

Important Eccentric Loads on Columns Formulas PDF



Formulas Examples with Units

List of 18 Important Eccentric Loads on Columns Formulas

1) Maximum Stress for Circular Cross-Section Columns Formula ↻

Formula

$$S_M = S_c \cdot \left(1 + 8 \cdot \frac{e}{d} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$46.875 \text{ Pa} = 25 \text{ Pa} \cdot \left(1 + 8 \cdot \frac{35 \text{ mm}}{320 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

2) Maximum Stress for Circular Section Column under Compression Formula ↻

Formula

$$S_M = \left(0.372 + 0.056 \cdot \left(\frac{k}{r} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{P}{k} \right) \cdot \sqrt{r \cdot k} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$10.6599 \text{ Pa} = \left(0.372 + 0.056 \cdot \left(\frac{240 \text{ mm}}{160 \text{ mm}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{150 \text{ N}}{240 \text{ mm}} \right) \cdot \sqrt{160 \text{ mm} \cdot 240 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

3) Maximum Stress for Rectangular Cross-Section Column Formula ↻

Formula

$$S_M = S_c \cdot \left(1 + 6 \cdot \frac{e}{b} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$46 \text{ Pa} = 25 \text{ Pa} \cdot \left(1 + 6 \cdot \frac{35 \text{ mm}}{250 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

4) Maximum Stress for Rectangular Section Column under Compression Formula ↻

Formula

$$S_M = \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot \frac{P}{h \cdot k}$$

Example with Units

$$46.2963 \text{ Pa} = \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot \frac{150 \text{ N}}{9000 \text{ mm} \cdot 240 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

5) Radius of Kern for Circular Ring Formula ↻

Formula

$$r_{\text{kern}} = \frac{D \cdot \left(1 + \left(\frac{d_i}{D} \right)^2 \right)}{8}$$

Example with Units

$$5.4167 \text{ mm} = \frac{30 \text{ mm} \cdot \left(1 + \left(\frac{20.0 \text{ mm}}{30 \text{ mm}} \right)^2 \right)}{8}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



6) Radius of Kern for Hollow Square Formula

Formula

$$r_{\text{kern}} = 0.1179 \cdot H \cdot \left(1 + \left(\frac{h_i}{H} \right)^2 \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

Example with Units

$$6.8382 \text{ mm} = 0.1179 \cdot 50.0 \text{ mm} \cdot \left(1 + \left(\frac{20 \text{ mm}}{50.0 \text{ mm}} \right)^2 \right)$$

7) Thickness of Wall for Hollow Octagon Formula

Formula

$$t = 0.9239 \cdot (R_a - R_i)$$

Example with Units

$$41.5755 \text{ mm} = 0.9239 \cdot (60 \text{ mm} - 15 \text{ mm})$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Long Columns Formulas

8.1) Euler's Formula for Critical Buckling Load Formula

Formula

$$P_{\text{Buckling Load}} = n \cdot \left(\pi^2 \right) \cdot E \cdot \frac{I}{L^2}$$

Example with Units

$$10.9662 \text{ N} = 2.0 \cdot \left(3.1416^2 \right) \cdot 50 \text{ MPa} \cdot \frac{100000 \text{ mm}^4}{3000 \text{ mm}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

8.2) Euler's Formula for Critical Buckling Load given Area Formula

Formula

$$P_{\text{Buckling Load}} = \frac{n \cdot \pi^2 \cdot E \cdot A}{\left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)^2}$$

Example with Units

$$51.8922 \text{ N} = \frac{2.0 \cdot 3.1416^2 \cdot 50 \text{ MPa} \cdot 700 \text{ mm}^2}{\left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

9) Typical Short Column Formulas Formulas

9.1) Critical Stress for Carbon Steel by AISC code Formula

Formula

$$S_w = 17000 - 0.485 \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)^2$$

Example with Units

$$10542.8994 \text{ Pa} = 17000 - 0.485 \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)^2$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.2) Critical Stress for Carbon Steel by Am. Br. Co. code Formula

Formula

$$S_w = 19000 - 100 \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$7461.5385 \text{ Pa} = 19000 - 100 \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 



9.3) Critical Stress for Carbon Steel by AREA code Formula

Formula

$$S_w = 15000 - 50 \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$9230.7692 \text{ Pa} = 15000 - 50 \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.4) Critical Stress for Carbon Steel by Chicago code Formula

Formula

$$S_w = 16000 - 70 \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$7923.0769 \text{ Pa} = 16000 - 70 \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.5) Critical Stress for Cast Iron by NYC code Formula

Formula

$$S_w = 9000 - 40 \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$4384.6154 \text{ Pa} = 9000 - 40 \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.6) Theoretical Maximum Stress for ANC Code 2017ST Aluminium Formula

Formula

$$S_{cr} = 34500 - \left(\frac{245}{\sqrt{c}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$20365.3846 \text{ Pa} = 34500 - \left(\frac{245}{\sqrt{4}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.7) Theoretical Maximum Stress for ANC Code Alloy Steel Tubing Formula

Formula

$$S_{cr} = 135000 - \left(\frac{15.9}{c} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)^2$$

Example with Units

$$82078.4024 \text{ Pa} = 135000 - \left(\frac{15.9}{4} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)^2$$

Evaluate Formula 

9.8) Theoretical Maximum Stress for ANC Code Spruce Formula

Formula

$$S_{cr} = 5000 - \left(\frac{0.5}{c} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{\text{gyration}}} \right)^2$$

Example with Units

$$3335.7988 \text{ Pa} = 5000 - \left(\frac{0.5}{4} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)^2$$

Evaluate Formula 



Formula

Evaluate Formula 

$$S_{cr} = S_y \cdot \left(1 - \left(\frac{S_y}{4 \cdot n \cdot \left(\pi^2 \right) \cdot E} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{L}{r_{gyration}} \right)^2 \right)$$

Example with Units

$$30868.8386 \text{ Pa} = 35000 \text{ Pa} \cdot \left(1 - \left(\frac{35000 \text{ Pa}}{4 \cdot 2.0 \cdot \left(3.1416^2 \right) \cdot 50 \text{ MPa}} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{3000 \text{ mm}}{26 \text{ mm}} \right)^2 \right)$$



Variables used in list of Eccentric Loads on Columns Formulas above

- **A** Column Cross-Sectional Area (Square Millimeter)
- **b** Rectangular Cross-Section Width (Millimeter)
- **c** End Fixity Coefficient
- **d** Diameter of Circular Cross-Section (Millimeter)
- **D** Outer Diameter of Hollow Circular Section (Millimeter)
- **d_i** Inner Diameter of Hollow Circular Section (Millimeter)
- **e** Eccentricity of Column (Millimeter)
- **E** Modulus of Elasticity (Megapascal)
- **h** Height of Cross-Section (Millimeter)
- **H** Length of Outer Side (Millimeter)
- **h_i** Length of Inner Side (Millimeter)
- **I** Area Moment of Inertia (Millimeter⁴)
- **k** Distance from Nearest Edge (Millimeter)
- **L** Effective Length of Column (Millimeter)
- **n** Coefficient for Column End Conditions
- **P** Concentrated Load (Newton)
- **P_{Buckling Load}** Buckling Load (Newton)
- **r** Radius of Circular Cross-Section (Millimeter)
- **R_a** Radii of Circle Circumscribing Outer Side (Millimeter)
- **r_{gyration}** Radius of Gyration of Column (Millimeter)
- **R_i** Radii of Circle Circumscribing Inner Side (Millimeter)
- **r_{kern}** Radius of Kern (Millimeter)
- **S_c** Unit Stress (Pascal)
- **S_{cr}** Theoretical Maximum Stress (Pascal)
- **S_M** Maximum Stress for Section (Pascal)
- **S_w** Critical Stress (Pascal)
- **S_y** Stress at any Point y (Pascal)
- **t** Thickness of Wall (Millimeter)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Eccentric Loads on Columns Formulas above

- **constant(s):** pi, 3.14159265358979323846264338327950288 Archimedes' constant
- **Functions:** sqrt, sqrt(Number)
A square root function is a function that takes a non-negative number as an input and returns the square root of the given input number.
- **Measurement: Length** in Millimeter (mm)
Length Unit Conversion ↻
- **Measurement: Area** in Square Millimeter (mm²)
Area Unit Conversion ↻
- **Measurement: Force** in Newton (N)
Force Unit Conversion ↻
- **Measurement: Second Moment of Area** in Millimeter⁴ (mm⁴)
Second Moment of Area Unit Conversion ↻
- **Measurement: Stress** in Pascal (Pa), Megapascal (MPa)
Stress Unit Conversion ↻



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