

On direct elimination of constraints in KKT systems

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 - full rank constraint linear system
- two approaches for solution
 - direct elimination
 - null space projection
- types of constraints and spy plots
 - Dirichlet conditions
 - adaptive conditions
 - rigid body conditions
 - large door model

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 - inertial relief
 - nice basis problem
 - re-use of permutations
 - Lagrange multipliers and residual forces
 - rank-revealing QR factorizations
- summary

Start with a singular linear system

$$K u = f \quad (1)$$

- stiffness matrix K is $n \times n$ sparse and singular,
- displacement vector u is $n \times 1$
3 translations, 3 rotations
- force vector f is $n \times 1$
- solution u is not unique.
- $Ku = f$ comes from a nonlinear iteration and we expect there to be one equilibrium point
- we expect additional information to find a unique solution.

Add a linear system of constraints

$$C u = g \quad (2)$$

- constraint matrix C is $r \times n$ sparse, $r \leq n$
- displacement vector u is $n \times 1$
3 translations, 3 rotations
- right hand size vector g is $r \times 1$
- equation (2) is satisfied exactly.
- impose condition :
 u lies in the $n \times r$ column space of C^T
- now we bifurcate our analysis
 - direct elimination
 - null space projection

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Direct elimination (step 1)

- Form the KKT system

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{M}} & C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}^T \\ C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{M}} \\ v_{\mathcal{R}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{M}} \\ g_{\mathcal{R}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

- $K_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{M}}$ sparse, semi-positive definite, frequently its rank deficiency is six or less
- $C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}$ sparse, full rank, $|\mathcal{R}| \leq |\mathcal{M}|$
- $v_{\mathcal{R}}$, Lagrange multipliers
- indefinite linear $(n + r) \times (n + r)$ system
- with large rigid bodies, very indefinite, r can be much greater than $(n - r)$

Null space projection (step 1)

- find $n \times (n - r)$ matrix Z such that $C Z = 0$
- For example, full size LQ factorization

$$C = [L \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} Q^T \\ Z^T \end{bmatrix} \quad (4)$$

- L is $r \times r$, Q is $n \times r$, Z is $n \times (n - r)$
- $Q^T Q = I$, $Z^T Z = I$, and $Q^T Z = 0$
- write displacements u as $u = Q \alpha_{\mathcal{D}} + Z \alpha_{\mathcal{I}}$

Null space projection (step 2)

- constraint equation

$$\begin{aligned}Cu = g &\implies C(Q \alpha_{\mathcal{D}} + Z \alpha_{\mathcal{I}}) = g \\ &\implies CQ \alpha_{\mathcal{D}} = g \text{ since } CZ = 0 \\ &\implies LQ^T Q \alpha_{\mathcal{D}} = g \implies \alpha_{\mathcal{D}} = L^{-1}g \quad (5)\end{aligned}$$

- write displacements u as $u = Z\alpha_{\mathcal{I}} + QL^{-1}g$

- insert into stiffness equation

$$Ku = K(Z\alpha_{\mathcal{I}} + QL^{-1}g) = f$$

- modify right hand side

$$KZ \alpha_{\mathcal{I}} = f + \Delta f = f - KQL^{-1}g$$

Null space projection (step 3)

- impose Galerkin condition

$$\begin{aligned} Z^T K Z \alpha_{\mathcal{I}} &= Z^T (f - K Q L^{-1} g) \\ &= \left(Z^T f \right) - \left(Z^T K Q \right) \left(L^{-1} g \right) \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

- $(n - r) \times (n - r)$ matrix $Z^T K Z$ is positive definite

Direct elimination (step 2)

- analyze constraint matrix $C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}$

$$C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}} u_{\mathcal{M}} = g_{\mathcal{R}} \quad (7)$$

- find permutation matrices $P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}}$ and $P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}}$

$$\begin{aligned} C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{N}} u_{\mathcal{N}} &= (P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}} C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}} P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}}) (P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}}^T u_{\mathcal{M}}) \\ &= P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}} g_{\mathcal{R}} = g_{\mathcal{S}} \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

- find block structure, $C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}$ nonsingular $r \times r$

$$[C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}} \quad C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}] \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ u_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = g_{\mathcal{S}} \quad (9)$$

this is the “nice basis problem”

Direct elimination (step 3)

- compute inverse $C_{D,S}$, where $C_{D,S} C_{S,D} = I_{D,D}$
- premultiply with $C_{D,S}$

$$C_{D,S} [C_{S,I} \ C_{S,D}] \begin{bmatrix} u_I \\ u_D \end{bmatrix} = C_{D,S} g_S$$

- simpler constraint system

$$[C_{D,I} \ I_{D,D}] \begin{bmatrix} u_I \\ u_D \end{bmatrix} = g_D \quad (10)$$

- simpler KKT system

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{I,I} & K_{I,D} & C_{D,I}^T \\ K_{D,I} & K_{D,D} & I_{D,D} \\ C_{D,I} & I_{D,D} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_I \\ u_D \\ v_D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_I \\ f_D \\ g_D \end{bmatrix} \quad (11)$$

Direct elimination (step 4)

- reduced linear system

$$\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} u_{\mathcal{I}} = \hat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} \quad (12)$$

- Eliminate trailing block rows and columns

$$\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} = K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} - \begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \\ C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} = f_{\mathcal{I}} - \begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{D}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Block inverse

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & (-K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Direct elimination (step 5)

- should not be a surprise, since

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ 0 & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & -K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ 0 & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 \\ -K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}$$

- reduced linear system $\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} u_{\mathcal{I}} = \hat{f}_{\mathcal{I}}$

$$\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} = K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} + \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} & C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ -I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \\ C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} = f_{\mathcal{I}} + \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} & C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ -I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{D}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}$$

Null space projection (step 4)

- If we start with the simpler constraints

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ u_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = g_{\mathcal{D}} \quad (13)$$

and permuted and blocked stiffness equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ u_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{I}} \\ f_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (14)$$

- orthogonal, not orthonormal subspaces

$$Q_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{D}} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix}, \quad Z_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{I}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix},$$

$$Q_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{D}}^T Z_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{I}} = 0, \quad Q_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{D}}^T Q_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{D}} \neq I, \quad Z_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{I}}^T Z_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{I}} \neq I$$

Null space projection (step 5)

- split solution

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ u_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = Z_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{I}} u_{\mathcal{I}} + \begin{bmatrix} 0_{\mathcal{I}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} + \begin{bmatrix} 0_{\mathcal{I}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (15)$$

- insert into stiffness equation $Ku = f$

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} + \begin{bmatrix} 0_{\mathcal{I}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{I}} \\ f_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (16)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{I}} \\ f_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} g_{\mathcal{D}} \quad (17)$$

Null space projection (step 6)

- impose Galerkin condition, solve

$$\widehat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} u_{\mathcal{I}} = \widehat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} \quad (18)$$

where

$$\widehat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (19)$$

and

$$\widehat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}^T \left(\begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{I}} \\ f_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} g_{\mathcal{D}} \right) \quad (20)$$

Equivalent reduced linear systems

- from direct elimination

$$\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} = K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} + \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} & C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ -I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \\ C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}$$
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- from null space projection

$$\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\hat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ -C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}^T \left(\begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{I}} \\ f_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} g_{\mathcal{D}} \right)$$

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Dirichlet conditions

- $u_{\mathcal{D}} = u_{\mathcal{D}}^0$, dependent dof given values
- constraint matrix

$$C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{N}} = [C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}} \ C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}] = [0_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}} \ I_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}] \quad (21)$$

$$C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{N}} = [C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}}] = [0_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}}] \quad (22)$$

- reduced system

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} &= K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} \\ \widehat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} &= f_{\mathcal{I}} - K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} u_{\mathcal{D}}^0 \end{aligned}$$

Adaptive conditions

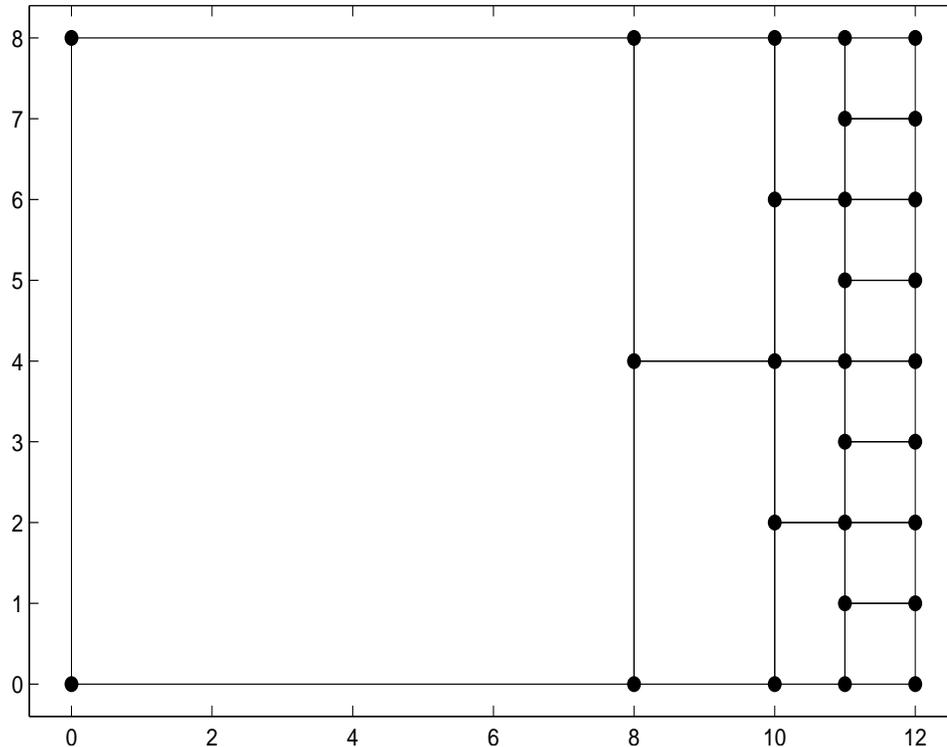
- $u_i = \alpha * u_j + \beta * u_k$
- linear interpolation between two nodes
- constraint matrix

$$C_{S,\mathcal{N}} = [C_{S,\mathcal{I}} \ C_{S,\mathcal{D}}] = [C_{S,\mathcal{I}} \ I_{S,\mathcal{D}}] \quad (23)$$

$$C_{D,\mathcal{N}} = [C_{D,\mathcal{I}} \ I_{D,\mathcal{D}}] \quad (24)$$

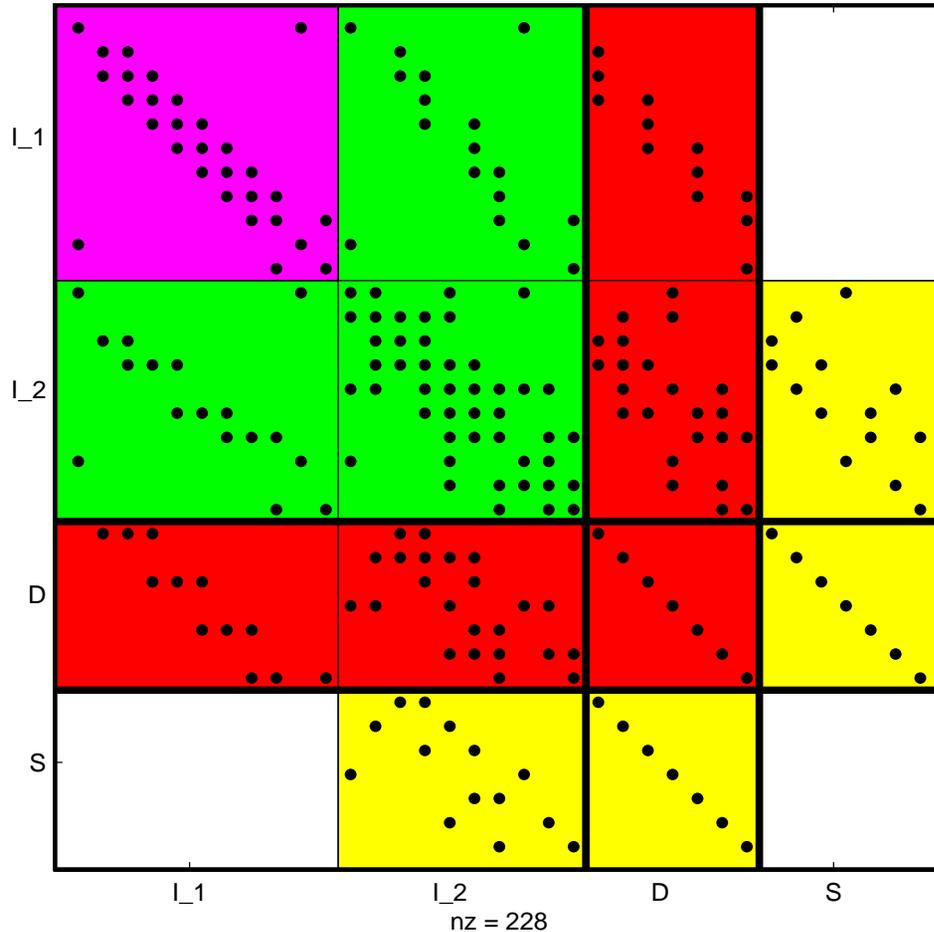
- idea extends to tied contact,
slave node linear combination of 3-4 nodes

Adaptive conditions : mesh



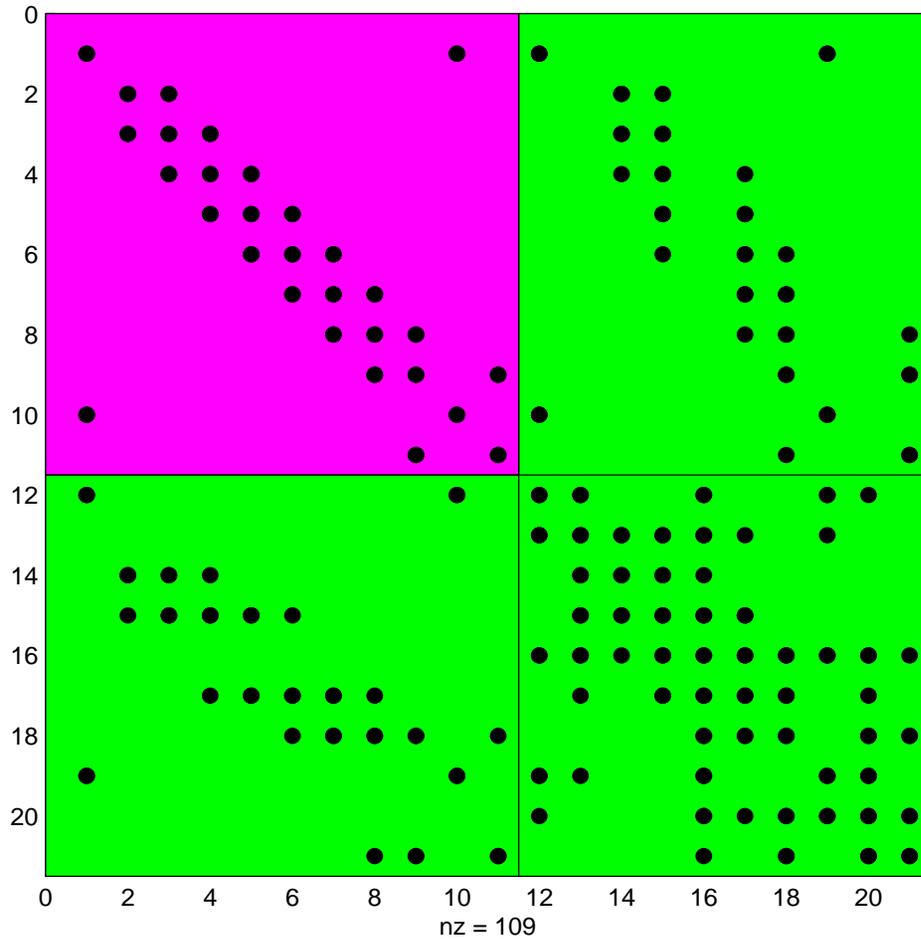
$$\mathbf{u}_i = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{u}_j + \mathbf{u}_k)$$

Adaptive conditions : KKT system



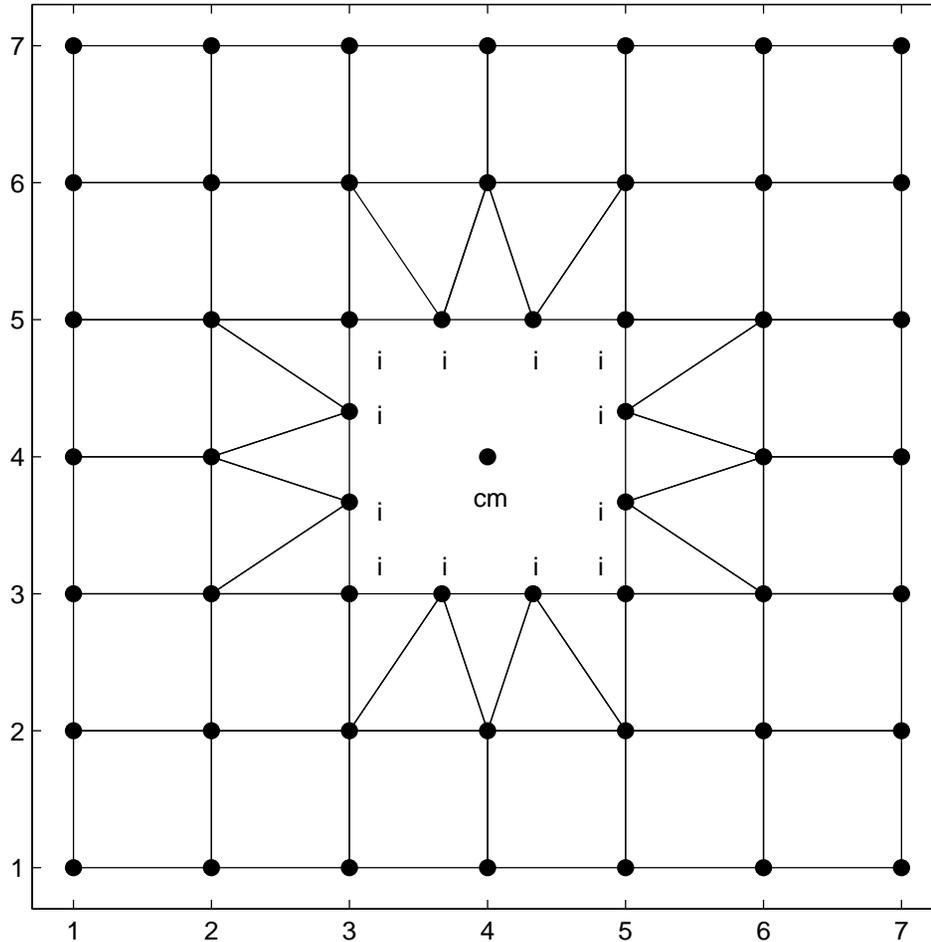
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- red – stiffness matrix not modified
- yellow – constraint matrix

Adaptive conditions : Reduced system



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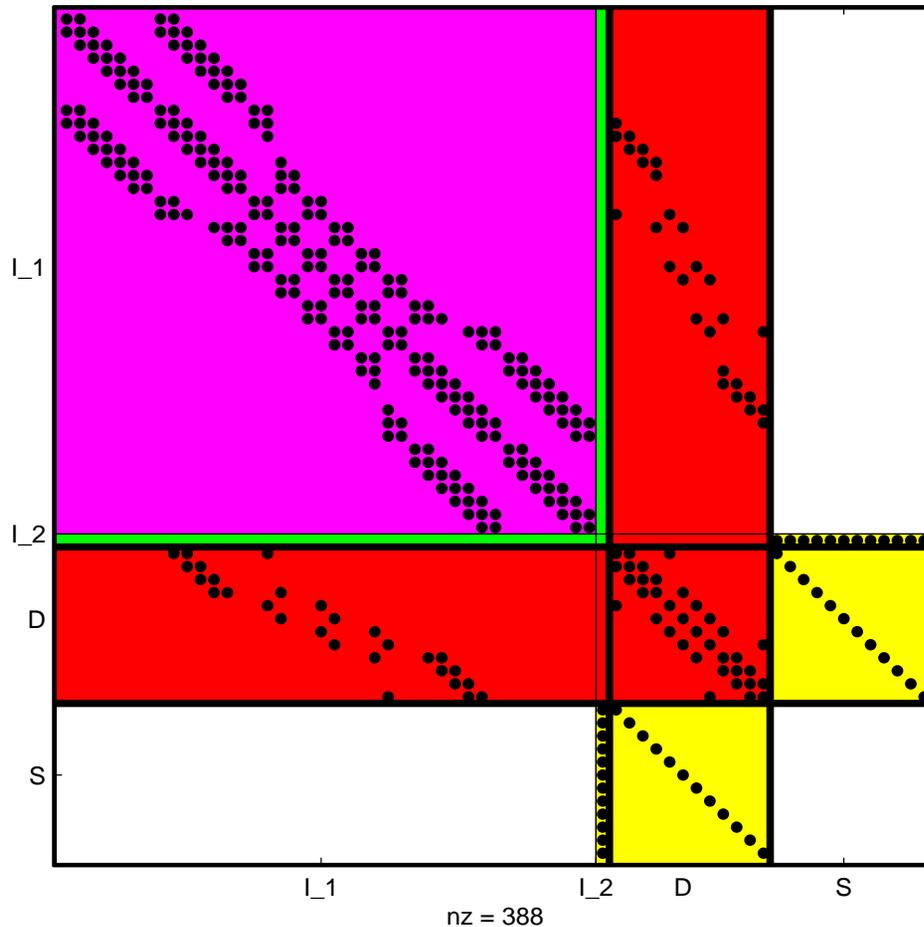
Rigid body conditions : mesh



$$\mathbf{u}_i = T_{i,\text{cm}} \mathbf{u}_{\text{cm}}$$

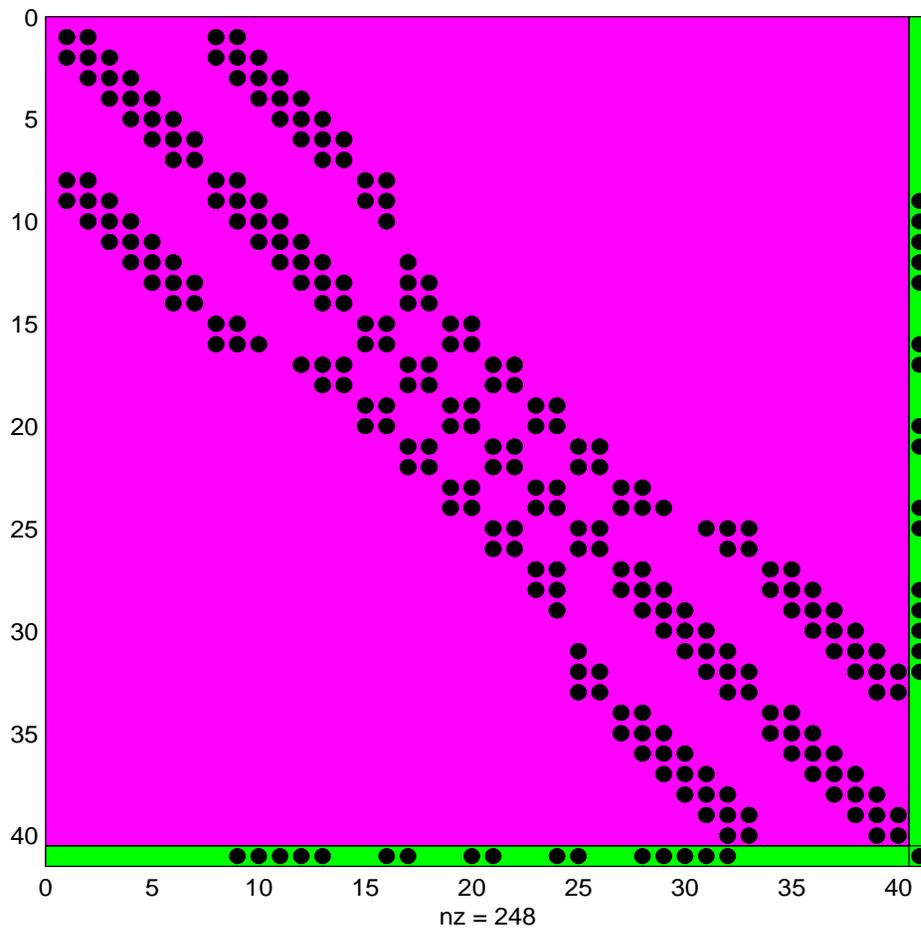
$$T_{i,\text{cm}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & * & * \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & * & 0 & * \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & * & * & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rigid body conditions : KKT system



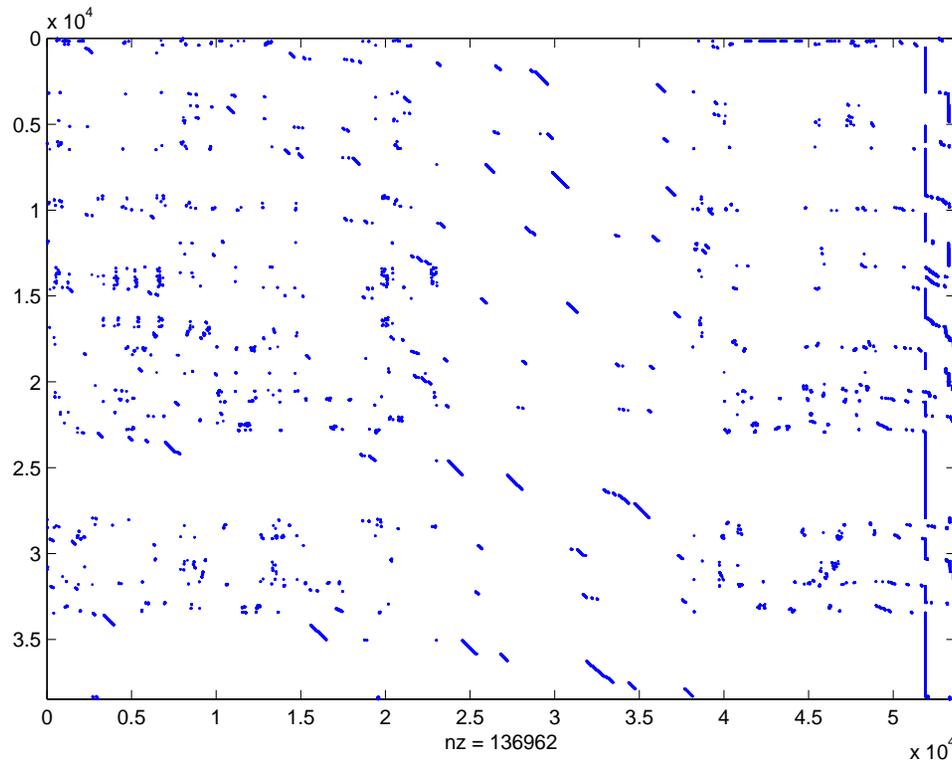
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Rigid body conditions : Reduced system



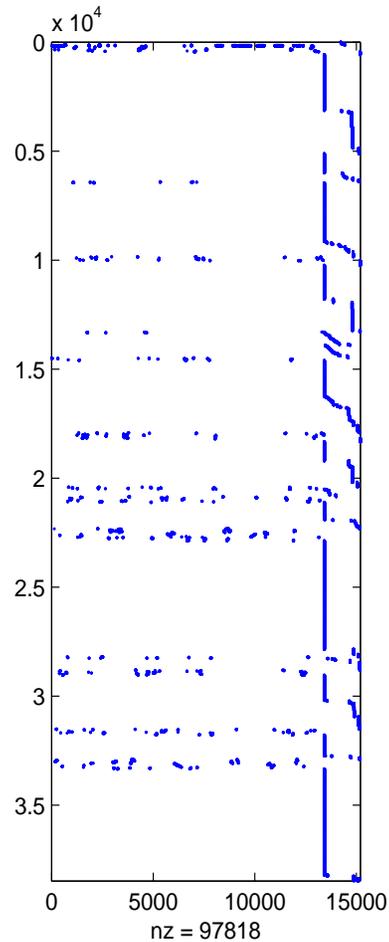
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Door model, 1,288,044 dof, 38,478 constraints

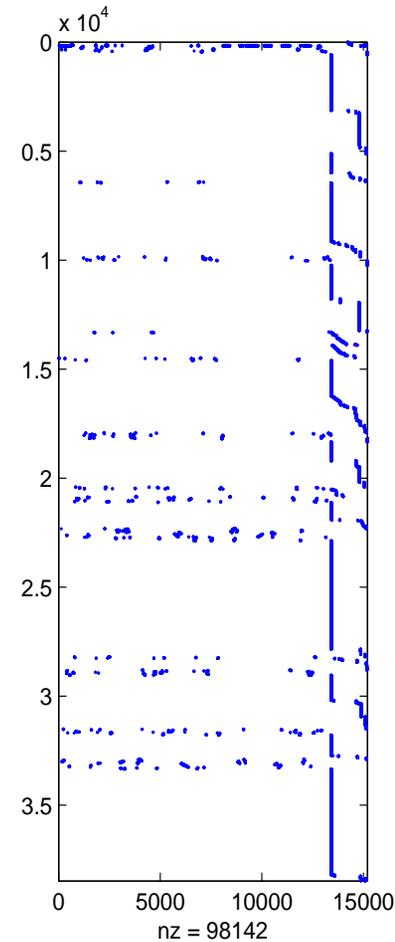


- constraints distributed across 16 processors
- C has 38,478 rows and 53,673 nonzero columns
- 2,916 tied contact
- 5 interpolation constraints
- 297 rigid bodies, 35,532 rows

Door model, 1,288,044 dof, 38,478 constraints



- $|C_{S,D}| = 39144$,
almost diagonal
- $|C_{D,S}| = 39144$,
no-fill inverse
- $|C_{S,I}| = 97818$,
(on left)
- $|C_{D,I}| = 98142$,
(on right)



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When is direct elimination a bad idea?

- When $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}$ is dense, or has one or more dense rows, then $\hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}}$ is dense
- Expand $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} = C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}} C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}}$
 - we want $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}}$ to be sparse
 - only possible when $C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}$ has many components, i.e., diagonal or block diagonal
 - $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}}$ has a good block triangular form with small diagonal blocks
 - also want $C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}}$ to be sparse
- Interesting ordering problem, much different from ordering stiffness matrix K

Example : Inertial relief, $C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{I}}$ and $C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{D}}$ dense

- rows and columns : eliminate \mathcal{D} , keep \mathcal{E}

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{D}} & C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T & C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{I}}^T \\ K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{D}}^T \\ C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 & 0 \\ C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{I}} & C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{D}} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ u_{\mathcal{D}} \\ v_{\mathcal{D}} \\ v_{\mathcal{E}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{I}} \\ f_{\mathcal{D}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \\ g_{\mathcal{E}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (25)$$

- reduce to then solve for $u_{\mathcal{I}}$ and $v_{\mathcal{E}}$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{K}_{\mathcal{I},\mathcal{I}} & \hat{C}_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{I}}^T \\ \hat{C}_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{I}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ v_{\mathcal{E}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{f}_{\mathcal{I}} \\ \hat{g}_{\mathcal{E}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (26)$$

- recover $u_{\mathcal{D}}$ and $v_{\mathcal{D}}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{D}} \\ v_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{\mathcal{D}} \\ g_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & C_{\mathcal{E},\mathcal{D}}^T \\ C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ v_{\mathcal{E}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (27)$$

Nice basis problem $C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}u_{\mathcal{M}} = g_{\mathcal{R}}$

• Given $r \times n$ matrix $C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}$ find

– permutations $P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}}$ and $P_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{M}}$

$$\left(P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}} C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}} P_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{M}}^T \right) (P_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{M}} u_{\mathcal{M}}) = (P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}} g_{\mathcal{R}}) \quad (28)$$

$$C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{N}} u_{\mathcal{N}} = g_{\mathcal{S}} \quad (29)$$

– find independent \mathcal{I} and dependent \mathcal{D} dof

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}} & C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{I}} \\ u_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} = g_{\mathcal{S}} \quad (30)$$

with $C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}$ square, nonsingular

– inverse $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}} = C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}^{-1}$ is sparse, well conditioned

Nice basis problem $C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}u_{\mathcal{M}} = g_{\mathcal{R}}$

- purely structural based permutations have created singular $C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}$ matrices.
- use structural and numeric phases to compute the permutations

$$P_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{R}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{S}_1,\mathcal{R}_1} & \\ & P_{\mathcal{S}_2,\mathcal{R}_2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{\mathcal{S}_1,\mathcal{R}_1} & \\ & I_{\mathcal{S}_2,\mathcal{R}_2} \end{bmatrix} \quad (31)$$

$$P_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{M}} = \begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{N}_1,\mathcal{M}_1} & \\ & P_{\mathcal{N}_2,\mathcal{M}_2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{\mathcal{N}_1,\mathcal{M}_1} & \\ & I_{\mathcal{N}_2,\mathcal{M}_2} \end{bmatrix} \quad (32)$$

no MPP implementation (not needed yet)

- structural phase needs a tolerance to bound $\max |C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}}|$

Re-using the permutations

- The operation

$$\text{minimize } \|f - Ku\|_2 \text{ subject to } Cu = g$$

is done inside a nonlinear iteration

- we can reuse the permutations for several steps
- monitor $\max |C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}}| / \max |C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}|$
- monitor $\max |C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}| / \max |C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{I}}|$
- as the constraint matrix C becomes stale, $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{S}}$ and $C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}$ can become ill-conditioned since the ordering may not be suited for the entries

Lagrange multipliers

More than just a mathematical construct.

- residual forces : $r = f - Ku = C^T v$
- Lagrange multipliers are residual forces at dependent dof

$$v_{\mathcal{D}} = r_{\mathcal{D}} = f_{\mathcal{D}} - K_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{N}} u_{\mathcal{N}} \quad (33)$$

- residual forces at \mathcal{N} :

$$r_{\mathcal{N}} = C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{N}}^T v_{\mathcal{D}} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T \\ I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} v_{\mathcal{D}} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}}^T v_{\mathcal{D}} \\ v_{\mathcal{D}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (34)$$

- residual forces at original ordering \mathcal{M} :

$$r_{\mathcal{M}} = P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}} r_{\mathcal{N}} = P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}} C_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{N}}^T v_{\mathcal{D}} \quad (35)$$

Relaxation of full rank constraints

- full rank property $\implies C_{\mathcal{S},\mathcal{D}}$ is nonsingular
- rank-revealing QR factorization of $C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}$

$$C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}} = Q_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{K}}R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{N}} = Q_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{K}} \begin{bmatrix} R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{D}} & R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix}$$

where $|K| = |D| \leq |R|$

$$C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}u_{\mathcal{M}} = g_{\mathcal{R}}$$

$$(C_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{M},\mathcal{N}}) (P_{\mathcal{N},\mathcal{M}}u_{\mathcal{M}}) = g_{\mathcal{R}}$$

$$Q_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{K}} \begin{bmatrix} R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{D}} & R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{D}} \\ u_{\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} = g_{\mathcal{R}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{D}} & R_{\mathcal{K},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{D}} \\ u_{\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} = g_{\mathcal{K}} = Q_{\mathcal{R},\mathcal{K}}g_{\mathcal{R}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{D}} & R_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{\mathcal{D}} \\ u_{\mathcal{I}} \end{bmatrix} = g_{\mathcal{D}} = R_{\mathcal{D},\mathcal{K}}g_{\mathcal{K}}$$

Why $RRQR$ on constraint matrix C ?

- Full rank \implies
no replicated constraint rows across processors
- Useful feature, return information to user on over-constrained system
 - presently return information about dof
 - $RRQR$ can return information about constraint rows
- New feature for engineer —
weighted constraint rows

Summary

- Basic idea : use constraints to reduce system size, often indefinite matrix \longrightarrow definite matrix
- Two approaches are equivalent
 - direct elimination
 - null space projection
- Nice basis problem
 - structural methods inadequate by themselves
 - numeric methods necessary for a robust solution
 - MPP implementation interesting research topic