

Strain - Displacement Relation from Cylindrical to Spherical Coordinate System

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The relation between cylindrical and spherical coordinate is:

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

Where $\rho = \sqrt{r^2 + z^2}$, $\theta = \tan^{-1}(r/z)$, $\phi = \arccos(z/\rho)$

The partial derivatives for the above equations are

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial r} = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}$$

$$= \sin \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{r^2}{\sqrt{r^2 - z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial z} = \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}$$

$$= \cos \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} + \frac{r z}{\sqrt{r^2 - z^2} \cdot \rho^{3/2}} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}$$

Now

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

Calculating $e_r = \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial r}$

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

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

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_{\phi} &= \cos \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left[U_r \cos \phi + U_{\theta} \frac{r}{r^2-2^2} \right] + \frac{r}{r^2-2^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} \left[U_r \cos \phi + U_{\theta} \frac{\partial z}{\sqrt{r^2-2^2}} \int^{3/2} \right] \\ &= \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial s} \cos^2 \phi + \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial s} \frac{r}{r^2-2^2} \cos \phi + \frac{U_{\theta} r}{r^2-2^2} \frac{\cos \phi}{s} + \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \phi} \frac{\cos \phi}{s} + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \phi} \frac{\cos \phi}{s} \frac{\partial z}{\sqrt{r^2-2^2}} - \frac{U_{\theta} r}{r^2-2^2} \frac{\sin \phi}{s} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \partial \phi &= \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial s} \cos^2 \phi + \left(\frac{\partial U_r}{\partial s} \cdot \frac{1}{s} + \frac{U_{\theta}}{s^{3/2}} + \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{1}{s^{3/2}} \right) \frac{\cos \phi \cdot r}{r^2-2^2} \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \phi} \cdot \frac{r}{r^2-2^2} \int^{3/2} - \frac{U_r \sin \phi}{s^{3/2}} \right) \frac{\partial z}{\sqrt{r^2-2^2}} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the strain-displacement relation becomes

$$\epsilon_s = \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial r} \quad , \quad \epsilon_{\phi} = \frac{1}{s} \left(U_r + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \phi} \right)$$

$$\epsilon_{\theta} = \frac{1}{s \sin \phi} \left(\frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \theta} + \sin \phi U_r + \cos \phi U_z \right)$$

$$\epsilon_{s\phi} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{s} \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial s} - \frac{U_z}{s} \right)$$

$$\epsilon_{\phi\theta} = \frac{1}{2s} \left(\frac{1}{\sin \theta} \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \theta} - \cos \phi U_{\theta} \right)$$

$$\epsilon_{\theta s} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{s \sin \phi} \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial s} - \frac{U_{\theta}}{s} \right)$$