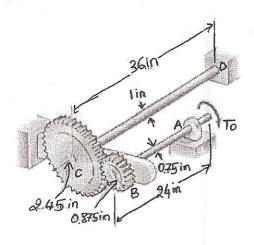
Mechanics of materials (MECH320)-QUIZ II (1h30)-Summer 2011

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Problem 1. (35 pts) Two solid steel shafts are connected by the gears shown. Knowing that for each shaft $G = 11.2 \times 10^6$ psi and that the allowable shearing stress is 8 ksi, determine a) the largest torque T_0 that may be applied to end A of shaft AB. (b) the corresponding angle through which end A of shaft AB rotates.

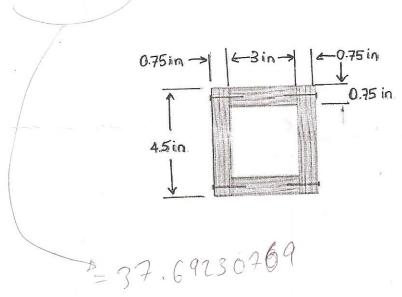


Formulas:

$$r_b \phi_b = r_c \phi_c$$

$$\phi = \frac{TL}{JG} \qquad \tau = \frac{TC}{J}$$

Problem 2 (30 pts). A square box beam is made of two 0.75×3 in planks and two 0.75×4.5 in. planks, nailed together as shown in the figure below. Knowing that the spacing between nails is 1.75 in. and that the beam is subjected to a vertical shear of magnitude V = 600 lb, determine the shearing force in each nail.

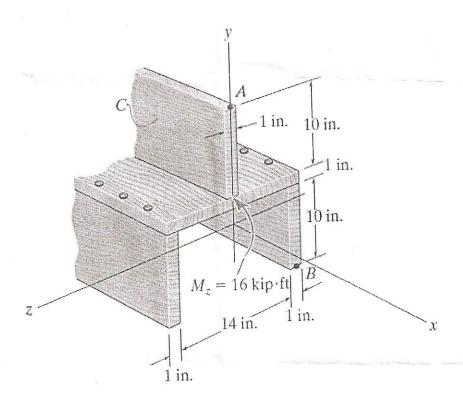


Problem 3 (35 pts). The beam is constructed from four boards as shown. If it is subjected to a moment of 16 kip. it, then:

a) Determine the stress at points A and B.

b) Sketch a three-dimensional view of the stress distribution.

c) Determine the resultant force the stress produces on the top board C.



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Formulas: $I = \frac{1}{12}a^4$ for a rectangular square of side a about a centroidal axis

$$I = \Sigma \overline{I} + Ad^2$$

$$q = \frac{v\varrho}{I}$$

$$\overline{y} = \frac{\sum \overline{y}A}{\sum A}$$

$$Q = A'\overline{y}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{My}{I}$$

Good luck