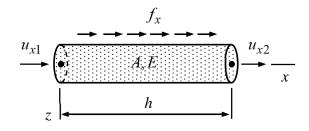
Assignment 2

Consider a bar element when A and E and distributed force f_x is the linear distributed force. Derive the virtual work expression of *internal* forces starting with the approximation $u=(1-x/h)u_{x1}+(x/h)u_{x2}$ and the virtual work density expressions $\delta w_{\Omega}^{\rm int}=-(d\delta u/dx)EA(du/dx)$ and $\delta w_{\Omega}^{\rm ext}=\delta u f_x$ of the bar mode.



Solution template

Displacement quantities in the virtual work density:

$$u = \begin{cases} 1 - x/h \\ x/h \end{cases}^{T} \begin{cases} u_{x1} \\ u_{x2} \end{cases} \implies \frac{du}{dx} = \begin{cases} ----- \\ ----- \end{cases}^{T} \begin{cases} u_{x1} \\ u_{x2} \end{cases},$$

$$\delta u = \left\{ \begin{array}{c} \\ \end{array} \right\}^{\mathrm{T}} \left\{ \begin{array}{c} 1 - x/h \\ x/h \end{array} \right\} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{d\delta u}{dx} = \left\{ \begin{array}{c} \\ \end{array} \right\}^{\mathrm{T}} \left\{ \begin{array}{c} \\ \end{array} \right\}.$$

When the approximation is substituted there, virtual work density of internal forces $\delta w_{\Omega}^{\rm int}$ becomes

Virtual work of internal forces $\delta W^{\rm int}$ is the integral of $\delta w^{\rm int}_{\Omega}$ over the domain occupied by the element

$$\delta W^{\text{int}} = \int_0^h \delta w_{\Omega}^{\text{int}} dx = -\left\{ \begin{cases} \delta u_{x1} \\ \delta u_{x2} \end{cases} \right\}^{\text{T}} \left[\frac{u_{x1}}{u_{x2}} \right] \left\{ \begin{cases} u_{x1} \\ u_{x2} \end{cases} \right\}. \quad \longleftarrow$$