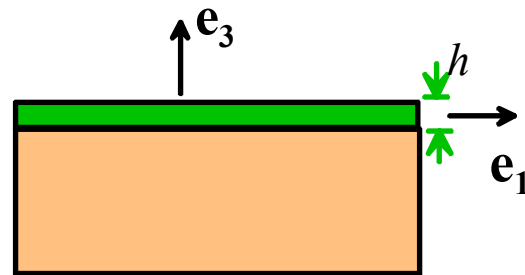


**Due: 8:30 a.m. December 2, Tuesday, 2021 (No late homework accepted)**

1. [10 points] (*Viscoelastic material – Maxwell model*) Plot the stress of this viscoelastic material as a function of time  $t$  (0 to 600 s), given  $\epsilon_0 = 0.1$ ,  $k = 0.1$  GPa, and  $\eta = 20$  GPa-s.
2. [10 points] (*Viscoelastic material – Voigt-Kelvin model*) Given a viscoelastic material, we impose **constant stress**  $\sigma_0$  at  $t = 0$ . Derive the constitutive equation using the **Voigt-Kelvin** model (i.e., express strain  $\epsilon$  as a function of stiffness  $k$ , damping factor  $\eta$ , time  $t$ , and given stress  $\sigma_0$ ).
3. [10 points] (*Viscoelastic material – Voigt-Kelvin model*) Plot the strain of this viscoelastic material as a function of time  $t$  (0 to 600 s), given  $\sigma_0 = 1$  MPa,  $k = 0.1$  GPa, and  $\eta = 20$  GPa-s. Which behavior does this model represent, retarded elastic behavior or steady-state creep behavior? (The response might not be exactly same as what we have covered in the class. But you can qualitatively judge which behavior this model represents).

4. [40 points] (*Constitutive relationship for viscoelastic materials*) A floor is covered with a pad with thickness  $h$  of viscoelastic material, as shown in the figure. The pad is perfectly bonded to the floor, so that  $\epsilon_{11} = \epsilon_{22} = 0$ . The pad can be idealized as a viscoelastic solid with time independent bulk modulus  $K$ , and has a shear modulus that can be approximated by



$G(t) = G_\infty + G_1 e^{-t/t_1}$ . The surface of the pad is subjected to a history of displacement  $\mathbf{u} = u(t)\mathbf{e}_3$

. Assume out-of-plane strain  $\epsilon_{33}$  is uniform throughout the thickness of the pad.

4.1 Calculate the history of stresses (all six components) induced in the pad by  $u(t) = 0$  for  $t < 0$  and  $u(t) = u_0$  for  $t > 0$

4.2 Calculate the history of stresses (all six components) induced in the pad by  $u(t) = 0$   $t < 0$   $u(t) = u_0 \sin \omega t$   $t > 0$

(Note  $\int e^{ax} \cos(bx) dx = \frac{b}{a^2 + b^2} e^{ax} \sin(bx) + \frac{a}{a^2 + b^2} e^{ax} \cos(bx)$ )

4.3 Plot the stress history in 1.2. using appropriate parameters of your choice, such that the curves show both transient and steady-state responses.

- 4.4 Assume that the pad is subjected to a displacement  $u(t) = u_0 \sin \omega t$  for long enough for the cycles of stress and strain to settle to steady state. Calculate the total energy dissipated per unit area of the pad during a cycle of loading.
5. [15 points] (*Tresca yield criterion*) Derive a mathematical expression for a 3D Tresca yield criterion, given the uniaxial yield stress  $\sigma_0 = 200$  MPa. Plot the envelop in 3D space using Matlab.
6. [15 points] (*Von Mises yield criterion*) Plot the envelop of the Von-Mises yield criterion in 3D space using Matlab, given the uniaxial yield stress  $\sigma_0 = 200$  MPa.