

Tentamen Continuummechanica (17-12-2011; docent: Spakman)

Write clearly and provide arguments in derivations and answers. Point scores are given (30 in total).

Useful equations: $\frac{d\rho}{dt} + \rho \nabla \cdot \vec{v} = 0$, $\rho \frac{dv_i}{dt} = \frac{\partial \sigma_{ij}}{\partial x_j} + F_i$, $\frac{d}{dt} = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + v_k \frac{\partial}{\partial x_k}$, $\sigma_{ij} = 2\mu \epsilon_{ij} + \lambda \theta \delta_{ij}$
 $\sigma_{ij} = -p \delta_{ij} + 2\eta \dot{\epsilon}_{ij}$, $\rho \frac{dv_i}{dt} = -\frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} + \eta \frac{\partial^2 v_i}{\partial x_j \partial x_j} + F_i$

1) (5 points; ~17%)

Derive the constitutive equation of an isotropic linear elastic medium from the following two equations: $\sigma_{ij} = C_{ijkl} \epsilon_{kl}$ and $C_{ijkl} = \lambda \delta_{ij} \delta_{kl} + \mu (\delta_{ik} \delta_{jl} + \delta_{il} \delta_{jk})$

2) (5 points; ~17%)

The postulate of linear viscosity states $\sigma'_{ij} = 2\eta \epsilon'_{ij}$ and relates the deviatoric stress, to viscosity and deviatoric strain rate. Derive from this postulate the constitutive equation

$$\sigma_{ij} = -p \delta_{ij} + \eta \left(\frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial v_j}{\partial x_i} \right) \text{ assuming an incompressible fluid (Note: define } p).$$

3) (12 points ; 40%)

Assume that the following stress field exists in a x_1 - x_2 - x_3 -frame:

$$\bar{\sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 & x_1 x_2 & 0 \\ x_1 x_2 & x_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (2) Determine the body force (“volumekracht” in Dutch).
- (2) Determine the principal stresses (“hoofdspanningen” in Dutch) in P(1,2,1)
- (3) Determine the principal axes (“hoofdspanningsassen” in Dutch) in P(1,2,1)
- (2) Determine the traction at P(1,2,1) acting on the plane $4x_1 + 4x_2 = 12$.
- (3) Determine the normal and shear stress components of the traction determined in d).

(If you could not find the answer to d) then take $\bar{\sigma}^n = 1/\sqrt{2} [3, 3, 0]^T$)

4) (8 points ; 26%)

Consider a two-dimensional infinite laminar (parallel) linearly viscous flow in x_1 direction. In depth direction the flow is confined between the depths $x_2=0$ and $x_2=h$.

The viscosity η is constant.

The flow velocity field is given as $\vec{v}(x_1, x_2) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\alpha}{\eta} x_2 + x_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$. The pressure in the fluid is given by $p(x_1, x_2) = \rho g x_2 + \alpha x_1$ and the body force is given by $F_1 = 0, F_2 = \rho g$

- (2) Determine the strain-rate tensor at (x_1, x_2)
- (2) Determine the stress tensor at (x_1, x_2)
- (4) Show that the flow field is a solution of the Navier-Stokes equation.

