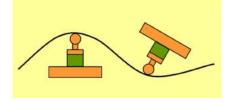


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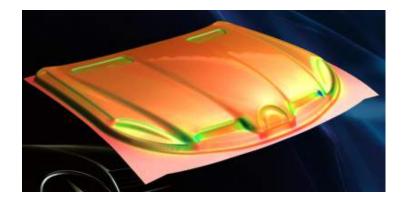
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Ch. 9 Boothroyd, Dewhurst and Knight





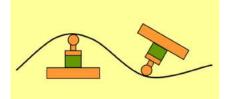
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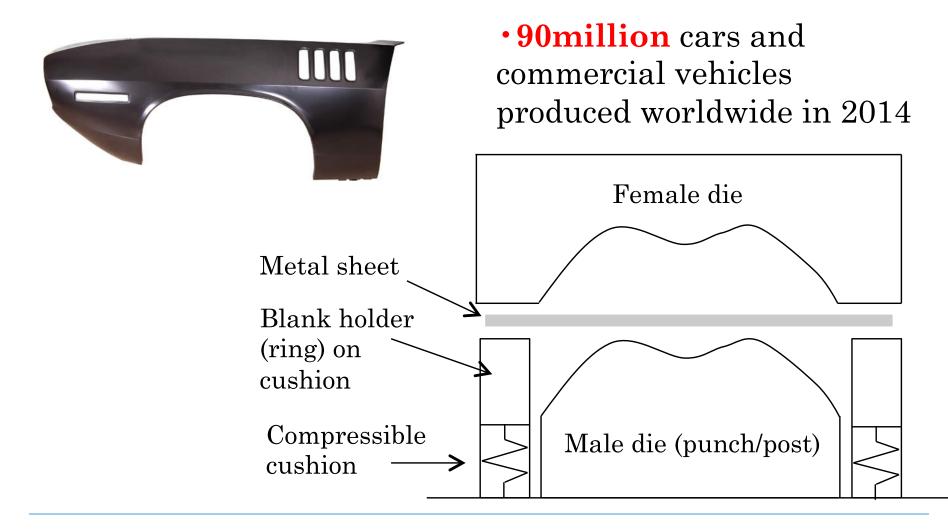




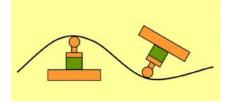




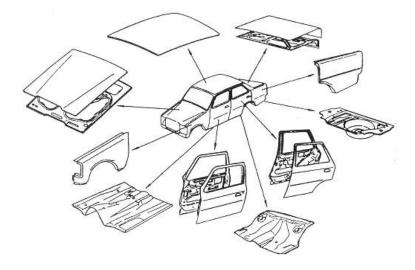
#### Sheet metal stamping/drawing – car industry





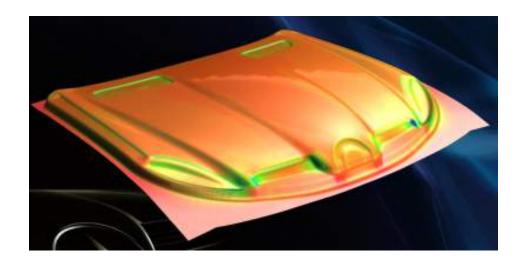


# Stamping Auto body panels

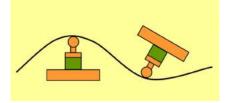


- Forming dies
- Trimming station
- Flanging station

- $\cdot$  3 to 5 dies each
- Prototype dies ~ \$50,000
- Production dies ~ 0.75-1 mil.







# **Objectives**

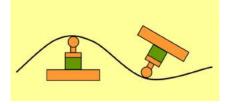
By the end of today you should be able to...

...**describe** different forming processes, when they might be used, and **compare** their production rates, costs and environmental impacts

...**calculate** forming forces, **predict** part defects (tearing, wrinkling, dimensional inaccuracy), and **propose** solutions

...**explain** current developments: opportunities and challenges

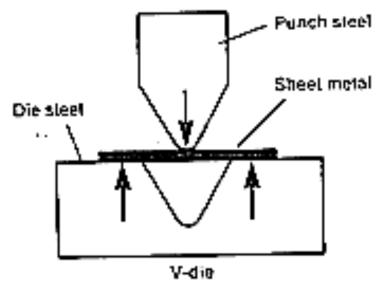




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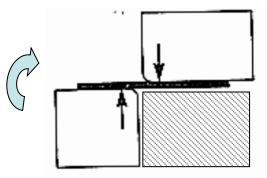
#### Brake press





#### Finger brake





# Technology – a brief review

Forming Speed

#### <u>Material drawn into shape</u>

•Conventional drawing/stamping – expensive tooling, no net thinning, quick 20-1000pts/hr

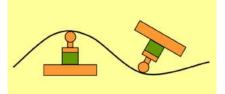
•Hydro-forming – cheap tooling, no net thinning, slow, high formability **7-13cycles/hr** 

#### <u>Material stretched into shape</u>

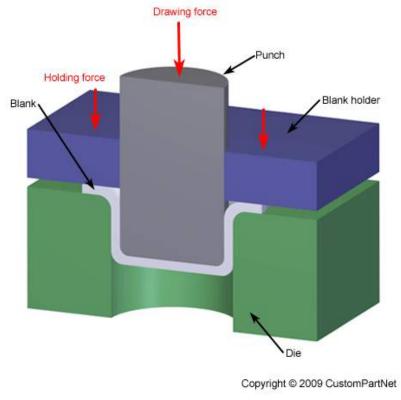
•Stretch forming – very cheap tooling, net thinning, slow, low formability **3-8pts/hr** 

•Super-plastic forming – cheap tooling, net thinning, expensive sheet metal, slow, very high formability 0.3-4pts/hr

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#### **Drawing** – expensive tooling, no net thinning, quick



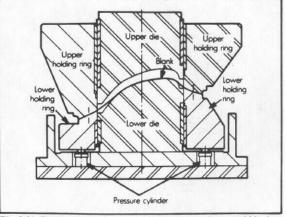
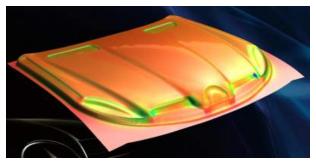


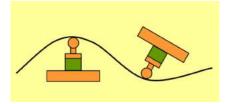
Fig. 7-23 Tooling for stretch-draw forming fenders from steel blanks. (Oldsmobile Div., General Motors Corp.)



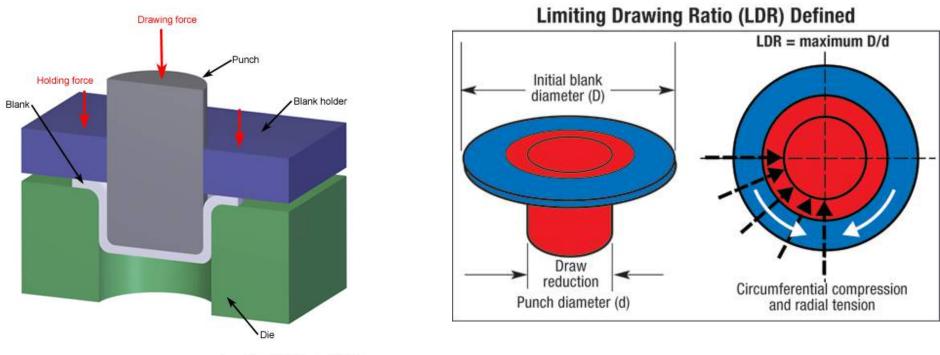
#### Deep-drawing

#### Shallow-drawing (stamping)





# Deep-drawing

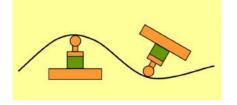


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Blank holder helps prevent wrinkling and reduces springback

Blank holder not necessary if blank diameter / blank thickness is less than 25-40. Smaller values for deeper forming.

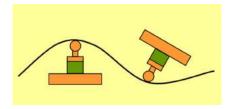




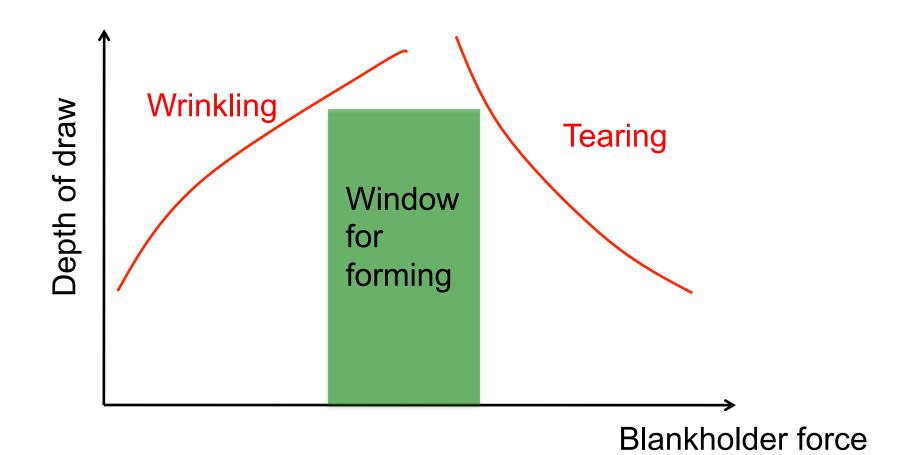


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# Blank holder force: forming window

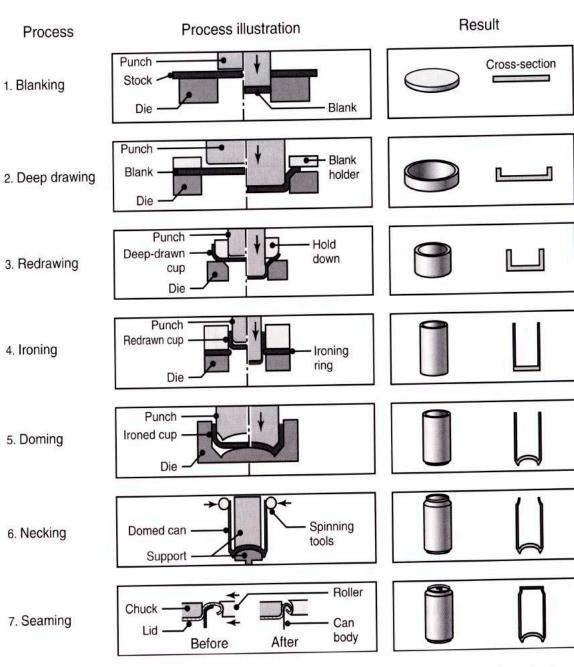




#### Deep Drawing of drinks cans



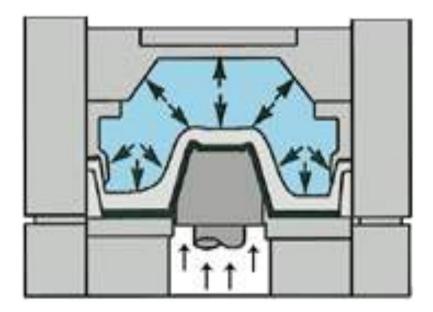
Hosford and Duncan (can making): http:// www.chymist.com/ Aluminum %20can.pdf



**FIGURE 16.31** beverage can.

1 The metal-forming processes involved in manufacturing a two-piece aluminur

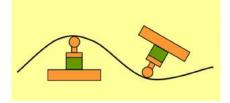
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#### Low volume batches

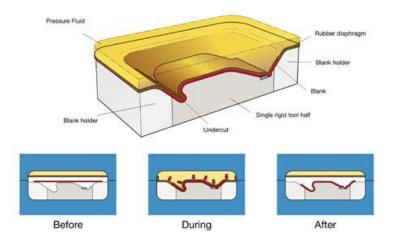




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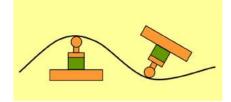


#### Flexform – Principle



#### Low volume batches



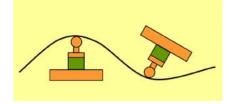


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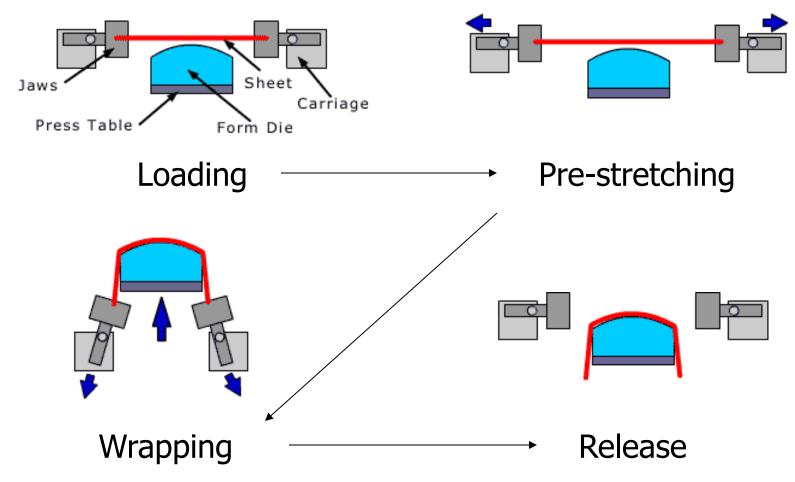


#### Small flexforming tool made by additive manufacturing





# Stretch forming – very cheap tooling, net thinning, slow, low formability, sheet metal up to 15mx9m



\* source: http://www.cyrilbath.com/sheet\_process.html

#### Low volume batches

### **Stretch forming: Example parts**

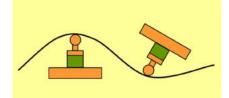




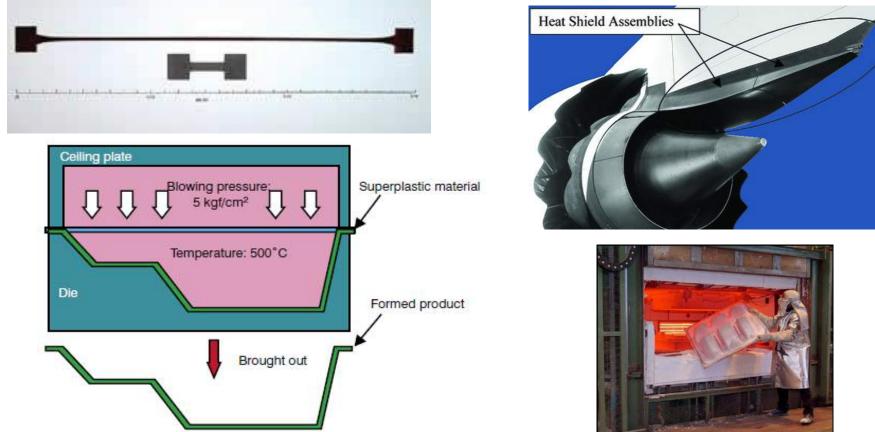


#### Higher aspect ratio, deeper parts



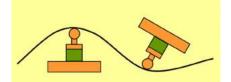


# **Super-plastic forming** – cheap tooling, net thinning, slow, expensive sheet metal, very high formability



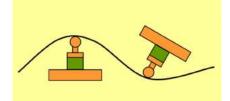
### Low volume batches, 0.5-0.75 melting temp



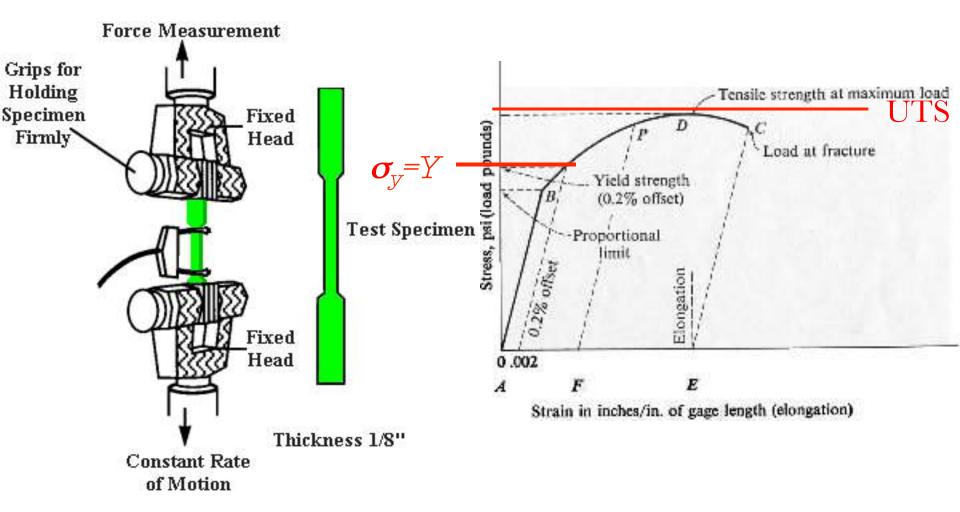


# Forming forces and part geometry

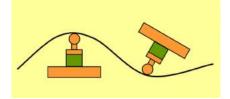


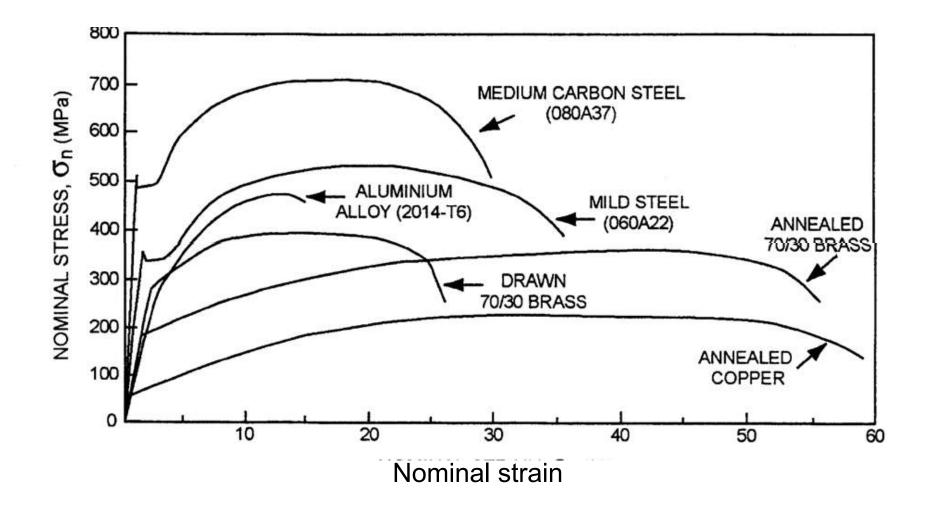


## Tensile test – the Stress-strain diagram

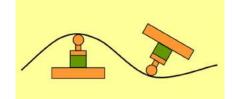




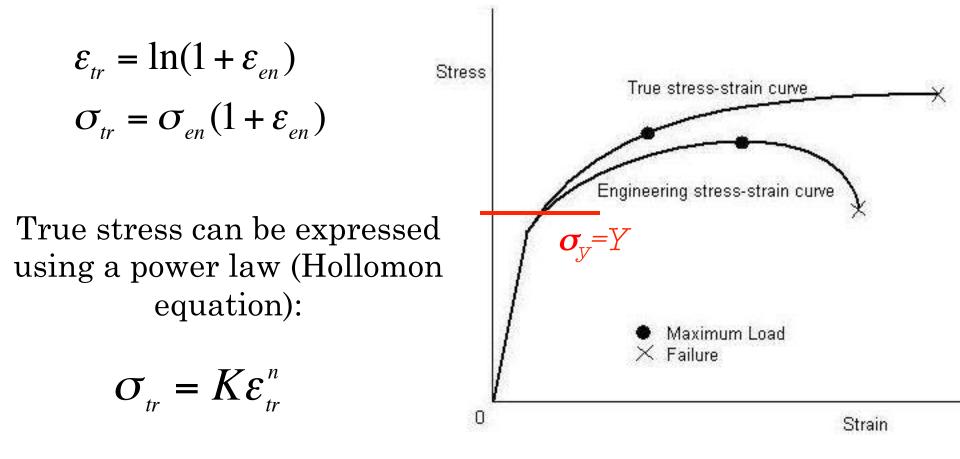




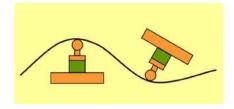


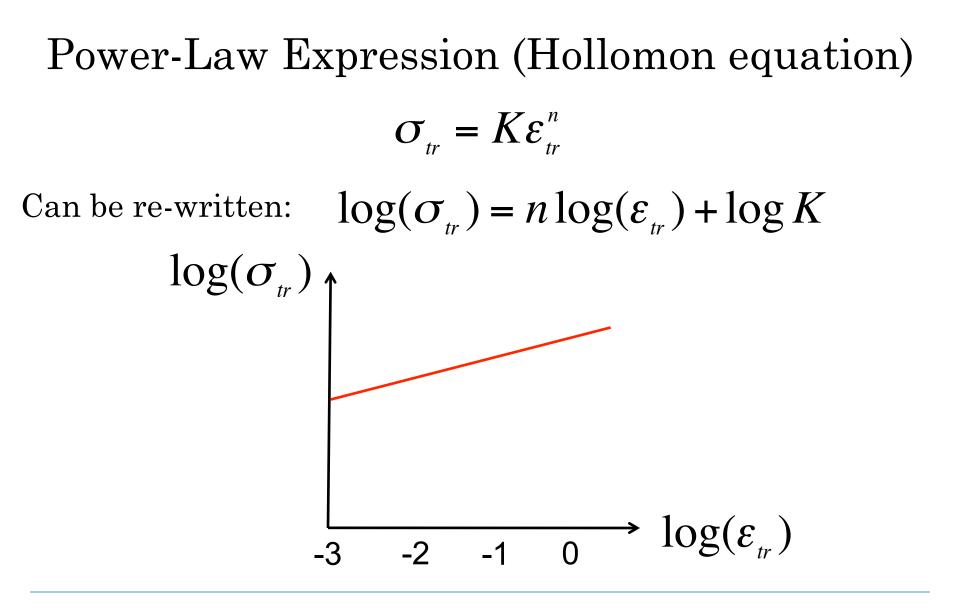


## True stress & strain

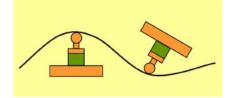






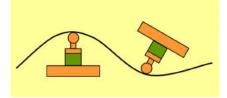






# Power-Law Expression (Hollomon equation) $\sigma_{tr} = K \varepsilon_{tr}^{n}$ $\log(\sigma_{tr}) = n \log(\varepsilon_{tr}) + \log K$ Can be re-written: $\log(\sigma_{tr})$ $\rightarrow \log(\mathcal{E}_{tr})$ 0 -3 -2 -1

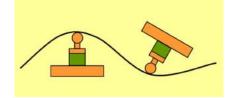




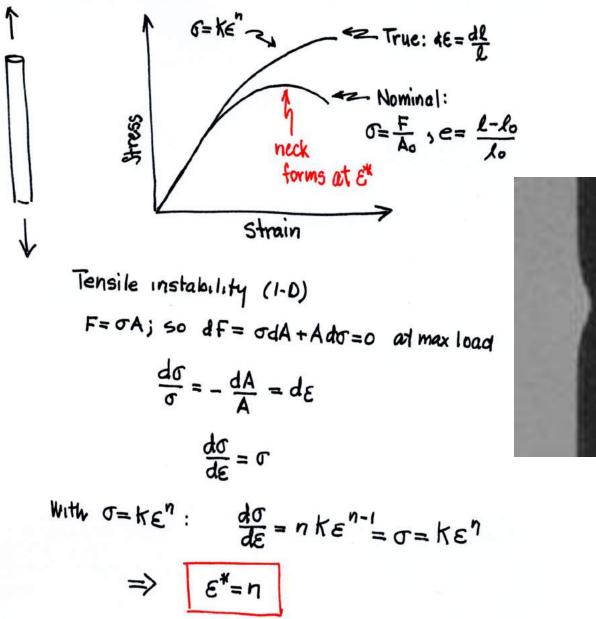
#### TABLE 2.3

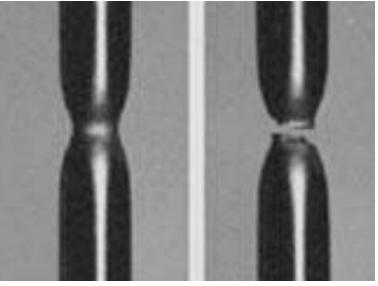
Typical Values for K and n for Selected Metals		
Material	K (MPa)	п
Aluminum		
1100-O	180	0.20
2024-T4	690	0.16
5052-O	202	0.13
6061-O	205	0.20
6061-T6	410	0.05
7075-O	400	0.17
Brass		
70-30, annealed	900	0.49
85-15, cold rolled	580	0.34
Cobalt-based alloy, heat treated	2070	0.50
Copper, annealed	315	0.54
Steel		
Low-C, annealed	530	0.26
1020, annealed	745	0.20
4135, annealed	1015	0.17
4135, cold rolled	1100	0.14
4340, annealed	640	0.15
304 stainless, annealed	1275	0.45
410 stainless, annealed	960	0.10
Titanium		
Ti-6Al-4V, annealed, 20°C	1400	0.015
Ti-6Al-4V, annealed, 200°C	1040	0.026
Ti-6Al-4V, annealed, 600°C	650	0.064
Ti-6Al-4V, annealed, 800°C	350	0.146

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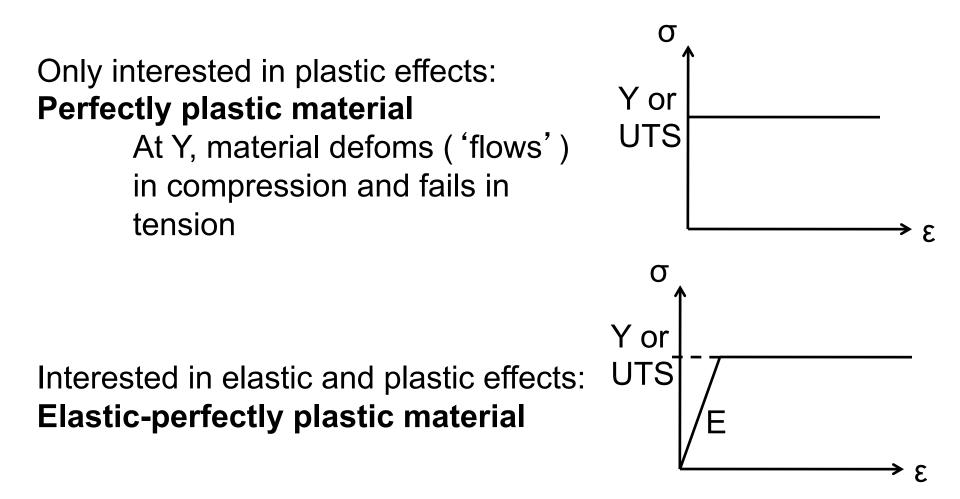


#### Tensile instability - necking

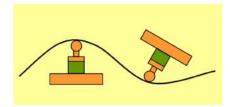


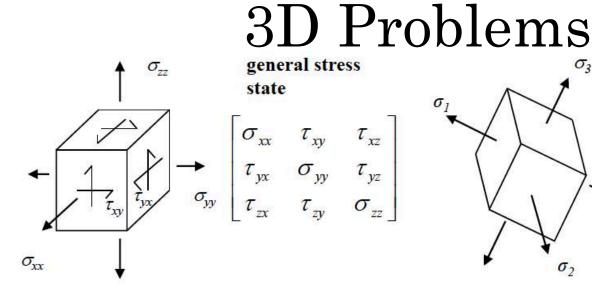


## Useful assumptions



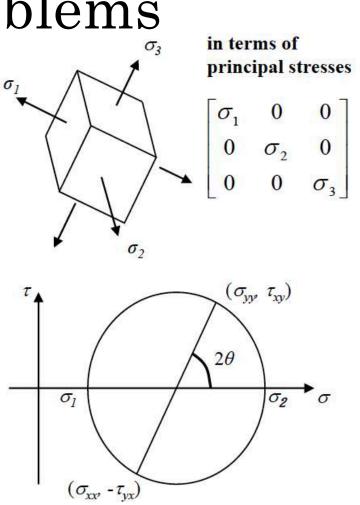






For any general stress state we can find a set of *principal axes*. The stress tensor for these axes contains no off-diagonal (shear) terms – only three principal stresses along the three axes.

Mohr's circle allows rotation of axes in two dimensions about one principal axis



In 1-D,  $\sigma = K\varepsilon^{n}$  assuming perfectly plastic, yielding at:  $\sigma = Y$ In 3-D,  $\sigma_{eff} = K\varepsilon^{n}_{eff}$  assuming perfectly plastic, yielding at:  $\sigma_{eff} = Y$ 

# **3D Yield Criteria**

**Tresca:** Yielding occurs at a maximum shear stress

**Von Mises:** Yielding at maximum distortion strain energy

Effective stress (in principal directions):

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$$\sigma_{eff} = \left[\sigma_i - \sigma_j\right]_{\substack{\text{max,}\\ i \neq j}}$$

Yield criterion:

$$\sigma_{eff} = Y$$

$$\tau_{max} = k = \frac{Y}{2}$$

Effective strain:

$$\varepsilon_{eff} = \left(\varepsilon_{i}\right)_{\max}$$

Effective stress (in principal directions):

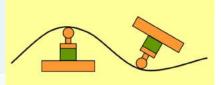
$$\sigma_{eff} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \times \begin{bmatrix} (\sigma_2 - \sigma_3)^2 + (\sigma_3 - \sigma_1)^2 \\ + (\sigma_1 - \sigma_2)^2 \end{bmatrix}}$$

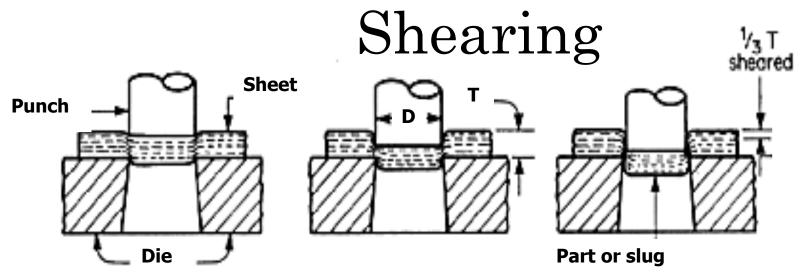
Yield criterion:

$$\sigma_{eff} = Y$$
$$Y = \sqrt{3}k$$

Effective strain:

$$\varepsilon_{eff} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \times \left(\varepsilon_1^2 + \varepsilon_2^2 + \varepsilon_3^2\right)}$$





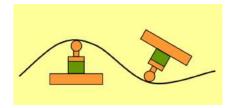
F = 0.7 T L (UTS)

T = Sheet Thickness L = Total length Sheared UTS = Ultimate Tensile Strength of material



#### Shear press - LMP Shop





# Side Note: For a general state of stress use "effective stress"

#### **2-6 EFFECTIVE STRESS**

With either yield criterion, it is useful to define an effective stress denoted as  $\bar{\sigma}$  which is a function of the applied stresses. If the *magnitude* of  $\bar{\sigma}$  reaches a critical value, then the applied stress state will cause yielding; in essence, it has reached an effective level. For the von Mises criterion,

$$\bar{\sigma} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(\sigma_1 - \sigma_2)^2 + (\sigma_2 - \sigma_3)^2 + (\sigma_3 - \sigma_1)^2]^{1/2}$$
(2-16)

while for the Tresca criterion,

$$\bar{\sigma} = \sigma_1 - \sigma_3$$
 where  $\sigma_1 > \sigma_2 > \sigma_3$  (2-17)

Yielding occurs when 
$$\sigma_{\text{effective}}$$
 = Y

Material taken from *Metal Forming*, by Hosford and Caddell

# Origin of effective strain

#### 2-7 EFFECTIVE STRAIN

Effective strain is defined such that the incremental work per unit volume is

$$dw = \bar{\sigma} d\bar{\epsilon} = \sigma_1 d\epsilon_1 + \sigma_2 d\epsilon_2 + \sigma_3 d\epsilon_3 \qquad (2-18)$$

For the von Mises criterion, the effective strain is given by

$$d\bar{\epsilon} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} [(d\epsilon_1 - d\epsilon_2)^2 + (d\epsilon_2 - d\epsilon_3)^2 + (d\epsilon_3 - d\epsilon_1)^2]^{1/2} \quad (2-19)$$

which may be expressed in a simpler form as

$$d\bar{\epsilon} = \left[\frac{2}{3}(d\epsilon_1^2 + d\epsilon_2^2 + d\epsilon_3^2)\right]^{1/2}$$
(2-20)

If the straining is proportional (with a constant ratio of  $d\epsilon_1 : d\epsilon_2 : d\epsilon_3$ ), the total effective strain may be expressed in terms of the total strains as

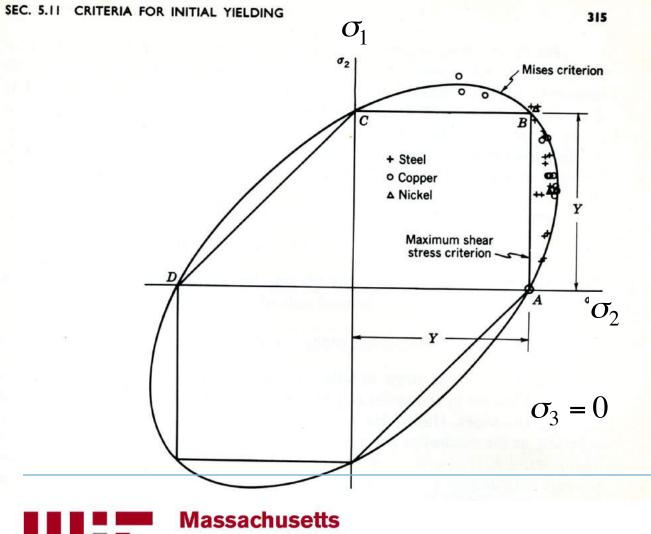
$$\bar{\epsilon} = \left[\frac{2}{3}(\epsilon_1^2 + \epsilon_2^2 + \epsilon_3^2)\right]^{1/2} \tag{2-21}$$

If the strain path is not constant,  $\bar{\epsilon}$  must be found from a path integral of  $d\bar{\epsilon}$ . In

$$\overline{\sigma} = K\overline{\varepsilon}^n$$

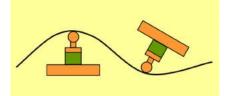
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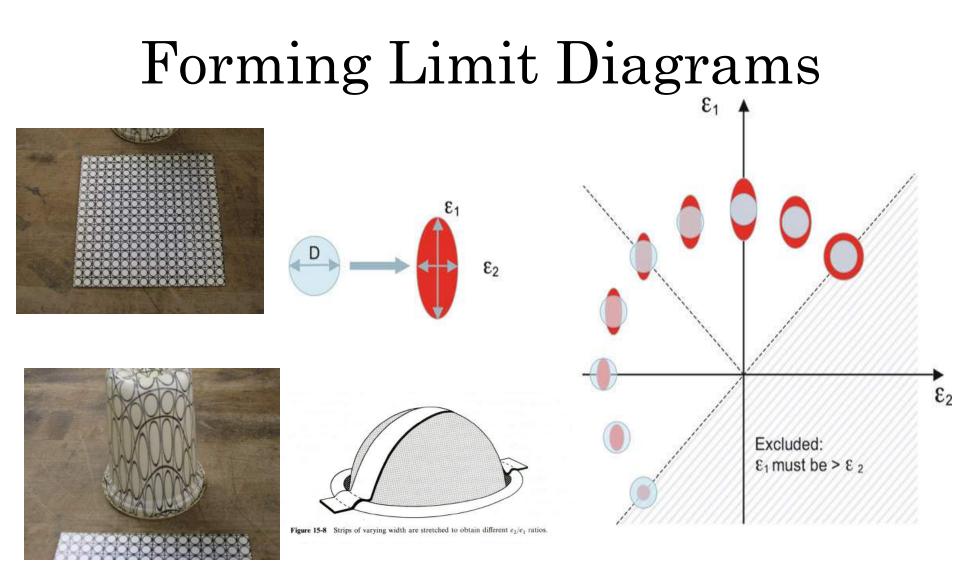
# 3D Yield Effective stress



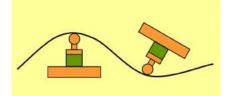
Tresca predicts 'flow' for lower stresses than von Mises

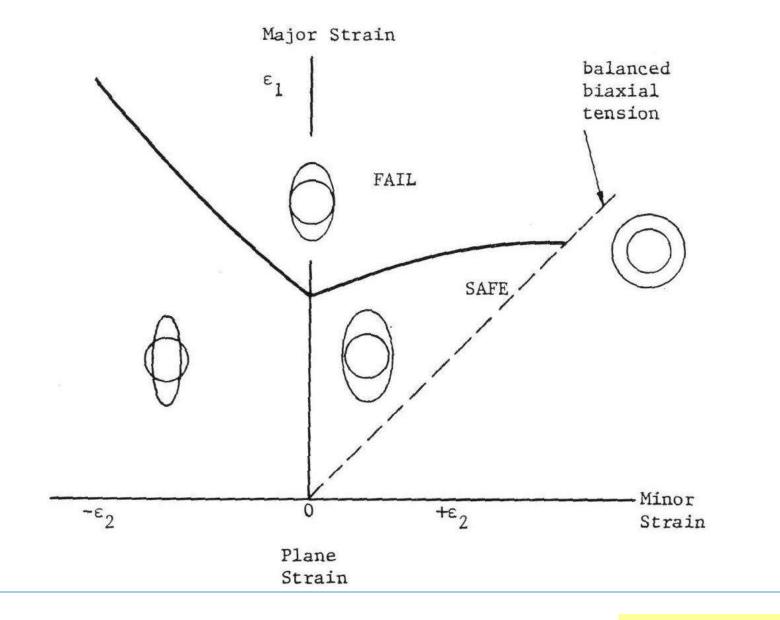
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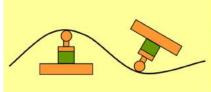


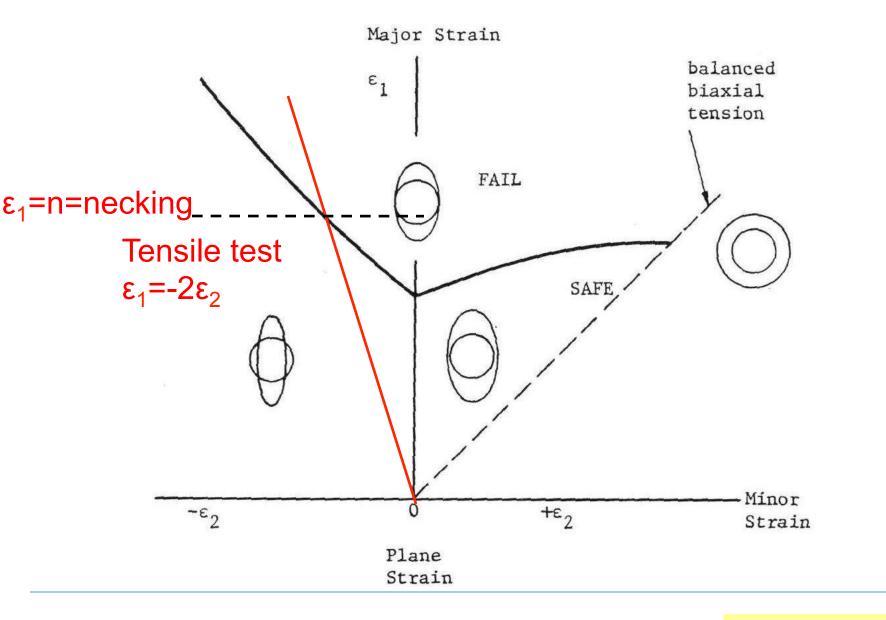




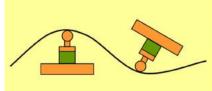


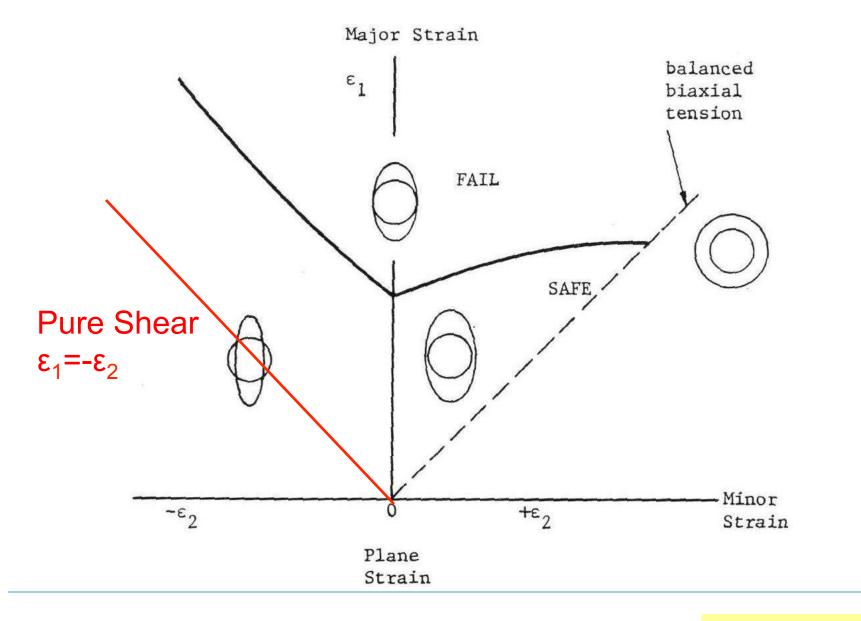




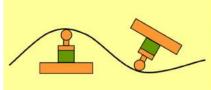












#### **Stretch forming: Forming force**



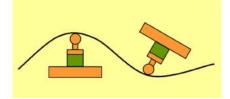




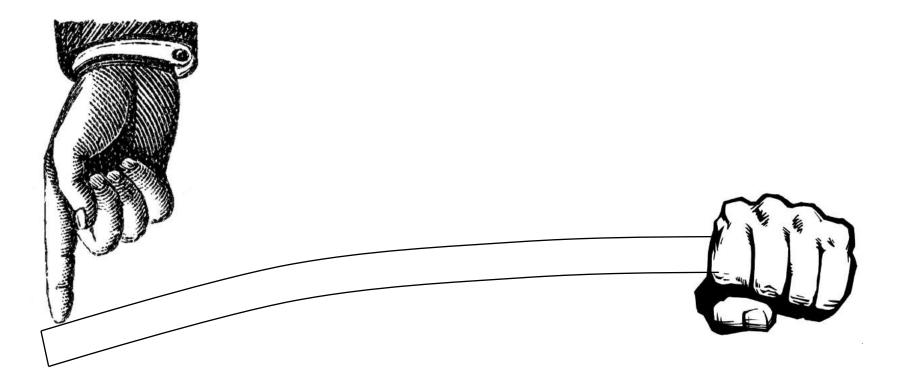
#### $F = (Y_{S} + UTS)/2 * A$

F = stretch forming force (lbs)
Y<sub>S</sub> = material yield strength (psi)
UTS = ultimate tensile strength of the material (psi)
A = Cross-sectional area of the workpiece (in2)

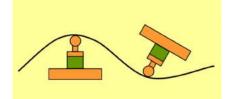


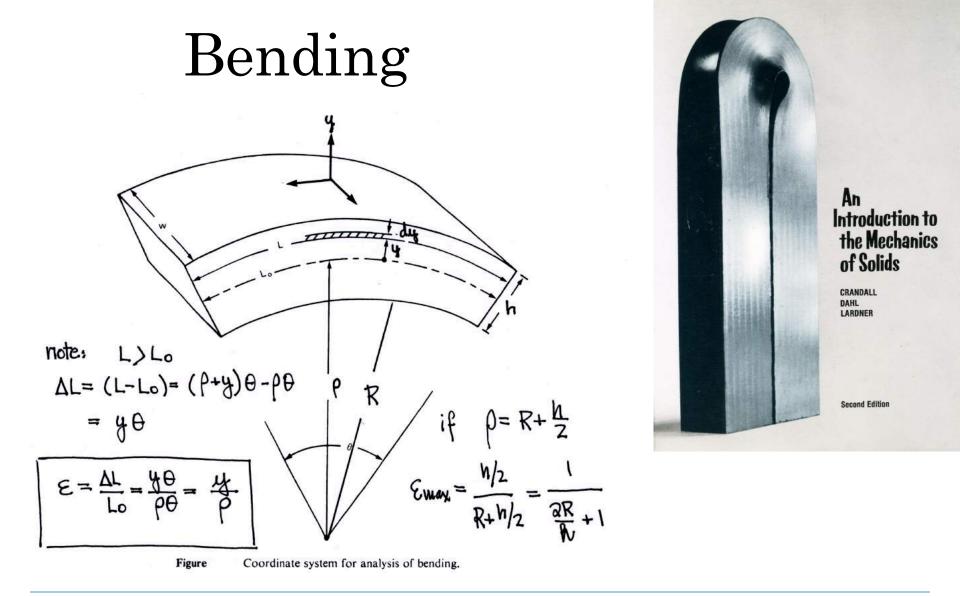


#### Forces needed to bend sheet metal

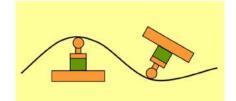




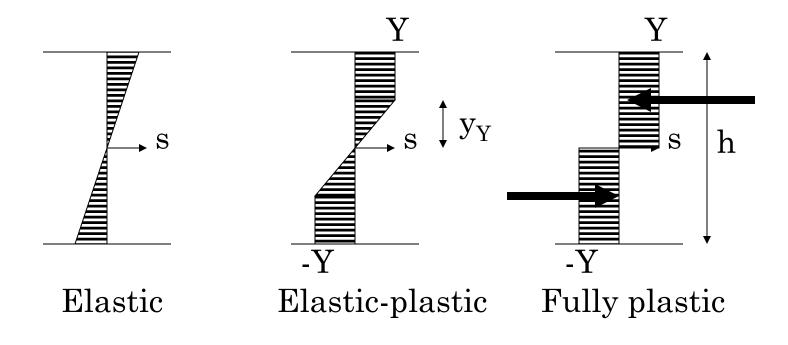






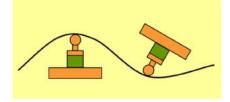


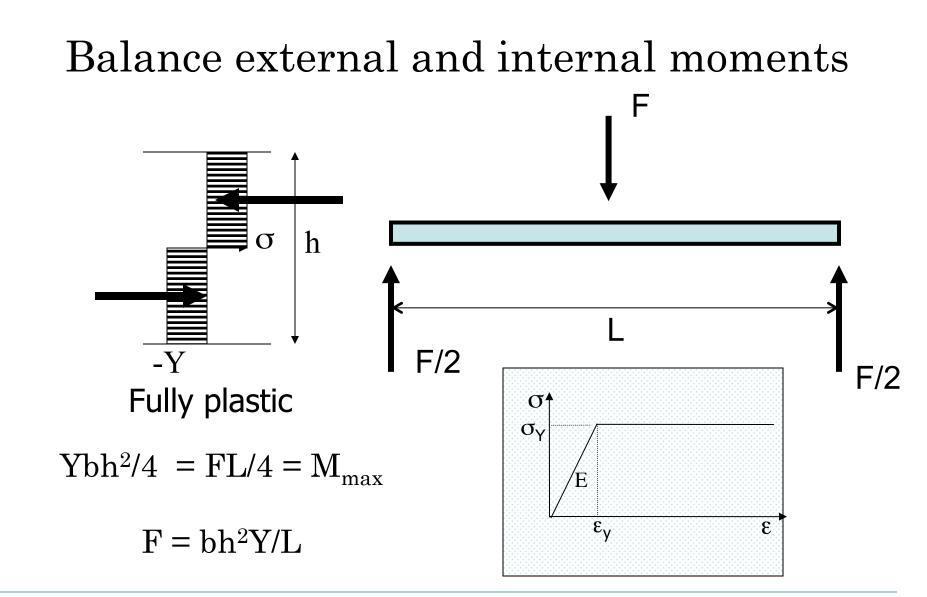
# Stress distribution through the thickness of the part



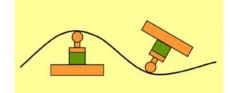
Fully Plastic Moment, M = Y (b h/2) h/2 = Ybh<sup>2</sup>/4

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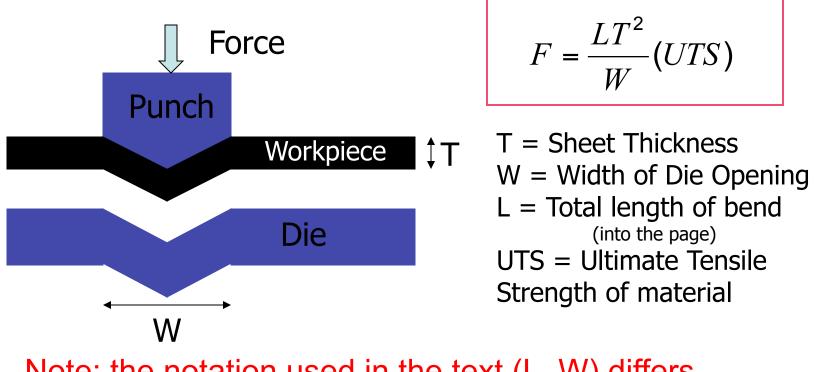






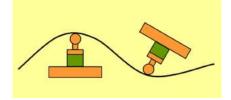


## Bending Force Requirement



Note: the notation used in the text (L, W) differs from that used in the previous development (b, L).

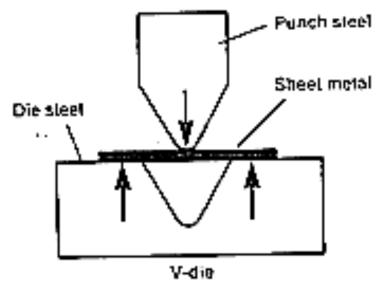




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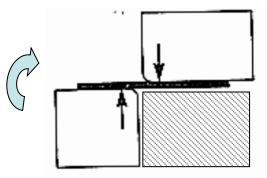
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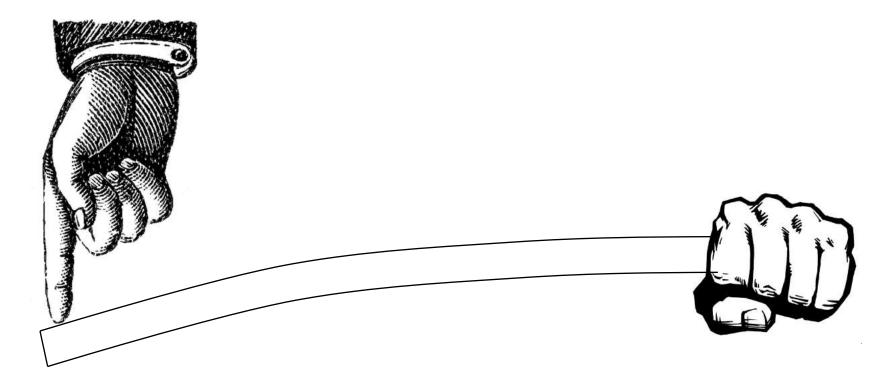


#### Finger brake

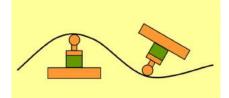


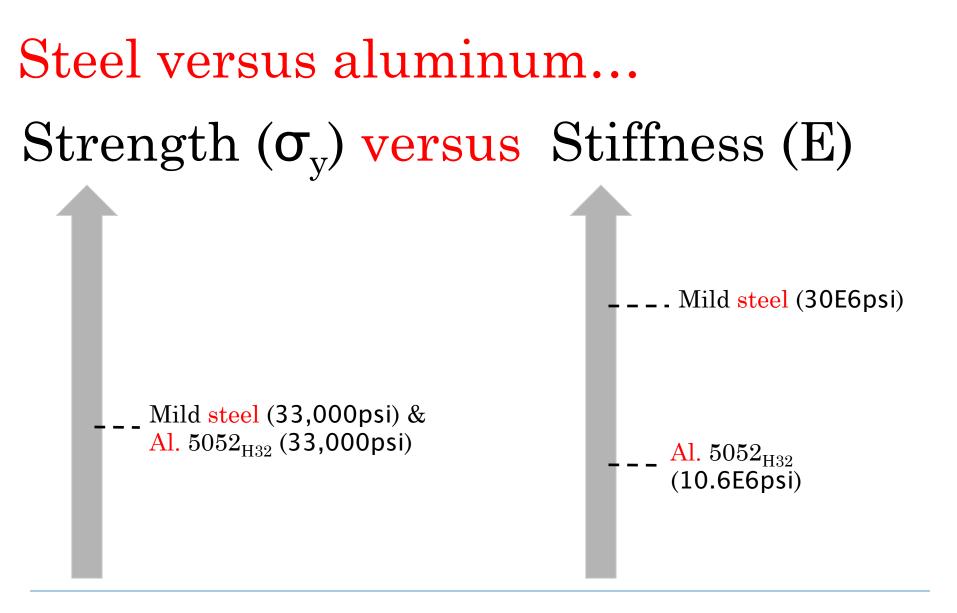


#### What shape have we created?

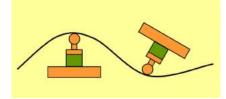


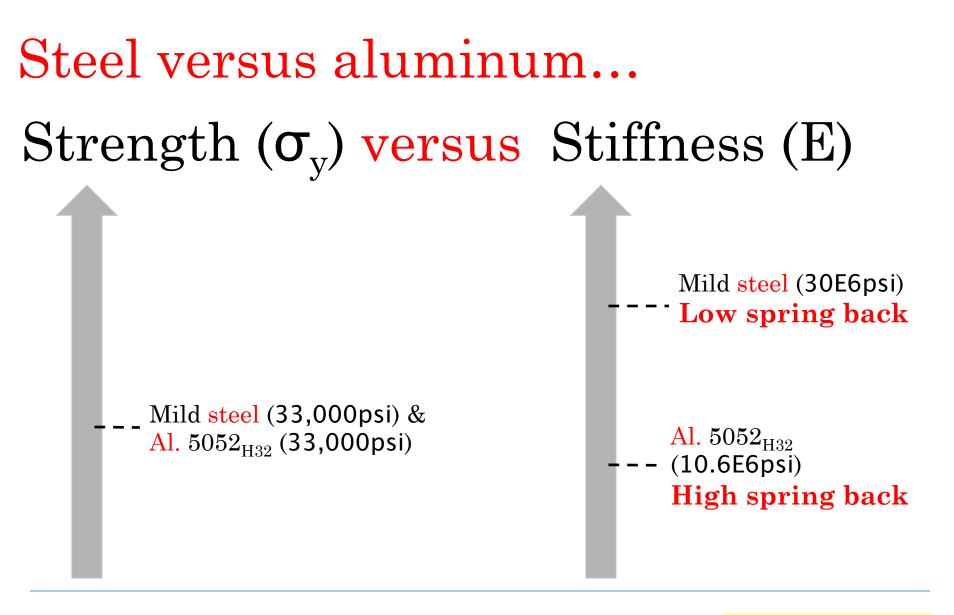




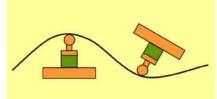


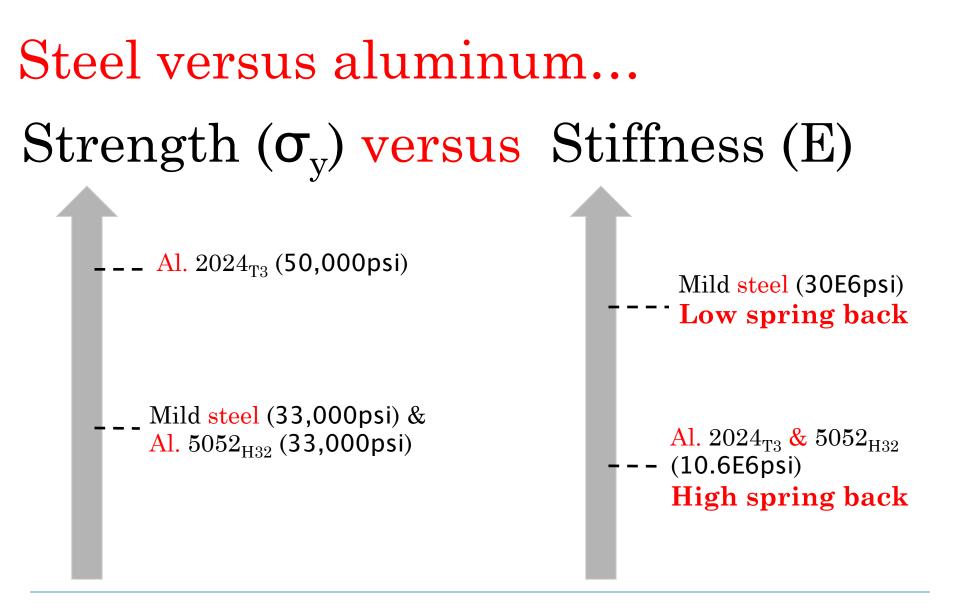




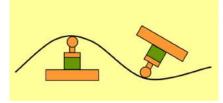


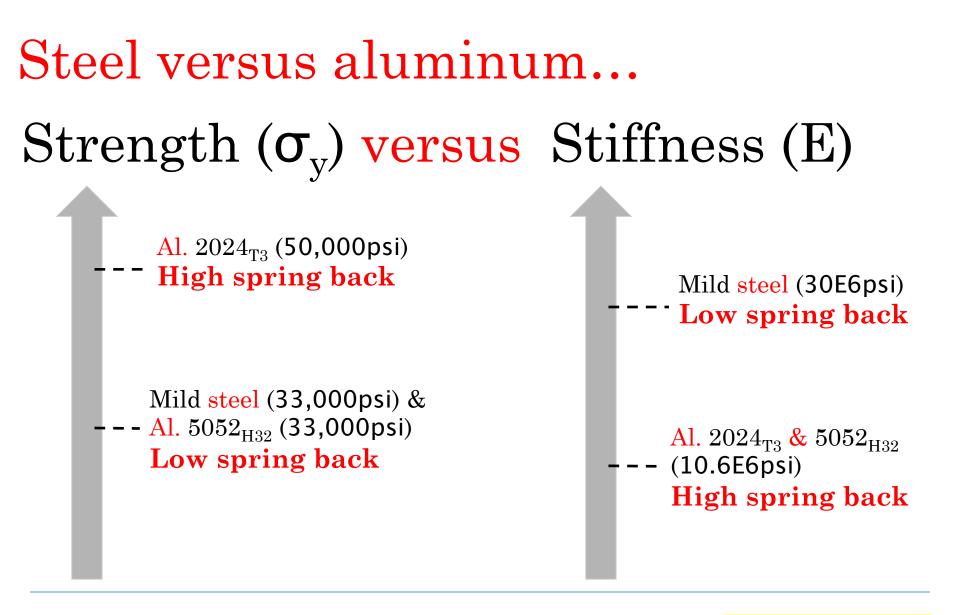




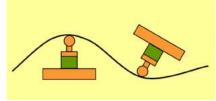


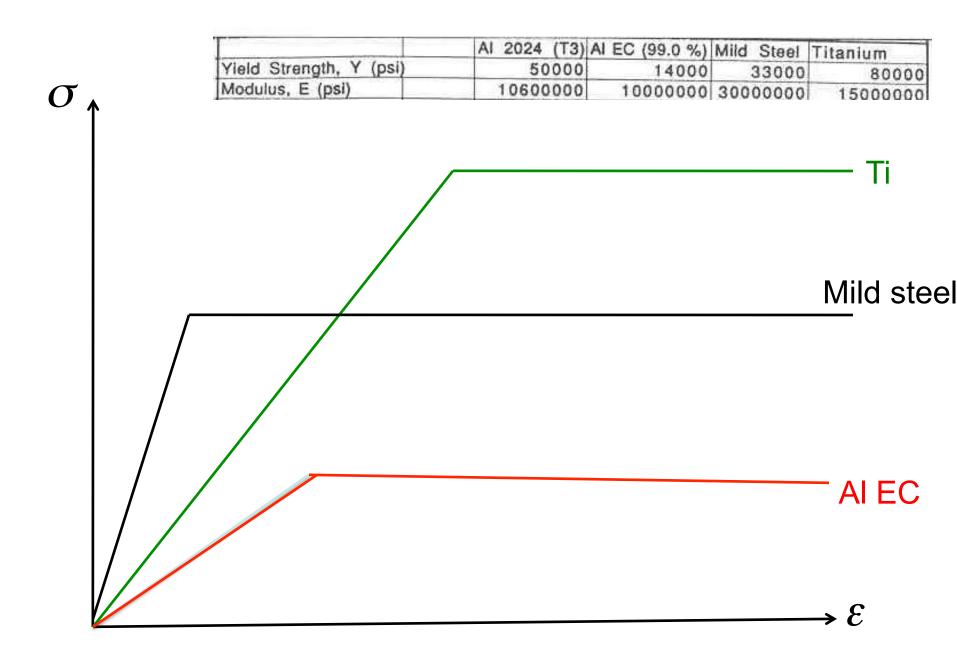


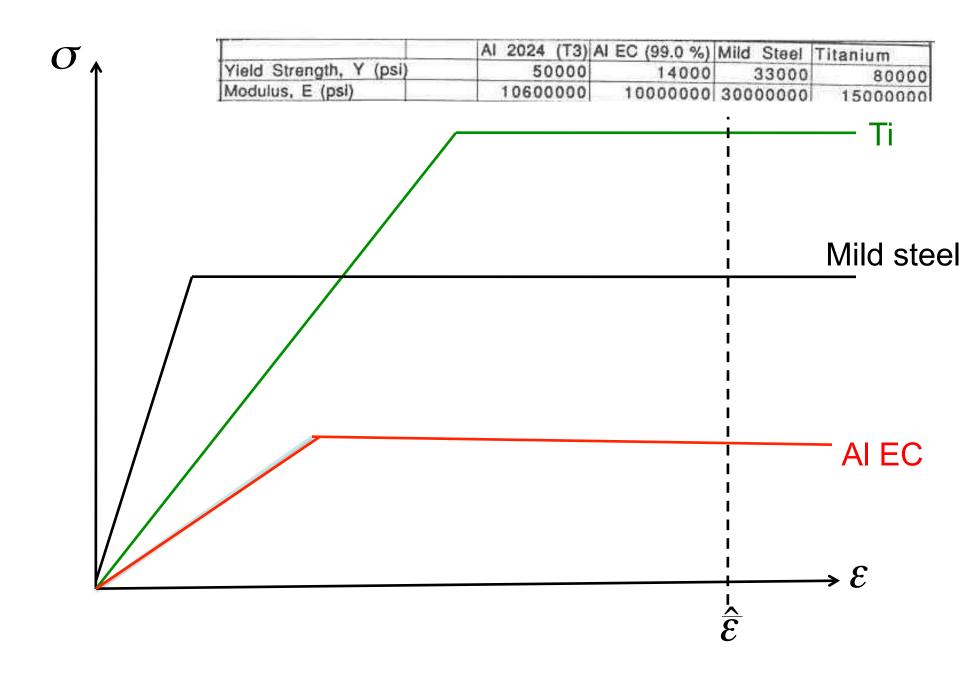


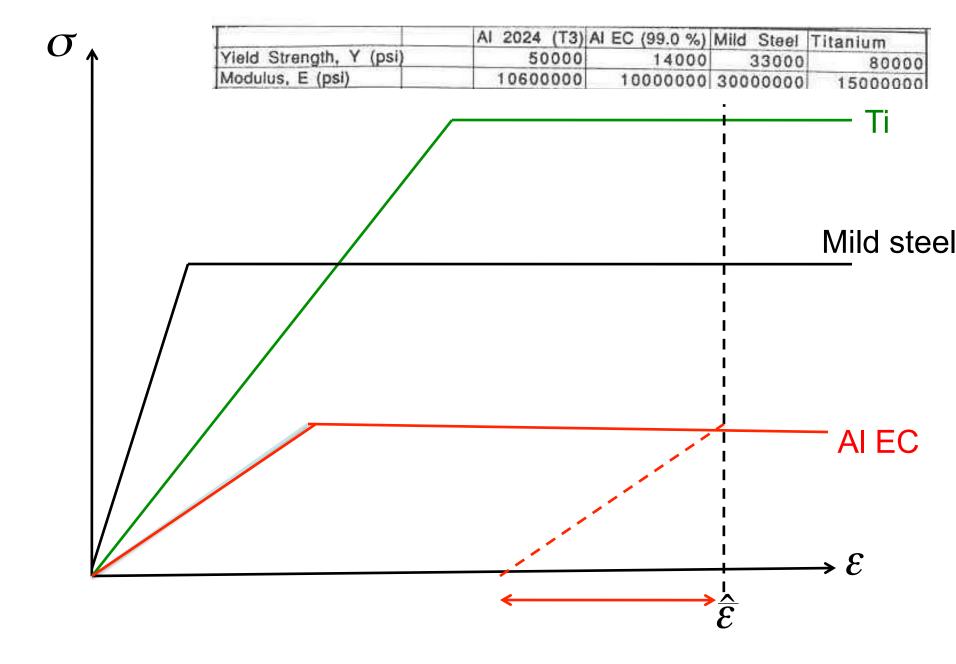


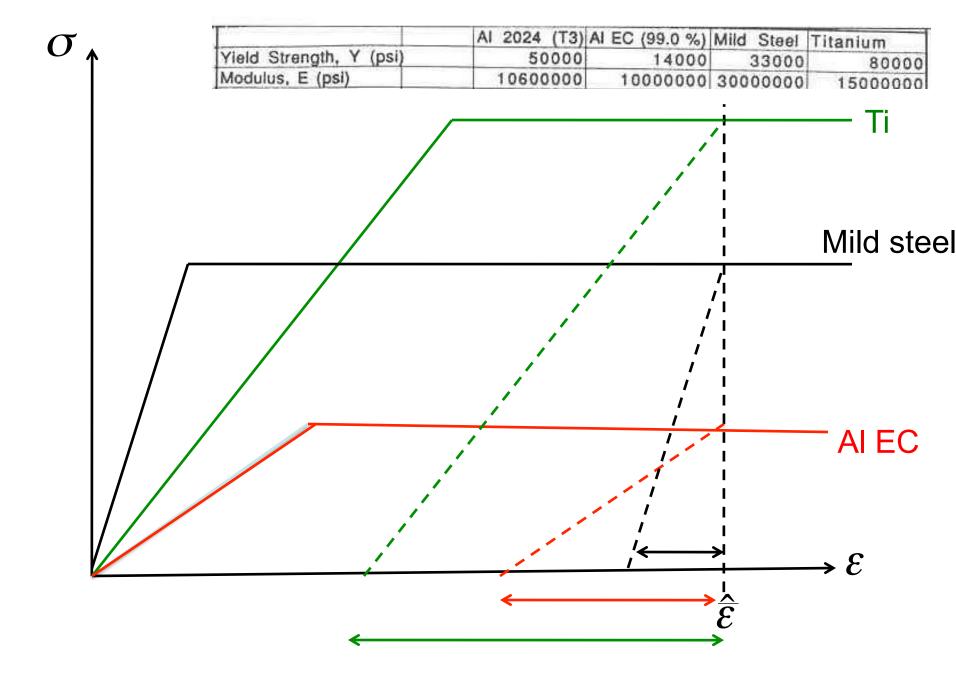




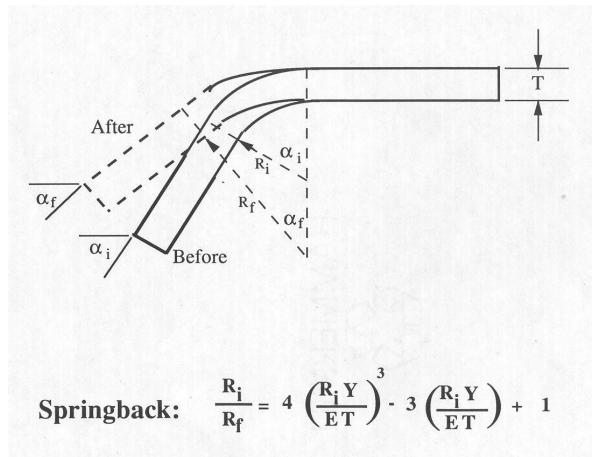




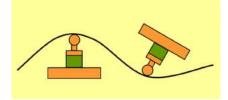




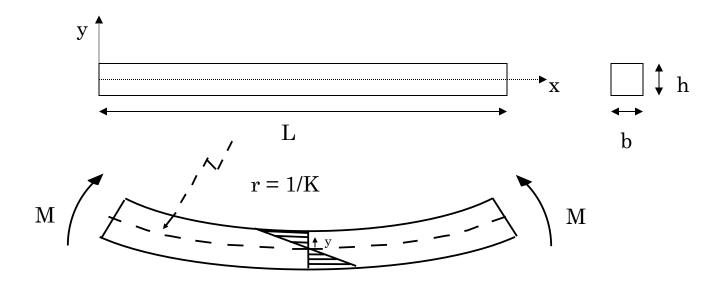
## Springback note R in the figure below is mislabeled, should go to the centerline of the sheet



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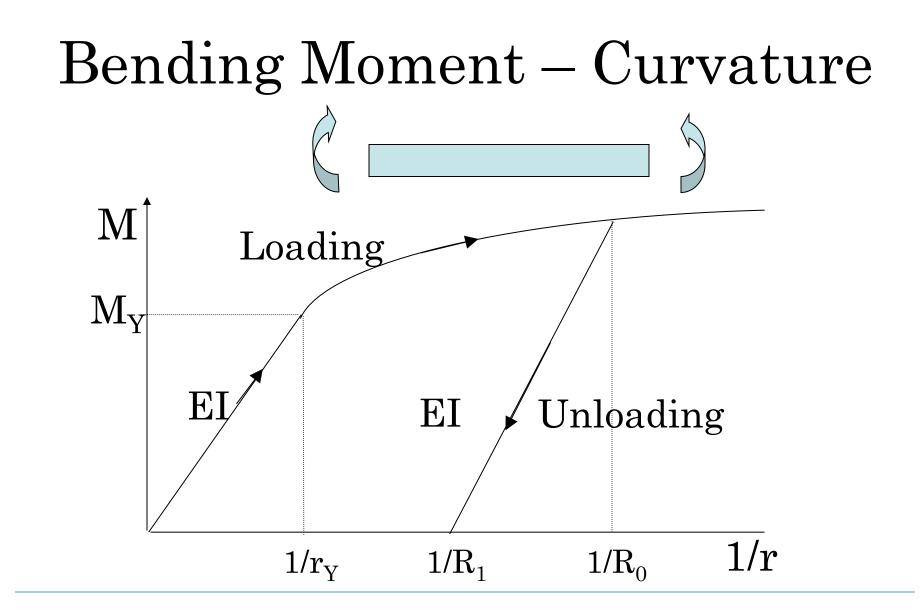
#### Elastic Springback Analysis



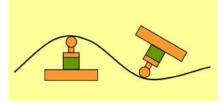
1. Assume plane sections remain plane:  $e_y = -y/r$ 

(1)

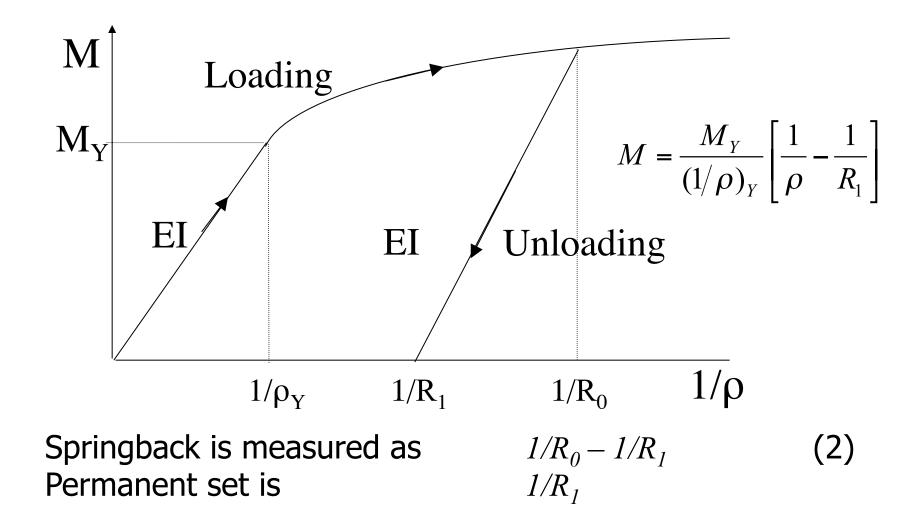
2. Assume elastic-plastic behavior for material  $s_{Y}$   $\sigma = E e e < e_{\psi}$   $\sigma = \sigma_{Y}$   $e \ge e$ 



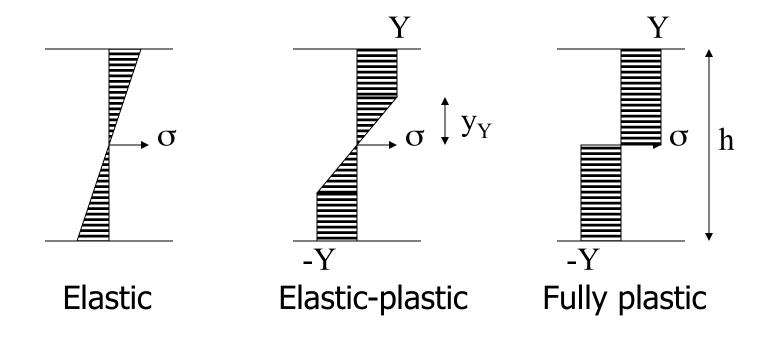




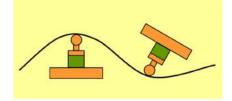
3. We want to construct the following Bending Moment "M" vs. curvature " $1/\rho$ " curve



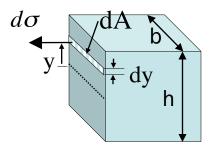
#### 4. Stress distribution through the thickness of the beam







5. 
$$M = \int_A \sigma y \, dA$$



(4)

σ

Elastic region

$$M = \int \sigma y dA = -E \int \frac{y^2}{\rho} dA = -\frac{EI}{\rho}$$
(3)

At the onset of plastic behavior

$$\sigma = - y/\rho E = - h/2\rho E = -Y$$

This occurs at

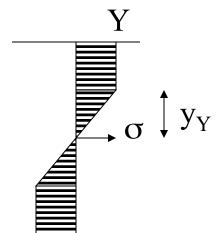
$$1/\rho = 2Y/hE = 1/\rho_Y \tag{5}$$

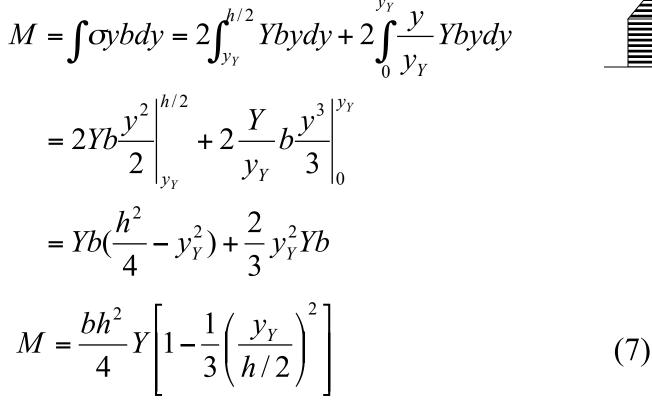
Substitution into eqn (3) gives us the moment at on-set of yield,  $M_{\rm Y}$ 

$$M_Y = - EI/\rho_Y = EI \, 2Y / hE = 2IY/h \tag{6}$$

After this point, the M vs 1/r curve starts to "bend over." Note from M=0 to M=M<sub>Y</sub> the curve is linear.

#### In the elastic – plastic region





Note at  $y_Y = h/2$ , you get on-set at yield,  $M = M_Y$ And at  $y_Y = 0$ , you get fully plastic moment,  $M = 3/2 M_Y$  To write this in terms of  $M vs 1/\rho$  rather than  $M vs y_Y$ , note that the yield curvature  $(1/\rho)_Y$  can be written as (see eqn (1))

$$\frac{1}{\rho_Y} = \frac{\varepsilon_Y}{h/2} \tag{8}$$

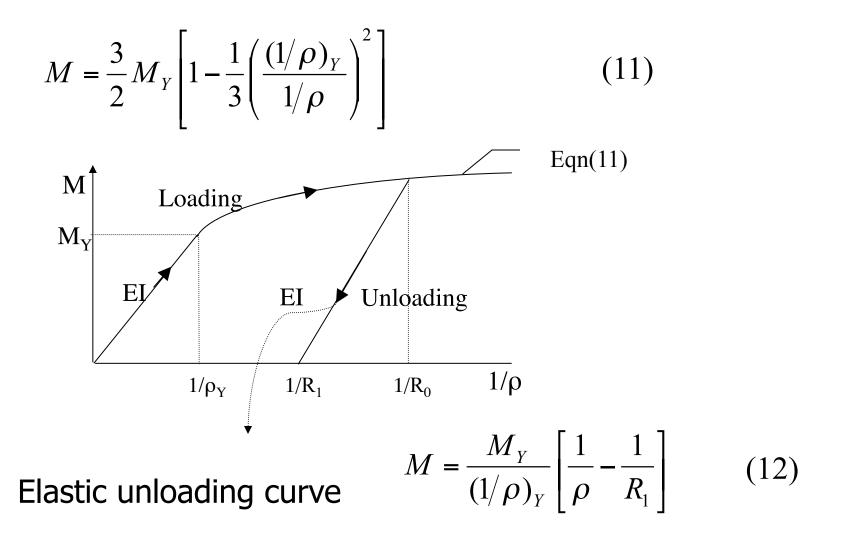
Where  $\varepsilon_{Y}$  is the strain at yield. Also since the strain at  $y_{Y}$  is  $-\varepsilon_{Y}$ , we can write

$$\frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{\varepsilon_Y}{y_Y} \tag{9}$$

Combining (8) and (9) gives

$$\frac{y_Y}{h/2} = \frac{(1/\rho)_Y}{1/\rho}$$
(10)

Substitution into (7) gives the result we seek:



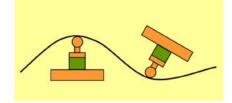
Now, eqn's (11) and (12) intersect at  $1/\rho = 1/R_0$ Hence,

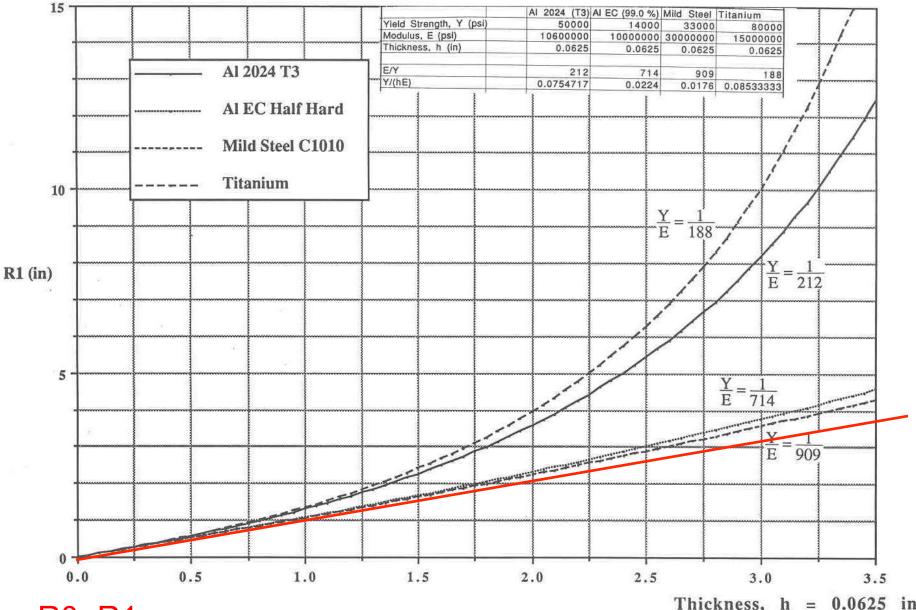
$$\frac{M_Y}{(1/\rho)_Y} \left[ \frac{1}{R_0} - \frac{1}{R_1} \right] = \frac{3}{2} M_Y \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{(1/\rho)_Y}{1/R_0} \right)^2 \right]$$

Rewriting and using  $(1/\rho)_Y = 2Y / hE$  (from a few slides back), we get

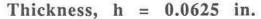
$$\left[\frac{1}{R_0} - \frac{1}{R_1}\right] = 3\frac{Y}{hE} - 4R_0^2 \left(\frac{Y}{hE}\right)^3$$
(13)

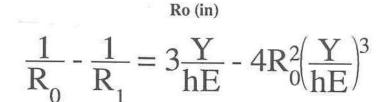








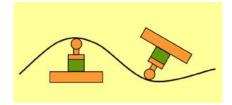


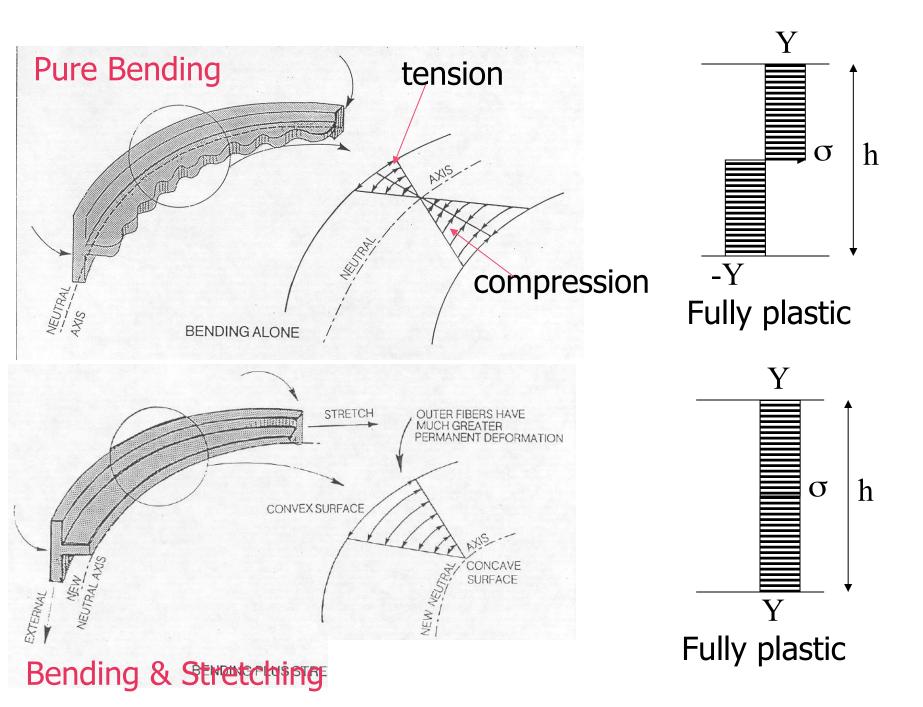


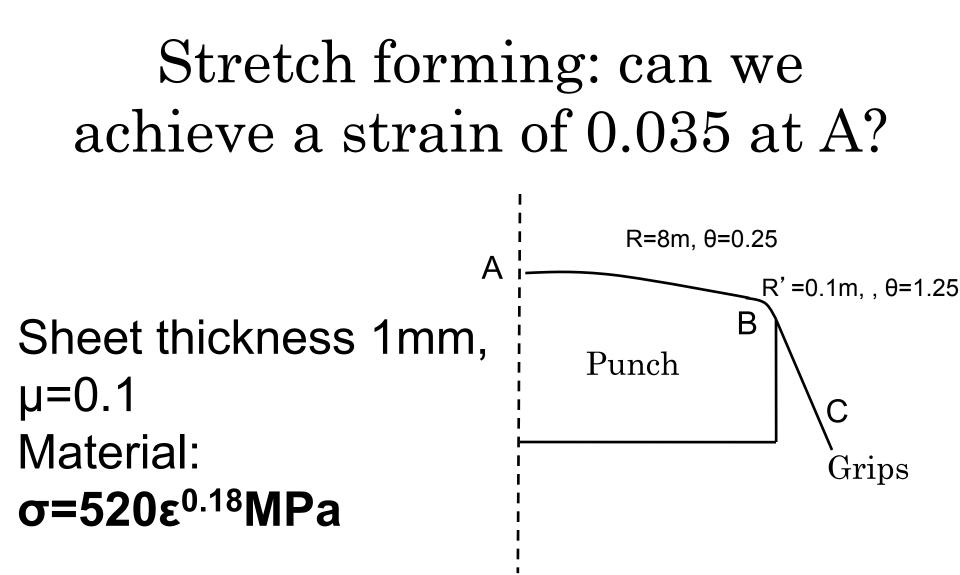
## Methods to reduce springback

- Smaller Y/E
- Larger thickness
- Over-bending
- Stretch forming
- "coining" or bottoming the punch

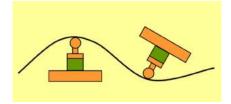




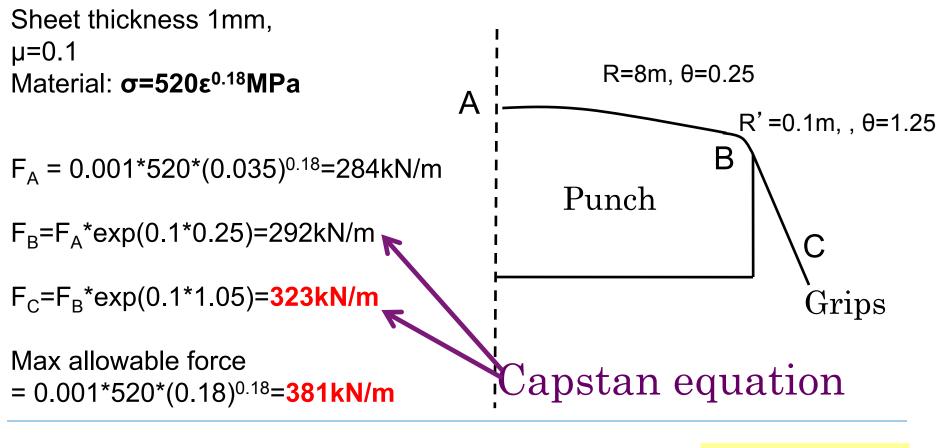




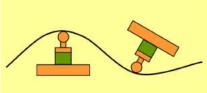




# Can we achieve a strain of 0.035 at A?





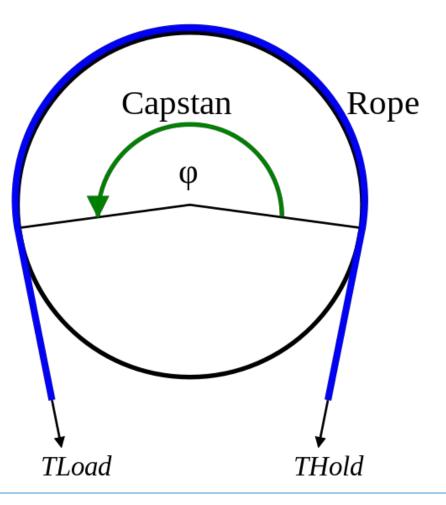


## Friction and the capstan equation

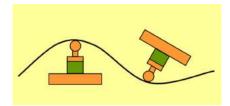
Typical stamping lubricants:

Oil-based lubricants
Aqueous lubricants
Soaps and greases
Solid films

$$T_{load} = T_{hold} \times \exp(\mu\theta)$$

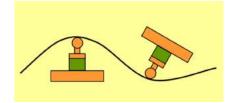






## **Research** opportunities and challenges: reducing cost and environmental impacts



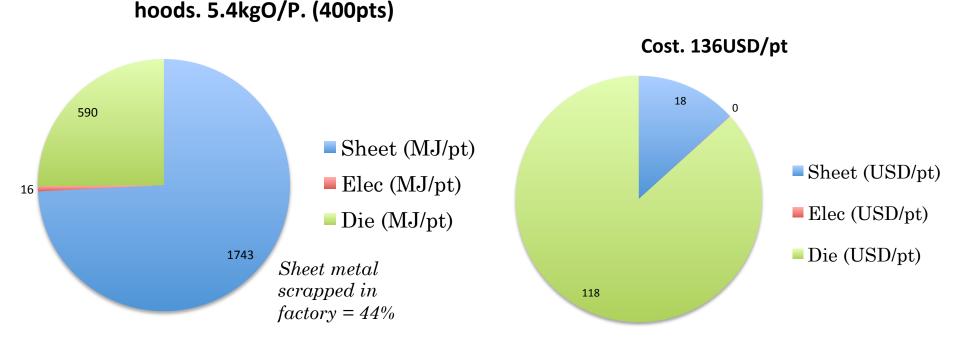


#### **Energy & cost: Stamping alum car hoods**

- Final part = 5.4kgs
- Total number of parts made = 400

Energy. 2.3GJ/pt. Stamping alum. car

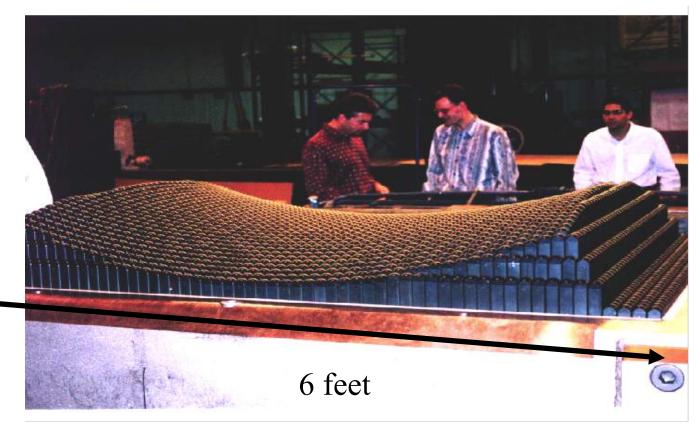
• Die material: cast and machined zinc alloy



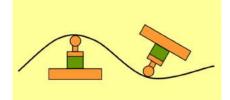
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Excludes equipment depreciation and labor during forming

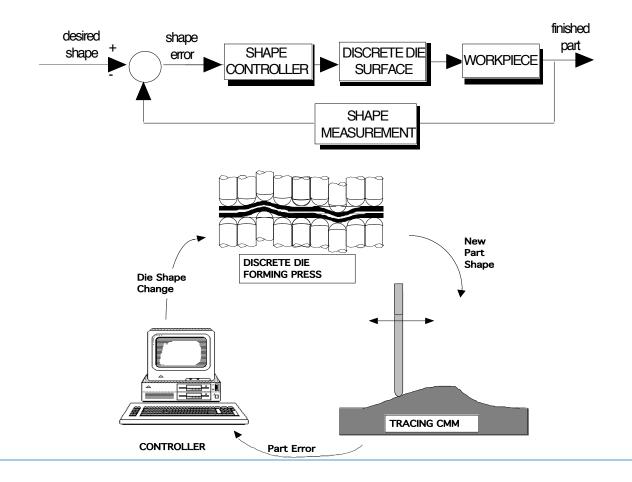
## 60 Ton Discrete Die Press (LMP - Hardt)



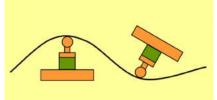




## The Shape Control Concept



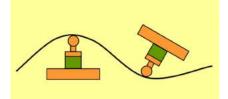




#### Stretch Forming with Reconfigurable Tool @ Northrop Grumman







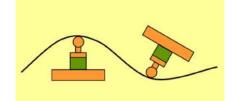
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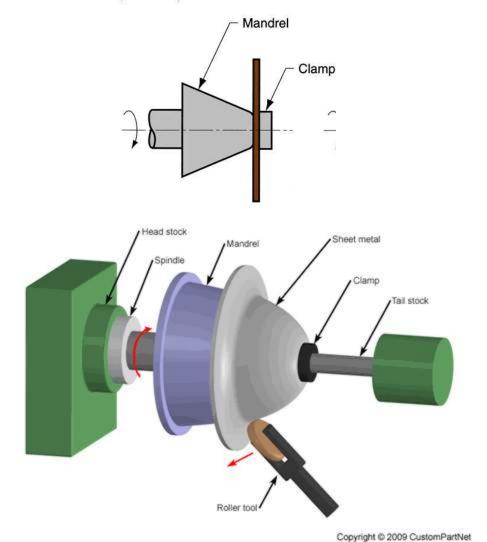


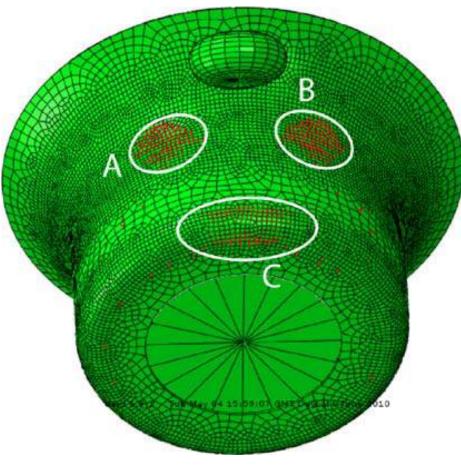






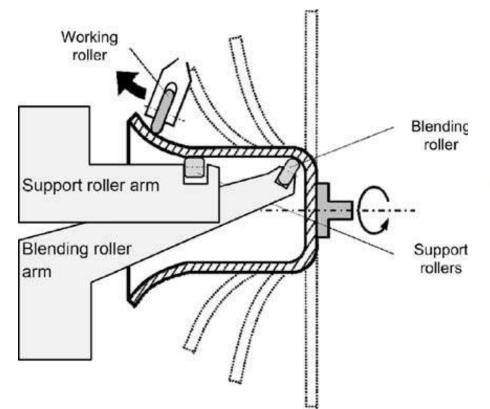
#### **Conventional Spinning**





http://www.custompartnet.com/wu/sheet-metal-forming

#### Flexible Spinning





(b) Machine in operation





#### Elliptical cup



#### Rectangular cup



Kidney bean

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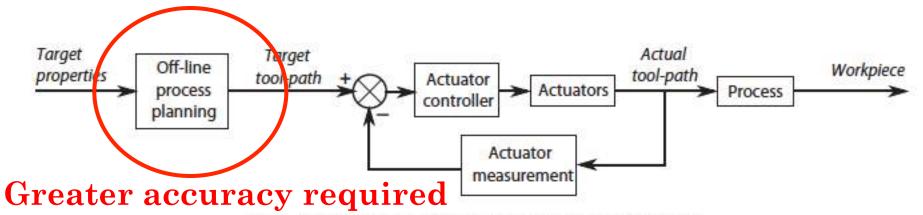


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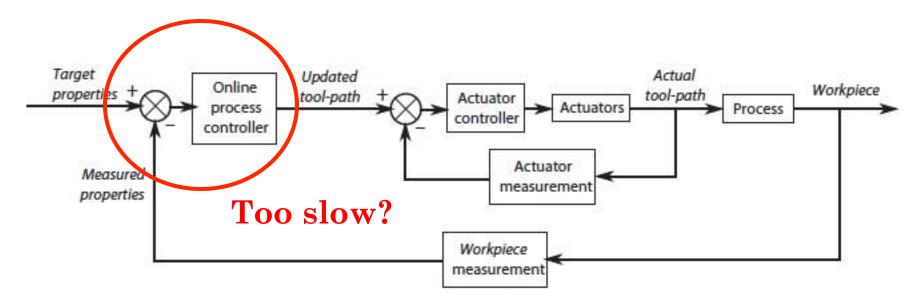
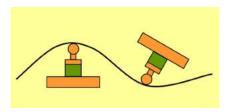


Fig. 2. A system diagram for closed-loop control of metal forming.



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