

Multiple Choice Quiz: Section 4.5: Hygrothermal Effects in a Laminate

_____ 1. Which of the following will expand the most with temperature?

- A Aluminum.
- B Graphite/epoxy unidirectional laminate in the direction along the fibers.
- C Glass/epoxy unidirectional laminate in the direction along the fibers.
- D Steel.

_____ 2. Which of the following will expand the most with temperature?

- A Steel.
- B Aluminum.
- C Boron/Epoxy unidirectional lamina with 50% FVF in the direction perpendicular the fibers.

_____ 3. All of the following laminates will undergo bending from thermal loads EXCEPT

- A [0/45/90/45/-45].
- B [0/45/-45].
- C [0/45/90/90/45/0].
- D [0/30/-45].

_____ 4. Hygrothermal stresses and strains are caused by

- A Changes in humidity and temperature.
- B Mechanical loads.
- C Water pressure.
- D Air pressure.

_____ 5. If a hygrothermal load is the only load applied to a lamina, the overall mechanical load is equal to

- A the same magnitude as the hygrothermal load.
- B zero.
- C slightly less than the hygrothermal load.
- D the inverse of the hygrothermal load.

_____ 6. Hygrothermal forces are considered fictitious thermal forces because

- A they act like mechanical forces, but no mechanical force is present.
- B they are uncommon.
- C they don't exist.
- D they can only be produced in a laboratory.

_____ 7. Non-symmetric laminates undergo this when hygrothermal loads are applied

- A Only in-plane extensional strains
- B Warpage
- C No warpage

_____ 8. To find the longitudinal linear coefficient of thermal expansion of a symmetric laminate using theoretical methods, one can apply a change in temperature of $\Delta T = 1$. What then is the measure of the longitudinal linear coefficient of thermal expansion of the laminate?

- A The mid-plane curvature, κ_x
- B The mid-plane strain, ϵ_x^0
- C The mid-plane curvature, κ_y
- D The mid-plane strain, ϵ_y^0