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General theory of stress and Rate of strain

Example 2:- $\tau_{ij} = \alpha(\lambda_i \lambda_j + \lambda'_i \lambda'_j)$

where α is a scalar and λ_i, λ'_i are unit vectors.

Solution:- Consider X axis along λ_i and Z axis normal to both λ_i

The components of λ_i are $(1, 0, 0)$

and $\lambda'_i = (\lambda'_1, \lambda'_2, 0)$

Since $\tau_{ij} = \alpha(\lambda_i \lambda_j + \lambda'_i \lambda'_j)$ — (1)

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are unit vectors.

Let P be the value of the principal stress and (l, m, n) be the dc of the principal direction.

The principal stresses are

$$l(\tau_{11} - \tau) + m\tau_{12} + n\tau_{13} = 0$$

$$l\tau_{21} + m(\tau_{22} - \tau) + n\tau_{23} = 0$$

$$l\tau_{31} + m\tau_{32} + n(\tau_{33} - \tau) = 0$$

$$\text{where } l^2 + m^2 + n^2 = 1 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From relation (1) and (2), we have.

$$l(2\alpha\lambda'_1 - P) + m\alpha\lambda'_2 = 0$$

$$l\alpha\lambda'_2 - mP = 0$$

$$-nP = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

The characteristic equation becomes

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2\alpha\lambda'_1 - P & \alpha\lambda'_2 & 0 \\ \alpha\lambda'_2 & -P & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & P \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow P[-P(2\alpha\lambda'_1 - P) - \alpha\lambda'_2(P\alpha\lambda'_2)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow P[P(2\alpha\lambda'_1 - P) + P\alpha^2\lambda'^2_2] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^2 P \left[\frac{P}{\alpha} (2\lambda_1 - \frac{P}{\alpha}) + \lambda_2^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow P=0 \text{ and } \frac{P}{\alpha} (2\lambda_1 - \frac{P}{\alpha}) + \lambda_2^2 = 0$$

$$2\lambda_1 \frac{P}{\alpha} - \frac{P^2}{\alpha^2} + \lambda_2^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{P}{\alpha}\right)^2 - 2\lambda_1 \left(\frac{P}{\alpha}\right) - \lambda_2^2 = 0$$

since $\lambda_1^2 + \lambda_2^2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{P}{\alpha}\right)^2 - 2\lambda_1 \left(\frac{P}{\alpha}\right) + \lambda_1^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{P}{\alpha} - \lambda_1\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{P - \alpha\lambda_1}{\alpha}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow P - \alpha\lambda_1 = \alpha$$

$$P = \alpha(\lambda_1 \pm 1)$$

Therefore the Principal stresses are
 $0, \alpha(\lambda_1 + 1), \alpha(\lambda_1 - 1)$

Consider (l_1, m_1, n_1) be the direction co.sines of the Principal stress direction corresponding to $P=0$

Substituting $P=0$ in relation (3)

$$2\lambda_1 \alpha l_1 + m_1 \alpha \lambda_2 = 0$$

$$n_1 \alpha l_1 - 0 = 0$$

$$l_1 = 0, m_1 = 0$$

$$\frac{m_2}{\lambda_2'} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1+\lambda_1')}} \Rightarrow m_2 = \frac{\lambda_2'}{2(1+\lambda_1')} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1-\lambda_1'}{2}\right)}$$

$$l_2 = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1+\lambda_1'}{2}\right)}, m_2 = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1-\lambda_1'}{2}\right)}, n_2 = 0$$

Consider (l_3, m_3, n_3) be the direction cosines of the Principal stress direction corresponds to $P = \alpha(\lambda_1' - 1)$

From Relation (3)

$$\alpha(\lambda_1' + 1)l_3 - \alpha\lambda_2'm_3 = 0$$

$$\alpha\lambda_2'l_3 - \alpha(\lambda_1' - 1)m_3 = 0$$

with $l_3^2 + m_3^2 + n_3^2 = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{l_3}{\lambda_2'} = \frac{m_3}{\lambda_1' + 1} = \frac{n_3}{0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1+\lambda_1')}}$$

$$\Rightarrow l_3 = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1-\lambda_1'}{2}\right)}$$

$$m_3 = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1+\lambda_1'}{2}\right)}$$

$$n_3 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow x = x =$

Where $l_1^2 + m_1^2 + n_1^2 = 1$

$$n_1^2 = 1 \Rightarrow n_1 = 1$$

$$l_1 = 0, m_1 = 0, n_1 = 1$$

Consider (l_2, m_2, n_2) be the direction cosine of the Principal stress direction corresponding to $P = \alpha(\lambda_1' + 1)$

From relation (3)

$$l_2 (2\lambda_1' \alpha - \lambda_1' \alpha - \alpha) + m_2 \alpha \lambda_2' = 0$$

$$l_2 \alpha \lambda_2' - m_2 \alpha (\lambda_1' + 1) = 0$$

$$-n_2 \alpha (\lambda_1' + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow l_2 \alpha (\lambda_1' - 1) + m_2 \alpha \lambda_2' = 0$$

$$l_2 \alpha \lambda_2' - m_2 (\lambda_1' + 1) \alpha = 0$$

$$-m_2 (\lambda_1' + 1) \alpha = 0$$

With $l_2^2 + m_2^2 + n_2^2 = 1$

$$\frac{l_2}{\lambda_1' + 1} = \frac{m_2}{\lambda_2'} = \frac{n_2}{0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_2'^2 + (\lambda_1' + 1)^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_2'^2 + \lambda_1'^2 + 1 + 2\lambda_1'}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2 + 2\lambda_1'}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1 + \lambda_1')}}$$

$$\frac{l_2}{\lambda_1' + 1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1 + \lambda_1')}}$$

$$\Rightarrow l_2 = \frac{1 + \lambda_1'}{\sqrt{2(1 + \lambda_1')}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 + \lambda_1'}{2}}$$