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# INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

The objective with this report is to present example solutions obtained with the SOLVIA-PRE, SOLVIA and SOLVIA-POST computer programs (the SOLVIA System) that verify and demonstrate their usage. Solutions to nonlinear analyses are presented in this report. Linear example solutions are presented in the companion report SE 99-4.

Since the aim is to compare the analysis results with analytical solutions, relatively small problems are solved, that also allow insight into the results. The analyses reported upon can be directly rerun with version 99.0 of the SOLVIA System. Complete input data for SOLVIA-PRE and SOLVIA-POST is given for each example. All plot pictures created by the input data have been output to Microsoft Word in the PostScript graphical language.

We intend to update this report with further example solutions as we continue our work on the SOLVIA System. If you have any suggestions regarding the example solutions presented in this manual or suggestions on additional problems, we would be glad to hear from you.

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# ELASTIC-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF TRUSS STRUCTURE

#### Objective

To verify the geometric and material nonlinear behaviour of the TRUSS element.

# **Physical Problem**

A three-member truss structure is subjected to a concentrated load as shown in the figure below. The material of the structure is assumed to be elastic-perfectly-plastic. The variation of the applied load with time is also shown in the figure below.  $P_v$  is the limit load considering small displacements only



## **Finite Element Model**

In the finite element model considered, each member is represented by a 2-node elastic-plastic TRUSS element as shown in the top figure on page B1.3. Large displacements are prescribed with stiffness reformation and BFGS equilibrium iterations at every step.

## **Solution Results**

The input data on page B1.4 gives the results as shown in the table below. Due to symmetry, the force in element 1 in element group 1 is the same as in element 2.

	Element group 1 Truss 1	Element group 2 Truss 1
Time	Force [kips]	Force [kips]
1	26.12	52.23
2	52.23	104.45
3	78.35	156.66
4	100.00*	215.17
5	100.00*	300.00*
* Plastic		

A check of equilibrium at time 5 gives, since the displacement in the Y-direction for node 4 is calculated to be 0.327614 inch:

Applied force :  $1.01 \cdot 441.42 = 445.8342$  kips

Internal truss forces in the Y-direction:

$$2 \cdot 100 \cdot \frac{5.327614}{\sqrt{5^2 + 5.327614^2}} + 300 = 445.8342 \text{ kips}$$

The stress-strain solution points for the left and center elements as predicted in the finite element analysis are shown in the right bottom figure on page B1.3. Note that the curves in the figures are drawn as straight lines between the solution points, which may not be the true stress-strain relation if, for example, there is a change from elastic to plastic condition. Deformed mesh and Y-displacement history for node 4 are shown in the left bottom figure on page B1.3.

#### **User Hints**

- The option of large displacements must be used for a physically realistic modeling of the structure. If a material-nonlinear-only analysis is employed, the structure is predicted to become unstable once the left and right elements become plastic since at that state there is no stiffness in the Xtranslational degree-of-freedom at node 4. When large displacements are considered, the analysis proceeds beyond this load point, because the forces in all the members provide a geometric stiffness to the structural model.
- The TRUSS element is formulated for small strain conditions only. Therefore, the area of the TRUSS element is assumed to remain constant during the analysis and Poisson's ratio is not included in the input to the material models. Also, the strain calculated by SOLVIA for the TRUSS element in large displacement analysis is engineering strain and not Green-Lagrange strain. For example, the axial strain in element 2 at time 5 is

$$e = \frac{u}{L} = \frac{0.327614}{5.000000} = 0.06552$$

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## SOLVIA-PRE input

```
HEADING 'B1 ELASTIC-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF TRUSS STRUCTURE'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=001111 NSTEP=5
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENT=LARGE
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 5. 1.01
COORDINATES
1 -5. TO 3 5. / 4 0. 5.
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC E=2.E5 YIELD=100. ET=0.
MATERIAL 2 PLASTIC E=2.E5 YIELD=300. ET=0.
EGROUP 1 TRUSS MATERIAL=1
ENODES / 1 1 4 / 2 3 4
EDATA / 1 1.
EGROUP 2 TRUSS MATERIAL=2
ENODES / 1 2 4
EDATA / 1 1.
*
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 TO 3
LOADS CONCENTRATED
4 2 441.42
MESH VIEW=Z NNUMBERS=YES ENUMBERS=GROUP BCODE=ALL VECTOR=LOAD
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

\* B1 ELASTIC-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF TRUSS STRUCTURE \* DATABASE CREATE WRITE FILENAME='b1.lis' \* SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT MESH VIEW=Z ORIGINAL=DASHED DMAX=1 VECTOR=REACTION SUBFRAME=12 NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 \* EXYPLOT ELEMENT=1 POINT=1 XKIND=ERR YKIND=SRR SYMBOL=1 SUBFRAME=12 EGROUP 2 EXYPLOT ELEMENT=1 POINT=1 XKIND=ERR YKIND=SRR SYMBOL=2 \* ELIST TSTART=1 TEND=5 END

# LARGE AMPLITUDE OSCILLATION OF A PENDULUM

# Objective

To verify the dynamical behaviour of the TRUSS element in large displacement analysis.

# **Physical Problem**

The simple pendulum shown in the figure below is released from a horizontal position at time t=0. The response for one period of oscillation is to be determined.



## **Finite Element Model**

The pendulum is idealized as a TRUSS element capable of large displacements with a concentrated mass at its free end. The trapezoidal rule is employed to obtain the step-by-step response with a time step size of 0.1 second. Full-Newton iterations are performed at each step of the solution. The parameters used for measuring equilibrium iteration force convergence are RTOL=0.0001 and RNORM=98.0 (pendulum weight) where RTOL is the force tolerance and RNORM is the reference load.

# **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B2.4 and B2.5 is used in the finite element analysis. The bottom figure on page B2.3 shows the time history of the angle  $\theta$ , as defined in figure above, and the angular velocity  $\dot{\theta}$ , respectively, as calculated and displayed by SOLVIA-POST. The top figure on page B2.3 shows the time history of the axial force in the truss and the deformed mesh for time 1.0.

The maximum absolute value of the angular acceleration is predicted to be  $3.219 \text{ rad/s}^2$  which can be compared to the theoretical value

$$g/L = 9.8/3.0443 = 3.219 \text{ rad/s}^2$$

The maximum absolute value of the angular velocity is predicted to be 2.50 rad/s (at time 3.1 sec) which can be compared to the theoretical value

$$\sqrt{2g/L} = \sqrt{2 \cdot 9.8/3.0443} = 2.54$$
 rad/s

The maximum axial force in the truss is predicted by SOLVIA to be 292.26 N which can be compared to the theoretical value

 $3 \text{ mg} = 3 \cdot 10 \cdot 9.8 = 294.00 \text{ N}$ 

# User Hints

• To avoid spurious oscillations in the element force, it is important to select a small enough value of the Young's modulus times area for the truss material. In this example, the natural period for vibrations of the mass in the direction of the element is

 $2\pi\sqrt{\text{mL/EA}} = 0.1096 \text{ sec}$ 

which is of the same order as the time step. An  $E \cdot A$ -value of  $1.0 \cdot 10^7$  N, for example, would produce spurious axial force oscillations in the element if the time step is kept the same.

- Note that the load vector input by time functions at the start of the solution (t=0) is not used in SOLVIA, see User Hints for Example A52. In this example, an initial acceleration is therefore prescribed at time t=0.
- SOLVIA-POST has the capability to evaluate a user-supplied arithmetic expression based on the nodal or element results. The results are calculated by SOLVIA referring to the global coordinates and a transformation to a cylindrical coordinate system can be done in SOLVIA-POST.

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# **SOLVIA-PRE** input

```
HEADING 'B2 LARGE AMPLITUDE OSCILLATION OF A PENDULUM'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=001111 NSTEP=45 DT=0.1
ANALYSIS TYPE=DYNAMIC MASSMATRIX=LUMPED METHOD=NEWMARK
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENTS=LARGE
ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON
TOLERANCES TYPE=F RTOL=1.E-4 RNORM=98.
COORDINATES
1 / 2 3.0443
MASSES / 2 10.
INITIAL ACCELERATION / 2 0. -9.8
*
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.E5
*
EGROUP 1 TRUSS
ENODES / 1 1 2
EDATA / 1 1.
*
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1
LOADS MASSPROPORTIONAL YFACTOR=1. ACCGRA=-9.8
*
SOLVIA
END
```

### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B2 LARGE AMPLITUDE OSCILLATION OF A PENDULUM
DATABASE CREATE
TOLERANCES
WRITE FILENAME='b2.lis'
SUBFRAME 21
MESH VIEW=Z NNUMBERS=YES NSYMBOLS=YES ORIGINAL=YES TIME=1.
EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=1 KIND=FR
NPOINT
          NAME=TWO NODE=2
NVARIABLE NAME=DX DIRECTION=1
NVARIABLE NAME=VX DIRECTION=1 KIND=VELOCITY
NVARIABLE NAME=VY DIRECTION=2 KIND=VELOCITY
NVARIABLE NAME=AX DIRECTION=1 KIND=ACCELERATION
NVARIABLE NAME=AY DIRECTION=2 KIND=ACCELERATION
CONSTANT NAME=DEG 180
CONSTANT NAME=L 3.0443
CONSTANT NAME=PI 3.14159
RESULTANT NAME=THETA 'DEG/PI*ASIN((L+DX)/L)'
RESULTANT NAME=ANGVEL 'VX/L*COS(ASIN((L+DX)/L))+VY/L*(L+DX)/L'
RESULTANT NAME=ANGACC 'AX/L*COS(ASIN((L+DX)/L))+AY/L*(L+DX)/L'
*
SUBFRAME 21
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TWO RESULTANTNAME=THETA
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TWO RESULTANTNAME=ANGVEL
RMAX ZONENAME=N2 RESULTANTNAME=THETA NUMBER=5
RMAX ZONENAME=N2 RESULTANTNAME=ANGVEL NUMBER=5
RMAX ZONENAME=N2 RESULTANTNAME=ANGACC NUMBER=5
EMAX
END
```

# ELASTIC BUCKLING OF A CYLINDRICAL PANEL

# Objective

To verify the large displacement behaviour of the PLATE element when subjected to a uniformly distributed loading.

## **Physical Problem**

A cylindrical panel clamped at all four edges, as shown in the figure below, is considered. The panel is subjected to a uniform pressure and the pre- and post-buckling behaviour of the panel is to be determined assuming that the material of the panel remains elastic.



## Finite Element Model

Using symmetry considerations, only one-quarter of the panel is modeled. The finite element model, shown in the left figure on page B3.2, consists of a 4×4×4 mesh of PLATE elements. The maximum pressure load of 0.4 psi is reached in 20 equal load steps. Large displacements are prescribed in the analysis with stiffness reformation and BFGS equilibrium iterations performed at each load step.

## Solution Results

The relation of the central vertical deflection versus the applied loading, as predicted by the finite element model using the input data on page B3.3 is shown in the right figure on page B3.2. The solution of the finite element analysis is in good agreement with the results reported in [1].

# User Hints

- Note that the program treats this instability analysis as a large deflection problem and does not indicate a bifurcation point. The bifurcation would be indicated by a zero determinant, which in practice means a very small positive or negative pivot, due to round-off.
- This analysis can also be performed very effectively using the automatic load step incrementation method in SOLVIA.

## Reference

[1] Dhatt, G., "Instability of Thin Shells by the Finite Element Method", IASS Symp. for Folded Plates and Prismatic Structures, Vienna, 1970.



## SOLVIA-PRE input

```
HEADING 'B3 ELASTIC BUCKLING OF A CYLINDRICAL PANEL'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER NSTEP=20
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENT=LARGE
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 20. 0.4
SYSTEM 1 CYLINDRIC
COORDINATES
 ENTRIES NODE R THETA XL
           NODE K 1...
1 100.90. U.
100.90. 10.
            3 100. 84.27042 10.
            4 100. 84.27042 0.
*
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=4.5E5 NU=0.3
EGROUP 1 PLATE
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=4 EL2=4 SYSTEM=1
EDATA / 1 0.125
LOADS ELEMENT INPUT=ELEMENTS
1 T 1. TO 64 T 1.
+
FIXBOUNDARIES 123456 INPUT=LINE / 2 3 / 3 4
FIXBOUNDARIES 246 INPUT=LINE / 1 2
FIXBOUNDARIES 156 INPUT=LINE / 4 1
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT NSYMBOLS=MYNODES
MESH OUTLINE=YES NNUMBERS=MYNODES BCODE=ALL SUBFRAME=12
MESH VECTOR=LOAD
SOLVIA
END
```

## SOLVIA-POST input

\* B3 ELASTIC BUCKLING OF A CYLINDRICAL PANEL \* DATABASE CREATE WRITE FILENAME='b3.lis' \* SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT OUTLINE=YES MESH DMAX=1 CONTOUR=DZ ORIGINAL=YES VECTOR=REACTION SUBFRAME=12 \* NHISTORY NODE=1 DIRECTION=3 XVARIABLE=1 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 END

## ELASTIC BUCKLING OF AN IMPERFECT SQUARE PLATE

## Objective

To verify the large displacement behaviour of the cubic SHELL element when employed in buckling analysis.

# **Physical Problem**

The square plate considered in the analysis is shown in the figure below. The plate is simply supported on all edges and uniform compressive loads are applied at the two opposite ends.



#### **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model is shown in the left figure on page B2.2. Using symmetry conditions, only one-quarter of the plate is modeled with one cubic SHELL element. The following initial imperfection in geometry is imposed on the plate:

$$Z(X,Y) = \frac{h}{100} \left(1 - \frac{2X}{b}\right) \left(1 - \frac{2Y}{b}\right)$$

The above equation represents a linear approximation to the first buckling mode shape of the perfect plate. The loads are applied in ten equal load steps and a geometrically nonlinear analysis (option DISPLACEMENTS = LARGE) with stiffness reformation and BFGS equilibrium iterations in each step is performed.

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## **Solution Results**

The displacement at the center of the plate versus the applied loading, as predicted by the finite element model using the input data on page B4.3, is shown in the right bottom figure on page B4.2. The analytical buckling load for the perfect plate using [1], p. 352 is given by

 $p_{cr} = 9038 \text{ psi}$ 

The deformed element mesh is also shown in the right figure on page B4.2.

# **User Hints**

- The shape of the initial imperfection in this problem is assumed to be known. In general, the initial imperfection geometry can be automatically generated by SOLVIA as described in Example B44.
- Note that a lower integration order than the default 4×4×2 Gauss integration can produce spurious kinematic modes in the element and, hence, unreliable results.

## Reference

[1] Timoshenko, S.P., and Gere, J.M., <u>Theory of Elastic Stability</u>, 2nd Edition, McGraw-Hill, 1961.



## SOLVIA-PRE input

```
HEADING 'B4 ELASTIC BUCKLING OF AN IMPERFECT SOUARE PLATE'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER NSTEP=10
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENTS=LARGE
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 10. 9040.
*
COORDINATES
1 0. 0. 1.E-4 / 2 1. / 3 1. 1. / 4 0. 1.
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.E8 NU=0.3
EGROUP 1 SHELL
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=1 EL2=1 NODES=16
THICKNESS 1 0.01
LOADS ELEMENT TYPE=FORCE INPUT=LINE
2 3 out -0.01 -0.01
*
FIXBOUNDARIES 36 INPUT=LINE / 3 4 / 2 3
FIXBOUNDARIES 156 INPUT=LINE / 4 1
FIXBOUNDARIES 246 INPUT=LINE / 1 2
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT NSYMBOLS=MYNODES
MESH NNUMBERS=MYNODES BCODE=ALL SUBFRAME=12
MESH EAXES=RST VECTOR=LOAD
SOLVIA
END
```

#### **SOLVIA-POST** input

\* B4 ELASTIC BUCKLING OF AN IMPERFECT SQUARE PLATE \* DATABASE CREATE WRITE FILENAME='b4.lis' \* SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT ORIGINAL=YES MESH CONTOUR=DZ NSYMBOLS=YES DMAX=1 VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=12 NHISTORY NODE=1 DIRECTION=3 SYMBOL=1 XVARIABLE=1 OUTPUT=ALL END

## CANTILEVER BEAM IN CREEP

#### Objective

To verify the PLANE STRESS2 element for material-nonlinear-only analysis using the creep material model.

#### **Physical Problem**

The cantilever beam, shown in the figure below, is subjected to a constant bending moment applied at the tip. The material of the beam is assumed to obey the uniaxial creep law

$$\varepsilon_c = 6.4 \cdot 10^{-18} \cdot \sigma^{3.15} \cdot t$$
 in/in

where  $\sigma$  is measured in psi and t in hours.



#### **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model considered for the analysis consists of eight 8-node PLANE STRESS2 elements as shown in the figure on page B5.2. By restraining the Y-displacement at the neutral axis, only the portion of the beam above the neutral axis is modeled. For the analysis, a step size of ten hours and twenty time steps with BFGS equilibrium iterations in each step is used. For the integration of the creep response the Euler backward method is used, i.e. the parameter  $\alpha$  is set to 1.0, and one subdivision per time step is employed. The finite element stiffness matrices are evaluated using 3×3 Gauss integration.

#### **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B5.3 and B5.4 are used in the finite element analysis. The figure on page B5.3 shows the time history response of the bending stress at element 6, integration point 1 (Y = 18.873, Z = 1.887). The theoretical steady-state value at the same location is

$$\sigma_{yy} = \frac{M}{2b} \frac{2a_1 + 1}{a_1} \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^{\frac{2a_1 + 1}{a_1}} Z^{\frac{1}{a_1}} = 5688psi$$

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The figure on page B5.3 shows the deformed mesh at the time t=200 hours.

# User Hints

- For materially nonlinear analysis it may be important to use higher order Gauss integration and more elements than in linear analysis. In a linear analysis only one 8-node PLANE STRESS element through the thickness of the beam would yield excellent results.
- A variable time step solution of this problem is performed in Example B39.





#### SOLVIA-PRE input

```
HEADING 'B5 CANTILEVER BEAM IN CREEP'
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=20 DT=10.
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-7
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 1. / 200. 1.
COORDINATES
 ENTRIES NODE Y
                     Ζ
           1
                0. 0.
           2
                40. 0.
           3
                40. 2.
           4
                 0.
                    2.
*
INITIAL TEMPERATURES TREF=200.
*
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC-CREEP ISOTROPIC XKCRP=1 TREF=200. ALPHA=1,
             XISUBM=1 A0=6.4E-18 A1=3.15 A2=1.
             0. 3.E7 0.3 3.E7 3.E6 0.
400. 3.E7 0.3 3.E7 3.E6 0.
```

## SOLVIA-PRE input (cont.)

```
EGROUP 1 PLANE STRESS2
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=4 EL2=2 NODES=8
EDATA / 1 0.3
LOADS ELEMENT INPUT=LINE
2 3 0. -7500.
÷
FIXBOUNDARIES 2 INPUT=LINES / 1 2 / 1 4
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=NODES / 1
LOADS TEMPERATURES INPUT=SURFACE
1 2 3 4 200.
*
SUBFRAME 12
MESH NSYMBOLS=MYNODES NNUMBERS=MYNODES BCODE=ALL
MESH EAXES=RST VECTOR=LOAD
*
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

## PIPE WHIP ANALYSIS, DIRECT INTEGRATION SOLUTION

## Objective

To demonstrate the dynamic behaviour of the BEAM and TRUSS elements in elastic-plastic analysis with gap.

# **Physical Problem**

A cantilever pipe, shown in the figure below, is initially at rest and is suddenly subjected to a constant tip load, causing it to impinge onto a restraint.



# Finite Element Model

The pipe is modeled using six BEAM elements and the pipe material is assumed to be elasticperfectly-plastic. The restraint is represented by a TRUSS element with elastic-perfectly-plastic material and a gap width of 3 in. The finite element model used for the analysis is shown in the top figure on page B6.3. The Newmark method is used for the step-by-step direct integration and the response is calculated for one thousand time steps using a time step of 0.0001 sec. Full-Newton iterations with line-search are performed in every step using an energy tolerance of  $1.0 \cdot 10^{-8}$ . A lumped mass matrix assumption is employed in the analysis. The BEAM element stiffness matrices are evaluated using  $5 \times 1 \times 5$  Newton-Cotes integration.

# Solution Results

The tip and mid node responses are shown on pages B6.3 and B6.4. The axial stress in the TRUSS element as a function of time and the variation of the axial stress in element 1 of the pipe are shown in figure on page B6.5. The SOLVIA numerical solution is obtained by using the input data on pages B6.5 and B6.6.

# User Hints

- The characteristics of this problem are that the pipe is very flexible and impinges suddenly onto a relatively stiff restraint. The nonlinearity is due to the gap and the plasticity in the restraint and in the pipe.
- The restraint can also be modeled using a nonlinear elastic material model and the TRUSS element without the gap option if only the first portion of the response (without unloading from the plastic state) is of interest.

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#### **SOLVIA-PRE** input

```
HEADING 'B6 PIPE WHIP ANALYSIS, DIRECT INTEGRATION SOLUTION'
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=001110 NSTEP=1000 DT=1.E-4
ANALYSIS TYPE=DYNAMIC MASSMATRIX=LUMPED METHOD=NEWMARK
ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-8
*
COORDINATES
1 TO 7 360. / 8 360. -24.
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC E=2.698E7 NU=0.3 YIELD=29140 ET=0. DEN=7.18E-4
MATERIAL 2 PLASTIC E=2.990E7 NU=0. YIELD=38000 ET=0. DEN=0.
*
EGROUP 1 BEAM DIM2 RINT=5 SINT=1 TINT=5 MATERIAL=1 RESULT=TABLE
STRESSTABLE 1 111 115 411 415 511 515
SECTION 1 DIMENSION PIPE DO=30. DI=27.75 ISHEAR=1
ENODES
1 8 1 2 TO 6 8 6 7
```

#### SOLVIA-PRE input (cont.)

```
EGROUP 2 TRUSS MATERIAL=2 GAP=YES
ENODES / 1 8 7
EDATA / ENTRIES EL AREA GAPWIDTH
1 25.967 3.
*
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 8
*
LOADS CONCENTRATED
7 2 -6.57E5
*
SET NSYMBOLS=YES VIEW=Z
MESH NNUMBERS=YES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=12
MESH ENUMBERS=YES BCODE=ALL
*
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B6 PIPE WHIP ANALYSIS, DIRECT INTEGRATION SOLUTION
*
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b6.lis'
*
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=7 DIRECTION=2 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
NHISTORY NODE=7 DIRECTION=2 KIND=VELOCITY
*
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=7 DIRECTION=2 KIND=ACCELERATION
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
*
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 KIND=VELOCITY
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 KIND=ACCELERATION
SUBFRAME 21
EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=515 KIND=SRR
EGROUP 2
EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=1 KIND=SRR
NMAX DIRECTION=2
END
```

# PIPE WHIP ANALYSIS, MODE SUPERPOSITION

# Objective

To verify the use of mode superposition in nonlinear analysis.

# **Physical Problem**

A cantilever pipe, shown in the figure below, is initially at rest and is suddenly subjected to a constant tip load, causing it to impinge onto a restraint. The same physical problem is already analyzed in Example B6 using direct integration which serves as a reference solution.



# **Finite Element Model**

The same model as in Example B6 is used, see the top figure of page B7.3. The frequencies and mode shapes are calculated based on the initial configuration using the subspace iteration method. The mode shapes are employed in the nonlinear time integration using the modified Newton method with the energy tolerance  $1.0 \cdot 10^{-8}$ .

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The model has 6 nodes with translational lumped masses in two directions. The 6 lowest bending mode shapes are of interest here. The axial mode shapes give no contribution to the response since the load acts in the transverse direction. The first run is based on 8 modes, which include all the 6 bending modes with frequencies from 8.4 Hz to 553 Hz. The time step is then selected to  $10^{-4}$  sec which gives about 18 steps per highest period.

The second run with 2 modes was performed with the time step  $0.25 \cdot 10^{-3}$  sec giving about 80 steps per highest period. The time step is shorter than in a conventional linear modal superposition because of the nonlinearities due to impact and plasticity.

## **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B7.8 and B7.9 is used in the finite element analysis with 8 modes. The shapes of the first 2 modes are shown in the bottom figure on page B7.3.

The tip and mid node responses (displacements, velocities, accelerations) predicted in the analysis are shown in the figures on pages B7.4 and B7.5. The axial stress in the TRUSS element as a function of the axial strain and the variation of the axial stress in element 1 of the pipe are also shown in the bottom figures on page B7.5.

We note that almost the same response as in the reference solution given in Example B6 is obtained. It is not possible to obtain exactly the same solution using modal superposition with a constant set of mode shapes. The actual mode shapes change somewhat during the solution since the stiffness varies due to development of plasticity.

The solution with 2 modes is approximate, see pages B7.6 and B7.7. It displays, however, the main characteristics of the response. The tip response of the pipe and the axial stress response in the restraint are in good agreement with the reference solution.

## **User Hints**

- The mode superposition solution is very effective when only a few modes need to be used to represent the response to sufficient accuracy. The pipe whip example solved here is such a case.
- Note that the mode shapes of the linear structure (corresponding to time 0) are used in the mode superposition solution. The mode shapes satisfy

$$^{\circ}\mathbf{K} \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{i} = \omega_{i}^{2} \mathbf{M} \boldsymbol{\varphi}_{i}$$

When 2 modes are employed the response is calculated using

$$^{t}\mathbf{U}=\sum_{i=1}^{2}\alpha_{i}(t)\varphi_{i}$$

where  $\alpha_i(t)$  are time dependent coefficients evaluated in the solution. In essence, therefore, a two degree-of-freedom finite element model is considered with the displacement assumptions  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  but all elastic-plastic nonlinearities of the pipe and the restraint based on the displacement assumption are included in the analysis.

• In nonlinear mode superposition analysis only modified Newton equilibrium iteration is available.

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```
HEADING 'B7 PIPE WHIP ANALYSIS, MODE SUPERPOSITION, 8 MODES'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=001110 NSTEP=1000 DT=1.E-4
FREQUENCIES SUBSPACE-ITERATION NEIG=12 SSTOL=1.E-10
ANALYSIS TYPE=DYNAMIC MASSMATRIX=LUMPED IMODS=1 NMODES=8
ITERATION METHOD=MODIFIED-NEWTON
TOLERANCES ETOL=1E-8
*
COORDINATES
1 TO 7 360. / 8 360. -24.
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC E=2.698E7 NU=0.3 YIELD=29140 DENSITY=7.18E-4
MATERIAL 2 PLASTIC E=2.990E7 NU=0. YIELD=38000 ET=0. DEN=0.
EGROUP 1 BEAM DIM2 RINT=5 SINT=1 TINT=5 MATERIAL=1 RESULT=TABLE
STRESSTABLE 1 111 115 411 415 511 515
SECTION 1 DIMENSION PIPE DO=30. DI=27.75 ISHEAR=1
ENODES / 1 8 1 2 TO 6 8 6 7
EGROUP 2 TRUSS MATERIAL=2 GAP=YES
ENODES / 1 8 7
EDATA / ENTRIES EL AREA GAPWIDTH
1 25.967 3.
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 8
LOADS CONCENTRATED
7 2 -6.57E5
-4-
MESH VIEW=Z NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=YES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=12
MESH VIEW=Z NSYMBOLS=YES BCODE=ALL
SOLVIA
END
```

### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B7 PIPE WHIP ANALYSIS, MODE SUPERPOSITION, 8 MODES
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b7.lis'
FREQUENCIES
SET RESPONSETYPE=VIBRATION ORIGINAL=YES VIEW=Z
MESH NSYMBOL=YES TIME=1 SUBFRAME=12
MESH NSYMBOL=YES TIME=2
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=7 DIRECTION=2 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
NHISTORY NODE=7 DIRECTION=2 KIND=VELOCITY
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=7 DIRECTION=2 KIND=ACCELERATION
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 KIND=VELOCITY
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 KIND=ACCELERATION
*
SUBFRAME 21
EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=515 KIND=SRR
EGROUP 2
EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=1 KIND=SRR
END
```

## CYCLIC LOADING OF PLASTIC TRUSS, ISOTROPIC HARDENING

### Objective

To verify the behaviour of the 3-node TRUSS element in MNO (Materially-Nonlinear-Only) analysis using the plastic isotropic hardening material model.

# **Physical Problem**

A bar subjected to an axial force as shown in the figure below is considered. The material of the bar is assumed to obey an elastic-plastic material law with isotropic hardening.



### Finite Element Model

The finite element model consists of one 3-node TRUSS element and the element stiffness matrix is evaluated using 2-point Gauss integration. The applied force is cyclicly varied to obtain plastic response both in tension and compression of the truss. Stiffness reformation and BFGS equilibrium iterations are performed at every time step.

### **Solution Results**

The input data on page B8.3 is used in the finite element analysis. The figure on page B8.2 shows the stress-strain response in the TRUSS element predicted in the analysis as displayed by SOLVIA-POST. A hand calculation shows that the response predicted by SOLVIA agrees with the analytical solution of the model.

# User Hints:

- To model this example, of course, only a 2-node truss and 1-point Gauss integration need be employed. The results for the 2 Gauss points used are exactly the same and the midnode displacement is exactly half of the displacement at the end node.
- It is important to use the BFGS or the full Newton method of equilibrium iteration in this example. The modified Newton method of iteration does not converge at unloading in this example from plastic to elastic conditions, and has difficulty to converge when loading from elastic to plastic conditions.



```
HEADING 'B8 CYCLIC LOADING OF PLASTIC TRUSS, ISOTROPIC HARDENING'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=101111 NSTEP=9
TIMEFUNCTION 1

      0.
      0.
      /
      1.
      2.0
      /
      2.
      4.0

      3.
      4.6
      /
      4.
      -2.3
      /
      5.
      -4.6

      6.
      -5.0
      /
      7.
      2.5
      /
      8.
      5.0

 9. 5.8
*
COORDINATES
 1 TO 3 0.1.
+
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC ISOTROPIC E=2.E11 YIELD=4.E8 ET=2.E10
*
EGROUP 1 TRUSS
ENODES / 1 1 3 2
EDATA / 1 0.01
*
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1
LOADS CONCENTRATED
3 2 1.E6
SOLVIA
END
SOLVIA-POST input
```

\* B8 CYLIC LOADING OF PLASTIC TRUSS, ISOTROPIC HARDENING \* DATABASE CREATE \* WRITE FILENAME='b8.lis' \* SUBFRAME 21 EXYPLOT EL=1 POINT=1 XKIND=ERR YKIND=SRR OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 NHISTORY NODE=3 DIRECTION=2 XVARIABLE=1 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 END

# CYCLIC LOADING OF PLASTIC TRUSS, KINEMATIC HARDENING

### Objective

To verify the behaviour of the 3-node TRUSS element in MNO (Materially-Nonlinear-Only) analysis using the plastic kinematic hardening material model.

### **Physical Problem**

Same as in Example B8.

### **Finite Element Model**

Same as in Example B8 except that the material of the TRUSS element assumes an elastic-plastic kinematic hardening material law and other time function values.

### **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B9.2 is used in the finite element analysis. The figure below shows the stressstrain response at one integration point of the TRUSS element during the load history in the finite element analysis as displayed by SOLVIA-POST. A hand calculation shows that the response predicted by SOLVIA agrees with the analytical solution of the model.



```
HEADING 'B9 CYCLIC LOADING OF PLASTIC TRUSS, KINEMATIC HARDENING'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=101111 NSTEP=9
TIMEFUNCTION 1

      0.
      0.
      /
      1.
      2.0
      /
      2.
      4.0

      3.
      4.6
      /
      4.
      -1.7
      /
      5.
      -3.4

      6.
      -4.4
      /
      7.
      1.8
      /
      8.
      3.6

 9. 3.8
*
COORDINATES
 1 TO 3 0.1.
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC KINEMATIC E=2.E11 YIELD=4.E8 ET=2.E10
*
EGROUP 1 TRUSS
ENODES / 1 1 3 2
EDATA / 1 0.01
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1
LOADS CONCENTRATED
3 2 1.E6
+
SOLVIA
END
```

#### **SOLVIA-POST** input

\* B9 CYLIC LOADING OF PLASTIC TRUSS, KINEMATIC HARDENING \* DATABASE CREATE \* WRITE FILENAME='b9.lis' \* SUBFRAME 21 EXYPLOT EL=1 POINT=1 XKIND=ERR YKIND=SRR OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 NHISTORY NODE=3 DIRECTION=2 XVARIABLE=1 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 END

### CABLE UNDER GRAVITY LOAD

#### Objective

To verify the large displacement behaviour of the TRUSS element and demonstrate the modeling of analyses of cables.

#### **Physical Problem**

A cable stretched between a ground anchor point and a tower attach point, see figure below, is considered. The cable has a cluster of 6 insulators attached to a point in the middle portion and 3 insulators attached to the lower portion. The weight of each insulator is 510 lbs. The initial prestress of the cable is 7520 lbs and the self weight is 0.106667 lb/in.



#### **Finite Element Model**

The figure on page B10.3 shows the finite element model. It consists of twelve 2-node TRUSS elements. The insulators are attached as concentrated masses at the nodes 2, 4, 6 and 8. The material model for the TRUSS elements is linear elastic and a large displacement analysis is prescribed.

# Solution Results

The input to SOLVIA-PRE and SOLVIA-POST are shown on pages B10.5 and B10.6. The Full Newton method of equilibrium iteration is used. The energy tolerance is set to  $\text{ETOL} = 1.0 \cdot 10^{-5}$ . The gravity loading is applied in 5 equal load steps. The calculated deformed configuration and the displacements for node 8 in the Y- and Z-direction are given in figures on page B10.4. We note that the cable stiffens as the gravity load is increased. For analytical verification we select the following results as typical:

Node	Displacements (inch)		Deformed Coordinates (inch)	
	У	Z	у	Z
7	215.746	-248.196	3421.8026	2613.7601
8	242.152	-275.898	4132.1693	3196.6091
9	199.365	-226.344	4949.6183	4014.0711

Element	Truss Internal Force (lbs)		
7	22843.5		
8	24975.0		

Using the above solution the following internal TRUSS element forces can be calculated theoretically:

Element 7:

$$F_7 = F_p + \left(\frac{l_7}{L_7} - l\right) EA = 22844 \text{ (lbs)}$$

where

 $F_p$  = initial prestress,

 $l_7 = final length,$ 

 $L_7$  = original length,

Element 8:

$$F_8 = F_p + \left(\frac{l_8}{L_8} - 1\right) EA = 24975 \text{ (lbs)}$$

The fifth digit is uncertain due to the number of digits in the listed results. Considering this accuracy it is concluded that the calculated values for  $F_7$  and  $F_8$  agree with the corresponding SOLVIA results.

By projecting the SOLVIA calculated internal forces for elements 7 and 8 onto the vertical (z) axis it can be seen that equilibrium is satisfied in the vertical direction for node 8.

### User Hints

- The initial prestress in the TRUSS elements is important since it provides stiffness in the lateral direction for the elements in a large displacement analysis. Without the prestress the stiffness matrix in this example would be singular and no solution would be possible. See also Example B51.
- The steady-state solution for gravity loading is considered a static load case in SOLVIA. The lumped masses of the model are assembled and only used to calculate the corresponding concentrated weight forces (using the acceleration of gravity).
- The internal forces and the stresses in the TRUSS elements are calculated using the small strain assumption, but large displacements and rotations are included in the large displacement formulation.

Hence, here the area of a TRUSS element remains constant and the element strain is equal to

(final length) - (original length) (original length)

• In a stiffening problem it may be necessary to use force tolerances in combination with the energy tolerance during the equilibrium iterations. Small variations in displacement increments may give relatively large variations in unbalance forces.





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```
HEAD 'B10 CABLE UNDER GRAVITY LOAD'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=5
ANALYSIS TYPE=STATIC MASSMATRIX=LUMPED
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENT=LARGE
TOLERANCES EF ETOL=1.E-5 RTOL=1.E-2 RNORM=500.
ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0.0. / 5.1.
*
COORDINATES
ENTRIES NODE Y Z
1 0. 0.
               0. 0.

306.049 273.201

977.988 873.022

1649.927 1472.843

2086.012 1862.123

2522.097 2251.404

3206.057 2861.956
            2
           3
           4
           5
           б
                          2861.956
           7
                3206.057
                3890.017 3472.507
           8
                                     ТΟ
               8191.200 7312.050
          13
MASSES
              510.
 2 0. 510.
 4 0. 510.
               510.
 6 0. 510. 510.
 8 0. 3060. 3060.
*
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.9E7 DENSITY=0.295476
EGROUP 1 TRUSS
ENODES / 1 1 2 TO 12 12 13
EDATA
ENTRIES EL AREA INIT-STRAIN
          1 0.361 1.09637E-3 TO 12 0.361 1.09637E-3
*
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 13
LOADS MASSPROPORTIONAL ZFACTOR=-1. ACCGRA=1.
MESH VIEW=X NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=YES SUBFRAME=21
MESH VIEW=X NSYMBOLS=YES ENUMBERS=YES BCODE=ALL GSCALE=OLD
*
SOLVIA
END
```

### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B10 CABLE UNDER GRAVITY LOAD
*
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b10.lis'
*
MASS-PROPERTIES
*
SET VIEW=X
CONTOUR AVERAGE=NO
MESH NSYMBOLS=YES CONTOUR=FR
MESH ORIGINAL=YES DEFORMED=NO TEXT=NO AXES=NO GSCALE=OLD,
       NSYMBOLS=YES SUBFRAME=OLD
*
SUBFRAME 21
NHISTORY NODE=8 DIRECTION=2 SYMBOL=1
NHISTORY NODE=8 DIRECTION=3 SYMBOL=1
*
NLIST
ELIST
GLIST
÷
SUMMATION KIND=LOAD
SUMMATION KIND=REACTION DETAILS=YES
END
```

#### **RUBBER SHEET IN LARGE STRAIN ANALYSIS**

### Objective

To verify the large displacement and large strain behaviour of the PLANE STRESS2 element employing the rubber model.

#### **Physical Problem**

A rubber sheet subjected to a uniform end load, see figure below, is considered. The material is assumed to be of the Mooney-Rivlin type, for which experiments by Iding [1, 2] gave  $C_1 = 21.605 \text{ lb./in.}^2$ ,  $C_2 = 15.747 \text{ lb./in.}^2$ 



#### **Finite Element Model**

By symmetry only one half of the rubber strip need be modeled, see figure on page B11.2. Thirtythree 4-node PLANE STRESS2 elements are used and the end loading is applied as concentrated forces.

#### Solution Results

The final total end load of 41.80 lb. is reached in 4 equal load steps using modified Newton iteration and stiffness reformation for every step. The tolerance is ETOL=1.E-5. The input data used are shown on pages B11.4 and B11.5.

Note that the scale for the displacements is the same as for the geometry. The end displacements corresponding to the load steps are shown in the top figure on page B11.3 and good agreement with experimental results by Iding is obtained. A contour plot of the maximum principal stretch and a vector plot of the principal stretches in the YZ-plane are also shown in the figure.

The stress in the Y-direction is shown as a function of the Green-Lagrange strain for element 11, integration point 1 in the left bottom figure on page B11.3. The stress distributions at sections A-A and B-B are shown in the right bottom figure on page B11.3, respectively. These stress distributions are also shown as displayed by SOLVIA-POST.

# **User Hints**

- The modified Newton iteration method is quite economical to use in this example, since nonlinearities monotonically soften the structure. However, the nonlinearities are very significant.
- Using 8-node PLANE STRESS2 elements much less elements could be used in the model for an accurate response prediction.

### References

- [1] Iding, R.H., "Identifications of Nonlinear Material by Finite Element Methods", Report UC SESM 73-4, Department of Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, Jan., 1973.
- [2] "NONSAP A Structural Analysis Program for Static and Dynamic Response of Nonlinear Systems", Report UC SESM 74-3, Department of Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, February 1974.





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```
HEADING 'B11 RUBBER SHEET IN LARGE STRAIN ANALYSIS'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=4
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENTS=LARGE STRAINS=LARGE
ITERATION METHOD=MODIFIED-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-5
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0.0. / 4.20.9
*
COORDINATES / ENTRIES NODE Y Z

1 / 2 11.11 TO 5 11.11 1.5 TO 7 9.09 1.5

8 8.08 1.54 / 9 7.07 1.58 / 10 6.06 1.66

11 5.05 1.8 / 12 4.04 2.0 / 13 3.03 2.28

14 2.02 2.76 / 15 1.01 3.42 / 16 0. 4.46
LINE NODES 2 5 / 3 4
LINE NODES 5 16 / 6 TO 15
*
MATERIAL 1 RUBBER C1=21.605 C2=15.747
EGROUP 1 PLANE STRESS2
GSURFACE 1 2 5 16 EL1=11 EL2=3 NODES=4
EDATA / 1 0.125
FIXBOUNDARIES 23 INPUT=LINE / 1 16
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=LINE / 1 2
LOADS CONCENTRATED
 2 2 .16666667
 3 2 .33333333
 4 2 .33333333
 5 2 .16666667
*
SET NSYMBOLS=MYNODES
SUBFRAME 12
MESH NNUMBERS=MYNODES ENUMBERS=YES BCODE=ALL
MESH CONTOUR=DISTORTION
SOLVIA
END
```

### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B11 RUBBER SHEET IN LARGE STRAIN ANALYSIS
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='bll.lis'
SUBFRAME 12
MESH ORIGINAL=DASHED CONTOUR=LPMAX OUTLINE=YES
MESH VECTOR=STRETCH
*
EPLINE NAME=A-A
2 4 3 STEP 11 TO 24 4 3
EPLINE NAME=B-B
10 2 1 STEP 11 TO 32 2 1
*
AXIS ID=1 VMIN=0 VMAX=250 LABEL='STRESS-YY'
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT
FRAME
MESH PLINES=ALL SUBFRAME=1122
ELINE LINENAME=A-A KIND=SYY SYMBOL=1 YAXIS=1 SUBFRAME=2121
ELINE LINENAME=B-B KIND=SYY SYMBOL=1 YAXIS=1 SUBFRAME=2221
SUBFRAME 12
NHISTORY NODE=2 DIRECTION=2 SYMBOL=1
EXYPLOT ELEMENT=11 POINT=1 XKIND=EYY YKIND=SYY SYMBOL=-2
ZONE NAME=BB INPUT=ELEMENTS / 10 21 32
SET ZONENAME=BB
NLIST
ELIST
ELIST SELECT=STRETCH
EMAX SELECT=STRETCH
GLIST E32
GLIST E32 TSTART=0
END
```

# LARGE DISPLACEMENT ANALYSIS OF A SPHERICAL SHELL

# Objective

To verify the PLANE AXISYMMETRIC element in large displacements.

# **Physical Problem**

A spherical shell subjected to a concentrated apex load, see figure below, is considered. This problem is also analyzed in Example B65 using the AUTOMATIC-ITERATION method.



# Finite Element Model

Due to symmetry only one-half of the spherical shell is modelled using ten 8-node PLANE AXISYM-METRIC elements as shown in the figure on page B12.2. The nodes at the apex can only slide in the vertical (Z) direction. At the built-in end the top and bottom nodes can slide in the c-direction of the skew system and the midnode is fixed in b- and c-direction.

# Solution Results

The input data used in the analysis is shown on pages B12.4 and B12.5. The final total apex load is 100 lbs which is reached in 20 equal load steps using Full-Newton iterations.

The deformed mesh for load step 20 is shown in the top figure on page B12.3. The central deflection as function of the applied apex load for 1 radian is shown in the left bottom figure on page B12.3. The history of the element stress  $\sigma_{r}$  at integration point 7, which is closest to the bottom surface and to the built-in end, is shown in the same figure. The element r-axis is in the  $\theta$ -direction of the shell.

The apex point load as a function of the deflection ratio  $W_0$  / H is shown in the right bottom figure on page B12.3.

# User Hints

• The PLANE AXISYMMETRIC element extends 1 radian in the circumferential direction. The total apex load of 100 lbs applied to the actual shell is, therefore, represented by a load of  $100/2\pi$  applied to the model.

### References

- Stricklin, J.A., "Geometrically Nonlinear Static and Dynamic Analysis of Shells of Revolution", High Speed Computing of Elastic Structures, Proceedings of the Symposium of IUTAM, Univ. of Liege, August, 1970.
- [2] Mescall, J.F., "Large Deflections of Spherical Shells Under Concentrated Loads", J. App. Mech., Vol. 32, pp. 936-938, 1965.





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```
HEADING 'B12 LARGE DISPLACEMENT ANALYSIS OF A SPHERICAL SHELL'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=20
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENT=LARGE
TOLERANCES TYPE=F RTOL=0.001 RNORM=15.92
ITERATION FULL-NEWTON
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 20. 15.92
*
SYSTEM 1 CYLINDRICAL
COORDINATES
ENTRIES NODE R THETA
            1 4.76788 90.
2 4.75212 90.
3 4.75212 79.10 TO
5 4.76788 79.10
*
SKEWSYSTEM EULERANGLES
1 -10.9
NSKEWS / 3 1 TO 5 1
*
MATERIAL 1. ELASTIC E=1.E7 NU=0.3
EGROUP 1 PLANE AXISYMMETRIC
GSURFACE 5 1 2 3 EL1=10 EL2=1 NODES=8 SYSTEM=1
+
FIXBOUNDARIES 2 INPUT=LINES / 1 2 / 3 5
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=NODES / 4
LOADS CONCENTRATED
1 3 -1.
*
SET NSYMBOLS=MYNODES HEIGHT=0.25 SMOOTHNESS=YES
MESH NNUMBERS=MYNODES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=12
MESH NAXES=SKEW ENUMBERS=YES BCODE=ALL
SOLVIA
END
```

# SOLVIA-POST input

\* B12 LARGE DISPLACEMENT ANALYSIS OF A SPHERICAL SHELL

DATABASE CREATE STRESSREFERENCE=ELEMENT

WRITE FILENAME='b12.lis'

MESH ORIGINAL=DASHED SMOOTHNEES=YES VECTOR=LOAD

SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT SUBFRAME 12 NHISTORY NODE=1 DIRECTION=3 XVARIABLE=1 SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=7 KIND=SRR XVARIABLE=1 OUTPUT=ALL END

~

# ELASTIC-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER

## Objective

To verify the PLANE AXISYMMETRIC element for material nonlinear analysis using the thermoelastic-plastic material model subjected to loading, unloading and reloading conditions.

### **Physical Problem**

A section of a very long thick-walled cylinder under internal pressure loading at constant temperature, see figure below, is considered. The material is elastic - perfectly plastic.



Elastic - perfectly plastic material Plane strain conditions von Mises yield condition

$$E = 2.0 \cdot 10^{11} \text{ N/m}^{2}$$

$$v = 0.3$$

$$E_{T} = 0.0 \quad \text{N/m}^{2}$$

$$\alpha = 0.0 \quad 1/^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$\sigma_{y} = 400.0 \cdot 10^{6} \quad \text{N/m}^{2} \text{ at } 20^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$\sigma_{y} = 352.4 \cdot 10^{6} \quad \text{N/m}^{2} \text{ at } 50^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$\sigma_{y} = 320.6 \cdot 10^{6} \quad \text{N/m}^{2} \text{ at } 150^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$\sigma_{y} = 293.8 \cdot 10^{6} \quad \text{N/m}^{2} \text{ at } 250^{\circ}\text{C}$$

# **Finite Element Model**

The model is shown in the figure on page B13.2. Ten 8-node PLANE AXISYMMETRIC elements are employed for the unit length of cylinder considered. The axial strain is assumed to be zero.

# **Solution Results**

The input data is shown on pages B13.4 and B13.5. The internal pressure is increased under constant temperature of 20°C to a maximum value of  $311.78 \cdot 10^6$  N/m<sup>2</sup> with an unloading-reloading sequence at 277.14  $\cdot 10^6$  N/m<sup>2</sup>. The stiffness is reformed at every load step. The BFGS method of equilibrium iteration (default) is employed with tolerance ETOL =  $10^{-6}$ .

The radial displacement solution for the nodes at the outer radius and the stress distribution through the wall at the pressure  $288.22 \cdot 10^6$  N/m<sup>2</sup> are shown in the figures on page B13.3. Excellent agreement with the solution by Hodge and White [1] is achieved.

## User Hints

- A drastic change in stiffness for the plastic elements occurs at the instant of unloading and solution difficulties can develop if the modified Newton method of iteration is used. However, the BFGS method of iteration, which is the default iteration method, can handle unloading situations successfully and is, therefore, employed.
- The thermo-elastic-plastic material model can be employed for elasto-plastic analysis ( $\alpha=0, \Delta\theta=0$ ) as shown here, but the bilinear elastic-plastic material would be more efficient.

## Reference

[1] Hodge, P.E. and White, S.H., "A Quantitative Comparison of Flow and Deformation Theories of Plasticity", Journal of Applied Mechanics, Vol. 17, pp. 180-184, 1950.





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B13.3

```
HEADING 'B13 ELASTIC-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=38 DT=0.5
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-6
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 6. 277.14E6 / 11. 0.
17. 288.22E6 / 19. 311.78E6
COORDINATES
ENTRIES NODE Y Z
                0.01 0.01
          1
              0.01 0.
           2
               0.02 0.
           3
               0.02 0.01
           4
*
INITIAL TEMPERATURE TREF=20.
*
MATERIAL 1 THERMO-PLASTIC TREF=20
 20 2.0E11 0.3 400.0E6 0. 0.
 50 2.0E11 0.3 352.4E6 0. 0.
150 2.0E11 0.3 320.6E6 0. 0.
 250 2.0E11 0.3 293.8E6 0. 0.
*
EGROUP 1 PLANE AXISYMMETRIC
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=1 EL2=10 NODES=8
LOADS ELEMENT INPUT=LINE
121.
*
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=LINE / 2 3 / 1 4
LOADS TEMPERATURE TREF=20.
SET NSYMBOLS=MYNODES MARGIN=2.0
MESH NNUMBERS=MYNODES ENUMBERS=YES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=21
MESH EAXES=RST GSCALE=OLD
*
SOLVIA
END
```

B13.4

## SOLVIA-POST input

\* B13 ELASTIC-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER
\*
DATABASE CREATE
TOLERANCES
\*
WRITE FILENAME='b13.lis'
\*
EPLINE NAME=RADIAL
1 6 5 4 TO 10 6 5 4
\*
SUBFRAME 21
ELINE LINENAME=RADIAL KIND=SXX TIME=17 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1
ELINE LINENAME=RADIAL KIND=SYY TIME=17 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1
\*
SUBFRAME 21
ELINE LINENAME=RADIAL KIND=SZZ TIME=17 OUTPUT=ALL
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 XVARIABLE=1 SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL
END

# THERMO-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER

# Objective

To demonstrate the thermo-elastic-plastic analysis capability of the PLANE AXISYMMETRIC element.

### **Physical Problem**

The physical problem is the same as in Example B13 shown on page B13-1, but the cylinder is now subjected to the pressure and uniform temperature load variation shown in figure below.



### **Finite Element Model**

The model is the same as shown on page B13-2.

# **Solution Results**

The input data is shown on pages B14.3 and B14.4. The same solution procedure as for the previous Example B13 is used. The radial displacement response for the nodes on the outer radius and the residual stresses at time=10 are shown on page B14.2.

# **User Hints**

• The nodal temperatures can be specified directly by the user (as in this example) or they can be read from a file, which may have been generated in a temperature analysis using SOLVIA-TEMP. Example B38 shows how a combined thermal analysis (using SOLVIA-TEMP) and a thermal stress analysis (using SOLVIA) may be carried out.



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B14.2

```
HEADING 'B14 THERMO-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=40 DT=0.5
ITERATION METHOD=BFGS
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-3
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 1. 173.2E6 / 4. 242.5E6 / 8. 242.5E6
9. 240.2E6 / 10. 0. / 12. 0. / 13. 240.2E6
20. 277.1E6 / 25. 277.1E6
+
TIMEFUNCTION 2
 0. 20. / 4. 20. / 8. 100.
 10. 100. / 12. 50. / 25. 50.
*
COORDINATES / ENTRIES NODE Y Z
1 0.01 0.01 / 2 0.01 / 3 0.02 / 4 0.02 0.01
*
MATERIAL 1 THERMO-PLASTIC TREF=20

      20
      2.0E11
      0.3
      400.0E6
      0.
      0.

      50
      2.0E11
      0.3
      352.4E6
      0.
      0.

      150
      2.0E11
      0.3
      320.6E6
      0.
      0.

      200
      2.0E11
      0.3
      293.8E6
      0.
      0.

EGROUP 1 PLANE AXISYMMETRIC
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=1 EL2=10 NODES=8
LOADS ELEMENT INPUT=LINE
1 2 1.1.1
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=LINE / 2 3 / 1 4
23/14
INITIAL TEMPERATURES TREF=0. INPUT=SURFACE
1234 20.
LOADS TEMPERATURE INPUT=SURFACE
1 2 3 4 1. 1. 1. 1. 2
*
SOLVIA
END
```

## SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B14 THERMO-PLASTIC ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER
*
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b14.lis'
EPLINE NAME=RADIAL
1 6 5 4 TO 10 6 5 4
*
SUBFRAME 21
ELINE RADIAL KIND=SXX TIME=10 OUTPUT=ALL
ELINE RADIAL KIND=SYY TIME=10 OUTPUT=ALL
*
SUBFRAME 21
ELINE RADIAL KIND=SZZ TIME=10 OUTPUT=ALL
NHISTORY NODE=4 DIRECTION=2 XVARIABLE=1 SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL
*
ELIST
SUMMATION KIND=REACTION
END
```
# **EXAMPLE B15**

# CYCLIC CREEP ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER

#### Objective

To verify the creep material model when employed with PLANE AXISYMMETRIC elements.

#### **Physical Problem**

The figure below shows the thick-walled cylinder which is to be analyzed for cyclic internal pressure. The pressure is varied as shown in the figure. Plane strain conditions are assumed. The material of the cylinder is assumed to obey a uniaxial creep law of the form

$$\epsilon_c = 6.4 \cdot 10^{-18} \cdot \sigma^{4.4} \cdot t$$



# **Finite Element Model**

The model is shown in the top figure on page B15.3. It consists of eight PLANE AXISYMMETRIC 8-node elements.

# Solution Results

The input data is shown on pages B15.4 and B15.5. The BFGS method of equilibrium iteration is used with tolerance ETOL = 0.0001 and the stiffness matrix is reformed at every step. The creep rate equation is integrated using 10 subdivisions and the Euler forward method.

The left bottom figure on page B15.3 shows the effective stress at the element integration points closest to the inside and outside surfaces of the cylinder. The solution results compare well with the steady state solution reported by Bailey [1].

The right bottom figure on page B15.3 shows the von Mises stress distribution in the cylinder in the last solution step and the radial displacement history of the inner cylinder radius.

# User Hints

- The explicit method of integrating the creep equation requires a subdivision of the time step into sufficiently small increments for stability reasons. The implicit integration schemes can display considerably better stability characteristics, but then also iterations are used at the integration points for the creep strains.
- The time step  $\Delta t$  is here selected using the "rule of thumb" that the maximum creep strain increment must be smaller than  $1/a_1 = 1/4.4$  of the current elastic strain.

# Reference

[1] Finnie, I., and Heller W.R., <u>Creep of Engineering Materials</u>, McGraw-Hill, 1959, p. 208.



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### **SOLVIA-PRE** input

```
HEADING 'B15 CYCLIC CREEP ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=48 DT=0.1
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-4
ITERATION METHOD=BFGS
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 365. / 2.2 365.
2.6 -365. / 10. -365.
TIMEFUNCTION 2
0. 1. / 100. 1.
*
COORDINATES / ENTRIES NODE Y Z
1 .16 .1 / 2 .16 / 3 .25 / 4 .25 .1
4
INITIAL TEMPERATURES TREF=100.
+
MATERIAL 1, PLASTIC-CREEP XKCRP=1 TREF=100. ALPHA=0.,
             A0=6.4E-18 A1=4.4 A2=1.
             70. 2.E7 0.3 8.E7 2.E6 0.
             100. 2.E7 0.3 8.E7 2.E6 0.
*
EGROUP 1 PLANE AXISYMMETRIC
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=1 EL2=8 NODES=8
LOADS ELEMENT INPUT=LINE
1 2 1.1.1
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=LINE / 2 3 / 1 4
LOADS TEMPERATURES INPUT=SURFACE
1 2 3 4 100. 100. 100. 100. 2
MESH NSYMBOLS=MYNODES NNUMBERS=MYNODES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=21
MESH ENUMBERS=YES BCODE=ALL
*
SOLVIA
END
```

# SOLVIA-POST input

B.15 CYCLIC CREEP ANALYSIS OF A THICK-WALLED CYLINDER \* \* DATABASE CREATE WRITE FILENAME='b15.lis' AXIS ID=1 VMIN=0. VMAX=4.8 LABEL='TIME IN HOURS' AXIS ID=2 VMIN=0. VMAX=1200. LABEL='EFFECTIVE STRESS' + SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=9 KIND=MISES XAXIS=1 YAXIS=2, SYMBOL=2 SSKIP=1 EHISTORY ELEMENT=8 POINT=1 KIND=MISES XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-2, SUBFRAME=OLD OUTPUT=ALL \* MESH CONTOUR=MISES SUBFRAME=12 NHISTORY NODE=1 DIRECTION=2 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1 SSKIP=2 END

# **EXAMPLE B16**

#### LARGE DISPLACEMENT ANALYSIS OF A PLATE

#### Objective

To verify the SHELL element for large displacement analysis.

#### **Physical Problem**

A simply supported square plate subjected to uniform pressure load, see figure below, is considered. The plate material is linear elastic.



#### **Finite Element Model**

Because of symmetry conditions only 1/4 of the plate need be modeled, see top figure on page B16.3. One 16-node SHELL element is used. Constraint equations are used to model uniform in-plane edge displacements.

### Solution Results

The input data is shown on page B16.4. The loading is applied in 22 load steps up to the final pressure q = 3.125 psi. For every load step the stiffness is reformed and the BFGS method of equilibrium iteration is employed with tolerance ETOL =  $1.10^{-8}$ .

The computed center deflection ratio w/h as a function of the load parameter K is shown in the figure on page B16.2. The computed displacement response agrees very closely with the solution given by Levy [1]. The deformed shape corresponding to the final load step and center deflection as a function of the pressure are shown in the left bottom figure on page B16.3.

A contour plot of the vertical displacement and a vector plot of the principal stresses are shown in the right bottom figure on page B16.3.

#### **User Hints**

• The large displacement response of shells generally involves severe nonlinearities because the structure, initially only in bending action, is subjected to increasing membrane action with increasing load. This results into a stiffening effect. The BFGS method is generally quite effective for these types of problems. If difficulties are encountered in the convergence of iteration, then the powerful full Newton iteration with line searches can be employed.

#### Reference

[1] Levy, S., "Bending of Rectangular Plates with Large Deflections", Technical Notes, National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, No. 846, 1942.





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#### SOLVIA-PRE input

```
HEADING 'B16 LARGE DISPLACEMENT ANALYSIS OF A PLATE'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER NSTEP=20 DT=0.05
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENTS=LARGE
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-8
ITERATION METHOD=BFGS
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
 0. 0. / 1. 3.125
COORDINATES
1 0.12. TO 4 TO 7 12. / 8 12.12.
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.E7 NU=0.316228
EGROUP 1 SHELL
GSURFACE 1 4 7 8 EL1=1 EL2=1 NODES=16
THICKNESS 1 0.12
LOADS ELEMENT
1 -T 1.
*
FIXBOUNDARIES 36 INPUT=LINE / 1 4 / 4 7
FIXBOUNDARIES 156 INPUT=LINE / 7 8
FIXBOUNDARIES 246 INPUT=LINE / 8 1
CONSTRAINTS
 1 1 4 1 1. TO 3 1 4 1 1.
5 2 4 2 1. TO 7 2 4 2 1.
*
MESH NSYMBOLS=MYNODES NNUMBERS=MYNODES VECTOR=LOAD,
 BCODE=ALL TIME=1.0
SOLVIA
END
SOLVIA-POST input
```

```
* B16 LARGE DISPLACEMENT ANALYSIS OF A PLATE
*
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b16.lis'
*
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT
SUBFRAME 12
MESH ORIGINAL=DASHED NSYMBOLS=MYNODES VECTOR=REACTION
NHISTORY NODE=8 DIRECTION=3 XVARIABLE=1 SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL
*
SUBFRAME 12
MESH CONTOUR=DZ
MESH VECTOR=SPRINCIPAL
*
SUMMATION KIND=REACTION
SUMMATION KIND=LOAD
END
```

# EXAMPLE B17

## THERMO-ELASTIC ANALYSIS OF A CANTILEVER BEAM

#### Objective

To verify the thermo-elastic material model when used with SOLID elements.

# **Physical Problem**

A cantilever beam is subjected to a linearly varying temperature distribution in the Z-direction, see figure below. No other loads are applied to the beam. The same physical problem is also analyzed in Example B38, but using temperatures calculated by SOLVIA-TEMP.



Reference temperature =  $125^{\circ}F$ 

#### **Finite Element Model**

Since the problem is anti-symmetric with respect to the neutral axis of the beam, only the portion above the neutral axis is modeled, see figure on page B17.2. Three 20-node SOLID elements are used.

#### Solution Results

The input data is shown on pages B17.3 and B17.4. The analysis is carried out for material nonlinearities only. The analytical solution for the vertical displacement component using the theory given, for example, in [1], is

 $w = -Y^2 \cdot 1.5 \cdot 10^{-4} (in)$ 

The vertical displacement component at the free end of the beam, Y = 6 (in), is:

Theory	SOLVIA (node 1)		
$-5.400 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$-5.400 \cdot 10^{-3}$		

An excellent agreement can be observed. The deformed mesh and contour lines of temperature are shown in the figure on page B17.3. Note that the maximum displacement given in the figure is the maximum total displacement, not the maximum component displacement.

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# User Hints

- The thermo-elastic material model allows Young's modulus E, Poisson's ratio v and the mean coefficient of thermal expansion α to vary as a function of temperature. The material model is considered nonlinear since the resulting stiffness matrix, in general, is dependent on the applied temperature loading. However, no equilibrium iterations are necessary except in analysis with one (or both) of the two conditions:
  - 1) The stiffness matrix is not reformed in every step.
  - 2) The model accounts for large displacement effects.
- The reference temperature TREF is the temperature for which the thermal stresses are zero. Note that TREFN serves as the reference temperature for the mean value of the coefficient of thermal expansion  $\alpha$ .
- Since the theoretical displacement solution varies quadratically in the X- and Y-directions, the 20node SOLID element can describe the displacement field exactly. Therefore, since the beam is free to bend in both the X- and Y-directions, the stresses are zero everywhere.
- The problem can also be modeled using BEAM or ISOBEAM elements since these elements accept thermal gradient loadings in the transverse directions.

## Reference

[1] Boley, B.A., and Weiner, J.H., <u>Theory of Thermal Stresses</u>, John Wiley and Sons, 1960, pp. 307-314.





#### **SOLVIA-PRE** input

```
HEADING 'B17 THERMO-ELASTIC ANALYSIS OF A CANTILEVER BEAM'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=000111
COORDINATES
 1 0.6.0.5 /
                  2
                     0. 0. 0.5
   0. 6. 0. / 4
1. 0 0
                    1. 6. 0.5
 3
                 6 0. 0. 0.
 5
 7
               / 8 1.6.0.
MATERIAL 1 THERMO-ELASTIC TREF=125.
              70 3.E7 0.3 6.E-6
             200 3.E7 0.3 6.E-6
*
EGROUP 1 SOLID
GVOLUME 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 EL1=3 EL2=1 EL3=1 NODES=20
*
FIXBOUNDARIES 12 INPUT=SURFACE / 2 3 7 6
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=LINE / 6 7
FREEBOUNDARIES 13 INPUT=LINE / 2 6 / 3 7
FIXBOUNDARIES 12 INPUT=SURFACE / 5 6 7 8
LOADS TEMPERATURE TREFN=125 INPUT=ZONE INTERPOLATION=Z,
COORD1=0. V1=0. COORD2=0.5 V2=25 ZONE1=WHOLE
MESH NSYMBOLS=MYNODES NNUMBERS=MYNODES BCODE=ALL
SOLVIA
END
```

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# SOLVIA-POST input

\* B17 THERMO-ELASTIC ANALYSIS OF A CANTILEVER BEAM \* DATABASE CREATE \* WRITE FILENAME='b17.lis' \* MESH CONTOUR=TEMPERATURE ORIGINAL=YES \* NLIST ZONENAME=EL1 END

# **EXAMPLE B18**

## ANALYSIS OF AN UNDERGROUND OPENING

### Objective

To demonstrate the use of the curve description material model in a simplified analysis of an underground opening.

### **Physical Problem**

A tunnel through a rock mass, see figure below, is considered. The walls of the tunnel are reinforced with rock bolts. The rock material is assumed to have constant Young's modulus and Poisson's ratio.



#### **Finite Element Model**

The model is shown in the left top figure on page B18.3. The rock is modeled using 8-node PLANE STRAIN elements and the rock bolts by 2-node TRUSS elements. The pressure due to the overburden rock material is simulated by element pressure loads. The curve description model is employed to describe the rock material. The tensile failure option is used with material density  $\gamma = 0.12 \text{ kip/ft}^3$ , and shear reduction factor = 0.00099. Both the tensile stress and the shear stress are, therefore, reduced to zero for a crack, i.e. when any principal tensile stress exceeds the in-situ gravity stress at an integration point.

# Solution Results

The input data is shown on pages B18.4 and B18.5. A materially-nonlinear-only analysis is carried out in eleven steps using the full Newton iteration with line search. The final overburden pressure reached in the analysis is 30 kip/ft<sup>2</sup> and the corresponding distribution of Tresca effective stress and of the hydrostatic pressure (negative mean stress) are shown in the bottom figure on page B18.3.

The displacement histories at two characteristic locations are shown in the right top figure on page B18.3.

# User Hints

• When cracks form in a finite element model using the curve description material model (or the concrete model) the stiffness generally changes drastically. Depending on the in-situ gravity pressure the change in stresses associated with the formation of a crack may also be significant. These effects generally result into a considerable redistribution of stresses due to cracking.

It is, therefore, important to take small enough load steps whenever cracks are forming in order to avoid solution difficulties.

• Note that the in-situ gravity pressure p<sub>i</sub> at the nodes is calculated using

 $p_i = \gamma \cdot Z_i$ 

where  $Z_i$  is the nodal Z-coordinate. The stress corresponding to this gravity pressure is not included in the calculated stresses which are output from SOLVIA. It is, however, taken into account when the bulk and shear moduli are determined and in the criteria for cracking.



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#### SOLVIA-PRE input

```
HEADING 'B18 ANALYSIS OF AN UNDERGROUND OPENING'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=11
ITERATION FULL-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES
TIMEFUNCTION 1
 0. 0. / 1. 20. / 11. 30.
COORDINATES / ENTRIES NODE Y Z
 1 60. -116. / 2 60. -104. / 3 32. -60. TO 7 32. -76. TO
 9 32. -86. TO 11 32. -94. TO 13 32. -104. TO 15 32. -116.
16 48. -60. TO 20 48. -76. TO 22 48. -86. / 23 43.75 -89.75
24 40. -94. / 25 37.75 -98.75 / 26 36. -104. TO 28 36. -116.
29 60. -60. TO 33 60. -76. TO 35 60. -80. / 36 53.75 -82.5
NGENERATION NSTEP=34 YSTEP=-32. / 3 TO 15
LINE NODES 3 15 / 4 TO 14
LINE NODES 16 28 / 17 TO 27
LINE NODES 16 22 / 17 TO 21
LINE NODES 29 35 / 30 TO 34
LINE NODES 37 49 / 38 TO 48
LINE NODES 35 22 / 36
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC E=4.32E6 YIELD=1.44E4 ET=0.
MATERIAL 2 CURVE-DESCRIPTION ICRACK=2 GAMMA=0.12 STIFAC=1.E-3,
               SHEFAC=9.9E-4
  .0 1.44E4 1.44E4 2.16E4 / .01 1.44E4 1.44E4 2.16E4
.05 1.44E4 1.44E4 2.16E4 / .1 1.44E4 1.44E4 2.16E4
.5 1.44E4 1.44E4 2.16E4 / 1. 1.44E4 1.44E4 2.16E4
EGROUP 2 PLANE STRAIN MATERIAL=2
GSURFACE 37 49 15 3 EL1=6 EL2=2 NODES=8
GSURFACE 3 15 28 16 EL1=6 EL2=1 NODES=8
GSURFACE 16 22 35 29 EL1=3 EL2=1 NODES=8
GSURFACE 26 28 1 2 EL1=1 EL2=2 NODES=8
LOADS ELEMENT INPUT=LINES
37 29 1.0
EGROUP 1 TRUSS MATERIAL=1
ENODES / 1 22 9 / 2 22 20 / 3 35 33
EDATA / 1 2.1E-3 1.E-3 TO 3 2.1E-3 1.E-3
FIXBOUNDARIES 23 INPUT=NODES / 47 TO 49
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=LINES / 49 15 / 15 28 / 28 1
FIXBOUNDARIES 2 INPUT=LINES / 1 2 / 35 29
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT NSYMBOLS=MYNODES VIEW=X
MESH NNUMBERS=MYNODES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=12
MESH ENUMBERS=EG1 BCODE=ALL OUTLINE=YES NSYMBOL=EG1
SOLVIA
END
```

# SOLVIA-POST input

\* B18 ANALYSIS OF AN UNDERGROUND OPENING \* DATABASE CREATE WRITE FILENAME='b18.lis' \* SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT SUBFRAME 12 NHISTORY NODE=35 DIRECTION=3 XVARIABLE=1 SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL NHISTORY NODE=26 DIRECTION=3 XVARIABLE=1 SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL \* SET VIEW=X ORIGINAL=DASHED OUTLINE=YES SET PLOTORIENTATION=LANDSCAPE MESH CONTOUR=TRESCA SUBFRAME=21 MESH CONTOUR=SMEAN \* END

# **EXAMPLE B19**

### **REINFORCED CONCRETE BEAM, PLANE STRESS**

#### Objective

To demonstrate the concrete material model in plane stress analysis and the modeling of reinforced concrete.

#### **Physical Problem**

A simply supported reinforced concrete beam subjected to two symmetrically applied concentrated loads as shown in the figure below is considered. The steel reinforcement is located 2.06 in. from the bottom surface of the beam.



#### **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model used is shown in the figures on page B19.4. Using symmetry conditions only one-half of the structure need to be considered. Forty 8-node PLANE STRESS elements are used to model the concrete of the beam and ten 3-node TRUSS elements are used to model the reinforce-

ment. In addition, three vertical TRUSS elements are used at the left end support of the beam to distribute the support force. The material properties of the concrete are idealized using the concrete material model. The material of the steel bars is modeled as elastic-plastic with strain hardening. The solution is obtained by using the AUTOSTEP method and full Newton iteration with line searches.

# **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B19.9 and B19.10 is used in the finite element analysis.

Krahl et al. [1] analyzed the development of cracks in reinforced concrete beams subjected to pure moment. Using a simplified stress-strain law for the concrete and excluding the tension stiffening effect after tensile cracking the critical (collapse) load was found to be approximately 10 kips for the beam in this example with reinforcement area 0.62 in<sup>2</sup>. Suidan and Schnobrich [2] presented a finite element solution of the same beam using the simplified stress-strain law for the concrete.

The SOLVIA solution results can be seen on pages B19.5 and B19.6. The collapse load of the beam is calculated by the model to be 10.5 kips. The SOLVIA solution compares well with the results found in [1] and [2].

The top figure on page B19.5 shows the formation of cracks as contour and vector plots for the last load step of the analysis. The bottom figures on page B19.5 show the midspan deflection of the beam as a function of the load together with typical stress-strain curves for the concrete material in tension and compression and the elastic-plastic response curve from the steel reinforcement.

The figures on page B19.6 show the stress and strain variations along typical lines in the concrete and along the reinforcement bar. It can be seen that the tensile stresses along the line SECTION are small due to cracking. The distribution of axial strain along the line BAR in the reinforcement and along the line ABOVE in the concrete shows a concentration of strain in the line portion located under the load application.

An analysis was also carried out for the beam when the reinforcement area is  $A_{st} = 2.0 \text{ in}^2$  and corresponding results are shown on pages B19.7 and B19.8. The analysis is stopped because of crushing of the concrete under the load application. Since the reinforcement remains elastic strain concentration due to cracking is avoided.

# **User Hints**

- The solution of concrete problems can be difficult, due to the sudden nonlinearities that take place as a result of cracking and crushing of the material. The overall structural nonlinearities are more pronounced when only small amounts of steel reinforcements are used in the structure.
- When the structure is lightly reinforced the effect of the nonlinearities can be sudden and significant strain redistributions can occur for each load increment. Note that cracking is associated with a negative slope in the so-called tension stiffening portion of the uniaxial stress and strain relation for concrete. If enough cracking takes place in a structure the total tangent stiffness matrix may also be negative so that local maxima (and minima) may occur in the force-displacement response. Conventional iteration methods can then not be used and the AUTOMATIC-ITERATION method need then be tried, unless a remodelling is performed.

- The redistribution of strain during cracking can be mesh and path dependent. While some integration points may show strain concentration, thus in simplified words move along the uniaxial stress and strain curve with decreasing stress for increasing strain (the tension stiffening portion), other integration points may unload with decreasing stress and strain. This possibility of different stress unloading paths when cracking has occurred can cause numerical difficulties.
- In reinforced concrete analysis it may in many cases be important to make a relatively coarse mesh so that the overall structural behaviour is described rather than all the details. The amount of details in the complex world of reinforced concrete analysis can be overwhelming and can, if included in the model, very well make the solution difficulties insurmountable in practice.
- It is often of interest to verify the concrete material parameters by running uniaxial tension and compression tests using a single element and compare the produced stress-strain curves with experimental curves, if available. It is particularly important to verify the effect of the chosen values for  $\sigma_c / \varepsilon_c$  and  $\sigma_u / \varepsilon_u$  on the uniaxial compression curve.
- Convergence of the equilibrium iterations is often improved by specifying as large values for KAPPA, SHEFAC and the equilibrium tolerances as are technically reasonable.
- In case of severe difficulties in obtaining a converged solution one may often gain insight in the behaviour of the model by running an analysis with very small load steps and without equilibrium iterations, see command EQUILIBRIUM-ITERATION in the SOLVIA-PRE Users Manual.

#### References

- [1] Krahl, N.W., Khachaturian, M., and Seiss, C.P., "Stability of Tensile Cracks in Concrete Beams", ASCE, J. Struct. Div., Feb. 1967, pp. 235-254.
- [2] Suidan, M., and Schnobrich, W., "Finite Element Analysis of Reinforced Concrete", ASCE, J. Struct. Div., Vol. 99, No. ST10, Oct. 1973.





B19.4







B19.6







B19.8

#### **SOLVIA-PRE** input

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            FDECREASE=0.1 FRESTART=0.1 TMAX=24
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GLINE 7 11 EL=4 NODES=3
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GLINE 2 3 EL=1 NODES=3
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FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=NODES / 2
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MESH BCODE=ALL
MESH ENUMBERS=EG1 SUBFRAME=12
MESH EG2 ENUMBERS=YES
*
SOLVIA
END
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#### SOLVIA-POST input

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MESH VECTOR=CRACK-NORMALS
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SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT
SUBFRAME 12
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EGROUP 2
EXYPLOT ELEMENT=7 POINT=1 XKIND=ERR YKIND=SRR
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MESH PLINE=BAR SUBFRAME=13
ELINE BAR KIND=SRR
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EGROUP 1
EPLINE SECTION
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MESH PLINE=SECTION SUBFRAME=13
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ELINE SECTION KIND=EYY
EPLINE ABOVE
18 1 4 7 STEP -1 TO 13 1 4 7
36 1 4 7 STEP -1 TO 33 1 4 7
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ELINE ABOVE KIND=SYY
ELINE ABOVE KIND=EYY
MESH PLINE=ABOVE SUBFRAME=13
ELINE ABOVE KIND=SYZ
ELINE ABOVE KIND=EYZ
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EGROUP 2 / ZONE NAME=STEEL INPUT=ELEMENTS / 1 TO 10
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ELIST ZONENAME=CONCRETE SELECT=BASICS
ELIST ZONENAME=STEEL
END
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# **EXAMPLE B20**

# CONCRETE MATERIAL CURVES IN COMPRESSION

# Objective

To verify the uniaxial and biaxial compression characteristics of the SOLVIA concrete material model.

# **Physical Problem**

In a classical paper by Kupfer et al. [1], concrete specimens of dimension  $20 \times 20 \times 5$  cm were subjected to stress combinations in the regions of biaxial compression, compression-tension and biaxial tension. In this example the SOLVIA concrete material model is compared with the test results of Kupfer et al. in the biaxial compression and compression-tension regions including uniaxial compression.

## **Finite Element Model**

One 4 node PLANE STRESS2 element is used for the uniaxial case and one 8 node SOLID element is used in the other analyses. The biaxial loading is applied as element pressure in the global Y- and Z-directions. The X-direction is stress-free.

Kupfer et al. analyzed three types of concrete with an unconfined uniaxial compressive strength of 190, 315 and 590 kp/cm<sup>2</sup>.

The material data used in this example is based on the experimental results for the concrete with the compressive strength  $315 \text{ kp/cm}^2$ . All material parameters are shown on the pages with input data and include:

$\tilde{\sigma}_{c} = -315 \text{ kp/cm}^2$	uniaxial compressive strength
$\tilde{\epsilon}_{c} = -0.0021$	adjusted uniaxial strain value corresponding to the compressive strength
$\tilde{\sigma}_{u} = -280 \text{ kp/cm}^2$	ultimate compressive stress
$\tilde{\epsilon}_u = -0.0031$	corresponding ultimate strain
$E_{o} = 325000 \text{ kp/cm}^{2}$	Young's modulus
v = 0.2	Poisson's ratio
$\tilde{\sigma}_t = 28.35 \text{ kp/cm}^2$	uniaxial tensile strength (-0.09 $\cdot \tilde{\sigma}_{c}$ )

The parameters of the failure surface in compression when  $\sigma_{xx} = 0$  are:

SP311=1.0	$\sigma_{zz}$ / $\widetilde{\sigma}_{c}$	when	$\sigma_{yy}$	= 0
SP312=1.24	$\sigma_{zz}/\widetilde{\sigma}_{c}$	when	$\sigma_{_{yy}}$	$= 0.5 \cdot \sigma_{zz}$
SP313=1.15	$\sigma_{zz}$ / $\widetilde{\sigma}_{c}$	when	$\sigma_{_{yy}}$	$=\sigma_{zz}$

The experimental failure envelope and the failure envelope used in SOLVIA are shown below together with the four stress load paths used in the calculations.



The Automatic-Iteration method is used to trace the pre- and post-crushing behaviour of the concrete model. Force tolerance is used in the equilibrium iterations with RNORM = 1 and RTOL = 0.001. The finite element model is shown in the top left figure on pages B20.4 to B20.7 for the analysis cases.

# Solution Results

The first analysis is the uniaxial case with loading only in the Z-direction and the input data used is shown on pages B20.8 and B20.9. A plane stress finite element model, see top left figure on page B20.4, was employed but the 3D model with a SOLID element would yield the same results. The stress response in the load direction as a function of the strain in the same direction and the strain in the transverse direction are shown in the top right figure on page B20.4. The symbols show the corresponding experimental results from [1].

The stress in the load direction is also shown as a function of the volumetric strain  $e_{xx} + e_{yy} + e_{zz}$  (left bottom figure). The agreement with the experimental results of [1] shown as symbols is good up to 80-90 % of the concrete compressive strength. At this load level microcracks start to form in the experiment which is accompanied with a significant increase of the volumetric strain.

The strain in the load direction as a function of the volumetric strain is shown in the right bottom figure of page B20.4 together with the corresponding experimental values. A constant Poisson's value gives a linear relationship as obtained in the analysis. In the experiment the relationship is linear up to the load level 80-90% of the compressive strength where microcracks start to develop.

In the analysis case B20A equal biaxial compressive loading is used, see the input data on pages B20.10 and B20.11 and the figures on page B20.5. The top right figure shows  $\sigma_{zz}$  as a function of the strain  $e_{zz}$  and  $e_{xx}$ . The X-direction has no applied pressure. The strain response in the Y-direction is equal to the strain response in the Z-direction, as it should, see the left bottom figure. The volumetric strain response is shown in the right bottom figure. In all three figures the corresponding experimental

results are shown as symbols and the response earlier calculated in the uniaxial case is also shown for comparison. Good agreement with the experimental values can be seen up to 80-90% of the compressive strength. Higher load levels result again in a significant increase in the experimental volumetric strain which cannot be reproduced since Poisson's ratio is constant in the analysis.

In the analysis case B20B the compressive loading in the Y-direction is 0.52 times the loading in the Z-direction, see the input data on pages B20.12 and B20.13 and the response figures on page B20.6. The strain responses  $e_{zz}$  and  $e_{xx}$  are shown in the top right figure and  $e_{zz}$  and  $e_{yy}$  in the left bottom figure together with the corresponding experimental results plotted as symbols. The volumetric strain response is shown in the right bottom figure. The corresponding uniaxial strain responses as earlier calculated are shown in the three figures for comparison. Good agreement between the calculated and the experimental values can again be seen up to the load level of 80-90% of the compressive strength.

In the analysis case B20C the Y-direction load is -0.103 times the compressive loading in the Z-direction. The Y-direction load is then in tension. The input data is shown on pages B20.14 and B20.15 and the response figures on page B20.7. The experimental results are marked as symbols in the figures and the uniaxial curves have been included for comparison. The calculations stopped when the failure surface was reached at  $\sigma_{yy} = 17.1 \text{ kp} / \text{ cm}^2$  and  $\sigma_{zz} = -166.3 \text{ kp} / \text{ cm}^2$ . Failure was reached in the experiment when  $\sigma_{zz} = -194 \text{ kp} / \text{ cm}^2$ .

# Reference

[1] Kupfer, H., Hilsdorf, H.K. and Rusch, H., "Behaviour of Concrete Under Biaxial Stress", Title No. 66-52, ACI Journal, Aug. 1969.







B20.5



B20.6





#### SOLVIA-PRE input

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EDATA / 15.
LOADS ELEMENT / 1 S 1. 1.
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FIXBOUNDARIES 3 / 3 4
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#### Juqni TSOQ-AIVJO2

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B20.10

#### Juqni TSO4-AIVJO2

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#### tuqni TSOQ-AIVJO2

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HEADING 'B20C CONCRETE MATERIAL CURVES, COMPRESSION-TENSION,
-0.103*SZZ=SYY'
+
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=000111 NSTEP=100 DT=1.
AUTOMATIC-ITERATION NODE=1 DIRECTION=3 DISPLACEMENTS=-5.E-4,
                    DISPMAX=0.072 CONTINUATION=YES ALFA=0.8
TOLERANCES TYPE=F RNORM=1 RTOL=0.0001
*
+
COORDINATES
1 0 10 20 / 2 0 0 20 / 3 5 0 20 / 4 5 10 20
 5 0 10 0 / 6 0 0 0 / 7 5 0 0 / 8 5 10 20
*
MATERIAL 1 CONCRETE E0=325000 NU=0.2 SIGMAT=28.35,
             SIGMAC=-315 EPSC=-0.0021 SIGMAU=-280 EPSU=-0.0031,
             BETA=0.5 KAPPA=15. STIFAC=0.0001 SHEFAC=0.5,
             SP311=1.0 SP312=1.24 SP313=1.15
4
EGROUP 1 SOLID
ENODES
1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
LOADS ELEMENT
1 R -0.103 -0.103 -0.103 -0.103
1 T 1. 1. 1. 1.
FIXBOUNDARIES 1 / 1 2 5 6
FIXBOUNDARIES 2 / 2 3 6 7
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 / 5 6 7 8
VIEW ID=1 XVIEW=1 YVIEW=1 ZVIEW=0.5
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT VIEW=1 NSYMBOLS=YES BCODE=ALL
MESH NNUMBERS=YES VECTOR=LOAD EAXES=RST
*
SOLVIA
END
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END 2 XYXI2=-5 KYXI2=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD SYMBOL=-4 NREKCURVE PLOT ₫ X¥XI2=-5 K¥XI2=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD SYMBOL=-3 NZEKCNKAE PLOT PLOT USERCURVE 2 XAXIS=-2 YAXIS=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD PLOT USERCURVE 1 XAXIS=-2 YAXIS=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD EXABLOL EL=1 POINT=1 XKIND=EYY YKIND=SZZ XAXIS=-2 YAXIS=-3 SUBF=OLD EXYPLOT EL=1 POINT=1 XKIND=EZZ YKIND=SZZ XAXIS=2 YAXIS=3 9 VYXIS=-J XYXIS=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD SYMBOL=-4 **USERCURVE** PLOT NRERCURVE 4 XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD SYMBOL=-3 PLOT USERCURVE 2 XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD PLOT PLOT USERCURVE 1 XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-3 SUBFRAME=OLD EXADPOL ET=1 DOINT=J XKIND=EXX KKIND=ZZZ XYXIZ=-J XYXIZ=-3 SNBE=OFD EXALFOL ET=I DOINL=I XKIND=EZZ AKIND=2ZZ XYXI2=J AVXI2=3 SET DIAGRAM-GRID PLOTORIENTATION-PORTRAIT TEA ¥ SORT=NO / READ B20EXTE2.DAT SORT=NO / READ B20EXTE3.DAT 9 NREKCURVE S **USERCURVE** TAG SAFCURVE I SORT=NO / READ B20UNIE1.DAT USERCURVE 2 SORT=NO / READ B20UNIE1.DAT USERCURVE 4 SORT=NO / READ B20EXTE1.DAT USERCURVE 4 SORT=NO / READ B20EXTE1.DAT ¥ .0=XAMV 007-=NIWA 8 SIXA LABEL='STRESS-ZZ' 2 VMIN-YARX ONA ZZ-NIARTS'=LEBEL=0.002 LABEL='STRAIN 2Z-NIARTS' SIXA 1 VMIN-0.004 VMAX=0.002 LABEL='STRAIN-ZZ AND STRAIN-XX' SIXA ¥. ELIST SELECT=CONCRETE WRITE 'B20C.LIS' DATABASE CREATE \* B20C CONCRETE MATERIAL CURVES IN COMPRESSION, -0.103\*SZZ=SYY

# **EXAMPLE B21**

# LARGE DEFLECTION ANALYSIS OF A SHALLOW ARCH

### Objective

To verify the large displacement behaviour of the ISOBEAM beam element and demonstrate the restart option in static analysis.

## **Physical Problem**

A shallow arch subjected to a concentrated apex load, as shown in the figure below, is considered.



# Finite Element Model

The finite element model is shown in the figure on page B21.2. Using symmetry conditions, four cubic ISOBEAM elements are used to model one half of the structure. The apex load is applied in seventeen equal load steps and the restart option is employed after the first eight steps. Stiffness reformations and BFGS equilibrium iterations are employed for each load step.

### **Solution Results**

The input data on page B21.4 is used for the first eight load steps and the input data on page B21.5 is used in the restart finite element analysis.

The predicted apex displacement in the analysis is in good agreement with results reported in [1].

The top figure on page B21.3 shows the deformed mesh at load step 8 and load step 17. The left bottom figure on page B21.3 shows the mid-span deflection history and the reaction moment history at the build-in end.

The right bottom figure shows the history of the element axial stress closest to the mid-span and the history of the element shear stress closest to the built-in end.

### **User Hints**

- Note that few changes are required in the input data for a restart solution and that the SOLVIA restart file, SOLVIA08.DAT, is always saved after an analysis, and available for a restart analysis.
- Results at all time steps are available in the SOLVIA-POST database since DATABASE RESTART causes the restart results to be added to the SOLVIA-POST database with results from the first run.

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### Reference

[1] Bathe, K.J., and Bolourchi, S., "Large Displacement Analysis of Three-Dimensional Beam Structures", Int. J. Num. Meth. Eng., Vol. 14, 1979, pp. 961-986.



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```
HEADING 'B21 LARGE DEFLECTION ANALYSIS OF A SHALLOW ARCH'
*
    First analysis
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100011 MODEX=EXECUTE NSTEP=8 TSTART=0
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENT=LARGE
ITERATION METHOD=BFGS
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-6
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0.0. / 20. 20.
*
SYSTEM 1 CYLINDRICAL
COORDINATES / ENTRIES NODE R THETA
1 133.114 90. / 2 133.114 82.6603
3 130. 90.
*
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.E7 NU=0.2
*
EGROUP 1 ISOBEAM
SECTION 1 SDIM=0.1875 TDIM=1.
GLINE N1=1 N2=2 AUX=3 EL=4 NODES=4 SYSTEM=1
FIXBOUNDARIES 24 / 1
FIXBOUNDARIES 234 / 2 3
LOADS CONCENTRATED
1 3 -1.
*
SET VIEW=X NSYMBOLS=MYNODES SMOOTHNESS=YES
MESH NNUMBERS=MYNODES VECTOR=LOAD SUBFRAME=12
MESH EAXES=RST BCODE=ALL
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

\* B21 LARGE DEFLECTION ANALYSIS OF A SHALLOW ARCH
\*
\* First analysis
\*
DATABASE CREATE
END

```
HEADING 'B21A LARGE DEFLECTION ANALYSIS OF A SHALLOW ARCH'
*
* Restart analysis
*
DATABASE OPEN
MASTER MODEX=RESTART NSTEP=9 TSTART=8
*
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B21A LARGE DEFLECTION ANALYSIS OF A SHALLOW ARCH
*
*
   Restart analysis
*
DATABASE RESTART
WRITE FILENAME='b21a.lis'
SET NSYMBOLS=MYNODES VIEW=X SMOOTHNESS=YES
SUBFRAME 12
MESH VECTOR=LOAD ORIGINAL=YES TIME=8
MESH VECTOR=REACTION ORIGINAL=YES
*
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT
SUBFRAME 12
NHISTORY NODE=1 DIRECTION=3 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1
NHISTORY NODE=2 DIRECTION=4 KIND=REACTION OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=2
SUBFRAME 12
EHISTORY ELEMENT=1 POINT=111 KIND=SRR
EHISTORY ELEMENT=4 POINT=341 KIND=SRS
SUMMATION KIND=REACTION
SUMMATION KIND=LOAD
END
```

# EXAMPLE B22

# EIGHT-STORY BUILDING SUBJECTED TO IMPACT LOAD

# Objective

To demonstrate the capability of performing nonlinear dynamic analysis using the substructure option.

# **Physical Problem**

The eight-story building shown in figure below is analyzed for its dynamic response when subjected at the top to a triangular impact load of 30 kips-sec over 0.2 sec.



# **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model is shown on page B22.3. The building is modeled with BEAM elements in the master structure and the substructures. The foundation is modeled with elastic TRUSS elements in the vertical direction and with elastic-plastic TRUSS elements in the horizontal direction. The dynamic response is evaluated using the trapezoidal rule (the Newmark method with  $\alpha$ = 0.25 and  $\delta$  = 0.50) with a time step  $\Delta t$  = 0.02 sec. A lumped mass matrix is used in the analysis. Full Newton equilibrium iterations are employed in every solution time step.

## **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B22.5 and B22.6 is used in the finite element analysis. The bottom figure on page B22.4 shows the time history of the horizontal displacement and acceleration at points D and B, see figure on page B22.1, as displayed by SOLVIA-POST. The deformed finite element model at time t = 0.4 sec is shown in the top figure on page B22.4.

A reference solution is obtained by modeling the building as a main structure only, see figures on page B22.7 and input data on pages B22.8 and B22.9. The results of the reference solution are shown on page B22.7 and complete agreement with the substructure results can be observed.

# User Hints

• Note that in nonlinear dynamic analysis the convergence tolerance in the equilibrium iterations must be sufficiently tight so that the accumulation of errors in the solution is small (compare Example B2).

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```
HEADING 'B22 EIGHT-STORY BUILDING SUBJECTED TO IMPACT LOAD'
4
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=001110 NSTEP=20 DT=0.020
ANALYSIS TYPE=DYNAMIC MASSMATRIX=LUMPED METHOD=NEWMARK
ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-6
TIMEFUNCTION 1 / 0. 0. / 0.1 3.E5 / 0.2 0. / 1. 0.
COORDINATES
 1 0 -10 / 2 15 -10 / 3 -10 0 / 4 0 0 / 5 15
6 25 0 / 7 0 48 / 8 15 48 / 9 0 96 / 10 15 96
                                                                / 5
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.E10 NU=0.
MATERIAL 2 ELASTIC E=1.09E9 NU=0.2 DENSITY=5.15
MATERIAL 3 PLASTIC ISOTROPIC E=1.E10 YIELD=6000. ET=0.
EGROUP 1 TRUSS MATERIAL=1
ENODES / 1 1 4 / 2 2 5
EDATA / 1 10.
EGROUP 2 TRUSS MATERIAL=3
ENODES / 1 3 4 / 2 5 6
EDATA / 1 10.
EGROUP 3 BEAM MATERIAL=2 RESULTS=FORCES
SECTION 1 GENERAL RINERTIA=1 SINERTIA=1 TINERTIA=1.333333 AREA=1
ENODES / 1 1 7 8 / 2 1 9 10
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 2 3 6
LOADS CONCENTRATED / 9 1 0.342020 / 9 2 -0.939693
SUBSTRUCTURE 1
COORDINATES

      1
      0
      12
      /
      2
      15
      12
      /
      3
      0
      24
      /
      4
      15
      24
      /
      5
      0
      36

      6
      15
      36
      /
      7
      0
      0
      /
      8
      15
      0
      /
      9
      0
      48
      /
      10
      15
      48

EGROUP 1 BEAM MATERIAL=2 RESULTS=FORCES
SECTION 1 GENERAL RINERTIA=1 SINERTIA=1 TINERTIA=1.333333 AREA=1
ENODES / 1 8 7 1 / 2 8 1 3 / 3 8 3 5 / 4 8 5 9 / 5 7 8 2
6 7 2 4 / 7 7 4 6 / 8 7 6 10 / 9 8 1 2 / 10 8 3 4 / 11 8 5 6
REUSE 1 LREUSE=0 4 5 7 8
REUSE 2 LREUSE=0 7 8 9 10
SET VIEW=Z NSYMBOLS=YES
MESH SUBFRAME=21
SET ENUMBERS=YES NNUMBERS=YES GSCALE=OLD
MESH ZONENAME=MAIN
SUBSTRUCTURE 1
MESH ZONENAME=REUSE1 SUBFRAME=21
MESH ZONENAME=REUSE2
SOLVIA
END
```

### SOLVIA-POST input

```
B22 EIGHT-STORY BUILDING SUBJECTED TO IMPACT LOAD
*
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b22.lis'
SET VIEW=Z
MESH ORIGINAL=DASHED SUBFRAME=21
SUBSTRUCTURE 1
MESH ZONENAME=REUSE1 GSCALE=OLD ORIGINAL=DASHED
*
AXIS 1 VMIN=-200 VMAX=300 LABEL='ACCELERATION'
AXIS 2 VMIN=-0.6 VMAX=0.6 LABEL='DISPLACEMENT'
AXIS 3 VMIN=0
               VMAX=0.4 LABEL='TIME'
SUBSTRUCTURE 0
NHISTORY NODE=10 DIRECTION=1 KIND=DISPLACEMENT YAXIS=2 XAXIS=3,
         SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=21
SUBSTRUCTURE 1
REUSE 1
NHISTORY NODE=10 DIRECTION=1 KIND=DISPLACEMENT YAXIS=-2 XAXIS=-3,
         SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=OLD
SUBSTRUCTURE 0
NHISTORY NODE=10 DIRECTION=1 KIND=ACCELERATION YAXIS=1 XAXIS=3,
         SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=NEXT
SUBSTRUCTURE 1
REUSE 1
NHISTORY NODE=10 DIRECTION=1 KIND=ACCELERATION YAXIS=-1 XAXIS=-3,
         SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=OLD
*
NLIST
END
```

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```
HEADING 'B22A EIGHT-STORY BUILDING SUBJECTED TO IMPACT LOAD,
REF. SOLUTION'
4
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=001110 NSTEP=20 DT=0.020
ANALYSIS TYPE=DYNAMIC MASSMATRIX=LUMPED METHOD=NEWMARK
ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-6
TIMEFUNCTION 1 / 0. 0. / 0.1 3.E5 / 0.2 0. / 1. 0.
*
COORDINATES
1 0 -10 / 2 15 -10 / 3 -10 0 / 4 0 0 / 5 15
6 25 0 / 8 15 48 / 9 0 96 / 10 15 96 / 11 0 12
12 15 12
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1.E10 NU=0.
MATERIAL 2 ELASTIC E=1.09E9 NU=0.2 DENSITY=5.15
MATERIAL 3 PLASTIC ISOTROPIC E=1.E10 YIELD=6000. ET=0.
EGROUP 1 TRUSS MATERIAL=1
ENODES / 1 1 4 / 2 2 5
EDATA / 1 10.
EGROUP 2 TRUSS MATERIAL=3
ENODES / 1 3 4 / 2 5 6
EDATA / 1 10.
EGROUP 3 BEAM MATERIAL=2 RESULTS=FORCES
SECTION 1 GENERAL RINERTIA=1 SINERTIA=1 TINERTIA=1.333333 AREA=1
ENODES / 1 12 4 11 / 2 4 11 12 / 3 11 12 5
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 2 3 6
LOADS CONCENTRATED / 9 1 0.342020 / 9 2 -0.939693
TRANSLATE EG3 Y=12 COPIES=7
SOLVIA
END
```

B22.8

# SOLVIA-POST input

```
B22A EIGHT-STORY BUILDING SUBJECTED TO IMPACT LOAD,
*
*
        REF. SOLUTION
*
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b22a.lis'
SET VIEW=Z
MESH VECTOR=LOAD NNUMBERS=MYNODES NSYMBOL=MYNODES ,
     ORIGINAL=DASHED TIME=0.1 SUBFRAME=21
MESH ORIGINAL=DASHED
*
AXIS 1 VMIN=-200 VMAX=300 LABEL='ACCELERATION'
AXIS 2 VMIN=-0.6 VMAX=0.6 LABEL='DISPLACEMENT'
AXIS 3 VMIN=0 VMAX=0.4 LABEL='TIME'
NHISTORY NODE=10 DIRECTION=1 KIND=DISPLACEMENT YAXIS=2 XAXIS=3,
         SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=21
NHISTORY NODE=8 DIRECTION=1 KIND=DISPLACEMENT YAXIS=-2 XAXIS=-3,
         SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=OLD
NHISTORY NODE=10 DIRECTION=1 KIND=ACCELERATION YAXIS=1 XAXIS=3,
         SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=NEXT
NHISTORY NODE=8 DIRECTION=1 KIND=ACCELERATION YAXIS=-1 XAXIS=-3,
         SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=OLD
*
```

END

# **EXAMPLE B23**

# ANALYSIS OF A SAND SPECIMEN UNDER COMPRESSION

# Objective

To verify the Drucker-Prager material model when used for the PLANE AXISYMMETRIC element.

# **Physical Problem**

A uniaxial strain test for McCormick Ranch Sand is considered, see figure below.



### **Finite Element Model**

Four 4-node PLANE AXISYMMETRIC elements are used to model the sand specimen, see the figure on page B23.2. The top nodes in the model are subjected to prescribed displacements and the side nodes can slide in the Z-direction only. The bottom nodes are fixed.

### **Solution Results**

The input data is shown on page B23.4. One hundred prescribed displacement steps are used with the default iteration method (BFGS) and with default tolerances.

The calculated longitudinal stress as a function of the longitudinal strain is shown in the top figure on page B23.3. The calculated solution is in good agreement with the experimental data given in [1].

The traced solution path in a Drucker-Prager yield function diagram with axes  $-I_1$  and  $\sqrt{J_2}$  is shown in the bottom figure on page B23.3.  $I_1$  is the first stress invariant and  $J_2$  is the second deviatoric stress invariant, see also page 9.27 in the SOLVIA-PRE Users Manual.

We note that upon loading the first solution point represents yielding on the cap while the subsequent yielding occurs both on the cap and on the Drucker-Prager yield surface (the vertex). The cap position is moved from  $I_1 = 0$  to  $I_1 = -2.26$  during yielding.

The unloading portion is first elastic but then follows yielding on the Drucker-Prager yield surface until the tensile limit  $I_1 = T$ , the tensile cut-off limit, is reached.

# **User Hints**

- For the present example one 4-node element would be satisfactory, since there is no radial displacement variation and only a linear displacement variation in the vertical (Z) direction.
- In SOLVIA, compressive stresses and strains are negative. Therefore, the cap parameters must satisfy the following conditions:

W < 0 D < 0  $^{\circ}I_1^a \le 0$   $T \ge 0$   $\alpha \ge 0$  k > 0

- When  $\alpha = 0$  the Drucker-Prager yield criterion is the same as the von Mises yield criterion. For this case the yield function parameter k is the yield stress in shear and  $k = \sigma_y / \sqrt{3}$ , where  $\sigma_y$  is the yield stress in tension.
- When  ${}^{t}I_{t} \ge T$ , i.e. the first stress invariant (the hydrostatic tension) reaches or exceeds the tension cut-off limit the deviatoric stresses and the normal stresses are set to

 ${}^{t}s_{ij} = 0$   ${}^{t}\sigma_{ij} = \delta_{ij} T/3$ , respectively.

### Reference

[1] DiMaggio, F.L., Sandler, I.S., "Material Model for Granular Soils", J. Eng. Mech. Div. ASCE 97 (EMS), pp. 935-949, 1971.







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```
HEADING 'B23 ANALYSIS OF SAND SPECIMEN UNDER COMPRESSION'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=100111 NSTEP=100 DT=0.2
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 10. 0.033 / 20. 0.025
COORDINATES / ENTRIES NODE Y Z
1 / 2 0.5 / 3 0.5 0.5 TO 5 0.0.5
MATERIAL 1 DRUCKER-PRAGER E=100 NU=0.25 ALFA=0.05 K=0.1,
                             W=-0.066 D=-0.78 T=0.01 I1=0.0
EGROUP 1 PLANE AXISYMMETRIC
GSURFACE 1 2 3 5 EL1=2 EL2=2 NODES=4
FIXBOUNDARIES 23 INPUT=LINES / 1 2
FIXBOUNDARIES 2 INPUT=LINES / 2 3 / 1 5
LOADS DISPLACEMENT
33-1. TO 53-1.
MESH NSYMBOLS=MYNODES NNUMBERS=MYNODES BCODE=ALL ENUMBERS=YES
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B23 ANALYSIS OF SAND SPECIMEN UNDER COMPRESSION
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b23.lis'
EXYPLOT ELEMENT=1 POINT=1 XKIND=EZZ YKIND=SZZ SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL
EVARIABLE SXX TYPE=PLANE KIND=SXX
EVARIABLE SYY TYPE=PLANE KIND=SYY
EVARIABLE SZZ TYPE=PLANE KIND=SZZ
EVARIABLE SYZ TYPE=PLANE KIND=SYZ
CONSTANT THREE 3.0
CONSTANT ONE 1.0
CONSTANT EPS 1.E-16
RESULTANT ROOT-J2 'SQRT((SXX*SXX+SYY*SYY+SZZ*SZZ
  -SXX*SYY-SYY*SZZ-SZZ*SXX+THREE*SYZ*SYZ)/THREE+EPS)'
RESULTANT -I1 '-(SXX+SYY+SZZ)'
EPOINT E1P1 EL=1 POINT=1
RXYPLOT XPOINT=E1P1 XRESULTANT=-I1 YPOINT=E1P1 YRESULTANT=ROOT-J2,
        SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL
*
```

```
END
```

# **EXAMPLE B24**

# CANTILEVER UNDER LARGE DISPLACEMENTS, SHELL

## Objective

To verify the large displacement/rotation behaviour of the SHELL element in pure bending.

# **Physical Problem**

A cantilever beam subjected to a concentrated end moment, as shown in figure below, is considered.



### **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model consists of one 8-node cubic SHELL element, as shown in figure on page B24.2. The load is applied in ten equal load steps in a large displacement analysis with full Newton iteration and line search. The iteration tolerance is  $\text{ETOL} = 10^{-6}$ . The element stiffness matrix is evaluated using  $4 \times 2 \times 2$  Gauss integration.

### **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B24.4 and B24.5 is used in the finite element analysis and gives the following results for the tip rotation  $\phi/2\pi$  and the deflection ratios u/L and w/L:

М	$\frac{\phi}{2\pi}$		$\frac{u}{L}$		$\frac{w}{L}$	
	Theory	SOLVIA	Theory	SOLVIA	Theory	SOLVIA
7.0	0.089	0.089	0.051	0.052	0.273	0.273
14.0	0.178	0.179	0.196	0.196	0.504	0.505
21.0	0.267	0.269	0.408	0.408	0.660	0.667
28.0	0.357	0.364 .	0.650	0.662	0.723	0.744
35.0	0.446	0.496	0.880	0.991	0.694	0.704

The theoretical values assuming small strains and thin shell behaviour are calculated using

$$\frac{\Phi}{2\pi} = \frac{ML}{2\pi EI}$$
$$\frac{u}{L} = 1 - \frac{EI}{ML} \sin\left(\frac{ML}{EI}\right)$$
$$\frac{w}{L} = \frac{EI}{ML} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{ML}{EI}\right)\right)$$

where I is the moment of inertia  $(bh^3 / 12)$ .

The top figure on page B24.3 shows the deformed finite element meshes at M=14 and M=35. The displacement ratios u/L, w/L and  $\phi/2\pi$  as a function of the load are shown in the bottom figure on page B24.3.

# **User Hints**

- Note that the predicted response in the finite element analysis compares well with the analytical solution up to approximately 90 degrees rotation of the cantilever tip, but for larger rotations the model is to coarse to define the geometry of the deformed cantilever accurately. As an example of the geometrical discretization error, the figure on page B24.4 shows the midsurface of a cubic shell element for which the nodes lie on a half circle ( $\phi = \pi$ ).
- For rotations in excess of about 90 degrees more elements need, therefore, be employed.





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HEADING 'B24 CANTILEVER UNDER LARGE DISPLACEMENTS, SHELL' DATABASE CREATE MASTER IDOF=010101 NSTEP=10 DT=1. KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENT=LARGE ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON LINE-SEARCH=YES TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-6 \* TIMEFUNCTION 1 0. 0. / 10. 35. \* COORDINATES 1 TO 4 12. / 5 0. 1. TO 8 12. 1. MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=1800. NU=0. EGROUP 1 SHELL SINT=2 RESULTS=STRESSES ENODES ENTRIES EL N1 N2 N3 N4 N5 N7 N9 N11 1 1 4 8 5 2 7 3 6 THICKNESS 1 1. \* FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 5 LOADS CONCENTRATED 4 5 -0.5 8 5 -0.5 \* MESH NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=YES VECTOR=MLOAD SOLVIA END

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## SOLVIA-POST input

```
B24 CANTILEVER UNDER LARGE DISPLACEMENTS, SHELL
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b24.lis'
TOLERANCES
SET SMOOTHNESS=YES HIDDEN-REMOVAL=NO
COLOR MODE=LINE
MESH TIME=4 ORIGINAL=DASHED
MESH TIME=10 GSCALE=OLD SUBFRAME=OLD TEXT=NO
NPOINT NAME=TIP NODE=4
NVARIABLE NAME=U DIRECTION=1 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
NVARIABLE NAME=W DIRECTION=3 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
NVARIABLE NAME=PHI DIRECTION=5 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
CONSTANT NAME=L VALUE=12.
CONSTANT NAME=TWOPI VALUE=6.2832
RESULTANT NAME=UOVERL STRING='-U/L'
RESULTANT NAME=WOVERL STRING='W/L'
RESULTANT NAME=ANGLE STRING='-PHI/TWOPI'
AXIS ID=1 VMIN=0 VMAX=1 LABEL='DISP RATIOS'
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TIP RESULTANTNAME=UOVERL XVARIABLE=1 YAXIS=1,
         OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TIP RESULTANTNAME=WOVERL XVARIABLE=1 YAXIS=-1,
         OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=2 SUBFRAME=OLD
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TIP RESULTANTNAME=ANGLE XVARIABLE=1 YAXIS=-1,
         OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=3 SUBFRAME=OLD
END
```

# **EXAMPLE B25**

# CANTILEVER UNDER LARGE DISPLACEMENTS, PLATE

## Objective

To verify the large displacement/rotation behaviour of the PLATE element in pure bending.

# **Physical Problem**

The same type of problem as in Example B24 is considered. The dimensions of the cantilever and the Young's modulus of the material are, however, different as can be seen in the figure below.



### **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model considered is shown in the figure on page B25.2. The model consists of ten PLATE elements and the end moment is applied in ten equal load steps in a large displacement analysis. The solution is obtained using the full Newton iteration. The iteration tolerances are RTOL = 0.01, RNORM = 0.35 and RMNORM = 35.

### Solution Results

The input data on pages B25.4 and B25.5 gives the following results in the finite element analysis:

М	$\frac{\Phi}{2\pi}$		$\frac{u}{L}$		$\frac{w}{L}$	
	Theory	SOLVIA	Theory	SOLVIA	Theory	SOLVIA
7.0	0.089	0.089	0.051	0.052	0.273	0.275
14.0	0.178	0.178	0.196	0.197	0.504	0.507
21.0	0.267	0.267	0.408	0.411	0.660	0.664
28.0	0.357	0.357	0.650	0.654	0.723	0.728
35.0	0.446	0.446	0.880	0.885	0.694	0.698

The theoretical results are calculated as in Example B24.

The top figure on page B25.3 shows the deformed finite element meshes at M = 14 and M = 35. The bottom figure on page B25.3 shows the displacement ratios  $\phi/2\pi$ , u/L and w/L as a function of the load as displayed by SOLVIA-POST.

# **User Hints**

• Since more elements are used in this example, a better solution is obtained than in Example B24, where only one cubic SHELL element is employed.





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```
HEADING 'B25 CANTILEVER UNDER LARGE DISPLACEMENTS, PLATE'
+
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER IDOF=010101 NSTEP=10 DT=1
KINEMATICS DISPLACEMENTS=LARGE
ITERATION METHOD=FULL-NEWTON
TOLERANCES TYPE=F RTOL=0.01 RNORM=.35 RMNORM=35
*
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 10. 35.
*
COORDINATES
      TO 6 100.
1
7 0.10. TO 12 100.10.
*
MATERIAL 1 ELASTIC E=12000. NU=0.
*
EGROUP 1 PLATE
ENODES
1 1 2 7 TO 5 5 6 11
6 2 8 7 TO 10 6 12 11
EDATA / 1 .5
*
FIXBOUNDARIES / 1 7
LOADS CONCENTRATED
 6 5 -0.5
12 5 -0.5
MESH NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=YES VECTOR=MLOAD BCODE=ALL
SOLVIA
END
```

# SOLVIA-POST input

```
B25 CANTILEVER UNDER LARGE DISPLACEMENTS, PLATE
DATABASE CREATE
TOLERANCES
WRITE FILENAME='b25.lis'
MESH ORIGINAL=DASHED TIME=4
MESH GSCALE=OLD SUBFRAME=OLD TEXT=NO
NPOINT NAME=TIP NODE=6
NVARIABLE NAME=U DIRECTION=1 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
NVARIABLE NAME=W DIRECTION=3 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
NVARIABLE NAME=PHI DIRECTION=5 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
CONSTANT NAME=L VALUE=100.
CONSTANT NAME=TWOPI VALUE=6.2832
RESULTANT NAME=UOVERL STRING='-U/L'
RESULTANT NAME=WOVERL STRING='W/L'
RESULTANT NAME=ANGLE STRING='-PHI/TWOPI'
AXIS ID=1 VMIN=0 VMAX=1 LABEL='DISP RATIOS'
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TIP RESULTANTNAME=UOVERL XVARIABLE=1 YAXIS=1,
          SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TIP RESULTANTNAME=WOVERL XVARIABLE=1 YAXIS=-1,
          SYMBOL=2 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=OLD
RHISTORY POINTNAME=TIP RESULTANTNAME=ANGLE XVARIABLE=1 YAXIS=-1,
          SYMBOL=3 OUTPUT=ALL SUBFRAME=OLD
END
```

# **EXAMPLE B26**

# PLASTIC CANTILEVER UNDER PURE BENDING, SHELL

### Objective

To verify the elastic-plastic behaviour of the SHELL element.

## **Physical Problem**

The cantilever beam subjected to a concentrated end moment, as shown in the figure below, is considered. The elastic-plastic response of the cantilever is to be determined.



#### **Finite Element Model**

Due to symmetry conditions, only one half of the cantilever is modeled. The finite element model consists of one 16-node SHELL element as shown in the figure on page B26.2. The material of the cantilever is modeled as elastic-plastic with isotropic hardening. The element stiffness matrix is evaluated using 4×4×6 Gauss integration. The solution response is traced with the AUTOSTEP method using BFGS iteration. The maximum solution time step is set to 3 and request is made of intermediate solutions at 6 specified solution times.

### **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B26.4 and B26.5 is used in the finite element analysis.

In the table on the next page the calculated tip rotations for  $4\times4\times6$  and  $4\times4\times4$  Gauss integration are compared with an analytical solution using beam theory.

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Rotation, φ						
Moment	Beam theory	SOLVIA (4×4×6)	SOLVIA (4×4×4)			
500	1.20.10-3	1.20.10-3	1.20.10-3			
600	$1.55 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.56 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.59 \cdot 10^{-3}$			
700	$2.59 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$2.88 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$2.59 \cdot 10^{-3}$			
800	$1.42 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$1.03 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$6.28 \cdot 10^{-3}$			
900	$3.79 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.42 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.02 \cdot 10^{-2}$			

The figures on page B26.3 show the variation of the applied moment versus the tip rotation as predicted in the finite element analysis with  $4\times4\times6$  and  $4\times4\times4$  Gauss integration. For comparison, the analytical beam theory solution is also presented in the figures.

## **User Hints**

- Note that in an elastic-plastic analysis the order of Gauss integration through the element thickness must be high enough to predict the plastic behaviour through the shell thickness accurately.
- Note that the anticlastic bending effect gives a slight variation of the transverse displacement along the width of the shell element.







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```
HEADING 'B26 PLASTIC CANTILEVER UNDER PURE BENDING, SHELL, TINT=6'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER NSTEP=20 DT=3.0
ITERATION METHOD=BFGS
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-8
AUTO-STEP DTMAX=3.0 TMAX=18 T1=10 12 13 14 15 16
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 18. 1.8
4
COORDINATES
1 / 2 1.0 / 3 1.0 12. / 4 0. 12.
*
MATERIAL 1 PLASTIC E=3.E7 NU=0.3 YIELD=1.5E3 ET=3.E5
EGROUP 1 SHELL TINT=6
THICKNESS 1 1.
GSURFACE 1 2 3 4 EL1=1 EL2=1 NODES=16
LOADS ELEMENT TYPE=MOMENT INPUT=LINE
3 4 edge 250. 250.
*
FIXBOUNDARIES 246 INPUT=LINE / 1 2
FIXBOUNDARIES 156 INPUT=LINE / 1 4
FIXBOUNDARIES 3 INPUT=NODE / 1
FIXBOUNDARIES 6 INPUT=LINE / 3 4
*
MESH NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=MYNODES VECTOR=LOAD BCODE=ALL,
     EAXES=RST
*
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B26 PLASTIC CANTILEVER UNDER PURE BENDING, SHELL
+
DATABASE CREATE
*
WRITE FILENAME='b26.lis'
*
AXIS 1 VMIN=0. VMAX=4.0E-2 LABELSTRING='PHI'
AXIS 2 VMIN=0. VMAX=900 LABELSTRING='BENDING MOMENT'
NVARIABLE NAME=XMOM DIRECTION=4 KIND=REACTION
NVARIANLE NAME=XROT DIRECTION=4 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
CONSTANT NAME=TWO VALUE=-2.0
CONSTANT NAME=EIGHT VALUE=8.0
RESULTANT NAME=PHI 'XROT'
RESULTANT NAME=MOMENT 'XMOM*TWO*EIGHT'
NPOINT NAME=N1 NODE=1
NPOINT NAME=N4 NODE=4
RXYPLOT XPOINT=N4 XRESULTANT=PHI YPOINT=N1 YRESULTANT=MOMENT,
        SYMBOL=1 TSTART=3 XAXIS=1 YAXIS=2 OUTPUT=ALL
*
USERCURVE 1
READ B26.DAT
PLOT USERCURVE 1 XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-2 SUBFRAME=OLD
END
```

## EXAMPLE B27

#### PLASTIC CANTILEVER UNDER PURE BENDING, PLATE

#### Objective

To verify the elastic-plastic behaviour of the PLATE element.

#### **Physical Problem**

Same as in figure on page B26-1.

#### Finite Element Model

The finite element model considered is shown in the figure on page B27.2. Due to symmetry only one half of the cantilever beam is modeled using eight PLATE elements. The material of the beam is modeled as elastic-plastic with isotropic hardening and Ilyushin yield condition. The solution response is traced with the AUTOSTEP method using BFGS iteration. The maximum solution time step is set to 3 and request is made of intermediate solutions at 6 specified solution times.

#### **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B27.3 and B27.4 is used in the finite element analysis.

The following results for the tip rotation  $\phi$  (rad) are obtained in the analysis:

Moment	SOLVIA	Beam theory
500	1.20.10-3	1.20.10-3
750	$1.80 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$5.10 \cdot 10^{-3}$
900	$4.97 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.79 \cdot 10^{-2}$
	Moment 500 750 900	MomentSOLVIA $500$ $1.20 \cdot 10^{-3}$ $750$ $1.80 \cdot 10^{-3}$ $900$ $4.97 \cdot 10^{-2}$

The bottom figure on page B27.2 shows the variation of the applied moment on the whole plate versus the tip rotation as predicted in the finite element analysis. An analytical beam theory solution is also presented in the same figure.

#### User Hints

- The PLATE element stiffness matrix is calculated using stress resultants and no numerical integration in the thickness direction is used. The yield condition employed is the one of Ilyushin [1], and the stress resultants correspond either to elastic or plastic conditions. This means that the entire crosssection at an integration point changes at the same time from elastic to plastic and vice versa.
- In this example with pure moment loading the plastic response is calculated based on the conditions at the distance h/4 from the midsurface, where h is the thickness. However, in the case of strain-hardening the incremental plastic moment can be represented by two force resultants each located h/3 from the midsurface, which is the position of the center of gravity of the corresponding triangular incremental stress distribution. Hence, the calculated plastic slope in the momentrotation diagram on page B27.2 is 3/4 of the theoretical plastic slope asymptote.



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```
HEADING 'B27 PLASTIC CANTILEVER UNDER PURE BENDING, PLATE'
*
DATABASE CREATE
MASTER NSTEP=20 DT=3.0
ITERATION METHOD=BFGS
TOLERANCES ETOL=1.E-6
AUTO-STEP DTMAX=3.0 TMAX=18. T1=10 12 13 14 15 16
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 18. 1.8
*
COORDINATES
1 TO 5 0. 12. / 6 1.0 TO 10 1.0 12.
+
MATERIAL 1 ILYUSHIN E=3.E7 NU=0.3 YIELD=1.5E3 ET=3.E5
*
EGROUP 1 PLATE
ENODES
1 1 2 6 / 2 2 3 8 / 3 3 4 8 / 4 4 5 10
5 6 2 7 / 6 2 8 7 / 7 8 4 9 / 8 4 10 9
EDATA / 1 1.
FIXBOUNDARIES 15 / 2 TO 5
FIXBOUNDARIES 12345 / 1
FIXBOUNDARIES 24 / 6
LOADS CONCENTRATED
 5 4 125.
 10 4 125.
*
MESH NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=YES VECTOR=MLOAD BCODE=ALL
*
SOLVIA
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

```
* B27 PLASTIC CANTILEVER UNDER PURE BENDING, PLATE
DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b27.lis'
AXIS 1 VMIN=0. VMAX=5.0E-2 LABELSTRING='PHI'
AXIS 2 VMIN=0. VMAX=900 LABELSTRING='BENDING MOMENT'
NVARIABLE NAME=XMOM DIRECTION=4 KIND=REACION
NVARIANLE NAME=XROT DIRECTION=4 KIND=DISPLACEMENT
CONSTANT NAME=TWO VALUE=2.0
RESULTANT NAME=PHI 'XROT'
RESULTANT NAME=MOMENT '- XMOM * TWO * TWO'
NPOINT NAME=N1 NODE=1
NPOINT NAME=N5 NODE=5
RXYPLOT XPOINT=N5 XRESULTANT=PHI YPOINT=N1 YRESULTANT=MOMENT,
       SYMBOL=1 TSTART=3 XAXIS=1 YAXIS=2 OUTPUT=ALL
+
USERCURVE 1
READ B26.DAT
PLOT USERCURVE 1 XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-2 SUBFRAME=OLD
END
```

# **EXAMPLE B28**

# TRANSIENT TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS OF A SLAB

## Objective

To verify the behaviour of the TRUSS conduction element in SOLVIA-TEMP when subjected to simultaneous boundary convection and radiation in a transient analysis.

## **Physical Problem**

The slab shown in the figure below is considered. The slab is initially at a uniform temperature  $\theta_i$  and at time  $t = 0^+$  the slab surfaces are exposed to convection and radiation. The time history of the temperature at the surface and at the center of the slab is to be determined.



$$\Gamma = \frac{\sigma \cdot f \cdot \varepsilon \cdot \theta_i^3 \cdot L}{k} = 4.0 \text{ gives } \theta_i = 1498.15 \qquad \text{Bi} = \frac{h \cdot L}{k} = 4.0$$

## **Finite Element Model**

Because of symmetry conditions only one half of the slab is modeled. The finite element model consists of twenty equally spaced TRUSS conduction elements as shown in the left top figure on page B28.3. The thermal conductivity and the heat capacity of the material are assumed to be constant. A diagonal heat capacity matrix is used. The transient temperature response is evaluated using the Euler backward method in the step-by-step analysis. Conductivity reformation and heat flow equilibrium iteration using the modified Newton-Raphson method is performed at each time step.

	$t^* = \alpha \cdot t / L^2$	$\Delta t^* = \alpha \cdot \Delta t / L^2$	Number of time steps
First interval	0.00 <t*≤0.06< td=""><td>0.001</td><td>60</td></t*≤0.06<>	0.001	60
Second interval	0.06 <t*≤0.66< td=""><td>0.01</td><td>60</td></t*≤0.66<>	0.01	60
Third interval	0.66 <t*≤3.66< td=""><td>0.05</td><td>60</td></t*≤3.66<>	0.05	60

In order to obtain the required accuracy in the SOLVIA-TEMP analysis the time step size is changed during the response prediction.

#### **Solution Results**

The input data on pages B28.4 to B28.5 is used in the finite element analysis. The solution of the surface temperature and the temperature at the center of the slab,  $\theta^s$  and  $\theta^c$  respectively, depends upon two parameters; the Biot number Bi and the radiation parameter  $\Gamma$ . In this analysis Bi = 4 and  $\Gamma = 4$ .

The figure below shows the temperature variation at the surface and at the center of slab for Bi = 4, and for  $\Gamma = 0$  and  $\Gamma = 4$ . The SOLVIA-TEMP solutions are compared with solutions obtained by Haji-Sheikh and Sparrow [1] who used a probability method. The temperature variations as displayed by SOLVIA-POST are shown in the bottom figure on page B28.3.

The right top figure on page B28.3 shows the distribution of heat flux along the model at time 3.66 and the temperature distributions at times 0.03 and 0.06.

#### Reference

[1] Haji-Sheikh, A., and Sparrow, E.M., "The Solution of Heat Conduction Problems by Probability Methods", Trans. ASME, J. Heat Transfer, Vol. 39, pp. 121-131, 1967.



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```
HEADING 'B28 TRANSIENT TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS OF A SLAB'
*
DATABASE CREATE
T-MASTER NSTEP=60 DT=0.001 60 0.01 60 0.05
T-ANALYSIS TRANSIENT HEATMATRIX=LUMPED METHOD=BACKWARD-EULER
T-ITERATION TTOL=1.E-4
T-ITERATION METHOD=MODIFIED-NEWTON
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 0. / 10. 0.
*
COORDINATES
1 TO 21 1.
4.
T-INITIAL TEMPERATURES
1 1498.1505 TO 21 1498.1505
*
T-MATERIAL 1 CONDUCTION K=0.01 SPECIFICHEAT=0.01
T-MATERIAL 2 CONVECTION H=0.04
T-MATERIAL 3 RADIATION EMISSIVITY=1. SIGMA=0.118958E-10,
             TEMPUNIT=KELVIN
EGROUP 1 TRUSS MATERIAL=1
ENODES / 1 1 2 TO 20 20 21
EDATA / 1 1.
T-BOUNDARIES SEGMENTS CON-MATERIAL=2 RAD-MATERIAL=3 INPUT=NODES
 1 21 1. 1.
T-LOADS ENVIRONMENTAL CONVECTION=YES RADIATION=YES INPUT=NODES
21 1.
*
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT
MESH VIEW=-Y NSYMBOLS=YES NNUMBERS=YES SUBFRAME=12
MESH VIEW=-Y NSYMBOLS=YES ENUMBERS=YES
*
SOLVIA-TEMP
END
```

#### SOLVIA-POST input

```
B28 TRANSIENT TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS OF A SLAB
*
*
T-DATABASE CREATE
WRITE FILENAME='b28.lis'
EPLINE NAME=TRUSS / 1 1 TO 20 1
NPLINE NAME=MEDIUM / 1 TO 21
AXIS ID=1 VMIN=0 VMAX=1 LABEL='DISTANCE'
AXIS ID=2 VMIN=0 VMAX=1500 LABEL='TEMPERATURE'
SET PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT
SUBFRAME 12
ELINE LINENAME=TRUSS KIND=TFLUX SYMBOL=1 OUTPUT=ALL
NLINE LINENAME=MEDIUM KIND=TEMPERATURE XAXIS=1 YAXIS=2,
       TIME=0.03 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=1
NLINE LINENAME=MEDIUM KIND=TEMPERATURE XAXIS=-1 YAXIS=-2,
       TIME=0.06 OUTPUT=ALL SYMBOL=4 SUBFRAME=OLD
SET PLOTORIENTATION=LANDSCAPE
NVARIABLE T KIND=TEMPERATURE
CONSTANT TI 1498.1505
RESULTANT T-BY-TI 'T/TI'
NPOINT SURFACE NODE=21
NPOINT CENTER NODE=1
SUBFRAME 12
RHISTORY POINT=SURFACE RESULTANT=T-BY-TI
RHISTORY POINT=CENTER RESULTANT=T-BY-TI
NLIST
END
```

## **EXAMPLE B29**

# TRANSIENT TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS OF A SPACE SHUTTLE

## Objective

To verify the behaviour of the TRUSS conduction element using nonlinear material models in a transient analysis.

#### **Physical Problem**

The space shuttle orbiter thermal protection system shown in the figure below is to be analyzed. The protection system is composed of different materials and the thermophysical properties of these materials are given on page B29.3. The uniform initial temperature is 322 K. At time  $t = 0^+$  a step heat flow input is imposed on the surface of the thermal protection system and maintained for 100 sec. after which no heat flow input is imposed. Simultaneously, the surface of the protection system is exposed to radiation to a sink of absolute zero temperature ( $\theta_r = 0 \text{ K}$ ). It is desired to predict the transient surface temperature of the protection system. The emissivity coefficient of the radiation surface is 0.85.



#### **Finite Element Model**

The finite element model considered is shown in the bottom figures on next page. It consists of nineteen TRUSS conduction elements and one BOUNDARY SEGMENT for radiation. A lumped heat capacity matrix is used. Conductivity reformations and heat flow equilibrium iterations using the modified Newton-Raphson method are performed at each step of the analysis. The  $\alpha$ -family time integration with  $\alpha = 0.7$  and with time steps as shown in the table below are used:

Time (sec)	Time step DT (sec)	Number of time steps
$0 \le t \le 2$	0.05	40
$2 < t \le 10$	0.5	16
$10 < t \le 100$	1.0	90
$100 < t \le 110$	0.5	20
$110 < t \le 150$	1.0	40

## **Solution Results**

The solution for the surface temperature and the net heat flow from node 1 due to conduction is shown as function of time in the top figures on page B29.4 using the input data on pages B29.4 to B29.6. This same problem was also solved by Williams and Curry who used the finite difference method [1] and good agreement with the SOLVIA-TEMP solution presented here can be observed.

Note that the net nodal heat flow from node 1 due to conduction is not equal to the heat flow input to node 1, which is prescribed by T-LOADS HEATFLOW. The reason is that some of the input heat flow is used to heat the material lumped at node 1 and some of the input heat flow is radiated to the environment. The net remaining heat flow from node 1 is due to conduction and is shown in the right top figure of page B29.4.

## Reference

[1] Williams, S.D., and Curry, D.M., "An Implicit-Iterative Solution of the Heat Conduction Equation with a Radiation Boundary Condition", Int. J. Num. Meth. Eng., Vol. 11, pp. 1605-1620, 1977.



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 $(\text{density}=(665.92 \text{ kg/m}^3; \text{emissivity} \in = 0.8)$ 



```
HEAD 'B29 TRANSIENT TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS OF A SPACE SHUTTLE'
DATABASE CREATE
*
T-MASTER NSTEP=40 DT=0.05 16 0.5 90 1.0 20 0.5 40 1.0
T-ANALYSIS TYPE=TRANSIENT HEATMATRIX=LUMPED METHOD=ALPHA-FAMILY,
           ALPHA=0.7
T-ITERATION TTOL=1.E-4 METHOD=MODIFIED-NEWTON
TIMEFUNCTION 1
0. 1. / 100. 1 / 101. 0. / 200. 0.
TIMEFUNCTION 2
0. 0. / 200. 0.
*
COORDINATES
  1 / 2 0.000381 / 3 0.001381 / 4 0.004041
  5 0.011041 TO 12 0.074041
              / 14 0.0746285
 13 0.0742315
 15 0.0756285 TO 17 0.0784225
 18 0.0786130 TO 20 0.0801370
T-INITIAL TEMPERATURE TREF=322.22
T-MATERIAL 1 CONDUCTION K=0.3113 SPECIFICHEAT=1.71037652E6
*
```

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#### SOLVIA-PRE input (cont.)

```
T-MATERIAL 2 TEMP-CONDUCTION
  277.78 0.0294 116616.03
  477.78 0.0363 116616.03
  555.56 0.0484 116616.03
T-MATERIAL 3 TEMP-CONDUCTION
111.11 75.9611 2.743843E6
166.67 95.2627 2.743843E6
  222.22 108.9606 2.743843E6
  277.78 120.7906 2.743843E6
  333.33 131.3753 2.743843E6
  388.89 141.9601 2.743843E6
  444.44 151.9222 2.743843E6
T-MATERIAL 4 TEMP-CONDUCTION
  255.56 0.8423 1.324340E6
           0.9512 1.672850E6
  394.44
  672.22 1.1311 1.812254E6
  950.00 1.2971 1.986510E6
 1200.001.43382.195616E61366.671.52722.404722E61533.331.61372.509275E62200.001.94722.897035E6
 *
T-MATERIAL 5 TEMP-CONDUCTION
  255.560.04760.114609E6394.440.05920.129690E6533.330.07490.144770E6
           0.0922 0.156834E6
   672.22
           0.1138 0.171914E6
   811.11
           0.1354 0.180962E6
  950.00
           0.1629 0.190010E6
  1088.89
           0.1889 0.196042E6
  1200.00
           0.1960 0.199058E6
  1227.78
           0.2262 0.205090E6
  1338.89
           0.2349 0.208106E6
  1366.67
          0.2522 0.211122E6
  1422.22
  1450.00 0.2608 0.212932E6
 1533.33 0.2883 0.217155E6
 T-MATERIAL 6 RADIATION EMISSIVITY=0.85 SIGMA=5.67E-8 TEMP=KELVIN
 *
 EGROUP 1 TRUSS MATERIAL=1
 ENODES / 1 12 13 / 2 17 18
         / 11.
 EDATA
 EGROUP 2 TRUSS MATERIAL=2
 ENODES / 1 13 14 TO 4 16 17
         1
            1 1.
 EDATA
 EGROUP 3 TRUSS MATERIAL=3
 ENODES / 1 18 19 TO 2 19 20
         / 11.
 EDATA
 EGROUP 4 TRUSS MATERIAL=4
 ENODES / 1 1 2
          / 11.
 EDATA
 *
```

#### SOLVIA-PRE input cont.)

```
EGROUP 5 TRUSS MATERIAL=5
ENODES / 1 2 3 TO 10 11 12
EDATA / 1 1.
T-BOUNDARY SEGMENTS RAD-MATERIAL=6 INPUT=NODES
1 1 1. 1.
T-LOADS HEATFLOW
1 0.136E6 1
T-LOADS ENVIRONMENT RADIATION=YES INPUT=NODES
1 1. 2
*
SET VIEW--Y PLOTORIENTATION=PORTRAIT NSYMBOL=YES,
     NNUMBERS=YES ENUMBERS=GROUP
SUBFRAME 13
MESH ZONENAME=EG1
MESH ZONENAME=EG2
MESH ZONENAME=EG3
SUBFRAME 13
MESH ZONENAME=EG4
MESH ZONENAME=EG5
MESH NNUMBERS=NO ENUMBERS=NO
SOLVIA-TEMP
END
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#### SOLVIA-POST input

\* B29 TRANSIENT TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS OF A SPACE SHUTTLE \* T-DATABASE CREATE \* WRITE FILENAME='b29.lis' \* SUBFRAME 21 NHISTORY NODE=1 KIND=TEMPERATURE OUTPUT=ALL NHISTORY NODE=1 KIND=TFLOW END