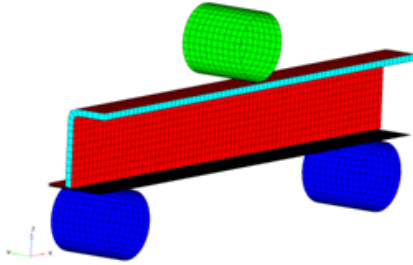


Three Point Bending with HyperMesh - RD-3595

To set up 3-point bending model with symmetric boundary conditions in Y direction.



Model Description

- UNITS: Length (mm), Time (s), Mass (ton), Force (N) and Stress (MPa)
- Simulation time: in Engine file [0 – 6.601e-002 s]
- Only one half of the model is modeled because it is symmetric.
- The supports are totally fixed. An imposed velocity of 1000 mm/s is applied on the Impactor in the (-Z) direction
- Model size = 370mm x 46.5mm x 159mm
- Honeycomb Material /MAT/LAW28: HONEYCOMB
 - $\rho = 3.0 \times 10^{-10}$ ton/mm³ [Rho_I] Initial density
 - $E_{ij} = 200$ MPa [E11], [E22] and [E33] Young's modulus
 - $G_{ij} = 150$ MPa [G11], [G22] and [G33] Shear modulus
- Elasto-Plastic Material /MAT/LAW36: Inner, Outer and Flat
 - $\rho = 7.85 \times 10^{-9}$ ton/mm³ [Rho_I] Initial density
 - $E = 210000$ MPa [E] Young's modulus
 - $\nu = 0.29$ [nu] Poisson's ratio
 - Strain Curve:

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
STRAIN	0	0.012002	0.014003	0.018003	0.022002	0.026003	0.030006	0.032	0.033005	0.033523
STRESS	325	335.968	343783	349.245	358.649	372.309	383.925	388.109	389.292	389.506

- Elastic Material /MAT/PLAS_JOHNS: Impactor
 - $\rho = 8 \times 10^{-9}$ ton/mm³ [Rho_I] Initial density
 - $E = 208000$ MPa [E] Young's modulus
 - $\nu = 0.29$ [nu] Poisson's ratio

Exercise

Step 1: Load the RADIOSS User Profile


1. Launch HyperMesh 10.0.
2. From the **Preferences** menu, click **User Profiles...**
3. From the pop up window, select **RADIOSS**, then choose **Block 90** from the pull-down menu.
4. Click **OK**.

Step 2: Retrieve the RADIOSS file

1. From pull-down menu, click **File**.
2. Click **import...**

3. Click **File**, navigate to the correct directory, and select BENDING_0000.rad.
4. Click **Apply**.
5. Click **Close** to close the window.

Step 3: Create and Assign material and property for FOAM

1. On the **Collectors** menu, click **Edit** and select **Components** subpanel or from the toolbar click on **component** icon  and go to the **Update** page.
2. Click on **comps** and select **Foam**.
3. Make sure **card image** = is set to **Part**.
4. Click on **create mat** tab to create material.
5. For **mat name** =, enter Foam.
6. Set **type** = to **OTHER**.
7. For **card image** = select **M28_HONEYCOMB**.
8. Click **create/edit**.
9. Input the following values:

Rho_I: 3.000e-10

E11: 200.000

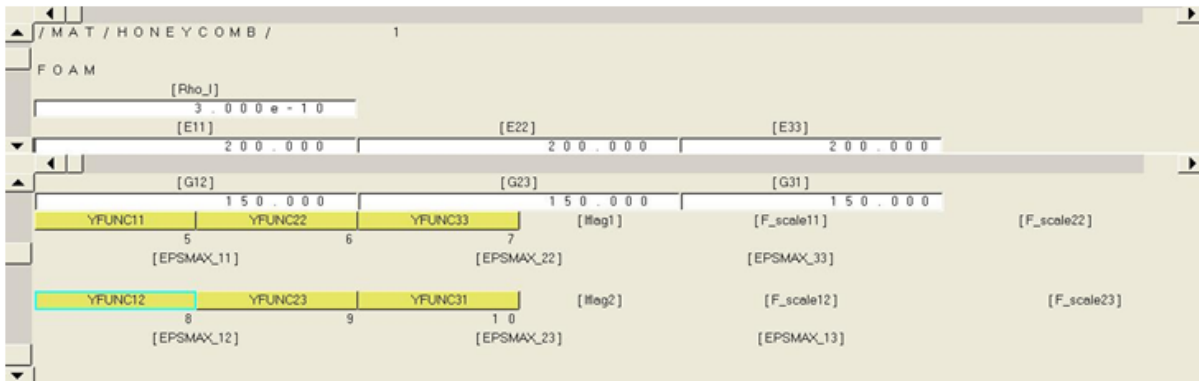
E22: 200.000

E33: 200.000

G12: 150.000

G23: 150.000

G31: 150.000



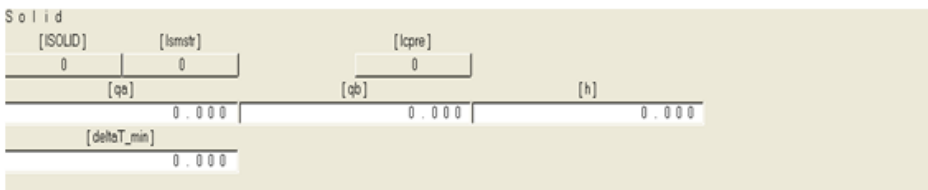
10. Click **return** to exit the panel and return to component panel.
11. Click on **create prop** tab to create property.
12. For **prop name** =, enter Foam.
13. Set **type** = to **VOLUME**.
14. Select **card image** and set to **P14_Solid**.
15. Click **create/edit**.
16. Enter the following values:

qa: 0.000

qb: 0.000


h: 0.000

deltaT_min: 0.000



17. Click **return** twice exit the panel.
18. Click **update** to update the component with created property and material.

Step 4: Create and Assign material and property for the component Inner

1. On the **Collectors** menu, click **Edit** and select **Components** subpanel or from the toolbar, click on **component** icon  and go to the **Update** page.
2. Click on **comps** and select Inner.
3. Make sure **card image** = is set to **Part**.
4. Click on **create mat** tab to create material.
5. For **mat name** =, enter Inner.
6. For **type** =, select **ELASTO-PLASTIC**.
7. For **card image** = select **M36_PLAS_TAB**.
8. Click **create/edit**.
9. Input the following values:

Rho_I: 7.85e-09

E: 210000.000

nu: 0.290

EPS_max: 0.000

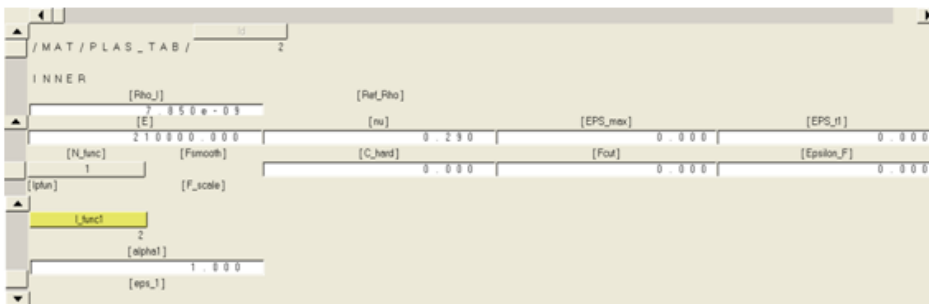
EPS_t1: 0.000

C_hard: 0.000

Fcut: 0.000

Epsilon_F: 0.000

alpha1: 1.000



The screenshot shows the material property dialog box for the component 'INNER'. The dialog is titled '/ MAT / PLAS_TAB /' and contains the following fields and values:

Field	Value
[Rho_I]	7.850 e - 09
[E]	210000.000
[nu]	0.290
[EPS_max]	0.000
[EPS_t1]	0.000
[N_tunc]	1
[Fsmooth]	0.000
[C_hard]	0.000
[Fcut]	0.000
[Epsilon_F]	0.000
[tunc]	2
[F_scale]	1.000
[alpha1]	1.000
[eps_t1]	0.000

10. Click **return** to exit the panel and return to component panel.
11. Click on **create prop** tab to create property.
12. For **prop name** =, enter Inner.
13. Set **type** = to **SURFACE**.
14. For **card image** =, select **P1_SHELL**.
15. For **thickness** =, enter 9.119e-01.
16. Click **create/edit**.
17. Enter the following values:

Hm: 0.00

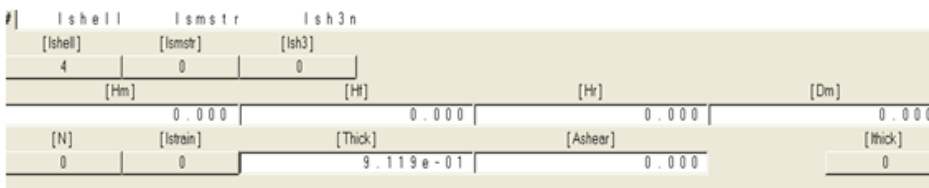
Hf: 0.00

Hr: 0.00

Dm: 0.00

Thick: 9.119e-01

Ashear: 0.000




The screenshot shows the property dialog box for the property 'P1_SHELL'. The dialog is titled '# | |' and contains the following fields and values:

Field	Value
[Ishell]	4
[Ismstr]	0
[Ish3]	0
[Hm]	0.000
[Hf]	0.000
[Hr]	0.000
[Dm]	0.000
[N]	0
[Istrain]	0
[Thick]	9.119 e - 01
[Ashear]	0.000
[Thick]	0

18. Click **return** to exit the panel.
19. Click **update** to update the component with created property and material.


Step 5: Create and Assign material and property for the components Outer

1. On the **Collectors** menu, click **Edit** and select **Components** subpanel or from the toolbar click on **component** icon  and go to the **Update** page.
2. Click on **comps** and select **Outer**.
3. Make sure **card image =** is set to **Part**.
4. Click on **create mat** tab to create material.
5. For **mat name=**, enter **Outer**.
6. For **type =**, select **ELASTO-PLASTIC**.
7. Change the **card image =** to **same as** and pick **Inner**.
8. Click **create** to create material **Outer** with same values as material Inner.
9. Click **return** to return to the component panel.
10. Click on **create prop** tab to create property.
11. For **prop name =**, enter **Outer**.
12. Set **type =** to **SURFACE**.
13. Change the **card image =** to **same as** and pick **Inner**.
14. Click **create** to create property **Outer** with same values as property Inner.
15. Click **return** to return to the component panel.
16. Click **update** to update the component with created property and material.

Step 6: Create and Assign material and property for the components Flat

Follow the procedure described in Step 5 with Outer replaced by **Flat**.

Step 7: Create and assign material and property for Impactor

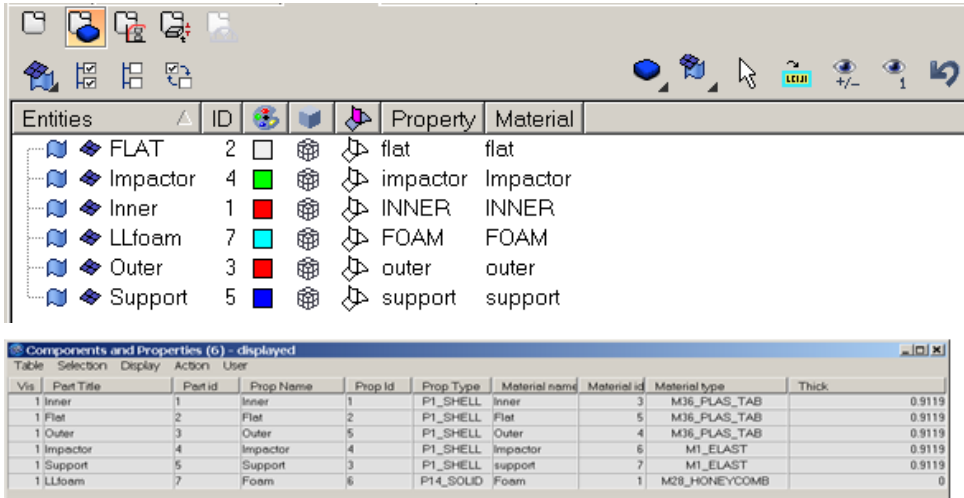
1. On the **Collectors** menu, click **Edit** and select **Components** subpanel or from the toolbar click on **component** icon  and go to the **Update** page.
2. Click on **comps** and select **Impactor**.
3. Make sure **card image =** is set to **Part**.
4. Click on **create mat** tab to create material.
5. For **mat name=**, enter **Impactor**.
6. For **type =**, select **ELASTIC**.
7. For **card image =**, select **M1_ELAST**.
8. Click **create/edit**.
9. Input the following values:
Rho_I: 8.000e-09
Ref_Rho: 0.000
E: 208000.000
nu: 0.290

IMPACTOR	
Radioss_Comment	
#	Init. dens. Ref. dens.
	[Rho_I] [Ref_Rho]
	8.000e-09 0.000
	[E] [nu]
	208000.000 0.290

10. Click **return** to return to the component menu.
11. Click on **create prop** tab to create property.
12. For **prop name =**, enter **Impactor**.
13. Set **type =** to **SURFACE**.
14. Change the **card image =** to **same as** and pick **Inner**.
15. Click **create** to create material **Outer** with same values are material Inner.
16. Click **return** to return to the component panel.
17. Click **update** to update the component with created property and material.

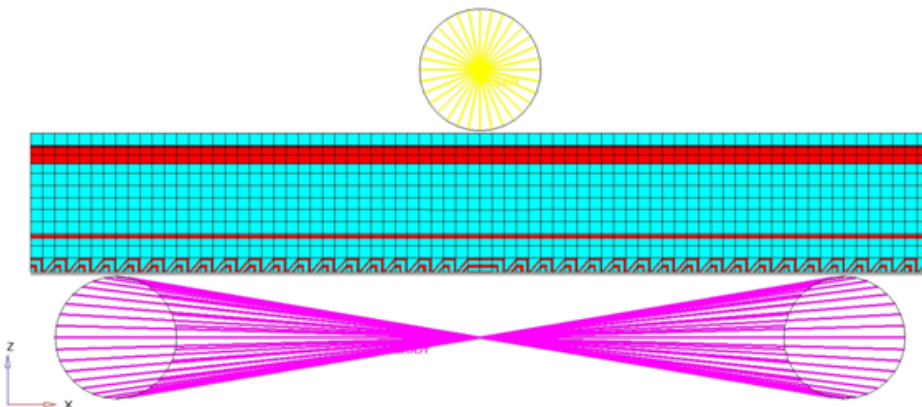
Step 8: Create and assign material and property for Support

Follow the same procedures as in Step 5. Create a copy of Impactor property and material with name **support** and assign it to component support. After completing Step 8, open the **component** view of the **model** browser or component table to check the correct assignment.



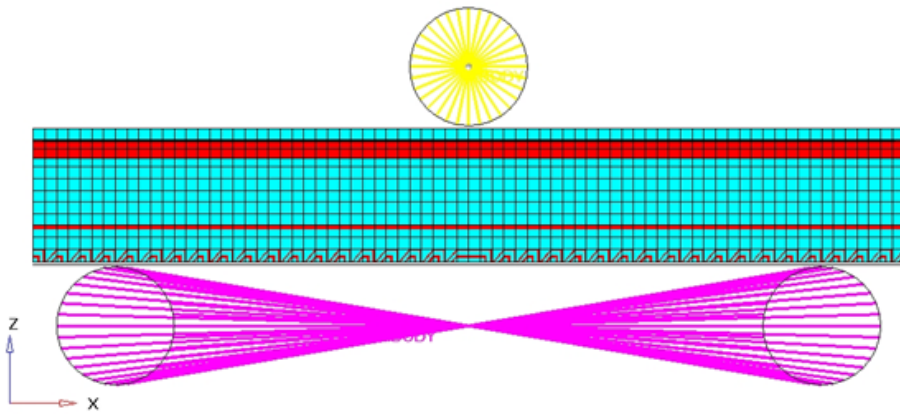
Step 9: Create a rigid body to make Impactor and Support Rigid

1. On the toolbar, click **collector panel** ().
2. Go to **create** subpanel.
3. For **name=**, enter `Impact rigid`.
4. Select any color for easy visualization.
5. Switch to **no card image**.
6. Switch to **no property**.
7. Click **create**.
8. Click **return** to exit the panel.
9. Go to **1D page**, go to the **rigids** panel.
10. Ensure that you are in the **create** sub-panel.
11. For **dependent** switch to **comps**.
12. For **primary node** switch **calculate node**.
13. Click **comps**.
14. Select **Impactor**, then click **select**.
15. Click **create**.
16. Click **return** to exit the panel.
17. Similarly, create rigid body for **Support** component in a collector with the name "support rigid" using sub-Steps 7.1 to 7.13.



Step 10: Define imposed velocity and boundary condition for the impactor

1. From the **Utility** page, start the **BC's Manager**.
2. For **Name**, enter `IMPOSED_VELOCITY`, set **Select type** to **Imposed velocity** and set the **GRNOD** to **Nodes**.
3. Click nodes and select the master node of the rigid body as shown in the following image.



4. Set the **Direction** as **Z**.
5. Set **Scale Y** to -1000.0 as the direction of velocity is opposite to the global Z axis.
6. Set the **Curve ID** to **Select curve**.
7. Select the **predefined curve** to **Func1**.
8. Click **create** to create the imposed velocity boundary condition.

Edit

Name

GRNOD

Imposed velocity components

Direction

Scale X

Scale Y

Tstart

Tstop

Curve ID

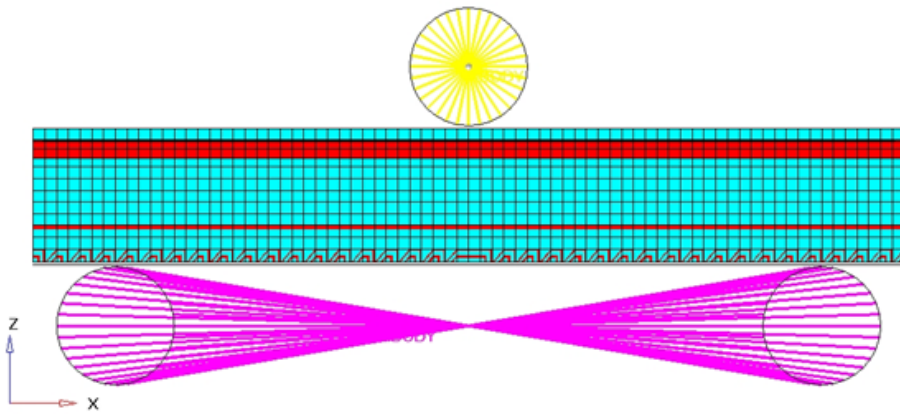
Sensor ID

Skew

9. For **Name**, enter `Impactor_constraints`, set **Select type** to **Boundary condition** and set the **GRNOD** to **Nodes**.
10. Click **nodes** and select the **master node** of the rigid body.
11. Check all the degrees of freedom to constrain, except Tz.
12. Click **create** to create the boundary condition.

Step 11: Define fixed boundary condition for the support

1. From the **Utility** page, start the **BC's Manager**.
2. For **Name**, enter `support_fixed`, set **Select type** to **Boundary condition** and set the **GRNOD** to **Nodes**.
3. Select the master node of the rigid body created on Supporter as shown in the following image.
4. Check all the degrees of freedom to constraint.
5. Click **create** to create the boundary condition.



Create

Name

Select type

GRNOD

Boundary condition components

Tx Ty Tz

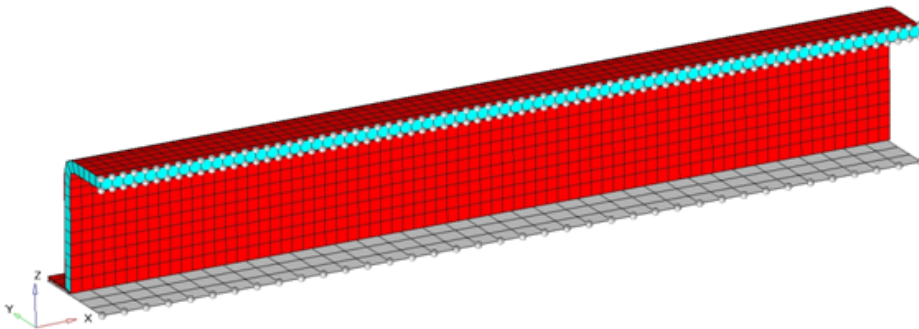
Rx Ry Rz

Skew

Label scale

Step 12: Define symmetry boundary condition for the foam, inner, outer and flat

1. From the **Utility** page, start the **BC's Manager**.
2. For **Name**, enter SYMMETRY_XZ, set **Select type** to **Boundary condition** and set the **GRNOD** to **Nodes**.
3. Select the nodes of the **foam**, **inner**, **outer** and **flat** as shown in the following image.
4. Check the degrees of translational degrees of freedom Y and rotational degrees of freedom X and Z to constraint.
5. Click **create** to create the boundary condition.



Create

Name

Select type

GRNOD

Boundary condition components

Tx Ty Tz

Rx Ry Rz

Skew

Label scale

6. Click **close** to exit the BC Manager.

Step 13: Define contacts between the beam and the support

1. Enter the *interfaces* panel or from *Tools* ► *Create cards* ► *Inter* ► *Type 7*.
2. For *name* =, enter *Support*.
3. Set *type* = to *TYPE7*.
4. Click *create*.
5. Go to the *add* sub-panel.
6. Switch *master selector* to *comps*.
7. Click the yellow *comps* button.
8. From the *list of comps*, select *Support*.
9. Click *select* ► *update*.
10. Set the *slave selector* to *comps*.
11. Click the yellow *comps* button.
12. Select the component *FLAT*.
13. Click *select* ► *update*.
14. Go to the *card image* sub-panel.
15. Click *edit*.
16. Enter the values as in the following image:

Support		[Istf]	[lgap]	[Multimp]	[lbeq]	[ldel]
gmod_id	surf_id					
8 4	8 5	0	1		0	0
[Gap_Scale]		[Gap_max]				
0 . 0 0 0		0 . 0 0 0				
[STMIN]		[STMAX]				
0 . 0 0 0		0 . 0 0 0				
[STFAC]		[FRIC]		[GAPmin]		[Tstart]
0 . 1 0 0		0 . 2 0 0		0 . 0 0 0		0 . 0 0 0
[INACTI]		[VIS_S]		[VIS_F]		
0		0		0 . 0 0 0		
[llic]	[liltr]	[Xreq]		[lform]		
0	0	0 . 0 0 0		1		

17. Click **return** twice to exit the panel.

Step 14: Define contacts between the impactor and the outer

1. From *Analysis* page ► *interfaces* panel ► *create* sub-panel.
2. For *name* =, enter *Imp_Outer*.
3. Set *type* = to *TYPE7*.
4. Click *create*.
5. Go to the *add* sub-panel.
6. For *master*, select *comps*.
7. Click the yellow *comps* button.
8. From the *list of comps*, select *Impactor*.

9. Click **select ► update**.
10. For **slave**, select **sets**.
11. Click the yellow **sets** button.
12. From the **list of comps**, select **Outer** created previously.
13. Click **select ► update**.
14. Go to the **card image** sub-panel and click **edit**.

15. Click **return** twice to exit the panel.

Step 15: Define the self contact between the beam components

1. From the **Analysis** page, enter the **interfaces** panel, **create** sub-panel.
2. For **name =**, enter **Self**.
3. Set **type =** to **TYPE7**.
4. Click **create**.
5. Go to the **add** sub-panel.
6. Set the **master selector** to **comps**.
7. Click the yellow **comps** button.
8. From the **list of comps**, select **Inner**, **Outer**, and **Flat**.
9. Click **select ► update**.
10. Set the **slave selector** to **comps**.
11. Click the yellow **comps** button.
12. From the **list of comps**, select **Inner**, **Outer**, and **Flat**.
13. Click **select ► update**.
14. Go to **card image** subpanel.
15. Click **edit**.

Enter values as shown in the following image:

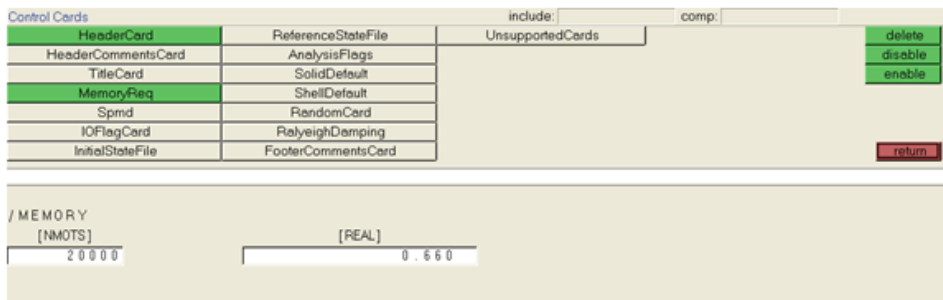
16. Click **return** twice to exit the panel.

Step 16: Create Interface time history

1. Go to **Analysis** page, then **output block** panel.
2. For **name=**, enter **IMPACTOR**.
3. Switch the **entity selector** to **groups**.
4. Click **groups** and select the interface **Imp_Outter** from the list.
5. Click **select ► create ► edit**.
6. For **VAR** field, enter **DEF**
7. Click **return** twice to exit the panel.

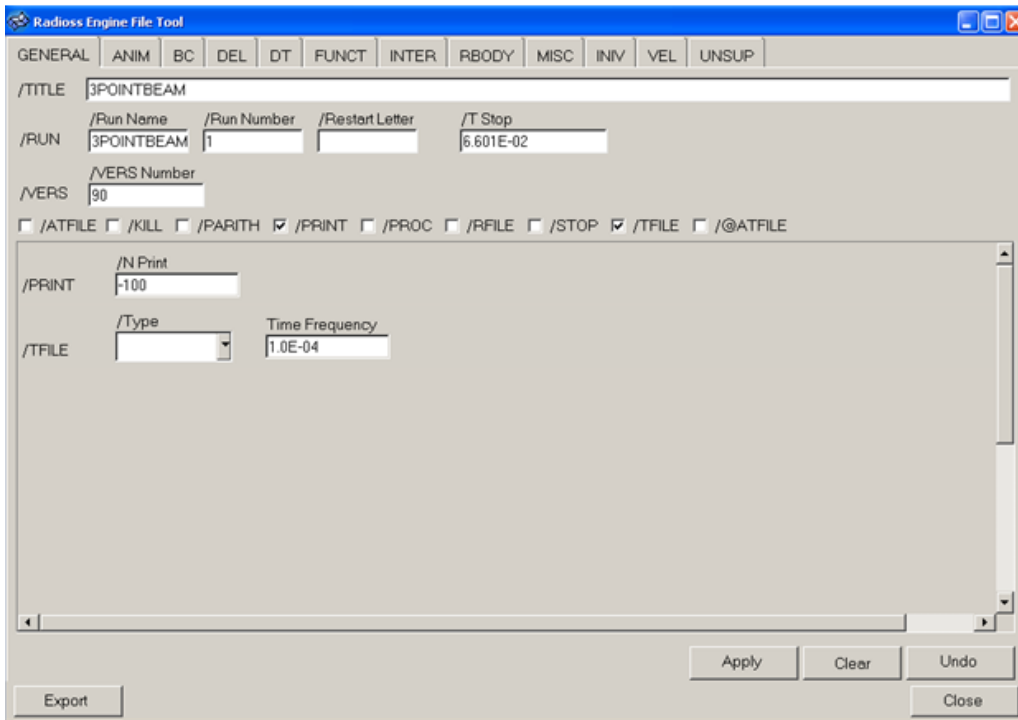
Step 17: Allocate Required Memory

1. From the *main* menu, go to the *Analysis* page ► *Control Cards* sub-panel.
2. Click *MemoryReq*.
3. Click *NMOTS* and enter 20000 as depicted in the following image.



Step 18: Create output requests on control cards

1. In the *Utility* Browser ► *RADIOSS Tools* menu page, click *Engine File*.
Enter the values as shown in each of the windows:



Radoss Engine File Tool

GENERAL ANIM BC DEL DT FUNCT INTER RBODY MISC INIV VEL UNSUP

/ANIM/Key2/Key3 Card count 2

/Keyword2	/Keyword3
ELEM	EPSPLASTIC
ELEM	VONM STRESS

/ANIM/BRICK/TENS/Key4 Card count 3

/Keyword4

/ANIM/SENSOR Card count 3

ISens	Tfreq

/ANIM/Keyword1/FORC Card count 3

/Keyword1

/ANIM/SHELL/TENS/Key3-4 Card count 3

/Keyword3	/Keyword4

/ANIM/VECT/Key3 Card count 2

/Keyword3
VEL
CONT

/ANIM/COMP /ANIM/MASS

/ANIM/GZIP /ANIM/KEEPD

/ANIM/MAT

/ANIM/NODA/

/ANIM/DT

TStart Tfreq

0 3.0E-03

Export Apply Clear Undo Close

Radoss Engine File Tool

GENERAL ANIM BC DEL DT FUNCT INTER RBODY MISC INIV VEL UNSUP

/DT

Scale Factor Minimum Time Step

0 0

/DT1/SHELL

T Scale T Minimum

/DTX

Initial TimeStep Maximum TimeStep

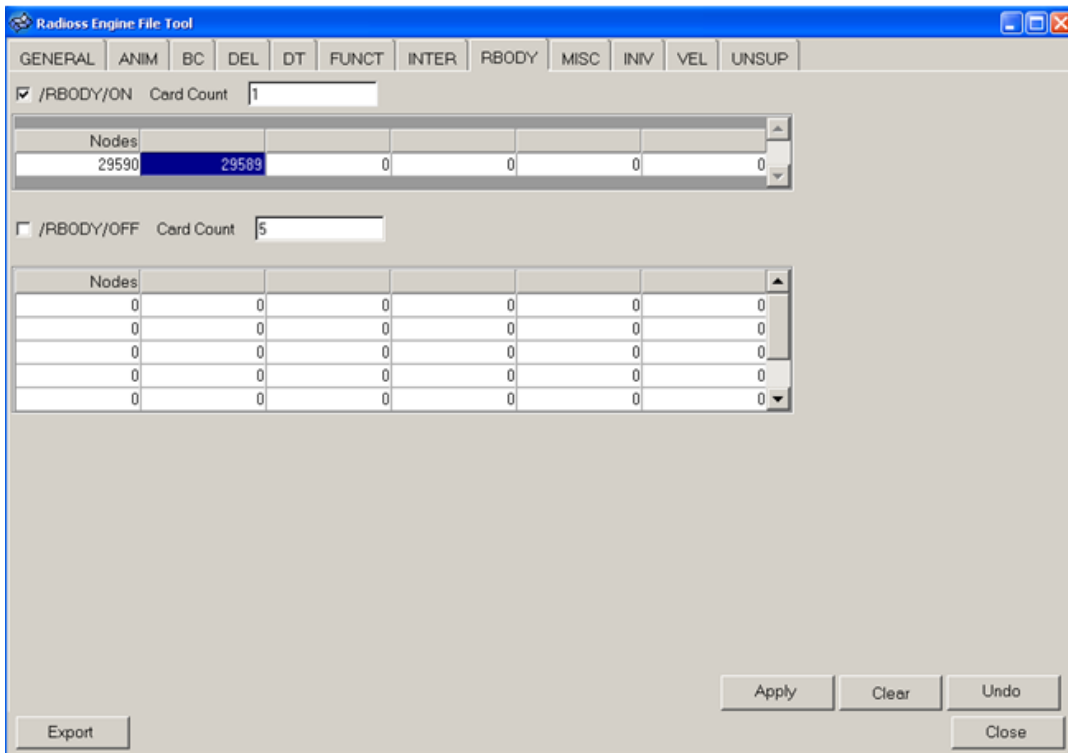
/DT/Keyword2 Card Count= 3

/Keyword2	T Scale	T Minimum	Gmod	I Flag
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0

/DT/Keyword2/Keyword3 Card Count= 2

/Keyword2	/Keyword3	T Scale	T Minimum	Gmod	I Flag
NODA	CST	0.9	0.0000007	0	0
INTER	DEL	00.9	0.00000035	0	0

Export Apply Clear Undo Close

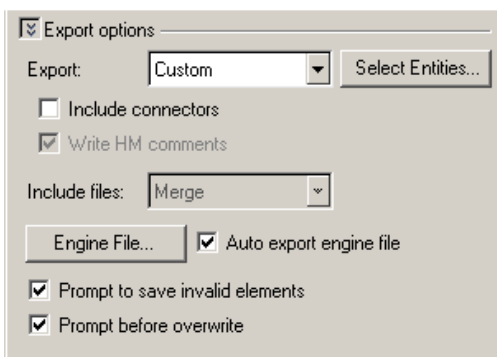


Select the master nodes of the two RBODY In the model for RBODY/ON nodes.

Note: The above values are the master node IDs of the respective RBODY of Impactor and Support. These may vary for different models.

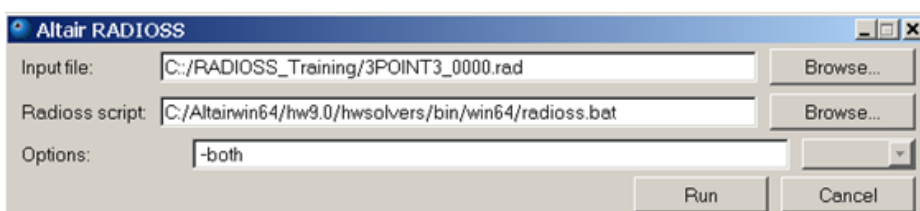
Step 19: Export the model

1. From the pull-down menu, select **File**, then **Export...**
2. In the **Export** panel, from the **Export type:** pull-down menu select **FE Model**.
3. Under **File selection**, click the folder icon to select the name of the file (**BENDING**) to export and the destination directory of your choosing.
4. In the **Export** panel, click the arrows icon next to **Export options** to expand the panel.
5. For **Export:** select **Custom**.
6. Deactivate the **Include connectors** option.
7. Activate the **Auto export engine file** option.
8. Activate the **Prompt to save invalid elements** option.
9. Activate the **Prompt before overwrite** option.



10. Click **Apply** ► **Close**.

Step 20: Open RADIOSS Manager from windows Start menu



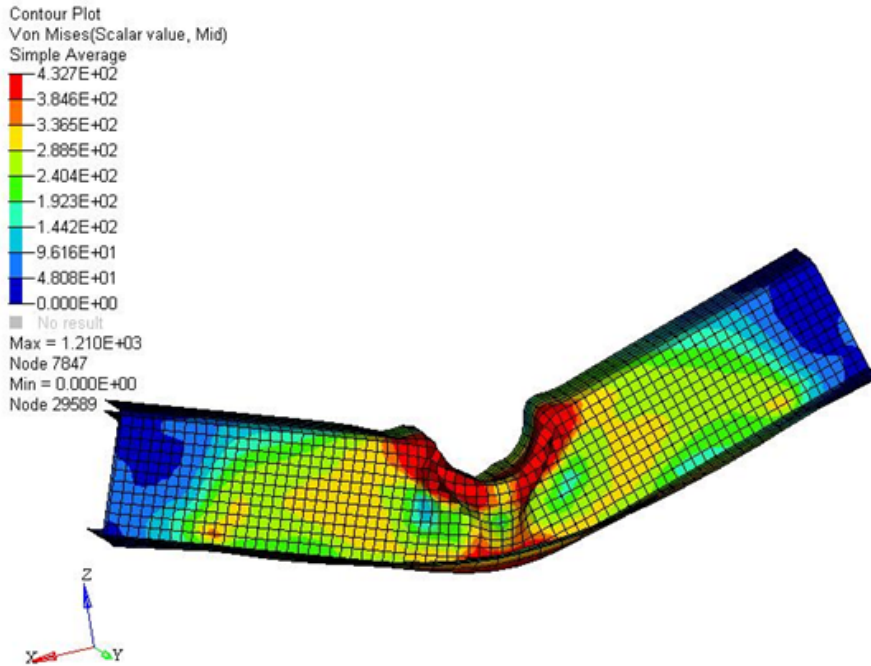
Step 21: Run the model 3POINT3_0000.rad using RADIOSS Manager on the class_exercise folder with the

option: -both

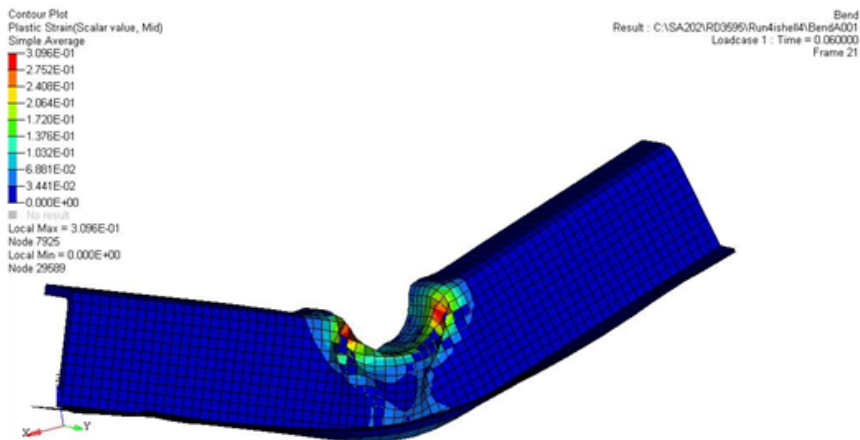
Step 22: Review the listing files for this run and verify on the results

1. See if there are any warnings or errors in .out files.
2. Using HyperView, plot the displacement, strain contour and vectors.

EXERCISE EXPECTED RESULTS



von Mises Stress Contour (MPa)



Plastic Strain Contour



Contact Force for Impactor Interface

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