

The Hellan–Herrmann–Johnson and TDNNS method for nonlinear Koiter and Naghdi shells

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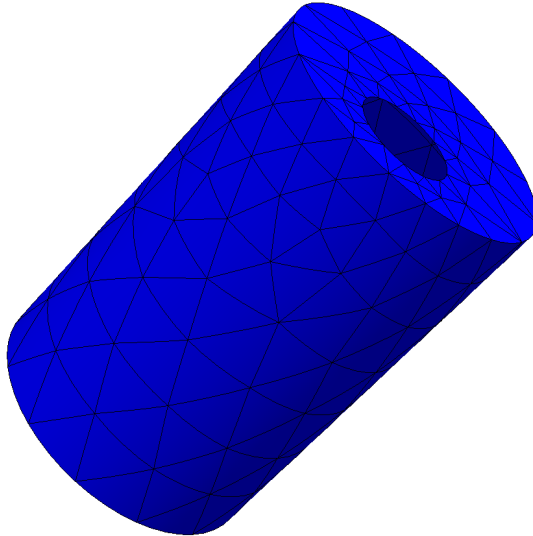
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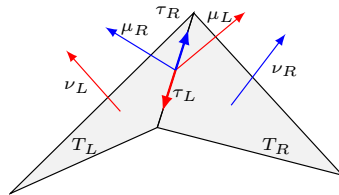
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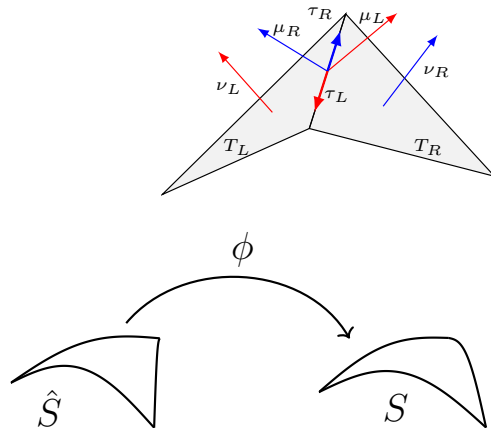
Numerical examples

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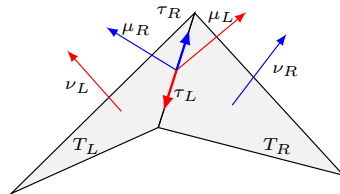
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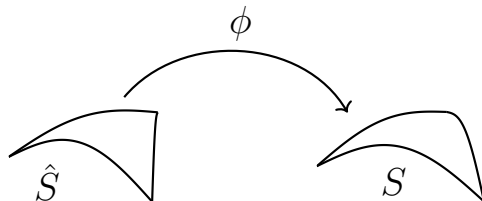
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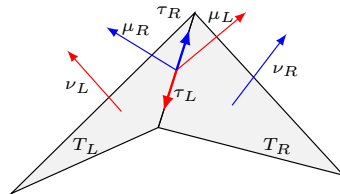
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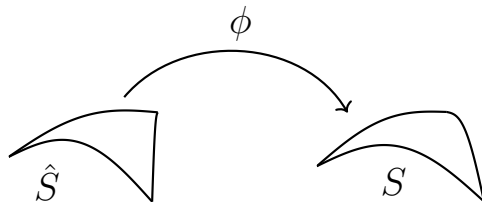
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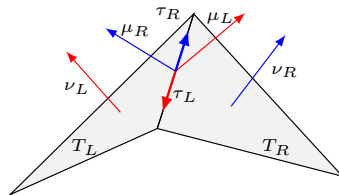
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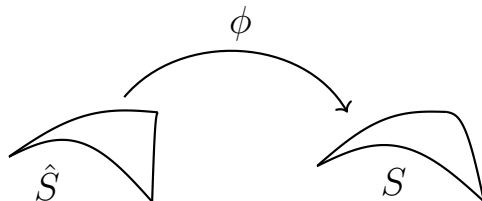
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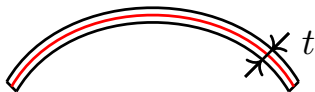
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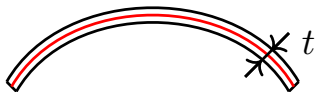
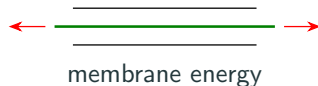
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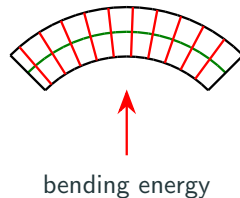
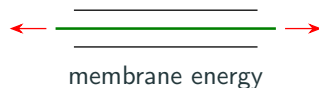
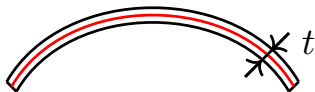
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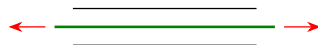
$$\mathcal{W}(u, \gamma) = \frac{t}{2} \|\mathbf{E}(u)\|_{\mathbb{M}}^2 + \frac{t^3}{24} \|\text{sym}(\mathbf{F}^T \nabla(\tilde{\nu} \circ \phi)) - \nabla \hat{\nu}\|_{\mathbb{M}}^2 \\ + \frac{t\kappa G}{2} \|\mathbf{F}^T \tilde{\nu} \circ \phi\|^2$$

$\gamma \dots$ shearing

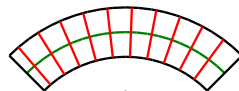
$\tilde{\nu} = \frac{\nu + \gamma}{\|\nu + \gamma\|} \dots$ director

$G \dots$ shearing modulus

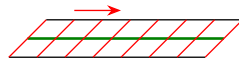
$\kappa = 5/6 \dots$ shear correction factor



membrane energy

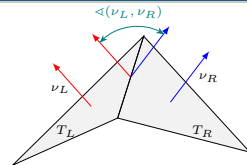


bending energy



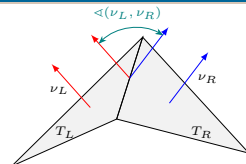
shearing energy

Lifting:
$$\int_{\mathcal{T}_h} \kappa : \sigma \, dx = \sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}_h} \int_T \nabla \nu : \sigma \, dx + \sum_{E \in \mathcal{E}_h} \int_E \angle(\nu_L, \nu_R) \sigma_{\mu\mu} \, ds$$



 N., SCHÖBERL, STURM, Numerical shape optimization of Canham-Helfrich-Evans bending energy, *J. Comput. Phys.* (2023).

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- Lifted curvature difference κ^{diff} via three-field Hu–Washizu formulation

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(u, \kappa^{\text{diff}}, \sigma) = & \frac{t}{2} \|\mathbf{E}(u)\|_{\mathbb{M}}^2 + \frac{t^3}{12} \|\kappa^{\text{diff}}\|_{\mathbb{M}}^2 - \langle f, u \rangle + \sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}_h} \int_T (\kappa^{\text{diff}} - (\mathbf{F}^T \nabla(\nu \circ \phi) - \nabla \hat{\nu})) : \sigma \, dx \\ & + \sum_{E \in \mathcal{E}_h} \int_E (\angle(\nu_L, \nu_R) - \angle(\hat{\nu}_L, \hat{\nu}_R)) \sigma_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\mu}} \, ds \end{aligned}$$

- Lagrange parameter $\sigma \in M_h^{k-1}$ **moment tensor**
- Eliminate $\kappa^{\text{diff}} \rightarrow$ two-field formulation in (u, σ)

 N., SCHÖBERL: The Hellan–Herrmann–Johnson and TDNNS method for linear and nonlinear shells, *arXiv:2304.13806*.

Shell problem

Find $u \in [\mathcal{L}_h^k(\mathcal{T}_h)]^3$ and $\sigma \in M_h^{k-1}$ for $(H_\nu := \sum_i (\nabla^2 u_i) \nu_i)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(u, \sigma) = & \frac{t}{2} \|\mathbf{E}(u)\|_{\mathbb{M}}^2 - \frac{6}{t^3} \|\sigma\|_{\mathbb{M}^{-1}}^2 - \langle f, u \rangle \\ & + \sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}_h} \int_T \sigma : (H_\nu + (1 - \hat{\nu} \cdot \nu) \nabla \hat{\nu}) \, dx \\ & + \sum_{E \in \mathcal{E}_h} \int_E (\triangleleft(\nu_L, \nu_R) - \triangleleft(\hat{\nu}_L, \hat{\nu}_R)) \sigma_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\mu}} \, ds \end{aligned}$$

Use hybridization to eliminate $\sigma \rightarrow$ recover minimization problem

 N., SCHÖBERL: The Hellan–Herrmann–Johnson method for nonlinear shells, *Comput. Struct.* 225 (2019).

$$H^1(\Omega) = \{u \in L^2(\Omega) \mid \nabla u \in [L^2(\Omega)]^d\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_h^k(\mathcal{T}_h) = \mathcal{P}^k(\mathcal{T}_h) \cap C(\Omega)$$

$$H(\text{curl}, \Omega) = \{\sigma \in [L^2(\Omega)]^d \mid \text{curl} \sigma \in [L^2(\Omega)]^{2d-3}\}$$

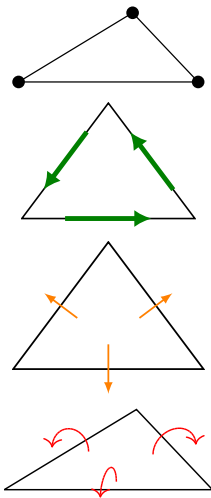
$$\mathcal{N}_{II}^k = \{\sigma \in [\mathcal{P}^k(\mathcal{T}_h)]^d \mid \llbracket \sigma_\tau \rrbracket_F = 0\}$$

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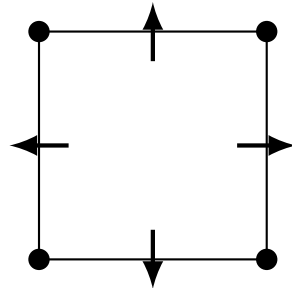
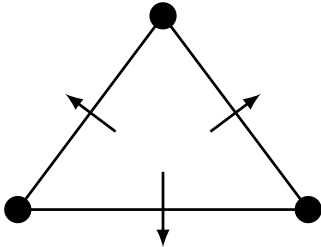
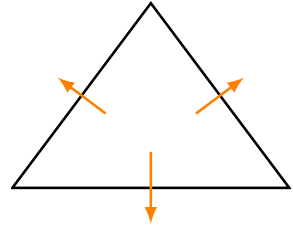
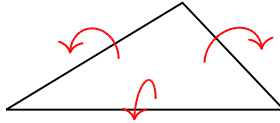
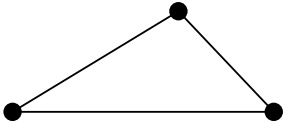
$$BDM^k = \{\sigma \in [\mathcal{P}^k(\mathcal{T}_h)]^d \mid \llbracket \sigma_n \rrbracket_F = 0\}$$

$$H(\text{divdiv}, \Omega) = \{\sigma \in [L^2(\Omega)]_{\text{sym}}^{d \times d} \mid \text{div} \mathbf{div} \sigma \in H^{-1}(\Omega)\}$$

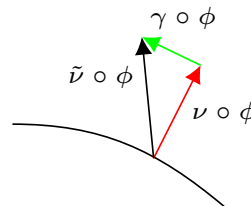
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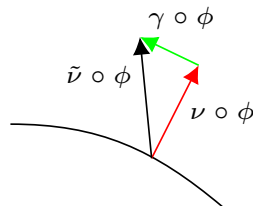


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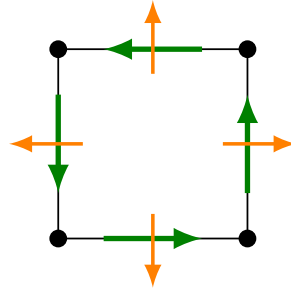
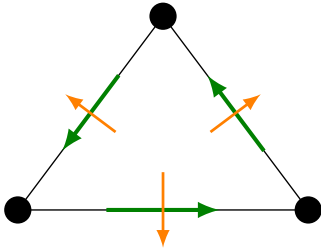
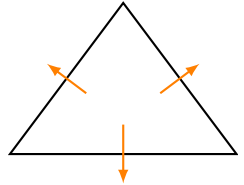
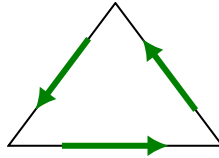
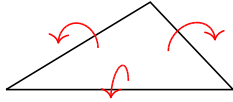
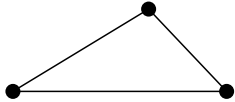
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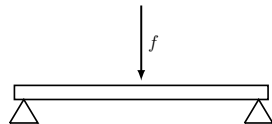
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$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{lin}}^{\text{plate}}(w, \sigma) = -\frac{6}{t^3} \|\sigma\|_{\mathbb{M}^{-1}}^2 + \sum_{T \in \mathcal{T}_h} \left(\int_T \nabla^2 w : \sigma \, dx - \int_{\partial T} \frac{\partial w}{\partial \hat{\mu}} \sigma_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\mu}} \, ds \right)$$

$$\text{divdiv} \nabla^2 w = f \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \sigma = \nabla^2 w, \\ \text{divdiv} \sigma = f, \end{cases}$$



M. COMODI: The Hellan-Herrmann-Johnson method: some new error estimates and postprocessing, *Math. Comp.* 52 (1989) pp. 17–29.

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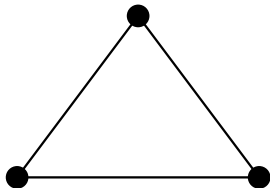
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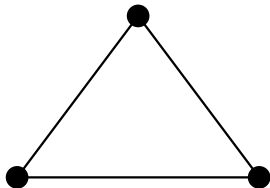


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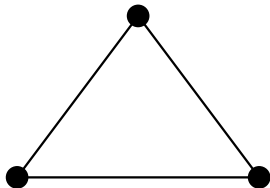


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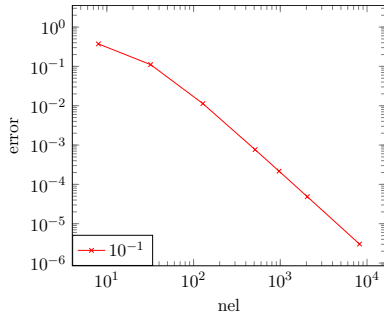
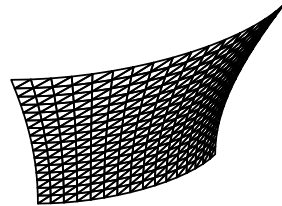
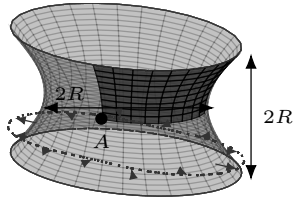
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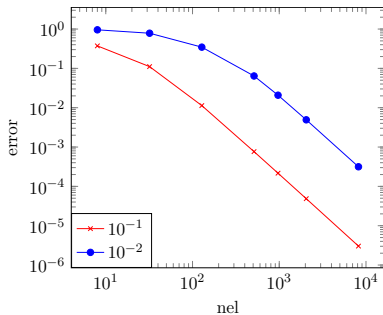
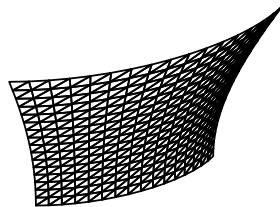
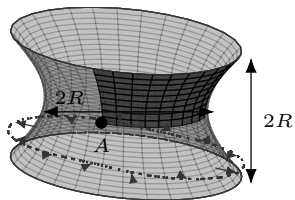
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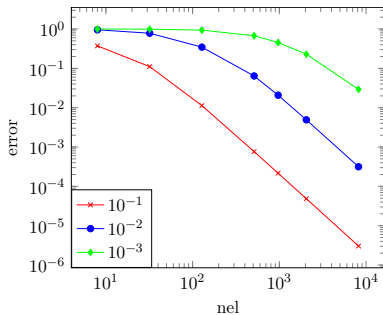
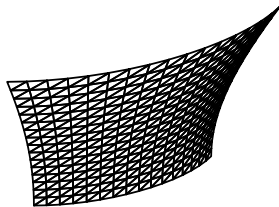
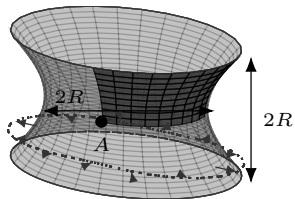


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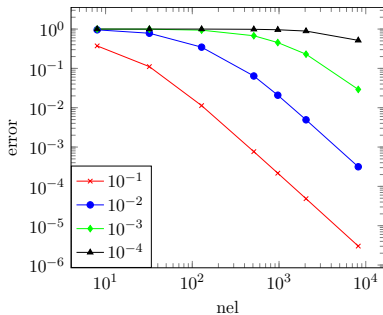
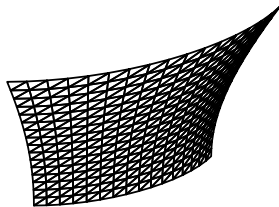
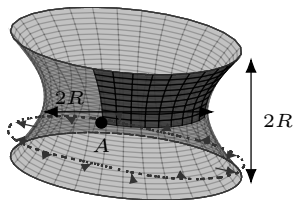




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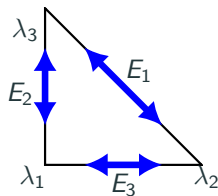
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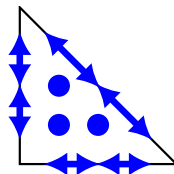
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$$H(\text{curl curl}) := \{\boldsymbol{\sigma} \in [L^2(\Omega)]_{\text{sym}}^{2 \times 2} \mid \text{curl curl } \boldsymbol{\sigma} \in H^{-1}(\Omega)\}$$

$$\text{Reg}_h^k := \{\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \in [\mathcal{P}^k(\mathcal{T}_h)]_{\text{sym}}^{d \times d} \mid \llbracket \mathbf{t}^\top \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} \mathbf{t} \rrbracket_E = 0 \text{ for all edges } E\}$$



$$\varphi_{E_i} = \nabla \lambda_j \odot \nabla \lambda_k, \quad \mathbf{t}_j^\top \varphi_{E_i} \mathbf{t}_j = c_i \delta_{ij},$$

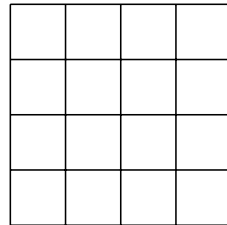


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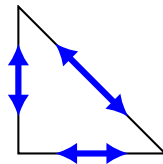
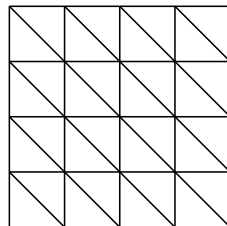
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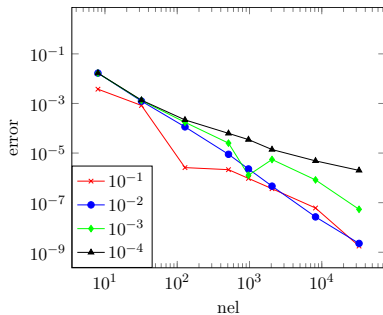
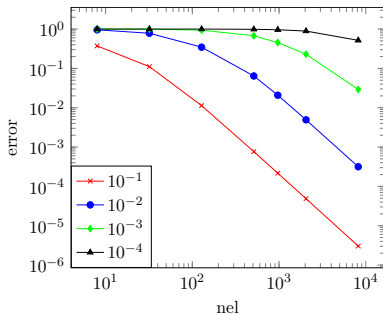
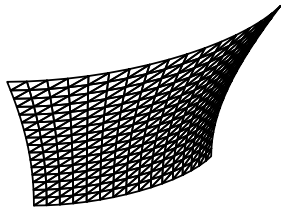
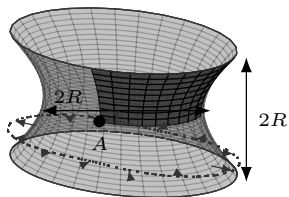
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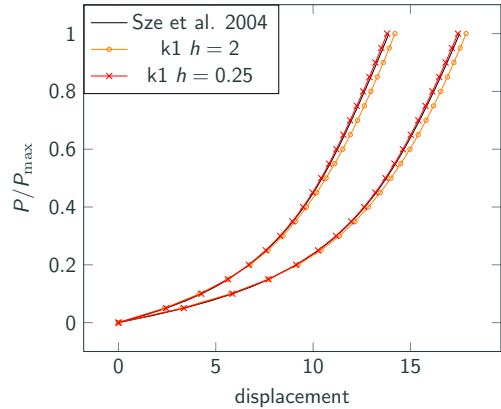
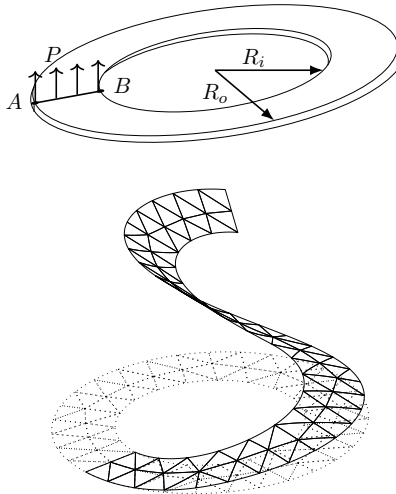
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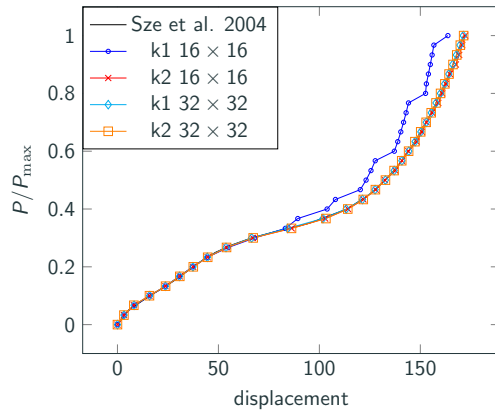
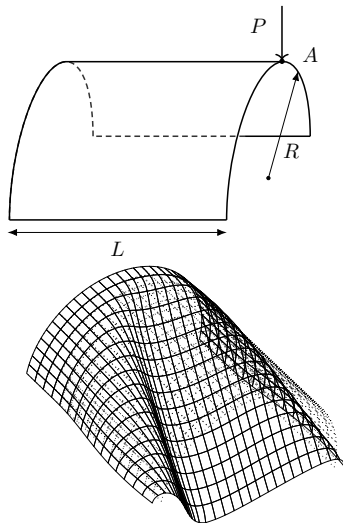
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