



B.E DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: NOV/DEC 2014

(Regulation 2013)

Third Semester

AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

U13AET302: Mechanics of Solids

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions:-

PART A (10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

1. Young's modulus E is represented the factor of proportionality between
 - a) Elasticity and rigidity
 - b) Stress and strain
 - c) Area and force
 - d) Shear stress and Stress
2. The energy stored in a material, at the time of loading is called
3. A simply supported beam of length (l) carries a point load (W) at the midpoint. The bending moment diagram will be a
 - a) Triangle with maximum value at the left side support
 - b) Triangle with maximum value at the centre of the beam
 - c) Parabola with maximum value at the centre of the beam
 - d) Parabola with maximum value at the right side support
4. Aircraft wing is an example for type of beam
5. Two springs of stiffness k_1 & k_2 respectively are connected in series, the stiffness of the composite spring (k) will be given by,
 - a) $k=k_1+k_2$
 - b) $k=k_1k_2$
 - c) $k=(k_1+k_1)/k_1+k_2$
 - d) $k=(k_1k_2)/k_1+k_2$
6. The polar moment of inertia for circular hollow shaft is
7. Find the wrong option
 - a) y - deflection
 - b) (d^2y/dx^2) - moment
 - c) (dy/dx) - slope
 - d) (d^3y/dx^3) - shear load
8. A long vertical member, subjected to an axial compressive load is called as

PART C (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)

(Not more than 400 words)

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21. Draw shear force and bending moment diagram for the beam given in Figure No 2

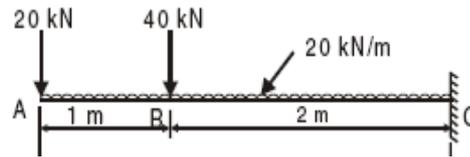


Figure No 2

22. a) Derive an equation relating Modulus of Elasticity (E) Rigidity modulus (G) and Bulk Modulus (K).

(OR)

- b) A specimen of steel 20 mm diameter with a gauge length of 200 mm is tested to destruction. It has an extension of 0.25 mm under a load of 80 kN and the load at elastic limit is 102 kN. The maximum load is 130 kN. The total extension at fracture is 56 mm and diameter at neck is 15 mm. Find
- The stress at elastic limit.
 - Young's modulus.
 - Percentage elongation.
 - Percentage reduction in area.
 - Ultimate tensile stress.

23. a) A solid shaft is to transmit 300KW at 100 rpm if the shear stress is not to exceed 80N/mm^2 . Find the diameter of the shaft. If this shaft were to be replaced by hollow shaft of same material and length with an internal diameter of 0.6 times the external diameter, what percentage saving in weight is possible.

(OR)

- b) A closely coiled helical spring of round steel wire 10 mm in diameter having 10 complete turns with a mean diameter of 12 cm is subjected to an axial load of 250 N.

Determine:

- the deflection of the spring
- maximum shear stress in the wire and
- Stiffness of the spring

Take $C = 8 \times 10^4 \text{N/mm}^2$

24. a) A simply supported beam is loaded as shown in Figure No 3 is 200mm wide and 400mm deep. Find the slopes at the supports, deflections under loads and magnitude of the maximum deflection.

Take $E = 2 \times 10^4 \text{ N/mm}^2$. Use Macaulay's method.

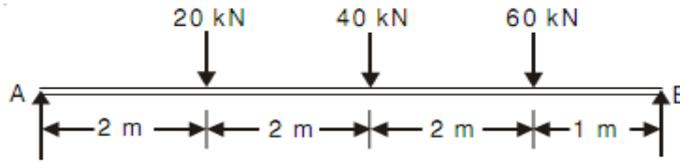


Figure No 3

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- b) A hollow cylindrical cast iron column is 4 m long with both ends fixed. Determine the minimum diameter of the column if it has to carry a safe load of 250 kN with a factor of safety of 5. Take the internal diameter as 0.8 times the external diameter. Take $\sigma_c = 550 \text{ N/mm}^2$ and $a = 1/1600$ in Rankine's formula.

25. a) A cylinder shell, 3m long, which is closed at the ends, has an internal diameter of 1m and a wall thickness of 15mm. Calculate the circumferential and longitudinal stresses. Also find the changes in dimensions of the shell, if it is subjected to an internal pressure of 1.5 MPa. Take $E = 1.5 \text{ MPa}$ and Poisson's ratio = 0.3.

(OR)

- b) The state of stress at a point in a strained material is as shown in Figure No 4. Determine:
- the direction of principal planes
 - the magnitude of principal stresses and
 - the magnitude of maximum shear stress.
- Indicate the direction of all the above by a sketch.

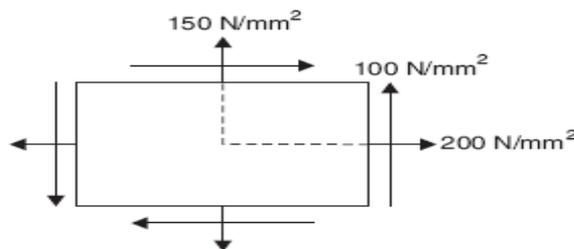


Figure No 4
