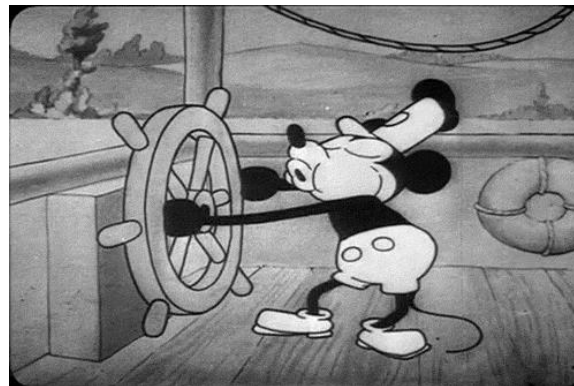


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Lecture 14:  
Unit 6: tension/compression of slender  
longitudinal bars:  
stress concentrations

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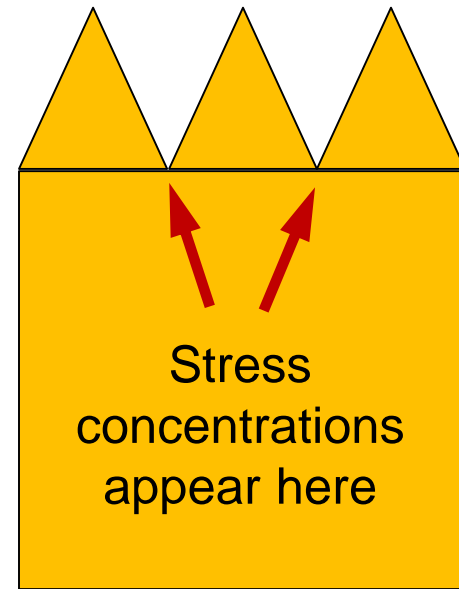


# Stress concentrations

*Ripping open candy wrap with the help of stress concentration*



Zigzag edges added to **amplify applied stresses**

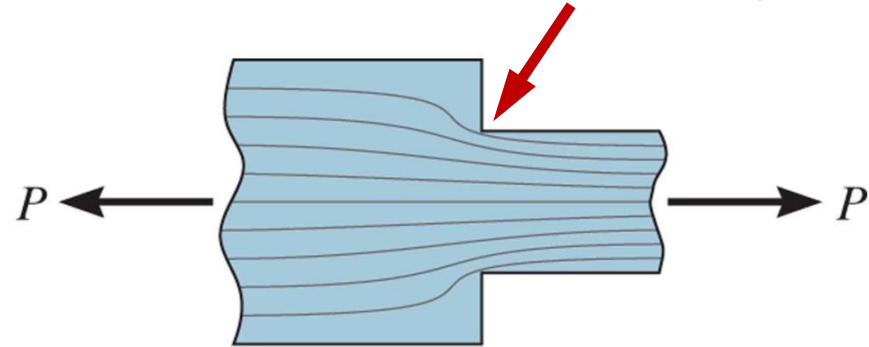


# Stress concentrations: stress “flow”

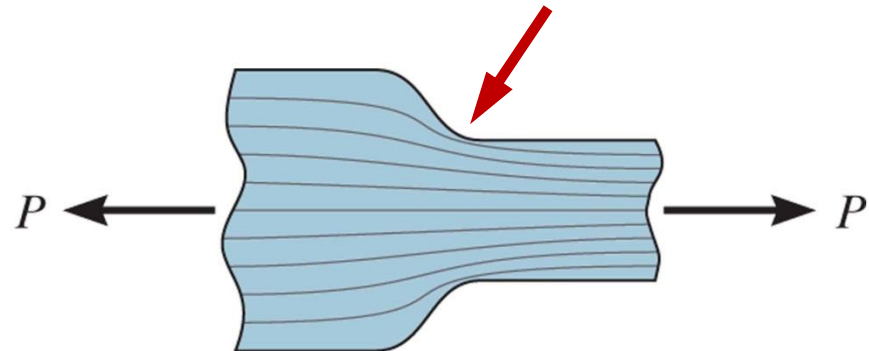
Reducing stress concentrations



Stress concentration on:  
**sharp edges**

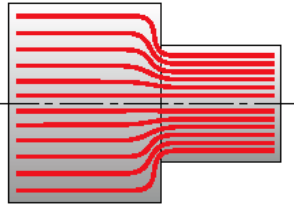
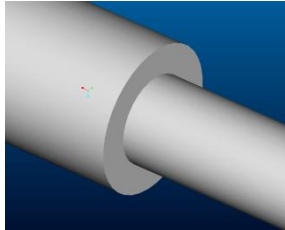


Reducing stress concentration:  
**rounding edges**



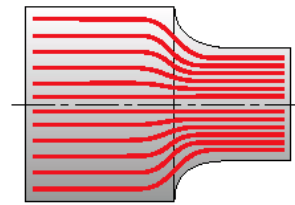
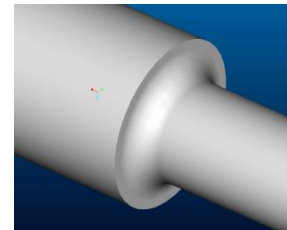
# Designing to minimize stress concentrations

Initial design



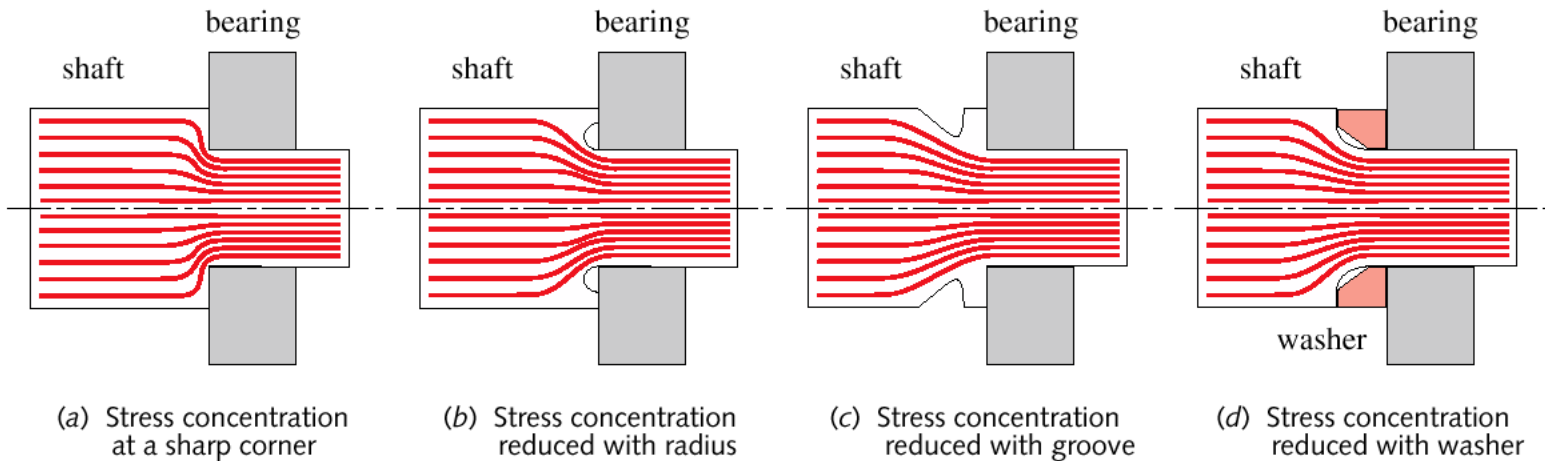
(a) Force flow around a sharp corner

Improved design



(b) Force flow around a radiused corner

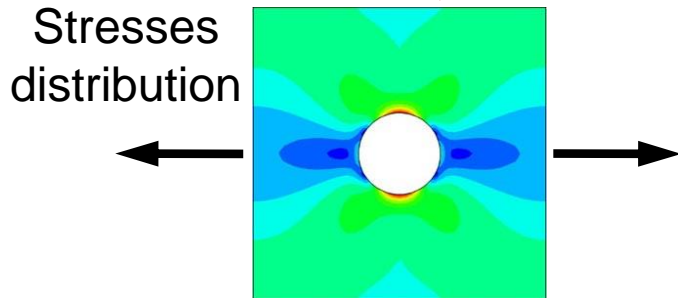
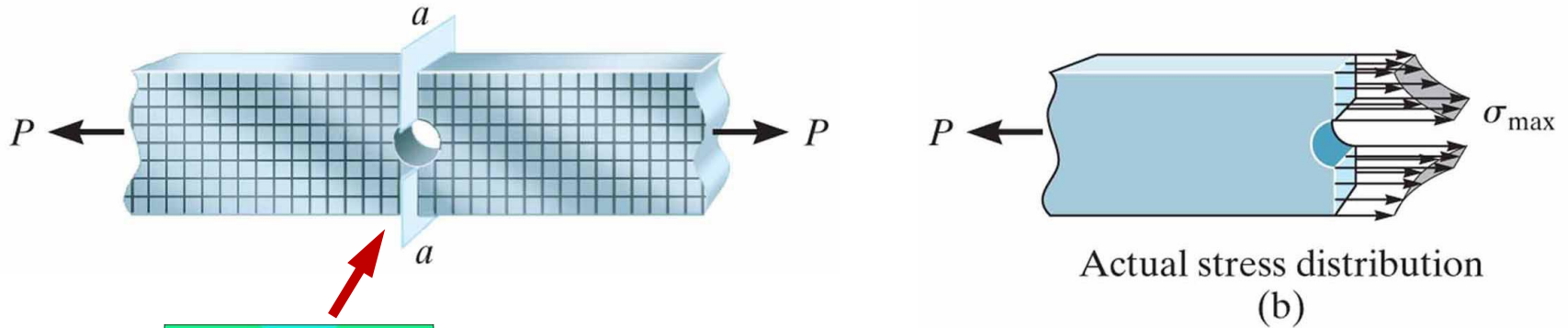
## Modifications to reduce stress concentrations at a sharp corner



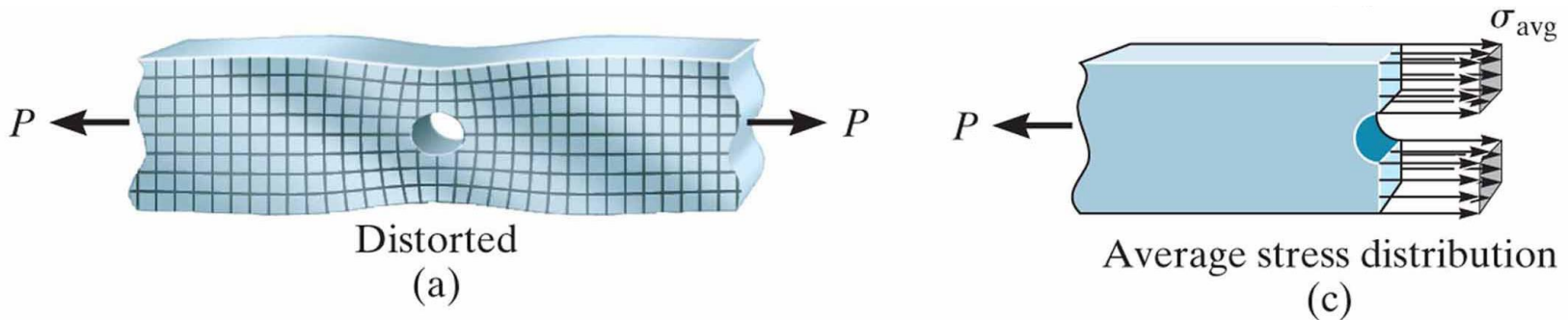


# Stress concentrations

Axially loaded component with a hole: stress concentration factor

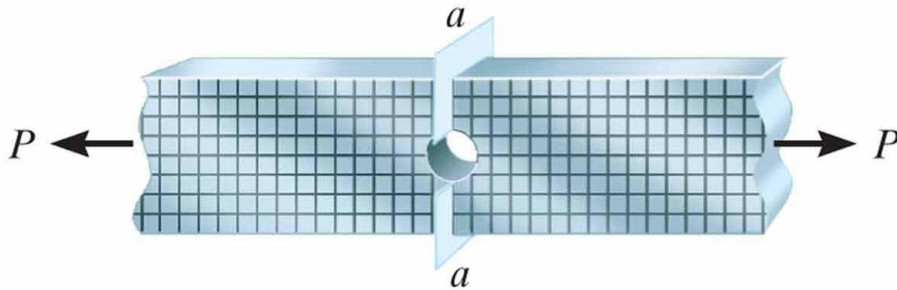


$$\text{Stress concentration factor: } K = \frac{\sigma_{max}}{\sigma_{avg}}$$



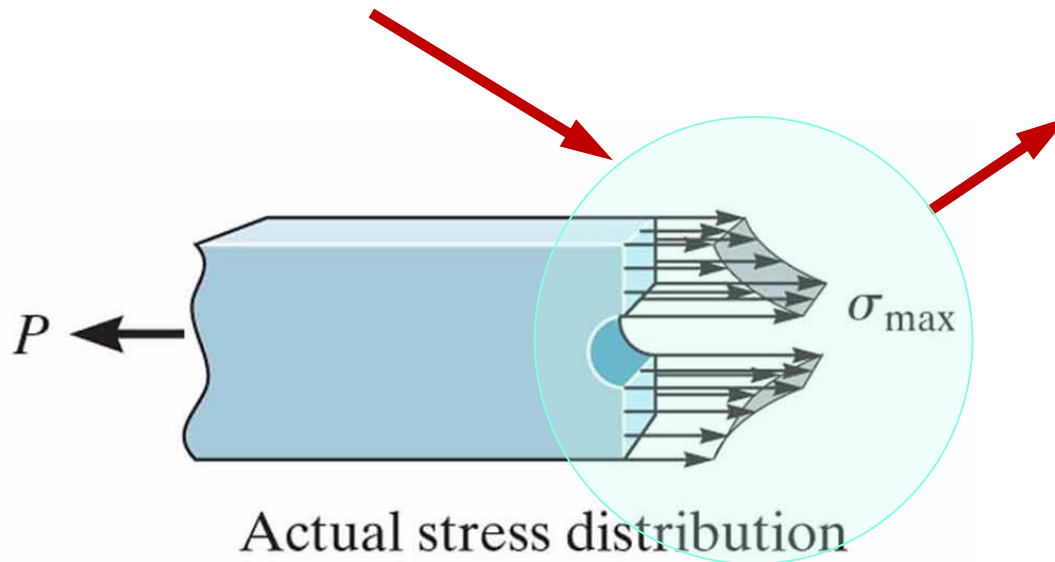
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Axially loaded component with a hole: stress concentration factor



Internal balancing  
force at  $a-a$

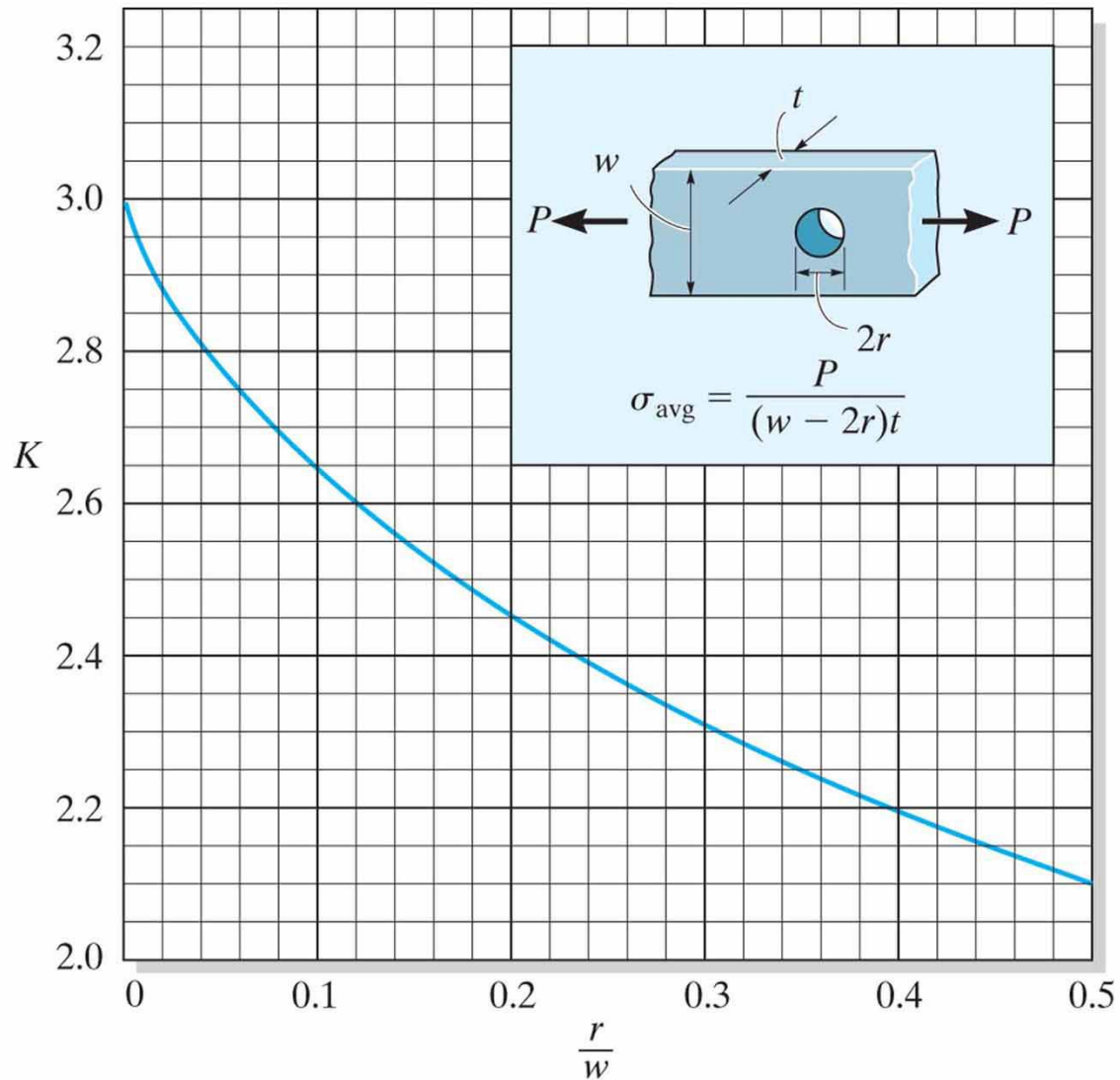
$$P = \int_{A @ a-a} \sigma dA$$





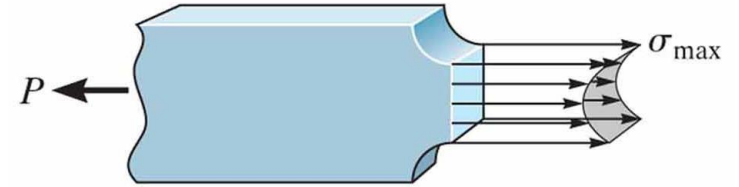
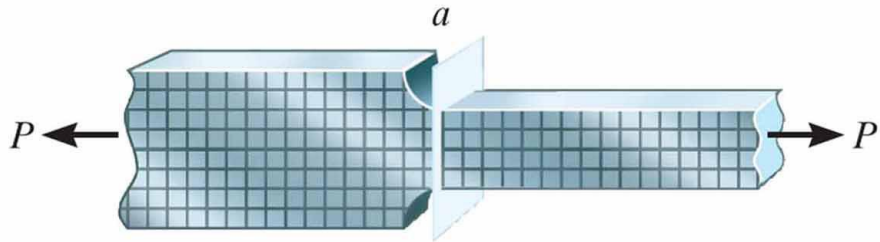
# Stress concentration factor

## Axially loaded component with a hole

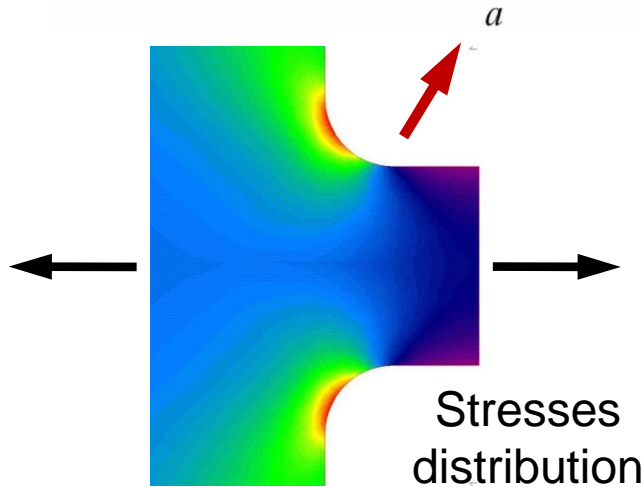


# Stress concentrations

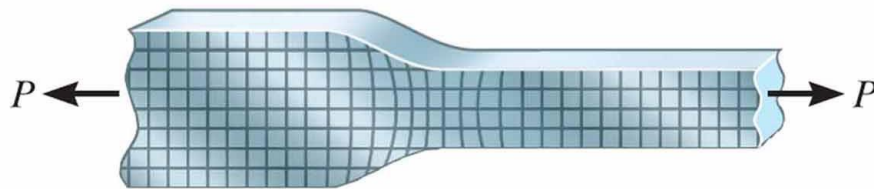
Axially loaded component with edges: stress concentration factor



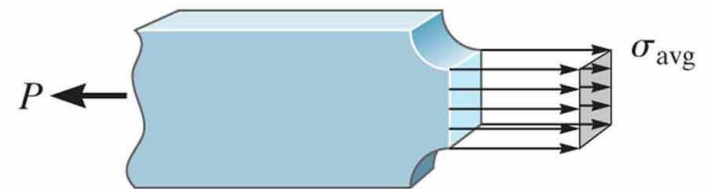
Actual stress distribution  
(b)



$$\text{Stress concentration factor: } K = \frac{\sigma_{\max}}{\sigma_{\text{avg}}}$$



Distorted  
(a)

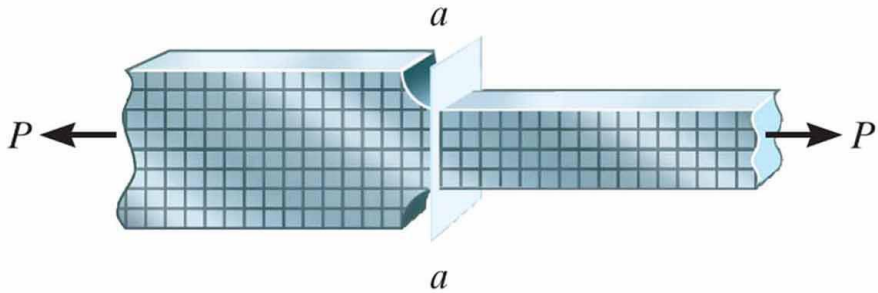


Average stress distribution  
(c)

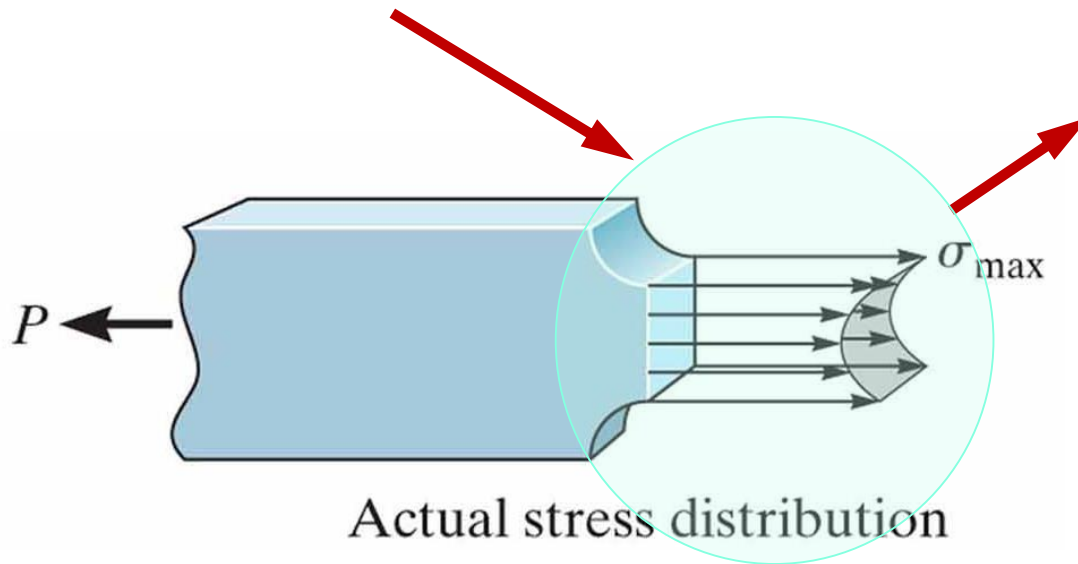


# Stress concentrations

Axially loaded component with edges: stress concentration factor



Internal balancing  
force at *a-a*

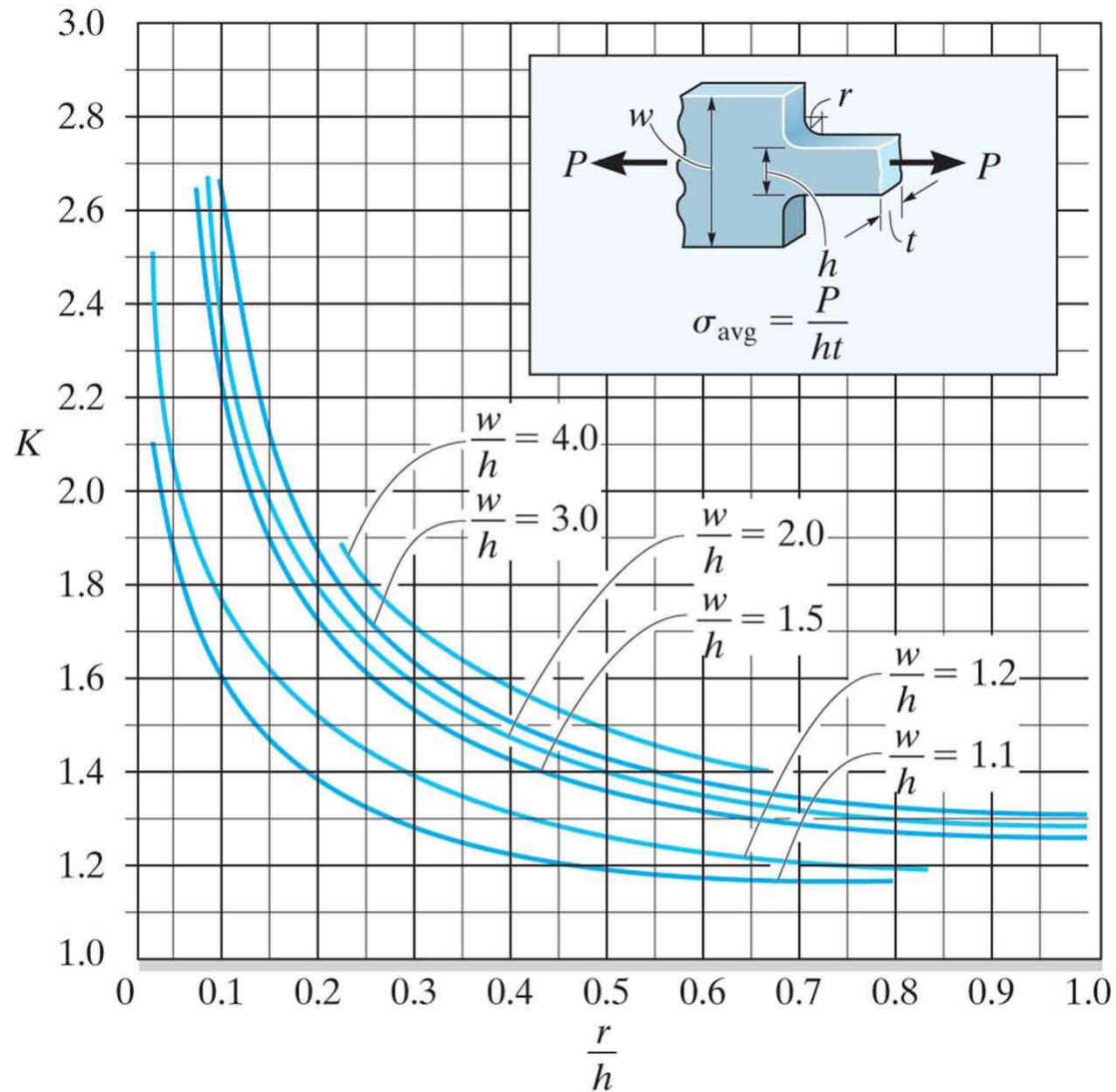


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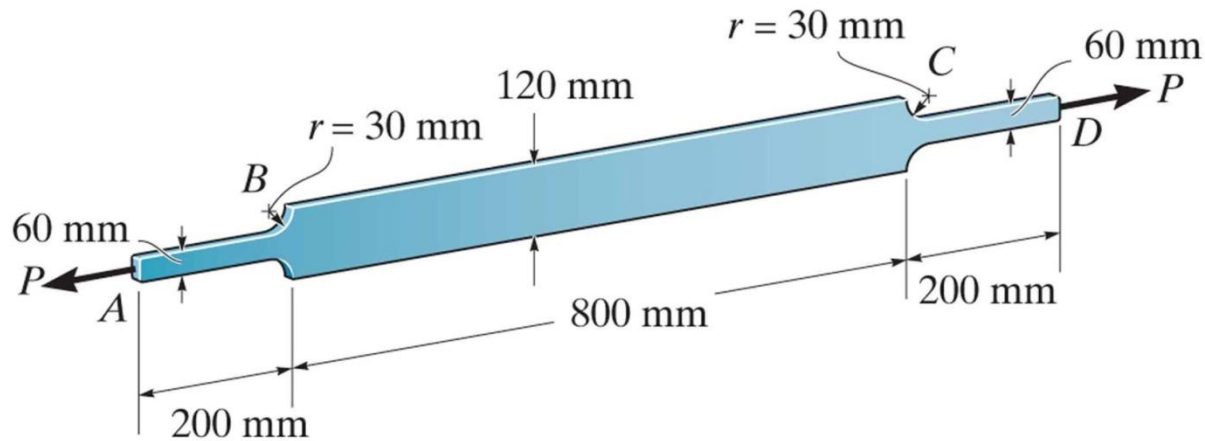
# Stress concentration factor

## Axially loaded component with edges



## Axial load: example O

The A-36 steel plate has a thickness of 12 mm. If there are shoulder fillets at  $B$  and  $C$ , and  $\sigma_{Allow} = 150$  MPa, determine the maximum axial load  $P$  that it can support. Calculate its elongation, neglecting the effect of the fillets.



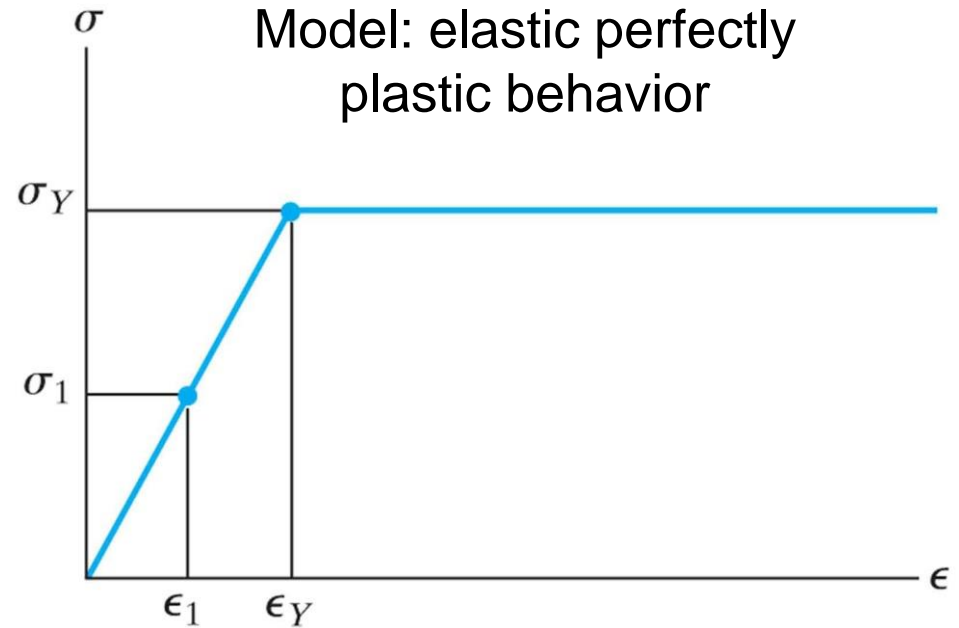
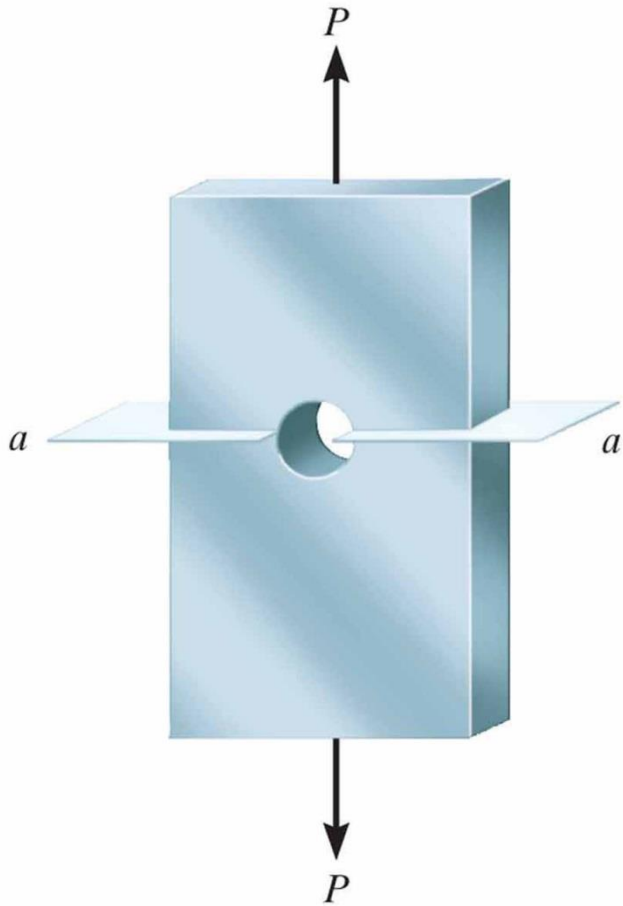
### Approach:

- 1) Determine stress concentration factors
- 2) Compute maximum load
- 3) Compute elongation



# Inelastic axial deformation

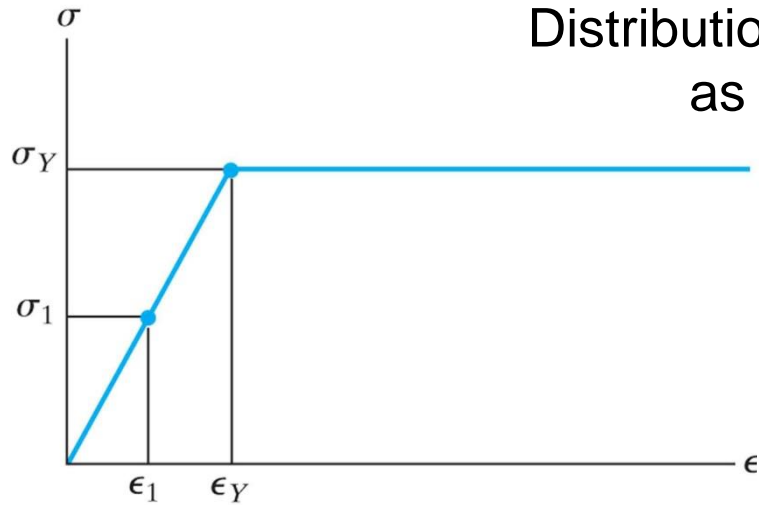
## Plastic deformations



# Inelastic axial deformation

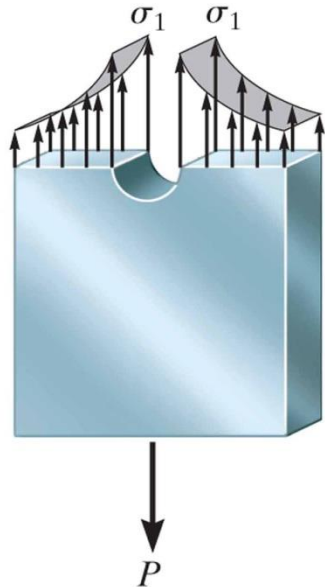
## Plastic deformations

Distribution of **internal stresses**  
as **load increases**

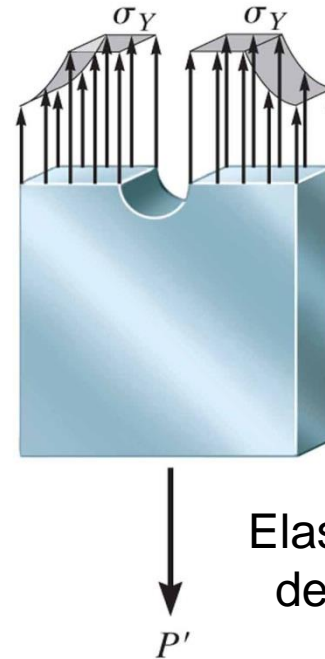


Elastic deformations

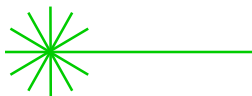
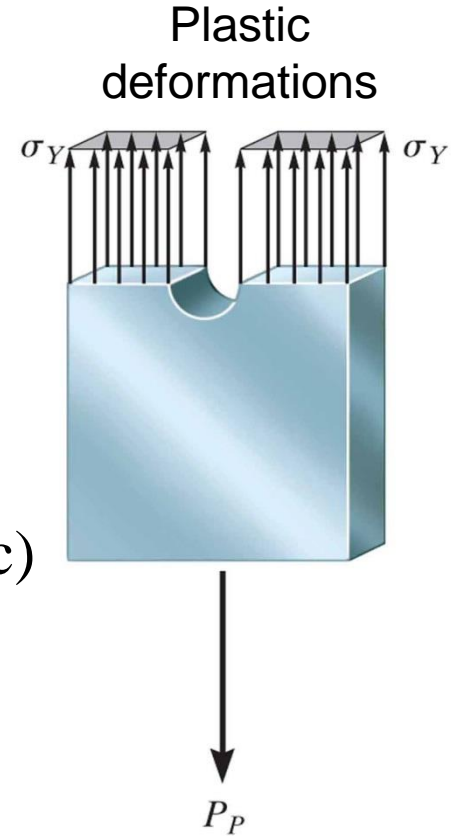
(a)



(b)



(c)





# Reading assignment

- Chapters 3 and 4 of textbook
- Review notes and text: ES2001, ES2501



# Homework assignment

- As indicated on webpage of our course

