

FEM Simulation

Methods

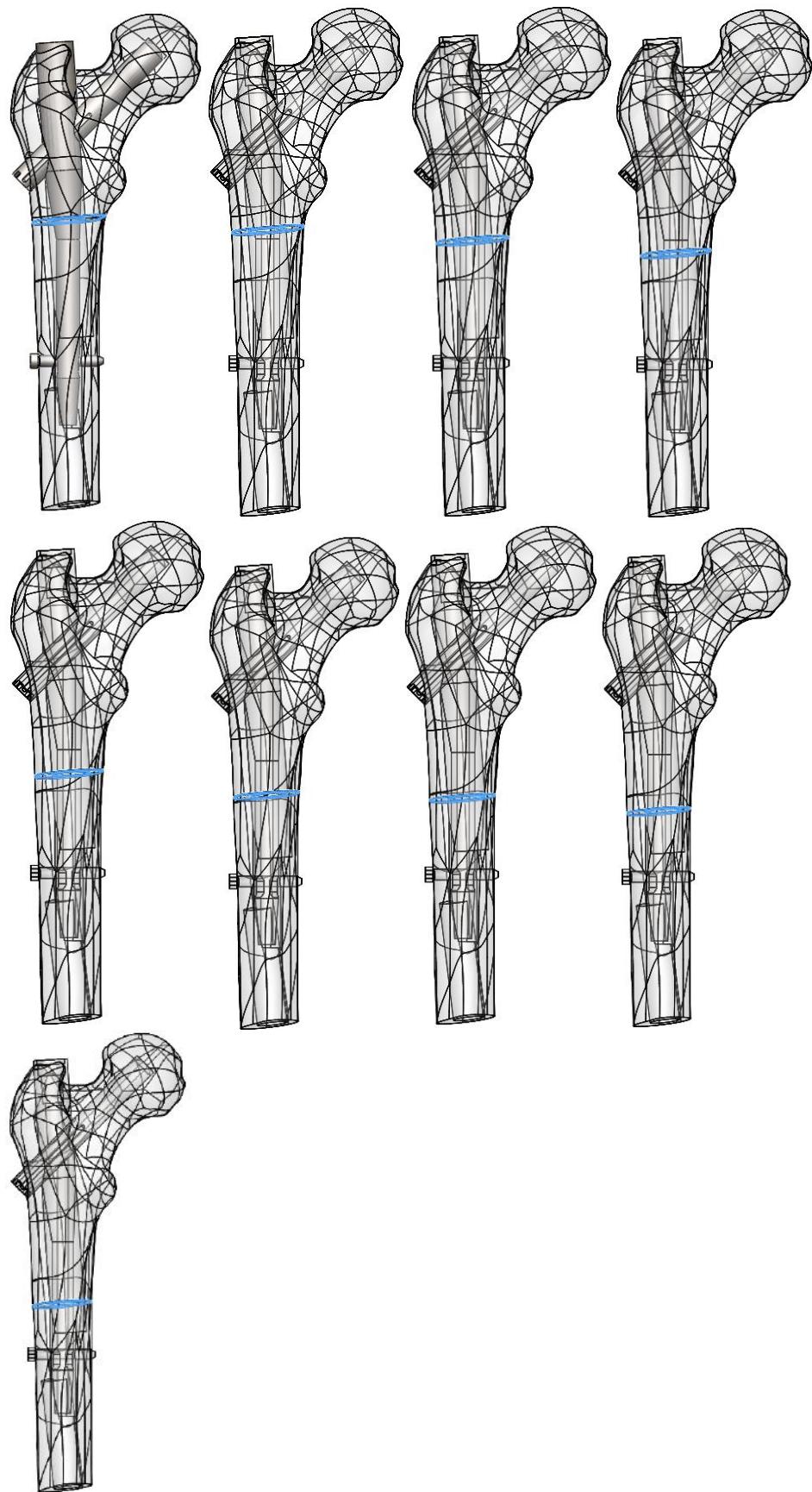
(Study Set-Up)

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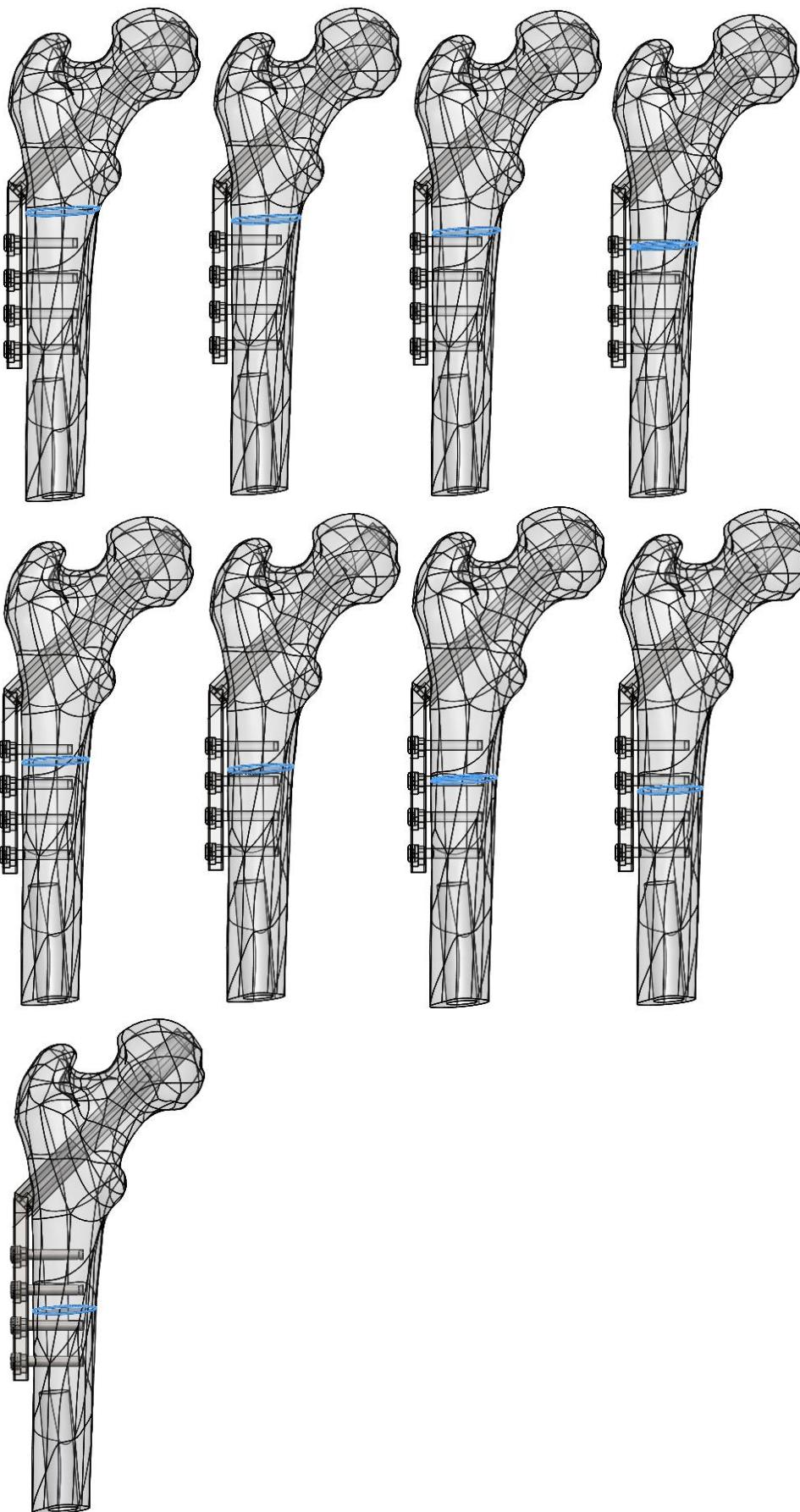
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Subtrochanteric fracture location

PFNA (STF location)

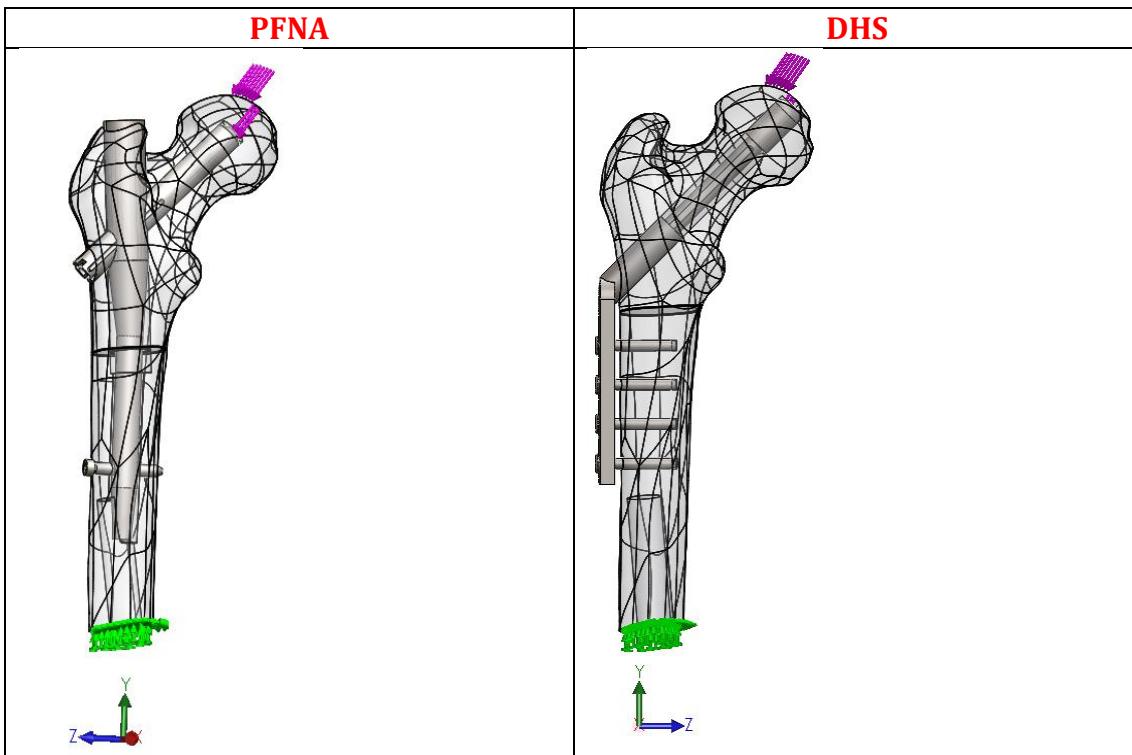


DHS (STF location)



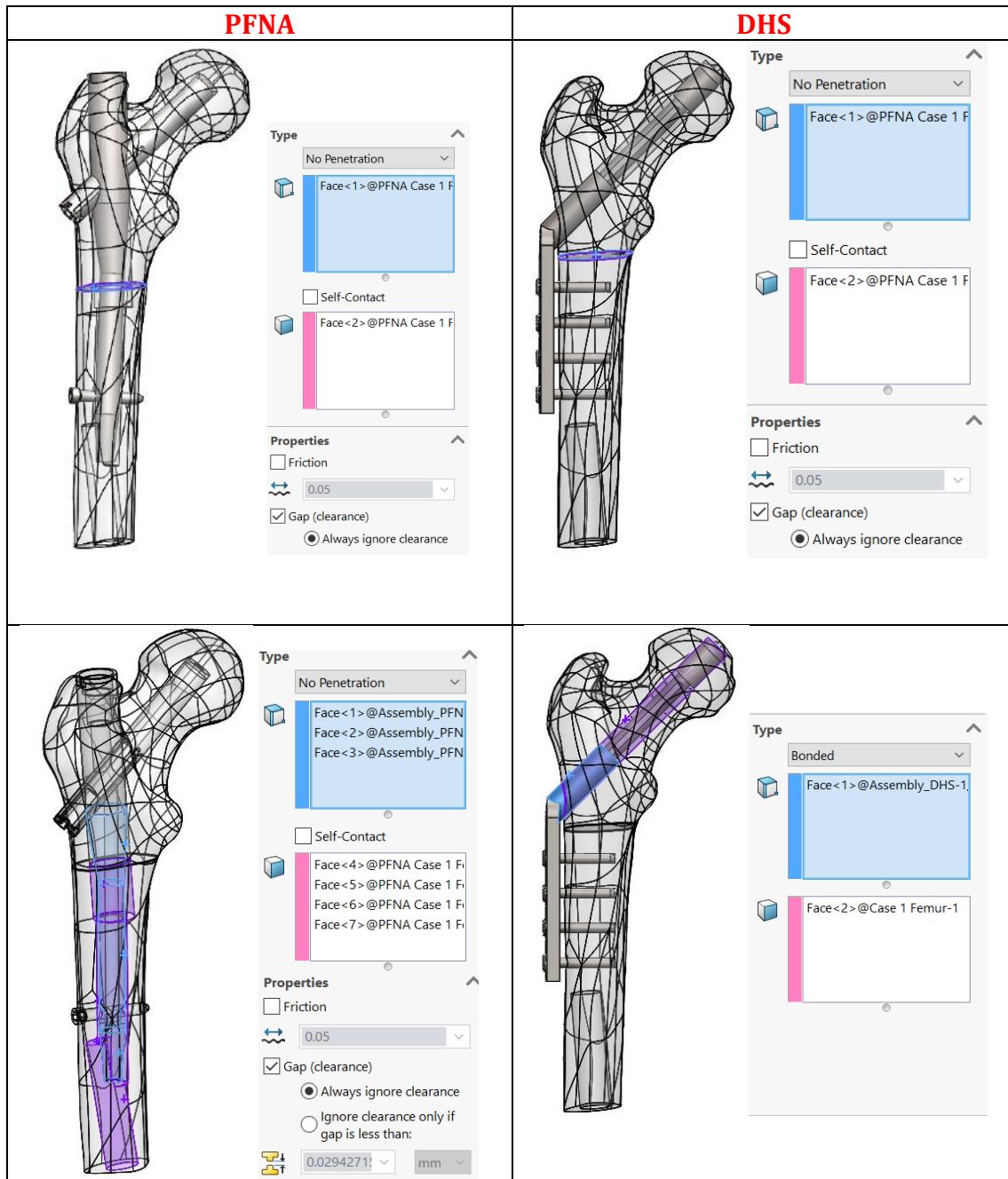
Force & Fixture (PFNA & DHS)

- Identical for PFNA & DHS
- Force at angle of 45 degrees downward in direion of gravity
- Fixture at femoral shaft

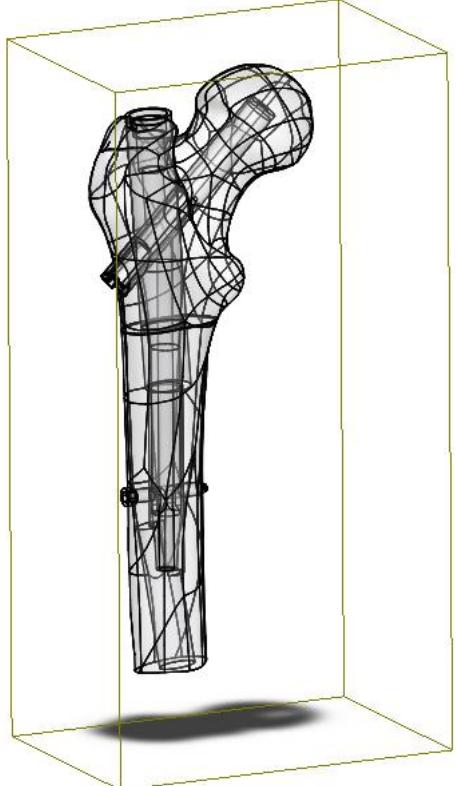
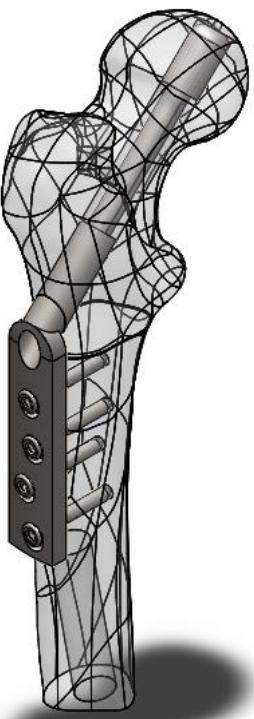


Connection (PFNA & DHS)

Contact-Set

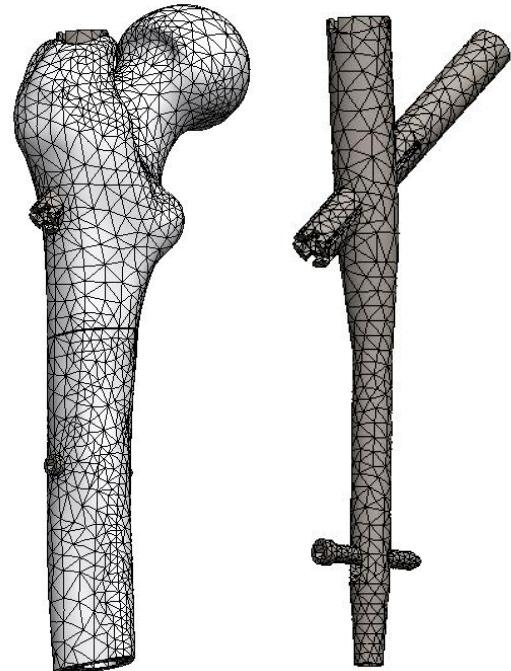


Global-Contact

PFNA	DHS
	
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Mesh

PFNA (mesh value)



Mesh Parameters

- Standard mesh
- Curvature-based mesh
- Blended curvature-based mesh

mm
11.50mm

2.30mm

8

1.6

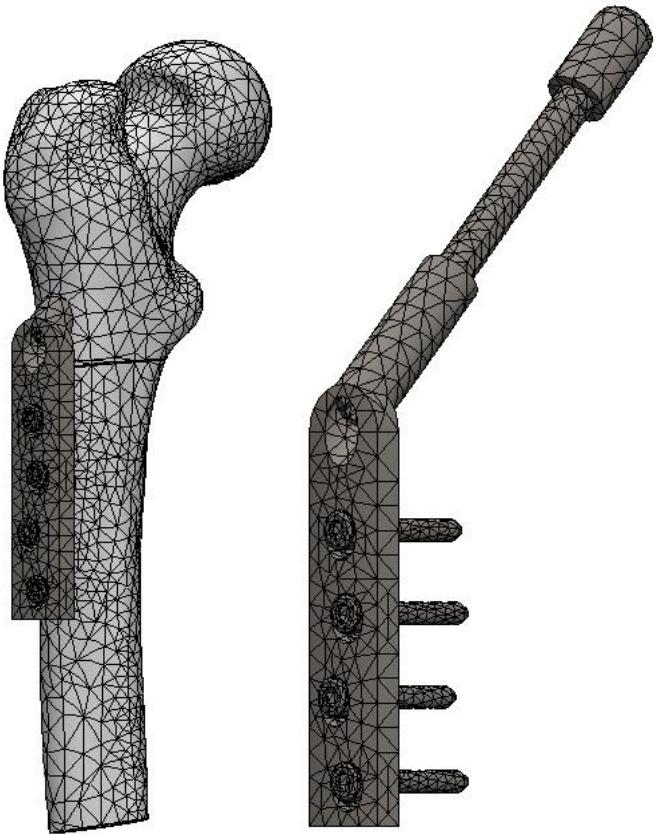
Advanced

Jacobian points 4 points

Draft Quality Mesh

Remesh failed parts with incompatible mesh

DHS (mesh value)



Mesh Parameters

- Standard mesh
- Curvature-based mesh
- Blended curvature-based mesh

mm

12.00mm

2.40mm

8

1.6

Advanced

Jacobian points

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Remesh failed parts with incompatible mesh

Material Properties

Femur

Material properties

Materials in the default library can not be edited. You must first copy the material to a custom library to edit it.

Model Type:	Linear Elastic Isotropic	<input type="checkbox"/> Save model type in library
Units:	SI - N/mm ² (MPa)	
Category:	Assembly_Femur_DHS	
Name:	Bone	
Default failure criterion:	Max von Mises Stress	
Description:	Bone	
Source:		
Sustainability:	Undefined	<input type="button" value="Select..."/>

Property	Value	Units
Elastic Modulus	14500	N/mm ²
Poisson's Ratio	0.3	N/A
Shear Modulus	3280	N/mm ²
Mass Density	1180	kg/m ³
Tensile Strength	150	N/mm ²
Compressive Strength		N/mm ²
Yield Strength	150	N/mm ²

DHS & PFNA

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Model Type:	Plasticity - von Mises	<input type="checkbox"/> Save model type in library
Units:	SI - N/mm ² (MPa)	
Category:	Steel	Create stress-strain curve
Name:	Alloy Steel (SS)	
Default failure criterion:	Max von Mises Stress	
Description:		
Source:		
Sustainability:	Defined	

Property	Value	Units
Elastic Modulus	210000.0005	N/mm ²
Poisson's Ratio	0.28	N/A
Tensile Strength	723.825617	N/mm ²
Yield Strength	620.4219978	N/mm ²
Tangent Modulus		N/mm ²
Thermal Expansion Coefficient	1.3e-05	/K
Mass Density	7700.000118	kg/m ³
Hardening Factor	0.85	N/A