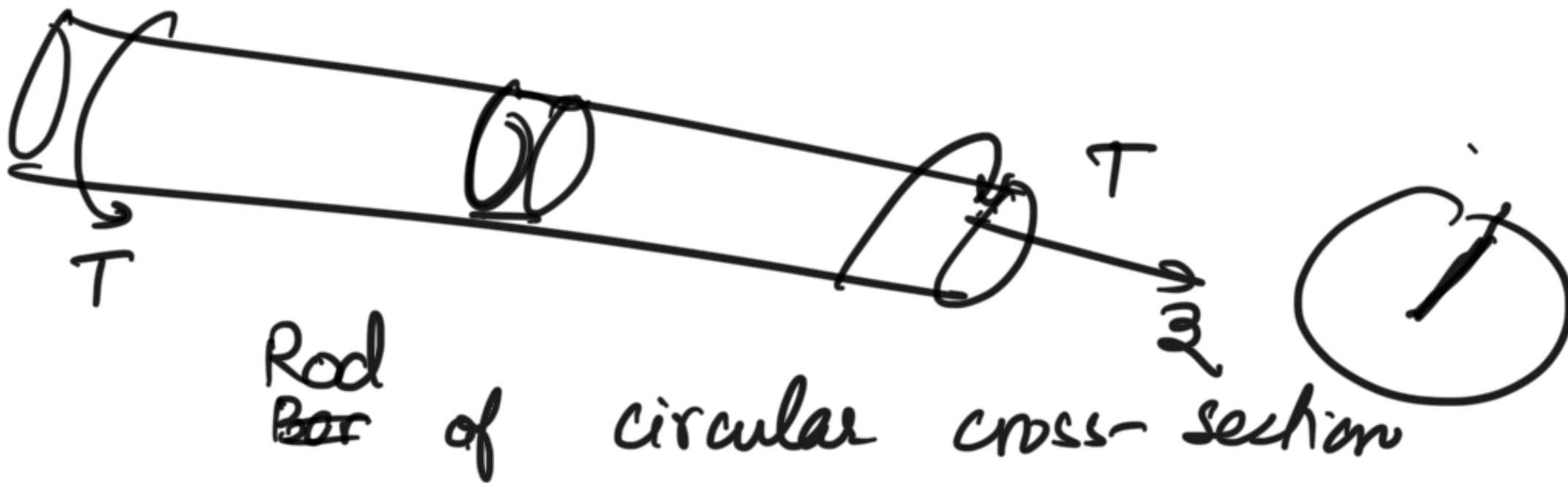


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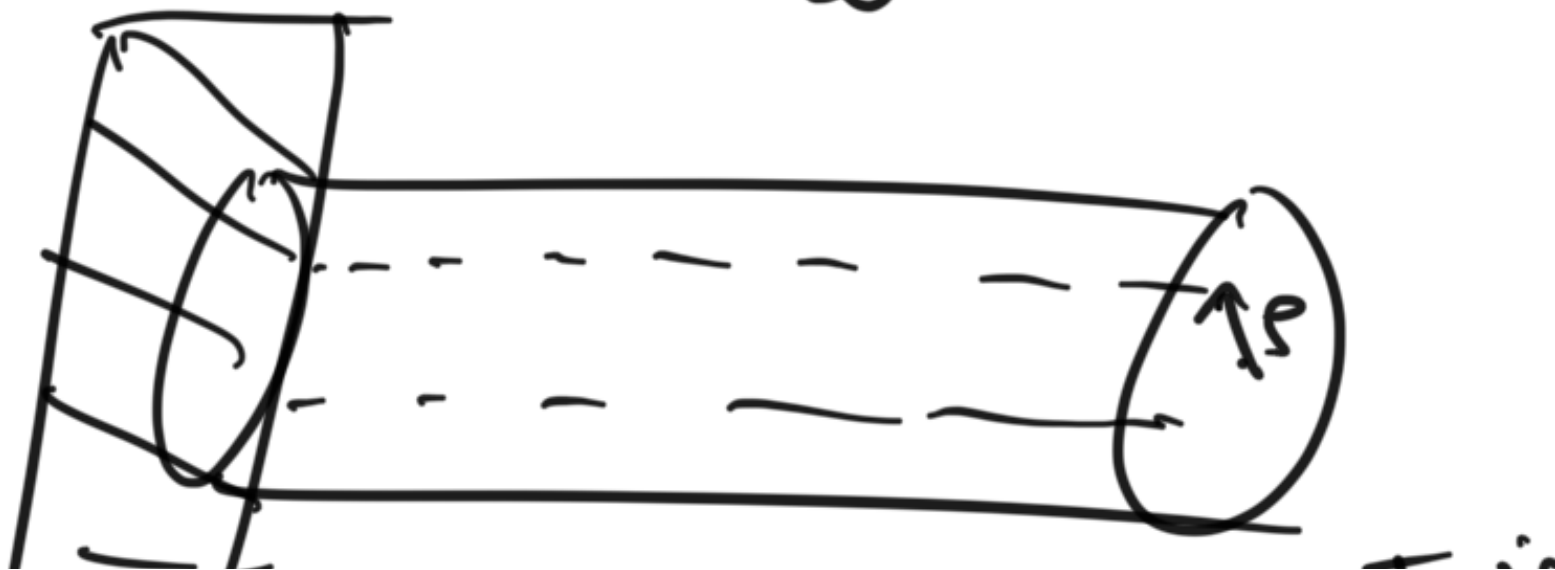
Lecture 8

Torsion of bars of circular cross-section

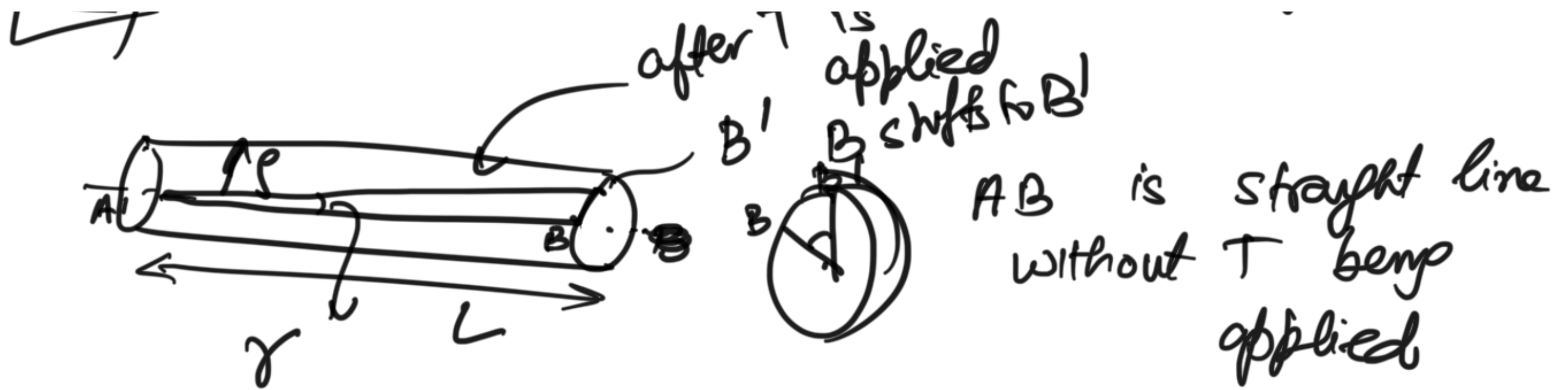


Due to axisymmetry, circular section stays circular

$$\tau_{\theta z} = \tau_{z\theta}$$



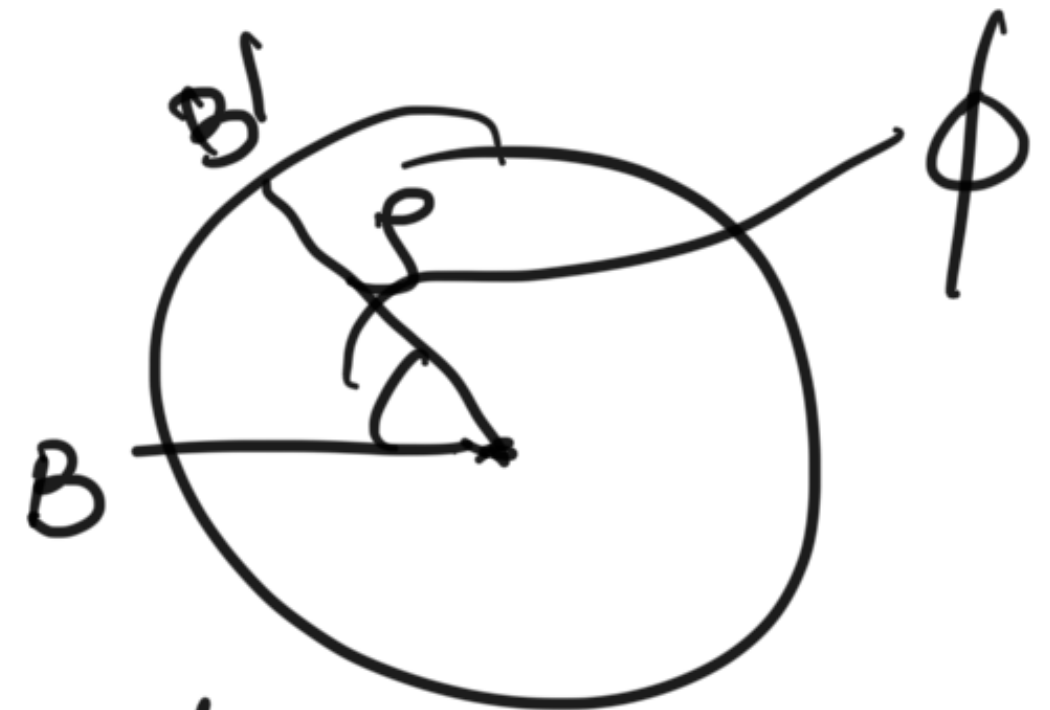
radius of rod =  $c$   
Consider an inner  
section of radius  $r$



when torque  $T$  is applied on  $B$ ,  $B$  shifts to  $B'$   
 (assume end  $A$  is fixed)



$\gamma \rightarrow$  shear



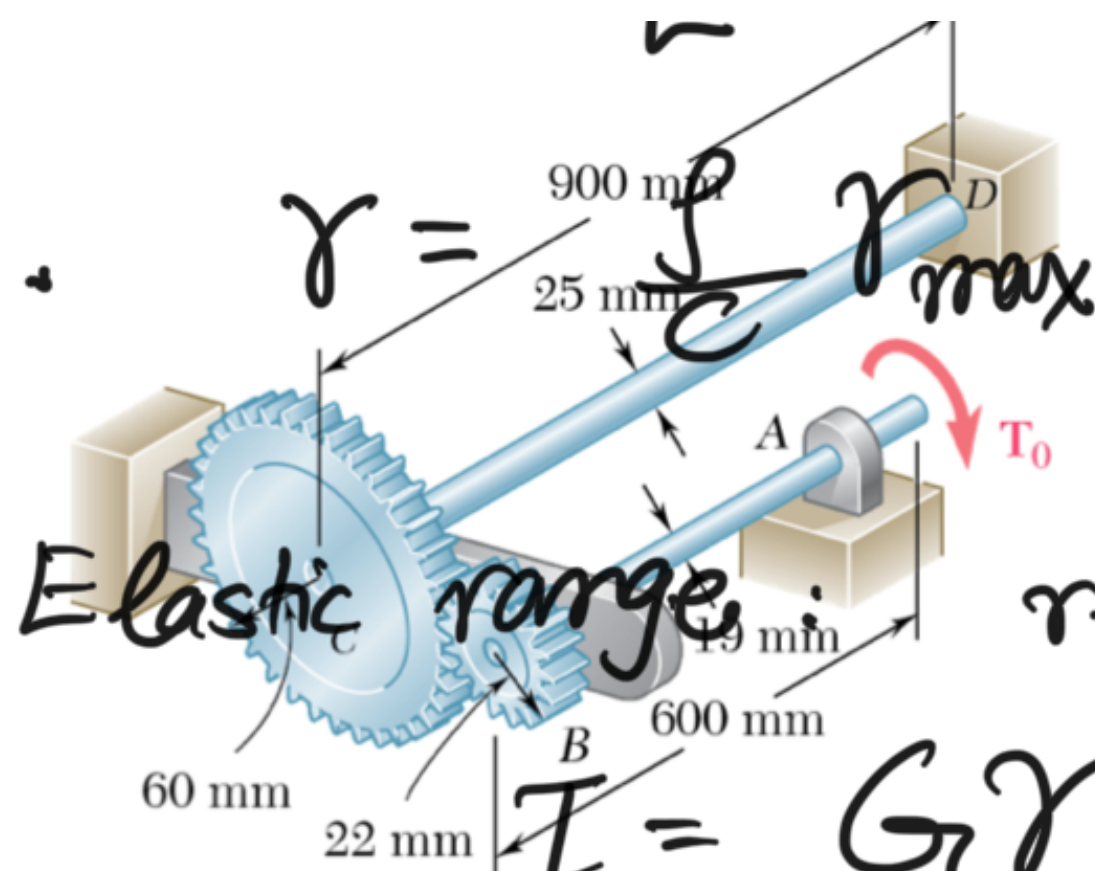
$\phi \rightarrow$  twist

$$L\gamma = r\phi$$

( $\gamma, \phi \rightarrow$  radians)

Sample Problem 3.4

$$\gamma_{\max} = \frac{r\phi}{L}$$



SOLUTION:

Apply a static equilibrium analysis on the two shafts to find a relationship between  $T_{CD}$  and  $T_0$ .

relation between  $T$  and  $T_0$   
Apply a kinematic analysis to relate the angular rotations of the gears.

Find the maximum allowable torque on each shaft – choose the smaller one (generalized) ← Hook's law

Find the corresponding angle of twist for each shaft and the net angular rotation

Two solid steel shafts are connected by gears. Knowing that for each shaft  $G = 77$  GPa and that the allowable shearing stress is 55 MPa, determine (a) the largest torque  $T_0$  that may be applied to the end of shaft AB, (b) the corresponding angle through which end A of shaft AB rotates.

Torque  $T$  is applied, shear stress  $T$  is produced

if the rod has to stay safe,

$$\tau < \text{yield strength } \tau_{ry}$$

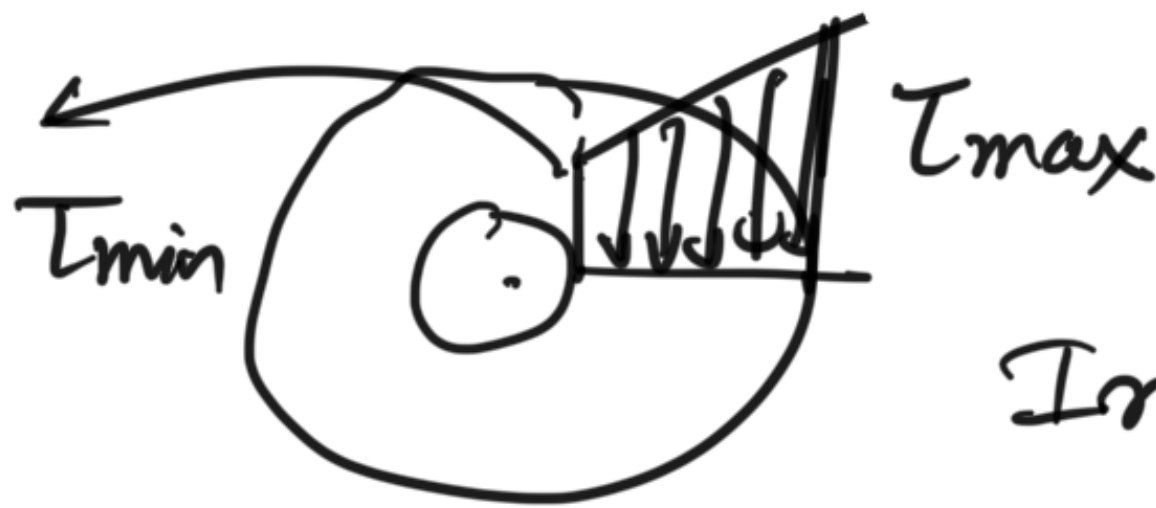
$$G\gamma = \frac{\tau}{C} \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{1} \times G$$

$$\tau = \frac{\tau_{max}}{C}$$

shear stress varies linearly with distance  $\rho$  from centre of axis.

same argument holds for hollow circular shafts also.

Hollow tube radius will vary from  $C_1$  to  $C_2$ .  
↑  
inner radius ↑  
outer radius



In a hollow shaft

$$\tau_{min} = \frac{C_1}{C_2} \tau_{max}$$

$$T = \int \rho \tau dA = \int_0^C \rho \left( \frac{\rho}{C} \tau_{max} \right) 2\pi \rho d\rho$$

$$= \frac{\tau_{max}}{C} 2\pi \int_0^C \rho^3 d\rho$$

$$= \frac{T_{max}}{C} \cdot \frac{C}{4}$$

$$\int r^2 dA = \text{Polar moment of inertia} \\ = J$$

$$J = \frac{\pi C^4}{2} \quad (\text{for circular cross section})$$

$$J = \frac{\pi}{2} (C_2^4 - C_1^4) \quad (\text{for hollow cross section})$$

$$T_{max} = \frac{TC}{J}$$

$$\tau = \frac{T\rho}{J}$$

←

units of  $J \rightarrow m^4$

Hollow shaft 1.5 m long  $d_o = 100 \text{ mm}$



Largest Torque which can be applied if  
 $d_o = 60 \text{ mm}$   
 1) max. shear stress = 120 MPa  
 2) corresponding minimum value of shear stress



$$T = \frac{J \tau_{\max}}{C}$$

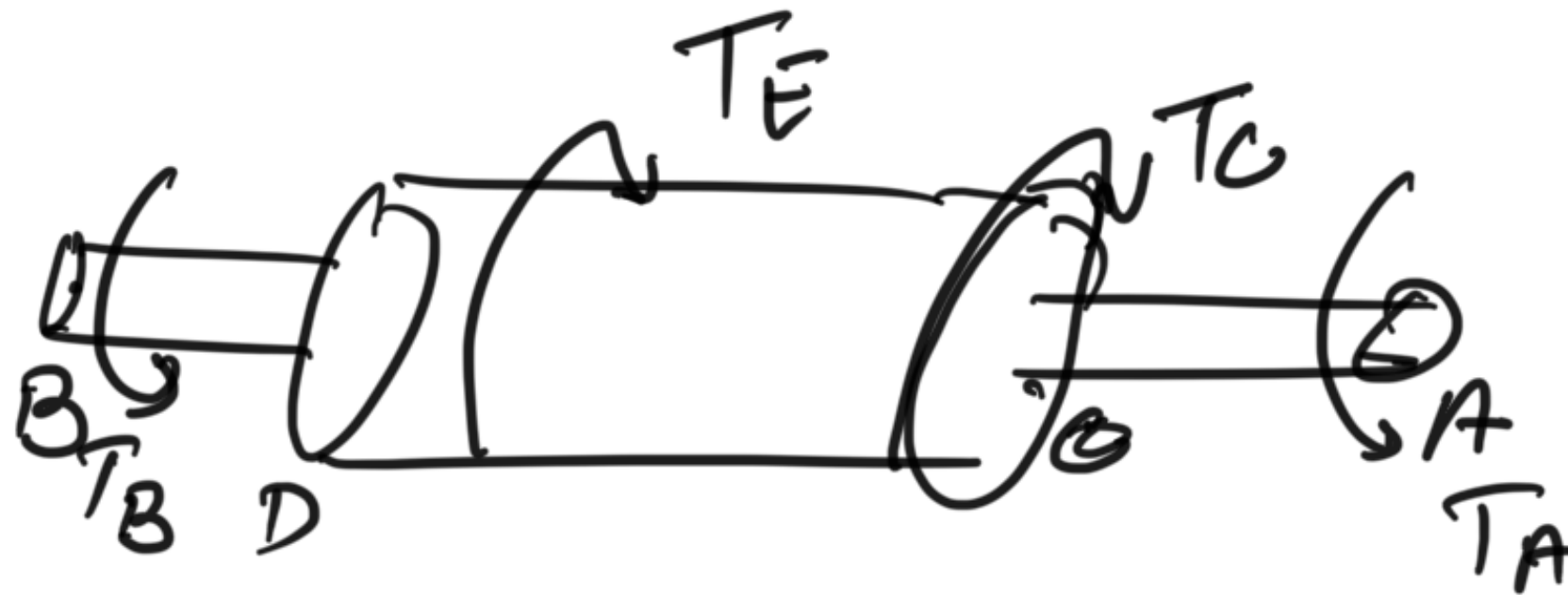
$$J = \frac{\pi}{2} (C_2^4 - C_1^4) = 1.021 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^4 \quad C_2 = \frac{d_2}{2}, \quad C_1 = \frac{d_1}{2}$$

$$T = \frac{(1.021 \times 10^{-6}) \times 120 \times 10^6}{(0.03)} = 4.08 \times 10^3 \text{ N.m}$$

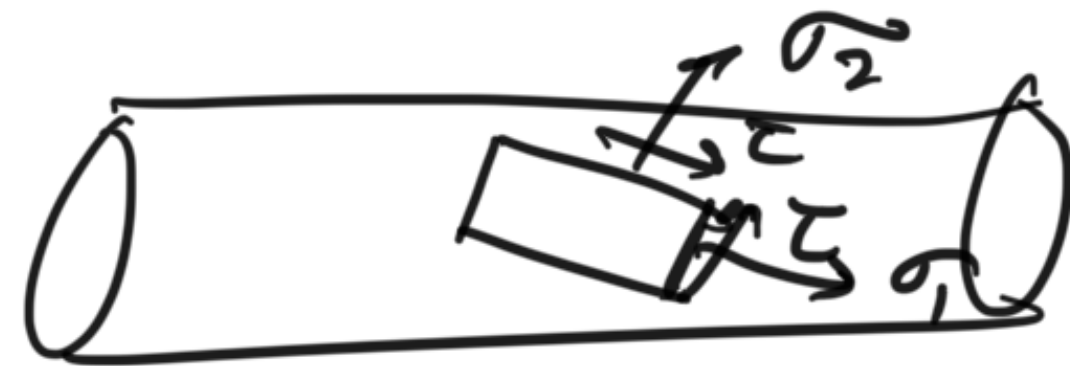
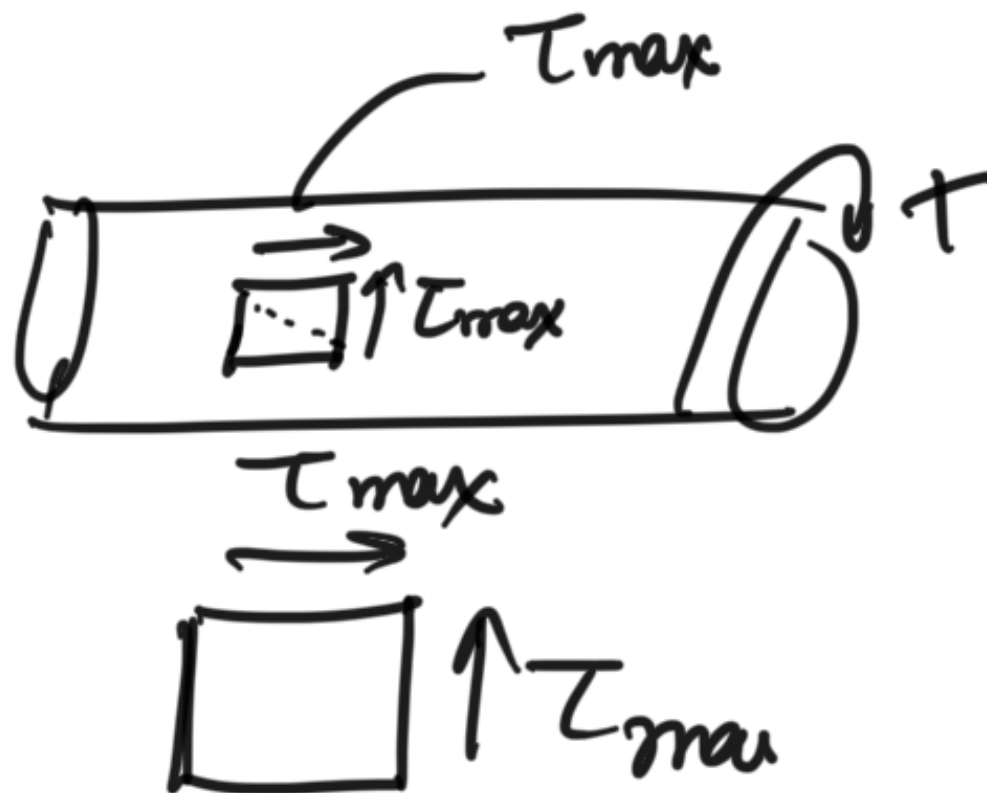
$$\tau_{\min} = \frac{C_1}{C_2} \tau_{\max} = 80 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tau_{max} = \frac{TC}{J}$$

valid for any cross-section  
 where  $T =$  internal torque  
 $J =$  polar moment of inertia of that section

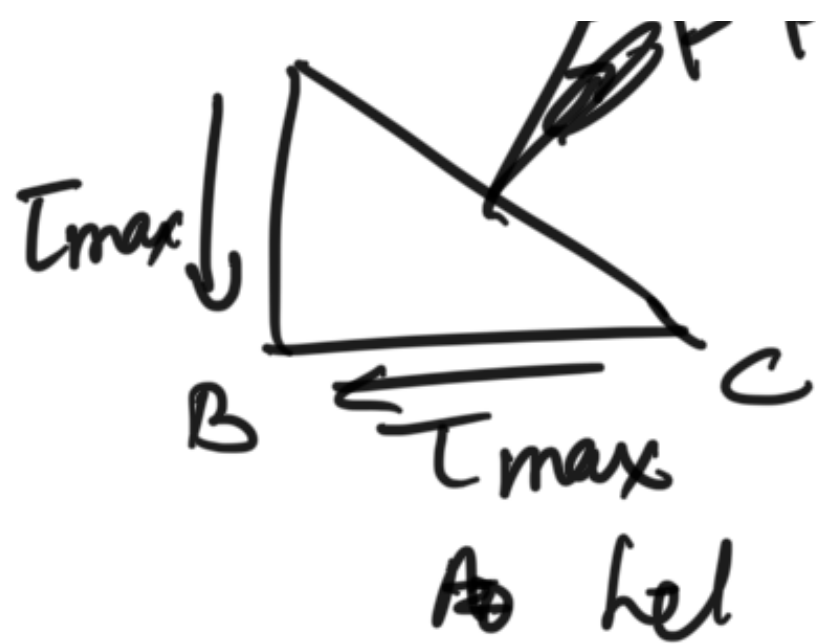


Find Torque  
 at each of  
 the section  
 (AC, CE, ED, BD)



Consider a section at  $45^\circ$

D  $\rightarrow$  E



~~Area of CD =~~  
 Let Area of BC = Area of BD =  $A_0$

$$\text{Area of CD} = \sqrt{2} A_0$$

Force Balance

$$-(T_{\max} A_0) \hat{i} - (T_{\max} A_0) \hat{j} + \vec{F} = 0$$

$$\vec{F} = (T_{\max} A_0) (\hat{i} + \hat{j})$$

$$= \sqrt{2} (T_{\max} A_0) \frac{(\hat{i} + \hat{j})}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} T_{\max} A_0 \hat{n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau (\text{on CD}) &= \frac{F}{A_{CD}} = \frac{\sqrt{2} T_{\max} A_0}{\sqrt{2} A_0} \\ &= T_{\max} \end{aligned}$$





$$|\sigma| = \tau_{\max} \quad (\text{at angle of } 45^\circ)$$

and shear stress = 0

Angle of twist  $\rightarrow \phi$  (in elastic range)

$$\gamma_{\max} = \frac{c\phi}{L}$$

$$\gamma_{\max} = \frac{\tau_{\max}}{G} = \frac{\tau c}{JG}$$

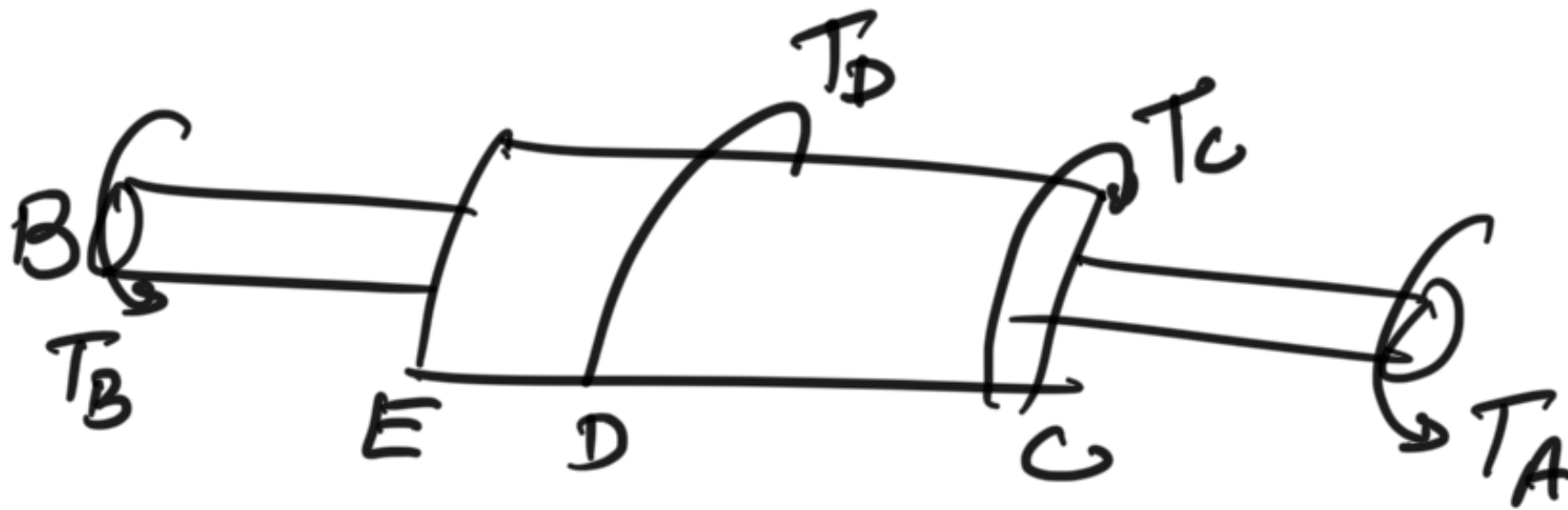
$$\frac{c\phi}{L} = \frac{\tau c}{JG} \Rightarrow \boxed{\phi = \frac{\tau L}{JG}}$$

$\phi$  in radians.

$$\phi \propto \tau$$

Q2 L

One end of shaft was fixed.



If both ends free

Consider AC, CD, DE, EB separately

Total angle of twist which A rotates w.r.t. B is obtained by algebraically adding all angles of twist.

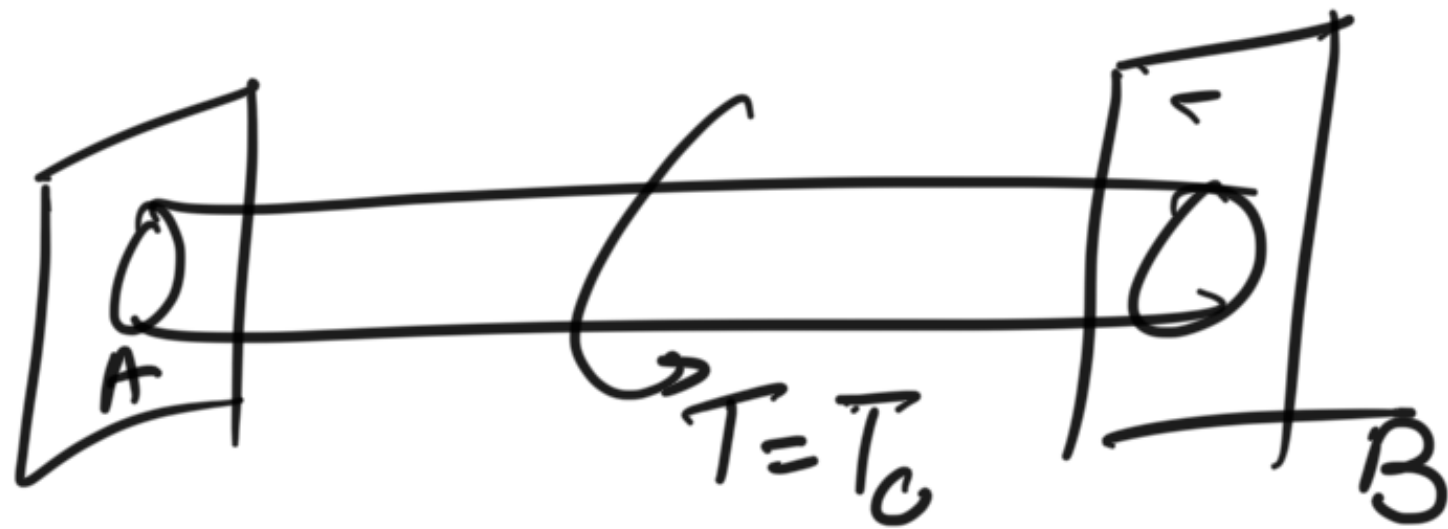
$$\text{Component } i \rightarrow T_i, L_i, J_i, G_i$$
$$\text{and } \Rightarrow T_i L_i$$

$$\phi_{BA/B} = \sum_i \frac{T_i}{J_i G_i}$$

Continuously variable cross-section

$$d\phi = \frac{T dx}{JG}$$

statically indeterminate shafts



At both ends,  $\phi = 0$

Let  $\phi_1 =$  L of Twist in AC

$\phi_2 = \angle$  of Twist in BC

$$\phi_1 + \phi_2 = 0$$

Transmission shafts

Power to be transmitted through shaft =  $P$

rate of rotation =  $\omega$

$$P = T\omega \quad \omega \text{ (rad/s)}$$

$$\omega = 2\pi f$$

$f \rightarrow$  frequency in Hz  
( $s^{-1}$ )

$$T = \frac{P}{2\pi f}$$

$$\underline{J} = \underline{T}$$

$\rightarrow$  gives minimum

C

$T_{max}$

callable  $\frac{T}{C}$