

# Indian Institute of Science

## ME 242: Final Exam

**Date:** 3/12/04.

**Duration:** 9.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m.

**Maximum Marks:** 100

1. A hollow disc is spinning with an angular velocity  $\omega = 10$  rad/sec, as shown in Fig. 1. The outer boundary is constrained against radial displacement. (20)

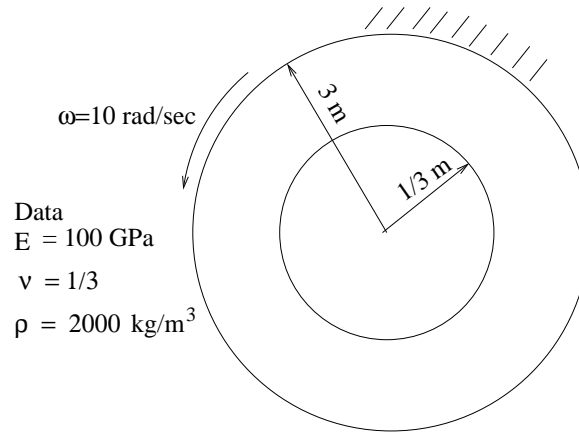


Figure 1: Spinning hollow disc.

- (a) Derive the governing equation for displacement in rotating disc problems. Apply this formulation to a rotating hollow disc free at the inner boundary, and fixed at the outer boundary.
- (b) Calculate the stresses  $\sigma_{rr}$  and  $\sigma_{\theta\theta}$  at  $r = 1$  m.
2. The curl of a second-order tensor  $\mathbf{T}$ , denoted by  $\nabla \times \mathbf{T}$ , is given by (20)

$$(\nabla \times \mathbf{T})_{ij} = \epsilon_{irs} \frac{\partial T_{js}}{\partial x_r}.$$

- (a) If  $\mathbf{S} \in \text{Sym}$ , find an expression for the components of  $\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{S})$ .
- (b) Use this expression to find if (i)  $\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{S})$  is symmetric, and (ii)  $\nabla \cdot [\nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{S})]$  is zero.
- (c) Let  $\mathbf{a}$  be a vector such that  $\nabla^2 \mathbf{a} = -\rho \mathbf{b}$ , where  $\mathbf{b}$  is the body force per unit mass, and let  $\mathbf{S}$  be an arbitrary symmetric tensor. Verify whether the stress tensor  $\boldsymbol{\tau}$  given by

$$\boldsymbol{\tau} = \nabla \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{S}) + (\nabla \mathbf{a}) + (\nabla \mathbf{a})^t - (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{a})\mathbf{I},$$

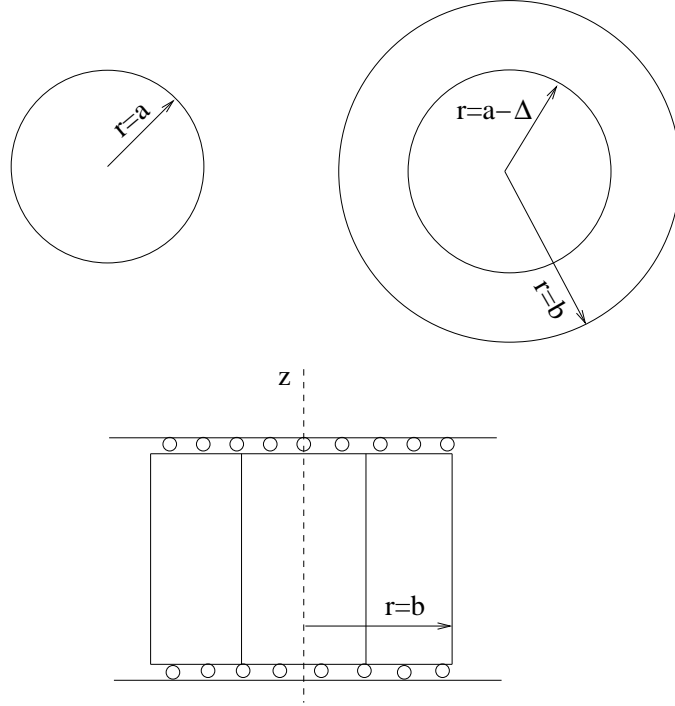


Figure 2: Problem 3.

satisfies the equations of equilibrium and symmetry, i.e., whether it satisfies

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau} + \rho \mathbf{b} &= \mathbf{0}, \\ \boldsymbol{\tau} &= \boldsymbol{\tau}^t.\end{aligned}$$

3. A hollow cylinder of inner radius  $a - \Delta$  and outer radius  $b$  is shrink fitted (30) around a solid cylinder of radius  $a$  as shown in Fig. 2 (the individual cylinders *before* shrinkfitting are shown in the upper part of the figure, and the assembly *after* shrinkfitting is shown in the lower part). Both cylinders are made of the same material. Plane strain conditions are maintained during the shrinkfitting process by constraining the motion along the  $z$ -direction (but *not* along the other directions) as shown in the figure, i.e.,  $u_z = \epsilon_{zz} = 0$ . Assuming the process to be axisymmetric, i.e.,  $u_r = u_r(r)$ , the Navier equations reduce to

$$\frac{d}{dr} \left[ \frac{1}{r} \frac{d(ru_r)}{dr} \right] = 0.$$

- (a) Find a general solution to the above equation.
- (b) Write the appropriate displacement and stress boundary conditions. Assuming  $\Delta$  to be small in comparison to  $a$  and  $b$ , you may state the boundary conditions at  $r = a$  and  $r = b$ . (Hint: Be careful of signs for boundary conditions on  $u_r$ )
- (c) Use the strain-displacement relations  $\epsilon_{rr} = \partial u_r / \partial r$  and  $\epsilon_{\theta\theta} = u_r / r$  (you may assume the other strain components to be zero), and the constitu-

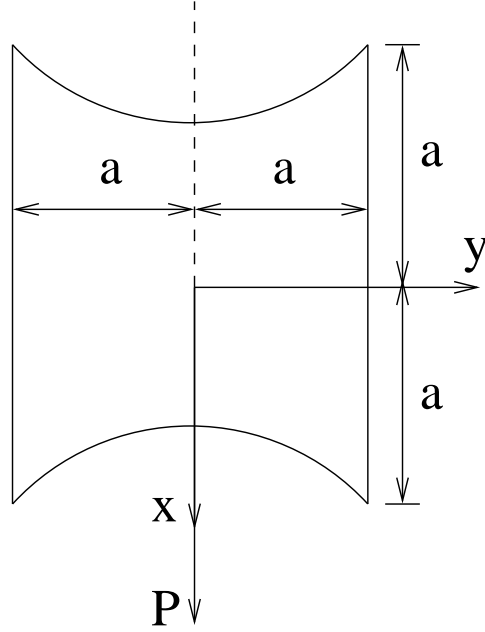


Figure 3: Problem 4.

tive relation  $\boldsymbol{\tau} = \lambda(\text{tr } \boldsymbol{\epsilon})\mathbf{I} + 2\mu\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$  to find expressions for the displacement and stress fields in the solid and hollow cylinders as a function of  $\Delta$  (you *need not* convert  $(\lambda, \mu)$  to  $(E, \nu)$ ).

- (d) Find the *total* axial force  $F_z$  exerted by the top wall on the top surface of the total cylinder.

4. A beam of the doubly symmetric cross section comprised of two vertical sides  $y = \pm a$ , and two hyperbolas  $(1 + \nu)x^2 - \nu y^2 = a^2$  is loaded by a statically equivalent load of  $P$  acting at the centroid and directed along the  $x$ -axis as shown in Fig. 3. (30)

- (a) State with justification (but without mathematical proof), the value of twist at the centroid  $\alpha$ .
- (b) State the value of  $I_{xy}$  (without proof), and use it to find the ‘curvatures’

$$\kappa_x = \frac{I_{xx}W_x + I_{xy}W_y}{E(I_{xx}I_{yy} - I_{xy}^2)}; \quad \kappa_y = \frac{I_{yy}W_y + I_{xy}W_x}{E(I_{xx}I_{yy} - I_{xy}^2)},$$

in terms of  $I_{xx}$  and  $I_{yy}$  (which you need not evaluate).

- (c) Find the functions  $g(x)$  and  $f(y)$  such that the boundary condition

$$\left[ \frac{1}{2}E\kappa_x x^2 - f(y) \right] \frac{dy}{ds} - \left[ \frac{1}{2}E\kappa_y y^2 + g(x) \right] \frac{dx}{ds} = 0$$

is satisfied.

(d) Use the governing differential equation

$$\nabla^2\phi = -2G\nu\kappa_yx - \frac{\partial g}{\partial x} + 2G\nu\kappa_xy - \frac{\partial f}{\partial y},$$

and the appropriate boundary condition to find  $\phi$  (Hint: Take  $\phi = a_1 + a_2x + a_3y$ , and find  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$  and  $a_3$ .)

(e) Find the stresses using the relations

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_{xz} &= \frac{\partial\phi}{\partial y} + f(y) - \frac{1}{2}E\kappa_x x^2, \\ \tau_{yz} &= -\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial x} - g(x) - \frac{1}{2}E\kappa_y y^2,\end{aligned}$$

and find  $(\tau_{xz})_{\max}$ , and the location where it occurs.