

PhD Thesis Defense

Multiphysic Modeling of Second Generation Magnetolectric Materials: Application to Connected Objects

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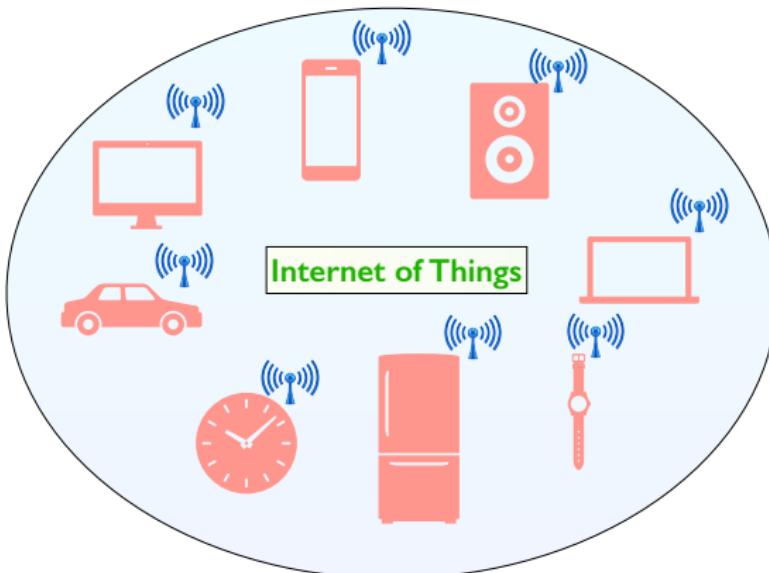
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Motivation

Internet of Things

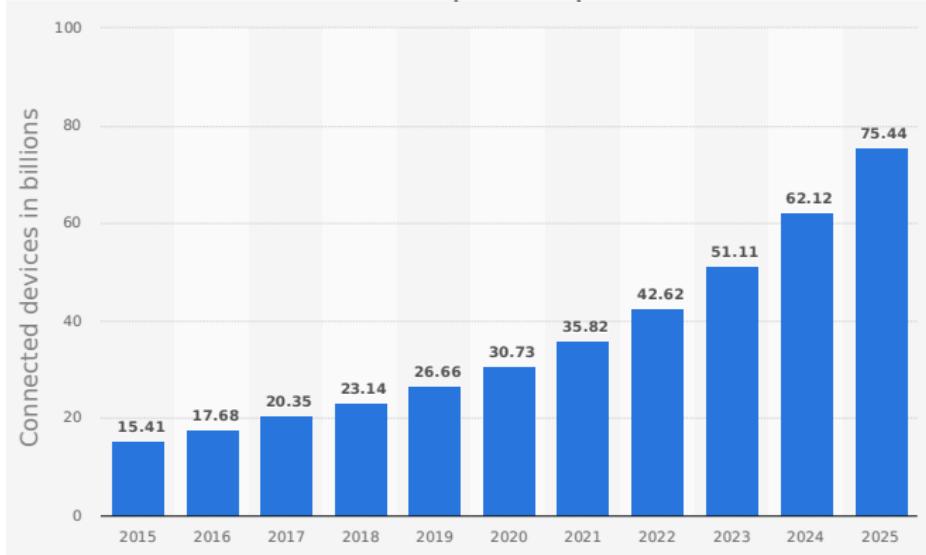
The internet doesn't just connect and distribute information, it can feel and intelligently respond.



- More efficient water supply
- Improved public safety
- Energy-efficient buildings
- Digitised healthcare system

Motivation

The evolution of IoTs



More devices



More power requirement

IHS forecast. *IoT platforms: enabling the Internet of Things.* March 2016.

Battery as power

- Replacement difficulty.
- Need cable for charging.

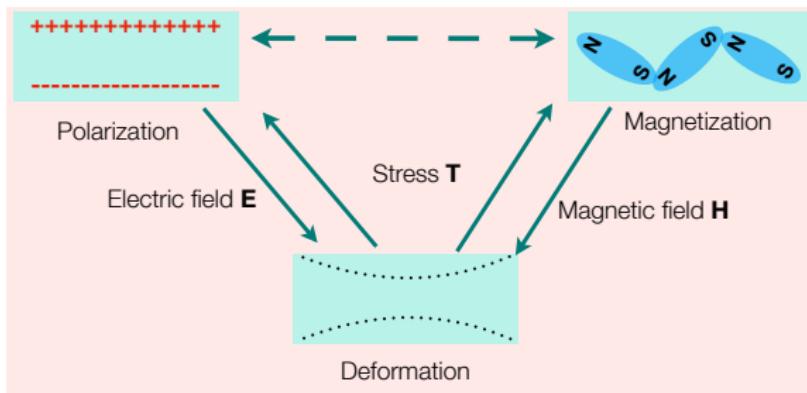
Magnetoelectric materials

- Energy harvesting.
- Profit electromagnetic sources.

Magnetoelectric (ME) effect

Definition

Magnetization induced by an electric field or polarization induced by a magnetic field.



ME coefficient

Static regime:

$$\alpha_V = \frac{V}{H}$$

Dynamic regime:

$$\tilde{\alpha}_V = \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta H}$$

ME composite

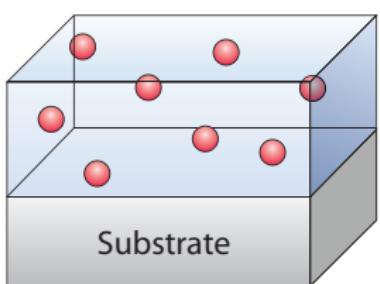
Magnetostrictive
material



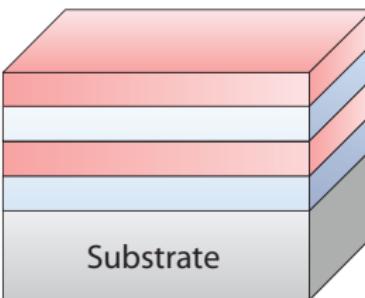
Piezoelectric material

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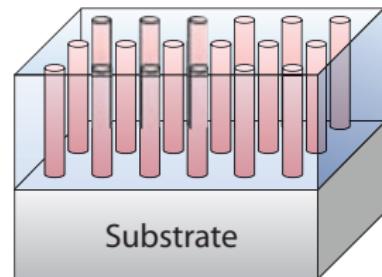
Three types of ME composite



0 - 3 type particulate composite



2 - 2 type laminate composite

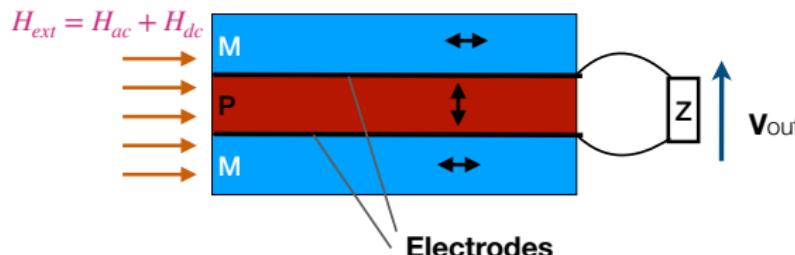


1 - 3 type fiber composite

Wang, Yao, et al. *Multiferroic magnetoelectric composite nanostructures*. NPG Asia Materials 2.2 (2010): 61.

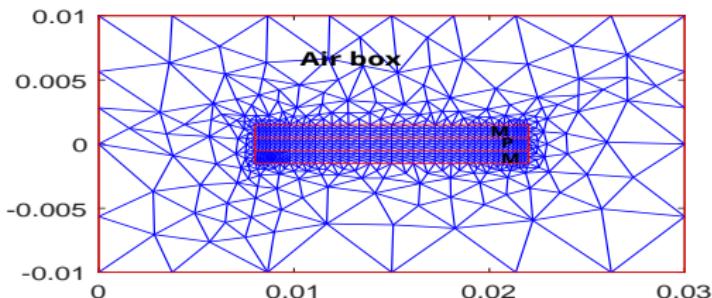
Energy harvesting

Working principle

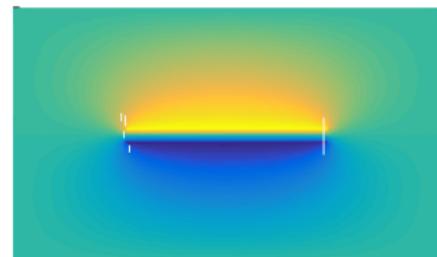


- Cochlear implant
- Artificial pacemaker
- Insulin pump

2D model

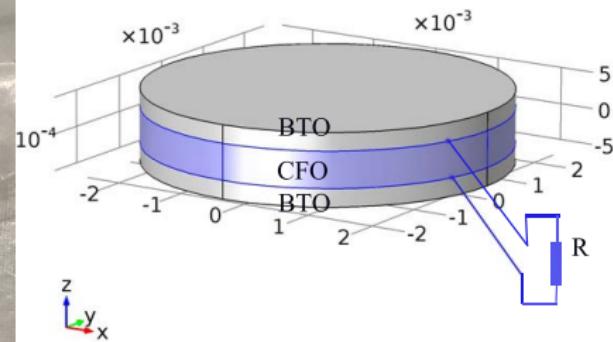


Electric potential



Condition: Laminate composites under the plane strain or stress state.

3D model is needed



Thesis works

- Develop a 3D FEM to consider complex structure.
- Analyze laminate composite(circular section, rectangular section), novel structure.
- Investigate different types: particulate composite and fiber composite.

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Problem description

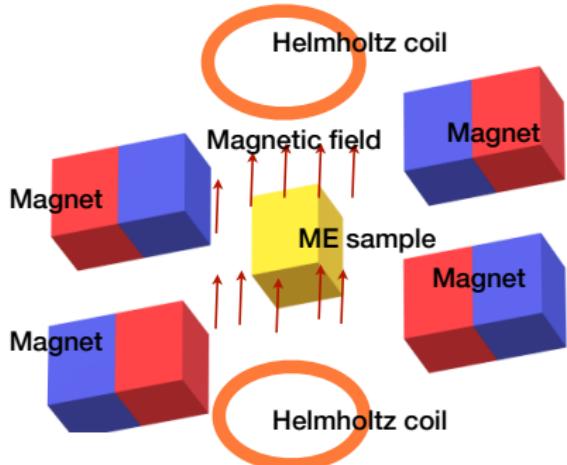
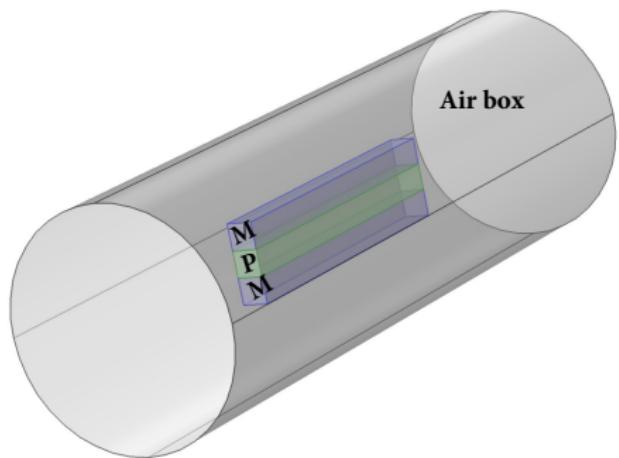


Illustration of ME measurement



3D model

Magnetic Field → Output voltage

General equations

Physical equations

- Elastic equilibrium

$$\operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{T} + \boldsymbol{f} = 0$$

- Ampere's law

$$\operatorname{curl} \boldsymbol{H} = \boldsymbol{J}$$

- Gauss's law

$$\operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{D} = \rho_v$$

Constitutive laws

$$\begin{cases} \boldsymbol{T} = c\boldsymbol{S} - e^t \boldsymbol{E} - h^t \boldsymbol{B} \\ \boldsymbol{H} = -h\boldsymbol{S} + \nu \boldsymbol{B} \\ \boldsymbol{D} = -e\boldsymbol{S} + \epsilon \boldsymbol{E} \end{cases}$$

Introduce state variables

$$\begin{cases} \boldsymbol{S} = \frac{1}{2}(\nabla + \nabla^t) \boldsymbol{u} \\ \boldsymbol{B} = \nabla \times \boldsymbol{a} \\ \boldsymbol{E} = \nabla V \end{cases}$$

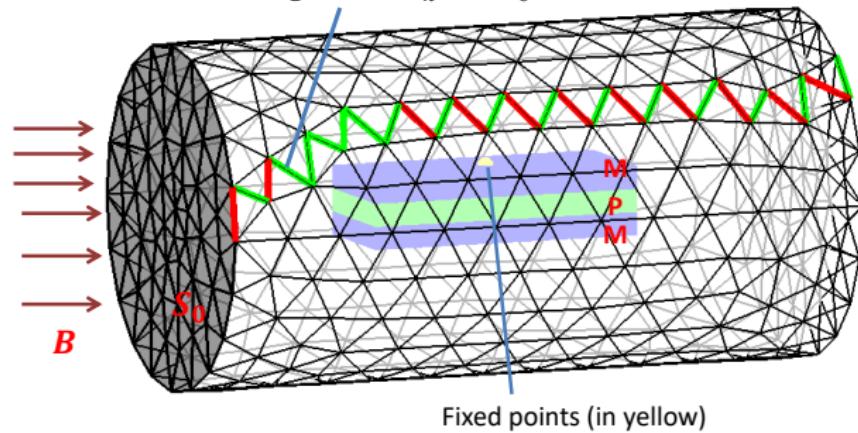
Static analysis

$$[\mathbb{K}]\{X\} = [F]$$

- $[\mathbb{K}] = \begin{bmatrix} K_{uu} & -K_{au}^t & K_{vu}^t \\ -K_{au} & K_{aa} & 0 \\ K_{vu} & 0 & -K_{vv} \end{bmatrix}$
- $\{X\} = \{u, a, V\}^t$
- $[F] = \{0, \Sigma_k a_k, 0\}^t$

Nonzero edge values $a_k = B.S_0$

Boundary condition



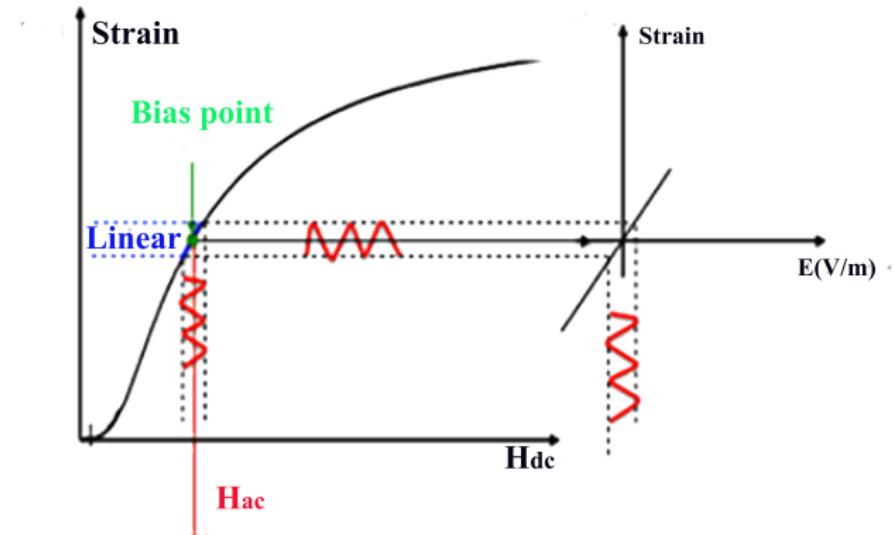
Fixed points (in yellow)

Static analysis

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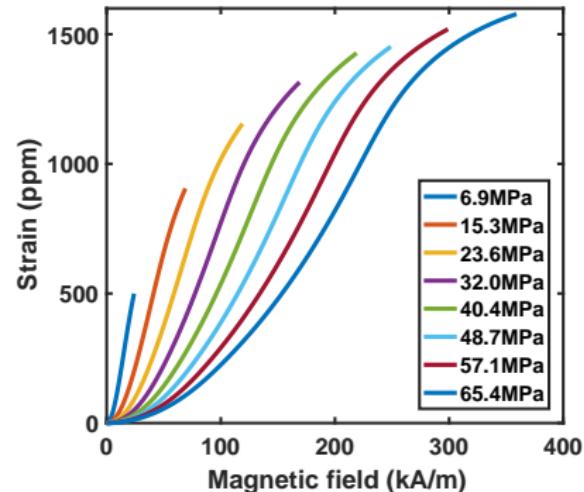
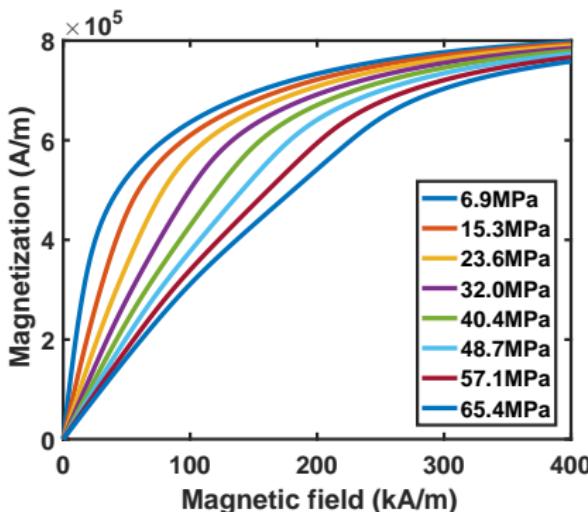
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Nonlinear magnetostriiction



Nonlinear magnetostriction

Describe the nonlinear behavior by multiscale model



Compute material Jacobian

$$\zeta = \begin{bmatrix} \mu^S = \frac{\partial B}{\partial H}(H_0, T_0) & d = \frac{\partial B}{\partial T}(H_0, T_0) \\ d^t = \frac{\partial S}{\partial H}(H_0, T_0) & s^H = \frac{\partial S}{\partial T}(H_0, T_0) \end{bmatrix}$$

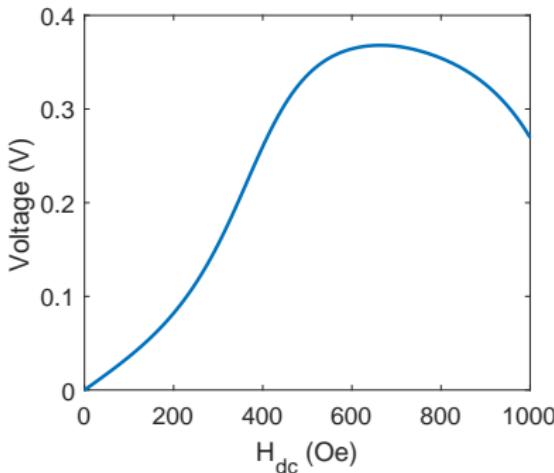
Chakrabarti, S. and Dapino, M. J. (2012). *Fully coupled discrete energy-averaged model for Terfenol-D* Journal of Applied Physics, 111(5), 054505.

Piesewise linear procedure

Under small deviations

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta H \\ \Delta T \end{bmatrix} = \zeta^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta B \\ \Delta S \end{bmatrix}$$

Choose ΔH , $N = \frac{H_{max}}{\Delta H}$



Repeat N times

$[\mu, h, c] = DEAM_model(\mathbf{H}, \mathbf{T})$

Assemble matrix
 $\mathbf{K}_{uu}, \mathbf{K}_{ua}, \mathbf{K}_{aa}, \Delta \mathbf{F}$

Solve equation
 $[\Delta \mathbf{U}, \Delta \mathbf{A}, \Delta \mathbf{V}] = mat_UAV \backslash \Delta \mathbf{F}$

$[\Delta S, \Delta B, \Delta E] = state_eq([\Delta \mathbf{U}, \Delta \mathbf{A}, \Delta \mathbf{V}])$
 $[\Delta H, \Delta T] = const.law(\Delta B, \Delta S)$

update \mathbf{H}, \mathbf{T}

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Dynamic analysis

- **Elastic equilibrium**

$$\operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{T} + \boldsymbol{f} = \rho \frac{d^2 \boldsymbol{u}}{dt^2}$$

ρ : density kg/m³

- **Ampere's law**

$$\begin{cases} \operatorname{curl} \boldsymbol{H} = \boldsymbol{J}_c \\ \operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{J}_c = 0 \end{cases} \quad \boldsymbol{J}_c = \sigma_c \boldsymbol{E}: \text{eddy currents}$$

Introduce time primitive of electric potential

$$\boldsymbol{E} = - \frac{d(\boldsymbol{a} + \operatorname{grad} \psi)}{dt} \quad \text{with } V = \frac{d\psi}{dt}$$

- **Gauss's law**

$$\frac{d(\operatorname{div} \boldsymbol{D})}{dt} = 0 \quad \text{for the symmetry of the system}$$

Linear harmonic analysis

$$[\mathbb{K}]\{X\} = [F]$$

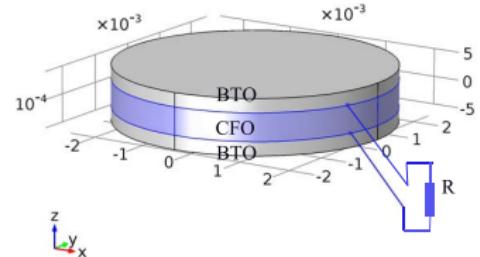
with:

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$$[\mathbb{K}] = \begin{bmatrix} -\omega^2 M_{uu} + j\omega C_{uu} + K_{uu} & -K_{ua} & j\omega K_{u\psi} & 0 \\ -K_{ua}^t & j\omega C_{aa} + K_{aa} & j\omega C_{a\psi} & 0 \\ j\omega K_{u\psi}^t & j\omega C_{a\psi}^t & j\omega C_{\psi\psi} + \omega^2 K_{\psi\psi} & -j\omega K_{\psi q} \\ 0 & 0 & -j\omega K_{\psi q}^t & j\omega Z \end{bmatrix}$$

- $\{X\} = \{u, a, \psi, Z\}^t$.

Z : Electrical charge connecting two electrodes.



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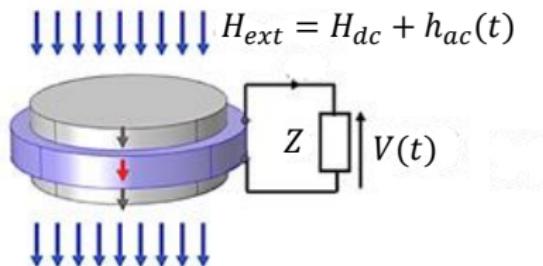
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Why laminate composite?

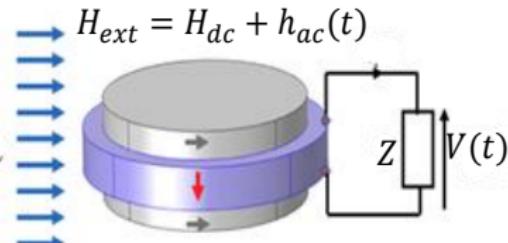
- Good coupling can be obtained at the ferroelectric and ferromagnetic interfaces.
- Higher resonance response in a wide frequency range

Wang, Lei, et al. *Effect of load resistance on magnetostrictive properties in FeGa/BaTiO₃/FeGa laminate composites*. Journal of Alloys and Compounds 509.30 (2011): 7870-7873.

Mode TT



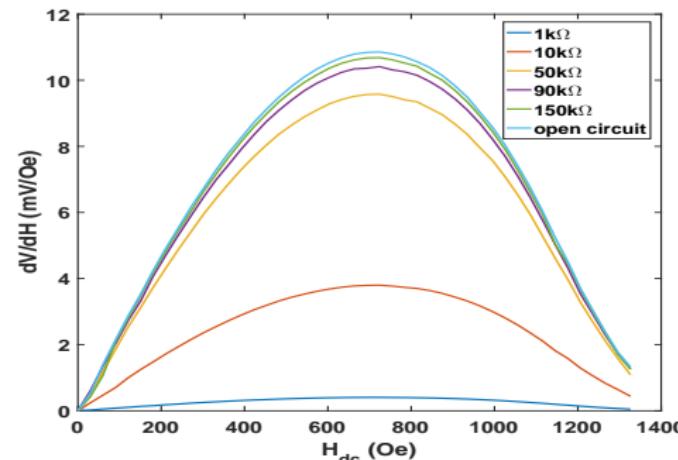
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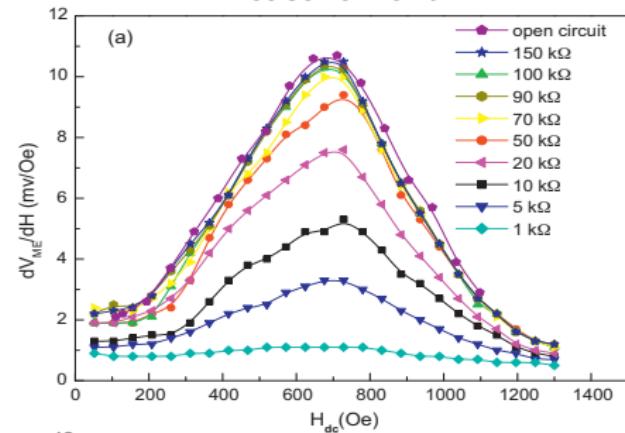
BaTiO₃ (gray layer): Thickness 1.5mm, diameter 12mm
 FeGa (magenta layer): Thickness 1mm, diameter 10mm

DC magnetic field dependence

Simulation result



Measurement

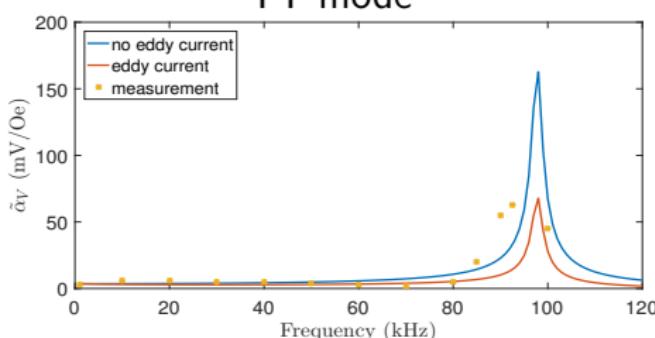


- ME voltage coefficient as a function of DC magnetic field under various electrical resistance load values and external magnetic field: $H_{ac} = 1$ (Oe), $f = 1$ (kHz)
- In concordance with

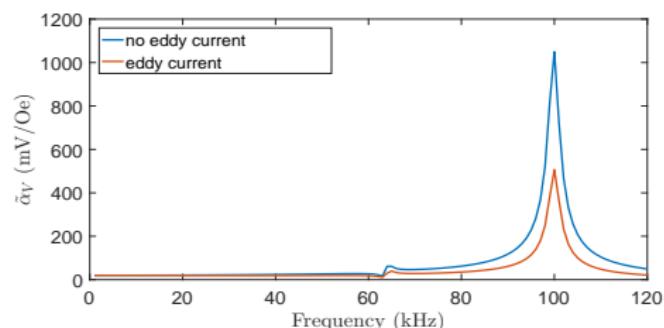
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Eddy current effect

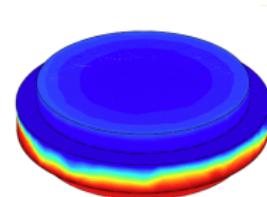
TT mode



LT mode

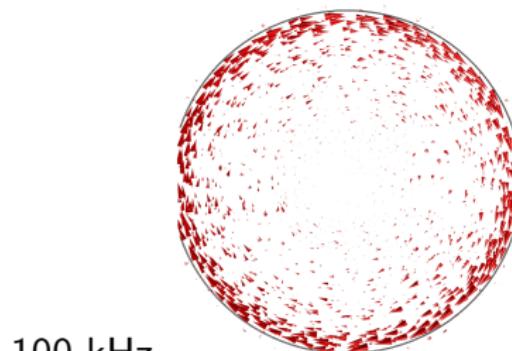
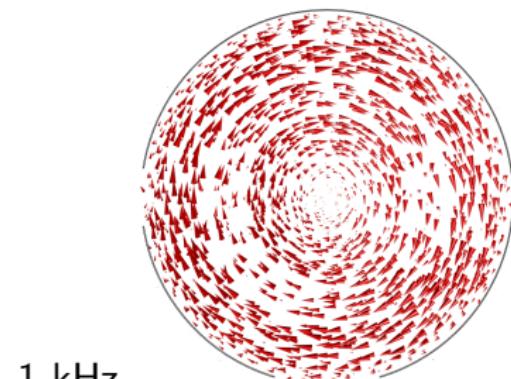
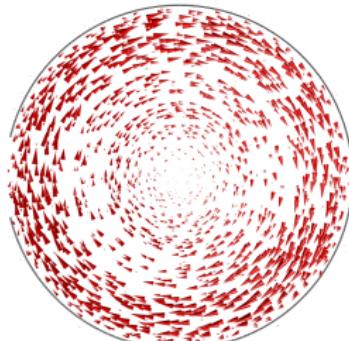
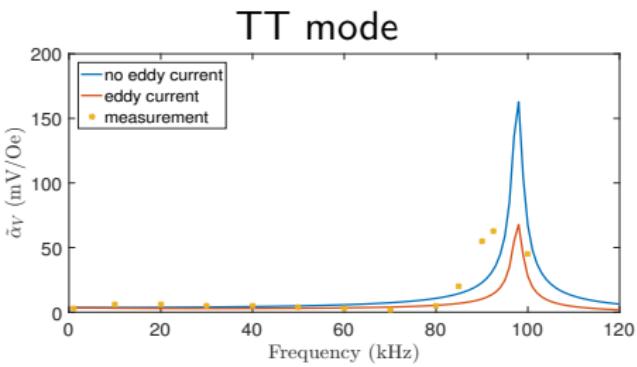


- The magnetic external field: $H_{ac} = 1$ (Oe)
- The result with effect of eddy current in TT mode in concordance with measurement
- The quality factor decreases under eddy current effect.



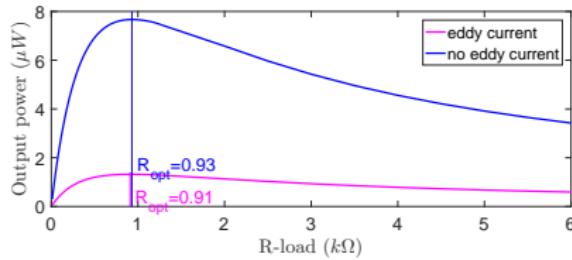
Electrical potential distribution

Skin effect

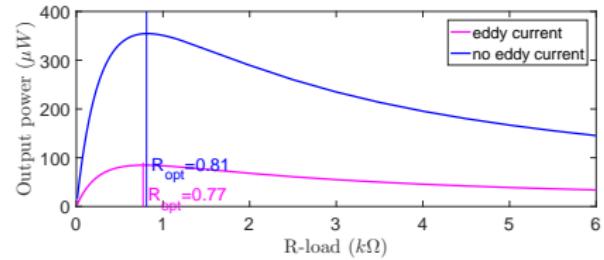


Performance

TT mode



LT mode



- Output power $P = V^2/R$ (post processing)
- The eddy currents decrease the performance of material.
- Measurement with $P_{max} = 2.75(\mu W)$ $R_{opt} = 0.6k\Omega$

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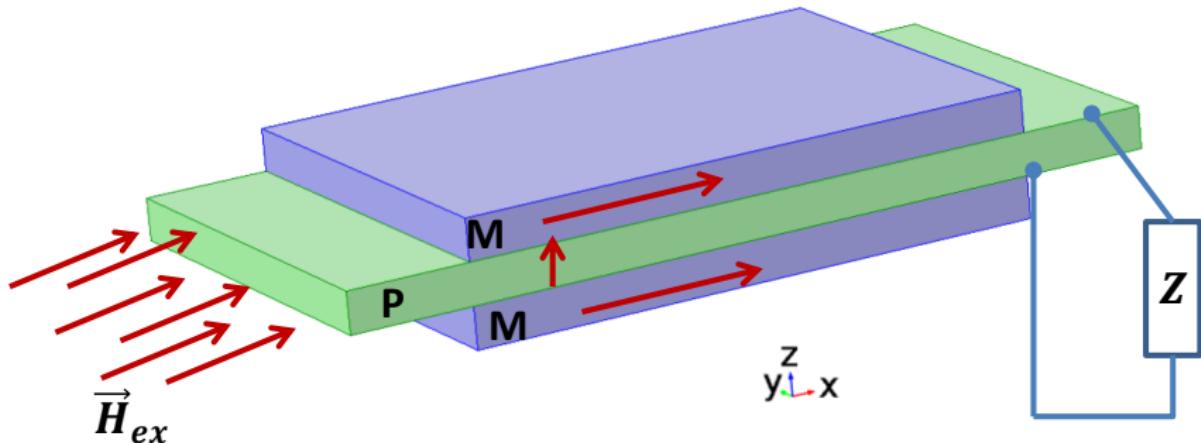
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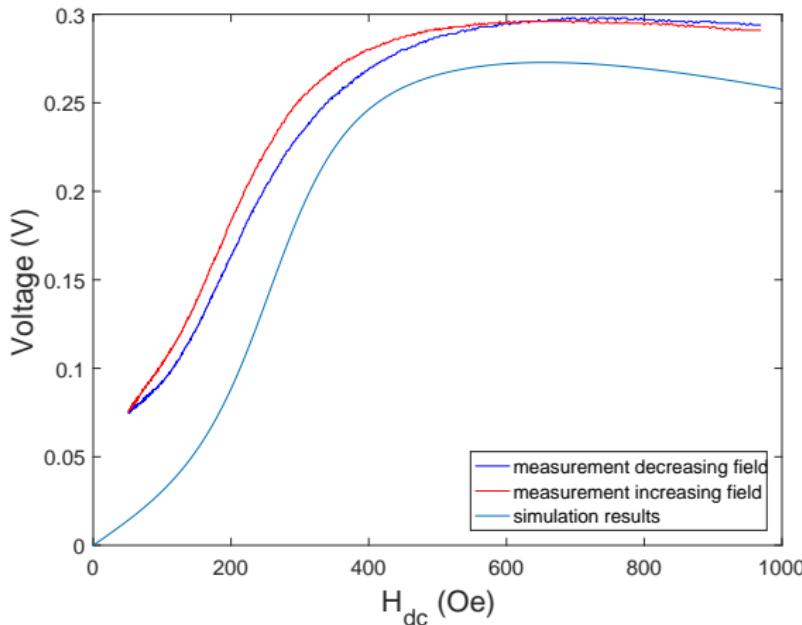
Geometry



P51 (green layer): Thickness 1mm, surface 14x10 mm²

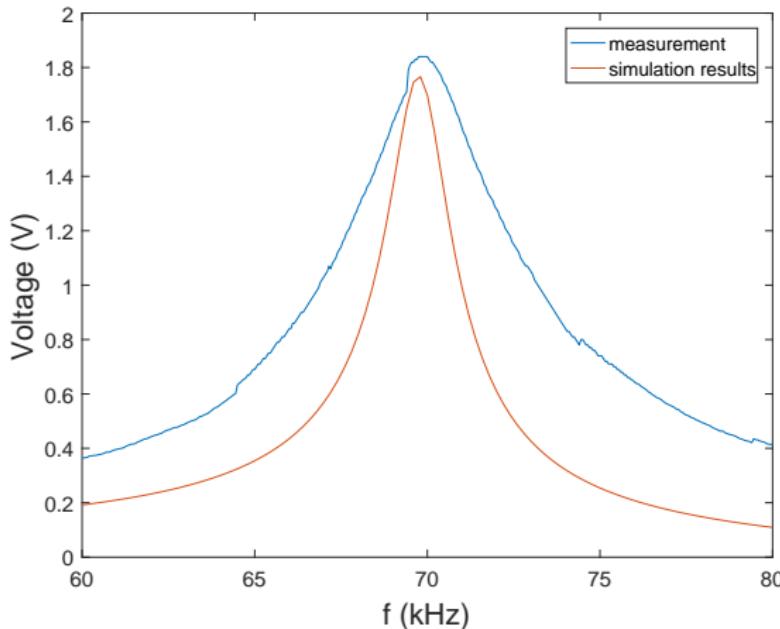
Terfenol-D (magenta layer): Thickness 1mm, surface 20x10 mm²

DC magnetic field dependency



- H_{dc} increases step by step from 0 Oe to 1000 Oe.
- Output voltage at dynamic field $H_{ac} = 5$ Oe @ 1 kHz
- Maximum output voltage is obtained at $H_{dc} = 650$ Oe

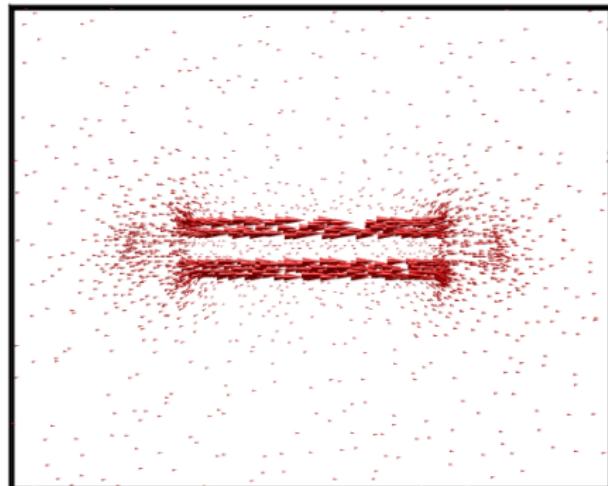
Frequency dependency



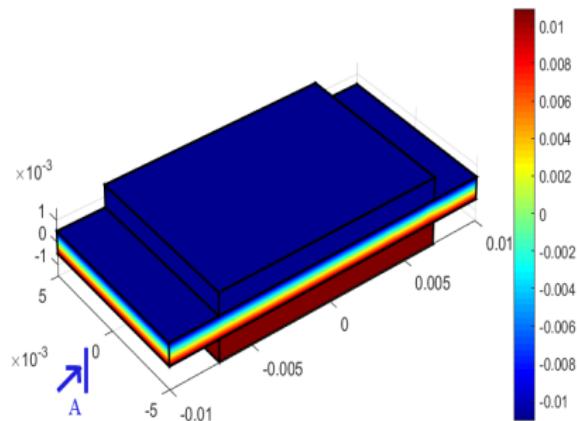
- Computed coefficients obtained at $H_{dc} = 650$ Oe are used for dynamic analysis $H_{ac} = 5$ Oe
- Frequency varies from 60 Oe to 80 Oe
- Maximum output voltage is obtained at resonance frequency $f = 70$ kHz

Field distribution

Magnetic induction distribution



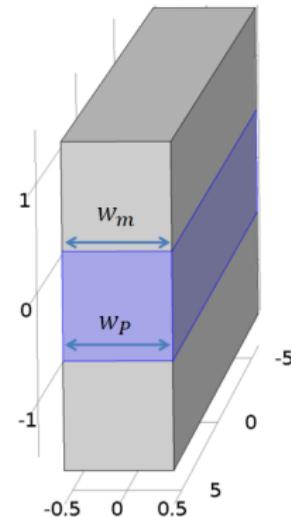
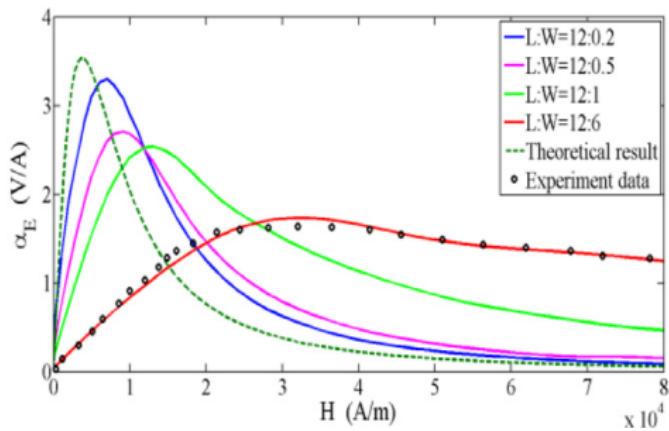
Electric potential distribution



- High value of magnetic induction at magnetostrictive layer
- Polarization is observed at piezoelectric layer
- To increase the efficiency, the study of different ME structures is followed

Geometry

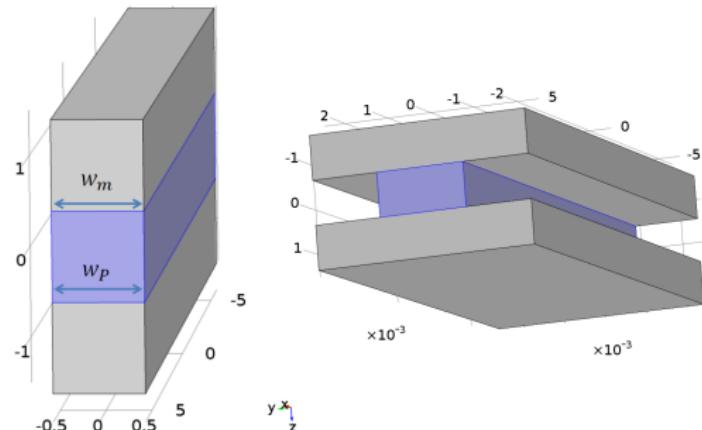
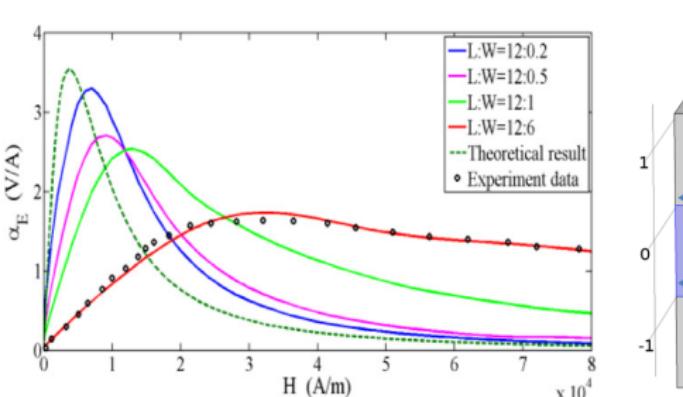
Decreasing of the width can generate higher output voltage



Wen, J. et al., 2008 *A coupling finite element model for analysis the nonlinear dynamic magnetoelectric response of tri-layer laminate composites*. Composite Structures

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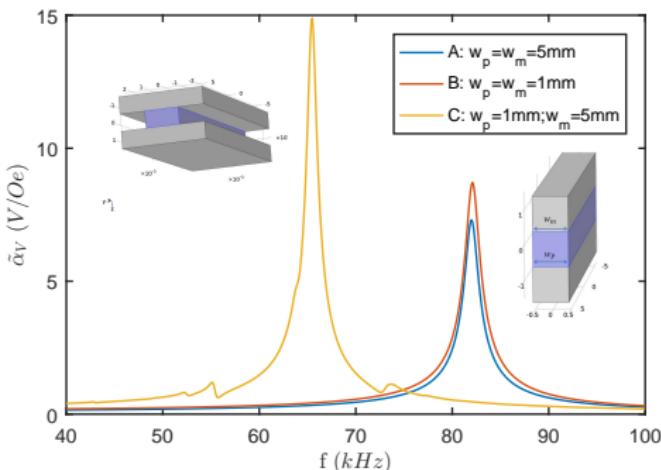


Three configurations are examined

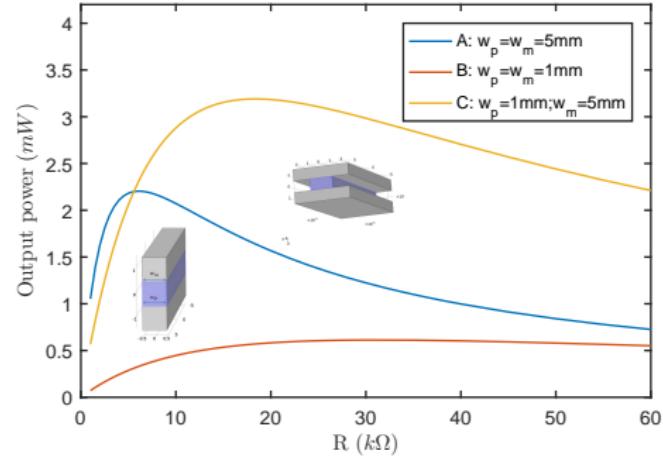
- Width of 5mm for all layers.
- Width of 1mm for all layers.
- Width of 5mm for magnetostrictive layer and width of 1mm for piezoelectric layer.

Performance

Voltage

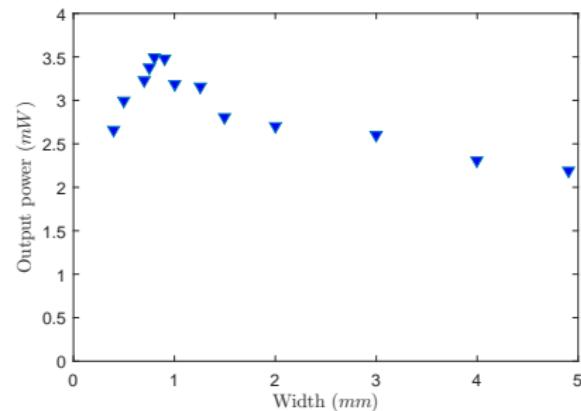
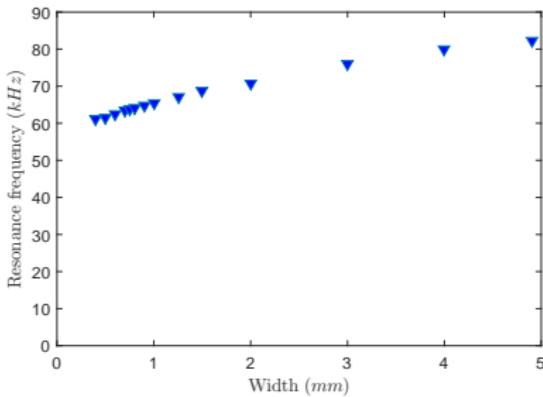
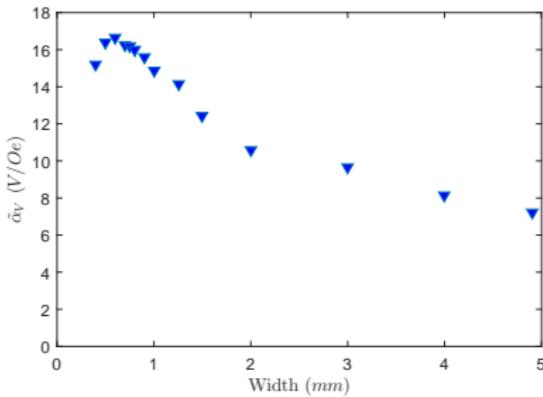


Output power



- Novel structure can generate higher output voltage and more output power.
- Influence of width can be studied.

Parametric study



- Highest value of output voltage and power can be obtained at piezoelectric width of 0.8 mm
- Resonance frequency decreases when the width increases (the structure is more rigid).

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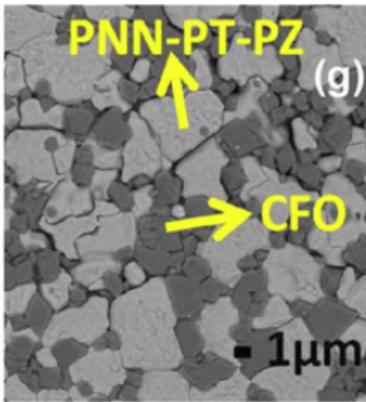
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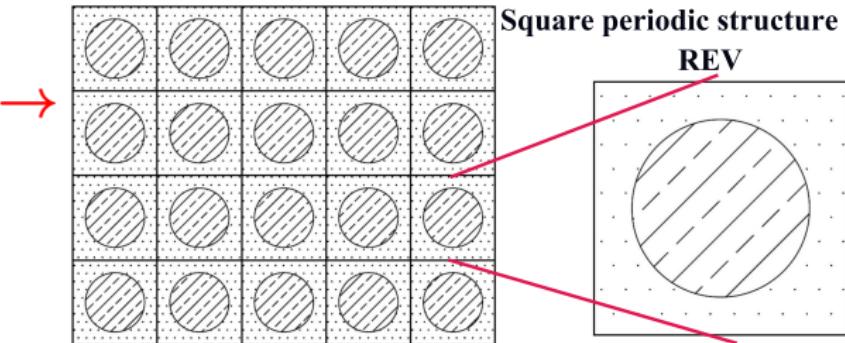
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0-3 type and 1-3 type ME composite

- ✓ 3D FEM is useful to study the behavior of ME laminate composite
- ✗ It is difficult to apply for fiber composite and particulate composite



- The size of the particles is very small.
- The mesh is heavy.



Vadla, S. et al. (2016)
Magnetoelastic coupling in
0.5 Pb (Ni_{1/3}Nb_{2/3}) O_{30.35}
PbTiO_{30.15} PbZrO₃ and
CoFe₂O₄ based particulate
composites. Scripta Materialia

Analytical method → Simple structure
(Fiber composite)

Corcolle, R. et al., 2008 Generic formalism for homogenization of coupled behavior: Application to magneto-electroelastic behavior. Physical Review B.

Boundary condition

- Boundary surfaces must be similar.
- On the boundary surfaces:
 - Point: $k_i + d_i, k_i$
 - Edge: $(k_{i1} + d_i, k_{i2} + d_i), (k_{i1}, k_{i2})$

Mechanics

$$u_j(k_i + d_i) = u_j(k_i) + \bar{S}_{ij}d_i$$

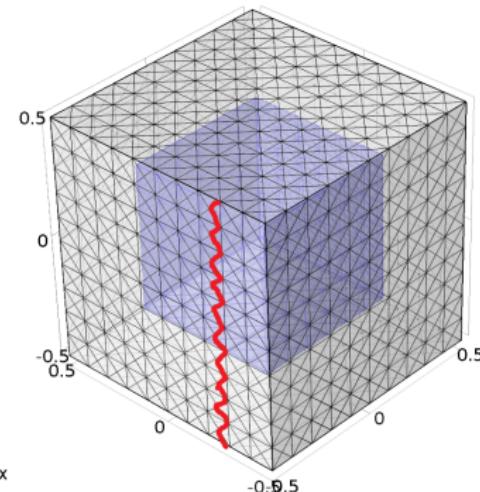
Electric

$$V(k_i + d_i) = V(k_i) + \bar{E}_i d_i$$

Magnetic

$$a(k_{i1} + d_i, k_{i2} + d_i) = a(k_{i1}, k_{i2}) + c_j \phi_j + c_k \phi_k$$

$$\begin{cases} c_j = 1 / -1 & \text{for the red edges} \\ c_0 = 0 & \text{for the others} \end{cases}$$



$$\phi_j = \int \mathbf{B}_j dA$$

A : the perpendicular surface

Effective coefficients

Solve equation

$$[K]\{X\} = [F]$$



State variable $\{X\} = \{u \quad a \quad V\}^t$

$$S = 1/2(\mathbf{grad} + \mathbf{grad}^t)u$$

$$B = \mathbf{curl} \, a$$

$$E = -\mathbf{grad} \, V$$



Local field

$$S, \quad B, \quad E$$

$$T = cS - e^t E - h^t B$$

$$H = -hS + \nu B$$

$$D = -eS + \varepsilon E$$



Local field

$$T, \quad H, \quad D$$

Local constitutive laws



Material coefficients

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{T} \\ \bar{H} \\ \bar{D} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{C} & -\tilde{h}^t & -\tilde{e}^t \\ \tilde{h} & \tilde{\nu} & \tilde{\alpha}_H^t \\ \tilde{e} & \tilde{\alpha}_H & \tilde{\varepsilon} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{S} \\ \bar{B} \\ \bar{E} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} \bar{T} = 1/V \int T dV \\ \bar{H} = 1/V \int H dV \\ \bar{D} = 1/V \int D dV \end{cases}$$

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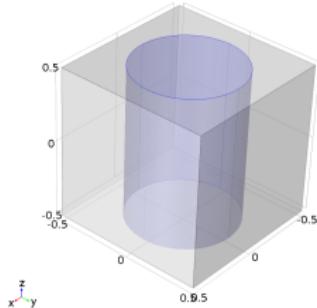
- Laminate composite with circular section
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4 Homogenization

- Context
- Fiber composite
- Particulate composite

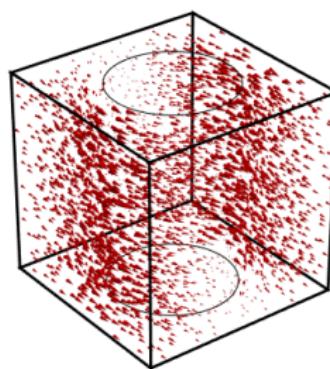
5 Conclusion

Apply of magnetic field

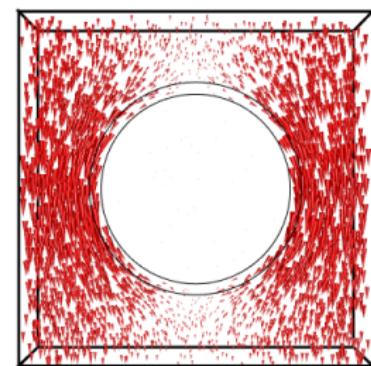


- Magnetostrictive matrix (CoFe_2O_4) reinforced by fiber piezoelectric (BaTiO_3).
- The volume fraction varies $f = 0$ to $f = 0.8$.

Example:
Magnetic field is
applied

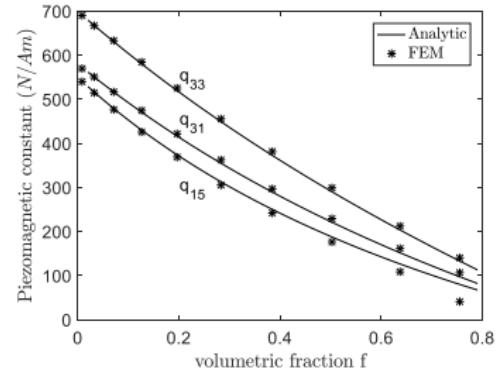
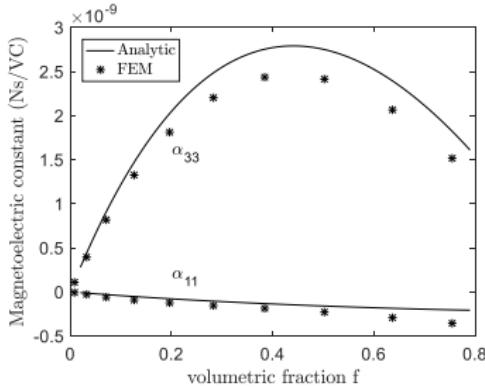
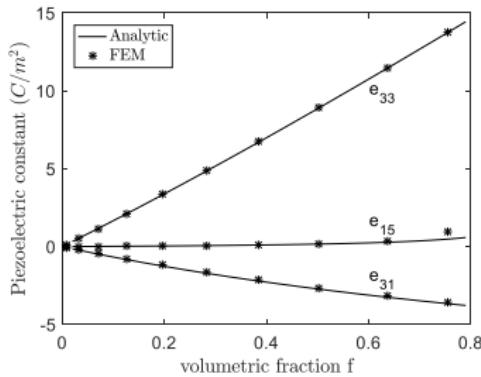


3D view



Top view

Effective coefficient



- Simulation results show good concordance with analytical results.
- Local ME coefficient is observed.

Corcolle, R. et al., 2008 *Generic formalism for homogenization of coupled behavior: Application to magnetoelectroelastic behavior*. Physical Review B.

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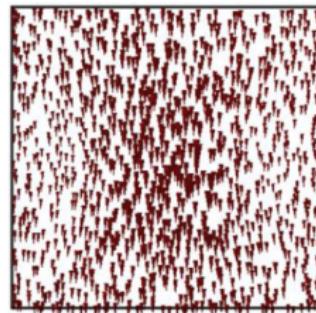
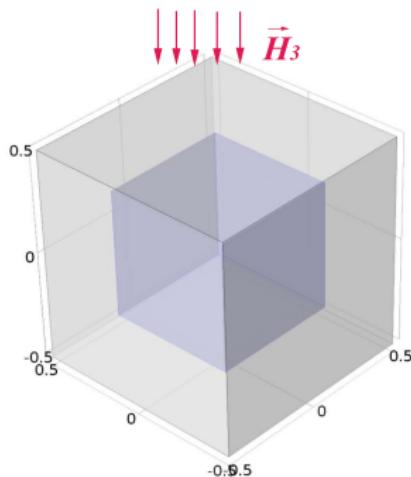
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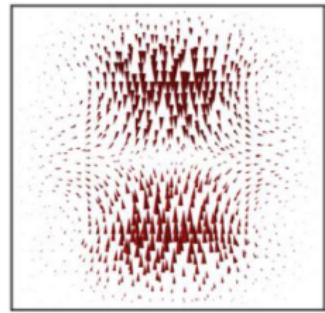
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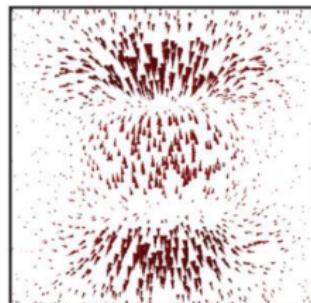
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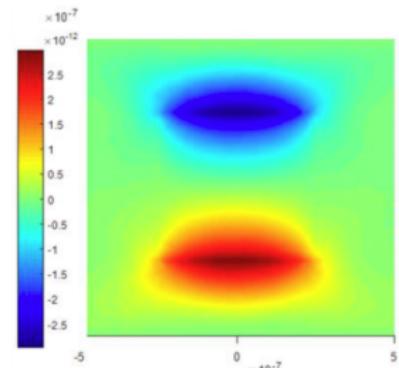
(b)



(c)

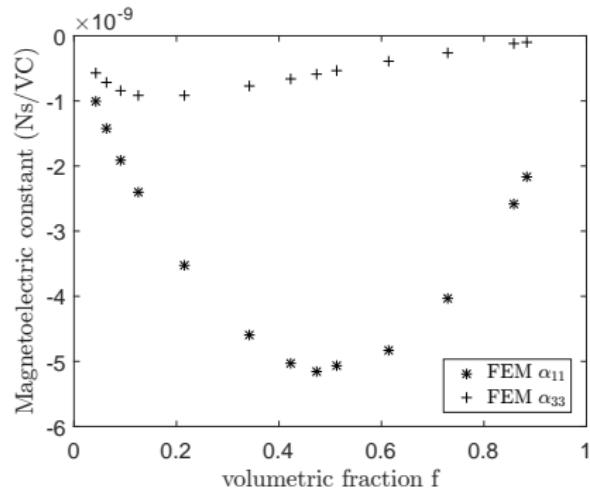
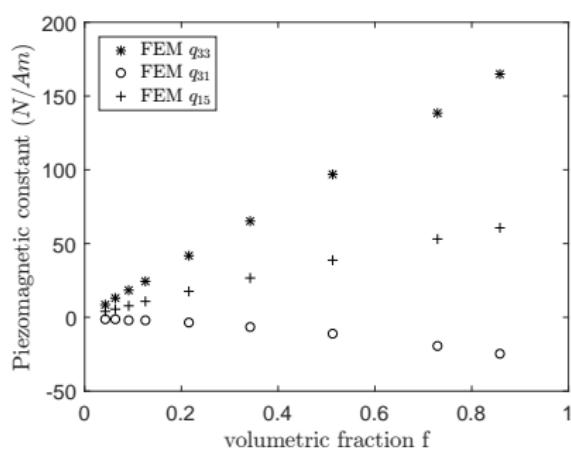
Magnetic field is applied

- (a) Magnetic field
- (b) Displacement field
- (c) Electric field
- (d) Electric potential



(d)

Effective coefficient

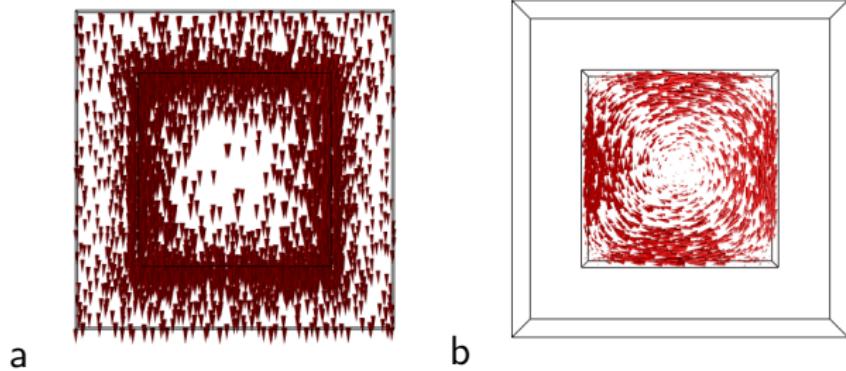


- Piezomagnetic coefficient increases when the magnetostrictive volume fraction increases.
- The optimal ME coefficient is observed ($f = 0.5$).

Dynamic analysis

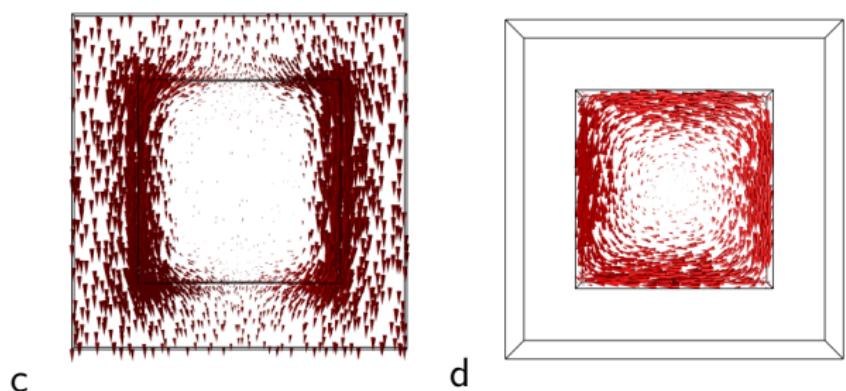
Distribution of:

- (a) Magnetic induction
- (b) Eddy currents at 300 kHz



Distribution of:

- (c) Magnetic induction
- (d) Eddy currents at 3 MHz



Skin effect is observed

Conclusion and perspectives

Conclusion

- A 3D FEM has been developed for analyze the behavior of ME materials.
- Linear harmonic ME analysis and non-linear magnetostrictive analysis have been performed for laminate composite. The 3D analysis provides a useful tool to study ME composite of various geometries for energy transducer. Novel laminate structure has been studied.
- For particulate composite and fiber composite, the homogenization theory is applied.

Perspectives

- Other formulations for analyzing nonlinear magnetostrictive can be tested.
- A more efficient method for solving large matrix equations is needed.
- Other structure can be considered to improve ME coefficient.

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