

# Formulation of a Laminated Shell Theory Incorporating Embedded Distributed Actuators

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## ❖ Shape Memory Alloys

An object in the low-temperature martensitic condition, when plastically deformed and the external stress removed, will regain its original(memory) shape when heated ← martensitic transformation during heating

- Regaining the original shape is associated with a reverse transformation of the deformed martensitic phase to the higher temperature austenite phase
- Nickel – Titanium alloys(Nitinol NiTi) ... Ni(Nickel) – Ti(Titanium)
  - NOL (Naval Ordnance Laboratory)
  - Plastic strains of typically 6~8% may be completely recovered by heating it so as to transform it to its austenite phase
  - Restraining the material can yield stresses of up to 100,000 psi  
(yield strength of martensitic Nitinol = 12,000 psi)

## ❖ Shape Memory Alloy Reinforced Composite

## ❖ Active Control Concepts

" Active Model Modification "

" Active Strain Energy Tuning "

## ❖ Behavior of Shape Memory Alloy Fibers

- total strain  $\varepsilon_a$  = initial plastic strain  $\varepsilon_0$  + induced global strain  $\varepsilon$

- resulting stress in the SMA fibers  $\sigma_a = f(T, \varepsilon_0)$

Nonlinear function(activation temperature initial plastic strain)

- quasi-linear expression relating the actuator stress and strain

$$\sigma_a = E_a^* \varepsilon + \sigma_r^* \quad (3)$$

$$\text{where } \sigma_a = E_a^* = E(T) , \quad \sigma_r^* = \sigma_r(T, \varepsilon_0 + \varepsilon) \quad (4) \sim (5)$$

"recovery stress"

\* : variables that are activation temperature dependent and typically highly nonlinear

- Rewriting Eq.(3) to solve for the resulting elastic strain in the actuator

$$\varepsilon = \frac{\sigma_a}{E_a^*} - \frac{\sigma_r^*}{E_a^*} \quad (6)$$

- since  $\sigma_r^*$  is a function of strain  $(\varepsilon_0 + \varepsilon)$ , an iterative method must be used to solve for the strain  $\varepsilon$

$$\varepsilon_t = \frac{\sigma_a}{E_a^*} - \frac{\sigma_r^*(t, \varepsilon_{t-\Delta t})}{E_a^*} \quad (7)$$

- 2-D transversely isotropic lamina relationship in the principal coordinates

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \sigma_3 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{11} & Q_{12} & 0 \\ Q_{12} & Q_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & Q_{66} \end{bmatrix}^* \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \varepsilon_2 \\ \varepsilon_3 \end{Bmatrix} - \begin{Bmatrix} \nu_a \sigma_2^* \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} \quad (8)$$

- in the general coordinate

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x^* \\ \sigma_y^* \\ \sigma_{xy}^* \end{Bmatrix} = [T]^{-1} \begin{Bmatrix} v_a \sigma_r^* \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c^2 & v_a & \sigma_r \\ s^2 & v_a & \sigma_r \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x \\ \sigma_y \\ \sigma_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} = [C]^* \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_x \\ \varepsilon_y \\ \varepsilon_{xy} \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_x^* \\ \sigma_y^* \\ \sigma_{xy}^* \end{Bmatrix} \quad (10)$$

... stress-strain relationship for the single layer, or lamina, of

- SMA reinforced composite

## ❖ Theory of Multi-layered thin orthotropic SMA Shell

### - Assumptions

- i) Shell has a thickness considerably less than either of the other two dimensions
- ii) A line originally normal to the shell reference will remain normal to the deformed reference surface
- iii) deflections are assumed to be small
- iv) SMA composite shell is composed of a number of thin, orthotropic laminate.  
the radius of curvature,  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  are much greater than the thickness of each layer. i.e.  $R_j \gg \delta_j$
- v) strain in the shell are smaller than the initial plastic strains of SMA

### - Shell coordinates

- Middle surface of the shell → third coordinate direction
- in this surface, an orthogonal curvilinear coordinate system  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$  is established and which coincides with the orthogonal lines of the principal curvature of the surface

- Shell coordinates(cont')

- thickness direction  $\rightarrow$  third coordinate direction
- position vector to an arbitrary point within the shell

$$\vec{R}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, z) = \vec{r}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) + z\vec{n}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2) \quad (12)$$

$\vec{r}$  : Position vector to a point on the reference surface

$\vec{n}$  : unit vector normal to the reference surface

$z$  : coordinate measure from the reference surface, through the thickness along  $\vec{n}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$

- Lamé's constants

$$A_1^2 = \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial \alpha_1} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial \alpha_1} \qquad A_2^2 = \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial \alpha_2} \cdot \frac{\partial \vec{r}}{\partial \alpha_2} \quad (13) \sim (14)$$

- Shell coordinates(cont')

- Magnitude of a differential length element

$$\begin{aligned}(ds)^2 &= d\vec{R} \cdot d\vec{R} = (d\vec{r} + zd\vec{n} + dz\vec{n}) \cdot (d\vec{r} + zd\vec{n} + dz\vec{n}) \\ &= A_1^2 \left(1 + \frac{z}{R_1}\right)^2 (d\alpha_1)^2 + A_2^2 \left(1 + \frac{z}{R_1}\right)^2 (d\alpha_2)^2 + (dz)^2\end{aligned}\quad (15)$$

- If a shell element of thickness  $dz$  at an altitude  $z$  from the middle surface is isolated, the length : of the edge, of the element

$$ds_1(z) = A_1 \left(1 + \frac{z}{R_1}\right) (d\alpha_1) \quad (16) \sim (17)$$

$$ds_2(z) = A_2 \left(1 + \frac{z}{R_2}\right) (d\alpha_2)$$

- corresponding area elements of the forces

$$d\Sigma_1(z) = A_1 \left(1 + \frac{z}{R_2}\right) (d\alpha_1) (dz) \quad (18) \sim (19)$$

$$d\Sigma_2(z) = A_2 \left(1 + \frac{z}{R_2}\right) (d\alpha_2) (dz)$$



- Constitutive Relation in Shell Coordinates

· Eq.(10) : stress – strain relation in cartesian coordinate system

→ orthogonal curvilinear coordinates,  $(\alpha_1, \alpha_2)$

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_{\alpha_{11}} \\ \sigma_{\alpha_{22}} \\ \sigma_{\alpha_{12}} \end{Bmatrix} = [C]^* \begin{Bmatrix} \varepsilon_{\alpha_{11}} \\ \varepsilon_{\alpha_{22}} \\ \varepsilon_{\alpha_{12}} \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{Bmatrix} \sigma_{\alpha_{11}} \\ \sigma_{\alpha_{22}} \\ \sigma_{\alpha_{12}} \end{Bmatrix}^* \quad (20)$$

- Strain – displacement Relations

· displacement vector in the shell coordinate system

$$\vec{u}(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, z) = v_1(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, z)\vec{t}_1 + v_2(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, z)\vec{t}_2 + w_2(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, z)\vec{n} \quad (21)$$

$v_1, v_2$  : magnitude of the projections on the unit tangent vector of the displacement of a point P

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## - Strain – displacement Relations(cont')

- normal and shearing strain component in an orthogonal curvilinear system

$$\varepsilon_{a_{ii}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha_i} \left( \frac{v_i}{\sqrt{g_i}} \right) + \frac{1}{2g_i} \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{\partial g_i}{g \alpha_k} \frac{U_k}{\sqrt{g_k}} \quad (22)$$

$$\varepsilon_{a_{ij}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{g_i g_j}} \left[ g_i \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha_j} \left( \frac{v_i}{\sqrt{g_i}} \right) + g_j \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha_i} \left( \frac{v_j}{\sqrt{g_j}} \right) \right] \quad (23)$$

- Entities are correspondent to the quantities in the shell theory

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1 = \alpha_1, \alpha_2 = \alpha_2, \alpha_3 = z, U_1 = U_1, U_2 = U_2, U_3 = W \\ g_1 = A_1^2 \left( 1 + \frac{z}{R_1} \right)^2, g_2 = A_2^2 \left( 1 + \frac{z}{R_2} \right)^2, g_3 = 1 \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

→ Exact strain-displacement relationship (25) within the framework of infinitesimal elasticity