

# MHA021 - FEM Assignment 3 - Group 33

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## Task 1

### Task 1 a) Derive strong form

To derive the strong form, we start by establishing a force equilibrium. Traction forces,  $\mathbf{t}$ , on the body surface and body forces,  $\mathbf{b}$  must be equal to zero. Stresses inside a point on a body is represented by the stress matrix,  $\mathbf{S}$ , where  $\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{S}^T$ :

$$\mathbf{S} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} & \sigma_{xy} \\ \sigma_{yx} & \sigma_{yy} \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

Stress on the surface, given by the normal vector  $\mathbf{n}$ , is represented by the traction vector,  $\mathbf{t}$ :

$$\mathbf{t}(\mathbf{n}) = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx}n_x + \sigma_{xy}n_y \\ \sigma_{yx}n_x + \sigma_{yy}n_y \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{S}\mathbf{n} \quad (2)$$

To derive the strong form we need balance law, kinematics and constitutive relationship. Balance law in 2D states that:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial \sigma_{xx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \sigma_{xy}}{\partial y} + bx = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \sigma_{yx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \sigma_{yy}}{\partial y} + by = 0 \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

Equation 3 can be rewritten using divergence operator:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \sigma_{xx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \sigma_{xy}}{\partial y} + bx &= \text{div} \left( \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{xy} \end{bmatrix} \right) + bx = \text{div}(\mathbf{s}_x) + bx \\ \frac{\partial \sigma_{yx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \sigma_{yy}}{\partial y} + by &= \text{div} \left( \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{yx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \end{bmatrix} \right) + by = \text{div}(\mathbf{s}_y) + by \end{aligned}$$

Thus equations of equilibrium becomes:

$$\text{div}(\mathbf{S}) + \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{0} \quad (4)$$

Equation of equilibrium can be written in Voigt form using given  $\tilde{\nabla}$  operator:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \\ 0 & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \\ \sigma_{xy} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_x \\ b_y \end{bmatrix} = \tilde{\nabla}^T \boldsymbol{\sigma} + \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{0} \quad (5)$$

As previously stated we also need kinematic strains. Normal- and shear strains are defined as:

$$\begin{cases} \epsilon_{xx} = \frac{\partial u_x}{\partial x} \\ \epsilon_{yy} = \frac{\partial u_y}{\partial y} \\ \epsilon_{zz} = \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial z} \end{cases} \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{cases} \gamma_{xy} = \frac{\partial u_x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u_y}{\partial x} \\ \gamma_{xz} = \frac{\partial u_x}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial x} \\ \gamma_{yz} = \frac{\partial u_y}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial y} \end{cases} \quad (7)$$

From this we can define a strain vector,  $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ :

$$\boldsymbol{\epsilon} = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} \\ \epsilon_{yy} \\ \epsilon_{zz} \\ \gamma_{xy} \\ \gamma_{xz} \\ \gamma_{yz} \end{bmatrix} = \tilde{\mathbf{V}} \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \\ u_z \end{bmatrix} = \tilde{\mathbf{V}} \mathbf{u} \quad (8)$$

Constitutive relationship can be stated using Hooke's generalised law and constitutive matrix,  $\mathbf{D}$ :

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \mathbf{D} \boldsymbol{\epsilon} \quad (9)$$

Combining equilibrium Equation 5, kinematics-strain Equation 8 and constitutive relationship Equation 9 we arrive at:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{V}}^T \mathbf{D} \tilde{\mathbf{V}} \mathbf{u} + \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{0} \quad (10)$$

Next step is to define boundary conditions. Right side of the beam is foxed to the wall, which means that displacement is zero along this edge. Upper right side near the wheel experiences Hertzian pressure, which is added to the traction vector in y-direction. On the left side of the half beam there is a symmetry line, indicating no displacement in the x-direction and traction is equal to zero. Additionally, there is a body force acting on the beam. The half beam can be divided into five boundaries,  $\Gamma_1 - \Gamma_5$ . Figure 1 illustrates defined boundaries for the beam.

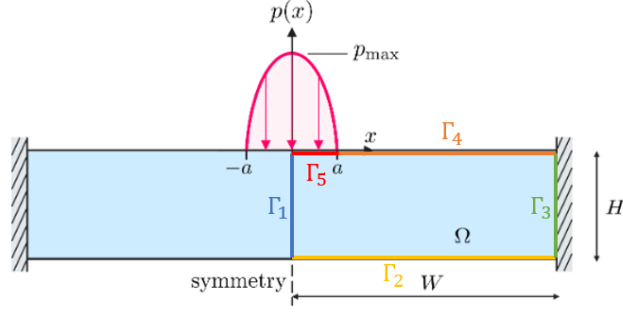


Figure 1: Defined boundaries for the beam.

Thus strong form for the specific problem at hand given previously defined boundaries  $\Gamma_1$  to  $\Gamma_5$  can be stated as:

Find  $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \end{bmatrix}$  such that

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \tilde{\nabla}^T \mathbf{D} \nabla \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0} & \\ \mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} t_x \\ t_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad u_x = 0 & \text{on } \Gamma_1 \\ \mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \text{on } \Gamma_2 \\ \mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \text{on } \Gamma_3 \\ \mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & \text{on } \Gamma_4 \\ \mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -p(x) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -p_{max} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2} \end{bmatrix} & \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq a \text{ on } \Gamma_5 \\ \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \rho g \end{bmatrix} & \text{on } \Omega \end{array} \right. \quad (11)$$

### Task 1 b) Global FE form

Weak form, WE, is given by:

$$\int_{\Omega} (\nabla \mathbf{v})^T \mathbf{D} \mathbf{t} \tilde{\nabla} \mathbf{u} dA = \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{b} t dA + \oint_{\Gamma} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} t d\Gamma \quad (12)$$

Where  $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_x(x, y) \\ v_y(x, y) \end{bmatrix}$  is a vector valued weight function.

Boundary term in Equation 12 can be expanded:

$$\begin{aligned}
\int_{\Gamma} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma &= \int_{\Gamma_g} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_h} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma \\
&= \int_{\Gamma_g} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_h} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma
\end{aligned} \tag{13}$$

Weak form in Equation 12 can thus be rewritten as:

$$\begin{cases} \int_{\Omega} (\nabla \mathbf{v})^T \mathbf{D} t \tilde{\nabla} \mathbf{u} dA = \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{b} t dA + \int_{\Gamma_g} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_h} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma \\ \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{g} \quad \text{on } \Gamma_g \end{cases} \tag{14}$$

Where  $\mathbf{h}$  is the prescribed traction on  $\Gamma_g$  and  $\mathbf{g}$  is the prescribed displacement on  $\Gamma_g$ . As previously decribed in Equation 11 traction is known for boundaries  $\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2, \Gamma_4$  and  $\Gamma_5$ , which means that integration over these edges is given by integration over  $\Gamma_h$ . Deformation is given for boundary  $\Gamma_3$ , thus integration over this edge is given by corresponding integration over  $\Gamma_g$ . Equation 14 can be rewritten:

$$\int_{\Omega} (\nabla \mathbf{v})^T \mathbf{D} t \tilde{\nabla} \mathbf{u} dA = \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{b} t dA + \int_{\Gamma_3} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_1} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_2} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_4} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_5} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma \tag{15}$$

As stated in Equation 11, traction vector on edges  $\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2$  and  $\Gamma_4$  are zero. Hence, integration over these edges can be neglected:

$$\int_{\Omega} (\nabla \mathbf{v})^T \mathbf{D} t \tilde{\nabla} \mathbf{u} dA = \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{b} t dA + \int_{\Gamma_3} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_5} \mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma \tag{16}$$

Displacement,  $\mathbf{u}$ , is primary unknown:

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x(x, y) \\ u_y(x, y) \end{bmatrix} \tag{17}$$

Which can be approximated,  $\mathbf{u} \approx \mathbf{u}_h$ , using shape functions,  $\mathbf{N}$ :

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{u}_x \approx \mathbf{u}_{xh} = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 & \dots & N_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{x1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{xn} \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{N}_x \mathbf{a}_x \\ \mathbf{u}_y \approx \mathbf{u}_{yh} = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 & \dots & N_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{y1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{yn} \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{N}_y \mathbf{a}_y \end{cases} \Rightarrow$$

$$\mathbf{u} \approx \mathbf{u}_h = \begin{bmatrix} u_{xh} \\ u_{yh} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & N_n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & N_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & N_n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & N_1 & \dots & 0 & 0 & N_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{x1} \\ a_{y1} \\ \vdots \\ a_{xn} \\ a_{yn} \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{N} \mathbf{a} \tag{18}$$

Approximation for weight function:

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{N}\mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} N_1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & N_n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & N_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & N_n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & N_1 & \dots & 0 & 0 & N_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_{x1} \\ c_{y1} \\ \vdots \\ c_{xn} \\ c_{yn} \end{bmatrix} \quad (19)$$

Approximation of the gradients:

$$\tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{u} \approx \tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{u}_h = \tilde{\nabla}(\mathbf{N}\mathbf{a}) = \tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{N}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{N} \underbrace{\tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{a}}_{=0} = \tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{N}\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{a} \quad (20)$$

Weight functions can be determined using Galerkin's method:

$$\tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{v} = \tilde{\nabla}\mathbf{N}\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{c} \quad (21)$$

Insert Equation 18, 19, 20 and 21 into weak form, Equation 16:

$$\int_{\Omega} \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{D} t \mathbf{B} \mathbf{a} d\Omega = \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{b} d\Omega + \int_{\Gamma_3} \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma + \int_{\Gamma_5} \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma \quad (22)$$

Since  $\mathbf{c}$  is arbitrary we can move it outside the integration. Thus FE-form can be defined as:

$$\begin{cases} \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{D} t \mathbf{B} \mathbf{a} d\Omega - \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{b} d\Omega - \int_{\Gamma_3} \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{t} d\Gamma - \int_{\Gamma_5} \mathbf{N}^T \mathbf{h} d\Gamma = 0 \\ \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0} \\ u_x = 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{on } \Gamma_3 \\ \text{on } \Gamma_1 \end{matrix}$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{K}\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{f}_t + \mathbf{f}_b^g + \mathbf{f}_b^h & \text{in } \Omega \\ \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{g} & \text{on } \Gamma_g \end{cases}$$

### Task 1 c) Plot the deformed and undeformed geometry.

Code can be found in appendix A and B. The deformation is plotted in figure 2 with a coarse mesh such that the figure is readable.

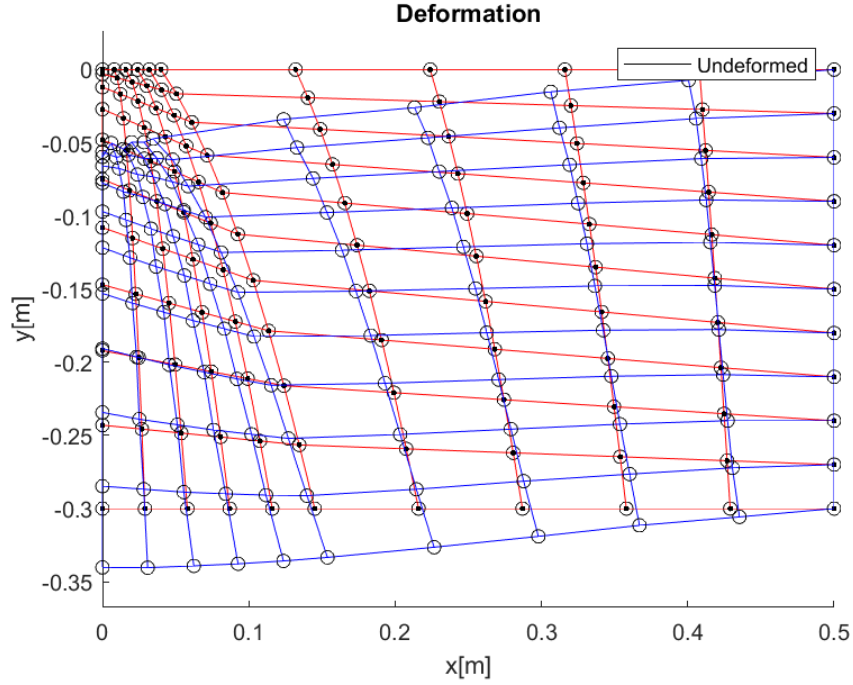


Figure 2: Deformation of the geometry with a coarse mesh.  $nelH = nelW = nela = 10$  and  $scalefactor = 300$

## Validation of code

In order to validate the code, the external load is set to zero, and the beam dimensions set to:

$$H = 0.3 \text{ m}$$

$$W = 3 \text{ m}$$

$$t = 0.05 \text{ m}$$

The displacement from its mass is presented in figure 3 and a zoom in on the top left corner in figure 4. It can be noted that the maximum displacement is  $\sim 1.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$

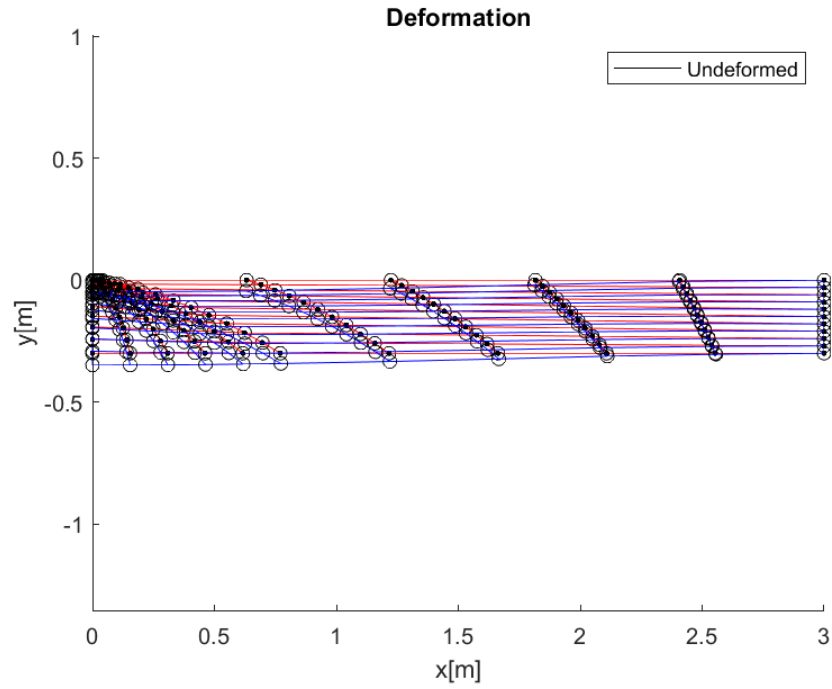


Figure 3: Displacement of beam with no external force. Scalefactor 300.

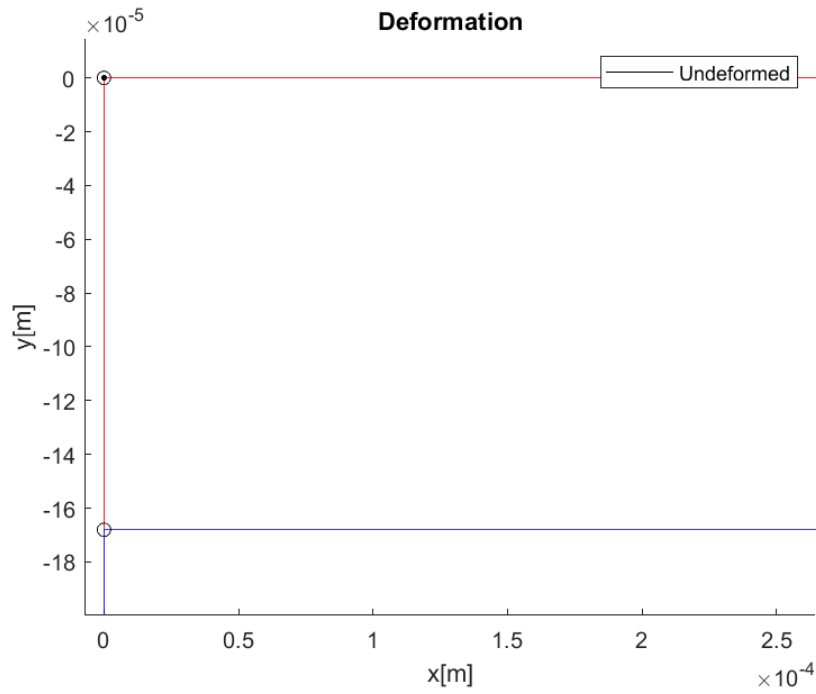


Figure 4: Displacement of top left corner with scalefactor=1

This is to be compared to a analytic solution for the whole beam, including symmetry. Given by figure

5 where

$$\begin{aligned}
 l &= 6 \text{ m} \\
 w &= \rho g H t = 1178.4 \text{ N/m} \\
 I &= \frac{tH^3}{12} = 1.125 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^4 \\
 \Rightarrow \Delta_{max}(\text{at center}) &= \frac{wl^4}{384EI} = 1.68 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}
 \end{aligned}$$

We see that FE code results in the same deflection at the center of the beam. We can also see that the boundary conditions are working, resulting at zero displacement at fixed end and  $w'(L/2) = 0$  as the symmetry condition. This concludes that the FE program works as expected and is suitable to use for calculations including external forces.

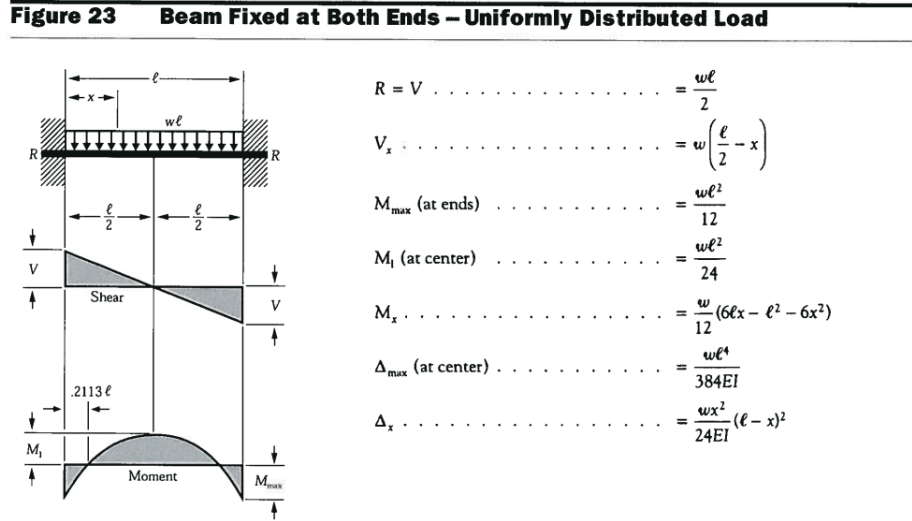


Figure 5: Analytic solution for beam fixed at both ends with distributed load. Taken from compendium MMA169 - *Structural Engineering*

### Task 1 d) Derive the expression for stress vector $\sigma$

For the case at hand we have plane stress, for which stresses in z-direction are negligible, see Equation 23.

$$\sigma_{yz} = \sigma_{xz} = \sigma_{zz} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \epsilon_{zz} \neq 0 \quad (23)$$

We previously defined the constitutive relationship in Equation 9. Thus, for a 2D case the stress strain relationship can be expressed as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} \\ \epsilon_{yy} \\ \epsilon_{xy} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{E} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\nu & 0 \\ -\nu & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 + \nu \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \\ \sigma_{xy} \end{bmatrix} \quad (24)$$

By inverting the compliance matrix in Equation 24 we obtain the stiffness matrix for plane stress:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \\ \sigma_{xy} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{E}{1 - \nu^2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \nu & 0 \\ \nu & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 - \nu \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} \\ \epsilon_{yy} \\ \epsilon_{xy} \end{bmatrix} \quad (25)$$



The stress vector,  $\boldsymbol{\sigma}$ , can be defined for each element,  $e$ , using  $\mathbf{B}^e$  and  $\mathbf{a}^e$  in Equation 9:

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma}^e = \mathbf{D}\boldsymbol{\epsilon}^e = \mathbf{D}\tilde{\mathbf{V}}\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{D}\mathbf{B}^e\mathbf{a}^e \quad (26)$$

### Task 1 e) Calculate effective stress

The stress vector for each element were calculated according to the prior task. The result is presented in Figure 6. For this the mesh is finer than for the deformation plot.

Von Mises stresses were calculated according to Equation 27 for each element.

$$\sigma_{VonMises} = \sqrt{\sigma_{xx}^2 + \sigma_{yy}^2 - \sigma_{xx}\sigma_{yy} + 3\sigma_{xy}^2} \quad (27)$$

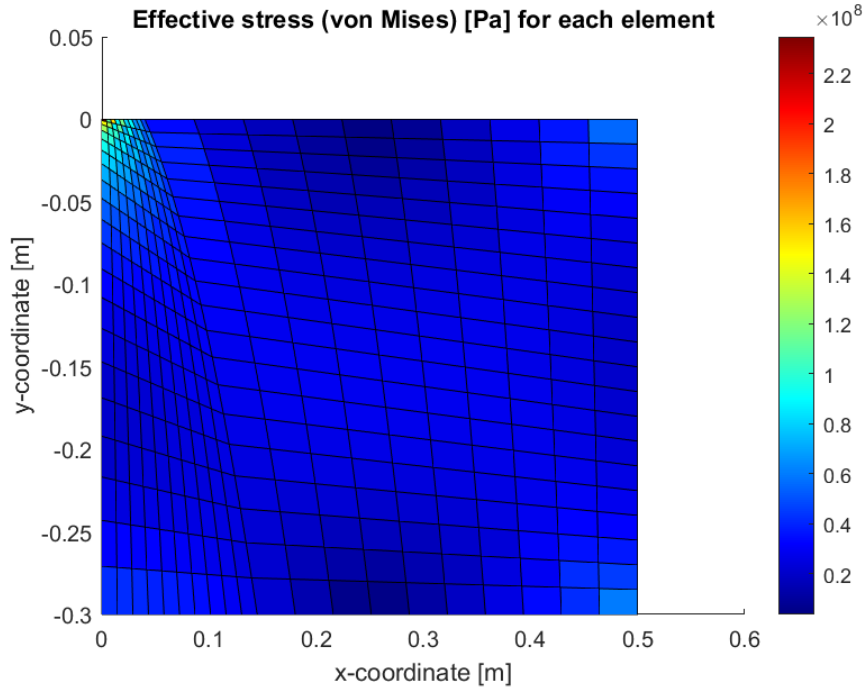
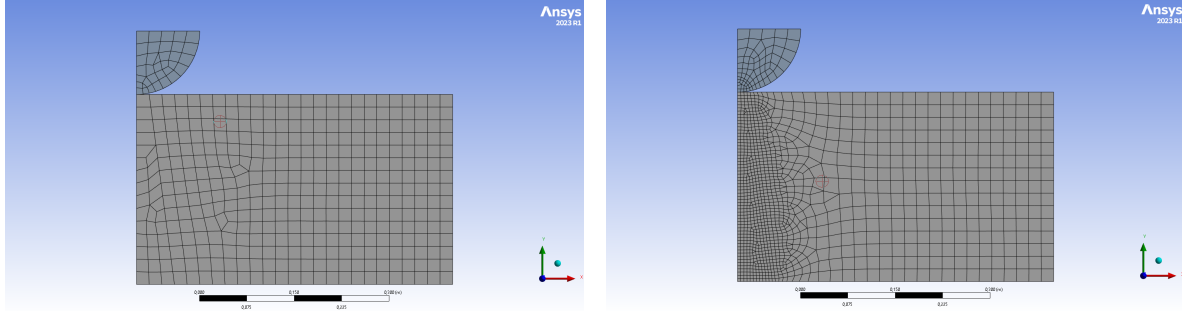


Figure 6: Von Mises effective stresses for the geometry, here using a finer mesh with  $nelH = nelW = nela = 20$

## Task 2: FE-analysis of beam subjected to contact load from overhead crane using ANSYS

Two different meshes were used, one coarse, Figure 7a and one fine, Figure 7b. A comparison of results was made between these two meshes.



(a) Coarse mesh, mesh size  $2 \times 10^{-2}$  m for all bodies. (b) Fine mesh with mesh size  $2 \times 10^{-3}$  m around contact point and deformation zone.

Figure 7: Coarse- and fine mesh for the two bodies.

Boundary conditions was applied in accordance to Equation 11. For the edges where there is no traction,  $\mathbf{t} = \mathbf{0}$ , no boundary was specified in ANSYS. To ensure that the two bodies do not behave as a single entity, the contact point was switched from bonded to frictionless. Given beam properties can be seen in Table 1. Body force was also applied to the beam.

Table 1: Beam properties.

|                        |                        |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Young's modulus, $E$   | 210 GPa                |
| Poisson's ratio, $\nu$ | 0.3                    |
| Density, $\rho$        | 8000 kg/m <sup>3</sup> |

### Task 2 a) Use the commercial FE-software ANSYS to set-up and solve the 2D elasticity problem

Magnitude of the load was chosen so that it corresponds to that of Task 1,  $F = \int_{-a}^a p(x)tdx$ . A wheel radius of 0.1 m and a thickness of 0.05 m were employed. Thus to determine the force, integration was performed over the interval  $-a \leq x \leq a$  m:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{F}{2} &= \int_{-a}^a p(x)tdx = \int_{-a}^a p_{max} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2} tdx \\
 &= \int_{-0.04}^{0.04} 200 \times 10^6 \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{x}{0.04}\right)^2} 0.05 dx = \frac{628319}{2} \text{N} = 314159.5 \text{N}
 \end{aligned} \tag{28}$$

Due to symmetry half of the force,  $F$ , was applied to the ANSYS model. This force can either be applied as a point force at the center of the wheel or as a distributed load along the radius of the wheel. We decided to apply the force,  $-\frac{F}{2}$ , on the wheel radius, see Figure 8.

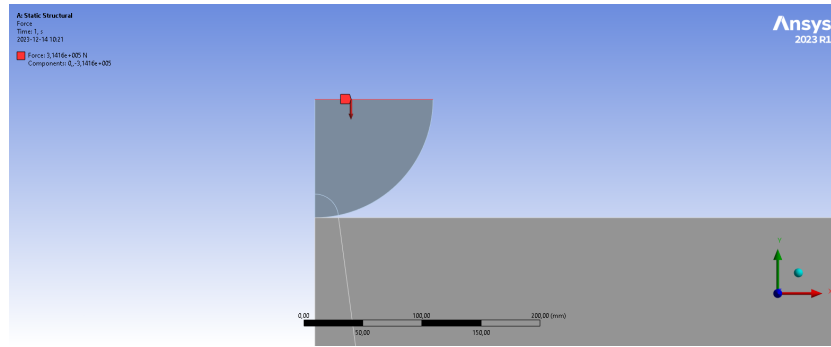


Figure 8: Applied force,  $\frac{F}{2}$ , on wheel radius.

Resulting deformation for the fine- and coarse mesh can be seen in Figure 9 and Figure 10 respectively.

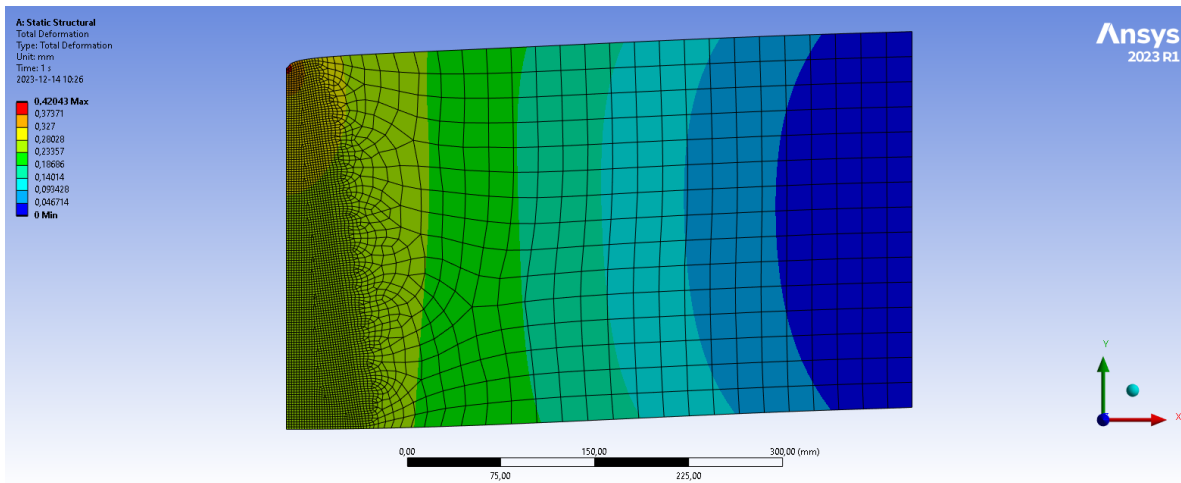


Figure 9: Deformation plot using fine meshing.

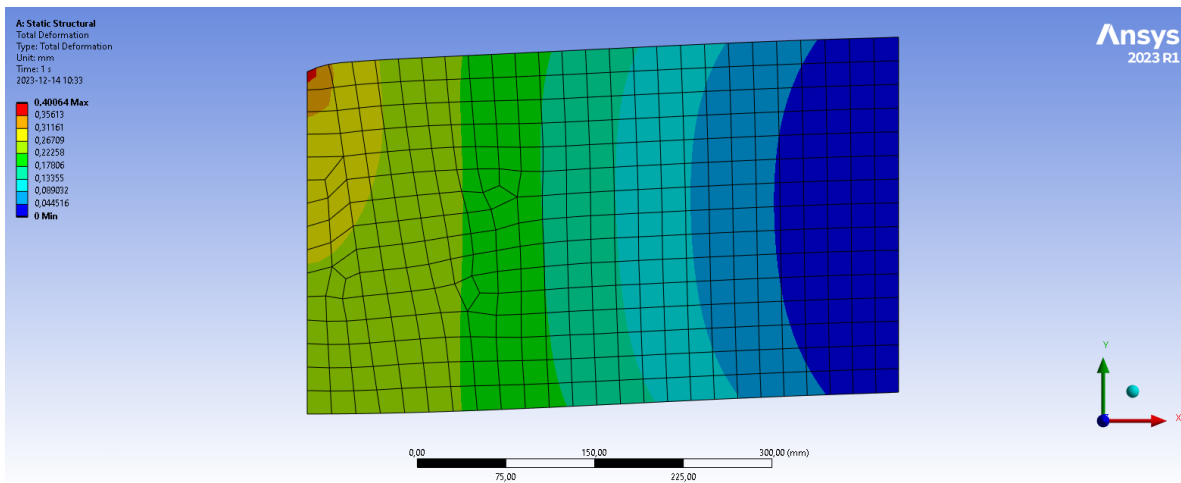


Figure 10: Deformation plot using coarse meshing.

For both cases the maximum deformation can be found near the contact region. The finer mesh results in a larger maximum displacement. Several factors might contribute to this.

Finer meshes provide a more accurate representation of the geometry and loading conditions. As the mesh becomes finer, it captures more details of the structural behavior, resulting in a more accurate solution. Additionally, if the mesh is not fine enough, especially around regions of high stress or strain, the FEA solution may not converge to a stable solution, leading to less accurate results. It's quite possible that the model with coarse mesh has not reached convergence hence the result is not as accurate compared to the fine mesh model. To verify the convergence and reliability of the results obtained from the finer mesh, a simulation with an even finer mesh (mesh size of 1 mm around the contact point) was performed. The maximum deformation observed was 0.42109 mm, a value closely comparable to the fine mesh with a mesh size of 2 mm. Therefore, it can be concluded that the results have most likely converged.

## Task 2 b) Determine the maximum contact stress and estimate the width of the contact patch

Contact path between half wheel and beam is illustrated in Figure 11. Length of contact patch is approximately 17 mm.

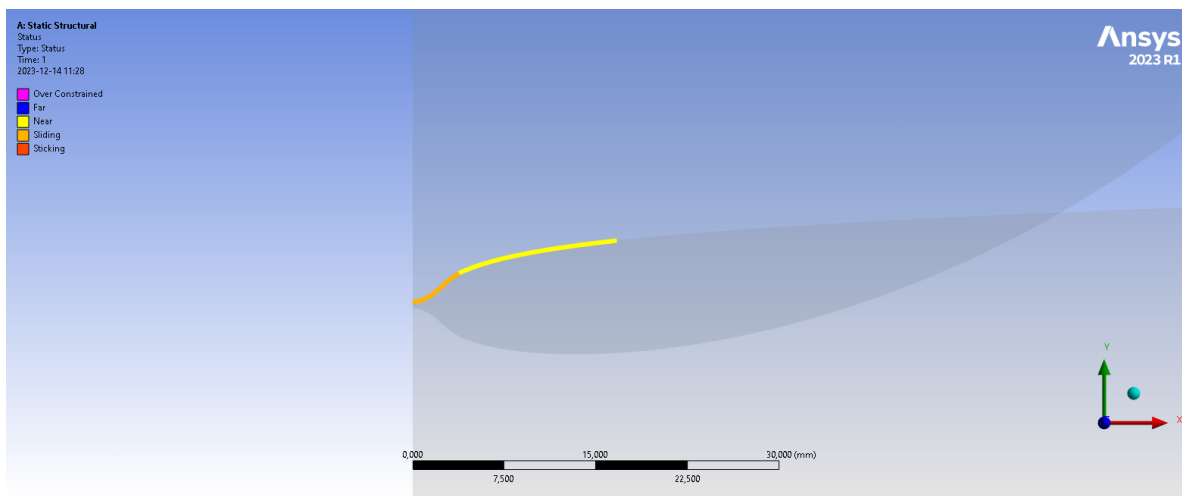


Figure 11: Contact patch.

In Figure 12, the contact pressure distribution between the half wheel and the beam is depicted. The maximum observed contact stress is 1943.3 MPa.

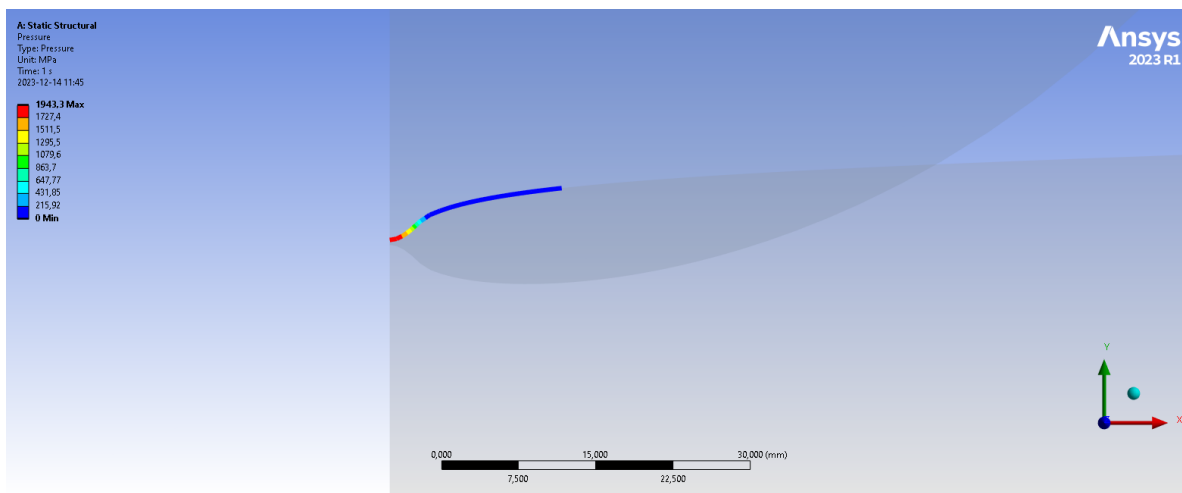


Figure 12: Contact pressure.

## Task 2 c) Determine and plot the distribution of von Mises stress in the beam

Equivalent (von-Mises) stress around contact area using the fine mesh can be seen in Figure 13.

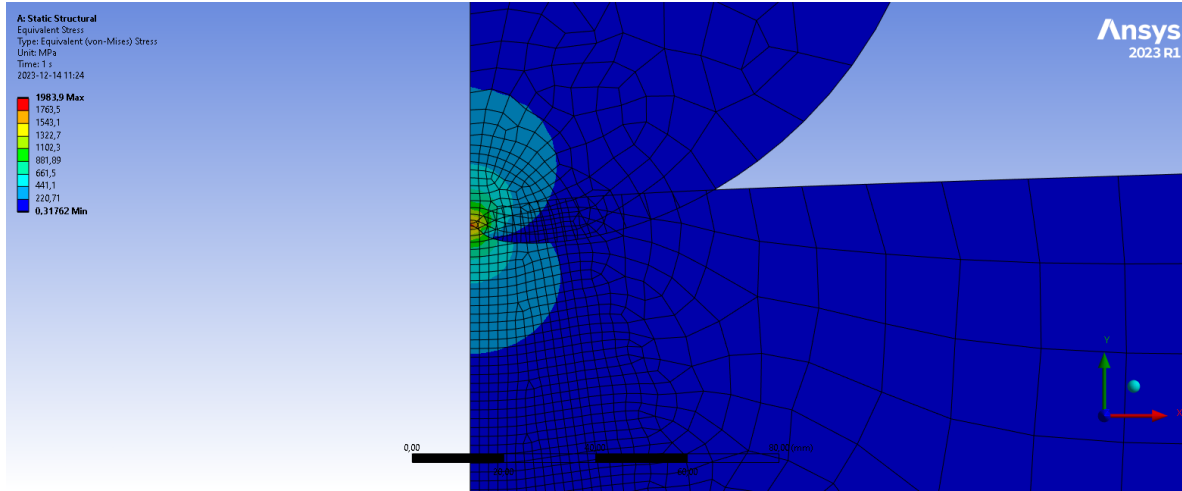


Figure 13: Equivalent stress using fine meshing.

$$\sigma_{vm}^{Ansys} = 1983.9 MPa$$
$$\sigma_{vm}^{Matlab} = 234.8 MPa$$

We can see that the distributions of the stresses, though the geometry looks similar but the maximum stresses differ with a factor of 10. This can be due to a few different reasons, either the matlab code calculating stresses has an error or the Ansys implementation of the force can be wrong. There is also a possibility that the mesh used in Ansys models the force concentrations better than our mesh generated in the matlab code.

# Appendix 1

Listing 1: MATLAB code Task 1

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3 %% Assignment 3 MHA021
4 % Group 33
5 % Nils Helgesson & Gabriel Wendel
6 close all;
7 clear all;
8 clc;
9
10 %% Indata
11 E=210e9; %[Pa]
12 nu=0.3;
13 rho=8000; %[kg/m3]
14 g=9.82; %[m/s^2]
15 b=[0; -rho*g]; %load, self weight
16 p_max=200e6; %[Pa]
17 % p_max=0; %For control calc
18
19 %Dimensions of half beam
20 W=0.5;
21 H=0.3;
22 % W=10*H; %For control calc
23 t=0.05;
24
25 % Meshdata
26 mesh_a=40e-3;
27 nelH=20;
28 nelW=20;
29 nela=20;
30
31 %Gauss points
32 ngp=1;
33
34
35
36 %% Generate mesh
37 % INPUT: H      : domain height
38 %          W      : domain width
39 %          a      : fraction of the width along the top edge
40 %          nelH    : number of element edges in vertical direction
41 %          nelW    : number of element edges in horizontal direction
42 %          nela    : number of element edges along the distance a (nela<
43 %                    nelvW)
44 % OUTPUT: xy     : matrix with 2 columns; ith row contains the (x,y)-
45 %                -coordinate of the ith node (CALFEM name Coord)
46 %                Dof : matrix (2 columns) vector with degrees of freedom in
47 %                each node; (row i simply has the two values 2*i
48 %                -1
49 %                and 2*i), since there are two dofs in each node, i.e
50 %                .
51 %                the degrees of freedom in node i, are 2*i-1 and 2*i
52 %                Edof : matrix with 9 columns; 1st column is the element
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51 %             number; columns 2-9 in row i, contains the degrees
52 %             of freedom, in counter clock-wise order, for element
53 %             i.
54 % SEE THE CALFEM MANUAL, PAGES 6.2-2 TO 6.2-3, FOR A MORE DETAILED
55 % DESCRIPTION OF THE ABOVE OUTPUT VARIABLES.
56 %             nodL   : list of nodes along left edge
57 %             nodR   : list of nodes along right edge
58 %             noda   : list of nodes along part "a" of upper edge
59
60
61 [xy,Dof,Edof,nodL,nodR,noda] = pmesh(H,W,mesh_a,nelH,nelW,nela);
62
63 nel=size(Edof,1);
64 nnodes=size(Dof,1);
65
66 %Process mesh data
67 ex=xy(:,1);
68 ey=xy(:,2);
69 Ex=zeros(nel,4);
70 Ey=zeros(nel,4);
71 for i=1:nel
72     E1=find(ismember(Dof, Edof(i,2:3),'rows'));
73     E2=find(ismember(Dof, Edof(i,4:5),'rows'));
74     E3=find(ismember(Dof, Edof(i,6:7),'rows'));
75     E4=find(ismember(Dof, Edof(i,8:9),'rows'));
76     Ex(i,:)=ex(E1) ex(E2) ex(E3) ex(E4);
77     Ey(i,:)=ey(E1) ey(E2) ey(E3) ey(E4);
78 end
79
80 eldraw2(Ex,Ey)
81 %% Constitutive matrix D
82 ptype=1; % plane stress
83 % Determine constitutive matrix using Hooke's generalized law
84 D=hooke(1,E,nu);
85
86 %% Assemble fb
87
88 %along r5
89 GP=0 %middle of interval
90 iW=2
91 Ne_xsi=[0.5 0 0.5 0; 0 0.5 0 0.5]; %middle of 1D element
92 fb=zeros(nnodes*2,1)
93 for i=1:length(noda)-1
94     x1=ex(noda(i));
95     x2=ex(noda(i+1));
96     L_e=x2-x1;
97     x_middle=(x1+x2)/2;
98     ty=-p_max*sqrt(1-(x_middle/mesh_a)^2);
99     fbe=Ne_xsi'*[0 ty]'*t*L_e;
100     fb(Dof(noda(i),1))=fbe(1); %x dof for node 1
101     fb(Dof(noda(i),2))=fbe(2); %y dof for node 1
102     fb(Dof(noda(i+1),1))=fbe(1); %x dof for node 2
103     fb(Dof(noda(i+1),2))=fbe(2); %y dof for node 2
104 end
105

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106 %% Assemble K and fl
107 K=zeros(nnodes*2,nnodes*2);
108 fl=zeros(nnodes*2,1);
109 ep=[t ngp];
110 for i=1:nel
111     [Ke fe]=plan4bilinear(Ex(i,:),Ey(i,:), ep, D, b);
112
113     [K, fl]=assem(Edof(i,:),K,Ke,fl,fe);
114 end
115
116 % Boundary conditions
117
118 bc=[Dof(nodR,1) zeros(length(nodR),1);
119     Dof(nodR,2) zeros(length(nodR),1);
120     Dof(nodL,1) zeros(length(nodR),1)];
121 [a , r]=solveq(K , fl+fb , bc ) ;
122
123
124 % Plots
125 ed = extract ( Edof , a ) ;
126 figure (1)
127 eldraw2( Ex , Ey , [1 4 0])
128 hold on
129 eldisp2( Ex , Ey , ed , [1 2 1] , 300) ; % scale factor =300
130 % eldisp2( Ex , Ey , ed , [1 2 1], 1) ; %scale factor =0
131 xlabel('x[m]')
132 ylabel('y[m]')
133 legend('Undeformed')
134 title('Deformation')
135
136 %% Calculate stresses
137
138 nel = size(Edof,1); % number of elements
139
140 ep = [ptype,t,ngp];
141
142 % Stress vector for element center
143 sigma = zeros(nel, 3);
144
145 for i=1:nel
146     % # columns in es follows size of D (3x3) and # rows = n^2, n =
147     % integration points
148     [es,et,eci] = plani4s(Ex(i,:),Ey(i,:),ep,D,ed(i,:));
149     % Store stresses for each element
150     sigma(i,:) = es';
151 end
152
153 %% Effective stress (von Mises)
154
155 sigma_vm = zeros(1,nel);
156
157 for i=1:nel
158     % calculate effective stress according to von Mises
159     sigma_vm(i) = sqrt(sigma(i,1)^2 + sigma(i,2)^2 - sigma(i,1)*sigma(
160         i,2) + 3*sigma(i,3)^2);
161 end

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161
162 figure(2)
163 xlabel('x-coordinate [m]');
164 ylabel('y-coordinate [m]');
165 title('Effective stress (von Mises) [Pa] for each element');
166
167 hold on
168
169 for i=1:nel
170     fill(Ex(i,:),Ey(i,:),sigma_vm(i))
171 end
172 colorbar;
173 colormap('jet')
174
175 maxSigma=max(sigma_vm);

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Listing 2: plan4bilin function

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1  function [ Ke, fe ] = plan4bilin( ex, ey, ep, D, eq)
2  % [ Ke, fe] = plan4bilin( ex, ey, ep, D, eq)
3  %-----
4  % PURPOSE
5  % Compute the stiffness matrix and element external force vector
6  % for a bilinear plane stress or plane strain element including
7  % influence of out-of-plane stress (or strain)
8  %
9  % INPUT:  ex = [ x1 x2 x3 x4 ]      element nodal x-coordinates
10 %          ey = [ y1 y2 y3 y4 ]      element nodal y-coordinates
11 %
12 %          ep = [ t ngp]              t: thickness
13 %                                     ngp: number of Gauss points in
14 %                                     each
15 %                                     direction ( ksi and eta)
16 %                                     (ngp = 1 or 2 or 3)
17 %          D(3,3)                     constitutive matrix for 2D
18 %                                     elasticity (plane stress or
19 %                                     plane
20 %                                     strain)
21 %          eq = [ bx;                 bx: body force x-dir
22 %                by ]                 by: body force y-dir
23 %
24 %-----
25 % OUTPUT: Ke : element stiffness matrix (8 x 8)
26 %          fe : equivalent nodal forces (8 x 1)
27 %-----
28 % Developed by Peter Moller Dept. Applied Mechanics, Chalmers
29 %
30 % MODIFIED for VSM167 FEM BASICS by Dimosthenis Floros 20151201
31 %
32 % MODIFIED for VSM167 FEM BASICS by Martin Fagerstrom 20211201
33 %
34 %-----
35 %
36
37 t      = ep(1);

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38  ngp    = ep(2)^2; % Total gauss points = ( NoGaussPoits per direction )
      ^2
39
40  % Initialize Ke and fe with zeros for all of their elements
41
42  Ke = zeros(8,8);
43  fe = zeros(8,1);
44
45  % Tolerance for the Jacobian determinant
46
47  minDetJ = 1.e-16;
48
49  % Determine constitutive matrix D for plane strain or plane stress
50
51  % Set the appropriate Gauss integration scheme for 1, 2 or 3 Gauss
    points
52  % in each direction (ksi, eta). (or else 1, 4 or 9 Gauss points in
    total)
53
54  if ngp == 1 % 1x 1 integration
55      GP=0;
56      iW=2;
57
58      intWeight    = [iW iW];
59      GaussPoints = [GP GP];
60
61  elseif ngp == 4 % 2 x 2 integration
62
63      GP1=0.5773502691896257;
64      GP2=-GP1;
65      iW=1;
66
67      intWeight = [iW iW;
68                  iW iW;
69                  iW iW;
70                  iW iW];
71
72
73      GaussPoints = [GP2 GP2;
74                    GP1 GP2;
75                    GP2 GP1;
76                    GP1 GP1];
77
78
79  elseif ngp == 9 % 3 x 3 integration
80      GP1=0.7745966692414834;
81      GP2=0
82
83      intWeight = [iW1 iW1;
84                  iW2 iW1;
85                  iW1 iW1;
86                  iW1 iW2;
87                  iW2 iW2;
88                  iW1 iW2;
89                  iW1 iW1;
90                  iW2 iW1;

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91         iW1 iW1];
92
93
94
95     GaussPoints = [-GP1 -GP1 ;
96                   GP2 -GP1;
97                   GP1 -GP1;
98                   -GP1 GP2;
99                   GP2 GP2;
100                  GP1 GP2;
101                  -GP1 GP1;
102                  GP2 GP1;
103                  GP1 GP1];
104
105
106 else
107
108     error('Only 1,2 or 3 Gauss Points in each direction apply')
109
110 end
111
112 % Loop over all integration points to compute Ke and fe
113
114 for gpIndex = 1:ngp
115
116     xsi      = GaussPoints(gpIndex,1);
117     weightXsi = intWeight(gpIndex, 1);
118     eta      = GaussPoints(gpIndex,2);
119     weightEta = intWeight(gpIndex, 2);
120
121     % Compute the element shape functions Ne (use xsi and eta from above)
122     N1e= (xsi-1)*(eta-1)/4;
123     N2e= -(xsi+1)*(eta-1)/4;
124     N3e= (xsi+1)*(eta+1)/4;
125     N4e= -(xsi-1)*(eta+1)/4;
126
127     Ne = [N1e 0 N2e 0 N3e 0 N4e 0;
128           0 N1e 0 N2e 0 N3e 0 N4e ];
129
130     % Compute derivatives (with respect to xsi and eta) of the
131     % shape functions at coordinate (xsi,eta). Since the element is
132     % isoparametric, these are also the derivatives of the basis functions.
133
134     dNe_dxsi=[(eta-1)/4, -(eta-1)/4, (eta+1)/4, -(eta+1)/4];
135     dNe_dxeta=[(xsi-1)/4, -(xsi+1)/4, (xsi+1)/4, -(xsi-1)/4];
136
137     dx_dxsi=dNe_dxsi*ex';
138     dx_deta=dNe_dxeta*ex';
139     dy_dxsi=dNe_dxsi*ey';
140     dy_deta=dNe_dxeta*ey';
141
142     % Use shape function derivatives and element vertex coordinates
143     % to establish the Jacobian matrix.
144
145     J=[dx_dxsi dx_deta; dy_dxsi dy_deta];
146

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147 % Compute the determinant of the Jacobian and check that it is OK
148
149 detJ = det(J);
150
151 if ( detJ < minDetJ )
152
153     fprintf( 1, 'Bad element geometry in function plan4bilin: detJ =
        %0.5g\n', detJ );
154     return;
155
156 end
157
158 % Determinant seems OK - invert the transpose of the Jacobian
159
160 J_T_inv=inv(J');
161
162 % Compute derivatives with respect to x and y, of all basis
    functions,
163
164 dNe_dx_dy=J_T_inv*[dNe_dxsi; dNe_dxeta];
165
166 % Use the derivatives of the shape functions to compute the element
167 % B-matrix, Be
168
169 Be = zeros(3,8);
170 Be(1, 1:2:end)=dNe_dx_dy(1,:); %Insert every second column
171 Be(2, 2:2:end)=dNe_dx_dy(2,:);
172 Be(3, 1:2:end)=dNe_dx_dy(2,:); %Insert every column
173 Be(3, 2:2:end)=dNe_dx_dy(1,:);
174
175
176
177 % Compute the contribution to element stiffness matrix and volume load
    vector
178 % from current Gauss point
179 % (check for plane strain or plane stress again!)
180
181 Ke = Ke + Be'*D*t*Be*detJ*weightXsi*weightEta;
182
183 fe = fe + Ne'*eq*t*detJ*weightXsi*weightEta;
184
185 end
186
187 end
188
189 %-----end-----

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