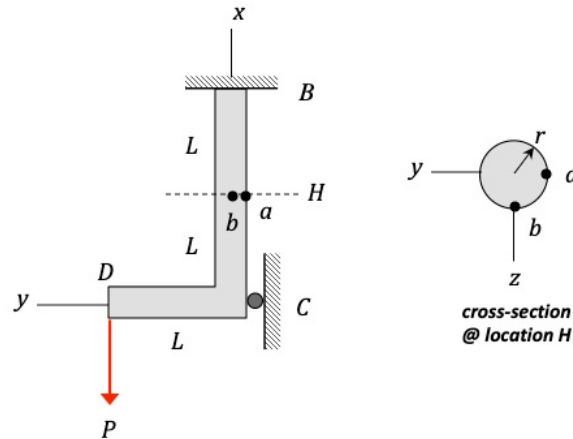


Quiet Week Example No. 2



The L-shaped structural member above has a circular cross-section with a radius of r . The member is supported by a fixed connection to ground at B and a roller at C as it carries a downward vertical load of P at D. What is the absolute maximum shear stress in the member at points "a" and "b" on the cross-section at H? Expect the following steps in the analysis.

- i. Equilibrium analysis
- ii. Deflection analysis (for finding external reactions in indeterminate structures)
- iii. Internal resultant analysis
- iv. Description of the states of stress
- v. Mohr's circles for the two states of stress
- vi. Absolute maximum shear stress

SOLUTION

i) Equilibrium

$$\sum F_x = -P + B_x = 0$$

$$\sum F_y = B_y - C_y = 0$$

$$\sum M_B = -M_B - C_y(2L) + PL = 0$$

INDETERMINATE; Choose C_y as redundant

ii) Castigliano

$$\textcircled{1} \sum F_y = -F_1 = 0$$

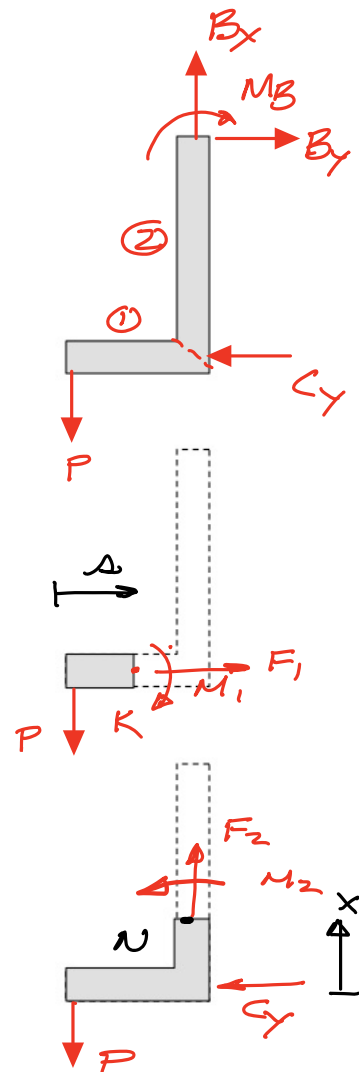
$$\sum M_K = -M_1 + P\Delta = 0 \Rightarrow M_1 = P\Delta$$

$$\therefore U_1 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{F_1^2 (2L)}{EA} + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2L} \frac{M_1^2}{EI} ds$$

independent of C_y

$$\textcircled{2} \sum F_x = F_2 - P = 0 \Rightarrow F_2 = P$$

$$\sum M_N = -C_y x + PL + M_2 = 0 \Rightarrow M_2 = PL + C_y x$$

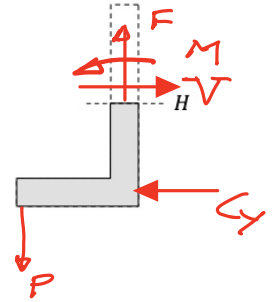


$$\therefore U_2 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{F_2^2 L}{EA} + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \frac{M_2^2}{EI} dx$$

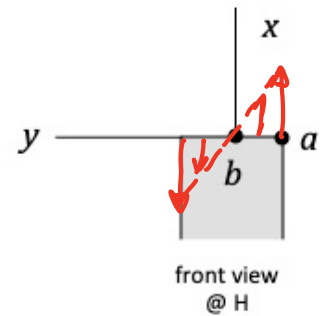
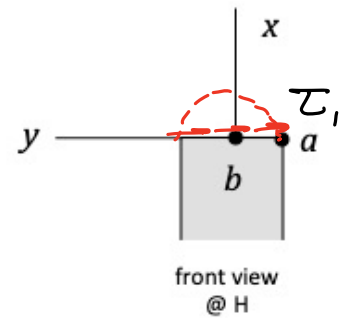
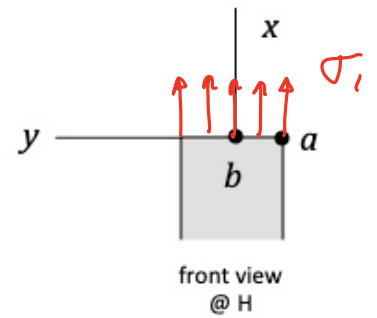
$$U = U_1 + U_2$$

Since C_y = redundant load (by choice):

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \frac{\partial U}{\partial C_y} = \\ &= \frac{\partial U}{\partial C_y} + \frac{L}{EA} F_2 \frac{\partial F_2}{\partial C_y} + \frac{1}{EI} \int_0^L M_2 \frac{\partial M_2}{\partial C_y} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{EI} \int_0^L (-PL + C_y x)(+x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{EI} \left[-\frac{1}{2} PL^3 + \frac{1}{3} C_y L^3 \right] \\ \hookrightarrow C_y &= \frac{3}{2} P \end{aligned}$$



(iii) $\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow F = P$
 $\sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow V = C_y$
 $\sum M_H = M - C_y L + PL = 0$
 $\hookrightarrow M = \frac{PL}{2}$



(iv)

internal resultant	stress @ a	stress @ b
F	$\sigma_1 = \frac{F}{A}$	$\sigma_1 = \frac{F}{A}$
V	0	$\tau_1 = \frac{4}{3} \frac{V}{A}$
M	$\sigma_2 = \frac{Mr}{I}$	0

(v) Point "a"

$$\begin{cases} \sigma_{ave} = \frac{\sigma_1 + \sigma_2}{2} \\ R = \frac{\sigma_1 + \sigma_2}{2} = |\sigma_{ave}| \end{cases}$$

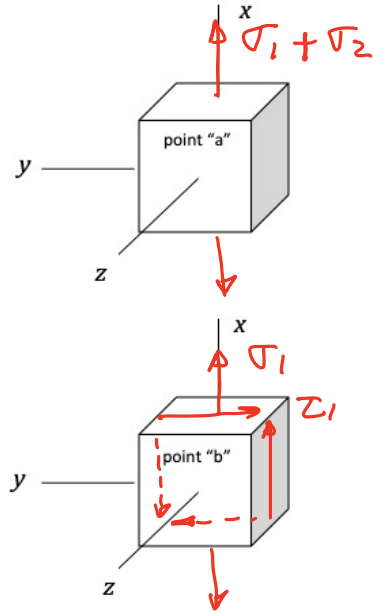
$$|\tau|_{max, abs} = R$$

Point "b"

$$\sigma_{ave} = \frac{\sigma_1}{2}$$

$$R = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_1}{2}\right)^2 + \tau_1^2} > |\sigma_{ave}|$$

$$\text{Again, } |\tau|_{max, abs} = R$$



Note: Had we not neglected shear

$$C_y = \frac{P}{2 \left[f_c \frac{EI}{GA L^2} + \frac{1}{3} \right]} \approx \frac{3}{2} P$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_c \frac{EI}{GA L^2} &= \left(f_c \right) \frac{\frac{10}{9} \frac{EI}{4} r^2}{2(1+\nu) \left(\frac{1}{4} r^2 \right) L^2} \\ &= \frac{10}{72} \left(\frac{1}{1+\nu} \right) \left(\frac{r}{L} \right)^2 \ll 1 \end{aligned}$$

