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STRENGTH OF MATERIALS

CIVIL ENGINEERING

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ANSWER KEY ➤

1. (c)	7. (b)	13. (b)	19. (c)	25. (b)
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3. (d)	9. (c)	15. (a)	21. (b)	27. (b)
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DETAILED EXPLANATIONS

1. (c)

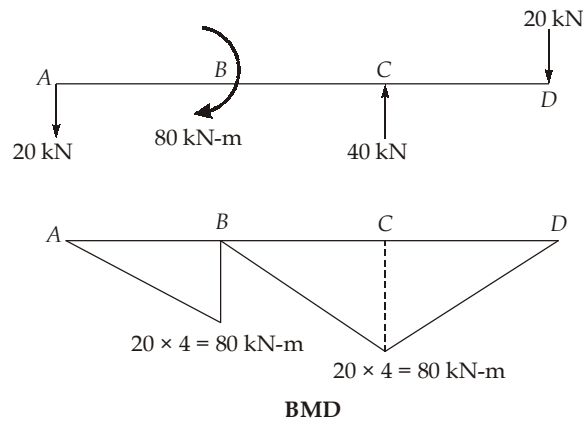
The stress induced in metal-1 due to restriction = $E_1\alpha_1\Delta T$

So, force required in metal-1 = $E_1\alpha_1\Delta T \times A_1$

Similarly for metal-2, force required = $E_2\alpha_2\Delta T \times A_2$

So, Total force required = $E_1\alpha_1\Delta T A_1 + E_2\alpha_2\Delta T A_2$
 $= (E_1\alpha_1 A_1 + E_2\alpha_2 A_2) \Delta T$

2. (d)



3. (d)

For the given stress condition,

$\sigma_x = +50$ N/mm², $\sigma_y = 0$, $\tau_{xy} = \pm 20$ N/mm²

Now, principal stresses,

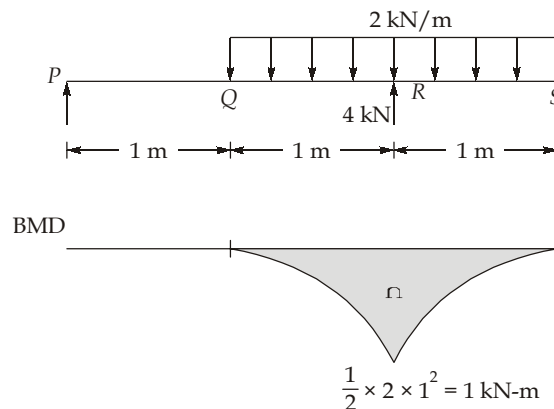
$$\sigma_{1/2} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2} = \frac{50 + 0}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{50 - 0}{2}\right)^2 + 20^2}$$

$$= 57, -7 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

So, $\sigma_1 = 57$ N/mm² (T)

$\sigma_2 = 7$ N/mm² (C)

4. (b)



5. (d)

As we know, $\frac{dV}{dx} = w$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{d}{dx}(5x^2) = 10x$$

For midspan, $x = 1 \text{ m}$

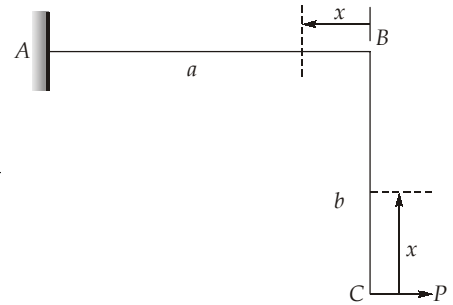
So, load intensity, $w = 10 \text{ N/m}$

6. (a)

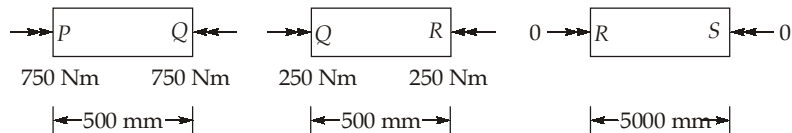
Moment,

$$\begin{aligned} M_x &= Px & 0 < x < b \\ &= Pb & 0 < x < a \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Strain energy} &= \int \frac{M_x^2 dx}{2EI} = \int_0^b \frac{(Px)^2 dx}{2EI} + \int_0^a \frac{(Pb)^2 dx}{2EI} \\ &= \frac{P^2 b^3}{6EI} + \frac{P^2 b^2 a}{2EI} = \frac{P^2 b^2}{2EI} \left(\frac{b}{3} + a \right) \end{aligned}$$



7. (b)



$$\text{Angle of twist } \phi = \frac{Tl}{GJ}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_{PS} &= \phi_{PQ} + \phi_{QR} + \phi_{RS} \\ &= \frac{750 \times 10^3 \times 500}{80 \times 10^3 \times \frac{\pi}{32} \times 50^4} + \frac{250 \times 10^3 \times 500}{80 \times 10^3 \times \frac{\pi}{32} \times 50^4} + 0 \\ &= 10 \times 10^{-4} \times \frac{32}{\pi} \text{ rad} = 0.58^\circ \end{aligned}$$

8. (c)

$$\text{Deflection due to load} = \frac{wl^4}{8EI} = \frac{10 \times (3000)^4}{8 \times 5 \times 10^{11}} = 202.5 \text{ mm}$$

Since gap is only 3 mm.

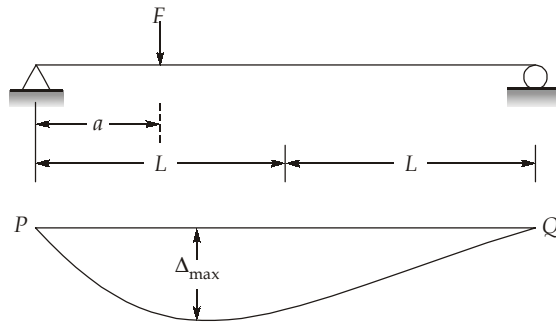
$$\therefore 202.5 - 3 = \frac{Rl^3}{3EI}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(202.5 - 3) \times 3 \times 5 \times 10^{11}}{(3000)^3} = R$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 11.083 \text{ kN} \simeq 11.08 \text{ kN}$$

9. (c)

The tentative deflection for the loading is shown.



So, option (c) is possible.

10. (b)

For a thin hollow tube,

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T}{2A_m t}$$

For an allowable maximum shear,

$$T_{\max} = \tau_{\text{allow}} \times 2A_m t$$

Since, thickness and material is same in both cases,

$$T_{\max} = [2\tau_{\text{allow}} \times t] \times A_m$$

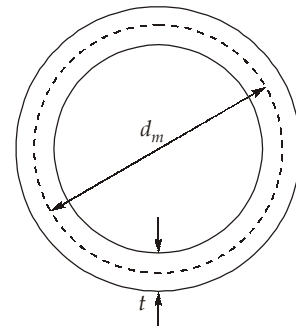
Also, Weight of section = $\gamma \times \text{Volume}$

$$\frac{T_{\max}}{\text{Weight}} = \left[\frac{2\tau_{\text{allow}} \times t}{\gamma} \right] \times \frac{A_m}{\text{Volume}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{(T_{\max} / \text{Weight})_1}{(T_{\max} / \text{Weight})_2} = \frac{(A_m / \text{Vol.})_1}{(A_m / \text{Vol.})_2} = \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} \times d_1^2}{\frac{\pi}{4} \times d_2^2} = \frac{\pi d_1 t}{\pi d_2 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(T_{\max} / \text{Weight})_1}{(T_{\max} / \text{Weight})_2} = \frac{d_1}{d_2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

So, maximum allowable torque to weight becomes nearly double.



11. (d)

For the given conditions, stress in \$x\$ and \$z\$ will be zero as the block is free to expand in \$x\$ and \$z\$ directions. Only \$y\$-direction will have stress.

On increasing temperature, free elongation

$$= l\alpha\Delta T = 0.1 \times 20 \times 10^{-6} \times 150 \text{ m}$$

$$= 3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

$$= 0.3 \text{ mm} > 0.2 \text{ mm}$$

Thus stress induced will be only due to \$(0.3 - 0.2) = 0.1 \text{ mm}\$

$$\text{Stress, } \sigma_{yy} = \left(\frac{\Delta l}{l} \right) E = \frac{0.1}{0.1 \times 10^3} \times E = \frac{70 \times 10^3}{10^3} \text{ N/m}^2 = 70 \text{ MPa (Compression)}$$

12. (a)

As there is a jump at A, there will be an upward load at A.

From A to D, slope of SFD = 0, so no load intensity acts from A to D.

At D, there is the fall so there will be a downward load at D.

$$P_D = -4 - 14 = -18 \text{ kN}$$

So, only option (a) is possible.

13. (b)

Axial stress,
$$\sigma_a = -\frac{F}{\pi r^2}$$

In radial direction, strain is zero.

So,
$$\epsilon_r = \frac{\sigma_r}{E} - \mu \frac{\sigma_a}{E} - \mu \frac{\sigma_r}{E}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \frac{\sigma_r(1-\mu)}{E} - \mu \frac{\sigma_a}{E}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_r = -\frac{\mu}{1-\mu} \left(\frac{F}{\pi r^2} \right)$$

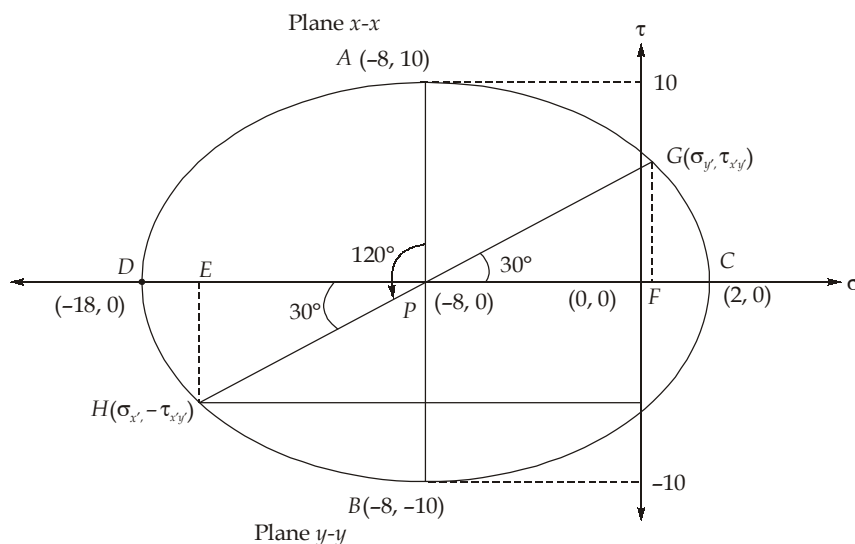
Strain in axial direction,
$$\epsilon_a = \frac{\sigma_a}{E} - \mu \frac{\sigma_r}{E} - \mu \frac{\sigma_r}{E}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta h}{h} = -\frac{F}{E\pi r^2} \left[1 - \frac{2\mu^2}{1-\mu} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta h = -\frac{Fh}{\pi r^2 E} \left[1 - \frac{2\mu^2}{1-\mu} \right]$$

14. (d)

Mohr's circle for this stress condition is shown below:



For $\sigma_{y'}$, in $\triangle PGF$

$$\cos 30^\circ = \frac{OF}{OG}$$

$$OF = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times 10$$

$$OF = 8.66 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_{y'} = OF - 8 = 0.66 \text{ MPa}$$

For σ_x' , In $\triangle PEH$ $PE = 8.66 \text{ MPa}$

$$\sigma_x' = -8 - 8.66 \text{ MPa} = -16.66 \text{ MPa}$$

For $\tau_{x'y'}$, in $\triangle PEH$,

$$\tan 30^\circ = \frac{\tau_{x'y'}}{8.66}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_{x'y'} = 5 \text{ MPa}$$

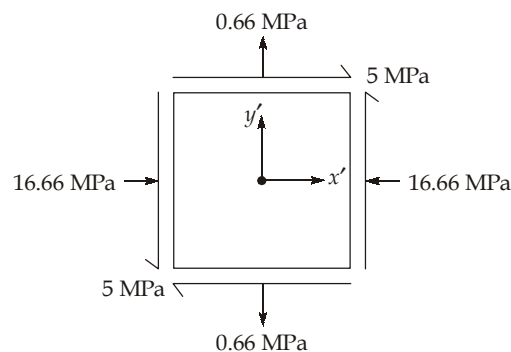
So, at plane $x'-x'$, $\sigma_{y'} = 0.66 \text{ MPa}$

and $\tau_{x'y'} = 5 \text{ MPa}$

And at plane $y'-y'$, $\sigma_{x'} = -16.66 \text{ MPa}$

And $\tau_{x'y'} = -5 \text{ MPa}$

Hence, option (d) is correct.

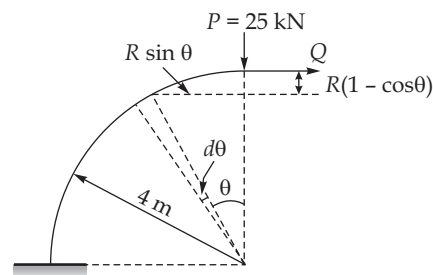


15. (a)

Apply a horizontal load (Q) at tip.

$$M_x = PR \sin \theta + QR (1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial M_x}{\partial Q} = R(1 - \cos \theta)$$



$$\therefore \Delta_H = \left. \frac{\partial U}{\partial Q} \right|_{Q=0}$$

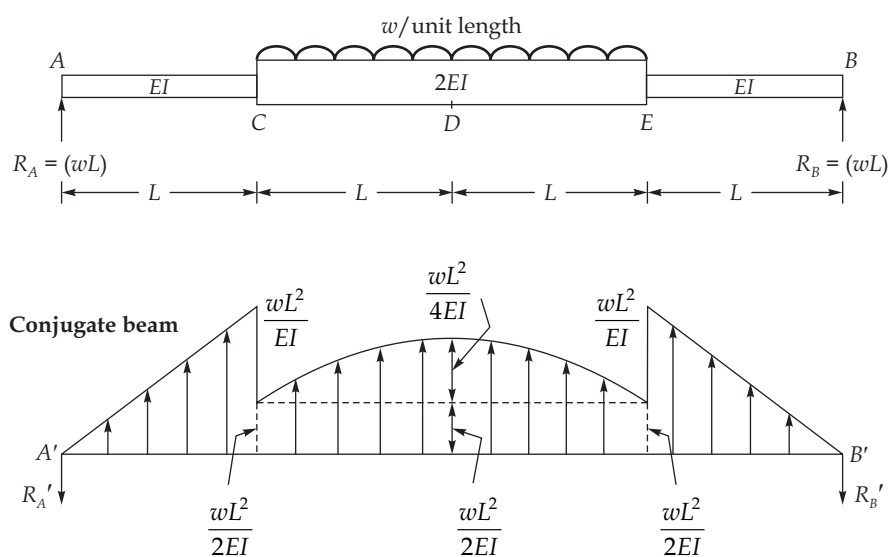
$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{EI} \int M_x \frac{dM_x}{dQ} dx \Big|_{Q=0} \\
 &= \frac{1}{EI} \int \left\{ (PR \sin \theta + QR(1 - \cos \theta)) R(1 - \cos \theta) dx \right\} \Big|_{Q=0} \\
 &= \frac{1}{EI} \int_0^{\pi/2} PR \sin \theta R(1 - \cos \theta) R d\theta \\
 \therefore \Delta_H &= \frac{PR^3}{EI} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin \theta (1 - \cos \theta) d\theta \\
 &= \frac{PR^3}{EI} \int_0^{\pi/2} \left(\sin \theta - \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right) d\theta \\
 &= \frac{PR^3}{EI} \left(-\cos \theta + \frac{\cos 2\theta}{4} \right) \Big|_0^{\pi/2} \\
 &= \frac{PR^3}{EI} \left(-0 - \frac{1}{4} - \left(-1 + \frac{1}{4} \right) \right) \\
 &= \frac{PR^3}{2EI}
 \end{aligned}$$

Given $P = 25 \text{ kN}$, $R = 4 \text{ m}$, $E = 200 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2$
 Dia. of cross-section, $d = 150 \text{ mm}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \Delta_H &= \frac{25 \times 10^3 \times (4000)^3}{2 \times 200 \times 10^3 \times \frac{\pi}{64} \times (150)^4} \\
 &= 160.963 \text{ mm}
 \end{aligned}$$

16. (a)

Using conjugate beam method.



The reaction at A' and B' are equal due to symmetry.

$$\begin{aligned} R_{A'} &= \frac{1}{2} \times L \times \frac{wL^2}{EI} + \left(\frac{wL^2}{2EI} \right) \times L + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{wL^2}{4EI} \times L \\ &= \frac{7wL^3}{6EI} \end{aligned}$$

From conjugate beam 'Theorem-1':

The slope at any point in a real beam will be equal to shear force at the corresponding point in conjugate beam.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \theta_A &= \text{SF at } A' \text{ in conjugate beam} \\ &= -R_{A'} = -\frac{7wL^3}{6EI} \\ &= \frac{7wL^3}{6EI} \text{ (CW)} \end{aligned}$$

17. (c)

Given differential equation is:

$$\begin{aligned} EI \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} &= P(\delta - y) \\ \Rightarrow EI \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} &= P\delta - Py \\ \Rightarrow \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + \frac{P}{EI} \times y &= \frac{P\delta}{EI} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + \alpha^2 y &= \frac{P\delta}{EI} \left(\text{where } \alpha^2 = \frac{P}{EI} \right) \end{aligned}$$

The solution of the above differential equation

$$\begin{aligned} y &= A \sin \alpha x + B \cos \alpha x + \frac{P\delta}{EI\alpha^2} \\ &= A \sin \alpha x + B \cos \alpha x + \delta \end{aligned}$$

Applying boundary condition.

At $x = 0$; $y = 0$

$$\therefore B = -\delta$$

$$\text{Also, } \frac{dy}{dx} = A\alpha \cos \alpha x - B\alpha \sin \alpha x$$

$$\text{At } x = 0, \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = A\alpha - 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 0$$

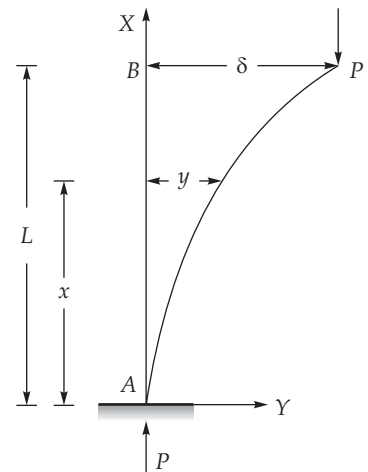
$$\therefore y = -\delta \cos \alpha x + \delta = \delta(1 - \cos \alpha x)$$

$$\text{Also, at } x = L, y = \delta$$

$$\therefore \delta = \delta(1 - \cos \alpha L)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \alpha L = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \alpha L = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} \text{ or } \cos \frac{5\pi}{2} \text{ or } , \dots$$



$$\Rightarrow \alpha L = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } \frac{3\pi}{2} \text{ or } \frac{5\pi}{2} \text{ or } , \dots$$

For second critical load, $\alpha L = \frac{3\pi}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\frac{P}{EI}} \times L = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

Squaring both sides, $\frac{P}{EI} \times L^2 = \frac{9\pi^2}{4}$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{9\pi^2 EI}{4L^2}$$

18. (b)

For no tension to occur,

Direct stress \geq Bending tensile stress

In limiting case,

Direct stress = Maximum bending tensile stress

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P}{D^2} = \frac{Pe_y}{(D^3/6)} + \frac{Pe_x}{D^3/6} \dots (i)$$

Since column is square and point being on diagonal

$$\therefore e_x = e_y$$

From eq. (i) $2e_x = \frac{D}{6}$

$$\Rightarrow e_x = \frac{D}{12}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore e &= \sqrt{e_x^2 + e_y^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\left(\frac{D}{12}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{D}{12}\right)^2} = \sqrt{2 \times \left(\frac{D}{12}\right)^2} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2} D}{12} \end{aligned}$$

19. (c)

For the 60° rosette:

$$\epsilon_x = \epsilon_a = 60 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\epsilon_y = \frac{1}{3}(2\epsilon_b + 2\epsilon_c - \epsilon_a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{3}(2 \times 135 \times 10^{-6} + 2 \times 264 \times 10^{-6} - 60 \times 10^{-6}) \\ &= 246 \times 10^{-6} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_{xy} &= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}(\epsilon_b - \epsilon_c) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}(135 \times 10^{-6} - 264 \times 10^{-6}) \\ &\simeq -149 \times 10^{-6} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore In plane principal strain

$$\epsilon_{1/2} = \frac{\epsilon_x + \epsilon_y}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\epsilon_x - \epsilon_y}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\gamma_{xy}}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_{1/2} = \left[\frac{60 + 246}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{60 - 246}{2}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{149}{2}\right)^2} \right] \times 10^{-6}$$

$$= [153 \pm 119.2] \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\therefore \begin{aligned} \epsilon_1 &= 272.2 \times 10^{-6} \\ \epsilon_2 &= 33.8 \times 10^{-6} \end{aligned}$$

Principal stress,

$$\sigma_1 = \frac{E}{1 - \mu^2} (\epsilon_1 + \mu \epsilon_2)$$

$$= \frac{200 \times 10^3}{1 - (0.3)^2} (272.2 \times 10^{-6} + 0.3 \times 33.8 \times 10^{-6})$$

$$= 62.05 \text{ MPa} \simeq 62 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = \frac{E}{1 - \mu^2} (\epsilon_2 + \mu \epsilon_1)$$

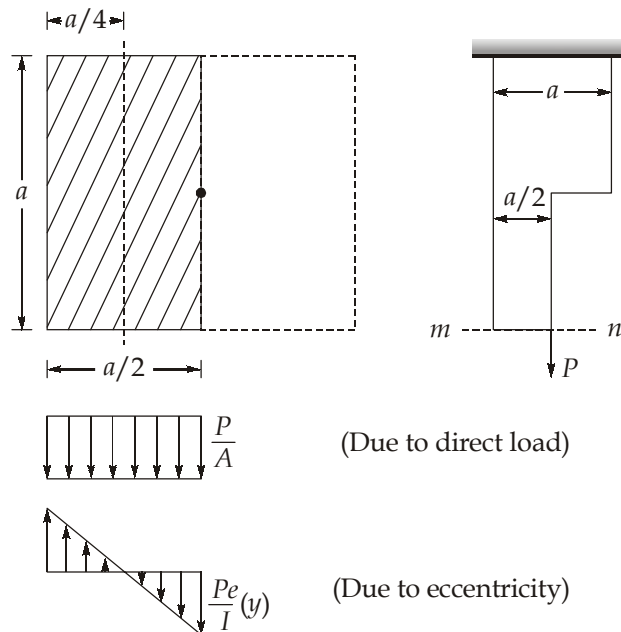
$$= \frac{200 \times 10^3}{1 - (0.3)^2} (33.8 \times 10^{-6} + 0.3 \times 272.2 \times 10^{-6})$$

$$= 25.4 \text{ MPa}$$

\therefore Largest normal stress = 62 MPa

$$\text{Largest shearing stress} = \frac{\sigma_1 - \sigma_2}{2} = \frac{62 - 25.4}{2} = 18.3 \text{ MPa}$$

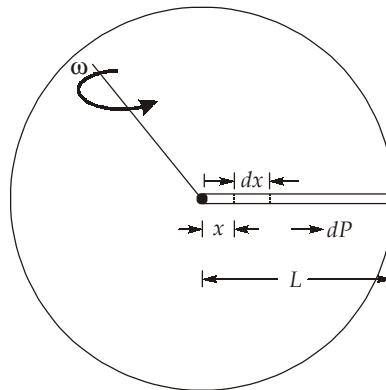
20. (a)



Maximum compressive stress at section mn is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_c &= \frac{P}{A} - \frac{Pe}{I} \times y \\
 &= \frac{P}{\left(a \times \frac{a}{2}\right)} - \frac{P \times \frac{a}{4}}{\left[\frac{a}{12} \times \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)^3\right]} \times \frac{a}{4} = \frac{2P}{a^2} - \frac{96Pa^2}{16a^4} \\
 &= \frac{2P}{a^2} - \frac{6P}{a^2} = -\frac{4P}{a^2} = \frac{4P}{a^2} \text{ (Compressive)}
 \end{aligned}$$

21. (b)



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

From the figure,

$$d\delta = \frac{dPx}{AE}$$

Centrifugal force on differential mass dM ,

$$dP = dM \cdot \omega^2 x = (\rho A dx) \omega^2 x$$

 \therefore

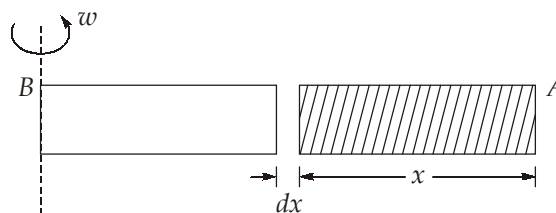
$$d\delta = \frac{(\rho A \omega^2 x dx) x}{AE}$$

 \therefore

$$\delta = \frac{\rho \omega^2}{E} \int_0^L x^2 \cdot dx = \frac{\rho \omega^2}{E} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^L$$

 \Rightarrow

$$\delta = \frac{\rho \omega^2}{3E} [L^3 - 0^3] = \frac{\rho \omega^2 L^3}{3E}$$

Alternate Solution:

$$m_x = \rho Ax$$

Distance between the C.G. of mass to the centre of rotation,

$$r = L - \frac{x}{2}$$

Centrifugal force, $F = m_x w^2 r = \rho A x (w^2) \left(L - \frac{x}{2} \right)$

Element elongation, $d\delta = \frac{F dx}{AE} = \frac{A x \rho \left(L - \frac{x}{2} \right) w^2 dx}{AE}$

$$d\delta = \frac{\rho w^2 \left(L - \frac{x}{2} \right)}{E} x \cdot dx$$

Total elongation, $\delta = \int_0^L \frac{\rho w^2}{E} \left(L - \frac{x}{2} \right) x dx = \frac{\rho w^2}{E} \left[L \left(\frac{L^2}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{x^3}{6} \right)_0^L \right] = \frac{\rho w^2}{E} \left[\frac{L^2}{2} - \frac{L^3}{6} \right]$

$$\delta = \frac{\rho w^2 L^2}{3E}$$

22. (b)

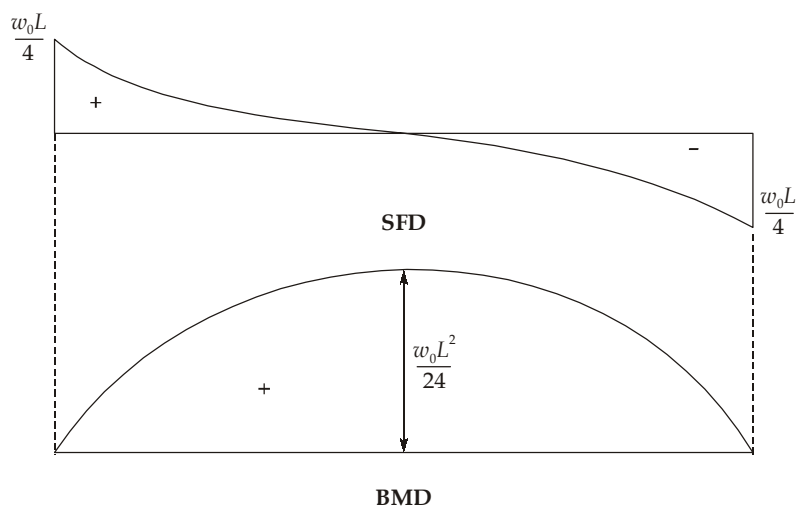
$$\text{Total load} = 2 \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{L}{2} \right) \times w_0 \right] = \frac{w_0 L}{2}$$

By symmetry, $R_1 = R_2 = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Total load}$

$$\Rightarrow R_1 = R_2 = \frac{w_0 L}{4}$$

Bending moment at B,

$$\begin{aligned} (M_B) &= R_1 \times \frac{L}{2} - \frac{1}{2} w_0 \times \frac{L}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{L}{2} \right) \\ &= \frac{w_0 L}{4} \times \frac{L}{2} - \frac{w_0}{2} \times \frac{L}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{L}{2} \right) \\ &= \frac{w_0 L^2}{8} - \frac{w_0 L^2}{12} = \frac{w_0 L^2}{24} \end{aligned}$$



23. (b)

Since section is symmetric about $x-x$ and $y-y$, therefore centre of section will lie on the geometrical centroid of section.

The semi-circular grooves may be assumed together and consider one circle of diameter 60 mm.

$$\text{So, } I_{xx} = \frac{80 \times (100)^3}{12} - \frac{\pi}{64} (60)^4 = 6.03 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

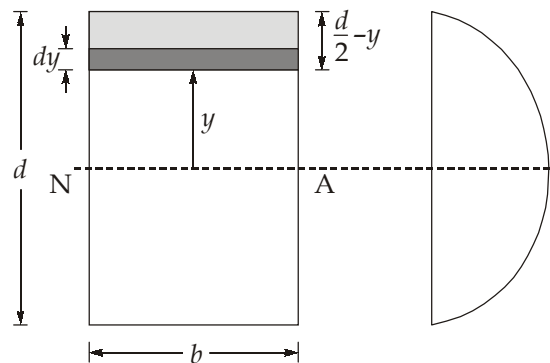
Now for shear stress at neutral axis, consider the area above the neutral axis,

$$A\bar{y} = [80 \times 50 \times 25] - \frac{\pi}{2} (30)^2 \times \frac{4 \times 30}{3\pi} = 100000 - 18000 = 82000 \text{ mm}^3$$

$$b = 20 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{So, } \tau = \frac{VA\bar{y}}{Ib} = \frac{20 \times 10^3 \times 82000}{6.03 \times 10^6 \times 20} = 13.60 \text{ MPa}$$

24. (b)



Shear stress at ' y ' distance from neutral axis.

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

Where

$$Q = A\bar{y} = \left(\frac{d}{2} - y\right)b \times \left(y + \frac{\frac{d}{2} - y}{2}\right)$$

\Rightarrow

$$Q = \left(\frac{d}{2} - y\right)b \left(\frac{\frac{d}{2} + y}{2}\right)$$

\Rightarrow

$$Q = \left(\frac{d^2}{4} - y^2\right) \frac{b}{2}$$

$$I = \frac{bd^3}{12}$$

So,

$$\tau = \frac{V \left(\frac{d^2}{4} - y^2\right) \frac{b}{2}}{\frac{bd^3}{12} \times b} = \frac{6V}{d^3 b} \left(\frac{d^2}{4} - y^2\right)$$

Now shear force carried by elementary portion

$$\begin{aligned} dF &= \tau dA \\ &= \tau b dy \end{aligned}$$

$$dF = \frac{6V}{d^3} \left(\frac{d^2}{4} - y^2 \right) dy$$

So, shear force carried by upper $1/3^{\text{rd}}$ portion:

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \int_{d/6}^{d/2} \frac{6V}{d^3} \left(\frac{d^2}{4} - y^2 \right) dy \\ &= \frac{6V}{d^3} \left[\frac{d^2}{4} y - \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{d/6}^{d/2} \\ &= \frac{6V}{d^3} \left[\frac{d^2}{4} \cdot \frac{d}{2} - \frac{d^3}{24} - \left(\frac{d^2}{4} \cdot \frac{d}{6} - \frac{d^3}{216 \times 3} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{6V}{d^3} \times \frac{7d^3}{162} \\ \therefore F &= \frac{7V}{27} \end{aligned}$$

25. (b)

Let,

P_s = Load shared by steel rod

P_c = Load shared by copper rod

Taking moments about A,

$$P_s \times 1 + P_c \times 3 = 20 \times 4$$

$$\Rightarrow P_s + 3P_c = 80 \quad \dots(i)$$

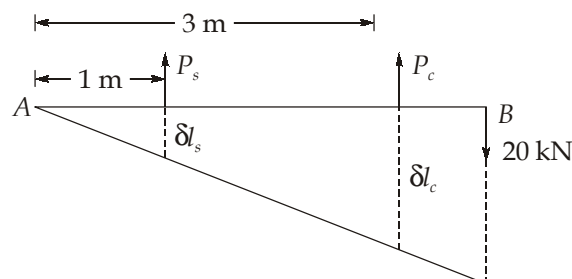
Now deformation of steel rod due to load P_s is,

$$\delta l_s = \frac{P_s l_s}{A_s E_s} = \frac{P_s \times 1 \times 10^3}{200 \times 200 \times 10^3} = 0.025 \times 10^{-3} P_s$$

And deformation of copper rod due to load P_c is,

$$\delta l_c = \frac{P_c l_c}{A_c E_c} = \frac{P_c \times 2 \times 10^3}{400 \times 100 \times 10^3} = 0.05 \times 10^{-3} P_c$$

From the geometry of elongation of the steel rod and copper rod,



$$\frac{\delta l_c}{3} = \delta l_s$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta l_c = 3\delta l_s$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.05 \times 10^{-3} P_c = 3 \times 0.025 \times 10^{-3} P_s$$

$$\Rightarrow P_c = 1.5 P_s$$

Substituting this in eq. (i)

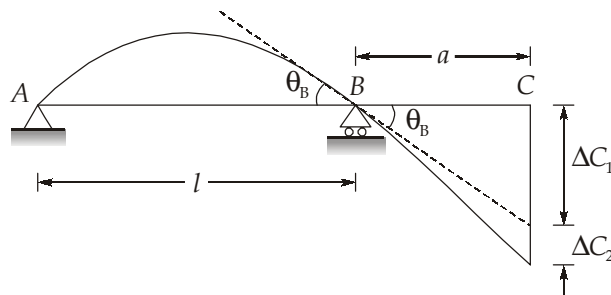
$$P_s + 3 (1.5 P_s) = 80$$

$$\Rightarrow P_s = 14.5 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$$

So, stress in steel rod, $\sigma_s = \frac{P_s}{A_s} = \frac{14.5 \times 10^3}{200} = 72.5 \text{ N/mm}^2$

26. (d)

The deformation of the beam will be as shown below.



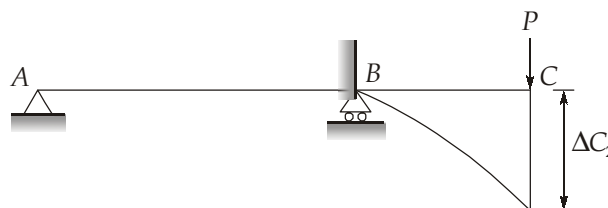
Now ΔC_1 is produced due to deflection of C as caused due to deformation of AB,

$$\Delta C_1 = \theta_B (BC) = \theta_B a$$

$$\theta_B = \frac{M_{BA} l}{3EI} = \frac{Pal}{3EI}$$

$$\therefore \Delta C_1 = \frac{Pala}{3EI} = \frac{Pa^2 l}{3EI}$$

ΔC_2 is produced due to deformation of BC



$$\Delta C_2 = \frac{Pa^3}{3EI}$$

So total deflection at C, $\Delta C = \Delta C_1 + \Delta C_2$

$$= \frac{Pa^2 l}{3EI} + \frac{Pa^3}{3EI}$$

27. (b)

Stress developed in the bar, $\sigma = \frac{P}{A} \left[1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{2AEh}{Pl}} \right]$

$$= \frac{15 \times 10^3}{2500} \left[1 + \sqrt{1 + \frac{2 \times 2500 \times 200 \times 10^3 \times 10}{15 \times 10^3 \times 3 \times 10^3}} \right]$$

$$= 6[1 + 14.9] = 95.4 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

We know that volume of bar, $V = l.A$

$$= 3 \times 10^3 \times 2500$$

$$= 7.5 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^3$$

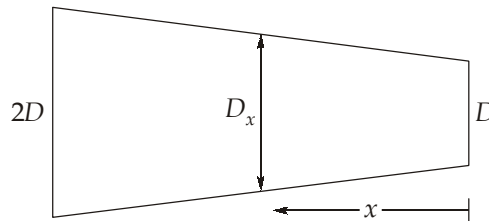
∴ Strain energy stored in the bar, $U = \frac{\sigma^2}{2E} V = \frac{(95.4)^2}{2 \times 200 \times 10^3} \times 7.5 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm}$

$$= 170.6 \text{ Nm}$$

28. (c)

As the shaft is subjected to pair of equal and opposite torques T applied at its ends. The diameter of shaft at distance x from smaller end is

$$D_x = D + \frac{(2D - D)x}{L} = \frac{D}{L}(L + x)$$



Corresponding polar moment of inertia,

$$J_x = \frac{\pi D_x^4}{32} = \frac{\pi D^4}{32 L^4} (L + x)^4$$

The angle of twist of the element, $d\theta = \frac{T dx}{G J_x}$

$$\Rightarrow d\theta = \frac{T}{G} \left[\frac{32 L^4}{\pi D^4 (L + x)^4} \right] dx$$

The total angle of twist θ over the entire length is,

$$\theta = \frac{32 T L^4}{\pi G D^4} \int_0^L \frac{dx}{(L + x)^4} = \frac{32 T L^4}{\pi G D^4} \left[-\frac{1}{3(L + x)^3} \right]_0^L$$

$$= \frac{32 T L^4}{\pi G D^4} \times \frac{7}{24 L^3} = \frac{28}{3\pi} \frac{T L}{G D^4}$$

29. (a)

Shear strain, $\gamma_{xy} = \frac{\partial U_x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial U_y}{\partial x}$

$$= (6y + 0) \times 10^{-2} = (6y \times 10^{-2}) \Big|_{(1,2,0)} = 0.12$$

$$\gamma_{yz} = \frac{\partial U_y}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial y} = (6y + 0) \times 10^{-2} = 6y \times 10^{-2} \Big|_{(1,2,0)} = 0.12$$

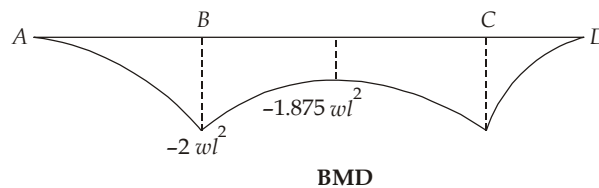
$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_{xz} &= \frac{\partial U_x}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial x} \\ &= (0 + 16x) \times 10^{-2} = 16x \times 10^{-2} \Big|_{(1,2,0)} = 0.16 \end{aligned}$$

30. (c)

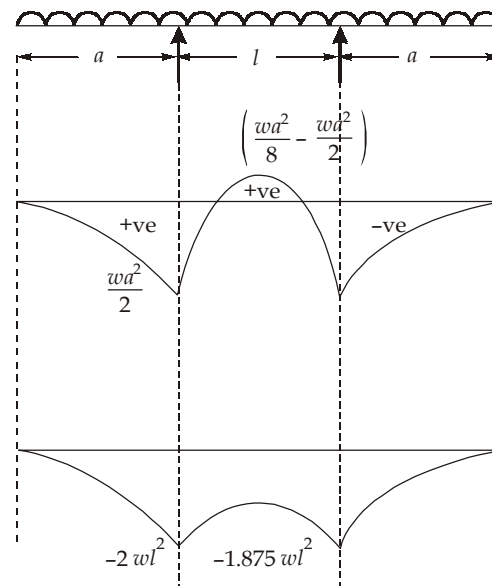
$$\text{BM at B} = -2wl^2$$

$$\text{BM at mid of BC} = \frac{-w \times (2.5l)^2}{2} + (2.5wl) \frac{l}{2} = -1.875wl^2$$

So, BM doesn't change sign throughout the beam.



Alternative:



So, for given condition,

$$a = 2l$$

and

$$l = l$$

B.M. at support

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-w(2l)^2}{2} = -2wl^2$$

Both value is -ve one.

Hence no point of contraflexure in the beam.

