

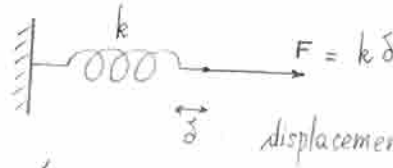
Last time : linear elastic tissue properties  
composition & structure of ECM

collagen ( tensile stiffness )  
elastin ( stretchy )  
proteoglycans ( compressive stiffness )

Today : equilibrium equations ( handout )  
strain energy density ( and examples )  
viscoelastic ( time - dependent ) behavior

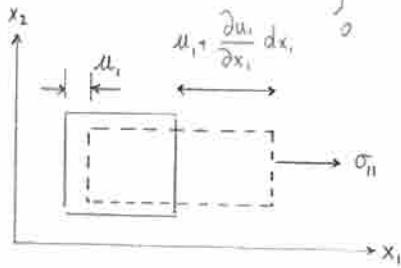
▫ Elastic energy - the " strain energy density "

$U$  = total strain energy  
spring at equilibrium



Work done converted into stored energy :

$$W = U = \int_0^{\delta} F dx = \int_0^{\delta} kx dx = \frac{1}{2} k \delta^2 = U$$



where  $\frac{\Delta u_1}{dx_1}$  is the relative displacement ( equivalent to  $\delta$  )

$$dW = dU = \int_0^{\Delta u_1} \sigma_{11} d \left( \frac{\Delta u_1}{dx_1} \right) dx_2 dx_3 = \int_0^{\Delta u_1} \sigma_{11} d \left( \frac{\Delta u_1}{dx_1} \right) dx_1 dx_2 dx_3$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{\epsilon_{11}} \quad \underbrace{dx_1 dx_2 dx_3}_{dV \text{ volume of element}}$

$$dU = \int \epsilon_{11} E \tilde{\epsilon}_{11} d \tilde{\epsilon}_{11} dV$$

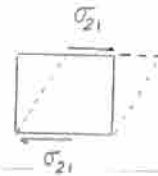
$\rightarrow \tilde{\epsilon}_{11} \text{ dumb variable } \neq \epsilon_{11}$

$$\frac{dU}{dV} = \frac{1}{2} E \epsilon_{11}^2 = U_0$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sigma_{11} \epsilon_{11} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{11}^2}{E}$$

strain energy density

$$U_0 = \sigma_{21} \epsilon_{21} = \frac{\sigma_{21}^2}{2G} = 2G \epsilon_{21}^2$$



• In a pure shear experiment

• More generally in 3D

$$U_0 = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \lambda (\epsilon_{kk})^2 + 2G \epsilon_{kk}^2 + 4G (\epsilon_{12}^2 + \epsilon_{23}^2 + \epsilon_{13}^2) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2E} \sigma_{kk}^2 - \frac{\nu}{E} (\sigma_{11} \sigma_{22} + \sigma_{22} \sigma_{33} + \sigma_{11} \sigma_{33}) + \frac{1}{2G} (\sigma_{12}^2 + \sigma_{23}^2 + \sigma_{13}^2)$$

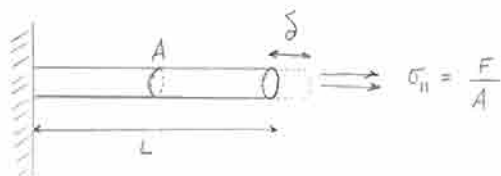
• Scaling ( more useful here )

$$U_0 \sim G \epsilon^2 \quad \text{or} \quad U_0 \sim \frac{\sigma^2}{G}$$

$V_{def}$  : volume over which deformation occurs

Total strain energy  $U = \int_V U_0 dV \approx U_0 V_{def}$

▫ Example : uniform unidirectional extension



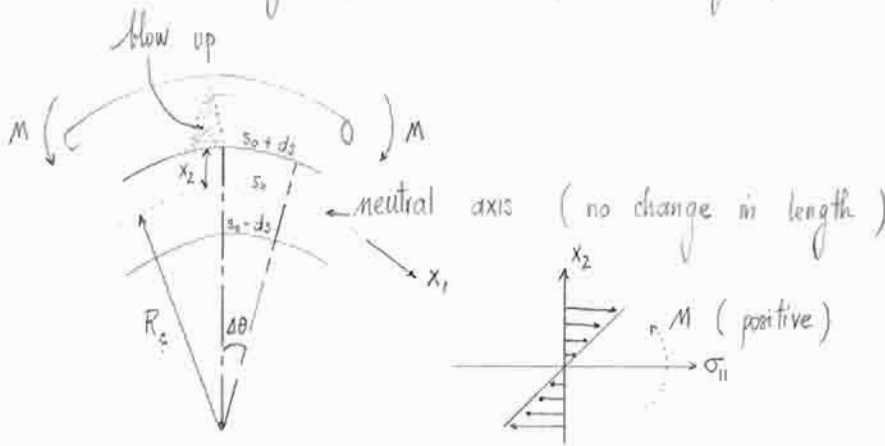
$\sigma_{22} = \sigma_{33} = 0$   
no shear stresses  
hence  $U_0 = \frac{\sigma_{11}^2}{2E}$

$$U = \int_V U_0 dV = AL \frac{\sigma_{11}^2}{2E} = \frac{F^2 L}{2AE}$$

$$\text{Work done} = \frac{1}{2} F \delta = \text{stored elastic energy} = \frac{F^2 L}{2AE}$$

$$\frac{\delta}{L} = \epsilon_{11} = \frac{F}{AE} = \frac{\sigma_{11}}{E} \quad \text{result from constitutive law}$$

▷ Example 2: bending stiffness : uniform bending of a thin rod



$$\epsilon_{11} = \frac{ds}{s_0} = \frac{x_2}{R_c} \quad \text{from}$$

$$\begin{cases} ds + s_0 = (R_c + x_2) d\theta \\ s_0 = R_c d\theta \\ ds = x_2 d\theta \end{cases}$$

$$-M = \int \sigma_{11} x_2 dA$$

$$\sigma_{11} = k x_2 \quad \text{from drawing; hence}$$

$$-M = \int_A k x_2^2 dA = k I$$

$$k = -\frac{M}{I} \quad \leftarrow \text{moment of inertia}$$

$$\sigma_{11} = -\frac{M x_2}{I} \quad \text{and} \quad U = \int_V \frac{\sigma_{11}^2}{2E} dV = \int_V \frac{M^2 x_2^2}{2E I^2} dx_1 dA$$

$$U = \int_0^L \frac{M^2}{2EI} dx_1 = \frac{M^2 L}{2EI}$$

Bending of cantilevered rod (of length L)



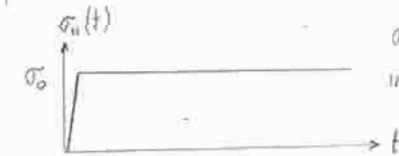
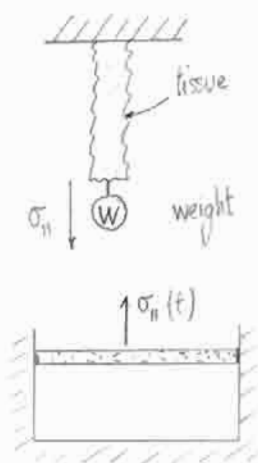
$$\frac{1}{2} M \theta = \frac{M^2 L}{2EI}$$

$$\theta = \frac{L}{R_c} = \frac{ML}{EI}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} k_f \text{ flexural rigidity} \\ k_B \text{ bending stiffness} \end{array} \right\} = EI \quad \text{hence} \quad M = \frac{k_f}{R_c}$$

□ Linear viscoelastic (time-dependent) behavior

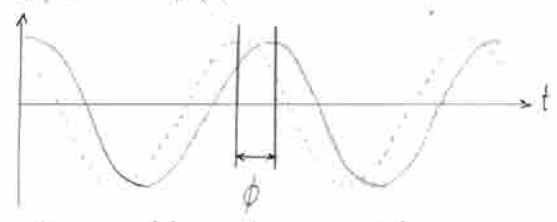
▷ Example experiment



① creep

② stress relaxation

③ Dynamic, oscillatory testing  
 $\epsilon_{11}(t) - \sigma_{11}(t) \dots$



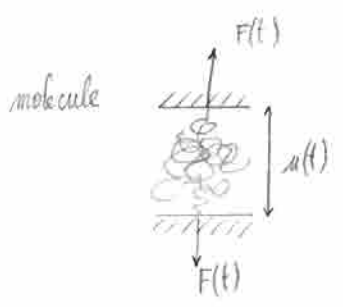
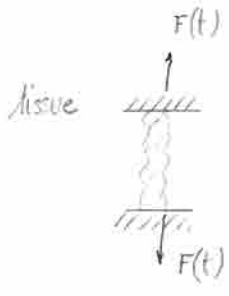
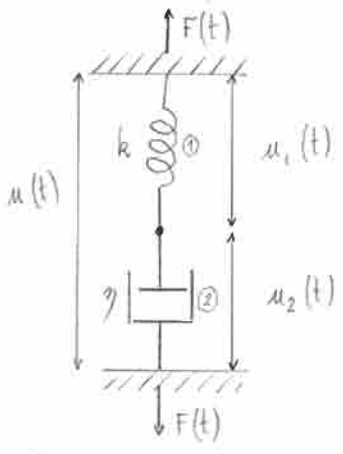
$\epsilon_{11} = \epsilon_0 \cos(\omega t)$  applied

$\sigma_{11} = \text{result}$

stress leads strain by phase  $\phi$

• Lumped parameter models: (representation)

Maxwell model



{ spring of constant  $k$   
dashpot of constant  $\gamma$

origin of viscoelastic behavior

- ability of microstructure to reorient or remodel (active process)
- expulsion of liquid from tissue
- internal viscous interactions

\* analysis of Maxwell's model

spring element



elastic

$F = k u$

dashpot element



viscous

$F = \gamma \frac{du}{dt}$

$$\begin{cases} F_1 = k u_1 \\ F_2 = \gamma \frac{du_2}{dt} \\ F = F_1 = F_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} u = u_1 + u_2 \\ \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{k} \frac{dF}{dt} + \frac{F}{\gamma} \end{cases}$$

$$k \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{dF}{dt} + F \frac{k}{\gamma}$$

Maxwell model

→ stress relaxation: find  $F(t)$  given



$F(t) = A \exp\left(-\frac{t}{\tau_R}\right) + B$

$B = 0$  because  $F \xrightarrow[t \rightarrow +\infty]{} 0$

at  $t = 0^+$   $F = F_0 = k u_0$   
 $\tau_R = \gamma / k$

$$F(t) = k u_0 \exp\left(-\frac{t}{\tau_R}\right)$$

