

# Chapter 1

## Demo problem: Large-amplitude shear deformation of a 3D elastic solid

Detailed documentation to be written. Here's the already fairly well documented driver code...

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// Driver for elastic deformation of a cuboidal domain
// The deformation is a simple shear in the x-z plane driven by
// motion of the top boundary, for exact solution see Green & Zerna

// Generic oomph-lib headers
#include "generic.h"

// Solid mechanics
#include "solid.h"

// The mesh
#include "meshes/simple_cubic_mesh.template.h"

using namespace std;

using namespace oomph;

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//=====
/// Simple cubic mesh upgraded to become a solid mesh
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//=====
template<class ELEMENT>
class ElasticCubicMesh : public virtual SimpleCubicMesh<ELEMENT>,
                        public virtual SolidMesh
{
public:

    /// \short Constructor:
    ElasticCubicMesh(const unsigned &nx, const unsigned &ny, const unsigned &nz,
                    const double &a, const double &b, const double &c,
                    TimeStepper* time_stepper_pt=&Mesh::Default_TimeStepper) :
        SimpleCubicMesh<ELEMENT>(nx,ny,nz,-a,a,-b,b,-c,c,time_stepper_pt)
    {
        //Assign the initial lagrangian coordinates
        set_lagrangian_nodal_coordinates();
    }

    /// Empty Destructor
    virtual ~ElasticCubicMesh() { }
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//=====
/// Global variables
//=====
namespace Global_Physical_Variables
{
    /// Pointer to strain energy function
    StrainEnergyFunction* Strain_energy_function_pt;

    /// Pointer to constitutive law
    ConstitutiveLaw* Constitutive_law_pt;

    /// Elastic modulus
    double E=1.0;

    /// Poisson's ratio
    double Nu=0.3;

    /// "Mooney Rivlin" coefficient for generalised Mooney Rivlin law
    double C1=1.3;

    /// Body force
    double Gravity=0.0;

    /// Body force vector: Vertically downwards with magnitude Gravity
    void body_force(const Vector<double>& xi,
                   const double& t,
                   Vector<double>& b)
    {
        b[0]=0.0;
        b[1]=-Gravity;
    }
}
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//=====
/// Boundary-driven elastic deformation of fish-shaped domain.
//=====
template<class ELEMENT>
class SimpleShearProblem : public Problem
{
    double Shear;

    void set_incompressible(ELEMENT *el_pt, const bool &incompressible);

public:

    /// Constructor:
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SimpleShearProblem(const bool &incompressible);

/// Run simulation.
void run(const std::string &dirname);

/// Access function for the mesh
ElasticCubicMesh<ELEMENT>* mesh_pt()
{return dynamic_cast<ElasticCubicMesh<ELEMENT>*>(Problem::mesh_pt());}

/// Doc the solution
void doc_solution(DocInfo& doc_info);

/// Update function (empty)
void actions_after_newton_solve() {}

/// \short Update before solve: We're dealing with a static problem so
/// the nodal positions before the next solve merely serve as
/// initial conditions. For meshes that are very strongly refined
/// near the boundary, the update of the displacement boundary
/// conditions (which only moves the SolidNodes *on* the boundary),
/// can lead to strongly distorted meshes. This can cause the
/// Newton method to fail --> the overall method is actually more robust
/// if we use the nodal positions as determined by the Domain/MacroElement-
/// based mesh update as initial guesses.
void actions_before_newton_solve()
{
    apply_boundary_conditions();
    bool update_all_solid_nodes=true;
    mesh_pt()->node_update(update_all_solid_nodes);
}

///Shear the top
void apply_boundary_conditions()
{
    unsigned ibound = 5;
    unsigned num_nod=mesh_pt()->nboundary_node(ibound);
    for (unsigned inod=0;inod<num_nod;inod++)
    {
        SolidNode *solid_nod_pt = static_cast<SolidNode*>(
            mesh_pt()->boundary_node_pt(ibound,inod));

        solid_nod_pt->x(0) = solid_nod_pt->xi(0) + Shear*
            solid_nod_pt->xi(2);
    }
}

};

//=====
/// Constructor:
//=====
template<class ELEMENT>
SimpleShearProblem<ELEMENT>::SimpleShearProblem(const bool &
    incompressible)
: Shear(0.0)
{
    double a = 1.0, b = 1.0, c = 1.0;
    unsigned nx = 5, ny = 5, nz = 5;

    // Build mesh
    Problem::mesh_pt()=new ElasticCubicMesh<ELEMENT>(nx,ny,nz,a,b,c);

    //Loop over all boundaries
    for(unsigned b=0;b<6;b++)
    {
        //Loop over nodes in the boundary
        unsigned n_node = mesh_pt()->nboundary_node(b);
        for (unsigned n=0;n<n_node;n++)
        {
            //Pin all nodes in the y and z directions to keep the motion in plane
            for(unsigned i=1;i<3;i++)
            {
                mesh_pt()->boundary_node_pt(b,n)->pin_position(i);
            }
            //On the top and bottom pin the positions in x
            if((b==0) || (b==5))
            {
                mesh_pt()->boundary_node_pt(b,n)->pin_position(0);
            }
        }
    }

    //Loop over the elements in the mesh to set parameters/function pointers
    unsigned n_element =mesh_pt()->nelement();
    for(unsigned i=0;i<n_element;i++)
    {
        //Cast to a solid element

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ELEMENT *el_pt = dynamic_cast<ELEMENT*>(mesh_pt()->element_pt(i));

// Set the constitutive law
el_pt->constitutive_law_pt() =
    GlobalPhysicalVariables::Constitutive_law_pt;

set_incompressible(el_pt,incompressible);

// Set the body force
//el_pt->body_force_fct_pt()=GlobalPhysicalVariables::body_force;
}

// Pin the redundant solid pressures (if any)
//PVDEquationsBase<2>::pin_redundant_nodal_solid_pressures(
// mesh_pt()->element_pt());

//Attach the boundary conditions to the mesh
cout << assign_eqn_numbers() << std::endl;
}

//=====
/// Doc the solution
//=====
template<class ELEMENT>
void SimpleShearProblem<ELEMENT>::doc_solution(DocInfo& doc_info)
{
    ofstream some_file;
    char filename[100];

    // Number of plot points
    unsigned npts = 5;

    // Output shape of deformed body
    sprintf(filename,"%s/soln%i.dat",doc_info.directory().c_str(),
        doc_info.number());
    some_file.open(filename);
    mesh_pt()->output(some_file,npts);
    some_file.close();

    sprintf(filename,"%s/stress%i.dat", doc_info.directory().c_str(),
        doc_info.number());
    some_file.open(filename);
    //Output the appropriate stress at the centre of each element
    Vector<double> s(3,0.0);
    Vector<double> x(3);
    DenseMatrix<double> sigma(3,3);

    unsigned n_element = mesh_pt()->nelement();
    for(unsigned e=0;e<n_element;e++)
    {
        ELEMENT* el_pt = dynamic_cast<ELEMENT*>(mesh_pt()->element_pt(e));
        el_pt->interpolated_x(s,x);
        el_pt->get_stress(s,sigma);

        //Output
        for(unsigned i=0;i<3;i++)
        {
            some_file << x[i] << " ";
        }
        for(unsigned i=0;i<3;i++)
        {
            for(unsigned j=0;j<3;j++)
            {
                some_file << sigma(i,j) << " ";
            }
        }
        some_file << std::endl;
    }
    some_file.close();
}

//=====
/// Run the problem
//=====
template<class ELEMENT>
void SimpleShearProblem<ELEMENT>::run(const std::string &dirname)
{
    // Output
    DocInfo doc_info;

    // Set output directory
    doc_info.set_directory(dirname);

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// Step number
doc_info.number()=0;

// Initial parameter values

// Gravity:
Global_Physical_Variables::Gravity=0.1;

//Parameter incrementation
unsigned nstep=2;
for(unsigned i=0;i<nstep;i++)
{
    //Solve the problem with Newton's method, allowing for up to 5
    //rounds of adaptation
    newton_solve();

    // Doc solution
    doc_solution(doc_info);
    doc_info.number()++;
    //Increase the shear
    Shear += 0.5;
}
}

template<>
void SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElement<3,3> >::set_incompressible(
    QPVDElement<3,3> *el_pt, const bool &incompressible)
{
    //Does nothing
}

template<>
void SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElementWithPressure<3> >
    ::set_incompressible(
    QPVDElementWithPressure<3> *el_pt, const bool &incompressible)
{
    if(incompressible) {el_pt->set_incompressible();}
    else {el_pt->set_compressible();}
}

template<>
void SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElementWithContinuousPressure<3>
    >::
set_incompressible(
    QPVDElementWithContinuousPressure<3> *el_pt, const bool &incompressible)
{
    if(incompressible) {el_pt->set_incompressible();}
    else {el_pt->set_compressible();}
}

//=====
/// Driver for simple elastic problem
//=====
int main()
{
    //Initialise physical parameters
    Global_Physical_Variables::E = 2.1;
    Global_Physical_Variables::Nu = 0.4;
    Global_Physical_Variables::Cl = 1.3;

    for (unsigned i=0;i<2;i++)
    {

        // Define a strain energy function: Generalised Mooney Rivlin
        Global_Physical_Variables::Strain_energy_function_pt =

            new GeneralisedMooneyRivlin(&Global_Physical_Variables::Nu,
                &Global_Physical_Variables::Cl,
                &Global_Physical_Variables::E);

        // Define a constitutive law (based on strain energy function)
        Global_Physical_Variables::Constitutive_law_pt =
            new IsotropicStrainEnergyFunctionConstitutiveLaw(
                Global_Physical_Variables::Strain_energy_function_pt
            );

        {
            //Set up the problem with pure displacement formulation
            SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElement<3,3> > problem(false);
            problem.run("RESLT");
        }

        //Discontinuous pressure
    }
}

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{
    //Set up the problem with pure displacement formulation
    SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElementWithPressure<3> > problem(
        false);
    problem.run("RESLT_pres");
}

/*{
    //Set up the problem with pure displacement formulation
    SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElementWithPressure<3> > problem(true);
    problem.run("RESLT_pres_incomp");
}*/

{
    //Set up the problem with pure displacement formulation
    SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElementWithContinuousPressure<3>
        > problem(false);
    problem.run("RESLT_cont_pres");
}

/*{
    //Set up the problem with pure displacement formulation
    SimpleShearProblem<QPVDElementWithContinuousPressure<3> > problem(true);
    problem.run("RESLT_cont_pres_incomp");
}*/

}

}
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