

19.28 This problem asks for us to determine the change in diameter of a cylindrical brass rod 150.00 mm long and 10.000 mm in diameter when it is heated from 20°C to 160°C while its ends are maintained rigid. There will be two contributions to the diameter increase of the rod; the first is due to thermal expansion (which will be denoted as Δd_1), while the second is from Poisson's lateral expansion as a result of elastic deformation from stresses that are established from the inability of the rod to elongate as it is heated (denoted as Δd_2). The magnitude of Δd_1 may be computed using a modified form of Equation 19.3 as

$$\Delta d_1 = d_0 \alpha_l (T_f - T_0)$$

From Table 19.1 the value of α_l for brass is $20.0 \times 10^{-6} (\text{°C})^{-1}$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta d_1 &= (10.000 \text{ mm}) \left[20.0 \times 10^{-6} (\text{°C})^{-1} \right] (160\text{°C} - 20\text{°C}) \\ &= 0.0280 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

Now, Δd_2 is related to the transverse strain (ϵ_x) according to a modified form of Equation 6.2 as

$$\frac{\Delta d_2}{d_0} = \epsilon_x$$

Also, transverse strain and longitudinal strain (ϵ_z) are related according to Equation 6.8:

$$\epsilon_x = -v\epsilon_z$$

where v is Poisson's ratio. Substitution of this expression for ϵ_x into the first equation above leads to

$$\frac{\Delta d_2}{d_0} = -v\epsilon_z$$

Furthermore, the longitudinal strain is related to the modulus of elasticity through Equation 6.5—i.e.,

$$\epsilon_z = \frac{\sigma}{E}$$

And, therefore,