Mechanics of Materials

Lecture 1 - Equilibrium

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schedule

- 18 Aug Introduction, Equilibrium
- 20 Aug Stress
- 25 Aug Strain, Homework 1 Due
- 27 Aug Mechanical Properties

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outline

- introduction
- syllabus
- mechanics
- equilibrium

about me



education

- B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Brigham Young University
 - Worked with ATK to develop tab-less gripping system for tensile testing composite tow specimens
 - Needed to align the specimen, as well as grip it without causing a stress concentration

education

- M.S. and Ph.D. from School of Aeronautics and Astronautics at Purdue University
 - Worked with Boeing to simulate mold flows
 - First ever mold simulation with anisotropic viscosity

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Figure 1: picture of chopped carbon fiber prepreg

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Figure 2: picture of lamborghini symbol made from compression molded chopped carbon fiber

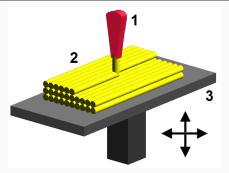


Figure 3: picture illustrating the fused deposition modeling 3D printing process, where plastic filament is melted and

introductions

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- Name
- One interesting thing to remember you by

course textbook

- RC Hibbeler Mechanics of Materials
- This semester I am changing how I do homework, and MasteringEngineering will NOT be used

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office hours

- No traditional office hours this year, questions should either be asked during recitation on Tuesday/Thursday
- Office appointments can be scheduled via e-mail, although remote meetings are preferred

tentative course outline

- Section 1 stress, strain, mechanical properties
 - Ch 1 Stress (18 Aug)
 - Ch 2 Strain (20 Aug)
 - Ch 3 Mechanical Properties (25 Aug)
 - Project 1 (29 Aug)
 - Exam 1 (1 Sep)

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tentative course outline

- Section 2 loading
 - Ch 4 Axial Load (8 Sep)
 - Ch 5 Torsion (15 Sep)
 - Ch 6 Bending (22 Sep)
 - Ch 7 Transverse Shear (29 Sep)
 - Project 2 (2 Oct)
 - Exam 2 (5 Oct)

tentative course outline

- Section 3 beams, shafts, combined loading
 - Ch 8 Combined Loading (13 Oct)
 - Ch 9 Stress Transformation (20 Oct)
 - Ch 10 Strain Transformation (27 Oct)
 - Ch 12 Deflection of Beams and Shafts (3 Nov)
 - Project 3 (13 Nov)
 - Exam 3 (16 Nov)

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tentative course outline

- Section 4 buckling, stress concentration
 - Ch 4.7, 5.8, 6.9 Stress concentration (1 Dec)
 - Ch 13 Buckling (3 Dec)
 - Final Exam (comprehensive) (7 Dec)

grades

- Grade breakdown
 - Homework 5%
 - Exam 1 10%
 - Exam 2 10%
 - Exam 3 10%
 - Final Exam 20%
- Project 1 15%
- Project 2 15%
- Project 3 15%

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grades

- Follow a traditional grading scale
- (80% B-, 83% B, 87% B+, etc.)

- I do NOT curve final grades
- Instead, each individual exam is curved on a best-fit linear scale
- This scale is somewhat subjective, best score is mapped to 100, I pick one other score to map that I feel is representative of a C or a B
- The end goal of this curve is to get a standard deviation close to 10% and a class average representative of the performance on the exam, usually between a C and a B

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class expectations

- Consider the cost (to you or others) of your being in class
- I ask that you refrain from distracting behaviors during class
- When you have something more important than class to take care of, please take care of it outside of class
- Chegg

homework

- In general, homework assignments will be due every Friday by midnight
- Homework will be submitted online via Blackboard, half the homework credit will be granted for completion.
- Late homework will not be accepted

self-grade

- Your homework will be self-graded, your self-grading will generally be due the week after the original assignment
- Homework solutions will be posted to Blackboard, and the remaining half of the homework credit will be assigned after you complete (and submit) your self-grade.
- You do not lose credit for incorrect answers, but your self-grade should explain the differences between your answer and the correct solution.
- Some problems will be somewhat open-ended and there may not be a "correct" answer, so consider that when looking at what is different between your solution and mine

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mechanics

- Generally subdivided into three branches
- Rigid-body mechanics
- Deformable-body mechanics
- Fluid mechanics

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rigid-body mechanics

- Statics bodies in equilibrium (rest or constant velocity)
- Dynamics bodies under accelerated motion (F = ma)

loads

- Surface loads act on the surface of a body, can be either concentrated forces or distributed loads
- Body forces are developed inside a body, some examples are gravity or electromagnetic fields

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support reactions

- In general, if a support prevents translation in a given direction, then a reaction force must be developed in that direction
- Similarly, if a support prevents rotation about an axis, then a couple moment must be developed about that axis

equilibrium

 For a body to be in equilibrium the balance of forces and the balance of moments must both be zero

$$\sum F_i = 0$$

$$\sum M_i = 0$$

- For 2D problems, this reduces to

$$\sum F_x = 0 \sum F_y = 0 \sum M_O = 0$$

internal resultant loadings

- We use statics to find resultant loadings acting within a body
- This is done using the method of sections

internal resultant loadings

- Normal Force, N acts perpendicular to an area
- Shear Force, V lies in the plane of an area, causes two segments to slide over one another
- Torsional Moment, T tendency to twist about an axis perpendicular to an area
- Bending Moment, M tendency to bend the body about an axis lying within the plane of the area

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planar problems

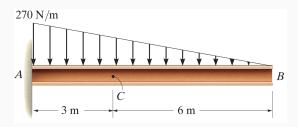
- In planar problems, where all forces lie in the same plane, we only have
 - Normal Force
 - Shear Force
 - Bending Moment

summary

- Support reactions
- Free body diagram
- Equations of equilibrium

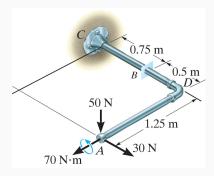
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example 1.1



Find the internal forces at point C.

example 1.4



Find the internal forces at point D.

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example

Compare three cases for a traditional leg vise for use on Dr. Smith's workbench - No bottom support - Standard pin-board - St. Peter's Cross - NOTE: Assume the force applied at the vise is the same in all cases (around 2000 lb if you want a number), that the leg vise is 3 ft. tall and the screw is 1 ft. down from the top.

traditional pin-board



St. Peter's Cross



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