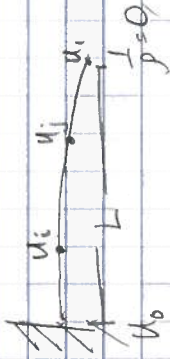


$y \uparrow$   
 $x \rightarrow$



Parameterization in 2D.

If multiple possible sensor locations are being chosen,



$$\phi=0$$

$$S=0$$

$$u = \frac{x}{L} \quad (\text{assuming small } S)$$

Could extend to larger, for optimization

More sensors could allow for higher order approximations.

In this case, Connect the 3<sup>rd</sup> order polynomial segments and extrapolate  $\delta \approx \Delta u = 1$ .

$$p = a_3 u^3 + a_2 u^2 + a_1 u + a_0$$

$$p^u = 3a_3 u^2 + 2a_2 u + a_1$$

$$p^{uu} = 6a_3 u + 2a_2$$

$$\text{Where } p^{uu} = \frac{M_i L^2}{EI}$$

$$y_{xx} = \frac{(y''/x'')^u}{x'u}$$

$$y'x = \frac{y''}{x'u}$$

For  $0 \leq u \leq u_i$ :

Known  $p(0), p^u(0), p^{uu}(u_i), p^{uu}(0)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} p(0) \\ p^u(0) \\ p^{uu}(0) \\ p^{uu}(u_i) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 6u_i & 2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_3 \\ a_2 \\ a_1 \\ a_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Using forward coefficients, Solve for  $p^{uu}(u_i), p(u_i)$

Then, for  $u_i \leq u \leq u_j$  Known:  $p(u_i), p^u(u_i), p^{uu}(u_i), p^{uu}(u_j)$

Similar to above, solve for second set of coefficients.

Using 2<sup>nd</sup> set of coefficients, solve for  $p(u_j)$  and  $p^u(u_j)$ .

Then, for  $u_j \leq u \leq 1$

Known:  $p(u_j), p^u(u_j), p^{uu}(u_j)$  and  $p^{uu}(1)$

Similar to above, solve for 3<sup>rd</sup> set of coefficients and calculate  $p(1)$ .

In the end, will have the profile.

Equation for  $p^u$  and  $p^{uu}$  will also be known.

$$p(u) = \dots \quad 0 \leq u \leq u_i$$

$$u_i \leq u \leq u_j$$

$$u_j \leq u \leq 1$$