

# PNS SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

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Sub-STRUCTURAL DESIGN-1

Branch – Civil Engineering

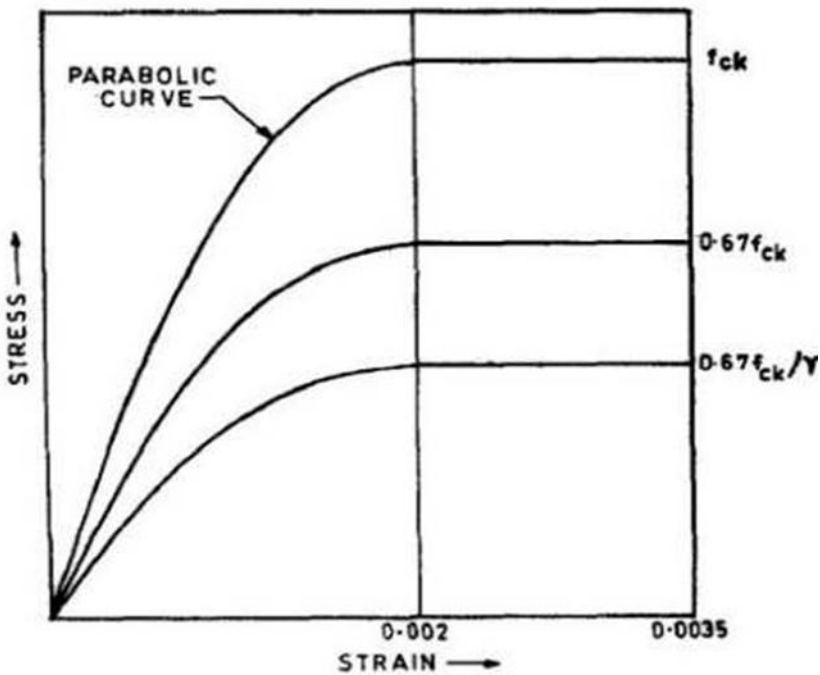
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(a) What is factor of safety?

Factor of safety is the ability of a system's structural capacity to be viable beyond its expected or actual loads. For concrete 1.5 and for steel 1.15.

(b) Draw stress-strain diagram of concrete?



STRESS-STRAIN CURVE FOR CONCRETE

**(c) What is lever arm? Write down the formulae for lever arm ?**

The lever arm is the perpendicular distance between the line of action of the couple forming compressive and tensile forces in a reinforced concrete section.  $\text{lever arm} = (d - 0.42x_u)$ .

**(d) What are the assumptions in limit state of collapse?**

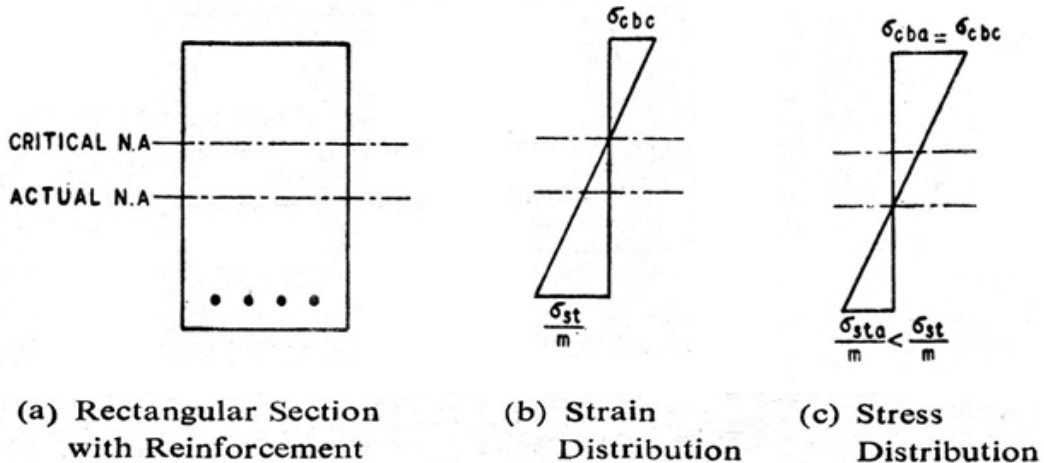
(1) maximum compressive strain in the outermost fibre is taken as 0.0035. (2) tensile strength of concrete is neglected. (3) for design purpose design strength of steel is taken as  $0.87f_y$ .

**(e) Write down the formulae for moment of resistance both for compression as well as tension.**

$$M_c = 0.36f_{ck}x_u b (d - 0.42x_u) \quad \text{OR} \quad M_T = 0.87 f_y A_{st} (d - 0.42x_u)$$

**2.(a) What is underreinforced section, overreinforced section and balanced section? Explain with neat sketch.**

Ans:



Balanced section: the stresses in concrete and steel reach to permissible values at the same time.

Underreinforced section: reinforcement available in the beam is less than that of a balanced section.

Overreinforced section: steel in the section is more than that required in a balanced section. failure is in concrete causes a brittle failure without any prior warning. as per limit state method of design of over reinforced section should be avoided.

**(b) Determine the depth of N.A of a beam section of size (250X400)mm reinforced with 3-20mm diameter of bars of Fe 250 and M20 concrete. The nominal cover to reinforcement is 40mm.**

Ans:

$$A_{st} = 942.5 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$b = 250 \text{ mm}, \quad d = 400 - 50 = 350 \text{ mm}$$

$$x_{ulim} = 0.53 * d = 185.6 \text{ mm}$$

$$x_u = 0.87 f_y A_{st} / 0.36 f_{ck} b$$

$$= 0.87 * 250 * 942.5 / 0.36 * 20 * 250$$

$$= 113.26 \quad X_u < X_{ulim} \text{ (under-reinforced section)}$$

**(c) Determine the leverarm for a rectangular beam of size (300X450)mm with 50 mm effective cover reinforced with 4-20mm dia bars of Fe415 and concrete M<sub>25</sub>.**

**Ans:**

$$z = d - 0.42 x_u$$

$$B = 300, D = 450$$

$$D = 400 \text{ mm}$$

$$A_{st} = 1256.64 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$X_u = 0.87 * 415 * 1256.64 / 0.36 * 20 * 300$$

$$= 167.11 \text{ mm}$$

$$Z = 400 - (0.42 * 167.11) = 330.48 \text{ mm}$$