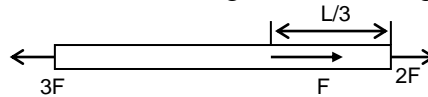




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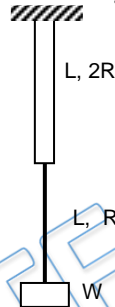
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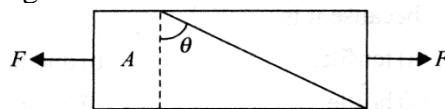


- (a) $\frac{3W^2 L}{4\pi R^2 Y}$ (b) $\frac{3W^2 L}{8\pi R^2 Y}$
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Answer Key

Q.1 a	Q.2 c	Q.3 a	Q.4 d	Q.5 b
Q.6 d	Q.7 c	Q.8 c	Q.9 c	Q.10 c
Q.11 a	Q.12 c	Q.13 d	Q.14 c	Q.15 a

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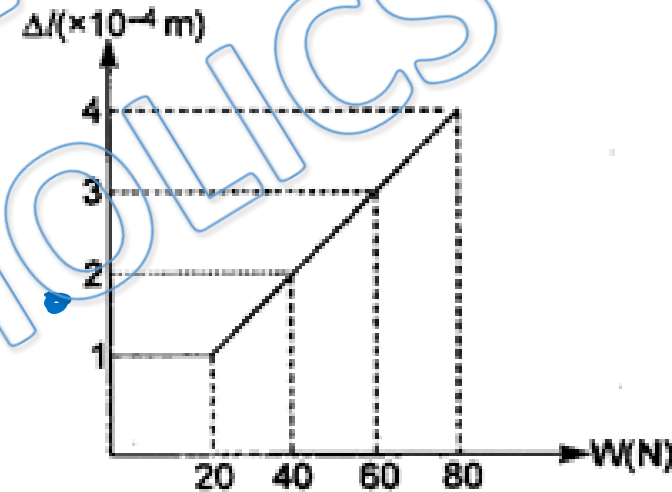
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Physics DPP - Solution

DPP – Elasticity

By Physicsaholics Team

Q1) The adjacent graph shows the extension (Δl) of a wire of length 1 m suspended from the top of a roof at one end and with a load W connected to the other end. If the cross-sectional area of the wire is 10^{-6} m^2 , calculate the Young's modulus of the material of the wire :

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y &= \frac{F/A}{\Delta l/l} = \frac{W l}{A \Delta l} \\
 &= \frac{20 \times 1}{10^{-6} \times 1 \times 10^{-4}} \\
 &= 20 \times 10^{10} = 2 \times 10^{11}
 \end{aligned}$$



(a) $2 \times 10^{11} \text{ N/m}^2$

(c) $3 \times 10^{12} \text{ N/m}$

(b) $2 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N/m}^2$

(d) $2 \times 10^{13} \text{ N/m}^2$

Q2) A constant force F_0 is applied on a string placed over a smooth horizontal uniform elastic string surface as shown in figure. Young's modulus of string is Y and area of cross-section is S . The strain produced in the string in the direction of force is:

Tension at $x = x$

$$T = \left[\frac{m}{L}(L-x) \right] a$$

$$T = \frac{b\lambda}{L}(L-x) \frac{F_0}{b\lambda} = F_0 \left(1 - \frac{x}{L} \right)$$

(a) $\frac{F_0 Y}{S}$

(b) $\frac{F_0}{SY}$

(c) $\frac{F_0}{2SY}$

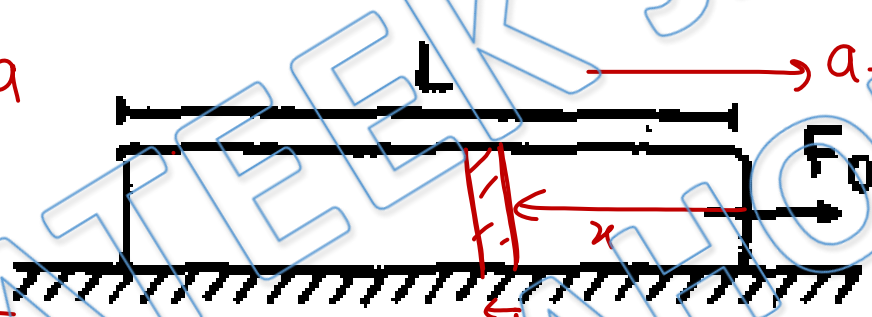
for length dx

$$\text{Strain} = \frac{(\text{stress})}{Y}$$

$$\frac{dl}{dx} = \frac{F_0}{YS} \left(1 - \frac{x}{L} \right)$$

$$dl = \frac{F_0}{YS} \left(1 - \frac{x}{L} \right) dx$$

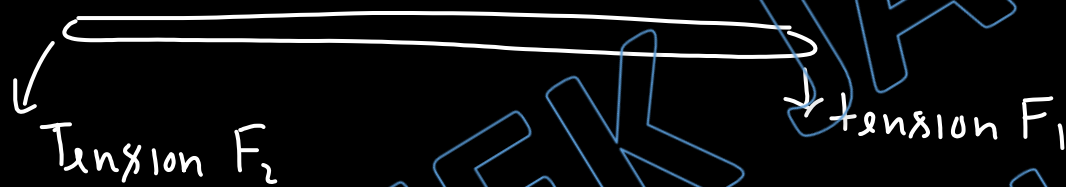
$$\Delta l = \frac{F_0}{SY} \int_0^L \left(1 - \frac{x}{L} \right) dx = \frac{F_0}{2SY}$$



$dx \rightarrow$ natural length.
 $dl \rightarrow$ elongation in length dx

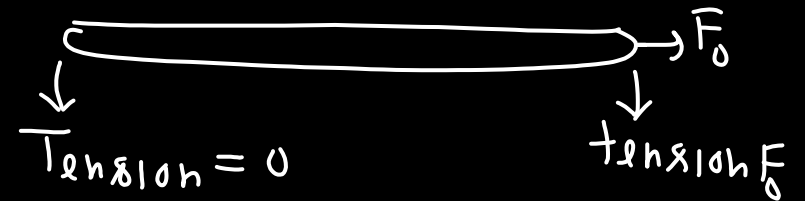
Ans. c

If tension is linearly changing with position



$$\text{Av. tension} = \frac{F_1 + F_2}{2}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{F_{av}/A}{\Delta l / \lambda}$$

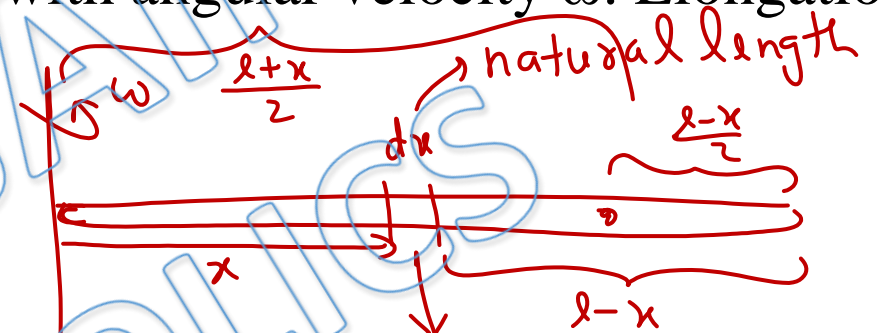


$$F_{av} = \frac{F_0 + 0}{2}$$

$$\Delta \gamma_{min} = \frac{F_0/2}{s \gamma} = \frac{F_0}{2 s \gamma}$$

Q3) A uniform rod of mass m and length L has area of cross-section A and young modulus γ . This rod is rotating about its one end with angular velocity ω . Elongation in length of rod is (Gravity is absent)

Tension at $x=x$, $T =$ Centrifugal force from $x=x$ to $x=l$



$$\text{stress} = \frac{T}{A} = \frac{m \gamma_{cm} \omega^2}{A} = \frac{m}{Al} (l-x) \frac{(l+x)}{2} \omega^2 = \frac{m \omega^2 (l^2 - x^2)}{2lA}$$

elongation in length dx is dy

(a) $\frac{ml^2 \omega^2}{3A\gamma}$

(b) $\frac{ml^2 \omega^2}{2A\gamma}$

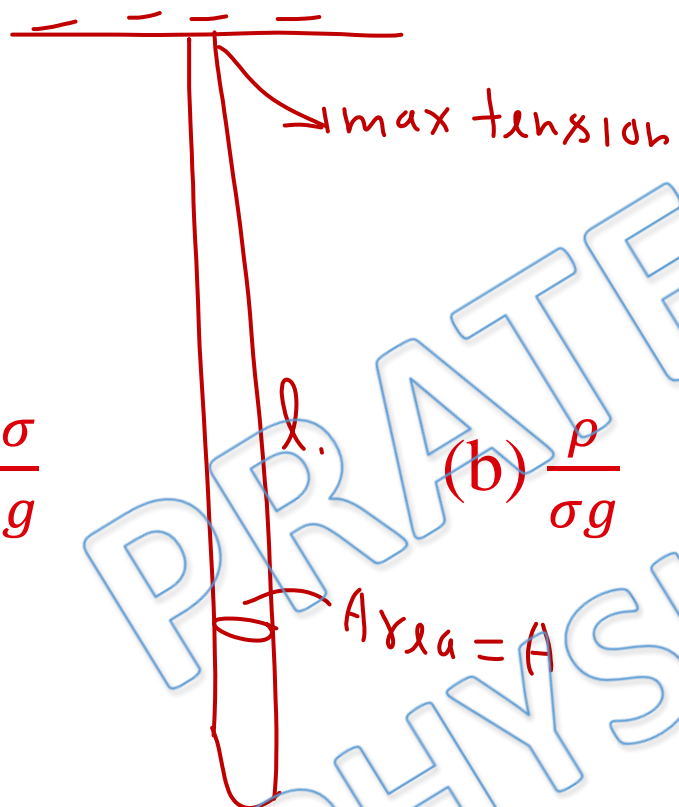
(c) $\frac{ml^2 \omega^2}{6A\gamma}$

(d) $\frac{ml^2 \omega^2}{4A\gamma}$

$$\text{strain} = \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\text{stress}}{\gamma} = \frac{m \omega^2 (l^2 - x^2)}{2lA\gamma}$$

$$\Delta l = \int dy = \int_0^l \frac{m \omega^2}{2A\gamma l} (l^2 - x^2) dx = \frac{m \omega^2}{2A\gamma l} \left[l^2 x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^l = \frac{m \omega^2}{2A\gamma l} \times \frac{2l^3}{3}$$

Q4) If ρ is the density of the material of a wire and σ is breaking stress. The greatest length of the wire that can hang freely without breaking is:



Tension at top = $(\rho A l)g$

Stress at top = $\rho l g$

for breaking $\sigma = \rho l g$

(a) $\frac{2\sigma}{\rho g}$

(b) $\frac{\rho}{\sigma g}$

(c) $\frac{\rho g}{2\sigma}$

(d) $\frac{\sigma}{\rho g}$

$l = \frac{\sigma}{\rho g}$

Q5) A uniform rod of length L has a mass per unit length λ and area of cross-section A . The elongation in the rod is l due to its own weight if it is suspended from the ceiling of a room. The Young's modulus of the rod is:

weight of rod = $\lambda L g$

tension = $\lambda L g$

av. tension = $\frac{\lambda L g}{2}$

tension = 0

Y = $\frac{\lambda L g / 2A}{\lambda / L} = \frac{\lambda L^2 g}{2 A \lambda}$

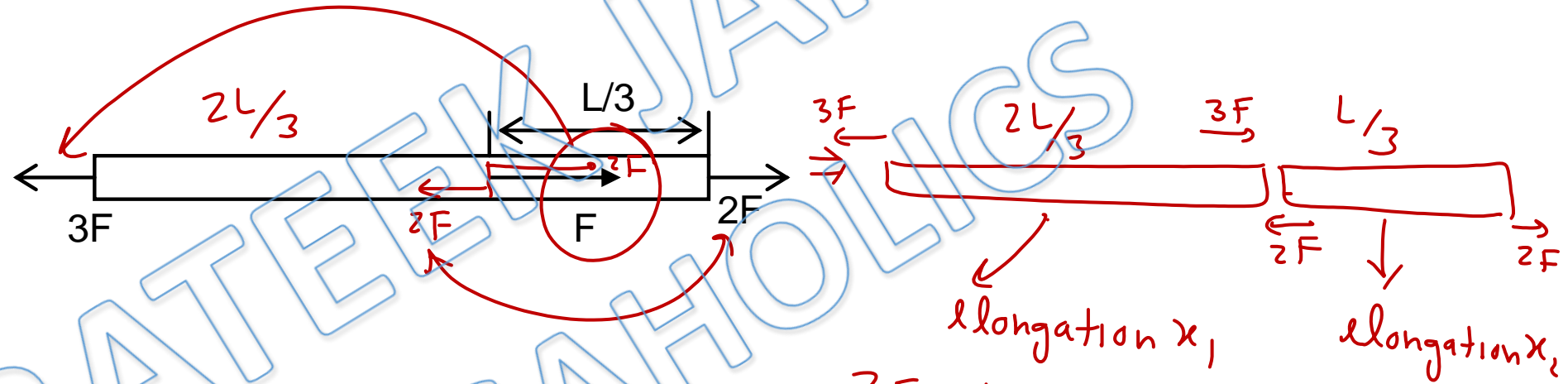
(a) $\frac{2\pi g L^2}{A l}$

(b) $\frac{\lambda g L^2}{2 A l}$

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(d) $\frac{\lambda g l^2}{A L}$

Q6) A uniform slender rod of length L , cross-sectional area A and Young's modulus Y is acted upon by the forces shown in the figure. The elongation of the rod is



(a) $3FL/5AY$

(b) $2FL/5AY$

(c) $3FL/8AY$

(d) $8FL/3AY$

$$x_1 = \frac{3F \cdot 2L}{YA \cdot 3} = \frac{2FL}{YA}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{2F \cdot L}{YA \cdot 3} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{FL}{YA}$$

$$\text{net elongation} = \frac{FL}{YA} \left[2 + \frac{2}{3} \right] = \frac{8}{3} \frac{FL}{YA}$$

Q7) Two wires of the same material (Young's modulus Y) and same length L but radii R and $2R$ respectively are joined end to end and a weight W is suspended from the combination as shown in the figure. The elastic potential energy in the system is

$$\frac{1}{K_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{1}{K_1} + \frac{1}{K_2} = \frac{L}{4\pi Y R^2} + \frac{L}{\pi Y R^2} = \frac{5L}{4\pi Y R^2}$$

$$K_{\text{eff}} = \frac{4\pi Y R^2}{5L}$$

(a) $\frac{3W^2L}{4\pi R^2Y}$

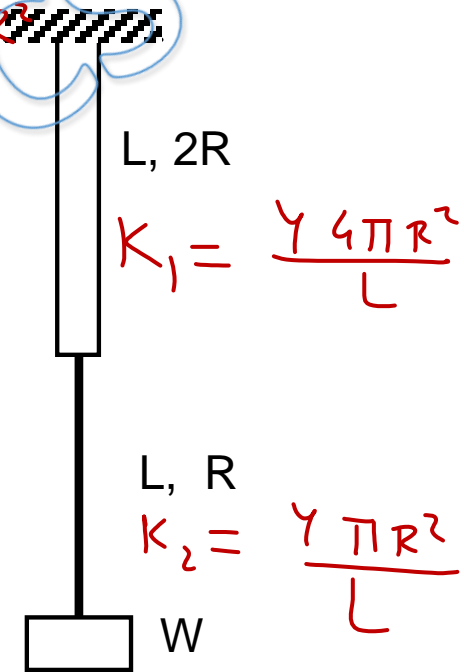
$$U = \frac{F^2}{2K_{\text{eff}}}$$

(b) $\frac{3W^2L}{8\pi R^2Y}$

(c) $\frac{5W^2L}{8\pi R^2Y}$

$$= \frac{W^2 \times 5L}{2 \times 4\pi Y R^2}$$

(d) $\frac{W^2L}{\pi R^2Y}$



Q8) A copper wire of cross – section A is under a tension T. Find the decrease in the cross – section area. Young’s modulus is Y and Poisson’s ratio is σ . $\sigma = \frac{-\text{Lateral strain}}{\text{Lo strain}}$

$$A = \pi r^2$$

$$dA = 2\pi r dr$$

$$\frac{dA}{A} = 2 \frac{dr}{r}$$

$$\frac{\Delta A}{A} = 2 \frac{\Delta r}{r} = 2\sigma \quad \left| \text{Longitudinal strain} \right| = \frac{2\sigma \times \text{stress}}{Y}$$

(a) $\frac{\sigma T}{2AY}$

(b) $\frac{\sigma T}{AY}$

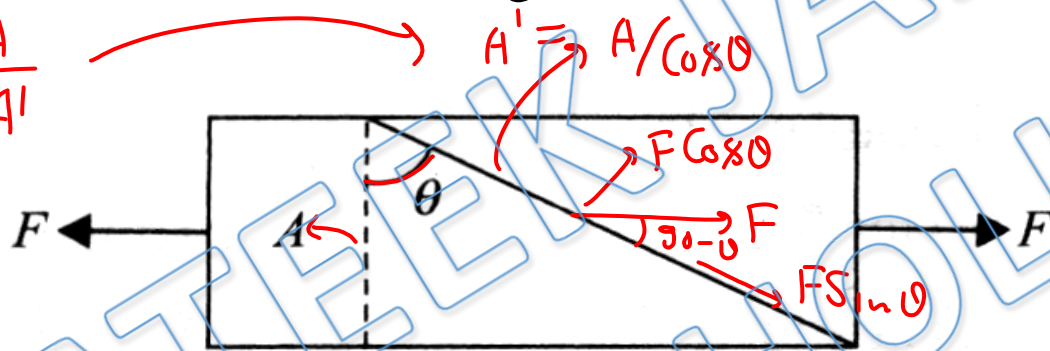
(c) $\frac{2\sigma T}{Y}$

(d) $\frac{4\sigma T}{AY}$

$$\frac{\Delta A}{A} = \frac{2\sigma T}{Y A}$$

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$$\cos \theta = \frac{A}{A'}$$



Shearing stress

$$= \frac{F \sin \theta}{A / \cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{F}{A} \times \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

(d) 60°

$$= \frac{F}{2A} \sin 2\theta$$

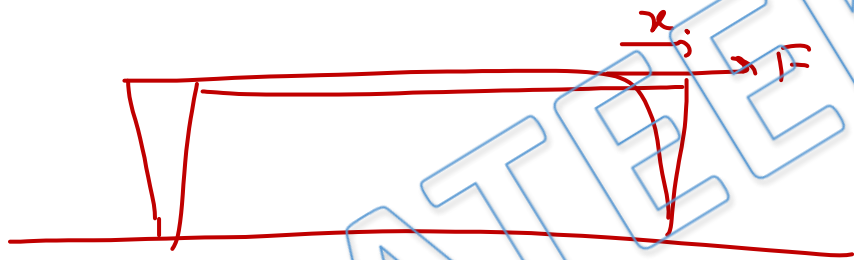
max at $\theta = 45^\circ$

(a) 0°

(b) 30°

(c) 45°

Q10) A steel plate has face area 4 cm^2 and thickness 0.5 cm is fixed rigidly at the lower surface. A tangential force of 10 N is applied on the upper surface. Find the lateral displacement of the upper surface with respect to the lower surface. Rigidity modulus of steel $= 8.4 \times 10^{10} \text{ Nm}^{-2}$



$$\theta = \frac{F/A}{x/t}$$

$$x = \frac{F t}{A \theta} = \frac{10 \times 0.5 \times 10^{-2}}{4 \times 10^{-4} \times 8.4 \times 10^{10}}$$

(a) $1.5 \mu\text{m}$

(b) 1.5 A°

(c) 1.5 nm

(d) 1.5 pm

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \frac{5 \times 10^4}{33.6} \times 10^{-12} \text{ m} \\ &= \frac{500}{33.6} \times \text{A}^\circ \\ &= 15 \text{ A}^\circ \end{aligned}$$

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(a) $\frac{4mgl}{\pi d^2 Y \cos \theta}$

(c) $\frac{4mgl}{\pi d^2 Y}$

$$T \cos \theta = mg$$

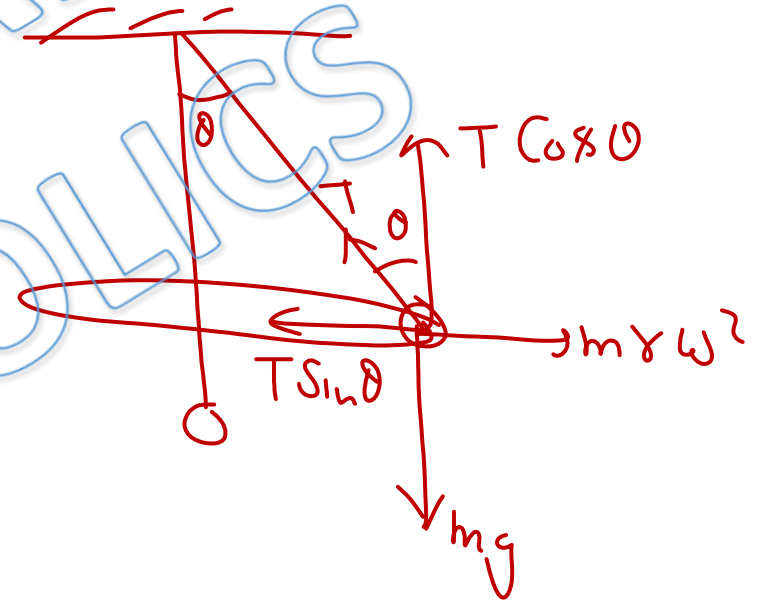
$$T = \frac{mg}{\cos \theta}$$

(b) $\frac{4mgl}{\pi d^2 Y \sin \theta}$

(d) $\frac{4mgl}{\pi d^2 Y \sec \theta}$

$$\frac{\Delta l}{l} = \frac{mg}{Y A \cos \theta}$$

$$\Delta l = \frac{mgl}{Y A \cos \theta} = \frac{4mgl}{Y \pi d^2 \cos \theta}$$



Q12) The modulus of elasticity of a gas at constant temperature is
(Symbols have their usual meanings)

$$B = - \frac{dP}{dv/v}$$

$$PV = nRT$$

$$P dv + V dP = 0$$

$$- \frac{dP}{dv/v} = P$$

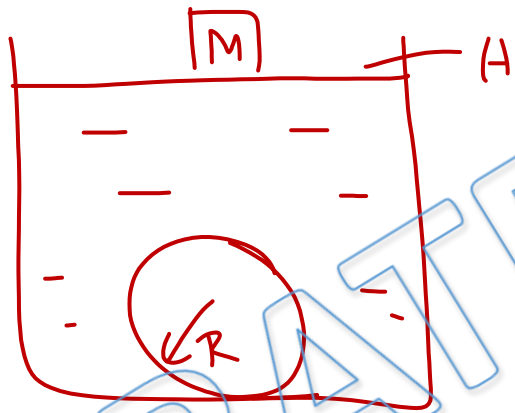
(a) γP

(b) P/γ

(c) P

(d) P/V

Q13) A solid sphere of radius R and bulk modulus of elasticity K is kept in a liquid inside a cylindrical container. A massless piston of cross-sectional area A floats on liquid surface. A mass M is put on the piston in order to compress the liquid. The fractional change in the radius of the sphere will be



$$K = - \frac{\Delta P}{\frac{\Delta V}{V}}$$

$$\frac{\Delta V}{V} = - \frac{\Delta P}{K} = \frac{Mg}{AK}$$

(a) $\frac{3Mg}{KA}$

(b) $\frac{3Mg}{2KA}$

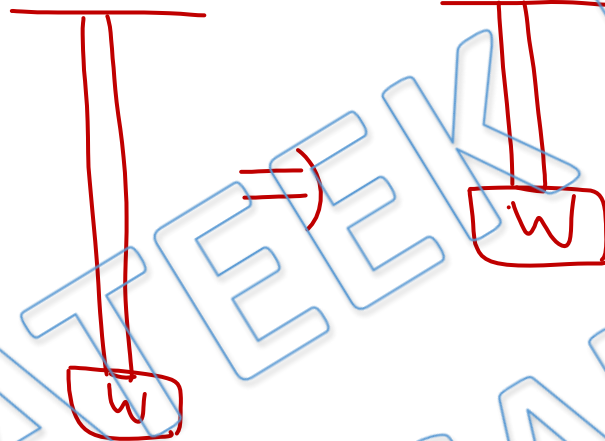
(c) $\frac{Mg}{KA}$

(d) $\frac{Mg}{3KA}$

$$V = \frac{4}{3} \pi R^3$$

$$\frac{\Delta V}{V} = 3 \frac{\Delta R}{R} = \frac{Mg}{AK}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Breaking tension} \\ &= \underbrace{\text{Breaking stress} \times A}_{\downarrow \text{Constant}} \end{aligned}$$

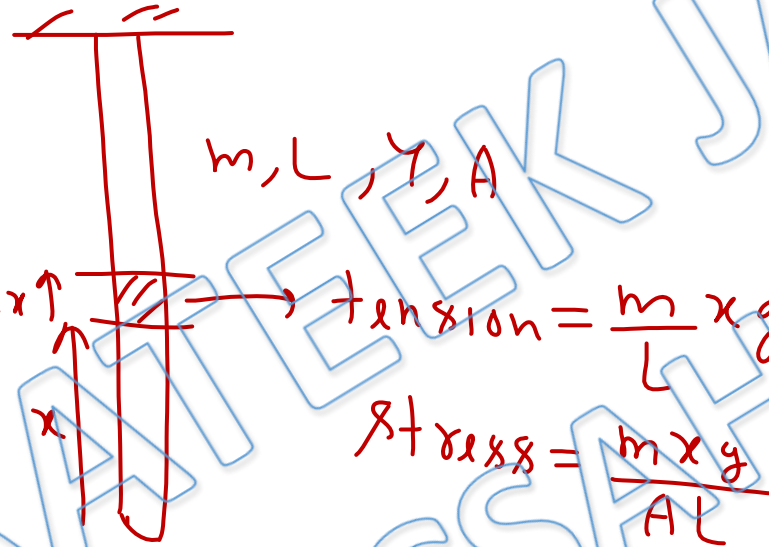
(a) $W/4$

(b) $W/2$

(c) W

(d) $2W$

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Energy stored in length dx

$$dU = \frac{\left(\frac{m \cdot x \cdot g}{A \cdot L}\right)^2}{2 \gamma} A \cdot dx$$

$$= \frac{m^2 g^2}{2 A \gamma L^2} x^2 dx$$

$$U = \frac{m^2 g^2}{2 A \gamma L^2} \int_0^L x^2 dx$$

$$= \frac{m^2 g^2 L}{6 A \gamma}$$

(a) $\frac{Lg^2m^2}{6A\gamma}$

(c) $\frac{Lg^2m^2}{2A\gamma}$

(b) $\frac{Lg^2m^2}{3A\gamma}$

(d) $\frac{Lg^2m^2}{A\gamma}$

Energy per unit volume

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \text{stress} \times \text{strain} = \frac{\text{stress}^2}{2 \gamma}$$

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