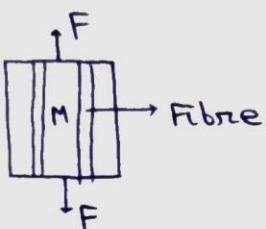


- Q1) Assumptions.
- Load is acting on a perfectly rectangular block
  - Load is uniformly distributed over the surface and is uniaxial
  - Properties of the composite remain uniform throughout

Case 1: Axial Loading

Force is divided between matrix and fibres



Also, strains in both fibre and matrix are equal  $\Rightarrow \epsilon_f = \epsilon_m = \epsilon_c$

$$\Rightarrow F_c = F_m + F_f$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_c (A_f + A_m) = \sigma_m A_m + \sigma_f A_f$$

$$\Rightarrow E_c \epsilon_c (A_f + A_m) = E_m \epsilon_m A_m + E_f \epsilon_f A_f$$

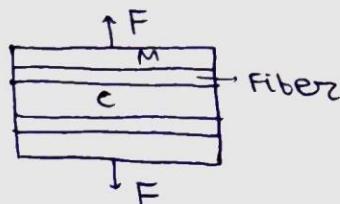
$$\Rightarrow E_c = E_m \left( \frac{A_m}{A_f + A_m} \right) + E_f \left( \frac{A_f}{A_f + A_m} \right)$$

$$\text{volume fraction of fibre (f)} = \frac{V_f}{V_c} = \frac{A_f L}{(A_f + A_m)L} = \frac{A_f}{A_f + A_m}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_c = f E_f + (1-f) E_m \rightarrow \text{upper Bound}$$

Case 2: Transverse Loading

Stress in both fiber and matrix is same while total displacement is divided



Here area of each transverse surface is same so volume  $\propto$  length

$$\sigma_f = \sigma_m = \sigma_c \Rightarrow E_f \epsilon_f = E_m \epsilon_m = E_c \epsilon_c$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta_f + \delta_m = \delta_c$$

$$\Rightarrow E_f l_f + E_m l_m = E_c (l_f + l_m)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{E_c \epsilon_c l_f}{E_f} + \frac{E_c \epsilon_c l_m}{E_m} = E_c (l_f + l_m)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{E_f} \left( \frac{l_f}{l_f + l_m} \right) + \frac{1}{E_m} \left( \frac{l_m}{l_f + l_m} \right) = \frac{1}{E_c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{E_f} \left( \frac{V_f}{V_f + V_m} \right) + \frac{1}{E_m} \left( \frac{V_m}{V_f + V_m} \right) = \frac{1}{E_c} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{E_c} = \frac{f}{E_f} + \frac{1-f}{E_m}$$

Lower Bound

Q2) First we derive indices for stiffness and strength.

case 1:

Strength:  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Function - Tie Rod} \\ \text{Objective - min. mass} \\ \text{constraint - Length } L, \text{ failure strength } \sigma_y \\ \text{Free variable - Area} \end{array} \right\}$

$$m = \rho A L$$

$$\frac{F}{A} \leq \sigma_y \Rightarrow m \geq \frac{F \rho L}{\sigma_y}$$

$$M_1^* = \frac{\sigma_y}{\rho}$$

To minimise  $m$ , we need to maximise  $M_1^*$

Stiffness:  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Function - Tie Rod} \\ \text{Objective - min. mass} \\ \text{constraint - max. deflection } \delta \\ \text{Free variable - Area} \end{array} \right\}$

$$m = \rho A L$$

$$\frac{FL}{AE} \leq \delta \Rightarrow m \geq \frac{FL^2 \rho}{E \delta}$$

$$M_2^* = \frac{E}{\delta}$$

To minimise  $m$ , we need to maximise  $M_2^*$

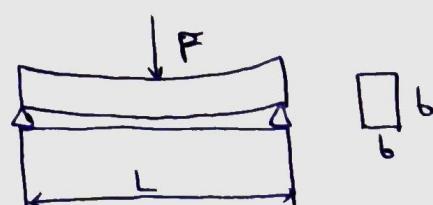
case 2:

Strength:  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Function - Beam} \\ \text{Objective - min. mass} \\ \text{constraint - Length } L, \text{ square cross section,} \\ \text{failure strength } \sigma_y \\ \text{Free variable - width/height } b \end{array} \right\}$

$$m = \rho A L = \rho b^2 L$$

$$\sigma_{max} \leq \sigma_y \Rightarrow \frac{M_{max}(b/2)}{I} \leq \sigma_y$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Mb}{2\left(\frac{b^4}{12}\right)} \leq \sigma_y \Rightarrow b \geq \left(\frac{6M}{\sigma_y}\right)^{1/3}$$



$$m \geq \rho L \left(\frac{6M}{\sigma_y}\right)^{2/3} \Rightarrow m \geq \left(6\rho M\right)^{2/3} L \left(\frac{L}{\sigma_y^{2/3}}\right)$$

$$M_3^* = \frac{\sigma_y^{4/3}}{\rho}$$

To minimise  $m$ , we need to maximise  $M_3^*$

Stiffness:

Function - Beam	}
Objective - min. mass	
constraint - Length L, square cross section, max. deflection $\delta$	
Free variable - width / height b	

$$m = \delta A L = \delta b^2 L$$

$$\delta = \frac{FL^3}{48EI}, I = \frac{b^4}{12}$$

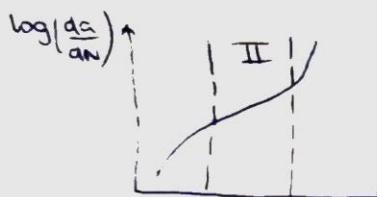
$$\delta = \frac{FL^3}{4Eb^4} \leq \delta_{\max} \Rightarrow b \geq \left( \frac{FL^3}{4E\delta} \right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$m \geq \delta L \left( \frac{FL^3}{4Es} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \Rightarrow m \geq \frac{F^{1/2} L^{5/2}}{2\sqrt{s}} \left( \frac{s}{\sqrt{E}} \right)$$

$$M_s^* = \frac{\sqrt{E}}{s}$$

To minimise  $m$ , we need to maximise  $M_s^*$

Q5)  $\Delta K_{IC} = \beta \Delta \sigma \sqrt{\pi a}$  (Crack Equation)



In region II, the curve is almost linear

$$\Rightarrow \log \left( \frac{da}{dN} \right) = p \log (\Delta K) + q$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{da}{dN} \right) = c(\Delta K)^m$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{da}{dN} = c(\beta \Delta \sigma \sqrt{\pi a})^m$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{a_i}^{a_f} \frac{da}{\beta^m (\Delta \sigma)^m \pi^{\frac{m}{2}} a^{\frac{m}{2}}} = \int_0^N c dN$$

$$\Rightarrow N = \frac{a^{-\frac{m}{2}+1}}{c \beta^m (\Delta \sigma)^m \pi^{\frac{m}{2}} (1-\frac{m}{2})} \Big|_{a_i}^{a_f}$$

$$\Rightarrow N = \frac{(a_f^{-\frac{m}{2}} - a_i^{-\frac{m}{2}})}{(1-\frac{m}{2})(c)(\beta \Delta \sigma \pi)^m}$$

↳ Closed form solution of Paris Law

$$Q6) S_{ut} = 1600 \text{ MPa}, \sigma_{rev} = 900 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\text{As } S_{ut} > 1500 \text{ MPa, } S_{e'} = \frac{S_{ut}}{2} = 700 \text{ MPa}$$

As no information is given about any modifiers,

$$k_a = k_b = k_c = k_d = k_e = k_f = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow S_e = S_{e'} = 700$$

$$\text{Using SAE approximation, } \sigma_f' = S_{ut} + 345 \text{ MPa} = 1945 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\text{At endurance limit, } N_e = 10^6$$

$$S_{e'} = \sigma_f' (2N_e)^b$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{700}{1945} = (2 \times 10^6)^b \Rightarrow b = \frac{\log(700/1945)}{\log(2 \times 10^6)} = -0.070436$$

$$\Rightarrow f = \left( \frac{\sigma_f'}{S_{ut}} \right) (2 \times 10^3)^b = \left( \frac{1945}{1600} \right) (2 \times 10^3)^{-0.070436} = 0.712$$

$$a = \frac{(f S_{ut})^2}{S_e} = \frac{(0.712 \times 1600)^2}{700} = 1852.33$$

Now for  $S_f = \sigma_{rev}$ ,

$$N = \left( \frac{\sigma_{rev}}{a} \right)^{\frac{1}{b}} = \left( \frac{900}{1852.33} \right)^{\frac{1}{-0.070436}} = 28216 \text{ cycles}$$

$$Q7) D = 50 \text{ mm}, n = 2.5 \text{ mm}, d_{eff} = 45 \text{ mm, groove radius } (n=2.5)$$

FEB AISI 1095, Table A-20 gives  $S_{ut} = 830 \text{ MPa}$

As  $S_{ut} < 1500 \text{ MPa}$ ,

$$S_{e'} = \frac{S_{ut}}{2} = \frac{830 \text{ MPa}}{2} = 415 \text{ MPa}$$

Now we find modifiers,

As bar is hot rolled,  $a = 57.7, b = -0.718$  (Table from book)

$$k_a = a(S_{ut})^b = 57.7 (830)^{-0.718} = 0.462$$

$$k_b = 1.24 (d_{eff})^{-0.107} = 0.825 \quad (\text{AS 279 } d_{eff} < 51 \text{ mm})$$

$$k_c = 1 \text{ (Bending load)}$$

$$k_d = k_e = k_f = 1 \text{ (insufficient information)}$$

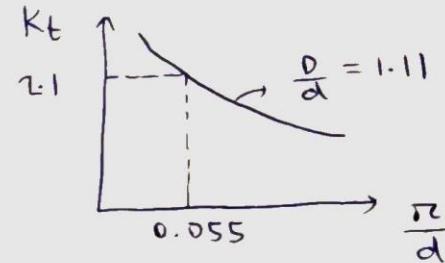
$$\Rightarrow S_e = (k_a k_b k_c k_d k_e k_f) (S_{e'}) = 158.17 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\text{For bending, } \sqrt{\alpha} = 0.24C - \frac{3.08}{103} S_{UT} + \frac{1.51}{105} S_{UT}^2 - \frac{2.67}{108} S_{UT}^3 \quad (\text{kpsi})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\alpha} = 0.0485, \left(\frac{r}{d}\right) = \left(\frac{2.5}{45}\right) = 0.055, \left(\frac{D}{d}\right) = \left(\frac{50}{45}\right) = 1.11$$

$$q = \frac{1}{1 + \sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{\pi}}} = 0.97, K_t = \left(\frac{\sigma_{max}}{\sigma_0}\right) = 2.1 \quad (\text{from graph A-15-1})$$

$$K_f = 1 + q(K_t - 1) = 1 + 0.97(2.1 - 1) \\ = 2.067$$



$$\sigma_{max} = \frac{M_{max} C}{I} = \frac{M_{max} \cdot (d/2)}{I}$$

$$= \frac{M_{max} \cdot (d/2)}{\frac{\pi d^4}{64}} = \frac{2825 \times \left(\frac{45}{2} \times 10^{-3}\right)}{\frac{\pi}{64} \times \left(\frac{45}{103}\right)^4} = 315.77 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_{min} = 0$$

$$K_f \sigma_{max} = 2.067 \times 315.77 = 652.69 \text{ MPa} > S_y$$

$$\Rightarrow K_{fm} = \left( \frac{S_y - K_f \sigma_{ao}}{\sigma_{mo}} \right) = \left( \frac{460 - 2.067 \times 157.885}{157.885} \right) = 0.8465$$

$$\sigma_{ao} = \frac{\sigma_{max} - \sigma_{min}}{2} = 157.885$$

$$\sigma_{mo} = \frac{\sigma_{max} + \sigma_{min}}{2} = 157.885$$

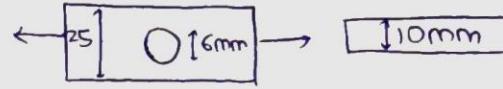
$$\Rightarrow \sigma_a = K_f \sigma_{ao} = 2.067 \times 157.885 = 326.3483$$

$$\sigma_m = K_{fm} \sigma_{mo} = 0.8465 \times 157.885 = 133.6517$$

i) Factor of safety for yielding =  $\frac{S_y}{\sigma_a + \sigma_m} = \boxed{1}$

ii) Factor of Safety using Goodman =  $\frac{1}{\frac{\sigma_a}{S_e} + \frac{\sigma_m}{S_{UT}}} = \frac{1}{\frac{326.3}{158.17} + \frac{133.65}{830}} = \boxed{0.449} \quad (\text{Finite Life})$

iii) Factor of Safety using ASME =  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_a}{S_e}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_m}{S_y}\right)^2}} = \boxed{0.4799} \quad (\text{Finite Life})$

Q8) Cold drawn 1040 steel  $\Rightarrow S_{ut} = 590 \text{ MPa}, S_y = 490 \text{ MPa}$   
 $-28 \leq F \leq 28 \text{ kN}$ , 

(Table A-20)

$$\sigma_{max} = \frac{F_{max}}{A} = \frac{28 \times 10^3}{(1-w)t} = \frac{28 \times 10^8}{(25-6) \times 10} = 157.4 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_{min} = -157.4$$

Ans  $S_{ut} < 700 \text{ MPa}$ ,  $S_e' = \frac{S_{ut}}{2} = 295 \text{ MPa}$

As bar is cold drawn,  $a = 4.51$ ,  $b = -0.265$  (Table from book)

$$k_a = a(S_{ut})^b = 4.51(590)^{-0.265} = 0.832$$

$$k_b = 1 \text{ (Axial load)}$$

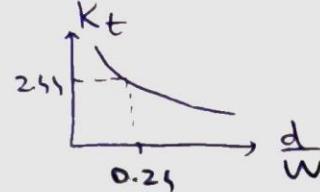
$$k_c = 0.85 \text{ (Axial load)}$$

$$k_d = k_e = k_f = 1 \text{ (Insufficient information)}$$

$$S_e = k_a k_b k_c k_d k_f S_e' = 0.832 \times 1 \times 0.85 \times 295 = 208.62 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\frac{d}{w} = \frac{6}{25} = 0.24, \text{ From graph A-15-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_t = 2.45$$



For axial load,

$$\sqrt{a} = 0.245 - \frac{3.08}{10^3} S_{ut} + \frac{1.51}{10^5} S_{ut}^2 - \frac{2.67}{10^8} S_{ut}^3 = 0.0777$$

$$q = \frac{1}{1 + \sqrt{a}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{0.0777}{\sqrt{3 \times 0.0393}}} = 0.815$$

$$\Rightarrow K_f = 1 + q(K_t - 1) = 2.1736$$

$$K_f(\sigma_{max}) = 320.38 < S_y \Rightarrow K_{fm} = K_f = 2.1736$$

$$\sigma_a = K_f \left( \frac{\sigma_{max} - \sigma_{min}}{2} \right) = 320.38$$

$$\sigma_m = K_{fm} \left( \frac{\sigma_{max} + \sigma_{min}}{2} \right) = 0$$

i) Factor of safety for yielding  $= \left( \frac{S_{fy}}{\sigma_a + \sigma_m} \right) = \frac{490}{320.38} = 1.529$

ii) Since it is not mentioned which failure criteria holds true, we assume modified Goodman.

So fatigue factor of safety based on infinite life is

$$n = \frac{1}{\frac{\sigma_a}{S_e} + \frac{\sigma_m}{S_{ut}}} = \frac{208.62}{320.38} = 0.651 < 1 \Rightarrow \text{Finite life}$$

iii) Now to find finite life,

$$\text{SAE approximation} - \sigma_f' = S_{ut} + 345 = 935 \text{ MPa}$$

$$S_e' = \sigma_f' (2 \times 10^6)^{b'} \Rightarrow b' = -0.0795$$

$$S_{ut} = \frac{\sigma_f'}{f} (2 \times 10^3)^{b'} \Rightarrow f = \frac{935}{590} (2 \times 10^3)^{-0.0795} = 0.866$$

$$\text{Now } S_f = a(N)^b \Rightarrow S_f = \sigma_{rev} = \sigma_a = 320.38$$

$$\Rightarrow N = \left( \frac{\sigma_{rev}}{a} \right)^{\frac{1}{b}} \quad a = \frac{(f S_{ut})^2}{S_e} = 1251.364$$

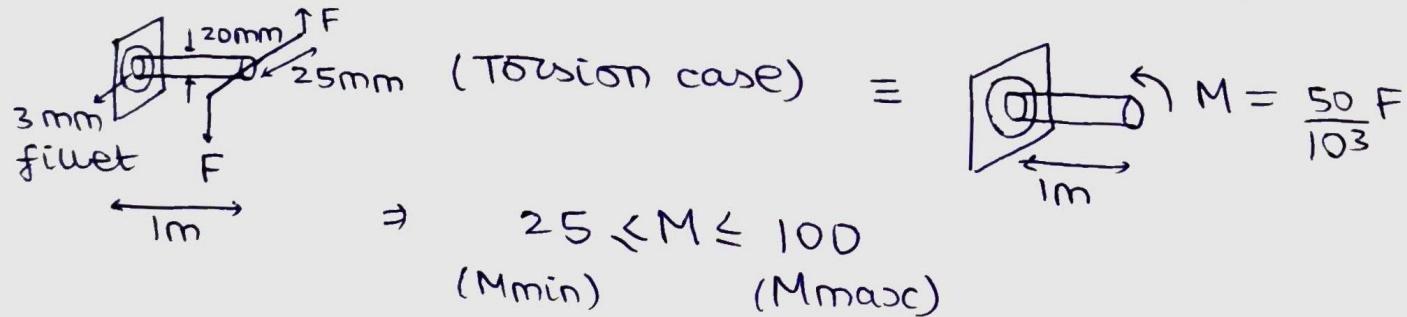
$$= \left( \frac{320.38}{1251.364} \right)^{-\frac{1}{0.0795}} \quad b = -\frac{1}{3} \log \left( \frac{f S_{ut}}{S_e} \right) = 0.1296$$

$$= 36789.79 \text{ cycles}$$

Q9) HSS round 1020 steel  $\Rightarrow S_{ut} = 475 \text{ MPa}, S_y = 275 \text{ MPa}$

$$K_{ts} = 1.6, 0.5 \leq F \leq 2 \text{ kN}$$

(Table A-20)



$$\text{As } S_{ut} < 700, S_e' = \frac{S_{ut}}{2} = 237.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D &= 20 + 2(3) = 26 \text{ mm} \\ d &= 20 \text{ mm} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{aligned} \pi d &= 0.15 \\ D/d &= 1.3 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\tau = \frac{Mc}{J} = \frac{M(d/2)}{\frac{\pi d^4}{32}} = \frac{32M}{2\pi d^3} = \frac{16M}{\pi d^3}$$

$$\tau_{max} = \frac{16M_{max}}{\pi d^3} = \frac{16 \times 100}{\pi \times \left(\frac{20}{10^3}\right)^3} = 63.662 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tau_{min} = \frac{16M_{min}}{\pi d^3} = \frac{16 \times 25}{\pi \times \left(\frac{20}{10^3}\right)^3} = 15.915 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tau_{m_0} = \frac{\tau_{max} + \tau_{min}}{2} = 39.788, \quad \tau_{ao} = \frac{\tau_{max} - \tau_{min}}{2} = 23.873$$

$$a = 57.7, b = -0.718 \quad (\text{HGT rounded})$$

$$k_a = 57.7 (475) - 0.718 = 0.688$$

$$k_b = (20/7.62)^{-0.107} = 0.902 \quad (2.79 < d < 51 \text{ mm})$$

$$k_c = 0.59 \quad (\text{torsion})$$

$$k_d = k_e = k_f = 1 \quad (\text{insufficient information})$$

$$S_e = k_a k_b k_c k_d k_e k_f S_e' = 0.688 \times 0.902 \times 0.59 \times 237.5 \\ = 86.948 \text{ MPa}$$

For torsion load,

$$\sqrt{a} = 0.19 - \frac{2.51}{10^3} S_{ut} + \frac{1.35}{10^5} (S_{ut})^2 - \frac{2.67}{10^8} (S_{ut})^3 = 0.0735$$

$$q_{shear} = \frac{1}{1 + \sqrt{\frac{a}{\pi}}} = 0.895$$

$$K_{fs} = 1 + q_{shear} (K_{ts} - 1) = 1 + 0.895 (1.6 - 1) = 1.537$$

$$K_{fs} \tau_{max} = 1.537 \times 63.652 = 97.848 \text{ MPa} < S_y$$

$$\Rightarrow K_{fs} = K_{fms}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_a = K_{fs} \tau_{ao} = 36.69$$

$$\tau_m = K_{fms} \tau_{mo} = 61.15$$

i) Factor of Safety for yielding:  $\frac{S_y}{\tau_a + \tau_m} = \boxed{2.81}$

ii) Factor of safety (Goodman) =  $\frac{1}{\frac{\tau_m}{S_{ut}} + \frac{\tau_a}{S_e}} = \boxed{1.815}$

iii) Factor of Safety (Gerber)  $\Rightarrow$

$$n = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{S_{ut}}{\tau_m} \right)^2 \left( \frac{\tau_a}{S_e} \right) \left[ -1 + \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{2\tau_m S_e}{\tau_a S_{ut}} \right)^2} \right] = \boxed{3.423}$$

- Q3) Function - concave mirror, simply supported  
 Objective - min. mass  
 constraints -  
 • Radius given ( $a = 6\text{m}$ )  
 • Low thermal expansion  
 • Must not distort more than  $\delta^*$  under weight  
 Free variables - Thickness  $t$ , material

$$m = \pi a^2 \delta t \quad [\text{Assumption: } \delta \rightarrow \text{light so let } \delta^* = 550\text{nm}]$$

Elastic deflection of centre of a horizontal disk with its own weight for a material with  $\nu = 0.3$  is  $\delta = \frac{3}{4\pi} \frac{mg a^2}{Et^3}$

$$\text{Now, } S \leq \delta^*$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{4\pi} \frac{mg a^2}{E \left( \frac{m}{\pi a^2} \right)^3} \leq \delta^* \Rightarrow m^2 > \frac{3^3 \pi^2 a^8}{4 E \delta^*} \Rightarrow m > \left( \frac{3g}{4\delta^*} \right)^{1/2} \pi a^4 \left( \frac{3}{E^{1/3}} \right)^{3/2}$$

$$M^* = \frac{E^{1/3}}{\delta} \Rightarrow \text{To minimise } m \text{ we need to maximise } M^* \\ \Rightarrow \log E = 3 \log \delta + 3 \log(M^*)$$

Now from the  $E$  vs  $\delta$  chart given in slides,  
 From parallel guide lines, we get :

Material	Material Index ( $M^*$ )	mass (m, kg)	Comments
① Glass	1.7	$694 \times 10^3$	Heavy, low $M^*$
② CFRP	3.1	$300 \times 10^3$	Best suited but expensive
③ Mg Alloy	2.1	$500 \times 10^3$	Moderately suited
④ Al Alloy	1.7	$750 \times 10^3$	Heavy, low $M^*$

- Q4) Function - Elastic variable spring  
 Objective - i) max. stored elastic energy per unit volume  
 ii) max. stored elastic energy per unit weight  
 constraint -  $\sigma \leq \sigma_f$  at every location  
 free variable - material

$$\text{Elastic energy/volume} = \frac{\sigma^2}{2E} < \frac{\sigma_y^2}{2E} \Rightarrow M_1^* = \frac{\sigma_y^2}{2E}$$

$$\text{Elastic energy/weight} = \frac{EV \times V}{mg} = \frac{\sigma^2 \times m}{2E \delta mg} = \frac{\sigma^2}{2E \delta g} \Rightarrow M_2^* = \frac{\sigma_y^2}{2E \delta g}$$

Thus to maximise  $E_V, E_W$ , we need to maximise indices  $M_1^*, M_2^*$

i) Possible candidates for max. Ev:

material	Material Index ( $M_1^* = \frac{\sigma_y^2}{E}$ )	comments
① CFRP	7.2	Expensive
② HSS	(4.9)	Ideal $M_1^*$ value, price, loss
③ Al-Alloy	1.1	Low $M_1^*$ value
④ Rubber	2.5	High $M_1^*$ , but high loss factor

Thus High strength steel is the best choice of material for achieving max. Ev.

ii) Possible candidates for max Ew:

Material	Material Index ( $M_2^* = \frac{\sigma_y^2}{f_E}$ )	Comments
① CFRP	4	Expensive
② HSS	0.37	Least $M_2^*$ value
③ Al-Alloy	0.4	Low $M_2^*$ value
④ Rubber	(2.2)	Best option, not too expensive

Thus Rubber is the best option of material for achieving max. Ew.