



## Problem description:

Simply supported beam with internal bending moment

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- Keywords (italian): validazione, benchmark, statica, elementi finiti, fem, solutore, precisione, affidabilità, controllo qualità, travi, misura di errore

## **Editorial note:**

Picture are from program CESCOPLUS, a plane frame program by Castalia srl. CESCOPLUS uses its own solver to compute displacement and stresses. Target values are based on theoretical values, cross check values or accepted values. Where "theoretical" values are used, target values have been computed using well known formulae and/or published results, they have absolutely *not* been taken equal to those shown in pictures, which have been obtained by CESCOPLUS (since this schedule tests Sargon, the check would have otherwise been a cross check between CESCOPLUS and SARGON). Target values equalness with picture values – if shown - is thus a consequence of CESCOPLUS precision, the assessment of which is not the main goal of this schedule. CESCOPLUS results are shown to easy the careful cheking of stress state and the understanding of the test itself. Since Sargon is a 3D program its graphical conventions about constraints are not as easy to understand as those of CESCOPLUS, that's why CESCOPLUS pictures have been used to describe the problem.

## Note:

Shear area is not used, that is shear energy neglected. Dxi and Dzi are the offsets from lower Z alignment leftmost available node.



TEST SCHEDULE CASTALIA_STATU26		
SOLVING	BEAM PROBLEM	SOL.SAR.STAT026
FINITE ELEMENT	SOLVER	CLEVER (SARGON ©)

GEOMETRY & CONSTRAINTS												
Full Length [r	nm]	m] Dx1 [mm]									Constraints	
3000				1000							As shown	
LOAD												
Туре			,	Value		Point of application						
NODAL MOMENT			2.0	00e+0	07	Dx1						
							-					
									-			
MATERIAL	Fe360											
f <sub>v</sub> [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	f <sub>u</sub> [N/mr	n²]	n <sup>2</sup> ] E [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ] v			V	α					
2.350e+002	3.600e+	-002	002 2.060e+005 3.			00e-001 1.200e-005						
CROSS-SECTION	CROSS-SECTION IPE200											
A [mm <sup>2</sup> ]	J	l₂[mm⁴]		J₃ [mm⁴]		$J_t$ [mm <sup>4</sup> ]		W	/ <sub>2</sub> [mm <sup>3</sup> ]		W <sub>3</sub> [mm <sup>3</sup> ]	
2.981e+003		)51e+00		1.540e+006		6.254e+004		2.0	)51e+005	3	8.081e+004	
W <sub>pl2</sub> [mm <sup>3</sup> ]	W	<sub>pl3</sub> [mm <sup>3</sup> ]		i <sub>2</sub> [mm]		i₃ [mm]		i	t[mm]			
2.597e+005	4.7	776e+00	4	4 8.296e+0		2.2	2.273e+001		387e+001			
OTHER DATA												

TARGET VALUES

**COMPUTED VALUES** 

Description	T <sub>v</sub>	Т <sub>vK</sub>	C <sub>v</sub>	$(C_v - T_v)$	$100 \frac{T_v - C_v}{C_v}$
Shear T3, J extreme. Beam # 1. Load case # 1	6.6667e+003	Th	6.6667e+003	-3.3332e-007	-0.0000
Shear T3, J extreme. Beam # 2. Load case # 1	6.6667e+003	Th	6.6667e+003	-3.3334e-007	-0.0000
Bending M2, J extreme. Beam # 1. Load case # 1	6.6667e+006	Th	6.6667e+006	-3.3332e-004	-0.0000
Bending M2, I extreme. Beam # 2. Load case # 1	1.3333e+007	Th	1.3333e+007	3.3333e-003	0.0000

vs

Cv	computed value	
Tv	target value	
ΤvK		(theoretical, cross check, accepted).
	Th	theoretical value
	Cr	cross check value (theoretical target value is not known, results obtained with a different program are used as target values).
	Ac	accepted value (a value which, on the basis of some argument, can be considered acceptable).
100(Tv – Cv) / Cv	relative error per	centage
Computational not	26.	

Computational notes:

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