



# Conception optimale pour l'ingénieur (Aerospace)

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2025

# AU PROGRAMME

## Python based

	<b>lundi 31 mars 2025</b>		
		09h15 - 12h45	MORLIER Joseph
		14h00 - 16h15	MORLIER Joseph
	<b>mardi 01 avril 2025</b>		
		09h15 - 12h45	MORLIER Joseph
		14h00 - 16h15	MORLIER Joseph
	<b>mercredi 02 avril 2025</b>		
		09h15 - 12h45	MORLIER Joseph MURADÁS ODRIOZOLA Daniel
		14h00 - 16h15	MAS COLOMER JOAN MURADÁS ODRIOZOLA Daniel
	<b>jeudi 03 avril 2025</b>		
		09h15 - 12h45	MAS COLOMER JOAN MURADÁS ODRIOZOLA Daniel

**Intro: Sustainable Aviation (Materials) With Both Eyes Open**

**Design optimization 1: constrained optimization, MOO, Sensibility with examples**

**Project DO 1 2 3**

**Topology Optimization with examples**

**Material ecoselection, Ashby Diagram and more**

**Projet DO 1 2 3**

**Wrap up and demo from students**

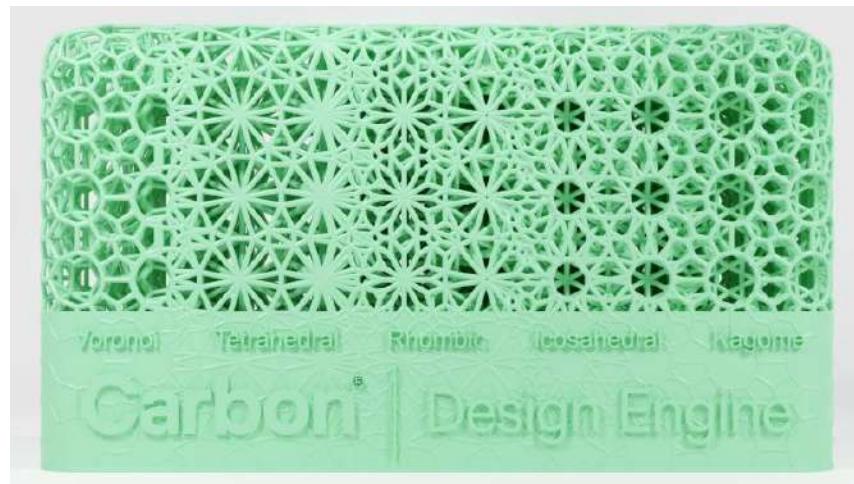
**Intro to MDAO**

**Static Aeroelastic problem is a MDAO problem**

**Airbus PROJECT by TEAM of 3 (marked\*)**

<b>vendredi 04 avril 2025</b>	<b>ORAL MARKED*</b>	
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# Eco informed Material Selection?



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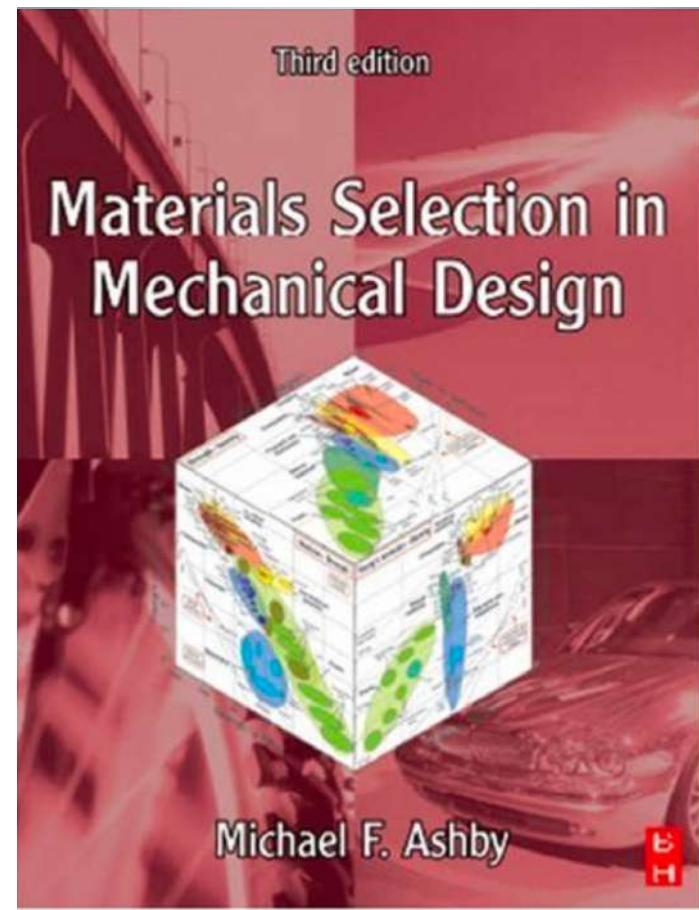
## Au programme (14H-17H15)

- 1/ Eco Material selection course
- 2/ Exercices using Ahsby diagram  
(pen&paper)



## Learning outcomes

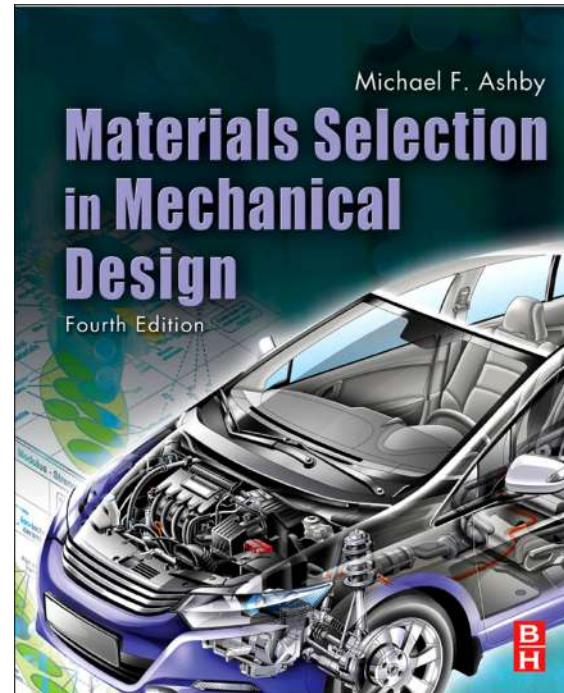
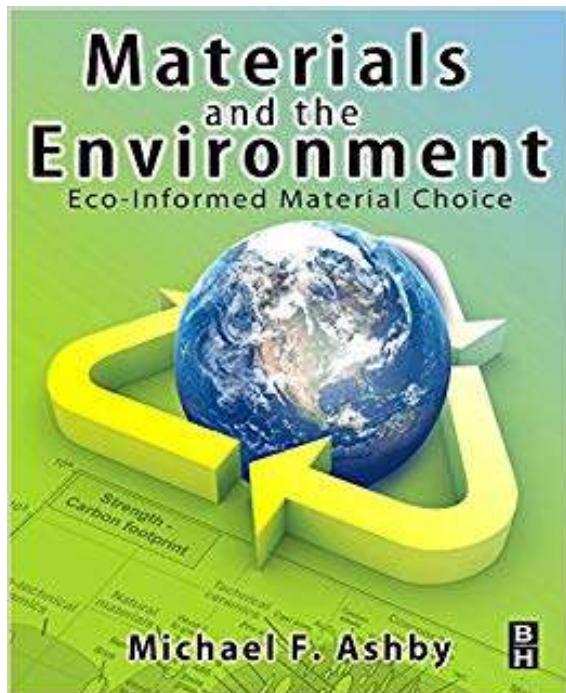
- 1/ Discovering Material profiles
- 2/ Use Ashby's diagram
- 3/ Select material (mono& multiobjective)
- 4/ Discovering Eco Properties



Prof. Ashby

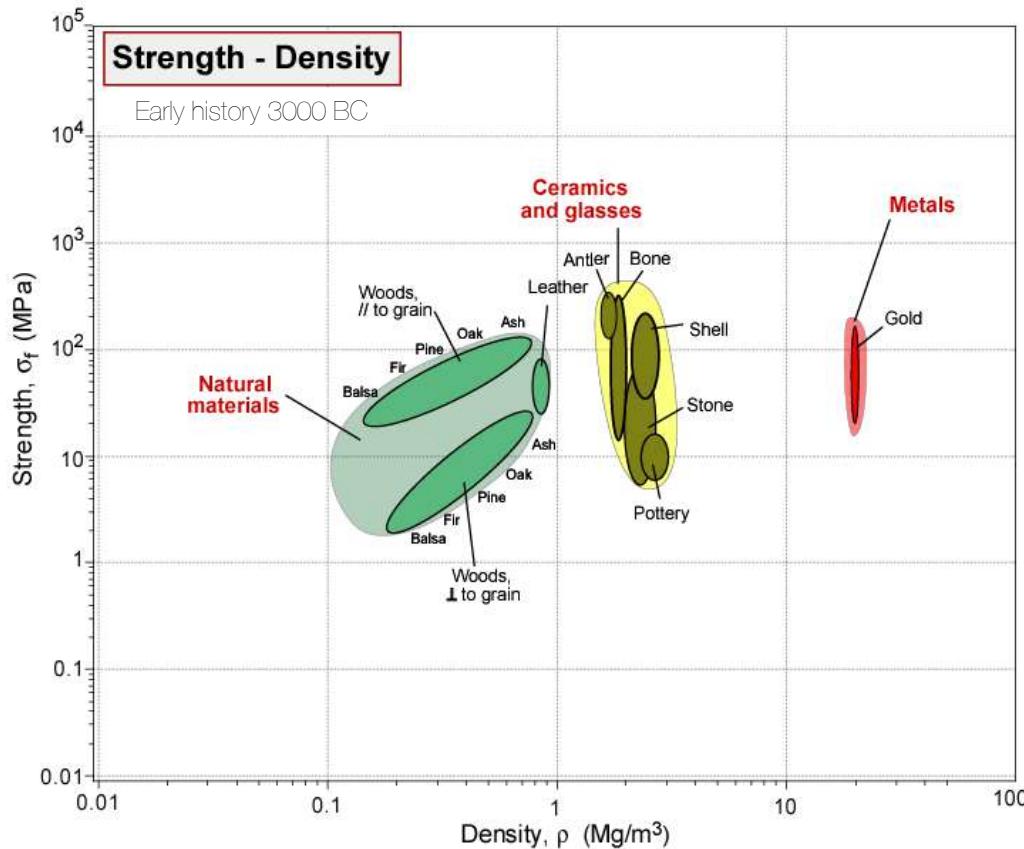


To Start



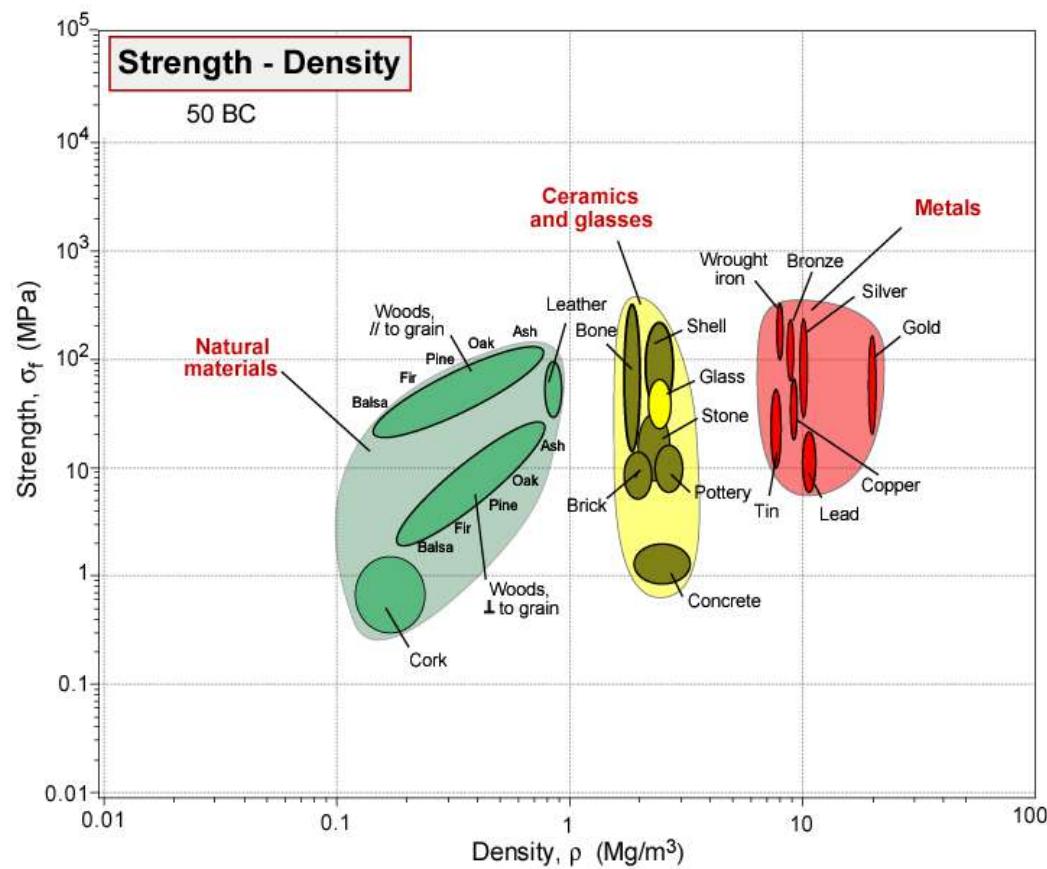
# The evolution of structural materials

from Mike Ashby, 2018



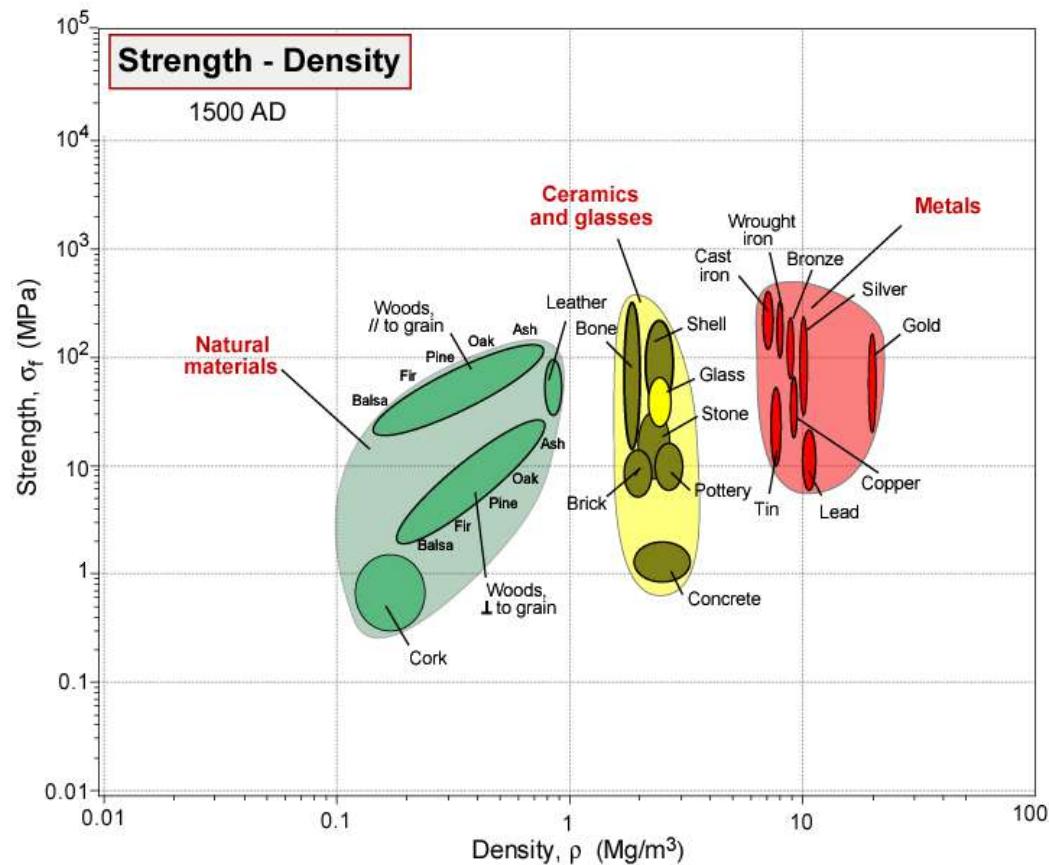
Egyptian Pyramids

50BC



Roman Temples

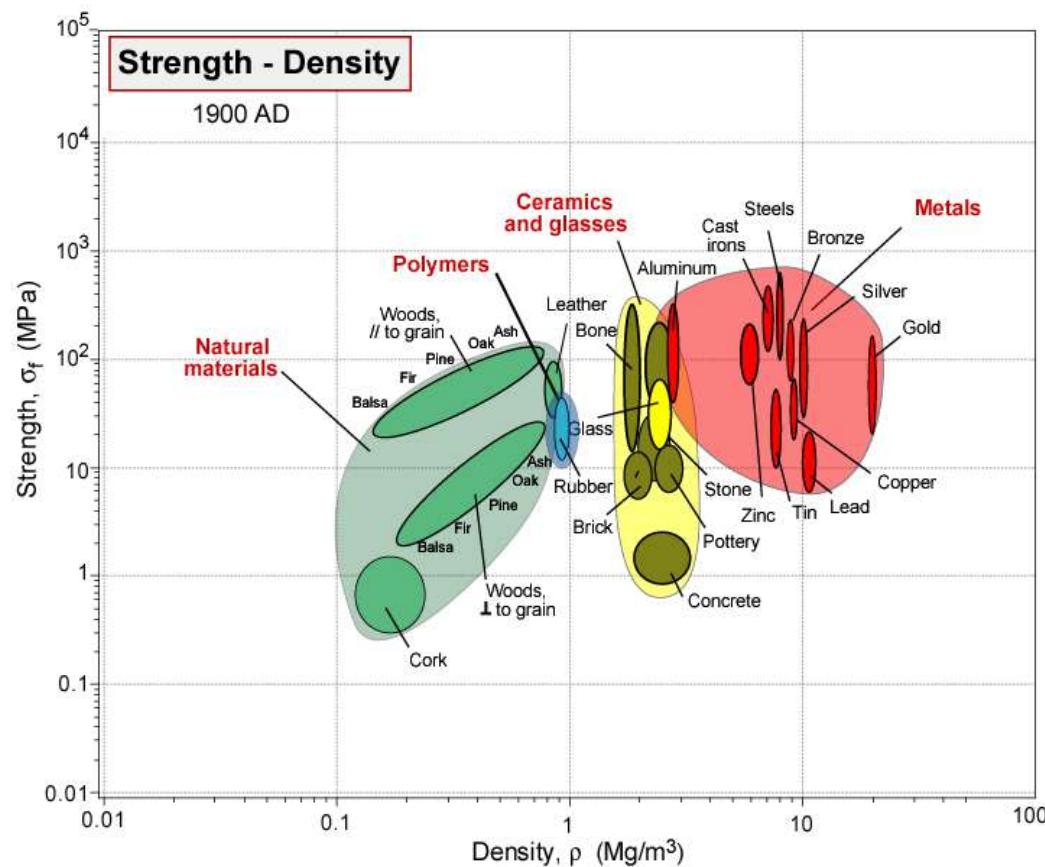
# 1500 AD



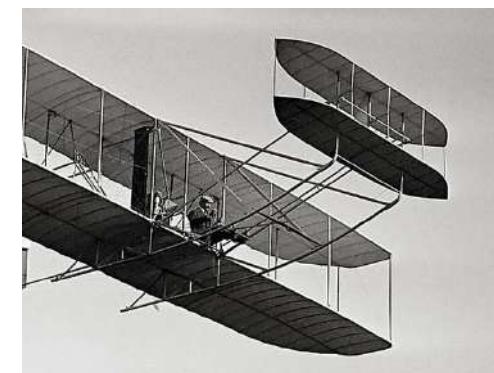
Medieval Castles



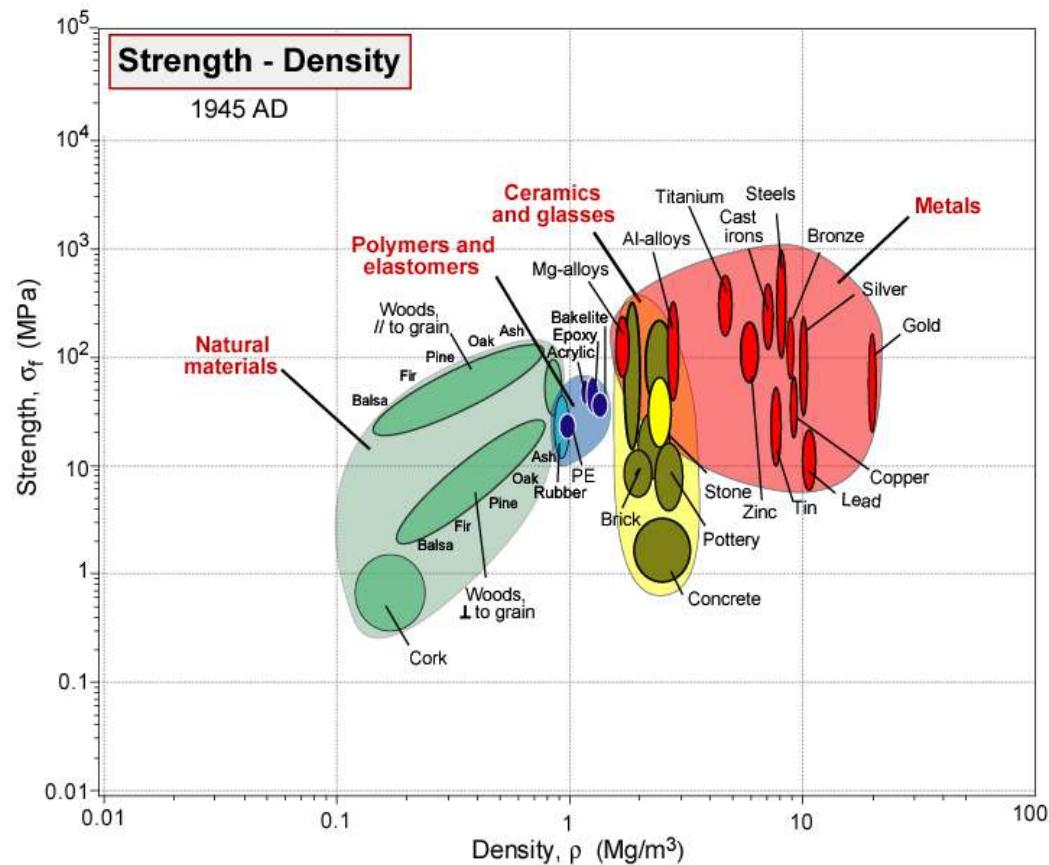
# 1900 AD



Art Nouveau



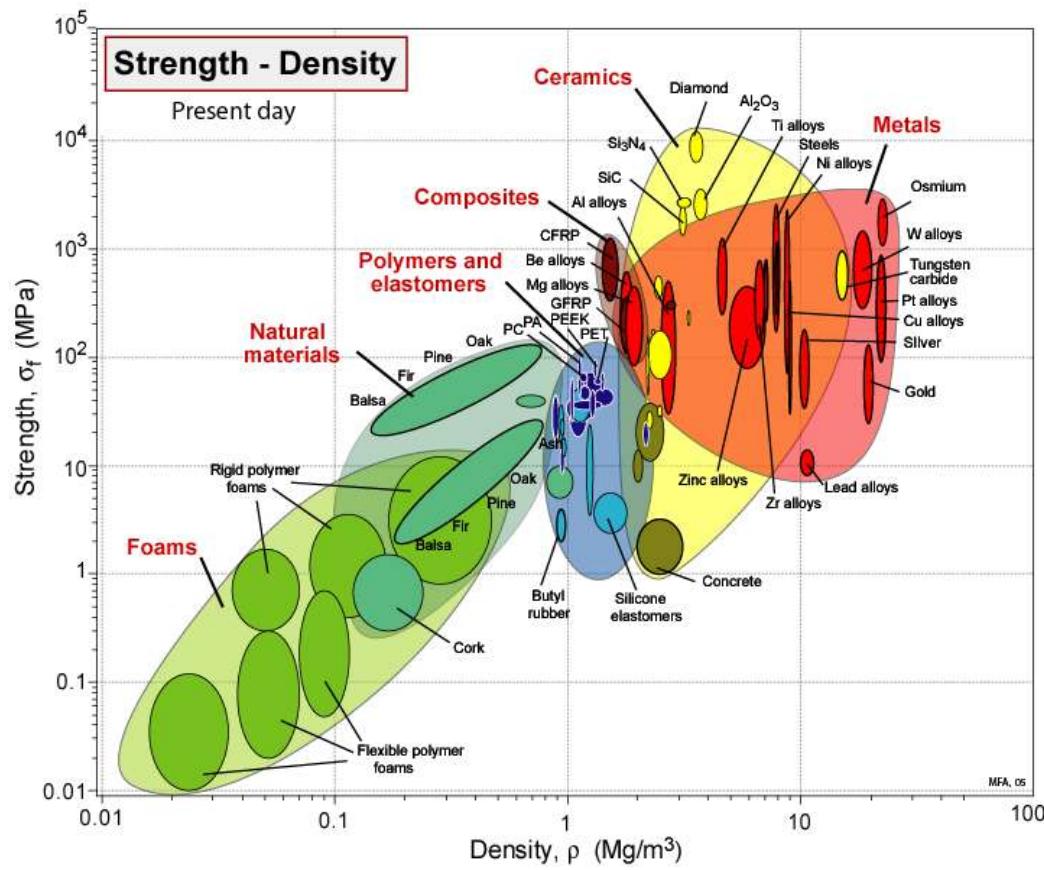
# 1945 AD



Skyscrapers



# PRESENT DAY



21<sup>st</sup> Century



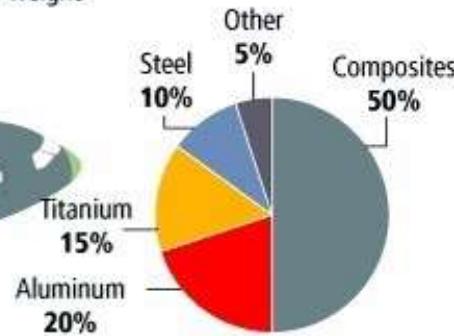
# Why ?

**Materials used in 787 body**

- █ Fiberglass
- █ Aluminum
- █ Carbon laminate composite
- █ Carbon sandwich composite
- █ Aluminum/steel/titanium

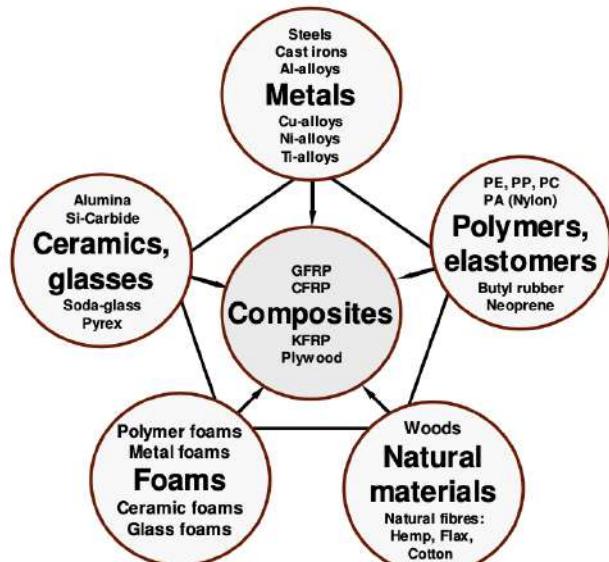


**Total materials used**  
By weight

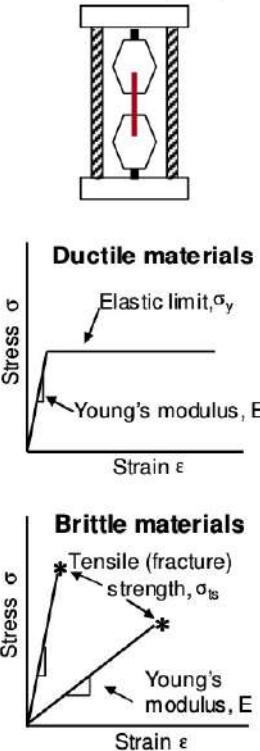


**By comparison,** the 777 uses 12 percent composites and 50 percent aluminum.

# The world of materials



## Mechanical properties



### General

Weight: Density  $\rho$ , Mg/m<sup>3</sup>  
 Expense: Cost/kg  $C_m$ , \$/kg

### Mechanical

Stiffness: Young's modulus  $E$ , GPa  
 Strength: Elastic limit  $\sigma_y$ , MPa  
 Fracture strength: Tensile strength  $\sigma_{ts}$ , MPa  
 Brittleness: Fracture toughness  $K_{ic}$ , MPa.m<sup>1/2</sup>

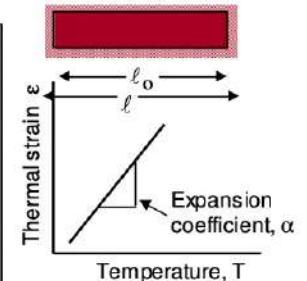
### Thermal

Expansion: Expansion coeff.  $\alpha$ , 1/K  
 Conduction: Thermal conductivity  $\lambda$ , W/m.K

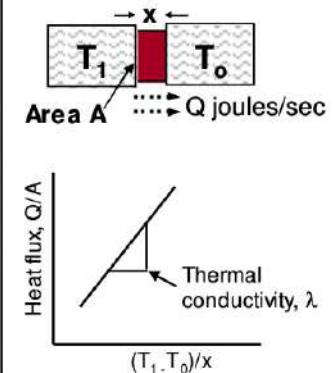
### Electrical

Conductor? Insulator?

## Thermal expansion



## Thermal conduction



# MATERIAL AS A NEW DESIGN VARIABLE

## More DATA than {E, rho} in DMO

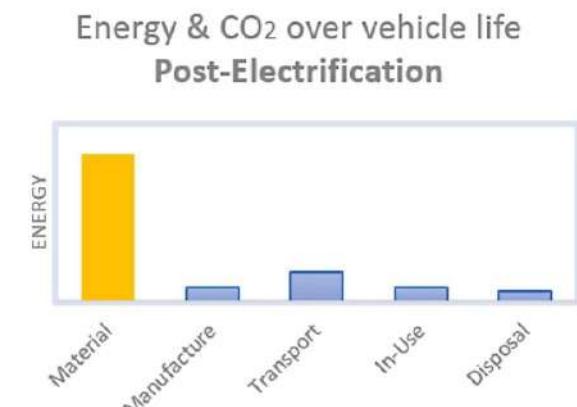
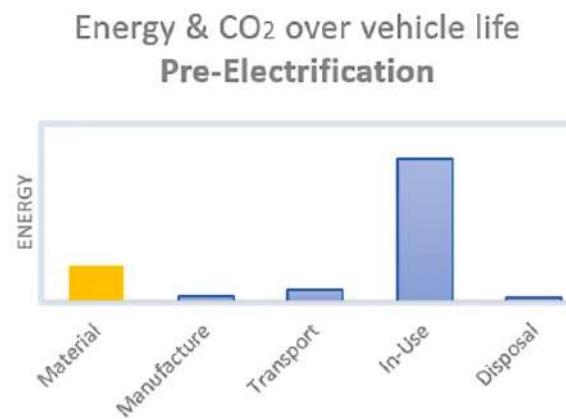


**Le matériau composite dans la structure :  
objet d'étude et variable de conception**

par

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*The overall importance on material selection will increase post-electrification*

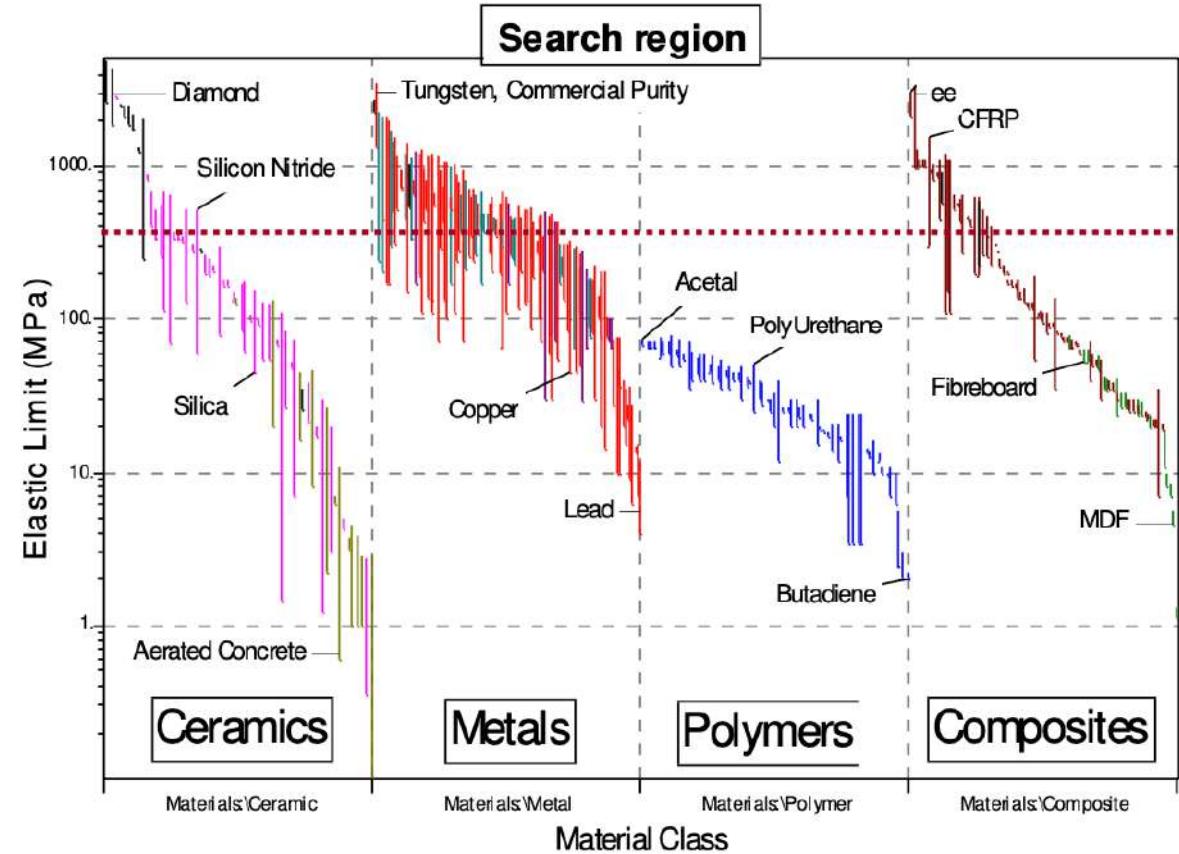
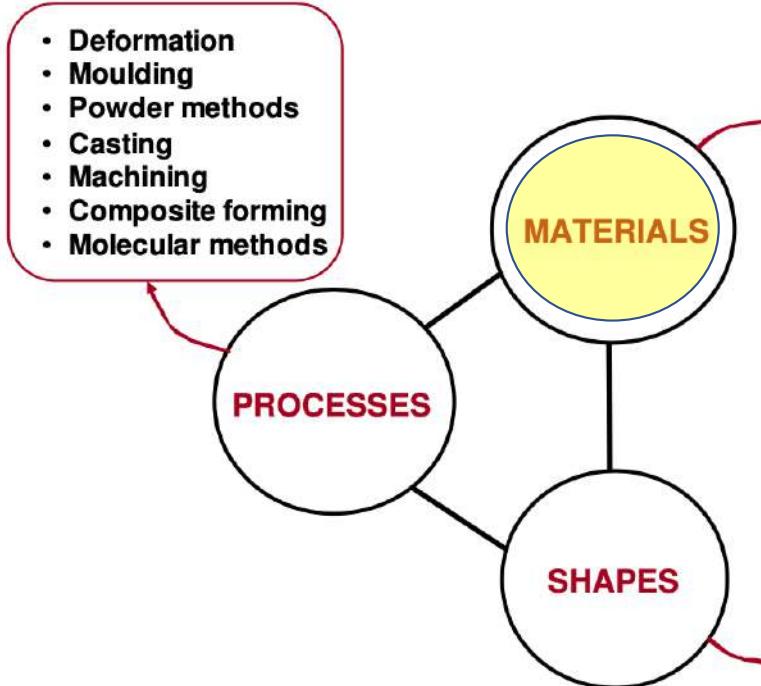
# Au programme

- Part 1 Overview of material's world
- Part 2 Lightest strong
- Part 3 Lightest stiff
- Part 4 GHG footprint
- Part 5 Optimization with multiple objectives (Mass-cost i.e. 2 objectives)

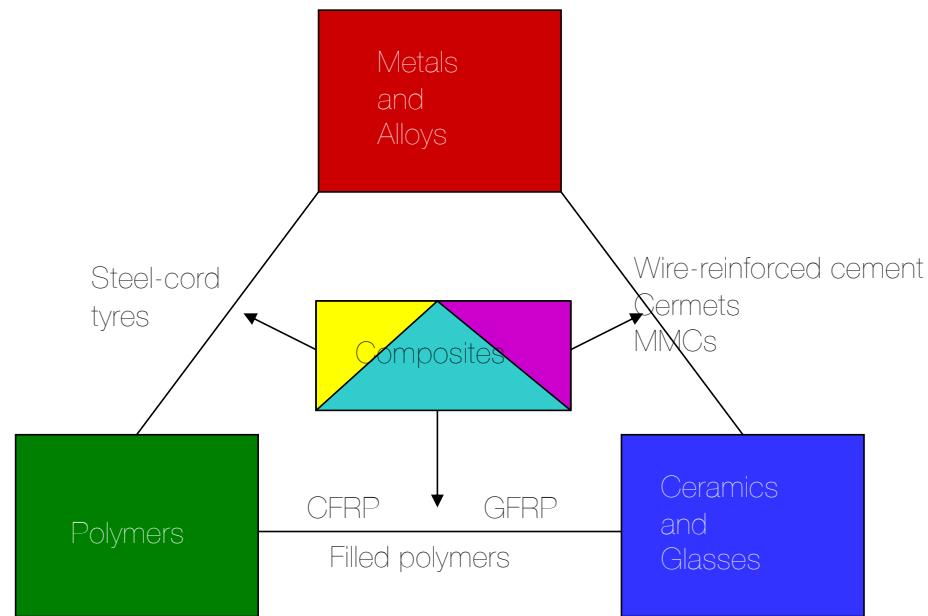
# PART 1

- Overview

# Focus on Materials



# Materials Selection



# Materials Properties

## STRUCTURAL MATERIALS

Mechanical

- tribology
- fatigue
- $K_{IC}$
- $\sigma_y$
- UTS
- E

## Thermal

- $\alpha$
- K
- H
- $T_m$
- $T_{Transition}$

## Chemical

- corrosion
- oxidation



## FUNCTIONAL MATERIALS

Physical

- optical
- magnetic
- electrical

## Other

- feel
- look

## Environmental

- recycling
- energy consumption
- waste

# Database of Materials

(quantitative/qualitative/\*estimated)



## Cast aluminium alloy (A413.2)

### General

#### Designation

Al alloy: A413.2 (cast)

#### Composition

Al-12Si

Atomic Volume (average)	0.01	- 0.011	m^3/kmol
Density	2.65	- 2.66	Mg/m^3
Energy Content	235	- 335	MJ/kg
Price	9.75297	- 11.5214	FRF/kg
Recycle Fraction	* 0.8	- 0.9	

### Mechanical

Bulk Modulus	65	- 86	GPa
Compressive Strength	70	- 80	MPa
Ductility	0.08	- 0.13	
Elastic Limit	70	- 80	MPa
Endurance Limit	* 37	- 45	MPa
Fracture Toughness	* 25	- 28	MPa.m^1/2
Hardness	550	- 600	MPa
Loss Coefficient	* 1e-004	- 2e-003	
Modulus of Rupture	70	- 80	MPa
Poisson's Ratio	0.32	- 0.36	
Shape Factor	47		
Shear Modulus	26	- 28	GPa
Tensile Strength	170	- 200	MPa
Young's Modulus	71	- 71.5	GPa

### Thermal

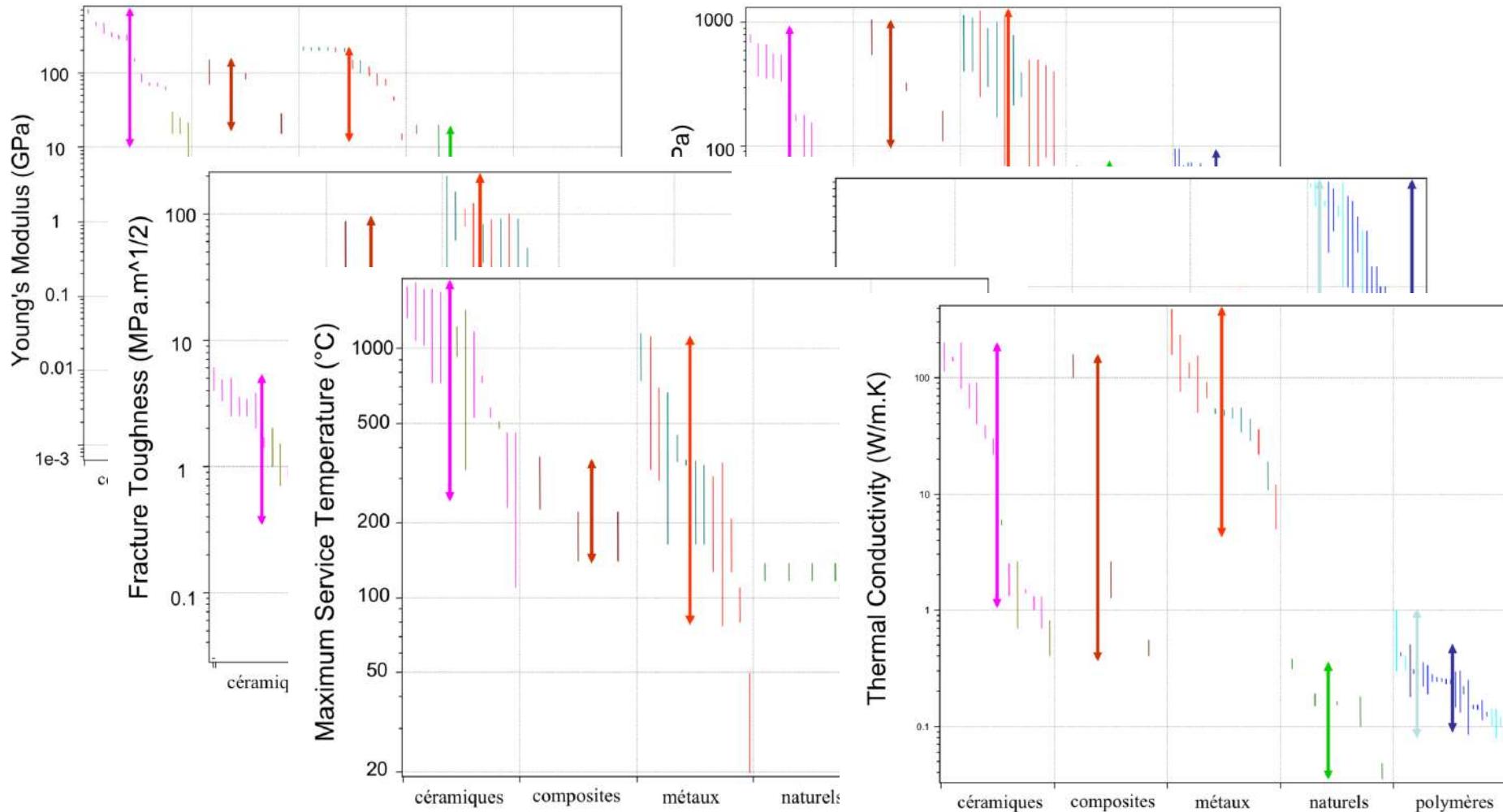
Glass Temperature	Not Applicable	K
Latent Heat of Fusion	- 393	kJ/kg
Maximum Service Temperature	- 450	K
Melting Point	838	- 848
Minimum Service Temperature	0	- 0
Specific Heat	* 910	- 960
Thermal Conductivity	137	- 147
Thermal Expansion	23	- 23.1

### Electrical

Breakdown Potential	Not Applicable	MV/m
Dielectric Constant	Not Applicable	
Resistivity	4.7	- 4.88
Power Factor	Not Applicable	10^-8 ohm.m

### Environmental Resistance

Flammability	Good
Fresh Water	Very Good
Organic Solvents	Very Good
Oxidation at 500C	Very Poor
Sea Water	Good
Strong Acid	Very Good
Strong Alkalies	Poor
UV	Very Good



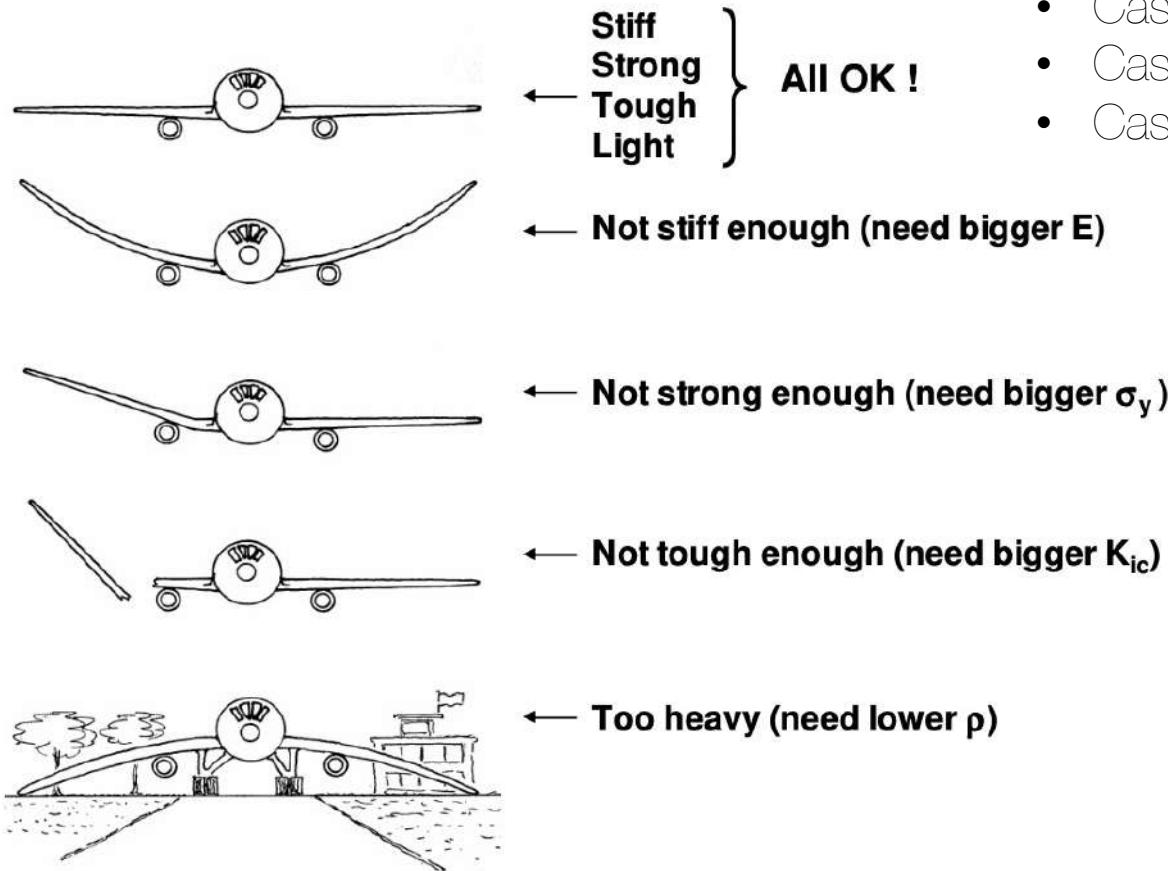
# Specific Properties

## Stiffness vs Strength

Material	E (GPa)	$\sigma$ (MPa)	$\rho$ (Mgm <sup>-3</sup> )	$E/\rho_{\text{mean}}$ (10 <sup>6</sup> m <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-2</sup> )	$\sigma/\rho_{\text{mean}}$ (10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-2</sup> )
Cobalt/WC cermets	400-530	400-900	11-12.5	34-45	34-77
Beryllium and alloys	200-289	34-276	1.8-2.1	103-148	17-141
Low-alloy steels	200-207	500-1980	7.8	26-27	64-253
CFRP	70-200	640-670	1.5-1.6	45-129	413-432
Aluminium alloys	69-79	100-627	2.6-2.9	25-45	36-228
Common woods,    to grain	9-16	35-55	0.4-0.6	15-27	58-92
Lead and alloys	14	11-55	10.7-11.3	1.3	1.0-5.0
Polypropylene	0.9	19-36	0.88-0.91	1.0	21-40
Foamed polymers	0.001-0.1	0.2-10	0.01-0.6	0.003-0.03	0.66-33

E	E/ $\rho_{\text{mean}}$	$\sigma$	$\sigma/\rho_{\text{mean}}$
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Low-alloy steels	Cobalt/WC cermets	CFRP	Aluminium alloys
CFRP	Aluminium alloys	Aluminium alloys	Beryllium and alloys
Aluminium alloys	Low-alloy steels	Beryllium and alloys	Common woods,    to grain
Common woods,    to grain	Common woods,    to grain	Common woods,    to grain	Cobalt/WC cermets
Lead and alloys	Lead and alloys	Lead and alloys	Polypropylene
Polypropylene	Polypropylene	Polypropylene	Lead and alloys
Foamed polymers	Foamed polymers	Foamed polymers	Foamed polymers

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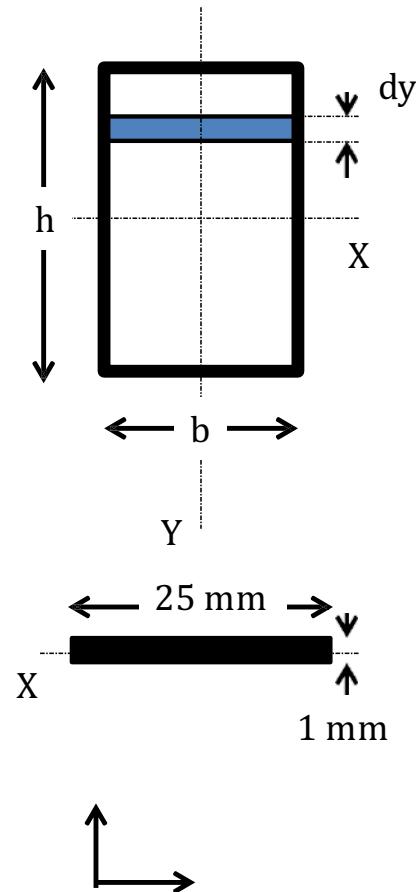


- Case Study 1: The Lightest STIFF Beam
- Case Study 2: The Lightest STIFF Tie-Rod
- Case Study 3: The Lightest STIFF Panel
- Case Study 6: The Lightest STRONG Tie-Rod
- Case Study 7: The Lightest STRONG Beam
- Case Study 8: The Lightest STRONG Panel

# PART2

- LIGHTEST STRONG

## Simplification



For a beam under flexion, the moment of inertia :  $I_{XX} = \frac{bh^3}{12}$

Length (L) : 300 mm       $I_{XX} = \frac{25 \cdot 1^3}{12} = 2,1 \text{ mm}^4$

Thickness (h) = 1 mm

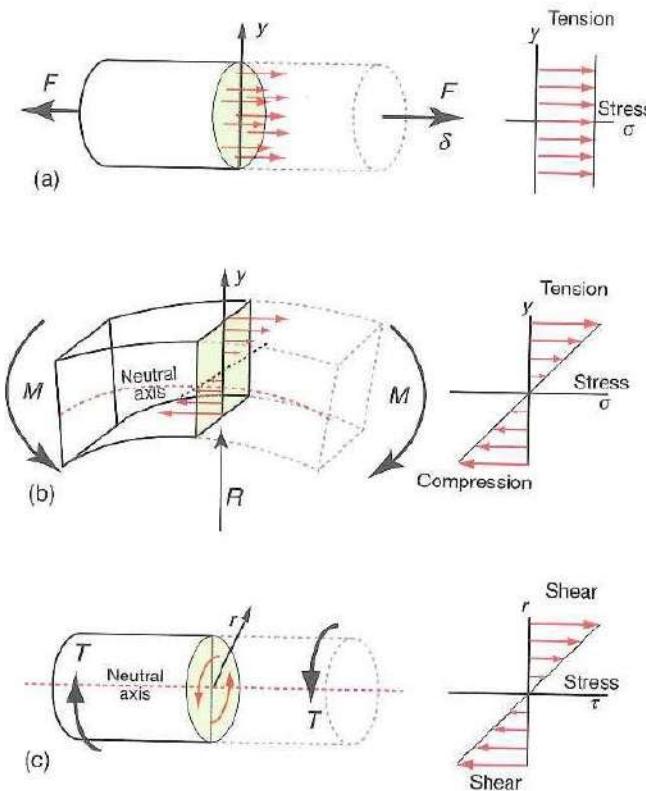
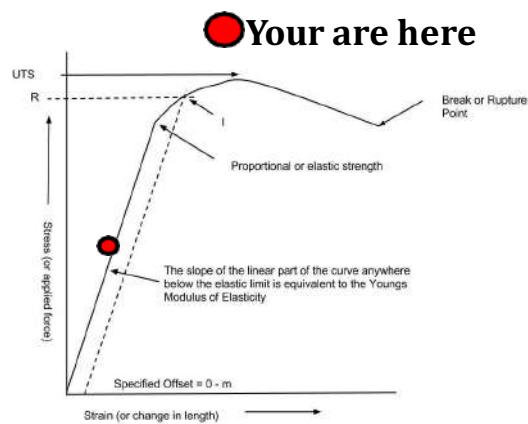
Width (b) = 25 mm       $I_{YY} = \frac{1 \cdot 25^3}{12} = 1300 \text{ mm}^4$

In the case of the mechanical properties, it is important to consider the forces applied, but it is the weakest point that determine the selection.

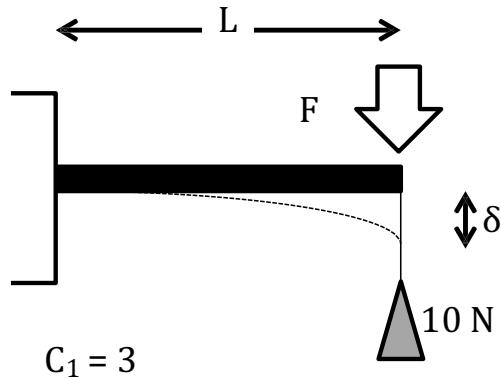
It is possible to change the geometry, but if you cannot  
What can we do?

# Stiffness design

**The Stiffness design is important to avoid excessive ELASTIC deflection**



## Example 1



$$C_1 = 3$$

$$S = \frac{F}{\delta} = \frac{C_1 EI}{L^3}$$

$$\delta = \varepsilon \cdot L$$

EI = Flexural rigidity

I = Second Moment of inertia

E = Young's Modulus

δ = Deflexion

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### Problem :

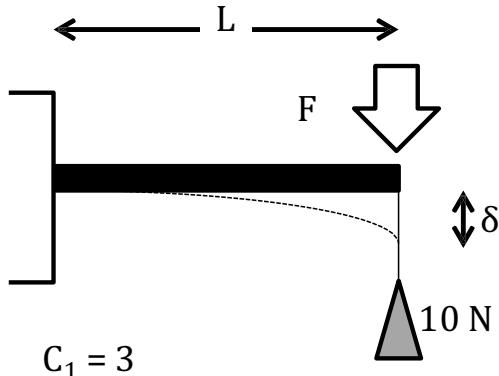
δ??

IF we consider that the beam is made of Stainless Steel (E = 200 GPa)

Which are the consequences if I want to use Polystyrene (E = 2 GPa)?

IF I can change the thickness and hold the same deflection.

## Example bis



$$S = \frac{F}{\delta} = \frac{C_1 EI}{L^3}$$

$EI$  = Flexural rigidity  
 $I$  = Second Moment of inertia  
 $E$  = Young's Modulus

Stainless Steel ( $E = 200 \text{ GPa}; \rho = 7800 \text{ kg/m}^3$ )  
 Polystyrene ( $E = 2 \text{ GPa}; \rho = 1040 \text{ kg/m}^3$ )

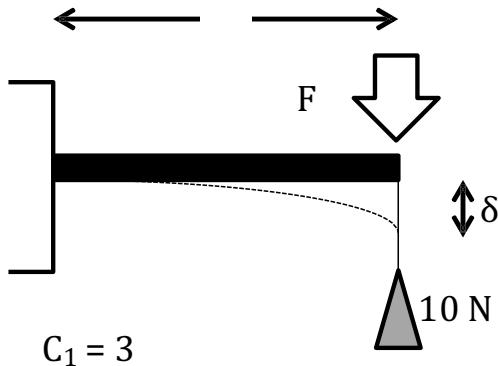
$$I_{YY} = \frac{1 \cdot 25^3}{12} = 1300 \text{ mm}^4 \rightarrow \delta = \frac{10 \cdot (0,25)^3}{3 \cdot (200 \cdot 10^9) \cdot (1300 \cdot 10^{-12})} = 0,02 \text{ mm}$$

$$I_{XX} = \frac{25 \cdot 1^3}{12} = 2,1 \text{ mm}^4 \rightarrow \delta = \frac{FL^3}{C_1 E Y_{XX}} = 124 \text{ mm} \quad \text{Skull and Crossbones}$$

$$\text{With } \delta = 124 \text{ mm} \quad I_{XX} = \frac{10 \cdot (0,25)^3}{3 \cdot (2 \cdot 10^9) \cdot (0,124)} = 210 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$h = \left( \frac{12I_{XX}}{w} \right)^{1/3} = \left( \frac{12 \cdot 210}{25} \right)^{1/3} = 4,6 \text{ mm} \quad \text{When } h(\text{Steel}) = 1 \text{ mm}$$

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Thickness = 1 mm  
Thickness = 4,6 mm

About the weight?

$$m_{SS} = 7800 \cdot 0,3 \cdot 0,025 \cdot 0,001 = 59 \text{ gr}$$

$$m_{PS} = 1040 \cdot 0,3 \cdot 0,025 \cdot 0,046 = 36 \text{ gr}$$

BIGGER Section  
BUT LIGHTER

Depends on what you need and the conditions

# Generic Materials Selection

p: Performance of component;  $f(F,G,M)$

F: Functional requirement, e.g. withstanding a force

G: Geometry, e.g. diameter, length etc.

M: Materials properties, e.g.  $E, K_{IC}, \rho$

Separable function if:

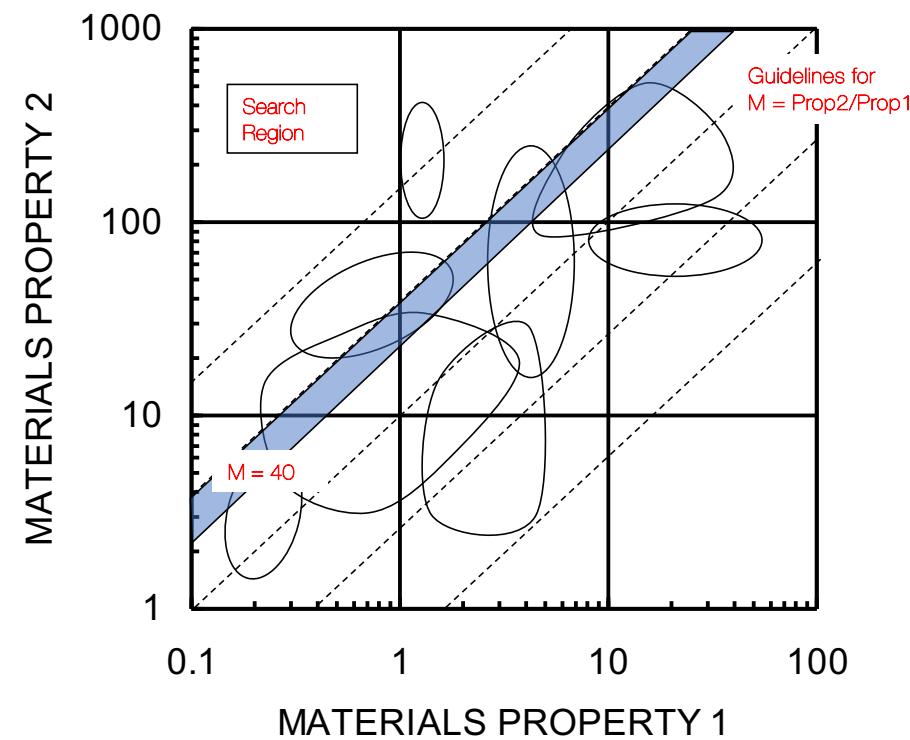
$$P = f_1(F) \cdot f_2(G) \cdot f_3(M)$$

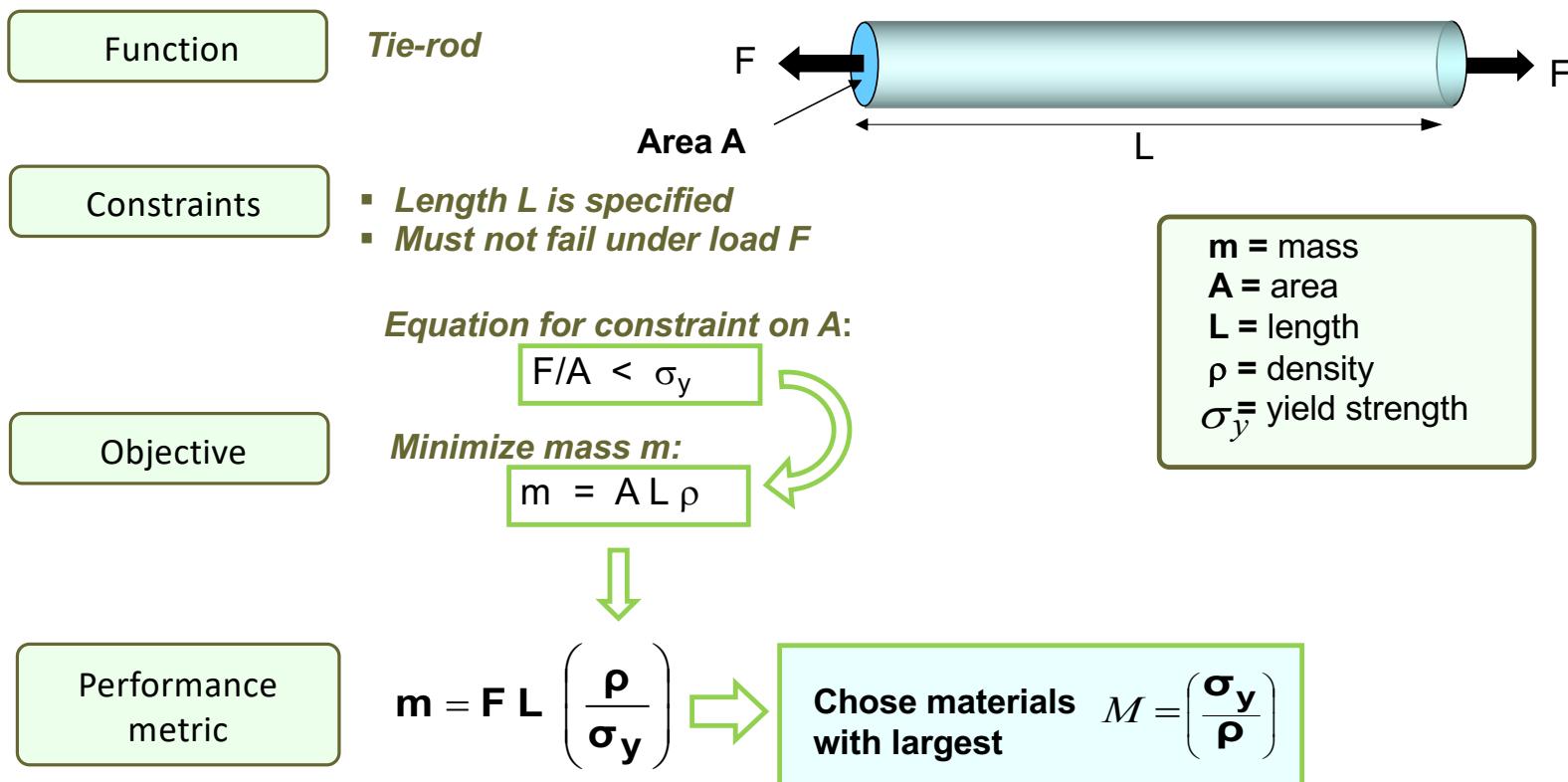
TASK: Maximize  $f_3(M)$  where M is the "performance index"

# Procedure for Deriving "M"

- (a) Identify the *attribute* to be maximized or minimized (weight, cost, energy, stiffness, strength, safety, environmental damage, etc.).
- (b) Develop an equation for this attribute in terms of the functional requirements, the geometry, and the material properties ( the *objective function*).
- (c) Identify the *free* (unspecified) *variables*.
- (d) Identify the *constraints*; rank them in order of importance.
- (e) Develop *equations* for the constraints (no yield, no fracture, no buckling, maximum heat capacity, cost below target, etc.).
- (f) *Substitute* for the free variables from the constraints into the objective function.
- (g) *Group the variables* into three groups: functional requirements, F, geometry, G, and materials properties, M.
- (h) *Read off* the performance index, expressed as a quantity, M, to be maximized.
- (i) Note that a full solution is not necessary in order to identify the material property group.

# The Materials Selection Map





Example 1:

Function

Tie-rod

Objective

$$\text{Mass: } m = AL\rho \quad \Rightarrow A = \frac{m}{L\rho}$$

$$\text{Stress: } \sigma_f = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{FL\rho}{m}$$

Constraints

- Length  $L$  is specified
- Must not fail under load  $F$

$$\Rightarrow m = F \cdot L \cdot \frac{\rho}{\sigma_f}$$

$$f_1(F) \quad f_2(G) \quad f_3(M)$$

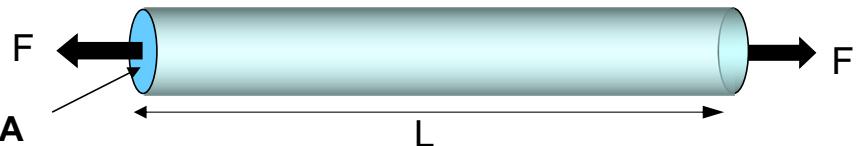
So, to minimize mass  $m$ ,

**Chose materials with largest**

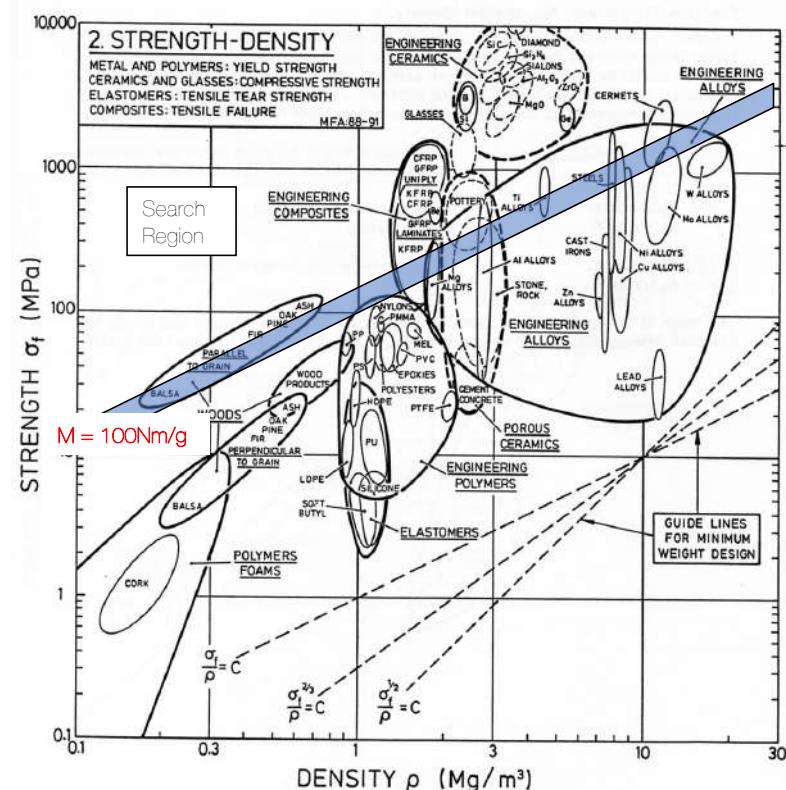
$$M = \frac{\sigma_f}{\rho}$$

Performance metric

Strong tie of length  $L$  and minimum mass



Area A

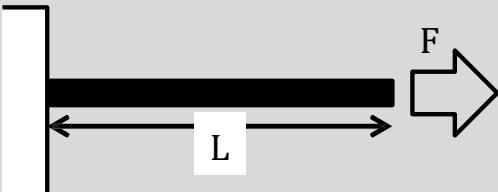


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# Lightest Tie-Rod (Traction conditions)

**Case Study 6:**  
***Find the Lightest STRONG Tie-Rod***



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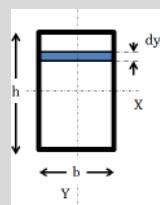
$$F = 1000 \text{ N}$$

## Dimensions:

Length: 300 mm

Thickness = 1 mm

Width = 25 mm



Objective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Minimize the mass</li></ul>
Constraints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Support tensile load F without yielding</li><li>Length L</li></ul>
Free Variables	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Area (A) of the cross-section</li><li>Choice of the material</li></ul>

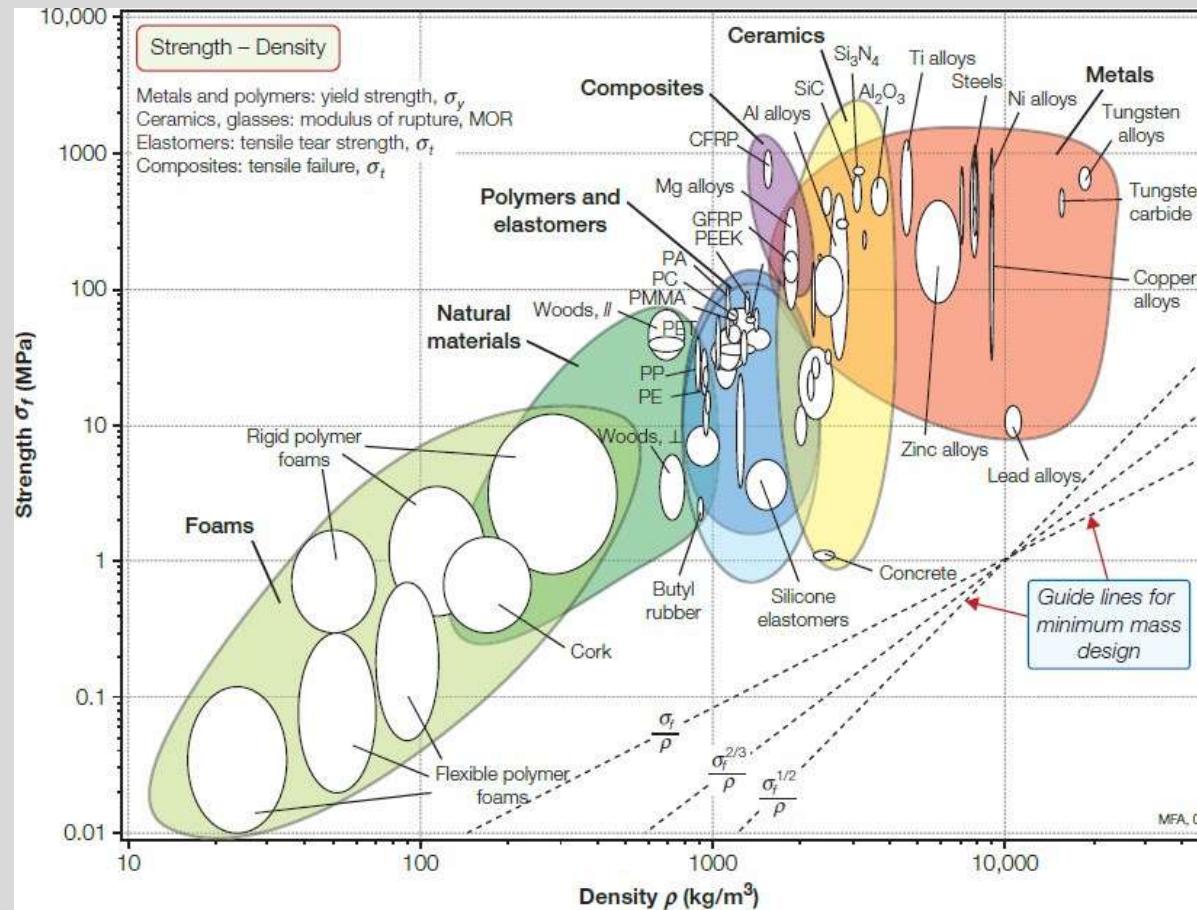
**In Traction,  
the shape of the cross-section is not important**

$$\left. \begin{aligned} m &= A \cdot L \cdot \rho \\ \text{From material : } \frac{F}{A} &\leq \sigma_y \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow A = \frac{m}{L \cdot \rho}$$

$$\rightarrow m \geq F \cdot L \cdot \frac{\rho}{\sigma_y}$$



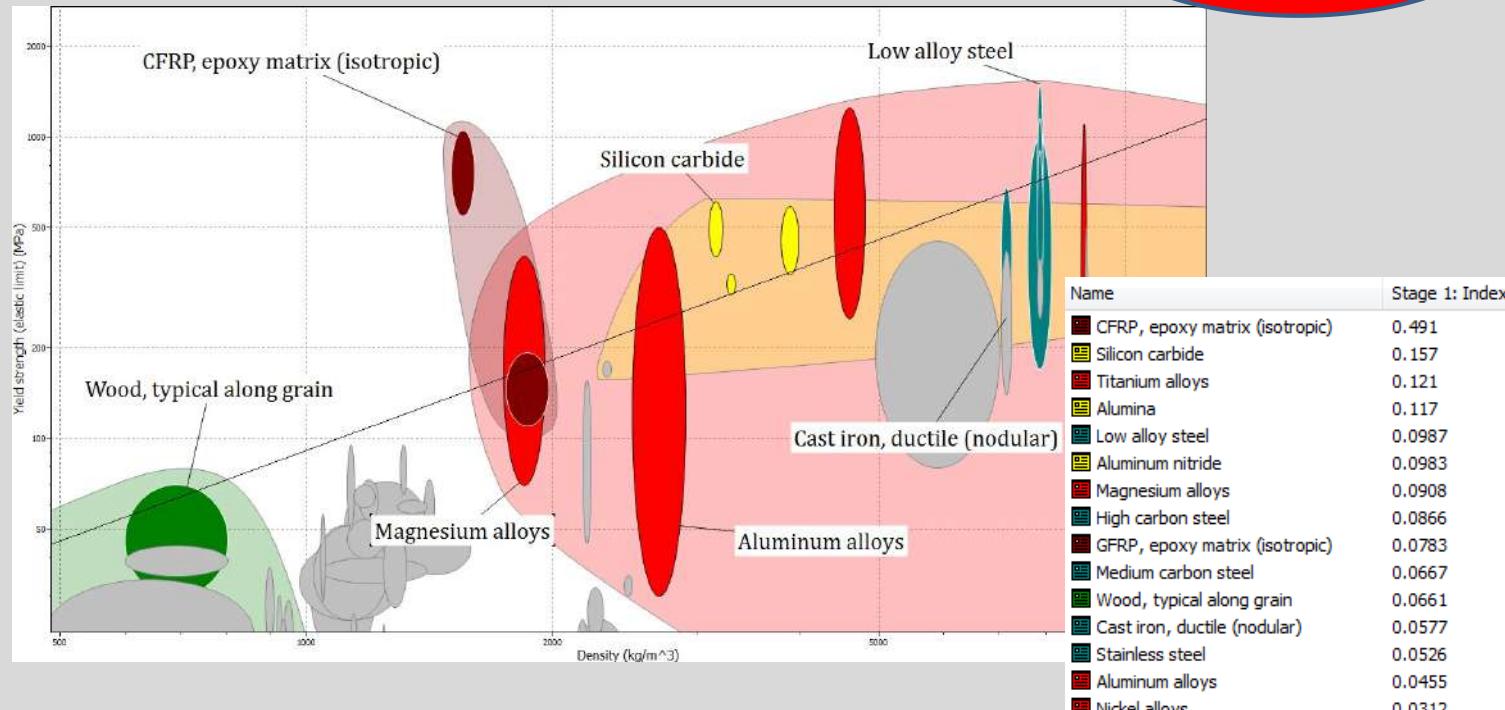
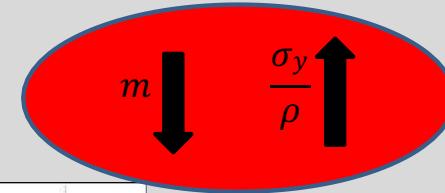
# Ashby Diagrams





# CES

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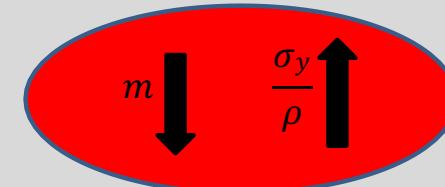


# Lightest Tie-Rod (Traction conditions)

*Case Study 6:*

***Find the Lightest STRONG Tie-Rod***

$$m \geq F \cdot L \cdot \frac{\rho}{\sigma_y}$$



**It is possible to do as before, but let's calculate the maximum F on the precedent Tie-Rod**

Material	Weight (kg)	Width and Thickness (mm)	
Al Alloys	1,25	63	Stainless Steel ( $\sigma_y = 600$ MPa; $\rho = 7800$ kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) Wood ( $\sigma_y = 50$ MPa; $\rho = 700$ kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) Al Alloys ( $\sigma_y = 270$ MPa; $\rho = 75$ kg/m <sup>3</sup> )

0 kN

$$F \leq \frac{m}{L} \cdot \frac{\sigma_y}{\rho} = 416 \text{ kN}$$

Elastic Throughout

X kN

Plastic deformation/ Collapse

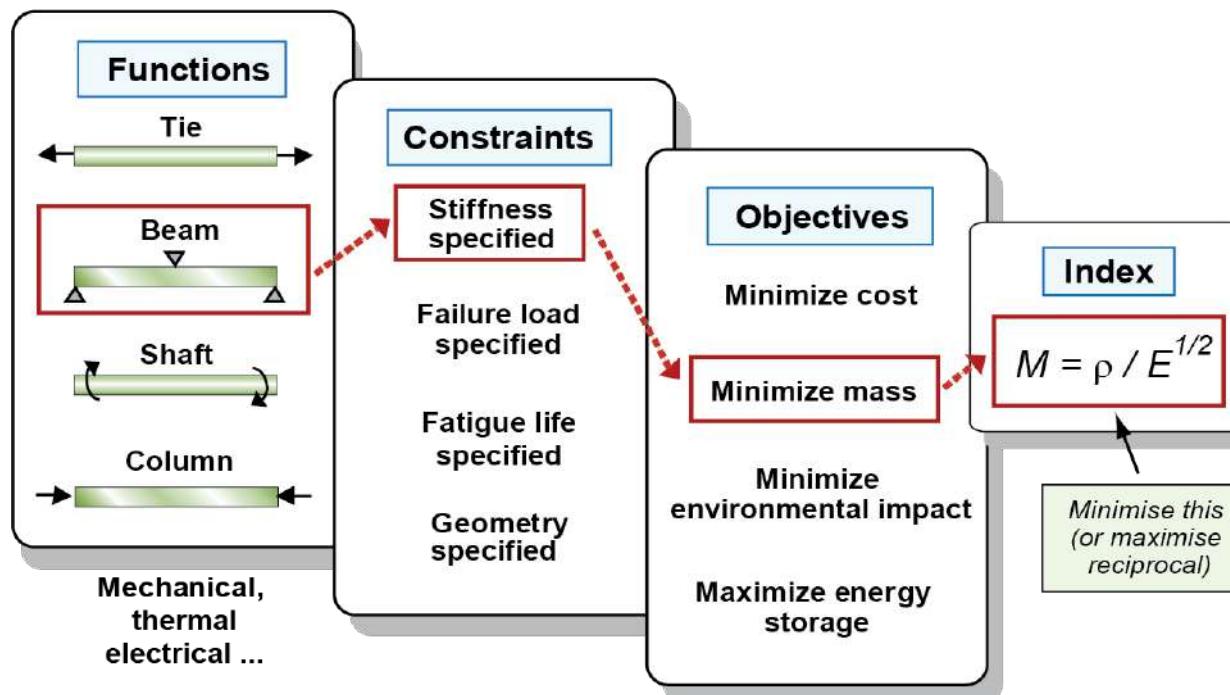


# PART3

- LIGHTEST STIFF



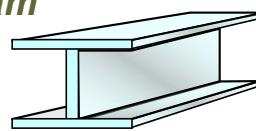
A performance index is a group of material properties that limits  
the performance of a design





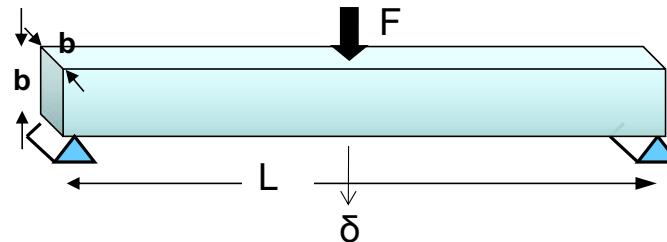
## Function

## Beam



## Constraints

- Length  $L$  is specified
- Must have bending stiffness  $> S^*$

Stiff beam of length  $L$  and minimum mass

Square section,  
area  
 $A = b^2$

## Objective

Equation for constraint on  $A$ :

$$S = \frac{F}{\delta} = \frac{CEI}{L^3} = \frac{CEA^2}{12L^3}$$

Minimize mass  $m$ :

$$m = AL\rho$$

## Performance metric

$$m = \left( \frac{12L^5 S^*}{C} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{\rho}{E^{1/2}} \right)$$

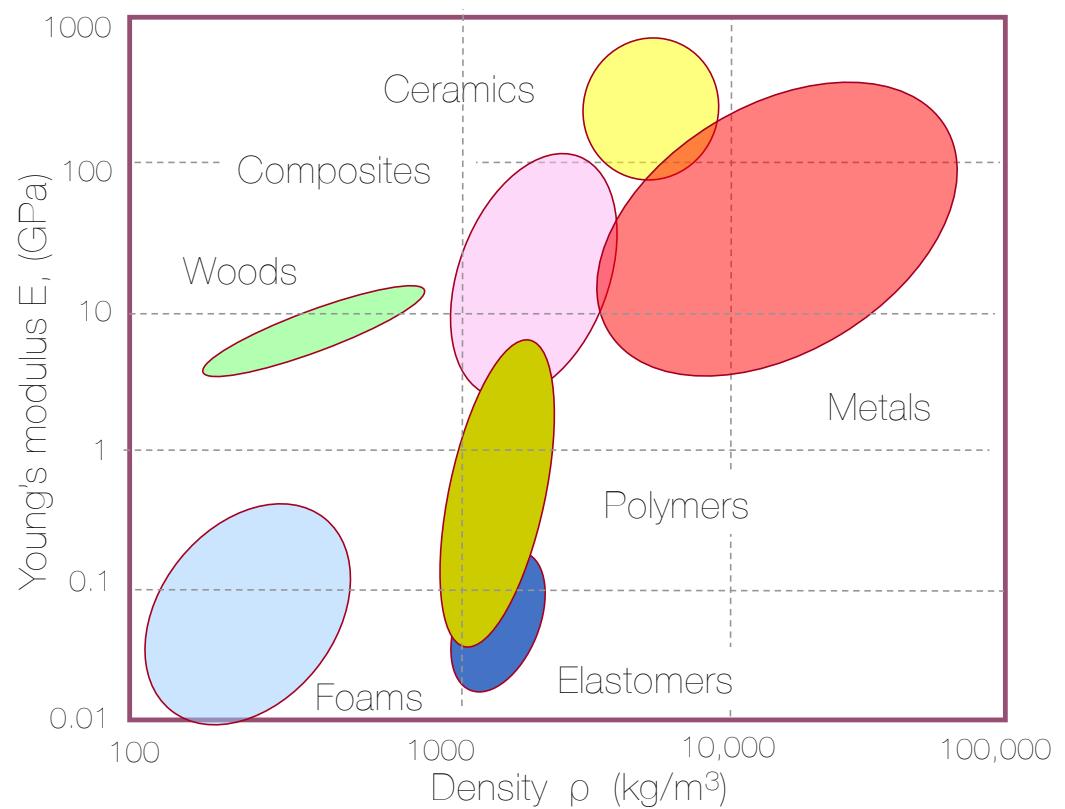
Chose materials with largest  $M = \left( \frac{E^{1/2}}{\rho} \right)$

$m$  = mass  
 $A$  = area  
 $L$  = length  
 $\rho$  = density  
 $S$  = stiffness ( $F/\delta$ )  
This beam:  $\delta = FL^3/CEI$   
 $C$  = constant (here, 48)  
 $E$  = Young's modulus  
 $I$  = second moment of area  
( $I = b^4/12 = A^2/12$ )

# Back to Ashby diagrams

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Maximizing

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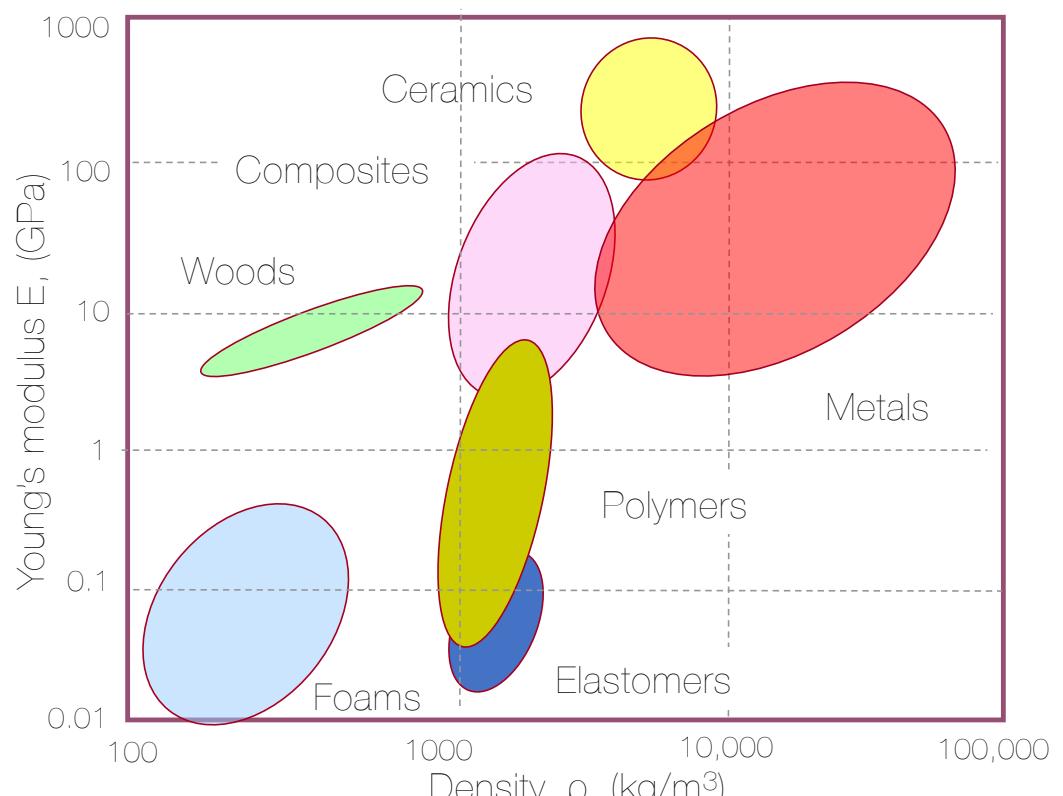
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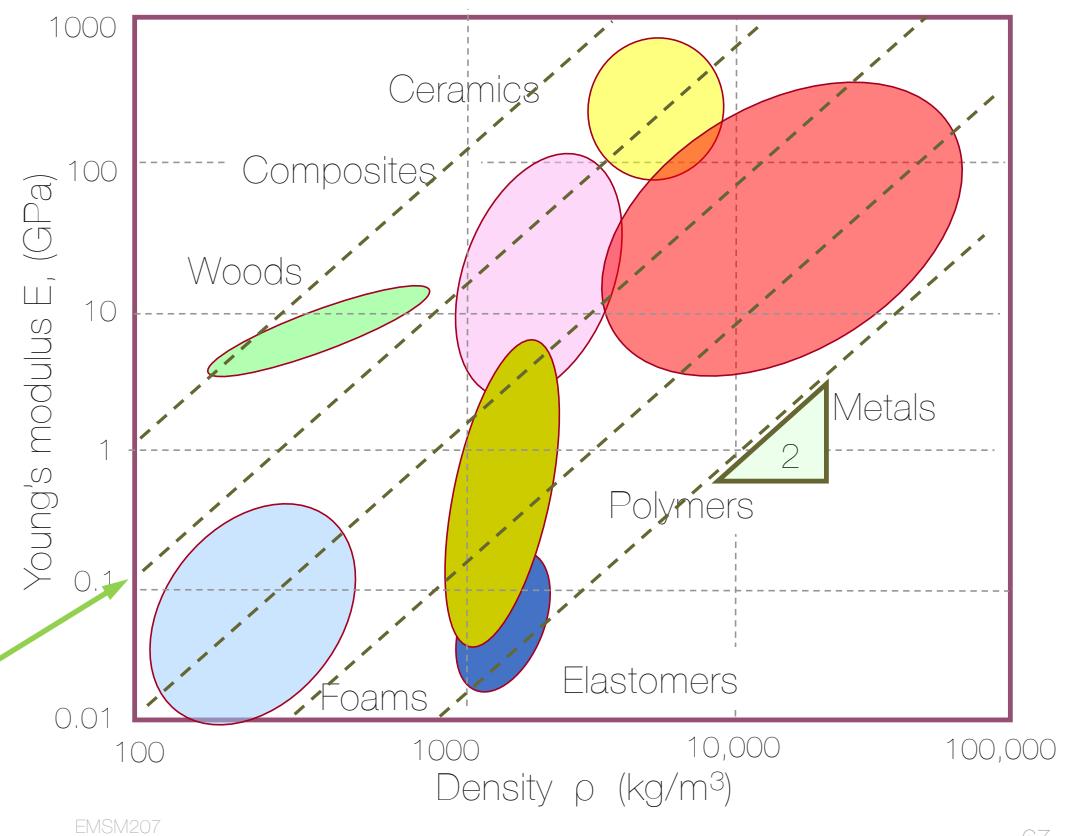
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Part	Index	Slope
Bar	$E/\rho$	1
Beam	$E^{1/2}/\rho$	2
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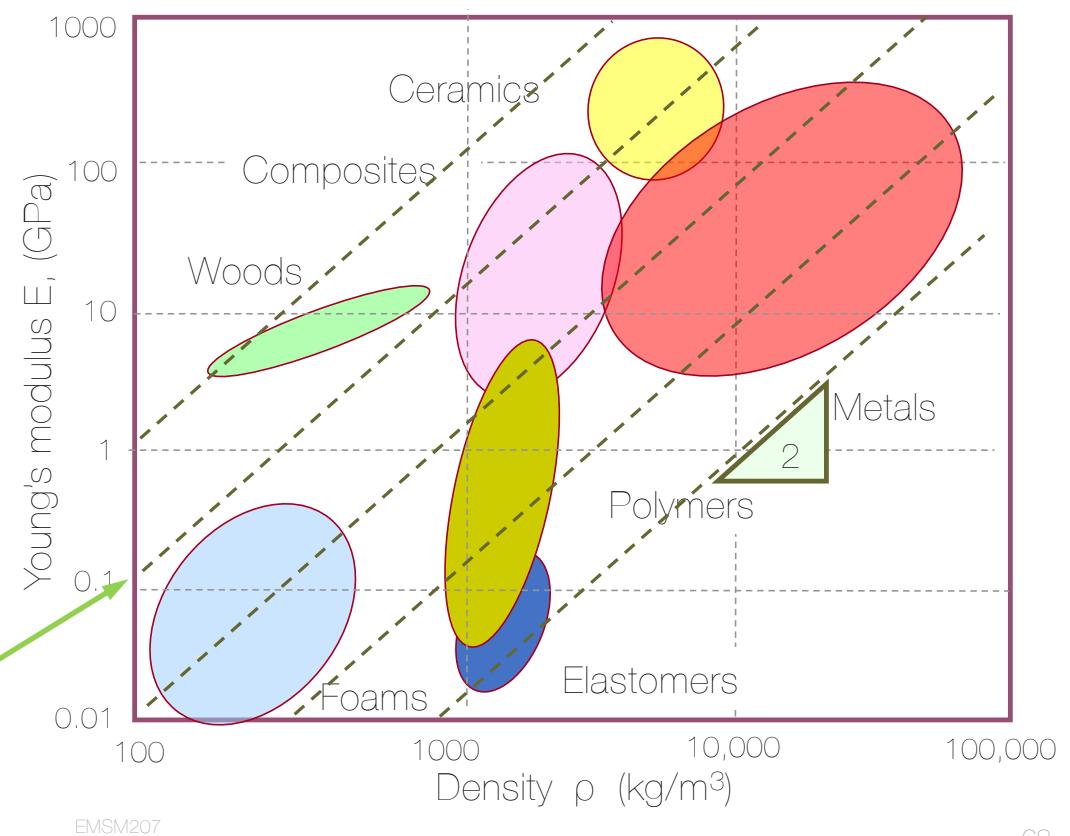
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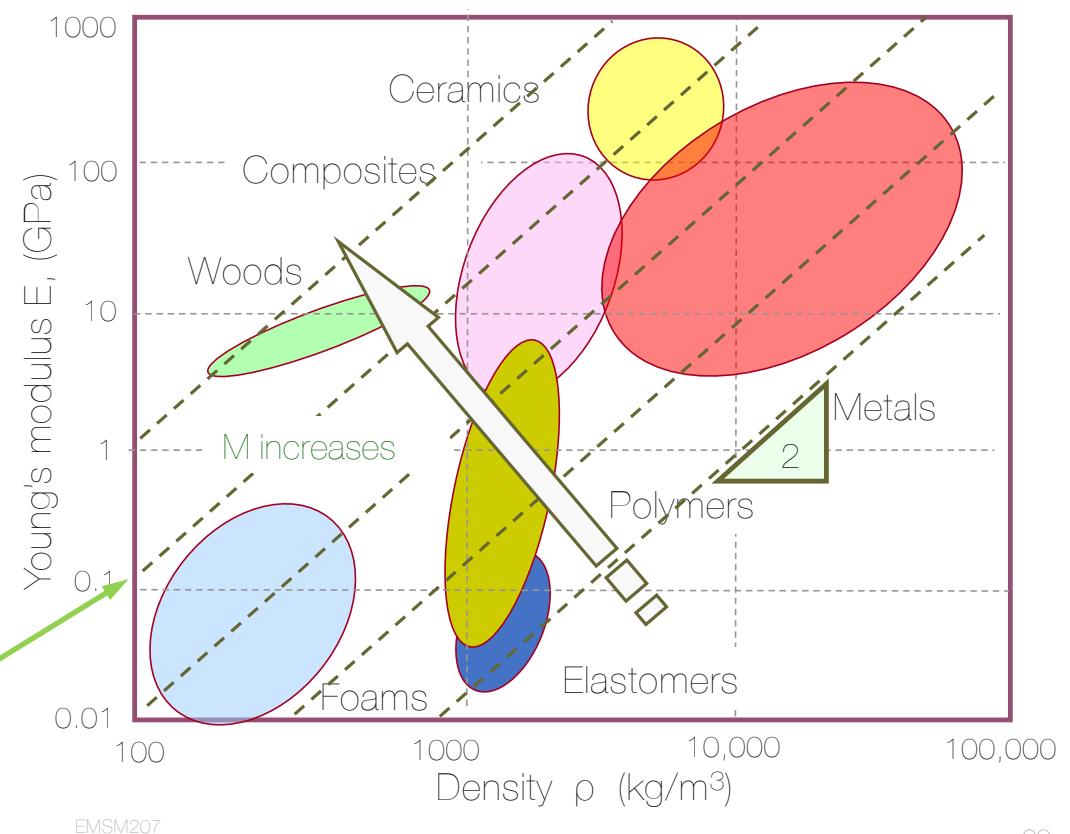
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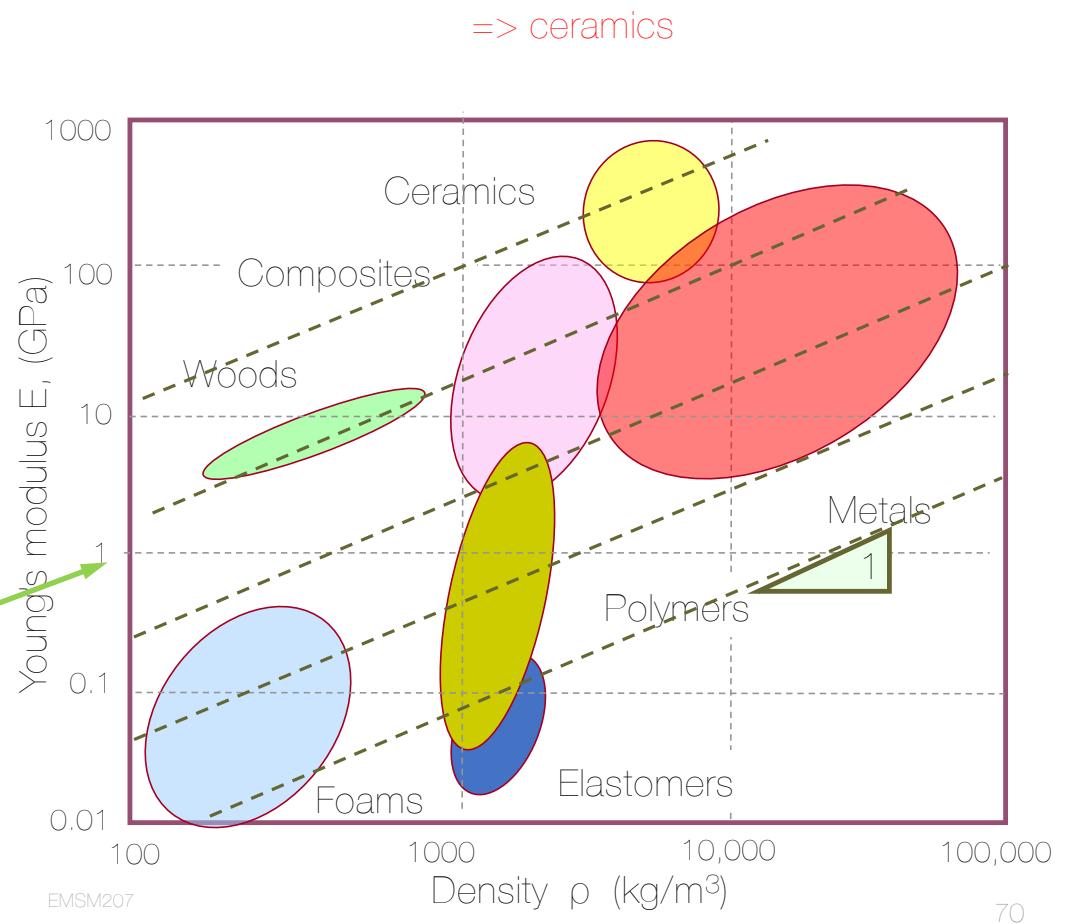


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- Looking at the diagram, what type of material enables to minimize the mass of a stiff bar?

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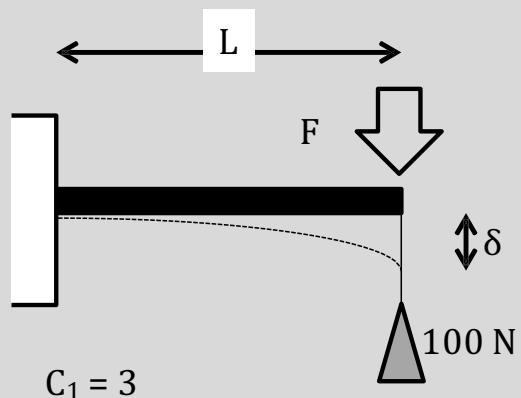
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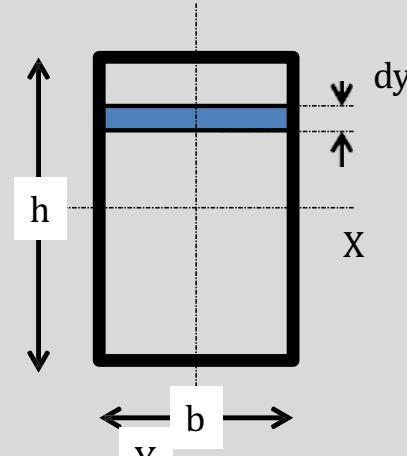
# The Materials Selection approach

**Case Study 1:**  
Find the Lightest STIFF Beam



Beam: Square Section

$$b=h$$

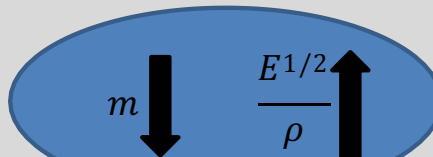


$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{F}{\delta} = \frac{C_1 EI}{L^3} \geq S_{min} \\ A = \frac{m}{L \cdot \rho} \end{array} \right.$$

Since  $A = b^2$

$$I = \frac{bh^3}{12} = \frac{A^2}{12}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A = \frac{m}{L \cdot \rho} \\ m \geq \left( \frac{12 \cdot S}{C_1 \cdot L} \right)^{1/2} \cdot L^3 \cdot \frac{\rho}{E^{1/2}} \end{array} \right. \quad \text{The Area will be the Free Variable}$$



Just remember:

Constraints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stiffness specified</li><li>• Length <math>L</math></li><li>• Square shape</li></ul>
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# The Material Index (M)

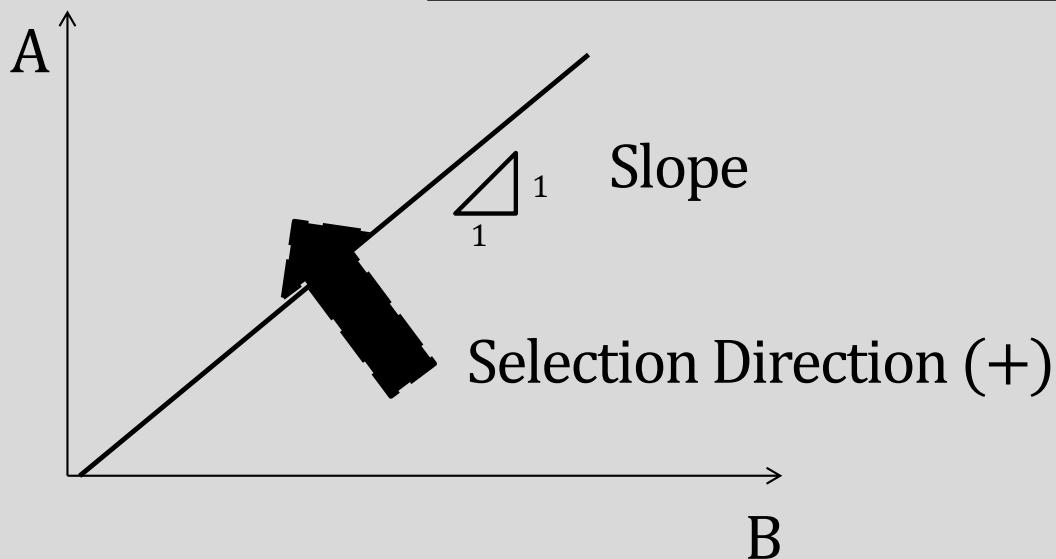
**Case Study 1:**  
**Find the Lightest STIFF Beam**

$$M = \frac{A}{B}$$

$$\log(M) = \log(A) - \log(B)$$

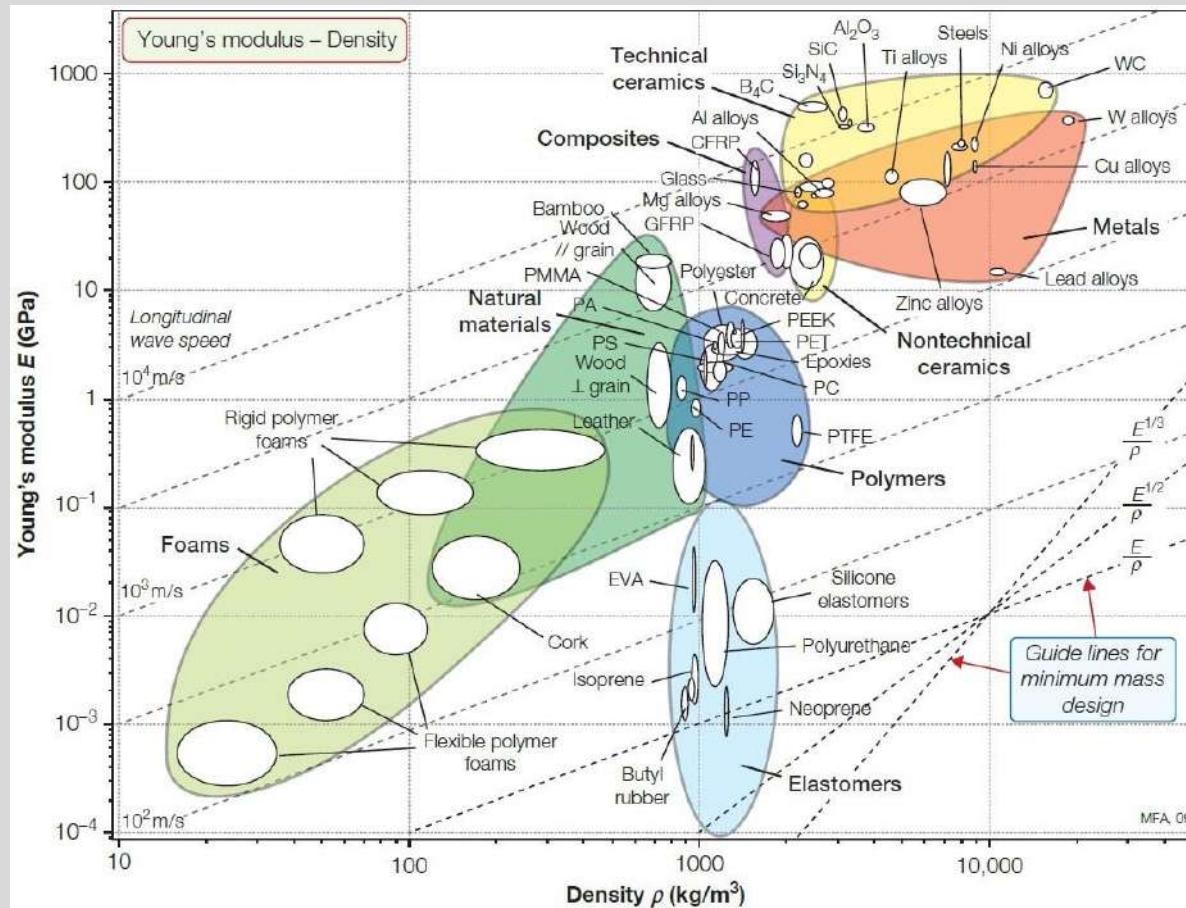
$$\log(A) = \log(B) + \log(M)$$

For instance  $\frac{E^{1/2}}{\rho}$





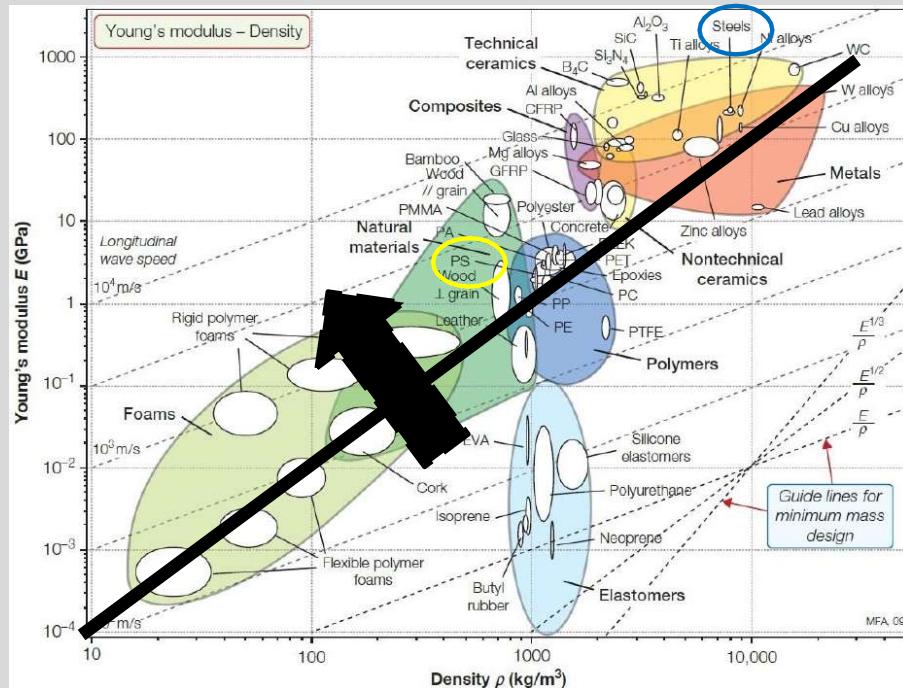
# Ashby Diagrams





# The Material Index (M)

**Case Study 1:**  
**Find the Lightest STIFF Beam**



$$m \downarrow \frac{E^{1/2}}{\rho} \uparrow$$

$\triangle_2$  Slope  
1

**Stainless Steel**  
( $E = 200$  GPa;  $\rho = 7800$  kg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
**Polystyrene**  
( $E = 2$  GPa;  $\rho = 1040$  kg/m<sup>3</sup>)



# Lightest Beam (Bending conditions)

**Case Study 1:**

**Find the Lightest STIFF Beam**

$$F = 100 \text{ N}$$

$$\delta = 0,34 \text{ mm}$$

$$S_{\min} = 296 \cdot 10^3 \text{ N/m}$$

Length: 300 mm

Thickness: 1 mm

Width: 25 mm

Width and thickness ?

Stainless Steel ( $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$ ;  $\rho = 7800 \text{ kg/m}^3$ )  
Polystyrene ( $E = 2 \text{ GPa}$ ;  $\rho = 1040 \text{ kg/m}^3$ )

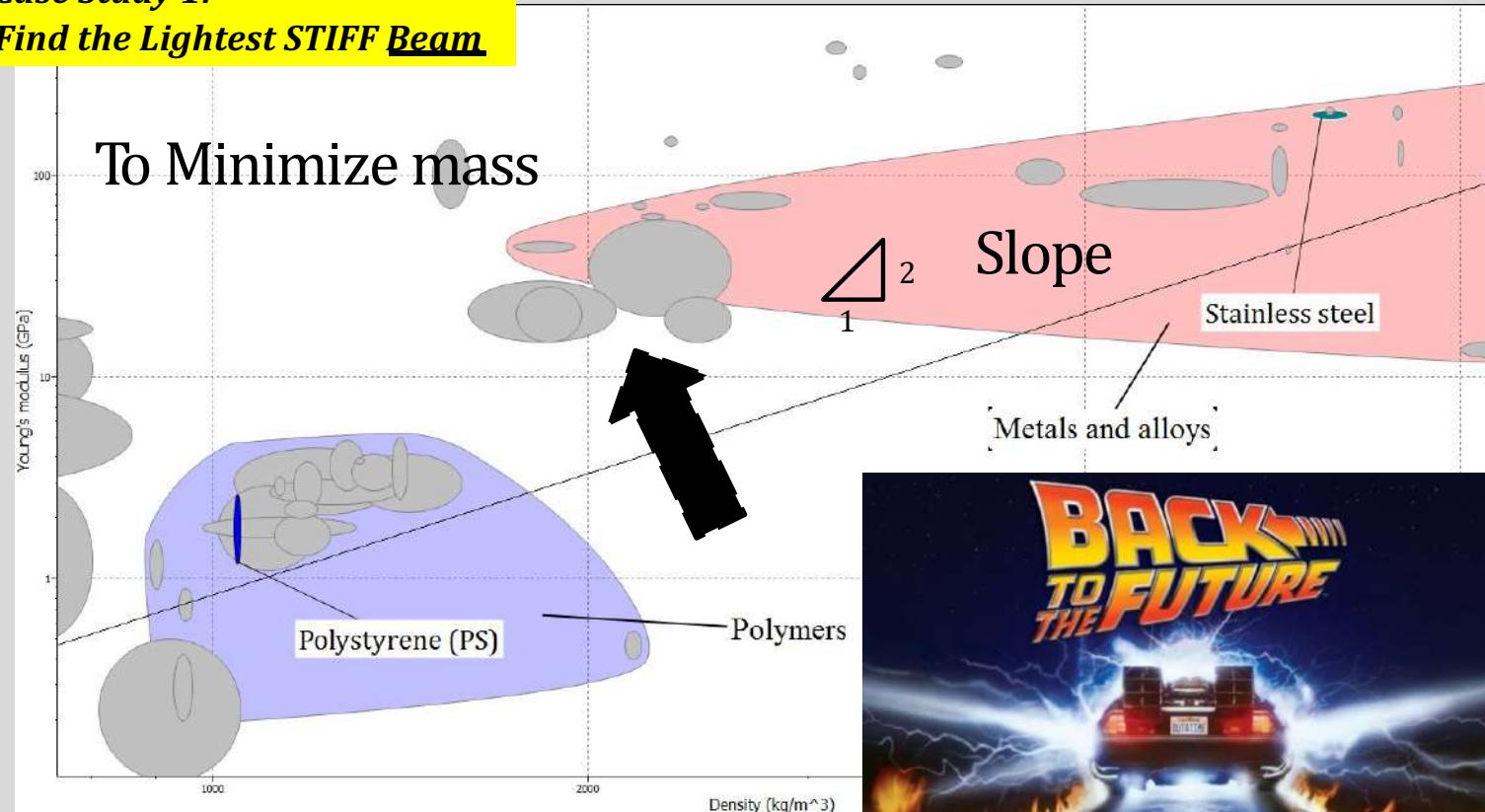
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} m \geq \left( \frac{12 \cdot S}{C_1 \cdot L} \right)^{1/2} \cdot L^3 \cdot \frac{\rho}{E^{1/2}} \\ A = \frac{m}{L \cdot \rho} \end{array} \right\}$$

Material	Weight (kg)	A (mm <sup>2</sup> )	Width and Thickness (mm)
Stainless Steel	0,935	400	20
Polystyrene	1,25	4000	63



# CES

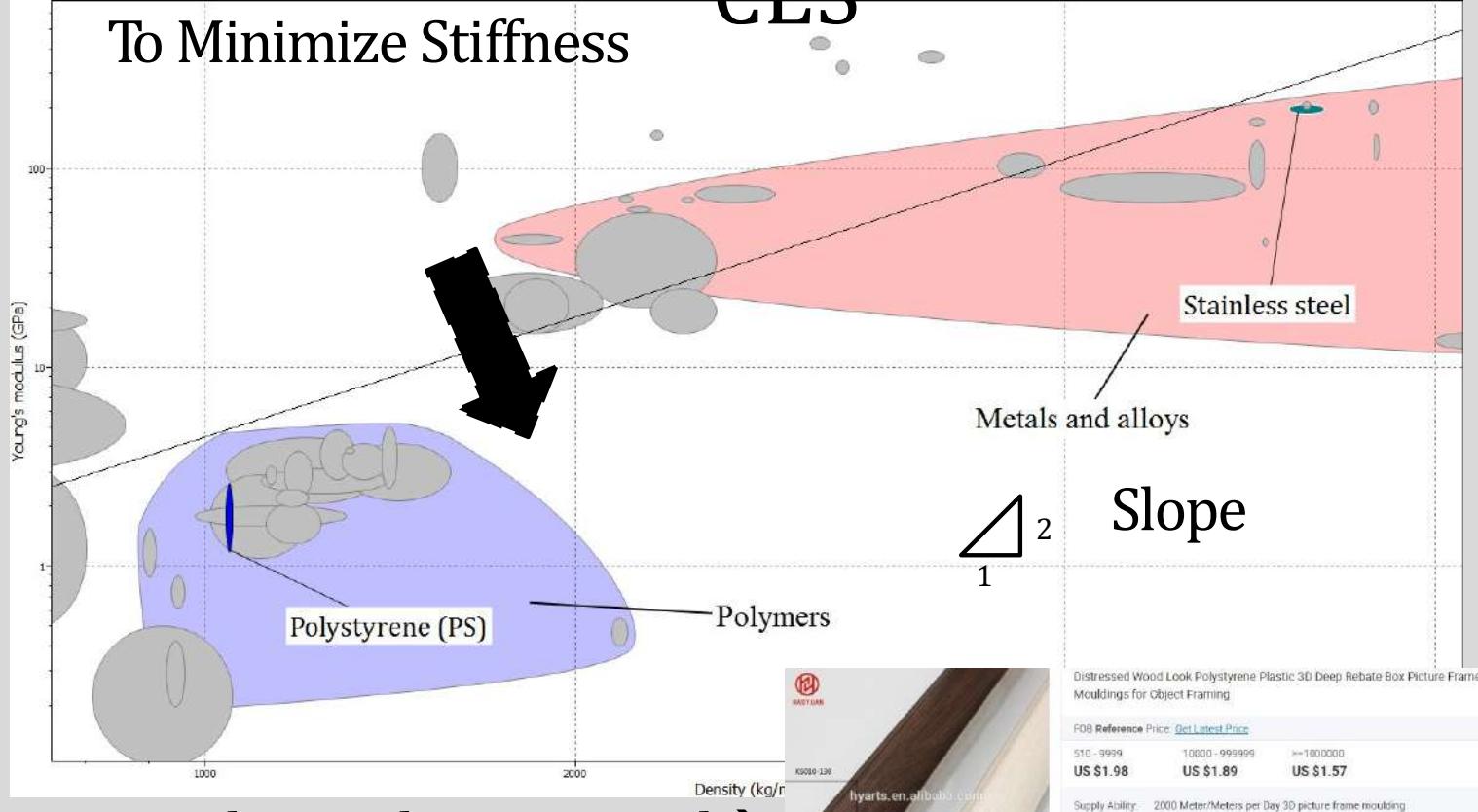
## Case Study 1: Find the Lightest STIFF Beam





CES

To Minimize Stiffness

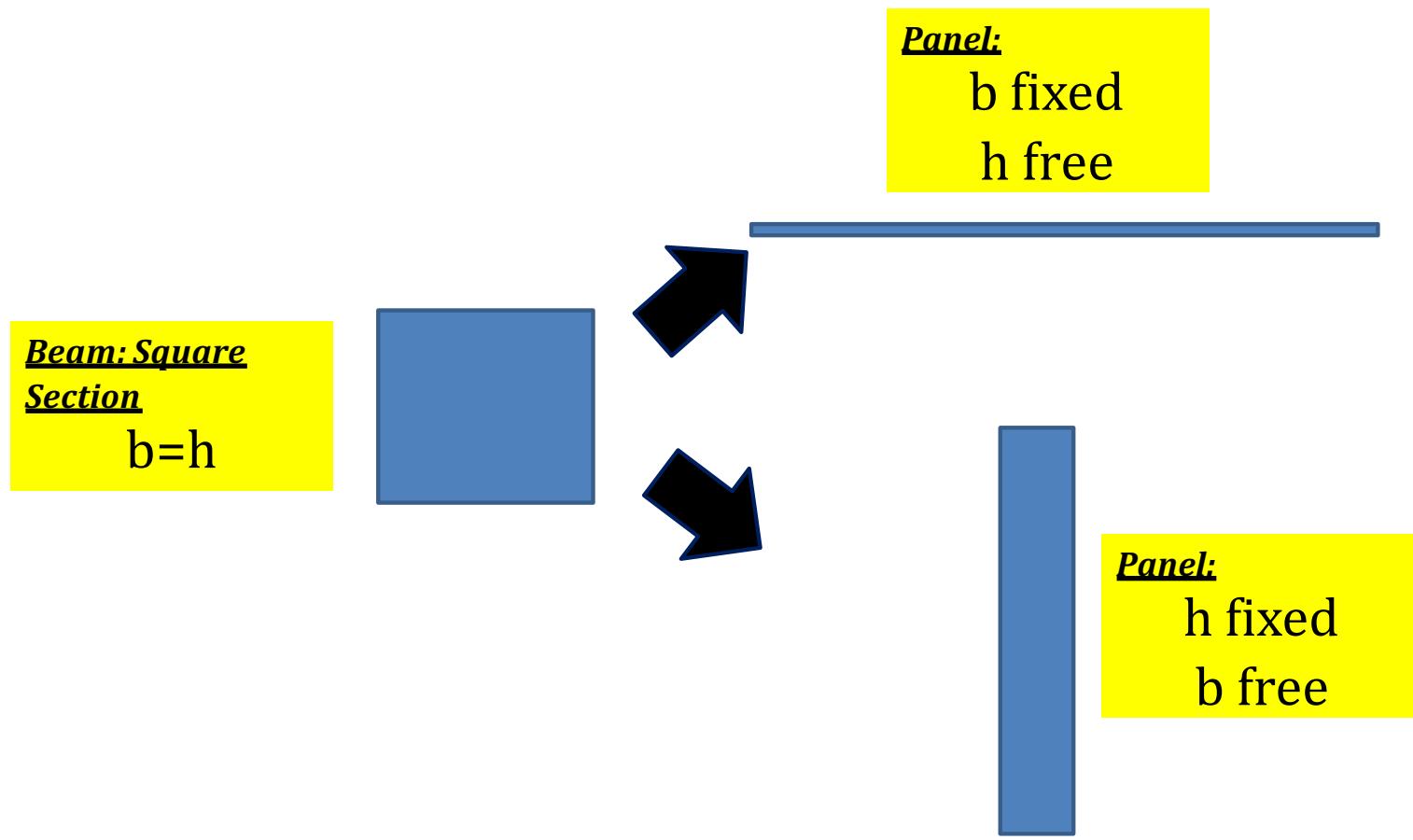


Depends on what you need →

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# Change of the section





# Summary (to minimize the mass)

Stiffness – Traction :

Name	Stage 1: Index
Silicon carbide	0.136
Aluminum nitride	0.0984
Alumina	0.094
CFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.0657
Silicon	0.0634
Tungsten carbides	0.0425
Silica glass	0.0323
Soda-lime glass	0.0284
Borosilicate glass	0.0278
Aluminum alloys	0.0277
Bamboo	0.025
Wood, typical along grain	0.0158

Stiffness – Bending (Beam):

Name	Stage 1: Index
Silicon carbide	0.00657
CFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.00651
Bamboo	0.00601
Aluminum nitride	0.00546
Silicon	0.00522
Alumina	0.00492
Wood, typical along grain	0.00478
Rigid Polymer Foam (LD)	0.00413
Silica glass	0.00384
Magnesium alloys	0.00362

Stiffness – Bending (Panel):

Name	Stage 1: Index
Rigid Polymer Foam (LD)	0.00697
Rigid Polymer Foam (MD)	0.00442
Bamboo	0.00373
Flexible Polymer Foam (VLD)	0.00335
Wood, typical along grain	0.00321
CFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.00301
Paper and cardboard	0.00269
Rigid Polymer Foam (HD)	0.00239
Flexible Polymer Foam (LD)	0.00233
Flexible Polymer Foam (MD)	0.00212
Cork	0.00173

Strength – Traction :

Name	Stage 1: Index
CFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.491
Silicon carbide	0.157
Titanium alloys	0.121
Alumina	0.117
Low alloy steel	0.0987
Aluminum nitride	0.0983
Magnesium alloys	0.0908
High carbon steel	0.0866
GFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.0783
Medium carbon steel	0.0667
Wood, typical along grain	0.0661
Cast iron, ductile (nodular)	0.0577
Stainless steel	0.0526
Aluminum alloys	0.0455
Nickel alloys	0.0312

Strength – Bending :

Name	Stage 1: Index
CFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.0538
Silicon carbide	0.0198
Wood, typical along grain	0.0185
Magnesium alloys	0.0165
Rigid Polymer Foam (LD)	0.0159
Titanium alloys	0.0147
Rigid Polymer Foam (MD)	0.00986
Aluminum alloys	0.00916

Strength – Bending (Panel):

Name	Stage 1: Index
CFRP, epoxy matrix (isotropic)	0.0178
Rigid Polymer Foam (LD)	0.0168
Wood, typical along grain	0.00977
Rigid Polymer Foam (MD)	0.00959
Bamboo	0.00904
Flexible Polymer Foam (VLD)	0.00787
Paper and cardboard	0.0074
Magnesium alloys	0.00702
Rigid Polymer Foam (HD)	0.00623
Flexible Polymer Foam (LD)	0.0054



## Performance Index finder in the advanced databases

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Chart stage: select performance index finder

Identify function (choice of 43)

Panel in bending

Identify free variables

Panel thickness

Identify variables and constraints

Panel length

Panel width

Stiffness limited design

Identify objective

Default is to minimize

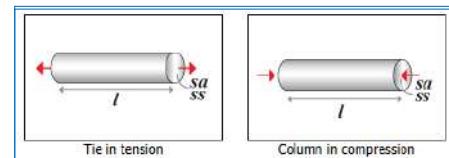


Chart Stage

X-Axis Y-Axis

○ Single or Advanced Properties

**Component Definition**

Function and Loading:

Panel in bending

Free Variables:

thickness

Fixed Variables:

length, width

Limiting Constraint:

stiffness

Optimize:

volume

Axis Settings

Axis Title:

Logarithmic

Autoscale

Component Notes:

Panels, equipment casings, unsupported, horizontal surfaces, vehicle bodywork...

I - length  
w - width  
t - thickness

Performance Index

Minimize:

$$\frac{1}{E_f^{\frac{1}{3}}}$$

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## Minimum weight design - indices

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The diagram shows a biplane aircraft with orange wings and a blue fuselage. Red arrows point from various parts of the aircraft to text labels and mathematical expressions. The labels and expressions are:

- Tensile ties  $\left( \frac{\sigma_y}{\rho} \right)$ : Points to the upper wing struts.
- Compression strut  $\left( \frac{E^{1/2}}{\rho} \right)$ : Points to the lower wing struts.
- Undercarriage - bending and compression  $\left( \frac{\sigma_y^{2/3}}{\rho} \right)$ : Points to the landing gear struts.

**Definitions (in green box):**

- $E$  = Young's modulus
- $\rho$  = Density
- $\sigma_y$  = Yield strength

**Text on the right:**

The marked components of this plane perform different functions. The ties carry tension, the struts carry compression (they act as columns) and the spars carry bending moments – they are beams. They are chosen to be as light as possible: thus the objective is to minimize mass.

The mass of a **tensile tie** of prescribed strength depends on two material properties – yield strength and density – in the combination  $\sigma_y/\rho$ ; it is the material index for this component.

The mass of a **strut** that must carry a compressive load without buckling elastically is proportional to the material group  $E^{1/2}/\rho$  so this becomes the material index.

The mass of a **beam**, loaded in bending, with restriction on elastic deflection is also proportional to  $E^{1/2}/\rho$  so the index here is the same as that for the strut.

Thus the index depends on the mode of loading (tension, compression, bending) and on the requirement for stiffness or strength.

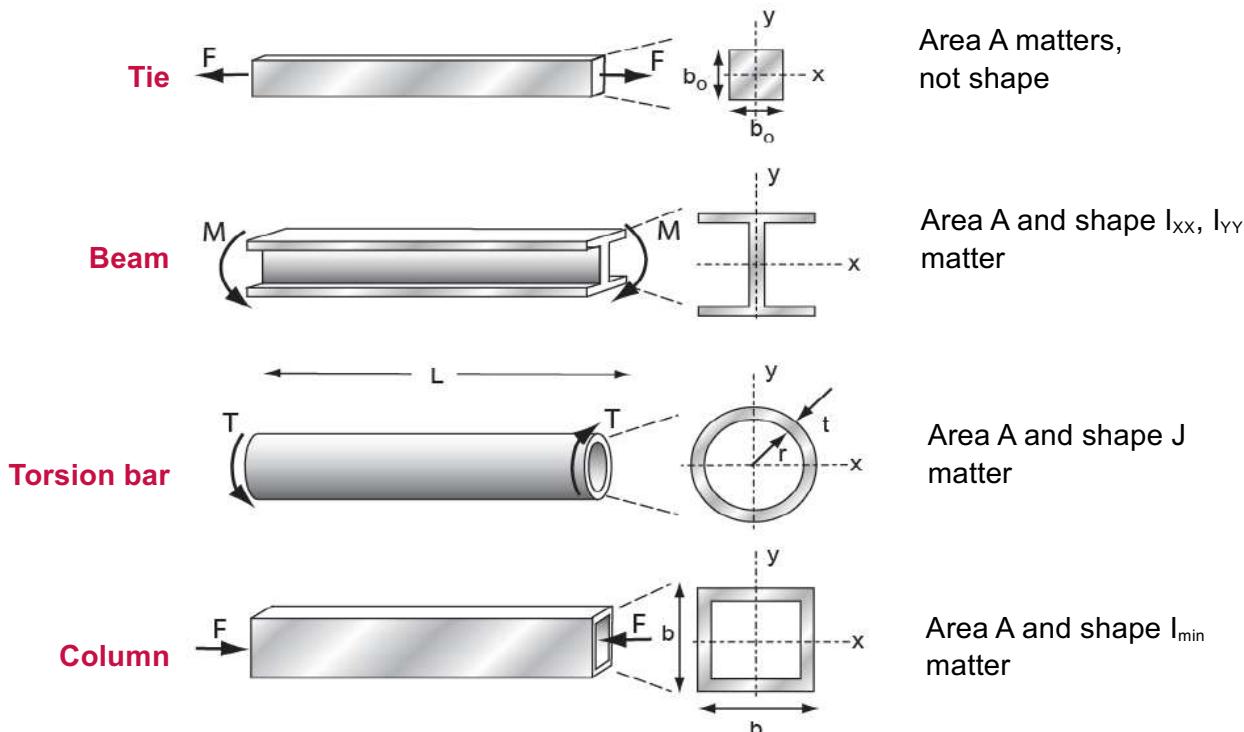
# PART3bis



- When materials are loaded in bending, in torsion, or are used as slender columns, section shape becomes important
- "Shape" = cross section formed to a
  - tubes
  - I-sections
  - tubes
  - hollow box-section
  - ~~sandwich panels~~
  - ~~ribbed panels~~
- "Efficient" = use least material for given stiffness or strength
- Shapes to which a material can be formed are limited by the material itself
- Goals: co-selecting material and shape



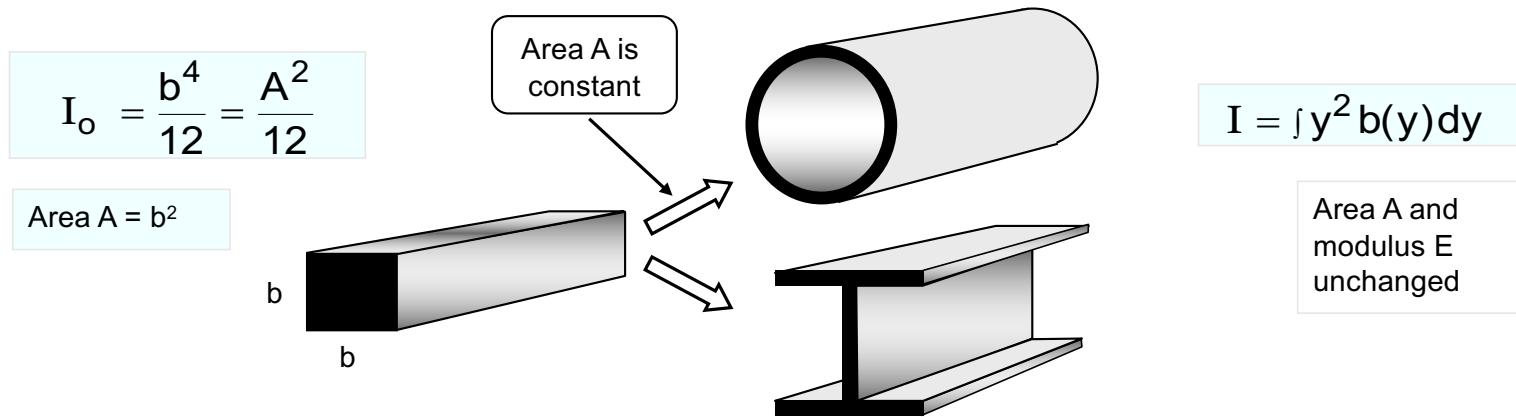
## Standard structural members



**Certain materials can be made to certain shapes:** what is the best combination?



- Take ratio of bending stiffness  $S$  of shaped section to that ( $S_o$ ) of a neutral reference section of the same cross-section area
- Define a standard reference section: a solid square with area  $A = b^2$
- Second moment of area is  $I$ ; stiffness scales as  $EI$ .



- Define **shape factor for elastic bending**, measuring efficiency, as

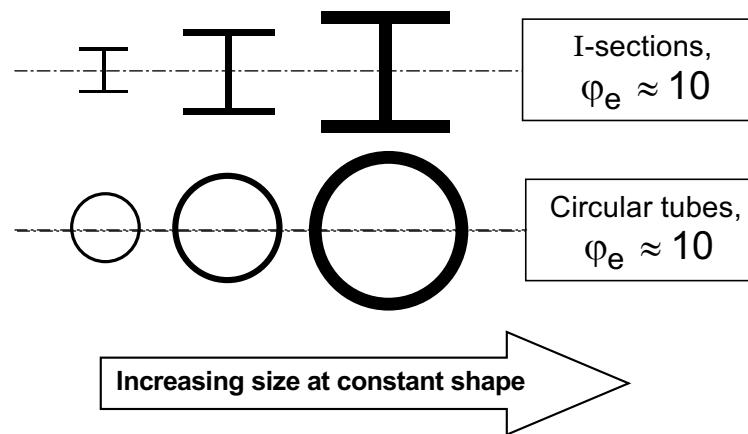
$$\varphi_e = \frac{S}{S_o} = \frac{EI}{EI_o} = 12 \frac{I}{A^2}$$



## Properties of the shape factor

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- The shape factor is dimensionless – a pure number.
- It characterizes shape.



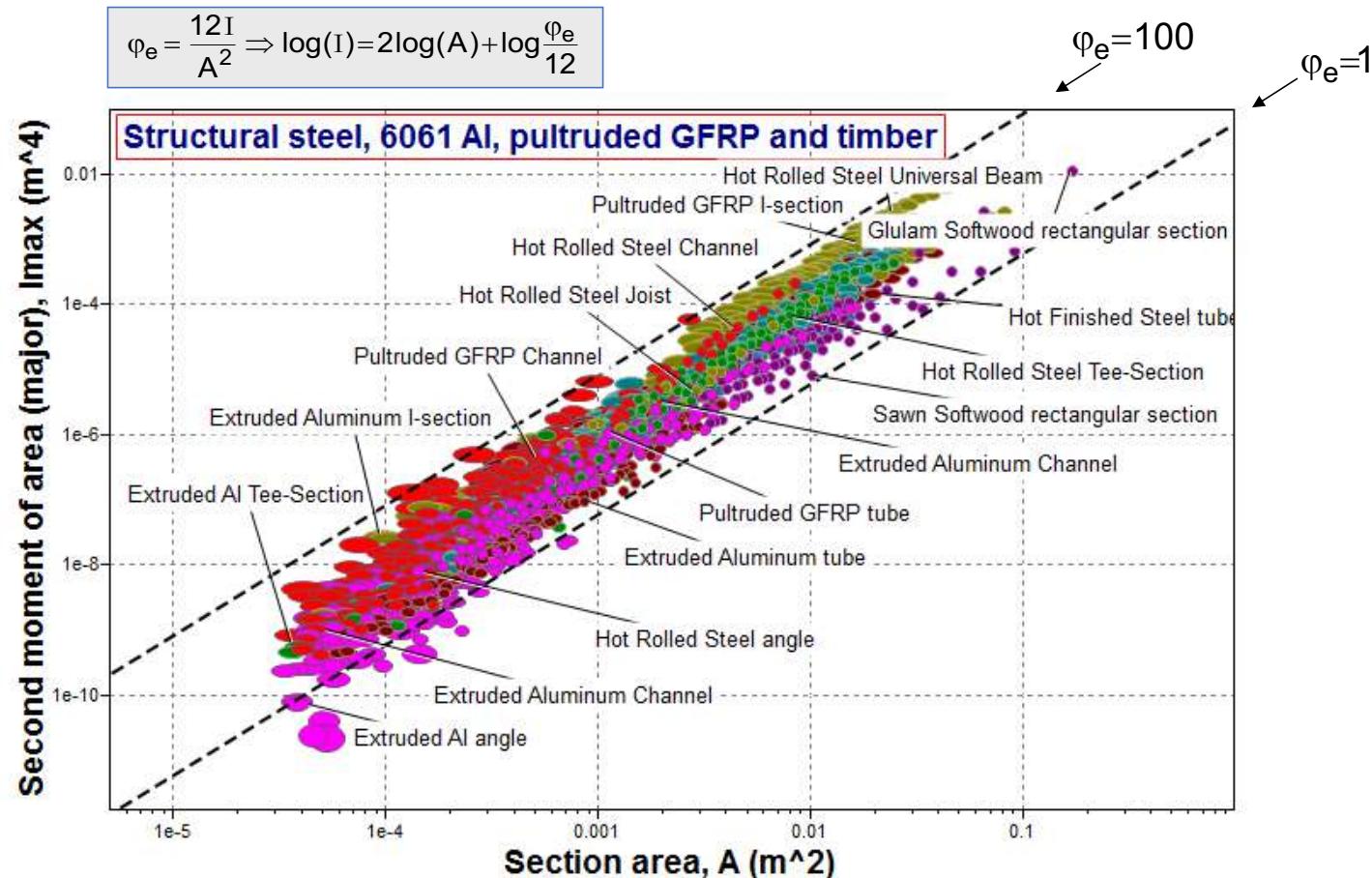
- The “shape efficiency” is the amount of material needed to carry the load. It is measured by the shape factor,  $\phi$ .

- Each of these is roughly 10 times stiffer in bending than a solid square section of the same cross-sectional area



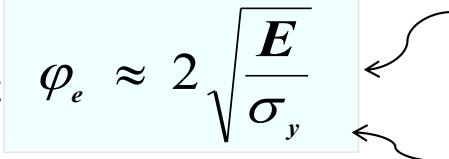
What values of  $\phi_e$  exist in reality?

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- Theoretical limit  $\varphi_e \approx 2 \sqrt{\frac{E}{\sigma_y}}$

Modulus  
Yield strength



E= Young's modulus

$\sigma_y$ = Yield strength (for polymers and composites, we use an approximate failure strength) s )

Material	Young's Modulus $E(GPa)$	Yield Strength $\sigma_y(MPa)$	$\varphi_e$
Steels	~ 200	~ 250 – 1000	~ 9 – 28
Aluminum Alloys	~ 70	~ 100 – 500	~ 6 – 14
GFRP (Glass Fiber)	~ 20 – 40	~ 50 – 300	~ 5 – 18
CFRP (Carbon Fiber)	~ 70 – 150	~ 500 – 1000	~ 5 – 11
Unreinforced Polymers	~ 1 – 5	~ 10 – 100	~ 2 – 6
Woods	~ 5 – 20	~ 20 – 100	~ 3 – 9



- There is an upper limit to shape factor for each material

Material	Max $\varphi_e$
Steels	65
Aluminum alloys	44
GFRP and CFRP	39
Unreinforced polymers	12
Woods	8
Elastomers	<6
Other materials	...can calculate

- Theoretical limit

$$\varphi_e \approx 2 \sqrt{\frac{E}{\sigma_y}}$$

Modulus

Yield strength

- Refined Limit set by:
  - (a) manufacturing constraints
  - (b) local buckling



## Indices that include shape

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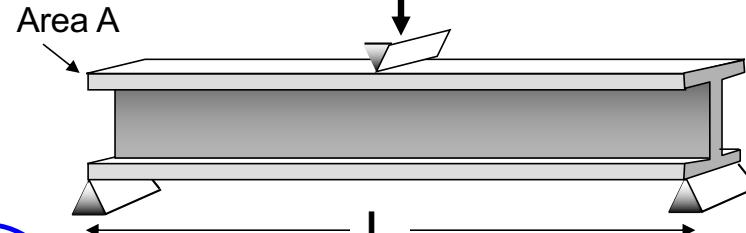
Function

Beam (shaped section).

Constraint

Bending stiffness = S:

$$S = \frac{CEI}{L^3}$$



I is the second moment of area:

$$\varphi_e = 12 \frac{I}{A^2}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{12I}{\varphi_e} \right)^{1/2}$$

Objective

Minimise mass, m, where:

$$m = AL\rho$$

$$m = \left( \frac{12S L^5}{C} \right)^{1/2} \left( \frac{\rho}{(\varphi_e E)^{1/2}} \right)$$

Chose materials with smallest

$$\left( \frac{\rho}{(\varphi_e E)^{1/2}} \right)$$

m = mass  
A = area  
L = length  
 $\rho$  = density  
b = edge length  
S = stiffness  
I = second moment of area  
E = Youngs Modulus



- Materials for stiff, *shaped* beams of minimum weight
- Fixed shape ( $\varphi_e$  fixed): choose materials with low  $\frac{\rho}{E^{1/2}}$
- Shape  $\varphi_e$  a variable: choose materials with low  $\frac{\rho}{(\varphi_e E)^{1/2}}$

Material	$\rho$ , Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	E, GPa	$\varphi_{e,max}$	$\rho/E^{1/2}$	$\rho/(\varphi_{e,max} E)^{1/2}$
1020 Steel	7.85	205	65	0.55	0.068
6061 T4 Al	2.70	70	44	0.32	0.049
GFRP	1.75	28	39	0.35	0.053
Wood (oak)	0.9	13	8	0.25	0.088

- Commentary:
  - Fixed shape (up to  $\varphi_e = 8$ ): wood is best
  - Maximum shape ( $\varphi_e = \varphi_{e,max}$ ): Al-alloy is best
  - Steel recovers some performance through high  $\varphi_{e,max}$



So what?

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- If two materials have the *same* shape, the standard indices for bending (eg  $\rho/E^{1/2}$ ) guide the choice.
- If materials can be made -- or are available -- in different shapes, then indices which include the shape (eg  $\rho/(\varphi E)^{1/2}$ ) guide the choice.

# PART4

- Environmental impact

Eco-properties	Energy required per unit mass to produce material (embodied energy)	$H_m$	MJ/kg
	CO <sub>2</sub> footprint (CO <sub>2</sub> mass produced per unit mass of material produced)	CO <sub>2</sub>	kg/kg

# GHG footprint per mass

- Usually in databases :  
Primary production CO<sub>2</sub> footprint (Eco)  
Processing CO<sub>2</sub> footprint (Ecp)  
Recycling CO<sub>2</sub> footprint (Ecr)  
Recycle fraction in current supply (Fr)

$$Ec = Fr * Ecr + (1 - Fr) * Eco + Ecp$$

-> enables to take into account multiple stages of the life cycle.

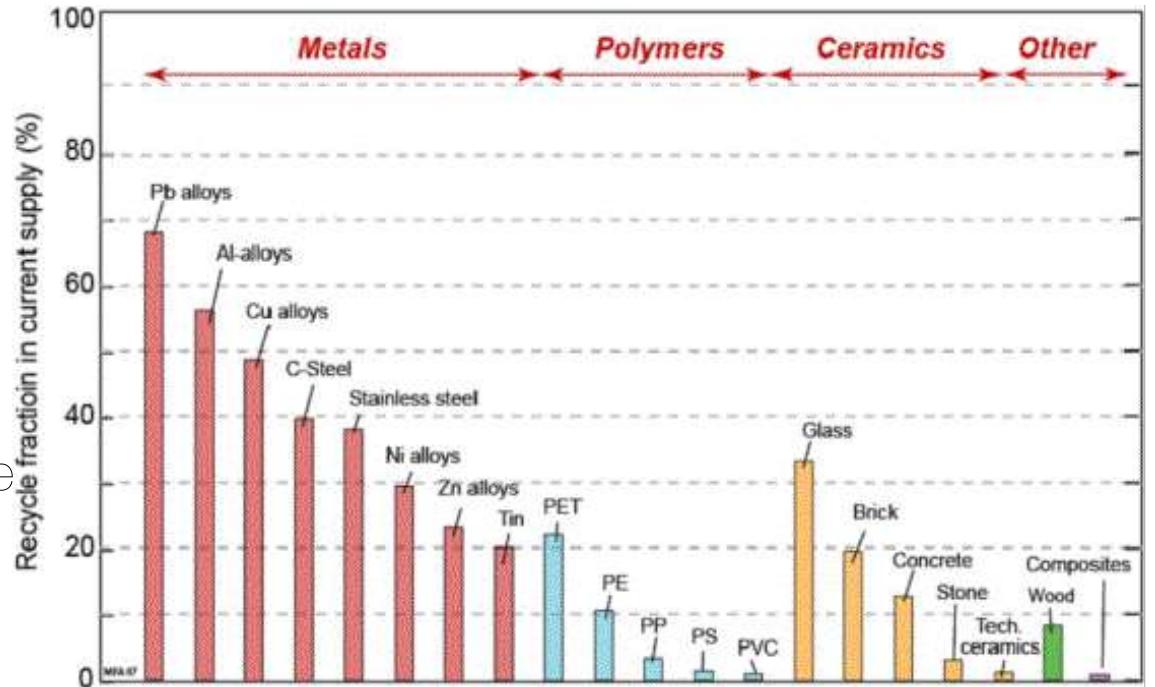


Figure 1. The fractional contribution of recycled material to current consumption. For metals, the contribution is large; for polymers, small (2005/06 data).

# GHG footprint per mass

- Example for Aluminum in CES Edupack

## Primary production energy, CO2 and water

Embodied energy, primary production	(i)	* 45	-	49,6	MJ/kg
CO2 footprint, primary production	(i)	* 3,46	-	3,81	kg/kg
Water usage	(i)	* 135	-	150	l/kg

## Recycling and end of life

Recycle	(i)	✓			
Embodied energy, recycling	(i)	* 10,8	-	12	MJ/kg
CO2 footprint, recycling	(i)	* 0,85	-	0,94	kg/kg
Recycle fraction in current supply	(i)	52,3	-	57,8	%
Downcycle	(i)	✓			
Combust for energy recovery	(i)	✗			
Landfill	(i)	✓			
Biodegrade	(i)	✗			

## Processing energy, CO2 footprint & water

Casting energy	(i)	* 10,9	-	12,1	MJ/kg
Casting CO2	(i)	* 0,818	-	0,904	kg/kg
Casting water	(i)	* 20,6	-	31	l/kg
Roll forming, forging energy	(i)	* 15,6	-	17,2	MJ/kg
Roll forming, forging CO2	(i)	* 1,17	-	1,29	kg/kg
Roll forming, forging water	(i)	* 8,2	-	12,3	l/kg
Extrusion, foil rolling energy	(i)	* 30,8	-	34,1	MJ/kg
Extrusion, foil rolling CO2	(i)	* 2,31	-	2,56	kg/kg
Extrusion, foil rolling water	(i)	* 14,7	-	22,1	l/kg
Wire drawing energy	(i)	* 115	-	127	MJ/kg
Wire drawing CO2	(i)	* 8,61	-	9,52	kg/kg
Wire drawing water	(i)	* 43,3	-	64,9	l/kg
Metal powder forming energy	(i)	* 37,5	-	41,4	MJ/kg
Metal powder forming CO2	(i)	* 3	-	3,32	kg/kg
Metal powder forming water	(i)	* 40,9	-	61,4	l/kg
Vaporization energy	(i)	* 1,09e4	-	1,2e4	MJ/kg
Vaporization CO2	(i)	* 815	-	901	kg/kg
Vaporization water	(i)	* 4,53e3	-	6,8e3	l/kg
Coarse machining energy (per unit wt removed)	(i)	* 2,77	-	3,06	MJ/kg
Coarse machining CO2 (per unit wt removed)	(i)	* 0,207	-	0,229	kg/kg
Fine machining energy (per unit wt removed)	(i)	* 23,4	-	25,8	MJ/kg
Fine machining CO2 (per unit wt removed)	(i)	* 1,75	-	1,94	kg/kg

## Example of carbon performance index

- We want to minimize the **GHG GreenHouse Gas** footprint of a bar of length  $L$  under a load  $F$ , while staying in the elastic domain. The section and the material are free.

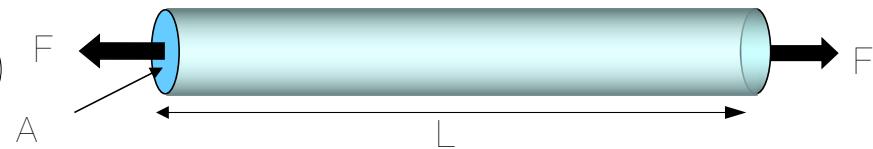
- $P : 1/\text{CO}_2 = 1/(E_c * \rho * L * A) \quad (1)$

- $F : F/A = \sigma < \sigma_y$

(stay in the elastic domain)

We go to the limit  $\Rightarrow A = F/\sigma_y \quad (2)$

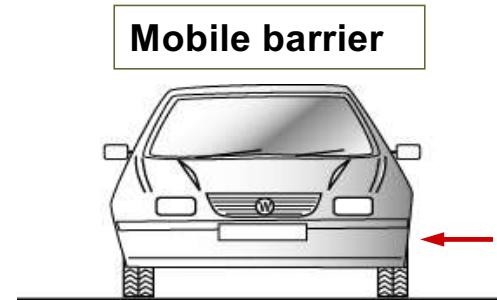
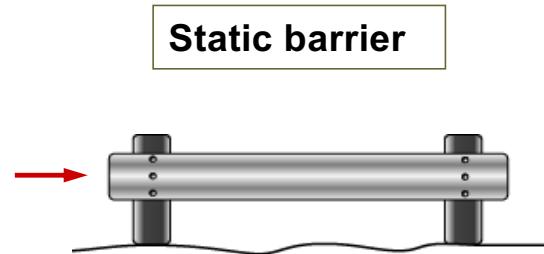
- $(1)+(2) : P = \sigma_y / (E_c * \rho * L * F)$



- $P = \frac{1/F}{f_1(F)} * \frac{1/L}{f_2(G)} * \frac{\sigma_y}{f_3(M)} / (E_c * \rho)$

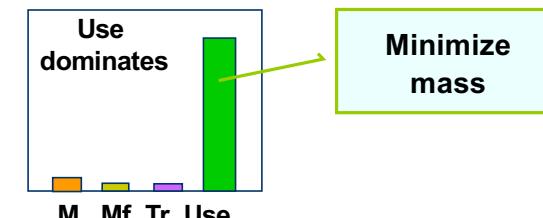
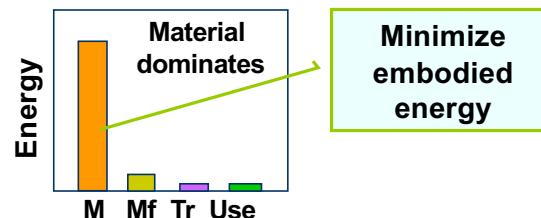
$m$  = mass  
 $A$  = section  
 $L$  = length  
 $\rho$  = density  
 $\sigma_y$  = yield strength  
 $E_c$  = GHG footprint per mass ( $\text{kg}_{eq}\text{CO}_2/\text{kg}$ )

$\Rightarrow$  We will choose the material maximizing the index  $M = \sigma_y / (E_c * \rho)$



**Function:** *Absorb impact, transmit load to energy-absorbing units or supports*

**Dominant phase of life:**



**Criterion:**

*Bending strength per unit embodied energy*

**Index:**

$$\frac{\sigma_y^{2/3}}{H_m \rho}$$

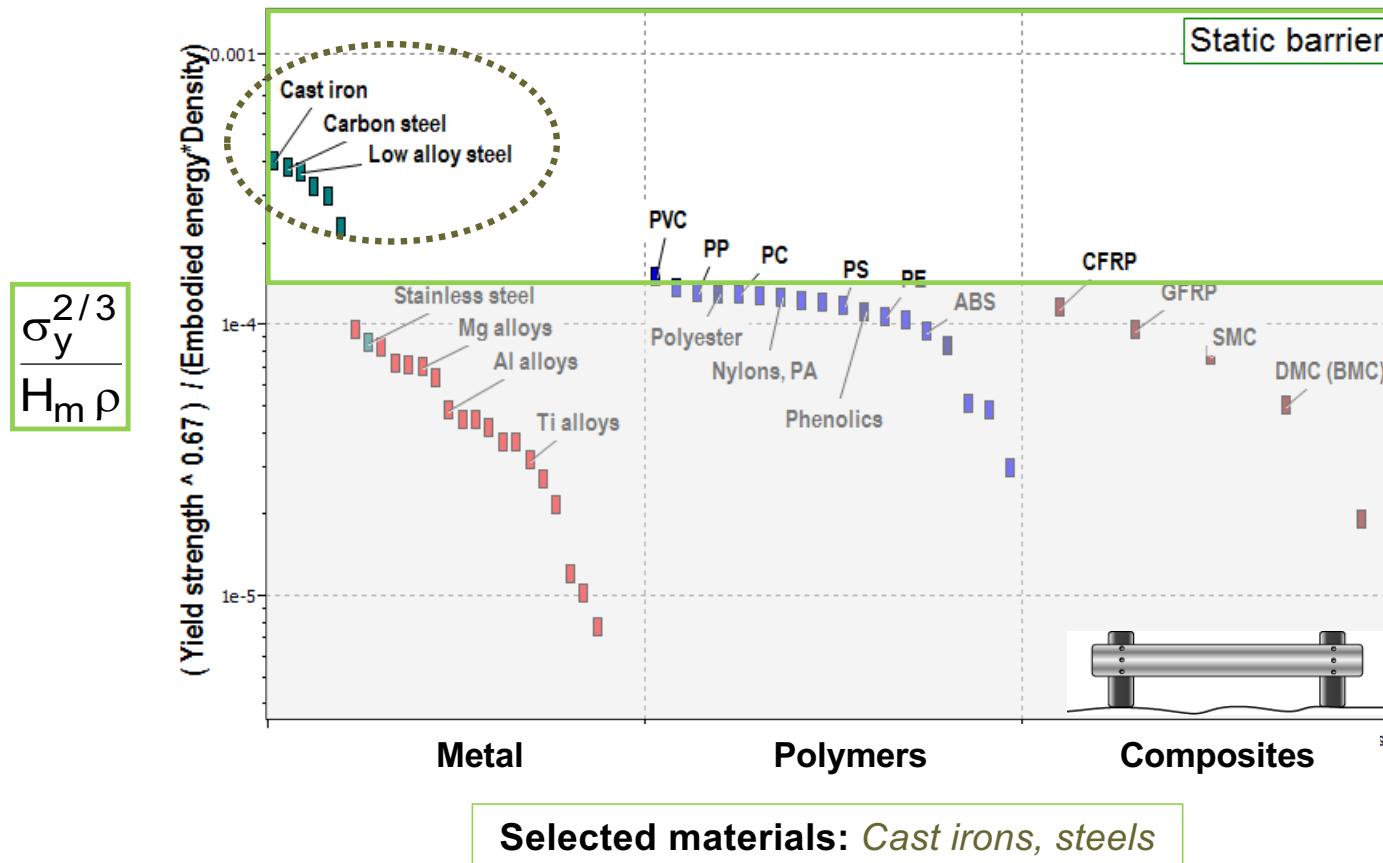
*Bending strength per unit mass*

$$\frac{\sigma_y^{2/3}}{\rho}$$



## Static barrier: the index as bar chart

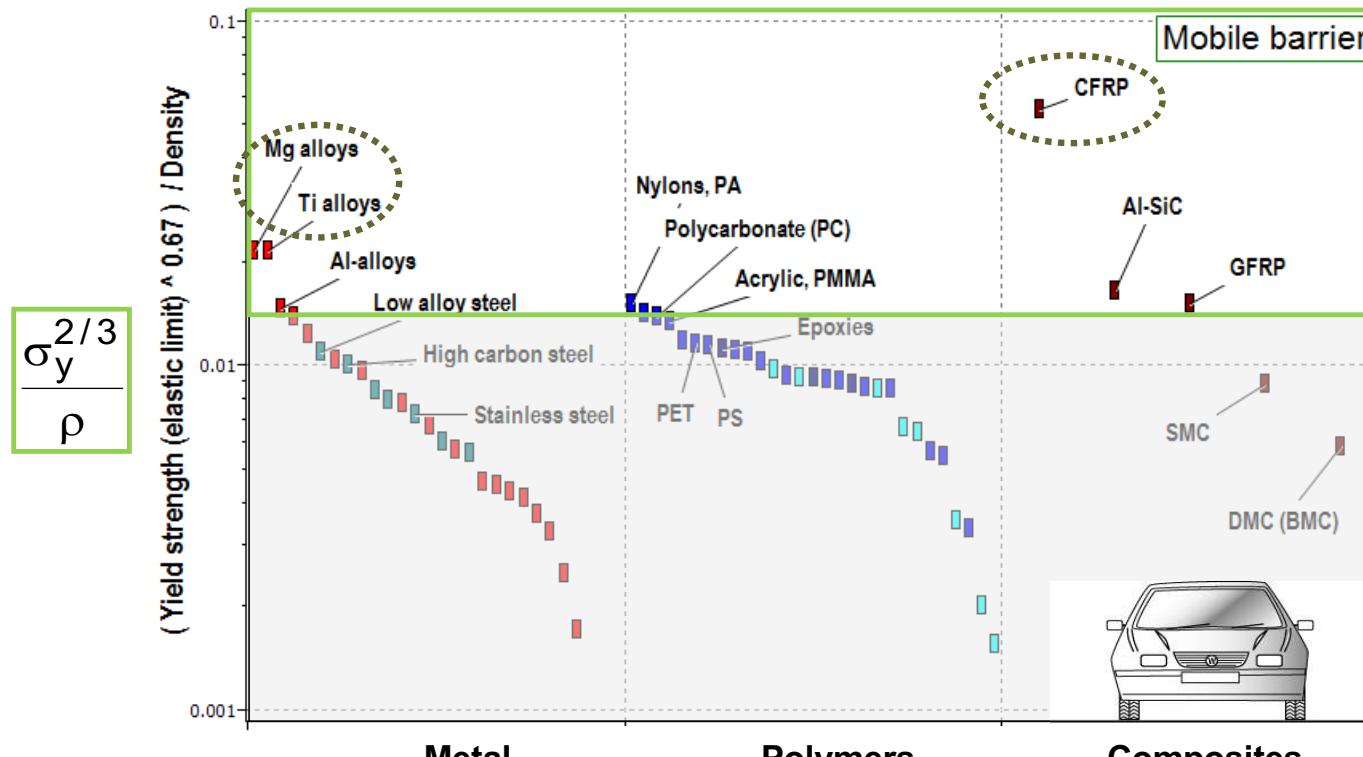
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## Mobile barrier: the index as bar chart

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**Selected materials:** CFRP, Mg alloys, Ti alloys, Al alloys



So what?

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- Eco-informed material choice is part of the eco-design process
- An Eco Audit identifies the most damaging phase of life and identifies strategies for overcoming it
- Systematic strategies, using material indices, optimize material choice to minimize life energy
- CES EduPack allows the strategy to be implemented and documents the steps taken to minimize eco-impact.

# PART5

- Multiobjective optimization

# Optimization with multiple objectives

- Ashby index are well adapted to cases where there is only one objective function in which appear multiple quantities, however in ecodesign we generally have multiple objectives...
- A first step is to make the difference between objectives (to be minimized/maximized) and constraints (to filter).

## Typical constraints

The material must be:

- Electrical conductor
- Transparent...

And be enough:

- Stiff
- Strong

And be able to be:

- Cast
- Welded...

=> Easy to take into account

## Typical objectives

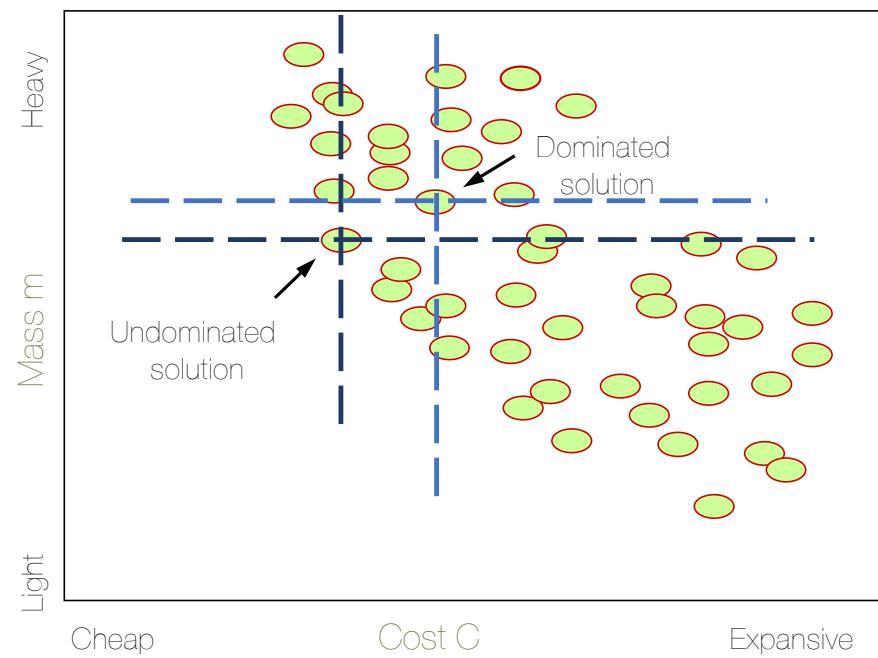
Minimize

- Mass  $m$  (satellite components)
- Volume (smartphones)
- Energy consumption (refrigerator)
- GHG footprint (everything)
- Grey energy (materials)
- Cost  $C$  (everything)

=> Easy if only one; complex otherwise

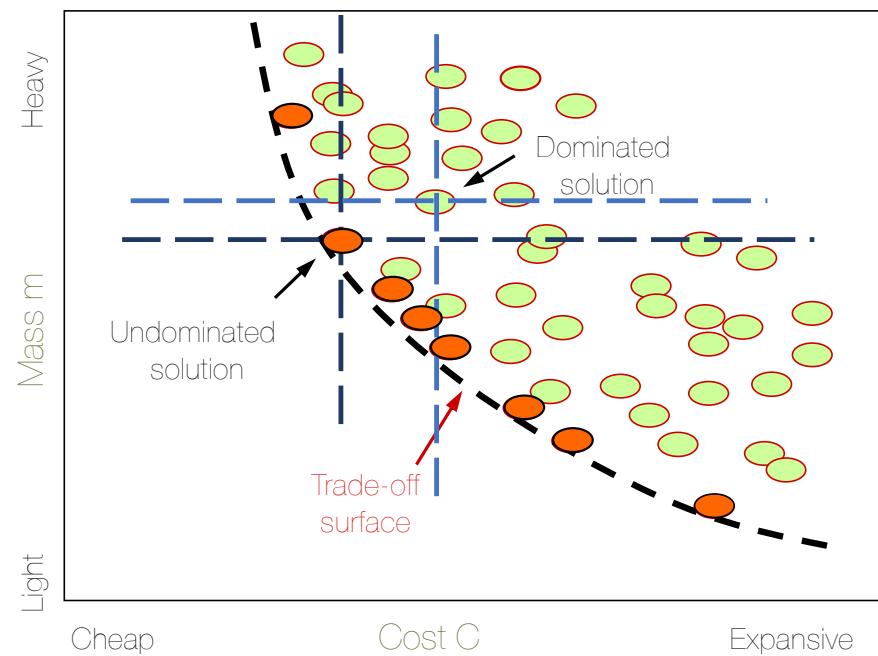
## Mass-cost example

- Solution : respects the constraints (e.g. transparent, water resistant, ...)
- Diagram with both indexes to be minimized
- Get rid of dominated solutions



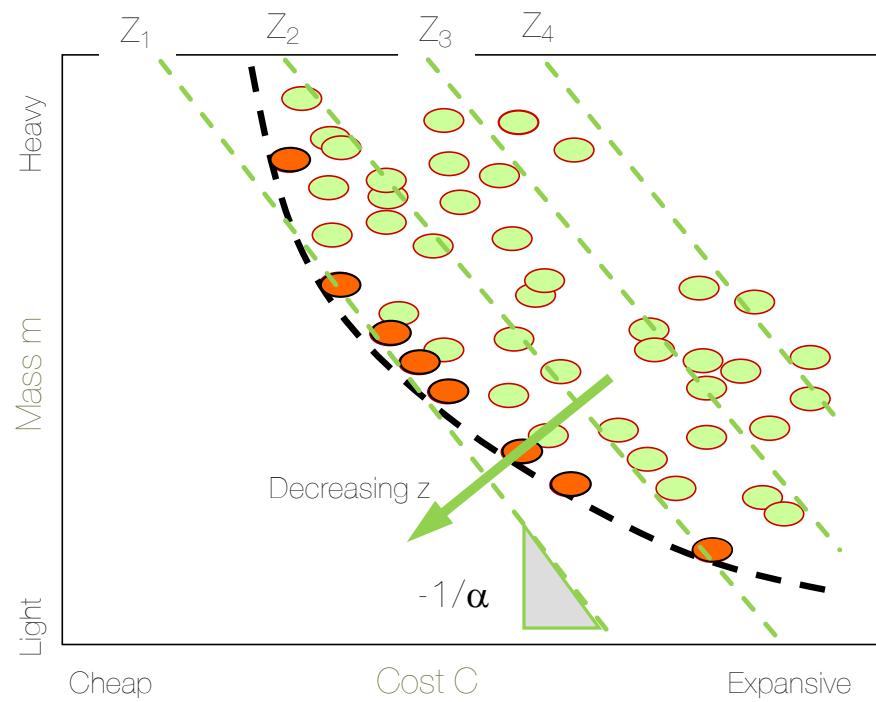
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- Get rid of dominated solutions
- We get the Pareto front



# Penalty function

- Give a relative importance to the objectives to choose a solution.
- $Z = C + \alpha * m$  : new objective
- With linear axis, lines of equation  
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$\Rightarrow \alpha$  is important

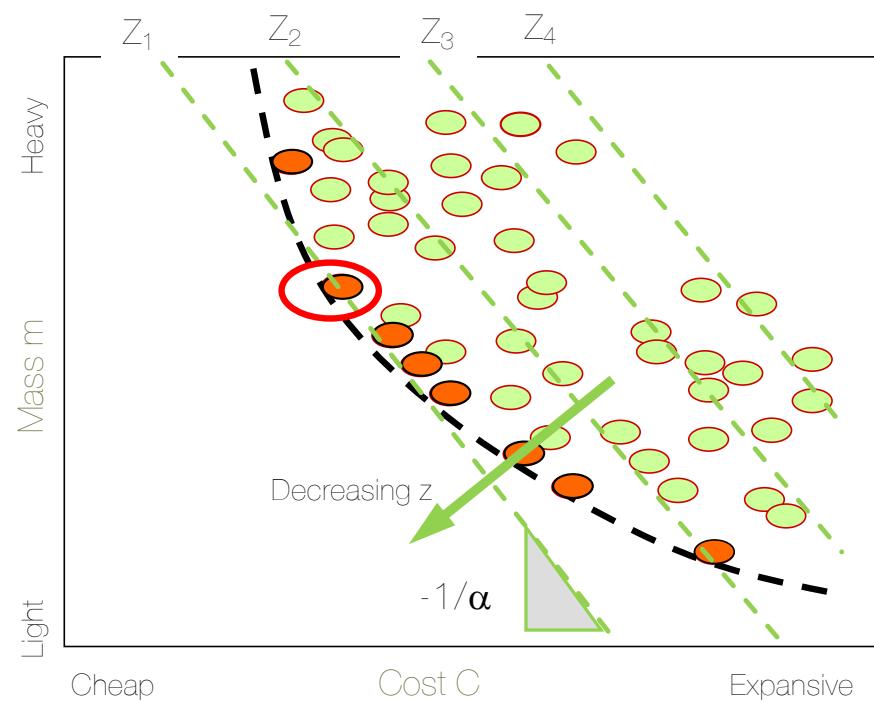
How much is  $\alpha$  for a low-cost bike?

A : 2€/kg

C : 20€/kg

B : 5€/kg

D : 100€/kg



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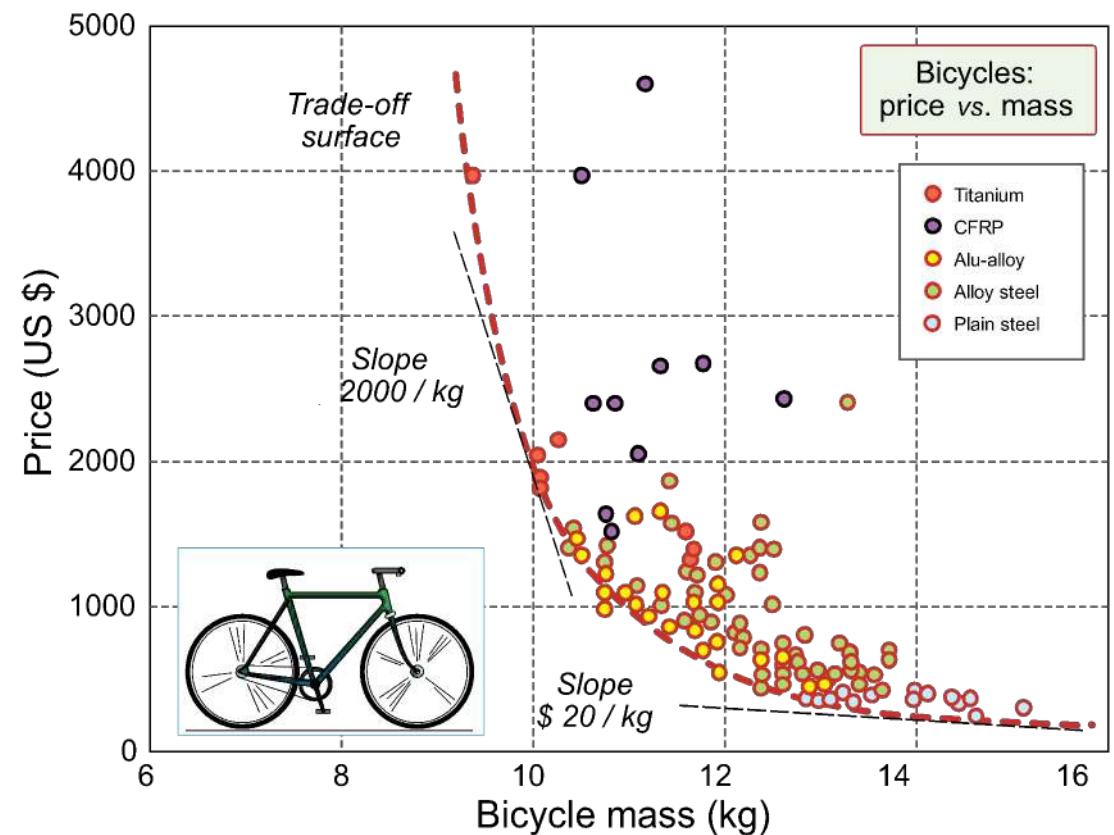
D : 100€/kg

=> Titanium / aluminum / steel?



: steel

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# Penalty function in transports

- For transports, mass -> fuel consumption -> cost
- Costs over life time = acquisition cost (proportional to C) + fuel costs (proportional to m)

$$\Rightarrow Z = C + a * m$$

How much is a for a car?

- |            |             |
|------------|-------------|
| A : 4€/kg  | C : 50€/kg  |
| B : 15€/kg | D : 200€/kg |

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How much is a for a car?

A : 4€/kg

B : 15€/kg

C : 50€/kg

D : 200€/kg

How much is a for space applications?

A : 100€/kg

C : 2000€/kg

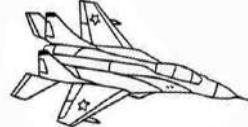
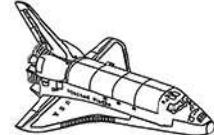
B : 500€/kg

D : 8000€/kg

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Steel	Steel / Alu	Alu / (composite)	Alu / Ti / composites	Composites	
$\alpha$ (\$/kg)	3 – 6	6 – 20	100 – 600	600 – 2,000 (?)	5,000 – 10,000

# EN CONCLUSION

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The screenshot shows a website interface for the Collège de France. On the left, there's a sidebar with a navigation menu including "Yves Bréchet", "Chaire d'Innovation technologique Liliane Bettencourt (2012-2013)", "Biographie", "Domaine de recherche", "Résumé annuel", "La Chaire depuis 2006", "Cours" (which is currently selected), "Séminaires", "Leçon inaugurale", "Colloques", and "Audio/vidéo". Below this is a footer note: "les en soutenant les projets du Collège de France." The main content area displays a list of events by Yves Bréchet:

- 2012-2013  
La science des matériaux : du matériau de rencontre au matériau sur mesure  
aux facettes multiples  
Yves Bréchet  
22 février 2013 ~ 10:00 ~ 11:00 ~ Cours  
La modélisation intégrée, comment assembler des briques de connaissance  
Yves Bréchet
- 01 mars 2013 ~ 10:00 ~ 11:00 ~ Cours  
Ecoconception et matériaux  
Yves Bréchet
- 08 mars 2013 ~ 10:00 ~ 11:00 ~ Cours  
Les conditions extrêmes  
Yves Bréchet
- 15 mars 2013 ~ 10:00 ~ 11:00 ~ Cours  
Architectures hiérarchisées : les leçons du vivant  
Yves Bréchet

On the right, there's a summary of the last event:

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## Ecoconception et matériaux

Yves Bréchet

01 mars 2013 ~ 10:00 ~ 11:00 ~ Cours  
Amphithéâtre Guillaume Budé - Marcellin Berthelot

A small video player thumbnail shows Yves Bréchet speaking at a podium. A play button icon is visible in the bottom-left corner of the thumbnail.

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Le développement durable impose la prise en compte des impacts environnementaux dans l'usage des matériaux. Le cours illustrera des développements récents sur cette question en insistant sur la nécessité de considérer les matériaux dans un système, et non pas le matériau de façon isolé. Ce domaine,

# Eco Audit tool for rapid LCA

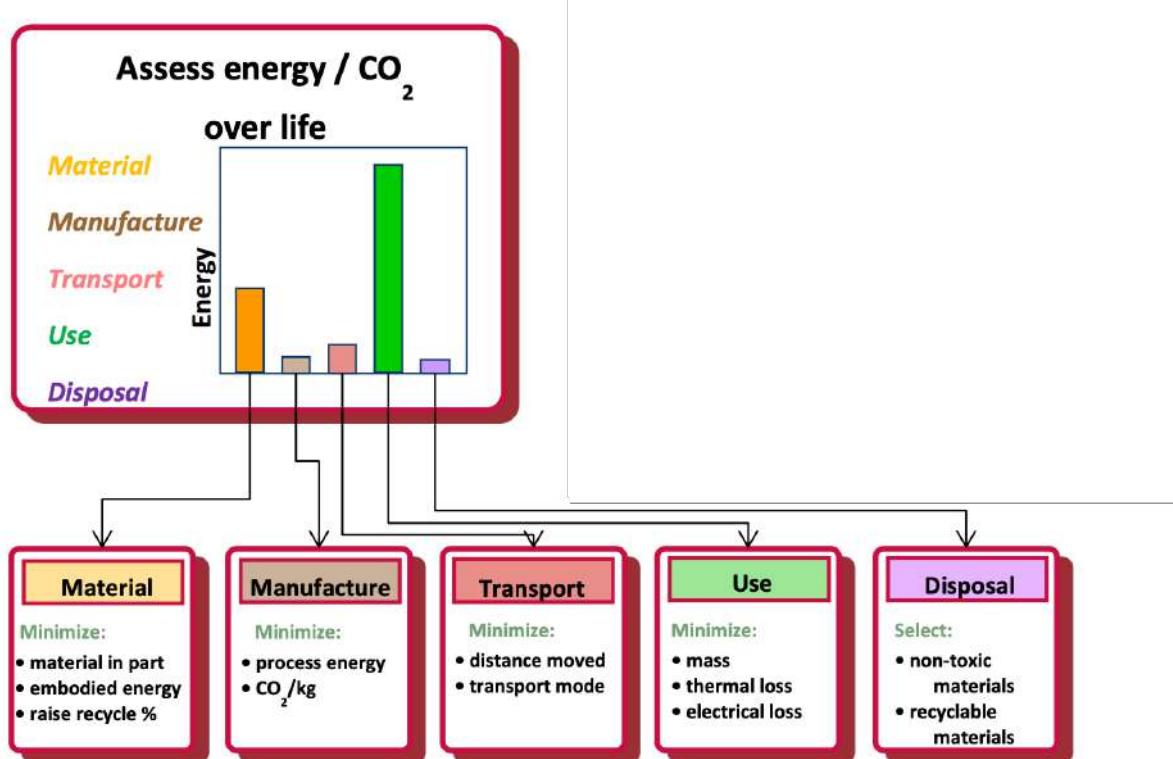
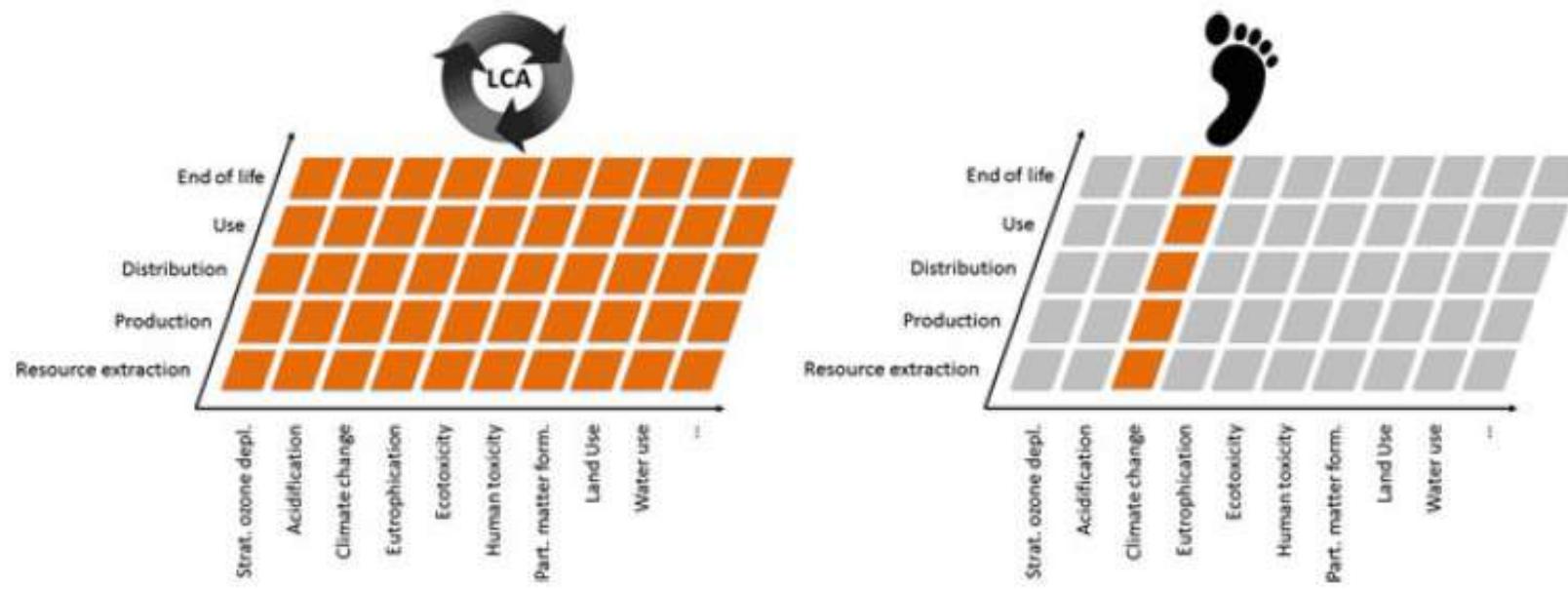


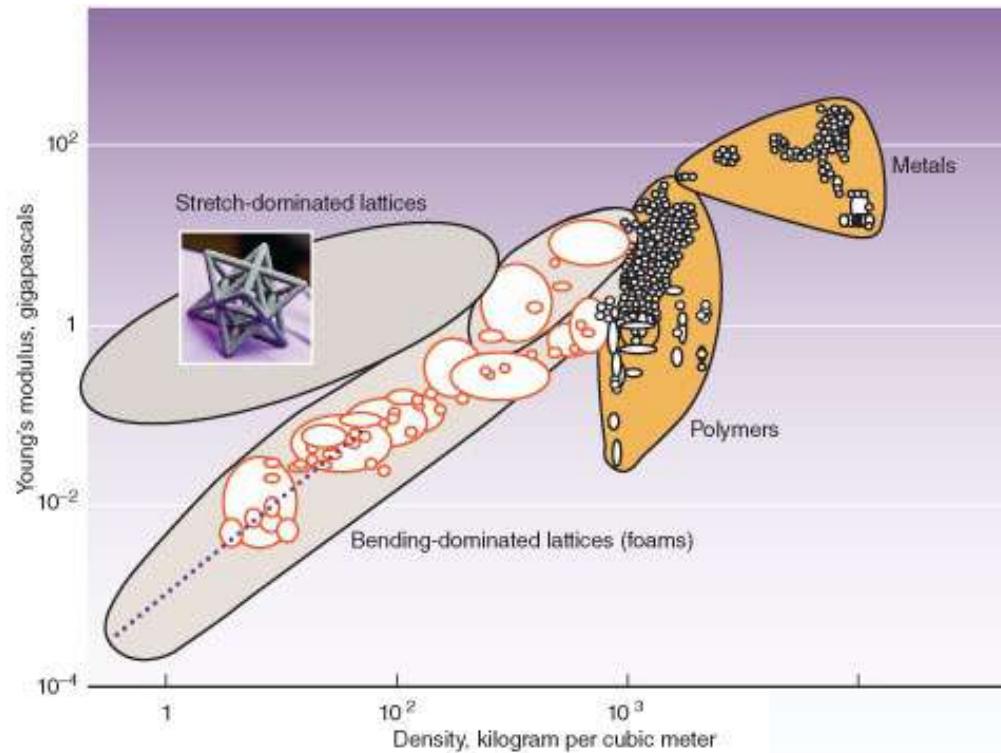
Figure 4: Environmental impact can be assessed for each life-stage of a product (Tip 3). Materials and process selection play an important role in determining environmental impacts and can be used in many eco design strategies (Tip 4.)

# Global View with LCA



# Research

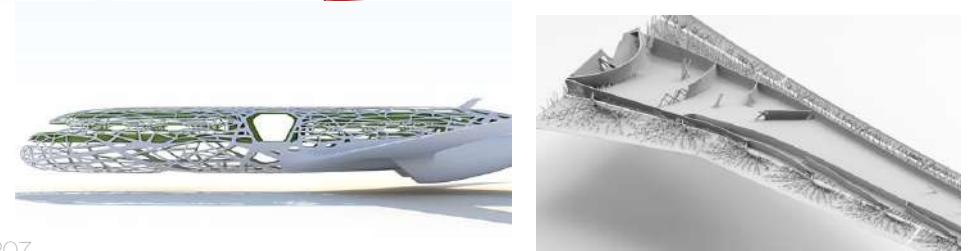
# AND TOMORROW?



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Chris Spadaccini (Inl, USA) "By controlling the architecture of a microstructure, we can create materials with previously unobtainable properties in the bulk form."

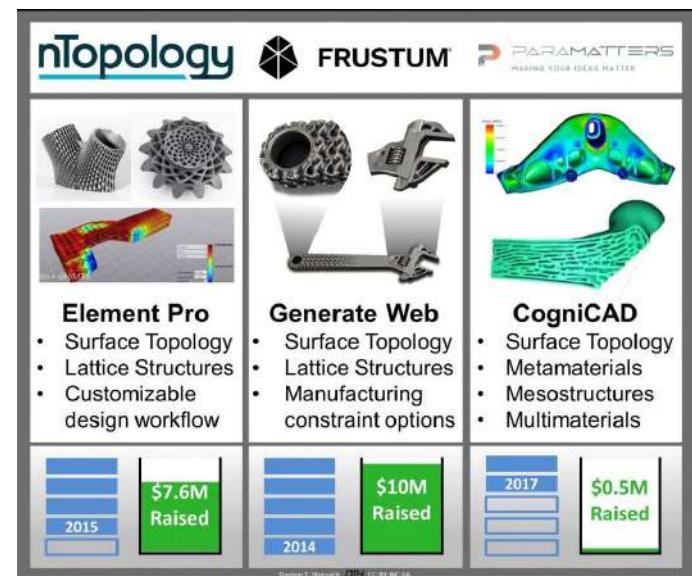


# Software and algorithms for hierarchical design

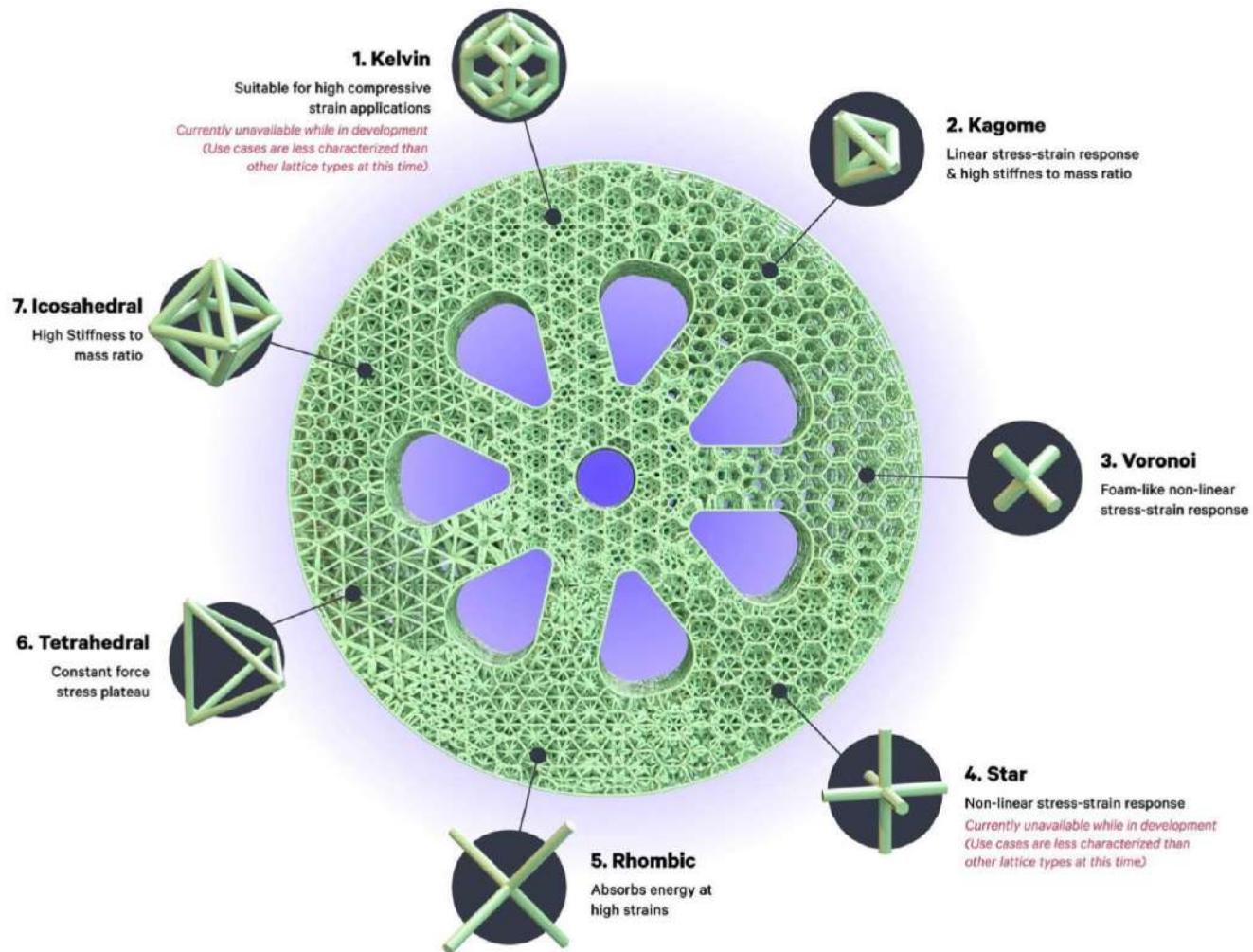
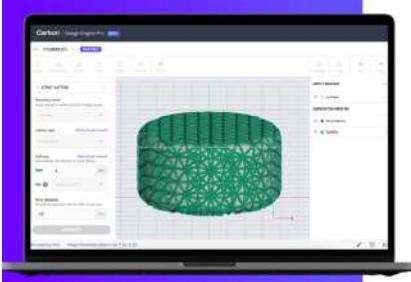
Conventional CAD programs do not work well  
**New players are emerging**

Examples:

- nTopology (see case studies): <https://ntopology.com/>
- additiveflow: <https://www.additiveflow.com/>
- Hyperganic
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- Fusion 360 (Autodesk)



## 1: Carbon Design Engine™



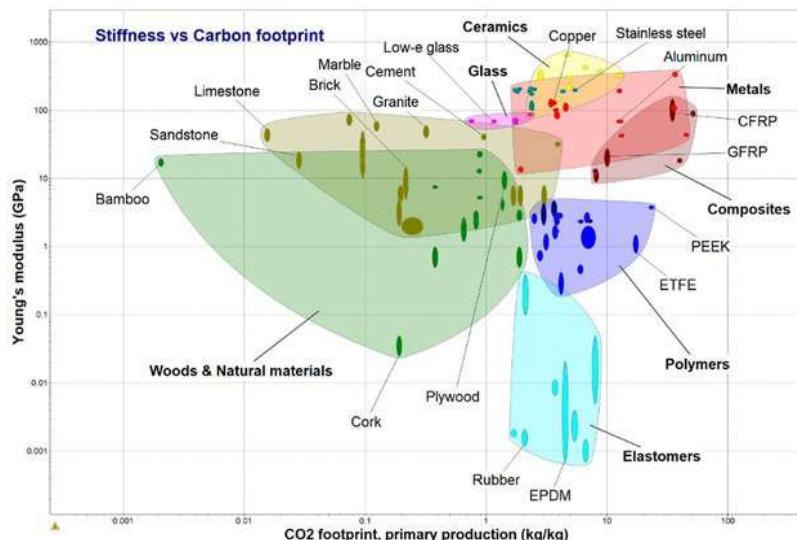
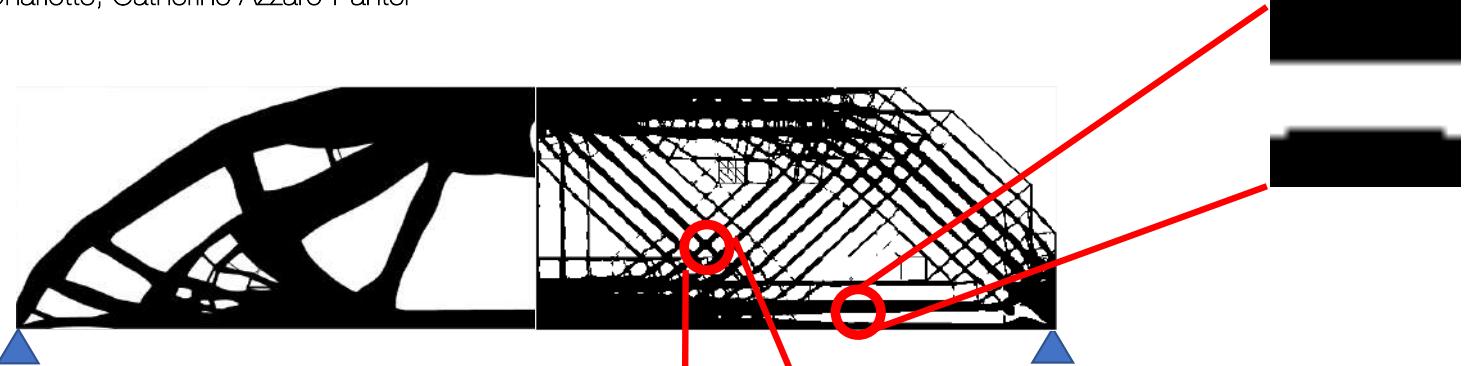
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#Mass vs CO<sub>2</sub> footprint Minimization

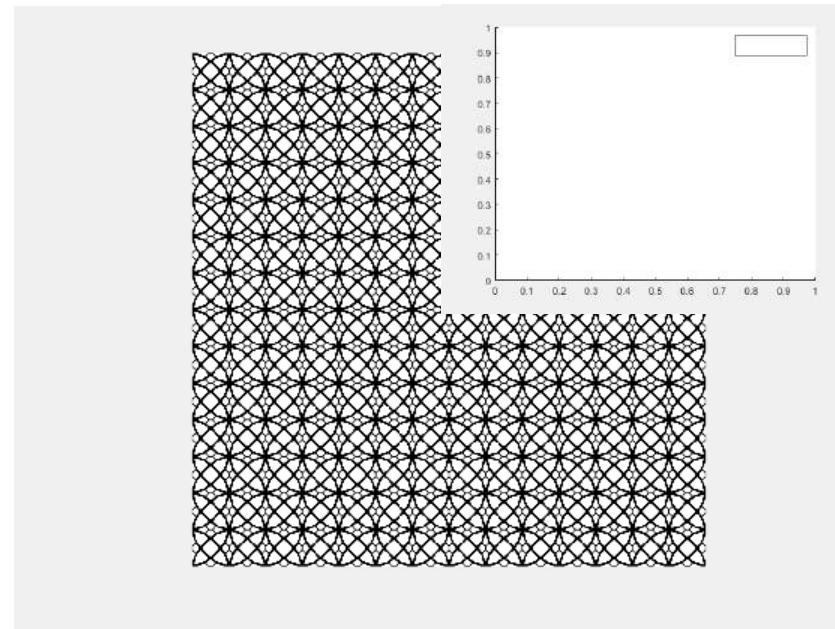
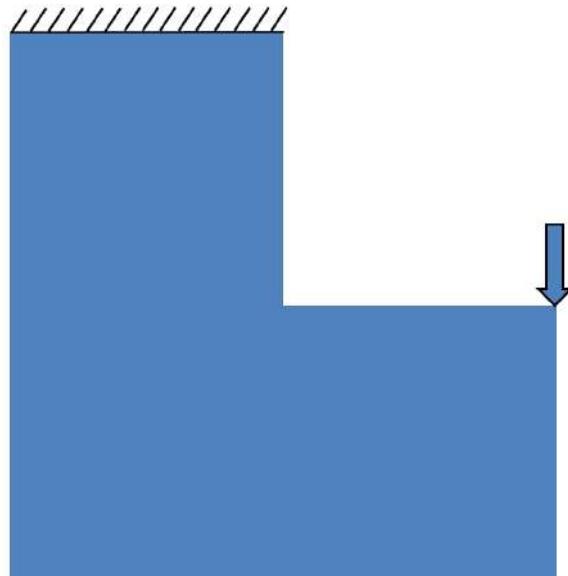
#SIMP vs EMTO

#3D printing process selection



# EMTO on L-shape (cellular /architectured materials)

Duriez, E., Morlier, J., Charlotte, M., & Azzaro-Pantel, C. (2021). A well connected, locally-oriented and efficient multi-scale topology optimization (EMTO) strategy. Structural and Multidisciplinary Optimization, 1-24.



<https://github.com/mid2SUPAERO/EMTO>

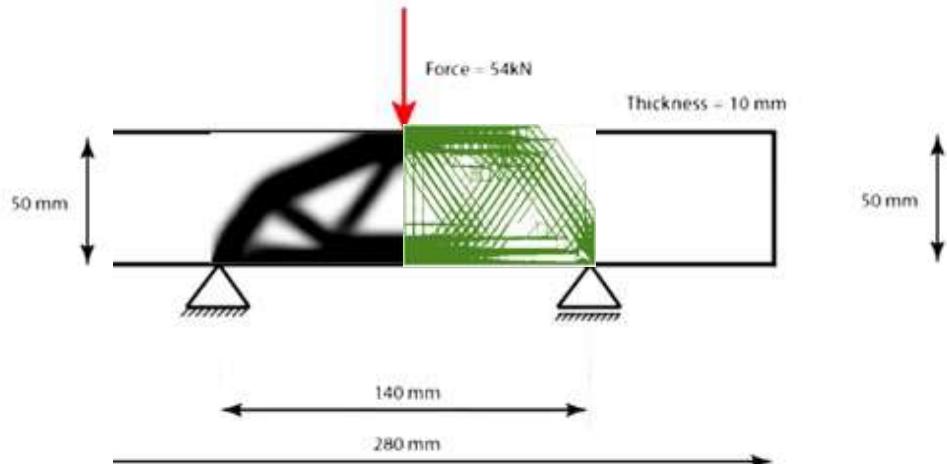
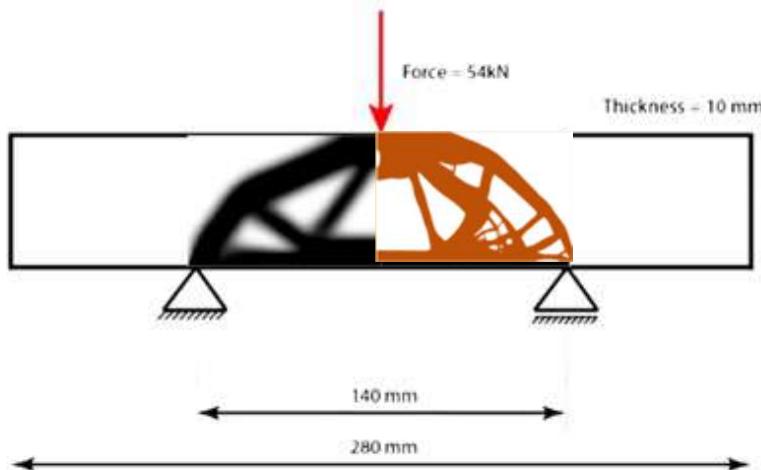
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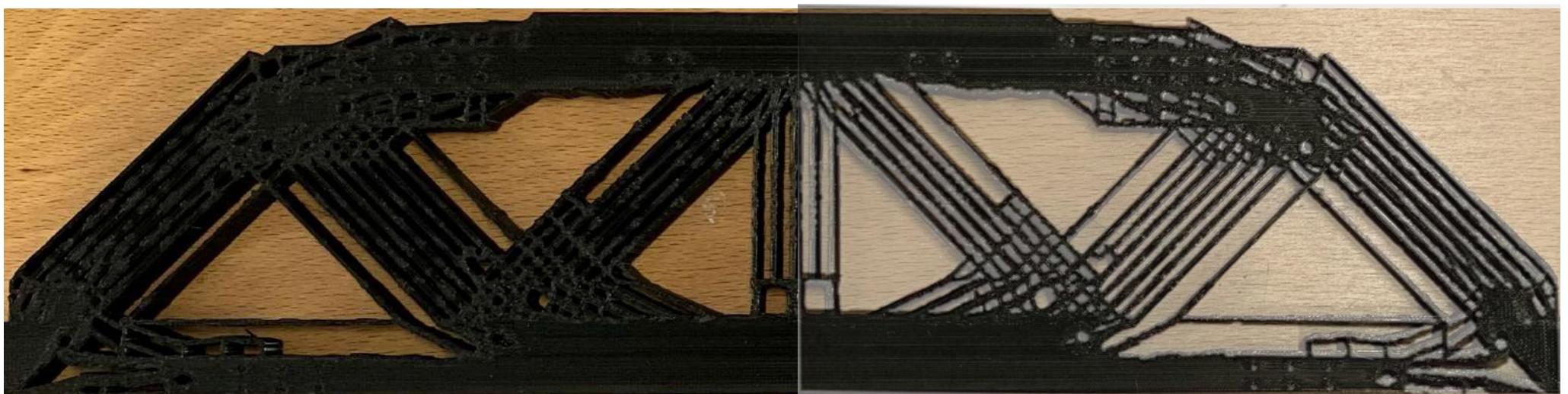
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#Our very First Results

#SIMP vs ECOMA

Print it , test it

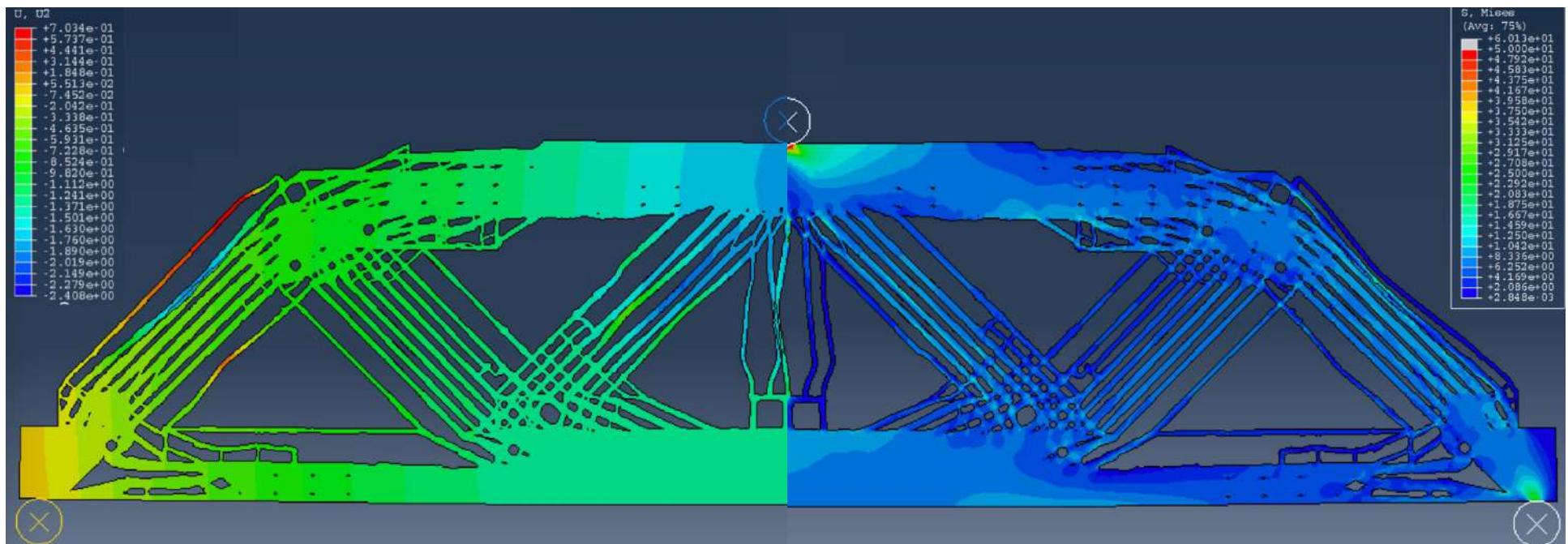




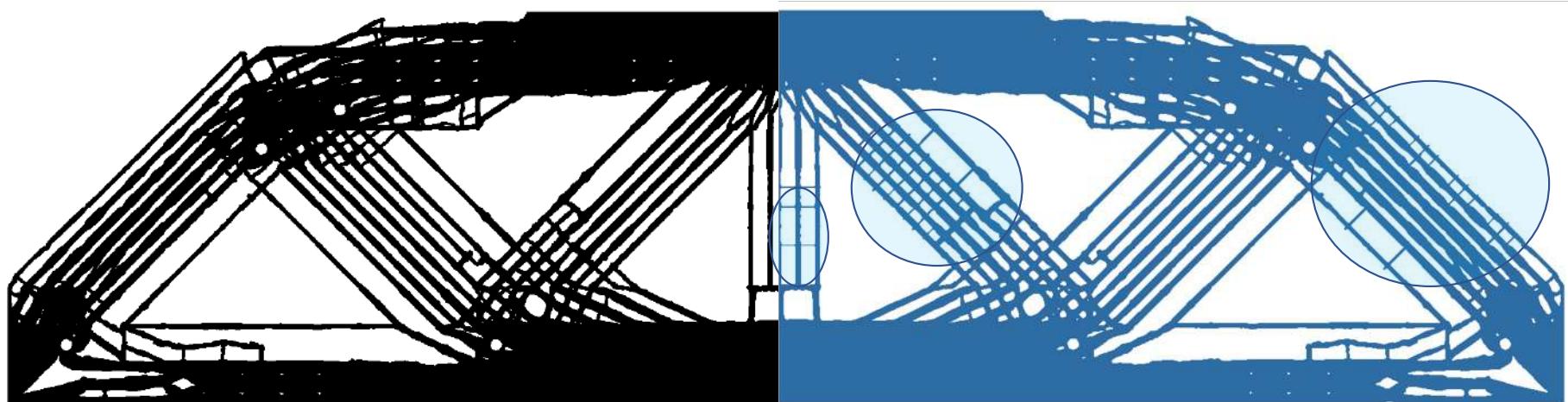
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# Disp or Stress ?

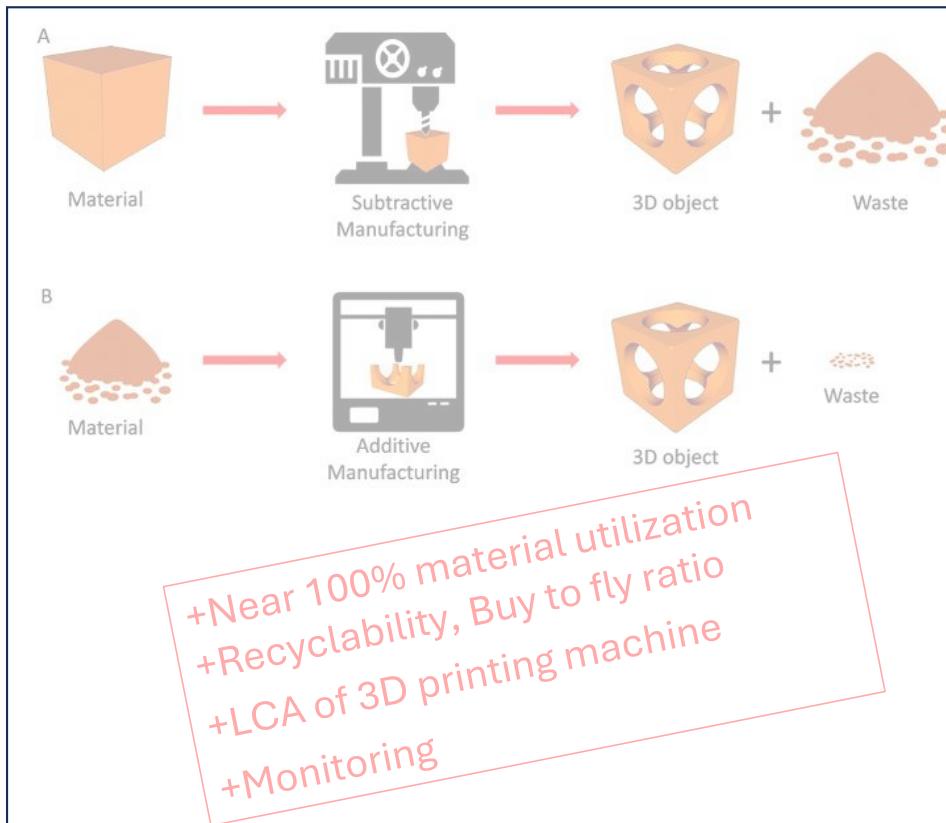


Do you see a difference (Left2Right)?

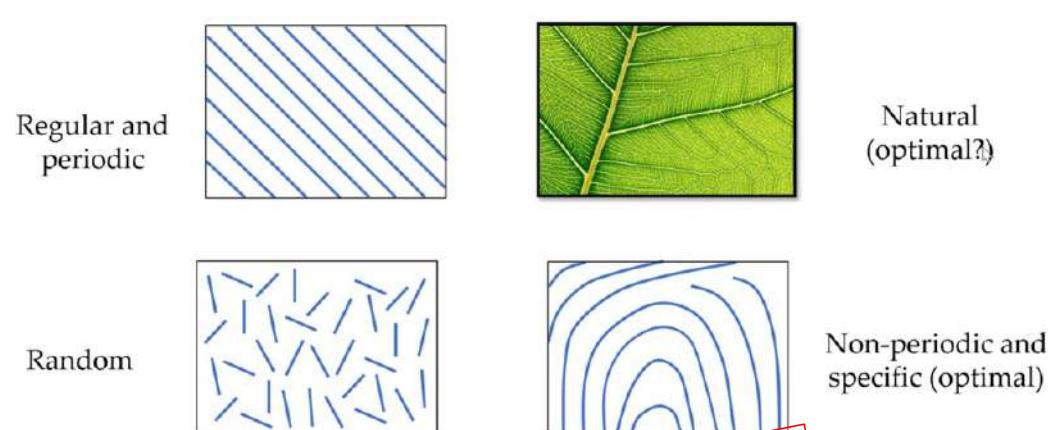


# Process is AM, but WHY?

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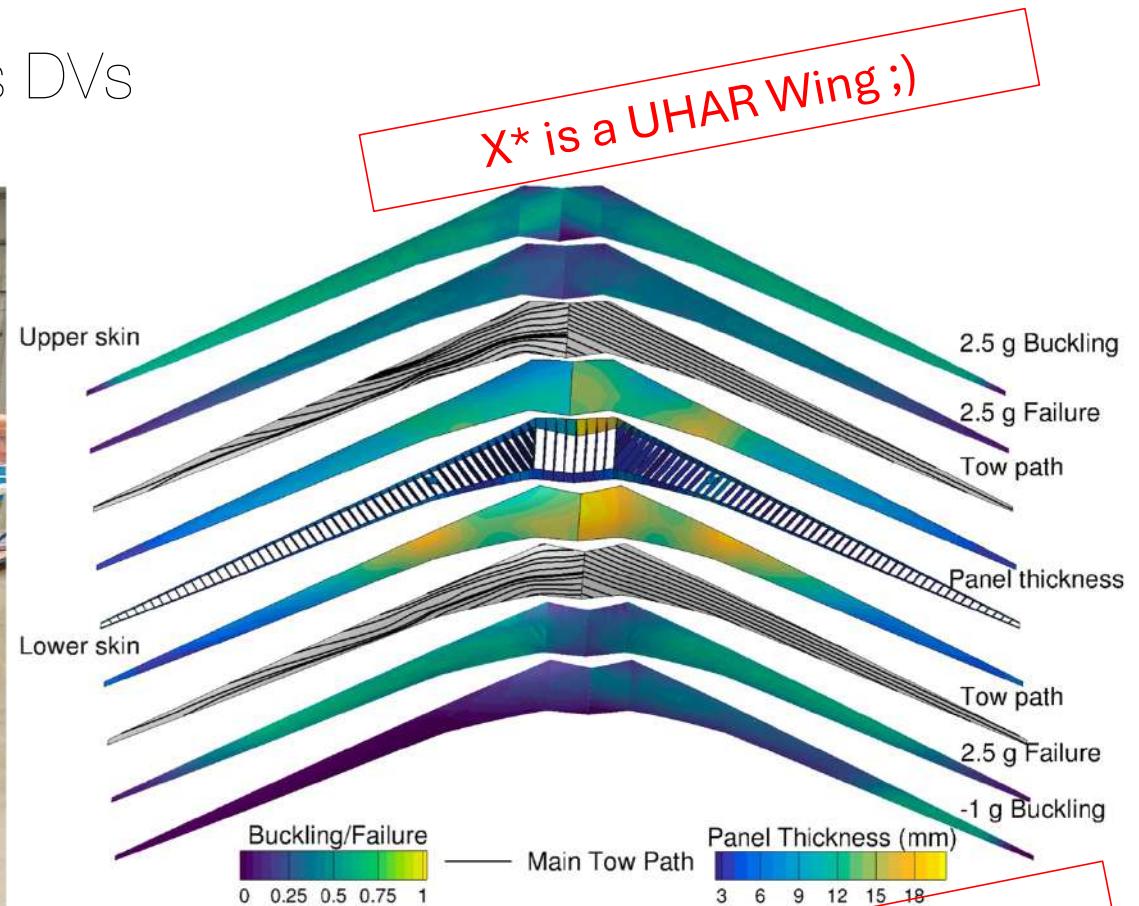
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+ Automatic Fiber Placement + eco-fiber/resin selection  
+Monitoring

# Composites Fiber Placement as DVs

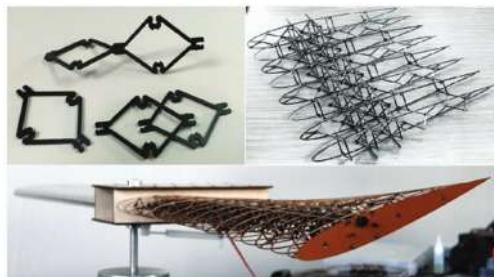
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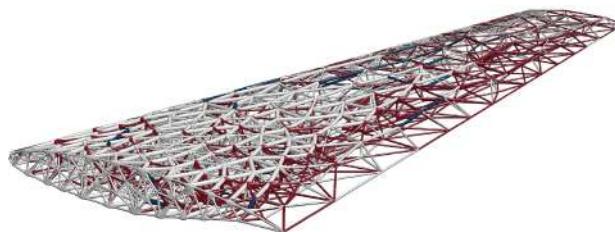
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# Full wingbox concept



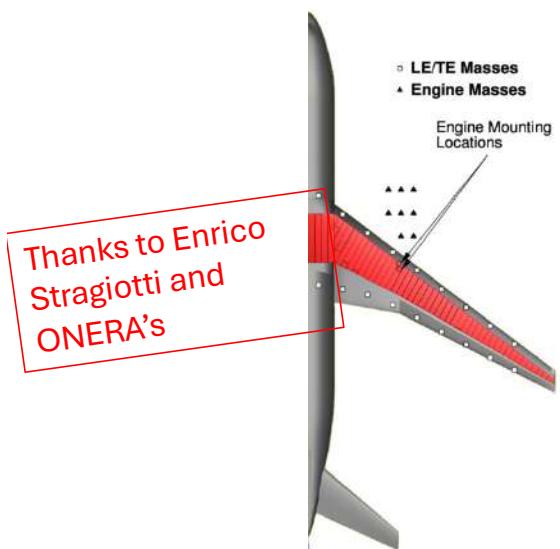
Jenett et al. (2017)



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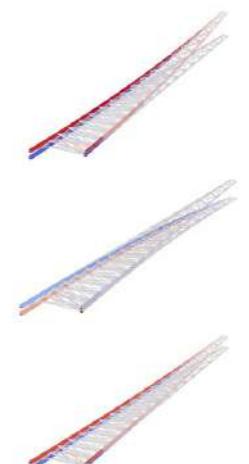
Cramer, N. B. et al. (2019)



Wingspan, m : 58.76  
MTOW, t : 297,55

- 3 load cases:
- +2.5 g manouver
  - -1 g manouver
  - Cruise with gust (+1.3 g)

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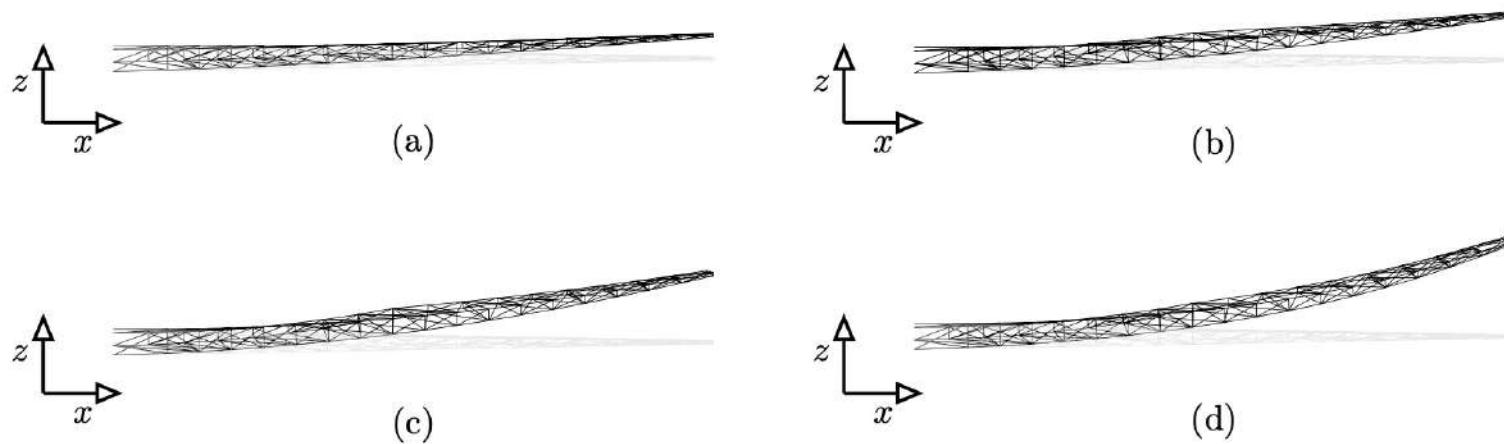
Material	Aluminum alloy
E	69 GPa
$\sigma_c$	-270 MPa
$\sigma_t$	270 MPa
$\rho$	2.7 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

Optimized mass = 21.342 t

-27.01% compared to 29.238 t  
(Fakhimi et al., 2021)

**Table 6.3:** Numerical results of the optimization of the CRM-315 model with three different maximum displacement constraints ( $Z_{t,\ell} = 1$  m,  $Z_{t,\ell} = 2$  m,  $Z_{t,\ell} = 3$  m) and no maximum displacement constraints.

$Z_{t,\ell}$ [m]	1	2	3	-
$V$ [ $m^3$ ]	26.70	13.78	9.39	7.90
$V$ [%]	4.421 %	2.283 %	1.556 %	1.309 %
Mass [t]	72.086	37.218	25.363	21.342
$a_{\max}$ [ $m^2$ ]	0.615	0.293	0.197	0.198
$C_{LC\_1}$ [MJ]	1.05	1.96	2.79	3.23
$C_{LC\_2}$ [MJ]	0.37	0.71	1.04	1.28
$C_{LC\_3}$ [MJ]	0.26	0.47	0.67	0.76



**Figure 6.4:** Undeformed (gray) and deformed (black) shapes of the optimized CRM-315 structures with a half wing span of 29.4 m for different values of maximum Z displacement  $Z_{t,\ell}$  of the wing tip constraints for the LC\_1 load case. (a)  $Z_{t,\ell} = 1$  m ; (b)  $Z_{t,\ell} = 2$  m; (c)  $Z_{t,\ell} = 3$  m; (d) no maximum displacement constraints.

# Full wingbox concept

- Proof of concept of greener aerostructures with lattice wingbox
- Material as Design variable open new solutions:
- Who is the best?

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \min_{\boldsymbol{a}, \boldsymbol{q}^0, \dots, \boldsymbol{q}^{N_p}, \boldsymbol{U}^0, \dots, \boldsymbol{U}^{N_p}} && V = \boldsymbol{\ell}^T \boldsymbol{a} \\
 & \text{s.t.} && \boldsymbol{B}\boldsymbol{q}^p = \boldsymbol{f}^p \quad \forall p \in [0, \dots, N_p] \\
 & && \boldsymbol{q}^p = \frac{\boldsymbol{a}E}{\ell} \boldsymbol{b}^T \boldsymbol{U}^p \quad \forall p \in [0, \dots, N_p] \\
 & && \boldsymbol{q}^p \geq -\frac{s\boldsymbol{a}^2}{\ell^{*2}} \quad \forall p \in [0, \dots, N_p] \\
 & && -\sigma_c \boldsymbol{a} \leq \boldsymbol{q}^p \leq \sigma_t \boldsymbol{a} \quad \forall p \in [0, \dots, N_p]
 \end{aligned}$$

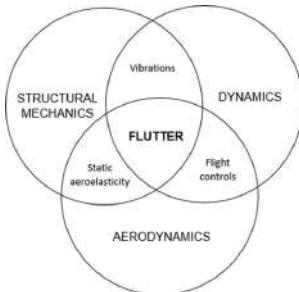
Material	Aluminium	Titanium	Steel	Pultruted CFRP
$E$	69 GPa	120 GPa	210 GPa	150 GPa
$\sigma_c, \sigma_t$	$\pm 270$ MPa	$\pm 880$ MPa	$\pm 355$ MPa	+1200, -880 MPa
$\rho$	$2.7 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$	$4.5 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$	$7.8 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$	$1.6 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$

$$0 \leq \boldsymbol{a} \leq \frac{4\pi\ell^2}{\lambda_{\max}}.$$

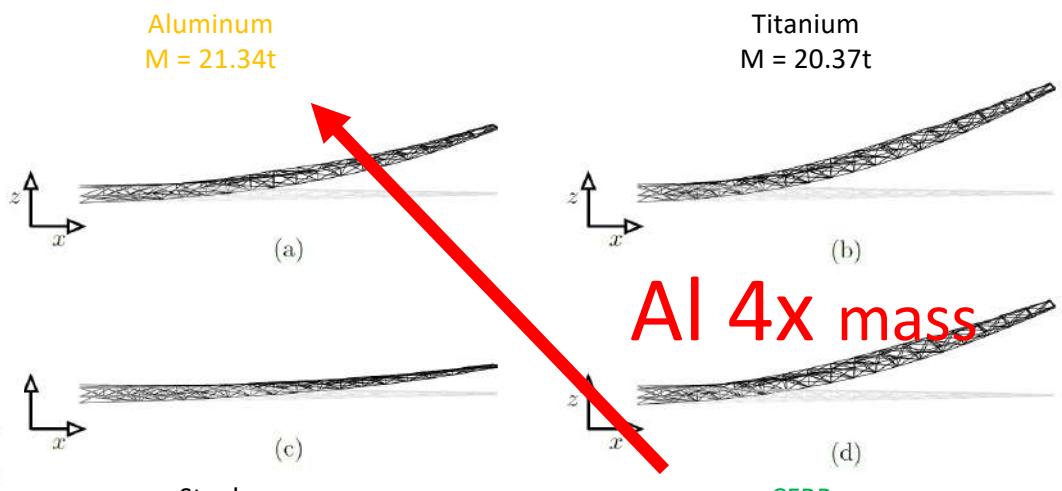
Stragiotti et al, (2024)

# Full wingbox concept

- Lattice (truss) that respects all constraints
- Flutter ? Gust?



Material	Aluminium	Titanium	Steel	Pultruted CFRP
V [m <sup>3</sup> ]	7.90	4.53	5.88	3.67
V [%]	1.309 %	0.749 %	0.974 %	0.607 %
Mass [t]	21.342	20.372	46.168	5.868
a <sub>max</sub> [m <sup>2</sup> ]	0.198	0.088	0.153	0.086
C <sub>LC_1</sub> [MJ]	3.23	4.88	1.33	4.39
C <sub>LC_2</sub> [MJ]	1.28	1.94	0.53	1.73
C <sub>LC_3</sub> [MJ]	0.76	1.15	0.31	1.03
Z <sub>t</sub> [m]	4.10	5.97	1.70	5.31
Cost [tCO <sub>2</sub> <sup>eq</sup> ]	266.7	957.5	230.8	202.4
Cost [k\$]	46.9	478.7	290.8	237.6



But finally

Al has approx same CO<sub>2</sub>pp footprint but cheaper

