14-1. A material is subjected to a general state of plane stress. Express the strain energy density in terms of the elastic constants E, G, and v and the stress components σ_x , σ_y , and τ_{xy} .

Strain Energy Due to Normal Stresses: We will consider the application of normal stresses on the element in two successive stages. For the first stage, we apply only σ_z on the element. Since σ_z is a constant, from Eq. 14–8, we have

$$(U_i)_1 = \int_V \frac{\sigma_x^2}{2E} dV = \frac{\sigma_x^2 V}{2E}$$

When σ_y is applied in the second stage, the normal strain ε_x will be strained by $\varepsilon_x' = -v\varepsilon_y = -\frac{v\sigma_y}{E}$. Therefore, the strain energy for the second stage is

$$(U_i)_2 = \int_V \left(\frac{\sigma_y^2}{2E} + \sigma_x \, \varepsilon_x'\right) dV$$
$$= \int_V \left[\frac{\sigma_y^2}{2E} + \sigma_x \left(-\frac{v \, \sigma_y}{E}\right)\right] dV$$

Since σ_x and σ_y are constants,

$$(U_i)_2 = \frac{V}{2E} \left(\sigma_y^2 - 2v\sigma_x \sigma_y \right)$$

Strain Energy Due to Shear Stress: The application of τ_{xy} does not strain the element in normal direction. Thus, from Eq. 14-11, we have

$$(U_i)_3 = \int_V \frac{\tau_{xy}^2}{2G} dV = \frac{\tau_{xy}^2 V}{2G}$$

The total strain energy is

$$\begin{split} U_i &= (U_i)_1 + (U_i)_2 + (U_i)_3 \\ &= \frac{\sigma_x^2 V}{2E} + \frac{V}{2E} (\sigma_y^2 - 2v\sigma_x \sigma_y) + \frac{\tau_{xy}^2 V}{2G} \\ &= \frac{V}{2E} (\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2 - 2v\sigma_x \sigma_y) + \frac{\tau_{xy}^2 V}{2G} \end{split}$$

and the strain energy density is

$$\frac{U_i}{V} = \frac{1}{2E} \left(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2 - 2v\sigma_x \sigma_y \right) + \frac{\tau_{xy}^2}{2G}$$
 Ans



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14-2 The strain-energy density must be the same whether the state of stress is represented by σ_{x_1} , σ_{y_1} and τ_{xy_1} , or by the principal stresses σ_1 and σ_2 . This being the case, equate the strain-energy expressions for each of these two cases and show that $G = E/[2(1 + \nu)]$.

$$U = \int_{V} \left[\frac{1}{2E} \left(\sigma_{x}^{2} + \sigma_{y}^{2} \right) - \frac{v}{E} \sigma_{x} \sigma_{y} + \frac{1}{2G} \tau_{xy}^{2} \right] dV$$

$$U = \int_{V} \left[\frac{1}{2E} \left(\sigma_{1}^{2} + \sigma_{2}^{2} \right) - \frac{v}{E} \sigma_{1} \sigma_{2} \right] dV$$

Equating the above two equations yields

$$\frac{1}{2E}(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2) - \frac{v}{E}\sigma_x\sigma_y + \frac{1}{2G}\tau_{xy}^2 = \frac{1}{2E}(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2) - \frac{v}{E}\sigma_1\sigma_2$$
 (1)

However,
$$\sigma_{1,2} = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_y}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_x - \sigma_y}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_{xy}^2}$$

Thus,
$$(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2) = \sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2 + 2\tau_{xy}^2$$

$$\sigma_1 \, \sigma_2 = \sigma_x \, \sigma_y - \tau_{xy}^2$$

Substitute into Eq.(1)

$$\frac{1}{2E}(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2) - \frac{v}{E}\sigma_x\sigma_y + \frac{1}{2G}\tau_{xy}^2 = \frac{1}{2E}(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2 + 2\tau_{xy}^2) - \frac{v}{E}\sigma_x\sigma_y + \frac{v}{E}\tau_{xy}^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2G}\tau_{xy}^{2} = \frac{\tau_{xy}^{2}}{E} + \frac{v}{E}\tau_{xy}^{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2G} = \frac{1}{E} + \frac{v}{E}$$

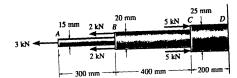
$$\frac{1}{2G} = \frac{1}{E}(1+v)$$

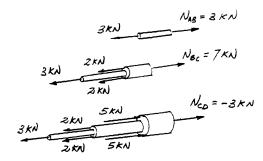
$$G = \frac{E}{2(1+v)} \qquad \mathbf{QED}$$

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14-3 Determine the strain energy in the rod assembly. Portion AB is steel, BC is brass, and CD is aluminum. $E_{st} = 200$ GPa, $E_{br} = 101$ GPa, $E_{al} = 73.1$ GPa.





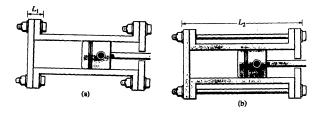
$$U_{i} = \Sigma \frac{N^{2} L}{2 A E}$$

$$= \frac{\left[3 (10^{3})\right]^{2} (0.3)}{2 (\frac{\pi}{4})(0.015^{2})(200)(10^{9})} + \frac{\left[7 (10^{3})\right]^{2} (0.4)}{2 (\frac{\pi}{4})(0.02^{2})(101)(10^{9})} + \frac{\left[-3 (10^{3})\right]^{2} (0.2)}{2 (\frac{\pi}{4})(0.025^{2})(73.1)(10^{9})}$$

$$= 0.372 \text{ N.m} = 0.372 \text{ J}$$
Ans

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*14-4 Using bolts of the same material and cross-sectional area, two possible attachments for a cylinder head are shown. Compare the strain energy developed in each case, and then explain which design is better for resisting an axial shock or impact load.



Case (a)

$$U_A = \frac{N^2 L_1}{2AE}$$

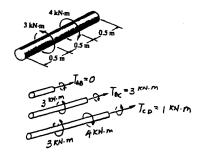
Case (b)

$$U_B = \frac{N^2 L_2}{2AE}$$

Since $U_B > U_A$, i.e., $L_2 > L_1$ the design for case (b) is better able to absorb energy.

Case (b) Ans

14-5. Determine the torsional strain energy in the A-36 steel shaft. The shaft has a radius of 30 mm.

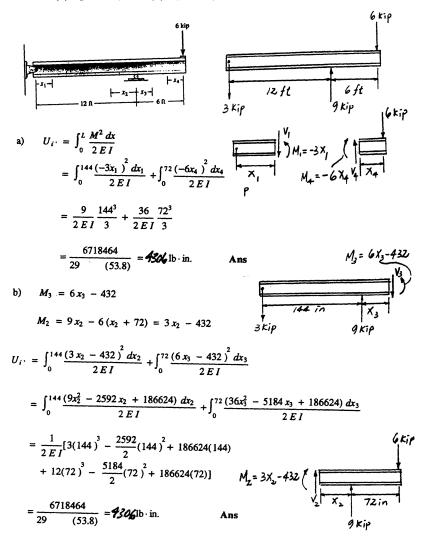


$$U_i = \Sigma \frac{T^2 L}{2JG} = \frac{1}{2JG} [0^2 (0.5) + ((3)(10^3))^2 (0.5) + ((1)(10^3))^2 (0.5)]$$

$$= \frac{2.5(10^6)}{JG}$$

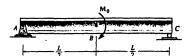
$$= \frac{2.5(10^6)}{75(10^9)(\frac{\pi}{2})(0.03)^4} = 26.2 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} = 26.2 \text{ J} \quad \text{Ans}$$

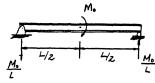
14-6. Determine the bending strain energy in the A-36 structural steel $W10 \times 12$ beam. Obtain the answer using the coordinates (a) x_1 and x_4 , and (b) x_2 and x_3 .

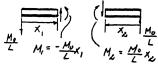


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14-7. Determine the bending strain energy in the beam due to the loading shown. *EI* is constant.







$$U_{i} = \int_{0}^{L} \frac{M^{2} dx}{2EI}$$

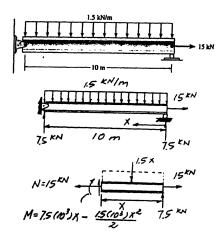
$$= \frac{1}{2EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L/2} (\frac{-M_{0}}{L} x_{1})^{2} dx_{1} + \int_{0}^{L/2} (\frac{M_{0}}{L} x_{2})^{2} dx_{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{M_{0}^{2} L}{24EI} \quad \text{Ans}$$

Note: Strain energy is always positive regardless of the sign of the moment function.

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*14-8. Determine the total axial and bending strain energy in the A-36 steel beam. $A = 2300 \text{ mm}^2$, $I = 9.5(10^6) \text{ mm}^4$,



Axial load:

$$(U_a)_i = \int_0^L \frac{N^2 dx}{2EA} = \frac{N^2 L}{2EA}$$

$$(U_a)_i = \frac{((15)(10^3))^2(10)}{2(200)(10^9)(2.3)(10^3)} = 2.4456 \text{ J}$$

Bending

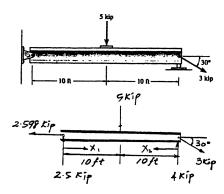
$$(U_b)_i = \int_0^L \frac{M^2 dx}{2EI} = \frac{1}{2EI} \int_0^{10} [(7.5)(10^3)x - 0.75(10^3)x^2]^2 dx$$
$$= \frac{1}{2EI} \int_0^{10} [56.25(10^6)x^2 + 562.5(10^3)x^4 - 11.25(10^6)x^3] dx$$

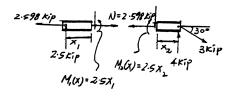
$$(U_b)_i = \frac{0.9375(10^9)}{200(10^9)(9.5)(10^{-6})} = 493.4210 \text{ J}$$

$$U_i = (U_a)_i + (U_b)_i = 2.4456 + 493.4210 = 496 \text{ J}$$
 Ans

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14-9. Determine the total axial and bending strain energy in the A-36 structural steel $W8 \times 58$ beam.





Axial load:

$$(U_a)_i = \int_0^L \frac{N^2 dx}{2 A E} = \frac{N^2 L}{2 A E}$$

$$= \frac{[2.598]^2 (20)(12)}{2 (17.1)(29)(10^3)} = 1.6334 (10^{-3}) \text{ in } \cdot \text{kip}$$

$$= 0.1361 (10^{-3}) \text{ ft } \cdot \text{kip}$$

Bending:

$$(U_b)_i = \int_0^L \frac{M^2 dx}{2EI} = \frac{2}{2EI} \int_0^{120 \text{ in}} (2.5 x)^2 dx$$
$$= \frac{3.6 (10^6)}{EI} = \frac{3.6 (10^6)}{29 (10^3)(228)}$$
$$= 0.5446 \text{ in. kip} = 0.04537 \text{ ft kip}$$

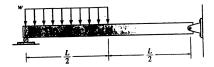
Total strain energy:

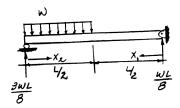
$$U_i = (U_a)_i + (U_b)_i$$

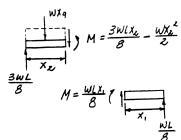
= 0.1361 (10⁻³) + 0.04537
= 0.0455 ft·kip = 45.5 ft·lb Ans

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14-10 The simply supported beam is subjected to the loading shown. Determine the bending strain energy in the beam.







$$U_{i} = \int_{0}^{L} \frac{M^{2} dx}{2EI} = \frac{1}{2EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L/2} (\frac{3wLx_{2}}{8} - \frac{wx_{2}^{2}}{2})^{2} dx_{2} + \int_{0}^{L/2} (\frac{wLx_{1}}{8})^{2} dx_{1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L/2} (\frac{9w^{2}L^{2}x_{2}^{2}}{64} + \frac{w^{2}x_{2}^{4}}{4} - \frac{3w^{2}Lx_{2}^{3}}{8}) dx_{2} + \int_{0}^{L/2} \frac{w^{2}L^{2}x_{1}^{2}}{64} dx_{1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{0.00111w^{2}L^{5}}{EI} \quad \text{Ans}$$

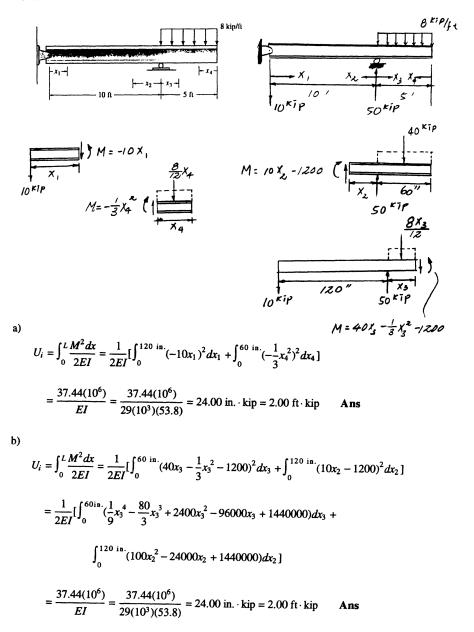
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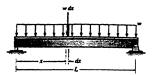
14-11 Determine the bending strain energy in the Λ -36 steel beam due to the loading shown. Obtain the answer using the coordinates (a) x_1 and x_4 , and (b) x_2 and x_3 . I = 53.8 in⁴.



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*14-12. Determine the bending strain energy in the simply supported beam due to a uniform load w. Solve the problem two ways. (a) Apply Eq. 14-17. (b) The load w dx acting on the segment dx of the beam is displaced a distance y, where $y = w(-x^4 + 2Lx^3 - L^3x)/(24EI)$, the equation of the elastic curve. Hence the internal strain energy in the differential segment dx of the beam is equal to the external work, i.e., $dU_i = \frac{1}{2}(w \ dx)(-y)$. Integrate this equation to obtain the total strain energy in the beam. EI is constant.



Support Reactions: As shown on FBD(a).

Internal Moment Function: As shown on FBD(b).

Bending Strain Energy: a) Applying Eq. 14-17 gives

$$U_{i} = \int_{0}^{L} \frac{M^{2} dx}{2EI}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L} \left[\frac{w}{2} \left(Lx - x^{2} \right) \right]^{2} dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{w^{2}}{8EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L} \left(L^{2}x^{2} + x^{4} - 2Lx^{3} \right) dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{w^{2}L^{5}}{240EI}$$
Ans

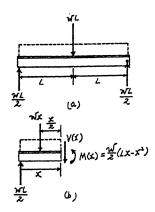
240EI

b) Integrating
$$dU_i = \frac{1}{2}(wdx)(-y)$$

$$dU_i = \frac{1}{2}(wdx) \left[-\frac{w}{24EI} \left(-x^4 + 2Lx^3 - L^3x \right) \right]$$

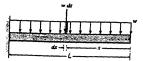
$$dU_i = \frac{w^2}{48EI} \left(x^4 - 2Lx^3 + L^3x \right) dx$$

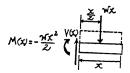
$$U_{i} = \frac{w^{2}}{48EI} \int_{0}^{L} (x^{4} - 2Lx^{3} + L^{3}x) dx$$
$$= \frac{w^{2}L^{5}}{240EI}$$
 Ans



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* 14-13. Determine the bending strain energy in the cantilevered beam due to a uniform load w. Solve the problem two ways. (a) Apply Eq. 14-17. (b) The load w dx acting on a segment dx of the beam is displaced a distance y, where $y = w(-x^4 + 4L^3x - 3L^4)/(24EI)$, the equation of the elastic curve. Hence the internal strain energy in the differential segment dx of the beam is equal to the external work, i.e., $dU_i = \frac{1}{2}(w \ dx)(-y)$. Integrate this equation to obtain the total strain energy in the beam. EI is constant.





Internal Moment Function: As shown on FBD.

Bending Strain Energy: a) Applying Eq. 14-17 gives

$$U_{i} = \int_{0}^{L} \frac{M^{2} dx}{2EI}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L} \left[-\frac{w}{2} x^{2} \right]^{2} dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{w^{2}}{8EI} \left[\int_{0}^{L} x^{4} dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{w^{2} L^{5}}{40EI}$$
Ans

b) Integrating
$$dU_i = \frac{1}{2}(w dx)(-y)$$

$$dU_i = \frac{1}{2}(w dx) \left[-\frac{w}{24EI} (-x^4 + 4L^3x - 3L^4) \right]$$

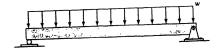
$$dU_i = \frac{w^2}{48EI} (x^4 - 4L^3x + 3L^4) dx$$

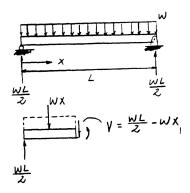
$$U_i = \frac{w^2}{48EI} \int_0^L (x^4 - 4L^3x + 3L^4) dx$$

$$= \frac{w^2L^5}{40EI}$$
Ans

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14-14 Determine the shear strain energy in the beam. The beam has a rectangular cross section of area Λ , and the shear modulus is G.





$$U_{i} = \int_{0}^{L} \frac{f_{s} V^{2} dx}{2 G A} = \frac{f_{s}}{2 G A} \int_{0}^{L} \left(\frac{w L}{2} - w x\right)^{2} dx$$
$$= \frac{f_{s}}{2 G A} \int_{0}^{L} \left(\frac{w^{2} L^{2}}{4} + w^{2} x^{2} - w^{2} L x\right) dx$$
$$= \frac{f_{s} w^{2} L^{3}}{24 G A}$$

For a rectangular section $f_s = \frac{6}{5}$

$$U_i = \frac{w^2 L^3}{20 G A}$$
 Ans

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