

Last time: viscoelasticity, lumped to continuum

Today: poroelastic behavior of tissues

- role of fluid flow
- continuum model
- at first, ignore charge or osmotic effects

o Zeman et al. (Zachmann's group)

$$\begin{matrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{matrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} F(t) \\ x(t) \end{matrix}$$

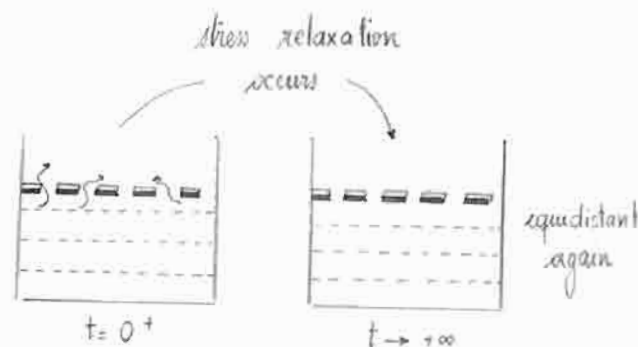
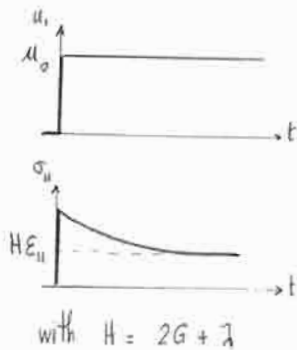
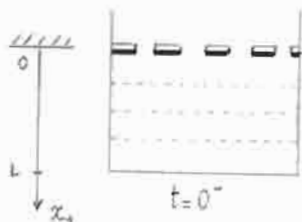
$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} F(t) &= 6\pi a \left(G' x + \mu \frac{dx}{dt} \right) \\ &\quad \begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \text{elasticity} & \text{Newtonian viscosity} \end{matrix} \\ \text{sum} &= \text{Voigt-like assumption} \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$G' = \frac{F_0 \cos \phi}{6\pi a x_0}, \quad G'' = \mu \omega = \frac{F_0 \sin \phi}{6\pi a x_0}$$

So far: creep, stress relaxation, dynamic compression

o Poroelasticity

- stress relaxation experiment

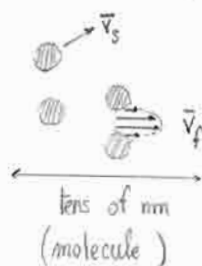
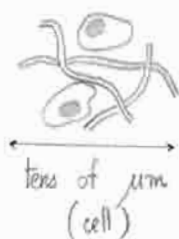
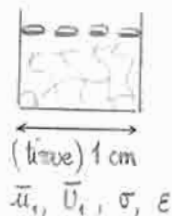


impose step displacement u_0 at $t=0$

and find $u_i(x_i, t)$

$$p(x_i, t)$$

$$U_i(x_i, t) \text{ mean fluid velocity}$$



- A simple continuum poroelastic model

solid: Hookean (linear elastic), homogeneous, isotropic, (or viscoelastic) } both are incompressible
 liquid: inviscid (liquid-liquid), liquid-solid friction (drag)

Literature: soils, rocks, geology, oil extraction 1940s Biot
 gels (swelling $\sim \frac{a_i^2}{D}$, a_i initial radius) 1970s Tonaka at MIT
 cartilage \rightarrow effect of elasticity & porosity / friction 1980s on

- Governing equations:

1. constitutive equation (σ_j & ϵ_j): Biot
2. fluid-solid viscous interactions: Darcy's law
3. conservation of mass
4. conservation of momentum

Constitutive relation



$$\sigma_{ij}^{TOT} = 2G \epsilon_{ij} + \lambda \epsilon_{kk} \delta_{ij} - p \delta_{ij} \quad (1)$$

total measured stress σ_{ij}^{TOT}
hydrostatic pressure p \rightarrow fluid contribution

still $\epsilon_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right)$

in 1D $\sigma_{11} = \underbrace{(2G + \lambda)}_H \epsilon_{11} - p \quad (1a)$

alternatively, mixture theory $\sigma^{TOT} = \sigma^s + \sigma^f$

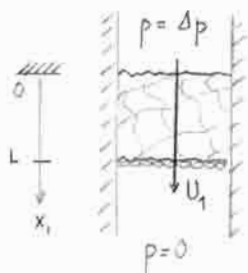
Fluid - structure interactions

Darcy's law

apply Δp , measure $U_1 = \frac{\text{flow rate}}{\text{total area}}$

$$U_1 = k \frac{\Delta p}{L}$$

$k =$ hydraulic permeability $[k] = m^4 \cdot N^{-1} \cdot s^{-1}$



experiment with $\Delta p = 10 \text{ cm H}_2\text{O} = 10^3 \text{ Pa}$

$L = 0.02 \text{ m}$

$U = \frac{\text{volume}}{(\text{area}) \Delta t} = \frac{250 \text{ mL}}{10 \text{ cm}^2 \cdot 100 \text{ s}} = 2.5 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3 \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$

household sponge
 $k = \frac{L U}{\Delta p} = 5 \cdot 10^{-4} \frac{m^4}{Ns}$

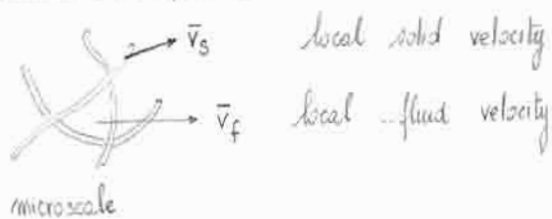
cortical bone
 $k \sim 10^{-14} - 10^{-15} \frac{m^4}{Ns}$

$$\bar{U} = -k \bar{\nabla} p \quad (2)$$

$$U_1 = -k \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_1} \quad (2a)$$

see homework # 6

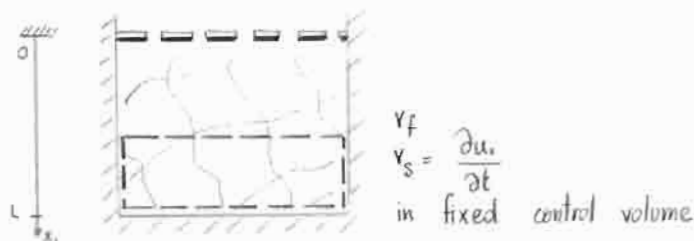
Conservation of mass



and define $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} U \text{ fluid velocity relative to solid, averaged over total area} \\ \phi \text{ porosity} = \frac{V_f}{V_f + V_s} = \frac{A_f}{A_f + A_s} = \frac{A_f}{A_{TOT}} \\ \text{relative volume flow } UA_{TOT} = A_f (v_f \cdot v_s) = A_f v_{rel} \end{array} \right.$

$$\bar{U} = \phi (\bar{v}_f - \bar{v}_s) = \phi \bar{v}_{rel}$$

a) first approach:



flow through top = flow through bottom

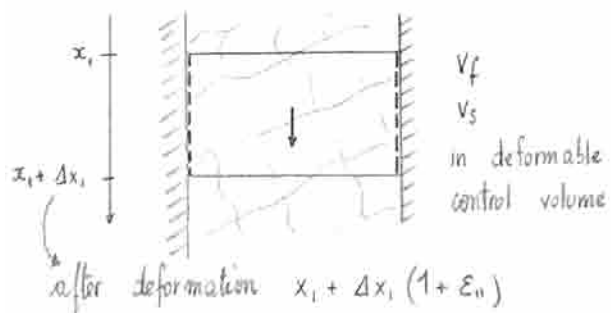
$$A_f v_f + A_s v_s = 0$$

$$v_s \frac{A_s}{A_{TOT}} = -v_f \frac{A_f}{A_{TOT}} \quad \phi$$

$$v_s = -v_f \frac{\phi}{1-\phi}$$

$$U = \phi (v_f - v_s) = \phi v_s \left(-\frac{1-\phi}{\phi} - 1 \right) = -v_s = -\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t}$$

b) general (but still in 1D)



$$\text{net flux} = A_f (v_f - v_s) \Big|_{x_i} - A_f (v_f - v_s) \Big|_{x_i + \Delta x_i}$$

$$\text{change in volume in } \Delta t = A_{\text{tot}} (1 + \epsilon_u) \Big|_{t + \Delta t} - A_{\text{tot}} (1 + \epsilon_u) \Big|_t$$

$$U_i = - \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t} + U_o \quad (3a)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \bar{U} = - \nabla \cdot \bar{v}_s = - \bar{\nabla} \cdot [\phi (\bar{v}_f - \bar{v}_s)] \quad (3)$$