

G in terms of compliance

Fixed grips

Fixed loads

$$G = \frac{1}{2B} \frac{u^2}{C^2} \frac{dC}{da} = \frac{1}{2B} P^2 \frac{dC}{da}$$

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for general case
 2D planar crack growth

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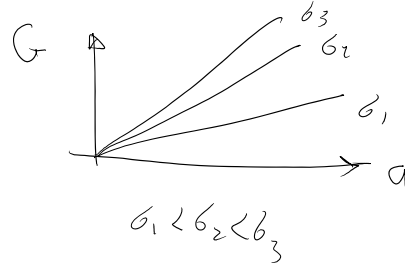
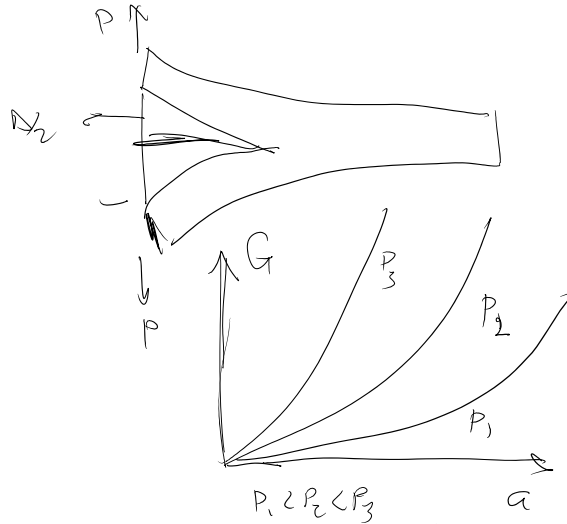
$$C = \text{compliance} = \frac{u}{P}$$

$$\frac{\Delta}{2} = \frac{Pa^3}{3EI} \rightarrow C = \frac{\Delta}{P} = \frac{2a^3}{3EI}$$

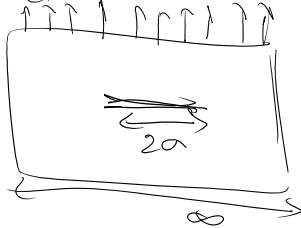
$$G = \frac{1}{2B} P^2 \frac{dC}{da} \rightarrow$$

$$G = \frac{P^2 a^2}{EI}$$

for this problem

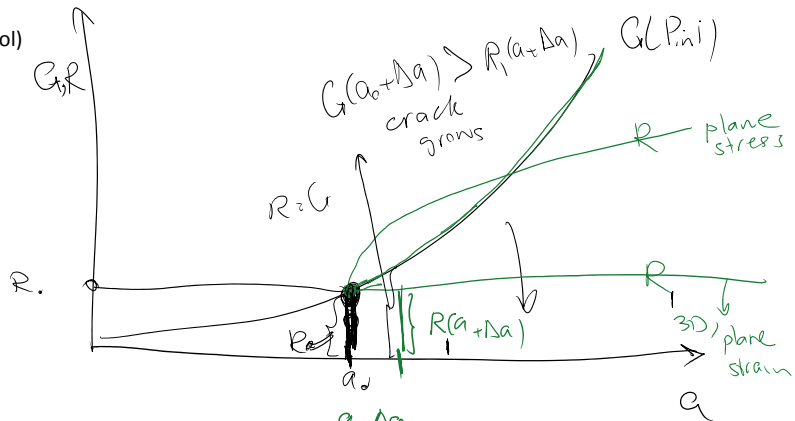
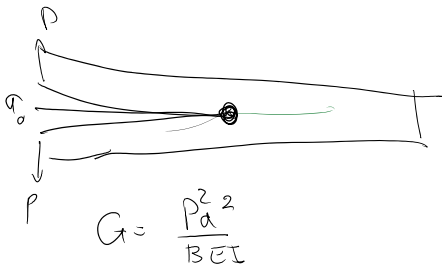


Another example



$$G = \frac{\pi q^2 a}{E}$$

Crack growth for the cantilever geometry (load control)



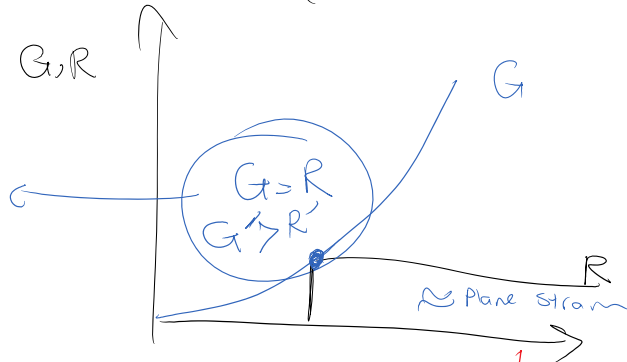
$$\begin{cases} G(a_0 + \Delta a) > R(a_0 + \Delta a) \\ G(a_0) = R(a_0) \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{\Delta a \rightarrow 0} \frac{G(a_0 + \Delta a) - G(a_0)}{\Delta a} \geq R_1 \frac{(a_0 + \Delta a) - R_1(a_0)}{\Delta a}$$

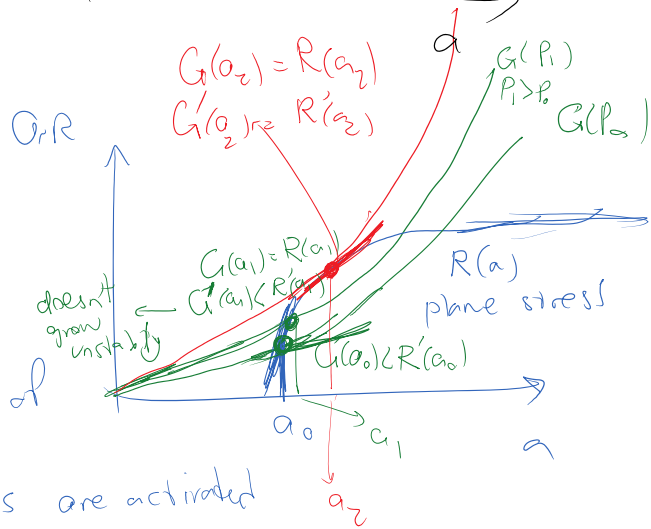
then
the crack
grows

$$\frac{dG}{da}(a_0) \geq \frac{dR_1}{da}(a_0)$$

$G(a) = R(a)$
 $G'(a) \geq R'(a)$ crack grows
 crack unstably grows



process zone forms
around crack tip
and at early stages of
crack growth
resistance mechanisms are activated



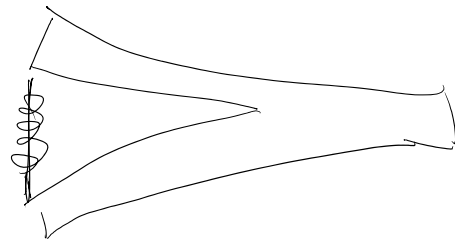
For this case from $P_0 = P_0$ to P_2 crack grows stably
 \rightarrow we need to increase the load for the crack to grow
 Post P_2 crack grows unstably \rightarrow for constant P_2 crack
 grows unboundedly in a dynamic fashion

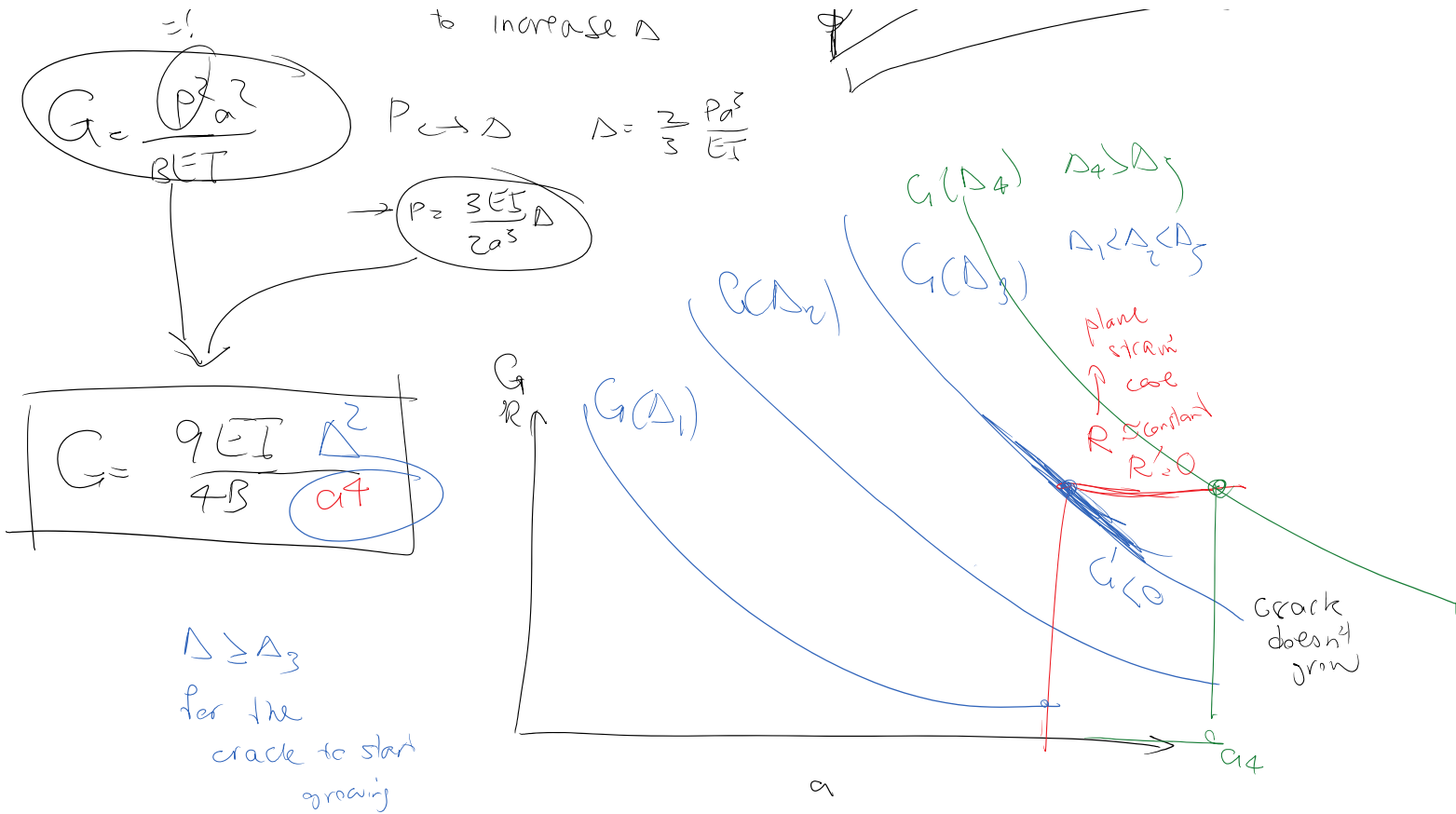
Displacement control:

Instead of applying a known load at the end points, we pull it with specified displacement



open screws
to increase Δ





For displacement-control loading, even if R is constant (e.g. plane strain condition), $G' < R'$ so the crack does not grow in an unstable manner. We need to keep increasing Δ to have a continued crack growth.

4.2. Stress solutions, Stress Intensity Factor K (SIF)

Solving elastodynamic / elastostatic problem:

1. Displacement-based approach

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma + pb = \rho \ddot{u}$$

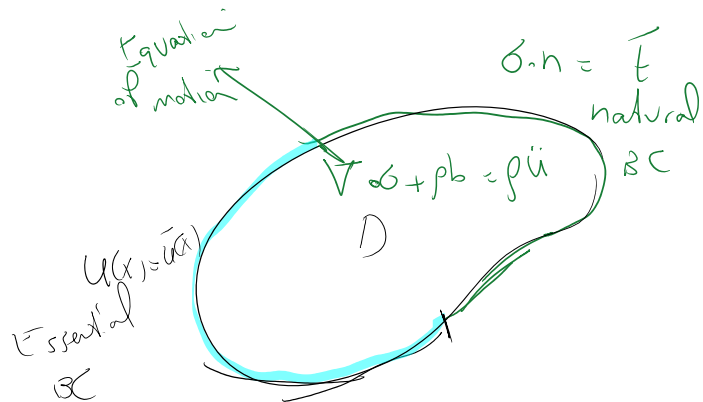
static $\ddot{u} = 0$

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma + pb = 0$$

Constitutive eqn

$$\sigma = C \epsilon$$

4th order elasticity tensor



Example: For isotropic material

$$\sigma_{ij} = (\lambda \delta_{ij} \epsilon_{kk} + \mu (\delta_{il} \delta_{jk} + \delta_{ik} \delta_{jl})) \epsilon_{kl}$$

Lame's parameters C_{ijkl} for isotropic material

Isotropic

3D

$$T_{ij} = \lambda \delta_{ij} E_{kk} + 2\mu E_{ij} \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{T} = \lambda \mathbf{I}_E + 2\mu \mathbf{E}$$

2D (plane strain)

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \\ \sigma_{zz} \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \frac{E}{(1+\nu)(1-2\nu)} \begin{bmatrix} (1-\nu) & \nu & 0 \\ \nu & (1-\nu) & 0 \\ \nu & \nu & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1-2\nu}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} \\ \epsilon_{yy} \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix}$$

2D (plane stress)

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} \\ \sigma_{yy} \\ \tau_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = \frac{1}{1-\nu^2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \nu & 0 \\ \nu & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1-\nu}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} \\ \epsilon_{yy} \\ \gamma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix}$$

σ is a linear function of ϵ

strain

$$\epsilon_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} (u_{i,j} + u_{j,i})$$

2D

$$\epsilon_{11} = u_{1,1}$$

$$\epsilon_{22} = u_{2,2}$$

$$\epsilon_{12} = \frac{1}{2} (u_{1,2} + u_{2,1})$$

↑ derivative

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma + pb = 0$$

$$\sigma = C \epsilon \quad \text{linear relation}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla u + \nabla u^T)$$

↘ another derivative

$$\nabla \cdot C \nabla u + pb = 0$$

2nd order elliptic PDE for displacement

For isotropic material this PDE is

$$\boxed{(\lambda + \mu) \nabla \nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} + \mu \nabla \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0}} \quad \text{or} \quad (\lambda + \mu) u_{j,j,i} + \mu u_{i,j,j} = 0$$

$$(\lambda + \mu)\nabla\nabla\cdot\mathbf{u} + \mu\nabla\nabla\cdot\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0} \quad \text{or} \quad (\lambda + \mu)u_{j,ji} + \mu u_{i,jj} = 0$$

1. Using BC & PDE we solve $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$
2. $\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \frac{1}{2}(\nabla\mathbf{u} + \nabla\mathbf{u}^T)$
3. $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \mathbb{C}\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$

Today, we cover a method that we first compute stress, then strain, and finally displacement.

Stress function approach

What are Airy stress function approach?

Use of stress function \Leftrightarrow

Balance of linear momentum is automatically satisfied (no body force, static)

$$\psi(x_1, x_2) \rightarrow \sigma_{ij} = -\psi_{,ij} + \delta_{ij}\psi_{,kk} \rightarrow \sigma_{ij,j} = 0$$

2D geometry

$$\psi(x_1, x_2)$$

is a scalar function

$$\tilde{\sigma}_{ij} = -\psi_{,ij} + \delta_{ij}\psi_{,kk}$$

$$\forall i, j \in \{1, 2\} \quad \tilde{\sigma}_{ij} = -\psi_{,ij} + \delta_{ij}\left(\sum_{k=1}^2 \psi_{,kk}\right)$$

$$\delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & i=j \\ 0 & i \neq j \end{cases}$$

$$i=1, j=1$$

$$\sigma_{11} = -\psi_{,11} + \delta_{11}(\psi_{,11} + \psi_{,22}) = \psi_{,22}$$

$$i=2, j=2$$

$$\sigma_{22} = -\psi_{,22} + \delta_{22}(\psi_{,11} + \psi_{,22}) = \psi_{,11}$$

$$i=1, j=2$$

$$\sigma_{12} = -\psi_{,12} + \delta_{12} \quad \text{"} \quad = -\psi_{,12}$$

$$\sigma_{21} = -\psi_{,21} = -\psi_{,12} = \sigma_{12}$$

$\sigma_{11} = \psi_{,22}$ \rightarrow Airy stress function

→ Airy stress function

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{11} &= \psi_{,22} \\ \sigma_{22} &= \psi_{,11} \\ \sigma_{21} = \sigma_{12} &= -\psi_{,12} \end{aligned}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{11,1} + \sigma_{12,2} \\ \sigma_{21,1} + \sigma_{22,2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma = \begin{pmatrix} (\psi_{,22})_{,1} + (-\psi_{,12})_{,2} \\ (-\psi_{,12})_{,1} + (\psi_{,11})_{,2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_{,221} - \psi_{,122} \\ -\psi_{,121} + \psi_{,112} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \sigma = 0$$

Starting from any Airy stress function, by using

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{11} &= \psi_{,22} \\ \sigma_{22} &= \psi_{,11} \\ \sigma_{12} &= -\psi_{,12} \end{aligned}$$

we get a stress field that satisfies static eq. of motion with no body force

Is it too good to be true that we don't need to solve a PDE?
Are there any potential problems?

Example $\psi(x_1, x_2) = x_1^4 \rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{11} = \psi_{,22} &= 0 \\ \sigma_{22} = \psi_{,11} &= 12x_1^2 \\ \sigma_{12} = -\psi_{,12} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{11,1} + \sigma_{12,2} &= 0 \quad \checkmark \\ \sigma_{21,1} + \sigma_{22,2} &= 0 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned} \quad \text{verified}$$

$$u \rightarrow \epsilon = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{11} \\ \sigma_{22} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \sigma = C \epsilon$$

integrate ϵ to get u

$$\epsilon = C^{-1} \sigma \leftarrow \sigma$$

Assume $D = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 = \sigma_{11} &= E \epsilon_{11} \\ 12x_1^2 = \sigma_{22} &= E \epsilon_{22} \\ \dots &= \dots \end{aligned}$$

(a) $\epsilon_{11} = 0$	$\epsilon_{11} = u_{,11}$	(3)
(b) $\epsilon_{12} = 0$	$\epsilon_{12} = \frac{u_{,12} + u_{,21}}{2}$	
(c) $\epsilon_{22} = \frac{12x_1^2}{E}$	$\epsilon_{22} = u_{,22}$	

$$(2x_1^2 - \sigma_{22}) = E \epsilon_{22}$$

$$0 = \sigma_{12} = C_{12}$$

(b) $\epsilon_{12} = 0$	$\epsilon_{12} = \frac{u_{1,2} + u_{2,1}}{2}$ $\epsilon_{22} = u_{2,2}$	(3)
(c) $\epsilon_{22} = \frac{12x_1^2}{E}$		

(3a) $\rightarrow u_{1,1} = 0 \rightarrow$

(3c) $u_{2,2} = \frac{12x_1^2}{E} \rightarrow$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} u_1 = f(x_2) \\ u_2 = \frac{12x_1^2}{E} x_2 + g(x_1) \end{array} \right] \text{ plug them into (3b)}$$

$$\epsilon_{12} = u_{1,2} + u_{2,1} = 0 \rightarrow$$

only a function of x_2

$f(x_2)$

$u_{1,2}$

function of x_1, x_2

$\frac{24x_1 x_2}{E} + g'(x_1)$

$u_{2,1}$

only a function of x_1

$$f(x_2) + \frac{24x_1 x_2}{E} + g'(x_1) = 0$$

this cannot be satisfied \because why?

The problem is that we have 3 equations and only 2 unknowns. That's not we cannot always solve for u

eq1	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \epsilon_{11} = u_{1,1} \\ \epsilon_{22} = u_{2,2} \\ \epsilon_{12} = \frac{u_{1,2} + u_{2,1}}{2} \end{array} \right.$	u_1, u_2 unknowns x_1, x_2
eq2		
eq3		

3 - 2 \rightarrow we need ONE COMPATIBILITY EQUATION

$$\epsilon_{11,22} + \epsilon_{22,11} - 2\epsilon_{12,12} =$$

$$u_{1,122} + u_{2,211} - (u_{1,212} + u_{2,112}) = 0$$

Compatibility eqn is (4) $\epsilon_{11,22} + \epsilon_{22,11} - 2\epsilon_{12,12} = 0$

The Airy stress function, should be chosen such that the compatibility eqn (4) is satisfied. Then, it can be shown that

displacements u can be integrated from ϵ .

3D compatibility equations:

Can we always obtain u by integration? No

3 displacements (unknowns)
6 strains (equations)

Need to satisfy strain compatibility condition(s)

$$\frac{\partial^2 \epsilon_{ik}}{\partial x_j \partial x_j} + \frac{\partial^2 \epsilon_{jj}}{\partial x_i \partial x_k} - \frac{\partial^2 \epsilon_{jk}}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} - \frac{\partial^2 \epsilon_{ij}}{\partial x_j \partial x_k} = 0.$$

2D (I just derived them)

$$2\epsilon_{12,12} - \epsilon_{11,22} - \epsilon_{22,11} = 0$$

Strains are obtained from stresses by using the inverse of stiffness matrix (compliance matrix) and stresses are obtained from the Airy stress function

$$\epsilon_{ij} = \frac{1+\nu}{E} \{-\psi_{,ij} + (1-\nu)\delta_{ij}\psi_{,kk}\} \quad \text{plug this into compatibility eqn}$$

$$2\psi_{,1122} + \psi_{,2222} + \psi_{,1111} = 0 \quad \rightarrow$$

$$(\psi_{,11} + \psi_{,22})_{,11} + (\psi_{,11} + \psi_{,22})_{,22} = 0 \quad \text{compatibility eqn}$$

$$\Delta\psi = \psi_{,11} + \psi_{,22}$$

$$(\Delta\psi)_{,11} + (\Delta\psi)_{,22} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \Delta(\Delta\psi) = 0 \quad \text{the 4th order PDE for stress function}$$

Biharmonic eqn.

the solution of this is a biharmonic function

stress approach

$$\Delta(\Delta\psi) = 0$$

↓
 ψ

displacement

$$\nabla \cdot (C \nabla u) = 0$$

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$$\Delta(\Delta\psi) = 0$$

↓

$$\sigma_{11} = \psi_{,22}$$

$$\sigma_{22} = \psi_{,11}$$

$$\sigma_{12} = \psi_{,12}$$

↓

$$\epsilon = C^{-1} \sigma$$

↓

$$\frac{\nabla u + \nabla u^T}{2} = \epsilon \rightarrow \text{integrate}$$

to get
 $u's$

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla u) = 0$$

↓

$$\epsilon = \frac{\nabla u + \nabla u^T}{2}$$

↓

$$\sigma = C \epsilon$$

Although the PDE of stress function is more difficult there are a lot of biharmonic functions available

$$f(z) = z^2$$

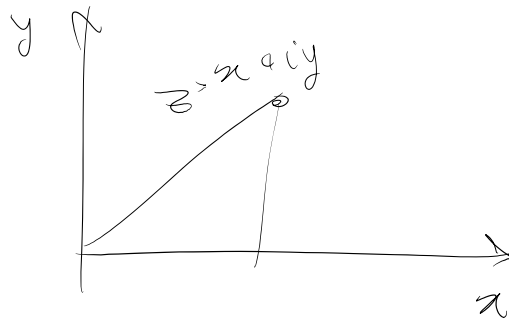
$$= (x+iy)^2 =$$

$$(x^2 - y^2) + i(2xy)$$

$$U(x,y) + i V(x,y)$$

Real part
of
 $f(z)$

↓
imaginary part



$$U(x,y) = x^2 - y^2$$

$$V(x,y) = 2xy$$

$$U_{,xx} + U_{,yy} = 2 - 2 = 0 \checkmark$$

$$V_{,xx} + V_{,yy} = 0 + 0 = 0 \checkmark$$

Any complex function does this, meaning that its real & imaginary parts are harmonic

$$f(z) = U(x,y) + i V(x,y)$$

$$\boxed{\begin{matrix} \Delta U = 0 \\ \Delta V = 0 \end{matrix}}$$

both are harmonic \rightarrow

$$\left. \begin{matrix} \Delta \Delta U = 0 \\ \Delta \Delta V = 0 \end{matrix} \right\} \text{they are biharmonic as well}$$

$$f(z) = z^3$$

Next time

- Any biharmonic solution can be expressed by Kolonov-Muskhelishvili complex potentials, ϕ, χ :

$$\Psi(x_1, x_2) = \text{Re}[\bar{z}\phi + \chi]$$

conjugate of \leftarrow

$$z = x + iy$$

$$\bar{z} = x - iy$$

two complex functions

Why real and imaginary parts of a complex function are harmonic?

$$f(z) = U(x,y) + i V(x,y)$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = U_x + i V_x$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = U_{xx} + i V_{xx}$$

Similarly

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = U_{yy} + i V_{yy}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = (U_{xx} + U_{yy}) + i (V_{xx} + V_{yy})$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \cdot 1 \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial(x+iy)}{\partial x} = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = f'' \cdot 1 = f'' \quad f' = \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}$$

if \dots

$$\frac{\partial^4}{\partial x^4} = f \cdot 1 = f \quad f = \frac{\partial^4}{\partial z^4}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = f' \cdot i \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial(x+iy)}{\partial y} = i$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = f''(i)(i) = -f'' \quad \boxed{i^2 = -1}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = f'' + (-f'') = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = (U_{,xx} + U_{,yy}) + i(V_{,xx} + V_{,yy}) \Rightarrow$$

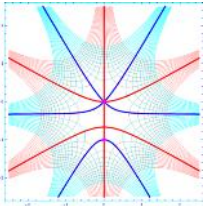
$$\boxed{U_{,xx} + U_{,yy} = 0}$$

$$\boxed{V_{,xx} + V_{,yy} = 0}$$

Real & Imaginary parts of a complex function are harmonic functions

$$f(z) = z^3$$

$$U(x,y) = x^3 - y^3 \quad V(x,y) = 2xy$$



Use for us:

Real and imaginary parts of a complex function satisfy

$$\nabla^2 U = 0 \quad \& \quad \nabla^2 V = 0$$

We were looking for a **bi-harmonic** function \Rightarrow

We were looking for Airy stress function satisfying

$$\nabla^2 \nabla^2 \psi = 0$$

Obviously if a function is harmonic

$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0$$

Then it is automatically a bi-harmonic function

$$\nabla^2 \nabla^2 \psi = 0$$

The real and imaginary parts of a complex function are both also bi-harmonic functions