Non local models based on hyperelasticity.

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The deformation gradient is the differential of *u* with respect to *x*, F = Du. In components, $F_{i\alpha} = u_{i,\alpha} = \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_{\alpha}}$.

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Piola-Kirchhoff
stress tensor.



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After imposing second Newton's law, it is obtained:

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- ▷ Deformation can be searched as a minimizer of the functional $I(u) = \int_{\Omega} [W(Du) - Bu] dx.$

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- **2** Weak lower semi-continuity: For every $u_j \rightarrow u$ (weakly), we have the following inequality

 $I(u) \leq \liminf I(u_j).$

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Definition: Polyconvexity

 $W : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \to \mathbb{R}$ is said to be polyconvex iff there exists a convex function $h : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ such that

 $W(A) = h(A, \operatorname{cof} A, \det A).$

Polyconvexity of W

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Existence theorem

Theorem (John Ball)

• There exists a convex function $\hat{W}: \mathbb{R}^{3\times 3} \times \mathbb{R}^{3\times 3} \times (0,\infty) \to (0,\infty)$ such that

$$W(F) = \hat{W}(F, \operatorname{cof} F, \det F) \qquad \forall F \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}_+$$

•
$$W(F) \to \infty$$
 when det $F \to 0$.

• $W(F) \ge c_1(|F|^p + |cofF|^q + (\det F)^r) - c_2.$

Then there exists a minimizer of the functional

$$I[u] := \int_{\Omega} W(x, u, Du) dx.$$

Isotropic models

Money Rivlin materials

$$W(F) = \alpha |F|^2 + \beta |\operatorname{cof} F|^2 + J(\det F),$$

with $\lim_{t\to\infty} J(t) = +\infty$. $\alpha, \beta > 0$.

• Neo-Hookean materials in the case $\beta = 0$. Curious note: Pixar's characters simulation: "Stable Neo-Hookean Flesh Simulation".



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Why a fractional model of hyperelasticity ?

Problem

It is no valid any more when the functions stop being continuous and some singularities arise, like fractures.



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Proposition

- **(a)** $C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is dense in $H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.
- **()** $H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ is reflexive.
- If s < t < 1 and $1 < q \le p \le \frac{nq}{n-(t-s)q}$, then $H^{t,q}(\mathbb{R}^n) \hookrightarrow H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.
- $If 0 < \mu \le s \frac{n}{p}, \text{ then } H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n) \hookrightarrow C^{0,\mu}(\mathbb{R}^n).$
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Theorem (Shieh-Spector 2015)

Set 0 < s < 1 and $1 . Let <math>\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be a bounded open set. Then there exists $C = C(|\Omega|, n, p, s) > 0$ such that

 $||u||_{L^q(\Omega)} \leq C||D^s u||_{L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)}$

for all $u \in H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, and any q satisfying

$$\begin{cases} q \in [1, p^*] & \text{if } sp < n, \\ q \in [1, \infty) & \text{if } sp = n, \\ q \in [1, \infty] & \text{if } sp > n. \end{cases}$$

 $p* = \frac{np}{n-sp}.$

Theorem (Shieh-Spector 2017)

Set 0 < s < 1 and $1 . Let <math>\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be open and bounded and $g \in H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then for any sequence $\{u_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}} \subset H^{s,p}_g(\Omega)$ such that

 $u_j \rightharpoonup u$ in $H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$,

for some $u \in H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$, one has $u \in H^{s,p}_g(\Omega)$ and

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• Cavitation: Let $\varphi \in C_c^{\infty}([0,\infty))$ be such that $\varphi(0) > 0$, and $u(x) = \frac{x}{|x|}\varphi(|x|)$. Then

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Cavitation:

The sudden formation of voids in a material.

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Theorem

Let $W : \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \to \mathbb{R} \cup \{\infty\}$ satisfy the following conditions:

- W(x, y, ·) is polyconvex.
- **(a)** There exists $h: [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$ such that $\lim_{t \to \infty} \frac{h(t)}{t} = \infty$ and

$$\begin{cases} W(x, y, F) \ge a(x) + c |F|^{p} + c |cofF|^{q} + h(|\det F|), & \text{if } sp < n, \\ W(x, y, F) \ge a(x) + c |F|^{p}, & \text{if } sp \ge n, \end{cases}$$

for $a \in L^1$ and some $q > \frac{p^*}{p^*-1}$. Let Ω be a bounded open subset of \mathbb{R}^n and $u_0 \in H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$. Then there exists a minimizer of I in $H^{s,p}_{u_0}(\Omega, \mathbb{R}^n)$.

How do we do it ?

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Theorem: Integrations by parts

Let $u \in L^1_{loc}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and $D^s u \in L^1_{loc}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$, then for all $\phi \in C^1_c(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$,

$$\int D^s u(x) \cdot \phi(x) \, dx = -\int u(x) \mathrm{div}^s \phi(x) \, dx.$$

Polyconvexity of W

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s-fractional divergence of the product

Lemma

Let $g \in H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$ and $\varphi \in C_c^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then $\varphi g \in H^{s,p(\mathbb{R}^n),\mathbb{R}^n}$ and for a.e. $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$div^{s}(\varphi g)(x) = \varphi(x)div^{s}g(x) + K_{\varphi(x)}(g^{T})(x),$$

where the operator $K_{\varphi} : L^q(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}) \to L^p(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^k)$ defined as

$$\mathcal{K}_{\varphi}(U)(x) = c_{n,s} \int \frac{\varphi(x) - \varphi(y)}{|x - y|^{n+s}} U(y) \frac{x - y}{|x - y|} dy, \qquad a.e. \ x \in \mathbb{R}^n,$$

is linear and bounded for all $p \in [1, q]$.

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In the case of the first row:

$$-c_{n,s}pv_{x}\int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}\frac{(cof(D^{s}u))_{1}(x')}{|x-x'|^{n+s}}\cdot\frac{x-x'}{x-x'}dx'=0$$

Special attention had to be paid to the limits in the singularities!

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Integration by parts of the determinant

Classical result

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$$\int \det(Du)(x)\varphi(x)\,dx = -\frac{1}{n}\int u(x)\cdot\nabla\varphi\mathrm{cof}(Du)(x)\,dx$$

Lemma

For every $\varphi \in C_c^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ we have that $u \cdot K_{\varphi}(cofD^s u) \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$ and

$$\int \det(D^s u)(x) \, \varphi(x) \, dx = -\frac{1}{n} \int u(x) \cdot K_{\varphi}(\operatorname{cof}(D^s u))(x) \, dx.$$

Weak continuity of the determinant

Weak continuity of the minors

Let $u_j \rightharpoonup u$ in $H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$ and $M : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ a minor of order r, then

$$M(D^{s}u_{j}) \rightharpoonup M(D^{s}u)$$

in $L^{\frac{p}{r}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

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Convergence of the fractional gradients $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \frac{1}{n}$

For $u \in W^{1,p}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^m)$ we have that

 $D^s u \to D u$

as *s* goes to 1^- , strongly in $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^{n \times m})$.

Recovering the classical model

Γ-convergence in fractional hyperelasticity

Let $W : \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \to \mathbb{R}$ such that $W(x, u, \cdot)$ is quasiconvex for a.e. \mathbb{R}^n and all $u \in \mathbb{R}^m$. Let

$$I_{s}(u) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} W(x, u, D^{s}u) \, dx$$

be defined in $H_g^{s,p}(\Omega; \mathbb{R}^m)$, and let

$$I(u) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} W(x, u, Du) \, dx$$

be defined on $W_g^{1,p}(\Omega; \mathbb{R}^m)$. Then

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Γ−convergence

Fractional Mean Value Theorem (p = 1 Comi-Stefani 2019) Let $u \in H^{s,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$. Then, for every $s_0 > 0$ there exists a constant C > 0 such that for every $s, s_0 \le s < 1$ and for every $h \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |u(x+h) - u(x)|^p dx \le C |h|^{sp} ||D^s u||_{L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)}^p$$

Proposition

Let
$$\{u_s\}_{s\in(0,1)}$$
 where each $u_s\in H^{s,p}_g(\Omega)$. If

$$||D^{s}u_{s}||_{L^{p}(\mathbb{R}^{n})}\leq C,$$

then there exists $u \in W^{1,p}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ such that $D^s u_s \rightarrow Du$ in $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

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New model on bounded domains

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Thank you very much for your attention.

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