7.1913E-03 7.1913E-03

SUMMARY OF STATE OF THE DESIGN WITH EACH ITERATION

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| ITERA | WEIGHT | FOR EACH LOAD SET....             |   |   |   |   | ANY ABRUPT CHANGES IN MO» |             |            |
|-------|--------|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---------------------------|-------------|------------|
| DE?   | OF     | (IQUICK; NO. OF CRITICAL MARGINS) |   |   |   |   | SLOPE CHANGE? (m,n) CHAN» |             |            |
| GE?   |        |                                   |   |   |   |   |                           |             |            |
| NO.   | PANEL  | LOAD SET NO.->                    | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5                         | EIG. RATIOS | EIG. RATI» |

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3 LOAD SET NO.-> 1 2 3 1 2 »  
 SUBCASE NO.-> 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1»

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-----PANDAOPT-----
 1 5.0000E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 2 4.5000E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 3 4.1400E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 4 3.8750E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 5 3.6766E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 6 3.5260E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
-----PANDAOPT-----
 7 3.5260E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 8 3.1734E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
 9 3.0130E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 2)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0
-----PANDAOPT-----
10 3.0130E+00    FEASIBLE    (0; 2)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    (0; 0)    0 0 0 0 0 0 N 0 0 0 0 0»
0

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IOBJAL,ITRPLT= 0 10; OBJMN0,OBJPLT(ITRPLT)= 3.0130E+00 3.0130E+00

0  
 VALUES OF DESIGN VARIABLES CORRESPONDING TO BEST FEASIBLE DESIGN  
 VAR. STR/ SEG. LAYER CURRENT  
 NO. RNG NO. NO. VALUE DEFINITION  
 1 SKN 1 1 6.026E-02 T(1 )(SKN):thickness for layer index no.(1 ): SKN seg=1 , lay»  
 er=1

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 \*\*\*\*\* DESIGN OBJECTIVE \*\*\*\*\*  
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0  
 CORRESPONDING VALUE OF THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION:  
 VAR. STR/ SEG. LAYER CURRENT  
 NO. RNG NO. NO. VALUE DEFINITION  
 0 0 3.013E+00 WEIGHT OF THE ENTIRE PANEL

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 \*\*\*\*\* DESIGN OBJECTIVE \*\*\*\*\*  
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 ITYPE,ITRTOT,ITRMX2,IAUTOC,ITIGHT,IITIGH(1),ITRMIN(1)=  
 1 10 150 0 0 0 100000  
 ITYPE,ITRTOT,ITRMX2,IAUTOC,ITIGHT,IITIGH(2),ITRMIN(1)=  
 1 10 300 0 0 0 100000  
 ITYPE,ITRTOT,ITRMX2,IAUTOC,ITIGHT,IITIGH(3),ITRMIN(2)=  
 1 10 430 0 0 0 100000

#### DESCRIPTION OF FILES USED AND GENERATED IN THIS RUN:

flat.NAM = This file contains only the name of the case.  
 flat.OPP = Output data. Please list this file and inspect  
 carefully before proceeding.  
 flat.CBL = Labelled common blocks for PANDA2 analysis.  
 (This is an unformatted sequential file.)  
 flat.PL1 = Binary file containing important results for plots  
 from all design iterations except those correspond-  
 ing to the final PANDAOPT command.  
 flat.PL2 = Binary file containing important results for plots  
 from all design iterations including those corres-  
 ponding to the final PANDAOPT command.  
 flat.PLD = Binary file containing all design parameters that  
 are decision variable candidates and the objective  
 function for all design iterations.  
 flat.TIT = Binary file containing definitions of margins.  
 flat.Pij = Binary files containing margins for all design  
 iterations. i = subcase (1 or 2); j = load set

## Table 2.3 (3 of 3)

For further information about files used and generated during operation of PANDA2, give the command HELPAN FILES.

Menu of commands: PANDAOPT, SUPEROPT, MAINSETUP, CHANGE, DECIDE, CHOOSEPLOT, PANEL, STAGSMODEL

NOTE: IN ORDER TO AVOID FALSE CONVERGENCE OF THE DESIGN, BE SURE TO RUN PANDAOPT MANY TIMES DURING AN OPTIMIZATION.

\*\*\*\*\* END OF THE flat.OPP FILE \*\*\*\*\*

# Table 2.4 Flat.CPL (Flat.shear.cpl)

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n      $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
y      $ Any design variables to be plotted v. iterations (Y or N)?
1      $ Choose a variable to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
n      $ Any more design variables to be plotted (Y or N) ?
y      $ Any design margins to be plotted (Y or N)?
1      $ For which load set (1 - 5) do you want behavior/margins?
1      $ Choose a sub-case (1 or 2) within this load set
1      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
2      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
3      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
4      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
n      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
1      $ Give maximum value (positive) to be included in plot frame.
y      $ Do you want a plot of the objective v. iterations (Y/N)?

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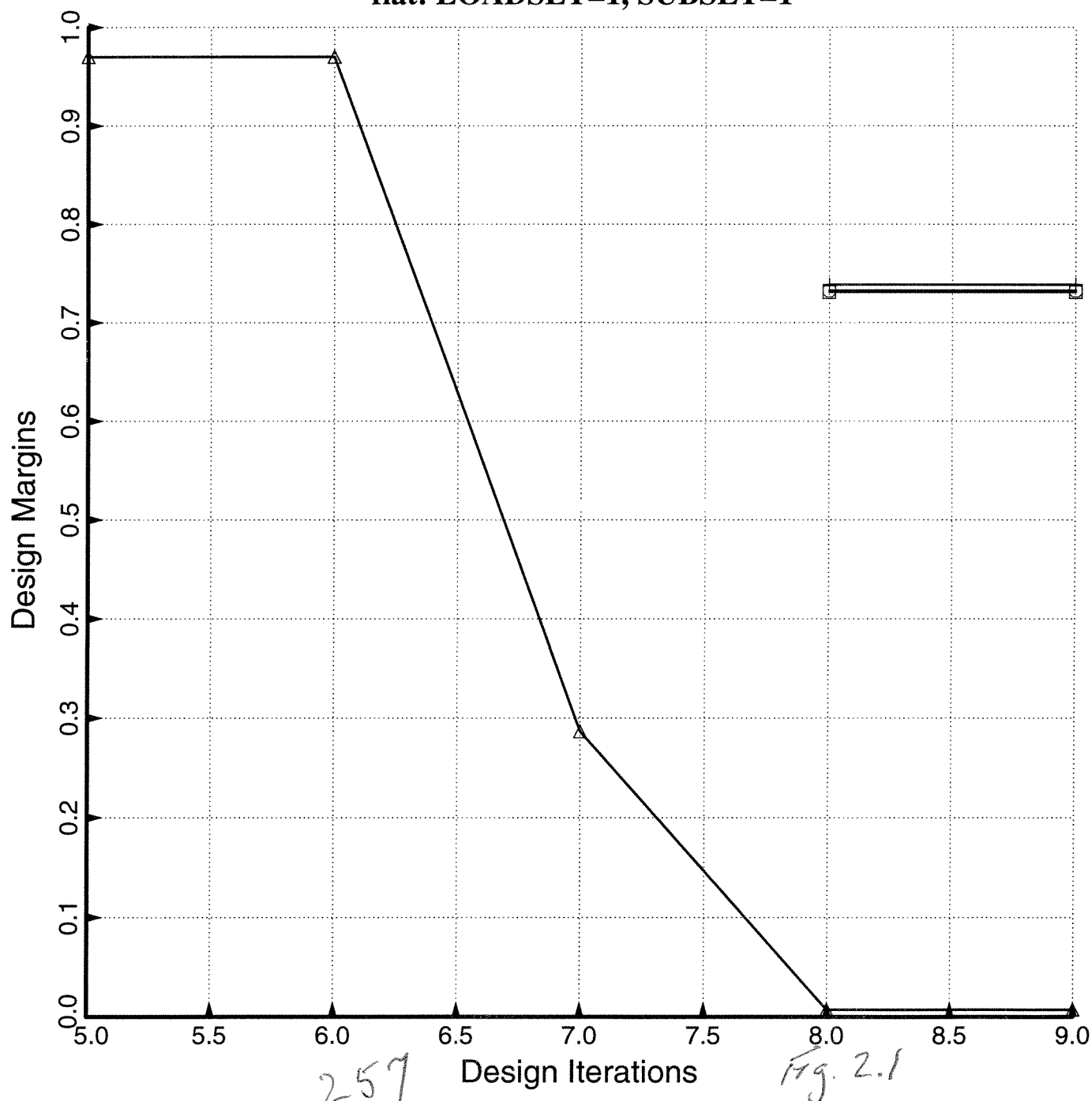
input for "CHOOSEPLOT"

flat.margins, shearload.ps

output, flat.3.ps from  
DIPLOT

- 1 .1.1 Local buckling: discrete model
- 2 .1.1 Local buckling: Koiter theory.
- △ 3 .1.1 eff.stress:matl=1; MID.
- + 4 .1.1 buck(DONL)simp-support general buck; MIDLNGTH

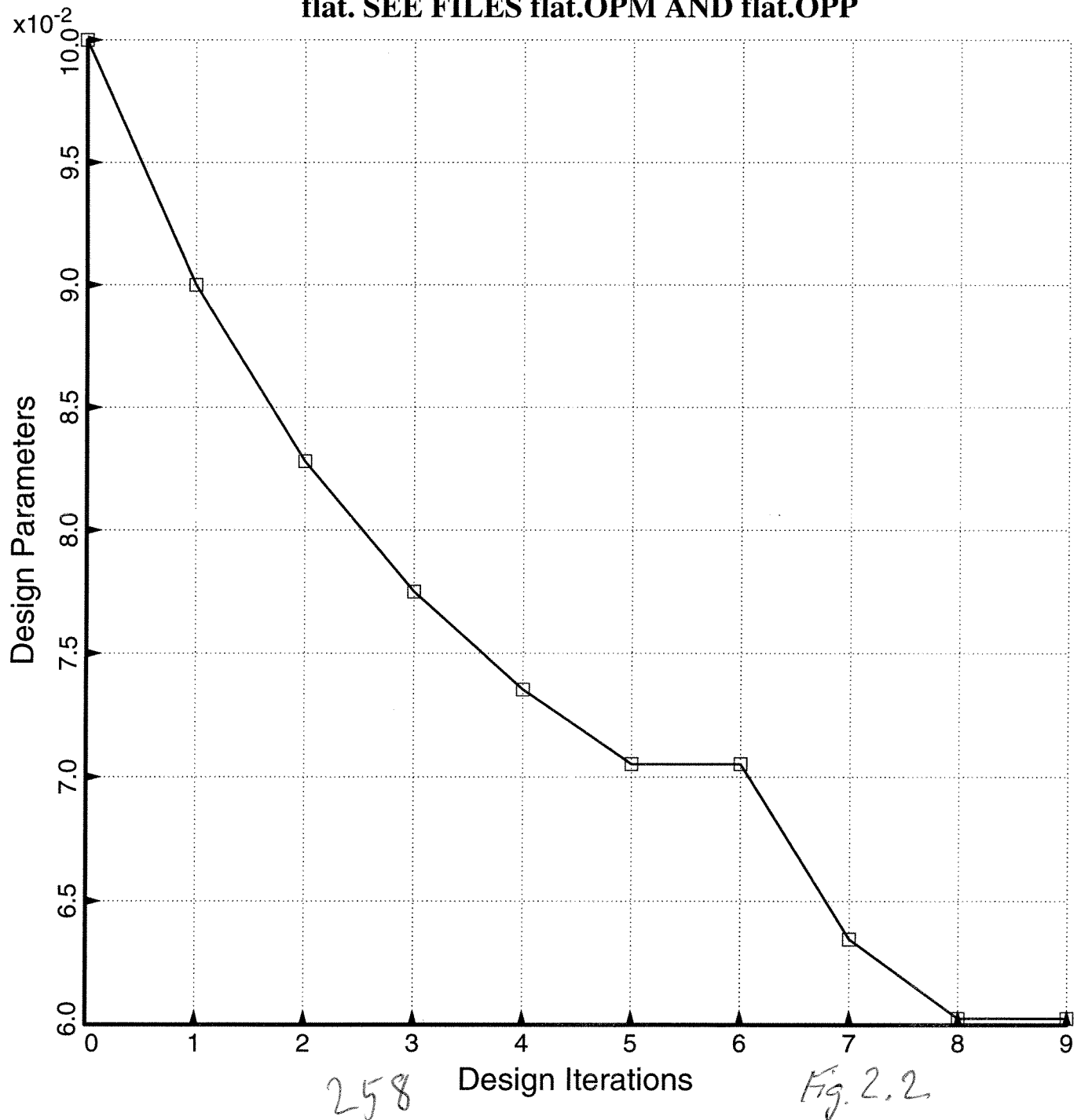
**flat: LOADSET=1, SUBSET=1**



flat.thickness.shearload.ps  
output, Flat.4.ps from  
DIPLOT

□ 1 T(1 )(SKN):thickness for layer index no.(1 ): SKN seg=1 , layer=1

**flat. SEE FILES flat.OPM AND flat.OPP**

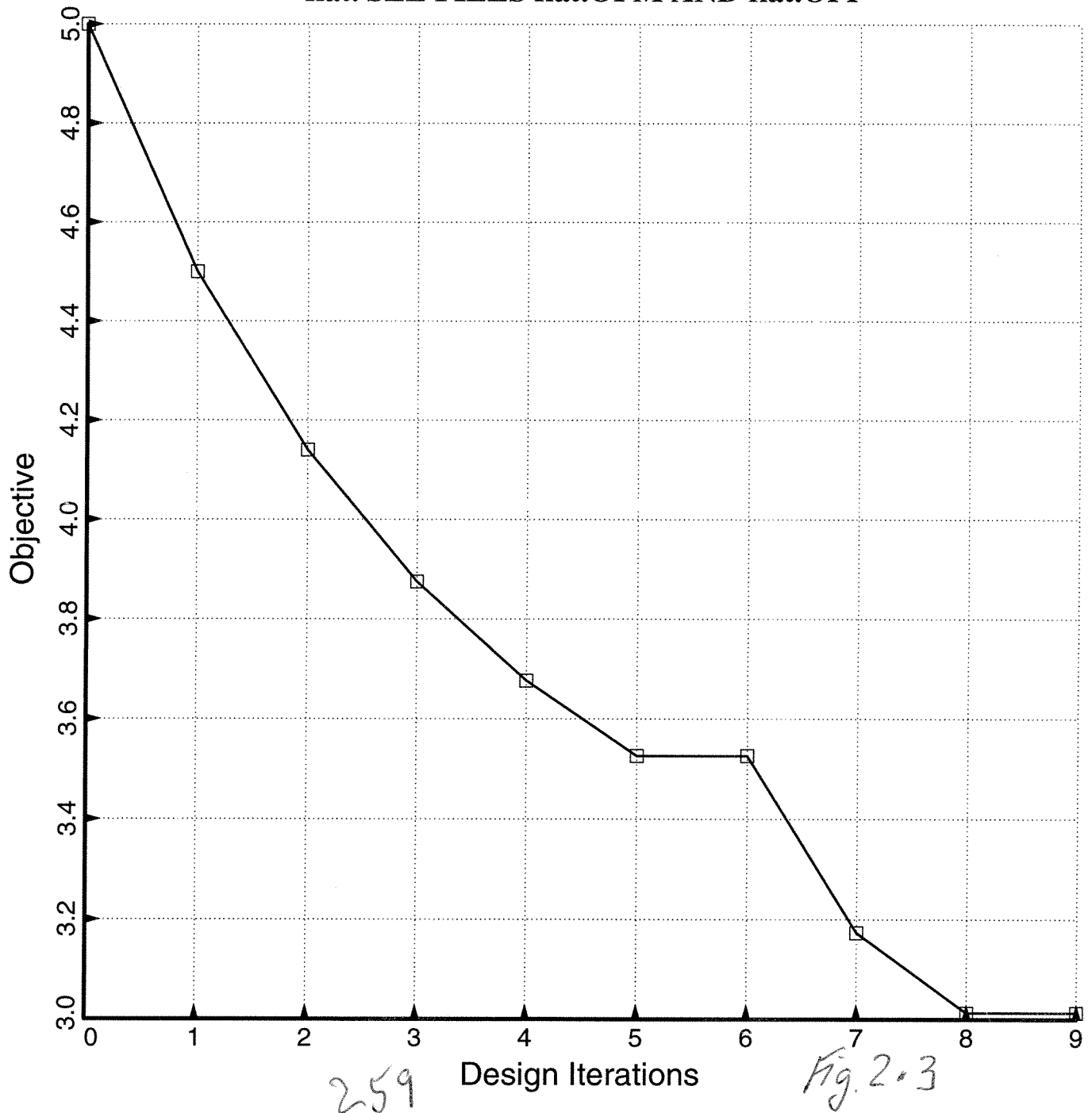




flat. objective. shearload. ps  
output, flat.5.ps from  
DIPLOT

□ WEIGHT OF THE ENTIRE PANEL

**flat. SEE FILES flat.OPM AND flat.OPP**



# Table 2.5 Flat. opt (flat. shear, itype 2. opt)

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n          $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
-30.000    $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx( 1)
0          $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny( 1)
300.00     $ In-plane shear in load set A, Nxy( 1)
n          $ Does the axial load vary in the L2 direction?
0.000000   $ Applied axial moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), Mx( 1)
0.000000   $ Applied hoop moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), My( 1)
Y          $ Want to include effect of transverse shear deformation?
0          $ IQUICK = quick analysis indicator (0 or 1)
Y          $ Do you want to vary M for minimum local buckling load?
N          $ Do you want to choose a starting M for local buckling?
Y          $ Do you want to perform a "low-axial-wavenumber" search?
0.2000000  $ Factor of safety for general instability, FSGEN( 1)
0.2000000  $ Minimum load factor for local buckling (Type H for HELP), FSLOC( 1)
1.000000   $ Minimum load factor for stiffener buckling (Type H), FSBSTR( 1)
1.000000   $ Factor of safety for stress, FSSTR( 1)
Y          $ Do you want "flat skin" discretized module for local buckling?
N          $ Do you want wide-column buckling to constrain the design?
0.000000   $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx0( 1)
0.000000   $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny0( 1)
0          $ Axial load applied along the (0=neutral plane), (1=panel skin)
0.000000   $ Uniform applied pressure [positive upward. See H(elp)], p( 1)
0.000000   $ Out-of-roundness, Wimpgl=(Max.diameter-Min.diam)/4, Wimpgl( 1)
0.010000   $ Initial buckling modal general imperfection amplitude, Wimpg2( 1)
0.010000   $ Initial local imperfection amplitude (must be positive), Wloc( 1)
Y          $ Do you want PANDA2 to change imperfection amplitudes (see H(elp))?( 1)
50         $ Axial halfwavelength of typical general buckling mode, AXLWAV( 1)
Y          $ Do you want PANDA2 to find the general imperfection shape?( 1)
1.000000   $ Maximum allowable average axial strain (type H for HELP)( 1)
N          $ Is there any thermal "loading" in this load set (Y/N)?
Y          $ Do you want a "complete" analysis (type H for "Help")?
N          $ Want to provide another load set ?
N          $ Do you want to impose minimum TOTAL thickness of any segment?
N          $ Do you want to impose maximum TOTAL thickness of any segment?
N          $ Use reduced effective stiffness in panel skin (H(elp), Y or N)?
note → 2   $ NPRINT= output index (-1=min. 0=good, 1=ok, 2=more, 3=too much)
0          $ Index for type of shell theory (0 or 1 or 2), ISAND
Y          $ Does the postbuckling axial wavelength of local buckles change?
Y          $ Want to suppress general buckling mode with many axial waves?
N          $ Do you want to double-check PANDA-type eigenvalues [type (H)elp]?
0          $ Choose (0=transverse inextensional; 1=transverse extensional)
note → 1   $ Choose ICONSV = -1 or 0 or 1 or H(elp), ICONSV
2          $ Choose type of analysis (ITYPE = 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5)
Y          $ Do you want to prevent secondary buckling (mode jumping)?
N          $ Do you want to use the "alternative" buckling solution?
5          $ How many design iterations permitted in this run (5 to 25)?
1.000000   $ MAXMAR. Plot only those margins less than MAXMAR (Type H)
N          $ Do you want to reset total iterations to zero (Type H)?
1          $ Index for objective (1=min. weight, 2=min. distortion)
1.000000   $ FMARG (Skip load case with min. margin greater than FMARG)

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input for MAINSETUP for fixed design

Table 2.6

flat.shear.itype2.abridged.opm

abridged flat.OPM file corresponding to combined  
Nx = -30, Nxy = 300 lb/in optimized plate

Abridged output from  
PANDAOPT (flat.opm file  
abridged)

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CHAPTER 26 Compute local, inter-ring, general buckling load  
factors from PANDA-type models [1B] and from  
"alternative" (double-trigonometric series  
expansion) models, Ref.[1G]. Also compute  
sandwich wall behavior [1F], if applicable.

\*\*\* BEGIN SUBROUTINE BUCPAN (PANDA-TYPE BUCKLING LOADS) \*\*\*\*

Number of constraints, NCONST= 0

LABEL NO. IN STRUCT= 9260

\*\*\*\*\* ENTERING BUCPAN FROM STRUCT OR STRIMP:

ILABEL, IPRELM, IGENRL, IGENX, EIGMAX=  
9260 0 0 0 1.0000E+07

general buckling: smeared stiffeners, C11= 6.6220E+05, radius, R= 5.0990E+05

\*\*\*\*\* ENTERING GENSTB: PANDA-type buckling model \*\*\*\*\*

PANDA-type buckling theory is described in the journal paper:

D. Bushnell, "Theoretical basis of the PANDA computer program"

Computers & Structures, Vol. 27, No. 4, pp. 541-563, 1987

Also see Items 415 and 443 in ...panda2/doc/panda2.news.

ILABEL = unique "CALL GENSTB" within SUBROUTINE BUCPAN

ILABLY = label number near where SUBROUTINE BUCPAN is called.

ILABEL, ILABLY, IDESGN, ISAND, INDX, ITHRU, IROLL, IFFLAT =  
7195 9260 0 0 2 1 0 1

Radius R, Axial length, A, Width B

5.099020E+05 5.000000E+01 1.000000E+01

Initial imperfections for general, panel, local buckling=

Total out-of-roundness + modal, WOGLOB = 1.0000E-02

Out-of-roundness, WG1 = 0.0000E+00

General buckling modal, WG2 = 1.0000E-02

Inter-ring buckling modal, WOPAN = 1.0000E-02

Local buckling modal, WOLOC = 1.0000E-02

\*\*\*\*\* NOTE: Panel is modelled as if it were flat. \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* Donnell theory is used in this section (ISAND=0)

Load Set A: Nx, Ny, Nxy= -3.0000E+01 0.0000E+00 3.0000E+02

Load Set B: Nxo, Nyx, Nxyo= 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00

Membrane stiffnesses ((C(i,j),j=1,3),i=1,3)=

6.6220E+05 1.9866E+05 0.0000E+00

1.9866E+05 6.6220E+05 0.0000E+00

0.0000E+00 0.0000E+00 2.3177E+05

R/B, C44MLT, C44N, C55N, FFLAT=

1.0000E+04 1.0000E+03 3.0261E-04 3.0261E-04 1.0000E+00

Test for direction panel is long: TEST=(A/B)\*SQRT(C55N/(C44N\*C44MLT))=5.00E+00

If TEST > 0.99 then d = 0; c = SLOPE (panel is long in x-direction, Fig.(9a).

If TEST < 0.99 then d = SLOPE; c = 0. (panel is long in y-direction, Fig.(9b).

See Eq.(51) and Fig. 9 of "Theoretical basis..." paper (1987).

\*\*\* (low-n) \*\*\*

(high-m) mode: ICHEK ISAND m n s EIGENVALUE TEST  
0 0 4 1 6.811E-01 3.479E-01 5.000E+00

Ratio needed in ARBOCZ: EIGTST/EIGTS2= EIGRAT= 1.0000E+00

EIGMNC= 4.68E-01 1.00E+17 3.48E-01 1.00E+17 1.00E+17 8.36E-01 1.00E+17

SLOPEX= 9.81E-01 0.00E+00 6.81E-01 0.00E+00 0.00E+00 2.03E+00 0.00E+00

MWAVEX= 2 0 4 0 0 1 0

NWAVEX= 1 0 1 0 0 1 0

TESTX = 5.00E+00 0.00E+00 5.00E+00 0.00E+00 0.00E+00 5.00E+00 0.00E+00

Before refinement (before CALL EIG), EIGVAL, CSLOPE= 3.4795E-01 6.8109E-01

After refinement (after CALL EIG), EIGVAL, CSLOPE= 3.4792E-01 6.6774E-01

(many, many lines skipped to save space)

CHAPTER 28 Present design, loading, and margins for the  
current load set and subcase. See Table 6 in  
Bushnell, D.

"Optimization of an axially compressed ring and stringer  
stiffened cylindrical shell with a general buckling modal  
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SUMMARY OF INFORMATION FROM OPTIMIZATION ANALYSIS

VAR. DEC. ESCAPE LINK. LINKED LINKING LOWER CURRENT UPPER DEFINITION

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compare with  
STAGS prediction  
Figs. 2.12 & 2.13

4 axial halfwaves

# Table 2.6 (end)

NO. VAR. VAR. VAR. TO CONSTANT BOUND VALUE BOUND  
1 Y Y N 0 0.00E+00 1.00E-02 6.0260E-02 1.00E+00 T(1) (SKN):thickness f>

or layer index no.(1): SKN seg=1

BUCKLING LOAD FACTORS FOR LOCAL BUCKLING FROM KOITER v. BOSOR4 THEORY:

Local buckling load factor from KOITER theory = 3.4654E-01 (flat skin)  
Local buckling load factor from BOSOR4 theory = 3.4623E-01 (flat skin)

\*\*\*\*\* LOAD SET NO. 1 \*\*\*\*\*  
ICASE = 1 (ICASE=1 MEANS PANEL MIDLENGTH)  
(ICASE=2 MEANS PANEL ENDS)

APPLIED LOADS IN LOAD SET A ("eigenvalue" loads):

Applied axial stress resultant, Nx= -3.0000E+01  
Applied circumferential stress resultant, Ny= 0.0000E+00  
Applied in-plane shear resultant, Nxy= 3.0000E+02  
Applied axial moment resultant, Mx= 0.0000E+00  
Applied circumferential moment resultant, My= 0.0000E+00  
Applied pressure (positive for upward), p = 0.0000E+00

APPLIED LOADS IN LOAD SET B ( fixed uniform loads):

Applied axial stress resultant, Nx0= 0.0000E+00  
Applied circumferential stress resultant, Ny0= 0.0000E+00  
Applied in-plane shear resultant, Nxy0= 0.0000E+00

NOTE: "F.S." means "Factor of Safety";  
"DONL" means "Donnell shell theory used.";   
"SAND" means "Sanders shell theory used." panda2.news ITEM 128  
"Dseg" means "Segment numbering used in discretized model"  
"Iseg" means "Segment numbering used for input data." ITEM 272

0 MARGINS FOR CURRENT DESIGN: LOAD CASE NO. 1, SUBCASE NO. 1  
MAR. MARGIN

| NO. | VALUE    | DEFINITION   |
|-----|----------|--|
| 1   | 7.31E-01 | Local buckling from discrete model-1.,M=5 axial halfwaves;FS=0.2   |
| 2   | 7.33E-01 | Local buckling from Koiter theory,M=4 axial halfwaves;FS=0.2       |
| 3   | 7.19E-03 | eff.stress:matl=1,SKN,Dseg=2,node=1,layer=1,z=0.0301; MID.;FS=1.   |
| 4   | 3.32E+00 | eff.stress:matl=1,SKN,Iseg=1,allnode,layer=1,z=-0.0301;-MID.;FS=1. |
| 5   | 7.39E-01 | buck.(DONL);simp-support general buck;M=4;N=1;slope=0.6677;FS=0.2  |
| 6   | 4.72E+02 | (Max.allowable ave.axial strain)/(ave.axial strain) -1; FS=1.      |
| 7   | 7.39E-01 | buck.(SAND);simp-support general buck;M=4;N=1;slope=0.6677;FS=0.2  |

Compare with  
STAGS (Fig. 2.12)  
 $\lambda = 0.34059$   
STAGS

the only critical margin

Table 2.7  
flat.shear.itype3.runstream

25 June, 2008

RUNSTREAM FOR ITYPE=3 ANALYSIS OF FIXED (OPTIMUM DESIGN)

NAME OF CASE = "flat"

LOADING = combined axial compression,  $N_x$ , and in-plane shear,  $N_{xy}$ :  
 $N_x = -1.5, -3.0, -4.5, -6.0, -7.5, \dots, -30.0$  lb/in  
 $N_{xy} = 15.0, 30.0, 45.0, 60.0, 75.0, \dots, 300.0$  lb/in

Runstream follows:

|            |   |               |
|------------|---|---------------|
| panda2log  | (activate PANDA2 commands)  | Table 1.2     |
| begin      | (establish starting design. Input = flat.BEG)   | Table 2.8     |
| change     | (change thickness to optimum.<br>cp flat.shear.chg flat.CHG; Input=flat.CHG)                                      | Table 1.3     |
| setup      | (PANDA2 sets up matrix templates)   |               |
| decide     | (choose decision variables and bounds. Input=flat.DEC)  | Table 2.9     |
| mainsetup  | (choose loading, strategy, analysis type, etc.<br>cp flat.shear.itype3.opt flat.OPT Input = flat.OPT)             | Table 2.10    |
| pandaopt   | (PANDA2 performs ITYPE=3 analysis. Input=flat.OPT)  | Fig. 2.4-2.10 |
| chooseplot | (choose what to plot. Input = flat.CPL = flat.cpl31)  | Table 2.11    |
| diplot     | (PANDA2 gets postscript plot files, flat.3.ps, flat.4.ps, flat.5.ps, flat.7.ps, flat.8.ps, flat.9.ps, flat.10.ps) |               |
| chooseplot | (choose what to plot. Input = flat.CPL = flat.cpl32)  |               |
| diplot     | (PANDA2 gets postscript plot file, flat.4.ps)   |               |
| cleanpan   | (PANDA2 cleans up files, saving only the input files)   | Fig. 2.11     |

test simulation of optimized panel.  
( $t_{\text{optimum}} = 0.06026$  inch)

"test simulation" = ITYPE=3 analysis type.  
= Analysis of the optimized panel  
under increasing load.

Table 2.8

Flat. CHG (for case with shear)

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n      $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
y      $ Do you want to change any values in Parameter Set No. 1?
      1 $ Number of parameter to change (1, 2, 3, . .)
→ 0.602600E-01 $ New value of the parameter
n      $ Want to change any other parameters in this set?
n      $ Do you want to change values of "fixed" parameters?
n      $ Do you want to change values of allowables?
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↳ value from the optimization

Table 2.9

Flat. OPT (for shear case) ITYPE = 3

note →

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n
-1.50000
0
15.0
n
0.000000
0.000000
Y
0
Y
N
Y
0.2000000
0.2000000
1.000000
1.000000
Y
N
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50
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N
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0
Y
Y
N
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1
3
Y
n
1
1
note → [-1.500000
0
15.0
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0
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0
0
20

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\$ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?

\$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx( 1)

\$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny( 1)

\$ In-plane shear in load set A, Nxy( 1)

\$ Does the axial load vary in the L2 direction?

\$ Applied axial moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), Mx( 1)

\$ Applied hoop moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), My( 1)

\$ Want to include effect of transverse shear deformation?

\$ IQUICK = quick analysis indicator (0 or 1)

\$ Do you want to vary M for minimum local buckling load?

\$ Do you want to choose a starting M for local buckling?

\$ Do you want to perform a "low-axial-wavenumber" search?

\$ Factor of safety for general instability, FSGEN( 1)

\$ Minimum load factor for local buckling (Type H for HELP), FSLOC( 1)

\$ Minimum load factor for stiffener buckling (Type H), FSBSTR( 1)

\$ Factor of safety for stress, FSSTR( 1)

\$ Do you want "flat skin" discretized module for local buckling?

\$ Do you want wide-column buckling to constrain the design?

\$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx0( 1)

\$ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny0( 1)

\$ Axial load applied along the (0=neutral plane), (1=panel skin)

\$ Uniform applied pressure [positive upward. See H(elp)], p( 1)

\$ Out-of-roundness, Wimpgl=(Max.diameter-Min.diam)/4, Wimpgl( 1)

\$ Initial buckling modal general imperfection amplitude, Wimpg2( 1)

\$ Initial local imperfection amplitude (must be positive), Wloc( 1)

\$ Do you want PANDA2 to change imperfection amplitudes (see H(elp))?( 1)

\$ Axial halfwavelength of typical general buckling mode, AXLWAV( 1)

\$ Do you want PANDA2 to find the general imperfection shape?( 1)

\$ Maximum allowable average axial strain (type H for HELP)( 1)

\$ Is there any thermal "loading" in this load set (Y/N)?

\$ Do you want a "complete" analysis (type H for "Help")?

\$ Want to provide another load set ?

\$ Do you want to impose minimum TOTAL thickness of any segment?

\$ Do you want to impose maximum TOTAL thickness of any segment?

\$ Use reduced effective stiffness in panel skin (H(elp), Y or N)?

\$ NPRINT= output index (-1=min. 0=good, 1=ok, 2=more, 3=too much)

\$ Index for type of shell theory (0 or 1 or 2), ISAND

\$ Does the postbuckling axial wavelength of local buckles change?

\$ Want to suppress general buckling mode with many axial waves?

\$ Do you want to double-check PANDA-type eigenvalues [type (H)elp]?

\$ Choose (0=transverse inextensional; 1=transverse extensional)

\$ Choose ICONSV = -1 or 0 or 1 or H(elp), ICONSV

\$ Choose type of analysis (ITYPE = 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5)

\$ Do you want to prevent secondary buckling (mode jumping)?

\$ Do you want to use the "alternative" buckling solution?

\$ Choose one of the load sets: ILOAD

\$ Choose one of the sub cases (1 or 2): ICASE

\$ Increment in axial resultant Nx: DNX

\$ Increment in hoop resultant Ny: DNY

\$ Increment in shear resultant Nxy: DNXy

\$ Increment in axial moment resultant Mx: DMX

\$ Increment in circumferential moment resultant My: DMY

\$ Increment in pressure, p: DP

\$ Starting multiplier for temperature distribution, TMULT

\$ Multiplier increment for temperature distribution, DTMULT

\$ Maximum number of load steps, NSTEPS

Simulate a test on the optimized panel under increasing load.

Table 2.10

flat, CPL = flat, shear. &lt; p131

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n      $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
1      $ For which load set (1 - 5) do you want behavior/margins?
1      $ Choose a sub-case (1 or 2) within this load set
→ 3    $ Indicate which load component to use in plots (1,2,...,7)
y      $ Any behaviors to be plotted v. load steps (Y or N)?
2      $ Choose a behavior to be plotted v. load steps
n      $ Any more behaviors to be plotted v. load steps (Y/N)?
y      $ Any extreme fiber strains to be plotted v. load steps?
1      $ Choose (axial,hoop) or (+45deg,-45deg) strain plots (1 or 2)
1      $ Choose a location (1, 2, ...) for strain plots
y      $ Any more locations for plotting v. load steps (Y/N)?
6      $ Choose a location (1, 2, ...) for strain plots
n      $ Any more locations for plotting v. load steps (Y/N)?
y      $ Any design margins to be plotted (Y or N)?
1      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
2      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
3      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
4      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
5      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
6      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
y      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
7      $ Choose a margin to be plotted v. iterations (1,2,3,...)
n      $ Any more margins to be plotted (Y or N) ?
5      $ Give maximum value (positive) to be included in plot frame.
y      $ Any deformed panel module cross sections to be plotted?
2      $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
y      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
5      $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
y      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
7      $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
y      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
10     $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
y      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
13     $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
y      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
17     $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
y      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
20     $ Choose a load step for which to plot the panel module
n      $ Any more load steps for which to plot panel module (Y/N)?
n      $ Do you want to plot layers in skin-stringer module (Y/N)?
y      $ Do you want a "3-D" plot of the buckled panel module (Y/N)?

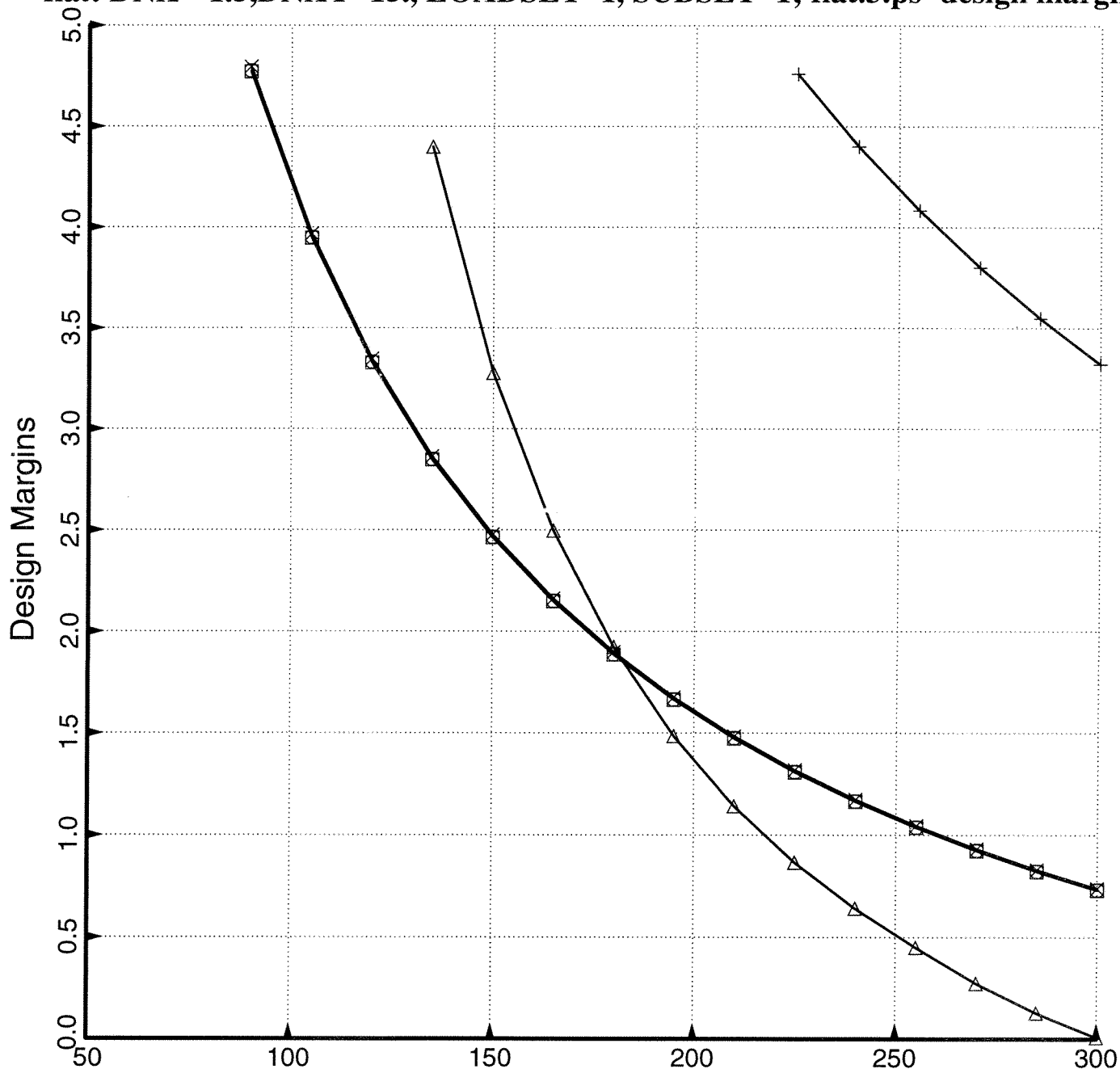
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Flat. 3.ps (from flat.shear.cpl31)

- 1.1.1 Local buckling: discrete model
- 2.1.1 Local buckling: Koiter theory.
- △ 3.1.1 eff.stress:matl=1; MID.
- + 4.1.1 eff.stress:matl=1,allnode;-MID.
- × 5.1.1 buck(DONL)simp-support general buck; MIDLENGTH

flat: DNX=-1.5,DNXY=15., LOADSET=1, SUBSET=1; flat.3.ps=design margins

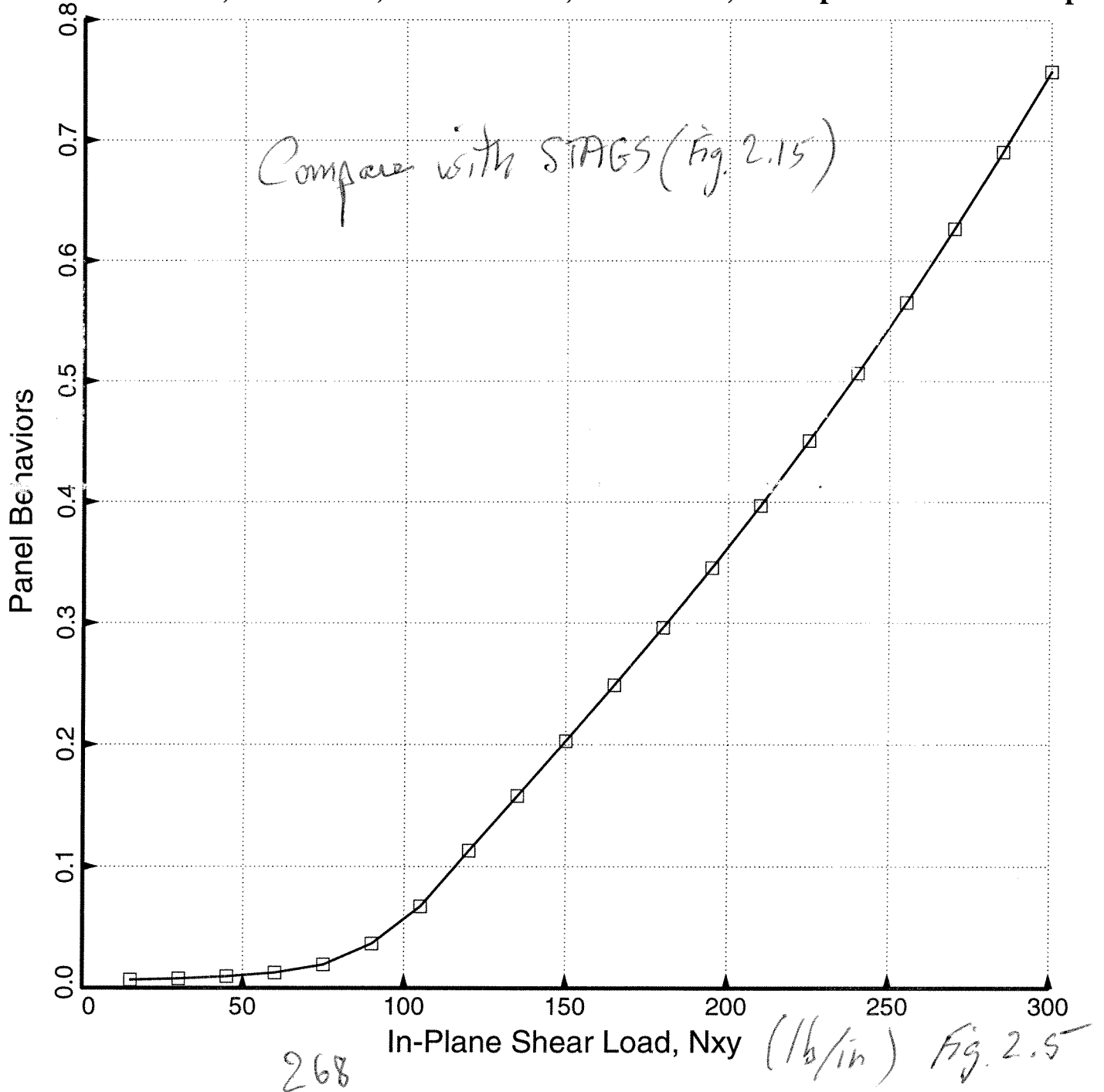


267 In-Plane Shear Load, Nxy (lb/in) Fig. 2-4

Flat.4, ps (from flat.shear.cpl31)

□ 2.1.1 Max.disp.w in panel module,  $w(\max) = W_{\text{implocal}} + W_{\text{postbuck}} + W_{\text{pillow}}$

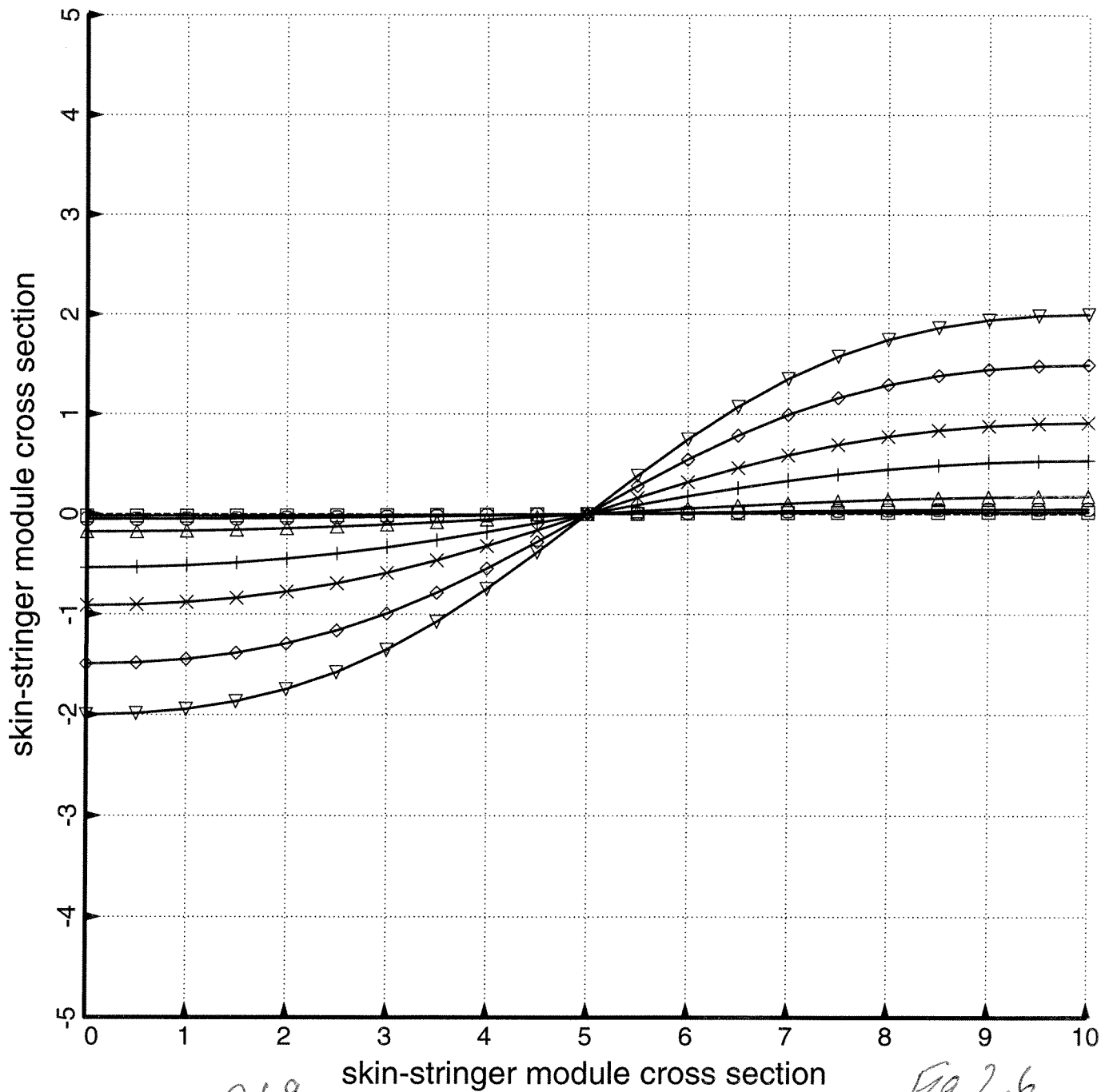
flat: DNX=-1.5,DNXY=15.,LOADSET=1,SUBSET=1; flat.4.ps=max.normaldisp.w



flat.5.ps (from flat.5<sup>shear</sup>.ps)

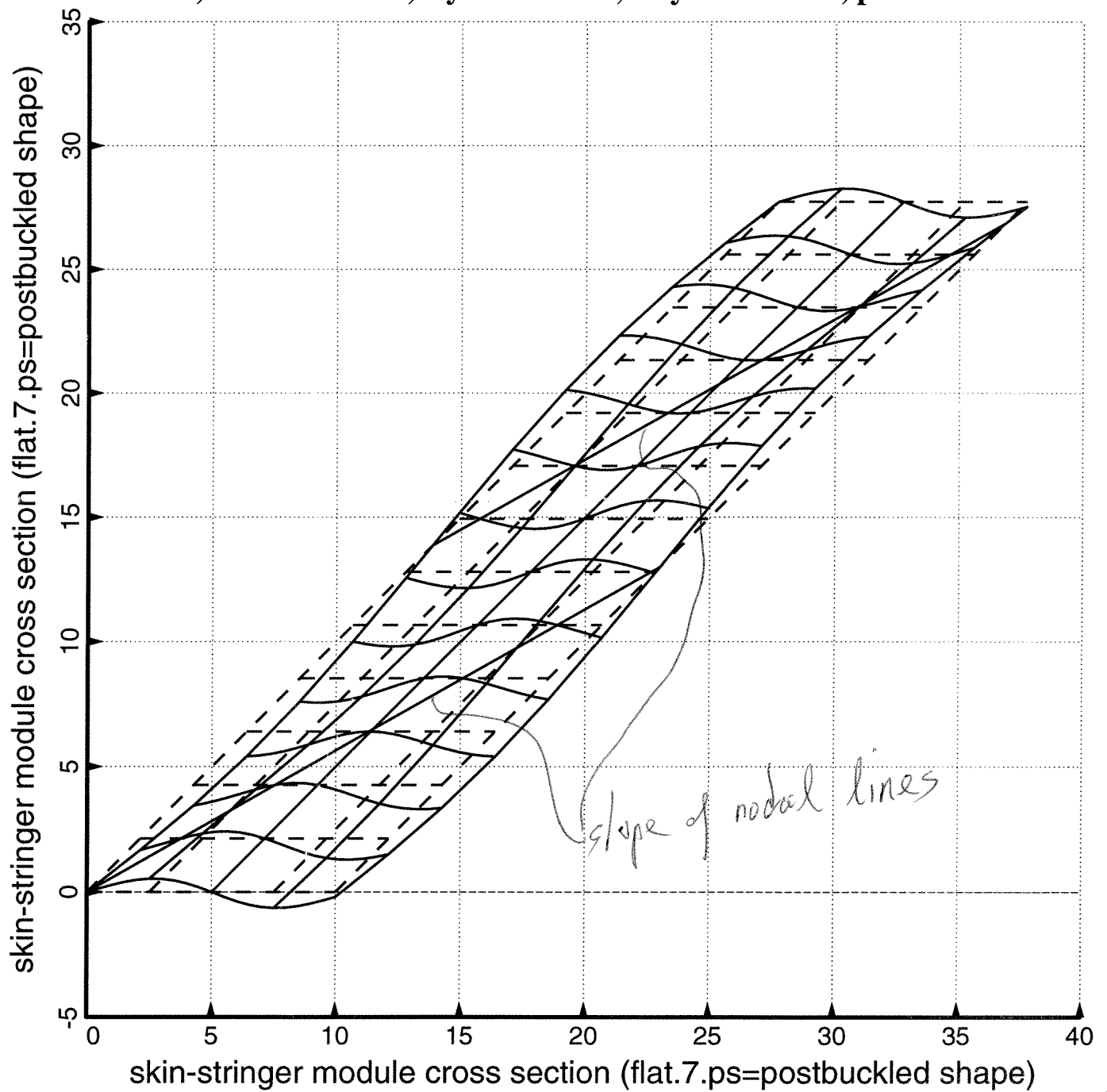
- 2.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 2
- 5.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 5
- △ 7.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 7
- + 10.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 10
- × 13.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 13
- ◇ 17.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 17
- ▽ 20.1.1 Panel module deformed by loads in step no. 20

flat: DNX=-1.5,DNXY=15., LOADSET=1, SUBSET=1; flat.5.ps=w vs. width coord. y



flat.7.ps (from flat.<sup>shear.</sup>cpl31)

flat;  $N_x = -3.00E+01$ ,  $N_y = 0.00E+00$ ,  $N_{xy} = 3.00E+02$ ,  $p = 0.00E+00$



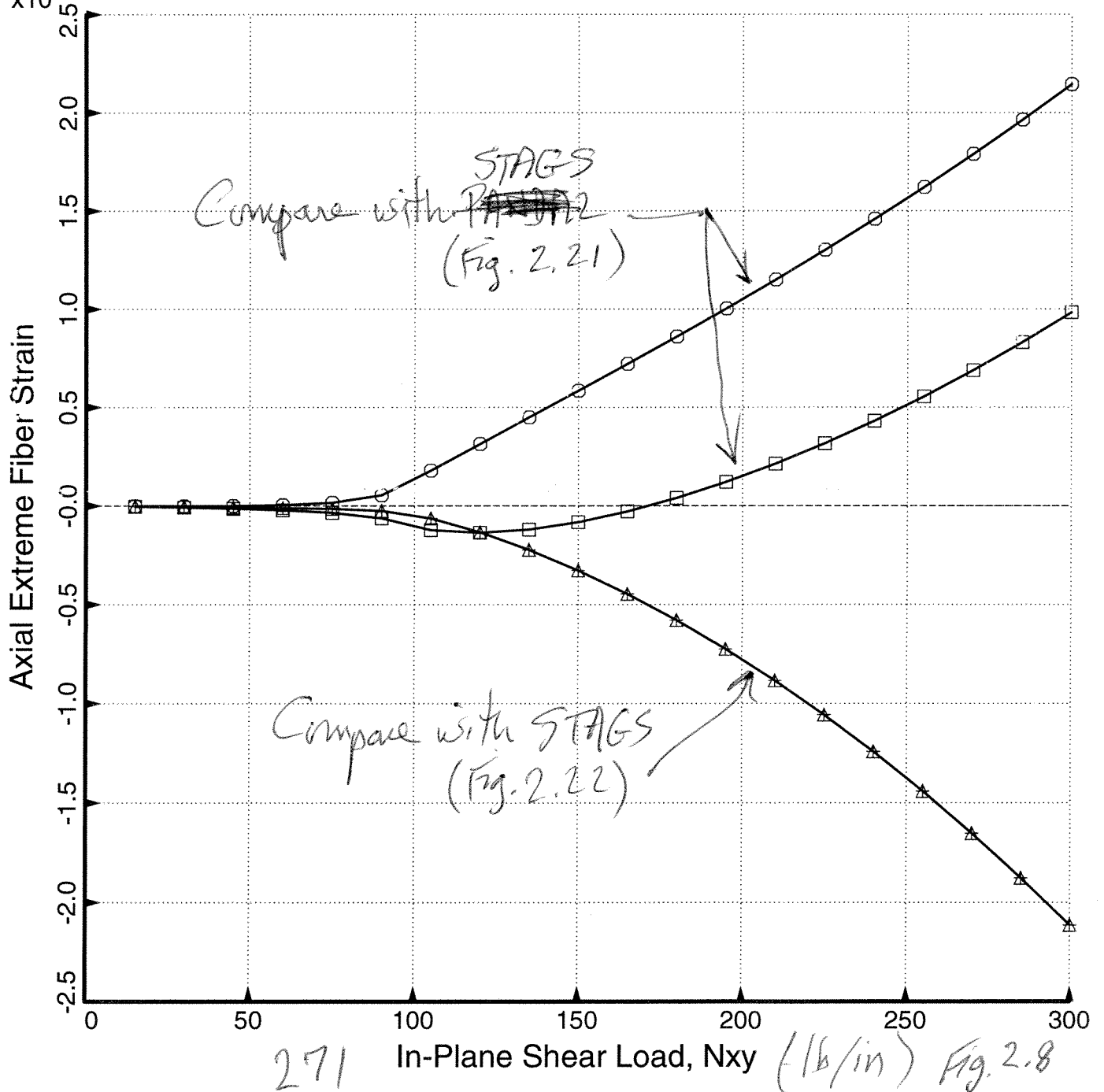
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Fig. 2.7

flat.8.ps (from flat.shear.cpl31)

- 1.1.1 Layer 1 Extreme fiber AXIAL strains at seg. 1, node 1
- 1.1.1 Layer n Extreme fiber AXIAL strains at seg. 1, node 1
- △ 6.1.1 Layer 1 Extreme fiber AXIAL strains at seg. 1, node 11
- + 6.1.1 Layer n Extreme fiber AXIAL strains at seg. 1, node 11

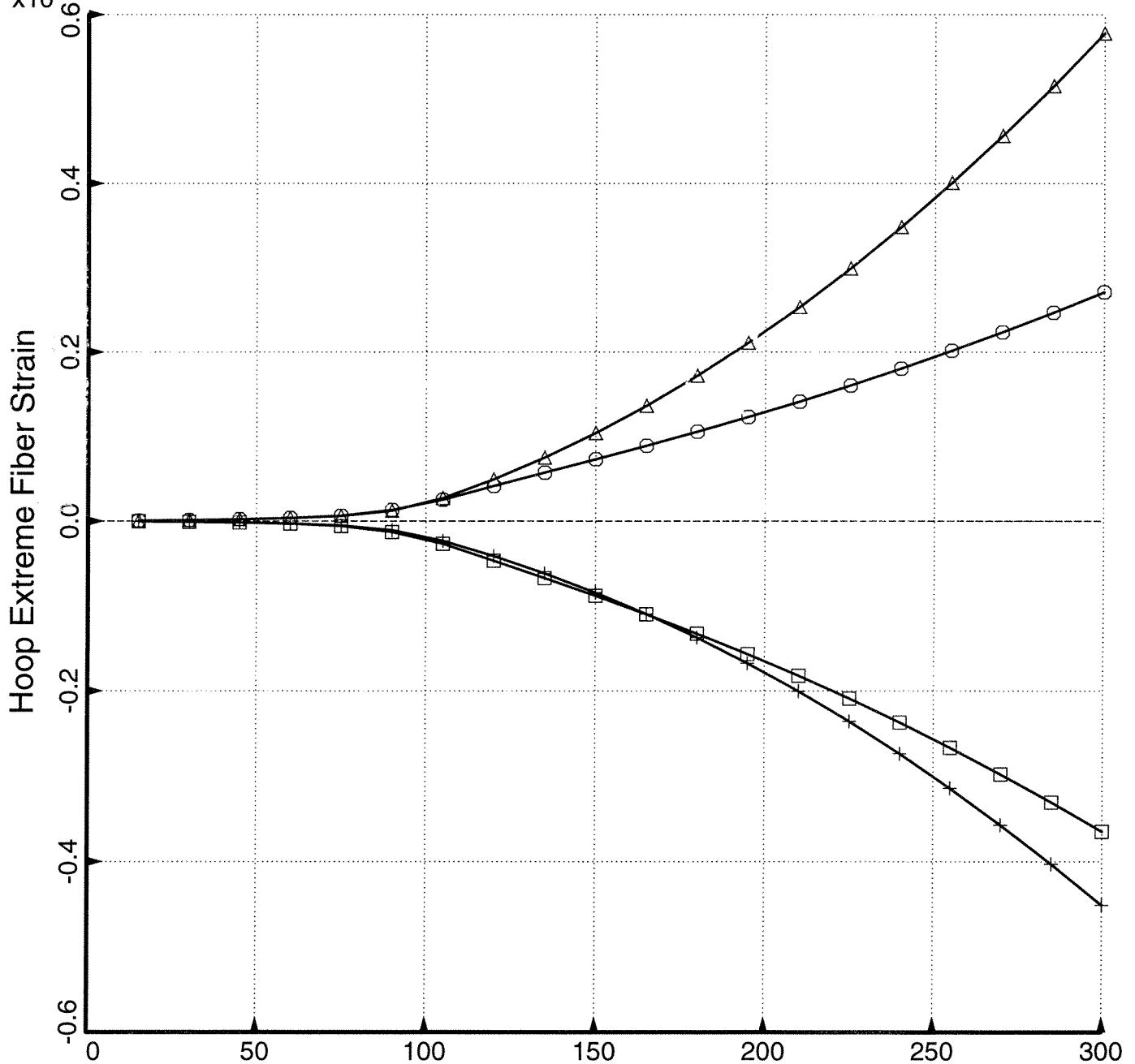
flat: DNX=-1.5,DNXY=15.,LOADSET=1,SUBSET=1; flat.8.ps=extremefiber epsx



flat. 9. ps (from flat. shear. cpl 31)

- 1 .1.1 Layer 1 Extreme fiber HOOP strains at seg. 1, node 1
- 1 .1.1 Layer n Extreme fiber HOOP strains at seg. 1, node 1
- △ 6 .1.1 Layer 1 Extreme fiber HOOP strains at seg. 1, node 11
- + 6 .1.1 Layer n Extreme fiber HOOP strains at seg. 1, node 11

flat: DNX=-1.5,DNXY=15.,LOADSET=1,SUBSET=1; flat.9.ps=extremefiber epsy



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In-Plane Shear Load, Nxy (lb/in) Fig. 2.9

Flat.10.ps (from flat.shear.cpl31)

- 1.1.1 Layer 1 Extreme fiber SHEAR strains at seg. 1, node 1
- 1.1.1 Layer n Extreme fiber SHEAR strains at seg. 1, node 1
- △ 6.1.1 Layer 1 Extreme fiber SHEAR strains at seg. 1, node 11
- + 6.1.1 Layer n Extreme fiber SHEAR strains at seg. 1, node 11

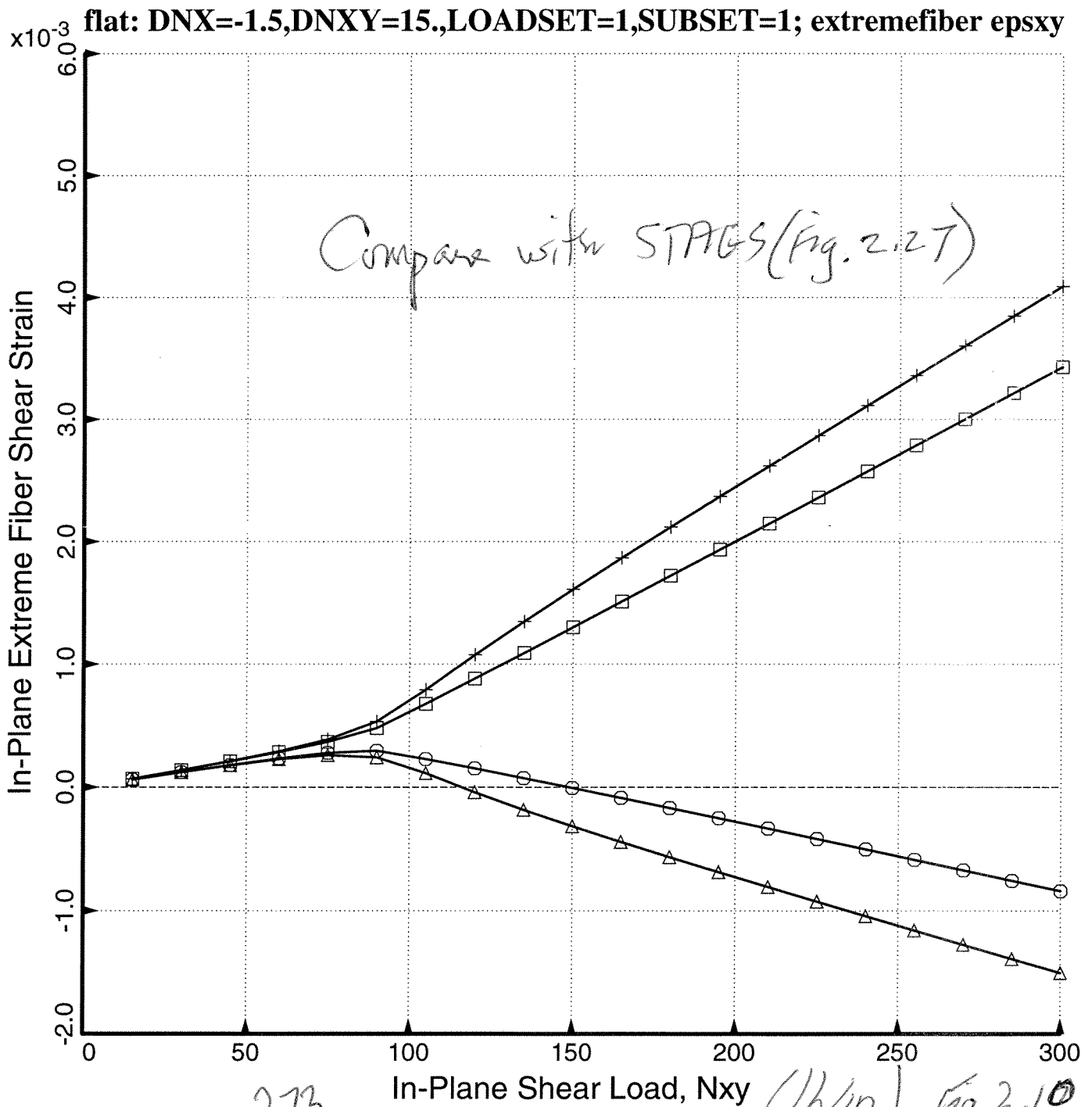


Table 2.11

Flat.CPL (Flat.<sup>shear.</sup>/cpl32)

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n      $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
1      $ For which load set (1 - 5) do you want behavior/margins?
1      $ Choose a sub-case (1 or 2) within this load set
y 3    $ Indicate which load component to use in plots (1,2,...7)
7      $ Any behaviors to be plotted v. load steps (Y or N)?
7      $ Choose a behavior to be plotted v. load steps
y      $ Any more behaviors to be plotted v. load steps (Y/N)?
8      $ Choose a behavior to be plotted v. load steps
y      $ Any more behaviors to be plotted v. load steps (Y/N)?
9      $ Choose a behavior to be plotted v. load steps
n      $ Any more behaviors to be plotted v. load steps (Y/N)?
n      $ Any extreme fiber strains to be plotted v. load steps?
n      $ Any design margins to be plotted (Y or N)?
n      $ Any deformed panel module cross sections to be plotted?
n      $ Do you want to plot layers in skin-stringer module (Y/N)?
n      $ Do you want a "3-D" plot of the buckled panel module (Y/N)?

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Flat.4.ps (from flat.shear.cpl32)

- 7.1.1 Normalized average axial skin stiff:  $C_{tan11}/C_0(1,1)$
- 8.1.1 Normalized average hoop skin stiff:  $C_{tan22}/C_0(2,2)$
- △ 9.1.1 Normalized average shear skin stiff:  $C_{tan33}/C_0(3,3)$

flat: DNX=-1.5,DNXY=15.,LOADSET=1,SUBSET=1; flat.4.ps=average skin stiffness

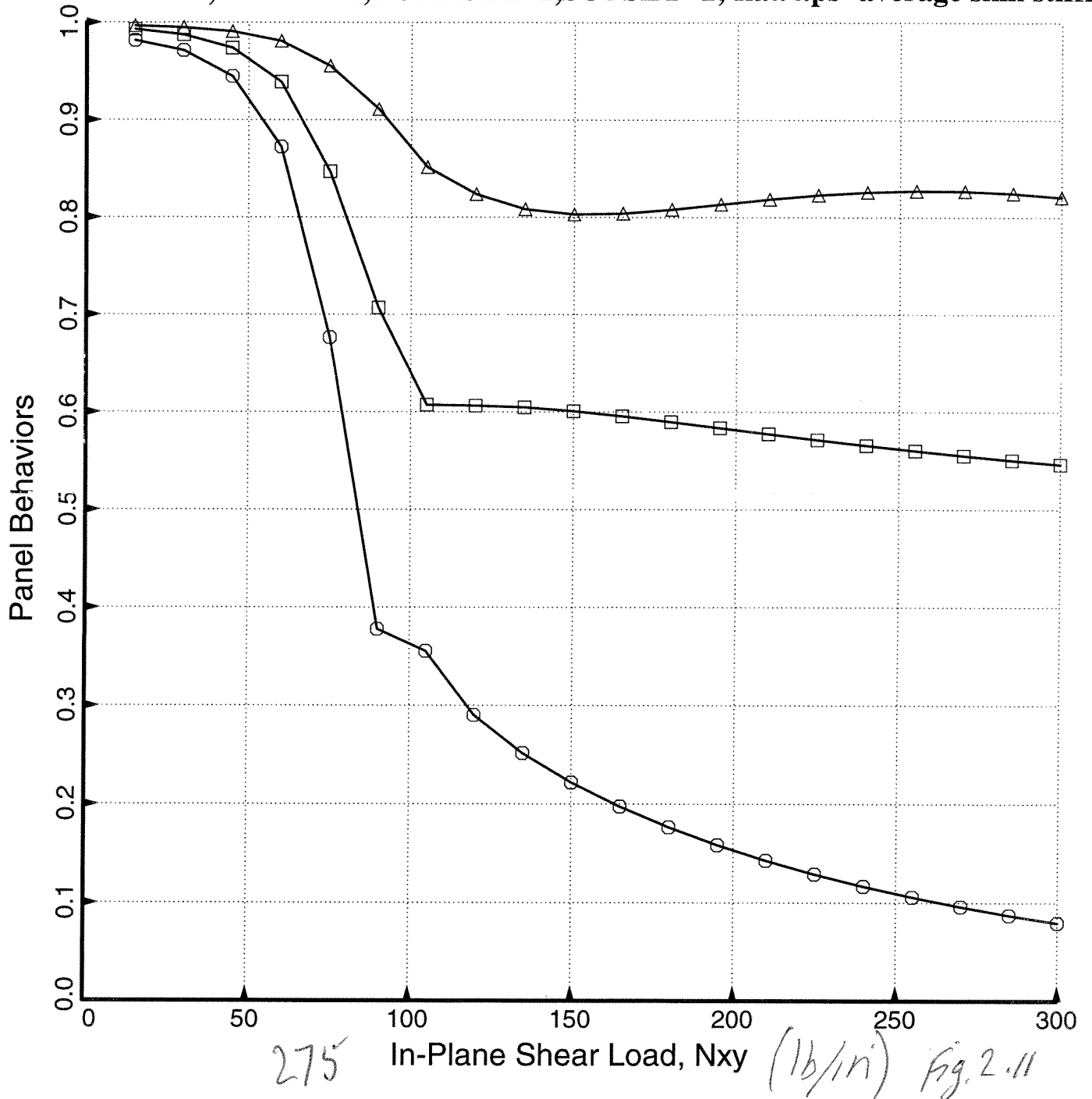


Table 2.12

Flat. OPT (fixed design)

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n          $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
-30.0000   $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx( 1)
0          $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny( 1)
300.00     $ In-plane shear in load set A, Nxy( 1)
n          $ Does the axial load vary in the L2 direction?
0.000000   $ Applied axial moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), Mx( 1)
0.000000   $ Applied hoop moment resultant (e.g. in-lb/in), My( 1)
Y          $ Want to include effect of transverse shear deformation?
0          $ IQUICK = quick analysis indicator (0 or 1)
Y          $ Do you want to vary M for minimum local buckling load?
N          $ Do you want to choose a starting M for local buckling?
Y          $ Do you want to perform a "low-axial-wavenumber" search?
0.2000000  $ Factor of safety for general instability, FSGEN( 1)
0.2000000  $ Minimum load factor for local buckling (Type H for HELP), FSLOC( 1)
1.000000   $ Minimum load factor for stiffener buckling (Type H), FSBSTR( 1)
1.000000   $ Factor of safety for stress, FSSTR( 1)
Y          $ Do you want "flat skin" discretized module for local buckling?
N          $ Do you want wide-column buckling to constrain the design?
0.000000   $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx0( 1)
0.000000   $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny0( 1)
0          $ Axial load applied along the (0=neutral plane), (1=panel skin)
0.000000   $ Uniform applied pressure [positive upward. See H(elp)], p( 1)
0.000000   $ Out-of-roundness, Wimpgl=(Max.diameter-Min.diam)/4, Wimpgl( 1)
0.010000   $ Initial buckling modal general imperfection amplitude, Wimpg2( 1)
0.010000   $ Initial local imperfection amplitude (must be positive), Wloc( 1)
Y          $ Do you want PANDA2 to change imperfection amplitudes (see H(elp))?( 1)
50         $ Axial halfwavelength of typical general buckling mode, AXLWAV( 1)
Y          $ Do you want PANDA2 to find the general imperfection shape?( 1)
1.000000   $ Maximum allowable average axial strain (type H for HELP)( 1)
N          $ Is there any thermal "loading" in this load set (Y/N)?
Y          $ Do you want a "complete" analysis (type H for "Help")?
N          $ Want to provide another load set ?
N          $ Do you want to impose minimum TOTAL thickness of any segment?
N          $ Do you want to impose maximum TOTAL thickness of any segment?
N          $ Use reduced effective stiffness in panel skin (H(elp), Y or N)?
2          $ NPRINT= output index (-1=min. 0=good, 1=ok, 2=more, 3=too much)
0          $ Index for type of shell theory (0 or 1 or 2), ISAND
Y          $ Does the postbuckling axial wavelength of local buckles change?
Y          $ Want to suppress general buckling mode with many axial waves?
N          $ Do you want to double-check PANDA-type eigenvalues [type (H)elp]?
0          $ Choose (0=transverse inextensional; 1=transverse extensional)
1          $ Choose ICONSV = -1 or 0 or 1 or H(elp), ICONSV
2          $ Choose type of analysis (ITYPE = 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5)
Y          $ Do you want to prevent secondary buckling (mode jumping)?
N          $ Do you want to use the "alternative" buckling solution?
5          $ How many design iterations permitted in this run (5 to 25)?
1.000000   $ MAXMAR. Plot only those margins less than MAXMAR (Type H)
N          $ Do you want to reset total iterations to zero (Type H)?
1          $ Index for objective (1=min. weight, 2=min. distortion)
1.000000   $ FMARG (Skip load case with min. margin greater than FMARG)

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flat.shear.itype2.opt

input for MAINSETUP

Table 2.13

Flat. STG = Flat. shear. stg

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n      $ Do you want a tutorial session and tutorial output?
1      $ Choose type of STAGS analysis (1,3,4,5,6), INDIC
0      $ Restart from ISTARTth load step (0=1st nonlinear soln), ISTART
0.3000000 $ Local buckling load factor from PANDA2, EIGLOC
y      $ Are the dimensions in this case in inches?
0      $ Nonlinear (0) or linear (1) kinematic relations?, ILIN
0      $ Type 1 for closed (360-deg) cyl. shell, 0 otherwise, ITOTAL
50     $ X-direction length of the STAGS model of the panel: XSTAGS
10     $ Panel length in the plane of the screen, L2
y      $ Is the nodal point spacing uniform along the stringer axis?
51     $ Number of nodes in the X-direction: NODEX
-30.00000 $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx
0       $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny
300.0000 $ In-plane shear in load set A, Nxy
0       $ Normal pressure in STAGS model in Load Set A, p
0       $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) normal to the plane of screen, Nx0
0       $ Resultant (e.g. lb/in) in the plane of the screen, Ny0
0       $ Normal pressure in STAGS model in Load Set B, p0
1       $ Starting load factor for Load System A, STLD(1)
0       $ Load factor increment for Load System A, STEP(1)
1       $ Maximum load factor for Load System A, FACM(1)
0       $ Starting load factor for Load System B, STLD(2)
0       $ Load factor increment for Load System B, STEP(2)
0       $ Maximum load factor for Load System B, FACM(2)
1       $ How many eigenvalues do you want? NEIGS
480    $ Choose element type (410 or 411 or 480) for panel skin
n      $ Have you obtained buckling modes from STAGS for this case?
0      $ Number of stringers in STAGS model of the flat panel
0      $ Number of rings in the STAGS model of the panel
n      $ Are there rings at the ends of the panel?
10     $ Number of finite elements between adjacent stringers
25     $ Number of finite elements between adjacent rings
3      $ Stringer model: 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 (Type H(elp))
3      $ Ring model: 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 (Type H(elp))
0      $ Reference surface of cyl: 1=outer, 0=middle, -1=inner
n      $ Do you want to use fasteners (they are like rigid links)?
y      $ Are the stringers to be "smeared out"?
y      $ Are the rings to be "smeared out"?
5      $ Number of nodes over height of stiffener webs, NODWEB
5      $ Number of nodes over width of stringer flange, NDFLGS
5      $ Number of nodes over width of ring flange, NDFLGR
n      $ Do you want stringer(s) with a high nodal point density?
n      $ Do you want ring(s) with a high nodal point density?
n      $ Is there plasticity in this STAGS model?
n      $ Do you want to use the "least-squares" model for torque?
n      $ Is stiffener sideways permitted at the panel edges?
n      $ Do you want symmetry conditions along the straight edges?
0      $ Edges normal to screen (0) in-plane deformable; (1) rigid

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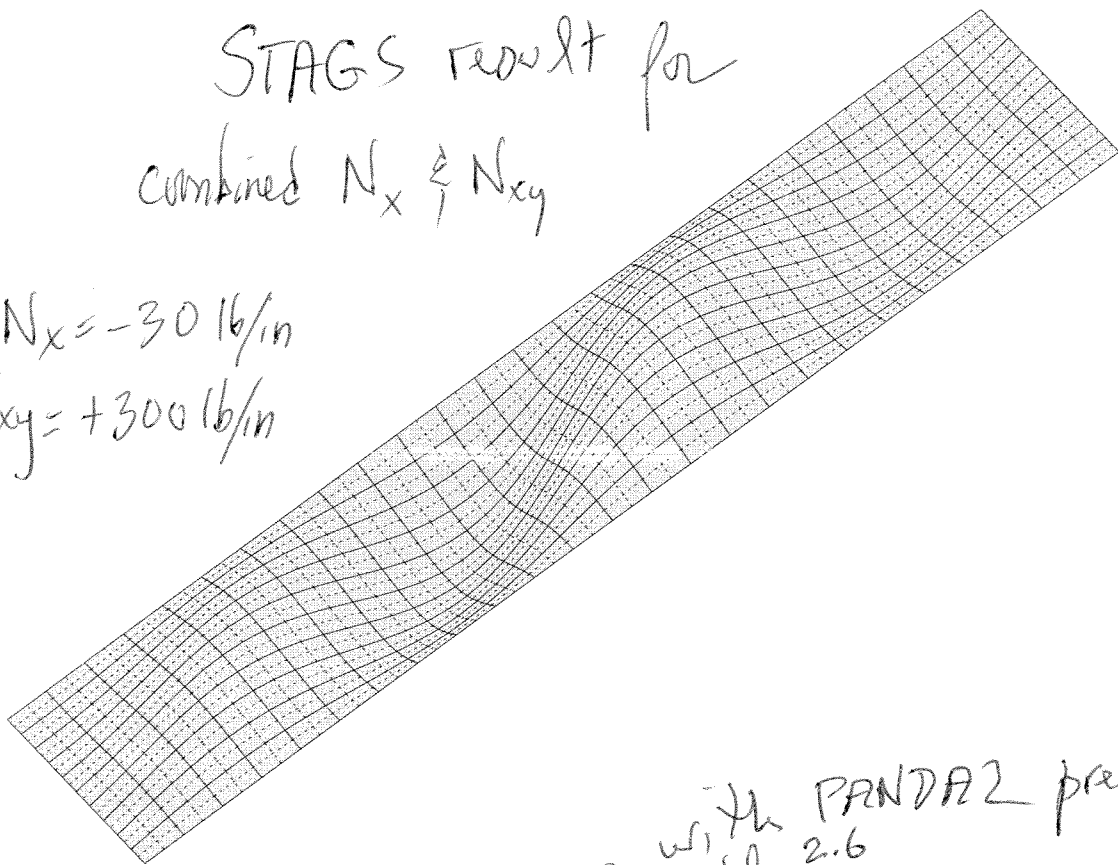
input for STAGSUNIT

Output from STAGS in Figs. 2.12 - 2.27

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STAGS result for  
combined  $N_x$  &  $N_{xy}$

$$N_x = -30 \text{ lb/in}$$
$$N_{xy} = +300 \text{ lb/in}$$



solution scale = 0.2866E+01  
mode 1, pcr = 0.34059E+00  
step 0 eigenvector deformed geometry  
linear buckling of perfect shell

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compare with PANDA2 prediction  
listed in Table 2.6

$\Theta_x$  -35.84  
 $\Theta_y$  -13.14  
 $\Theta_z$  35.63

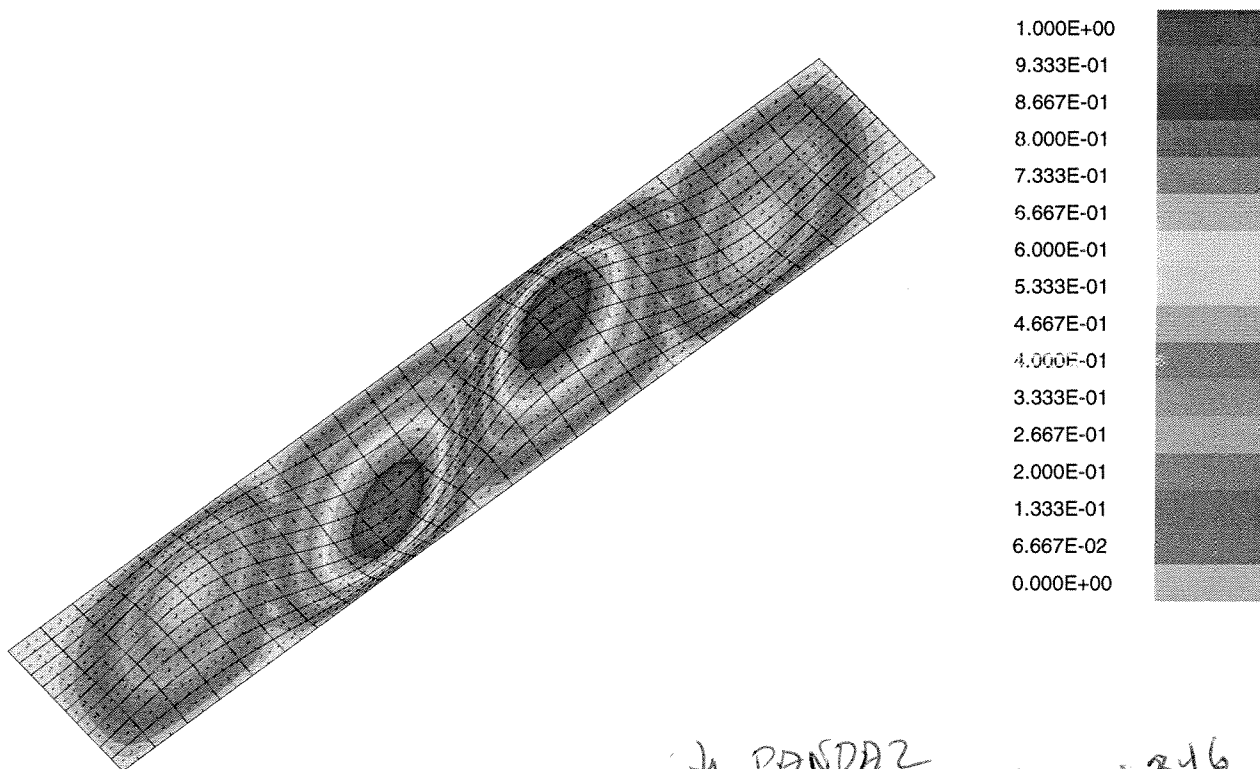
y z x

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Fig. 2.12

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STAGS result



solution scale = 0.2866E+01

mode 1, pcr = 0.34059E+00

step 0 eigenvector veclnghcontours

linear buckling of perfect shell, fringe plot of modal displacement

Minimum value = 0.00000E+00, Maximum value = 1.00000E+00

Θ x -35.84  
Θ y -13.14  
Θ z 35.63

y z x

9.050E+00

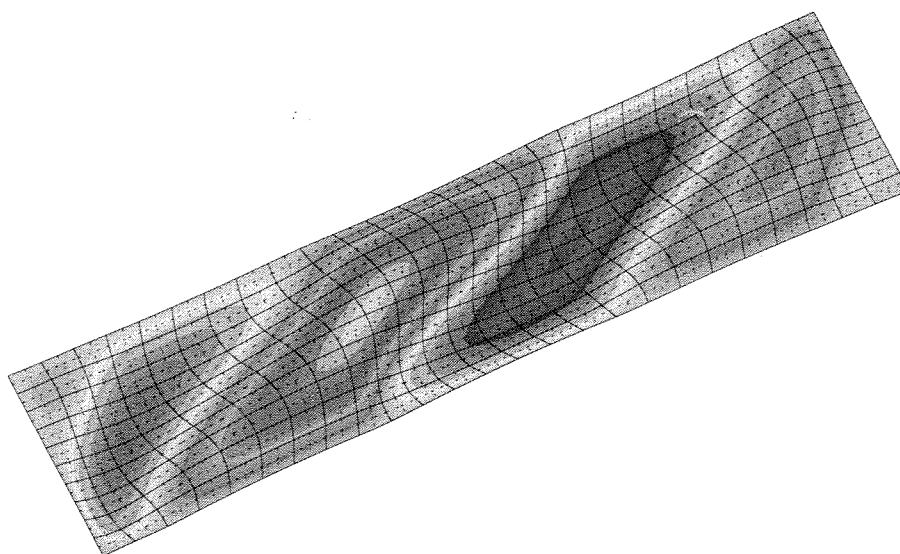
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Fig. 2.13

compare with PANDA2  
prediction in Table 2.6 :  $\lambda = 0.346$

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STAGS result



5.554E-01  
4.794E-01  
4.035E-01  
3.275E-01  
2.516E-01  
1.756E-01  
9.968E-02  
2.373E-02  
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-1.282E-01  
-2.041E-01  
-2.801E-01  
-3.560E-01  
-4.320E-01  
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solution scale = 0.4438E+01

PA= 1.00000E+00 PB= 0.00000E+00 PX= 0.00000E+00

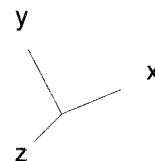
step 34 displacement w contours

nonlinear w

Minimum value = -5.83871E-01, Maximum value = 5.55384E-01

$\Theta_x$  24.00  
 $\Theta_y$  -22.00  
 $\Theta_z$  30.00

8.957E+00



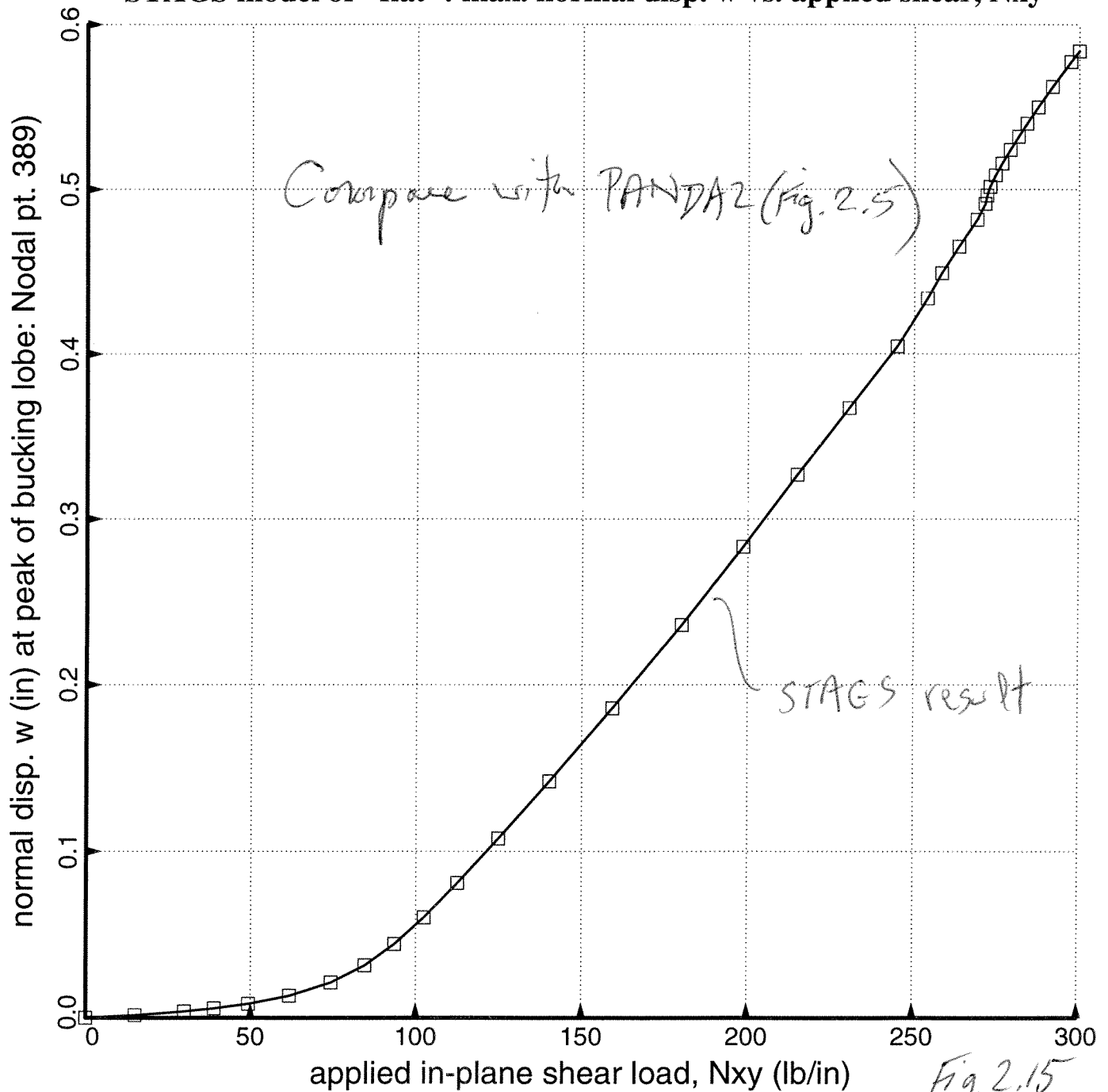
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Fig. 2.14

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□ Prediction from STAGS model generated via STAGSUNIT

**STAGS model of "flat": max. normal disp. w vs. applied shear,  $N_{xy}$**



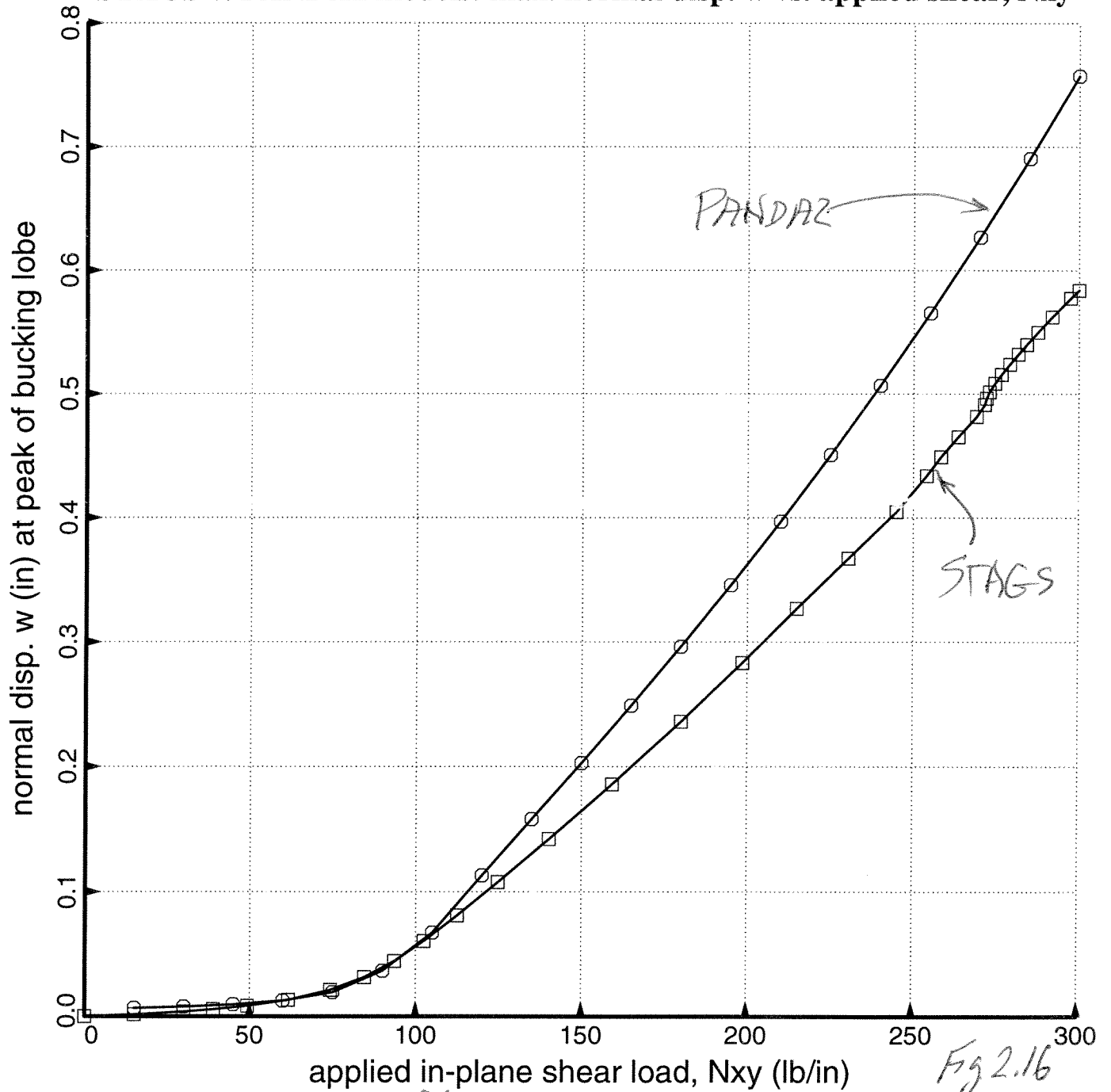
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Fig. 2.15

flatshear.w. stagspanda2.ps

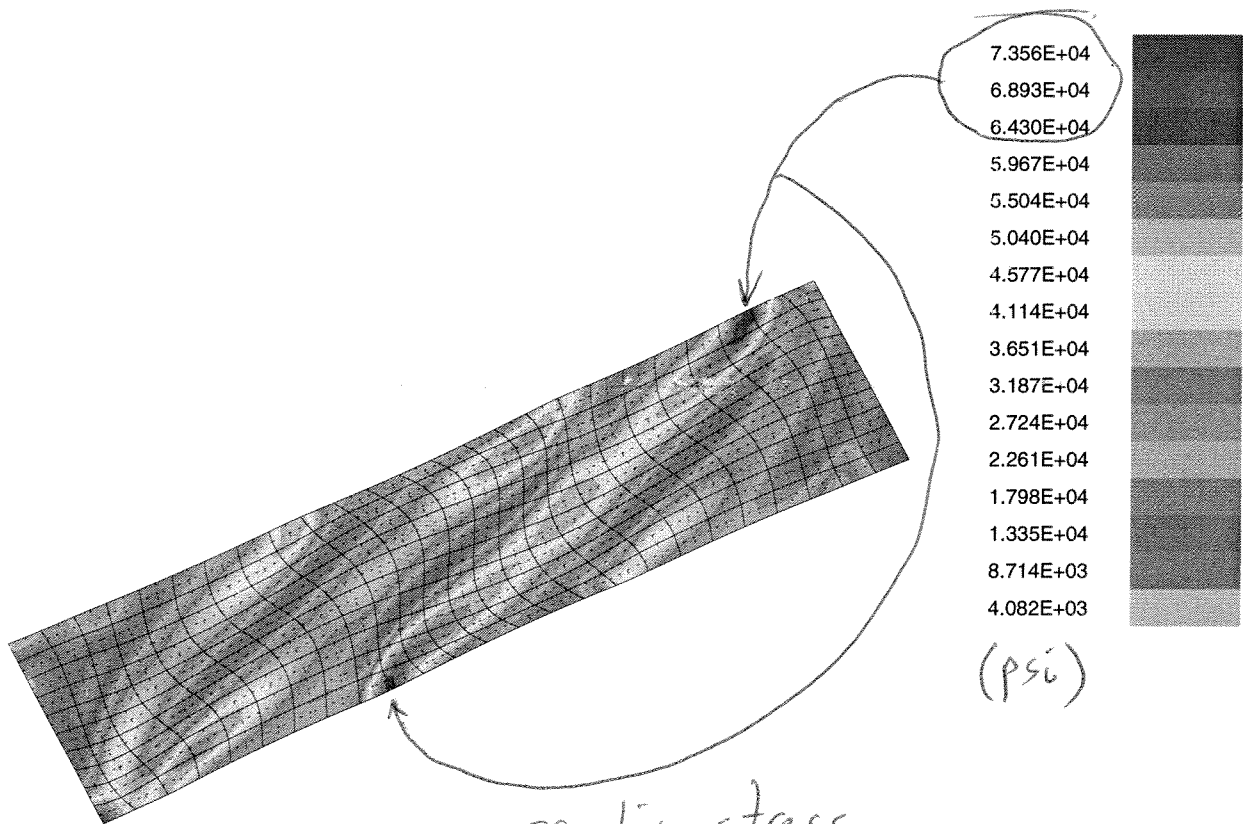
- Prediction from STAGS model generated via STAGSUNIT
- Max. disp. w predicted by PANDA2 model

**STAGS v. PANDA2 models: max. normal disp. w vs. applied shear,  $N_{xy}$**





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solution scale = 0.4438E+01

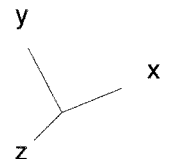
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step 34 fabrication system (seff) layer 1, inner fiber

nonlinear effective stress - inner fiber OK as is

Minimum value = 4.08218E+03, Maximum value = 7.35642E+04

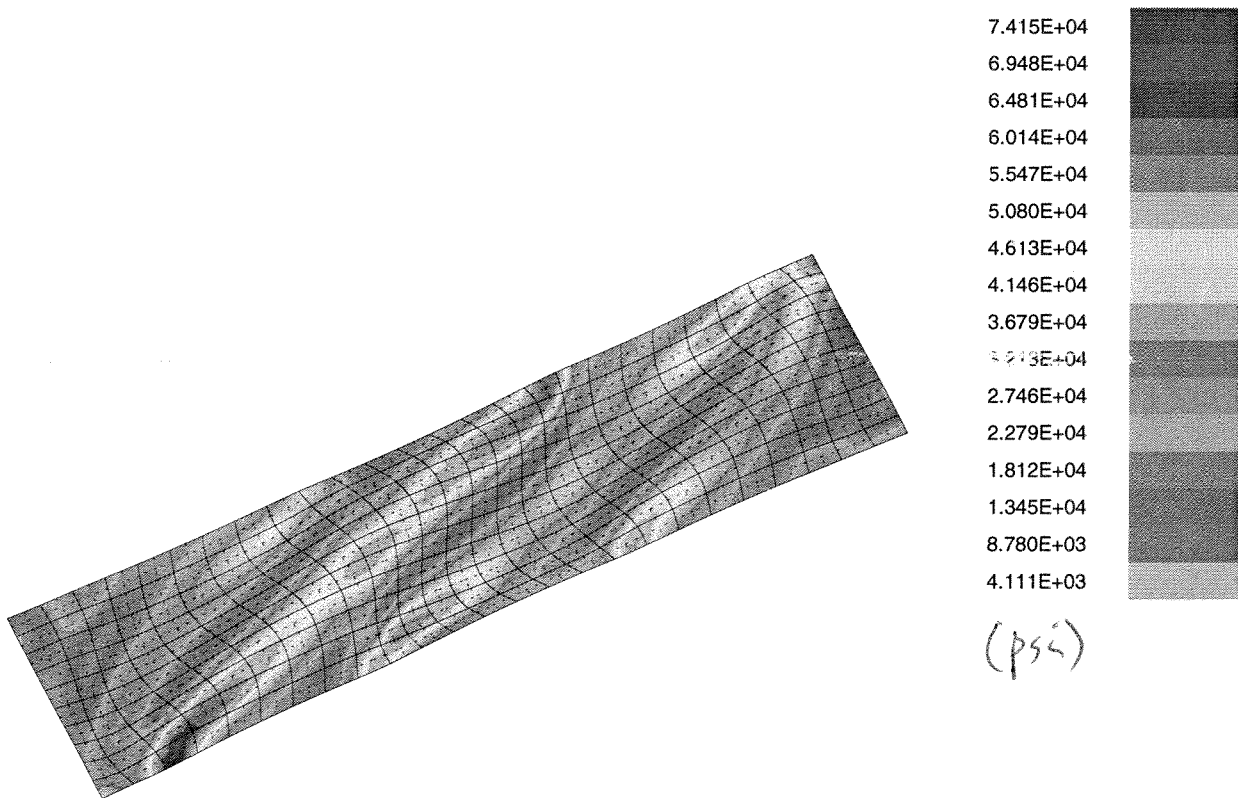
Θ x 24.00  
Θ y -22.00  
Θ z 30.00



8.957E+00

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Fig. 2.17



solution scale = 0.4438E+01

PA= 1.00000E+00 PB= 0.00000E+00 PX= 0.00000E+00

step 34 fabrication system ,seff, layer 1, outer fiber

nonlinear effective stress - inner fiber

Minimum value = 4.11134E+03, Maximum value = 7.41460E+04

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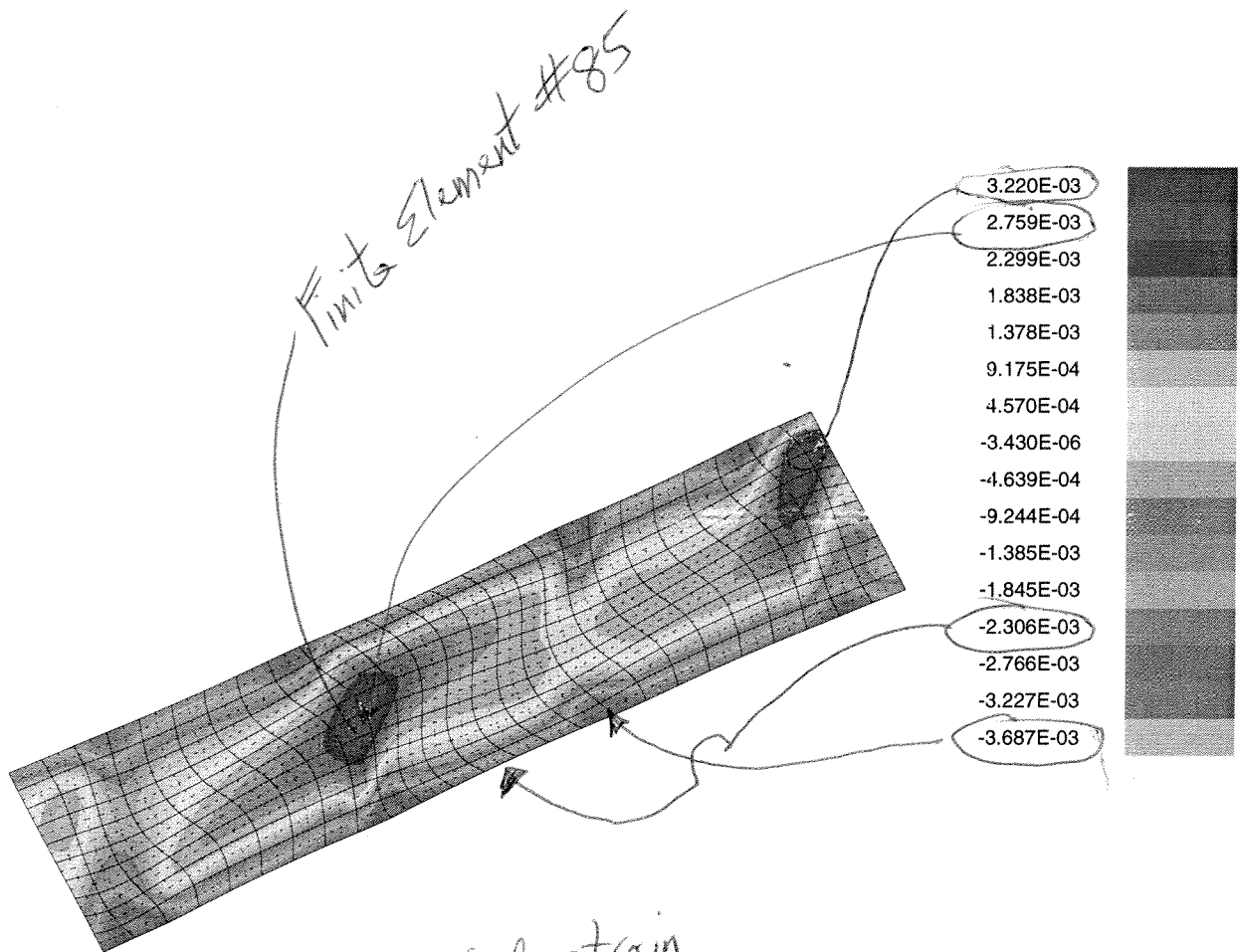
y  
x  
z

8.957E+00

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Fig 2-18

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solution scale = 0.4438E+01

PA= 1.00000E+00 PB= 0.00000E+00 PX= 0.00000E+00

step 34 strains ex layer 1, inner fiber

nonlinear axial strain - inner fiber

Minimum value = -3.68712E-03, Maximum value = 3.21980E-03

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Θ y -22.00  
Θ z 30.00

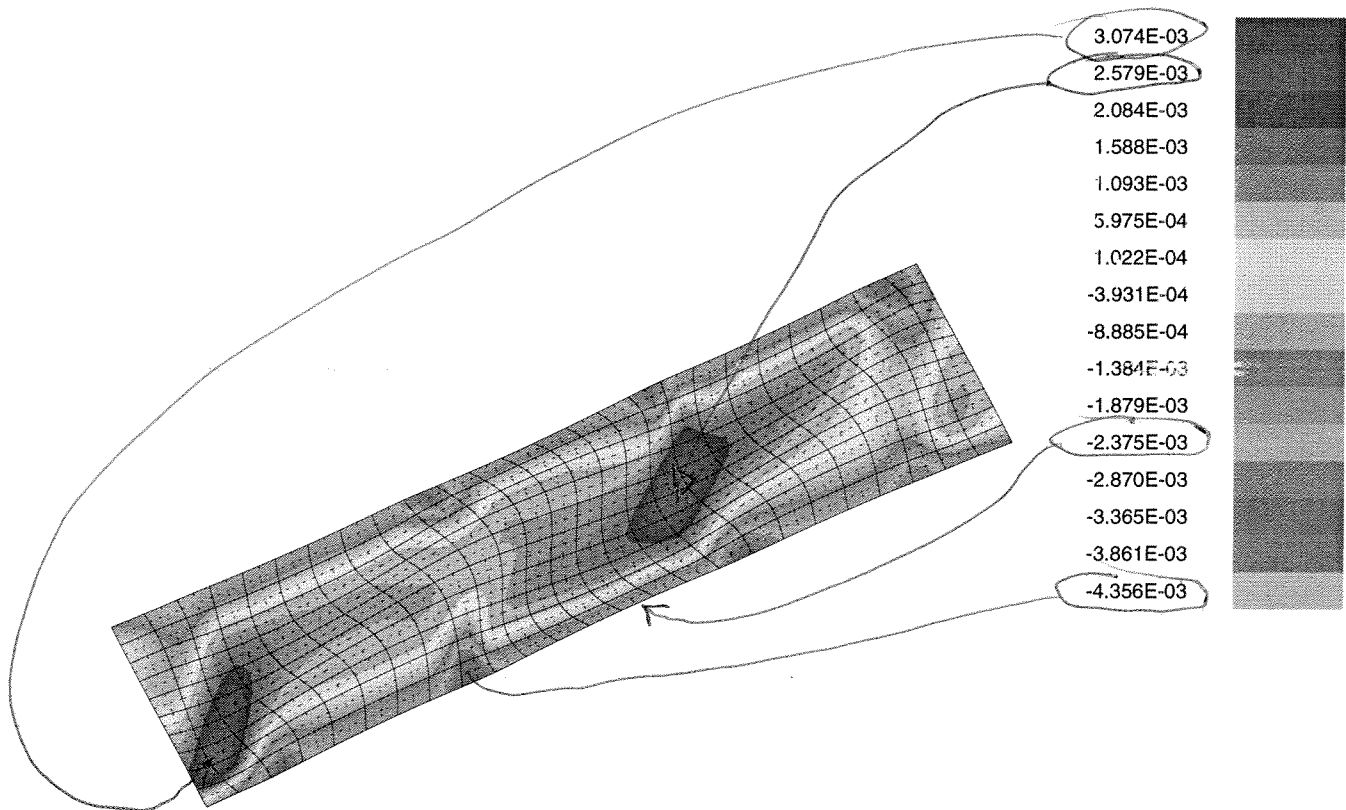
y  
x  
z

8.957E+00

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Fig. 219

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solution scale = 0.4438E+01

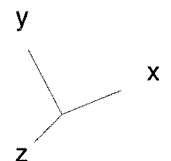
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step 34 strains, ex, layer 1, outer fiber

nonlinear axial strain - outer fiber

Minimum value = -4.35588E-03, Maximum value = 3.07424E-03

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Θ y -22.00  
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8.957E+00

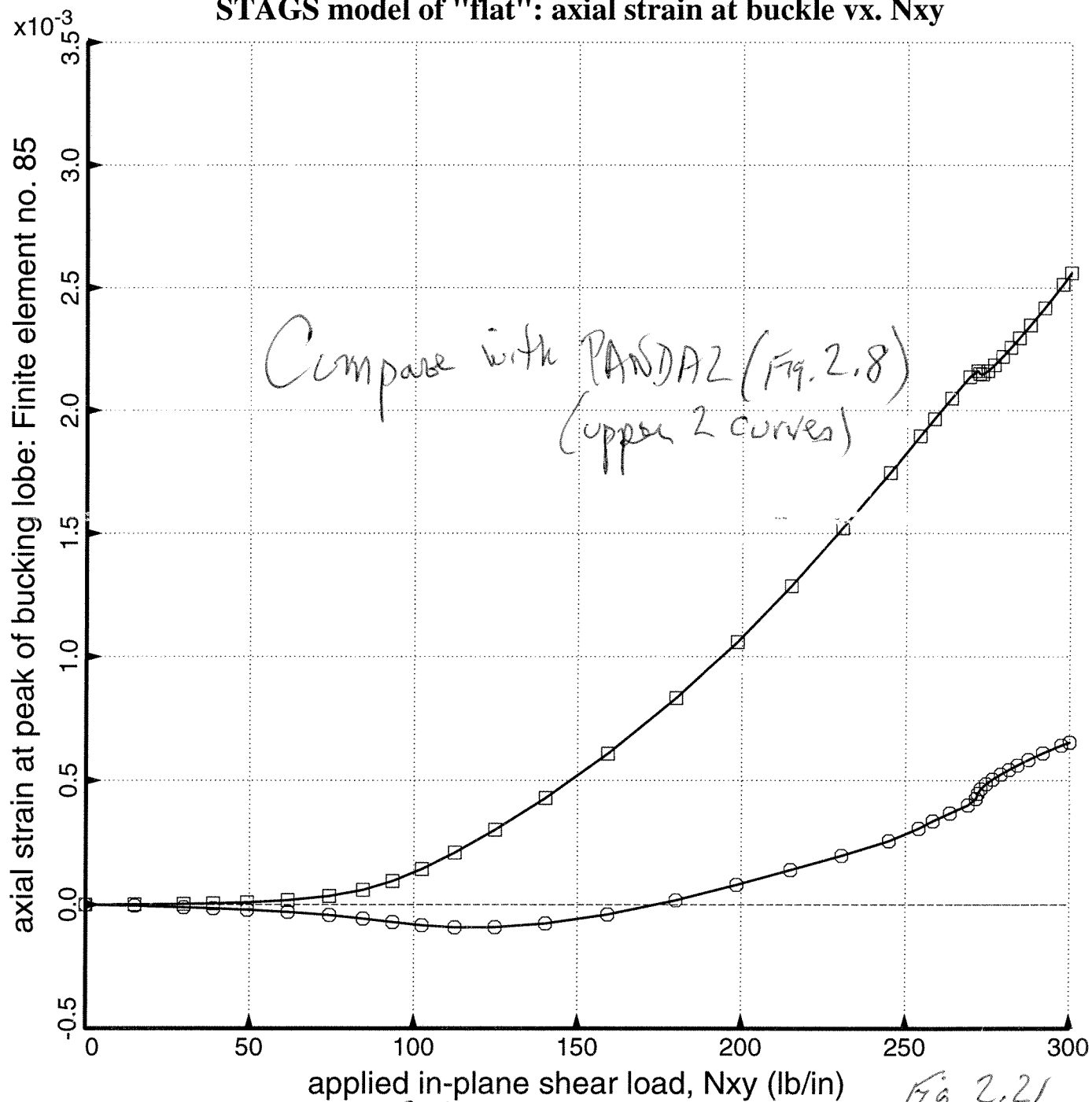
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Fig. 2.20

flatshear.epsx.atbuckle.ps

- axial strain epsx at centroid of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- axial strain epsx at centroid of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle

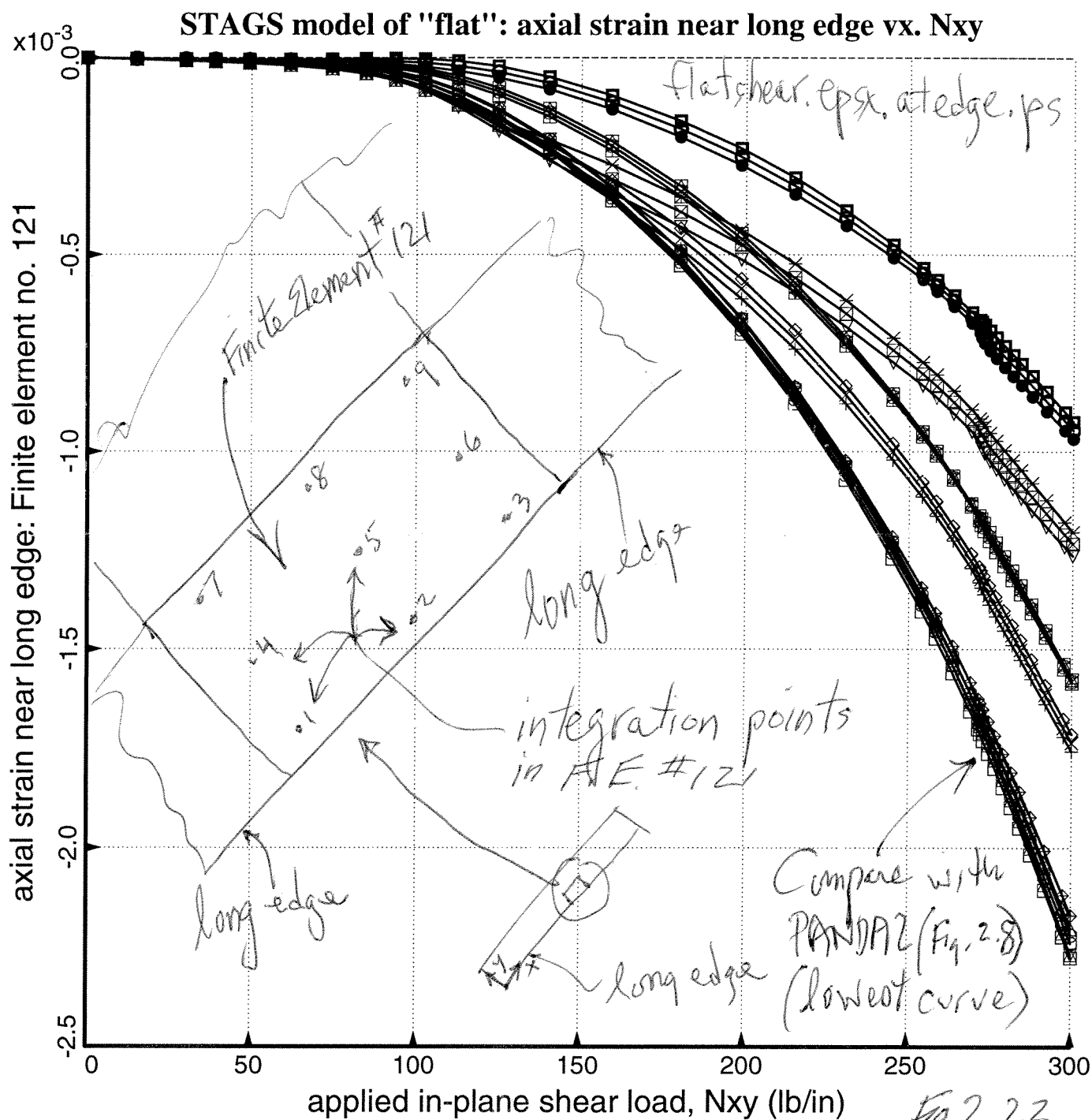
### STAGS model of "flat": axial strain at buckle vx. $N_{xy}$



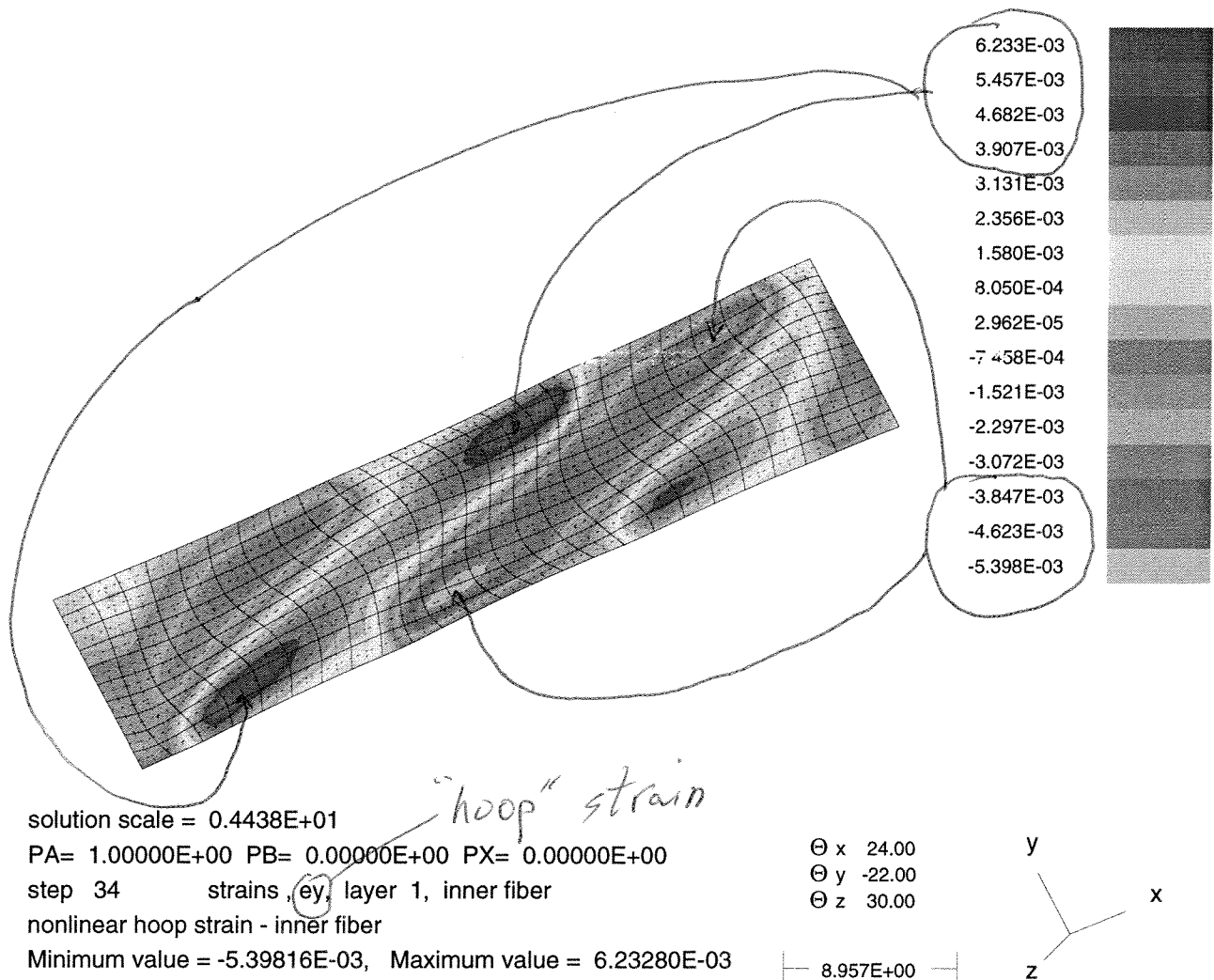
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- + axial strain epsx at integration pt. 4 of F.E. no. 121; bottom fiber near long edge
- × axial strain epsx at integration pt. 5 of F.E. no. 121; bottom fiber near long edge
- ◇ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 6 of F.E. no. 121; bottom fiber near long edge
- ▽ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 7 of F.E. no. 121; bottom fiber near long edge
- ⊠ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 8 of F.E. no. 121; bottom fiber near long edge
- × axial strain epsx at integration pt. 9 of F.E. no. 121; bottom fiber near long edge
- ◆ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 1 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- ⊕ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 2 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- ⊗ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 3 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- ⊞ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 4 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- ⊠ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 5 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- ⊡ axial strain epsx at integration pt. 6 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- axial strain epsx at integration pt. 7 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- axial strain epsx at integration pt. 8 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge
- axial strain epsx at integration pt. 9 of F.E. no. 121; top fiber near long edge

nearest the edge

nearest the edge

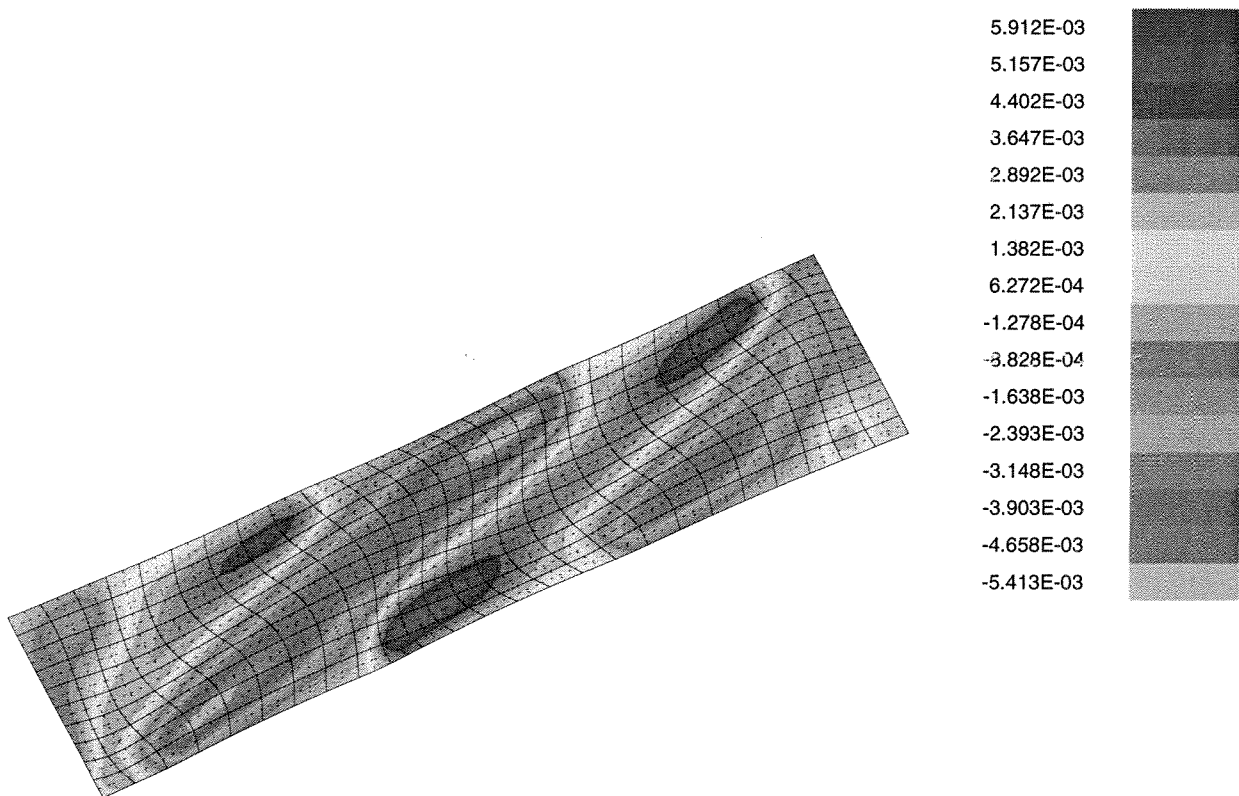


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Fig. 2.23



solution scale = 0.4438E+01

PA= 1.00000E+00 PB= 0.00000E+00 PX= 0.00000E+00

step 34 strains, ey, layer 1, outer fiber

nonlinear hoop strain - outer fiber

Minimum value = -5.41292E-03, Maximum value = 5.91233E-03

$\Theta_x$  24.00  
 $\Theta_y$  -22.00  
 $\Theta_z$  30.00

8.957E+00

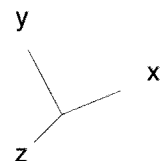
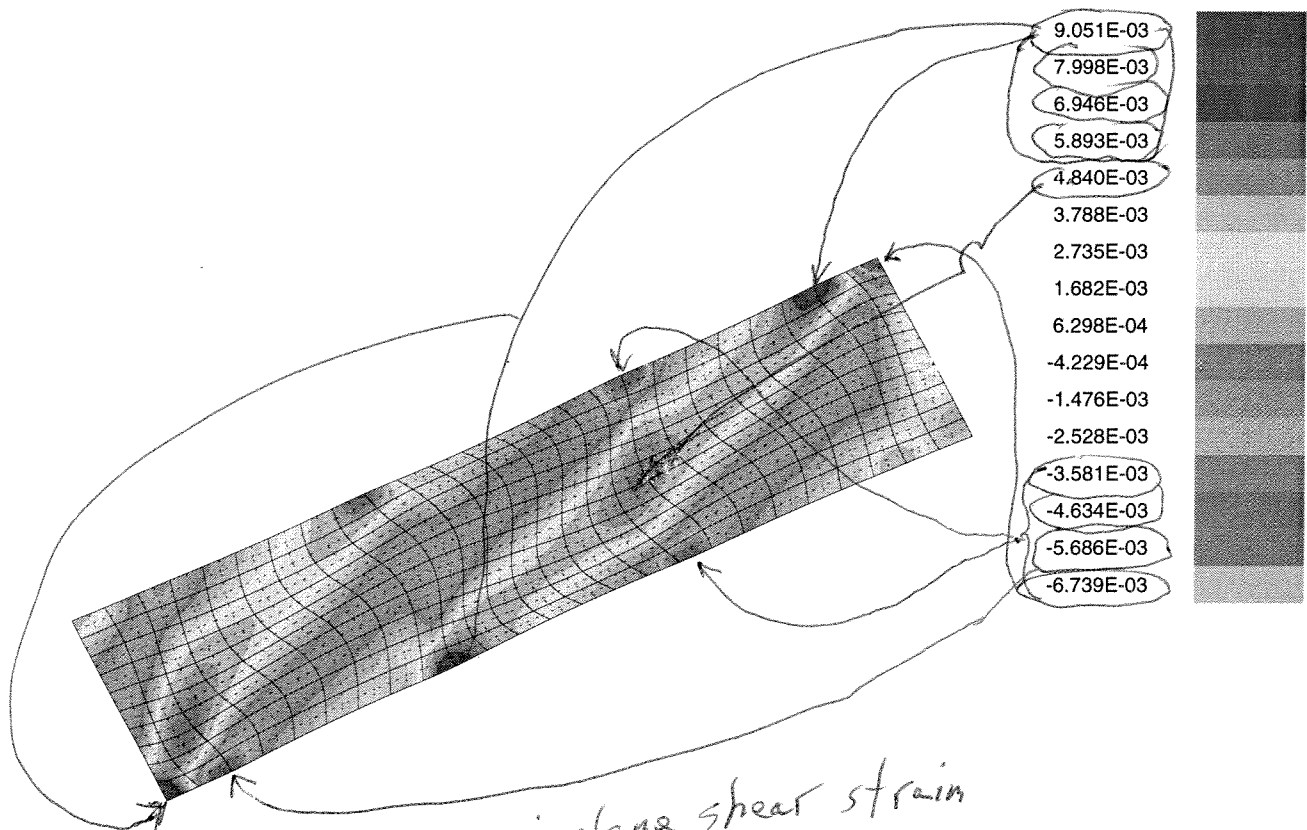


Fig. 2.24

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solution scale = 0.4438E+01

PA= 1.00000E+00 PB= 0.00000E+00 PX= 0.00000E+00

step 34 strains, exy, layer 1, inner fiber

nonlinear in-plane shear strain - inner fiber

Minimum value = -6.73889E-03, Maximum value = 9.05110E-03

Θ x 24.00  
Θ y -22.00  
Θ z 30.00

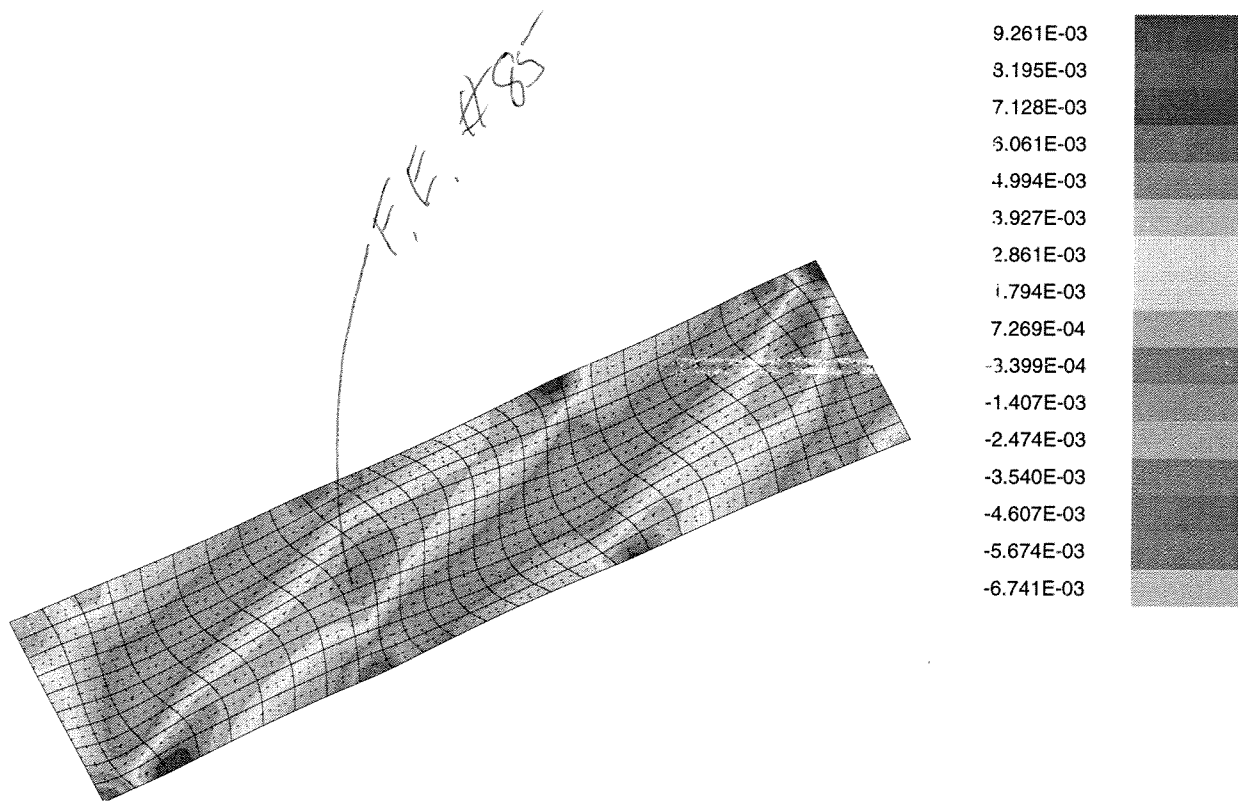
y  
x  
z

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Fig. 2.25

flat.postbuck.epscopy.outerfiber.shearload.pdf



solution scale = 0.4438E+01

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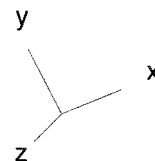
step 34 strains, exy, layer 1, outer fiber

nonlinear in-plane shear strain - outer fiber

Minimum value = -6.74078E-03, Maximum value = 9.26142E-03

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 $\Theta_y$  -22.00  
 $\Theta_z$  30.00

8.957E+00



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Fig. 2.26

- in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 1 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 2 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- △ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 3 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- + in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 4 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- × in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 5 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- ◇ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 6 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- ▽ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 7 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- ⊠ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 8 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- ✱ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 9 of F.E. no. 85; bottom fiber at peak of buckle
- ⬠ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 1 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- ⊕ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 2 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- ⊗ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 3 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- ⊞ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 4 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- ⊠ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 5 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- ⊡ in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 6 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 7 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 8 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle
- in-plane shear strain epsxy at integration pt. 9 of F.E. no. 85; top fiber at peak of buckle

