#### CIV-E4080, Material Modelling in Civil Engineering L

#### Written examination, total obligatory points = $3 \times 5$ , today: 27/5/2019

Read me:

- EXTRA exercises are not obligatory and will not affect your points if they are not answered. They just may give you the missing one point.
- Exercises # 2 & # 3: only one of them is obligatory to solve

#### 1. Exercise - Elasticity [5 points]

**Isotropy and plane stress**: Assume an isotropic linear elastic material and the generalized 3D Hooke's law  $\sigma = \mathbf{D}\epsilon$  using the elasticity constants E and  $\nu$ . Shear modulus  $G = E/[2(1+\nu)]$ . Inverting the Hooke's law for strain components one obtains (Voigt's notation) the flexibility relation  $\epsilon = \mathbf{D}^{-1}\sigma$  in component form as

$$\begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_{11} \\ \epsilon_{22} \\ \epsilon_{33} \\ \gamma_{12} \\ \gamma_{23} \\ \gamma_{13} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/E & -\nu/E & -\nu/E & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\nu/E & 1/E & -\nu/E & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\nu/E & -\nu/E & 1/E & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/G & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/G & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/G \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{11} \\ \sigma_{22} \\ \sigma_{33} \\ \sigma_{12} \\ \sigma_{23} \\ \sigma_{13} \end{bmatrix}$$
(1)

where the axes  $x \to 1$ ,  $y \to 2$  and  $z \to 3$ .

**Question**: Consider *plane stress* case in plane 1-2 (or x-y) in which the non-zero stress components act ( $\implies 3$  is the direction of zero stress).

- 1. what stress components are null?
- 2. account for that in the flexibility Equation (1) and derive the reduced form  $(3 \times 3 \text{ matrix})$  of the flexibility relation (1).
- 3. which strain components are null?
- 4. determine  $\epsilon_{33}$  in terms of  $\epsilon_{11}$  and  $\epsilon_{22}$

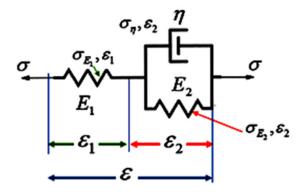
**EXTRA** [1 point]: Explain in few lines and with an illustration (drawing) what is meant by *or*thotropy in elasticity? You can use equations, too.

#### 2. Exercise - Viscoelasticity [5 points]

Consider the standard linear model (SLM) (Figure above). Derive the constitutive equation below

$$\dot{\epsilon} + \frac{E_2}{\eta}\epsilon = \frac{\dot{\sigma}}{E_1} + \frac{\sigma}{\eta}[1 + \frac{E_2}{E_1}] \tag{2}$$

**EXTRA** [1 point]: Determine the expression of the relaxation modulus G(t) for the above (SLM) model (Equation 2)



#### 3. Exercise - Viscoelasticity [5 points]

**Stress relaxation**: In a stress relaxation test, a straight steel cable formed by steel wire strands, is pre-stressed by applying an initial stress of 100 MPa after what the ends of the wire were blocked from any motion. After **three weeks**, a **loss** of 2 MPa is observed in the cable.

**Question**: Use a simple *Maxwell model* and derive the relaxation function (or modulus). What should be the new initial pre-stress level in order to keep the stress in the cable > 200 MPa over one year? (Assume that the temperature remains constant.)

**Hint**: The relaxation time is defined as  $\tau_R = \eta/E$ , where  $\eta$  being the viscosity coefficient and E the elastic modulus, respectively.

**EXTRA** [1 point]: Explain concisely the two concepts of *creep* and *stress relaxation* tests – use graphical illustrations and equations.

#### 4. Exercise - Engineering Plasticity [5 points]

Yielding criteria: Consider the following stress state in a steel structure at some location being

$$\sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 200 & 110 & \tau_{xz} \\ 110 & 125 & 0 \\ \tau_{xz} & 0 & 125 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{units are in MPa.}$$
(3)

The material is isotropic and its yield stress in uniaxial test  $\sigma_{\rm Y} = 280$  MPa.

**Question**: How much the stress component  $\tau_{xz}$  can be before yield occurs, according to von-Mises criteria?

**EXTRA** [1 point]: How much the stress component  $\tau_{xz}$ , in exercise #4, can be before yield occurs, according Tresca yield criteria?

**EXTRA** [1 point]: What are the three main ingredients of the theory of engineering plasticity? Explain each of them concisely – what they are and what they describe? (Not more than 1/3 of a page)

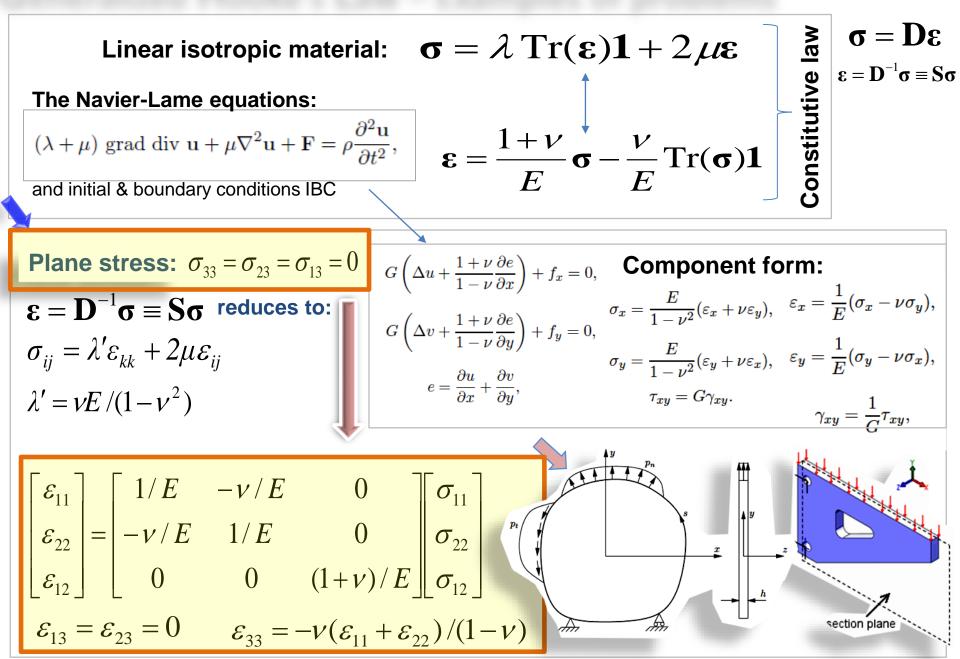
Formulary: von-Mises:  $\sigma_e - \sigma_Y = 0, \ \sigma_e \equiv \sqrt{3J_2}$ 

$$\frac{1}{2} \left[ (\sigma_1 - \sigma_2)^2 + (\sigma_2 - \sigma_3)^2 + (\sigma_3 - \sigma_1)^2 \right] - \sigma_Y^2 = 0, \text{ in principle stresses, or}$$
(4)

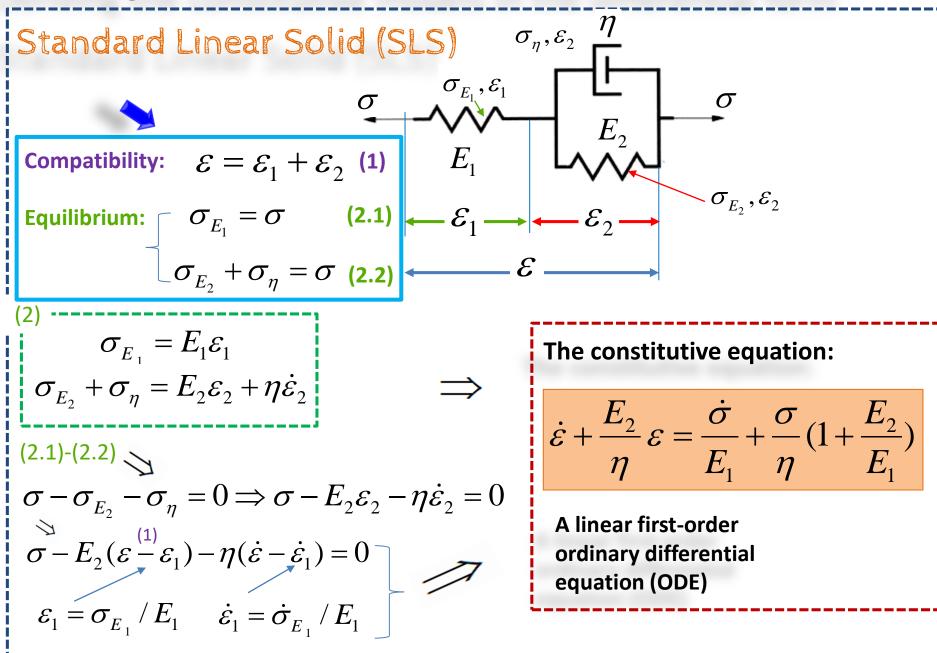
$$\frac{1}{2}\left[(\sigma_{11} - \sigma_{22})^2 + (\sigma_{22} - \sigma_{33})^2 + (\sigma_{33} - \sigma_{11})^2\right] + 3\left[(\sigma_{12}^2 + \sigma_{23}^2 + \sigma_{31}^2)\right] - \sigma_{\rm Y}^2 = 0.$$
(5)

Tresca's criteria: the student should remember it.

# **G**eneralized **H**ooke's Law – Examples of problems

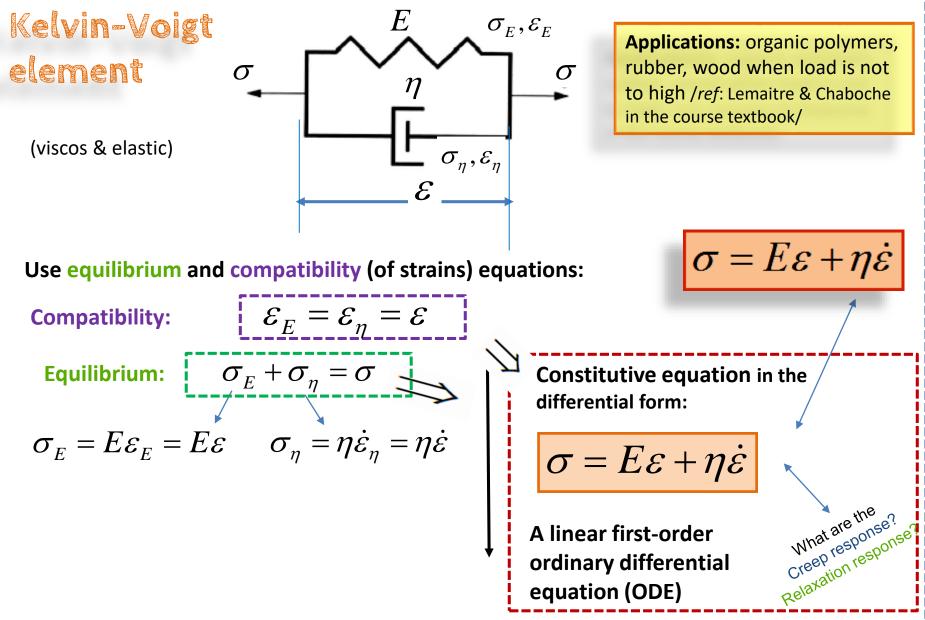


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Derive the constitutive models in the differential form for the Kelvin-Voigt model



### **Creep Compliance and Relaxation Modulus**

SLM:

 $\sigma$ 

 $\sigma_\eta, \varepsilon_2$ 

 $\sigma$ 

 $\sigma_{E_2}, \varepsilon_2$ 

 $\sigma_{E_1}, \varepsilon_1$ 

**Creep response:** Apply a constant stress  $\sigma(0) = \sigma_0 \ \epsilon t = 0$ 

... and determine (measure) the time dependent strain  $\mathcal{E}(t)$ 

### Initial condition: $\mathcal{E}(0) = \sigma_0 / E_1$

What is the

Creep response?

