



TOBB EKONOMİ VE TEKNOLOJİ ÜNİVERSİTESİ
MAK 413 MECHANICS OF COMPOSITE MATERIALS
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Due Date: 06.02.2018- Tuesday* (14:30)

HOMEWORK 2

1. Kaw 2nd ed. Prob. 2.16

2.16 The stresses in the global axes of a 30° ply are given as $\sigma_x = 4$ MPa, $\sigma_y = 2$ MPa, and $\tau_{xy} = -3$ MPa. Find the stresses in the local axes. Are the stresses in the local axes independent of elastic moduli? Why or why not?

2. Kaw 2nd ed. Prob. 2.18

2.18 Find the transformed reduced stiffness matrix $[\bar{Q}]$ and transformed compliance matrix $[\bar{S}]$ for a 60° angle lamina of a boron/epoxy lamina. Use the properties of a unidirectional boron/epoxy lamina from [Table 2.1](#).

3. Kaw 2nd ed. Prob. 2.20

2.20 For a 60° angle lamina of boron/epoxy under stresses in global axes as $\sigma_x = 4$ MPa, $\sigma_y = 2$ MPa, and $\tau_{xy} = -3$ MPa, and using the properties of a unidirectional boron/epoxy lamina from [Table 2.1](#), find the following

1. Global strains
2. Local stresses and strains
3. Principal normal stresses and principal normal strains
4. Maximum shear stress and maximum shear strain

4. Kaw 2nd ed. Prob. 2.21

2.21 An angle glass/epoxy lamina is subjected to a shear stress $\tau_{xy} = 0.4$ ksi in the global axes resulting in a shear strain $\gamma_{xy} = 468.3$ $\mu\text{in./in.}$ in the global axes. What is the angle of the ply? Use the properties of unidirectional glass/epoxy lamina from [Table 2.2](#).

5. Kaw 2nd ed. Prob. 2.22

2.22 Find the six engineering constants for a 60° boron/epoxy lamina. Use the properties of unidirectional boron/epoxy lamina from [Table 2.2](#).

Due date is **Tuesday 6th of February, 2018**. For each delayed day **15 points** will be reduced.