

Question 1 (20 points)

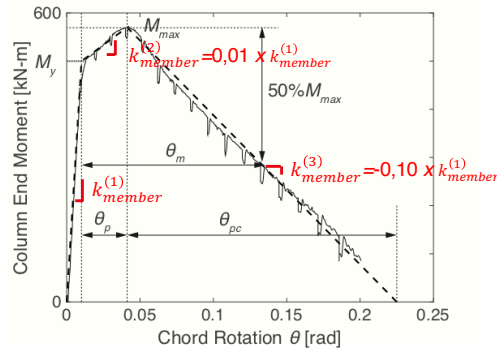
Figure 1a shows a cantilever member with length, L , moment of inertia, I , and a Young's modulus, E . Its lateral response is shown in Figure 1b. We would like to approximate the cantilever member with a zero-length rotational element and an elastic beam-column element as shown in Figure 1c. The zero-length element is assumed to be infinitely stiff compared to the elastic beam-column element ("n" times stiffer than the corresponding beam).

Answer the following questions by showing all your derivations:

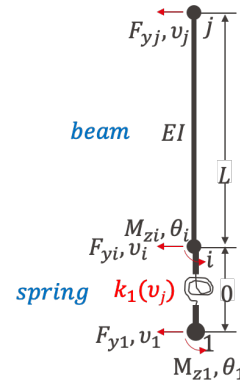
1. Express the rotational stiffness of the spring, $k_1^{(1)}$ as a function of k , E , I and L .
2. Express the post-yield hardening ratio, a_s , of the spring as a function of n .
3. Express the post-capping hardening ratio, a_c , of the spring as a function of n .



(a) Cantilever member



(b) lateral response



(c) model idealization

Figure 1. Cantilever member and model idealization

Solution

In all cases,

$$k_{member} = k_{numerical\ model} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{k_1^{(1)}} + \frac{1}{k_{beam}}}$$

- If the elastic beam is rotationally rigid then, $k_{beam} \sim \text{infinite}$

- Elastic range: $k_1^{(1)} = 3EI/L$
- Post yield range : $k_1^{(2)} = 0.01 \times k_1^{(1)}$
- Post capping range: $k_1^{(3)} = -0.10 \times k_1^{(1)}$

$$k_1^{(1)} = nk_{beam} \quad (\text{infinitely stiff in the elastic range, you can assume, } n = 10)$$

$$k_{member} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{k_1^{(1)}} + \frac{1}{k_{beam}}} = \frac{n \cdot k_{beam}^2}{(1+n) \cdot k_{beam}} \Rightarrow$$

$$k_{beam} = \frac{1+n}{n} \cdot k_{member} = \frac{1+n}{n} \cdot \frac{3EI}{L}$$

Hence,

$$k_1^{(1)} = (1+n) \cdot k_{member} = (1+n) \cdot \frac{3EI}{L}$$

$$k_{member}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{k_1^{(2)}} + \frac{1}{k_{beam}}} = \frac{a_s \cdot k_1^{(1)} \cdot k_{beam}}{a_s \cdot k_1^{(1)} + k_{beam}}$$

(assume $k_1^{(2)} = a_s k_1^{(1)}$)

$$k_{member}^{(2)} = \frac{a_s \cdot (1+n) \cdot k_{member} \cdot \frac{1+n}{n} \cdot k_{member}}{a_s \cdot (1+n) \cdot k_{member} + \frac{1+n}{n} \cdot k_{member}}$$

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$$0,01a_s(1+n)n - a_s(1+n)^2 = -0,03(1+n)$$

$$a_s = \frac{-0,01}{0,03n - n - 1}$$

and

$$a_{s,post-capping} = \frac{0.10}{-0,10n - n - 1}$$

Question 2 (50 points + 10points bonus)**Part A (10 points)**

1. Provide at least three shortcomings of displacement-based beam-column elements.
2. Explain why the state determination of force-based beam-column elements is challenging compared to displacement-based elements?

Part B (40 points + 10 points bonus)

The tapered beam shown in Figure 2 has a linear elastic material. The material modulus of elasticity E is constant. The beam depth changes linearly from $2d$ at the fixed support to d at the tip. The beam width, b , is constant. This beam is analyzed with a single displacement-based beam-column element with two nodes. The left node is *Node-i* and the right node is *Node-j* as shown in the figure.

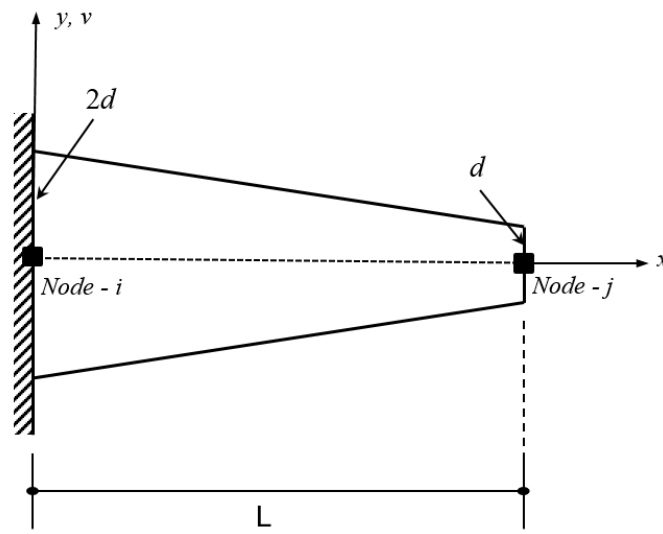


Figure 2. tapered element

The transverse displacement field $v(x)$ along the beam is approximated by the Euler-Bernoulli beam theory assumptions and,

$$v(x) = \left[3 \left(\frac{x}{L} \right)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{x}{L} \right)^3 \right] v_j + \left[\frac{x^3}{L^2} - \frac{x^2}{L} \right] \theta_j \quad (1)$$

From the above displacement field, the curvature field $k(x)$ can be calculated to get the following transformation matrix,

$$k(x) = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{x}) \cdot \begin{Bmatrix} v_j \\ \theta_j \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

With the use of the principle of virtual displacement method, the resulting stiffness matrix of the element is 2x2 and can be calculated as:

$$\mathbf{k} = \int_0^L [\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{x})]^T \mathbf{k}_s(x) [\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{x})] dx \quad (3)$$

Where $\mathbf{k}_s(x) = EI(x)$ is the section stiffness matrix.

Answer to the following questions:

1. (10 points) What type of numerical integration method do you propose in order to calculate the above stiffness matrix “numerically exact”? How many integration points should be used with this method and explain why?
2. (20 points) Calculate the “numerically exact” stiffness matrix.
3. (10 points) Is this stiffness matrix the “theoretically exact” stiffness matrix for this tapered beam? Explain why?
4. **Bonus:** Calculate the “theoretically exact” stiffness matrix (10 extra points)

Solution

Part A

Question 1:

- The assumed cubic interpolation functions result in linear curvature and constant axial strain along the member.
- Have well-known issues when it comes to softening
- Generally require a large number of element segments (fine discretization mesh in the inelastic regions) to trace accurately the strain gradient along a member.
- A fine mesh (i.e., more element segments to discretize a member) increase the number of degrees-of-freedom of the problem thereby causing increased computational cost.

Question 2:

The state determination computation is challenging because (a) the flexibility (not stiffness) matrix and (b) the deformation vector that corresponds to the applied forces should be computed.

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Solutions

Part B

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Out[16]= 
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The numerically exact stiffness matrix is:

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Complete matrix

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Evaluating this matrix numerically yields

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As expected, the numerical and analytical stiffness matrices correspond.

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Solutions

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Evaluating this matrix numerically yields

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In[36]:= N[kTheory] // MatrixForm
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Out[36]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{48.6 \text{ ee } i0}{l^3} & -\frac{17.4 \text{ ee } i0}{l^2} \\ -\frac{17.4 \text{ ee } i0}{l^2} & \frac{9. \text{ ee } i0}{l} \end{pmatrix}$$

As expected, the numerical and analytical stiffness matrices correspond.

Solution Q3

- a) ① Bar 1 is the bar that yields
 ② All other bars remain elastic
- } either stated explicitly or implicitly (through assumptions in calculations)

- Force - displacement relationship of bar 1

$$\begin{matrix} F \\ \text{[kN]} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} u_2 \\ \text{[m]} \end{matrix}$$

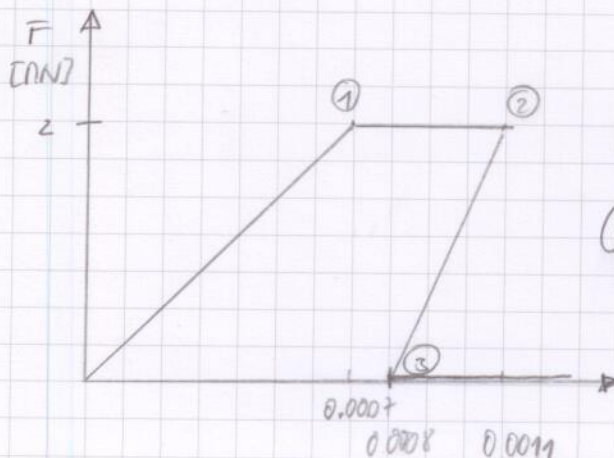
assume: $A = 0.01 \text{ m}^2$

0	③	0	
$A \cdot f_y = 2.0$		$\epsilon \cdot l_1 = 0.002 \cdot 0.1 = 0.0002$	④
$A \cdot f_y = 2.0$		$\epsilon \cdot l_1 = 0.006 \cdot 0.1 = 0.0006$	⑤
0		$\epsilon \cdot l_1 = 0.008 \cdot 0.1 = 0.0008$	⑥

- Elastic deformation of bar 2-4 $\Delta = \epsilon \cdot (l_2 + l_3 + l_4) = \frac{200}{240} \cdot 0.002 \cdot 0.3$
 ⑦ - idea to calculate
 $= 0.0005 \text{ [m]}$

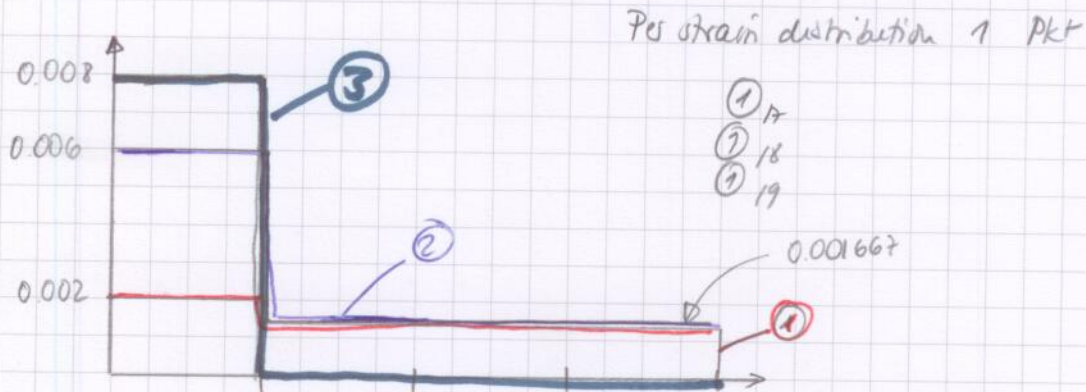
⑧ value correct

	F	$u_5 = u_2 + \Delta$	
	[kN]	[m]	
⑨	0	0 + 0 = 0	
⑩	2	0.0002 + 0.0005 = 0.0007	⑫
⑪	0	0.0006 + 0.0005 = 0.0011	⑬
		0.0008 + 0 = 0.0008	⑭



⑮ sketch correct up to point ②
 ⑯ up to point ②

b) Strain distributions

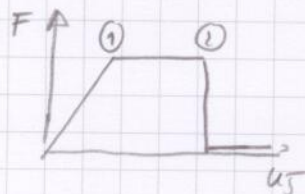


c) Force incrementation method: Up to point 1

< afterwards the force does not increase anymore

d) a) Control node 5:

The curve obtained by controlling node 5 would look as follows:



This means the "snap-back" cannot be captured.

If written: up to point ② : ②

b) Control node 2:

With control node 2 the ^{entire} exact curve could be obtained as the slope of node 2 always increases

②

③

Q3,

a)

16

5)

3

c)

④

d)

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Solution QY

a) $\vec{F} = \begin{Bmatrix} A_x \\ A_y \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -\frac{B\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ +\frac{B\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ P \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$ ②_{1,2} for every incorrect component -0.5

$\vec{F} = \underline{\underline{K}} \cdot \vec{u}$ ①₂

b) $K_{global} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.35 & 0.35 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ & 1.25 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ & & 1.5 & 0.5 & -0.5 & -0.5 \\ & & & 1.5 & -0.5 & -0.5 \\ & \text{sym} & & & 1.5 & 0.5 \\ & & & & & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot 10$ ①₄

$u_{cond} = \begin{Bmatrix} u_2 \\ v_2 \\ u_3 \\ v_3 \\ u_4 \\ v_4 \end{Bmatrix}$

c) Inclined support $u_3 = v_3$ or $u_3 - v_3 = 0$ ②_{5,6}

$K_{penalty} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.35 & 0.35 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ & 1.25 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ & & 1.5+0 & 0.5-0 & -0.5 & -0.5 \\ & & 0.5-0 & 1.5+0 & -0.5 & -0.5 \\ & & & & 1.5 & 0.5 \\ & & & & & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$

correct ④_{7,8} no
every mistake -1

$F_p = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ P \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$ ②_{11,12} support modelled with penalty method → does not show up in force vecs
①₈

$F_p = K_p \cdot u$

$u = \text{inv}(K_p) \cdot F_p$

②_{14,15}

d) Laprange

a) $K_L = \begin{bmatrix} 1.35 & 0.35 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ & 1.35 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ & & 1.5 & 0.5 & -0.5 & -0.5 & 1 \\ & \text{sym} & & 1.5 & -0.5 & -0.5 & -1 \\ & & & & 1.5 & 0.5 & 0 \\ & & & & & 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ (4) 16-20

b) $u_L = \begin{Bmatrix} u_2 \\ v_2 \\ u_3 \\ v_4 \\ \lambda \end{Bmatrix}$ (2) 21, 22

$F = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ P \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$ (1) 23

$u_L = \text{inv}(K_L) \cdot F$ (2) 24, 25

e) $u_3 - \frac{B}{f_2} = [-1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1.5 \ 0.5 \ -0.5 \ -0.5] \cdot 10$

$\begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 9.66 \\ -4 \\ -2 \\ -2 \\ 11.66 \\ -15.66 \end{Bmatrix}$

$= -19.7 \text{ kN}$ (should be 20)

$B = \sqrt{2} \cdot 19.7 = 27.86 \text{ kN}$ (support in compression)

$\Gamma_{v_3}: \frac{B}{f_2} = +20.3 \text{ kN}$

1 correct equation (2) 26, 27

correct result (value) for B (2) 28, 29

sign correct / check that support in comp (1) 30

Q4 a) (3)

c) (11)

e) (5)

b) (1)

d) (10)