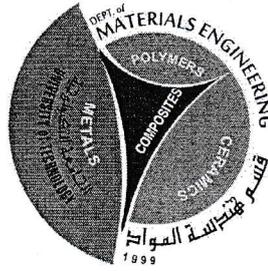


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ANSWER FIVE QUESTIONS ONLY

All the questions are of equal marks

Q1) CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1- If a force of 6 N is applied to a flat tensile specimen of length 6 cm ,width 1 cm and Thickness 0.3 cm, the stress on the specimen is:

- A- 1.8 N cm² B-1.8*10³ MN m² C- 20N/m² D-0.2MN/m² [10 MARK]
E- 1 MN/m² F- none of the above

2-The elastic strain obtained on applying a stress to a material is :

- A-time –dependent B- instantaneous C- partially permanent
D- reversible E- directly proportional to the stress
F- inversely proportional to the stress

3- Poisson's ratio is the ratio of transverse strain to tensile strain during elastic Deformation :

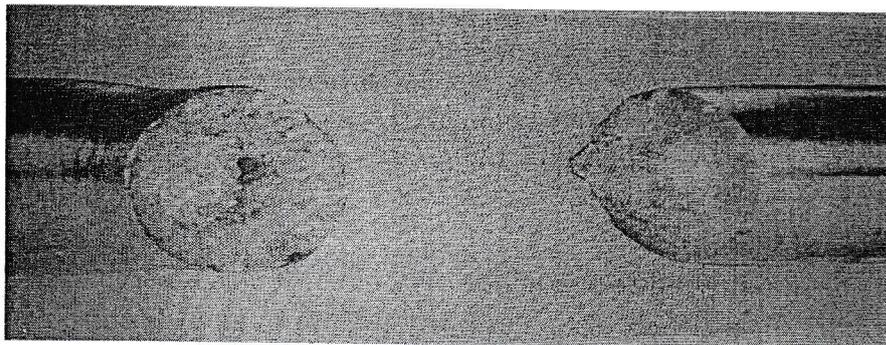
- A- true B- false

4- The elastic resilience of a material is :

- A- the stored energy per unit volume during elastic deformation
B- the stored energy per unit volume associated with dislocation.
C- given by $1/2 \epsilon^2 E$
D- given by $1/2 \sigma \epsilon$
E- given by $E \delta \epsilon / \delta t$ where σ, ϵ, E , are stress ,strain and young modulus

5-This fracture resulted from a tensile test ,the fracture

- A- is a brittle fracture. B- is a ductile fracture
C- was preceded by considerable plastic deformation
D- probably started at a surface crack
E- is called a "cup and cone " fracture
F- none of the above



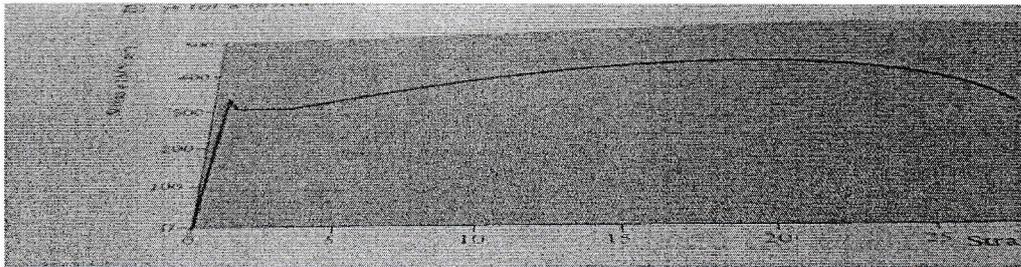
6- The true strain is given by :

- A- $\ln L/L_0$ B- $\Delta L/L_0$ C- ϵ/L_0 D- $\ln(1+\epsilon)$ E- $\int d L/L$

where ϵ , L_0, L are the engineering strain, the initial length ,and current length

7- this stress strain curve:

- A- is for pure copper B- is for mild steel C-shows an upper yield point
D- shows a lower yield stress E-is for a brittle material



- 8- The Fatigue resistance of a material is reduced by :
- A- permanent residual compressive stresses
 - B- a mean positive (tensile) stress
 - C- chemically and mechanically hardening the surface
 - D- poor surface finish.
- 9- In fatigue the mean stress σ_m
- A- is equal to twice the stress amplitude
 - B- is equal to one-quarter of the stress amplitude
 - C- does not affect fatigue life
 - D- is determined by the ease of dislocation climb
 - E- has an effect on fatigue life which can be analysed of the Goodman Relationship
 - F- none of the above
- 10- In secondary creep the
- A- recovery rate is greater than the work-hardening rate
 - B- recovery rate is equal to the work hardening rate
 - C- creep strain is given by $\epsilon = Kt$ where K is a constant and t is the time
 - D- creep strain is given by $\epsilon = Kt^{1/3}$
 - E- none of the above

Q2)

- A- What is the creep failure? Is a creep failure of a material is considered at high temperature? Explain how creep failure could be minimized? Use well known case example. [4 mark]
- B- What is the difference between ultimate strength of the material and its failure load? [2 mark]
- C- Two engineers were discussing fatigue failure, and one stated, "fatigue failures are brittle" while the other stated, "fatigue failures are ductile". Discuss the pros and cons of the two arguments. [4 mark]

Q3)

- A- What types of loading modes (e.g. axial, torsion, bending, combined bending – torsion, pressure) that experienced at the following component: [5 mark]
- 1- jet engine turbine
 - 2- a rear leg of the chair you frequently use
 - 3- motorcycle front axle
- B- How would you distinguish between a ductile fracture and brittle fracture? Why is the fracture strength of the real material is lower than the ideal breaking strength? [5 mark]

Q4)

A- State the four actual fatigue, creep failure?

[4 mark]

B- What are the characteristics of brittle fracture?

[3 mark]

C- Explain briefly the crack modes?

[3 mark]

Q5)

A- a round bar of metal is 9 mm diameter and it is observed that a length of 250mm extends by an amount of 0.225 under a load of 11.8kN. At the same time its diameter contracts by 0.00227mm. Determine Young modulus and the shear modulus for the metal?

[5mark]

B- why study fracture mechanics?

[5mark]

Q6)

A- Explain how can random stress affects the fatigue? [4 mark]

B- What are the deformation mechanisms are involved during the elastic and plastic of thermoplastics? [3 mark]

C- How does the SN curve of carbon steel differ from that of high strength Aluminum alloy? [3 mark]

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