

**Question Bank 1 (Analysis of stresses and Mohr's Circle)**

- Given the state of stress is:  $\sigma_x = 800\text{MPa}$ ,  $\sigma_y = -200\text{MPa}$ ,  $\tau_{xy} = 200\text{MPa}$ . Determine -- (a) Principal stresses (b) the stresses on a plane makes  $60^\circ$  clockwise to the plane of principal stresses. Center is located at  $(300,0)$ , Point A =  $(800, 200)$ . Results: (a) At principal plane stresses are:  $(838,0)$  MPa,  $10.9^\circ$ ; (b) The stresses are:  $(223, -332)$  MPa.
- Find the principal normal and maximum shearing stresses and show them on a properly oriented element for the state of stress (in MPa) shown in Table 1. by (a) analytically and (b) Mohr's circle of stresses.
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- Construct a Mohr's circle for the particular case of biaxial tension where  $\sigma_x = \sigma_y$ . What is the maximum shear stress in such case?
- Direct tensile stresses of  $120\text{ MN/m}^2$  and  $70\text{ MN/m}^2$  act on a body on mutually perpendicular planes. What is the magnitude of the shearing stress that can be applied so that major principle stress at the point does not exceed  $135\text{ MN/m}^2$ ? Determine the value of major principle stress and the maximum shear stress.
- An element is subjected to the principal stresses  $\sigma_1 = \sigma_x = 40\text{MPa}$  and  $\sigma_2 = \sigma_y = -30\text{MPa}$ . Compute the stress components of planes on planes whose normal are at  $+30^\circ$  and  $+120^\circ$  with the x-axis. Show your answers on a complete sketch of differential element.
- A rectangular block of material is subjected to a tensile stress of  $110\text{N/mm}^2$  on one plane and a tensile of  $47\text{ N/mm}^2$  on a plane at right angles to the former. Each of the above stresses is accompanied by a shear stress of  $63\text{N/mm}^2$ . Determine the principal stresses, principal planes and the maximum shear stresses.
- At a point in a strained material, the principal stresses are  $100\text{ N/mm}^2$  (T) and  $40\text{ N/mm}^2$  (C). Determine the resultant stress in magnitude and direction in a plane inclined at  $60^\circ$  to the axis of major principal stress. What is the maximum intensity of shear stress in the material at the point?
- The stresses at a point in a strained material is  $\sigma_x = 200\text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $\sigma_y = -150\text{N/mm}^2$  and  $\tau = 80\text{ N/mm}^2$ . Solve for the principal plane and principal stress using graphical method and verify with the analytical results.
- The principal stresses in the wall of a container are  $40\text{ MN/m}^2$  and  $80\text{ MN/m}^2$ . Determine the normal, shear and resultant stresses in magnitude and direction in a plane, the normal of which makes an angle of  $30^\circ$  with the direction of maximum principal stress.
- An elemental cube is subjected to tensile stresses of  $30\text{ N/mm}^2$  and  $10\text{ N/mm}^2$  acting on two mutually perpendicular planes and a shear stress of  $10\text{N/mm}^2$  on these planes. Draw the Mohr's circle of stresses and determine the magnitudes and direction of principal stresses and also the greatest shear stress.
- For the elements illustrated in Fig. 1 calculate the stress components on the inclined planes.
- Direct tensile stresses of  $120\text{ MN/m}^2$  and  $70\text{ MN/m}^2$  act on a body on mutually perpendicular planes. What is the magnitude of the shearing stress that can be applied so that major principle stress at the point does not exceed  $135\text{ MN/m}^2$ ? Determine the value of major principle stress and the maximum shear stress.

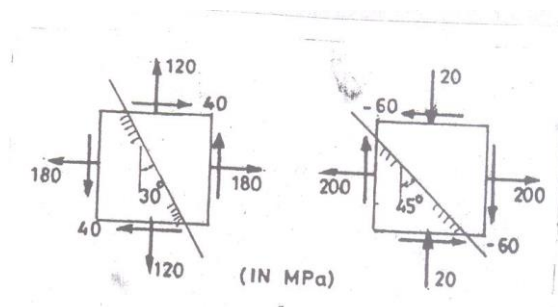


Fig. 1.

Table - 1

Element	$\sigma_x$	$\sigma_y$	$\tau_{xy}$
1.	60	20	0
2.	-30	50	-40
3.	200	0	80
4.	20	30	20