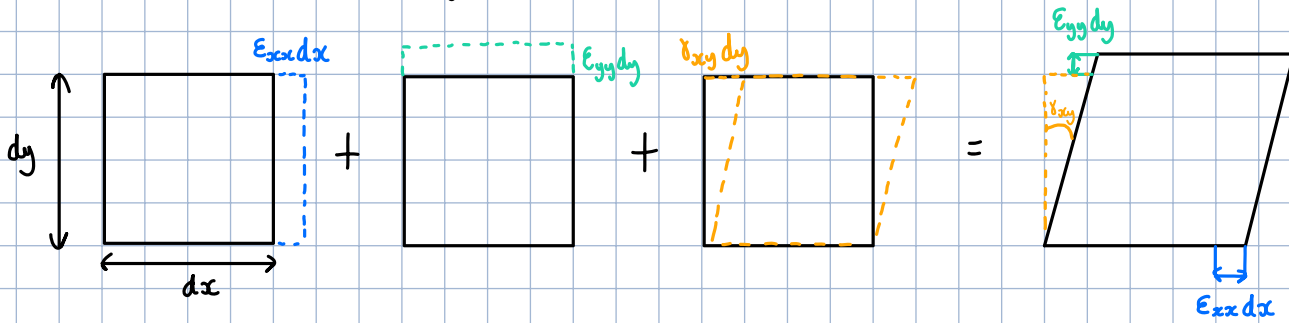


General 2D Strain : (exaggerated)



Plane Strain : deformations limited to XY Plane

→ Plane strain \neq Plane Stress

for plane strain, $\epsilon_{zz} = \gamma_{xz} = \gamma_{yz} = 0$ but $\sigma_{zz} \neq 0$

to achieve 0 strain in z, likely to be stress in z

for plane stress, $\sigma_{zz} = \tau_{xz} = \tau_{yz} = 0$ but $\epsilon_{zz} \neq 0$

are cases when $\epsilon_{zz} = 0$

Plane strain after thick structures

Plane stress after thin walled structures

although $\sigma_{zz} = 0$, thickness may vary due to Poisson's Ratio, ν

Plane stress results in $\epsilon_{zz} = 0$ when :

→ Pure shear

→ or when $\sigma_{xx} = -\sigma_{yy}$: balance

tension reduces thickness, t

compression increases t

- Out-of-plane strains do not affect XY strain transformations

→ identical transformations for plane stress & strain :

$$\text{Stress tensor } \bar{\epsilon} = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} & \epsilon_{xy} & \epsilon_{xz} \\ \epsilon_{xy} & \epsilon_{yy} & \epsilon_{yz} \\ \epsilon_{xz} & \epsilon_{yz} & \epsilon_{zz} \end{bmatrix}$$

where mathematical shear strain $\epsilon_{xy} = \gamma_{xy}/2$

Strain Transformation Equations :

$$\begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{x'x'} \\ \epsilon_{y'y'} \\ \gamma_{x'y'}/2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2\theta & \sin^2\theta & 2\sin\theta\cos\theta \\ \sin^2\theta & \cos^2\theta & -2\sin\theta\cos\theta \\ -\sin\theta\cos\theta & \sin\theta\cos\theta & \cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} \\ \epsilon_{yy} \\ \gamma_{xy}/2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\epsilon_{xy} = \gamma_{x'y'}/2)$$

→ very similar to stress transformation

Principal Directions & Strains and Max/min shear strain :

- Replace σ_{xx} , σ_{yy} & τ_{xy} with ϵ_{xx} , ϵ_{yy} & $\gamma_{xy}/2$

$$\tan 2\theta_p = \frac{\gamma_{xy}}{\epsilon_{xx} - \epsilon_{yy}}$$

$$\epsilon_{1,2} = \frac{\epsilon_{xx} + \epsilon_{yy}}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\epsilon_{xx} - \epsilon_{yy}}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$\gamma_{\max, \min} = \pm \sqrt{(\epsilon_{xx} - \epsilon_{yy})^2 + \gamma_{xy}^2} = \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2$$

→ Mohr's circle can be used for graphical approach :

↳ plot ϵ against $\gamma/2$

Experimental Methods for Strain Calculation / Analysis :

Discrete Methods :

- Strain gauges

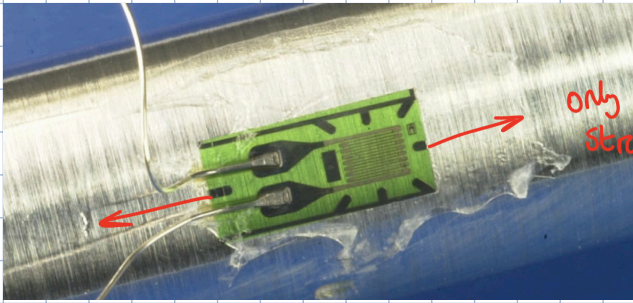
Full field Methods :

- Photo elasticity

- Digital Image Correlation (DIC)

→ experiment provides validation as there may be uncertainty in material properties or loads.

Strain Gauges:



only measures strains in its direction

Resistance, R , changes with strain (gauge factor K)

$$\frac{\Delta R}{R} = K \epsilon$$

transverse & shear strain not measured

to reconstruct state of plane stress at a point, 3 independent strain measurements taken at different angles

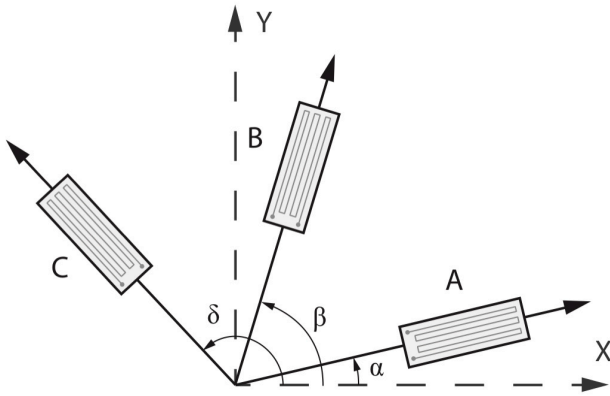
↳ strain gauge rosettes

e.g. $0^\circ/45^\circ/90^\circ$

$0^\circ/60^\circ/120^\circ$

Calculating Original Strain in XY System:

- Use one of the strain transformation equations & sub rosette strains at their angle:



$$\epsilon_A = \epsilon_{xx} \cos^2 \alpha + \epsilon_{yy} \sin^2 \alpha + \gamma_{xy} \sin \alpha \cos \alpha$$

$$\epsilon_B = \epsilon_{xx} \cos^2 \beta + \epsilon_{yy} \sin^2 \beta + \gamma_{xy} \sin \beta \cos \beta$$

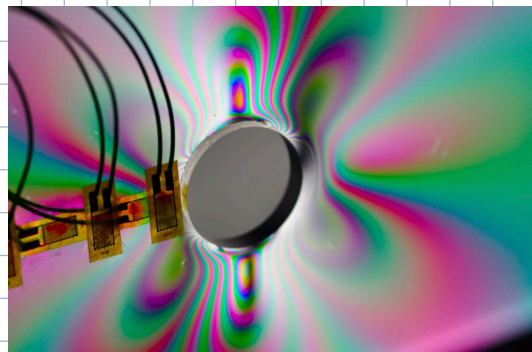
$$\epsilon_C = \epsilon_{xx} \cos^2 \delta + \epsilon_{yy} \sin^2 \delta + \gamma_{xy} \sin \delta \cos \delta$$

- Solve simultaneously to find ϵ_{xx} , ϵ_{yy} & γ_{xy} .

Photo Elasticity:

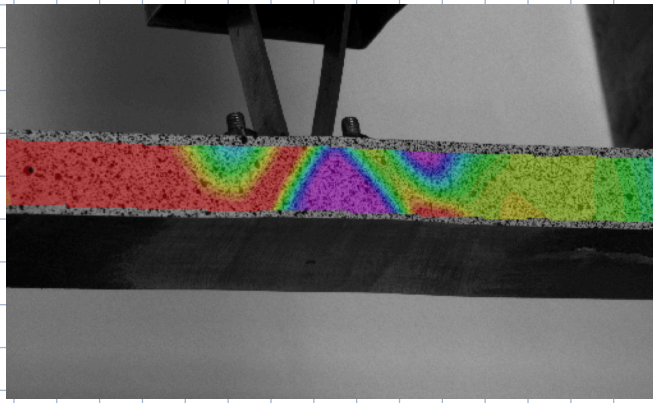
- Full-field measurement
- Relies on change of refractive index of coating with stress

- isostatic lines show difference in principal stress ($\sigma_1 - \sigma_2$)
- contours have constant shear stress
- don't know magnitude of principle stress



Digital Image Correlation :

- tracks relative displacement (u, v) of fine speckled pattern
- computationally intensive



- Defining strain equations via mathematical strain yields same results as earlier derivation.