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# DESIGN AGAINST STATIC AND FLUCTUATING LOADS

## CHAPTER

# 1

## OBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

- The ultimate strength of steel in tension in comparison to shear is in the ratio of
  - 1 : 1
  - 2 : 1
  - 3 : 2
  - 2 : 3
- Rankine's theory of failure is applicable for following type of materials
  - Brittle
  - Ductile
  - Elastic
  - Plastic
- If a material fails below its yield point, failure would be due to
  - Straining
  - Fatigue
  - Creep
  - Sudden loading
- Yield point in fatigue loading as compared to static loading is
  - Same
  - Higher
  - Lower
  - Depends on other factors
- Factor of safety is the ratio of
  - Yield stress/working stress
  - Tensile stress/working stress
  - Compressive stress/working stress
  - Bearing stress/working stress
- Resistance to fatigue of a material is judged by
  - Shear modulus
  - Plastic limit
  - Endurance limit
  - Ultimate tensile strength
- Gerber line of failure criteria is in the shape of a
  - Straight line with positive slope
  - Ellipse
  - Hyperbola
  - Parabola
- Total strain energy theory is applicable for
  - Ductile materials
  - Brittle materials
  - Elastic materials
  - Plastic materials
- Fatigue resistance of material is also called as
  - Elastic strength
  - Toughness
  - Endurance limit
  - Modulus of rigidity
- Stress concentration takes place due to
  - Variation of material properties
  - Abrupt change of section
  - Pitting at various points
  - All of the above
- Stress concentration factor is the ratio of
  - Nominal stress to the Young's modulus
  - Endurance limit to ultimate tensile strength
  - Nominal stress to Yield strength
  - Maximum stress to the nominal stress

12. If the size of a standard specification for fatigue testing machine is increased the endurance limit for the material will
- Have same value as that of standard specimen
  - Increases
  - Decreases
  - None of these
13. Stress concentration in a machine component of ductile materials not so harmful as it is in brittle material because
- In Ductile material local yielding may distribute stress concentration
  - Ductile material have large Young's modulus
  - Poisson's ratio is larger in ductile materials
  - Modulus of rigidity is larger in ductile material
14. Stress concentration in static loading is more serious in
- Ductile material
  - Brittle material
  - Depends on other factors
  - Unpredictable
15. Endurance strength of a component does not depend upon which one of the following factors?
- Surface finish
  - Size
  - Applied load
  - Cost
- [NTPC-DIP - Trainee]
16. Stiffness is defined as
- deformation per unit force
  - force per unit deformation
  - product of force and deformation
  - force required to produce a stress of 1 kg/cm<sup>2</sup> on any cross-section
17. Charpy test is
- A bending test
  - An impact test
  - A fatigue test
  - A hardness test
18. The design calculations for members subject to fluctuating load with the same factor of safety yield the most conservative estimates when using
- Soderberg relation
  - Goodman relation
  - Gerber relation
  - Maxwell relation
- [TSPSC - AE]
19. Guest's theory of failure is applicable for following type of materials
- Brittle
  - Ductile
  - Elastic
  - Plastic
- [QP-Mechanical - I]
20. The S-N curve for steel becomes asymptotic nearly at
- 10<sup>9</sup> cycles
  - 10<sup>5</sup> cycles
  - 10<sup>3</sup> cycles
  - 10<sup>6</sup> cycles
- [QP-Mechanical - I]
21. In terms of theoretical stress concentration factor ( $K_t$ ) and a fatigue stress concentration factor ( $K_f$ ), the notch sensitivity 'q' is expressed as
- $(K_f - 1)/(K_t - 1)$
  - $(K_f - 1)/(K_t + 1)$
  - $(K_t - 1)/(K_f - 1)$
  - $(K_f + 1)/(K_t + 1)$
- [QP-Mechanical-I]
22. Consider the following
- Hard materials
  - Brittle materials
  - Malleable materials
  - Ductile materials
  - Elastic materials
- Of the above, shear stress theory is applicable for which material
- 1 and 2
  - 2, 3 and 5
  - 3
  - 4
- [QP-Mechanical - I]

23. Resilience of a material is considered when it is subjected to
- (a) Fatigue
  - (b) Creep
  - (c) Frequent heat treatment
  - (d) Shock Loading
- [AEM]**
24. Endurance limit of a component
- (a) Increases as the surface roughness increases
  - (b) Decreases as the surface roughness increases
  - (c) Initially increases with the increase in surface roughness and then decreases
  - (d) Does not depend upon the surface roughness
- [DRDO - 2008]**
25. The size factor is employed to find out the endurance limit of a part from the endurance limit of the material (as determined from the standard rotating beam specimen). For sizes greater than 50 mm, this factor is
- (a) 0.85
  - (b) 0.75
  - (c) 0.9
  - (d) 1.25
26. Time dependent permanent deformation is called:
- (a) Plastic deformation
  - (b) Elastic deformation
  - (c) Creep
  - (d) Inelastic deformation
- [UPRVNL JE - 2016]**
27. Failure due to excessive deformation is controlled by :
- (a) Material properties
  - (b) Design and Dimensions
  - (c) Both (a) and (b)
  - (d) None
- [UPRVNL JE - 2016]**
28. Most often machine components fail by :
- (a) Buling
  - (b) Creep
  - (c) Fatigue
  - (d) All
- [UPRVNL JE - 2016]**
29. Resistance to fatigue of a material is measured by :
- (a) Elastic limit
  - (b) Young's modulus
  - (c) Modulus of rigidity
  - (d) Endurance
- [UPRVNL JE - 2016]**
30. Elastic modulus of steel is
- (a) 72 GPa
  - (b) 210 GPa
  - (c) 250 GPa
  - (d) 300 GPa
- [Uttrakhand JE - 2013]**
31. Which of the following is the correct relationship to determine the factor of safety in designing machine elements ?
- (a) Design stress/ultimate stress
  - (b) Ultimate stress/design stress
  - (c) Ultimate stress design stress
  - (d) None of the above
- [MP - 2016]**
32. The ratio of ultimate stress and working stress is called-
- (a) Factor of safety
  - (b) Modulus of elasticity
  - (c) Poission's ratio
  - (d) None of the above
- [UPSSSC JE - 2015]**
33. In compression test, the cast iron specimen would fracture along:
- (a) An oblique plane
  - (b) At right angles to the axis of specimen
  - (c) The axis of load
  - (d) Would not occur
- [DMRC - 2017]**

34. Maximum principal strain theory of failure gives satisfactory result for :
- (a) Brittle materials only
  - (b) Brittle as well as ductile materials
  - (c) Ductile materials only
  - (d) None of the above
35. Which theory is best to estimate failure load for a ductile material?
- (a) Distortion energy theorem
  - (b) Maximum strain energy theorem
  - (c) Maximum shear stress theorem
  - (d) None of these

[Chattisgarh JE - 2008]

[Uttarakhand JE - 2013]

□□□



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**ANSWERS AND EXPLANATIONS**

1. *Ans. (c)*  
 2. *Ans. (a)*  
 3. *Ans. (b)*  
 4. *Ans. (c)*  
 5. *Ans. (a)*  
 6. *Ans. (c)*  
 7. *Ans. (d)*  
 8. *Ans. (a)*  
 9. *Ans. (c)*  
 10. *Ans. (d)*  
 11. *Ans. (d)*  
 12. *Ans. (c)*

If the diameter or size of the mechanical components is more, the surface area is more hence greater number of surface defect. Hence, endurance limit of component reduced with increase in size.

13. *Ans. (a)*  
 The stress concentration effect in ductile material for static loading has no serious effect because these material undergoes local yielding and distribute the stress where maximum value is reached.  
 14. *Ans. (b)*  
 15. *Ans. (d)*  
 16. *Ans. (b)*
17. *Ans. (b)*  
 18. *Ans. (a)*  
 19. *Ans. (b)*  
 20. *Ans. (d)*  
 21. *Ans. (a)*  
 22. *Ans. (d)*  
 23. *Ans. (d)*  
 24. *Ans. (b)*  
 25. *Ans. (b)*
26. *Ans. (c)*  
 27. *Ans. (c)*  
 28. *Ans. (c)*  
 29. *Ans. (d)*  
 30. *Ans. (b)*  
 31. *Ans. (b)*  
 32. *Ans. (a)*  
 33. *Ans. (a)*  
 34. *Ans. (c)*  
 35. *Ans. (a)*

	$k_b$
$d \leq 7.5$	1
$7.5 < d \leq 50$	0.85
$d > 50$	0.75

$$\text{stiffness (k)} = \frac{\text{force}}{\text{deflection(deformation)}}$$