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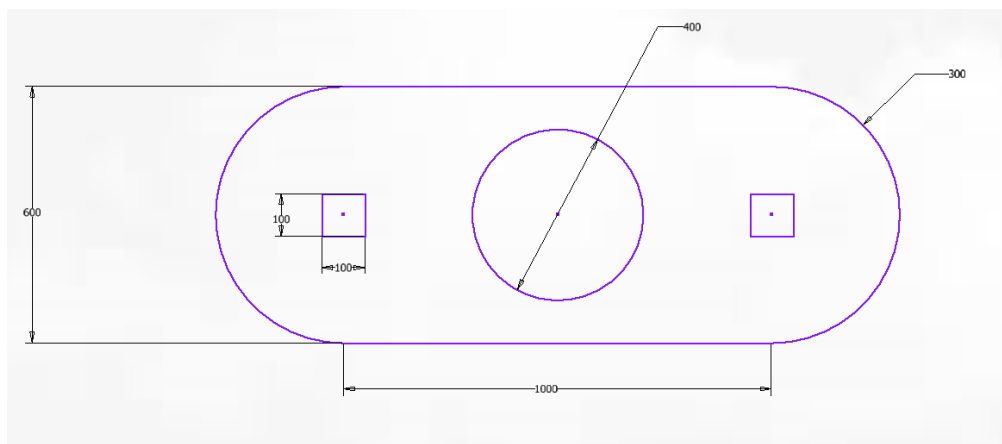
Experiment 3: Plate/Shell Element – Structural Linear and Non-Linear Analysis

Aim: To perform analysis of Plate/Shell Element

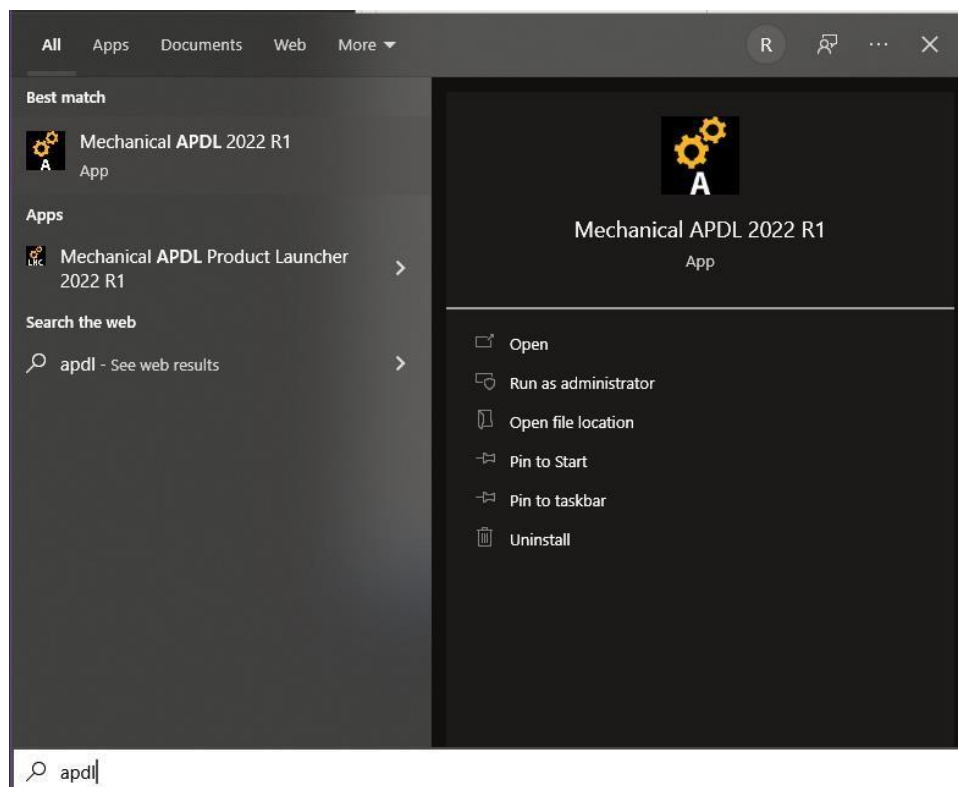
Objectives: Perform the simulation using Ansys 2022 R1

Package: Ansys 2022 R1

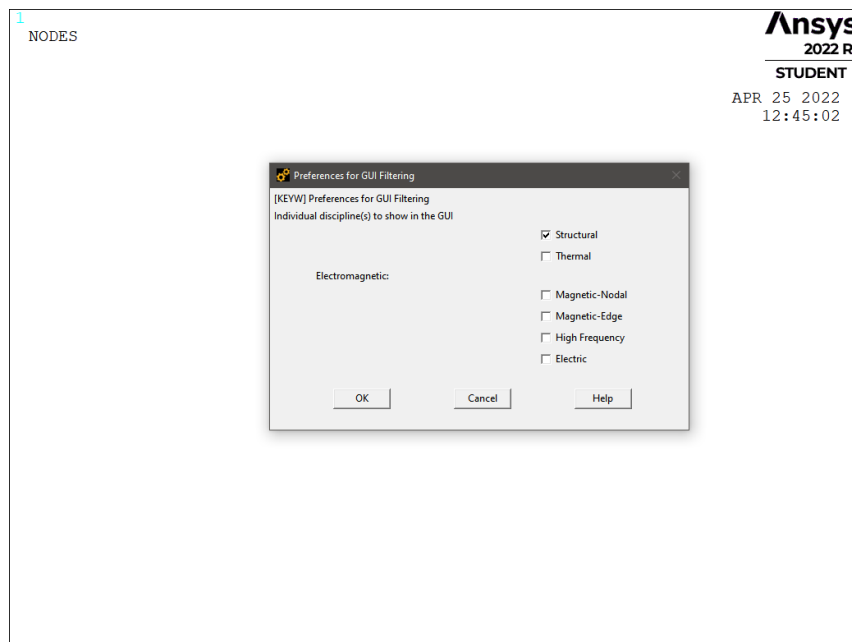
Problem:



Step 1: Run Ansys Mechanical APDL 2022 R1:



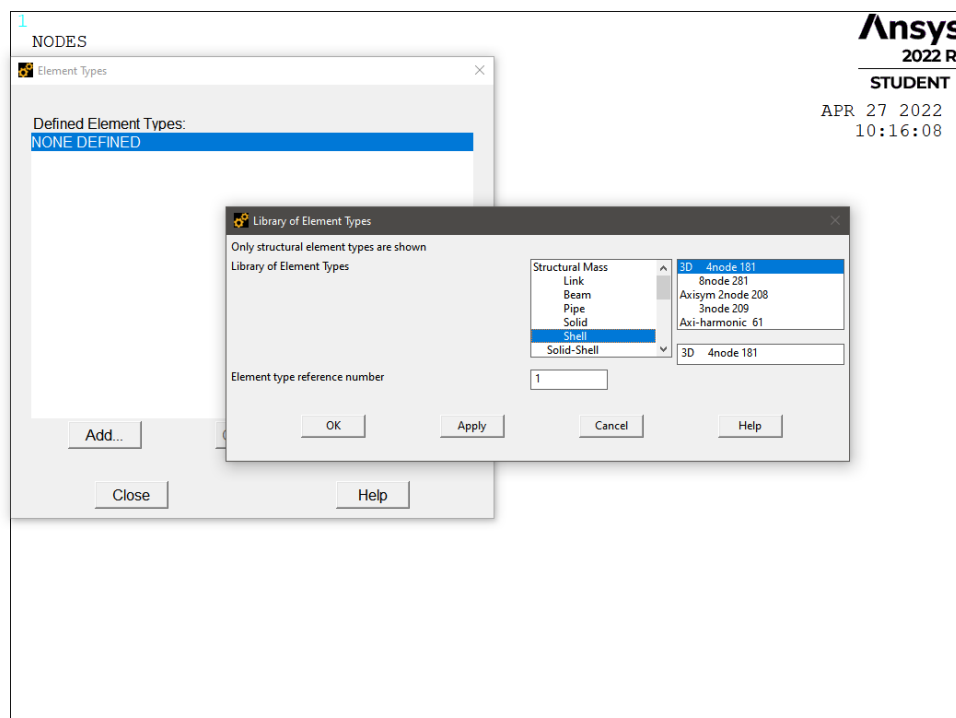
Step 2: Selecting Preference, Preferences → Structural



Preprocessor

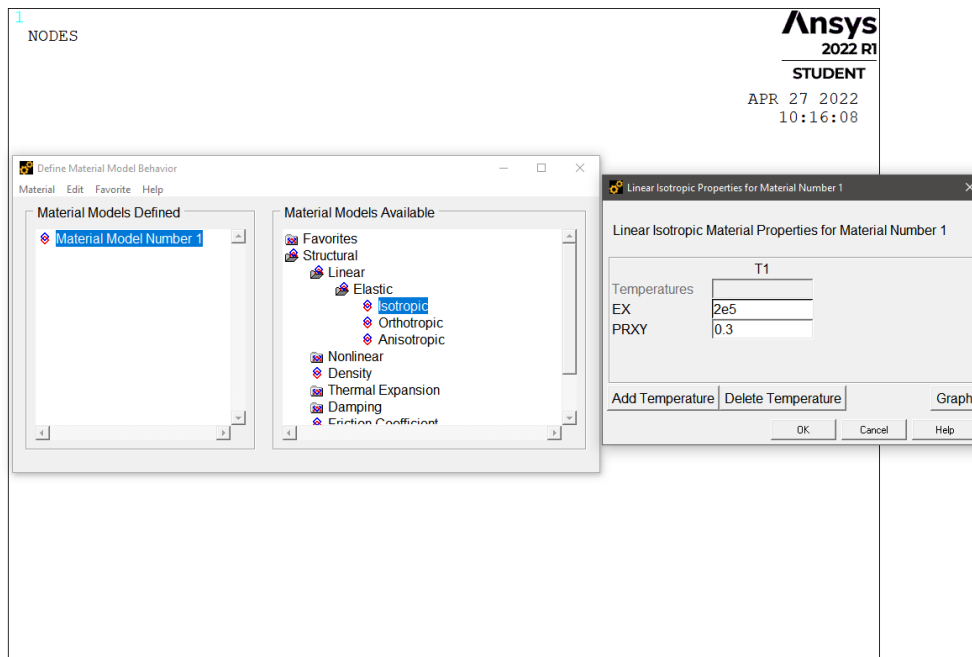
Step 3: Defining the Element Type

Pre-processor → Element Type → Add/Delete Element → Add → Shell → 3D 4 Node 181 → OK



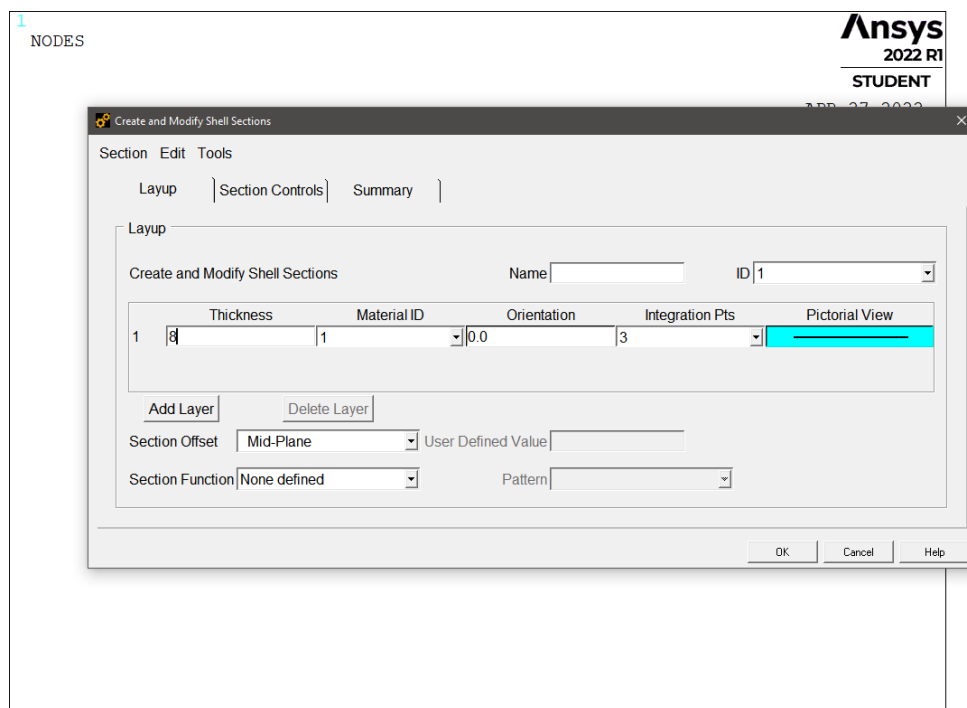
Step 4: Defining Material Properties

Material Props → Material Models → Material Models Available → Structural
→ Linear → Elastic → Isotropic



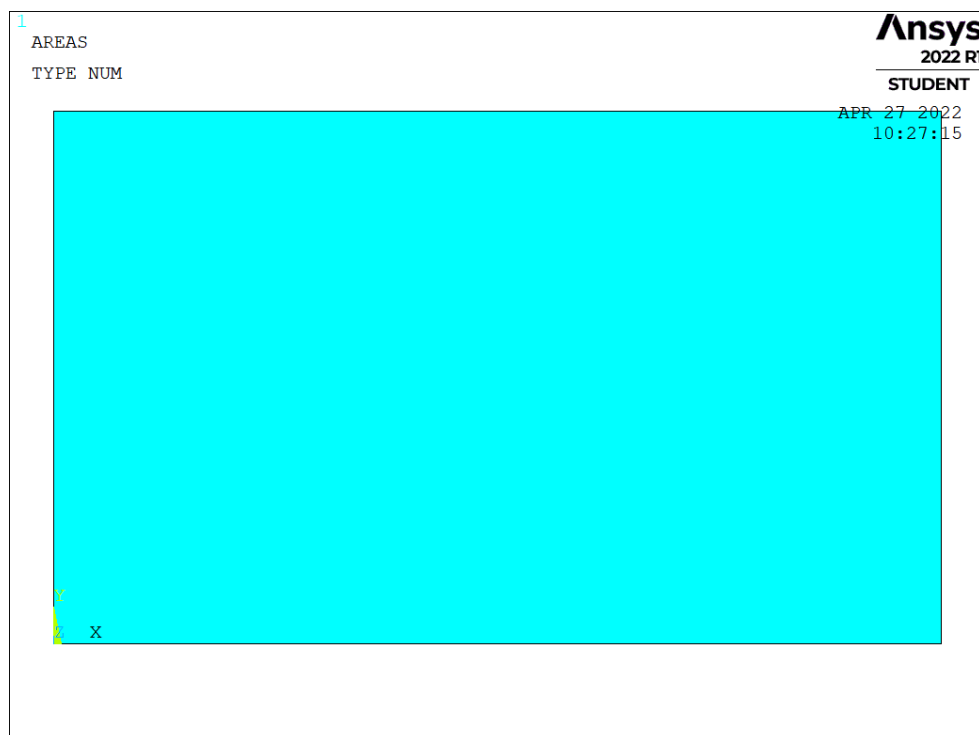
Step 5: Defining Section Of our Shell

Section → Shell → Lay up → Add/edit → Thickness → Material ID if present → OK

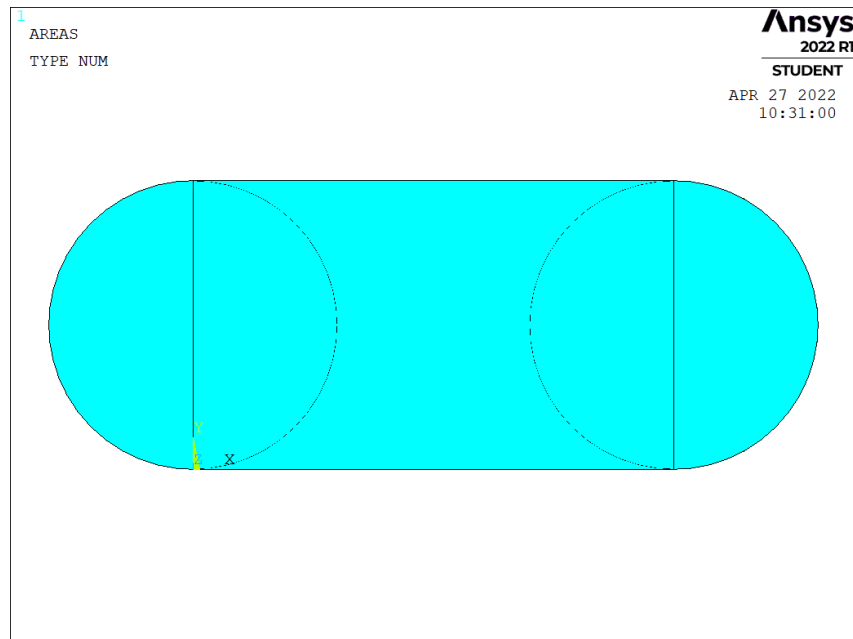


Step 6: Modelling the problem

Modeling → Create → Areas → Rectangle → By Two Corners → OK → WPX, WPY, Width, Height.



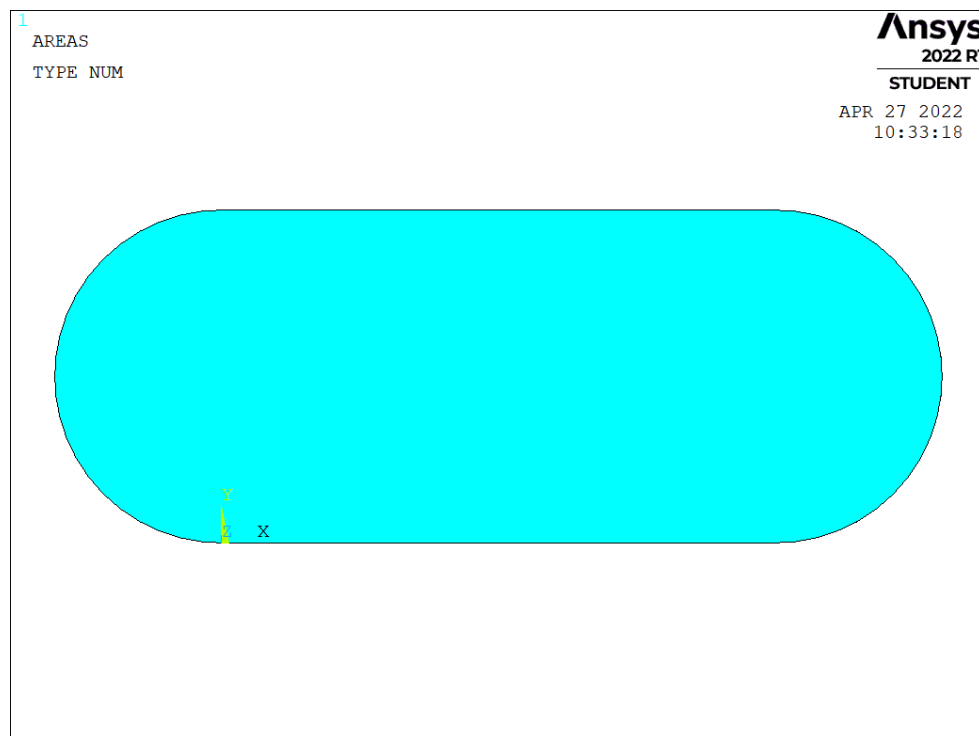
Modeling → create → Areas → Circle → solid circle → WPX, WPY, radius. Repeat this step 2 times for getting the result below.



Operate :

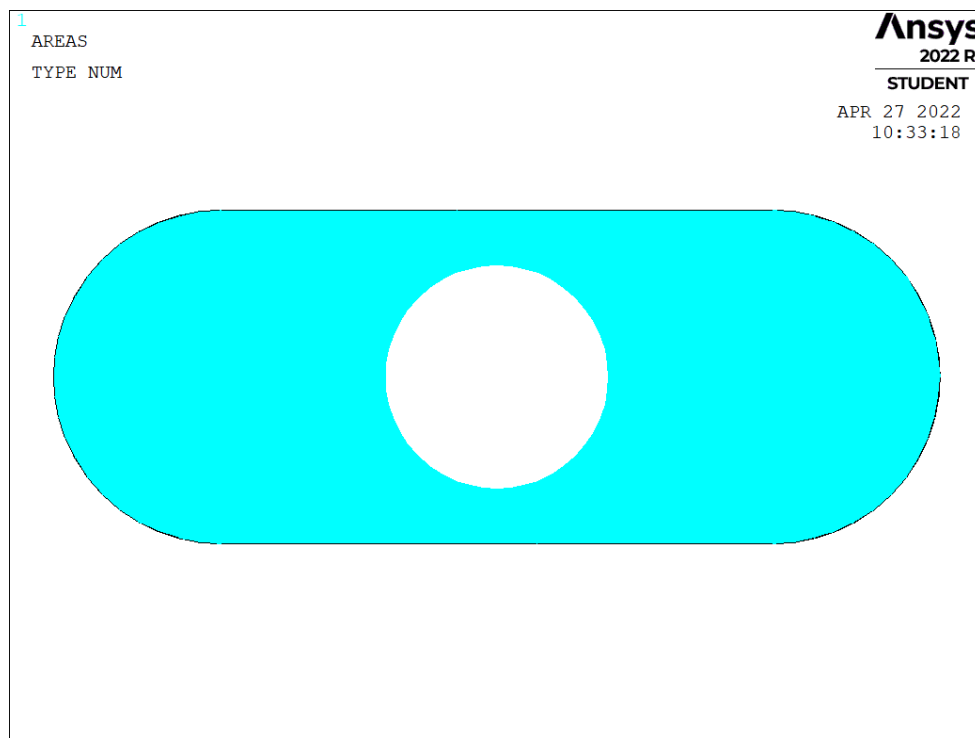
→ Booleans → Add → Areas → add the two new circles to the existing rectangle to make one continuous shape.

Operate

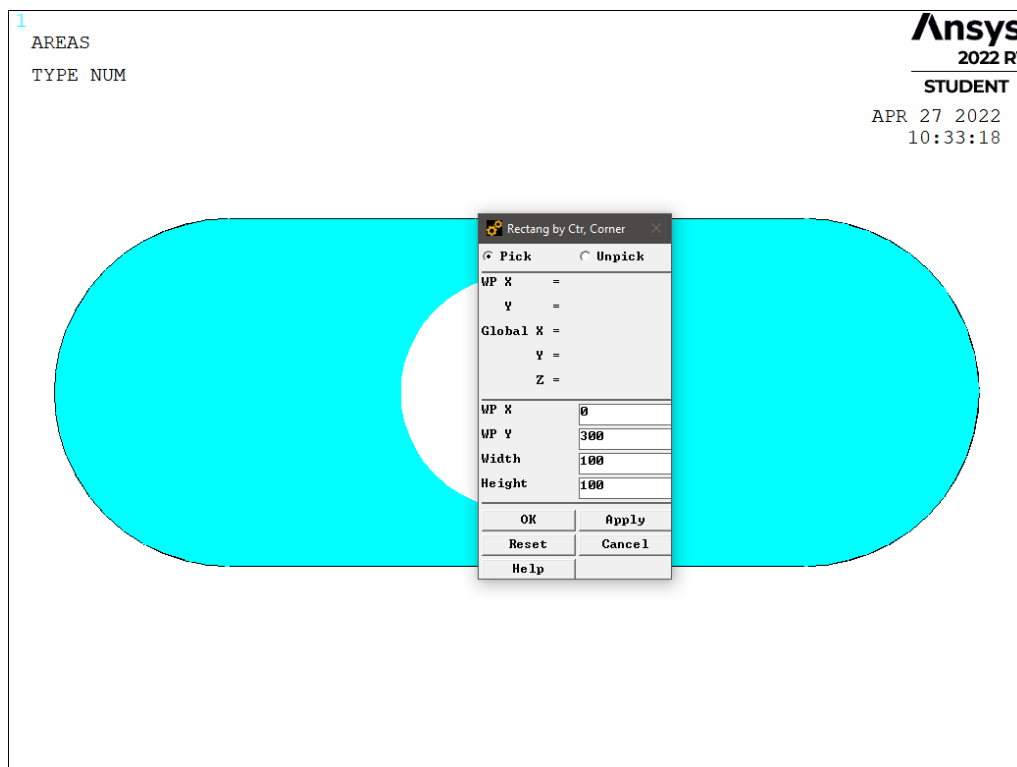


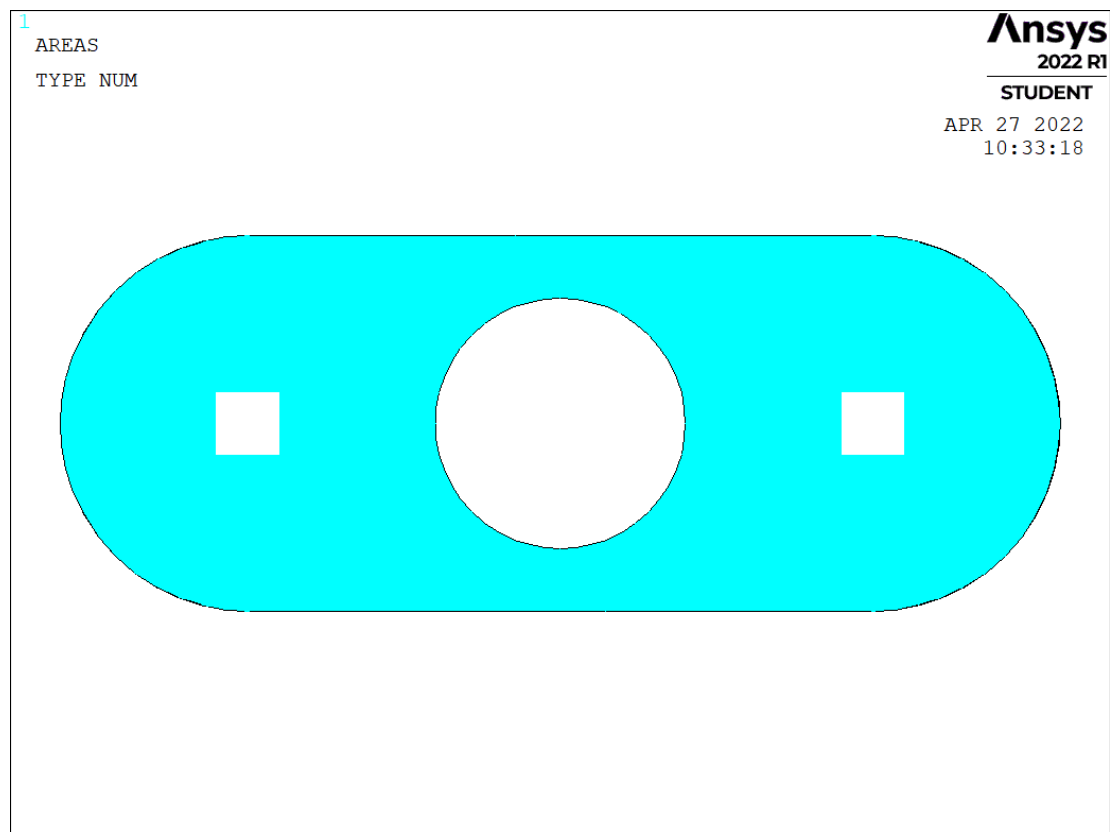
Create→Areas→Circle→solid circle→ WPX, WPY, radius

Operate → Booleans → Subtract→ Areas

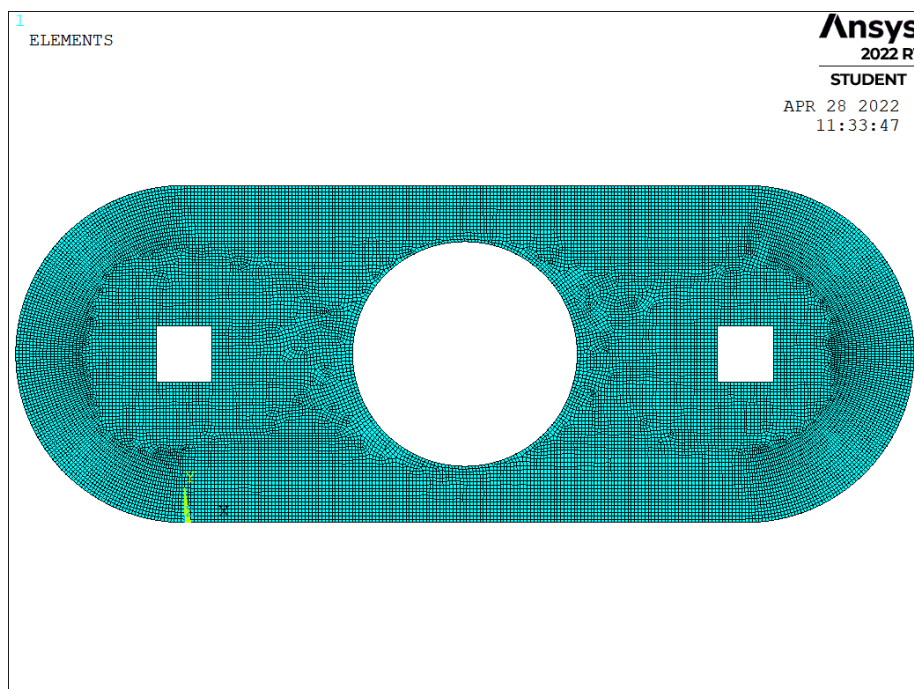


Modeling → Create → Areas → Rectangle → By Centre. And Corners → OK → WPX, WPY, Width, Height. Repeat twice, then subtract the rectangles.

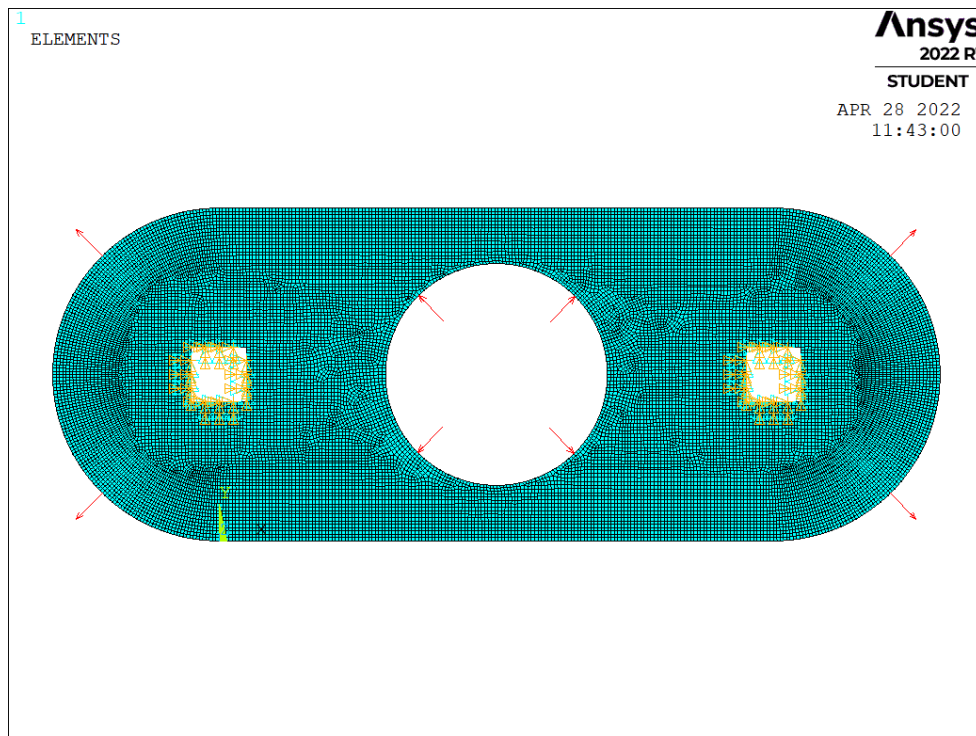




Step 7: Generating Mesh | Meshing → Mesh tool → Areas → Set → Select the shape → OK → element edge length 6 → OK → Mesh tool → Mesh → select shape → Mesh

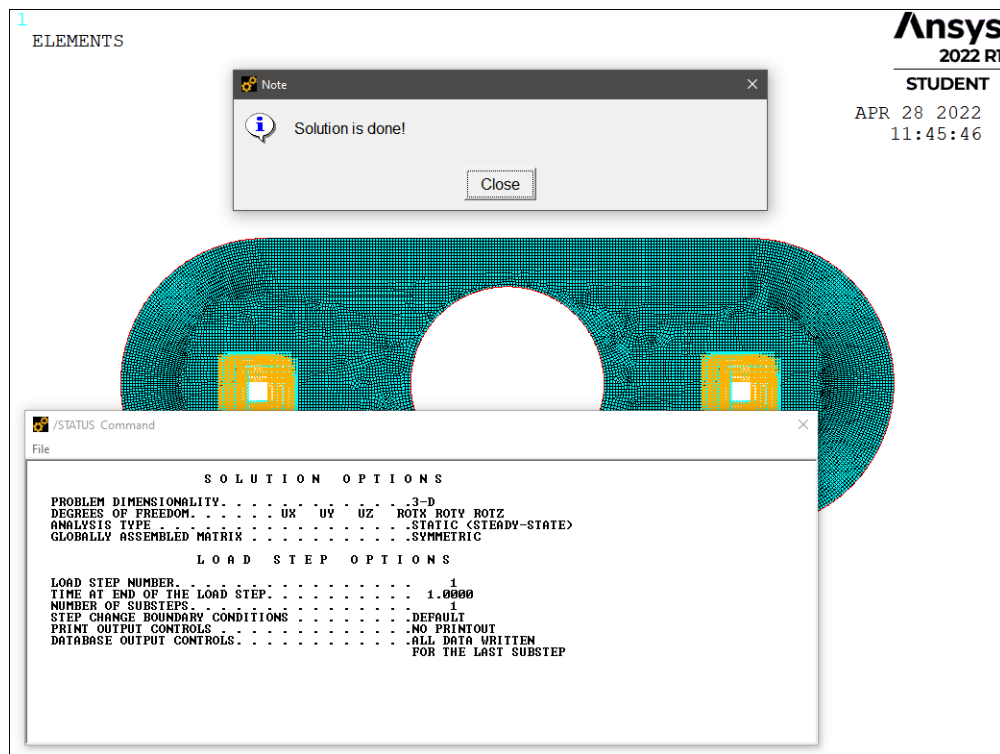


Step 8: Applying constraints and Loads | Loads → Define loads → Apply → Structural → on Line → Select the squares → **All DOF** | Loads → Define loads → Apply → Pressure → Select the end-semicircles and enter -700 | Pressure → On line →



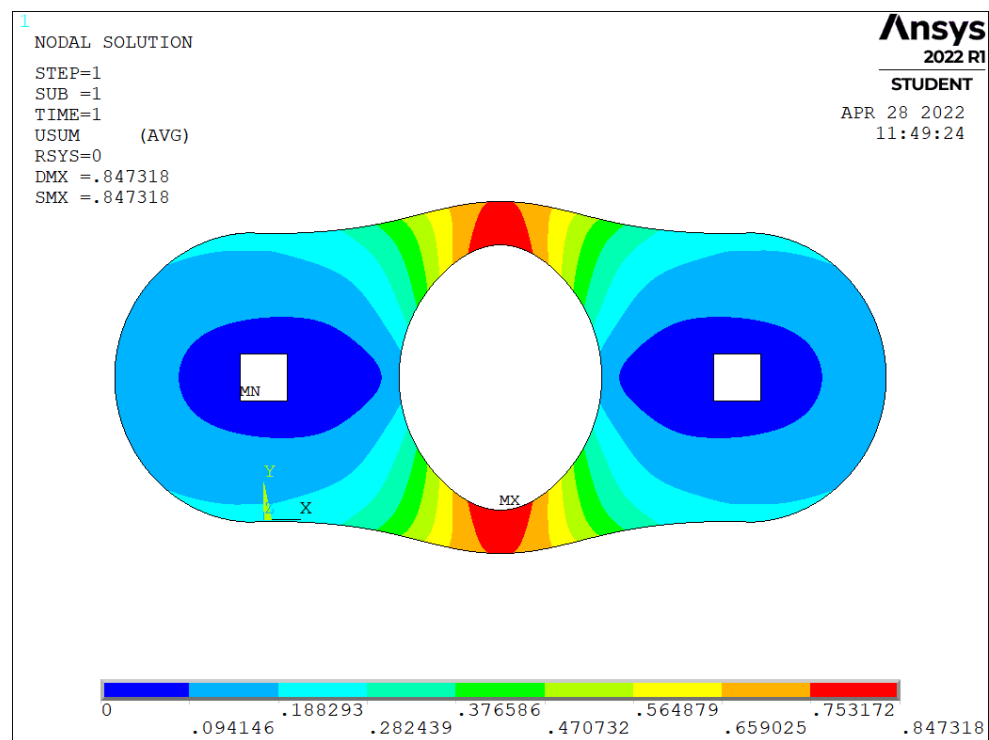
select the quadrants of the inner circle → 1500 → OK

Step 9 : Solution | Solution → Solve → Current LS → OK → Close



General Postproc

Step 10 : Plotting Results | General PostProc → Plot Results → Contour plot → Nodal Solution → DOF Solution → Displacement Vector Sum.



Step 11: For Stress Intensity go to General PostPro → Plot Results → Contour plot → Nodal Solution → Stress → Von Mises Stress → Apply → OK

