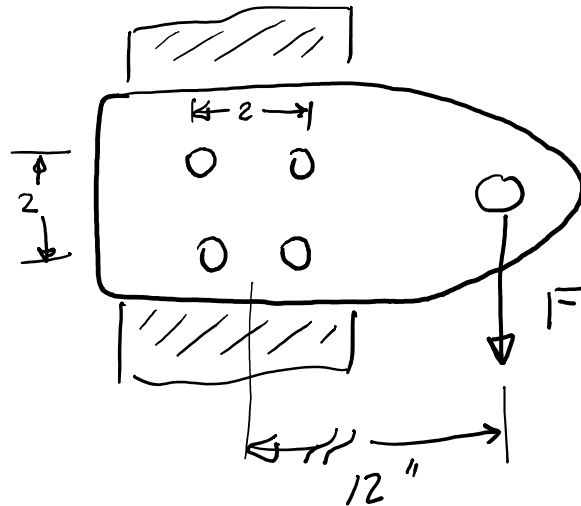


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Design of fasteners holding a bracket
under shear loading



Given: $F = 1000 \text{ lbs}$

$\frac{1}{2}$ in UNC-13 Screws

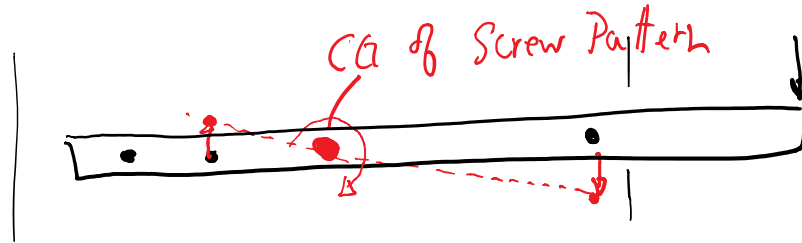
Grade-2

Find: Factor of Safety guarding against
screw shanks yielding

Assumptions

- Bracket is rigid ☺
- Friction with wall is lost ☺
- Shear loads are taken by screw shanks ☺
- The shear force taken by each

Screw is Proportional to the distance
between the Screw and the Centroid
of the Screw Pattern

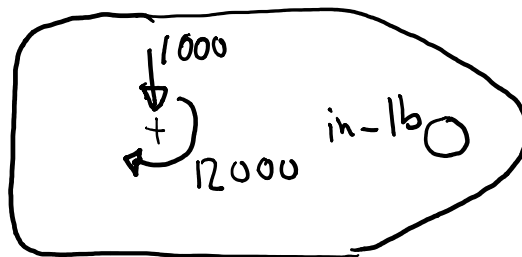


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- Screws are all in tight fit to the holes in the bracket

Solution

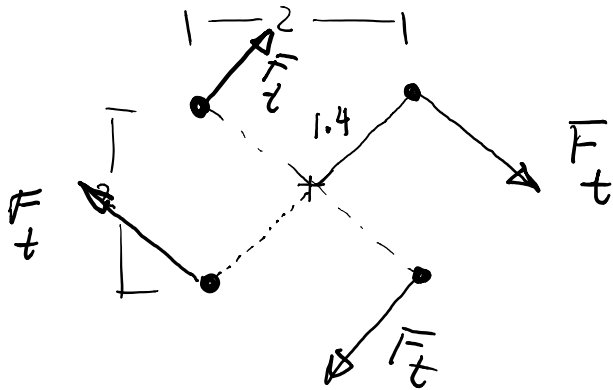
- 1) Move the load to the CG of the Screw Pattern



- 2) Find reaction shear forces ^{due to the load}

$$F_r = \frac{F}{4} = \frac{1000}{4} = 250 \text{ lbs}$$

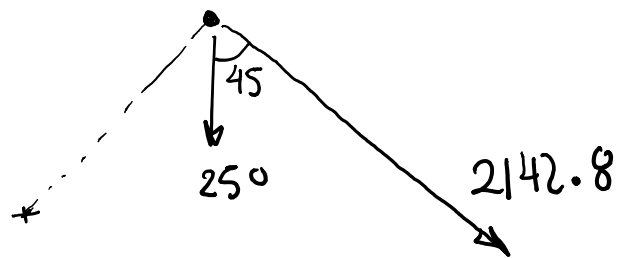
- 3) Find reaction shear forces due to the Torsional moment



$$T = 4 (F_t \times 1.4) \quad \text{lbs}$$

$$12000 = 4 (F_t \times 1.4) \Rightarrow F_t = 2142.8$$

- 4) Combine direct shear with torsional shear force to find the total shear force



$$5) \quad F_x = 2142.8 \cos(45)$$

$$= 1515.2 \quad \text{lbs}$$

$$F_y = 250 + 2142.8 \sin 45$$

$$= 1765.2 \quad \text{lbs}$$

$$F_{res.} = \sqrt{F_x^2 + F_y^2} \Rightarrow F_{res.} = 2326.3$$

6) Calculate Shear Stress τ and Compare it to S_{sy} (Shear strength) Psi

$$\tau = \frac{F}{A_d} = \frac{2326.3}{0.1963} = 11847.7$$

where $A_d = \frac{\pi d^2}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4} (0.5)^2$

$$A_d = 0.1963$$

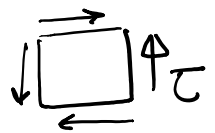
7) calculates S_{ys}

$$S_{ys} = 0.58 S_y$$

For grade-2 Psi

$$S_y = 57000$$

$$n = \frac{0.58 (57000)}{11847.8} \approx 2.8$$



$$\sigma_v = \sqrt{\sigma_z^2 + 3\tau^2}$$

$$\sigma_v = \sqrt{3} \tau$$

$$n = \frac{S_y}{\sigma_v}$$

$$n = \frac{S_y}{\sqrt{3} \tau}$$

$$S_{ys} = \frac{S_y}{\sqrt{3}} = 0.58 S_y$$

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$$n = \frac{0.58 S_y}{\tau}$$

Let's make up a problem

Given : Pressure
cylinder

Pressure $\equiv P_{max} = 3000$ PSI
(PSI)

Material $\equiv$ steel

Sealing diameter $\equiv D_{sealing} = 10$ inches

Number of fasteners $\equiv 8$

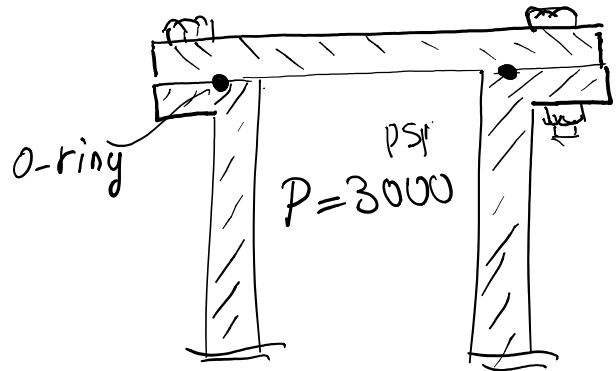
Bolt + Nut or screw $\equiv$ Bolt & Nut

Washer under head $\equiv$ Yes

Washer under Nut $\equiv$ Yes

Fastener size $\equiv \frac{1}{2}$ in UNC - 13

Strength grade $\equiv 5$



Thickness of the plates $\equiv 1/2$ in

Initial tension $\equiv 75\%$ of Proof load

Acceptable value of load factor in static loading $\equiv 2.5$ n_{L1}

Minimum acceptable compression force needed for proper sealing $\equiv 250$ lbs
(Per bolt) $F_{m, \min} \equiv 250$ lbs per bolt

Acceptable value of load factor guarding against compression falling below 250 lbs $n_{L2} = 1.5$

Acceptable value of factor of safety in cyclic loading when the pressure fluctuates between 0 and $P_{\max}$
 $n_f = 4$

Find: Is this an acceptable design

Solution Procedure

1. Select a suitable length for the fastener

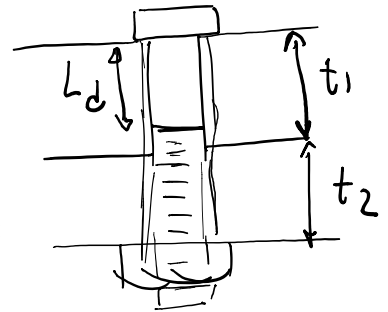
based on minimum acceptable length

$$L_{min} = t_1 + t_2 + t_{nut} + 2t_w + 2(1/p)$$

$$L_{selected} = L =$$

- 2) check to make sure the length is not too long

$$L_d < t_1 + t_2 + t_w$$

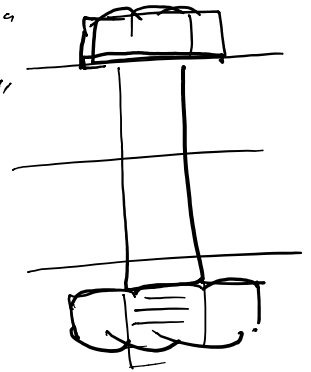


- 3) calculate L_T and L_d

$$L_T = 2d + 1/4$$

$$L_d = L - L_T$$

$$\begin{aligned} t_w &= 0.095 \\ t_{Nut} &= 7/16 \end{aligned}$$



- 4) calculate l total grip

$$l = t_1 + t_2 + 2t_w$$

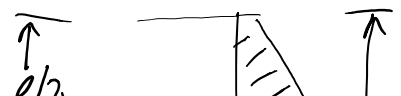
$$\left[\text{if screw, then } l = t + d/2 \right]$$

- 5) calculate $l_d = L_d$ and l_t

- 6) calculate K_d and K_t ($K = \frac{AE}{L}$)

- 7) calculate K_b ($\frac{1}{K_b} = \frac{1}{K_t} + \frac{1}{K_d}$)

- 8) calculate K_m



8) Calculate K_m

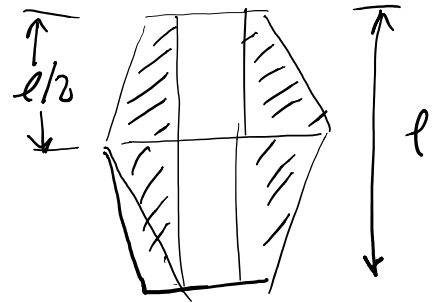
$$K'_m = f(D, d, E, t)$$

$t = \text{Frustum Height}$

$$E = 30 \times 10^6$$

$$d = 1/2" = 0.5$$

$$D = 1.5d$$



9) Calculate K_m

$$K_m = \frac{1}{2} K'_m$$

10) Calculate joint index $C = \frac{K_b}{K_b + K_m}$

11) Calculate total external load

$$F_e^{\text{tot}} = A_{\text{Seal}} P$$

$$F_e^{\text{tot}} = \frac{\pi D_{\text{Seal}}^2}{4} P$$

12) Calculate external force per bolt

$$F_e = \frac{F_e^{\text{tot}}}{\text{Number of bolts}} = \bar{F}_{\text{max}}$$

13) Calculate initial tension in each bolt

$$F_i = 0.75 (A_t S_p)$$

14) write expression for fastener force

$$F_b = F_i + C F_e$$

15) Set $F_b = F_p$ and find F_e^*

$$F_p = \text{proof load}$$

$$F_p = F_i + C F_e^*$$

$$\underbrace{A_t}_{S_p}$$

16) Calculate load factor

$$n_{LI} = \frac{F_e^*}{F_e}$$

17) write an expression for the compression force

$$F_m = F_i - (1 - C) F_e$$

18) Set F_m equal to $F_{m, \min}$ (Per bolt)
and solve for F_e^{**}

$$F_{m, \min} = F_i - (1-c) F_e$$

19) Calculate load factor guarding against Compression loss

$$n_{L2} = \frac{F_e^{\text{ex}}}{F_e}$$

Q: Is this acceptable $n_{L2} > 1.5$

20) Determine the minimum force in the bolt as the pressure fluctuates between 0 and $P_{\max}$

$$F_{b, \min} = F_i$$

21) Calculate maximum force

$$F_{b, \max} = F_i + c \underbrace{F_{e \max}}$$

22) Calculate minimum and maximum stresses in the bolt (nominal stresses)

$$\sigma_{\min} = \frac{F_i}{A_t}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{F_{b, \max}}{A_t}$$

$$\sigma_{\max} = \frac{F_{b, \max}}{A_t}$$

23) Calculate the mean and alternating
both forces

$$\sigma_m = \frac{\sigma_{\min} + \sigma_{\max}}{2}$$

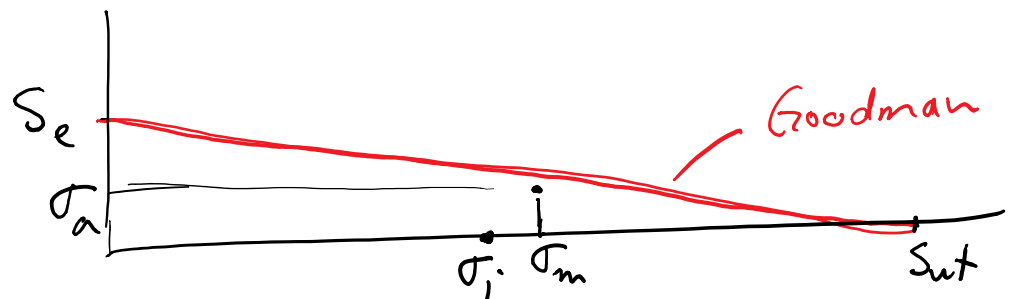
$$\sigma_a = \frac{\sigma_{\max} - \sigma_{\min}}{2}$$

24) Look up S_{ut} and S_e

$$S_{ut} =$$

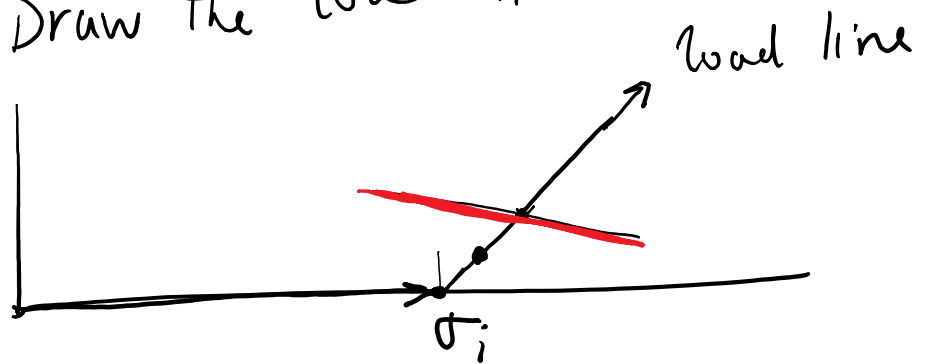
$$S_e =$$

25) Draw the $\sigma_m - \sigma_a$ graph indicating
 S_e , S_{ut} , σ_a , σ_m , σ_i



26) Draw the failure line (Goodman
criterion)

27) Draw the load line



28) Calculate n_f

$$n_f = \frac{S_e (S_{ut} - \sigma_i)}{S_{ut} \sigma_a + S_e (\sigma_m - \sigma_i)}$$

Q : is the factor of safety acceptable
is $n_f > 4$?