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**ME 323 - Mechanics of Materials  
Final Exam**

**Date: December 9, 2019, Time: 3:30 – 5:30 PM**

**Instructions:**

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The only authorized exam calculator is the TI-30XIIS or the TI-30Xa.

Begin each problem in the space provided on the examination sheets.

Work on **ONE SIDE** of each sheet only, with only one problem on a sheet.

Please remember that for you to obtain maximum credit for a problem, you must present your solution clearly. Accordingly,

- coordinate systems must be clearly identified,
- free body diagrams must be shown,
- units must be stated,
- write down clarifying remarks,
- state your assumptions, etc.

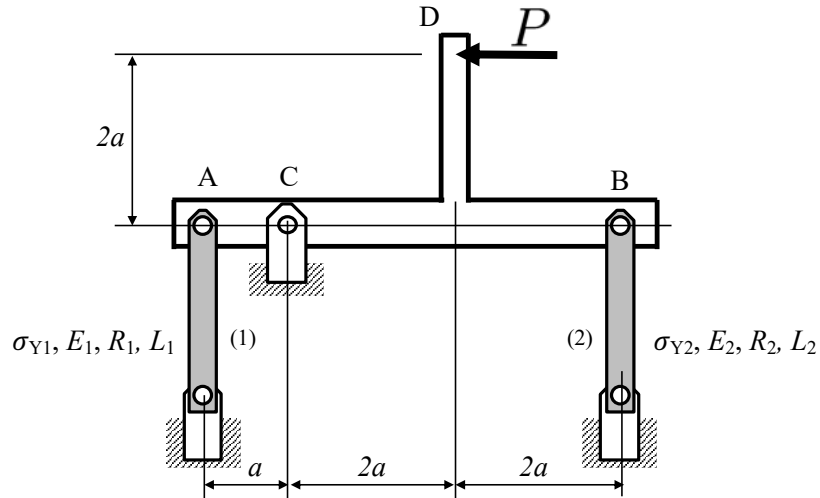
If your solution cannot be followed, **it will be assumed that it is in error.**

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**PROBLEM #1 (20 Points):**

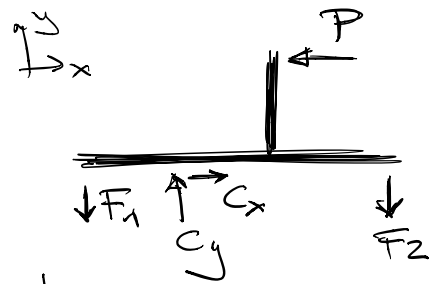
Two elastic elements (1) and (2) are connected to ends A and B of a rigid inverted T-shaped bar. Each elastic member has a Young's modulus  $E$ , circular cross section of radius  $R$ , length  $L$ , and yield stress  $\sigma_Y$ . The rigid bar is pinned at C and a load  $P$  is applied at end D, as shown in the figure.

- Assuming both elastic elements are under tension, draw a free body diagram of the rigid T-shaped bar.
- Write the equilibrium equations for the rigid T-shaped bar and the compatibility condition(s) that relate the elongation of the elastic elements (1) and (2).
- Determine the axial force on elastic elements (1) and (2) as a function of material properties ( $E_1$  and  $E_2$ ), geometric parameters ( $R_1, R_2, L_1, L_2, a$ ), and  $P$ .
- For  $P > 0$ , indicate whether elements (1) and (2) are under compression or tension.
- Determine the smallest positive force  $P$  that will induce elastic buckling on the assembly and indicate whether it will be on element (1) or (2). Express your result in terms of material properties ( $E_1$  and  $E_2$ ) and geometric parameters ( $R_1, R_2, L_1, L_2, a$ ).
- Determine the smallest negative force  $P$  that will induce ductile failure on the assembly and indicate whether it will be on element (1) or (2). Express your result in terms of material properties ( $E_1, E_2, \sigma_{Y1}, \sigma_{Y2}$ ) and geometric parameters ( $R_1, R_2, L_1, L_2, a$ ).

Note: Use the maximum-distortion-energy theory.

\* F.B.D. & Equilibrium

$$\begin{aligned}\sum F_y = 0 &\Rightarrow C_y = F_1 + F_2 \\ \sum F_x = 0 &\Rightarrow C_x = P \\ (\sum M)_c = 0 &\Rightarrow P \cdot 2a + F_1 \cdot a \\ &= F_2 \cdot 4a\end{aligned}$$



Assuming both members under tension

\* Compatibility conditions.

$$e_1/a = -e_2/4a \Rightarrow 4e_1 = -e_2$$

$$e_1 = \frac{F_1 L_1}{E_1 A_1}; e_2 = \frac{F_2 L_2}{E_2 A_2}$$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{\pi R^4}{4}$$

\* Axial forces:

$$\frac{4F_1 L_1}{E_1 A_1} = -\frac{F_2 L_2}{E_2 A_2} \Rightarrow 4F_1 = -F_2 \quad \& \text{ equilibrium} \Rightarrow 2P + F_1 = -16F_1$$

$$F_1 = -2P/17 < 0 \Rightarrow F_2 = 8P/17 > 0$$

compression                      tension

\* (1) under compression  $\Rightarrow$  buckling

$$P_{in-pin} \Rightarrow P_{cr} = \frac{\pi^2 E I_s}{L^2} \Rightarrow \frac{\pi^2 E \pi R^4}{4 L^2} = 2P/17 \Rightarrow P = \frac{17 \pi^2 E R^4}{8 L^2}$$

\* The member with the largest force will yield  $\Rightarrow$  Member (2)

$$\sigma_M = \sigma_y \text{ with } \sigma_M = \frac{F_2}{\pi R^2} \text{ then } \sigma_y = \frac{8P}{17 \pi R^2} \Rightarrow P = \frac{17 \pi R^2 \sigma_y}{8}$$

**PROBLEM #2 (25 points)**

An angled wrench ABC is fixed to the ground at A. The wrench is aligned along the  $xz$  plane as shown in the Figure 2A, such that the AB is along the  $x$  axis and BC is along the  $z$  axis. Two point-forces of the same magnitude  $P$ , **one in the negative  $x$  direction and the other in the positive  $y$  direction**, are applied at the end C. The segment AB has a circular cross section of the radius  $r$  as shown in Figure 2B. The length of AB and BC are  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively.

- Determine the resultant load (forces and moments) on the cross section at the ground due to the applied forces at C.
- Determine the state of stress at point M located on the cross section at the ground. Show the non-zero stresses on the given stress element.
- Determine the state of stress at point N located on the cross section at the ground. Show the non-zero stresses on the given stress element.

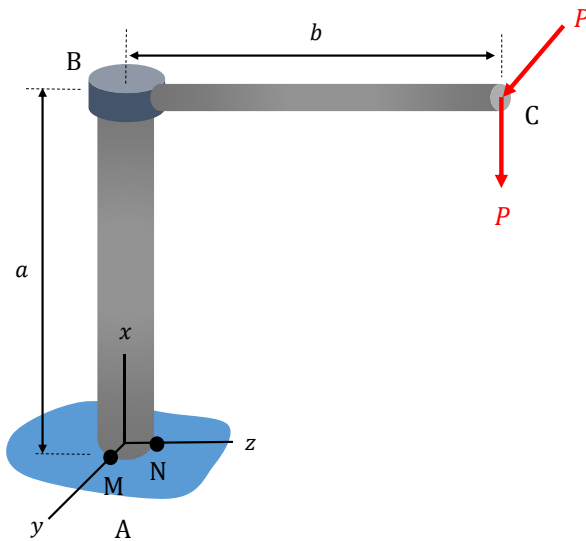


Figure 2A

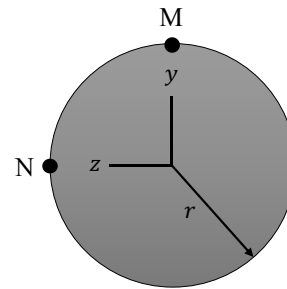


Figure 2B

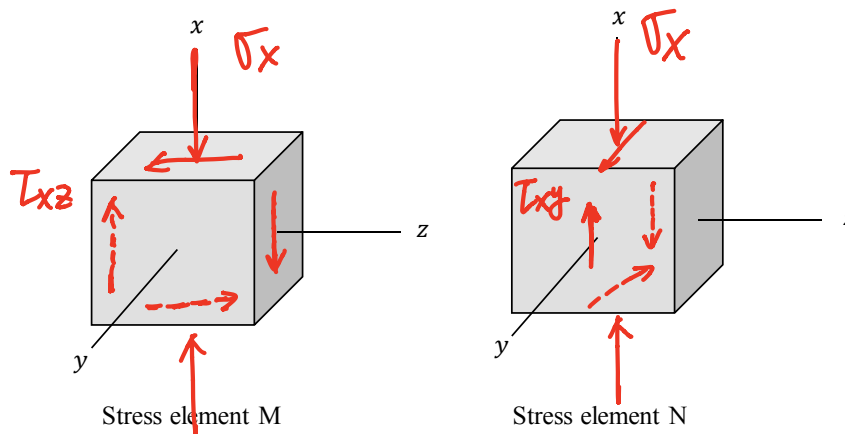


Figure 2C

Resultant load on the cross section at ground (+x face):

$$\vec{F} = -P\hat{i} + P\hat{j} + 0\hat{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{M} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F} &= (a\hat{i} + b\hat{j}) \times (-P\hat{i} + P\hat{j}) \\ &= Pa\hat{k} - Pb\hat{j} - Pb\hat{i}\end{aligned}$$

Load	Stress at M	Stress at N
$F_x = -P$	$\sigma_x = -\frac{P}{\pi r^2}$	$\sigma_x = -\frac{P}{\pi r^2}$
$F_y = P$	$\tau_{xy} = 0$	$\tau_{xy} = \frac{4P}{3\pi r^2}$
$F_z = 0$	$\tau_{xz} = 0$	$\tau_{xz} = 0$
$M_x = -Pb$ (torque)	$\tau_{xz} = -\frac{Pb \cdot r}{\pi r^4/2} = -\frac{2Pb}{\pi r^3}$	$\tau_{xy} = +\frac{Pb \cdot r}{\pi r^4/2} = \frac{2Pb}{\pi r^3}$
$M_y = -Pb$	$\sigma_x = 0$	$\sigma_x = -\frac{Pb \cdot r}{\pi r^4/4} = -\frac{4Pb}{\pi r^3}$
$M_z = Pa$	$\sigma_x = -\frac{Pa \cdot r}{\pi r^4/4} = -\frac{4Pa}{\pi r^3}$	$\sigma_x = 0$
M:	$\sigma_x = -\frac{P}{\pi r^2} - \frac{4Pa}{\pi r^3}$	$\tau_{xz} = -\frac{2Pb}{\pi r^3}$
N:	$\sigma_x = -\frac{P}{\pi r^2} - \frac{4Pb}{\pi r^3}$	$\tau_{xy} = \frac{2Pb}{\pi r^3} + \frac{4P}{3\pi r^2}$

**PROBLEM #3 (25 points)**

A point A on the structure in Figure 3A is subjected to in-plane stresses as shown in Figure 3B.

- (a) Use the stress element in Figure 3B to draw the **Mohr's circle** on the attached graph paper.
- (b) Use the **Mohr's circle** to calculate:
- The principal stresses in the X-Y plane.
  - The maximum in-plane shear stress.
  - The absolute maximum shear stress.
  - The angle of rotation from the X-axis to the direction of the in-plane principal stress  $\sigma_{p1}$ .
  - Draw a stress element to show the in-plane principal stresses correctly orientated with respect to the X axis
- (c) Determine the normal and shear stresses in the X'-Y' directions, draw a stress element to show the calculated stresses, and mark the state of stress in the X'-Y' directions on the Mohr's circle. Note: The X' axis is oriented at  $45^\circ$  from the X axis as shown in Figure 3A.

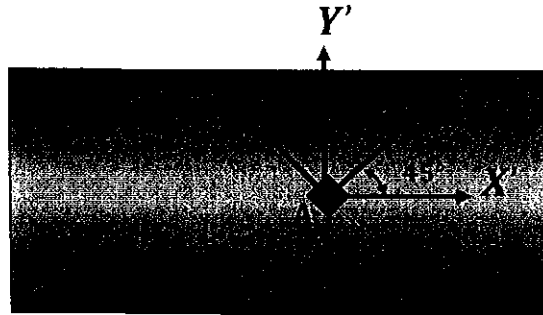


Figure 3A: Structure with element A

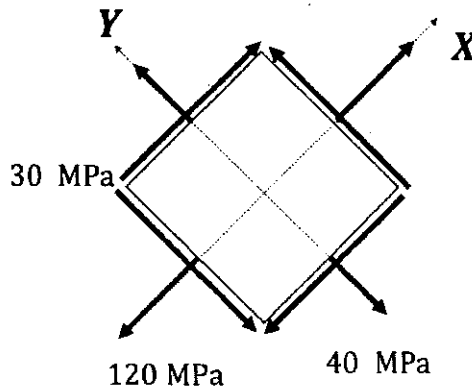
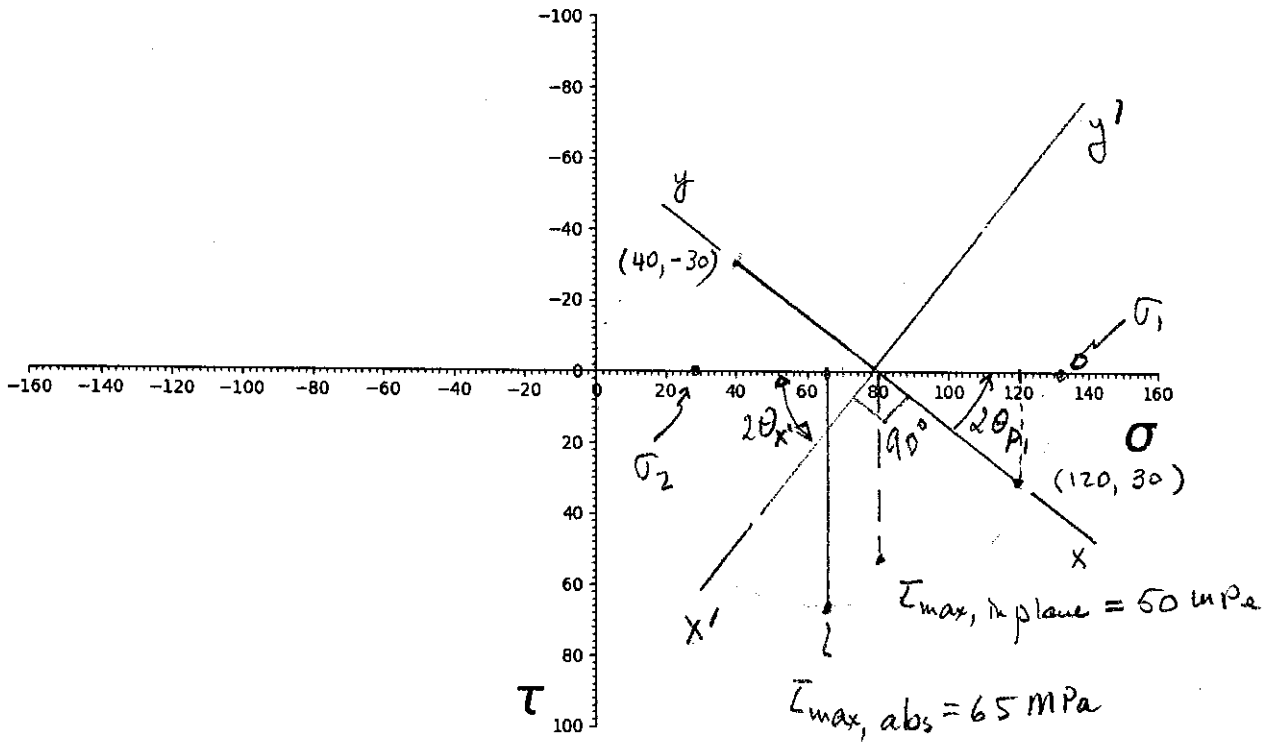


Figure 3B: Stress element A

SOLUTION



$$\sigma_{av} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} = \frac{120 + 40}{2} = 80 \text{ MPa}$$

$$R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{120 - 40}{2}\right)^2 + (30)^2} = 50 \text{ MPa}$$

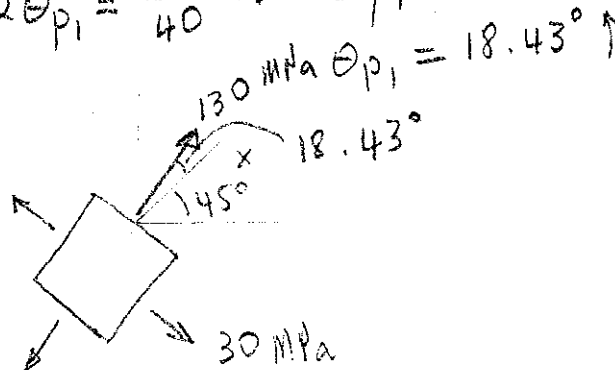
$$\sigma_1 = \sigma_{av} + R = 80 + 50 = 130 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = \sigma_{av} - R = 80 - 50 = 30 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tau_{max, in\ plane} = R = 50 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tau_{max, abs} = \frac{\sigma_1}{2} = \frac{130}{2} = 65 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tan 2\theta_{p_1} = \frac{30}{40} \Rightarrow 2\theta_{p_1} = 36.87^\circ$$

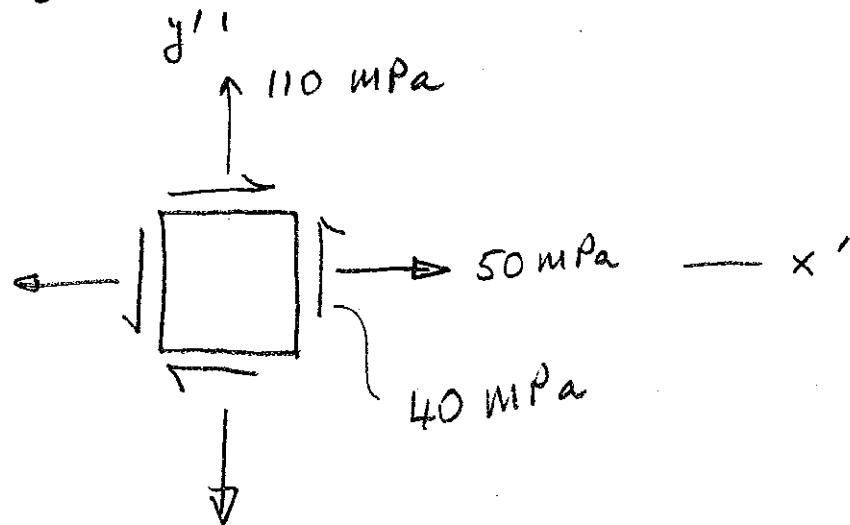


$$\begin{aligned}
 (c) \quad 2\theta_{x'} &= 90^\circ - 2\theta_{p_1} \\
 &= 90^\circ - 36.87^\circ = 53.13^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_{x'} &= \sigma_{av} - R \cos 53.13^\circ \\
 &= 80 - 50 \cos 53.13^\circ = 50 \text{ MPa}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\tau_{x'y'} = R \sin 53.13^\circ = 50 \sin 53.13^\circ = 40 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sigma_{y'} &= \sigma_{av} + R \cos 53.13^\circ \\
 &= 80 + 50 \cos 53.13^\circ = 110 \text{ MPa}
 \end{aligned}$$





**PROBLEM #4 (25 Points):**

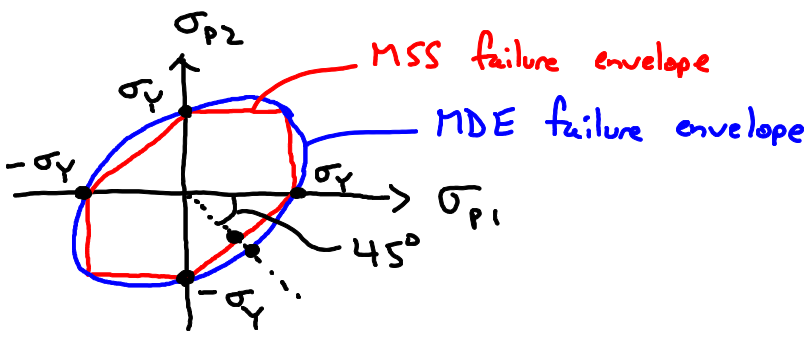
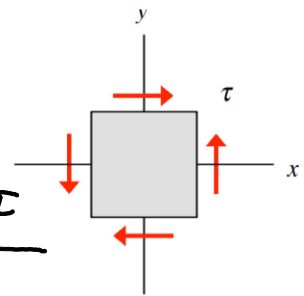
**PART A – 5 points**

(i) For the state of stress shown below,  $\sigma_x = \sigma_y = 0$  and  $\tau_{xy} = \tau$ . Let  $\tau_{MSS}$  and  $\tau_{MDE}$  be the values of  $\tau$  required to cause yielding based on the maximum shear stress and maximum distortional energy theories, respectively. The yield strength of the ductile material is  $\sigma_Y$ .

Circle the answer that best describes the relative sizes of  $\tau_{MSS}$  and  $\tau_{MDE}$ .

- (a)  $\tau_{MSS} > \tau_{MDE}$
- (b)  $\tau_{MSS} = \tau_{MDE}$
- (c)  $\tau_{MSS} < \tau_{MDE}$

$\sigma_{avg} = 0$   
 $R = \sqrt{0^2 + \tau^2} = \tau$   
 $\Rightarrow \sigma_{p1} = \tau, \sigma_{p2} = -\tau$

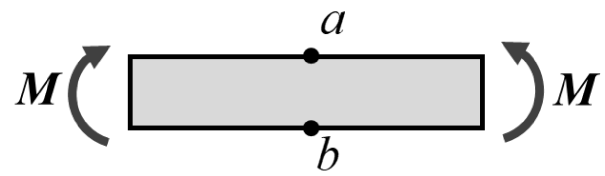


Since  $|\sigma_{p1}| = |\sigma_{p2}|$  and  $\sigma_{p1} > 0 > \sigma_{p2}$ ,  
 we are on a 45° line in the  
 4<sup>th</sup> quadrant (see plot to the left)  
 $\Rightarrow \tau_{MSS} < \tau_{MDE}$

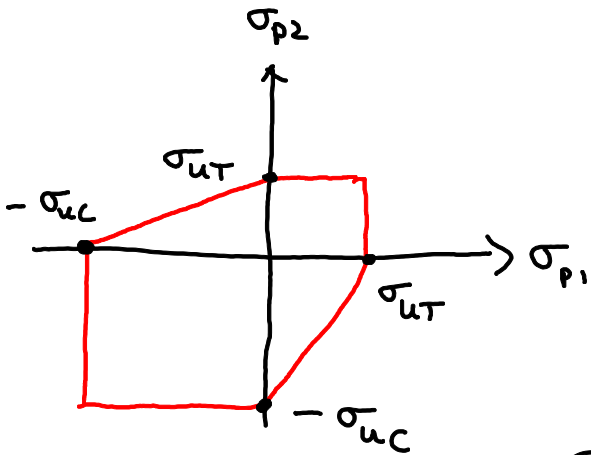
(ii) The beam shown below has a square cross section and is made of a brittle material where the ultimate compressive strength is **larger** than the ultimate tensile strength. The beam is subjected to a bending moment  $M > 0$  as shown below. Let  $M_a$  and  $M_b$  be the values of the bending moment required to cause brittle failure at points  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively, based on **Mohr's failure criterion**.

Circle the answer that best describes the relative sizes of  $M_a$  and  $M_b$ .

- (a)  $M_a > M_b$
- (b)  $M_a = M_b$
- (c)  $M_a < M_b$



(ii)  $\sigma_{x,a} < 0$  ,  $\sigma_{x,b} > 0$  , and  $|\sigma_{x,a}| = |\sigma_{x,b}|$



at a:  $\sigma_{p1} = 0$  ,  $\sigma_{p2} = \sigma_{x,a} < 0$

$\Rightarrow$  failure at a when  $\underline{\sigma_{x,a} = -\sigma_{uc}}$

at b:  $\sigma_{p1} = \sigma_{x,b} > 0$  ,  $\sigma_{p2} = 0$

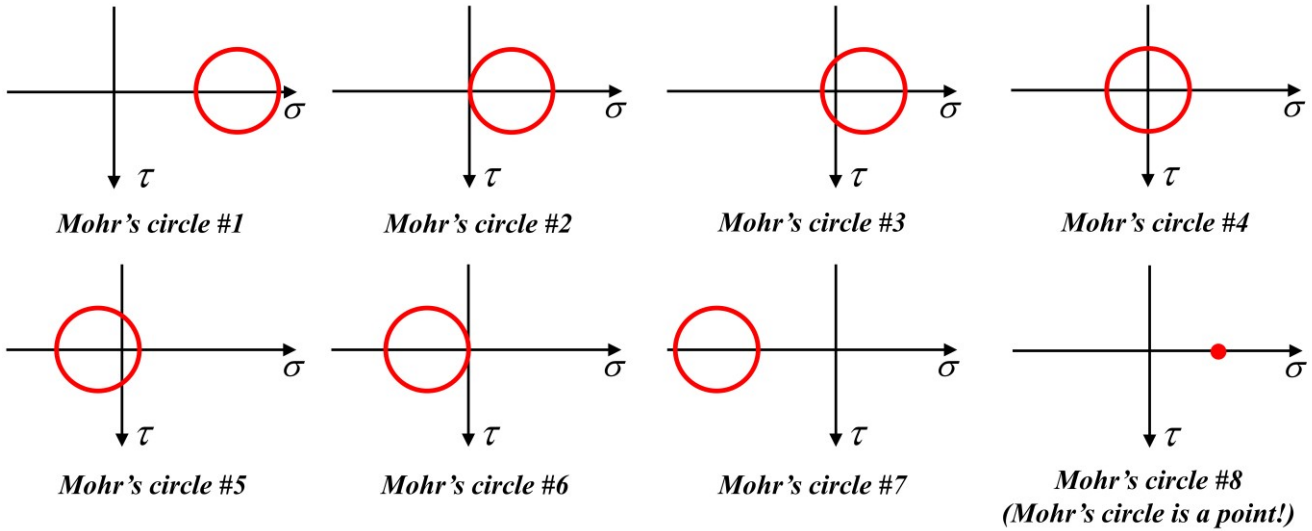
$\Rightarrow$  failure at b when  $\underline{\sigma_{x,b} = \sigma_{ut}}$

Since  $\sigma_{uc} > \sigma_{ut}$  ,  $\boxed{M_a > M_b}$

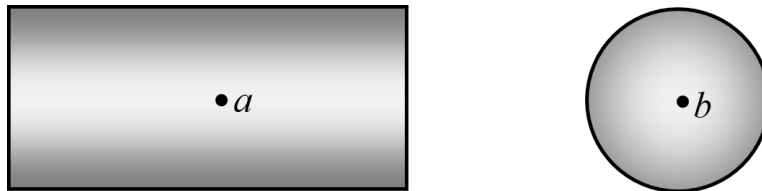
**PROBLEM #4 (cont.):**

**PART B – 10 points**

Questions (i) and (ii) in Part B refer to the eight Mohr's circles shown below.



(i) The cylindrical and spherical thin-walled pressure vessels are each subjected to an internal pressure. Point *a* is on the surface of the cylindrical pressure vessel. Point *b* is on the surface of the spherical pressure vessel.



Circle the number of the **correct in-plane Mohr's circle** for the state of stress at:

- Point *a*:     #1    #2    #3    #4    #5    #6    #7    #8
- Point *b*:    #1    #2    #3    #4    #5    #6    #7     #8

*a*:

$\sigma_{p1} = \sigma_h > 0$      $\sigma_{p2} = \sigma_a = \frac{\sigma_h}{2} > 0 \Rightarrow$   #1

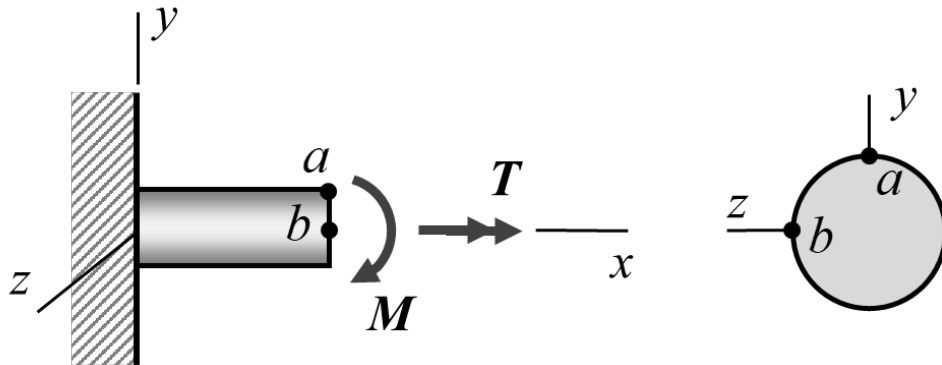
*b*:

$\sigma_{p1} = \sigma_{p2} = \sigma_s \Rightarrow$   #8

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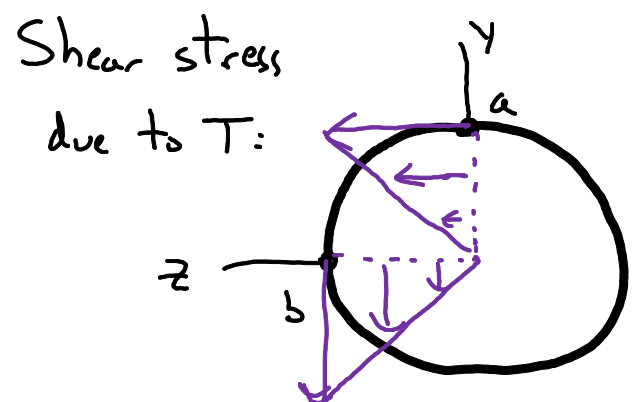
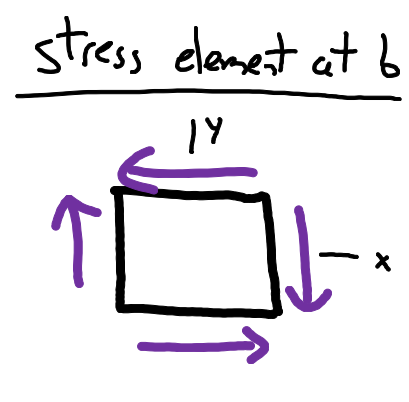
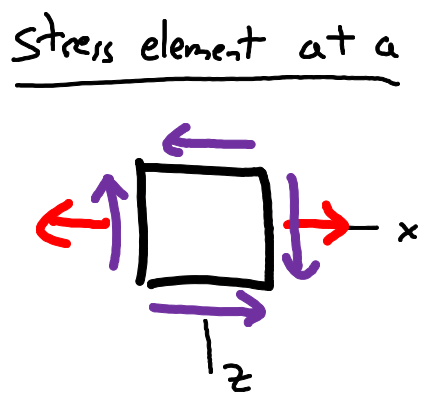
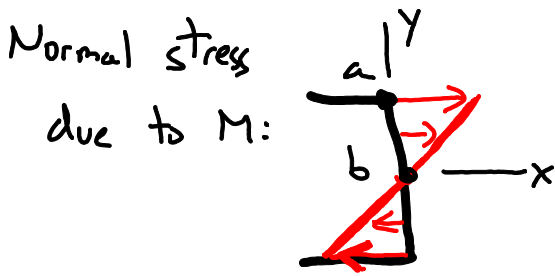
**PART B (cont.)**

(ii) At a cut in the circular rod shown below, the internal resultant loads are determined to be a bending moment  $M$  about the negative  $z$ -axis and a torque  $T$  about the positive  $x$ -axis.



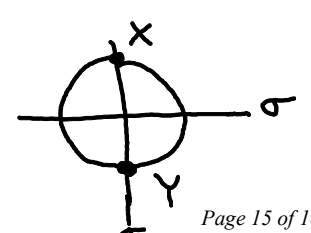
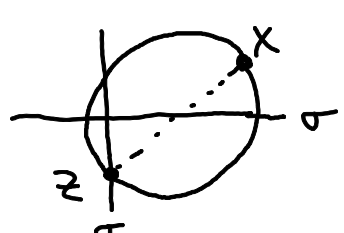
Circle the number of the **correct in-plane Mohr's circle** for the state of stress at:

- Point  $a$ : #1 #2 **#3** #4 #5 #6 #7 #8
- Point  $b$ : #1 #2 #3 **#4** #5 #6 #7 #8

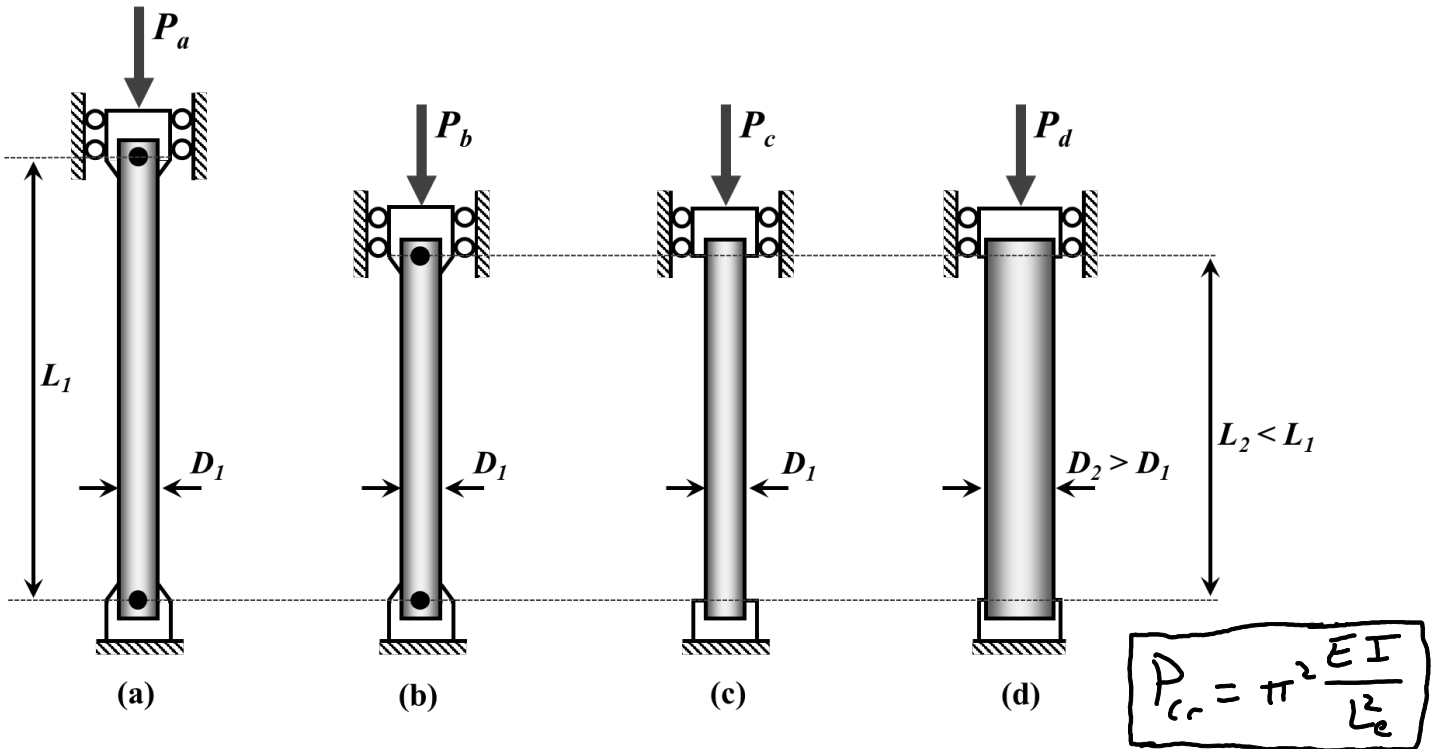


$\sigma_{x,a} > 0$   
 $\sigma_{z,a} = 0$   
 $\tau_{xz,a} > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  **#3**

$\sigma_{x,b} = \sigma_{y,b} = 0$   
 $\tau_{xy,b} < 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  **#4**



**PART C – 6 points**



Solid cylindrical columns (a), (b), (c), and (d) are made of the same material with Young's modulus  $E$ . A compressive axial load is applied to each column. Let  $P_{a,cr}$ ,  $P_{b,cr}$ ,  $P_{c,cr}$ , and  $P_{d,cr}$  represent the critical buckling loads for columns (a), (b), (c), and (d), respectively, according to Euler's buckling theory.

Rank order the critical buckling loads for each column from 1 to 4, where 1 represents the *largest* critical buckling load, and 4 represents the *smallest* critical buckling load, on the lines below.

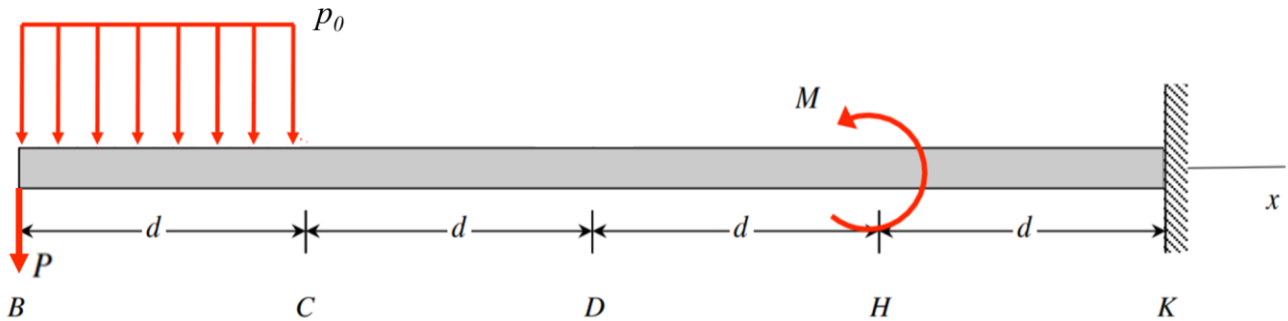
$P_{a,cr}$	<u>4</u>	$L_{a,e} = L_1$	$I = I_a = I_b = I_c$
$P_{b,cr}$	<u>3</u>	$L_{b,e} = L_2 < L_1$	$I_d > I$
$P_{c,cr}$	<u>2</u>	$L_{c,e} = 0.5 L_2 < L_2$	
$P_{d,cr}$	<u>1</u>	$L_{d,e} = 0.5 L_2 < L_2$	

$d$  has smallest  $L_e$  + largest  $I \Rightarrow \underline{P_{d,cr}}$  is the largest  
 $a$  has largest  $L_e$  + smallest  $I \Rightarrow \underline{P_{a,cr}}$  is the smallest  
 $L_{b,e} > L_{c,e} \Rightarrow \underline{P_{b,cr} < P_{c,cr}}$

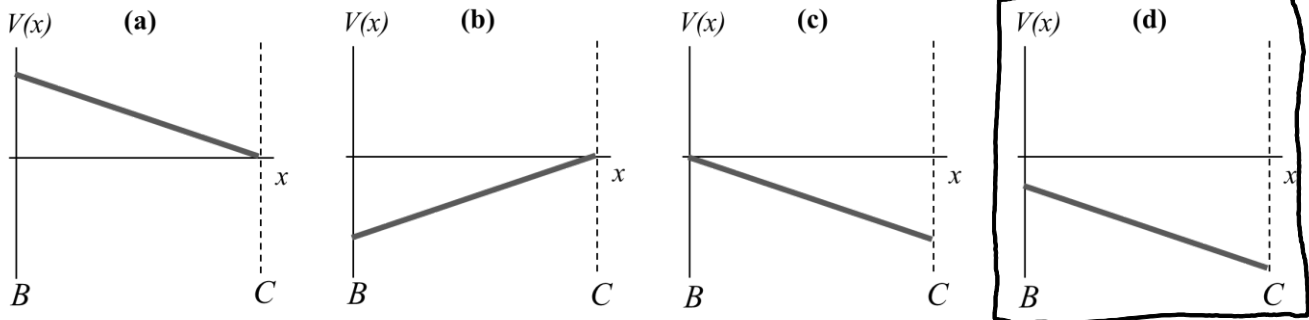
**PROBLEM #4 (cont.):**

**PART D – 4 points**

A cantilevered beam is loaded with a force  $P$ , a distributed load  $p_0$ , and a moment  $M$ .

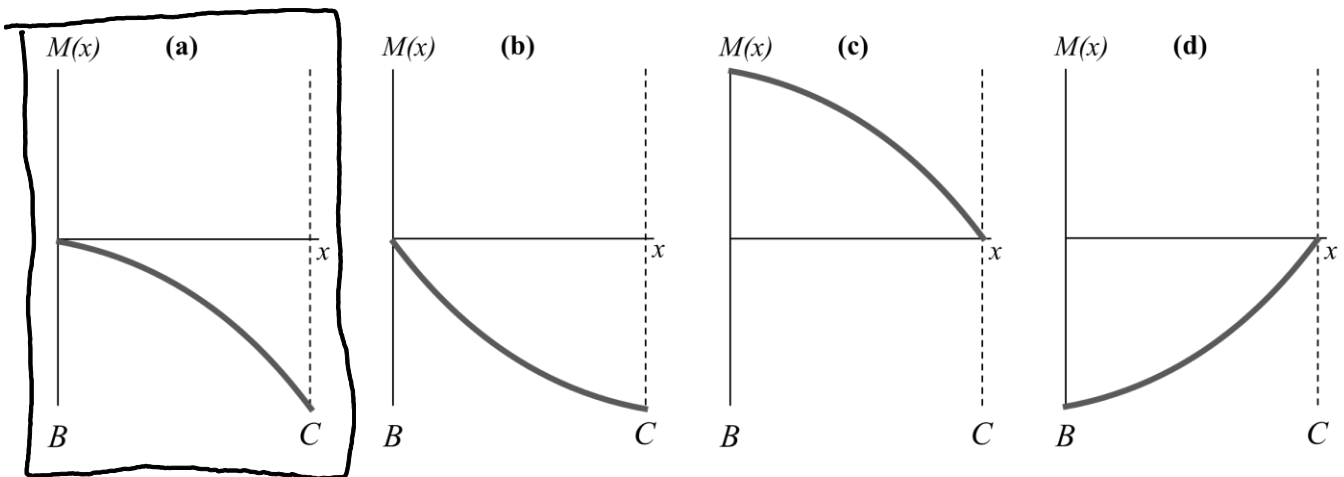


(i) Circle the answer that most accurately describes the internal **shear force** between points B and C.



$V(0^+) = -P$      $V(x) = -P - p_0 x$  between B+C  $\Rightarrow$  (d) is correct

(ii) Circle the answer that most accurately describes the internal **bending moment** between points B and C.



$M(0^+) = 0$ ,  $M(x) = -Px - \frac{1}{2} p_0 x^2$  between B+C  $\Rightarrow$  (c) + (d) are wrong

$M$  is decreasing + concave down between B+C  $\Rightarrow$  (a) is correct