

Aerospace Structural Analysis

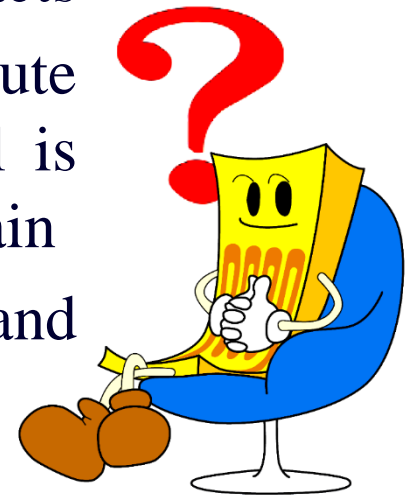
Lecture 3

Strain Transformation

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Lecture Objectives

- ✓ Derive equations for transforming strain components between coordinate systems of different orientation
- ✓ Use derived equations to obtain the maximum normal and maximum shear strain at a point
- ✓ Determine the orientation of elements upon which the maximum normal and maximum shear strain acts
- ✓ Discuss a method for determining the absolute maximum shear strain at a point when material is subjected to plane and 3-dimensional states of strain
- ✓ Derive equations for determining the strain and stress using strain rosettes.



Plane-Strain Vs Plane-Stress

Plane
Stress

The geometry of the body is essentially that of a plate with one dimension much smaller than the others.

Plane
strain

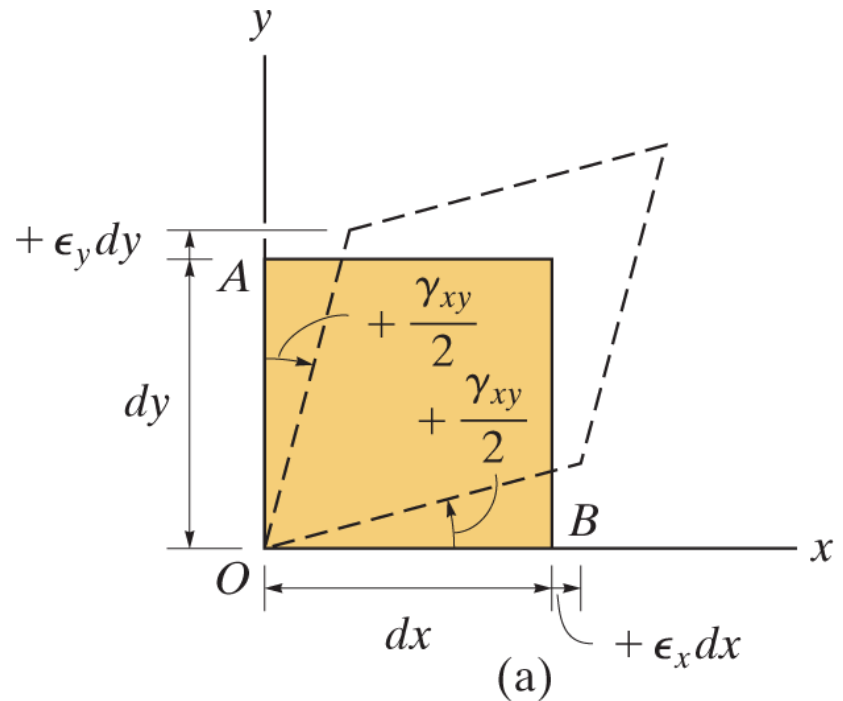
the dimension of the structure in one direction, is very large in comparison with the dimensions of the structure in the other two directions

Plane-Strain Transformation

Sign Convention.

Normal strains ϵ_x and ϵ_y are positive if they cause elongation along the x and y axes, respectively.

The shear strain γ_{yx} is positive if the interior angle AOB becomes smaller than 90° . This sign convention also follows the corresponding one used for plane stress.



Maximum In-Plane Shear Strain

$$\tan 2\theta_s = -\frac{(\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y)}{\gamma_{xy}}$$

$$\frac{\gamma_{\max}^{\text{in-plane}}}{2} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$\varepsilon_{x'} = \varepsilon_{y'} = \varepsilon_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y}{2}$$

Mohr's Circle Plane Strain

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

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

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

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

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

Mohr's Circle Plane Strain

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$$\left(\varepsilon_{x'} - \varepsilon_{avg} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{x'y'}}{2} \right)^2 = R^2 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \varepsilon_{avg} = \frac{\varepsilon_x + \varepsilon_y}{2} \\ R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\varepsilon_x - \varepsilon_y}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2} \right)^2} \end{array} \right.$$

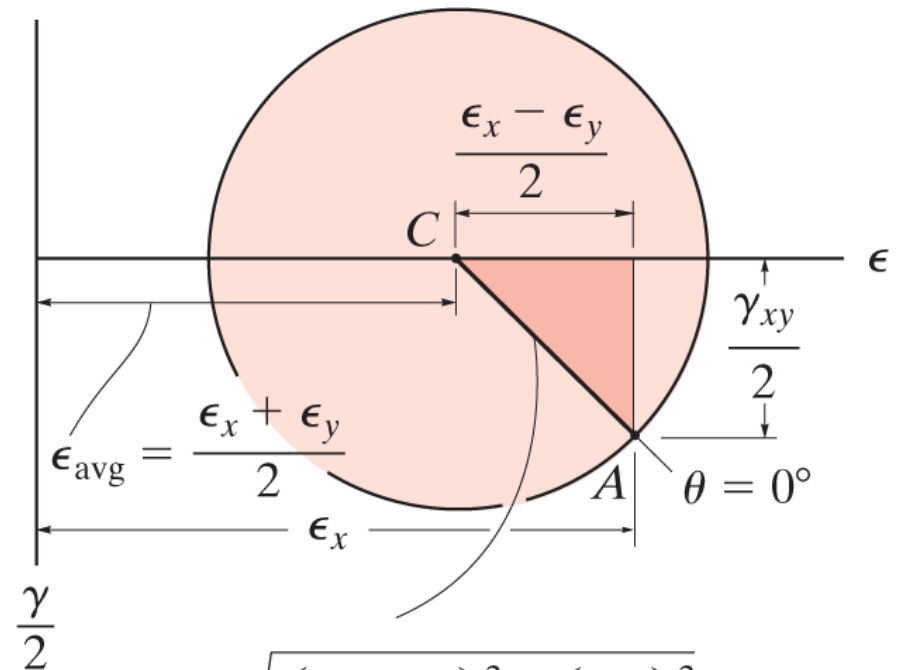
Mohr's Circle Plane Strain

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$$\left(\epsilon_{x'} - \epsilon_{avg} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy'}}{2} \right)^2 = R^2$$

$$\epsilon_{avg} = \frac{\epsilon_x + \epsilon_y}{2}$$

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



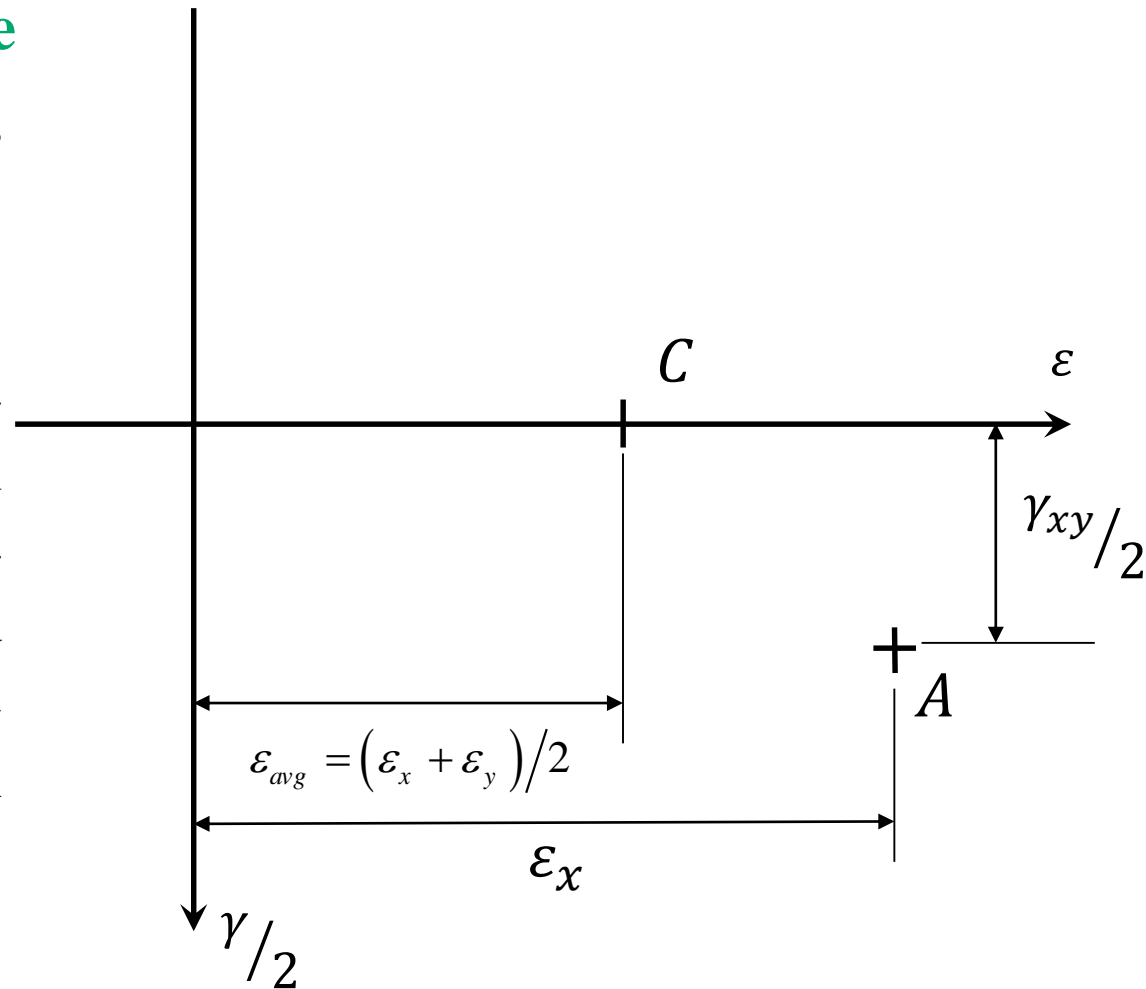
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Mohr's Circle Plane Strain

Construction of the Circle

Plot the “reference point”
A having coordinates
 $A(\epsilon_x, \gamma_{xy}/2)$.

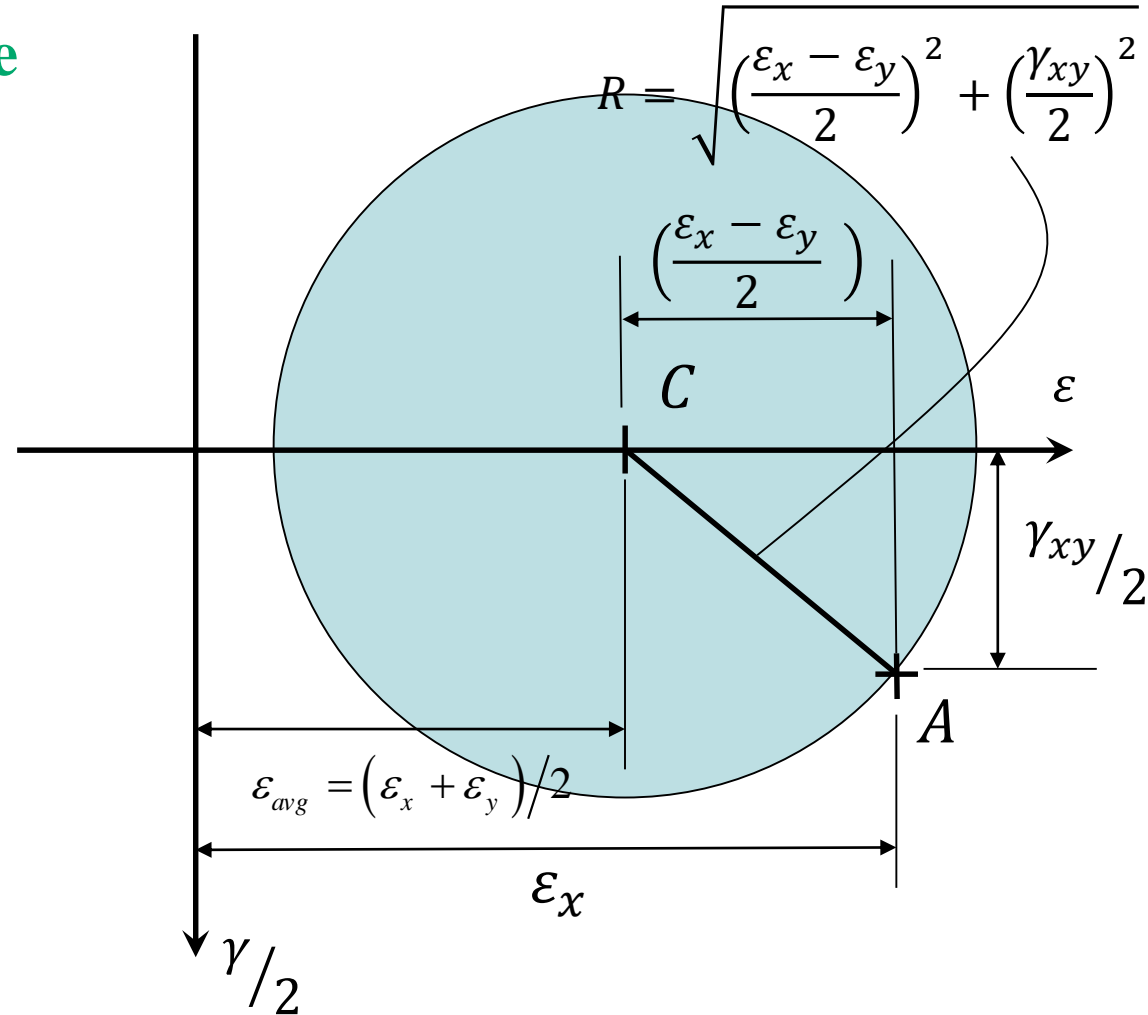
This point represents the
normal and shear strain
components on the
element's right-hand
vertical face, and since
the x axis coincides with
the x' axis, this represents
 $\theta = 0$



Mohr's Circle Plane Strain

Construction of the Circle

Once R has been determined, sketch the circle

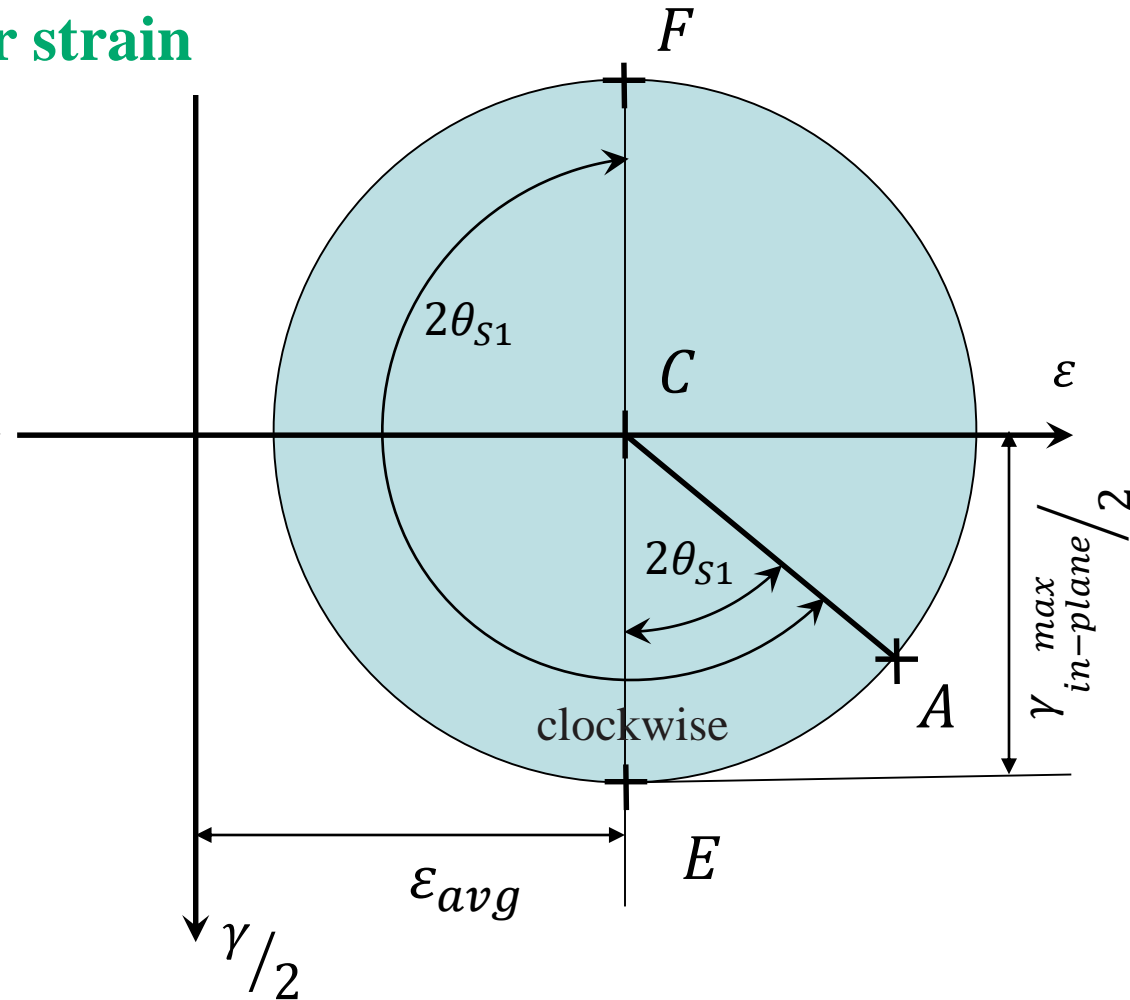


Mohr's Circle Plane Strain

Maximum In-Plane Shear strain

The average normal strain and maximum in-plane shear strain components are determined from the circle as the coordinates of either point E or F.

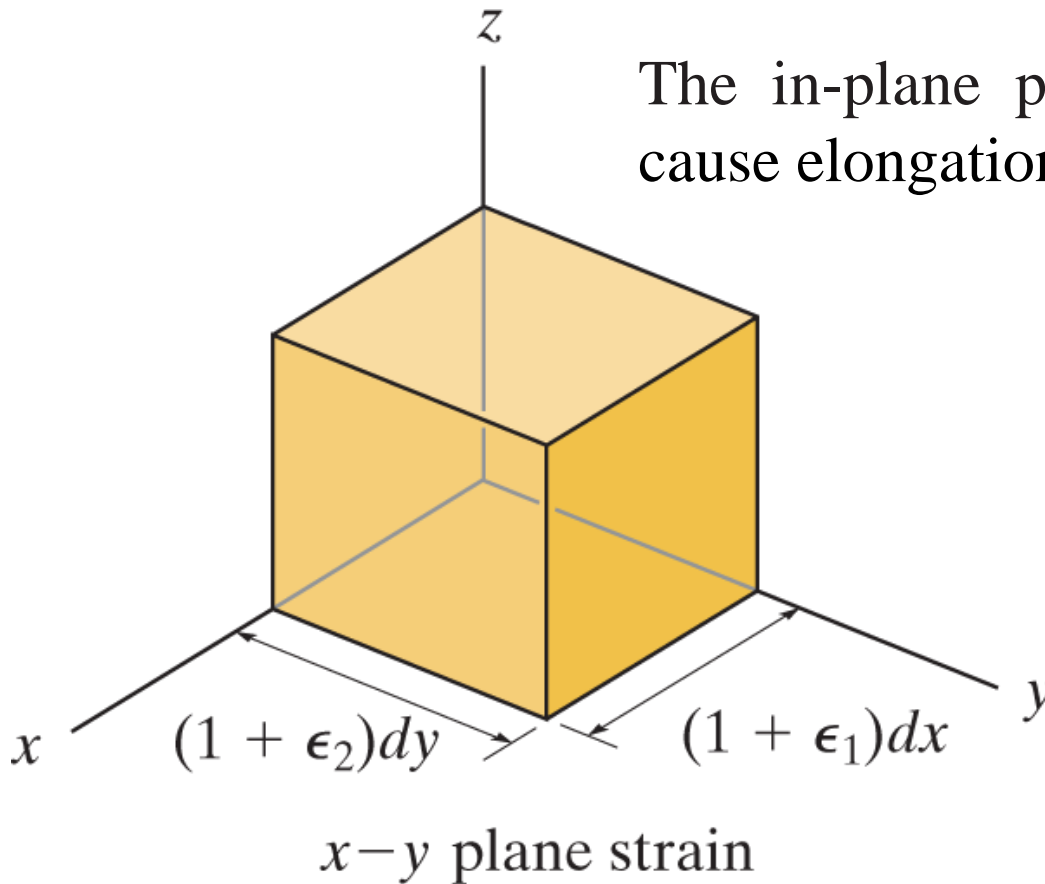
the angles and give the orientation of the planes that contain these components.



Absolute maximum shear strain

ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 have the same sign

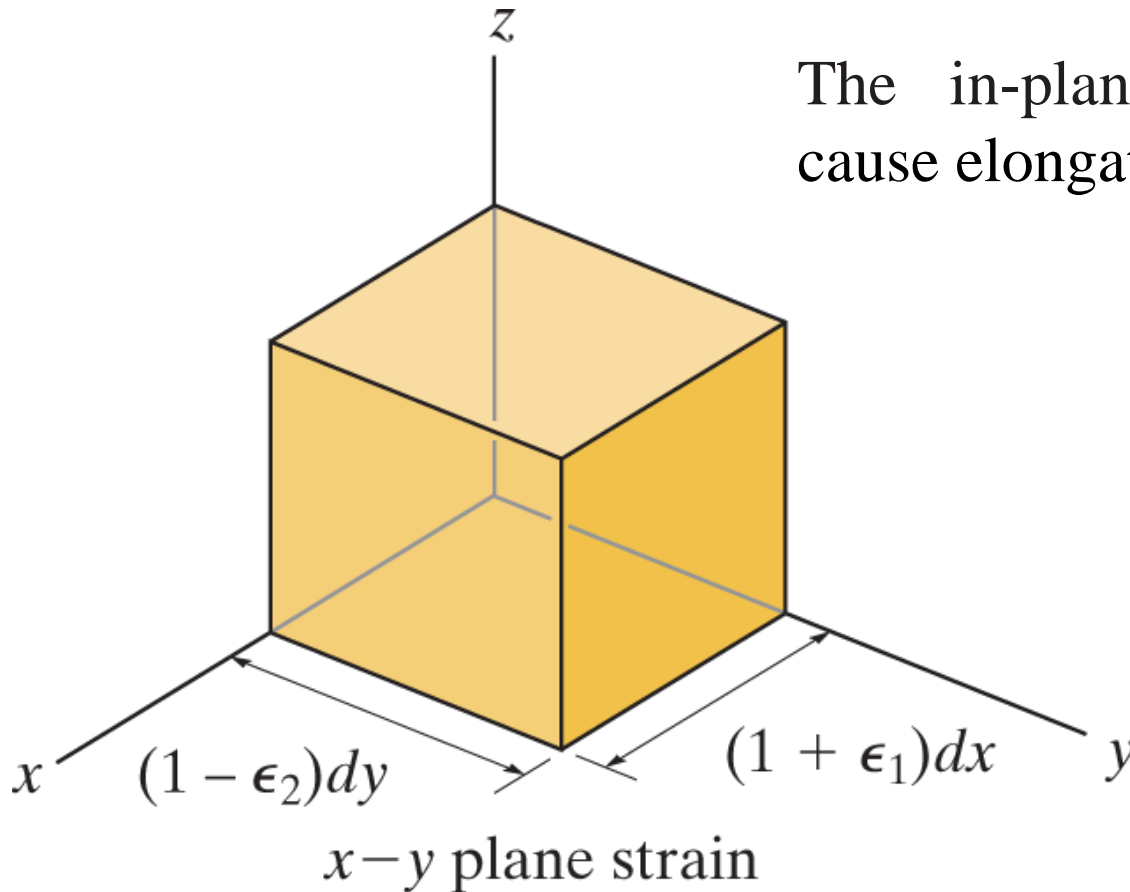
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Absolute maximum shear strain

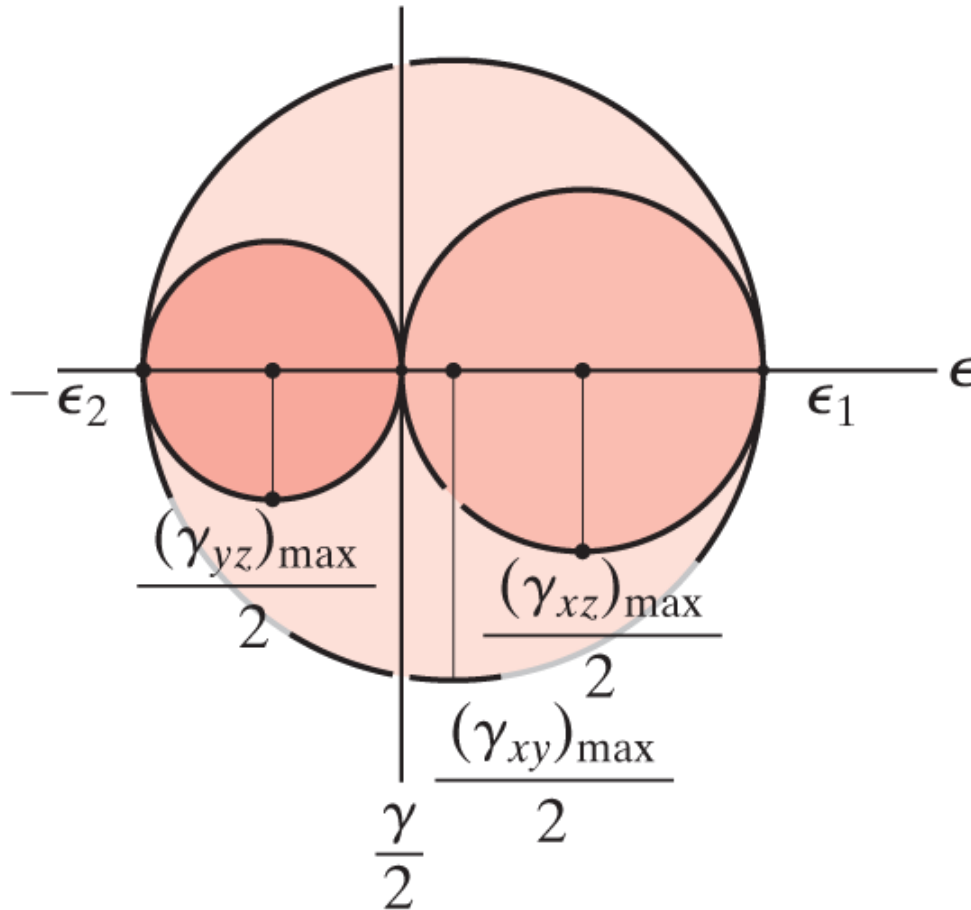
ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 have the opposite sign

The in-plane principal strains ϵ_1 cause elongations and ϵ_2 contraction.



Absolute maximum shear strain

ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 have the opposite signs

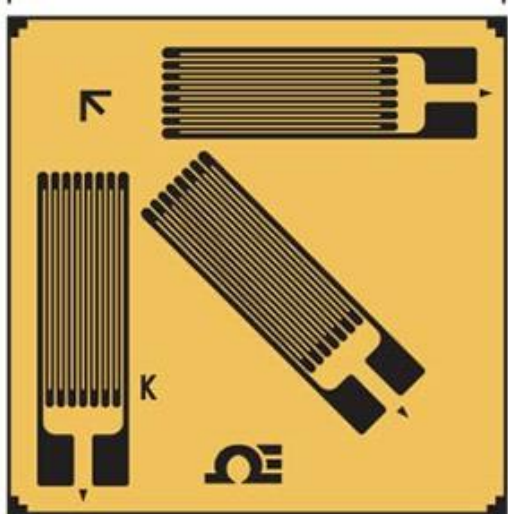
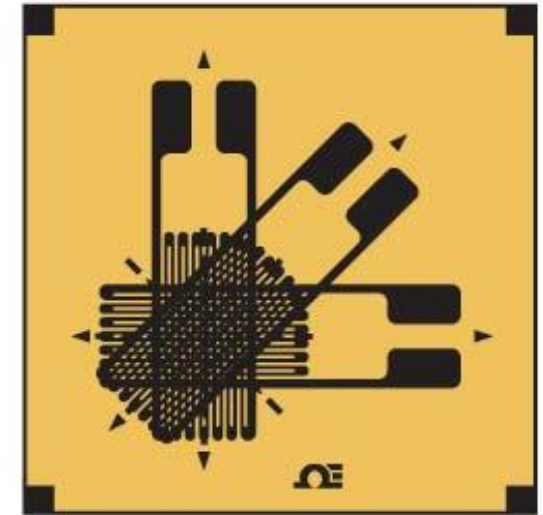


For all three circles, it is seen that the maximum in-plane shear strain is equal to the absolute maximum shear stress:

$$\gamma_{abs}^{max} = \gamma_{x'y'} = \epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2$$

Strain Rosettes

For a general loading on a body, however, the strains at a point on its free surface are determined using a cluster of three electrical-resistance strain gauges, arranged in a specified pattern.



This pattern is referred to as a **strain rosette**, and once the normal strains on the three gauges are measured, the data can then be transformed to specify the state of strain at the point.

Strain Rosettes

Since these strains are measured only in the plane of the gauges, and since the body is stress-free on its surface, the gauges may be subjected to plane stress but not plane strain.

Although the strain normal to the surface is not measured, realize that the out-of-plane displacement caused by this strain will not affect the in-plane measurements of the gauges.

Strain Rosettes

In the general case, the axes of the three gauges are arranged at the angles θ_a , θ_b and θ_c .

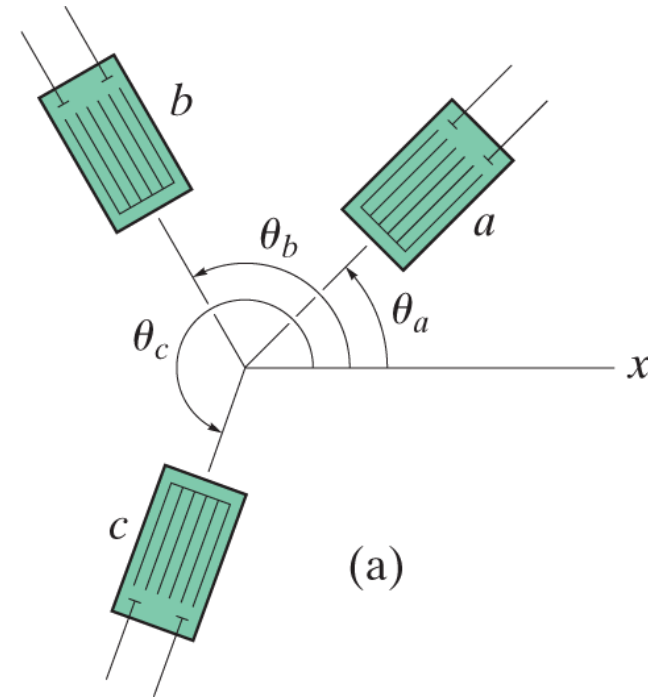
If the readings ε_a , ε_b and ε_c are taken, we can determine the strain components ε_x , ε_y and γ_{xy} at the point by applying the strain-transformation equation, for each gauge.

We have

$$\varepsilon_a = \varepsilon_x \cos^2 \theta_a + \varepsilon_y \sin^2 \theta_a + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta_a \cos \theta_a$$

$$\varepsilon_b = \varepsilon_x \cos^2 \theta_b + \varepsilon_y \sin^2 \theta_b + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta_b \cos \theta_b$$

$$\varepsilon_c = \varepsilon_x \cos^2 \theta_c + \varepsilon_y \sin^2 \theta_c + \gamma_{xy} \sin \theta_c \cos \theta_c$$



0°/45°/90° Rosette

In the case of the 45° or “rectangular”, $\theta_a=0^\circ$, $\theta_b=45^\circ$ and $\theta_c=90^\circ$.

$$\varepsilon_x = \varepsilon_a$$

$$\varepsilon_y = \varepsilon_c$$

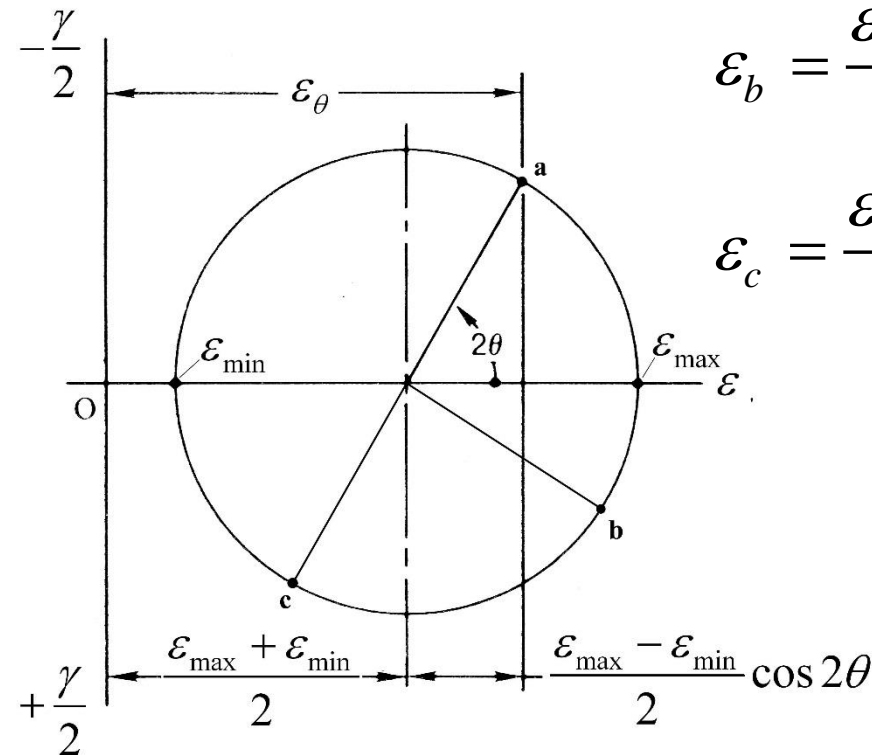
$$\gamma_{xy} = 2.\varepsilon_b - (\varepsilon_a + \varepsilon_c)$$

0°/45°/90° Rosette

$$\varepsilon_a = \frac{\varepsilon_{\max} + \varepsilon_{\min}}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon_{\max} - \varepsilon_{\min}}{2} \cos 2\theta$$

$$\varepsilon_b = \frac{\varepsilon_{\max} + \varepsilon_{\min}}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon_{\max} - \varepsilon_{\min}}{2} \cos 2(45^\circ - \theta)$$

$$\varepsilon_c = \frac{\varepsilon_{\max} + \varepsilon_{\min}}{2} + \frac{\varepsilon_{\max} - \varepsilon_{\min}}{2} \cos 2(90^\circ - \theta)$$



0°/45°/90° Rosette

$$\sigma_{\max} = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} (\varepsilon_{\max} + \nu\varepsilon_{\min})$$

$$\sigma_{\min} = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} (\varepsilon_{\min} + \nu\varepsilon_{\max})$$

0°/60°/120° Rosette

In the case of the 60°, $\theta_a=0^\circ$, $\theta_b=60^\circ$ and $\theta_c=120^\circ$.

$$\varepsilon_x = \varepsilon_a$$

$$\varepsilon_y = \frac{1}{3}(2\varepsilon_b + 2\varepsilon_c - \varepsilon_a)$$

$$\gamma_{xy} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}(\varepsilon_b - \varepsilon_c)$$

Material-Property Relationships

Assume that the material is homogeneous and isotropic and behaves in a linear-elastic manner

Material is subjected to multiaxial stress and strain.

Generalized Hooke's Law.

The stresses can be related to these strains by using the principle of superposition, Poisson's ratio, and Hooke's law.

Material-Property Relationships

$$\varepsilon_x = \frac{1}{E} \left(\sigma_x - \nu (\sigma_y + \sigma_z) \right)$$

$$\varepsilon_y = \frac{1}{E} \left(\sigma_y - \nu (\sigma_x + \sigma_z) \right)$$

$$\varepsilon_z = \frac{1}{E} \left(\sigma_z - \nu (\sigma_y + \sigma_x) \right)$$