

Stress Function $\phi(x, y)$

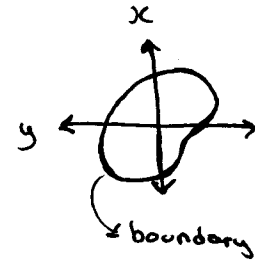
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$\phi = 0$ on the boundary

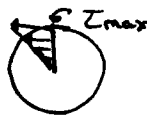
Stress $\begin{cases} \tau_{xz} = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \\ \tau_{yz} = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \end{cases}$

$$T = 2 \iint_A \phi dx dy$$

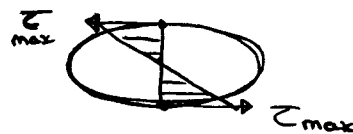
$$\theta = T/GJ$$



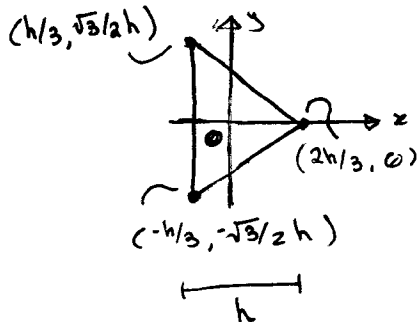
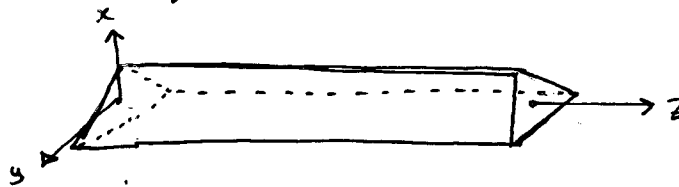
For a circle:



For an ellipse:



6.32 - Equilateral Triangle Cross-Section



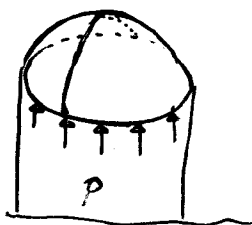
$$\phi = \frac{G\theta}{2h} (x - \sqrt{3}y - 2h/3) \cdot ((x + \sqrt{3}y - 2h/3) \cdot (x + h/3))$$

Define $J = \frac{h^4}{15\sqrt{3}}$

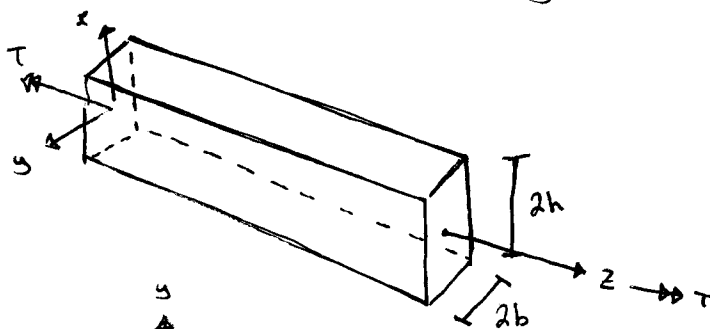
$$\tau_{max} = \frac{15\sqrt{3}}{2h^3} T$$

$$\theta = \frac{T}{GJ}$$

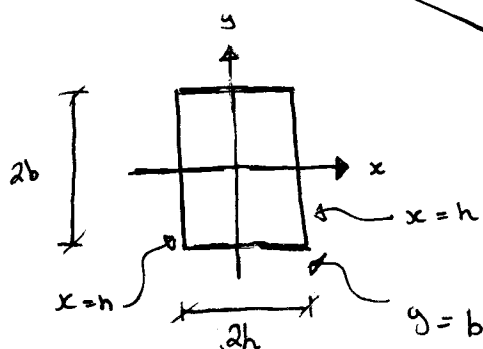
6.4 - The Prandtl elastic-membrane analogy



6.6 - Torsion of rectangular cross-section



$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} = -2G\theta \\ \phi = 0 \text{ at } \begin{cases} x = h \\ x = -h \\ y = b \\ y = -b \end{cases} \end{cases}$$



$$\Rightarrow \phi = G\theta(h^2 - x^2) - \frac{32G\theta h^2}{\pi^3} \cdot \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2h}\right) \cosh\left(\frac{n\pi y}{2b}\right)}{n^3 \cosh\left(\frac{n\pi b}{2h}\right)}$$

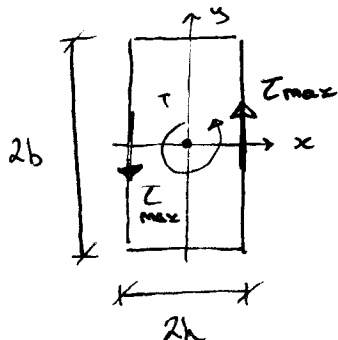
Define $J = \kappa_1 (2h)^3 (2b)$

Then $\theta = T / GJ$

Max shear stress ($b > h$)

$$\tau_{\max} = G\theta (2h) \cdot (\kappa_1 / \kappa_2)$$

The max. shear occurs at the location with the shortest distance to centre (at $x = \pm h, y = 0$)



b/h	1.0	2.0	... ∞
κ_1	0.141	0.229	... 0.333
κ_2	0.208	0.246	... 0.333

$$b/h \gg 3$$

$$\kappa_1 \approx \kappa_2 = 1/3 - 0.210 h/b$$

6.5 Narrow rectangular Cross-section

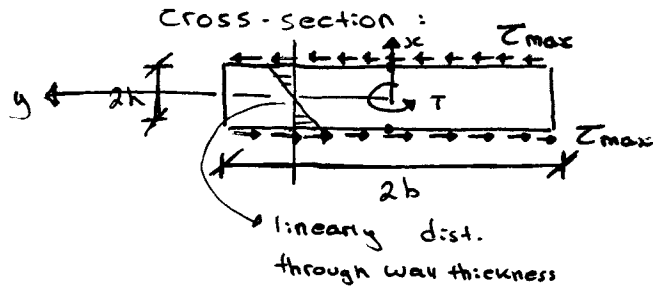
$$b \geq 10h$$

$$\mu_1 = \mu_2 = 1/3$$

$$J = 1/2 (2h)^3 (2b)$$

$$\theta = T/GJ$$

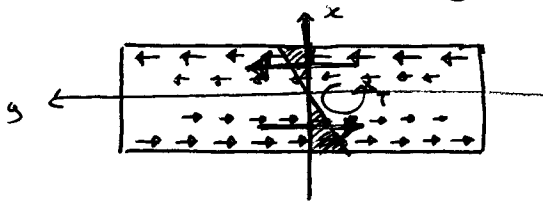
$$\tau_{\max} = G\theta \cdot 2h \cdot \mu_1/\mu_2 = G\theta \cdot 2h = 2G\theta h$$



Shear stresses

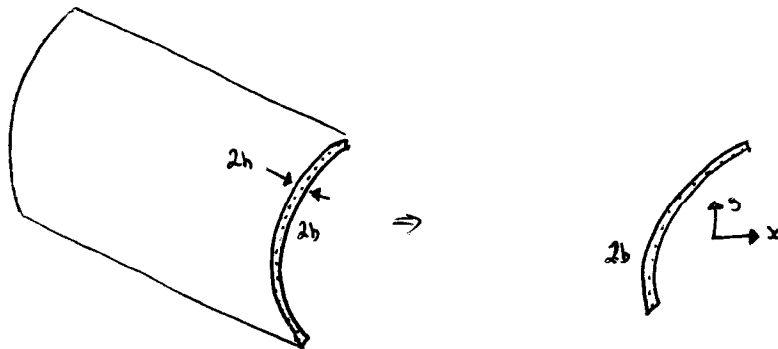
$$\sigma_{zx} = 0$$

$$\sigma_{zy} = 2G\theta x$$

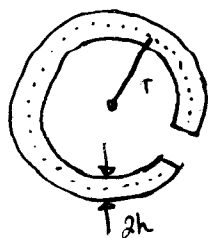


Resultant of the shear stress through the wall thickness is zero.

Summation of shear stress (moment) = $T/2$

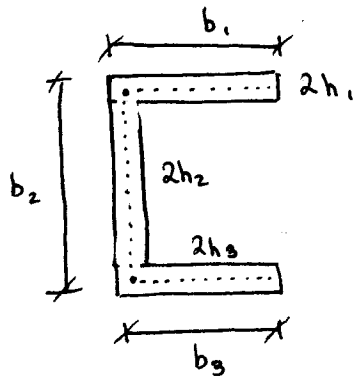


$$J = 1/3 (2h)^3 (2b)$$



$$2b = 2\pi r$$

$$J = (1/3) (2\pi r) (2h)^3$$



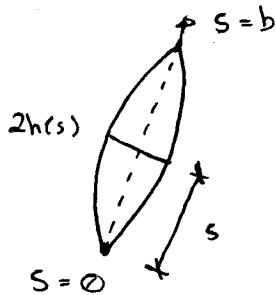
$$J = \frac{1}{3} (2h_1)^3 (b_1) + \frac{1}{3} (2h_2)^3 (b_2) + \frac{1}{3} (2h_3)^3 (b_3)$$

$$\tau_{\max, 1} = 2G\theta h_1$$

$$\tau_{\max, 2} = 2G\theta h_2$$

$$\tau_{\max, 3} = 2G\theta h_3$$

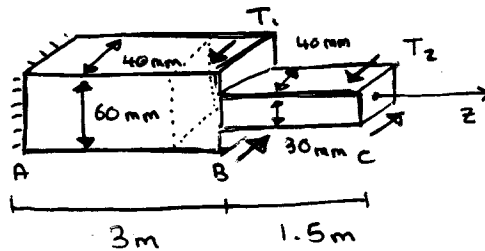
$$\therefore \tau_{\max} = 2G\theta \cdot h_{\max}$$



$$J = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^b (2h)^3 ds$$

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Example :



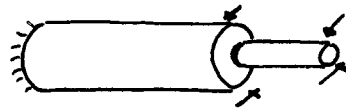
$$T_1 = 750 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$T_2 = 400 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

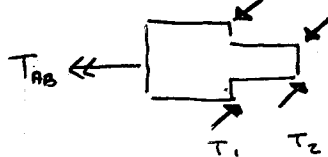
$$G = 77.5 \text{ GPa} \\ = 77500 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

Find τ_{\max} and angle of twist of the free end.

Solution :



For AB:

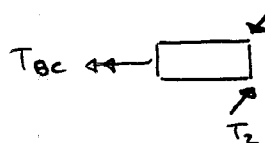


$$\sum M_z = 0$$

$$T_1 + T_2 - T_{AB} = 0$$

$$T_{AB} = T_1 + T_2 \Rightarrow T_{AB} = 1150 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

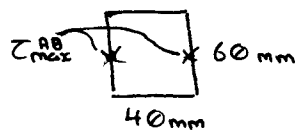
For BC:



$$\sum M_z = 0$$

$$T_{BC} = T_2 \Rightarrow T_{BC} = 400 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

For AB:



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 2b = 60 \\ 2h = 40 \end{array} \right\} \frac{b}{h} = 1.5$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 1\text{m} = 10^3\text{mm} \\ 1\text{N/m}^2 = 1\text{Pa} \end{array} \right\} 1\text{N/mm}^2 = 1\text{MPa}$$

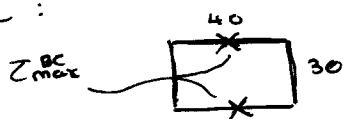
From table $K_1 = 0.196$
 $K_2 = 0.231$

$$\theta_{AB} = \frac{T_{AB}}{GJ_{AB}} = \frac{1150 \times 10^3}{(77.5)(10^3)(752640)} \\ = 1.9716 (10^{-5})$$

$$J_{AB} = K_1 (2b)(2h)^3 \\ = (0.196)(60)(40)^3 \\ = 752640 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$\tau_{\max}^{AB} = \frac{T_{AB}}{K_2 (2b)(2h)^3} = \frac{1150 \times 10^3}{(0.231)(60)(40)^2} = 51.9 \text{ MPa}$$

For BC:

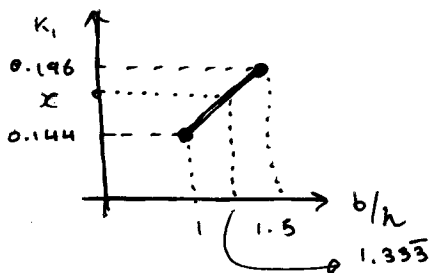


$$2b = 40$$

$$2h = 30$$

$$b/h = 40/30 = 1.33\bar{3}$$

$$K_1 = K_1(b/h)$$



Assuming linearly distributed.

$$\frac{0.196 - 0.144}{1.5 - 1} = \frac{x - 0.144}{1.333 - 1}$$

$$x = 0.1776 = K_1$$

$$K_2 = 0.2233$$

$$\begin{aligned} J_{BC} &= K_1(2b)(2h)^3 \\ &= (0.1776)(40)(30)^3 \\ &= 19180.8 \text{ mm}^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \theta_{BC} &= \frac{T_{BC}}{GJ_{BC}} = \frac{400(10^3)}{(77.5 \times 10^3)(19180.8)} \\ &= 2.6909(10^{-6}) \text{ rad/mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\tau_{max}^{BC} = \frac{T_{BC}}{K_2(2b)(2h)^2} = \dots = 49.8 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\therefore \tau_{max} = 51.9 \text{ MPa}$$

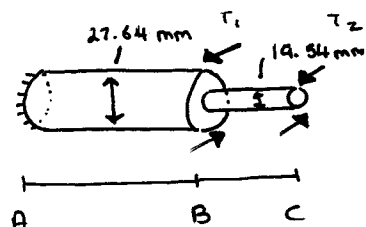
It occurs in the AB segment.

$$\beta_{C/A} = \beta_{C/B} + \beta_{B/A}$$

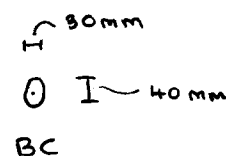
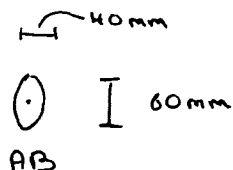
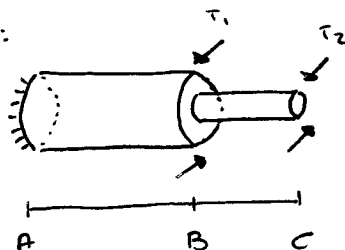
$$\beta_{C/A} = (BC \cdot \theta_{BC}) + (AB \cdot \theta_{AB})$$

$$\Rightarrow (1500)(2.6909 \times 10^{-6}) + (3000)(9.9512 \times 10^{-6}) \text{ rad}$$

Case 1 :



Case 2 :

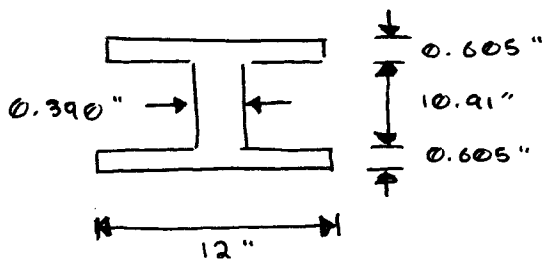


Example : For the given I-beam :

- Find the torsional constant J
- Find the maximum torque that the beam can take if the yield shear stress is $\tau_y = 36 \text{ ksi}$.

Given $G = 12 \times 10^3 \text{ ksi}$:

→ a)



$$J = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)(2b)(2h)^3$$

$$\rightarrow J = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)(12)(0.605)^3 \times 2 \dots$$

$$\dots + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)(10.91)(0.390)^3$$

$$J = 1.99 \text{ in}^4$$

$$\rightarrow b) \tau_{\max} = \frac{T}{J} (2h)_{\max}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_{\max} = \frac{T}{J} (0.605)$$

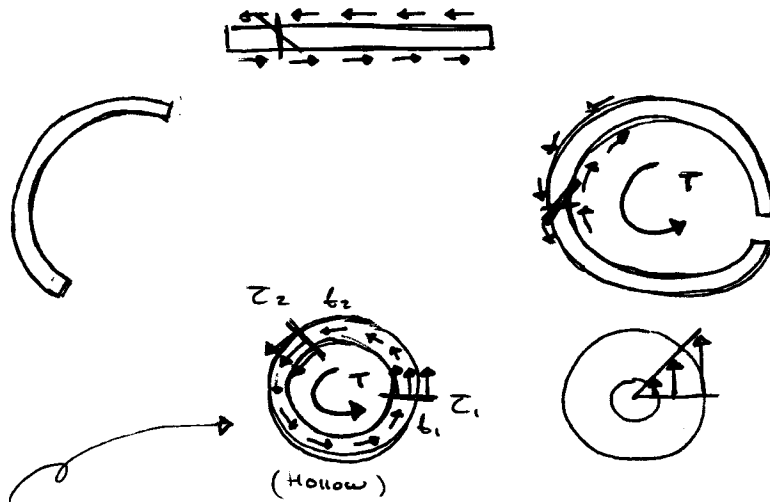
Since $\tau_{\max} \leq \tau_y$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tau_{\max} (0.605)}{J} = \tau_y$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_{\max} = \left(\frac{36 \times 1.99}{0.605} \right) \text{ kip-in}$$

6.7 Hollow thin-wall torsion members and multiply connected cross-section.

Narrow rectangular cross-section.

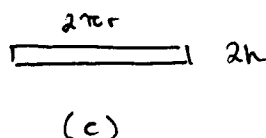


- Shear stress is practically constant through the wall thickness.
- Shear stress is parallel to the boundary of the section.
- $q = \tau t = \text{Shear Flow}$
- $q = \text{const.}$



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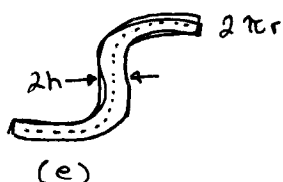
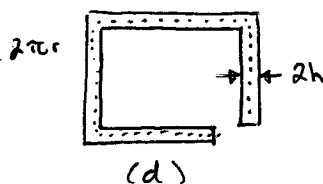
Example:



→ three thin wall members, find the ratio of the largest shear stress and the ratio of the angle of twist per unit length.

Solution: b and c are the same

$$I_b = \frac{1}{3}(2\pi r)(2h)^3$$



For (a) outer radius: $r+h$

inner radius: $r-h$

$$J_a = \frac{\pi}{2} [(r+h)^4 - (r-h)^4]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} [(r^4 + 4r^3h + 6r^2h^2 + 4rh^3 + h^4) - (r^4 - 4r^3h + 6r^2h^2 - 4rh^3 + h^4)]$$

$$\Rightarrow (\pi/2) [8r^3h + 8rh^3]$$

$$\approx 4\pi r^3h$$

$$\tau_{max}^a = \frac{T}{J_a} \cdot (r+h) \overset{\text{neglect}}{\approx} \left(\frac{T}{4\pi r^3h} \right) \cdot r = \frac{T}{4\pi r^2h}$$

$$\tau_{max}^b = \frac{T}{J_b} \cdot (2h) = \left(\frac{T}{\frac{1}{3}2\pi r(2h)^3} \right) \cdot 2h = \frac{3T}{8\pi rh^2}$$

$$\frac{\tau_{max}^a}{\tau_{max}^b} = \left(\frac{T}{4\pi r^2h} \right) \left(\frac{8\pi rh^2}{3T} \right) \Rightarrow \left(\frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{h}{r} \right)$$

$$\theta = \frac{T}{GJ} \quad \rightarrow \text{where } T, G \text{ don't change.}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\theta_a}{\theta_b} = \frac{J_b}{J_a} = \frac{(\frac{1}{3})2\pi r(2h)^3}{4\pi r^3 h} = \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{h}{r} \right)^2$$

A special case:

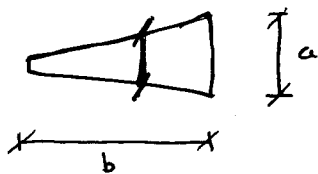
$$r = 400 \text{ mm}$$

$$2h = 30 \text{ mm}$$

$$\frac{J_{\max}^a}{J_{\max}^b} = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{15}{400} \right) = \frac{1}{40}$$

$$\frac{\theta_a}{\theta_b} = \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{15}{400} \right)^2 = \frac{2}{1067}$$

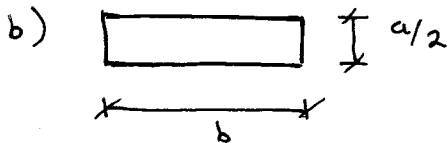
Example



$$b \gg a$$

a) Find the max shear stress in terms of:

$$T, a, b, G$$

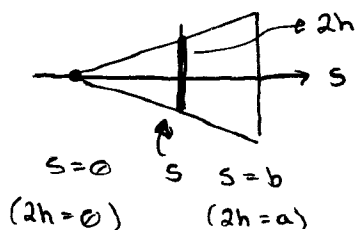


what are the percentage errors of J_{\max} and θ

$$\text{if using } J = (\frac{1}{3})(b)(a/2)^3 = (\frac{1}{24})a^3b$$

Solution: a)

$$J = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^b (2h)^3 ds$$



$$\frac{s}{b} = \frac{2h}{a} \Rightarrow 2h = \frac{a}{b} \cdot s$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow J &= \frac{1}{3} \int_0^b \left(\frac{a}{b} s \right)^3 ds \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \frac{a^3}{b^3} \int_0^b s^3 ds \\ &= (\frac{1}{3}) \left(\frac{a^3}{b^3} \right) \left(\frac{1}{4} \right) (b^4) = \frac{1}{12} a^3 b \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow J_{\max} = \frac{T}{J} (2h)_{\max}$$



$$\Rightarrow Z_{\max} = \frac{T}{J} (2h)_{\max}$$

$$= \frac{T}{(\frac{1}{12}) a^3 b} \cdot a = \frac{12T}{a^2 b}$$

$$\theta = \frac{T}{GJ} = \frac{T}{G(\frac{1}{12}) a^3 b} = \frac{12T}{Ga^3 b}$$

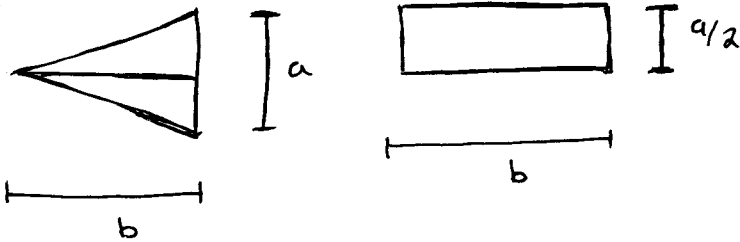
$$b) J = (\frac{1}{12}) a^3 b$$

$$J_{\text{rec}} = (\frac{1}{24}) a^3 b$$

$$Z_{\max}^{\text{rec}} = \frac{T}{J_{\text{rec}}} \cdot (2h)_{\max}$$

$$= \frac{T}{(\frac{1}{24}) a^3 b} \cdot \left(\frac{a}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{12T}{a^2 b}$$



$$\theta = ?$$