

# **Prediction of Carbon Fibre Composite Failure using ML**

**CS-433**

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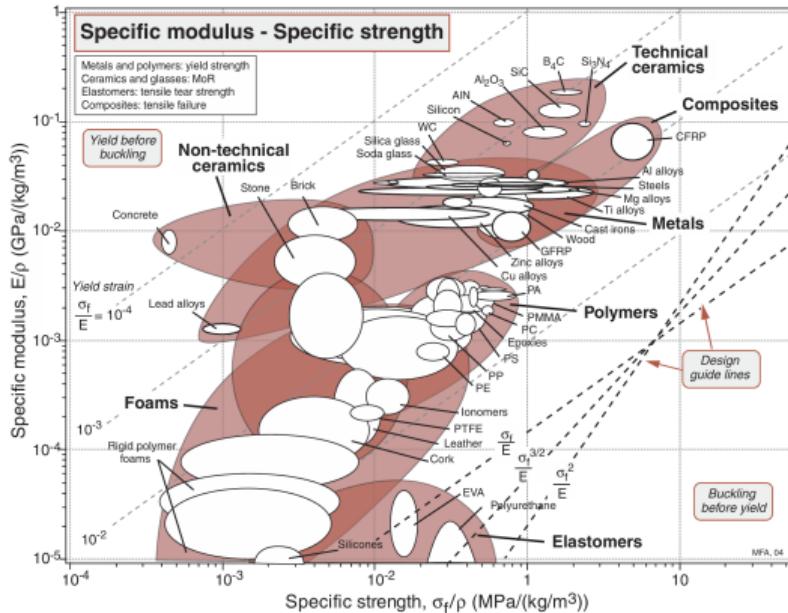
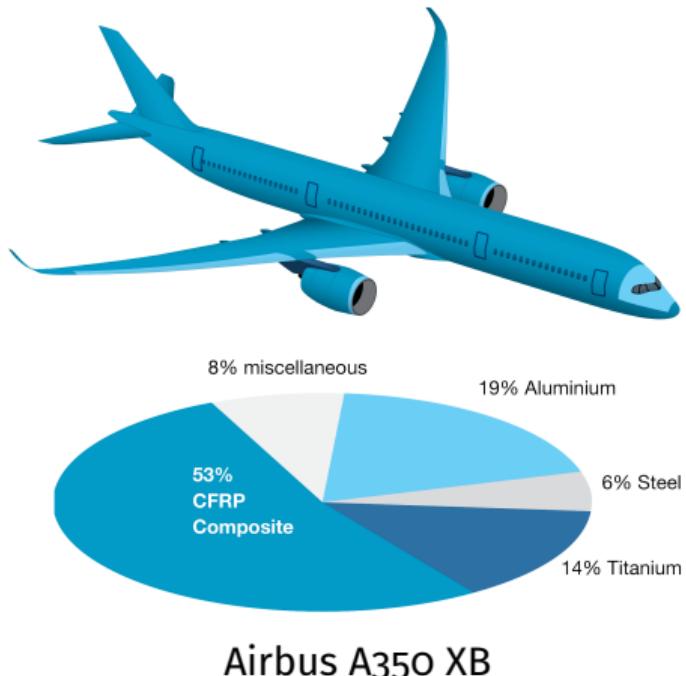
# Introduction



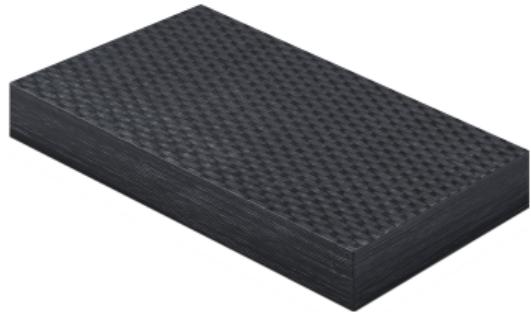
Alfa Romeo 2023 livery

# Introduction

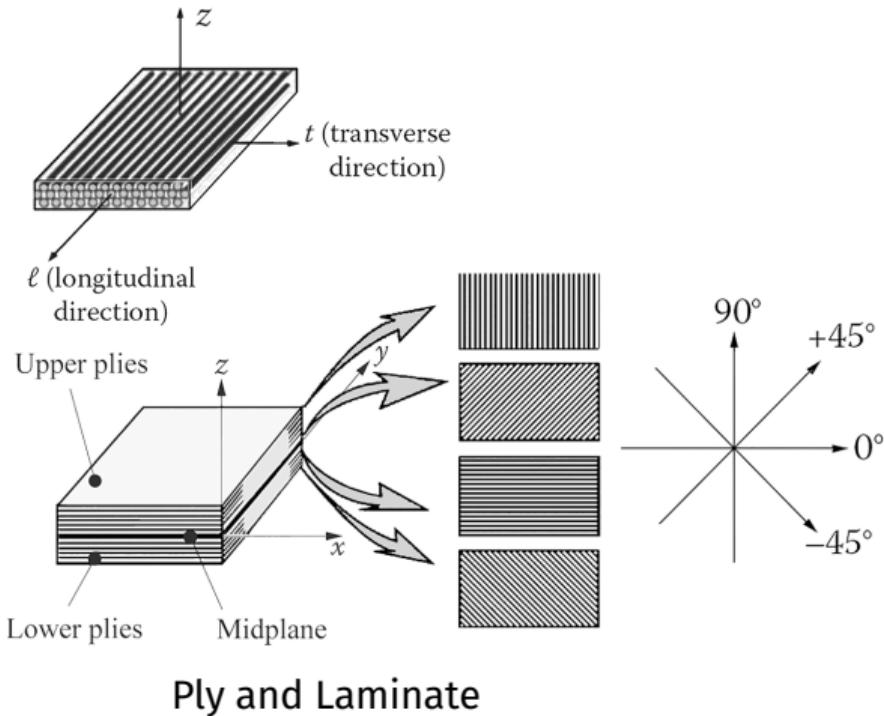
CFRP: Carbon Fibre Reinforced Plastic



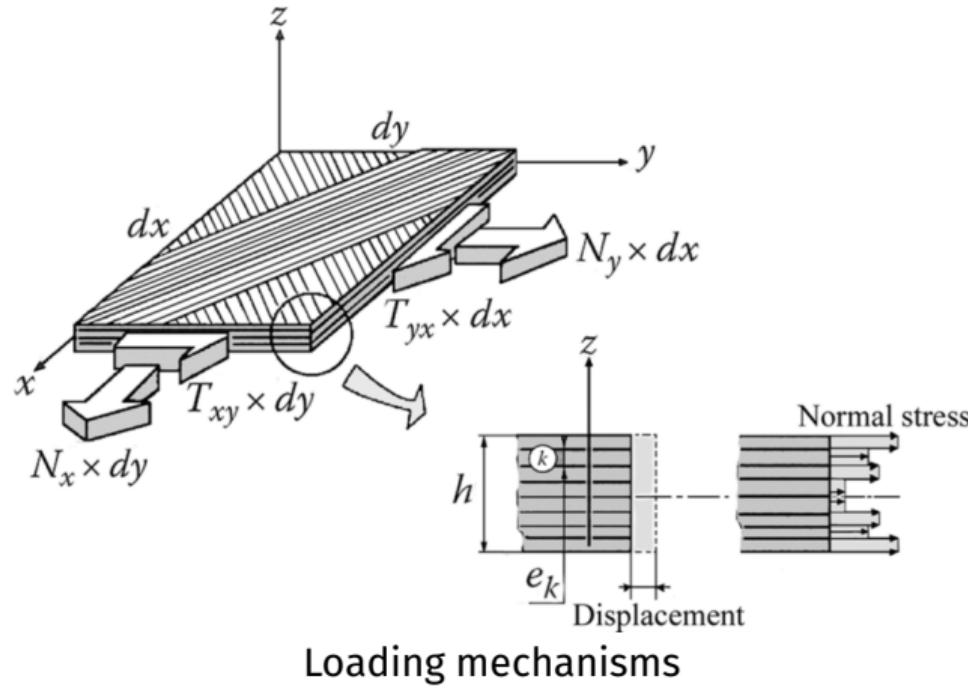
# Composite laminate



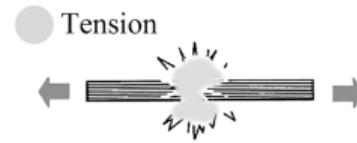
A CFRP plate



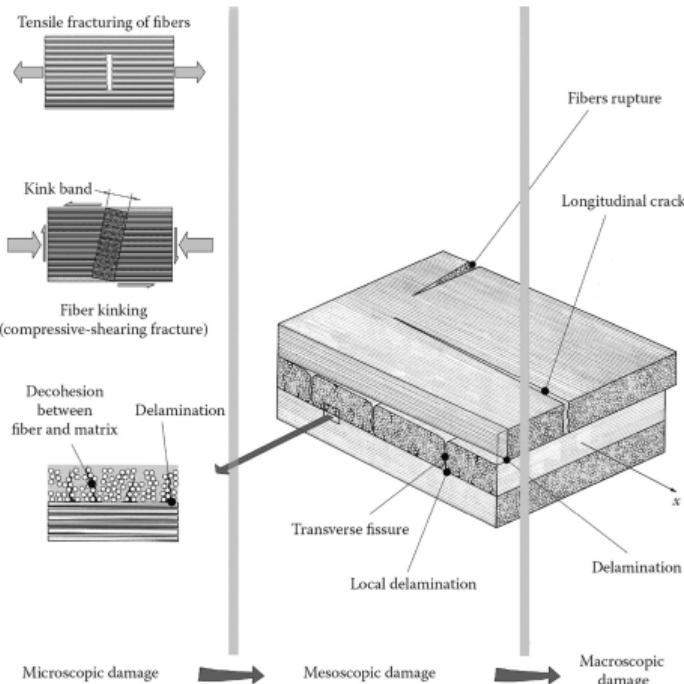
# Loading mechanisms



# Damage mechanisms



Modes of damage

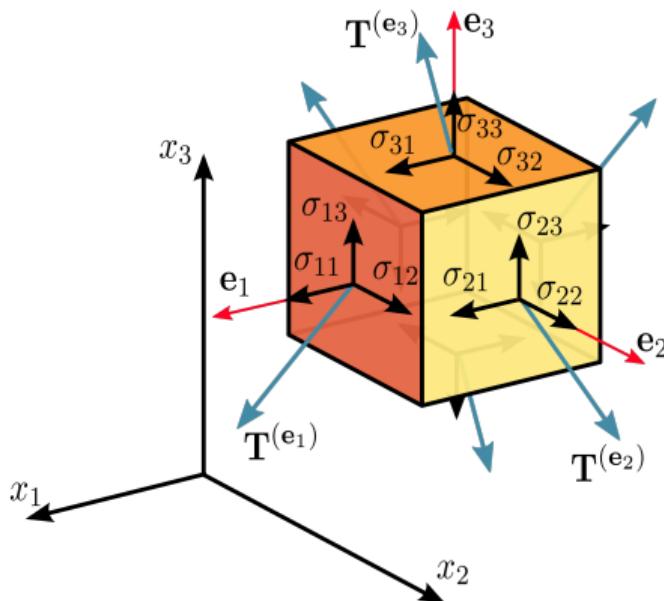


Damage evolution in a laminate



Any questions so far?

# Stress-strain state



Stress state of a cube of matter

Tensor notation:

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} & \sigma_{12} & \sigma_{13} \\ \sigma_{21} & \sigma_{22} & \sigma_{23} \\ \sigma_{31} & \sigma_{32} & \sigma_{33} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_{11} & \varepsilon_{12} & \varepsilon_{13} \\ \varepsilon_{21} & \varepsilon_{22} & \varepsilon_{23} \\ \varepsilon_{31} & \varepsilon_{32} & \varepsilon_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Constitutive relation:  $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \mathbf{C} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$  with  $\mathbf{C}$  the stiffness matrix.

Voigt/Engineering notation:

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = [\sigma_1 \quad \sigma_2 \quad \sigma_3 \quad \tau_{23} \quad \tau_{13} \quad \tau_{12}]^T$$

$$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = [\varepsilon_1 \quad \varepsilon_2 \quad \varepsilon_3 \quad \gamma_{23} \quad \gamma_{13} \quad \gamma_{12}]^T$$

Relations between tensor and engineering components:

$$\sigma_1 = \sigma_{11}, \quad \sigma_2 = \sigma_{22}, \quad \sigma_3 = \sigma_{33},$$

$$\tau_{23} = \sigma_{23}, \quad \tau_{13} = \sigma_{13}, \quad \tau_{12} = \sigma_{12},$$

$$\varepsilon_1 = \varepsilon_{11}, \quad \varepsilon_2 = \varepsilon_{22}, \quad \varepsilon_3 = \varepsilon_{33},$$

$$\gamma_{23} = 2\varepsilon_{23}, \quad \gamma_{13} = 2\varepsilon_{13}, \quad \gamma_{12} = 2\varepsilon_{12}$$

# Failure criterion

**Concept:** A failure criterion/index predicts when a composite ply fails under a given stress state.

$$F = f(\sigma; P)$$

$\sigma$ : stress state in ply coordinates  $\rightarrow [\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \sigma_z, \tau_{yz}, \tau_{xz}, \tau_{xy}]^T$

$P$ : material parameters (e.g. strengths, stiffness, empirical coefficients, etc.)

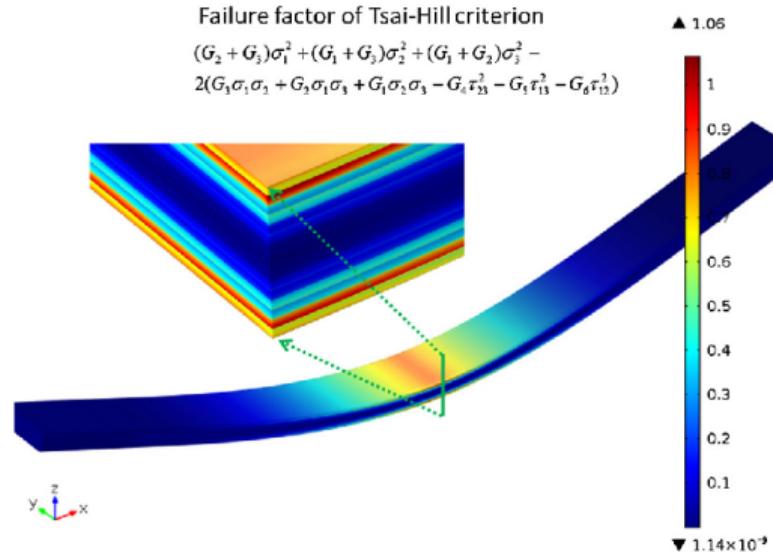
$F < 1 \Rightarrow$  safe,    $F = 1 \Rightarrow$  failure onset,    $F > 1 \Rightarrow$  failed

## Tsai-Hill criterion (2D only)

$$F = f(\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \tau_{xy}; X, Y, S) = \left( \frac{\sigma_x}{X} \right)^2 - \frac{\sigma_x \sigma_y}{X^2} + \left( \frac{\sigma_y}{Y} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\tau_{xy}}{S} \right)^2$$

with  $X, Y, S$  the strengths in resp. the fiber, transverse, and shear directions

# Project motivation



Failure index in a long-beam bended laminate

→ Model the laminate as a homogeneous material and apply a failure criterion directly

# Dataset

## Generation

- 1 Generation of a global random strain state  $\varepsilon$
- 2 Evaluation of the stresses for 4 different ply orientations,  $k \in [0, 45, 90, -45]^\circ$
- 3 Evaluation of 4 different failure criteria

	Tension (t)	Compression (c)
Fibre (f)	$F_{f,t}$	$F_{f,c}$
Matrix (m)	$F_{m,t}$	$F_{m,c}$

$${}^k\boldsymbol{F} = \begin{bmatrix} {}^kF_{f,t} \\ {}^kF_{f,c} \\ {}^kF_{m,t} \\ {}^kF_{m,c} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Dataset

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results (list)
  +- [i] (dict)
  |  +- 'eps': np.ndarray(6, )
  |  +- 'plies' (dict)
  |    +- 0.0 (dict)
  |      +- 'criteria' (dict)
  |        +- 'F_ft': np.float64
  |        +- 'F_fc': np.float64
  |        +- 'F_mt': np.float64
  |        \-- 'F_mc': np.float64
  +- 45.0 (dict)
  +- 90.0 (dict)
  \-- -45.0 (dict)
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# Different possibilities of subject

- 1 Pure regression: e.g., predict the max failure index, predict all the failure indices  
→ 16 different indices
- 2 Pure classification: e.g., predict if the stress-state is safe or not, predict the failure mode or the first failing ply (ffp)
- 3 Hybrid: e.g., predict failure mode and then failure index

If you are accepted, we will define your subject together during our first meeting.

# Enrollment & others

- It would be best to provide an answer before Friday (07.11) afternoon
- You will receive a confirmation of acceptance by Wednesday (12.11) morning
- I would be available during the project to discuss and help

# Thanks for your attention!



Any questions ?