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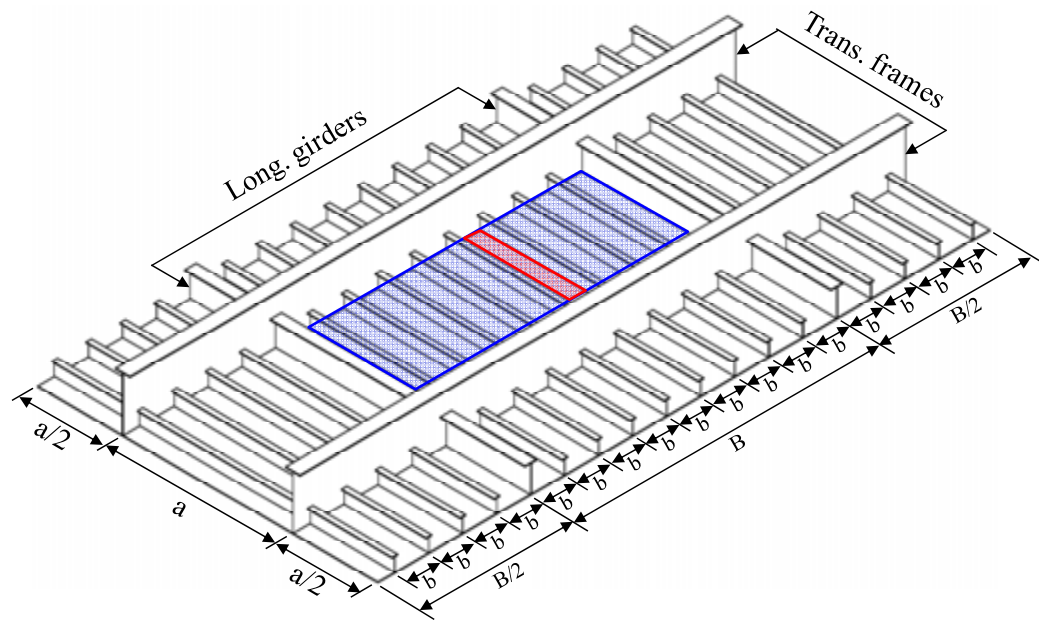
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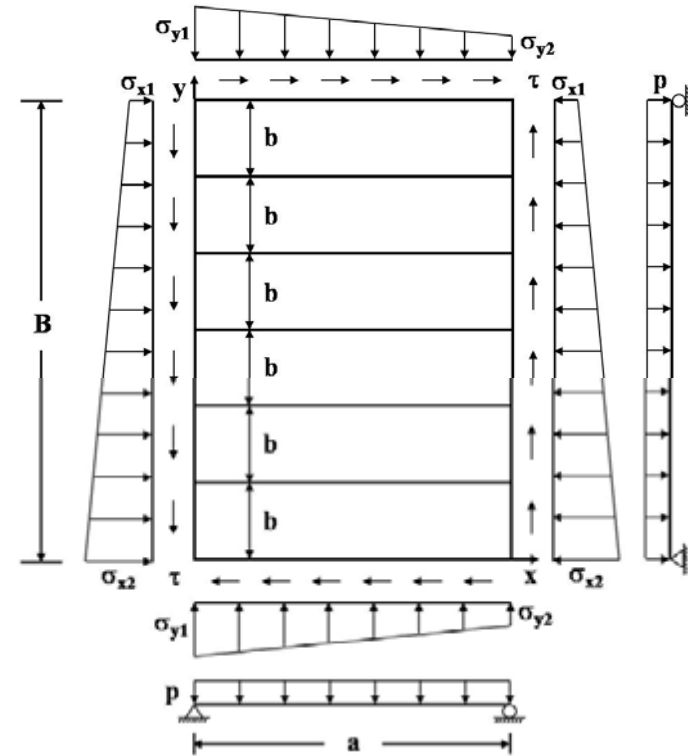
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Aims and Scope



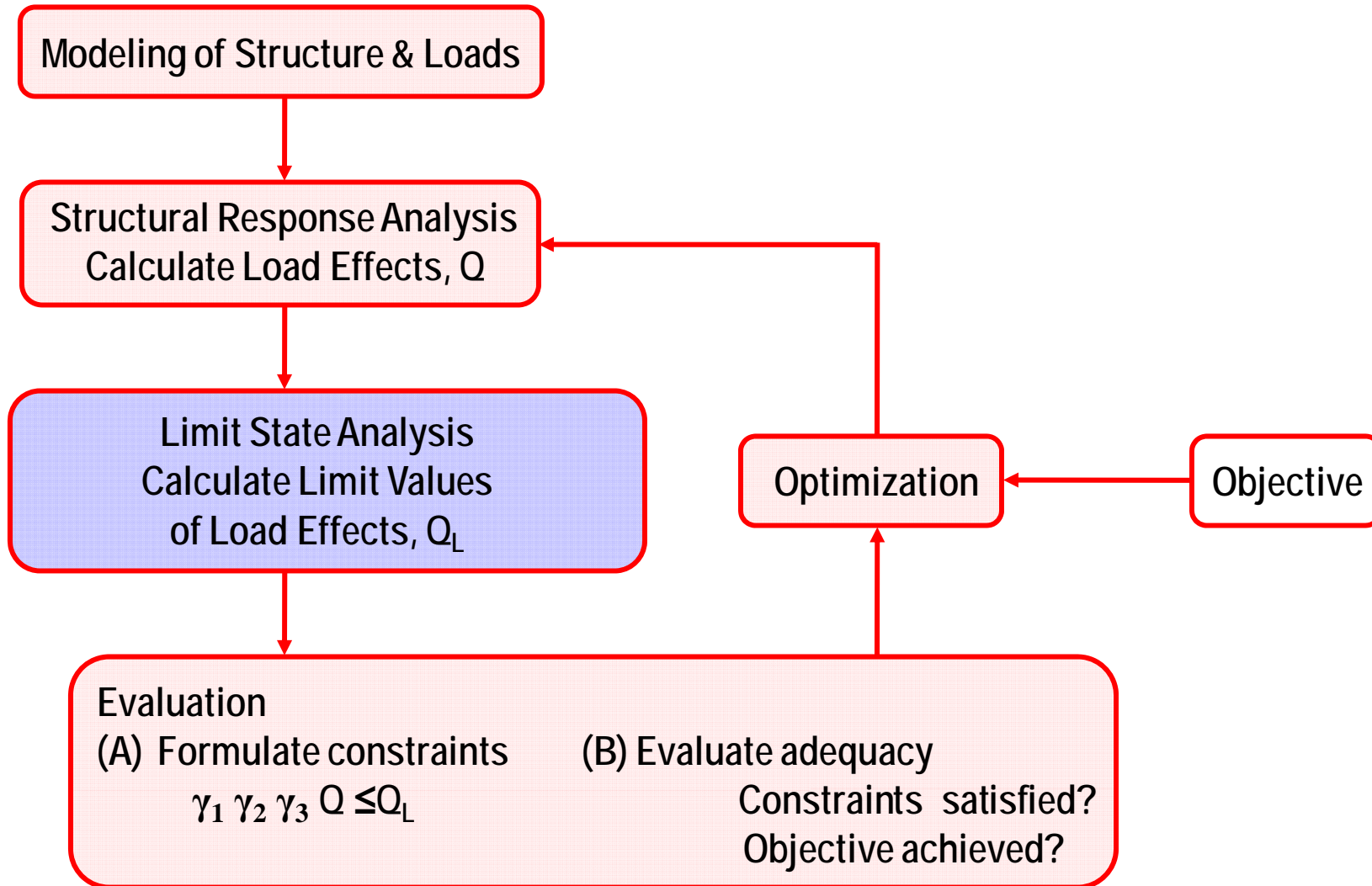
Stiffened panel structure



Stiffened panel subject to a combined in-plane and lateral pressure load

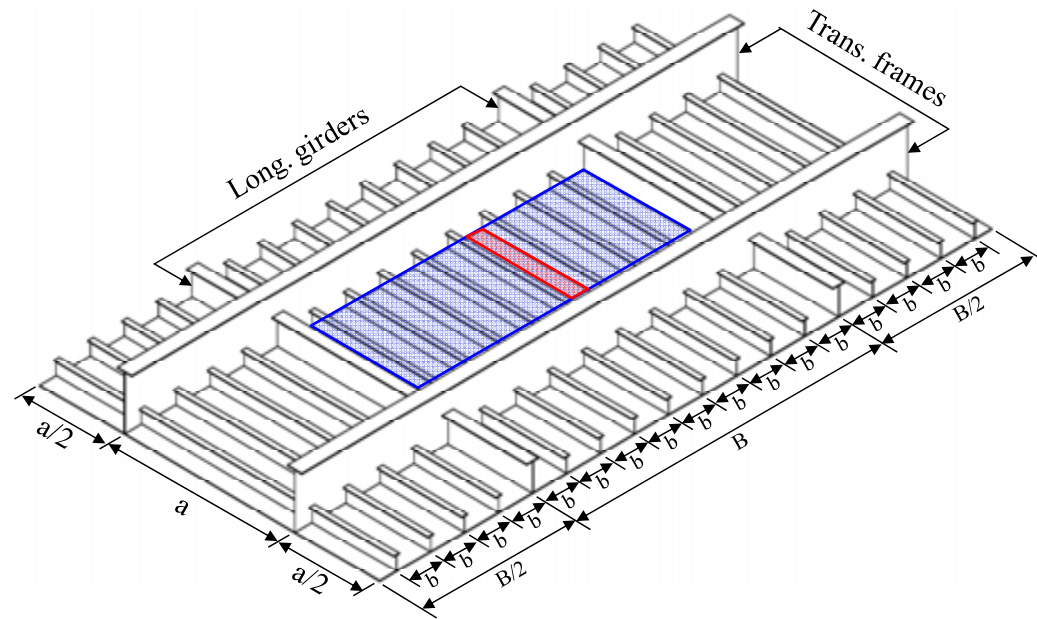
Rationally-Based Structural Design

(Optimum structural design procedure based on ultimate limit state)



Methods Used for Benchmark Study

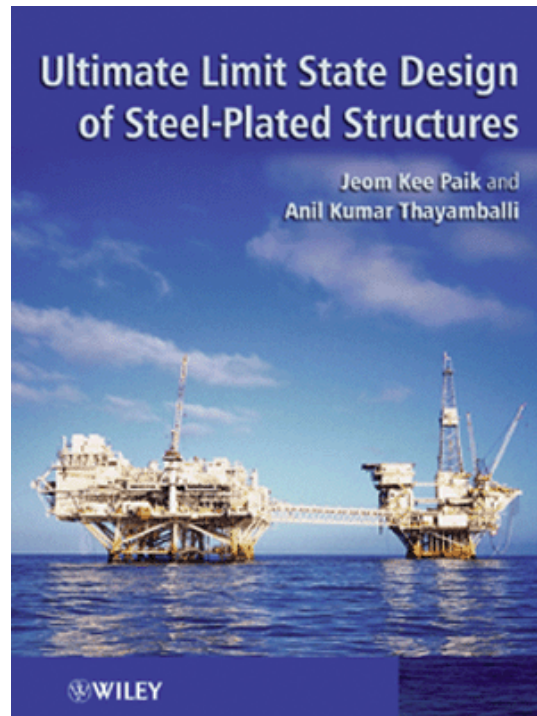
- Candidate methods
 - Nonlinear finite element method (ANSYS, MSC/MARC, Abaqus)
 - ALPS/ULSAP method
 - DNV/PULS method



Theory of the ALPS/ULSAP Method

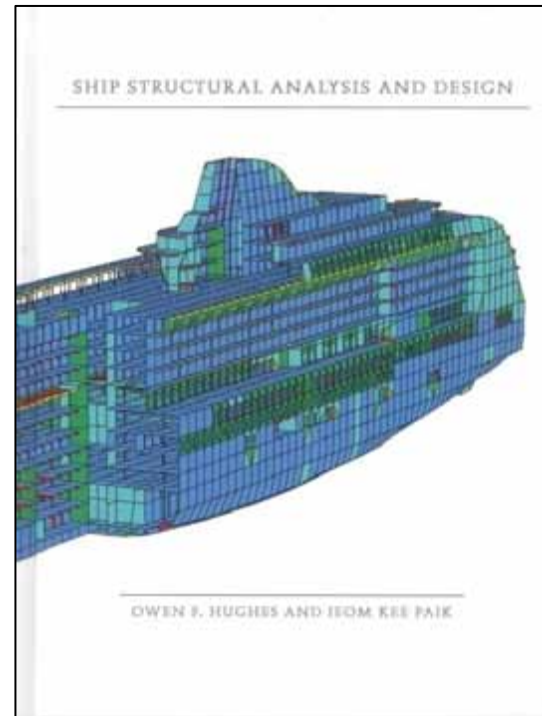
Theory of the ALPS/ULSAP Method

- ALPS/ULSAP (Analysis of Large Plated Structures / Ultimate Limit State Assessment Program), developed by Prof. J.K.Paik, Pusan National University



Ultimate Limit State Design of Steel-Plated Structures (2003)

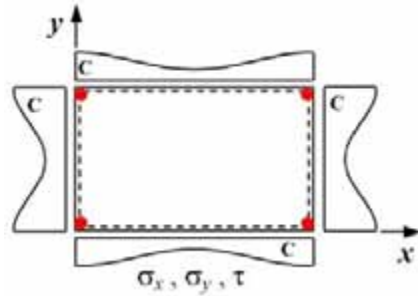
Paik & Thayamballi



Ship Structural Analysis and Design (2010)

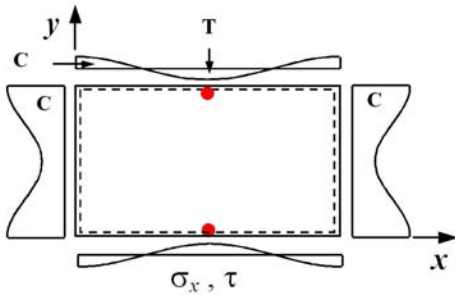
Hughes & Paik

Ultimate Strength of Plates: $\sigma_u = \min.(\sigma_{u1}, \sigma_{u2}, \sigma_{u3})$



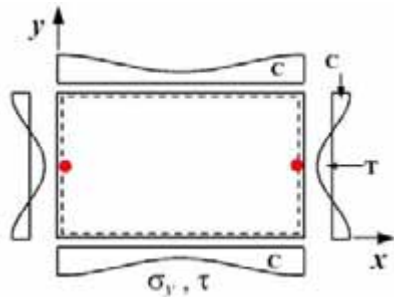
$$\sigma_{eq1} = \sqrt{\sigma_{x\max}^2 - \sigma_{x\max}\sigma_{y\max} + \sigma_{y\max}^2 + 3\tau^2} = \sigma_Y$$

(a) Plasticity at the corners



$$\sigma_{eq2} = \sqrt{\sigma_{x\max}^2 - \sigma_{x\max}\sigma_{y\min} + \sigma_{y\min}^2 + 3\tau^2} = \sigma_Y$$

(b) Plasticity at the longitudinal mid-edges



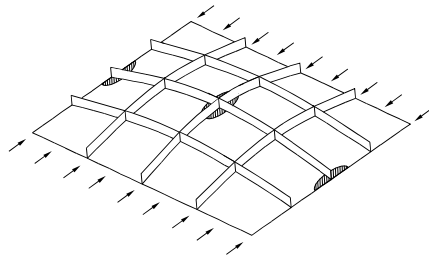
$$\sigma_{eq3} = \sqrt{\sigma_{x\min}^2 - \sigma_{x\min}\sigma_{y\max} + \sigma_{y\max}^2 + 3\tau^2} = \sigma_Y$$

(c) Plasticity at the transverse mid-edges

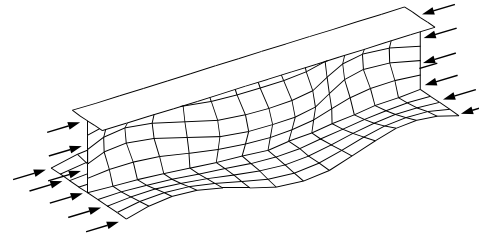
- : Expected plasticity location
- T: Tension
- C: Compression

Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels: 6 Types of Collapse Modes

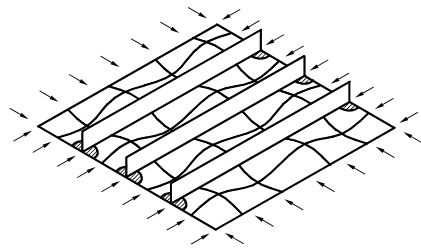
$$\sigma_u = \min.(\sigma_u^I, \sigma_u^{II}, \sigma_u^{III}, \sigma_u^{IV}, \sigma_u^V, \sigma_u^{VI})$$



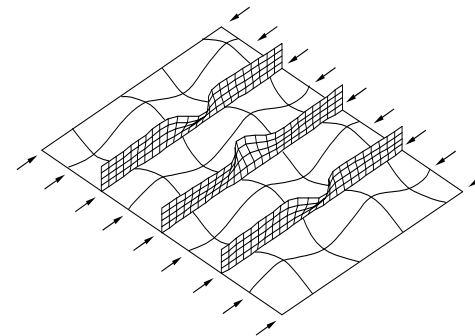
Mode I – overall collapse



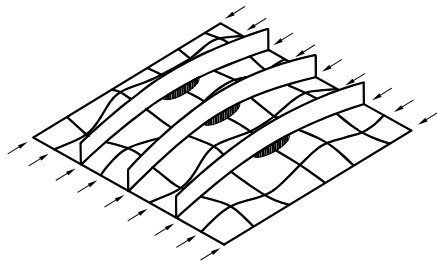
Mode IV – stiffener-induced collapse
by web buckling



Mode II – plate-induced collapse



Mode V – stiffener-induced collapse
by tripping



Mode III – stiffener-induced collapse by beam-column
type collapse



Mode VI: Gross yielding

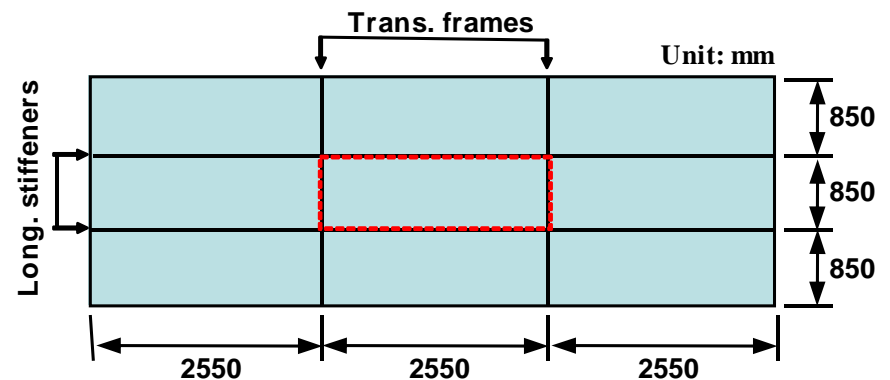
Benchmark Study

- Candidate methods
 - Nonlinear finite element method (ANSYS, MSC/MARC, Abaqus)
 - ALPS/ULSAP method
 - DNV/PULS method

Target Structure: Unstiffened Panel

Material and Geometric Properties

- Yield stress of plate, $\sigma_{Yp} = 313.6 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- Yield stress of stiffener, $\sigma_{Ys} = 313.6 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- Elastic modulus, $E = 205800 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- Poisson's ratio, $\nu = 0.3$
- Plate length, $a = 2550 \text{ mm}$
- Plate breath, $b = 850 \text{ mm}$
- Plate thickness, $t_p = 11, 16, 22, 33 \text{ mm}$
- Under biaxial compressive loads
- All edges simply supported
- No residual stress
- No lateral pressure



Unstiffened Plates under Biaxial Compression (1/3)

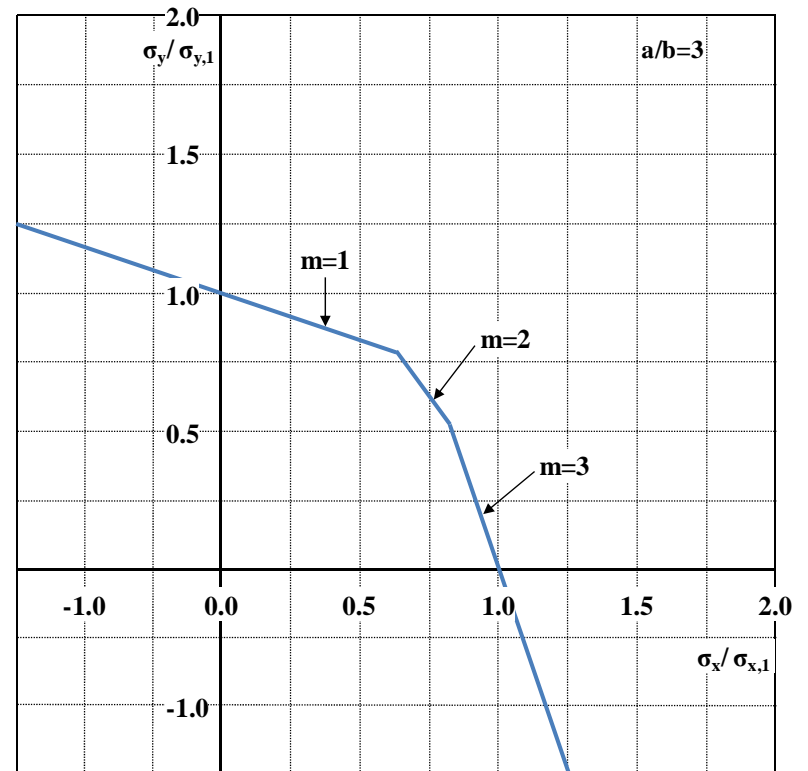
- Buckling half-wave number

$$\frac{(m^2 / a^2 + 1 / b^2)^2}{m^2 / a^2 + c / b^2} \leq \frac{[(m + 1)^2 / a^2 + 1 / b^2]^2}{(m + 1)^2 / a^2 + c / b^2}$$

where, $c = \sigma_y / \sigma_x$

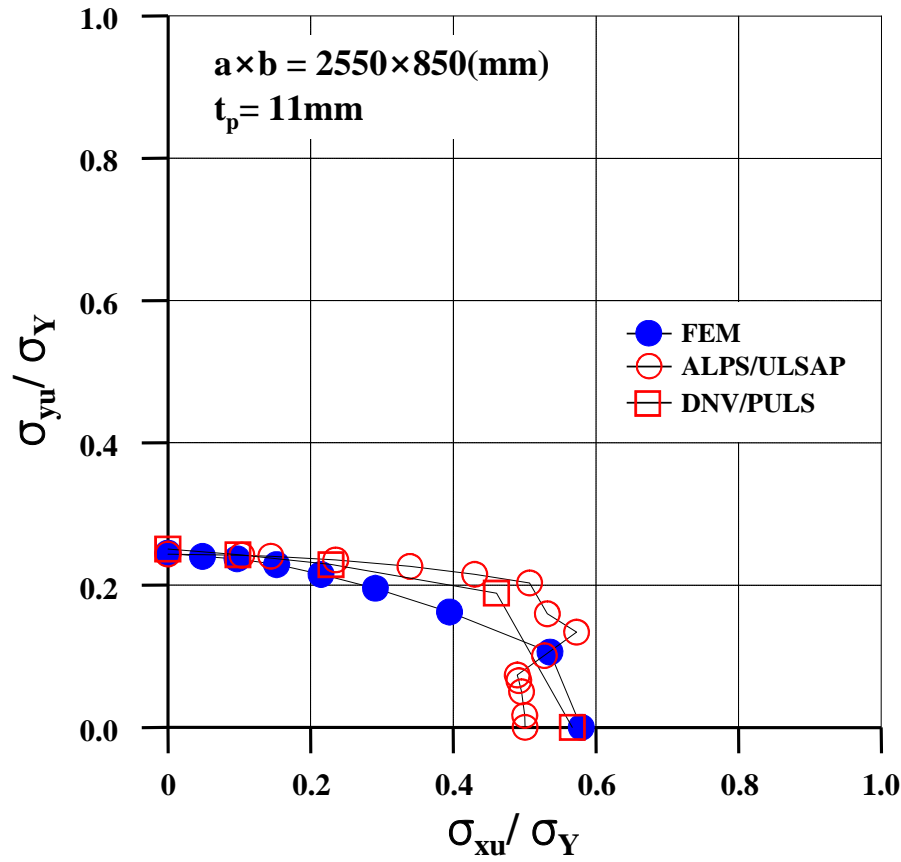
σ_x and σ_y are the component of the longitudinal and transverse axial buckling stress of the plate under combined biaxial loading.

$\sigma_{x,1}$ and $\sigma_{y,1}$ are the component of the longitudinal or transverse axial buckling stress of the plate under uniaxial loading.

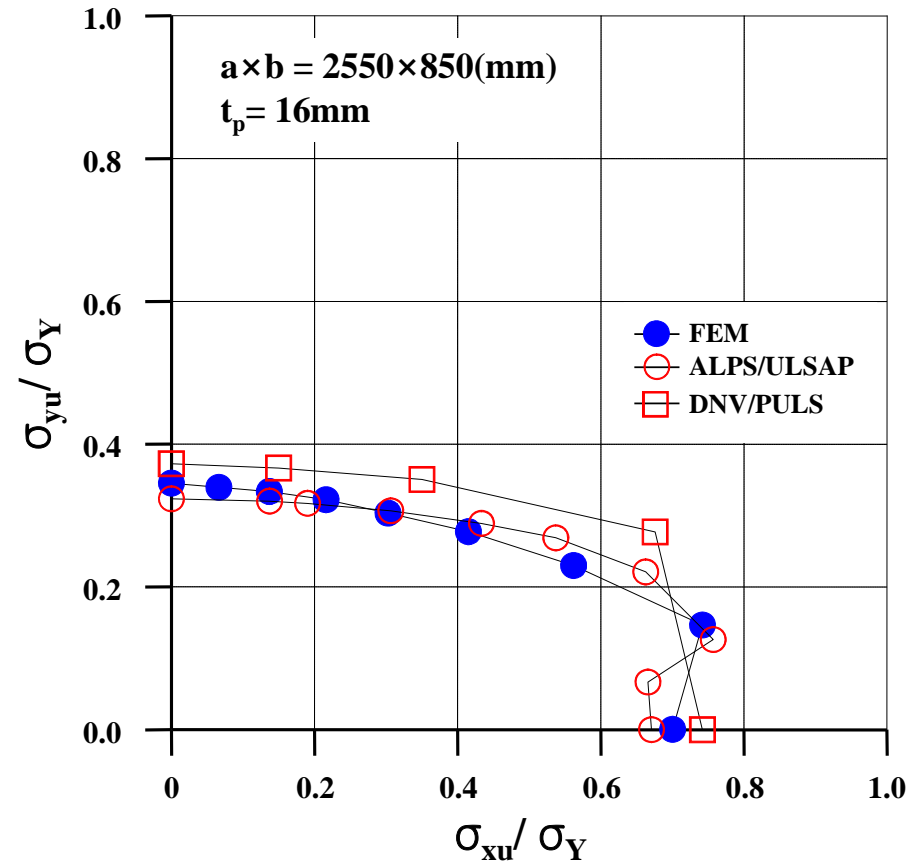


Unstiffened Plates under Biaxial Compression (2/3)

$t_p=11\text{mm}$

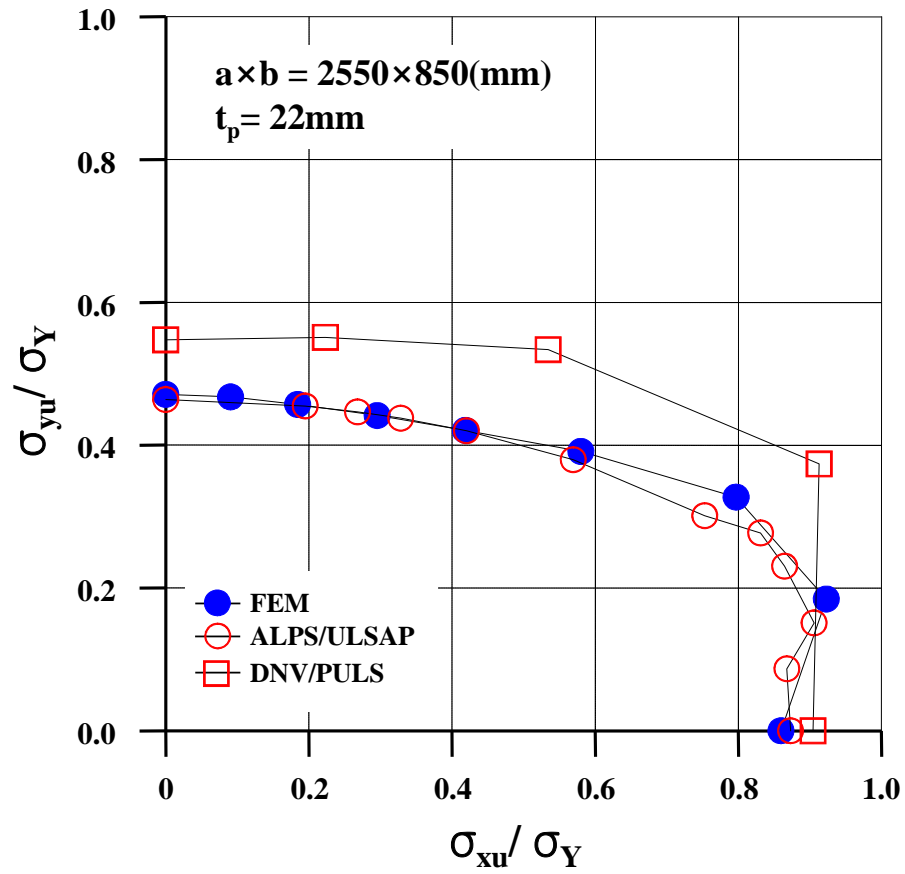


$t_p=16\text{mm}$

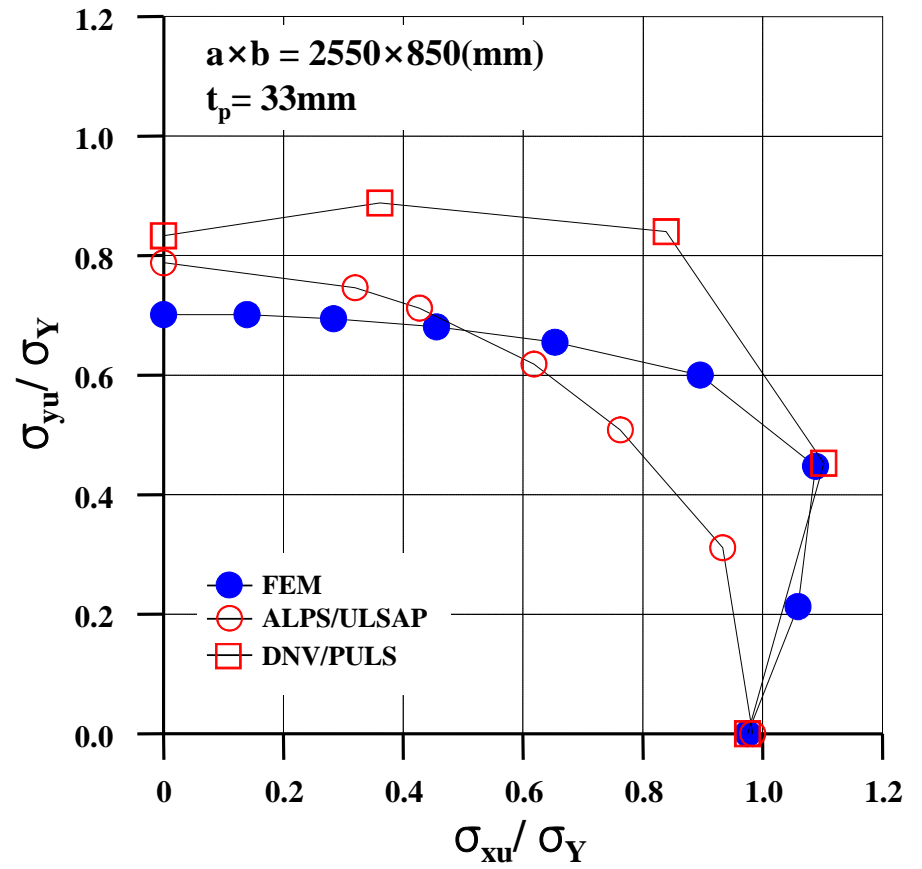


Unstiffened Plates under Biaxial Compression (3/3)

$t_p=22\text{mm}$



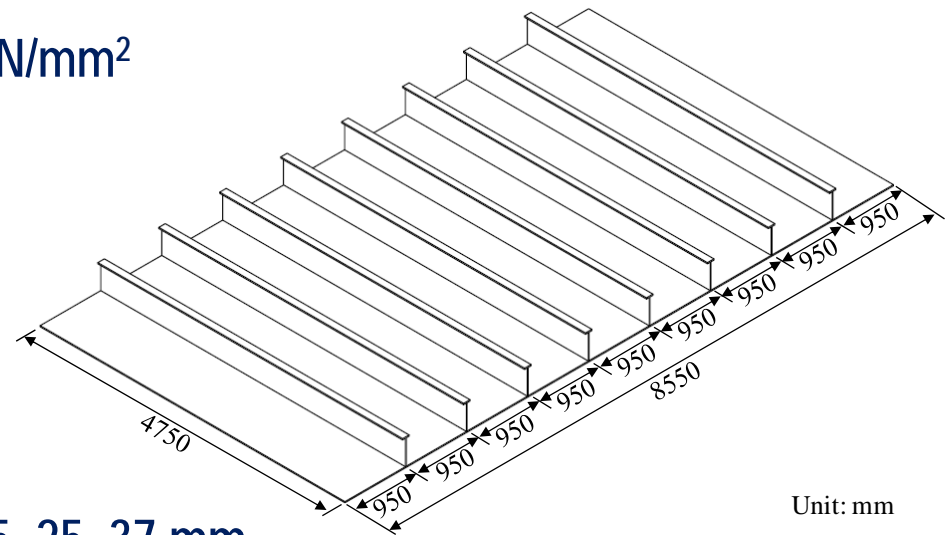
$t_p=33\text{mm}$



Target Structure: Stiffened Panel (1/2)

■ Material and Geometric Properties

- Yield stress of plate, $\sigma_{Yp} = 313.6 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- Yield stress of stiffener, $\sigma_{Ys} = 313.6 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- Elastic modulus, $E = 205800 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- Poisson's ratio, $\nu = 0.3$
- Plate length, $a = 4750 \text{ mm}$
- Plate breath, $b = 950 \text{ mm}$
- Plate thickness, $t_p = 11, 12.5, \underline{15}, \underline{18.5}, 25, 37 \text{ mm}$
- Number of the stiffeners: 8 stiffeners in a panel
- No residual stress

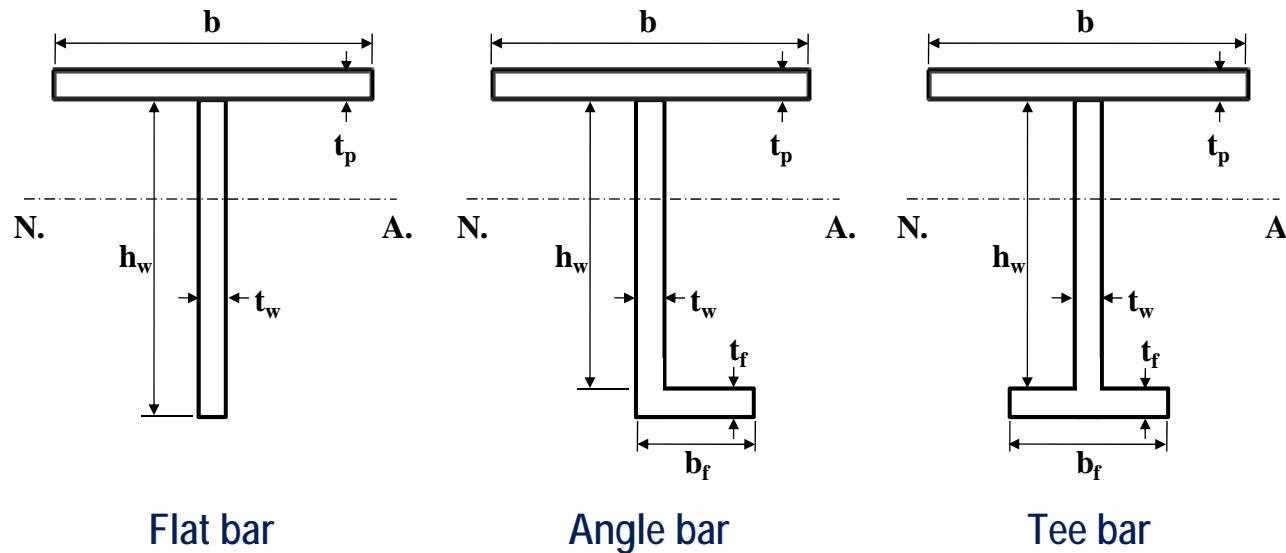


Unit: mm

Target Structure: Stiffened Panel (2/2)

- Dimensions of the Stiffeners

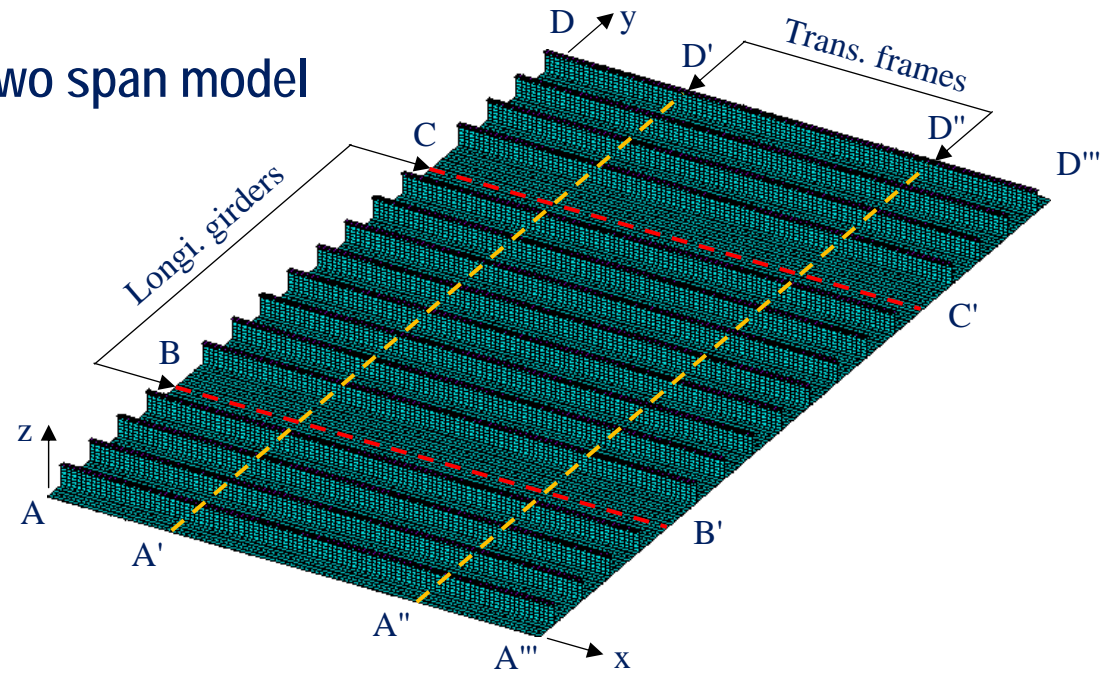
	Flat bar ($h_w \times t_w$)	Angle bar ($h_w \times b_f \times t_w / t_f$)	Tee bar ($h_w \times b_f \times t_w / t_f$)
Size 1	150x17	138x90x9/12	138x90x9/12
Size 2	250x25	235x90x10/15	235x90x10/15
Size 3	350x35	383x100x12/17	383x100x12/17
Size 4	550x35	580x150x15/20	580x150x15/20



*N.A. = neutral axis

ANSYS Nonlinear FEA Modeling (1/2)

- Extent of Analysis: Two bay/two span model

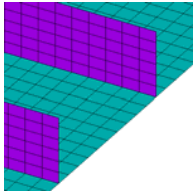
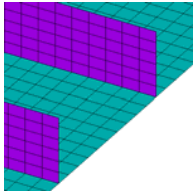
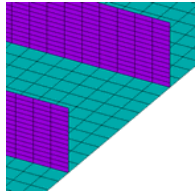
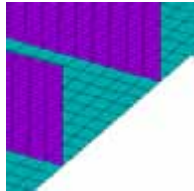
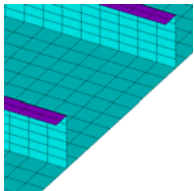
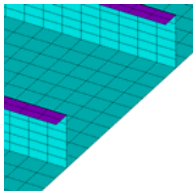
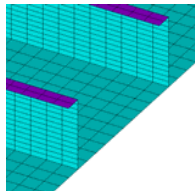
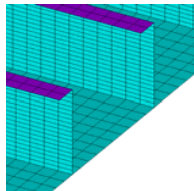
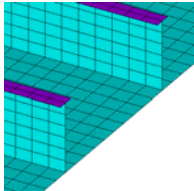
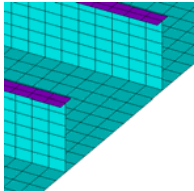
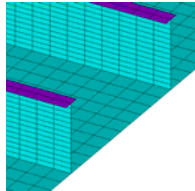
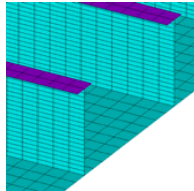


- Boundary Conditions

Boundary	Description
A-A''' and D-D'''	Symmetric condition with $R_x=R_z=0$ and uniform displacement in the y direction ($U_y=\text{uniform}$), coupled the plate part
A-D and A'''-D'''	Symmetric condition with $R_y=R_z=0$ and uniform displacement in the x direction ($U_x=\text{uniform}$), coupled with longitudinal stiffeners
A'-D', A''-D'', B-B' and C-C'	$U_z=0$

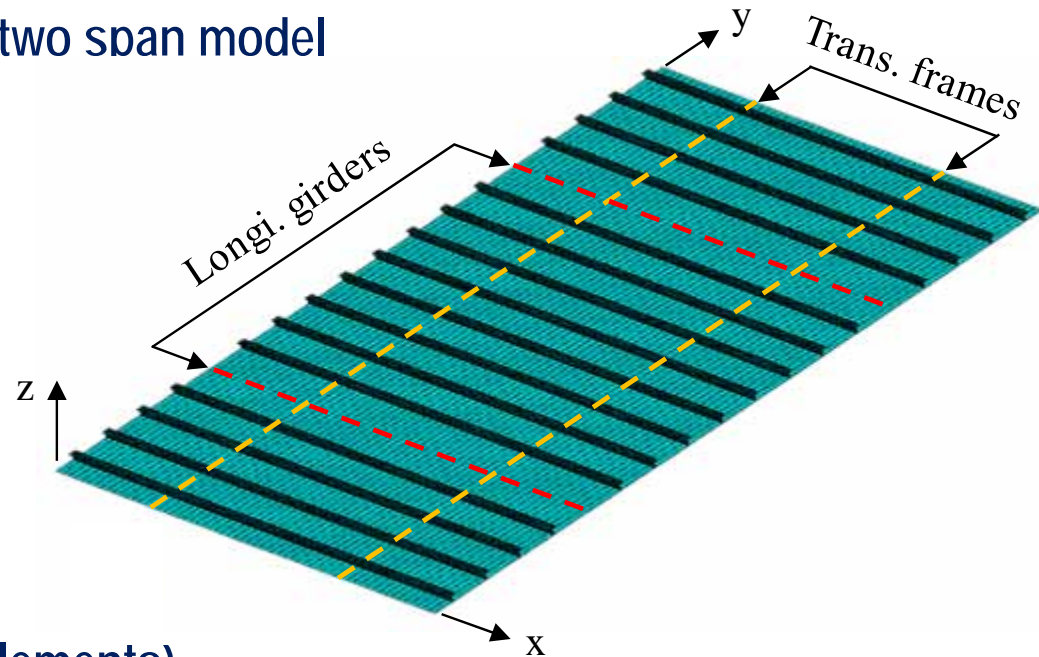
ANSYS Nonlinear FEA Modeling (2/2)

- Mesh Sizes Applied

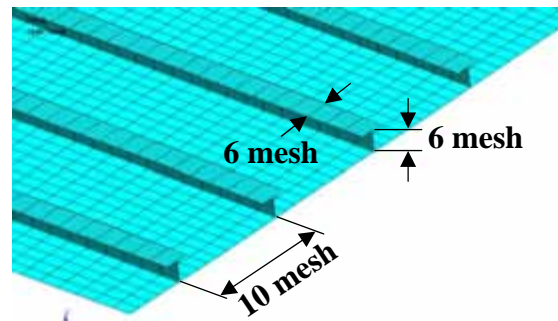
	Size 1	Size 2	Size 3	Size 4
Flat type ($h_w \times t_w$)				
	150×17(mm)	250×25(mm)	350×35(mm)	550×35(mm)
	27600 elements	27600 elements	40400 elements	50000 elements
Angle type ($h_w \times b_f \times t_w/t_f$)				
	138×90×9/12(mm)	235×90×10/15(mm)	383×100×12/17(mm)	580×150×15/20(mm)
	30800 elements	30800 elements	43600 elements	53200 elements
Tee type ($h_w \times b_f \times t_w/t_f$)				
	138×90×9/12(mm)	235×90×10/15(mm)	383×100×12/17(mm)	580×150×15/20(mm)
	30800 elements	30800 elements	43600 elements	53200 elements

MSC/MARC Nonlinear FEA Modeling by Prof. M. Fujikubo, Osaka University

- Extent of Analysis: Two bay/two span model

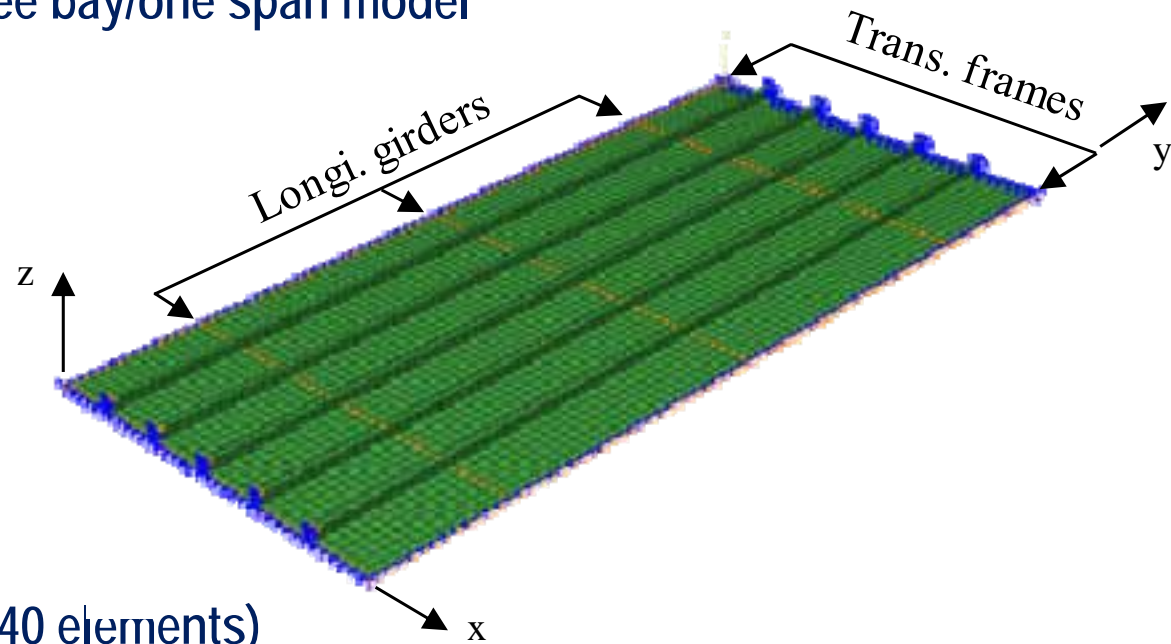


- Mesh Sizes Applied (22753 elements)

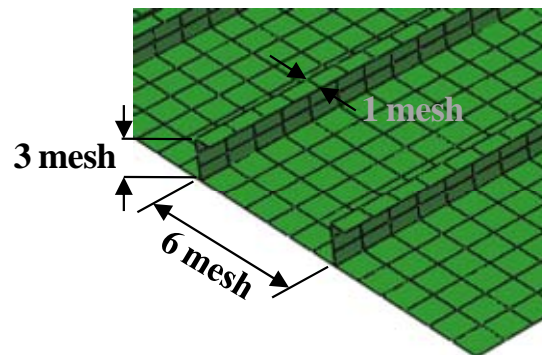


Abaqus Nonlinear FEA Modeling by Dr. Amlashi Hadi, DNV

- Extent of Analysis: Three bay/one span model

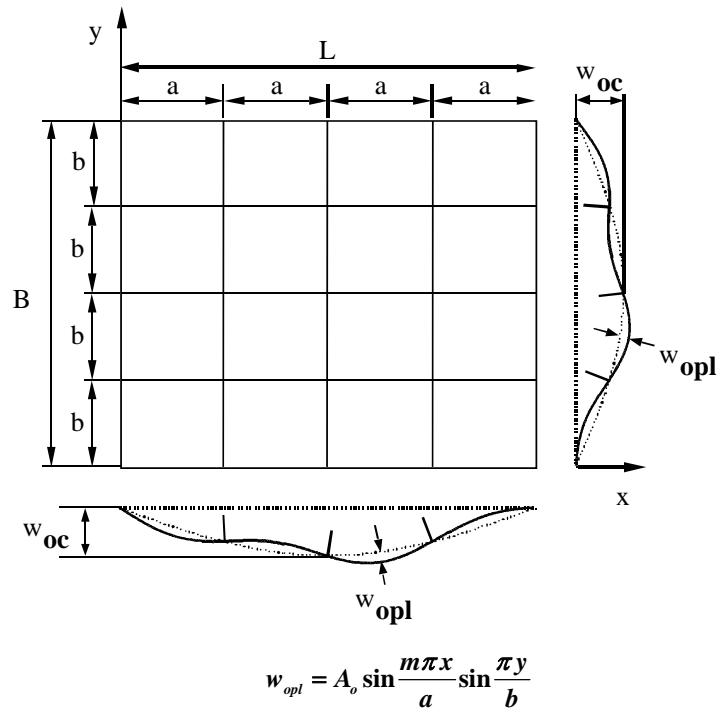


- Mesh Sizes Applied (7740 elements)

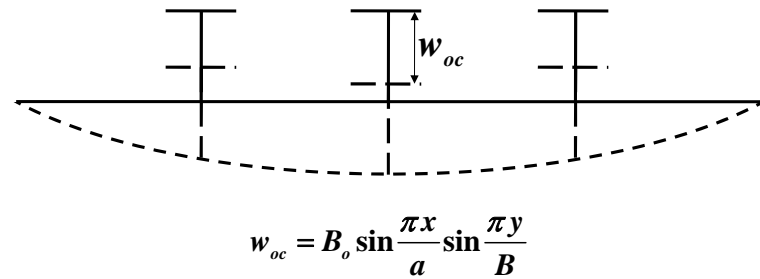


Nonlinear FEA Modeling for ANSYS and MSC/MARC

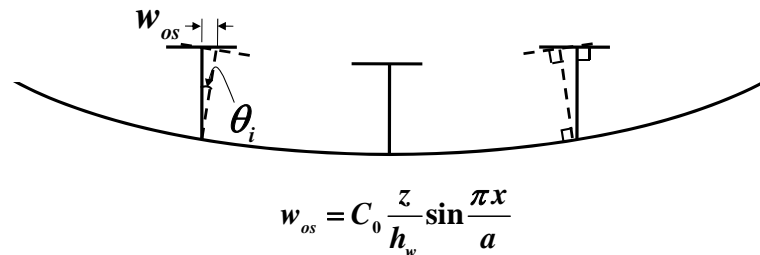
- Plate Initial Deflection



- Column Type Initial Distortion of Stiffener



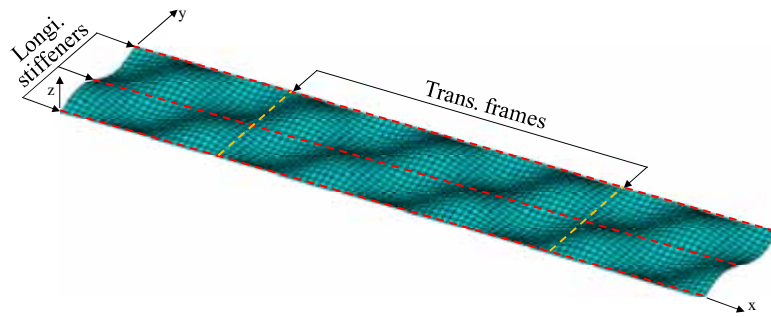
- Sideways Initial Distortion of Stiffener



$$A_o = 0.1\beta^2 t_p; \quad B_o = C_o = 0.0015a; \quad \beta = \frac{b}{t_p} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{Yp}}{E}}$$

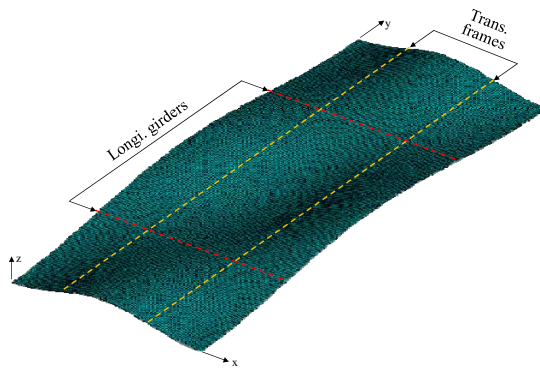
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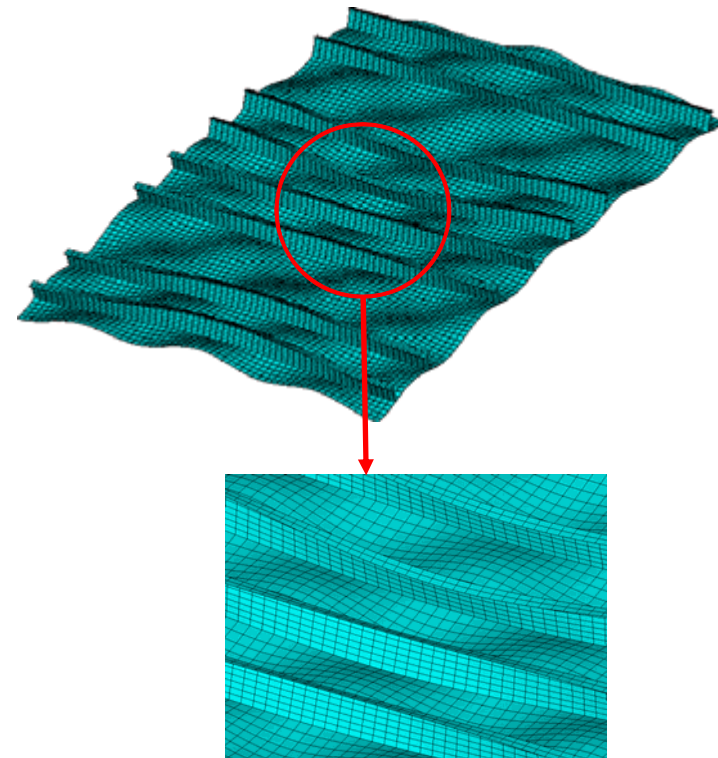
Local deflection with amplification factor of 20

- Column Type Initial Distortion of Stiffener



Overall deflection with amplification factor of 50

- Sideways Initial Distortion of Stiffener

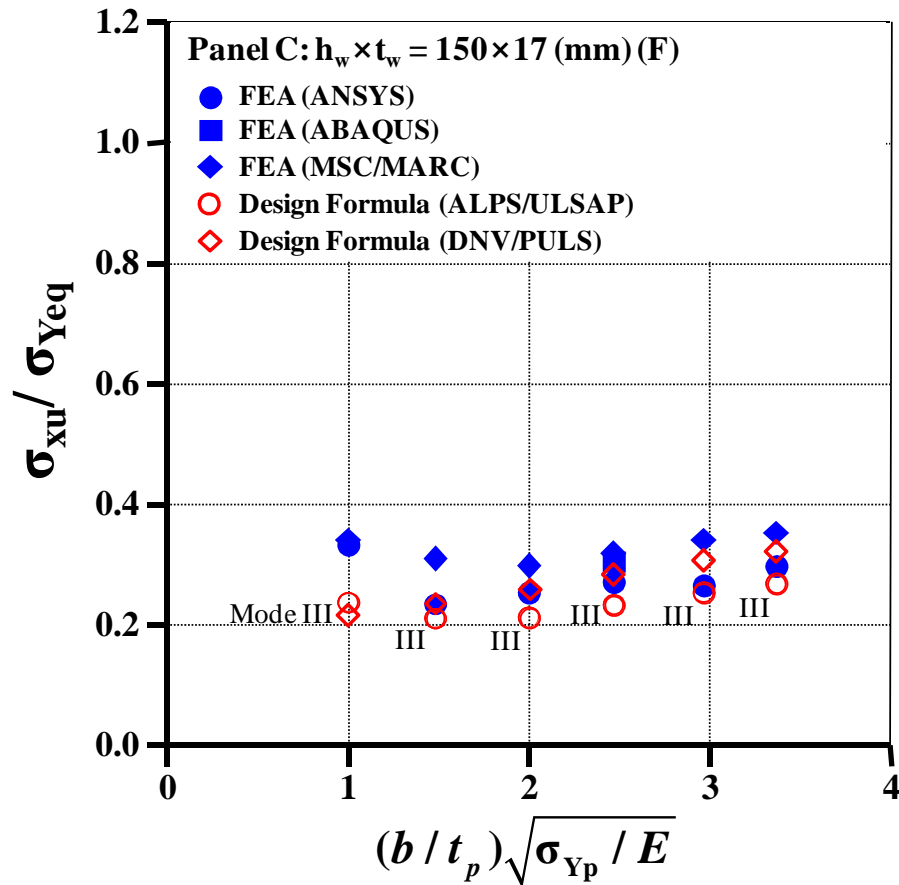


Initial deflection with amplification factor of 20

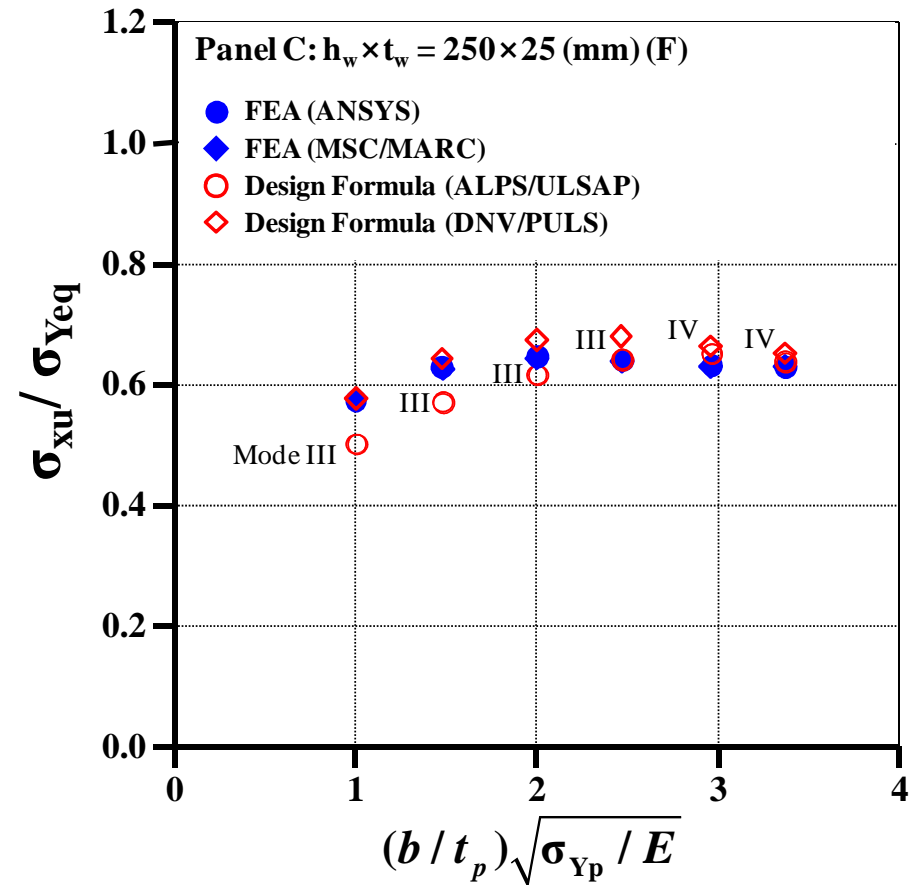
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (1/26)

- Flat Bar Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

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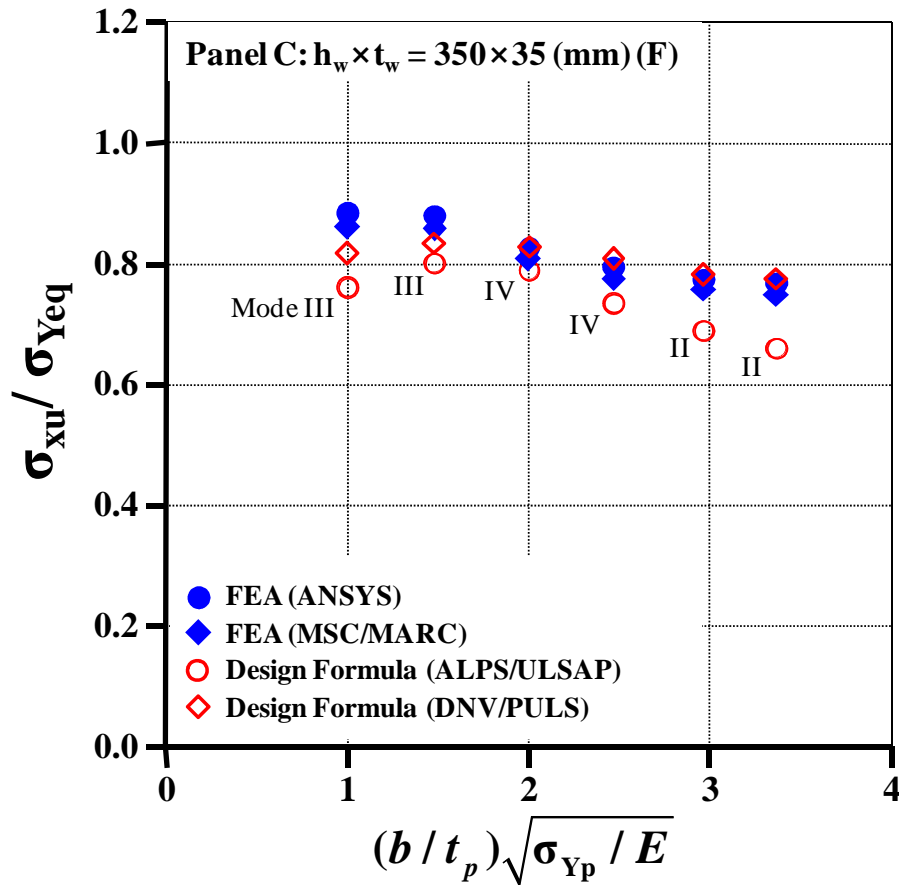
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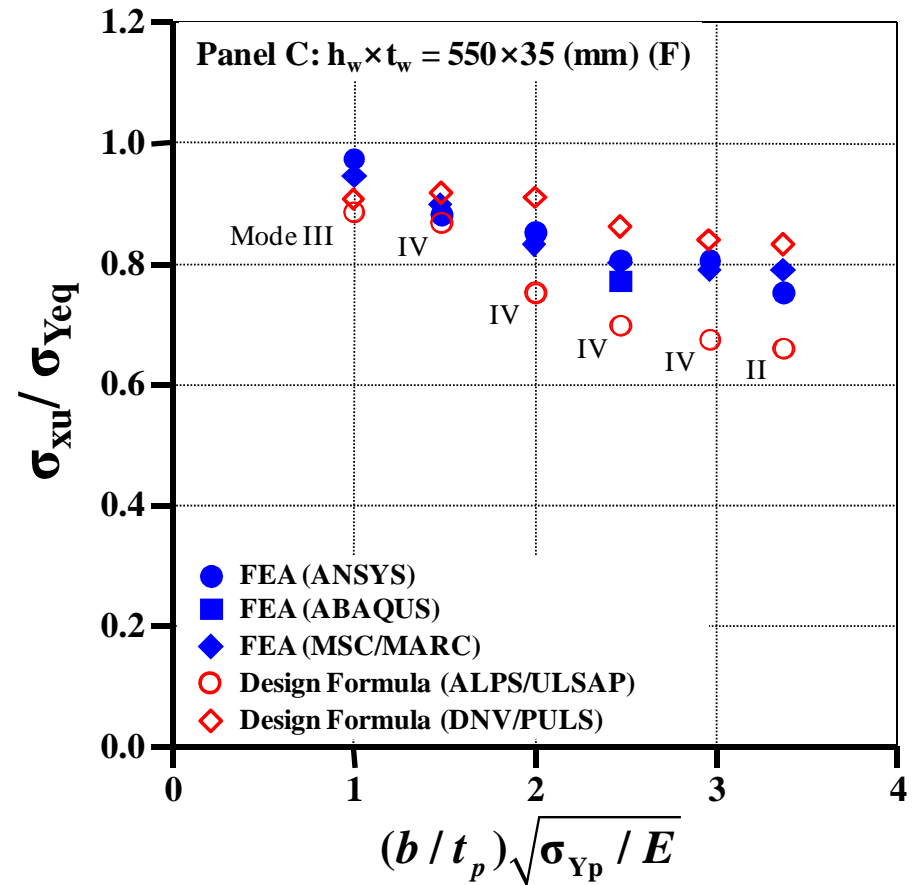
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (2/26)

- Flat Bar Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

Size 3



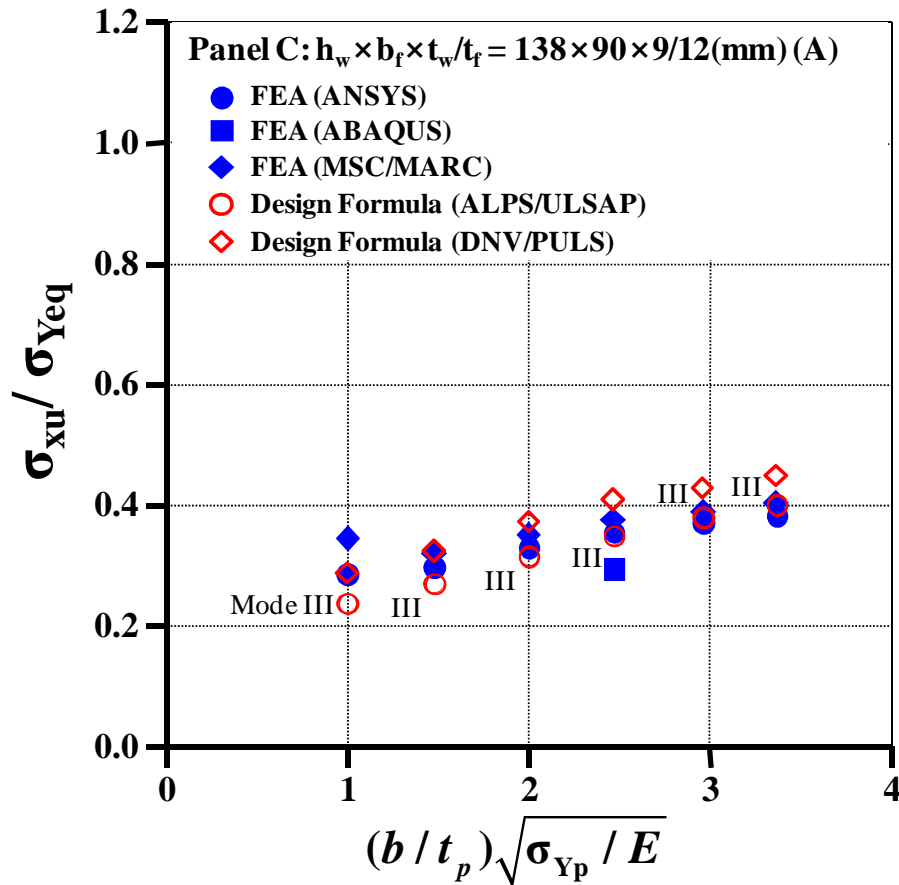
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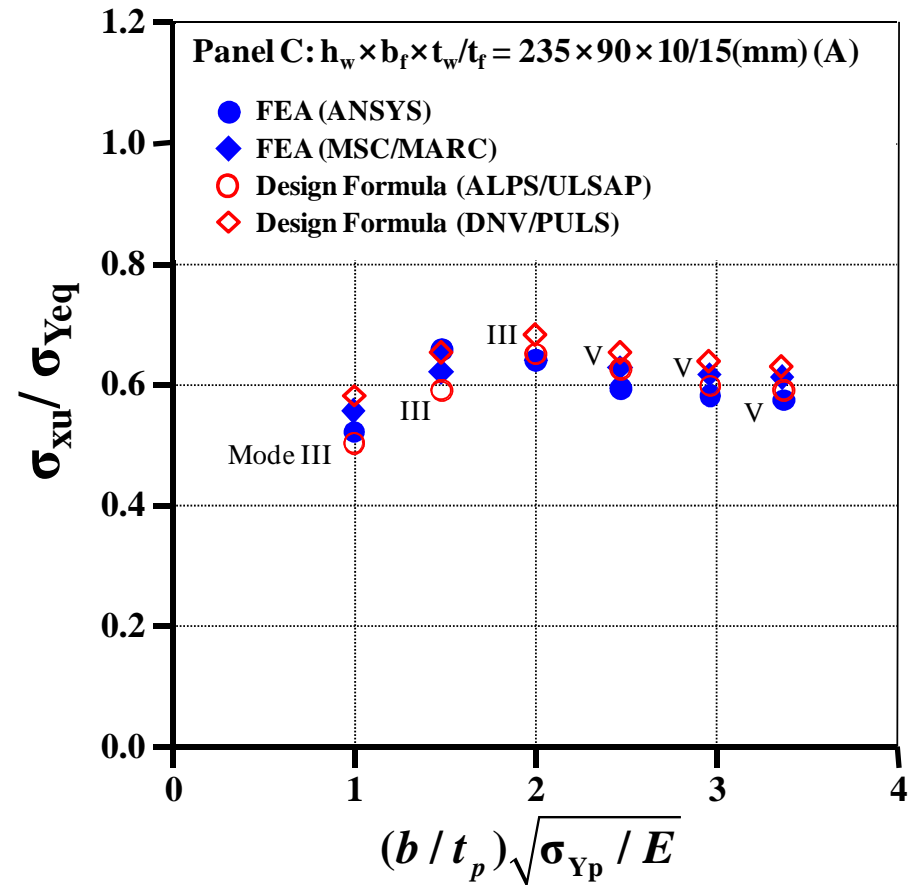
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (3/26)

- Angle Bar Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

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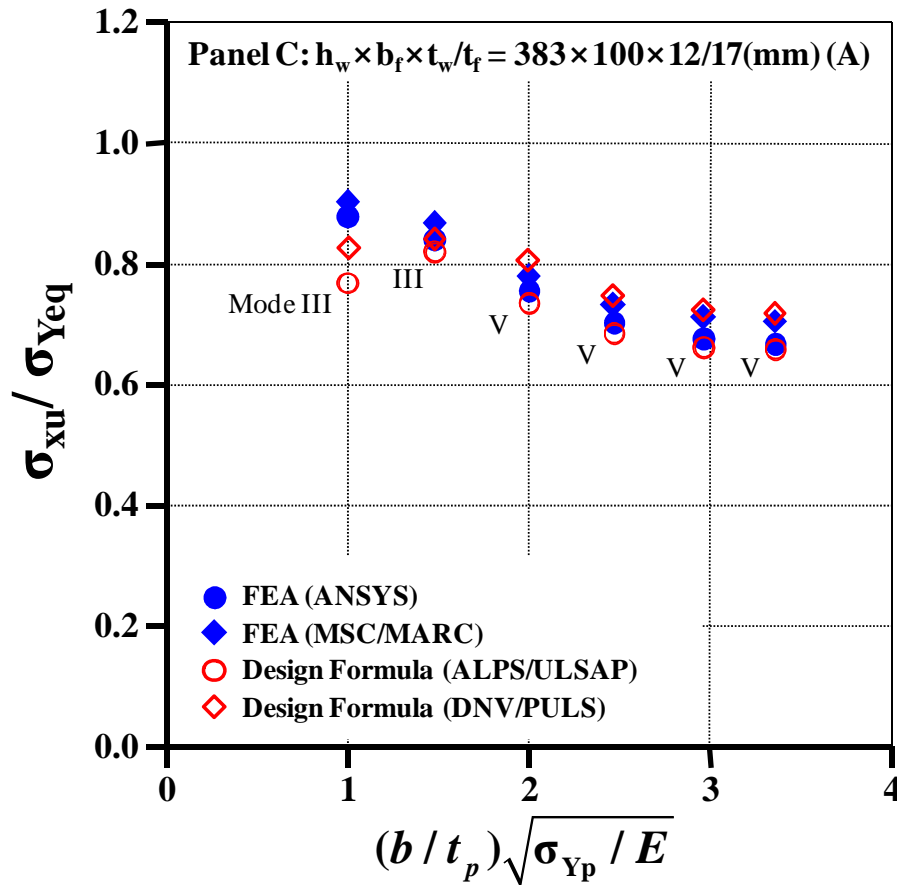
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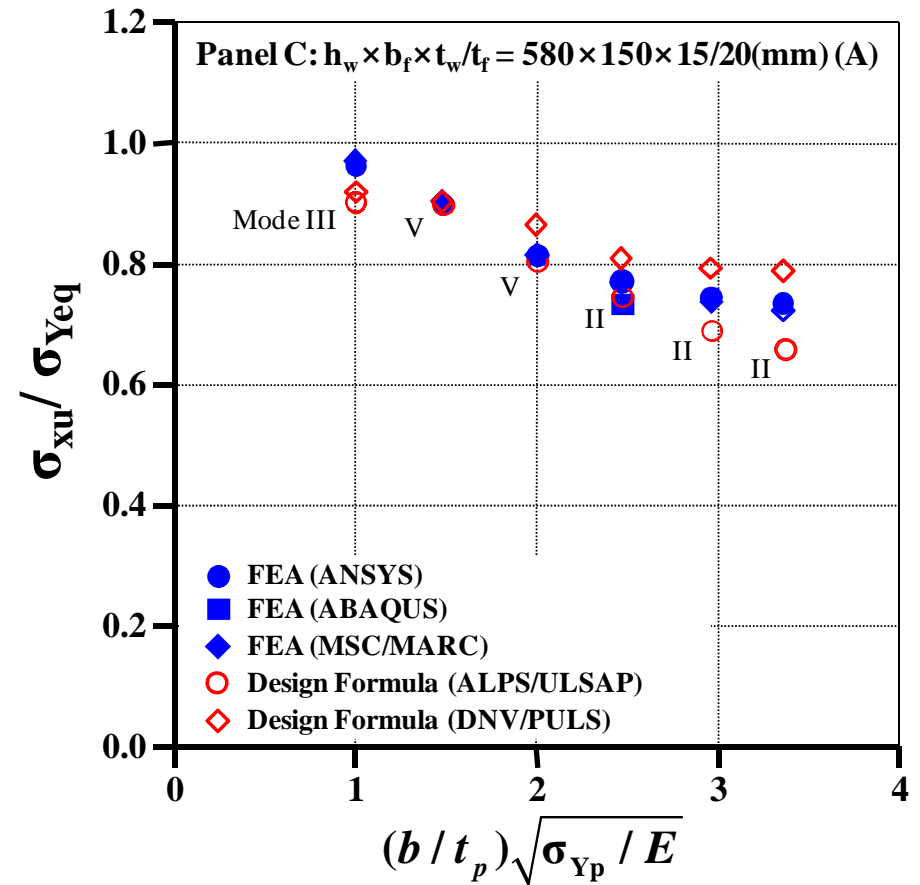
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (4/26)

- Angle Bar Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

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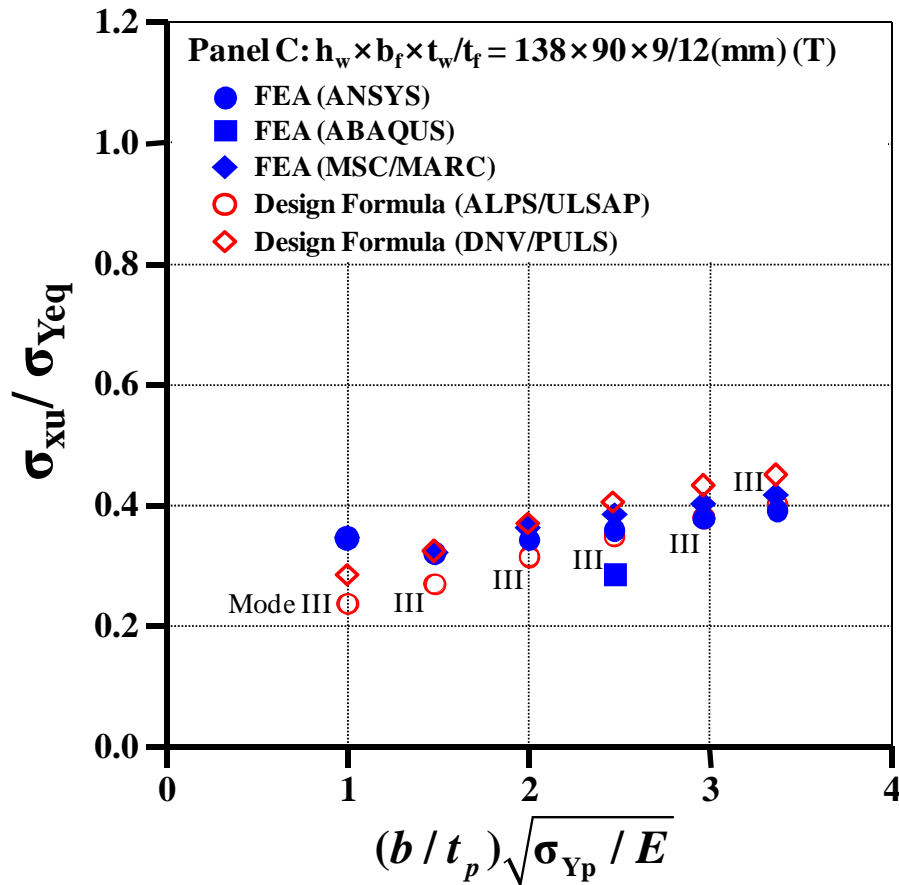
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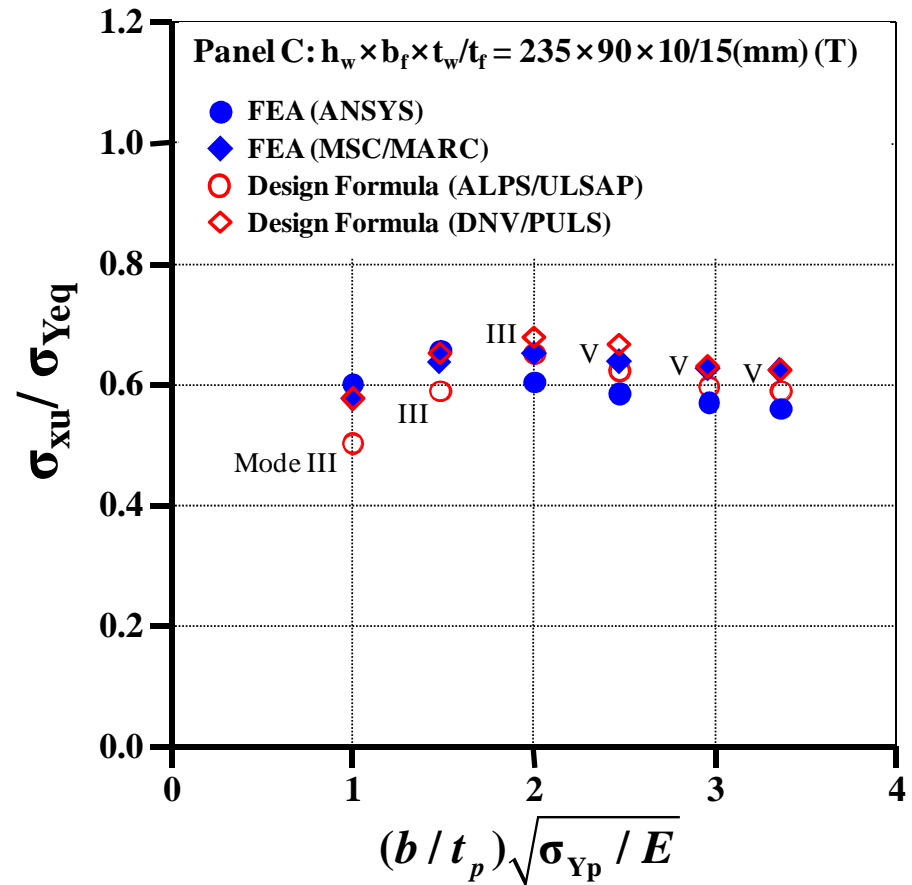
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (5/26)

- Tee Bar Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

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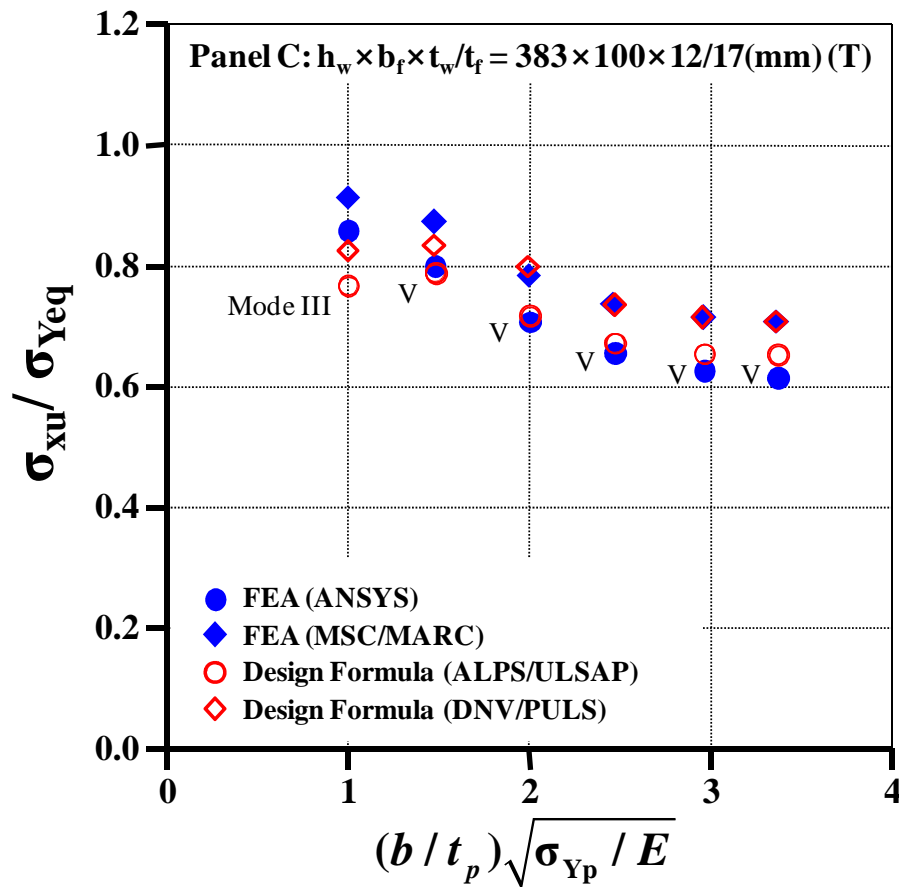
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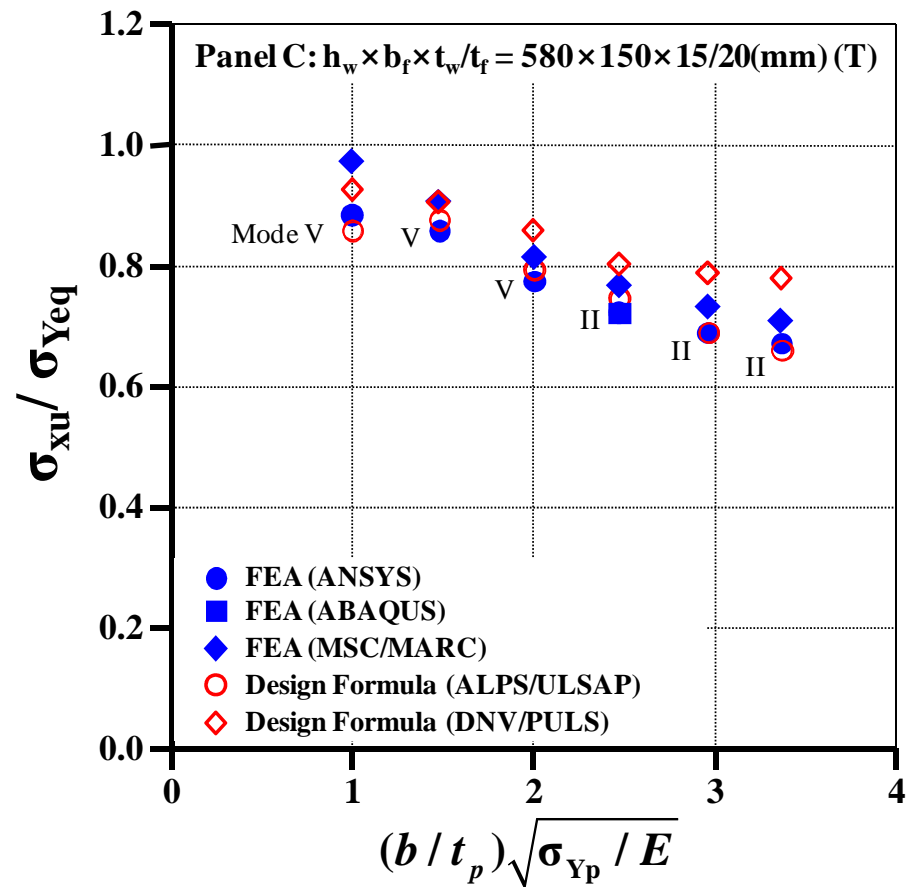
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (6/26)

- Tee Bar Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

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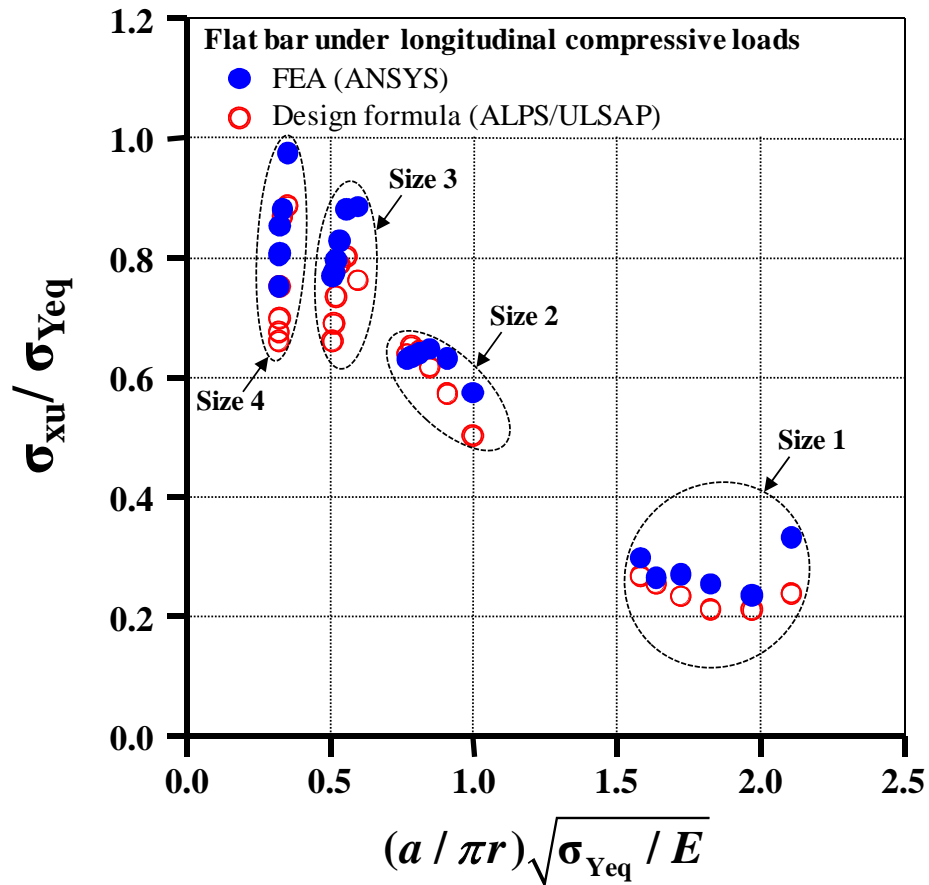
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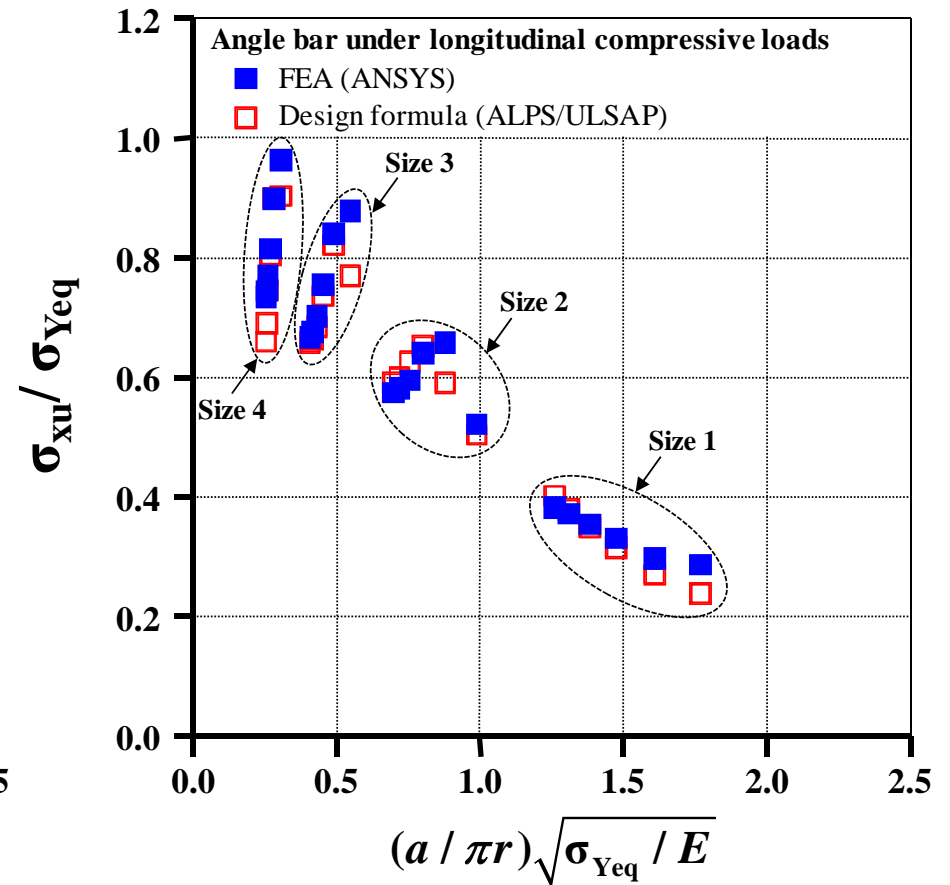
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (7/26)

- Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

Flat bar



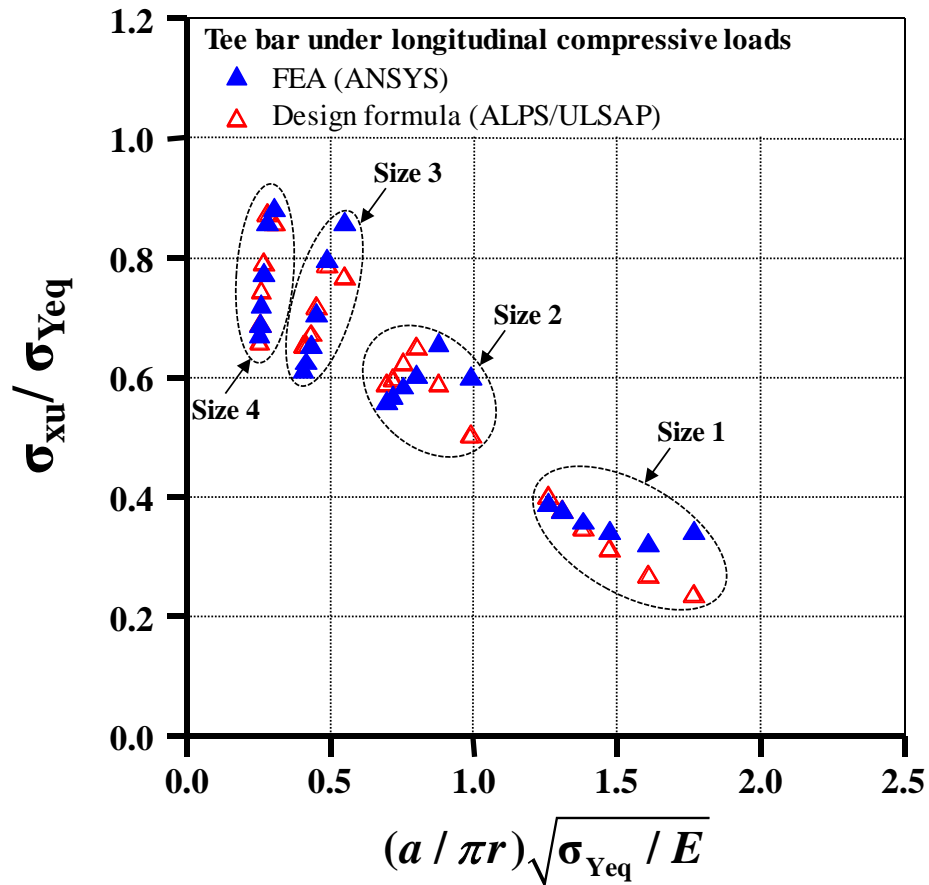
Angle bar



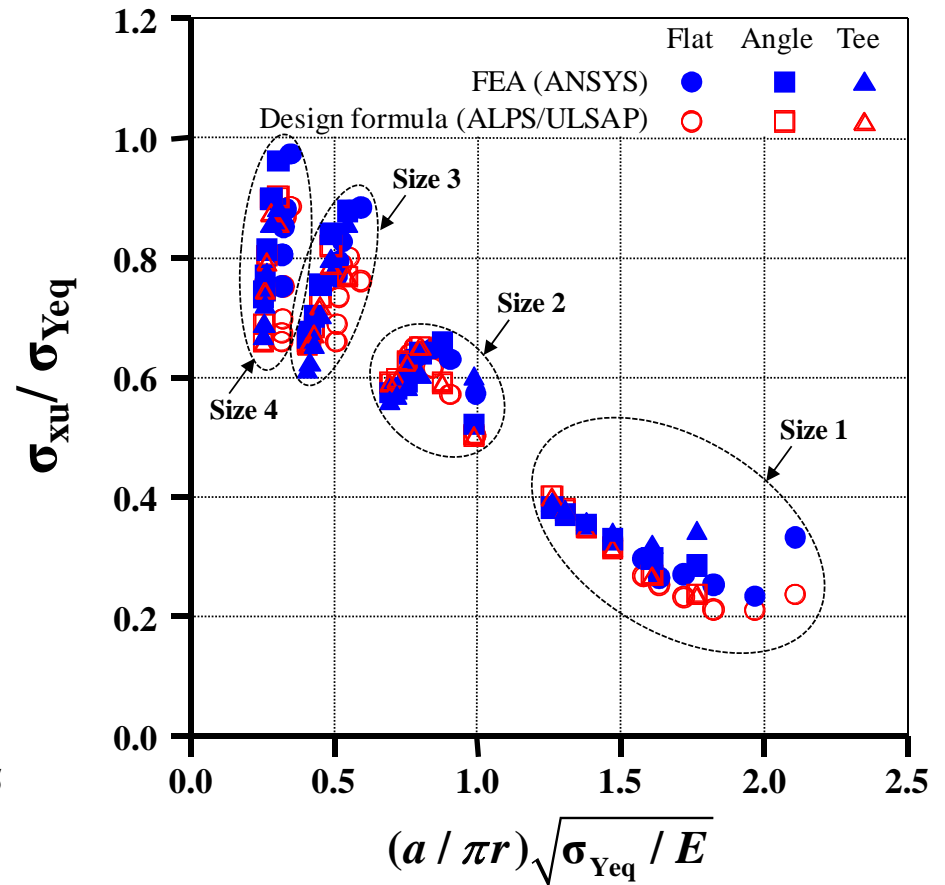
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (8/26)

- Under Longitudinal Uniaxial Compression

Tee bar



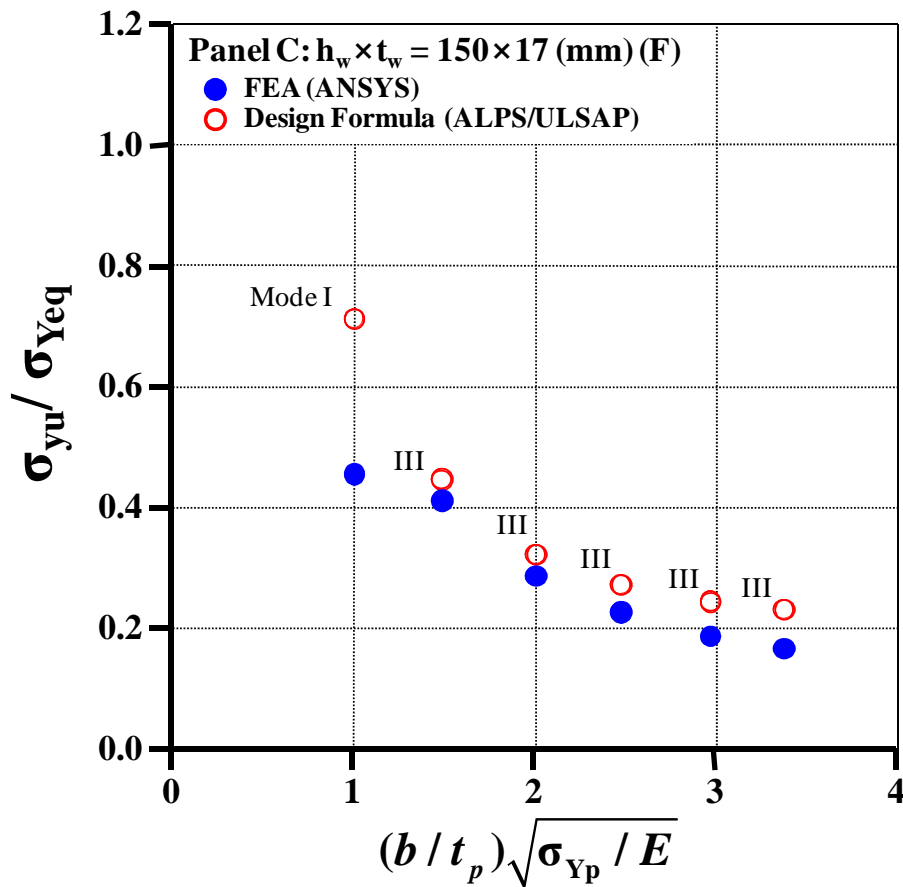
All stiffener types



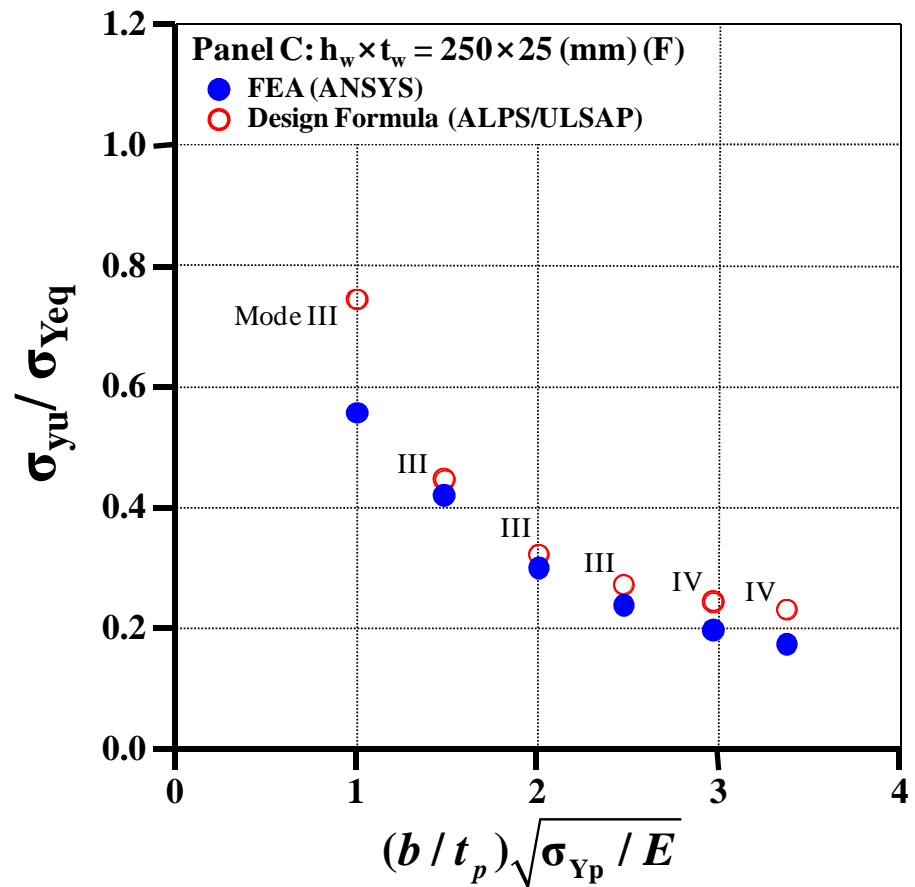
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (9/26)

- Flat Bar Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

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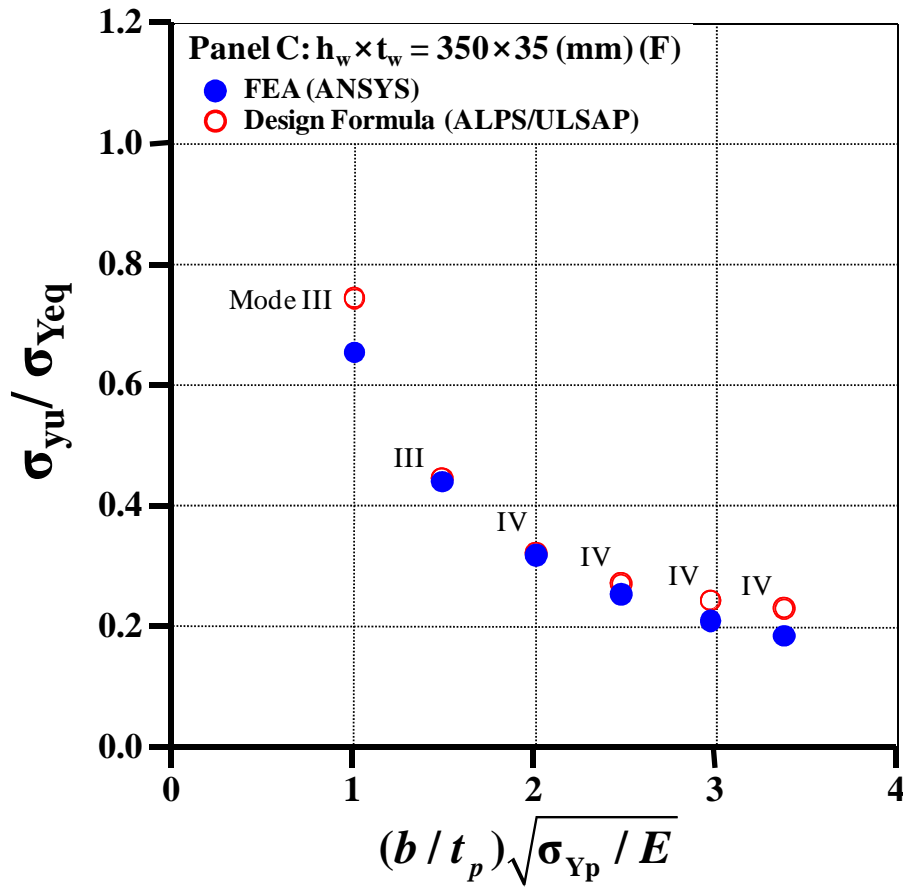
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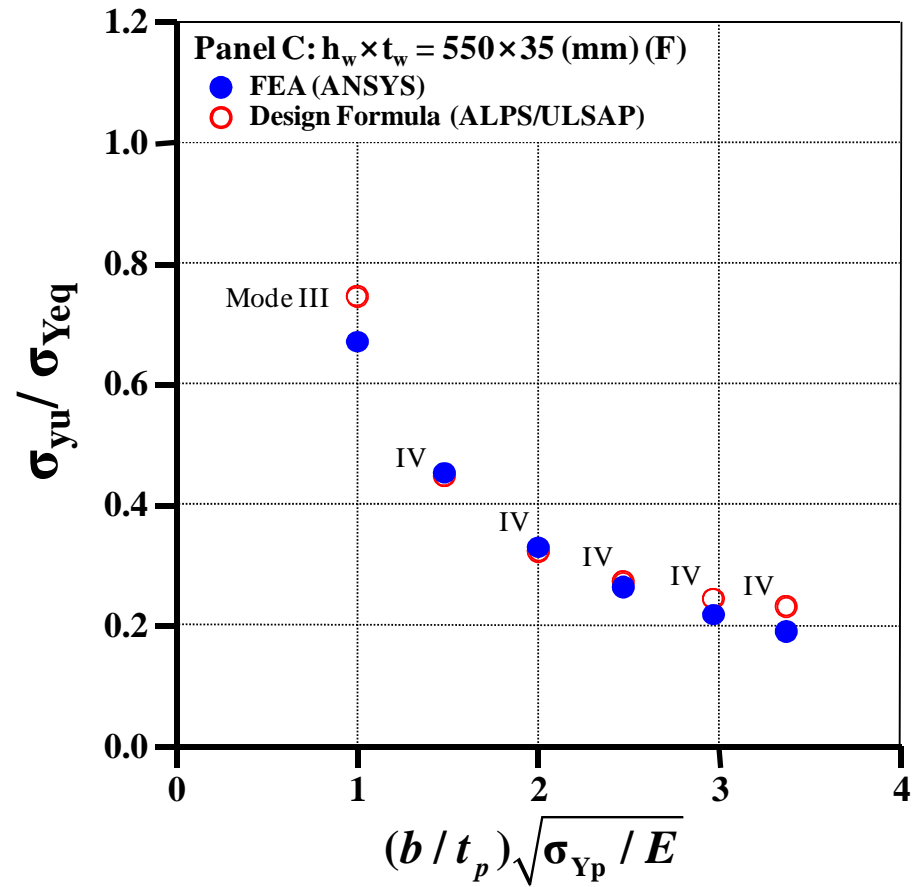
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- Flat Bar Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

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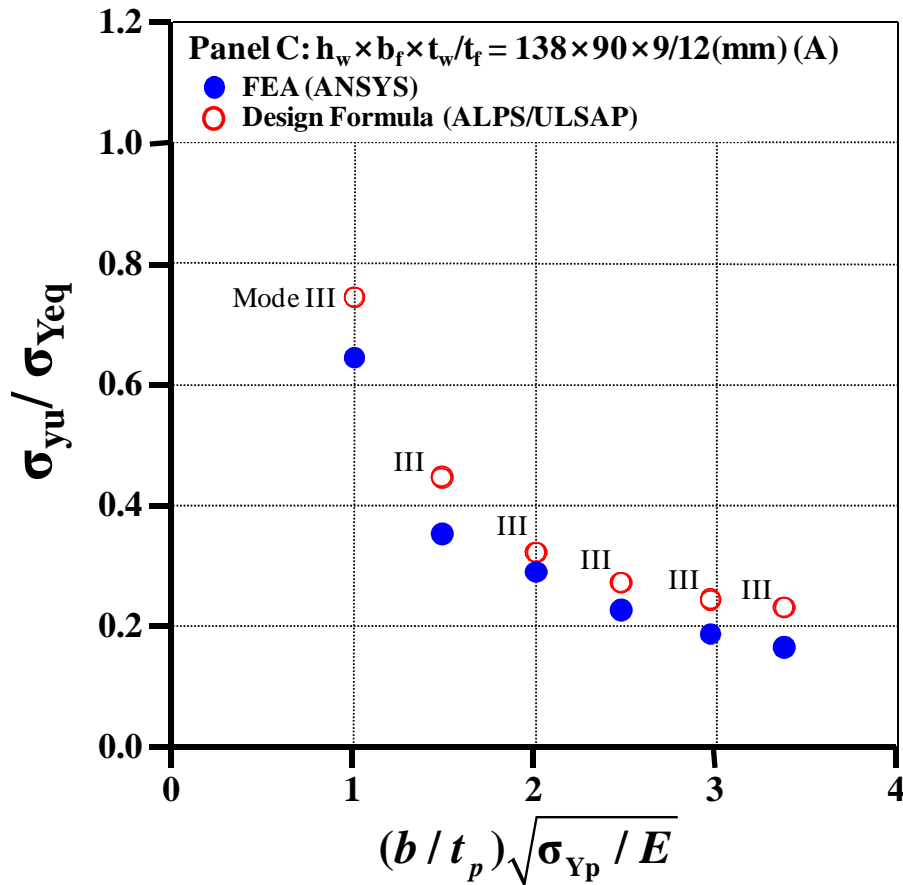
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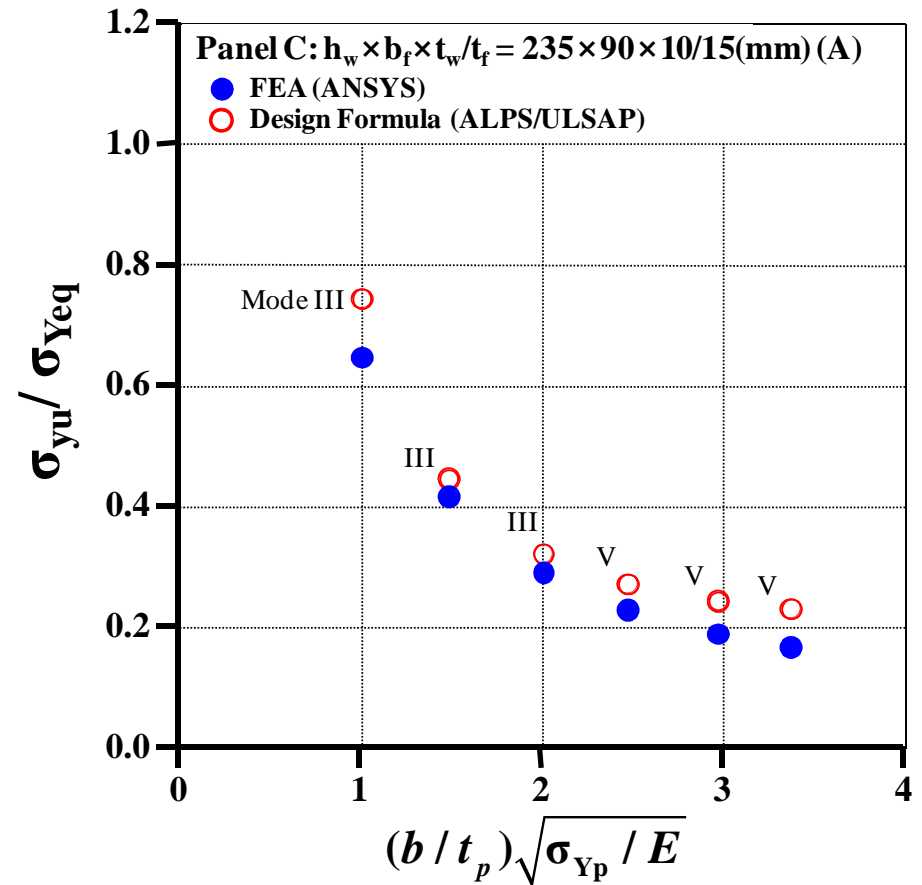
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (11/26)

- Angle Bar Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

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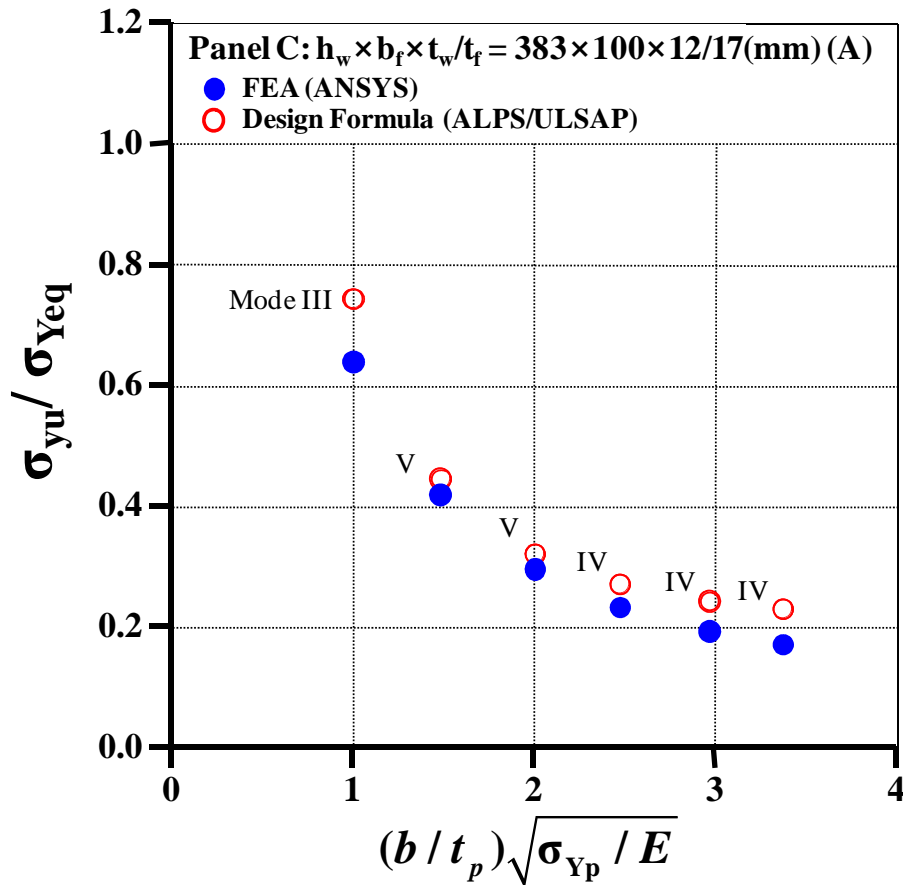
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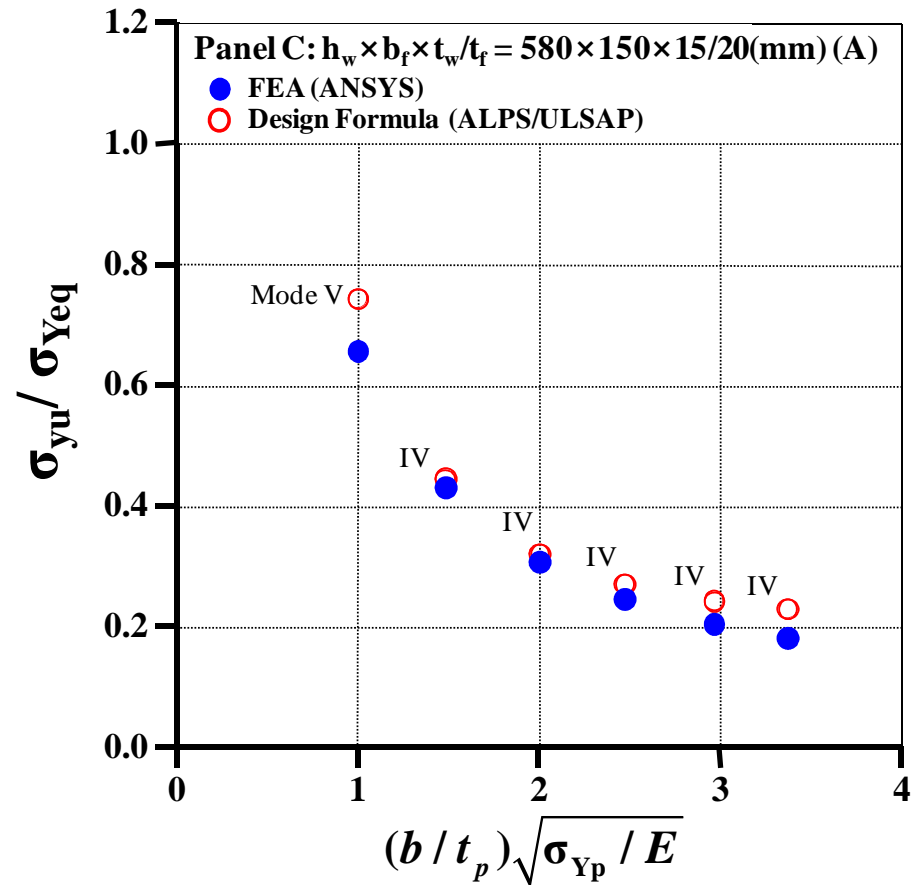
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- Angle Bar Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

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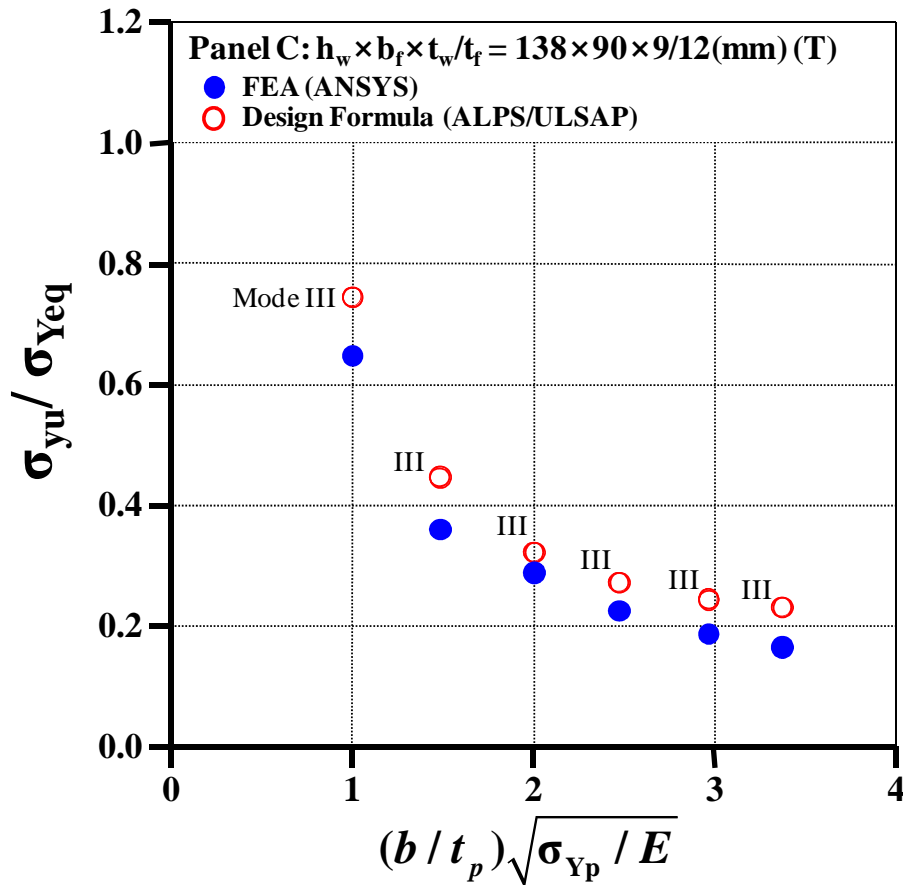
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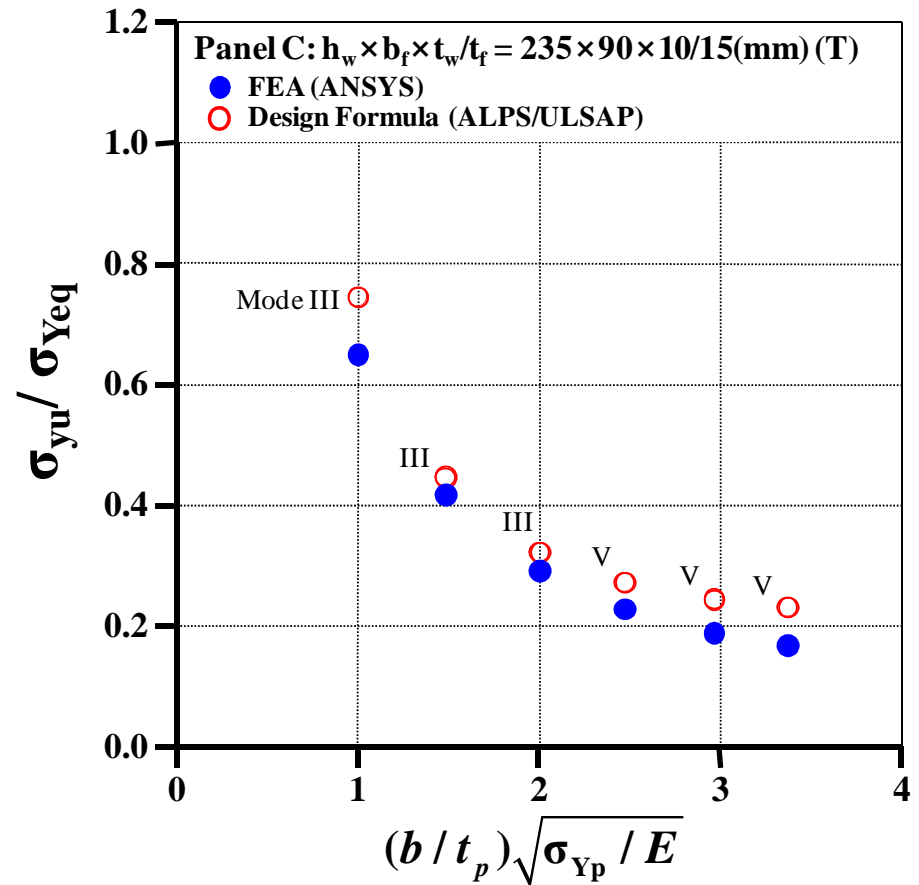
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (13/26)

- Tee Bar Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

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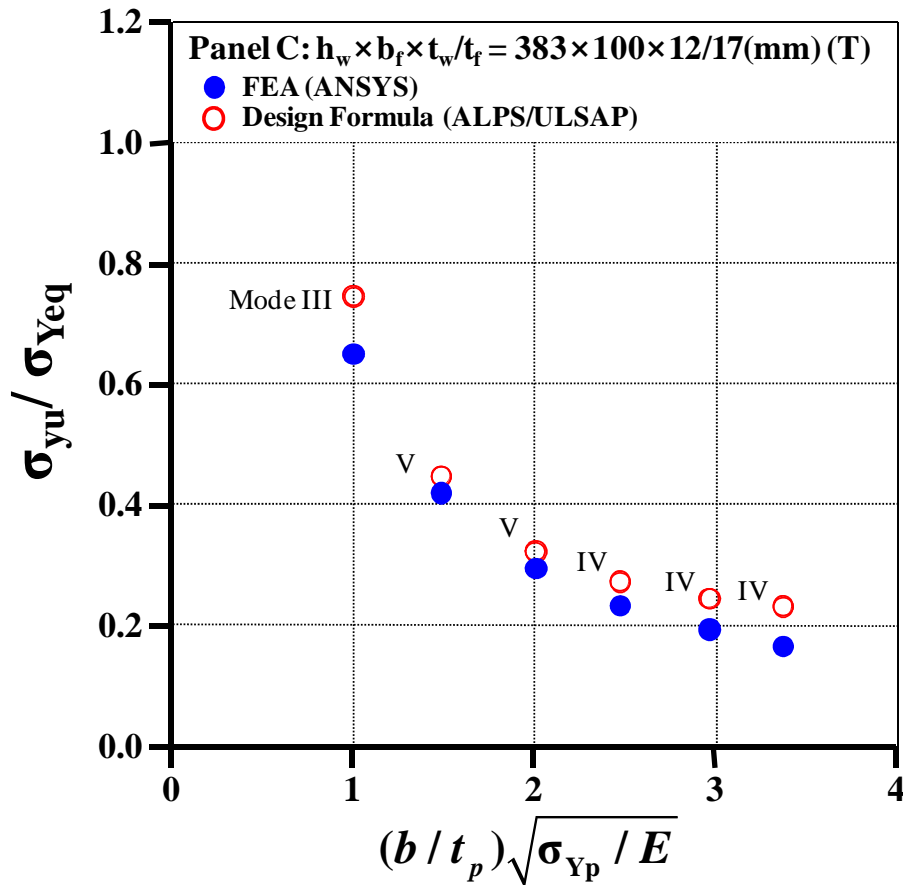
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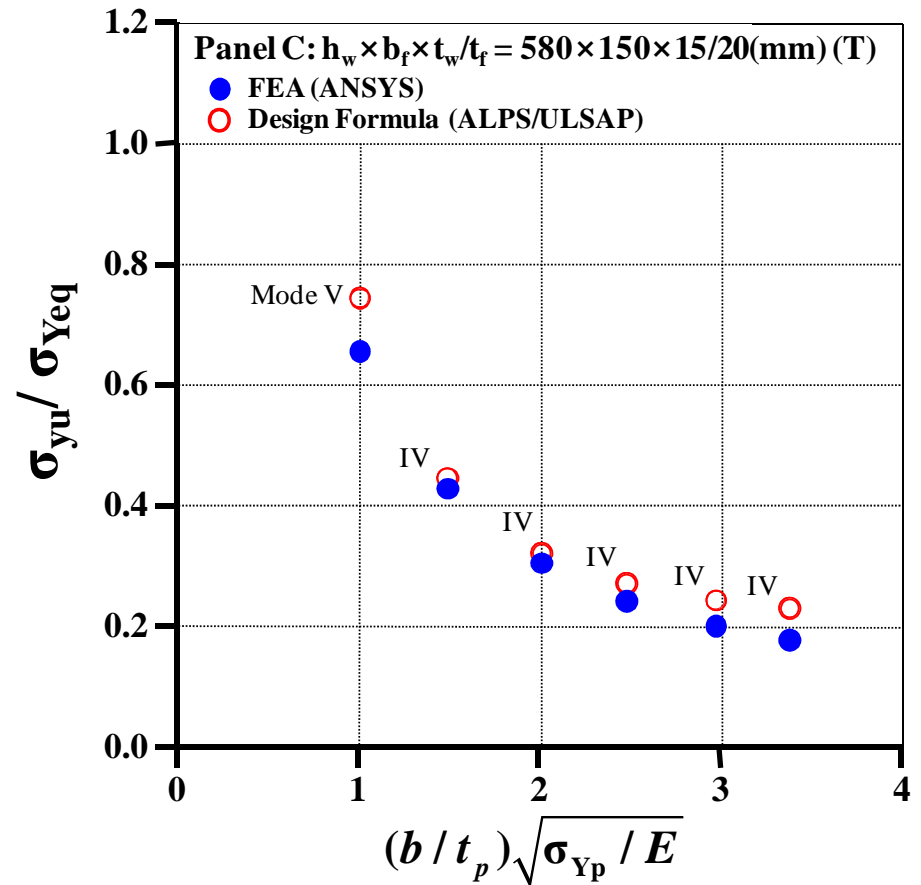
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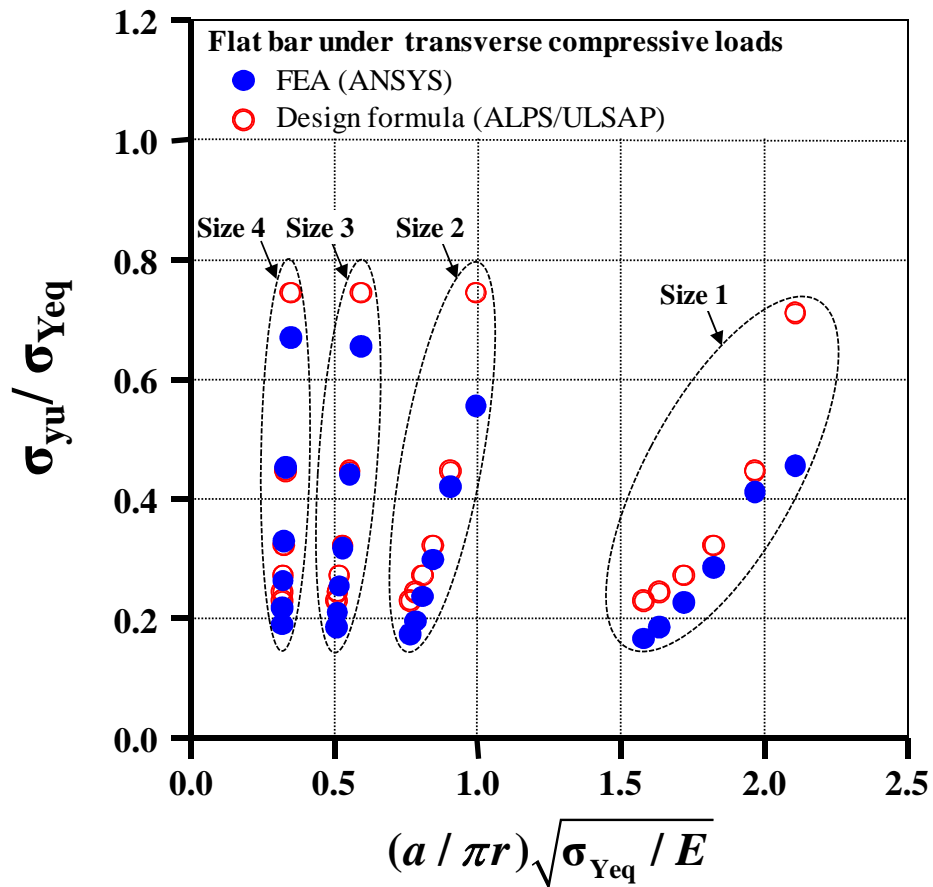
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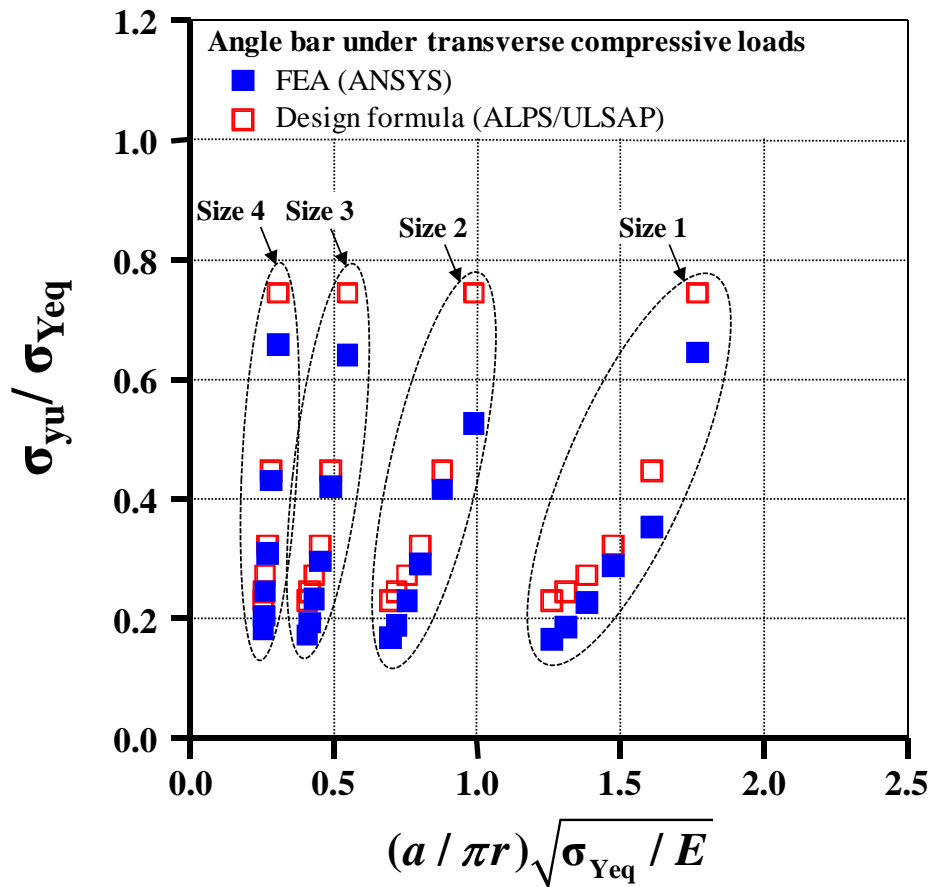
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (15/26)

- Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

Flat bar



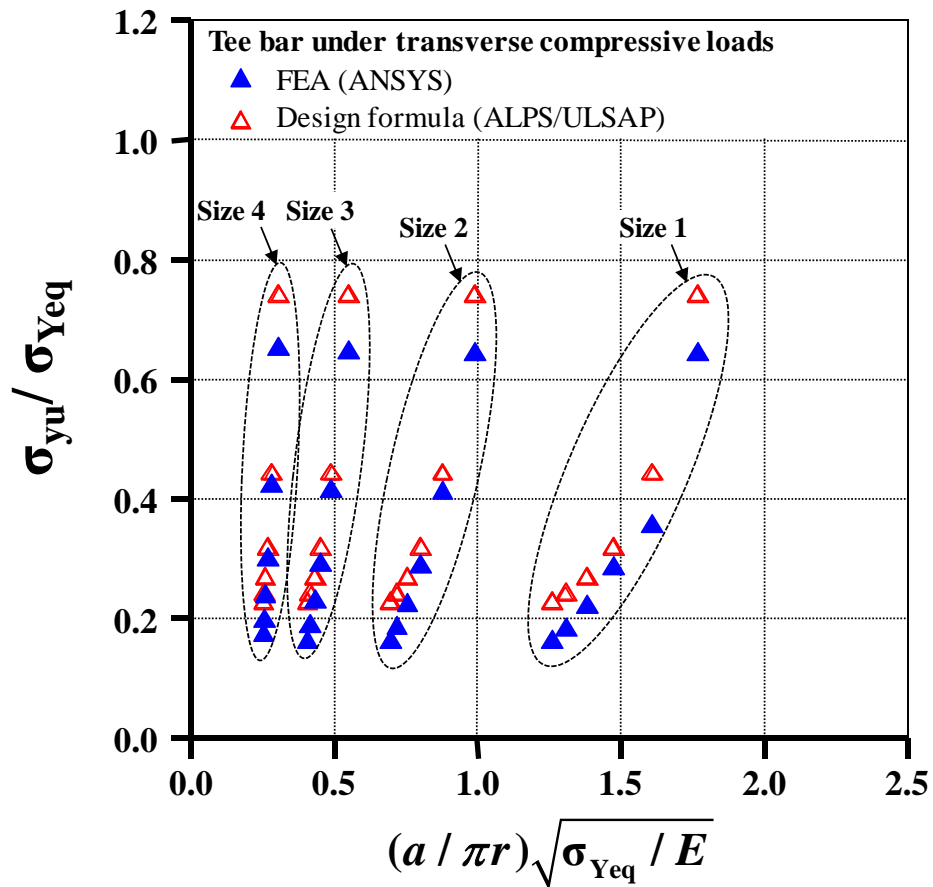
Angle bar



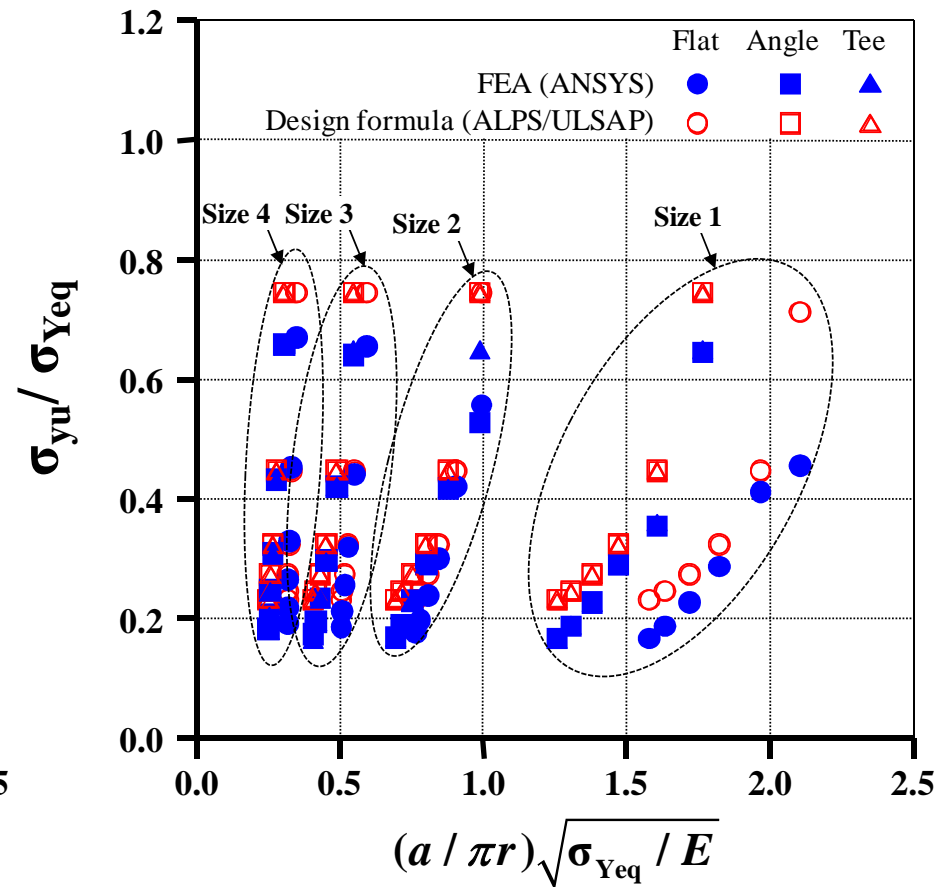
Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (16/26)

- Under Transverse Uniaxial Compression

Tee bar



All stiffener types



Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (17/26)

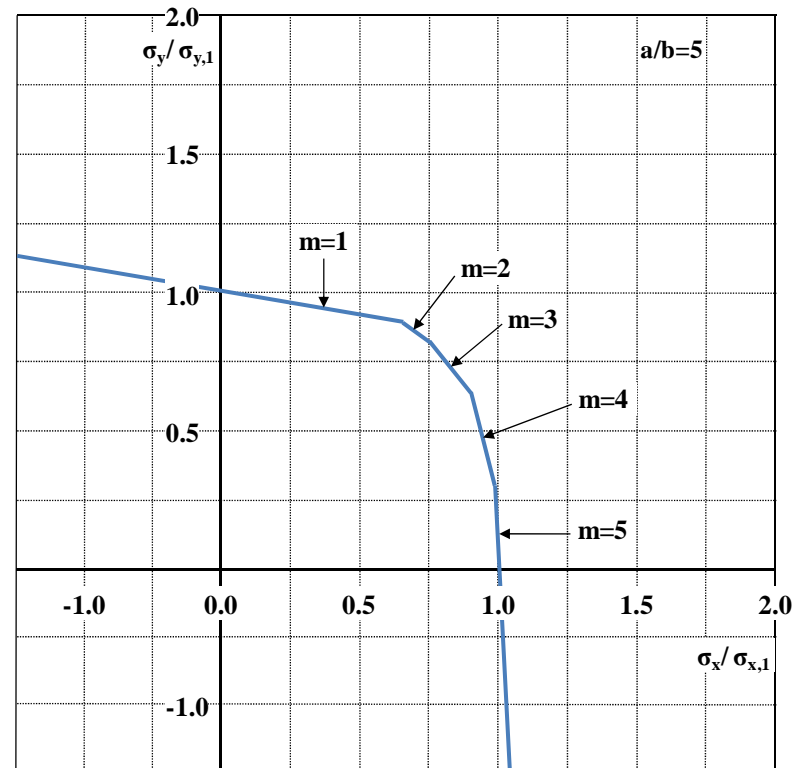
- Buckling half-wave number

$$\frac{(m^2 / a^2 + 1 / b^2)^2}{m^2 / a^2 + c / b^2} \leq \frac{[(m + 1)^2 / a^2 + 1 / b^2]^2}{(m + 1)^2 / a^2 + c / b^2}$$

where, $c = \sigma_y / \sigma_x$

σ_x and σ_y are the component of the longitudinal and transverse axial buckling stress of the plate under combined biaxial loading.

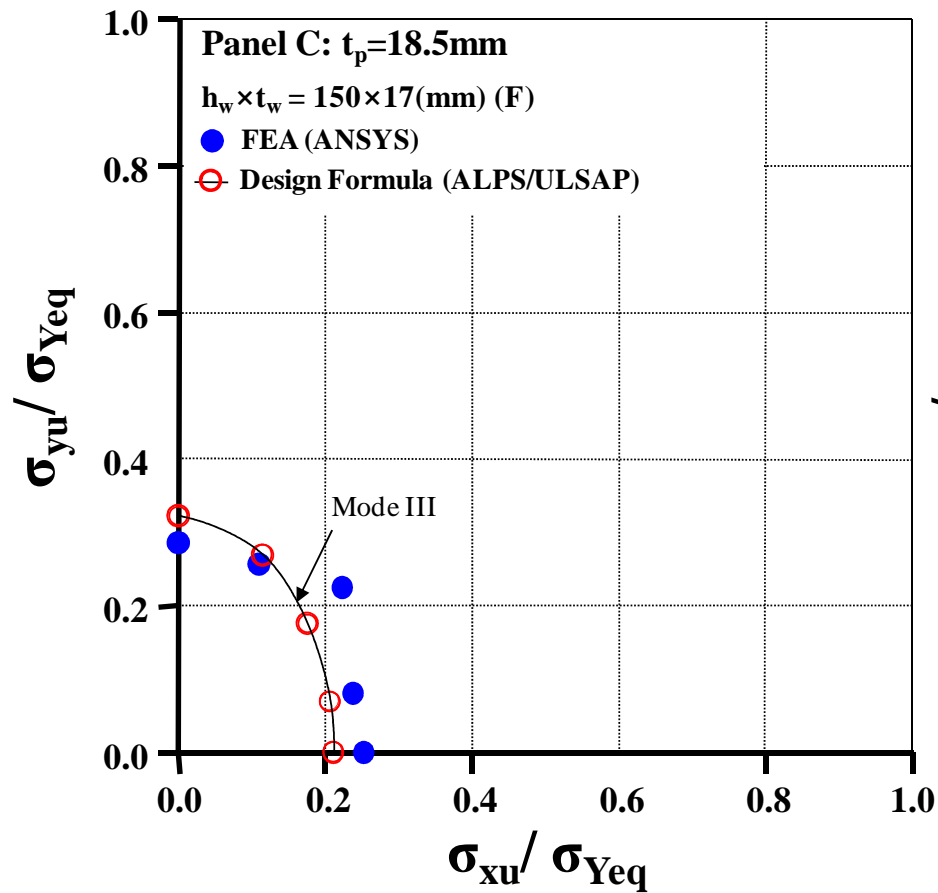
$\sigma_{x,1}$ and $\sigma_{y,1}$ are the component of the longitudinal or transverse axial buckling stress of the plate under uniaxial loading.



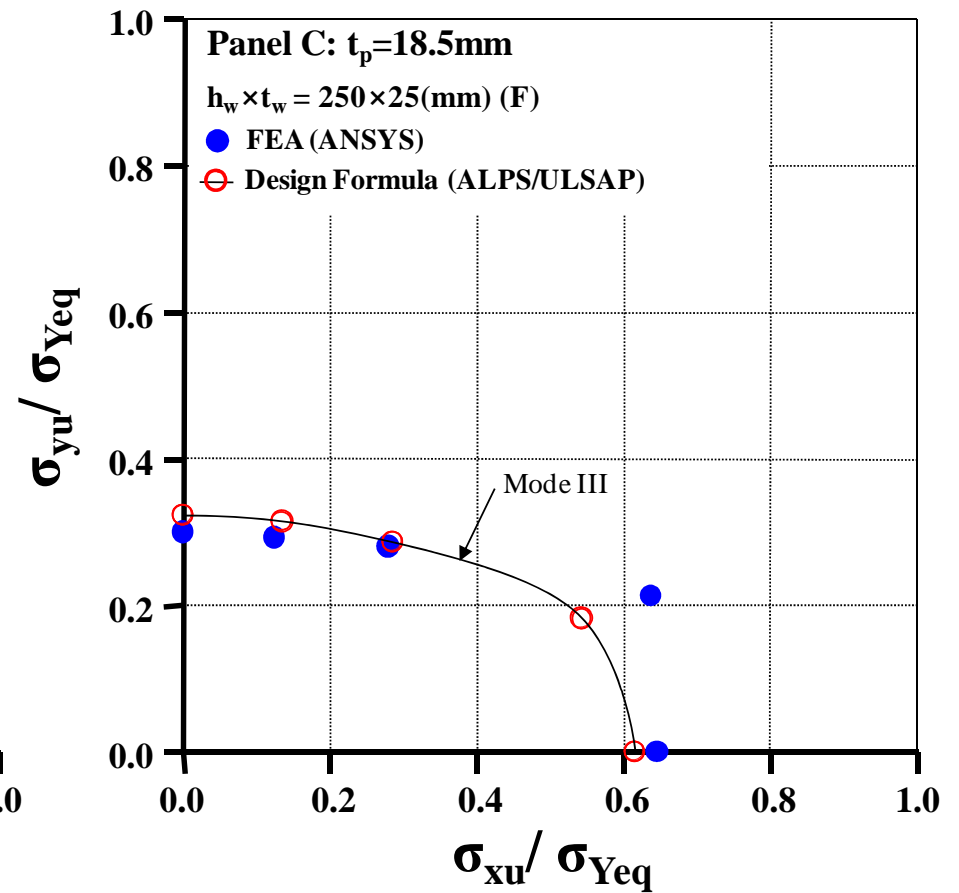
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- Under Biaxial Compression (Flat Bar, $t_p=18.5\text{mm}$)

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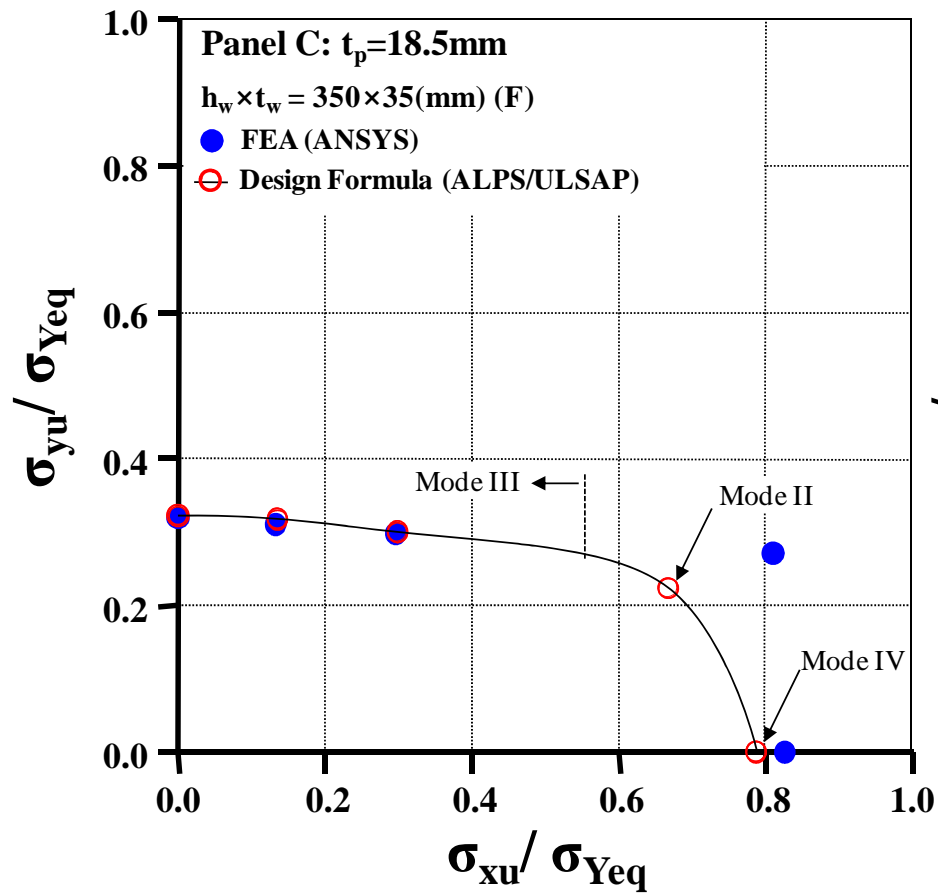
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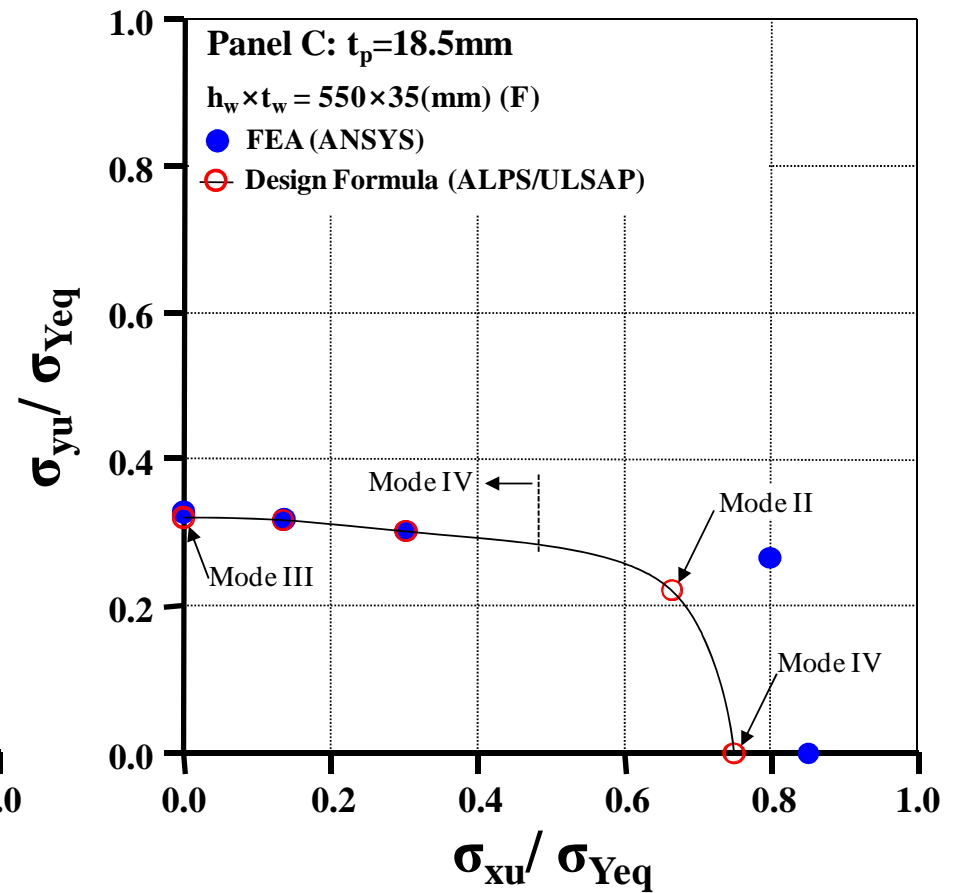
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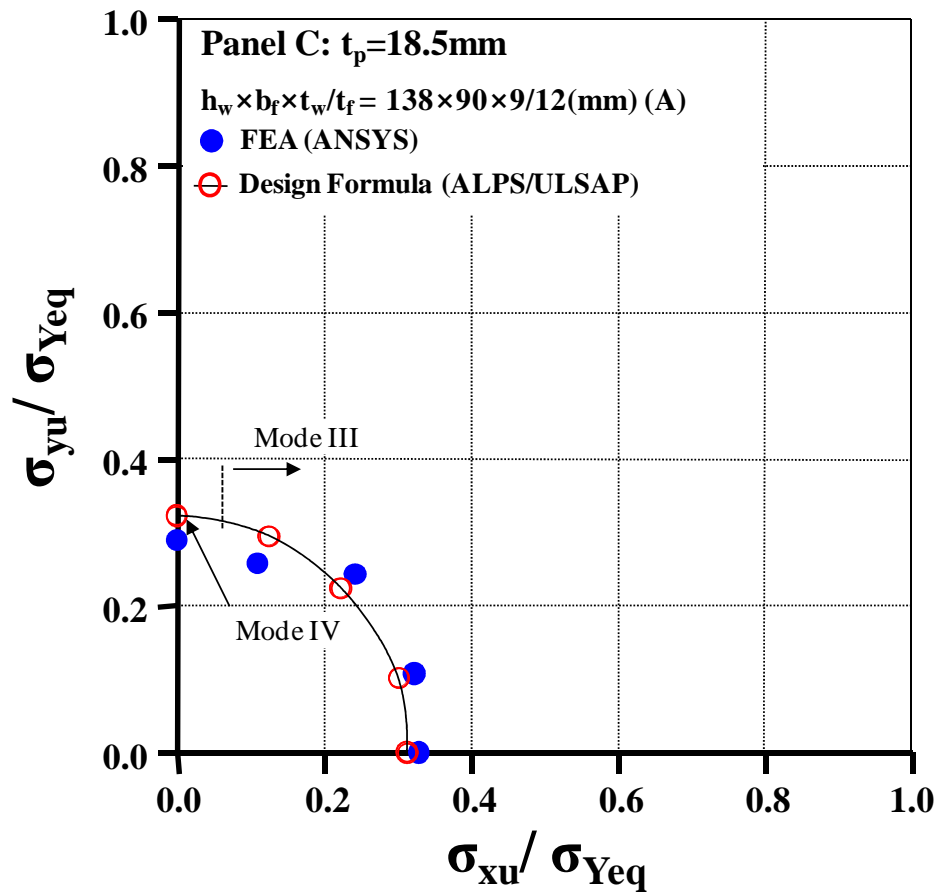
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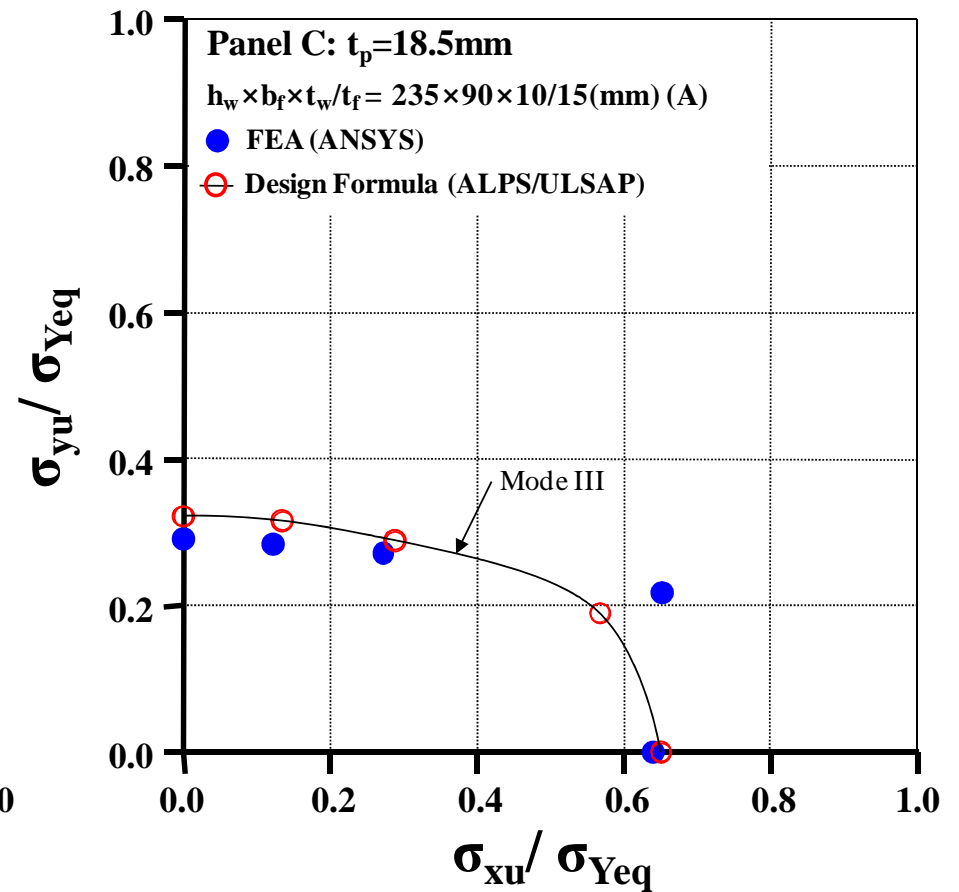
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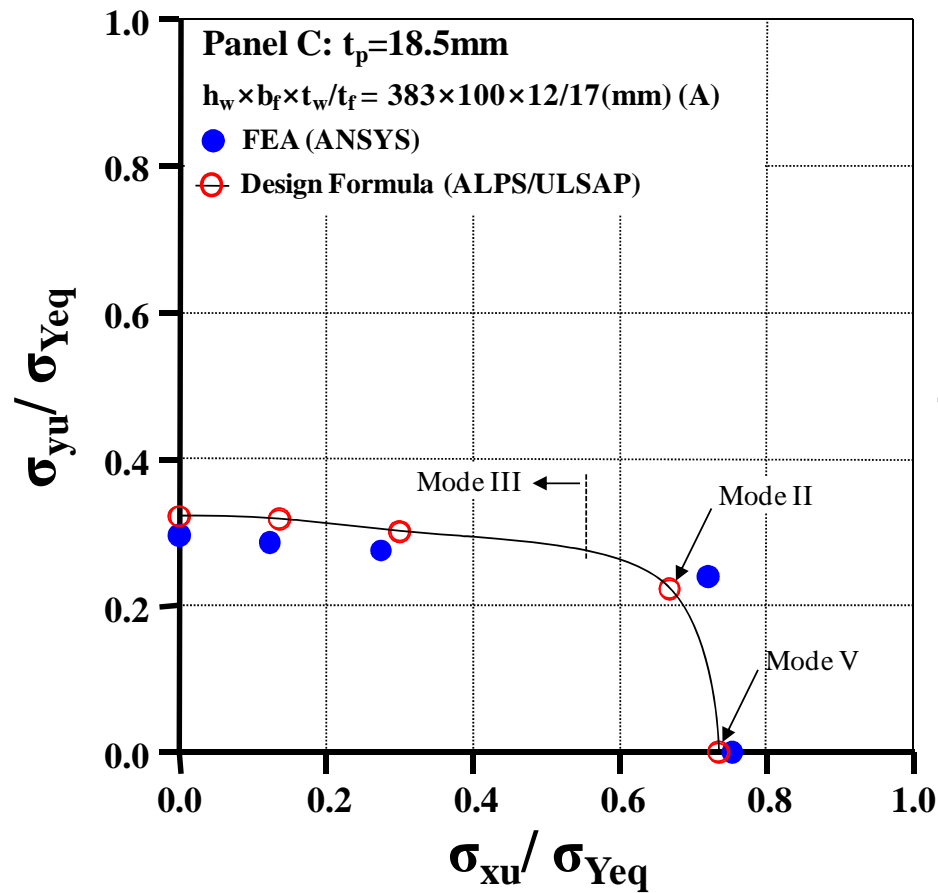
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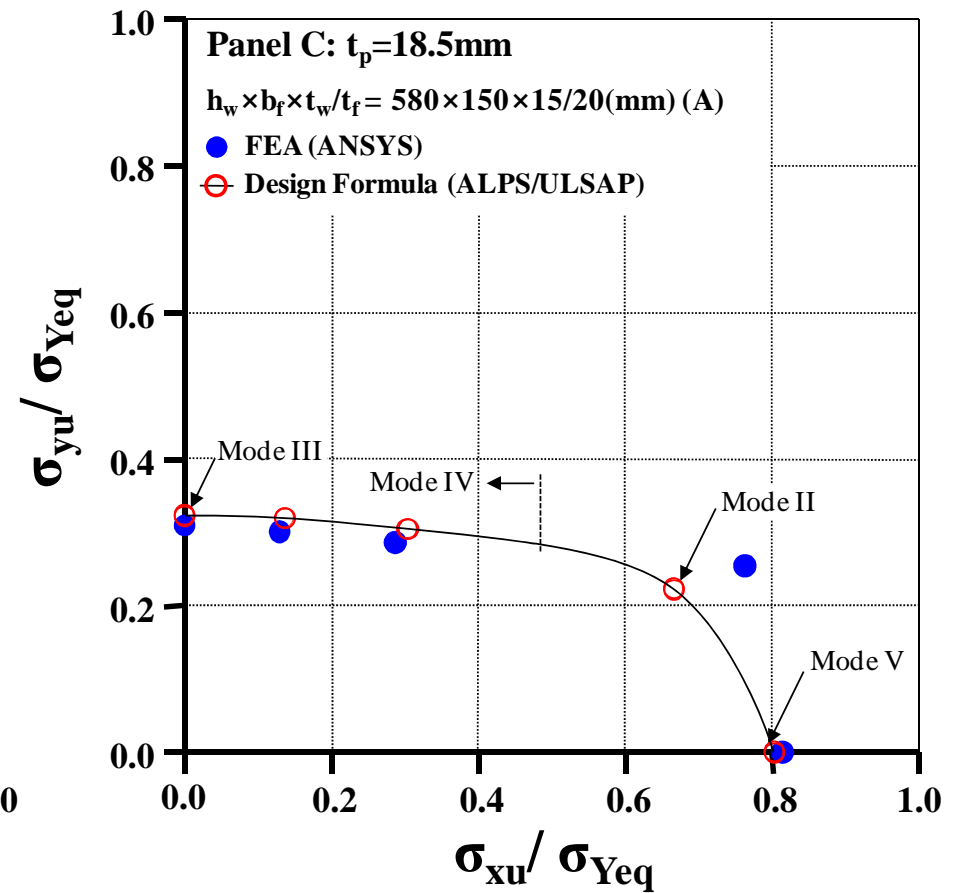
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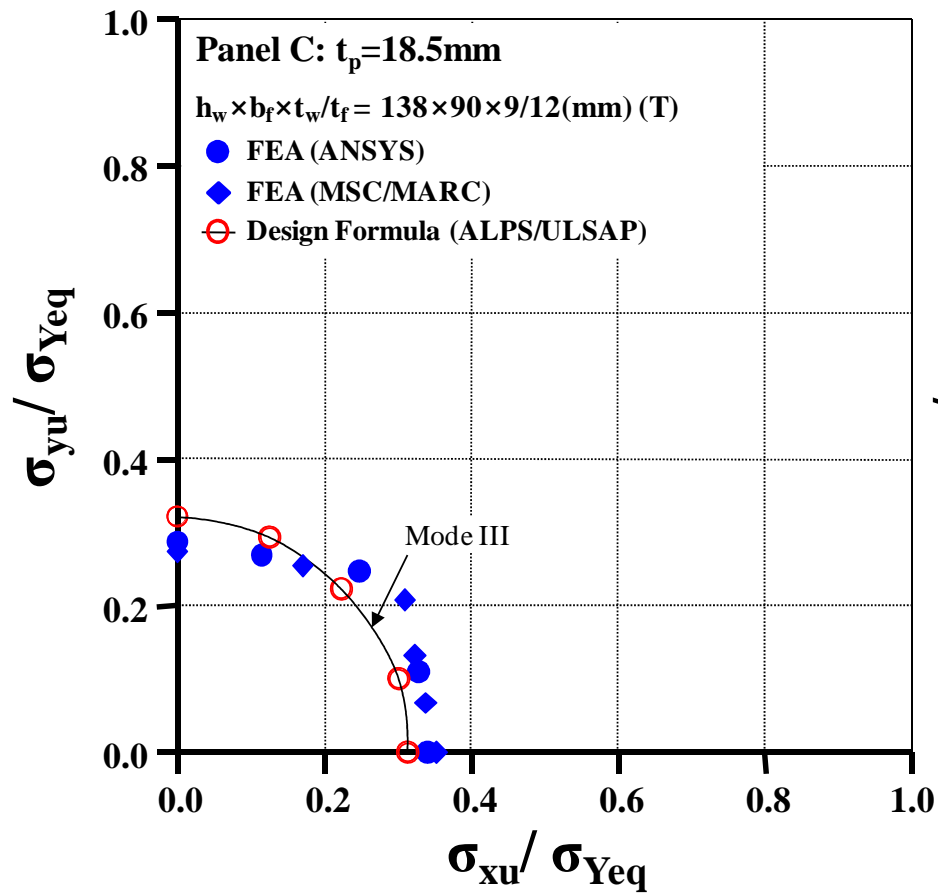
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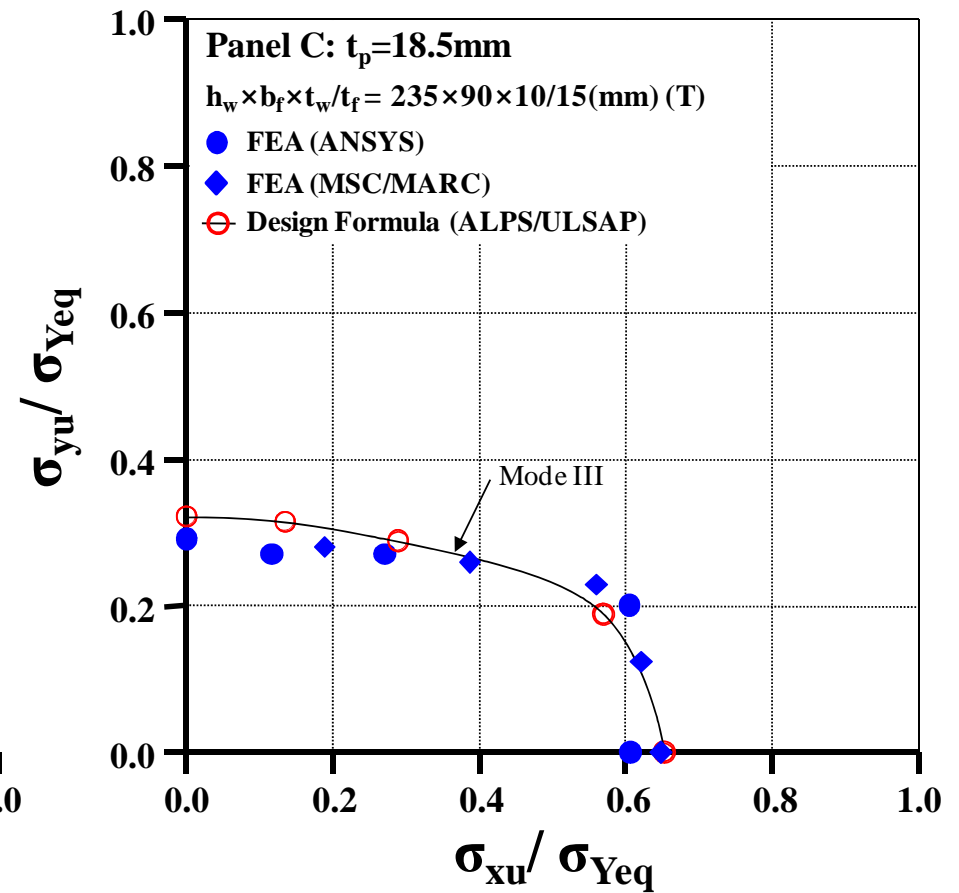
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- Under Biaxial Compression (Tee Bar, $t_p=18.5\text{mm}$)

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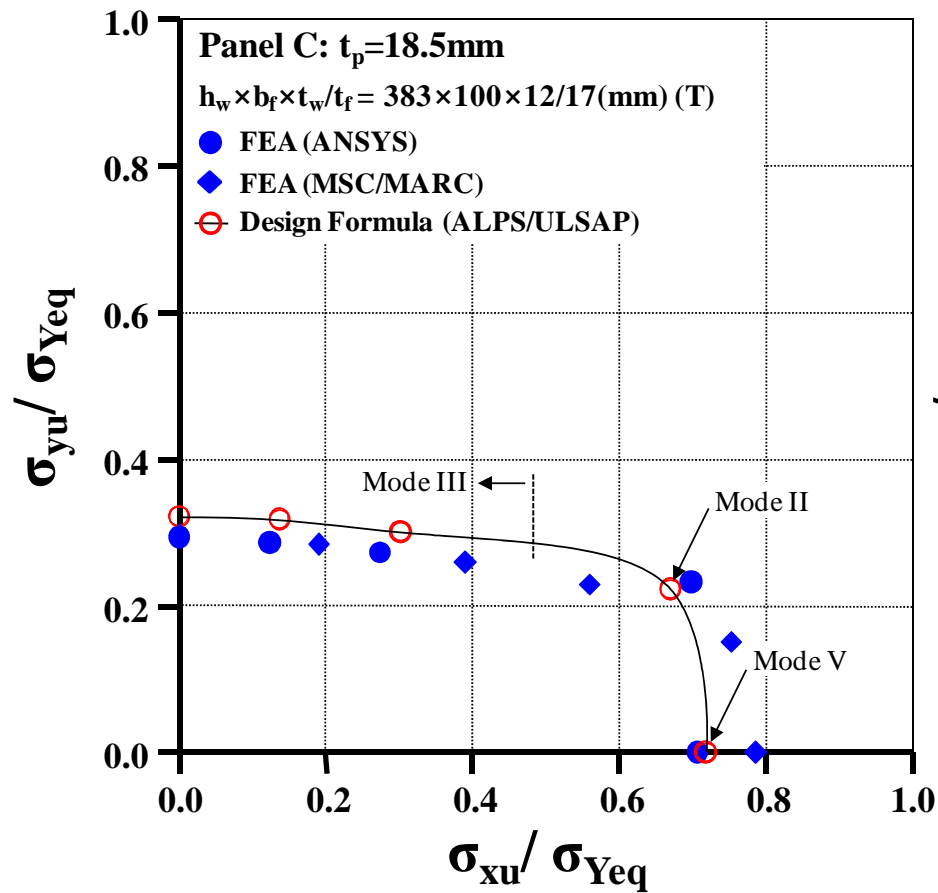
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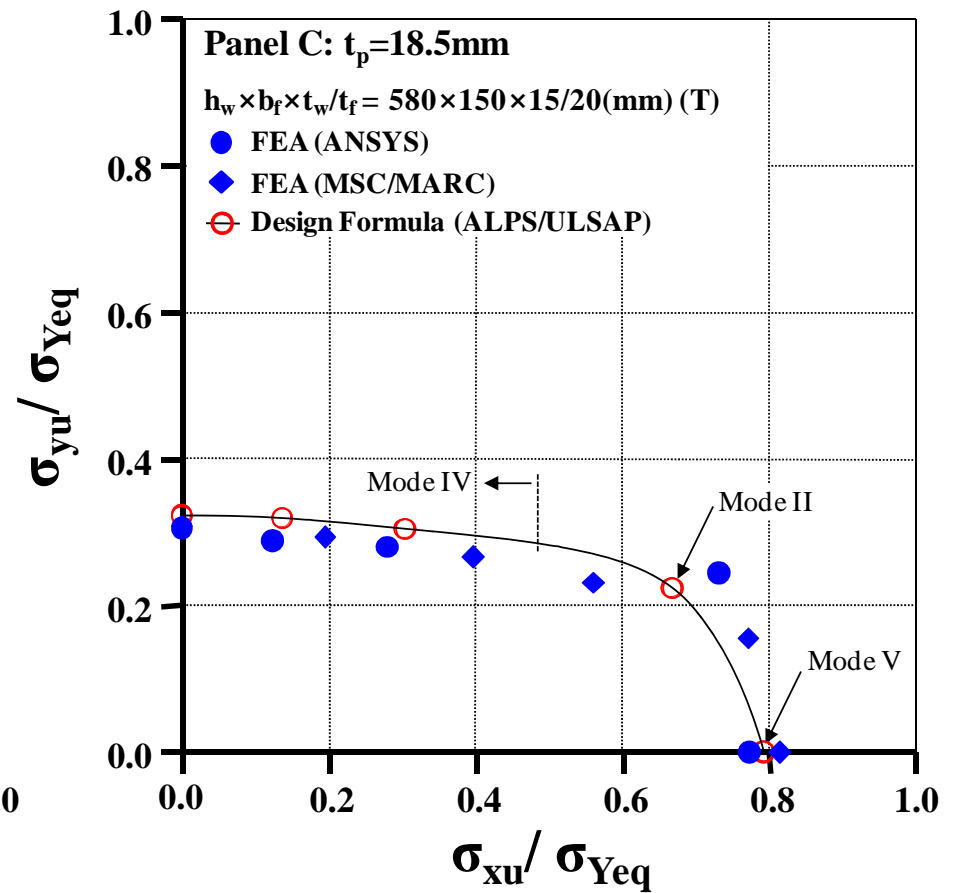
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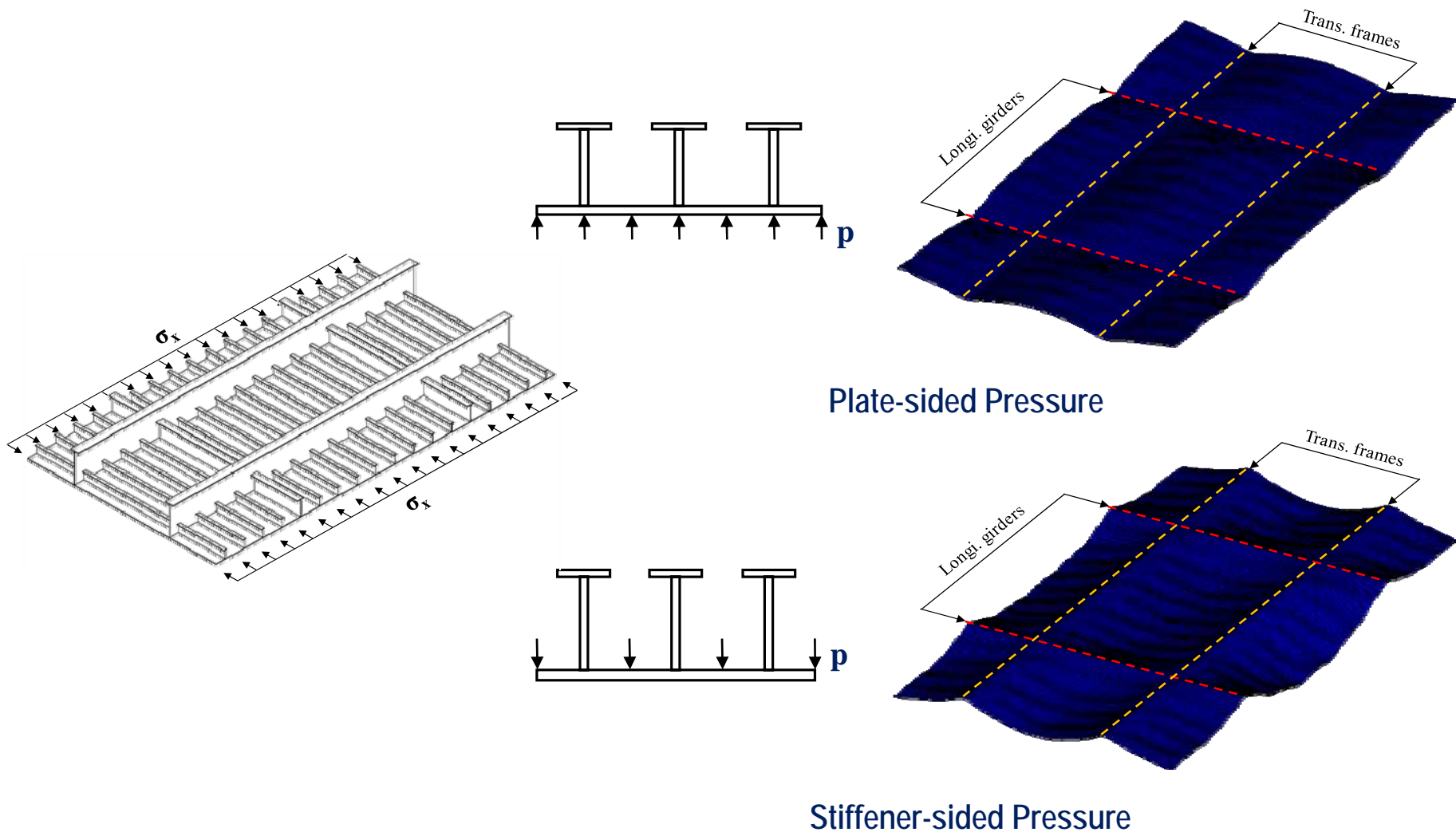


Size 4



Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (24/26)

- Under Combined Longitudinal Compression and Lateral Pressure Loads



Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (25/26)

- Under Combined Longitudinal Compression and Lateral Pressure Loads

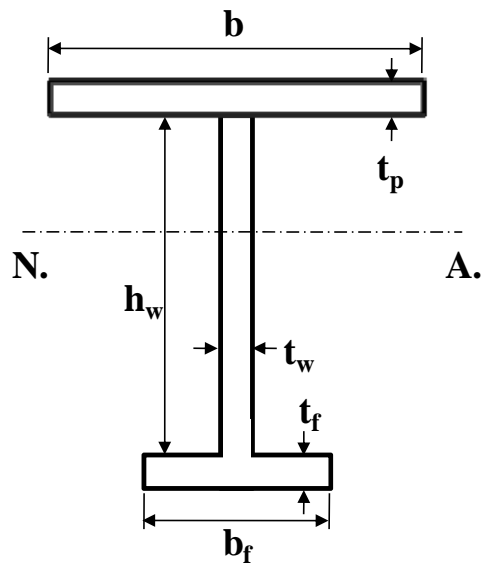
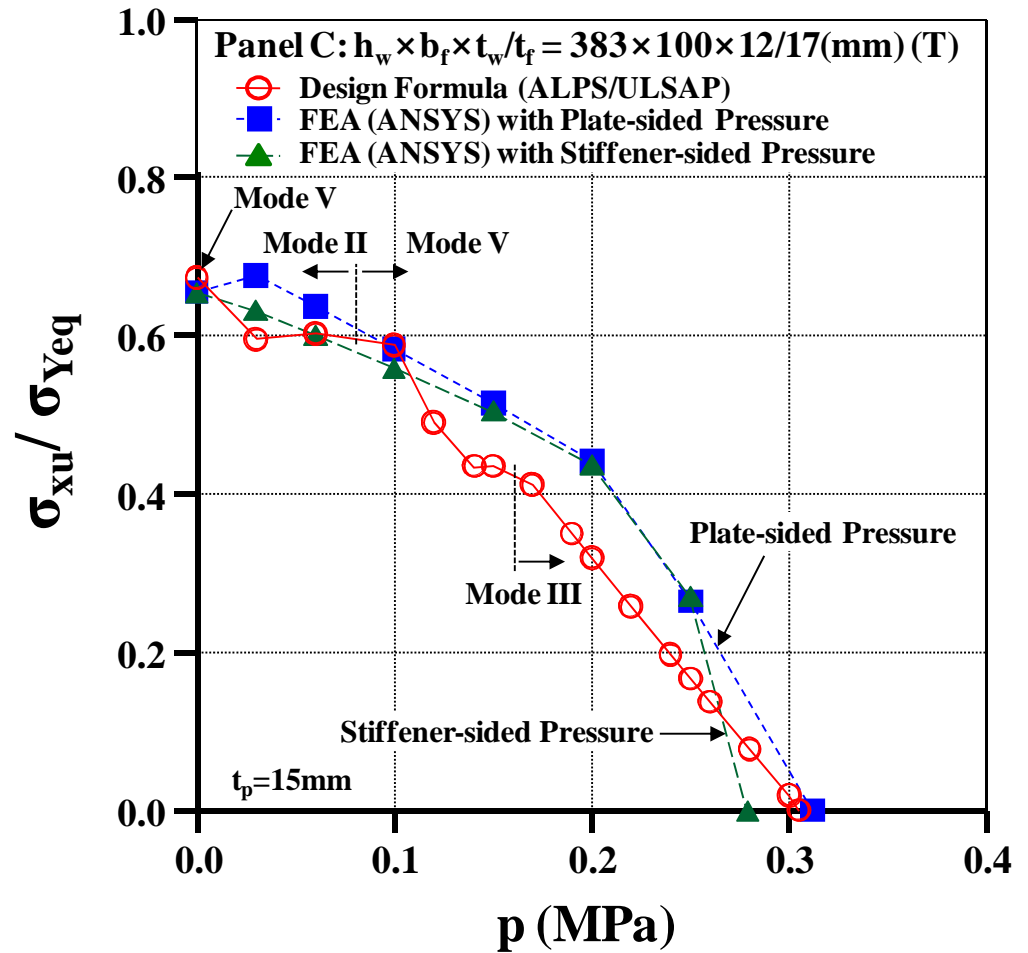


Plate thickness, $t_p = 15 \text{ mm}$

$h_w \times b_f \times t_w / t_f = 383 \times 100 \times 12 / 17 (\text{mm}) (\text{T})$



Ultimate Strength of Stiffened Panels (26/26)

- Under Combined Longitudinal Compression and Lateral Pressure Loads

Plate thickness, $t_p = 15$ mm

$$h_w \times b_f \times t_w / t_f = 383 \times 100 \times 12 / 17 (\text{mm}) (T)$$

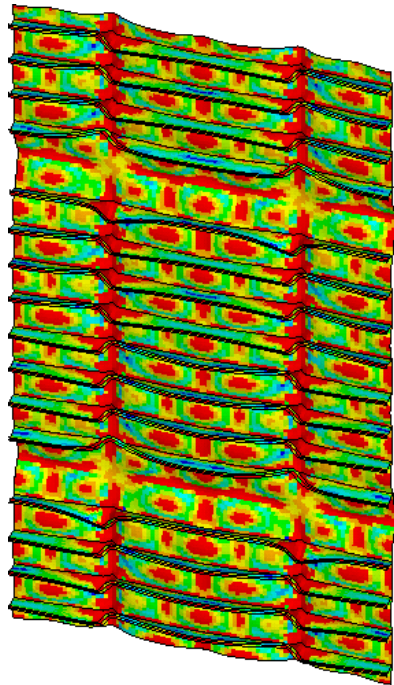
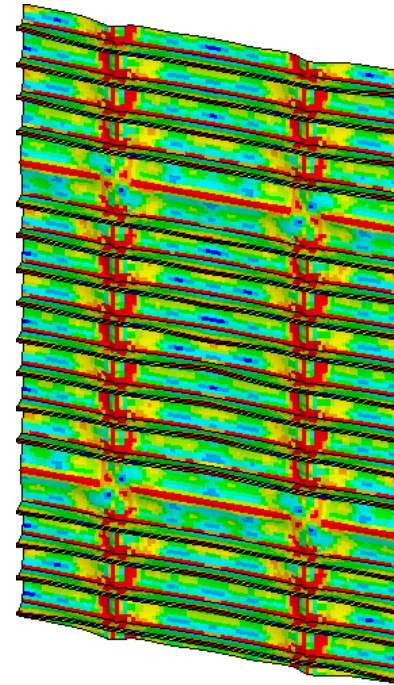


Plate-sided Pressure

(with $p=0.25$ MPa, amplification factor of 10)



Stiffener-sided Pressure

(with $p=-0.25$ MPa, amplification factor of 10)

Concluding Remarks

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- The dimension and material properties of a real ship panel was selected as a standard panel and a wider range of plating and stiffener dimensions were considered by varying the panel's properties.
- The objective of the benchmark study reported in this paper was to check the accuracy of the ALPS/ULSAP method's use to calculate the ultimate strength of plate and stiffened panel, compared with nonlinear finite element method.
- The ALPS/ULSAP method was found in a good agreement with the nonlinear finite element method computations through a wide range of panel dimensions and different loading conditions.
- The ALPS/ULSAP method is based on design formulations, the computational time required is extremely short compared to the nonlinear finite element method. So, this will be of great advantage in the structures design and safety assessment of ship structures comprising a large number of plate and panels.

Ultimate Strength of Hull Girders

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Overview

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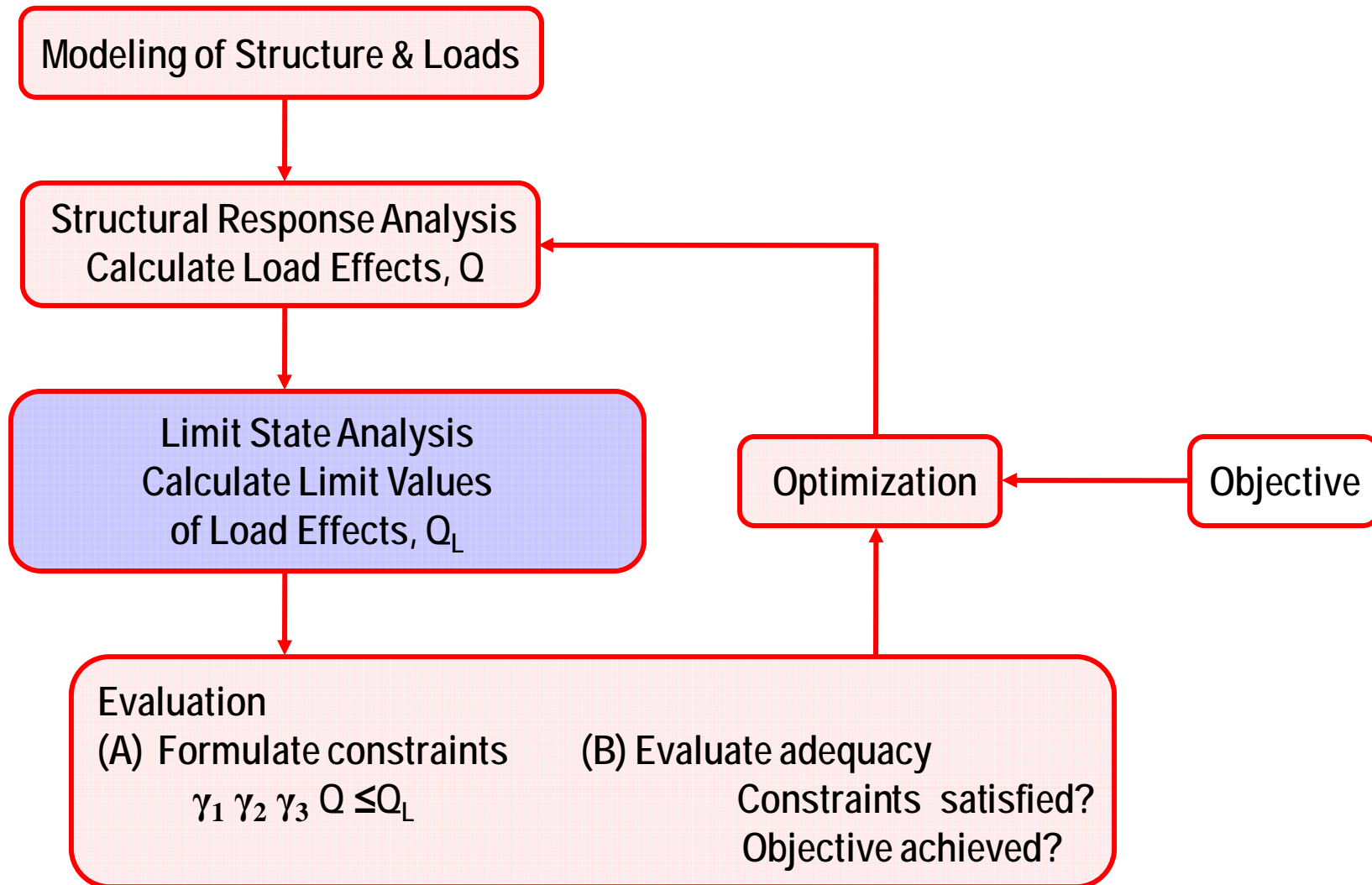
Background

- To develop the modified Paik-Mansour formula method for the ultimate strength calculations of ship hulls subject to vertical bending moments.
- To validate the accuracy and applicability of modified Paik-Mansour formula method by comparing with more refined other methods.



Rationally-based structural design

(Optimum structural design procedure based on ultimate limit state)

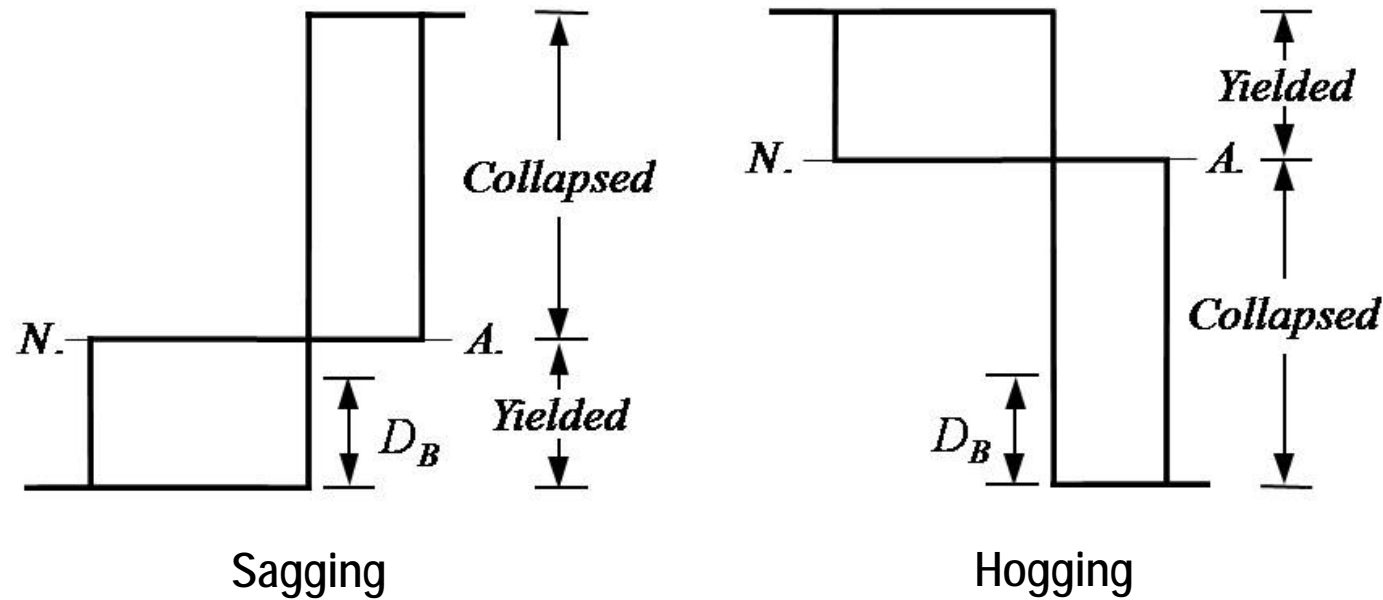


Methods for the ultimate hull strength analysis

- **Numerical**
 - Nonlinear FEM
 - Intelligent supersize FEM
 - Idealized structural unit method
- **Analytical**
 - Design formula
- **Experimental**

Presumed stress distribution-based method (1/8)

Caldwell's original formula method (1965)

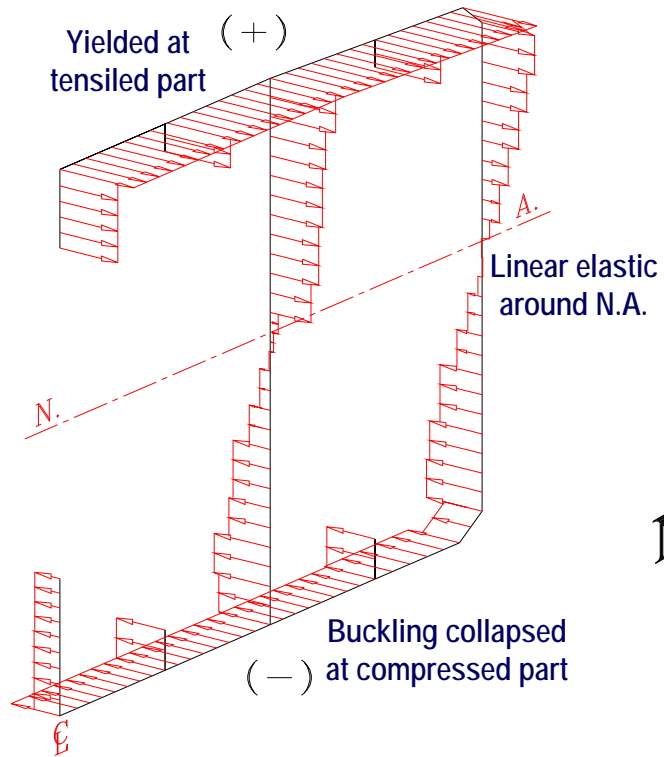


$$\int \sigma_x dA = 0$$

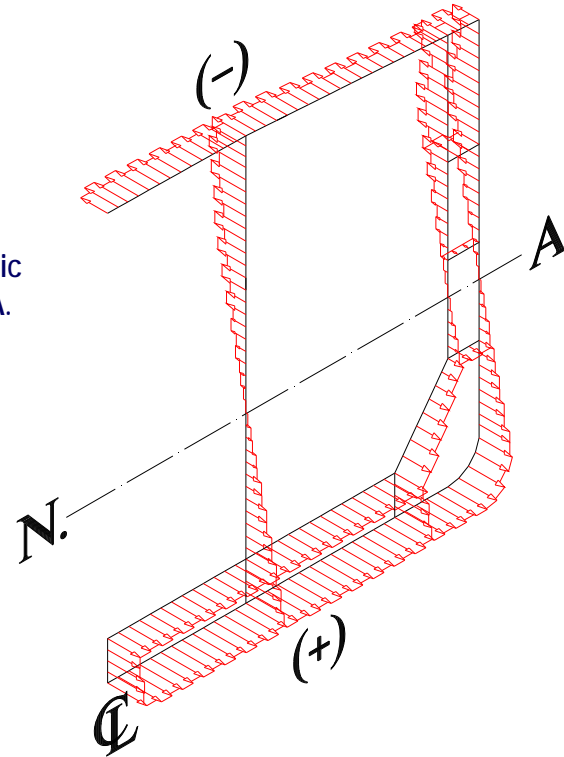
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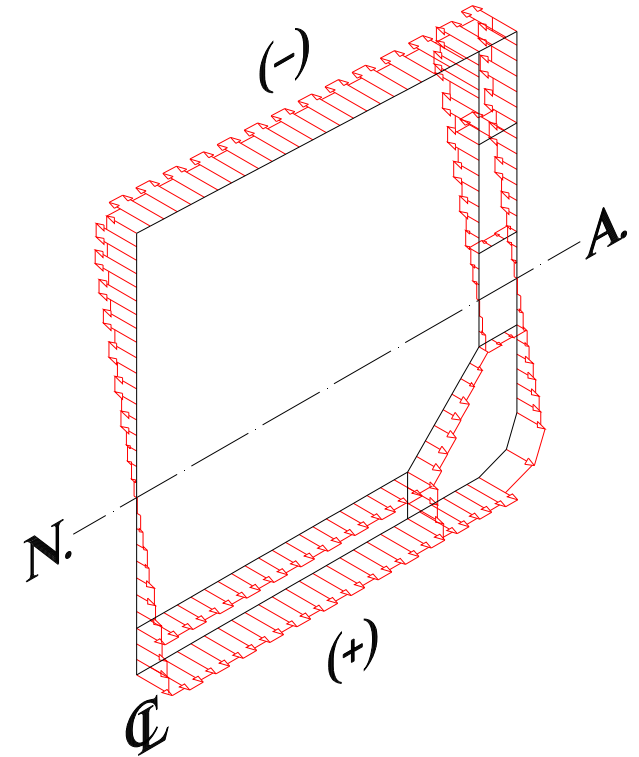
Presumed stress distribution-based method (2/8)



Single hull VLCC
in hogging



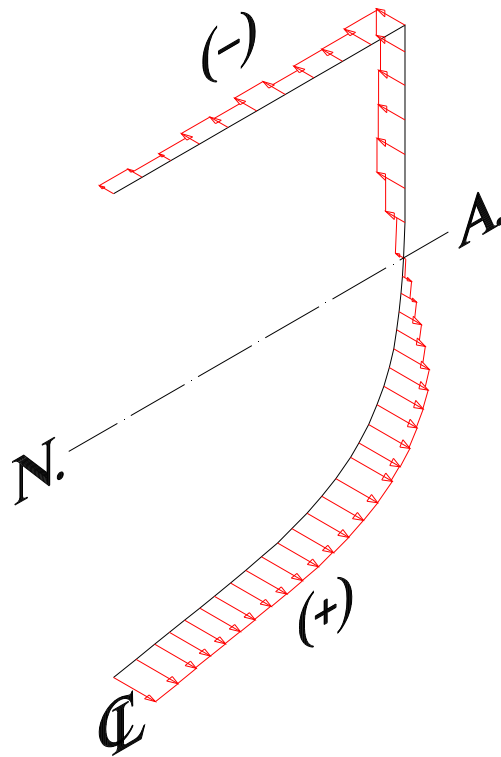
Double hull VLCC
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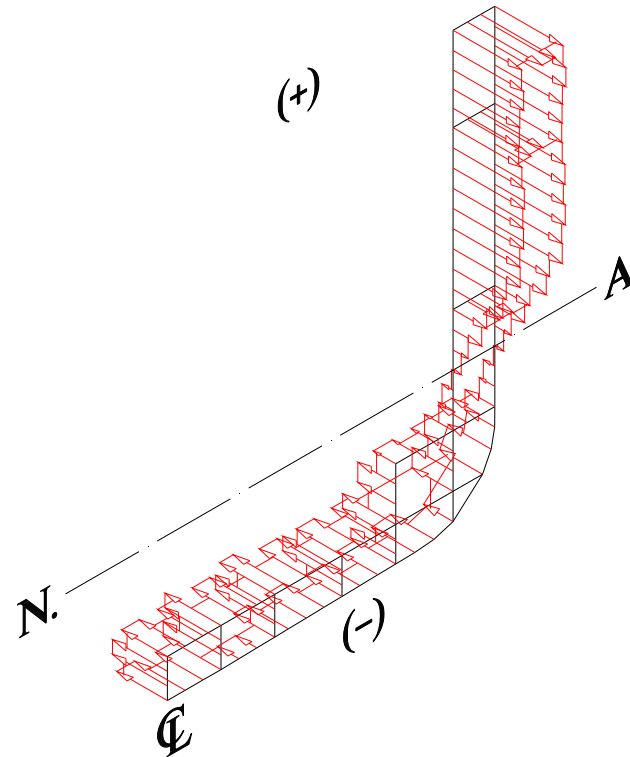
Suezmax-class double hull
VLCC in sagging

Longitudinal bending stress distribution of tanker hull
at ULS obtained by Nonlinear FEA

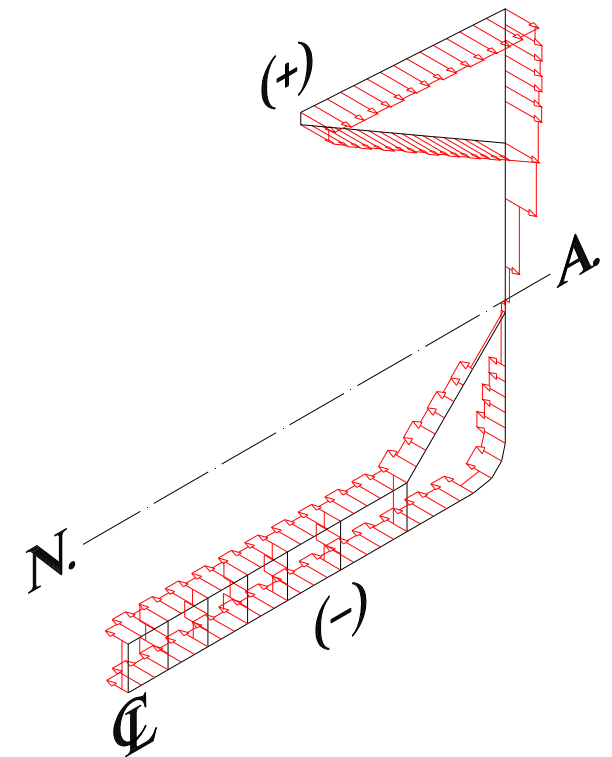
Presumed stress distribution-based method (3/8)



Dow's frigate test hull
in sagging



Container ship
in hogging

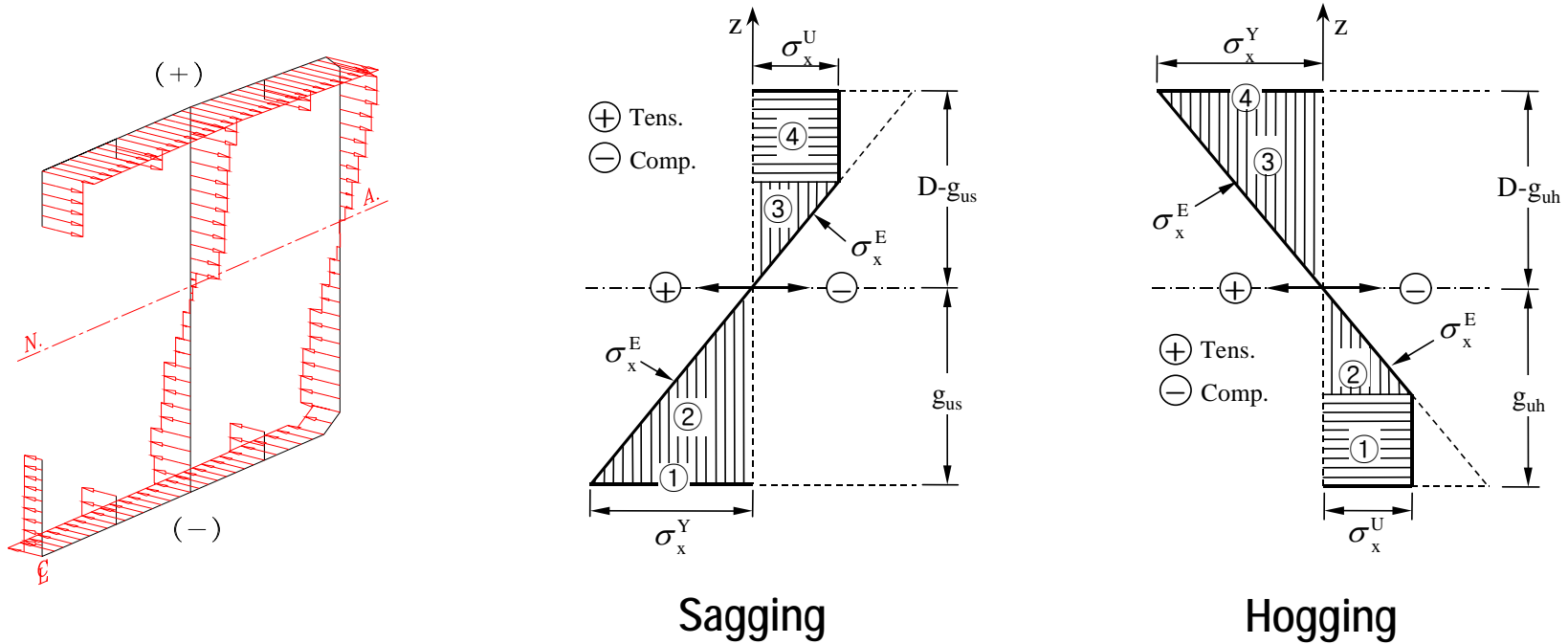


Bulk carrier
in hogging

Longitudinal bending stress distribution of ship hull
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Presumed stress distribution-based method (4/8)

Original Paik-Mansour formula method (1995)



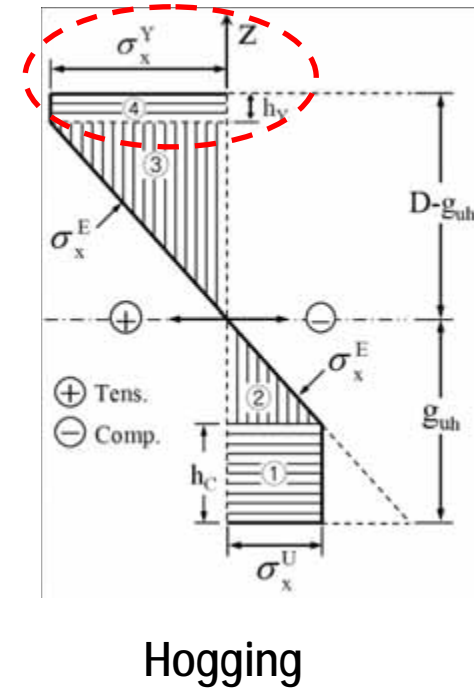
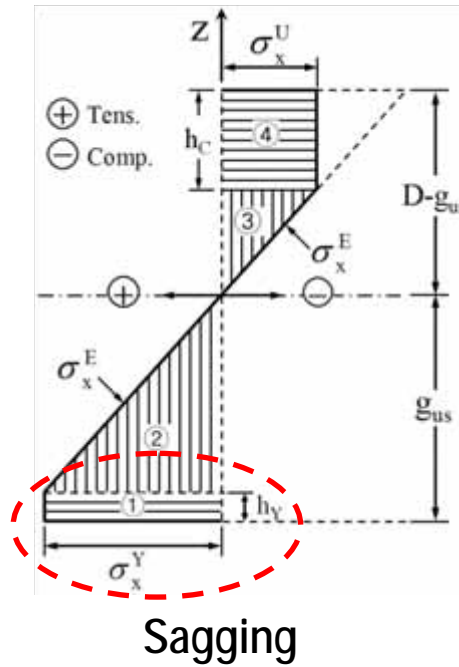
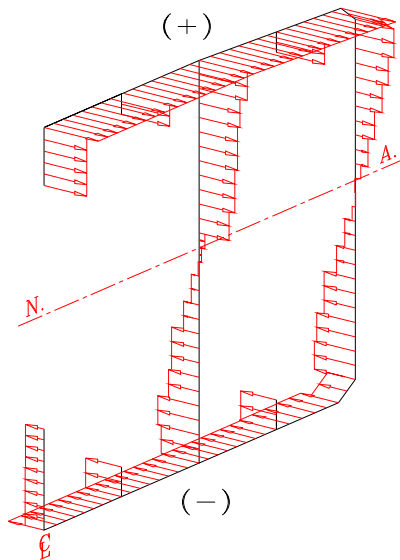
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Presumed stress distribution-based method (5/8)

Modified Paik-Mansour formula method



$$\int \sigma_x dA = 0$$

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Presumed stress distribution-based method (6/8)

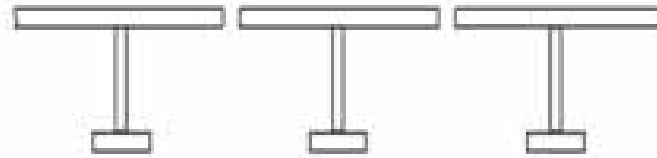
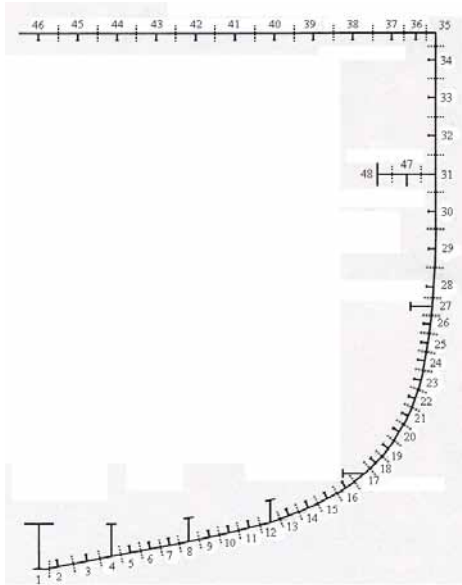


Plate-stiffener combination element (PSC)

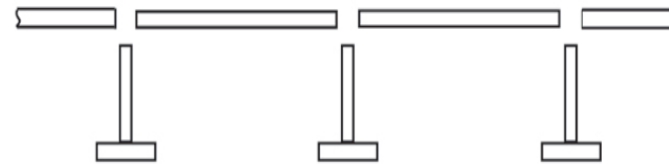


Plate-stiffener separation element (PSS)

$$\frac{\sigma_{xu}}{\sigma_{Yeq}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{0.995 + 0.936\lambda^2 + 0.170\beta^2 + 0.188\lambda^2\beta^2 - 0.067\lambda^4}}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{a}{\pi r} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{Yeq}}{E}}$$

$$\beta = \frac{b}{t} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{Yp}}{E}}$$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{I}{A_s}}$$

(Paik and Thayamballi, 1997)

Presumed stress distribution-based method (7/8)

Plate element: $a/b \geq 1$ (Paik et al. 2004)

$$\frac{\sigma_{xu}}{\sigma_{Yp}} = \begin{cases} -0.032\beta^4 + 0.002\beta^2 + 1.0 & \text{for } \beta \leq 1.5 \\ 1.274 / \beta & \text{for } 1.5 < \beta \leq 3.0 \\ 1.248 / \beta^2 + 0.283 & \text{for } \beta > 3.0 \end{cases} \quad \beta = \frac{b}{t} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{Yp}}{E}}$$

Plate element: $a/b < 1$ (Paik et al. 2004)

$$\frac{\sigma_{xu}}{\sigma_{Yp}} = \frac{a}{b} \frac{\sigma_{xu}^*}{\sigma_{Yp}} + \frac{0.475}{\alpha^2} \left(1 - \frac{a}{b} \right)$$
$$\frac{\sigma_{xu}^*}{\sigma_{Yp}} = \begin{cases} -0.032\alpha^4 + 0.002\alpha^2 + 1.0 & \text{for } \alpha \leq 1.5 \\ 1.274 / \alpha & \text{for } 1.5 < \alpha \leq 3.0 \\ 1.248 / \alpha^2 + 0.283 & \text{for } \alpha > 3.0 \end{cases} \quad \alpha = \frac{a}{t} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{Yp}}{E}}$$

Presumed stress distribution-based method (8/8)

Modeling: Modified Paik-Mansour formula method

Dow's Test Hull



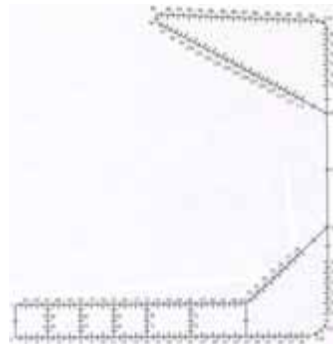
PSC model

Container Ship



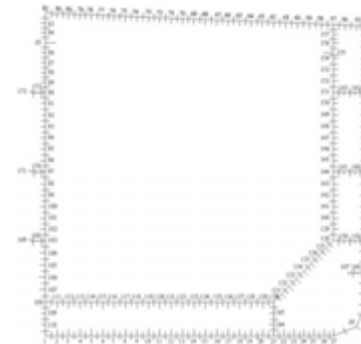
PSC model

Bulk Carrier

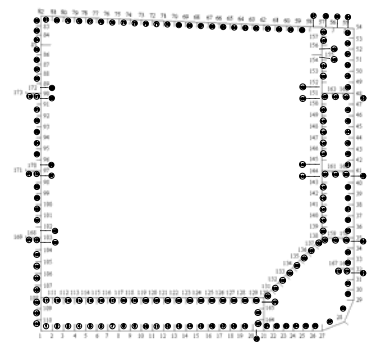


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D/H Suezmax

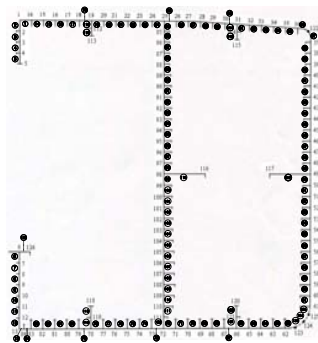


PSC model for hogging



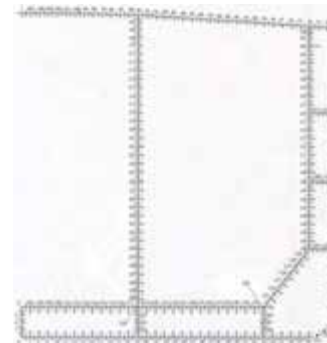
PSS model for sagging

S/H VLCC

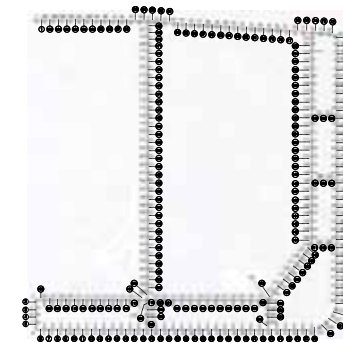


PSS model

D/H VLCC



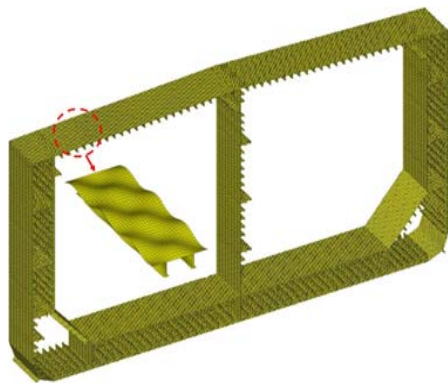
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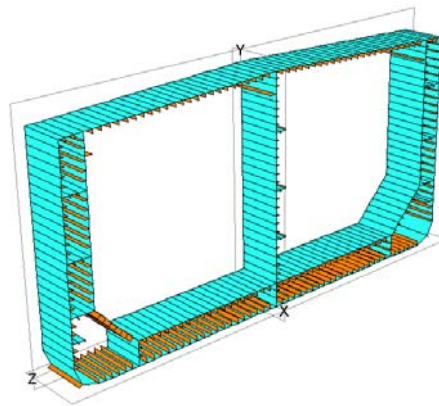
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Methods applied for the ultimate hull strength analysis (1/5)

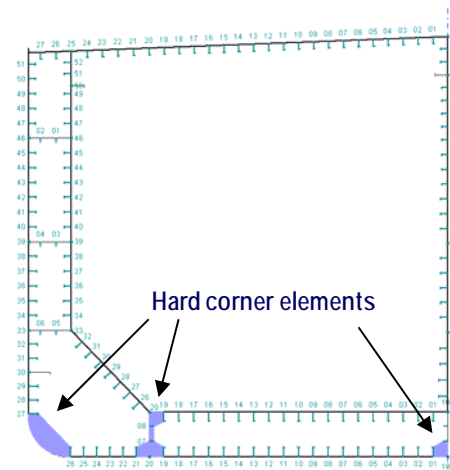
- Nonlinear FEM: ANSYS
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(China Corporation Register of Shipping)
- **Modified Paik-Mansour formula method**



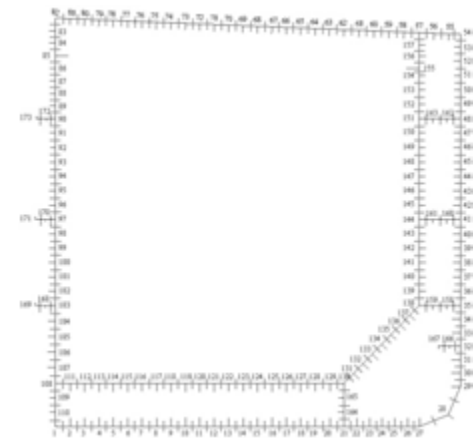
NLFEM model



ISFEM model

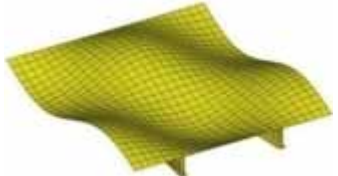
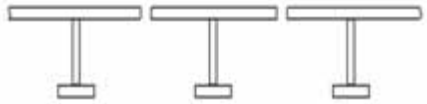
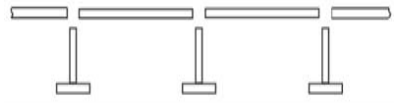


ISUM model



Modified
P-M method

Methods applied for the ultimate hull strength analysis (2/5)

	NLFEM (ANSYS)	ISUM/Smith Method (IACS CSR)	ISFEM (ALPS/HULL)
Geometric modeling	 Finite element model	 Plate-stiffener combination model	 Plate-stiffener separation model
Formulation technique	$\sigma = \int [B]^T [D] [B] dvol$ <p style="text-align: center;">: Numerical formulation</p> <p>[D]: Numerical formulation</p>	$\sigma = \Phi \sigma_y$ <p style="text-align: center;">: Closed-form solution</p> <p>$\Phi = edge\ function$</p> $= \begin{cases} -1 & for\ \varepsilon < -1 \\ \varepsilon & for\ -1 < \varepsilon < 1 \\ 1 & for\ \varepsilon > 1 \end{cases}$	$\sigma = \int [B]^T [D] [B] dvol$ <p style="text-align: center;">: Numerical formulation</p> <p>[D]: Closed-form solution</p>
Computational cost	Expensive	Cheap	Cheap
Feature (1)	2 and 3-dimensional	2-dimensional	2 and 3-dimensional
Feature (2)	Can deal with interaction between local and global failures	Can not deal with interaction between local and global failures	Can deal with interaction between local and global failures

Methods applied for the ultimate hull strength analysis (3/5)

Extent of the analysis



(a) The entire hull model



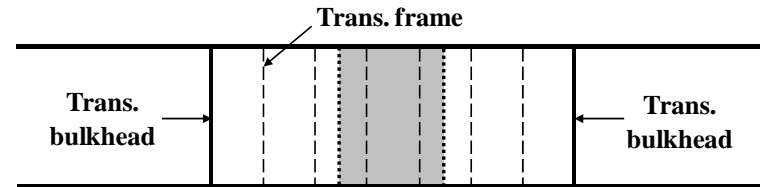
(b) The three cargo hold model



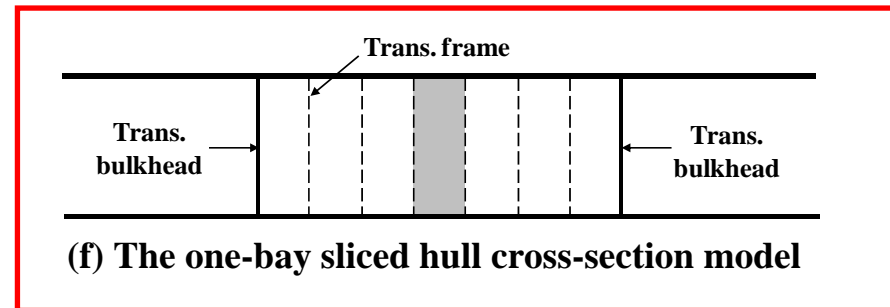
(c) The two cargo hold model



(d) The one cargo hold model



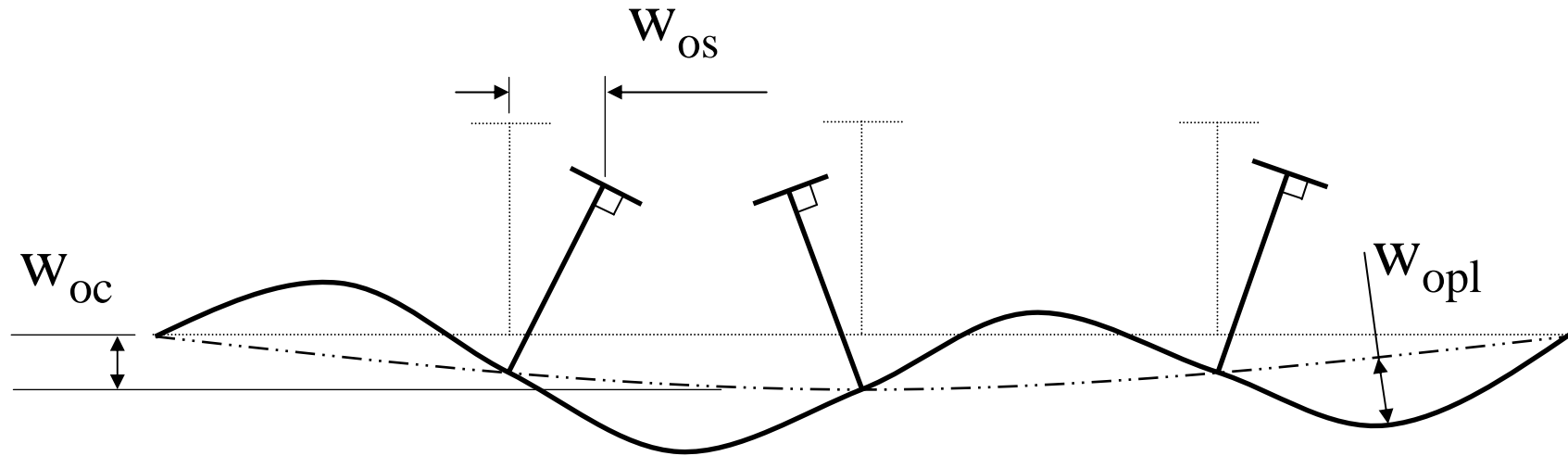
(e) The two-bay sliced hull cross-section model



(f) The one-bay sliced hull cross-section model

Methods applied for the ultimate hull strength analysis (4/5)

Initial imperfections



$$w_{opt} = A_o \sin \frac{m\pi x}{a} \sin \frac{\pi y}{b}$$

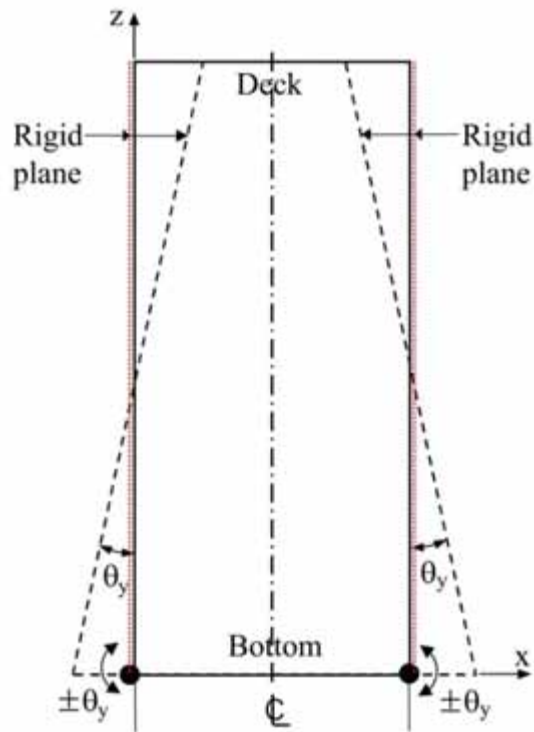
$$w_{oc} = B_o \sin \frac{\pi x}{a} \sin \frac{\pi y}{B}$$

$$w_{os} = C_o \frac{z}{h_w} \sin \frac{\pi x}{a}$$

where, $A_o = 0.1\beta^2 t_p$; $B_o = C_o = 0.0015a$; $\beta = \frac{b}{t_p} \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{Yp}}{E}}$

Methods applied for the ultimate hull strength analysis (5/5)

Displacement control with neutral axis changes



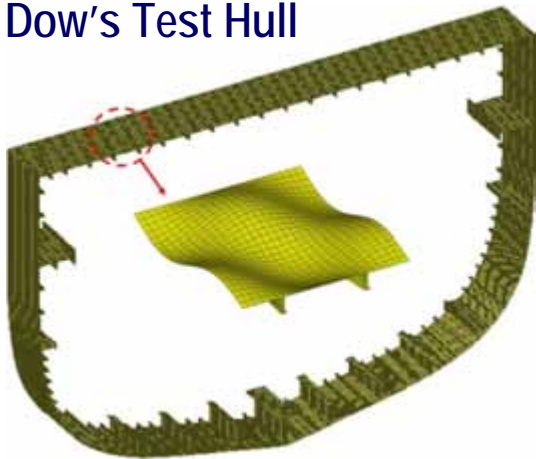
Application of vertical bending moments keeping the hull cross-section plane

$$g = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n |\sigma_{xi}| a_i z_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n |\sigma_{xi}| a_i}$$

- g = neutral axis position from the baseline
- z_i = distance from the ship's baseline (reference position) to the horizontal neutral axis of the i^{th} structural component
- σ_{xi} = longitudinal stress of the i^{th} structural component following the presumed stress distribution
- a_i = cross-sectional area of the i^{th} structural component
- n = total number of structural components

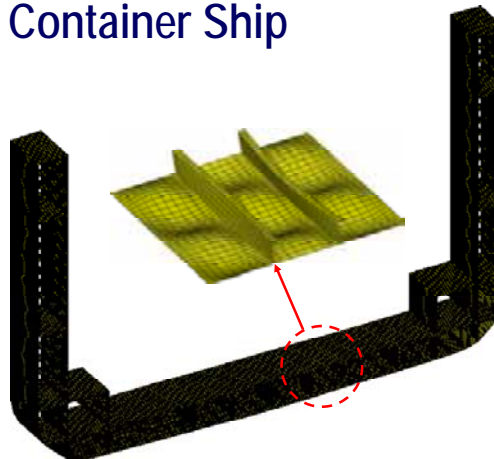
NLFEM (ANSYS) Modeling

Dow's Test Hull



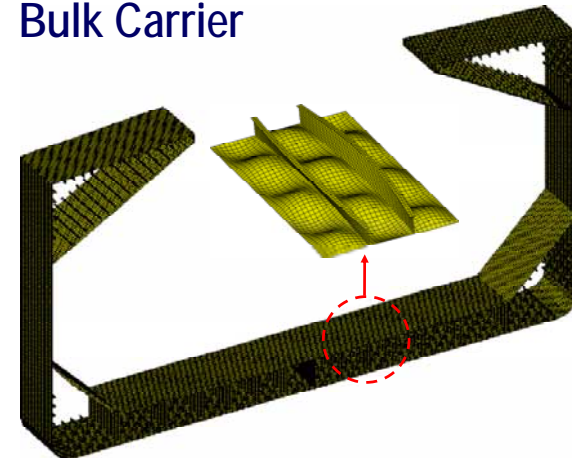
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Elements distribution:
Plate: 10 Web: 4 Flange: 2

Container Ship



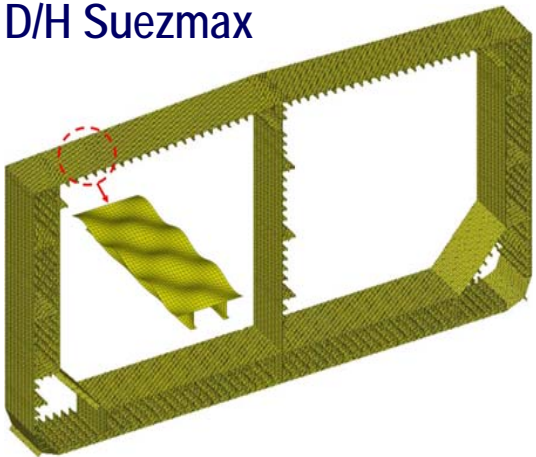
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Bulk Carrier



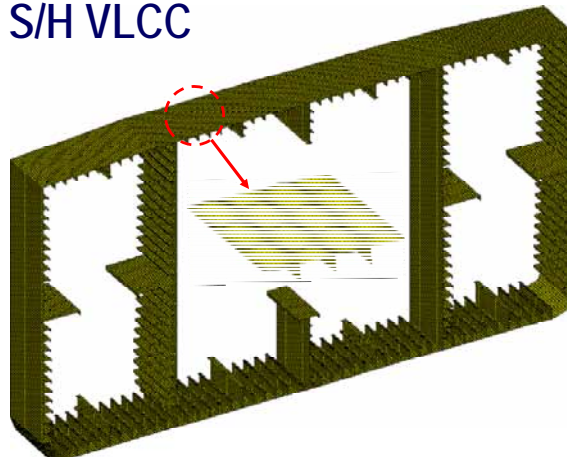
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D/H Suezmax



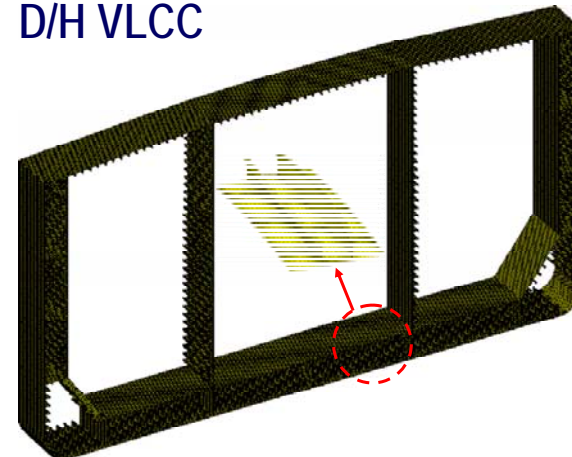
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S/H VLCC



Total number of elements: 222,858
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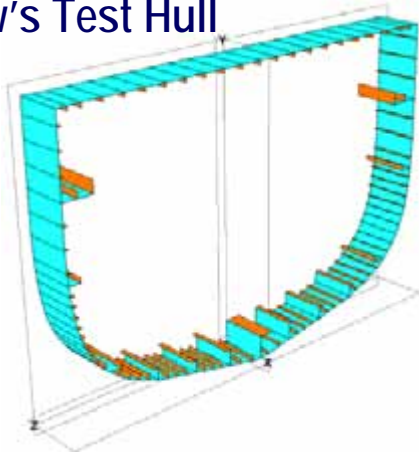
D/H VLCC



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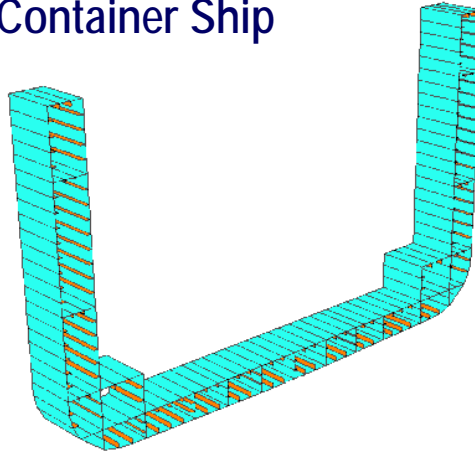
ISFEM (ALPS/HULL) Modeling

Dow's Test Hull



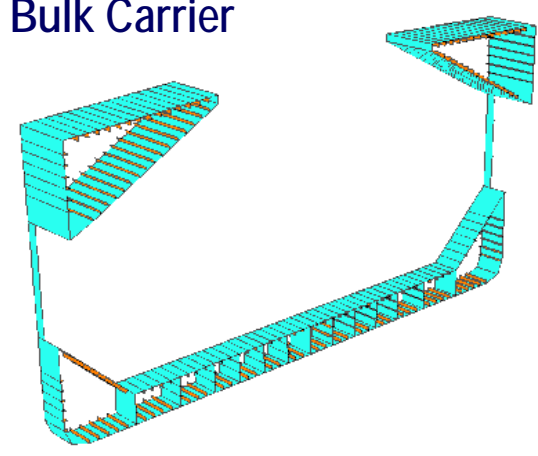
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Plate: 106 elements
Beam-column: 90 elements

Container Ship



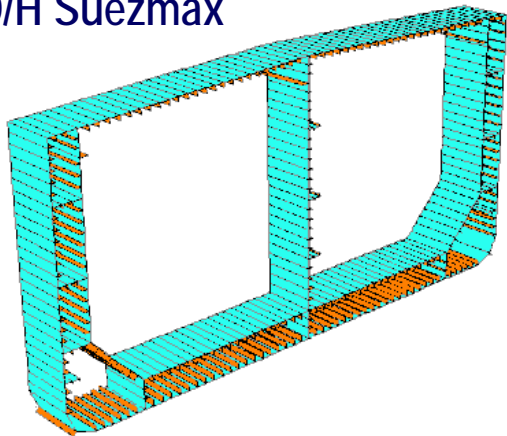
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Beam-column: 158 elements

Bulk Carrier



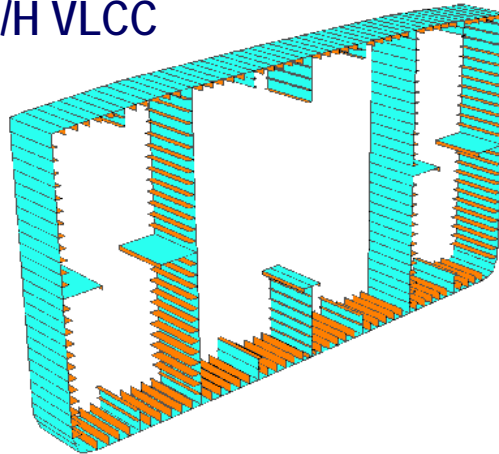
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Beam-column: 188 elements

D/H Suezmax



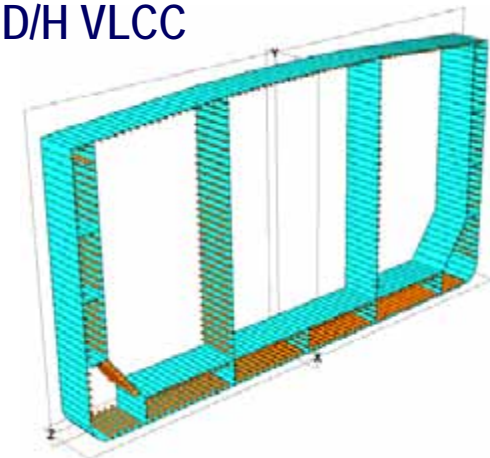
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Plate: 367 elements
Beam-column: 238 elements

S/H VLCC



Total number of elements: 453
Plate: 341 elements
Beam-column: 112 elements

D/H VLCC

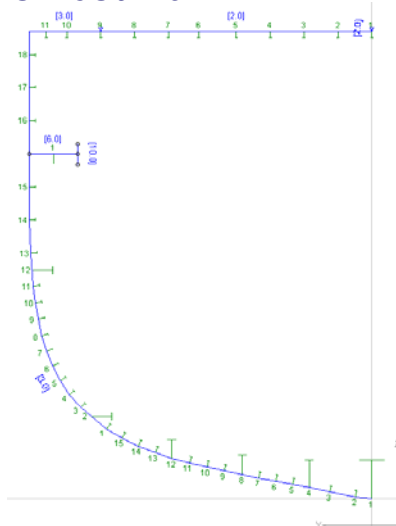


Total number of elements: 834
Plate: 442 elements
Beam-column: 392 elements

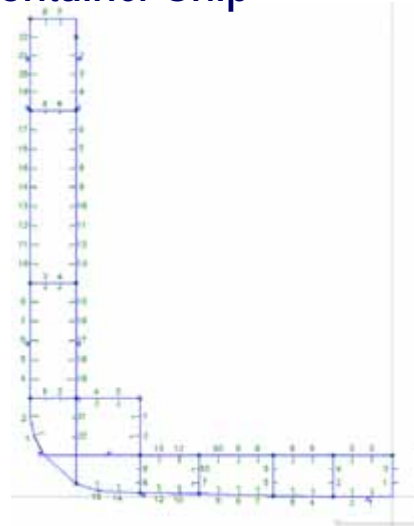
ISUM (CSR) Modeling by Dr. C. H. Huang

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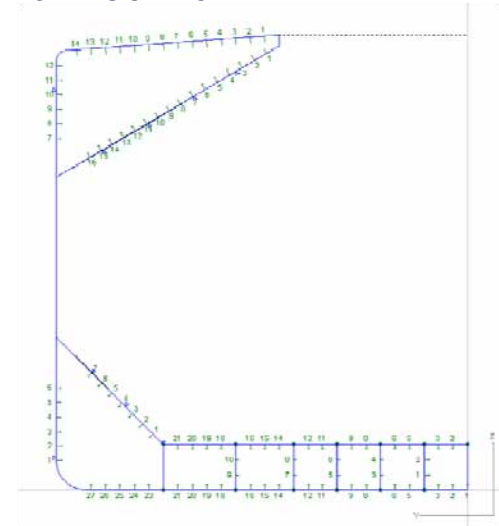
Dow's Test Hull



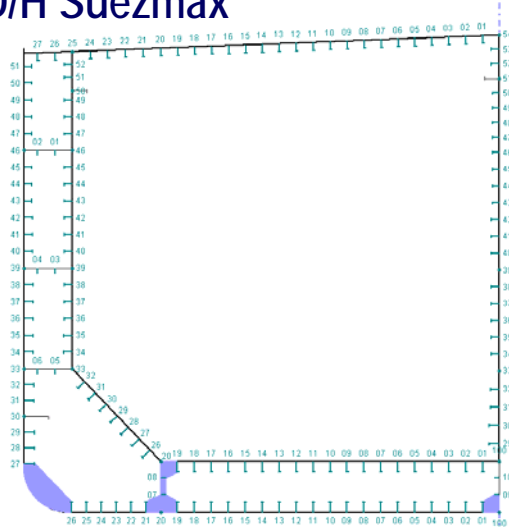
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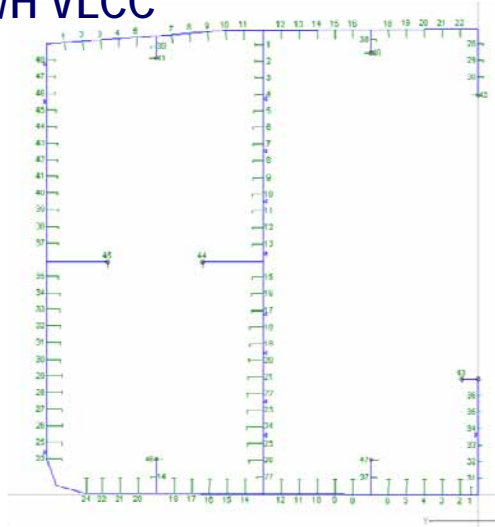
Bulk Carrier



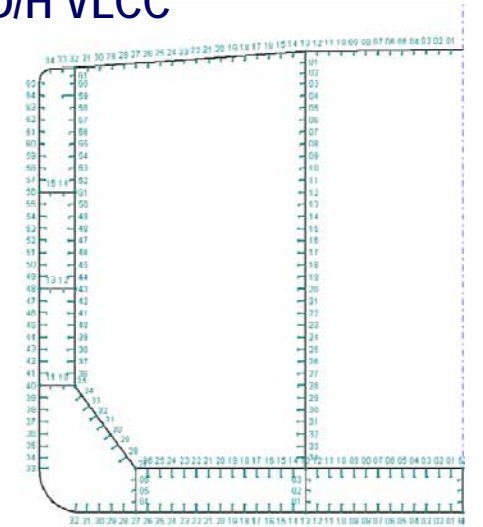
D/H Suezmax



S/H VLCC

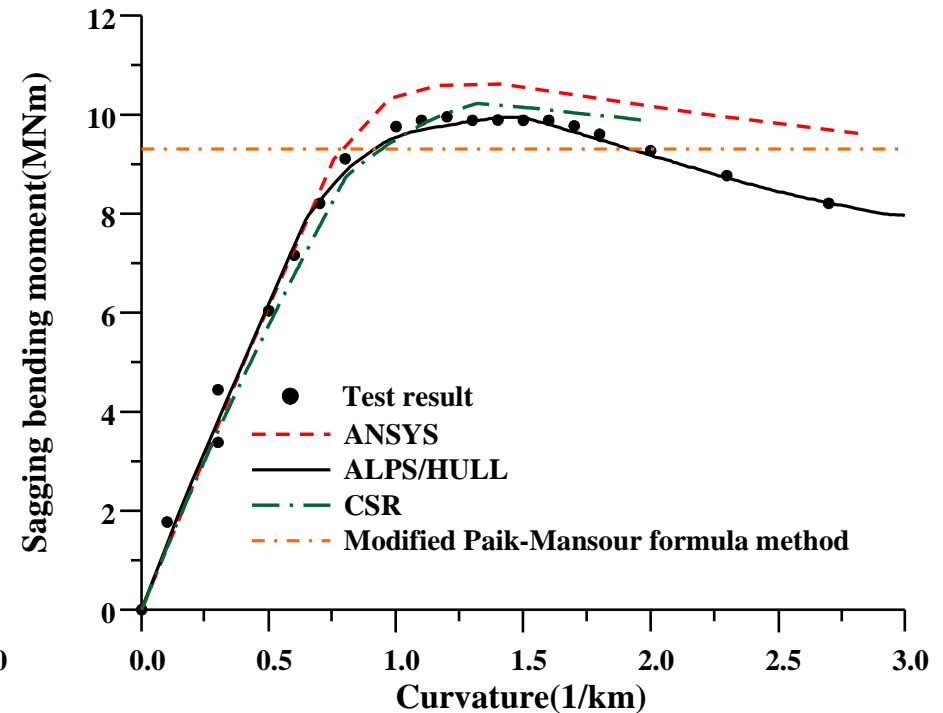
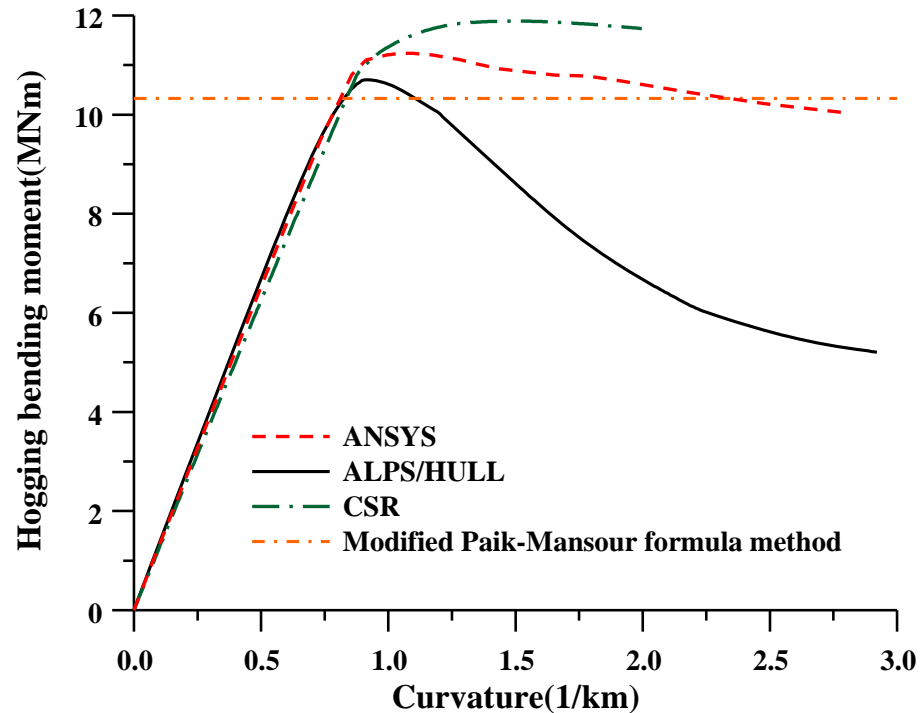


D/H VLCC



Result - Case I: Dow's Test Hull (1/6)

Curvature versus vertical bending moments

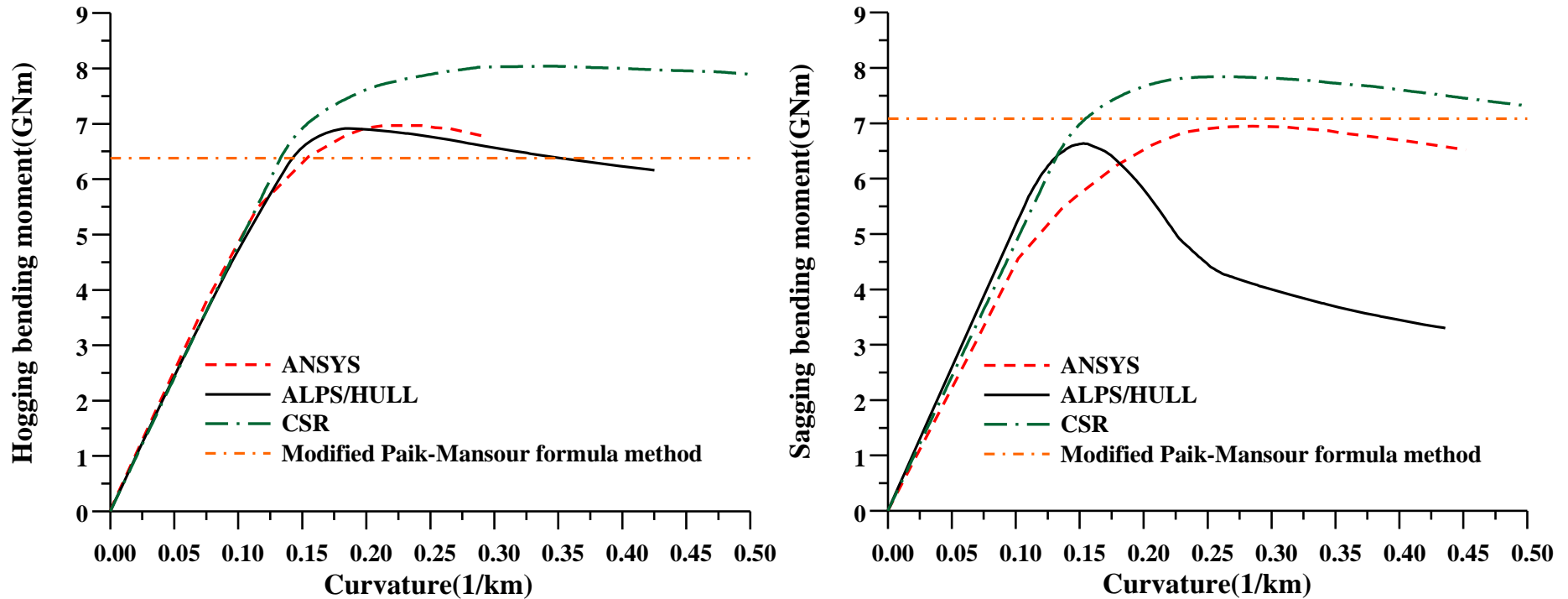


Dow's test hull	Design formula method					M_u ANSYS (MNm)	M_u ALPS/HULL (MNm)	M_u CSR (MNm)
	M_u (MNm)	Original P-M		Modified P-M				
		h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)	h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)			
Hogging	10.338	210.000	0.000	210.000	0.000	11.235	10.698	11.889
Sagging	9.329	760.200	0.000	760.200	0.000	10.618	9.940	10.224

Note: M_u = ultimate moment, h_c = height of collapsed hull part, h_y = height of yielded hull part.

Result - Case II: Container Ship (2/6)

Curvature versus vertical bending moments

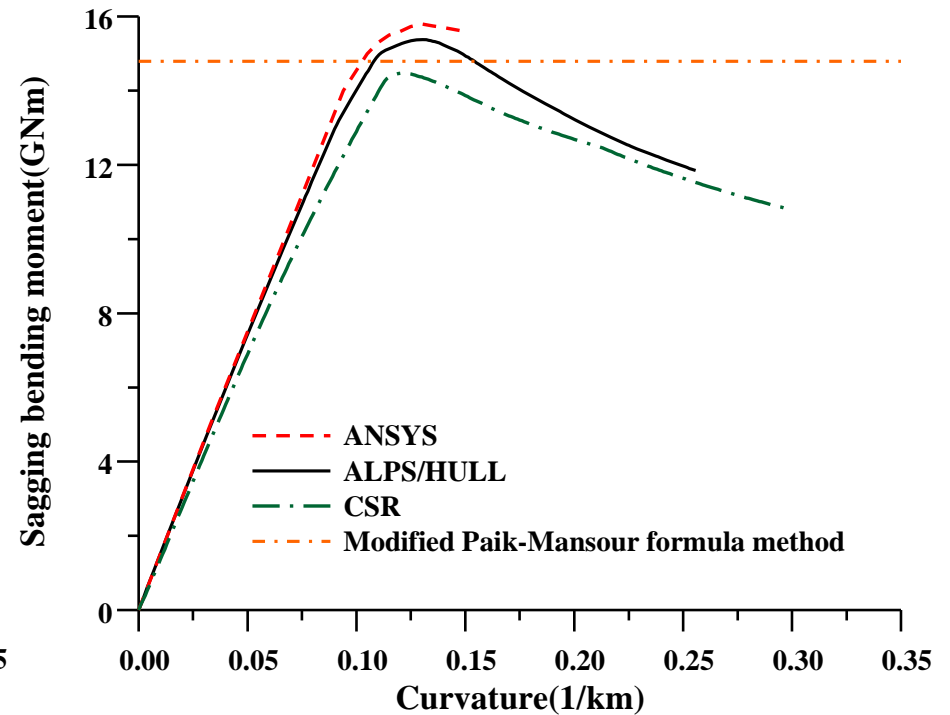
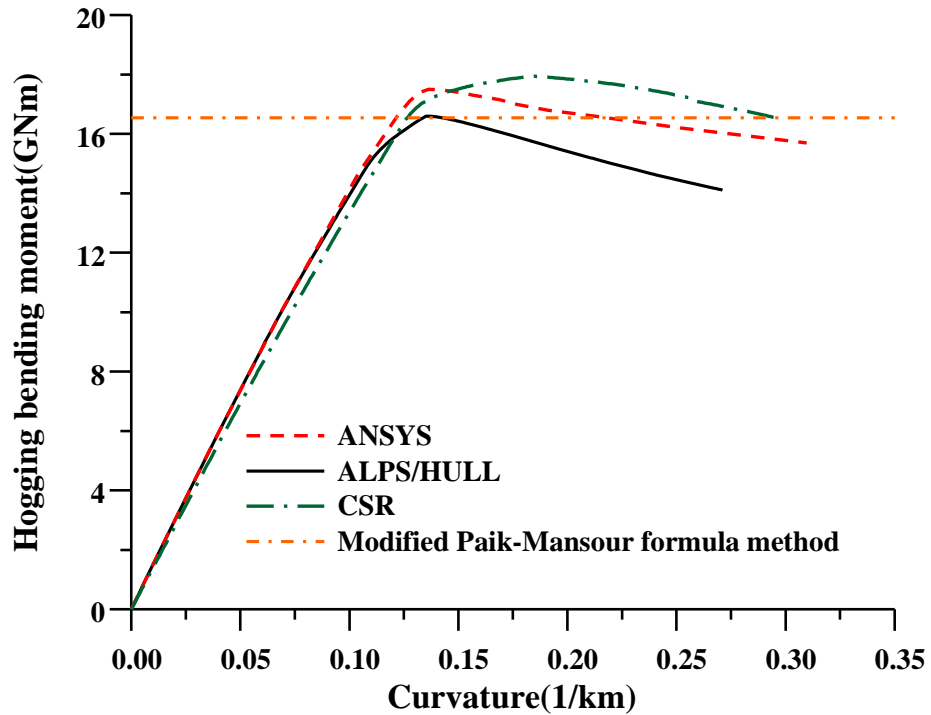


Container ship	Design formula method					M_u ANSYS (GNm)	M_u ALPS/HULL (GNm)	M_u CSR (GNm)
	M_u (GNm)	Original P-M		Modified P-M				
		h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)	h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)			
Hogging	6.400	698.800	0.000	698.800	0.000	6.969	6.916	8.040
Sagging	7.077	10330.800	0.000	10330.800	0.000	6.951	6.635	7.843

Note: M_u = ultimate moment, h_c = height of collapsed hull part, h_y = height of yielded hull part.

Result - Case III: Bulk Carrier (3/6)

Curvature versus vertical bending moments

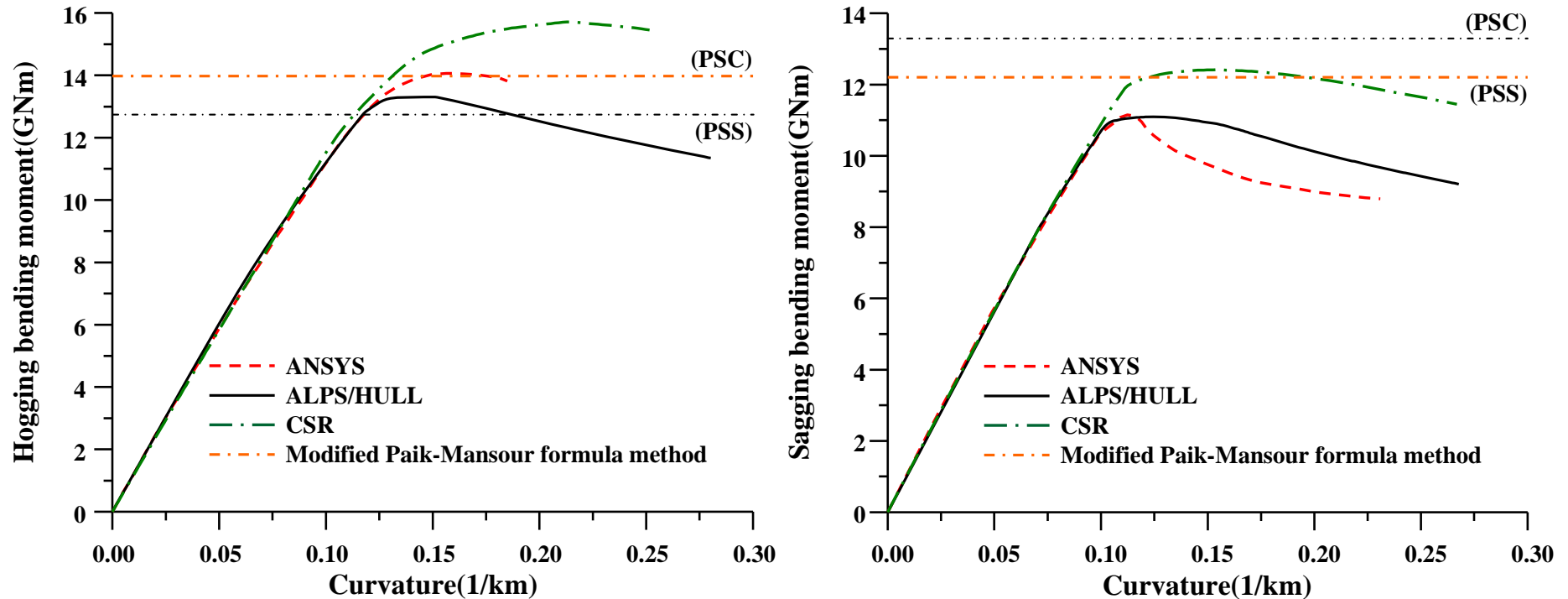


Bulk carrier	Design formula method					M_u ANSYS (GNm)	M_u ALPS/HULL (GNm)	M_u CSR (GNm)
	M_u (GNm)	Original P-M		Modified P-M				
		h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)	h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)			
Hogging	16.576	-	-	1654.100	13.700	17.500	16.602	17.941
Sagging	14.798	17935.000	0.000	17935.000	0.000	15.800	15.380	14.475

Note: M_u = ultimate moment, h_c = height of collapsed hull part, h_y = height of yielded hull part.

Result - Case IV: Double Hull Suezmax Class Tanker (4/6)

Curvature versus vertical bending moments

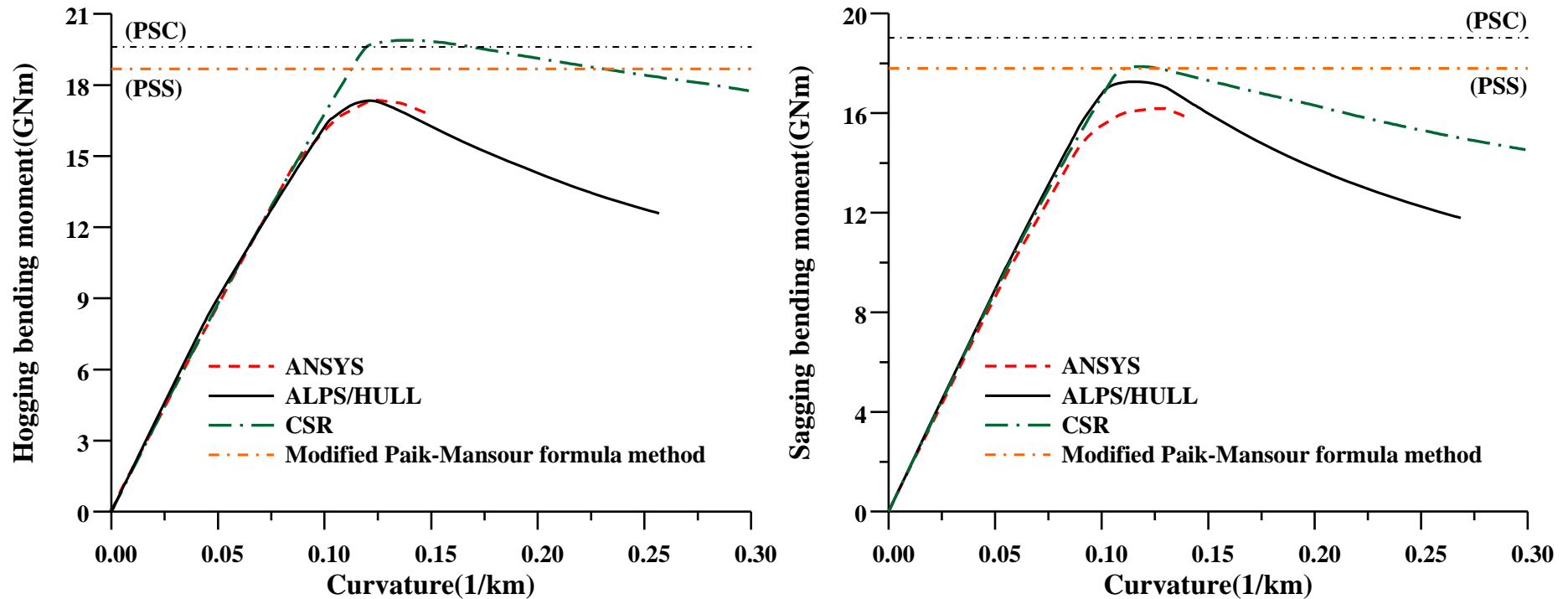


Double hull Suezmax tanker	Design formula method					M_u ANSYS (GNm)	M_u ALPS/HULL (GNm)	M_u CSR (GNm)
	M_u (GNm)	Original P-M		Modified P-M				
		h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)	h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)			
Hogging	13.965	-	-	12.100	2210.600	14.066	13.308	15.714
Sagging	12.213	16078.500	0.000	16078.500	0.000	11.151	11.097	12.420

Note: M_u = ultimate moment, h_c = height of collapsed hull part, h_y = height of yielded hull part.

Result - Case V: Single Hull VLCC Class Tanker (5/6)

Curvature versus vertical bending moments

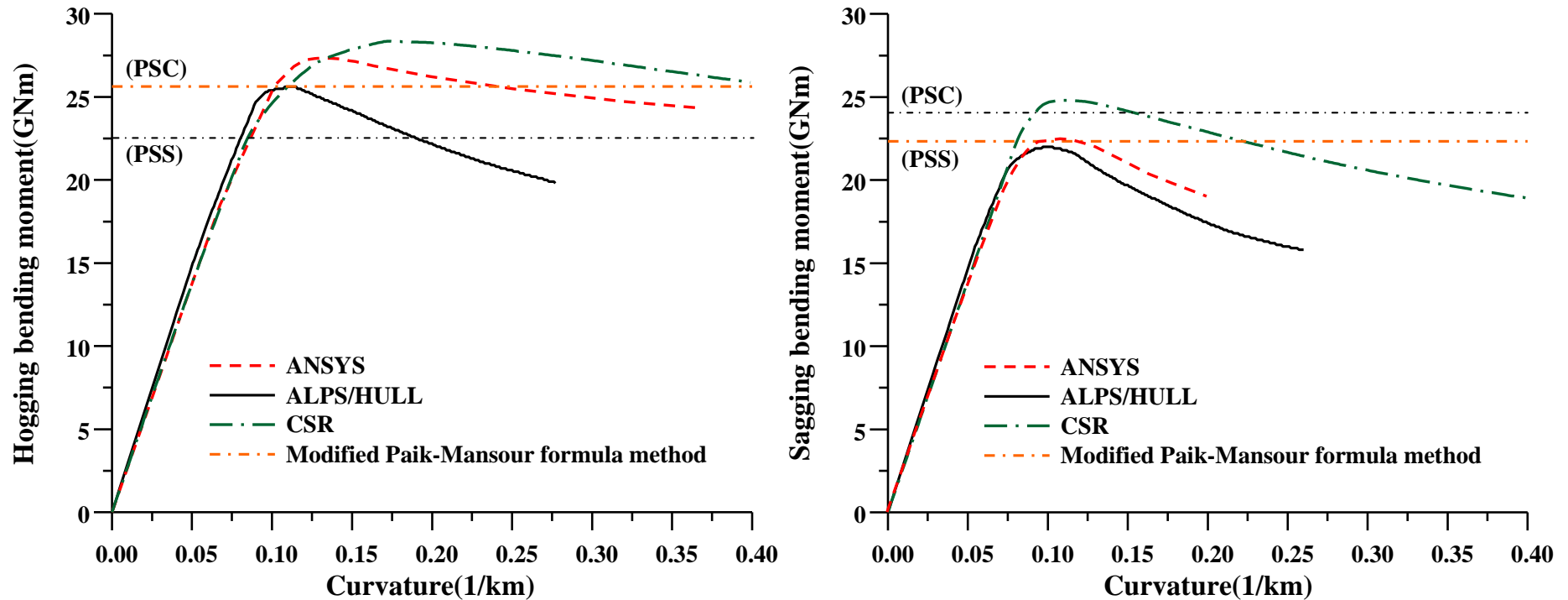


Single hull VLCC tanker	Design formula method					M_u ANSYS (GNm)	M_u ALPS/HULL (GNm)	M_u CSR (GNm)
	M_u (GNm)	Original P-M		Modified P-M				
		h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)	h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)			
Hogging	18.701	7035.200	0.000	7035.200	0.000	17.355	17.335	19.889
Sagging	17.825	15225.500	0.000	15225.500	0.000	16.179	17.263	17.868

Note: M_u = ultimate moment, h_c = height of collapsed hull part, h_y = height of yielded hull part.

Result - Case VI: Double Hull VLCC Class Tanker (6/6)

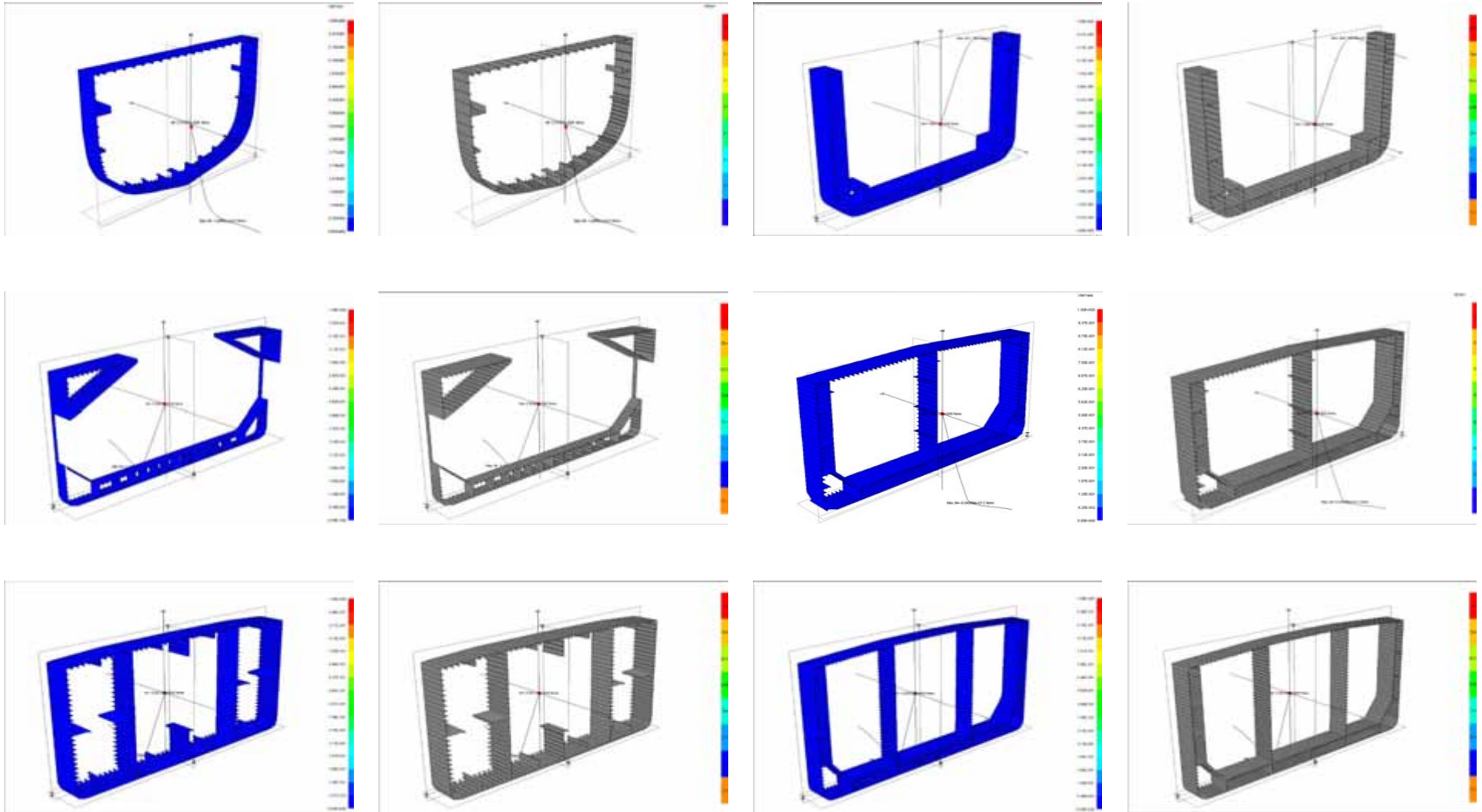
Curvature versus vertical bending moments



Double hull VLCC tanker	Design formula method					M_u ANSYS (GNm)	M_u ALPS/HULL (GNm)	M_u CSR (GNm)
	M_u (GNm)	Original P-M		Modified P-M				
		h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)	h_c (mm)	h_y (mm)			
Hogging	25.667	-	-	15.900	3816.000	27.335	25.600	28.352
Sagging	22.390	20240.700	0.000	20240.700	0.000	22.495	22.000	24.798

Note: M_u = ultimate moment, h_c = height of collapsed hull part, h_y = height of yielded hull part.

Result: Analysis Video



Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (1/12)

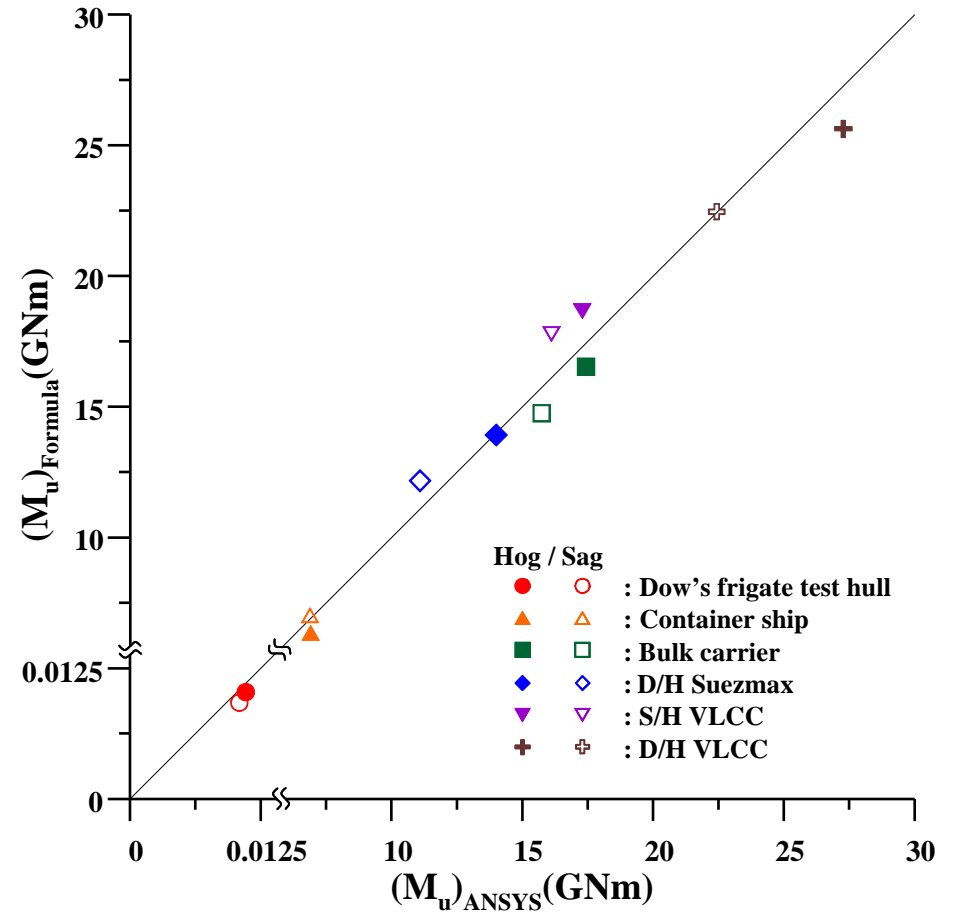
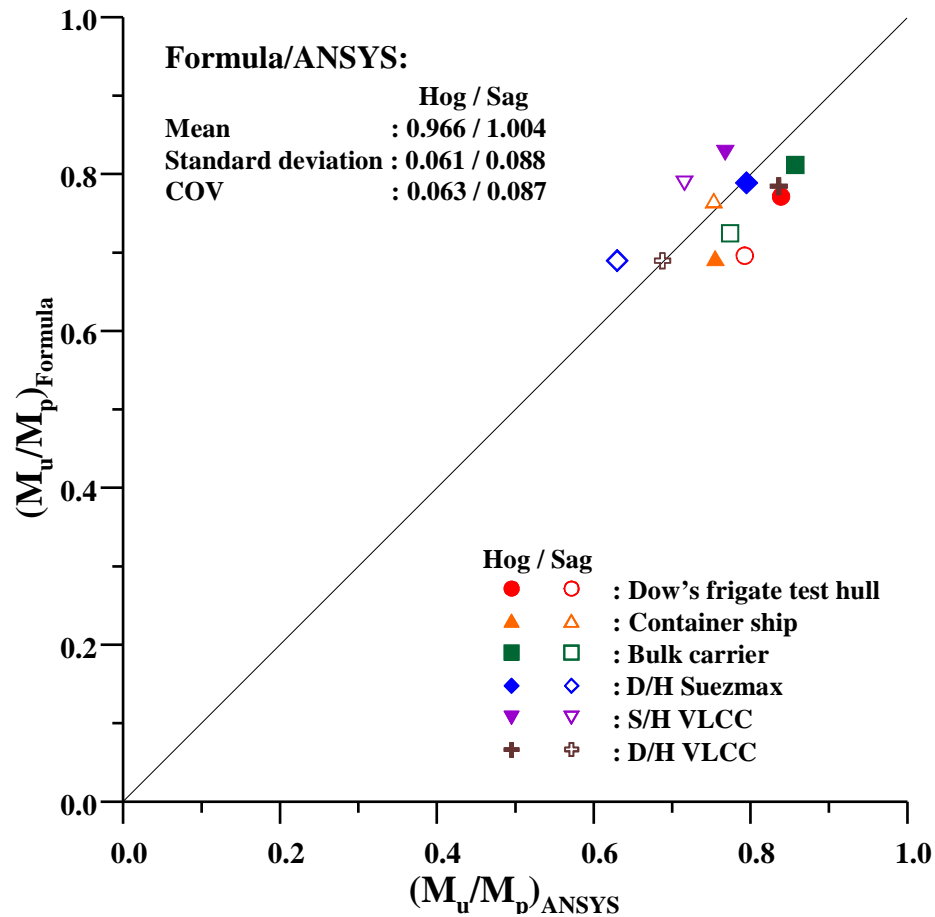
Modified P-M Formula Method versus ANSYS Nonlinear FEA (1/2)

Ship	M_p (GNm)	Hogging					Sagging				
		Formula		ANSYS		Formula/ ANSYS	Formula		ANSYS		Formula/ ANSYS
		M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p	M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p		M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	
Dow's test hull	0.013	0.010	0.772	0.011	0.840	0.920	0.009	0.697	0.011	0.793	0.879
Container ship	9.220	6.400	0.694	6.969	0.756	0.918	7.077	0.768	6.951	0.754	1.018
Bulk carrier	20.394	16.576	0.813	17.500	0.858	0.947	14.798	0.726	15.800	0.775	0.937
D/H Suezmax	17.677	13.965	0.790	14.066	0.796	0.993	12.213	0.691	11.151	0.631	1.095
S/H VLCC	22.578	18.701	0.828	17.355	0.769	1.078	17.825	0.789	16.179	0.717	1.102
D/H VLCC	32.667	25.667	0.786	27.335	0.837	0.939	22.390	0.685	22.495	0.689	0.995
Mean						0.966					1.004
S-D						0.061					0.088
COV						0.063					0.087

Note: M_p = fully plastic bending capacity , M_{uh} = ultimate hogging moment, M_{us} = ultimate sagging moment, S-D = standard deviation, COV = coefficient of variation

Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (2/12)

Modified P-M Formula Method versus ANSYS Nonlinear FEA (2/2)



Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (3/12)

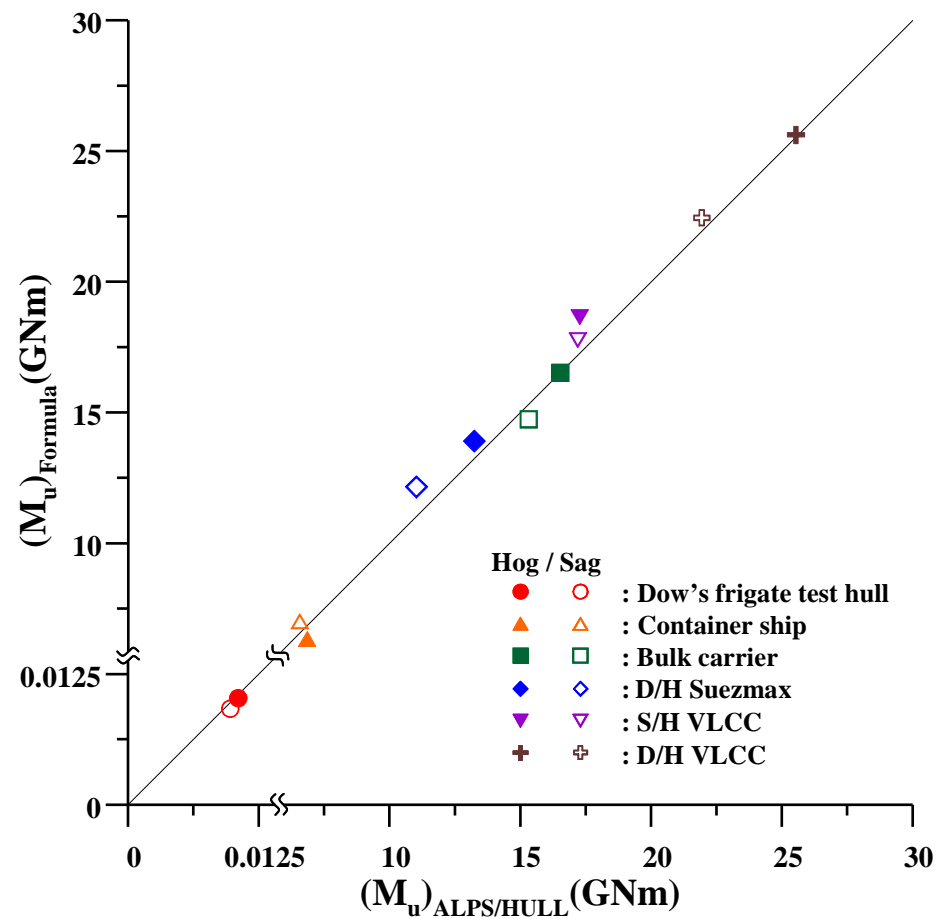
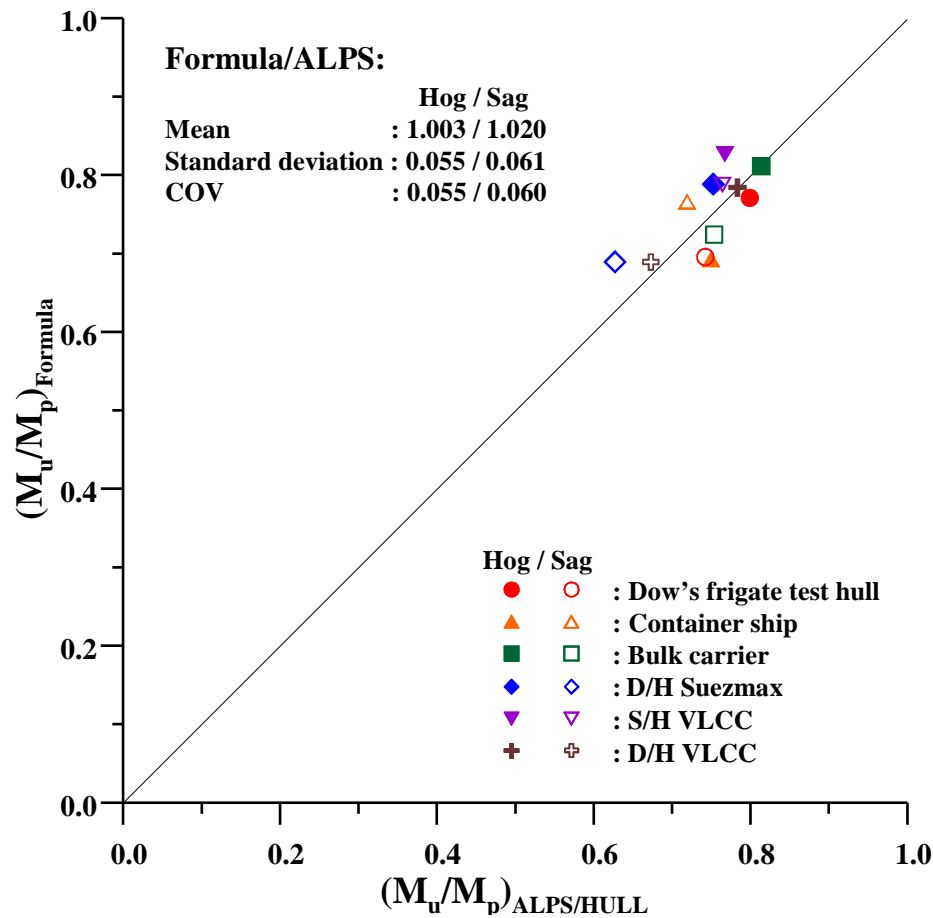
Modified P-M Formula Method versus ALPS/HULL ISFEM (1/2)

Ship	M_p (GNm)	Hogging					Sagging				
		Formula		ALPS		Formula/ ALPS	Formula		ALPS		Formula/ ALPS
		M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p	M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p		M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	
Dow's test hull	0.013	0.010	0.772	0.011	0.799	0.966	0.009	0.697	0.010	0.743	0.939
Container ship	9.220	6.400	0.694	6.916	0.750	0.925	7.077	0.768	6.635	0.720	1.067
Bulk carrier	20.394	16.576	0.813	16.602	0.814	0.998	14.798	0.726	15.380	0.754	0.962
D/H Suezmax	17.677	13.965	0.790	13.308	0.753	1.049	12.213	0.691	11.097	0.628	1.101
S/H VLCC	22.578	18.701	0.828	17.335	0.768	1.079	17.825	0.789	17.263	0.765	1.033
D/H VLCC	32.667	25.667	0.786	25.600	0.784	1.003	22.390	0.685	22.000	0.673	1.018
Mean						1.003					1.020
S-D						0.055					0.061
COV						0.055					0.060

Note: M_p = fully plastic bending capacity , M_{uh} = ultimate hogging moment, M_{us} = ultimate sagging moment, S-D = standard deviation, COV = coefficient of variation

Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (4/12)

Modified P-M Formula Method versus ALPS/HULL ISFEM (2/2)



Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (5/12)

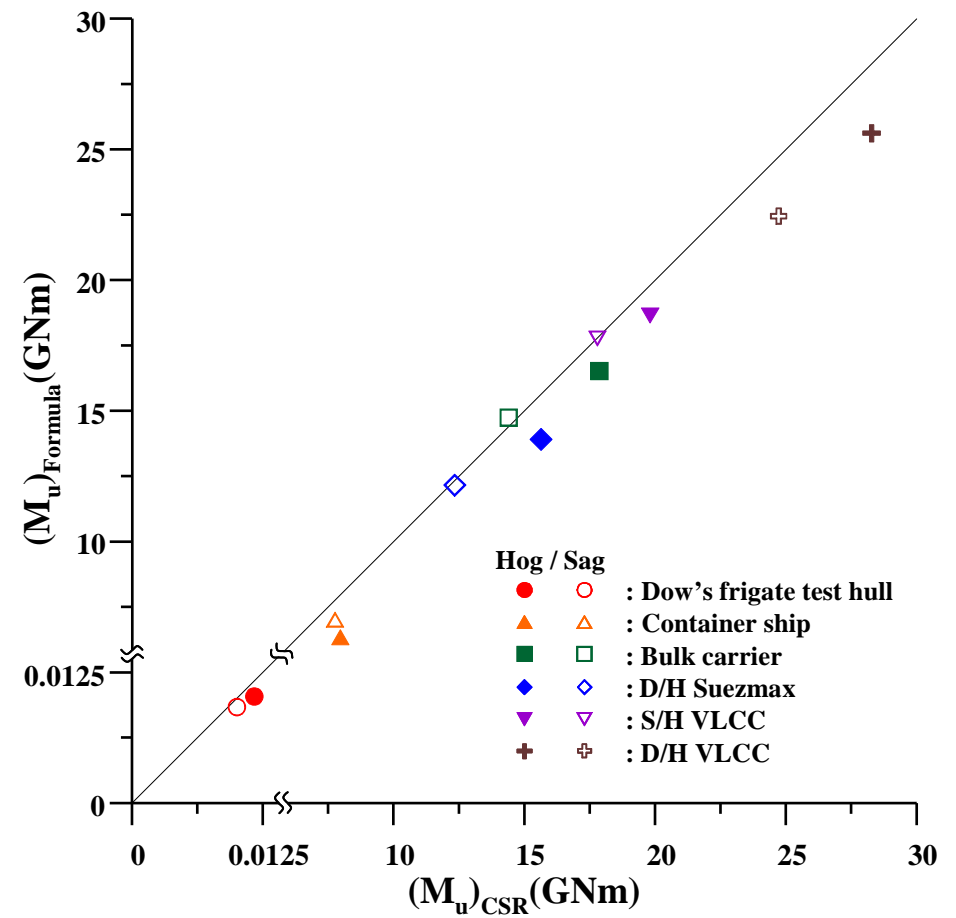
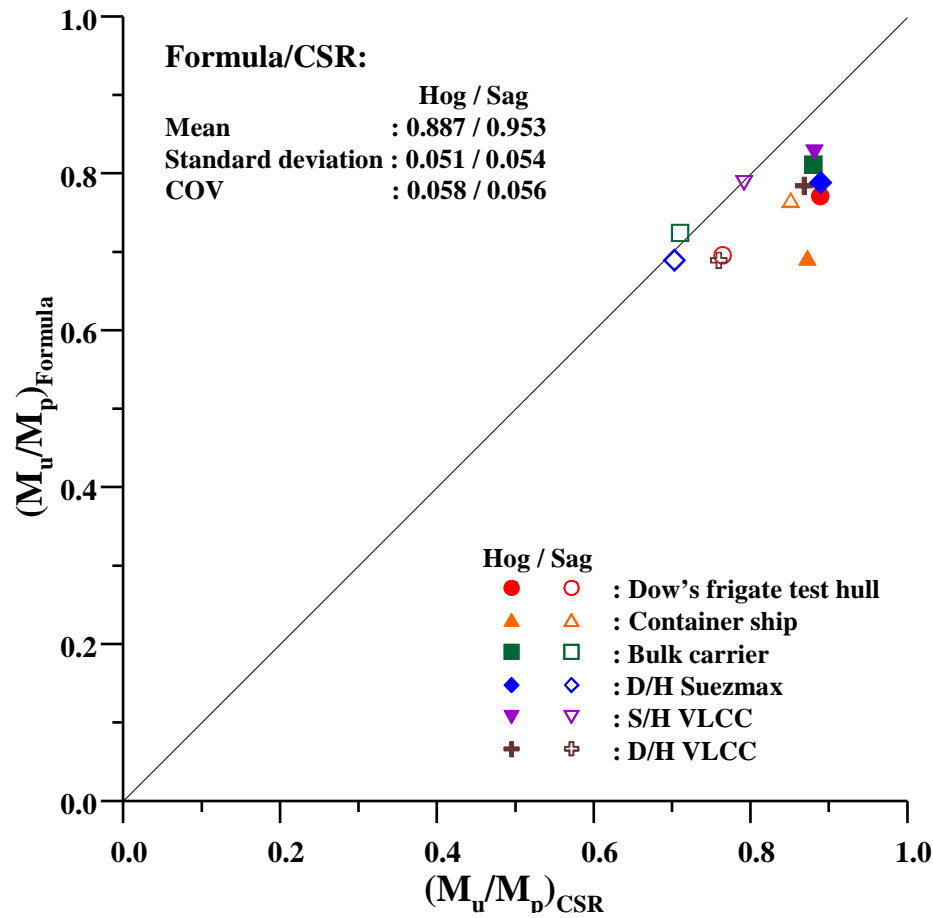
Modified P-M Formula Method versus CSR ISUM (1/2)

Ship	M_p (GNm)	Hogging					Sagging				
		Formula		CSR		Formula/ CSR	Formula		CSR		Formula/ CSR
		M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p	M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p		M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	
Dow's test hull	0.013	0.010	0.772	0.012	0.888	0.870	0.009	0.697	0.010	0.764	0.912
Container ship	9.220	6.400	0.694	8.040	0.872	0.796	7.077	0.768	7.843	0.851	0.902
Bulk carrier	20.394	16.576	0.813	17.941	0.880	0.924	14.798	0.726	14.475	0.710	1.022
D/H Suezmax	17.677	13.965	0.790	15.714	0.889	0.889	12.213	0.691	12.420	0.703	0.983
S/H VLCC	22.578	18.701	0.828	19.889	0.881	0.940	17.825	0.789	17.868	0.791	0.998
D/H VLCC	32.667	25.667	0.786	28.352	0.868	0.905	22.390	0.685	24.798	0.759	0.903
Mean						0.887					0.953
S-D						0.051					0.054
COV						0.058					0.056

Note: M_p = fully plastic bending capacity , M_{uh} = ultimate hogging moment, M_{us} = ultimate sagging moment, S-D = standard deviation, COV = coefficient of variation

Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (6/12)

Modified P-M Formula Method versus CSR ISUM (2/2)



Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (7/12)

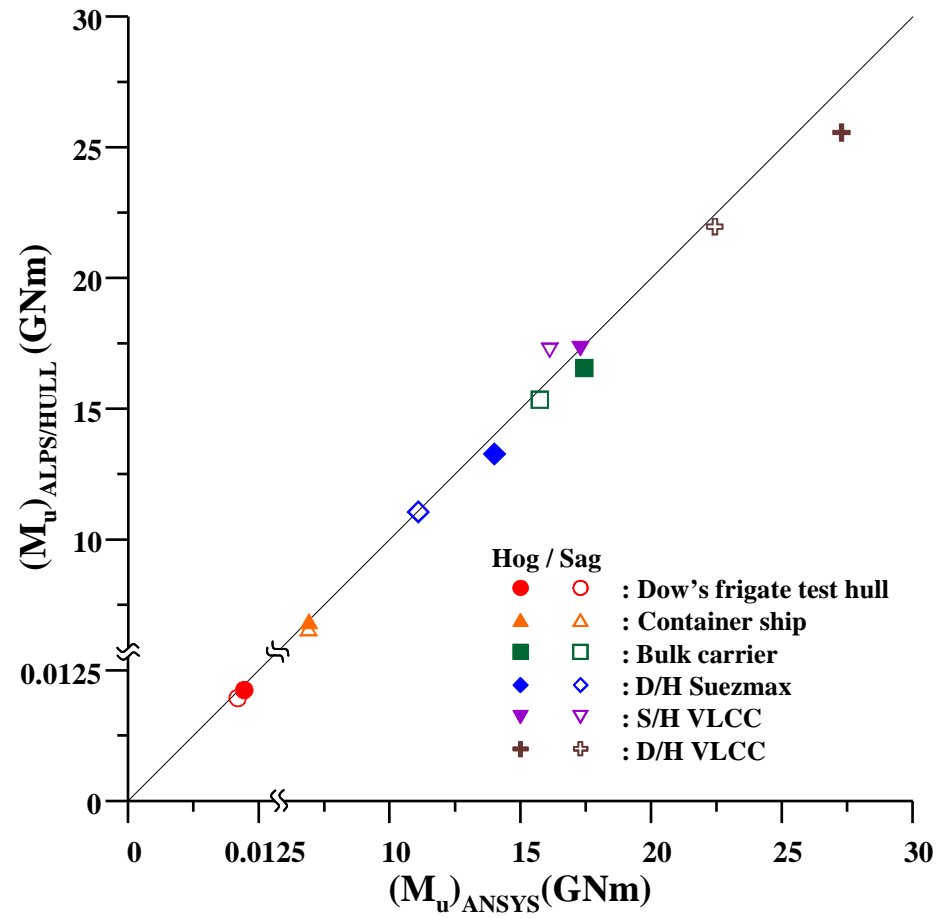
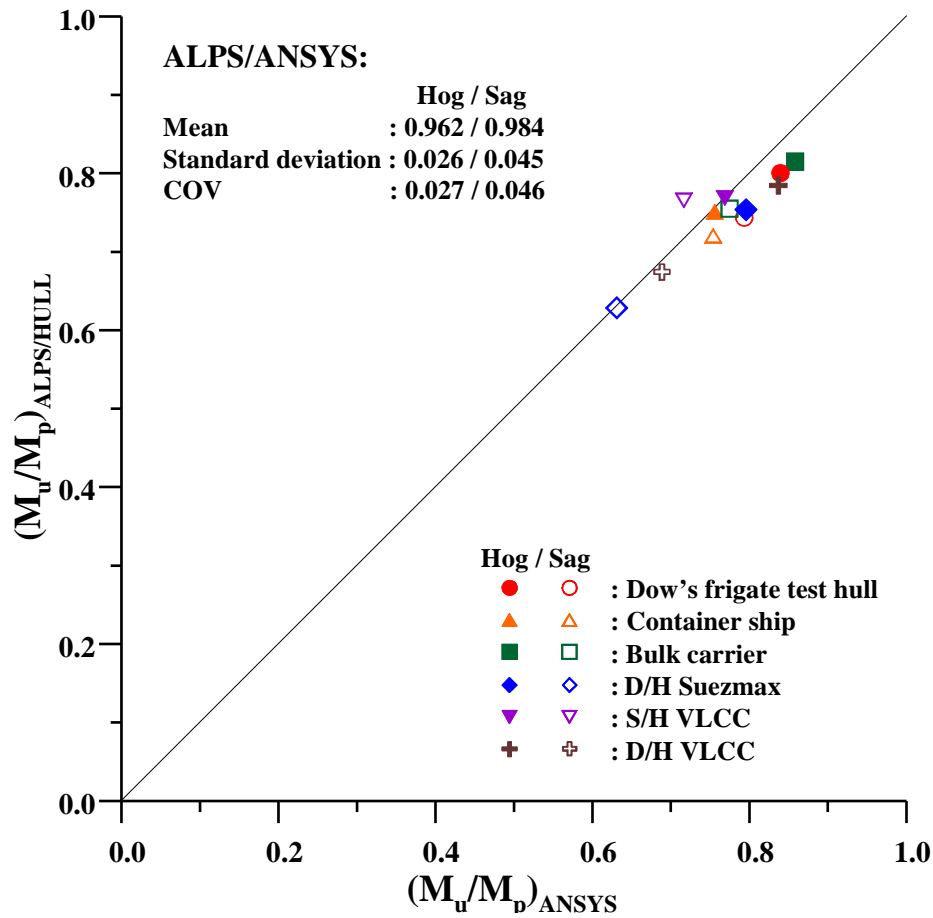
ANSYS Nonlinear FEA versus ALPS/HULL ISFEM (1/2)

Ship	M_p (GNm)	Hogging					Sagging				
		ANSYS		ALPS		ALPS / ANSYS	ANSYS		ALPS		ALPS / ANSYS
		M_{uh} (GNm)	$M_{uh}/$ M_p	M_{uh} (GNm)	$M_{uh}/$ M_p		M_{us} (GNm)	$M_{us}/$ M_p	M_{us} (GNm)	$M_{us}/$ M_p	
Dow's test hull	0.013	0.011	0.840	0.011	0.799	0.952	0.011	0.793	0.010	0.743	0.936
Container ship	9.220	6.969	0.756	6.916	0.750	0.992	6.951	0.754	6.635	0.720	0.955
Bulk carrier	20.394	17.500	0.858	16.602	0.814	0.949	15.800	0.775	15.380	0.754	0.973
D/H Suezmax	17.677	14.066	0.796	13.308	0.753	0.946	11.151	0.631	11.097	0.628	0.995
S/H VLCC	22.578	17.355	0.769	17.335	0.768	0.999	16.179	0.717	17.263	0.765	1.067
D/H VLCC	32.667	27.335	0.837	25.600	0.784	0.937	22.495	0.689	22.000	0.673	0.978
Mean						0.962					0.984
S-D						0.026					0.045
COV						0.027					0.046

Note: M_p = fully plastic bending capacity , M_{uh} = ultimate hogging moment, M_{us} = ultimate sagging moment, S-D = standard deviation, COV = coefficient of variation

Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (8/12)

ANSYS Nonlinear FEA versus ALPS/HULL ISFEM (2/2)



Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (9/12)

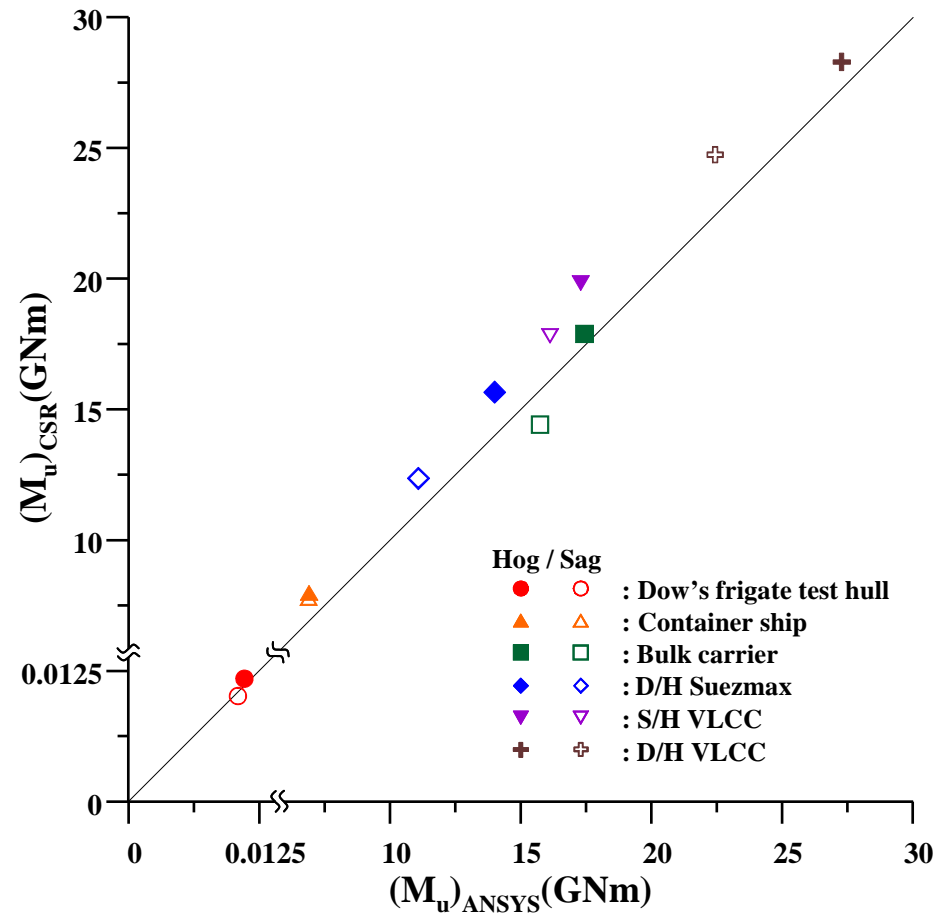
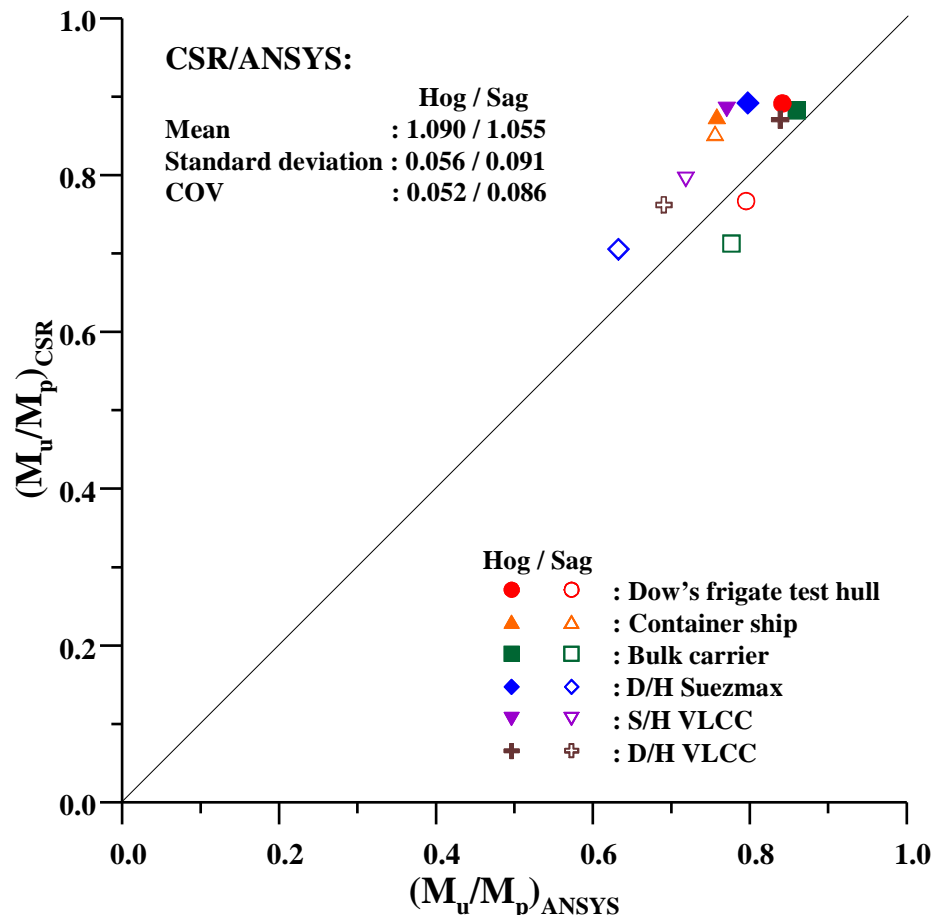
ANSYS Nonlinear FEA versus CSR ISUM (1/2)

Ship	M_p (GNm)	Hogging					Sagging				
		ANSYS		CSR		CSR/ ANSYS	ANSYS		CSR		CSR/ ANSYS
		M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p	M_{uh} (GNm)	M_{uh}/M_p		M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	M_{us} (GNm)	M_{us}/M_p	
Dow's test hull	0.013	0.011	0.840	0.012	0.888	1.058	0.011	0.793	0.010	0.764	0.963
Container ship	9.220	6.969	0.756	8.040	0.872	1.154	6.951	0.754	7.843	0.851	1.128
Bulk carrier	20.394	17.500	0.858	17.941	0.880	1.025	15.800	0.775	14.475	0.710	0.916
D/H Suezmax	17.677	14.066	0.796	15.714	0.889	1.117	11.151	0.631	12.420	0.703	1.114
S/H VLCC	22.578	17.355	0.769	19.889	0.881	1.146	16.179	0.717	17.868	0.791	1.104
D/H VLCC	32.667	27.335	0.837	28.352	0.868	1.037	22.495	0.689	24.798	0.759	1.102
Mean						1.090					1.055
S-D						0.056					0.091
COV						0.052					0.086

Note: M_p = fully plastic bending capacity, M_{uh} = ultimate hogging moment, M_{us} = ultimate sagging moment, S-D = standard deviation, COV = coefficient of variation

Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (10/12)

ANSYS Nonlinear FEA versus CSR ISUM (2/2)



Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (11/12)

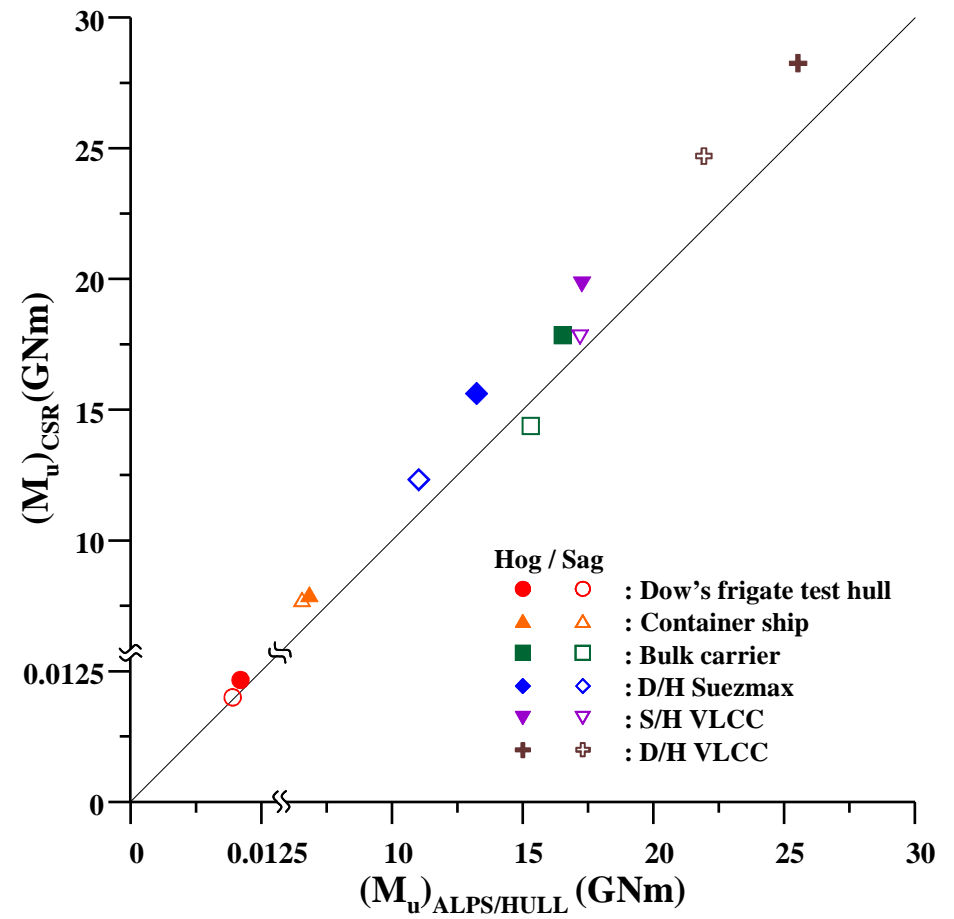
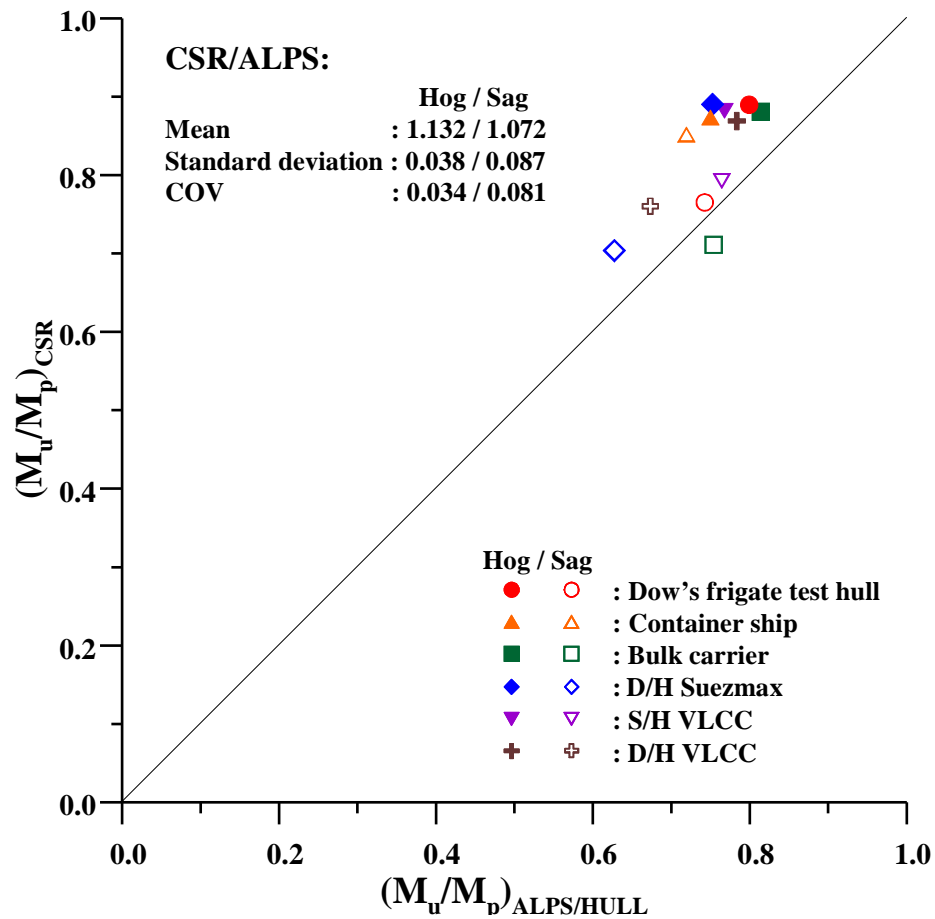
ALPS/HULL ISFEM versus CSR ISUM (1/2)

Ship	M_p (GNm)	Hogging					Sagging				
		ALPS		CSR		CSR/ ALPS	ALPS		CSR		CSR/ ALPS
		M_{uh} (GNm)	$M_{uh}/$ M_p	M_{uh} (GNm)	$M_{uh}/$ M_p		M_{us} (GNm)	$M_{us}/$ M_p	M_{us} (GNm)	$M_{us}/$ M_p	
Dow's test hull	0.013	0.011	0.799	0.012	0.888	1.111	0.010	0.743	0.010	0.764	1.029
Container ship	9.220	6.916	0.750	8.040	0.872	1.163	6.635	0.720	7.843	0.851	1.182
Bulk carrier	20.394	16.602	0.814	17.941	0.880	1.081	15.380	0.754	14.475	0.710	0.941
D/H Suezmax	17.677	13.308	0.753	15.714	0.889	1.181	11.097	0.628	12.420	0.703	1.119
S/H VLCC	22.578	17.335	0.768	19.889	0.881	1.147	17.263	0.765	17.868	0.791	1.035
D/H VLCC	32.667	25.600	0.784	28.352	0.868	1.108	22.000	0.673	24.798	0.759	1.127
Mean						1.132					1.072
S-D						0.038					0.087
COV						0.034					0.081

Note: M_p = fully plastic bending capacity, M_{uh} = ultimate hogging moment, M_{us} = ultimate sagging moment, S-D = standard deviation, COV = coefficient of variation

Statistical analysis - Mean and COV (12/12)

ALPS/HULL ISFEM versus CSR ISUM (2/2)



Concluding Remarks(1/2)

- Four methods, namely NLFEM (ANSYS), ISFEM(ALPS/HULL), ISUM(CSR method), and Modified P-M formula method have been considered.
- Modified P-M formula method calculations are in good agreement with ANSYS nonlinear FEA and ALPS/HULL progressive collapse simulations.

Concluding Remarks(2/2)

- Statistical analysis of the hull girder ultimate strength based on comparisons among the various computation is carried out in terms of their mean values and coefficient of variation.

Ship	Formula/ ANSYS		Formula/ ALPS		Formula/ CSR		ALPS/ ANSYS		CSR/ ANSYS		CSR/ ALPS	
	Hog	Sag	Hog	Sag	Hog	Sag	Hog	Sag	Hog	Sag	Hog	Sag
Dow's test hull	0.920	0.879	0.966	0.939	0.870	0.912	0.952	0.936	1.058	0.963	1.111	1.029
Container ship	0.918	1.018	0.925	1.067	0.796	0.902	0.992	0.955	1.154	1.128	1.163	1.182
Bulk carrier	0.947	0.937	0.998	0.962	0.924	1.022	0.949	0.973	1.025	0.916	1.081	0.941
D/H Suezmax	0.993	1.095	1.049	1.101	0.889	0.983	0.946	0.995	1.117	1.114	1.181	1.119
S/H VLCC	1.078	1.102	1.079	1.033	0.940	0.998	0.999	1.067	1.146	1.104	1.147	1.035
D/H VLCC	0.939	0.995	1.003	1.018	0.905	0.903	0.937	0.978	1.037	1.102	1.108	1.127
Mean	0.966	1.004	1.003	1.020	0.887	0.953	0.962	0.984	1.090	1.055	1.132	1.072
S-D	0.061	0.088	0.055	0.061	0.051	0.054	0.026	0.045	0.056	0.091	0.038	0.087
COV	0.063	0.087	0.055	0.060	0.058	0.056	0.027	0.046	0.052	0.086	0.034	0.081