In this course we will cover the theory, examples, and Matlab application scripts for several topics including:

1. The solution of second order and fourth order ordinary differential equations (ODEs);

$$-\frac{d}{dx}\left[K(x)\ \frac{du(x)}{dx}\right] + A(x)\frac{du(x)}{dx} + C(x)\ u(x) - Q(x) = 0 \tag{8.1-1}$$

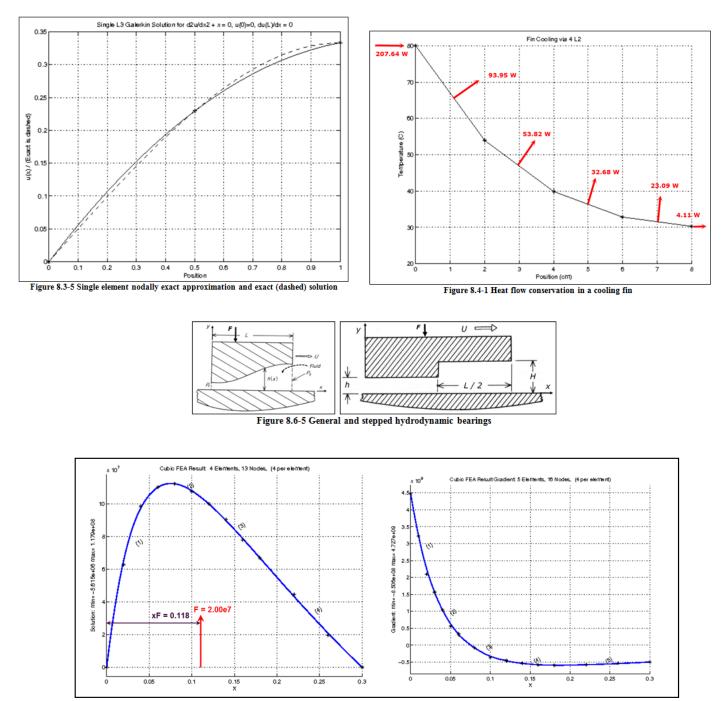


Figure 8.6-6 Bearing pressure, force, and pressure gradient for 4 (top) and 6 L4 elements

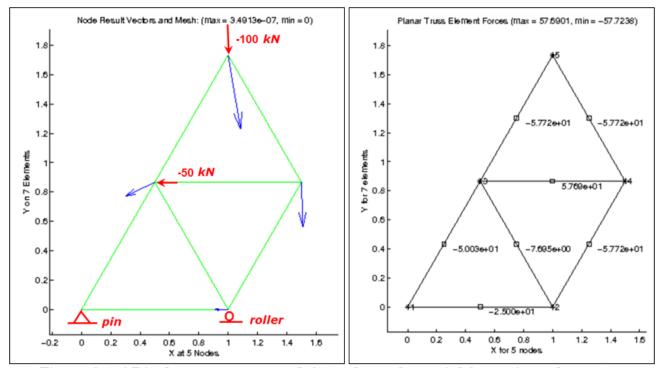


Figure 9.1-6 Displacement vectors (left) and member axial forces in a planar truss

$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left[EI(x) \frac{d^2 v}{dx^2} \right] - N(x) \frac{d^2 v}{dx^2} - \frac{dN(x)}{dx} \frac{dv}{dx} + k(x) [v - v_\infty] - f(x) = 0.$$
(10.2-1)

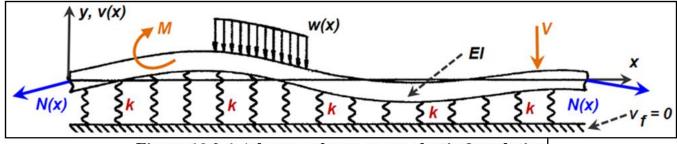


Figure 10.2-1 A beam-column on an elastic foundation

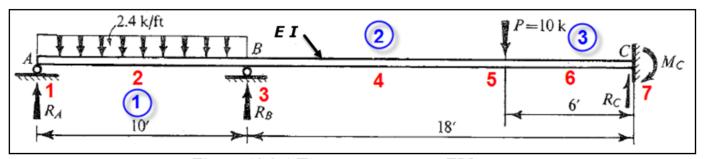


Figure 10.9-1 Two span, constant EI beam

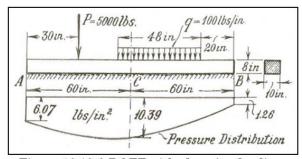


Figure 10.10-3 BOEF with changing loadings

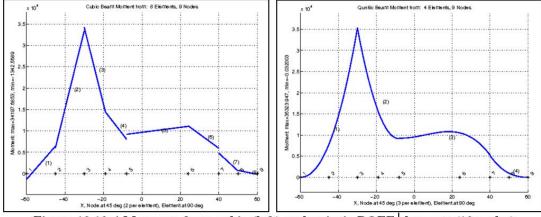


Figure 10.10-4 Moments from cubic (left) and quintic BOEF elements (10 nodes)

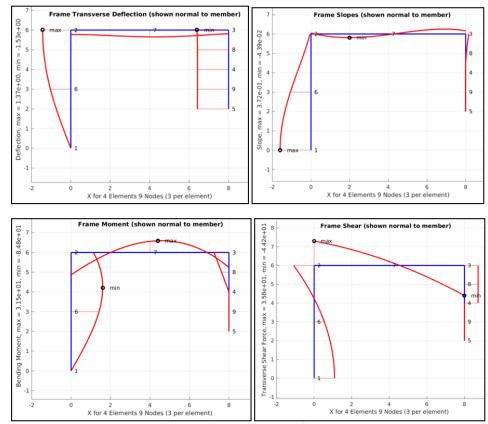


Figure 11.3-1 Enhanced post-processing from cubic/quintic frame members

2. Two-dimensional elliptical partial differential equations (PDEs);

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}\left(k_{xx}\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y}\left(k_{yy}\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right) + m\left(v_x\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + v_y\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right) - au - Q - \rho \,\partial u/\partial\tau = 0 \quad (12.2-1a)$$

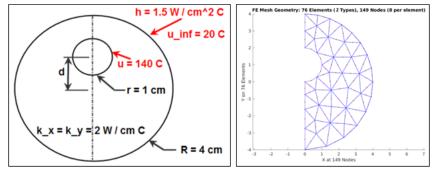
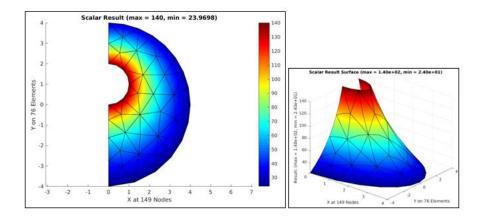


Figure 12.14-4 Symmetric eccentric cylinder with T6 face elements and L3 line elements



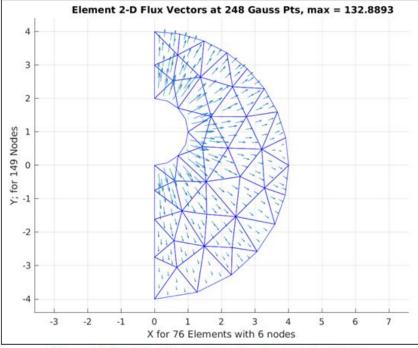


Figure 12.14-9 Heat flux vectors in a symmetric cylinder

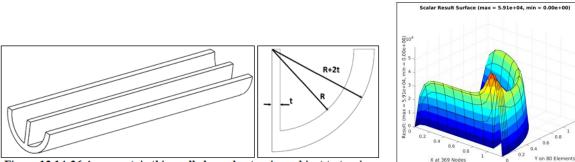
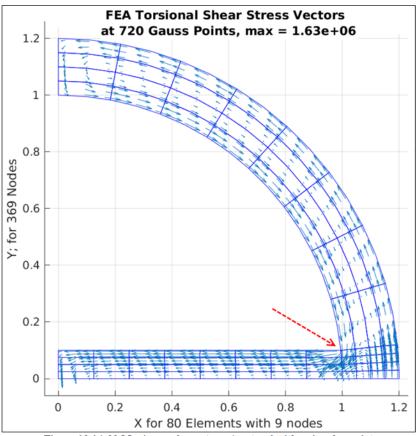
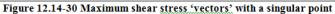


Figure 12.14-26 A symmetric thin-wall channel extrusion subject to torsion





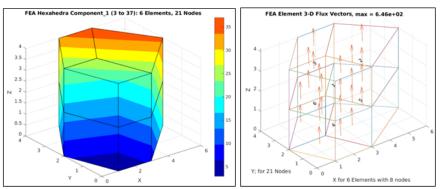
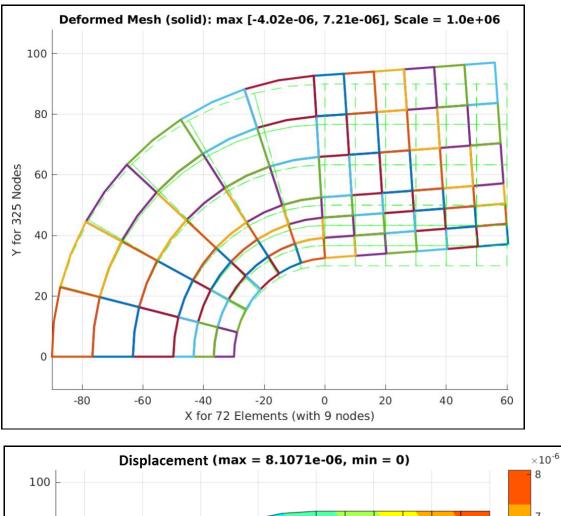
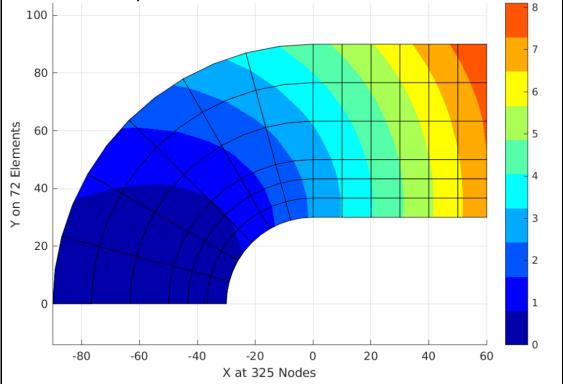


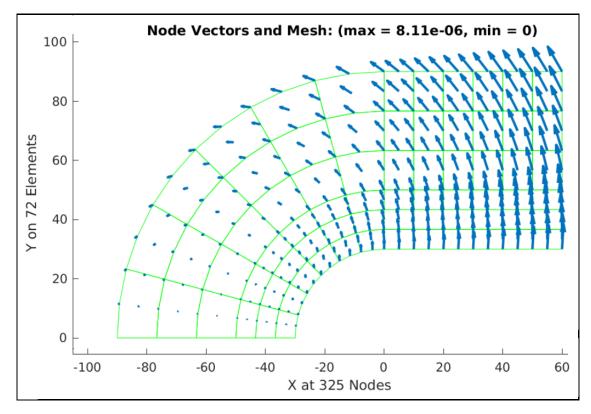
Figure 12.16-2 Linear spatial solution and selected constant flux vectors from patch test

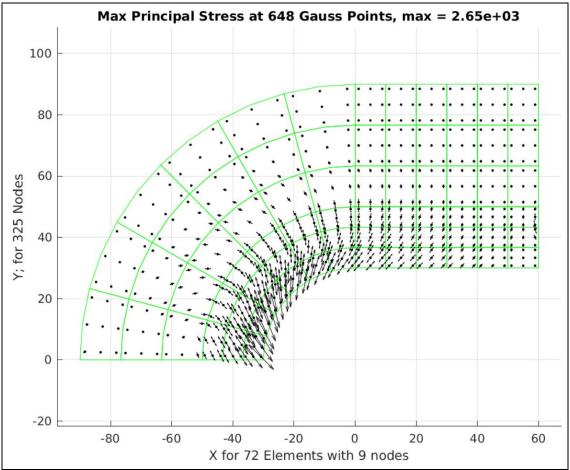
Figure 12.14-30 Stress function carpet plot

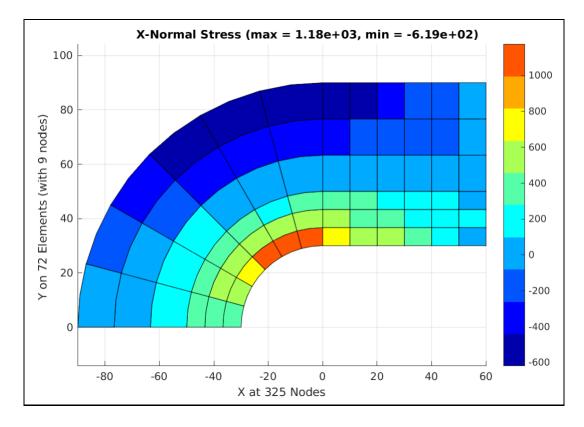
3. Stress Analysis;

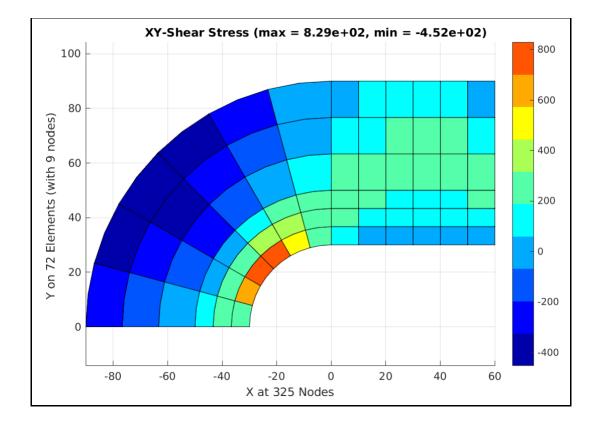












$$\nabla^2 u(x, y, t) + \lambda u(x, y, t) = 0$$
 (14.1-1)

4. Vibrations and eigen-problems;

$$[K - \lambda_j M] \delta_j = 0, \ j = 1, 2, \dots$$
(14.2-3)

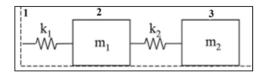


Figure 14.3-1 A two DOF spring-mass system

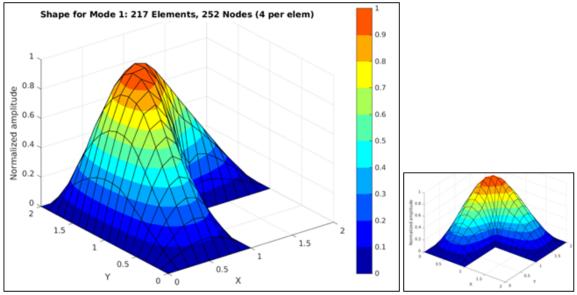


Figure 14.7-1 L-shaped membrane first mode of vibration with Q9 and Q4 elements

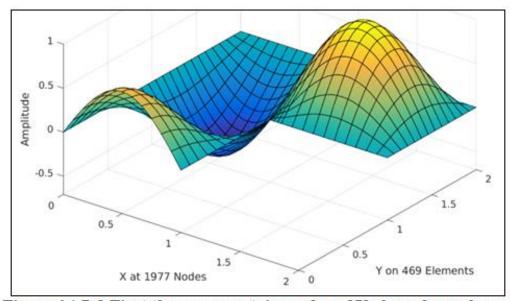


Figure 14.7-3 First three symmetric modes of U-shaped membrane

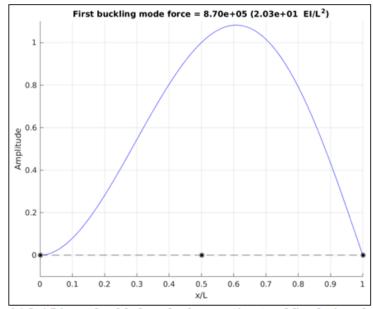
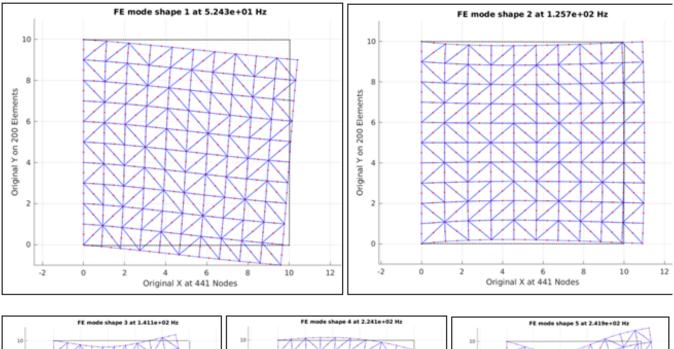


Figure 14.8-4 Linear buckled mode shape estimate of fixed-pinned column



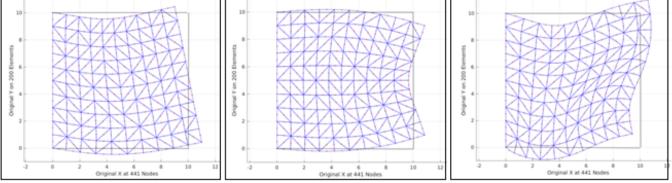
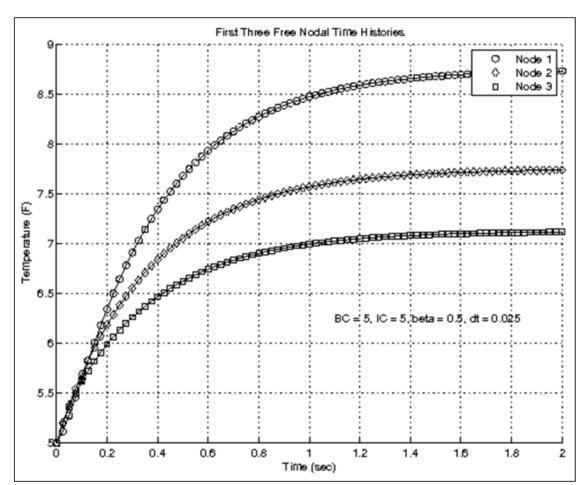


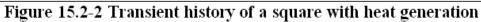
Figure 14.11-5 First five modes of planar vibration validation problem

5: Transient and dynamic time histories;

$$-D(x,t)\frac{\partial^2 u(x,t)}{\partial x^2} + A(x,t)\frac{\partial u(x,t)}{\partial x} + C(x,t)u(x,t) + F(x,t) = G(x,t)\frac{\partial u(x,t)}{\partial t}$$
(15.1-1)

$$[S]{T(t)} + [M]{T(t)} = {c(t)} - {c_{EBC}(t)} \equiv {p(t)}$$
(15.1-4)





$$[S]\{\delta(t)\} + [D]\{\dot{\delta(t)}\} + [M]\{\dot{\delta(t)}\} = \{f(t)\}, \ \dot{\{}\} = \partial\{\}/\partial t$$
(15.4-1)

Etc.