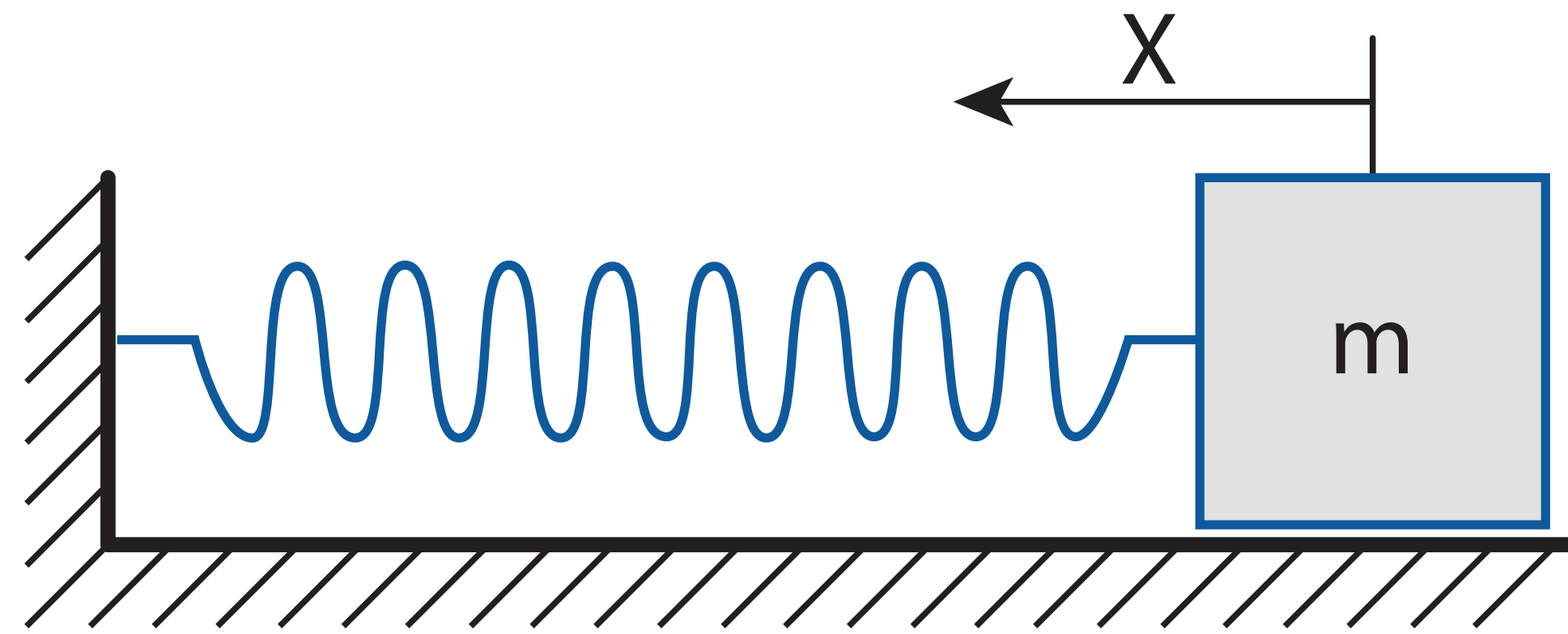


# Introduction to Modal Vibration

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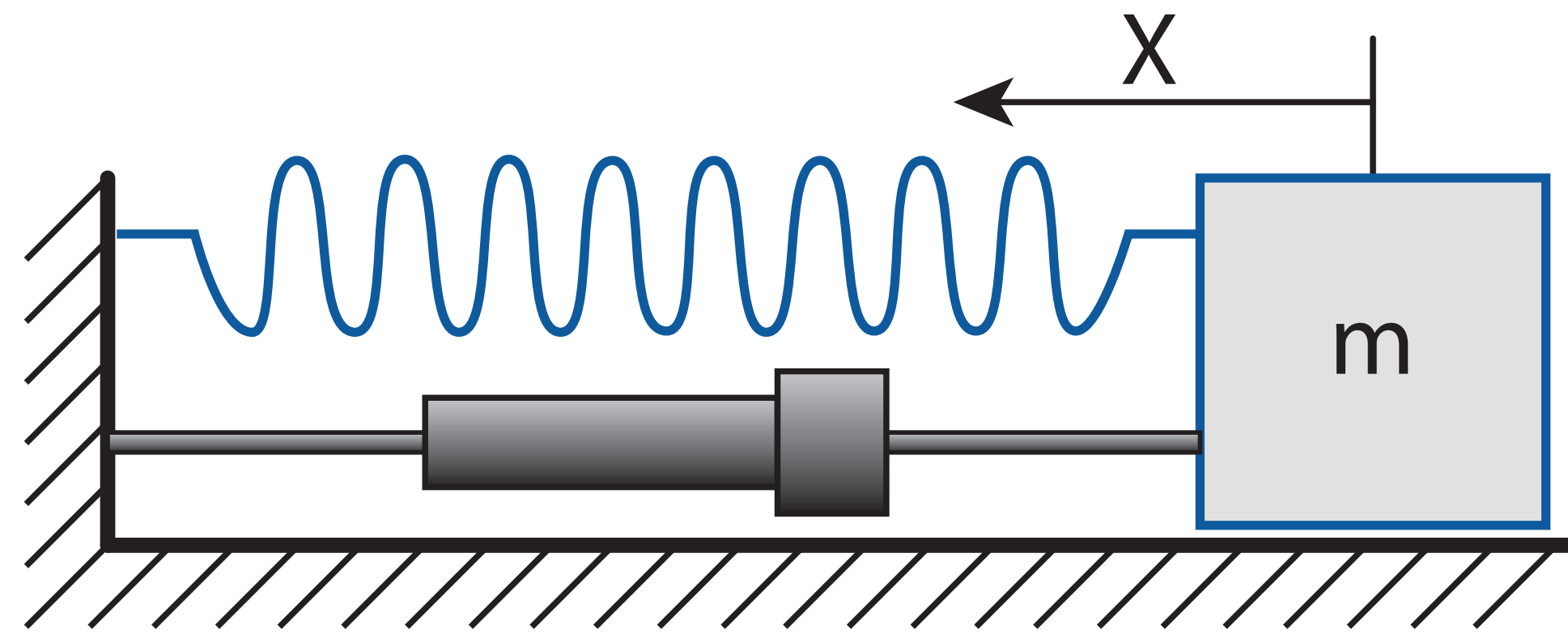
# 1D Vibration



$$m\ddot{x} + kx = 0$$

$$x(t) = Ae^{-i\omega t} \quad \omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

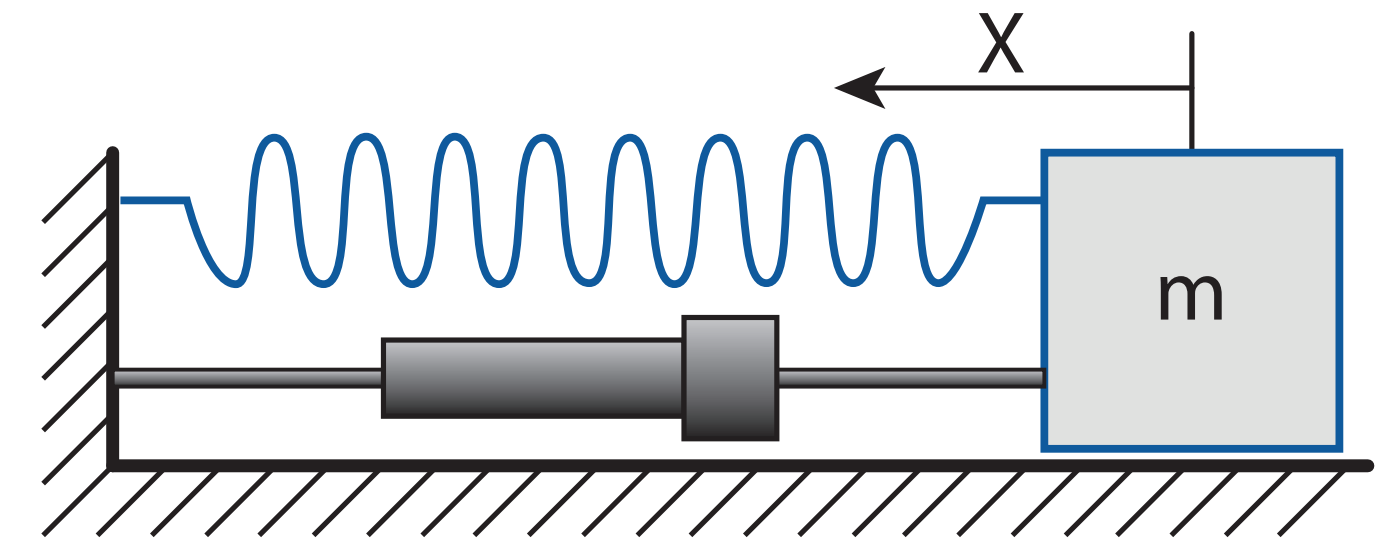
# 1D Vibration



$$m\ddot{x} + d\dot{x} + kx = 0$$

# 1D Vibration

$$m\ddot{x} + d\dot{x} + kx = f(t)$$



Impulse Response  $R(t)$ :

$$m\ddot{x} + d\dot{x} + kx = \delta(t)$$

Time convolution:

$$f(t) \star R(t) = \int_0^t f(\tau)R(t - \tau)d\tau$$

# Simple Derivation of Impulse Response

Laplace Transform:  $F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$

$$f'(t) \implies sF(s) - f(0)$$

$$f''(t) \implies s^2 F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$$

$$\delta(t) \implies 1$$

$$(ms^2 + ds + k)\tilde{x}(s) = 1$$

# Simple Derivation of Impulse Response

$$\tilde{x}(s) = \frac{1}{ms^2 + ds + k}$$

Inverse Laplace Transform:

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{m\omega_d} e^{-\xi\omega t} \sin \omega_d t.$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}, \quad \xi = \frac{c}{2m\omega}, \quad \omega_d = \omega\sqrt{1 - \xi^2}.$$

# Numerical Integration

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Explicit Euler

Implicit Euler

Runge-Kutta Method

Digital IIR Filter:

$$x_k = 2\varepsilon \cos \theta x_{k-1} - \varepsilon^2 x_{k-2} + \frac{2f_{k-1} [\varepsilon \cos(\theta + \gamma) - \varepsilon^2 \cos(2\theta + \gamma)]}{3m\omega\omega_d}$$

$$\varepsilon = e^{-\xi\omega h}, \theta = \omega_d h \quad \gamma = \arcsin \xi$$



# Elastic Vibration

$$M\ddot{u} + D\dot{u} + Ku = f(t)$$



mass matrix

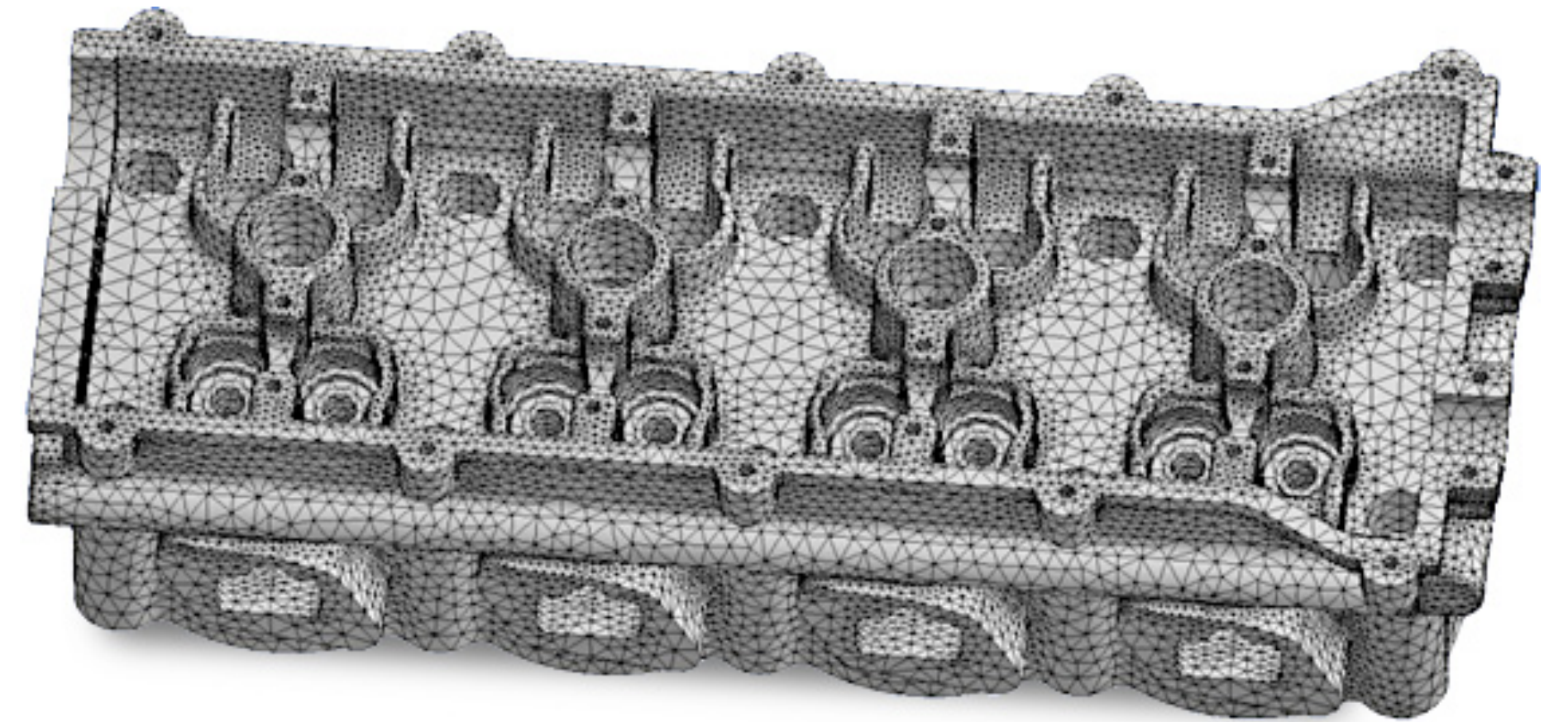


damping matrix



stiffness matrix

$3n \times 3n$  sparse, symmetric matrices





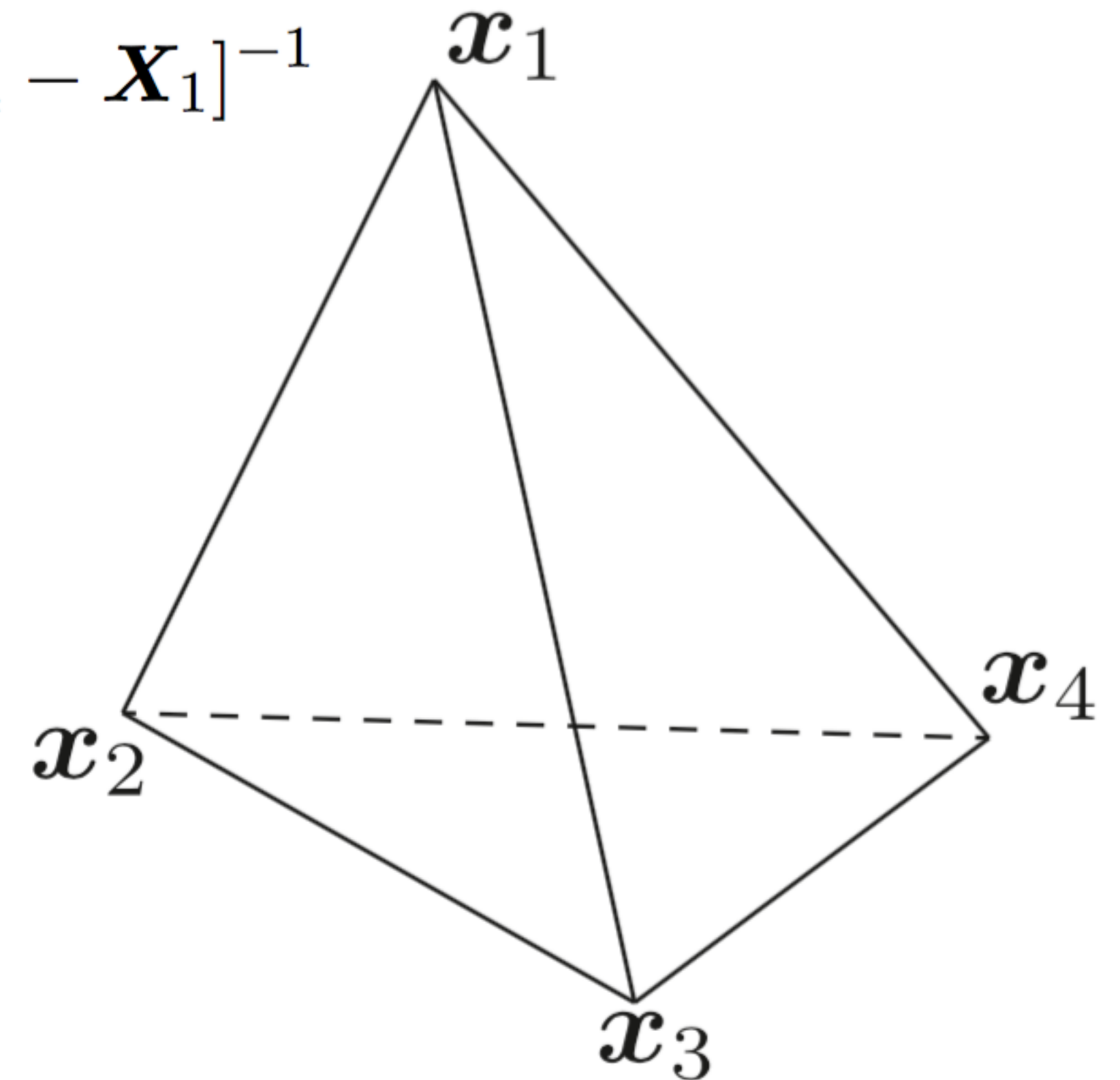
# Stiffness Matrix

$$\mathbf{F} = [\mathbf{x}_2 - \mathbf{x}_1 \quad \mathbf{x}_3 - \mathbf{x}_1 \quad \mathbf{x}_4 - \mathbf{x}_1][\mathbf{X}_2 - \mathbf{X}_1 \quad \mathbf{X}_3 - \mathbf{X}_1 \quad \mathbf{X}_4 - \mathbf{X}_1]^{-1}$$

$$\text{strain tensor: } \mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{F} + \mathbf{F}^T)$$

$$\text{stress tensor: } \mathbf{S} = \mathbf{C} : \mathbf{E}$$

$$S_{ab} = \sum_{i,j} C_{abij} E_{ij}$$

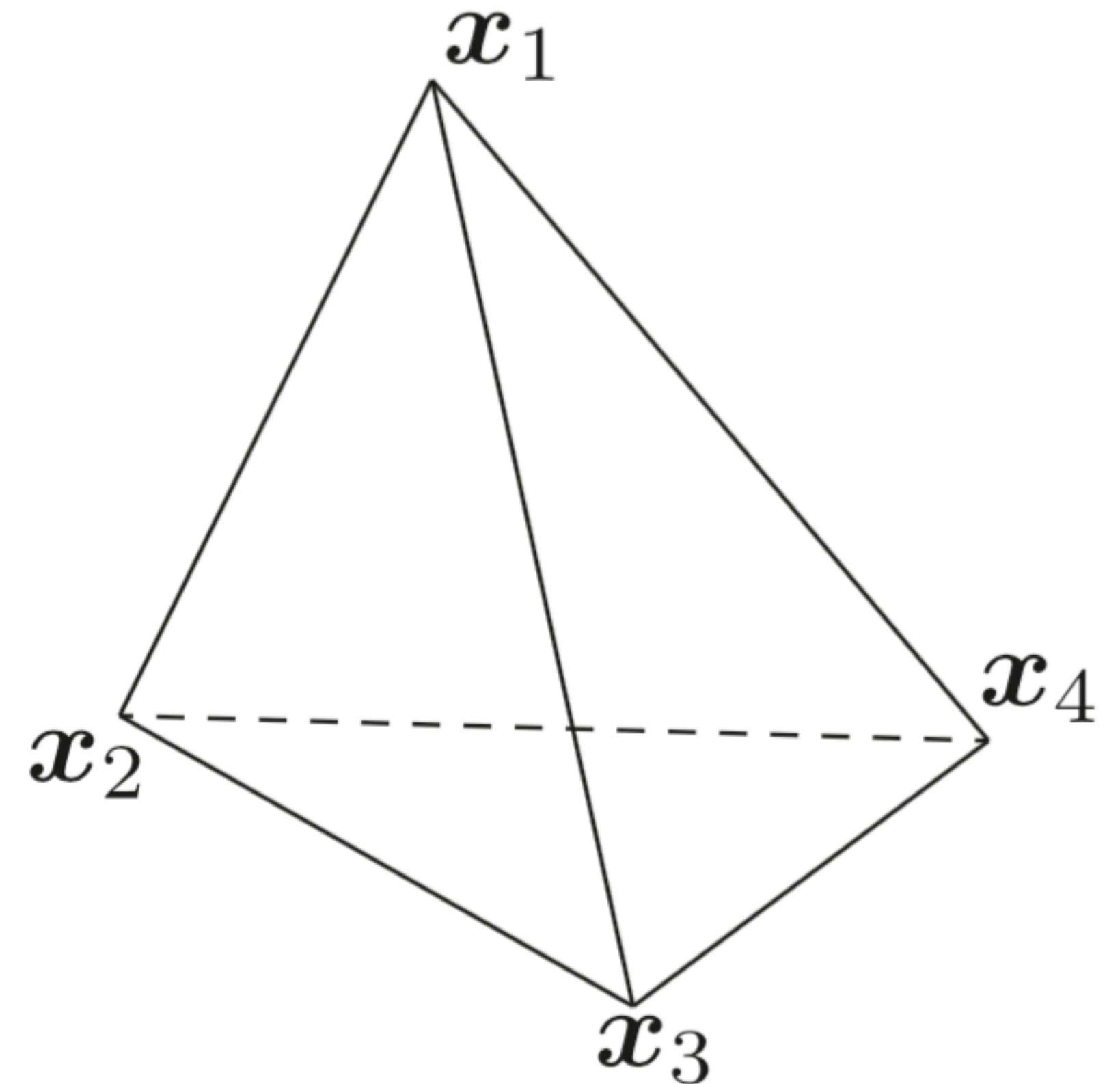


# Stiffness Matrix

Stress tensor; homogeneous material:

$$C_{ijkl} = K \delta_{ij} \delta_{kl} + \mu (\delta_{ik} \delta_{jl} + \delta_{il} \delta_{jk} - \frac{2}{3} \delta_{ij} \delta_{kl})$$

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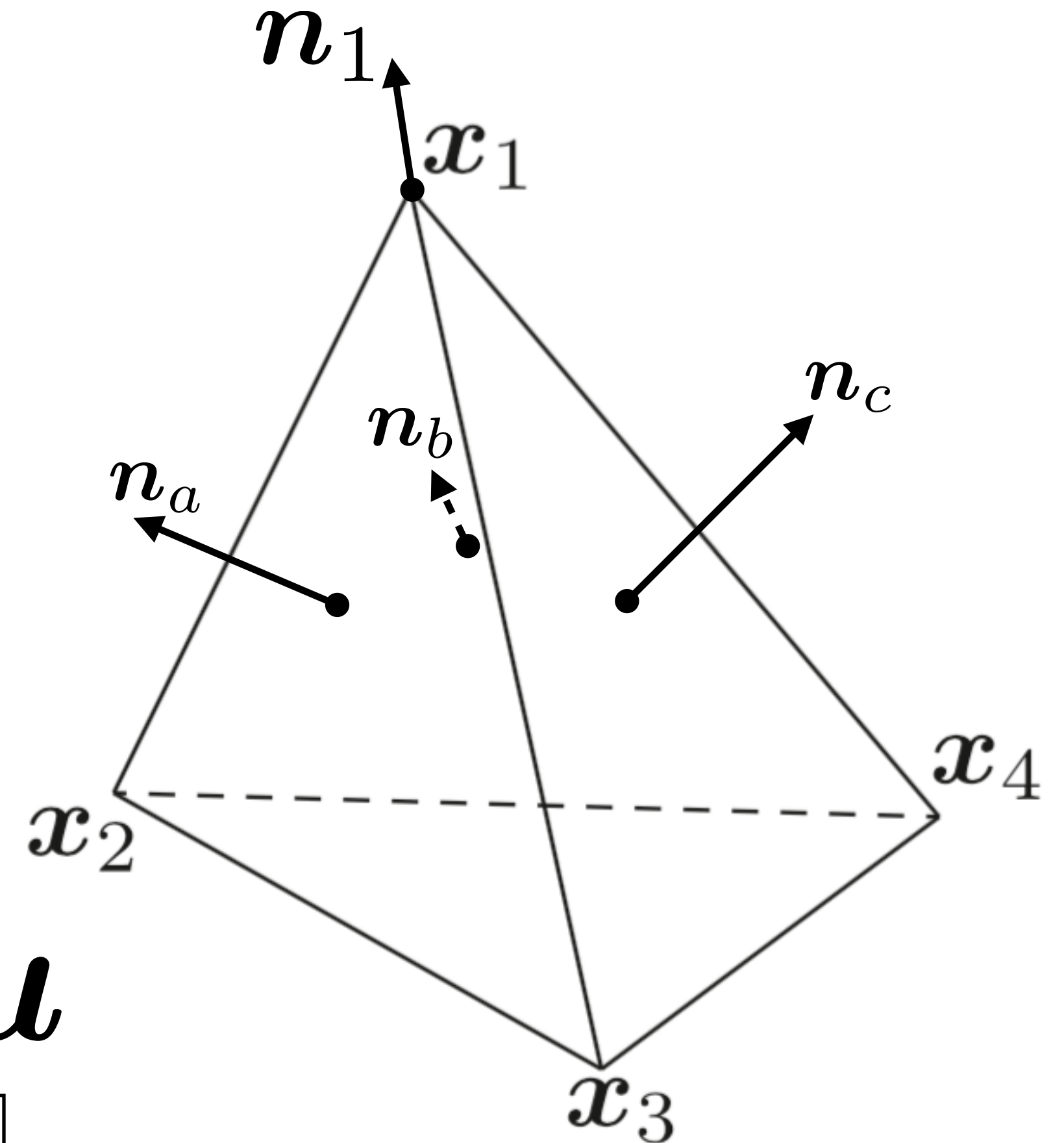
# Stiffness Matrix

Internal elastic force

$$\begin{aligned} f &= S n \\ &= (\mathbf{C} : \mathbf{E}) n \end{aligned}$$

force is linear w.r.t. displacement  $\mathbf{u}$

$$f = K u$$



# Rayleigh Damping

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$$D = \alpha M + \beta K$$

- Empirical model
- Lack proper understanding of energy dissipation and damping behavior

# Linear Modal Analysis

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Goal: solve

$$M\ddot{u} + D\dot{u} + Ku = f(t)$$

Generalized eigenvalue decomposition

$$MU = MUS$$

with

$$U^T MU = I \quad \text{and} \quad U^T KU = S$$



# Change of Variables

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Goal: solve

$$M\ddot{\mathbf{u}} + D\dot{\mathbf{u}} + K\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{f}(t)$$

Let  $\mathbf{u} = U\mathbf{q}$

$$U^T M U \ddot{\mathbf{q}} + U^T D U \dot{\mathbf{q}} + U^T K U \mathbf{q} = U^T \mathbf{f}(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{\mathbf{q}} + (\alpha I + \beta S) \dot{\mathbf{q}} + S \mathbf{q} = U^T \mathbf{f}(t)$$

# Pipeline

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- Generate volumetric mesh
- Construct the stiffness & mass matrices
- Run generalized eigen decomposition
- Construct the decoupled modal vibration equations
- Numerically integrate individual modes

Thank you!