



Master in Computational and Applied Physics

Continuum and Fluid Mechanics

CHAPTER 3: Strain and strain rate

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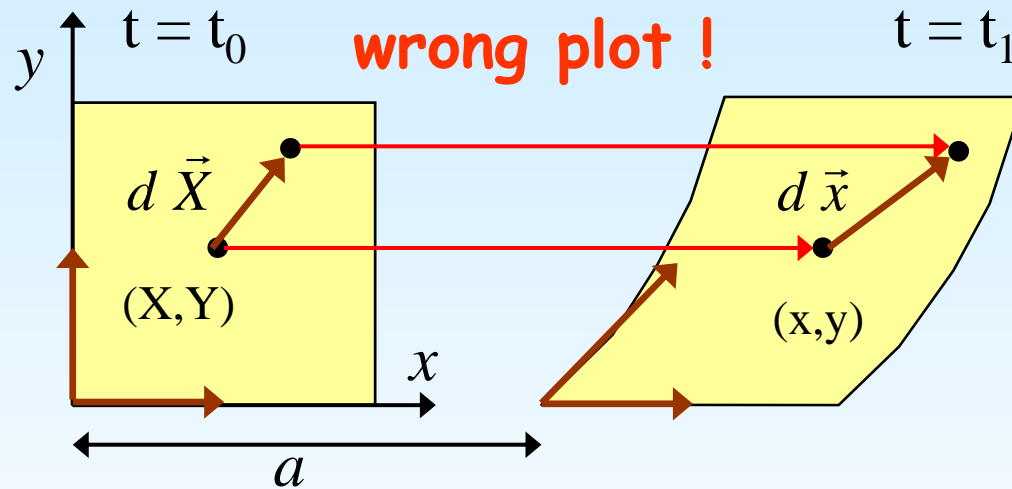
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1. Relative motion of neighbouring particles.
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3. Strain and rotation.
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5. Strain rate and vorticity.
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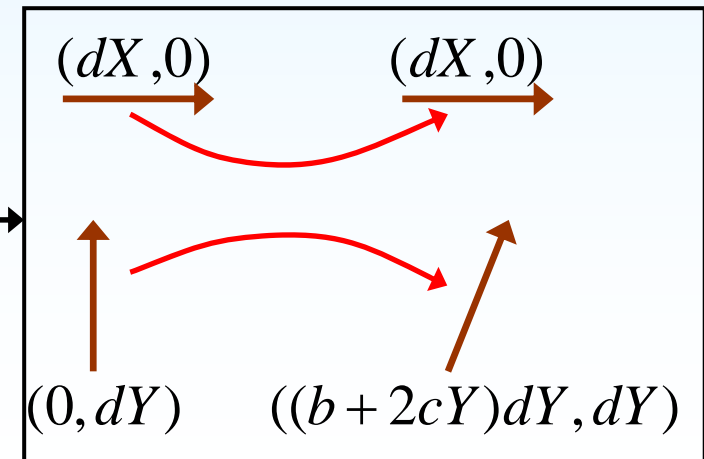
1. Relative motion of neighbouring points.

Example: shear deformation of a body between t_0 and t_1

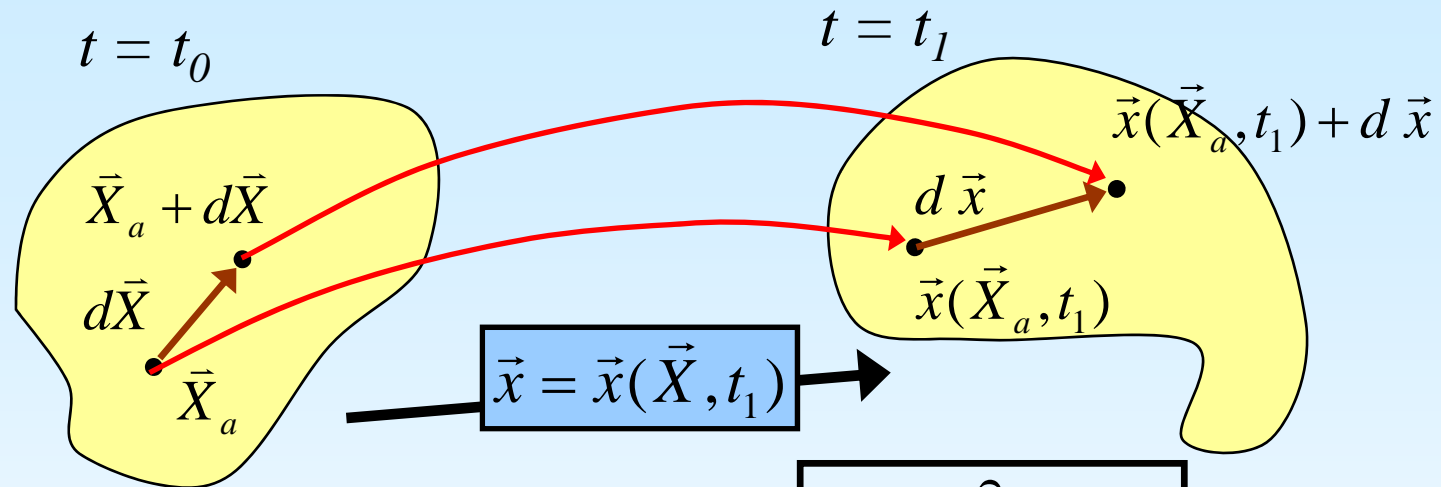
$$\begin{aligned} x &= X + a + bY + cY^2 \\ y &= Y \\ z &= Z \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} dx &= \frac{\partial x}{\partial X} dX + \frac{\partial x}{\partial Y} dY = dX + (b + 2cY)dY \\ dy &= \frac{\partial y}{\partial X} dX + \frac{\partial y}{\partial Y} dY = dY \end{aligned}$$



1. Relative motion of neighbouring points.



Example:

$$dx = dX + (b + 2cY)dY$$

$$dy = dY$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b + 2cY & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

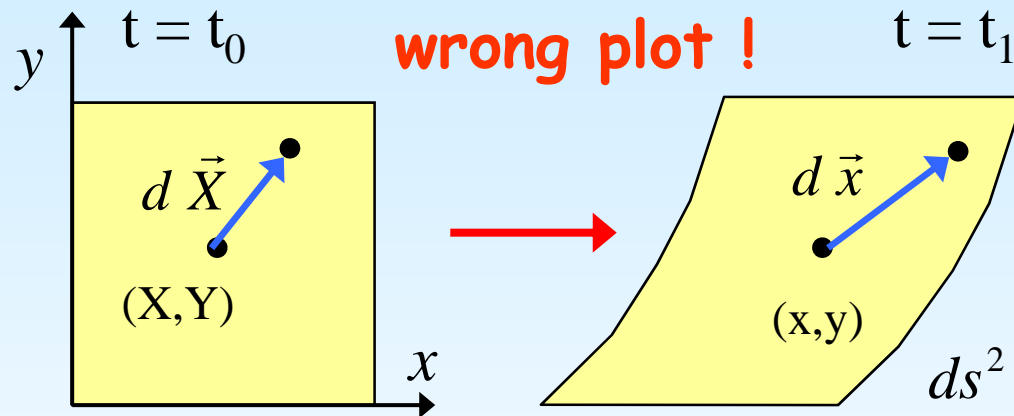
$$dx_i = \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_k} dX_k$$

$$d\vec{x} = \mathbf{F} d\vec{X}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = \frac{\partial \vec{x}}{\partial \vec{X}}, \quad F_{ik} = \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_k}$$

2. Strain tensor.

Deformation = change of the distances between particles



$$ds^2 - dS^2 = d x_i \cdot d x_i - d X_i \cdot d X_i =$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_j} \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_k} - \delta_{jk} \right) d X_j d X_k =$$

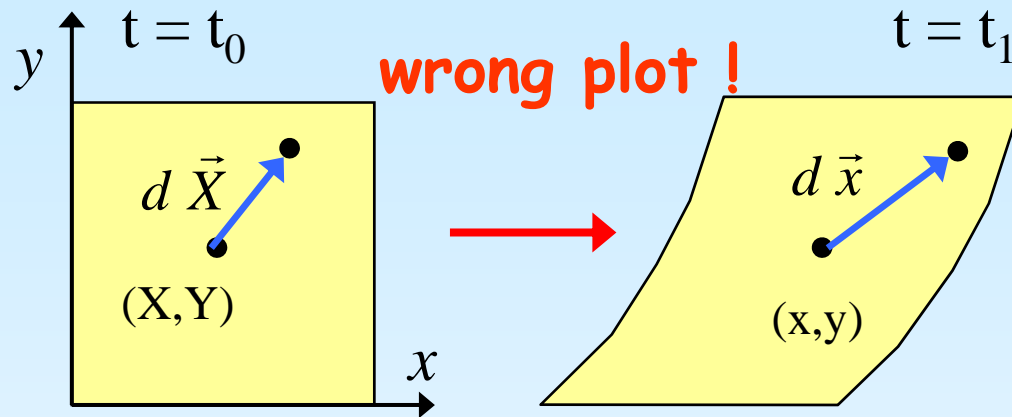
$$2E_{jk} d X_j d X_k$$

Strain tensor

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{F} - \mathbf{1}) \quad E_{jk} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_j} \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_k} - \delta_{jk} \right)$$

symmetrical

Example: shear deformation

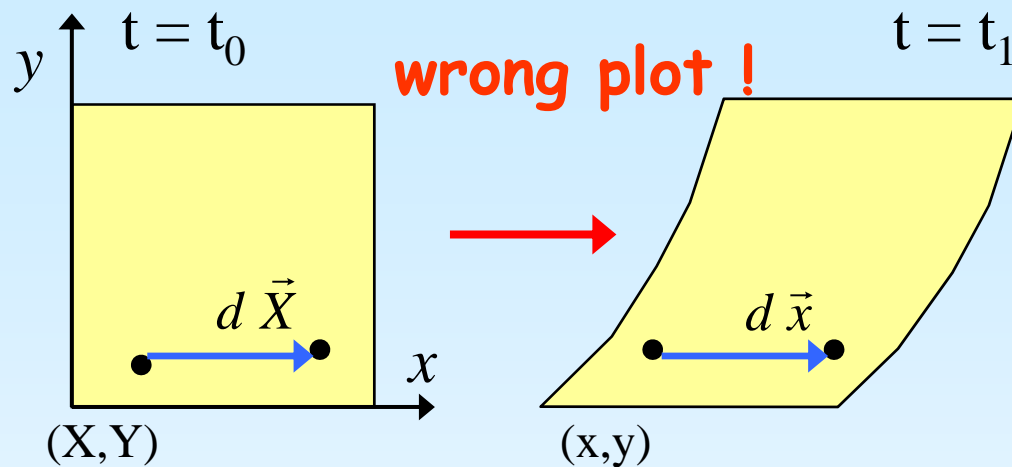


$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b + 2cY & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{F} - \mathbf{1}) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ b + 2cY & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b + 2cY & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{b}{2} + cY & 0 \\ \frac{b}{2} + cY & \frac{1}{2}(b + 2cY)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

meaning of the components of the strain tensor?



$$d\vec{X} = (1,0,0) dS \longrightarrow ds^2 - dS^2 = 2E_{ij}dX_i dX_j = 2E_{11} dS^2$$

$E_{11} \rightarrow$ change of length along x_1 axis

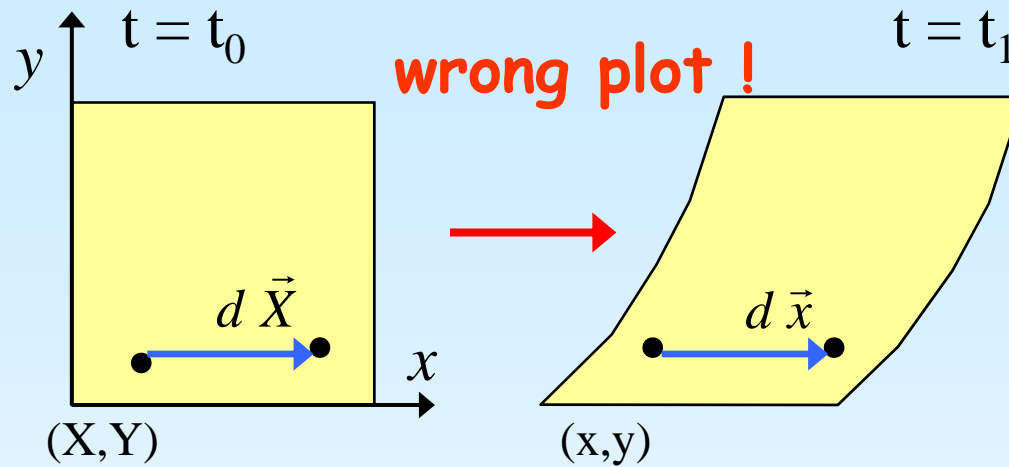
$$d\vec{X} = (0,1,0) dS \longrightarrow ds^2 - dS^2 = 2E_{ij}dX_i dX_j = 2E_{22} dS^2$$

$E_{22} \rightarrow$ change of length along x_2 axis

$$d\vec{X} = (0,0,1) dS \longrightarrow ds^2 - dS^2 = 2E_{ij}dX_i dX_j = 2E_{33} dS^2$$

$E_{33} \rightarrow$ change of length along x_3 axis

Example: shear deformation

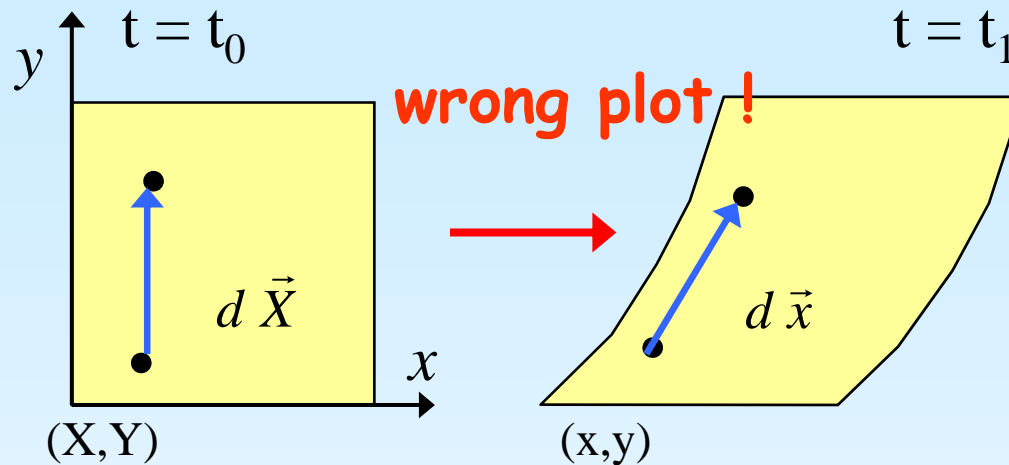


$$d\vec{X} = (1, 0, 0) dS \longrightarrow d\vec{x} = \mathbf{F} d\vec{X} = d\vec{X} \quad \Rightarrow \quad |d\vec{x}|^2 - |d\vec{X}|^2 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{b}{2} + cY & 0 \\ \frac{b}{2} + cY & \frac{1}{2}(b + 2cY)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad |d\vec{x}|^2 - |d\vec{X}|^2 = 2E_{ij}dX_i dX_j = 2E_{11}dS^2 = 0$$

$E_{11} \rightarrow$ change of length along x axis

Example: shear deformation



$$d\vec{X} = (0, 1, 0) dS \longrightarrow d\vec{x} = \mathbf{F} d\vec{X} = (b + 2cY, 1, 0) dS \quad \Rightarrow$$

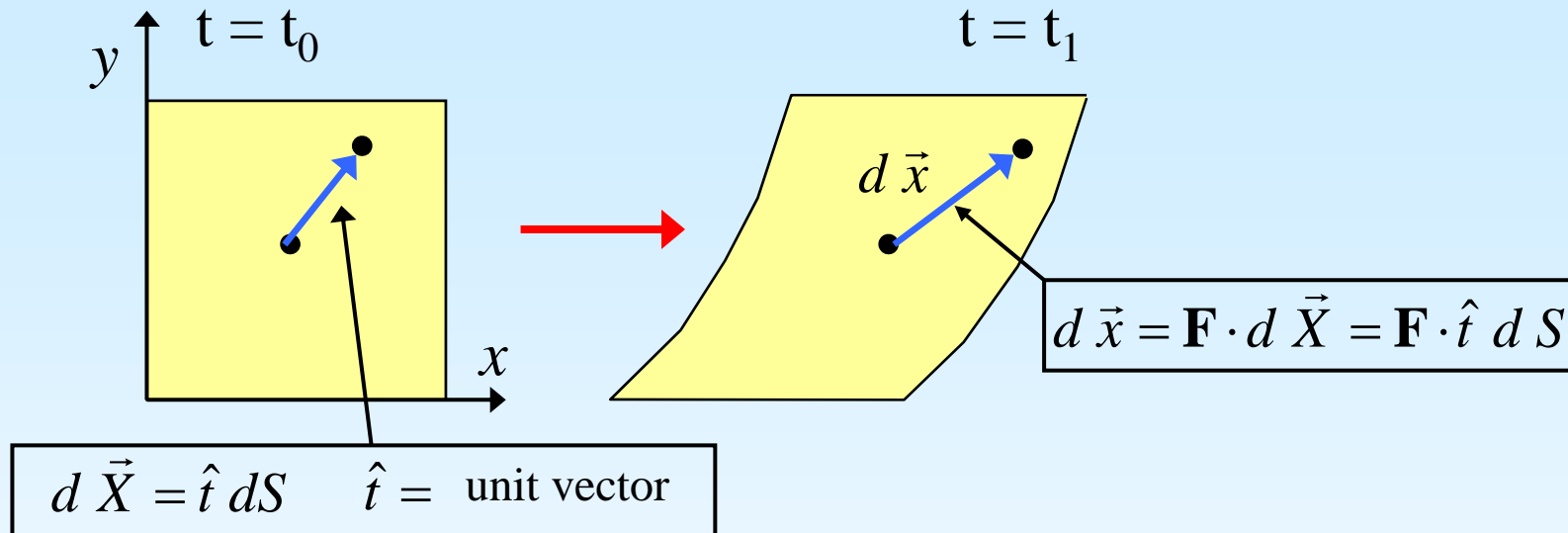
$$|d\vec{x}|^2 - |d\vec{X}|^2 = (b + 2cY)^2 dS^2$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{b}{2} + cY & 0 \\ \frac{b}{2} + cY & \frac{1}{2}(b + 2cY)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$|d\vec{x}|^2 - |d\vec{X}|^2 = 2E_{ij}dX_i dX_j = 2E_{22}dS^2 = (b + 2cY)^2 dS^2$$

$E_{22} \rightarrow$ change of length along y axis

Computation of the changes in length



$$ds^2 - dS^2 = 2E_{jk} dX_j dX_k \Rightarrow \frac{ds^2 - dS^2}{dS^2} = 2E_{jk} t_j t_k$$

Change in length per unit of initial length:

$$\varepsilon = \frac{ds - dS}{dS} = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{ij}t_i t_j} - 1$$

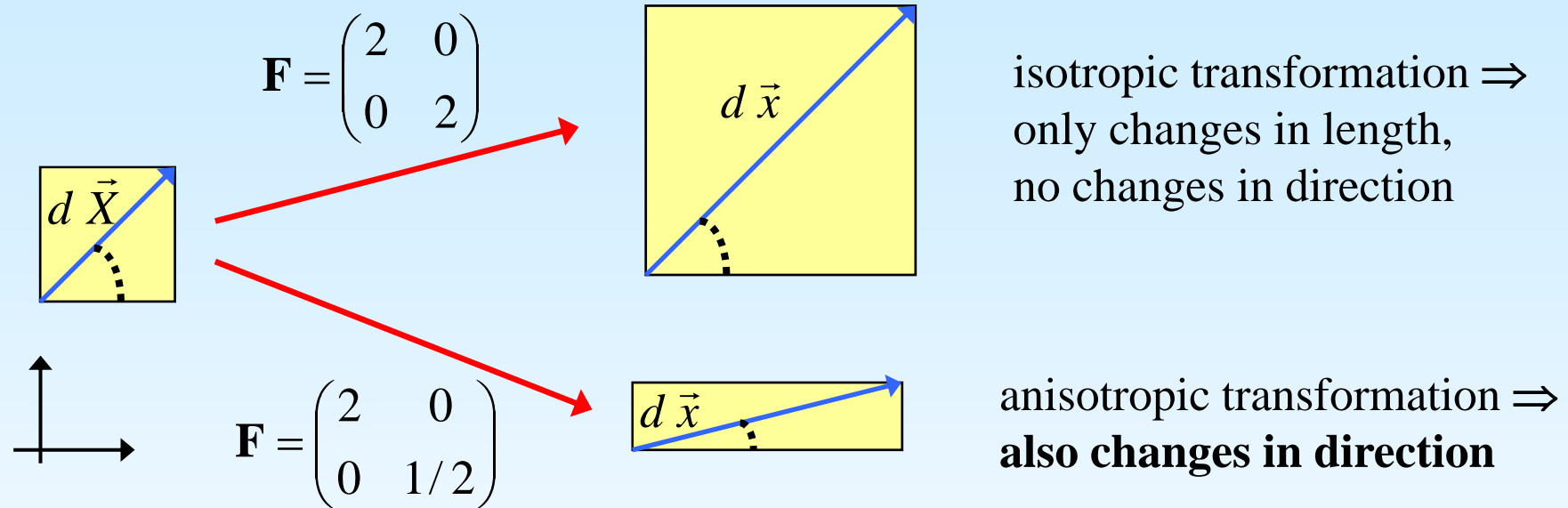
$$\hat{t} = \hat{e}_1, \hat{e}_2, \hat{e}_3 \Rightarrow$$

$$\varepsilon_1 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{11}} - 1, \quad \varepsilon_2 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{22}} - 1, \quad \varepsilon_3 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{33}} - 1$$

$$|E_{ij}| \ll 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$\varepsilon_1 \approx E_{11}, \quad \varepsilon_2 \approx E_{22}, \quad \varepsilon_3 \approx E_{33}$$

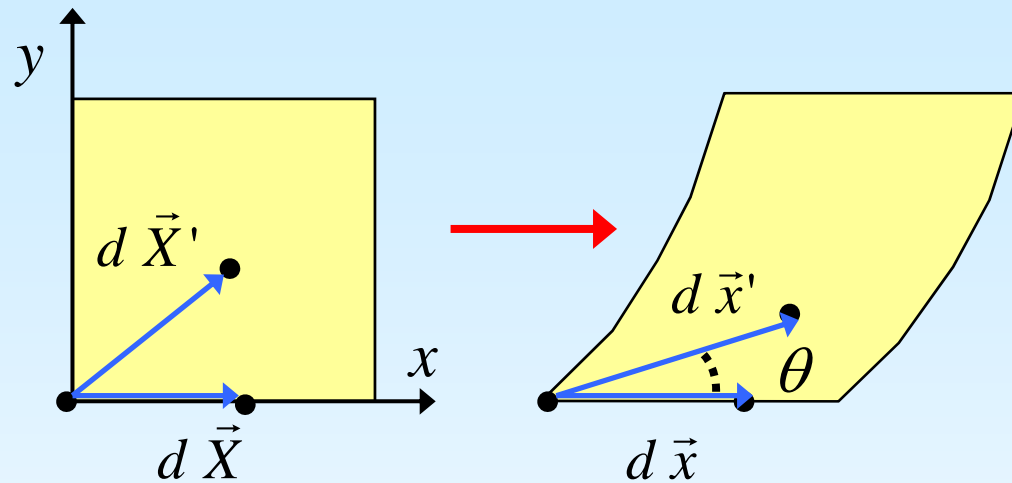
Changes in direction



$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3/2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \varepsilon_1 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{11}} - 1 = 1, \quad \varepsilon_2 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{22}} - 1 = 1$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/2 & 0 \\ 0 & -3/8 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \varepsilon_1 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{11}} - 1 = 1, \quad \varepsilon_2 = \sqrt{1 + 2E_{22}} - 1 = -1/2$$

Computation of the changes in direction

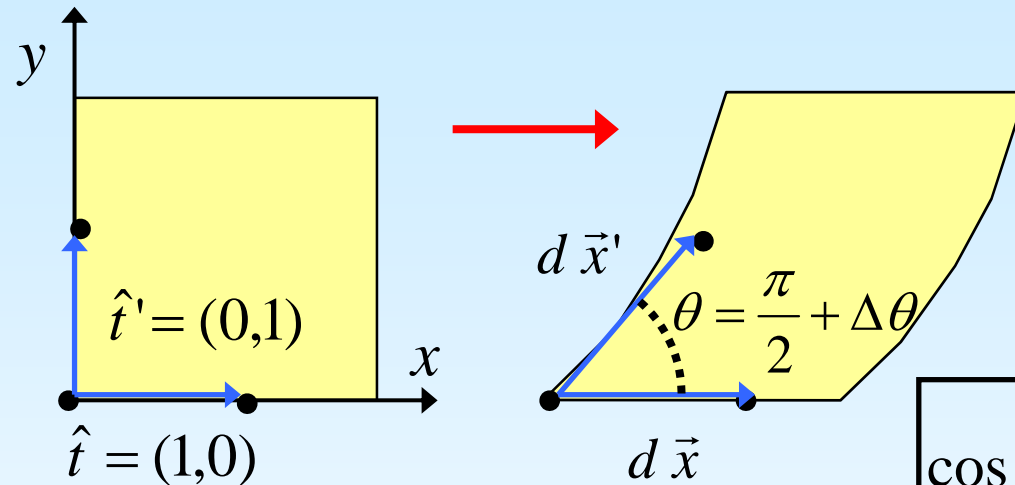


$$\begin{aligned} d\vec{x} \cdot d\vec{x}' &= \cos \theta \, ds \, ds' = \\ d\vec{X} \cdot \mathbf{F}^T \cdot \mathbf{F} \cdot d\vec{X}' &= \\ d\vec{X} \cdot (\mathbf{1} + 2\mathbf{E}) \cdot d\vec{X}' \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{t} = \frac{d\vec{X}}{dS} \quad , \quad \hat{t}' = \frac{d\vec{X}'}{dS'}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{(\delta_{ij} + 2E_{ij})t_i t'_j}{\sqrt{1 + 2E_{kr}t_k t_r} \sqrt{1 + 2E_{nm}t'_n t'_m}}$$

Computation of the changes in direction



$$\cos \theta = \frac{(\delta_{ij} + 2E_{ij})t_i t'_j}{\sqrt{1 + 2E_{kr}t_k t_r} \sqrt{1 + 2E_{nm}t'_n t'_m}}$$

$$\sin \Delta\theta = \frac{-2E_{12}}{\sqrt{1 + 2E_{11}} \sqrt{1 + 2E_{22}}}$$

So, the non diagonal entries of E are related to the changes in the angles between material lines along the axes

$$|E_{ij}| \ll 1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad E_{12} \approx -\frac{1}{2}\Delta\theta$$

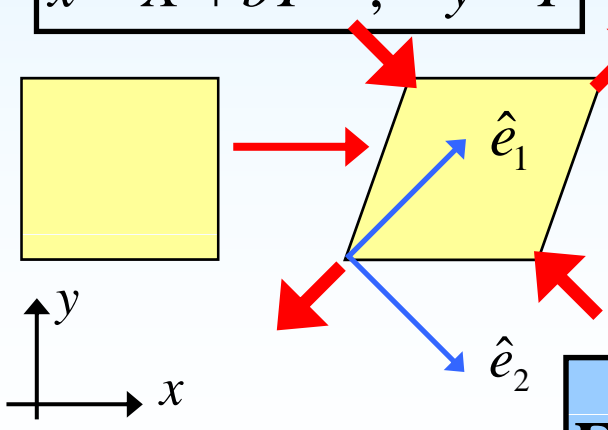
Principal axes of the strain tensor

Since \mathbf{E} is symmetric, there always are three principal directions with real eigenvalues \Rightarrow

any deformation is a stretching or compression (without rotation) along three directions which are mutually orthogonal

using these directions as coordinate axes:

$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} e_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x = X + bY, \quad y = Y$$


$$\mathbf{E} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b/2 \\ b/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$(\mathbf{E} - \lambda \mathbf{1}) \cdot \vec{e} = 0$

$\lambda = b/2, \quad \vec{e} = (1, 1)$
 $\lambda = -b/2, \quad \vec{e} = (1, -1)$

$$\mathbf{E}' = \begin{pmatrix} b/2 & 0 \\ 0 & -b/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\varepsilon_1 = \sqrt{1 + 2E'_{11}} - 1 = \sqrt{1 + b} - 1 \approx b/2,$$

$$\varepsilon_2 = \sqrt{1 + 2E'_{22}} - 1 = \sqrt{1 - b} - 1 \approx -b/2$$

if $|b| \ll 1$

3. Strain and rotation.

Polar theorem:

any linear map F can be decomposed as

$$\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{Q} \cdot \mathbf{U}$$

where \mathbf{Q} is an orthogonal transformation and \mathbf{U} is symmetric
 \mathbf{Q} and \mathbf{U} are unique (also, $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{V} \cdot \mathbf{Q}$, but this is not needed now)

- Since $\det \mathbf{F} = +1$, \mathbf{Q} is actually a rotation.
- Since \mathbf{U} is symmetric, it is a stretching along principal directions, so that it is a deformation with

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{U}^2 - \mathbf{1})$$

Therefore, any motion of a body is locally the superposition of:

- a deformation
- a rigid rotation
- a shift (which is not captured by \mathbf{F})

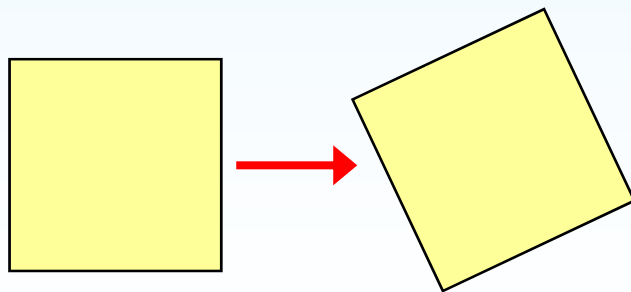
It can be proven that:

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{c} \mathbf{U} = \mathbf{I} \\ \text{everywhere in the body} \end{array}} \Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{array}{c} \mathbf{Q} = \text{const.}, \\ \text{i.e., the same everywhere in the body} \end{array}}$$

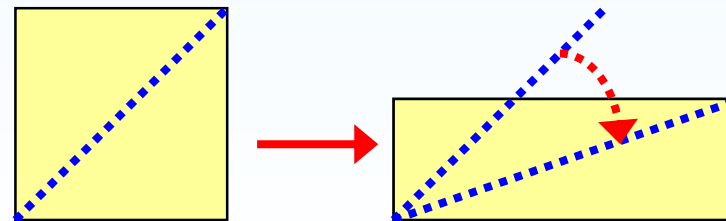
This means that if there is no deformation the rigid rotation is the same everywhere in the body \Rightarrow rigid body motion

Don't confuse !

- ❖ the rigid body rotation which rotates all the vectors by the same angle
- with
- ❖ the rotation associated to a strain which rotates different vectors by different angles



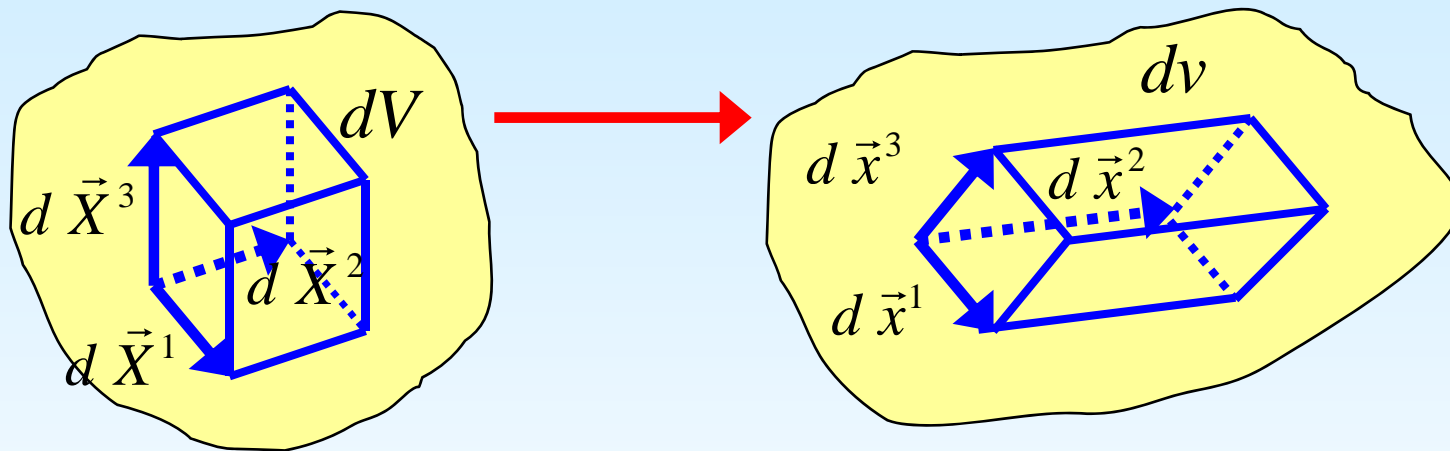
rigid body rotation, \mathbf{Q}



deformation, \mathbf{U} (or \mathbf{E})

4. Variation of volumes and areas.

Volume variation



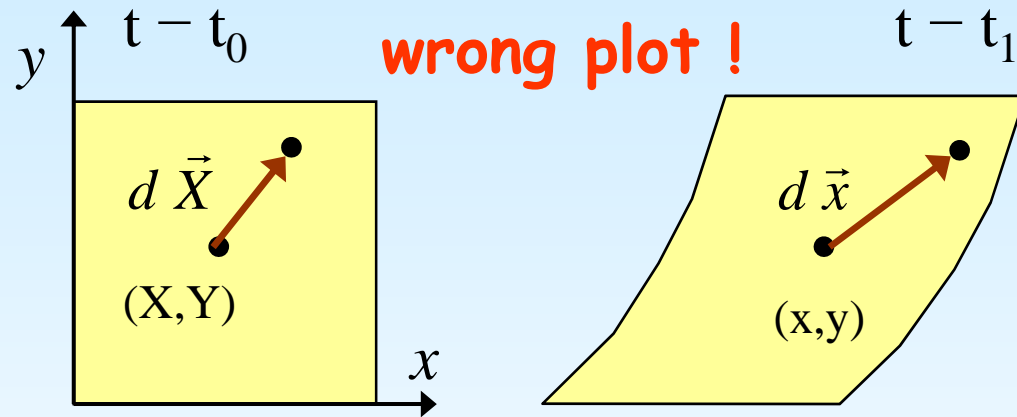
$$dv = (d\vec{x}^1 \times d\vec{x}^2) \cdot d\vec{x}^3 = \det\left\{\left(dx^i\right)_j\right\} = \det\left\{F_{jk}\left(dX^i\right)_k\right\} = \\ \det\{\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{dX}\} = \det\{\mathbf{F}\} \det\{\mathbf{dX}\} = \det\{\mathbf{F}\} dV$$

$$\text{with } F_{ij} = \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial X_j}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dV} = \det \mathbf{F}$$

Example:

$$\begin{aligned}x &= X + a + bY + cY^2 \\y &= Y \\z &= Z\end{aligned}$$



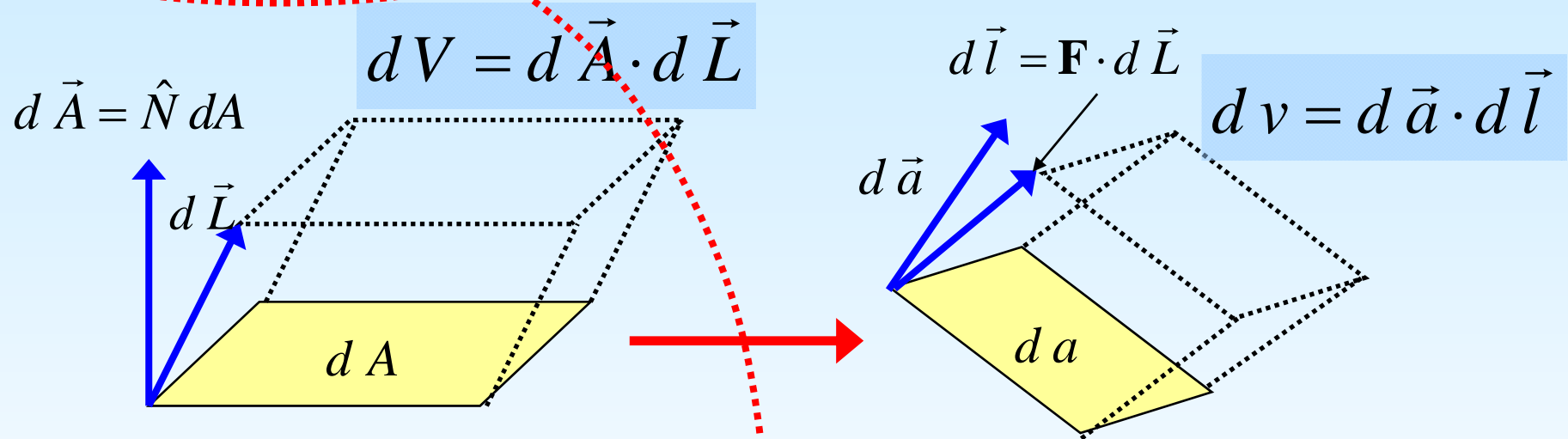
$$\mathbf{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & b + 2cY & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det \mathbf{F} = 1$$

\Rightarrow no changes in volume

Area variation

$d\vec{L}$ = arbitrary vector



$$dv = d\vec{a} \cdot d\vec{l} = d\vec{a} \cdot \mathbf{F} \cdot d\vec{L}$$

$$dv = \det \mathbf{F} dV = \det \mathbf{F} d\vec{A} \cdot d\vec{L}$$

$$d\vec{a} \cdot \mathbf{F} = (\det \mathbf{F}) d\vec{A} \Rightarrow$$

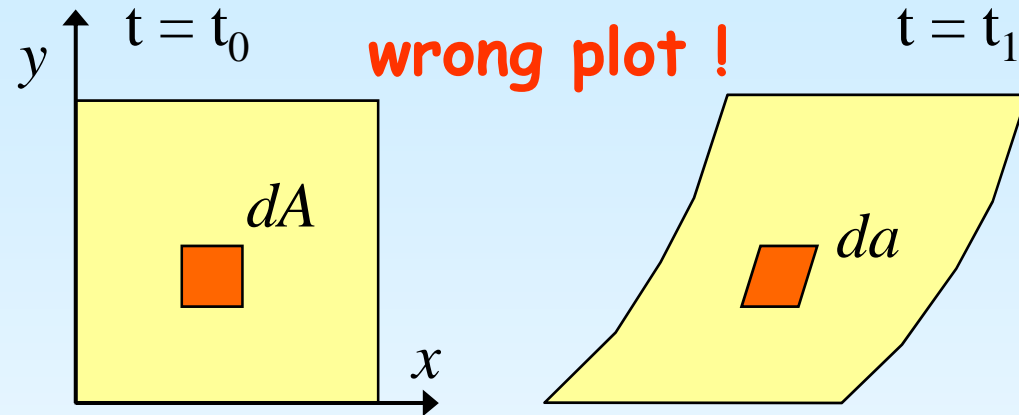
$$d\vec{a} = (\det \mathbf{F}) d\vec{A} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1}$$

Example:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= X + a + bY + cY^2 \\ y &= Y \\ z &= Z \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{F}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -b-2cY & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det \mathbf{F} = 1$$



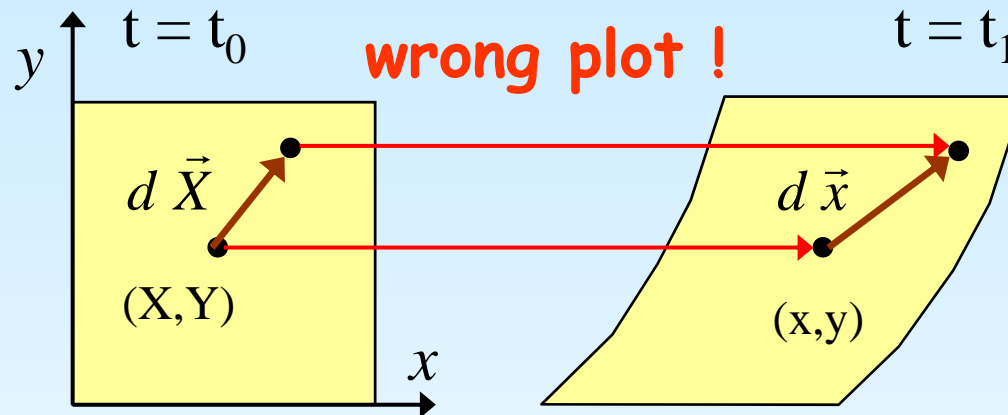
$$d\vec{a} = (\det \mathbf{F}) d\vec{A} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} = (0,0,dA) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -b-2cY & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = (0,0,dA) \Rightarrow$$

$$d\vec{a} = d\vec{A}$$

\Rightarrow no changes in area

5. Strain rate and vorticity

$$\begin{aligned}x &= X + a + bY + cY^2 \\ y &= Y \\ z &= Z\end{aligned}$$

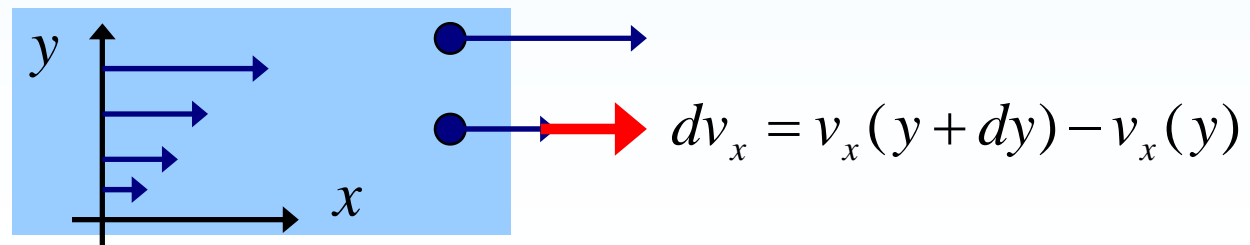


Let's now consider that t_1 is changing, that is, the time variation and let's think of the Eulerian description.

Which is the relative motion of neighbouring points?

Example: parallel shear flow

$$\begin{aligned}v_x &= v(y) \\ v_y &= 0 \\ v_z &= 0\end{aligned}$$

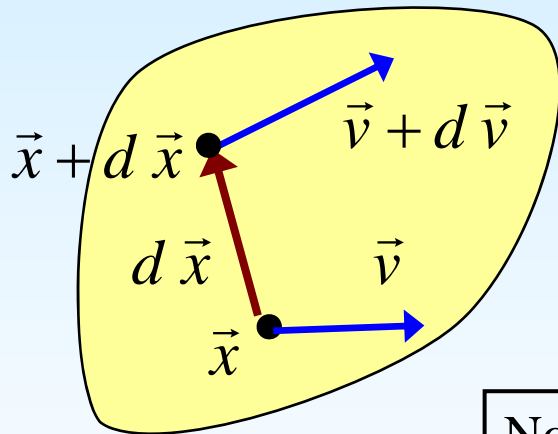


In general:

$$d v_i = v_i(\vec{x} + d \vec{x}, t) - v_i(\vec{x}, t) = \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} d x_j$$

$$d \vec{v} = \mathbf{L} \cdot d \vec{x}$$

$$L_{ij} = \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_j} = \text{velocity gradient tensor}$$



Now:

- which part of the relative motion does correspond to strain
and which part does correspond to rigid body rotation?
- which is the relationship with the Lagrangian description ?

Let us consider the Lagrangian description, $\vec{x} = \vec{x}(\vec{X}, t)$:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{\partial x_i(\vec{X}, t)}{\partial X_j} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial X_j} \left(\frac{\partial x_i(\vec{X}, t)}{\partial t} \right) = \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial X_j} = \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_k} \frac{\partial x_k}{\partial X_j} \longrightarrow \boxed{\frac{d\mathbf{F}}{dt} = \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{F}}$$

Polar theorem: $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{Q} \cdot \mathbf{U}$ $\begin{cases} \mathbf{U} = \text{symmetric} \rightarrow \text{deformation} \\ \mathbf{Q} = \text{orthogonal} \rightarrow \text{rigid body rotation} \end{cases}$

$$\mathbf{L} = \frac{d\mathbf{F}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} = \frac{d\mathbf{Q}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{Q}^T + \mathbf{Q} \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{U}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{U}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{Q}^T$$

Now, one can take the material coordinates as the coordinates of the particles at any fixed time, in particular, $t_0 \rightarrow t_1$, the time where the computation of \mathbf{L} is done. Thus, the reference configuration can be chosen so that:

$\mathbf{Q}(t_1) \rightarrow \mathbf{1}$, $\mathbf{U}(t_1) \rightarrow \mathbf{1}$ for $t_0 \rightarrow t_1$
so that:

$$\boxed{\mathbf{L} = \left. \frac{d\mathbf{U}}{dt} \right|_{t=t_0} + \left. \frac{d\mathbf{Q}}{dt} \right|_{t=t_0} = \mathbf{D} + \mathbf{W}}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \left. \frac{d\mathbf{U}}{dt} \right|_{\mathbf{U}=\mathbf{1}} = \text{strain rate tensor.}$$

Is symmetric because \mathbf{U} is symmetrical.
 = deformation part of the relative motion

$$\mathbf{W} = \left. \frac{d\mathbf{Q}}{dt} \right|_{\mathbf{Q}=\mathbf{1}} = \text{vorticity or rotation tensor.}$$

Is antisymmetric because $(d\mathbf{Q}/dt) \cdot \mathbf{Q}^T$ is antisymmetric
 = rigid body rotation part of the relative motion

\mathbf{D} = symmetric part of \mathbf{L} , \mathbf{W} = antisymmetric part of $\mathbf{L} \Rightarrow$

$$\mathbf{D} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{L} + \mathbf{L}^T) \quad , \quad \mathbf{W} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{L} - \mathbf{L}^T)$$

vector associated to the vorticity tensor

$$\Omega_i = -\frac{1}{2} \varepsilon_{ijk} W_{jk}$$

$$\mathbf{W} \cdot d\vec{X} = \vec{\Omega} \times d\vec{X}$$

$$\Omega_i = -\frac{1}{2} \varepsilon_{ijk} W_{jk} = -\frac{1}{4} \varepsilon_{ijk} (\partial_k v_j - \partial_j v_k) = \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon_{ijk} \partial_j v_k$$

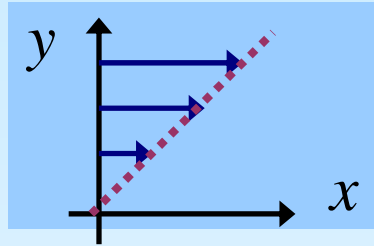
= angular velocity in case of a rigid body rotation

vorticity vector

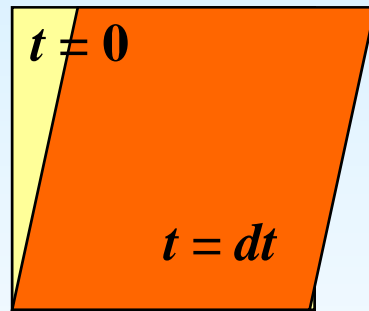
$$\vec{\omega} = \nabla \times \vec{v} = 2\vec{\Omega}$$

Example: parallel shear flow

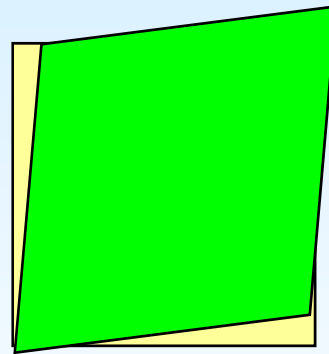
$$\begin{aligned} v_x &= k y \\ v_y &= 0 \\ v_z &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



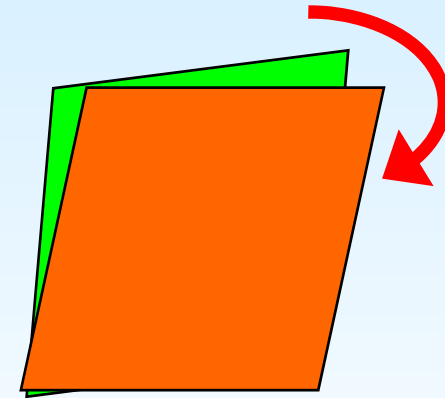
$$\mathbf{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



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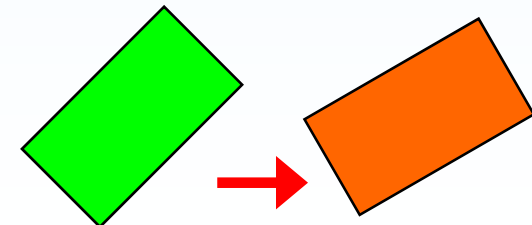
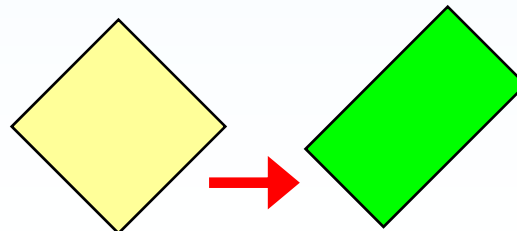


strain

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

rigid body rotation

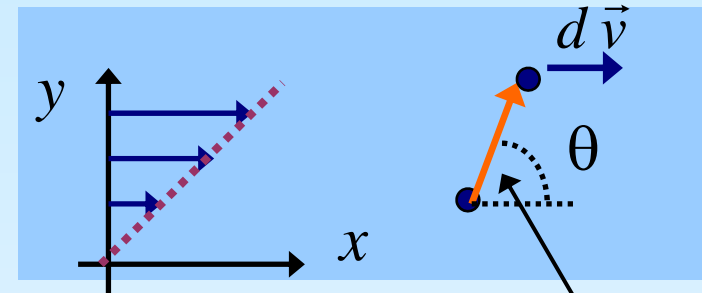
$$\mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ -k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



Example: parallel shear flow. Rate of change of an arbitrary vector.

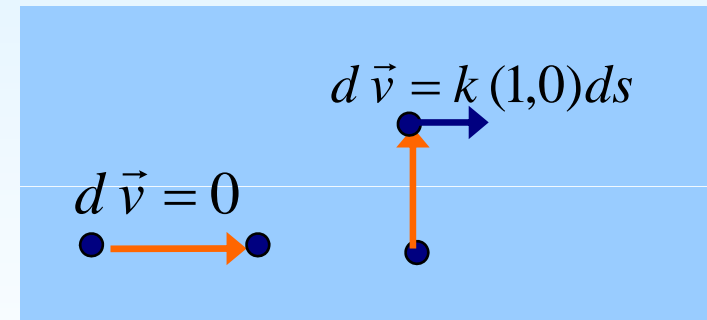
$$v_x = k y, \quad v_y = 0$$

$$\mathbf{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$d\vec{x} = \hat{t} ds = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta) ds$$

$$d\vec{v} = \mathbf{L} \cdot d\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} ds = k(\sin \theta, 0) ds$$



Example: parallel shear flow. Rate of change of an arbitrary vector.

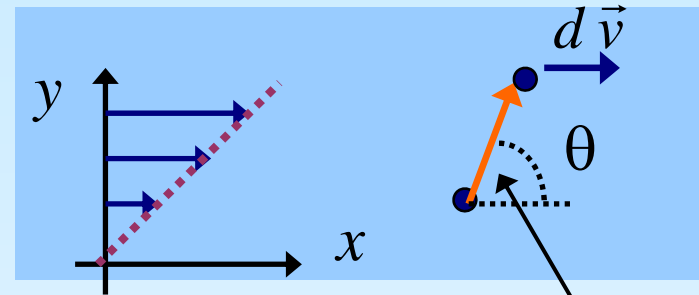
$$v_x = k y, \quad v_y = 0$$

$$\mathbf{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

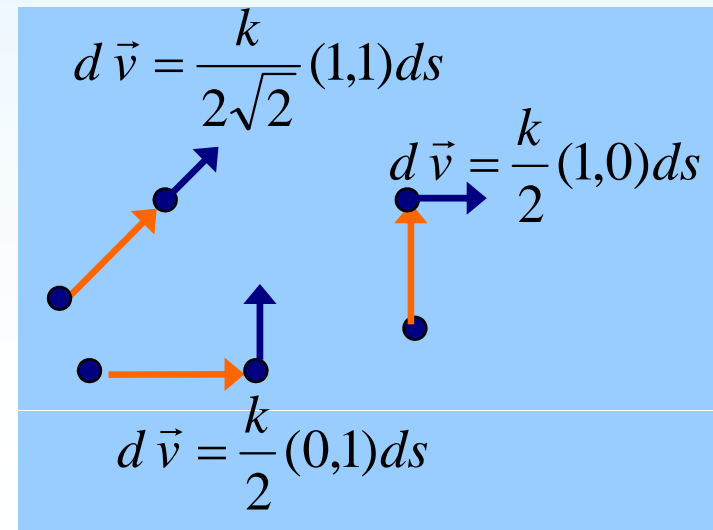
$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ -k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

strain

$$d\vec{v} = \mathbf{D} \cdot d\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} ds = \frac{k}{2} (\sin \theta, \cos \theta) ds$$



$$d\vec{x} = \hat{t} ds = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta) ds$$



Example: parallel shear flow. Rate of change of an arbitrary vector.

$$v_x = k y, \quad v_y = 0$$

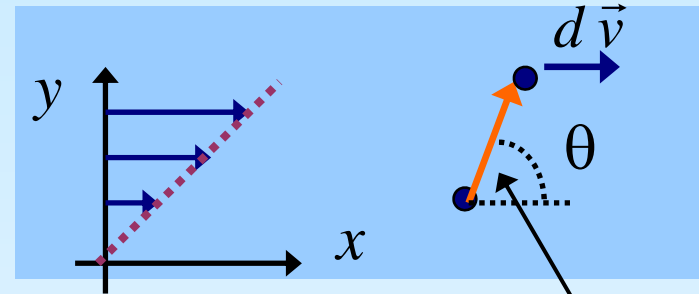
$$\mathbf{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ -k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

rotation

$$d\vec{v} = \mathbf{W} \cdot d\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & k/2 \\ -k/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} ds = \frac{k}{2} (\sin \theta, -\cos \theta) ds$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{k}{2}$$



$$d\vec{x} = \hat{t} ds = (\cos \theta, \sin \theta) ds$$

$$d\vec{v} = \frac{k}{2\sqrt{2}} (1, -1) ds$$

$$d\vec{v} = \frac{k}{2} (1, 0) ds$$

$$d\vec{v} = \frac{k}{2} (0, -1) ds$$

Three diagrams illustrate the components of the vector change d\vec{v}. The top diagram shows d\vec{v} = \frac{k}{2\sqrt{2}} (1, -1) ds as a blue vector pointing down and to the right. The middle diagram shows the horizontal component d\vec{v} = \frac{k}{2} (1, 0) ds as a blue vector pointing to the right. The bottom diagram shows the vertical component d\vec{v} = \frac{k}{2} (0, -1) ds as a blue vector pointing downwards. In all diagrams, an orange line segment represents the ds element.

Computation of the rate of change in length

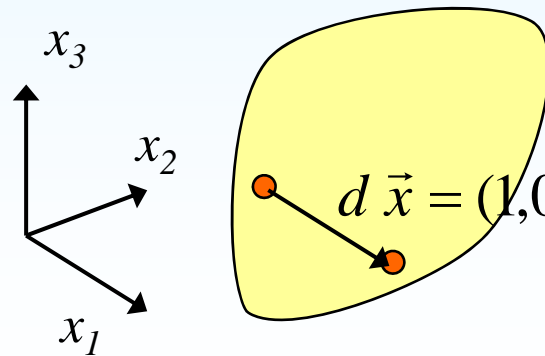
$$\frac{d}{dt}(ds^2) = \frac{d}{dt}(2 d\vec{X} \cdot \mathbf{E} \cdot d\vec{X}) = 2 d\vec{X} \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{E}}{dt} \cdot d\vec{X}$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{F}^T \cdot \mathbf{F} - \mathbf{1})$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(ds^2) = d\vec{x} \cdot (\mathbf{L}^T + \mathbf{L}) \cdot d\vec{x} = 2 d\vec{x} \cdot \mathbf{D} \cdot d\vec{x}$$

$$d\vec{x} = \hat{t} ds$$

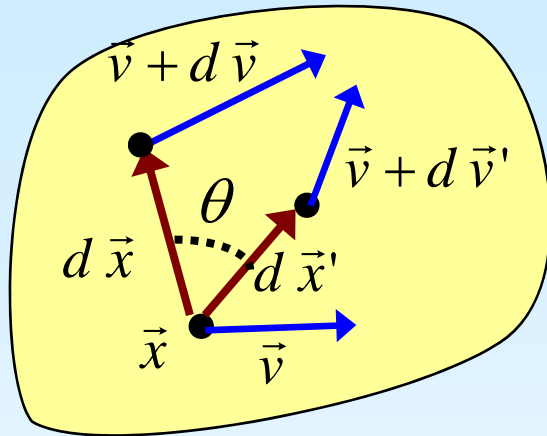
$$\frac{1}{ds} \frac{d}{dt}(ds) = \hat{t} \cdot \mathbf{D} \cdot \hat{t}$$



$$D_{11} = \frac{1}{ds} \frac{d}{dt}(ds)$$

and similarly for D_{22} and D_{33}

Computation of the rate of change in relative angle



$$d\vec{x} \cdot d\vec{x}' = ds ds' \cos \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt}(d\vec{x} \cdot d\vec{x}') &= \frac{dx_i}{dt} dx_i' + dx_i \frac{dx_i'}{dt} = dv_i dx_i' + dx_i dv_i' = \\ L_{ij} dx_j dx_i' + dx_i L_{ij} dx_j' &= L_{ji} dx_i dx_j' + dx_i L_{ij} dx_j' = \end{aligned}$$

$$2D_{ij} dx_i dx_j'$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(ds ds' \cos \theta) = \frac{d}{dt}(ds) ds' \cos \theta + ds \frac{d}{dt}(ds') \cos \theta - ds ds' \sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} =$$

$$\left(D_{ij} (\hat{t}_i \hat{t}_j + \hat{t}_i' \hat{t}_j') \cos \theta - \sin \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} \right) ds ds'$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d\theta}{dt}}$$

Now, if $d\vec{x} = (1,0,0) ds$, $d\vec{x}' = (0,1,0) ds'$

so that $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\boxed{2D_{12} = -\frac{d\theta_{12}}{dt}}$$

Principal axes of the strain rate tensor

$$\begin{pmatrix} D_{11} & D_{12} & D_{13} \\ D_{21} & D_{22} & D_{23} \\ D_{31} & D_{32} & D_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

relative angular velocity of the axes

stretching rate along the axes

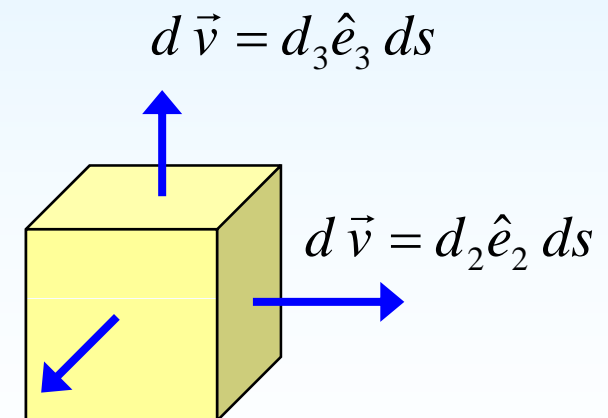
Since the strain rate tensor is symmetric, there exist three principal directions with respect to which

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

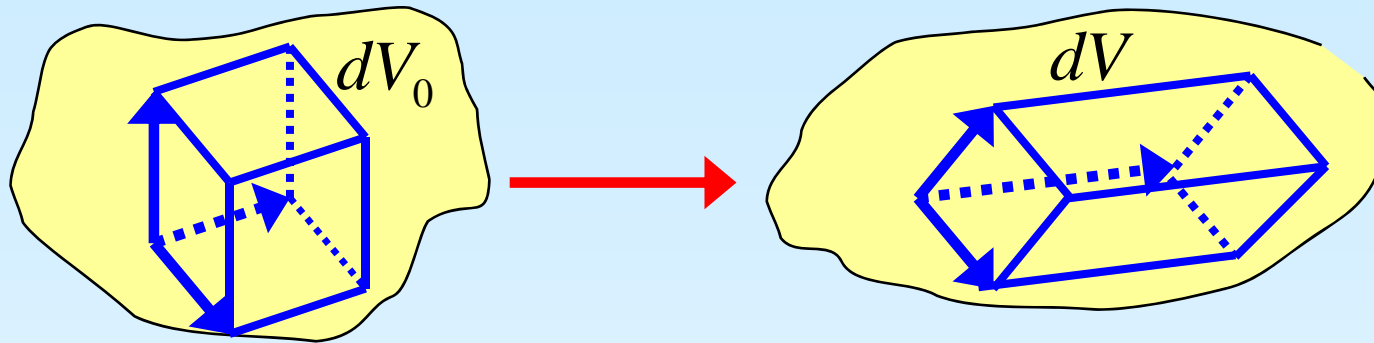
that is, **the deformation is just a stretching along these axes without rotation.**

Warning: this is locally and at a particular time

$$d\vec{v} = d_1 \hat{e}_1 ds$$



6. Time variation of volumes and areas



$$\frac{dV}{dV_0} = |\mathbf{F}|$$

$$|\mathbf{F}| \equiv \det \mathbf{F}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(dV) = \frac{d|\mathbf{F}|}{dt} dV_0$$

$$\frac{d|\mathbf{F}|}{dt} = \frac{\partial |\mathbf{F}|}{\partial F_{ij}} \frac{dF_{ij}}{dt} = |\mathbf{F}| \left\{ \mathbf{F}^{-1} \right\}_{ji} L_{ik} F_{kj} = |\mathbf{F}| \delta_{ki} L_{ik} = |\mathbf{F}| L_{kk}$$

$$\left\{ \mathbf{F}^{-1} \right\}_{ji} = \frac{1}{|\mathbf{F}|} \frac{\partial |\mathbf{F}|}{\partial F_{ij}}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{F}}{dt} = \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{F}$$

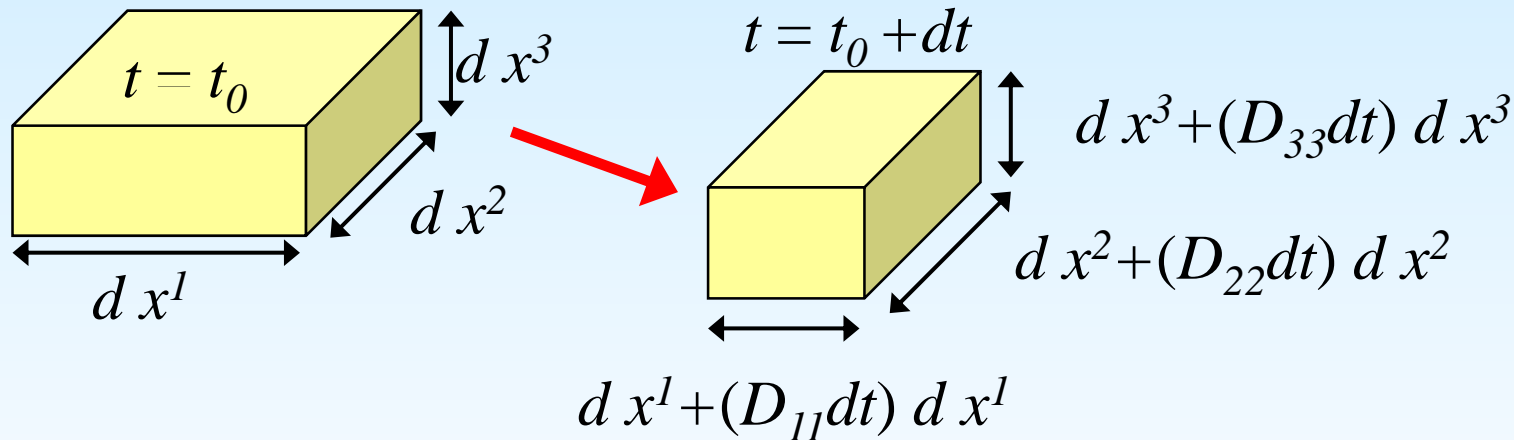
$$\frac{d}{dt}(dV) = (\nabla \cdot \vec{v}) |\mathbf{F}| dV_0$$

$$\frac{1}{V} \frac{dV}{dt} = \nabla \cdot \vec{v}$$

Another proof:

Let (x_1, x_2, x_3) be principal axes of \mathbf{D} at a given point and time \Rightarrow

$$\frac{1}{dx^1} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^1) = D_{11}, \quad \frac{1}{dx^2} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^2) = D_{22}, \quad \frac{1}{dx^3} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^3) = D_{33}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{dV} \frac{d}{dt}(dV) &= \frac{1}{dx^1 dx^2 dx^3} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^1 dx^2 dx^3) = \\ &= \frac{1}{dx^1} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^1) + \frac{1}{dx^2} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^2) + \frac{1}{dx^3} \frac{d}{dt}(dx^3) = \\ &= D_{11} + D_{22} + D_{33} = \text{tr}(\mathbf{D}) \end{aligned}$$

$\text{tr}(\mathbf{D})$ is invariant \Rightarrow
in any coordinate system:

$$\frac{1}{dV} \frac{d}{dt}(dV) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{D}) = \frac{\partial v_i}{\partial x_i} = \nabla \cdot \vec{v}$$

Time variation of areas

$$d \vec{A} = |\mathbf{F}| d \vec{A}_0 \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1}$$

$$\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} = \mathbf{1} \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{d \mathbf{F}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} + \mathbf{F} \cdot \frac{d \mathbf{F}^{-1}}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{d \mathbf{F}^{-1}}{dt} = \mathbf{F}^{-1} \cdot \frac{d \mathbf{F}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1}$$

$$\frac{d \mathbf{F}}{dt} = \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{F}$$

$$\frac{d |\mathbf{F}|}{dt} = |\mathbf{F}| \nabla \cdot \vec{v}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} (d \vec{A}) &= \frac{d |\mathbf{F}|}{dt} d \vec{A}_0 \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} + |\mathbf{F}| d \vec{A}_0 \cdot \frac{d \mathbf{F}^{-1}}{dt} = \\ &= |\mathbf{F}| \nabla \cdot \vec{v} d \vec{A}_0 \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} - |\mathbf{F}| d \vec{A}_0 \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} \cdot \frac{d \mathbf{F}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} = \\ &= \nabla \cdot \vec{v} d \vec{A} - |\mathbf{F}| d \vec{A}_0 \cdot \mathbf{F}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{L} = \nabla \cdot \vec{v} d \vec{A} - d \vec{A} \cdot \mathbf{L} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (d \vec{A}) = (\nabla \cdot \vec{v}) d \vec{A} - d \vec{A} \cdot \mathbf{L}$$