

## Stresses in Rotating Disks

Lecture 16

Engineering 473  
Machine Design



### Summary of Axisymmetric Equations

**Equilibrium Equation**

$$\frac{d\sigma_r}{dr} + \frac{\sigma_r - \sigma_\theta}{r} + F_r = 0$$

**Constitutive Equations**

$$\epsilon_r = \frac{1}{E}(\sigma_r - \nu\sigma_\theta)$$

$$\epsilon_\theta = \frac{1}{E}(\sigma_\theta - \nu\sigma_r)$$

**Strain-Displacement Equations**

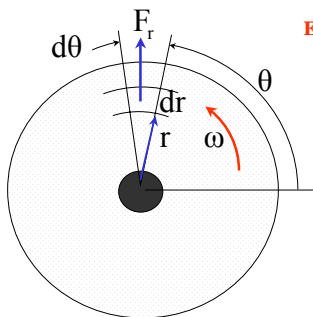
$$\epsilon_r = \frac{du}{dr}, \quad \epsilon_\theta = \frac{u}{r}$$

or

$$\sigma_r = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2}(\epsilon_r + \nu\epsilon_\theta)$$

$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2}(\epsilon_\theta + \nu\epsilon_r)$$

### Rotating Disk



**Equilibrium Diff Equation**

$$\frac{d\sigma_r}{dr} + \frac{\sigma_r - \sigma_\theta}{r} + F_r = 0$$

$$F_r = \rho r \omega^2$$

$$\frac{d\sigma_r}{dr} + \frac{\sigma_r - \sigma_\theta}{r} + \rho r \omega^2 = 0$$

$F_r \equiv$  radial body force per unit volume

### Displacement Base Equilibrium Equation

**Equilibrium Equation**

$$\frac{d\sigma_r}{dr} + \frac{\sigma_r - \sigma_\theta}{r} + \rho r \omega^2 = 0$$

Combining the equilibrium and constitutive equations yields

**Constitutive Equations**

$$\sigma_r = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2}(\epsilon_r + \nu\epsilon_\theta)$$

$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2}(\epsilon_\theta + \nu\epsilon_r)$$

$$\frac{d^2u}{dr^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{du}{dr} - \frac{u}{r^2} = -\frac{(1-\nu^2)\rho r \omega^2}{E}$$

This equation is the differential equation of equilibrium written in terms of the radial displacement component.

### General Solution

**Differential Equation of Equilibrium**

$$\frac{d^2u}{dr^2} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{du}{dr} - \frac{u}{r^2} = -\frac{(1-\nu^2)\rho r \omega^2}{E}$$

**Homogeneous Solution**

$$u_h = C_1 r + \frac{C_2}{r}$$

The homogeneous solution is the same as the general solution for the thick walled cylinder.

**Particular Solution**

$$u_p = -\frac{(1-\nu^2)\rho r^3 \omega^2}{8E}$$

**General Solution**

$$u = C_1 r + \frac{C_2}{r} - \frac{(1-\nu^2)\rho r^3 \omega^2}{8E}$$

### Stress Distributions

**Constitutive Equations**

$$\sigma_r = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2}(\epsilon_r + \nu\epsilon_\theta)$$

$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2}(\epsilon_\theta + \nu\epsilon_r)$$

**General Solution - Displacement**

$$u = C_1 r + \frac{C_2}{r} - \frac{(1-\nu^2)\rho r^3 \omega^2}{8E}$$

**Displacement Based**

$$\sigma_r = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left( \frac{du}{dr} + \nu \frac{u}{r} \right)$$

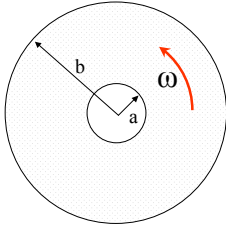
$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left( \frac{u}{r} + \nu \frac{du}{dr} \right)$$

**General Solution - Stress**

$$\sigma_r = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(3+\nu)(1-\nu^2)\rho r^2 \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu)C_1 - (1-\nu)\frac{C_2}{r^2} \right]$$

$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(1+3\nu)(1-\nu^2)\rho r^2 \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu)C_1 + (1-\nu)\frac{C_2}{r^2} \right]$$

### Annular Rotating Disk



#### Boundary Conditions

$$\sigma_r(a) = 0$$

$$\sigma_r(b) = 0$$

This disk has a hole in the center.

### Constant Determination for Annular Rotating Disk

$$\sigma_r(a) = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(3+\nu)(1-\nu^2)\rho a^2 \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu)C_1 - (1-\nu)\frac{C_2}{a^2} \right]$$

$$= 0$$

$$\sigma_r(b) = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(3+\nu)(1-\nu^2)\rho b^2 \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu)C_1 - (1-\nu)\frac{C_2}{b^2} \right]$$

$$= 0$$

Multiplying the top equation by  $a^2$  and the bottom by  $b^2$  and then subtracting the two equations yields

$$C_1 = \rho\omega^2 \frac{(a^2 + b^2)(1-\nu)(3+\nu)}{E \cdot 8}$$

### Constant Determination (Continued)

$$\sigma_r(a) = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(3+\nu)(1-\nu^2)\rho a^2 \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu)C_1 - (1-\nu)\frac{C_2}{a^2} \right] = 0$$

$$\sigma_r(b) = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(3+\nu)(1-\nu^2)\rho b^2 \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu)C_1 - (1-\nu)\frac{C_2}{b^2} \right] = 0$$

$$C_1 = \rho\omega^2 \frac{(a^2 + b^2)(1-\nu)(3+\nu)}{E \cdot 8}$$

$$C_2 = \rho\omega^2 \frac{(a^2 b^2)(1+\nu)(3+\nu)}{E \cdot 8}$$

### Annular Rotating Disk Equations

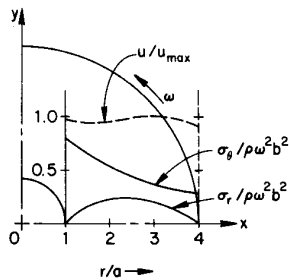
$$\sigma_r = \frac{3+\nu}{8} \left( a^2 + b^2 - r^2 - \frac{a^2 b^2}{r^2} \right) \rho\omega^2$$

$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{3+\nu}{8} \left( a^2 + b^2 - \frac{1+3\nu}{3+\nu} r^2 + \frac{a^2 b^2}{r^2} \right) \rho\omega^2$$

$$u = \frac{(3+\nu)(1-\nu)}{8E} \left( a^2 + b^2 - \frac{1+\nu}{3+\nu} r^2 + \frac{1+\nu}{1-\nu} \frac{a^2 b^2}{r^2} \right) \rho r \omega^2$$

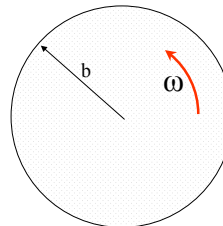
Note that  $r=a$  and  $r=b$ , that the radial stress component is zero.

### Stress and Displacement Variation Through the Thickness



Ugural, Fig. 8.6

### Solid Rotating Disk



#### Boundary Conditions

$$\sigma(b) = 0$$

$$u(0) = 0$$

### Solid Rotating Disk

(Continued)

$$u = C_1 r + \frac{C_2}{r} - (1-\nu^2) \frac{\rho r^3 \omega^2}{8E}$$

$$\sigma_r = \frac{E}{1-\nu^2} \left[ \frac{-(3+\nu)(1-\nu^2) \rho r \omega^2}{8E} + (1+\nu) C_1 - (1-\nu) \frac{C_2}{r^2} \right]$$

Since the displacement must be finite at  $r = 0$ ,  $C_2 = 0$

$$C_1 = \rho \omega^2 \frac{b^2 (1-\nu)(3+\nu)}{8E}$$

### Solid Rotating Disk Stress and Displacement Equations

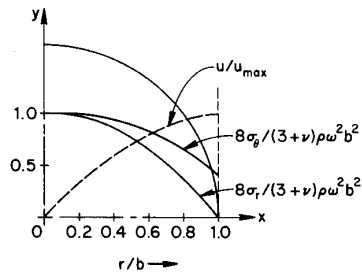
$$\sigma_r = \frac{3+\nu}{8} (b^2 - r^2) \rho \omega^2$$

$$\sigma_\theta = \frac{3+\nu}{8} \left( b^2 - \frac{1+3\nu}{3+\nu} r^2 \right) \rho \omega^2$$

$$u = \frac{1-\nu}{8E} [(3+\nu)b^2 - (1+\nu)r^2] \rho r \omega^2$$

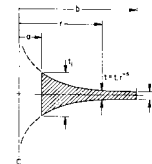
Note that these equations satisfy the boundary conditions.

### Stress and Displacement Variation

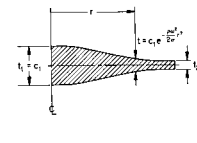


### Other Solutions

Solutions to the governing differential equations exist for variable thickness geometries and for constant stress conditions.



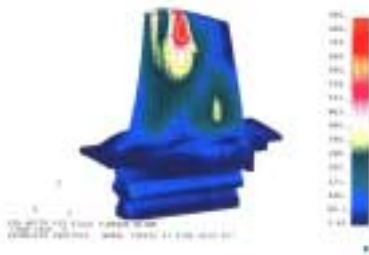
Variable Thickness



Constant Stress

Ugural, Fig. 8.8 & 8.9

### Complex Geometries



Complex geometries must be solved using numerical methods.

### Assignment

A flat 20 inch outer diameter, 4 inch inner diameter, and 3 inch thick steel disk is shrunk onto a steel shaft. If the assembly is to run safely at 6900 rpm, determine: (a) the required interference (inches), (b) the maximum stress when not rotating, and (c) the maximum stress when rotating. The material properties are  $\rho = 0.00072 \text{ lb-sec}^2/\text{in}^4$ ,  $E = 30 \times 10^6 \text{ psi}$ , and  $\nu = 0.3$ .