

Design and Analysis of Flywheel for Different Material using Ansys

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Abstract: A flywheel used in machines serves as a reservoir which stores energy during the period when the supply of energy is more than the requirement and releases it during the period when the requirement of energy is more than supply. For example, in I.C. engines, the energy is developed only in the power stroke which is much more than engine load, and no energy is being developed during the suction, compression and exhaust strokes in case of four stroke engines. The aim of the project is to design a flywheel for a multi cylinder petrol engine flywheel using the empirical formulas. A parametric model of the flywheel is designed using 3D modeling software CATIA V5R20. The strength of the flywheel is validated for alloy materials (Silicon carbide) by applying the rotational velocity on the flywheel in analysis software ANSYS. Structural analysis is used to determine whether flywheel withstands under working conditions.

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