HW08: Question related to Slip Plane and Slip Direction



In the above schematic the normal to the slip plane is at an angle θ with respect to the tensile axis, while the slip direction is at an angle ϕ to the tensile axis.

Show that the shear stress in the slip plane in the slip direction is given by

 $\sigma_{\text{unix}}\cos\theta\cos\phi$

This shear stress is also called the Critical Resolved Shear Stress or CRSS.