

**Lecture 27**  
**THE OF-CENTRE ACTING OF  
FORCE OF TENSION OR  
COMPRESSION**

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# Plan of lection

- **1. General theory**
- **2. The core of the cross-section**
- **3. Example of calculation of beam on the off-centre acting of force**

# General theory

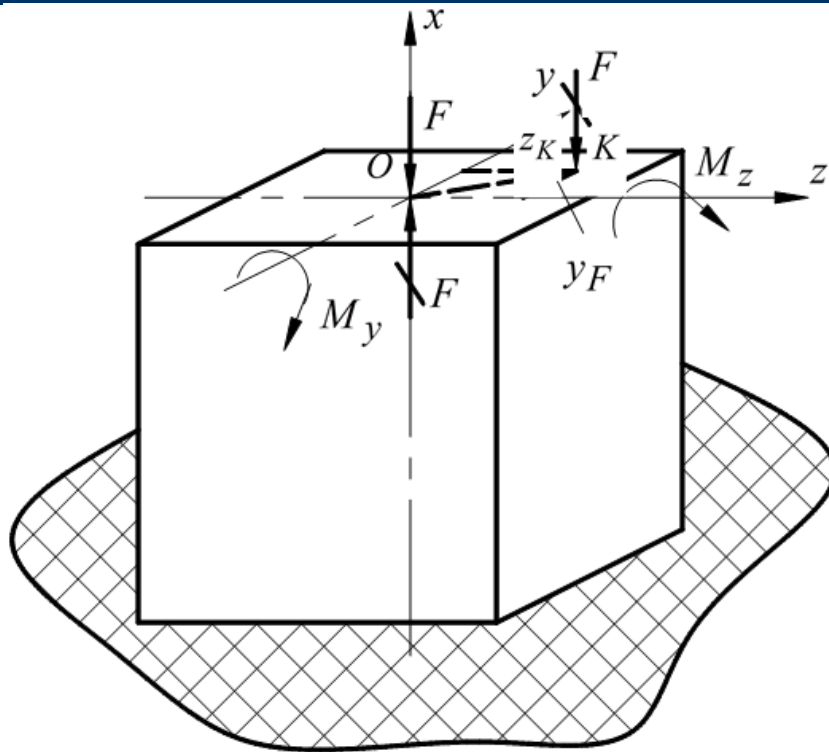


Fig. 1

$$M_O = F \cdot OK$$

To decompose the moment into two components

$$M_z = F \cdot y_F$$

(1)

$$M_y = F \cdot z_F$$

# General theory

The stresses are determined from the dependence:

$$\sigma = -\frac{F}{A} - \frac{M_z \cdot y}{I_z} - \frac{M_y \cdot z}{I_y} \quad (2)$$

or

$$\sigma = -\frac{F}{A} - \frac{F \cdot y_F \cdot y}{I_z} - \frac{F \cdot z_F \cdot z}{I_y} \quad (3)$$

In the case of acting a tensile force :

$$\sigma = \frac{F}{A} + \frac{F \cdot y_F \cdot y}{I_z} - \frac{F \cdot z_F \cdot z}{I_y} \quad (4)$$

# General theory

In general case we get:

$$\sigma = \pm \frac{F}{A} \pm \frac{F \cdot y_F \cdot y}{I_z} \pm \frac{F \cdot z_F \cdot z}{I_y} \quad (5)$$

Given that

$$i_z = \sqrt{\frac{I_z}{A}} \quad i_y = \sqrt{\frac{I_y}{A}}$$

The formula (5) can be represented as:

$$\sigma = \pm \frac{F}{A} \pm \frac{F \cdot y_F \cdot y}{i_z^2 \cdot A} \pm \frac{F \cdot z_F \cdot z}{i_y^2 \cdot A}$$

# General theory

or

$$\sigma = \frac{F}{A} \left( \pm 1 \pm \frac{y_F \cdot y}{i_z^2} \pm \frac{z_F \cdot z}{i_y^2} \right) \quad (6)$$

Conditions strength of materials:

$$\sigma_{\max} = \frac{F}{A} \left( \pm 1 \pm \frac{y_F \cdot y}{i_z^2} \pm \frac{z_F \cdot z}{i_y^2} \right) \leq [\sigma_p] \quad (7)$$

$$\sigma_{\max} = -\frac{F}{A} \left( \pm 1 \pm \frac{y_F \cdot y}{i_z^2} \pm \frac{z_F \cdot z}{i_y^2} \right) \leq [\sigma_{cm}]$$

# The core of the cross-section

To define the location of the neutral axis of the cross section

$$1 + \frac{y_F \cdot y_0}{i_z^2} + \frac{z_F \cdot z_0}{i_y^2} = 0 \quad (8)$$

let us suppose, that  $y_0 = 0$ , then  $z_0 = a_z$ :

$$a_z = -\frac{i_y^2}{z_F} \quad (9)$$

# The core of the cross-section

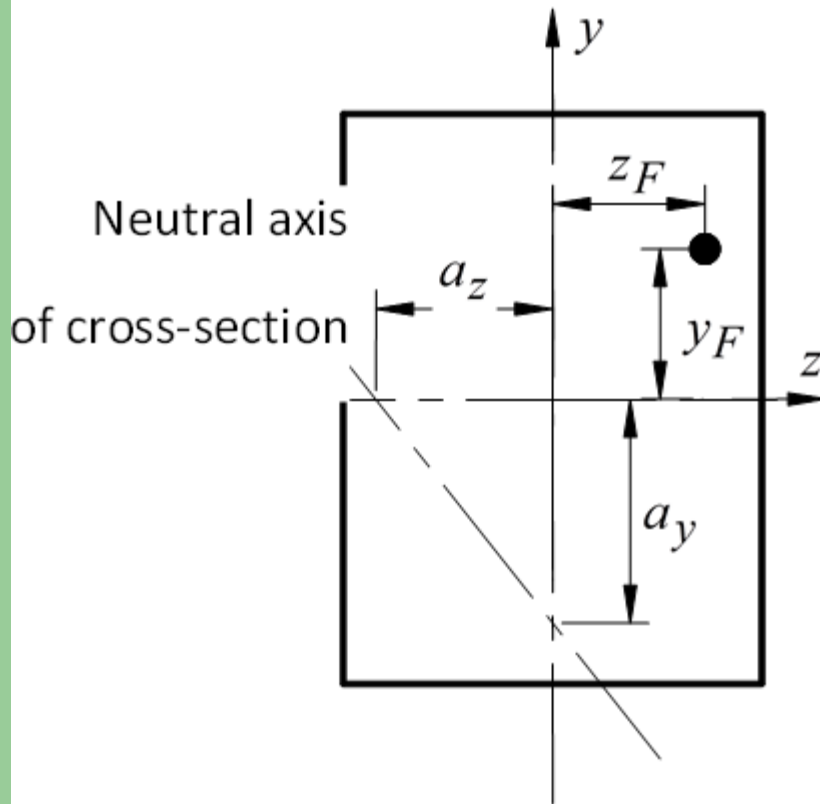


Fig. 2

For the case when  $z_0 = 0$

$$a_y = -\frac{i^2 z}{y_F} \quad (10)$$

The central part of the cross-section, in which or at its limit, the application of compressive force, causes only compressive stresses at all points of the cross-section is called the core of the cross-section.



# The core of the cross-section

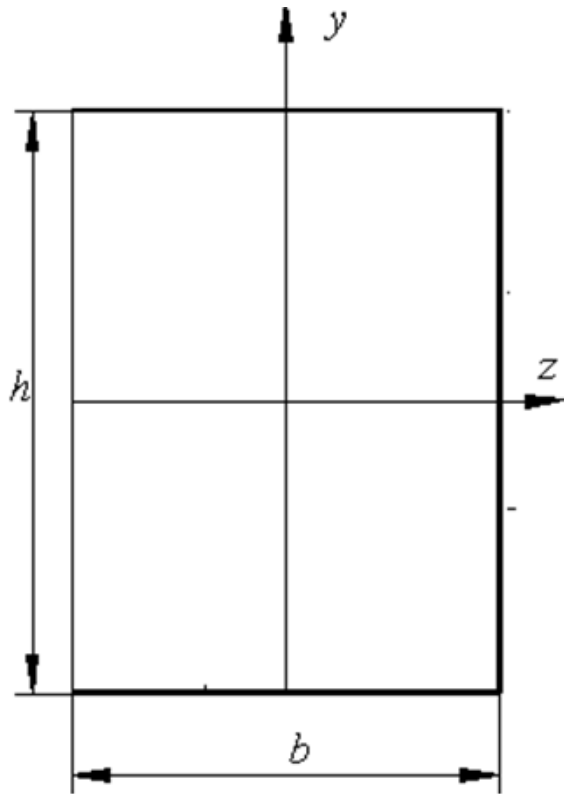


Fig. 3

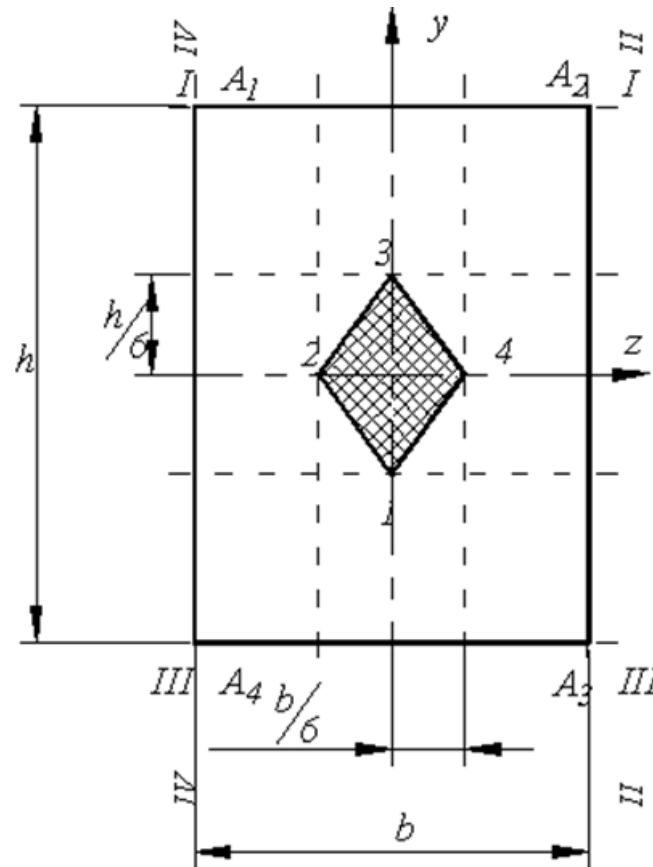


Fig. 4

# Example of calculation

Initial conditions:

$$a = 3 \text{ dm}$$

$$b = 2 \text{ dm}$$

To build the core of the cross-section

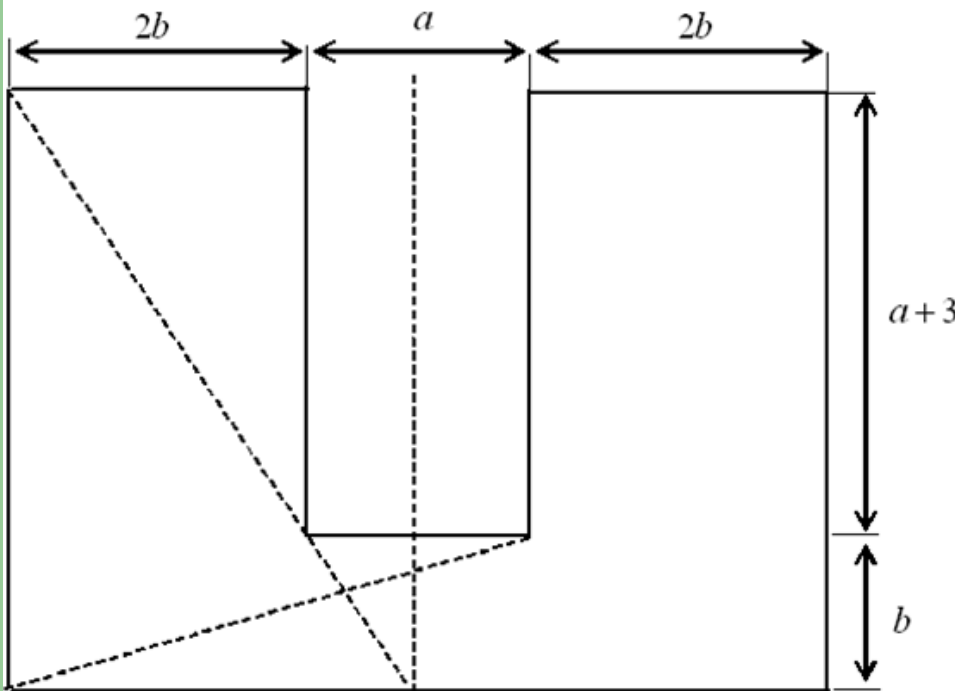


Fig. 6

## Example of calculation

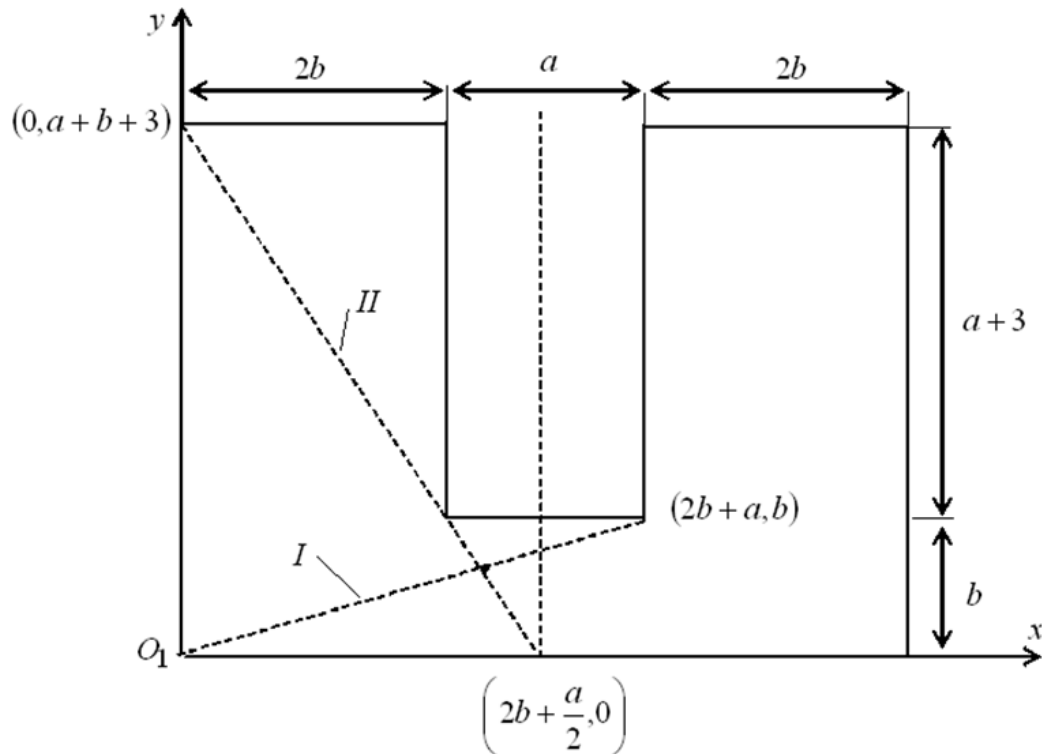


Fig. 7

To find the coordinates of the force application point:

$$\begin{cases} y = \frac{b}{2b+a}x \\ y = -\frac{2a+2b+6}{4b+a}x + (a+b+3) \end{cases}$$

## Example of calculation

The solution of system

$$x = \frac{(2b + a)(4b + a)(b + a + 3)}{8b^2 + 7ab + 2a^2 + 12b + 6a}$$

$$y = \frac{b(4b + a)(b + a + 3)}{8b^2 + 7ab + 2a^2 + 12b + 6a}$$

finally, we obtain the coordinates of the point of application of force F:

$$x_F = 4,597 \text{ dm}$$

$$y_F = 1,313 \text{ dm}$$

## Example of calculation

Let us determine the position of the centroid of a given cross-section

$$A_1 = 32 \text{ dm}^2$$

$$A_2 = 6 \text{ dm}^2$$

$$A_3 = 32 \text{ dm}^2$$

$$I_u = 392,705 \text{ dm}^4$$

$$I_v = 873,8 \text{ dm}^4$$

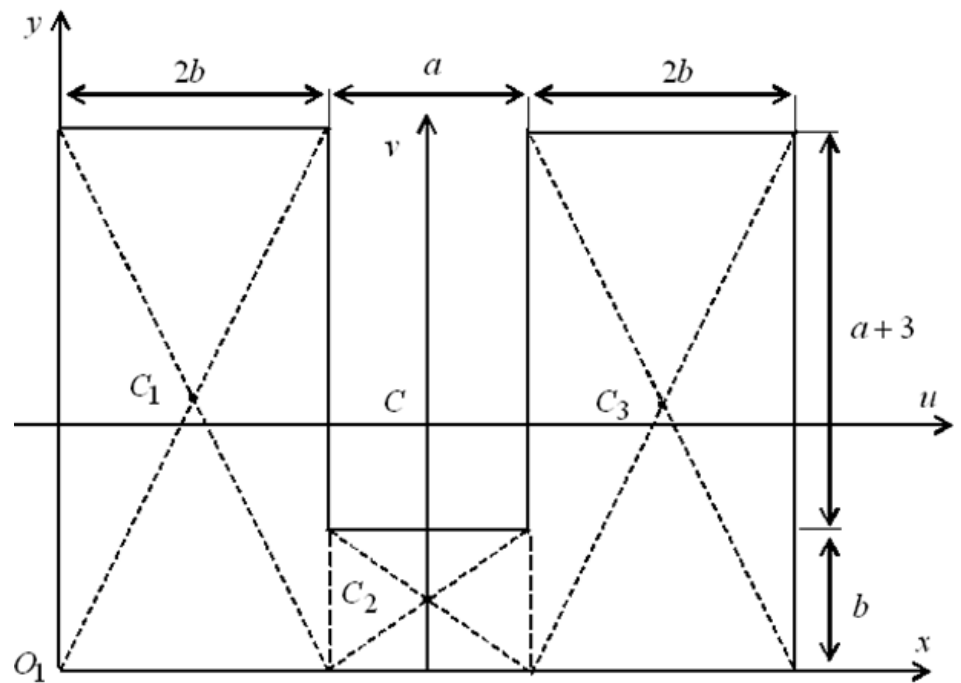


Fig. 9

## Example of calculation

To calculate the squares of the radii of inertia relative to the axes  $u$  and  $v$ :

$$i_u^2 = \frac{I_u}{A} = \frac{392,705}{70} = 5,61 \text{ dm}^2 \quad i_v^2 = \frac{I_v}{A} = \frac{873,8}{70} = 12,48 \text{ dm}^2$$

Then we obtain:

$$u_F = -\frac{i_v^2}{a_u} = -\frac{12,48}{a_u}$$

$$v_F = -\frac{i_u^2}{a_v} = -\frac{5,61}{a_v}$$

## Example of calculation

Let us calculate the coordinates of the core of the cross-section:

$$1. \quad a_u = 5,5 \text{ dm} \quad u_F = -\frac{12,48}{5,5} = -2,27 \text{ dm}$$

$$2. \quad a_v = 4,257 \text{ dm} \quad v_F = -\frac{5,61}{4,257} = -1,32 \text{ dm}$$

$$3. \quad a_u = -5,5 \text{ dm} \quad u_F = -\frac{12,48}{-5,5} = 2,27 \text{ dm}$$

$$4. \quad a_v = -3,74 \text{ dm} \quad v_F = -\frac{5,61}{-3,74} = 1,5 \text{ dm}$$

# Example of calculation

The core of the cross-section

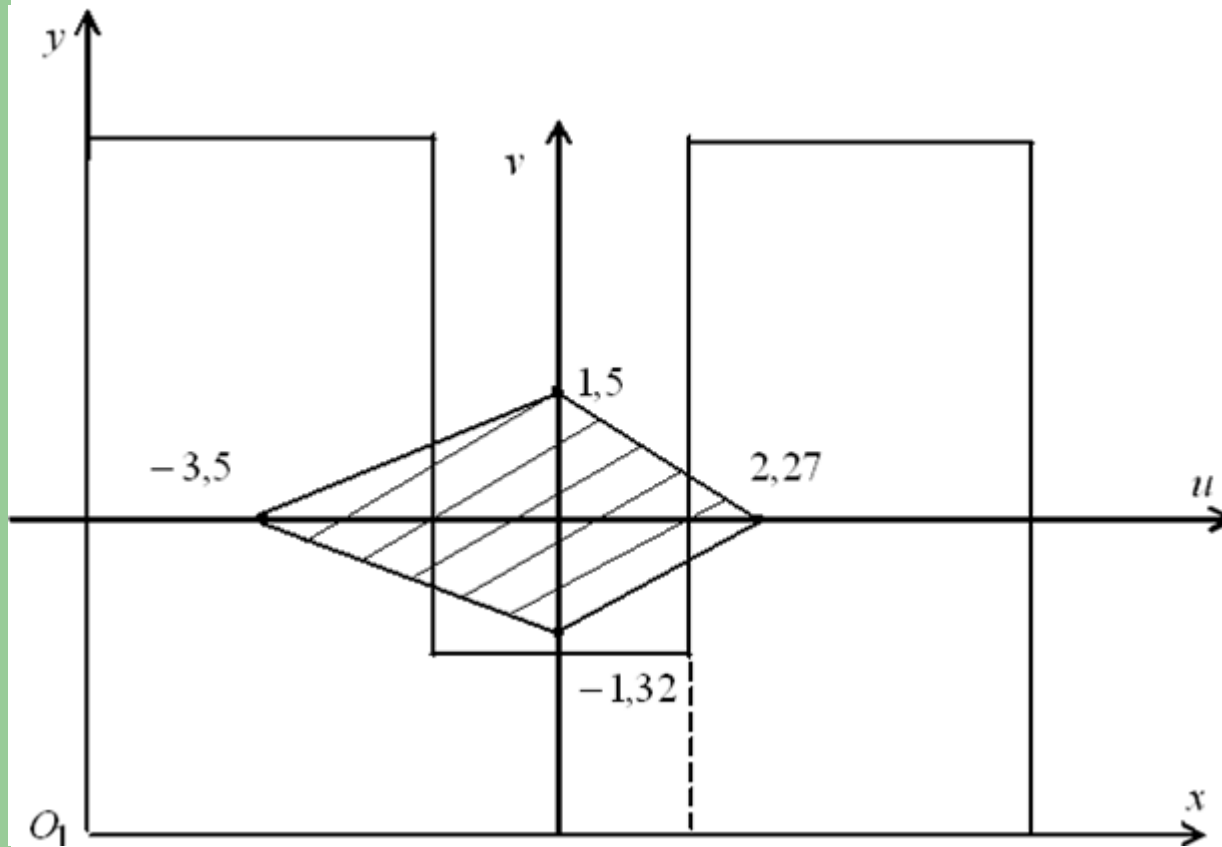


Fig. 10