

TEST CASE DOCUMENTATION AND TESTING RESULTS

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TEST CASE ID AWG-ERIF-12

Single Rotating Fan Blade

Tested with LS-DYNA® R7.1.0 Revision 87770

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1 Introduction

1.1 Purpose of this Document

This document specifies the test case AWG-ERIF-12. It provides general test case information like name and ID as well as information to the confidentiality, status, and classification of the test case.

A detailed description of the test case is given, the purpose of the test case is defined, and the tested features are named. The test case specifications also state the target measures for testing and the expected results, as well as their pass and fail criteria.

Testing results are provided in section 5 for the therein mentioned LS-DYNA® version and platforms.

2 Test Case Information

Test Case Summary	
Confidentiality	external use
Test Case Name	Single Rotating Fan Blade
Test Case ID	AWG-ERIF-12
Test Case Status	active
Test Case Classification	Example
Test Case Source	CCSU
Tested Keyword	*CONTROL_DYNAMIC_RELAXATION, *LOAD_BODY_RZ, *CONTROL_ACCURACY
Member of Test Suite	AWG ERIF SUITE
Metadata	AWG ERIF

Table 1: Test Case Summary

3 Test Case Specification

3.1 Test Case Purpose

The purpose of Test Case ID AWG-ERIF-12 is the comparison of results from different cpu architectures for a single rotating fan blade. The model demonstrates a stable solution for the rotation of a blade. Specifically, the blade internal and kinetic energy should remain constant as the blade is rotated. An implicit analysis is required first to apply the rotational centrifugal load or preload to the blade. This analysis is followed by an explicit rotation of the blade where the stability of the blade internal and kinetic energies are evaluated. The implicit and explicit analyses are completed in one-step analysis by using the keyword input *CONTROL_DYNAMIC_RELAXATION with IDRFLAG=5.

The reliability and consistency of LS-DYNA® as a finite element solver for these test cases is evaluated by performing analyses on different cpu architecture platforms.

3.2 Test Case Description

This Test Case contains a single blade as shown in Figure 1. The blade has a centrifugal load applied in an implicit solution that is followed by a 360-degree rotation of the blade in an explicit solution.

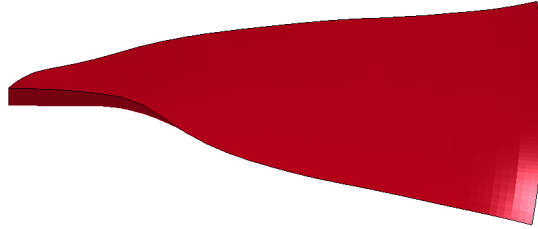


Figure 1: Model sketch: Single fan blade

Table 2 contains a short summary of the physical model set up.

Physical Model Information	
Blade rotational velocity	$617.32 \text{ rad/sec} = 11,800 \text{ rpm} (z - \text{axis})$
Blade material	linear elastic

Table 2: Model set-up data

3.3 Model Description

The model is a single blade consisting of one part using shell elements as shown in Figure 2. The number of nodes, elements, and material specifications for the model are provided in Table 3. The blade material is not related to a specific material and can be chosen as appropriate.

The model specifications can be found in table 3, and table 4 defines the sub test case specification.

The material definitions and their parameters can be found in the input decks.

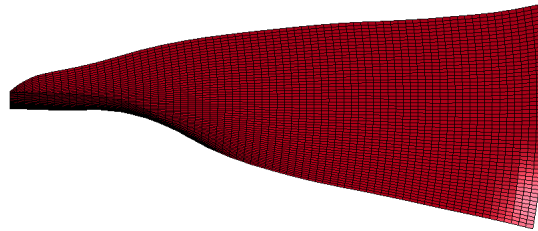


Figure 2: FEA model: Single fan blade

FEA Model information	
Sub Test Case ID ¹	1
Nodes	4234
Shell elements	4104
Shell materials	1
Shell materials	$\omega_z = 617.32 rad/sec = 11,800 rpm$
Units	<i>in</i> (length), <i>sec</i> (time), <i>lbf · sec²/in</i> (mass), <i>lbf/in²</i> (stress), <i>lbf · in</i> (energy)

¹ Sub Test Case ID refers to the ID's in table 4

Table 3: FEA Model Information

Sub Test ID	Input Deck Name
1	onestep_load_and_rotate.k

Table 4: Specification of sub test cases

4 Test Specifications

4.1 Test Case Targets

Table 5 displays the test case targets. The test case targets specify values or a series of values taken from the finite element analysis solution of the test case and they are used in a comparison of analysis results on different cpu architectures. They are chosen in a way that they are representative of the numerical model.

Test Case Targets				
Target number	output	component type	component id	retrieved from
1	global	internal energy	-	binout/glstat file
2	global	kinetic energy	-	binout/glstat file

Table 5: Test Case targets for Test Case ID AWG-ERIF-12

Test case targets are used to evaluate the cross cpu architecture consistency (see section 4.2).

4.2 Pass/Fail Criteria

These are the Pass/Fail criteria used for the cross cpu architecture consistency test of the Test Case ID AWG-ERIF-12.

The sub test case passes if all of the following criteria are reached:

- For test case target 1, the internal energy did not exceed the interval [815.805 : 799.651]. This is a 1% tolerance interval of the initial internal energy of $807.728 \text{ lbf} \cdot \text{in}$.
- For test case target 2, the kinetic energy did not exceed the interval [777764.64 : 762363.36]. This is a 1% tolerance interval of the initial internal energy of $770064 \text{ lbf} \cdot \text{in}$.

Otherwise the cross cpu architecture consistency test fails.

5 Test Case Results

5.1 Software and Hardware Specifications

In order to ensure cross-platform consistency, the herein mentioned sub test cases are run on platforms specified in table 6 and the results are calculated with software versions defined in table 7.

Platform Name	Operating system	CPU type	MPI-Protocol	Number of cpu's ¹
sandwich	SUSE LES 11.1	Intel® Xeon® E7- 8837 @ 2.67GHz	Platform MPI 8.2.0.0	4
ham	CentOS 5.4	AMD® Opteron® 8435 @ 800MHz	Platform MPI 8.1.0.0	4
sgi64d	SUSE LES 9.4 ²	Intel® Itanium® 2 @ 1.6GHz	SGI MPT 1.13	4

¹ Number of cpu's used for calculation of the test case

² SGI PROPACK 4

Table 6: Used Platforms and CPU Type's

Product	Version	Release	Revision	Parallel type ¹	Precision ²	executable
LS-DYNA®	971	R7.1.0	87770	SMP	DP	ld971.87770.R7.1.0
LS-DYNA®	971	R7.1.0	87770	MPP	DP	mpd971.87770.R7.1.0

¹ MPP = Massively Parallel Processing, SMP = Symmetric Multiprocessing

² SP = single precision, DP = double precision

Table 7: Tested LS-DYNA® version

5.2 Results Summary

Table 8 contains the results of the Test Case ID AWG-ERIF-12 completed with all combinations of software and hardware defined in section 5.1 (1 * 3 * 2 total calculation runs).

Details on the test results can be found in the section 5.3.

The table 8 cross cpu architecture consistency summary is:

- **PASS** - Pass criteria in section 4.2 is attained.
- **FAILED** - Pass criteria in section 4.2 is not attained.
- **ERROR** - sub test case terminates due to error.
- **N/A** - sub test case was not calculated.

Sub Test Case ID	PASS/FAILED
1	PASS

Table 8: Results summary for Test Case ID AWG-ERIF-12

5.3 Result Details

The following subsections contain detailed results for the Test Case ID AWG-ERIF-12 for LS-DYNA® R7.1.0 Revision 87770.

For each sub test case defined in section 3.3 there is a graph displaying the time history of the result target defined in section 4.1 for the platform and software version combinations defined in section 5.1.

The title of the graph states the name of the input deck, the result file name, and the output separated by underscores. The legend contains the result file name, output, platform, and executable. The last number of the legend specifies the number of cpu's used to calculate the example. A leading minus sign refers to the compatibility option for SMP calculations (see [1] for details on this option).

Example for title and legend:

Title:

'onestep.load_and_rotate.k: glstat_internal_energy' states that the input deck for sub test case 1 was used to calculate these results. The component displayed is the global internal energy derived from the 'glstat' output file.

Legend:

'glstat_internal_energy_sandwich_ls971.87770.R7.1.0_4' states that the graph shows the global internal energy derived from the 'glstat' output file for an input deck which was calculated on the 'sandwich' platform with a LS-DYNA® R7.1.0 Revision 87770 binary (SMP, single precision) on four processors.

5.3.1 Sub Test Case ID 1 - Test Target 1

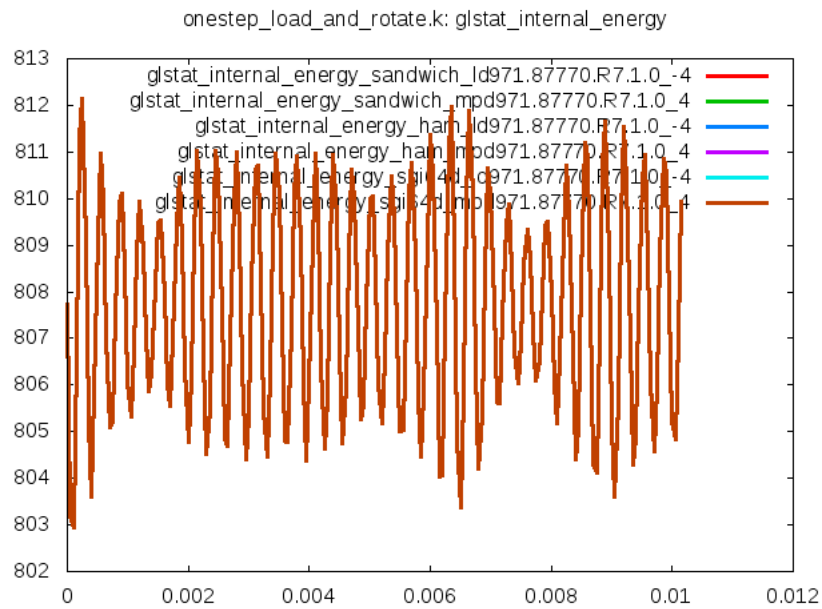


Figure 3: Cross platform results, global internal energy, sub test case ID 1

5.3.2 Sub Test Case ID 1 - Test Target 2

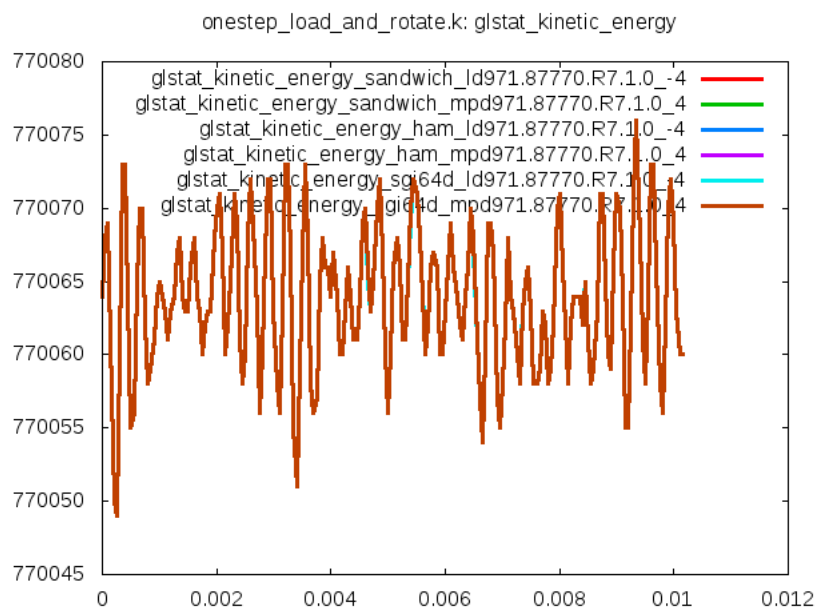


Figure 4: Cross platform results, global kinetic energy, sub test case ID 1

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