







# **USDFLD**





### User subroutine **USDFLD**:

- allows you to define field variables at a material point as functions of time or of any of the available material point quantities listed in the Output Variable Identifiers table (<u>Using Abaqus/Standard Output Variable Identifiers</u>) except the user-defined output variables UVARM and UVARMn;
- can be used to introduce solution-dependent material properties since such properties can easily be defined as functions of field variables;
- will be called at all material points of elements for which the material definition includes user-defined field variables;
- must call utility routine GETVRM to access material point data;
- can use and update state variables; and
- can be used in conjunction with user subroutine UFIELD to prescribe predefined field variables.

# This page discusses:

- Explicit Solution Dependence
- <u>Defining Field Variables</u>
- Accessing Material Point Data
- State Variables
- <u>User Subroutine Interface</u>
- Variables to Be Defined
- Variables That Can Be Updated
- Variables Passed in for Information
- Example: Damaged Elasticity Model



# See Also

Obtaining Material Point Information in an Abaqus/Standard Analysis

#### In Other Guides

**Material Data Definition** 

#### **\*USER DEFINED FIELD**

Damage and failure of a laminated composite plate

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<u>Using Abaqus/Standard Output Variable</u> <u>Identifiers</u>