

Exercise 8: Eigenvalue Problem for 2D Acoustic Domain

We consider a two-dimensional domain consisting of a rectangular room, 4 m x 10 m. All sides are rigid. Solve the eigenvalue problem for this room model.

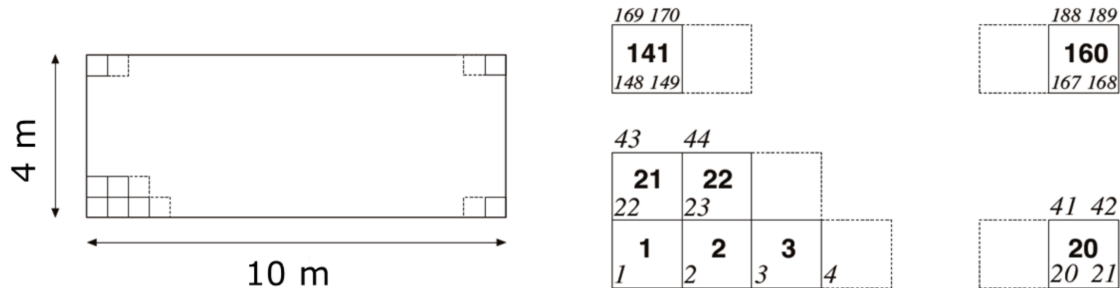


Figure 1 – The finite element mesh of the room model including numbering. (CalFEM by G. Sandberg, P.-A. Wernberg and P. Davidsson)

Download the basic MATLAB scripts from the corresponding section in DTU learn. They consist of the following files:

- FEM_ex8_1_Run_2D_Eig.m: Main code for this exercise (You need to complete this script)
- FEM_ex8_1_MeshInfo.mat: Including mesh information [ex, ey, edof].
- FEM_ex8_1_DrawElementTopology.m: Plot FE mesh
- FEM_ex8_1_AcoQ4.m: Script for element matrix. (You need to complete this script)
- FEM_ex8_1_Extract.m: Extract element pressure.
- FEM_ex8_2_PDEtool.m: Introduction to FEM using the MATLAB PDE toolbox.

8.1 Implementation of Two-Dimensional FEM Code

The script FEM_ex8_1_Run_2D_Eig.m contain the basics pre- and post-processing steps. However, the FEM assembly steps of FEM_ex8_1_Run_2D_Eig.m and FEM_ex8_1_AcoQ4.m are missing. Specifically the following tasks need to be filled:

- Write code for the Jacobian determinant.
- Write code for the **B** matrix: derivative of the shape functions with respect to local coordinates.
- Construction of the element stiffness matrix and mass matrix.
- Construction of the global stiffness matrix and mass matrix.

While FEM_ex8_1_Run_2D_Eig.m already contains the eigenvalue analysis, I suggest that you spend some time actually understanding what it does.

8.2 Comparing Results

Compare your results with the MATLAB PDE toolbox FEM implementation in FEM_ex8_2_PDEtool.m and an analytical calculation of room modes. Understand the code (optional: perform a convergence study using the PDE toolbox FEM implementation).