

Important Critical or Whirling Speed of Shaft Formulas PDF



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List of 12 Important Critical or Whirling Speed of Shaft Formulas

1) Additional Deflection of Centre of Gravity of Rotor using Natural Circular Frequency Formula

Formula

$$y = \frac{\omega^2 \cdot e}{\omega_n^2 - \omega^2}$$

Example with Units

$$0.795 \text{ mm} = \frac{11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2 \cdot 2 \text{ mm}}{21 \text{ rad/s}^2 - 11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2) Additional Deflection of Centre of Gravity of Rotor using Whirling Speed Formula

Formula

$$y = \frac{e}{\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_c}\right)^2 - 1}$$

Example with Units

$$0.805 \text{ mm} = \frac{2 \text{ mm}}{\left(\frac{11.2 \text{ rad/s}}{6}\right)^2 - 1}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3) Additional Deflection of Centre of Gravity of Rotor when Shaft Starts Rotating Formula

Formula

$$y = \frac{m \cdot \omega^2 \cdot e}{S_{\text{shaft}} - m \cdot \omega^2}$$

Example with Units

$$0.7499 \text{ mm} = \frac{5 \text{ g} \cdot 11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2 \cdot 2 \text{ mm}}{2.3 \text{ N/m} - 5 \text{ g} \cdot 11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

4) Centrifugal Force Causing Shaft Deflection Formula

Formula

$$F_c = m_{\text{max}} \cdot \omega^2 \cdot (e + y)$$

Example with Units

$$35.1232 \text{ N} = 100 \text{ kg} \cdot 11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2 \cdot (2 \text{ mm} + 0.8 \text{ mm})$$

Evaluate Formula 

5) Critical or Whirling Speed given Static Deflection Formula

Formula

$$\omega_c = \sqrt{\frac{g}{\delta}}$$

Example with Units

$$121.8544 = \sqrt{\frac{9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}{0.66 \text{ mm}}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



6) Critical or Whirling Speed given Stiffness of Shaft Formula

Formula

$$\omega_c = \sqrt{\frac{S_{\text{shaft}}}{m}}$$

Example with Units

$$21.4476 = \sqrt{\frac{2.3 \text{ N/m}}{5_g}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

7) Critical or Whirling Speed in R.P.S Formula

Formula

$$\omega_c = \frac{0.4985}{\sqrt{\delta}}$$

Example with Units

$$19.4041 = \frac{0.4985}{\sqrt{0.66 \text{ mm}}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

8) Force Resisting Additional Deflection of Centre of Gravity of Rotor Formula

Formula

$$F = k \cdot y$$

Example with Units

$$2.4 \text{ N} = 3000 \text{ N/m} \cdot 0.8 \text{ mm}$$

Evaluate Formula 

9) Mass of Rotor given Centrifugal Force Formula

Formula

$$m_{\text{max}} = \frac{F_c}{\omega^2 \cdot (e + y)}$$

Example with Units

$$99.6492 \text{ kg} = \frac{35 \text{ N}}{11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2 \cdot (2 \text{ mm} + 0.8 \text{ mm})}$$

Evaluate Formula 

10) Natural Circular Frequency of Shaft Formula

Formula

$$\omega_n = \sqrt{\frac{S_{\text{shaft}}}{m}}$$

Example with Units

$$21.4476 \text{ rad/s} = \sqrt{\frac{2.3 \text{ N/m}}{5_g}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

11) Static Deflection of Shaft Formula

Formula

$$\delta = \frac{m \cdot g}{S_{\text{shaft}}}$$

Example with Units

$$21.3043 \text{ mm} = \frac{5_g \cdot 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}{2.3 \text{ N/m}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

12) Stiffness of Shaft for Equilibrium Position Formula

Formula

$$S_{\text{shaft}} = \frac{m \cdot \omega^2 \cdot (e + y)}{y}$$

Example with Units

$$2.1952 \text{ N/m} = \frac{5_g \cdot 11.2 \text{ rad/s}^2 \cdot (2 \text{ mm} + 0.8 \text{ mm})}{0.8 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Critical or Whirling Speed of Shaft Formulas above

- **e** Initial Distance of Centre of Gravity of Rotor (Millimeter)
- **F** Force (Newton)
- **F_c** Centrifugal Force (Newton)
- **g** Acceleration due to Gravity (Meter per Square Second)
- **k** Stiffness of Spring (Newton per Meter)
- **m** Mass of Rotor (Gram)
- **m_{max}** Maximum Mass of Rotor (Kilogram)
- **S_{shaft}** Stiffness of Shaft (Newton per Meter)
- **y** Additional Deflection of C.G of Rotor (Millimeter)
- **δ** Static Deflection of Shaft (Millimeter)
- **ω** Angular Velocity (Radian per Second)
- **ω_c** Critical or Whirling Speed
- **ω_n** Natural Circular Frequency (Radian per Second)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Critical or Whirling Speed of Shaft Formulas above

- **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:** **Weight** in Gram (g), Kilogram (kg)
Weight Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Acceleration** in Meter per Square Second (m/s²)
Acceleration Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Force** in Newton (N)
Force Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Surface Tension** in Newton per Meter (N/m)
Surface Tension Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Angular Velocity** in Radian per Second (rad/s)
Angular Velocity Unit Conversion 



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