

Physics

1. (a) Three equations of angular motion are:

$\omega = \omega_0 + \alpha t$ (relates final angular velocity, initial angular velocity, angular acceleration, and time)

$\theta = \theta_0 + \omega_0 t + \frac{1}{2}\alpha t^2$ (relates angular displacement, initial angular velocity, angular acceleration, and time)

$\omega^2 = \omega_0^2 + 2\alpha(\theta - \theta_0)$ (relates final and initial angular velocities, angular acceleration, and angular displacement)

1. (b) Angular Acceleration and Linear Acceleration:

Given: Revolutions per 20 seconds

Convert revolutions per 20 seconds to angular velocity:

$$\text{Angular velocity } (\omega) = \frac{2\pi \text{ rad}}{20 \text{ sec}} = \frac{\pi}{10} \text{ rad/s}$$

Calculate Angular Acceleration (α):

$$\alpha = \frac{\Delta\omega}{\Delta t} = 0 -$$

$$\frac{\pi}{10} \text{ rad/s (initial angular velocity is assumed to be 0) / 20 s} = -\frac{\pi}{200} \text{ rad/s}^2$$

Given radius $r = 350 \text{ mm} = 0.35 \text{ m}$

Linear Acceleration (a) at the rim:

$$a = r \times \alpha = 0.35 \text{ m} \times -\frac{\pi}{200} \text{ rad/s}^2 = -0.00175 \text{ m/s}^2$$

acceleration

2. (a) Formula for calculating coefficient of linear expansion (α):

$\alpha = \frac{\Delta L}{L \cdot \Delta T}$, where ΔL is the change in length, L is the original length, and ΔT is the change in temperature. Its SI unit is per degree Celsius ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) or per Kelvin (K).

“It is not the length of the day that counts, but the quality of the light.”

2. (b) Change in Length of Copper Bar:

Given: Coefficient of linear expansion for copper ($\alpha = 1.7 \times 10^{-5} / ^\circ C$)

Assuming the initial temperature of the copper bar is $20^\circ C$:

Change in temperature (ΔT) = $110^\circ F - 20^\circ C = 110^\circ F - 68^\circ F = 42^\circ C$

Using the formula $\Delta L = L \cdot \alpha \cdot \Delta T$:

$$\Delta L = 50 \text{ m} \times 1.7 \times 10^{-5} / ^\circ C \times 42^\circ C = 0.0357 \text{ m} = 35.7 \text{ mm}$$

3. (a) (i) Hook's Law states that the force needed to extend or compress a spring by some distance is proportional to that distance.
- (ii) Elastic properties refer to the ability of a material to regain its original shape after deformation, while plasticity refers to a material's ability to permanently deform without breaking when a force is applied.

3. (b) Extension of Mild Steel Rod:

Given: Length ($L = 4 \text{ m}$), diameter ($d = 30 \text{ mm} = 0.03 \text{ m}$), force ($F = 100 \text{ kN} = 100000 \text{ N}$), Young's modulus ($E = 200 \text{ GPa} = 200 \times 10^9 \text{ Pa}$)

Calculate Cross-sectional Area (A):

$$A = \pi \times \left(\frac{d}{2}\right)^2 = \pi \times \left(\frac{0.03 \text{ m}}{2}\right)^2 = 7.065 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2$$

Now, use the formula $\Delta L = \frac{FL}{AE}$:

$$\Delta L = \frac{100000 \text{ N} \times 4 \text{ m}}{200 \times 10^9 \text{ Pa} \times 7.065 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2} = 0.283 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 0.283 \text{ mm}$$

Summary of Answers:

1. (b) Angular acceleration = $-\frac{\pi}{200} \text{ rad/s}^2$, Linear acceleration = -0.00175 m/s^2
2. (b) Change in length of copper bar = 35.7 mm
3. (b) Extension of mild steel rod = 0.283 mm