

## SSNV196 – Beam 3D in bending (stabilized elements HEXA8 under-integrated)

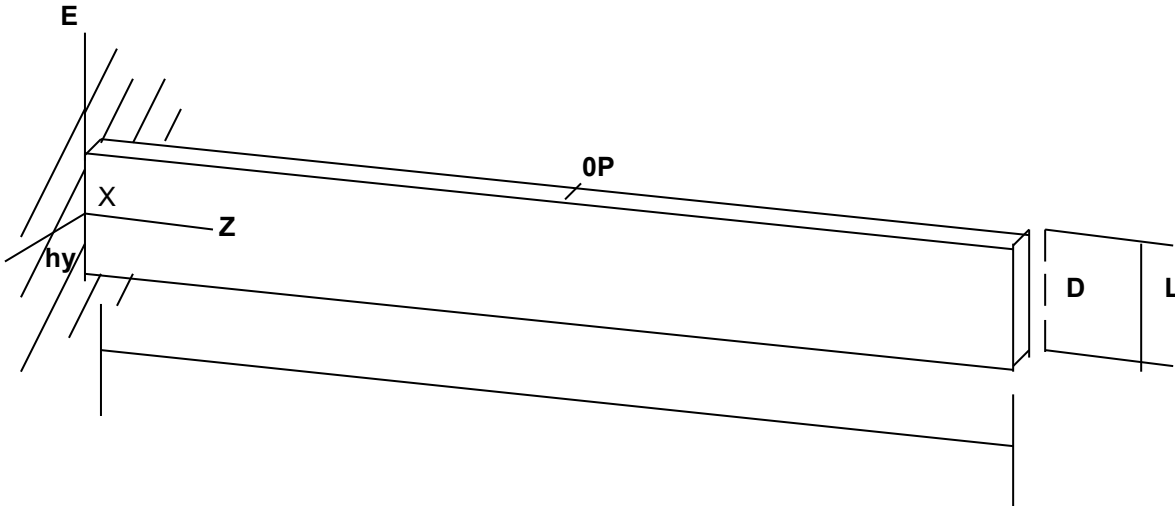
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### Summarized:

This test makes it possible to 3D compare the elements hexahedrons with 8 nodes under-integrated stabilized by method ASM into standard elements HEXA8 of Aster on a beam in pure bending in elasticity and plasticity. A third modelization in HEXA20 makes it possible to compare the results and the performances of the elements.

## 1 Problem of reference

### 1.1 Geometry



dimensions of structure are there:

Length  $L=25\text{ m}$   
Width  $D=4\text{ m}$   
Thickness  $e=1\text{ m}$

### 1.2 Properties of the material

Modulus Young:  $E=10000.\text{ Pa}$

Poisson's ratio:  $\nu=0.25$

Tangent modulus:  $E_T=1000.\text{ Pa}$

Yield stress:  $\sigma_y=200.\text{ Pa}$

### 1.3 Boundary conditions and loadings

Fixed support in the plane  $x=0$  ( $u_x = u_y = u_z = 0$ ). (face  $XO$ )

$u_z = 0$  on all the nodes to simulate a plane strain state.

Shearing stress  $\sigma_{xy}$  :  $h_y = 15(1 - \frac{1}{4}y^2)$  on the face  $x=L$ . (face  $XL$ )

## 2 Reference solution

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### 2.1 Method of calculating used for the reference solution

the deflection of reference is calculated on a very fine mesh with elements HEXA20. She is regarded as the reference solution. She corresponds to the modelization C.

### 2.2 Results of reference

Elasticity :

Not	Quantity and unit	Value
$P$	Mark with arrows $u_y$ ( mm )	3.72
$P$	Deflection $u_x$ ( mm )	-0.439

### 2.3

Plasticity : (model of Von Mises with isotropic hardening)

Not	Quantity and unit	Value
$P$	Mark with arrows $u_y$ ( mm )	4.548
$P$	Deflection $u_x$ ( mm )	-0.5127

### 2.4 bibliographical References

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## 3 Modelization Characteristic

### 3.1 of the Standard modelization of modelization

used: element MECA\_HEXS8 (hexahedrons with 8 stabilized under-integrated nodes) limiting  
Conditions: DDL\_IMPO =

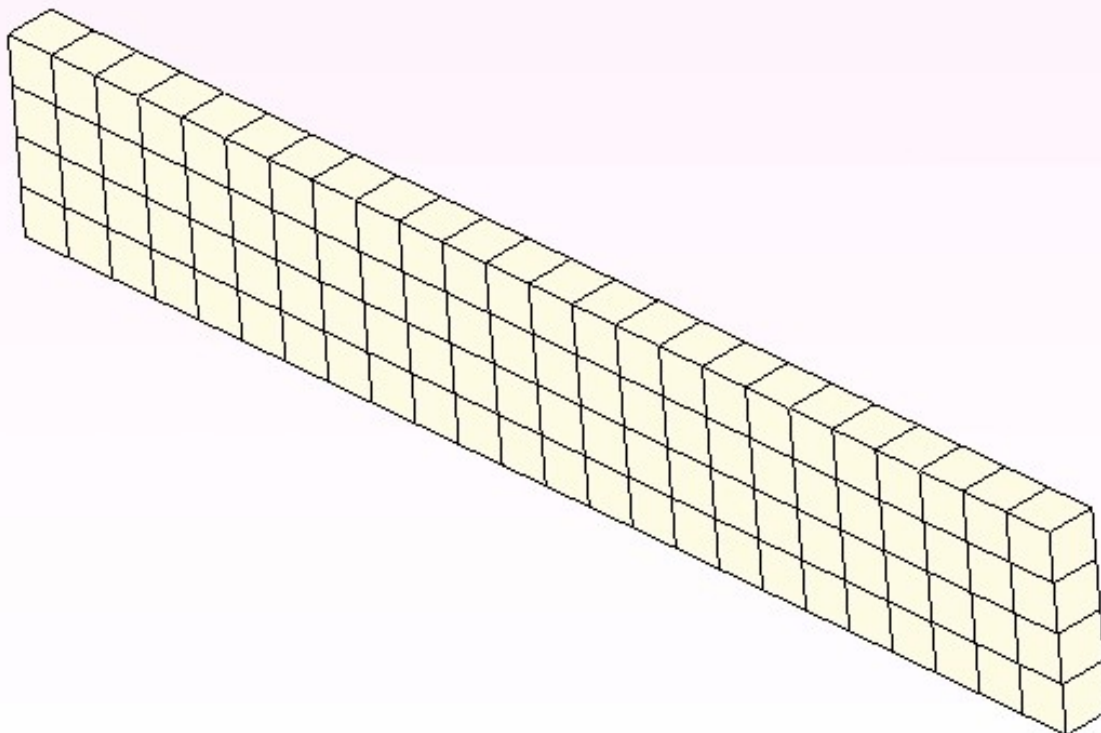
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(GROUP_NO      = `TOUT ` , DZ = 0.) FACE_IMPO =
(GROUP_MA      = `X0 ` , DX = 0. ,   DY = 0.) Shears
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on the face: FORCE\_FACE  $XL$  = (GROUP\_MA = "XL ` , FY =) Characteristic  $h_y$

### 3.2 of the mesh Many nodes

: 250 Number of meshes

and types: 96 HEXA8, 200 QUAD4 Values tested



### 3.3

### 3.4 Identification

Reference

Aster % difference

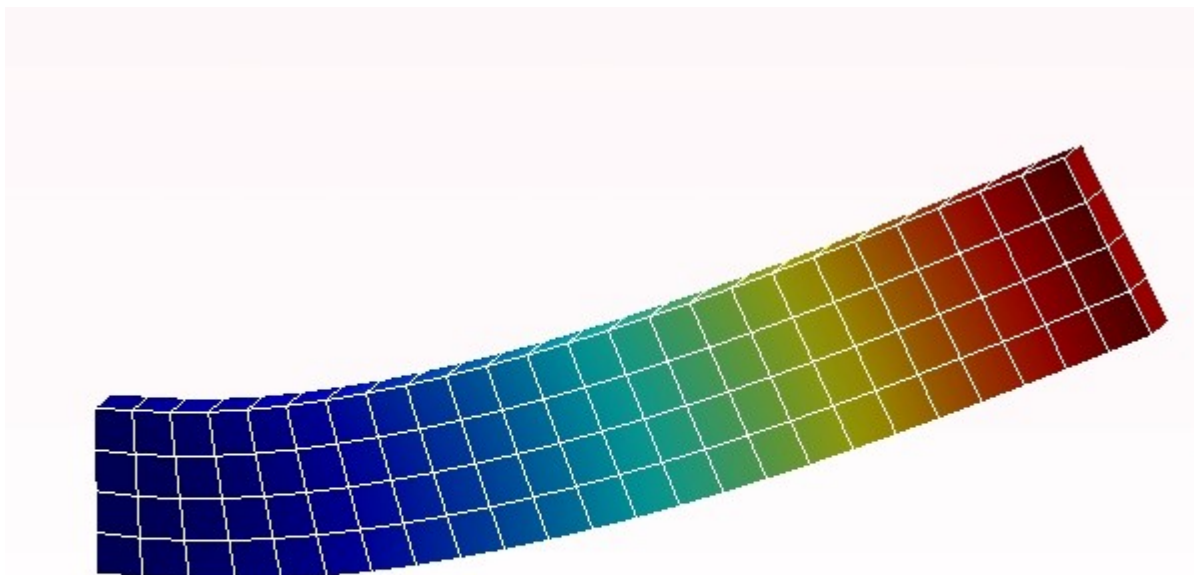
Marks with  
arrows in

elasticity The node is outside the field  
of definition with a right profile of the  
EXCLU type node: ,

component $P$ : 3.72 3.7128 $DY$	-0.193	The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node:	,
component $P$ : - 0.439 - $DX$	0.4385 0.104	Deflection	in
plasticity The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node: ,			
component $P$ : 4.547 4.6959 $DY$	3.276	The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node:	,
component $P$ : - 0.5127 - $DX$	0.5289 -3.157	Deformed shape	

## 3.5 Elastic design

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## 4 B Characteristic

### 4.1 of the Standard modelization of modelization

used: element MECA\_HEX8 (hexahedrons with 8 nodes) limiting

Conditions: DDL\_IMPO =

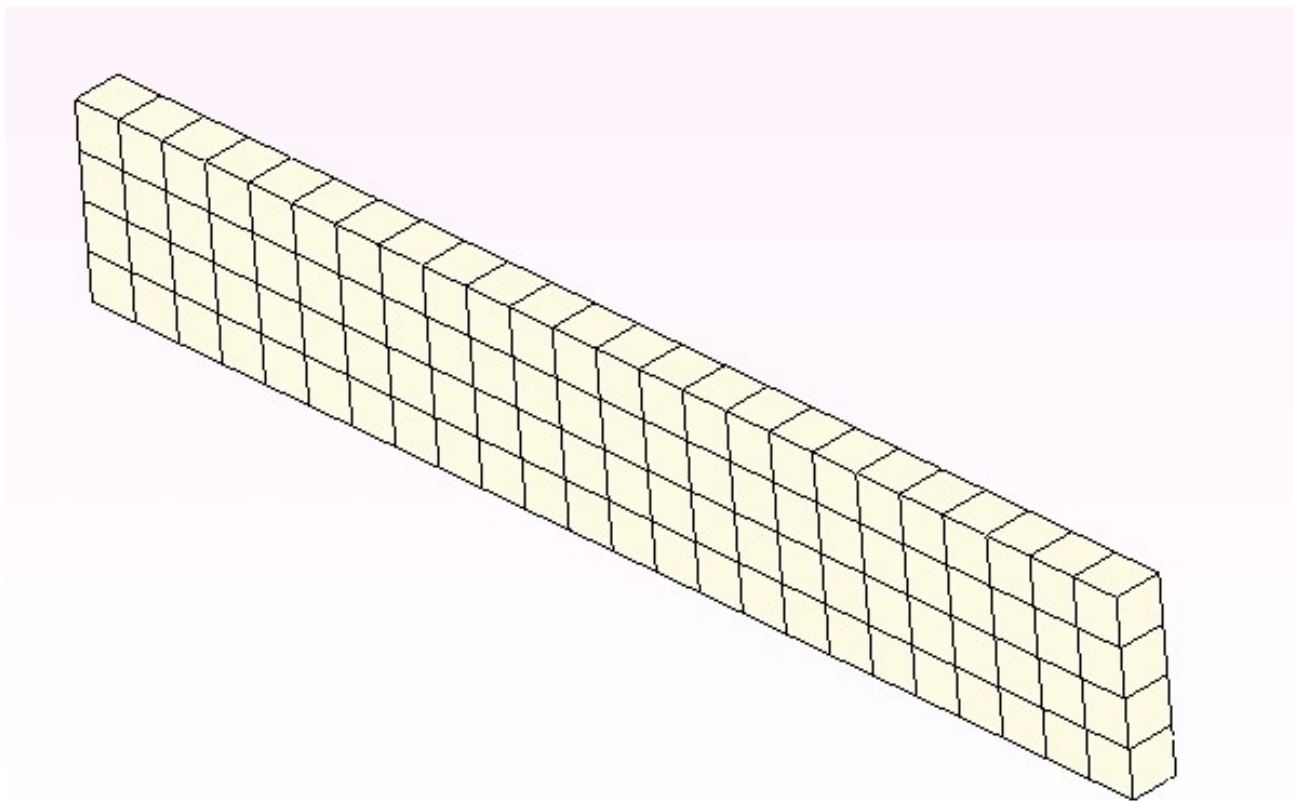
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(GROUP_NO      = "TOUT " , DZ = 0.) FACE_IMPO =
(GROUP_MA      = "X0 "  , DX = 0. ,   DY = 0.) Shears
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on the face: FORCE\_FACE XL = (GROUP\_MA = "XL `", FY =) Characteristic  $h_y$

### 4.2 of the mesh Many nodes

: 250 Number of meshes

and types: 96 HEXA8, 200 QUAD4 Values tested



### 4.3

### 4.4 Identification

Reference	Aster % difference	Marks with arrows in
elasticity The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node: ,		

component $P : 3.72 \ 3.5934 \ DY$	-3.4	The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node:	,
component $P : -0.439 - DX$	0.4243 -3.35	Deflection	in
plasticity The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node: ,			
component $P : 4.547 \ 4.0203 \ DY$	-11.58	The node is outside the field of definition with a right profile of the EXCLU type node:	,
component $P : -0.5127 - DX$	0.4621 9.875	RemarqueOn	

## 4.5 notes

qu" with the same number of meshes (and thus of nodes), the results of L" HEXA8 standard are definitely less good, in elasticity as in plasticity. Moreover, if one increases the number D" elements one N" never reaches the deflection of reference, which is the case with L" element stabilized. On a mesh

with relatively little nodes (250), L" element stabilized is more powerful in time computation (- 10%).  
Modelization

## 5 C Characteristic

### 5.1 of the Standard modelization of modelization

used: element MECA\_HEXA20 (hexahédres with 20 nodes) limiting  
Conditions: DDL\_IMPO =

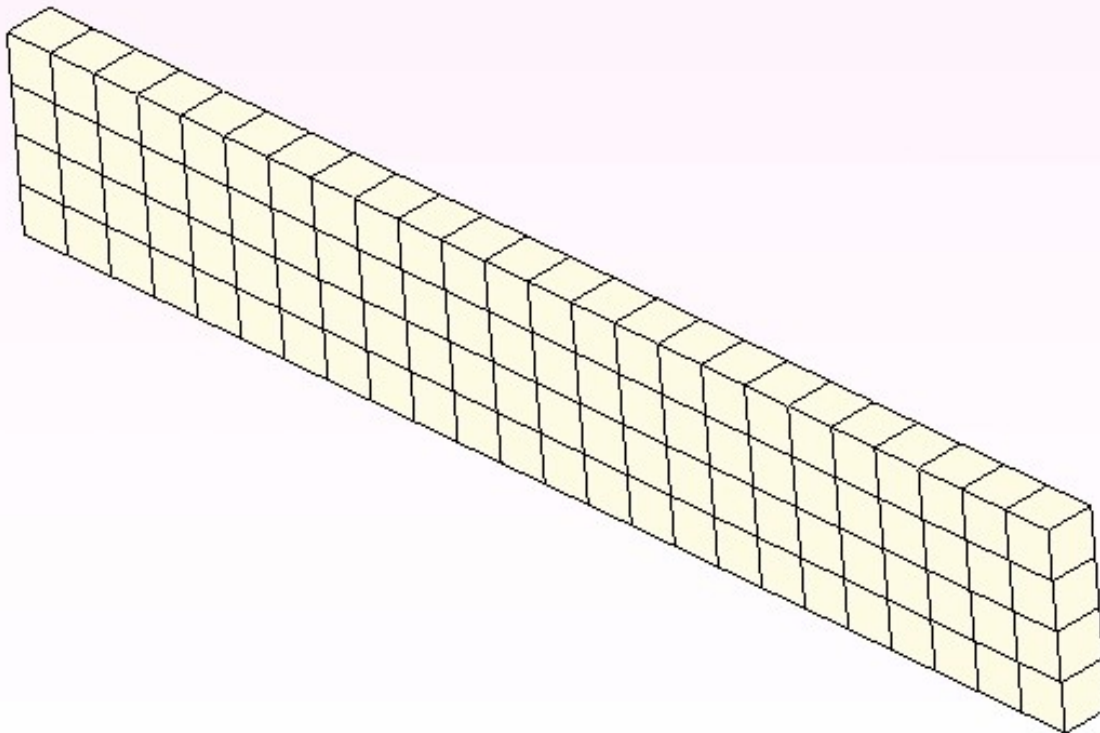
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(GROUP_NO      = `TOUT ` , DZ = 0.) FACE_IMPO =
(GROUP_MA      = "X0 " , DX = 0. ,   DY = 0.) Shears
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on the face: FORCE\_FACE  $XL$  = (GROUP\_MA = "XL ` , FY =) Characteristic  $h_y$

### 5.2 of the mesh Many nodes

: 815 Number of meshes

and types: 96 HEXA20, 200 QUAD8 Values tested



### 5.3 Identification

**Aster Marks with arrows**

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elasticity The node is outside the field  
of definition with a right profile of the  
EXCLU type node: ,

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component  $P$  : 3.72 The node is ,  
outside the field of definition with a  
right profile of the EXCLU type node:  
 $DY$

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component  $P$  : - 0.439 Deflection in  
 $DX$

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plasticity The node is outside the field  
of definition with a right profile of the  
EXCLU type node: ,

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component  $P$  : 4.547 The node is ,  
outside the field of definition with a  
right profile of the EXCLU type node:  
 $DY$

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component  $P$  : - 0.5127  
RemarqueCette  $DX$

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## 5.4 modelization

is that which is used as reference for computations with the hexahedrons to 8 nodes. Summary of

## 6 the results One notes

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on this example D" a beam in bending that blockings of L" standard element HEXA8 are raised by L" element HEXA8 under-integrated and stabilized by method ASM ("assumed strain method"). Moreover, this

element is more powerful in time computation.