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# Finite element method (FEM)

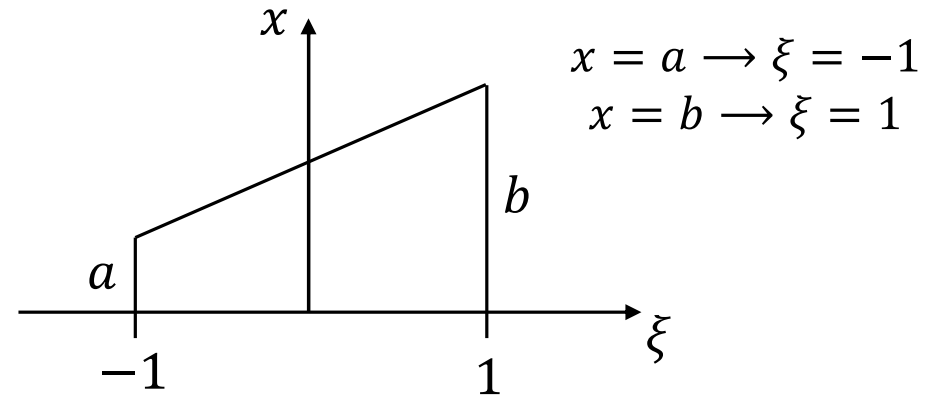
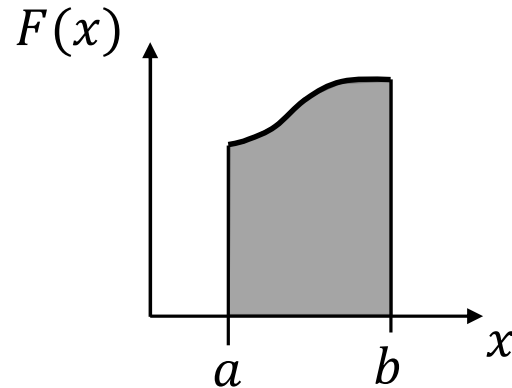
Numerical integration

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## Defined integral

$x$  – cartesian coordinate

$\xi$  – natural coordinate



normalization of the function  $F(x)$ :

$$x(\xi) = \frac{b-a}{2} \xi + \frac{a+b}{2} \quad ; \quad f(\xi) = F\left(\frac{b-a}{2} \xi + \frac{a+b}{2}\right) \quad ; \quad dx = \frac{b-a}{2} d\xi$$

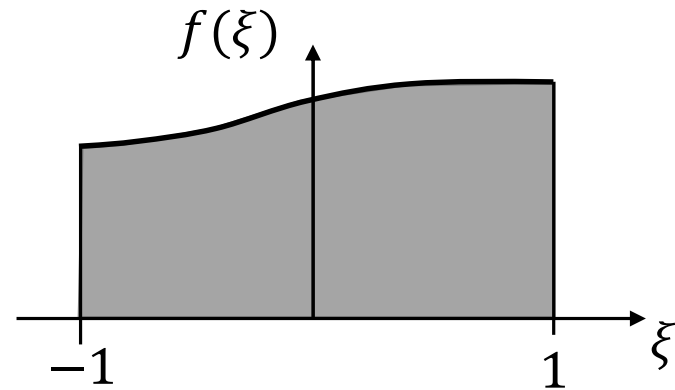
defined integral of the function  $F(x)$ :

$$\int_a^b F(x) dx = \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi) \frac{b-a}{2} d\xi = \frac{b-a}{2} \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi) d\xi$$

## Gaussian quadrature rule

quadrature rule:

$$\int_{-1}^1 f(\xi) d\xi = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \cdot f(\xi_i) + R_n$$



$n$  – no. of sample points,  
 $\xi_i$  – coordinates of sample points  
 $w_i$  – weight coefficients  
 $R_n$  – rest of the sum

$$R_n = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d^{2n} f}{d\xi^{2n}} = 0$$

for linear function  $f(\xi) = \alpha \xi + \beta$  ;  $\frac{df}{d\xi} = \alpha$  ;  $\frac{d^2 f}{d\xi^2} = 0$

$$2n = 2 \rightarrow n = 1$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 (\alpha \xi + \beta) d\xi = w_1 \cdot f(\xi_1) + 0 \quad ; \quad \text{for one Gauss point: } \xi_1 = 0, w_1 = 2$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 (\alpha \xi + \beta) d\xi = w_1 \cdot f(0)$$

## Gaussian quadrature rule

polynomial functions:

$$\text{2nd order: } f(\xi) = \alpha\xi^2 + \beta\xi + \gamma ; \frac{df}{d\xi} = 2\alpha\xi + \beta ; \frac{d^2f}{d\xi^2} = 2\alpha ; \frac{d^3f}{d\xi^3} = 0$$

$$2n = 3 \rightarrow n = 1.5 \rightarrow n = 2$$

$$\text{for two Gauss points: } \xi_1 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} ; \xi_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} ; w_1 = w_2 = 1$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 (\alpha\xi^2 + \beta\xi + \gamma) d\xi = w_1 \cdot f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + w_2 \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$\text{3th order: } f(\xi) = \alpha\xi^3 + \beta\xi^2 + \gamma\xi + \delta ; \frac{d^4f}{d\xi^4} = 0 \rightarrow n = 2 \text{ (2 points)}$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 (\alpha\xi^3 + \beta\xi^2 + \gamma\xi + \delta) d\xi = w_1 \cdot f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + w_2 \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

## Gaussian quadrature rule

$$4\text{th order: } f(\xi) = \alpha\xi^4 + \beta\xi^3 + \gamma\xi^2 + \delta\xi + \varphi \quad ; \quad \frac{d^5f}{d\xi^5} = 0$$

$$2n = 5 \rightarrow n = 2.5 \rightarrow n = 3$$

$$\text{for three Gauss points: } \xi_1 = -\sqrt{0.6} \quad ; \quad \xi_2 = 0 \quad ; \quad \xi_3 = \sqrt{0.6} \quad ;$$

$$w_1 = w_3 = \frac{5}{9} \quad ; \quad w_2 = \frac{8}{9}$$

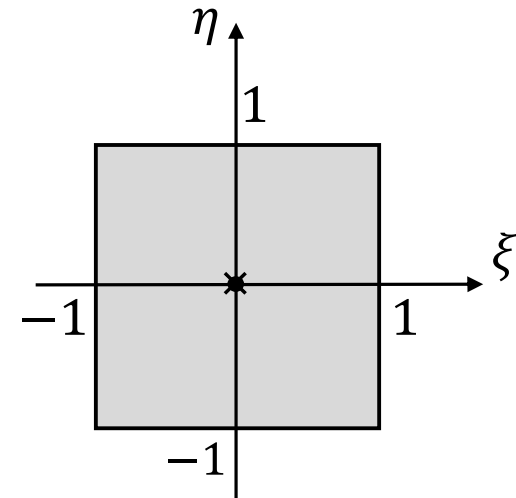
$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^1 (\alpha\xi^4 + \beta\xi^3 + \gamma\xi^2 + \delta\xi + \varphi) d\xi &= \\ &= \frac{5}{9} \cdot f(-\sqrt{0.6}) + \frac{8}{9} \cdot f(0) + \frac{5}{9} \cdot f(\sqrt{0.6}) \end{aligned}$$

## Gaussian quadrature rule for 2D FEs

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta &= \int_{-1}^1 \left( \sum_{i=1}^n (w_i \cdot f(\xi_i, \eta)) \right) d\eta = \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n w_j \sum_{i=1}^n (w_i \cdot f(\xi_i, \eta_j)) = \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n (w_i w_j \cdot f(\xi_i, \eta_j)) \end{aligned}$$

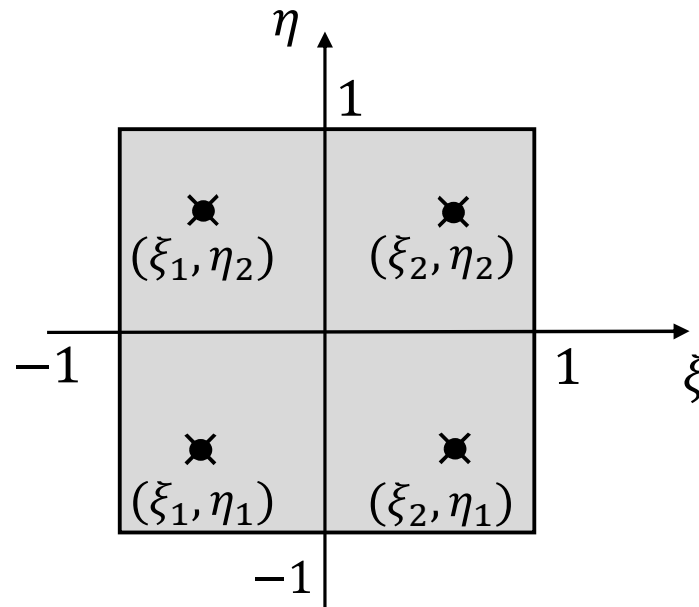
$n = 1:$   $\xi_1 = \eta_1 = 0, w_1 = 2$

$$\int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta = w_1 w_1 \cdot f(0, 0) = 4f(0, 0)$$



## Gaussian quadrature rule for 2D FEs

$$n = 2: \quad \xi_1 = \eta_1 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \quad \xi_2 = \eta_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}; \quad w_1 = w_2 = 1$$

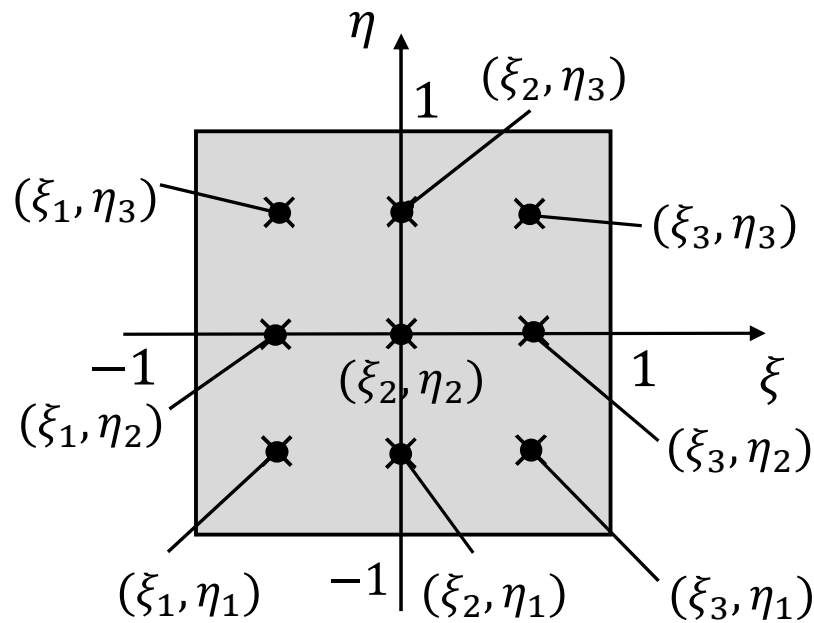


$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta &= w_1 w_1 \cdot f(\xi_1, \eta_1) + w_2 w_1 \cdot f(\xi_2, \eta_1) + \\ &+ w_2 w_2 \cdot f(\xi_2, \eta_2) + w_1 w_2 \cdot f(\xi_1, \eta_2) = f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + \\ &+ f\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) + f\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) \end{aligned}$$

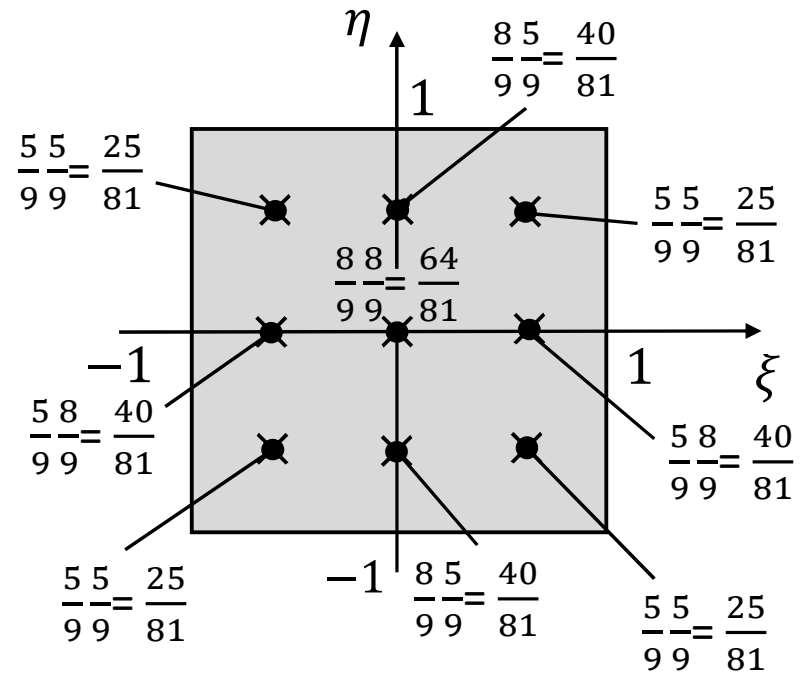
# Gaussian quadrature rule for 2D FEs

$n = 3:$   $\xi_1 = \eta_1 = -\sqrt{0.6}$  ,  $\xi_2 = \eta_2 = 0$  ,  $\xi_3 = \eta_3 = \sqrt{0.6}$

$$w_1 = w_3 = \frac{5}{9} ; w_2 = \frac{8}{9}$$



$(\xi_i, \eta_j)$



$w_i w_j$



## Gaussian quadrature rule for 2D FEs

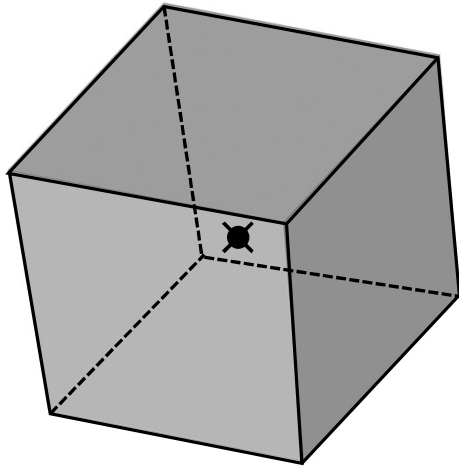
$$n = 3: \quad \xi_1 = \eta_1 = -\sqrt{0.6}, \quad \xi_2 = \eta_2 = 0, \quad \xi_3 = \eta_3 = \sqrt{0.6}$$

$$w_1 = w_3 = \frac{5}{9}; \quad w_2 = \frac{8}{9}$$

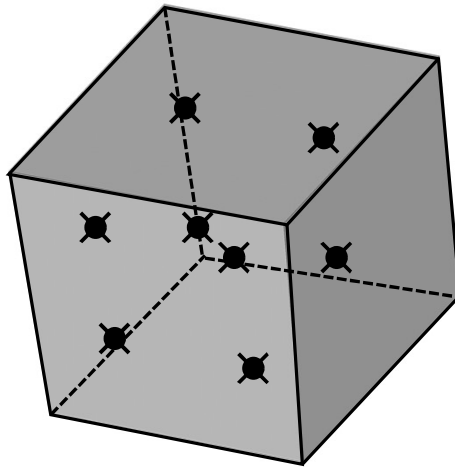
$$\begin{aligned} & \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi, \eta) d\xi d\eta = \\ & = w_1 w_1 \cdot f(\xi_1, \eta_1) + w_2 w_1 \cdot f(\xi_2, \eta_1) + w_3 w_1 \cdot f(\xi_3, \eta_1) + \\ & + w_1 w_2 \cdot f(\xi_1, \eta_2) + w_2 w_2 \cdot f(\xi_2, \eta_2) + w_3 w_2 \cdot f(\xi_3, \eta_2) + \\ & + w_1 w_3 \cdot f(\xi_1, \eta_3) + w_2 w_3 \cdot f(\xi_2, \eta_3) + w_3 w_3 \cdot f(\xi_3, \eta_3) = \\ & = \frac{5}{9} \frac{5}{9} f(-\sqrt{0.6}, -\sqrt{0.6}) + \frac{8}{9} \frac{5}{9} f(0, -\sqrt{0.6}) + \frac{5}{9} \frac{5}{9} f(\sqrt{0.6}, -\sqrt{0.6}) + \\ & + \frac{5}{9} \frac{8}{9} f(-\sqrt{0.6}, 0) + \frac{8}{9} \frac{8}{9} f(0, 0) + \frac{5}{9} \frac{8}{9} f(\sqrt{0.6}, 0) + \\ & + \frac{5}{9} \frac{5}{9} f(-\sqrt{0.6}, \sqrt{0.6}) + \frac{8}{9} \frac{5}{9} f(0, \sqrt{0.6}) + \frac{5}{9} \frac{5}{9} f(\sqrt{0.6}, \sqrt{0.6}) \end{aligned}$$

## Gaussian quadrature rule for 3D FEs

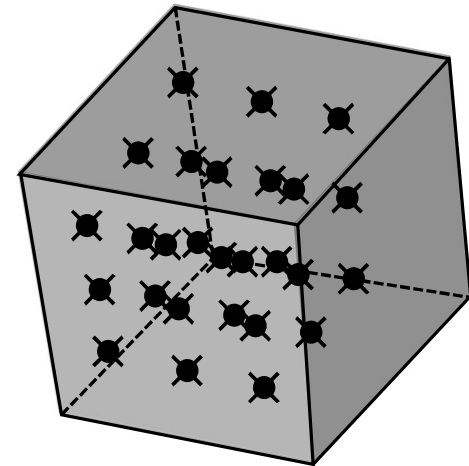
$$\int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 \int_{-1}^1 f(\xi, \eta, \zeta) d\xi d\eta d\zeta = \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n (w_i w_j w_k \cdot f(\xi_i, \eta_i, \zeta_i))$$



$n = 1$

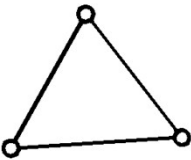
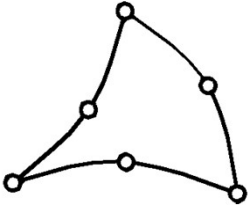
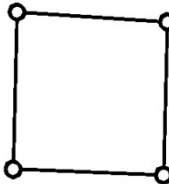
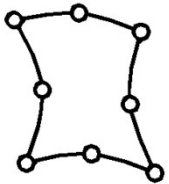


$n = 2 \quad (2 \times 2 \times 2)$

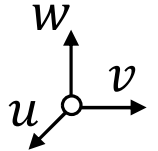
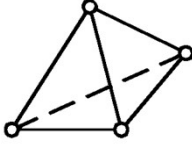
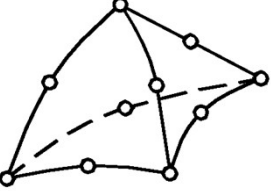
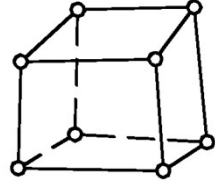
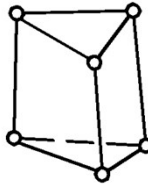
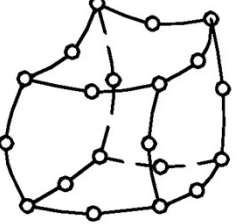


$n = 3 \quad (3 \times 3 \times 3)$

## Integration schemes for 2D finite elements

$v$ $\uparrow$ $u$ $\rightarrow$ 2D	3-node	6-node	4-node	8-node
Type of integration				
FULL	3	3	$2 \times 2$	$3 \times 3$
REDUCED	1	1	1	$2 \times 2$

## Integration schemes for 3D finite elements

 3D	4-node	10-node	8-node	6-node	20-node
Type of integration					
FULL	4	11	$2 \times 2 \times 2$	$3 \times 3$	$3 \times 3 \times 3$
REDUCED	1	5	1	$3 \times 2$	$2 \times 2 \times 2$