

Question 2

Assignment 3 Question 2

$0 \rightarrow 90^\circ$

| Carbon epoxy                        | Chosen |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| $\sigma_L^+ \Rightarrow 850 - 1500$ | 1500   |
| $\sigma_L^- \Rightarrow 700 - 1200$ | 1200   |
| $\sigma_T^+ \Rightarrow 35 - 40$    | 40     |
| $\sigma_T^- \Rightarrow 130 - 190$  | 190    |
| $\tau_{LT} \Rightarrow 60 - 75$     | 75     |

$$F_{11} \sigma_1^2 + F_{22} \sigma_2^2 + F_{66} \tau_{12}^2 + F_1 \sigma_1 + F_2 \sigma_2 + 2F_6 \sigma_1 \sigma_2 \geq 1$$

$\sigma_1 = 1500$   $\sigma_2 = ?$   $\tau_{12} = ?$

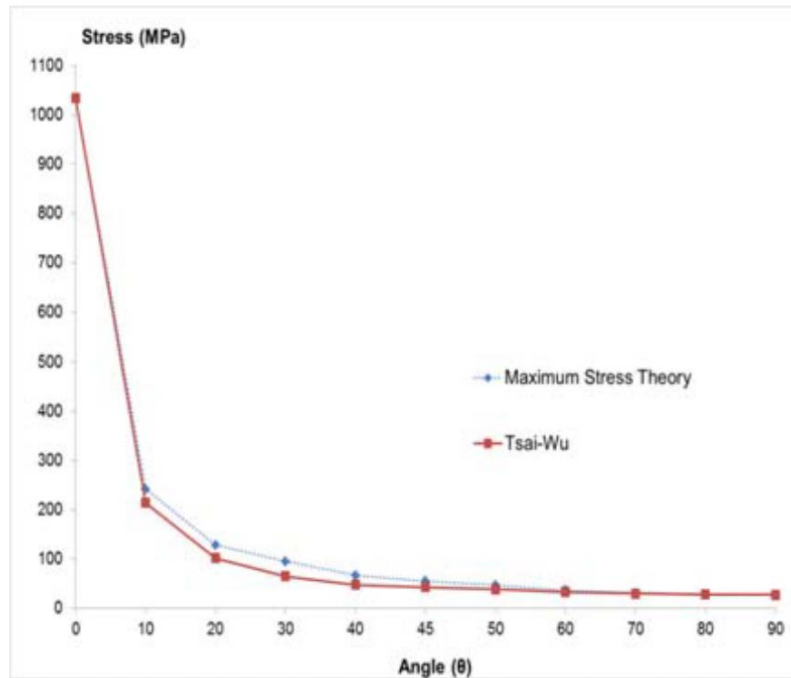
$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} \\ \sigma_{22} \\ \tau_{12} \end{bmatrix} = [T] \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \\ \tau_{xy} \end{bmatrix}$$

Assume  $\sigma_{11} = \text{ESD}$   $\sigma_{22} = 0$   $\tau_{12} = 0$

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta & 2 \cos \theta \sin \theta \\ \sin^2 \theta & \cos^2 \theta & -2 \cos \theta \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta \cos \theta & \cos \theta \sin \theta & \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$T \sigma_{11} = 1 //$

\* code wasn't working to get a graph for  $\sigma_{xx}$  and  $\theta$  \*  
I have found an example online to use for discussion  
instead, so it will be used :



Reference: [https://www.researchgate.net/figure/Figure-7-Failure-curves-for-symmetric-T-laminate-Maximum-Stress-Theory-and\\_fig2\\_283353092](https://www.researchgate.net/figure/Figure-7-Failure-curves-for-symmetric-T-laminate-Maximum-Stress-Theory-and_fig2_283353092)

When viewing the two graphs, Tsai-Wu is more accurate than Maximum stress Theory taking a more accurate line closer to the real results. This was already known as seen in stress graphs the Maximum stress theory is a box compared to Tsai-Wu's ellipse.

Code:

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%Lamina Stresses in material Coordinates
S=[1500;0;0];
%Angle range
x=[-90:1:90]
%Transform Matrix
T=[(cosd(x)).^2 (sind(x)).^2 2.*(cosd(x)).*(sind(x)); (sind(x)).^2 (cosd(x)).^2 -2.*(cosd(x)).*(sind(x)); -1*(cosd(x)).*(sind(x)) (cosd(x)).*(sind(x)) ((sind(x)).^2-((cosd(x)).^2)];

%Solving for Sxx
Sxx=lin_solve(T,S)

%Tsai Wu Criterion
sigmaLplus=1500;
sigmaLminus=-1200;
sigmaTplus=40;
sigmaTminus=-190;
TLT=75;

F11= 1/((sigmaLplus)*(sigmaLminus));
F22= 1/((sigmaTplus)*(sigmaTminus));
F1= (1/(sigmaLplus))-(1/(sigmaLminus));
F2= (1/(sigmaTplus))-(1/(sigmaTminus));
F66= 1/(TLT.^2);
F12= (-1/2)*(sqrt(1/(sigmaLplus*sigmaLminus*sigmaTplus*sigmaTminus)));

TsaiWu= (F11*(S(1,1).^2)+(F22*(0).^2)+(F66*(0).^2)+(F1*S(1,1))+(F2*0)+ 2*(F12*S(1,1)*0)
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