

# PVD Beam-Column Element

- Review of truss element stiffness matrix using PVD
- 6 DOF flexural element
- Higher order beam-column element

## REVIEW: PVD Truss element



$$u(x) = a_1 + a_2 x$$

$$\frac{du(x)}{dx} = a_2$$

$$u(x) = N_1(x) u_1 + N_2(x) u_2$$

$$\frac{du(x)}{dx} = N'_1(x) u_1 + N'_2(x) u_2$$



$$u(x) = a_1 + a_2 x + a_3 x^2$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = a_2 + 2a_3 x$$

$$u(x) = N_1(x) u_1 + N_2(x) u_2 + N_3(x) u_3$$

$$\frac{du(x)}{dx} = N'_1(x) u_1 + N'_2(x) u_2 + N'_3(x) u_3$$

$$N_1 = \left(1 - \frac{x}{L}\right) \quad N_2 = \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)$$

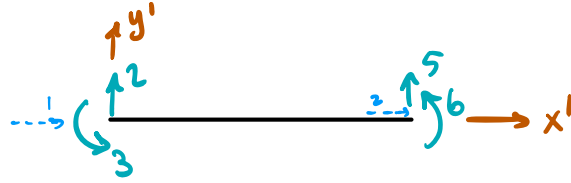
$$N'_1 = -\frac{1}{L} \quad N'_2 = \frac{1}{L}$$

The solution interpolated by the shape fnc's  
must satisfy compatibility  
ideally close to satisfy equilibrium.

$$\text{PVD} \rightarrow \delta u_i F_{ij} = \delta u_i \int_L B_i (EA) B_j dx u_j \quad \text{Hence; } F_{ij} = \underbrace{\int_L B_i (EA) B_j dx}_{K_{ij}} u_j$$

## Flexural member calculations

transverse  
def



$$v(x) = a_1 + a_2x + a_3x^2 + a_4x^3$$

→ RBM

$$\theta(x) = v'(x) = a_2 + 2a_3x + 3a_4x^2$$

→ RBM

BC

$x=0$

$$v = v_2 \rightarrow a_1 = v_2$$

$$v' = \theta_3 \rightarrow a_2 = \theta_3$$

$x=L$

$$v = v_5$$

$$v' = \theta_6$$

→ SOLVE FOR  $a_3$  &  $a_4$   
AND REGROUP.

$$v(x) = N_2v_2 + N_3\theta_3 + N_5v_5 + N_6\theta_6$$

$$N_2(x) = 1 - 3\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^3$$

$$N_5(x) = 3\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^3$$

$$N_3(x) = x\left(1 - \frac{x}{L}\right)^2$$

$$N_6(x) = x\left(\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 - \frac{x}{L}\right)$$

CUBIC  
HERMITIAN  
SHAPE  
FUNCTIONS

## COMPATIBILITY OF SHAPE FUNCTIONS

$$\nu(x) = N_2 v_2 + N_3 \theta_3 + N_5 v_5 + N_6 \theta_6$$

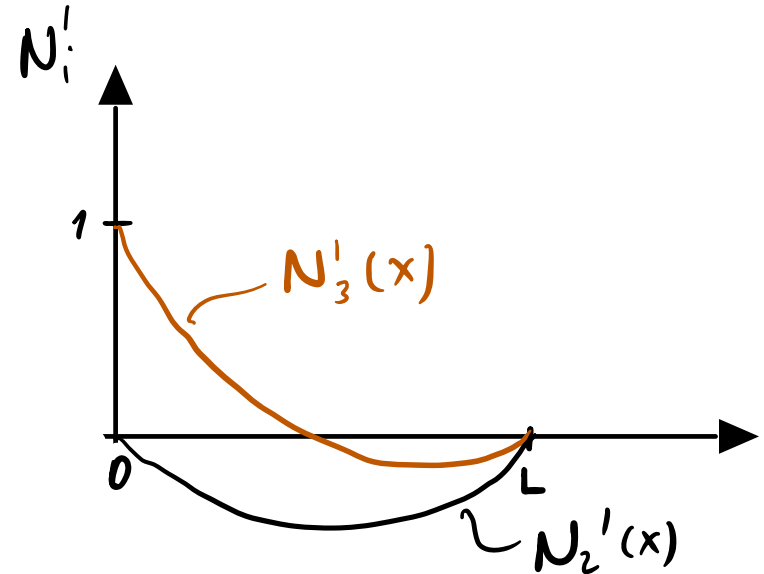
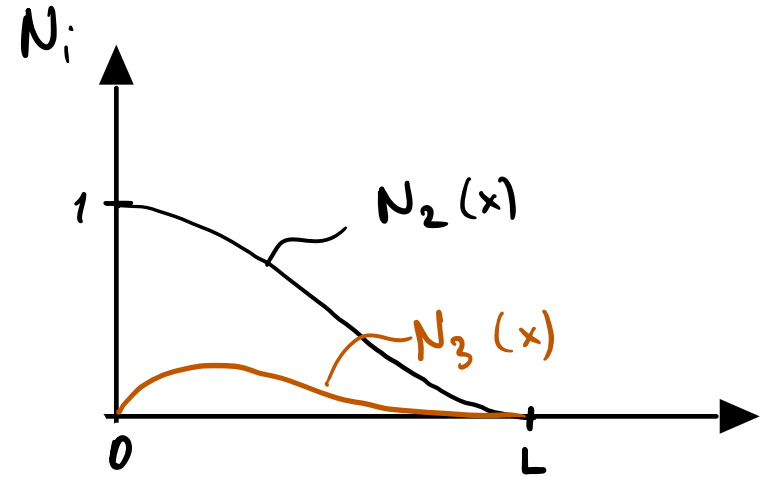
$$N_2(x) = 1 - 3\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^3 \quad N_3(x) = x\left(1 - \frac{x}{L}\right)^2$$

$$N_5(x) = 3\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^3 \quad N_6(x) = x\left(\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 - \frac{x}{L}\right)$$

$$\theta(x) = \nu'(x) = N_2' v_2 + N_3' \theta_3 + N_5' v_5 + N_6' \theta_6$$

$$N_2'(x) = -\frac{6x}{L^2} + \frac{6x^2}{L^3} \quad N_3'(x) = 1 - \frac{4x}{L} + \frac{3x^2}{L^2}$$

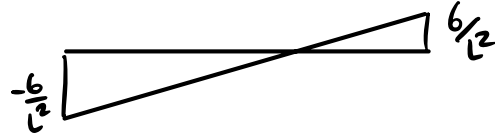
$$N_5'(x) = \frac{6x}{L^2} - \frac{6x^2}{L^3} \quad N_6'(x) = \frac{3x^2}{L^2} - \frac{x^2}{L}$$



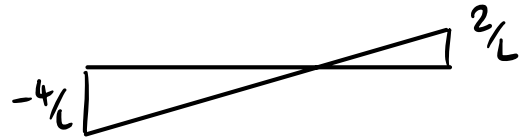
EVALUATE EQUILIBRIUM:  $M(x) = EI(x) \phi(x)$

$$\phi(x) \approx \theta'(x) = \nu''(x) = N_2'' v_2 + N_3'' \theta_3 + N_5'' v_5 + N_6'' \theta_6$$

$$N_2'' = B_2 = -\frac{6}{L^2} + \frac{12 \cdot x}{L^3}$$



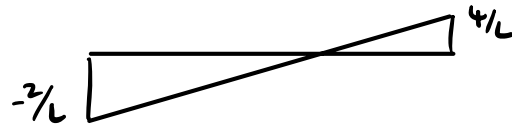
$$N_3'' = B_3 = -\frac{4}{L} + \frac{6x}{L^2}$$



$$N_5'' = B_5 = \frac{6}{L^2} - \frac{12x}{L^3}$$



$$N_6'' = B_6 = \frac{6x}{L^2} - \frac{2}{L}$$



## EVALUATE EQUILIBRIUM: cont.

$$M(x) = EI(x) \phi(x)$$

$$\phi(x) \approx \theta'(x) = \nu''(x) = N_2'' v_2 + N_3'' \theta_3 + N_5'' v_5 + N_6'' \theta_6$$

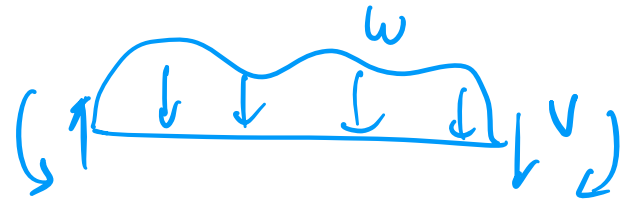
FOR EXAMPLE :  $\phi(x) = N_2 \cdot u_2$

$$N = 1 - 3\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^3$$

$$M = EI\phi = EI \frac{d^2 v}{dx^2} \longrightarrow N'' = -\frac{6}{L^2} + \frac{12x}{L^3}$$

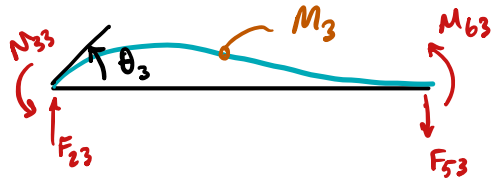
$$V = \frac{dM}{dx} = EI \frac{d^3 v}{dx^3} \longrightarrow N''' = \frac{12}{L^3}$$

$$w = \frac{dV}{dx} = EI \frac{d^4 v}{dx^4} \longrightarrow N^{IV} = 0$$

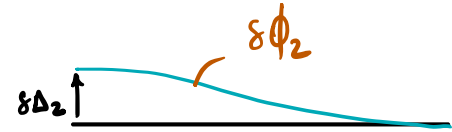


Calculate  $K_{33}$ :

[REAL]



[VIRTUAL]



$$\delta\theta_3 M_{33} = \int_L \delta\phi_3 M_3 dx = \int_L \delta\phi_3 EI \phi_3 dx$$

$$= \delta\theta_3 \int_2 \bar{B}_3 EI B_3 dx \theta_3$$

hence ;  $M_{33} = \int_L \bar{B}_3 EI B_3 dx \theta_3$

$\underbrace{\int_L \bar{B}_3 EI B_3 dx}_{K_{33}}$

$\rightarrow K_{33} = \int_L \left( -\frac{4}{L} + \frac{6x}{L^2} \right)^2 EI dx = \frac{4EI}{L}$

$$\begin{Bmatrix} F_1 \\ F_2 \\ M_3 \\ F_4 \\ F_5 \\ M_6 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{EA}{L} & 0 & 0 & -\frac{EA}{L} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{12EI}{L^3} & \frac{6EI}{L^2} & 0 & -\frac{12EI}{L^3} & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \\ 0 & \frac{6EI}{L^2} & \frac{4EI}{L} & 0 & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} & \frac{2EI}{L} \\ -\frac{EA}{L} & 0 & 0 & \frac{EA}{L} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{12EI}{L^3} & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} & 0 & \frac{12EI}{L^3} & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \\ 0 & \frac{6EI}{L^2} & \frac{2EI}{L} & 0 & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} & \frac{4EI}{L} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \Delta_1 \\ \Delta_2 \\ \theta_3 \\ \Delta_4 \\ \Delta_5 \\ \theta_6 \end{Bmatrix}$$



## THE ELEMENT STIFFNESS MATRIX $[K^e]$



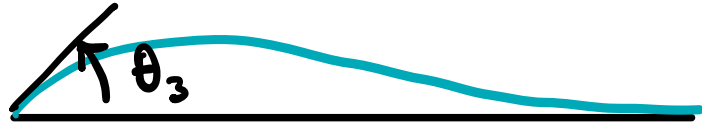
$$[K^e] = \int_L \underbrace{\{B\}}_{4 \times 1} [EI(x)] \underbrace{[B]}_{1 \times 4} dx$$

$\{B\} \longrightarrow$  Using  $\vartheta(x) = a_1 + a_2 x + a_3 x^2 + a_4 x^3$  & BCs  $\rightarrow \vartheta_2; \theta_3; \vartheta_5; \theta_6$

$$\{B\} = \begin{Bmatrix} N_2'' \\ N_3'' \\ N_5'' \\ N_6'' \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} -\frac{6}{L^2} + \frac{12x}{L^3} \\ -\frac{4}{L} + \frac{6x}{L^2} \\ \frac{6}{L^2} - 12\frac{x}{L^3} \\ \frac{6x}{L^2} - \frac{2}{L} \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\& \quad \phi(x) = L \underbrace{[B(x)]}_{4 \times 1} \begin{Bmatrix} \vartheta_2 \\ \theta_3 \\ \vartheta_5 \\ \theta_6 \end{Bmatrix}$$

- Let's try a different set of shape functions:



$$v(x) = x \left( 1 - \left( \frac{x}{L} \right)^2 \right)^2 \theta_3$$

$$v'(x) = \left( 1 - 6 \frac{x^2}{L^2} + 5 \frac{x^4}{L^4} \right) \theta_3$$

$$v''(x) = \left( -\frac{12x}{L^2} + 20 \frac{x^3}{L^4} \right) \theta_3$$

$$v'''(x) = \left( -\frac{12}{L^2} + 60 \frac{x^2}{L^4} \right) \theta_3$$

$$v^{(4)}(x) = 120 \frac{x}{L^4} \theta_3$$

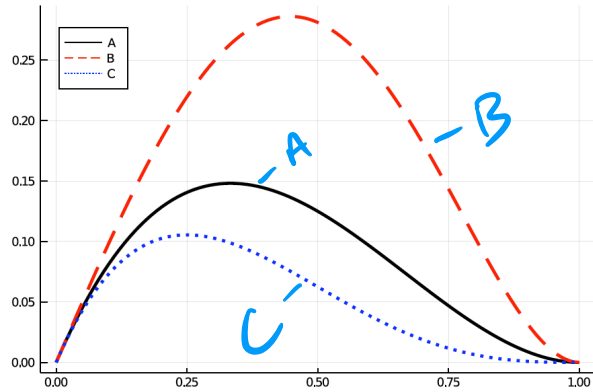
Check BC's :  $v(0) = v(L) = 0$  &  $v'(0) = \theta_3$   $v'(L) = 0$

Check Equil. :  $M \rightarrow v''$  ,  $V \rightarrow v'''$  ,  $w \rightarrow v^{(4)}$

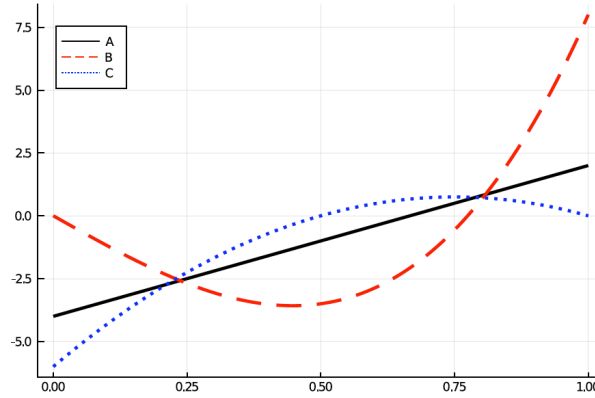
$$K_{33} = \int_L \bar{B}_3 EI B_3 dx \quad \begin{matrix} \bar{B}_3 : \text{Higher order} & B_3 : \text{linear} & \rightarrow K_{33} = \frac{4EI}{L} \\ \bar{B}_3 : \text{Higher order} & B_3 : \text{Higher order} & \rightarrow K_{33} = 9.1 \frac{EI}{L} \end{matrix}$$

## COMPARE THREE DIFFERENT SHAPE FUNCTIONS

$$A \rightarrow N_3 = x \left(1 - \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)\right)^2 \quad C \rightarrow N_3 = x \left(1 - \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right)^3 \quad B \rightarrow N_3 = x \left(1 - \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)^2\right)^2$$

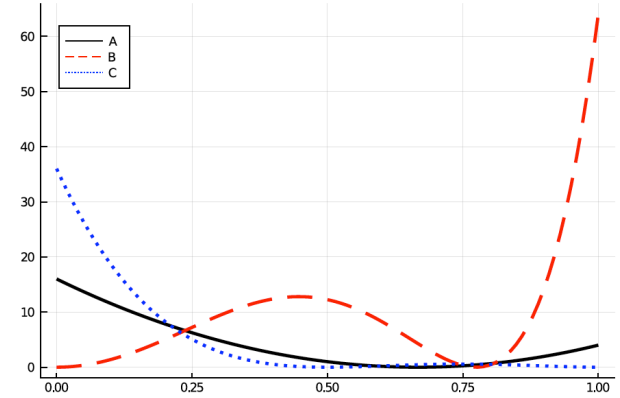


Shape functions



Curvature

$$N_3''(x)$$



Curvature<sup>2</sup> (~energy)

$$N_3''(x) \times N_3''(x)$$

### OBSERVATION:

- Using non-exact shape functions results in higher computed internal strain energy, leading to a stiffer predicted structural response and underestimation of displacements.



## REMARKS:

1) The global solution for  $\{\Delta_F\}$  &  $\{F^{e'}\}$

$$[K] = \sum_{e=1}^{n^{elem}} [C]^T [K^{e'}] [C]$$

$$\{\Delta_F\} = [K_{FF}]^{-1} \{P\}$$

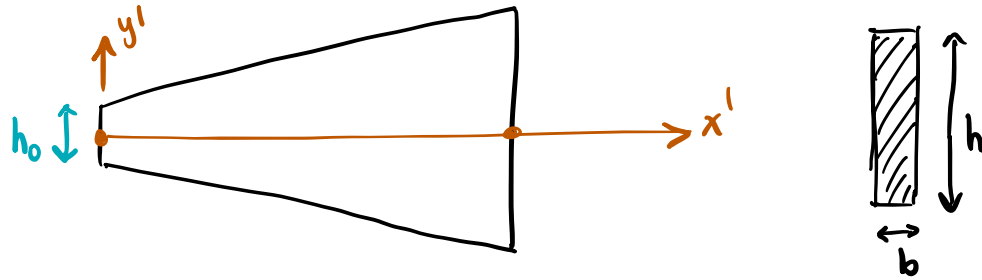
$$\{F^{e'}\} = [K^{e'}] \{\Delta_F^{e'}\}$$

2) Calculation of internal forces:  $P'(x)$  &  $M'(x)$



$$M(x) = EI \underbrace{B(x)}_{\cong \phi_i} D_i$$

## TAPERED BEAM EXAMPLE:



$$h(x) = h_0 \left(1 + \frac{x}{L}\right)$$

$$I(x) = \frac{bh_0^3}{12} \left(1 + \frac{x}{L}\right)^3$$

$$= I_0 \left(1 + \frac{x}{L}\right)^3$$

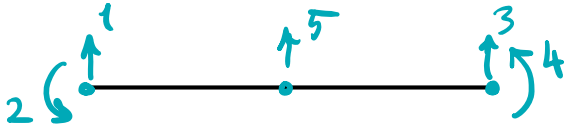
$K_{33}$ :  $\psi(x) = N_3 \theta_3 = x \left(1 - \frac{x}{L}\right)^2 \theta_3$

$$\phi(x) = B_3 \theta_3 = \left(6 \frac{x}{L^2} - \frac{4}{L}\right) \theta_3$$

Equilibrium ?  $\rightarrow M = EI\phi = EI_0 \underbrace{\left(1 + \frac{x}{L}\right)^3}_{4^{\text{th}} \text{ order}} \cdot \left(\frac{6x}{L^2} - \frac{4}{L}\right) \theta_3$

$$K_{33} = \int_L \bar{B}_3 EI(x) B_3 dx = 9 EI_0 / L \quad \text{vs. exact} = 6.9 EI_0 / L$$

## HIGHER ORDER ELEMENTS



$$\begin{Bmatrix} F_1 \\ M_2 \\ F_3 \\ M_4 \\ F_5 \end{Bmatrix} = \left[ k^e \right] \begin{Bmatrix} \vartheta_1 \\ \theta_2 \\ \vartheta_3 \\ \theta_4 \\ \vartheta_5 \end{Bmatrix}$$

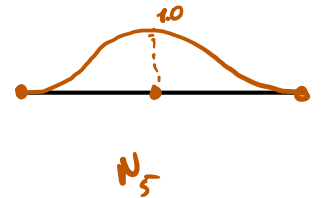
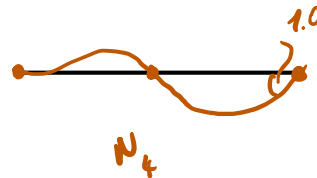
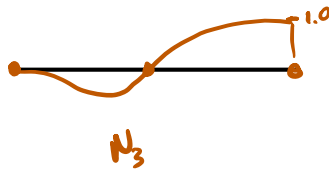
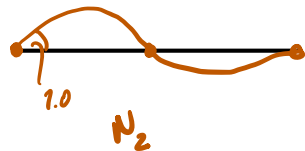
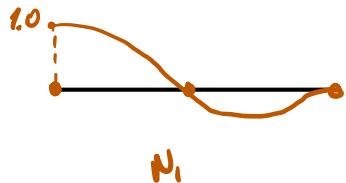
$$\vartheta(x) = a_1 + a_2 x + a_3 x^2 + a_4 x^3 + \underbrace{a_5 x^4}_{4^{\text{th}} \text{ order}}$$

$$\phi(x) = \frac{d^2 \vartheta}{dx^2} = 2a_3 + 6a_4 x + 12a_5 x^2$$

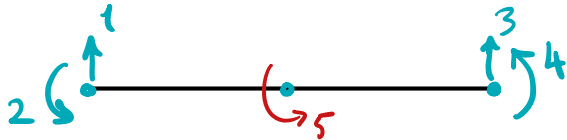
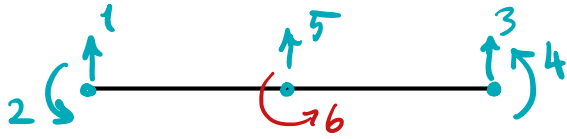
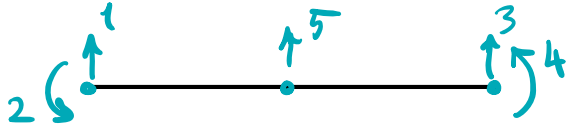
$$\text{BCs : } \vartheta(0) = \vartheta_1 \quad \vartheta\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = \vartheta_5 \quad \vartheta(L) = \vartheta_3$$

$$\vartheta'(0) = \theta_2 \quad \vartheta'(L) = \theta_4$$

$$\text{Regroup : } \vartheta(x) = N_1 \vartheta_1 + N_2 \theta_2 + N_3 \vartheta_3 + N_4 \theta_4 + N_5 \vartheta_5$$



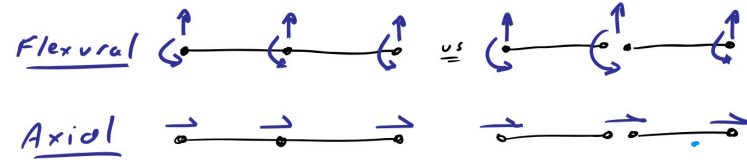
## HIGHER ORDER ELEMENTS



More elements vs. H.O. elements

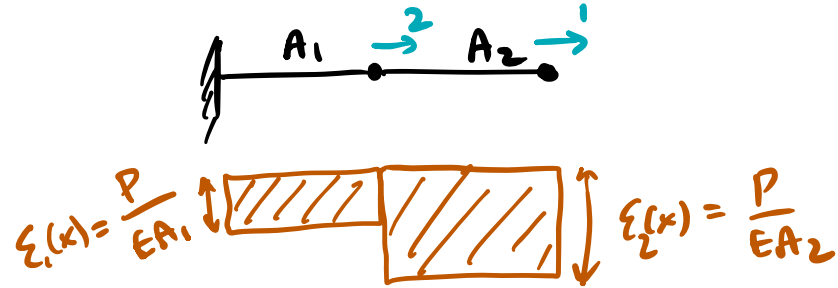
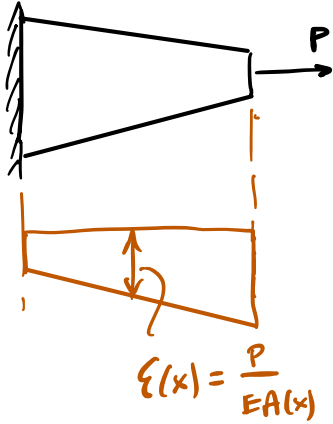
- More elements increases size of  $[K]$
- H.O. elements increases HBW

Which is more efficient?



## For example: AXIAL DEFORMATION OF A TAPERED MEMBER

- Use two linear elements:



- Use one H.O. element:

