

Answers

1. (b)(i) 70.5 MPa, -7.58 MPa, 39.04 MPa (36.3° clockwise from horizontal axis)
2. (b)(i) $[1, 0, -\sqrt{2}, 0, 1, 1, -1, -\sqrt{2}, 0, 2]W$
(ii) $[-1, -1, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, -1, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0]W$; $[0, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, -1, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}, -1]W$
(iii) $[0.45, -0.55, -0.64, 0.78, 0.45, -0.04, -1.49, -0.72, 0.69, 1.51]W$
3. (a)(i) 0.065P (ii) 0.016P
(b) 2200 N, 2196 N
(d) -0.56 mm
4. (a) 0.192WL
(b) 6.66Mp/L
5. (a) $H = 6.83M_p/R$
6. $L/H=0.75$

Numerical answers to Paper 3 (2009)

1. (c) $\sigma_x = Y \left[1 - \exp\left(\frac{\ell - x}{L}\right) \right]$, where $L = \frac{\bar{h}}{\mu + \tan \alpha}$
- (d) $F = 2\bar{h}Y \left[\exp\left(\frac{(\mu + \tan \alpha)\ell}{\bar{h}}\right) - 1 \right]$
2. (b) Fraction of eutectic mix = 0.5
 Weight fraction of α in eutectic mixture = 0.768
 Weight fraction of β in eutectic mixture = 0.232
3. (b)(ii) $\frac{\dot{\tau}\eta}{G_2} + \left(\frac{G_1 + G_2}{G_2}\right)\tau = \eta\dot{\gamma} + G_1\gamma$
- (b)(iii) $\gamma = \frac{\tau_0}{G_2}$
- $$\gamma = \frac{\tau_0}{G_e} - \left[\frac{\tau_0}{G_e} - \frac{\tau_0}{G_2} \right] \exp\left(-\frac{G_1 t}{\eta}\right),$$
- (b)(iv)
 where $\frac{1}{G_e} = \frac{1}{G_1} + \frac{1}{G_2}$
5. (b)(i) Requires carbon in the range 0.5 to 1.02 wt%
- (b)(ii) time = 10.18mins.
- (b)(iii) peak at $x = 94 \mu\text{m}$

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- Q 3a) East side at 12.5m and 25m depths $N = 1.67$ & 2 respectively (open face tunnelling is possible)
West side at 12.5m depth, sand so closed face tunnelling; at 25m depth $N=16.67$ so closed face tunnelling is required
- Q 4a) $P = 3264$ kN/m
4b) $P = 4104$ kN/m
4c) $P = 2808$ kN/m
4d) $P = 3146$ kN/m
- Q 5a) Max BM at the corner = 187 kNm; Max BM at the centre = 533 kNm
5b) $d = 360$ mm (including cover)
5c) $A_s = 5919$ mm²/m at the centre; $A_s = 1685$ mm²/m
5d) no point in double reinforcement as peak BM is not over a short distance and the section is already congested.

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