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PREFACE

A numerical method for the dynamic analysis of plates on nonlinear foundations was developed during this study. The method offers the highway engineer a rational approach for the solution of many plate and slab vibration problems, including pavement slabs and highway bridges which can be idealized as orthotropic plates.

The method was programmed and coded for use on a digital computer. Although the program was written for the Control Data Corporation (CDC) 6600 computer it can be made compatible with IBM 360 systems. Copies of the program presented in this report may be obtained from the Center for Highway Research at The University of Texas at Austin.

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LIST OF REPORTS

Report No. 56-1, "A Finite-Element Method of Solution for Linearly Elastic Beam-Columns" by Hudson Matlock and T. Allan Haliburton, presents a finite-element solution for beam-columns that is a basic tool in subsequent reports.

Report No. 56-2, "A Computer Program to Analyze Bending of Bent Caps" by Hudson Matlock and Wayne B. Ingram, describes the application of the beam-column solution to the particular problem of bent caps.

Report No. 56-3, "A Finite-Element Method of Solution for Structural Frames" by Hudson Matlock and Berry Ray Grubbs, describes a solution for frames with no sway.

Report No. 56-4, "A Computer Program to Analyze Beam-Columns under Movable Loads" by Hudson Matlock and Thomas P. Taylor, describes the application of the beam-column solution to problems with any configuration of movable non-dynamic loads.

Report No. 56-5, "A Finite-Element Method for Bending Analysis of Layered Structural Systems" by Wayne B. Ingram and Hudson Matlock, describes an alternating-direction iteration method for solving two-dimensional systems of layered grids-over-beams and plates-over-beams.

Report No. 56-6, "Discontinuous Orthotropic Plates and Pavement Slabs" by W. Ronald Hudson and Hudson Matlock, describes an alternating-direction iteration method for solving complex two-dimensional plate and slab problems with emphasis on pavement slabs.

Report No. 56-7, "A Finite-Element Analysis of Structural Frames" by T. Allan Haliburton and Hudson Matlock, describes a method of analysis for rectangular plane frames with three degrees of freedom at each joint.

Report No. 56-8, "A Finite-Element Method for Transverse Vibrations of Beams and Plates" by Harold Salani and Hudson Matlock, describes an implicit procedure for determining the transient and steady-state vibrations of beams and plates, including pavement slabs.

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Report No. 56-12, "A Discrete-Element Method of Analysis for Combined Bending and Shear Deformations of a Beam" by David F. Tankersley and William P. Dawkins, presents a method of analysis for the combined effects of bending and shear deformations.

Report No. 56-13, "A Discrete-Element Method of Multiple-Loading Analysis for Two-Way Bridge Floor Slabs" by John J. Panak and Hudson Matlock, includes a procedure for analysis of two-way bridge floor slabs continuous over many supports.

Report No. 56-14, "A Direct Computer Solution for Plane Frames" by William P. Dawkins and John R. Ruser, Jr., presents a direct method of solution for the computer analysis of plane frame structures.

Report No. 56-15, "Experimental Verification of Discrete-Element Solutions for Plates and Slabs" by Sohan L. Agarwal and W. Ronald Hudson, presents a comparison of discrete-element solutions with the small-dimension test results for plates and slabs, along with some cyclic data on the slab.

Report No. 56-16, "Experimental Evaluation of Subgrade Modulus and Its Application in Model Slab Studies" by Qaiser S. Siddiqi and W. Ronald Hudson, describes an experimental program developed in the laboratory for the evaluation of the coefficient of subgrade reaction for use in the solution of small dimension slabs on layered foundations based on the discrete-element method.

Report No. 56-17, "Dynamic Analysis of Discrete-Element Plates on Nonlinear Foundations" by Allen E. Kelly and Hudson Matlock, presents a numerical method for the dynamic analysis of plates on nonlinear foundations.

ABSTRACT

This work describes a discrete-element method for the dynamic analysis of plates or slabs on nonlinear foundations. The method has been programmed for a high-speed digital computer and can be used to obtain solutions to a wide variety of plate vibration problems.

A step-by-step numerical integration procedure is employed to numerically integrate the solution in time. The assumption of a linear variation of acceleration during the time-step interval is utilized to develop a recursive solution procedure. Recommendations for the selection of the time-step increment, based on the stability analysis of the algorithm, are presented.

The nonlinear analysis is performed by an iteration procedure which adjusts the load rather than the foundation stiffness. This so-called load iteration method is presented as an alternative to the familiar stiffness adjustment procedures. Although the closure is slower with regard to the number of cycles required to reach equilibrium, a significant reduction in the computer time per cycle is realized by load iteration.

The program has been developed to accept a general variation in the elastic properties of the plate and in the nonlinear foundation characteristics. Furthermore there is considerable latitude in the description of the plan configuration and the dynamic loading.

Several example problems demonstrating the method are included, as is an example of the preparation of data for computer input.

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SUMMARY

The purpose of this work was the development of a numerical method for dynamic analysis of plates or slabs on nonlinear foundations. From the computer program which was developed, several example problems are presented to illustrate the validity of the numerical procedure and the potential application to highway bridge and pavement problems.

The computer program was developed to solve a model of the elastic slab consisting of rigid bars and elastic joints and torsion bars. This idealization, called a discrete-element model, has been successfully used to obtain static solutions to slab problems. The inertia properties of the plate were added to the static model in the form of lumped concentrated masses. Also added to the static model was a method to dissipate energy by viscous dampers or dashpots.

The numerical technique which was developed to propagate the dynamic response was, because of the nonlinear aspects of the problem a step-by-step method. Values of plate deflection, moment, and foundation forces are determined at discrete time intervals.

The response of the plate is first evaluated at time $t = t_0$. Information gained from the response at t_0 is then utilized to determine the response at some time Δt from t_0 . The numerical technique therefore steps ahead an amount Δt to obtain each new solution. For a bridge or pavement problem, many time steps may be required to determine the response of the structure to a moving load.

The selection of the time step increment Δt is an important factor in obtaining correct and meaningful results. Included in this report is a simplified formula to determine the maximum time step increment. This formula has as its variables the plate and foundation stiffness, the mass of the plate model, and the increment length selected for the model representation of the plate.

To facilitate the use of this program for highway problems, the user has been given a convenient tabular format for the organization of data for computer analysis. For example, only two (2) data cards are required for the

program to position on the slab a load moving with any velocity. As the procedure steps ahead in time, the load is automatically advanced at the correct speed.

The numerical method has been verified by solving several simple example problems. First, the free vibration of a simply supported plate was studied and the results from the program compared with theory. For this study, the difference between numerical and theoretical results was insignificant. Additional studies were run with moving loads, and again the results from the numerical procedure were very satisfactory. An example of a slab connecting the pavement with a bridge deck was studied. The foundation was idealized as a bilinear curve, resisting downward deflection but permitting lift-off. The results of this study showed the slab to lift free of the foundation and to oscillate about the static deflection curve. Peak deflections, however, were significantly greater than the static deflection.

IMPLEMENTATION STATEMENT

In this study, another tool has been developed for computer simulation and analysis of slab systems. The computer program described in this work may be used to study some of the dynamic effects of both moving loads and nonlinear foundation support for pavement slabs.

The problems associated with dynamic analysis of highway structures have long been untenable for the highway engineer. Although the use of impact factor to amplify the static load coupled with a static analysis has for years furnished the engineer a convenient design approximation, the dynamic response characteristics of the structure have remained submerged due to the extreme complication associated with the required dynamic analysis.

The potential application of this work ranges from sensitivity studies of rigid pavement dynamics to the review of impact factors for certain types of bridge structures. Furthermore, the coupling of research results of the pavement dynamics project with this program will make available to the highway engineer a procedure which will permit the dynamic study of the vehicle, slab, and foundation system.

Recommendations are made for further research in the area of pavement dynamics, especially in the area of the foundation characteristics. Either model tests or carefully controlled full scale tests should be performed to develop data for a correlation study of the numerical method. As more information becomes available about foundation properties, it will be possible to modify and extend the computer method presented in this work.

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NOMENCLATURE

<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Typical Units</u>	<u>Definition</u>
$a_{i,j}$	lb/in	Stiffness matrix coefficient
$[a_j]$	lb/in	Partitioned matrix of $a_{i,j}$ coefficients
A	-	Constant
$\{A_j\}$	-	Recursion coefficient vector
$[b_j]$	lb/in	Partitioned matrix of $b_{i,j}$ coefficients
$b_{i,j}^1, b_{i,j}^2, b_{i,j}^3$	lb/in	Stiffness matrix coefficients
$[B_j]$	-	Recursion coefficient matrix
c_d	lb-sec/in ³	Distributed viscous damping
$[c_j]$	lb/in	Partitioned matrix of $c_{i,j}$ coefficients
$c_{i,j}^1, c_{i,j}^2, \dots, c_{i,j}^5$	lb/in	Stiffness matrix coefficients
$[C_j]$	-	Recursion coefficient matrix
$[d_j]$	lb/in	Partitioned matrix of $d_{i,j}$ coefficients
$d_{i,j}^1, d_{i,j}^2, d_{i,j}^3$	lb/in	Stiffness matrix coefficients
D	lb-in ² /in	Isotropic plate bending stiffness

<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Typical Units</u>	<u>Definition</u>
D_x, D_y	lb-in ² /in	Plate bending stiffness in x and y-directions
D_{xy}	lb-in ² /in	Plate twisting stiffness
$[DF]$	lb-sec/in	Diagonal matrix of viscous damping coefficients
$[\overline{DF}]$	lb-sec/in	Uncoupled damping matrix for normal mode analysis
$DF_{i,j}$	lb-sec/in	Viscous damping coefficient
$e_{i,j}$	lb/in	Stiffness matrix coefficient
$[e_j]$	lb/in	Partitioned matrix of $e_{i,j}$ coefficients
E	lb/in ²	Modulus of elasticity
$[E_j]$	-	Recursion coefficient multiplier matrix
F_d	lb/in ²	Distributed damping force on middle plane of plate
F_m	lb/in ²	Distributed inertia force on middle plane of plate
F_R	lb	Restoring force for a single mode point displacement
h_t	sec	Magnitude of time step
h_x, h_y	in.	Discrete-element widths in x and y-directions
i	-	Node point identification associated with x-direction
I	-	Iteration index
j	-	Node point identification associated with y-direction
k	-	Time step identification

<u>Symbols</u>	<u>Typical Units</u>	<u>Definition</u>
$[K]$	lb/in	Stiffness matrix
$[K']$	lb/in	Modified stiffness matrix
$[\bar{K}]$	lb/in	Uncoupled stiffness matrix for normal mode analysis
L	lb	Nonlinear correction load
$[M]$	lb-sec ² /in	Mass matrix
$[\bar{M}]$	lb-sec ² /in	Uncoupled mass matrix for normal mode analysis
$M_{i,j}$	lb-sec ² /in	Discrete node point mass
M_x, M_y	lb-in/in	Continuum bending moment
M_{xy}, M_{yx}	lb-in/in	Continuum twisting moment
M^x, M^y	lb-in	Model bending moment
M^{xy}, M^{yx}	lb-in	Model twisting moment
P_x, P_y	lb/in	Distributed axial thrust
P^x, P^y	lb	Concentrated axial thrust
$\{q_j\}$	lb	Partitioned load vector
$Q_{i,j}$	lb	Lateral load
$\{Q'\}$	lb	Modified load vector
$\{\bar{Q}\}$	lb	Load vector for normal mode analysis
s	lb/in ³	Distributed foundation support stiffness

<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Typical Units</u>	<u>Definition</u>
$S_{i,j}$	lb/in	Discrete foundation support stiffness
ν	-	Slope of acceleration between time stations
V^x, V^y	lb	Shear force in plate model
w	in.	Deflection
\dot{w}	in/sec	Velocity
\ddot{w}	in/sec ²	Acceleration
$W(i,j)$	-	Mode shape
α	-	Product of bending stiffness and Poisson's ratio
$\eta, \dot{\eta}, \ddot{\eta}$	-	Normal coordinates
ν	-	Poisson's ratio (isotropic)
ν_x	-	Effect of x-curvature on that in y-direction
ν_y	-	Effect of y-curvature on that in x-direction
ρ	lb-sec ² /in ³	Distributed plate mass
$[\phi]$	-	Normal mode matrix
ω	rad/sec	Frequency

CHAPTER 1. INTRODUCTION

This work presents a rational method for step-by-step dynamic analysis of orthotropic plates on nonlinear foundations and uses a method of nonlinear analysis in which the load vector is modified to reflect the nonlinearity, instead of altering the stiffness matrix of the mathematical model between iterations. This load iteration method is coupled with a linear acceleration algorithm for the development of the analysis procedure. Linear accelerations between each two stations in time are prescribed for model node points.

Motivation for development of the numerical procedure came from problems encountered in the field of highway engineering, particularly those related to pavement and bridge structures. The effect of vehicle motion on stresses and deflections of highway structures has long been an unknown factor. To focus on these highway problems, the method is applied to a bridge approach slab, and the type of nonlinearity studied is a special bilinear foundation behavior, to represent the loss of foundation support as the slab rises from the foundation.

A computer program is developed to demonstrate the method of analysis, using a simplified tabular input form to describe the problem. While the dynamic loading must be specified by the user, either periodic or nonperiodic load, as well as stationary or moving, can be easily described. Furthermore, the foundation characteristics are described by curves composed of straight line segments.

Definition of the Problem

The effect of vehicle motion on highway structures has been a major concern of highway and airfield engineers for some time, and large-scale tests, such as the AASHO Road Test at Ottawa, Illinois (Ref 21), have served to focus attention on the need for a method for evaluating it.

The lack of agreement about the importance of dynamic effects is apparent, especially in the area of highway pavement design. At a recent special conference of the Highway Research Board, Harr suggested a review of the hypothesis

that pavement loads are quasi-static and offered the possibility that energy is transmitted in all directions from the point of contact of the wheel with the pavement and may cause cracking and deterioration of the pavement at edges and other points where there is no foundation support (Ref 7). On the other hand, Jones et al have viewed the pavement problem as being essentially one of statics (Ref 12). The results of their investigations suggested that the dynamic effects are not significant, because of the great difference between the speed of a vehicle and the velocity of propagation of elastic waves.

Thus, it appeared that an analysis tool which would permit qualitative and quantitative study of some of the effects of dynamic loading on structural pavements would be useful in determining the significance of the loadings and, subsequently, in designing a wide range of structures. Therefore the development of such a tool was chosen as the problem to be considered in this study.

The Discrete-Element Analysis Procedure

Over a period of years, developments by various investigators have led to the discrete-element analysis procedure, which is the basis of the analysis described in this report. The concept of this use of a discrete-element model for plates can be traced to Ang and Newmark (Ref 3). Tucker extended the concept for beams to grid and plate structures, using an alternating-direction method as the basis for his work on solutions for the grid-beam structure of a plate (Ref 24), and later Ang and Prescott presented model equations for solving complex isotropic plate problems (Ref 2).

An orthotropic plate model was developed by Hudson in a study which extended the work of Tucker and refined the alternating-direction procedure for solving the large number of equilibrium equations generated by the mathematical model (Ref 9). A method for direct solution of these equilibrium equations developed by Stelzer takes advantage of the banded nature of the equations (Ref 20). In this method, the formulation of equilibrium equations results in a partitioned stiffness matrix with a submatrix band width of five, i.e., two submatrices on either side of the main diagonal partition.

A dynamic analysis of elastic plates based on a finite-difference method was developed by Salani (Ref 19). Using an alternating-direction implicit (ADI) iterative procedure, the transient and steady state response of isotropic plates can be determined.

Basis of the Method for Vibration Analysis

The discrete-element model presented in this report is Hudson's model extended to include mass and viscous clamping. The mass of the plate is lumped at stations or node points, and viscous damping is absolute; that is, each node point is connected to a fixed reference plane by a dashpot.

Solutions to the equations of motion are obtained at discrete points in time. An algorithm based on the assumption of linear acceleration between time stations is used to propagate the solution step-by-step. Nonlinear analysis is accomplished by iteration for equilibrium at each time step. A method is presented which does not require the adjustment of the stiffness matrix during the iterative procedure. Instead, the loading is modified to produce convergence to the equilibrium position.

Many techniques for step-by-step analysis of structural vibration have been suggested, ranging from mathematically oriented methods to methods based on assumptions of the nature of the motion between time steps (Refs 16, 19, and 27). The latter technique was selected for use in this study of response of plates on nonlinear foundations.

Application

The tool presented here permits qualitative and quantitative study of some of the effects of dynamic loading on structural pavement and certain types of bridges. With it a bridge can be idealized as a plate, which is more realistic than idealizing it as a beam, and the program is general enough to permit the study of a wide range of structures containing plate-like structures, floors of multi-story buildings, certain types of aircraft structures, and the behavior of such structural grids as those which make up the deck of an offshore drilling platform.

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CHAPTER 2. EQUATIONS OF MOTION FOR DISCRETE-ELEMENT MODEL

The model for dynamic analysis is developed by the addition of mass and damping to node points of a discrete-element plate model. The equation of motion is derived by the addition of inertia and damping forces to the model load vector.

The equation of motion and the mathematical model presented in this chapter pertain to linearly elastic thin plates in which lateral deflections are small. Before the discrete-element model is considered, the classical theory for isotropic and orthotropic plates is reviewed. The relationship between the continuum plate equations and the discrete-element model can be demonstrated by application of finite-difference approximations to the continuum expressions.

Classical Equation of Motion

The classical equilibrium equation for a plate on an elastic foundation can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 M_x}{\partial x^2} - 2 \frac{\partial^2 M_{xy}}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 M_y}{\partial y^2} = q - sw + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(P_x \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right) \\ + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(P_y \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (2.1)$$

The positive sense for the deflection is upward, which causes the difference in sign for the deflections and in-plane thrusts P from that given by Timoshenko (Ref 22). The equation is valid for either isotropic or orthotropic plates, as material properties do not influence the equilibrium expression.

The development of the equation of motion follows from D'Alembert's principle (Ref 26). An inertia force equal to the negative product of mass

per unit area times acceleration is applied on a unit area of the middle plane of the plate:

$$F_m = -\rho \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t^2} \quad (2.2)$$

Viscous damping, included in the analysis, develops a force

$$F_d = -c_d \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \quad (2.3)$$

on the middle plane of the plate.

Adding Eqs 2.2 and 2.3 to the equilibrium equation yields the equation of motion for a plate vibrating with small deflections:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 M_x}{\partial x^2} - 2 \frac{\partial M_{xy}}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 M_y}{\partial y^2} = & -\rho \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t^2} - c_d \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} + q - sw \\ & + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(P_x \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(P_y \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

Bending moments in the isotropic plate are found by the familiar relationships:

$$M_x = D \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \nu \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (2.5a)$$

$$M_y = D \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} + \nu \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right) \quad (2.5b)$$

$$M_{xy} = -D(1 - \nu) \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x \partial y} \quad (2.5c)$$

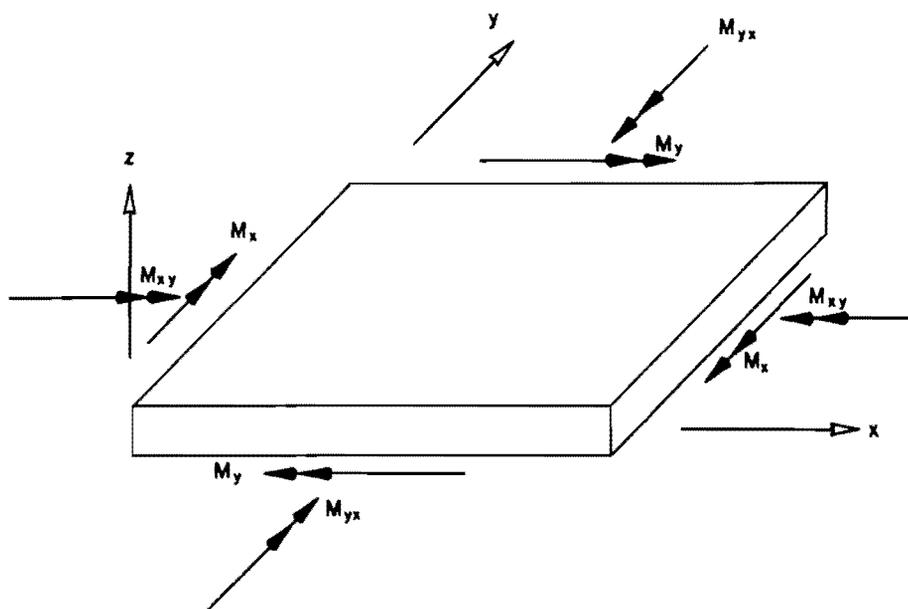


Fig 1. Direction of positive plate moments.

where

$$D = \frac{Et^3}{12(1 - \nu^2)} \quad (2.5d)$$

A sign change is noted when Eqs 2.5 are compared with the moment-curvature relationships given by Timoshenko. Again, this is due to a reversal of the positive w coordinate direction. The assumed positive moment directions for the plate are shown in Fig 1.

The bending moments in a plate of an orthotropic material are of a similar form (Ref 23):

$$M_x = D_x \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \nu_y \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} \right) \quad (2.6a)$$

$$M_y = D_y \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} + \nu_x \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right) \quad (2.6b)$$

$$M_{xy} = -D_{xy} \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x \partial y} \quad (2.6c)$$

Substituting the more general Eqs 2.6 into Eq 2.4 gives the equation of motion for orthotropic plates:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \left[D_x \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \nu_y \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} \right) \right] + 2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} \left(D_{xy} \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x \partial y} \right) \\ + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} \left[D_y \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} + \nu_x \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right) \right] = -\rho \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial t^2} - c_d \frac{\partial w}{\partial t} \\ + q - sw + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(P_x \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(P_y \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

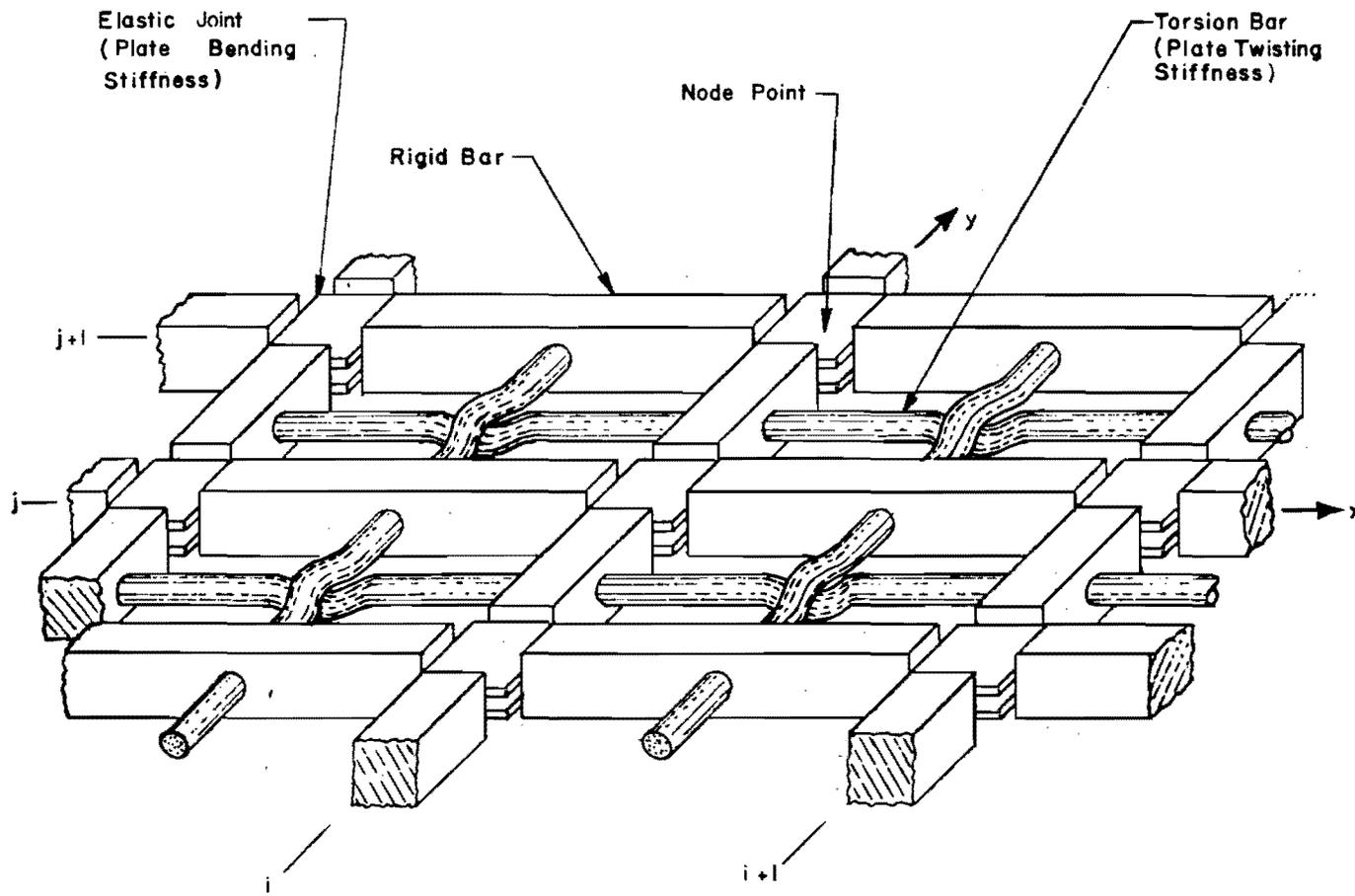


Fig 2. Discrete-element model of a plate or slab.

Volterra and Zachmanoglou have presented numerical solutions of Eq 2.7 for rectangular isotropic plates (Ref 26). However, the solution to Eq 2.7 becomes untenable for plates of variable stiffness and general support conditions.

Discrete-Element Model - Static Analysis

A relatively simple mathematical model of the orthotropic plate can be constructed from rigid bars and elastic elements which simulate bending and twisting properties of the plate. A convenient discrete-element plate model, shown in Fig 2, was developed by Hudson (Ref 9) and Ingram (Ref 11). Torsion bars simulate twisting characteristics of the plate while special elastic joints are used to develop bending properties. Motivation for development of this model stems from work by Matlock and Haliburton on discrete-element beams (Ref 14), in which a similar idealization of rigid bars and elastic joints was used to represent beams.

Derivation of the equilibrium equation for the discrete-element model is presented in Appendix A. In this development, the elastic joint and torsion bar properties are defined by applying a difference approximation to the moment expressions (Eq 2.6). It is important to note that the units of moment in the model are lb-in while the usual units of plate moment are lb-in/in. Furthermore, model moments are identified by superscript and continuum moments by subscripts x and y .

The equilibrium equation of Appendix A could have been derived directly from Eqs 2.1 and 2.6, with the substitution of difference approximations for the partial derivatives resulting in Eqs A.19 through A.31 of Appendix A.

Thus the discrete-element model plays a dual role. It stands by itself as a convenient structural idealization of a plate, and it can be related to the continuum equation by difference approximations and may therefore be viewed as a physical interpretation of the difference equations.

Node equilibrium equations can be combined and written in matrix notation:

$$[K] \{w\} = \{q\} \quad (2.8)$$

The terms of the stiffness matrix $[K]$ are deflection coefficients given by Eqs A.19 through A.31.

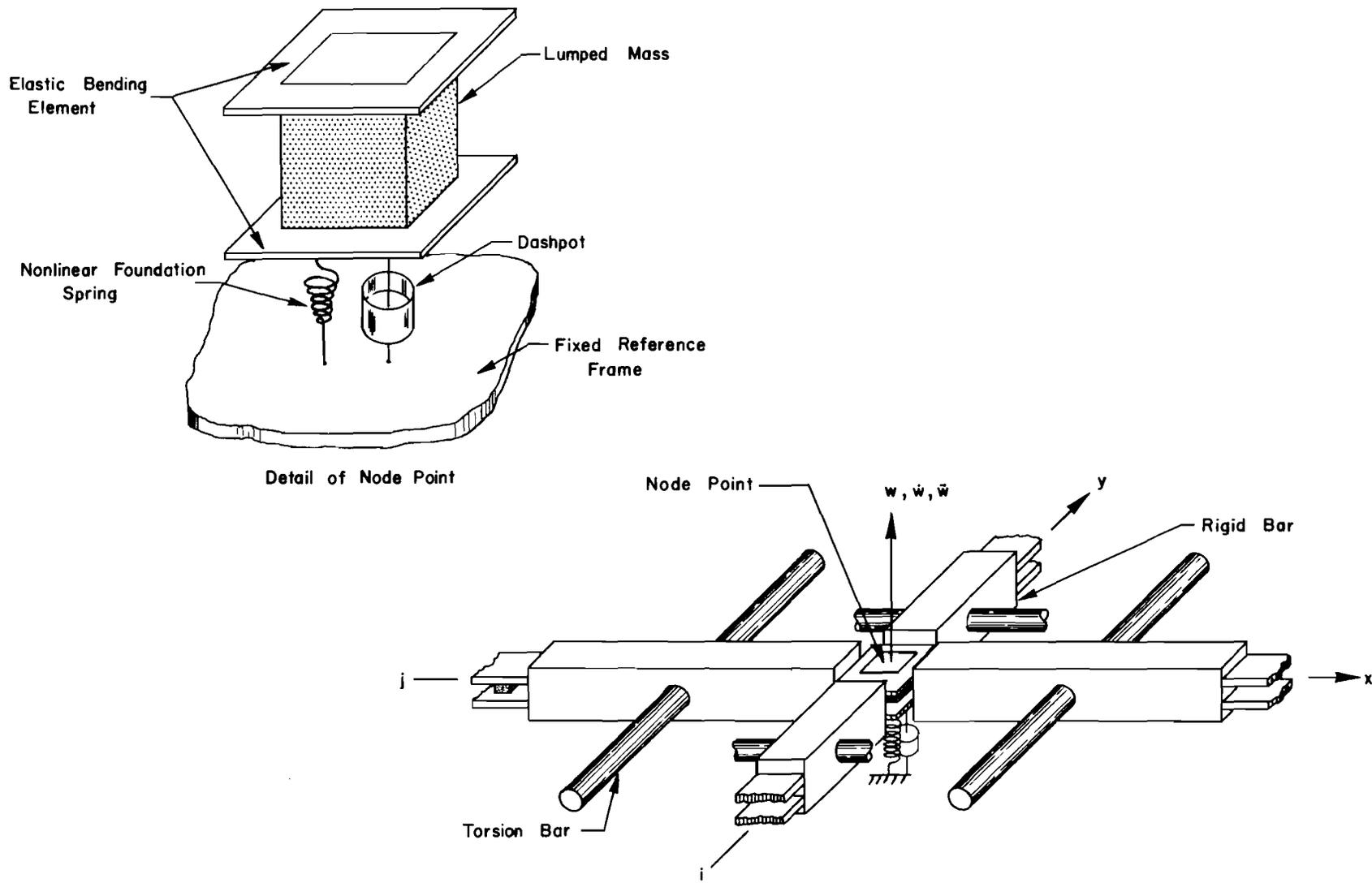


Fig 3. Joint detail of discrete-element model for dynamic analysis.

Discrete-Element Model - Dynamic Analysis

Details of the discrete-element model for dynamic analysis are presented in Fig 3. The rigid bars connecting joints are massless, with the mass of the plate concentrated at joints, or node points. As in the static model, foundation support springs are attached to the model at joints. Viscous dampers, represented as dashpots, are also connected to the joints and to a fixed reference plane.

Adding the inertia and damping forces to the right-hand side or load side of the static equilibrium equation yields the equation of motion for the model (see Appendix B). The equation of motion for each node can be combined and written in matrix form:

$$\left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w} \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w} \right\} + \left[K \right] \left\{ w \right\} = \left\{ q \right\} \quad (2.9)$$

In Eq 2.9, the stiffness matrix $\left[K \right]$ is that given in Eq 2.8. Due to the idealization of concentrated mass and damping at joints, both the mass matrix $\left[M \right]$ and damping matrix $\left[DF \right]$ are diagonal.

Dynamic response of the discrete-element model is found by integrating Eq 2.9. A numerical method for the integration is presented in the following chapter.

CHAPTER 3. NUMERICAL INTEGRATION

The equations of motion are numerically integrated by an algorithm based on the assumption that the acceleration of each node has a linear variation during the time-step interval. It was necessary to use a step-by-step method because of the nonlinear foundation characteristics.

Numerical Analysis of Initial-Value Problems

An alternative to the step-by-step methods for vibration analysis is the normal mode method (Ref 10). This approach is attractive because the simultaneous equations describing the dynamic equilibrium of the structure are transformed into N independent, second-order differential equations, where N is the number of degrees of freedom of the structure. The analysis requires first the solution of the eigenvalue problem

$$\left[-\omega^2 \begin{bmatrix} \text{M} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \text{K} \end{bmatrix} \right] \{w\} = 0 \quad (3.1)$$

for both the natural frequencies ω (eigenvalues) and the corresponding normal mode shapes (eigenvectors). The normal modes are related to the structural displacements w by multipliers termed normal coordinates.

$$\{w\} = \begin{bmatrix} \Phi \end{bmatrix} \{\eta\} \quad (3.2)$$

In Eq 3.2, each column of $\begin{bmatrix} \Phi \end{bmatrix}$ is a normal mode and the normal coordinates η determine the contribution of each mode to the total response of the structure. Although the normal coordinates are time dependent variables, the normal mode matrix $\begin{bmatrix} \Phi \end{bmatrix}$ is not.

The equations of motion (Eq 2.9) are uncoupled if Eq 3.2 is substituted for $\{w\}$ and both sides of Eq 2.9 are post multiplied by the transpose of the normal mode matrix:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\bar{\Phi} \right]^t \left[M \right] \left[\bar{\Phi} \right] \left\{ \dot{\bar{\eta}} \right\} + \left[\bar{\Phi} \right]^t \left[DF \right] \left[\bar{\Phi} \right] \left\{ \ddot{\bar{\eta}} \right\} \\ & + \left[\bar{\Phi} \right]^t \left[K \right] \left[\bar{\Phi} \right] \left\{ \bar{\eta} \right\} = \left[\bar{\Phi} \right]^t \left\{ Q \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (3.3)$$

or

$$\left[\bar{M} \right] \left\{ \ddot{\bar{\eta}} \right\} + \left[\bar{DF} \right] \left\{ \dot{\bar{\eta}} \right\} + \left[\bar{K} \right] \left\{ \bar{\eta} \right\} = \left\{ \bar{Q} \right\} \quad (3.4)$$

In Eq 3.4 $\left[\bar{M} \right]$, $\left[\bar{DF} \right]$, and $\left[\bar{K} \right]$ are diagonal matrices. However, for the matrix $\left[\bar{DF} \right]$ to be diagonal, $\left[DF \right]$ must be a function of either $\left[M \right]$ or $\left[K \right]$.

The single degree of freedom systems represented by Eq 3.4, are easily solved and then superposed, by means of Eq 3.2, to determine the total response of the structure.

Several features of this approach are appealing. First is the ease of solution of the uncoupled equations. Also, for many problems the excitation of the higher modes of vibration and their contribution to the dynamic response of a structure are insignificant. The investigator therefore needs only to compute the response of the fundamental and a few of the next higher modes to define adequately the structural response.

On the other hand, when the higher modes are important to the response, and the structure has many degrees of freedom, the operations required for vibration analysis will be very time consuming. Furthermore, if the damping matrix $\left[DF \right]$ is not a function of $\left[M \right]$ or $\left[K \right]$, the equations cannot be uncoupled. Finally, normal mode analysis must be limited to linear problems. A step-by-step integration method is therefore required for the analysis procedure presented in this study.

Development of the step-by-step methods can be traced to the use of finite-difference approximations. The problem, involving either derivatives or partial derivatives, is transformed from one with continuous variables to one in which the variables are defined at discrete points in time or space. In Chapter 2 it was shown that the discretization of the space coordinate can be modeled. The finite-difference approximation of the continuum plate equa-

tions was shown to represent a discrete-element structure. On the other hand, discretizations of the time coordinate are often more difficult to interpret. An example would be the substitution of central difference expressions for acceleration and velocity into the plate equations of motion given by Eq 2.9:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{h_t^2} [M] \{w_{k-2} - 2w_{k-1} + w_k\} + \frac{1}{2h_t} [DF] \{-w_{k-2} + w_k\} \\ + [K] \{w_k\} = \{Q_k\} \end{aligned} \quad (3.5)$$

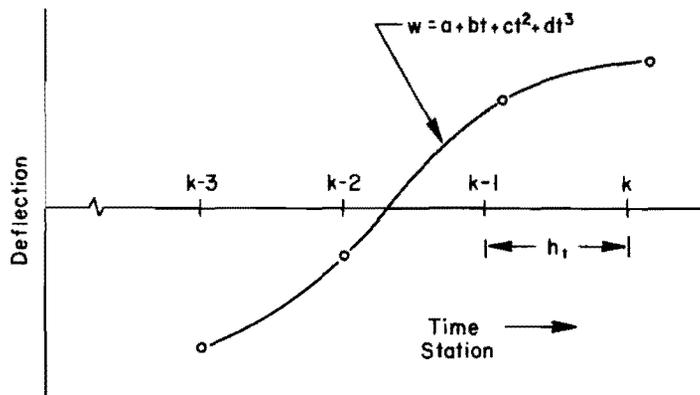
With small time steps (Ref 5), Eq 3.5 can be solved explicitly for w_k . However, the variation of the time-dependent deflection during the time interval h_t is not clear.

Other methods for step-by-step analysis yield direct physical interpretation of the nature of the displacement during the time interval h_t . In 1951 Houbolt published a numerical method for vibration analysis of lumped-mass systems (Ref 8). His approach was to pass a third-order curve through node displacements for four consecutive points in time (Fig 4). By differentiating the expression and evaluating the derivatives at the fourth point in time a backwards difference operator was developed. The third-order variation in deflection results in an acceleration which is linear during any time interval:

$$\ddot{w}_k = \frac{1}{h_t^2} (2w_k - 5w_{k-1} + 4w_{k-2} - w_{k-3}) \quad (3.6a)$$

$$\dot{w}_k = \frac{1}{6h_t} (11w_k - 18w_{k-1} + 9w_{k-2} - 2w_{k-3}) \quad (3.6b)$$

This method was successfully used by Tucker to determine the response of piles to wave loading (Ref 25). The analysis procedure presented by Houbolt leads to an implicit solution for the unknown deflection at the new time station:



Solving for the coefficients a, b, c, and d:

$$\begin{bmatrix} w_k \\ w_{k-1} \\ w_{k-2} \\ w_{k-3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3h_t & 9h_t^2 & 27h_t^3 \\ 1 & 2h_t & 4h_t^2 & 8h_t^3 \\ 1 & h_t & h_t^2 & h_t^3 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a = w_{k-3}$$

$$b = \frac{1}{6h_t} (2w_k - 9w_{k-1} + 18w_{k-2} - 11w_{k-3})$$

$$c = \frac{1}{2h_t^2} (-w_k + 4w_{k-1} - 5w_{k-2} + 2w_{k-3})$$

$$d = \frac{1}{6h_t^3} (w_k - 3w_{k-1} + 3w_{k-2} - w_{k-3})$$

Fig 4. Node-point deflection as a third-order function of time (after Houbolt, Ref 8).

$$\begin{aligned}
\left[\frac{2}{h_t} [M] + \frac{11}{6h_t} [DF] + [K] \right] \{w_k\} &= \{Q_k\} \\
- \frac{1}{h_t} [M] \{-5w_{k-1} + 4w_{k-2} - w_{k-3}\} & \\
- \frac{1}{6h_t} [DF] \{-18w_{k-1} + 9w_{k-2} - 2w_{k-3}\} & \quad (3.7)
\end{aligned}$$

Newmark, on the other hand, developed a powerful iterative technique for step-by-step analysis (Ref 16). The acceleration at the end of a time step is estimated, and the velocity and deflection are then calculated by

$$\dot{w}_k = \dot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t}{2} (\ddot{w}_{k-1} + \ddot{w}_k) \quad (3.7a)$$

$$w_k = w_{k-1} + h_t \dot{w}_{k-1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \beta \right) h_t^2 \ddot{w}_{k-1} + \beta h_t^2 \ddot{w}_k \quad (3.7b)$$

The restoring and damping forces can then be determined at time k and a new estimate of acceleration can be computed:

$$[M] \{\ddot{w}_{k_I}\} = \{Q_k\} - [DF] \{\dot{w}_{k_{I-1}}\} - [K] \{w_{k_{I-1}}\} \quad (3.8)$$

With the new estimate of acceleration at time k , the process is repeated until the successive values of acceleration agree within a specified tolerance.

The parameter β in Eq 3.7 governs the influence of the acceleration at the end of the time interval (\ddot{w}_k) on the displacement at that point. Furthermore, the value selected for β determines the variation of acceleration during the interval h_t . For $\beta = \frac{1}{6}$, the method becomes a linear acceleration assumption. A β -value of $\frac{1}{4}$ represents constant acceleration throughout the interval and $\beta = \frac{1}{8}$ may be interpreted as a step function having an acceleration \ddot{w}_{k-1} over the first half of the time interval and \ddot{w}_k through the last half.

Because of the iterative technique, the method easily lends itself to nonlinear analysis. However, for linear analysis, a direct solution is possible for deflections at the new time station. Using the β method (Eq 3.7), Chan et al have developed a recurrence relation which eliminates both velocities and accelerations from the equations of motion (Ref 4).

Wilson and Clough presented direct methods for step-by-step vibration analysis which are based on the variation of acceleration during the time-step interval (Ref 27). Methods are presented for constant, linear, and parabolic variations. The step-by-step procedure developed in this report was based on work by these investigators.

Linear Acceleration Algorithm for Step-by-Step Analysis

The basis for the analysis presented herein is the assumption of a linear variation of the acceleration between time steps. As shown in Fig 5, the linear acceleration approach has several appealing properties. First, continuous values of acceleration, velocity, and deflection are obtained. Furthermore, it is the lowest order approximation of acceleration which satisfies these conditions.

The acceleration at the end of the interval, from $k-1$ to k , is equal to the initial acceleration plus a constant v times the time-step increment:

$$\ddot{w}_k = \ddot{w}_{k-1} + h_t v \quad (3.9)$$

Expressions for velocity and deflection are found by integrating Eq 3.9 and eliminating the constant v :

$$\dot{w}_k = \dot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t}{2} (\ddot{w}_{k-1} + \ddot{w}_k) \quad (3.10a)$$

$$w_k = w_{k-1} + h_t \dot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t^2}{3} \ddot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t^2}{6} \ddot{w}_k \quad (3.10b)$$

These relations may then be substituted into the equations of motion (Eq 2.9) for the derivation of a recursive relation for accelerations at time k :

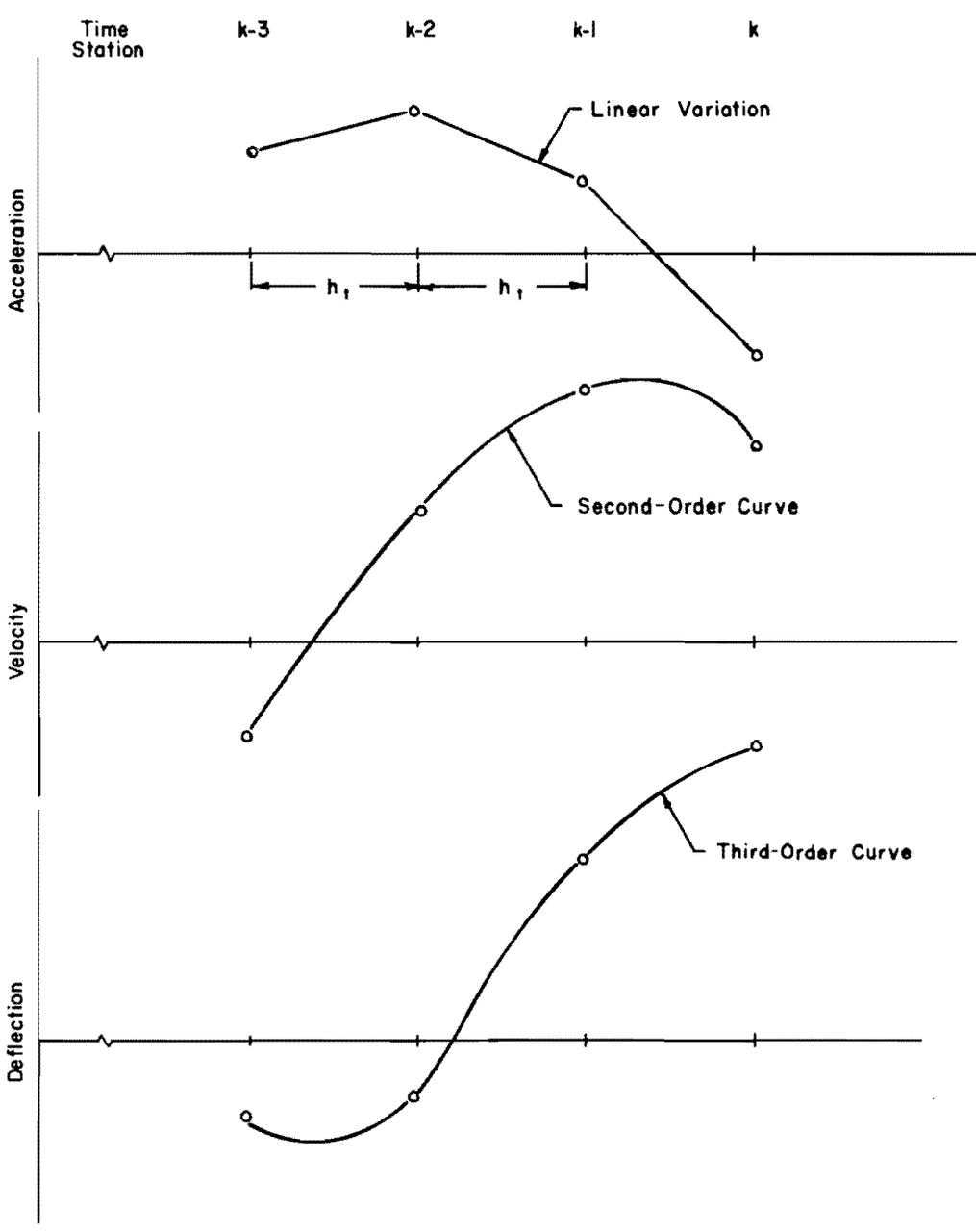


Fig 5. Node-point response for linear acceleration algorithm (after Wilson and Clough, Ref 27).

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left[[M] + \frac{h_t}{2} [DF] + \frac{h_t^2}{6} [K] \right] \{\ddot{w}_k\} = \{Q_t\} \\
& - \left[\frac{h_t}{2} [DF] + \frac{h_t^2}{3} [K] \right] \{\ddot{w}_{k-1}\} \\
& - \left[[DF] + h_t [K] \right] \{\dot{w}_{k-1}\} - [K] \{w_{k-1}\}
\end{aligned} \tag{3.11}$$

The nodal accelerations, from Eq 3.11, are then used to compute velocities and deflections (Eqs 3.10).

It is possible to eliminate both acceleration and velocity terms from Eq 3.11 by combining dynamic equilibrium equations at times $k+1$, k , and $k-1$. The recursive relation, found to be a specialized form of work presented by Chan et al (Ref 4), will include only the displacement at the three time stations:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} [M] + \frac{3}{h_t} [DF] + [K] \right] \{w_{k+1}\} = \{Q_{k+1} + 4Q_k + Q_{k-1}\} \\
& - \left[-\frac{3}{h_t^2} [M] + [K] \right] \{4w_k\} \\
& - \left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} [M] - \frac{3}{h_t} [DF] + [K] \right] \{w_{k-1}\}
\end{aligned} \tag{3.12}$$

The derivation of Eq 3.12 is presented in detail in Appendix C.

Comparing Eqs 3.11 and 3.12, it may be seen that Eq 3.12 requires more information for each time step, i.e., loading at the three time steps as well as the two previous deflections. Although Eq 3.11 may be evaluated by knowing the load at the end of the time interval in question, and the acceleration, velocity, and deflection at the start of the interval, two additional calculations are required after \ddot{w}_k is determined. Both the velocity and deflection

must be computed for time k before the acceleration at $k+1$ can be determined. Because of those extra computations, the computer time required to propagate an analysis a given number of time steps would be greater for Eq 3.11. Equation 3.12 is therefore used in the analysis procedure.

Interpretation of Linear Acceleration Algorithm

The behavior of a node point for the assumption of linear acceleration is shown in Fig 5. This response imposes certain load conditions on the structure. First, the inertia force $M\ddot{w}$ is seen to vary linearly between time $k-1$ and k . Damping, if present, will vary as a second-order curve and the elastic restoring force as a third-order curve. For the equations of motion to be satisfied at all points within the time interval, forces with third-order variation must be applied at all node points.

If dynamic loads are placed at all nodes of the structure, it would not seem unreasonable that they vary as a third-order curve during the interval h_t . However, when one investigates unloaded node points, a condition which may create errors is discovered. To bring the problem into focus, consider a structure in free vibration with no damping. At discrete points in time, k , $k+1$, ..., dynamic equilibrium is satisfied and the applied load required is zero. For equilibrium at any instant during the interval k to $k+1$, a load is required which is the difference between the inertia force, which is linear, and the restoring force, which has a third-order variation. If this difference is large, serious errors would be introduced. To limit the load error, it is necessary to select a small time increment for propagation of the solution. Furthermore, it is shown in the next chapter that a small value for h_t is required for stability of the numerical procedure.

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CHAPTER 4. STABILITY ANALYSIS

There are two reasons for the use of step-by-step procedures for vibration analysis. First and foremost, the method lends itself to nonlinear analysis. A second but less significant reason would be to include the influence of the higher modes of vibration on the total response of the structure. In the preceding chapter it was noted that the accuracy of the method may be seriously influenced by the selection of a time-step increment which is too large. Furthermore, it will be shown in this chapter that small time steps are often required to insure stability of the numerical method. A rational approach based on the stability analysis is proposed for the selection of the time-step magnitude.

Stability of Numerical Solutions for Initial-Value Problems

The problem of stability does not appear in numerical solutions to boundary-value problems since the selection of the increment size does not cause unstable solutions. On the other hand, the stability of numerical solutions to initial-value problems is related directly to the time-step increment. Small time-step increments are required for stable solutions to many initial-value problems. A large time-step increment may cause serious oscillations to appear after a few time steps. Unbounded oscillations are characteristic of an unstable time-step increment and are related to the mode shapes associated with the highest natural frequencies of the model. The stable time-step increment, it will be shown, is a function of x and y -increment size as well as the stiffness and mass properties of the discrete-element model.

Determination of the stability of a numerical procedure is based on the investigation of the propagation of errors introduced at any time step. If, after a large number of time steps, the errors are unbounded, the solution is said to be unstable. However, it has been shown that numerical solutions which are unstable for one time increment are stable for a smaller value (Ref 18).

The basis for stability analysis of a step-by-step method is to solve the equations of motion for the discrete-element model. It is generally possible to assume a solution which is a product of two functions, one dependent only on the time variable, the other dependent on the space variables. For many problems, the time function will be exponential. If this is the case, the exponential must decay as time increases for the numerical method to be stable.

While it is not practical to study the stability of the more complicated structural configurations of plates on foundations, insight into the stability of the numerical procedure can be gained by studying certain simple cases. In this chapter the stability of the linear acceleration algorithm is investigated for the simply supported plate with and without elastic foundation support.

Stability Analysis of Linear Acceleration Algorithm

The stability of the numerical procedure (Eq 3.12) can be studied by assuming a function of the form (Ref 5)

$$w_{i,j,k} = e^{\phi k} W(i,j) \quad (4.1)$$

The first two subscripts of w represent space coordinates while the last one is the time step. To simplify the analysis of the numerical procedure, a uniform isotropic plate without damping is investigated.

Shown in Fig 6 is a graphical representation of the equation for one node resulting from the substitution of Eqs A.19 through A.31 into Eq 3.12.

If equal increments are taken in both the x and y -directions, the equations given in Fig 6 can be simplified by

$$h = h_x = h_y$$

The equation for free vibration of any i,j node for a rectangular plate becomes

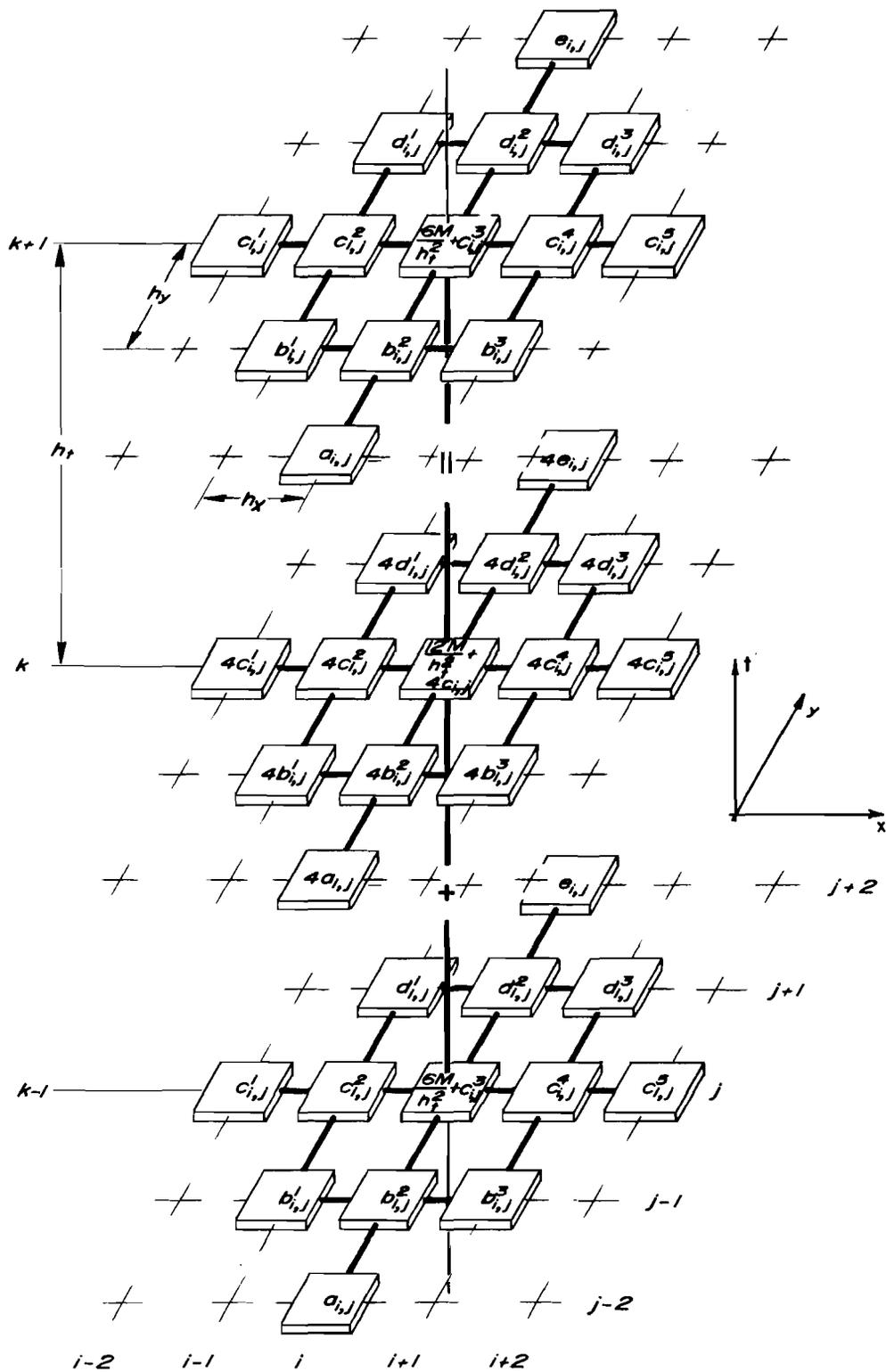


Fig 6. Graphical representation of the linear acceleration algorithm for free vibration.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{6M}{h_t^2} \left(w_{i,j,k-1} - 2w_{i,j,k} + w_{i,j,k+1} \right) \\
& + \frac{D}{h^2} \left\{ \left[w_{i-2,j,k-1} + w_{i+2,j,k-1} + w_{i,j-2,k-1} \right. \right. \\
& + w_{i,j+2,k-1} - 8 \left(w_{i-1,j,k-1} + w_{i+1,j,k-1} \right. \\
& + w_{i,j-1,k-1} + w_{i,j+1,k-1} \left. \right) + 2 \left(w_{i-1,j+1,k-1} \right. \\
& + w_{i+1,j+1,k-1} + w_{i-1,j-1,k-1} + w_{i+1,j-1,k-1} \left. \right) \\
& + 20w_{i,j,k-1} \left. \right] + 4 \left[w_{i-2,j,k} + w_{i+2,j,k} + w_{i,j-2,k} \right. \\
& + w_{i,j+2,k} - 8 \left(w_{i-1,j,k} + w_{i+1,j,k} + w_{i,j-1,k} \right. \\
& + w_{i,j+1,k} \left. \right) + 2 \left(w_{i-1,j+1,k} + w_{i+1,j+1,k} \right. \\
& + w_{i-1,j-1,k} + w_{i+1,j-1,k} \left. \right) + 20w_{i,j,k} \left. \right] + \left[w_{i-2,j,k+1} \right. \\
& + w_{i+2,j,k+1} + w_{i,j-2,k+1} + w_{i,j+2,k+1} \\
& - 8 \left(w_{i-1,j,k+1} + w_{i+1,j,k+1} + w_{i,j-1,k+1} + w_{i,j+1,k+1} \right) \\
& + 2 \left(w_{i-1,j+1,k+1} + w_{i+1,j+1,k+1} + w_{i-1,j-1,k+1} \right. \\
& + w_{i+1,j-1,k+1} \left. \right) + 20w_{i,j,k+1} \left. \right] \left. \right\} = 0 \tag{4.2}
\end{aligned}$$

In the preceding equation the foundation resistance is not included.

Dividing by $\frac{6M}{h_t^2}$, a term r can be defined:

$$r = \frac{Dh_t^2}{6Mh^2} \quad (4.3)$$

It will be shown that the value of r must be restricted to a small number for the solution to be stable.

Substitution of Eq 4.1 into Eq 4.2 gives

$$e^{2\Phi} + e^{\Phi} \left[\frac{-2W(i,j) + 4r\chi}{W(i,j) + r\chi} \right] + 1 = 0 \quad (4.4)$$

The function $W(i,j)$ will be of the form

$$W(i,j) = A \sin(\alpha_m i) \sin(\beta_n j) \quad (4.5)$$

where

A = a bounded constant,

α_m = a value dependent on the boundary conditions $i = 0$ and $i = M$,

β_n = a value dependent on the boundary conditions $j = 0$ and $j = N$.

For the simply supported plate, both zero moment and zero deflection are satisfied along the boundary if

$$\alpha_m = \frac{m\pi}{M}$$

and

$$\beta_n = \frac{n\pi}{N}$$

where M and N are the number of increments, respectively, in the i and j -directions.

The term χ in Eq 4.4 is found to be

$$\begin{aligned} \chi = & A \sin i\alpha_m \sin j\beta_n (20 + 2 \cos 2\alpha_m + 2 \cos 2\beta_n \\ & - 16 \cos \alpha_m - 16 \cos \beta_n + 8 \cos \alpha_m \cos \beta_n) \end{aligned} \quad (4.6)$$

Before substituting χ into Eq 4.4, it is useful to determine its maximum value. Since m can take on values from 1 to $M - 1$ and n from 1 to $N - 1$, the sum of the terms in parenthesis will vary from 0 for $m = n = 1$ to a maximum which approaches 64 when $m = M - 1$ and $n = N - 1$. It is important at this point to note that the maximum value corresponds to the highest mode of vibration for the discrete-element plate:

$$W(i,j) = A \sin \left(\frac{(M-1)\pi}{M} i \right) \sin \left(\frac{(N-1)\pi}{N} j \right)$$

The lowest value, on the other hand, corresponds to the fundamental mode of vibration:

$$W(i,j) = A \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{M} i \right) \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{N} j \right)$$

For the fundamental mode shape, Eq 4.4 reduces to

$$e^{2\varphi} - 2e^{\varphi} + 1 = 0 \quad (4.7)$$

Solving for e^{φ} gives

$$e^{\varphi_1} = e^{\varphi_2} = -1$$

For this condition, the exponential $e^{\varphi k}$ oscillates but is bounded as k increases. However, for the highest mode of vibration, the exponential must satisfy the following relation:

$$e^{2\varphi} + e^{\varphi} \left[\frac{-2 + 256r}{1 + 64r} \right] + 1 = 0 \quad (4.8)$$

Defining the coefficient of the middle term as G the values of e^{φ} are found to be

$$e^{\varphi_{1,2}} = -\frac{G}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{G}{2}\right)^2 - 1}$$

In order for Eq 4.1 to have a bounded value as k grows large, the following condition must be satisfied:

$$-1 < e^{\varphi_{1,2}} < 1 \quad (4.9)$$

This condition can be satisfied by

$$-1 < \frac{G}{2} < 1 \quad (4.10)$$

Consider first the lower bound

$$-2 - 128r < -2 + 256r$$

or

$$0 < 384r$$

Since r is a positive number, this condition is always satisfied. For the upper bound

$$-2 + 256r < 2 + 128r$$

or

$$r < \frac{1}{32}$$

Substituting Eq 4.3 for r the maximum value for h_t is found to be

$$h_t < h \sqrt{\frac{3M}{16D}} \quad (4.11)$$

For a plate on foundation, the exponential is determined by a method similar to that given above:

$$e^{2\varphi} + e^{\varphi} \left[\frac{-2 + 256r + \frac{4Sh_t^2}{6M}}{1 + 64r + \frac{Sh_t^2}{6M}} \right] + 1 = 0 \quad (4.12)$$

Again, the coefficient of the middle term must satisfy Eq 4.10. As the lower bound is satisfied by positive values for r and S , the upper bound will be investigated:

$$-2 + 256r + \frac{4SH^2h_t^2}{6M} < 2 + 128r + \frac{2Sh_t^2}{6M}$$

The preceding inequality can be simplified and the limiting value for h_t determined:

$$h_t < h \sqrt{\frac{12M}{64D + Sh^2}} \quad (4.13)$$

It is seen that Eq 4.13 will reduce to Eq 4.11 when $S = 0$. Furthermore, when Sh^2 is large compared with $64D$, the time increment h_t must be smaller than that given by Eq 4.11.

The stability of the numerical procedure has been investigated for a simply supported rectangular plate with and without elastic support. The criterion for stability was that an exponential $e^{\varphi k}$ be bounded as the time coordinate k increased without bound. The value for e^{φ} was found to be related to the highest mode of vibration and, therefore, the smallest period of vibration.

Selection of Time Step for Numerical Integration

The selection of the time increment must be based on the smallest period of vibration of the discrete-element model. It is not within the scope of this work to present an exact method for predicting the highest frequency. On the other hand, it is possible to obtain a reasonable estimate for this value by a simple interpretation of the deflected shape of the plate in the highest mode.

Consider the plate of Fig 7, fixed at all points but i, j . Giving a unit deflection to this point, a restoring force, given by Eq A.25, is developed. For the isotropic plate the force is

$$F_R = \frac{20D}{h^2} + S$$

If released, the node point would vibrate with a frequency

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{20D + Sh^2}{Mh^2}} \quad (4.14)$$

Equation 4.14 is an estimate of the highest frequency of the discrete-element slab. An estimate of the smallest period of vibration is therefore

$$T_{est} = 2\pi h \sqrt{\frac{M}{20D + Sh^2}} \quad (4.15)$$

The stability criterion is compared with the estimated minimum period by dividing Eq 4.13 by Eq 4.15:

$$\frac{h_t}{T_{est}} < \frac{1}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{60D + 3Sh^2}{64D + Sh^2}} \quad (4.16)$$

When

$$Sh^2 < D$$

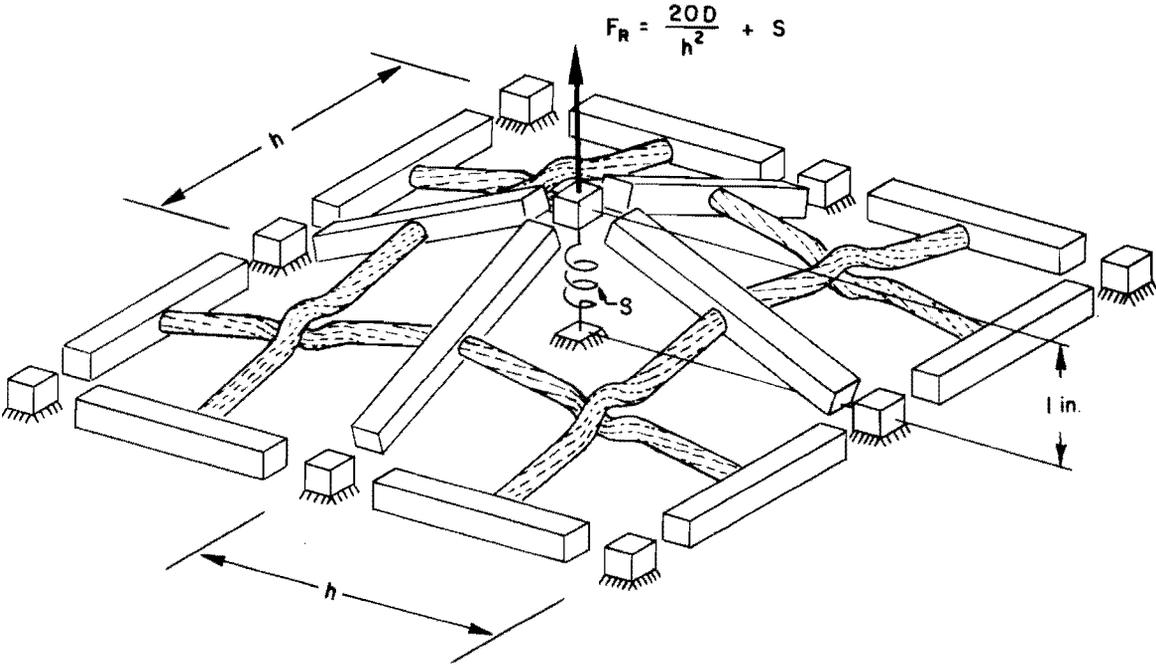


Fig 7. Method for predicting highest frequency of free vibration.

a satisfactory estimate for the maximum time increment will be

$$h_t \leq \frac{1}{4} T_{est} \quad (4.17)$$

Summary

The preceding analysis has focused on the simply supported plate, both with and without foundation support. For other structural configurations, the lowest period of the discrete-element model may differ considerably from that given by Eq 4.15. Slabs on foundations, for example, will exhibit a minimum period which is larger than that given by Eq 4.15. If the edges are unrestrained, the slab becomes more flexible than that considered in the preceding analysis, thus increasing the lowest period. If the initial stiffness of the bilinear foundation is used in the analysis, separation of the slab from the foundation will further increase the smallest period. It is clear, therefore, that a time increment selected by Eq 4.17 will be adequate to ensure stability of the numerical procedure. Furthermore, since damping is not included in the stability analysis, its presence will also increase the stable time-step increment given by Eq 4.17.

To select a time step for a bridge structure, it is recommended that the average bending stiffness of the structure be used. A conservative estimate for h_t should result if the minimum node point mass is used in Eq 4.17.

The stability analysis has shown that stable numerical solutions to simply supported rectangular plate problems can always be obtained, providing the time increment satisfies Eq 4.9. Solution instability, if noted, may be corrected by reducing the magnitude of the time step and repeating the analysis.

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CHAPTER 5. NONLINEAR ANALYSIS

Although the problems investigated in this work involve support characteristics which allow the slab to lift free of the foundation, the iterative techniques discussed in this chapter can be used for the analysis of structures with more general nonlinear material properties. Nonlinear analysis is therefore discussed with reference to the general nonlinear foundation.

In addition to the secant and tangent methods for solving structures with material nonlinearity, the load iteration technique is presented and discussed. The major difference, and advantage, of load iteration is that the deflection-coefficient matrix of the structure is not modified from one iteration to the next since corrections for nonlinear stiffness effects are made on the load side of the equations.

Foundation Characterization

The foundation is modeled by discrete and independent springs at each of the node points. This idealization, commonly referred to as the Winkler foundation, generates stiffness terms on only the main diagonal of the stiffness matrix. Either linear or nonlinear characteristics can be prescribed for computer analysis (see Chapter 8).

The nonlinear characteristics of each node-point spring are described by a curve consisting of straight line segments. The bilinear foundation studied in this work is shown in Fig 8. The force developed on the model by the foundation is plotted on the vertical axis and the model deflection on the horizontal axis. For both load and deflection, the positive sense is upward. For this characterization, resistance to deflection is developed only when node points deflect in the negative or downward direction.

The computer program has been prepared to accept any type of elastic nonlinearity, such as that shown in Fig 9. There are only two limitations on the nonlinear characterization: (1) the resistance-deflection curve must be continuous and (2) for every value of deflection there must be a unique resistance.

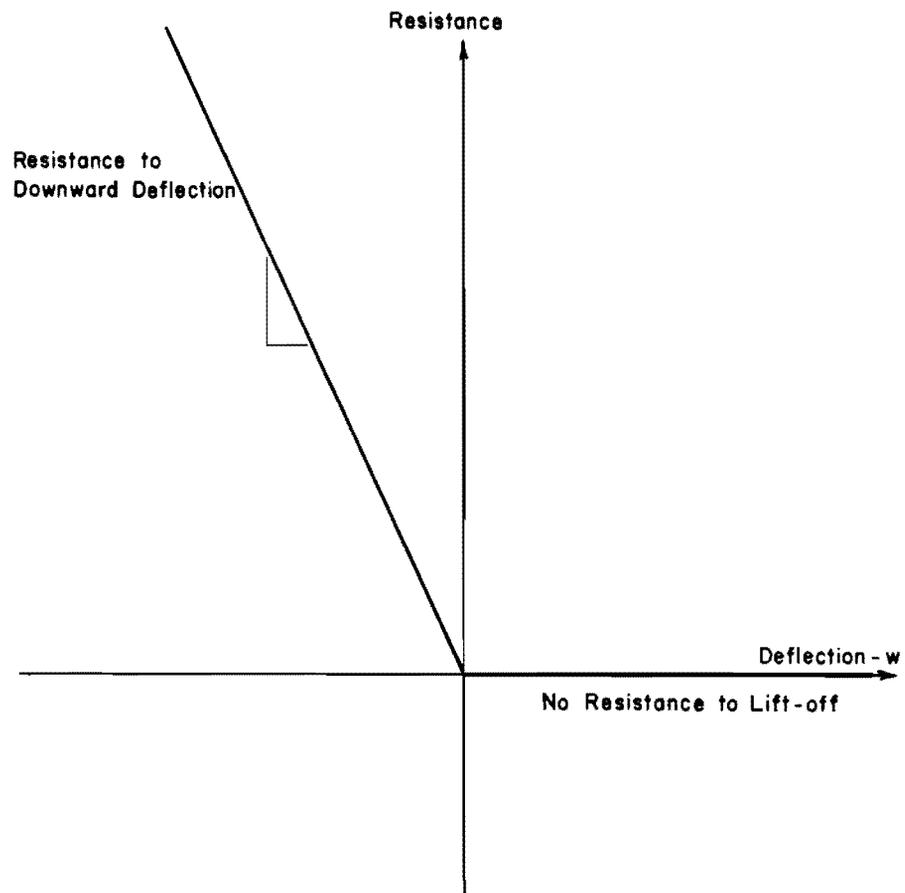


Fig 8. Bilinear foundation characteristics.

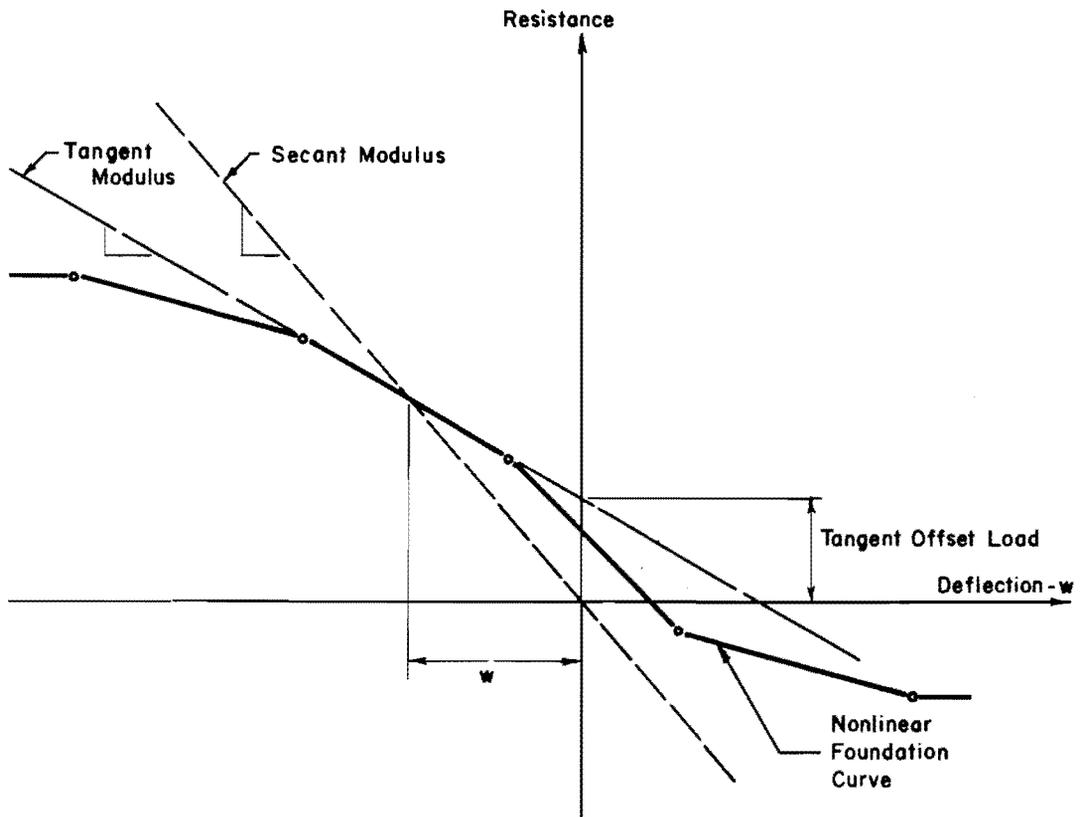


Fig 9. Representation of nonlinear foundation characteristics.

Stiffness Iteration

Nonlinear analysis can be performed by the repeated solution of modified linear equations (Ref 15). The node-point deflections are first calculated for an assumed foundation stiffness. The new deflections are then used to obtain a better estimate of stiffness. Using the new stiffness, deflections are again calculated and compared with the initial set. The iterative procedure is repeated until the deflections of two consecutive iterations agree within a specified tolerance, a condition which is called closure.

While it is often not possible to prove the convergence of stiffness iteration methods, experience has shown that solutions generally are very stable and usually converge. The procedures discussed below have been shown to be convergent for the static analysis of plates supported on soil (Ref 1). Furthermore, with the foundation properly defined, analytical solutions compare very favorably with the experimental results.

An iterative procedure which has application to a wide range of nonlinear elastic problems is the secant modulus method. By this method (shown in Fig 9) the elastic supports are adjusted from one solution to the next until closure is obtained. Although the secant modulus iteration method converges more slowly than the tangent modulus method, to be discussed next, it is very stable. Oscillations are rarely found in the iteration procedure; instead, the procedure creeps toward the equilibrium position. This method may be applied with very satisfactory results to problems with elastic, perfectly plastic material properties.

The tangent modulus method (Fig 9) has been used successfully to analyze beams on nonlinear foundations (Ref 13). This method may adjust both the stiffness and the load from one iteration to the next. The rate of convergence of the tangent modulus method is generally faster than that found for the secant approach. On the other hand, the tangent method may exhibit instability problems in cases of elastic, perfectly plastic material behavior. However, the instability is rarely noted, because the possibility of the complete plastic action for all support points is highly unlikely.

As a general rule, the tangent modulus method would be preferred to the secant approach because of the rapid rate of closure which has been noted for most problems. Studies of both beams and plates on nonlinear foundations have shown this to be true.

Load Iteration

The load iteration method (Fig 10) presents an attractive alternative to the stiffness adjustment methods because the deflection coefficients remain constant during the iteration procedure. The procedure therefore requires only a single inversion of the stiffness matrix. Repetitive solutions are found by multiplying the new load vector for each iteration by the inverted stiffness matrix. The stiffness iteration methods, on the other hand, require an inversion for each iteration.

Although the concept of the inverse of the coefficient matrix will be useful for the discussion of the load iteration method, the equations are solved by a more efficient matrix-decomposition method (see Chapter 7). For the load iteration method, only single decomposition of the coefficient matrix is required while stiffness iteration methods, on the other hand, require a complete decomposition for each iteration.

The nonlinear foundation is initially characterized by a linear spring. The deflections are computed using the linear approximation, and the prescribed resistance for that deflection is determined. The difference between the prescribed resistance and that developed by the linear spring is then added to the load term and a new deflection determined. The process is repeated until equilibrium is established.

With the nonlinear foundation represented by a linear spring, the equilibrium equations for the discrete-element model can be written

$$[K] \{w\} = \{Q\} + \{L(w)\} \quad (5.1)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 [K] &= \text{the linear stiffness matrix for the slab and foundation, including the linear approximation for the nonlinear curve,} \\
 \{Q\} &= \text{the applied lateral load,} \\
 \{L(w)\} &= \text{a deflection-dependent load function which is the difference between the nonlinear foundation curve and the linear approximation.}
 \end{aligned}$$

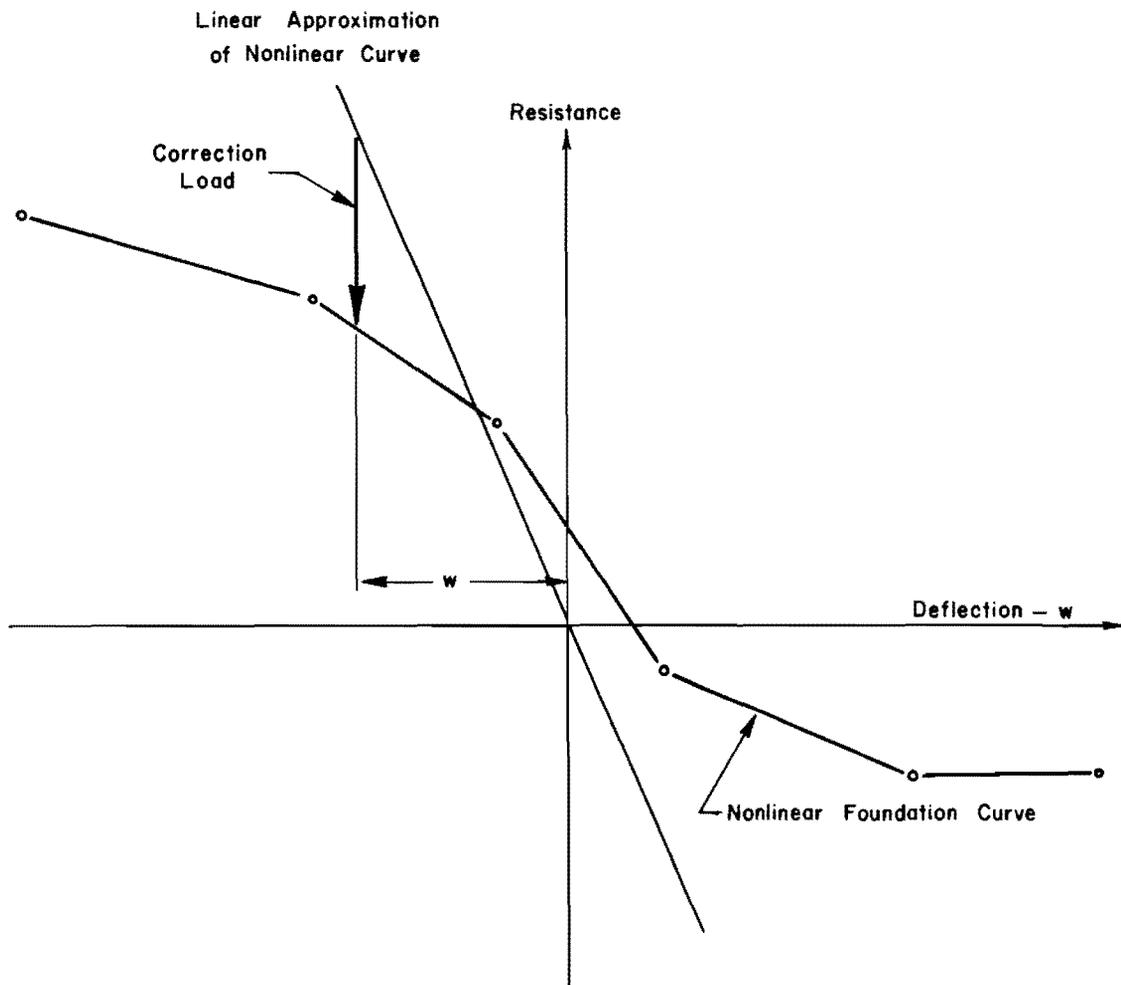


Fig 10. The load iteration method for nonlinear analysis.

The iterative procedure therefore becomes

$$[K] \{w_I\} = \{Q\} + \{L_{I-1}\} \quad (5.2)$$

or

$$\{w_I\} = [K]^{-1} \{Q + L_{I-1}\} \quad (5.3)$$

Equation 5.3 is repeatedly solved until the difference between successive solutions is less than a prescribed tolerance.

To achieve convergence, load iteration generally requires more iterations than either the secant or tangent methods. However, for many problems, convergence is reached in less computer time than with the stiffness methods. In a typical problem as many as ten load iterations can be performed in the time required for a single cycle of a stiffness iteration.

Although the stability and convergence of the load iteration method have not been rigorously proved, the method has been verified experimentally and a wide variety of problems have been solved. Beams on nonlinear foundations were studied first. The results of this investigation served as guide lines for the plate studies.

The beam studies indicated that the load iteration method would be a useful tool for nonlinear analysis. It was found that the linear approximation of the foundation should be near to the initial tangent of the resistance-deflection curve to insure stable closure. With a spring which was too soft, oscillations were noted in the closure process. A safe approach was found by always using the initial tangent, which, however, exhibited a creeping closure toward the equilibrium position.

When the method was applied for the solution of plate problems, the oscillating closure process was not as common as noted in beam solutions. This can be attributed to the greater redundancy of the plate. At any point on the beam the resistance to deflection is available from both the foundation and the beam stiffnesses. The plate, on the other hand, may be viewed as a grid, so that two crossing beams as well as the foundation offer resistance to the node-point deflection.

Closure of the solution, as noted earlier, using only load iteration may require many cycles of the solution procedure. Experience has shown that for a wide range of static problems, using alternating cycles of load iteration with a single cycle of the tangent modulus method reduces both the number of iterations and the time required for a solution. The number of cycles of load iteration before changing to a tangent modulus depends on the number of increments in the discrete-element model. However, the method demonstrated in this work (Chapter 9) focuses on solution capability by load iteration only.

CHAPTER 6. ALGORITHM FOR NONLINEAR DYNAMIC ANALYSIS

The load iteration method is coupled with the linear acceleration algorithm for numerical integration to develop an iterative procedure for nonlinear analysis. Three separate steps are considered in the analysis:

- (1) static solution for the initial conditions,
- (2) analysis for the first time step, and
- (3) the iterative procedure for the general time step.

Nonlinear Equations of Motion

The equilibrium equation for the load iteration method is given by Eq 5.1. The addition of inertia and damping forces to Eq 5.1 will yield the equation of motion for the model:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{M} \end{bmatrix} \{\ddot{\mathbf{w}}\} + \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{DF} \end{bmatrix} \{\dot{\mathbf{w}}\} + \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K} \end{bmatrix} \{\mathbf{w}\} = \{\mathbf{Q}\} + \{\mathbf{L}(\mathbf{w})\} \quad (6.1)$$

Again $\{\mathbf{L}(\mathbf{w})\}$ represents the nonlinear load correction for the linearized resistance-deflection curve. Nonlinear analysis will be performed by adjusting the correction load until equilibrium or closure is satisfied.

Initial Conditions - Static Analysis

The step-by-step analysis is started with the plate at rest. Acceleration and velocity for all node points are zero while the deflection is that due to the dead load of the plate and all other sustained loads. The iteration procedure for the dead load deflection is given by Eq 5.3 or

$$\{\mathbf{w}_{0_I}\} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \{\mathbf{Q}_s + \mathbf{L}_{0_{I-1}}\} \quad (6.2)$$

When equilibrium is established, the correction loads and deflections are saved for use in the calculation of the deflection at the end of the first time increment.

First Time Step

During the program planning phase of this work, consideration was given to starting the propagation of the solution from a condition other than at rest. For example, if initial velocities and accelerations are prescribed, or need to be prescribed for a future extension of this work, the capabilities for a logical starting procedure are required. Therefore, to facilitate the modification of the program for other initial conditions, a special routine for the initial time step was included. Although the starting procedure is discussed with respect to the case of zero acceleration and velocity, which is the case for studies presented herein, it may easily be extended to include values other than zero.

The iteration procedure for the first time step is separated into two parts. First, the acceleration at the end of the time interval is calculated; it varies linearly from zero for $k = 0$ to a value \ddot{w}_1 at time $k = 1$. Then the velocity at $k = 1$ is computed and the deflection found by Eq 6.1. New correction loads, corresponding to the calculated deflections, are then used to obtain a new estimate of acceleration at $k = 1$. The derivation of the iterative procedure is given below.

The deflection and velocity at $k = 1$ are given by

$$\dot{w}_1 = \frac{h_t}{2} \ddot{w}_1 \quad (6.3a)$$

and

$$w_1 = w_0 + \frac{h_t^2}{6} \ddot{w}_1 \quad (6.3b)$$

The preceding equations are derived by substituting the initial conditions into Eqs C.1 and C.2 of Appendix C. The equations for dynamic equilibrium can then be written as

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{1I} \right\} + \frac{h_t}{2} \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{1I} \right\} + \frac{h_t^2}{6} \left[K \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{1I} \right\} \\
& = \left\{ Q_s + QD_1 + L_{1I-1} \right\} - \left[K \right] \left\{ w_0 \right\}
\end{aligned} \tag{6.4}$$

or

$$\left[\left[M \right] + \frac{h_t}{2} \left[DF \right] + \frac{h_t^2}{6} \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{1I} \right\} = \left\{ QD_1 - L_0 + L_{1I-1} \right\} \tag{6.5}$$

The right-hand side of Eq 6.4 is simplified by the replacement of $\left[K \right] \left\{ w_0 \right\}$ with Eq 5.1. From the acceleration, calculated by Eq 6.5, the velocity is determined (Eq 6.3a) and the deflections are found by

$$\left[K \right] \left\{ w_{1I} \right\} = \left\{ Q_s + QD_1 + L_{1I-1} \right\} - \left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{1I} \right\} - \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{1I} \right\} \tag{6.6}$$

A new estimate of the correction load $\left\{ L_{1I} \right\}$ is found and substituted into Eq 6.5. The iterative procedure is stopped when the deflections calculated at successive iterations agree within a specified tolerance.

To modify the program to include both initial velocities and accelerations, it is necessary only to replace Eqs 6.3 by the more general Eqs C.1 and C.2 of Appendix C. The logic of the starting method and the iteration procedure for the deflection at the end of the first time step would remain unchanged.

General Time Step

With the deflection and correction load known at $k = 0$ and $k = 1$, an iterative procedure for the deflection at $k = 2$, and all following time stations, can be developed, following the analysis presented in Appendix C.

Dynamic equilibrium equations are first written for times $k-1$, k , and $k+1$:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[M \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{k-1} \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{k-1} \right\} + \left[K \right] \left\{ w_{k-1} \right\} \\ & = \left\{ Q_s + QD_{k-1} + L_{k-1} \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (6.7a)$$

$$\left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_k \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_k \right\} + \left[K \right] \left\{ w_k \right\} = \left\{ Q_s + QD_k + L_k \right\} \quad (6.7b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{k+1} \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{k+1} \right\} + \left[K \right] \left\{ w_{k+1} \right\} \\ & = \left\{ Q_s + QD_{k+1} + L_{k+1} \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (6.7c)$$

After multiplying Eq 6.7b by 4, Eqs 6.7 are added and acceleration and velocity terms replaced by Eqs C.6 and C.8:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] + \frac{3}{h_t} \left[DF \right] + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ w_{k+1} \right\} = \left\{ 6Q_s + QD_{k-1} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 4QD_k + QD_{k+1} \right\} + \left\{ L_{k-1} + 4L_k + L_{k+1} \right\} \\ & \quad - \left[-\frac{3}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ 4w_k \right\} - \left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] \right. \\ & \quad \left. - \frac{3}{h_t} \left[DF \right] + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ w_{k-1} \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (6.8)$$

The correction load at time $k+1$ is not immediately known, and iteration is required. The load iteration procedure for the general time step therefore becomes

$$\left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] + \frac{3}{h_t} \left[DF \right] + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ w_{k+1_I} \right\} = \left\{ L_{k+1_{I-1}} \right\} + \left\{ Q'_{k+1} \right\} \quad (6.9)$$

or

$$\{w_{k+1}\}_I = [K']^{-1} \{L_{k+1}_{I-1} + Q'_{k+1}\} \quad (6.10)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} [K'] &= \text{a modified stiffness matrix,} \\ \{Q'_{k+1}\} &= \text{an equivalent load vector.} \end{aligned}$$

During the iteration at any time step, the equivalent load vector $\{Q'_{k+1}\}$ remains unchanged; only the correction load varies from one iteration to the next. When equilibrium is established, the correction load and deflection are stored for the analysis of deflection at time $k+2$. A new equivalent load vector $\{Q'_{k+2}\}$ is computed and the iterative procedure repeated.

For the initial conditions of zero velocity and acceleration, the preceding equations could have been employed to start the dynamic analysis of the plate. If the static deflection, static load, and correction load for the static condition were substituted for terms with k and $k-1$ subscripts, the deflection w_{k+1} at the end of the first time step could have been determined by Eq 6.9. However, use of the special starting procedure insures greater flexibility of the program for future developments.

Summary

A method for the dynamic analysis of a discrete-element plate model on nonlinear foundations has been presented. Justification and verification of the method must be based on its rational development and experience with problem solving. Experience with the procedure has shown, for example, that nonlinear static problems can be solved by the load iteration method (Ref 1). Furthermore, it was noted in Chapter 5 that analytical results check favorably with experimental plate test data.

However, in the absence of experimental data for dynamically loaded plates on nonlinear foundations, it becomes necessary to justify the method by both its rational development and the demonstration of its solution capabilities. In Chapter 9 the method is applied to the free vibration of a square plate and the response of a plate to a moving load. Comparisons of computer results for these problems with existing theory will be useful for the evaluation of the method.

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CHAPTER 7. SOLUTION OF EQUATIONS

To describe adequately a plate for computer analysis, it may be necessary to make a fine division of the structure, thereby generating a large number of equations to be solved. The deflection coefficient matrix is not inverted, as indicated in the preceding chapter. Instead, an efficient Gaussian elimination procedure for banded matrices is applied for the solution. Moreover, the equations need not be solved for each load vector. Multipliers generated during the first elimination procedure are stored for use with each successive load vector. The recursive process for repeated solutions has been called the multiple load method.

Organization of Equations

For each plate problem a rectangular grid work must be defined to describe the structure (see Chapter 8). The number of increments or rigid bars in the x-direction will be M and in the y-direction N . For the most efficient use of the solution procedure, $M \leq N$. The number of node points or joints therefore becomes $M + 1$ and $N + 1$ for the x and y-directions. Two boundary condition equations are required for each x and y-grid line, bringing the total number of equations to be solved to $(M + 3)(N + 3)$.

The equations generated by the model are shown in Fig 11. Presented in this manner two distinct types of banding are noted. First there is a submatrix banding. This is similar to banding noted when structures are partitioned into substructures and then formulated by the stiffness method. For any constant y-grid line j , the node behavior is influenced by deflections on grids $j-2$, $j-1$, $j+1$, and $j+2$.

Submatrix banding is shown in Fig 12. The terms in the submatrices are given in either Appendix A (static analysis) or Appendix B (dynamic analysis). Only the nonzero terms are computed and stored for the analysis procedure.

The coefficient matrix of Fig 11 is developed by writing either node equilibrium equations or equations of motion starting at node $i = 0$, $j = 0$ and ending with node $i = M + 1$, $j = N + 1$. Each horizontal partition in

GENERAL SLAB EQUATION:

$$a_{i,j} w_{i,j-2} + b_{i,j} w_{i,j-1} + b_{i,j}^2 w_{i,j-1} + b_{i,j}^3 w_{i,j-1} + c_{i,j}^1 w_{i-2,j} + c_{i,j}^2 w_{i-1,j} + c_{i,j}^3 w_{i,j} + c_{i,j}^4 w_{i+1,j} + c_{i,j}^5 w_{i+2,j} + d_{i,j}^1 w_{i,j+1} + d_{i,j}^2 w_{i,j+1} + d_{i,j}^3 w_{i,j+1} + e_{i,j} w_{i,j+2} = q_{i,j}$$

OR IN MATRIX FORM:

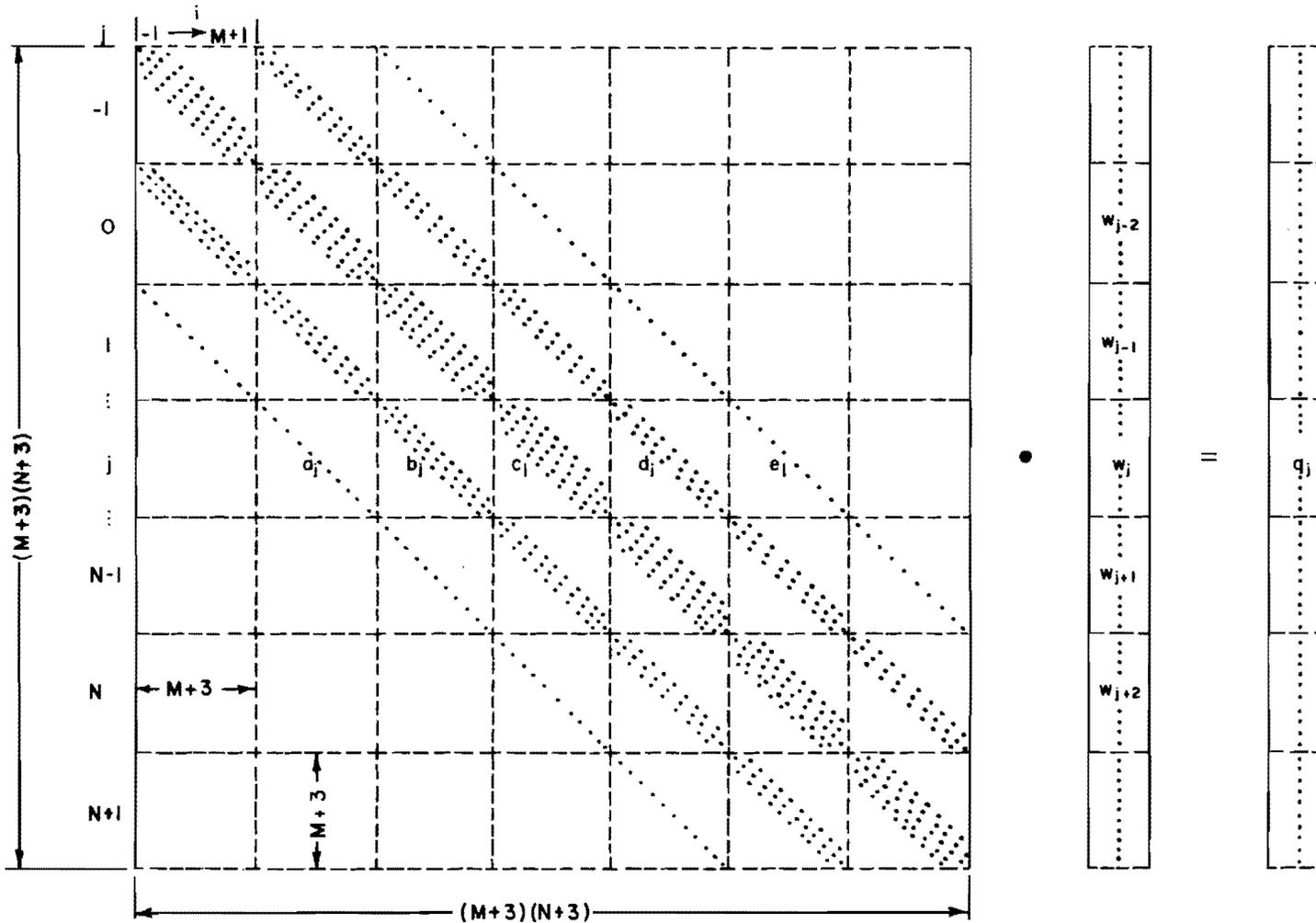


Fig 11. Banding of equations for the dynamic analysis of plates and slabs (after Stelzer, Ref 20).

Fig 11 represents the node equations along a constant j -grid line, consecutively written from $i = 0$ to $i = M + 1$. The horizontal partitions identified as -1 and $N + 2$ contain the boundary equations for edge conditions in the y -direction. For the x -direction, the boundary equations appear as the first and last lines of the partitions 0 through $N + 1$.

Recursion-Inversion Solution Procedure

While the recursion-inversion method has been presented elsewhere (Refs 6 and 17), it is included to complete the discussion of the method for analysis. Consider the j^{th} horizontal partition of either the discretized equations of motion or the static equilibrium equations:

$$\begin{aligned} [a_j] \{w_{j-2}\} + [b_j] \{w_{j-1}\} + [c_j] \{w_j\} + [d_j] \{w_{j+1}\} \\ + [e_j] \{w_{j+2}\} = \{q_j\} \end{aligned} \quad (7.1)$$

By substituting a solution of the form

$$\{w_j\} = \{A_j\} + [B_j] \{w_{j+1}\} + [C_j] \{w_{j+2}\} \quad (7.2)$$

into Eq 7.1, it is possible to eliminate the deflections $\{w_{j-2}\}$ and $\{w_{j-1}\}$. Solving for $\{w_j\}$, the recursion matrices are determined:

$$\{A_j\} = [D_j] \left[[E_j] \{A_{j-1}\} + [a_j] \{A_{j-2}\} - \{q_j\} \right] \quad (7.3)$$

$$[B_j] = [D_j] \left[[E_j] [C_{j-1}] + [d_j] \right] \quad (7.4)$$

$$[C_j] = [D_j] [e_j] \quad (7.5)$$

The $[D_j]$ and $[E_j]$ matrices can be considered as multiplier matrices. They are found to be

$$\begin{bmatrix} D_j \end{bmatrix} = - \left[\begin{bmatrix} a_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C_{j-2} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} E_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{j-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c_j \end{bmatrix} \right]^{-1} \quad (7.6)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} E_j \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{j-2} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_j \end{bmatrix} \quad (7.7)$$

Panak (Ref 17) shows the similarity between Eqs 7.3 through 7.7 and those derived for the recursive solution of beam-columns (Ref 14). In the latter problem, constants replace the matrices.

For a symmetric stiffness matrix, a similar set of recursive matrices and multipliers can be developed (Ref 6):

$$\begin{Bmatrix} A_j \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} D_j \end{bmatrix} \left[\begin{bmatrix} E_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} A_{j-1} \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} e_{j-2} \end{bmatrix}^t \begin{Bmatrix} A_{j-2} \end{Bmatrix} - \begin{Bmatrix} q_j \end{Bmatrix} \right] \quad (7.8)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} B_j \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} D_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E_{j+1} \end{bmatrix}^t \quad (7.9)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_j \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} D_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e_j \end{bmatrix} \quad (7.10)$$

where

$$\begin{bmatrix} D_j \end{bmatrix} = - \left[\begin{bmatrix} e_{j-2} \end{bmatrix}^t \begin{bmatrix} C_{j-2} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} E_j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{j-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c_j \end{bmatrix} \right]^{-1} \quad (7.11)$$

and

$$\begin{bmatrix} E_{j+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e_{j-1} \end{bmatrix}^t \begin{bmatrix} B_{j-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} d_j \end{bmatrix}^t \quad (7.12)$$

A close inspection of Eqs 7.7 and 7.12 reveals the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} E_{-1} \end{bmatrix}$ to be zero. Furthermore, since $\begin{bmatrix} E_{-1} \end{bmatrix}$ is not required for the symmetric form, these calculations are omitted.

Since the equations for the discrete-element model are symmetric, Eqs 7.8 through 7.12 are used in the solution procedure.

Multiple Load Analysis

The multiple load method for analysis was first presented by Panak (Ref 17), and is reviewed to complete the discussion of the procedure.

A careful study of Eqs 7.8 through 7.12 will reveal that the load vector $\{q_j\}$ influences only the calculation of $\{A_j\}$. Since $\{A_j\}$ does not appear in either the remaining coefficient or multiplier matrices, a convenient method for solving a system of linear equations with several loading, or right-hand sides, presents itself. For the first right-hand side, the matrices $[E_j]$, $[C_j]$, and $[B_j]$ are computed and stored on disk or tape files. The $\{A_j\}$ term, however, is dependent on the unique loading condition, and is destroyed when no longer required for the solution process. For the second and all succeeding right-hand sides, the coefficient and multiplier matrices are recalled, as needed, and new $\{A_j\}$ values computed.

CHAPTER 8. COMPUTER PROGRAM

The numerical method described in this report has been coded in FORTRAN language for the Control Data Corporation (CDC) 6600 digital computer. The computer program consists of a main driver program and 27 subroutines. Although several of the subroutines could easily be incorporated into the main program, greater flexibility is achieved with the program in subroutine form. This feature will facilitate the program's extension or modification to include future developments.

Other significant features of the program include the extensive use of peripheral storage units, the method for the description of the dynamic loading, and, finally, the use of Endres' efficient recursion-inversion, multiple load technique for the solution of the linear, simultaneous equations (Ref 6).

To provide the necessary storage for problems with large numbers of increments in x and y -directions, much of the data have been placed on disk files. In addition to program data, the static, dynamic, and correction loads, as well as the structures stiffness matrix, are stored in separate files.

Program SLAB 35

Program SLAB 35 is a FORTRAN program for the CDC 6600 digital computer. This program is the thirty-fifth of a sequence for the analysis of plate structures. All of the preceding programs identified by SLAB were written for the static analysis of plates and slabs. With the exception of the READ and WRITE commands for the peripheral storage requirement, the program was coded in ASA FORTRAN.

A summary flow diagram which indicates the order in which operations are performed is presented in Fig 13. Detailed flow diagrams and listings of the main program and subroutines are given in Appendix E.

The required computer time for any problem is a function of the number of model increments and number of iterations for closure. For the example problems included in this work, 140 time steps for a linear 8 by 8 plate required 2400 seconds. For the 4 by 15 plate with moving load, 200 time steps of the

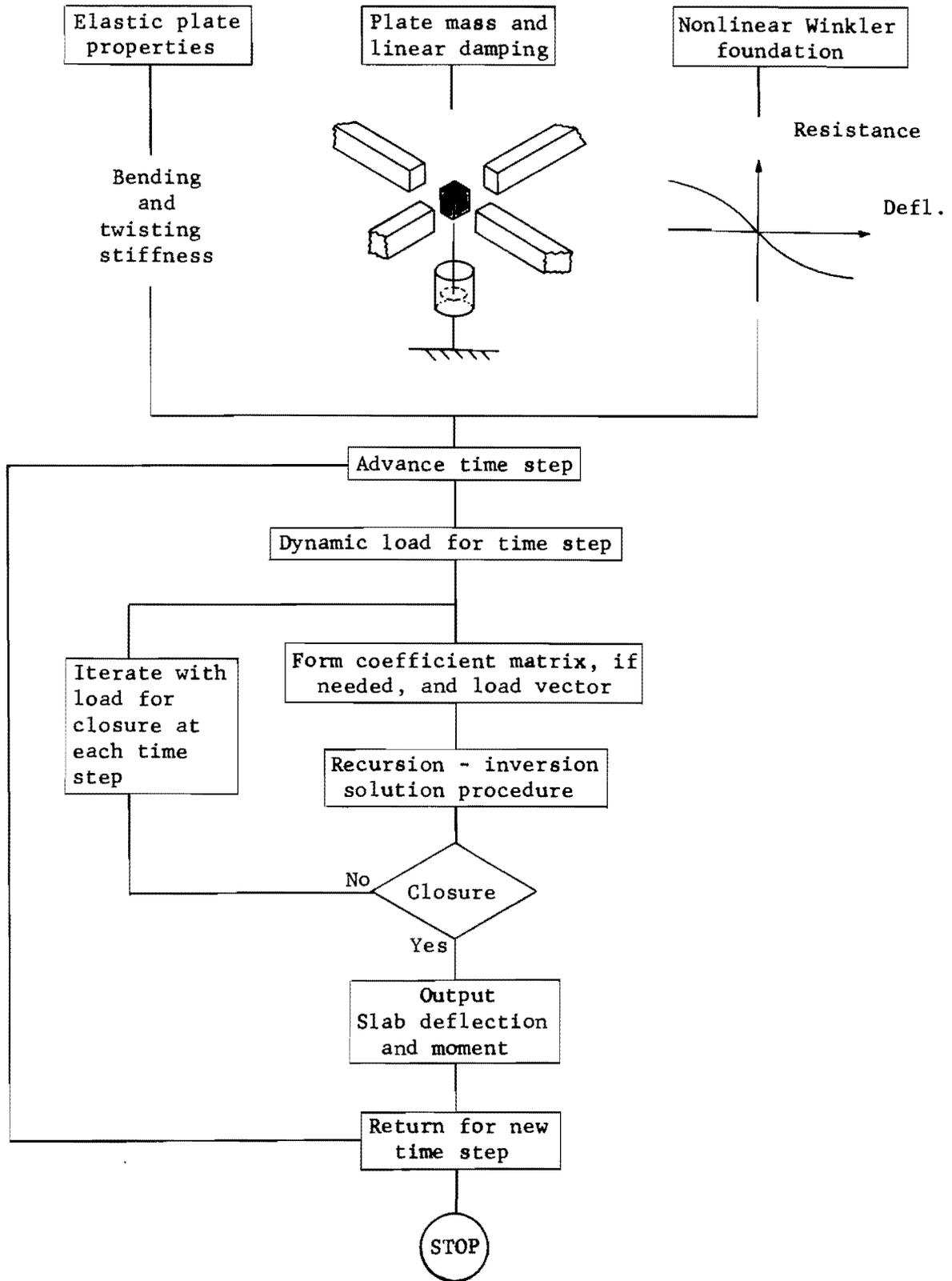


Fig 13. Main features of SLAB 35 program.

nonlinear solution would have required 16,000 seconds. The linear solution, however, required only 2200 seconds for the same number of time steps.

The storage requirements of the program are shown graphically in Fig 14. Note that a problem with equal increments in x and y -directions requires more storage than long, narrow problems containing the same number of node points. For example, a 10 by 65 grid requires approximately the same storage as a 20 by 20 slab, although there is a ratio of 1-1/2 to 1 for the node points.

Data Input

Details of the input form and supplemental instructions are included in Appendix D, which is intended as a self-contained instruction manual for SLAB 35. Furthermore, examples of the preparation of data for the program are presented as a guide for the user.

A tabular form has been developed for the data organization. Following two alphanumeric program description cards and a problem identification card, problem data are separated into seven tables:

Table 1 - Program Control Data

The information on these cards includes the number of cards and curves for the remaining tables, number of increments and increment length, monitor stations, and iteration control information.

Table 2 - Elastic Properties of the Slab

Bending stiffness and linear foundation springs are organized in this table. The number of cards varies, up to 50, depending on the problem.

Table 3 - Axial Thrust and Twisting Stiffness

The distribution of the static axial thrust must be specified by the program user. The plate twisting stiffness is also included in this table. Again, as many as 50 cards may be used to describe the variables.

Table 4 - Mass and Damping Properties

The node point mass and damping are input in Table 4, using as many as 50 cards.

Table 5 - Static or Dead Loads

Loads and moments which are not functions of time are input in Table 5. The weight of the plate will generally be input by this table. As many as 50 cards can be used to define the loading.

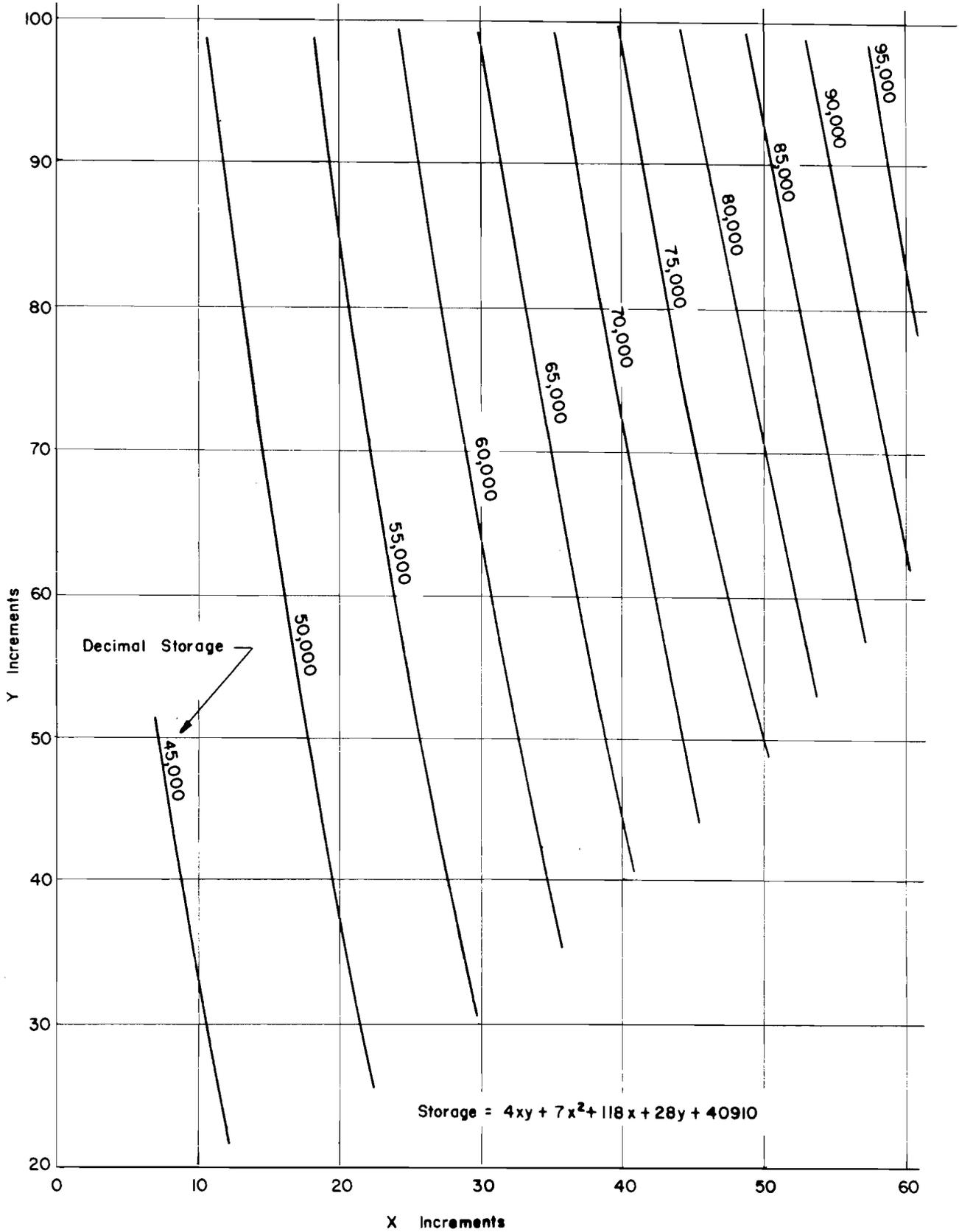


Fig 14. Storage requirements for program SLAB 35.

Table 6 - Dynamic Loading

As many as 20 load-multiplier curves, each of which can control as many as 20 loadings, are input in Table 6. A periodic multiplier is available by the use of an option switch. A moving load option permits the loads to move in either the positive or negative y-direction at a constant velocity.

Table 7 - Nonlinear Support Data

Nonlinear Winkler foundation springs can be prescribed for any area of the plate. The nonlinear curve is described by a simple tabular input which generates a curve of straight line segments.

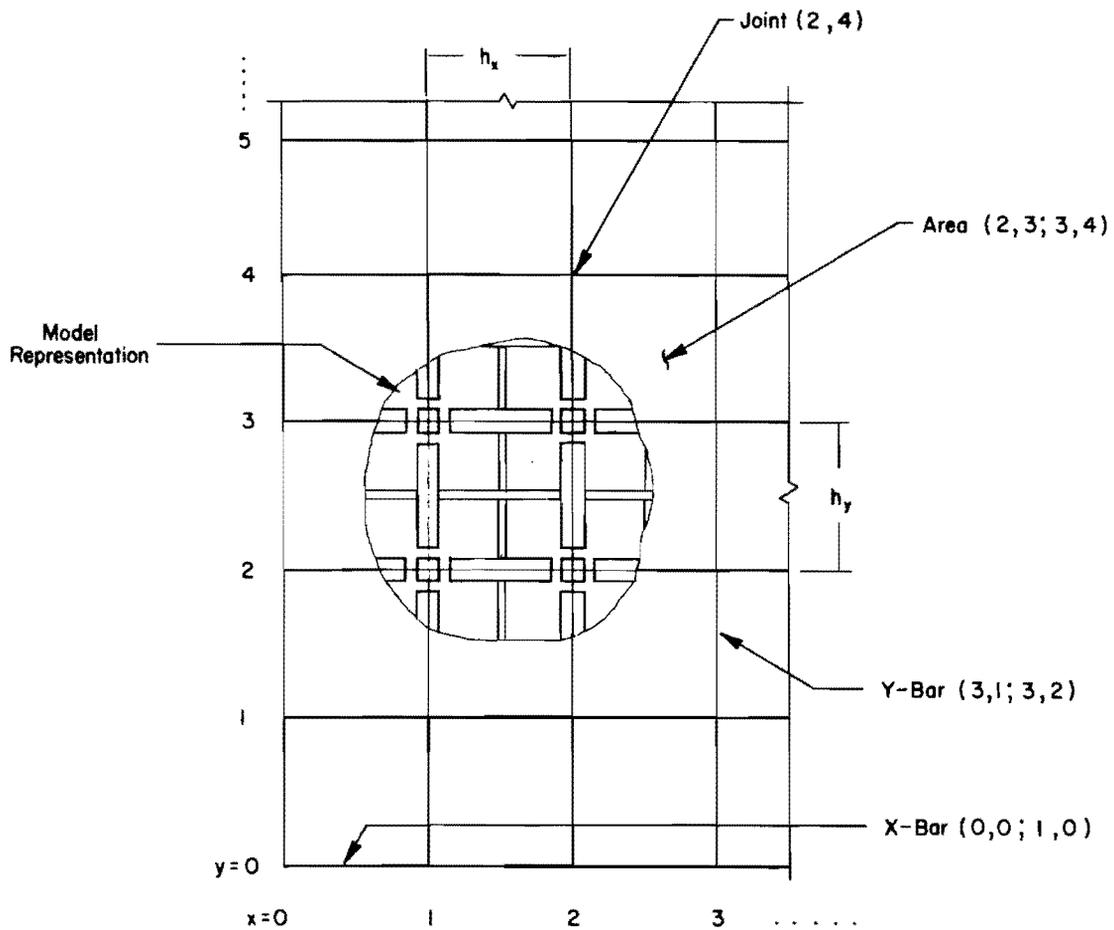
Although example input is presented in Appendix D, it will be useful to focus on the various types of data required for the description of the plate for computer analysis.

On each plate, a rectangular grid must be established. The intersections of grid lines establish node points for the model. When it is recalled that the discrete-element model consists of rigid bars and elastic joints, the grid lines are immediately recognized as bars. Furthermore, the open areas between grid lines contain model torsion bars. In Fig 15 an area of the model has been superposed on the continuum to be analyzed.

The inputs required for the description of the plate are bending stiffness, twisting stiffness, axial thrust, elastic support springs, mass, damping, and dead load. The data are logically identified by node point coordinates. With the exception of axial thrust and twisting stiffness, the variables are concentrated at nodes. Mass, damping, and linear foundation springs exist only at nodes, as do dead load and bending stiffness. A table can be compiled which contains the node point and the corresponding value of these variables. However, if these data are constant over an area of the plate, it will be convenient to specify an area by the node points and call on the computer to perform the distribution. This is, in fact, what is done.

The program accepts conventional plate stiffness properties and internally converts them to model values. The other variables, however, must be input as discrete or concentrated values. For example, the units of bending and twisting stiffness are $\text{lb-in}^2/\text{in}$, or continuum units, while those for mass are $\text{lb-sec}^2/\text{in}$, or concentrated values.

It will be convenient to describe twisting stiffness in an area between grid lines. This is logically accomplished with the use of node coordinates.



Node Data : D^x, D^y, Q, S, M, DF

(D^x and D^y are $\text{lb-in}^2/\text{in}$, Q and S are lb , and lb/in , respectively, M is $\text{lb-sec}^2/\text{in}$ and DF is $\text{lb-sec}/\text{in}$.)

Area Data : D^{xy}

(D^{xy} is $\text{lb-in}^2/\text{in}$.)

Bar Data : P^x, P^y

(P^x and P^y are lb)

Fig 15. Node coordinate identification of model properties (after Panak, Ref 17).

An area is identified by the coordinates of the lower left-hand and upper right-hand node points. For example, the twisting stiffness in the area shown on Fig 15 would be identified by 2,3; 3,4. Furthermore, it would not be appropriate to define twisting stiffness by a single node point. As noted in Appendix A, twisting stiffness does not exist in the model at nodes.

The axial thrust is in pounds rather than pounds per inch as in conventional plate theory. The distribution of the axial thrust must be prescribed by the user since the program does not perform an in-plane or axial analysis. Axial tension is given a positive sign while compression is identified by a negative sign. Axial thrust does not uniquely exist at a node point, but within a bar or bars between node points. It is therefore defined by the coordinates of two points, the first being the point of application of the load and the second the point of reaction. For example, a value P^x applied to the left edge (0,2) and reacted at 2,2 would be located on the plate by (0,2; 2,2) with the smaller x-coordinate given first. In the y-direction, the force is described in a similar manner, with the smaller y-coordinate listed first.

Area definitions are available for the description of a uniform axial thrust in several bars. For example, if a uniform axial thrust P^y is applied to the plate of Fig 15 at nodes 0,1; 1,1; and 2,1, and reacted at nodes 0,4; 1,4; and 2,4, the area description 0,1; 2,4 identifies the loaded bars.

The user has been given considerable flexibility for specification of dynamic loading. Periodic or nonperiodic as well as stationary or moving loads can be described. To define the dynamic loading for Table 6, both a load and a load amplitude multiplier are required. Since this study is intended to focus on problems with highway structures, the loads would be the static wheel loads of vehicles and the multiplier would give the variation of the wheel loads with time. An example of the development of the multiplier curve is given in Fig 16. In the example the static weight on the wheel is 5,000 pounds. The multiplier curve varies around 1.0, according to the measured dynamic loading and is constructed from straight line segments. The multiplier curve can be applied to either point, line, or area descriptions of load.

Foundation Description

Either linear or nonlinear foundation characteristics can be described. The linear foundations are input in Table 2 while the nonlinear characteristics are described in Table 7.

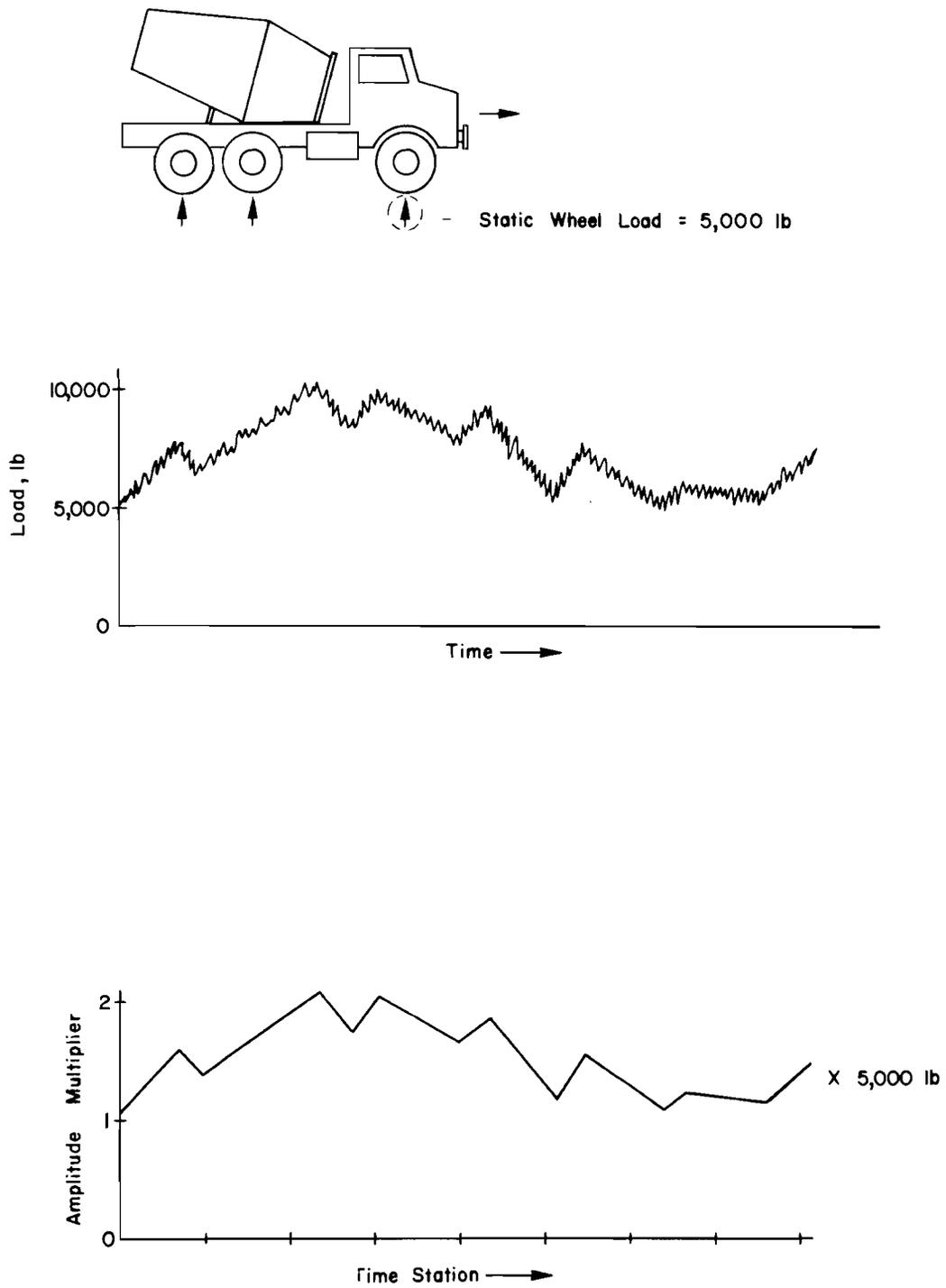


Fig 16. Load-multiplier curve for dynamic load variation.

The nonlinear resistance-deflection curve is constructed from straight line segments. Units of pounds and inches must be used for the development of curves. As resistance is developed only at node points, a single coordinate can define the location of the foundation reaction. However, both line and area descriptions, as well as concentrated curves, are available when the foundation characteristics are uniform over a line or area.

The limitations imposed on the construction of the curves were given in Chapter 5; resistance-deflection curves must be continuous, and a unique resistance must exist for any value of deflection. For deflections which exceed the prescribed end points of the curve, the resistance is determined by a straight line extrapolation of the last straight line segment of the curve. When this condition exists, a message is printed to warn the user that an off-curve condition exists.

Summary

Nodal coordinates are utilized to logically identify locations of slab, foundation, and load variables. Three types of descriptions are required: (1) node, (2) area, and (3) bar. Properties which exist at nodes are

- (1) bending stiffness;
- (2) elastic support, both linear and nonlinear;
- (3) load;
- (4) mass; and
- (5) damping.

Area identification are required for the twisting stiffness while axial thrust is a bar property.

Furthermore, both discrete and continuous data are used in the program. For the convenience of the user, the bending and twisting stiffnesses of the plate are input as continuum plate values or $\text{lb-in}^2/\text{in}$. All other data are input as concentrated or discrete values.

A self-contained user's manual is given in Appendix D. Included in this appendix are examples of data organization and the input format.

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CHAPTER 9. EXAMPLE PROBLEMS

Four types of example problems are presented to illustrate the accuracy and solution capability of the program: (1) free vibration of a simply supported square plate, (2) moving line load on a simply supported rectangular plate, (3) moving line load on a rectangular plate resting on both linear and nonlinear foundations, and (4) response of highway bridge approach slab to moving wheel loads.

Free Vibration of a Square Plate

The free vibration study was performed on a 48-inch-square plate, simply supported along its edges. The bending stiffness, uniform in both x and y -directions, was 2.5×10^6 lb-in²/in and Poisson's ratio was 0.25. The mass density of the plate was 7.5×10^{-4} lb-sec²/in³. The plate was divided into an 8 by 8 grid with h_x and h_y equal to 6 inches. The time-step increment, based on Eq 4.17, was 2.0×10^{-4} second. The theoretical period for the fundamental mode of vibration was 64 time steps (Ref 19).

To develop a free vibration condition which would illustrate the fundamental frequency, a static or dead load approximating a double sine function was applied to the plate:

$$Q_{i,j} = Q \sin \frac{i\pi}{8} \sin \frac{j\pi}{8} \quad (9.1)$$

Lateral deflections were developed which approximated the fundamental mode shape. The dynamic loading was a constant force (the negative of the dead load) which canceled the dead load, causing the plate to vibrate in the first mode shape.

The results of this problem are presented in Fig 17. The deflection of the center node (4,4) is presented as a function of the time step for almost two cycles of the fundamental period, or 120 time steps.

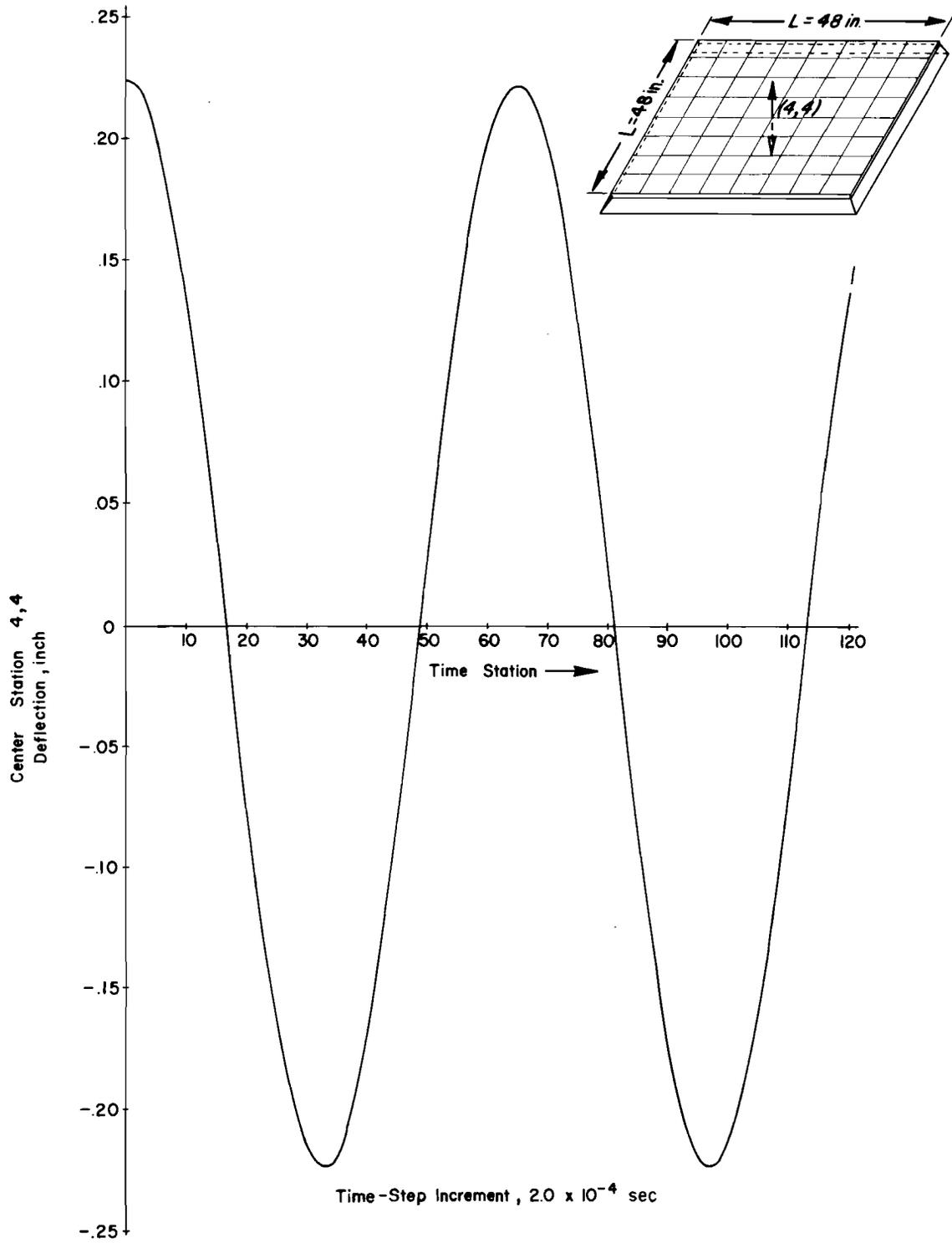


Fig 17. Free vibration of a simply supported square plate, station 4,4.

Two important features should be noted in Fig 17. First, the displacement history of node 4,4 shows no indication of instability. Second, the fundamental period for the 8 by 8 model is noted to be about 65 time steps, or one more than the theoretical, and the second cycle of deflection repeats almost exactly the first.

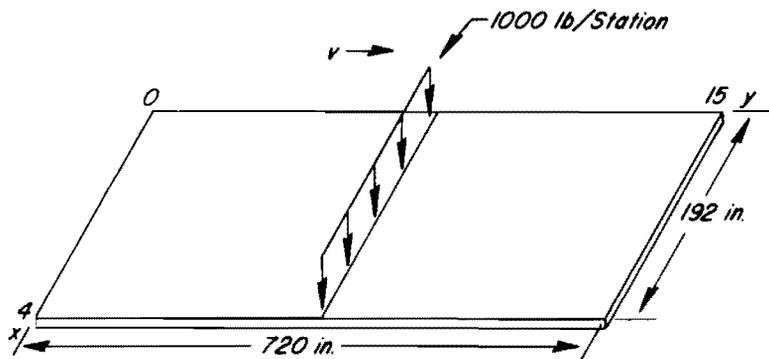
Another problem was run with a time-step increment of 4.0×10^{-4} second, or almost twice the maximum time step required for stability of the numerical solution. Instability was noted in the results before one complete cycle of free vibration.

Moving Load on a Simply Supported Rectangular Plate

The procedure was further verified by study of the traveling wave caused by moving loads. The plate was loaded by a line load in the x-direction of 1,000 lb/station. The load was moved across the plate at 53.7 mph for one problem and 214.8 mph for another, and the effect of the velocity of the moving load on the response of the plate was studied. The results are shown in Figs 18, 19, and 20.

Figure 18 shows the plate configuration, data, and center line deflection of the structure when the line load reached y-station 7. The general shape of the deflection curves compares favorably with those reported by Salani (Ref 19). As he noted, the deflected shape for the low velocity approached that of static deflection. Dynamic effects were noted by the amplification of the deflections in the center of the span and the positive deflections at the ends of the plate. This last feature indicated the traveling wave caused by the moving load preceded the load along the plate. For the higher velocity, on the other hand, the traveling wave trailed the load.

Figures 19 and 20 show the deflection history of station 2,7 for the two load velocities. The dynamic response of the plate to the lower velocity was not as significant as to a velocity of 214.8 mph. In Fig 19 it can be noted that some vibration remained as the load moved off of the plate, but the deflection at station 2,7 was considerably smaller when the load was on that station. For the higher velocity there was little change in the maximum deflection of station 2,7 with time. With the traveling wave lagging the load, free vibration with the maximum deflection was noted after the load moved off of the plate.



(a) Simply supported rectangular plate.

4×15 grid

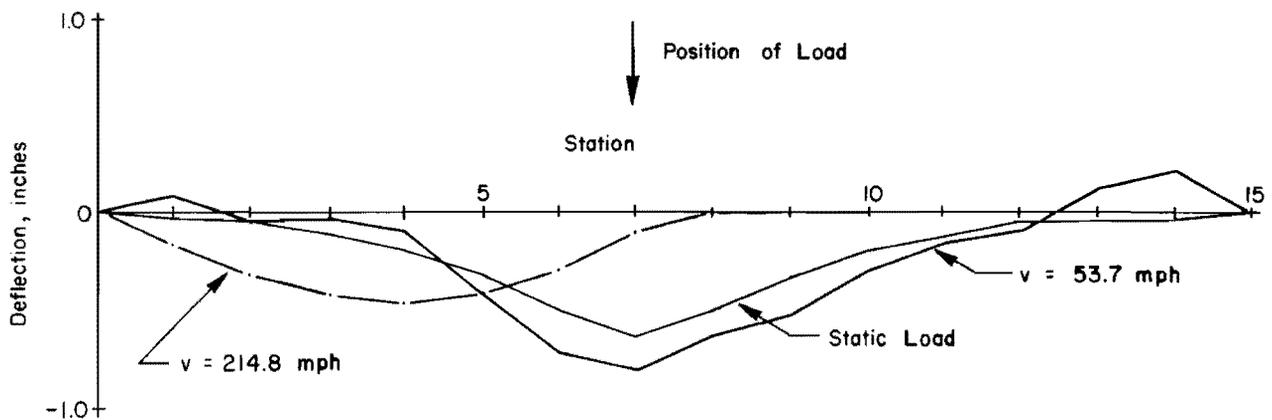
$$\rho = 7.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ lb-sec}^2/\text{in}^3$$

$$D_x = D_y = 2.5 \times 10^6 \text{ lb-in}^2/\text{in}$$

$$\nu = 0.25$$

$$h_x = h_y = 48 \text{ in.}$$

$$h_t = 0.01 \text{ sec}$$



(b) Deflection profile of longitudinal center line.

Fig 18. Moving load on simply supported rectangular plate.

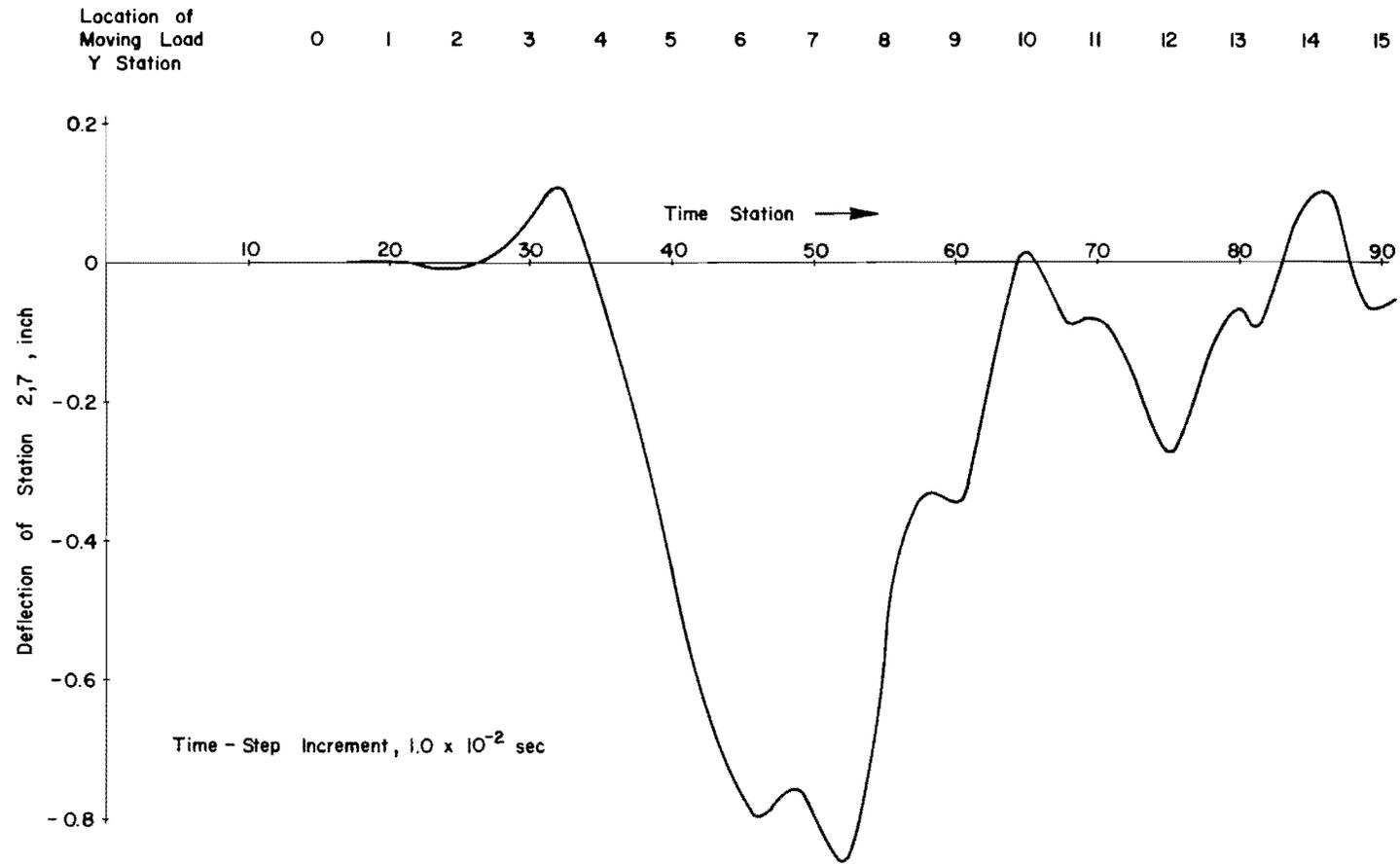


Fig 19. Response of station 2,7 to moving load, velocity = 53.7 mph.

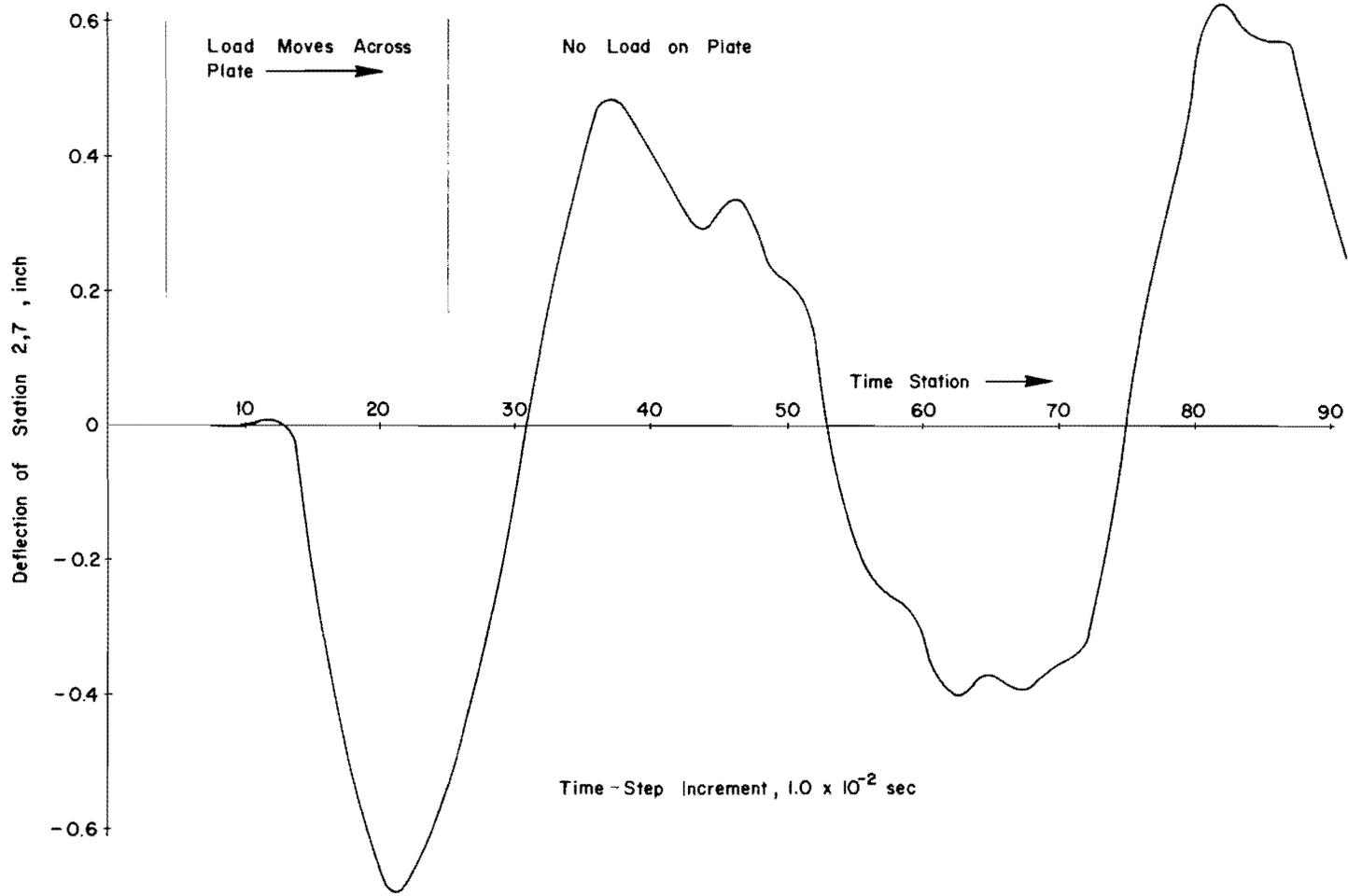


Fig 20. Response of station 2,7 to moving load, velocity = 214.8 mph.

Moving Load on a Rectangular Plate Resting on a Nonlinear Foundation

The preceding problem was modified to study the responses of plates on nonlinear foundations. Edge support along the longitudinal edges was removed and support springs were placed under each node point. Two problems were run to demonstrate the solution capability of the program, one with linear springs and a second with springs which resisted downward deflection but not lift-off or upward deflection. The loading was increased from 1,000 lb/station to 100,000 lb/station to accentuate the difference between the linear and nonlinear solutions.

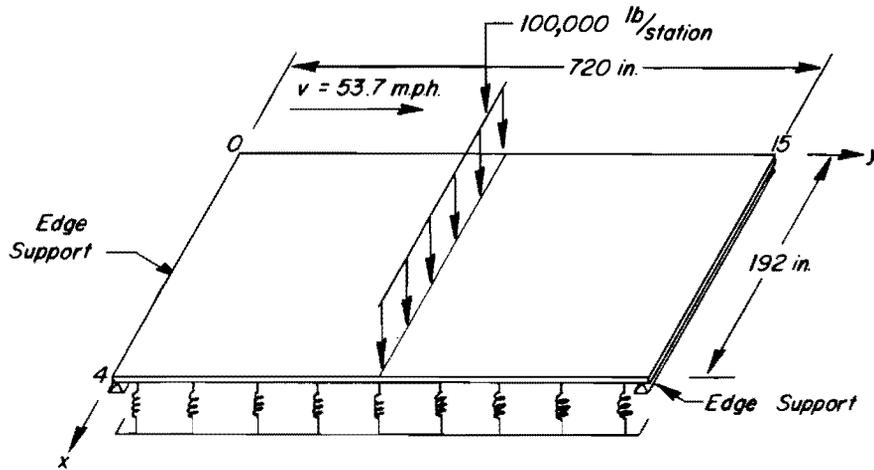
The plate configuration and data, as well as the longitudinal center-line deflection, are shown in Fig 21. Although the deflections appear to be larger than the increment length (Fig 21b) this is not the case and is due to the scale selected for deflection. The increment length is almost eight times the largest deflection shown in this figure.

In the linear problem, the plate appeared to oscillate with small deflections about the zero-deflection line. However, the small deflections at stations 1, 2, and 3 along the center line (about 0.3 inch) developed foundation forces of about 150,000 pounds at each station. For stations 1 and 3 this force acted down on the plate while at station 2 the force was upward.

As the load moved across the plate on the nonlinear foundation, the hold-down forces were not available for positive deformations, and the deflections increased until the kinetic energy of each node point was transformed to strain energy in the model which caused the large deflections for stations 1, 2, and 3.

The linear approximation for the nonlinear foundation was taken as the spring stiffness in the negative deflection range, that is, 460,800 lb/in. For station 2 (Fig 21b) the correction load at closure was approximately 2,250,000 pounds. This load was required in order to satisfy a zero foundation resistance for the positive deflection. The load error at closure for this station was an upward force of 1.295 pounds, well within the desired accuracy for the solution.

An example of the closure process is shown in Fig 22. These data are for station 2,3 at time station 40. The line load at this time station was located at $j = 3$. The creeping behavior of the closure, noted in Chapter 5, is clearly seen in this curve. Twenty iterations were required to achieve



(a) Plate on foundation.

4×15 grid

$$\rho = 7.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ lb-sec}^2/\text{in}^3$$

$$D_x = D_y = 2.5 \times 10^6 \text{ lb-in}^2/\text{in}$$

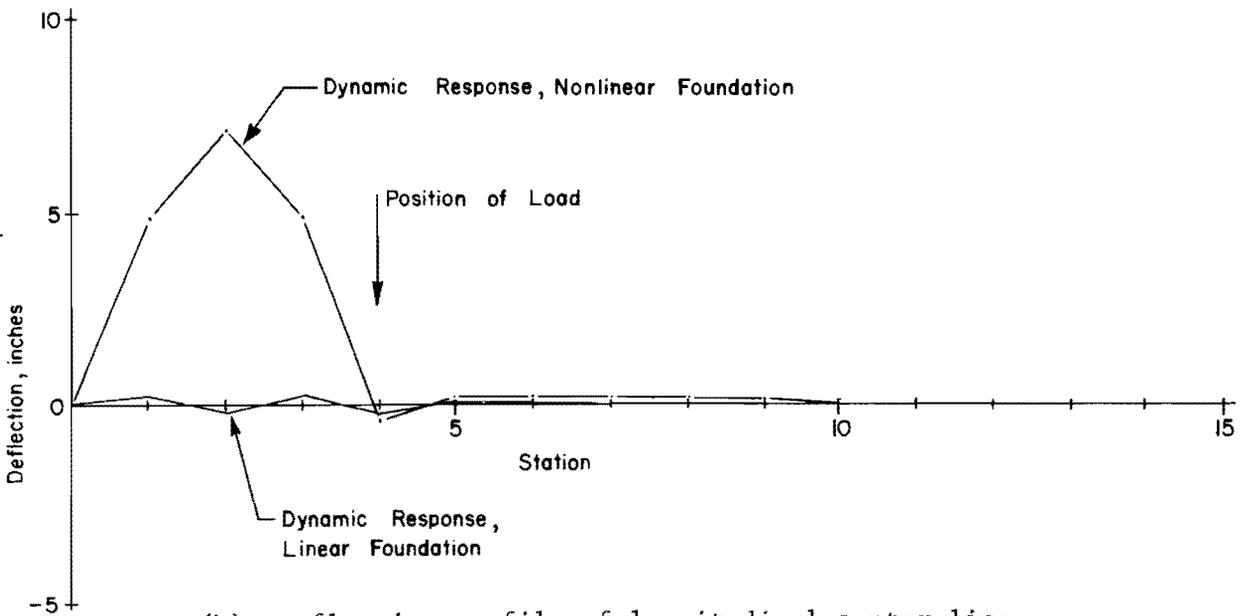
$$\nu = 0.25$$

$$s = 200 \text{ lb/in}^3$$

$$h_x = h_y = 48 \text{ in.}$$

$$h_t = 0.005 \text{ sec}$$

$$\text{Closure tolerance} = 10^{-5} \text{ in.}$$



(b) Deflection profile of longitudinal center line.

Fig 21. Moving load on a plate on foundation.

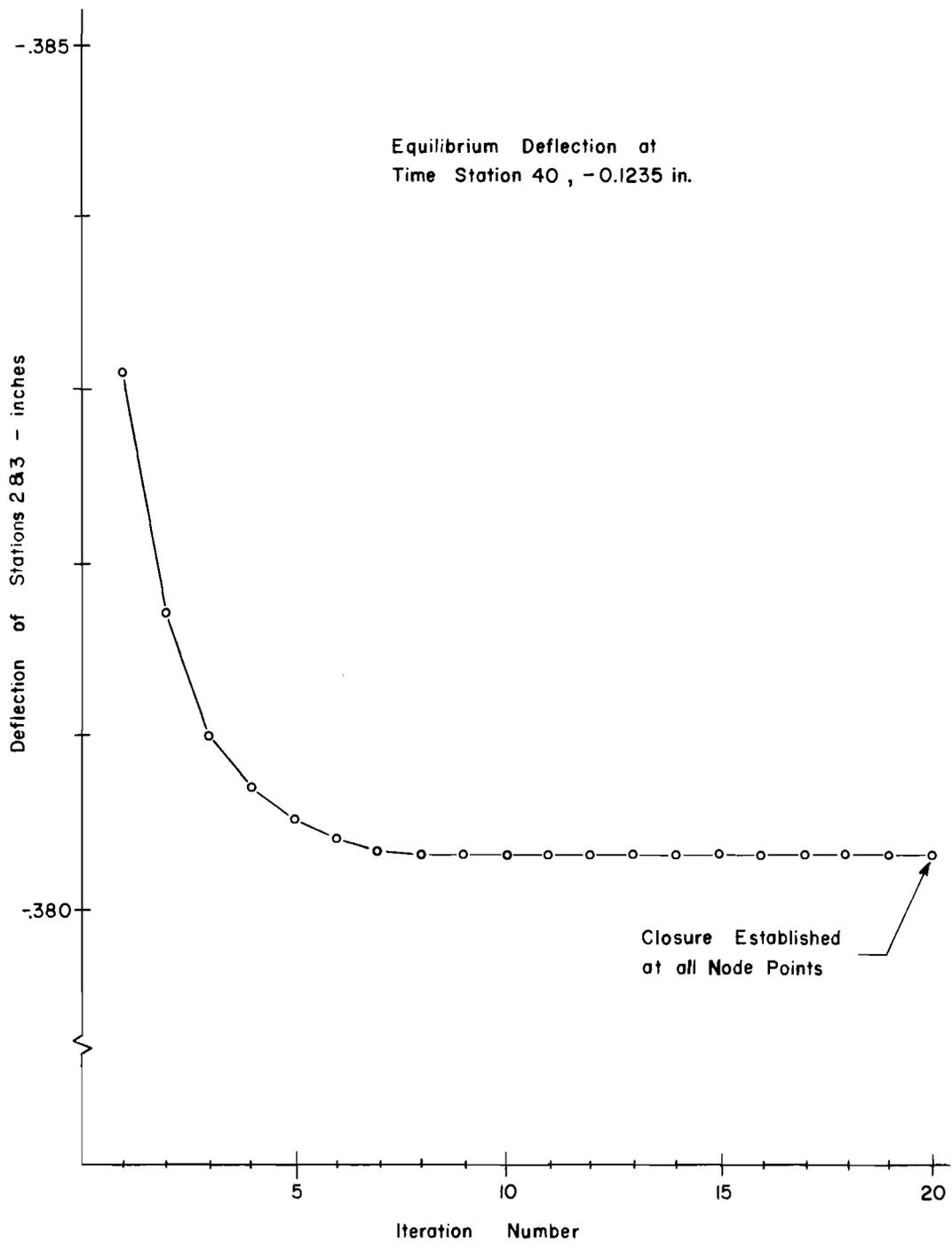


Fig 22. Closure plot for station 2,3 at time station 40.

closure for all node points, even though the curve of Fig 22 indicates closure for station 2,3 within 10 iterations.

Bridge Approach Slab

An example of how the results of this study might be applied to a highway pavement problem is shown in Fig 23. The approach slab connects the pavement with the bridge deck and is supported on one end by the abutment bent and by the base material over half of its length.

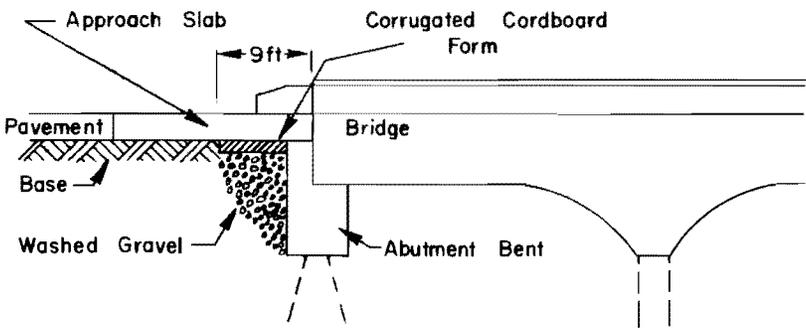
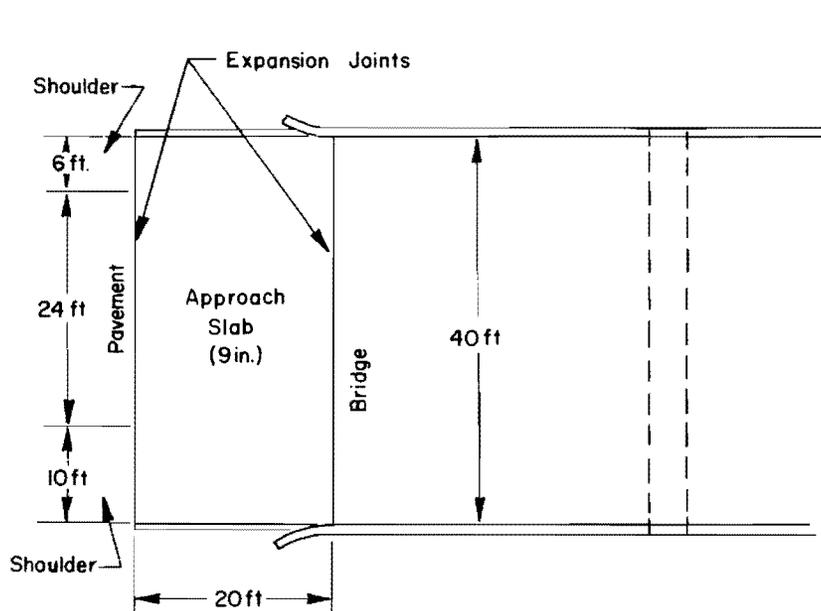
A coefficient of subgrade reaction for the base material of 250 lb/in^3 was selected for this example. The plate bending stiffness was $2.278 \times 10^8 \text{ lb-in}^2/\text{in}$ in both the x and y -directions of the slab, typical for a 9-inch pavement slab. The resistance-deflection characteristics of the base material were represented by a bilinear curve (Fig 23). The connection of the slab and the abutment bent was a hinge support. No resistance was offered the slab in the area of the cardboard form material. A closure tolerance of 10^{-5} inch was selected for this study.

Loads, representing the truck shown in Fig 23, were moved across the slab at 60 mph. The response of a point in the path of the load for both static and dynamic loads is shown in Fig 24.

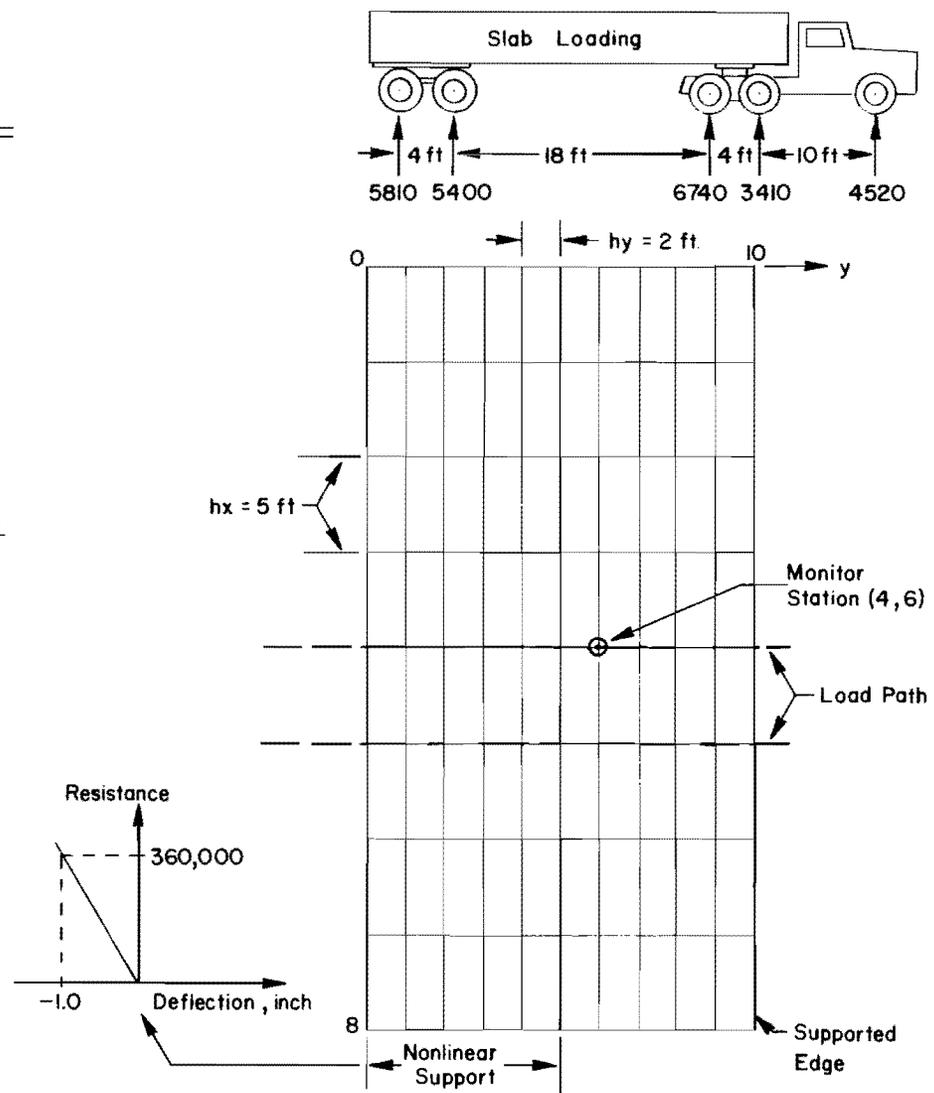
Although the mean curve through the dynamic response data approaches the static deflection curve, considerable dynamic amplification is noted by the peak values. These peak deflections and stresses resulting from the dynamic response of the system may be responsible for fatigue damage to the slab material.

Summary

Four types of example problems were solved to demonstrate the method of analysis. The free vibration problem illustrated the stability of the method as well as its ability to predict the theoretical fundamental period of vibration. A second set of problems demonstrated the propagation of the traveling wave in a simply supported rectangular plate. Comparisons were made between the response of the plate resting on both linear and bilinear foundations, thereby demonstrating the capability to solve nonlinear problems. Finally a practical highway problem, a bridge approach slab, was solved to demonstrate the application of the method to a typical engineering problem.



(a) Location of approach slab.



(b) Discrete-element model of approach slab.

Fig 23. Bridge approach slab.

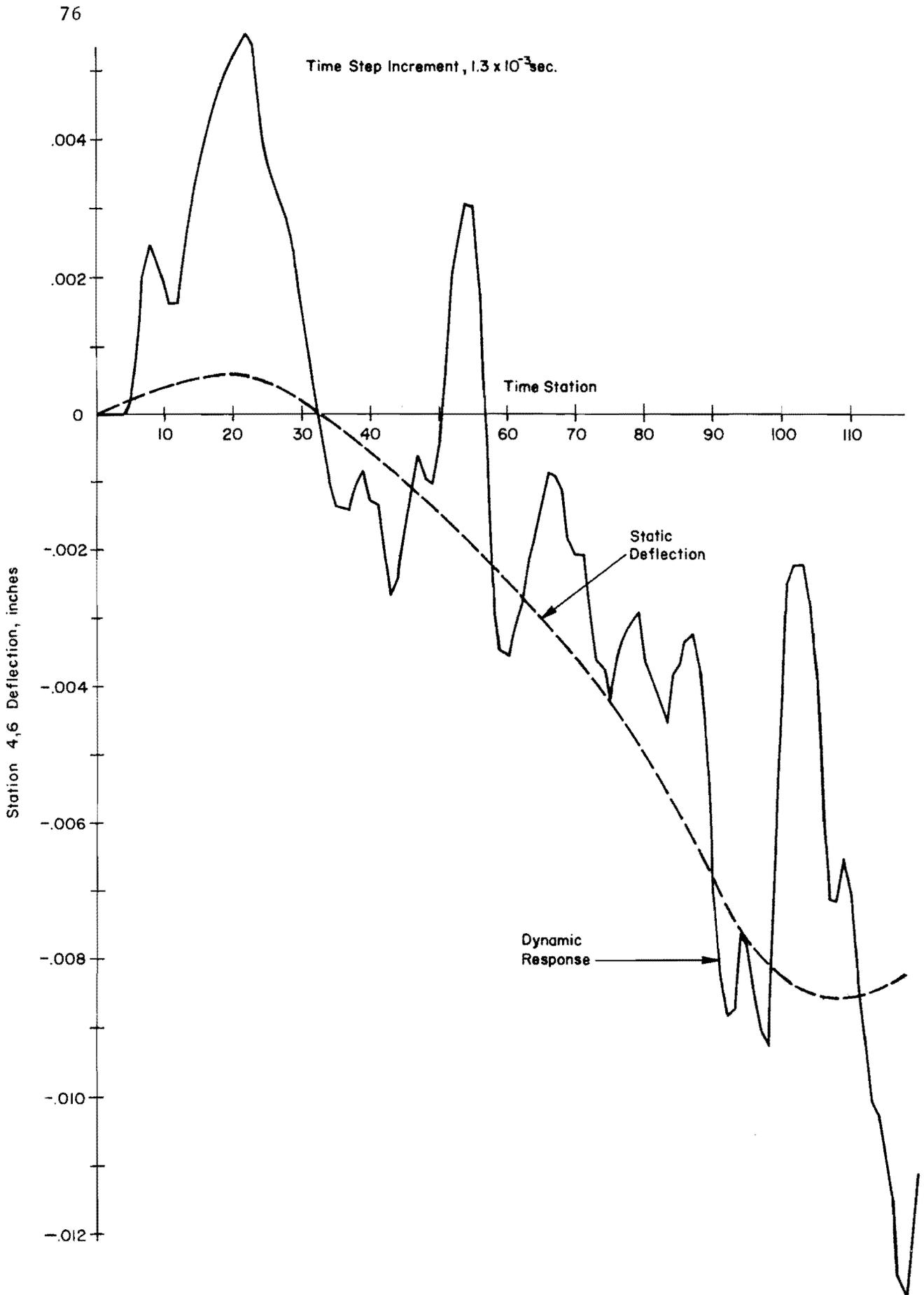


Fig 24. Static and dynamic response of bridge approach slab, station 4,6.

The first two examples serve to develop confidence in the method for solving linear problems. The third example, on the other hand, presents the solution capability of the algorithm for plates on nonlinear foundations. Although experimental data are lacking for a correlation study of the proposed nonlinear procedure, the nonlinear results appear reasonable when compared with solutions for the plate on a linear foundation.

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CHAPTER 10. SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER RESEARCH

The result of this work was the development of a method for the dynamic analysis of plates resting on nonlinear foundations. A step-by-step numerical integration method was utilized to propagate in time the response of a discrete-element model representing the plate.

The implementation of the analysis procedure was made possible by the high-speed digital computer. The numerical method described in this work was coded in FORTRAN language for the Control Data Corporation (CDC) 6600 digital computer. To permit the analysis of plates with many increments in the x and y -directions, the peripheral storage facilities of this computer were utilized. At the present time, the CDC 6600 at The University of Texas at Austin will handle a 50-increment square plate.

The step-by-step numerical integration procedure was based on the rational assumption of linear acceleration for each node during the time-step interval. The stability of the linear acceleration algorithm was investigated and a method presented for the selection of the time-step increment.

An iterative method for nonlinear analysis, which does not require the adjustment of the stiffness matrix of the structure, was presented. Nonlinear adjustments were made by correction loads which were added to the right-hand-side of the equations. The load iteration technique utilizes an efficient solution procedure known as the multiple load method for the repetitive solutions of the equations. The multiple load method may permit as many as ten load iterations to be performed in the time required for a single stiffness iteration.

The numerical method was organized and programmed in a manner which will facilitate the modification and extension of the method. Future extensions to the model and the program might include relative damping, to represent material damping properties of the plate, and, for highway pavement analysis, the coupling of a vehicle model and pavement roughness characteristics to the plate model for the generation of dynamic loads.

The nonlinear solution capabilities should be extended to the plate bending and twisting stiffness variables. Nonlinear moment-curvature and moment-twist relations could be incorporated in the iterative procedure, thereby permitting analysis of the plate or slab material for stresses in the nonlinear range. Furthermore, capabilities for inelastic analysis should be developed for both the foundation and slab properties.

Studies of the nonlinear closure procedure should be continued. Although the load iteration method appears attractive because of the multiple load solution procedure, methods for accelerating closure should be developed. One method has been mentioned - that of alternating cycles of load iteration with a single cycle of the tangent modulus method. However, it is possible that other, more natural, methods may exist, such as the use of the curvature or slope of the iteration curve for prediction of the equilibrium position.

The existing discrete-element model requires the user to know and specify the distribution of axial or in-plane thrust throughout the plate. A valuable extension of this work would be the modification of the model to include axial deformations, and the development of the force-deformation equations for in-plane thrust. Not only could the axial and bending solutions be coupled for combined axial-bending analysis of plates, but the in-plane analysis could be applied to plane-stress problems. Furthermore, an in-plane solution would be required for the analysis of plates subjected to thermal gradients.

Although this study was not performed for the evaluation of the existing computer equipment, comments are in order about the peripheral storage capabilities and the time required to access this storage. Because the study was performed with the CDC 6600 digital computer, the following remarks should be reviewed with respect to this third generation computer.

If peripheral storage had not been utilized, the problem size would have been limited by the available core storage. To overcome this, disk files were used extensively for data storage. Although the problem size was significantly increased, the access time for reading and writing files was found to be an order of magnitude greater than the time required for the arithmetic operations. To overcome the access time problem, a special, machine-dependent subroutine was incorporated in the program. The fourth generation machines will hopefully not have this limitation.

Finally, experimental data are required for further evaluation of the method. Carefully controlled model studies and field tests are required for dynamic response data. Research of this nature will not only aid in the evaluation of the numerical method but also furnish additional data on material behavior, which could be applied to the discrete-element idealization of the problem.

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APPENDIX A

DERIVATION OF EQUILIBRIUM EQUATION
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APPENDIX A. DERIVATION OF EQUILIBRIUM EQUATION
FOR DISCRETE-ELEMENT PLATE MODEL

The basic derivation of the equilibrium equation has been presented elsewhere (Refs 17 and 20), but is presented here in detail, for the benefit of the reader.

The discrete-element model is shown in Fig 2. It consists of rigid bars, elastic restraints at joints or nodes, and torsion bars connecting the middle of the rigid bars.

An expanded view of a joint is shown in Fig A1. The elastic elements are replaced by the forces and moments which are developed as the node points of the model undergo deformations. All forces and moments are shown in their positive direction.

Equilibrium of the joint of Fig A1 in the z or w -direction is satisfied by

$$\Sigma F_z = Q_{i,j} + V_{i,j}^x + V_{i,j}^y - V_{i+1,j}^x - V_{i,j+1}^y - S_{i,j} w_{i,j} \quad (A.1)$$

Moment equilibrium for each of the bars will yield

$$\begin{aligned} -h_x V_{i,j}^x &= M_{i,j}^{yx} - M_{i,j+1}^{yx} + M_{i-1,j}^x - M_{i,j}^x \\ &+ P_{i,j}^x (-w_{i-1,j} + w_{i,j}) \end{aligned} \quad (A.2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} -h_x V_{i+1,j}^x &= M_{i+1,j}^{yx} - M_{i+1,j+1}^{yx} + M_{i,j}^x - M_{i+1,j}^x \\ &+ P_{i+1,j}^x (-w_{i,j} + w_{i+1,j}) \end{aligned} \quad (A.3)$$

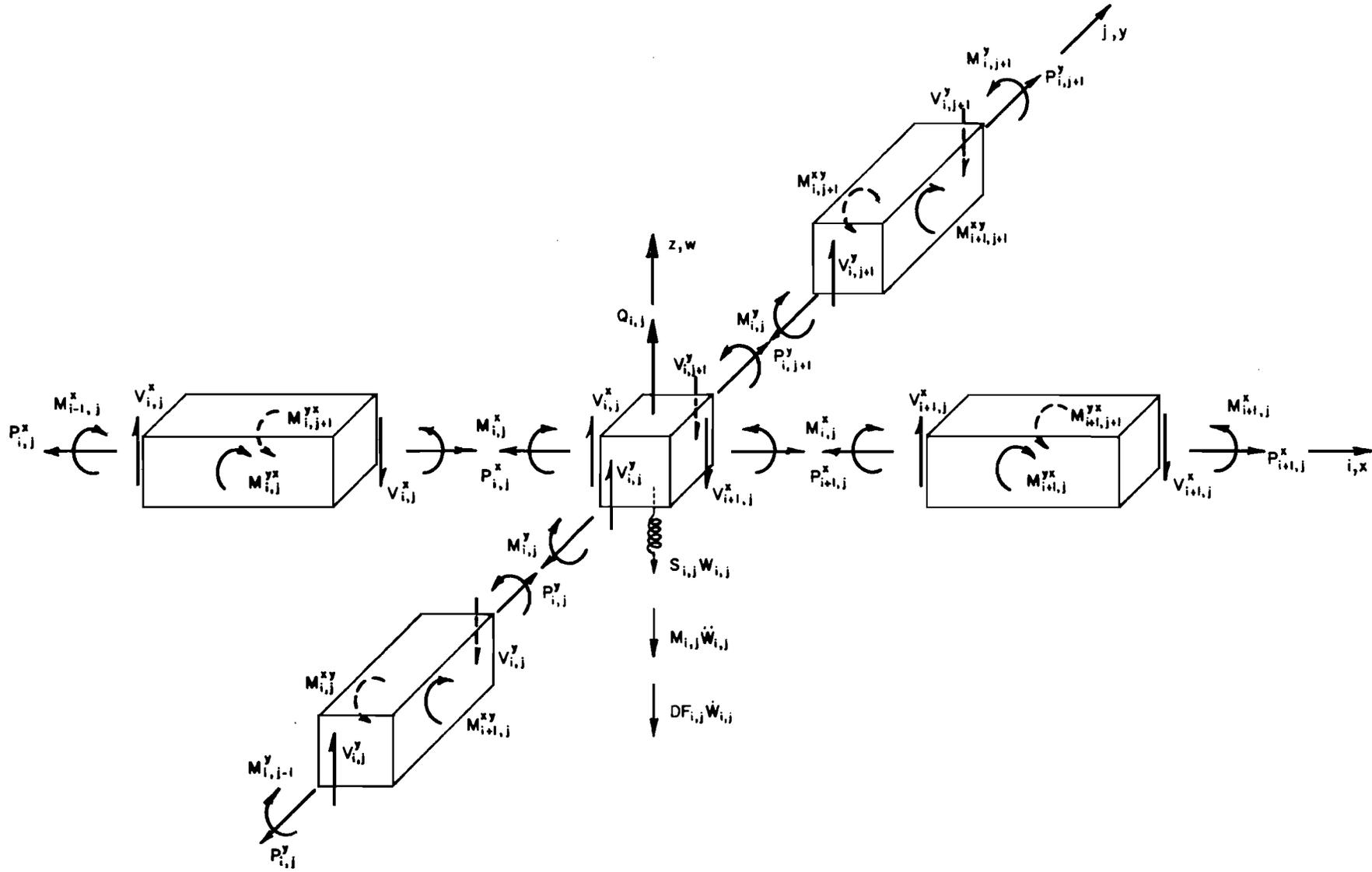


Fig A1. Expanded view and free bodies of model joint and connecting bars.

$$\begin{aligned}
-h_y V_{i,j}^y &= -M_{i,j}^{xy} + M_{i+1,j}^{xy} + M_{i,j-1}^y - M_{i,j}^y \\
&+ P_{i,j}^y (-w_{i,j-1} + w_{i,j})
\end{aligned} \tag{A.4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
-h_y V_{i,j+1}^y &= -M_{i,j+1}^{xy} + M_{i+1,j+1}^{xy} + M_{i,j}^y - M_{i,j+1}^y \\
&+ P_{i,j+1}^y (-w_{i,j} + w_{i,j+1})
\end{aligned} \tag{A.5}$$

Substituting Eqs A.2 through A.5 into Eq A.1

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{h_x} &\left[M_{i,j}^{yx} - M_{i,j+1}^{yx} - M_{i+1,j}^{yx} + M_{i+1,j+1}^{yx} + M_{i-1,j}^x - 2M_{i,j}^x \right. \\
&+ M_{i+1,j}^x + P_{i,j}^x (-w_{i-1,j} + w_{i,j}) - P_{i+1,j}^x (-w_{i,j} \\
&+ w_{i+1,j}) \left. \right] + \frac{1}{h_y} \left[-M_{i,j}^{xy} + M_{i+1,j}^{xy} + M_{i,j+1}^{xy} \right. \\
&- M_{i+1,j+1}^{xy} + M_{i,j-1}^y - 2M_{i,j}^y + M_{i,j+1}^y + P_{i,j}^y (-w_{i,j-1} \\
&+ w_{i,j}) - P_{i,j+1}^y (-w_{i,j} + w_{i,j+1}) \left. \right] = Q_{i,j} - S_{i,j} w_{i,j}
\end{aligned} \tag{A.6}$$

Node point and torsion bar elastic constants are related to the continuum plate constants through finite-difference approximations. As noted in Chapter 2, the continuum variables are represented by subscripts x and y and terms with superscripts pertain to discrete or concentrated data.

The continuum bending moment is related to curvature by elastic stiffness constants D_x and D_y and Poisson's ratio values ν_x and ν_y :

$$M_x = D_x \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \nu_y \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} \right) \tag{A.7}$$

$$M_y = D_y \left(\frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} + \nu_x \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \right) \quad (\text{A.8})$$

In Eq A.7, ν_y represents the influence of curvature in the y-direction on curvature in the x-direction. Similarly, in Eq A.8, the cross sensitivity of x on y-curvature is ν_x . Furthermore, the Poisson's ratio values are not independent, but related to the bending stiffness by

$$D_x \nu_y = D_y \nu_x \quad (\text{A.9})$$

The above relationship can be proved by the Maxwell-Betti theorem. The bending moments may therefore be expressed as a function of three variables, D_x , D_y , and α , given by Eq A.9:

$$M_x = D_x \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \alpha \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} \quad (\text{A.10})$$

$$M_y = D_y \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} + \alpha \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} \quad (\text{A.11})$$

Replacing the curvature by a central difference approximation gives the model moment:

$$\begin{aligned} M_{i,j}^x &= D_{x_{i,j}} \left(\frac{h_y}{h_x} \right) (w_{i-1,j} - 2w_{i,j} + w_{i+1,j}) \\ &+ \alpha_{i,j} \left(\frac{h_y}{h_y} \right) (w_{i,j-1} - 2w_{i,j} + w_{i,j+1}) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A.12})$$

$$M_{i,j}^y = D_{y_{i,j}} \left(\frac{h_x}{h_y} \right) (w_{i,j-1} - 2w_{i,j} + w_{i,j+1})$$

$$+ \alpha_{i,j} \left(\frac{h_x}{h_x^2} \right) (w_{i-1,j} - 2w_{i,j} + w_{i+1,j}) \quad (\text{A.13})$$

The bending moment at adjacent node points is given by similar expressions.

It is possible to relate the model and continuum twisting moments. First, consider the continuum relationship between twisting moment and plate twist.

$$M_{xy} = -D_{xy} \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x \partial y} \quad (\text{A.14})$$

The first subscript defines the direction of the moment vector while the second indicates the surface to which the moment is applied. The moment vector is parallel to the axis defined by the first subscript and acting on a vertical plane which is parallel to the second (Fig 1). For equilibrium, the moment vector parallel to the y-axis is related to that in the x-direction by:

$$M_{yx} = -M_{xy} \quad (\text{A.15})$$

If the partial derivative is replaced by a difference expression, the discrete-element twisting moment is obtained:

$$M_{i,j}^{xy} = -D_{xy_{i,j}} \left(\frac{h_y}{h_x h_y} \right) (w_{i-1,j-1} - w_{i,j-1} - w_{i-1,j} + w_{i,j}) \quad (\text{A.16})$$

$$M_{i,j}^{yx} = D_{xy_{i,j}} \left(\frac{h_x}{h_x h_y} \right) (w_{i-1,j-1} - w_{i,j-1} - w_{i-1,j} + w_{i,j}) \quad (\text{A.17})$$

Again, similar expressions are found for the twisting moments acting on adjacent bars.

It is important to note that there is a fundamental difference between the bending and twisting moments for the discrete-element model. Bending moments are generated at the node points while the twisting moments are developed in torsion bars attached to the midpoints of adjacent parallel bars. It is not possible therefore to refer to the twisting moment at a node point.

The equilibrium equation for a node point is found by substituting the model bending equations (A.12 and A.13) and twisting moment equations (A.16 and A.17) into Eq A.6. A relationship between stiffness and node point deflection is established.

$$\begin{aligned}
& a_{i,j} w_{i,j-2} + b_{i,j}^1 w_{i-1,j-1} + b_{i,j}^2 w_{i,j-1} + b_{i,j}^3 w_{i+1,j-1} \\
& + c_{i,j}^1 w_{i-2,j} + c_{i,j}^2 w_{i-1,j} + c_{i,j}^3 w_{i,j} + c_{i,j}^4 w_{i+1,j} \\
& + c_{i,j}^5 w_{i+2,j} + d_{i,j}^1 w_{i-1,j+1} + d_{i,j}^2 w_{i,j+1} \\
& + d_{i,j}^3 w_{i+1,j+1} + e_{i,j} w_{i,j+2} = q_{i,j}
\end{aligned} \tag{A.18}$$

The coefficients of the deflection terms are

$$a_{i,j} = \frac{h_x}{h_y^3} (D_{y_{i,j-1}}) \tag{A.19}$$

$$b_{i,j}^1 = \frac{1}{h_x h_y} (2D_{xy_{i,j}} + \alpha_{i-1,j} + \alpha_{i,j-1}) \tag{A.20}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
b_{i,j}^2 = & -2 \frac{h_x}{h_y^3} (D_{y_{i,j-1}} + D_{y_{i,j}}) - \frac{2}{h_x h_y} (D_{xy_{i,j}} \\
& + D_{xy_{i+1,j}} + \alpha_{i,j} + \alpha_{i,j-1}) - \frac{1}{h_y} p_{i,j}^y
\end{aligned} \tag{A.21}$$

$$b_{i,j}^3 = \frac{1}{h_x h_y} (2D_{xy_{i+1,j}} + \alpha_{i,j-1} + \alpha_{i+1,j}) \quad (\text{A.22})$$

$$c_{i,j}^1 = \frac{h_y}{h_x^3} (D_{x_{i-1,j}}) \quad (\text{A.23})$$

$$c_{i,j}^2 = -\frac{2h_y}{h_x^3} (D_{x_{i-1,j}} + D_{x_{i,j}}) - \frac{2}{h_x h_y} (\alpha_{i-1,j} + \alpha_{i,j} + D_{xy_{i,j}} + D_{xy_{i,j+1}}) - \frac{P_{i,j}^x}{h_x} \quad (\text{A.24})$$

$$c_{i,j}^3 = \frac{h_y}{h_x^3} (D_{x_{i-1,j}} + 4D_{x_{i,j}} + D_{x_{i+1,j}}) + \frac{h_x}{h_y^3} (D_{y_{i,j-1}} + 4D_{y_{i,j}} + D_{y_{i,j+1}}) + \frac{2}{h_x h_y} (D_{xy_{i,j}} + D_{xy_{i+1,j}} + D_{xy_{i,j+1}} + D_{xy_{i+1,j+1}}) + 4\alpha_{i,j} + \frac{1}{h_x} (P_{i,j}^x + P_{i+1,j}^x) + \frac{1}{h_y} (P_{i,j}^y + P_{i,j+1}^y) + S_{i,j} \quad (\text{A.25})$$

$$c_{i,j}^4 = -\frac{2h_y}{h_x^3} (D_{x_{i,j}} + D_{x_{i+1,j}}) - \frac{2}{h_x h_y} (D_{xy_{i+1,j}} + D_{xy_{i+1,j+1}} + \alpha_{i,j} + \alpha_{i+1,j}) - \frac{P_{i+1,j}^x}{h_x} \quad (\text{A.26})$$

$$c_{i,j}^5 = \frac{h_y}{h_x^3} (D_{x_{i+1,j}}) \quad (\text{A.27})$$

$$d_{i,j}^1 = \frac{1}{h_x h_y} (2D_{xy_{i,j+1}} + \alpha_{i-1,j} + \alpha_{i,j+1}) \quad (\text{A.28})$$

$$d_{i,j}^2 = -\frac{2h_x}{h_y^3} (D_{y_{i,j}} + D_{y_{i,j+1}}) - \frac{2}{h_x h_y} (D_{xy_{i,j+1}} + D_{xy_{i+1,j+1}} + \alpha_{i,j} + \alpha_{i,j+1}) - \frac{P_{i,j+1}^y}{h_y} \quad (\text{A.29})$$

$$d_{i,j}^3 = \frac{1}{h_x h_y} (2D_{xy_{i+1,j+1}} + \alpha_{i+1,j} + \alpha_{i,j+1}) \quad (\text{A.30})$$

$$e_{i,j} = \frac{h_x}{h_y^3} (D_{y_{i,j+1}}) \quad (\text{A.31})$$

$$q_{i,j} = Q_{i,j} \quad (\text{A.32})$$

These equations may be written in matrix notation:

$$[K] \{w\} = \{Q\} \quad (\text{A.33})$$

where $[K]$ is the stiffness matrix of the plate. The terms in $[K]$ are given by Eqs A.19 through A.31. The load vector $\{Q\}$ is given by Eq A.32.

APPENDIX B

EQUATION OF MOTION FOR
DISCRETE-ELEMENT PLATE MODEL

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APPENDIX B. EQUATION OF MOTION FOR DISCRETE-
ELEMENT PLATE MODEL

A free-body diagram of the discrete-element plate model for dynamic analysis is shown in Fig B1. A dashpot, to represent viscous damping, is attached to the node point as well as the fixed reference plane. The equation of motion for each node is developed by adding the inertia and damping forces to the node equilibrium equation (A.18):

$$\begin{aligned}
 & a_{i,j} w_{i,j-2} + b_{i,j}^1 w_{i-1,j-1} + b_{i,j}^2 w_{i,j-1} + b_{i,j}^3 w_{i+1,j-1} \\
 & + c_{i,j}^1 w_{i-2,j} + c_{i,j}^2 w_{i-1,j} + c_{i,j}^3 w_{i,j} + c_{i,j}^4 w_{i+1,j} \\
 & + c_{i,j}^5 w_{i+2,j} + d_{i,j}^1 w_{i-1,j+1} + d_{i,j}^2 w_{i,j+1} \\
 & + d_{i,j}^3 w_{i+1,j+1} + e_{i,j} w_{i,j+2} = q_{i,j} \\
 & - M_{i,j} \left(\frac{d^2 w_{i,j}}{dt^2} \right) - DF_{i,j} \left(\frac{dw_{i,j}}{dt} \right)
 \end{aligned} \tag{B.1}$$

The new terms in Eq B.1 ($M_{i,j}$ and $DF_{i,j}$) are the nodal mass and damping. The units of mass must be lb-sec²/in and those of damping lb-sec/in.

It will be convenient to combine the equations of motion for the node points and write in matrix form:

$$[K] \{w\} = \{Q\} - [M] \{\ddot{w}\} - [DF] \{\dot{w}\} \tag{B.2}$$

or in the more familiar form

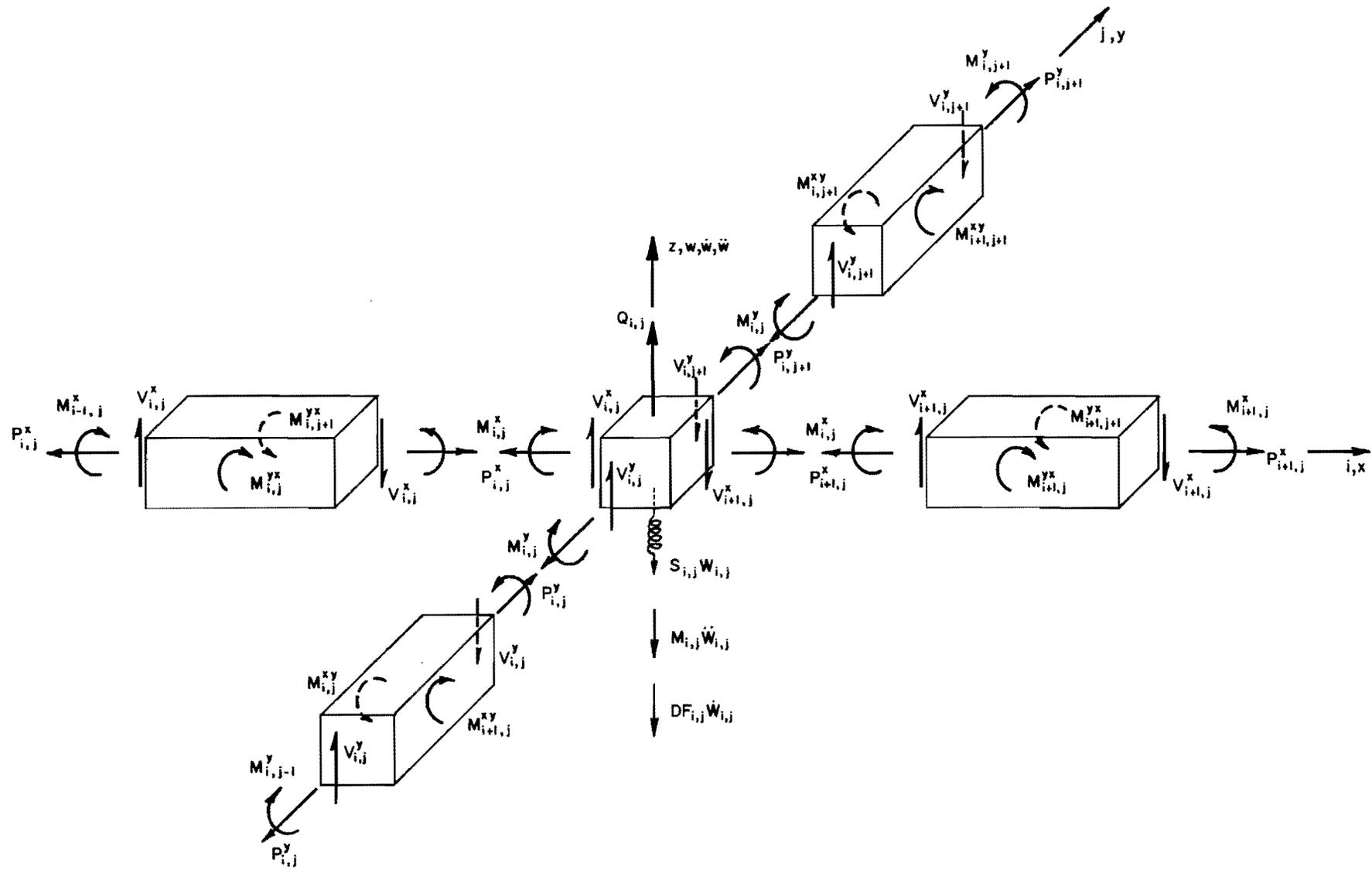


Fig B1. Expanded view and free bodies of dynamic model joint and connecting bars.

$$\left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w} \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w} \right\} + \left[K \right] \left\{ w \right\} = \left\{ Q \right\} \quad (\text{B.3})$$

In Eqs B.2 and B.3, differentiation with respect to time is conveniently represented by the dot above the deflection.

The mass matrix $\left[M \right]$ and damping matrix $\left[DF \right]$ are diagonal. This is the result of structural idealization given in Fig 3. The mass matrix would take a different form if the mass were lumped in the bars. Furthermore, relative damping would change the form of the damping matrix.

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APPENDIX C

STEP-BY-STEP NUMERICAL INTEGRATION PROCEDURE

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APPENDIX C. STEP-BY-STEP NUMERICAL INTEGRATION PROCEDURE

The equations included in this appendix were derived especially for use with the method developed during this study. They are coincidentally a specialized form of the equations presented by Cox et al (Ref 4) for step-by-step analysis of structural systems.

The numerical integration of the equations of motion is based on the assumption that the acceleration varies linearly during each time step. The velocity and deflection, therefore, are dependent on the conditions at the beginning of the time step and the acceleration at the end of the interval:

$$\dot{w}_{k+1} = \dot{w}_k + \frac{h_t}{2} \ddot{w}_k + \frac{h_t}{2} \ddot{w}_{k+1} \quad (C.1)$$

$$w_{k+1} = w_k + h_t \dot{w}_k + \frac{h_t^2}{3} \ddot{w}_k + \frac{h_t^2}{6} \ddot{w}_{k+1} \quad (C.2)$$

It is possible to combine Eqs C.1 and C.2 with those for time increment k-1 to k and express the velocity and acceleration as a function of deflection and the time increment length h_t :

$$\dot{w}_k = \dot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t}{2} \ddot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t}{2} \ddot{w}_k \quad (C.3)$$

$$w_k = w_{k-1} + h_t \dot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t^2}{3} \ddot{w}_{k-1} + \frac{h_t^2}{6} \ddot{w}_k \quad (C.4)$$

Subtracting Eq C.4 from Eq C.2,

$$w_{k+1} - 2w_k + w_{k-1} = h_t (\dot{w}_k - \dot{w}_{k-1}) + \frac{h_t^2}{3} (\ddot{w}_k - \ddot{w}_{k-1})$$

$$+ \frac{h_t^2}{6} (\ddot{w}_{k+1} - \ddot{w}_k) \quad (C.5)$$

The term $h_t (\dot{w}_k - \dot{w}_{k-1})$ may be replaced by $\frac{h_t^2}{2} (\ddot{w}_k + \ddot{w}_{k-1})$ (from, Eq C.3) giving

$$\frac{6}{h_t^2} (w_{k+1} - 2w_k + w_{k-1}) = \ddot{w}_{k+1} + 4\ddot{w}_k + \ddot{w}_{k-1} \quad (C.6)$$

A similar relation between velocity and deflection is found by first adding Eqs C.2 and C.4:

$$w_{k+1} - w_{k-1} = h_t (\dot{w}_k + \dot{w}_{k-1}) + \frac{h_t^2}{3} (\ddot{w}_k + \ddot{w}_{k-1}) + \frac{h_t^2}{6} (\ddot{w}_{k+1} + \ddot{w}_k) \quad (C.7)$$

Next, the terms $(\dot{w}_k + \dot{w}_{k-1})$ and $(\ddot{w}_{k+1} + \ddot{w}_k)$ are replaced by Eqs C.3 and C.1. Combining terms leads to the relationship between velocity and deflection

$$\frac{3}{h_t} (w_{k+1} - w_k) = \dot{w}_{k+1} + 4\dot{w}_k + \dot{w}_{k-1} \quad (C.8)$$

The recursive relationship to propagate the solution from one time step to the next is developed by writing the dynamic equilibrium relationships at time $k-1$, k , and $k+1$:

$$[M] \{\ddot{w}_{k-1}\} + [DF] \{\dot{w}_{k-1}\} + [K] \{w_{k-1}\} = \{Q_{k-1}\} \quad (C.9)$$

$$[M] \{\ddot{w}_k\} + [DF] \{\dot{w}_k\} + [K] \{w_k\} = \{Q_k\} \quad (C.10)$$

$$\left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{k+1} \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{k+1} \right\} + \left[K \right] \left\{ w_{k+1} \right\} = \left\{ Q_{k+1} \right\} \quad (C.11)$$

Multiplying Eq C.10 by 4 and then adding Eqs C.9, C.10, and C.11 gives

$$\begin{aligned} \left[M \right] \left\{ \ddot{w}_{k+1} + 4\ddot{w}_k + \ddot{w}_{k-1} \right\} + \left[DF \right] \left\{ \dot{w}_{k+1} + 4\dot{w}_k + \dot{w}_{k-1} \right\} \\ + \left[K \right] \left\{ w_{k+1} + 4w_k + w_{k-1} \right\} = \left\{ Q_{k+1} + 4Q_k + Q_{k-1} \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (C.12)$$

Substituting Eqs C.6 and C.8 into Eq C.12 gives the following recursive relationship for step-by-step recursive analysis:

$$\begin{aligned} \left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] + \frac{3}{h_t} \left[DF \right] + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ w_{k+1} \right\} = \left\{ Q_{k+1} + 4Q_k + Q_{k-1} \right\} \\ - \left[-\frac{3}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ 4w_k \right\} - \left[\frac{6}{h_t^2} \left[M \right] - \frac{3}{h_t} \left[DF \right] \right. \\ \left. + \left[K \right] \right] \left\{ w_{k-1} \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (C.13)$$

As both $\left[M \right]$ and $\left[DF \right]$ are diagonal matrices, only the main diagonal of the stiffness matrix is modified by the operations shown in Eq C.13.

Eq C.13 can be written as

$$\left[K' \right] \left\{ w_{k+1} \right\} = \left\{ Q'_{k+1} \right\} \quad (C.14)$$

The right-hand side of Eq C.13 is combined, giving an equivalent load vector $\left\{ Q'_{k+1} \right\}$. The terms in the modified stiffness matrix $\left[K' \right]$ are given by Eqs A.19 through A.31 with one exception: for dynamic analysis $c_{i,j}^3$ (Eq A.25) becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
c_{i,j}^3 &= \frac{h_y}{h_x^3} (D_{x_{i-1,j}} + 4D_{x_{i,j}} + D_{x_{i+1,j}}) \\
&+ \frac{h_x}{h_y^3} (D_{y_{i,j-1}} + 4D_{y_{i,j}} + D_{y_{i,j+1}}) \\
&+ \frac{2}{h_x h_y} (D_{xy_{i,j}} + D_{xy_{i+1,j}} + D_{xy_{i,j+1}} + D_{xy_{i+1,j+1}}) \\
&+ 4\alpha_{i,j}) + \frac{1}{h_x} (P_{i,j}^x + P_{i+1,j}^x) + \frac{1}{h_y} (P_{i,j}^y + P_{i,j+1}^y) \\
&+ S_{i,j} + \frac{6}{h_t^2} M_{i,j} + \frac{3}{h_t} DF_{i,j}
\end{aligned} \tag{C.15}$$

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APPENDIX D

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SLAB 35 GUIDE FOR DATA INPUT -- Card forms

IDENTIFICATION OF PROGRAM AND RUN (2 alphanumeric cards per run)

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IDENTIFICATION OF PROBLEM (One card each problem)

Prob No.	Description of problem
1 5 11	80

TABLE 1. PROGRAM CONTROL DATA (Two or more* cards each problem)

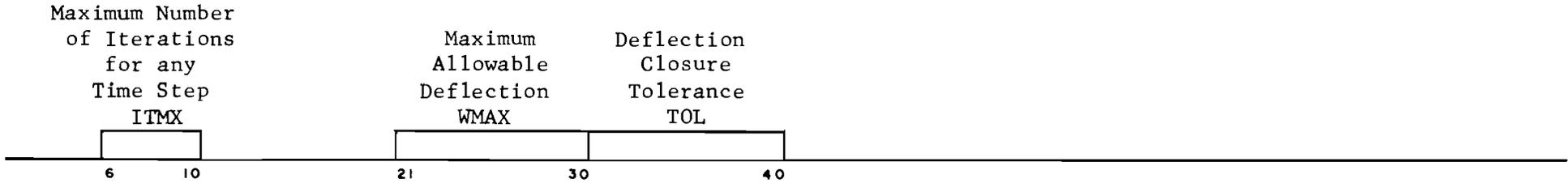
Number of Cards in Table		Number of Curves in Table		Print Option Switch	Number of Monitor Stations					
2	3	4	5	OP	MON					
NCT2	NCT3	NCT4	NCT5							
6	10	15	20	25	30	35	46	50	56	60

Number of Slab Increments		Number of Time Steps		Increment Length		Time-Steps Interval	Maximum Poisson's Ratio
X	Y	Time	Steps	X-Direction	Y-Direction	Interval	Ratio
MX	MY	MT		HX	HY	HT	PR
6	10	15	20	30	40	50	60

* The first two cards of this table are required for each problem. For linear problems (when NCR7 = 0) the third card must be omitted. Monitor stations to be read in are controlled by the first card (MON).

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Iteration Control Data (Not required for linear problems)



Monitor Stations (Controlled by MON; no cards if MON is blank or as many as 10)



TABLE 2. ELASTIC PROPERTIES OF THE SLAB (One or more cards for each problem as shown by NCT2 of Table 1.)

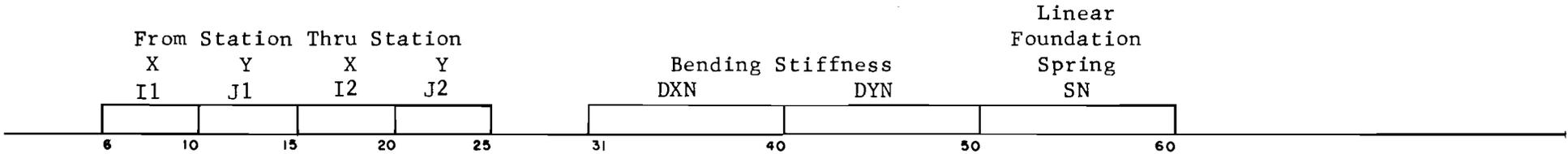
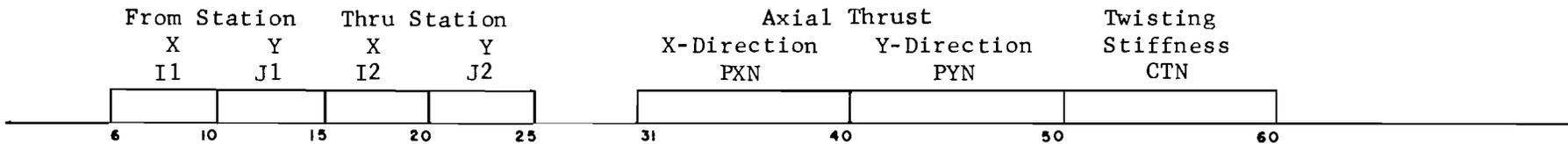


TABLE 3. AXIAL THRUST AND TWISTING STIFFNESS (The number of cards as shown by NCT3 of Table 1.)



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TABLE 4. MASS AND DAMPING PROPERTIES (The number of cards as shown by NCT4 of Table 1.)

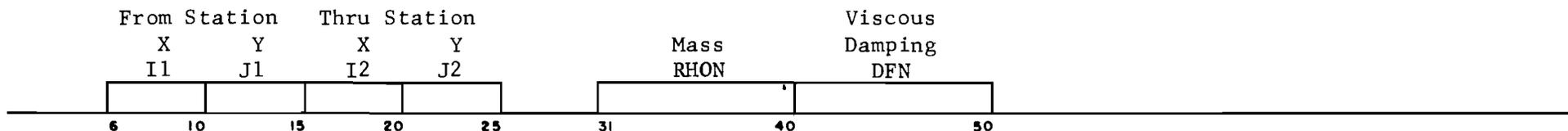


TABLE 5. STATIC OR DEAD LOADS (The number of cards as shown by NCT5 of TABLE 1.)

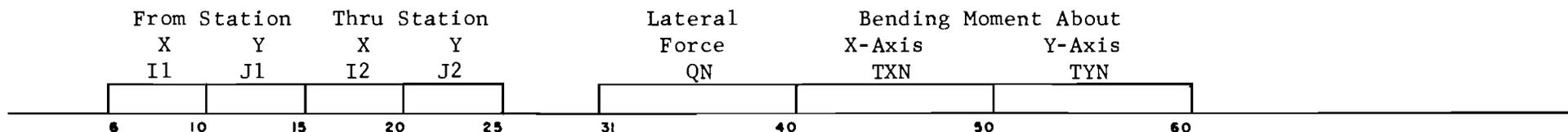
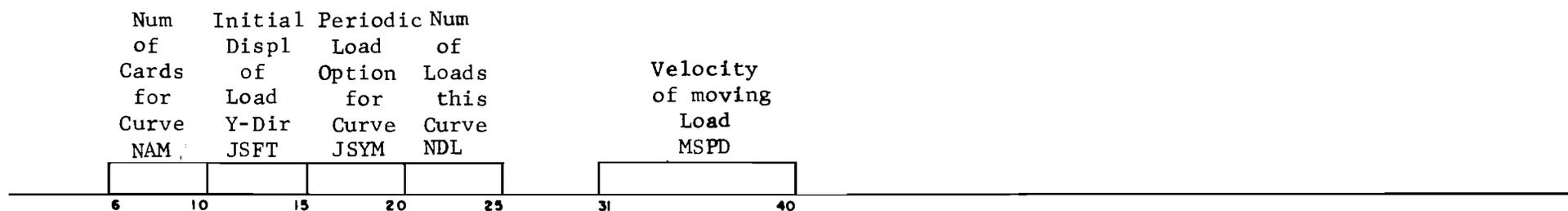


TABLE 6. DYNAMIC LOADING (The number of curves in this section is shown by NCR6 of TABLE 1. The number of cards in each curve is given by NAM.)

Dynamic Load Curve Control Card (One card for each curve)



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Amplitude Variation Data (NAM cards for each curve, not to exceed 20)



Dynamic Load (NDL cards, not to exceed 20)

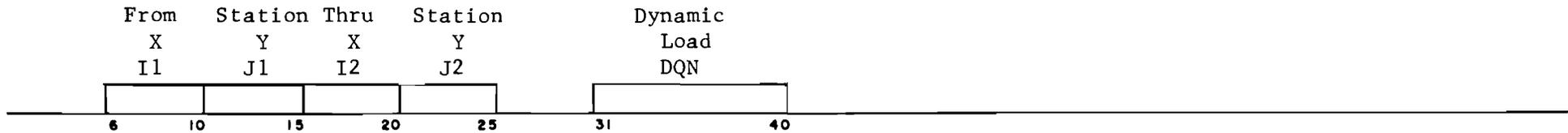
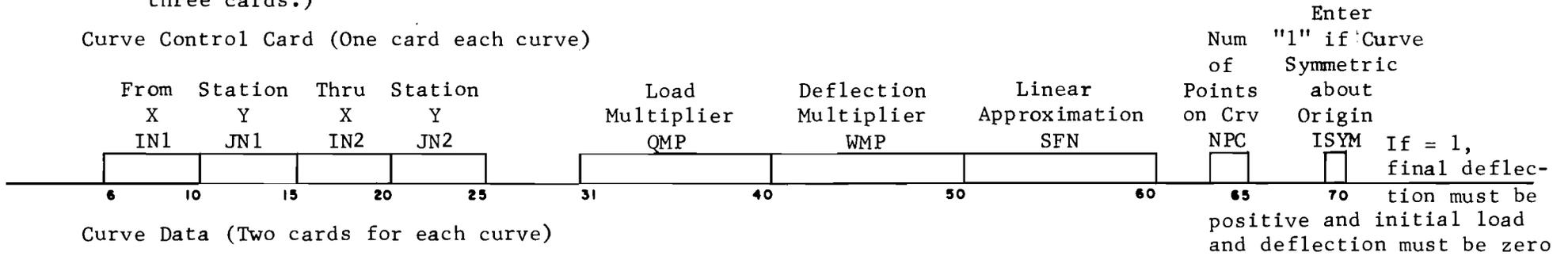
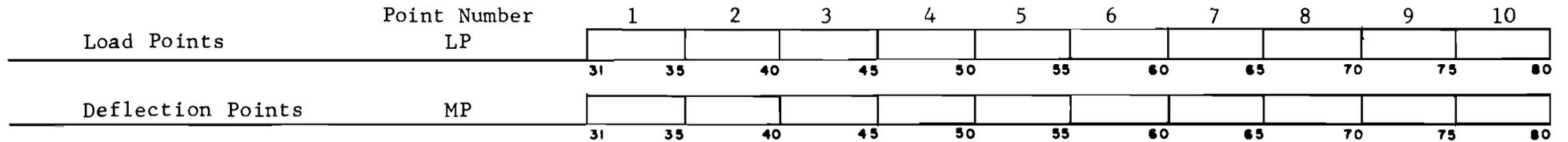


TABLE 7. NONLINEAR SUPPORT DATA (The number of nonlinear curves as shown by NCR7 of TABLE 1. Each curve requires three cards.)

Curve Control Card (One card each curve)



Curve Data (Two cards for each curve)



STOP CARD (One blank card of the end of each run)

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GENERAL PROGRAM NOTES

The data cards must be in the proper order for the program to run.

All data except the moving vehicle speed must be in units of pounds, inches, and seconds. Vehicle speed is input in miles per hour.

The variable identification on the guide for data input is consistent with the FORTRAN notation of SLAB 35.

All 2 and 5-space words must be right justified integer numbers: - 3 7 6

All 10-space words are floating-point decimal numbers: + 2 . 3 4 5 E + 0 3

TABLE 1. CONTROL DATA AND CONSTANTS

The number of cards in Tables 2 through 5 should be carefully checked in the assembled data deck.

The number of curves in Tables 6 and 7 should be verified before submitting the deck for a computer run.

Output listings for deflection and moment are made for all nodes every OP time steps; in the interval between complete listings only monitor station data are printed.

A single value of Poisson's ratio is input. For orthotropic plate analysis, the larger of the two Poisson's ratio values (ν_x and ν_y) is input.

The deflection closure tolerance has the units of inches. For many plate and slab problems a value in the range 10^{-3} to 10^{-6} is adequate to insure closure.

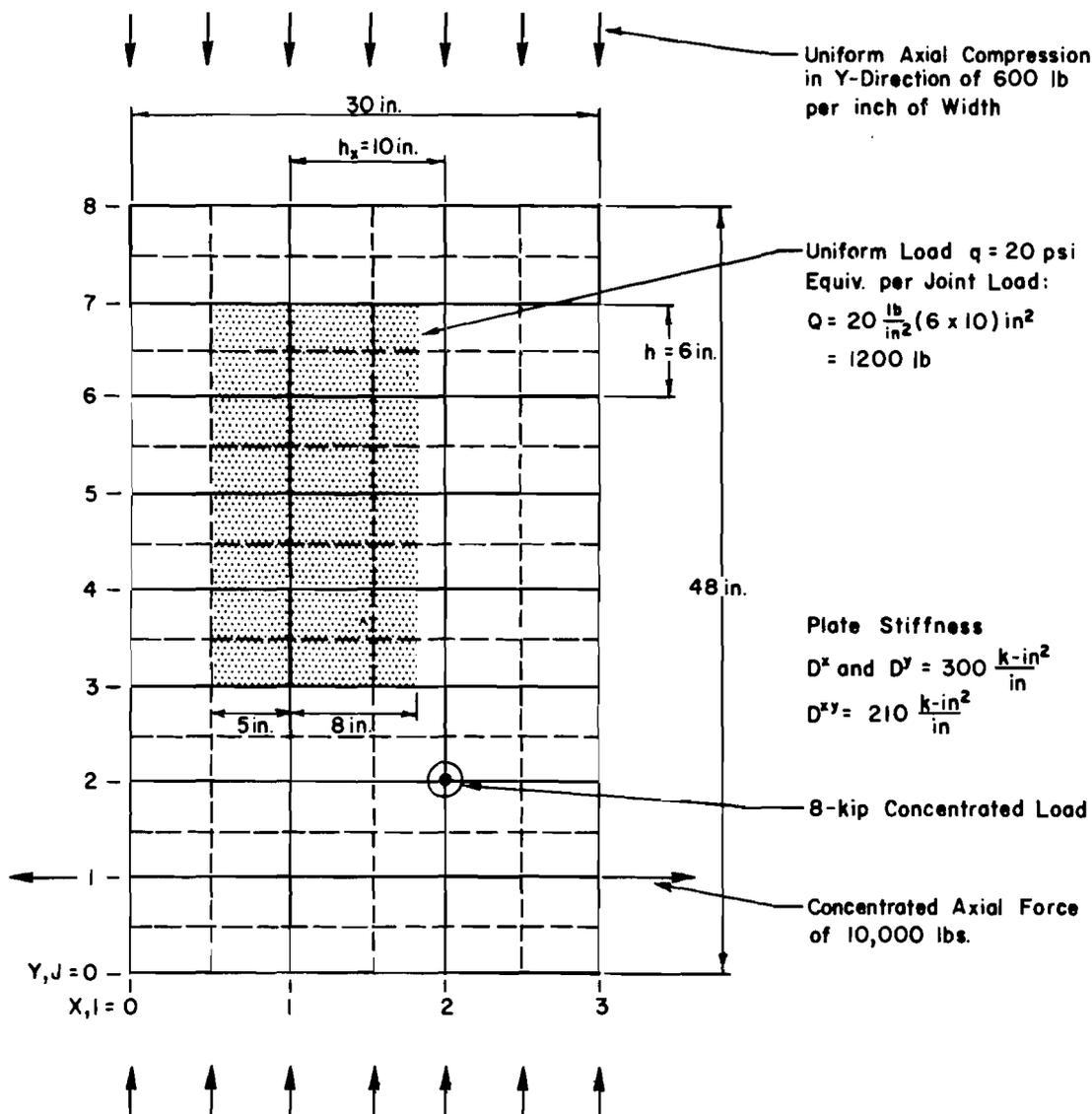
TABLE 2. ELASTIC PROPERTIES OF THE SLAB

Variables:	X-Direction Bending Stiffness DXN	Y-Direction Bending Stiffness DYN	Linear Support Spring SN
Units:	$\frac{1b-in^2}{in.}$	$\frac{1b-in^2}{in.}$	$\frac{1b}{in.}$

The maximum number of cards in Table 2 is 50.

Data are described by a node coordinate identification as shown in Fig D1.

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From I1	J1	Through I2	J2	D_x and D_y	D_{xy}	Q	P^x	P^y
0	0	3	8	3.000E + 05	2.100E + 05			
1	3	1	7			-1.200E + 03		
2	3	2	7			-3.600E + 02		
2	2	2	2			-8.000E + 03		
0	1	3	1				+1.000E + 04	
0	0	3	8					-6.000E + 03
0	0	0	8					3.000E + 03
3	0	3	8					3.000E + 03

Note: data incomplete for this sample

Fig D1. Example of organization of plate variables and sustained forces for data input and sample output.

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An unyielding support is specified by a support spring greater than 10^{30} .

Data may be distributed to every node in an area by specifying the lower left-hand and upper right-hand coordinates. Quarter-values are automatically placed at corner nodes and half-values at edge nodes. For line specifications, half-values are placed at the starting and ending nodes. Data for a single point will be identified by placing the same node coordinates in both the "From" and "Thru" columns.

Coordinates I2 and J2 must either be equal to or greater than coordinates I1 and J1 .

No restrictions are placed on the Table 2 card order.

Cumulative input is possible (see Fig D1). Data on each card are added to preceding card values.

TABLE 3. AXIAL THRUST AND TWISTING STIFFNESS

Variables:	X-Direction Axial Thrust PXN	Y-Direction Axial Thrust PYN	Twisting Stiffness CTN
Units:	lb	lb	$\frac{\text{lb-in}^2}{\text{in.}}$

The maximum number of cards in Table 3 is 50.

Axial thrusts are bar data, i.e., a single node cannot be used to describe the force.

Tension is positive (+) and compression negative (-).

Area and line specifications are available for axial thrust.

A full value of axial thrust is placed in all bars in the area defined by the "From" and "Through" coordinates, including bars which define the edge of the area.

Twisting stiffness is an area variable and can only be described by area coordinates; I2 and J2 must be greater than I1 and J1 .

Data are distributed with full values to all grid areas defined by the "From" and "Through" coordinates.

Data in this table are cumulative.

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TABLE 4. MASS AND DAMPING PROPERTIES

Variables:	Node Point Mass RHON	Node Point Damping DFN
Units:	$\frac{\text{lb-sec}^2}{\text{in.}}$	$\frac{\text{lb-sec}}{\text{in.}}$

The maximum number of cards for Table 4 is 50.

Mass and damping are node data and are described and distributed as Table 2 data; node point, line, and area descriptions are available. Quarter values of variables are placed at corners of areas and half values of the variables are placed at ends of lines and area edges.

TABLE 5. STATIC OR DEAD LOAD

Variables:	Lateral Load QN	X-Direction Couple Moment TXN	Y-Direction Couple Moment TYN
Units:	lb	lb-in	lb-in

The maximum number of cards for Table 5 is 50.

Variables in this table are node data and are described and distributed as outlined in Table 2.

TABLE 6. DYNAMIC LOADING

Variables:	Dynamic Load Multiplier DQM	Dynamic Load DQN	Speed of Load in Y-Direction MSPD
Units:	-	lb	$\frac{\text{mi}}{\text{hr}}$

The number of curves in Table 6 cannot exceed 20.

As many as 20 points can be used to define each multiplier curve.

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The maximum number of loads which can be input for a single curve is 20.

The multiplier curve is developed as shown in Fig D2 with the requirement that at time station zero the amplitude multiplier must be zero.

A periodic multiplier is generated by a 1 in JSYM; leaving this field blank produces a nonperiodic curve.

Loads moving in the positive y-direction must be entered with a positive speed while those in the opposite direction are negative.

The loads described are shifted in the positive or negative y-direction the number of stations given by JSFT. This feature is used with the moving load capabilities so that a load can be described on the slab then shifted to a point where it can run across the slab.

The loads controlled by the curve are NDL and are input following the multiplier curve.

Loads can be described for a point, line, or area. Rules for the description of loads are given in the discussion of Table 2 data.

TABLE 7. NONLINEAR SUPPORT DATA

Variables:	Linear Approximation of Nonlinear Curve	Scaled Foundation Resistance	Scaled Foundation Deflection
	SFN	LP	MP
Units:	$\frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in.}}$	lb	in.

Each curve consists of 3 cards: a curve control card, a card listing foundation resistance, and a card giving corresponding deflections.

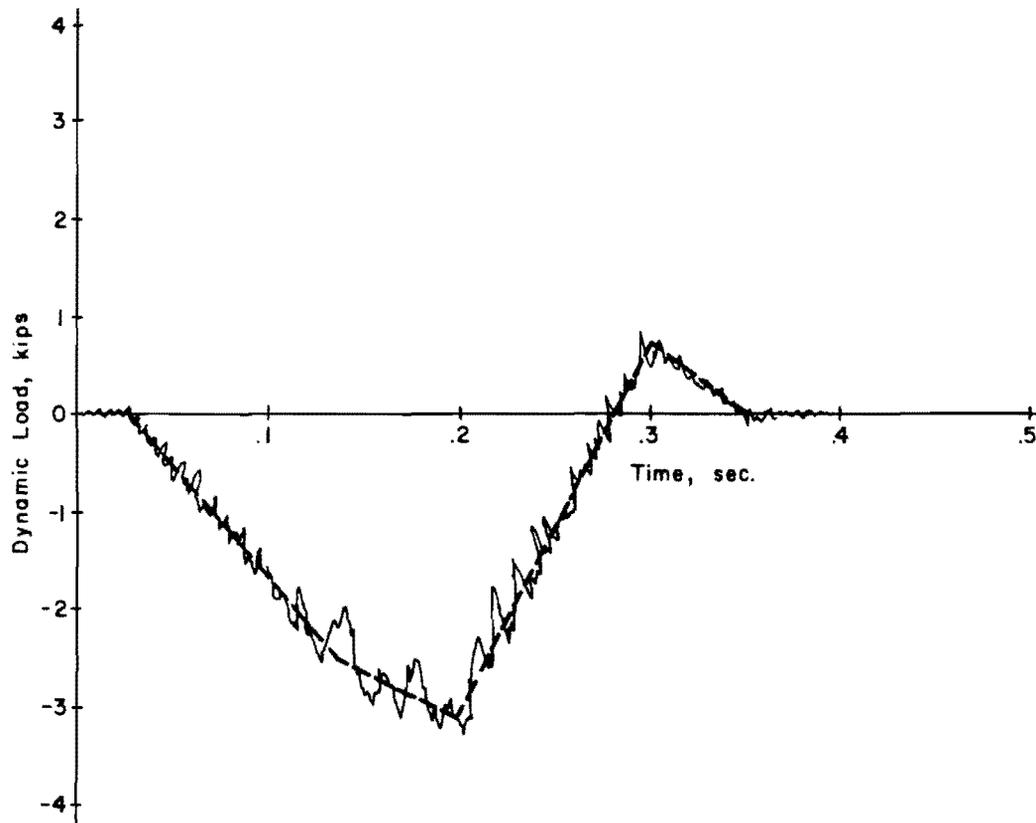
The nonlinear foundation can be described for a point, line, or an area, by the use of x and y-coordinates. Rules given in the discussion of Table 2 data apply to the distribution process.

The multipliers QMP and WMP are scaling factors for the resistance-deflection points given by LP and MP. The curve is constructed as $QMP \times LP$ for resistance values and $WMP \times MP$ for the deflection. Therefore QMP and WMP must not be zero.

The linear approximation (SFN) will be a positive number. This value cannot be omitted.

As many as 10 points can be used to define the nonlinear curve. When the symmetry option is requested, as many as 19 points can be generated.

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Time increment = .001 sec

Time Station			Load multiplier for a dynamic load of 1000 lb
From K1	Thru K2	Cont. KONT	DQM
25		1	0.0
	135	1	-2.500E00
	200	1	-3.000E00
	300	1	0.750E00
	350	0	0.0

Fig D2. Example of organization of dynamic loading for data input.

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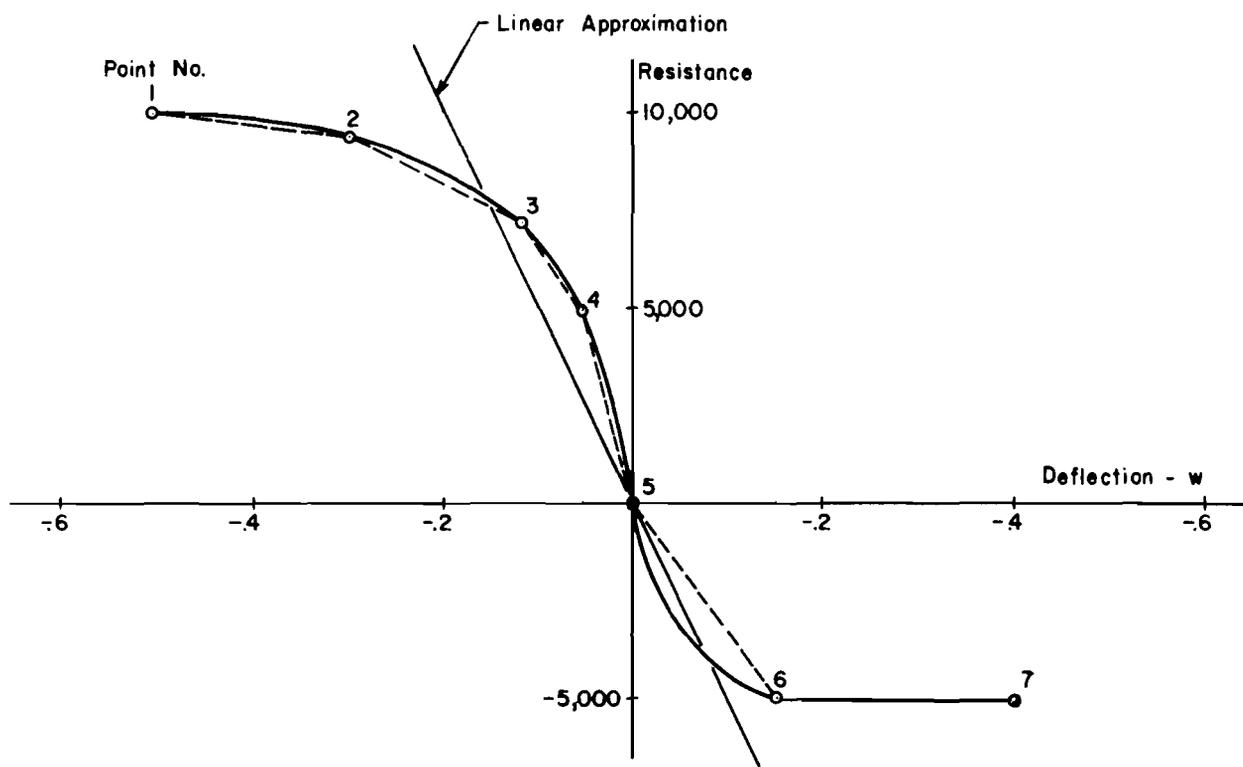
The deflection must be input in algebraically increasing order. This can be accomplished by using a positive multiplier and algebraically increasing deflection points or a negative multiplier and decreasing deflections. When symmetry is required the initial resistance and deflection must be zero.

The load and deflection points (LP and MP) must be scaled integer values of the nonlinear resistance-deflection curve, with the scaling factors being the load and deflection multiplier values (QMP and WMP). An example illustrating the organization of the data is given in Fig D3.

The curves must be single-valued functions of deflection, i.e., for each deflection there is a unique load.

Cumulative input is available for the nonlinear curves and their linear approximations. The rules for distribution of both the curve and the linear approximation follow those given in Table 2; quarter values of the variables are assigned to corners of areas and half values to ends of lines and area edges.

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QMP WMP SFN
 1.000E+02 -1.000E-03 5.000E+04

Point Number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
LP	100	90	71	50	0	-30	-50
MP	500	300	120	50	0	-150	-400

Fig D3. Example of organization of foundation resistance-deflection characteristics for data input.

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APPENDIX E

SLAB 35 FLOW DIAGRAM AND
PROGRAM LISTING

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APPENDIX E. SLAB 35 FLOW DIAGRAM AND PROGRAM LISTING

The computer program SLAB 35 consists of the main driver program and 27 subroutines. Twelve of the subroutines were written especially for this program while the remaining 15 are part of a solution package for banded linear equations described elsewhere (Ref 6).

A summary flow diagram of the program SLAB 35 is shown in Fig E1. The major functions of the program are outlined in this figure. Detailed flow diagrams of the main flow program and the 12 subroutines unique to this program follow the summary flow diagram.

Five functions are controlled by the main program: data input and organization, output, nonlinear control, dynamic load generation, and equation generation and solution.

For the data input and organization phase, four subroutines are utilized. INTERP9 interprets data input tables and distributes the elastic and dynamic properties to plate node points, bars, and areas. STIF1 and STFMX construct and store on a disk file the static stiffness matrix. The first generates matrix terms related to bending stiffness and linear foundation springs and the second completes the formation with the addition of axial thrust and twisting stiffness to the coefficients developed by STIF1. STALD forms the sustained static load and dead loads and writes them on a disk file.

Nonlinear control is performed by a single subroutine, NONLIN4, which compares deflections of two iterations to determine if closure has been established. If the solution is not closed within the specified tolerance, a new correction load is computed and stored on a disk file.

At each time station, a new dynamic load is generated by DYNLD, which constructs either periodic or nonperiodic multipliers for stationary and moving load.

The generation and solution of equations are controlled by seven subroutines. Two, MASSAC and INERTIA, compute the right-hand side or load vector related to previous deflection or acceleration and velocity calculations.

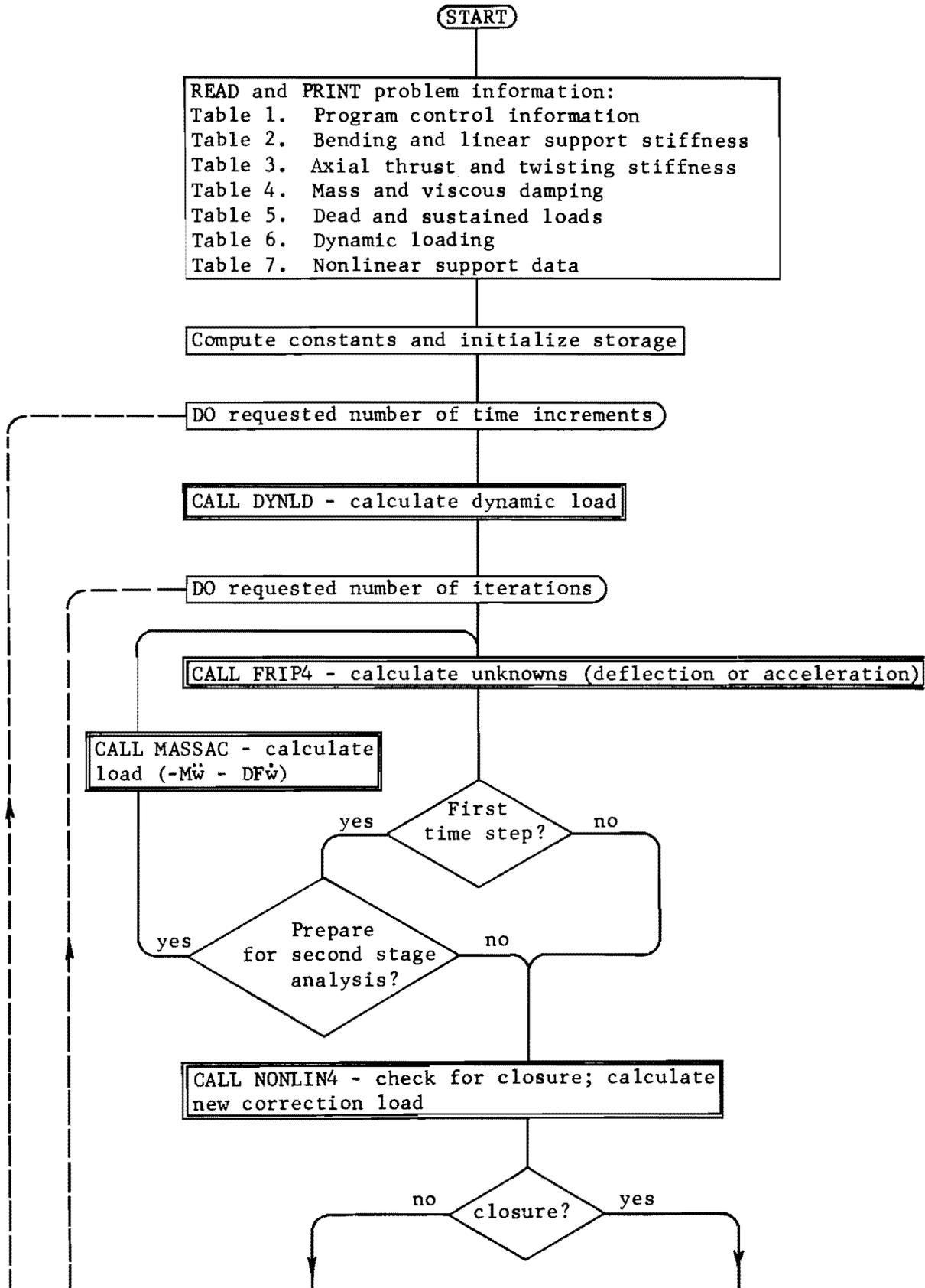


Fig E1. Summary flow diagram of program SLAB 35 (Continued).

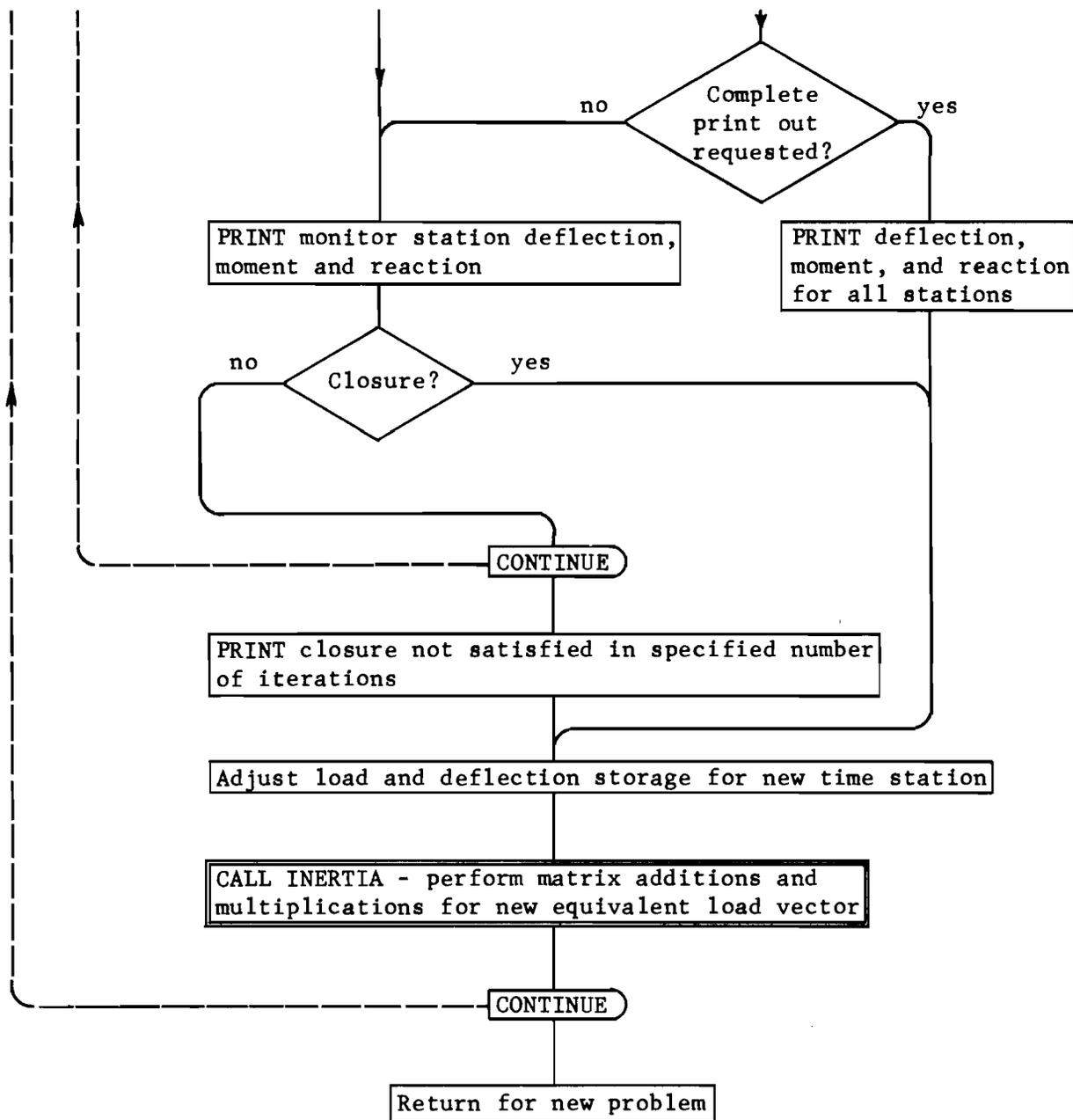


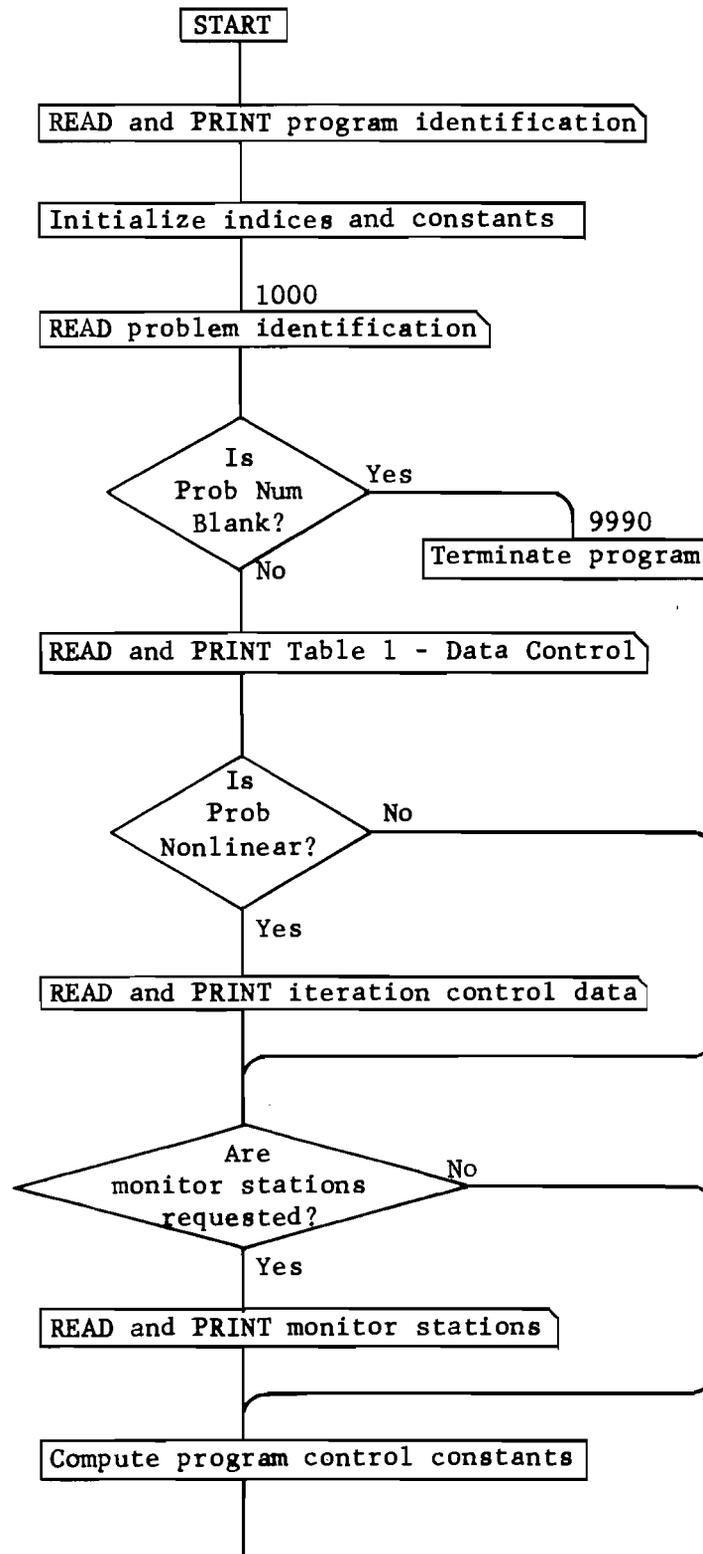
Fig E1. Summary flow diagram of program SLAB 35 (Continued).

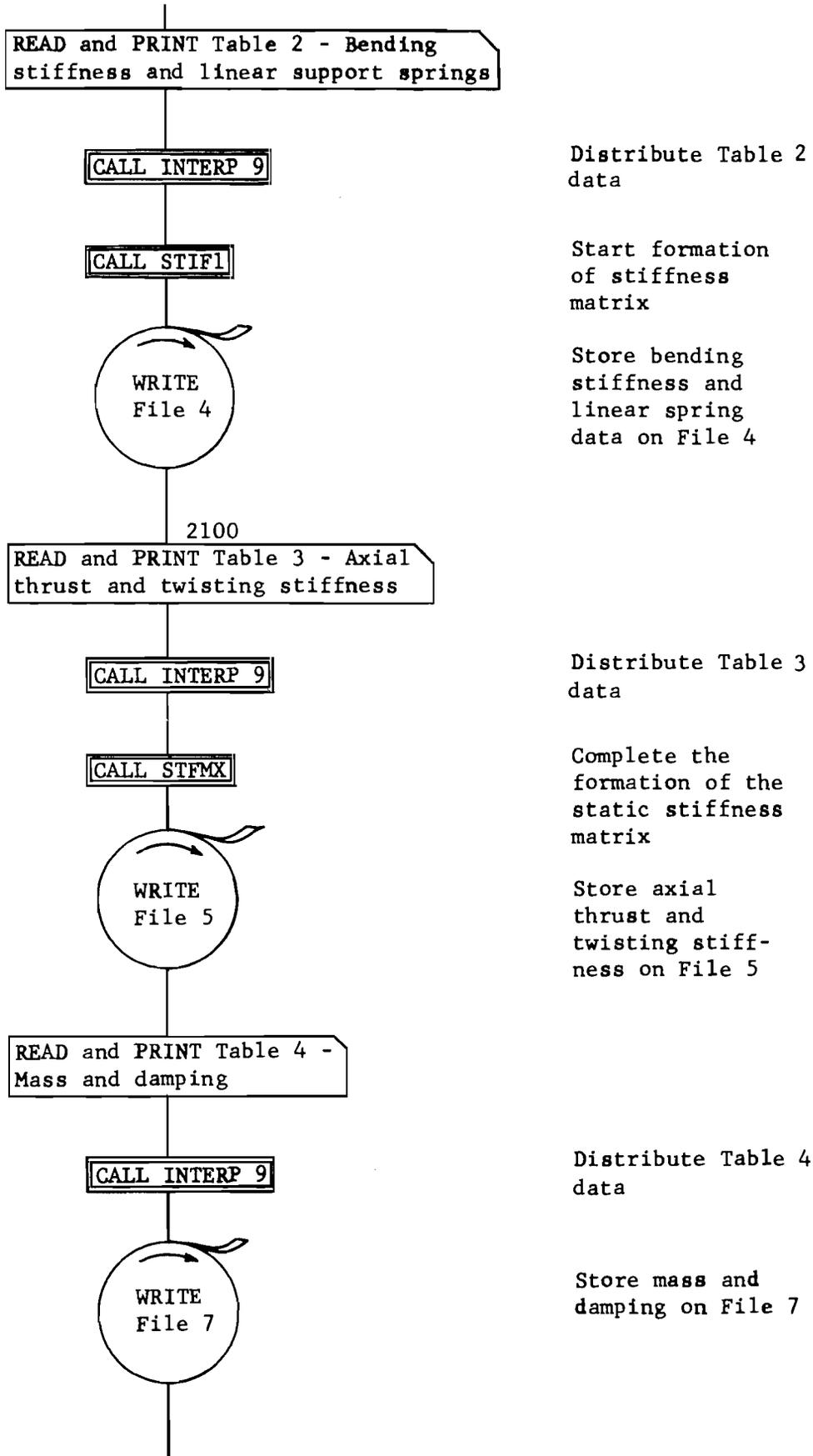
Three, STAT, DYNAM, and ACCEL, generate the equations and form the load vector, and EXECUT directs the solution by selecting the correct equation generator. The equations are solved by subroutine FRIP4 which has been described elsewhere (Ref 6) and therefore its flow diagram and listing are not included. MASSAC computes the products of mass times acceleration and velocity times damping for deflection analysis at the first time step. INERTIA computes the matrix products on the right-hand side of Eq 3.12. STAT forms the static stiffness matrix and constructs the load vector for either static analysis or deflection analysis at the first time step. DYNAM formulates the modified stiffness matrix and load vector for the general time step. ACCEL forms the modified stiffness matrix and load vector for acceleration analysis at the first time step. FRIP4 is an equation solver for matrices with five-wide banding.

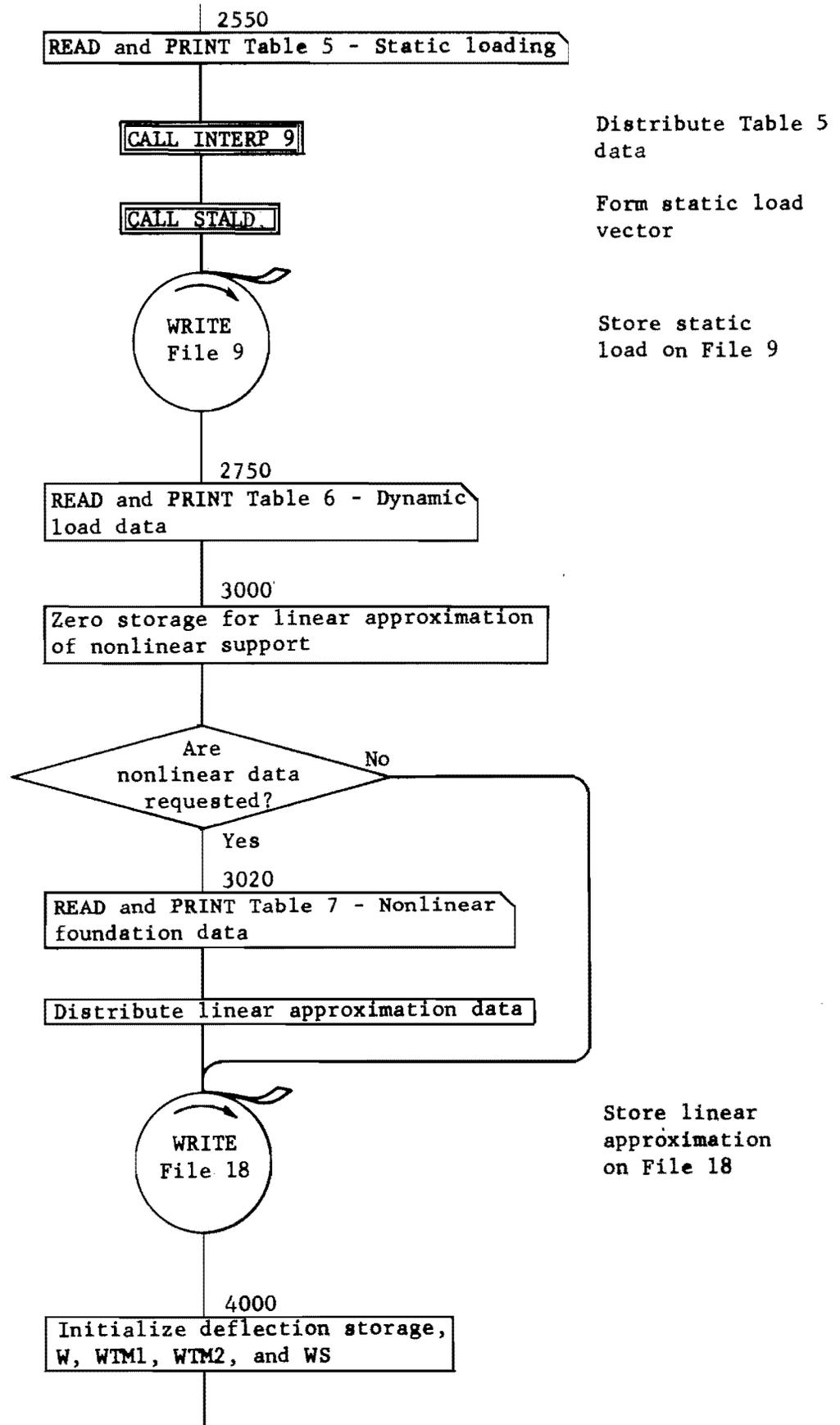
In addition to the subroutines noted above, 14 others are used throughout the program for matrix and vector operations (Ref 6).

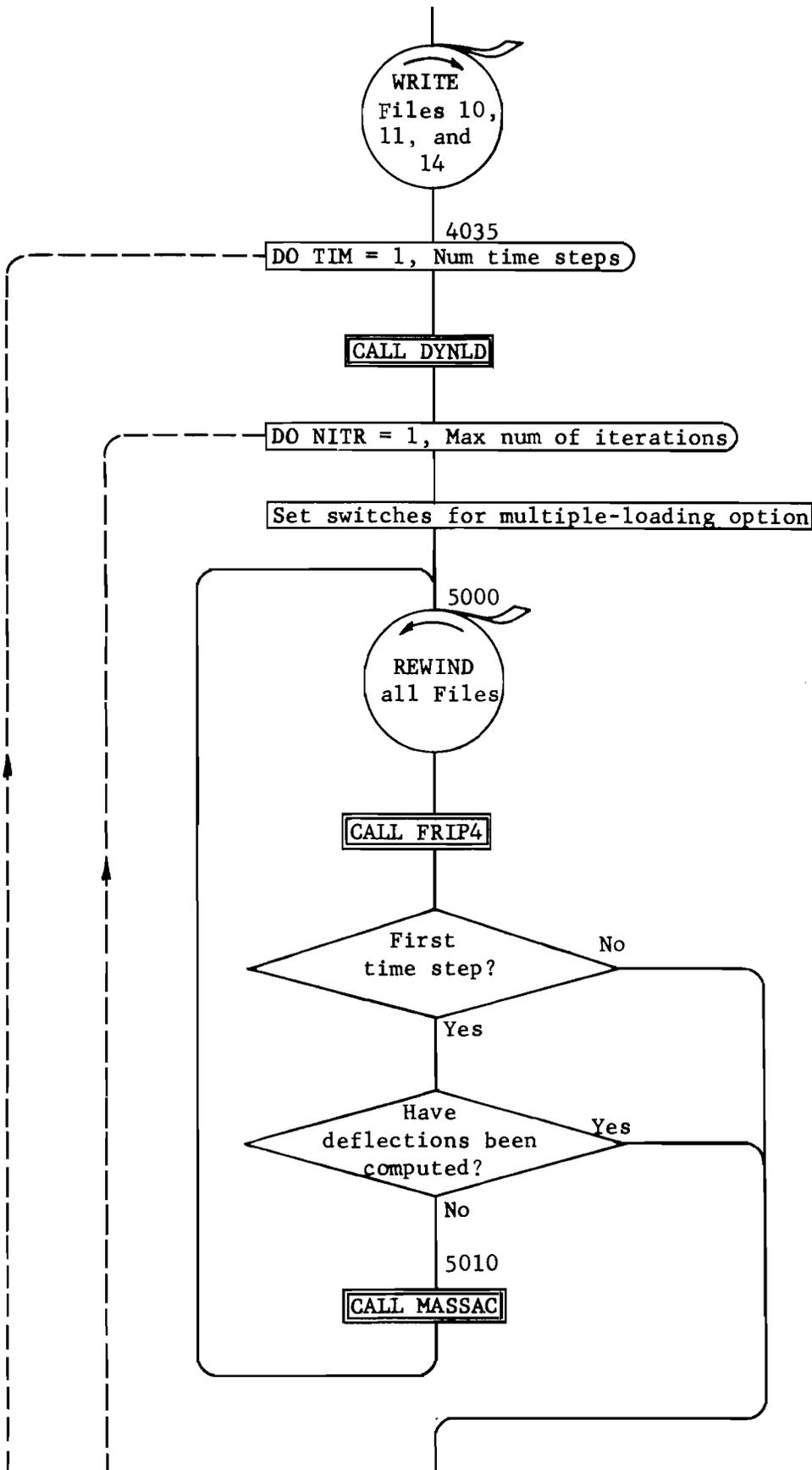
The output functions were coded in the main program. Printed results are moments, reactions, and deflections for either all node points or points selected by the program user.

FLOW DIAGRAM FOR PROGRAM SLAB 35









Initialize storage files for dynamic load, load correction, and equivalent load vectors

Start solution procedure

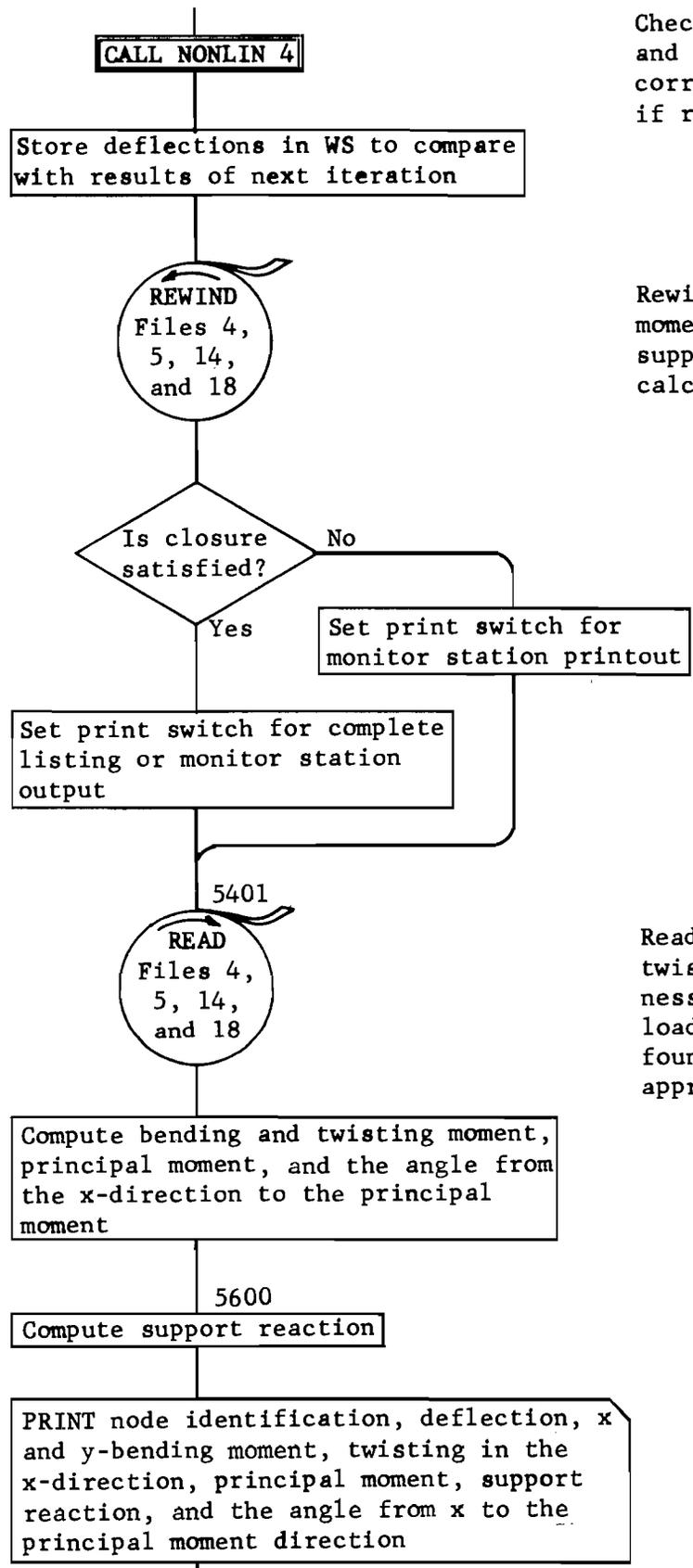
Compute dynamic loading at time step TIM

Files 6, 7, 8, and 10 through 18 are rewound for the solution procedure

Compute unknown deflections or accelerations. FRIP4 calls subroutine EXCUT which selects the coefficient matrix and load vector

Accelerations have been calculated at first time step

$(-M\ddot{w} - D\dot{w})$ calculated and stored for deflection analysis



Check for closure and compute new correction load if required

Rewind files for moment and support reaction calculations

Read bending and twisting stiffness, correction load on linear foundation approximation

CALL NONLIN 4

Store deflections in WS to compare with results of next iteration

REWIND
Files 4,
5, 14,
and 18

Is closure satisfied?

No

Set print switch for monitor station printout

Yes

Set print switch for complete listing or monitor station output

5401

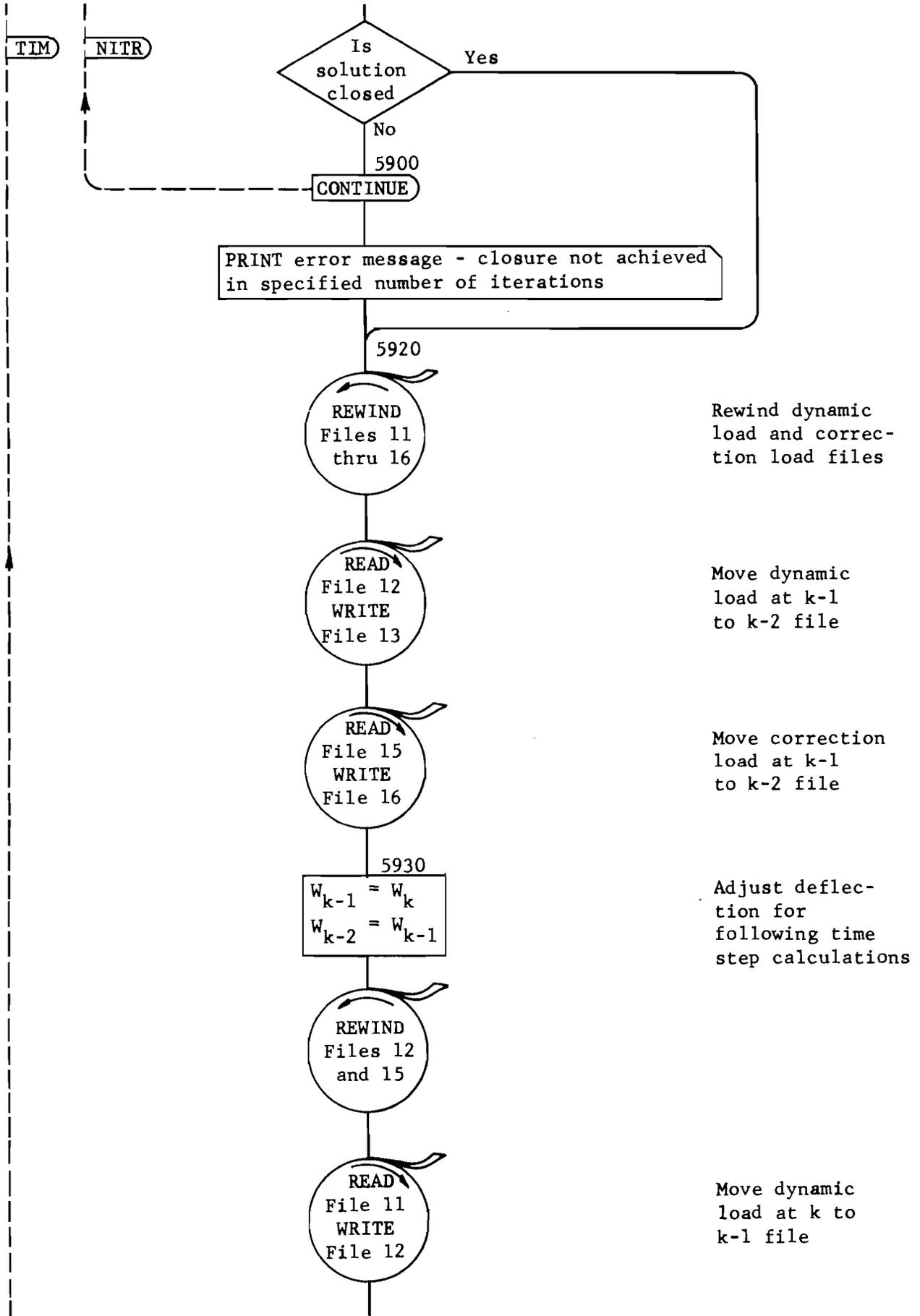
READ
Files 4,
5, 14,
and 18

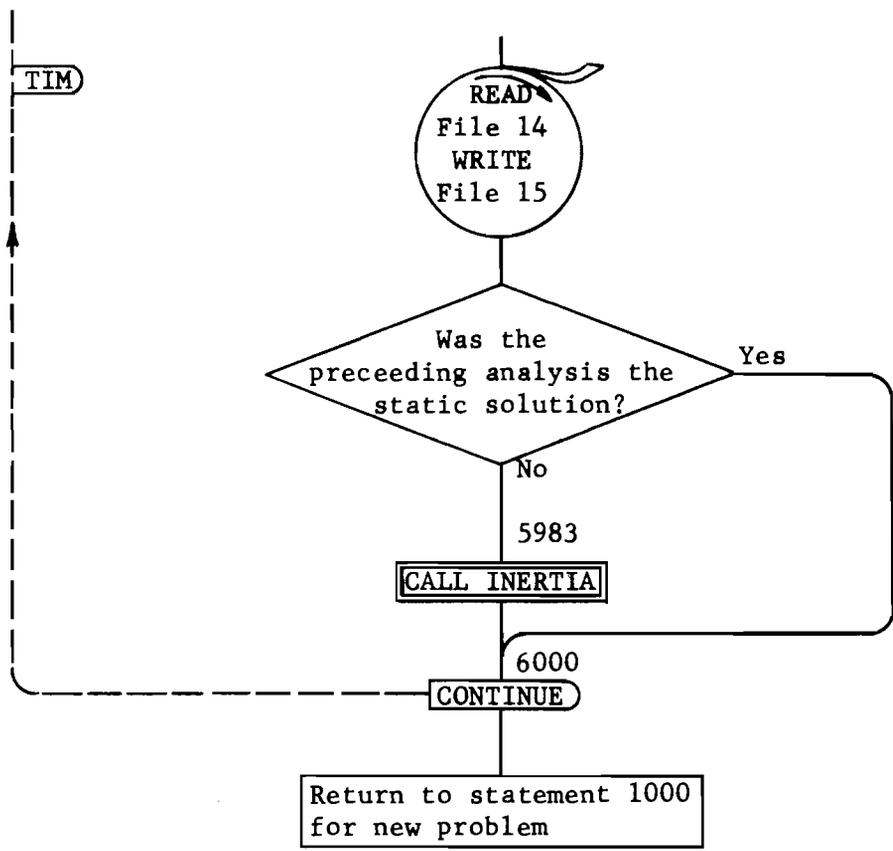
Compute bending and twisting moment, principal moment, and the angle from the x-direction to the principal moment

5600

Compute support reaction

PRINT node identification, deflection, x and y-bending moment, twisting in the x-direction, principal moment, support reaction, and the angle from x to the principal moment direction





Move correction
load at k to
k-1 file

Compute equiva-
lent load vector
for following
time step

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PROGRAM SLAB 35 ( INPUT, OUTPUT, TAPE1, TAPE2, TAPE3, TAPE4, 22JL9
1 TAPE5, TAPE6, TAPE7, TAPE8, TAPE9, TAPE10, 22JA9
2 TAPE11, TAPE12, TAPE13, TAPE14, TAPE15, 22JA9
3 TAPE16, TAPE18 )160C9
DIMENSION AN1( 32), AN2( 14), MSX( 10), 11N08
1 MSY( 10), I1( 50), J1( 50), 11N08
2 I2( 50), J2( 50), DXN( 50), 11N08
3 DYN( 50), SN( 50), PXN( 50), 11N08
4 PYN( 50), CTN( 50), RHON( 50), 11N08
5 DFN( 50), QN( 50), TXN( 50), 11N08
6 TYN( 50), NAM( 20), JSFT( 20), 11N08
7 MSPD( 20), JSYM( 20), DOM( 20, 20), 16MY9
8 IN1( 10), JN1( 10), IN2( 10), 11N08
9 JN2( 10), SFN( 10), NPC( 10), 11N08
A LP( 10), MP( 10), MDL( 20), 21MY9
B K1( 20, 20), K2( 20, 20), KONT( 20, 20), 11N08
C DOM( 20, 20), QNL( 10, 19), WNL( 10, 19), 16MY9
D ID( 20, 20), J1D( 20, 20), I2D( 20, 20), 16MY9
E J2D( 20, 20) 08JL0
DIMENSION K11(20,20), K22(20,20) 17DE9
C
C * * * * * DIMENSIONED FPR A 4 X 15 SLAB
C * * * * *
DIMENSION DXF( 11, 22), DYF( 11, 22), SSF( 11, 22), 17DE9
1 PKF( 11, 22), PYF( 11, 22), RHOF( 11, 22), 17DE9
2 DFF( 11, 22), QF( 11, 22), TXF( 11, 22), 17DE9
3 TYF( 11, 22), SFF( 11, 22), WF( 11, 22), 17DE9
4 WTM1( 11, 22), WTM2( 11, 22), WS( 11, 22), 17DE9
5 CTF( 11, 22), QD1F( 11, 22), Q11F( 11, 22) 17DE9
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2 Q11( 7), Q12( 7), Q13( 7), RHO( 7), 17DE9
3 DF( 7), DX( 7), DY( 7), S( 7), 17DE9
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5 ATM( 7) 17DE9
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3 CC( 7, 5), ET1( 7, 1), EE( 1, 7), 17DE9
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1 ( DYN, PYN, DFN, TXN, JSFT), ( SN, CTN, TYN, NAM ) 29JA9
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1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT, HT, HY 20JU9
COMMON/CON/ HKDHY3, HYDHX3, ODHXHY, ODHX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, OD2HT, 06JU9
1 HKDHY, HYDHX 06JU9
COMMON/RI/ NK, NL, NF, NT25W, TJM 22JA9
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TYPE REAL MSPD, KNTR 29JU0
TYPE REAL K11, K22 02JL0

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1 FORMAT ( 52H PROGRAM SLAB 35 - MASTER DECK - A.E. KELLY 18JU9
1 / 51H REVISION DATE 29 JUL 70 20JL9
10 FORMAT ( ) 117DE9
20 FORMAT ( 5H , 80X, 10H1-----TRIM ) 07JA9
30 FORMAT ( 5H1 , 80X, 10H1-----TRIM ) 07JA9
100 FORMAT ( 16A5 ) 07JA9
110 FORMAT ( A5, 5X, 14A5 ) 07JA9
120 FORMAT ( 5X, 6I5, 10X, 15, 5X, 15 ) 17AP9
130 FORMAT ( 5X, 3I5, 4E10.3 ) 07JA9
140 FORMAT ( 5X, 15, 10X, 2E10.3 ) 07JA9
145 FORMAT ( 5X, 2I5 ) 07JA9
150 FORMAT ( 5X, 16A5 ) 07JA9
155 FORMAT ( ///10H PROB , / 5X, A5, 5X, 14A5 ) 07JA9
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160 FORMAT ( // 30H TABLE 1. CONTROL DATA , / 07JA9
1 / 30H NUM CARDS TABLE 2 , 43X, 12, / 07JA9
2 30H NUM CARDS TABLE 3 , 43X, 12, / 07JA9
3 30H NUM CARDS TABLE 4 , 43X, 12, / 07JA9
4 30H NUM CARDS TABLE 5 , 43X, 12, / 07JA9
5 30H NUM CURVES TABLE 6 , 43X, 12, / 07JA9
6 30H NUM CURVES TABLE 7 , 43X, 12, / 107JA9
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1 30H NUM INCREMENTS MY , 42X, 13, / 07JA9
2 30H NUM INCREMENTS MT , 42X, 13, / 07JA9
3 30H X INCR LENGTH HX , 35X, E10.3, / 07JA9
4 30H Y INCR LENGTH HY , 35X, E10.3, / 07JA9
5 30H TIME INCR LENGTH HT , 35X, E10.3, / 07JA9
6 30H MAX POISSONS RATIO , 35X, E10.3, / 07JA9
7 30H PRINT OPTION OP , 43X, 12, / 21MY9
8 51H ALL DATA PRINTED EVERY OP TIME STEPS 17AP9
D / 30H NUM MONITOR STATIONS, 43X, 12 107JA9
170 FORMAT ( 30H MAX NUM ITERATIONS , 42X, 13, / 07JA9
1 30H MAX ALLOWABLE DEFL , 35X, E10.3, / 07JA9
2 30H CLOSURE TOLERANCE , 35X, E10.3 107JA9
175 FORMAT ( / 40H LINEAR FOUNDATION SPRINGS 107JA9
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1 30H X Y 107JA9
185 FORMAT ( 13X, 13, 3X, 13 ) 07JA9
190 FORMAT ( / 50H MONITOR STATIONS NOT REQUESTED 107JA9
200 FORMAT ( 5X, 4I5, 5X, 3E10.3 ) 07JA9
210 FORMAT ( 5X, 5I5 ) 16MY9
220 FORMAT ( 5X, 3I5, E10.3 ) 03JA9
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1 // 48H FROM THRU PX PY CT, /107JA9
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280 FORMAT ( //45H TABLE 4. MASS AND DAMPING PROPERTIES , 03JA9
1 // 40H FROM THRU RHO DF , / 103JA9
285 FORMAT ( 51H NO MASS OR DAMPING DATA - STATIC PROBLEM 103JA9
287 FORMAT ( //45H TABLE 5. STATIC LOADING ( DEAD LOAD ) , 03JA9
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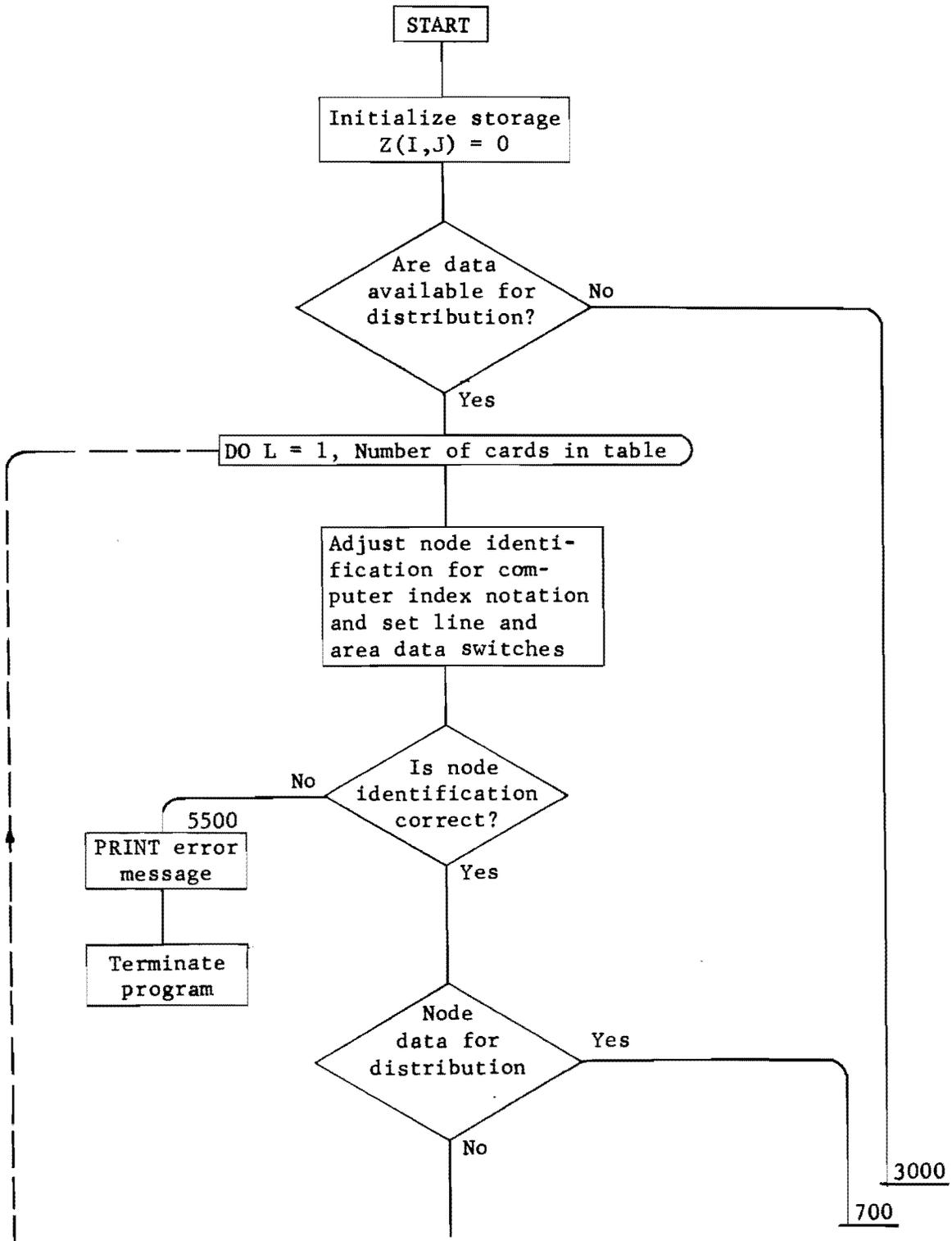
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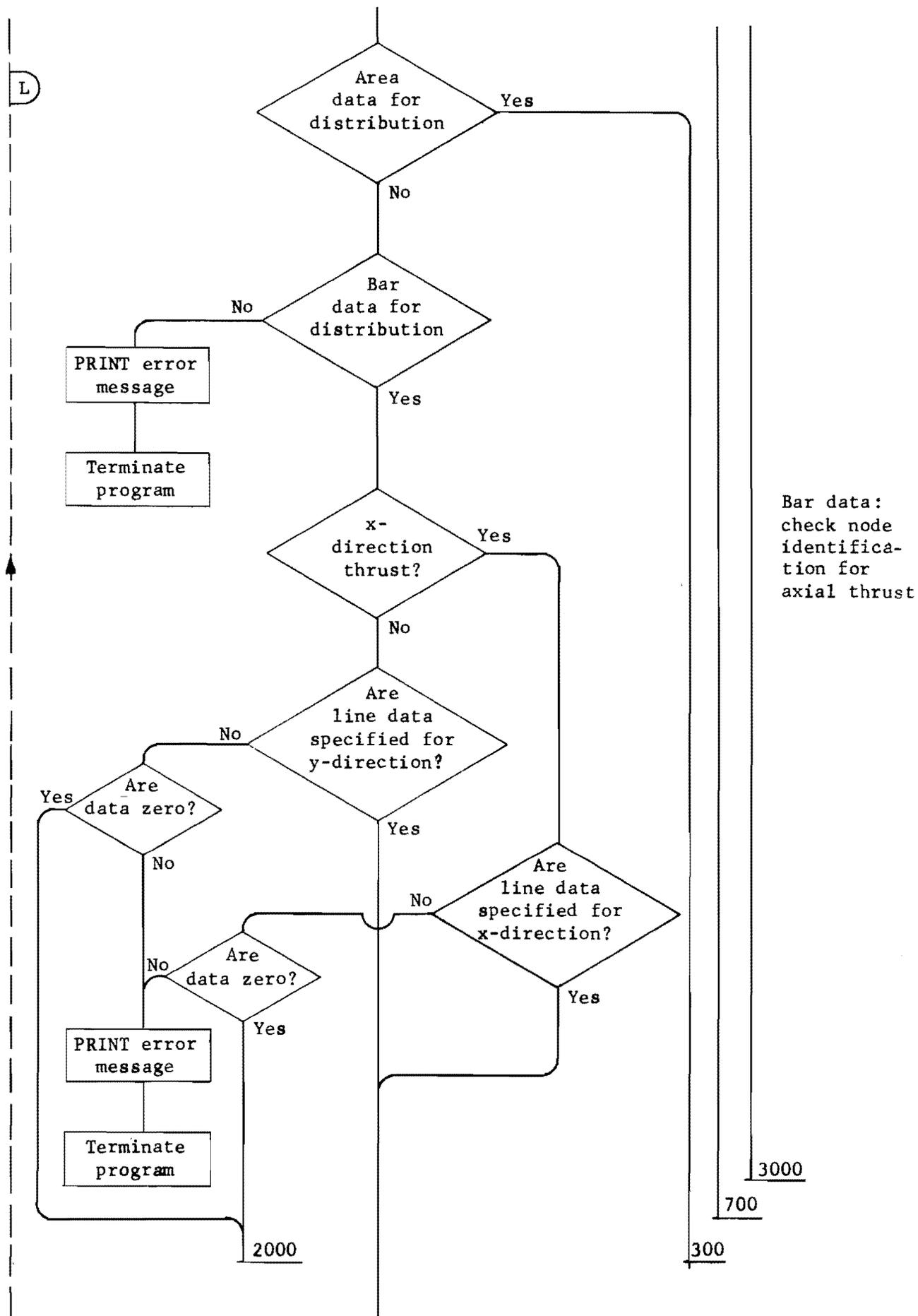
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1 45H NUM CARDS TO DEFINE CURVE , 110, 12JE9 MX = 0 17AP9
2 / 45H INITIAL SHIFT IN Y DIRECTION , 110, 12JE9 MY = 0 17AP9
3 / 45H SYMMETRY OPTION ( PERIODIC LOAD ) , 110, 12JE9 MT = 0 17AP9
4 / 5X, 52H IF NOT ZERO, PERIODIC AMPLITUDE MULTIPLIER 12JE9 HX = 0.0 17AP9
A // 45H NUM LOADS THIS CURVE , 110, 12JE9 HY = 0.0 17AP9
5 / 37H VELOCITY ( MILES PER HOUR ), 12X *F6.1 12JE9 HT = 0.0 17AP9
B // 45H TIME MULTIPLIER ( CONVERTS INTEGER *E10.3*02JL0 PR = 0.0 17AP9
C / 45H INPUT TO A DECIMAL NUM ) , 02JL0 C * * * START PROGRAM 01SE8
6 // 40H TIME LOAD , / 02JL0 PRINT 20 22JA9
7 40H FROM THRU CONT MULTIPLIER , / 103JA9 ITEST = 5H 01SE8
294 FORMAT ( 8X, 13, 5X, 13, 7X, E11.3 ) 03JA9 READ 100, ( AN1(N), N = 1, 32 ) 01SE8
295 FORMAT ( 16X, 13, 4X, 11, 2X, E11.3 ) 03JA9 CALL TIC TOC (1) 01SE8
296 FORMAT ( 8X, 13, 12X, 11, 2X, E11.3 ) 03JA9 1000 READ 110, NPROB, ( AN2(N), N = 1, 14 ) 01SE8
297 FORMAT ( / 51H * * * ERROR IN DATA INPUT - DYNAMIC LOADING 103JA9 IF ( NPROB .EQ. ITEST ) GO TO 9990 01SE8
298 FORMAT ( / 40H FROM THRU DYNAMIC LOAD , / 23JU9 PRINT 30 22JA9
299 FORMAT ( / 51H * * * ERROR IN DATA INPUT - STA OUT OF ORDER 106JA9 PRINT 1 01SE8
300 FORMAT ( 5X, 415, 5X, 3E10.3, 3X, 12, 4X, 11 ) 06JA9 PRINT 150, ( AN1(N), N = 1, 32 ) 01SE8
301 FORMAT ( 5X, 2( 1X, 12, 1X, 13 ), 6X, E11.3 120JU9 PRINT 155, NPROB, ( AN2(N), N = 1, 14 ) 01SE8
310 FORMAT ( 30X, 1015 ) 06JA9 C * * * INPUT TABLE 1 01SE8
350 FORMAT ( //45H TABLE 7. NONLINEAR FOUNDATION CURVES , / 125MR9 C PROGRAM CONTROL DATA 01SE8
355 FORMAT ( 52H FROM THRU Q-MULT W-MULT SPRIN06JA9 READ 120, NCT2, NCT3, NCT4, NCT5, NCR6, NCR7, OP, MON 17AP9
1 25MG POINTS SYM OPT , / 06JA9 PRINT 160, NCT2, NCT3, NCT4, NCT5, NCR6, NCR7 01SE8
2 5X, 2( 1X, 12, 1X, 13 ), 1X, 3E12.3, 6X, 12, 8X, 11, / 106JA9 READ 130, MX, MY, MT, HX, HY, HT, PR 01SE8
360 FORMAT ( 15H Q , 1017 06JA9 PRINT 165, MX, MY, MT, HX, HY, HT, PR, OP, MON 17AP9
370 FORMAT ( 15H W , 1017 106JA9 IF ( NCR7 .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 1050 180C8
380 FORMAT ( 51H LINEAR PROBLEM - NO NONLINEAR DATA 106JA9 READ 140, ITMX, WMAX, TOL 180C8
393 FORMAT ( 50H * * * ERROR IN NONLINEAR DATA 122JA9 PRINT 170, ITMX, WMAX, TOL 180C8
550 FORMAT ( 21H FOR ITERATION NO. 13, 07JL9 GO TO 1060 01SE8
1 10H THERE ARE, 15, 06JA9 1050 PRINT 175 01SE8
2 51H STATIONS NOT CLOSED WITHIN SPECIFIED TOLERANCE 106JA9 1060 PRINT 180 1SE8
552 FORMAT ( 50H DEFLECTIONS FALL OFF Q-W CURVE 122JA9 IF ( MON .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 1100 30JA9
554 FORMAT ( 50H COMPUTED DEFLECTIONS EXCEEDS MAX OF TABLE 1 122JA9 IF ( MON .GT. 10 ) GO TO 9950 180C8
560 FORMAT ( //25H TABLE 7. RESULTS , / 06JA9 DU 1080 L = 1, MON 01SE8
1 52H X TWISTING MOMENT = - Y TWISTING MOMENT 06JA9 READ 145, MSX(L), MSY(L) 01SE8
2 35HMT, - BETA ANGLES ARE CLOCKWISE , // 06JA9 PRINT 185, MSX(L), MSY(L) 01SE8
3 52H , X 06JA9 1080 CONTINUE 01SE8
4 35H LARGEST BETA , / 06JA9 GO TO 1110 01SE8
5 52H X Y TWIST 106JA9 C * * * COMPUTE CONSTANTS AND PROGRAM CONTROL INDICES 01SE8
6 35HMG SUPPORT PRINCIPAL X TO , / 06JA9 1100 PRINT 190 1SE8
7 52H X, Y DEFL MOMENT MOMENT MOMENT MOMEN06JA9 1110 MXP7 = MX + 7 01SE8
8 35HT REACTION MOMENT LARGEST , / 106JA9 MYP7 = MY + 7 01SE8
561 FORMAT ( 51H RESULTS FOR STATIC AND DEAD LOAD 106JA9 MXP5 = MX + 5 01SE8
562 FORMAT ( 20H RESULTS AT TIME STATION, 15 106JA9 MYP5 = MY + 5 01SE8
565 FORMAT ( 24H CLOSURE OBTAINED IN, 13, 15H ITERATIONS 106JA9 MXP4 = MX + 4 180C8
580 FORMAT ( 5X, 12, 1X, 13, 6E11.3, F6.1 ) 12JE9 MYP4 = MY + 4 180C8
591 FORMAT ( ///50H CLOSURE NOT OBTAINED IN SPECIFIED ITERATIONS 130JA9 MXP3 = MX + 3 01SE8
600 FORMAT ( ///50H RETURN THIS AND FOLLOWING PAGE TO A E KELLY 122JA9 MYP3 = MY + 3 01SE8
NCT2 = 0 17AP9 MXP2 = MX + 2 28JA9
NCT3 = 0 17AP9 MYP2 = MY + 2 28JA9
NCT4 = 0 17AP9 MXP1 = MX + 1 17AP9
NCT5 = 0 17AP9 MYP1 = MY + 1 17AP9
NCT6 = 0 17AP9 IPL = 3 01SE8
NCT7 = 0 17AP9 ODHXY = 1.0 / ( HX * HY ) 22JA9
OP = 0 17AP9 HXDHY = HX / HY 01SE8

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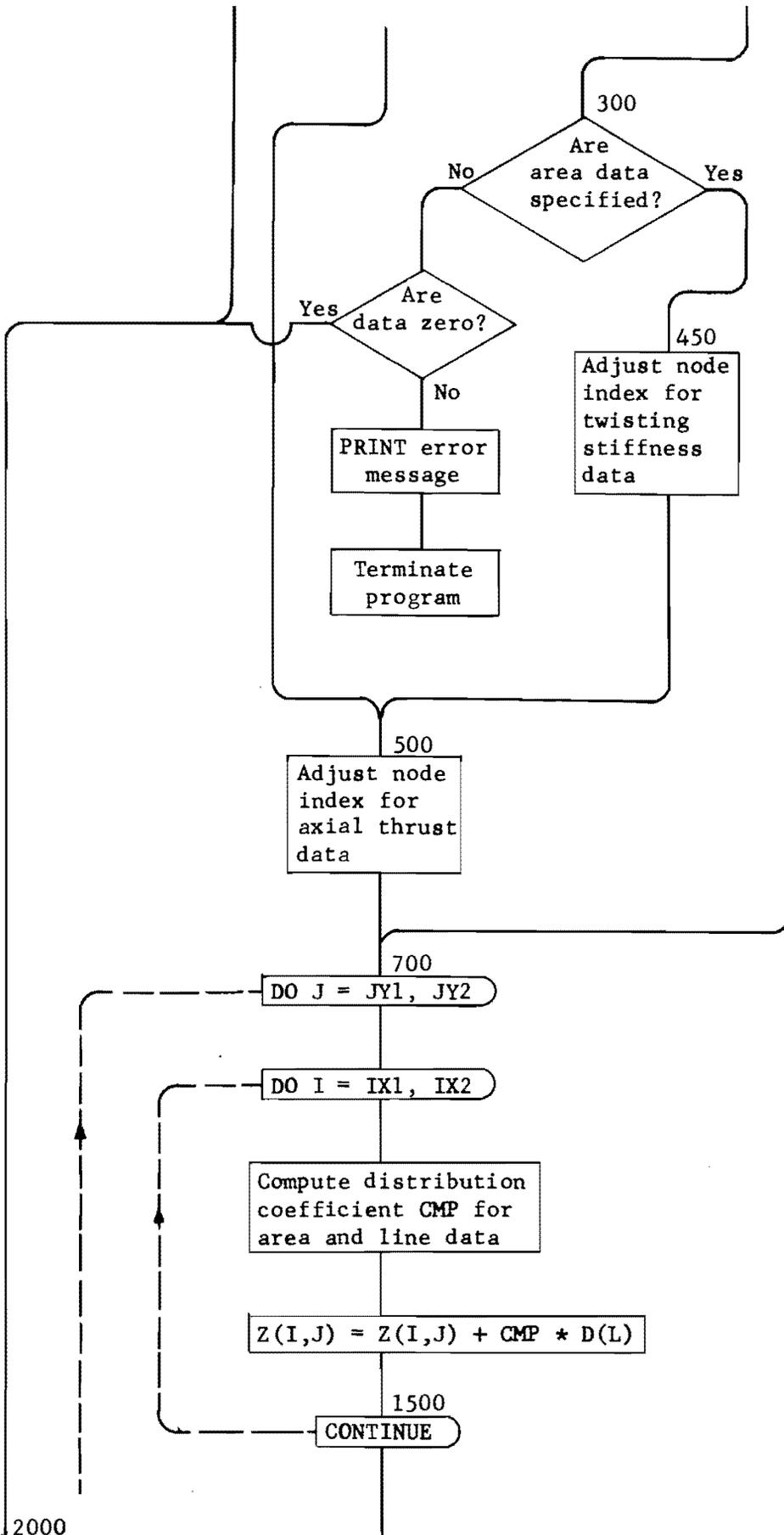

SUBROUTINE INTERP9

This subroutine performs the distribution for data from Tables 2 through 5.



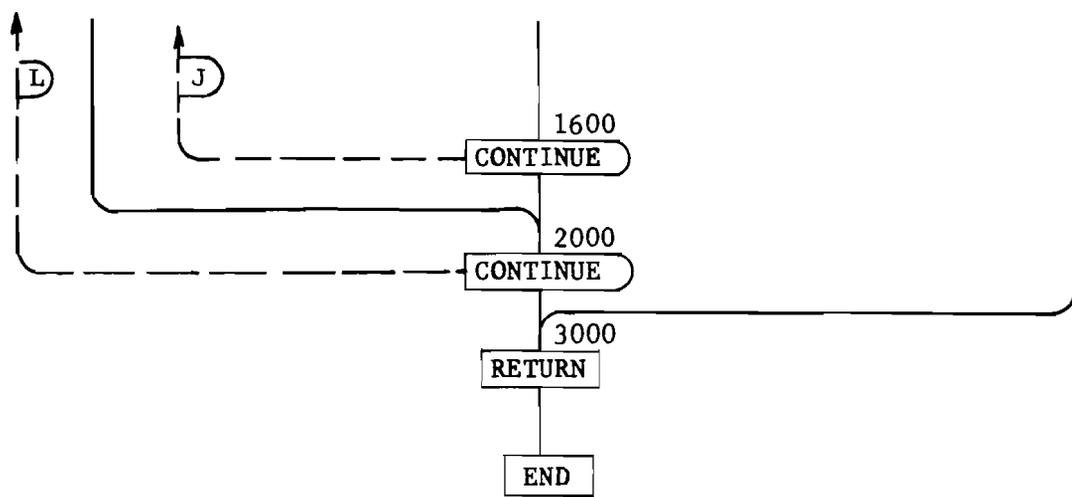


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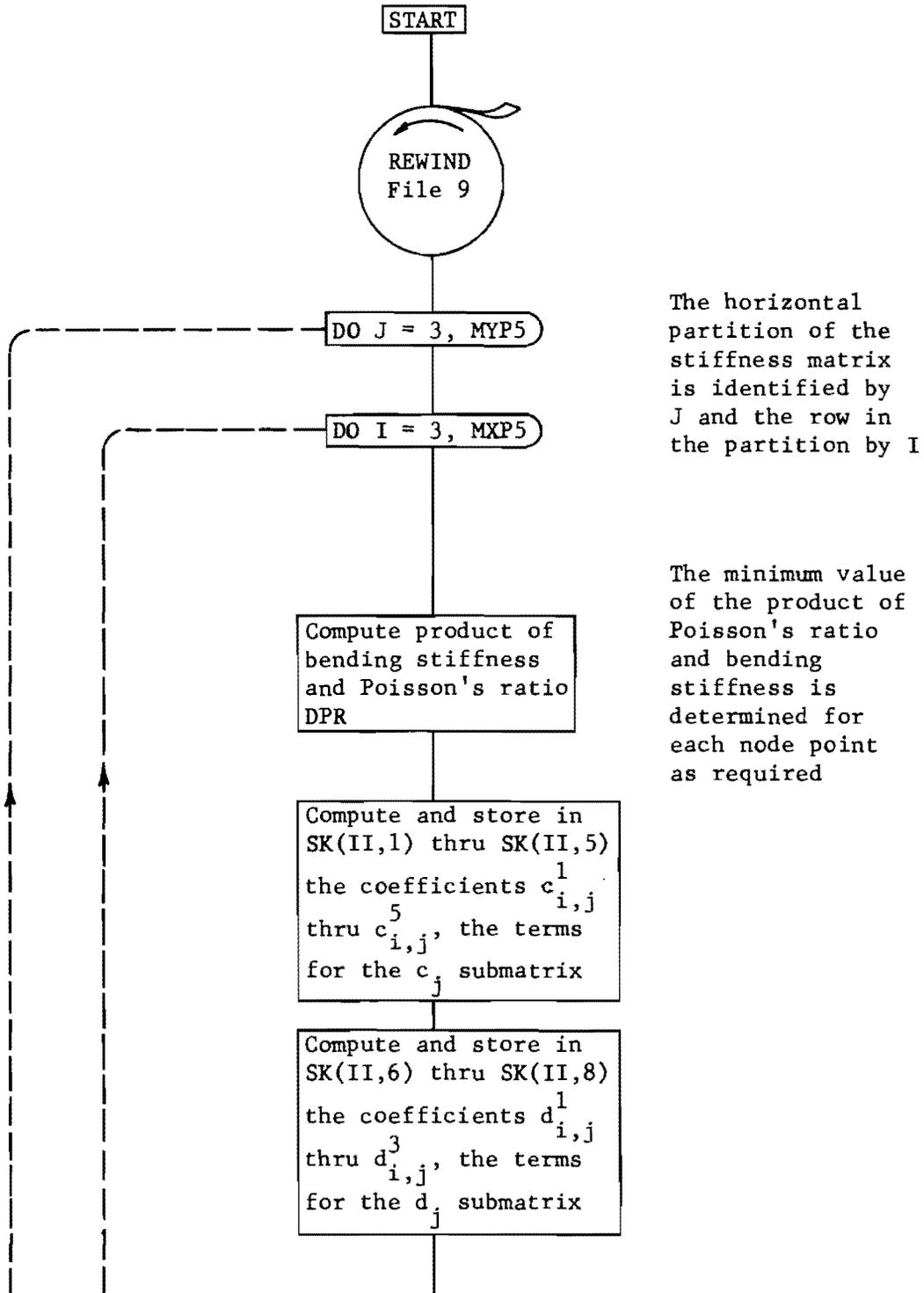
Area data-check node identification for twisting stiffness

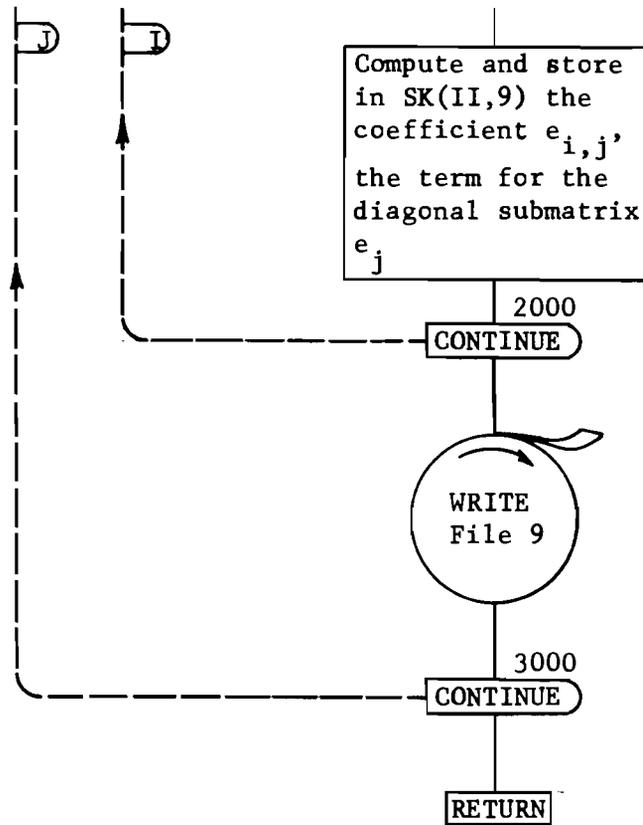
Distribute data over limits defined by node coordinates



SUBROUTINE STIF1

This subroutine forms the stiffness matrix coefficients for bending stiffness and linear support springs.





Each horizontal partition of the incomplete stiffness matrix is written on File 9

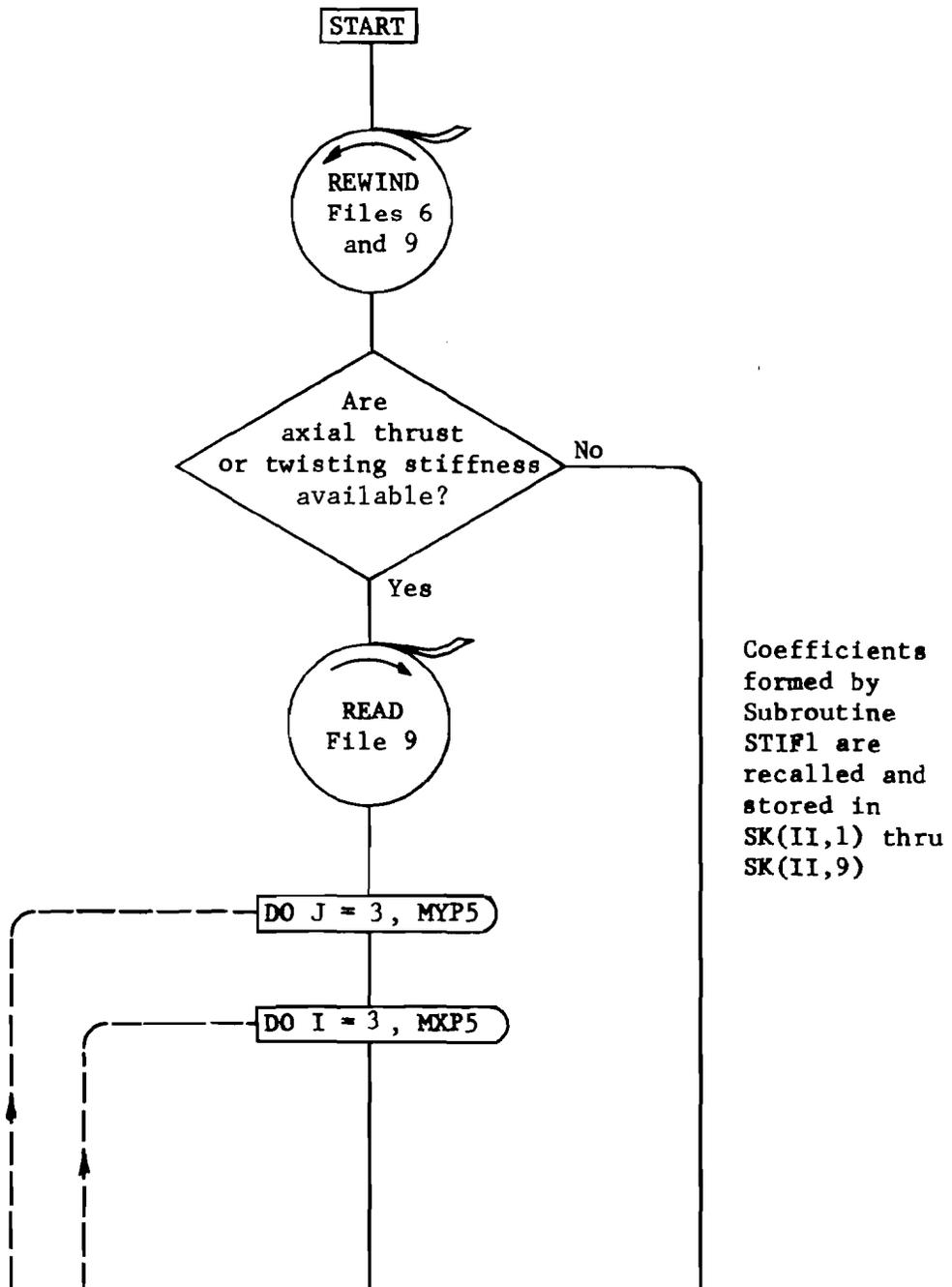
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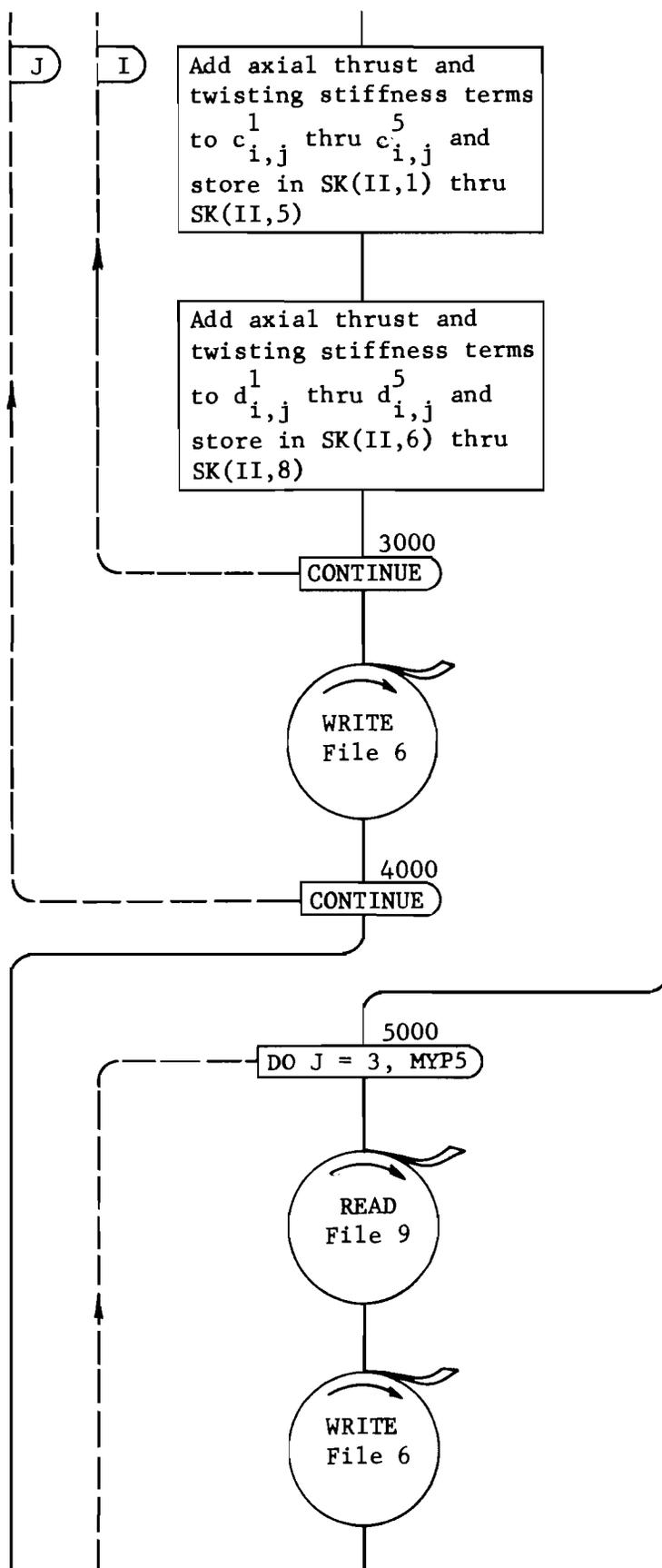
SUBROUTINE STIF1 ( DX, DY, S, ST1, L1, L2, L3 )
DIMENSION DX( L2,L3 ), DY( L2,L3 ), S( L2,L3 ),
1 ST1( L1, 9 )
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7,
1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT
COMMON/CON/ HXDHY3, HYDHX3, ODMXHY, ODMX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, OD2HT,06JU9
1 HXDHY, HYDHX
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,9)
C * * * THIS SUBROUTINE FORMS THE STIFFNESS MATRIX TERMS ASSOCIATED
C * * * WITH DX, DY, AND LINEAR FOUNDATION SPRINGS
C
DO 3000 J = 3, MYP5
DO 2000 I = 3, MXP5
II = I - 2
C * * * COMPUTE PRODUCTS OF POISSONS RATIO AND PLATE STIFFNESS
C
IF ( I .GT. 3 ) GO TO 500
LS = I - 1
LE = I + 1
DO 400 L = LS, LE
TDPX = DX(L,J) * PR
TDPY = DY(L,J) * PR
IF ( TDPX .GT. TDPY ) TDPX = TDPY
IF ( L .EQ. LS ) GO TO 200
IF ( L .EQ. LE ) GO TO 100
DPR2 = TDPX
GO TO 400
100 DPR3 = TDPX
GO TO 400
200 DPR1 = TDPX
400 CONTINUE
GO TO 1000
500 DPR1 = DPR2
DPR2 = DPR3
C * * * COMPUTE PRODUCTS OF POISSONS RATIO AND STIFFNESS FOR NEW STA
C
TDPX = DX(I+1,J) * PR
TDPY = DY(I+1,J) * PR
IF ( TDPX .GT. TDPY ) TDPX = TDPY
DPR3 = TDPX
C 1000 CONTINUE
TDPX = DX(I,J+1) * PR
TDPY = DY(I,J+1) * PR
IF ( TDPX .GT. TDPY ) TDPX = TDPY
DPR4 = TDPX
C * * * FORM MATRIX COEFFICIENTS AT ROW I OF SUB MATRIX J
C ST1(II,1) THRU ST1(II,5) ARE LITTLE CC TERMS
C ST1(II,6) THRU ST1(II,8) ARE LITTLE DD TERMS
C ST1(II,9) IS THE LITTLE EE TERM
C
ST1(II,1) = HYDHX3 * DX(I-1,J)
ST1(II,2) = - HYDHX3 * 2.0 * ( DX(I-1,J) + DX(I,J) )
1 - ODMXHY * 2.0 * ( DPR1 + DPR2 )
ST1(II,3) = HYDHX3 * ( DX(I-1,J) + 4.0 * DX(I,J) +
1 DX(I+1,J) ) +
2 HXDHY3 * ( DY(I,J-1) + 4.0 * DY(I,J) +
3 DY(I,J+1) ) +
4 ODMXHY * 8.0 * DPR2 + S(I,J)
ST1(II,4) = - HYDHX3 * 2.0 * ( DX(I,J) + DX(I+1,J) )
1 - ODMXHY * 2.0 * ( DPR2 + DPR3 )
ST1(II,5) = HYDHX3 * DX(I+1,J)
ST1(II,6) = ODMXHY * ( DPR1 + DPR4 )
ST1(II,7) = - HXDHY3 * 2.0 * ( DY(I,J) + DY(I,J+1) )
1 - ODMXHY * 2.0 * ( DPR2 + DPR4 )
ST1(II,8) = ODMXHY * ( DPR3 + DPR4 )
ST1(II,9) = HXDHY3 * DY(I,J+1)
C * * * WRITE STIFFNESS MATRIX ON TAPE 9 BY ROWS
C
2000 CONTINUE
MTK = 9 * MXP3
CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE,9,ST1,MTK)
C 3000 CONTINUE
CALL IOBIN(6HWRITER,9)
RETURN
END

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SUBROUTINE STFMX

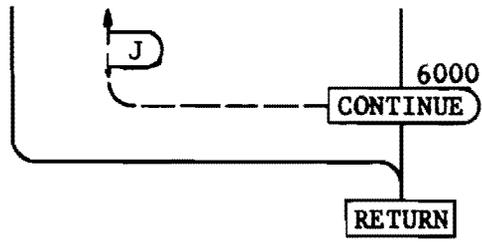
The formation of the static stiffness is completed with the addition of terms related to axial thrust and twisting stiffness to the coefficients computed by Subroutine STIF1.





Each horizontal partition of the completed stiffness matrix is stored on File 6

In the absence of axial thrust and twisting stiffness, the stiffness coefficients are transferred from File 9 to File 6.



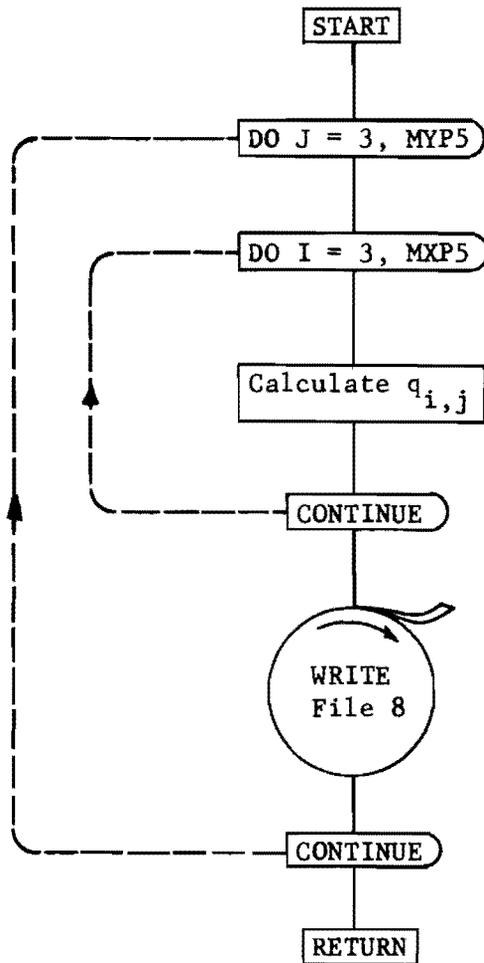
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SUBROUTINE STFMX ( PX, PY, CT, SK, L1, L2, L3, NCT3 )      29JA9
DIMENSION PX( L2,L3 ), PY( L2,L3 ), CT( L2,L3 ),        01SE8
1 SK( L1, 9 )                                             29JA9
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7,        11NO8
1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT                      11NO8
COMMON/CON/ HXDHY3, HYDHY3, ODHXY, ODHX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, ODZHT, 06JU9
1 HXDHY, HYDHY                                           06JU9
C * * * COMPLETE FORMATION OF STIFFNESS MATRIX          1SE8
C * * * * *                                             01SE8
C * * * * *                                             1SE8
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,6)                                   19AG9IO
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,9)                                   19AG9IO
IF ( NCT3 .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 5000                          01SE8
MTK = 9 * MXP3                                          19AG9IO
DO 4000 J = 3, MYP5                                     01SE8
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,9,SK,MTK)                             25AG9IO-
DO 3000 I = 3, MXP5                                     01SE8
II = I - 2                                             01SE8
C * * * COMPUTE MATRIX COEFFICIENTS BASED ON PX, PY, AND CT TERMS  1SE8
C * * * * *                                             01SE8
C * * * * *                                             1SE8
SK(II,1) = SK(II,1)                                     29JA9
SK(II,2) = SK(II,2) - ODHXY * 2.0 * ( CT(I,J) +      29JA9
1 CT(I,J+1) ) - ODHX * PX(I,J)                          07JU9
SK(II,3) = SK(II,3) + ODHXY * 2.0 * ( CT(I,J) +      29JA9
1 CT(I,J+1) + CT(I+1,J) + CT(I+1,J+1) ) +             01SE8
2 ODHX * ( PX(I,J) + PX(I+1,J) ) +                     07JU9
3 ODHY * ( PY(I,J) + PY(I,J+1) )                       07JU9
SK(II,4) = SK(II,4) - ODHXY * 2.0 * ( CT(I+1,J) +    29JA9
1 CT(I+1,J+1) ) - ODHX * PX(I+1,J)                    07JU9
SK(II,5) = SK(II,5)                                     29JA9
SK(II,6) = SK(II,6) + ODHXY * 2.0 * CT(I,J+1)         29JA9
SK(II,7) = SK(II,7) - ODHXY * 2.0 * ( CT(I,J+1) +    29JA9
1 CT(I+1,J+1) ) - ODHY * PY(I,J+1)                    07JU9
SK(II,8) = SK(II,8) + ODHXY * 2.0 * CT(I+1,J+1)      29JA9
SK(II,9) = SK(II,9)                                    29JA9
3000 CONTINUE                                           01SE8
CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,6,SK,MTK)                           19AG9IO
4000 CONTINUE                                           01SE8
GO TO 7000                                              01SE8
5000 DO 6000 J = 3, MYP5                                 01SE8
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,9,SK,MTK)                             25AG9IO-
CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,6,SK,MTK)                           25AG9IO-
6000 CONTINUE                                           01SE8
7000 CALL IOBIN (6HWRITER,6 )                            30SE9IO
RETURN                                                  30SE9
END                                                     1SE8
C

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SUBROUTINE STALD

This subroutine forms the static load vector and writes it on File 8.



Each horizontal partition of the static load vector is stored on File 8

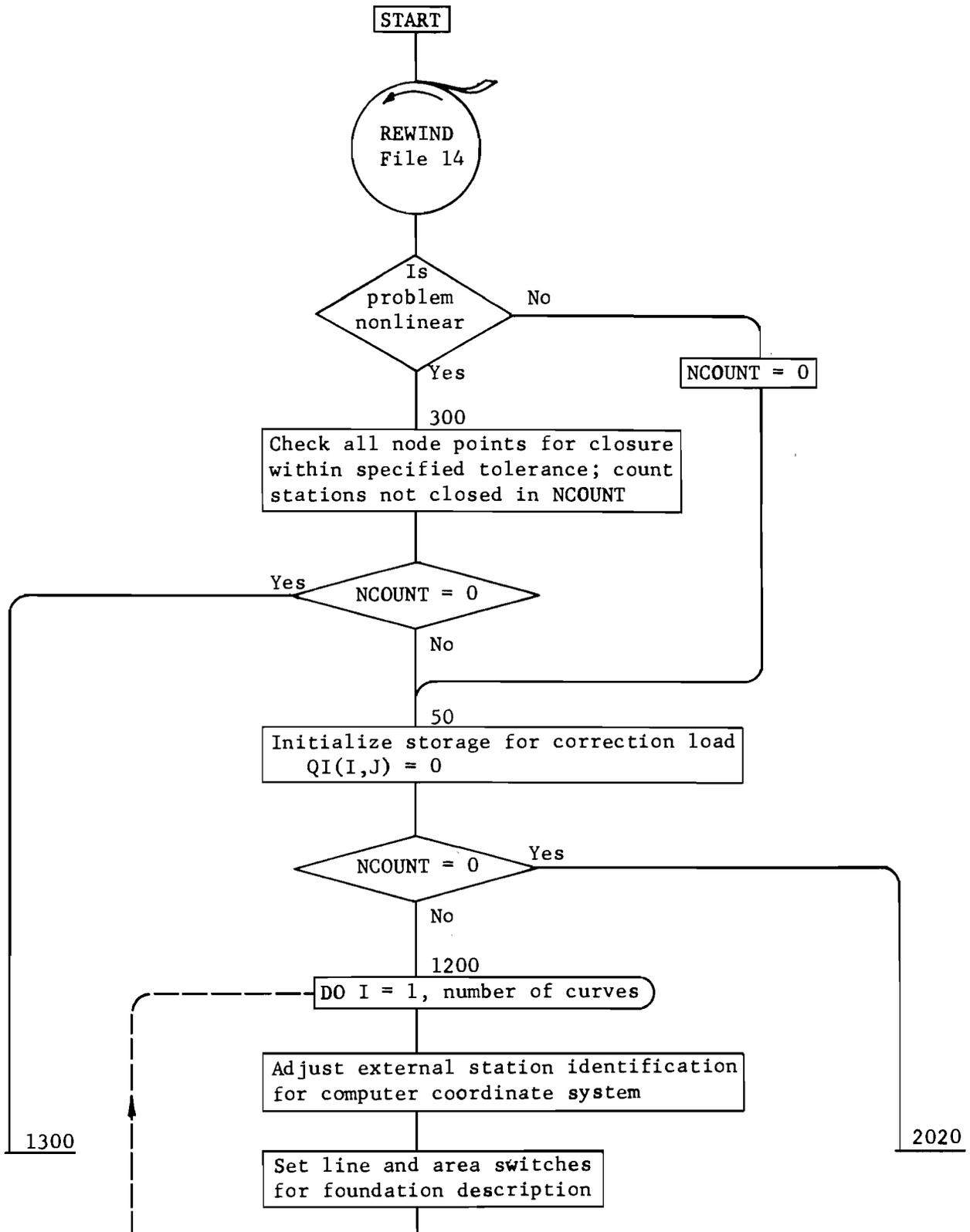
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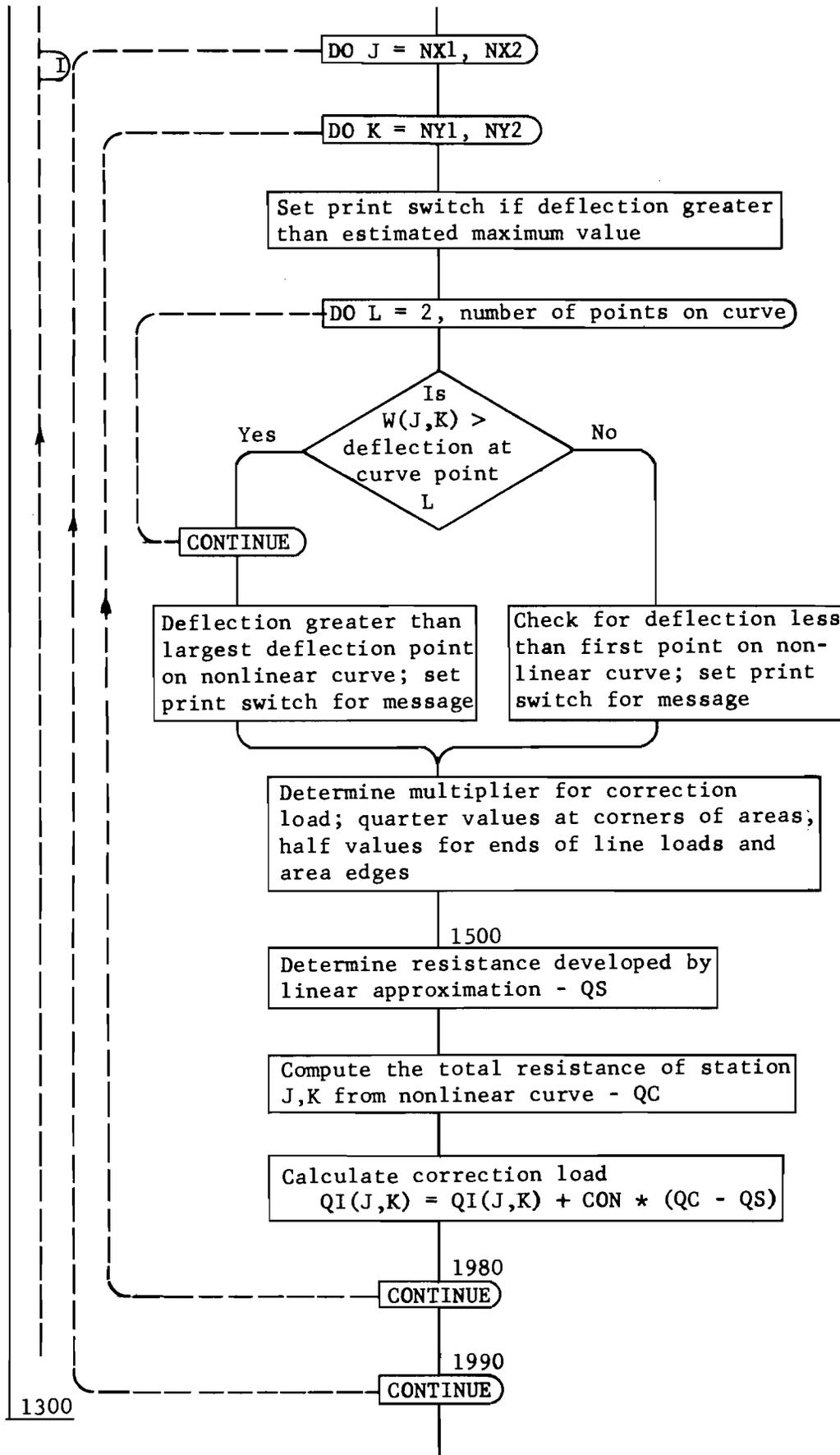
SUBROUTINE STALD ( Q, TX, TY, FF, L1, L2, L3 )      29JA9
DIMENSION  Q( L2,L3 ), TX( L2,L3 ), TY( L2,L3 ), FF( L1 ) 01SE8
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7,      11NO8
1          MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT           11NO8
COMMON/CON/  HXDMY3, HYDHX3, ODMXHY, ODMX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, ODHT, 06JU9
1          HXDMY, HYDHX                                06JU9
C * * * THIS SUBROUTINE FORMS THE STATIC LOAD VECTOR      1SE8
C * * *                                                    01SE8
C * * *                                                    1SE8
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,8)                                  19AG9IO
DO 3000 J = 3, MYP5                                    01SE8
DO 2000 I = 3, MXP5                                    01SE8
    II = I - 2                                         01SE8
    FF(II) = Q(I,J) - ODMX * ( TX(I,J) - TX(I+1,J) ) - 01SE8
    ODHY * ( TY(I,J) - TY(I,J+1) )                  01SE8
1          CONTINUE                                    01SE8
2000 CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,8,FF,MXP3)                    25AG9IO-
3000 CONTINUE                                          01SE8
CALL IOBIN (6HWRITER,8 )                              22AG9IO
RETURN                                                 01SE8
END
C

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SUBROUTINE NONLIN4

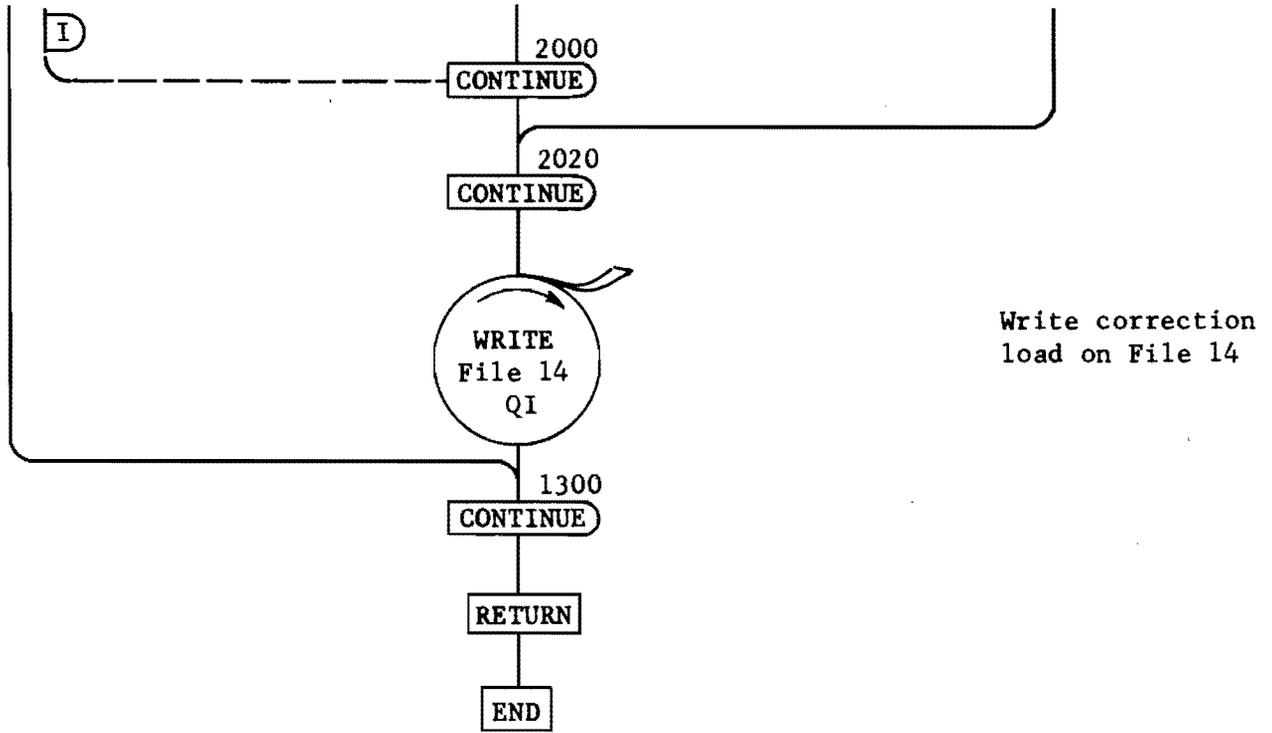
The correction load for the load iteration procedure is computed by this subroutine.





Distribute resistance-deflection curves over specified area

Locate deflection of node point J,K on nonlinear resistance-deflection curve



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SUBROUTINE NONLIN 4 ( NCRV, TOL,
1 IS1, IS2, JS1, JS2, QM, WN, SFN, NPC,
2 W, WM, WMAX, L1, L2, L3, L8, L9,
3 Q1, IPSW, IPSD, NCOUNT )
DIMENSION IS1( L8), IS2( L8), JS1( L8), JS2( L8),
1 NPC( L8), SFN( L8),
2 QM( L8, L9), WN( L8, L9),
3 W( L2, L3), WM( L2, L3), Q1( L2, L3)
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7,
1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MY
IPSW = 0
IPSWD = 0
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,14)
C * * * CHECK FOR NONLINEAR DATA
C
IF ( NCRV .GT. 0 ) GO TO 300
50 NCOUNT = 0
DO 200 J = 1, MYP7
DO 100 I = 1, MXP7
100 QI(I,J) = 0.0
CONTINUE
200 CONTINUE
IF ( NCOUNT .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 2020
GO TO 1200
300 NCOUNT = 0
DO 900 J = 4, MYP4
DO 800 I = 4, MXP4
100 DIF = ABS( W(I,J) - WM(I,J) )
800 IF ( DIF .GT. TOL ) NCOUNT = NCOUNT + 1
CONTINUE
900 CONTINUE
IF ( NCOUNT .GT. 0 ) GO TO 50
GO TO 1300
C * * * START INTERPOLATION FOR NEW VALUES OF LOAD OR SPRING OR BOTH
1200 DO 2000 I = 1, NCRV
NP = NPC(I)
C * * * LOCATE COMPUTED DEFLECTION WITH RESPECT TO INPUT 0 - W CURVE
NX1 = IS1(I) + 4
NX2 = IS2(I) + 4
NY1 = JS1(I) + 4
NY2 = JS2(I) + 4
ISW = 0
JSW = 0
IF ( NX2 .GT. NX1 ) ISW = 1
IF ( NY2 .GT. NY1 ) JSW = 1
DO 1990 J = NX1, NX2
DO 1980 K = NY1, NY2
WCK = ABS( W(J,K) )
IF ( WCK .GT. WMAX ) IPSWD = 1
KSW = 0
DO 1970 L = 2, NP
IF ( W(J,K) .GT. WN(I,L) ) GO TO 1970
IF ( L .GT. 2 ) GO TO 1205
KSW = 1
C * * * CHECK FOR POINT OFF LEFT END OF CURVE
IF ( W(J,K) .LT. WN(I,1) ) IPSW = 1

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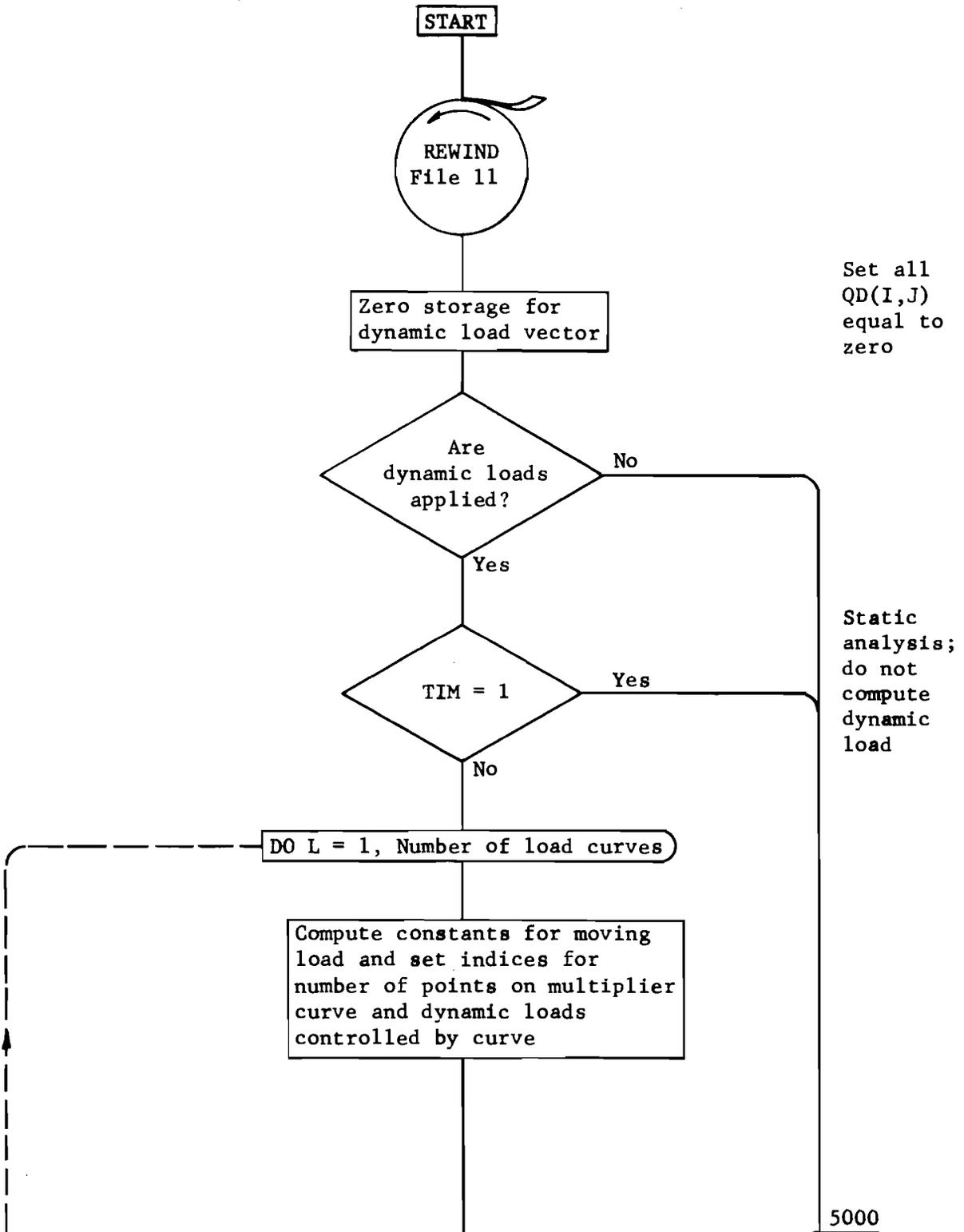
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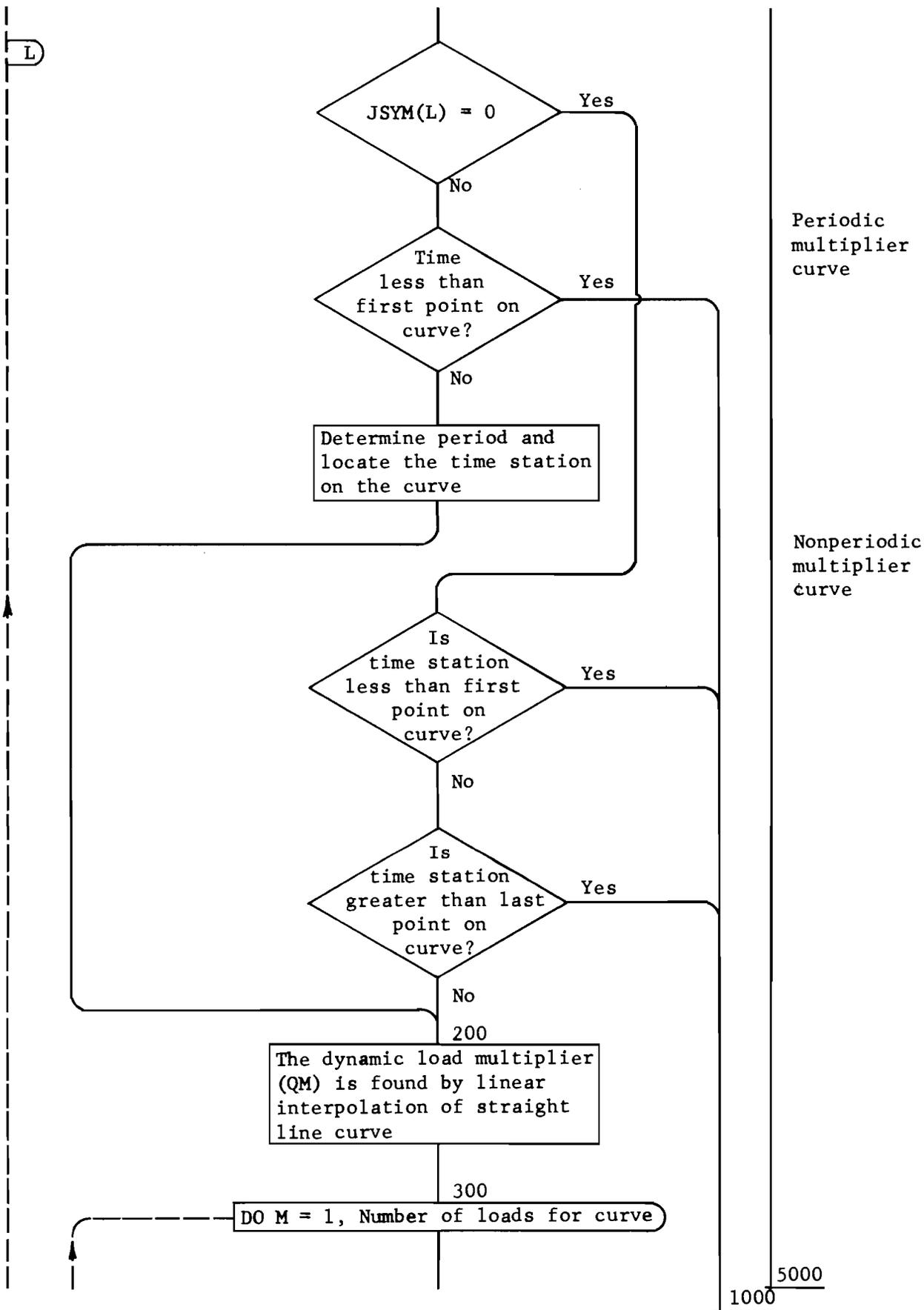
02DE8 WC = W(J,K) - WN(I,L)
02DF8 S1 = ( QN(I,L-1) - QN(I,L) ) / ( WN(I,L-1) - WN(I,L) )
11N08 CMX = 1.0
1210 CMY = 1.0
1211
C * * * COMPUTE Q FOR NEXT SOLUTION - HALF VALUE AT END STATIONS
IF ( ISW .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 1240
IF ( JSW .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 1220
C * * * AN AREA LOAD IS CALLED FOR - HALF VALUES READ ALONG EDGES
IF ( J .EQ. NX1 ) CMX = 0.5
IF ( J .EQ. NX2 ) CMX = 0.5
IF ( K .EQ. NY1 ) CMY = 0.5
IF ( K .EQ. NY2 ) CMY = 0.5
GO TO 1250
C * * * LINE LOAD IN X DIRECTION - USE HALF VALUES AT END STATIONS
1220 IF ( J .EQ. NX1 ) CMX = 0.5
IF ( J .EQ. NX2 ) CMX = 0.5
GO TO 1250
C * * * CHECK FOR LINE LOAD IN Y DIRECTION - HALF VALUES AT END STA.
1240 IF ( JSW .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 1250
IF ( K .EQ. NY1 ) CMY = 0.5
IF ( K .EQ. NY2 ) CMY = 0.5
CONTINUE
COM = CMX * CMY
C * * * LOAD ITERATION METHOD, NO PARENT PROBLEM IS REQUIRED
1500 QS = - W(J,K) * SFN(I)
QC = QM(I,L) + WC * S1
QI(J,K) = QI(J,K) + COM * ( QC - QS )
GO TO 1980
1970 CONTINUE
IF ( KSW .EQ. 1 ) GO TO 1980
IPSW = 1
WC = W(J,K) - WN(I,NP)
S1 = ( QN(I,NP-1) - QN(I,NP) ) / ( WN(I,NP-1) - WN(I,NP) )
L = NP
GO TO 1210
1980 CONTINUE
1990 CONTINUE
2000 CONTINUE
2020 CONTINUE
DO 1255 J = 3, MYP5
CALL IOBIN(6HWRITE,14,Q1(3,J),MXP3)
1255 CONTINUE
CALL IOBIN(6HWRITER,14)
1300 CONTINUE
RETURN
END

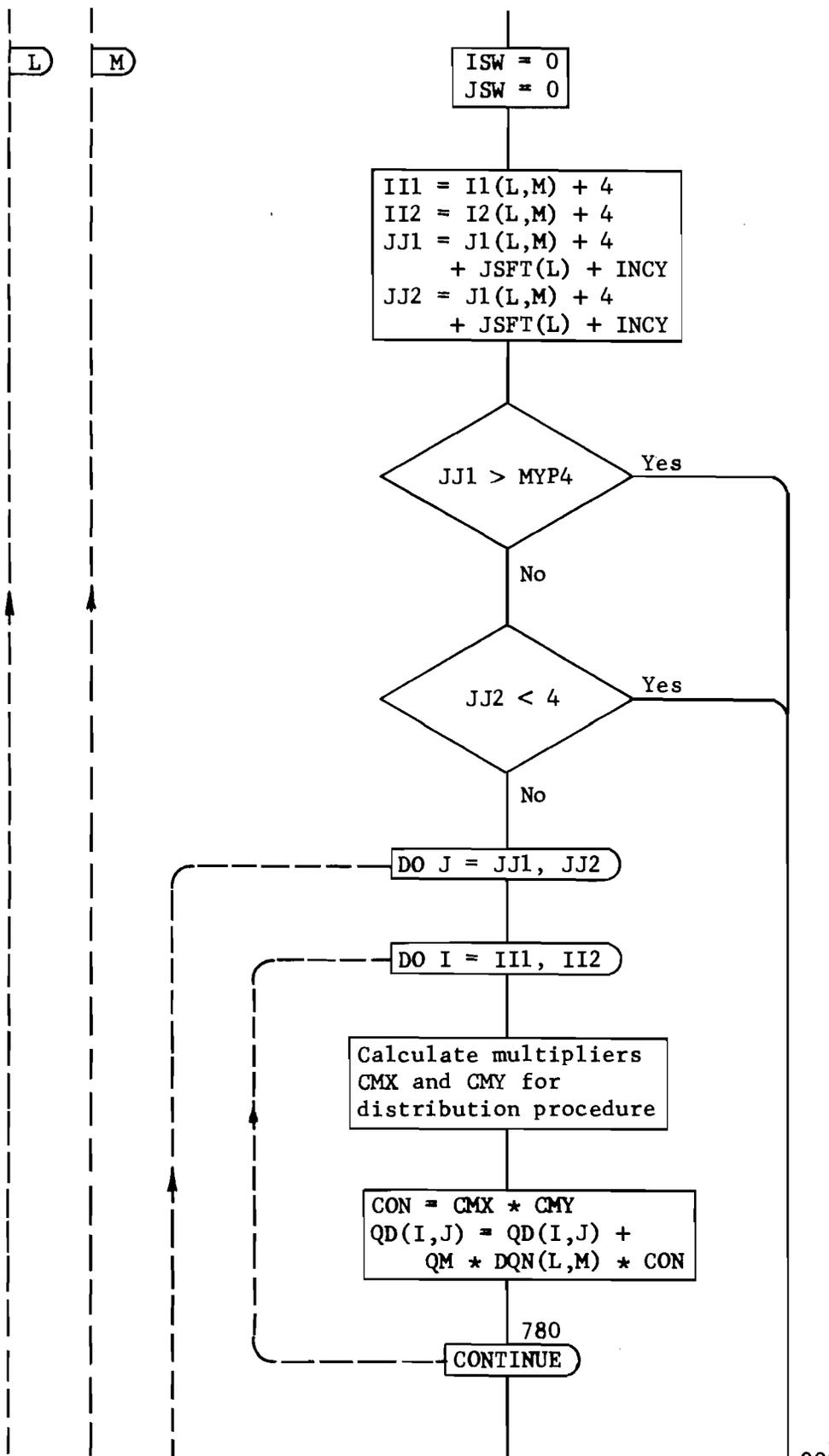
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SUBROUTINE DYNLD

This subroutine computes the dynamic loading for each time station.







Initialize quarter and half value distribution switches

Adjust node identification for computer index notation; add the shift and displacement for vehicle speed to y-coordinates

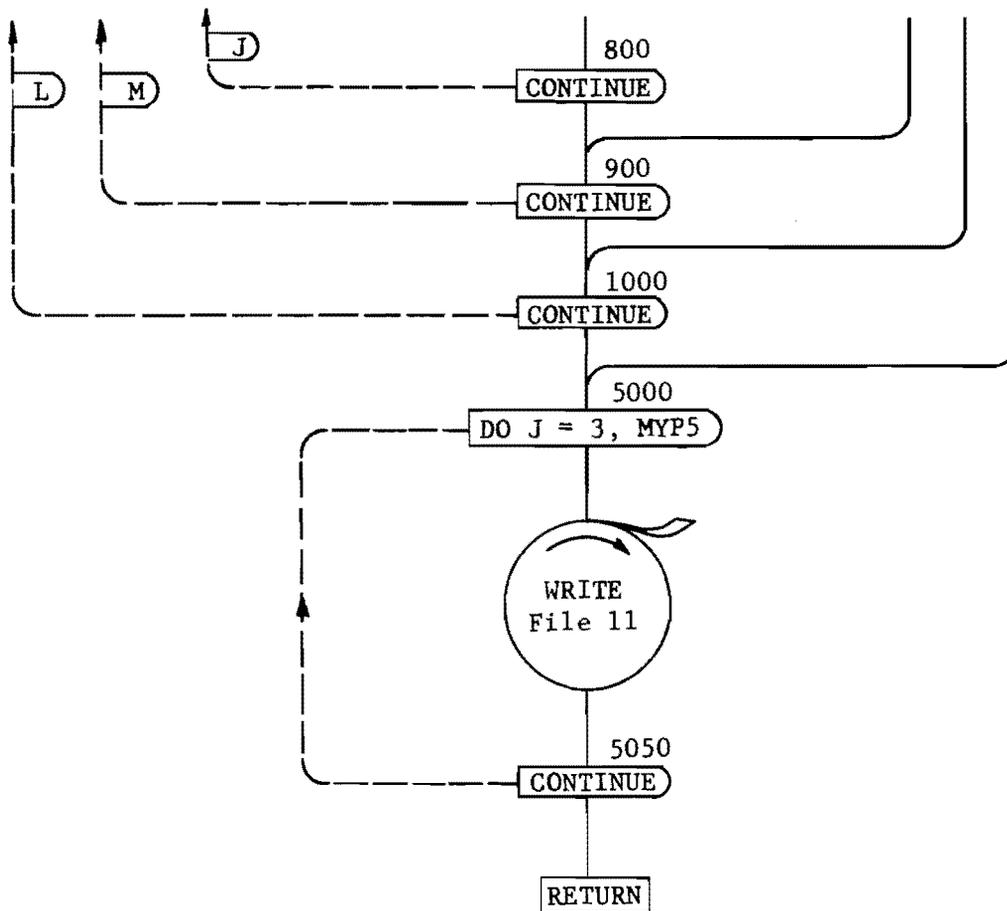
Check for load on plate

Calculate dynamic loading to be added to station I,J

5000

1000

900



Write dynamic loading for new time step on File 11

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SUBROUTINE DYNLD ( NAM, JSFT, MSPD, JSYM, K1, K2, KONT, DOM, NDL, 19MY9
1      I1, J1, I2, J2, DGN, QD, NCR6, L1, L2, L3 ) 01SER
DIMENSION NAM( 20 ), JSFT( 20 ), MSPD( 20 ), JSYM( 20 ) 01SER
1      K1( 20, 20 ), K2( 20, 20 ), KONT( 20, 20 ), NDL( 20 ), 19MY9
2      DQM( 20, 20 ), I1( 20, 20 ), J1( 20, 20 ), I2( 20, 20 ), 19MY9
3      J2( 20, 20 ), DGN( 20, 20 ), 19MY9
4      QD( L2, L3 ) 01SER
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7, 11NO8
I      MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT, HT, MY 20JU9
COMMON/RI/ NK, NL, NF, NT2SW, TIM 22JA9
TYPE INTEGER TIM 11NO8
TYPE REAL MSPD, KNTR, K1, K2 29JU0
C
C * * * THIS SUBROUTINE FORMS THE DYNAMIC LOAD VECTOR FOR TIME ICT
C      INITIALIZE DYNAMIC LOAD VECTOR 01SER
C      1SER
C      CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,11) 19AG910
C      DO 100 I = 1, MXP7 01SER
C      DO 50 J = 1, MYP7 01SER
C      QD(I,J) = 0.0 01SER
50      CONTINUE 01SER
100     CONTINUE 01SER
C * * * CHECK FOR DYNAMIC LOAD 1SER
C      IF ( NCR6 .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 9000 01SER
C      IF ( TIM .EQ. 1 ) GO TO 9000 01SER
C * * * COMPUTE DYNAMIC LOAD MULTIPLIERS 1SER
C      ICT = TIM - 1 29JA9
C      DO 1000 L = 1, NCR6 01SER
C      NM = NAM(L) 01SER
C      QM = 0.0 01SER
C      DTIM = ICT * MT 29JU0
C      KNTR = DTIM 29JU0
C      ND = NDL(L) 19MY9
C      TIMP = 5280. / 300. 13JE9
C      SEC = ICT * MT 03JL9
C      SPED = MSPD(L) * TIMP 13JE9
C      DIST = SEC * SPED 13JE9
C      YSTA = DIST / MY 13JE9
C      INCY = YSTA 13JE9
C      YPRT = YSTA - INCY 13JE9
C * * * CHECK FOR PERIODIC LOADING 1SER
C      IF ( JSYM(L) .EQ. 0 ) GO TO 120 01SER
C      IF ( DTIM .LT. K1(L,1) ) GO TO 1000 01SER
C * * * PERIOD OF DYNAMIC LOADING IN TIME STATIONS 1SER
C      KPER = K2(L,NM) - K1(L,1) 01SER
110     IF ( KNTR .LT. K2(L,NM) ) GO TO 200 01SER
C      KNTR = KNTR - KPER 01SER
C      GO TO 110 01SER

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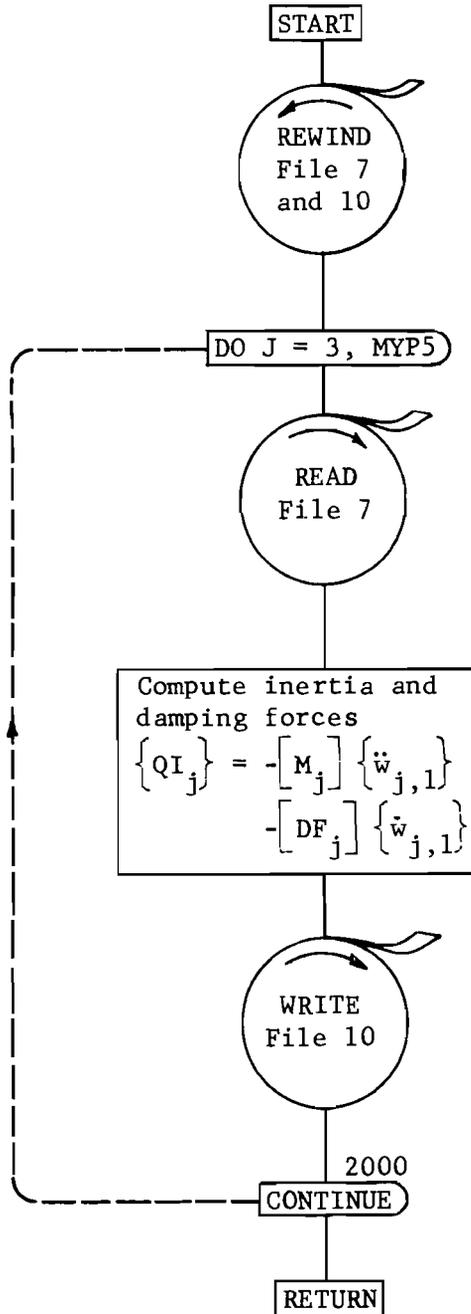
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C * * * CHECK TIME STATION IN RANGE OF Q-T CURVE 1SER
C      1SER
C      120 IF ( K1(L,1) - KNTR ) 140, 200, 1000 01SER
C      140 IF ( K2(L,NM) - KNTR ) 1000, 200, 200 01SER
C * * * COMPUTE AMPLITUDE MULTIPLIER, QM 1SER
C      1SER
C      200 KS1 = 0 1SER
C      DO 250 M = 1, NM 01SER
C      KSW = 2 * KS1 + 1 + KONT(L,M) 01SER
C      KS1 = KONT(L,M) 30JA9
C      GO TO ( 210, 220, 250, 230 ) , KSW 01SER
C      210 IF ( KNTR .GT. K2(L,M) ) GO TO 250 01SER
C      QM = DQM(L,M) 01SER
C      GO TO 300 01SER
C      220 IF ( KNTR .GT. K2(L,M+1) ) GO TO 250 01SER
C      QM1 = DQM(L,M) 01OC9
C      QM2 = DQM(L,M+1) 01OC9
C      DIF1 = K2(L,M+1) - K1(L,M) 01OC9
C      DIF2 = KNTR - K1(L,M) 01SER
C      QM = QM1 + ( QM2 - QM1 ) * DIF2 / DIF1 01SER
C      GO TO 300 01SER
C      230 IF ( KNTR .GT. K2(L,M+1) ) GO TO 250 01SER
C      QM1 = DQM(L,M) 01SER
C      QM2 = DQM(L,M+1) 01SER
C      DIF1 = K2(L,M+1) - K2(L,M) 01SER
C      DIF2 = KNTR - K2(L,M) 01SER
C      QM = QM1 + ( QM2 - QM1 ) * DIF2 / DIF1 01SER
C      GO TO 300 01SER
C      250 CONTINUE 01SER
C * * * COMPUTE POSITION AND VALUE OF DYNAMIC LOAD 1SER
C      1SER
C      300 CONTINUE 19MY9
C      DO 900 M=1,ND 19MY9
C      ISW = 0 19MY9
C      JSW = 0 01SER
C      I11 = I1(L,M) + 4 02JU9
C      I12 = I2(L,M) + 4 02JU9
C      JJ1 = J1(L,M) + 4 + JSFT(L) + INCY 13JU9
C      JJ2 = J2(L,M) + 4 + JSFT(L) + INCY 13JU9
C      IF ( I12 .GT. I11 ) ISW = 1 01SER
C      IF ( JJ2 .GT. JJ1 ) JSW = 1 01SER
C      JJSW = 0 29JU0
C      IF ( YPRT ) 305, 315, 310 29JU0
C      YPRT NEGATIVE, LOAD MOVING IN NEGATIVE Y, JJ1 = JJ1 - 1 29JU0
305     JJSW = 1 29JU0
C      JJ1 = JJ1 - 1 29JU0
C      GO TO 315 29JU0
C * * * YPRT POSITIVE, LOAD MOVING IN POSITIVE Y, JJ2 = JJ2 + 1 29JU0
C      310 JJSW = 1 29JU0
C      JJ2 = JJ2 + 1 29JU0
C      CONTINUE 29JU0
C      315 IF ( JJ1 .GT. MYP4 ) GO TO 900 06JU9
C      IF ( JJ2 .LT. 4 ) GO TO 900 06JU9

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SUBROUTINE MASSAC

The product of mass and acceleration, is added to the product of viscous damping times velocity, to calculate the equivalent load vector for deflection analysis at the first-time step.



Recall mass and damping data from File 7

Special matrix multiplication and addition routines are used to evaluate the equivalent load QI

Write equivalent load on File 10

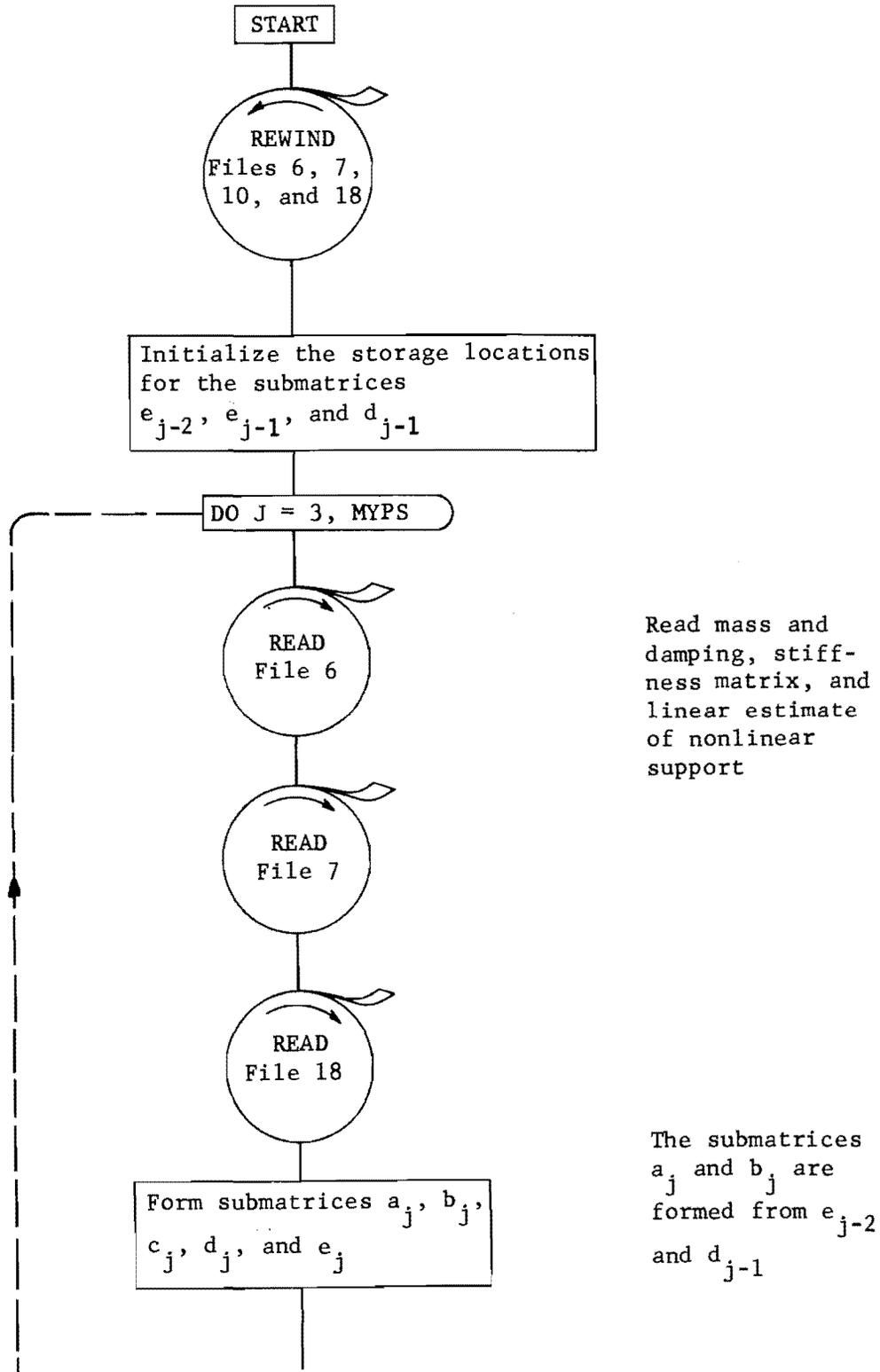
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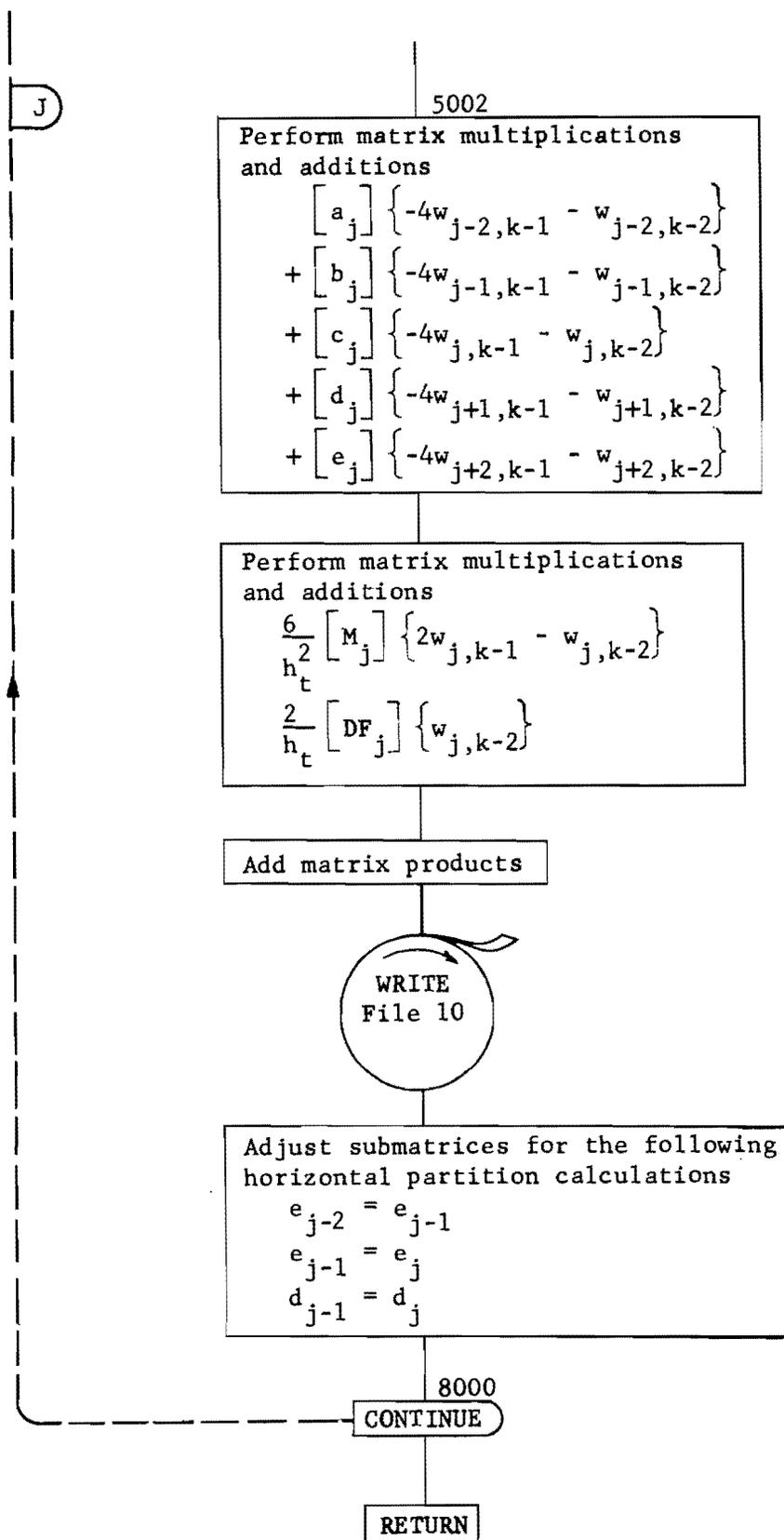
SUBROUTINE MASSAC ( L1, L2, L3, W, RHO, DF, QI ) 01SE8
C * * * * *
C THIS SUBROUTINE FORM THE PRODUCT OF MASS TIMES ACCELERATION AND
C VISCOUS DAMPING TIMES VELOCITY TO ADD TO THE RHS OF THE
C EQUILIBRIUM EQUATION FOR THE FIRST TIME STEP. THE PROBLEM
C WHICH IS THEN SOLVED IS.
C
C K*W = Q - RHO*DDW - DF*DW
C * * * * *
DIMENSION W( L2, L3 ), RHO( L1 ), DF( L1 ), 01SE8
1 QI( L1 ) 01SE8
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7, 11NO8
1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT 11NO8
COMMON/CQN/ MXDHY3, MYDHY3, ODXHY, ODHX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, ODZHT,06JU9
1 MXDHY, MYDHY 06JU9
COMMON/R1/ NK, NL, NF, NTZSW, TIM 29JA9
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,7) 19AG910
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,10) 19AG910
C 1SE8
C * * * COMPUTE MULTIPLIER FOR CONVERTING ACCELERATION TO VFLOCITY 01SE8
C 1SE8
C VMP = 0.25 / ODZHT 29JA9
DO 2000 J = 3, MYP5 01SE8
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,7,RHO,MXP3) 25AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,7,DF,MXP3) 25AG910-
CALL MBFV ( RHO, W(3,J), QI, L1, 1,NK, 1 ) 17DE9
CALL CFV ( QI, L1, 1, NK, -1.0 ) 17DE9
CALL CFV ( W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, VMP ) 17DE9
CALL MBFV ( DF, W(3,J), DF, L1, 1,NK, 1 ) 17DE9
CALL ASFV ( QI, DF, QI, L1, 1, NK, -1.0 ) 17DE9
CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,10,QI,MXP3) 30SE910-
2000 CONTINUE 01SE8
CALL IOBIN (6HWRITER,10) 30SE910
RETURN 1SE8
END 1SE8
C

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SUBROUTINE INERTIA

The stiffness, damping, and mass matrices are multiplied by the deflection vectors for times $k-1$ and $k-2$ to form a portion of the equivalent load vector for the following time step.





$$a_j = e_{j-2}^t$$

$$b_j = d_{j-1}^t$$

A special sub-routine package SUMP4 is utilized for the matrix multiplication and addition

Write equivalent load vector on File 10

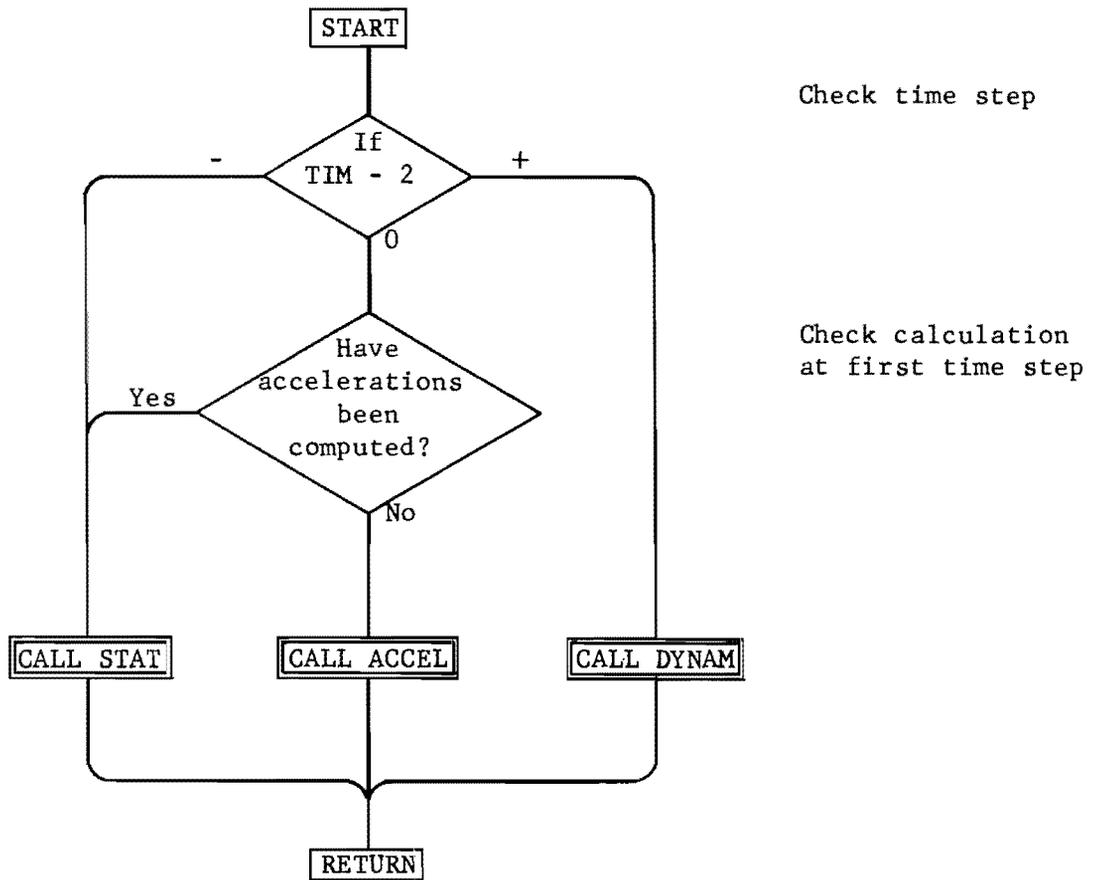

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4060      CC(I,1) = 0.0
          CC(I,2) = 0.0
          CC(I,3) = SK(I,1)
          CC(I,4) = SK(I,2)
          CC(I,5) = SK(I,3)
C
          BB(I,1) = 0.0
          BB(I,2) = DDM1(I-1,3)
          BB(I,3) = DDM1(I,3)
C
          DD(I,1) = 0.0
          DD(I,2) = SK(I,6)
          DD(I,3) = SK(I,7)
5000      CONTINUE
C * * * STIFFNESS MATRIX HAS BEEN FORMED, READ RHO INTO 1ST COLUMN
C * * * OF SK AND DF INTO SECOND COLUMN OF SK
C
          CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,7,SK,MXP3)
          CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,7,SK(1,2),MXP3)
C * * * FORM PRODUCT OF K TIMES ( - 4*WTM1 - WTM2 )
C
          CALL RFV ( SK(1,3), WTM1(3,J-2), L1, 1, NK )
          CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -4.0 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), WTM2(3,J-2), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -1.0 )
          CALL MBFV ( AA, SK(1,3), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, 1 )
          CALL RFV ( SK(1,3), WTM1(3,J-1), L1, 1, NK )
          CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -4.0 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), WTM2(3,J-1), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -1.0 )
          CALL MBFV ( BB, SK(1,3), SK(1,4), L1, 1, NK, 3 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,4), W(3,J), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, +1.0 )
          CALL RFV ( SK(1,3), WTM1(3,J), L1, 1, NK )
          CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -4.0 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), WTM2(3,J), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -1.0 )
          CALL MBFV ( CC, SK(1,3), SK(1,4), L1, 1, NK, 3 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,4), W(3,J), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, +1.0 )
          CALL RFV ( SK(1,3), WTM1(3,J+1), L1, 1, NK )
          CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -4.0 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), WTM2(3,J+1), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -1.0 )
          CALL MBFV ( DD, SK(1,3), SK(1,4), L1, 1, NK, 3 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,4), W(3,J), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, +1.0 )
          CALL RFV ( SK(1,3), WTM1(3,J+2), L1, 1, NK )
          CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -4.0 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), WTM2(3,J+2), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -1.0 )
          CALL MBFV ( EE, SK(1,3), SK(1,4), L1, 1, NK, 1 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,4), W(3,J), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, +1.0 )
C
C * * * FORM PRODUCT OF RHO TIMES ( 2 * WTM1 - WTM2 )
C * * * AND DF TIMES - WTM2
C
          CALL RFV ( SK(1,3), WTM1(3,J), L1, 1, NK )
          CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, 2.0 )
          CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), WTM2(3,J), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, -1.0 )
          CALL MBFV ( SK(1,1), SK(1,3), SK(1,4), L1, 1, NK, 1 )
01SE8      CALL CFV ( SK(1,4), L1, 1, NK, RMP )
01SE8      CALL ASFV ( SK(1,4), W(3,J), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, +1.0 )
29JA9      CALL MBFV ( SK(1,2), WTM2(3,J), SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, 1 )
01SE8      CALL CFV ( SK(1,3), L1, 1, NK, DMP )
01SE8      CALL ASFV ( SK(1,3), W(3,J), W(3,J), L1, 1, NK, +1.0 )
1SE8
29JA9
01SE8
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01SE8
5200      DO 5500 L = 3, MXP5
          W(L,J) = 0.0
          W(MXP5,J) = 0.0
          IF ( J .GT. 3 ) GO TO 5800
          DO 5500 L = 3, MXP5
            W(L,J) = 0.0
5500      CONTINUE
          GO TO 6000
5800      IF ( J .EQ. MYP5 ) GO TO 5200
6000      CONTINUE
          CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,10,W(3,J),MXP3)
          DO 7000 I = 1, MXP3
            EEM2(I) = EEM1(I)
            EEM1(I) = EE(I)
            DDM1(I,1) = DD(I,1)
            DDM1(I,2) = DD(I,2)
            DDM1(I,3) = DD(I,3)
7000      CONTINUE
8000      CONTINUE
          CALL IOBIN(6HWRITER,10)
          RETURN
          END
C
30JU9
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17DE9
30JU9
30JU9
1SE8
01SE8
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1SE8
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01JL9
30JU9
30JU9
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22JL9
30JU9
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SUBROUTINE EXCUT

This subroutine selects the appropriate subroutine to form the deflection coefficient matrix and the equivalent load vector.



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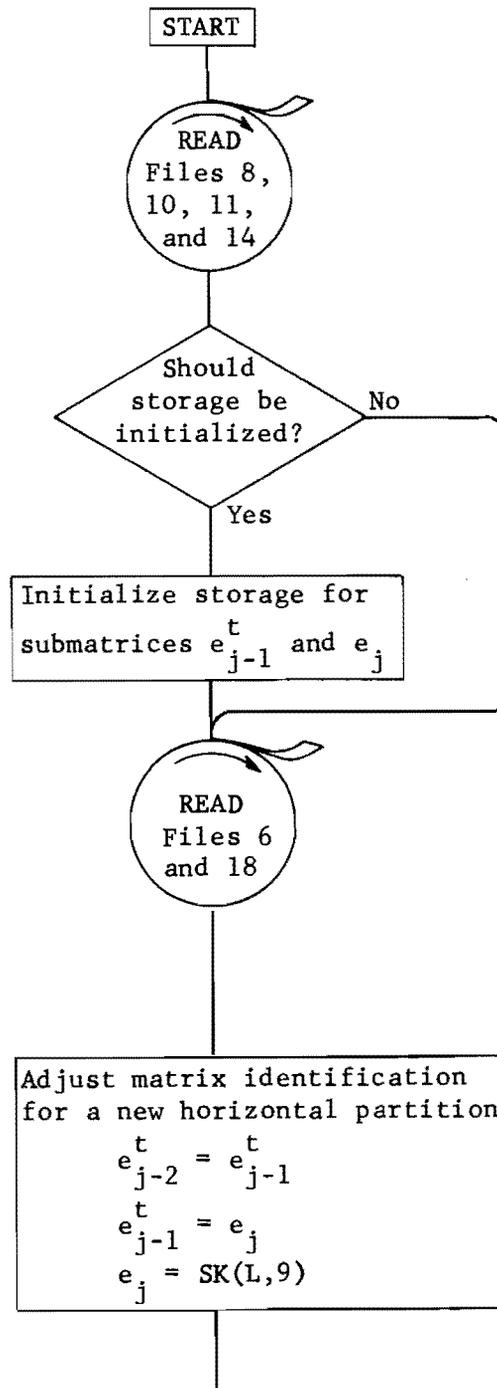
SUBROUTINE EXECUT ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF,      015E8
1      ML, JJ, N1, N2, N3, Q1, QD1, QD2, QD3,      015E8
2      Q11, Q12, Q13, SK, RHO, DF, SF      )      25MR9
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7,      11NO8
1      MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT      11NO8
COMMON/CON/ HXDMY3, HYDMX3, ODHXMY, ODMX, ODMY, PR, ODHT2, ODZHT, 06JU9
1      HXDHY, HYDHY      06JU9
COMMON/RI/ NK, NL, NF, NT2SW, TIM      29JA9
TYPE INTEGER TIM      11NO8
DIMENSION ET2( L1, N1), DT( L1, N2), CC( L1, N3),      11NO8
1      ET1( L1, N1), EE( N1, L1), FF( L1 ),      11NO8
2      RHO( L1 ), DF( L1 ),      11NO8
3      Q1( L1 ),      11NO8
4      QD1( L1 ),      11NO8
5      QD2( L1 ), QD3( L1 ),      11NO8
6      Q11( L1 ), Q12( L1 ),      11NO8
7      Q13( L1 ),      11NO8
8      SK( L1, 9), SF( L1 )      25MR9
      IF ( TIM - 2 ) 100, 50, 200      015E8
50      IF ( NT2SW .EQ. 0 )      GO TO 300      015E8
100 CALL STAT ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF,      015E8
1      ML, JJ, N1, N2, N3, Q1, Q11, SK, SF, QD1      )      27JE9
      GO TO 500      015E8
200 CALL DYNAM ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF,      015E8
1      ML, JJ, N1, N2, N3, Q1, QD1, QD2, QD3,      015E8
2      Q11, Q12, Q13, SK, RHO, DF, SF      )      25MR9
      GO TO 500      015E8
300 CALL ACCEL ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF,      015E8
1      ML, JJ, N1, N2, N3, QD1, Q11, Q12,      27JE9
2      SK, RHO, DF, SF      )      25MR9
500 CONTINUE      015E8
      RETURN      015E8
      END      015E8

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SUBROUTINE STAT

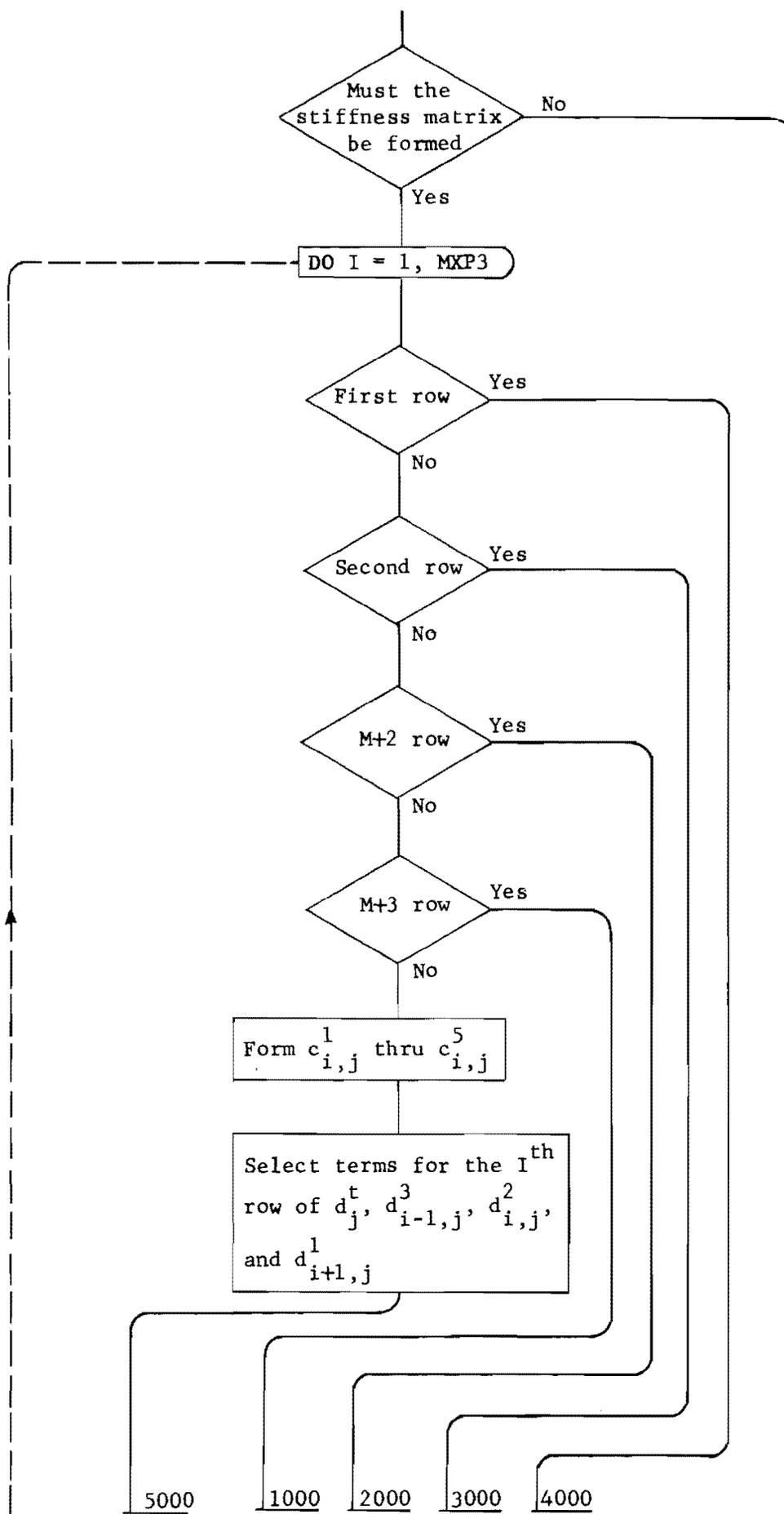
This subroutine forms the stiffness matrix and load vector for the static analysis and the deflection analysis at the end of the first time step.



Read static load, inertia and damping load, dynamic load, and correction load vectors

Recall a horizontal partition of the stiffness matrix and the corresponding linear approximation to the nonlinear foundation

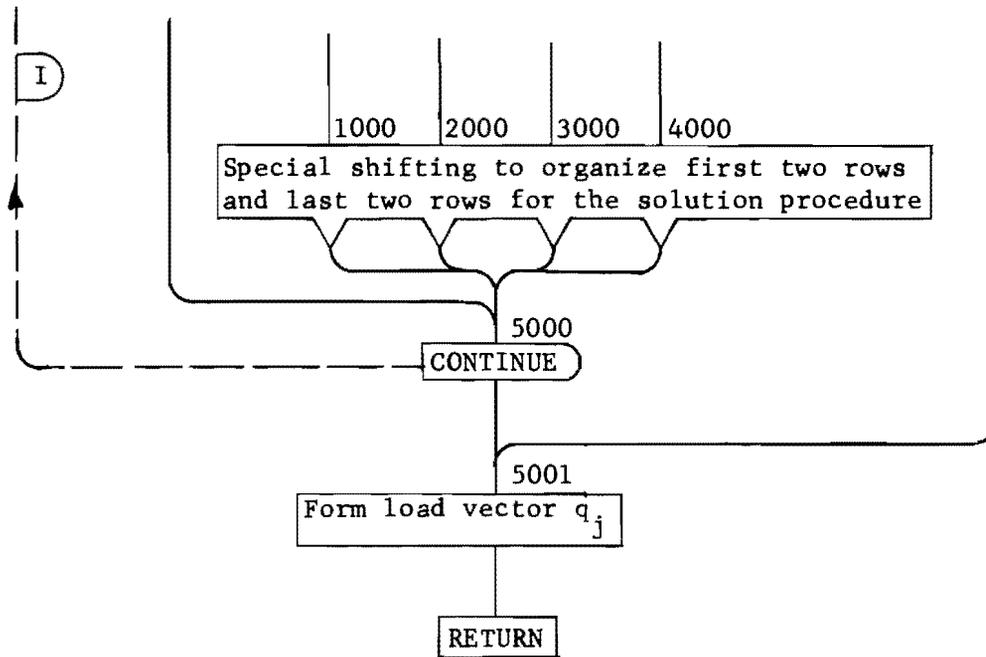
The submatrices e_{j-2}^t and e_{j-1}^t are replaced by what was e_{j-1}^t and e_j for the preceding horizontal partition



Multiple loading condition, recursion coefficients, and multipliers have been formed and stored on files

Check row of partitioned matrix for special formation instructions

Form the I^{th} row of the submatrices c_j and d_j^t



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SUBROUTINE STAT ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF, ML, 30JA9
1 JJ, N1, N2, N3, Q1, Q11, SK, SF, OD1 ) 27JE9
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7, 11NO8
1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT 11NO8
COMMON/CON/ HXDHY3, HYDHY3, ODHX3, ODHXHY, ODHX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, OD2HT, 06JU9
1 HXDHY, HYDHY 06JU9
COMMON/RI/ NK, NL, NF, NT2SW, TIM 29JA9
TYPE INTEGER TIM 11NO8
DIMENSION ET2( L1, N1), DT( L1, N2), CC( L1, N3), 11NO8
1 ET1( L1, N1), EE( N1, L1), FF( L1 ), 11NO8
3 Q1( L1 ), Q11( L1 ), 30JA9
8 SK( L1, 9), SF( L1), OD1(L1) 27JE9
1SE8
C * * * THIS SUBROUTINE FORMS THE ARRAYS OF MATRIX COEFFICIENTS 01SE8
C * * * FOR THE R-1 PACKAGE FOR THE SOLUTION OF THE STATIC DEFL 01SE8
C 1SE8
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,8,FF,MXP3) 25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,10,Q1,MXP3) 25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,14,Q11,MXP3) 30SE910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,11,OD1,MXP3) 25AG910
C * * * IF ( JJ .GT. NF ) GO TO 300 11NO8
C * * * INITIALIZE STORAGE 01SE8
C 1SE8
DO 100 L = 1, MXP3 01SE8
ET1(L,1) = 0.0 01SE8
EE(1,L) = 0.0 01SE8
100 CONTINUE 01SE8
C * * * READ JJTH ROW OF STIFFNESS MATRIX SUBMATRICES 01SE8
300 MTK = 9 * MXP3 19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,6,SK,MTK) 25AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,18,SF,MXP3) 25AG910
C 1SE8
C * * * FORM ET2 AND ET1 01SE8
C DO 700 L = 1, MXP3 01SE8
ET2(L,1) = ET1(L,1) 01SE8
ET1(L,1) = EE(1,L) 01SE8
EE(1,L) = SK(L,9) 01SE8
700 CONTINUE 01SE8
IF ( ML .EQ. - 1 ) GO TO 5001 30JA9
C * * * FORM DT, CC, AND EE 1SE8
C DO 5000 I = 1, MXP3 01SE8
SK(I,3) = SK(I,3) + SF(I) 25MR9
IF ( I .EQ. 1 ) GO TO 1000 22MR9
IF ( I .EQ. 2 ) GO TO 2000 22MR9
IF ( I .EQ. MXP2 ) GO TO 3000 22MR9
IF ( I .EQ. MXP3 ) GO TO 4000 22MR9
C 1SE8
C * * * FORM SUBMATRICES AT A GENERAL INTERIOR STATION 01SE8
C CC(I,1) = SK(I,1) 01SE8
CC(I,2) = SK(I,2) 01SE8
CC(I,3) = SK(I,3) 01SE8
IF ( CC(I,3) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(I,3) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(I,4) = SK(I,4) 01SE8
CC(I,5) = SK(I,5) 01SE8
1SE8
C DT(I,1) = SK(I-1,8) 01SE8
DT(I,2) = SK(I,7) 01SE8
DT(I,3) = SK(I+1,6) 01SE8
GO TO 5000 01SE8
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC AND DT TERMS TO LT EDGE - I = 1 01SE8
C 1SE8
1000 CC(I,1) = SK(I,3) 01SE8
IF ( CC(I,1) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(I,1) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(I,2) = SK(I,4) 01SE8
CC(I,3) = SK(I,5) 01SE8
CC(I,4) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(I,5) = 0.0 01SE8
1SE8
C DT(I,1) = SK(I,7) 01SE8
DT(I,2) = SK(I+1,6) 01SE8
DT(I,3) = 0.0 01SE8
GO TO 5000 01SE8
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC TO LT EDGE - I = 2 01SE8
C 1SE8
2000 CC(I,1) = SK(I,2) 01SE8
CC(I,2) = SK(I,3) 01SE8
IF ( CC(I,2) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(I,2) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(I,3) = SK(I,4) 01SE8
CC(I,4) = SK(I,5) 01SE8
CC(I,5) = 0.0 01SE8
1SE8
C DT(I,1) = SK(I-1,8) 01SE8
DT(I,2) = SK(I,7) 01SE8
DT(I,3) = SK(I+1,6) 01SE8
GO TO 5000 01SE8
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC TO RT EDGE - I = MXP2 01SE8
C 1SE8
3000 CC(I,1) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(I,2) = SK(I,1) 01SE8
CC(I,3) = SK(I,2) 01SE8
CC(I,4) = SK(I,3) 01SE8
IF ( CC(I,4) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(I,4) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(I,5) = SK(I,4) 01SE8
1SE8
C DT(I,1) = SK(I-1,8) 01SE8
DT(I,2) = SK(I,7) 01SE8
DT(I,3) = SK(I+1,6) 01SE8
GO TO 5000 01SE8
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC AND DT TO RT EDGE - I = MXP3 01SE8
C 1SE8
4000 CC(I,1) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(I,2) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(I,3) = SK(I,1) 01SE8
CC(I,4) = SK(I,2) 01SE8

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      CC(1,5) = SK(1,3)
      IF ( CC(1,5) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(1,5) = 1.0
      DT(1,1) = 0.0
      DT(1,2) = SK(1,8)
      DT(1,3) = SK(1,7)
5000  CONTINUE
5001  CONTINUE
      DO 6000 I = 1, MXP3
      FF(I) = FF(I) + QI(I) + QI1(I) + QD1(I)
6000  CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
C

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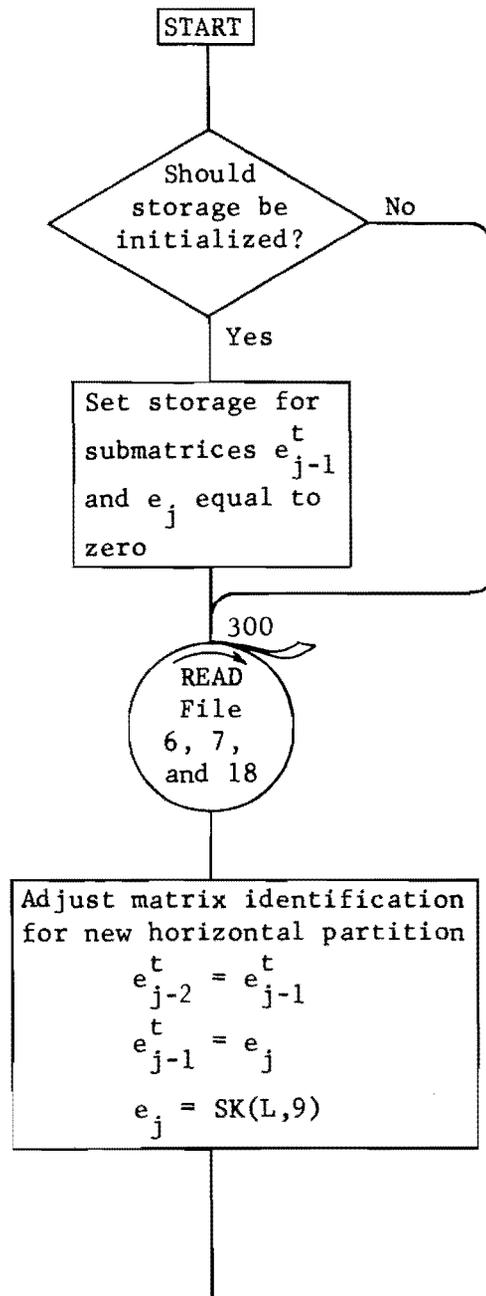
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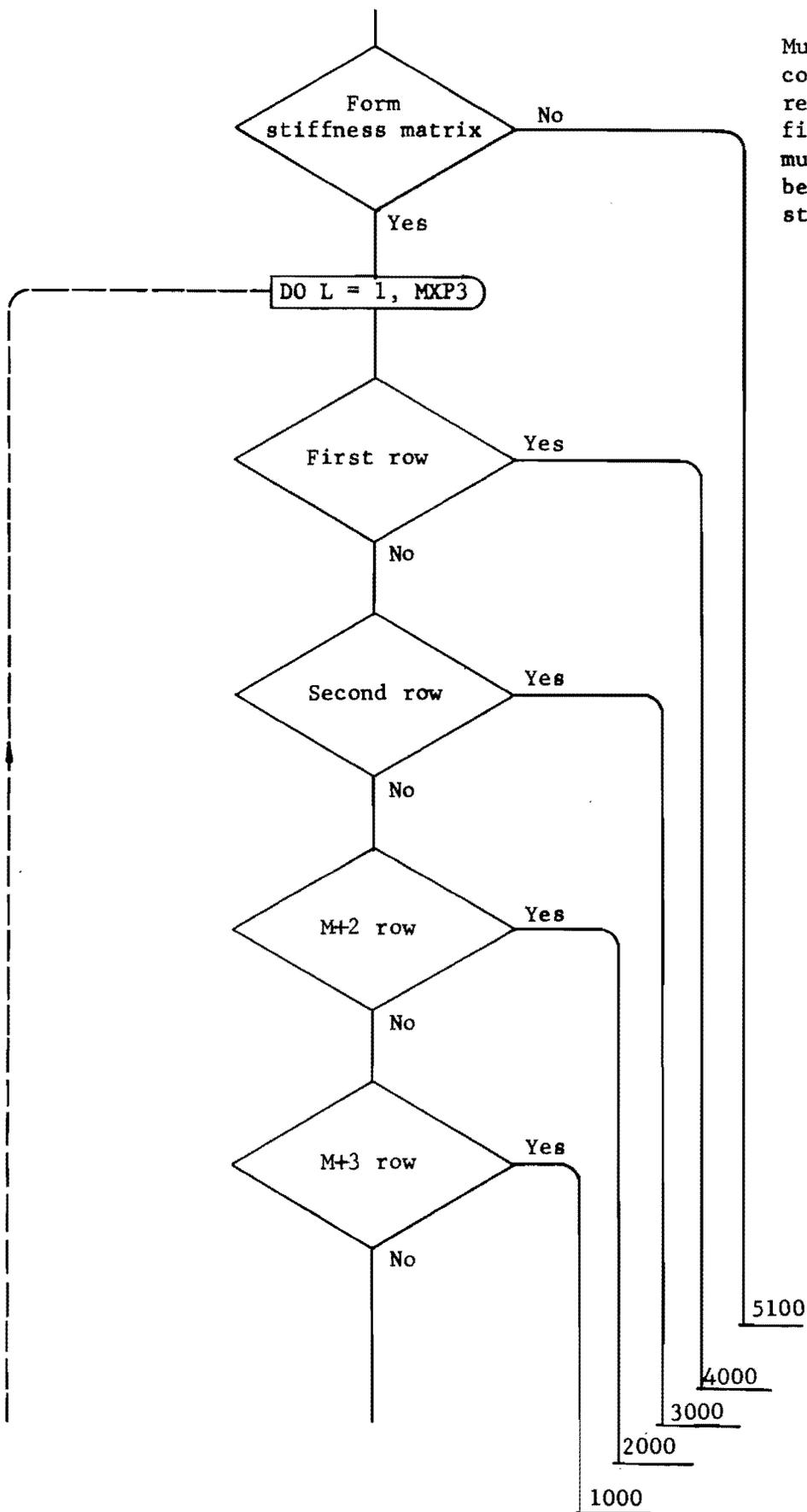
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SUBROUTINE DYNAM

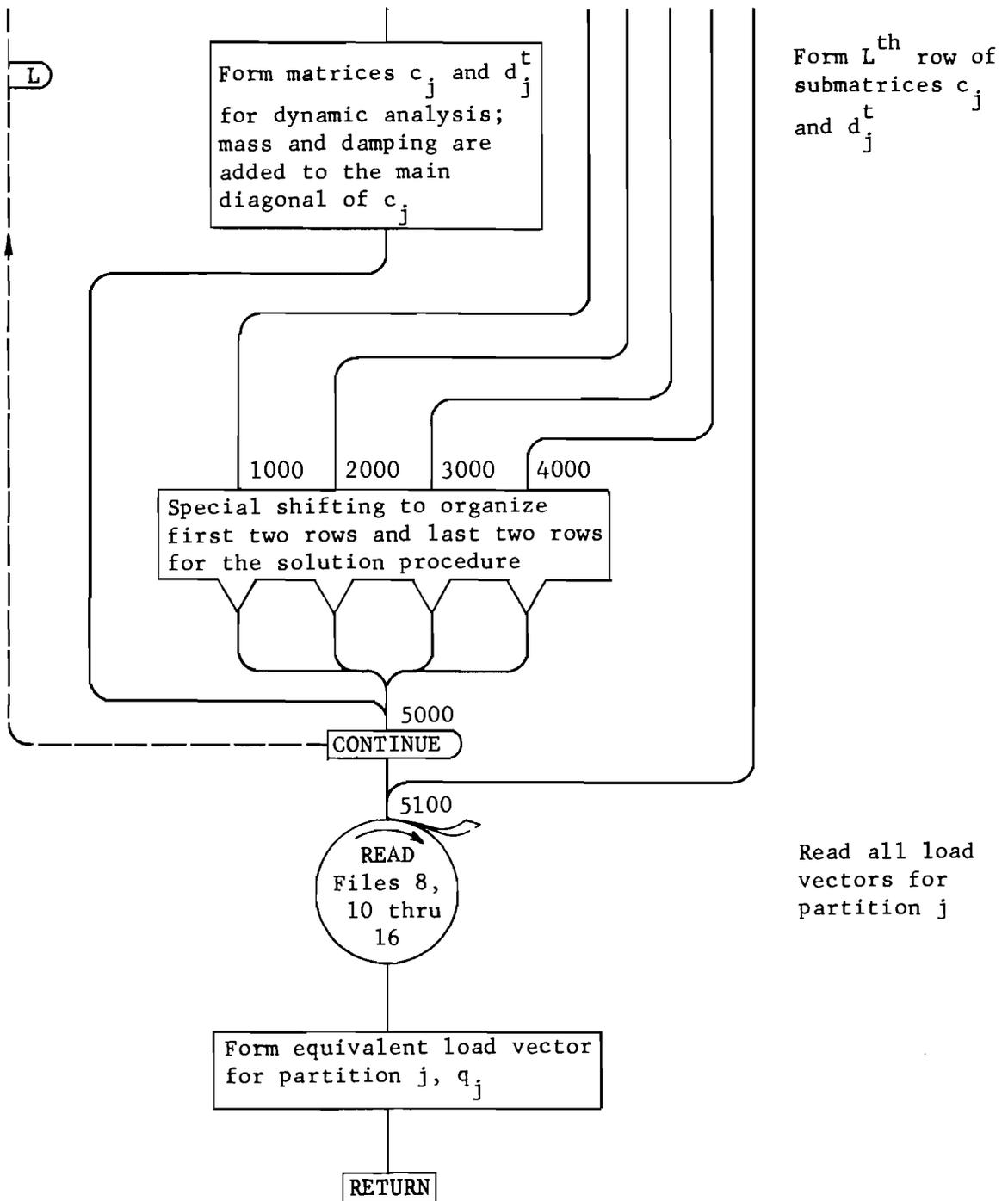
This subroutine generates the equivalent load vector and matrix coefficients for the deflection analysis for the general time step.



Recall stiffness matrix, mass and damping, and linear estimate of nonlinear support



Multiple-loading condition, recursion coefficients, and multipliers have been formed and stored on files



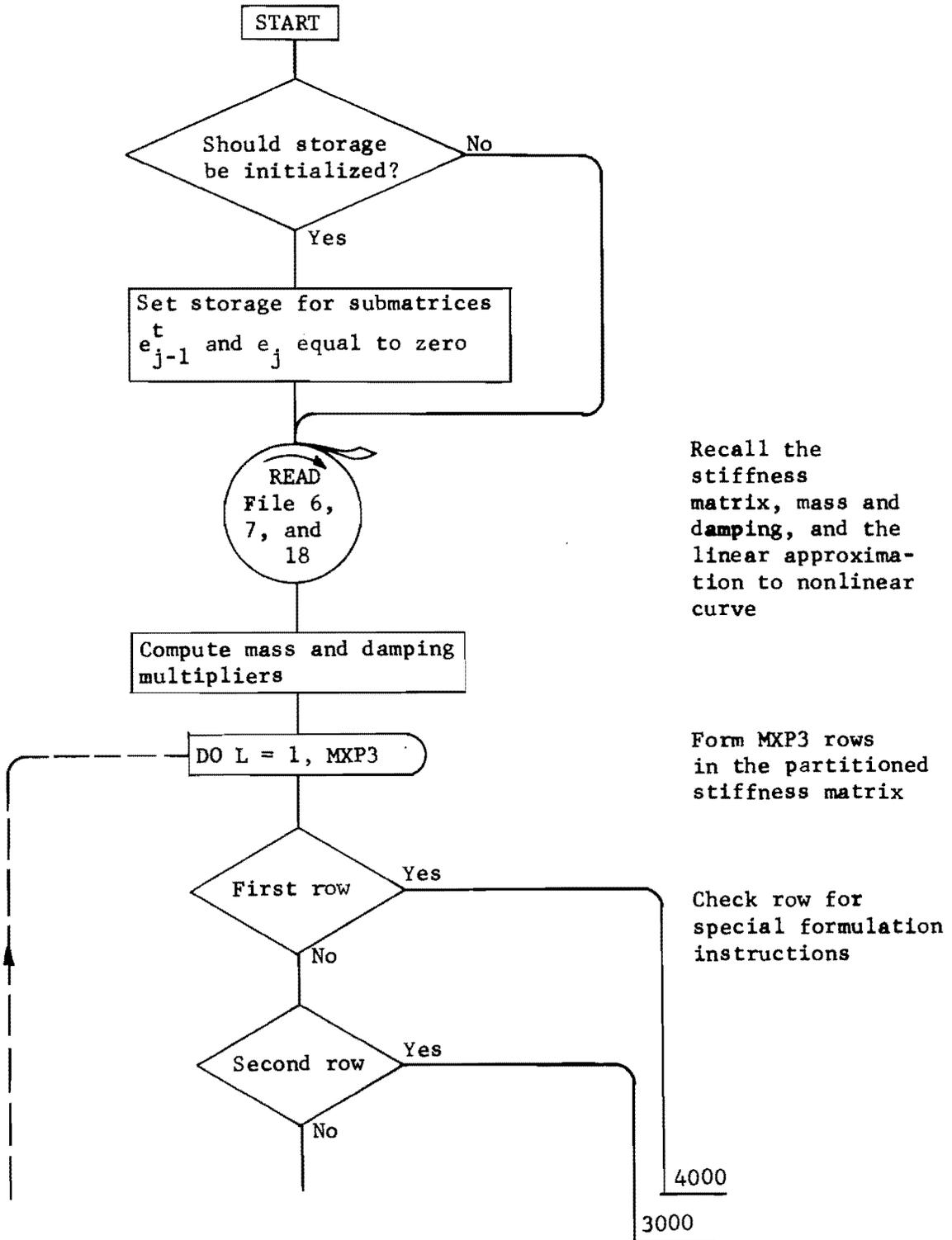
Form L^{th} row of submatrices c_j and d_j^t

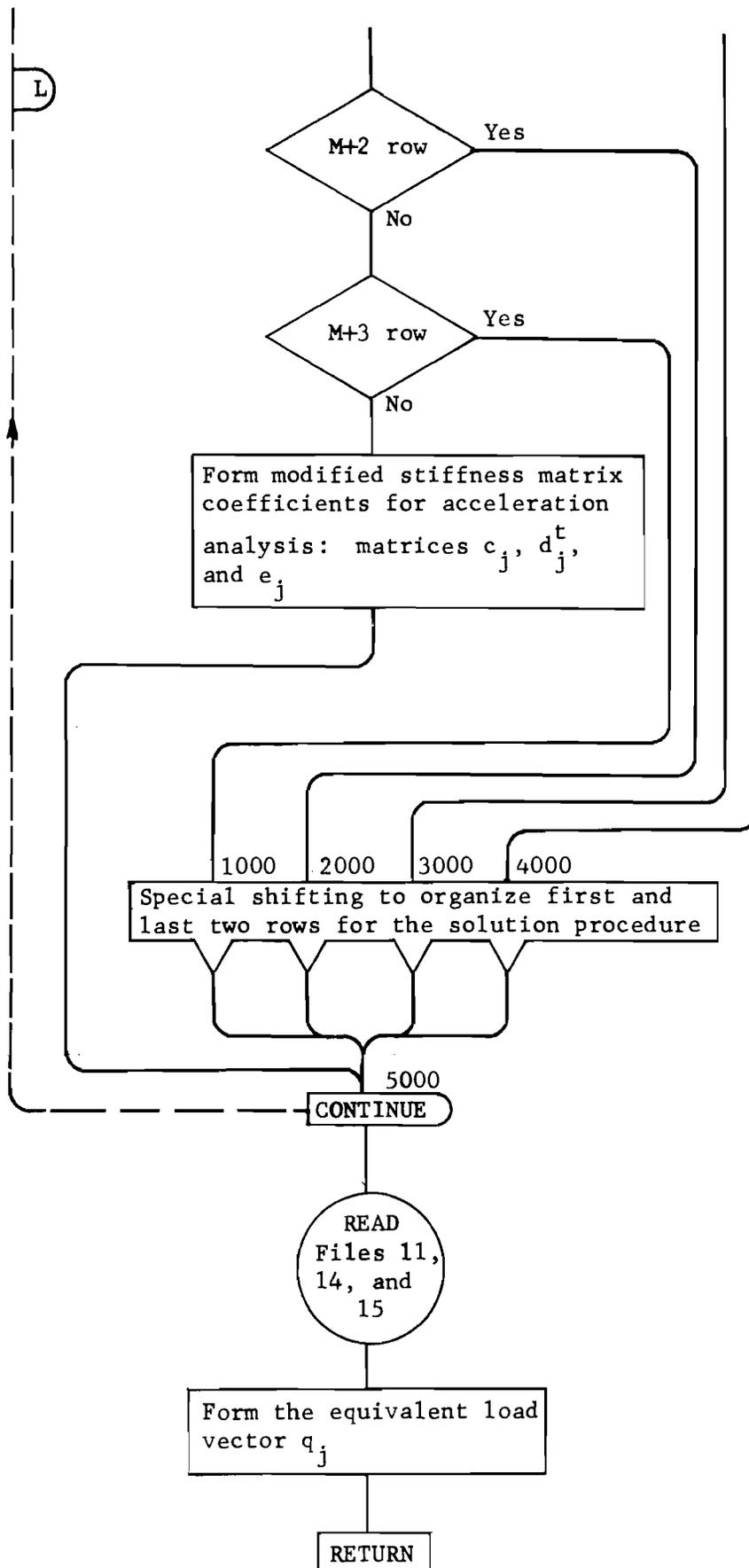
Read all load vectors for partition j

5100	CONTINUE	01SE8
C		1SE8
C	*** FORM LOAD VECTOR - FF	01SE8
C		1SE8
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,10,Q1,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,11,QD1,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,12,QD2,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,13,QD3,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,14,Q11,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,15,Q12,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,16,Q13,MXP3)	25AG910-
	CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,8,FF,MXP3)	25AG910-
5999	CONTINUE	17DE9
	DO 6000 L = 1, MXP3	01SE8
	FF(L) = 6.0 * FF(L) + Q1(L) + QD1(L) + Q11(L) +	01SE8
	4.0 * (QD2(L) + Q12(L)) + QD3(L) + Q13(L)	01SE8
1	CONTINUE	01SE8
6000	RETURN	01SE8
	END	1SE8
C		

SUBROUTINE ACCEL

This subroutine organizes the matrix coefficients and right-hand side for acceleration analysis at the first time step.





Recall dynamic loading for first time step and correction loads for static condition and the first time step

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SUBROUTINE ACCEL ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF,      01SE8
1      ML, JJ, N1, N2, N3, QD1, Q11, Q12,                  27JE9
2      SK, RHO, DF, SF )                                     25MR9
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7,         11N08
1      MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT                   11N08
COMMON/CON/  HXDHY3, HYDHY3, ODMHY, ODMX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, OD2HT, 06JU9
1      HXDHY, HYDHY                                         06JU9
COMMON/RI/   NK, NL, NF, NT2SW, TIM                       29JA9
TYPE INTEGER TIM                                          11N08
TYPE REAL KMULT                                          11N08
DIMENSION ET2( L1, M1 ), DT( L1, N2 ), CC( L1, N3 ), 01SE8
1      ET1( L1, M1 ), EE( N1, L1 ), FF( L1 ), 01SE8
2      QD1( L1 ), Q11( L1 ), Q12( L1 ), 27JE9
3      SK( L1, 9 ), RHO( L1 ), DF( L1 ), 18N08
4      SF( L1 ) 27JE9
C
C * * * THIS SUBROUTINE FORMS THE DYNAMIC STIFFNESS MATRIX FOR THE 1SE8
C * * * SOLUTION OF THE INITIAL ACCELERATION 01SE8
C * * * JJJ = JJ - 2 01SE8
C * * * IF ( JJ .GT. NF ) GO TO 300 01SE8
DO 100 L = 1, MXP3 01SE8
ET1(L,1) = 0.0 01SE8
EE(1,L) = 0.0 01SE8
100 CONTINUE 01SE8
C
C * * * BEGIN FORMULATION OF SUBMATRICES FOR FRIP4 SOLUTION 1SE8
C * * * READ JJ TH ROW OF STIFFNESS MATRIX, MASS AND DAMPING 01SE8
C * * * 1SE8
300 MTK = 9 * MXP3 19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,6,SK,MTK) 25AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,7,RHO,MXP3) 25AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,7,DF,MXP3) 25AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,8,SF,MXP3) 25AG910
DO 400 L = 1, MXP3 01SE8
ET2(L,1) = ET1(L,1) 01SE8
ET1(L,1) = EE(1,L) 01SE8
400 CONTINUE 1SE8
C
C * * * FORM CC, DT, AND EE 01SE8
C * * * 1SE8
KMULT = 6.0 * ODHT2 16JU9
KMULT = 1.0 / KMULT 16JU9
OD2HT = 4.0 * DD2HT 16JU9
OD2HT = 1.0 / OD2HT 16JU9
DO 5000 L = 1, MXP3 01SE8
SK(L,3) = SK(L,3) + SF(L) 25MR9
IF ( L .EQ. 1 ) GO TO 1000 01SE8
IF ( L .EQ. 2 ) GO TO 2000 01SE8
IF ( L .EQ. MXP2 ) GO TO 3000 01SE8
IF ( L .EQ. MXP3 ) GO TO 4000 01SE8
C
C * * * FORM SUBMATRICES AT A GENERAL INTERIOR STATION 1SE8
C * * * 1SE8
CC(L,1) = SK(L,1) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,2) = SK(L,2) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,3) = SK(L,3) * KMULT + DF(L) * OD2HT + RHO(L) 01SE8
C
IF ( CC(L,3) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(L,3) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(L,4) = SK(L,4) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,5) = SK(L,5) * KMULT 01SE8
C
700 DT(L,1) = SK(L+1,8) * KMULT 11N08
DT(L,2) = SK(L,7) * KMULT 11N08
DT(L,3) = SK(L+1,6) * KMULT 11N08
C
C * * * EE(1,L) = SK(L,9) * KMULT 11N08
GO TO 5000 01SE8
C
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC AND DT TERMS TO LT EDGE, L = 1 01SE8
C * * * 1SE8
1000 CC(L,1) = SK(L,3) * KMULT 01SE8
IF ( CC(L,1) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(L,1) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(L,2) = SK(L,4) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,3) = SK(L,5) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,4) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(L,5) = 0.0 01SE8
C
DT(L,1) = SK(L,7) * KMULT 01SE8
DT(L,2) = SK(L+1,6) * KMULT 01SE8
DT(L,3) = 0.0 01SE8
C
EE(1,L) = SK(L,9) * KMULT 11N08
GO TO 5000 01SE8
C
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC TO LT EDGE, L = 2 01SE8
C * * * 1SE8
2000 CC(L,1) = SK(L,2) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,2) = SK(L,3) * KMULT + DF(L) * OD2HT + RHO(L) 01SE8
IF ( CC(L,2) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(L,2) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(L,3) = SK(L,4) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,4) = SK(L,5) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,5) = 0.0 01SE8
GO TO 700 01SE8
C
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC TO RT EDGE, L = MXP2 01SE8
C * * * 1SE8
3000 CC(L,1) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(L,2) = SK(L,1) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,3) = SK(L,2) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,4) = SK(L,3) * KMULT + DF(L) * OD2HT + RHO(L) 01SE8
IF ( CC(L,4) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(L,4) = 1.0 19MR9
CC(L,5) = SK(L,4) * KMULT 01SE8
GO TO 700 01SE8
C
C * * * SHIFT MATRIX COEFF FOR CC AND DT TO RT EDGE, L = MXP3 01SE8
C * * * 1SE8
4000 CC(L,1) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(L,2) = 0.0 01SE8
CC(L,3) = SK(L,1) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,4) = SK(L,2) * KMULT 01SE8
CC(L,5) = SK(L,3) * KMULT 01SE8
IF ( CC(L,5) .LT. 1.E-20 ) CC(L,5) = 1.0 19MR9
1SE8

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          DT(L,1) = 0.0
          DT(L,2) = SK(L-1,8) * KMULT
          DT(L,3) = SK(L,7) * KMULT
          EE(1,L) = 0.0
5000    CONTINUE
C
C * * * FORM THE LOAD VECTOR - FF
C
5200    CONTINUE
        CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,11,QD1,MXP3)
        CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,14,QI1,MXP3)
        CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,15,QI2,MXP3)
        DO 6000 L = 1, MXP3
          FF(L) = QD1(L) + QI1(L) - QI2(L)
6000    CONTINUE
          OD2HT = 4.0 * OD2HT
          OD2HT = 1.0 / OD2HT
        RETURN
        END
C

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01SE8
25JU9
25JU9
18N08
01SE8
1SE8
01SE8
1SE8
17DE9
25AG910
25AG910
25AG910-
01SE8
27JE9
01SE8
16JU9
16JU9
1SE8
01SE8

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SUBROUTINE FRIP4

This subroutine is an IOBIN version of the FRIP4 Five-Wide Recursion-Inversion Solution Process which is documented in Research Report 56-19, "An Algebraic Equation Solution Process Formulated in Anticipation of Banded Linear Equations," by Frank L. Endres and Hudson Matlock (Ref 6). IOBIN is a CDC system routine which is used for efficient file manipulations.

These routines are called by FRIP4 and some by subroutines MASSAC and INERTIA and are completely documented in Ref 6:

- INVR5 - Takes inverse of general positive definite matrix
- INVR6 - Takes inverse of symmetric positive definite matrix
 DCOM1
 INVLT1
 MLTXL
- MFV - Multiplies full (square) matrix times a full (square) matrix or a vector
- SMFF - Symmetric multiplication of a full times a full matrix
- MFFT - Multiplies a full times the transpose of a full matrix
- MBFV - Multiplies a banded (packed) matrix times a full matrix or a vector
- MFB - Multiplies a full matrix times a banded (packed) matrix
- ABF - Adds a banded matrix to a full matrix
- ASFV - Adds or subtracts two full matrices or two vectors
- RFV - Replaces a full matrix or a vector by another
- CFV - Multiplies a full matrix or a vector by a constant

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SUBROUTINE FRIP 4 ( L1, L2, L3, ML, A, AM1, AM2, ATM, B, BM1, EP1, 11N0R
1 C, CM1, D, E, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF, W, N1, N2, 11N0B
2 N3, Q1, QD1, QD2, QD3, QI1, QI2, QI3, SK, RHO, DF, SF) 25MR9
C * * * * FRIP 4A - REVISION DATE 16JU9 ( SLAB 33 ) 16JU9
C***** THIS GROUP OF 15 SUBROUTINES PROVIDES THE USER WITH AN 20MY8
C EFFICIENT GENERAL SPARSELY BANDED EQUATION SOLVER 04JAB
C (THE MATRIX IS ASSUMED TO BE SYMMETRIC AND POSITIVE DEFINITE) 12MR8
C WHICH CAN HANDLE UP TO 5 GROUPS OF BANDS , EACH 04JAB
C OF ARBITRARY WIDTH 04JAB
C***** THIS ROUTINE SUPERVISES 14 SUBROUTINES , 13 OF WHICH 20MY8
C ARE SELF-SUFFICIENT AND COME AS A PACKAGE , THE 04JAB
C REMAINING ONE GENERATES AND PACKS THE STIFFNESS 04JAB
C***** MATRIX AS OUTLINED IN IN THE APPENDIX OF THE RELATED REPORT 23MR8
C THIS ROUTINE MUST BE SUPPLIED BY THE USER SINCE 04JAB
C IT DESCRIBES HIS PARTICULAR PROBLEM 04JAB
C***** IN THE MAIN PROGRAM THE FOLLOWING PAIR SHOULD BE EQUIVALENCED 20MY8
C ( ATM , DT ) 04JAB
C***** SCRATCH TAPES SHOULD BE REQUESTED FOR TAPES 1 AND 2 05MR8
DIMENSION A(L1 ) , AM1(L1 ) , AM2(L1 ) , 20MY8
1 B(L1,L1) , BM1(L1,L1) , EP1(L1,L1) , ATM(L1 ) , 20MY8
2 C(L1,L1) , CM1(L1,L1) , D(L1,L1) , 20MY8
3 E(L1,L1) , W(L2,L3) , ET2(L1,N1) , 20MY8
4 DT(L1,N2) , CC(L1,N3) , ET1(L1,N1) , EE(N1,L1) , 23MR8
5 FF(L1) 23MR8
DIMENSION QI( L1) , QD1( L1) , QD2( L1) , QD3( L1) , 11N0B
1 QI1( L1) , QI2( L1) , QI3( L1) , RHO( L1) , 11N0B
2 DF( L1) , SK( L1, 9) , SF( L1 ) 25MR9
COMMON/INCR/ MX, MY, MXP2, MXP3, MXP4, MXP5, MXP7, 11N0B
1 MYP2, MYP3, MYP4, MYP5, MYP7, MT 11N0R
COMMON/CON/ HXDHY3, HYDHX3, ODHXHY, ODHX, ODHY, PR, ODHT2, ODZHT, 06JU9
1 HXDHY, HYDHX 06JU9
COMMON/R1/ NK, NL, NF, NT25W, TIM 29JA9
TYPE INTEGER TIM 11N0B
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,1) 19AG910
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,2) 19AG910
CALL IOBIN(6HREWIND,3) 19AG910
K2 = NK * NK 19AG910
C IF( ML ) 140, 100, 100 04JAB
100 SET INITIAL CONDITIONS 04JAB
DO 135 J = 1 , NK 01FEB
DO 130 I = 1 , NK 01FEB
B(I,J) = 0.0 04JAB
C(I,J) = 0.0 04JAB
CM1(I,J) = 0.0 04JAB
EP1(I,J) = 0.0 23MR8
D(I,J) = 0.0 16JU9
130 CONTINUE 04JAB
135 CONTINUE 04JAB
140 DO 190 I = 1 , NK 01FEB
A(I) = 0.0 20MY8
AM1(I) = 0.0 20MY8
150 CONTINUE 04JAB
C***** 04JAB
C BEGIN FORWARD PASS -- SOLVE FOR RECURSION COEFFICIENTS 04JAB
C*****
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DO 1000 J = NF , NL
JJ = J
C FORM SUB-MATRICES
CALL EXECUT ( L1, L2, L3, ET2, DT, CC, ET1, EE, FF, ML, JJ,
1 N1, N2, N3, Q1, QD1, QD2, QD3, QI1, QI2, QI3,
2 SK, RHO, DF, SF )
CALL RFV ( AM2, AM1, L1 , 1 , NK )
CALL RFV ( AM1, A , L1 , 1 , NK )
IF( ML ) 210, 180, 180
180 CALL RFV ( BM1, B , L1 , L1 , NK )
GO TO 220
C READ D AND E MULTIPLIERS FROM TAPE 3
210 CALL IOBIN(4HREAD ,3,D,K2)
CALL IOBIN ( 7HREADSKP,3,E,K2 )
GO TO 280
C CALCULATE RECURSION MULTIPLIER E
220 CALL RFV ( E , EP1, L1 , L1 , NK )
C CALCULATE RECURSION MULTIPLIER EP1
CALL MBFV ( ET1, BM1, EP1, L1 , L1 , NK , N1 )
CALL ABF ( DT, EP1, EP1, L1 , NK , N2 )
C CALCULATE RECURSION MULTIPLIER D
CALL SMFF ( E , BM1, D , L1 , NK )
CALL RFV ( BM1, CM1, L1 , L1 , NK )
CALL RFV ( CM1, C , L1 , L1 , NK )
CALL MBFV ( ET2, BM1, C , L1 , L1 , NK , N1 )
CALL ASFV ( D , C , D , L1 , L1 , NK , +1 )
CALL ABF ( CC , D , D , L1 , NK , N3 )
CALL INVR6 ( D , L1 , NK )
CALL CFV ( D , L1 , L1 , NK , -1 )
C CALCULATE RECURSION COEFFICIENT C
CALL MFB ( D , EE , C , L1 , NK , N1 )
C CALCULATE RECURSION COEFFICIENT B
CALL MFFT ( D , EP1, B , L1 , NK )
C CALCULATE RECURSION COEFFICIENT A
280 CALL MFFV ( E , AM1, A , L1 , 1 , NK )
CALL MBFV ( ET2, AM2, ATM, L1 , 1 , NK , N1 )
CALL ASFV ( A , ATM, AM2, L1 , 1 , NK , +1 )
CALL ASFV ( AM2, FF , ATM, L1 , 1 , NK , -1 )
CALL MFFV ( D , ATM, A , L1 , 1 , NK )
C SAVE A COEFFICIENT ON TAPE 1
CALL IOBIN(6HWRITER,1,A,NK)
290 IF (IOBIN(4HTEST,1)) 290, 300, 300
300 IF ( ML ) 400, 600, 500
400 CALL IOBIN(7HREADSKP,2,W,K2)
CALL IOBIN(7HREADSKP,2,W,K2)
450 IF (IOBIN(4HTEST,2)) 450, 1000, 1000
C SAVE D AND E MULTIPLIERS ON TAPE 3
500 CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,3,D,K2)
CALL IOBIN(5HWRITE ,3,E,K2)
CALL IOBIN (6HWRITER,3 )
C SAVE B AND C COEFFICIENTS ON TAPE 2
600 CALL IOBIN(6HWRITER,2,B,K2)
CALL IOBIN(6HWRITER,2,C,K2)
1000 CONTINUE 04JAB
C
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01FEB .
04JAB .
04JAB .
11N0B .
11N0R .
11MR9 .
20MY8 .
20MY8 .
04JAB .
20MY8 .
04JAB .
17JAB .
25AG910 .
310C9 .
04JAB .
04JAB .
20MY8 .
23MR8 .
20MY8 .
23MR8 .
04JAB .
05MR8 .
20MY8 .
20MY8 .
01FEB .
15MR8 .
20MY8 .
04JAB .
20MR8 .
04JAB .
23MR8 .
04JAB .
20MY8 .
20MY8 .
20MY8 .
20MY8 .
04JAB .
19AG910 .
180C9 .
25AG910-
160C9 .
180C9 .
17JAB .
25AG910-
25A .
22AG910 .
17JAB .
19AG910 .
19AG910 .
04JAB .

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C      BEGIN BACKWARD PASS -- COMPUTE RECURSION EQUATION          04JAB
C*****
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,1)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL RFV ( W(NF,NL), A , L1, 1, NK ) 10AP9
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,1)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(7THREADSKP,1,A,NK)    25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(7THREADSKP,2,B,K2)    25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(7THREADSKP,2,C,K2)    25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,1)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL MFFV ( B, W(NF,NL), AM1, L1, 1, NK ) 10AP9
CALL ASFV ( A, AM1, W(NF,NL-1), L1, 1, NK, +1 ) 10AP9
      NLM2 = NL - 2          20MYA
C      DO 2000 L = NF , NLM2          20MYB .
      J = NLM2 + NF - L          20MYB .
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,1)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
C      READ A COEFFICIENT FROM TAPE 1          04JAB .
CALL IOBIN(7THREADSKP,1,A,NK)    25AG910
C      READ B AND C COEFFICIENTS FROM TAPE 2          17JAB .
CALL IOBIN(7THREADSKP,2,B,K2)    25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(7THREADSKP,2,C,K2)    25AG910-
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,1)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL IOBIN(4HBKSP,2)          19AG910
CALL MFFV ( B, W(NF,J+1), AM1, L1, 1, NK ) 10AP9
CALL MFFV ( C, W(NF,J+2), AM2, L1, 1, NK ) 10AP9
CALL ASFV ( AM1, AM2, AM1, L1, 1, NK, +1 ) 20MYB .
CALL ASFV ( A, AM1, W(NF,J), L1, 1, NK, +1 ) 10AP9
2000 CONTINUE          04JAB .
C      RETURN          4JAB
C      END          04JAR

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