

CONSTRUCTION OF APPROXIMATE SOLUTIONS  
OF SOME PLANE PROBLEMS OF THERMOELASTICITY  
FOR TRANSVERSAL ISOTROPIC BODIES

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**Abstract.** In this work the algorithm of the approximate solution of two-dimensional boundary value problems of thermoelasticity is offered for transversal isotropic body. The offered algorithm is based on use of representation of the general solution of system of the equations of balance by means of harmonic functions.

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**1. Main equations.** Let  $Oxyz$  be a rectangular Cartesian coordinate system. Let there be a case of the plane deformed state parallel to the plane  $Oxy$  for the uniform transversal isotropic thermoelastic body. If the plane of an isotropy is parallel to the plane  $Oxy$ , then the uniform system of the equations of static balance in displacements has the form [1]

$$\begin{aligned}\mu\Delta u + \frac{1}{2} \frac{E_1 E_2}{(1 - \nu_1)E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1} \partial_x(\partial_x u + \partial_y v) - \beta \partial_x T &= 0, \\ \mu\Delta v + \frac{1}{2} \frac{E_1 E_2}{(1 - \nu_1)E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1} \partial_y(\partial_x u + \partial_y v) - \beta \partial_y T &= 0,\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

where  $\partial_x \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial x}$ ,  $\partial_y \equiv \frac{\partial}{\partial y}$ ,  $\Delta = \partial_{xx} + \partial_{yy}$ ;  $\mu$  shear modulus  $\mu = \frac{E_1}{2(1 - \nu_1)}$ ,  $\nu_1, E_1$  and  $\nu_2, E_2$  Poisson's coefficients and Young's modules in the plane of an isotropy and in the direction of perpendicular to it, respectively;  $u$  and  $v$  are components of displacement vector;  $\beta$  coefficient which depends on thermal properties of a material  $\beta = \frac{E_1 E_2 (\alpha_1 + \nu_2 \alpha_2)}{(1 - \nu_1)E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1}$ ,  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2$  coefficients of linear thermal expansion in the plane of an isotropy and in the direction of perpendicular to it, respectively;  $T$  temperature change which satisfies to the equation

$$\Delta T = 0.\tag{2}$$

Duhamel-Neumann law, connecting stresses and displacements has the form [1]

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{xx} &= \frac{2\mu}{(1 - \nu_1)E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1} [(E_2 - \nu_2^2 E_1) \partial_x u + (\nu_1 E_2 + \nu_2^2 E_1) \partial_y v] - \beta T, \\ \sigma_{yy} &= \frac{2\mu}{(1 - \nu_1)E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1} [(E_2 - \nu_2^2 E_1) \partial_y v + (\nu_1 E_2 + \nu_2^2 E_1) \partial_x u] - \beta T, \\ \sigma_{xy} &= \sigma_{yx} = \mu(\partial_x v + \partial_y u), \\ \sigma_{zz} &= \frac{\nu_2 E_1 E_2}{(1 - \nu_1)E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1} [\partial_x u + \partial_y v] - \beta T,\end{aligned}\tag{3}$$

where  $\sigma_{xx}, \sigma_{yy}, \sigma_{xy}, \sigma_{zz}$  are components of a tensor of stresses. Other components of a tensor of stresses in case of plane deformation are equal to zero.

**2. The general solution of system (1).** It is possible to show that the general solution of system of balance (1) is represented by means of three harmonic functions by means of Kolosov-Muskhelishvili formulas [2],[3]. We will give these representations without conclusion details.

Representation of displacements

$$\begin{aligned} 2\mu u &= \frac{c + 2\mu}{2c} \varphi^* + \frac{1}{2} (y \partial_y \varphi^* - x \partial_x \tilde{\varphi}) + \partial_y \psi + \frac{\mu\beta}{c} T^*, \\ 2\mu v &= \frac{c + 2\mu}{2c} \tilde{\varphi} + \frac{1}{2} (x \partial_x \tilde{\varphi} - y \partial_y \varphi^*) - \partial_x \psi + \frac{\mu\beta}{c} \tilde{T}, \end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

where  $\varphi^*$  and  $\tilde{\varphi}$  any adjoint harmonic functions ( $\partial_x \varphi^* = \partial_y \tilde{\varphi} = \varphi, \partial_y \varphi^* = -\partial_x \tilde{\varphi}$ ),  $\psi$  is any harmonic function;  $T^*$  and  $\tilde{T}$  are adjoint harmonic functions ( $\partial_x T^* = \partial_y \tilde{T} = T, \partial_y T^* = -\partial_x \tilde{T}$ );  $c = \frac{1}{2} \frac{E_1 E_2}{(1 - \nu_1) E_2 - 2\nu_2^2 E_1}$ .

Substituting formulas (4) in (3), the following expressions for stresses turn out

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{xx} &= \varphi + \frac{1}{2} (y \partial_{xy} \varphi^* - x \partial_{xy} \tilde{\varphi}) + \partial_{xy} \psi, \\ \sigma_{yy} &= \varphi - \frac{1}{2} (y \partial_{xy} \varphi^* - x \partial_{xy} \tilde{\varphi}) - \partial_{xy} \psi, \\ \sigma_{xy} &= \frac{1}{2} (y \partial_{yy} \varphi^* + x \partial_{xx} \tilde{\varphi}) + \partial_{yy} \psi, \\ \sigma_{zz} &= 2\nu_2 \varphi - (1 - 2\nu_2) \beta T. \end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

**3. Construction of approximate solutions of boundary value problems.**

Formulas (4) and (5) can be used for creation of approximate solutions of classical and nonclassical problems of thermoelasticity. In case of a finite simply connected domain  $\Omega$  of function  $T^*, \tilde{T}, \varphi^*, \tilde{\varphi}$  and  $\psi$  are also represented in the form

$$\begin{aligned} (T^*, \varphi^*) &= \sum_{j=1}^N (T_j, A_j) [\ln \sqrt{(x - \xi_j)^2 + (y - \eta_j)^2} - f(x - \xi_j, y - \eta_j)], \\ (\tilde{T}, \tilde{\varphi}) &= \sum_{j=1}^N (T_j, A_j) [\ln \sqrt{(x - \xi_j)^2 + (y - \eta_j)^2} + f(x - \xi_j, y - \eta_j)], \\ \psi(x, y) &= \sum_{j=1}^N B_j \ln \sqrt{(x - \xi_j)^2 + (y - \eta_j)^2}, \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

where

$$f(x - \xi_j, y - \eta_j) = \begin{cases} \arctan \frac{y - \eta_j}{x - \xi_j}, & x > \xi_j, \\ \arctan \frac{y - \eta_j}{x - \xi_j} + \pi, & x < \xi_j, \quad y \geq \eta_j, \\ \arctan \frac{y - \eta_j}{x - \xi_j} - \pi, & x < \xi_j, \quad y < \eta_j, \\ \frac{\pi}{2}, & x = \xi_j, \quad y \geq \eta_j, \\ -\frac{\pi}{2}, & x = \xi_j, \quad y < \eta_j. \end{cases}$$



$$-\sum_{j=1}^N T_j \frac{x - x_j}{(x - \xi_j)^2 + (y - \eta_j)^2},$$

where points of  $(x_{(k)}, y_{(k)})$  are in contours of  $L_k, k = 1, 2, \dots, m$ ;

$$F(x - x_{(k)}, y - y_{(k)}) = \text{Arg}((x - x_{(k)}) + i(y - y_{(k)})).$$

Functions  $\varphi^*$ ,  $\tilde{\varphi}$  and  $\psi$  are represented respectively also, and further construction of approximate solutions of problems is carried out similar to a case of a simply connected body, but the condition of unambiguity of displacement is considered.

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