

# CE 203-3 [072]

## H.W. #7 - Solution

Problem 1:-

Given :- A torque (T) is applied to a shaft with the cross section shown.

$L = 4\text{m}$  ;  $\tau_{\text{allow}} = 50\text{ MPa}$  ,  $\phi_{\text{max}} = 0.003\text{ rad}$ ,  
and  $G = 40\text{ GPa}$ .

Req. :- The maximum torque (T).

Solution :-

The section is a thin-walled closed section.

$$A_m = (33 \times 96.5) + (113.5 \times 36)$$

$$A_m = 7270.5\text{ mm}^2$$

$$\tau = \frac{T}{2tA_m} \Rightarrow T = 2\tau tA_m$$

\* For smallest  $t = 3\text{mm}$

$$T = 2(50)(3)(7270.5)$$

$$T = 2.181 \times 10^6\text{ N}\cdot\text{mm}$$

$$T = 2.181\text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$\phi = \frac{TL}{4GA_m^2} * \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{S_i}{t_i}$$

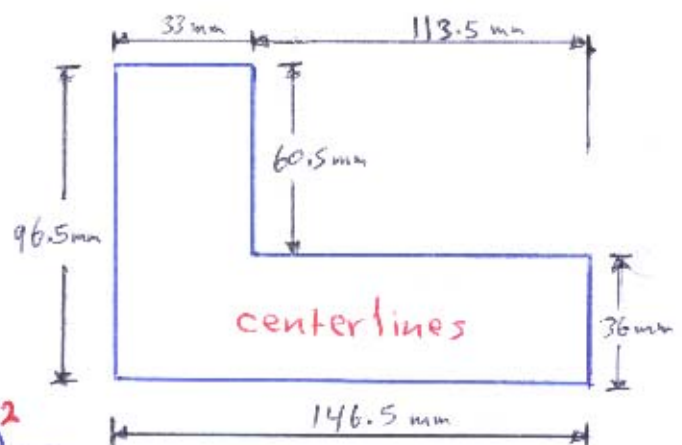
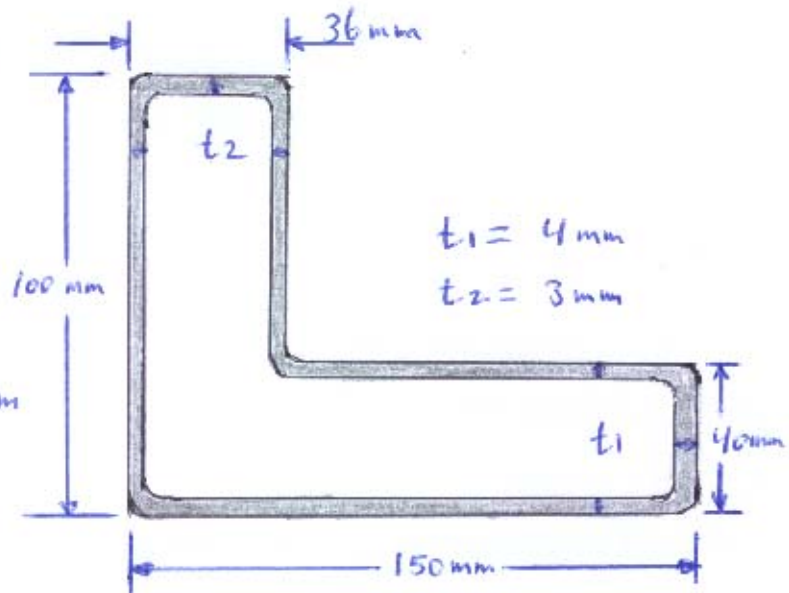
$$T = \frac{4\kappa\phi \times G \times A_m^2}{L \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{S_i}{t_i}}$$

$$T = \frac{4(0.003)(40 \times 10^3)(7270.5)^2}{(4 \times 10^3) \left( \frac{146.5}{4} + \frac{113.5}{4} + \frac{33}{3} + \frac{96.5}{3} + \frac{60.5}{3} + \frac{36}{4} \right)}$$

$$T = 46.2 \times 10^6\text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} = 46.2\text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$T_{\text{max}}$  is the smaller  $\Rightarrow$

$T_{\text{max}} = 2.18\text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$



Problem 2:-

Given:- A shaft of I cross section is subjected to a torque (T) as shown.  
 $G = 28 \text{ GPa}$ .

Req.:- The max torque (T), if

- (i)  $\tau_{\text{yield}} = 200 \text{ MPa}$ ; F.S. = 2
- (ii)  $\Delta\phi_{\text{allow ends}} \leq 6$  degree over its (2m) length.

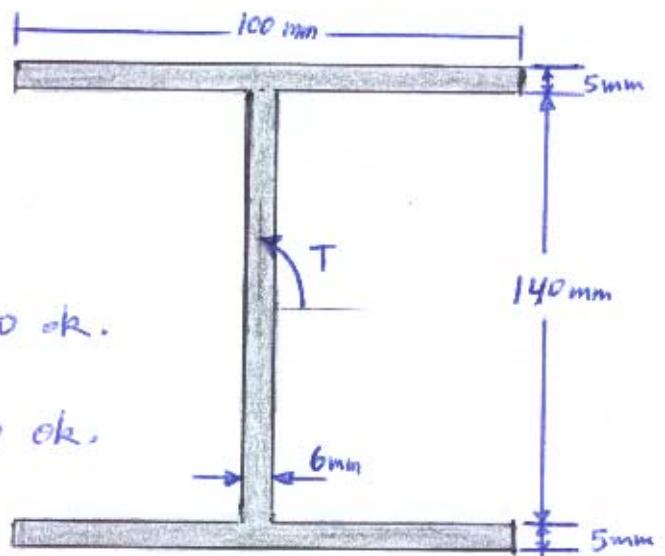
Solution:-

First, check if the section is narrow rectangular section.

- Flange:-  $\frac{b}{a} = \frac{100}{5} = 20 > 10$  ok.

- Web:-  $\frac{b}{a} = \frac{140}{6} = 23.33 > 10$  ok.

$\therefore$  Apply narrow rectangular theory.



(i)  $\tau_{\text{all.}} = \frac{\tau_y}{\text{F.S.}} = \frac{200}{2} = 100 \text{ MPa}$ .

$$J = \sum_{i=1}^3 J_i = \sum_{i=1}^3 \left( \frac{1}{3} b h^3 \right)_i = \frac{1}{3} (2 \times 100 \times 5^3 + 140 \times 6^3)$$

$$J = 18413 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$\tau_{\text{max}} = \frac{T h}{J} \leq \tau_{\text{all.}} \Rightarrow T \leq \frac{\tau_{\text{all.}} \times J}{h}$$

$$T_{\text{max}} = \frac{\tau_{\text{all.}} \times J}{h} = \frac{100 \times 18413}{6} = 306883 \text{ N.m}$$

$\therefore T_{\text{max}} = 306.883 \text{ N.m}$

$$(ii) \quad \frac{d\Phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{JG} \leq \left(\frac{d\Phi}{dz}\right)_{\text{allow.}} = \frac{\Delta\Phi_{\text{ends}}}{L}$$

$$\therefore \frac{T}{JG} = \frac{\Delta\Phi_{\text{ends}}}{L} \Rightarrow T = \frac{JG\Delta\Phi_{\text{ends}}}{L}$$

$$\Delta\Phi_{\text{ends (all)}} = 6 \text{ degree.}$$

$$= \frac{6 \times \pi}{180} = 0.10472 \text{ rad.}$$

$$T_{\text{max}} = \frac{(18413)(28 \times 10^3)(0.10472)}{2 \times 10^3} = 26994.9 \text{ N.mm}$$

$$\therefore T_{\text{(max)}}^{\text{ii}} = 26.995 \text{ N.m}$$

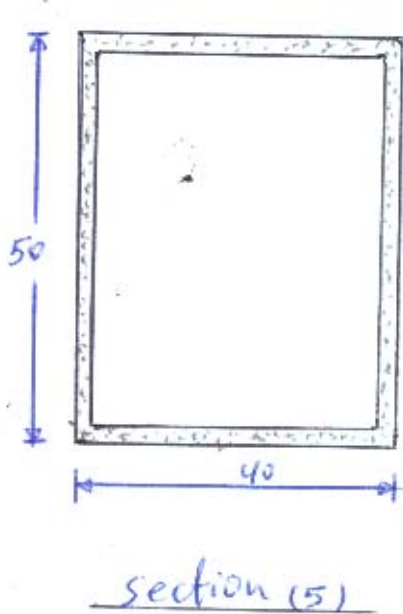
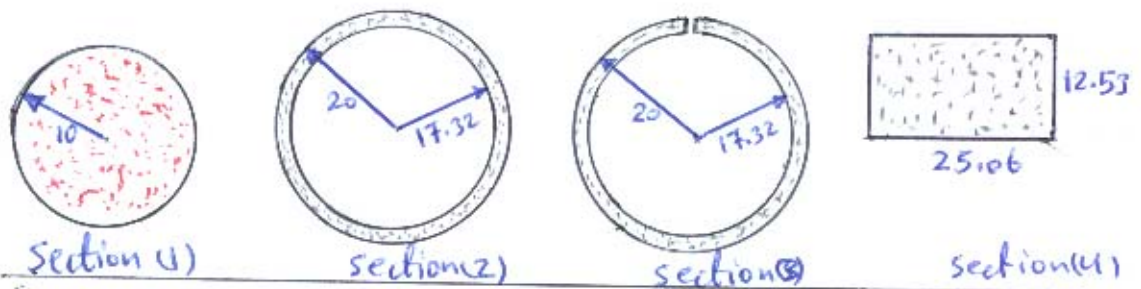
Note that  $T_{\text{max}} = T_{\text{min}} (T_i, T_{ii})$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{T_{\text{max}} = 27.0 \text{ N.m}}$$

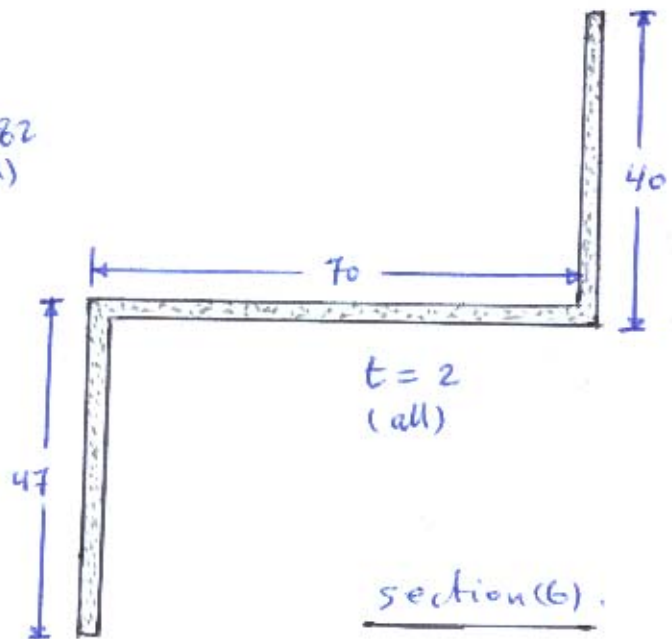
Problem 3 :-

Given :- The length, the applied torque, and the material are the same regardless of the section chosen. Note that the material areas of the sections are all the same.

- Req. :-
- Order the sections in terms of their efficiency in shear, from best to worst, prove your order!
  - Order the sections in terms of their efficiency in rotation (angle of twist); from best to worst. show why they are in this order!
  - What conclusions/recommendations can you make?



$t = 1.82$   
(all)



$t = 2$   
(all)

Solution:-

a) section 1:-

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T r_{\max}}{J} = \frac{(10) T}{\frac{\pi}{2} (10)^4} = 6.3662 \times 10^{-4} T$$

section 2:-

(i) ~~hollow~~ circular:

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{20 T}{\frac{\pi}{2} (20^4 - 17.32^4)} = 1.8186 \times 10^{-4} T$$

(ii) thin-walled closed:

$$\tau = \frac{T}{2tA_m} = \frac{T}{2(2.68) \left[ \pi \left( \frac{20+17.32}{2} \right)^2 \right]} = 1.7055 \times 10^{-4} T$$

section 3:-

$$\frac{b}{h} = \frac{2\pi r_c}{h}, \quad h = (\text{thickness}) = 20 - 17.32 = 2.68$$

$$r_c = \frac{20 + 17.32}{2} = 18.66$$

$$\frac{b}{h} = \frac{2\pi (18.66)}{2.68} = 43.75 > 10$$

We use narrow rectangular theory.

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T h}{J} = \frac{(2.68) T}{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) (2\pi \times 18.66) (2.68)^3} = 35.62 \times 10^{-4} T$$

section 4:-

(solid non circular section)

$$\frac{b}{a} = \frac{25.06}{12.53} = 2.0, \text{ so use Table 4.2}$$

$$\alpha = 0.246$$

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T}{\alpha d a^2} = \frac{T}{(0.246)(25.06)(12.53)^2} = 10.33 \times 10^{-4} T$$

section 5:- (Thin-walled closed section)

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T}{2t A_m}$$

$$A_m = (50-t)(40-t) = (50-1.82)(40-1.82)$$

$$A_m = 1839.51$$

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T}{2(1.82)(1839.51)} = 1.4935 \times 10^{-4} T$$

section 6:-

$$\frac{b_{\min}}{h} = \frac{40}{2} = 20 > 10$$

Use narrow rectangular section.

$$\bar{J} = \sum_{i=1}^3 J_i = \sum_{i=1}^3 \left( \frac{1}{3} b_i h^3 \right) = \frac{1}{3} [47 + 70 + 40] \times (2)^3$$

$$\bar{J} = 418.67$$

$$\tau_{\max} = \frac{T h}{\bar{J}} = \frac{T(2)}{418.67} = 47.77 \times 10^{-4} T$$

$\therefore$  The ordering from best to worst is:-  
section ⑤, section ②, section ①, section ④;  
section ③, section ⑥.

Note that section ② was solved by two different theories. However, hollow circular section theory is more accurate than thin-walled closed section theory as it involves no approximation in the theory derivation.

b) section 1:-

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{JG} = \frac{T}{\frac{\pi}{2}(10)^4 G} = 6.366 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

section 2:-

$$(i) \frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{\frac{\pi}{2}(20^4 - 17.32^4)G} = 0.9093 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

$$(ii) \frac{d\phi}{dz} = \left( \frac{T}{4GA_m^2} \right) \frac{s}{E} = 0.91401 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

section 3:-

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{\frac{1}{3}(2\pi \times 18.66)(2.68)^3 G} = 132.9 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

section 4:-

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{\beta b a^3 G} ; \frac{b}{a} = 2, \text{ from Table 4.2}$$

$$\beta = 0.229.$$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{(0.229)(25.06)(12.53)^3 G} = 8.858 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

section 5:- Thin-walled closed section.

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T \sum \frac{s_i}{t_i}}{4G A_m^2}$$

$$\sum \frac{s_i}{t_i} = \sum \frac{s_i}{t} = \frac{2(40-1.82) + 2(50-1.82)}{1.82} = 94.90$$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{(T)(94.90)}{4G(1839.5)^2} = 0.7011 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

## section 6:-

$$\frac{d\phi}{dz} = \frac{T}{JG} = \frac{T}{(418.67)G} = 238.85 \times 10^{-5} \frac{T}{G}$$

i) The best section is the one with minimum  $\frac{d\phi}{dz}$

The ordering from best to worst is the same as for shear i.e.

section ⑤, section ②, section ①, section ④  
section ③, section ⑥.

C) \* We can notice that the order of section in terms of their efficiencies in shear and rotation are the same.

\* Also we can see from above that thin-walled sections including circular are most efficient, followed by solid sections, we can see that the circular shape is more efficient, this can be seen if the 20-radius of section (2) increased to 40 and 50 (as in section (5)). The worst sections are the thin-walled (narrow) open sections; they are weak in torsion.