

Homework 3; due Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> Feb. '20  
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 100 points

### Tensors, Rotations, Transformations, Anisotropic Elasticity

1. *Sample to crystal* axis transformations are very important in the context of texture and anisotropy. Being able to change from one to the other is therefore very important, particularly when dealing with tensors.

a) [5 points]. Calculate the transformation matrix  $\alpha_{ij}$  from *sample* to *crystal* axes for the "cube orientation" with Euler angles  $(\phi_1, \Phi, \phi_2) = (0^\circ, 0^\circ, 0^\circ)$ . How do the components of  $\alpha_{ij}$  make physical sense?

*Recall from lecture:  $\alpha_{ij} = A = Z_2 X Z_1$ , where:*

$$Z_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\phi_2) & \sin(\phi_2) & 0 \\ -\sin(\phi_2) & \cos(\phi_2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}; \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\Phi) & \sin(\Phi) \\ 0 & -\sin(\Phi) & \cos(\Phi) \end{pmatrix}; \quad Z_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\phi_1) & \sin(\phi_1) & 0 \\ -\sin(\phi_1) & \cos(\phi_1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

*Therefore,*

$$\alpha_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

*The components of the transformation matrix make physical sense in that component sample and crystal axes are aligned for a cube orientation. Therefore, the leading diagonals should be ones, and the off diagonal terms equal to zero.*

b) [5 points] Calculate a transformation matrix from a set of Miller indices (hkl)[uvw] = (001)[100]

*From the lecture notes,*

$$\alpha_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & t_1 & n_1 \\ b_2 & t_2 & n_2 \\ b_3 & t_3 & n_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

*Where:*

$$\hat{n} = \frac{(h,k,l)}{\sqrt{h^2+k^2+l^2}}; \quad \hat{b} = \frac{(u,v,w)}{\sqrt{u^2+v^2+w^2}}; \quad \hat{t} = \frac{\hat{n} \times \hat{b}}{|\hat{n} \times \hat{b}|}$$

*In component form:*

$$n_1 = \frac{h}{\sqrt{h^2+k^2+l^2}} = 0; \quad n_2 = \frac{k}{\sqrt{h^2+k^2+l^2}} = 0; \quad n_3 = \frac{l}{\sqrt{h^2+k^2+l^2}} = 1$$

$$b_1 = \frac{u}{\sqrt{u^2+v^2+k^2}} = 1; \quad b_2 = \frac{v}{\sqrt{u^2+v^2+k^2}} = 0; \quad b_3 = \frac{w}{\sqrt{u^2+v^2+k^2}} = 0$$

$$t_1 = \frac{\hat{n} \times \hat{b}}{|\hat{n} \times \hat{b}|} = \frac{n_2 b_3 - n_3 b_2}{|\hat{n} \times \hat{b}|} = 0; \quad t_2 = \frac{n_3 b_1 - n_1 b_3}{|\hat{n} \times \hat{b}|} = 1; \quad t_3 = \frac{n_1 b_2 - n_2 b_1}{|\hat{n} \times \hat{b}|} = 0$$

Thus:

$$\alpha_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

c) [5 points] Are your answers in parts a) and b) equivalent? Why or why not?

These answers are equivalent because the "cube orientation" can be written as either Euler angles  $(0^\circ, 0^\circ, 0^\circ)$  or Miller indices  $(001)[100]$ .

2. Tensors are defined as a quantity that obeys certain transformation "rules". For example, a second ranked tensor  $T_{ij}$  transforms as:  $T'_{ij} = \alpha_{im}\alpha_{jn}T_{mn}$ . However, in general, we prefer to use "short hand" matrix notation of the form:  $\mathbf{T}' = \boldsymbol{\alpha}\mathbf{T}\boldsymbol{\alpha}^T$  (note **BOLD** refers to a matrix).

a) [10 points] Show the general expression for  $T'_{ij}$  for an arbitrary rotation  $\theta$  about the [001] axis e.g.  $[\theta @ [001]]$ .

$$T'_{ij} = \alpha_{im}\alpha_{jn}T_{mn} = \boldsymbol{\alpha}\mathbf{T}\boldsymbol{\alpha}^T =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta + u^2(1 - \cos\theta) & uv(1 - \cos\theta) + w\sin\theta & uw(1 - \cos\theta) - v\sin\theta \\ uv(1 - \cos\theta) - w\sin\theta & \cos\theta + v^2(1 - \cos\theta) & vw(1 - \cos\theta) + u\sin\theta \\ uw(1 - \cos\theta) + v\sin\theta & vw(1 - \cos\theta) - u\sin\theta & \cos\theta + w^2(1 - \cos\theta) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} T_{11} & T_{12} & T_{13} \\ T_{21} & T_{22} & T_{23} \\ T_{31} & T_{32} & T_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta + u^2(1 - \cos\theta) & uv(1 - \cos\theta) - w\sin\theta & uw(1 - \cos\theta) + v\sin\theta \\ uv(1 - \cos\theta) + w\sin\theta & \cos\theta + v^2(1 - \cos\theta) & vw(1 - \cos\theta) - u\sin\theta \\ uw(1 - \cos\theta) - v\sin\theta & vw(1 - \cos\theta) + u\sin\theta & \cos\theta + w^2(1 - \cos\theta) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} T_{11} & T_{12} & T_{13} \\ T_{21} & T_{22} & T_{23} \\ T_{31} & T_{32} & T_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

For  $\alpha$  (or  $g_{ij}$  in lecture notes):

$$\alpha_{ij} = \boldsymbol{\alpha} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta + u^2(1 - \cos\theta) & uv(1 - \cos\theta) + w\sin\theta & uw(1 - \cos\theta) - v\sin\theta \\ uv(1 - \cos\theta) - w\sin\theta & \cos\theta + v^2(1 - \cos\theta) & vw(1 - \cos\theta) + u\sin\theta \\ uw(1 - \cos\theta) + v\sin\theta & vw(1 - \cos\theta) - u\sin\theta & \cos\theta + w^2(1 - \cos\theta) \end{pmatrix}$$

b) [5 points] For a  $\theta=180$ -degree rotation about [001], what is  $\mathbf{T}'$ ? How does it compare to  $\mathbf{T}$ ? How do the components of our  $\alpha$  matrix make physical sense in describing the rotation?

$$T'_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} T_{11} & T_{12} & T_{13} \\ T_{21} & T_{22} & T_{23} \\ T_{31} & T_{32} & T_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} T_{11} & T_{12} & -T_{13} \\ T_{21} & T_{22} & -T_{23} \\ -T_{31} & -T_{32} & T_{33} \end{pmatrix} = T_{ij}$$

$\mathbf{T}'$  is equivalent to  $\mathbf{T}$  due to our tensor transformation rules. The transformation matrix  $\alpha$  makes physical sense because we are "fixing" the z-axis of  $\alpha$  (e.g.  $\alpha_{33}=1$ ) and rotating our basis vectors "x" and "y" to their negative values (e.g. -1 because of the 180-degree rotation). Where we see that a component of  $T'$  is equal to its negative in  $T$ , the only value that satisfies the relation is zero. Therefore  $T_{31} = T_{32} = T_{23} = T_{13} = 0$ . Hence we see how applying symmetry decreases the number of independent components in a second rank tensor. In fact, cubic symmetry means that any 2<sup>nd</sup> rank tensor property must be isotropic, i.e., all

off-diagonal components are zero and the leading diagonal components are equal to each other.

3. The Young's Modulus  $E_{hkl}$  of a specific crystallographic plane (hkl) is given by:

$$\frac{1}{E_{hkl}} = S_{11} - 2 \left[ (S_{11} - S_{12}) - \frac{1}{2} S_{44} \right] (\alpha^2 \beta^2 + \alpha^2 \gamma^2 + \beta^2 \gamma^2)$$

Where  $S_{ij}$  are components of the compliance tensor and  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ , and  $\gamma$  are the direction cosines of the principle directions in a cubic lattice. Direction cosines are given as follows:  $\alpha$  = the cosine of the angle between (hkl) and [100];  $\beta$  = the cosine of the angle between (hkl) and [010]; and  $\gamma$  is the cosine of the angle between (hkl) and [001].

a) [10 points] Which direction  $E_{111}$ ,  $E_{100}$ , or  $E_{110}$  is the stiffest for an Fe-alloy where:  $S_{11} = 9.88 \times 10^{-12} \text{ Pa}^{-1}$ ,  $S_{12} = -3.77 \times 10^{-12} \text{ Pa}^{-1}$ , and  $S_{44} = 7.22 \times 10^{-12} \text{ Pa}^{-2}$ ?

**Hint:** A direction cosine can also be written as:  $\frac{(\text{hkl}) \cdot [\text{uvw}]}{|(\text{hkl})| |[\text{uvw}]|}$

**For (hkl) = (111)**

$$\alpha = \frac{(111) \cdot [100]}{|(111)| | [100]|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\beta = \frac{(111) \cdot [010]}{|(111)| | [010]|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(111) \cdot [001]}{|(111)| | [001]|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{1}{E_{111}} = 9.88 - 2 \left[ (9.88) - (-3.77) - \frac{1}{2} (7.22) \right] \left( 3 * \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$E_{111} = \frac{1}{9.88 - 2 \left[ (9.88) - (-3.77) - \frac{1}{2} (7.22) \right] (0.334)} = 3.15 \times 10^{11} \text{ Pa or } 315 \text{ GPa}$$

**For (hkl) = (100)**

$$\alpha = \frac{(100) \cdot [100]}{|(100)| | [100]|} = 1$$

$$\beta = \frac{(100) \cdot [010]}{|(100)| | [010]|} = 0$$

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(100) \cdot [001]}{|(100)| | [001]|} = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{E_{100}} = 9.88 - 2 \left[ (9.88) - (-3.77) - \frac{1}{2} (7.22) \right] (0)$$

$$E_{100} = \frac{1}{9.88} = 1.012 \times 10^{11} \text{ Pa or } 101.2 \text{ GPa}$$

For  $(hkl) = (110)$

$$\alpha = \frac{(110) \cdot [100]}{|(110)| \cdot |[100]|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

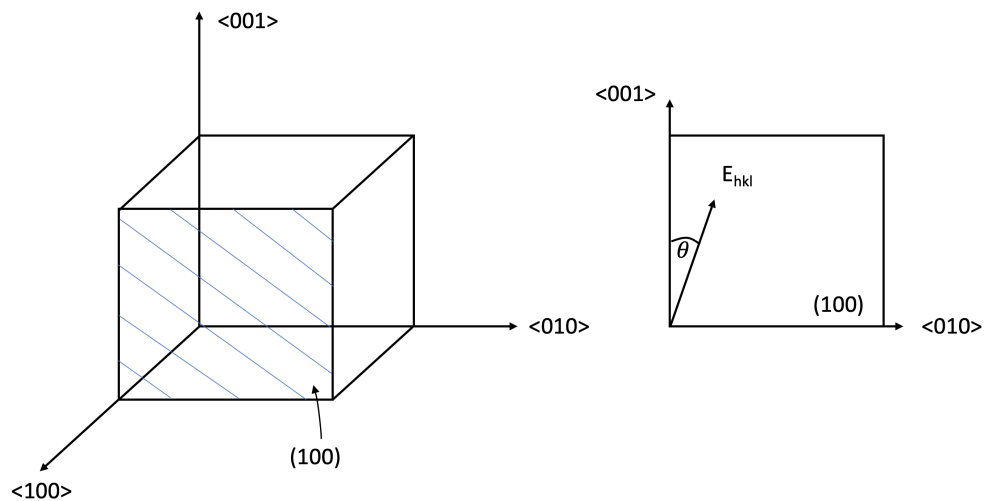
$$\beta = \frac{(110) \cdot [010]}{|(110)| \cdot |[010]|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{(110) \cdot [001]}{|(110)| \cdot |[001]|} = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{E_{110}} = 9.88 - 2 \left[ (9.88) - (-3.77) - \frac{1}{2}(7.22) \right] (0.25)$$

$$E_{110} = \frac{1}{9.88 - 2 \left[ (9.88) - (-3.77) - \frac{1}{2}(7.22) \right] (0.25)} = 2.06 \times 10^{11} \text{ Pa or } 206 \text{ GPa}$$

b) [12 points] Within the (100) plane, show where the maximum  $E_{hkl}$  value(s) occur for an arbitrary vector making an angle with the [100] loading axis between 0 and 90 degrees. Which  $E_{hkl}$  value(s) are the least? Which are the largest  $E_{hkl}$  value(s)?



Recall from the lecture notes:

$$\frac{1}{E_{hkl}} = \frac{1}{E_{100}} - 3 \left[ \frac{1}{E_{100}} - \frac{1}{E_{111}} \right] (\alpha^2 \beta^2 + \alpha^2 \gamma^2 + \beta^2 \gamma^2)$$

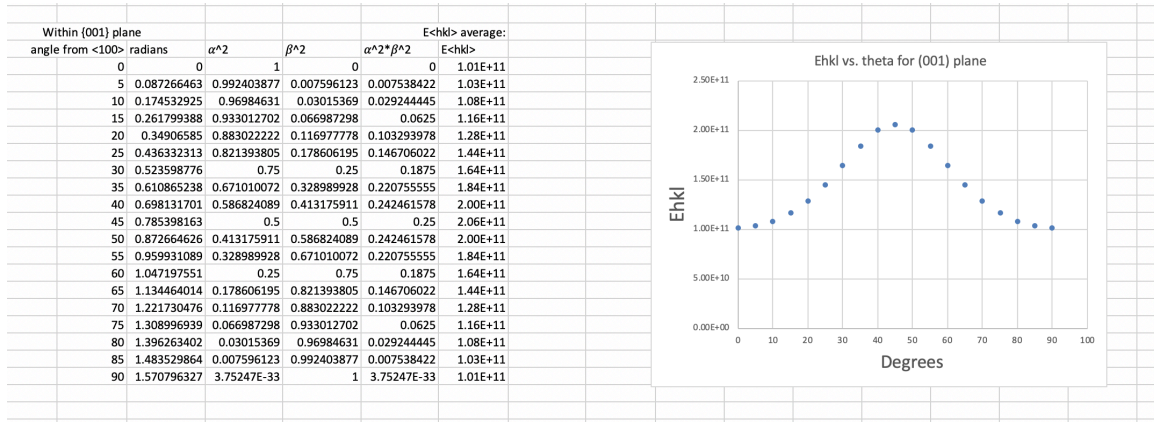
We can see from the diagram on the left that

$\alpha = 0$  i.e. the cosine of the angle between  $E_{hkl}$  in the (100) and  $\langle 100 \rangle$

$\beta = \cos(90 - \theta)$  i.e. the cosine of the angle between  $E_{hkl}$  in the (100) and  $\langle 010 \rangle$

$\gamma = \cos(\theta)$  i.e. the cosine of the angle between  $E_{hkl}$  in the (100) and  $\langle 001 \rangle$

So, we can plug in the  $E_{100}$  and  $E_{111}$  values we calculated in (a), as well as  $\alpha = \cos(\theta)$  and  $\beta = \cos(90 - \theta)$  into the equation above. We get a graph like:



We see that  $E_{110}$  (at 45 degrees) possesses the largest value of 206 GPa and  $E_{001} = E_{010} = 101$  GPa (at 0 and 90 degrees) have the smallest moduli.

c) [3 points] Prove this material is either a: (1) *relatively* elastically isotropic, or (2) an anisotropic material.

Hint: we can convert  $C = S^{-1}$  via the following relationships:

$$C_{11} = (S_{11} + S_{12}) / \{(S_{11} - S_{12})(S_{11} + 2S_{12})\} = 0.1913$$

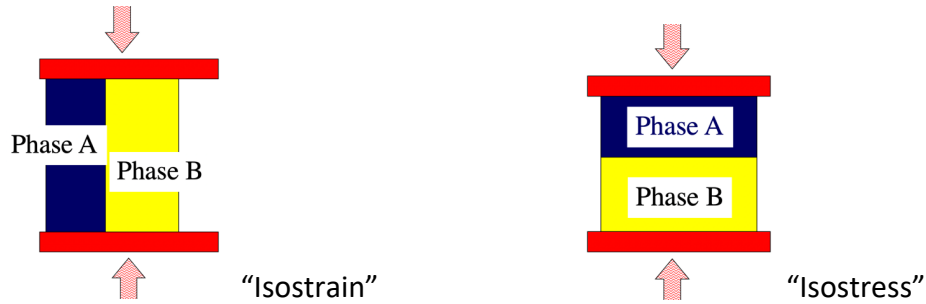
$$C_{12} = -S_{12} / \{(S_{11} - S_{12})(S_{11} + 2S_{12})\} = 0.118$$

$$C_{44} = 1/S_{44} = 0.138$$

$$A = \frac{2C_{44}}{(C_{11} - C_{12})} = 3.8$$

Therefore, this material is definitely anisotropic since  $A \gg 1$ !

4. [25] Plot the composite moduli as a function of volume fraction for a Cu-W material with properties:  $E_{\text{copper}} = 120$  GPa and  $E_{\text{Tungsten}} = 411$  GPa for the “Isostress” and “Isostrain” cases. How do experimental results for Cu-W compare to these two bounds?

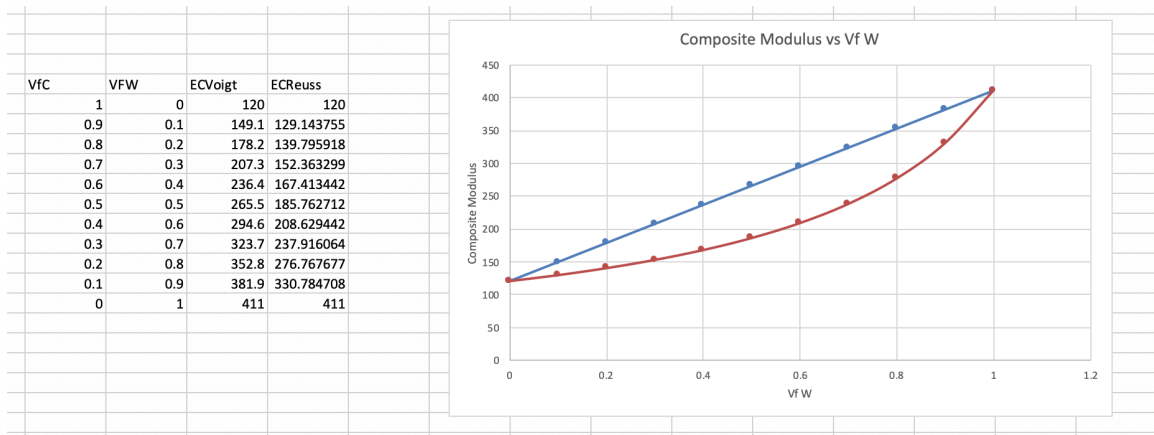


Hint: recall the equations for composite modulus for Isostress and Isostrain cases:

$$E_{C,Voigt} = V_f^A E_A + V_f^B E_B$$

$$E_{C,Reuss} = \frac{E_A E_B}{V_f^A E_B + V_f^B E_A}$$

By using the Voigt and Reuss equations, we get a graph similar to the one below:



Note: we could have also plotted the composite values vs. the Vf of Cu!

Studies such as: Wen, S. P., et al. "Evaluating modulus and hardness enhancement in evaporated Cu/W multilayers." *Acta materialia* 55.1 (2007): 345-351 place the values for composite modulus of Cu-W materials between 143 and 235 GPa for a Vf = 0.5 (for either Cu or W). Therefore, our estimates for composite moduli do a pretty good job!

5. [20] EBSD data acquisition

(a) Describe in your own words how an accumulator diagram is used to apply the Hough transform to an EBSD diffraction image. Describe explicitly with an equation(s) how intensity values are transferred from the original image (diffraction pattern) to the accumulator image (diagram).

The intensity at each point in the original is copied into (added to) a set of cells in the accumulator. The coordinates of the set are found by solving for the variable rho over a range of theta [0..180] with the  $[x_i, y_i]$  coordinates from the  $i^{\text{th}}$  point in the original.

$$\rho = x_i \cos\theta_j + y_i \sin\theta_j$$

(b) Run the python code provided (*hough-python-v1.py*) and make any adjustments needed to obtain images like the ones below. This code ran on my 2010 Macbook with 10.13 and python3 (installed from python.org).

*image.png* and *accumulator.png*

(c) Modify the code so as to obtain the Hough transform of a band such as one sees in EBSD patterns, i.e., a line of finite width, and,

(d) the Hough transform of two intersecting bands. In both cases, describe what you see. You may find it helpful to look for the blog written by Stuart Wright about EBSD.

The band (as opposed to the line) should yield a wider range of sinusoids that all pass through an enlarged point in the accumulator.

Two bands will yield two sets of sinusoids that intersect at two different points, each of which represents the distance and angle of the “support line” for each band, i.e., a line perpendicular to the band passing through the point of closest approach to the origin.