

Important Design of Lever Formulas PDF



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Important Design of Lever Formulas**

1) Components of Lever Formulas ↻

1.1) Bending stress in lever of elliptical cross section Formula ↻

Formula

$$\sigma_b = \frac{32 \cdot (P \cdot (l_1 - d_1))}{\pi \cdot b \cdot a^2}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

Example with Units

$$239.6157 \text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{32 \cdot (310 \text{ N} \cdot (900 \text{ mm} - 12.3913 \text{ mm}))}{3.1416 \cdot 14.3 \text{ mm} \cdot 28.6 \text{ mm}^2}$$

1.2) Bending stress in lever of elliptical cross section given bending moment Formula ↻

Formula

$$\sigma_b = \frac{32 \cdot M_b}{\pi \cdot b \cdot a^2}$$

Example with Units

$$239.8293 \text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{32 \cdot 275404 \text{ N*mm}}{3.1416 \cdot 14.3 \text{ mm} \cdot 28.6 \text{ mm}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

1.3) Bending stress in lever of rectangular cross section Formula ↻

Formula

$$\sigma_b = \frac{32 \cdot (P \cdot (l_1 - d_1))}{\pi \cdot b_1 \cdot d^2}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻

Example with Units

$$244.7137 \text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{32 \cdot (310 \text{ N} \cdot (900 \text{ mm} - 12.3913 \text{ mm}))}{3.1416 \cdot 14.2 \text{ mm} \cdot 28.4 \text{ mm}^2}$$

1.4) Bending stress in lever of rectangular cross section given bending moment Formula ↻

Formula

$$\sigma_b = \frac{32 \cdot M_b}{\pi \cdot b_1 \cdot (d^2)}$$

Example with Units

$$244.9319 \text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{32 \cdot 275404 \text{ N*mm}}{3.1416 \cdot 14.2 \text{ mm} \cdot (28.4 \text{ mm}^2)}$$

Evaluate Formula ↻



1.5) Effort Force Applied on Lever given Bending Moment Formula

Formula

$$P = \frac{M_b}{l_1 - d_1}$$

Example with Units

$$310.2764 \text{ N} = \frac{275404 \text{ N} \cdot \text{mm}}{900 \text{ mm} - 12.3913 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.6) Effort using Length and Load Formula

Formula

$$P = l_2 \cdot \frac{W}{l_1}$$

Example with Units

$$310.8611 \text{ N} = 95 \text{ mm} \cdot \frac{2945 \text{ N}}{900 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.7) Effort using Leverage Formula

Formula

$$P = \frac{W}{MA}$$

Example with Units

$$310 \text{ N} = \frac{2945 \text{ N}}{9.5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.8) Leverage Formula

Formula

$$MA = \frac{l_1}{l_2}$$

Example with Units

$$9.4737 = \frac{900 \text{ mm}}{95 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.9) Load using Lengths and Effort Formula

Formula

$$W = l_1 \cdot \frac{P}{l_2}$$

Example with Units

$$2936.8421 \text{ N} = 900 \text{ mm} \cdot \frac{310 \text{ N}}{95 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.10) Load using Leverage Formula

Formula

$$W = P \cdot MA$$

Example with Units

$$2945 \text{ N} = 310 \text{ N} \cdot 9.5$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.11) Maximum bending moment in lever Formula

Formula

$$M_b = P \cdot (l_1 - d_1)$$

Example with Units

$$275158.697 \text{ N} \cdot \text{mm} = 310 \text{ N} \cdot (900 \text{ mm} - 12.3913 \text{ mm})$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.12) Mechanical Advantage Formula

Formula

$$MA = \frac{W}{P}$$

Example with Units

$$9.5 = \frac{2945 \text{ N}}{310 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



1.13) Reaction Force at Fulcrum of Lever given Bearing Pressure Formula

Formula

$$R_f = P_b \cdot d_1 \cdot l_f$$

Example with Units

$$2963.999\text{ N} = 20.8\text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 12.3913\text{ mm} \cdot 11.5\text{ mm}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.14) Reaction Force at Fulcrum of Lever given Effort, Load and Contained Angle Formula

Formula

$$R_f = \sqrt{W^2 + P^2 - 2 \cdot W \cdot P \cdot \cos(\theta)}$$

Example with Units

$$2966.6465\text{ N} = \sqrt{2945\text{ N}^2 + 310\text{ N}^2 - 2 \cdot 2945\text{ N} \cdot 310\text{ N} \cdot \cos(91^\circ)}$$

Evaluate Formula 

1.15) Reaction Force at Fulcrum of Right Angled Lever Formula

Formula

$$R_f = \sqrt{W^2 + P^2}$$

Example with Units

$$2961.2708\text{ N} = \sqrt{2945\text{ N}^2 + 310\text{ N}^2}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2) Design of Fulcrum Pin Formulas

2.1) Bearing pressure in fulcrum pin of lever given reaction force and diameter of pin Formula

Formula

$$P_b = \frac{R_f}{d_1 \cdot l_f}$$

Example with Units

$$20.8\text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{2964\text{ N}}{12.3913\text{ mm} \cdot 11.5\text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.2) Compressive stress in fulcrum pin of lever given reaction force, depth of lever arm Formula

Formula

$$\sigma_{t_{fp}} = \frac{R_f}{d_1 \cdot l}$$

Example with Units

$$25.8818\text{ N/mm}^2 = \frac{2964\text{ N}}{12.3913\text{ mm} \cdot 9.242006\text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.3) Diameter of fulcrum pin given compressive stress in pin Formula

Formula

$$d_1 = \frac{R_f}{\sigma_{t_{fp}} \cdot l}$$

Example with Units

$$12.3826\text{ mm} = \frac{2964\text{ N}}{25.9\text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 9.242006\text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 



2.4) Diameter of fulcrum pin of lever given bending moment and effort force Formula

Formula

$$d_1 = \left(l_1 \right) \cdot \left(\frac{M_b}{P} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$11.6 \text{ mm} = \left(900 \text{ mm} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{275404 \text{ N} \cdot \text{mm}}{310 \text{ N}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.5) Diameter of fulcrum pin of lever given reaction force and bearing pressure Formula

Formula

$$d_1 = \frac{R_f}{P_b \cdot l_f}$$

Example with Units

$$12.3913 \text{ mm} = \frac{2964 \text{ N}}{20.8 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 11.5 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.6) Length of flucrum pin of lever given reaction force and bearing pressure Formula

Formula

$$l_f = \frac{R_f}{P_b \cdot d_1}$$

Example with Units

$$11.5 \text{ mm} = \frac{2964 \text{ N}}{20.8 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 12.3913 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.7) Length of fulcrum pin boss given compressive stress in pin Formula

Formula

$$l = \frac{R_f}{\sigma_{t_{fp}} \cdot d_1}$$

Example with Units

$$9.2355 \text{ mm} = \frac{2964 \text{ N}}{25.9 \text{ N/mm}^2 \cdot 12.3913 \text{ mm}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

2.8) Maximum length of flucrum pin of lever given diameter of fulcrum pin Formula

Formula

$$l_f = 2 \cdot d_1$$

Example with Units

$$24.7826 \text{ mm} = 2 \cdot 12.3913 \text{ mm}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3) Lever Arm Formulas

3.1) Angle between arms of lever given effort, load and net reaction at fulcrum Formula

Formula

$$\theta = \arccos \left(\frac{W^2 + P^2 - R_f^2}{2 \cdot W \cdot P} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

Example with Units

$$90.9999^\circ = \arccos \left(\frac{2945 \text{ N}^2 + 310 \text{ N}^2 - 2966.646 \text{ N}^2}{2 \cdot 2945 \text{ N} \cdot 310 \text{ N}} \right)$$



3.2) Depth of lever arm given width Formula

Formula

$$d = 2 \cdot b_1$$

Example with Units

$$28.4 \text{ mm} = 2 \cdot 14.2 \text{ mm}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.3) Length of Effort Arm given Leverage Formula

Formula

$$l_1 = l_2 \cdot MA$$

Example with Units

$$902.5 \text{ mm} = 95 \text{ mm} \cdot 9.5$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.4) Length of Effort Arm given Load and Effort Formula

Formula

$$l_1 = W \cdot \frac{l_2}{P}$$

Example with Units

$$902.5 \text{ mm} = 2945 \text{ N} \cdot \frac{95 \text{ mm}}{310 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.5) Length of effort arm of lever given bending moment Formula

Formula

$$l_1 = (d_1) + \left(\frac{M_b}{P} \right)$$

Example with Units

$$900.7913 \text{ mm} = (12.3913 \text{ mm}) + \left(\frac{275404 \text{ N*mm}}{310 \text{ N}} \right)$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.6) Length of Load Arm given Leverage Formula

Formula

$$l_2 = \frac{l_1}{MA}$$

Example with Units

$$94.7368 \text{ mm} = \frac{900 \text{ mm}}{9.5}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.7) Length of Load Arm given Load and Effort Formula

Formula

$$l_2 = P \cdot \frac{l_1}{W}$$

Example with Units

$$94.7368 \text{ mm} = 310 \text{ N} \cdot \frac{900 \text{ mm}}{2945 \text{ N}}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.8) Length of major axis for elliptical cross sectioned lever given minor axis Formula

Formula

$$a = 2 \cdot b$$

Example with Units

$$28.6 \text{ mm} = 2 \cdot 14.3 \text{ mm}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.9) Length of minor axis for elliptical cross sectioned lever given major axis Formula

Formula

$$b = \frac{a}{2}$$

Example with Units

$$14.3 \text{ mm} = \frac{28.6 \text{ mm}}{2}$$

Evaluate Formula 



3.10) Outside diameter of boss in lever Formula

Formula

$$D_o = 2 \cdot d_1$$

Example with Units

$$24.7826 \text{ mm} = 2 \cdot 12.3913 \text{ mm}$$

Evaluate Formula 

3.11) Width of lever arm given depth Formula

Formula

$$b_1 = \frac{d}{2}$$

Example with Units

$$14.2 \text{ mm} = \frac{28.4 \text{ mm}}{2}$$







Evaluate Formula 



Variables used in list of Design of Lever Formulas above

- **a** Major Axis of Lever Ellipse Section (Millimeter)
- **b** Minor Axis of Lever Ellipse Section (Millimeter)
- **b₁** Width of Lever Arm (Millimeter)
- **d** Depth of Lever Arm (Millimeter)
- **d₁** Diameter of Lever Fulcrum Pin (Millimeter)
- **D_o** Outside Diameter of Lever Boss (Millimeter)
- **l** Length of Pin Boss (Millimeter)
- **l₁** Length of Effort Arm (Millimeter)
- **l₂** Length of Load Arm (Millimeter)
- **l_f** Length of Lever Fulcrum Pin (Millimeter)
- **M_b** Bending Moment in Lever (Newton Millimeter)
- **MA** Mechanical Advantage of Lever
- **P** Effort on Lever (Newton)
- **P_b** Bearing Pressure in Fulcrum Pin of Lever (Newton per Square Millimeter)
- **R_f** Force at Lever Fulcrum Pin (Newton)
- **R_f'** Net Force at Lever Fulcrum Pin (Newton)
- **W** Load on lever (Newton)
- **θ** Angle Between Lever Arms (Degree)
- **σ_b** Bending Stress in Lever Arm (Newton per Square Millimeter)
- **σ_{t_{fp}}** Compressive Stress in Fulcrum Pin (Newton per Square Millimeter)

Constants, Functions, Measurements used in list of Design of Lever Formulas above

- **constant(s):** π , 3.14159265358979323846264338327950288
Archimedes' constant
- **Functions:** **arccos**, arccos(Number)
Arccosine function, is the inverse function of the cosine function. It is the function that takes a ratio as an input and returns the angle whose cosine is equal to that ratio.
- **Functions:** **cos**, cos(Angle)
Cosine of an angle is the ratio of the side adjacent to the angle to the hypotenuse of the triangle.
- **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:** **Pressure** in Newton per Square Millimeter (N/mm²)
Pressure Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Force** in Newton (N)
Force Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Angle** in Degree (°)
Angle Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Torque** in Newton Millimeter (N*mm)
Torque Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement:** **Stress** in Newton per Square Millimeter (N/mm²)
Stress Unit Conversion 



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