

∴ Numericals ∴

- 1) A Circular rod of diameter 20mm and 500mm long is subjected to a tensile force 45kN. The modulus of elasticity for steel may be taken as 200 kN/mm^2 . Find stress, strain & elongation of the bar due to applied load.

Solution Given Data

Load $P = 45 \text{ kN} = 45 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$

$$E = 200 \text{ kN/mm}^2 = 200 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$L = 500 \text{ mm}$$

Diameter of the rod $d = 20 \text{ mm}$

Solution

Step 1 \rightarrow Cross Sectional area

$$\text{Area } A = \frac{\pi d^2}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4} \times (20)^2 = \boxed{314.159 \text{ mm}^2}$$

$$\text{Step 2} \rightarrow \text{Stress } \sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{45 \times 10^3}{314.159} = \boxed{143.24 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

$$\text{Step 3} \rightarrow \text{Strain } e = \frac{\sigma}{E} = \frac{143.24}{200 \times 10^3} = \boxed{0.0007162}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \frac{\sigma}{e} \\ e &= \frac{\sigma}{E} \end{aligned} \quad \rangle$$

$$\text{Step 4} \rightarrow \text{Elongation } \Delta = \frac{PL}{AE} = \frac{45 \times 10^3 \times 500}{314.159 \times 200 \times 10^3}$$
$$\boxed{\Delta = 0.358 \text{ mm.}}$$

2) A rod 150cm long & of diameter 2cm is subjected to an axial pull of 20kN. If the modulus of elasticity of the material of the rod is $2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$.

Determine

i) Stress

ii) Strain

iii) Elongation of rod.

Solution

Given Data

* Length of the rod $L = 150 \text{ cm}$

* Diameter of the rod $D = 2 \text{ cm} = 20 \text{ mm}$

* Axial pull $P = 20 \text{ kN} = 20 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$

* Modulus of Elasticity $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$

$$\text{Step 1} \rightarrow \text{Area } A = \frac{\pi}{4} (D)^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} (20)^2 = \boxed{314.15 \text{ mm}^2}$$

$$\text{Step 2} \rightarrow \text{Stress } \sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{20 \times 10^3}{314.15} = \boxed{63.66 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

$$\text{Step 3} \rightarrow \text{Strain } e = \frac{\sigma}{E} = \frac{63.66}{2 \times 10^5} = \boxed{0.000318}$$

$$\text{Step 4} \rightarrow \text{Elongation } e = \frac{\Delta}{L} \text{ or } \frac{dL}{L}$$

$$\Delta = e \times L$$

$$= 0.000318 \times 150$$

$$\Delta = 0.0477 \text{ cm.}$$

or

$$\Delta = \frac{PL}{AE} = \frac{20 \times 10^3 \times 150}{314.15 \times 2 \times 10^5} = \boxed{0.0477 \text{ cm.}}$$

3) A Steel rod of 30mm diameter and 400mm length was tested in a tension testing machine. At a load of 135 kN, the extension in a gauge length of 50mm was measured to be 0.045mm & the reduction in diameter was 0.008mm. Determine the Poisson's ratio & Young's modulus for the material.

Solution **Given Data**

- * Diameter $D = 30 \text{ mm}$
- * Length $L = 50 \text{ mm}$
- * Load $P = 135 \text{ kN} = 135 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$
- * Gauge length $L = 50 \text{ mm}$
- * Extension $\Delta L = 0.045 \text{ mm}$
- * Reduction in diameter $\Delta D = 0.008 \text{ mm}$.

Requirement \rightarrow Poisson's ratio & Young's modulus.

Solution

Step 1 → Cross Sectional area of the steel rod.

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times (30)^2 = \boxed{706.86 \text{ mm}^2}$$

Step 2 → Stress in the rod $\sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{135 \times 10^3}{706.86}$

$$\sigma = \boxed{190.99 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 3 → Longitudinal strain $\epsilon = \frac{\Delta L}{L} = \frac{0.045}{50}$

$$\epsilon = \boxed{0.9 \times 10^{-3}}$$

Step 4 → Lateral strain $\frac{\Delta D}{D} = \frac{0.008}{30} = \boxed{0.267 \times 10^{-3}}$

Step 5 → Young's Modulus $E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon} = \frac{190.99}{0.9 \times 10^{-3}}$

$$E = \boxed{212.21 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 6 → Poisson's ratio ν or μ or $\frac{1}{m}$

$$\mu = \frac{\text{Lateral strain}}{\text{Longitudinal strain}}$$

$$\mu = \frac{0.267 \times 10^{-3}}{0.9 \times 10^{-3}} = \boxed{0.2967}$$

4] Find the minimum diameter of a steel wire, which is used to raise a load of 4000 N if the stress in the rod is not to exceed 95 MN/m^2 .

Solution Given Data

* Load $P = 4000 \text{ N}$

* Stress $\sigma = 95 \text{ MN/m}^2$
 $= 95 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}^2$

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* Diameter of wire in 'mm'

Mega = 10^6

$10^6 \text{ N/m}^2 = 1 \text{ N/mm}^2$

Step 1 \rightarrow Area $A = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2$

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Now Stress $\sigma = \frac{\text{Load}}{\text{Area}}$

$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$$

$$95 = \frac{4000}{\frac{\pi}{4} D^2}$$

$$\text{or } D^2 = \frac{4000 \times 4}{\pi \times 95}$$

$$D^2 = 53.61$$

$$D = \sqrt{53.61}$$

$$\boxed{D = 7.32 \text{ mm}}$$

5] Find the Young's modulus of a brass rod of diameter 25mm & of length 250mm which is subjected to a tensile load of 50kN. When the extension of the rod is equal to 0.3mm.

Solution Given Data

* Diameter of rod $D = 25 \text{ mm}$

* Area of rod $A = \frac{\pi}{4} (25)^2 = 490.87 \text{ mm}^2$

* Tensile Load $P = 50 \text{ kN} = 50 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$

* Extension of rod $dL = 0.3 \text{ mm}$

* Length of rod $L = 250 \text{ mm}$

Step 1 \rightarrow Area $A = \frac{\pi}{4} (D)^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} (25)^2 = \boxed{490.87 \text{ mm}^2}$

Step 2 \rightarrow Stress $\sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{50 \times 10^3}{490.87} = \boxed{101.86 \text{ N/mm}^2}$

Step 3 \rightarrow Strain $e = \frac{\Delta}{L} \text{ or } \frac{dL}{L} = \frac{0.3}{250} = \boxed{0.0012}$

or $e = \frac{\sigma}{E}$ if Young's modulus is given.

Step 4 \rightarrow Young's Modulus

$$E = \frac{\text{Stress}}{\text{Strain}} = \frac{\sigma}{e} = \frac{101.86}{0.0012} = 84883.33 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$G = 10^{-9}$$
$$1 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 10^6 \text{ N/m}^2$$

7] A Specimen of Steel 25mm diameter with a gauge length of 200mm is tested to destruction. It has an extension of 0.16mm under a load of 80kN and the load at elastic limit is 160kN. The maximum load is 180kN.

The total extension at fracture is 56mm & diameter at neck is 18mm find

- 1] The stress at elastic limit
- 2] Young's modulus
- 3] percentage Elongation
- 4] percentage reduction in area.
- 5] Ultimate tensile Stress.

Solution Given Data

- * Diameter of Steel $d = 25\text{mm}$
- * Gauge Length = 200mm
- * Extension = 0.16mm
- * Load = 80kN
- * Load at Elastic Limit = 160kN
- * Maximum Load = 180kN

Step 1 \rightarrow Area $A = \frac{\pi}{4} d^2$

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} (25)^2$$

$$A = 490.874 \text{ mm}^2$$

Step 2 \rightarrow Stress at Elastic limit

$$\sigma = \frac{\text{Load at Elastic limit}}{\text{Area}}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{160 \times 10^3}{490.874}$$

$$\sigma = 325.949 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

Step 3 → Young's Modulus

$$E = \frac{\text{Stress}}{\text{Strain}} \quad \text{Within Elastic Limit}$$

$$E = \frac{P/A}{\Delta/L} = \frac{80 \times 10^3 / 490.874}{0.16 / 200} = \boxed{203718 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 4 → percentage Elongation

$$= \frac{\text{Final Extension}}{\text{Original Length}} = \frac{56}{200} \times 100$$
$$\boxed{= 28\%}$$

Step 5 → percentage reduction in area

$$\frac{\text{Initial area} - \text{final area}}{\text{Initial area}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} (25)^2 - \frac{\pi}{4} \times (18)^2}{\frac{\pi}{4} \times (25)^2} \times 100$$

$$\boxed{= 48.16\%}$$

Step 6 → Ultimate tensile Stress

$$\frac{\text{Ultimate Load}}{\text{Area}}$$

$$= \frac{180 \times 10^3}{490.874}$$

$$\boxed{= 366.693 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

8] A metal bar 50mm x 50mm is subjected to an axial compressive load of 500kN. The contraction of a 200mm gauge length is found to be 0.5mm & the increase in thickness 0.04mm. Find the values of Young's modulus and Poisson's ratio.

Solution Given Data

- * Cross Section - Square 50mm x 50mm
- * Load $P = 500\text{kN} = 500 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$ (Compressive)
- * Gauge Length $L = 200\text{mm}$
- * Contraction $\Delta L = 0.5\text{mm}$
- * Increase in thickness $\Delta a = 0.04\text{mm}$

Step 1 \rightarrow Cross Sectional area of bar

$$A = 50 \times 50 = 2500 \text{ mm}^2$$

Step 2 \rightarrow Stress in the bar

$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{500 \times 10^3}{2500} = \boxed{200 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 3 \rightarrow Longitudinal Strain

$$\epsilon = \frac{\Delta L}{L} = \frac{0.5}{200} = \boxed{2.5 \times 10^{-3}}$$

Step 4 \rightarrow Lateral Strain

$$\frac{\Delta a}{a} = \frac{0.04}{50} = \boxed{0.8 \times 10^{-3}}$$

Step 5 \rightarrow Young's Modulus

$$E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon} = \frac{200}{2.5 \times 10^{-3}} = \boxed{80 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 6 \rightarrow Poisson's ratio

$$\mu \text{ or } \nu = \frac{\text{Lateral Strain}}{\text{Longitudinal Strain}} = \frac{0.8 \times 10^{-3}}{2.5 \times 10^{-3}} = \boxed{0.32}$$

9) A tensile test was conducted on a mild steel bar. The following data was obtained from the test.

- (a) Diameter of the steel bar = 3cm.
- (b) Gauge length of the bar = 20cm.
- (c) Load at Elastic limit = 250kN
- (d) Extension at a load of 150kN = 0.21mm
- (e) Maximum Load = 380kN
- (f) Total Extension = 60mm
- (g) Diameter of the rod at the failure = 2.25cm

Determine

- (a) Young's modulus
- (b) The stress at Elastic limit
- (c) The percentage elongation
- (d) The percentage decrease in area.

Solution

Step 1 → Area of the rod

$$\text{Area } A = \frac{\pi}{4} d^2$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} (30)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} d &= 3\text{cm} \\ &= 3 \times 10 \\ d &= 30\text{mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$A = 706.85\text{mm}^2$$

Step 2 → Stress = $\frac{\text{Load}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{150 \times 10^3}{706.85}$

$$\sigma = 212.20\text{N/mm}^2$$

Step 3 → Strain = $\frac{\text{Increase in length or Extension}}{\text{Original length or Gauge length}}$

Gauge length

$$20\text{cm} = 200\text{mm}$$

$$= \frac{0.21}{200}$$

$$\epsilon = 0.00105$$

Step 4 → Young's Modulus.

$$E = \frac{\text{Stress}}{\text{Strain}} = \frac{212.20}{0.00105} = 202.09 \times 10^3\text{N/mm}^2$$

II] The Stress at the Elastic limit is given by.
Step 5 \rightarrow Stress = $\frac{\text{Load at elastic limit}}{\text{Area}}$

$$\sigma = \frac{250 \times 10^3}{706.85}$$

$$\boxed{\sigma = 353.68 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 6 \rightarrow percentage Elongation
 $= \frac{\text{Total increase in length}}{\text{Original length or Gauge length}} \times 100$

$$= \frac{60}{200} \times 100$$

$$\boxed{= 30\%}$$

Step 7 \rightarrow Percentage decrease in area

Percentage decrease in area

$$= \frac{(\text{Original area} - \text{Area at the failure})}{(\text{Original area})} \times 100$$

$$= \left(\frac{\frac{\pi}{4} \times (3)^2 - \frac{\pi}{4} \times (2.25)^2}{\frac{\pi}{4} \times (3)^2} \right) \times 100$$

$$= \left(\frac{(3)^2 - (2.25)^2}{(3)^2} \right) \times 100$$

$$= \left(\frac{9 - 5.0625}{9} \right) \times 100$$

$$\boxed{= 43.75\%}$$

10] A Steel tube 25mm outer diameter and 12mm inner diameter carries an axial tensile load of 40 kN. What will be the stress in the tube if $E = 200 \text{ GPa}$? What further increase in load is possible if the stress is limited to 225 MN/m^2 ?

Solution Given Data

- * Outer diameter $D = 25 \text{ mm}$
- * Inner diameter $d = 12 \text{ mm}$
- * Load $P = 40 \text{ kN} = 40 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$
- * Modulus of Elasticity $E = 200 \text{ GPa} = 200 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2$
- * Upper limit of stress $= 225 \text{ MN/m}^2$
 $= 225 \text{ N/mm}^2$

Step 1 \rightarrow Cross Sectional area of tube

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} (D^2 - d^2) = \frac{\pi}{4} \times (25^2 - 12^2)$$
$$= 377.78 \text{ mm}^2$$

Step 2 \rightarrow Stress in the tube

$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{40 \times 10^3}{377.78} = 105.88 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

Step 3 \rightarrow Increase in stress

$$\Delta \sigma = 225 - 105.88 = 119.12 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

Step 4 \rightarrow Increase in Load

$$\Delta P = \Delta \sigma \times A = 119.12 \times 377.78$$
$$= 45001.15 \text{ N}$$
$$= 45 \text{ kN}$$

- 11] The Safe Stress for a hollow steel Column which carries an axial load of $2.1 \times 10^3 \text{ kN}$ is 125 MN/m^2 . If the external diameter of the Column is 30 cm . Determine the internal diameter.

Solution

Given Data

* Safe Stress $\sigma = 125 \text{ MN/m}^2$
 $\sigma = 125 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}^2$

* Axial Load $P = 2.1 \times 10^3 \text{ kN}$
 $P = 2.1 \times 10^6 \text{ N}$

* External diameter $D = 30 \text{ cm} = 0.3 \text{ m}$

* Let d = Internal diameter

Step 1 \rightarrow Area of Cross Section of the Column

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} (D^2 - d^2)$$

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} [(0.30)^2 - d^2] \text{ m}^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Step 2 \rightarrow Stress $\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$

$$125 \times 10^6 = \frac{2.1 \times 10^6}{\frac{\pi}{4} [(0.30)^2 - d^2]}$$

$$[(0.30)^2 - d^2] = \frac{4 \times 2.1 \times 10^6}{\pi \times 125 \times 10^6}$$

$$0.09 - d^2 = 213.9$$

or

$$0.09 - 0.02139 = d^2$$

$$d = \sqrt{0.09 - 0.02139}$$

$$d = 0.2619 \text{ m}$$

$$\boxed{d = 26.19 \text{ cm.}}$$

12) The ultimate stress for a hollow steel column which carries an axial load of 1.9 MN is 480 N/mm^2 . If the external diameter of the column is 200 mm. Determine the internal diameter. Take the factor of safety as 4.

Solution Given Data

* Ultimate stress = 480 N/mm^2 $\angle M = \text{Mega}$
 * Axial load $P = 1.9 \text{ MN}$
 $= 1.9 \times 10^6 \text{ N}$

* External diameter $D = 200 \text{ mm}$
 * Factor of safety = 4
 * Let $d =$ Internal diameter in mm.

Step 1 \rightarrow Area of cross section of the column

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} (D^2 - d^2)$$

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} [(200)^2 - d^2] \text{ mm}^2$$

Step 2 \rightarrow We have

$$\text{Factor of Safety} = \frac{\text{Ultimate Stress}}{\text{Working Stress or permissible stress}}$$

$$4 = \frac{480}{\text{Working Stress}}$$

$$\text{Working Stress} = \frac{480}{4}$$

$$\text{Working Stress} \quad \boxed{\sigma = 120 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

Step 3 \rightarrow $\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$

$$120 = \frac{1.9 \times 10^6}{\frac{\pi}{4} [(200)^2 - d^2]}$$

$$120 = \frac{1.9 \times 10^6 \times 4}{\pi (40,000 - d^2)}$$

$$40,000 - d^2 = \frac{1.9 \times 10^6 \times 4}{\pi \times 120} = 20159.6$$

$$d^2 = 40,000 - 20159.6$$

$$d^2 = 19840.4$$

$$d = \sqrt{19840.4}$$

$$d = 140.85 \text{ mm}$$

13] The following data refer to a mild Steel Specimen 19
 tested in a Laboratory. Diameter of Specimen = 25mm,
 Gauge Length of Specimen = 300mm, Length of Specimen
 after failure = 360mm, Extension observed under a
 load of 20kN = 0.06mm. Load at yield point = 150kN
 & Load at failure = 252kN. Neck diameter at failure
 point = 18.25mm. Determine

- 1) Young's modulus
- 2) Yield Stress
- 3) Ultimate Stress
- 4) percentage Elongation
- 5) percentage reduction of Cross Sectional area
- 6) Safe Stress adopting a factor of Safety as 2

Solution Given Data

- * Diameter $D = D_i = 25\text{mm}$
- * Gauge Length $L = L_i = 300\text{mm}$
- * Length of Specimen at failure $L_f = 360\text{mm}$
- * Extension under a load of $P = 20\text{kN}$, $\Delta L = 0.06\text{mm}$
- * Load at yield point $P_y = 150\text{kN}$
- * Load at failure $P_u = 252\text{kN}$
- * Neck diameter at failure point $D_f = 18.25\text{mm}$
- * factor of Safety (FOS) = 2

Step 1 \rightarrow Cross Sectional area of the Steel rod

$$A = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \times 25^2 = 490.87\text{mm}^2$$

Step 2 \rightarrow Stress in the rod $\sigma = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{20 \times 10^3}{490.87} = \boxed{40.74 \text{ N/mm}^2}$

Step 3 \rightarrow Longitudinal Strain $\epsilon = \frac{\Delta L}{L} = \frac{0.06}{300}$
 $\boxed{\epsilon = 2 \times 10^{-4}}$

Step 4 \rightarrow Young's Modulus $E = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon} = \frac{40.74}{2 \times 10^{-4}}$
 $\boxed{E = 203.7 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2}$

Step 5 \rightarrow Yield Stress $\sigma_y = \frac{P_y}{A} = \frac{150 \times 10^3}{490.87}$
 $\sigma_y = 305.58 \text{ N/mm}^2$

Step 6 \rightarrow Ultimate Stress $\sigma_u = \frac{P_u}{A} = \frac{252 \times 10^3}{490.87}$
 $\sigma_u = 513.37 \text{ N/mm}^2$

Step 7 \rightarrow percentage Elongation
 $= \frac{L_f - L_i}{L_i} \times 100$
 $= \frac{360 - 300}{300} \times 100$
 $= 20\%$

Step 8 \rightarrow percentage reduction in area
 $\frac{A_i - A_f}{A_i} \times 100 = \frac{D_i^2 - D_f^2}{D_i^2} \times 100$
 $= \frac{25^2 - 18.25^2}{25^2} \times 100$
 $= 46.71\%$

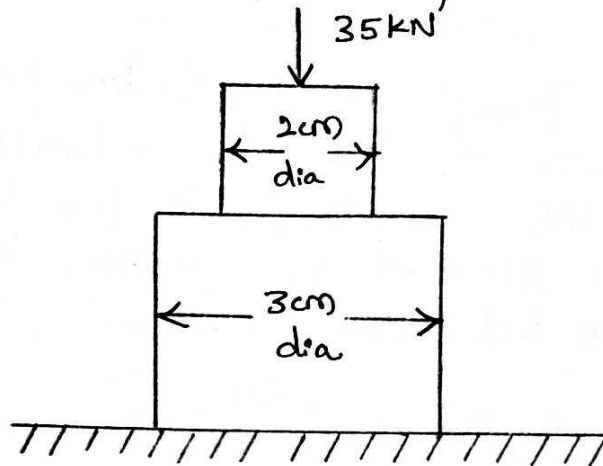
Step 9 \rightarrow Safe Stress = $\frac{\text{Yield Stress}}{\text{Factor of Safety}}$
 $= \frac{\sigma_y}{FOS} = \frac{305.58}{2}$
 $= 152.79 \text{ N/mm}^2$

- 14] A stepped bar shown in figure, is subjected to an axially applied Compressive Load of 35 kN. Find the maximum & minimum stress produced.

Solution Given Data

* Axial Load $P = 35 \text{ kN} = 35 \times 10^3 \text{ N}$

* Diameter of upper part $D_1 = 2 \text{ cm} = 20 \text{ mm}$



Step 1 \rightarrow Area of upper part $A = \frac{\pi}{4} (20)^2$
 $A_1 = 314.15 \text{ mm}^2$

Step 2 \rightarrow Area of Lower part $A_2 = \frac{\pi}{4} (30)^2$
 $A_2 = 706.85 \text{ mm}^2$

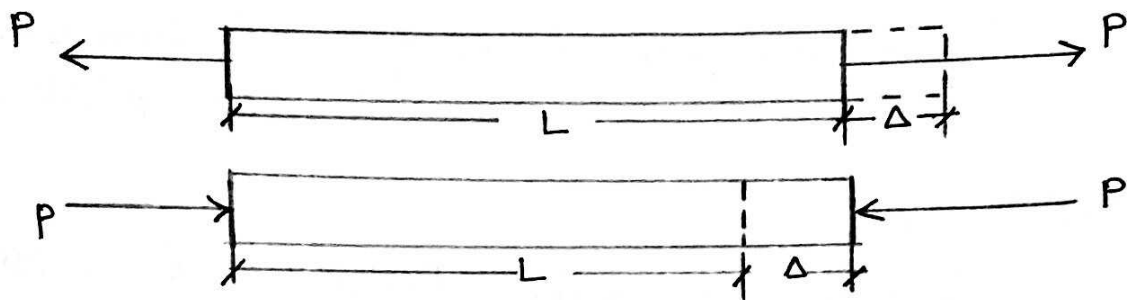
The stress is equal to Load divided by area. Hence stress will be maximum where area is minimum. Hence stress will be maximum in upper part & minimum in lower part.

Maximum stress $\sigma = \frac{\text{Load}}{A_1} = \frac{35 \times 10^3}{314.15} = 111.408 \text{ N/mm}^2$

Minimum stress $\sigma = \frac{\text{Load}}{A_2} = \frac{35 \times 10^3}{706.85} = 49.514 \text{ N/mm}^2$

∴ Extension / shortening of a bar :-

Consider the bars shown in fig (1)



$$\text{Stress } \sigma = \frac{P}{A}$$

$$\text{Strain } \epsilon = \frac{\Delta}{L}$$

from Hooke's Law we have

$$E = \frac{\text{Stress}}{\text{Strain}} = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon} = \frac{P/A}{\Delta/L} = \frac{PL}{A\Delta}$$

$$\Delta = \frac{PL}{AE}$$