## **Topics in Ship Structures**

(Advanced Local Structural Design & Analysis of Marine Structures)



## \* Ultimate loads on beams (Topic 2)

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### Adv. Local Structural Design & Analysis of Marine Structures (Overview)

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- Failure modes (Topic 8)
- Tripping (Topic 9) + Post-buckling strength of plate (Topic 9A)
- Post-buckling behaviour (Topic 10)





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The aim of this lecture is:

• To equip you with the necessary skills to carry out plastic analysis of beams.



At the end of this lecture, you should be able to:

- Discuss three conditions that must be satisfied in plastic analysis.
- Apply the mechanism method or the principle of virtual work to calculate ultimate load on a beam.
- Be aware of upper bound theorem and lower bound theorem.



- In plastic design of structures, the criterion of failure is the collapse of structures.
- Therefore, it is necessary to find out the ultimate strength or load.
- These can be estimated by means of mechanism method or the principle of virtual work.



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## **Ultimate Loads on Beams**

#### (a) Simply supported beam with central point load

- The max bending moment occurs at mid-span and is WL/4.
- As the load increases, the yield first occurs at the mid-span
- The yield moment and yield load are, respectively,

$$M_Y = \frac{W_Y L}{4} \qquad \& \qquad W_Y = \frac{4M_Y}{L}$$

• Further increasing the load to *Wp*, a plastic hinge will form at the mid-span and the plastic moment is



• As there are three hinges: two at simple supports and one at the mid-span, no more load can be taken and so a collapse mechanism occurs.



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## **Ultimate Loads on Beams**

(a) Simply supported beam with central point load

• Thus, the ultimate load is



• Hence,







B.M.D.



Plastic mechanism



## **Ultimate Loads on Beams**

- (b) Simply supported beam with uniform distributed load
  - The B.M.D. indicates that the max bending moment occurs at mid-span and will reach the yield moment first

 $M_Y = \frac{w_Y L^2}{8}$ 

• Thus, the yield load is

$$w_{Y} = \frac{8M_{Y}}{L^{2}}$$



- (b) Simply supported beam with uniform distributed load
  - Further increase in load to  $w_p$  will made a plastic hinge at the mid-span and no more load can be taken. The beam will collapse.



• Internal work =  $2 M_p \theta$ • External work =  $2\left(\frac{w_p L}{2}\delta\right) = 2\left(\frac{w_p L}{2}\frac{L\theta}{4}\right) = \frac{w_p L^2}{4}\theta$   $\frac{\theta}{L/4} = \frac{\theta}{L/4}$ Displacements



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- (b) Simply supported beam with uniform distributed load
- By the principle of virtual work,

$$\frac{w_p L^2}{4} \theta = 2M_p \theta$$

• Thus, the **ultimate load** is



• Hence,







Plastic mechanism







- (c) Fixed end beam with uniform distributed load
  - As w increases, first yield will occur at the extreme fibre at the supports (max. B.M.)





$$M_{Y} = \frac{w_{Y}L^{2}}{12}$$



B.M.D.

• And yield load

$$w_{Y} = \frac{12M_{Y}}{L^{2}}$$



Refer to Chapter 6

#### (c) Fixed end beam with uniform distributed load

- Further increase in w will increase the end moments up to  $M_p$ , at which loading hinges will form at the supports.
- With further loading, moment at the supports remains constant as the hinge rotates; it acts like a simply supported beam.
- Next cross-section with critical moment is the mid-span. First it suffers extreme fibre yield. Then as yield progresses, a hinge forms.
- Once 3 hinges have formed, collapse will occur.





(c) Fixed end beam with uniform distributed load

- Internal work =  $4 M_p \theta$
- External work =



• By the principle of virtual work,

$$\frac{w_p L^2}{4} \theta = 4M_p \theta$$

• Thus, the ultimate load







First hinges at supports



Plastic mechanism



Displacements



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## **Ultimate Loads on Beams**

#### (c) Fixed end beam with uniform distributed load

• Hence,

$$\frac{w_p}{w_Y} = \frac{16M_p}{12M_Y} = \frac{4}{3}\varphi$$

• Typical value of shape factor for stiffened plate is about 1.3, which gives

$$\frac{w_p}{w_y} = \frac{4}{3} \times 1.3 \approx 1.73$$

- The above example shows that plastic hinges form at the supports of the beam while the moment increases at the mid-span to maintain equilibrium with the load.
- This redistribution of moment continues through the attainment of yielding at the mid-span until the third plastic hinge is formed. Then a mechanism is formed.



First hinges at supports



Plastic mechanism



Displacements



## **Plastic Analysis**

#### **Requirements of plastic analysis**

- It has been pointed out that full yielding of a cross-section of a member results in a plastic hinge if no instability occurs.
- For statically indeterminate structures, the formation of a plastic hinge reduces the indeterminacy as shown in example (Page 11-14).
- After first plastic hinges have formed, further increases in load are possible until the formation of a sufficient number of plastic hinges
- This results in unrestricted plastic flow, that is, until a plastic mechanism of part, or of the whole structure has been reached.
- When the mechanism is formed, the structure CANNOT take any additional load.
- It is necessary to find the correct mechanism or its corresponding equilibrium moment diagram for strength evaluation.
- This is because the plastic strength of a beam depends on the formation of plastic hinges and on the redistribution of moments to form a mechanism,
- There are three conditions which must be satisfied in plastic analysis.



#### **Requirements of plastic analysis**

- 1-Equilibrium:  $\sum F = 0$  and  $\sum M = 0$
- 2 Mechanism: Sufficient plastic hinges form a plastic mechanism

3 - Plastic moment:  $M = M_{\rm p}$  is reached at each plastic hinge &  $M < M_{\rm p}$  at the remaining part of the beam.



## Methods of plastic analysis

## 1. Mechanism Method

## 2. Principle of Virtual Work



#### 1. <u>Mechanism Method</u>

- To fulfill all the conditions required for plastic analysis and to find the plastic strength, mechanism method may be used.
- The procedures of the mechanism method are:
  - 1. Assume a plastic mechanism.
  - 2. Find unknown reactions in terms of  $M_{\rm p}$  by means of equilibrium condition.
  - 3. Finally find the ultimate load in terms of  $M_{\rm p}$ .



#### 2. Principle of virtual work

- Instead of equilibrium condition, the principle of virtual work can be used for <u>alternative mechanism method</u>
  - 1. Assume a plastic mechanism.
  - 2. Find displacement relationships from displacement diagram.
  - 3. By the principle of virtual work to find ultimate load in terms of  $M_{\rm p}$ .

• If the plastic moment condition  $(M \le M_p)$  everywhere is satisfied, the assumed mechanism is CORRECT and the load is the true ultimate load.



#### 2. Principle of virtual work (Continued)

- However, if  $M > M_p$  occurs at locations other than the assumed plastic hinges, the load is higher than the true load. This is the Upper Bound Theorem
- Upper bound theorem

A load, computed on the basis of an assumed plastic mechanism, is at best equal to or greater than the true plastic limit load.

Lower bound theorem

A load, computed on the basis of a bending moment distribution in which no moment exceeds  $M_{\rm p}$ , is at best equal to or less than the true plastic limit load.



Learning Outcomes (Review)

• We have investigated the Ultimate Loads on Beams.

- Now we are able to:
  - Discuss three condition which must be satisfied in plastic analysis.
  - Apply the mechanism method or the principle of virtual work to calculate ultimate load on a beam.
  - Be aware of upper bound theorem and lower bound theorem.
- Details can be referred to topics 2 in the lecture notes.





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# **Questions?**

Aerial View of Korean Presidential Archives in Sejong city (Construction Completed in 2014)

QUESTION

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