

Homework no 1

1. Stress tensor

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ b & ac & ab \\ c & ab & abc \end{bmatrix}.$$

Choose values for constants a, b, c from table according to your variant (see file „VARIANTS_FOR_HW1_2021.pdf“). Here ab , ac and abc mean multiplication of corresponding constants.

Please give all answers to four decimal places, i.e., for example like 15.9741, 0.3459, 1.4500, 0.5000 etc.

- (a) Calculate principal stresses σ_1, σ_2 and σ_3 and principal directions $\mathbf{N}_1, \mathbf{N}_2$ and \mathbf{N}_3 . /max 5 + 5 = 10 points/

IMPORTANT!

- i. For calculation of principal stresses and directions mathematical software is recommended to use.
- ii. Principal values must be ordered $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \sigma_3$.
- iii. Vectors $\mathbf{N}_1, \mathbf{N}_2$ and \mathbf{N}_3 must be unit vectors and they must form right hand triplet, i.e. $\mathbf{N}_3 = \mathbf{N}_1 \times \mathbf{N}_2$.

- (b) Draw $\mathbf{N}_1, \mathbf{N}_2$ and \mathbf{N}_3 at point (0; 0; 0) in case of Cartesian coordinates. /max 4 points/

- (c) Calculate invariants I^σ, II^σ and III^σ for stress tensor $\boldsymbol{\sigma}$. /max 3 * 2 = 6 points/

- (d) Calculate maximal shear stress τ_{\max} and present it in a figure together with extremal normal stresses. /max 3 + 5 = 8 points/

2. Take $E = 110$ GPa and given stress tensor $100\boldsymbol{\sigma}$ MPa. Use Hooke's law to calculate two separate strain tensors:

- (a) one ($\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{0.33}$) for $\nu = 0.33$ (metals) /max 10 points/

- (b) the second ($\boldsymbol{\epsilon}_{0.5}$) for $\nu = 0.5$ (incompressibles) /max 10 points/

3. In file „VARIANTS_FOR_HW1_2021.pdf“ two stress tensors $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_I$ and $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{II}$ are given by tables. Either $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_I$ or $\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{II}$ is equivalent to $\boldsymbol{\sigma}$ differing only by a coordinate transformation. Which one is equivalent to $\boldsymbol{\sigma}$ and which one represents different stress state? /max 5 + 5 + 2 = 12 points/