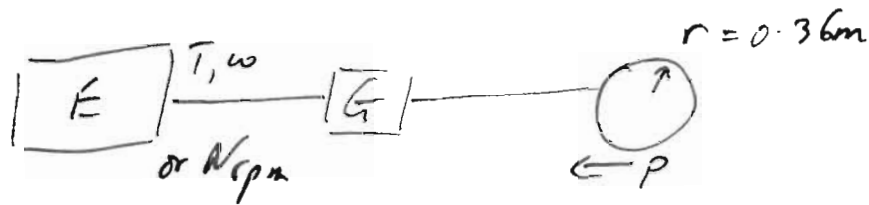


Q1.



Road force is  $P$ , resistance  $F = 0.3V^2$

Assuming no losses in transmission  $PV = Tw$

But  $V = \frac{r\omega}{G}$ ,  $\omega = \frac{N \times 2\pi}{60}$

(a) For max. vehicle speed need max allowable power.

Likely to be at max  $N$ , but need to check.

$N$ (rpm)	4000	5000	6000
Torque (Nm)	99	98	93
$N \times$ Torque (Nm.rpm)	$396 \times 10^3$	$490 \times 10^3$	$558 \times 10^3$

This step often omitted.

So  $Tw = \frac{93 \times 6000 \times 2\pi}{60} = 0.3V^3$

steady speed so  $P = F \Rightarrow V = \sqrt[3]{196.8 \times 10^3} = 58.0 \text{ m s}^{-1}$

Required  $G = \frac{r\omega}{V} = \frac{0.36 \times 6000 \times 2\pi}{60 \times 58.0} = 3.90$

1 (b) If  $G=6 \Rightarrow V = \frac{0.36}{6} \cdot \frac{N \cdot 2\pi}{60} = 0.002\pi N$

Resistive force  $F = 0.3V^2$  gives a resistive torque  $T$  at the engine of  $\frac{Fr}{G}$ ,  $T = 0.3 \cdot (0.002\pi N)^2 \times \frac{0.36}{6} = 7.11 \times 10^{-7} N^2$

N rpm	1000	2000	3000	4000	5000	6000
T Nm	0.71	2.84	6.4	11.4	17.8	25.6

$\Delta T_{max} \approx 89 Nm @ 3400 rpm$

Road force  $\Delta P = \frac{89 \times 6}{0.36} = 1483 N$  due to extra torque  $\Delta T$

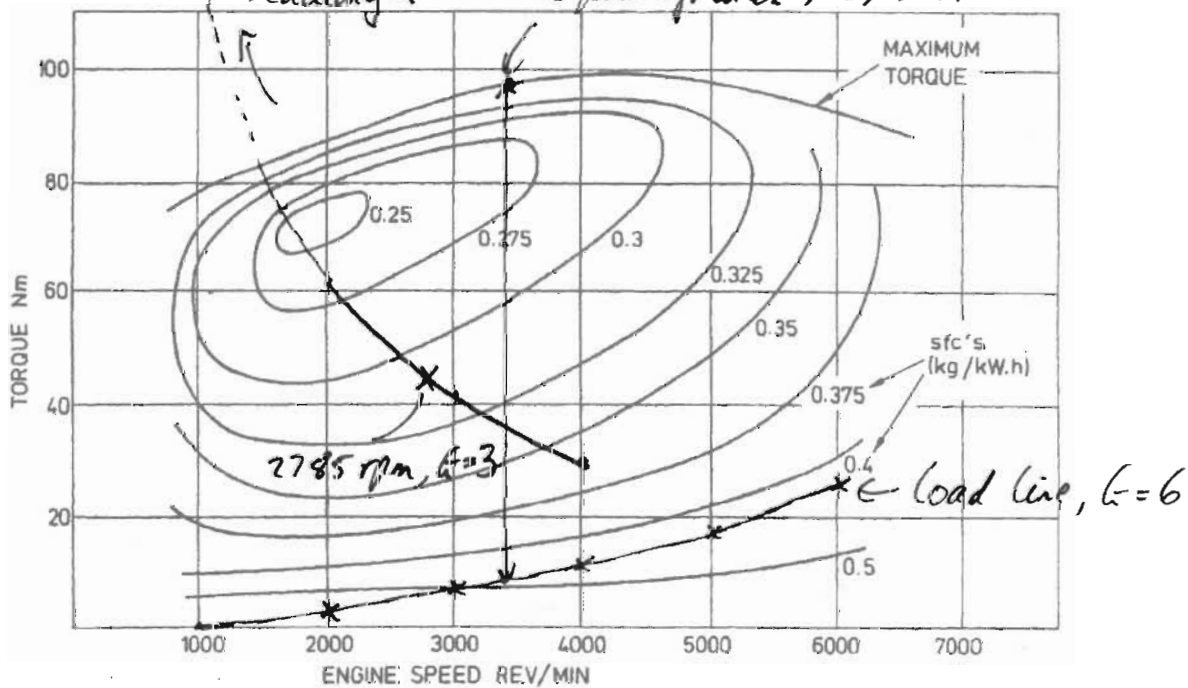
But  $\Delta P = mg \sin \theta \Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{1483}{9.81 \times 1000} \right) = 8.7^\circ \approx 9^\circ$

Road speed  $V = \frac{r \cdot N \cdot 2\pi}{G \cdot 60} = \frac{0.36 \times 3400 \times 2\pi}{6 \times 60} = 22.6 m/s$

Some variability in road speed expected as error in estimating location of max  $\Delta T$

Constant power = 12.86 kW

reducing  $G$  equal gradients  $\Rightarrow$  max  $\Delta T$



1 (c)(i)

Highest gear corresponds to high wheel speed, i.e.  $G=15$

Now  $T = 0.46 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N}^2$  due to road resistance.

Near the maximum torque of  $99 \text{ Nm}$  at  $4200 \text{ rpm}$

road torque =  $0.8 \text{ Nm}$ , so  $\Delta T = 98 \text{ Nm}$  close to this peak.

$\Delta P$  available for acceleration =  $98 \times \frac{G}{r} = 4083 \text{ N}$

$$a_{\text{acc}} = \frac{\Delta P}{m} = 4.1 \text{ m s}^{-2}$$

(c)(ii) Plot line of constant power on characteristic

At  $35 \text{ m s}^{-1}$   $F = 0.3V^2 = 367.5 \text{ N}$ , Power =  $FV = 12.86 \text{ kW}$

$$T = \frac{\text{Power}}{\omega} = \frac{12.86 \times 10^3}{\text{N} \times 2\pi} \times 60 = \frac{122.8}{\text{N}/1000}$$

In principle we could get close to the minimum fuel consumption with small enough  $G$ , but we are limited to  $G=3$ , corresponding to  $N = \frac{3 \times 35}{0.36} \times \frac{60}{2\pi} = 2785 \text{ rpm}$

So best fuel consumption  $\approx 0.31 \text{ kg/dwh}$

$$= \frac{0.31 \times 12.86}{0.75} \text{ L/hr}$$

$$1 \text{ hour} = \frac{35 \times 3600}{1000} \text{ km} = 126 \text{ km}$$

$$\therefore \text{consumption} = \frac{0.31 \times 12.86}{0.75 \times 1.26} = 4.22 \text{ L/100 km}$$

( $\sim 67 \text{ mpg}$ )

This step  
often omitted

2 (a) See notes.

(b) From datasheet  $p_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{6 P E^{*2}}{R^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{6 E^{*2}}{R^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} P^{\frac{1}{3}} = k P^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad (1)$$

$$k = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{6 E^{*2}}{R^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

Area  $A = \pi a^2 = \pi \left( \frac{3 P R}{4 E^*} \right)^{\frac{2}{3}} = k_1 P^{\frac{2}{3}} \quad (2)$

$$\Rightarrow k_1 = \pi \left( \frac{3 R}{4 E^*} \right)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta R \delta P &= 2\pi r p(r) \delta r \\ &= 2\pi r p_0 \sqrt{1 - \frac{r^2}{a^2}} \delta r \end{aligned}$$

(c) Load  $w$  per asperity =  $\frac{\text{Pressure (Force/area)}}{\text{No. asperities per unit area}}$

$$= \frac{p_0 \sqrt{1 - \frac{r^2}{a^2}}}{m}$$

$$= \frac{k P^{\frac{1}{3}} \sqrt{1 - \frac{r^2}{a^2}}}{m}$$

Q2 (d)

Area of each small contact  $\propto K_1' w^{2/3}$

$$\text{where } K_1 = \pi \left( \frac{3R_1}{4E^*} \right)^{2/3}$$

Within the annulus there are  $q$  points of

contact, where  $q = m \cdot \underbrace{2\pi r \delta r}_{\text{area of annulus}}$

Summing up to give total true contact area

$$\begin{aligned} A_1 &= \int_{r=0}^a q \propto m \cdot 2\pi r dr = m \int_{r=0}^a K_1' \left( \frac{K_1 P}{m} \right)^{2/3} \left( 1 - \frac{r^2}{a^2} \right)^{1/3} \cdot 2\pi r dr \\ &= \lambda P^{2/3} \int_0^a \left( 1 - \frac{r^2}{a^2} \right)^{1/3} r dr \end{aligned}$$

Put  $r = a \sin \theta$

$$dr = a \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow A_1 = \lambda P^{2/3} a^2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{5/3} \theta \sin \theta d\theta$$

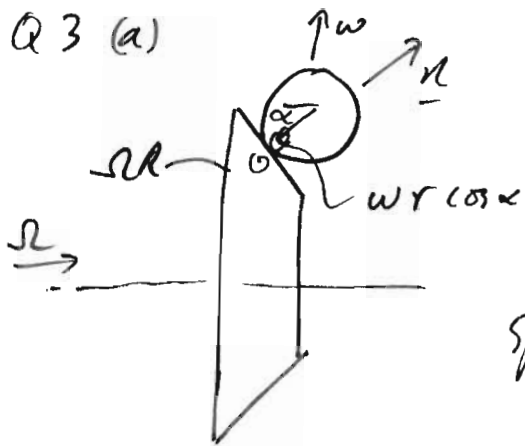
another constant

$$A_1 = \lambda' P^{2/3} a^2 \quad \text{but } a^2 = K_1 P^{2/3}$$

$$\rightarrow A_1 \propto P^{2/3} \cdot P^{2/3} = P^{8/9}$$

(e) Real machine components have roughness of the type

modeled, so analysis helps understand how contact area increases with load. Introduction of asperities gives a nearly linear dependence on load, in contrast to smooth contact where  $A \sim P^{2/3}$ . But real asperities will wear in, and deform plastically so need to take this into account. Also consider lubrication.



No slip  $\Rightarrow \Omega r = \omega r \cos \alpha$

$$\omega = \frac{\Omega R}{r} \frac{1}{\cos \alpha}$$

Spin velocity  $\omega_y = (\omega_1 - \omega_2) \cdot n$

$$= \Omega \cos \alpha - \omega \sin \alpha$$

$$= \Omega \left( \cos \alpha - \frac{R}{r} \tan \alpha \right)$$

(b) Circular contact:

$$p_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{6 P E^{*2}}{R^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \Rightarrow (1.2 \times 10^9) \pi = \frac{6 N \cdot (115 \times 10^9)^2}{(15 \times 10^{-7})^2}$$

$$a = \left( \frac{3 P R}{4 E^*} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = 0.246 \text{ mm}$$

$$= 152 \text{ Newtons}$$

(c) As the spin pole offset increases, slip in the contact tends to a limiting value  $T = \mu p$  with all the shear stresses aligned in the direction of slip. In the limit  $F = \mu N$  when gross slip occurs.

Then  $Q = F R = \mu N R$

(d) Now  $F = \frac{1}{3} \mu N \Rightarrow I_F = \frac{1}{3}$

For  $\frac{a}{b} = 1$ ,  $\frac{e}{a} = 0.29$  from charts and  $I_m = 0.54$ .

Power transmitted =  $\sigma F$

Power lost =  $\omega_y M + \delta \sigma F$

3(d) (cont) But  $\delta v = e \omega_2$   
 $v = \Omega R$   
 $\omega_2 = \Omega \left( \cos \alpha - \frac{R}{r} \tan \alpha \right)$

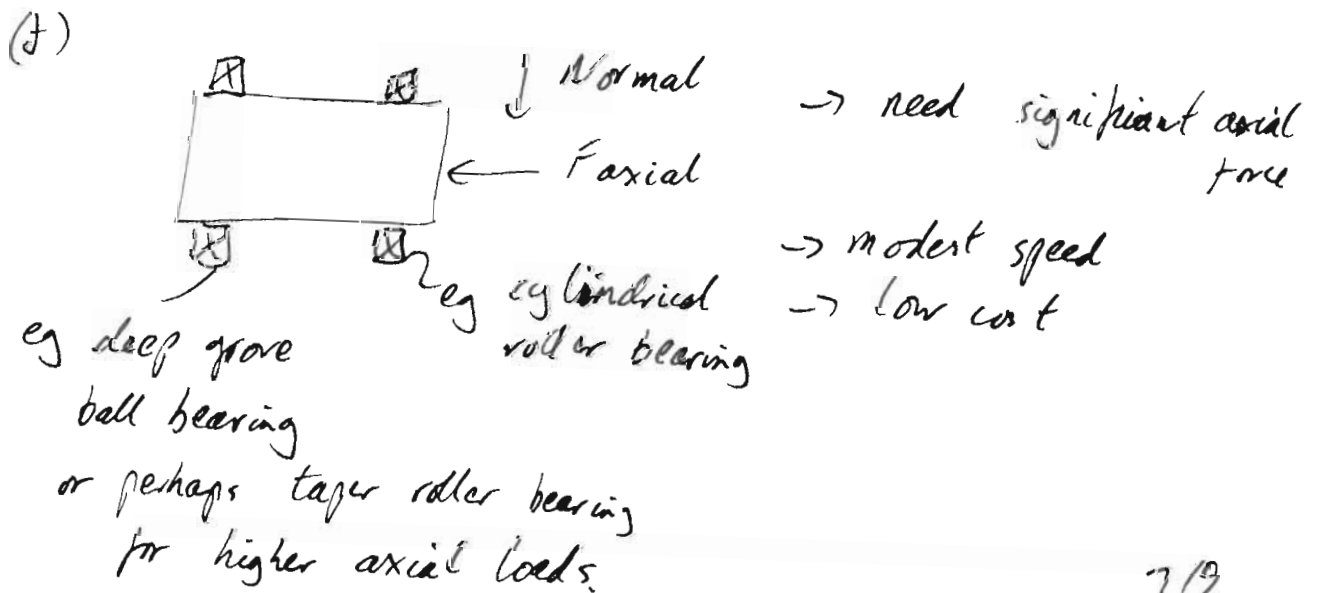
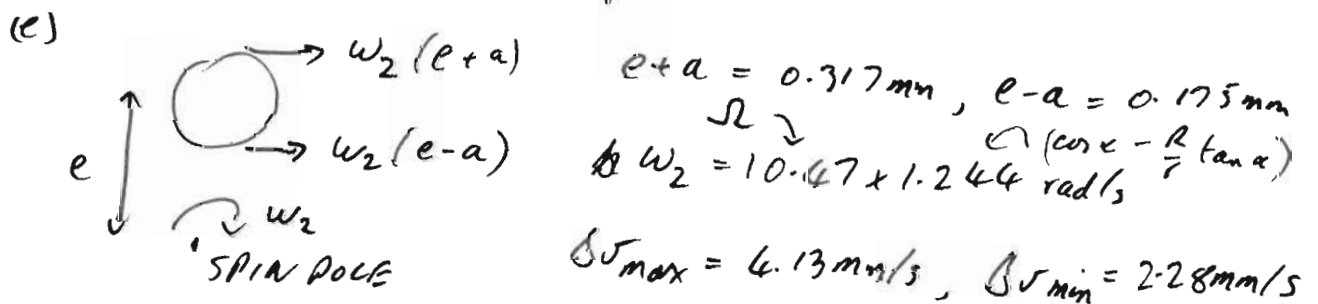
$\Rightarrow 1 - \eta = \frac{\text{Power lost}}{\text{Power transmitted}} = \frac{|\omega_2 m| + \delta v F}{v F}$

$= \frac{\frac{\omega_2 m}{\Omega \mu N a} + \frac{\delta v}{\omega_2} \frac{\omega_2 F}{\Omega \mu N a}}{\frac{v}{\Omega} \frac{F}{\mu N a}}$

$= \left( \cos \alpha - \frac{R}{r} \tan \alpha \right) \left( \frac{I_m}{a} + \frac{e}{a} \frac{I_F}{a} \right) \frac{R}{a} \frac{I_F}{a}$

$= \left| \cos 20 - \frac{90}{15} \tan 20 \right| \left( 0.54 + 0.29 \times \frac{1}{3} \right) \frac{90}{15} \left( \frac{90}{15} \times \frac{1}{3} \right)$

$= 6.50 \times 10^{-3} \Rightarrow \eta = 0.994$



Q4.  $w = \text{wheel}$   
 $p = \text{pinion}$  } subscripts

Power  $Q = T \omega_w$

Face width  $w = 2r_p$  (square pinion)

$r = mN/2$

line load  $P' = \frac{T}{w r \cos \phi} = \frac{Q}{\omega_w \cdot 2r_p \cdot r_w \cos \phi}$

$$= \frac{Q}{\omega_w \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{mN_p}{2} \cdot \frac{mN_w}{2} \cos \phi} = \frac{152.4}{m^2} \text{ Nm}$$

$\frac{700 \times 2\pi}{60}$

Bending  $\sigma_b = \frac{P'_t}{J_m} = \frac{P' \cos \phi}{J_m}$

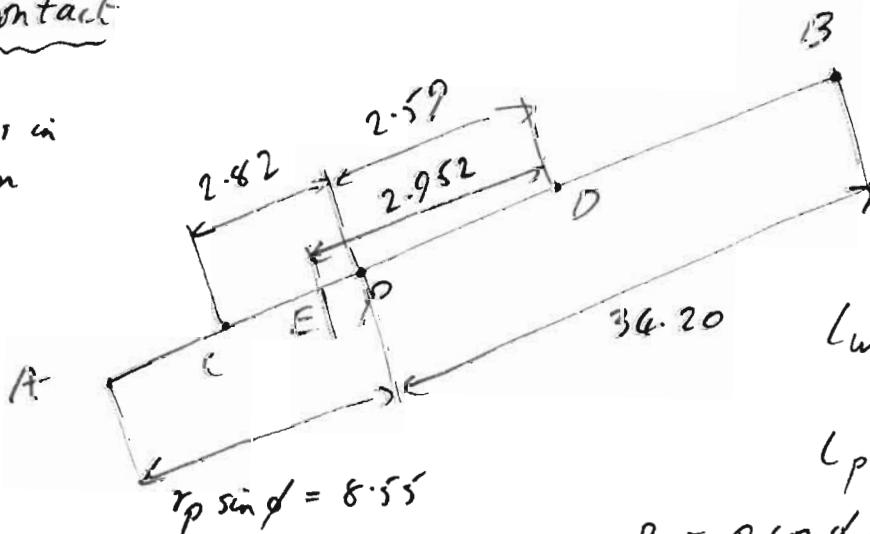
Critical case is pinion with  $J = 0.46$ ,  $\sigma_b = 480 \text{ MPa}$

$\Rightarrow m = \frac{P' \cos \phi}{\sigma_b J} \Rightarrow m^3 = \frac{152.4 \cdot \cos 20}{480 \times 10^6 \cdot 0.46} = 6.49 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}^3$

$m = 8.66 \text{ mm}$

Contact

Dimensions in terms of  $m$



$L_w = \sqrt{0.02924 N^2 + N + 1} - 0.1710 N = 2.82m$

$L_p = 2.59m$

$P_b = p \cos \phi = \pi m \cos \phi = 2.952m$



4 (a) (cont)

1 pair

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{8.55 + 2.59 - 2.952} + \frac{1}{34.20 - 2.59 + 2.952}$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 6.62 \text{ m}$$

2 pair

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{8.55 - 2.82} + \frac{1}{34.20 + 2.82}$$

$$\Rightarrow R = 4.96 \text{ m}$$

One pair critical as  $6.62 < 2 \times 4.96$

$$p_0 = \left( \frac{P' E^*}{\pi R} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \Rightarrow (1000 \times 10^6)^2 = \frac{152.4 \cdot 115 \times 10^9}{\text{m}^2 \cdot \pi \cdot 6.62 \text{ m}}$$

$$\Rightarrow m^3 = 8.63 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}^3$$

$$m = 9.65 \text{ mm}$$

Surface contact is critical, choose  $m = 10 \text{ mm}$

(b) Similar geometry,  $R$  scales with  $m$ ,  $r$  scales with  $m$   
 $w$  scales with  $m$  (as square pinions), line load  $P' \times \frac{1}{4}$

Assume loads equally divided.

A - part (a), B - part (b)

$$\text{Power constant} \Rightarrow \frac{Q_A}{Q_B} = 1$$

$$\text{Line loads } \frac{P'_A}{P'_B} = \frac{Q_A}{Q_B} \frac{w_B}{w_A} \frac{r_B}{r_A} \frac{n_B}{n_A} = 4 \frac{m_B^2}{m_A^2}$$

$$\left( \frac{\sigma_B}{\sigma_A} \right)^2 = 1 = \frac{P'_B}{P'_A} \frac{R_A}{R_B} = \frac{m_A^2}{4m_B^2} \cdot \frac{m_A}{m_B}$$

$$\Rightarrow m_B = m_A \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4}} = 9.45 \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4}} = 5.95 \rightarrow 6 \text{ mm}$$

(c) (b) is significantly smaller than (a) which is likely to lead to a significant reduction in cost of these large gears (eg  $r = m \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 10 \times 100 = 1000 \text{ mm}$ )

But (b) is more complex and need to design carefully to ensure and/or an even load split.