

HELICAL STRAND MODELS 2014

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[1] is a rather simple application of FEA (using ABAQUS) to a three-wire strand under axial load. In the literature review, comment on paper Cardou and Jolicoeur (1997) is meaningless.

[2] is an analysis of a Warrington-Seale wire rope, also restricted to the axial load case.

[3] is concerned with marine copper power conductors. Such conductors are subject to bending fatigue. However, the type of loading is quite different from that of overhead electrical conductors (my own field of interest).

[4] [5] deal with space applications. Cable modelling uses composite material approach. I have not had the opportunity to have a look at [6], which seems to be similar to [5].

[7] deals with the purely geometric modelling of helical strands, as well as multistrand systems.