

1. A solid circular bar of diameter $d = 2.0$ in. (see figure 1) is twisted in a testing machine until the applied torque reaches the value $T = 11,000$ lb-in. At this value of torque, a strain gage oriented at 45° to the axis of the bar gives a reading $\epsilon = 305 \times 10^{-6}$. Determine the shear modulus G of the material. (20%)
2. A box beam constructed of four wood boards of size 6 in. X 1 in. (actual dimensions) is shown in the figure 2. The boards are joined by screws for which the allowable load in shear is $F = 210$ lb per screw. Calculate the maximum permissible longitudinal spacing s_{max} of the screws if the shear force V is 1150 lb. (20%)
3. A cantilever beam of rectangular cross section is subjected to a concentrated load $P = 15$ k acting at the free end (see figure 3). The beam has width $b = 4$ in. and height $h = 10$ in. Point A is located at distance $c = 2$ ft from the free end and distance $d = 3$ in. from the bottom of the beam. Calculate the principal stresses σ_1 and σ_2 and the maximum shear stress τ_{max} at point A. Show these stresses on sketches of properly oriented elements. (20%)
4. The figure 4 shows a propped cantilever beam ABC having span length L and an overhang of length a . A concentrated load P acts at the end of the overhang. Determine the reactions R_A , R_B , and M_A for this beam. Also, draw the shear-force and bending-moment diagrams, labeling all critical ordinates. (20%)
5. A horizontal beam AB is supported by a pinned-end column CD, as shown in the figure 5. The column is a solid steel bar ($E = 200$ GPa) of square cross section having length $L = 1.8$ m and side dimensions $b = 50$ mm. Based upon load Q if the factor of safety with respect to buckling is $n = 2.0$. (20%)

