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Chapter 7. Sheet-Metal Forming Processes

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Sheet-Metal Characteristics



- Press working / stamping / shearing
 - Forming of sheet metals generally is carried out by tensile forces in the plane of the sheet.
 - Application of compressive forces could lead to buckling, folding, and wrinkling of the sheet.
 - Mechanics of all sheet forming basically consists of the processes of stretching and bending.
 - Factors influencing the operation.
 - : elongation, yield-point elongation, anisotropy, grain size, residual stresses, springback, and wrinkling.

Elongation (연신율)



High uniform elongation is desirable for good formability. (large n, m)

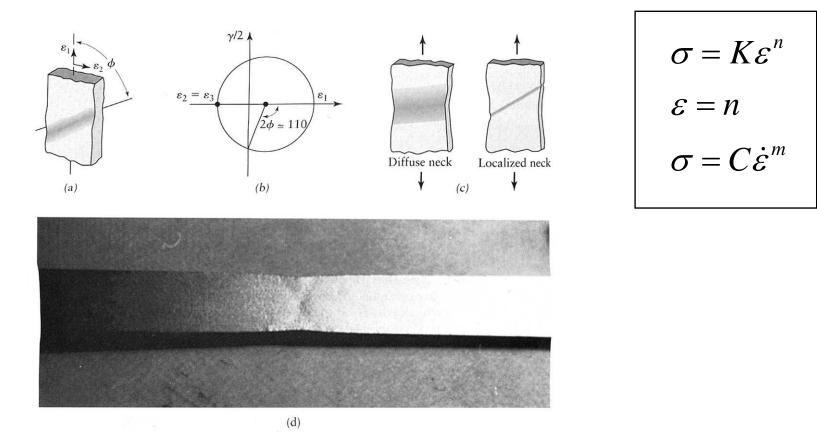


FIGURE 7.1 (a) Localized necking in a sheet specimen under tension. (b) Determination of the angle of neck from the Moln's circle for strain. (c) Schematic illustrations for diffuse and localized necking. (d) Localized necking in an aluminum strip stretched in tension. Note the double neck.

Yield Point Elongation (항복점 신장)

- Low-carbon steels exhibit yield-point elongation.
- Lueder's bands(stretcher strain marks, 신장변형마크)

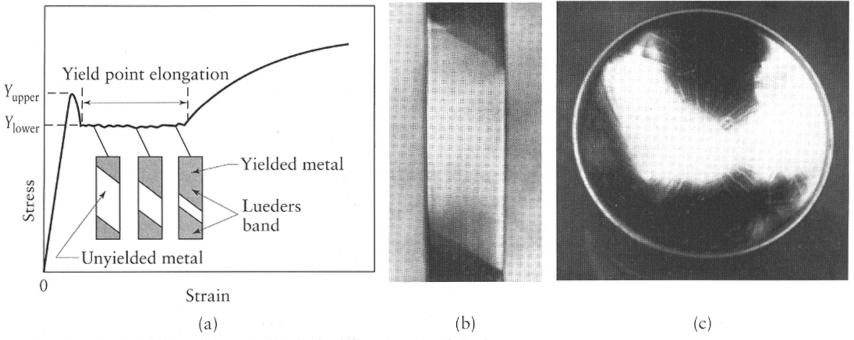


FIGURE 7.2 (a) Yield point elongation and Lueders bands in tension testing. (b) Lueder's bands in annealed low-carbon steel sheet. (c) Stretcher strains at the bottom of a steel can for household products. *Source*: (b) Reprinted Courtesy of Caterpillar Inc.

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Anisotropy (이방성) / Grain size (결정립 크기) / Residual stresses (잔류응력) / Springback (스프링백) / Wrinkling (주름)

- Anisotropy
 - Acquired during thermo mechanical-processing history.
 - Crystallographic anisotropy(결정립의 방향성)
 - Mechanical fibering(기계적 섬유화): alignment of impurities(불순물), inclusions(개재물) and voids(공극)
- Coarse grain(조대 결정립) → orange peel
 - The temperature of residual stresses relieving is lowered to reduce the energy which enlarges the grain.

Residual stresses

- Tensile residual stresses on surfaces
 → stress-corrosion cracking(응력-부식 균열)
- Springback : high bend radius-to-thickness ratio.
- Wrinkling : occurs where the compressive stresses are developed.

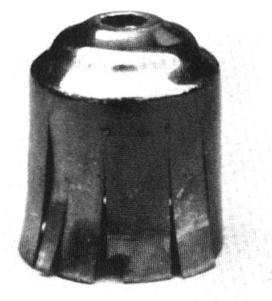


FIGURE 7.3 Stresscorrosion cracking in a deepdrawn brass part for a light fixture. The cracks developed over a period of time. Brass and austenitic (300 series) stainless steels are among metals that are susceptible to stresscorrosion cracking.

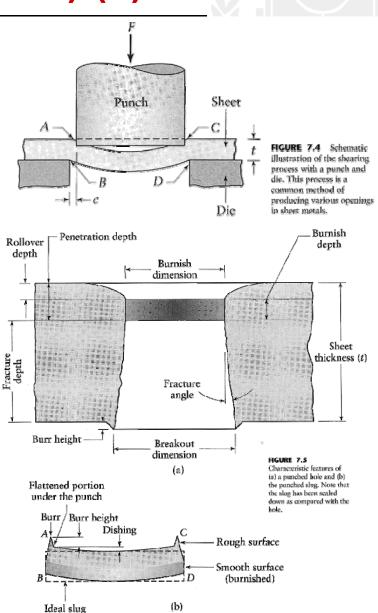
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Shearing Process (전단작업) (1)

- The shearing process involves cutting sheet metal by subjecting it to shear stresses, usually between a punch and a die.
- Shearing process variables
 - : Punch force, punch speed, edge condition of the sheet, lubrication, corner radii of the punch and die, and clearance between the punch and die.
 - (6~10% of the sheet thickness : for big sheets)

(2~8% of the sheet thickness : for general sheets)

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Shearing Process (전단작업) (2)

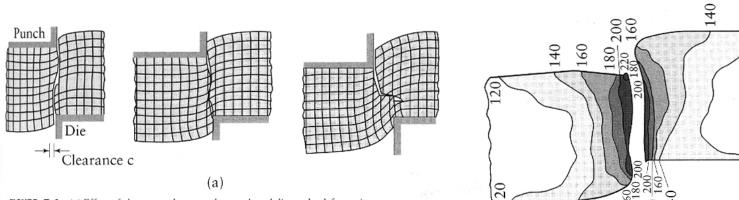
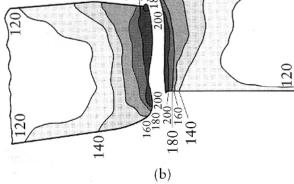


FIGURE 7.6 (a) Effect of clearance *c* between the punch and die on the deformation zone in shearing. As clearance increases, the material tends to be pulled into the die, rather than being sheared. In practice, clearances usually range between 2% and 10% of the thickness of the sheet. (b) Microhardness (HV) contours for a 6.4-mm (0.25-in.) thick AISI 1020 hotrolled steel in the sheared region. Source: After H. P. Weaver and K. J. Weinmann.



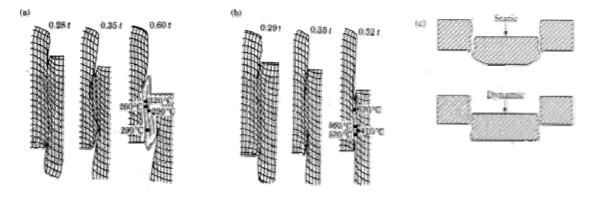
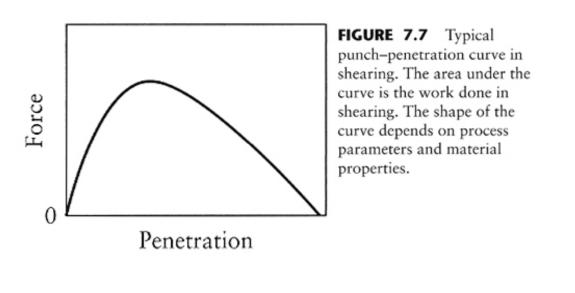


FIGURE 7.7 Deformation and temperature rise in the shearing zone. The temperature was measured by thermocouples. Punching at (a) slow speed and (b) high speed. Note that the deformation is confined to a narrow zone in high-speed shearing and that the temperature is higher than in slow-speed shearing. Source: After N. Yanagihara, H. Saito, and T. Nakagawa. Numbers above the figures indicate punch penetration. (c) Fracture zone in shearing with static and dynamic loading.

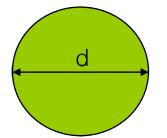
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$$F_{\text{max}} = 0.7(UTS)(t)(L)$$
 L: total length of the sheared edge(전단면의 총 길이)



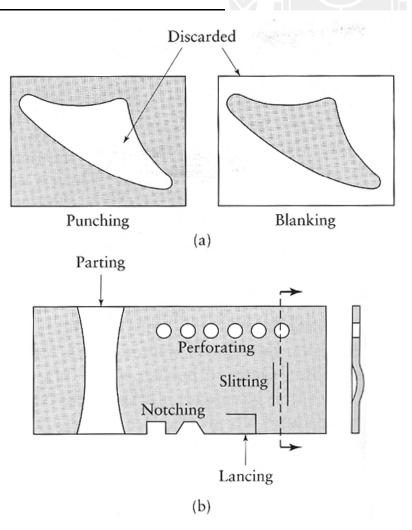
Example – calculation of max. punch force
 : d=1in., t=1/8in., annealed titanium-alloy(Ti-6AI-4V)

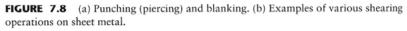
$$P = 0.7(1/8)(\pi)(140,000) = 38,500lb$$
$$= 19.25tons = 0.17MN$$

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Shearing Operations (전단공정)

- Punching(천공)
 - sheared slug is discarded.
- Blanking(블랭킹)
 - slug is the part itself, and the rest is scrap.
- Die cutting
 - Perforation(연속천공)
 - Parting(분리)
 - Notching(노칭)
 - Lancing(랜싱)
- Fine blanking
 - Very smooth and square edges can be produced.
 - Clearance on the order of 1% of the sheet thickness.
- Slitting(분단) : similar to can opener
- Steel rules(강척다이)
- Nibbling(니블링)





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Blanking (블랭킹) / Slitting (분단)

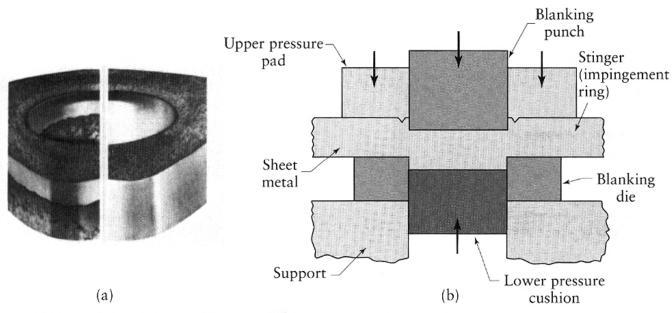
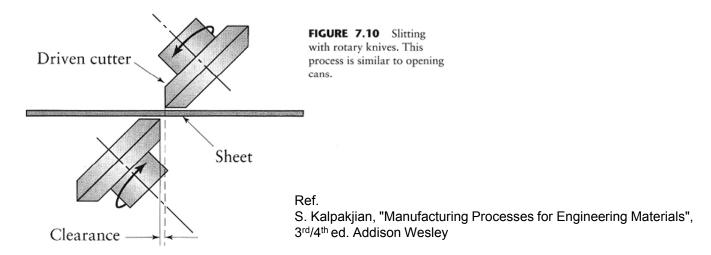


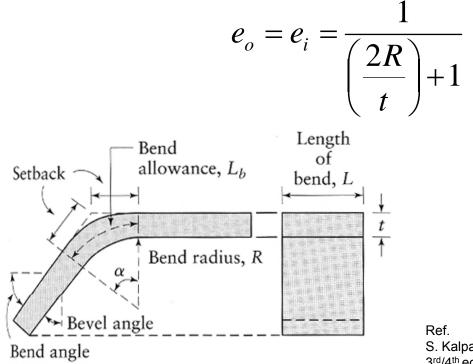
FIGURE 7.9 (a) Comparison of sheared edges by conventional (left) and fine-blanking (right) techniques. (b) Schematic illustration of the setup for fine blanking. *Source*: Feintool International Holding.



Bending (굽힘)



- One of the most common metalworking operations.
- To form parts as certain shapes and impart stiffness to a part by increasing its moment of inertia.
- Outer surface is in tension and inner surface is in compression.
- $e_o > e_i$: shifting of the neutral axis toward the inner surface.





Minimum bend radius (최소굽힘반경) (1)

- The radius at which crack appears on the outer surface of the bend.
- Minimum bend radii for various materials ref. textbook table 7.2
- Such as 2T, 3T, 4T.
- The R/t ratio approaches zero at a tensile reduction of area of 50% the material can be folded over itself.
- In bending of sheets, appropriate direction of the sheets should be considered due to the anisotropy of the cold rolled sheets.

$$\varepsilon_{f} = \ln\left(\frac{A_{o}}{A_{f}}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{100}{100 - r}\right)$$

$$\varepsilon_{o} = \ln(1 + e_{o}) = \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{(2R/t) + 1}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{R + t}{R + (t/2)}\right)$$
min. $\frac{R}{t} = \frac{50}{r} - 1$
min. $\frac{R}{t} = \frac{60}{r} - 1$: Experimental data

Minimum bend radius (최소굽힘반경) (2)

TABLE 7.2

Minimum Bend Radii for Various Materials at Room Temperature					
	MATERIAL CONDITION				
MATERIAL	SOFT	HARD			
Aluminum alloys	0	6 <i>t</i>			
Beryllium copper	0	4t			
Brass, low leaded	0	2t			
Magnesium	5 <i>t</i>	13 <i>t</i>			
Steels					
austenitic stainless	0.5t	6 <i>t</i>			
low carbon, low alloy, and HSLA	0.5 <i>t</i>	4 <i>t</i>			
Titanium	0.7t	3 <i>t</i>			
Titanium alloys	2.6 <i>t</i>	4t			

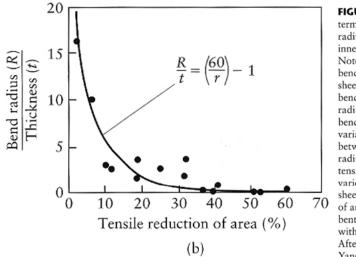
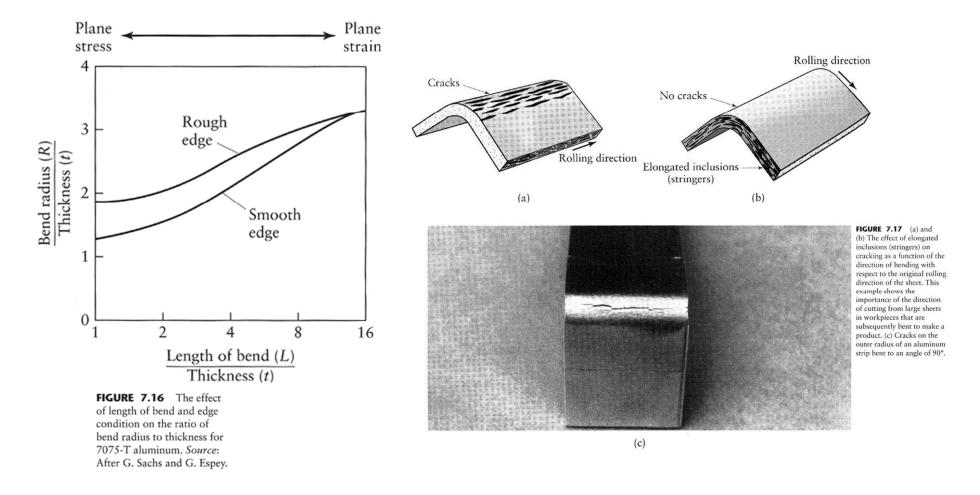


FIGURE 7.15 (a) Bending terminology. The bend radius is measured to the inner surface of the bend. Note that the length of the bend is the width of the sheet. Also note that the bend angle and the bend radius (sharpness of the bend) are two different variables. (b) Relationship between the ratio of bend radius to sheet thickness and tensile reduction of area for various materials. Note that sheet metal with a reduction of area of about 50% can be bent and flattened over itself without cracking. Source: After J. Datsko and C. T. Yang.

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Minimum bend radius (최소굽힘반경) (3)





Springback (스프링백) (1)



- Because all materials have a finite modulus of elasticity, plastic deformation is followed by elastic recovery upon removal of the load; in bending this recovery is known as springback.
- Elastic recovery increases with the stress level and with decreasing elastic modulus.
- Negative springback(역 스프링 백)
- Compensation of springback
 - : In practice, springback is usually compensated for by using overbending(과도굽힘).

Springback (스프링백) (2)



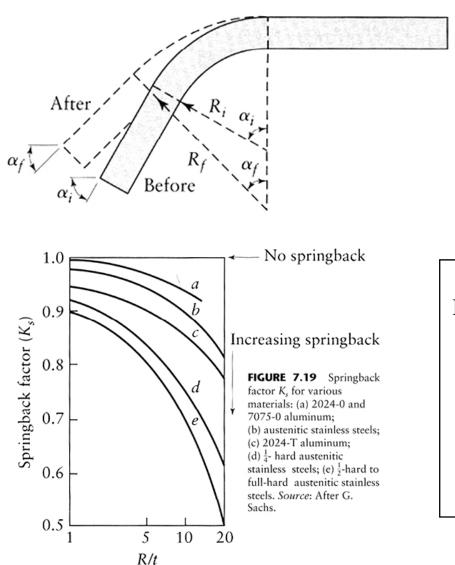
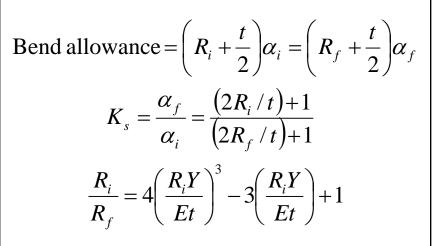


FIGURE 7.18

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Terminology for springback in bending. Springback is caused by the elastic recovery of the material upon unloading. In this example, the material tends to recover toward its originally flat shape. However, there are situations where the material bends farther upon unloading (negative springback), as shown in Fig. 7.20.



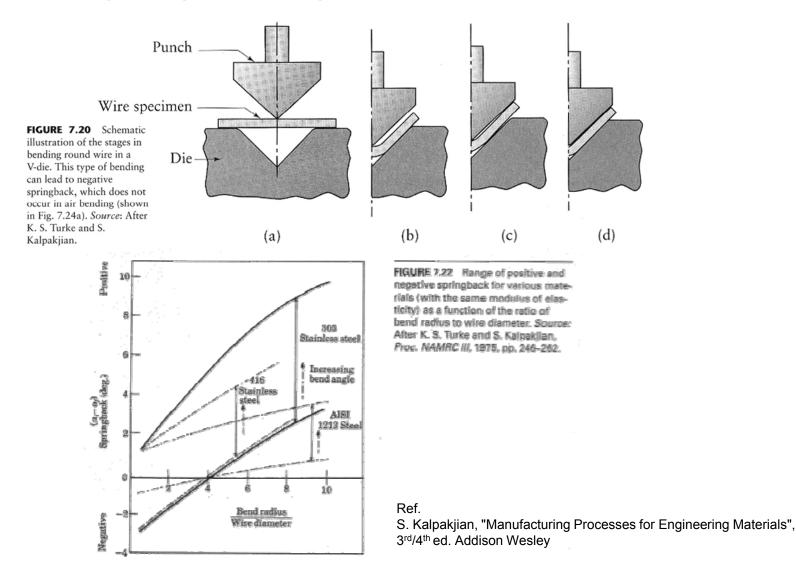
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Springback (스프링백) (3)



■ Negative springback(역스프링백)

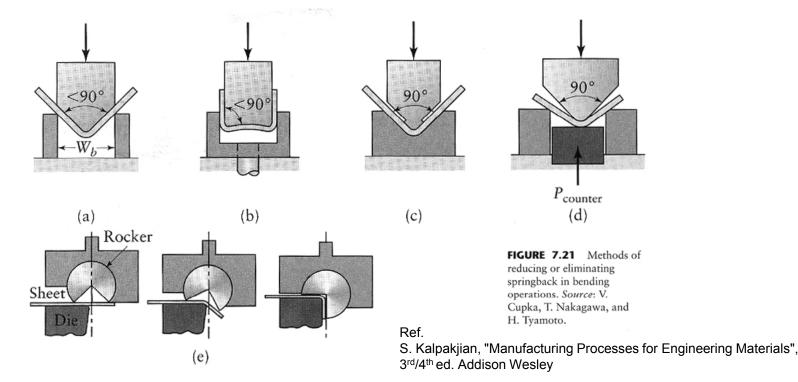


Springback (스프링백) (4)



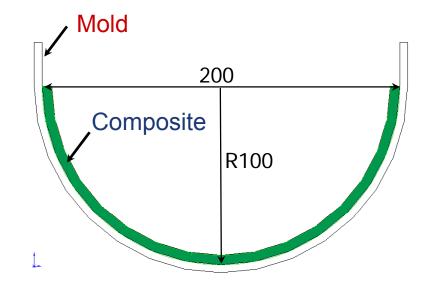
Compensation of springback

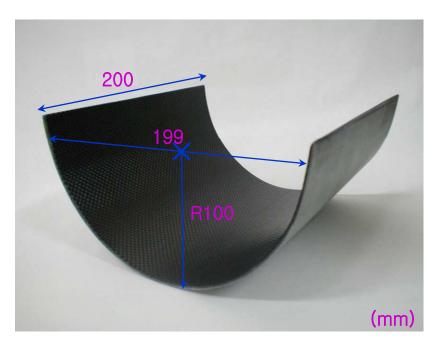
- Overbending the part in the die.
- High localized compressive stresses between the tip of the punch and the die surface.
- Subjected to tension while being bent; stretch bending.
- Bending may be carried out at elevated temperature.



3-D shape Laminate Composite Fabrication (1)

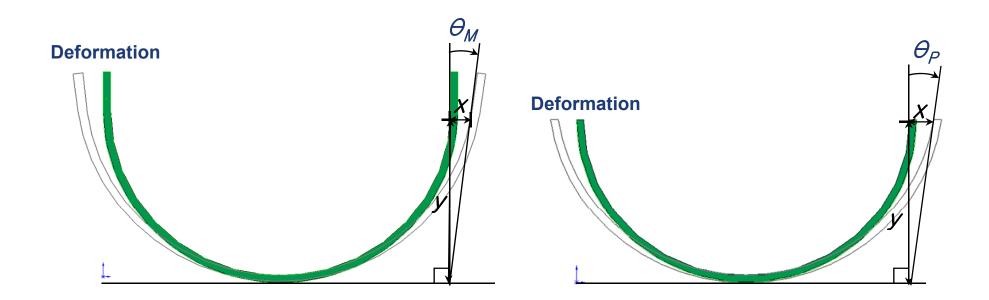
- Bending mold and laminate composite
- Hybrid 3-D shape laminate composite (glass 8 piles + carbon 8 plies)





3-D shape Laminate Composite Fabrication (2)

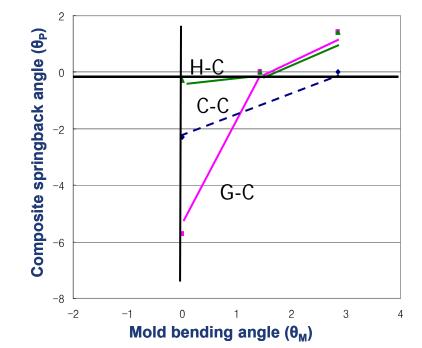
- The angle of 'C' shape mold and composite springback
- Θ_{M} : angle of mold bending Θ_{P} : angle of composite springback



 $\theta = tan^{-1} (x / y)$

3-D shape Laminate Composite Fabrication (3)

Springback compensation by changing bending angle of the mold : 'C' shape

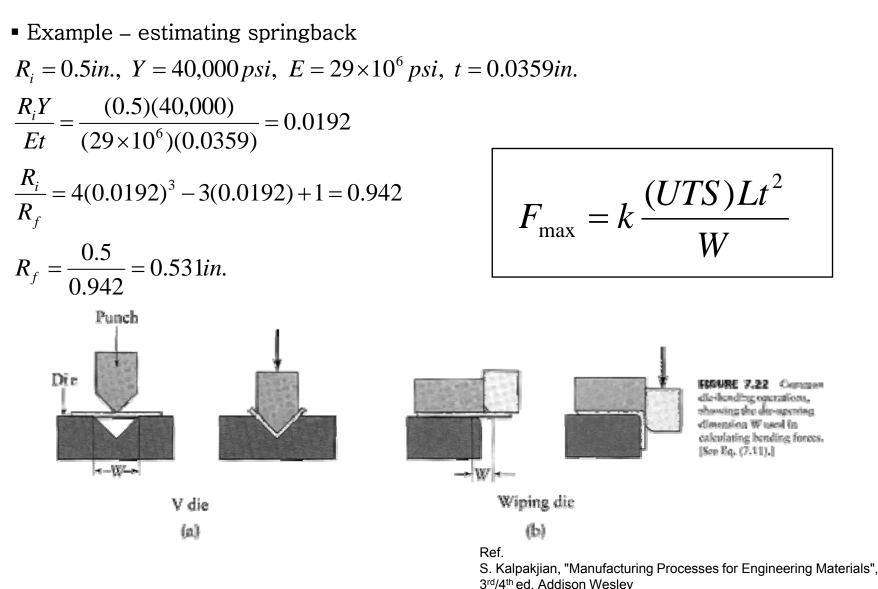


G-C sl	nape	C-C shape		H-C shape	
θ _M (°)	θ _Ρ (°)	Θ _M (°)	θ _P (°)	θ _M (°)	θ _Ρ (°)
0°	-5.71°	0°	-2.29°	0°	-0.29°
2.86°	1.43°	2.86°	0°	-1.43°	0°
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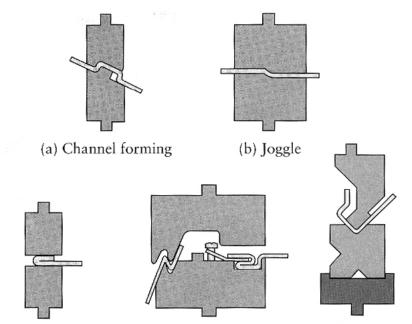
Springback (스프링백) (5)





Bending Operations (굽힘가공) (1)

- Press-brake forming(프레스-브레이크 성형)
 - : sheet metal or plate can be bent easily with simple fixtures, using press.
- Beading(비딩)
 - : edge of the sheet metal is bent into the cavity of a die.
- Flanging(플랜징)
 - : process of bending the edges of sheet metals, usually in 90° .
 - Shrink flanging : compressive hoop stresses.
 - Stretch flanging : tensile hoop stresses.
- Hemming(헤밍)
 - : edge of the sheet is folded over itself.
- Roll forming(롤성형)
- Tube bending(관재굽힘작업)
 - : bending and forming tubes and other hollow sections requires special tooling to avoid buckling and folding.

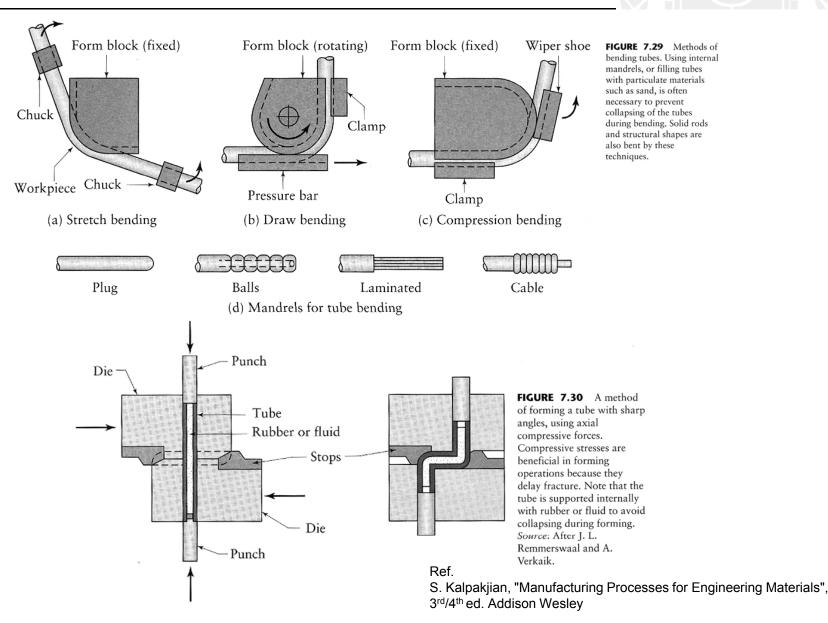


(c) Hemming (flattening) (d) Two-stage lock seam (e) Offset forming

FIGURE 7.23 Schematic illustrations of various bending operations in a press brake.

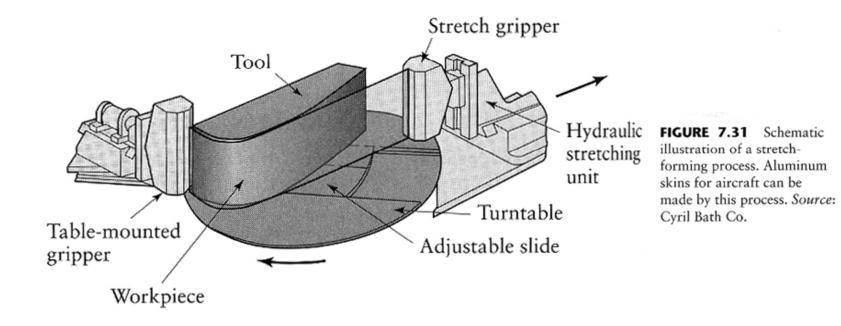
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Bending Operations (굽힘가공) (2)



Stretch forming (신장성형)

 The sheet metal is clamped around its edges and stretched over a die or form block, which moves upward, downward, or sideways, depending on the particular machine. (for low-volume production)

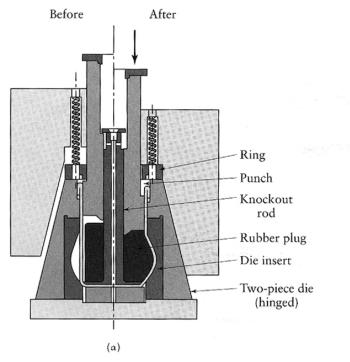


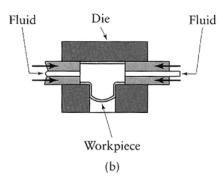
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Bulging



- Bulging involves placing a tubular, conical, or curvilinear hollow part in a split female die and expanding it with a rubber or polyurethane plug.
 - Example water pitchers(주전자), beads on drums(드럼통)





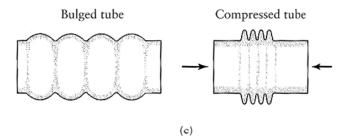
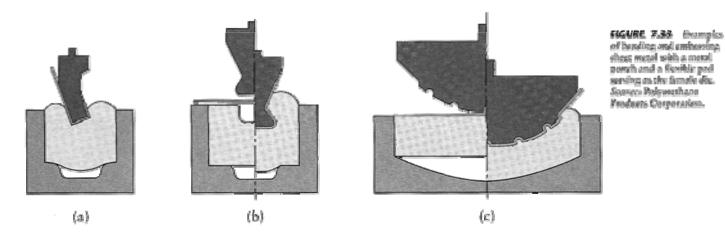


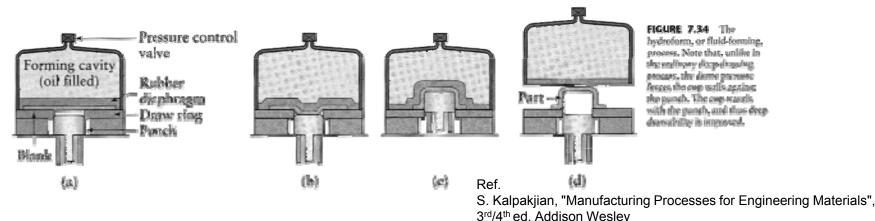
FIGURE 7.32 (a) Bulging of a tubular part with a flexible plug. Water pitchers can be made by this method. (b) Production of fittings for plumbing by expanding tubular blanks with internal pressure. The bottom of the piece is then punched out to produce a "T." *Source:* Schey J. A., *Introduction to Manufacturing Processes*, 2d ed., New York: McGraw-Hill, 1987. (c) Manufacturing of bellows.



Rubber forming (고무성형)

- One of the dies in a set is made of flexible material, such as a rubber or polyurethane membrane.
- Hydroforming(하이드로폼 가공) or fluid-forming(유체성형가공법)

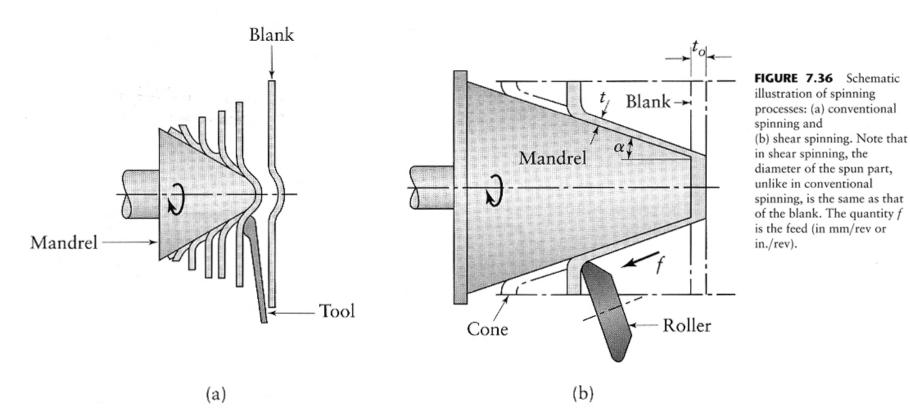




Spinning



 Spinning involves the forming of axisymmetric parts over a rotating mandrel, using rigid tools or rollers.





Various Forming Methods (1)

- Peen forming : used to produce curvatures on thin sheet metals by shot peening one surface of the sheet.

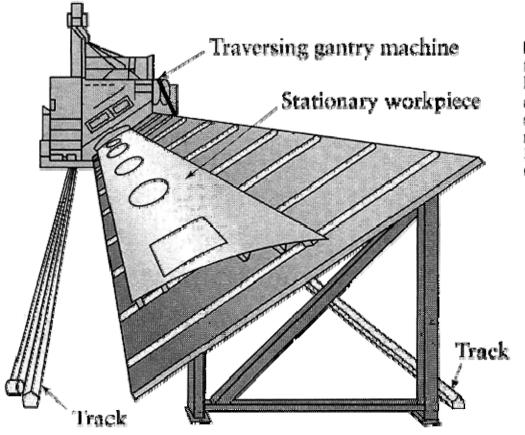


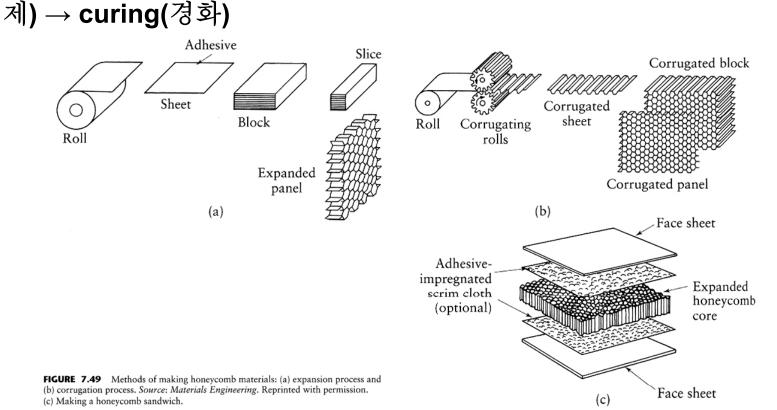
FIGURE 7.48 Peenforming machine to form a large sheet-metal part, such as an aircraft-skin panel. The sheet is stationary, and the machine traverses it. *Source*: Metal Improvement Company.



Various Forming Methods (2)



- Honeycomb structures
 - (a) Adhesive(접착제) → curing(경화) → stretching(확장)
 - (b) Designed rolls(롤) → corrugated sheets(골판재) → adhisive(접착





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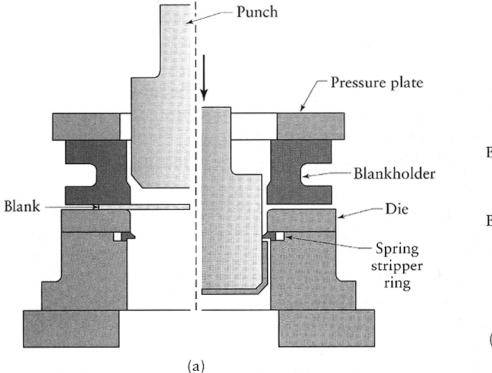
Deep drawing (1)

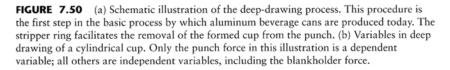


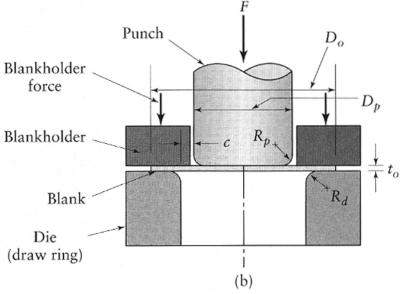
- A flat sheet-metal blank is formed into a cylindrical or box-shaped part by means of a punch that passes the blank into the die cavity.
 - Example cans(캔), kitchen sinks(싱크대), automobile panels(자동차 판)
- Pure drawing(순수 드로잉) : the amount of drawn sheet metal
- Pure stretching(순수 신장) : the amount of stretched sheet metal
 - Draw beads(드로우 비드) : the blank can be prevented from flowing freely into the die cavity.
- Deformation of the sheet metal takes place mainly under the punch and the sheet begins to stretch, eventually resulting in necking and tearing.
- Ironing(아이어닝)
 - If the thickness of the sheet as it enters the die cavity is greater than the clearance between the punch and the die, the thickness will be reduced.
- Limiting Drawing Ratio(LDR, 한계 드로잉비)
 - The maximum ratio of blank diameter to punch diameter that can be drawn without failure, or D_o/D_p.
- Earing(귀생김)
 - Planar anisotropy causes ears to form in drawn cups, producing a wavy edge.

Deep drawing (2)











Deep drawing (3)



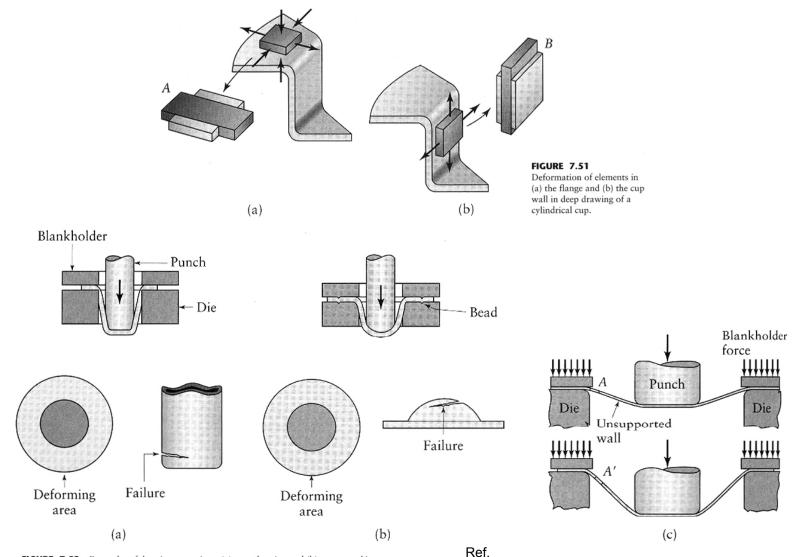


FIGURE 7.52 Examples of drawing operations: (a) pure drawing and (b) pure stretching. The bead prevents the sheet metal from flowing freely into the die cavity. (c) Possibility of wrinkling in the unsupported region of a sheet in drawing. *Source*: After W. F. Hosford and R. M. Caddell.

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Deep drawing (4)



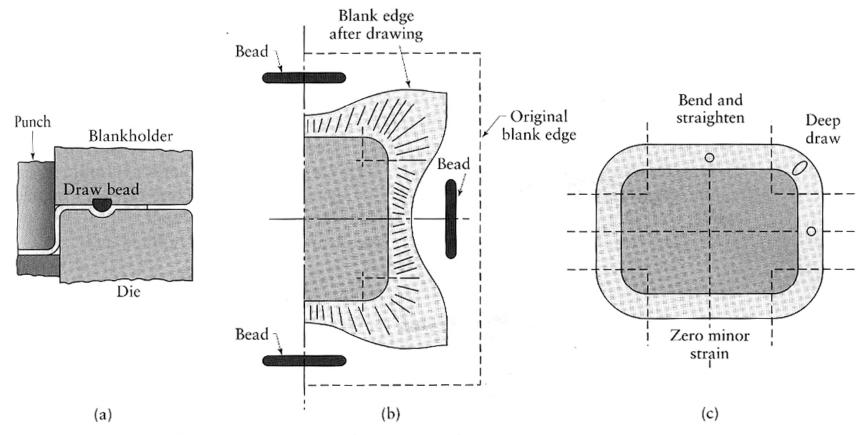


FIGURE 7.53 (a) Schematic illustration of a draw bead. (b) Metal flow during drawing of a box-shaped part, using beads to control the movement of the material. (c) Deformation of circular grids in drawing. (See Section 7.13.) *Source*: After S. Keeler.

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Deep drawing (5)



Limiting drawing ratio

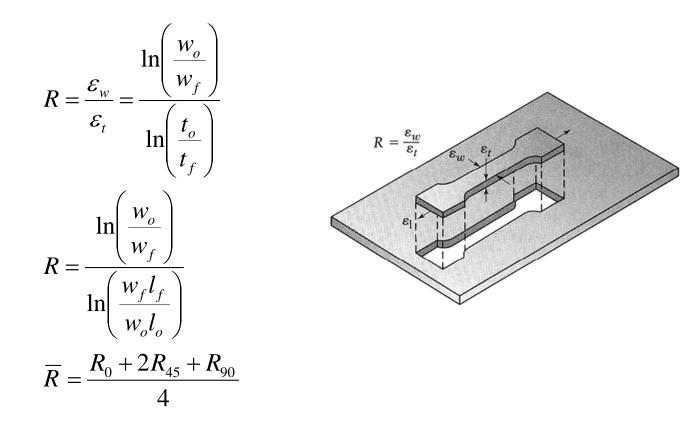


FIGURE 7.55 Definition of the normal anisotropy, *R*, in terms of width and thickness strains in a tensiletest specimen cut from a rolled sheet. Note that the specimen can be cut in different directions with respect to the length, or rolling direction, of the sheet.



LDR (1)



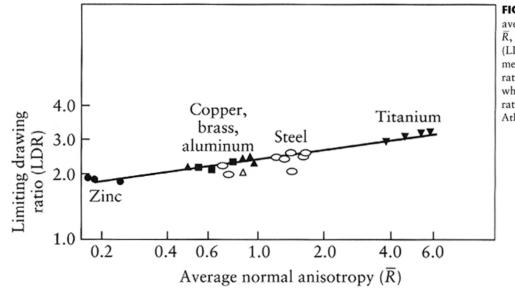
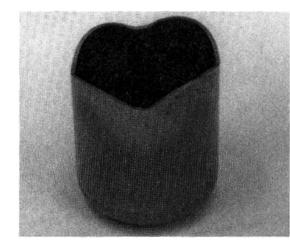
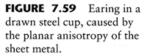


FIGURE 7.58 Effect of average normal anisotropy, \overline{R} , on limiting drawing ratio (LDR) for a variety of sheet metals. Zinc has a high c/a ratio (see Figure 3.2c), whereas titanium has a low ratio. *Source*: After M. Atkinson.





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LDR (2)



Example – estimating the limiting drawing ratio : stretched by 23% in length, decreased in thickness by 10%

$$w_{o}t_{o}l_{o} = w_{f}t_{f}l_{f} \text{ or } \frac{w_{f}t_{f}l_{f}}{w_{o}t_{o}l_{o}} = 1$$

$$\frac{l_{f}-l_{o}}{l_{o}} = 0.23 \text{ or } \frac{l_{f}}{l_{o}} = 1.23$$

$$\frac{t_{f}-t_{o}}{t_{o}} = -0.10 \text{ or } \frac{t_{f}}{t_{o}} = 0.90.$$
Hence $\frac{w_{f}}{w_{o}} = 0.903$

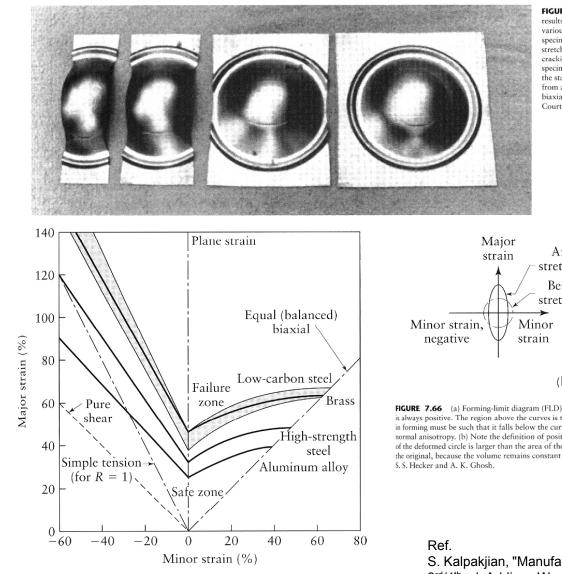
$$R = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{w_{o}}{w_{f}}\right)}{\ln\left(\frac{t_{o}}{t_{f}}\right)} = \frac{\ln 1.107}{\ln 1.111} = 0.965$$

 $R = \overline{R}$ if the sheet has planar isotropy. Then, LDR = 2.4 Maximum punch force

$$F_{\rm max} = \pi D_p t_o (UTS) \left(\frac{D_o}{D_p} - 0.7 \right)$$

Forming-limit Diagram





(a)

FIGURE 7.65 Bulge-test results on steel sheets of various widths. The first specimen (farthest left) stretched farther before cracking than the last specimen. From left to right, the state of stress changes from almost uniaxial to biaxial stretching. Source: Courtesy of Ispat Inland Inc.

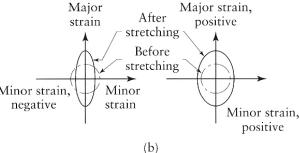


FIGURE 7.66 (a) Forming-limit diagram (FLD) for various sheet metals. The major strain is always positive. The region above the curves is the failure zone; hence, the state of strain in forming must be such that it falls below the curve for a particular material; R is the normal anisotropy. (b) Note the definition of positive and negative minor strains. If the area of the deformed circle is larger than the area of the original circle, the sheet is thinner than the original, because the volume remains constant during plastic deformation. Source: After

S. Kalpakjian, "Manufacturing Processes for Engineering Materials", 3rd/4th ed. Addison Wesley

Design Considerations

Source: Society of

Manufacturing Engineers.



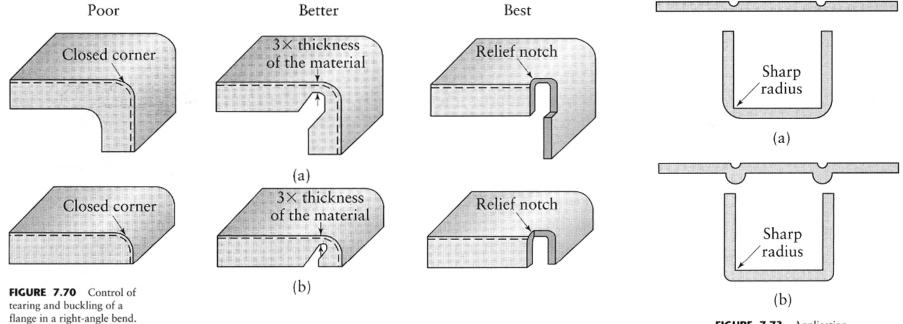


FIGURE 7.73 Application of (a) scoring or (b) embossing to obtain a sharp inner radius in bending. However, unless properly designed, these features can lead to fracture. *Source*: Society of Manufacturing Engineers.

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Case study



