CHAPTER 7. Thermal Stresses and Deformation

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Will look at

- free expansion of a ply
- constraint and thermal stress
- rotation of plies
- laminate and effective properties
- stresses and deformation

Consider a body changing temperature



$$\varepsilon = \alpha \Delta T = \alpha (\mathrm{T} - \mathrm{T}_0)$$

coefficient of thermal ref. temperature expansion, *CTE*



Fiber : Anisotropic CTE

$$\alpha_L \simeq -.5 \mu \varepsilon / {}^o F$$

 α_T small positive $\simeq 2 \sim 3\mu\varepsilon / {}^oF$

Matrix isotropic



- $\alpha \simeq 20$ to $30 \mu \varepsilon / {}^o F$
- ply? Did micromechanics → ply equivalent properties

Also microstresses between fiber and matrix some will ignore these here

Ply Properties (G_r / E_p material)

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$$\alpha_L \simeq -1.0$$
 to $+5\mu\varepsilon/{}^oF$
 $\alpha_T \simeq 16\mu\varepsilon/{}^oF$

Consider In-plane Thermal strains

$$\begin{split} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^{T} &= \boldsymbol{\alpha} \, \Delta T \\ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^{T} &= \begin{cases} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{1} \\ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{2} \\ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{6} \end{cases} \qquad \qquad \boldsymbol{\alpha} = \begin{cases} \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{L} \\ \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{T} \\ \boldsymbol{0} \end{cases} \end{split}$$

No stress!!

$$\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{E}^{M} + \mathcal{E}^{T}$$
total strain mechanical thermal
"real" $\simeq \frac{\Delta l}{l}$

$$\mathcal{E}^{M} = \mathcal{E} \mathcal{G} \text{ mechanical stress- strain}$$

$$\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{E} \mathcal{G} + \mathcal{E}^{T} = \mathcal{E} \mathcal{G} + \alpha \Delta T$$

or $\underline{\sigma} = \underline{Q} \{ \underline{\varepsilon} - \underline{\alpha} \Delta T \}$

[Thermoelastic stress –strain laminate]

What if constrained ?



$$\varepsilon = 0 = \varsigma \, \sigma + \alpha \, \Delta T$$
$$\varsigma \, \sigma = -\alpha \, \Delta T$$
$$\sigma = -Q \, \alpha \, \Delta T$$

In 1-Dim, $\overline{\sigma}_x = -E\alpha \Delta T$ The $\underline{\sigma}$ obtained is called "Thermal Stress" Actually, this is a mis-usage of the terminology. Thermal strain O.K

Thermal stresses caused by mechanical forces due to constraints, Also one defines "equivalent thermal stress"

$$\underline{\sigma}^{T} = +\underline{Q} \,\underline{\alpha} \,\Delta T$$

This is a fictitious but is computationally useful.

$$\overline{\sigma} = \sigma^{m} + \sigma^{T} \qquad I$$

$$\varepsilon = S \sigma^{m} = S \sigma^{m} + S Q \alpha \Delta T$$

[^]Allows one to use old constitutive law with "fictitious" thermal stress

Ply at Arbitrary Angle **



$$\overline{\underline{\varepsilon}} = T_{\varepsilon}^{-1} \underbrace{\underline{\varepsilon}}_{(\text{lamin})} \quad \text{(strain transformation})$$

$$\overline{\underline{\alpha}} \underbrace{\Delta} f = T_{\varepsilon}^{-1} \underbrace{\alpha} \underbrace{\Delta} f \\ \overline{\underline{\alpha}} = T_{\varepsilon}^{-1} \underbrace{\alpha}_{\varepsilon} \quad \text{(TE in laminate axes)}$$

where, $T_{c}^{-1} = T_{\sigma}^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} c^{2} & s^{2} & -cs \\ s^{2} & c^{2} & cs \\ 2cs & -2cs & (c^{2} - s^{2}) \end{bmatrix}$

In general,

 $\overline{\alpha} = \begin{cases} \alpha_x \\ \alpha_y \\ \alpha_{xy} \end{cases}$

Can get shear



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Laminate Thermal Properties

Have for a single ply

$$\varepsilon = \varepsilon^{m} + \varepsilon^{T} = S \sigma + \alpha \Delta T \quad \text{(ply words)}$$
$$\overline{\varepsilon} = \varepsilon^{0} + \kappa z = \overline{S} \overline{\sigma} + \overline{\alpha} \Delta T \quad \text{(laminate coordinate)}$$

For laminate, want force and moment resultants,

$$N_{\tilde{z}} = \int \overline{\overline{\mathcal{Q}}} dz$$
 , $M_{\tilde{z}} = \int \overline{\overline{\mathcal{Q}}} z dz$

Rewriting stress-strain, get

$$\overline{\overline{g}} = \overline{\overline{Q}}(\underline{\varepsilon}^{0} + \underline{\kappa} \, z - \overline{\overline{\alpha}} \, \Delta T)$$

$$\underline{N} = \int \overline{\overline{g}} \, dz = (\underbrace{\int \overline{\overline{Q}} \, dz}_{A}) \underline{\varepsilon}^{0} + (\underbrace{\int \overline{\overline{Q}} z \, dz}_{B}) \underline{\kappa} - \underbrace{\int \overline{\overline{Q}} \, \overline{\overline{\alpha}} \, \Delta T \, dz}_{N^{T}}$$

Last is what we call "Thermal Force"

$$\begin{split} \tilde{N}^{T} = \int \overline{Q} \, \overline{a} \, \Delta T dz \ \begin{pmatrix} fake \ useful \ quantity \end{pmatrix} \end{split}$$

 N^{T} is not a physical load , it is a convenience



 N^{T} is mechanical load necessary to provide same deformation in laminate as ΔT with no N.

For "thermal stresses"

$$\overline{\overline{q}} = \overline{Q}(\underline{\varepsilon}^0 + \underline{\kappa}z - \overline{q}\Delta T)$$
$$\underline{N} = \int \overline{\overline{q}} dz = \underline{A}\underline{\varepsilon}^0 + \underline{B}\underline{\kappa} - N^T$$

Likewise,

$$M = \int \overline{\overline{\sigma}} z dz = B \varepsilon^{0} + D \kappa - \int \underbrace{\overline{Q}}_{z} \overline{\overline{\alpha}} \Delta T z dz$$

Combining,

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{N} + \tilde{N}^T \\ \tilde{M} + \tilde{M}^T \end{cases} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{A} & \tilde{B} \\ \tilde{B} & \tilde{D} \end{bmatrix} \begin{cases} \tilde{\varepsilon}^0 \\ \tilde{\kappa} \end{cases}$$

or

$\int \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^0 \Big]$	[a	$b \\ \tilde{z}$	$\int N + N^T$
$\int \kappa \int $	Lb2	d	$\left[M + M^T \right]$

If laminate is unloaded – free thermal deformation



One step up from single ply case Plies may have stresses, but N = M = 0

$$\begin{cases} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^{0} \\ \boldsymbol{\kappa} \end{cases} = \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{a} & \boldsymbol{b} \\ \boldsymbol{b}^{T} & \boldsymbol{d} \end{bmatrix} \begin{cases} \boldsymbol{N}^{T} \\ \boldsymbol{M}^{T} \end{cases}$$

If ΔT constant with z

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{cases} \int \overline{Q} \, \overline{a} \, dz \\ \int \overline{Q} \, \overline{a} \, z \, dz \end{cases} \Delta T$$

In symmetric case, $b = 0, M^T = 0$

single ply case $\rightarrow \tilde{\varepsilon}^0 = \bar{\alpha} \Delta T$

This is stiffness – weighted rotated average CTE of each ply - order doesn`t matter. (like $\frac{A}{2}$)

NOTE

$$\alpha_L = -.5$$
 $\alpha_T = 16 \,\mu\varepsilon \,/\,^o F$

 $\theta_{11} = 20$
 $\theta_{22} = 1.4$
(AS 4 / 3501 - 6)

Can play off α and ply angle θ to get zero CTE`S $E_L >> E_T$ helps. (scissor`s effect with θ)

Bending

If ΔT constant and laminate symmetric

$$M_{\tilde{z}}^{T} = \int \bar{Q}_{\tilde{z}} \bar{\alpha} \Delta T z dz \quad \rightarrow \text{ no bending}$$

If ΔT gradient and laminate symmetric, $M^T \neq 0$ laminate bends / twists If laminate unsymmetric, b and $M^T \neq 0$, laminate bends / twists. (some exceptions) Note on ΔT

$$\Delta T=T-T_0$$
 , What is T_0 ?

An experiment – $[0/90]_T$





T_o: usually the cure temperature

NOTE : To calculate N^T and M^T for $\Delta T = \text{const.}$

$$\tilde{N}^{T} = \int \overline{Q} \,\overline{\alpha} \,\Delta T dz = \Delta T \sum_{k=1}^{k} \overline{Q}^{k} \,\overline{\alpha}^{k} (z_{uk} - z_{lk})$$
$$\tilde{M}^{T} = \int \overline{Q} \,\overline{\alpha} \,\Delta T z dz = \Delta T \,\frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{k} \overline{Q}^{k} \,\overline{\alpha}^{k} (z_{uk}^{2} - z_{lk}^{2})$$

Same as A, B, D matrices Always use z_{k-1} and AB for each ply, rather than z_k and z_{lk}

> (<mark>confusing, z direction</mark>) (Signs, Jones book)

Thermal stresses in Plies

Have

$$\begin{cases} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^{0} \\ \boldsymbol{\kappa} \end{cases} = \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{a} & \boldsymbol{b} \\ \boldsymbol{b}^{T} & \boldsymbol{d} \end{bmatrix} \begin{cases} \boldsymbol{N} + \boldsymbol{N}^{T} \\ \boldsymbol{M} + \boldsymbol{M}^{T} \end{cases}$$

What happens at ply level? Total strains are just

$$\overline{arepsilon} = arepsilon^0 + z \kappa$$
 (Laminate coordinate)

Just transform to get ply coordinate

$$\underbrace{\varepsilon}_{\varepsilon} = \underbrace{T}_{\varepsilon} \underbrace{\overline{\varepsilon}}_{\varepsilon}$$
 (ply coordinate)

Mechanical strain (these cause stress in material)

 $\sigma = T_{\sigma} \overline{\sigma}$

$$\overline{\underline{\varepsilon}}^{m} = \overline{\underline{\varepsilon}} - \overline{\underline{\alpha}} \Delta T$$

total therma

What are stresses? Recall,

$$\overline{\underline{\sigma}} = \overline{\underline{Q}} \overline{\underline{\varepsilon}}^m = \overline{\underline{Q}} \{ \overline{\underline{\varepsilon}} - \overline{\underline{\alpha}} \Delta T \}$$

(Laminate coordinate)

Also,

(ply coordinate)

Example $\rightarrow [0/90]_s$ T300/934 material

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 20.1 & .4 & 0 \\ .4 & 1.4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Msi,} \quad \alpha = \begin{bmatrix} +.05 \\ 16.0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \mu \varepsilon / {}^{\circ}F$$

$$T_0 = 350^{\circ}F$$
 (stress – free)
 $T = 70^{\circ}F$

$$\Delta T = -280^{\,o}F$$

Laminate coordinates

$$\overline{Q} = \overline{T}_{\varepsilon}^{T} Q \overline{T}_{\varepsilon} \quad \text{(as before)}$$

$$\overline{\alpha} = \overline{T}_{\varepsilon}^{-1} \alpha = \begin{bmatrix} c^{2} & s^{2} & -cs \\ s^{2} & c^{2} & cs \\ 2cs & -2cs & (c^{2} - s^{2}) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{1} \\ \alpha_{2} \\ \alpha_{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\overline{n} = \overline{Q} \alpha = \begin{bmatrix} n_{x} \\ n_{y} \\ n_{xy} \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$N_{\tilde{z}}^{T} = \int \overline{Q} \, \overline{Q} \, \overline{Q} \, \Delta T dz = \Delta T \sum \overline{n}^{k} (z_{uk} - z_{lk})$$

$$M^{T} = \int \overline{Q} \,\overline{a} \,\Delta T z dz = \Delta T \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^{k} \overline{n}^{k} (z_{uk}^{2} - z_{lk}^{2})$$

(for symmetric laminate, $M^T = 0$)

For 0° ply,

$$\overline{\alpha} = \begin{cases} c^{2}\alpha_{1} + s^{2}\alpha_{2} \\ s^{2}\alpha_{1} + c^{2}\alpha_{2} \\ 2cs(\alpha_{1} - \alpha_{2}) \end{cases} = \begin{cases} +.05 \\ 16.0 \\ 0 \end{cases} \quad \mu\varepsilon / {}^{o}F$$

$$\overline{n} = \begin{cases} 20.1 \quad .4 \quad 0 \\ .4 \quad 1.4 \quad 0 \\ 0 \quad 0 \quad .7 \end{cases} \begin{cases} +.05 \\ 16.0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 7.41 \\ 22.4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{cases} lbs / in^{2} {}^{\circ}F$$

$$\times 10^{6} \times 10^{6}$$





 90° .005 0 .005 22.4 7.41 0

Sym.

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$$\tilde{N}^{T} = \begin{cases} N_{x}^{T} \\ N_{y}^{T} \\ N_{xy}^{T} \end{cases} = \Delta T \sum_{k}^{k} \overline{n}^{k} (z_{uk} - z_{lk}) = (-280) \begin{cases} .298 \\ .298 \\ 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} -84 \\ -84 \\ 0 \end{cases} lbs / in$$

$$\begin{split} \boldsymbol{\tilde{M}}^{T} &= \begin{cases} \boldsymbol{M}_{x}^{T} \\ \boldsymbol{M}_{y}^{T} \\ \boldsymbol{M}_{xy}^{T} \end{cases} = \Delta T \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k}^{k} \boldsymbol{\tilde{m}}^{k} (\boldsymbol{z}_{uk}^{2} - \boldsymbol{z}_{lk}^{2}) = 0 \quad \text{(symmetric)} \end{split}$$

$$\tilde{A} = \begin{bmatrix} .215 & .0082 & 0 \\ .0082 & .215 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .014 \end{bmatrix} \times 10^6$$

$$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^{0} = \boldsymbol{\alpha} \boldsymbol{\tilde{N}}^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 4.65 & -.177 & 0\\ -.177 & 4.65 & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 71.4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -84\\ -84\\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \times 10^{6} = \begin{bmatrix} -377\\ -377\\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{\mu} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$$

$$\overline{\boldsymbol{\alpha}}_{\text{average}} = a \int \overline{\boldsymbol{Q}} \, \overline{\boldsymbol{\alpha}} \, dz = \varepsilon^{\circ} / \Delta T = \begin{cases} 1.3 \\ 1.3 \\ 0 \end{cases} \mu \varepsilon / {}^{o} F$$

0°Ply

$$\underline{\varepsilon}^{m} = \underline{\varepsilon}^{0} - \overline{\underline{\alpha}} \Delta T = \begin{cases} -377 \\ -377 \\ 0 \end{cases} - \begin{cases} 0.5 \\ 16 \\ 0 \end{cases} (-280) = \begin{cases} -363 \\ 4103 \\ 0 \end{cases} \mu \varepsilon$$

$$\overline{\overline{\sigma}} = \overline{Q} \, \varepsilon^{m} = \begin{bmatrix} 20.1 & .4 & 0 \\ .4 & 1.4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & .7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -363 \\ -4103 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5600 \\ +5600 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \, \ell bs \, / \, in^{2} \\ \times 10^{6} \times 10^{-6}$$

Similarly obtain 90° Ply

In ply coordinate, $\underline{\sigma}^{\circ} = \underline{T}_{\sigma} \overline{\underline{\sigma}}^{\circ} = \overline{\underline{\sigma}}^{\circ}$ $\begin{cases} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \sigma_6 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} -5.6 \\ +5.6 \\ 0 \end{cases} Ksi$

Recall allowables,

$$\sigma_1 \quad \sigma_2 \quad \sigma_6 \\ +190 \quad +6 \\ -160 \quad -25 \quad +10$$

Residual stresses close to allowable Y_t here. In progressive failure analysis , should include this

$$\tilde{N}^{ToT} = \lambda \tilde{N}^0 + \tilde{N}^T$$
 Include this

A little complicates See Jones Sec.4 failure with ΔT

summary

Thermal strains $\alpha \Delta T$ cause residual stresses due to cool down,

 $\Delta T = -280 \ ^{\circ}F$ For symmetric laminates, $\kappa = 0 \rightarrow$ no accompanying warping

For unsymmetric laminate, $\kappa \neq 0 \rightarrow$

Warping
$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{K}_{x}, \, \mathcal{K}_{y} = \text{bending} \\ \mathcal{K}_{xy} = \text{twisting} \\ = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \\ = \mathbf{x} \end{cases}$$

One unsymmetric laminate that doesn`t warp

 $[\theta / (\theta - 90)_2 / \theta]_A$ *i.e.*) $[\theta / (\theta - 90)_2 / \theta / -\theta / -(\theta - 90)_2 / -\theta]_t$ (Also give extension-twist coupling)

Moisture

See Tsai and Hahn, Chap. 8 Matrix absorbs water, and swells By micromechanics, can calculate ply swelling (also have microstresses, ignore here) Hydro $\mathcal{E}^{h} = \beta \Delta M$ — Moisture change = weight of moisture/dry weight CME : Coefficient of Moisture Expansion

 $\Delta M = M - M_0$ $M_0 = 0$ Dry condition

Careful : ΔM sometimes expressed as percent (factor of 100)

 $\Delta M \cong .5$ to 2% typical

$$\beta = \begin{cases} 45\\5500\\0 \end{cases} \mu \varepsilon / \% \quad \text{For T300/934} \ , \alpha = \begin{cases} .05\\16\\0 \end{cases} \mu \varepsilon / °F$$



Note: typically,
$$\Delta T \simeq -280$$
, $\Delta M = 1\%$
 $\varepsilon^{T} + \varepsilon^{h} = \alpha \Delta T + \beta \Delta T$
 $= \begin{cases} -14 \\ -4480 \\ 0 \end{cases} + \begin{cases} 45 \\ 5500 \\ 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 31 \\ 1.020 \\ 0 \end{cases} \mu \varepsilon$

Moisture partly cancels some of strains. Fortunate Relaxes Stresses. CLPT works exactly same as before.

$$N^{h} = \int \overline{Q} \ \overline{\beta} \ \Delta M \ z \ dz$$
$$M^{h} = \int \overline{Q} \ \overline{\beta} \ \Delta M \ z \ dz$$
Where,
$$\overline{\beta} = T_{\varepsilon}^{-1} \ \beta$$
$$for tated \beta$$
$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon^{0} \\ c \end{cases} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b^{T} & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{cases} N + N^{T} + N^{h} \\ M + M^{T} + M^{h} \end{cases}$$
$$\overline{\sigma} = \overline{Q} (\varepsilon^{0} + z\kappa - \overline{\alpha}\Delta T - \overline{\beta}\Delta M)$$
$$D_{0} \ \text{CLPT as before} \end{cases}$$

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Moisture Absorption

Define $m = \frac{mass \ of \ water}{mass \ of \ dry \ material}$ $M = m \times 100(\%)$ $\overline{m} = average \ through \ specimen$ Can measure

Fick`s Diffusion

$$q^{H} = -D\frac{\partial m}{\partial x} (or \ generally, \ q_{i}^{H} = -D_{ij}\frac{\partial M}{\partial x_{ij}})$$
$$\frac{\partial m}{\partial t} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial x}q^{H} = D_{ij}\frac{\partial^{2}m}{\partial x_{j}^{2}} \qquad (3-Dim.)$$
$$\frac{\partial m}{\partial t} = D\frac{\partial^{2}m}{\partial z^{2}} \qquad (1-Dim.)$$

(like heat conduction)

D: diffusion constant = K^H generally, $D = D_0 e^{-C/T}$ T 300/1034 $\rightarrow D_0 = 2.28 \ mm^2 \ / \ sec$ $C = 5554^{-0} K$

Moisture can affect cracks, cyclic effects, edge effects. Equilibrium moisture content is, M_{∞} Typically $m_{\infty} = m_{\infty} \circ \phi$ in air property of material Ref. Humidity

 $m_{\infty} = m_{\infty w}$ in water $\neq 100^{\circ} RH$ air

The m_{∞} is usually the B.C, Differential Equation $\frac{\partial m}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 m}{\partial z^2}$ B.C : z=0 , $h \rightarrow m = m_{\infty}$ Initial condition : $t=0 \rightarrow m = m_0$

Solution

$$m^* = \frac{m - m_0}{m_\infty - m_0} = 1 - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2j+1} \sin \frac{(2j+1)nz}{n} e^{-\frac{(2j+1)^2 n^2}{n^2} Dt}$$

- h



Similar to heat conduction But very long times (×10⁵)

Also interested in average moisture in specimen

 $\overline{m} = \frac{1}{h} \int_0^h m \, dz \, \leftarrow \text{can measure}$ can then show

$$G = \frac{\overline{m} - m_0}{m_\infty - m_0} = 1 - \frac{8}{\pi^2} \sum \frac{1}{(2 \text{ j} + 1)^2} e^{-\frac{(2 \text{ j} + 1)^2 \pi^2}{n^2} Dt}$$

A single approximation to above is

$$G \simeq 1 - e^{-7.3 \left(\frac{Dt}{n^2}\right)^{.75}}$$

Time t_p to reach 95% final value

$$e^{-7.3(Dt/n^2)^{.75}} = .05$$

or $7.3 \left(\frac{Dt}{n^2}\right)^{.75} = 3$
 $t_p = \left(\frac{3}{7.3}\right)^{1.93} \frac{h^2}{D} \approx .3 \frac{h^2}{D}$

Some formulas apply to heat conduction with appropriate constants In addition to swelling, moisture causes deterioration of material properties.

See Tsai, " Composite Design" 4th Ed. 1988 Chap. 16, 17

summary

- Moisture tends to relieve residual thermal stresses obtained from cure (some moisture better than dry)
- 2. Similarly can do other strains. e.g. \rightarrow piezoelectric

 $\rightarrow \varepsilon^{P} = d_{T} \Delta V$ voltage Coefficient of piezo expansion

Then
$$\varepsilon^{M} = \varepsilon^{0} + \kappa z - (\alpha \Delta T + \beta \Delta M + d_{T} \Delta V)$$

mechanical strain strain

For computing convenience, can sometimes combine

$$\alpha \,\Delta T + \beta \Delta M + d_T \Delta V \to \alpha_{equivalent} \Delta T_{Eq}$$

And do analysis with Equivalent $\alpha_{Eq}\Delta T_{Eq}$