

QUESTION

Strain Displacement Relation From Cylindrical To Spherical Coordinate System

ANSWER

Relation between spherical & cylindrical coordinates is:

$$r = \rho \sin \phi, \quad z = \rho \cos \phi, \quad \theta = \phi$$

$$\text{Here, } \rho = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}, \quad \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right), \quad \phi = \arccos\left(\frac{z}{\rho}\right)$$

Partial derivatives for above eq's are:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} &= \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ &= \sin \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ &= \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \\ &= \cos \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{r z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \end{aligned}$$

$$u_r = u_\rho \sin \phi + u_\phi \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}}; \quad u_z = u_\rho \cos \phi + u_\phi \frac{r z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}}; \quad u_\theta = u_\phi$$

Calculating $e_\rho = \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial r}$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{e}_\rho &= \sin \phi \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left(u_\rho \sin \phi + u_\phi \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \right) \right] + \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \left[u_\rho \sin \phi + u_\phi \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \right] \\ &= \left[\frac{\partial u_\rho}{\partial \rho} \sin^2 \phi + \frac{\partial u_\phi}{\partial \rho} \cdot \frac{r^2 \sin \phi}{\rho^{3/2} \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} + \frac{u_\phi r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \cdot \frac{\sin \phi}{\rho^{-5/2}} + \frac{\partial u_\rho}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{\sin \phi r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} + \frac{r^2 u_\phi \cos \phi}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\partial u_\phi}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{r^4}{\rho^3 (r^2 + z^2)} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{e}_\rho &= \frac{\partial u_\rho}{\partial \rho} \sin^2 \phi + \left(\frac{\partial u_\phi}{\partial \rho} \cdot \frac{1}{\rho^{3/2}} + \frac{u_\phi}{\rho^{-5/2}} + \frac{\partial u_\rho}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{1}{\rho^{3/2}} \right) \frac{r^2 \sin \phi}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} + \left(-u_\rho \cos \phi + \frac{\partial u_\phi}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{1}{\rho^3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \right) \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{e}_\phi = \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial z}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{e}_\phi &= \cos \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left[u_\rho \cos \phi + u_\phi \frac{r z}{\rho^{3/2} \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \right] + \frac{r z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \left[u_\rho \cos \phi + u_\phi \frac{r z}{\rho^{3/2} \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \right] \\ &= \frac{\partial u_\rho}{\partial \rho} \cos^2 \phi + \left(\frac{\partial u_\phi}{\partial \rho} \cdot \frac{1}{\rho^{3/2}} + \frac{u_\phi}{\rho^{-5/2}} + \frac{\partial u_\rho}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{1}{\rho^{3/2}} \right) \frac{\cos \phi \cdot r z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} + \left(\frac{\partial u_\phi}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{r z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{u_\rho \sin \phi}{\rho^{3/2}} \right) \frac{r z}{\sqrt{r^2 + z^2}} \end{aligned}$$

Strain-Displacement relation becomes,

$$e_\rho = \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial r}, \quad e_\phi = \frac{1}{\rho} \left(u_r + \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial \phi} \right)$$

$$e_\theta = \frac{1}{\rho \sin \phi} \left(\frac{\partial u_\theta}{\partial \theta} + \sin \phi u_r + \cos \phi u_z \right)$$

$$e_{\phi\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial \rho} - \frac{u_z}{\rho} \right)$$

$$e_{\phi 0} = \frac{1}{2f} \left(\frac{1}{\sin \phi} \cdot \frac{\partial u_z}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial u_{\theta}}{\partial \rho} - \cot \phi u_{\theta} \right)$$

$$e_{\theta f} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{f \sin \phi} \cdot \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial u_{\theta}}{\partial f} - \frac{u_{\theta}}{f} \right)$$
