# Combined stress

MECH 2333

# Combined normal and shear stress



If stress in x dir +50 MPa Stress in y dir -30 MPa Shear stress 10 MPa

Determine stress acting on an element oriented 30 deg clockwise w.r.t original element

clockwise dir is negative...



Figure 17.18 Combined normal and shear stress.





Design a Traffic Post Considering the following conditions-

## Mohr Circle for Plane Stress

$$\sigma = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} + \frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \cos 2\phi + \tau_{xy} \sin 2\phi$$
(3-8)  
$$\tau = -\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2} \sin 2\phi + \tau_{xy} \cos 2\phi$$
(3-9)

Equations (3–8) and (3–9) are called the *plane-stress transformation equations*.

$$\tau_1, \tau_2 = \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2}$$
(3-14)



#### Mohr's Circle Shear Convention

 $\tau_{xy}$ 

2**φ**.

This convention is followed in drawing Mohr's circle:

- Shear stresses tending to rotate the element clockwise (cw) are plotted *above* the  $\sigma$  axis.
- Shear stresses tending to rotate the element counterclockwise (ccw) are plotted below the  $\sigma$  axis.

For example, consider the right face of the element in Fig. 3-8b. By Mohr's circle convention the shear stress shown is plotted *below* the  $\sigma$  axis because it tends to rotate the element counterclockwise. The shear stress on the top face of the element is plotted *above* the  $\sigma$  axis because it tends to rotate the element clockwise.

In Fig. 3–10 we create a coordinate system with normal stresses plotted along the abscissa and shear stresses plotted as the ordinates. On the abscissa, tensile (positive) normal stresses are plotted to the right of the origin O and compressive (negative) normal stresses to the left. On the ordinate, clockwise (cw) shear stresses are plotted up; counterclockwise (ccw) shear stresses are plotted down.

Principal Stress from applied stress

Sigma 1,2 =  $(Sigmax+Sigmay)/2\pm R$ 

Tau1,2 =  $\pm R$ 

Mohr's circle diagram.

A stress element has  $\sigma_x = 80$  MPa and  $\tau_{xy} = 50$  MPa cw, as shown in Fig. 3–11*a*.

(*a*) Using Mohr's circle, find the principal stresses and directions, and show these on a stress element correctly aligned with respect to the *xy* coordinates. Draw another stress element to show  $\tau_1$  and  $\tau_2$ , find the corresponding normal stresses, and label the drawing completely.

(b) Repeat part a using the transformation equations only.



(b) The transformation equations are programmable. From Eq. (3-10),

$$\phi_p = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2\tau_{xy}}{\sigma_x - \sigma_y} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{2(-50)}{80} \right) = -25.7^\circ, 64.3^\circ$$

From Eq. (3–8), for the first angle  $\phi_p = -25.7^\circ$ ,

$$\sigma = \frac{80+0}{2} + \frac{80-0}{2} \cos[2(-25.7)] + (-50)\sin[2(-25.7)] = 104.03 \text{ MPa}$$

The shear on this surface is obtained from Eq. (3-9) as

$$\tau = -\frac{80 - 0}{2} \sin[2(-25.7)] + (-50) \cos[2(-25.7)] = 0 \text{ MPa}$$

which confirms that 104.03 MPa is a principal stress. From Eq. (3–8), for  $\phi_p = 64.3^\circ$ ,

$$\sigma = \frac{80+0}{2} + \frac{80-0}{2}\cos[2(64.3)] + (-50)\sin[2(64.3)] = -24.03 \text{ MPa}$$

The wide-flange beam is subjected to the 50-kN force. Determine the principal stresses in the beam at point A located on the *web* at the bottom of the upper flange. Although it is not very accurate, use the shear formula to calculate the shear stress.



# Solution

SOLUTION



 $\sigma_1 = 198 \text{ MPa}$ 

 $\sigma_2 = -1.37 \text{ MPa}$ 

Lets find principle stress using mohr's Circle Also Solve for Point B



Critical Load= How much load the column can take before Buckling?

$$P_e = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{L^2} \tag{18.1}$$

- where  $P_e$  = the critical load; the concentric load that will cause initial buckling (lb) (N)
  - $\pi$  = a mathematical constant (3.1416)
  - E = the modulus of elasticity of the material (psi) (MPa)
  - I = the least moment of inertia of the cross section (in.<sup>4</sup>) (mm<sup>4</sup>)
  - L = the length of the column from pin end to pin end (in.) (mm)

### Slenderness ratio, l/r, determines if the beam is long or intermediate

Tests have verified that Euler's formula accurately predicts the buckling load if conditions are such that the buckling stress is less than the proportional limit of the material and adherence to the basic assumptions is maintained. Since the buckling stress must be compared with the proportional limit, Euler's formula is commonly written in terms of stress, which can be derived from the preceding buckling load formula using the relationship  $r = \sqrt{I/A}$  or  $I = Ar^2$  (see Section 8.5):

$$f_e = \frac{\pi^2 E}{(L/r)^2}$$
(18.2)

- where  $f_e$  = the critical stress; the uniform compressive stress at which initial buckling occurs (same units as *E*)
  - r = the least radius of gyration of the cross section (same units as L)

EXAMPLE 18.1 A 25-mm-diameter steel rod, shown in Figure 18.2, is used as a pin-connected compression member. Calculate the critical load using Euler's formula. The proportional limit for the steel is 235 MPa and the modulus of elasticity is  $207 \times 10^3$  MPa. Assume the length of the rod to be (a) 1 m and (b) 2 m.



FIGURE 18.2 Pin-connected compression member.

Refer to Table 3 inside the back cover for properties of areas: Solution

$$A = 0.7854d^2 = 0.7854(25 \text{ mm})^2 = 491 \text{ mm}^2$$
  
 $r = \frac{d}{4} = \frac{25 \text{ mm}}{4} = 6.25 \text{ mm}$   
**Proportional limit=Yield Stress**

(a) For a 1-m length of rod,

$$f_e = \frac{\pi^2 E}{(L/r)^2} = \frac{\pi^2 (207 \times 10^3 \text{ MPa})}{[(1000 \text{ mm})/(6.25 \text{ mm})]^2}$$
  
= 79.8 MPa < 235 MPa

The critical load can then be calculated from

$$P_e = f_e A = (79.8 \text{ MPa})(491 \text{ mm}^2) = 39.2 \times 10^3 \text{ N} = 39.2 \text{ kN}$$

(b) For a 2-m length of rod,

$$f_{\theta} = \frac{\pi^2 E}{(L/r)^2} = \frac{\pi^2 (207 \times 10^3 \text{ MPa})}{[(2000 \text{ mm})/(6.25 \text{ mm})]^2}$$
  
= 19.95 MPa < 235 MPa  
$$P_{\theta} = f_{\theta} A = (19.95 \text{ MPa})(491 \text{ mm}^2) = 9.80 \times 10^3 \text{ N} = 9.8 \text{ kN}$$
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Solution From Table 3,

$$A = 0.7854d^{2} = 0.7854(1 \text{ in.})^{2} = 0.7854 \text{ in.}^{2}$$
$$r = \frac{d}{4} = \frac{1.0 \text{ in.}}{4} = 0.25 \text{ in.}$$
$$I = \frac{\pi d^{4}}{64} = \frac{\pi (1 \text{ in.})^{4}}{64} = 0.0491 \text{ in.}^{4}$$

(a) The shortest length L for which Euler's formula applies will be that length for which the critical stress is equal to the proportional limit:

$$f_e = \frac{\pi^2 E}{(L/r)^2}$$

Solve for L:

$$L^{2} = \frac{\pi^{2} E r^{2}}{f_{e}} = \frac{\pi^{2} (30,000,000 \text{ psi}) (0.25 \text{ in.})^{2}}{50,000 \text{ psi}} = 370.1 \text{ in.}^{2}$$

from which

$$L = 19.24$$
 in.

(b) If L = 48 in., Euler's formula is valid (48 in. > 19.24 in.). Therefore, the critical load can be calculated from Equation (18.1):

$$P_{\rm e} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{L^2} = \frac{\pi^2 (30,000,000 \text{ psi}) (0.0491 \text{ in.}^4)}{(48 \text{ in.})^2} = 6310 \text{ lb}$$

(O.K.)

# Effective length factor

Effective length depends on the end condition



Note: I indicates inflection points

TABLE 18.1 Effective length factors			
Idealized End Conditions	Theoretical <i>K</i> Value	Recommended <i>K</i> Value for Design and Analysis	Number of Times Stronger Than Pinned-End Column <sup>a</sup>
Pinned	1.0	1.0	1
Fixed	0.5	0.65	4
Fixed/pinned	0.7	0.80	2
Fixed/free	2.0	2.10	$\frac{1}{4}$
<sup>a</sup> Using the theoretical <i>K</i> value.			



That means, this column can carry 67 Kilo Pound Load