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# List of 15 Unsymmetrical Bending and Three Hinged Arches Formulas

## Unsymmetrical Bending and Three Hinged Arches ↗

### Three Hinged Arches ↗

#### 1) Angle between Horizontal and Arch ↗

**fx**  $y' = f \cdot 4 \cdot \frac{1 - (2 \cdot x_{\text{Arch}})}{l^2}$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

**ex**  $0.5625 = 3m \cdot 4 \cdot \frac{16m - (2 \cdot 2m)}{(16m)^2}$

#### 2) Horizontal Distance from Support to Section for Angle between Horizontal and Arch ↗

**fx**  $x_{\text{Arch}} = \left( \frac{l}{2} \right) - \left( \frac{y' \cdot l^2}{8 \cdot f} \right)$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

**ex**  $2.666667m = \left( \frac{16m}{2} \right) - \left( \frac{0.5 \cdot (16m)^2}{8 \cdot 3m} \right)$



**3) Ordinate at any point along Central Line of Three-hinged Parabolic Arch**

**fx**  $y_{\text{Arch}} = \left( 4 \cdot f \cdot \frac{x_{\text{Arch}}}{l^2} \right) \cdot (l - x_{\text{Arch}})$

**Open Calculator**

**ex**  $1.3125m = \left( 4 \cdot 3m \cdot \frac{2m}{(16m)^2} \right) \cdot (16m - 2m)$

**4) Ordinate of any point along Central Line of Three-hinged Circular Arch**

**fx** **Open Calculator**   
 $y_{\text{Arch}} = \left( \left( R^2 \right) - \left( \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) - x_{\text{Arch}} \right)^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot R + f$

**ex**  $3m = \left( \left( (6m)^2 \right) - \left( \left( \frac{16m}{2} \right) - 2m \right)^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 6m + 3m$



## 5) Rise of Arch in Three-hinged Circular Arch

**fx****Open Calculator **

$$f = \left( \left( (R^2) - \left( \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) - x_{\text{Arch}} \right)^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \cdot R + y_{\text{Arch}}$$

**ex**  $1.4m = \left( \left( (6m)^2 \right) - \left( \left( \frac{16m}{2} \right) - 2m \right)^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 6m + 1.4m$

## 6) Rise of Three-Hinged Arch for Angle between Horizontal and Arch

**fx****Open Calculator **

$$f = \frac{y' \cdot (l^2)}{4 \cdot (1 - (2 \cdot x_{\text{Arch}}))}$$

**ex**  $2.666667m = \frac{0.5 \cdot ((16m)^2)}{4 \cdot (16m - (2 \cdot 2m))}$

## 7) Rise of three-hinged Parabolic Arch

**fx****Open Calculator **

$$f = \frac{y_{\text{Arch}} \cdot (l^2)}{4 \cdot x_{\text{Arch}} \cdot (1 - x_{\text{Arch}})}$$

**ex**  $3.2m = \frac{1.4m \cdot ((16m)^2)}{4 \cdot 2m \cdot (16m - 2m)}$



## 8) Span of Arch in Three-hinged Circular Arch

**fx****Open Calculator **

$$l = 2 \cdot \left( \left( \sqrt{(R^2) - \left( \frac{y_{\text{Arch}} - f}{R} \right)^2} \right) + x_{\text{Arch}} \right)$$

**ex**

$$15.98814m = 2 \cdot \left( \left( \sqrt{(6m)^2} - \left( \frac{1.4m - 3m}{6m} \right)^2 \right) + 2m \right)$$

## Unsymmetrical Bending

### 9) Bending Moment about Axis XX given Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx****Open Calculator **

$$M_x = \left( f_{\text{Max}} - \left( \frac{M_y \cdot x}{I_y} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{I_x}{y}$$

**ex**

$$238.8369N*m = \left( 1430N/m^2 - \left( \frac{307N*m \cdot 104mm}{50kg \cdot m^2} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{51kg \cdot m^2}{169mm}$$

### 10) Bending Moment about Axis YY given Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx****Open Calculator **

$$M_y = \left( f_{\text{Max}} - \left( \frac{M_x \cdot y}{I_x} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{I_y}{x}$$

**ex**

$$306.7402N*m = \left( 1430N/m^2 - \left( \frac{239N*m \cdot 169mm}{50kg \cdot m^2} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{50kg \cdot m^2}{104mm}$$



## 11) Distance from Point to XX Axis given Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx**  $y = \left( f_{\text{Max}} - \left( \frac{M_y \cdot x}{I_y} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{I_x}{M_x}$

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**ex**  $168.8847\text{mm} = \left( 1430\text{N/m}^2 - \left( \frac{307\text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 104\text{mm}}{50\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{51\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2}{239\text{N}\cdot\text{m}}$

## 12) Distance from YY axis to stress point given Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx**  $x = \left( f_{\text{Max}} - \left( \frac{M_x \cdot y}{I_x} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{I_y}{M_y}$

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**ex**  $103.912\text{mm} = \left( 1430\text{N/m}^2 - \left( \frac{239\text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 169\text{mm}}{51\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{50\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2}{307\text{N}\cdot\text{m}}$

## 13) Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx**  $f_{\text{Max}} = \left( \frac{M_x \cdot y}{I_x} \right) + \left( \frac{M_y \cdot x}{I_y} \right)$

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**ex**  $1430.54\text{N/m}^2 = \left( \frac{239\text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 169\text{mm}}{51\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2} \right) + \left( \frac{307\text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 104\text{mm}}{50\text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2} \right)$



## 14) Moment of Inertia about XX given Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx**

$$I_x = \frac{M_x \cdot y}{f_{Max} - \left( \frac{M_y \cdot x}{I_y} \right)}$$

**Open Calculator **

**ex**

$$51.03482 \text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2 = \frac{239 \text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 169 \text{mm}}{1430 \text{N}/\text{m}^2 - \left( \frac{307 \text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 104 \text{mm}}{50 \text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2} \right)}$$

## 15) Moment of Inertia about YY given Maximum Stress in Unsymmetrical Bending

**fx**

$$I_y = \frac{M_y \cdot x}{f_{Max} - \left( \frac{M_x \cdot y}{I_x} \right)}$$

**Open Calculator **

**ex**

$$50.04235 \text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2 = \frac{307 \text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 104 \text{mm}}{1430 \text{N}/\text{m}^2 - \left( \frac{239 \text{N}\cdot\text{m} \cdot 169 \text{mm}}{51 \text{kg}\cdot\text{m}^2} \right)}$$



## Variables Used

- **f** Rise of arch (*Meter*)
- **f<sub>Max</sub>** Maximum Stress (*Newton per Square Meter*)
- **I<sub>x</sub>** Moment of Inertia about X-Axis (*Kilogram Square Meter*)
- **I<sub>y</sub>** Moment of Inertia about Y-Axis (*Kilogram Square Meter*)
- **l** Span of Arch (*Meter*)
- **M<sub>x</sub>** Bending Moment about X-Axis (*Newton Meter*)
- **M<sub>y</sub>** Bending Moment about Y-Axis (*Newton Meter*)
- **R** Radius of Arch (*Meter*)
- **x** Distance from Point to YY Axis (*Millimeter*)
- **x<sub>Arch</sub>** Horizontal Distance from Support (*Meter*)
- **y** Distance from Point to XX Axis (*Millimeter*)
- **y'** Angle between Horizontal and Arch
- **y<sub>Arch</sub>** Ordinate of Point on Arch (*Meter*)



# Constants, Functions, Measurements used

- **Function:** **sqrt**, sqrt(Number)  
*Square root function*
- **Measurement:** **Length** in Meter (m), Millimeter (mm)  
*Length Unit Conversion* ↗
- **Measurement:** **Pressure** in Newton per Square Meter (N/m<sup>2</sup>)  
*Pressure Unit Conversion* ↗
- **Measurement:** **Moment of Inertia** in Kilogram Square Meter (kg·m<sup>2</sup>)  
*Moment of Inertia Unit Conversion* ↗
- **Measurement:** **Moment of Force** in Newton Meter (N\*m)  
*Moment of Force Unit Conversion* ↗



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