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ME 323 – Mechanics of Materials

Lecture 31 – Transformation of stress

Reading assignment: Ch.13 lecturebook



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Thin wall pressure vessels – Review

Cylindrical body with hemispherical end caps

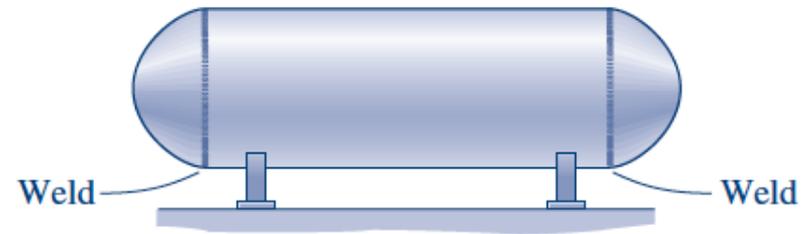
$$\sigma_a = \frac{pr}{2t} \quad \text{axial stress in the cylinder}$$

$$\sigma_h = \frac{pr}{t} \quad \text{Hoop stress in the cylinder}$$

$$\sigma_s = \frac{pr}{2t} \quad \text{normal stress in the sphere}$$

If the maximum (or allowable) tensile stress of the material is σ_{allow} .

What is the thickness of the body and the caps?

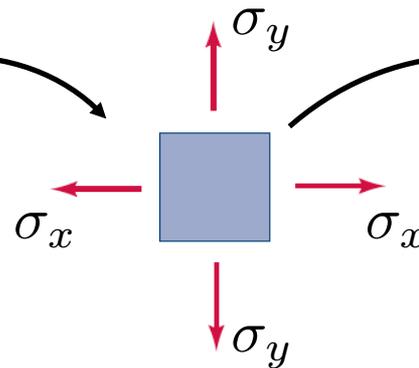
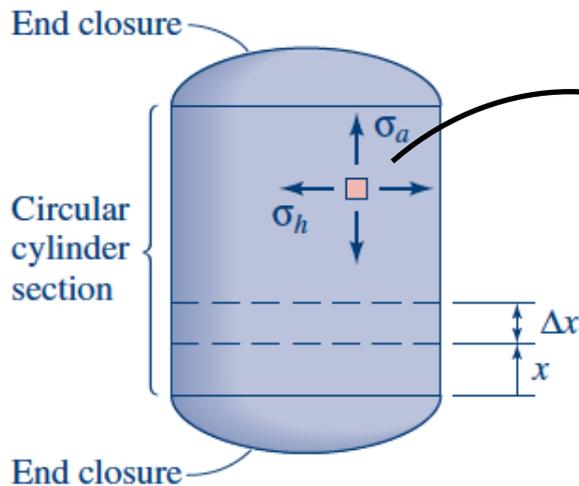


Thin wall pressure vessels – Mohr's circle

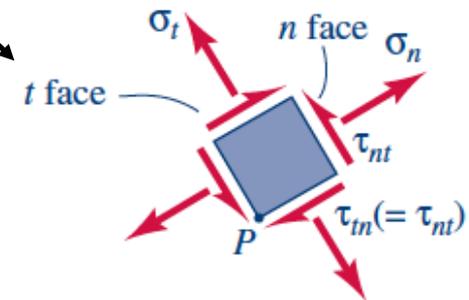
Problem 65:

Determine the stresses in a cylindrical pressure vessel 2.5 m in diameter and 10 mm thick.

The internal pressure is 1200 kPa.



State of plain stress
 $\sigma_z = \tau_{xz} = \tau_{yz} = 0$

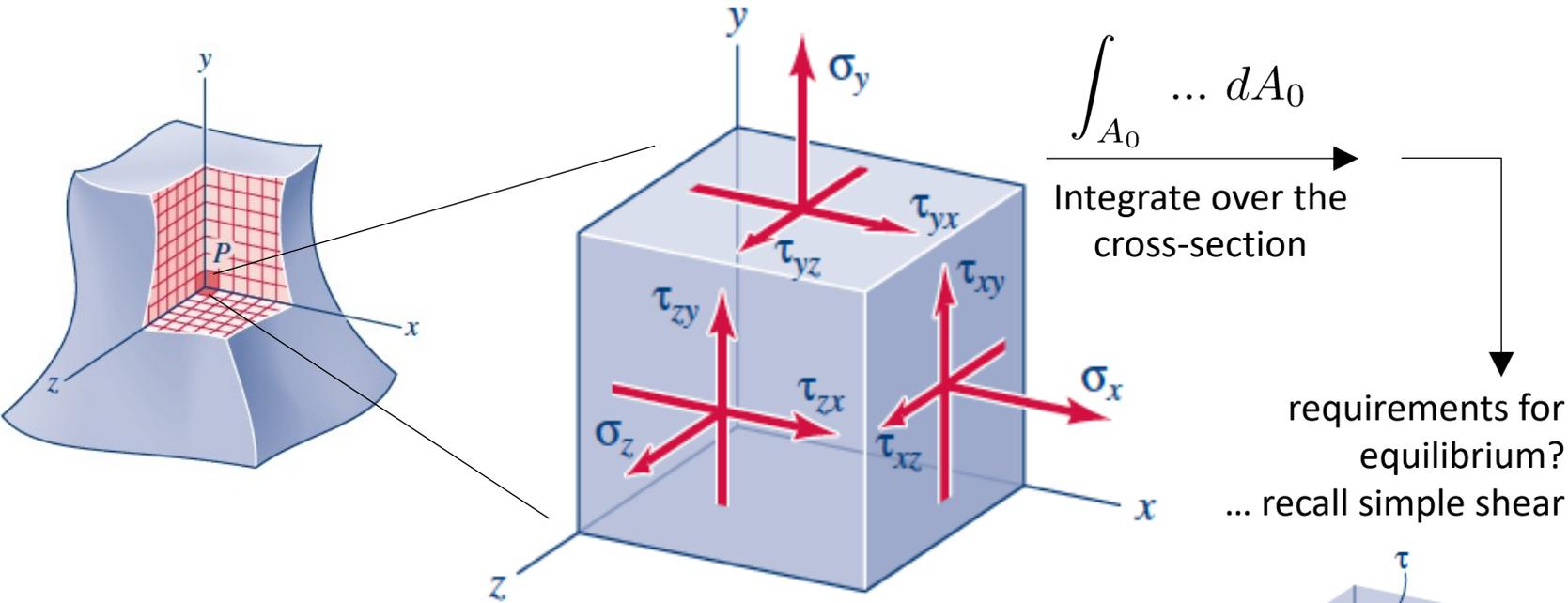


What happens if we rotate the stress elements?

$$\tau_{nt} \neq 0$$

Transformation of stress

Three-dimensional state of stress



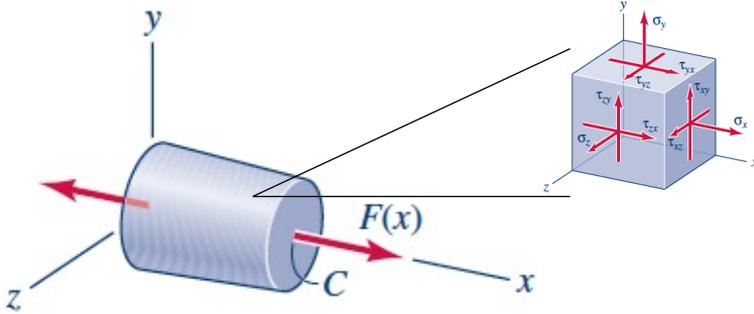
$$\tau_{xy} = \tau_{yx} \quad \tau_{yz} = \tau_{zy} \quad \tau_{zx} = \tau_{xz}$$

Note: these are Cartesian coordinates

Transformation of stress

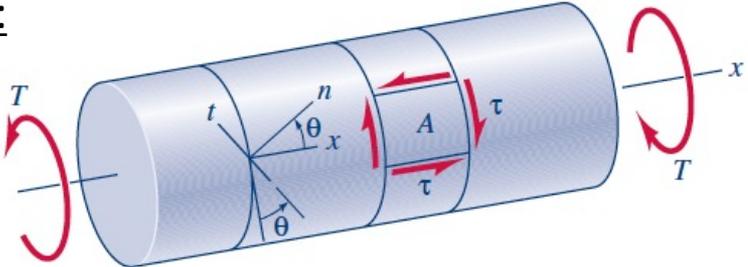
Plane stress

- Axial deformation:
(Lectures 6-9)



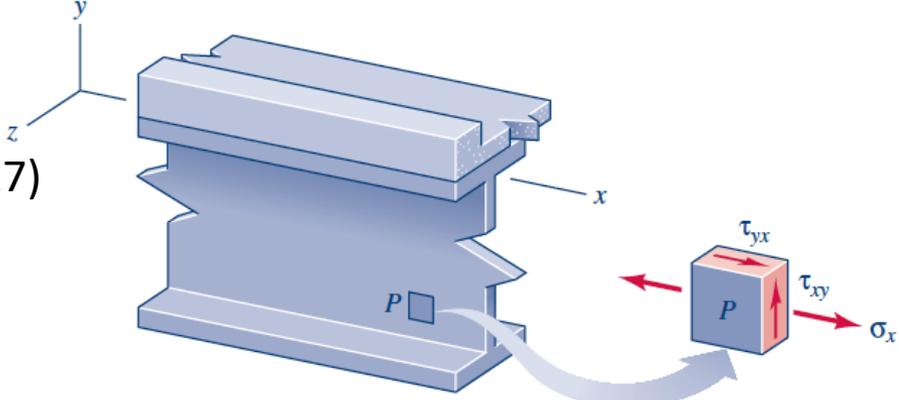
$$\sigma_x = F(x)/A(x)$$

- Torsional deformation:
(Lectures 10-12)



$$\tau = T\rho/I_p$$

- Bending:
(Lectures 13-17)



$$\sigma_x = -My/I$$

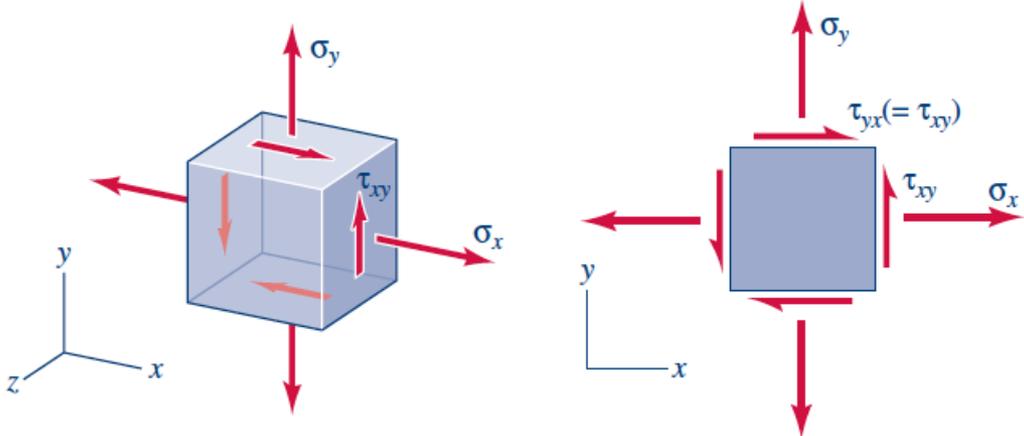
$$\tau_{xy} = VQ/It$$

Transformation of stress

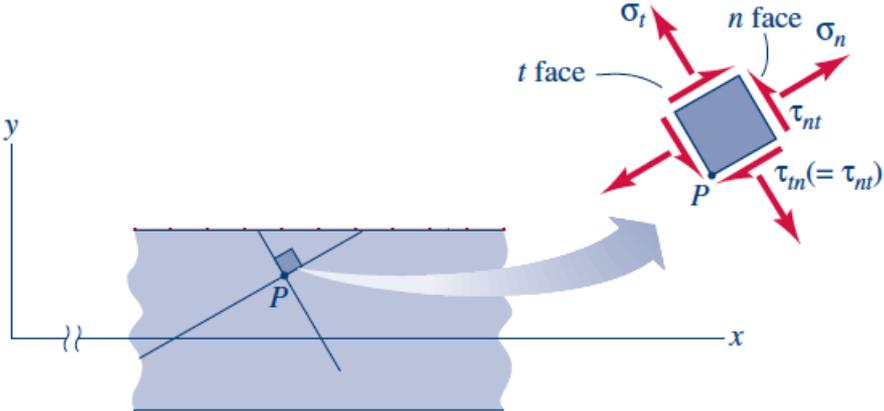
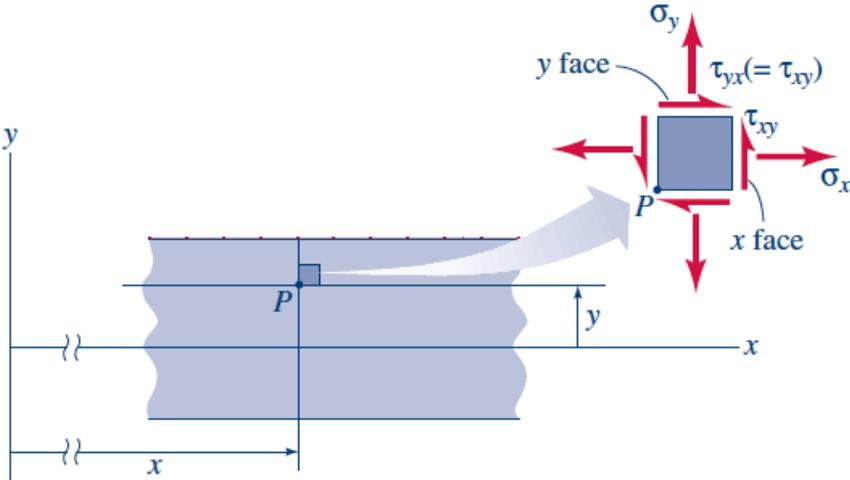
Plane stress

- In general:

$$\sigma_z = \tau_{xz} = \tau_{yz} = 0$$



- Many times it is convenient to rotate the differential element. However, **there is one and only one state of stress at a given point!!!**



Transformation of stress

Stress transformation for plane stress

Equilibrium of forces:

$$\sigma_n = \sigma_x \cos^2 \theta + \sigma_y \sin^2 \theta + \tau_{xy} (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)$$

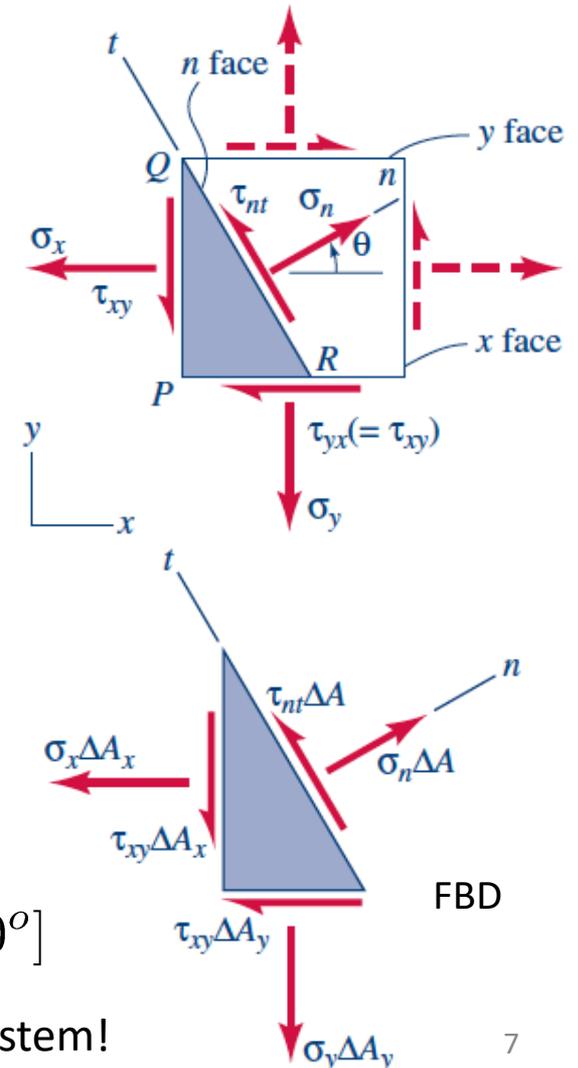
$$\tau_{nt} = -(\sigma_x - \sigma_y) \cos \theta \sin \theta + \tau_{xy} (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta)$$

... using some trigonometry:

$$\sigma_n = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

$$\tau_{nt} = - \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$

with $\theta \in [-90^\circ, 90^\circ]$



Note: the n - t - z axes must form a right-handed coordinate system!

Transformation of stress

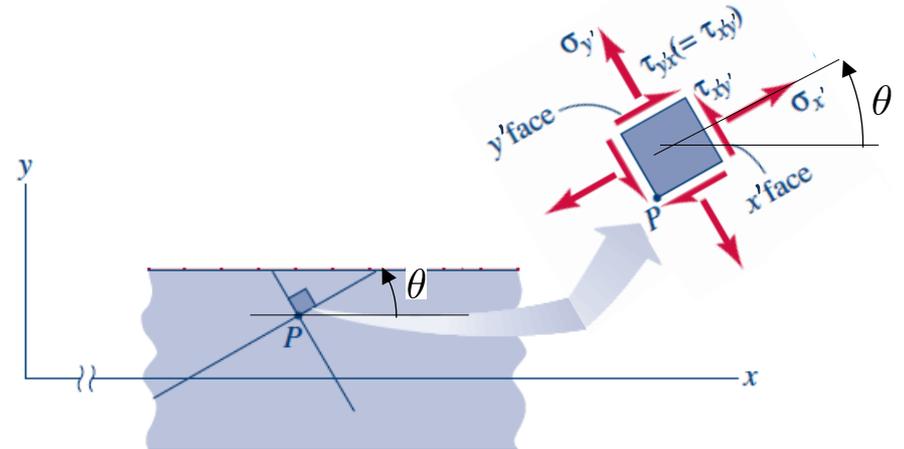
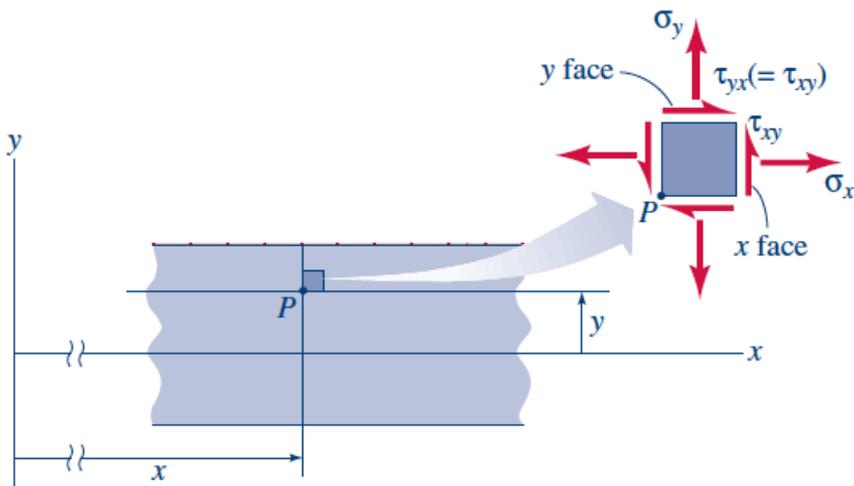
Stress transformation for plane stress

$$\sigma_{x'} = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

$$\sigma_{y'} = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta - \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

$$\tau_{x'y'} = - \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$

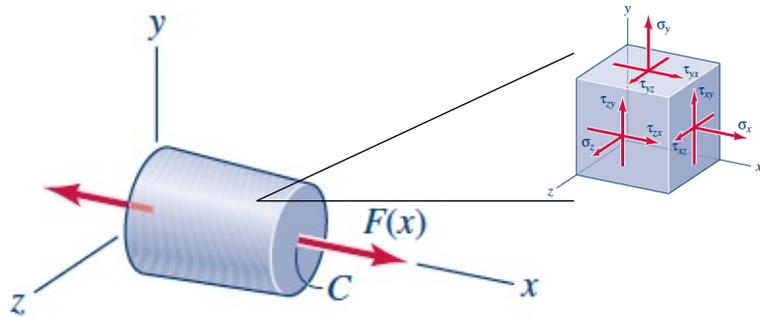
(measured counterclockwise
from x to x')
with $\theta \in [-90^\circ, 90^\circ]$



Transformation of stress

Problem 66:

For the state of stress of a rod under axial load, determine the stresses on faces that are rotated 30° counterclockwise from the direction of the load.



The diagram shows a square stress element with normal stress σ_x acting on its faces. The stress is represented by red arrows pointing outwards from the square.

$$\sigma_x = F(x)/A(x)$$

Transformation of stress

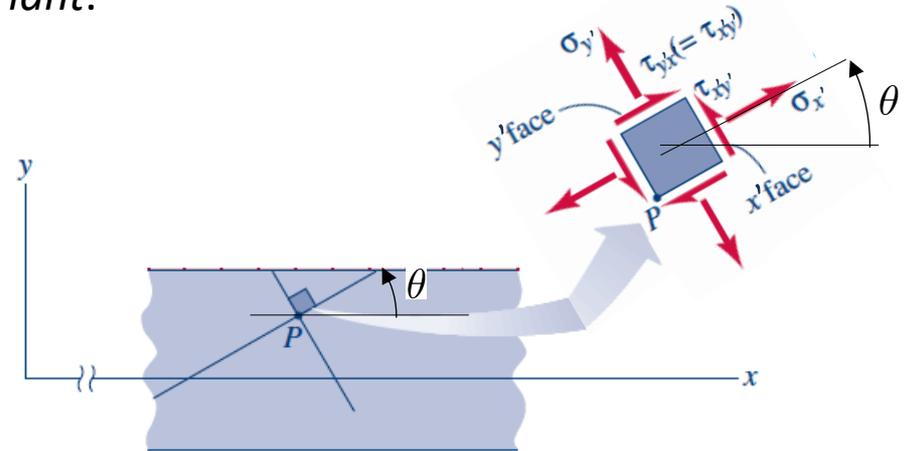
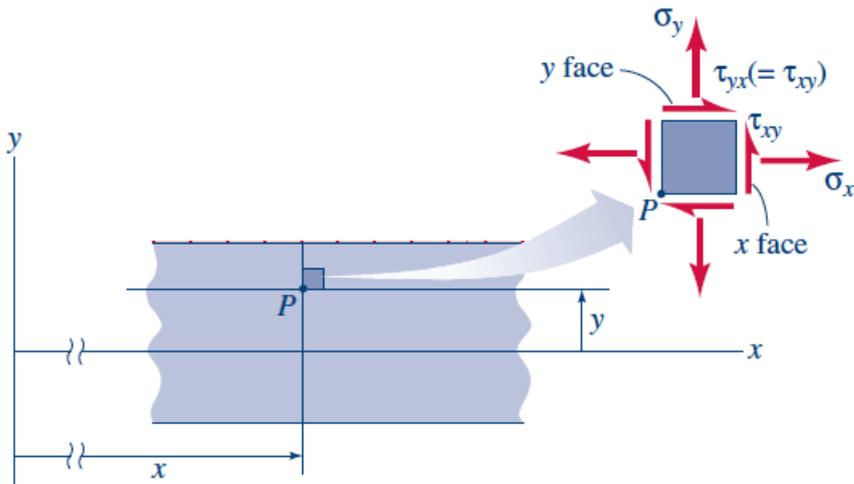
Stress transformation for plane stress

$$\sigma_{x'} = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

$$\sigma_{y'} = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta - \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

Notice that (for orthogonal faces) $\sigma_{x'} + \sigma_{y'} = \sigma_x + \sigma_y$ for any angle!

The sum of normal stresses is a *stress invariant*.



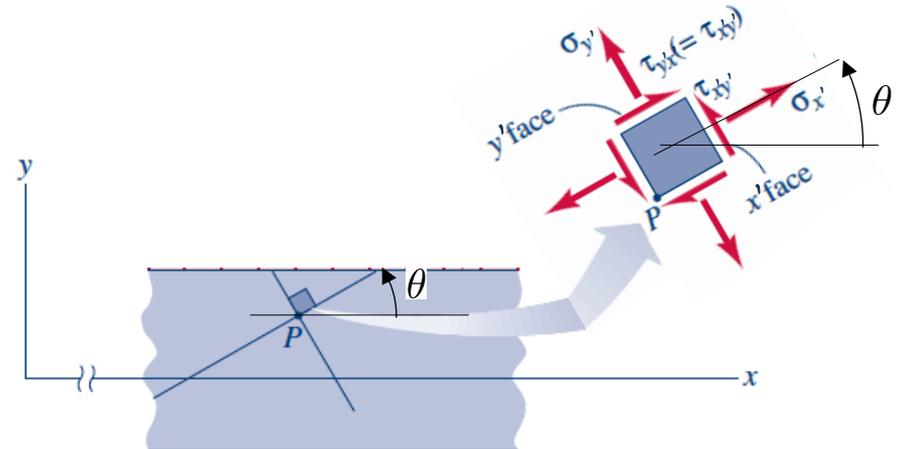
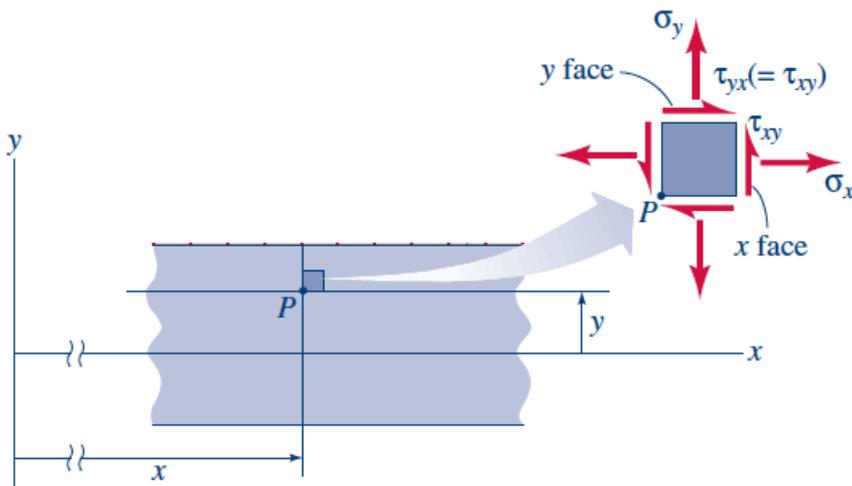
Transformation of stress

Problem 67:

Given the components of a state of plane stress, find the maximum normal and shear stresses, and the planes on which they act.

$$\sigma_n = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

$$\tau_{nt} = - \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$

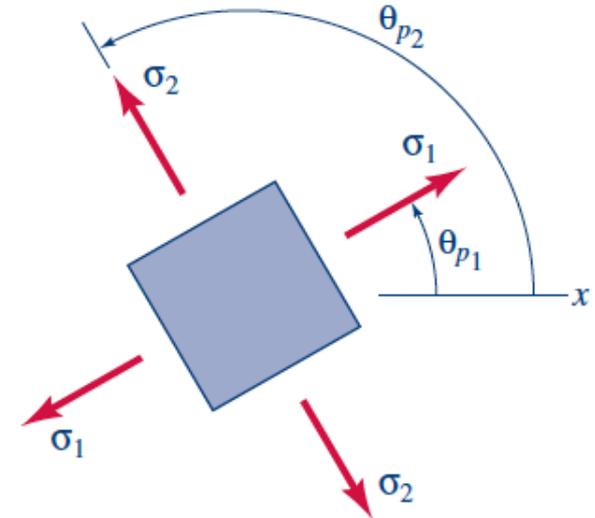


Principal stresses - Maximum shear stress

Principal stresses

Find the orientation θ such that the normal stress σ_n is maximum:

$$\sigma_n = \left(\frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$



Principal stresses:

Principal directions:

maximum
in plane
normal stress

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

$$\sin 2\theta_{p1} = \frac{\tau_{xy}}{R}$$

$$\cos 2\theta_{p1} = \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2R}$$

minimum
in plane
normal stress

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

$$\sin 2\theta_{p2} = -\frac{\tau_{xy}}{R}$$

$$\cos 2\theta_{p2} = -\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2R}$$

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

shear stress on
principal planes

$$\tau_{nt}(\theta_{p1}) = \tau_{nt}(\theta_{p2}) = 0 \quad \text{no shear stress on the principal planes!!}$$

Principal stresses - Maximum shear stress

Maximum in-plane shear stresses

Find the orientation θ such that the normal stress τ_{nt} is maximum:

$$\tau_{nt} = - \left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \right) \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$

Maximum in-plane shear stress

$$\tau_{\max} = R$$

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

normal stress on planes of max. shear

$$\sigma_{s1} = \sigma_{\text{avg}} \quad \sigma_{s2} = \sigma_{\text{avg}}$$

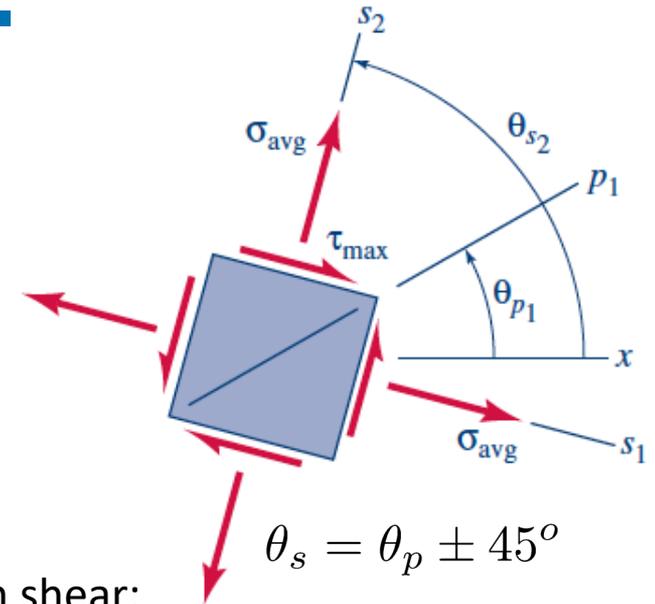
Planes of maximum shear:

$$\sin 2\theta_{s1} = - \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2R} \quad \cos 2\theta_{s1} = \frac{\tau_{xy}}{R}$$

$$\sin 2\theta_{s2} = \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2R} \quad \cos 2\theta_{s2} = - \frac{\tau_{xy}}{R}$$

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

the planes of maximum shear stress are not free of normal stress!!

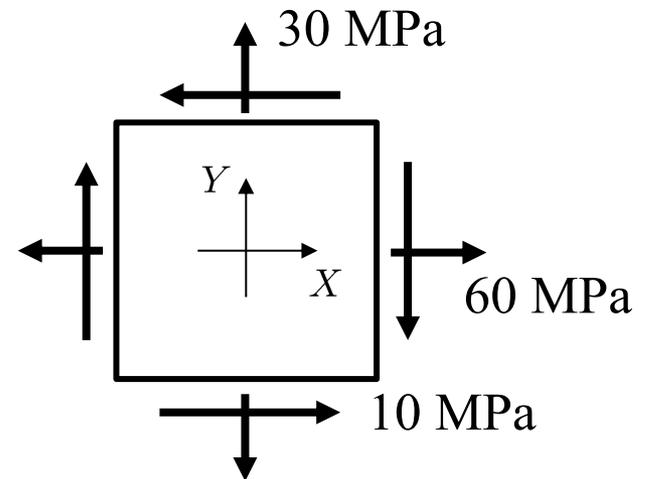


Transformation of stress

Problem 68:

The state of plane stress is indicated in the figure. Determine:

- the normal and shear stresses on a face rotated 40° counterclockwise from the x face;
- the magnitude of the principal stresses and the orientation of the principal planes;
- the magnitude of the maximum in-plane shear stress and orientation of the planes of maximum shear stress.



Transformation of stress

Any questions?