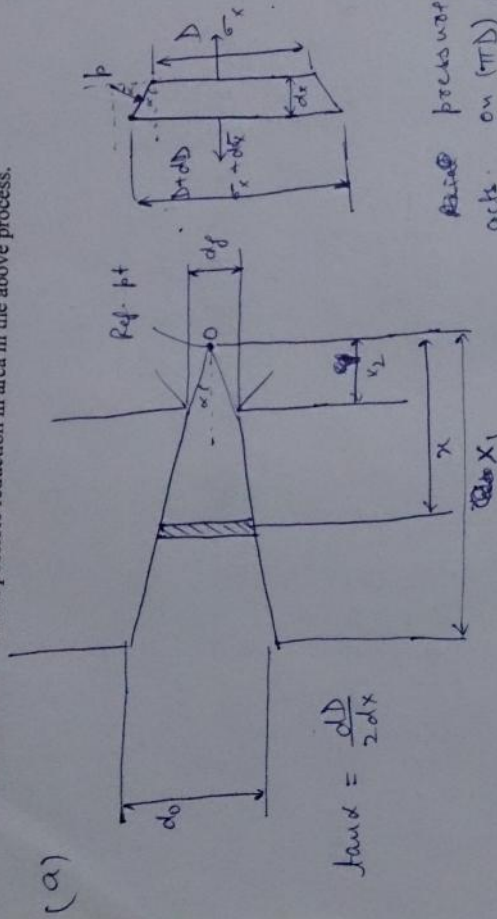


a) Neglecting friction, derive an expression for the draw stress in a wire drawing process through a conical die with semi angle  $\alpha$  to reduce the diameter of a wire from  $d_0$  to  $d_f$  at room temperature.  $\sigma_0$  is the uniaxial flow stress of the material. (8)

b) Calculate the maximum possible reduction in area in the above process. (2)



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{dD}{2dx}$$

pressure, p acts on  $(\pi D) \left( \frac{dx}{\cos \alpha} \right)$

Balancing forces in x-direction

$$(\sigma_x + d\sigma_x) \frac{\pi}{4} (D + dD)^2 - (\sigma_x) \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 + p \times (\pi D) \left( \frac{dx}{\cos \alpha} \right) \sin \alpha = 0$$

$$(\sigma_x + d\sigma_x) (D^2 + 2DdD) - \sigma_x D^2 + 4pD \left( \frac{dx \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_x D + 2\sigma_x dD + D d\sigma_x + D d\sigma_x + 4p \frac{D dx \sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sigma_x dD + D d\sigma_x + 4p \frac{D dx \sin \alpha}{2 \tan \alpha \cos \alpha} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\sigma_x dD + D d\sigma_x + 2p \frac{D dx}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( 2\sigma_x + \frac{2p}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha} \right) dD = -D d\sigma_x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d\sigma_x}{\sigma_x + \frac{p}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha}} = -\frac{dD}{D}$$

Integrating

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \ln \left( \sigma_x + \frac{p}{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \ln D + \ln C$$

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MEL 234 METAL FORMING AND MACHINING

Minor Test - 2 (II Sem 2013-14)

Time : 1 hour

Max marks: 30

1. Tensile properties of a 1.2mm thick sheet are:  $YS = 320 \text{ MPa}$ ,  $UTS = 445 \text{ MPa}$ , Total elongation = 22%.

- Determine whether a cup of outer diameter 50 mm and height 40 mm can be deep drawn in a single stage using a circular blank cut from the above sheet. Assume efficiency of the process to be 85% and neglect thickness changes. If yes, calculate the force required for deep drawing. (5)
- Estimate the optimum blank holding force for the above deep drawing process. (2)
- Show the variation of total force in deep drawing as a function of punch travel. (1)
- Determine the minimum possible bend radius of the above sheet. State the assumption used. (2)

(a)  $H = 40 \text{ mm}$        $\eta = 0.85$

$$D_p = (50 - 2 \times 1.2)_{\text{mm}} = 47.6 \text{ mm}$$

$$D_0 \leq \sqrt{D_p^2 + 4D_p H} \approx 99.41 \text{ mm}$$

Now LDR  $\frac{(D_0)_{\text{max}}}{D_p} = \exp(\mu)$

$$\Rightarrow (D_0)_{\text{max}} \approx 111.37 \text{ mm}$$

As  $D_0 < (D_0)_{\text{max}} \Rightarrow$  The cup can be drawn.

$$F_{d1} = 1.3 \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times \bar{\sigma}_0 \times \epsilon \times \text{Area}$$

$$\epsilon = \ln(1 + e) = \ln(1 + 0.22) = 0.1989$$

$$\text{Area} = \pi \times D_p \times H$$

$$\text{Taking } \bar{\sigma}_0 = \frac{YS + UTS}{2} = \frac{320 + 445}{2}$$

$$F_{d1} = 1.3 \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{382.5 \text{ N}}{\text{mm}^2} \times 0.1989 \times \pi \times 47.6 \text{ mm} \times 40 \text{ mm}$$

$$\approx 682.43 \text{ kN}$$

(b) Optimum Blank Holding

force

$$= 0.17 \times F_{d1}$$

$$= 116.01 \text{ kN}$$

$$F = \bar{\sigma}_0 \left( \frac{H}{r} \right) \left( 1 + \frac{H}{D_p} \right)$$

$$\frac{dF}{dr} = \frac{H}{r^2} \left( 1 + \frac{H}{D_p} \right) - \frac{H^2}{r^3}$$

$$= \frac{H}{r^2} \left( 1 + \frac{H}{D_p} - \frac{H}{r} \right)$$

$$\frac{l_0}{l_n} = \frac{A_0}{A_n} \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{\Delta l}{l_0} = \lambda \Rightarrow 1 - \lambda = \frac{l_n}{l_0}$$

2. The cross sectional area of a bar of length  $l_m$  is reduced by successive extrusions through seven dies of decreasing size. The reduction in area in each of the seven dies is 35%. Calculate a) total true strain, b) total engineering strain, c) extrusion ratio in each pass and d) final length of the bar.

$$\frac{l_1}{l_0} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{1-0.35} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_2}{l_1} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_3}{l_2} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_4}{l_3} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_5}{l_4} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_6}{l_5} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_7}{l_6} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = \frac{1}{0.65} = 1.54$$

$$\frac{l_7}{l_0} = \left(\frac{1}{1-\lambda}\right)^7 = 1.54^7 = 19.49$$

(a) Total True Strain =  $7 \times \ln\left(\frac{1}{1-\lambda}\right) = 3.02$

(b)  $\ln(1+\epsilon) = 3.02 \Rightarrow$  Total engg. strain =  $19.49$

(c) Extension ratio =  $\frac{A_0}{A_f} = \frac{1}{1-\lambda} = 1.538$

(d) Final length of the bar =  $20.4 \text{ m}$

3. a) In a hot rolling operation, the thickness of a 80mm thick slab is to be reduced in a single pass using 600mm diameter rolls without any change in width. Determine the minimum possible exit thickness of the slab if i)  $\mu = 0.4$  and ii)  $\mu = 0$ .

b) Show the variation of roll pressure along the arc of contact in cold rolling of strips and friction hill. (2)

(a)  $h_0 = 80 \text{ mm}$     $R = 300 \text{ mm}$     $\Sigma W = 0$

(i)  $\left(\frac{\Delta h}{R}\right)_{\max} = \mu$   
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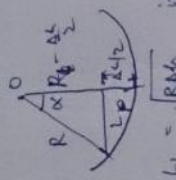
$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\Delta h}{R}\right)_{\max} = \mu$

$\Rightarrow (\Delta h)_{\max} = \mu^2 R$

$\Rightarrow 80 \text{ mm} - (h_f)_{\min} = 48 \text{ mm}$

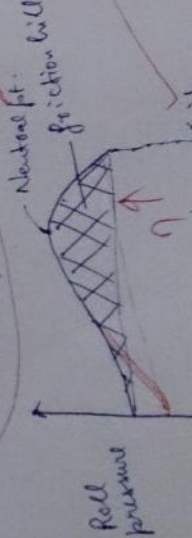
$\Rightarrow (h_f)_{\min} = 32 \text{ mm}$

(ii)  $\mu = 0 \Rightarrow$  No Rolling  
 $(h_f)_{\min} = (h_0) = 80 \text{ mm}$



$l_f = \sqrt{R \Delta h}$  if  $\Delta h < R$

but we had assumed  $\Delta h < R$



$\frac{R^2 - (R - \frac{\Delta h}{2})^2}{\left(\frac{R - \Delta h}{2}\right)^2} = \mu^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{R^2}{\left(\frac{R - \Delta h}{2}\right)^2} = 1 + \mu^2 = 1.16$

$\frac{R}{R - \frac{\Delta h}{2}} = 1.077$