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## EXPERIMENTAL INVESTIGATION AND VIBRATION ANALYSIS OF LAMINATED COMPOSITE BEAMS WITH MULTIPLE EDGE CRACKS

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**Abstract:** *Generally, in vibrating component sudden generated crack can initiate catastrophic failures. The occurrence of cracks changes the physical characteristics and appears of a structure which in turn alter its dynamic response characteristics. Therefore, there is need to understand what is effect of cracked structures. Number of crack, Crack depth and location are the main parameters for the vibration analysis. So it becomes necessary to monitor the changes in the response parameters of the structure to access structural integrity, performance and safety. vibration analysis of laminated composite beams including open transverse cracks is presented by using finite element model. The 3 D model of cracked beam was drawn with the help of CATIA V5 software. The experimental testing was carried on FFT analyzer. The analysis was carried out with the help of ANSYS 19 software. The comparative analysis was carried out for new results. After making the comparative analysis result and conclusion was drawn.*

**Keyword** –Cutting tool. Modal analysis, FFT.

### I INTRODUCTION

It is necessitated that constructions should securely work during its administration life. Be that as it may, harms start a breakdown period on the constructions. Breaks are among the most experienced harm types in the designs. Breaks in a design might be dangerous because of static or dynamic loading, so that break location assumes a significant part for primary well being observing applications. Pillar type structures are by and large regularly utilized in steel development and apparatus enterprises. In the writing, a few investigations manage the primary security of pillars, particularly, break location by underlying well being observing. Studies dependent on primary well being checking for break recognition manage change in common frequencies and mode states of the shaft. The most widely recognized primary deformity is the presence of a break. Breaks are available in structures because of different reasons. The presence of a break couldn't just aim a neighborhood variety in the solidness yet it could influence the mechanical conduct of the whole design to an impressive degree. Breaks might be brought about by exhaustion under assistance conditions because of the restricted weakness strength. They may likewise happen because of mechanical deformities. Another gathering of breaks are started during the assembling measures. By and large they are little in sizes. Such little breaks are known to spread because of fluctuating

pressure conditions. Assuming these engendering breaks stay undetected and arrive at their basic size, an abrupt primary disappointment may happen. Henceforth it is feasible to utilize normal recurrence estimations to distinguish breaks.

In the current examination various written works distributed so far have been over viewed, investigated and dissected. A large portion of scientists contemplated the impact of single break on the elements of designs. Anyway in genuine practice underlying individuals, for example, radiates are exceptionally powerless to cross over cross-sectional breaks because of weariness. Subsequently to endeavor has been made to explore the unique conduct of essential constructions with break deliberately. The goal is to do vibration examination on a cantilever pillar with and without break. The outcomes got systematically are approved with the reenactment results. In first period of the work two cross over surface breaks are remembered for building up the insightful articulations in powerful qualities of constructions. These breaks present new limit conditions for the designs at the break areas. These limit conditions are gotten from strain energy condition utilizing castigation's hypothesis. Presence of break likewise decreases solidness of the designs which has been gotten from firmness framework. The point by point investigations of break displaying and solidness networks are introduced in resulting segments.

Euler-Bernoulli pillar hypothesis is utilized for dynamic qualities of shafts with cross over breaks. Changed limit

conditions because of quality of break have been utilized to discover the hypothetical articulations for common frequencies and mode shape for the shafts. The utilization of neural organizations in distinguishing the harm has been created for quite a while, as a result of their capacity to adapt to the investigation of the underlying harm without the need for serious calculation. As of late, neural organizations are relied upon to be a need for concentrated calculation. As of late, neural organizations are required to be a possible way to deal with distinguish the harm of the construction. In this investigation feed-forward multi-facet neural organizations prepared by back-engendering are utilized to get familiar with the info (the area and profundity of a break)- yield (the primary eigen frequencies) connection of the underlying framework. A neural organization for the broke design is prepared to rough the reaction of the construction by the informational index arranged for different break sizes and areas.

Pillars are broadly utilized as underlying component in common, mechanical, maritime, and aeronautical designing. Harm is one of the significant angles in underlying investigation and designing. Harm examination is done to guarantee the well being just as monetary development of the ventures. During activity, all constructions are exposed to degenerative impacts that may cause inception of underlying imperfections, for example, breaks which, as time advances, lead to the cataclysmic disappointment or breakdown of the design. To stay away from the surprising or unexpected disappointment, prior break discovery is fundamental. Mulling over this philosophy break recognition is perhaps the main areas for some analysts. Numerous specialists to create different procedures for early discovery of break area, profundity, size and example of harm in a design. Numerous nondestructive philosophies for break location have been being used around the world. Anyway the vibration based technique is quick and modest for break/harm recognizable proof.

## II. LITERATURE REVIEW

MarjanDjidrov etal. [1]Mechanical structure during their useful tasks might be powerless against harms and thusly can't to be ensured clear issue free operational mode and effective abuse. In this paper, vibration investigation and recurrence reaction examination of cantilever aluminum shaft with reinforced piezoelectric transducer are introduced by utilizing limited component technique in limited component investigation programming ANSYS. Cantilever shaft vibration reaction are dissected and mathematical consequences of unharmed bar model are contrasted with various situations of harm presence in structure, by area and profundity of single cross-over break. Method depends on the thought, if a break shows up in mechanical construction, this can be perceived as changes in the actual properties, which prompts cause changes in the modular properties of the design.

Harm recognition procedures in mechanical designs and their application are getting more significant as of late in practically all enterprises of mechanical, aviation and structural designing fields. Mechanical frameworks with capacity for recognition of decipher unfavorable changes in a construction can improve their future unwavering quality and

lessen life-cycle costs. The principle objective for underlying wellbeing observing is the location and portrayal of harms that may influence the honesty and the practical operability of the mechanical design. Traditional review procedures and techniques can be costly and tedious. These issues can be significant overwhelmed by advancement and execution of strategies and procedures dependent on gear that can successfully distinguish the presence of harm and can give data in regards to the area and the seriousness of harm in the design. Thusly, piezoelectric transducers, as the two sensors and actuators, are normally utilized for harm location in frameworks for underlying wellbeing checking.

Prathamesh M. Jagdaleetal. [2]The presence of breaks causes changes in the actual properties of a design which presents adaptability, and in this way decreasing the solidness of the construction with an inborn decrease in modular normal frequencies. Thusly it prompts the adjustment of the powerful reaction of the pillar. In this paper, A model with the expectation of complimentary vibration investigation of a shaft with an open edge break has been introduced. Varieties of normal frequencies because of break at different areas and with fluctuating break profundities have been considered. A parametric report has been completed. The broke pillars with various limit conditions have been examined. The outcomes acquired by tests performed by past investigations are contrasted and those got by limited component examination. The investigation was performed utilizing ABAQUS programming. The greater part of the individuals from designing constructions work under stacking conditions, which may cause harms or breaks in overemphasized zones. The presence of breaks in a primary part, like a pillar, causes neighborhood varieties in solidness, the size of which primarily relies upon the area and profundity of the breaks. The presence of breaks causes changes in the actual properties of a design which thusly adjust its dynamic reaction qualities. The observing of the progressions in the reaction boundaries of a design has been broadly utilized for the appraisal of primary trustworthiness, execution and wellbeing. Unpredictable varieties in the deliberate vibration reaction attributes have been noticed relying on whether the break is shut, open or breathing during vibration. The vibration conduct of broke constructions has been examined by numerous specialists. Most of distributed investigations accept that the break in a primary part consistently stays open during vibration. Be that as it may, this presumption may not be substantial when dynamic loadings are prevailing. In such case, the break inhales (opens and closes) consistently during vibration, inciting varieties in the underlying solidness. These varieties cause the design to display non-direct powerful conduct. A bar with a breathing break shows normal frequencies between those of a non-broke shaft and those of a defective bar with an open break.

Abhijit Naik etal. [3]The objective of this paper is to refresh its perusers the different vibration-based Crack/harm finding procedures introduced by different analysts for a broke design. These strategies use "limited component investigation methods, along with trial results, to recognize harm in a fiber built up composites, covered composites and non composite constructions for its vibration examination. Harm in structure changes its dynamic attributes. It brings

about decrease of normal frequencies and changes in mode shapes, solidness of the pillar. An examination of these progressions makes it conceivable to decide the position and profundity of breaks.

In this paper endeavors have been made to introduce different practical solid scientific mathematical and test procedures created by different specialists for vibration examination of broke shafts. In this paper the impact of different boundaries like break size, break area, of bar on modular boundaries exposed to vibration of a harmed pillar additionally have been inspected.

Geethu Lal et al. [4] Cracks frequently create in underlying individuals and breaking can cause genuine sturdiness issues just as primary harm. Breaks impact dynamic attributes of the underlying individuals and have been the subject of numerous examinations. In the current work, a mathematical report utilizing limited component technique is performed to explore the cross over free vibration reaction of a broke isotropic cantilever shaft utilizing ANSYS. A parametric report is likewise done to survey the impact of break profundity proportion, area of breaks and number of breaks on the initial three normal frequencies of the pillars. Vibration control considers are additionally completed. The outcomes can be used to find breaks and breaking force inside a distant or gigantic construction by continuous checking of encompassing vibration information.

Breaking is inescapable in structural designing constructions, and whenever surpassed the cutoff points, can cause underlying harm just as unfavorably influence the usefulness and solidness. The presence of breaks in the underlying parts can impact the unique properties of a design. Early distinguishing proof of breaking in underlying individuals is fundamental in designing practice, and is feasible by recognizing the adjustment of dynamic properties of the individuals. Vibration control is characterized as a strategy in which the vibration of a construction is decreased or constrained by applying counter power to the design that is suitably out of stage yet equivalent in adequacy to the first vibration.

Dr. K. B. Waghuldeet al. [5] Beams are broadly utilized as underlying component in common, mechanical, maritime, and aeronautical designing. Harm is one of the significant perspectives in underlying examination and designing. Harm examination is done to guarantee the wellbeing just as financial development of the enterprises. During activity, all constructions are exposed to degenerative impacts that may cause inception of primary imperfections, for example, breaks which, as time advances, lead to the cataclysmic disappointment or breakdown of the design. To stay away from the unforeseen or abrupt disappointment, prior break location is fundamental. Mulling over this philosophy break recognition is quite possibly the main areas for some analysts. Numerous analysts to create different strategies for early identification of break area, profundity, size and example of harm in a design. Numerous nondestructive strategies for break location have been being used around the world. Anyway the vibration based strategy is quick and modest for break/harm recognizable proof. In this paper endeavors have been made to introduce different financially

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Ashish S. Apate et al [6] It is required design should securely work during its administration life. Break in a construction risky because of static and dynamic stacking, so the break recognition assumes a significant part in primary wellbeing observing application. A considerable lot of analysts create different nondestructive methods for early recognition of break area, break profundity and break size. There are numerous strategies to assess the issue of a broke shaft like mathematical, logical, and trial. FEM (Finite Element Method) is a typical procedure to acquire the solidness network of the broke bar component. During most recent couple of many years, serious examination on the recognition of break utilizing the vibration-based strategies has been finished. In this current paper number of literary works distributed so far have been overviewed, audited and examined. This paper center around different savvy dependable, mathematical and test methods created by different specialists for vibration investigation of broke bars.

F. Bakhtiari-Nejad et al [7] In this paper, a scientific assessment dependent on the Rayleigh's technique is stretched out for a shaft having a couple of breaks to find regular frequencies and mode shapes to defeat shortcoming of taking care of eigenvalue issue. Shortcoming of tackling eigenvalue issue to get precise common frequencies and mode shapes is that, an arithmetical condition should be addressed mathematically and afterward coefficients of geometrical and exaggerated terms in mode shapes will be discovered utilizing frameworks acquired from similarity conditions at each mark of breaks and limit conditions. So this strategy doesn't show impacts of break size and area in the unequivocal structure.

Kaushar H. et al [8] During the most recent couple of many years, exceptional examination on the location of break utilizing the vibration-based methods has been done and different methodologies have been created by scientists. In the current paper, discovery of the break presence on the outside of pillar type primary component utilizing common recurrence is introduced. Initial two common frequencies of the broke pillar have been gotten tentatively and utilized for identification of break area and size. Identified break areas and size are contrasted and the genuine outcomes and discovered to be in acceptable understanding. Additionally, the impact of the break area and the break profundity on the common recurrence is introduced.

#### **PROBLEM STATEMENT**

Due to importance of the problem, a large number of researches addressing various issues associated with elastic beams including single or multiple cracks are available in the literature. Study on damaged beams can be classified under two sub-categories. One group is on investigating dynamic behavior of the structure in the existence of damages, while another aims at finding damages within the structure which is vital for structural health monitoring.

## OBJECTIVES

- Vibration Analysis of Cracked cantilever laminated composite beam.
- Natural Frequency of cantilever laminated composite beam according to various parameters.
- Experimental determination of the natural frequency of Cracked cantilever laminated composite beam with and without crack.
- Determination of the natural frequency of Cracked beam with and without crack by using FEA.
- Determination of effect cracks on natural frequency of Cracked beam .

## III METHODOLOGY

Step 1: - Started the work of this project with literature survey. I gathered many research papers which are relevant to this topic.

Step2: - After that the components which are required for our project are decided.

Step 3: - After deciding the components, the 3D Model and drafting will be done with the help of CATIA software.

Step 4: - The Analysis of the components will be done with the help of ANSYS using FEA.

Step 5: - The Experimental Testing will be carried out.

Step 6: - Comparative analysis between the experimental & analysis result & then the result & conclusion will be drawn.

## ACP PREPROCESSING

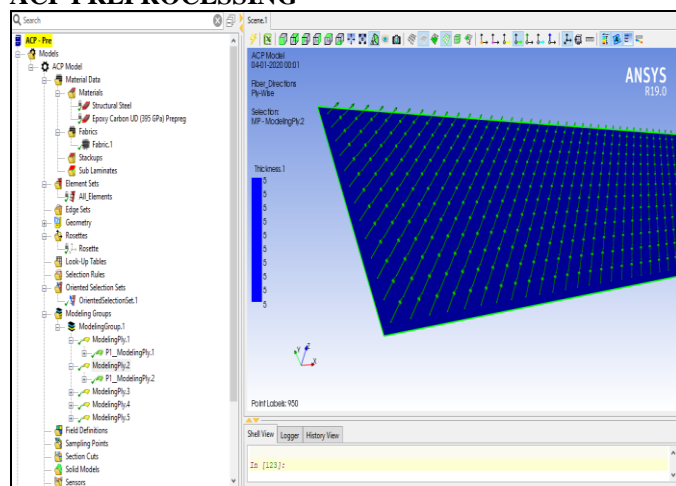
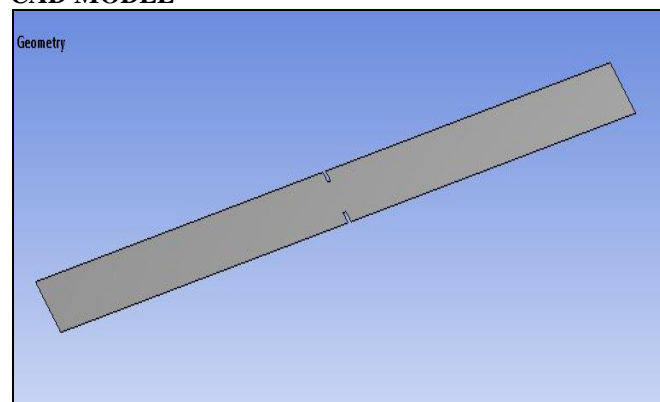


Fig. 4.1 ACP environment

## CAD MODEL



CAD Model of laminated composite beams with multiple edge cracks

## FEA ANALYSIS OF UNCRACKED BEAM

### Material Selection – EPOXY CARBON

Table 1 Material properties

Properties of Outline Row 3: Epoxy Carbon UD (395 GPa) Prepreg			
	A	B	C
1	Property	Value	Unit
2	Density	1.54E-09	mm <sup>3</sup> -t
3	Orthotropic Secant Coefficient of Thermal Expansion		
8	Orthotropic Elasticity		
9	Young's Modulus X direction	2.09E+05	MPa
10	Young's Modulus Y direction	9450	MPa
11	Young's Modulus Z direction	9450	MPa
12	Poisson's Ratio XY	0.27	
13	Poisson's Ratio YZ	0.4	
14	Poisson's Ratio XZ	0.27	
15	Shear Modulus XY	5500	MPa
16	Shear Modulus YZ	3900	MPa
17	Shear Modulus XZ	5500	MPa

## MESH

ANSYS Meshing may be a general-purpose, intelligent, automated high-performance product. It produces the foremost appropriate mesh for accurate, efficient Multiphysics solutions. A mesh compatible for a selected analysis are often generated with one click for all parts during a model. Full controls over the choices want to generate the mesh are available for the expert user who wants to fine-tune it. the facility of multiprocessing is automatically wont to reduce thetime you've got to attend for mesh generation.

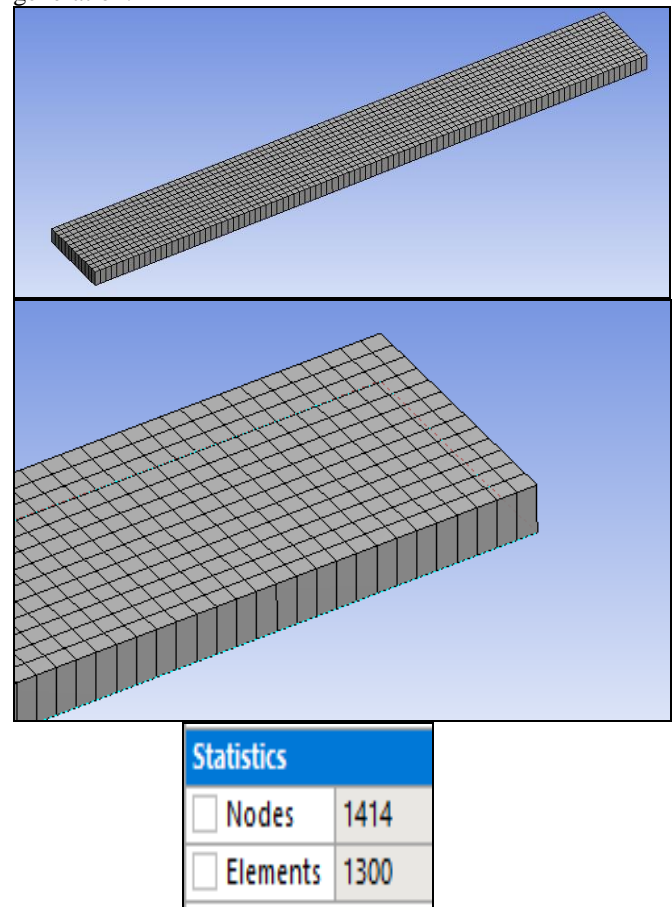


Fig.6 Meshing of Uncracked Beam



After meshing of cutting tool nodes are 1414 and elements 1300.

### Boundary Condition

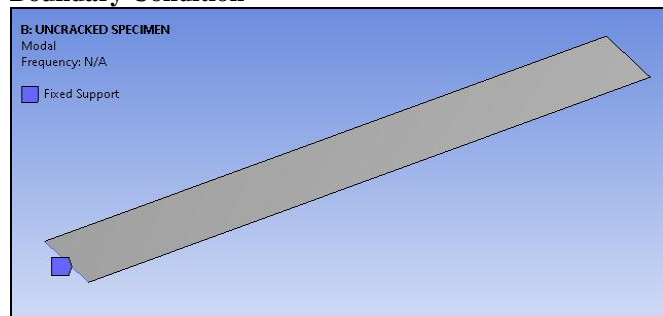


Fig. 7: Details of boundary conditions for Uncracked Beam

### MODE SHAPES RESULTS

#### MODE SHAPE 1

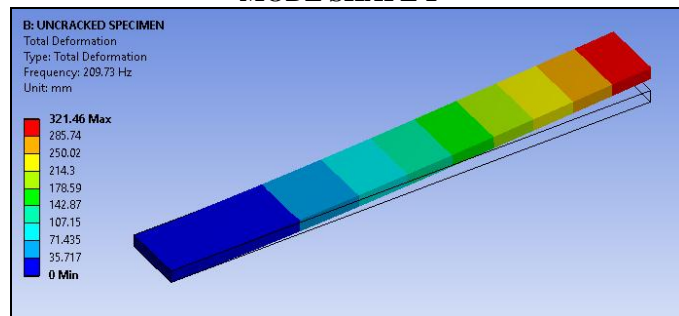


Fig. Natural frequency of lathe cutting tool at mode shape 209.73Hz

#### MODE SHAPE 2

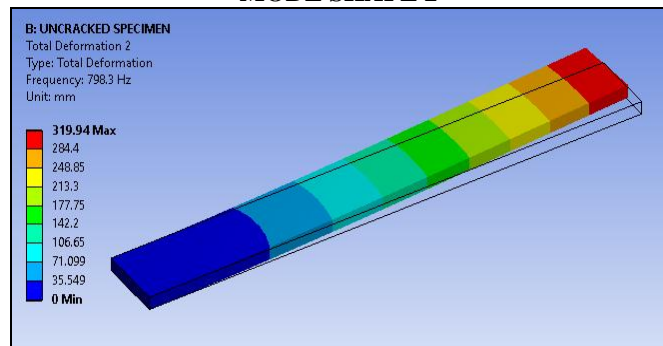


Fig. Natural frequency of lathe cutting tool at mode shape 2 was 798.3Hz

#### MODE SHAPE 3

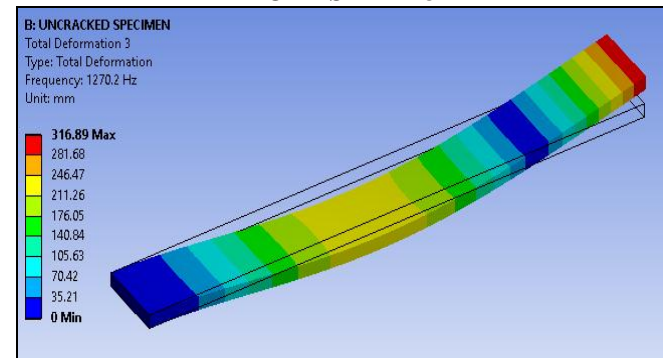


Fig. Natural frequency of lathe cutting tool at mode shape 3 was 1270.2Hz

#### MODE SHAPE 4

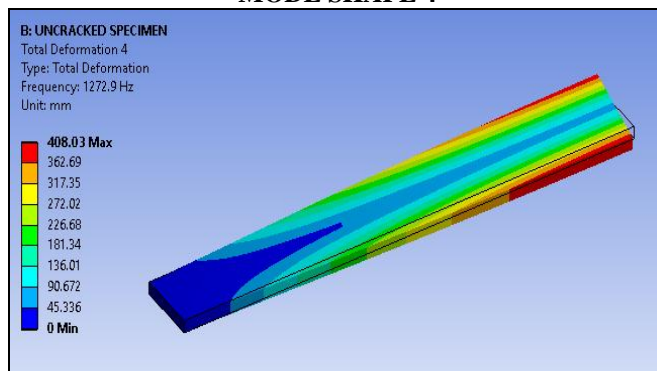


Fig. 13. Natural frequency of lathe cutting tool at mode shape 4 was 1272.9Hz

#### MODE SHAPE 5

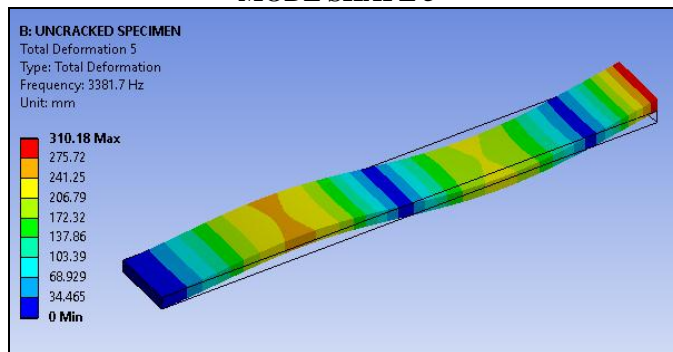


Fig. Natural frequency of lathe cutting tool at mode shape 5 was 3381.7Hz

### MODAL ANALYSIS OF CRACKED BEAM

#### Geometry

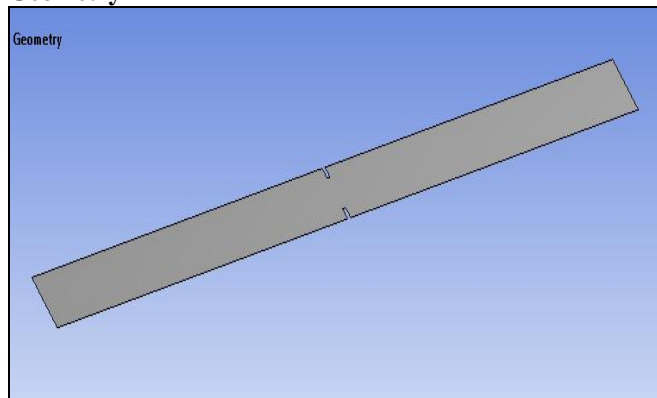
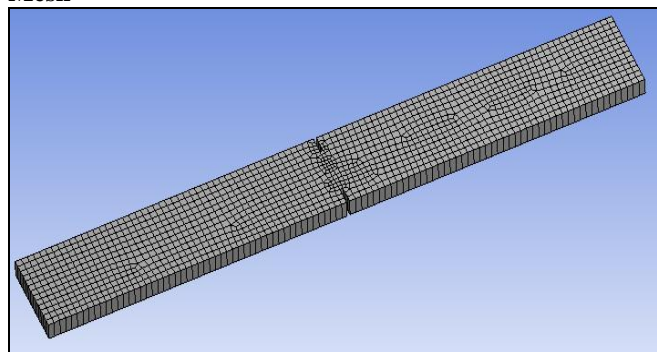
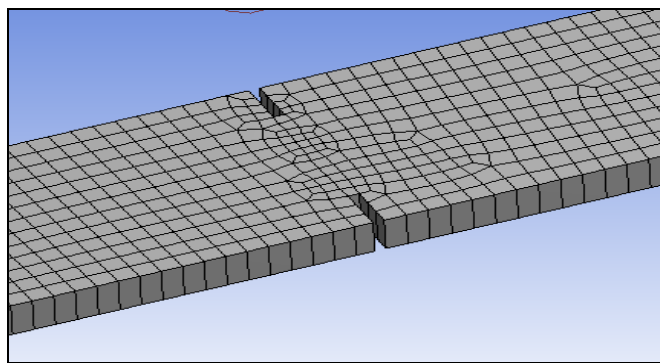


Fig Geometry of Cracked Beam

#### Mesh





Statistics	
Nodes	1459
Elements	1336

After meshing of cracked beam, we get 1459 nodes and 1336 elements

## MODE SHAPES RESULTS

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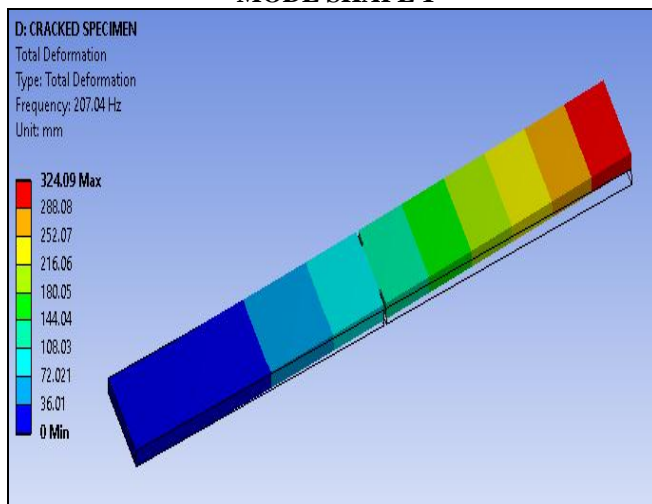


Fig Natural frequency of Cracked Beam at mode shape 1 was 207.04Hz

### MODE SHAPE 2

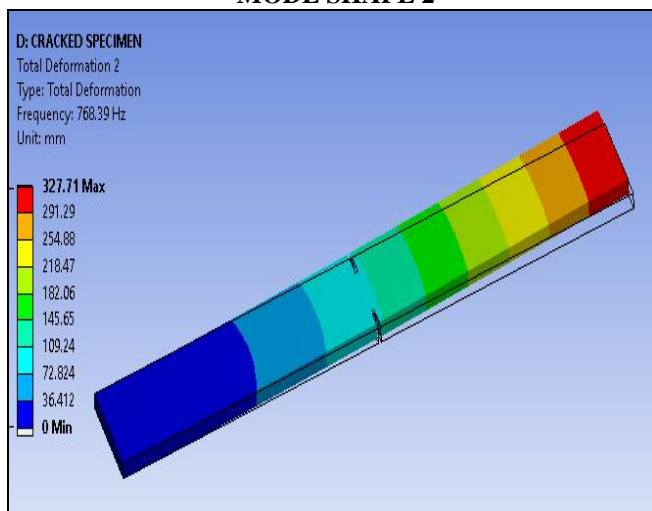


Fig Natural frequency of Cracked Beam at mode shape 2 Was 768.39Hz

### MODE SHAPE 3

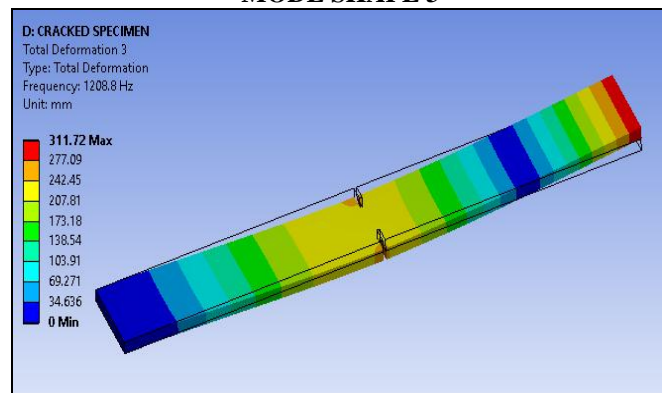


Fig Natural frequency of Cracked Beam at mode shape 3 Was 1208.8Hz

### MODE SHAPE 4

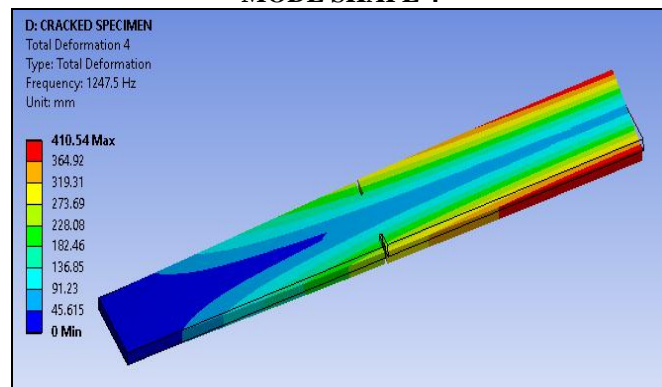


Fig Natural frequency of Cracked Beam at mode shape 4 Was 1247.5Hz

### MODE SHAPE 5

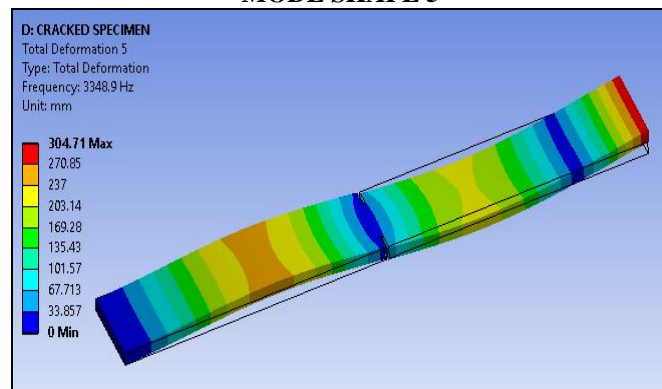


Fig Natural frequency of Cracked Beam at mode shape 5 Was 3348.9Hz

## FFT analysis

FFT is one main property in any sequence being used in general. To find this property of FFT for any given sequence, many transforms are being used. The major issues to be noticed in finding this property are the time and memory management. Two different algorithms are written for calculating FFT and Autocorrelation of any given sequence. Comparison is done between the two algorithms with respect to the memory and time managements and the better one is pointed. Comparison is between the two algorithms written, considering the time and memory as the only main constraints. Time taken by the two transforms in finding the fundamental frequency is taken. At the same time the



memory consumed while using the two algorithms is also checked. Based on these aspects it is decided which algorithm is to be used for better results

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#### EXPERIMENTAL FFT ANALYSIS OF LAMINATED UNCRACKED COMPOSITE BEAMS

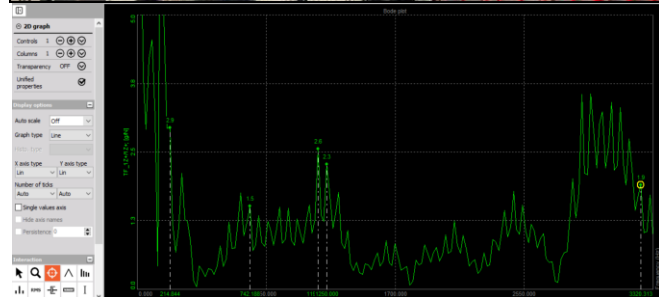
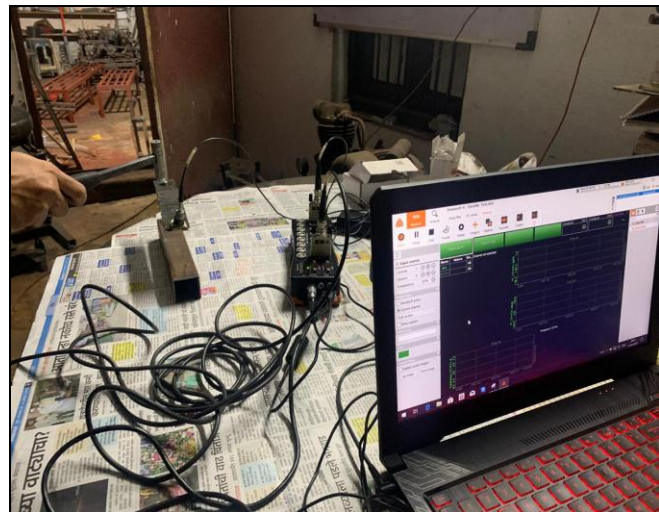
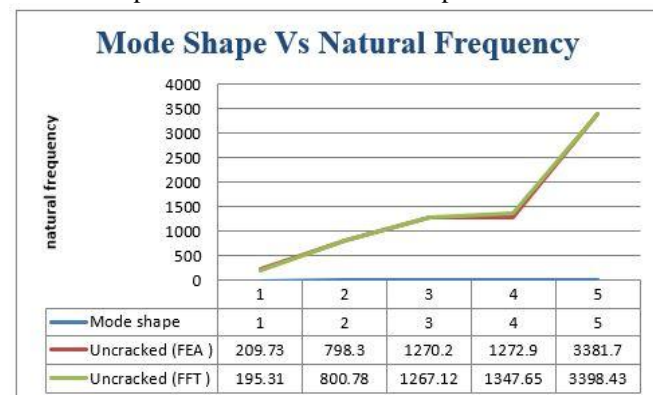


Fig. FFT plot of natural frequency

Chart. Comparison between FEA and experimental result



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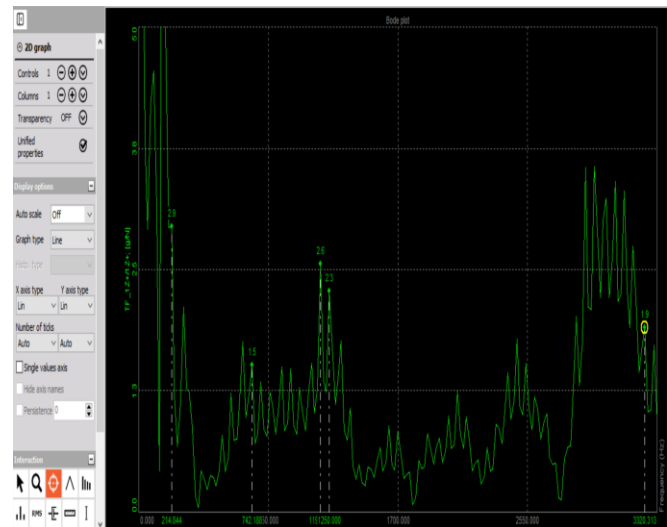


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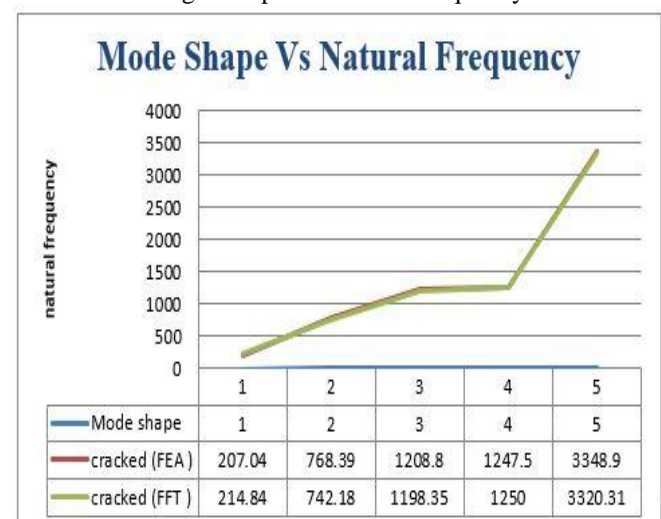
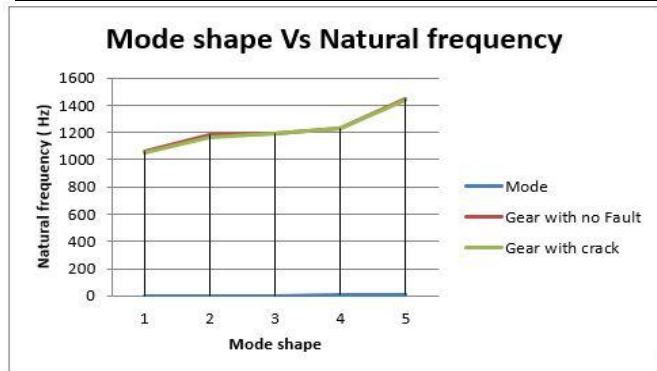


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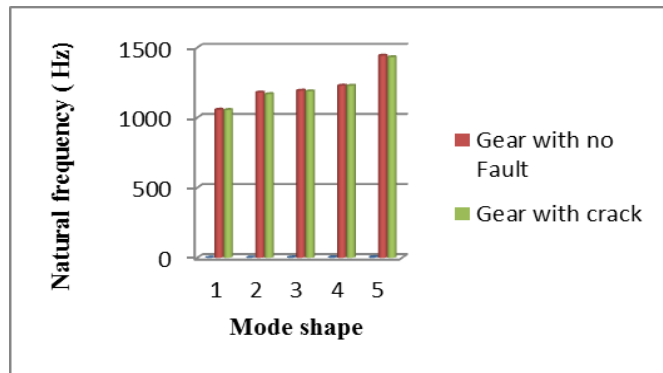
## CONCLUSION

### DETAILS OF MODES SHAPE WITH CRACKED AND UNCRACKED BEAM

Mode shape	Uncracked	Cracked	% Decrease
1	209.73	207.04	1.286
2	798.3	768.39	3.746
3	1270.2	1208.8	4.833
4	1272.9	1247.5	1.995
5	3381.7	3348.9	0.969



FEA Result Of Cracked And Uncracked Beam



### FEA and FFT result of Both composite beam

Mode shape	Uncracked (FEA )	Uncracked (FFT )
1	209.73	195.31
2	798.3	800.78
3	1270.2	1267.12
4	1272.9	1347.65
5	3381.7	3398.43

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Mode shape	cracked (FEA )	cracked (FFT )
1	207.04	214.84
2	768.39	742.18
3	1208.8	1198.35
4	1247.5	1250
5	3348.9	3320.31

## CONCLUSION

- In present research modal analysis of beam with and without crack have been performed.
- It is observed from that beam with crack have little less frequency compared to without crack beam as it predicts that if a beam have crack it leads to decrease in its stiffness.
- Manufacturing of carbon fibre beam was done using hand lay-up method.
- The Natural Frequencies obtained in the Analysis & Testing results are almost same so, the validation of the result is done.
- Frequency of both beam with and without crack deviate with 2.58 % with each other

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