Hybrid Mesher

General

Surface mesher used by the Tetmesher

Strengths

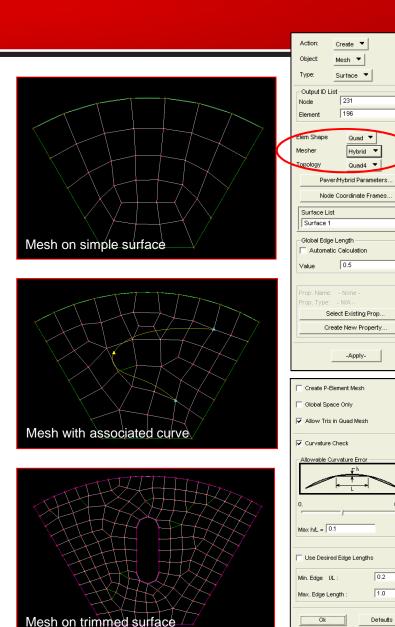
- QUAD dominant mesh on any surface
- Recognizes mesh seeds, hard points
- Curvature check automatically refines mesh along highly curved edges
- Mesh is generally more regular or "well-ordered" than Paver but not as regular as Isomesh

Limitations

- Does not recognize hard curves
- Generally, generates more TRIAs than Paver
- Generally generates poor elements/meshes on "problem" geometry (i.e., slivers, re-entrant corners, short edges)
- Restricted by surface boundary, i.e., each surface is meshed independently and not collectively

When to use

- Preferable to Paver for some geometries
- An alternative when the Paver produces a poor or unacceptable mesh
- Don't mind a few extra TRIAs
- Don't have hard curves
- Geometry is not "problem" geometry



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