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3-1. A concrete cylinder having a diameter of 6.00 in. and gauge length of 12 in. is tested in compression. The results of the test are reported in the table as load versus contraction. Draw the stress-strain diagram using scales of 1 in. = 0.5 ksi and 1 in. = $0.2(10^{-3})$ in./in. From the diagram, determine approximately the modulus of elasticity.

Load (kip)	Contraction (in.)
0	0
5.0	0.0006
9.5	0.0012
16.5	0.0020
20.5	0.0026
25.5	0.0034
30.0	0.0040
34.5	0.0045
38.5	0.0050
46.5	0.0062
50.0	0.0070
53.0	0.0075

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3-2. Data taken from a stress-strain test for a ceramic are given in the table. The curve is linear between the origin and the first point. Plot the diagram, and determine the modulus of elasticity and the modulus of resilience.

σ (ksi)	ϵ (in./in.)
0	0
33.2	0.0006
45.5	0.0010
49.4	0.0014
51.5	0.0018
53.4	0.0022

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3-3. Data taken from a stress-strain test for a ceramic are given in the table. The curve is linear between the origin and the first point. Plot the diagram, and determine approximately the modulus of toughness. The rupture stress is $\sigma_r = 53.4$ ksi.

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0	0
33.2	0.0006
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49.4	0.0014
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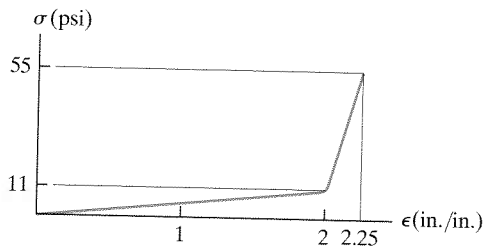
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***3-4.** A tension test was performed on a steel specimen having an original diameter of 0.503 in. and gauge length of 2.00 in. The data is listed in the table. Plot the stress-strain diagram and determine approximately the modulus of elasticity, the yield stress, the ultimate stress, and the rupture stress. Use a scale of 1 in. = 20 ksi and 1 in. = 0.05 in./in. Redraw the elastic region, using the same stress scale but a strain scale of 1 in. = 0.001 in./in.

Load (kip)	Elongation (in.)
0	0
1.50	0.0005
4.60	0.0015
8.00	0.0025
11.00	0.0035
11.80	0.0050
11.80	0.0080
12.00	0.0200
16.60	0.0400
20.00	0.1000
21.50	0.2800
19.50	0.4000
18.50	0.4600

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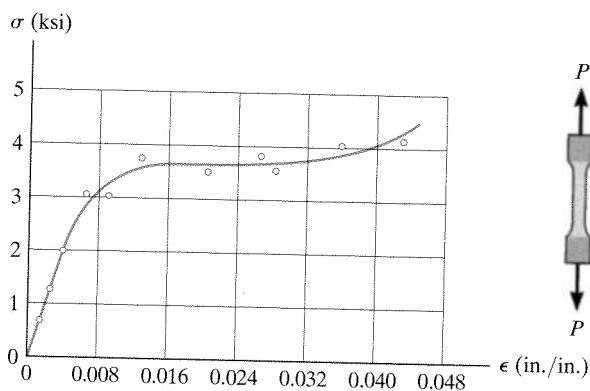
3-9. The σ - ϵ diagram for elastic fibers that make up human skin and muscle is shown. Determine the modulus of elasticity of the fibers and estimate their modulus of toughness and modulus of resilience.



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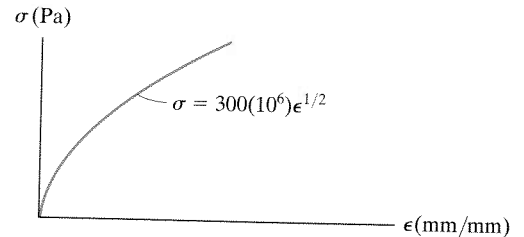
3-10. An A-36 steel bar has a length of 50 in. and cross-sectional area of 0.7 in^2 . Determine the length of the bar if it is subjected to an axial tension of 5000 lb. The material has linear-elastic behavior.

3-11. The stress-strain diagram for polyethylene, which is used to sheath coaxial cables, is determined from testing a specimen that has a gauge length of 10 in. If a load P on the specimen develops a strain of $\epsilon = 0.024 \text{ in./in.}$, determine the approximate length of the specimen, measured between the gauge points, when the load is removed. Assume the specimen recovers elastically.



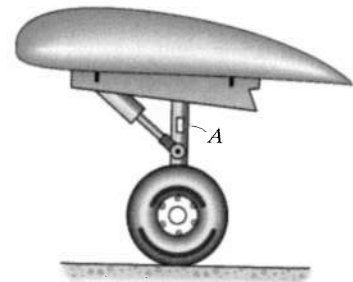
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***3-12.** Fiberglass has a stress-strain diagram as shown. If a 50-mm-diameter bar of length 2 m made from this material is subjected to an axial tensile load of 60 kN, determine its elongation.



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3-13. The change in weight of an airplane is determined from reading the strain gauge A mounted in the plane's aluminum wheel strut. Before the plane is loaded, the strain-gauge reading in a strut is $\epsilon_1 = 0.00100 \text{ in./in.}$, whereas after loading $\epsilon_2 = 0.00243 \text{ in./in.}$ Determine the change in the force on the strut if the cross-sectional area of the strut is 3.5 in^2 . $E_{\text{al}} = 10(10^3) \text{ ksi}$.

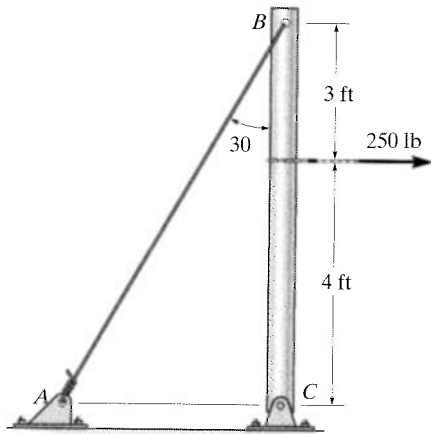


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3-14. A specimen is originally 1 ft long, has a diameter of 0.5 in., and is subjected to a force of 500 lb. When the force is increased to 1800 lb, the specimen elongates 0.9 in. Determine the modulus of elasticity for the material if it remains elastic.

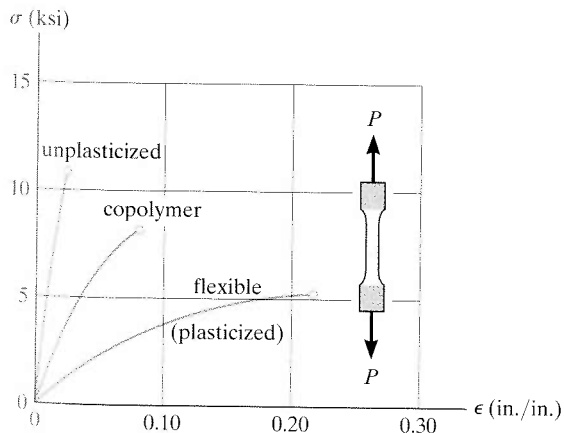
3-15. A structural member in a nuclear reactor is made from a zirconium alloy. If an axial load of 4 kip is to be supported by the member, determine its required cross-sectional area. Use a factor of safety of 3 with respect to yielding. What is the load on the member if it is 3-ft long and its elongation is 0.02 in.? $E_{\text{Zr}} = 14(10^3) \text{ ksi}$, $\sigma_Y = 57.5 \text{ ksi}$. The material has elastic behavior.

***3-16.** The pole is supported by a pin at C and an A-36 steel guy wire AB . If the wire has a diameter of 0.2 in., determine how much it stretches when a horizontal force of 250 lb acts on the pole.



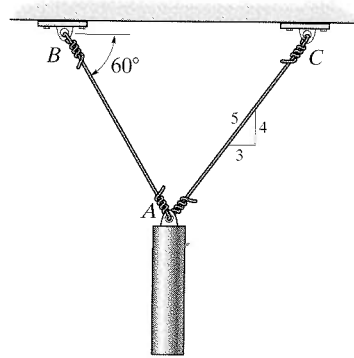
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3-17. By adding plasticizers to polyvinyl chloride, it is possible to reduce its stiffness. The stress-strain diagrams for three types of this material showing this effect are given below. Specify the type that should be used in the manufacture of a rod having a length of 5 in. and a diameter of 2 in., that is required to support at least an axial load of 20 kip and also be able to stretch at most $\frac{1}{4}$ in.



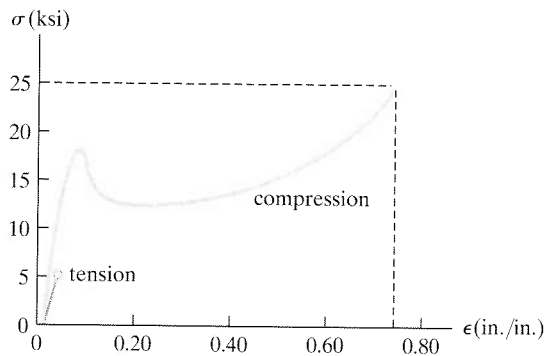
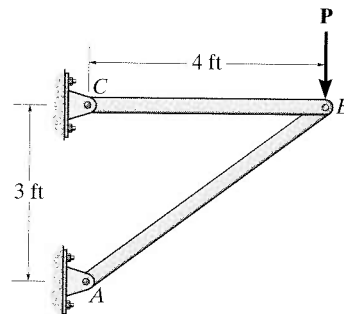
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3-18. The steel wires AB and AC support the 200-kg mass. If the allowable axial stress for the wires is $\sigma_{allow} = 130$ MPa, determine the required diameter of each wire. Also, what is the new length of wire AB after the load is applied? Take the unstretched length of AB to be 750 mm. $E_{st} = 200$ GPa.



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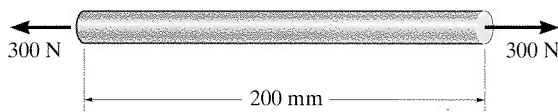
3-19. The two bars are made of polystyrene, which has the stress-strain diagram shown. If the cross-sectional area of bar AB is 1.5 in² and BC is 4 in², determine the largest force P that can be supported before any member ruptures. Assume that buckling does not occur.



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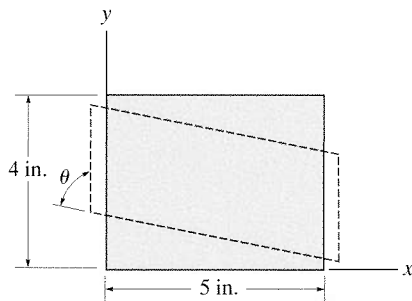
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3-26. The acrylic plastic rod is 200 mm long and 15 mm in diameter. If an axial load of 300 N is applied to it, determine the change in its length and the change in its diameter. $E_p = 2.70$ GPa, $\nu_p = 0.4$.



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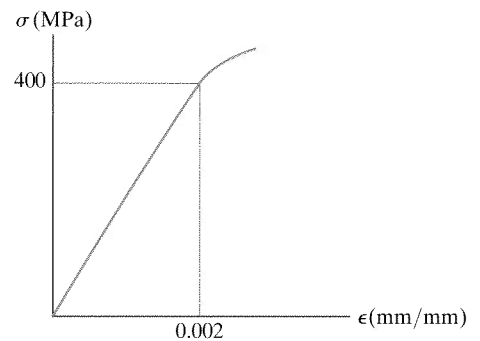
3-27. The block is made of titanium Ti-6Al-4V and is subjected to a compression of 0.06 in. along the y axis, and its shape is given a tilt of $\theta = 89.7^\circ$. Determine ϵ_x , ϵ_y , and γ_{xy} .



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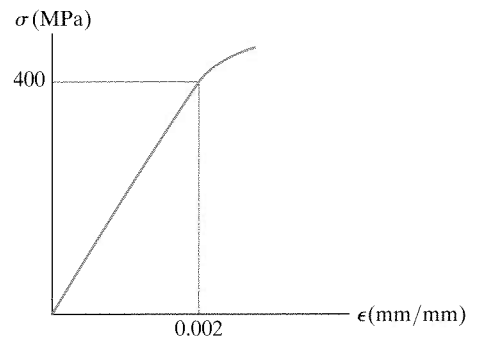
***3-28.** A short cylindrical block of bronze C86100, having an original diameter of 1.5 in. and a length of 3 in., is placed in a compression machine and squeezed until its length becomes 2.98 in. Determine the new diameter of the block.

3-29. The elastic portion of the stress-strain diagram for a steel alloy is shown in the figure. The specimen from which it was obtained had an original diameter of 13 mm and a gauge length of 50 mm. When the applied load on the specimen is 50 kN, the diameter is 12.99265 mm. Determine Poisson's ratio for the material.



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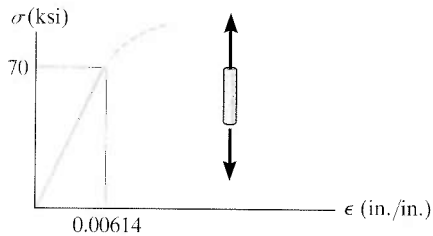
3-30. The elastic portion of the stress-strain diagram for a steel alloy is shown in the figure. The specimen from which it was obtained had an original diameter of 13 mm and a gauge length of 50 mm. If a load of $P = 20$ kN is applied to the specimen, determine its diameter and gauge length. Take $\nu = 0.4$.



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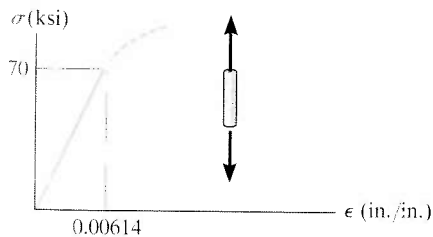
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3-35. The elastic portion of the tension stress-strain diagram for an aluminum alloy is shown in the figure. The specimen used for the test has a gauge length of 2 in. and a diameter of 0.5 in. When the applied load is 9 kip, the new diameter of the specimen is 0.49935 in. Compute the shear modulus G_{al} for the aluminum.



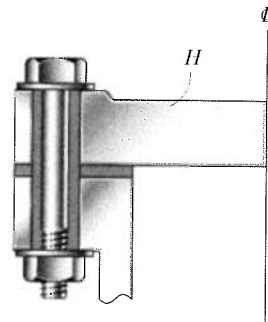
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*3-36. The elastic portion of the tension stress-strain diagram for an aluminum alloy is shown in the figure. The specimen used for the test has a gauge length of 2 in. and a diameter of 0.5 in. If the applied load is 10 kip determine the new diameter of the specimen. The shear modulus is $G_{al} = 3.8(10^3)$ ksi.



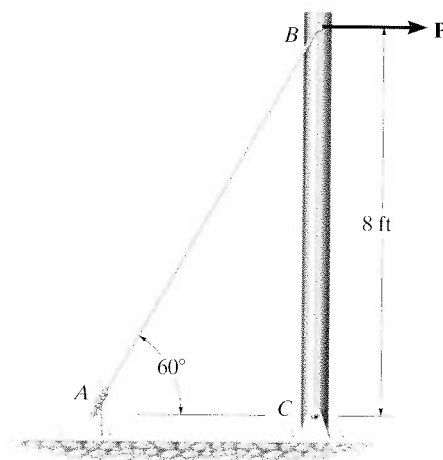
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3-37. The head H is connected to the cylinder of a compressor using six steel bolts. If the clamping force in each bolt is 800 lb, determine the normal strain in the bolts. Each bolt has a diameter of $\frac{3}{16}$ in. If $\sigma_Y = 40$ ksi and $E_{st} = 29(10^3)$ ksi, what is the strain in each bolt when the nut is unscrewed so that the clamping force is released?



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3-38. The rigid pipe is supported by a pin at C and an A-36 steel guy wire AB . If the wire has a diameter of 0.2 in., determine how much it stretches when a load of $P = 300$ lb acts on the pipe. The material remains elastic.



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