

Linear Regression in materials science – Young's Modulus

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Objective and prerequisites

After completing this activity you will be able to:

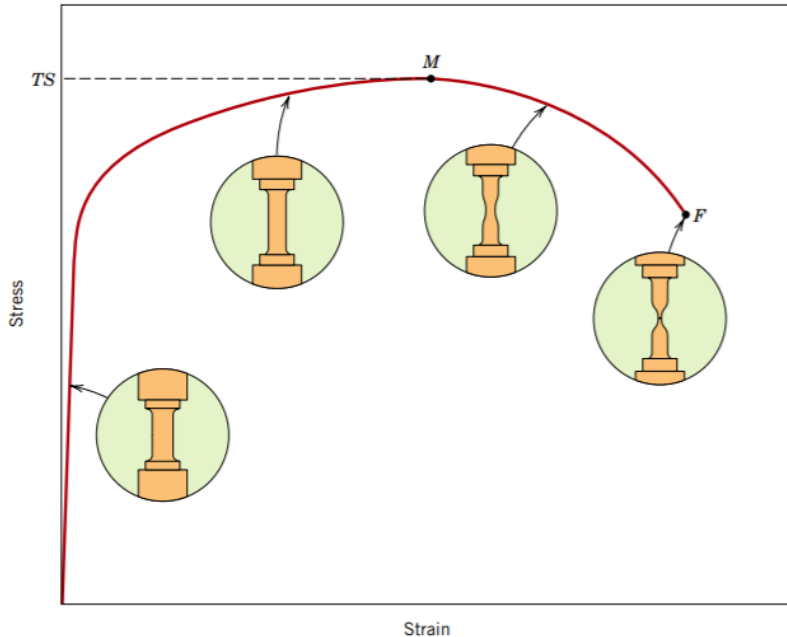
1. Use Pandas data structures to organize your data
2. Use linear regression to obtain Young's modulus and yield stress from stress-strain data
3. Explore how the fit parameters affect the results

Pre-requisites:

- Basic Python programming. See Juan C. Verduzco <https://nanohub.org/resources/33266>

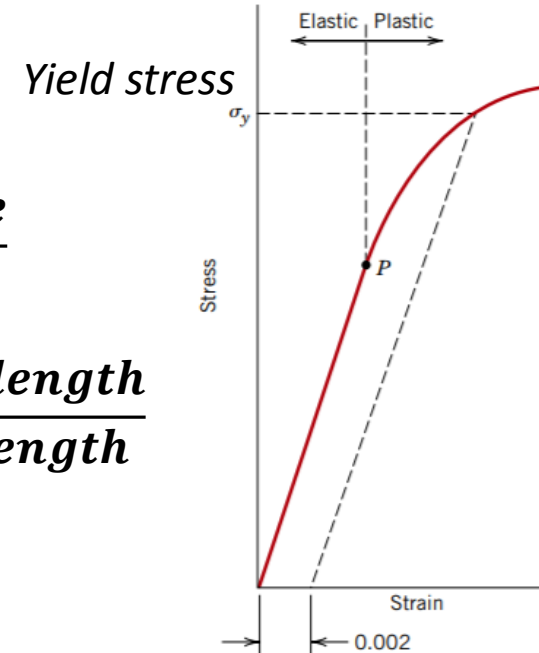
Linear Regression for mechanical properties

From *Materials Science and Engineering: An Introduction*, William D. Callister Jr. and David G. Rethwisch, 8th edition



$$\text{Stress} = \frac{\text{Force}}{\text{Area}}$$

$$\text{Strain} = \frac{\text{Change in length}}{\text{Original length}}$$



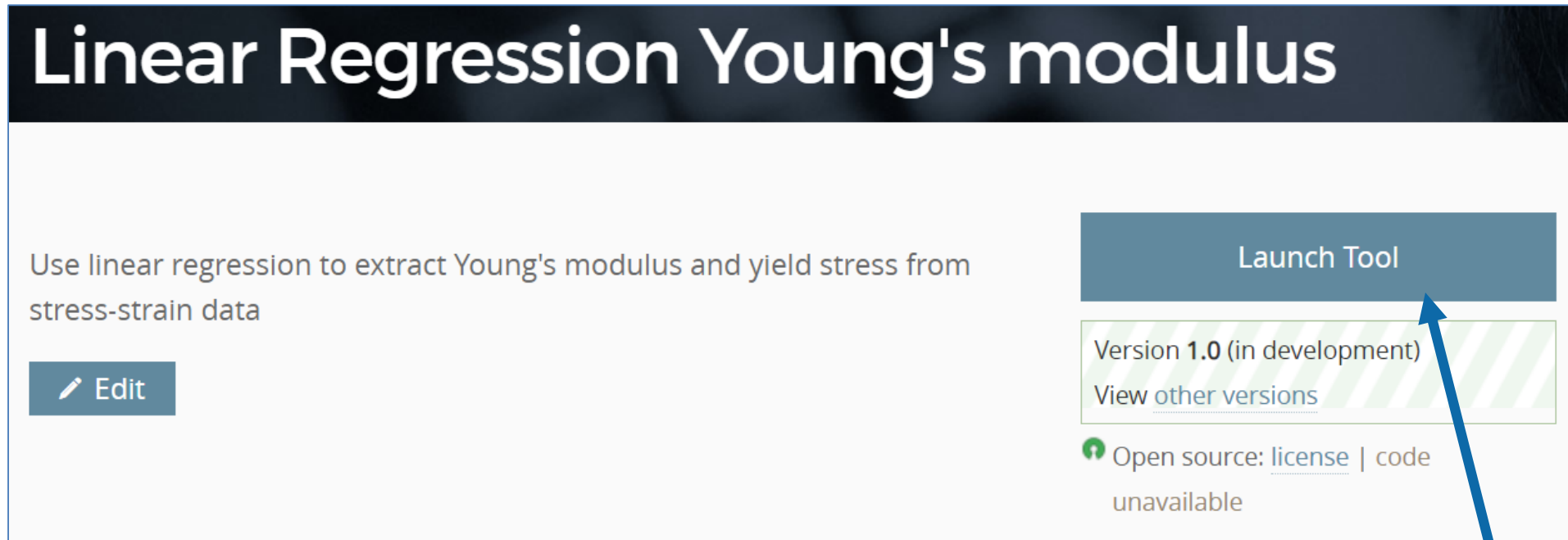
Yield stress
– amount of stress required to permanently deform a material
– typically use 0.2% offset rule to calculate (same Young's modulus value)
– important concept as the value depends on materials processing

- Stress vs. Strain have a linear relationship for small deformations
- Slope is known as Young's modulus (one of the elastic constants that describe the small deformation of materials)
- Yield stress measures where the material response deviates from linearity

Step 1: Launching a Jupyter tool in nanoHUB

Machine Learning for Materials Science: Part 1

From your browser go to link: <https://nanohub.org/tools/youngsmod>



The screenshot shows the nanoHUB interface for the tool 'Linear Regression Young's modulus'. The title is displayed in large white text on a dark blue background. Below the title, there is a description: 'Use linear regression to extract Young's modulus and yield stress from stress-strain data'. To the left of the description is an 'Edit' button with a pencil icon. To the right, there is a 'Launch Tool' button in a dark blue box. Below this button, the version information is shown: 'Version 1.0 (in development)' and a link to 'View other versions'. At the bottom right, there is a green icon and the text 'Open source: license | code unavailable'. A blue arrow points from the text 'Click on Launch Tool to begin' to the 'Launch Tool' button.

Click on Launch Tool to begin

Step 2: Landing Page – Notebook: Linear Regression

Navigate to the first link in the landing page to access the notebook we will be working on during this exercise

Linear regression to obtain mechanical properties of metals

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1. Overview

The notebook linked below uses linear regression to extract materials properties from stress-strain data. Users will use Pandas dataframes to organize their data, use

2. Learning objectives

After going over this notebook you will be able to:

1. Use Pandas data structures to organize your data
2. Use linear regression to obtain Young's modulus and yield stress from stress-strain data
3. Explore how the fit parameters affect the results

3. Pre-requisites:

Basic Python programming: see [Introduction to Jupyter Notebooks, Data Organization and Plotting](#) by Juan C. Verduzco

4. Get started, the link below will take you to the notebook

[Extracting Young's Modulus from stress-strain data using linear regression](#)

This workflow uses linear regression from the [Scikit-learn](#) Python library to calculate the Young's modulus from a stress strain curves. Users can i) import their own *Stress-Strain Curves of a 70-30 Brass*. (1944).

- Use Pandas data structures to organize your data
- Apply regression techniques to create a linear model
- Develop a best fit curve from a dataset and obtain meaningful correlations

Important: To exit individual notebooks and return to this page, use File -> Close and Halt. "Terminate Session" (top right) will kill your entire Jupyter session.

Import several libraries we will use

```
1 import pandas as pd # This Library is for developing data structures in the form of tables
2 import numpy as np # This Library is for scientific operations and data manipulation in matrices
3 from sklearn import datasets, linear_model # This Library helps to develop the linear model
4 from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error, r2_score # This Library adds statistics to our model
5
6 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # This Library is for visualizing the curves
7 import plotly # This Library is for visualizing advanced graphics
8 import plotly.graph_objs as go # This Library is the graphical object for plotly
9 from plotly.offline import iplot # This Library is necessary to run Plotly in Jupyter Notebooks, but not in a dedicated environment
10
11 import hublib.ui # This Library is required for file read-in
12 from IPython.display import display # This Library is required to show things like widgets
13
14 import os # This Library provides access to the operating system commands. It is used to looking through datafiles in the current directory
```

Import scikit learn
for linear regression

Documentation:

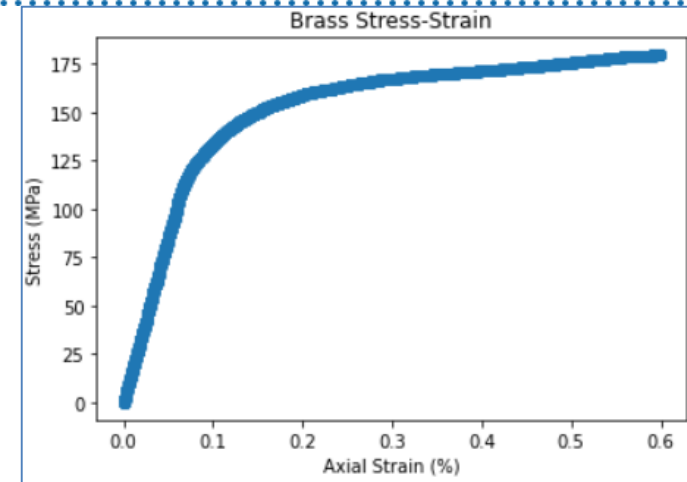
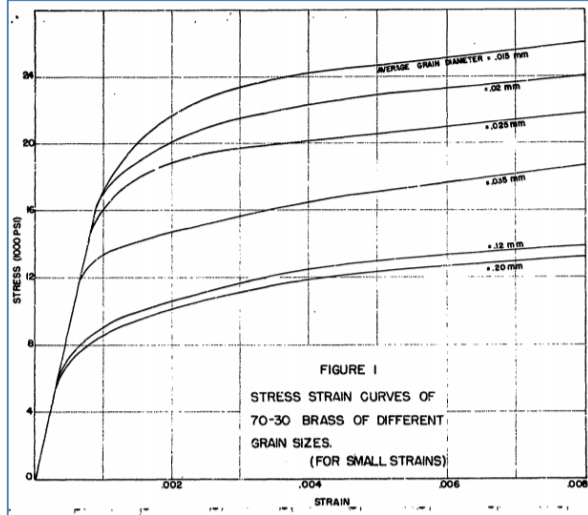
pandas: data analysis tool for creating data structures. See <https://pandas.pydata.org/>

numpy: scientific computing package with more common Python functionalities. See <https://numpy.org/>

scikit-learn: tool package for predictive analysis. See <https://scikit-learn.org/stable/>

plotly: Graphical library for interactive plotting. See <https://plotly.com/python/>

Step 1. Getting Data - Preloaded



Hollomon, J. H. *Tensile Stress-Strain Curves of a 70-30 Brass.* (1944)

1. Getting Data

Pre-loaded data.

The default dataset is from Hollomon, J. H. *Tensile Stress-Strain Curves of a 70-30 Brass.* (1944). It is conveniently loaded in CSV files for us to use. The CSV file contains the stress on the sample.

Upload your own data.

If you want to load in your own datafile click on the widget button **Upload File** below to do so. Once the bar turns green, you are clear to proceed with the next cell.

```
In [7]: # This sets the datafile to a pre-loaded stress-strain data
datafile = '../data/Brass_grainsize_0_015mm.csv' # this is the path to the default dataset (Brass grain size 0.015 mm)
# Other pre-loaded files you can analyze:
# ../data/Brass_grainsize_0_015mm.csv
# ../data/Brass_grainsize_0_020mm.csv
# ../data/Brass_grainsize_0_025mm.csv
# ../data/Brass_kink.csv

# This function allows users to upload their own files
def callback_function(w, name):
    global datafile
    datafile = name[0]

example_uploadwidget = hublib.ui.FileUpload(name="Data File", desc='', dir='tmpdir', cb=callback_function, maxsize='10M')
display(example_uploadwidget)
```

Data File

Experimental data was digitized and pre-loaded

Set the pre-loaded data to be analyzed

Step 1. Getting Data – Upload your own data

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3 def callback_function(w, name):
4     global datafile
5     datafile = name[0]
6
7 example_your_uploadwidget = hublib.ui.FileUpload(name="Data File", desc='', dir='tmpdir', cb=callback_function, maxsize='10M')
8
9 display(example_your_uploadwidget)
```

Data File

Upload File

- You can upload your own data (csv format) - click on **Upload File**
- Find the data in your desktop
- Once the bar turns **green**, you are clear to proceed with the next cell.

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Data File

Brass1.csv

Brass1.csv:

Step 2: Processing and Organizing the data

```
1 print(pd.read_csv(datafile)[:10])
```

	Strain	Stress (MPa)
0	0.000000e+00	0.000000
1	7.600000e-07	0.086268
2	1.520000e-06	0.172536
3	2.280000e-06	0.258803
4	3.040000e-06	0.345071
5	3.800000e-06	0.431339
6	4.560000e-06	0.517607
7	5.320000e-06	0.603875
8	6.080000e-06	0.690143
9	6.840000e-06	0.776410

Note the columns of data

```
1 # If you are uploading your own data, modify the column numbers if necessary.
2 # Otherwise for the default dataset, leave these variables alone
3
4 strain_column = 0 # the default strain column is 0
5 stress_column = 1 # the default stress column is 1
6
7 # In these sets of commands, we are using the pandas Library to Load the strain and stress columns of data into a dataframe
8 # We then convert each of them into separate arrays
9
10 df_strain_brass = pd.read_csv(datafile, usecols=[strain_column])
11 arr_strain_brass = np.array(df_strain_brass)*100
12
13 df_stress_brass = pd.read_csv(datafile, usecols=[stress_column])
14 arr_stress_brass = np.array(df_stress_brass)
```

Organize data into numpy arrays

```
strain_percentage = 0.05 # units of percent

# We define where in the list of strain datapoints we want to only process the linear (elastic) region. The default value is 0.1% strain.
end = np.where(arr_strain_brass > strain_percentage)[0][0]
arr_stress_brass_linear = arr_stress_brass[:end]
arr_strain_brass_linear = arr_strain_brass[:end]

# We pass the datapoints within the linear region as X and y training pairs
X_train = arr_strain_brass_linear
y_train = arr_stress_brass_linear
```

Define linear (elastic) region and push data into new numpy arrays

Step 4: Create linear model and train model

3. Creating a linear model

```
1 def regression(x_train, y_train):
2
3     # Define the model and train it
4     model = linear_model.LinearRegression()
5     model.fit(x_train, y_train)
6
7     # Use the model to predict the entire set of data
8     predictions = model.predict(x_train) # Make it for all values
9
10    # Print model and mean squared error and variance score
11    print("Linear Equation: %.4e X + (%.4e)"%(model.coef_, model.intercept_))
12    print("Mean squared error: %.4e" % (mean_squared_error(y_train, predictions)))
13    print('Variance score: %.4f' % r2_score(y_train, predictions))
14
15    return predictions
```

Use scikit-learn to fit a linear model
Scikit-learn: <https://scikit-learn.org/stable/>

← Print model parameters

5. Train models and plot results

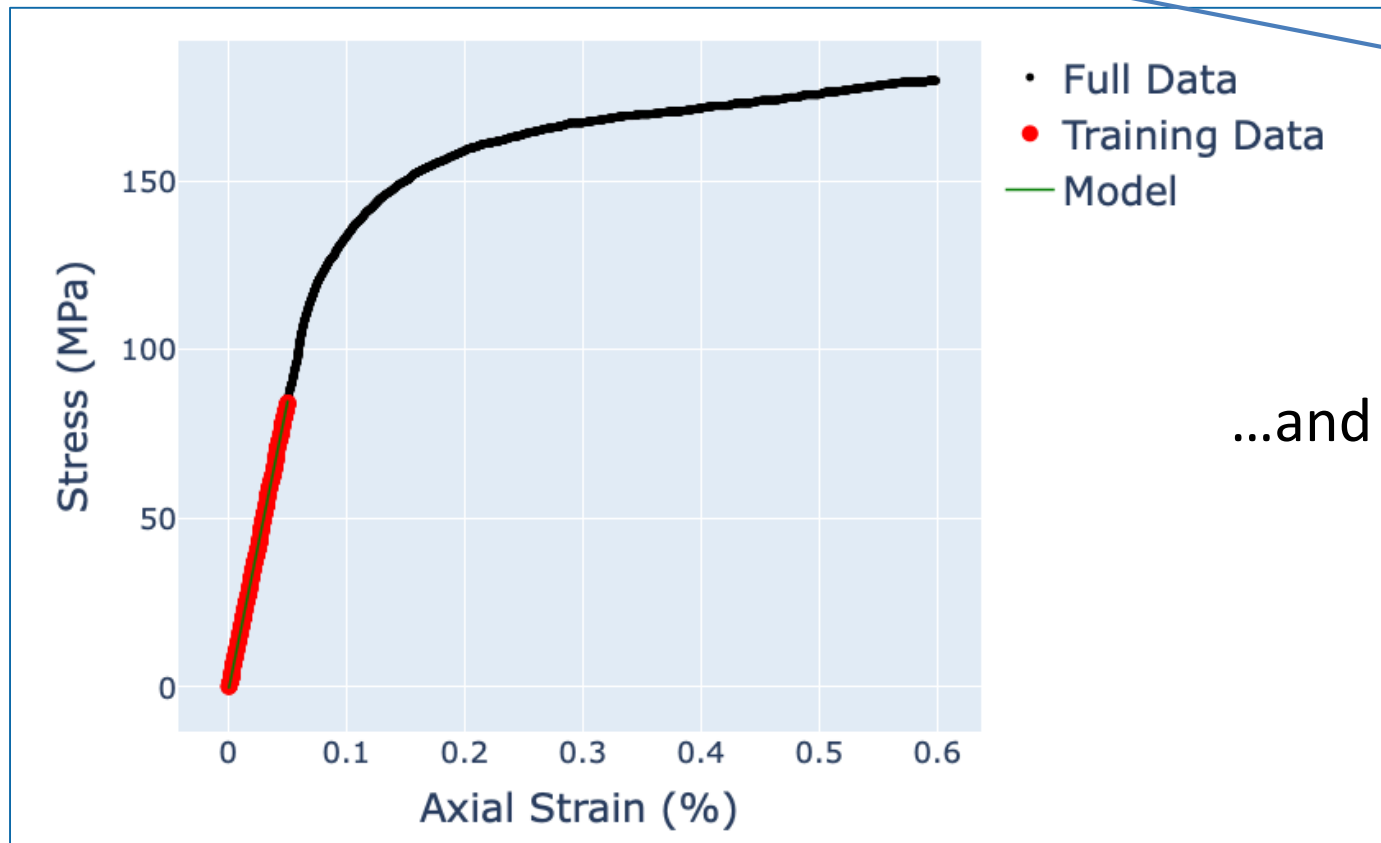
```
1 predictions = regression(X_train, y_train) # This line calls the Regression model implemented in the function
2
3 # This line plots the results from that model
4 plot(X_train, arr_strain_brass, y_train, arr_stress_brass, "Axial Strain (%)", "Stress (MPa)", predictions)
5
6 # NOTE: If the cell does not show the plot within 10-15 seconds, Rerun the cell !!!
```

← Plot results

Analyze and plot results

```
In [15]: predictions = regression(X_train, y_train) # This line calls the Regression model implemented in the function
# This line plots the results from that model
plot(X_train, arr_strain_brass, y_train, arr_stress_brass, "Axial Strain (%)", "Stress (MPa)", predictions)
# NOTE: If the cell does not show the plot within 10-15 seconds, Rerun the cell !!!

Linear Equation: 1.7088e+03 X + (-5.0309e-01)
Mean squared error: 2.0474e-01
Variance score: 0.9997
```



You can extract the Young's modulus from the fit

...and visually assess your regression

Next steps

Homework assignment: to reinforce concepts and help students modify the workflow and adapt it for their needs

Including the calculation of yield stress using the 0.2% offset method

