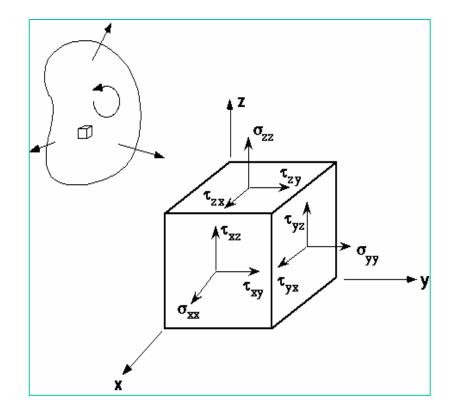
# Mechanics & Materials 1 Chapter 15 Stress and Strain Transformation

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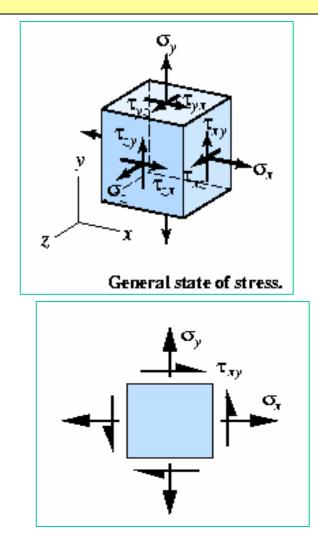
# **General State of Stress**

- In general, the three dimensional state of stress at a point in a body can be represented by nine components:
- $\sigma_{xx}\sigma_{yy}$  and  $\sigma_{zz}$ : Normal stresses
- $\tau_{xy} \tau_{yx} \tau_{xz} \tau_{zx} \tau_{yz}$  and  $\tau_{zy}$ : Shear stresses
- By equilibrium, we can show that there are only six independent components of the stress  $\sigma_{xx}$ ,  $\sigma_{yy}$ ,  $\sigma_{zz}$ ,  $\tau_{xy}$ ,  $\tau_{xz}$ , and  $\tau_{yz}$



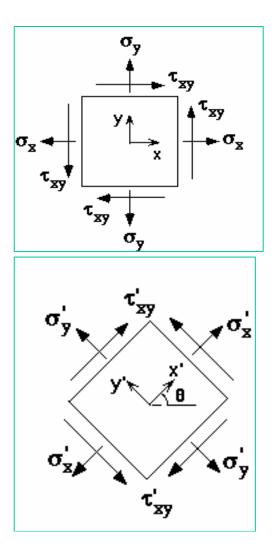
# **Plane Stress**

- In much of engineering stress analysis, the condition of plane stress applies.
- Plane Stress: one of the three normal stresses, usually  $\sigma_z$  vanishes and the other two normal stresses  $\sigma_x$  and  $\sigma_y$ , and the shear stress  $\tau_{xy}$  are known.



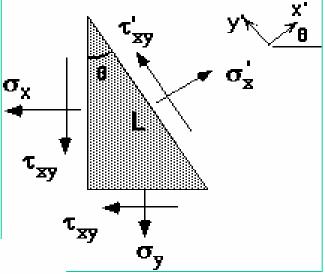
Plane Stress Transformation: Finding Stresses on Various Planes

- General Problem:
- \* Given two coordinate systems, x- y and x' - y', and a stress state <u>defined relative to</u> <u>the first coordinate system xyz</u> :σ<sub>x</sub> σ<sub>y</sub>, τ<sub>xy</sub>
- \* Find the stress components relative to the second coordinate system x'y'z' : σ'<sub>x</sub> σ'<sub>y</sub>, τ'<sub>xy</sub>



# **Plane Stress Transformation**

- Consider a triangular block of uniform thickness, t:
- For equilibrium:



$$\begin{split} \sum F_{x'} &= tL\sigma'_{x} \\ &- t(L\cos\theta)\sigma_{x}\cos\theta - t(L\cos\theta)\tau_{xy}\sin\theta \\ &- t(L\sin\theta)\sigma_{y}\sin\theta - t(L\sin\theta)\tau_{xy}\cos\theta = 0 \\ \sum F_{y'} &= tL\tau'_{xy} \\ &+ t(L\cos\theta)\sigma_{x}\sin\theta - t(L\cos\theta)\tau_{xy}\cos\theta \\ &- t(L\sin\theta)\sigma_{y}\cos\theta - t(L\sin\theta)\tau_{xy}\sin\theta = 0 \end{split}$$

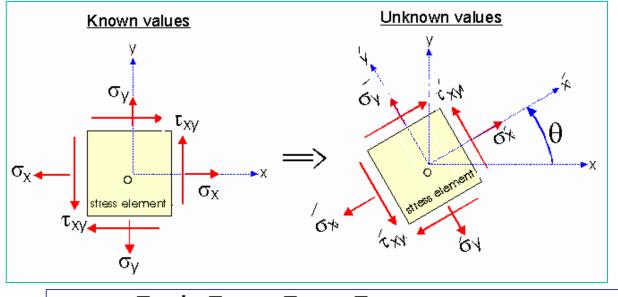
#### **Plane Stress Transformation**

• Simplifying:

$$\sigma'_{x} = \sigma_{x} \cos^{2} \theta + \sigma_{y} \sin^{2} \theta + 2\tau_{xy} \sin \theta \cos \theta$$
  
$$\tau'_{xy} = \tau_{xy} (\cos^{2} \theta - \sin^{2} \theta) - (\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}) \sin \theta \cos \theta$$
  
• Using :

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta) \qquad \sin^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2\theta)$$
$$\sin \theta \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}\sin 2\theta$$

## Transformation Equations for Plane Stress



$$\sigma'_{x} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} + \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$
  
$$\sigma'_{y} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} - \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \cos 2\theta - \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$
  
$$\tau'_{xy} = -\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$
  
$$\Rightarrow \sigma'_{x} + \sigma'_{y} = \sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}$$

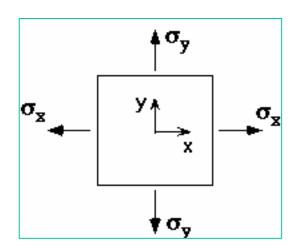
#### **Special Cases of Plane Stress**

• 1. Uniaxial Stress State:  $\sigma_v = \tau_{xv} = 0$ 

 $\sigma'_{x} = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_{x}(1 + \cos 2\theta) = \sigma_{x}\cos^{2}\theta$  $\sigma'_{y} = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_{x}(1 - \cos 2\theta) = \sigma_{x}\sin^{2}\theta$  $\tau'_{xy} = -\frac{1}{2}\sigma_{x}\sin 2\theta = -\sigma_{x}\sin\theta\cos\theta$ 

• 2. Biaxial Stress State:  $\tau_{xy} = 0$ 

$$\sigma_{x}$$
  $y_{x}$   $\sigma_{x}$ 

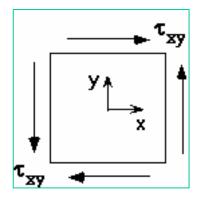


$$\sigma'_{x} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} + \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2}\cos 2\theta$$
$$\sigma'_{y} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} - \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2}\cos 2\theta$$
$$\tau'_{xy} = -\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2}\sin 2\theta$$

#### **Special Cases of Plane Stress**

• 3. Pure Shear:  $\sigma_x = \sigma_y = 0$ 

 $\sigma'_{x} = \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta = 2\tau_{xy} \sin \theta \cos \theta$  $\sigma'_{y} = -\tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta = -2\tau_{xy} \sin \theta \cos \theta$  $\tau'_{xy} = \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta = \tau_{xy} (\cos^{2} \theta - \sin^{2} \theta)$ 



# **Principal Stress**

•  $\sigma'_x$  varies as a function of the angle  $\theta$ 

$$\sigma'_{x} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} + \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2}\cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy}\sin 2\theta$$

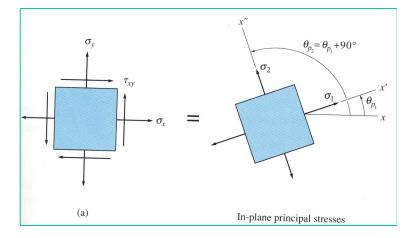
• The maximum and minimum values of  $\sigma'_x$  are called the principal stresses. To find the max and min values:  $d\sigma'_x = 0$ 

$$\frac{d\sigma'_x}{d\theta} = -(\sigma_x - \sigma_y)\sin 2\theta + 2\tau_{xy}\cos 2\theta = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta_p = \frac{2\tau_{xy}}{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}$$

• Where  $\theta p$  defines the orientation of the principle planes on which the principle stress act.

# **Principal Stress**

- Two values of  $2\theta_p$  in the range of 0 to 360 satisfy this equation.
- These two values differ by  $180^{\circ}$  so that  $\theta_{p}$  has two values that differ by  $90^{\circ}$ , one between 0 and  $90^{\circ}$  and the other between  $90^{\circ}$  and  $180^{\circ}$ .
- For one of the angles  $\theta_p$ , the stress is a maximum principal stress ( $\sigma_1$ ) and for the other it is a minimum ( $\sigma_2$ ).
- Because the two values of  $\theta_p$  are 90° apart, ==> the principal stress occur on mutually perpendicular planes.



# **Principal Stress**

• To calculate  $\theta_p$  consider the triangle

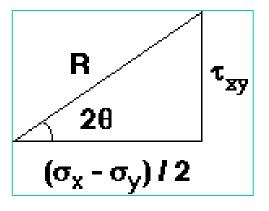
$$R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2}$$
$$\cos 2\theta_p = \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2R}$$
$$\sin 2\theta_p = \frac{\tau_{xy}}{R}$$

• Subbing back in yields the principal stresses:

• OR

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_{1,2} = \sigma_{avg} \pm R$$

where



$$\sigma_{1} = \sigma_{x}^{i}(\theta_{p})$$

$$\sigma_{1} = \left(\frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2}\right) + \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2}\right)^{2} + \tau_{xy}^{2}}$$

$$\sigma_{2} = \sigma_{x}^{i}(\theta_{p} + 90^{\circ})$$

$$\sigma_{2} = \left(\frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2}\right) - \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2}\right)^{2} + \tau_{xy}^{2}}$$

$$\sigma_{avg} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2}$$

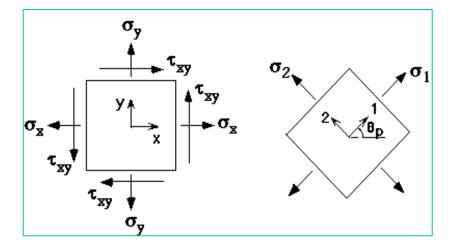
# Shear Corresponding to Principal Stress

The shear stress corresponding to the principal stress direction is given by:

$$\tau_{12} = \tau'_{xy}(\theta_p)$$
$$= -\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)\frac{\tau_{xy}}{R} + \tau_{xy}\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2R}\right)$$
$$= 0$$

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The shear stress is identically zero in the principal stress directions! (biaxial stress state)



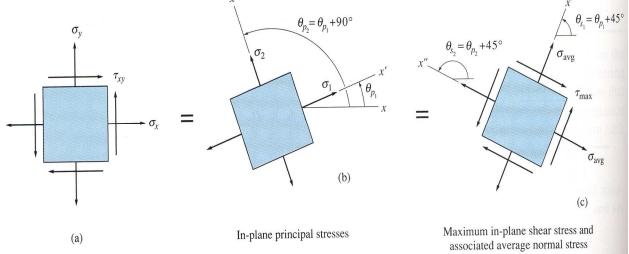
#### **Maximum Shear Stress**

• To find maximum shear:

$$\frac{d\tau'_{xy}}{d\theta} = 0$$

$$\frac{d\tau'_{xy}}{dx} = -(\sigma_x - \sigma_y)\cos 2\theta - 2\tau_{xy}\sin 2\theta = 0 \implies \tan 2\theta_s = -\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2\tau_{xy}}\right)$$

• Where  $\theta_s$  defines the angle of the planes of maximum shear stress.

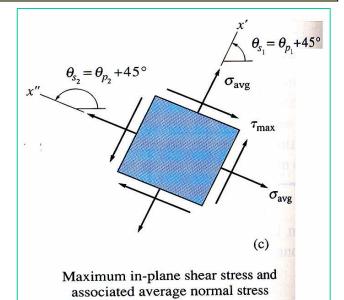


#### **Maximum Shear Stress**

• From trigonometry

 $\theta_s = \theta_p \pm 45^\circ$ 

- The planes of maximum shear stress occur at 45° to the principal planes.
- Subbing back in yield max shear:  $\tau_1$



$$\tau_{\max} = \tau'_{xy}(\theta_s)$$
  
$$\tau_{\max} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2} = R$$
  
$$= \frac{\sigma_1 - \sigma_2}{2}$$

## **Maximum Shear Stress**

• The normal stress corresponding to the max shear stress direction is given by:

$$\sigma_{x}^{t} = \sigma_{x}^{t} (\theta_{s})$$

$$= \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} + \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \frac{\tau_{xy}}{R} - \tau_{xy} \left(\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2R}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} = \sigma_{avg}$$

# **Summary of Equations**

$$\tan 2\theta_p = \frac{2\tau_{xy}}{\sigma_x - \sigma_y} \quad \theta_s = \theta_p \pm 45^\circ$$

$$R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2}$$

$$\sigma_{avg} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2}$$

$$\sigma_1 = \sigma_{avg} + R$$

$$\sigma_2 = \sigma_{avg} - R$$

$$\tau_{max} = R = \frac{\sigma_1 - \sigma_2}{2}$$

# **Mohr's Circle for Plane Stress**

• Recall the plane stress transformation equations:

$$\sigma'_{x} = \sigma_{avg} + \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$
$$\tau'_{xy} = -\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$

• Rearrange to get

$$\left( \sigma'_{x} - \sigma_{avg} \right)^{2} + \left( \tau'_{xy} \right)^{2} = \left( \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \right)^{2} + \left( \tau_{xy} \right)^{2}$$
$$\Rightarrow \left( \sigma'_{x} - \sigma_{avg} \right)^{2} + \left( \tau'_{xy} \right)^{2} = R^{2}$$

• The above equation is for a circle of radius R and Center  $\sigma_{avg}$ 

#### **Mohr's Circle for Plane Stress**

• Mohr's circle equation

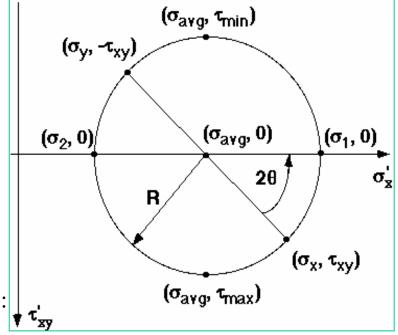
$$\left(\sigma_{x}^{\prime} - \sigma_{avg}\right)^{2} + \left(\tau_{xy}^{\prime}\right)^{2} = R^{2}$$

- Equation of a circle in the  $\sigma'_{x}\tau'_{xy}$ plane centered at  $|(\sigma_{avg}, 0)$  and radius R
- \* Every plane becomes a point on the circle.
- \* The intersection with the  $\sigma_x$  axis defines the principal stresses.  $\sigma_1 = \sigma_{avg} + R$  seesate lagrange

$$\sigma_1 = \sigma_{avg} + R$$
$$\sigma_2 = \sigma_{avg} - R$$

\* The bottom and top center positions correspond to:

$$\tau_{\max} = R$$
 and  $\tau_{\min} = -R$ 

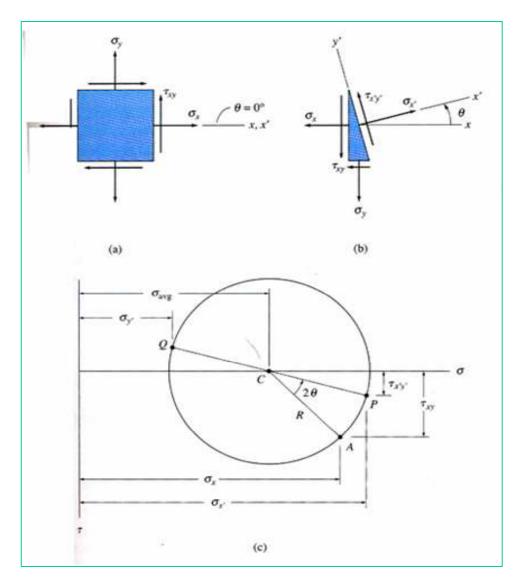


# Procedures to Construct Mohr's Circle

With  $\sigma_x$ ,  $\sigma_y$  and  $\tau_{xy}$  known, the procedure for constructing Mohr's circle is as follows;

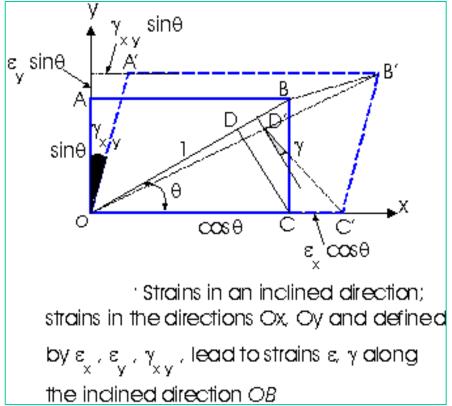
- 1) Draw a set of coordinate axes with  $\sigma$  as abscissa (positive to the right) and  $\tau$  as ordinate (positive upward)
- 2) Locate the center C of the circle at the point having coordinates( $\sigma_{aver}$ , 0)
- 3) Locate point A, representing the stress conditions on the face A ( $\sigma_x$ ,  $\tau_{xy}$ )
- 4) Locate point B, representing the stress conditions on the face B ( $\sigma_v, \tau_{xv}$ )
- 5) Draw a line from point A to point B. This line is a diameter of the circle and passes through the center C
- 6) Using point C as the center, draw Mohr's circle through points A and B.
- 7) On the circle, we measure an angle 2θ clockwise from radius CA. The angle 2θ locates point D.
- Point D on the circle represents the stresses on the face D of the element.
- Note that an angle  $2\theta$  on Mohr's circle corresponds to an angle  $\theta$  on a stress element.

# Procedures to Construct Mohr's Circle



# **Plane Strain**

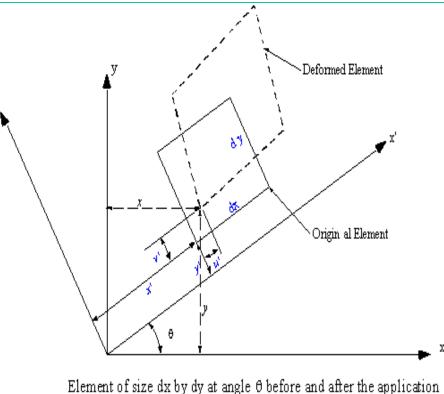
- Plane strain is defined by the strain state ( $\varepsilon_x \varepsilon_y \gamma_{xy}$ ); it is the limiting condition in the center plane of a very thick specimen.
- Consider a rectangular element of material, OABC, in the xy-plane shown in Figure; it is required to find the normal and shearing strains in the direction of the diagonal OB, when the normal and shearing strains in the directions Ox, Oy are given.



#### **Strain Transformation**

- Assume that strain transformation is desired from an *xy* coordinate system to an *xy*' set of axes, where the latter is rotated counterclockwise (+θ) from the *xy* system.
- The transformation equations for plane strain are

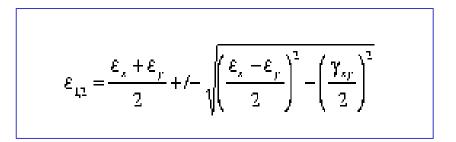
$$\varepsilon_{x'} = \frac{\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2} \sin 2\theta$$
$$\varepsilon_{y'} = \frac{\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y}{2} - \frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2} \cos 2\theta - \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2} \sin 2\theta$$
$$\frac{\gamma_{xy'}}{2} = -\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2} \sin 2\theta + \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2} \cos 2\theta$$



of biaxial stresses, showing its deformation

#### **Principal Strains**

- For isotropic materials only, principal strains (with no shear strain) occur along the principal axes for stress.
- In plane strain the principal strains ε<sub>1</sub> and ε<sub>2</sub> are expressed as
- The angular position  $\theta_p$  of the principal axes (measured positive counterclockwise) with respect to the given *xy* system is determined from



$$\tan 2\Theta_{p} = \frac{\gamma_{sp}}{\varepsilon_{s} - \varepsilon_{p}}$$

# **Maximum Shear Strain**

- Like in the case of stress, the maximum in-plane shear strain is:
- which occurs along axes at  $45^{\circ}$  from the principal axes, determined from  $\theta_{s}$
- The corresponding average normal strain is

$$\frac{\gamma_{x'y'\max}}{2} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$\tan 2\theta = -\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{\gamma_{xy}}$$

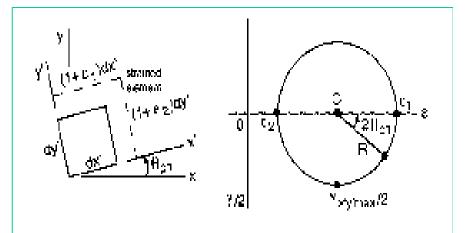
$$\varepsilon_{srr} = \frac{\varepsilon_s + \varepsilon_r}{2}$$

- The direct and shearing strains in an inclined direction are given by relations which are similar to the Equations for the direct and shearing stresses on an inclined plane.
- This suggests that the strains in any direction can be represented graphically in a similar way to the stress system.

$$\sigma'_{x} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} + \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$
  
$$\sigma'_{y} = \frac{\sigma_{x} + \sigma_{y}}{2} - \frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \cos 2\theta - \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$
  
$$\tau'_{xy} = -\frac{\sigma_{x} - \sigma_{y}}{2} \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$
  
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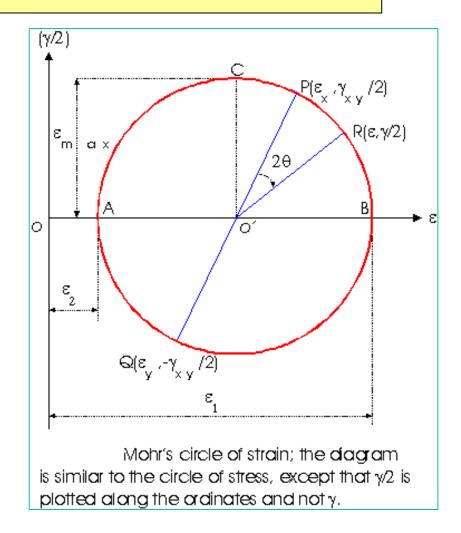
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$$\frac{\gamma_{x'y'}}{2} = -\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2} \sin 2\theta + \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2} \cos 2\theta$$

• As in the case of stress, there is a graphical overview by Mohr's circle of the directional dependence of the normal and shear strain components at a point in a material. This circle has a center *C* at  $\varepsilon_{ave} =$  $(\varepsilon x + \varepsilon y)/2$  which is always on the  $\varepsilon$ axis, but is shifting left and right in a dynamic loading situation. The radius *R* of the circle is

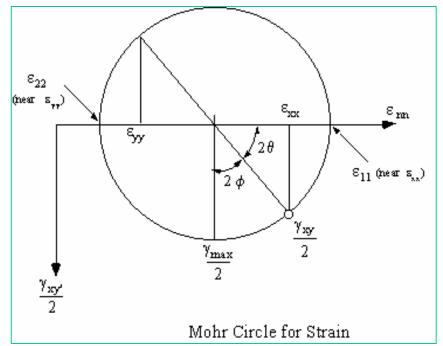


$$R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2}\right)^2}$$

- For given values of  $\varepsilon_x$ ,  $\varepsilon_y$  and  $\gamma_{xy}$  it is constructed in the following way:
- Two mutually perpendicular axes,  $\varepsilon$  and  $\gamma/2$ , are set up
- The points  $(\varepsilon_x, \gamma_{xy}/2)$  and  $(\varepsilon_y, -\gamma_{xy}/2)$  are located; the line joining these points is a diameter of the circle of strain.
- The values of ε and γ/2 in an inclined direction making an angle θ with Ox are given by the points on the circle at the ends of a diameter making an angle 2θ with PQ; the angle 2θ is measured clockwise.



• We note that the maximum and minimum values of  $\varepsilon$ , given by  $\varepsilon_1$  and  $\varepsilon_2$  occur when  $\gamma/2$  is zero;  $\varepsilon_1$ ,  $\varepsilon_2$  are called principal strains, and occur for directions in which there is no shearing strain.

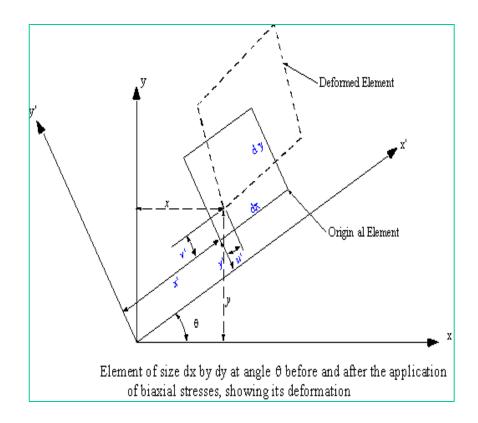


#### **Strain Rosette**

- Define the terms  $\varepsilon_{xx} \varepsilon_{yy} \gamma_{xy}$  as the strains of an element of size (dx\*dy) at an angle  $\theta$  with respect to the horizontal axis.
- Then the equations which defines these strains are:

 $\varepsilon_{xx'} = \varepsilon_{xx}\cos^2\theta + \varepsilon_{yy}\sin^2\theta + \gamma_{xy}\cos\theta\sin\theta$ 

- If the strain at any angle could be measured, the equation above can then be used to determine the direct and shear strains in the structure about the x & y axes.
- These measurements are done using a Strain Gauge Rosette.



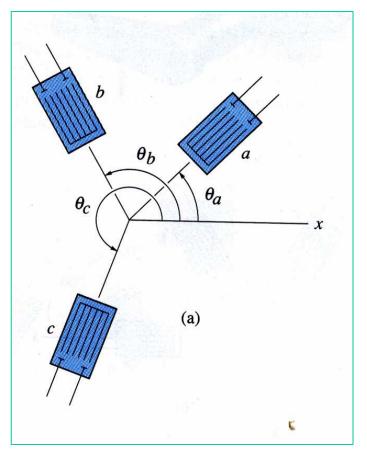
#### **Strain Rosette**

- A normal arrangement is to have three strain gauges oriented at three different angles w.r.t the horizontal axis of the structure, like this:
- Because we have three unknowns terms and you want to find,  $\varepsilon_{xx} \varepsilon_{yy} \gamma_{xy}$ , use equation

 $\varepsilon_{xx'} = \varepsilon_{xx}\cos^2\theta + \varepsilon_{yy}\sin^2\theta + \gamma_{xy}\cos\theta\sin\theta$ 

three times, once for each angle. Then solve for the three strain

$$\varepsilon_{\theta_{a}} = \varepsilon_{x} \cos^{2} \theta_{a} + \varepsilon_{y} \sin^{2} \theta_{a} + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta_{a} \cos \theta_{a}$$
$$\varepsilon_{\theta_{b}} = \varepsilon_{x} \cos^{2} \theta_{b} + \varepsilon_{y} \sin^{2} \theta_{b} + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta_{b} \cos \theta_{b}$$
$$\varepsilon_{\theta_{c}} = \varepsilon_{x} \cos^{2} \theta_{c} + \varepsilon_{y} \sin^{2} \theta_{c} + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta_{c} \cos \theta_{c}$$



#### **Strain Rosette**

• Strain rosettes are often arranged in 45 or 60 patterns, such that the solutions for the unknowns will be as follows:

For the 45° *Rosette*:  $(\theta_a = 0^\circ, \theta_b = 45^\circ, \theta_c = 90^\circ)$  $\varepsilon_x = \varepsilon_a$ 

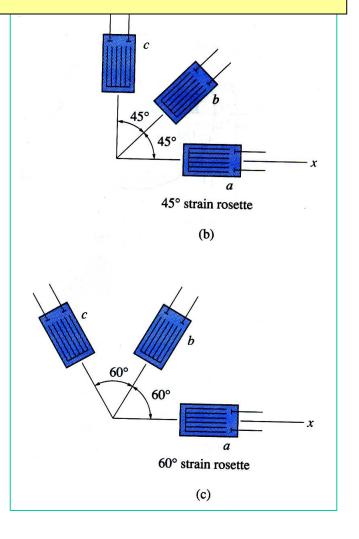
$$\mathcal{E}_{y} = \mathcal{E}_{c}$$
  

$$\gamma_{xy} = 2\mathcal{E}_{b} - (\mathcal{E}_{a} + \mathcal{E}_{c})$$
  
For the 60<sup>°</sup> Rosette:  $(\theta_{a} = 0^{\circ}, \theta_{b} = 60^{\circ}, \theta_{c} = 120^{\circ})$   

$$\mathcal{E}_{x} = \mathcal{E}_{a}$$
  

$$\mathcal{E}_{y} = \frac{1}{3} (2\mathcal{E}_{b} + 2\mathcal{E}_{c} - \mathcal{E}_{a})$$
  

$$\gamma_{xy} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} (\mathcal{E}_{b} - \mathcal{E}_{c})$$



# **Material- Property Relationships**

• Generalized Hooks Law:Once we have the strains use the relationships between stress and strain to find the stresses: ( for isotropic material)

$$\varepsilon_{x} = \frac{1}{E} \left( \sigma_{x} - v \left( \sigma_{y} + \sigma_{z} \right) \right)$$

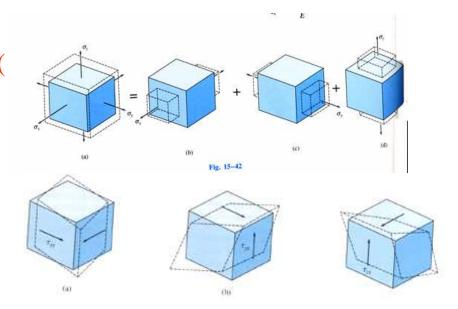
$$\varepsilon_{y} = \frac{1}{E} \left( \sigma_{y} - v \left( \sigma_{x} + \sigma_{z} \right) \right)$$

$$\varepsilon_{z} = \frac{1}{E} \left( \sigma_{z} - v \left( \sigma_{y} + \sigma_{x} \right) \right)$$

$$\gamma_{xy} = \frac{\tau_{xy}}{G}$$

$$\gamma_{xz} = \frac{\tau_{xz}}{G}$$

$$\gamma_{yz} = \frac{\tau_{yz}}{G}$$



#### Where

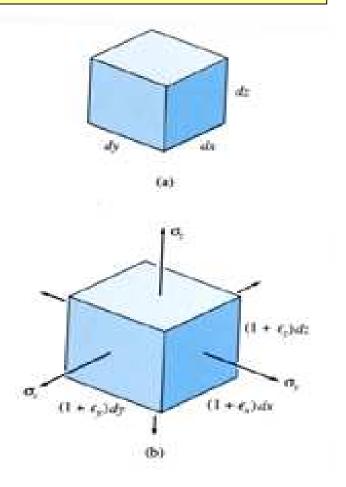
E: Young's modulus,v: Poisson's ratioG: Shear modulus

$$G = \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)}$$

#### Dilatation

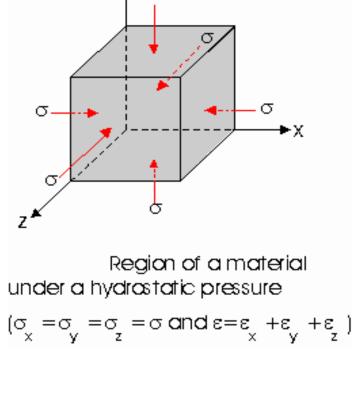
- Under the application of normal stresses, the volume of the material will change.
- The change in volume per unit volume(dV/V) is called the dilatation: *e*

$$e = \frac{dV}{V} = \varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y + \varepsilon_z$$



#### **Bulk Modulus**

- A material under the action of equal compressive stresses s in three mutually perpendicular directions, is subjected to a hydrostatic pressure, p. The term hydrostatic is used because the material is subjected to the same stresses as would occur if it were immersed in a fluid at a considerable depth.
- The ratio between the hydrostatic pressure and the dilatation is called the Bulk modulus : k



$$k = \frac{p}{e} = \frac{E}{3(1-2\nu)}$$