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(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to VTU, Belagavi)

First Semester, M.Tech. - Civil Engineering (MCAD)

Semester End Examination; April / July - 2021

Continuum Mechanics - Classical and FE Approach

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Course Outcome

The Students will be able to:

CO1: Understand the concept of stresses and analyze the various mathematical operations involved in analyzing stresses in 2D and 3D problems in Cartesian and polar coordinates.

CO2: Apply the concept of strain at a point and to get acquainted with the various mathematical operations involved in analyzing strains in 2D and 3D problems in Cartesian and polar coordinates.

CO3: Develop general stress strain relations and understand its application in various cases.

CO4: Apply the basic principles of theory of plasticity to understanding the plastic behaviour of materials and theories of failure.

Note: I) Answer any **FIVE** full questions, selecting **ONE** full question from each unit.

II) Any **THREE** units will have internal choice and remaining **TWO** unit questions are compulsory.

III) Each unit carries 20 marks. **IV)** Missing data, if any, may suitably be assumed.

Q. No.	Questions	Marks	BLs	COs	POs
UNIT - I		20			
1 a.	Derive Strain-stress relations and stress-strain relations for a three dimensional state of stress. Also derive relationship between bulk modulus and young's modulus.	12	L3	CO1	PO1
b.	For what values of a and b will be the following stress distribution represents an equilibrium state. If the body forces are constant. $\sigma_x = 20x^2y$ $\sigma_y = ay^3$ $\tau_{xy} = bxy^2$	08	L3	CO1	PO1
OR					
1 c.	Derive the equation of equilibrium for two dimensional problems in polar coordinates.	10	L3	CO1	PO2
d.	Find the magnitude and direction of principal stresses with the following data:	10	L1	CO1	PO2
	i) $\sigma_x = 30 \text{ MPa}$, $\tau_{xy} = 60 \text{ MPa}$				
	ii) $\sigma_x = 60 \text{ MPa}$, $\sigma_y = 30 \text{ MPa}$ $\tau_{xy} = 50 \text{ MPa}$				
UNIT - II		20			
2 a.	Consider the displacement field, $u = 0.05 y^2$, $v = 0.04 yz$ and $w = 0.04 + 0.06 x^2z$. What are the rectangular strain components at the point P (2, -2, -1). Use only linear terms.	10	L2	CO2	PO2
b.	Show that $\tau_{xy} = \tau_{yx}$, $\tau_{yz} = \tau_{zy}$ and $\tau_{xz} = \tau_{zx}$ as complementary shear stresses	10	L1	CO2	PO2

OR

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2 c. The strain component at a point is given by,

$$\epsilon_x = 0.02, \quad \epsilon_y = 0.02 \quad \epsilon_z = 0.01$$

$$\gamma_{xy} = 0.03 \quad \gamma_{yz} = 0.04 \quad \gamma_{xy} = 0.04$$

8 L1 CO2 PO2

Determine the normal and shearing strains on the Octahedral plane.

d. Derive the expression for the normal and tangential components of strain at a given point along desired directions where the strain components ϵ_x, ϵ_y and γ_{xy} are known.

12 L2 CO3 PO2

UNIT - III

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3 a. Derive the compatibility equation for plane strain problem in Cartesian coordinate system.

12 L2 CO2 PO1

b. Explain plane stress and plane strain with examples.

08 L2 CO2 PO1

OR

c. Using stress function in the form of a polynomial of fourth degree. Plot a stress on rectangular plate of size $2C \times L$.

10 L3 CO3 PO2

d. Show that $\sigma_x = -\frac{Pxy}{I}$, $\sigma_y = 0$ and $\tau_{xy} = -\frac{P}{2I}(C^2 - y^2)$ are the expression for the stresses components is solving a problem for a narrow cantilever of span "L" with rectangular cross section under an end load P.

10 L3 CO3 PO2

UNIT - IV

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4. For a plate having a small circular hole in the middle and subjected to uniform tensile stress in the horizontal direction. Find the corresponding stress components. Also find the stress concentration at the edge of the hole.

20 L4 CO4 PO3

UNIT - V

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5. Find the shape function at point P as shown in Fig. 5. Also find the stiffness matrix for the triangular element. Assume plane stress condition constant thickness t equal to 1 unit and poisson ratio = 0.3.

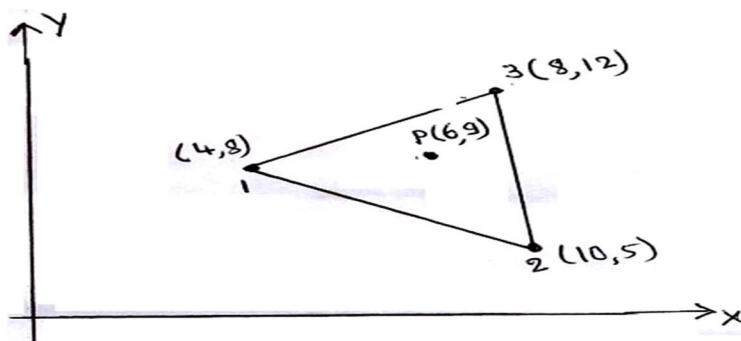


Fig. 5

20 L4 CO4 PO3