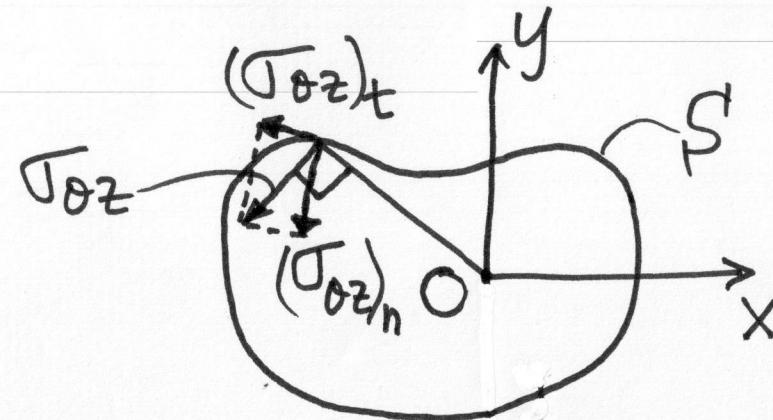
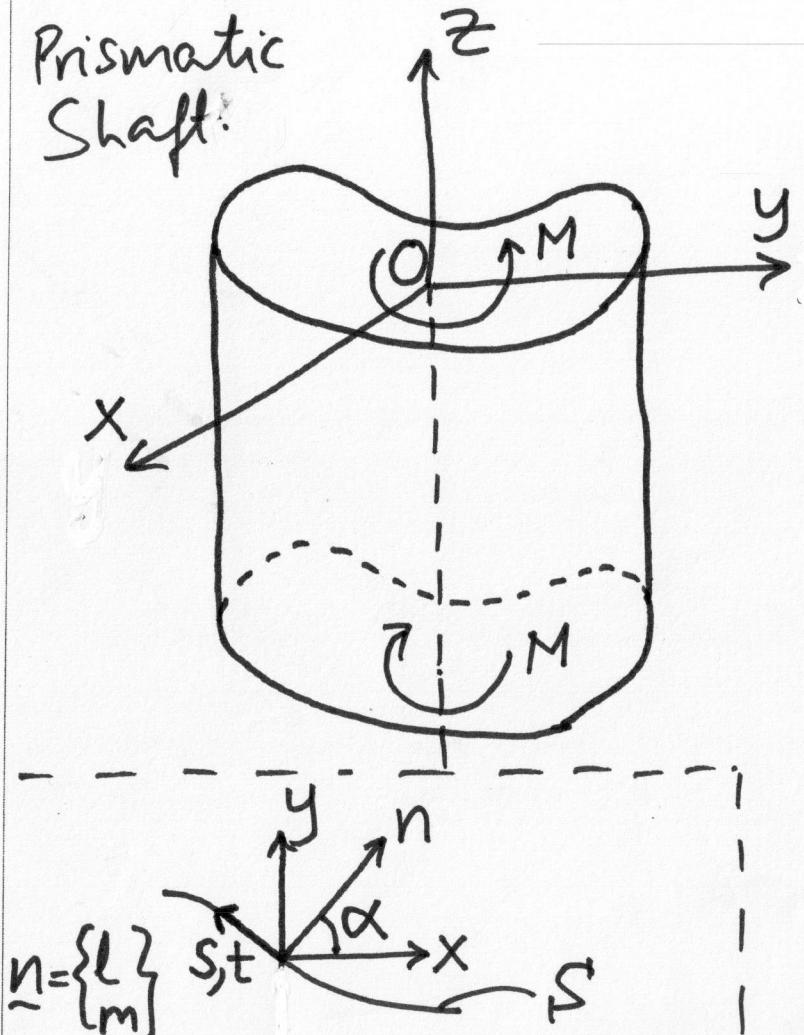


# TORSION (Non-circular sections).

Prismatic  
Shaft:

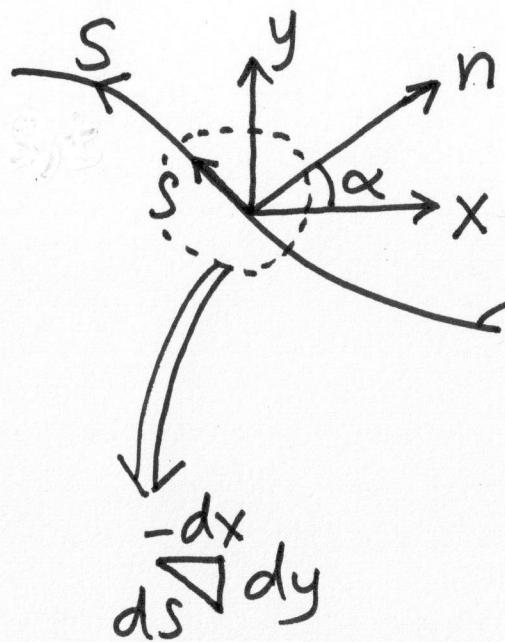


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For circular sections  $\tau_{0z}$  is the only stress. If we assume the same for non-circular sections, then  $(\tau_{0z})_t$  &  $(\tau_{0z})_n$  are components tangential & normal to boundary  $S$ , respectively, of  $\tau_{0z}$ . Due to complementarity of shear stresses,  $(\tau_{0z})_n$  is present on longitudinal face also. This violates traction free BC on longitudinal face.

$$\cos \alpha = l = \frac{dy}{ds} = \frac{\partial x}{\partial n}$$

$$\sin \alpha = m = -\frac{dx}{ds} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial n}$$



Boundary  $S$

$$\text{on } \underline{S}, \quad x = x(s)$$

$$y = y(s)$$

$$\cos \alpha = l = \frac{dy}{ds}$$

$$\sin \alpha = m = -\frac{dx}{ds}$$

$$\text{off } \underline{S}, \quad x = x(s, n)$$

$$y = y(s, n)$$

$$\cos \alpha = l = \frac{\partial x}{\partial n}$$

$$\sin \alpha = m = \frac{\partial y}{\partial n}$$



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Alternate way to see this is as follows. If  $\tau_{\theta z}$  is only stress,

$$\tau_{xz} = -\frac{y}{r} \tau_{\theta z} ; \tau_{yz} = \frac{x}{r} \tau_{\theta z}$$

BC on long. face is  $(\underline{\underline{\sigma}} \cdot \underline{n})_s = t = 0$  (traction free),

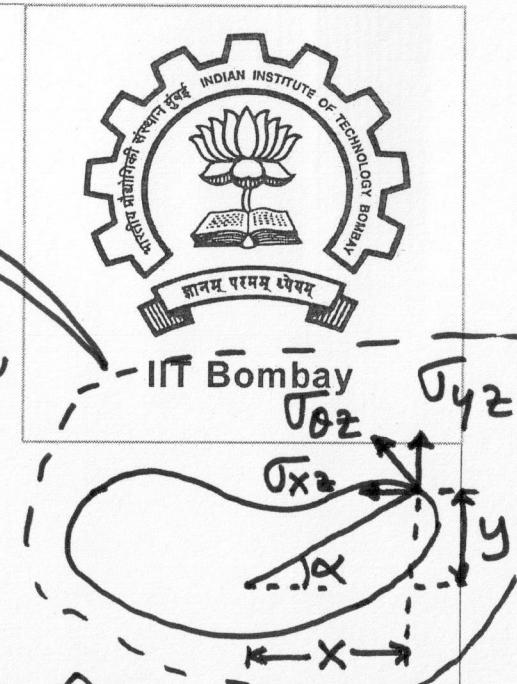
$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \tau_{xz} \\ 0 & 0 & \tau_{yz} \\ \tau_{xz} & \tau_{yz} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} l \\ m \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow \tau_{xz} \frac{dy}{ds} + \tau_{yz} \frac{-dx}{ds} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\tau_{\theta z}}{r} (-y dy - x dx) = 0 \quad \text{for circle only}$$

for non-circular sections  $\neq 0$

# Thus,  $\tau_{\theta z}$  &  $\tau_{rz}$  both exist such that their components in n-direction cancel out, thus satisfying traction free BC's on long. face.

# Easier to work with  $\tau_{xz}, \tau_{yz}$  instead of  $\tau_{rz}, \tau_{\theta z}$  for non-circular sections.



# Method I — PRANDTL STRESS FUNCTION ( $\phi$ ) FORMULATION.

Assume only  $\sigma_{xz}, \tau_{yz}$  non-zero stresses (guided by basic Solid Mech.). Assume zero b.f. We now attempt to satisfy all governing field equations & BC's.

Equilibrium:  $\begin{cases} \tau_{zx,z} = 0 \\ \tau_{zy,z} = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow \tau_{zx}, \tau_{zy}$  functions of  $(x, y)$  only.

$\tau_{zx,x} + \tau_{zy,y} = 0 \rightarrow$  satisfied by  $\phi$  defined below.

Define  $\phi$  such that  $\boxed{\tau_{xz} = \phi_y, \tau_{yz} = -\phi_x, \phi = \phi(x, y)}$  ①

Compatibility: B-M compatibility eqs reduce to,

$$\nabla^2 \tau_{xz} = 0; \nabla^2 \tau_{yz} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\nabla^2 \phi) = 0; \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\nabla^2 \phi) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\nabla^2 \phi = K \text{ (const)}} \rightarrow \text{Poisson's eqn.}$$
②



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BC's on lateral (ie longitudinal) face :

$$(\sum n)_S = 0 \Rightarrow l\sigma_{xz} + m\sigma_{yz} = 0 \quad (\text{other two are } i.s)$$

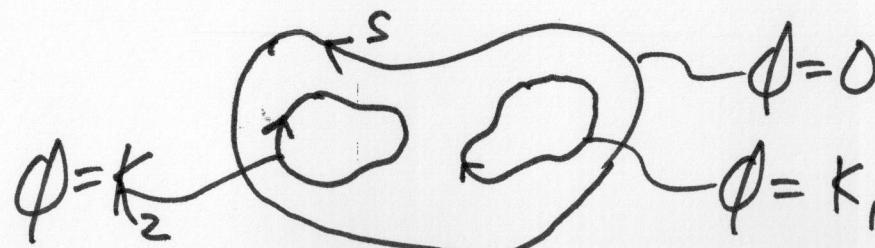
$$\frac{dy}{ds} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right)_S + \frac{dx}{ds} \left( \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right)_S = \left( \frac{d\phi}{ds} \right)_S = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\phi)_S = \text{Const.}$$

$\therefore$  addition of const to  $\phi$  doesn't affect stresses,

③  $\boxed{(\phi)_S = 0}$   $\rightarrow$  valid for simply connected domain (shaft with no holes)

For multiply connected domains, take  $\phi=0$  on one boundary. Then find non-zero constant values of  $\phi$  on other boundaries by imposing condition that displacements are single-valued. (done later).



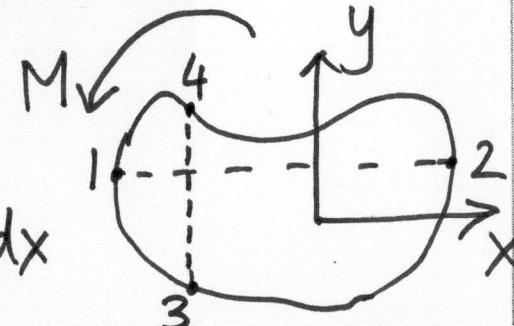
Cross-section with holes.



B.C's on end faces (cross-sections)

$$\sum F_x = \iint_A \sigma_{xz} dx dy = 0$$

$$= \iint_A \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} dx dy = \int f(\phi(3) + \phi(4)) dx$$



$$= 0 \quad (\because \phi = \text{const on } S)$$

so this BC is i.s.

$$\sum F_y = \iint_A \sigma_{yz} dx dy = \iint_A \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} dx dy = \int_0^l (\phi(2) - \phi(1)) dy = 0, \quad \underline{i.s.}$$

$$\iiint (-y\sigma_{xz} + x\sigma_{yz}) dx dy = M \quad (\text{ie moment due to internal stresses equals applied } M).$$

$$\Rightarrow M = \iint_A (-y\phi_{,y} - x\phi_{,x}) dx dy = - \iint_A [(y\phi)_{,y} + (x\phi)_{,x} - 2\phi] dx dy$$

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi dx dy - \oint_S (x l + y m) \phi ds$$

for simply connected

Used Divergence theorem  
 $\oint_S \underline{\phi} \cdot \underline{n} ds = \iint_A \nabla \cdot \underline{\phi} dA$

$$\underline{\phi} = (x\phi)\underline{i} + (y\phi)\underline{j}$$

$$\underline{n} = l\underline{i} + m\underline{j}$$



Displacements: Using C.L. & S-I eqns,  
 (note only  $\bar{v}_{xz}$ ,  $\bar{v}_{yz}$  non-zero),

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0 \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} = 0 \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial z} = -\frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \quad ; \quad \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = \frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \quad \left. \right\} \rightarrow A$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = 0$$

$$u = f_1(y, z); \quad v = f_2(x, z); \quad w = f_3(x, y) \rightarrow B$$

(A)<sub>1,2,3</sub>

(A)<sub>4,5,6</sub> & (B)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial z} &= -\frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} & \rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 f_2}{\partial z^2} = 0 \\ \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} & \rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial z^2} = 0 \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} &= 0 & \rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 f_2}{\partial x^2} = 0; \quad \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial y^2} = 0 \end{aligned}$$



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$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f_1 &= ayz + by + cz + d \\ f_2 &= exz + fx + gy + h \end{aligned} \quad \left. \right\} \rightarrow \textcircled{D}$$

$$\textcircled{C}_3 \& \textcircled{D} \rightarrow (e+a)z + f + b = 0 \rightarrow e = -a, f = -b$$

$$u = f_1 = ayz + by + cz + d ; v = f_2 = -axz - bx + gy + h$$

BC's:  $u = v = U, z = V, z = U, y - V, x = 0$  at  $z = x = y = 0$ ,  
i.e no translation & rotation at pt. O (origin).

$$\Rightarrow d = h = c = g = b = 0$$

Could have got this directly by recognizing that constant & linear terms represent rigid body translation & rotation, respectively, which we remove by dropping these terms.

$$\textcircled{5} \Leftrightarrow \boxed{u = ayz ; v = -axz} \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

$$u_r = v \sin \theta + u \cos \theta = az \left( -\underbrace{r \cos \theta}_{x} \sin \theta + \underbrace{r \sin \theta}_{y} \cos \theta \right) = 0$$



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$$u_\theta = V \cos \theta - u \sin \theta = -azr = \alpha zr = \beta r$$

$\beta$  = twist of section  
 $\alpha = \frac{d\beta}{dz}$  = rate of twist, ie twist per unit length



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(A)<sub>4,5</sub> & ⑤ →

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} &= \frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \alpha y \\ \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} &= -\frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} - \alpha x\end{aligned}$$

→ ⑤a

use to determine  
 $w \rightarrow$  warping  
 displ.

$$\textcircled{5a} \rightarrow \boxed{\nabla^2 \phi = -2G\alpha.} = K. \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \text{ (repeated).}$$

# Thus kinematics is inplane  $u, v$ , resulting from rotation of points (in a section) about O thru angle  $\beta$  ( $\because u_r = 0, u_\theta = \beta r$ ), and out-of-plane  $w$  superposed. Thus plane sections warp (ie don't remain plane) unlike the case of circular shaft. However no distortion occurs in the plane of section.

This means that if you project deformed points onto original plane of section, the projected shape is exactly same as original section.

# Solve ②, subject to ③ & ④, for  $\phi$  &  $\alpha$  for given  $M_{\text{applied}}$   
Then use ① to obtain  $\sigma_{xz}, \tau_{yz}$   
use ⑤), ⑥a to obtain displacements.

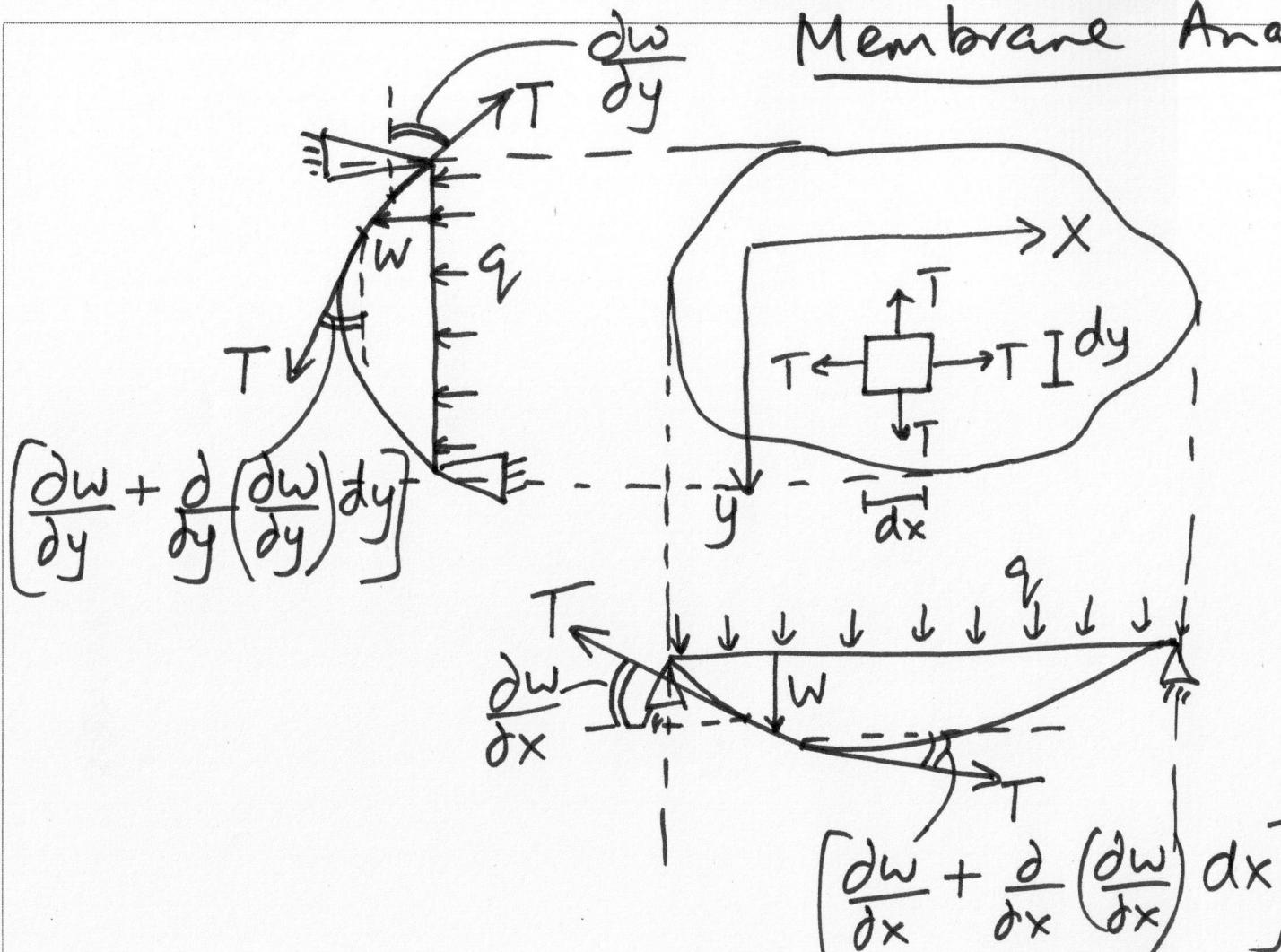
Membrane Analogy (due to Prandtl).

Analogy exists between torsion problem & problem of a uniformly tensioned membrane subject to uniform (but small) transverse pressure.



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## Membrane Analogy.



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Uniformly tensioned membrane,  $T(x, y) = \text{const}$  before deformation. Load (pressure)  $q$  is uniform but small, so  $T(x, y) \approx \text{const}$  after deformation.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\sum F_z)_{\text{element}} &= 0 = -T dy \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + T dy \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} \right) dx \right) \\
 &\quad - T dx \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + T dx \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} \right) dy \right) + q dx dy = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} = -\frac{q}{T} \Rightarrow \nabla^2 \left( \frac{T}{q} w \right) = -1 \quad ; \quad \left( \frac{T}{q} w \right)_S = 0$$

Torsion  $\rightarrow \nabla^2 \left( \frac{\phi}{2G\alpha} \right) = -1 \quad ; \quad \left( \frac{\phi}{2G\alpha} \right)_S = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \left( \frac{2G\alpha T}{q} \right) w$$

Vol. displaced by membrane = V

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi dx dy \equiv \frac{2G\alpha T}{q} \cdot 2 \iint_A w dx dy = \frac{2G\alpha T}{q} \cdot 2V$$

$$\tau_{zx} = \phi_{,y} \equiv \left( \frac{2G\alpha T}{q} \right) w_{,y} ; \quad \tau_{zy} = \phi_{,x} \equiv \left( \frac{2G\alpha T}{q} \right) w_{,x}$$

If  $q, T$  adjusted so that  $\frac{2G\alpha T}{q} = 1$ , then,

$$\boxed{\phi = w ; \quad M = 2V ; \quad \tau_{zx} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} ; \quad \tau_{zy} = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x}} \rightarrow ⑥.$$

# Above analogy very useful in solving torsion problems, as we will see.



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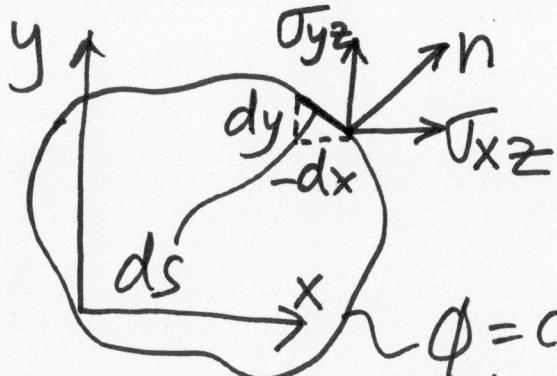
## Lines of Shearing stress.



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$$\nabla \phi \cdot (\tau_{xz} \hat{i} + \tau_{yz} \hat{j}) = (\phi_x \phi_y - \phi_y \phi_x) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  On  $\phi = \text{const}$  curves, the total shear stress  $(\tau_{xz}, \tau_{yz})$  is tangential to curve  $\because \nabla \phi = \text{normal to curve.}$



$\phi = \text{const curve}$   
(not necessarily boundary curve).

$$l = \frac{dy}{ds} = \frac{\partial x}{\partial n} = \frac{\tau_{yz}}{\sqrt{\tau_{yz}^2 + \tau_{xz}^2}}; m = -\frac{dx}{ds} = \frac{dy}{dn} = -\frac{\tau_{xz}}{\sqrt{\tau_{yz}^2 + \tau_{xz}^2}}$$

NOT IMP.

direction cosines of  
n which is normal to  
 $\phi = \text{const curve.}$

$$\tau_{xz} = \tau = \text{total shear stress} = \tau_{yz} \frac{dy}{ds} - \tau_{xz} \left( -\frac{dx}{ds} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\tau_{xz} = \tau = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y}\right)^2}} = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial n} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial n} = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n}.$$

Now consider

$$\nabla^2 \tau^2 = 2(\phi_{xx}^2 + \phi_{xx}\cancel{\phi_{xxx}} + \phi_{xy}^2 + \phi_{xy}\cancel{\phi_{xxy}} + \phi_{yy}^2 + \phi_{yx}\cancel{\phi_{xyy}}) \rightarrow (\because \nabla^2 \phi = \text{const})$$
$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2 \tau^2 \geq 0 \rightarrow (\because \nabla^2 \phi = \text{const.})$$

From calculus we have result

If  $\tau^2 \neq \text{const}$  in domain and:  $\nabla^2 \tau^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \max \& \min \text{ of } \tau^2 \text{ on boundary}$   
 $\& \text{not in domain}$

$\nabla^2 \tau^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow \max(\tau^2) \text{ occurs on boundary}$   
 $\& \text{not in domain}$

$\nabla^2 \tau^2 \leq 0 \Rightarrow \min(\tau^2) \text{ occurs on boundary}$   
 $\& \text{not in domain}$

# Thus max shear stress occurs on boundary  $\Rightarrow$  shear failure possible on lateral face



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## METHOD-II St. VENANT WARPING FUNCTION ( $\psi$ )

### FORMULATION

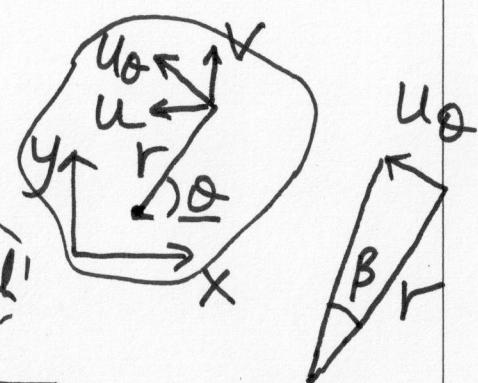
It's a displacement formulation.

St. Venant assumed <sup>in-plane</sup> kinematics same as circular shaft, i.e,

$$u = -U_0 \sin \theta = -r \alpha z \sin \theta = -\alpha z y \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Same as} \\ \text{circular} \\ \text{shaft,} \\ \& \text{result} \\ \text{of } \phi \text{ approach} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$v = U_0 \cos \theta = \alpha z x$$

$$w = \alpha \psi(x, y) \rightarrow \text{WARPING FUNCTION.}$$



Stresses :  
(use CL & S-D eqn)

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} \tau_{xz} &= G(u_{,z} + w_{,x}) = G\alpha(\psi_{,x} - y) = \phi_{,y} \\ \tau_{yz} &= G(v_{,z} + w_{,y}) = G\alpha(\psi_{,y} + x) = -\phi_{,x} \end{aligned}} \rightarrow ①$$

$$\beta = \alpha z$$

other stresses zero.

$\therefore \epsilon_x = \epsilon_y = \epsilon_{xy} = 0 \Rightarrow$  no in-plane distortion of section.  
(i.e deformed section when projected to plane of undeformed section looks exactly same as undeformed section)

Equilibrium eqns:

1st, 2nd eqns are L.S.

$$3\text{rd} \rightarrow \boxed{\psi_{xx} + \psi_{yy} = 0} \rightarrow ②$$



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BC's on lateral face:

$$(l\sigma_{xz} + m\sigma_{yz})_S = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{\partial x}{\partial n}(\psi_x - y) + \frac{\partial y}{\partial n}(\psi_y + x) = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{\partial \psi}{\partial n} = ly - mx \quad \text{on } S \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{equivalent.} \\ \rightarrow ③ \end{matrix}}$$

BC's on end faces:

$$\iint_A \sigma_{xz} dA \stackrel{\text{add 3rd equil. eqn.}}{\Rightarrow} \iint_A [(x\sigma_{xz})_x + (x\sigma_{yz})_y] dA \stackrel{\text{Gauss Div Theorem.}}{\Rightarrow} \oint_S \underbrace{(l\sigma_{xz} + m\sigma_{yz})}_{''} ds = 0$$

i.e. L.S.

Similarly  $\iint_A \sigma_{yz} dA = 0$  is L.S.

$$M = \iint_A (-y \tau_{xz} + x \tau_{yz}) dA = G \alpha \iint_A (x^2 + y^2 + x \psi_{,y} - y \psi_{,x}) dA$$

$$\Rightarrow M = C \alpha.$$

$$C = \text{torsional rigidity} = G \iint_A (x^2 + y^2 + x \psi_{,y} - y \psi_{,x}) dA$$

$$\text{Consider, } I = \iint_A (x \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} - y \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x}) dA$$

$$= \iint_A \left( \frac{\partial(x\psi)}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial(y\psi)}{\partial x} \right) dA = \oint_S (-Ly + Mx) \psi ds$$

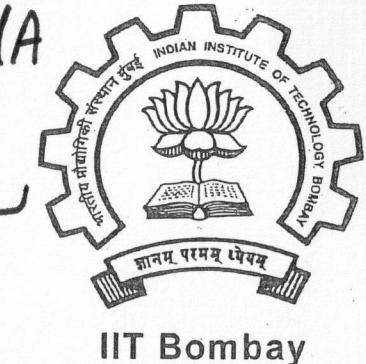
(Div. Thrm)

$$= - \oint_S \left( L \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} + M \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \right) \psi ds = - \iint_A \left[ \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \right)^2 \right] dA \leq 0.$$

(lateral BC)

(Div Thrm & ②).

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C}{G} \leq \iint_A (x^2 + y^2) dA \rightarrow C \leq GJ$$

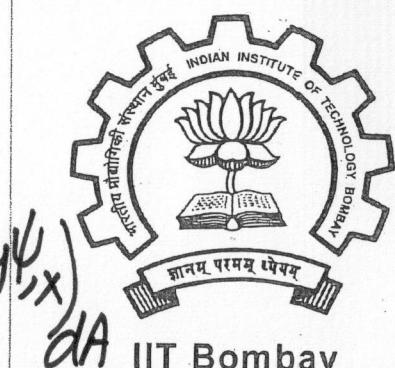


$$C = GJ - G \iint_A [(\psi_x)^2 + (\psi_y)^2] dA \rightarrow ⑤$$

$$④, ⑤ \rightarrow C = 2C - C = G \iint_A [x^2 + y^2 + (\psi_x)^2 + (\psi_y)^2 + 2x\psi_y - 2y\psi_x] dA$$

$$= \iint_A [(\psi_y + x)^2 + (\psi_x - y)^2] dA$$

$$C = \frac{1}{\alpha^2 G} \iint_A (\sigma_{yz}^2 + \sigma_{xz}^2) dA \rightarrow ⑥$$

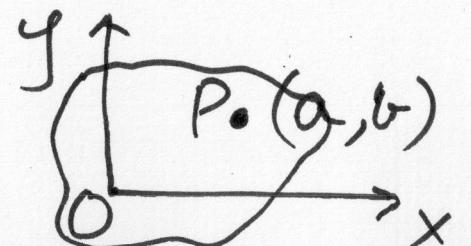


Change in torsion axis (ie reference origin).

New axis thru P(a, b), old axis thru O.

$$u = -\alpha(y-b)z, \quad v = \alpha(x-a)z, \quad w = \alpha\psi_1(x, y)$$

$$\sigma_{xz} = G\alpha \left( \frac{\partial \psi_1}{\partial x} - y + b \right); \quad \sigma_{yz} = G\alpha \left( \frac{\partial \psi_1}{\partial y} + x - a \right) \xrightarrow[3rd \text{ equil}]{} \nabla^2 \psi_1 = 0$$



$$\text{Lateral BC} \rightarrow \frac{\partial \psi_i}{\partial n} = l(y-b) - m(x-a)$$

$$\left\{ l = x_{in}; m = y_{in} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial n} (\psi_i + lx - ay) = ly - mx \text{ on } S \rightarrow G$$

$\Rightarrow \psi_i = \psi - bx + ay + \text{const}$  solves  $G$

where  $\psi$  is soln. to original problem with axis thru O.

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{xz} &= G\alpha(\psi_{ix} - b - y + b) = G\alpha(\psi_{ix} - b) \\ \tau_{yz} &= G\alpha(\psi_{iy} + a + x - a) = G\alpha(\psi_{iy} + x) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{stresses invariant} \\ \text{to change of} \\ \text{torsion axis.} \end{array} \right\}$$

So only displ's altered by rigid body comp. due to change of torsion axis.

Thus C is invariant to <sup>change in</sup> axis of torsion (see G or  $M = C\alpha$ )

$$\Rightarrow C \leq GJ$$

$$\leq GJ_{\min}$$

↳ Centroidal axis



## Summary :

### (I) Prandtl stress function approach. ( $\phi$ )

Solve  $\nabla^2\phi = -2G\alpha$  subject to  $\phi=0$  on  $\Gamma$  and  $M = 2 \iint \phi dA$  (simply connected domain), for  $\phi$  &  $\alpha$  in terms of  $M$  applied.

$$\text{Then, } \sigma_{xz} = \phi_{,y}, \quad \tau_{yz} = -\phi_{,x}$$

### (II) St. Venant's Warping function approach ( $\psi$ )

Solve  $\nabla^2\psi = 0$  subject to  $\frac{\partial\psi}{\partial n} = ly - mx$  on  $\Gamma$ , for  $\psi$ .

$$\text{Then } C = GJ - \iiint [(\psi_{,x})^2 + (\psi_{,y})^2] dA = \text{torsional rigidity}$$

$$\text{and } \alpha = \frac{M}{C}. \quad \text{Stresses are } \sigma_{xz} = G\alpha (\psi_{,x} - y); \quad \tau_{yz} = G\alpha (\psi_{,y} + x)$$

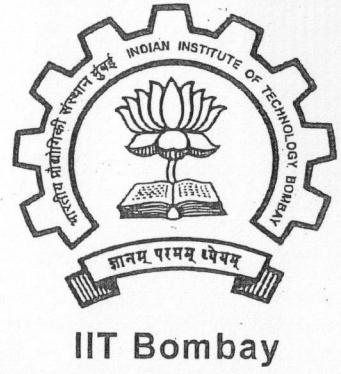
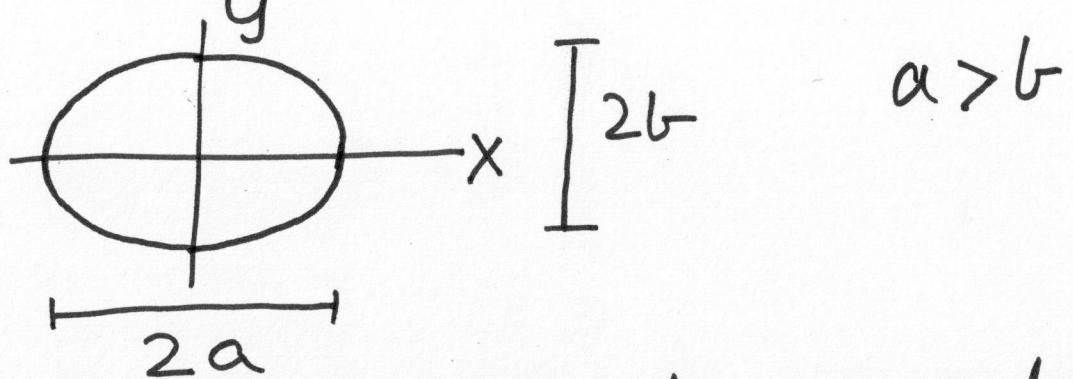
$$\text{Displacements are } u = -\alpha y z, \quad v = \alpha x z, \quad w = \alpha \psi (x, y).$$



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Some simple closed form solutions:

(i) Elliptic section.



Prandtl's stress function approach - choose  $\phi = m \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 \right)$

such that  $\phi_s = 0$  and  $\nabla^2 \phi = \text{const.}$   
 $\nabla^2 \phi = -2G\alpha \Rightarrow m = \frac{a^2 b^2}{2(a^2 + b^2)} (-2G\alpha)$

$$M = 2 \iint \phi dA = \left[ 2 \frac{a^2 b^2}{2(a^2 + b^2)} (-2G\alpha) \right] \iint_A \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 \right) dA = K \left( \frac{I_y}{a^2} + \frac{I_x}{b^2} - A \right)$$

For ellipse  $I_y = \frac{\pi a^3 b}{4}$ ,  $I_x = \frac{\pi a b^3}{4}$ ,  $A = \pi a b$

$$\Rightarrow M = \frac{\pi a^3 b^3}{(a^2 + b^2)} G \alpha ; \text{ ie } C = \frac{\pi a^3 b^3}{a^2 + b^2} G$$

$$\phi = -\frac{M}{ab} \left( \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} - 1 \right)$$

$$\tau_{xz} = -\frac{2My}{\pi ab^3}; \quad \tau_{yz} = \frac{2Mx}{\pi a^3 b}$$

$\frac{\tau_{xz}}{\tau_{yz}} \propto \frac{y}{x} \Rightarrow$  direction of  $\tau$  is constant along radial line, and it should coincide with boundary (i.e  $\phi = 0 = \text{const curve}$ ).

$$(\tau^2)_{S'} = \frac{4M^2}{\pi^2 a^2 b^2} \left( \frac{y^2}{b^4} + \frac{x^2}{a^4} \right) = \frac{4M^2}{(\pi ab)^2} \left[ \frac{1}{b^2} - x^2 \left( \frac{1}{a^2 b^2} - \frac{1}{a^4} \right) \right] > 0$$

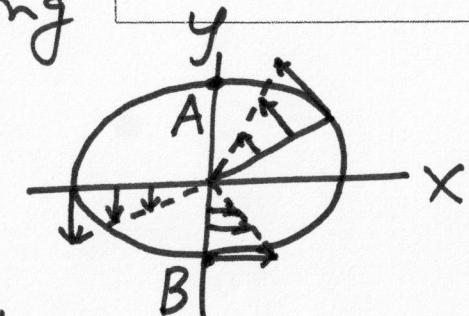
$\Rightarrow (\tau^2)_{\max}$  occurs on  $S'$  for  $x=0$ , ie at A, B.  $\tau_{\max} = \frac{2M}{\pi ab^2}$

You can get this result from membrane analogy.

$\tau = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n}$  on  $S'$  ( $\because$  its a  $\phi = \text{const curve}$ ). Since  $\left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial n} \right)_S$  for membrane is max at A & B (by observation), then  $\tau$  max at A & B.



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$\tau_{xz} = 0$  on x-axis

$\tau_{yz} = 0$  on y-axis

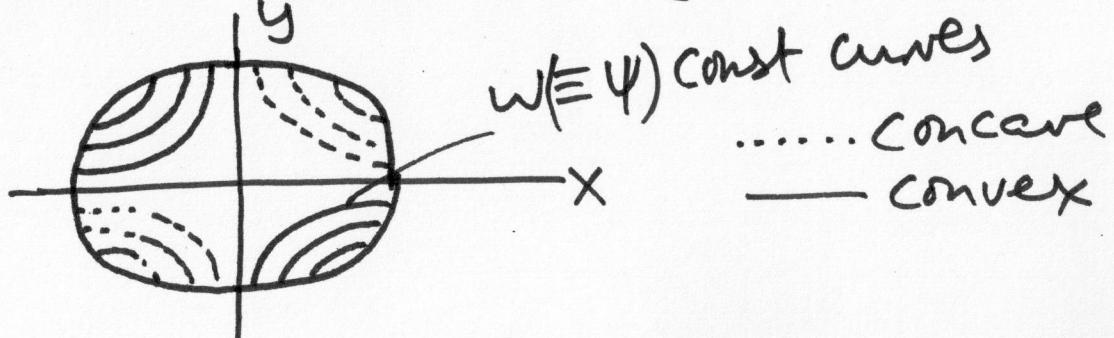
$$u = -\alpha z y = -\frac{(a^2 + b^2)}{\pi a^3 b^3 G} M y z$$

$$v = \alpha z x = \frac{(a^2 + b^2)}{\pi a^3 b^3 G} M x z$$

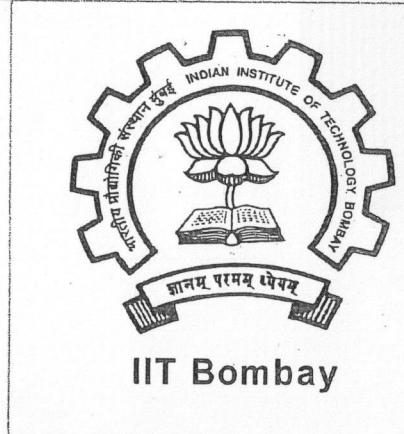
$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} + \alpha y = -\frac{(a^2 - b^2) M}{\pi a^3 b^3 G} y$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial y} = -\frac{1}{G} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} - \alpha x = -\frac{(a^2 - b^2) M}{\pi a^3 b^3 G} x$$

$w = \text{const}$  lines are hyperbolae

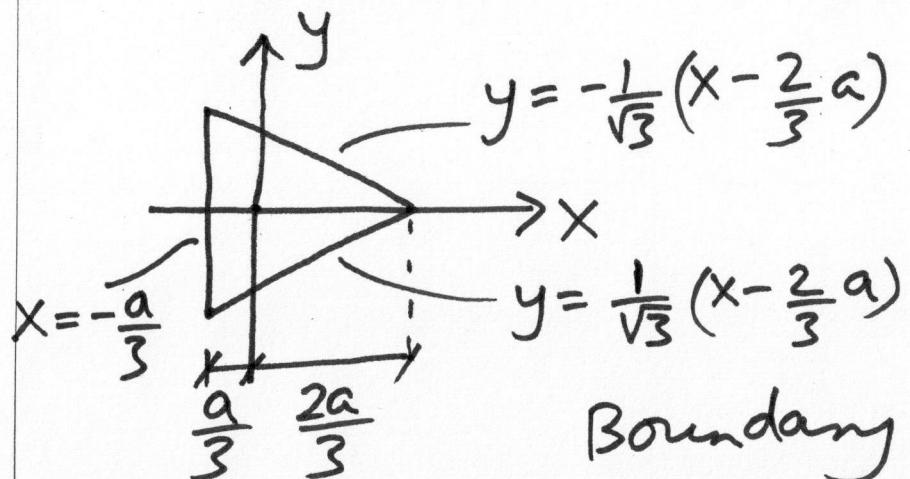


Warping of section  
Convex in 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> quad  
Concave in 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> quad.



const, ie  
RB motion  
so neglect.

## (ii) Equilateral Triangle.



Boundary curve  $\rightarrow F(x, y) = (x + \frac{a}{3})(x - \frac{2}{3}a + \sqrt{3}y) \neq 0$

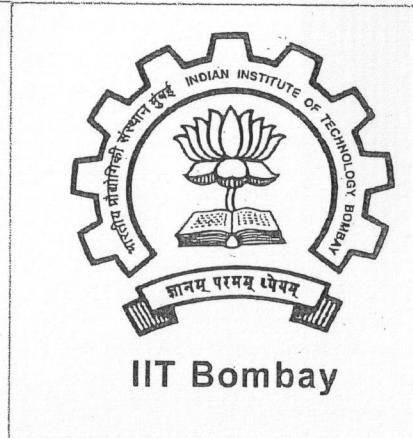
Try  $\phi = mF(x, y)$  so that  $\phi_s = 0$ . Check if  $\nabla^2\phi = \text{const. } \because (x - \frac{2}{3}a - \sqrt{3}y)$

$$\phi = m \left( x^3 - ax^2 - 3y^2x + \frac{4}{27}a^3 - ay^2 \right) \rightarrow \nabla^2\phi = m(-4a) = -2G\alpha$$

$$\tau_{xz} = \phi_y = -\frac{6\alpha y}{a} (3x + a); \tau_{yz} = -\phi_x = -\frac{6\alpha x}{2a} (3x^2 - 2ax - 3y^2) \Rightarrow m = \frac{G\alpha}{2a}$$

- $\tau_{xz} = 0$  on  $x = -\frac{a}{3}$ , as it should be since  $\tau$  is tangential to  $x = -\frac{a}{3}$  curve, ie  $\tau = \tau_{yz}$  on  $x = -\frac{a}{3}$ .

- $\tau_{xz} = \tau_{yz} = 0$  at corners — as it should be since tangent not unique at corners so  $\tau = 0$  at corners.



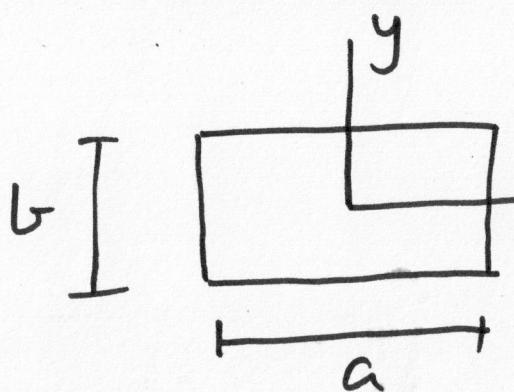
$$M = 2 \iint \underbrace{\frac{G\alpha}{2a} (x^3 - 3xy^2) dx dy}_{\text{do integral}} - G\alpha J_0 + \frac{4}{27} G\alpha a^2 A$$

do integral to get  $M = C\alpha$ .



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### (iii) Rectangle

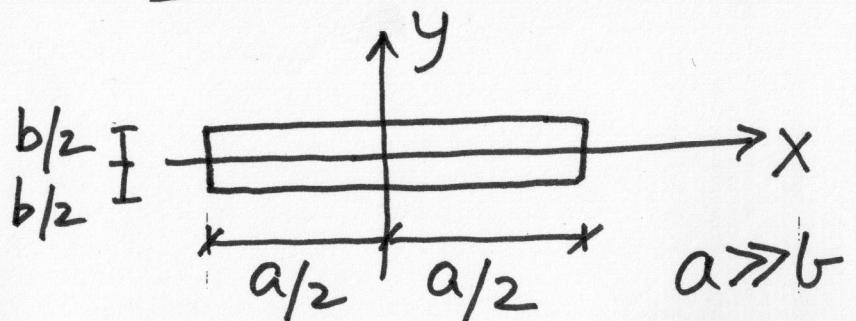


Try  $\phi = \left(y^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}\right)\left(x^2 - \frac{a^2}{4}\right)$  so that  $\phi_s = 0$ .

But  $\nabla^2 \phi \neq \text{const.}$   
So this won't work.

see Timoshenko & Goodier for Fourier series solution.

### (iv) Narrow Rectangle



For ellipse we had,

$$\phi = m \left[ \frac{x^2}{(a/2)^2} + \frac{y^2}{(b/2)^2} - 1 \right] \underset{a \gg b}{\approx} m \left[ y^2 - \frac{b^2}{4} \right] \frac{4}{b^2}$$

$$\approx -G\alpha \left( y^2 - \frac{b^2}{4} \right)$$

$a \gg b$ .

Aside: You can get same result using membrane analogy. Using this for cylindrical bending ie,  $w = w(y)$  ( $\because a \gg b$ )  $\Rightarrow \tau_{2y} = 0, \phi = \phi(y)$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla^2\phi = \frac{d^2\phi}{dy^2} = -2G\alpha \rightarrow \phi = K_1 y + \frac{(-2G\alpha)}{2} y^2 + K_2$$

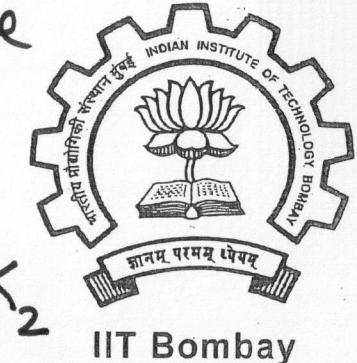
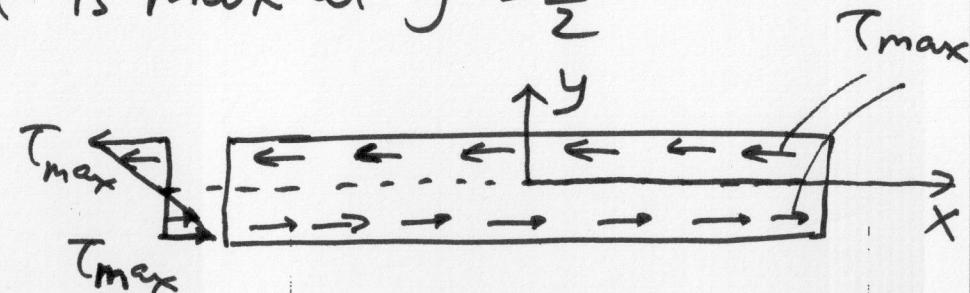
$$BC's: \phi \Big|_{y=\pm b/2} = 0 \rightarrow K_1 = 0, K_2 = G\alpha \frac{b^2}{4} \rightarrow \phi = -G\alpha \left( y^2 - \frac{b^2}{4} \right)$$

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi \, dx dy = 2 \iint_{-a/2}^{a/2} \int_{-b/2}^{b/2} -G\alpha \left( y^2 - \frac{b^2}{4} \right) \, dx dy = G\alpha \frac{ab^3}{3} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{3M}{ab^3 G}$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = \frac{3M}{ab^3} \left( \frac{b^2}{4} - y^2 \right) \rightarrow \tau_{zx} = \phi_y = -\frac{6M}{ab^3} y = 2G\alpha y$$

Membrane analogy  $\rightarrow w_{xy} = \tau_{zx} = \tau$  is max at  $y = \pm \frac{b}{2}$

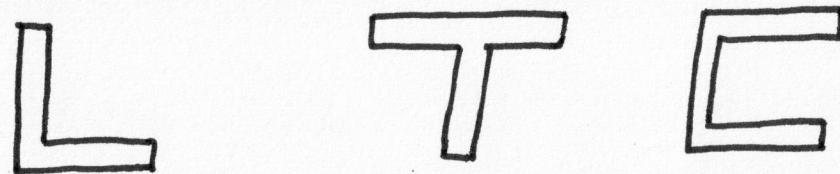
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\tau_{\max} = \frac{3M}{ab^2} = bG\alpha}$$



Note: If you calculate  $M$  using approx shear stresses  
 $M = \iint_{-a/2}^{a/2} \int_{-b/2}^{b/2} (x\tau_{yz} - y\tau_{xz}) dx dy \approx \frac{1}{6} G \alpha ab^3$  ! ie  $\tau_{zy} \approx 0$ ,  
 $\tau_{xz} \approx 0$

ie, half of actual  $M$ .  
 Thus we conclude that although  $\tau_{zy} \approx 0$  it contributes to 50% of  $M$  :: lever arm  $x$  ( $\approx a/2$ ) is large.

### Rolled Sections — Open Thin Walled Members.



Membrane analogy: If narrow rectangular membrane is loaded and then bent, the volume displaced (bounded) & the slopes will essentially remain unchanged (except at corners). Example is thin cylindrical balloon bent into various shapes. Thus narrow rectangular bar when bent into a curved cross-section bar will have the same torsional moment & shear stresses. So treat all curved narrow rectangles as



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straight rectangles when solving such problems.

Let,

$a_i, b_i \rightarrow$  length & width of  $i^{\text{th}}$  narrow rectangle  
in the cross-section

$M_i \rightarrow$  twisting moment on (or carried by) the  
 $i^{\text{th}}$  narrow rectangle

$\tau_i \rightarrow$  max shear stress in  $i^{\text{th}}$  narrow rectangle

$\alpha \rightarrow$  twist per unit length of bar (Note  $\alpha_i = \alpha$ , since no  
inplane distortion).

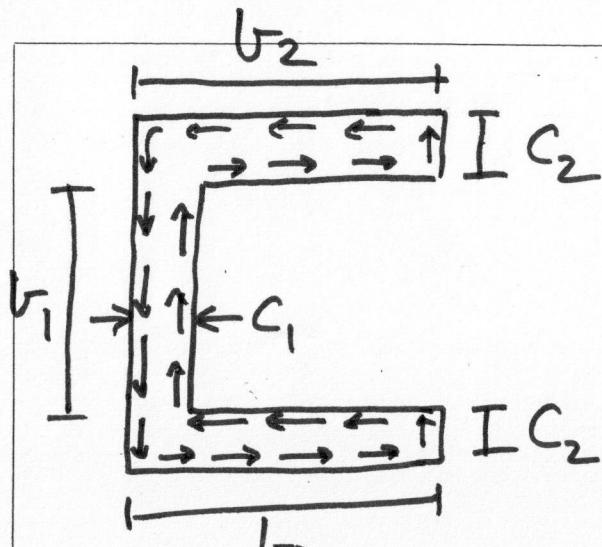
$$\Rightarrow \tau_i = \frac{3M_i}{a_i b_i^2} ; \alpha = \frac{3M_i}{a_i b_i^3 G} = \alpha_i ; M = \sum M_i = \frac{G\alpha}{3} \sum a_i b_i^3 ;$$

$$M_i = \frac{a_i b_i^3}{\sum a_i b_i^3} M ; \boxed{\tau_i = \frac{3M}{\sum a_i b_i^3} b_i ; \alpha = \frac{3M}{G \sum a_i b_i^3}} ; C = \frac{G \sum a_i b_i^3}{3}$$

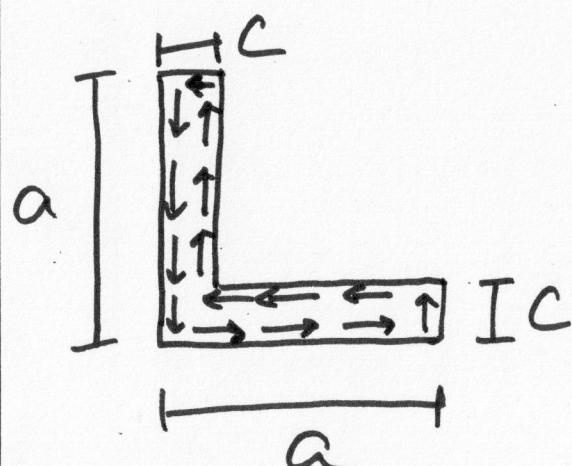
Above formula for  $\tau_i$  ( $i.e(\tau_{\text{max}})$ ) does not hold at corners where  
we have stress concentrations.



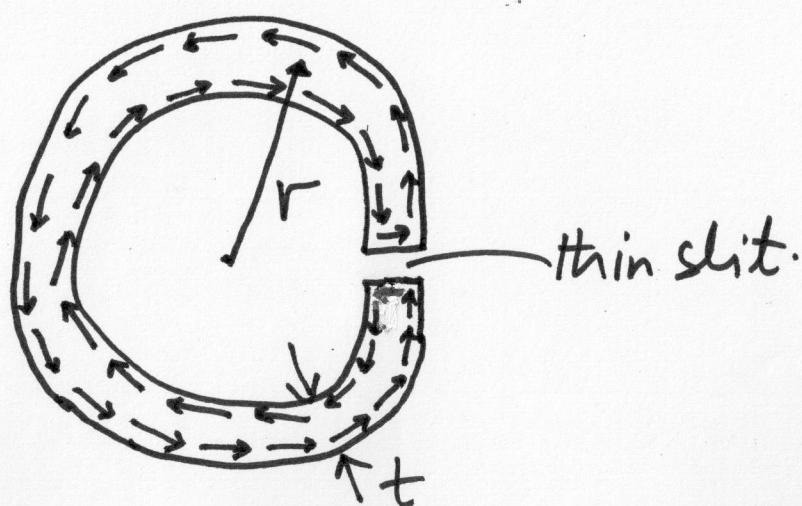
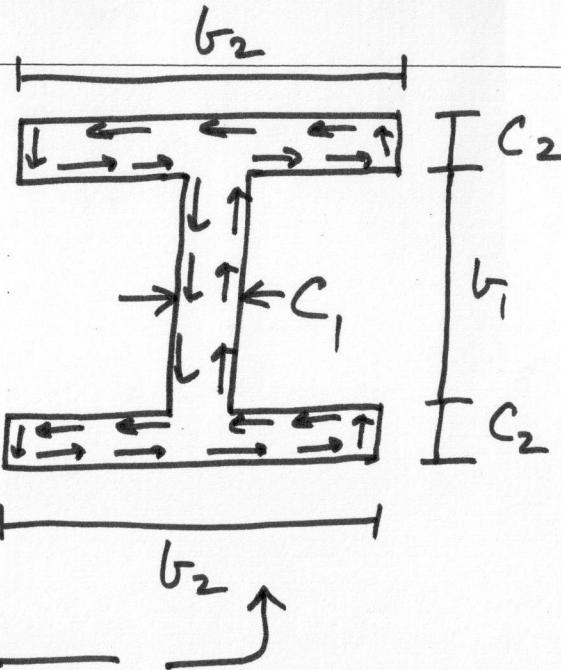
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$$\alpha = \frac{3M}{(b_1 c_1^3 + 2b_2 c_2^3) G}$$



$$\alpha = \frac{3M}{(2a - c)c^3 G}$$



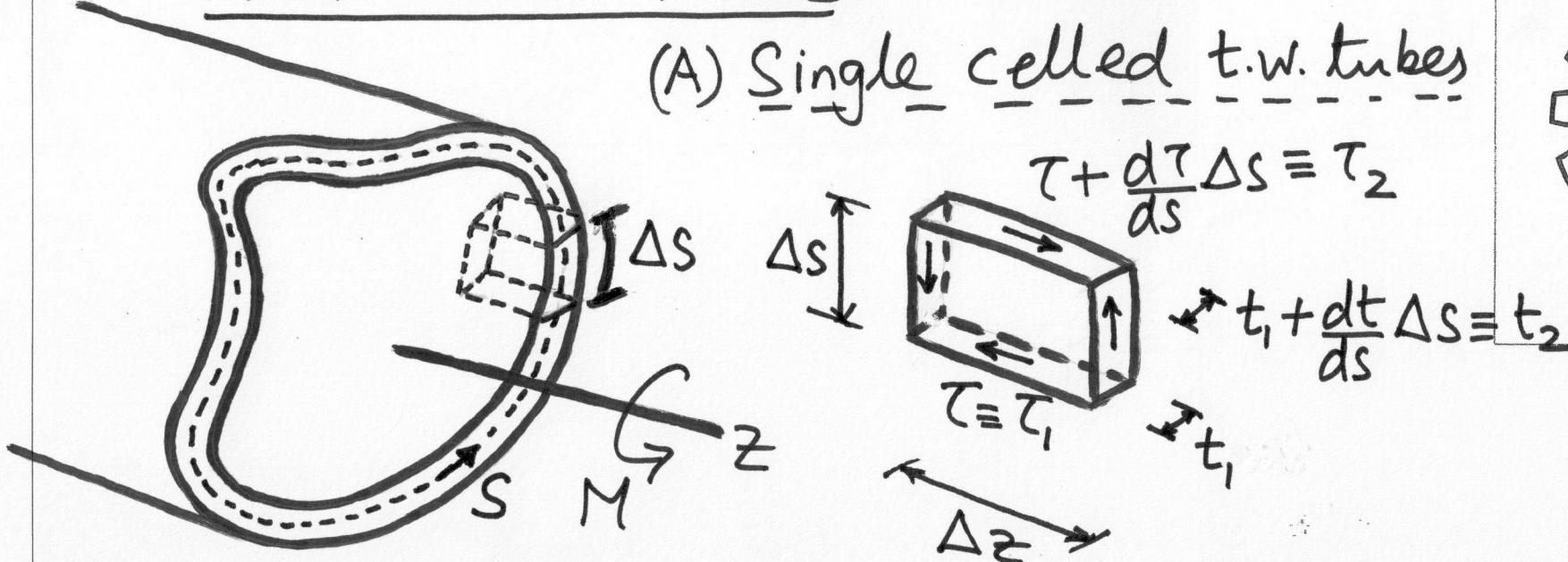
$$\alpha = \frac{3M}{2\pi t r^3 G}$$



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## THIN WALLED TUBES

(A) Single celled t.w. tubes



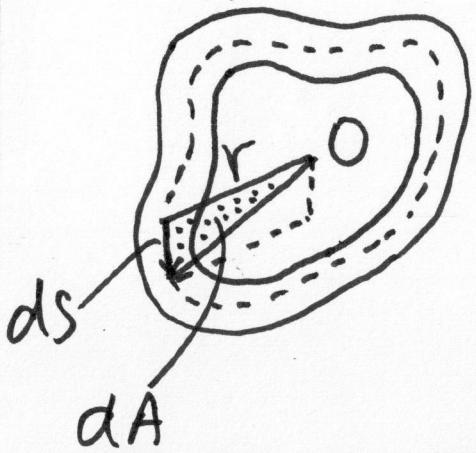
Assumption: Since wall is thin,  $\tau = \tau_{2s}$  = constant thickness and  $\tau$  directed along  $\mathbb{C}$  even when  $t = t(s)$ .

$$\sum F_z = 0 \Rightarrow (\tau_2 t_2 - \tau_1 t_1) \Delta z = 0, \text{ ie } d(\tau t) = 0$$

i.e,

$\tau t = q = \text{const (wrt } s\text{)}$ $\hookrightarrow \text{shear flow}$	= $\tau_1 t_1 = \tau_2 t_2$
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①



$$M_R = \oint r \times T \, ds = q \oint_s r \, ds = q \int_A 2r \, ds$$

$$\Rightarrow M = 2qA \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Bredt's formula

$$T = \sigma_z s = \frac{M}{2tA} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$



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$A$  = area enclosed by  $\Gamma$

$\approx$  area enclosed by inner perimeter

Castigliano's theorem

Apply load  $F_i$  which generates strain energy  $U$ . Then,

$$d_i = \frac{\partial U}{\partial F_i} = \text{displ. in direction of } F_i$$

$$U_T = \text{strain energy in torsion} = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \sigma_{ij} e_{ij} dV = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V 2 \sigma_{sz} e_{sz} dV$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \sigma_{sz}^2 \frac{2(1+\nu)}{E} dV = \frac{1}{2} \iiint_V \frac{T^2}{G} dV = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^Z \int_S \frac{M^2}{4t^2 A^2 G} t \, ds \, dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{Z}{4GA^2} \int_S \frac{M^2}{t} ds$$

for single-celled  $q = \text{const wrt } s'$

$$\Rightarrow M = \text{const wrt } s' \Rightarrow U_T = \frac{1}{2} \frac{M^2 Z}{4GA^2} \int_S \frac{1}{t} ds$$

Using Castiglano's theorem

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial U_T}{\partial M} = \alpha = \frac{1}{4GA^2} \int_s \frac{M}{t} ds = \boxed{\frac{1}{2GA} \int_s \frac{q}{t} ds = \alpha}$$

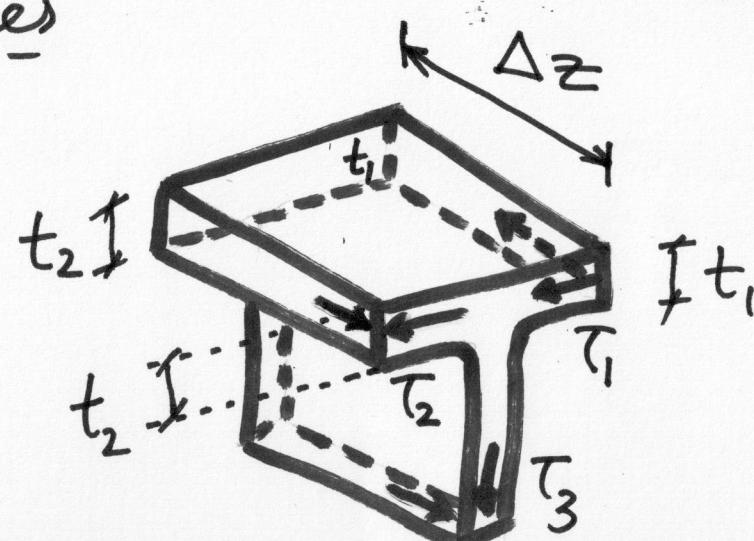
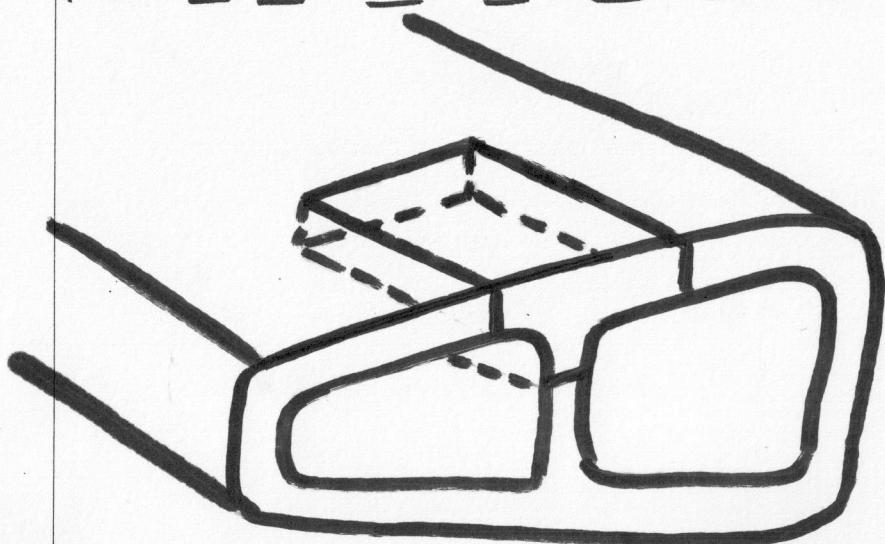
For  $q = \text{const over } s$ ,  $\alpha = \frac{q}{2GA} \int_s \frac{1}{t} ds$

(for use in single-celled case only)



When  $q$  changes along  $\ell$  of cell.  
(for use in multi-celled case)

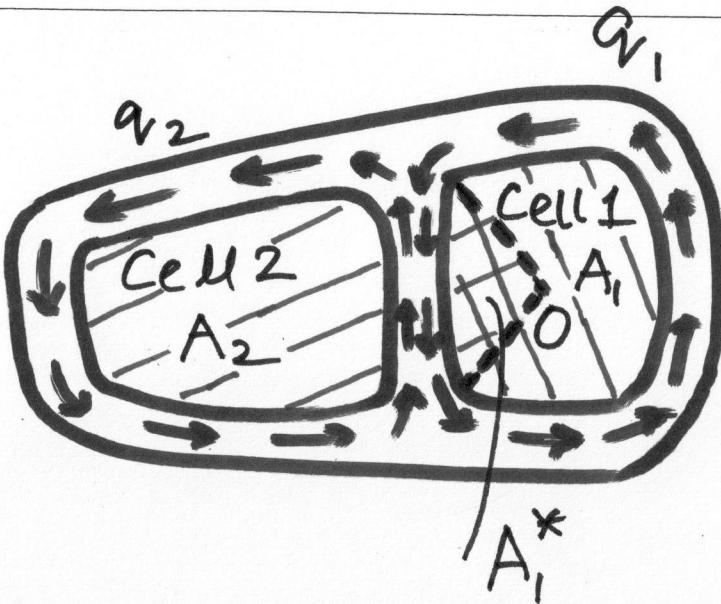
### (B) Multi-celled t.w. tubes



analogous to current/fluid flow.

$$\sum F_z = 0 \Rightarrow (\tau_2 t_2 + \tau_3 t_3 - \tau_1 t_1) \Delta z = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$q_2 + q_3 = q_1 \rightarrow \boxed{5}$$



Cell 1  $\rightarrow M_1 = 2q_1 A_1$   
 $M_1$  = moment about O due  
 to  $q_1$   
Cell 2



$$M_2 = 2q_2 (A_2 + A_1^*) - 2q_2 A_1^*$$

moment abt O due to  $q_2 \leftarrow M_2 = 2q_2 A_2$

$$M = M_1 + M_2 = 2q_1 A_1 + 2q_2 A_2 \rightarrow 2a$$

Now rate of twist is same for all cells (Compatibility).

Using ④  $\rightarrow$  for cell 1  $\rightarrow 2G\alpha = \frac{1}{A_1} (q_1 q_1 - q_{12} q_2) \rightarrow 4a$

for cell 2  $\rightarrow 2G\alpha = \frac{1}{A_2} (q_2 q_2 - q_{12} q_1)$

Where  $q_1 = \oint \frac{ds}{t}$  for cell 1 (including web);  $q_2 = \oint \frac{ds}{t}$  for cell 2 (incl. web)  
 $q_{12} = \int \frac{ds}{t}$  for web only.

## Rigorous way of deriving 4a :

Here we directly applied ④ to each cell. A better way of deriving ④a from first principles is as follows.

$$U_T = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{z^2}{G} dV = \frac{1}{2} z \oint \frac{q^2}{Gt^2} t ds = \frac{1}{2} z \oint \frac{q^2}{Gt} ds$$

Used  
 $q = q_1$  for  $C_1$   
 $= q_2$  for  $C_2$   
 $= q_3 = q_1 - q_2$  for web

$$= \frac{1}{2} z \left[ \oint_{C_1} \frac{q_1^2}{Gt} ds + \oint_{C_2} \frac{q_2^2}{Gt} ds - 2 \int_{\text{web}} \frac{q_1 q_2}{Gt} ds \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} z \left[ \oint_{C_1} \frac{M_1^2}{Gt + 4A_1^2} ds + \oint_{C_2} \frac{M_2^2}{Gt + 4A_2^2} ds - 2 \int_{\text{web}} \frac{M_1 M_2}{Gt + 4A_1 A_2} ds \right]$$

$q_2, C_2$        $C_1, q_1$   
 web,       $q_3 = q_1 - q_2$

Used  $M_1 = 2q_1 A_1$ ,  
 $M_2 = 2q_2 A_2$

Note:  $M = M_1 + M_2$  applied.  $M_1$  causes  $\alpha_1$  in cell 1.

$M_2$  causes  $\alpha_2$  in cell 2. Using Castigliano's theorem,

$$\frac{\partial U_T}{\partial M_1} = \alpha_1 z = z \left[ \oint_{C_1} \frac{M_1}{Gt + 4A_1^2} ds - \int_{\text{web}} \frac{M_2}{Gt + 4A_1 A_2} ds \right]$$

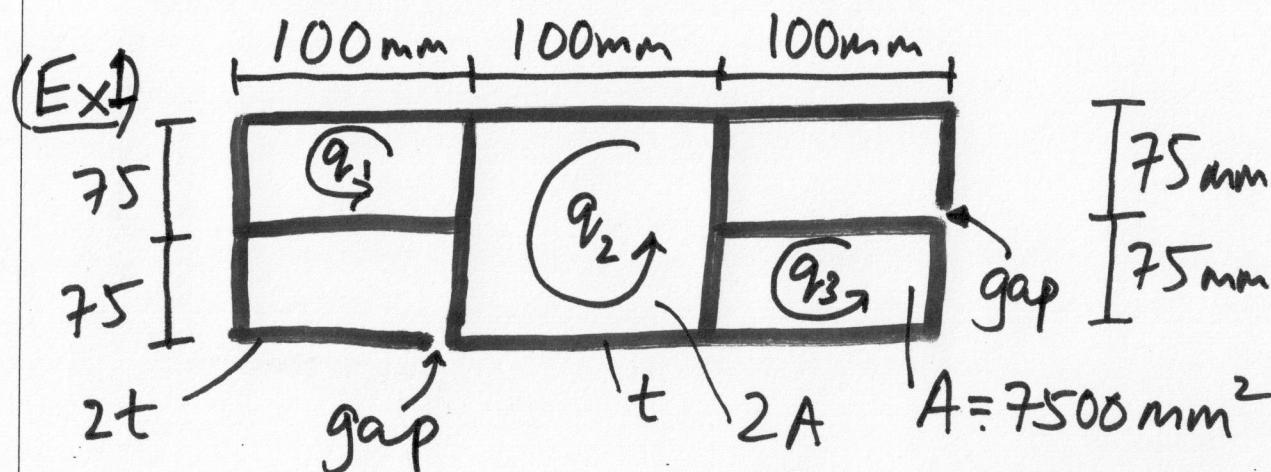
$$\frac{\partial U_T}{\partial M_2} = \alpha_2 z = z \left[ \oint_{C_2} \frac{M_2}{Gt + 4A_2^2} ds - \int_{\text{web}} \frac{M_1}{Gt + 4A_1 A_2} ds \right]$$

Compatibility  $\Rightarrow \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{2GA_1} \left[ q_1 \oint_{C_1} \frac{ds}{t} - q_2 \int_{\text{web}} \frac{ds}{t} \right]$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2GA_2} \left[ q_2 \oint_{C_2} \frac{ds}{t} - q_1 \int_{\text{web}} \frac{ds}{t} \right]$$

④a  
(repeated)



Loops:  $2G\alpha A = \frac{1}{t} (q_1 \cdot 350 - q_2 \cdot 75)$

$$2G\alpha 2A = \frac{1}{t} (q_2 \cdot 500 - q_1 \cdot 75 - q_3 \cdot 75)$$

$$2G\alpha A = \frac{1}{t} (q_3 \cdot 350 - q_2 \cdot 75)$$

Thickness of open legs = 6mm  
closed <sup>loop</sup> legs = 3mm

Find: (a) Torsional rigidity  
(b) Max T & leg(s)  
where it occurs.

$\rightarrow$  Solution is

$$q_1 = q_3 = \frac{325}{81875} (2G\alpha At)$$

$$q_2 = \frac{425}{81875} (2G\alpha At)$$

$$M_1 = M_{\text{loops}} = 2 * 2q_1 A + 2q_2 (2A) = 4A(q_1 + q_2)$$

$$= 12.3664 * 10^6 G \alpha$$

Open legs:

$$M_2 = M_{\text{open legs}}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{3M_2}{G \sum a_i b_i^3} = \frac{3M_2}{G(2 * 175 * 6^3)}$$

$$\text{Torsional rigidity} = C = \frac{M}{\alpha} = \frac{M_1 + M_2}{\alpha} = \frac{12.392 * 10^6 G}{(if G \text{ in } N/mm^2)}$$

Max  $T_{Sz}$  in loops corresponds to  $q_2$  sheer flow

$$(T_{Sz})_{\max \text{ in loops}} = \frac{q_2}{t} = 77.86 G \alpha \text{ N/mm}^2$$

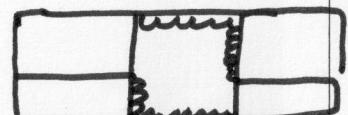
$$(T_{Sz})_{\max, \text{ in open legs}} = G \alpha (b_i)_{\max} = 6 G \alpha \text{ N/mm}^2$$

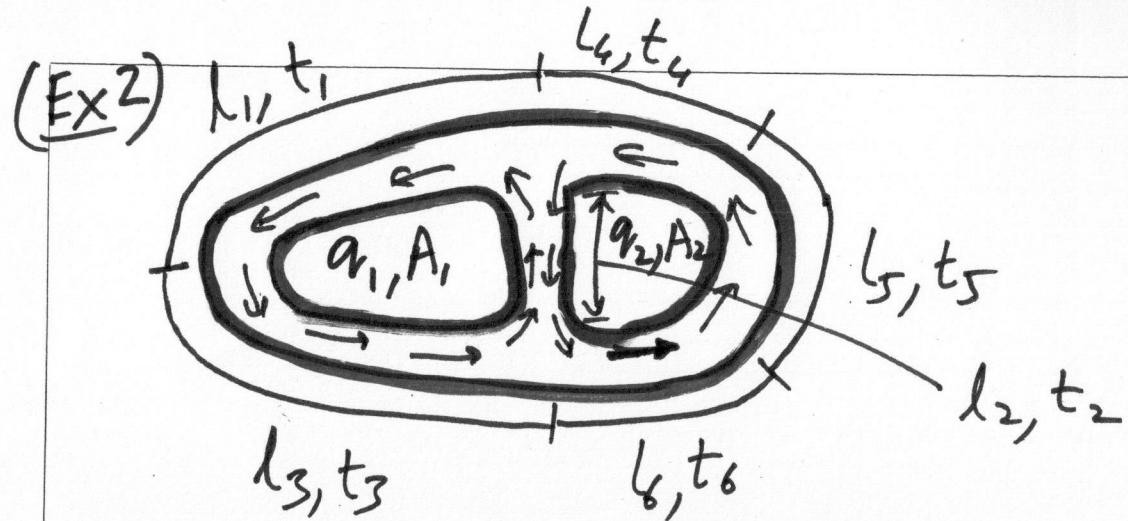
So  $(T_{Sz})_{\max}$  occurs in loops. as indicated by mm  $\rightarrow$

$$(T_{Sz})_{\max} = 77.86 G \alpha = \frac{77.86 M * 10^{-6}}{12.392} = 6.283 * 10^{-6} M, \text{ N/mm}^2$$



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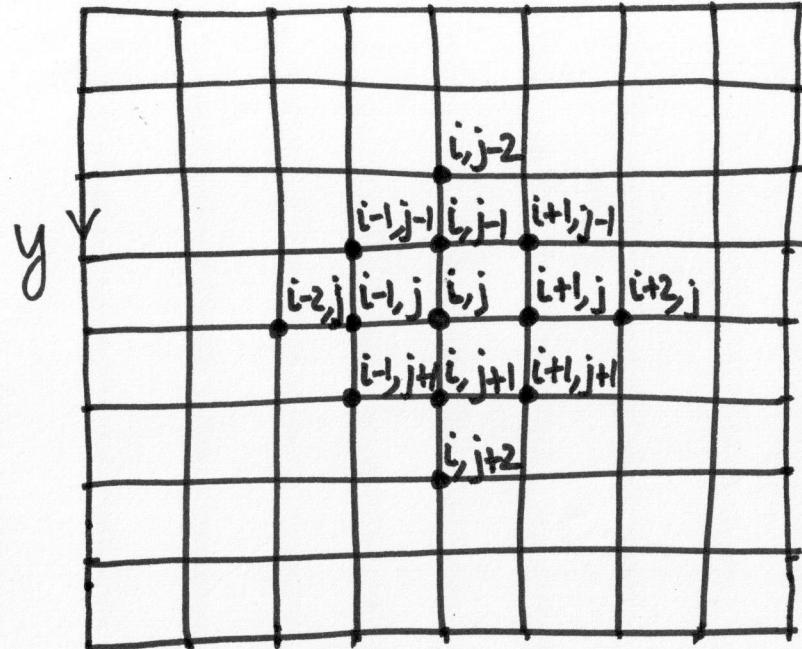
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} M = 2q_1 A_1 + 2q_2 A_2 \\ 2G\alpha = \frac{1}{A_1} (a_1 q_1 - a_{12} q_2) = \frac{1}{A_1} \left( \frac{l_1}{t_1} + \frac{l_3}{t_3} + \frac{l_2}{t_2} \right) q_1 - \frac{l_2}{t_2} q_2 \end{array} \right.$$

$$2G\alpha = \frac{1}{A_2} (a_2 q_2 - a_{12} q_1) = \frac{1}{A_2} \left( \frac{l_6}{t_6} + \frac{l_5}{t_5} + \frac{l_4}{t_4} + \frac{l_2}{t_2} \right) q_2 - \frac{l_2}{t_2} q_1$$

→ Solve  $q_1, q_2, \alpha$ .

Later we will compare result derived from Hollow Thick Walled Torsion, specialized for thin-walled case, with the above result obtained from thin-walled torsion theory — see (Ex 4) pp. 44–46.

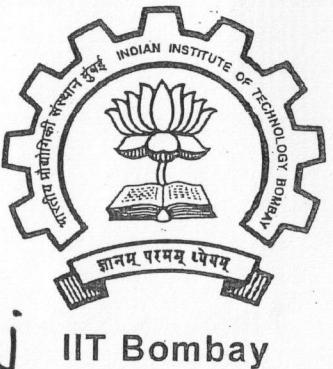
# FINITE DIFFERENCE METHOD FOR TORSION.



$$f_{i+1,j} = f_{i,j} + h \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} + \frac{h^2}{2} \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \right)_{i,j} \rightarrow (i)$$

$$f_{i-1,j} = f_{i,j} - h \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} + \frac{h^2}{2} \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \right)_{i,j} \rightarrow (ii)$$

$$f_{i+2,j} = f_{i,j} + 2h \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)_{i,j} + 2h^2 \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \right)_{i,j} \rightarrow (iii)$$



only formulae relevant to Torsion  
are presented here.

Central Difference

$$(i, ii) \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}_{i,j} = \frac{f_{i+1,j} - f_{i-1,j}}{2h} \rightarrow ①$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}_{i,j} = \frac{f_{i+1,j} + f_{i-1,j} - 2f_{i,j}}{h^2}$$

$$; \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}_{i,j} = \frac{f_{i,j+1} - f_{i,j-1}}{2h} \rightarrow ②$$

$$; \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}_{i,j} = \frac{f_{i,j+1} + f_{i,j-1} - 2f_{i,j}}{h^2}$$

## Forward/Backward Difference

$$(i), (iii) \rightarrow \frac{\partial f_{i,j}}{\partial x} = \frac{4f_{i+1,j} - 3f_{i,j} - f_{i+2,j}}{2h}$$

$$\frac{\partial f_{i,j}}{\partial x} = \frac{-4f_{i-1,j} + 3f_{i,j} + f_{i+2,j}}{2h}$$

$$\frac{\partial f_{i,j}}{\partial y} = \frac{4f_{i,j+1} - 3f_{i,j} - f_{i,j+2}}{2h}$$

$$\frac{\partial f_{i,j}}{\partial y} = \frac{-4f_{i,j-1} + 3f_{i,j} + f_{i,j-2}}{2h}$$

use only  
for stresses  
at boundary  
nodes.

→ 1(b, c, d, e)



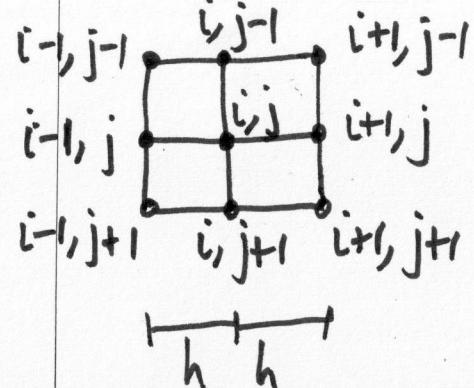
$$\nabla^2 \phi_{i,j} = \phi_{i+1,j} + \phi_{i-1,j} + \phi_{i,j+1} + \phi_{i,j-1} - 4\phi_{i,j} = -2G\alpha h^2 \rightarrow ②$$

$$(\phi)_{\text{boundary node}} = (\phi)_S = 0 \rightarrow ③$$

Write ② for all interior nodes. Using ②, ③, solve  $\phi$  at all interior nodes. Then use ① for stresses. ( $f = \phi$ ).

Solution of ②, ③ gives  $(\phi)_{\text{interior node}} = \text{number} * G \alpha h^2$

To get  $\alpha$  in terms of applied  $M$ , use  $M = 2 \iint_A \phi dx dy$ .

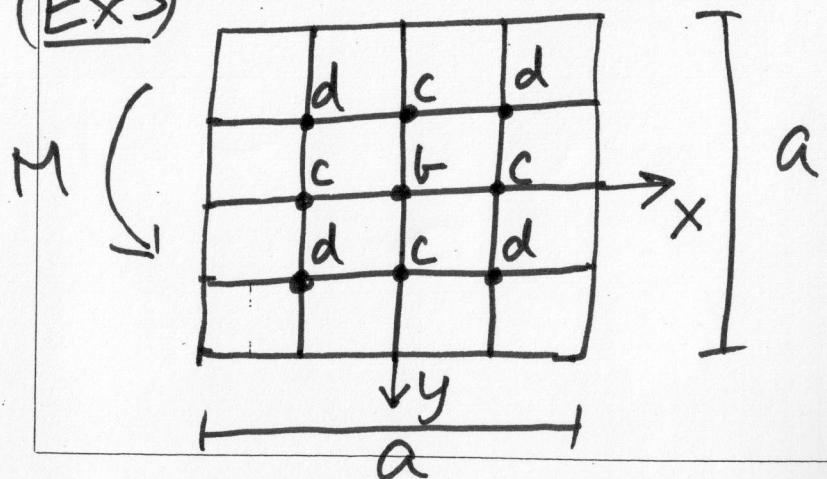


Using Simpson's rule,

$$\iint_{x_i-h}^{x_i+h} \iint_{y_i-h}^{y_i+h} \phi dx dy = \frac{h^2}{9} \left[ 16\phi_{i,j} + 4(\phi_{i+1,j} + \phi_{i-1,j} + \phi_{i,j+1} + \phi_{i,j-1}) + (\phi_{i+1,j+1} + \phi_{i+1,j-1} + \phi_{i-1,j+1} + \phi_{i-1,j-1}) \right]$$

Adding integrals over squares of size  $2h \times 2h$  you get  
 $M = \text{number} * G \alpha h^4 \rightarrow \text{solve for } \alpha \text{ from this in terms of } M$ .

(Ex 3)



Square ( $a \times a$ ) section. Use  $h = a/4$ .

Using symmetry you can identify nodes 'd' and 'c' where  $\phi$  is identical, ie  $\phi_d$  &  $\phi_c$ , respectively.

Thus  $\phi_b, \phi_c, \phi_d$  are the distinct  $\phi$ 's.



From ②,

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 4\phi_b - 4\phi_c = 2G\alpha h^2 \\ 4\phi_c - \phi_b - 2\phi_d = 2G\alpha h^2 \\ 4\phi_d - 2\phi_c = 2G\alpha h^2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \phi_b = \frac{9}{4}G\alpha h^2 \\ \phi_c = \frac{7}{4}G\alpha h^2 \\ \phi_d = \frac{11}{8}G\alpha h^2 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{M}{2} = 4 * \int_{x_d-h}^{x_d+h} \int_{y_d-h}^{y_d+h} \phi dxdy = (16\phi_d + 4(2\phi_c) + \phi_b) \frac{h^2}{9} * 4 = 17G\alpha h^4$$

$$\alpha = \frac{M}{34Gh^4} = \frac{M}{0.133G\alpha^4} \quad (\text{exact value of coeff in denom is } 0.141)$$

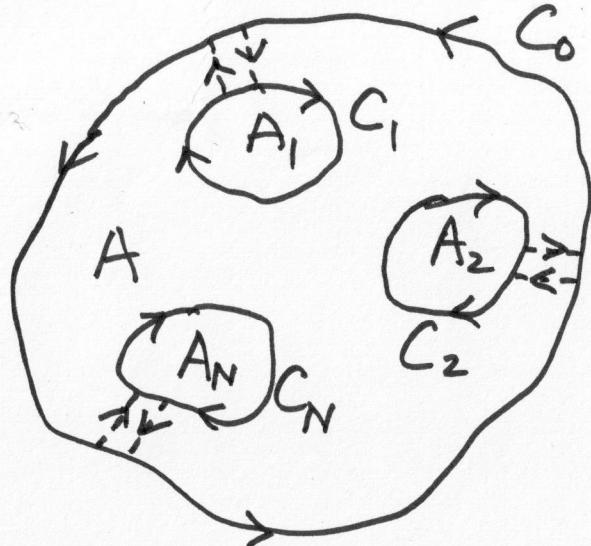
$$T_{\max} = T_{2y} \Big|_{\substack{x=a/2 \\ y=0}} = - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \Big|_{\substack{x=a/2 \\ y=0}} = - \frac{(-4\phi_c + \phi_b)}{2h} = \frac{19}{32} G\alpha a$$

$$= \frac{19}{32} \frac{M}{0.133\alpha^3} = \frac{M}{0.224\alpha^3} \quad (\text{exact value is } 0.208).$$



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# TORSION OF HOLLOW MULTICELLED THICK WALLED SHAFTS.



$C_0 \rightarrow$  external boundary

$C_1, \dots, C_N \rightarrow$  internal bndry's



$$\nabla^2 \phi = -2G\alpha \text{ in } A$$

$$\phi = 0 \text{ on } C_0$$

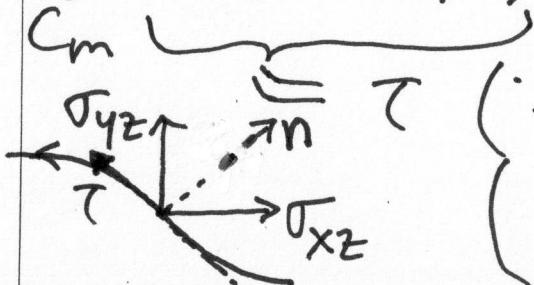
$$\phi = K_m \text{ on } C_m, m=1, \dots, N.$$

$K_m$  determined from single-valuedness of  $\psi \equiv w$ . Note  $u, v$ , are single valued by their definition (ie  $-y\alpha z$  &  $x\alpha z$ )  
 $\Rightarrow G\alpha \oint_{C_m} d\psi = 0$  (ie  $\psi$  single valued over  $C_m$ ).  
 closed loop.

$$G\alpha \oint_{C_m} (\psi_x dx + \psi_y dy) = \oint_{C_m} [(\phi_y + G\alpha y)dx - (\phi_x + G\alpha x)dy] = 0$$

$$\oint_{C_m} \left( \phi_y \frac{dx}{ds} - \phi_x \frac{dy}{ds} \right) ds = G\alpha \oint_{C_m} \left( x \frac{dy}{ds} - y \frac{dx}{ds} \right) ds$$

$$\oint (-\tau_{xz} m + \tau_{yz} l) ds = G\alpha \oint (lx + my) ds$$



$\therefore \phi = \text{const}$  on  $C_m$ , hence  $T$  tangential to  $C_m$ . Note +ve  $T$  along +ve  $S$  since CCW +ve for  $M$

(Alternatively  $\oint_y \frac{dx}{ds} - \oint_x \frac{dy}{ds} = -\oint_y \frac{dy}{dn} - \oint_x \frac{dx}{dn} = -\frac{d\phi}{dn} = T$  on  $C_m$  on which  $\phi = \text{const}$ , see p.13)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{G\alpha} \oint_{C_m} T ds = \oint_{C_m} (lx + my) ds = \iint_{A_m} (1+1) dA = 2A_m$$

$$\boxed{\oint_{C_m} T ds = 2A_m G\alpha} \rightarrow \text{gives } N \text{ equations } (\because N \text{ holes})$$

Here  $A_m$  is area of the  $m^{\text{th}}$  hole bounded by  $C_m$ .

Also,

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi dx dy - \oint_{C \cup S} (x l + y m) \phi ds , \quad C \in \Sigma = C_0 \cup C_1 \dots \cup C_N$$

traversed as shown,  
ie  $C_0$  traversed CCW  
 $C_1, \dots, C_N$  trav. CW

$A = \text{area of solid portion of the hollow shaft.}$



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Choose  $\phi = 0$  on  $C_0$ ,  $\phi = K_m$  on  $C_m$

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi dA + \sum_{i=1}^N K_i \oint_{C_i} (\bar{x}x + my) ds$$

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi dA + \sum_{i=1}^N 2K_i A_i \quad \text{②}$$

{ used  $\phi = 0$  on  $C_0$   
and  $\phi = -\phi$  on  $C_m$  } see details  
on p 43a.

Solve ①, ② for  $\alpha, K_i$  ( $N+1$  unknowns).

By membrane analogy,  $M = \text{vol. displaced by membrane with flat rigid plates over holes } A_m$ , i.e.,

$$2 \iint_A \phi dA = 2 * (\text{vol displaced by membrane portion}).$$

$$2 \sum_{i=1}^N K_i A_i = 2 * (\text{vol. displaced by flat rigid plate over holes } A_m).$$

i.e.,  $K_i$  is analogous to vertical displacement of  $i^{th}$  flat rigid plate.



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Details of sign change in  $\oint_{C_i}$  term in eqn ②

p.43.

We have 2nd term on p.42 bottom,

$$-\oint_C (xl+ym) \phi ds = - \left[ \oint_{C_0} (xl+ym) \phi ds \right]_0^{K_1} + \oint_{C_1} (xl+ym) \phi ds + \dots + \oint_{C_N} (xl+ym) \phi ds$$

Note that  $C$  traversed so that solid part lies to the left,  
ie  $C_0$  traversed CCW &  $C_1, \dots, C_N$  traversed CW. (p.41).

$$\Rightarrow -\oint_C (xl+ym) \phi ds = - \left[ -K_1 \oint_{C_1} (xl+ym) ds - \dots - K_N \oint_{C_N} (xl+ym) ds \right]$$

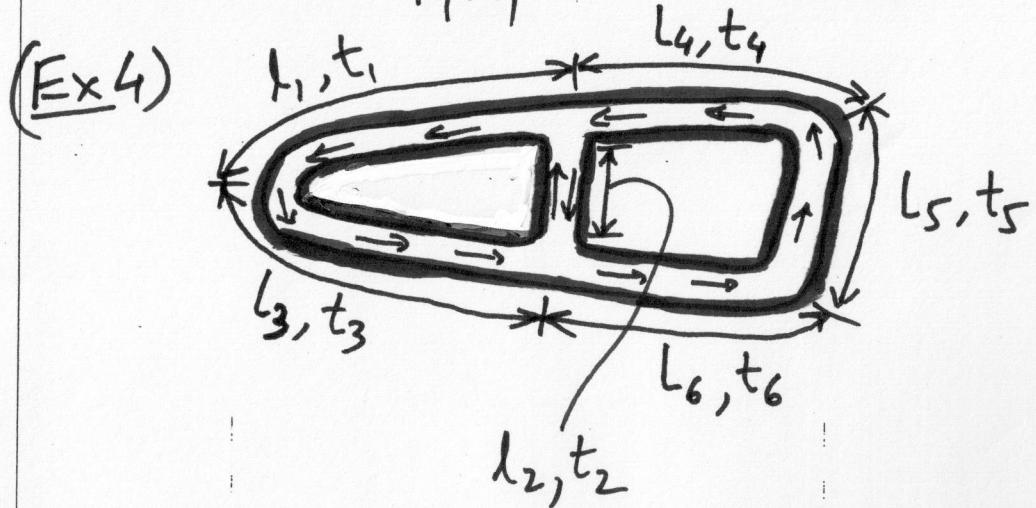
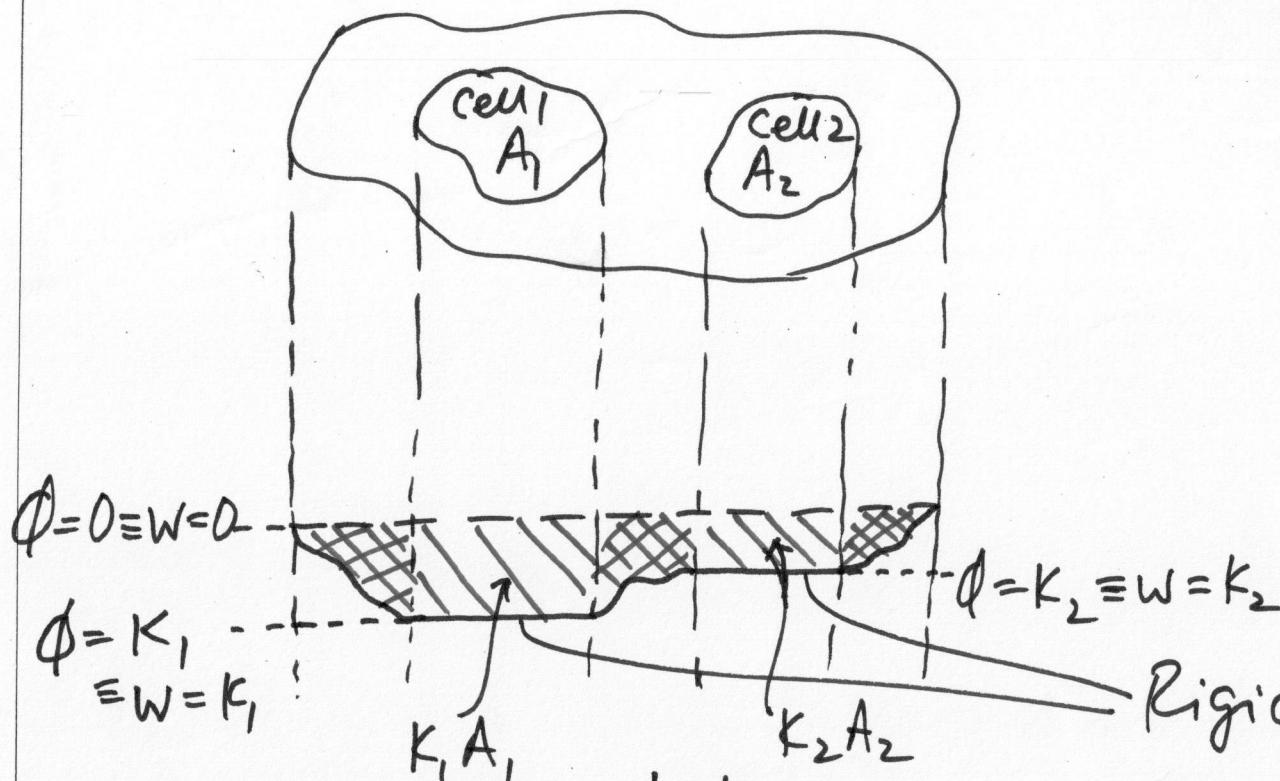
$$= + \sum_{i=1}^N K_i \oint_{C_i} (lx+my) ds.$$



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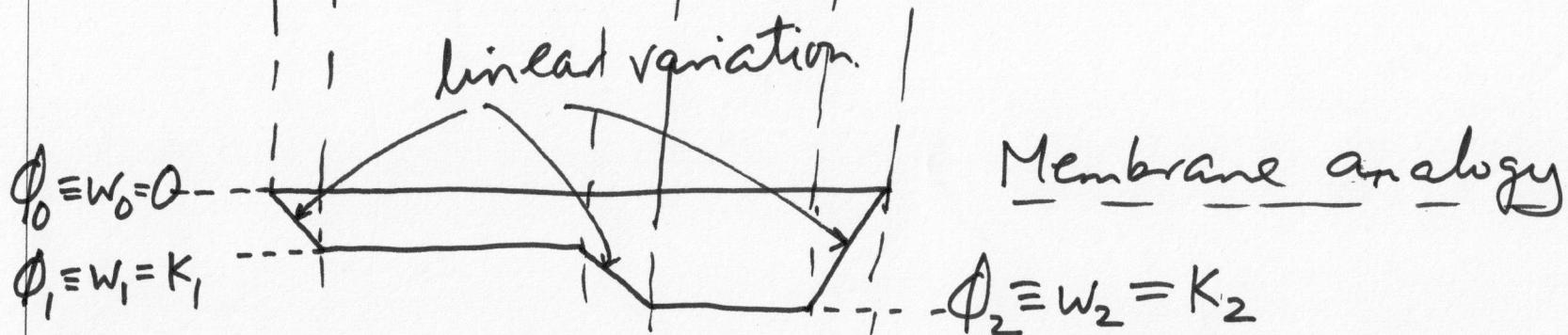
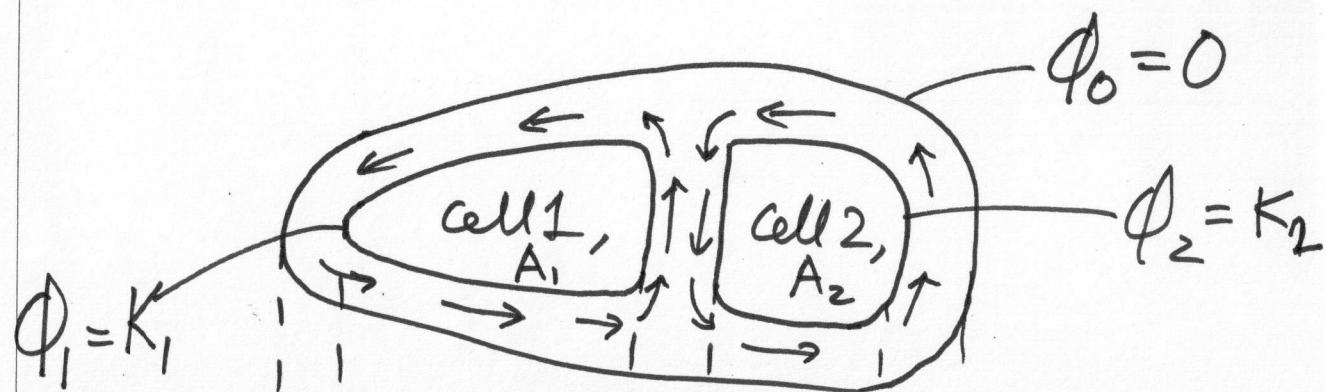


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cross-hatched  $= \iiint_A \psi dA$   
 $\text{vol} \quad A \equiv \phi$

Multi-celled thin walled tube with dimensions shown.  
 By specializing using eqns (1), (2)  
 for thick walled & multi-celled torsion,  
 obtain results same as obtained  
 using thin-walled closed tubes formulae on p. 32, 33, i.e Ex 2



Since thin walled, assume from <sup>using</sup> membrane analogy that  $\phi (=w)$  varies linearly thru wall thickness.

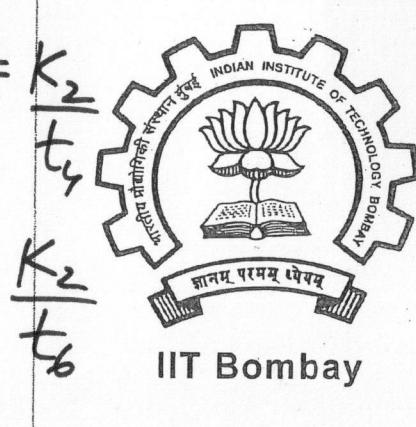
Use  $\tau = -\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial n}$  ( $\because \tau = \text{const}$  thru thk so  $\tau = \tau_s = -\phi_n$ ).

$$\underline{\text{leg } l_1}: \tau_1 = -\left(\frac{\phi_0 - \phi_1}{t_1}\right) = \frac{K_1}{t_1} ; \quad \underline{\text{leg } l_2}: \tau_2 = -\left(\frac{\phi_2 - \phi_1}{t_2}\right) = \frac{K_1 - K_2}{t_2}$$

(ie,  $\tau_2$  assumed +ve upward ↑)

$$\underline{\text{leg } l_3}: \tau_3 = -\frac{(\phi_0 - \phi_1)}{t_3} = \frac{K_1}{t_3} ; \underline{\text{leg } l_4}: \tau_4 = -\frac{(\phi_0 - \phi_2)}{t_4} = \frac{K_2}{t_4}$$

$$\underline{\text{leg } l_5}: \tau_5 = -\frac{(\phi_0 - \phi_2)}{t_5} = \frac{K_2}{t_5} ; \underline{\text{leg } l_6}: \tau_6 = -\frac{(\phi_0 - \phi_2)}{t_6} = \frac{K_2}{t_6}$$



$$C_1: \oint_C \tau ds = 2G\alpha A_1 = \frac{K_1}{t_1} l_1 + \frac{(K_1 - K_2)}{t_2} l_2 + \frac{K_1}{t_3} l_3 \rightarrow (A)$$

$$C_2: \oint_{C_2} \tau ds = 2G\alpha A_2 = \frac{K_2}{t_4} l_4 + \frac{K_2}{t_5} l_5 + \frac{K_2}{t_6} l_6 + \frac{K_2 - K_1}{t_2} l_2 \rightarrow (B)$$

$$M = 2 \iint_A \phi dA + 2K_1 A_1 + 2K_2 A_2 \rightarrow (C)$$

$\underbrace{A}_{\approx 0}$  :  $A$  small due to thin wall.

Solve  $K_1, K_2, \alpha$ , from (A), (B), (C).

Comparing with soln. using thin-walled theory, it matches with  $K_1 = q_1, K_2 = q_2$  ie shear flows. <sup>(Ex 2)</sup>