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## STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS

PROJECT

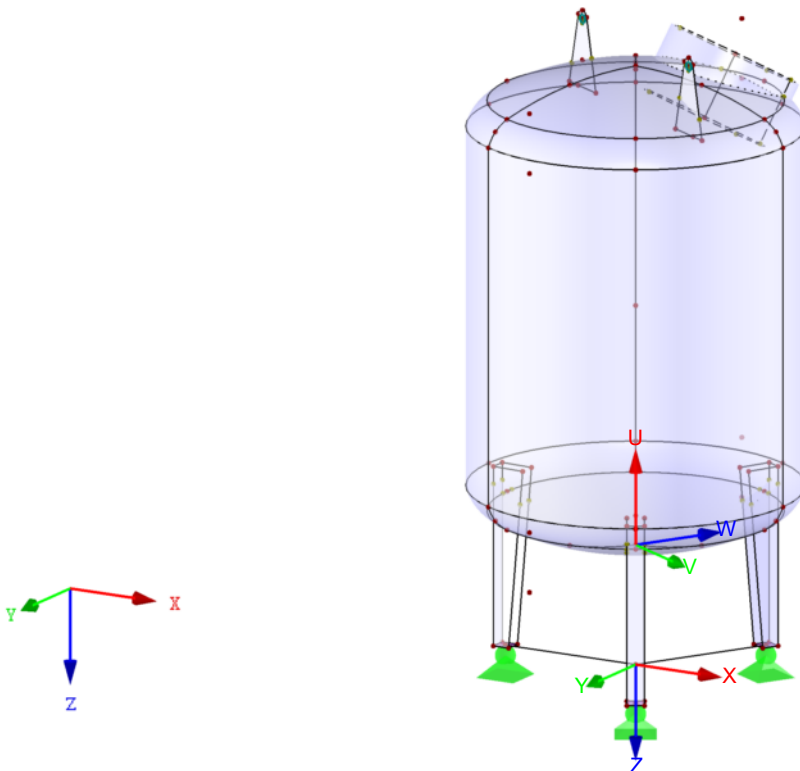
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**MODEL**

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## 1.3 MATERIALS

Matl. No.	Modulus E [ksi]	Modulus G [ksi]	Poisson's Ratio $\nu$ [-]	Spec. Weight $\gamma$ [lbf/ft <sup>3</sup> ]	Coeff. of Th. Exp. $\alpha$ [1/°F]	Partial Factor $\gamma_M$ [-]	Material Model
1	Stainless Steel (Plates and Sheets) A 240, Grade 304, 29198.50	11230.20	0.300	18Cr-8Ni   ASME B31.3-2010 499.72	9.11E-06	1.00	Isotropic Linear Elastic

## 2.1 LOAD CASES

Load Case	Load Case Description	ASCE 7-16 Action Category	Self-Weight - Factor in Direction			
			Active	X	Y	Z
LC1	Self Weight	Dead	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	0.000	0.000	1.000
LC2	Fill	Live	<input type="checkbox"/>			
LC3	Wind	Wind	<input type="checkbox"/>			

## 2.5 LOAD COMBINATIONS

Load Combin.	DS	Load Combination Description	No.	Factor			Load Case
				Factor	Factor	Factor	
CO1		1.4*LC1	1	1.40	LC1	Self Weight	
CO2		1.2*LC1 + 1.6*LC2	1	1.20	LC1	Self Weight	
CO3		1.2*LC1 + LC2 + LC3	1	1.20	LC2	Fill	
			2	1.00	LC2	Fill	
			3	1.00	LC3	Wind	
CO4		1.2*LC1 + LC3	1	1.20	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	1.00	LC3	Wind	
CO5		0.9*LC1 + LC3	1	0.90	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	1.00	LC3	Wind	
CO6		LC1	1	1.00	LC1	Self Weight	
CO7		LC1 + LC2	1	1.00	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	1.00	LC2	Fill	
CO8		LC1 + 0.6*LC3	1	1.00	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	0.60	LC3	Wind	
CO9		LC1 + 0.75*LC2 + 0.45*LC3	1	1.00	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	0.75	LC2	Fill	
			3	0.45	LC3	Wind	
CO10		0.6*LC1 + 0.6*LC3	1	0.60	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	0.60	LC3	Wind	
CO11		1,2D+L2+W+Imp	1	1.20	LC1	Self Weight	
			2	1.00	LC2	Fill	
			3	1.00	LC3	Wind	

## 2.5.7 LOAD COMBINATIONS

Load Combin.	CO-Description	Applied Imperfection from Module RF-IMP	Applied Imperfection
CO11	1,2D+L2+W+Imp	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CA1



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## LOADS

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### 3.8 FREE RECTANGULAR LOADS

LC2: Fill

LC2

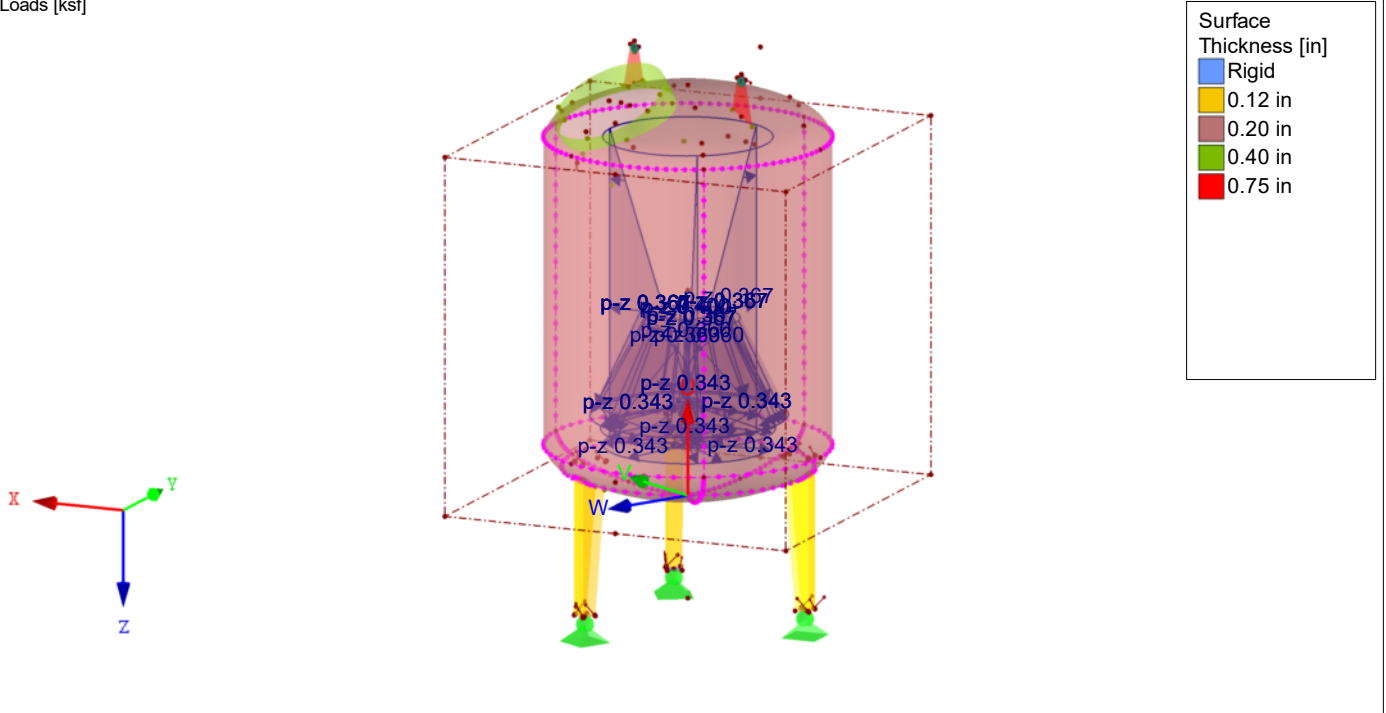
Fill

No.	On Surfaces No.	Project.	Load Distribution	Load Direction	Magnitude			Load Position		
					Symbol	Value	Unit	X [in]	Y [in]	Z [in]
1	1-3,6-8,11-13,42-47	YZ	Linear Z	z	p <sub>1</sub>	0.000	ksf		-24.00	-63.00
					p <sub>2</sub>	0.400	ksf		24.00	-14.00

### LC2: FILL

LC2 : Fill  
Loads [ksf]

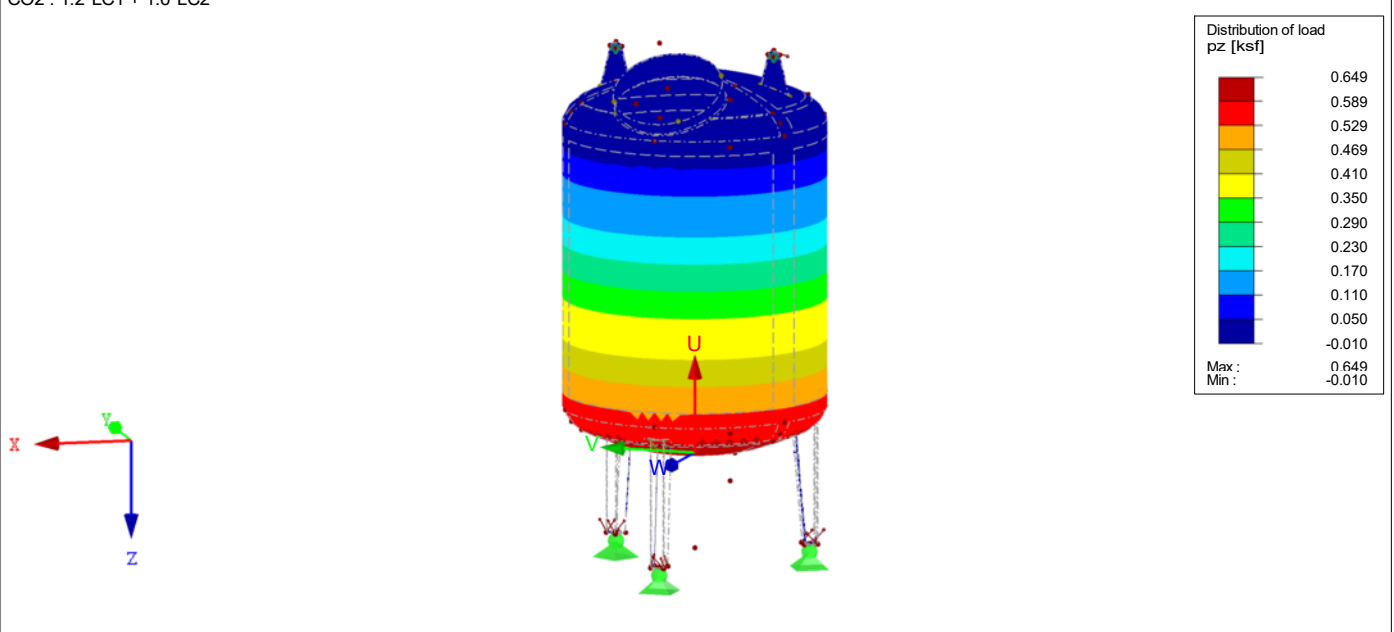
Isometric



### DISTRIBUTION OF LOAD

CO2 : 1.2\*LC1 + 1.6\*LC2

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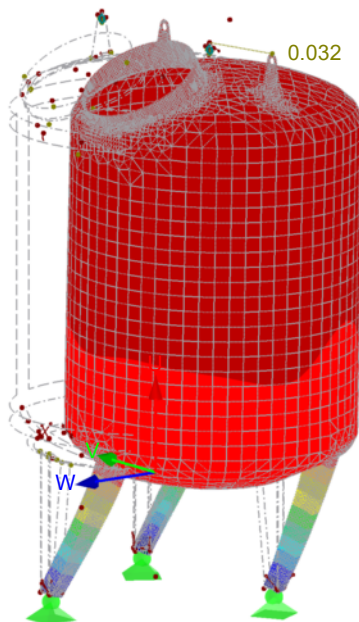
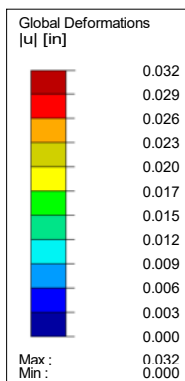
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GLOBAL DEFORMATIONS u

CO11 : 1,2D+L2+W+Imp

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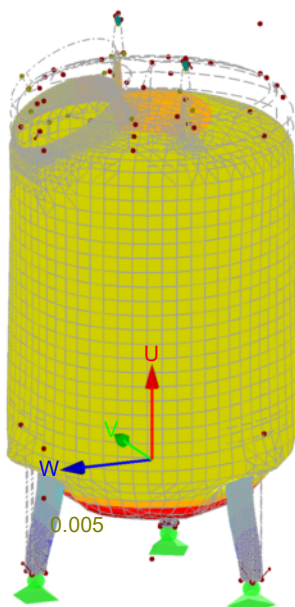
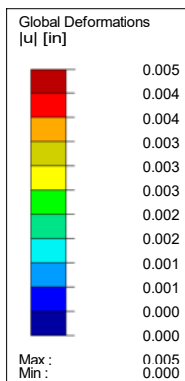


Factor of deformations: 280.00  
Max u: - Min u: -

GLOBAL DEFORMATIONS u

CO2 : 1.2\*LC1 + 1.6\*LC2

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Factor of deformations: 1500.00  
Max u: - Min u: -



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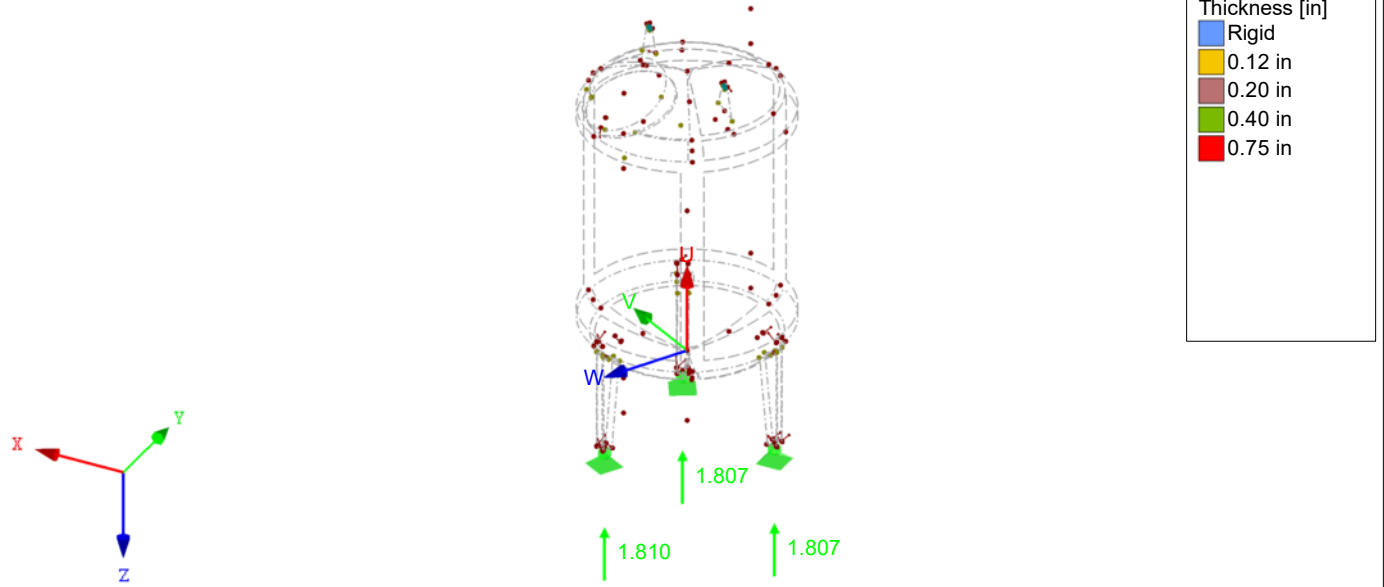
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SUPPORT REACTIONS

CO2 : 1.2\*LC1 + 1.6\*LC2  
Support Reactions[kip]

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**RF-STEEL Surfaces**

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## RF-STEEL

Surfaces  
with selection  
General stress  
analysis of  
steel surfaces

### 1.1 GENERAL DATA

Surfaces to design	2-5,7-10,12,13,17,19,42-48,50,52,54,56,58,60,62,64
Load combinations to design:	CO1 1.4*LC1
	CO2 1.2*LC1 + 1.6*LC2
	CO3 1.2*LC1 + LC2 + LC3
	CO4 1.2*LC1 + LC3
	CO5 0.9*LC1 + LC3

### 1.1.1 DETAILS

	Mindlin
	Equivalent stresses according to: Von Mises
	Distribution of internal forces: Constant on Elements
Serviceability Limits	Cantilevers
- CH Characteristic:	L / 300
- FR Frequent:	L / 200
- QP Quasi-permanent:	L / 200

### 1.2 MATERIALS

Material No.	Material Description	Safety Factor $\gamma_M [-]$	Yield Strength $f_{yk} [ksi]$	Limit Stresses [ksi]				
				Manually	Limit $\sigma_x$	Limit $\tau$	Limit $\sigma_{eqv}$	limit $\sigma_{eqv,m}$
1	Stainless Steel (Plates and Sheets) A 240, Grade 304, 18Cr-8Ni	1.00	30.000	<input type="checkbox"/>	30.000	17.321	30.000	30.000

### 2.2 STRESSES BY MATERIAL

Material No.	Surface No.	FE Mesh Point No.	Point Coordinates [in]			Loading	Stress [ksi]			Stress Ratio [-]
			X	Y	Z		Symbol	Existing	Limit	
1	Stainless Steel (Plates and Sheets) A 240, Grade 304, 18Cr-8Ni									
	52	126	9.87	-15.09	-18.95	CO3	$\tau_{max}$	4.774	17.321	0.28
	7	123	-14.51	-1.00	-16.99	CO3	$\sigma_{1,+}$	-13.043	30.000	0.43
	52	126	9.87	-15.09	-18.95	CO3	$\sigma_{2,+}$	-18.452	30.000	0.62
	7	122	-14.51	1.00	-16.99	CO3	$\sigma_{1,-}$	11.613	30.000	0.39
	7	122	-14.51	1.00	-16.99	CO3	$\sigma_{2,-}$	8.502	30.000	0.28
	48	128	6.39	-13.07	-16.99	CO5	$\sigma_{1,m}$	6.351	30.000	0.21
	52	126	9.87	-15.09	-18.95	CO3	$\sigma_{2,m}$	-11.457	30.000	0.38
	52	126	9.87	-15.09	-18.95	CO3	$\sigma_{eqv,max}$	16.448	30.000	0.55
	52	126	9.87	-15.09	-18.95	CO3	$\sigma_{eqv,m}$	10.697	30.000	0.36

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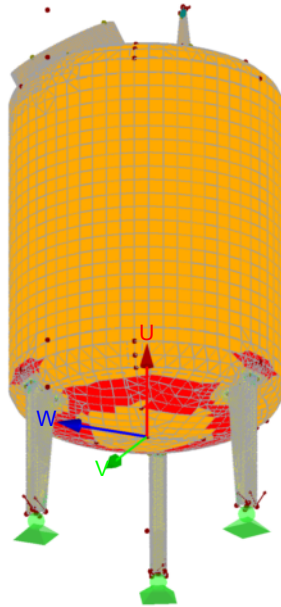
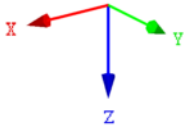
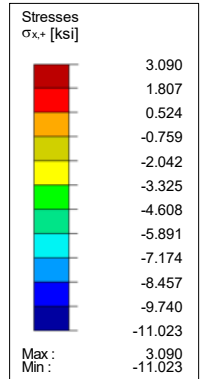
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STRESSES  $\sigma_{x,+}$

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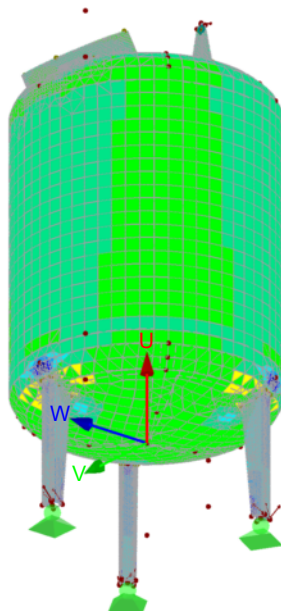
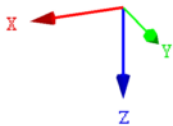
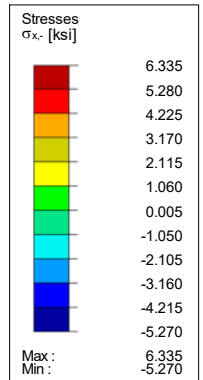


Max Sigma-x,+ : 3.090, Min Sigma-x,+ : -11.023 ksi

STRESSES  $\sigma_{x,-}$

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Max Sigma-x,- : 6.335, Min Sigma-x,- : -5.270 ksi



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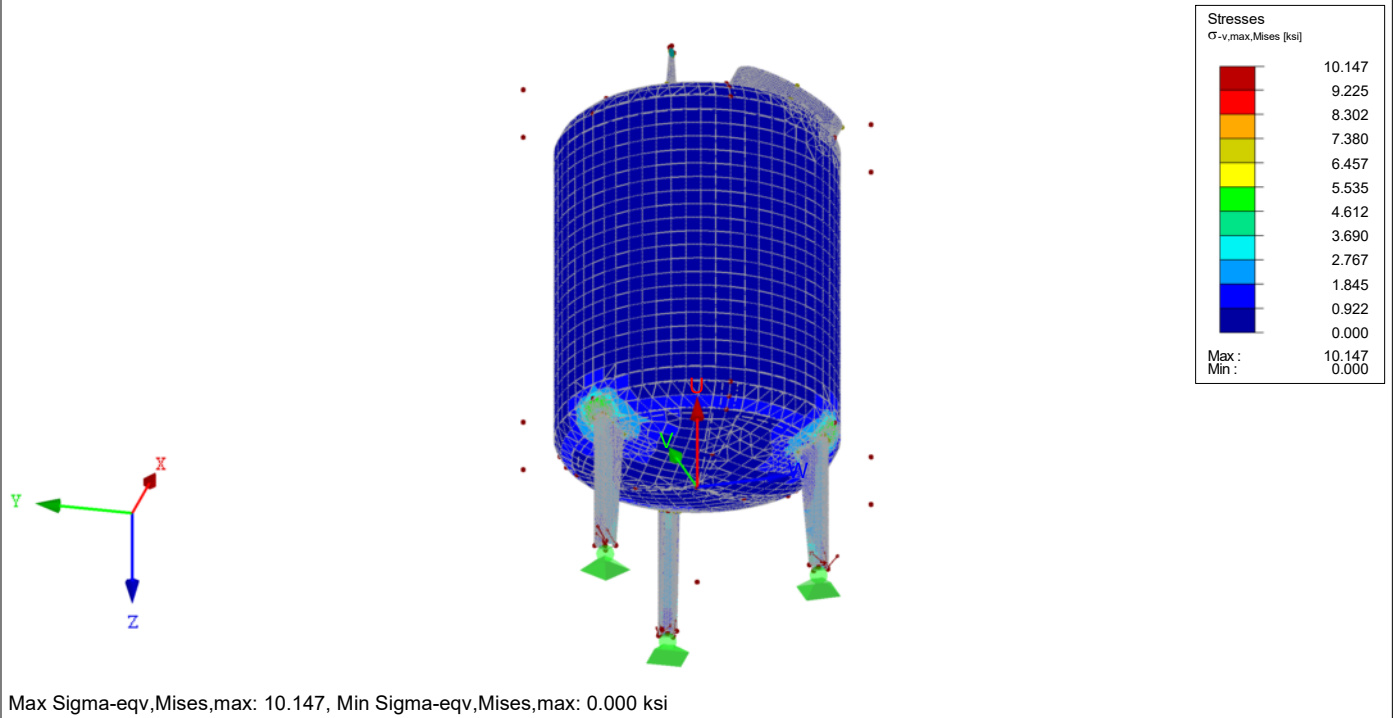
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STRESSES  $\sigma_{eqv,Mises,Max}$

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4.1 PARTS LIST

Part No.	Material	Thickness		Area [ft <sup>2</sup> ]	Coating [ft <sup>2</sup> ]	Volume [ft <sup>3</sup> ]	Weight [kip]
		Type	d [in]				
48	Stainless Steel (Plates and Sheets) A 240, Grade 304, 18Cr-8Ni	Constant	0.12	0.34	0.69	0.00	0.00
50		Constant	0.12	0.26	0.53	0.00	0.00
52		Constant	0.12	0.34	0.69	0.00	0.00
54		Constant	0.12	0.34	0.69	0.00	0.00
56		Constant	0.12	0.26	0.53	0.00	0.00
58		Constant	0.12	0.34	0.69	0.00	0.00
60		Constant	0.12	0.34	0.69	0.00	0.00
62		Constant	0.12	0.26	0.53	0.00	0.00
64		Constant	0.12	0.34	0.69	0.00	0.00
2		Constant	0.20	2.16	4.32	0.04	0.02
3		Constant	0.20	11.72	23.45	0.20	0.10
4		Constant	0.20	1.03	2.07	0.02	0.01
5		Constant	0.20	2.16	4.32	0.04	0.02
7		Constant	0.20	2.16	4.32	0.04	0.02
8		Constant	0.20	11.72	23.45	0.20	0.10
9		Constant	0.20	1.03	2.07	0.02	0.01
10		Constant	0.20	2.16	4.32	0.04	0.02
12	Constant	0.20	2.16	4.32	0.04	0.02	
13	Constant	0.20	11.72	23.45	0.20	0.10	
17	Constant	0.20	0.83	1.65	0.01	0.01	
19	Constant	0.20	0.93	1.85	0.02	0.01	
42	Constant	0.20	1.01	2.03	0.02	0.01	
43	Constant	0.20	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.00	
44	Constant	0.20	1.01	2.03	0.02	0.01	
45	Constant	0.20	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.00	
46	Constant	0.20	1.01	2.03	0.02	0.01	
47	Constant	0.20	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.00	
Sum				55.74	111.48	0.91	0.45



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### 1.1 GENERAL DATA

Number of lowest eigenvalues (eigenvectors for buckling): 4

Normalization of eigenvectors: Such that  $|u|=1$

Import axial forces from RFEM from: CO3 - 1.2\*LC1 + LC2 + LC3

Consider favorable effect due to tension:

Consider axial forces as prestress:

Eigenvalue calculation method:

- Method by Lanczos
- Roots of the characteristic polynomial
- Subspace Iteration Method
- ICG Iteration Method

Stability analysis of LC/CO results:

Stability analysis for load increased to structural failure:

Type of matrix: Standard

Activate Stiffness Modification from RFEM:

### 2.1 CRITICAL LOAD FACTORS

E-Value No.	Critical Load Factor $f$	Magnification Factor $\alpha$	
1	19.776	1.053	
2	20.734	1.051	
3	21.966	1.048	
4	22.792	1.046	