# Frame statics solved using CALFEM toolbox for MATLAB 

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Displacements vector

$$
\mathbf{u}=\{u(x), v(x)\}
$$

Strain vector

$$
\mathbf{e}=\left\{\varepsilon_{x}, \kappa\right\}
$$

Stress vector

$$
\mathbf{s}=\{N(x), M(x)\}
$$

## Distributed loading

$$
\mathbf{p}=\left\{p_{x}, p_{y}\right\}
$$

## Matrix of constitutive relationships

$$
\mathbf{D}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
E A & 0 \\
0 & E I
\end{array}\right]
$$

Differential operator matrix

$$
\mathbf{L}=\left[\begin{array}{cc}
\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{~d} x} & 0 \\
0 & -\frac{\mathrm{d}^{2}}{\mathrm{~d} x^{2}}
\end{array}\right]
$$

Kinematic and constitutive relations

$$
\mathbf{e}=\mathbf{L} \mathbf{u}=\mathbf{L N q}=\mathbf{B q}, \quad \mathbf{s}=\mathbf{D e}=\mathbf{D B q}
$$

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## Element stiffness matrix

$$
\mathbf{k}^{e}=\int_{0}^{l^{e}} \mathbf{B}^{e \mathrm{~T}} \mathbf{D}^{e} \mathbf{B}^{e} \mathrm{~d} x^{e}
$$

$$
\mathbf{k}^{e}=\frac{E I}{l^{3}}\left[\begin{array}{cccccc}
\frac{A l^{2}}{I} & 0 & 0 & -\frac{A l^{2}}{I} & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 12 & 6 l & 0 & -12 & 6 l \\
0 & 6 l & 4 l^{2} & 0 & -6 l & 2 l^{2} \\
-\frac{A l^{2}}{I} & 0 & 0 & \frac{A l^{2}}{I} & 0 & 0 \\
0 & -12 & -6 l & 0 & 12 & -6 l \\
0 & 6 l & 2 l^{2} & 0 & -6 l & 4 l^{2}
\end{array}\right]^{e}
$$

## Transformation matrix <br> $$
c=\cos \left(\alpha^{e}\right) \text { i } s=\sin \left(\alpha^{e}\right)
$$

$$
\mathbf{T}^{e}=\left[\begin{array}{rrrrrr}
c & s & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
-s & c & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & c & s & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & -s & c & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1
\end{array}\right]
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## Substitute nodal forces

$$
\mathbf{z}^{e}=\int_{0}^{l^{e}} \mathbf{N}^{e \mathrm{~T}} \mathbf{p}^{e} \mathrm{~d} x^{e}
$$

for $p_{x}=\mathrm{const}=\widehat{p}_{x}$ i $p_{y}=\mathrm{const}=\widehat{p}_{y}$
$\mathbf{z}^{e}=\left\{\frac{\widehat{p}_{x} l}{2}, \frac{\widehat{p}_{y} l}{2}, \frac{\widehat{p}_{y} l^{2}}{12}, \frac{\widehat{p}_{x} l}{2}, \frac{\widehat{p}_{y} l}{2},-\frac{\widehat{p}_{y} l^{2}}{12}\right\}^{e}$


## Assignment



## Discretization



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Dof $=\left[\begin{array}{lllll}1 & 2 & 3 ; & 4 & 5 \\ 7 & 6 & 9 ; & 10 & 11\end{array}\right.$ 12];
\% compute coordinate vectors

\% for elements
[Ex,Ey]=coordxtr(Edof,Coord,Dof,2);

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$F(4)=100$;
$F(9)=50$;


## Equivalent nodal forces



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\% account for boundary conditions $\mathrm{bc}=[10 ; 20 ; 30 ; 100 ; 110 ; 120]$;


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f1=beam2s(Ex(1,:), Ey(1,:),ep,Qe(1,:))
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f3=beam2s(Ex(3,:),Ey(3,:),ep,Qe(3,:),eq)
\% draw deformed frame
eldisp2(Ex,Ey,Qe,[1,4,1]);

## Results

$$
Q=
$$

$$
\mathrm{R}=
$$

-69.3890
-2.6878
73.2148
0.0355
-0.0264
-0.0073
0.0003
-0.0001
0.0288


0
0
0.0000
-0.0000
-0.0000
0.0000
0.0000
0.0000
-30.6110
32.6878
15.6586
f1 $=$

| 43.7836 | -53.8986 | -73.2148 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 43.7836 | -53.8986 | 61.5316 |

f2=
-16.2164
26.1014
61.5316
$-16.2164 \quad 26.1014 \quad-3.7219$
f3=
-20.5168 $\begin{array}{lll}-22.8761 & -53.7219\end{array}$
$-44.5168 \quad-4.8761 \quad 15.6586$

## Force sign convention in FE

## Classical FEM



## CALFEM



## Script - frame.m - diagrams

\% return to elements to compute nodal forces
f1=beam2s(Ex(1,:),Ey(1,:),ep,Qe(1,:),[0,0],7)
f2=beam2s(Ex(2,:),Ey(2,:),ep,Qe(2,:),[0,0],7)
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\% Deformed frame
figure(1)
eldraw2(Ex,Ey, [1,2,2]);
eldisp2(Ex,Ey, Qe,[1,4,1]);
axis([-1 7-1 5]);
title('Displacements')
plotpar=[21];

## Script - frame.m - diagrams

\% Normal forces
figure(2)
scal $=$ scalfact2(Ex(3,: ), Ey(3,: ),f3(:,1),0.35); eldia2(Ex(1,:),Ey(1,:),f1(:,1),plotpar,scal); eldia2(Ex(2,:),Ey(2,:),f2(:,1),plotpar,scal); eldia2(Ex(3,:),Ey(3,:),f3(:,1),plotpar,scal);
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\% Shear forces
figure(3)
scal $=$ scalfact2(Ex(1,: ),Ey(1,:),f1(:,2),0.35); eldia2(Ex(1,:),Ey(1,:),f1(:,2),plotpar,scal); eldia2(Ex(2,:),Ey(2,:),f2(:,2), plotpar,scal); eldia2(Ex(3,:),Ey(3,:),f3(:,2), plotpar,scal); axis([-1 7 -1 5]); title('Shear forces')

## Script - frame.m - diagrams

\% Moments
figure(4)
scal=scalfact2(Ex(1,:),Ey(1,:),f1(:,3),0.35);
eldia2(Ex(1,:),Ey(1,:),f1(:,3),plotpar,scal);
eldia2(Ex(2,:),Ey(2,:),f2(:,3),plotpar,scal);
eldia2(Ex(3,:),Ey(3,:),f3(:,3),plotpar,scal);
axis([-1 7 -1 5]);
title('Bending moments');

## Diagrams



