

# MECH 503 Homework 1

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## 1 Question 1

(a)

$$\nu_i u_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \nu_i u_i = \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{u}$$

(b)

$$\delta_{ii} = \sum_{i=1}^n \delta_{ii} = n = 3$$

(c)

$$\nu_{i,i} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \nu_i}{\partial x_i} = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

(d)

$$\delta_{ij,j} = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\partial \delta_{ij}}{\partial x_j} = 0$$

(e)

$$\epsilon_{ijk} v_j u_k = \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n \epsilon_{ijk} v_j u_k = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{u}$$

(f)

$$\delta_{mi} \delta_{mj} T_{ij} = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \delta_{mi} \delta_{mj} T_{ij} = T_{mm} = \text{Trace } (\mathbf{T})$$

(g)

$$Q_{ij}T_{ik}Q_{km} = \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n Q_{ij}T_{ik}Q_{km} = \mathbf{Q}^T \mathbf{T} \mathbf{Q}$$

(h)

$$\epsilon_{ijk}\sigma_{jk} = \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n \epsilon_{ijk}\sigma_{jk} = 0$$

## 2 Question 2

(a)

$$(u \times v) \cdot w = \epsilon_{ijk}u_jv_kw_i$$

(b)

$$\det T = \epsilon_{ijk}T_{1i}T_{2j}T_{3k}$$

(c)

$$(\nabla \times v)_i = \epsilon_{ijk}\partial_jv_k = \epsilon_{ijk}v_{k,j}$$

(d)

$$\nabla \cdot v = \partial_iv_i = v_{i,i}$$

(e)

$$(\nabla \times T)_{ij} = \epsilon_{jkl}\partial_kT_{il} = T_{il,k}$$

(f)

$$(\nabla \times (\nabla T))_i = \epsilon_{ijk}\partial_j(\partial_kT) = T_{j,k}$$

(g)

$$(\nabla \cdot T)_i = \partial_jT_{ij} = T_{ij,j}$$

Since the direction of some expressions are missing, I assumed one direction when doing the index notation. It is equivalent to add a direction vector such as  $e_i$  at the end of the index notation without specifying a direction ahead.

### 3 Question 3

Define a second order tensor  $C$  such that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{C} &= \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} \\ \iff C_{ij} &= A_{ik} \cdot B_{kj} \\ \det \mathbf{C} &= \epsilon_{ijk} C_{1i} C_{2j} C_{3k} \\ &= \epsilon_{ijk} (A_{1l} B_{li}) (A_{2m} B_{mj}) (A_{3n} B_{nk}) \\ &= \epsilon_{ijk} (A_{1l} A_{2m} A_{3n}) (B_{li} B_{mj} B_{nk})\end{aligned}$$

Now consider the determinant of  $A$  and  $B$  separately

$$\begin{aligned}\det \mathbf{A} &= \epsilon_{lmn} A_{1l} A_{2m} A_{3n} \\ \det \mathbf{B} &= \epsilon_{ijk} B_{li} B_{mj} B_{nk} \\ \det \mathbf{A} \cdot \det \mathbf{B} &= (\epsilon_{lmn} A_{1l} A_{2m} A_{3n}) (\epsilon_{ijk} B_{li} B_{mj} B_{nk})\end{aligned}$$

Thus, one can conclude the following

$$\det (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) = \det \mathbf{A} \cdot \det \mathbf{B}$$

## 4 Question 4

$$\begin{aligned}(QQ^T)_{ij} &= Q_{ik}Q_{kj}^T \\ &= Q_{ik}Q_{jk} \\ &= \delta_{ij} \\ \implies QQ^T &= I \\ (Q^TQ)_{ij} &= Q_{ik}^TQ_{kj} \\ &= Q_{ki}Q_{kj} \\ &= \delta_{ji} \\ &= \delta_{ij} \\ \implies Q^TQ &= I \\ Q_{ij}Q_{jk}^{-1} &= Q_{ij}Q_{kj}^T = \delta_{ik} \\ \implies Q_{jk}^{-1} &= Q_{kj}^T\end{aligned}$$

## 5 Question 5

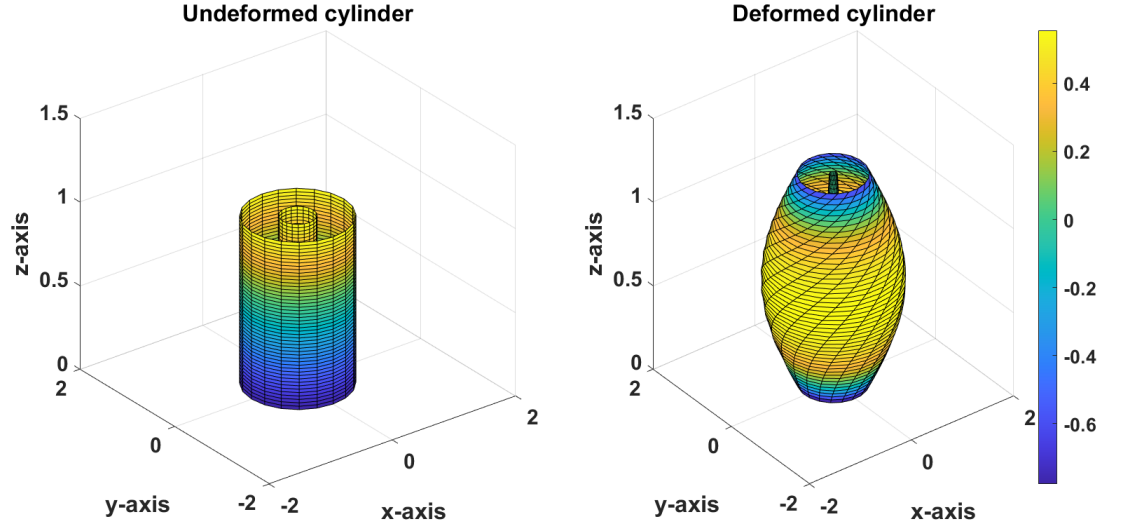


Figure 1: Undeformed and Deformed Cylinder Visualization

### 5.1 Part a

The deformation of the cylinder is characterized as follows: Viewed from above, the cylinder undergoes counterclockwise rotation, with the degree of rotation intensifying progressively with height due to the exponential term of  $x_3$  in the  $\phi$  function. Concurrently, the outer surface of the cylinder undergoes expansion governed by the  $f$  function, where the sine term suggests maximal expansion at mid-height and minimal expansion or contraction at the extremities. The inner surface experiences a similar pattern of expansion, albeit to a lesser extent, attributable to the evaluation with smaller inner radii  $r$ . The visualization of this deformation is provided in the figure 1 above.

### 5.2 Part b & c

The deformation as well as the Lagrangian and Eulerian strain tensors are computed in MATLAB and they are both plotted in figure 1 above. Notice that the Lagrangian strain tensors are plotted as coloring the undeformed cylinder due to its nature of referring the undeformed configuration. And the Eulerian strain tensors are plotted as coloring the deformed cylinder since it refers to the deformed configuration.

### 5.3 Part d

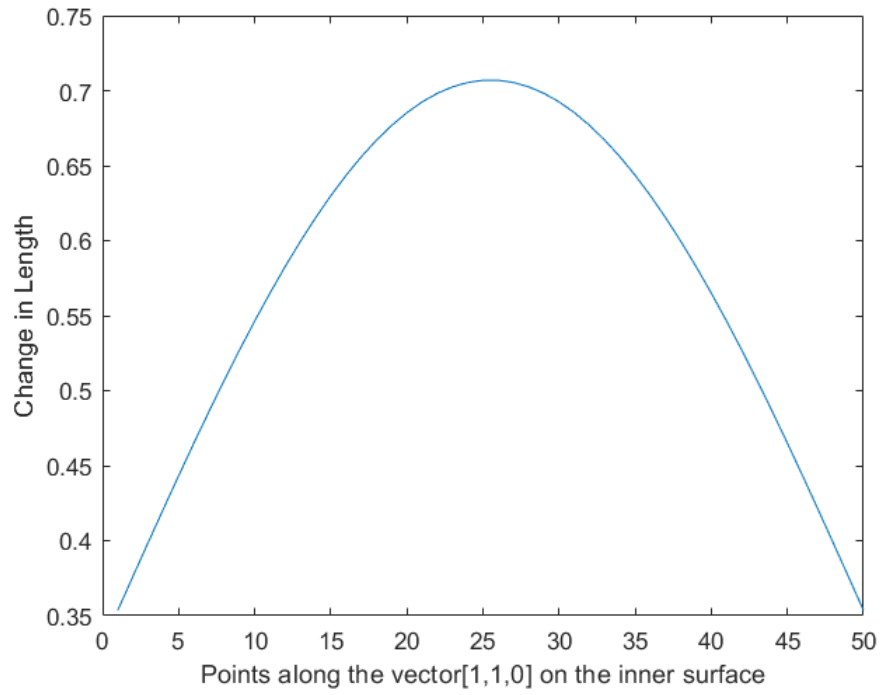


Figure 2: Change of length for points along vector  $[1, 1, 0]$  on inner surface

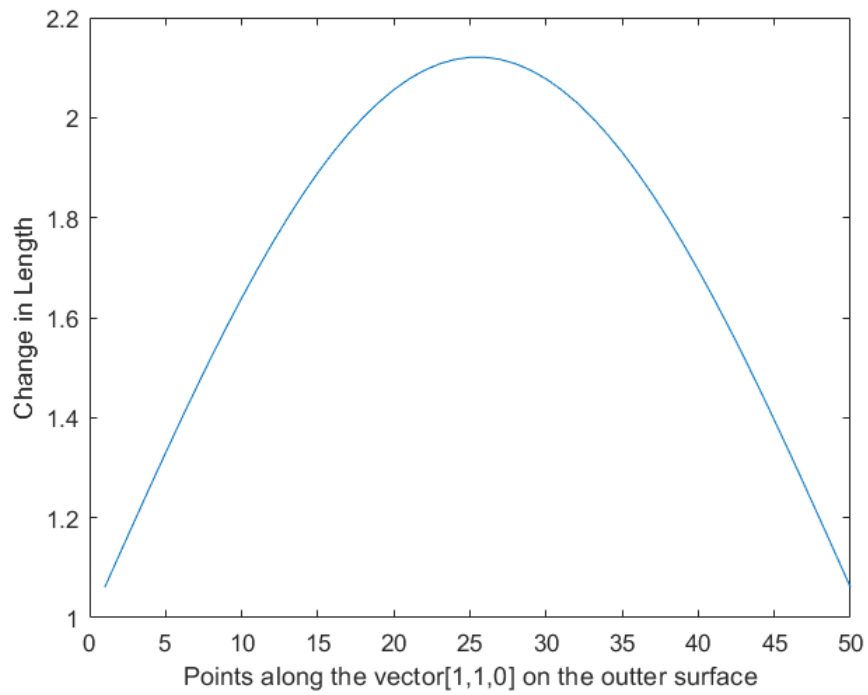


Figure 3: Change of length for points along vector  $[1, 1, 0]$  on outer surface

Figure 2 shows the change of length for each point along the vertical axis in the direction of vector  $[1, 1, 0]$  on outter surface. The y-axis is the magnitude of change of length, and the x-axis is the index of point along the vertical axis in the direction of vector  $[1, 1, 0]$ . The result makes sense since the deformation follows a sin function as discussed. Similarity could be observed on the inner surface. Figure 3 shows the change of length for each point along the vertical axis in the direction of vector  $[1, 1, 0]$  on inner surface.

## 5.4 Part e

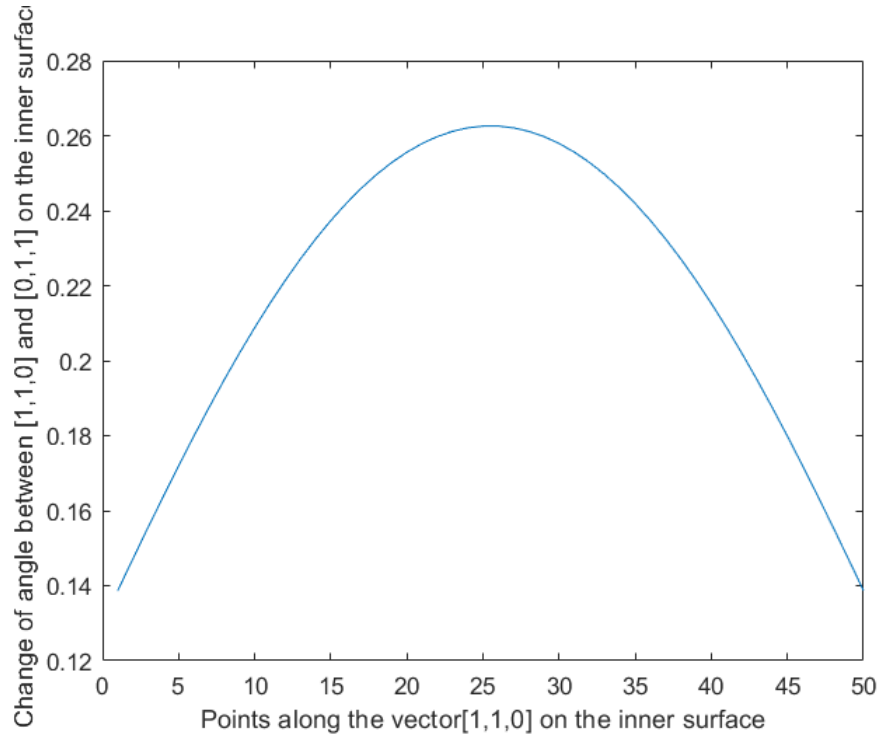


Figure 4: Change of angle between  $[1, 1, 0]$  and  $[0, 1, 1]$  on the inner surface

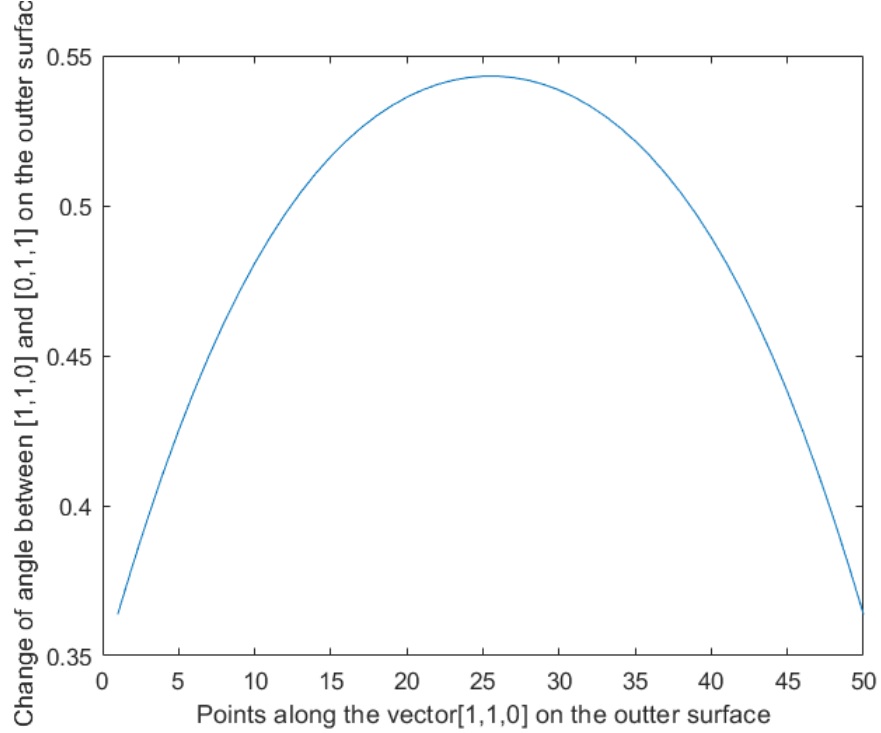


Figure 5: Change of angle between  $[1, 1, 0]$  and  $[0, 1, 1]$  on the outer surface



Figure 4 presents the change of angle between  $[1, 1, 0]$  and  $[0, 1, 1]$  on the inner surface. Notice the values on the y axis on the plot represents the *cos* value of the change of angle. The change of angle should be exponential to the height, accoring to the exponential term in  $\phi$  function. Figure 5 presents the change of angle between  $[1, 1, 0]$  and  $[0, 1, 1]$  on the outter surface.