



# Mechanics of Materials II: Thin-Walled Pressure Vessels and Torsion

Dr. Wayne Whiteman Senior Academic Professional and Director of the Office of Student Services Woodruff School of Mechanical Engineering





## **Module 4 Learning Outcome**

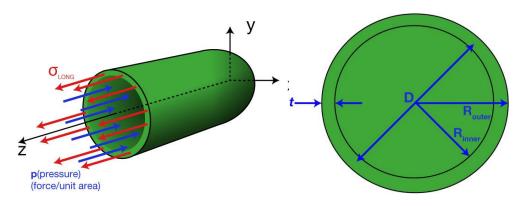
 Develop an expression for hoop stress for a thin-walled pressure vessel in terms of the pressure and the dimensions of the vessel

#### **Mechanics of Materials** Georgia Tech Foundation for all structural and machine design **STRESSES INTERNAL STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING EXTERNAL FORCES AND PERFORMANCE** STRUCTURE **LOADS MOMENTS STRAINS** PRESSURE DUE TO LIQUID OR GAS

(force/unit area)

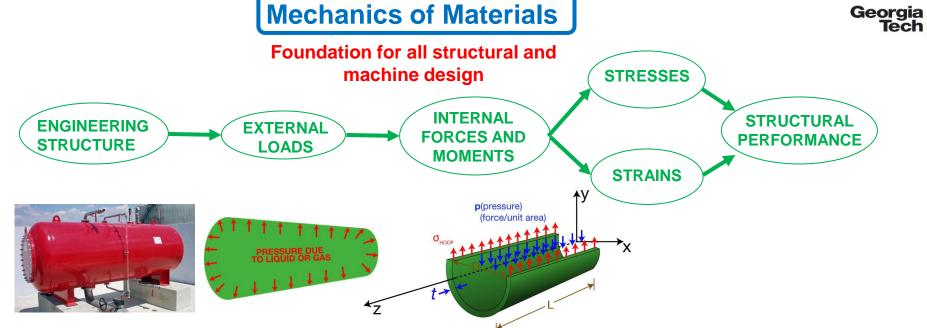
#### **Thin-Walled Pressure Vessels**





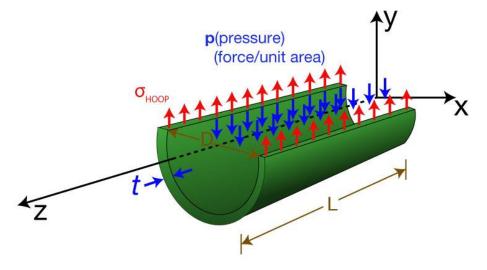
#### **Longitudinal Stress:**

$$\sigma_{LONG} = \frac{pD}{4t}$$



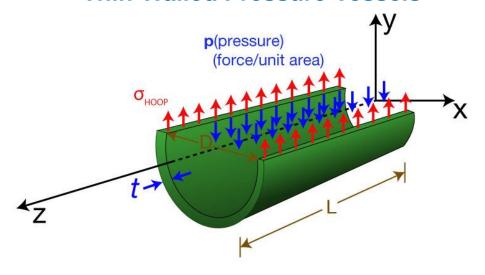
### **Thin-Walled Pressure Vessels**





#### **Thin-Walled Pressure Vessels**





#### **Hoop Stress:**

$$\sigma_{HOOP} = \frac{pD}{2t}$$