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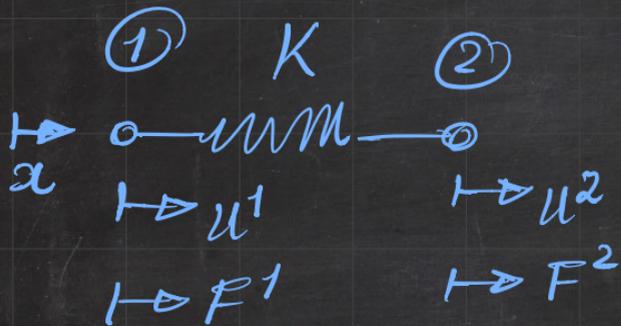
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Understanding FEM via

Spring Combinations

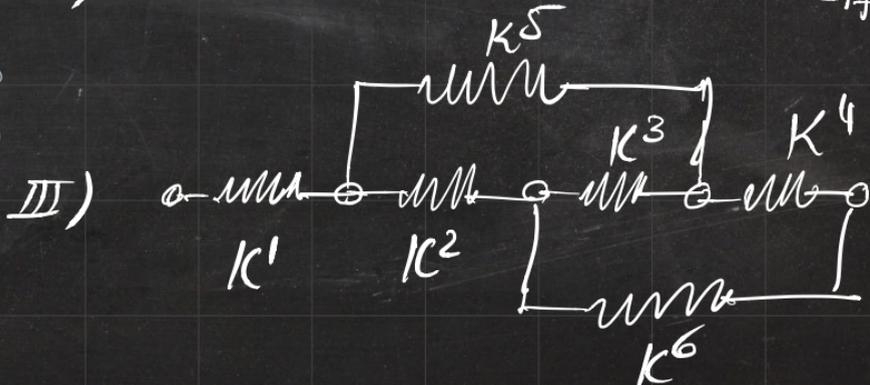
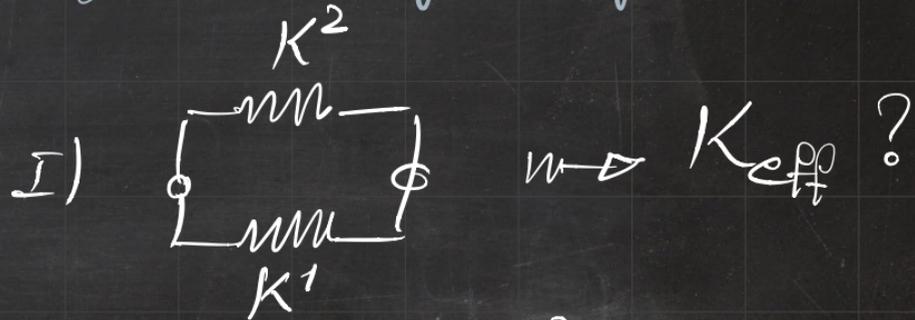
↳ Computer-based
Algorithm

Understanding key ingredients of FEM using springs:

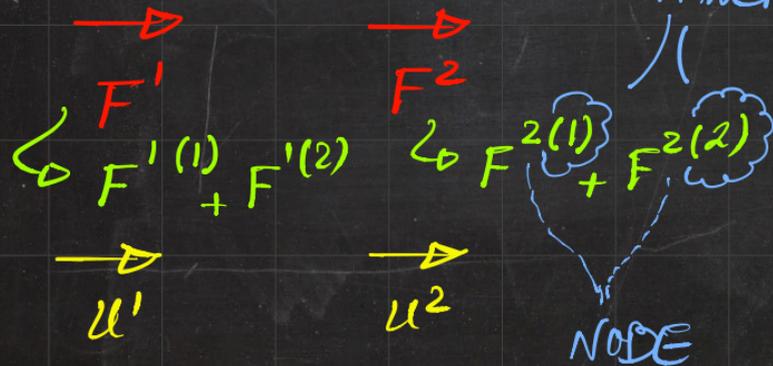
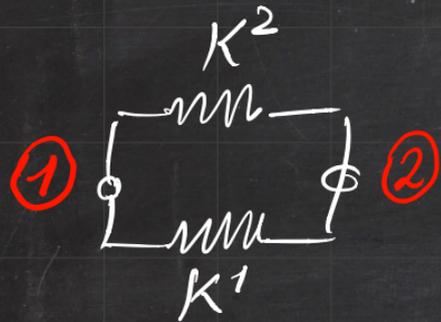


$$\begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K & -K \\ -K & K \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F = K \cdot U$$



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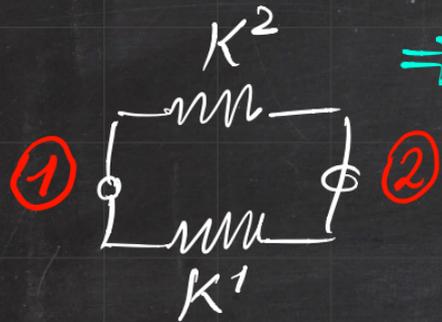
SPRING 1:

$$\begin{bmatrix} F^{1(1)} \\ F^{2(1)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K^1 & -K^1 \\ -K^1 & K^1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

SPRING 2:

$$\begin{bmatrix} F^{1(2)} \\ F^{2(2)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K^2 & -K^2 \\ -K^2 & K^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Understanding key ingredients of FEM using springs:



$$K_{\text{eff}} = K^1 + K^2$$

Parallel Combination

SPRING 1:

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SPRING 2:

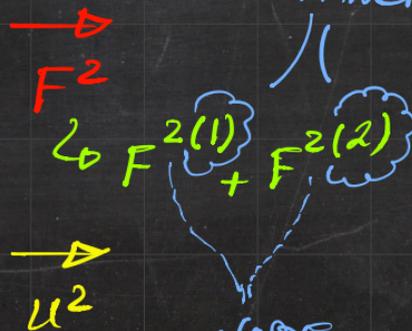
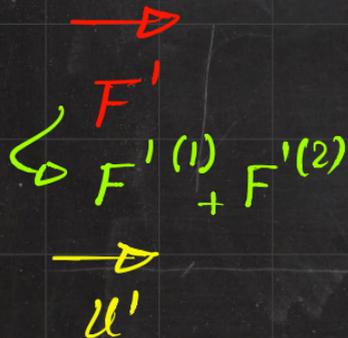
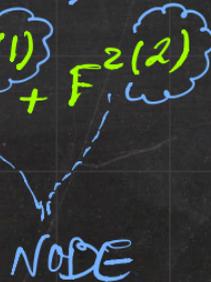
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FORCE @ NODE 1

$$\begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} F^{1(1)} + F^{1(2)} \\ F^{2(1)} + F^{2(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

FORCE @ NODE 2

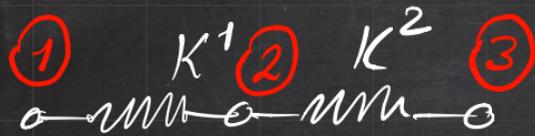
FROM SPRING



$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} [K^1 + K^2] & -[K^1 + K^2] \\ -[K^1 + K^2] & [K^1 + K^2] \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

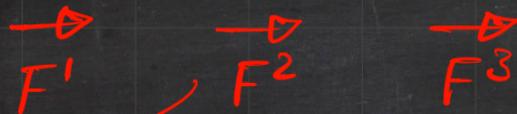
$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{F} = \mathbb{K}_{\text{eff}} \cdot \mathbb{U} \quad \mathbb{K}_{\text{eff}} = \begin{bmatrix} K_{\text{eff}} & -K_{\text{eff}} \\ -K_{\text{eff}} & K_{\text{eff}} \end{bmatrix}$$

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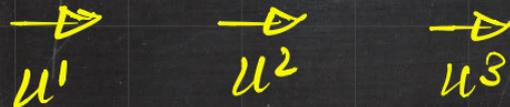
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SPRING 2:

$$\begin{bmatrix} F^{2(2)} \\ F^3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K^2 & -K^2 \\ -K^2 & K^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^2 \\ u^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

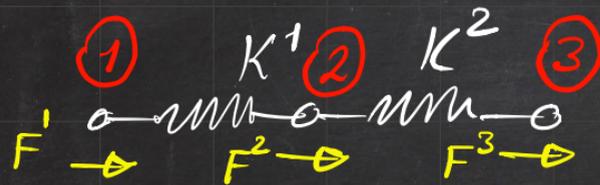


GLOBAL STIFFNESS

$$\frac{1}{K_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{1}{K_1} + \frac{1}{K_2}$$

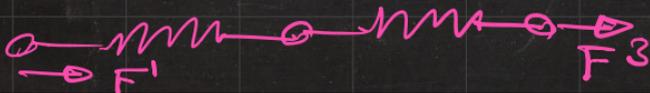
$$\begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^2 \\ F^3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K^1 & -K^1 & 0 \\ -K^1 & K^1 + K^2 & -K^2 \\ 0 & -K^2 & K^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^2 \\ u^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$-K^1 u^1 + [K^1+K^2] u^2 - K^2 u^3 = 0 \Rightarrow u^2 = \frac{K^1 u^1 + K^2 u^3}{K^1+K^2}$$

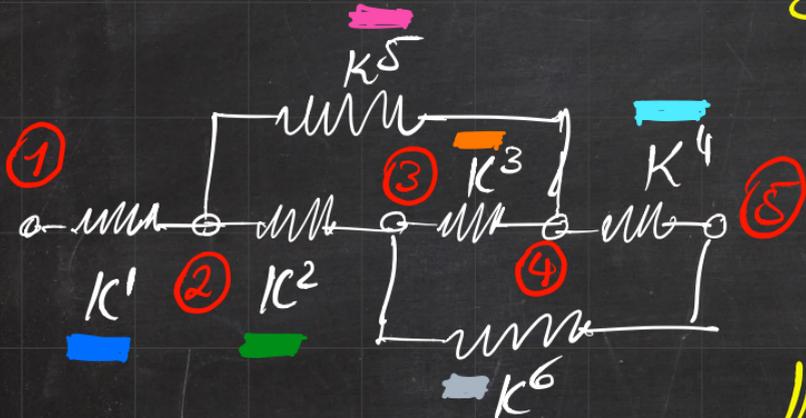
$$\begin{aligned} \checkmark \Rightarrow F^1 &= \frac{K^1 K^2}{K^1+K^2} [u^1 - u^3] \\ 0 \Leftarrow + \\ \Rightarrow F^3 &= \frac{K^1 K^2}{K^1+K^2} [u^3 - u^1] \end{aligned}$$

K_{eff}
 $F^1 + F^3 = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K_{eff} & -K_{eff} \\ -K_{eff} & K_{eff} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

SYM, DET=0

Understanding key ingredients of FEM using springs:



SYM.
&
DET=0

$$\begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^2 \\ F^3 \\ F^4 \\ F^5 \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} k^{11} & k^{12} & k^{13} & k^{14} & k^{15} \\ k^{21} & k^{22} & k^{23} & - & - \\ k^{31} & - & - & - & - \\ k^{41} & - & - & - & - \\ k^{51} & - & - & - & k^{55} \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{K}} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^2 \\ u^3 \\ u^4 \\ u^5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{K} \cdot \mathbf{u}$$

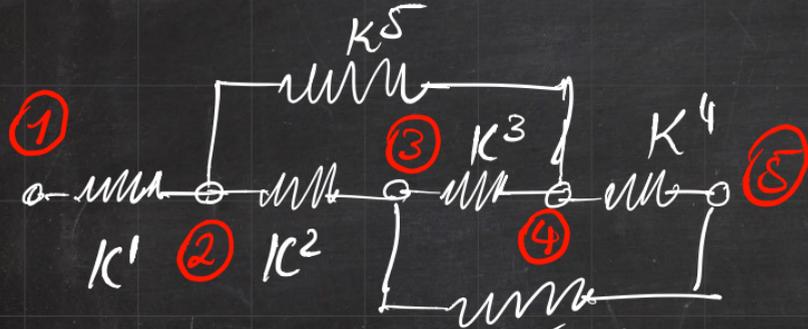
$\mathbf{K} = \textcircled{3}$

	①	②	③	④	⑤
①	k^1	$-k^1$	0	0	0
②	$-k^1$	$k^1 + k^2 + k^5$	$-k^2$	$-k^5$	0
③	0	$-k^2$	$k^2 + k^3 + k^6$	$-k^3$	$-k^6$
④	0	$-k^5$	$-k^3$	$k^3 + k^4 + k^5$	$-k^4$
⑤	0	0	$-k^6$	$-k^4$	$k^4 + k^6$

5x5

Understanding key ingredients of FEM using springs:

$$k^1 = k^2 = k^3 = k^4 = k^5 = k^6 = 1$$

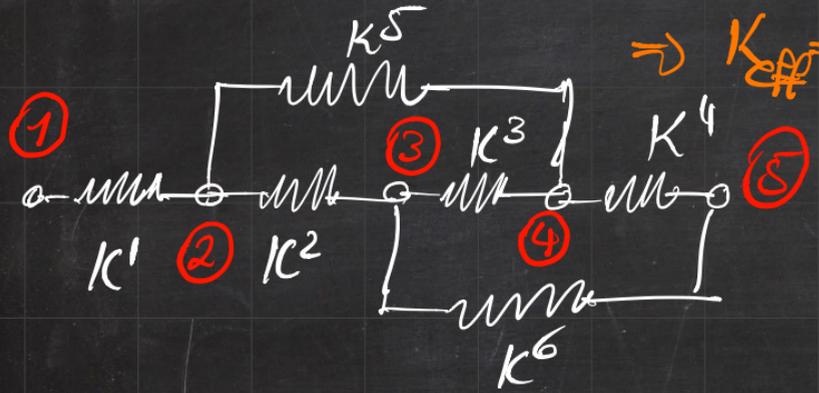


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$$K = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{5 \times 5}$$

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$$k^1 = k^2 = k^3 = k^4 = k^5 = k^6 = 1$$



$$\Rightarrow K_{\text{eff}} = 1.5$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} F^1 \\ F^5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & -0.5 \\ -0.5 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u^1 \\ u^5 \end{bmatrix}$$

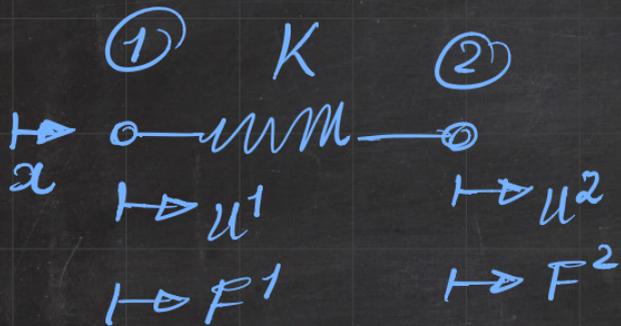
$$\Rightarrow F^5 = 0.5 [u^5 - u^1]$$

$$K =$$

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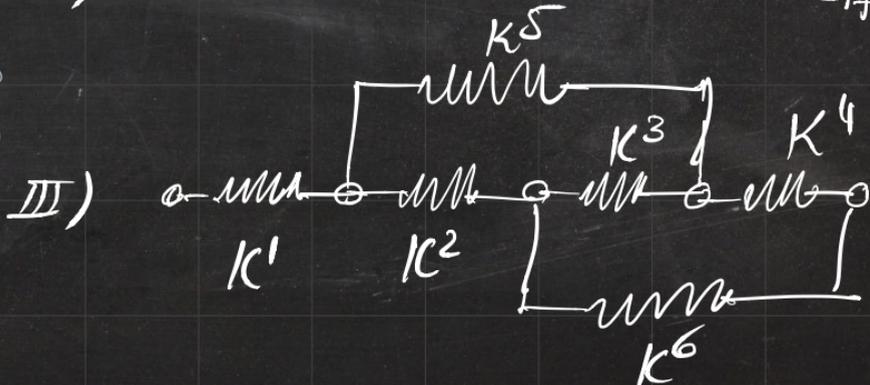
$$\Rightarrow F = Ku$$

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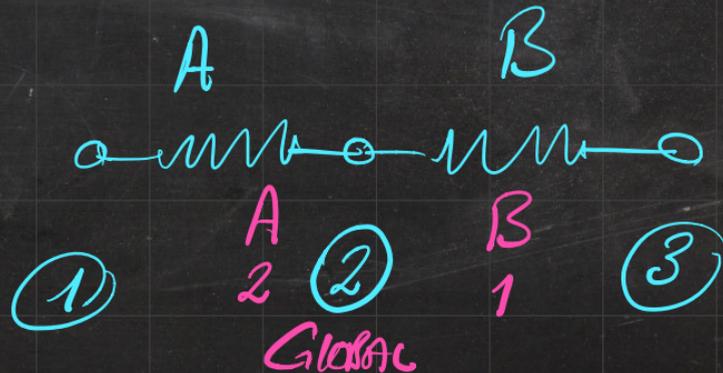
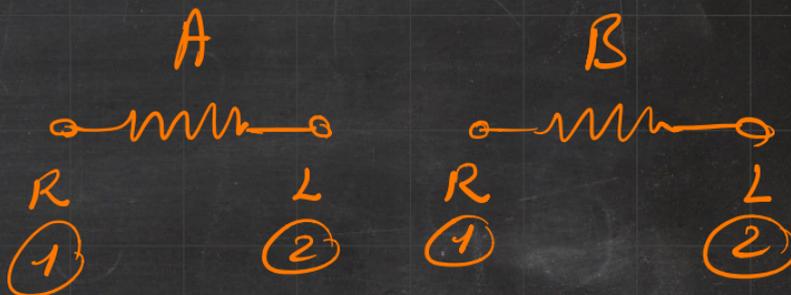
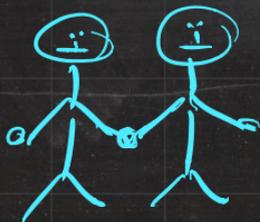
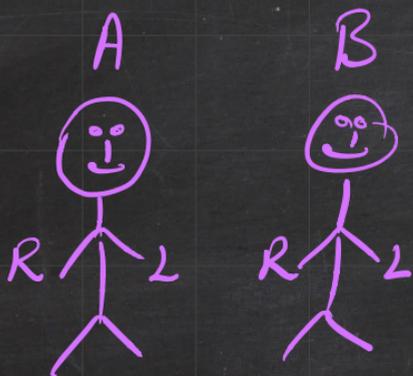


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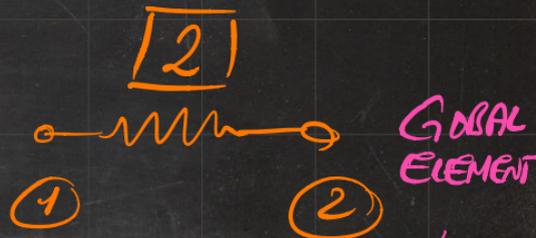
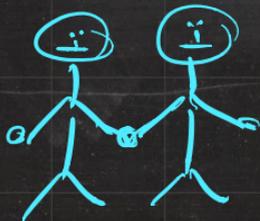
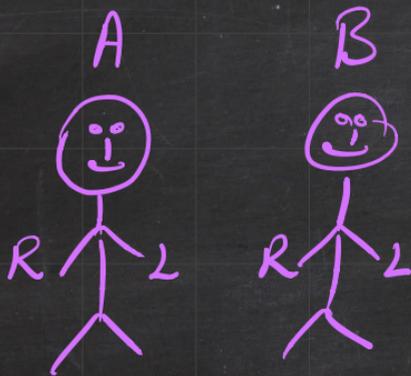
$$F = K \cdot U$$



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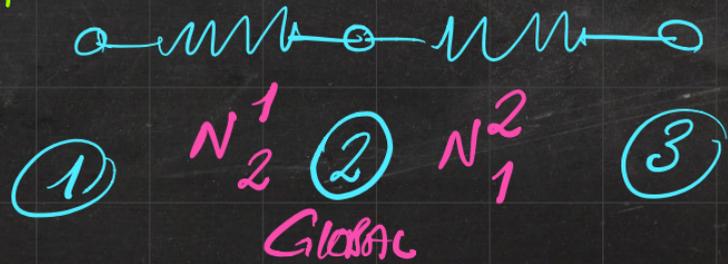
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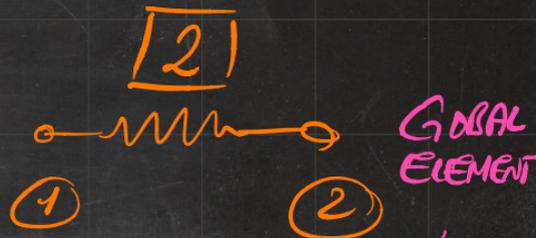
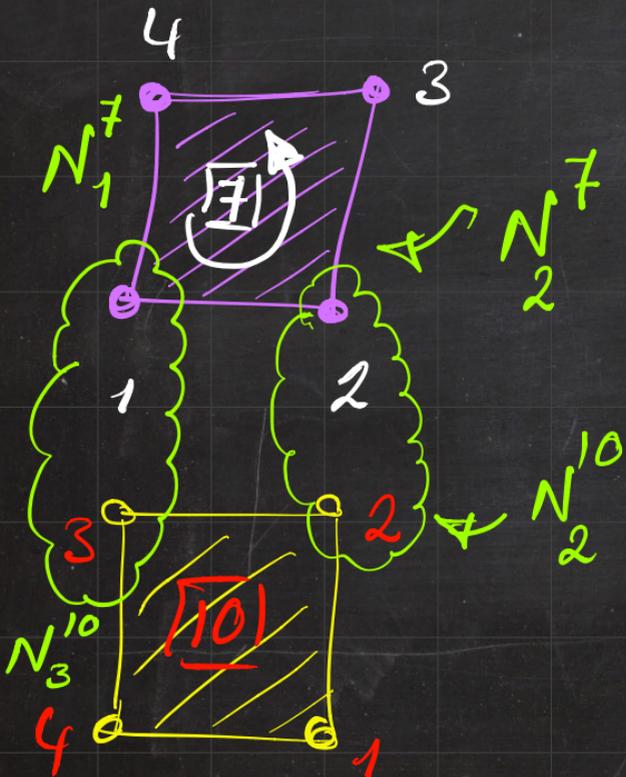
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GLOBAL NODE

$$N^2 = N_2^1 = N_1^2$$

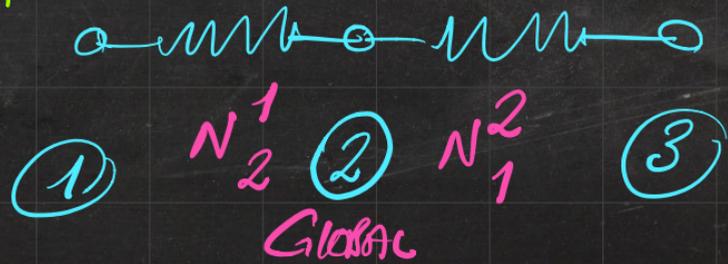


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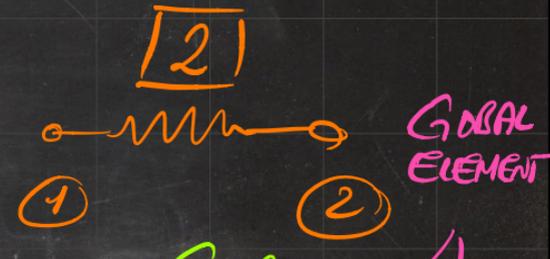
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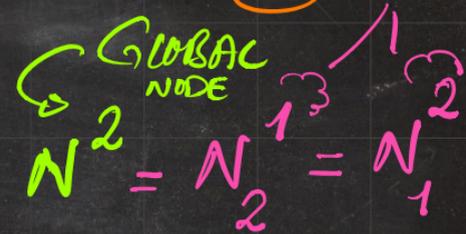
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* ELEMENTS DO NOT HAVE LEFT AND RIGHT



ALTERNATIVELY, THEY HAVE "ORIENTATION"

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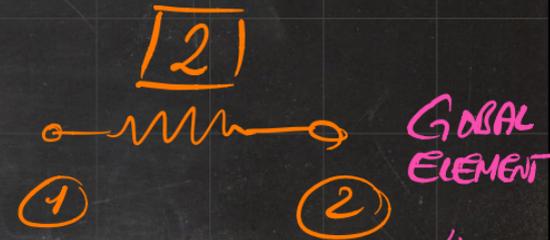


LOCAL CoCoW. NODE NUMBERING



TOWARDS AN ALGORITHMIC APPROACH TO ASSEMBLY:

* ELEMENTS DO NOT HAVE NAMES



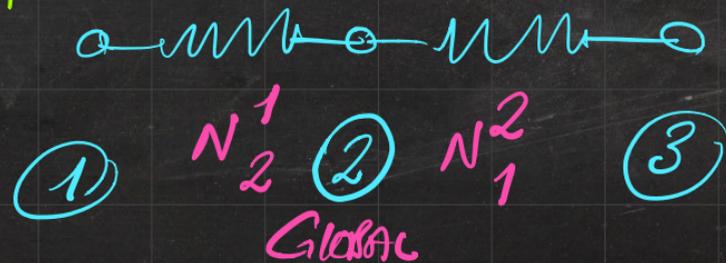
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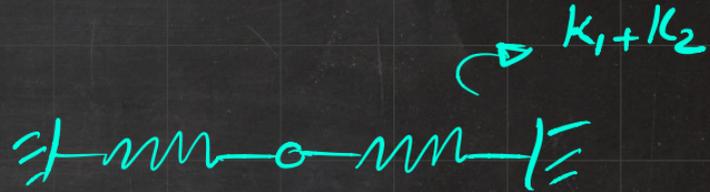
$$N^2 = N_2^1 = N_1^2$$

Diagram illustrating the mapping of global nodes to local nodes. A 'GLOBAL NODE' is shown with a superscript '2'. This is equated to a local node 'N₂' with a superscript '1', which is further equated to a local node 'N₁' with a superscript '2'. Arrows indicate the mapping from the global node to the local nodes.

GLOBAL TO IDENTIFY THEM

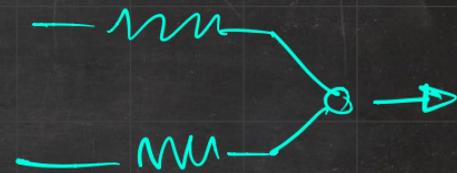
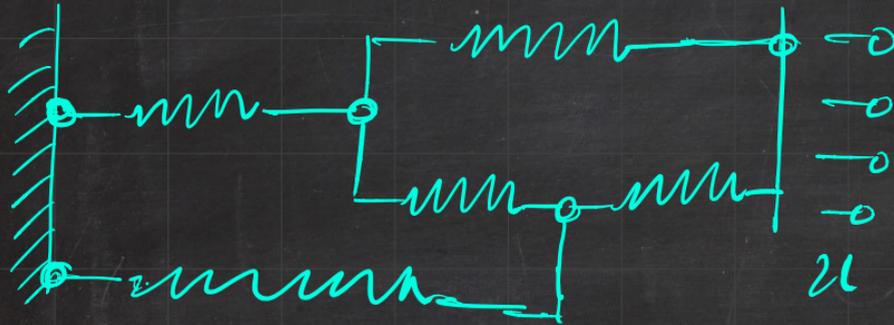


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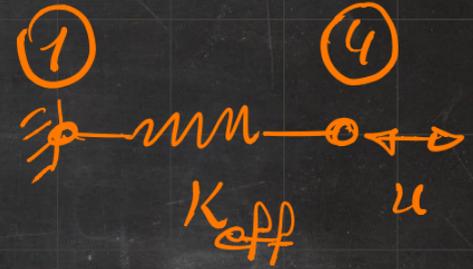
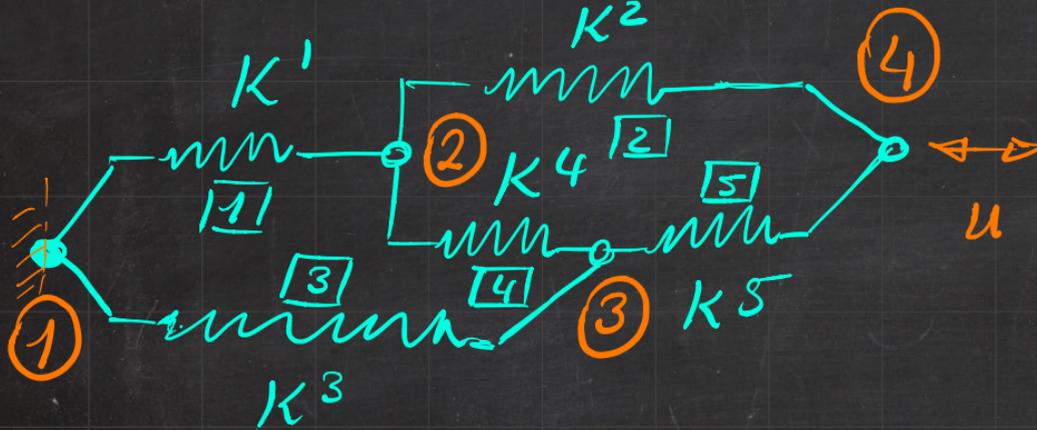


$$\Rightarrow K = K_2^2 + K_1^3$$

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ELEMENT 1

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ELEMENT 2

$$K^2 = \begin{bmatrix} K^2 & -K^2 \\ -K^2 & K^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

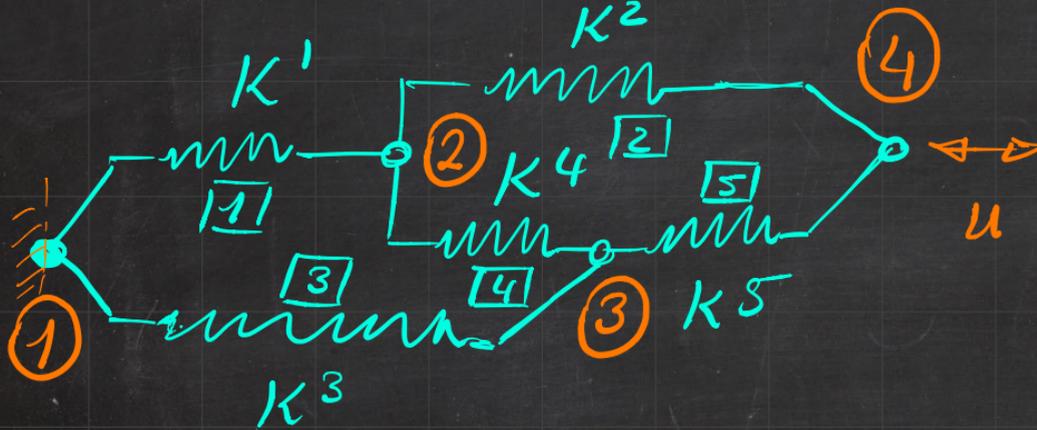
ELEMENT 3

$$K^3 = \begin{bmatrix} K^3 & -K^3 \\ -K^3 & K^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

ELEMENT

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} K & -K \\ -K & K \end{bmatrix}$$

TOWARDS AN ALGORITHMIC APPROACH TO ASSEMBLY:



ELEMENT 5

$$K^5 = \begin{bmatrix} K^5 & -K^5 \\ -K^5 & K^5 \end{bmatrix}$$

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ELEMENT 3

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ELEMENT 4

$$K^4 = \begin{bmatrix} K^4 & -K^4 \\ -K^4 & K^4 \end{bmatrix}$$

GLOBAL
 \mathbb{K} =

