

Bending and Buckling analysis of Composite plate.



Why are composite materials Important?

- × Composite plates are a big deal in aerospace because they're super strong but also lightweight.
- × They help make airplanes lighter, which means they use less fuel and can fly farther.
- × Lighter airplanes also need smaller engines, which saves even more fuel and reduces emissions.
- × They're used in everything from airplane wings to the body of the plane itself.

Our Material

Material Chosen: AS4-3501/6
Graphite/Epoxy Composite

Widely Used in Aerospace: Key material in aircraft structures due to its exceptional properties.

Common Applications: Utilized in aircraft wings, fuselages, engine components, and interior structures.

Advantages Over Other Composites:

- × High Strength-to-Weight Ratio: Provides robustness without adding unnecessary weight, enhancing fuel efficiency.
- × Excellent Stiffness: Ensures structural integrity under aerodynamic forces, enhancing flight performance.
- × Corrosion Resistance: Maintains durability in harsh environments, reducing maintenance needs.
- × Tailorable Properties: Can be customized through fiber orientation, offering versatility in design and performance optimization.
- × Preferred Choice: AS4-3501/6 is favored for its balance of strength, lightweight, and adaptability, making it a top pick for aerospace applications.

Material Properties and Q Values

Equations

► Constants:

► Angle:

$$\theta = [0 \quad 90 \quad 90 \quad 0]$$

► Number of layers: $k = 4$

► Thickness:

$$\text{thickness} = 1.34 \times 10^{-4} \text{ meters}$$

► Density: $\rho_m = 1580 \text{ kg/m}^3$

► Derivation of the Q matrix:

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{11} & Q_{12} & 0 \\ Q_{21} & Q_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & Q_{66} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q_{11} = \frac{E_1}{1 - \nu_{12}\nu_{21}}$$

$$E_1 = 142 \times 10^9 \text{ Pa}$$

$$E_2 = 9.8 \times 10^9 \text{ Pa}$$

$$\nu_{12} = 0.3$$

$$\nu_{21} = \frac{E_2 \nu_{12}}{E_1}$$

$$G_{12} = 6 \times 10^9 \text{ Pa}$$

$$Q_{12} = \frac{\nu_{21} E_1}{1 - \nu_{12}\nu_{21}}$$

$$Q_{21} = Q_{12}$$

$$Q_{22} = \frac{E_2}{1 - \nu_{12}\nu_{21}}$$

$$Q_{66} = G_{12}$$

Q Transformation and D Value Formulations

Stacking Sequence: [0 90 90 0]

$$m = \cos(\theta)$$

$$n = \sin(\theta)$$

$$\bar{Q}_{11} = Q_{11}m^4 + 2(Q_{12} + 2Q_{66})m^2n^2 + Q_{22}n^4$$

$$\bar{Q}_{12} = (Q_{11} + Q_{22} - 4Q_{66})m^2n^2 + Q_{12}(m^4 + n^4)$$

$$\bar{Q}_{22} = Q_{11}n^4 + 2(Q_{12} + 2Q_{66})m^2n^2 + Q_{22}m^4$$

$$\bar{Q}_{66} = (Q_{11} + Q_{22} - 2Q_{12})m^2n^2 + Q_{66}(m^2 - n^2)^2$$

$$D_{ij} = \frac{1}{3} \sum_{k=1}^n (\bar{Q}_{ij})_k (tk^3 - t_{k-1}^3)$$

Results

Given material properties:

$$D_{21} = 0.037964,$$

$$D_1 = D_{11} = 1.6202,$$

$$D_2 = D_{22} = 0.33993,$$

$$D_3 = D_{12} + 2 * D_{66} = 0.19195$$

$$a = 2m,$$

$$b = 1m$$

Natural Frequency

$$\omega_{mn} = \frac{\pi^2}{\sqrt{\rho_m h}} \left[D_1 \left(\frac{m}{a} \right)^4 + 2D_3 \left(\frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \left(\frac{n}{b} \right)^2 + D_2 \left(\frac{n}{b} \right)^4 \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\omega_{mn} = \frac{\pi^2}{\sqrt{1580(0.536)_1}} \left[(1.6202 \text{ Nm}) \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^4 + \right. \\ \left. 2(0.19195 \text{ Nm}) \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{1} \right)^2 + (0.33993 \text{ Nm}) \left(\frac{1}{1} \right)^4 \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\omega_{mn} = 1.251 \text{ Hz}$$

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 \Rightarrow

$$w_{mn} = \frac{16 q_0 mn}{\pi^2 ab} \left[D_{11} \left(\frac{m}{a} \right)^4 + D_{22} \left(\frac{n}{b} \right)^4 + 2 (D_{12} - D_{66}) \left(\frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \left(\frac{n}{b} \right)^2 \right]^{-1}$$

 $m = \text{odd}$ $n = \text{odd}$

$$\Rightarrow +D_{11} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^4} + D_{22} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial y^4} + (2D_{12} - 4D_{66}) \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^2 \partial y^2} = q$$

$$w_{mn} = \sum_{m,n} w_{mn} \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right)$$

$$q_{mn} = \sum q_{mn} \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right) \Rightarrow q_{mn} = 16 q_0 \frac{mn \pi^2}{ab}$$

$$\Rightarrow D_{11} w_{mn} \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^4 \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right) + D_{22} w_{mn} \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^4 \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right)$$

$$+ 2(D_{12} - 2D_{66}) \left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2 \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right) = 16 q_0 \frac{mn \pi^2}{ab} \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right)$$

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Thin plate Theory :-

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$$\begin{Bmatrix} M \\ N \end{Bmatrix} = [B] \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon^0 \\ \chi \end{Bmatrix} + [D] \begin{Bmatrix} \chi \\ \epsilon^0 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{Bmatrix} N \\ M \end{Bmatrix} = [A] \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon^0 \\ \chi \end{Bmatrix} + [B] \begin{Bmatrix} \chi \\ \epsilon^0 \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{M_x}{\partial x^2} &= M_x = D_{11} \chi_x + D_{12} \chi_y + D_{16} \chi_{xy} \\ M_y &= D_{21} \chi_x + D_{22} \chi_y + D_{26} \chi_{xy} \\ M_{xy} &= D_{61} \chi_x + D_{62} \chi_y + D_{66} \chi_{xy} \end{aligned}$$

$q \rightarrow$ pressure load. (N/m^2)

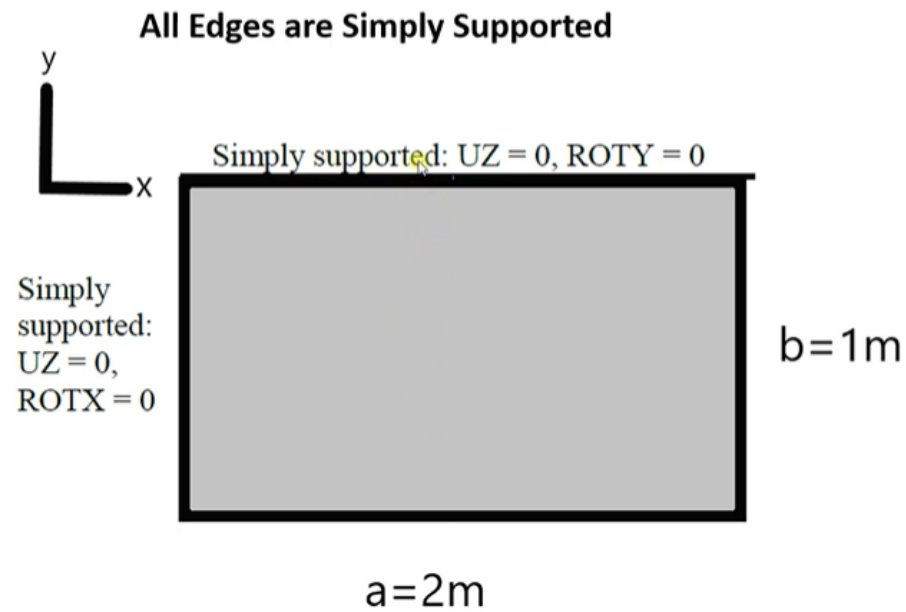
$$\chi_{xy} = -2 \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x \partial y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 M_x}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 M_y}{\partial y^2} - 2 \frac{\partial^2 M_{xy}}{\partial x \partial y} + q = 0$$

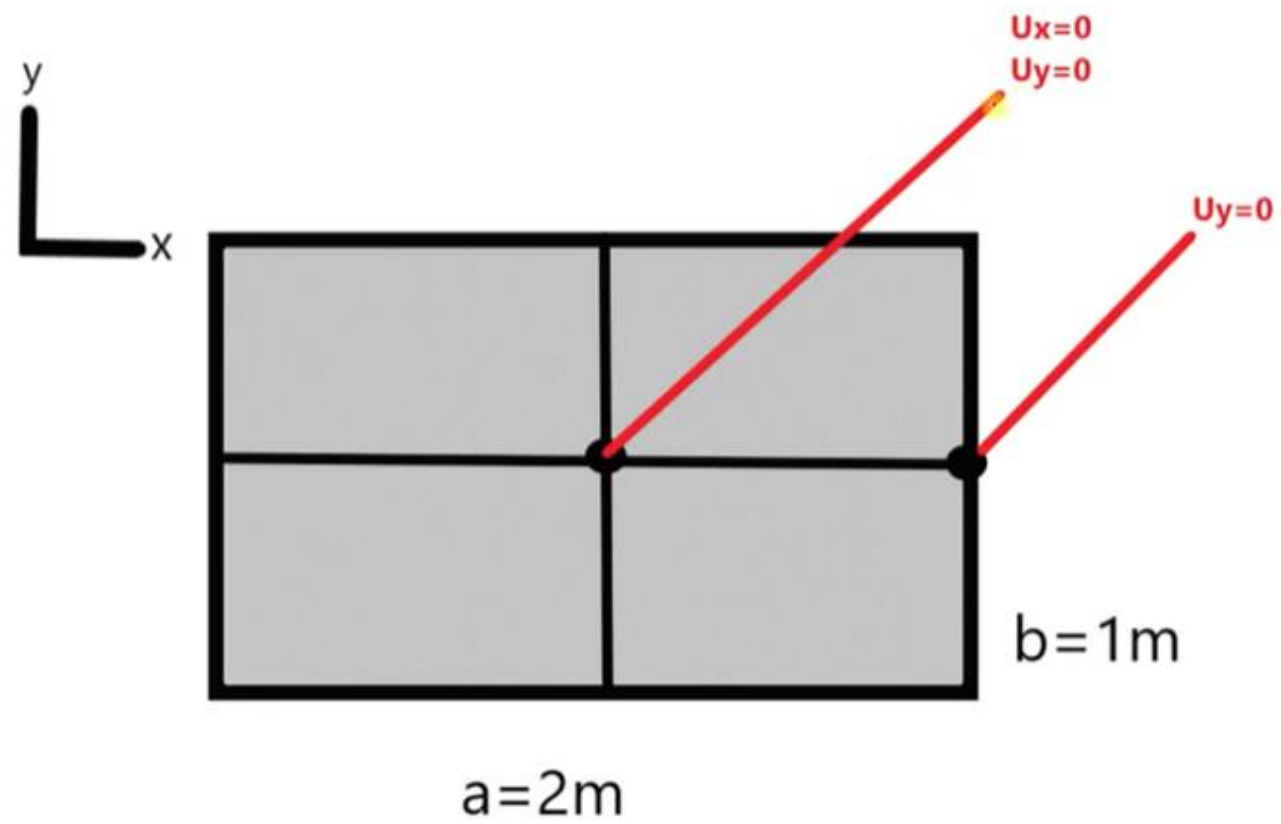
$$\frac{\partial^2 M_x}{\partial x^2} = -D_{11} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^4} - D_{12} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^2 \partial y^2} - 2D_{16} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^3 \partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 M_y}{\partial y^2} = -D_{21} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^2 \partial y^2} - D_{22} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial y^4} - 2D_{26} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x \partial y^3}$$

$$-2 \frac{\partial^2 M_{xy}}{\partial x \partial y} = 2D_{61} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^3 \partial y} + 2D_{62} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x \partial y^3} + 4D_{66} \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^2 \partial y^2}$$



Geometry
and Boundary
Conditions



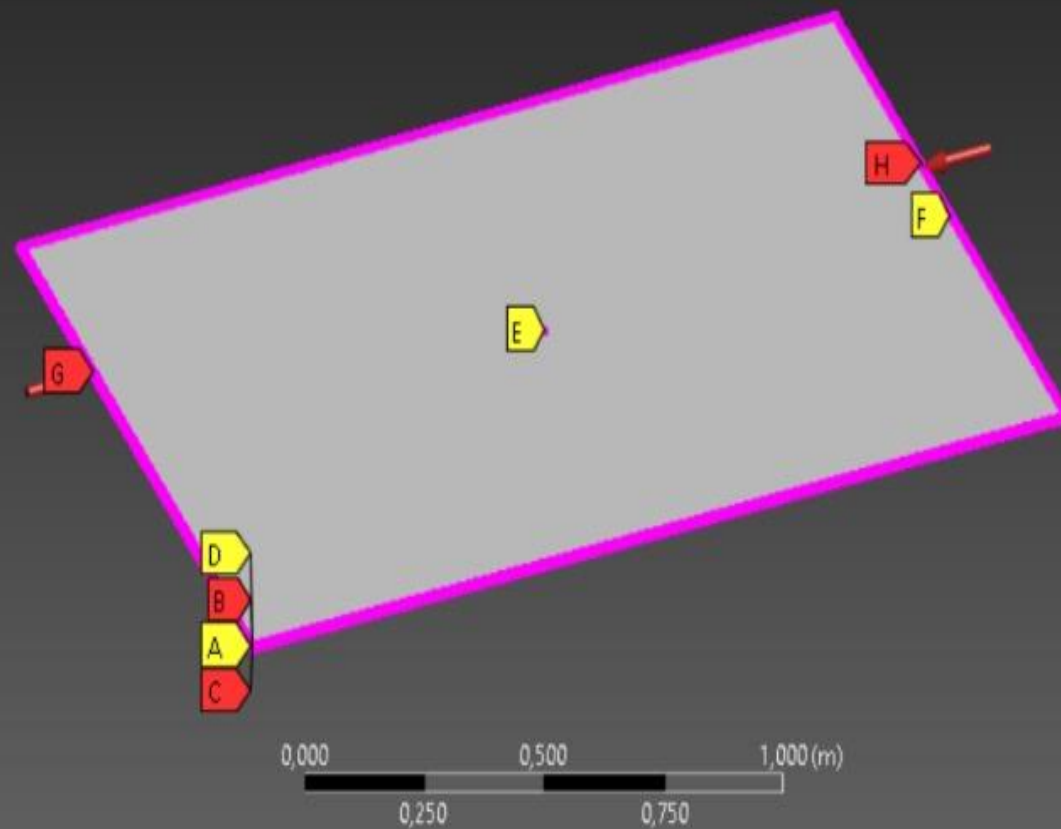
B: Static Structural

Static Structural

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
















- Nodal Displacement
- Nodal Rotation 0:
- Nodal Rotation 2: 0:
- Nodal Displacement 2
- Nodal Displacement 3
- Nodal Displacement 4
- Line Pressure: 10, N/m
- Line Pressure 2: 10, N/m



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	A	B	C	D	E
1	Property	Value	Unit		
2	 Material Field Variables	 Table			
3	 Density	1800	kg m ⁻³		
4	 Orthotropic Elasticity				
5	Young's Modulus X direction	142	GPa		
6	Young's Modulus Y direction	9.8	GPa		
7	Young's Modulus Z direction	8.9	GPa		
8	Poisson's Ratio XY	0.3			
9	Poisson's Ratio YZ	0.0559			
10	Poisson's Ratio XZ	0.3			
11	Shear Modulus XY	6	GPa		
12	Shear Modulus YZ	2.9	GPa		
13	Shear Modulus XZ	4.5	GPa		

Stackup Properties

Name: Stackup.1
ID: Stackup.1

General Analysis Solid Model Opt. Draping

Fabrics

Symmetry: No Symmetry
Layup Sequence: Top-Down

Fabric	Angle
Fabric.1	0.0
Fabric.1	90.0
Fabric.1	90
Fabric.1	0.0

Stackup Properties

Thickness: -1.0
Price/Area: 0.0
Weight/Area: -1.0

OK Apply Cancel

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..set([db.models['ACP Model'].material_data.stackups])
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Fabric Properties

Name: Fabric.1
ID: Fabric.1

General Analysis Solid Model Opt. Draping

General

Material: Composite
Thickness: 0.000134
Price/Area: 0.0
Weight/Area: None

Post-Processing

Ignore for Post-Processing: ☐

OK Apply Cancel

B: Modal

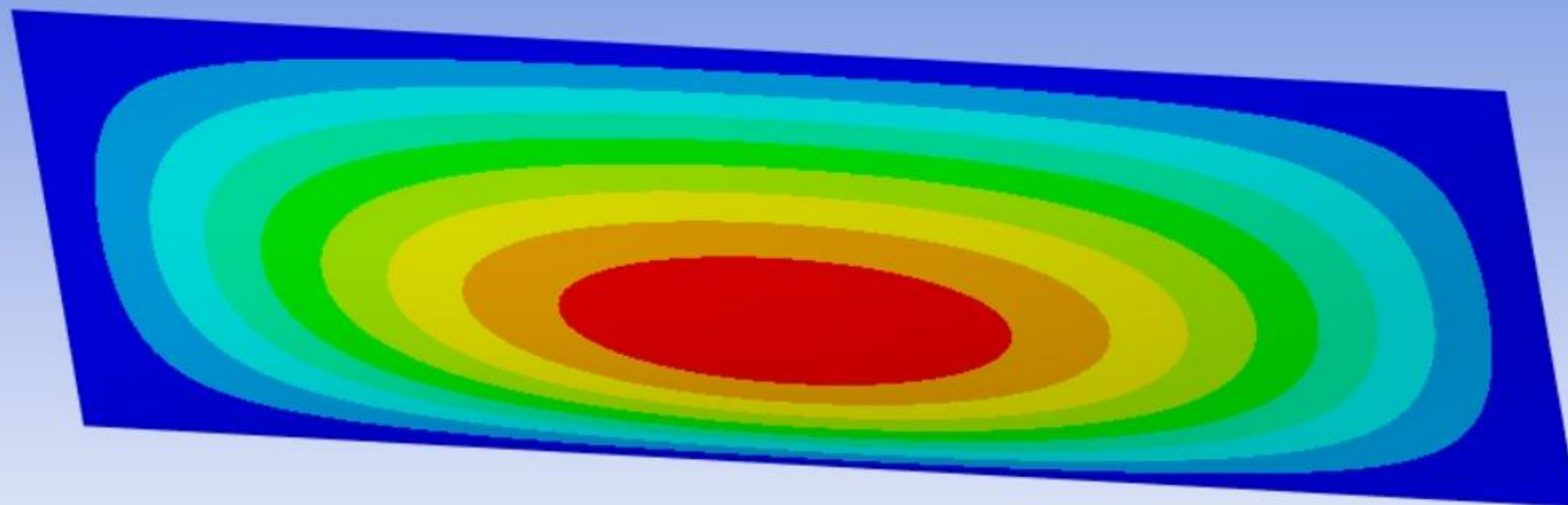
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Type: Total Deformation

Frequency: 1.1722 Hz

Unit: mm

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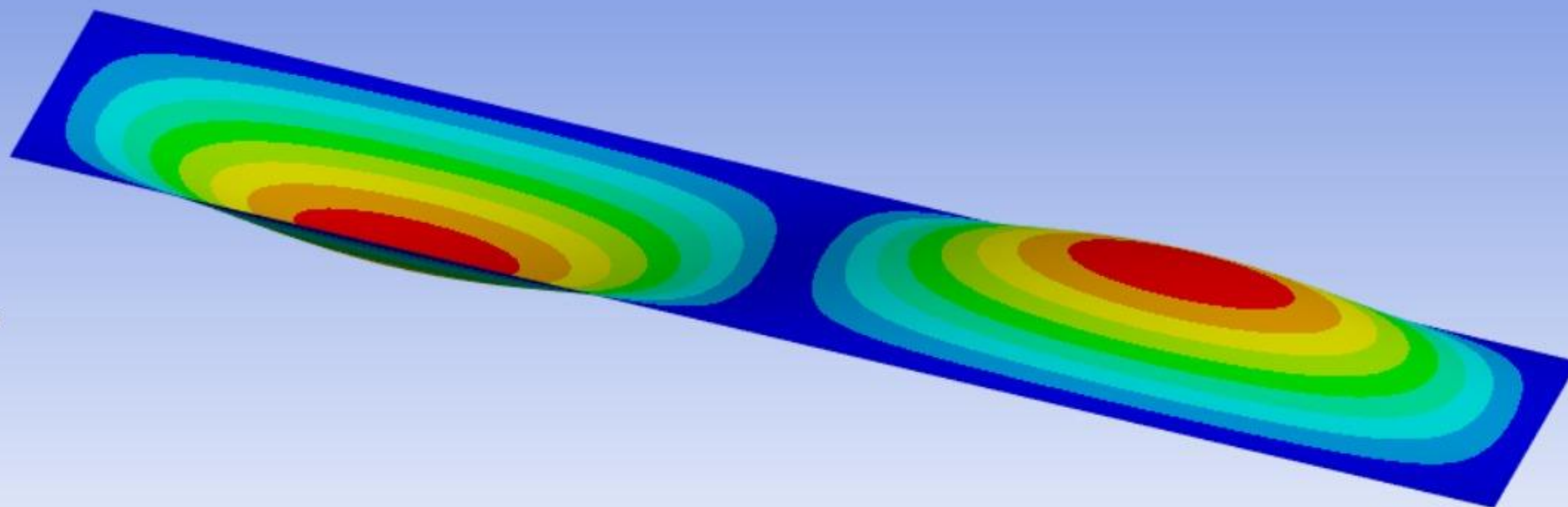
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Type: Total Deformation

Frequency: 2.4487 Hz

Unit: mm

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B: Modal

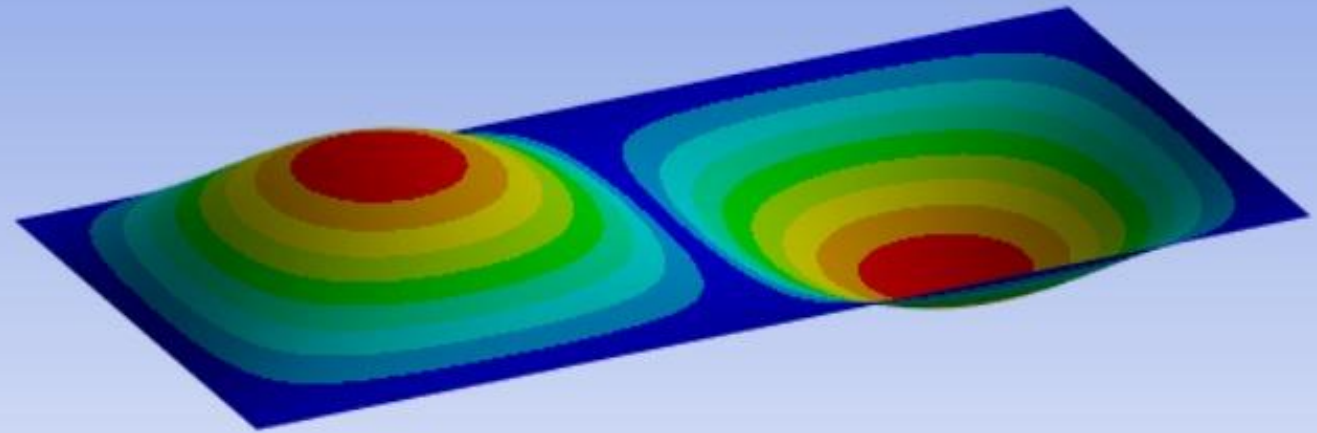
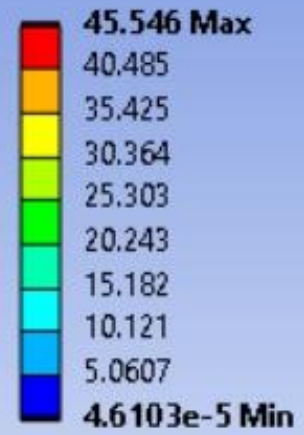
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Type: Total Deformation

Frequency: 3.8941 Hz

Unit: mm

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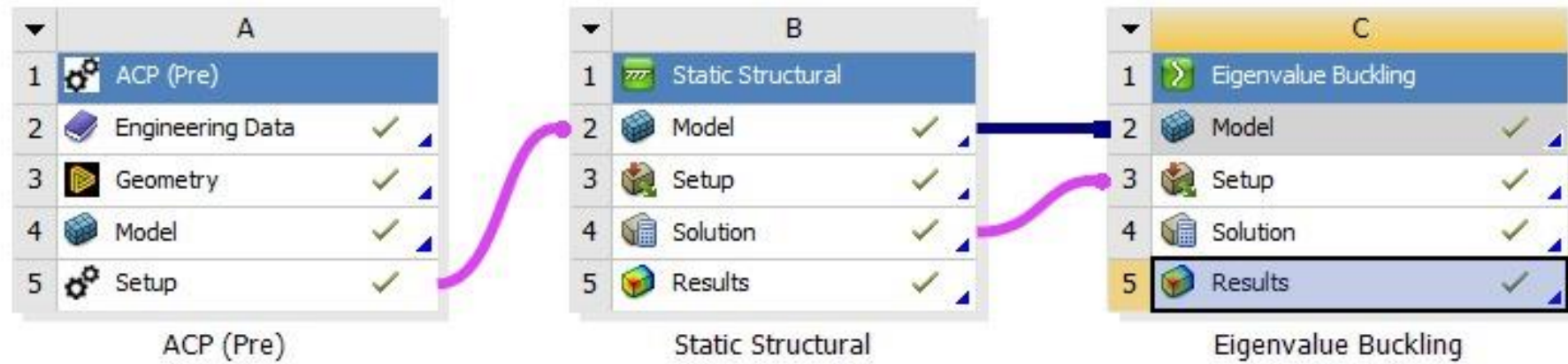
M	n	Theoretical Frequency	ANSYS Result
1	1	1.251	1.17
2	1	2.6133	2.4487
1	2	4.1545	3.8941
2	2	5.0041	4.6901
3	1	5.2341	4.9059
3	2	7.05	6.6145

$$N_{x\text{ cr}} = -\frac{\pi^2 a^2}{m^2} \left[D_1 \left(\frac{m}{a} \right)^4 + 2D_3 \left(\frac{m}{a} \right)^2 \left(\frac{n}{b} \right)^2 + D_2 \left(\frac{n}{b} \right)^4 \right]^1$$

$$N_{x\text{ cr}} = -\frac{\pi^2 2^2}{1^2} \left[(1.6202 \text{ Nm}) \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^4 + 2(0.19195 \text{ Nm}) \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{1} \right)^2 + (0.33993 \text{ Nm}) \left(\frac{1}{1} \right)^4 \right]^1$$

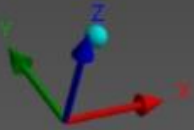
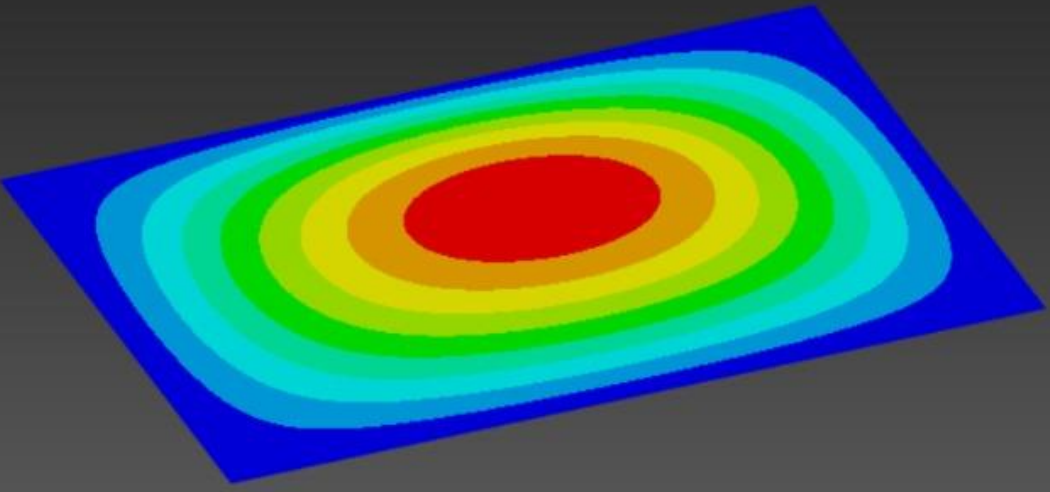
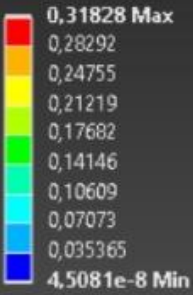
$$N_{x\text{ cr}} = 21.2 \text{ N/m}$$

$$\text{Load Factor} = \frac{N_{x\text{ cr}}}{\text{Applied Load}} = \frac{21.2}{10} = 2.12$$



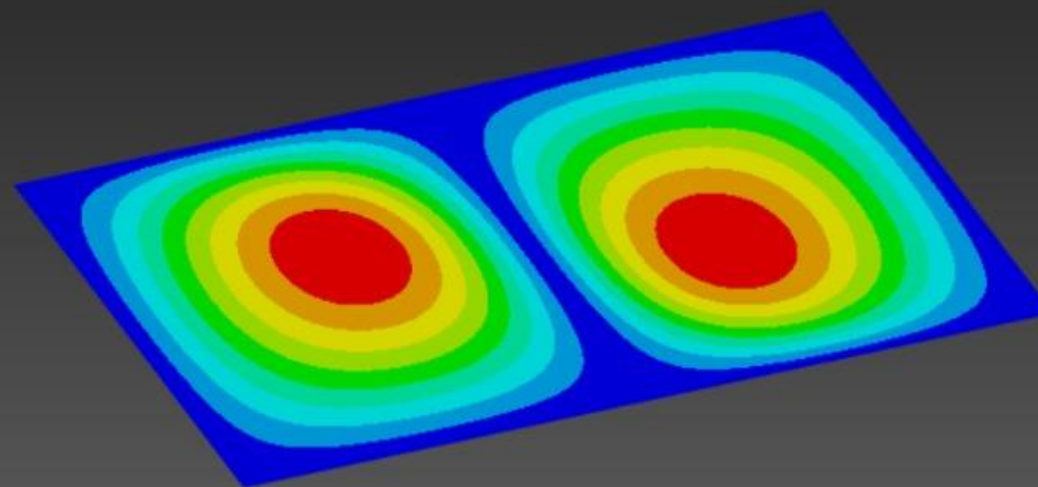
Buckling

C: Eigenvalue Buckling
Total Deformation
Type: Total Deformation
Load Multiplier (Linear): 2,121
Unit: m
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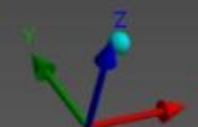


C: Eigenvalue Buckling
Total Deformation 2
Type: Total Deformation
Load Multiplier (Linear): 2,3138
Unit: m
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0,31829 Max
0,28292
0,24756
0,21219
0,17683
0,14146
0,1061
0,070731
0,035366
5,4076e-7 Min



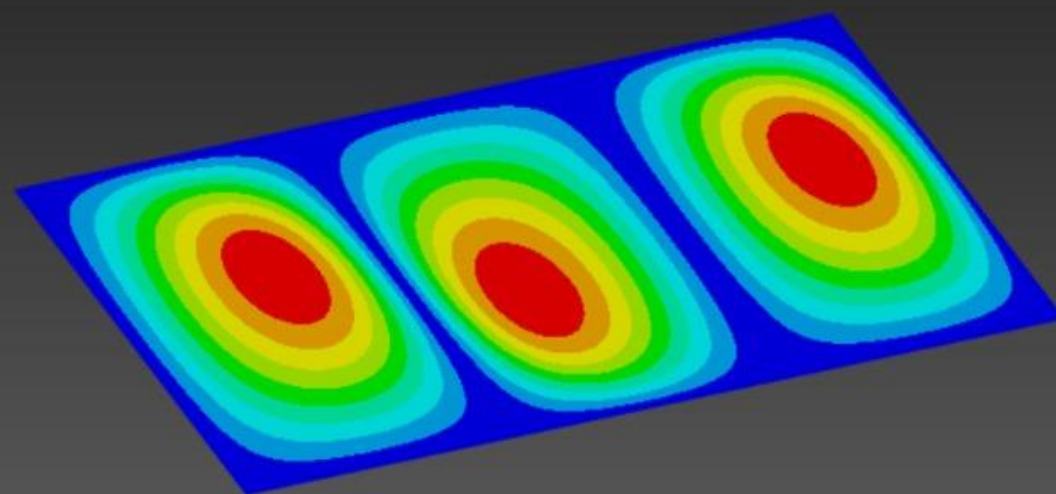
0,000 0,500 1,000 (m)



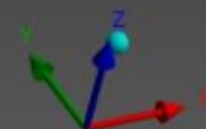
C: Eigenvalue Buckling
Total Deformation 3
Type: Total Deformation
Load Multiplier (Linear): 4,1273
Unit: m
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0,21217 Max
0,1886
0,16502
0,14145
0,11787
0,094299
0,070724
0,04715
0,023575
1,5124e-8 Min

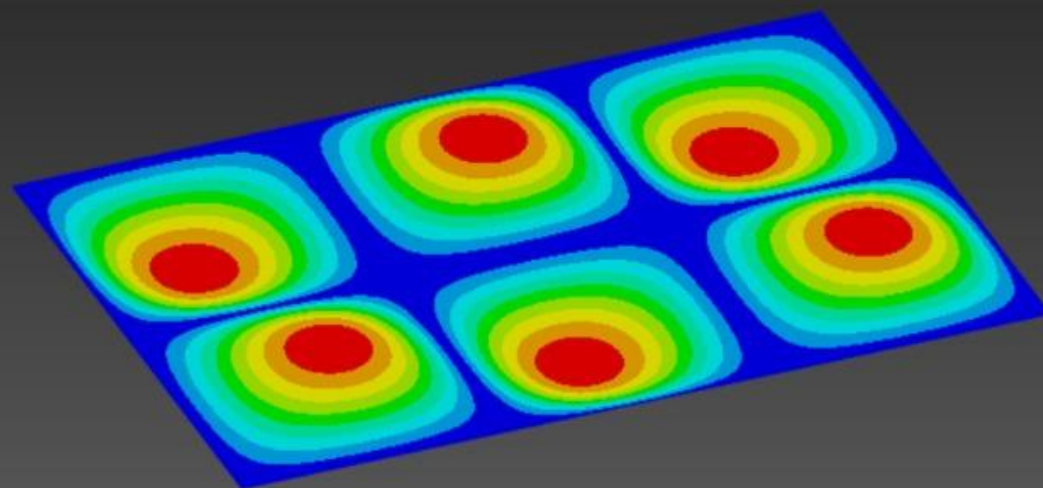


0,000 0,250 0,500 0,750 1,000 (m)

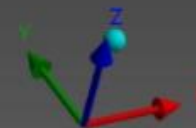


C: Eigenvalue Buckling
Total Deformation 5
Type: Total Deformation
Load Multiplier (Linear): 7,5031
Unit: m
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0,1591 Max
0,14142
0,12375
0,10607
0,088391
0,070713
0,053034
0,035356
0,017678
2,9844e-8 Min

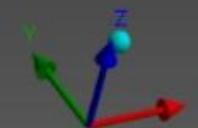
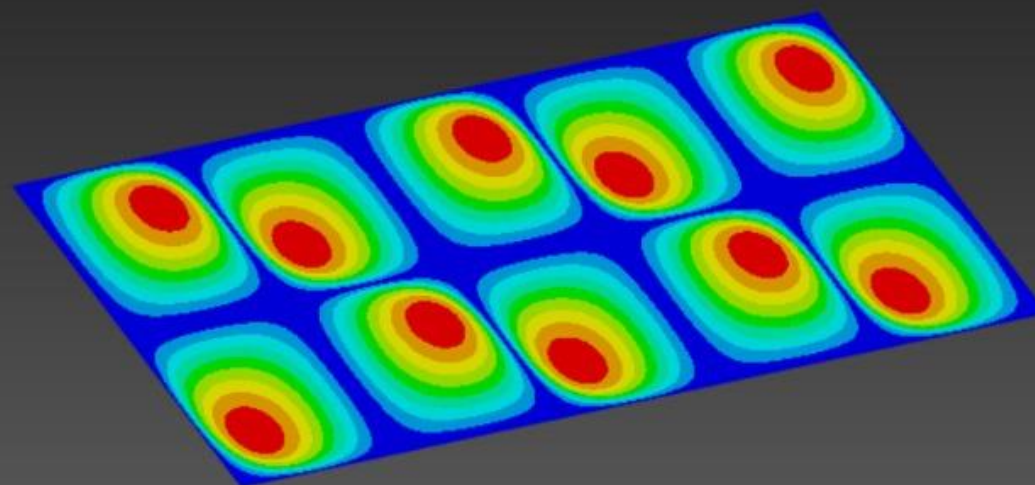
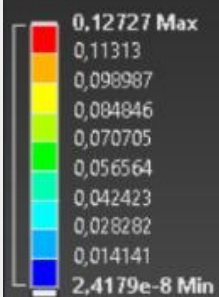


0,000 0,250 0,500 0,750 1,000 (m)



C: Eigenvalue Buckling
Total Deformation 9
Type: Total Deformation
Load Multiplier (Linear): 12,38
Unit: m
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m	n	Load Multiplier(ANSYS wala)	Load(Ansys wala)	Load (Theoretical)
1	1	2.121	21.21	21.207
2	1	2.3138	23.138	23.135
3	1	4.1273	41.273	41.26
4	1	6.8632	68.632	68.592
5	1	10.437	104.37	104.27
3	2	7.5031	75.031	74.993
4	2	9.2595	92.595	92.54
2	2	8.4883	84.883	84.826
5	2	12.38	123.8	123.69
6	1	14.828	148.28	148.08

Bending Calculation

For bending, we have the following expressions: taking mode (1,1)
 $p_0=10$ pascal

$$B_{mn} = \frac{P_0}{mn\pi^2} [1 - (-1)^m] [1 - (-1)^n]$$

$$A_{mn} = \frac{B_{mn}}{D_1\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^4 + 2D_3\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2 + D_2\left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^4}$$

Note: All edges are simply supported.

The bending deflection $w(x, y)$ is given by:

$$w(x, y) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{mn} \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{a}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right)$$

Bending deflection: 302.8545 mm

Bending

