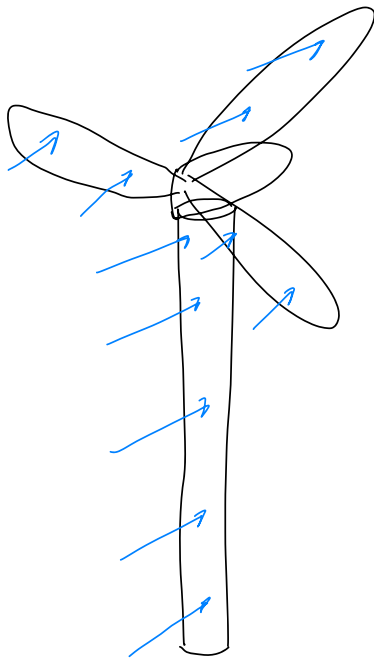


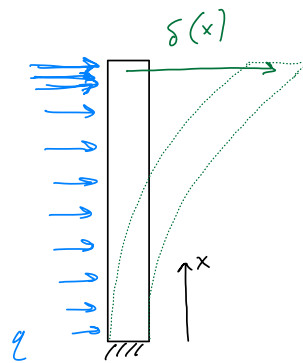
Goals

- 1) Review beam theory
- 2) Use beam theory to derive shear force bending moment diagram and deflection curve for a wind turbine

Our structure

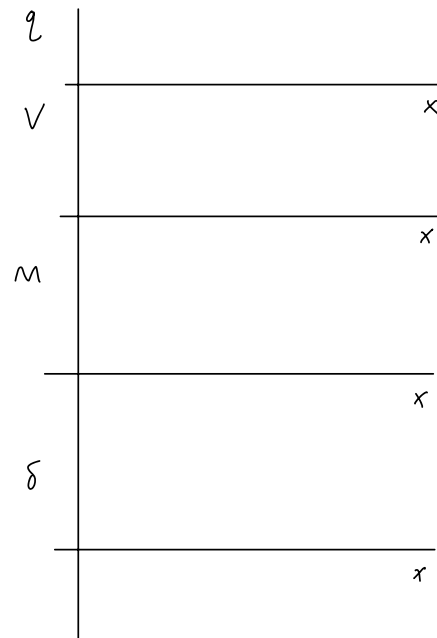


Model



Beam theory

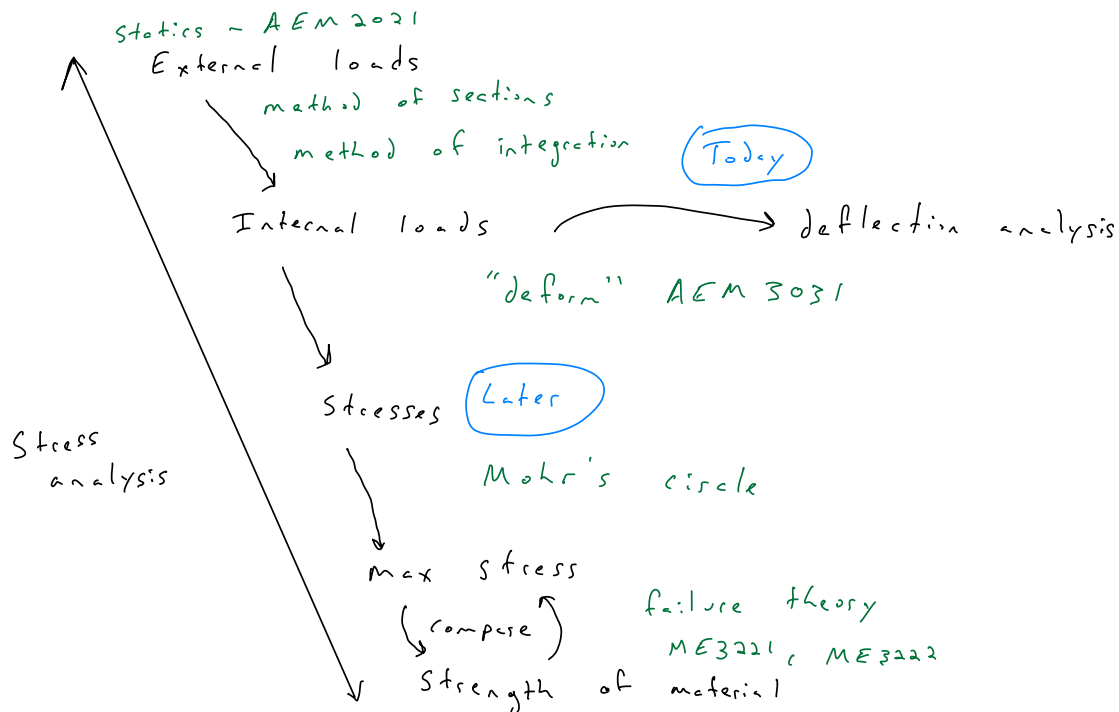
Today, we are going
to talk about making
these plots



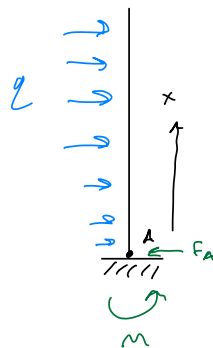
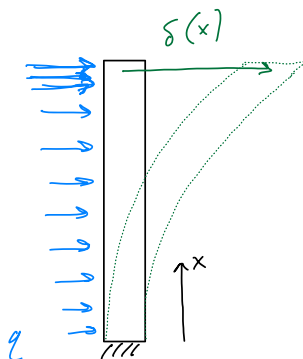
Assumptions

- Beam is linearly elastic (follows Hooke's law)
- "small" deflection $< 4-5^\circ \rightarrow$ small angle approximation
- Statically determinate

Overview of theory

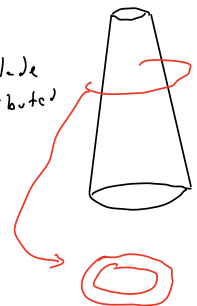


Our problem is a cantilevered beam

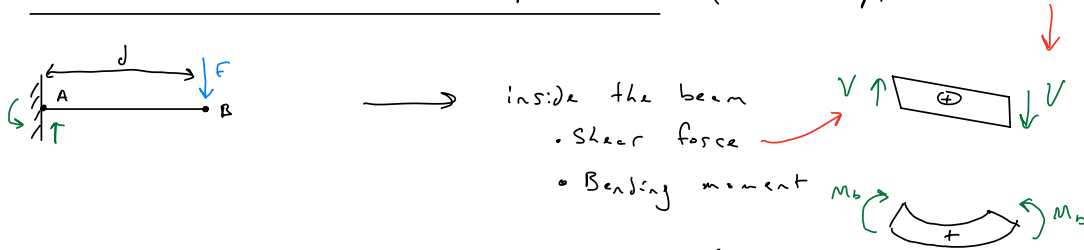


- cross-section changes with height x

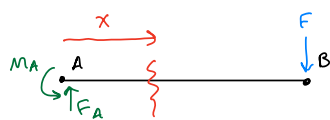
- model turbine blade load as a distributed force over the nacel height



Cantilevered beam with point load (warm up)



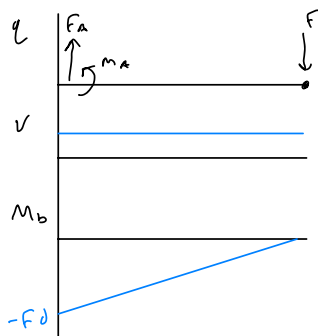
① Calculate external reaction force/moment



$$\sum F_y = 0 = F_A - F \rightarrow \boxed{F_A = F}$$

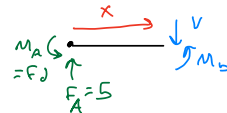
$$\sum M_A = 0 = M_A - Fd \rightarrow \boxed{M_A = Fd}$$

↑ internal loads



Shear Force Bending Moment Diagram

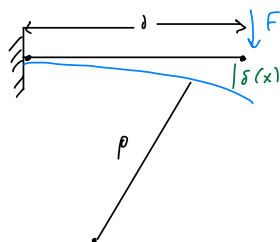
② Method of sections to determine internal loading



$$\sum F_y = 0 = F_A - V \rightarrow \boxed{V = F_A = F}$$

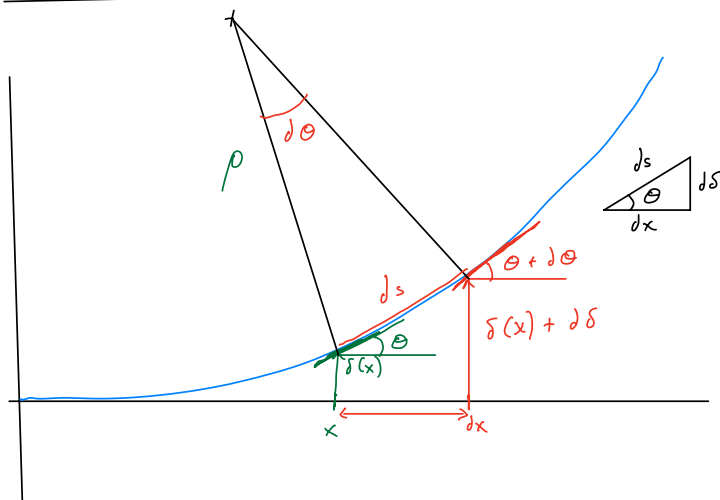
$$\sum M_A = 0 = M_A - Vx + M_b \rightarrow \boxed{M_b = Vx - Fd}$$

Moment curvature Relationship



negative bending moment in our example (bends downward)

Consider positive bending moment



$$\rho d\theta = ds$$

$$\text{curvature } \kappa \equiv \frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{d\theta}{ds}$$

$$\frac{ds}{dx} = \tan \theta \approx \theta \quad \text{slope}$$

$$dx = ds \cos \theta \approx ds$$

$$\kappa = \frac{1}{\rho} \approx \frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{d^2\delta}{dx^2}$$

From deform class, for beam element following Hooke's law:



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

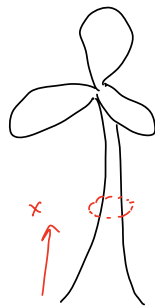
Young's
modulus

$$I = \int_A y^2 dA$$

2nd Area moment of inertia

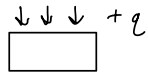
$$\frac{d^2\delta}{dx^2} = \frac{M_b(x)}{EI(x)}$$

↑
Euler
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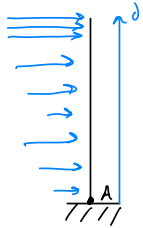


$$I(x) = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{r_i(x)}^{r_o(x)} y^2(r, \theta) r dr d\theta$$

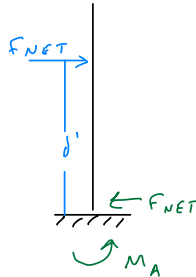
Distributed load



1) Find external reaction moment & force



We find equivalent point load



$$F_{NET} = \int_0^l q(x) dx \quad *$$

$$\sum M_A = 0 = M_A - \int_0^l q(x) x dx$$

$$M_A = \int_0^l q(x) x dx \quad *$$

$$F_{NET} d' = M_A$$

$$d' = \frac{M_A}{F_{NET}} \quad *$$

2) Method of integration (in place of Method of sections)

$$\frac{dV}{dx} = -q \quad \longrightarrow \quad V = - \int_0^x q dx + C_1 \quad \leftarrow \text{BC on } V \Big|_{x=0} = F_A$$

$$\frac{dM}{dx} = V \quad \longrightarrow \quad M = \int_0^x V dx + C_2 \quad \leftarrow \text{BC on } M \Big|_{x=0} = M_A$$

3) Deform

$$\frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{M_b}{EI}$$

$$\longrightarrow \quad \theta = \int \frac{M_b}{EI} dx + C_3 \quad \leftarrow \text{hint! } \theta(0) = 0$$

$$\frac{d\delta}{dx} = \theta$$

$$\delta = \int \theta dx + C_4 \quad \leftarrow \text{hint! } \delta(0) = 0$$