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## Homework 4

Due 25 Feb 2016

1. Use the MIL-HDBK pages copied in your text (pp. 136-143) to look up the following yield stress values. Use the A-basis for all values.
  - (a) 2024-T351 bare,  $t=0.25$ , LT direction
  - (b) 2024-T351 bare,  $t=0.25$ , L direction
  - (c) 7075-T651 bare,  $t=0.5$ , LT direction
  - (d) 7075-T651 bare,  $t=0.5$ , L direction
  - (e) 7178-T651 bare,  $t=0.4$ , LT direction
  - (f) 7178-T651 bare,  $t=0.4$ , L direction
2. Use the charts provided in your text (pp. 111-121) to look up fracture toughness for the following conditions, at both room temperature and  $-65^{\circ}\text{F}$ .
  - (a) 2024-T351 bare,  $t=0.25$ , T-L direction
  - (b) 2024-T351 bare,  $t=0.25$ , L-T direction
  - (c) 7075-T651 bare,  $t=0.5$ , T-L direction
  - (d) 7075-T651 bare,  $t=0.5$ , L-T direction
  - (e) 7178-T651 bare,  $t=0.4$ , T-L direction
  - (f) 7178-T651 bare,  $t=0.4$ , L-T direction
3. Use the Feddersen approach to plot residual strength vs. crack length for a center-cracked panel ( $W = 5$  in.)
  - (a) For 2024-T351 bare aluminum, with  $t=0.25$ , in the T-L and L-T directions, at room temperature and  $-65^{\circ}\text{F}$ .
  - (b) For 7075-T651 bare aluminum, with  $t=0.5$ , in the T-L and L-T directions, at room temperature and  $-65^{\circ}\text{F}$ .
  - (c) For 7178-T651 bare aluminum, with  $t=0.4$ , in the T-L and L-T directions, at room temperature and  $-65^{\circ}\text{F}$ .
4. Based on a proposed inspection cycle and fatigue analysis for a 7178-T651 bare aluminum panel, we need to design a proof test to ensure there are no center-cracks greater than 0.2" long. What proof load must be applied to ensure this condition ( $W = 8$  in.,  $t = 0.4$  in., check both grain directions, RT and  $-65^{\circ}\text{F}$ ).

5. A 120" diameter fuselage has an axial crack. The crack is centered on a circumferential stiffener. Stiffener spacing is 10", cross-section is 0.3788 in<sup>2</sup>, skin thickness is 0.1875", and rivet spacing is 1". Use the charts on pp. 167-178 and the tables on pp. 194 - 196 to plot the  $\sigma_c$  vs.  $a$  curve for the skin under the following cases. Note: use  $K_c = 68 \text{ ksi}\sqrt{\text{in.}}$ . Assume a skin stiffness of  $E = 11 \text{ Msi}$  and a stiffener stiffness of  $E_s = 23.4 \text{ Msi}$  and a stiffener yield strength of  $\sigma_{YS} = 120\text{ksi}$ .
- (a) without stiffeners
  - (b) with stiffeners
  - (c) with stiffeners, but the stiffener centered over the crack is broken

**Note:** Ignore net section yield for the skin in this problem