

Statement of the Problem

We are expected to solve the displacement problem for the given eight storied industrial structure using Gauss elimination with pivoting.

Algorithm

Gauss Elimination with pivoting:-

- Matrix A from the form $Ax = b$, needs to be factorised into an upper triangular matrix.
- We can use pivoting to achieve the above stated solution as it has higher accuracy
- We then solve for the vector x using back substitution starting from the last independent variable x_n .

Results

The results presented by the program are as follows:

- $X1 = 0.6999$
- $X2 = 1.2066$
- $X3 = 1.6667$
- $X4 = 2.2861$
- $X5 = 2.4562$
- $X6 = 31.8527$
- $X7 = 32.0093$
- $X8 = 32.2650$

Comments

1. *This method has a time complexity of $O(n^3)$*
2. *We can solve this system of equations in under a second which is very fast, since it would be a very slow process for 8 equations with hand calculation.*