

MEQ Geometry cheatsheet

This cheatsheet provides help to beginner users trying to understand MEQ `G` (geometry) structure variable naming. In general, naming follows a strict convention that is explained in `meghelp.m`. For output quantities, see `meqt.m`. Also please consult the [README.md](../README.md) file for more help sources. See also `megg.m`, `vveig.m`

Quantities are part of the `L.G` structure unless specified otherwise.

Computational grids

Variable name	Description
`LY.Fx`	flux on the `x` grid
`LY.Brx`	Radial magnetic field on the `x` grid
`LY.Bzx`	Verical magnetic field on the `x` grid
`LY.Iy`	plasma current on `y` grid
`rx`	r coordinate of `x` grid (computational grid inside limiter)
`zx`	z coordinate of `x` grid (computational grid inside limiter)
`L.nzx`	number of `zx` elements
`L.nrx`	number of `rx` elements
`L.rrx`	r of meshgrid for `rx,zx`
`L.zzx`	z of meshgrid for `rx,zx`
`rz`	r coordinate of `z` grid (extended outside limiter for post-processing)
`zz`	z coordinate of `z` grid (extended outside limiter for post-processing)
`ry`	reduced grid for plasma current: `rx(2:end-1)`
`zy`	reduced grid for plasma current: `zx(2:end-1)`
`Mxx`	mutual indutance between filaments on plasma `x` grid

Magnetic probes

Variable name	Description
`rm`	r position of magnetic field measurement point
`zm`	z position of magnetic field measurement point
`am`	orientation (in rad), positive counterlockwise so that $B_m = \cos(am)*B_r + \sin(am)*B_z$
`Tmm`	Matrix to compose effective probe measurements as linear combinations of ideal ones.
`Bma`	transfer function that gives measured B fields at mag. probes due to currents in active coils $B_m = Bma*I_a$
`Bmx`	same as `Bma` but for `Ix` currents in the plasma grid
`Bmu`	same as `Bma` but for `Iu` passive currents
`dimm`	description string
`nm`	number of probes

Flux loops

Variable name	Description
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`rf`	r position of flux loops	
`zf`	z position of flux loops	
`Tff`	Matrix to compose effective flux measurements as linear combinations of ideal ones.	
`Mfa`	mutual inductance between flux loops and active coils	
(`Mfa*Ia` is flux measured at each loop due to current)		
`Mfv`	mutual inductance between flux loops and filamentary vessel	
`Mfu`	mutual inductance between flux loops and generalized vessel	
`Mfx`	mutual inductance between flux loops and plasma current elements	
`dimf`	flux loop labels	
`nf`	number of flux loops	

Active circuits

Variable name	Description	
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`LY.Ia`	active coil currents	
`Maa`	mutual inductance between active circuits	
`Mav`	mutual inductance between active circuits and vessel filament elements	
`Mau`	mutual inductance between active circuits and generalized vessel	
`Mxa`	mutual inductance between `x` grid and active circuits	
`Mza`	mutual inductance between `z` grid and active circuits	
`Brxa`	matrix such that `Br = Brxa*Ia`. Where `Br` is the radial magnetic field on the `x` grid due to currents in the active circuits	
`Bzxa`	Same as `Brxa` but for vertical component of poloidal field	
`dima`	active coil labels	
`na`	number of active circuits	

Vessel filamentary description

Variable name	Description	
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`LY.Iv`	Vessel filament currents	
`Mvv`	mutual inductance between vessel filaments	
`Rv`	resistance of individual vessel elements	
`rv`	`r` location of filament	
`zv`	`z` location of filament	
`hv`	height of rectangular filament (`dv=NaN`)	
`wv`	width of rectangular filament (`dv=NaN`)	
`dv`	diameter of circular filament (`wv=hv=NaN`)	
`dimv`	description label	

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`LY.Iv`	Vessel filament currents	
`Mvv`	mutual inductance between vessel filaments	
`Rv`	resistance of individual vessel elements	
`rv`	`r` location of filament	
`zv`	`z` location of filament	
`hv`	height of rectangular filament (`dv=NaN`)	
`wv`	width of rectangular filament (`dv=NaN`)	
`dv`	diameter of circular filament (`wv=hv=NaN`)	

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| `dimv` | description label |

## Generalized vessel
| Variable name | Description |
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| `LY.Iu` | generalized vessel currents |
| `Tvu` | matrix such that  $I_v = T_{vu} I_u$  |
| `Tuv` | matrix premultiplying vessel current equation such that
`Muu = Tuv * Mvv * Tvu` (see `vveig.m`) |
| `Mxu` | mutual inductance between `x` grid and vessel currents |
| `Mzu` | mutual inductance between `z` grid and vessel currents |
| `Muu` | mutual inductances for generalized passive currents |
| `Mau` | mutual inductances between generalized passive currents and
active coil currents |
| `Brxu` | matrix such that  $Br = Brxu * I_u$ . Where `Br` is the radial
magnetic field on the `x` grid due to currents in the vessel currents |
| `Bzxu` | same as `Brxu` but for vertical component of poloidal field |
| `Brzu` | matrix such that  $Br = Brzu * I_u$ . Where `Br` is the radial
magnetic field on the `z` grid due to currents in the vessel currents |
| `Bzzu` | same as `Bzxu` but for the vertical component of the poloidal
field |
| `Ru` | resistances for generalized vessel description |
| `dimu` | description label |

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