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Mechanics of Materials

Deals with the relation between the external force and their effects on bodies, the deformations and the resisting stresses inside the materials

Ch 1 Simple Stresses

Axial Stress

Axial stress is the force action on a cross-section area which is perpendicular to the force.

$$\text{Axial Stress} = \frac{\text{force}}{\text{Area}}$$

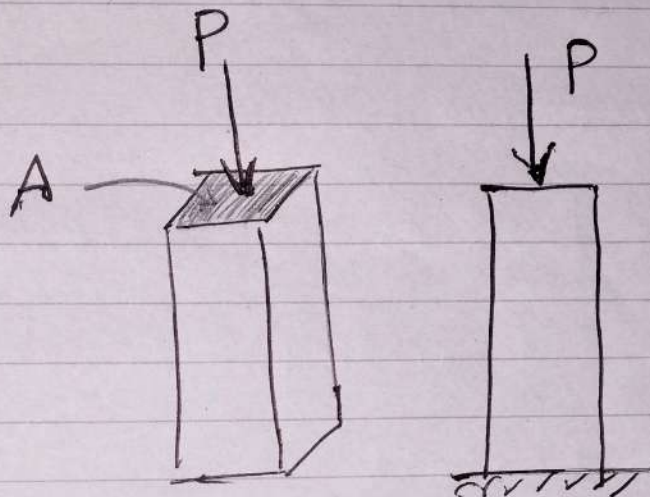
$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$$

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σ = Axial Stress (MPa)

P = Axial force (N, kN, ...)

A = Area

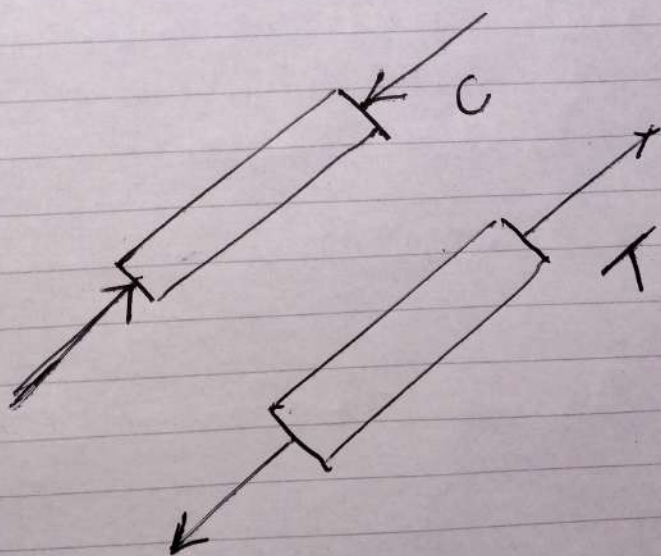


↳ Pascal

$$Pa = \frac{N}{m^2}$$

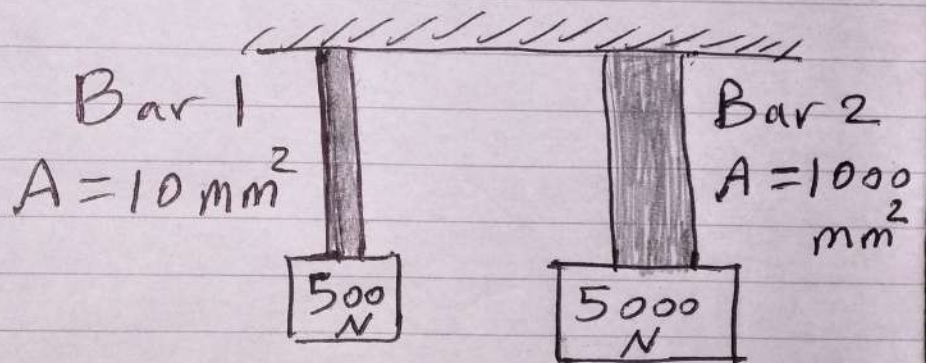
$$MPa = 10^6 Pa$$

$$1 MPa = 1 \frac{N}{mm^2}$$



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Example: Consider two bars of equal length but different materials. Bar 1 can support a maximum load of 500 N and Bar 2 supports a maximum load of 5000 N. If the cross-sectional area for Bar 1 is 10 mm^2 and for Bar 2 is 1000 mm^2 , which material is stronger?



Solution:

$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$$

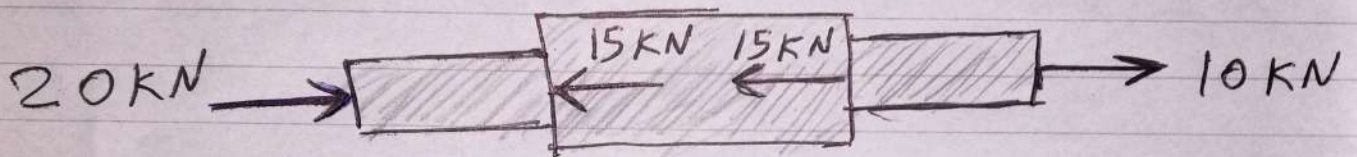
$$\sigma_1 = \frac{500}{10 \times 10^{-6}} = 50 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}^2 = 50 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = \frac{5000}{1000 \times 10^{-6}} = 5 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}^2 = 5 \text{ MPa}$$

Material of Bar 1 is stronger than Material of Bar 2

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Example: An aluminum tube is fastened between bronze and steel rods as shown. Determine the axial Stress for each material.



Bronze Aluminum Steel

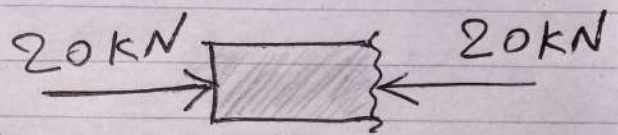
$A \text{ (mm}^2\text{)}$: 700 1000 800

Solution:

$$\sigma = \frac{P}{A}$$

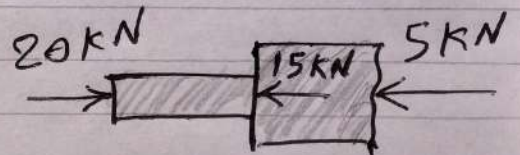
Bronze

$$\sigma_b = \frac{20 \times 10^3}{700} = 28.6 \text{ MPa} \quad \text{(C)}$$



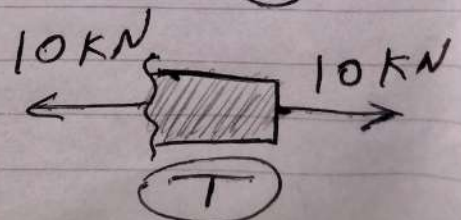
Aluminum

$$\sigma_a = \frac{5 \times 10^3}{1000} = 5 \text{ MPa}$$



Steel

$$\sigma_s = \frac{10 \times 10^3}{800} = 12.5 \text{ MPa}$$



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Shearing Stress

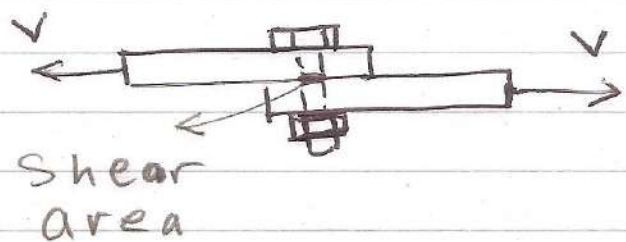
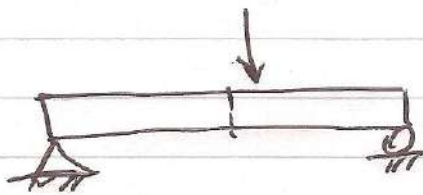
Shearing Stress is a stress caused by load along or parallel to the resisting cross-sectional area.

$$\tau = \frac{V}{A}$$

τ : Shearing Stress (MPa)

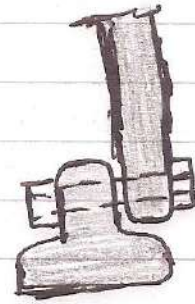
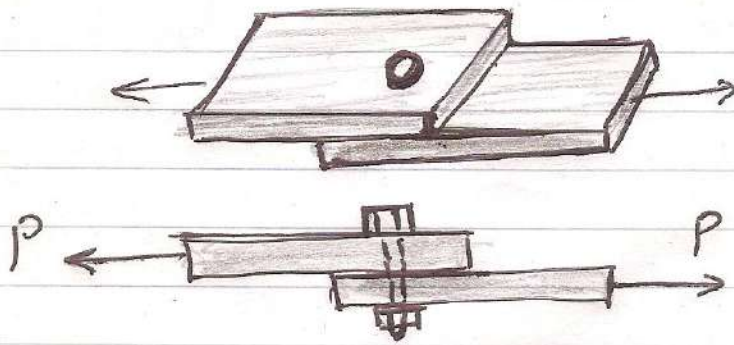
V : Shear Force (N)

A : Cross-Section area (mm^2)

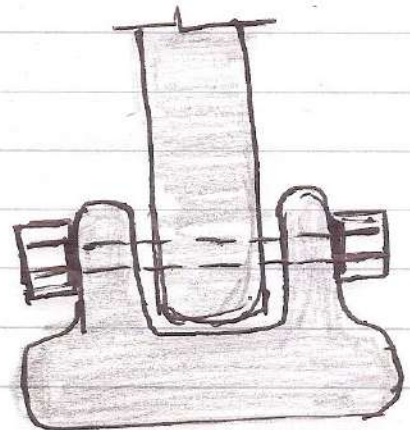
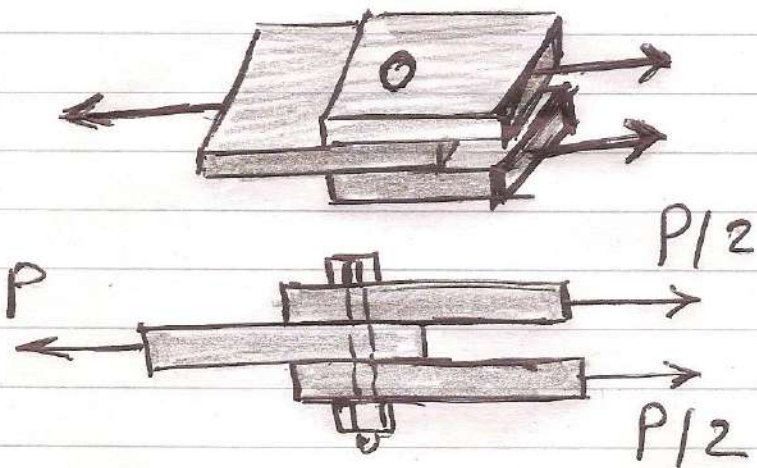


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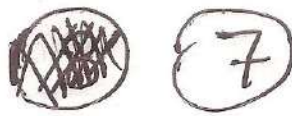
Rivets, Bolts



one shear area (Single Shear)

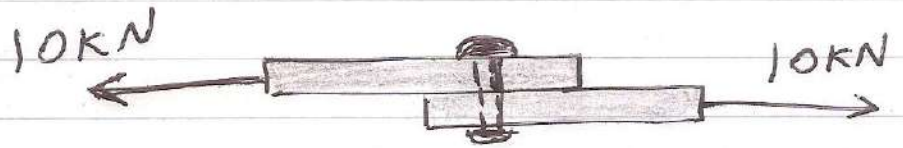


Double Shear area (Double Shear)



Example

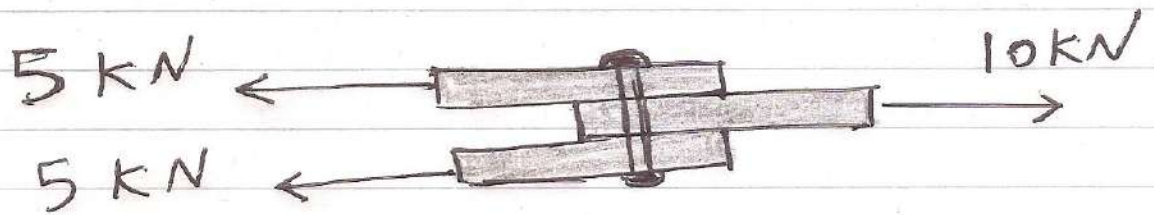
Determine the ^{shear} stress in the 20 mm diameter bolt shown in the figure.



$$\tau = \frac{V}{A} = \frac{10 \times 1000}{\pi (10)^2} = 31.818 \text{ MPa}$$

Example

Determine the Shear Stress in the 20 mm diameter bolt shown in the figure.



$$\tau = \frac{V}{A} = \frac{10 \times 1000}{2 \pi (10)^2} = 15.909 \text{ MPa}$$