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$$V_{avg} = \frac{1}{2}(V_{min} + V_{max})$$

- where V_{min} and V_{max} are the maximum and minimum values of V at the fixed nodes
- Doubts:
- Q. 1: How did we come up with the equation of alpha in slide 10?
- Answer:
- Shape functions are obtained from
- $V_e(x, y) = a + bx + cy$ where (a,b,c) are

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$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2A} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2 & x_3 y_1 - x_1 y_3 & x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1 \\ y_2 - y_3 & y_3 - y_1 & y_1 - y_2 \\ x_3 - x_2 & x_1 - x_3 & x_2 - x_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_{e1} \\ V_{e2} \\ V_{e3} \end{bmatrix}$$

- where A is the area of element e, i.e.,

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x_1 & y_1 \\ 1 & x_2 & y_2 \\ 1 & x_3 & y_3 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \{ (x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1) + (x_3 y_1 - x_1 y_3) + (x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2) \}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{ (x_2 - x_1)(y_3 - y_1) - (x_3 - x_1)(y_2 - y_1) \}$$

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- We may express the below equation as

$$V_e(x, y) = a + bx + cy$$

$$V_e = \sum_{i=1}^3 \alpha_i(x, y) V_{ei}$$

- where

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{1}{2A} \left[(x_2 y_3 - x_3 y_2) + (y_2 - y_3) x + (x_3 - x_2) y \right]$$
$$\alpha_2 = \frac{1}{2A} \left[(x_3 y_1 - x_1 y_3) + (y_3 - y_1) x + (x_1 - x_3) y \right]$$
$$\alpha_3 = \frac{1}{2A} \left[(x_1 y_2 - x_2 y_1) + (y_1 - y_2) x + (x_2 - x_1) y \right]$$

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- Q. 2: Anticlockwise approach assigning the node numbers is not applicable for global nodes numbering?
- Ans: All the calculations for global coefficients are done from local elements coefficient matrix so no need
- Q3: Global coupling coefficient matrix (C) is always singular?
- Ans: Yes, for example, $\det (C)=0$

$$[C] = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2357 & -0.7786 & 0 & -0.4571 \\ -0.7786 & 1.25 & -0.4571 & -0.0143 \\ 0 & -0.4571 & 0.8238 & -0.3667 \\ -0.4571 & -0.0143 & -0.3667 & 0.8381 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Q4:
- In the last part, we are finding the partial derivative of W wrt V_k .
 - Does that mean we are finding the optimum value of V to have minimum energy?
 - If yes and if for a fixed node, if we are finding the value of V_k , does it not tamper with the original value of V , given for that particular node?
- Ans: Yes, we will find it only for free nodes

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(2) Band matrix method

- If all the free nodes (f) are numbered first and all prescribed nodes (p) last, we can write

$$W = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon \begin{bmatrix} V_f & V_p \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C_{ff} & C_{fp} \\ C_{pf} & C_{pp} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_f \\ V_p \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon \begin{bmatrix} V_f C_{ff} + V_p C_{pf} \\ V_f C_{fp} + V_p C_{pp} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_f \\ V_p \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$W = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon \left[\begin{array}{c} V_f C_{ff} V_f + V_p C_{pf} V_f + \\ V_f C_{fp} V_p + V_p C_{pp} V_p \end{array} \right]$$

- What are free and prescribed nodes?
 - Nodes which are free
 - Nodes with the prescribed or fixed potentials

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- Since V_p is constant, we differentiate only w.r.t. V_f , hence

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{ff} & C_{fp} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_f \\ V_p \end{bmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow [C_{ff}][V_f] = -[C_{fp}][V_p]$$

- This equation can be written as

$$[A][V] = [B] \Rightarrow [V] = [A]^{-1}[B]$$

- where

$$[V] = [V_f]; [A] = [C_{ff}]; [B] = -[C_{fp}][V_p]$$

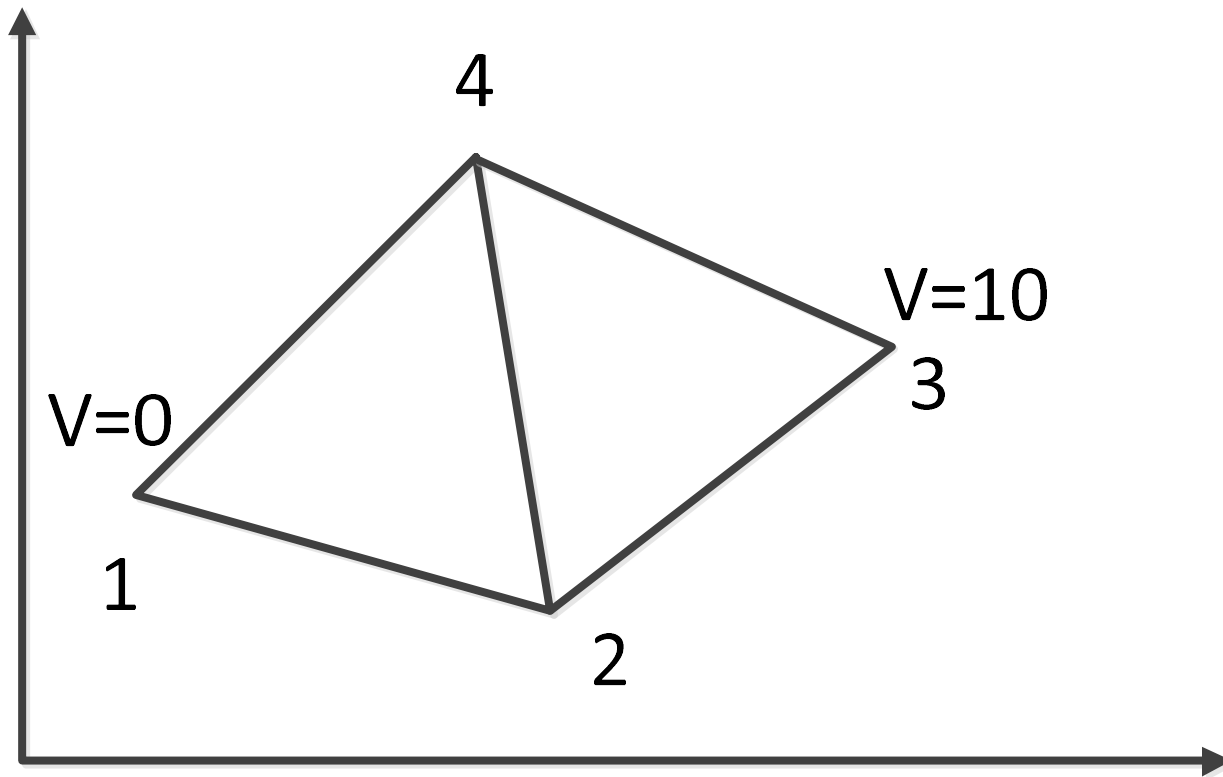
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- Since A is in general non-singular, the potential at the free nodes can be found out easily
- Example: Consider the two element mesh shown in Fig. Using FEM find the potentials within the mesh.

Node	x	y
1	0.8	1.8
2	1.4	1.4
3	2.1	2.1
4	1.2	2.7

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- Two element mesh



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- Define

$$P_1 = (y_2 - y_3), P_2 = (y_3 - y_1), P_3 = (y_1 - y_2)$$

$$Q_1 = -(x_2 - x_3), Q_2 = -(x_3 - x_1), Q_3 = -(x_1 - x_2)$$

- Then

$$C_{ij}^{(e)} = \frac{1}{4A} (P_i P_j + Q_i Q_j)$$

- where

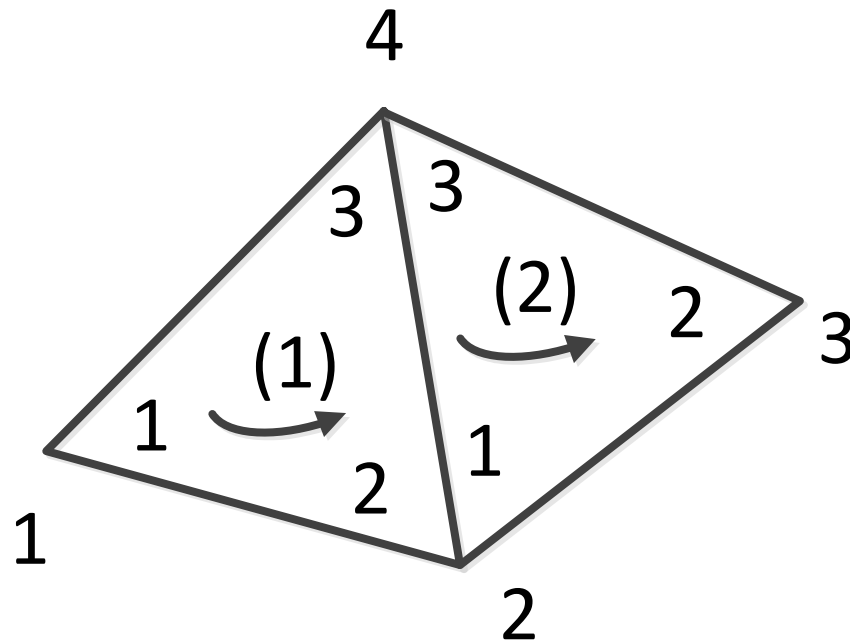
$$A = \frac{1}{2} (P_2 Q_3 - P_3 Q_2)$$

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Element	1	2
(P_1, P_2, P_3)	$(-1.3, 0.9, 0.4)$	$(-0.6, 1.3, -0.7)$
(Q_1, Q_2, Q_3)	$(-.2, -.4, 0.6)$	$(-0.9, 0.2, 0.7)$
A	0.35	0.525

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- Element numbering and local node numbering



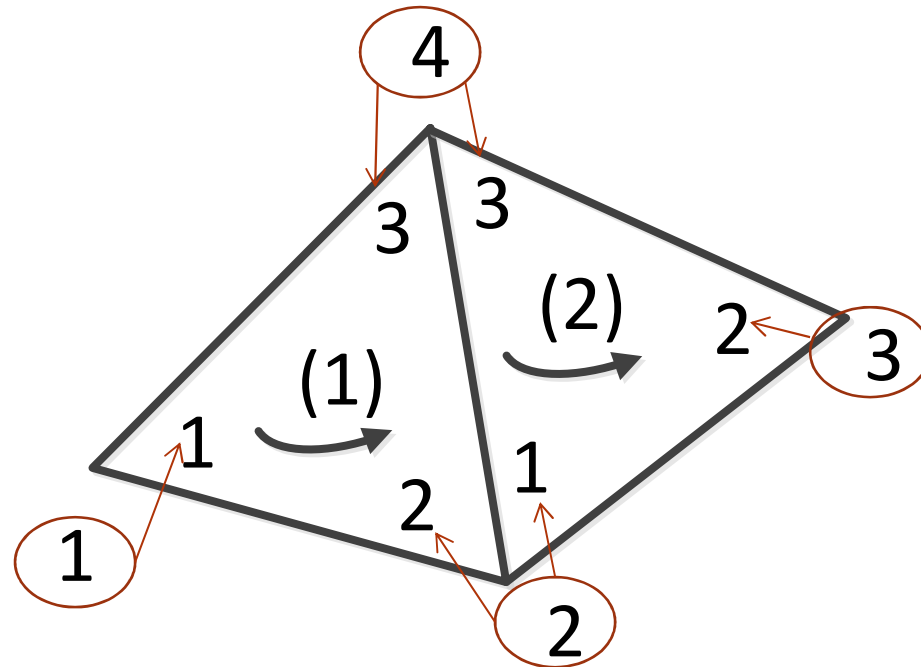
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$$[C^{(1)}] = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2357 & -0.7786 & -0.4571 \\ -0.7786 & 0.6929 & 0.0857 \\ -0.4571 & 0.0857 & 0.37114 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[C^{(2)}] = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5571 & -0.4571 & -0.1 \\ -0.4571 & 0.8238 & -0.3667 \\ -0.1 & -0.3667 & 0.4667 \end{bmatrix}$$

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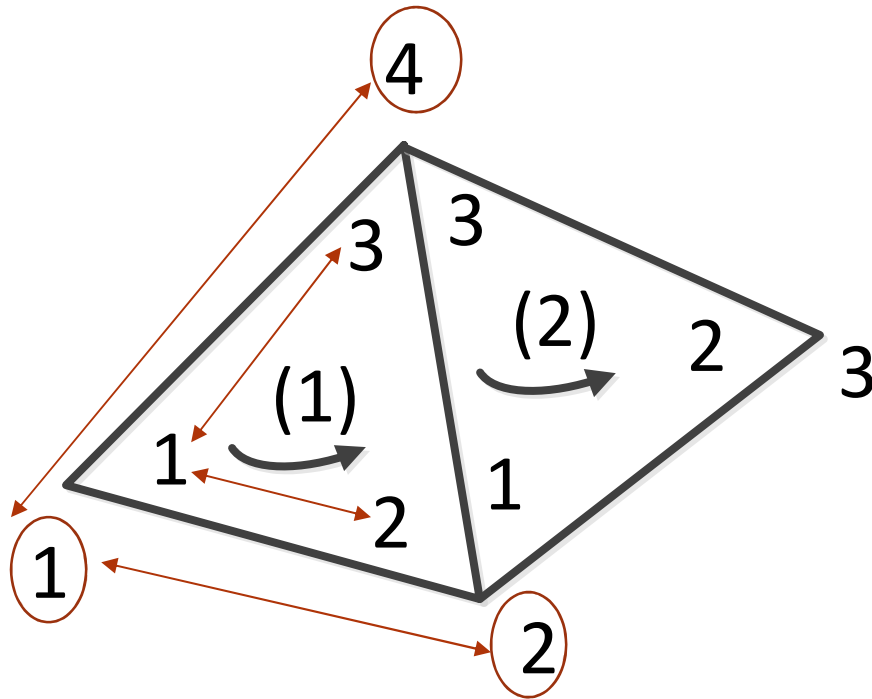
- Diagonal elements of Global coefficient matrix



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$$[C] = \left[\begin{array}{l} C_{11} = C_{11}^{(1)} \\ C_{22} = C_{22}^{(1)} + C_{11}^{(2)} \\ C_{33} = C_{22}^{(2)} \\ C_{44} = C_{33}^{(1)} + C_{33}^{(2)} \end{array} \right]$$

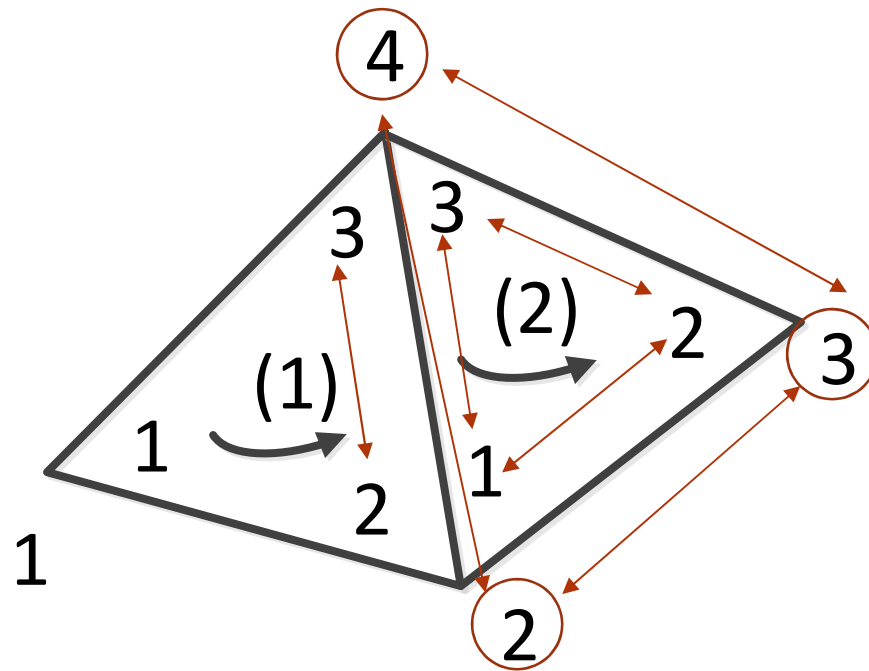
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$$[C] = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} = C_{11}^{(1)} & C_{12} = C_{12}^{(1)} & C_{13} = 0 & C_{14} = C_{13}^{(1)} \\ C_{21} = C_{12} & C_{22} = C_{22}^{(1)} + C_{11}^{(2)} & & \\ C_{31} = C_{13} & & C_{33} = C_{22}^{(2)} & \\ C_{41} = C_{14} & & & C_{44} = C_{33}^{(1)} + C_{33}^{(2)} \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Note that $\sum_{i=1}^4 C_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^4 C_{ij} = 0$
- It may be used to check if C is properly obtained
- For free nodes, we can found out as follows

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First iteration (note $V_1=0, V_3=10$, prescribed) $\therefore V_k = -\frac{1}{C_{kk}} \sum_{i=1, i \neq k}^n C_{ki} V_i$

$$V_2 = -\frac{1}{C_{22}} (C_{21} V_1 + C_{23} V_3 + C_{24} V_4) = -\frac{1}{1.25} (-4.571 - 0.0143 V_4)$$

$$V_4 = -\frac{1}{C_{44}} (C_{41} V_1 + C_{42} V_2 + C_{43} V_3) = -\frac{1}{0.831} (-3.667 - 0.0143 V_2)$$

Setting $V_2=V_4=0$ initially, we have, $V_2=3.6568, V_4=4.413$

Use this value for second iteration, we have, $V_2=3.707, V_4=4.476$

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- Band matrix method:

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{22} & C_{24} \\ C_{42} & C_{44} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_2 \\ V_4 \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} C_{21} & C_{23} \\ C_{41} & C_{43} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ V_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore [C_{ff}][V_f] = -[C_{fp}][V_p]$$

- Equivalently,
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & C_{22} & 0 & C_{24} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & C_{42} & 0 & C_{44} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ V_2 \\ V_3 \\ V_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -C_{21} & -C_{23} \\ 0 & 1 \\ -C_{41} & -C_{43} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_1 \\ V_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Or,
- $[C][V]=[B]$

- where

$$[C] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.25 & 0 & -0.0143 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.0143 & 0 & 0.8381 \end{bmatrix}, [B] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4.571 \\ 10 \\ 3.667 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Therefore,

$$[V] = [C]^{-1}[B] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3.708 \\ 10.0 \\ 4.438 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- What is Functional?
- Consider a 1-D region of space in the range $x_1 \leq x \leq x_2$
- A function $\varphi(x)$ and its derivative $\varphi' = d\varphi/dx$ are defined in the region along with $F(\varphi, \varphi', x)$
- A general expression of the functions and independent variable
- Consider the volume integral of the expression

$$I = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} F(\phi, \phi', x) dx$$

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- The quantity I takes on a value for each choice of the function φ
- It is called function of φ
- We seek a particular form of φ that gives a maximum or minimum value of the functional
- Assume that $\varphi(x)$ has an arbitrary variation over the range but at the ends the values are clamped
- $\Phi(x_1) = \varphi_1, \Phi(x_2) = \varphi_2$
- To seek a minimum, we investigate variations of the functional form of $\Phi(x)$

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- Let $\Phi_0(\mathbf{x})$ represent the desired minimizing function and define an arbitrary function $\eta(\mathbf{x})$ that satisfies the boundary conditions
- $\eta(\mathbf{x}_1) = \eta(\mathbf{x}_2) = 0$
- Let ε be a small number and add the quantity $\varepsilon \eta(\mathbf{x})$ to define the variation of $\Phi(\mathbf{x})$ about the optimum point
- The functional becomes

$$I(\varepsilon) = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} F(\phi, \phi', x) dx = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} F(\phi_0 + \varepsilon\eta, \phi' + \varepsilon\eta', x) dx$$

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- The condition $dI/d\varepsilon = 0$ means that $\Phi_0(\mathbf{x})$ corresponds to the minimum (or maximum) of the functional

$$\frac{\partial I(\varepsilon)}{\partial \varepsilon} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi} \eta + \frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \eta' \right) dx = 0$$

- Using integration by parts of the second term in the above integration
- Take

$$v = \frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'}; u = \eta \Rightarrow du = \eta' dx$$

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- Integration by parts

$$\int v du = vu - \int u dv$$

- Therefore

$$\frac{\partial I(\varepsilon)}{\partial \varepsilon} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi} \eta - \eta \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \right) \right) dx + \frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \eta \Big|_{x_1}^{x_2} = 0$$

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- Because of the boundary condition: $\eta(x_1) = \eta(x_2) = 0$

$$\frac{\partial I(\varepsilon)}{\partial \varepsilon} = \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi} \eta - \eta \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \right) \right) dx + \frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \eta \Big|_{x_1}^{x_2} = 0$$

- Hence,

$$\int_{x_1}^{x_2} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \right) \right) \eta dx = 0$$

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- The function $\Phi(x)$ that gives minimum of the functional I therefore satisfies the equation which is called Euler equation

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi} - \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi'} \right) = 0; \phi' = \frac{d\phi}{dx}$$

- When the function $\Phi(x,y,z)$ depends on three independent variables, the 3-D form of the Euler equation

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi_x} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi_y} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(\frac{\partial F}{\partial \phi_z} \right) = 0$$

- where

$$\phi_x = \frac{d\phi}{dx}, \phi_y = \frac{d\phi}{dy}, \phi_z = \frac{d\phi}{dz}$$