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**STRENGTH OF MATERIALS II**

**PTE 2247**

**Second Semester Examination Paper**

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This examination paper consists of 6 pages

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Total Marks: 100

Special Requirements: None

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**INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION TO CANDIDATE**

1. Answer any five (5) questions.
2. Each question carries 20 marks.
3. Use of calculators is permissible.

### Question 1

At a point on the surface of a cylinder, loaded by internal pressure, the material is subjected to biaxial stresses  $\sigma_x = 90\text{MPa}$  and  $\sigma_y = 20\text{MPa}$ , as shown on the stress element of figure (a). Using Mohr's circle, determine the stresses acting on an element inclined at an angle  $\theta = 30^\circ$ . (Consider only the in-plane stresses, and show the results on a sketch of a properly oriented element). [20Marks]

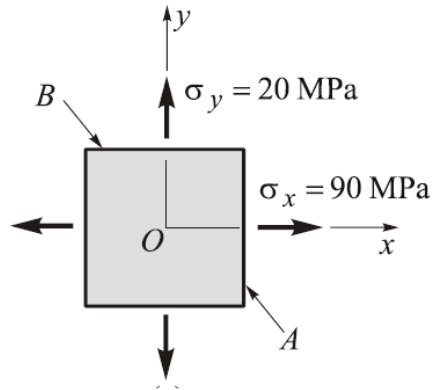


Figure Q1

### Question 2

A thin cylinder 60mm internal diameter, 225mm long with walls 2.7mm thick is subjected to an internal pressure of  $6\text{MN}/\text{m}^2$ . You may assume that  $E=200\text{GN}/\text{m}^2$ . Calculate:

- i. The hoop stress. [5Marks]
- ii. The longitudinal stress. [5Marks]
- iii. The change in length. [5Marks]
- iv. The change in diameter. [5Marks]

### Question 3

A cylinder is 150mm mean diameter and 750mm long with a wall 2mm thick. It has an internal pressure of 0.8MPa greater than the outside pressure. Calculate the following:

- i. The circumferential strain. [4Marks]
- ii. The longitudinal strain. [4Marks]
- iii. The change in cross sectional area. [4Marks]
- iv. The change in length. [4Marks]
- v. The change in volume. [4Marks]

### Question 4

A shaft 50mm diameter with internal diameter 30mm and 0.7 long is subjected to a torque of 1200Nm. Calculate the shear stress and the angle of twist. If  $G$  is 90Gpa. [20Marks]

### Question 5

A cantilever beam is 6m long and has a point load of 20kN at the free end. The flexural stiffness is  $110\text{MNm}^2$ . Calculate the slope and deflection at the free end. [20Marks]

### Question 6

Determine the shear force  $V$  and bending moment  $M$  at the midpoint  $C$  of the simple beam  $AB$  shown in the Figure Q6. [20Marks]

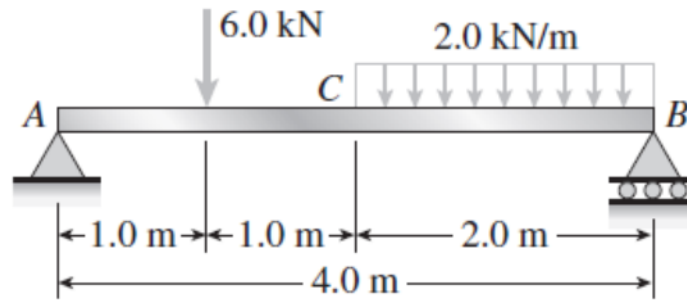


Figure Q6