

Tutorial 3(b) - Solution.

(1) $P \rightarrow Nm^{-1}$

Let $\phi = P g(r) f(\theta)$.

$Nm^{-2} \nabla_{rr}^2 \phi = \frac{1}{r^2} \phi_{,\theta\theta} + \frac{1}{r} \phi_{,r}$ \Rightarrow $\begin{matrix} \text{from 1st term} \\ \uparrow \\ g(r)=r, \text{ or } g'=const \end{matrix}$ $\begin{matrix} \text{from 2nd term} \\ \uparrow \\ g'=const \end{matrix}$ (from dimensional analysis)

$\nabla_{\theta\theta} \phi = \phi_{,rr} \Rightarrow g'' = \frac{1}{r}$, i.e. $g = r(\ln r - 1)$ (from dim analysis)

$\nabla_{r\theta} \phi = -(\frac{1}{r} \phi_{,\theta})_{,r} = \frac{1}{r^2} \phi_{,\theta} - \frac{1}{r} \phi_{,r\theta} \Rightarrow g(r)=r$ or $g'=const$

We try only the polynomial forms, first. (same thing)

So $g(r)=r$ chosen for semi-inverse method. If poly form doesn't work, we'll have to try other functional forms.

So choose $\phi = r f(\theta)$ [P is absorbed back in $f(\theta)$ so it will appear in constants of integration later on].

Notice that all these give a unique poly form for $g(r)$

Substitute in $\nabla^4 \phi = 0$, get, \rightarrow see bottom of page for 'routine' details.

$\frac{1}{r^3} [f^{IV} + 2f'' + f] = 0$

$f = e^{st} \Rightarrow s^4 + 2s^2 + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow (s^2 + 1)^2 = 0, s = \pm i, \pm i.$

$f = A \cos \theta + B \sin \theta + C \theta \cos \theta + D \theta \sin \theta.$

$\nabla_{rr} \phi = \frac{1}{r^2} r [-A \cos \theta - B \sin \theta + C(\cos \theta - \theta \sin \theta)_{,\theta} + D(\sin \theta + \theta \cos \theta)_{,\theta}]$

$+ \frac{1}{r} [A \cos \theta + B \sin \theta + C \theta \cos \theta + D \theta \sin \theta]$

$= \frac{1}{r} [C(-\sin \theta - \sin \theta - \theta \cos \theta) + D(\cos \theta + \cos \theta - \theta \sin \theta) + C \theta \cos \theta + D \theta \sin \theta]$

$\nabla_{rr} \phi = \frac{2}{r} (-C \sin \theta + D \cos \theta) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

$\nabla_{\theta\theta} \phi = \phi_{,rr} = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

$\nabla_{r\theta} \phi = -(\frac{1}{r} r f')_{,r} = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$

$\nabla^4 \phi = (\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2})^2 \phi = (\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2}) (\frac{1}{r} f + \frac{1}{r^2} r f'')$
 $= (\frac{2}{r^3} f + \frac{2}{r^3} f'' - \frac{1}{r^3} f - \frac{1}{r^3} f'' + \frac{1}{r^3} f'' + \frac{1}{r^3} f^{IV}) = \frac{1}{r^3} (f^{IV} + 2f'' + f) = 0$

Stress BC's.

$$\tau_{\theta\theta} \Big|_{\theta = \pm \frac{\alpha}{2}} = 0 \rightarrow \text{identically satisfied by (2)} \quad (1)$$

$$\tau_{r\theta} \Big|_{\theta = \pm \frac{\alpha}{2}} = 0 \rightarrow \text{identically satisfied by (3)}$$

But we have to get load P into the solution. This is done via integral BC's along section a-b.



$$\sum F_x: P \cos \beta + \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} \tau_{rr} (r d\theta) \cos \theta = 0 \rightarrow (4)$$

$$\sum F_y: \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} \tau_{rr} r d\theta \sin \theta + P \sin \beta = 0 \rightarrow (5)$$

$$(1), (4), (5) \Rightarrow \frac{2}{r} \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} (D \cos^2 \theta - C \sin \theta \cos \theta) r d\theta + P \cos \beta = 0$$

$$\frac{2}{r} \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} (D \cos \theta \sin \theta - C \sin^2 \theta) r d\theta + P \sin \beta = 0.$$

$$\text{Integrate} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} D(\sin \alpha + \alpha) + P \cos \beta &= 0 \\ C(\sin \alpha - \alpha) + P \sin \beta &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{solve for } C, D$$

$$\Rightarrow \tau_{rr} = -\frac{2P}{r} \left[\frac{\cos \beta \cos \theta}{\sin \alpha + \alpha} + \frac{\sin \beta \sin \theta}{\alpha - \sin \alpha} \right] \blacktriangleleft$$

Note: A, B constants don't appear in solution. Notice that terms involving them, in ϕ , are $A r \cos \theta = A x$ and $A r \sin \theta = A y$. Since $\tau_{xx}, \tau_{yy}, \tau_{xy}$ involve double-diff so linear terms in ϕ don't affect stress components in Cartesian, and hence polar, coordinates.

P.2 Put $\beta = 0$, $\alpha = \pi$ ^{in result of P.1} and get the result (ie stress distribution of P.3 of HW# 3).

P.3. $M \rightarrow N \text{ mm}^{-1} = N$.

Let $\phi = M g(r) f(\theta)$. Now do as in P.1, ie dimensional analysis.

$$\nabla_{rr} \Rightarrow g(r) = \text{const or } \ln r$$

$$\nabla_{\theta\theta} \Rightarrow g(r) = \ln r$$

$$\nabla_{r\theta} \Rightarrow g(r) = \text{const or } \ln r.$$

So try poly form first. Hopefully it will work.

Semi-inverse $\rightarrow \phi = g(r) f(\theta) = f(\theta)$ (where M and the "const" are absorbed in f).

So we expect consts of integration in f to contain M .

$$\nabla^4 \phi = 0 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{r^2} f'' \right)$$

$$= \frac{6f''}{r^4} - \frac{2f''}{r^4} + \frac{1}{r^4} f'''' = \frac{1}{r^4} (f'''' + 4f'') = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s^4 + 4s^2 = 0, \quad s = 0, 0, \pm 2i$$

$$f(\theta) = A \cos 2\theta + B \sin 2\theta + C\theta + D.$$

$$\tau_{rr} = -\frac{4}{r^2} (A \cos 2\theta + B \sin 2\theta) \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\tau_{\theta\theta} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\tau_{r\theta} = + \frac{2}{r^2} [-A \sin 2\theta + B \cos 2\theta + \frac{C}{2}] \quad \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

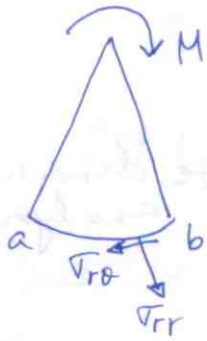
Stress BC's

$$\tau_{\theta\theta} \Big|_{\theta = \pm \frac{\alpha}{2}} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \text{identically satisfied by } \textcircled{2}$$

$$\tau_{r\theta} \Big|_{\theta = \pm \frac{\alpha}{2}} = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0 \quad \left(\text{directly observe that } A \sin 2\theta \text{ is an odd term, so all odd terms must vanish } \Rightarrow A = 0 \right).$$

$$\frac{C}{2} = -B \cos \alpha$$

Again, to get load into solution you need to use integral BC's along face a-b.



$$\sum M: M + \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} \sigma_{r\theta} (r d\theta) r = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow M + \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} \frac{2B(\cos 2\theta - \cos \alpha)}{r^2} r^2 d\theta = 0$$

$$\text{Integration} \Rightarrow 2B = -\frac{M}{\sin \alpha - \alpha \cos \alpha}$$

$$\sigma_{rr} = \frac{2M \sin 2\theta}{(\sin \alpha - \alpha \cos \alpha) r^2}$$

$$\sigma_{r\theta} = \frac{-M(\cos 2\theta - \cos \alpha)}{(\sin \alpha - \alpha \cos \alpha) r^2}$$

Extra:

You can check that this stress distribution also satisfies $\sum F_x = 0, \sum F_y = 0$ at face a-b, ie,

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \sum F_y &= \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} (\sigma_{rr} \sin \theta + \sigma_{r\theta} \cos \theta) r d\theta = 0 \\ \sum F_x &= \int_{-\alpha/2}^{\alpha/2} (\sigma_{rr} \cos \theta - \sigma_{r\theta} \sin \theta) r d\theta = 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{check it if interested}$$