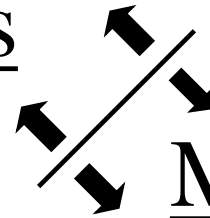
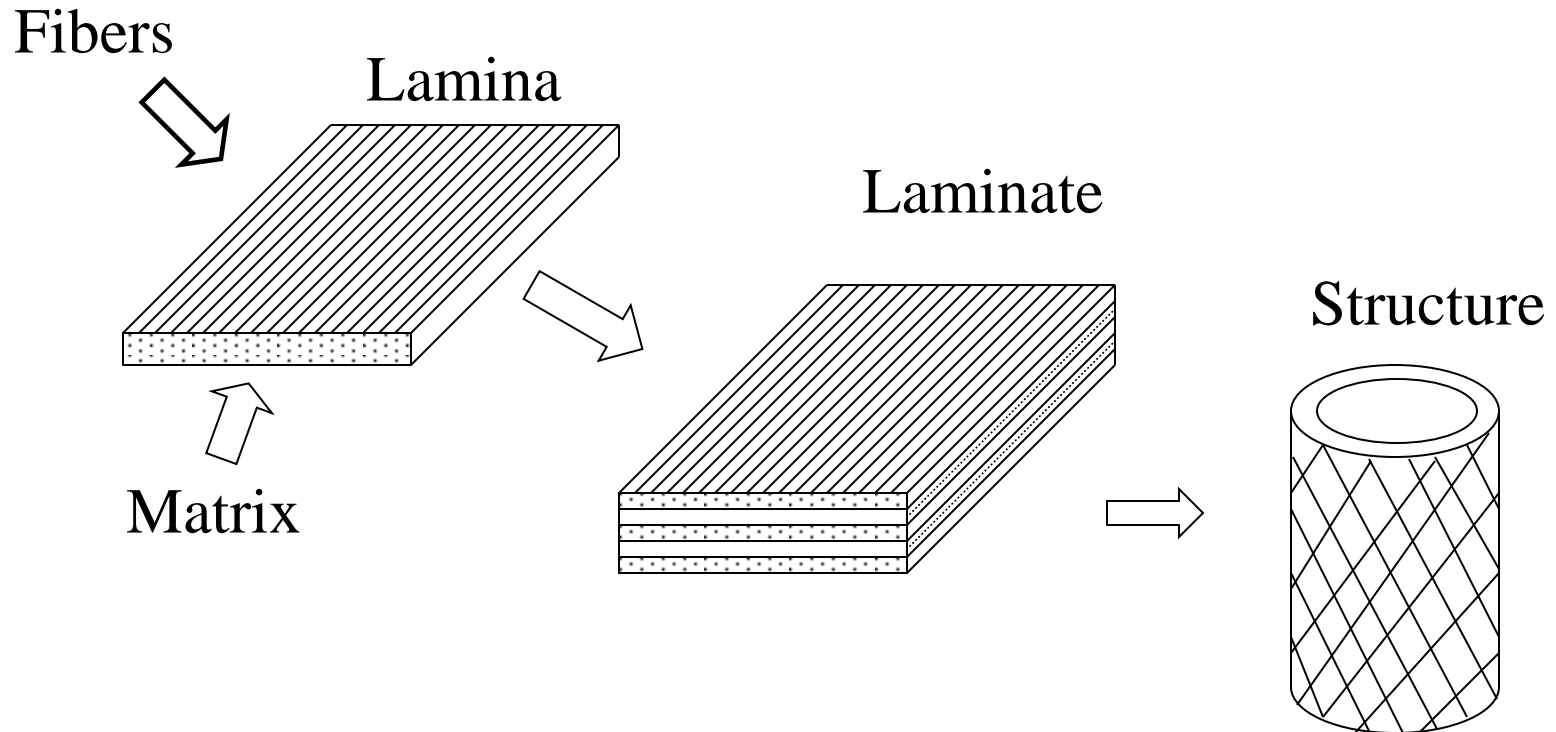


Micromechanics

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Macromechanics



Macromechanics

Study of stress-strain behavior of composites using effective properties of an equivalent homogeneous material. Only the globally averaged stresses and strains are considered, not the local fiber and matrix values.

Stress-Strain Relationships for Anisotropic Materials

First, we discuss the form of the stress-strain relationships at a point within the material, then discuss the concept of effective moduli for heterogeneous materials where properties may vary from point-to-point.

General Form of Elastic σ - ε Relationships for Constant Environmental Conditions

$$\sigma_{ij} = F_{ij}(\varepsilon_{11}, \varepsilon_{12}, \varepsilon_{13}, \dots), \quad i, j = 1, 2, 3 \dots \quad (2.1)$$

Each component of stress, σ_{ij} , is related to each of nine strain components, ε_{ij}

(Note: These relationships may be nonlinear)

Expanding F_{ij} in a Taylor's series and
Retaining only the first order terms,

$$\sigma_{ij} = C_{ijkl} \varepsilon_{kl}, \quad i, j, k, l = 1, 2, 3$$

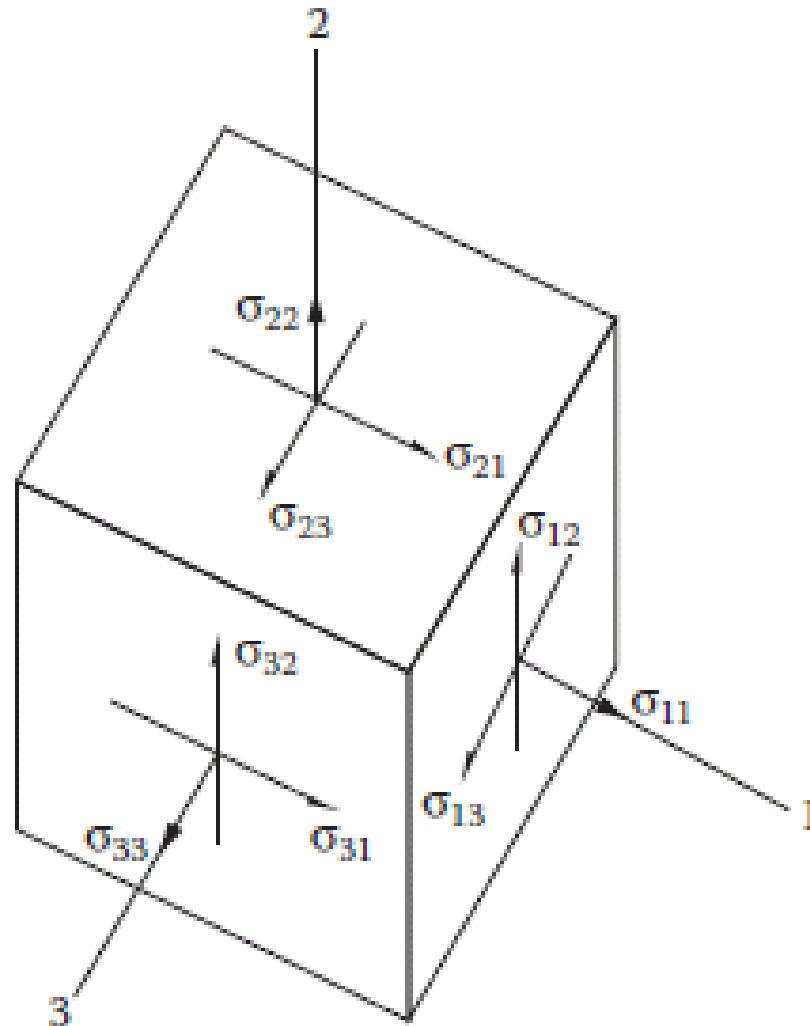
for a linear elastic material

σ_{ij} – 9 *components*

ε_{kl} – 9 *components*

C_{ijkl} – 81 *components*

3D state of stress



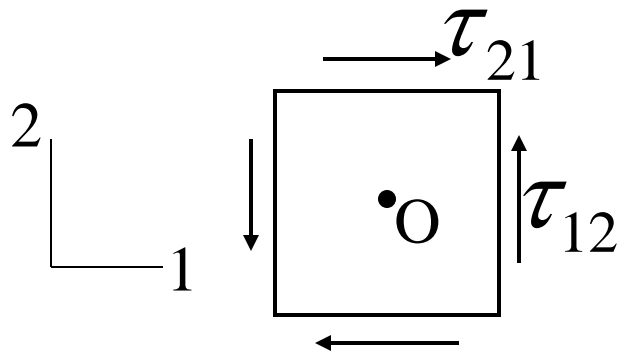
Generalized Hooke's Law for Anisotropic Material

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} \\ \sigma_{22} \\ \sigma_{33} \\ \sigma_{23} \\ \sigma_{31} \\ \sigma_{12} \\ \sigma_{32} \\ \sigma_{13} \\ \sigma_{21} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{1111} & C_{1122} & C_{1133} & C_{1123} & C_{1131} & C_{1112} & \vdots & C_{1132} & C_{1113} & C_{1121} \\ C_{2211} & C_{2222} & C_{2233} & C_{2223} & C_{2231} & C_{2212} & \vdots & C_{2232} & C_{2213} & C_{2221} \\ C_{3311} & C_{3322} & C_{3333} & C_{3323} & C_{3331} & C_{3312} & \vdots & C_{3332} & C_{3313} & C_{3321} \\ C_{2311} & C_{2322} & C_{2333} & C_{2323} & C_{2331} & C_{2312} & \vdots & C_{2332} & C_{2313} & C_{2321} \\ C_{3111} & C_{3122} & C_{3133} & C_{3123} & C_{3131} & C_{3112} & \vdots & C_{3132} & C_{3113} & C_{3121} \\ C_{1211} & C_{1222} & C_{1233} & C_{1223} & C_{1231} & C_{1212} & \vdots & C_{1232} & C_{1213} & C_{1221} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \vdots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ C_{3211} & C_{3222} & C_{3233} & C_{3223} & C_{3231} & C_{3212} & \vdots & C_{3232} & C_{3213} & C_{3221} \\ C_{1311} & C_{1322} & C_{1333} & C_{1323} & C_{1331} & C_{1312} & \vdots & C_{1332} & C_{1313} & C_{1321} \\ C_{2111} & C_{2122} & C_{2133} & C_{2123} & C_{2131} & C_{2112} & \vdots & C_{2132} & C_{2113} & C_{2121} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_{11} \\ \varepsilon_{22} \\ \varepsilon_{33} \\ \varepsilon_{23} \\ \varepsilon_{31} \\ \varepsilon_{12} \\ \varepsilon_{32} \\ \varepsilon_{13} \\ \varepsilon_{21} \end{bmatrix}$$

(2.2)

Symmetry Simplifies the Generalized Hooke's Law

1. Symmetry of shear stresses and strains:



Static Equilibrium

$\sum M_O = 0$ implies $\tau_{12} = \tau_{21}$
or in general,

$$\tau_{ij} = \tau_{ji} \text{ or } \sigma_{ij} = \sigma_{ji}$$

Same condition for shear strains, $\epsilon_{ij} = \epsilon_{ji}$

2. Material property symmetry – several types will be discussed.

Symmetry of shear stresses and shear strains:

$$\sigma_{ij} = \sigma_{ji} \quad \text{and} \quad \varepsilon_{ij} = \varepsilon_{ji}$$

Thus, only 6 components of σ_{ij} are independent, and likewise for ε_{ij} .

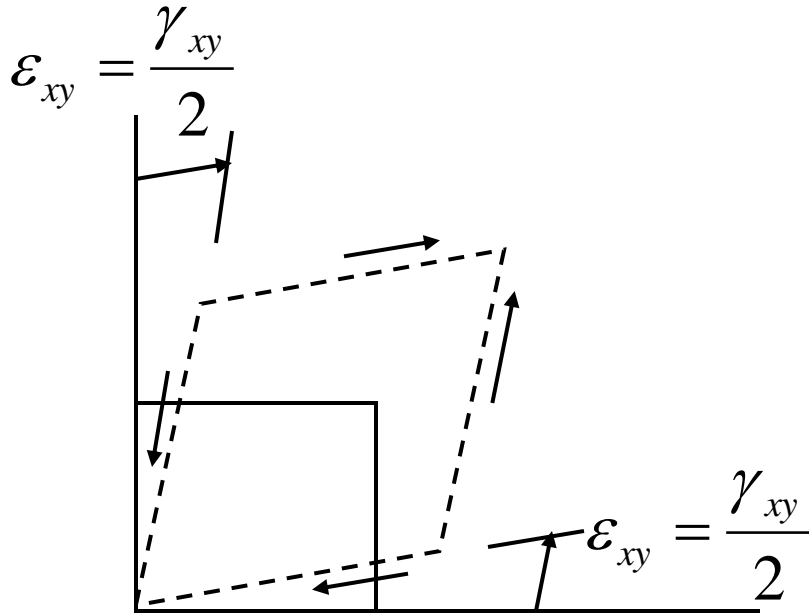
This leads to a contracted notation.

<u>Stresses</u>	
<u>Tensor Notation</u>	<u>Contracted Notation</u>
σ_{11}	σ_1
σ_{22}	σ_2
σ_{33}	σ_3
$\sigma_{23} = \sigma_{32}$	σ_4
$\sigma_{13} = \sigma_{31}$	σ_5
$\sigma_{12} = \sigma_{21}$	σ_6

Strains

<u>Tensor Notation</u>	<u>Contracted Notation</u>
ε_{11}	ε_1
ε_{22}	ε_2
ε_{33}	ε_3
$2\varepsilon_{23} = 2\varepsilon_{32} = \gamma_{23} = \gamma_{32}$	ε_4
$2\varepsilon_{13} = 2\varepsilon_{31} = \gamma_{13} = \gamma_{31}$	ε_5
$2\varepsilon_{12} = 2\varepsilon_{21} = \gamma_{12} = \gamma_{21}$	ε_6

Geometry of Shear Strain



γ_{xy} = Engineering Strain

ϵ_{xy} = Tensor Strain

Total change in original angle = γ_{xy}

Amount each edge rotates = $\gamma_{xy}/2 = \epsilon_{xy}$

Using contracted notation

$$\sigma_i = C_{ij} \varepsilon_j \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, 6 \quad (2.3)$$

or in matrix form $\{\sigma\} = [C]\{\varepsilon\}$ (2.4)

where $\{\sigma\}$ and $\{\varepsilon\}$ are column vectors
and $[C]$ is a 6x6 matrix (the stiffness
matrix)

Alternatively,

$$\varepsilon_i = S_{ij} \sigma_j \quad i, j = 1, 2, \dots, 6 \quad (2.5)$$

$$\text{or } \{\varepsilon\} = [S] \{\sigma\} \quad (2.6)$$

where $[S]$ = compliance matrix

$$\text{and } [S] = [C]^{-1}$$

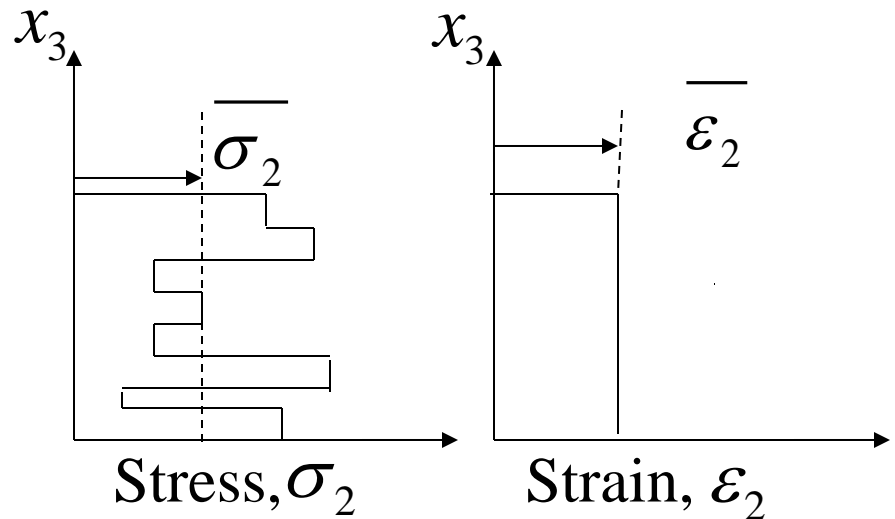
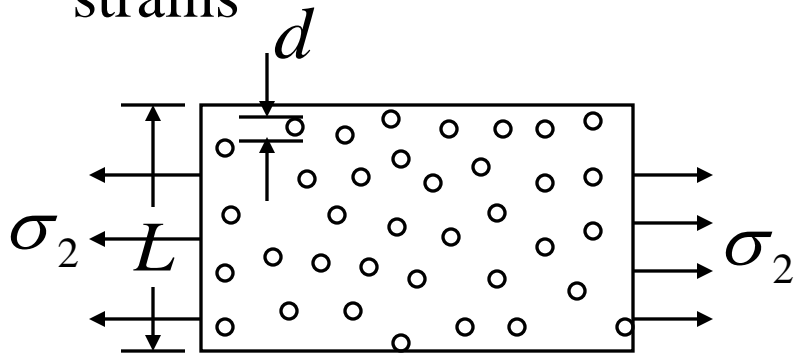
Expanding:

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \varepsilon_3 \\ \varepsilon_4 \\ \varepsilon_5 \\ \varepsilon_6 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} & S_{13} & S_{14} & S_{15} & S_{16} \\ S_{21} & S_{22} & S_{23} & S_{24} & S_{25} & S_{26} \\ S_{31} & S_{32} & S_{33} & S_{34} & S_{35} & S_{36} \\ S_{41} & S_{42} & S_{43} & S_{44} & S_{45} & S_{46} \\ S_{51} & S_{52} & S_{53} & S_{54} & S_{55} & S_{56} \\ S_{61} & S_{62} & S_{63} & S_{64} & S_{65} & S_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \sigma_3 \\ \sigma_4 \\ \sigma_5 \\ \sigma_6 \end{Bmatrix}$$

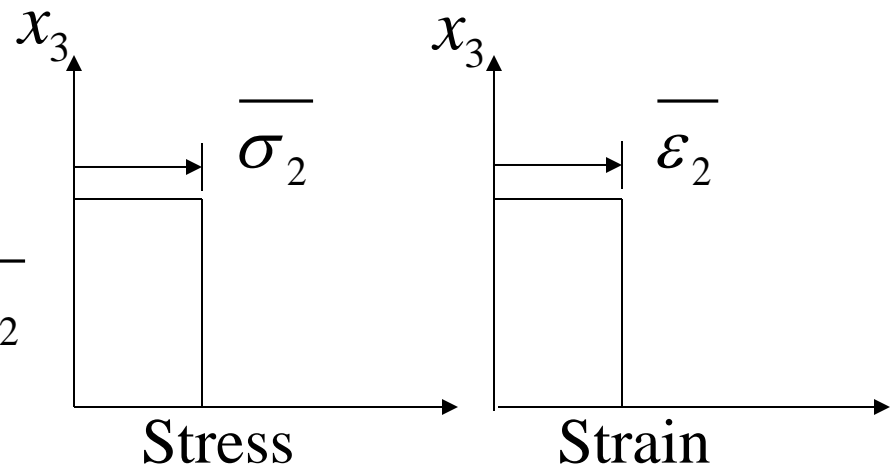
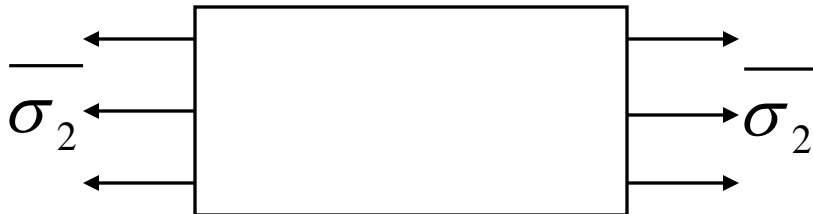
- Up to now, we only considered the stresses and strains at a point within the material, and the corresponding elastic constants at a point.
- What do we do in the case of a composite material, where the properties may vary from point to point?
- Use the concept of effective moduli of an equivalent homogeneous material.

Concept of an Effective Modulus of an Equivalent Homogeneous Material

Heterogeneous composite under varying stresses and strains



Equivalent homogeneous material under average stresses and strains



Effective moduli, C_{ij}

$$\overline{\sigma_i} = C_{ij} \overline{\varepsilon_j} \quad (2.9)$$

where,

$$\overline{\sigma_i} = \text{average stress} = \frac{\int_V \sigma_i dv}{\int_V dv} \quad (2.7)$$

$$\overline{\varepsilon_i} = \text{average strain} = \frac{\int_V \varepsilon_i dv}{\int_V dv} \quad (2.8)$$

3-D Case

General Anisotropic Material

- [C] and [S] each have 36 coefficients, but only 21 are independent due to symmetry.
- Symmetry shown by consideration of strain energy.
- Proof of symmetry:

Define strain energy density

$$W = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_i \varepsilon_i \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, 6)$$

$$W = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_1 \varepsilon_1 + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_1 \varepsilon_1 + \dots + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_6 \varepsilon_6$$

$$\text{but} \quad \sigma_i = C_{ij} \varepsilon_j$$

$$\therefore W = \frac{1}{2} C_{ij} \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j \quad (2.12)$$

Now, differentiate:

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial \varepsilon_i} = \frac{1}{2} C_{ij} \varepsilon_j + \frac{1}{2} C_{ij} \varepsilon_i \frac{\partial \varepsilon_j}{\partial \varepsilon_i}$$

$$\text{but } \frac{\partial \varepsilon_j}{\partial \varepsilon_i} = \delta_{ij} = \text{Kronecker delta} = \begin{matrix} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \end{matrix}$$

$$\therefore \delta_{ij} \varepsilon_i = \varepsilon_j \quad (\text{show})$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial W}{\partial \varepsilon_i} = C_{ij} \varepsilon_j \quad (2.11)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 W}{\partial \varepsilon_i \partial \varepsilon_j} = C_{ij} \quad (2.13)$$

But if the order of differentiation is reversed,

$$\therefore \frac{\partial^2 W}{\partial \varepsilon_j \partial \varepsilon_i} = C_{ji} \quad (2.14)$$

Since order of differentiation is immaterial,

$$C_{ij} = C_{ji} \quad (\text{Symmetry})$$

Similarly,

$$W = \frac{1}{2} S_{ij} \sigma_i \sigma_j$$

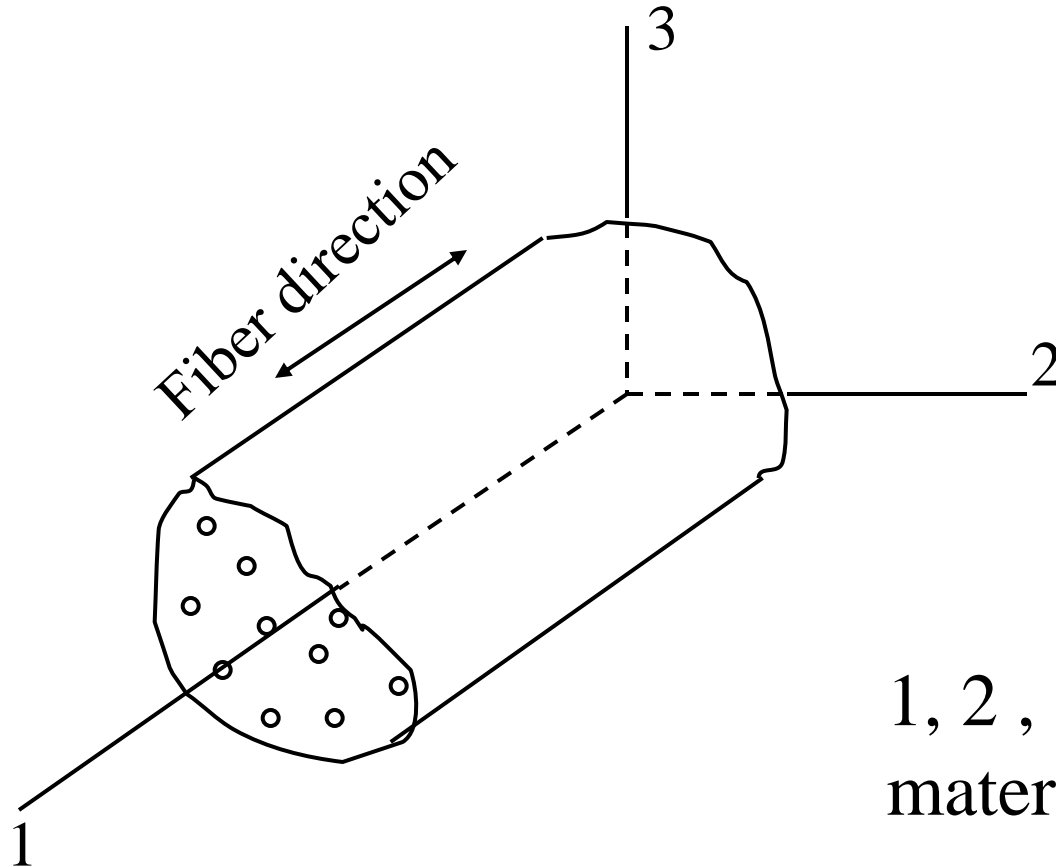
and $S_{ij} = S_{ji}$

\therefore Only 21 of 36 coefficients are independent for anisotropic material.

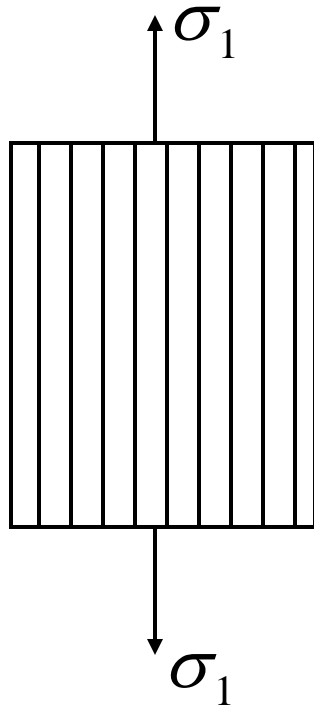
**Stiffness matrix for linear elastic
anisotropic material with no material
property symmetry**

$$C_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} & C_{13} & C_{14} & C_{15} & C_{16} \\ & C_{22} & C_{23} & C_{24} & C_{25} & C_{26} \\ & & C_{33} & C_{34} & C_{35} & C_{36} \\ & \text{SYM} & & C_{44} & C_{45} & C_{46} \\ & & & & C_{55} & C_{56} \\ & & & & & C_{66} \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.15)$$

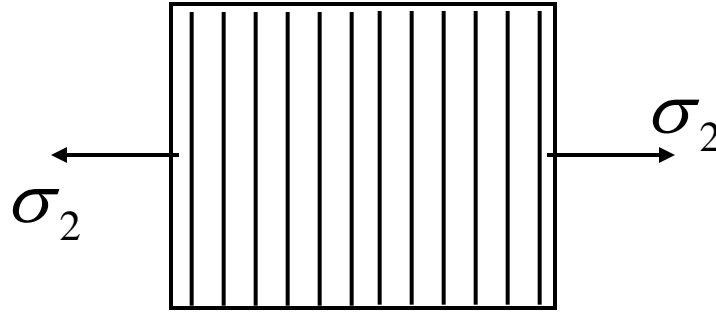
3-D Case, Specially Orthotropic



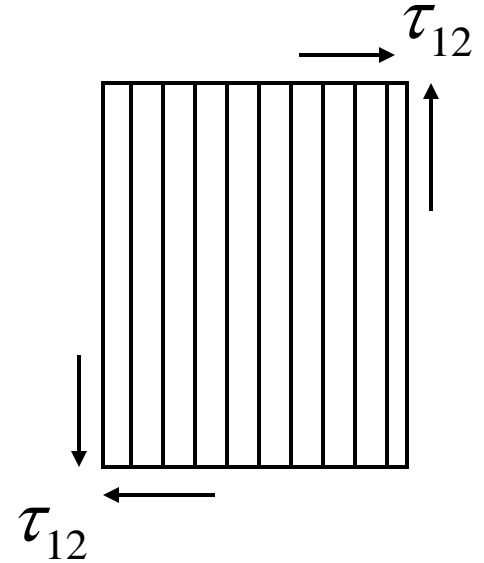
1, 2 , 3 principal
material coordinates



(a)



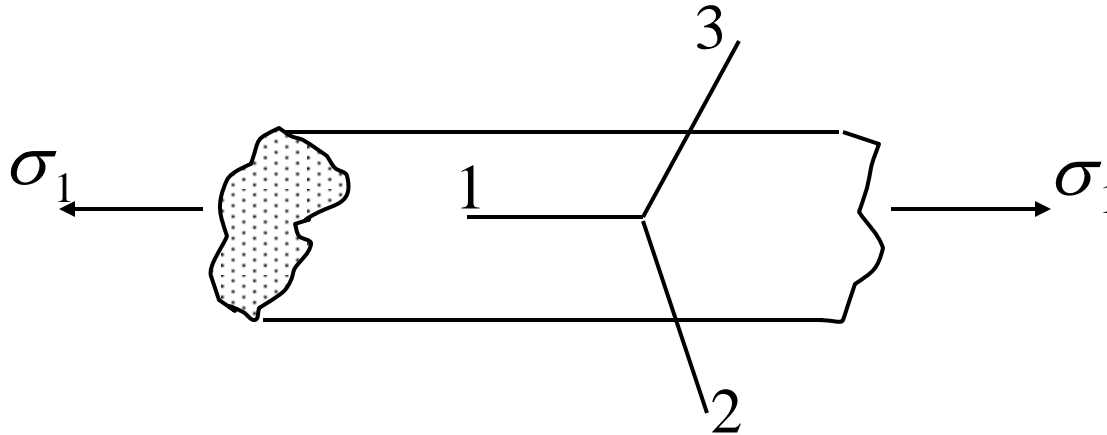
(b)



(c)

Simple states of stress used to define lamina engineering constants for specially orthotropic lamina.

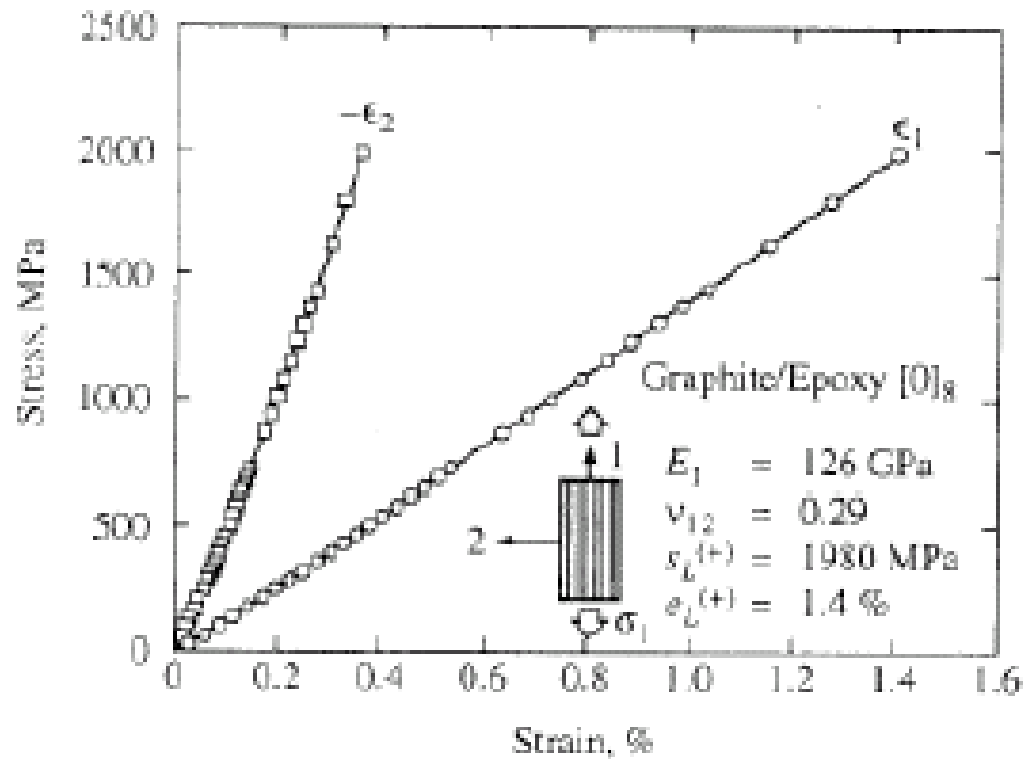
Consider normal stress σ_1 alone:



Resulting strains,

$$\varepsilon_1 = \frac{\sigma_1}{E_1}; \quad \varepsilon_2 = -\nu_{12}\varepsilon_1 = -\nu_{12} \frac{\sigma_1}{E_1} \quad (2.19)$$

Typical stress-strain curves from ASTM D3039 tensile tests



Stress-strain data from longitudinal tensile test of carbon/epoxy composite.
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Similarly,

$$\varepsilon_3 = -\nu_{13}\varepsilon_1 = -\nu_{13} \frac{\sigma_1}{E_1}$$

where E_1 = longitudinal modulus

ν_{ij} = Poisson's ratio for strain
along j direction due to
loading along i direction

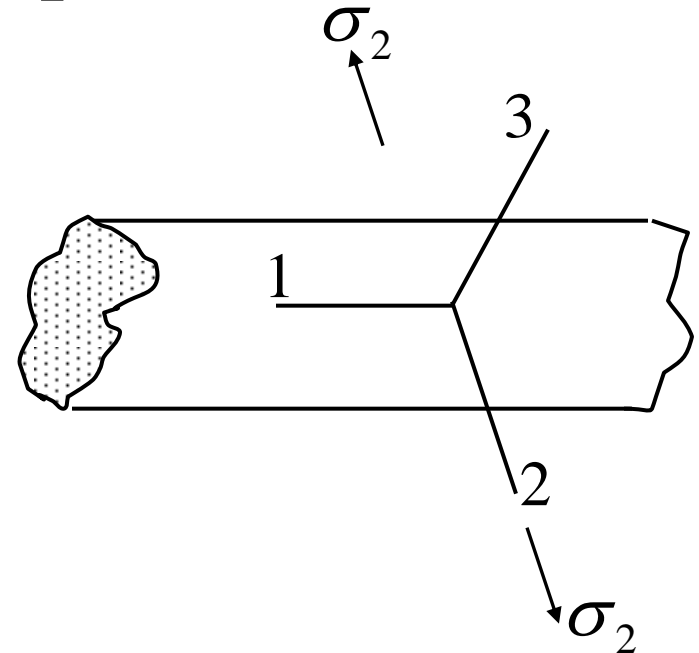
Now consider normal stress σ_2 alone:

Strains:

$$\varepsilon_2 = \frac{\sigma_2}{E_2};$$

$$\varepsilon_1 = -\nu_{21}\varepsilon_2 = -\nu_{21} \frac{\sigma_2}{E_2}$$

$$\varepsilon_3 = -\nu_{23}\varepsilon_2 = -\nu_{23} \frac{\sigma_2}{E_2} \quad (2.20)$$



Where E_2 = transverse modulus

Similar result for σ_3 alone

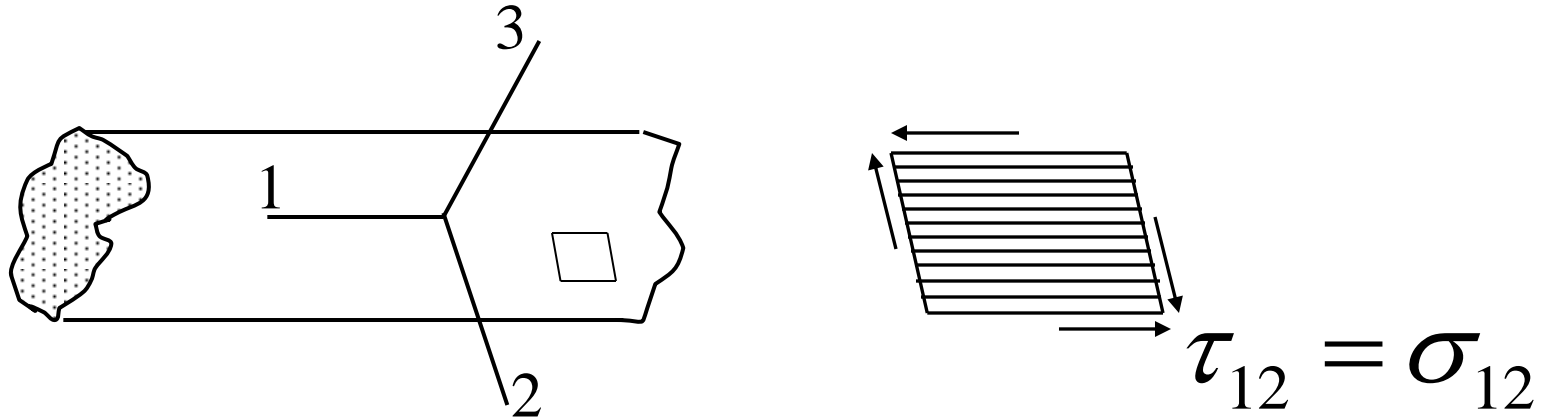
- Observation:

All shear strains are zero under pure normal stress (no shear coupling).

$$\therefore \gamma_{12} = \gamma_{13} = \gamma_{23} = 0$$

For σ_1 , σ_2 , σ_3 alone

Now, consider shear stress τ_{12} alone,



Strain $\gamma_{12} = \frac{\tau_{12}}{G_{12}}$

Where G_{12} = Shear modulus in 1-2 plane

$$\epsilon_1 = \epsilon_2 = \epsilon_3 = \gamma_{13} = \gamma_{23} = 0 \quad (2.21)$$

(No shear coupling)

Similarly, for τ_{13} alone

$$\gamma_{13} = \frac{\tau_{13}}{G_{13}}; \quad \epsilon_1 = \epsilon_2 = \epsilon_3 = \gamma_{12} = \gamma_{23} = 0$$

and for τ_{23} alone

$$\gamma_{23} = \frac{\tau_{23}}{G_{23}}; \quad \epsilon_1 = \epsilon_2 = \epsilon_3 = \gamma_{13} = \gamma_{12} = 0$$

Now add strains due to all stresses using
superposition

Specially Orthotropic 3D Case

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \varepsilon_3 \\ \gamma_{23} \\ \gamma_{31} \\ \gamma_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{E_1} & -\frac{\nu_{21}}{E_2} & -\frac{\nu_{31}}{E_3} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{\nu_{12}}{E_1} & \frac{1}{E_2} & -\frac{\nu_{32}}{E_3} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{\nu_{13}}{E_1} & -\frac{\nu_{23}}{E_2} & \frac{1}{E_3} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{G_{23}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{G_{31}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{G_{12}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \sigma_3 \\ \tau_{23} \\ \tau_{31} \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.22)$$

12 coefficients, but only are 9 independent

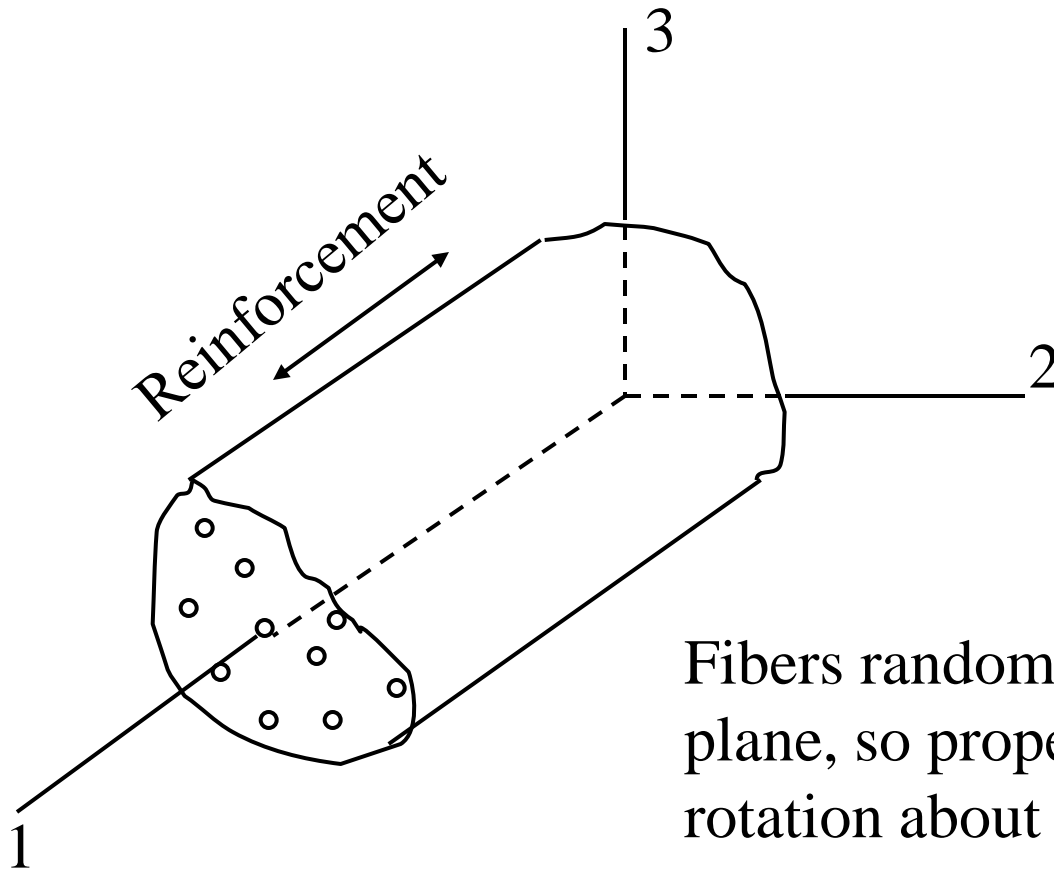
Symmetry: $S_{ij} = S_{ji}$

$$\therefore \frac{\nu_{ij}}{E_i} = \frac{\nu_{ji}}{E_j}$$

\therefore Only 9 independent coefficients.

Generally orthotropic 3-D case –
similar to anisotropic with 36 nonzero
coefficients, but 9 are independent as with
specially orthotropic case

Specially Orthotropic – Transversely Isotropic



Fibers randomly packed in 2-3 plane, so properties are invariant to rotation about 1-axis (2 same as 3)

Specially orthotropic, transversely isotropic
(2 and 3 interchangeable)

$$G_{13} = G_{12}, \quad E_2 = E_3, \quad \nu_{21} = \nu_{31}$$

$$G_{23} = \frac{E_2}{2(1 + \nu_{32})} \quad (2.23)$$

Now, only 5 coefficients are independent.

Isotropic

$$G_{13} = G_{23} = G_{12} = G$$

$$E_1 = E_2 = E_3 = E$$

$$\nu_{12} = \nu_{23} = \nu_{13} = \nu$$

$$G = \frac{E}{2(1 + \nu)}$$

2 independent coefficients

Usually measure E , ν – calculate G

Isotropic – 3D case

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \varepsilon_3 \\ \varepsilon_4 \\ \varepsilon_5 \\ \varepsilon_6 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{E} & -\frac{\nu}{E} & -\frac{\nu}{E} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{\nu}{E} & \frac{1}{E} & -\frac{\nu}{E} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{\nu}{E} & -\frac{\nu}{E} & \frac{1}{E} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{G} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{G} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{G} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \sigma_3 \\ \sigma_4 \\ \sigma_5 \\ \sigma_6 \end{Bmatrix}$$

Same form for any set of coordinate axes

3-D Isotropic – stresses in terms of strains

$$\sigma_x = \frac{E}{(1+\nu)(1-2\nu)} \left[(1-\nu)\varepsilon_x + \nu(\varepsilon_y + \varepsilon_z) \right]$$

$$\sigma_y = \frac{E}{(1+\nu)(1-2\nu)} \left[(1-\nu)\varepsilon_y + \nu(\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_z) \right]$$

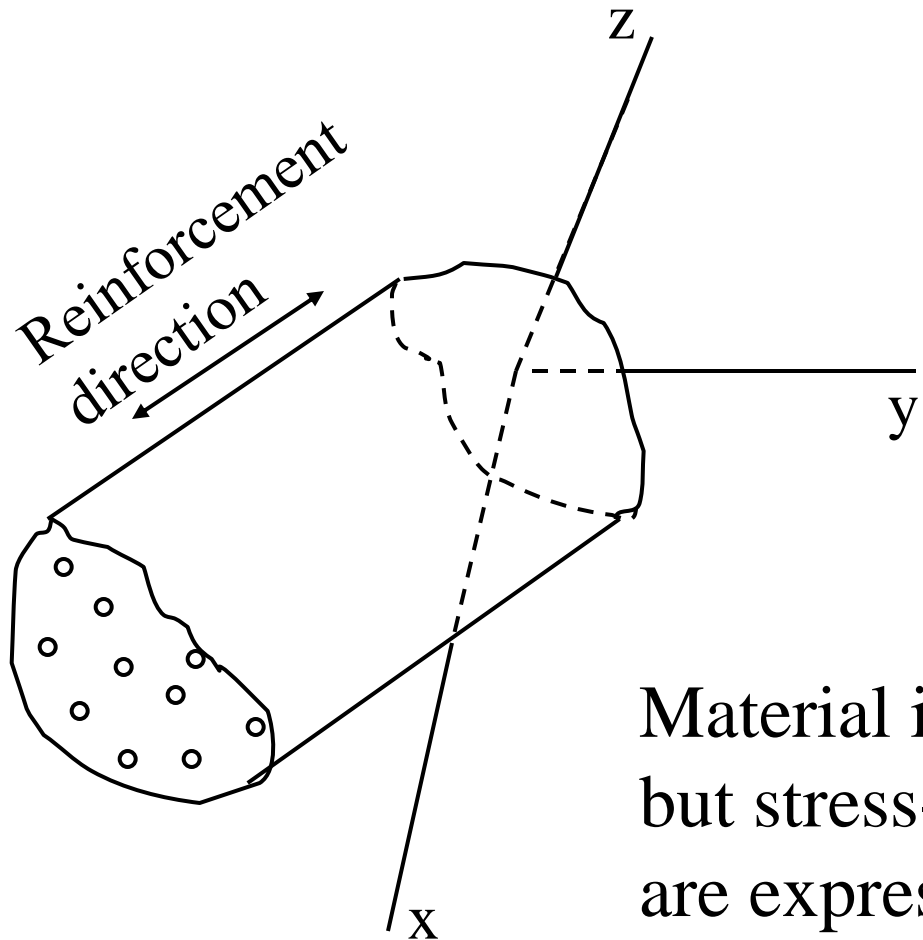
$$\sigma_z = \frac{E}{(1+\nu)(1-2\nu)} \left[(1-\nu)\varepsilon_z + \nu(\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y) \right]$$

$$\sigma_{xy} = G\gamma_{xy} = \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)}\gamma_{xy}$$

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3-D Case, Generally Orthotropic



Material is still orthotropic,
but stress-strain relations
are expressed in terms of
non-principal xyz axes

Generally Orthotropic

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_x \\ \varepsilon_y \\ \varepsilon_z \\ \gamma_{yz} \\ \gamma_{zx} \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{S}_{11} & \bar{S}_{12} & \bar{S}_{13} & \bar{S}_{14} & \bar{S}_{15} & \bar{S}_{16} \\ \bar{S}_{21} & \bar{S}_{22} & \bar{S}_{23} & \bar{S}_{24} & \bar{S}_{25} & \bar{S}_{26} \\ \bar{S}_{31} & \bar{S}_{32} & \bar{S}_{33} & \bar{S}_{34} & \bar{S}_{35} & \bar{S}_{36} \\ \bar{S}_{41} & \bar{S}_{42} & \bar{S}_{43} & \bar{S}_{44} & \bar{S}_{45} & \bar{S}_{46} \\ \bar{S}_{51} & \bar{S}_{52} & \bar{S}_{53} & \bar{S}_{54} & \bar{S}_{55} & \bar{S}_{56} \\ \bar{S}_{61} & \bar{S}_{62} & \bar{S}_{63} & \bar{S}_{64} & \bar{S}_{65} & \bar{S}_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \sigma_z \\ \tau_{yz} \\ \tau_{zx} \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix}$$

Same form as anisotropic, with 36 coefficients, but 9 are independent as with specially orthotropic case

Elastic coefficients in the stress-strain relationship for different materials and coordinate systems

Material and coordinate system	Number of nonzero coefficients	Number of independent coefficients
<i>Three – dimensional case</i>		
Anisotropic	36	21
Generally Orthotropic (nonprincipal coordinates)	36	9
Specially Orthotropic (Principal coordinates)	12	9
Specially Orthotropic, transversely isotropic	12	5
Isotropic	12	2
<i>Two – dimensional case (lamina)</i>		
Anisotropic	9	6
Generally Orthotropic (nonprincipal coordinates)	9	4
Specially Orthotropic (Principal coordinates)	5	4
Balanced orthotropic, or square symmetric (principal coordinates)	5	3
Isotropic	5	2

2-D Cases

Use 3-D equations with,

$$\sigma_3 = \tau_{13} = \tau_{23} = 0$$

Plane stress,

$$\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \tau_{12}, \neq 0$$

Or

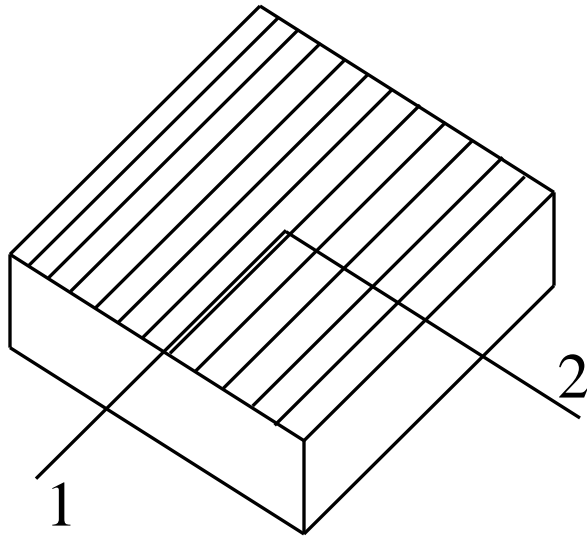
$$\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \tau_{xy}, \neq 0$$

Specially Orthotropic Lamina

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \gamma_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} & 0 \\ S_{21} & S_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & S_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.24)$$

Or

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{11} & Q_{12} & 0 \\ Q_{21} & Q_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & Q_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \gamma_{12} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.26)$$



5 Coefficients - 4 independent

Specially Orthotropic Lamina in Plane Stress

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \gamma_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} & 0 \\ S_{21} & S_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & S_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.24)$$

5 nonzero coefficients

4 independent coefficients

Or in terms of ‘engineering constants’

$$S_{11} = \frac{1}{E_1} \qquad S_{22} = \frac{1}{E_2}$$

$$S_{12} = S_{21} = -\frac{\nu_{21}}{E_2} = -\frac{\nu_{12}}{E_1} \qquad (2.25)$$

$$S_{66} = \frac{1}{G_{12}}$$

TABLE 2.2

Typical Values of Lamina Engineering Constants for Several Composites Having Fiber Volume Fraction v_f

Material	E_1 (Msi [GPa])	E_2 (Msi [GPa])	G_{12} (Msi [GPa])	ν_{12}	v_f
T300/934 carbon/epoxy	19.0 (131)	1.5 (10.3)	1.0 (6.9)	0.22	0.65
AS/3501 carbon/epoxy	20.0 (138)	1.3 (9.0)	1.0 (6.9)	0.3	0.65
P-100/ERL 1962 pitch/ carbon/epoxy	68.0 (468.9)	0.9 (6.2)	0.81 (5.58)	0.31	0.62
IM7/8551-7 carbon/ toughened epoxy	23.5(162)	1.21(8.34)	0.3(2.07)	0.34	0.6
AS4/APC2 carbon/ PEEK	19.1(131)	1.26(8.7)	0.73(5.0)	0.28	0.58
Boron/6061 boron/ aluminum	34.1(235)	19.9(137)	6.8(47.0)	0.3	0.5
Kevlar® 49/934 aramid/ epoxy	11.0 (75.8)	0.8 (5.5)	0.33 (2.3)	0.34	0.65
Scotchply® 1002 E-glass/epoxy	5.6 (38.6)	1.2 (8.27)	0.6 (4.14)	0.26	0.45
Boron/5505 boron/ epoxy	29.6 (204.0)	2.68 (18.5)	0.81 (5.59)	0.23	0.5
Spectra® 900/826 polyethylene/epoxy	4.45 (30.7)	0.51 (3.52)	0.21 (1.45)	0.32	0.65
E-glass/470-36 E-glass/vinylester	3.54 (24.4)	1.0 (6.87)	0.42 (2.89)	0.32	0.30

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Experimental Characterization of Orthotropic Lamina

- Need to measure 4 independent elastic constants
- Usually measure E_1 , E_2 , ν_{12} , G_{12}
(see ASTM test standards later in Chap. 10)

Stresses in terms of tensor strains,

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{11} & Q_{12} & 0 \\ Q_{21} & Q_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2Q_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \gamma_{12} / 2 \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.26)$$

$$\text{where } [Q] = [S]^{-1}$$

Inverting [S]:

$$Q_{11} = \frac{S_{22}}{S_{11}S_{22} - S_{12}^2} = \frac{E_1}{1 - \nu_{12}\nu_{21}}$$

$$Q_{12} = -\frac{S_{12}}{S_{11}S_{22} - S_{12}^2} = \frac{\nu_{12}E_2}{1 - \nu_{12}\nu_{21}}$$

$$Q_{22} = \frac{S_{11}}{S_{11}S_{22} - S_{12}^2} = \frac{E_2}{1 - \nu_{12}\nu_{21}}$$

$$Q_{66} = \frac{1}{S_{66}} = G_{12}$$

Off – Axis Compliances:

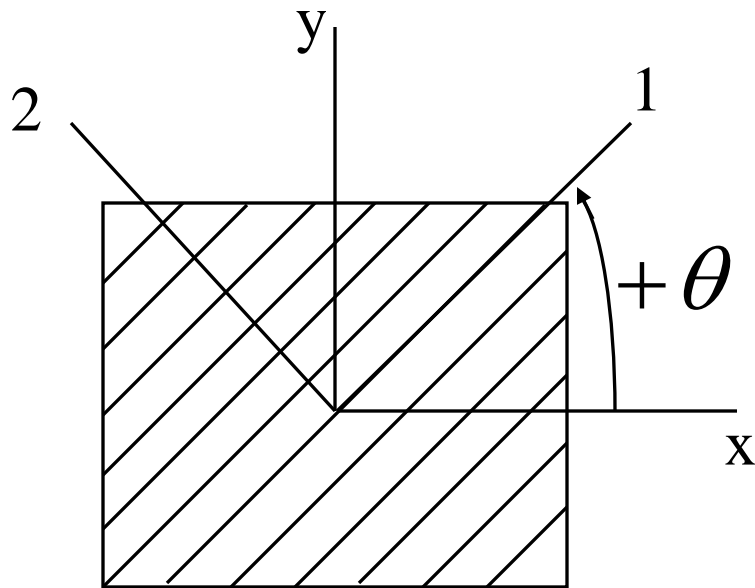
$$\bar{S}_{ij} = f_{ij} \left(\text{all } S_{ij} \text{ and angle } \theta \right)$$

Off – Axis Stiffnesses:

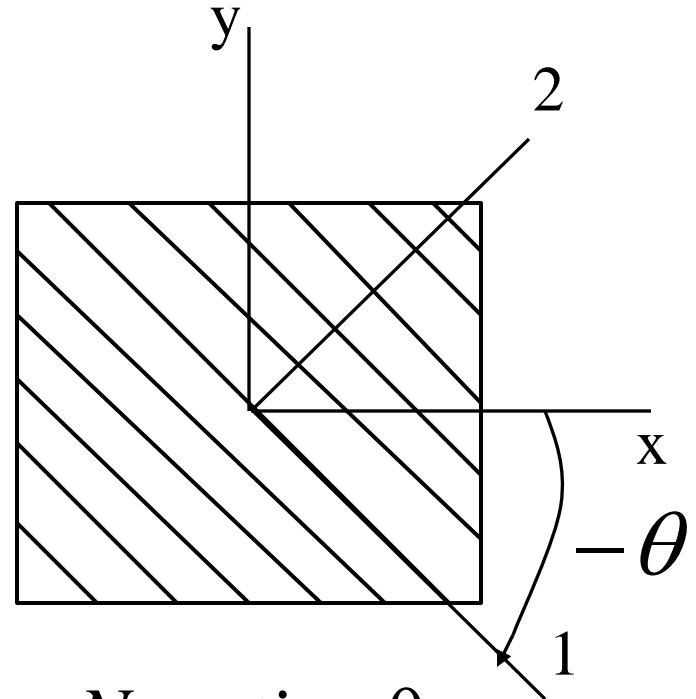
$$\bar{Q}_{ij} = f_{ij}' \left(\text{all } Q_{ij} \text{ and angle } \theta \right)$$

Where f_{ij} and f_{ij}' are found from transformations of stress and strain components from 1,2 axes to x, y axes

Sign convention for lamina orientation

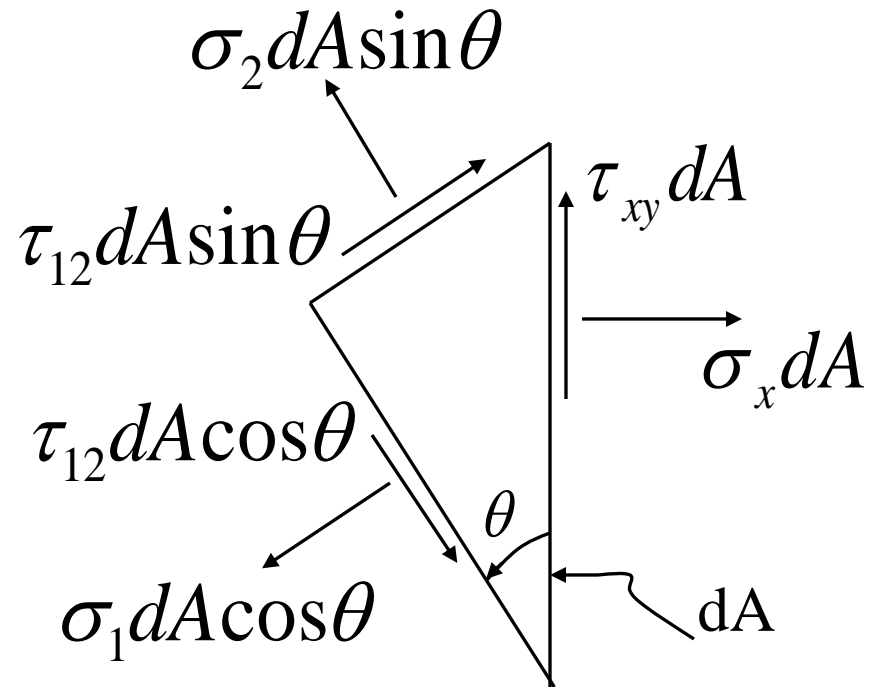
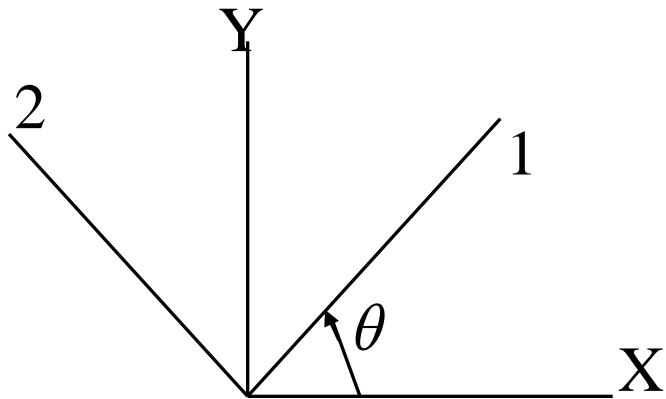


Positive θ



Negative θ

Stress Transformation:



$$\sum F_x = 0 \text{ and } \sum F_y = 0$$

$$\sum F_x = \sigma_x dA - \sigma_1 dA \cos^2 \theta - \sigma_2 dA \sin^2 \theta + 2\tau_{12} dA \sin \theta \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\therefore \sigma_x = \sigma_1 \cos^2 \theta + \sigma_2 \sin^2 \theta - 2\tau_{12} \sin \theta \cos \theta \quad (2.29)$$

$$\sum F_y = 0$$

$$\tau_{xy} = \sigma_1 \cos \theta \sin \theta - \sigma_2 \cos \theta \sin \theta + \tau_{12} (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta)$$

Equations used to generate Mohr's circle.

1 & 2 are the
material
directions, X & Y
are the force
directions

Resulting stress Transformation:

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_X \\ \sigma_Y \\ \tau_{XY} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c^2 & s^2 & -2cs \\ s^2 & c^2 & 2cs \\ cs & -cs & c^2 - s^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = [T]^{-1} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.30)$$

Where $c = \cos\theta$, $s = \sin\theta$

or

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \tau_{12} \end{Bmatrix} = [T] \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_X \\ \sigma_Y \\ \tau_{XY} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.31)$$

Where

$$[T] = \begin{bmatrix} c^2 & s^2 & 2cs \\ s^2 & c^2 & -2cs \\ -cs & cs & c^2 - s^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2.32)$$

Strain Transformation:

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_1 \\ \epsilon_2 \\ \gamma_{12}/2 \end{Bmatrix} = [T] \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_x \\ \epsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy}/2 \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.33)$$

Recall: Tensor shear strain

$$\varepsilon_{xy} = \frac{1}{2} \gamma_{xy}$$

Where γ_{xy} = engineering shear strain

or

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_x \\ \varepsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy} / 2 \end{Bmatrix} = [T]^{-1} \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \gamma_{12} / 2 \end{Bmatrix}$$

Substituting (2.33) into (2.26), then substituting the resulting equations into (2.30)

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = [T]^{-1}[Q][T] \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_x \\ \epsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy} / 2 \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.34)$$

Carrying out matrix multiplications and converting back to engineering strains,

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \overline{Q}_{11} & \overline{Q}_{12} & \overline{Q}_{16} \\ \overline{Q}_{12} & \overline{Q}_{22} & \overline{Q}_{26} \\ \overline{Q}_{16} & \overline{Q}_{26} & \overline{Q}_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_x \\ \epsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.35)$$

Where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{Q}_{11} &= Q_{11}c^4 + Q_{22}s^4 + 2(Q_{12} + 2Q_{66})s^2c^2 \\
 \bar{Q}_{11} &= \dots \\
 &\vdots \\
 \bar{Q}_{66} &= \dots
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.36}$$

Alternatively

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_x \\ \epsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{S}_{11} & \bar{S}_{12} & \bar{S}_{16} \\ \bar{S}_{12} & \bar{S}_{22} & \bar{S}_{26} \\ \bar{S}_{16} & \bar{S}_{26} & \bar{S}_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} \tag{2.37}$$

Where

$$[\bar{S}]^{-1} = [\bar{Q}]$$

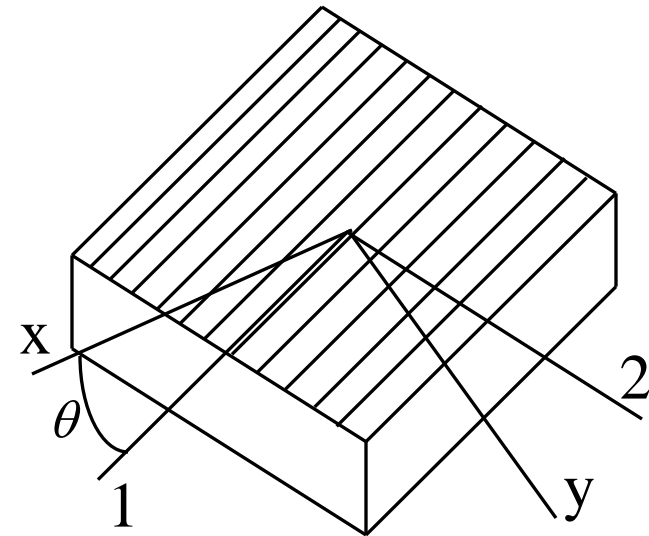
**Generally
Orthotropic
Lamina (Off
Axis)**

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_x \\ \varepsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{S}_{11} & \bar{S}_{12} & \bar{S}_{16} \\ \bar{S}_{12} & \bar{S}_{22} & \bar{S}_{26} \\ \bar{S}_{16} & \bar{S}_{26} & \bar{S}_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} \quad (2.37)$$

Or

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{Q}_{11} & \bar{Q}_{12} & \bar{Q}_{16} \\ \bar{Q}_{12} & \bar{Q}_{22} & \bar{Q}_{26} \\ \bar{Q}_{16} & \bar{Q}_{26} & \bar{Q}_{66} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_x \\ \varepsilon_y \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix}$$

9 Coefficients - 6 independent



In expanded form:

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{S}_{11} &= S_{11}c^4 + (2S_{12} + S_{66})s^2c^2 + S_{22}s^4 \\ \bar{S}_{12} &= S_{12}(s^4 + c^4) + (S_{11} + S_{22} - S_{66})s^2c^2 \\ \bar{S}_{22} &= S_{11}s^4 + (2S_{12} + S_{66})s^2c^2 + S_{22}c^4 \\ \bar{S}_{16} &= (2S_{11} - 2S_{12} - S_{66})sc^3 - (2S_{22} - 2S_{12} - S_{66})s^3c \\ \bar{S}_{26} &= (2S_{11} - 2S_{12} - S_{66})s^3c - (2S_{22} - 2S_{12} - S_{66})sc^3 \\ \bar{S}_{66} &= 2(2S_{11} + 2S_{22} - 4S_{12} - S_{66})s^2c^2 + S_{66}(s^4 + c^4)\end{aligned}\tag{2.38}$$

Off-axis lamina engineering constants

Young's modulus, E_x

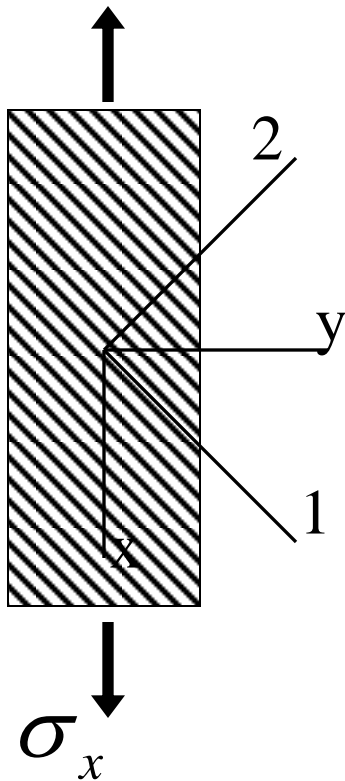
$$E_x = \frac{\sigma_x}{\varepsilon_x}$$

When $\sigma_x \neq 0$, $\sigma_y = \tau_{xy} = 0$

$$\therefore E_x = \frac{\sigma_x}{S_{11}\sigma_x} = \frac{1}{S_{11}} \quad (2.39)$$

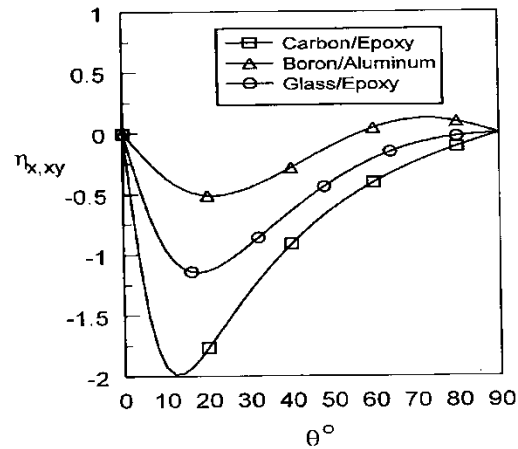
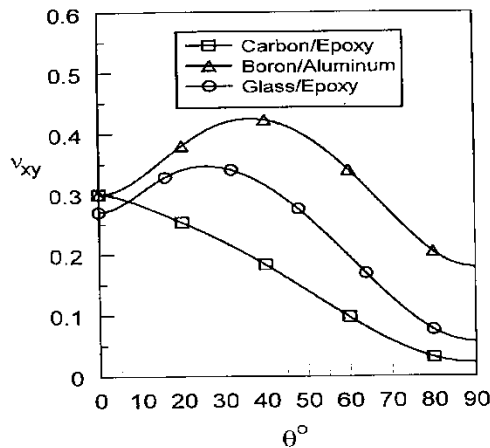
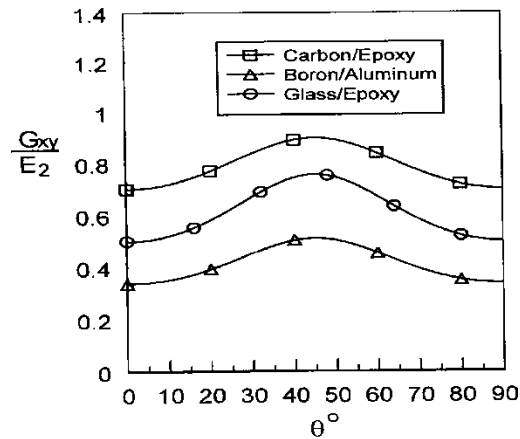
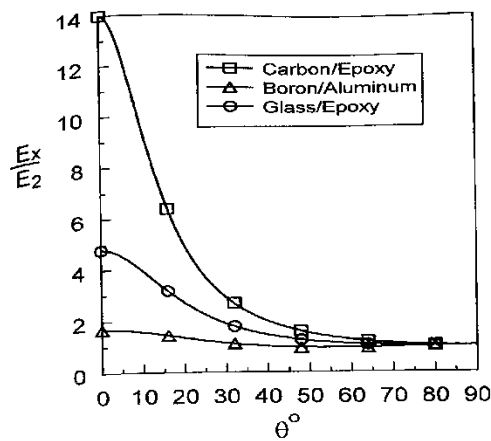
or

$$E_x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{E_1}c^4 + \left[-\frac{2\nu_{12}}{E_1} + \frac{1}{G_{12}} \right] c^2s^2 + \frac{1}{E_2}s^4} \quad (2.40)$$



Complete set of transformation equations for lamina engineering constants

$$\begin{aligned}E_x &= \left[\frac{1}{E_1} c^4 + \left(\frac{1}{G_{12}} - \frac{2\nu_{12}}{E_1} \right) s^2 c^2 + \frac{1}{E_2} s^4 \right]^{-1} \\E_y &= \left[\frac{1}{E_1} s^4 + \left(\frac{1}{G_{12}} - \frac{2\nu_{12}}{E_1} \right) s^2 c^2 + \frac{1}{E_2} c^4 \right]^{-1} \\G_{xy} &= \left[\frac{1}{G_{12}} (s^4 + c^4) + 4 \left(\frac{1}{E_1} + \frac{1}{E_2} + \frac{2\nu_{12}}{E_1} - \frac{1}{2G_{12}} \right) s^2 c^2 \right]^{-1} \\\nu_{xy} &= E_x \left[\frac{\nu_{12}}{E_1} (s^4 + c^4) - \left(\frac{1}{E_1} + \frac{1}{E_2} - \frac{1}{G_{12}} \right) s^2 c^2 \right]\end{aligned} \tag{2.40}$$



Variations of off-axis engineering constants with lamina orientation for unidirectional carbon/epoxy, boron/aluminum and glass/epoxy composites. (From Sun, C.T. 1998. *Mechanics of Aircraft Structures*. John Wiley & Sons, New York. With permission.)

Shear Coupling Ratios, or Mutual Influence Coefficients

- Quantitative measures of interaction between normal and shear response.
- Example: when $\sigma_x \neq 0$,
 $\sigma_y = \tau_{xy} = 0$,

Shear Coupling Ratio

$$\eta_{x,xy} = \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{\epsilon_x} = \frac{S_{16}\sigma_x}{S_{11}\sigma_x} = \frac{S_{16}}{S_{11}} \quad (2.41)$$

Analogous to Poisson's Ratio

Example of off-axis strain in terms of off-axis engineering constants

$$\varepsilon_x = \frac{1}{E_x} \sigma_x - \frac{\nu_{yx}}{E_y} \sigma_y + \frac{\eta_{xy,x}}{G_{xy}} \tau_{xy} \quad (2.43)$$

Compliance matrix is still symmetric for off-axis case, so that, for example

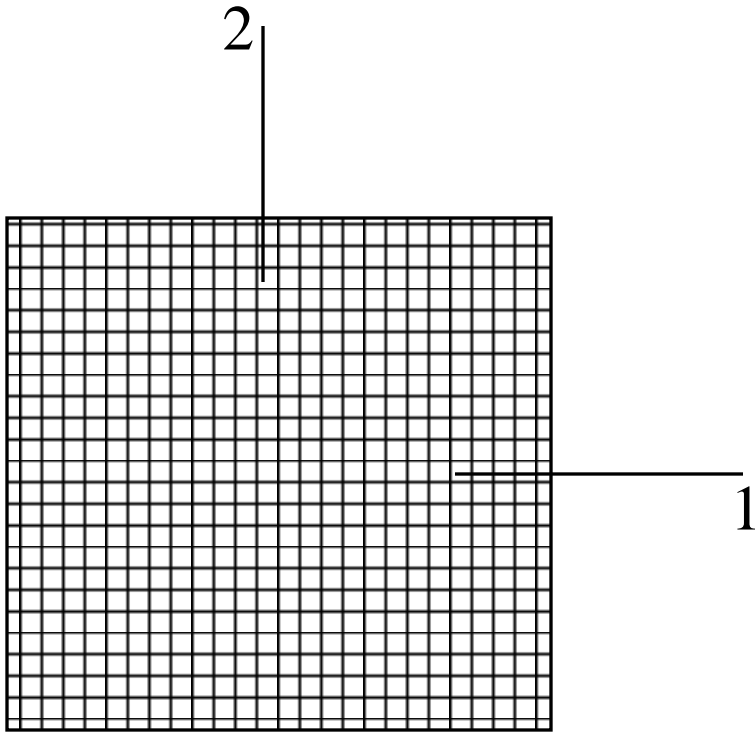
$$\bar{S}_{12} = \bar{S}_{21}$$

and

$$\frac{\nu_{yx}}{E_y} = \frac{\nu_{xy}}{E_x}$$

Balanced Orthotropic Lamina

(Ex: Woven cloth, cross-ply)



$$E_1 = E_2$$

$$Q_{11} = Q_{22}$$

$$S_{11} = S_{22}$$

Only 3 independent
coefficients

Lamina Stiffness Transformations

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \overline{Q}_{11} \\ \overline{Q}_{22} \\ \overline{Q}_{12} \\ \overline{Q}_{66} \\ \overline{Q}_{16} \\ \overline{Q}_{26} \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c^4 & s^4 & 2c^2s^2 & 4c^2s^2 \\ s^4 & c^4 & 2c^2s^2 & 4c^2s^2 \\ c^2s^2 & c^2s^2 & c^4 + s^4 & -4c^2s^2 \\ c^2s^2 & c^2s^2 & -2c^2s^2 & (c^2 - s^2)^2 \\ c^3s & -cs^3 & cs^3 - c^3s & 2(cs^3 - c^3s) \\ cs^3 & -c^3s & c^3s - cs^3 & 2(c^3s - cs^3) \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} Q_{11} \\ Q_{22} \\ Q_{12} \\ Q_{66} \end{Bmatrix}$$

Use of Invariants

The lamina stiffness transformations can be written as:

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{Q}_{11} &= U_1 + U_2 \cos 2\theta + U_3 \cos 4\theta \\ \bar{Q}_{12} &= U_4 - U_3 \cos 4\theta \\ \bar{Q}_{22} &= U_1 - U_2 \cos 2\theta + U_3 \cos 4\theta \\ \bar{Q}_{16} &= \frac{U_2}{2} \sin 2\theta + U_3 \sin 4\theta \\ \bar{Q}_{26} &= \frac{U_2}{2} \sin 2\theta - U_3 \sin 4\theta\end{aligned}\tag{2.44}$$

Where the invariants are

$$U_1 = \frac{1}{8}(3Q_{11} + 3Q_{22} + 2Q_{12} + 4Q_{66})$$

$$U_2 = \frac{1}{8}(Q_{11} - Q_{22})$$

$$U_3 = \frac{1}{8}(Q_{11} + Q_{22} - 2Q_{12} - 4Q_{66}) \quad (2.45)$$

$$U_4 = \frac{1}{8}(Q_{11} + Q_{22} + 6Q_{12} - 4Q_{66})$$

$$U_5 = \frac{1}{8}(Q_{11} + Q_{22} + 4Q_{66} - 2Q_{12})$$

Alternatively, the off-axis compliances can be expressed as

$$\bar{S}_{11} = V_1 + V_2 \cos 2\theta + V_3 \cos 4\theta$$

$$\bar{S}_{12} = V_4 - V_3 \cos 4\theta$$

$$\bar{S}_{22} = V_1 - V_2 \cos 2\theta + V_3 \cos 4\theta \quad (2.46)$$

$$\bar{S}_{16} = V_2 \sin 2\theta + 2V_3 \sin 4\theta$$

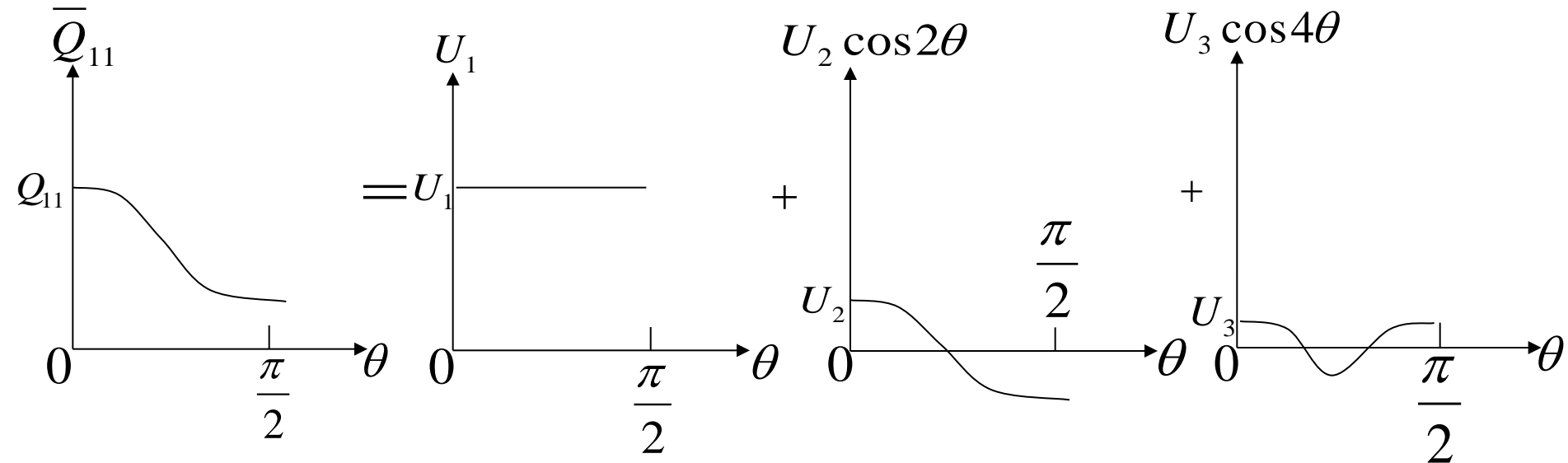
$$\bar{S}_{26} = V_2 \sin 2\theta - 2V_3 \sin 4\theta$$

$$\bar{S}_{66} = 2(V_1 - V_4) - 4V_3 \cos 4\theta$$

where the invariants are

$$\begin{aligned}V_1 &= \frac{1}{8}(3S_{11} + 3S_{22} + 2S_{12} + S_{66}) \\V_2 &= \frac{1}{2}(S_{11} - S_{22}) \\V_3 &= \frac{1}{8}(S_{11} + S_{22} - 2S_{12} - S_{66}) \\V_4 &= \frac{1}{8}(S_{11} + S_{22} + 6S_{12} - S_{66})\end{aligned}\tag{2.47}$$

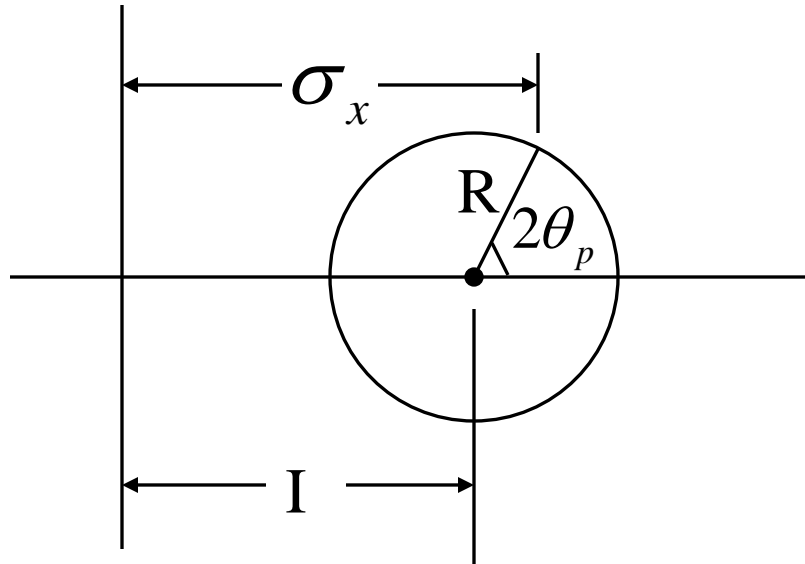
Example: decomposition of \bar{Q}_{11} using invariants



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Invariants in transformation of stresses: Mohr's circle



Ex :

$$\sigma_x = I + R \cos 2\theta_p$$

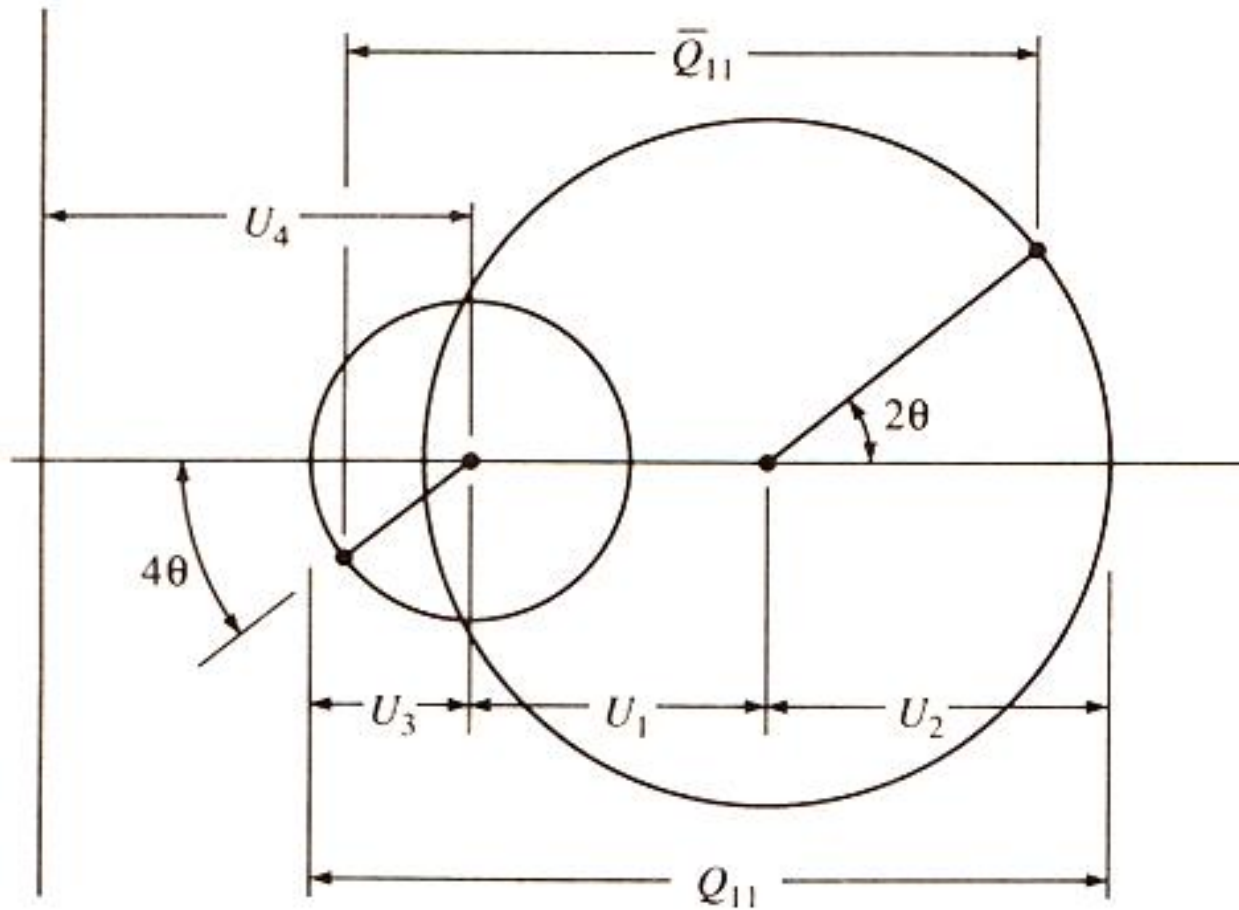
Where

$$I = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} = \text{Invariant} \quad (2.48)$$

$$R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2} = \text{Invariant}$$

Similar graphical interpretation of stiffness transformations

$$\text{Ex: } \bar{Q}_{11} = \underbrace{U_1}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Isotropic} \\ \text{Part}}} + \underbrace{U_2 \cos 2\theta + U_3 \cos 4\theta}_{\text{Orthotropic Part}} \quad (2.49)$$



U_1 and U_4 : First order invariants

U_2 and U_3 : Second order invariants

Radii of circles indicates degree of orthotropy.

(i.e., if $U_2=U_3=0$, we have isotropic material)