

# Contraintes et déformations en hyperélasticité relativiste générale

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# INTRODUCTION

- The key notion is **the conformation** introduced by Souriau (1958, 1964), suitable for astrophysics, which does not need a spacetime.
- It has been rediscovered since (see Kijowski–Magli, 1992, 1997, Beig–Schmidt, 2003), but Souriau is not cited.
- We will show that **if further assumptions are made** (firstly such as a foliation of the World tube<sup>1</sup>, secondly such as the consideration of a static spacetime), **other strain measures** can be defined.

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<sup>1</sup>see for instance the (3+1)-formalism introduced for relativistic fluids in (Arnowitt et al., 1962, York, 1979,ourgoulhon, 2012).

# WHAT IS A DIFFERENTIAL FORM ?

A **differential form  $\omega$  of degree  $k$**  on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  (or more generally on a manifold) is a tensor field of order  $k$  which is **alternate**

$$\omega_{r_1 \dots r_j \dots r_i \dots r_k} = -\omega_{r_1 \dots r_i \dots r_j \dots r_k}.$$

- a 1-form on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :  $\alpha = (\alpha_i) = Pdx + Qdy + Rdz$ ,
- a 2-form on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :  $\omega = (\omega_{ij}) = \omega_{12} dx \wedge dy + \omega_{13} dx \wedge dz + \omega_{23} dy \wedge dz$ ,
- a 3-form on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :  $\omega = (\omega_{ijk}) = \omega_{123} dx \wedge dy \wedge dz$ .

Here  $(dx, dy, dz)$  is the dual basis of the canonical basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and

$$\begin{aligned} dx \wedge dy &= dx \otimes dy - dy \otimes dx, \\ dx \wedge dy \wedge dz &= (dx \otimes dy \otimes dz)^a, \end{aligned}$$

is the alternate tensor product, called the **wedge product**.

# THE RIEMANNIAN VOLUME FORM

A **volume form** on  $\mathbb{R}^d$  (or more generally on a manifold of dimension  $d$ ) is a  $d$ -form (**maximal degree**) which vanishes nowhere,

$$\mu = f dx^1 \wedge \dots \wedge dx^d, \quad \text{where } f(x, y, z) \neq 0.$$

On every (orientable) Riemannian manifold  $(M, g)$  **there exists a unique volume form, noted  $\text{vol}_g$**  which is characterized that its value is 1 when evaluated on every direct orthonormal basis.

- On  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , equipped with its natural Euclidean structure ( $g = q$ ),

$$\text{vol}_q = dx \wedge dy \wedge dz = (dx \otimes dy \otimes dz)^a,$$

in any system of (direct) orthogonal coordinates  $(x, y, z)$   
(in which  $q = (\delta_{ij})$ )

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# 4D FORMALISM FOR CONTINUUM MECHANICS

SOURIAU (1958–1964)

- The modeling of **perfect matter** adopted by Souriau is inspired by Gauge theory, where matter fields are described by sections of some vector bundle (here a trivial vector bundle).
- A **perfect matter field** is a smooth vector valued function

$$\Psi : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow V \simeq \mathbb{R}^3, \quad m \mapsto \mathbf{X},$$

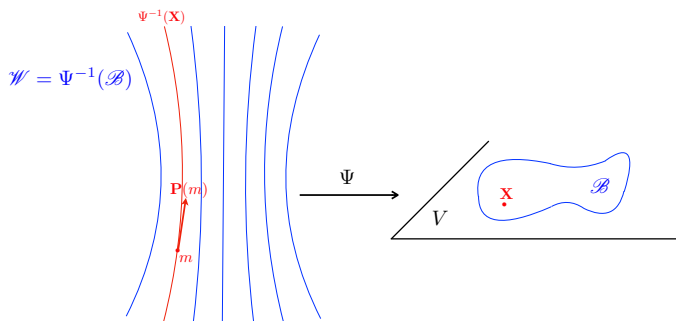
where  $\mathcal{M}$  is the **Universe**, a four dimensional manifold, endowed with a **Lorentzian metric  $g$**  (of signature  $(-, +, +, +)$ ).

$$\text{If } m = (x^\mu), \quad X^I = \Psi^I(x^\mu), \quad T\Psi = \left( \frac{\partial X^I}{\partial x^\mu} \right) \text{ rectangular.}$$

- The notation  $\Psi$  for the matter field is on purpose:  
 $\Psi$  is the **wave function** in Quantum Mechanics.

## THE BODY, THE MASS MEASURE AND THE WORLD TUBE

- A continuous medium is then described by a 3D compact orientable manifold with boundary  $\mathcal{B} \subset V \simeq \mathbb{R}^3$ , the **body**, which labels the particles and is endowed with a volume form  $\mu$ , the **mass measure**.
- It is further assumed that  $T_m\Psi$  is of rank 3 at each point  $m$  of  $\Psi^{-1}(\mathcal{B})$ . Thus,  $\mathcal{W} := \Psi^{-1}(\mathcal{B})$  is fibered by the particles World lines  $\Psi^{-1}(\mathbf{X})$ ,  $\mathbf{X} \in \mathcal{B}$ , and is called for this reason the **body's World tube**.



## A POINT OF VIEW REVERSE TO 3D FORMALISM

- In 3D formalism, a configuration is **an embedding**

$$p: \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$$

from the 3D body  $\mathcal{B}$  to the 3D space  $\mathcal{E}$ .

- In the present 4D formalism, the main concept is **a mapping**

$$\Psi: \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$$

from the 4D Universe  $\mathcal{M}$  to the 3D body  $\mathcal{B}$ .

A key difference is that, in Classical Continuum Mechanics, the embedding  $p$  and its tangent map

$$\mathbf{F} = Tp: T\mathcal{B} \rightarrow T\mathcal{E}$$

are invertible, whereas here, the matter field  $\Psi$  and its tangent map  $T\Psi$  are not.



## CURRENT OF MATTER – REST MASS DENSITY

- The pullback by  $\Psi$  of the mass measure  $\mu$  on  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $\Psi^*\mu$ , is a 3-form. Since  $T_m\Psi$  is assumed to be of rank 3 at each point of  $\mathcal{W}$ , there exists a **nowhere vanishing** (quadri-)vector field  $\mathbf{P}$  on  $\mathcal{W}$ , such that

$$\Psi^*\mu = i_{\mathbf{P}}\text{vol}_g,$$

where  $i_{\mathbf{P}}$  means the contraction of  $\mathbf{P}$  with  $\text{vol}_g$  ( $i_{\mathbf{P}}\text{vol}_g := \mathbf{P} \cdot \text{vol}_g$ ).

This vector field  $\mathbf{P}$  is the **current of matter**.

- To describe perfect matter, Souriau assumes furthermore that  $\mathbf{P}$  is **timelike**,

$$\|\mathbf{P}\|_g^2 = g(\mathbf{P}, \mathbf{P}) < 0 \quad \text{on the World tube } \mathcal{W}$$

- We can write

$$\mathbf{P} = \rho_r \mathbf{U}, \quad \text{with} \quad \|\mathbf{U}\|_g^2 = -1 \quad \text{and} \quad \rho_r := \sqrt{-\|\mathbf{P}\|_g^2}.$$

- This defines, on the World tube  $\mathcal{W}$ , the **rest mass density**  $\rho_r > 0$ .
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$$\mathbf{H} : \mathcal{M} \rightarrow \mathbb{S}^2(V), \quad m \mapsto \mathbf{H}(m) := (T_m \Psi) g_m^{-1} (T_m \Psi)^*.$$

- For each  $m \in \mathcal{W}$ ,  $\mathbf{H}(m)$  is a positive definite quadratic form on  $V^*$  (consequence of  $\mathbf{U}$  timelike).
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To be compared to the (3D) definition of the right Cauchy Green tensor

$$\mathbf{C} := \phi^* q = \mathbf{F}^* q \mathbf{F} = (\mathbf{F}^{-1} q^{-1} \mathbf{F}^{-*})^{-1}, \quad \mathbf{F} := T\phi.$$

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# GENERAL COVARIANCE

The main postulate of General Relativity is precisely that  
**Physical laws must be independent of the choice of coordinates.**

This means that the Lagrangian  $\mathcal{L}$  must be invariant by a (local) diffeomorphism  $\varphi$ , *i.e.*,

$$\mathcal{L}(\varphi^*g, \varphi^*\Psi) = \mathcal{L}(g, \Psi),$$

where, here,

$$\varphi^*g = (T\varphi)^*(g \circ \varphi)(T\varphi), \quad \text{and} \quad \varphi^*\Psi = \Psi \circ \varphi.$$



# GENERAL COVARIANCE OF A PERFECT MATTER LAGRANGIAN

## Theorem (Souriau (1958))

Suppose that the Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{matter}}(g, \Psi) = \int L_0(g_m, \Psi(m), T_m \Psi) \text{vol}_g$$

is general covariant. Then, its Lagrangian density can be written as

$$L_0(g, \Psi, T\Psi) = L(\Psi, \mathbf{H}),$$

for some function  $L$ , where  $\mathbf{H} = (T\Psi) g^{-1} (T\Psi)^*$  is the conformation.

In Classical Continuum Mechanics, the energy density depends on the deformation  $\phi$  only through the right Cauchy–Green tensor  $\mathbf{C} = \phi^* q$ . Here,  $\mathbf{H}$  plays the role of  $\mathbf{C}^{-1}$ .

## A STRESS-ENERGY TENSOR FOR PERFECT MATTER

The following splitting has been introduced by Souriau (1958, 1964) and De Witt (1962),

$$L(\Psi, \mathbf{H}) = \rho_r c^2 + E(\Psi, \mathbf{H}) = \rho_r c^2 + \rho_r e(\Psi, \mathbf{H}),$$

where  $\rho_r$  is the rest mass density, and  $E$  is the **internal energy density**. Then,

$$\mathbf{T} = -2 \frac{\delta \mathcal{L}^{matter}}{\delta g} = \rho_r c^2 \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} - \mathbf{S} = L \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} - \Sigma,$$

such as  $\operatorname{div}^g \mathbf{T} = 0$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{S} &:= E g^{-1} - 2g^{-1} (T\Psi)^* \frac{\partial E}{\partial \mathbf{H}} (T\Psi) g^{-1}, & \mathbf{S} \cdot \mathbf{U}^b &= E \mathbf{U}, \\ \Sigma &:= -2\rho_r g^{-1} (T\Psi)^* \frac{\partial e}{\partial \mathbf{H}} (T\Psi) g^{-1}, & \Sigma \cdot \mathbf{U}^b &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

correspond to two choices of a **(4D) relativistic stress tensor**.

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The existence of a unit timelike vector field  $\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{P}/\rho_r$  allows to perform the related orthogonal decompositions of  $g$  and  $g^{-1}$ ,

$$g = h - \mathbf{U}^\flat \otimes \mathbf{U}^\flat, \quad g^{-1} = h^\sharp - \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U}, \quad \text{on } \mathscr{W},$$

where the tensor fields  $h$  and  $h^\sharp = g^{-1}hg^{-1}$  are uniquely defined by

$$h\mathbf{U} = 0, \quad \text{and} \quad h = g \quad \text{on} \quad \mathbf{U}^\perp.$$

$\mathbf{U}^\perp$  : three-dimensional (necessarily spacelike) orthogonal subbundle to  $\mathbf{U}$ .

Both  $h$  and  $h^\sharp$  have signature  $(0, +, +, +)$ .

### Remark

These orthogonal decompositions are highlighted at the beginning of most works on Relativistic Fluids or Solids ([Eckart, 1940](#), [Lichnerowitz, 1955](#), [Carter–Quintana, 1972](#), [Kijowski–Magli, 1997](#)).

## LINK WITH THE CONFORMATION

Souriau did not need  $h$  nor  $h^\sharp$  to derive the general covariant formulation of Relativistic Hyperelasticity . There are two reasons for it.

- 1 the four-dimensional symmetric second-order tensors  $h$  and  $h^\sharp$  are strongly related to the conformation  $\mathbf{H} := (T\Psi) g^{-1} (T\Psi)^*$ .

### Lemma

*On the World tube  $\mathscr{W}$ , we have*

$$\mathbf{H} = (T\Psi) h^\sharp (T\Psi)^*, \quad \text{and} \quad h = (T\Psi)^* \mathbf{H}^{-1} T\Psi.$$

*where  $h = g + \mathbf{U}^\flat \otimes \mathbf{U}^\flat$  and  $h^\sharp = g^{-1} h g^{-1}$ .*

- 2  $h$  and  $h^\sharp$  do not appear naturally in the derivation of a general covariant formulation of Relativistic Hyperelasticity, contrary to the conformation  $\mathbf{H}$  (Souriau's 1958 theorem).

## FIXED METRIC ON $\mathcal{B}$ – FROZEN ”METRIC” ON $\mathcal{W}$

The definition of a strain in (hyper)elasticity is usually obtained by comparing two metrics.

- If the body  $\mathcal{B}$  is endowed with a fixed Riemannian metric  $\gamma_0$ , the later can be used to define a strain tensor in Relativistic Hyperelasticity.
- Carter–Quintana (1972) and Maugin (1978) furthermore introduce the pullback by  $\Psi$  of  $\gamma_0$ , the so-called **frozen metric** given by

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Conversely, given a quadratic form  $h_0$  on  $\mathcal{W}$  with signature  $(0, +, +, +)$ , the question of when it can be realized as the pullback by  $\Psi$  of a fixed Riemannian metric  $\gamma_0$  on the body, has been investigated by Kijowski and Magli.

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# GENERALIZED EULER-ALMANSI STRAIN TENSOR

A generalization of the **Euler-Almansi strain tensor** (Carter–Quintana, 1972, Maugin, 1978) is the four-dimensional symmetric covariant tensor field,

$$\mathbf{e} := \frac{1}{2}(h - h_0).$$

Note that  $\mathbf{e} = 0$  for  $h = h_0$  and that  $\mathbf{e}$  is degenerate since  $\mathbf{e}\mathbf{U} = 0$ .

## Remark due to Maugin

Since the linear tangent map  $T\Psi$  plays a role similar to that of the inverse of  $\mathbf{F} = Tp$  in Classical Continuum Mechanics, the frozen metric  $h_0$  plays a role similar to that of the inverse, sometimes called the **finger deformation tensor**, of the **left Cauchy–Green tensor**  $\mathbf{b} := \mathbf{F}\gamma_0^{-1}\mathbf{F}^*$ .



# STRAIN TENSORS DIRECTLY BUILT FROM $\mathbf{H}$

Other choices for strain tensors similar to the ones of Classical Continuum Mechanics can be made, for instance the more relevant ones

$$\mathfrak{E} := \frac{1}{2} \left( \mathbf{H}^{-1} - \mathbf{H}_0^{-1} \right) \quad \text{or} \quad \hat{\mathfrak{E}} := -\frac{1}{2} \log \left( \mathbf{H} \mathbf{H}_0^{-1} \right),$$

where

$$\mathbf{H}_0 := \gamma_0^{-1} \circ \Psi.$$

- The first one generalizes the **Green–Lagrange strain**, whereas the second one generalizes the **logarithmic strain**.
- They both vanish when  $\mathbf{H}^{-1} = \mathbf{H}_0^{-1} = \gamma_0 \circ \Psi$ .
- These strain tensors are three-dimensional second-order tensors.
- Like the conformation, they are not tensor fields on  $\mathcal{B}$  but vector valued functions defined on the World tube  $\mathcal{W}$  with values in  $\mathbb{S}^2 V$ .

Note that  $\mathbf{H}_0$  is related to  $h_0$  by

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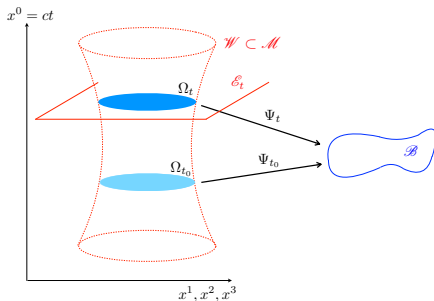
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# FOLIATION OF $\mathcal{W}$ BY SPACELIKE HYPERSURFACES $\Omega_t$

INTRODUCTION OF AN OBSERVER (ARNOWITT ET AL, 1962, YORK, 1979, GOURGOULHON, 2012)



The **3D submanifolds  $\Omega_t$  of timelike normal  $\mathbf{N}$**  play the role of the configuration manifolds  $\Omega = \Omega_p(t)$  of Continuum Mechanics. The restriction

$$\Psi_t: \Omega_t \rightarrow \mathcal{B} \quad \mathbf{x} \mapsto \mathbf{X} = \Psi_t(\mathbf{x}) = \Psi(x^0 = ct, \mathbf{x})$$

is not necessarily a diffeomorphism,  
but its differential  $T\Psi_t$  is always a linear isomorphism.

## GENERALIZED LORENTZ FACTOR AND SPATIAL VELOCITY

- Introducing

$$\gamma := -\langle \mathbf{U}, \mathbf{N} \rangle_g$$

and setting  $\mathbf{U}^\top = \gamma \mathbf{u}/c$ , the orthogonal decomposition of  $\mathbf{U}$  is written as

$$\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{U}^N + \mathbf{U}^\top = \gamma \left( \mathbf{N} + \frac{\mathbf{u}}{c} \right),$$

- $\gamma := -\langle \mathbf{U}, \mathbf{N} \rangle_g$  is called the **generalized Lorentz factor**, since

$$\gamma = 1 / \sqrt{1 - \frac{\|\mathbf{u}\|_g^2}{c^2}}, \quad \text{because} \quad \|\mathbf{U}\|_g^2 = -1.$$

- The **spatial velocity**  $\mathbf{u}$  can be expressed on  $\Omega_t$  from  $T\Psi \cdot \mathbf{U} = \mathbf{0}$ , as

$$\mathbf{u} = -c \mathbf{F} T\Psi \cdot \mathbf{N} \quad \text{on} \quad \Omega_t,$$

where  $\mathbf{F}$  is the inverse of  $\mathbf{F}^{-1} = T\Psi_t$ , the restriction of  $T\Psi$  on  $\Omega_t$ .

# ORTHOGONAL DECOMPOSITION OF $\mathbf{T}$

## Stress-energy tensor $\mathbf{T}$

$$\mathbf{T} = E_{\text{tot}} \mathbf{N} \otimes \mathbf{N} + \frac{1}{c} (\mathbf{N} \otimes \mathbf{p} + \mathbf{p} \otimes \mathbf{N}) + \mathbf{s}.$$

- $E_{\text{tot}}$  is the **total energy density**,
- $\mathbf{p}$  is the **momentum density vector field**,
- and  $\mathbf{s}$  is the spatial part of  $\mathbf{T}$  (related to the **stress field**).

Following **Eckart (1940)** and **Souriau (1958)**, there exists 2 ways to define a **spatial stress  $\sigma$** , which generalizes the **3D stress**, using either  $\mathbf{S}$  or  $\Sigma$ . They provide two alternative Relativistic Hyperelasticity laws.

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## FIRST MODELING CHOICE

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and is given by

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} := -\frac{2}{\gamma}\rho (g^{3D})^\# \mathbf{F}^{-*} \frac{\partial e}{\partial \mathbf{H}} \mathbf{F}^{-1} (g^{3D})^\# - \frac{\gamma^2 E}{c^2} \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u},$$

Associated (3+1)-decomposition of  $\mathbf{T} = \rho_r c^2 \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} - \mathbf{S}$

$$\begin{cases} E_{\text{tot}} = \gamma\rho c^2 + E\left(1 + \frac{1}{c^2} \|\mathbf{u}\|^2\right) - \frac{1}{c^2} \mathbf{u}^b \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{u}^b, \\ \mathbf{p} = (\gamma\rho c^2 + E)\mathbf{u} - \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{u}^b, \\ \mathbf{s} = \gamma\rho \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u} - \boldsymbol{\sigma}, \end{cases}$$

where  $\rho = \gamma\rho_r$  is the relativistic mass density.



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$$\boldsymbol{\Sigma} = -2\rho_r g^{-1} (T\Psi)^* \frac{\partial e}{\partial \mathbf{H}} (T\Psi) g^{-1} \quad (\text{such as } \boldsymbol{\Sigma} \cdot \mathbf{U}^b = 0),$$

and is given by

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} := -\frac{2}{\gamma} \rho (g^{3D})^\# \mathbf{F}^{-*} \frac{\partial e}{\partial \mathbf{H}} \mathbf{F}^{-1} (g^{3D})^\#.$$

Associated (3+1)-decomposition of  $\mathbf{T} = L\mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} - \boldsymbol{\Sigma}$

$$\begin{cases} E_{\text{tot}} = \gamma^2 L - \frac{1}{c^2} \mathbf{u}^b \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{u}^b, \\ \mathbf{p} = \gamma^2 L \mathbf{u} - \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{u}^b, \\ \mathbf{s} = \frac{\gamma^2}{c^2} L \mathbf{u} \otimes \mathbf{u} - \boldsymbol{\sigma}, \end{cases}$$

where  $\gamma^2 L = \gamma^2 (\rho_r c^2 + E) = \gamma \rho c^2 + E(1 + \frac{\gamma^2}{c^2} \|\mathbf{u}\|^2)$ .

# OUTLINE

- 1 General framework of Relativistic Hyperelasticity
- 2 Conformation and associated stress tensors
- 3 Conformation and strains
- 4 Further assumption: foliation of the World tube
- 5 Further assumption: restriction  $\Psi_t$  of the matter field is a diffeomorphism

### 3D RIEMANNIAN METRICS ON THE BODY $\mathcal{B}$

If we make the stronger assumption that  $\Psi_t: \Omega_t \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  is a diffeomorphism, then, the conformation induces a one-parameter family  $\gamma(t)$  of three-dimensional Riemannian metrics on the three-dimensional body  $\mathcal{B}$

$$\gamma(t)^{-1} := \mathbf{H} \circ j_t \circ \Psi_t^{-1}, \quad \gamma(t) := \mathbf{H}^{-1} \circ j_t \circ \Psi_t^{-1}.$$

$j_t: \Omega_t \rightarrow \mathcal{M}$  : canonical embedding of these submanifolds into Universe  $\mathcal{M}$ .

The metric  $\gamma(t)$  is the true analogue of the right Cauchy–Green tensor  $\mathbf{C} := \mathbf{F}^* q \mathbf{F}$  when the body  $\mathcal{B}$  is identified with a reference configuration  $\Omega_0$ .

The following result relates  $\gamma(t)$  with the degenerate quadratic form  $h$ .

#### Lemma

On  $\Omega_t$ , we have

$$\Psi_t^* \gamma(t) = j_t^* h,$$

where  $h = g + \mathbf{U}^b \otimes \mathbf{U}^b$  and  $j_t^* h = (Tj_t)^*(h \circ j_t)Tj_t$ .

Any of the three following 3D symmetric covariant tensor fields

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \mathbf{H}^{-1} \circ j_t & (\mathbb{S}^2 V\text{-vector valued, on } \Omega_t), \\
 \gamma(t) & (\text{on } \mathcal{B}), \\
 \text{and } j_t^* h & (\text{on } \Omega_t),
 \end{array}$$

leads then to equivalent formulations of Relativistic Hyperelasticity models.

Indeed, these tensor fields are related to each other by

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{on } \mathcal{B} : & \gamma(t) = \mathbf{H}^{-1} \circ j_t \circ \Psi_t^{-1} = \Psi_{t*} j_t^* h, \\
 \mathbb{S}^2 V\text{-vector valued, on } \Omega_t : & \mathbf{H}^{-1} \circ j_t = (\Psi_{t*} j_t^* h) \circ \Psi_t = \gamma(t) \circ \Psi_t, \\
 \text{on } \Omega_t : & j_t^* h = (\Psi_t)^* \gamma(t) = (\Psi_t)^* (\mathbf{H}^{-1} \circ j_t \circ \Psi_t^{-1}),
 \end{array}$$

## THREE-DIMENSIONAL STRAINS

The associated (equivalent) definitions of strain tensors are the following

- on  $\mathcal{B}$ :

$$\frac{1}{2} (\gamma(t) - \gamma_0) = \mathfrak{E} \circ \Psi_t^{-1}, \quad \frac{1}{2} \log (\gamma_0^{-1} \gamma(t)) = \widehat{\mathfrak{E}} \circ \Psi_t^{-1},$$

- $\mathbb{S}^2 V$ -vector valued, on  $\Omega_t$ :

$$\frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{H}^{-1} - \mathbf{H}_0^{-1}) \circ j_t = j_t^* \mathfrak{E}, \quad -\frac{1}{2} \log (\mathbf{H} \mathbf{H}_0^{-1}) \circ j_t = j_t^* \widehat{\mathfrak{E}},$$

- on  $\Omega_t$ :

$$\frac{1}{2} (j_t^* h - j_t^* h_0) = j_t^* \mathbf{e}, \quad \frac{1}{2} \log ((j_t^* h_0)^{-1} j_t^* h),$$

$h_0 = \Psi^* \gamma_0$ : the so-called frozen metric on the World tube  $\mathscr{W}$ ,

$j_t^* h_0 = \Psi_t^* \gamma_0$ : its restriction to  $\Omega_t$ ,

$\mathbf{H}_0 = \gamma_0^{-1} \circ \Psi$ .

# CONCLUSION

- Souriau's Lagrangian General relativity formulation of Hyperelasticity
- Key role of the body  $\mathcal{B}$  (of the mass measure  $\mu$  and the fixed metric  $\gamma_0$ )
- Key role of the conformation (as strain)
- Proper definitions of strains and stresses tensors (according to the assumptions made)
- Even if the full theory is 4D, Hyperelasticity constitutive laws are 3D

# MASS CONSERVATION IN HYPERELASTICITY

## Lemma (Souriau, 1958)

Let  $\gamma_0$  be a fixed Riemannian metric on the body  $\mathcal{B}$ . Then, the rest mass density  $\rho_r$  can be written as

$$\rho_r = \rho_{\gamma_0}(\Psi) \sqrt{\det [\mathbf{H}(\gamma_0 \circ \Psi)]},$$

where  $\Psi$  is the matter field,  $\mathbf{H}$  is the conformation, and  $\rho_{\gamma_0} = \frac{\mu}{\text{vol}_{\gamma_0}}$ .

The fixed mass density  $\rho_{\gamma_0}$  (w.r.t.  $\gamma_0$ ) is defined on the body  $\mathcal{B}$ .

## Mass conservation in Classical Continuum Mechanics (on $\Omega_0$ )

$$\rho_0 = (\rho \circ \phi)J, \quad J := \sqrt{\det(q^{-1}\mathbf{C})},$$

$\phi: \Omega_0 \rightarrow \Omega$  is the deformation

$\mathbf{C} := \phi^*q$  is the right Cauchy–Green tensor.

# RELATIVISTIC PERFECT FLUID

The stress-energy tensor of a Relativistic perfect fluid,

$$\mathbf{T} = (L + P)\mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} + P g^{-1}, \quad L = \rho_r c^2 + E,$$

corresponds to an internal energy density of the form

$$E = \rho_r e(\rho_r),$$

where

$$P = \rho_r^2 e'(\rho_r).$$

$$\Sigma = -P g^{-1} - P \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} = -P h^\sharp,$$

$$\mathbf{S} = \Sigma - E \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U} = -P g^{-1} - (E + P) \mathbf{U} \otimes \mathbf{U}.$$



# REFERENCE METRIC ON THE BODY $\mathcal{B}$

There are several choices for a **reference metric** on the body  $\mathcal{B}$ .

- One possibility is to endow the body with an arbitrary fixed metric  $\gamma_0$  (for example  $\gamma_0 = g$ , the Euclidean metric, in (Souriau, 1958, 1964)).
- But when a spacetime and the associated spacelike hypersurfaces  $\Omega_t$  are introduced, with in particular the choice of a reference configuration  $\Omega_{t_0}$ , and **when the restriction  $\Psi_{t_0} = j_{t_0}^* \Psi$  of the matter field to  $\Omega_{t_0}$  is a diffeomorphism**, then two other —mechanistic— possibilities are offered:

(a) either to consider as reference metric on the body  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $\gamma(t = t_0)$ ,

$$\gamma_0^a := \gamma(t_0) = (\Psi_{t_0})_* j_{t_0}^* h.$$

(b) or to endow the body  $\mathcal{B}$  with the Riemannian metric

$$\gamma_0^b := (\Psi_{t_0})_* j_{t_0}^* g.$$

These two reference metrics do not coincide in general.