# Determination of stresses and strains in two-layer mechanically inhomogeneous pipe subjected to internal pressure at elastic plastic loading

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#### 1. Introduction

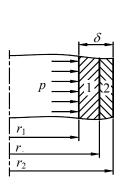
Two layer metal plastic structures with range shape cross-section are frequently used [1 - 3]. The external plastic rust preventive cowers are applied in metal pressure vessels and pipelines. Plastic tubes with the reinforcing external metal layer are widely used [4]. Stresses distribution in multilayer structures subjected to internal pressure has been successfully determined by FEM [2]. However, it is difficult to use when it is necessary to determine how design parameters affect the stress values and strength of the structure.

Mechanically inhomogeneous two-layer pipe may be divided into two pipes with different mechanical properties: internal pipe 1 with modulus of elasticity  $E_1$ , Poisson's ratio  $v_1$ , limit of elasticity  $\sigma_{e1}$ , power index of material hardening in elastic plastic zone  $m_{01}$  and external pipe 2 with  $E_2$ ,  $v_2$ ,  $\sigma_{e2}$  and  $m_{02}$  (Fig. 1). Due to acting internal pressure  $p_1$  radial stretch and contact pressure  $p_2$  on the surface materials H (hard) and M (mild) appears. When  $E_1 > E_2$  the structure is denote H-M and in opposite case - M-H. Dependencies for stresses and strain determination of two-layer pipe at elastic loading are presented in work [5].

These dependencies were obtained by using the relative parameters of the two-layer pipe (Fig. 1):  $s_1 = \delta_1/r_1$ ,  $s_2 = \delta_2/r_1$ ,  $s = \delta/r_1 = s_1 + s_2$ ,  $r/r_1 = 1 + s_1$ ,  $r_2/r_1 = 1 + s_1 + s_2$ ,  $\xi = \rho/r_1 - 1$ .

Then the relative stresses of layer 1, when  $0 \le \xi \le s_1$ 

$$\frac{\sigma_{r1}^{L}(\xi)/p}{\sigma_{\theta 1}^{L}(\xi)/p} = \frac{1 - C_{p}(1 + s_{1})^{2}}{s_{1}(2 + s_{1})} \mp \frac{1 - C_{p}}{s_{1}(2 + s_{1})} \left(\frac{1 + s_{1}}{1 + \xi}\right)^{2} * (1)$$



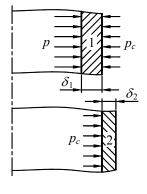


Fig. 1 Scheme of mechanically inhomogeneous two-layer pipe: a – scheme of the pipe; b – distribution of pressures in internal layer 1 and external layer 2

For external layer 2  $(s_1 < \xi \le s)$ 

$$\frac{\sigma_{r2}^{L}(\xi)/p}{\sigma_{\theta}^{L}(\xi)/p} = C_{p} (1+s_{1})^{2} \frac{(1+\xi)^{2} \mp (1+s_{1}+s_{2})^{2}}{s_{2} (2+2s_{1}+s_{2})(1+\xi)^{2}}$$
 (2)

Contact pressure on the contact surface of 1 and 2 materials  $p_c = p C_p$ . The coefficient

$$C_p = \frac{2}{s_1 (2 + s_1) [C_1 - v_1 + (C_2 + v_2) E_1 / E_2]}$$
 (3)

where 
$$C_1 = \frac{(1+s_1)^2 + 1}{s_1(2+s_1)}$$
,  $C_2 = \frac{(1+s_1+s_2)^2 + (1+s_1)^2}{s_2(2+2s_1+s_2)}$ 

The analytical method for stress strain state determination of mechanically inhomogeneous two-layer pipe subjected to internal pressure at elastic plastic loading till now is not created. This analytical method is presented in this work. For estimating durability of pipes the maximum values of strains in overloaded zones must be known [6].

# 2. Stress strain state of two-layer pipe determination at elastic plastic loading

Stress intensity of the pipe subjected by internal pressure when  $\sigma_z = 0$  is

$$\sigma_i = \sqrt{\sigma_\theta^2 + \sigma_r^2 - \sigma_\theta \sigma_r} \tag{4}$$

The relative value of stress intensity of internal layer at elastic loading

$$\frac{\sigma_{i1}(\xi)}{p} = \frac{\sqrt{\left[1 - C_p (1 + s_1)^2\right]^2 + 3\left(1 - C_p\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 + s_1}{1 + \xi}\right)^4}}{s_1 (2 + s_1)}$$
(5)

may be determined by Eqs. (1) and (4) and of external layer

$$\frac{\sigma_{i2}(\xi)}{p} = \frac{C_p(1+s_1)^2 \sqrt{(1+\xi)^4 + 3(1+s_1+s_2)^4}}{s_2(2+2s_1+s_2)(1+\xi)^2}$$
(6)

- by Eqs. (2) and (4).

<sup>\*</sup> upper index L denotes Lame's equations lower indexes 1 and 2 denotes the internal and external layer

Maximum external pressure when material is deformed elastically may be determined by the expression

$$p_{max}^{e} = \frac{\sigma_{e}}{\sigma_{i}(\xi)/p}^{**}$$
 (7)

when  $\sigma_e$  is limit of elasticity;  $\xi = 0$  for layer 1 and  $\xi = s_1$  for layer 2.

Elastic plastic strains in this zone of the pipe appear when internal pressure  $p > p_{max}^e$ . Usually elastic plastic loading begins in layer 1 [5]. Stresses and strains are determined by assuming these assumptions:

- ratio of strains in the thickness of layer 1 at elastic and elastic plastic loading is the same [7];
- expression  $\sigma_r/p$  is valued at elastic and elastic plastic loading.

Then from the first assumption by estimating  $e_{i1}(\xi_{p1}) = \sigma_{e1} / E_1 = e_{e1}$  the value of  $e_{i1}(\xi)$  may be calculated at elastic plastic loading

$$e_{i1}(\xi) = e_{i1}(\xi_{p1}) \frac{e_{i1}^{e}(\xi)}{e_{i1}^{e}(\xi_{p1})} = e_{e1} \frac{\sigma_{i1}^{L}(\xi)}{\sigma_{i1}^{L}(\xi_{p1})}^{***}$$
(8)

where  $\xi_{p1}$  is the maximum value elasto plastically deformed zone of layer 1.

The strain intensity value in layer 1

$$e_{i1}(\xi) = \frac{\sigma_{e1}}{E_1} \sqrt{\frac{\left[1 - C_p(1 + s_1)^2\right]^2 + 3\left(1 - C_p\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 + s_1}{1 + \xi}\right)^4}{\left[1 - C_p(1 + s_1)^2\right]^2 + 3\left(1 - C_p\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 + s_1}{1 + \xi_{p1}}\right)^4}} (9)$$

is calculated from Eq. (8) by estimating dependence (5).

Stress intensity which at elastic plastic loading

Stress intensity which at elastic plastic loading corresponds  $e_{il}(\xi)$  is

$$\sigma_{i1}(\xi) = \sigma_{e1} \left( \frac{e_{i1}(\xi)}{e_{e1}} \right)^{m_{01}} \tag{10}$$

When  $\sigma_{i1}(\xi) > \sigma_{e1}$  secant modulus of stress strain curve

$$E_1'(\xi) = \sigma_{i1}(\xi)/e_{i1}(\xi) \tag{11}$$

Stiffness of internal layer 1 and increasing rate of internal pressure p at elastic plastic loading decrease with increasing  $\xi_{p1}$ . The value of internal pressure  $p_{\xi_{p1}}$ , which corresponds elasto-plastically deformed zone  $\xi_{p1}$  is determined by approaching method from the condition  $\sigma_{i1}(\xi_{p1}) = \sigma_{e1}$ , i.e.

$$\frac{\sigma_{el}}{p_{\xi_{pl}}} = \frac{\sqrt{\left[1 - C_p (1 + s_1)^2\right]^2 + 3\left(1 - C_p\right)^2 \left(\frac{1 + s_1}{1 + \xi_{pl}}\right)^4}}{s_1 (2 + s_1)}$$
(12)

In the first approaching it may be accepted

$$p_{\xi_{p1}} \approx \frac{\sigma_{e1} s_1 (2 + s_1) \frac{E_{1c}}{E_1}}{\sqrt{\left[1 - C_p (1 + s_1)^2\right]^2 + 3 (1 - C_p)^2 \left(\frac{1 + s_1}{1 + \xi_{p1}}\right)^4}}$$
 (13)

where  $E_{1c} \approx \{0.5 [E'_1(0) + E_1] \xi_{p1} + E_1 (s_1 - \xi_{p1})\} / s_1$  is the conditional elasticity modulus in relative thickness  $s_1$  of layer 1.

Maximum value of  $p_{\xi_{p1}}$  is recommended to determine from condition (12) when  $\xi_{p1}=\xi_{p1\,max}=0.5\,s_1$ . With the further increasing  $p_{\xi_{p1}}$  the elasto-plastically deformed zone rapidly increases. When  $p=1.055\,p_{\xi_{p1\,max}}$  elasto-plastically deformed zone reaches the external surface of pipe wall [7]. Therefore, stability of the structure may be loosed. For increasing stability of the structure and satisfaction the dependence  $e_{\theta1}(s_1)=e_{\theta2}(s_1)$  is recommended choose the relative thickness  $s_2$  from the condition  $\sigma_{i2\,max}=\sigma_{i2|\xi=s_1}\leq\sigma_{e2}$ . Determination of the recommended value  $s_{2r}$  is described in the third chapter. Radial stresses at elastic plastic loading

$$\sigma_{r1}(\xi) = p_{\xi_{n1}} \ \sigma_{r1}^{L}(\xi) / p \tag{14}$$

and

$$\sigma_{r2}(\xi) = p_{\xi_{p1}} \ \sigma_{r2}^{L}(\xi) / p$$
 (15)

Stress  $\sigma_{\theta 1}$  when  $\xi \leq \xi_{p1}$  may be determined from Eqs. (4), (10) and (14):

$$\sigma_{\theta l}(\xi) = \frac{\sigma_{rl}(\xi)}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{rl}^2(\xi)}{4} + \sigma_{il}^2(\xi) - \sigma_{rl}^2(\xi)}$$
(16)

In elastically deformed zone of interlayer 1 when  $\xi > \xi_{p1}$  circumference stress may be determined by the dependence

$$\sigma_{\theta 1}(\xi) = \sigma_{\theta 1}(\xi_{p1}) \ \sigma_{\theta 1}^{L}(\xi) / \sigma_{\theta 1}^{L}(\xi_{p1})$$

$$\tag{17}$$

which is obtained analogically as Eq. (8) (Fig. 2).

Stress intensity  $\sigma_{i1}(\xi)$  when  $\xi > \xi_{p1}$  is calculated from Eq. (4) by estimating Eqs. (13) and (17).

Strain intensity of layer 1 is calculated by the dependences

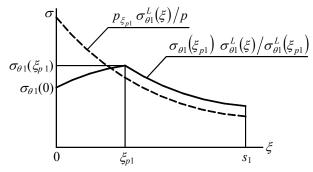


Fig. 2 Scheme for  $\sigma_{\theta 1}(\xi)$  determination at elastic plastic deforming of layer 1

<sup>\*\*</sup> upper index e denotes elastic loading

<sup>\*\* (0),</sup>  $(\xi_{v1})$ ,  $(s_1)$  denotes the values when  $\xi = 0$ ,  $\xi = \xi_{v1}$ ,  $\xi = s_1$ 

$$e_{i1}(\xi) = \frac{\sigma_{e1}}{E_1} \left[ \frac{\sigma_{i1}(\xi)}{\sigma_{e1}} \right]^{1/m_{01}} \text{ when } \sigma_{i1}(\xi) > \sigma_{e1}$$

$$e_{i1}(\xi) = \sigma_{i1}(\xi)/E_1 \text{ when } \sigma_{i1}(\xi) \leq \sigma_{e1}$$
(18)

Material of layer 1 is deformed elastically when  $\xi \ge \xi_{p1}$ . In this case strains  $e_{\theta}$ ,  $e_r$  and  $e_z$  are calculated by Hooke's law when  $\sigma_{z1} = 0$ . In elasto-plastically deformed zone of layer 1  $(\xi < \xi_{p1})$  strains are equal:  $e_{\theta1} = (\sigma_{\theta1} - v_{N1}\sigma_{r1})/E_1'$ ,  $e_{r1} = (\sigma_{r1} - v_{N1}\sigma_{\theta1})/E_1'$  and  $e_{z1} = -v_{N1}(\sigma_{\theta1} + \sigma_{r1})/E_1'$ . Poisson's ratio at elastic plastic loading may be calculated by Nadai's dependence  $v_{N1} = 0.5 - (0.5 - v_1)E_1'/E_1$ . At elastic plastic loading contact pressure negligibly depends on  $v_2 - v_1$  [5]. Analysis  $v_1^*$  on  $\xi_{p1}$  showed that  $v_{N1} = 1.03 v_1$  when  $\xi_{p1} = 0.5 s_1$ . For simplifying calculations at elastic plastic loading instead of  $v_{N1}$  Poisson's ratio at elastic loading  $v_1$  may be used. Strains  $e_{\theta2}$ ,  $e_{r2}$  and  $e_{z2}$  are also calculated from Hooke's law by estimating that  $\sigma_{r2} = p_{\xi_{p1}} \sigma_{r2}^L/p$ ,  $\sigma_{\theta2} = p_{\xi_{p1}} \sigma_{\theta2}^L/p$  and  $\sigma_{z2} = 0$ .

# 3. Determination of the rational geometrical parameters of two-layer pipe subjected to internal pressure

Serviceability of two-layer pipe depends on location of the layers (structure H-M or M-H), admissible internal pressure  $p_{adm}$ ,  $\sigma_{i\,2\,max}$  and the relative thickness of layers  $s_1$  and  $s_2$ . Distribution of stresses and strains in mechanically inhomogeneous two-layer pipe, subjected to internal pressure p, at elastic plastic loading of H-M and M-H structures when  $\xi_{p1\,max}$ ,  $E_H = 21\cdot10^4$  MPa,  $E_M = 7\cdot10^4$  MPa,  $\sigma_{eH} = 350$  MPa,  $\sigma_{eM} = 100$  MPa,  $v_H = v_M = 0.3$ ,  $v_1 = 50$  mm,  $v_1 = v_2 = 0.25$ ,  $v_1 = 0.15$ ,  $v_2 = 0.25$ ,  $v_3 = 0.25$ ,  $v_4 = 0.15$ ,  $v_5 = 0.25$ ,  $v_5 = 0$ 

Increasing  $p_{max}^e$  of internal pipe at elastic loading may be expressed by the ratio

$$K = \frac{p_{max}^e}{p_{max}^e \mid C_n = 0} \tag{19}$$

where 
$$p_{max}^{e} = \frac{\sigma_{el} \ s_{1} \left(2 + s_{1}\right)}{\sqrt{\left[1 - C_{p} \left(1 + s_{1}\right)^{2}\right]^{2} + 3\left(1 - C_{p}\right)^{2} \left(1 + s_{1}\right)^{4}}}$$
 is

maximum value of internal pressure, when  $\sigma_{i1 max} = \sigma_{e1}$  and  $p_{max|C_p=0}^e = \frac{\sigma_{e1} s_1 (2 + s_1)}{\sqrt{1 + 3 (1 + s_1)^4}}$ . Lower index " $C_p = 0$ " de-

note value of homogeneous pipe without reinforcement layer ( $C_p = 0$  and  $s_2 = 0$ ).

At elastic loading of two-layer pipe, which is shown in work [5], the ratio K for structure H-M is 1.13 and for structure M-H – K = 2.397. Therefore, structure

M-H, when layer 2 is reinforcing cover of internal pipe 1, is frequently used. When  $s_1$  is known the recommended relative thickness  $s_{2r}$  at elastic loading of layer 2 in structure M-H may be determined from the condition

$$\sigma_{i2\,max} = \frac{p_{\xi_{p1}} C_p (1+s_1)^2 \sqrt{1+3(1+s_1+s_{2r})^4}}{s_{2r} (2+2s_1+s_{2r})} = \sigma_{e2} \quad (20)$$

by approaching method.

Ratio  $\sigma_{i2\;max}/\sigma_{e2}$  depends on  $\sigma_{e2}/\sigma_{e1}$ ,  $E_2/E_1$  and s. When

$$\sigma_{i1}(s_1)_{|C_p=0} \frac{E_2}{E_1} < \sigma_{e2}$$
 (21)

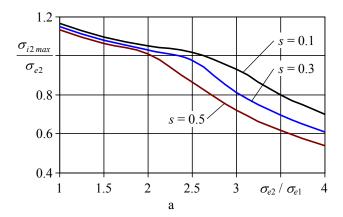
the  $s_{2r}$  can not be obtained by decreasing of  $s_2$  (Fig. 3).

In structure M-H for plastic pipes with the reinforcing metal layer 2  $E_2 \ge 3$   $E_1$  and  $\sigma_{e2} = (2.5 ... 3)$   $\sigma_{e1}$  are recommended.

Polypropylene tubes with the aluminum alloy reinforcement layer are frequently used [4]. Also reinforced high density polyethylene tubes which mechanical properties are presented in work [8] may be used.

Structure H-M is often used when layer 2 is the rust preventive cover of metal internal pipe 1. In this case  $E_2 < E_1 / 3$ ,  $\sigma_{e2} < 0.3$   $\sigma_{e1}$  and  $s_2 < s_1$  are recommended.

Relative thickness  $s_2$  may be determined by the condition:  $\sigma_{i2 max} \le \sigma_{e2}$ . Pressure  $p_{max}^e$  in the both cases is determined by Eqs. (5) and (7) when  $\xi = 0$ .



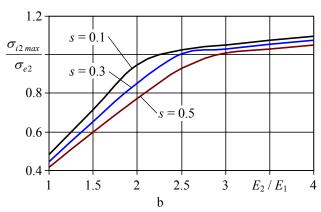


Fig. 3 Dependence of  $\sigma_{i2 \, max} / \sigma_{e2}$  on  $\sigma_{e2} / \sigma_{e1}$  (a),  $E_2 / E_1$  (b) and s for M-H structure, when  $s_1 = s_2$ :  $a - E_2 / E_1 = 3.0$ ;  $b - \sigma_{e2} / \sigma_{e1} = 2.0$ 

When admissible elasto-plastically deformed zone of layer 1 is  $0 < \xi_{p1 \ adm} \le \xi_{p1 \ max}$  the recommended value  $s_{2r}$  is determined analogically as at elastic loading [5]. In this case instead of  $p_{max}^e$  the  $p_{\xi_{p1 \ adm}}$  determined from condition (12) is used.

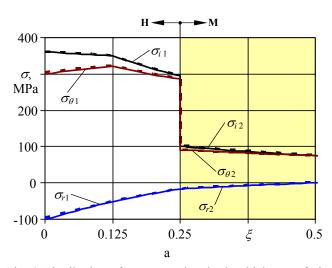
Elastic plastic strains appear in layer 2 when  $s_2 < s_{2r}$ . Values of  $\sigma_{i2}(s_1)$ ,  $\sigma_{\theta 2}(s_1)$ ,  $E'_2(s_1)$ ,  $\sigma_{\theta 2}(\xi_p)$ ,  $\sigma_{\theta 2}(\xi)$  are determined analogically as  $\sigma_{i1}(0)$ ,  $\sigma_{\theta 1}(0)$ ,  $\sigma_{\theta 1}(\xi)$  by using  $p_{\xi_0}$ .

The elasto-plastically deformed zone of layer 2  $\xi_{p2}$  is determined by approaching method from the condition  $\sigma_{i2}(\xi_{p2}) = \sigma_{e2}$ , i.e.

$$\frac{\sigma_{e2}}{p_{\xi_{p1}}} = \frac{C_p (1+s_1)^2 \sqrt{(1+\xi_{p2})^4 + 3(1+s_1+s_2)^4}}{s_2 (2+2s_1+s_2)(1+\xi_{p2})^2}$$
(22)

In the first approaching may be accepted

$$\xi_{p2} \approx \sqrt[4]{\frac{3 p_c^2 (1+s_1)^4 (1+s_1+s_2)^4}{\left[\sigma_{e2} s_2 (2+2 s_1+s_2)\right]^2 - p_c^2 (1+s_1)^4}} - 1 \qquad (23)$$



The theory of small elastic plastic strains for pipes, subjected to internal pressure, may be used when  $\xi_p \le 0.3 \dots 0.35$  [7]. Therefore is recommended  $\xi_{p1} \le 0.35 \ s_1$  and  $\xi_{p2} \le s_1 + 0.35 \ s_2$ .

## 4. Results of stresses and strains investigations in twolayer pipe at elastic plastic loading

Distribution of stress state components in the investigated two-layer pipe at elastic plastic loading strain intensity  $e_i$  is shown in Fig. 4 and circumference strain  $e_{\theta}$  – in Fig. 5.

Because in structure H-M  $\sigma_{i2\;max} = \sigma_{e2}$ , when  $p_{\xi_{p1\;max}}$  and  $s_2 = s_1 = 0.25$ , the recommended value of relative thickness of layer 2  $s_{2r} = 0.25$  (Fig. 4, a). In structure M-H, when  $s_2 = s_1 = 0.25$ ,  $\sigma_{i2\;max} = 0.61$   $\sigma_{e2}$ . Therefore, in this case elastic properties of layer 2 are not exploited to the maximum (Fig. 4, b).

In elastic plastic deformed zone  $\xi_{p1}$  stress  $\sigma_{\theta1}$  increases and  $\sigma_{i\,1}$  – decreases with increasing  $\xi$ . Circumference strain  $e_{\theta1}$  and strain intensity  $e_{i\,1}$  in elasto plastically deformed zone  $\xi_{p1}$  approximately linearly decrease with increasing  $\xi$ .

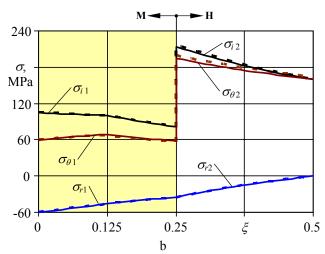


Fig. 4 Distribution of  $\sigma_i$ ,  $\sigma_\theta$  and  $\sigma_r$  in the thickness of pipe wall (——) determined analytically and (——) by FEM: a – structure H-M when  $p_{\xi_{p1\,max}} = 101.6$  MPa; b – structure M-H when  $p_{\xi_{p1\,max}} = 61.2$  MPa

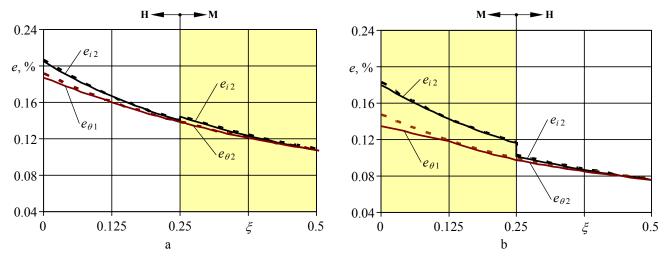


Fig. 5 Distribution of  $e_i$  and  $e_\theta$  in the thickness of pipe wall (——) determined analytically and (---) by FEM: a- structure H-M when  $p_{\xi_{p1\,max}}=101.6$  MPa; b- structure M-H when  $p_{\xi_{p1\,max}}=61.2$  MPa

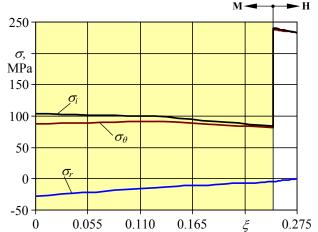
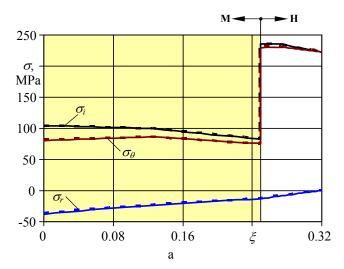


Fig. 6 Distribution of stresses determined analytically in the thickness of pipe wall of structure M-H when  $\xi_{p1} = \xi_{p1 \, max} = 0.5 \, s_1$ ,  $p = 28.1 \, \text{MPa}$ ,  $s_1 = 0.25$ ,  $s_2 = s_{2r} = 0.025$  and  $\sigma_{i2 \, max} = 0.687 \, \sigma_{e2}$ 



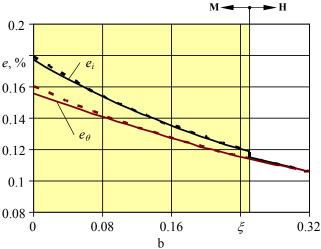


Fig. 7 Distribution of stress strain components in the thickness of pipe wall of structure M-H when both layers are deformed elasto plastically (——) determined analytically and (---) by FEM, when  $\sigma_{e2}$ =235 MPa,  $s_2$ =0.07,  $\xi_{p2}$ ≈ $s_1$ +0.35  $s_2$ , p=37.8 MPa (other parameters of the pipe are the same as in Fig. 4, b and Fig. 5, b): a – distribution of stresses; b – distribution of strains

Elastic properties of layer 2 in structure M-H can not be exploited to the maximum because Eq. (21) can not be satisfying:  $\sigma_{i 1}(s_1)_{\mid C_p=0; \xi_{p1 \, max}} E_2 / E_1 = 255$  MPa, while  $\sigma_{e\,2}=350$  MPa. Therefore taking into account workability was accepted  $s_2=0.025$  (Fig. 6).

Distribution of stress strain state components in the thickness of pipe wall of structure M-H when both layers are deformed elasto plastically is shown in Fig. 7.

The obtained analytical dependencies for stress strain state determination at elastic plastic loading were confirmed by FEM. Difference parameters  $\Delta_{\xi_{p1\,max}}$  of analyzed two-layer pipe calculated analytically and determined by FEM of structure H-M does not exceed:  $\sigma_{\theta}$ ,  $\sigma_{i}$  – 1.5%;  $\sigma_{r}$ ,  $p_{\xi_{p1}}$  – 3.5%;  $e_{\theta}$  – 2%;  $e_{i}$  – 1.5% and in structure M-H –  $\sigma_{\theta}$  – 3%;  $\sigma_{r}$ ,  $p_{\xi_{p1}}$  – 4%;  $\sigma_{i}$  – 1%;  $e_{\theta}$  – 7%;  $e_{i}$  – 1.5%. When  $\xi_{p1\,adm}$  < 0.5  $s_{1}$ , difference of parameters  $\Delta_{\xi_{p1}} \approx \Delta_{\xi_{p1\,max}} \xi_{p1\,adm}/\xi_{p1\,max}$ .

The assumption  $\sigma_z = 0$  in model analytical solution is made. In FEM model layers of the pipe are connected tight. Stress state, determined by FEM when  $\xi_{p1} = 0.5 \ s_1$ ,  $\xi_{p2} \le s_1$  and  $e_{z1}(s_1) = e_{z2}(s_1)$ , showed that the mean value  $\sigma_{z \, m \, FEM} \approx 0.11 \, p_c \, (1 + s_1) / \left[ s_2 \, (2 + 2 \, s_1 + s_2) \right]$ for hard layer of two-layer pipe and  $\sigma_{z\,m\,FEM} \approx$  $\approx -0.11 p_c (1+s_1)/[s_1(2+s_1)]$  for mild layer. Therefore, difference of  $e_{\theta}(0)$  calculated analytically and determined by FEM, caused by stress  $\sigma_z$ , may be up to 8 % (Fig. 5, b). Deforming conditions at the contact surface of pipe layers and value of  $\sigma_z$  are intermediate between analytical and FEM models [5]. Therefore, mean value  $\sigma_{zm}$ , which corresponds the real deforming conditions of two-layer pipe,  $\sigma_{z\,m\,tr} \approx 0.5 \,\sigma_{z\,m\,FEM}$ . Strains of layers at elastic plastic loading, determined by estimating real deforming condition at contact surface of the pipe, approximately may be calculated by these dependencies:  $e_{\theta tr} \approx [\sigma_{\theta} - v(\sigma_r + \sigma_{zm})]/E'$  $e_{r tr} \approx [\sigma_r - v(\sigma_\theta + \sigma_{z m})]/E', e_{z tr} \approx [\sigma_{z m} - v(\sigma_\theta + \sigma_r)]/E'.$ When  $\sigma_i \leq \sigma_e$  modulus of elasticity *E* instead of *E'* must by used. Difference of  $e_{\theta}$  determined analytically by dependencies of this work and true value  $e_{\theta tr}$  in structure M-H, when  $\xi_{p1 \ adm} = 0.5 \ s_1$ , does not exceed 4 %. Therefore, accuracy of this solution is fully acceptable.

The more accurate solution of real structure may be obtained by estimating  $\sigma_{zm}$ , when real conditions of deforming on the contact plane surface of materials M and H are evaluated, is very complicated.

# 5. Conclusions

- 1. Dependencies for stresses and strains determination in two-layer inhomogeneous pipe subjected to internal pressure at elastic plastic loading are presented in this paper. It is proved that accuracy of these dependencies is quite acceptable.
- 2. The internal pressure  $p_{\xi_{p1}}$  increases with increasing elasto plastically deformed zone  $\xi_{p1}$ , relative thickness  $s_1$  and  $s_2$ ,  $E_H/E_M$ ,  $\sigma_{eH}/\sigma_{eM}$  and power index  $m_{01}$ .
- 3. The maximum value of elasto plastically deformed zone  $\xi_{p_1}$  of layer 1 can not exceed 0.5  $s_1$ .
- 4. A method for determination of recommended thickness  $s_{2r}$ , when  $s_1$  is known, is proposed. At elastic plastic loading of structure M-H relative thickness  $s_{2r}$  may

be determined by approaching method from the condition that  $\sigma_{i\,2\,max}=\sigma_{e2}$ , when  $p_{\xi_{p1}}=p_{\xi_{p1}\,adm}$ . In this case elastic properties of layer 2 can be exploited to the maximum when  $\sigma_{i1}(s_1)_{|C_p=0;\,\xi_{p1}\,max}\,E_2/E_1 \geq \sigma_{e2}$ .

5. Stress  $\sigma_{\theta 1}$  in elasto plastically deformed zone  $\xi_{p1}$  approximately linearly increases with increasing  $\xi$ .

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DVISLUOKSNIO MECHANIŠKAI NEVIENALYČIO TAMPRIAI PLASTIŠKAI DEFORMUOJAMO VAMZ-DŽIO, VEIKIAMO VIDINIO SLĖGIO, ĮTEMPIŲ IR DEFORMACIJŲ NUSTATYMAS

## Reziumė

Darbe nagrinėjamas dvisluoksnio mechaniškai nevienalyčio vamzdžio, veikiamo vidinio slėgio, įtempių deformacijų būvis. Pateiktas matematinis modelis vamzdžio žiediniams  $\sigma_{\theta}$  bei radialiniams  $\sigma_{r}$  įtempiams ir deformacijoms  $e_{\theta}$ ,  $e_{r}$  ir  $e_{z}$  apskaičiuoti, kai vidinis vamzdis yra tampriai plastiškai deformuotas. Pasiūlyta rekomenduotino santykinio išorinio sluoksnio storio  $s_{2r}$ , leidžiančio geriau-

siai panaudoti jo tampriąsias savybes, nustatymo metodika. Baigtinių elementų metodu įrodyta, kad darbe gautų priklausomybių dvisluoksnio mechaniškai nevienalyčio, tampriai plastiškai deformuojamo vamzdžio, analitiškai apskaičiuotų įtempių ir deformacijų tikslumas yra visai priimtinas.

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DETERMINATION OF STRESSES AND STRAINS TWO-LAYER MECHANICALLY INHOMOGENEOUS PIPE SUBJECTED TO INTERNAL PRESSURE AT ELASTIC PLASTIC LOADING

Summary

The stress strain state of two-layer mechanically inhomogeneous pipe subjected to internal pressure at elastic plastic loading is analyzed. A mathematical model for the calculation of circumference stress  $\sigma_{\theta}$ , radial stress  $\sigma_{r}$  and strains  $e_{\theta}$ ,  $e_{r}$  and  $e_{z}$  when internal pipe is deformed elasto plastically is presented by the finite element method. A method for determination of the recommended relative thickness  $s_{2r}$  of external layer, which insures that elastic properties of external layer exploited to the maximum, is proposed. It is proved that the accuracy of dependencies for stress and strain determination at elastic plastic loading of mechanically inhomogeneous pipe is quite acceptable.

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ОПРЕДЕЛЕНИЕ НАПРЯЖЕНИЙ И ДЕФОРМАЦИЙ МЕХАНИЧЕСКИ НЕОДНОРОДНОЙ ДВУХСЛОЙНОЙ ТРУБЫ, НАГРУЖЕННОЙ ВНУТРЕННИМ ДАВЛЕНИЕМ, ПРИ УПРУГОПЛАСТИЧЕСКОМ ДЕФОРМИРОВАНИИ

Резюме

В настоящей работе рассмотрено напряженно деформированное состояние двухслойной трубы, нагруженной внутренним давлением, при упругопластическом деформировании. Приведена математическая модель определения окружного напряжения  $\sigma_{\theta}$ , радиального напряжения  $\sigma_r$  и деформаций  $e_\theta$ ,  $e_r$  и  $e_z$ при упругопластическом деформировании внутренней трубы. Предложен метод для определения рекомендуемой относительной толщины наружного слоя  $s_{2r}$ , обеспечивающей максимальное использование его упругих свойств. Используя метод конечных элементов доказано, что точность в работе полученных зависимостей для определения напряжений и деформаций механически неоднородной двухслойной трубы при упругопластическом деформировании вполне приемлема.

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