



INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

(Autonomous)

Four Year B.Tech V Semester End Examinations(Regular) - November, 2019

Regulation: IARE – R16

FINITE ELEMENT METHOD

Time: 3 Hours

(AE)

Max Marks: 70

Answer ONE Question from each Unit

All Questions Carry Equal Marks

All parts of the question must be answered in one place only

UNIT – I

1. (a) Derive constitutive matrix $[D]$ for 2-D element. [7M]
- (b) Consider the bar as shown in Figure 1. Calculate the following
 - i) Nodal displacements
 - ii) Element stresses
 - iii) Support reactions. Take $E=2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$; $P=400 \text{ kN}$ [7M]

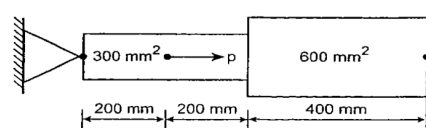


Figure 1

2. (a) When there are several FEM packages available in the market is there need to study this subject. Why? State the applications of FEM. [7M]
- (b) Consider the following Figure 2. An axial load $P=200 \text{ KN}$ is applied as shown i) Determine the nodal displacements. ii) Determine the stress in each material. iii) Determine the reaction forces. [7M]

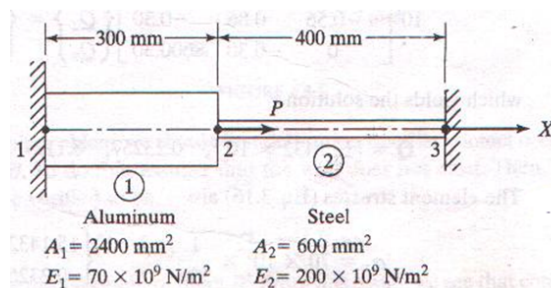


Figure 2

UNIT – II

3. (a) Obtain the stiffness matrix for a beam element. [7M]
- (b) For the two-bar truss shown in Figure 3, determine the displacement in the y direction of node 1. A force of $P = 1000 \text{ kN}$ is applied at node 1 in the positive y direction. Let $E = 210 \text{ GPa}$ and $A = 6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$ for each element. [7M]

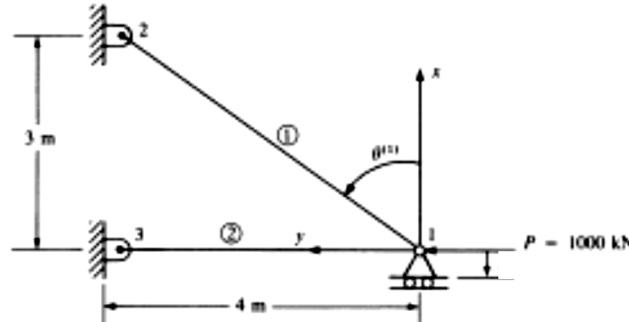


Figure 3

4. (a) Derive elemental stiffness matrix for 2-noded truss elements. [7M]
- (b) Find the deflection at the point load and the slopes at the ends for the steel shaft which is simply supported at the bearing A and B as shown in Figure 4. Take $E=200 \text{ GPa}$. [7M]

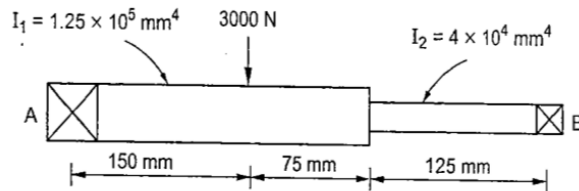


Figure 4

UNIT – III

5. (a) Derive the shape function for CST element. [7M]
- (b) Apply the element stiffness matrix for the triangular element shown in Figure 5 under plane strain condition. Assume the following values. $E=200 \text{ GPa}$, $\mu=0.25$, $t=1 \text{ mm}$. [7M]

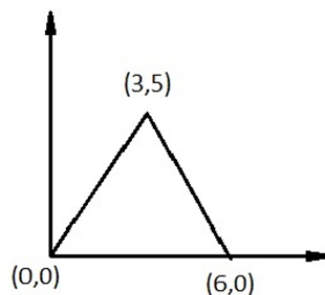


Figure 5

6. (a) Derive stiffness equation for a constant strain triangular element. [7M]
 (b) For the point P located inside the triangle in Figure 6, the shape functions N1 and N2 are 0.15 and 0.25, respectively. Determine the x and y coordinate of P. [7M]

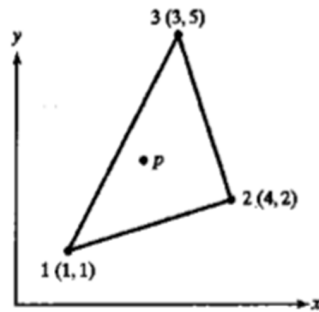


Figure 6

UNIT – IV

7. (a) Derive Stiffness matrix and load vector for heat transfer in 2-D element. [7M]
 (b) Determine the nodal temperature in a composite wall, the wall is maintained at 100 deg c at the left face and convection mode of heat transfer occurs between the right face and existing fluid .take $k_1=0.06\text{w/cm deg c}$ and $k_2=0.2\text{w/cm deg c}$, convection co efficient of heat transfer between walls and fluid $h=0.1\text{w/cm}^2 \text{ } ^\circ\text{C}$ and $T = 25^\circ\text{C}$. Consider unit area= 1 cm^2 perpendicular to the direction of heat flow. [7M]
8. (a) Deduce shape functions for temperature element. [7M]
 (b) Compute the element matrix and vectors for the element shown in Figure 7, when the edges 2-3 and 3-1 experience convection heat loss. [7M]

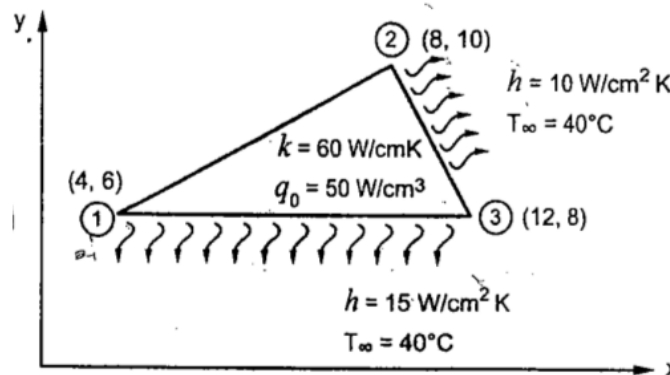


Figure 7

UNIT – V

9. (a) Derive lumped mass matrix and consistent mass matrix for a bar element. [7M]
 (b) Explain Lumped parameter model and Continuous system model with examples. [7M]

10. (a) Find the natural frequencies and mode shapes of a uniform cantilever beam using one beam element and consistent mass matrix. [7M]
- (b) Determine the Eigen values and Eigen vectors for the stepped bar shown in Figure 8. [7M]

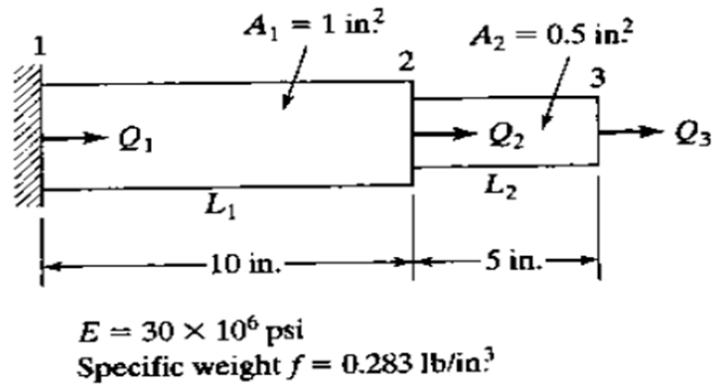


Figure 8