

Solution of HW#3 Prob. #2

a)

Bending stress

$$\tau_b = \frac{M_c}{I_z} = \frac{8400(1.5)}{2.385} = 5283 \text{ Psi out of plane}$$

where

$$M = 600(14) = 8400 \text{ lb-in}$$

$$c = 1.5$$

$$I_z = \sum A \cdot t = 13.5 (0.1767) = 2.385 \text{ in}^4$$

where

$$I_u = \frac{d^2}{6} (3b + d) = 13.5 \text{ in}^3$$

and

$$t = 0.707(0.25) = 0.1767$$

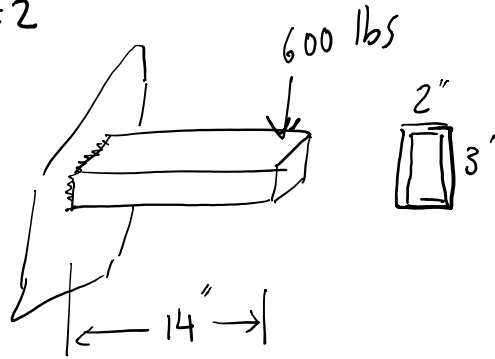
Direct shear

$$\tau_d = \frac{F}{A_t} = \frac{600}{0.1767(2+3+2+3)}$$

$$\tau_d = 339.5 \text{ Psi (in plane)}$$

Total shear stress

$$\tau = \sqrt{5283^2 + 339.5^2} = 5294 \text{ Psi}$$



Factor of safety

$$M = \frac{0.3 S_{ut}}{\tau} = \frac{0.3 (70)}{5.294} = 3.97$$

$$n \approx 4.00 \leftarrow$$

b) Nominal shear stress 5294 ^{Psi}

$$\tau_{act} = K_f \tau_{nom} = (1.5)(5294) = 7941 \text{ Psi}$$

K_f = toe of the weld

Endurance limit

$$S_{es} = K_a K_c S_e'$$

where $S_e' = \frac{1}{2} S_{ut} = 0.5(70) = 35 \text{ ksi}$

and $K_c = 0.59$

and $K_a \equiv \text{As forged} = 0.995$

$$K_a = 39.9 (70)$$

$$K_a = 0.582$$

ksi

$$\Rightarrow S_{es} = (0.582)(0.59)(35) \approx 12$$

The factor of safety

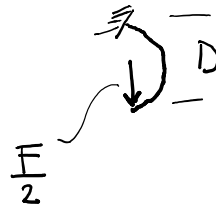
$$n = \frac{S_{es}}{\tau_{alt,act}} = \frac{12}{7.94} = 1.5$$

$$n = 1.5 \leftarrow$$

Continue with Spring Design

check the shear stress (maximum) when the spring is under F_{max}

$$\tau = \frac{Tr}{J}$$

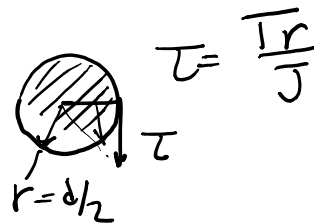


where $T = \frac{FD}{2}$

$D =$ Coil diameter

$r = \frac{d}{2}$ radius of the wire

$$J = \frac{\pi d^4}{32}$$



$$\tau_{max} = \frac{8FD}{\pi d^3} + \frac{4F}{\pi d^2}$$

There is also direct shear
— $4F$

There is also

$$\tau_d = \frac{4F}{\pi d^2}$$

There is also the curvature effect

The Resultant Shear stress is shown

as

$$\tau_{max} = K \frac{8FD}{\pi d^3}$$

↙
correct factor that takes into
account both direct shear and
curvature effect

Most conservative

$$K_B = \frac{4C + 2}{4C - 3}$$

where

$C \equiv$ Spring index

$$C = \frac{D}{d}$$

Recommendation $4 \leq C \leq 12$

example if $C = 3$

$$\Rightarrow K_B = \frac{4(3) + 2}{4(3) - 3} = 1.55$$

For the Pencil spring

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$$K_B = \frac{4(9.67) + 2}{4(9.67) - 3} = 1.14$$

calculating T_{max}

$$T_{max} = 1.14 \frac{8(0.99)(0.145)}{\pi(0.015)^3}$$

$$T_{max} = 123473.7 \text{ Psi}$$

Strength in Shear

$$S_{ys} = 0.45 S_{ut} \text{ (not set-removed)}$$

$$S_{ys} = 0.65 S_{ut} \text{ (set-removed)}$$

weld	$S_{ys} = 0.3 S_{ut}$
other components	$S_{ys} = 0.58 S_y$

Steel Springs

Estimating S_{ut} for Spring Wires

$$S_{ut} = \frac{A}{d^m}$$

For A227 wire $A = 140 \text{ ksi}$
 $m = 0.19$

$$S_{ut} = \frac{140}{(0.015)^{0.19}} = 310.9 \text{ ksi} \quad (\text{Table 10-4})$$

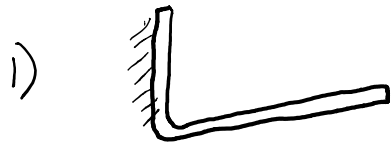
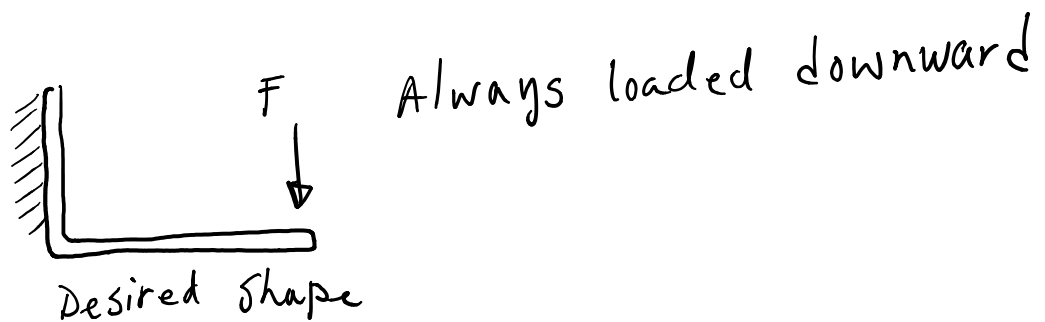
$$S_{ys} = 0.45 S_{ut} = 0.45 (310.9)$$

$$S_{ys} = 140 \text{ ksi} \quad \text{yield strength in Shear}$$

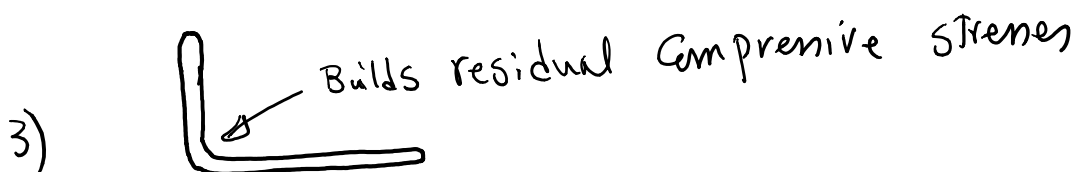
Factor of Safety

$$n = \frac{S_{ys}}{\tau} = \frac{140000}{123473} = 1.13$$

Set-removal Process



stretched beyond yielding



it behaves as if its a stronger material

For Spring $\equiv$ 1) They make the free length longer
2) Compress it beyond the yielding
3) Release it to get to the desired free length

Design of a Mountain bike front suspension Spring

Given: Wire diameter $d = 0.15$ inch

Coil outer diameter $D = 1.17$ inch

Material: A228

Squared ends

No move force (minimum force)

Per Spring = 20 lbs

Typical maximum force = 200 lbs
Per Spring

Set-removed inches

Installation length $L_{F_{min}} = 10$

Length @ maximum force $L_{F_{max}} = 5$ inches

Solution

Spring constant base on forces

$$\Delta F = K \Delta X$$

State-1 : $F_{\min}$, $L_{F_{\min}}$

State-2 : $F_{\max}$, $L_{F_{\max}}$

$$200 - 20 = K (10^{-5})$$

$$\Rightarrow K = 36 \text{ lbs/in}$$

Free length

$$\Delta F = K \Delta X$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad F=0 \quad L_0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad F_{\min} \quad L_{F_{\min}}$$

$$(20 - 0) = 36 (L_0 - 10)$$

$$\Rightarrow L_0 = 10.55' \leftarrow$$

Number of active coils

$$K = \frac{d^4 G}{8 D^3 N} \Rightarrow 36 = \frac{(0.15)^4 (11.5 \times 10^6)}{8 (1.02)^3 N}$$

$$\text{where } D = D_0 - d = 1.17 - 0.15 = 1.02$$

Solving for N

$$N = 19 \text{ Coils} \leftarrow$$

and

$$N_t = N + 2$$

$$N_t = 21 \text{ Coils} \leftarrow$$

Checks

would the spring yield @ Solid force $n = 1.2$ or more

Solid length

$$L_s = (N_t + 1) d$$

$$L_s = (21 + 1)(0.15)$$

$$L_s = 3.3'' \leftarrow$$

Solid Force

$$\Delta F = K \Delta X$$

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Free length } F = 0 \quad X = L_0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ Solid length } F = F_s \quad X = L_s$$

$$(F_s - 0) = 36 (10.55 - 3.3)$$

$$\Rightarrow F_s = 261 \text{ lbs}$$

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✓ Fraction over-run to closure (Periodically class allowance)

$$f = \frac{F_s - F_{max}}{F_{max}} = \frac{261 - 200}{200} = 0.305 \checkmark$$

Recommendation $f > 0.15$

Shear Stress @ Solid length

$$\tau = K_B \frac{8 F_s D}{\pi d^3} = 1.16 \frac{8 (261) (1.02)}{\pi (0.15)^3} = 233005 \text{ Psi}$$

where $K_B = \frac{4C+2}{4C-3} = \frac{4(6.8)+2}{4(6.8)-3} = 1.16$

where

$$C = \frac{D}{d} = \frac{1.02}{0.15} = 6.8 \checkmark$$

$$\tau = 233005 \text{ Psi}$$

Spring strength

$$S_{ut} = \frac{A}{d^m}$$

A228 $\begin{cases} m = 0.145 \\ A = 201 \end{cases} \text{ ksi}$

$$S = \frac{201}{d^{0.145}} = 264.6 \text{ ksi}$$

$$d_{ut} = (0.15)^{0.145}$$

Spring strength in shear

$$S_{ys} = 0.65 S_{ut} \quad \text{ksi}$$

$$S_{ys} = 0.65 (264.6) = 172$$

Factor of safety guarding against Set

$$n = \frac{S_{ys}}{\tau_{max}} = \frac{172}{233} = 0.74 \leftarrow$$

Fatigue Analysis

$$\tau_{min} = K_B \frac{8 F_{min} D}{\pi d^3} = 1.16 \frac{8 (20) (1.02)}{\pi (0.15)^3}$$

$$\tau_{min} = 17854.8 \text{ Psi}$$

$$\tau_{max} = K_B \frac{8 F_{max} D}{\pi d^3}$$

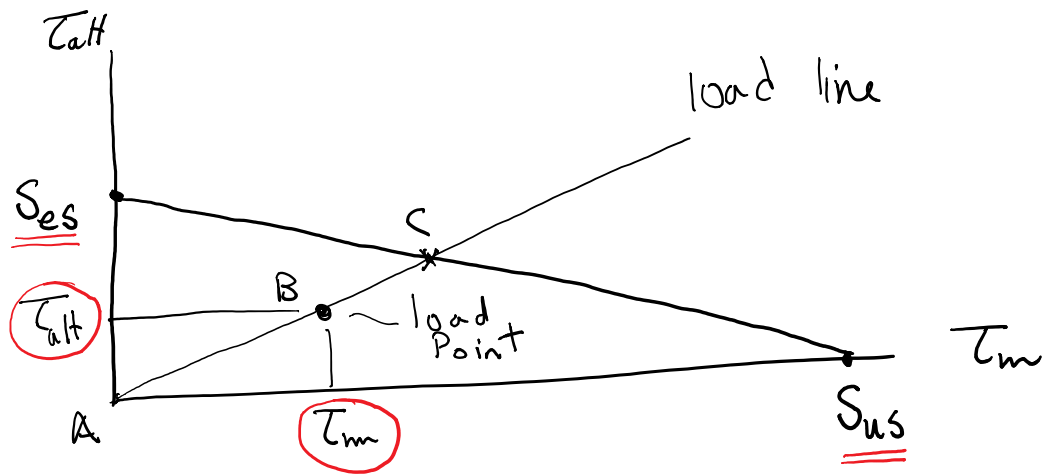
$$\tau_{max} = 178547.8 \text{ Psi}$$

Mean and alternating stresses Psi

$$\tau_m = \frac{\tau_{min} + \tau_{max}}{2} = 98201.3$$

$$\tau_{alt} = \frac{\tau_{max} - \tau_{min}}{2} = 80346.5 \text{ Psi}$$

Goodman diagram for shear stresses



$$n = \frac{AC}{AB}$$

$$\frac{1}{n} = \frac{\tau_a}{S_{es}} + \frac{\tau_w}{S_{ws}}$$

Estimating Sus for Steals

$$S_{NS} = 0.67 S_{nt} \quad (Eq. 10-30)$$

$$S_{ns} = 0.67 \quad (264.6)$$

$$\sigma_{us} = 177.3 \text{ ksi}$$

Estimating S_{es} (non-steel or $d > 10^{mm}$)

$$S_{es} = K_a K_b \underline{K_c} K_d K_e K_f \underline{S'_e}$$

where $\sigma' = \perp S_{ut}$ upto 200 ksi

$$S'_e = 100 \text{ ksi when } S_{ut} > 200$$

$$\Rightarrow S'_e = 100 \text{ ksi}$$

$$K_a = \text{Cold drawn wire} \quad -0.265$$

$$= a S_{ut}^b = 2.7 (264.6)$$

$$= 0.615$$

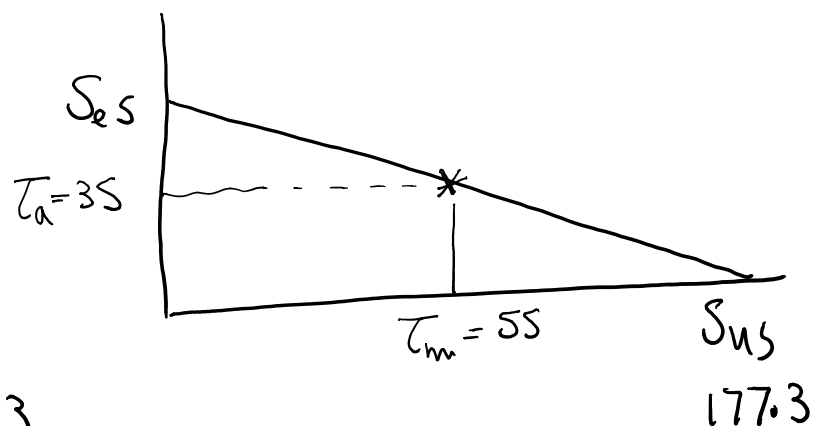
$$K_e = 0.59$$

ksi

$$\Rightarrow S_{es} = (0.615)(0.59)(100) = 36.3$$

Since $d < 10^{\text{mm}}$ and steel we can use the direct experimental results by Zimmerelli

Zimmerelli Data Method



$$\frac{S_{es}}{35} = \frac{177.3}{177.3 - 55}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_{es} = 50.7 \text{ ksi}$$

Factor of safety

$$\frac{1}{n} = \frac{\tau_a}{S_{es}} + \frac{\tau_m}{S_{us}}$$

$$\frac{1}{n} = \frac{80.3}{50.7} + \frac{98.2}{177.3}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 0.47$$