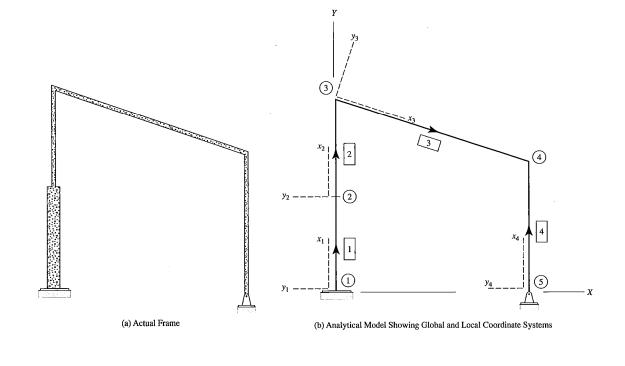
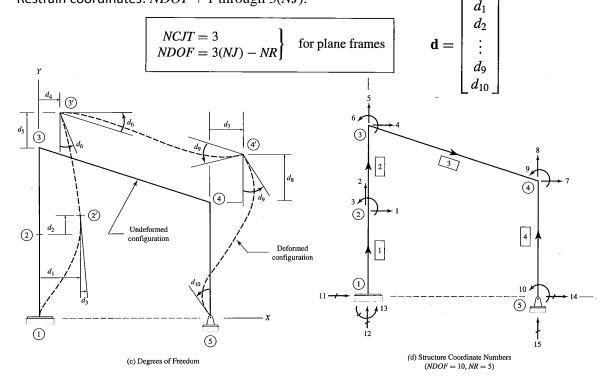
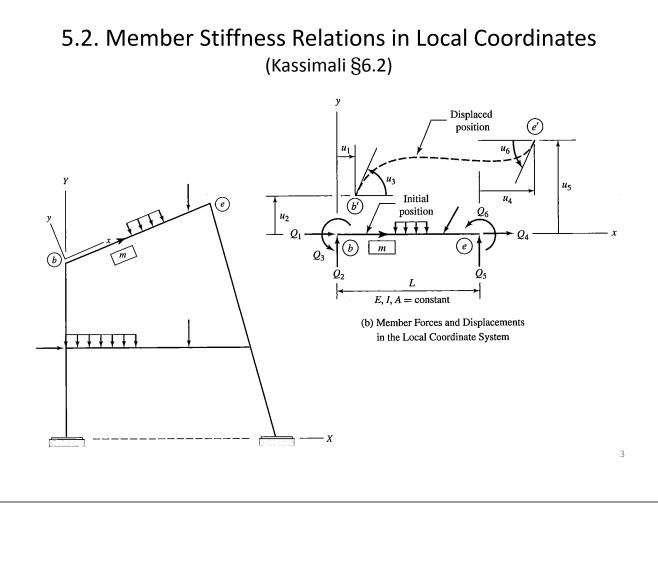
Chapter 5. Matrix Analysis of Plane Frames 5.1. Analytical Model (Kassimali §6.1)

• A plane frame is divided into members and joints so that: (a) all members are straight and prismatic; (b) all external reactions act only at the joints.

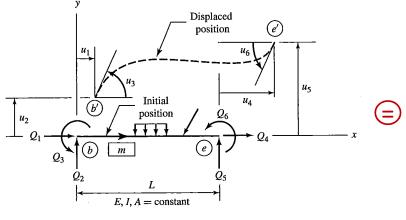


- A free joint has three DOFs, two translations and one rotation.
- Three coordinates (free and/or restrained) need to be defined at each joint: NCJT = 3
- Joint displacement vector **d** is *NDOF* × 1.
- Restrain coordinates: *NDOF* + 1 through 3(*NJ*).

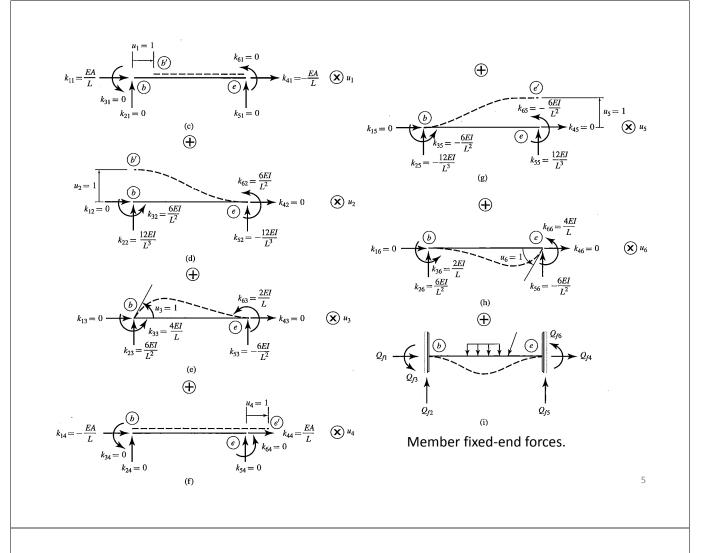




- Six member end displacements (rotations): $u_1 \sim u_6$
- Six member end forces (moments): $Q_1 \sim Q_6$
- Translations/forces in the positive directions of the local x and y axes are positive
- Counterclockwise rotations/moments are positive
- A member's local end displacements and end forces are numbered by beginning at its end *b*, with the translation/force in the x direction numbered first, followed by the translation/ force in the y direction, and then rotation/moment.
- The displacements and end forces at the opposite end *e* are then numbered in the same sequential order.



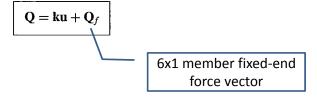
(b) Member Forces and Displacements in the Local Coordinate System



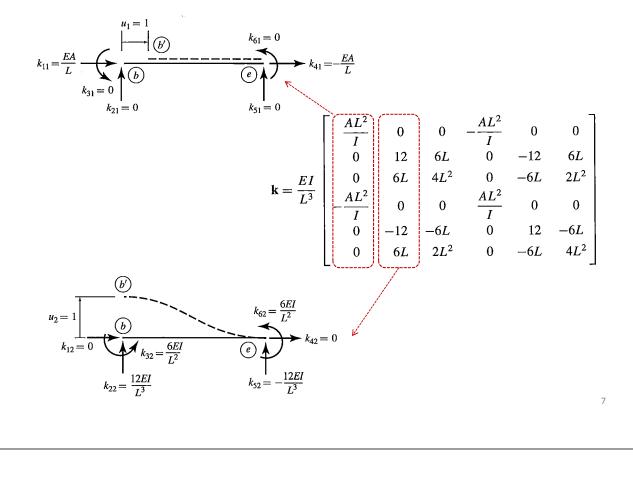
$$Q_i = \sum_{j=1}^{6} (k_{ij}u_j) + Q_{fi}$$
 $i = 1, 2, ..., 6$

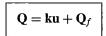
the stiffness coefficient k_{ij} represents the force corresponding to Q_i due to a unit value of the displacement u_j , and Q_{fi} denotes the fixed-end force corresponding to Q_i due to the external loads acting on the member.

$$\begin{bmatrix} Q_1 \\ Q_2 \\ Q_3 \\ Q_4 \\ Q_5 \\ Q_6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} k_{11} & k_{12} & k_{13} & k_{14} & k_{15} & k_{16} \\ k_{21} & k_{22} & k_{23} & k_{24} & k_{25} & k_{26} \\ k_{31} & k_{32} & k_{33} & k_{34} & k_{35} & k_{36} \\ k_{41} & k_{42} & k_{43} & k_{44} & k_{45} & k_{46} \\ k_{51} & k_{52} & k_{53} & k_{54} & k_{55} & k_{56} \\ k_{61} & k_{62} & k_{63} & k_{64} & k_{65} & k_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \\ u_4 \\ u_5 \\ u_6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} Q_{f1} \\ Q_{f2} \\ Q_{f3} \\ Q_{f4} \\ Q_{f5} \\ Q_{f6} \end{bmatrix}$$



Member local stiffness matrix k





• Similar to member end forces in local coordinate system, \mathbf{Q} , a member's local fixedend forces, $\mathbf{Q}_{\mathbf{f}}$, are positive when in the positive directions of the local x and y axes, and the local fixed-end moments are considered positive when counterclockwise.

