

## Compatibility Equations

Given that  $\epsilon_{ij} = \epsilon_{ji}$ , the necessary conditions that there exist displacements  $u_i$  such that  $\epsilon_{ij} = \frac{1}{2}(u_{i,j} + u_{j,i})$  are:

$$\epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{mnp} \epsilon_{ijn,kp} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \text{gives the 6 compatibility equations}$$

Proof: Assuming  $u_i$  exists:

$$u_{i,j} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}(u_{i,jj} + u_{j,ii})}_{\epsilon_{ij}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}(u_{i,jj} - u_{j,ii})}_{\nabla u_{ij}}$$

Symmetric Antisymmetric Symmetric  $\nabla u_{ij} \rightarrow$  small rotation tensor  
(has no utility if rotations are large)

$$\epsilon_{ij} = \epsilon_{ji} \quad \nabla u_{ij} = -\nabla u_{ji} \rightarrow \nabla u_{ij} = -\epsilon_{ijk} w_k$$

$$u_{i,jj} = \epsilon_{ij} + \nabla u_{ij} = \epsilon_{ij} - \epsilon_{ijk} w_k \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad \rightarrow \text{Take second derivative}$$

$$u_{i,jj,p} = \epsilon_{ij,jp} - \epsilon_{ijk} w_{k,p} \quad \text{--- (2)} \quad \rightarrow \text{Multiply both sides by } \epsilon_{rjp}$$

$$\epsilon_{rjp} u_{i,jj,p} = \epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ij,jp} - \epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ijk} w_{k,p} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\underbrace{\epsilon_{rjp} u_{i,jj,p}}_{\text{antisymmetric}} = 0 \quad \underbrace{\epsilon_{ij,jp}}_{\text{symmetric}}$$

$$\epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ij,jp} = \epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ijk} w_{k,p} \quad \text{--- (4)} \quad \rightarrow \text{Rearrange indices in permutation tensors on RHS}$$

$$\epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ij,jp} = \epsilon_{prj} \epsilon_{kij} w_{k,p} \rightarrow \text{Note: } \epsilon_{prj} \epsilon_{kij} = (\delta_{pk} \delta_{ri} - \delta_{pi} \delta_{rk})$$

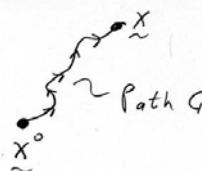
$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ij,jp} &= (\delta_{pk} \delta_{ri} - \delta_{pi} \delta_{rk}) w_{k,p} \rightarrow \text{Note: } \delta_{pk} w_{k,p} = w_{k,k}; \delta_{rk} w_{k,p} = w_{r,p} \\ &= \delta_{ri} w_{k,k} - \delta_{pi} w_{r,p} \rightarrow \text{Note: } \delta_{pi} w_{r,p} = w_{r,i} \end{aligned}$$

$$w_k = -\frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{kmn} \nabla u_{mn} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{kmn} u_{n,m}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{w_{k,k} = 0}$$

$$\boxed{\epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ij,jp} = -w_{r,i}} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Path Independence:



$$w_r(x) - w_r(x^0) = \int_{x^0}^x w_{r,i} dx_i = - \int_{x^0}^x \epsilon_{rjp} \epsilon_{ij,jp} dx_i \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Basic theorem for the existence of path independence :

If  $A_i = F_i \rightarrow e_{ijk} A_{kj}$  for path independence  
 $\bar{A} = \bar{\nabla} F$  ( $\bar{\nabla} \times \bar{A} = 0$ )

Apply this theorem to Equation (5)

$$e_{\text{min}} e_{ij,p} e_{ij,pn} = 0$$

These are the compatibility equations!!

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

$$\epsilon_{11,33} + \epsilon_{33,11} - 2\epsilon_{13,13} = 0$$

$$\epsilon_{22,33} + \epsilon_{33,22} - 2\epsilon_{23,23} = 0$$

$$-\epsilon_{23,11} + \epsilon_{13,12} + \epsilon_{12,13} = \epsilon_{11,23}$$

$$-\epsilon_{13,22} + \epsilon_{12,23} + \epsilon_{23,12} = \epsilon_{22,13}$$

$$-\epsilon_{12,23} + \epsilon_{23,13} + \epsilon_{13,23} = \epsilon_{33,12}$$