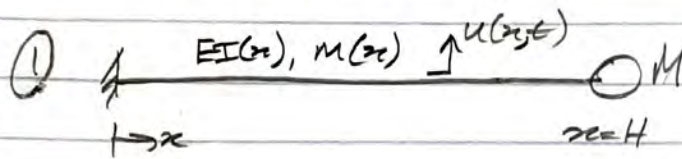


# Part IIB 416: Dynamics in Civil Engineering

①   $EI(x), m(x) \uparrow u(x,t)$   $\bigcirc M$   $EI(x) = B(x) = B_0 \left(1 - \frac{7x}{8H}\right)$   
 $\rightarrow x$   $x=H$

$$m(x) = M_0 \left(1 - \frac{x}{2H}\right)$$

a). Assume  $\bar{u}(x) = \left(\frac{x}{H}\right)^2$  ;  $\bar{u}' = \frac{2x}{H^2}$  ;  $\bar{u}'' = \frac{2}{H^2}$

$$M_{eq} = \int_0^H m \bar{u}^2 dx = \int_0^H M_0 \left(1 - \frac{x}{2H}\right) \cdot \frac{x^4}{H^4} dx + M (\bar{u}(H))^2$$

$$= \frac{M_0}{H^4} \int_0^H \left(x^4 - \frac{x^5}{2H}\right) dx + M = \frac{M_0}{H^4} \left[\frac{H^5}{5} - \frac{H^6}{12H}\right] + M = \frac{7M_0 H}{60} + M$$

$$K_{eq} = \int_0^H EI \left(\frac{d^2 \bar{u}}{dx^2}\right)^2 dx = \int_0^H B_0 \left(1 - \frac{7x}{8H}\right) \left(\frac{2}{H^2}\right)^2 dx = \frac{4B_0}{H^4} \left[H - \frac{7H^2}{16H}\right] = \frac{9B_0}{4H^3}$$

b).  $H = 60 \text{ m}$ ,  $B_0 = 6 \times 10^{10} \text{ Nm}^2$ ,  $M_0 = 10^4 \text{ kg/m}$ ,  $M = 10^5 \text{ kg}$

$$\Rightarrow M_{eq} = \frac{7 \times 10^4 \times 60}{60} + 10^5 = 1.7 \times 10^5 \text{ kg}$$

$$K_{eq} = \frac{9 \times 6 \times 10^{10}}{4 \times 60^3} = 6.25 \times 10^5 \text{ N/m}$$

$$\therefore f_1 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K_{eq}}{M_{eq}}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{6.25}{1.7}} = 0.31 \text{ Hz}$$

c).  $T_1 = \frac{1}{f_1} = \frac{1}{0.31} = 3.2 \text{ s}$   $\therefore \frac{td}{T_1} = \frac{2}{3.2} \approx 0.6 \Rightarrow \text{DAF} \approx 1.4$

Point force  $F$  applied at  $x = x_F = 48 \text{ m}$

$$\therefore F_{eq} = F \bar{u}(x_F) = 0.5 \times 10^6 \times \left(\frac{48}{60}\right)^2 = 0.32 \text{ MN}$$

$$\therefore u_{max} \approx 1.4 \times \frac{0.32 \times 10^6}{6.25 \times 10^5} = 0.72 \text{ m}$$

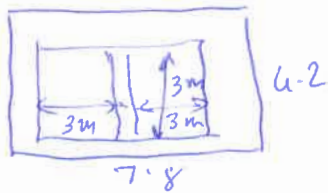
d). Increasing  $K_{eq}$  would reduce the natural period and hence increase the value of  $td/T_1$ , assuming the force pulse remains unchanged. This would increase the DAF (according to the DAF curve) and may actually increase the structural stresses. In practice, the force pulse is also likely to change ( $td$  reduce and magnitude increase, according to conservation of momentum).

Q2

- Q3 a) Dynamic soil structure interaction occurs when a dynamic load such as earthquake event occurs. The vibration of the structure influences the soil stiffness and the soil stiffness changes the structural vibrations in turn. [10%]
- b) Using FEM for 2-phase medium like soil, we need to create two separate meshes, one for solid phase and other for fluid phase, that are overlain on top of one another, i.e. nodal co-ordinates will be same. The equations of motions are then solved for the two phases iteratively, with a coupling matrix that links the solid and fluid phases. [10%]

c) Consider the tunnel section - 1m into plane of paper.

(i)



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore 2L &= 7.8 & e/b &= 7.8 \\ 2b &= 1 & e/b &= 8.4 \\ e &= 4.2 \end{aligned}$$

Shear modulus on reference plane =

$$\text{Tunnel weight} = (7.8 \times 4.2 - 2 \times 3^2) \times 24 = 356.24 \text{ kN/m}$$

$$\text{Bearing pressure} = \frac{356.25}{7.8 \times 1} = 45.41 \text{ kPa}$$

$$\gamma_{\text{dry}} = \frac{G_s \gamma_w}{1+e} = \frac{2.65 \times 9.81}{1.85} = 14.05 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

$$\therefore \sigma_v = \sigma_v' = 45.41 + 14.05 \times 1 = 59.46 \text{ kPa}; K_0 = \frac{\nu}{1-\nu} = \frac{0.3}{0.7} = 0.428$$

$$p' = \left( \frac{1+2K_0}{3} \right) \sigma_v' = 0.6191 \times 59.46 = 36.808 \text{ kPa}$$

$$G = 100 \frac{[3-e]^2}{1+e} \sqrt{p'} = 100 \frac{[3-0.85]^2}{1.85} \times \sqrt{\frac{36.808}{1000}} = 47.938 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\text{From data sheets; } K_{hx} = \frac{Gb}{2-\nu} \left[ 6.8 \left( \frac{e}{b} \right)^{0.65} + 2.4 \right] \left[ 1 + \left( 0.33 + \frac{1.34}{1+e/b} \right) \left( \frac{e}{b} \right)^{0.8} \right]$$

$$= G \times \frac{0.5}{2-0.3} \left[ \underbrace{6.8 \times 7.8^{0.65} + 2.4}_{16.068} \right] \left[ 1 + \underbrace{\left( 0.33 + \frac{1.34}{1+7.8} \right)}_{2.5479} \times 8.4^{0.8} \right]$$

$$= G \times 12.0418 = 1452.262 \text{ MN/m}$$

$$K_v = \frac{Gb}{2-\nu} \left[ 3.73 \left( \frac{e}{b} \right)^{0.75} + 1.6 \right] \left( 1 + \left( 0.25 + \frac{0.25}{e/b} \right) \left( \frac{e}{b} \right)^{0.8} \right)$$

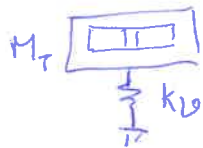
$$= \frac{G \times 0.5}{2-0.3} \left[ \underbrace{3.1 \times 7.8^{0.75} + 1.6}_{16.0683} \right] \left( 1 + \underbrace{\left( 0.25 + \frac{0.25}{7.8} \right)}_{2.54} \times 8.4^{0.8} \right) = G \times 12.0418 = 577.26 \text{ MN/m}$$

$$K_{ry} = \frac{Gb^3}{1-\nu} (3.73 \frac{e}{b}^{2.4} + 0.27) \left( 1 + \frac{e}{b} + \frac{1.6}{0.35 + \frac{e}{b}^4} \left( \frac{e}{b} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{G \times 0.5^3}{1-0.3} \times \underbrace{(3.73 \times 7.8^4 + 0.27)}_{516.3724} \underbrace{\left( 1 + \frac{8.4}{0.35 + 7.8^4} \times 8.4^2 \right)}_{9.4305}$$

$$K_{ry} = G \times 869.58 = \underline{\underline{41685.93 \text{ MN-m/rad}}} \quad [25\%]$$

C ii) ~~when the rains come and water table rises to soil surface~~  
 Natural frequency - Small earthquake  $G_{max} = G$ .



$$\text{Mass of tunnel} = 354.24 / 9.81 = 36110.1 \text{ kg/m}$$

$$I_{\text{tunnel}} = M a^2 = 36110.1 \times \left[ 1 + \frac{4.2^2}{2} \right] = 347018.1 \text{ kg m}^2/\text{m}$$

$$\therefore f_{n-h} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K_h}{M_t}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{145226 \times 10^6}{36110.1}} = \underline{\underline{31.9 \text{ Hz}}}$$

$$f_{n-10} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K_{10}}{M_t}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{577.26 \times 10^6}{36110.1}} = \underline{\underline{20.1^* \text{ Hz}}}$$

$$f_{n-rock} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K_{ry}}{I}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{41685.93 \times 10^6}{347018.1}} = \underline{\underline{55.16 \text{ Hz}}}$$

[20%]

C ii) When rains come and water table rises to surface - tunnel is buoyant

$$\text{Weight of tunnel} = 354.24 \text{ kN/m}$$

$$\text{Buoyancy force} = 7.8 \times 4.2 \times 9.81 = 321.38$$

$$\therefore \text{Net weight of tunnel} = 32.8 \Rightarrow \text{Bearing pressure} = \frac{32.8}{7.8 \times 1} = \underline{\underline{4.21 \text{ kPa}}}$$

$$\gamma_{sat} = \frac{(G+e)\gamma_w}{1+e} = \left( \frac{2.65+0.85}{1.85} \right) 9.81 = 18.56 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

$$\sigma' = \gamma_{sat} - \gamma_w = 8.75 \text{ kN/m}^3$$

$$\therefore \text{diff vertical stress} = \sigma'_v = 4.21 \text{ kPa} + 8.75 \times 1 = 12.96 \text{ kPa}, \quad \sigma'_h = \frac{0.619 \times 12.96}{1} = 8.02 \text{ kPa}$$

$$\therefore G_{max} = 100 \left[ \frac{3-0.85}{1.85} \right]^2 \sqrt{\frac{8}{1000}} = 22.38 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\therefore K_h = 30.2946 \times 22.38 = 677.99 \text{ MN/m}$$

$$K_{10} = 12.0418 \times 22.38 = 269.49 \text{ MN/m}$$

$$K_{rock} = 869.58 \times 22.38 = 19461.2 \text{ MN-m/rad}$$

∴ New natural frequencies are;

$$f_{n-h} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{677.99 \times 10^6}{36110.1}} = \underline{21.8 \text{ Hz}}$$

$$f_{n-v} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{269.49 \times 10^6}{36110.1}} = \underline{13.75 \text{ Hz}}$$

$$f_{n-rock} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{19461.2 \times 10^6}{347018.1}} = \underline{37.7 \text{ Hz}}$$

All natural frequencies have reduced, but away from 1-5 Hz of earthquake frequency range. [25%]

(iv) During a strong earthquake, if the sandy soil liquefies - the tunnel is under serious risk of flotation! Not sinking in/settlement. As the unit weight of liquefied soil  $\approx 20 \text{ kN/m}^3$ , the tunnel will float upwards. [10%]

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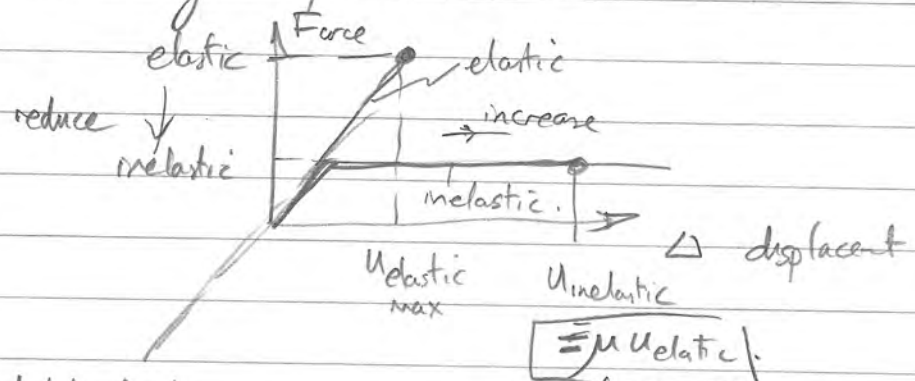
4D6 Q3.a)

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a) i) Modal Participation Factor. Marks will be awarded for clear explanations of it measures the ease with which a mode may be excited by a ground acceleration. For example, purely vertical modes cannot be excited by purely horizontal ground motions. To be excited, the ~~an~~ centre of the model mass needs to move in the excitation direction.

ii) An inelastic response spectrum is a graph giving a measure of how much lower the ~~the~~ inelastic response (of a structure to an earthquake) is compared to the elastic response. Increased ductility acts somewhat like increased damping, and so gives a reduced strength requirement.

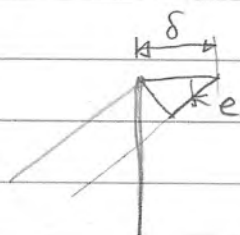
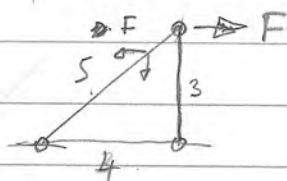
The "reduction" is actually in the forces (the strength). The displacements actually increase for the inelastic structure, and the required increase in displacement is given by  $\mu$ . Marks will be given for a sketch



The ductility factor  $\mu \equiv \frac{\text{required (inelastic) displacement cap.}}{\text{required (elastic) displacement cap.}}$

426 Q3 b)

2025 i) Structure lateral behavior ~  $\begin{matrix} k & m & k & m \\ | & \square & | & \square \\ \text{---} & & \text{---} & \end{matrix}$



$$L=5$$

$$e = \frac{FL}{EA} = \frac{5FL}{4EA}$$

$$\delta = \frac{5e}{4} = \frac{25FL}{16EA}$$

$$\begin{aligned} "F=K\delta" \therefore K &= \frac{16EA}{25L} = \frac{16(210 \times 10^9 \text{ N/m}^2)(120 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}^2)}{25(5) \text{ m}} \\ &= \frac{16(210 \times 10^3)(120)}{25(5)} \text{ [N/m]} \\ &= \underline{\underline{3.226 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \rightarrow x_1 & \rightarrow x_2 \\ \text{---} & \text{---} \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} m & 0 \\ 0 & m \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \ddot{x}_1 \\ \ddot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2k & -k \\ -k & k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Omega^2 & -\omega^2 I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{for modes,}$$

$$\Omega^2 = K/M$$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & -1 \\ -1 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} &= 0 \\ (2-\lambda)(1-\lambda) - 1 &= 0 \\ 2-\lambda-2\lambda+\lambda^2-1 &= 0 \\ \lambda^2-3\lambda+1 &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} = \frac{3.226 \times 10^6}{40 \times 10^3} \\ \Omega^2 = 80.6 \\ \Omega = 8.97 \text{ rad/s} \\ f_{nat} = \frac{9}{2\pi} = 1.429 \text{ Hz} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\lambda = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9-4}}{2} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2} = \underline{\underline{0.382}} = \underline{\underline{3 - \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}}}$$

$$\omega^2 = \lambda \Omega^2 = 0.382(80.6) = 30.79 \Rightarrow \omega = 5.54 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$f = 0.8831 \text{ Hz Nat/ry}$$

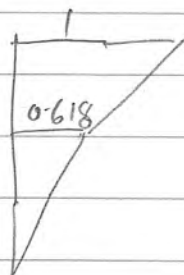
Q3 (c) Need mode shape.

$$(2-\lambda)x_1 - x_2 = 0$$

$$x_2 = (2-\lambda)x_1$$

$$\frac{x_2}{x_1} = \frac{2-(3-\sqrt{5})}{2} = \left(\frac{4-3+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$$

$$x_1 = \frac{2}{1+\sqrt{5}} x_2 = \underline{\underline{0.618 x_2}}$$



Mode shape.

↑  
GIVE THIS TO  
STUDENTS -

ii) Modal participation factor.

$$M_g = 40 \times 10^3 [0.618^2 + 1^2] = 55.3 \times 10^3 \underline{\underline{\text{kg}}}$$

$$\Gamma = \frac{\sum m \phi}{\sum m \phi^2} = \frac{0.618 + 1}{0.618^2 + 1^2} = \frac{1.618}{1.382} = \underline{\underline{1.17}}$$

[ check Frequency:  $K = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 & \phi_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{bmatrix} K$

Students  
DO NOT  
NEED TO  
DO THIS

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2\phi_1 & -\phi_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{bmatrix} = (2\phi_1^2 - \phi_1\phi_2 - \phi_1\phi_2 + \phi_2^2) K$$

$$= 2\phi_1^2 - 2\phi_1\phi_2 + \phi_2^2 \quad \times K$$

$$= 2(0.618)^2 - 2(0.618) + 1$$

$$= (0.5278) K$$

$$= (0.5278) (3.226 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m})$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{0.5278 (3.226 \times 10^6)}{55.3 \times 10^3}} = 5.55 \text{ rad/s} = 0.883 \text{ Hz.} \quad \checkmark$$

Q3 ii)

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$$\text{Nat Period} = \frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{0.883 \text{ Hz}} = 1.13 \text{ seconds}$$

$$\text{so } S_a = \frac{1.5}{T} \text{ from fig 4}$$

$$\text{so } S_a = \frac{1.5}{1.13} = 1.32$$

$$\text{Peak Ground Accel.} = 0.25g$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Peak Modal Acceleration} &= \Gamma S_a (\text{PGA}) \\ &= (1.17)(1.32)(0.25g) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 0.387g$$

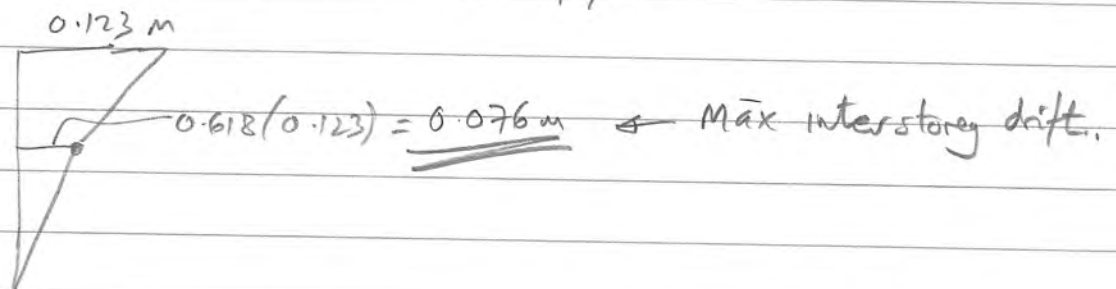
$$= \underline{\underline{3.79 \text{ m/s}^2}}$$

$$\text{Peak Modal Displacement} = \frac{(3.79 \text{ m/s}^2)}{\omega^2}$$

$$d = X_{\text{static}}$$

$$A = \omega^2 X_{\text{static}}$$

$$= \frac{3.79 \text{ m/s}^2}{30.79 / \text{s}^2} = \underline{\underline{0.123 \text{ m}}}$$



iii) Force in bracing, if elastic

$$\text{Hont force} = K \delta$$

$$= [3.226 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}] [0.076 \text{ m}]$$

$$= 245 \text{ kN}$$

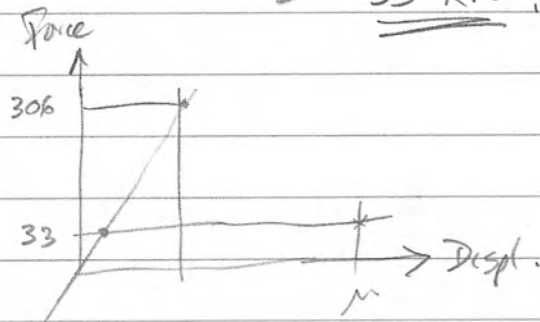
$$\text{Brace force} = \frac{5}{4} \times (245) = \underline{\underline{306.5 \text{ kN}}}$$

Q3 iii) Strength of brace

$$\text{Strength} = 120 \text{ mm}^2 \times 275 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$= 275 \times 120 \text{ N}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{33 \text{ kN}}} ! \text{ But } 306 \text{ kN needed elastically}$$



$$= \frac{33}{306} = 0.1078$$

Inelastic spectrum. at  $T = 1.13$  seconds

If elastic displacement = 21 inches. from Fig 5.

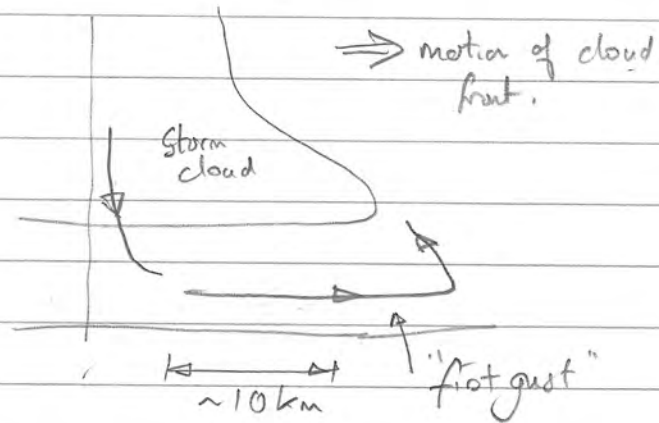
$$\text{need } (0.1078 \times 21 \text{ inches}) = 2.26 \text{ inches.}$$

$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\mu = 8}}$  at  $T = 1.13 \text{ sec. (Fig 5)}$   
Required.

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### Tropical Thunderstorms

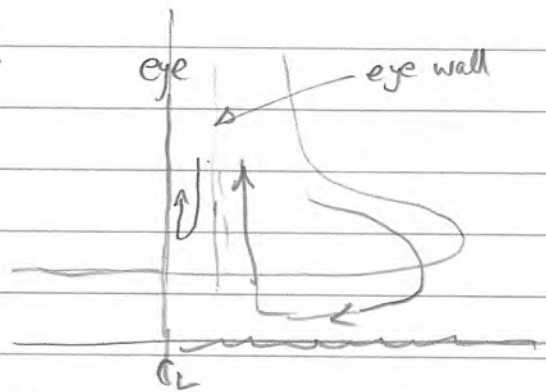


High velocity downdraft inside cloud (exacerbated by weight of falling raindrops) then blows outwards, creating phenomenon of "first gust".

This is a long-lasting blast of air at high ~~to~~, near-constant, velocity (ie. not much turbulence).

So buffetting theory may not apply

### Tropical cyclones.



Form over oceans.

Solar heating → moist air rises → cools  
→ releases latent heat of evap.

Very high wind speeds, blowing inwards (and around due to Coriolis).

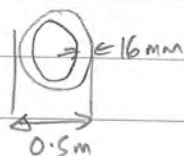
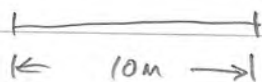
Much larger. Much longer lasting. (~ hours to pass)

Turbulent Buffetting is a danger (→ dynamics, as well as static).

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b)

i)



$\rho = 0.006$  of critical.

$$I = \pi r^3 t \quad r = 0.25 - 0.008 = 0.242$$

$$= \pi (0.242)^3 (0.016) = 712.4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^4$$

$$EI = 210 \times 10^9 / (712.4 \times 10^{-6}) = 149.6 \times 10^6 \text{ N m}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mass per unit length } m &= A \rho = (2\pi r t) (7850 \text{ kg/m}^3) \\ &= [2\pi (0.242) (0.016)] [7850] \\ &= 191 \text{ kg/m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Assume half sine wave. Effective mass} = \int_0^L \phi^2 m dx = \frac{1}{2} m (10)$$

$$= 5(191) = 955 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Effective stiffness} = \int_0^L EI (\phi'')^2 dx = \left( \frac{\pi^2}{L^2} \right) (EI) \frac{L}{2}$$

$$\phi = \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{L}\right)$$



$$= \frac{\pi^4 EI}{2L^3} = 0.0487 EI$$

$$= \frac{7.29 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}}{2L^3} = 7290 \times 10^3 \text{ N/m}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{K}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{7.29 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}}{955 \text{ kg}}}$$

$$= 87.3 \text{ rad/s} \quad \sqrt{\frac{\text{N/m}}{\text{kg}}} = \sqrt{\frac{\text{kg m s}^{-2} / \text{m}}{\text{kg}}} = \text{s}^{-1}$$

$$f = \frac{87.3}{2\pi} = 13.9 \text{ Hz}$$

ii) Critical Strouhal  $St = \frac{f \nu H_b}{U}$

$$U_{\text{crit}} = \frac{f \nu H_b}{St} = \frac{(13.9)(0.5)}{0.2} = 34.75 \text{ m/s}$$

476 Q4 (2025) b) cont'd.

$$\text{iii) Section Number: } S_c = \frac{25 \text{ m}}{\rho H_D^2} = \frac{2 \overset{2\pi}{(0.006)} (191)}{112 (0.5)^2} = 48$$

(large  
i.e. VIV problematic)

$$\text{iv) } \frac{h_{viv}}{H_D} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{St^2} \frac{1}{S_c} \sqrt{2} C_{lat}$$

$$Re = \frac{\rho u L}{\mu} = (1.2) (34.75) (0.5) = 3.178 \times 10^5 \text{ kg m}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$= 6.5 \times 10^5$$

$$\text{so } C_{lat,0} = 0.2$$

$$\frac{h_{viv}}{H_D} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{(0.2)^2} \frac{1}{(48)} \sqrt{2} (0.2)$$

$$= 0.0117$$

$$\text{so } h_{viv} = (0.0117) (0.5) = 0.006 = \underline{\underline{6 \text{ mm}}}$$

ii) Amplitude of dynamic stresses.

$$\text{Mode shape: } \phi = 6 \text{ mm} \times \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$\text{At cable } K = \phi'' \text{ at cable} = \frac{\pi^2 (6 \text{ mm})}{L^2} = \frac{\pi^2 (0.006)}{(10)^2} \text{ m}^{-1} = 0.0006 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$M = EIK = (149.6 \times 10^6) (0.0006)$$

$$= 88.6 \text{ kNm}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{M_y}{I} = \frac{(88.6 \times 10^3) (0.25 \text{ m})}{712.4 \times 10^6 \text{ m}^4} = 31.1 \times 10^6 \text{ N/m}^2$$

$$= \underline{\underline{31.1 \text{ MPa}}}$$