

A benchmark of a viscoelastic(LUBBY2) model

The LUBBY2 model is based on the generalised Burgers model and is described by the following evolution equation [1]:

$$\begin{aligned}\boldsymbol{\sigma} &= K_M e \mathbf{I} + 2G_M [\boldsymbol{\epsilon}^D - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_M^D - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^D] \\ \dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_K^D &= \frac{1}{2\eta_K} (\boldsymbol{\sigma}^D - 2G_K \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^D)\end{aligned}\quad (1)$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_M^D = \frac{1}{2\eta_M} \boldsymbol{\sigma}^D$$

where $\boldsymbol{\sigma}^D$ is the deviatoric stress, $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}^D$ is the deviatoric strain, and e is the volume strain. The viscosities and the Kelvin shear modulus of the Lubby2 formulation are functions of the current stress state

$$\begin{aligned}\eta_M &= \eta_{M0} e^{m_1 \sigma_{eff}} \\ \eta_K &= \eta_{K0} e^{m_2 \sigma_{eff}} \\ G_K &= G_{K0} e^{m_G \sigma_{eff}}\end{aligned}\quad (2)$$

with

$$\sigma_{eff} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} \boldsymbol{\sigma}^D : \boldsymbol{\sigma}^D} \quad (3)$$

where m_a are material parameters characterising the stress dependency.

The rheological model is shown in Fig. 1 consisting of a Maxwell element in series with a Kelvin element.

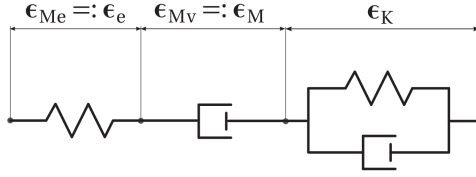


Figure 1: Rheological analogue of the LUBBY2 model.

The state vector $z = (\boldsymbol{\sigma}^{DT}, \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^{DT}, \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_M^{DT})$, which contains unknowns, are solved by using the Newton-Raphson method with the residual vector of

$$\mathbf{r}_1^j = \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{Dj} - 2 \left(\boldsymbol{\epsilon}^{Dj} - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^{Dj} - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_M^{Dj} \right) \quad (4)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_2^j = \frac{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^{Dj} - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^{Dt}}{\Delta t} - \frac{1}{2\eta_K} \left(G_M \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{Dj} - 2G_K \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^{Dj} \right) \quad (5)$$

$$\mathbf{r}_3^j = \frac{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_M^{Dj} - \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_M^{Dt}}{\Delta t} - \frac{G_M}{2\eta_M} \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{Dj} \quad (6)$$

and the 18×18 Jacobian:

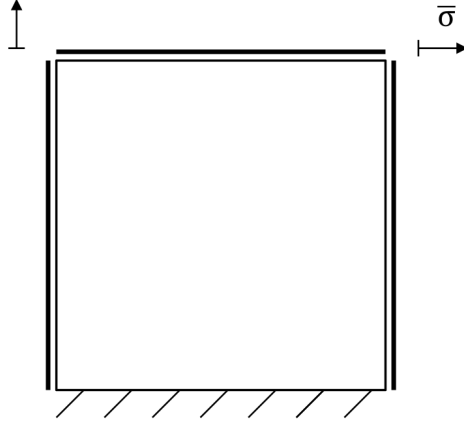


Figure 2: Loading and boundary conditions.

Table 1: Material properties used in the LUBBY2 model

G_{M0} / MPa	K_{M0} / MPa	$\eta_{M0} / (\text{MPa}\cdot\text{s})$	G_{K0} / MPa	$\eta_{K0} / (\text{MPa}\cdot\text{s})$	m_1	m_2	m_G
0.8	0.8	0.5	0.8	0.5	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial \mathbf{z}} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{J}_{11} & \mathbf{J}_{12} & \mathbf{J}_{13} \\ \mathbf{J}_{21} & \mathbf{J}_{22} & \mathbf{J}_{23} \\ \mathbf{J}_{31} & \mathbf{J}_{32} & \mathbf{J}_{33} \end{pmatrix} \quad (7)$$

where the components are given as follows:

$$\mathbf{J}_{11} = \frac{1}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I}, \mathbf{J}_{12} = \frac{2}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I}, \mathbf{J}_{13} = \frac{2}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I} \quad (8)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{21} = -\frac{G_M}{2\eta_K} \mathbf{I}, \mathbf{J}_{22} = \frac{1}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I} + \frac{G_K}{\eta_K} \mathbf{I}, \mathbf{J}_{23} = \mathbf{0} \quad (9)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{31} = -\frac{G_M}{2\eta_M} \mathbf{I}, \mathbf{J}_{32} = \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{J}_{33} = \frac{1}{\Delta t} \mathbf{I} \quad (10)$$

for $\sigma_{\text{eff}} > 0$

$$\mathbf{J}_{21} = \frac{1}{2\eta_K} \left(G_M \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{\text{D}j} - 2G_K \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^j \right) \frac{3}{2} m_2 G_M \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}^{\text{D}j})^T}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}} + \frac{3}{2\eta_K} \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_K^j m_G G_K G_M \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}^{\text{D}j})^T}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}} \quad (11)$$

$$\mathbf{J}_{31} = \frac{1}{2\eta_M} G_M \boldsymbol{\sigma}^{\text{D}j} \frac{3}{2} m_1 G_M \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}^{\text{D}j})^T}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}} \quad (12)$$

The mechanical model is a square plate/cube with a positive shear stress of 0.01 MPa applied on the top side/surface, see Fig. 2. Displacements of the left, right side and the top are constrained in vertical direction. The material property set for this benchmark is listed in Table 1.

References

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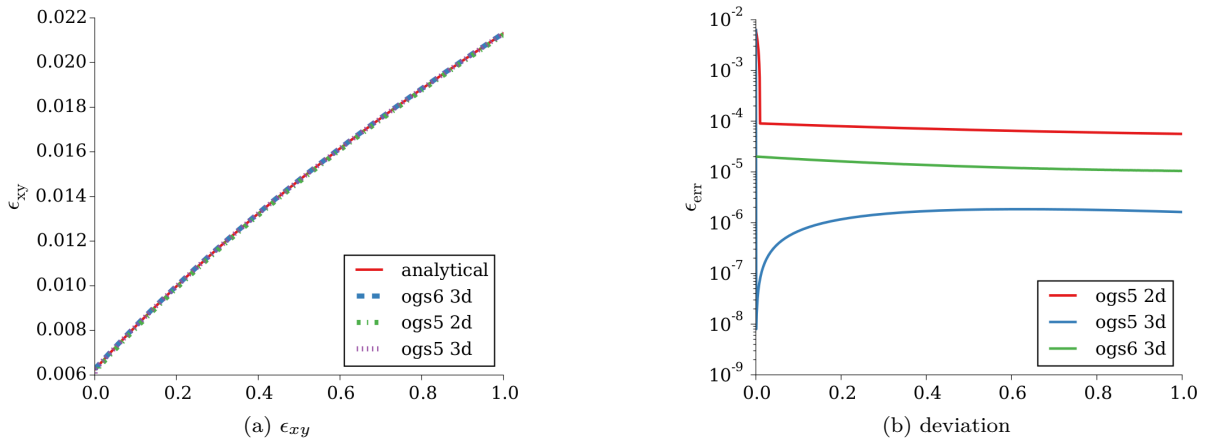


Figure 3: Variation of the shear strain with time (a) and the deviation between analytical solution and numerical simulations (b).