

MAE 3315
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SOLUTION HW #5

Problem #1:

Part A:

Assume the corner of the thin-walled section is the origin, the distance between centroid and the original y and z are \bar{y}_c and \bar{z}_c , respectively.

$$\bar{y}_c = \frac{\sum \bar{y}_i A_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{(h/2)(ht) + (0)(ht)}{ht + ht} = \frac{h}{4}$$

$$\bar{z}_c = \frac{\sum \bar{z}_i A_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{(0)(ht) + (h/2)(ht)}{ht + ht} = \frac{h}{4}$$

To calculate the inertia of the cross-section, we need to,

we can neglect this term because $t \ll h$

$$I_y = \frac{\cancel{(h)(t)^3}}{12} + (ht)(h/4)^2 + \frac{\cancel{(t)(h)^3}}{12} + (ht)(h/4)^2 = \frac{h^3 t}{16} + \frac{h^3 t}{12} + \frac{h^3 t}{16} = \boxed{\frac{5}{24} h^3 t}$$

$$I_z = \frac{\cancel{(t)(h)^3}}{12} + (ht)(h/4)^2 + \frac{\cancel{(h)(t)^3}}{12} + (ht)(h/4)^2 = \frac{h^3 t}{12} + \frac{h^3 t}{16} + \frac{h^3 t}{16} = \boxed{\frac{5}{24} h^3 t}$$

$$I_{yz} = \int yz dA = \int_{A1} yz dA + \int_{A2} yz dA = -\frac{h^3 t}{16} + -\frac{h^3 t}{16} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{8} h^3 t}$$

where,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{A1} yz dA &= \int_{-z_c}^{h-z_c} y_c z t dz = y_c t \left(\frac{z^2}{2} \right) \Big|_{-z_c}^{h-z_c} = y_c t \left(\frac{z^2}{2} \right) \Big|_{-h/4}^{3h/4} \\ &= -\frac{h}{4} t \left(\frac{(3h/4)^2}{2} - \frac{(-h/4)^2}{2} \right) = -\frac{h}{4} t \left(\frac{9h^2}{32} - \frac{h^2}{32} \right) = -\frac{h^3 t}{16} \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{A2} yz dA = \int_{-y_c}^{h-y_c} z_c y t dy = z_c t \left(\frac{y^2}{2} \right) \Big|_{-y_c}^{h-y_c} = z_c t \left(\frac{y^2}{2} \right) \Big|_{-h/4}^{3h/4} =$$

$$= -\frac{h}{4} t \left(\frac{(3h/4)^2}{2} - \frac{(-h/4)^2}{2} \right) = -\frac{h}{4} t \left(\frac{9h^2}{32} - \frac{h^2}{32} \right) = -\frac{h^3 t}{16}$$

IMPORTANT NOTE: Please, realize this is not the only way to calculate I_{yz} . This is only to illustrate the way to calculate it through integration. However, the best way to calculate I_{yz} is the following,

$$I_{yz} = \sum_i A_i y_i z_i = (ht) \left(-\frac{h}{4} \right) \left(\frac{h}{4} \right) + (ht) \left(\frac{h}{4} \right) \left(-\frac{h}{4} \right) = \left(-\frac{h^3 t}{16} \right) + \left(-\frac{h^3 t}{16} \right) = \boxed{-\frac{1}{8} h^3 t}$$

Finally, to calculate the neutral axis,

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{I_y M_z - I_{yz} M_y}{I_z M_y - I_{yz} M_z}$$

However, $M_z = 0$.

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{-I_{yz} M_y}{I_z M_y}$$

As a result, the M_y 's cancel each other.

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{-I_{yz}}{I_z} = \frac{-(-1/8(h^3 t))}{5/24(h^3 t)} = \frac{24}{40} = \frac{3}{5}$$

And,

$$\alpha = \text{ArcTan}(3/5) = \boxed{31^\circ} \quad [\text{CLOCKWISE}]$$

NOTE: The way the book define positive α is clockwise; therefore, we should be careful with that.

In addition, the stress distribution can be calculated using the following equation all over the cross-section.

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{I_y M_z - I_{yz} M_y}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} y + \frac{I_z M_y - I_{yz} M_z}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} z$$

Again, $M_z = 0$. Therefore,

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{-I_{yz} M_y}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} y + \frac{I_z M_y}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} z$$

Part B:

Now, we need to rotate the cross-section 45° counterclockwise.

$$\begin{cases} I_{y'} = I_y \cos^2(\theta) + I_z \sin^2(\theta) + 2I_{yz} \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta) \\ I_{z'} = I_y \sin^2(\theta) + I_z \cos^2(\theta) - 2I_{yz} \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta) \\ I_{y'z'} = I_y \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta) - I_z \sin(\theta) \cos(\theta) + I_{yz} [\cos^2(\theta) - \sin^2(\theta)] \end{cases}$$

Substituting,

$$I_{y'} = I_y \cos^2(45) + I_z \sin^2(45) + 2I_{yz} \sin(45) \cos(45)$$

$$I_{y'} = \left(\frac{5}{24} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{24} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 + 2 \left(-\frac{1}{8} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2$$

$$I_{y'} = \frac{1}{12} h^3 t$$

$$I_{z'} = I_y \sin^2(45) + I_z \cos^2(45) - 2I_{yz} \sin(45) \cos(45)$$

$$I_{z'} = \left(\frac{5}{24} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{24} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 - 2 \left(-\frac{1}{8} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2$$

$$I_{z'} = \frac{1}{3} h^3 t$$

$$I_{y'z'} = I_y \sin(45) \cos(45) - I_z \sin(45) \cos(45) + I_{yz} [\cos^2(45) - \sin^2(45)]$$

$$I_{y'z'} = \left(\frac{5}{24} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{5}{24} h^3 t \right) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^2$$

$$I_{y'z'} = 0$$

Problem #2:

Part A:

Assume lower-left stringer is the origin; we can obtain the centroid as,

$$\bar{y}_c = \frac{\sum \bar{y}_i A_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{(2)(200) + (1)(200)}{4 + 2 + 1 + 4} = 54.5455 \text{ cm}$$

$$\bar{z}_c = \frac{\sum \bar{z}_i A_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{(1)(50) + (4)(100)}{4 + 2 + 1 + 4} = 40.9091 \text{ cm}$$

To calculate the moment of inertia,

$$I_y = \sum_i A_i z_i^2 = (4)(40.9091)^2 + (2)(40.9091)^2 + (1)(50 - 40.9091)^2 + (4)(100 - 40.9091)^2 = 24090.909 \text{ cm}^4$$

$$I_z = \sum_i A_i y_i^2 = (4)(54.5455)^2 + (2)(200 - 54.5455)^2 + (1)(200 - 54.5455)^2 + (4)(54.5455)^2 = 87272.727 \text{ cm}^4$$

$$I_{yz} = \sum_i A_i y_i z_i = (4)(-54.5455)(-40.9091) + (2)(200 - 54.5455)(-40.9091) + (1)(200 - 54.5455)(50 - 40.9091) + (4)(54.5455)(-100 + 40.9091) = -14545.455 \text{ cm}^4$$

Now to calculate the bending stress in the stringers,

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{I_y M_z - I_{yz} M_y}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} y + \frac{I_z M_y - I_{yz} M_z}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} z$$
$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{(24090.909)(200,000) - (-14545.455)(-500,000)}{(24090.909)(87272.727) - (-14545.455)^2} y + \frac{(87272.727)(-500,000) - (-14545.455)(200,000)}{(24090.909)(87272.727) - (-14545.455)^2} z$$

$$\sigma_{xx} = -1.298077y - 21.538461z$$

Therefore, the bending stress in each stringer is:

y_i (cm)	z_i (cm)	σ_{xx} (N/cm ²)
-54.5455	-40.9091	951.923
145.4545	-40.9091	692.308
145.4545	9.09091	-384.615
-54.5455	59.09091	-1201.923

Part B:

To calculate the neutral axis,

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{I_y M_z - I_{yz} M_y}{I_z M_y - I_{yz} M_z}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{(24090.909)(200,000) - (-14545.455)(-500,000)}{(87272.727)(-500,000) - (-14545.455)(200,000)}$$

$$\alpha = \text{ArcTan}(0.0602679)$$

$$\alpha = \boxed{3.45^\circ} \quad [\text{CLOCKWISE}]$$

Problem #3:

As usually, first we need to find the centroid. Let's assume lower-left string is the origin.

$$\bar{y}_c = \frac{\sum \bar{y}_i A_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{(80)(4) + (0)(4)}{4 + 4 + 4} = 26.6667 \text{ cm}$$

$$\bar{z}_c = \frac{\sum \bar{z}_i A_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{(0)(4) + (40)(4)}{4 + 4 + 4} = 13.3333 \text{ cm}$$

To calculate the moments of bending,

$$M_y = -2PL = -2(200)(500) = -200,000 \text{ Ncm}$$

$$M_z = -2PL = -2(200)(500) = -200,000 \text{ Ncm}$$

Remember that M_y is positive on positive "y" direction. Therefore, in this problem, M_y should be negative because is pointing in the negative "y" direction. On the other hand, M_z is positive on negative "z" direction. Therefore, for this problem M_z should be negative because is pointing in the positive "z" direction.

Then, we can calculate the moment of inertia,

$$I_y = \sum_i A_i z_i^2 = (4)(13.3333)^2 + (4)(13.3333)^2 + (4)(40 - 13.3333)^2 = 4266.6667 \text{ cm}^4$$

$$I_z = \sum_i A_i y_i^2 = (4)(26.6667)^2 + (4)(80 - 26.6667)^2 + (4)(26.6667)^2 = 17066.6667 \text{ cm}^4$$

$$I_{yz} = \sum_i A_i y_i z_i = (4)(-26.6667)(-13.3333) + (4)(-80 + 26.6667)(13.3333) + (4)(-26.6667)(40 - 13.3333) = -4266.6667 \text{ cm}^4$$

The bending stresses in the stringers are,

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{I_y M_z - I_{yz} M_y}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} y + \frac{I_z M_y - I_{yz} M_z}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} z$$

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{(4266.6667)(-200,000) - (-4266.6667)(-200,000)}{(4266.6667)(17066.66667) - (-4266.6667)^2} y + \frac{(17066.66667)(-200,000) - (-4266.6667)(-200,000)}{(4266.6667)(17066.66667) - (-4266.6667)^2} z$$

$$\sigma_{xx} = -31.2500y - 78.1250z$$

Therefore, the bending stress in each stringer is,

y_i (cm)	z_i (cm)	σ_{xx} (N/cm ²)
-26.6667	26.6667	-1250.00
-26.6667	-13.3333	1875.00
53.3333	-13.3333	-625.00

Finally, to calculate the neutral axis,

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{I_y M_z - I_{yz} M_y}{I_z M_y - I_{yz} M_z}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{(4266.6667)(-200,000) - (-4266.6667)(-200,000)}{(17066.66667)(-200,000) - (-4266.6667)(-200,000)}$$

$$\alpha = \text{ArcTan}(0.4)$$

$$\alpha = \boxed{21.8^\circ} \quad [\text{CLOCKWISE}]$$

Problem # 4:

(Area) x (Number of Stringers)

$$\bar{z}_c = \frac{\sum A_i z_i}{\sum A_i}$$

z-position with respect to the centroid

$$I_{yy} = \sum A_i z_i^2$$

Stresses on each stringer

$$\sigma = \frac{M_y z_i}{I_{yy}}$$

#	z _{ref} -position (mm)	Number of Stringers	Area (mm ²)	Total Area (mm ²)	A _i *z _{ref} /A _{total}	z-position (mm)	I _{yy} (mm ⁴)	σ (Pa)
1	1200	1	640	640	73.9884	661.5414	280087717	35,669,939
2	1140	2	600	1200	131.7919	601.5414	434222504	32,434,773
3	960	2	600	1200	110.9827	421.5414	213236608	22,729,275
4	768	2	600	1200	88.7861	229.5414	63227119	12,376,744
5	565	2	620	1240	67.4952	26.5414	873515	1,431,099
6	336	2	640	1280	41.4335	-202.4586	52466527	-10,916,452
7	144	2	640	1280	17.7572	-394.4586	199164885	-21,268,983
8	38	2	850	1700	6.2235	-500.4586	425779934	-26,984,443
9	0	1	640	640	0.0000	-538.4586	185560087	-29,033,381

$$A_{total} = 10380$$

$$z_{bar} = 538.4586$$

$$I_{yy} = 1854618897 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$I_{yy} = 0.00185462 \text{ m}^4$$

Total I_{yy}

This is z

Summation of all the Total Areas