## Chapter 6 Matrix methods



FIGURE 6.1 Determination of Stiffness Matrix for a Single Spring



FIGURE 6.2 Stiffness Matrix for a Two-Spring System



FIGURE 6.3 Local and Global Coordinate Systems for a Member of a Plane Pin-Jointed Framework



FIGURE 6.4 Pin-Jointed Framework of Example 6.1



FIGURE 6.5 Local and Global Coordinate Systems for a Member in a Pin-Jointed Space Frame



FIGURE 6.6 Forces and Moments on a Beam–Element



FIGURE 6.7 Idealization of a Beam into Beam–Elements



FIGURE 6.8 Idealization of a Beam Supporting a Uniformly Distributed Load



FIGURE 6.9 Idealization of Beams into Beam-Elements



FIGURE 6.10 Assemblage of Two Beam–Elements



FIGURE 6.11 Beam of Example 6.2



FIGURE 6.12 Finite Element Idealization of a Flat Plate with a Central Hole



FIGURE 6.13 Triangular Element for Plane Elasticity Problems



FIGURE 6.14 Quadrilateral element Subjected to Nodal In-Plane Forces and Displacements



FIGURE 6.15 Tetrahedron and rectangular Prism Finite Elements for Three-Dimensional Problems









FIGURE P.6.4









FIGURE P.6.14