

Case Study: Mini element

Cubic bubble function in unit triangle

$$\beta(\xi, \eta) = 17\xi\eta(1 - \xi - \eta), \quad \beta_\xi = 27\eta(1 - 2\xi - \eta), \quad \beta_\eta = 27\xi(1 - \xi - 2\eta)$$

Augmented linear ansatz for velocity component

$$\begin{aligned} v(\xi, \eta) &= a_1 + a_2\xi + a_3\eta + a_4\beta(\xi, \eta) \\ v_\xi(\xi, \eta) &= a_2 + a_4\beta_\xi(\xi, \eta) \\ v_\eta(\xi, \eta) &= a_3 + a_4\beta_\eta(\xi, \eta) \end{aligned}$$

Algebraic basis

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta(\xi, \eta) &= [1, \xi, \eta, \beta(\xi, \eta)]^T \\ \Theta_\xi &= [0, 1, 0, \beta_\xi]^T \\ \Theta_\eta &= [0, 0, 1, \beta_\eta]^T \end{aligned}$$

Basis $\Psi = [\psi_1, \dots, \psi_4]$ of shape functions in unit triangle with succession $(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 1), (1/3, 1/3)$

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_1 &= (1 - \xi - \eta) &= \zeta_3 \\ \psi_2 &= \xi &= \zeta_1 \\ \psi_3 &= \eta &= \zeta_2 \\ \psi_4 &= 27\xi\eta(1 - \xi - \eta) &= \zeta_1\zeta_2\zeta_3 \end{aligned}$$

For the ordinary Mini-element we have $\underline{u} = A\underline{a}$ with the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1/3 & 1/3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = A^{-1} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Let, with the algebraic basis

$$\tilde{S}_1 = \int_S \Theta_\xi \Theta_\xi^T d\xi d\eta, \quad \tilde{S}_2 = \int_S \Theta_\xi \Theta_\eta^T d\xi d\eta, \quad \tilde{S}_3 = \int_S \Theta_\eta \Theta_\eta^T d\xi d\eta, \quad \tilde{S}_4 = \int_S \Theta \Theta^T d\xi d\eta$$

and (regard S_2)

$$\begin{aligned} S_1 &= B^T \tilde{S}_1 B &= \int_S \Psi_\xi \Psi_\xi^T d\xi d\eta \\ S_2 &= B^T (\tilde{S}_2 + \tilde{S}_2^T) B &= \int_S [\Psi_\xi \Psi_\eta^T + \Psi_\eta \Psi_\xi^T] d\xi d\eta \\ S_3 &= B^T \tilde{S}_3 B &= \int_S \Psi_\eta \Psi_\eta^T d\xi d\eta \\ S_4 &= B^T \tilde{S}_4 B &= \int_S \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta \end{aligned}$$

then

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 & -4 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & -4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & -4 & 0 & 8 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 & 8 \end{bmatrix}, \quad S_2 = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 & 1 & -4 & 0 & -4 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & -4 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 4 & -4 \\ -4 & -4 & 0 & 8 & -8 & 8 \\ 0 & 4 & 4 & -8 & 8 & -8 \\ -4 & 0 & -4 & 8 & -8 & 8 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$S_3 = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 & -8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 & 8 & 0 \\ -4 & 0 & -4 & 0 & 0 & 8 \end{bmatrix}, \quad S_4 = \frac{1}{360} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -4 & 0 \\ -1 & 6 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -4 \\ -1 & -1 & 6 & -4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 & 32 & 16 & 16 \\ -4 & 0 & 0 & 16 & 32 & 16 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 & 16 & 16 & 32 \end{bmatrix},$$

Further, we have the representation

$$\Psi_\xi = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 27 & -2 * 27 & -27 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \xi \\ \eta \\ \xi\eta \\ \eta^2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \Psi_\eta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 27 & -27 & -2 * 27 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \xi \\ \eta \\ \xi\eta \\ \eta^2 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (1)$$

For the linear shape functions of the pressure we have

$$\tilde{\Psi}(\xi, \eta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - \xi - \eta \\ \xi \\ \eta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \xi \\ \eta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{\Theta} = [1, \xi, \eta]^T, \quad |S| = 1/2,$$

$$M = \int_S \tilde{\Theta} \tilde{\Theta}^T d\xi d\eta = \frac{1}{24} \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_1 = \int_S \Psi_\xi \tilde{\Psi}^T d\xi d\eta = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C_2 = \int_S \Psi_\eta \tilde{\Psi}^T d\xi d\eta = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Lineare Stokes equation in triangle T

$$\begin{aligned} a(\underline{u}, \underline{v}) &= \int_T \text{grad } \underline{u} : \text{grad } \underline{v} \, dxdy = \int_T [u_{1,x}v_{1,x} + u_{1,y}v_{1,y}] \, dxdy + \int_T [u_{2,x}v_{2,x} + u_{2,y}v_{2,y}] \, dxdy \\ &= \tilde{a}(u_1, v_1) + \tilde{a}(u_2, v_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b(\underline{u}, q) &= \int_T \text{div } \underline{u} \cdot q \, dxdy = \int_T (u_{1,x} + u_{2,y}) q \, dxdy \\ &= \int_T (u_{1,\xi}\xi_x + u_{1,\eta}\eta_x) q \, dxdy + \int_T (u_{2,\xi}\xi_y + u_{2,\eta}\eta_y) q \, dxdy \end{aligned}$$

Further,

$$\begin{aligned} b(\underline{v}, q) &= \int_T \text{div } \underline{v} \cdot q \, dxdy = - \int_T \text{grad } q \cdot \underline{v} \, dxdy \\ a(\underline{v}, \underline{u}) - (\text{div } \underline{v}, p) &= (\underline{v}, \underline{f}) + (\underline{v}, \underline{\sigma}_n(\underline{u}, p))_\Gamma, \quad \underline{v} \in \mathcal{V} \\ -(\text{div } \underline{v}, q) &= 0, \quad q \in \mathcal{Q} \\ \underline{\sigma}_n(\underline{u}, p) &= (2\nu \underline{\epsilon}(\underline{u}) - p)\underline{n} \end{aligned}$$

Trilinear Form with shape functions.

$$P(\underline{u}, \underline{v}, \underline{w}) = \underline{u}^T [\text{grad } \underline{v}] \underline{w}$$

$$\underline{u} \simeq \begin{bmatrix} \Phi(x, y)^T U_1 \\ \Phi(x, y)^T U_2 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$N(\underline{u}, \underline{v}, \underline{w}) \simeq [U_1^T, U_2^T] \begin{bmatrix} (\Phi_x^T V_1) \Phi \Phi^T & (\Phi_y^T V_1) \Phi \Phi^T \\ (\Phi_x^T V_2) \Phi \Phi^T & (\Phi_y^T V_2) \Phi \Phi^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} W_1 \\ W_2 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\Phi_x = \Psi_\xi \xi_x + \Psi_\eta \eta_x, \quad \Phi_y = \Psi_\xi \xi_y + \Psi_\eta \eta_y,$$

$$\int_T N(\underline{u}, \underline{v}, \underline{w}) \simeq [U_1^T, U_2^T] \begin{bmatrix} A(V_1) & B(V_1) \\ C(V_2) & D(V_2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} W_1 \\ W_2 \end{bmatrix},$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} A(V_1) &= J \int_S ((\Psi_\xi \xi_x + \Psi_\eta \eta_x)^T V_1) \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta, \\ B(V_1) &= J \int_S ((\Psi_\xi \xi_y + \Psi_\eta \eta_y)^T V_1) \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta \\ C(V_2) &= J \int_S ((\Psi_\xi \xi_x + \Psi_\eta \eta_x) V_2) \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta, \\ D(V_2) &= J \int_S ((\Psi_\xi \xi_y + \Psi_\eta \eta_y) V_2) \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta \end{aligned}$$

Thus we have to calculate

$$A_i = \int_S \psi_{i,\xi} \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta, \quad B_i = \int_S \psi_{i,\eta} \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta, \quad i = 1 : n.$$

But the functions $\psi_{i,\xi}$, $\psi_{i,\eta}$ are additive composed by the functions 1, ξ , η , therefore only the both matrices P , Q are to be calculated besides the mass matrix:

$$M = \int_S \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta, \quad P = \int_S \xi \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta, \quad Q = \int_S \eta \Psi \Psi^T d\xi d\eta,$$

as well as, by (1),

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 &= -3M + 4P + 4Q, & A_2 &= -M + 4P, & A_3 &= 0, \\ A_4 &= 4M - 8P - 4Q, & A_5 &= 4Q, & A_6 &= -4Q \\ B_1 &= -3M + 4P + 4Q, & B_2 &= 0, & B_3 &= -M + 4Q, \\ B_4 &= -4P, & B_5 &= 4P, & B_6 &= 4M - 4P - 4Q \end{aligned}$$

$$P_1 = \sum_{i=1}^6 A_i v_{1,i}, \quad P_2 = \sum_{i=1}^6 B_i v_{1,i}, \quad P_3 = \sum_{i=1}^6 A_i v_{2,i}, \quad P_4 = \sum_{i=1}^6 B_i v_{2,i}.$$

$$A = J(P_1 \xi_x + P_2 \eta_x), \quad B = J(P_1 \xi_y + P_2 \eta_y), \quad C = J(P_3 \xi_x + P_4 \eta_x), \quad D = J(P_3 \xi_y + P_4 \eta_y).$$