

# Engineering Sketch Pad (ESP)



## Training Session 3 Solids Fundamentals (2)

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- Miscellaneous Branches
- Manipulating the Stack
  - GROUP
  - STORE, RESTORE
- Grown Bodys
  - EXTRUDE
  - REVOLVE
  - RULE
  - BLEND
- Creating a Waffle
  - UDPRIM WAFFLE
- Homework Exercises

- SET — set the value of a Local Variable to the given expression
- MARK — push a Mark onto the Stack
- SELECT — select entity for which @-parameters are evaluated
  - see “help” for details
- PROJECT — find the first projection from a given point (in space) in a given direction

- DUMP — write file that contains the Body (not Group) on the top of the Stack
  - if **remove** is not zero, the Body is popped off the Stack
  - if **toMark** is not zero, all Bodys since the Mark are written
- The types of files that can be written by DUMP include:
  - **.brep** or **.BREP** — OpenCASCADE output
  - **.bstl** or **.BSTL** — binary stereolithography output
  - **.egads** or **.EGADS** — EGADS output
  - **.egg** or **.EGG** — EGG restart output
  - **.igs** or **.IGS** — IGES output
  - **.sens** or **.SENS** — sensitivity information
  - **.step** or **.STEP** — STEP output
  - **.stl** or **.STL** — ASCII stereolithography output
  - **.stp** or **.STP** — STEP output
  - **.tess** or **.TESS** — ASCII tessellation output
  - **.ugrid** or **.UGRID** — ASCII AFLR3 output

- During the build process, **OpenCSM** maintains a last-in-first-out (LIFO) “Stack” that can contain Bodys, Marks, and Sketches.
- The `.csm` statements are executed in a stack-like way, taking their inputs from the Stack and depositing their results onto the Stack.
- Bodys can be grouped with the **GROUP** statement
  - all the Bodys back to the Mark (or the beginning of the Stack) are put into a single Group
  - some operations, such as the transformations, **ATTRIBUTE**, and **STORE** operate on all Bodys in the Group simultaneously
  - Bodys can be ungrouped by giving **GROUP** a negative argument

- The Group on the top of the Stack can be “popped” off the Stack with a **STORE \$name index** command
  - if the **name** is alpha-numeric, the Group is stored in a named storage location, with the given **index** (from 0 to 99)
  - if the **name** is a dot (.), the Group is not stored (just popped off the Stack)
  - if the **name** is two dots (..), all the Groups back to the Mark are popped off the Stack (and not stored)
  - if the **name** is three dots (...), everything is popped off the Stack

- Groups can be read from a named storage location and “pushed” onto the Stack with the `RESTORE $name index` command
- The `RESTORE` command is considered a primitive, so its Attributes are put on all the Bodys and all their Faces
- `RESTORE .` duplicates the Body (not Group) on the top of the stack
  - “B1 B2 mark B3 B4”  $\Rightarrow$  “B1 B2 mark B3 B4 B4”
- `RESTORE ..` duplicates all the Bodys on the stack back to the Mark (including the Mark)
  - “B1 B2 mark B3 B4”  $\Rightarrow$  “B1 B2 mark B3 B4 mark B3 B4”
- `RESTORE ...` duplicates all Bodys on the stack
  - “B1 B2 mark B3 B4”  $\Rightarrow$  “B1 B2 mark B3 B4 B1 B2 mark B3 B4”

- Assume that the Stack contains: 5 7 9 12 (top)
- If one wants to reverse the top two Bodies, use
  - `STORE temp 1`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 9
    - storage `temp 1` contains 12
  - `STORE temp 2`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7
    - storage `temp 2` contains 9
  - `RESTORE temp 1`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 12
  - `RESTORE temp 2`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 12 9

- Assume that the Stack contains: 5 7 9 12 (top)
- If one wants to put a mark between the 7 and 9, use
  - `STORE temp 1`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 9
    - storage `temp 1` contains 12
  - `STORE temp 2`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7
    - storage `temp 2` contains 9
  - `MARK`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 mark
  - `RESTORE temp 2`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 mark 9
  - `RESTORE temp 1`
    - Stack now contains: 5 7 mark 9 12

- If you want to duplicate the Group on the top of the Stack, use **STORE** and **RESTORE**
- Depending on the value of **keep** in the **STORE** command, the Group on the top of the Stack is either kept (like a “copy”) or popped off the Stack (like a “cut”)

- not using the **keep** option to duplicate the Body on the top of the Stack

```
STORE    temp
```

```
RESTORE temp
```

```
RESTORE temp
```

- using the **keep** option to duplicate the Body on the top of the Stack

```
STORE    temp 0 1
```

```
RESTORE temp
```

- or

```
RESTORE .
```

- Use the **DIMENSION** statment to set the size of the array
  - **DIMENSION** creates a Branch, so its arguments can be any expression
- Use the **SET** statement to define the values
  - if name of array is given, set all the values
    - if more values are given than needed, excess are ignored
    - if fewer values are given than needed, last value is repeated

```
CFGPMTR   numRows 3
CONPMTR   numCols 2
DIMENSION array  numRows numCols
SET       array    "5;2"
```

creates: array = [5, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2]

- A single array element can be assigned with

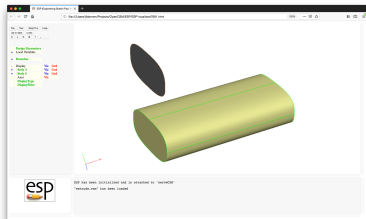
```
SET       array[2,1] 3
```

- Pops one or more SheetBodys from the Stack
- Pushes the resultant SolidBody onto the Stack
- Supported grown features include:
  - **EXTRUDE** — in a given direction for a given distance
  - **REVOLVE** — around a given axis for a given angular displacement
  - **RULE** — connect all the SheetBodys back to the Mark by straight lines
    - the first and/or last Xsect can be a NodeBody
  - **BLEND** — connect all the SheetBodys back to the Mark with smooth curves
    - the first and/or last Xsect can be a NodeBody
    - at the bounding Nodes, the user can specify the radius of curvature in two orthogonal directions
  - **SWEEP** — a SheetBody along a given WireBody
    - this is often problematic in **OpenCASCADE**
  - **LOFT** — similar to **BLEND**, but with less control

- Pops one or more WireBody's from the Stack
- Pushes the resultant SheetBody onto the Stack
- Supported grown features include:
  - EXTRUDE — in a given direction for a given distance
  - REVOLVE — around a given axis for a given angular displacement
  - RULE — connect all the WireBody's back to the Mark by straight lines
    - the first and/or last Xsect can be a NodeBody
  - BLEND — connect all the WireBody's back to the Mark with smooth curves
    - the first and/or last Xsect can be a NodeBody

- Pops one or more NodeBodys from the Stack
- Pushes the resultant WireBody onto the Stack
- Supported grown features include:
  - **EXTRUDE** — in a given direction for a given distance
  - **REVOLVE** — around a given axis for a given angular displacement
  - **RULE** — connect all the NodeBodys back to the Mark by straight lines
  - **BLEND** — connect all the NodeBodys back to the Mark with smooth curves

Note: Original Xsect (SheetBody) and result of EXTRUDE are shown



# extrude

```
UDPRIM  supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 1 n 3
ROTATEY 90 0 0
STORE  sections
```

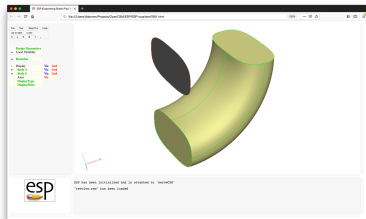
```
RESTORE sections
TRANSLATE 0 4 0
```

```
RESTORE sections
EXTRUDE 8 0 0
```

END

- Face-order is: (1) orig Xsect, (2) copy of Xsect, (3) Face from first Xsect Edge, (4) Face from second Xsect Edge, ...

Note: Original Xsect (SheetBody) and result of REVOLVE are shown



# revolve

```
UDPRIM  supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 1 n 3
ROTATEY 90 0 0
STORE  sections
```

```
RESTORE sections
TRANSLATE 0 4 0
```

```
RESTORE sections
REVOLVE 0 4 0 0 0 1 90
```

END

- Face-order is: (1) orig Xsect, (2) copy of Xsect, (3) Face from first Xsect Edge, (4) Face from second Xsect Edge, ...

- To revolve a Xsect to make a body of revolution:

- do not use:

```
# make whole Body
```

```
REVOLVE 0 0 0 0 1 0 360
```

- use instead:

```
# make half on Body
```

```
REVOLVE 0 0 0 0 1 0 180
```

```
# mirror for second half
```

```
RESTORE .
```

```
MIRROR 0 0 1 0
```

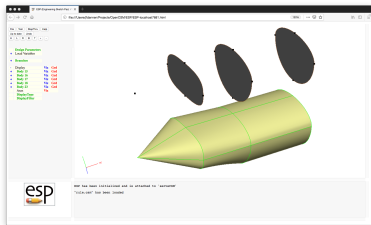
```
# put it all together
```

```
JOIN 0 0
```



# Grown Primitive — RULE (1)

Note: Original Xsects (SheetBodys) and result of RULE are shown



```
# rule
```

```
MARK
```

```
POINT 0 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 1 n 3
```

```
ROTATEY 90 0 0
```

```
TRANSLATE 3 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 2
```

```
ROTATEY 90 0 0
```

```
TRANSLATE 6 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 2
```

```
ROTATEY 90 0 0
```

```
TRANSLATE 10 0 0
```

```
GROUP
```

```
STORE sections
```

```
RESTORE sections
```

```
TRANSLATE 0 4 0
```

```
MARK
```

```
RESTORE sections
```

```
RULE
```

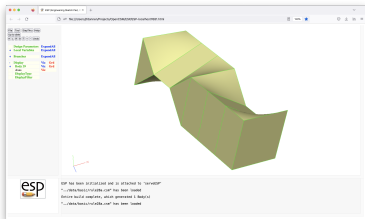
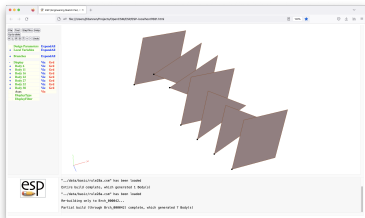
```
END
```

● Face-order on later slide



# Grown Primitive — RULE (2)

The number of segments can differ if the `.multiNode` Attribute is set



```
SKBEG      -1  -1  -3
LINSEG     1  -1  -3
LINSEG     1   1  -3
LINSEG    -1   1  -3
LINSEG    -1  -1  -3
SKEND
```

```
SKBEG      -1   0  -2
LINSEG     1  -1  -2
LINSEG     1   1  -2
LINSEG    -1   0  -2
SKEND
```

```
SELECT     NODE 1
ATTRIBUTE  .multiNode "1;1"
```

```
SKBEG      -1   0  -1
LINSEG     1  -1  -1
LINSEG     1   1  -1
LINSEG    -1   0  -1
```

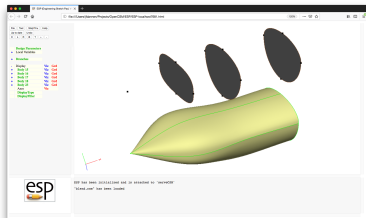
```
SKEND
SELECT     NODE 1
ATTRIBUTE  .multiNode "1;1"
```

...



# Grown Primitive — BLEND

Note: Original Xsects (SheetBodys) and result of BLEND are shown



```
# blend
```

```
MARK
```

```
POINT 0 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 1 n 3
```

```
ROTATEY 90 0 0
```

```
TRANSLATE 3 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 2
```

```
ROTATEY 90 0 0
```

```
TRANSLATE 6 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM supell rx 2 ry_n 1 ry_s 2
```

```
ROTATEY 90 0 0
```

```
TRANSLATE 10 0 0
```

```
GROUP
```

```
STORE sections
```

```
RESTORE sections
```

```
TRANSLATE 0 4 0
```

```
MARK
```

```
RESTORE sections
```

```
BLEND
```

```
END
```

● Face-order on later slide

- If the first and last Xsects are both WireBodys
  - a SheetBody is produced that is open on both ends
- If the first or last Xsect is a WireBody
  - a SheetBody is produced that is open on one end and closed on the other
- Otherwise
  - a SolidBody is produced

- (1) first Xsect (or empty if POINT)
- (2) last Xsect (or empty if POINT)
- (3) Face from first Xsect Edge between first and second Xsects
- (4) Face from first Xsect Edge between second and third Xsects
- ...
- (n) Face from second Xsect Edge between first and second Xsects
- ...

- RULE and BLEND require that all Xsects have the same number of Segments, ordered in the same way
  - new Faces are made by combining all the first Segments, ...
  - the `.multiNode` attribute can override for RULE
- BLEND allows user-selectable continuity in blend direction
  - C2 - curvature continuity (the default)
  - C1 - slope continuity (obtained with Xsect repeated once)
  - C0 - value continuity (obtained with Xsect repeated twice)
- Xsects can be automatically reordered to help eliminate twist by setting `reorder` to a non-zero value
  - positive to start from first Xsect
  - negative to start from last Xsect
- Users can manually reorder Xsects with the `REORDER` command (applied to a Xsect)
  - Reordering only changes the order of Segments, not their shapes



# BLEND Continuity (1)

```
# blendCOC1C2
```

```
# original Xsects (top left)
```

```
MARK
```

```
POINT -2 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
TRANSLATE +2 0 0
```

```
GROUP
```

```
TRANSLATE -3 +1 0
```

```
# Body with C0 at second Xsect (top rite)
```

```
MARK
```

```
POINT -2 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
TRANSLATE +2 0 0
```

```
BLEND
```

```
TRANSLATE +3 +1 0
```

```
# Body with C1 at second Xsect (bottom rite)
```

```
MARK
```

```
POINT -2 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
TRANSLATE +2 0 0
```

```
BLEND
```

```
TRANSLATE -3 -1 0
```

```
# Body with C2 at second Xsect (bottom left)
```

```
MARK
```

```
POINT -2 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

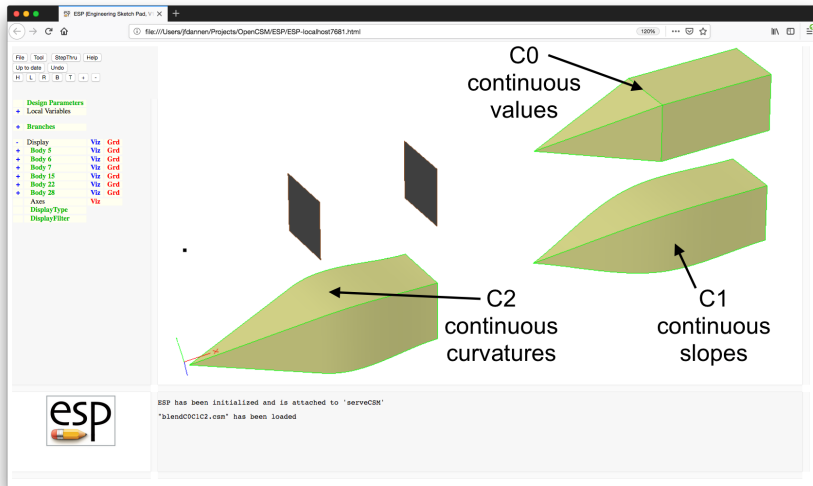
```
UDPRIM box dy 1 dz 1
```

```
TRANSLATE +2 0 0
```

```
BLEND
```

```
TRANSLATE +3 -1 0
```

```
END
```





# BLEND Nose/Tail Treatment (1)

```
# blendC0C1C2

# original Xsects (top left)
MARK
  POINT  -2  0  0

  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1

  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1
  TRANSLATE +2 0 0

GROUP
TRANSLATE -3 +1 0

# Body with pointed nose (top rite)
MARK
  POINT  -2  0  0

  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1

  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1
  TRANSLATE +2 0 0

BLEND
TRANSLATE +3 +1 0
```

```
# Body with slightly rounded nose (bottom left)
MARK
  POINT  -2  0  0

  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1

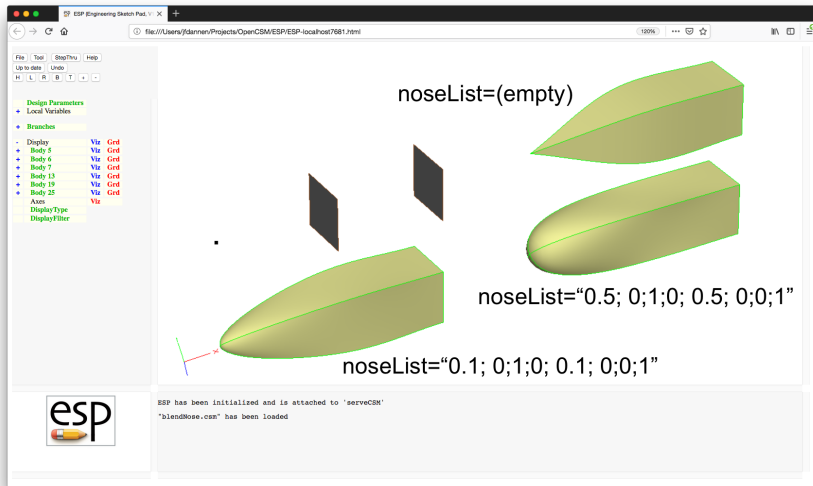
  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1
  TRANSLATE +2 0 0
  BLEND "0.1; 0;1;0; 0.1; 0;0;1"
  TRANSLATE -3 -1 0

# Body with rounded nose (bottom rite)
MARK
  POINT  -2  0  0

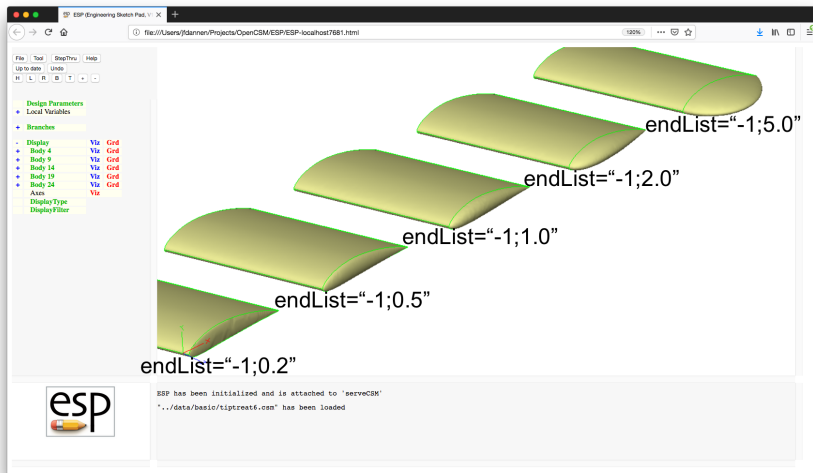
  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1

  UDPRIM box  dy 1  dz 1
  TRANSLATE +2 0 0
  BLEND "0.5; 0;1;0; 0.5; 0;0;1"
  TRANSLATE +3 -1 0

END
```



- If the first Xsect is a SheetBody with 2 or 3 Edges and the `begList` contains 2 entries:
  - `begList[1] = -1`
  - `begList[2] =` the aspect ratio of an approximate ellipse that spans between the first and second Xsect Edge
- The same applies to the last Xsect and `endList`



- Called with `.csm` statement:  
`UDPRIM waffle depth <number> filename <name_of_file>`
- Valid statements in file are:
  - `CPOINT` — create a construction point (not in final waffle)
  - `CLINE` — create a construction line (not in final waffle)
  - `POINT` — create a waffle point
  - `LINE` — create one or more waffle segments
  - `PATBEG/PATEND` — create a pattern (loop)
- Keywords can be in lowercase or UPPERCASE
- Coordinates of existing point `<pname>` are given by
  - `x@<pname>` and `y@<pname>`

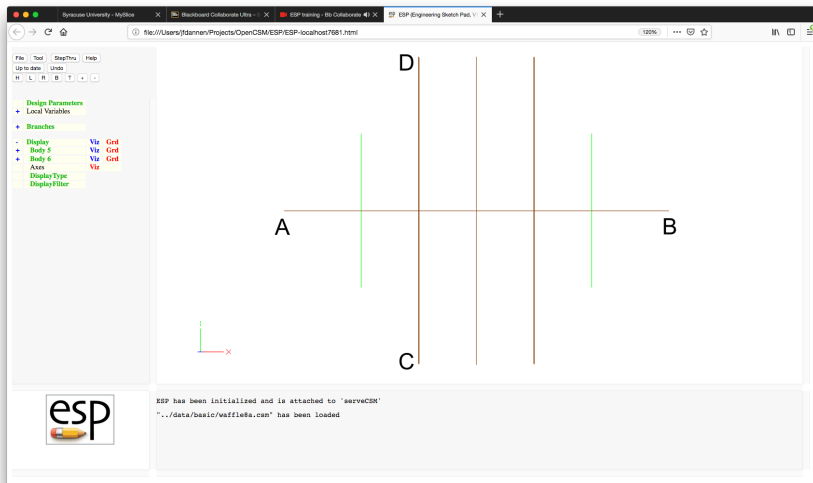
- Variants of CPOINT and POINT
  - POINT <pname> AT <xloc> <yloc>
    - create point at <xloc,yloc>
  - POINT <pname> ON <lname> FRAC <fracDist>
    - creates point on <lname> at given fractional distance
  - POINT <pname> ON <lname> XLOC <x>
    - creates point on <lname> at given <x>
  - POINT <pname> ON <lname> YLOC <y>
    - creates point on <lname> at given <y>
  - POINT <pname> ON <lname> PERP <pname2>
    - creates point on <lname> that is closest to <pname2>
  - POINT <pname> ON <lname> XSECT <lname2>
    - creates point at intersection of <lname> and <lname2>
  - POINT <pname> OFF <lname> <dist> <pname2>
    - creates point <dist> to the left of <lname> at <pname2>

- Variants of CLINE and LINE
  - `LINE . <pname1> <pname2> <attrName1=attrValue1>...`
    - creates unnamed line between <pname1> and <pname2> with given attribute(s) (if any)
  - `LINE <lname> <pname1> <pname2> <attrName1=attrValue1>`
    - creates line named <lname> between <pname1> and <pname2> with given attribute(s) (if any)



# Waffle Example (1)

SolidBody in green; Waffle in brown



```
# SolidBody
CYLINDER 0 0 0 3 0 0 1
STORE     SolidBody

# get bounding box of SolidBody
RESTORE   SolidBody
SET       xmin  @xmin
SET       xmax  @xmax
SET       ymin  @ymin
SET       ymax  @ymax
SET       zmin  @zmin
SET       zmax  @zmax
STORE     .
```

```
# Waffle (centered on SolidBody)
UDPRIM    waffle    filename <<    depth zmax-zmin+2
  POINT   A AT    xmin-1  (ymin+ymax)/2
  POINT   B AT    xmax+1  (ymin+ymax)/2
  LINE    AB  A    B    type=symmetry

  PATBEG   i    3
    POINT   C AT    xmin+i/4*(xmax-xmin) ymin-1
    POINT   D AT    xmin+i/4*(xmax-xmin) ymax+1
    LINE    .    C    D    type=!$bulkhead_+i
  PATEND

>>
TRANSLATE 0 0 zmin-1
STORE     Waffle
```

```
# score the SolidBody by the Waffle and extract Faces
RESTORE    SolidBody
RESTORE    Waffle
SUBTRACT
EXTRACT    0

# generate the internal structure
RESTORE    SolidBody
RESTORE    Waffle
INTERSECT

# put them together
JOIN

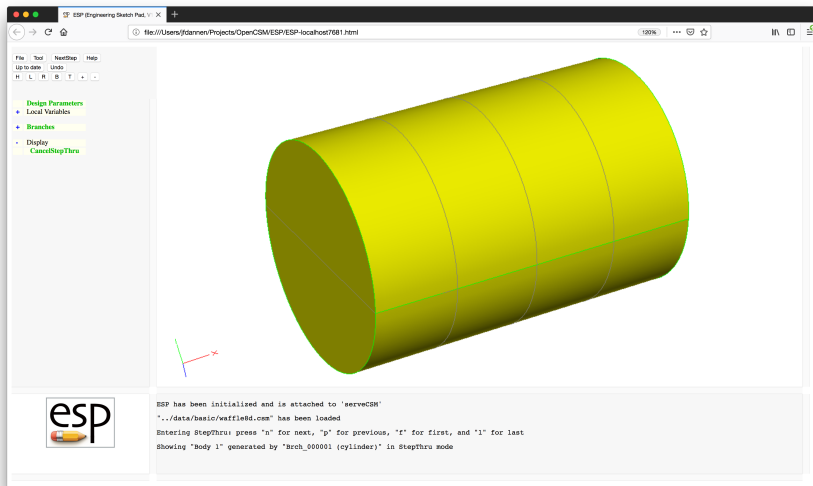
END
```



# Waffle Example (5)

Original SolidBody

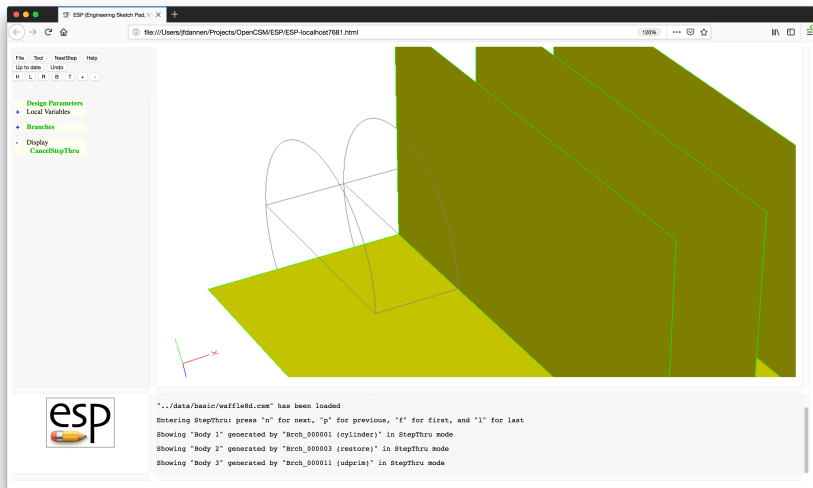
(Grey lines are only part of final configuration.)





# Waffle Example (6)

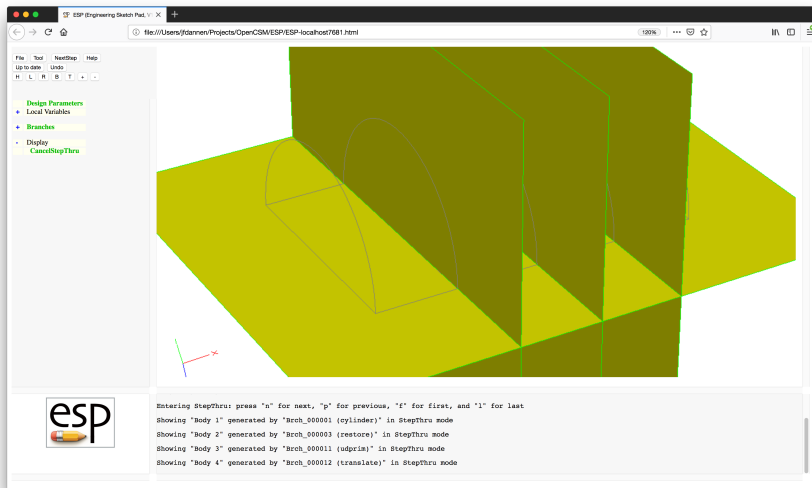
## Original Waffle





# Waffle Example (7)

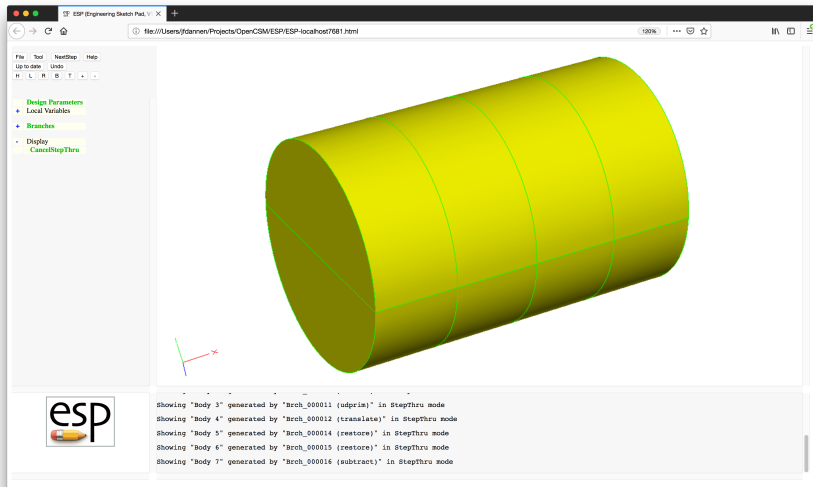
## After TRANSLATING the Waffle





# Waffle Example (8)

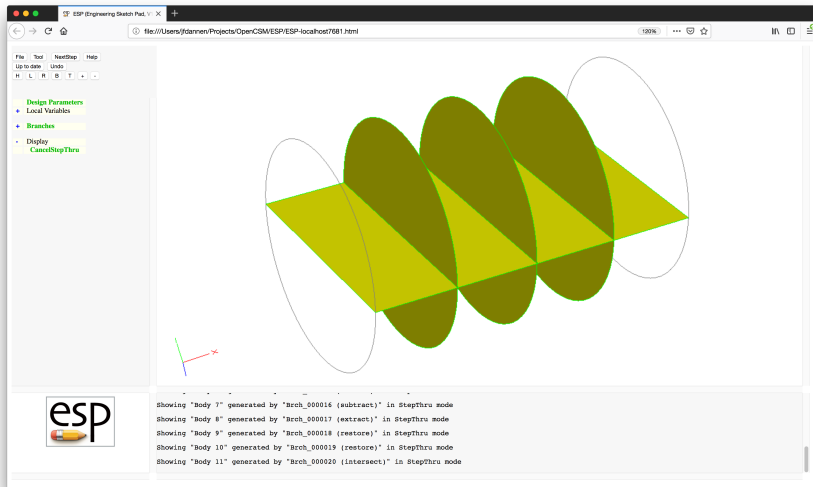
After SUBTRACTION of Waffle from SolidBody





# Waffle Example (9)

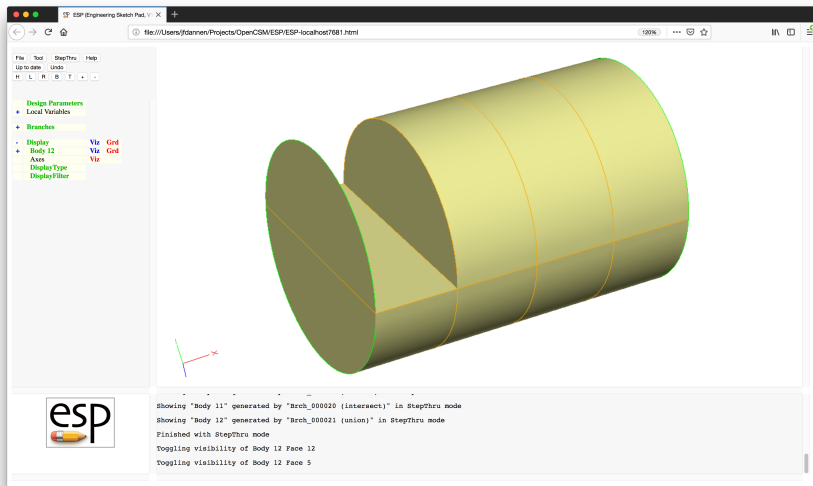
After INTERSECTION of SolidBody and Waffle

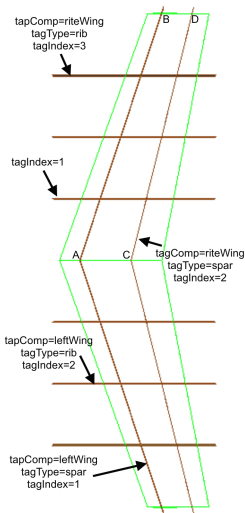




# Waffle Example (10)

After UNION of scored SolidBody and interior Waffle  
(One Face shown transparent to see some of the internal structure.)





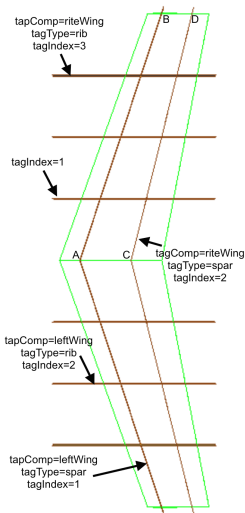
```
SET      xmin      @xmin-0.1
SET      xmax      @xmax+0.1
SET      ymin      0
SET      ymax      @ymax+0.1
SET      zmin      @zmin-0.1
SET      zmax      @zmax+0.1
STORE    .
```

```
UDPARG   waffle     depth wing:nrib      # ensures rebuild
UDPARG   waffle     depth wing:spar1
UDPARG   waffle     depth wing:spar2
UDPRIM   waffle     depth zmax-zmin filename <<
```

# construction lines for spars

```
CPOINT A   AT      0+wing:spar1*croot 0
CPOINT B   AT      wing_xtip+wing:spar1*ctip  wing_ytip
CPOINT C   AT      0+wing:spar2*croot 0
CPOINT D   AT      wing_xtip+wing:spar2*ctip  wing_ytip
```

```
CLINE  AB      A  B
CLINE  CD      C  D
```



```
# rite spars
```

```
POINT E ON AB YLOC ymin
```

```
POINT F ON AB YLOC ymax
```

```
LINE EF E F tagComp=riteWing tagType=spar tagIndex=1
```

```
POINT G ON CD YLOC ymin
```

```
POINT H ON CD YLOC ymax
```

```
LINE GH G H tagComp=riteWing tagType=spar tagIndex=2
```

```
# rite ribs
```

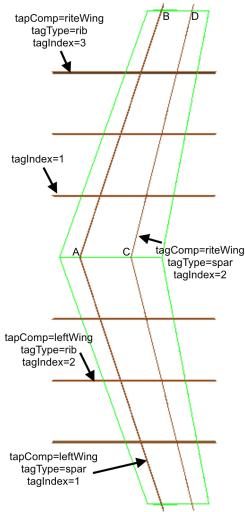
```
PATBEG irib wing:nrib
```

```
    CPOINT I AT xmin wing_ytip*irib/(wing:nrib+1)
```

```
    CPOINT J AT xmax y@I
```

```
    LINE . I J tagComp=riteWing tagType=rib ...
           tagIndex=!val2str(irib,0)
```

```
PATEND
```



```
# left spars
POINT E AT x@E -y@E
POINT F AT x@F -y@F
LINE EF E F tagComp=leftWing tagType=spar tagIndex=1

POINT G AT x@G -y@G
POINT H AT x@H -y@H
LINE GH G H tagComp=leftWing tagType=spar tagIndex=2

# left ribs
PATBEG irib wing:nrib
  CPOINT I AT xmin -wing_ytip*irib/(wing:nrib+1)
  CPOINT J AT xmax y@I
  LINE . I J tagComp=leftWing tagType=rib ...
                                tagIndex=!val2str(irib,0)

PATEND
>>
```

- Simple wing
- Simple fuselage
  - OML (outer mold line)
  - structure
- Starter files are in  
`$ESP_ROOT/training/ESP/data/session03`

Generated with UDPRIM naca: thickness camber

```
# naca
```

```
UDPRIM naca thickness 0.00 camber 0.04  
TRANSLATE -2 0 0
```

```
UDPRIM naca thickness 0.12 camber 0.00
```

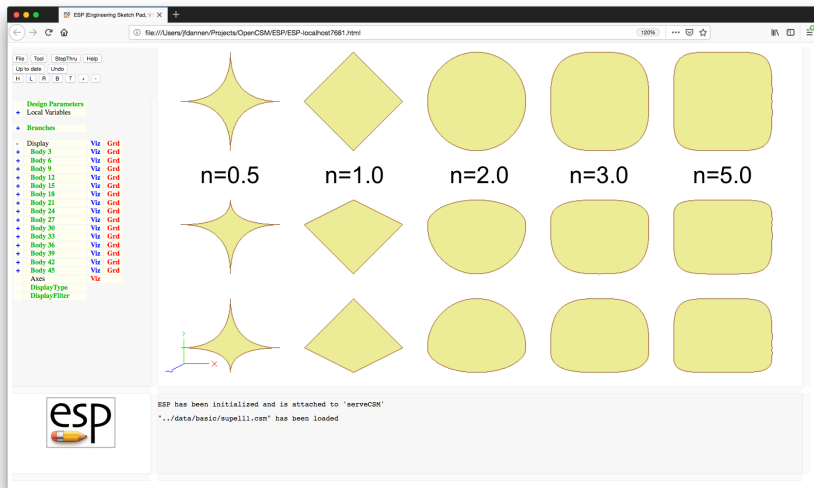
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UDPRIM naca thickness 0.12 camber 0.04  
TRANSLATE +2 0 0
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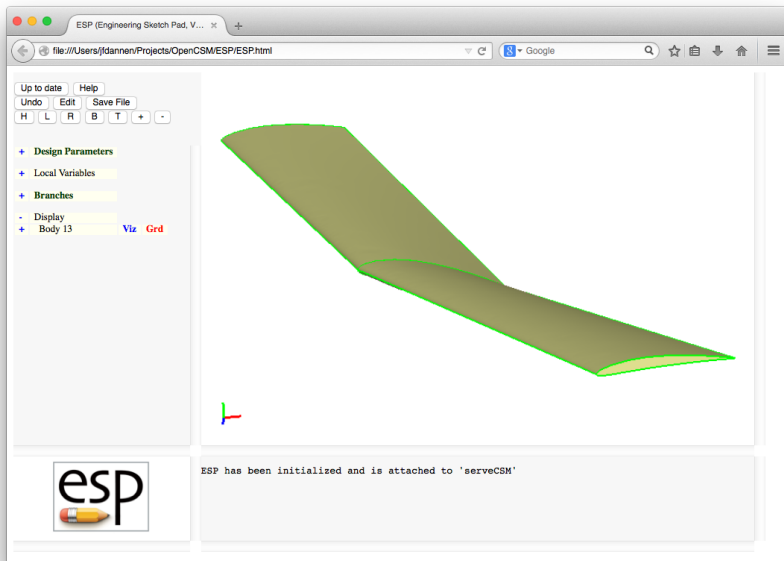
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END
```



Generated with UDPRIM supell: rx, ry, n

Generated with \$ESP\_ROOT/data/basic/supell1.csm



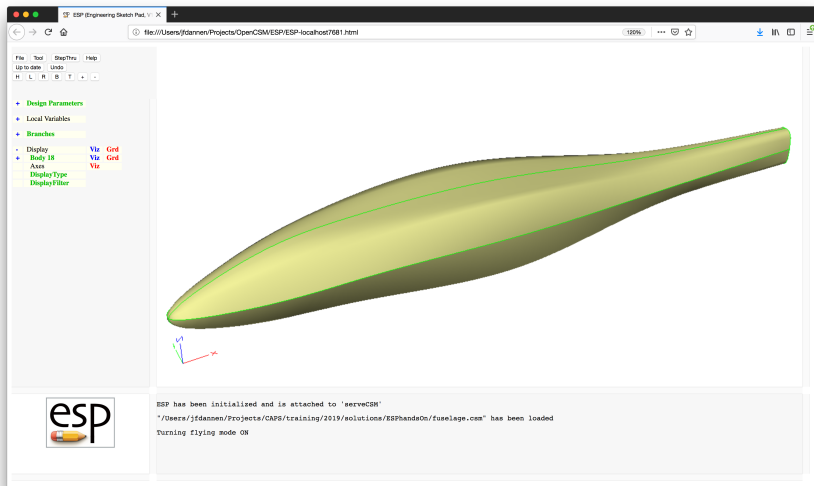


Xroot	X-coordinate of root leading edge	0.00
Yroot	Y-coordinate of root leading edge	0.00
Zroot	Z-coordinate of root leading edge	0.00
croot	chord of root	2.00
troot	thickness/chord of root	0.12
mroot	camber/chord of root	0.04
aroot	angle of attack of root (deg)	7.50
Xtip	X-coordinate of tip leading edge	0.50
Ytip	Y-coordinate of tip leading edge	0.25
Ztip	Z-coordinate of tip leading edge	8.00
ctip	chord of tip	1.75
ttip	thickness/chord of tip	0.08
mtip	camber/chord of tip	0.04
atip	angle of attack of tip (deg)	-5.00

- What happens if you switch from RULE to BLEND?
- What happens if we change the sequence of transformations from SCALE, ROTATEZ, TRANSLATE to ROTATEZ, SCALE, TRANSLATE?
- What happens if we do the TRANSLATE first?
- Could you change the Design Parameters to `area`, `aspectRatio`, `taperRatio`, `sweep`, and `twist`?

$$AR = \frac{b^2}{S} \quad S = b(c_{\text{tip}} + c_{\text{root}})/2 \quad \tau = \frac{c_{\text{tip}}}{c_{\text{root}}}$$

- Fuselage by blending a series of super-ellipses (SUPELLs), where the dimensions of the X-sections are provided in arrays



xloc	width	zcent	height	power
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2
1.0	1.0	0.1	1.0	2
4.0	1.6	0.4	2.0	3
8.0	1.6	0.4	2.0	3
12.0	1.0	0.3	1.2	2
16.0	0.8	0.2	0.4	2

- Can you make the radius at the nose 0.2 in a top view and 0.1 in a side view?
- Can you make the fuselage between the two sections whose power is 3 have a constant cross-section?
- Can you create a SheetBody that has a plane of symmetry and cross-sections at every  $y$ , starting at  $y = 1/2$  and spaced with  $\Delta y = 1$ ?
- Can you color the odd-numbered bulkheads red and even-numbered bulkheads blue?
- Can you color the Edges at the intersections of the symmetry plane and bulkheads white?

