

Sixth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2024/Jan.2025 Aircraft Structures – II

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Derive an expression for Bending stress under Pure Bending. And the assumptions made for symmetric bending. (10 Marks)
- b. The dimension of the stringer of an Aircraft wing is as shown in the Fig. Q1 (b) below. Find out the point where bending stress is maximum. Take $M_x = 10 \text{ kNm}$, $M_y = 20 \text{ kNm}$. (10 Marks)

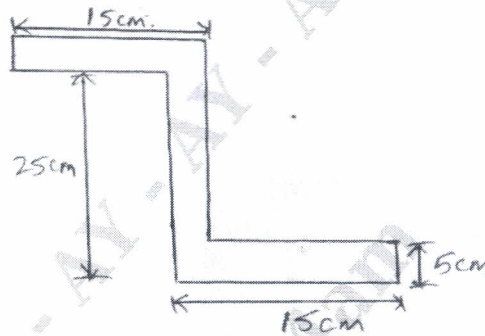


Fig. Q1 (b)

OR

- 2 a. Derive an expression for direct stress and inclination of neutral axis for an un-symmetrical section subjected to bending moments in X and Y axis. (10 Marks)
- b. Determine the deflection curve and the mid span deflection of the simply supported beam when point load is applied. (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Derive the equation for shear flow of an open section and show that for a section which is symmetric about are axis expression for shear flow is as follows :

$$q_s = \frac{-S_x}{I_{yy}} \int_0^s t_x ds - \frac{-S_y}{I_{xx}} \int_0^s t_y ds$$

(10 Marks)

- b. A thin walled C-section is subjected to 1500 N shear force in Y-direction. Find the shear flow distribution and Identify the shear center. (10 Marks)

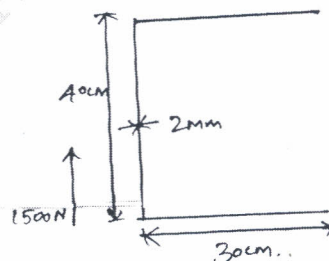


Fig. Q3 (b)

OR

- 4 a. Determine the shear flow of the section when subjected to a shear force along vertical direction. (10 Marks)

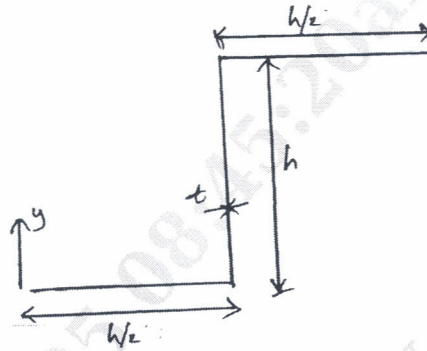


Fig. Q4 (a)

- b. Find the shear flow distribution for the Fig. Q4 (b) shown below. (10 Marks)

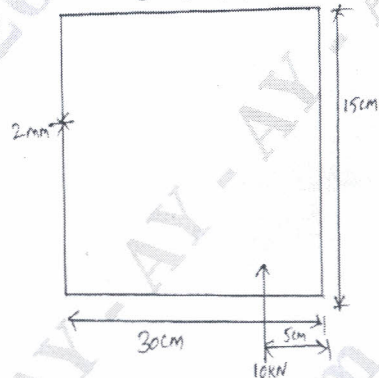


Fig. Q4 (b)

Module-3

- 5 a. Explain Wagneis beam with neat diagram and derive the relation for tensile stress in a pure tension field beam. (10 Marks)
 b. Derive the equation for an Isotropic flat plate under compression with necessary graph and figures. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Explain the different modes of failure in Rivets with diagrams and necessary equations. (10 Marks)
 b. Find the Resultant force on each rivet of the connection shown in Fig.Q6 (b).

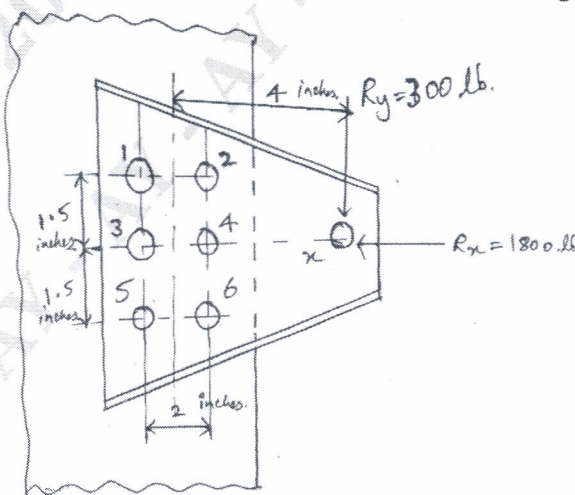


Fig. Q6 (b)

(10 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Explain about two bay crack criteria and widespread fatigue damage. (10 Marks)
 b. Find the shear flow distribution for the section given below using structural idealization method. (10 Marks)

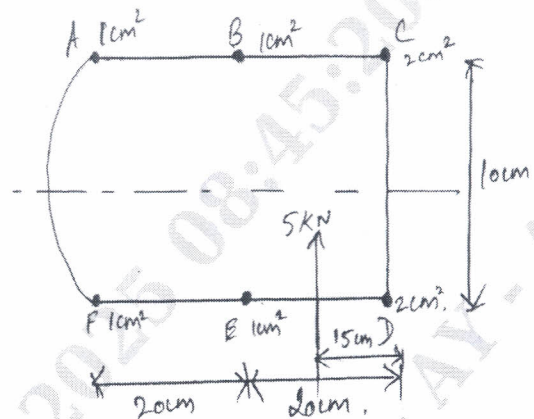


Fig. Q7 (b)

OR

- 8 a. Find the shear flow distribution of the closed section given below. Assume that the beam areas will carry bending stress and the skin will carry shear stress. (10 Marks)

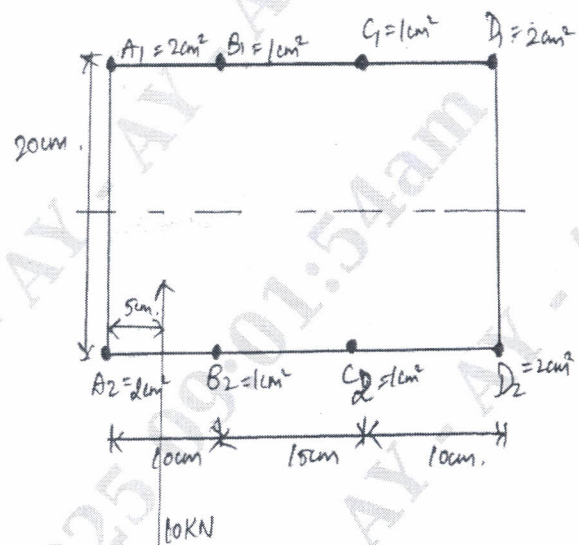


Fig. Q8 (a)

- b. Find out the bending stress for a given section when subjected to a shear load of 1000 N acting in vertical direction. (10 Marks)

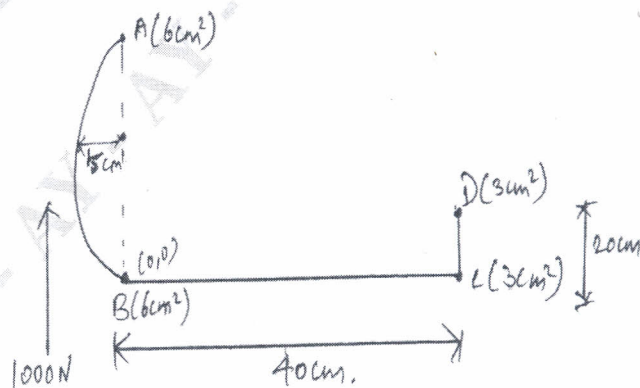


Fig. Q8 (b)

Module-5

- 9 a. Derive the derivation for Tapered wing spar. (10 Marks)
- b. If torque of a section is $3 \times 10^3 \text{ Nm}$, obtain the shear flow and rotation θ for the section and obtain the maximum shear stress of each and every element. Take $G = 26.3 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa}$,
 $t_1 = 0.005 \text{ m}$, $t_2 = t_3 = 0.007 \text{ m}$ (10 Marks)

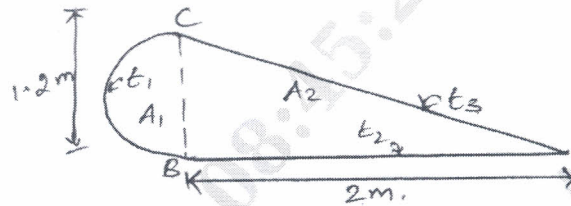


Fig. Q9 (b)

OR

- 10 a. Consider a circular fuselage section subjected to a bending moment $M_x = 800 \text{ kNm}$. The fuselage is idealized as normal stress carrying booms and shear stress carrying panels. The section is symmetric about x and y axis. The area of the boom is given below. Calculate direct stress acting on each and every boom, where $B_1 = B_4 = B_5 = B_8 = 1800 \text{ mm}^2$; and $B_2 = B_3 = B_6 = B_7 = 1400 \text{ mm}^2$ (10 Marks)

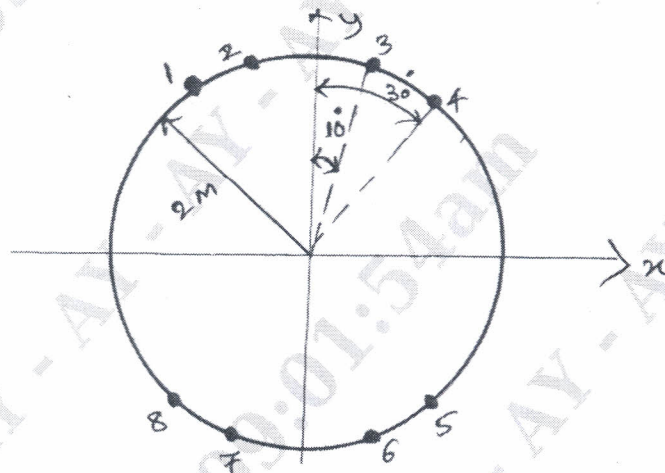


Fig. Q10 (a)

- b. Derive the derivation for shear flow in multicell section and the procedure to find the shear flow distribution in a wing box structure. (10 Marks)

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