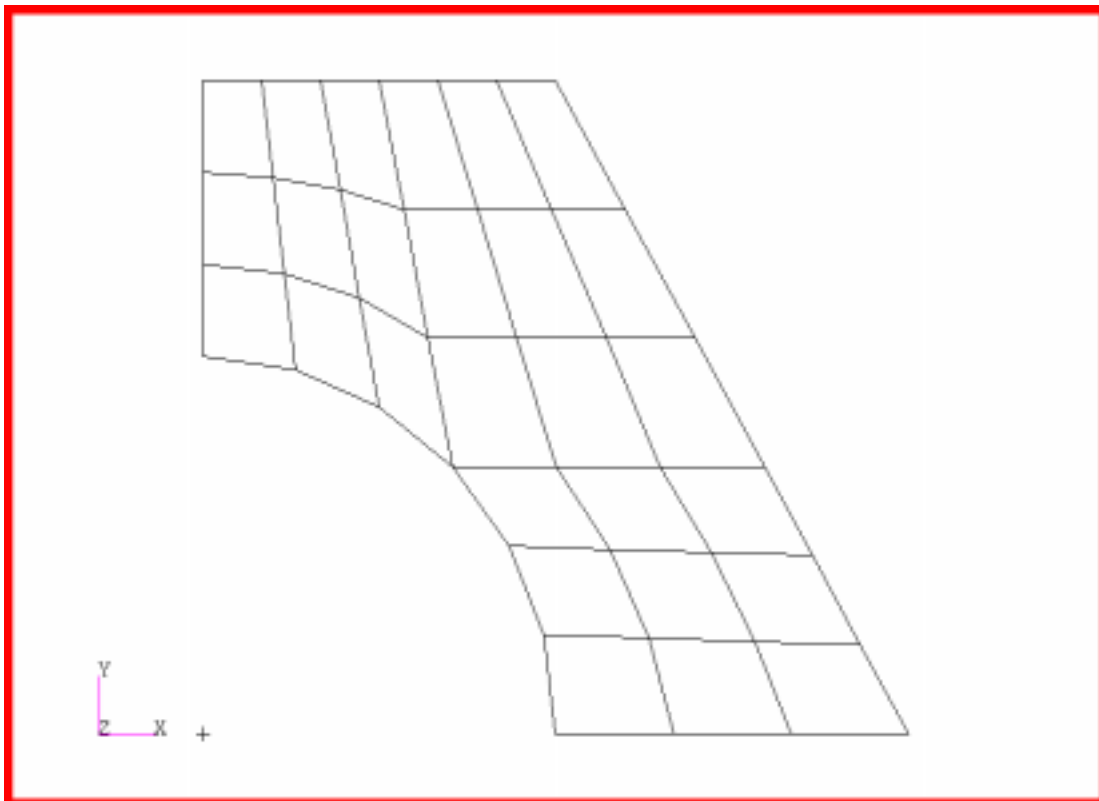


## WORKSHOP 6

### Objectives:

- Perform shape optimization of the planar culvert model using the analytical boundary shape method. See seminar notes for further detailed description of the model.





## Model Description:

- Objective Function: Volume Minimization.
- Constraints: Von Mises Stresses < 31,000 psi

## Hints:

1. Create an auxiliary model by putting CBAR elements around the outside edge of the culvert model.
2. For the auxiliary model, fix the right and top edges similar to the direct input of shape method .
3. Apply the appropriate boundary conditions at the left (symmetric b.c.) and bottom edges (fixed b.c.).
4. Apply enforced displacements around the hole by creating seven subcases -- one at each grid point around the hole.
5. Include the proper BNDGRIDs and DVBSHAPs -- one DVBSHAP for each design variable.
6. If a smoother shape is desired, reduce the size of the fractional change in the design variable at the expense of more iterations .

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## Generating an input file for MSC.Nastran Users:

7. Generate an input file using the data from pages 6-1 through 6-3. Use the following input file as a starting point.

```
$
$   wkshp6.dat
$
nastran q4skew=10.,q4taper=100.
$
$   culvert problem using the analytical boundary shape
$
SOL      200  $
TIME    100
CEND
TITLE=CULVERT EXAMPLE USING EXTERNAL AUXILIARY STRUCTURE
SUBTITLE=THE PRIMARY STRUCTURE
ANALYSIS = STATICS
SPC=25
LOAD=1
DISP=ALL
STRESS=all
$
$   call out objective function
$
desobj=...
$
$   call out design constraint
$
dessub=...
$
$   -----
$
$   START OF AUXILIARY MODEL SUBCASE
$
AUXCASE
  AUXMODEL = 1
  TITLE = AUXILIARY MODEL
  DISP=ALL
$
$   add auxiliary model subcases--one for each loading condition
$
SUBCASE..
  LOAD=..
  SPC =..
$
  .
  .
$
BEGIN BULK
$
$   -----
$
$   ANALYTICAL MODEL
$
PARAM,POST,-1
PARAM,CDIF,NO
PARAM,NEWSEQ,-1
GRID, 1,, 3.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID, 2,, 4.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID, 3,, 5.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID, 4,, 6.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID, 5,, 2.89464, 0.78478,.00
GRID, 6,, 3.79369, 0.75885,.00
GRID, 7,, 4.69274, 0.73293,.00
GRID, 8,, 5.59178, 0.70700,.00
GRID, 9,, 2.60164, 1.49178,.00
GRID, 10,, 3.46229, 1.46585,.00
GRID, 11,, 4.32293, 1.43993,.00
GRID, 12,, 5.18357, 1.41400,.00
GRID, 13,, 0.00000, 3.00000,.00
```

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GRID, 14,, 0.78478, 2.89464,.00
GRID, 15,, 1.49178, 2.60164,.00
GRID, 16,, 2.12100, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 17,, 3.00578, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 18,, 3.89057, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 19,, 4.77535, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 20,, 0.00000, 3.73200,.00
GRID, 21,, 0.68985, 3.66176,.00
GRID, 22,, 1.32785, 3.46643,.00
GRID, 23,, 1.91400, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 24,, 2.67052, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 25,, 3.42704, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 26,, 4.18357, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 27,, 0.00000, 4.46400,.00
GRID, 28,, 0.59493, 4.42888,.00
GRID, 29,, 1.16393, 4.33122,.00
GRID, 30,, 1.70700, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 31,, 2.33526, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 32,, 2.96352, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 33,, 3.59178, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 34,, 0.00000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 35,, 0.50000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 36,, 1.00000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 37,, 1.50000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 38,, 2.00000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 39,, 2.50000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 40,, 3.00000, 5.19600,.00
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CQUAD4, 8,101, 10, 11, 18, 17
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CQUAD4, 10,101, 13, 14, 21, 20
CQUAD4, 11,101, 14, 15, 22, 21
CQUAD4, 12,101, 15, 16, 23, 22
CQUAD4, 13,101, 20, 21, 28, 27
CQUAD4, 14,101, 21, 22, 29, 28
CQUAD4, 15,101, 22, 23, 30, 29
CQUAD4, 16,101, 27, 28, 35, 34
CQUAD4, 17,101, 28, 29, 36, 35
CQUAD4, 18,101, 29, 30, 37, 36
CQUAD4, 19,101, 16, 17, 24, 23
CQUAD4, 20,101, 17, 18, 25, 24
CQUAD4, 21,101, 18, 19, 26, 25
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CQUAD4, 24,101, 25, 26, 33, 32
CQUAD4, 25,101, 30, 31, 38, 37
CQUAD4, 26,101, 31, 32, 39, 38
CQUAD4, 27,101, 32, 33, 40, 39
FORCE 1 34 0 1250. -1.
FORCE 1 35 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 36 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 37 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 38 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 39 0 2500.00 -1.
FORCE 1 40 0 1250. -1.
PSHELL,101,102,.44
MAT1,102,2.+7,,.3,0.731-3
SPC1,25,345,1,THRU,40
SPC1,25,126,1,THRU,4
spc1,25,6,6,7,10,11
spc1,25,6,17,18
spc1,25,6,21,thru,25
spc1,25,6,28,thru,32
SPC1,25,1,13,20,27,34
$

```

```

$-----$
$
$  DESIGN MODEL
$
bndgrid,...
.
.
$
desvar,....
.
.
$
dvbshap,...
.
.
$
drespl 5      volume volume
drespl 2      von-mis stress pshell          9          101
DCONSTR 10    2      -3.100e43.100e4
doptprm DESMAX 25      APRCOD 1
param,nasprt,1
$
BEGIN BULK AUXMODEL = 1
$
$-----$
$  AUXILIARY MODEL
$
CBAR 1      1      1      2      1.      1.
CBAR 2      1      2      3      1.      1.
CBAR 3      1      3      4      1.      1.
$
CBAR 11     1      4      8      1.      1.
CBAR 12     1      8      12     1.      1.
CBAR 13     1      12     19     1.      1.
CBAR 14     1      19     26     1.      1.
CBAR 15     1      26     33     1.      1.
CBAR 16     1      33     40     1.      1.
$
CBAR 21     1      34     35     1.      1.
CBAR 22     1      35     36     1.      1.
CBAR 23     1      36     37     1.      1.
CBAR 24     1      37     38     1.      1.
CBAR 25     1      38     39     1.      1.
CBAR 26     1      39     40     1.      1.
$
CBAR 31     1      1      5      1.      1.
CBAR 32     1      5      9      1.      1.
CBAR 33     1      9      16     1.      1.
CBAR 34     1      16     15     1.      1.
CBAR 35     1      15     14     1.      1.
CBAR 36     1      14     13     1.      1.
$
CBAR 41     1      13     20     1.      1.
CBAR 42     1      20     27     1.      1.
CBAR 43     1      27     34     1.      1.
$
PBAR 1      102     20.0   1.0    1.0
MAT1,102,2.+7,,.3,0.731-3
$
$  ADD AUXILIARY MODEL LOADING
$  USE ENFORCED DISPLACEMENT
$
.
.
.
$
ENDDATA

```

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8. The completed MSC.Nastran input file is shown below:

```
$
$   soln6.dat
$
nastran q4skew=10.,q4taper=100.
$
$   culvert problem using the analytical boundary shape
$
SOL      200  $
TIME     100
CEND
TITLE=CULVERT EXAMPLE USING EXTERNAL AUXILIARY STRUCTURE      D200CS
SUBTITLE=THE PRIMARY STRUCTURE
ANALYSIS = STATICS
SPC=25
  LOAD=1
  DISP=ALL
  STRESS=all
  DESSUB = 10
  desobj = 5
$
AUXCASE
  AUXMODEL = 1
  TITLE = AUXILIARY MODEL
$ SPC = 250
  DISP=ALL
$
SUBCASE 1
  LOAD=100
  spc = 100
SUBCASE 2
  LOAD=101
  spc = 101
SUBCASE 3
  LOAD=102
  spc = 102
SUBCASE 4
  LOAD=103
  spc = 103
SUBCASE 5
  LOAD=104
  spc = 104
SUBCASE 6
  LOAD=105
  spc = 105
SUBCASE 7
  LOAD=106
  spc = 106
$
BEGIN BULK
$
$   ANALYTICAL MODEL
$
PARAM,POST,-1
PARAM,CDIF,NO
PARAM,NEWSEQ,-1
GRID,  1,, 3.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID,  2,, 4.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID,  3,, 5.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID,  4,, 6.00000, 0.00000,.00
GRID,  5,, 2.89464, 0.78478,.00
GRID,  6,, 3.79369, 0.75885,.00
GRID,  7,, 4.69274, 0.73293,.00
GRID,  8,, 5.59178, 0.70700,.00
GRID,  9,, 2.60164, 1.49178,.00
GRID, 10,, 3.46229, 1.46585,.00
GRID, 11,, 4.32293, 1.43993,.00
GRID, 12,, 5.18357, 1.41400,.00
GRID, 13,, 0.00000, 3.00000,.00
```

```

GRID, 14,, 0.78478, 2.89464,.00
GRID, 15,, 1.49178, 2.60164,.00
GRID, 16,, 2.12100, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 17,, 3.00578, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 18,, 3.89057, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 19,, 4.77535, 2.12100,.00
GRID, 20,, 0.00000, 3.73200,.00
GRID, 21,, 0.68985, 3.66176,.00
GRID, 22,, 1.32785, 3.46643,.00
GRID, 23,, 1.91400, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 24,, 2.67052, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 25,, 3.42704, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 26,, 4.18357, 3.14600,.00
GRID, 27,, 0.00000, 4.46400,.00
GRID, 28,, 0.59493, 4.42888,.00
GRID, 29,, 1.16393, 4.33122,.00
GRID, 30,, 1.70700, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 31,, 2.33526, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 32,, 2.96352, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 33,, 3.59178, 4.17100,.00
GRID, 34,, 0.00000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 35,, 0.50000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 36,, 1.00000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 37,, 1.50000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 38,, 2.00000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 39,, 2.50000, 5.19600,.00
GRID, 40,, 3.00000, 5.19600,.00
CQUAD4, 1,101, 1, 2, 6, 5
CQUAD4, 2,101, 2, 3, 7, 6
CQUAD4, 3,101, 3, 4, 8, 7
CQUAD4, 4,101, 5, 6, 10, 9
CQUAD4, 5,101, 6, 7, 11, 10
CQUAD4, 6,101, 7, 8, 12, 11
CQUAD4, 7,101, 9, 10, 17, 16
CQUAD4, 8,101, 10, 11, 18, 17
CQUAD4, 9,101, 11, 12, 19, 18
CQUAD4, 10,101, 13, 14, 21, 20
CQUAD4, 11,101, 14, 15, 22, 21
CQUAD4, 12,101, 15, 16, 23, 22
CQUAD4, 13,101, 20, 21, 28, 27
CQUAD4, 14,101, 21, 22, 29, 28
CQUAD4, 15,101, 22, 23, 30, 29
CQUAD4, 16,101, 27, 28, 35, 34
CQUAD4, 17,101, 28, 29, 36, 35
CQUAD4, 18,101, 29, 30, 37, 36
CQUAD4, 19,101, 16, 17, 24, 23
CQUAD4, 20,101, 17, 18, 25, 24
CQUAD4, 21,101, 18, 19, 26, 25
CQUAD4, 22,101, 23, 24, 31, 30
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CQUAD4, 25,101, 30, 31, 38, 37
CQUAD4, 26,101, 31, 32, 39, 38
CQUAD4, 27,101, 32, 33, 40, 39
FORCE 1 34 0 1250. -1.
FORCE 1 35 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 36 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 37 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 38 0 2500. -1.
FORCE 1 39 0 2500.00 -1.
FORCE 1 40 0 1250. -1.
PSHELL,101,102,.44
MAT1,102,2.+7,,.3,0.731-3
SPC1,25,345,1,THRU,40
SPC1,25,126,1,THRU,4
spc1,25,6,6,7,10,11
spc1,25,6,17,18
spc1,25,6,21,thru,25
spc1,25,6,28,thru,32
SPC1,25,1,13,20,27,34
$
$ design model
$
bndgrid 123456 34 thru 40

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```

bndgrid 123456 4      8      12      19      26      33
bndgrid 345     1      thru   40
bndgrid 2       2       3
bndgrid 1       20      27
bndgrid 12      1       5       9
bndgrid 12      13      thru   16
$
desvar 1        b1      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
desvar 2        b2      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
desvar 3        b3      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
desvar 4        b4      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
desvar 5        b5      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
desvar 6        b6      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
desvar 7        b7      3.     -1.e6  1.e6
$
dvbshap 1       1       1       .01
dvbshap 2       1       2       .01
dvbshap 3       1       3       .01
dvbshap 4       1       4       .01
dvbshap 5       1       5       .01
dvbshap 6       1       6       .01
dvbshap 7       1       7       .01
$
drespl 5        volume volume
drespl 2        von-mis stress pshell          9          101
DCONSTR 10      2        -3.100e43.100e4
doptprm DESMAX 25      APRCOD 1
param,nasprt,1
$
BEGIN BULK AUXMODEL = 1
$
CBAR 1         1         1         2         1.         1.
CBAR 2         1         2         3         1.         1.
CBAR 3         1         3         4         1.         1.
$
CBAR 11        1         4         8         1.         1.
CBAR 12        1         8         12        1.         1.
CBAR 13        1         12        19        1.         1.
CBAR 14        1         19        26        1.         1.
CBAR 15        1         26        33        1.         1.
CBAR 16        1         33        40        1.         1.
$
CBAR 21        1         34        35        1.         1.
CBAR 22        1         35        36        1.         1.
CBAR 23        1         36        37        1.         1.
CBAR 24        1         37        38        1.         1.
CBAR 25        1         38        39        1.         1.
CBAR 26        1         39        40        1.         1.
$
CBAR 31        1         1         5         1.         1.
CBAR 32        1         5         9         1.         1.
CBAR 33        1         9         16        1.         1.
CBAR 34        1         16        15        1.         1.
CBAR 35        1         15        14        1.         1.
CBAR 36        1         14        13        1.         1.
$
CBAR 41        1         13        20        1.         1.
CBAR 42        1         20        27        1.         1.
CBAR 43        1         27        34        1.         1.
$
PBAR 1         102      20.0    1.0      1.0
MAT1,102,2.+7,,.3,0.731-3
$
spcadd,100,200,250
spcadd,101,201,250
spcadd,102,202,250
spcadd,103,203,250
spcadd,104,204,250
spcadd,105,205,250
spcadd,106,206,250
$
SPC1,250,345,1,THRU,40

```

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```
SPC1,250,123456,34,THRU,40
SPC1,250,123456,4,8,12,19,26,33
SPC1,250,1,13,20,27
SPC1,250,2,1,THRU,4
$
spc,200,13,2
spc,201,14,12
spc,202,15,12
spc,203,16,12
spc,204,9,12
spc,205,5,12
spc,206,1,1
$
spcd,100,13,2,1.
spcd,101,14,1,.259,14,2,.9659
spcd,102,15,1,.5,15,2,.866
spcd,103,16,1,.707,16,2,.707
spcd,104,9,1,.866,9,2,.5
spcd,105,5,1,.9659,5,2,.259
spcd,106,1,1,1.
$
ENDDATA
```

9. Submit the input file to MSC.Nastran for analysis.

To submit the MSC.Nastran **.dat** file, find an available UNIX shell window and enter **nastran wkshp6 scr=yes** at the command prompt. Monitor the run using the UNIX **ps** command.

10. When the run is completed, edit the **wkshp6.f06** file and search for the word **FATAL**. If no matches exist, search for the word **WARNING**. Determine whether existing **WARNING** messages indicate modeling errors.

- 10a. While still editing **wkshp6.f06**, search for the word:

H I S T O R Y

# Comparison of Results:

11. Compare the results obtained in the .f06 file with the following:

\*\*\*\*\*  
 SUMMARY OF DESIGN CYCLE HISTORY  
 \*\*\*\*\*

(HARD CONVERGENCE ACHIEVED)

(SOFT CONVERGENCE ACHIEVED)

NUMBER OF FINITE ELEMENT ANALYSES COMPLETED 9  
 NUMBER OF OPTIMIZATIONS W.R.T. APPROXIMATE MODELS 8

OBJECTIVE AND MAXIMUM CONSTRAINT HISTORY

CYCLE NUMBER	OBJECTIVE FROM APPROXIMATE OPTIMIZATION	OBJECTIVE FROM EXACT ANALYSIS	FRACTIONAL ERROR OF APPROXIMATION	MAXIMUM VALUE OF CONSTRAINT
INITIAL		7.214704E+00		-1.390531E-01
1	7.070451E+00	7.068990E+00	2.066814E-04	-8.626418E-02
2	6.809552E+00	6.804862E+00	6.892382E-04	6.404297E-03
3	6.572814E+00	6.570068E+00	4.179721E-04	-1.326991E-03
4	6.158632E+00	6.152329E+00	1.024385E-03	1.462399E-02
5	5.788686E+00	5.796309E+00	-1.315181E-03	7.971597E-02
6	5.799503E+00	5.802665E+00	-5.449061E-04	1.459627E-02
7	5.813872E+00	5.813963E+00	-1.574704E-05	4.446195E-04
8	5.813963E+00	5.813963E+00	0.000000E+00	4.446195E-04

0

DESIGN VARIABLE HISTORY

INTERNAL DV. ID.	EXTERNAL DV. ID.	LABEL	INITIAL	:	1	:	2	:	3	:	4	:	5	:
1	1	B1	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	1.2000E+01	:	2.4000E+01	:	4.8000E+01	:	9.2578E+01	:
2	2	B2	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	1.2000E+01	:	2.4000E+01	:	4.8000E+01	:	8.7852E+01	:
3	3	B3	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	1.2000E+01	:	2.4000E+01	:	3.5622E+01	:	0.0000E+00	:
4	4	B4	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	1.2000E+01	:	4.4726E+00	:	0.0000E+00	:	4.3272E-02	:
5	5	B5	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	8.1674E+00	:	0.0000E+00	:	-5.0000E-02	:	-6.3706E-03	:
6	6	B6	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	1.2000E+01	:	2.4000E+01	:	2.3699E+01	:	3.6471E+01	:
7	7	B7	3.0000E+00	:	6.0000E+00	:	1.2000E+01	:	2.4000E+01	:	4.7981E+01	:	8.3955E+01	:

INTERNAL DV. ID.	EXTERNAL DV. ID.	LABEL	6	:	7	:	8	:	9	:	10	:	11	:
1	1	B1	6.3561E+01	:	5.8000E+01	:	5.8000E+01	:		:		:		:
2	2	B2	9.8300E+01	:	9.9934E+01	:	9.9934E+01	:		:		:		:
3	3	B3	3.9013E-03	:	4.6733E-03	:	4.6733E-03	:		:		:		:
4	4	B4	4.6902E-02	:	4.7506E-02	:	4.7506E-02	:		:		:		:
5	5	B5	-5.9094E-03	:	-6.4221E-03	:	-6.4221E-03	:		:		:		:
6	6	B6	3.4061E+01	:	3.2747E+01	:	3.2747E+01	:		:		:		:
7	7	B7	8.4077E+01	:	8.4850E+01	:	8.4850E+01	:		:		:		:

# X-Y Plots of Design Results:

Figure 6.1 - Objective Function

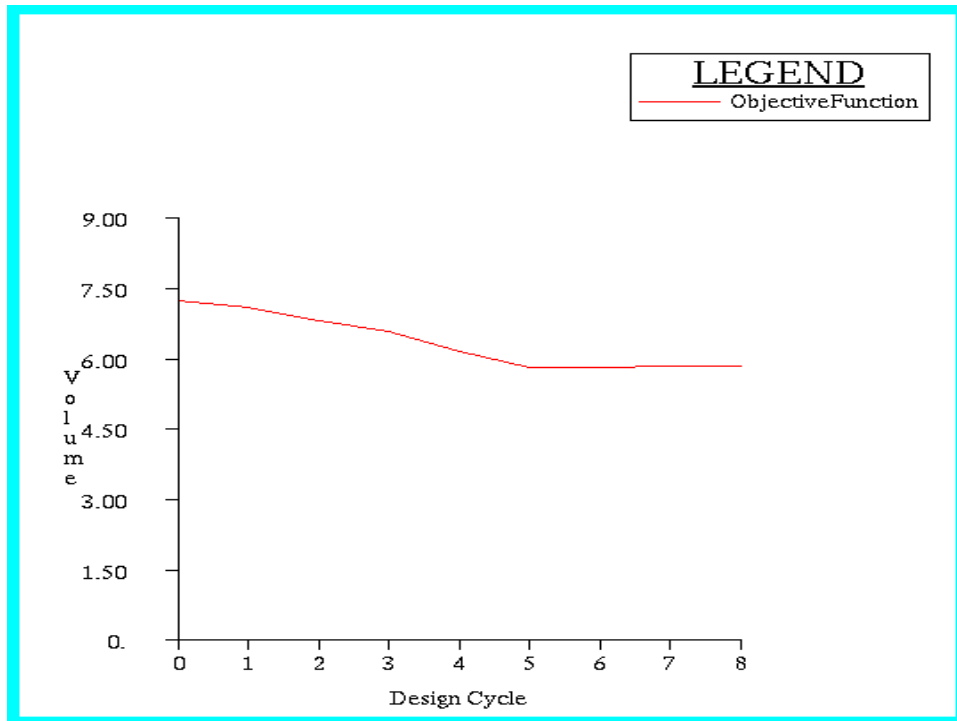
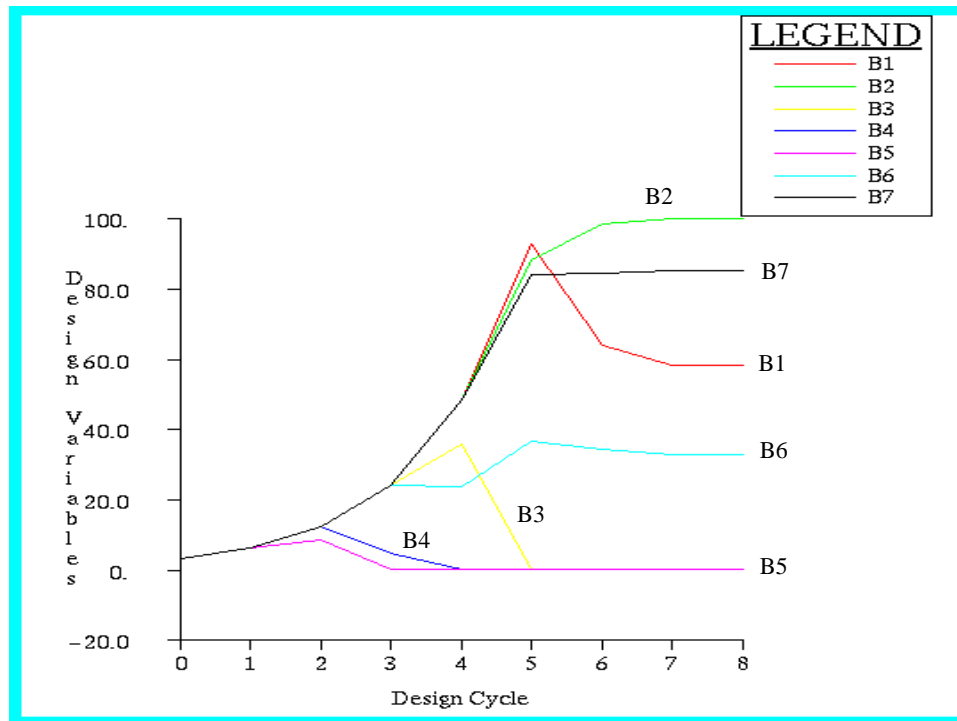


Figure 6.2 - Design Variables



**Figure 6.3 - Maximum Constraint**

