Lecture Note for Solid Mechanics - Analysis of Strain -

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Fext book : Mechanics of Materials, 6th ed., W.F. Riley, L.D. Sturges, and D.H. Morris, 2007.

> Prerequisite : Knowledge of Statics, Basic Physics, Mathematics, etc.



- Displacement
 - > Movement of a point with respect to some convenient reference system of axes
 - Vector quantity



u_A : Scalar components of displacement in the x-direction $v_{\rm B}$: Scalar components of displacement in the y-direction

- Deformation (δ)
 - > Change in dimension associated with relative displacements
 - > Related to force or stress or to a change in temperature



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- Strain
 - > Quantity to measure the intensity of deformation (deformation per unit length)
 - > Normal strain (ϵ) change in size
 - > Shear strain (γ) change in shape (change in angle between two orthogonal lines)



• Average axial strain

$$\varepsilon_{avg} = \frac{\delta_n}{L}$$

• Axial strain at a point : non-uniform deformation

$$\varepsilon(\mathcal{P}) = \lim_{\Delta L \to 0} \frac{\Delta \delta_n}{\Delta L} = \frac{d\delta_n}{dL}$$

• Shear strain

$$\gamma_{avg} = \frac{\delta_s}{L} = \tan\phi \approx \phi \quad (if \ \delta_s/L < 0.001)$$
$$\gamma(P) = \lim_{\Delta L \to 0} \frac{\Delta \delta_s}{\Delta L} = \frac{d\delta_s}{dL} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta'$$

- Unit of strain (Dimensionless)
 - > Normal strain : (in/in) or (µin/in)
 - \succ Shear strain : rad or μrad
- Sign convention
 - > tensile normal strain : elongation (+)
 - > compressive normal strain : contraction (-)
 - > shearing strain : (-) if angle increases and (+) if angle decreases





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(Example 3-1) 1 in-diameter steel bar is 8 ft long. The diameter is reduced to 0.5 in in a 2 ft central portion of the bar. When an axial load is applied to the ends of the bar, the axial strain in the central portion of the bar is 960 μin/in and the total elongation of the bar is 0.04032 in. Determine (a) the elongation of the central portion of the bar.

(Sol)
(a)
$$\delta_{C} = \varepsilon_{avg} L = 960 (10^{-6})(2)(12) = 0.023 in$$

(b) $\delta_{E} = \delta_{total} - \delta_{C} = 0.04032 - 0.02304 = 0.01728 in$
 $\varepsilon_{E} = \frac{\delta_{E}}{L} = \frac{0.01728}{6(12)} = 240 (10^{-6}) = 240 \mu in / in$
(Sol)
(a) $\delta_{C} = \varepsilon_{avg} L = 960 (10^{-6})(2)(12) = 0.023 in$
 $1'' = \frac{0.5''}{1''} = \frac{1''}{1''}$
 $4 \text{ ft} = 2 \text{ ft} = 4 \text{ ft}$

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(Example 3-2) Determine the horizontal movement of point A under shear force V causing average shear strain γ_{avg} of 1000 μ m/m.



(Example 3-3) Rigid bar FEBC is supported by two steel rods. After load P is applied, the axial strain in the bar DE is 0.0006 in/in. Determine (a) axial strain in the bar AB and (b) axial strain in the bar AB if there is a 0.001 in clearance in the connection at B before the load is applied.



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- State of strain at a point
 - Extension of the strain concept to biaxial loading
 - > Necessary to experimental methods of stress evaluation



 Normal and shear strain components associated with a line oriented in n-direction and shear strain component associated with two orthogonal lines in n and t directions

$$\varepsilon_n = \frac{dn - dn}{dn} = \frac{d\delta_n}{dn} \qquad \gamma_{nt} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \theta'_{nt}$$

• Change in length : $dx' = (1 + \varepsilon_x)dx$ $\theta'_{xy} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma_{xy}$ $dy' = (1 + \varepsilon_y)dy$ $\theta'_{yz} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma_{yz}$ $dz' = (1 + \varepsilon_z)dz$ $\theta'_{zx} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma_{zx}$ $dn' = (1 + \varepsilon_n)dn$ $\theta'_{nt} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \gamma_{nt}$



• Strain transformation equations for plane strain ($\varepsilon_z = \gamma_{yz} = \gamma_{zx} = 0$)





• Strains of the sides of the rectangle are known to ε_x , ε_y , γ_{xy} Strain in n direction, $\boldsymbol{\mathcal{E}}_{n}$, is to be determined • Normal strain (\mathcal{E}_n) $(OB^{'})^{2} = (OC^{'})^{2} + (C^{'}B^{'})^{2} - 2(OC^{'})(C^{'}B^{'})\cos(\frac{\pi}{2} + \gamma_{xy})$ $[(1 + \varepsilon_{x})dn]^{2} = [(1 + \varepsilon_{y})dx]^{2} + [(1 + \varepsilon_{y})dy]^{2}$ $-2[(1 + \varepsilon_y)dx][(1 + \varepsilon_y)dy][-\sin \gamma_{yy}]$ $[(1 + \varepsilon_n)dn]^2 = (1 + \varepsilon_n)^2 (dn)^2 (\cos^2 \theta) + (1 + \varepsilon_n)^2 (dn)^2 (\sin^2 \theta)$ + $2(dn)^2(\sin\theta)(\cos\theta)(1+\varepsilon_{\gamma})(1+\varepsilon_{\gamma})(\sin\gamma_{\gamma\gamma})$ Using $\varepsilon^2 \ll \varepsilon$, $\sin \gamma \cong \gamma$, $\gamma \varepsilon \approx 0$ $1 + 2\varepsilon_n = (1 + 2\varepsilon_n)\cos^2\theta + (1 + 2\varepsilon_n)\sin^2\theta + 2\gamma_n\sin\theta\cos\theta$ $1 + 2\varepsilon_{\mu} = (\cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta) + 2(\varepsilon_x \cos^2\theta + \varepsilon_y \sin^2\theta + \gamma_{xy} \sin\theta \cos\theta)$ $\varepsilon_{n} = \varepsilon_{x} \cos^{2} \theta + \varepsilon_{y} \sin^{2} \theta + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta \cos \theta$ $\varepsilon_n = \frac{\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2} \sin 2\theta$ (refer to $\sigma_n = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} + \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$)



• shear strain (γ_{nt})



$$\sin(A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

$$\frac{\partial B'}{\sin \angle \partial C' B'} = \frac{B'C'}{\sin \angle B' \partial C'}$$

$$B'C'\sin \angle \partial C'B' = \partial B'\sin \angle B' \partial C'$$

$$(1 + \varepsilon_{y})dy\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \gamma_{xy}\right) = (1 + \varepsilon_{n})dn\sin\left[\theta + (\phi_{n} - \psi)\right]$$
Using $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \gamma_{xy}\right) = \cos \gamma_{xy} \cong 1$
 $\sin\left[\theta + (\phi_{n} - \psi)\right] = \sin \theta \cos(\phi_{n} - \psi) + \cos \theta \sin(\phi_{n} - \psi)$
 $\cong \sin \theta + (\phi_{n} - \psi)\cos \theta$

$$(1 + \varepsilon_{y})dy \cong (1 + \varepsilon_{n})dn[\sin \theta + (\phi_{n} - \psi)\cos \theta]$$

$$(1 + \varepsilon_{y})dn\sin \theta \cong (1 + \varepsilon_{n})dn[\sin \theta + (\phi_{n} - \psi)\cos \theta]$$

$$(1 + \varepsilon_{y})\sin \theta \cong (1 + \varepsilon_{n})\sin \theta + (1 + \varepsilon_{n})(\phi_{n} - \psi)\cos \theta]$$

$$\cong (1 + \varepsilon_{n})\sin \theta + (1 + \varepsilon_{n})(\phi_{n} - \psi)\cos \theta$$

$$(\varepsilon_{y} - \varepsilon_{n})\sin \theta \cong (\phi_{n} - \psi)\cos \theta$$



• shear strain (γ_{nt})





- Sign conventions
 - > Tensile strains are positive and compressive strains are negative
 - > Positive shear strains make the angle between two lines to decrease
 - > Positive angle measures counterclockwise from x-axis
 - > (x,y,z) and (n,t,z) coordinate systems are right-handed systems



(Example 3-4) Strain components at a point are $\varepsilon_x = +800\mu$, $\varepsilon_y = -1000\mu$, $\gamma_{xy} = -600\mu$. Determine the strain components ε_n , ε_t , γ_{nt} , if xy- and nt-axes are oriented at followings.



A Line element in the n-direction has increased in length, a line element in the tdirection has decreased in length, and the angle at the origin of nt-axes is less than 90°



- Principal strains and maximum shear strain
 - Similarity between strain relation for plane strain and stress relation for plane stress indicates that all equations can be applied by substituting for ϵ_x for σ_x , ϵ_y for σ_y , and $\gamma_{xy}/2$ for τ_{xy} .



- For the state of plane strain

$$\varepsilon_{\rho 1}, \varepsilon_{\rho 2} = \frac{\varepsilon_{\chi} + \varepsilon_{y}}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\varepsilon_{\chi} - \varepsilon_{y}}{2}\right)^{2} + \left(\frac{\gamma_{\chi y}}{2}\right)^{2}}$$
$$\varepsilon_{\rho 3} = \varepsilon_{z} = 0$$

Maximum in-plane shear strain is the difference between the in-plane strains, but this may not be the maximum shear strain at the point



- Principal strains and maximum shear strain
 - Maximum shear strain at the point is determined by depending on the relative magnitudes and the signs of the principal strains



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(Example 3-5) Strain components at a point are $\varepsilon_x = +1200\mu$, $\varepsilon_y = -600\mu$, $\gamma_{xy} = +900\mu$. Determine the principal strains and maximum shear strain at the point. Show principal strain deformations and maximum shear strain distortion on a sketch.

(Sol) The in-plane principal strains are

$$\begin{split} \varepsilon_{\rho 1}, \, \varepsilon_{\rho 2} &= \frac{\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2}\right)^2} \\ (\varepsilon_{\rho 1}, \, \varepsilon_{\rho 2})(10^6) &= \frac{1200 + (-600)}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{1200 - (-600)}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{900}{2}\right)^2} \\ &= 300 \pm 1006 .2 \\ \varepsilon_{\rho 1} &= (300 + 1006 .2)(10^{-6}) = 1306 \ \mu \\ \varepsilon_{\rho 2} &= (300 - 1006 .2)(10^{-6}) = -706 .2 \ \mu \\ \varepsilon_{\rho 3} &= \varepsilon_z = 0 \end{split}$$

The principal directions are

$$\tan 2\theta_{\rho} = \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{\varepsilon_{x} - \varepsilon_{y}} = \frac{900}{1200 - (-600)}$$
$$2\theta_{\rho} = 26.57^{\circ} \quad and \quad 206.57^{\circ}$$
$$\theta_{\rho} = 13.28^{\circ} \quad and \quad 103.28^{\circ}$$





$$\varepsilon_{n} = \varepsilon_{x} \cos^{2} \theta + \varepsilon_{y} \sin^{2} \theta + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

= (1200 \mu)\varepsilon_{x} \cos^{2} (13.28) + (-600 \mu) \sin^{2} (13.28) + (900 \mu) \sin(13.28) \cos(13.28)
= 1306 \mu = \varepsilon_{\nu1}

The principal strains are perpendicular and there is no shear strain The maximum in-plane shear strain is given as

The angle associated with maximum shear strain is found as

$$\tan 2\theta_{\gamma} = \frac{-(\varepsilon_{\chi} - \varepsilon_{\gamma})}{\gamma_{xy}} = \frac{-(1200 - (-600))}{900} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \theta_{\gamma} = -31.7^{\circ} \text{ and } 58.3^{\circ}$$

Substituting the values of the principal strain directions of -31.7 or 58.3 into the strain transformation equation gives

$$\gamma_{nt} = -2(\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y)\sin\theta\cos\theta + \gamma_{xy}(\cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta)$$

= -2[(1200) - (-600)]sin(58.3)cos(58.3) + γ_{xy} [cos²(58.3) - sin²(58.3)]
= -2010 $\mu = \gamma_{max}$

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 $\frac{\pi}{2} + 2010\mu$

• Mohr circle for plane strain ($\varepsilon_z = \gamma_{yz} = \gamma_{zx} = 0$)



For a positive shear strain, the edge of the element parallel to the x-axis tends to rotate counterclockwise and the edge parallel to the y-axis tends to rotate clockwise.



(Example 3-5) Strain components at a point are $\varepsilon_x = +1200\mu$, $\varepsilon_y = -600\mu$, $\gamma_{xy} = +900\mu$. Determine the principal strains and maximum shear strain at the point.



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- Strain measurement and rosette analysis
 - In experimental work involving strain measurement, the strains are measured on a free surface of a member where a state of stress exist.



- ✓ If the measured values of the strains (ϵ_a , ϵ_b , ϵ_c) and the orientations (θ_a , θ_b , θ_c), the values of the strains (ϵ_x , ϵ_y , γ_{xy}) can be determined from the three equations
- ✓ Once the ε_x , ε_y , γ_{xy} have been determined, the in-plane principal strains (ε_{p1} , ε_{p2}), their orientations (θ_p), and the maximum in-plane strains (τ_p) at the point can be obtained



- Strain gages and rosettes
 - Strain gages provide accurate measurements of the strain
 - As the material is strained, the wires are lengthened or shortened; this changes the electrical resistance of the gage
 - Strain gages are sensitive only to normal strains and respond to shear strains
 - Shear strains are often obtained by measuring normal strains in two or three different directions



Since the plane stress offers no restraint to out-ofplane deformation, ϵ_z develops in addition to inplane strains (ϵ_x , ϵ_y , γ_{xy})

$$\varepsilon_{z} = \varepsilon_{p3} = -\frac{v}{1-v}(\varepsilon_{x} + \varepsilon_{y})$$

where v is Poisson's ratio)

This out-of-plane principal strain is important because the maximum shear strain may be $(\varepsilon_{p1} - \varepsilon_{p2})$, $(\varepsilon_{p1} - \varepsilon_{p3})$, or $(\varepsilon_{p3} - \varepsilon_{p2})$, depending on the relative magnitudes and the signs of the principal strains at the point



- Maximum shear strain for plane strain



(Example 3-7) The following strains are measured as $\varepsilon_a = +1000\mu$, $\varepsilon_b = 750\mu$, $\varepsilon_c = -650\mu$. Determine the principal strains and maximum shear strain. Show the directions of the in-plane principal strains on a sketch. Assume that Poisson's ration is 1/3.







 $\gamma_{\rm max} = \gamma_{\rho} = \varepsilon_{\rho 1} - \varepsilon_{\rho 2} = 1393.6 \ \mu - 660.2 \ \mu = 2050 \ \mu$

$$\tan 2\theta_{\rho} = \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{\varepsilon_{x} - \varepsilon_{y}} = \frac{-1616.6}{1000 - (-266.7)} = 1.2763$$
$$2\theta_{\rho} = -51.92^{\circ} \qquad \theta_{\rho} = -26.0^{\circ}$$





(Homework)

(3-12), (3-20), (3-33), (3-53), (3-64)

