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This paper consists of **SIX (6)** questions. Answer any **FOUR (4)** questions in the answer booklet provided. All questions carry equal marks.

Materials permitted : Non-Programmable Calculator

Materials provided : Fundamental Equation of Mechanics of Materials  
Geometric Properties of Area Elements

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**Question 1**

- (a) Figure 1(a) shows a structure under a load of 28 kN at point B. Members AB, AC and BC of the truss have dimension of 20×20mm square bar. Member AB, AC and BC have the same material properties and tested to have an ultimate load of 120kN. If a factor of safety of 3.2 is to be achieved for both bars. Determine the required cross-sectional area bar AB and AC. Draw out free body diagram and indicate the action and reaction of the structure.

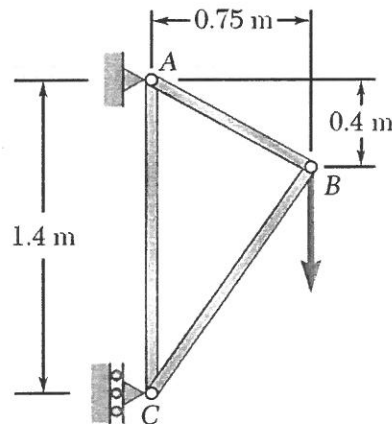


Figure 1(a)

(12 marks)

- (b) The rod ABC as shown in Figure 1(b) is made of an aluminum for which  $E = 70$  GPa. Knowing that  $P = 6$  kN and  $Q = 42$  kN, determine the deflection of
- (i) point A,
  - (ii) point B.

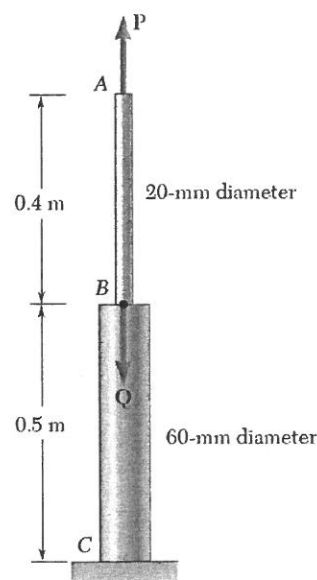


Figure 1(b) Connected rod

(13 marks)

**(Total: 25 marks)**

**Question 2**

- (a) Figure 2(a) show an aluminum rod AB ( $G = 27 \text{ GPa}$ ) is bonded to the brass rod BD ( $G = 39 \text{ GPa}$ ). Knowing that portion CD of the brass rod is hollow and has an inner diameter of 40 mm, determine the angle of twist of AD.

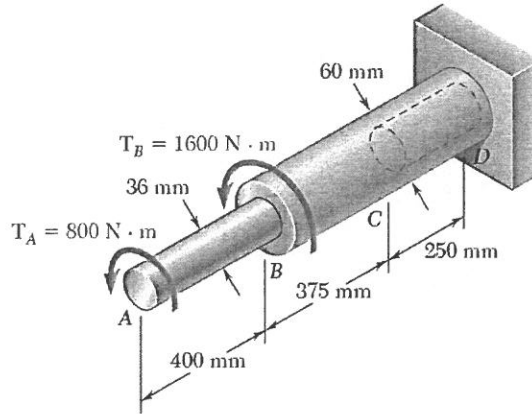


Figure 2(a) Connecting rod

(17 marks)

- (b) A torque of magnitude  $T = 1000 \text{ N.m}$  is applied at D as shown in Figure 2(b). Knowing that the diameter of shaft AB is 56 mm and that the diameter of shaft CD is 42 mm, determine the maximum shearing stress in

- (i) shaft AB,
- (ii) shaft CD.

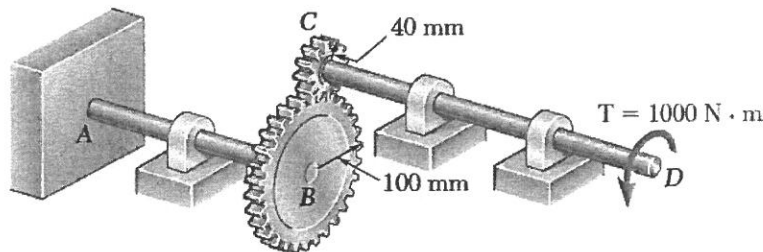


Figure 2(b)

(8 marks)

**(Total: 25 marks)**

**Question 3**

- (a) Figure 3(a) show a T-beam subjected to a moment,  $M$ . It has allowable stress of 24 MPa in tension and 30 MPa in compression. Determine the largest couple  $M$  that can be applied to the beam.

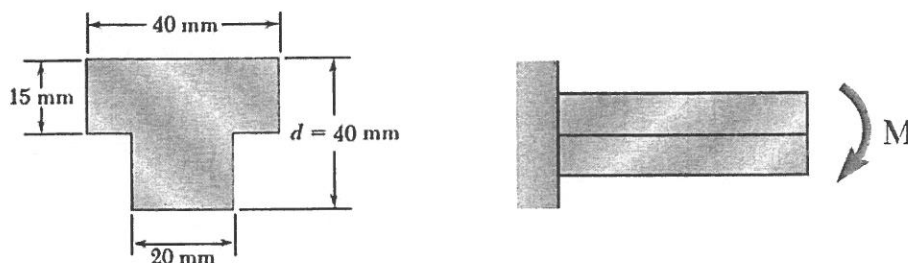


Figure 3(a)

(15 marks)

(b) Figure 3(b) showing a solid beam under force P. Knowing that the magnitude of the horizontal force P is 8 kN. Determine the stress at

- (i) At point A
- (ii) At point B

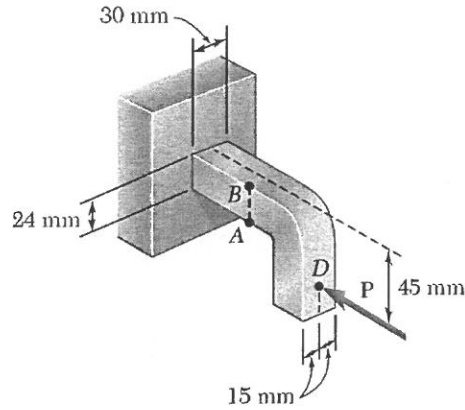


Figure 3(b) A solid beam under force P.

(10 marks)  
(Total: 25 marks)

**Question 4**

(a) A point in a strained material is subjected to the stresses as shown in the Figure 4(a). Find,

- (i) the normal stress on the section AB,
- (ii) the shear stress on the section AB.

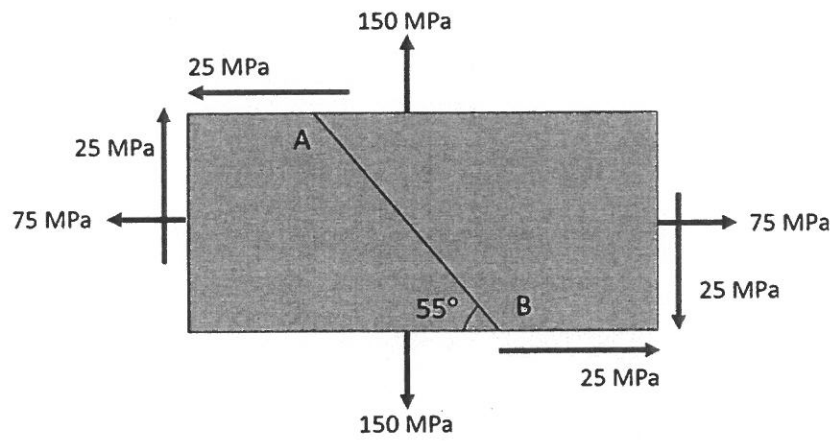


Figure 4(a)

(12 marks)

(b) Figure 4(b) show a beam AB under load P. Given load,  $P=160\text{kN}$ ,  $L=3.6\text{m}$ ,  $a=0.9\text{ m}$ ,  $b=2.7\text{ m}$  and  $E=200\text{ GPa}$ . Area moment of inertia of the beam is  $I = 104 \times 10^6\text{mm}^4$ .

- (i) Determine the strain energy of the prismatic beam AB, taking into account only the effect of normal stress due to bending.
- (ii) Evaluate the strain energy

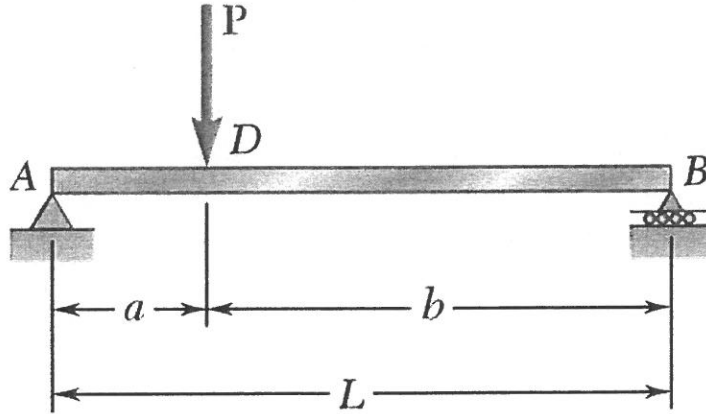


Figure 4(b)

(13 marks)  
(Total: 25 marks)

**Question 5**

A 'T' shape cross-section of a beam shown in the Figure 5, is subjected to a vertical shear force of 100 kN and a moment of inertia  $I_{NA} = 113.4 \times 10^6\text{ mm}^4$ . Calculate

- (i) the shear stress at points a, b, c, d (22 marks)
- (ii) draw the shear stress distribution diagram (3 marks)

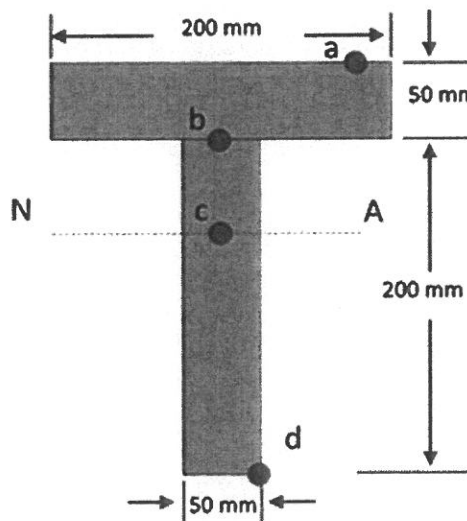


Figure 5

(Total: 25 marks)

**Question 6**

A horizontal steel girder having uniform cross-section is 14 m long as shown in Figure 6, is simply supported at its ends. It carries two concentrated loads as shown in the Figure 6.

Taking  $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$  and moment of inertia,  $I = 160 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$ . Calculate the

- (a) Reactions at points A and B, (4 marks)
- (b) Deflections of the beam under the load C and (18 marks)
- (c) Deflections of the beam under the load D. (3 marks)

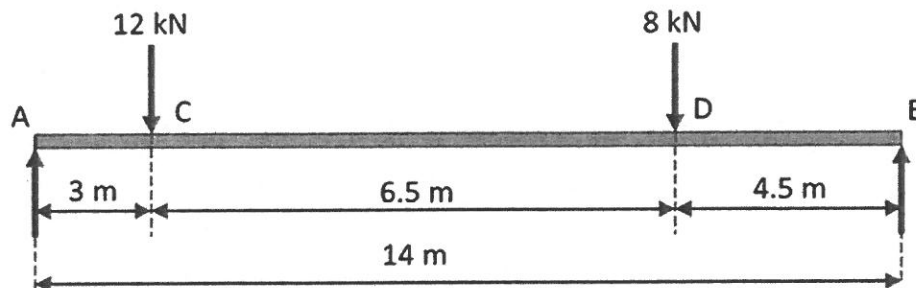


Figure 6

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## Fundamental Equations of Mechanics of Materials

### Axial Load

Normal Stress

$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$$

Displacement

$$\delta = \int_0^L \frac{P(x)dx}{A(x)E}$$

$$\delta = \sum \frac{PL}{AE}$$

$$\delta_T = \alpha \Delta TL$$

### Torsion

Shear stress in circular shaft

$$\tau = \frac{T\rho}{J}$$

where

$$J = \frac{\pi}{2} c^4 \text{ solid cross section}$$

$$J = \frac{\pi}{2} (c_o^4 - c_i^4) \text{ tubular cross section}$$

Power

$$P = T\omega = 2\pi fT$$

Angle of twist

$$\phi = \int_0^L \frac{T(x)dx}{J(x)G}$$

$$\phi = \sum \frac{TL}{JG}$$

Average shear stress in a thin-walled tube

$$\tau_{\text{avg}} = \frac{T}{2tA_m}$$

Shear Flow

$$q = \tau_{\text{avg}}t = \frac{T}{2A_m}$$

### Bending

Normal stress

$$\sigma = \frac{My}{I}$$

Unsymmetric bending

$$\sigma = -\frac{M_z y}{I_z} + \frac{M_y z}{I_y}, \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{I_z}{I_y} \tan \theta$$

### Shear

Average direct shear stress

$$\tau_{\text{avg}} = \frac{V}{A}$$

Transverse shear stress

$$\tau = \frac{VQ}{It}$$

Shear flow

$$q = \tau t = \frac{VQ}{I}$$

### Stress in Thin-Walled Pressure Vessel

Cylinder

$$\sigma_1 = \frac{pr}{t} \quad \sigma_2 = \frac{pr}{2t}$$

Sphere

$$\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = \frac{pr}{2t}$$

### Stress Transformation Equations

$$\sigma_{x'} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} + \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \cos 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\theta$$

$$\tau_{x'y'} = -\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \sin 2\theta + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\theta$$

Principal Stress

$$\tan 2\theta_p = \frac{\tau_{xy}}{(\sigma_x - \sigma_y)/2}$$

$$\sigma_{1,2} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2}$$

Maximum in-plane shear stress

$$\tan 2\theta_s = -\frac{(\sigma_x - \sigma_y)/2}{\tau_{xy}}$$

$$\tau_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2}$$

Absolute maximum shear stress

$$\tau_{\text{abs max}} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{max}} - \sigma_{\text{min}}}{2}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{max}} + \sigma_{\text{min}}}{2}$$

## Geometric Properties of Area Elements

### Material Property Relations

Poisson's ratio

$$\nu = -\frac{\epsilon_{\text{lat}}}{\epsilon_{\text{long}}}$$

Generalized Hooke's Law

$$\epsilon_x = \frac{1}{E} [\sigma_x - \nu(\sigma_y + \sigma_z)]$$

$$\epsilon_y = \frac{1}{E} [\sigma_y - \nu(\sigma_x + \sigma_z)]$$

$$\epsilon_z = \frac{1}{E} [\sigma_z - \nu(\sigma_x + \sigma_y)]$$

$$\gamma_{xy} = \frac{1}{G} \tau_{xy}, \quad \gamma_{yz} = \frac{1}{G} \tau_{yz}, \quad \gamma_{zx} = \frac{1}{G} \tau_{zx}$$

where

$$G = \frac{E}{2(1 + \nu)}$$

Relations Between  $w$ ,  $V$ ,  $M$

$$\frac{dV}{dx} = -w(x), \quad \frac{dM}{dx} = V$$

Elastic Curve

$$\frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{M}{EI}$$

$$EI \frac{d^4 v}{dx^4} = -w(x)$$

$$EI \frac{d^3 v}{dx^3} = V(x)$$

$$EI \frac{d^2 v}{dx^2} = M(x)$$

Buckling

Critical axial load

$$P_{cr} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{(KL)^2}$$

Critical stress

$$\sigma_{cr} = \frac{\pi^2 E}{(KL/r)^2}, \quad r = \sqrt{I/A}$$

Secant formula

$$\sigma_{\max} = \frac{P}{A} \left[ 1 + \frac{ec}{r^2} \sec \left( \frac{L}{2r} \sqrt{\frac{P}{EA}} \right) \right]$$

Energy Methods

Conservation of energy

$$U_e = U_i$$

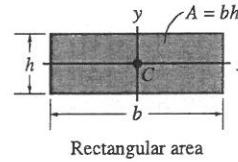
Strain energy

$$U_i = \frac{N^2 L}{2AE} \quad \text{constant axial load}$$

$$U_i = \int_0^L \frac{M^2 dx}{EI} \quad \text{bending moment}$$

$$U_i = \int_0^L \frac{f_s V^2 dx}{2GA} \quad \text{transverse shear}$$

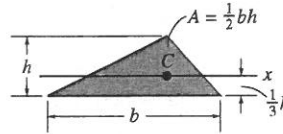
$$U_i = \int_0^L \frac{T^2 dx}{2GJ} \quad \text{torsional moment}$$



Rectangular area

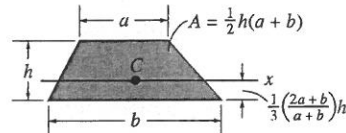
$$I_x = \frac{1}{12} bh^3$$

$$I_y = \frac{1}{12} hb^3$$

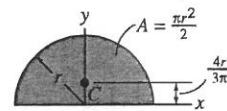


Triangular area

$$I_x = \frac{1}{36} bh^3$$



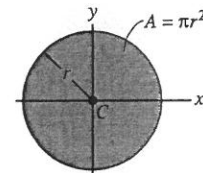
Trapezoidal area



Semicircular area

$$I_x = \frac{1}{8} \pi r^4$$

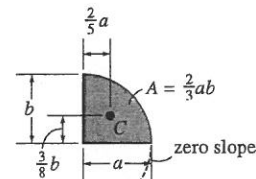
$$I_y = \frac{1}{8} \pi r^4$$



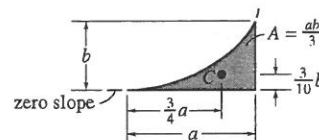
Circular area

$$I_x = \frac{1}{4} \pi r^4$$

$$I_y = \frac{1}{4} \pi r^4$$



Semiparabolic area



Exparabolic area