

"CLUTCHES"

clutches:- Clutch is defined as a machine element whose function is to engage and disengage driver and driven shaft at the will without stoping the prime mover.

- * clutch is used to avoid frequent stoping and starting of prime movers but driven machinery can be stop and start frequently.

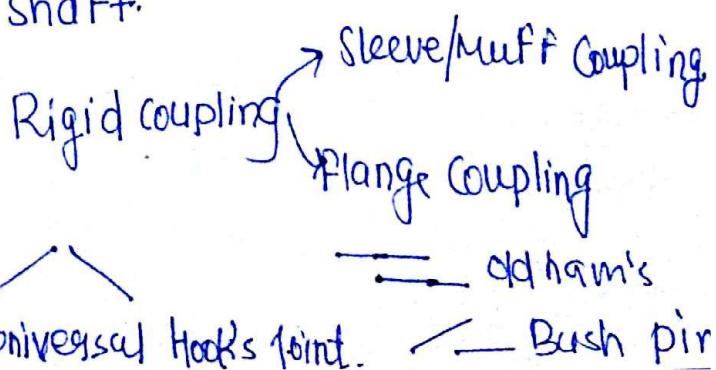
clutch

- ① clutch are used to obtain temporary connection b/w driven & driver shaft
- ② are used in application where driven machinery required intermittent service
- ③ In clutch are used to transmit power between two co-linear shaft only.

Coupling

- ① Permanent connection
- ② Continuous service.

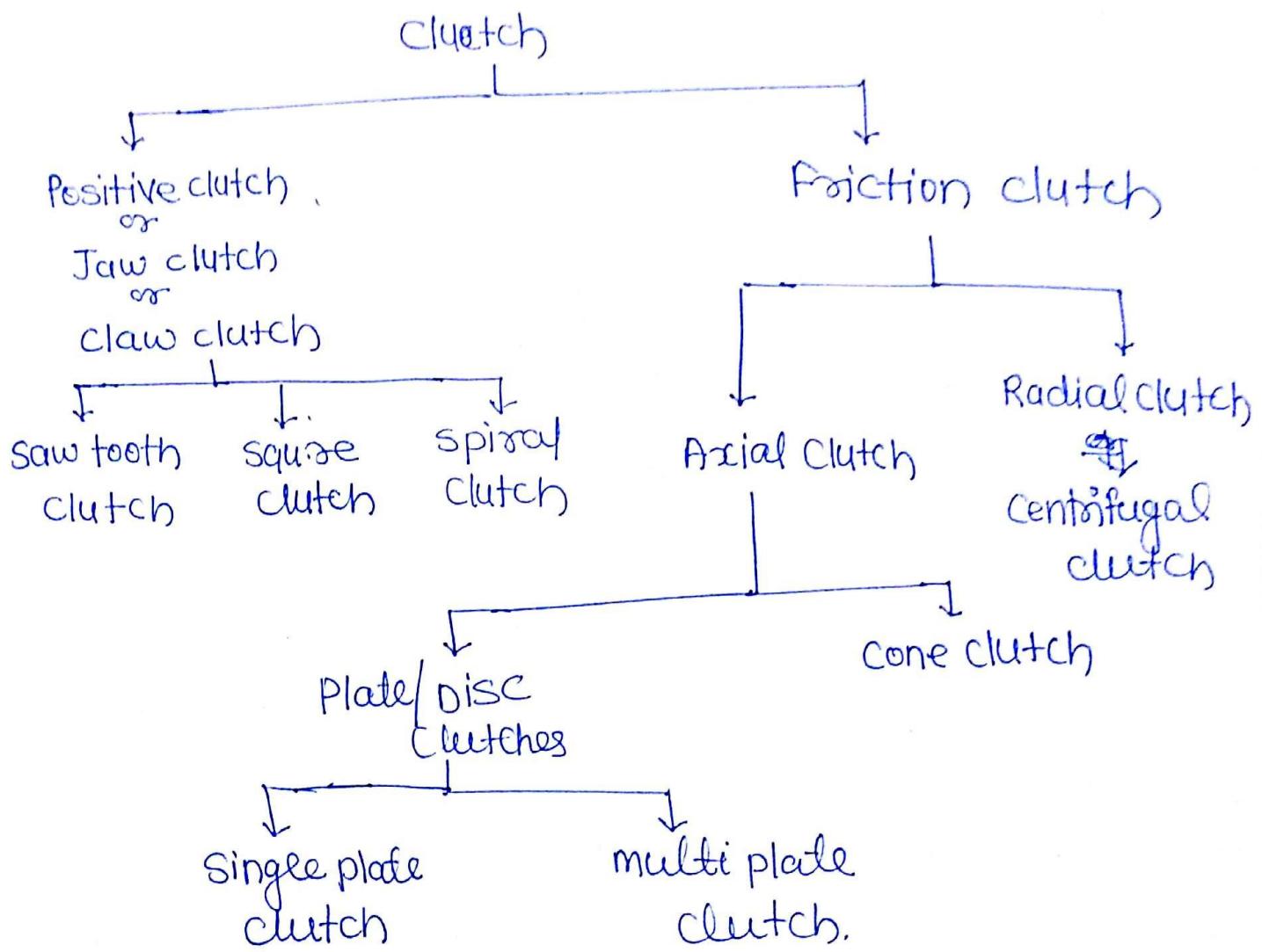
- ③ Couplings are used to transfer power b/w co-linear/non-co-linear shaft.



④ in presence of clutches
driven machinery can
run at variable speed

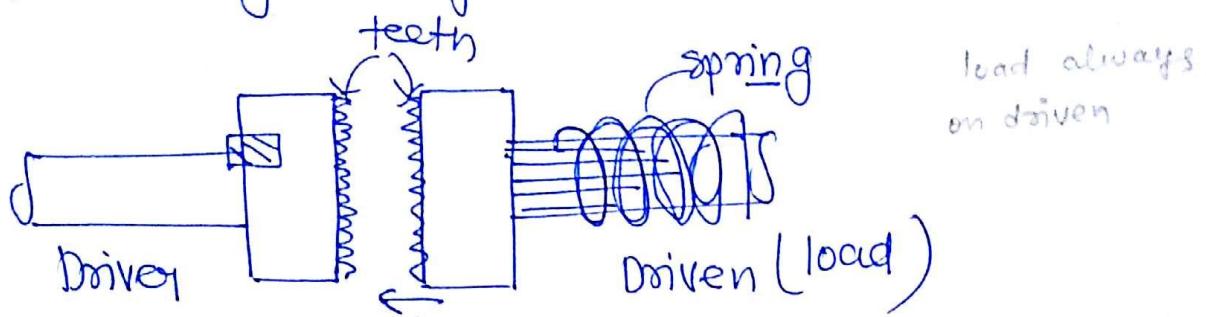
④ driven can run only
speed equal to driver.

Classification of clutches:-



Positive clutch:-

- (i) These are positive drives hence no slip occurs.
- (ii) sudden engagement hence impact and jerk.
- (iii) only limited to low speed application.
- (iv) clutch can not be engage when load
- (v) Power transmission capacity more
eg:- Rolling ~~milling~~ mills & power presses.



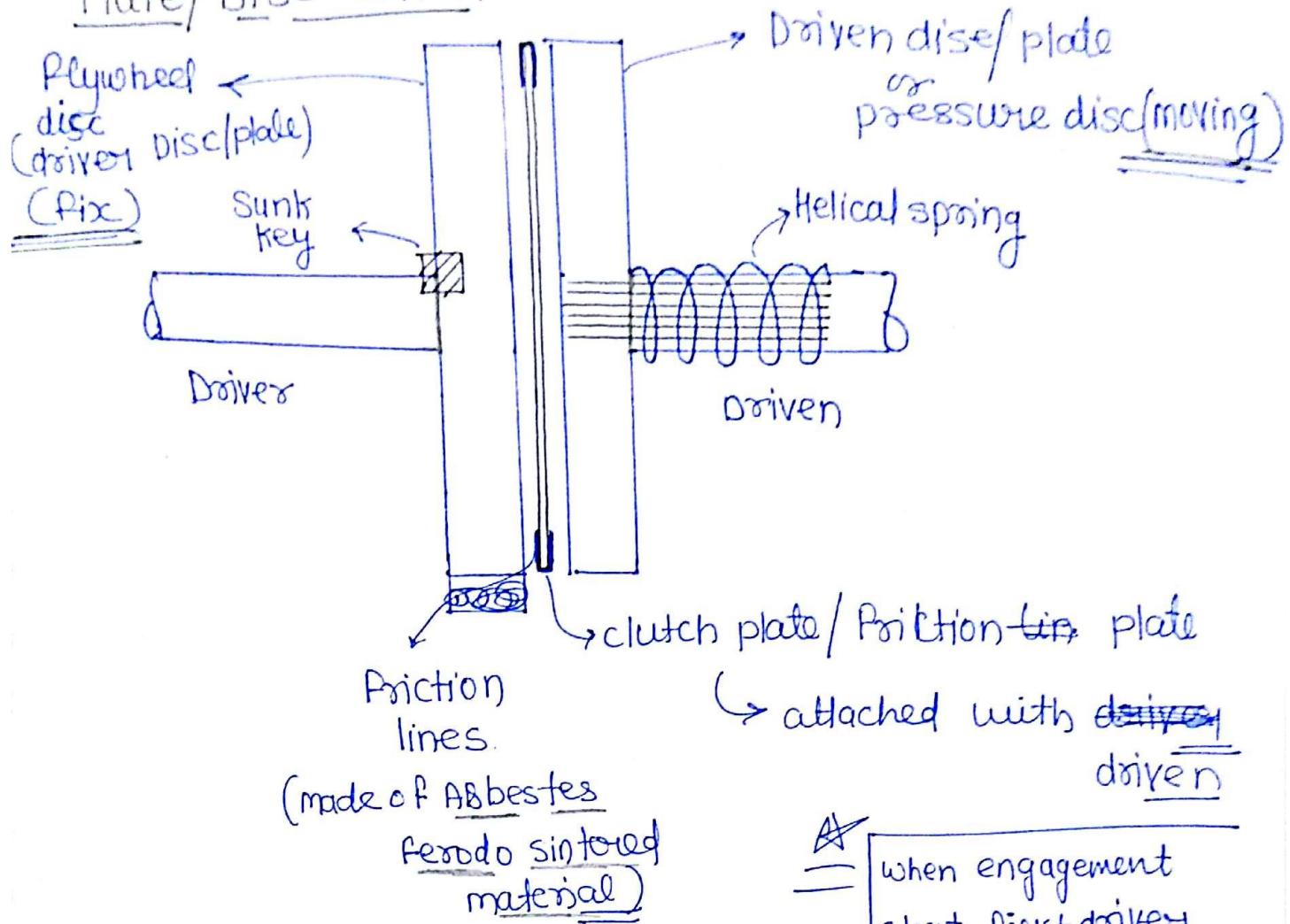
Friction clutch:- (slip)

- (i) These are slack drives.
- (ii) Hence slip occur. Gradual engagement.
- (iii) can be used for high speed application.
- (iv) can be engaged when loaded.
- (v) power transmission capacity is less.

Axial clutch:- force apply for engagement in an axial direction.

Radial clutch:- force apply for engagement in radial dirⁿ.

Plate/Disc clutch:-



ω_1 = angular speed of driver.

ω_2 = angular speed of driven.

θ_1 = angular displacement of driver

θ_2 = angular displacement of driven

α_1 = angular accⁿ of driver

α_2 = angular accⁿ of driven

I_1 = M.O.I. of driver

I_2 = M.O.I. of driven

$T_1 D_1$ = d Torque to be transmitted by driver

$T_2 D_2$ = torque on driven shaft

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when engagement
start first driver
Speed ↓ and driven
speed ↑ gradually
and after some
time both speed
same

driver \Rightarrow

$$T_1 = - I_1 \alpha_1 \quad (\text{deacc}^n)$$

$$\alpha_1 = - \frac{\frac{d\theta_1}{dt}}{I_1}$$

$$\frac{d^2\theta_1}{dt^2} = - \frac{T_1}{I_1}$$

$$\frac{d\theta_1}{dt} = - \frac{T_1}{I_1} t + c$$

(angular speed of driver at any time)

$$\text{at } t=0 \Rightarrow \frac{d\theta_1}{dt} = \omega_1$$

$$c = \omega_1$$

$$\frac{d\theta_1}{dt} = - \frac{T_1}{I_1} t + \omega_1 \quad \text{---(1)}$$

driven

$$T_2 = + I_2 \alpha_2 \quad (\text{accelerating})$$

$$\frac{d^2\theta_2}{dt^2} = \frac{T_2}{I_2}$$

$$\frac{d\theta_2}{dt} = \frac{T_2}{I_2} t + c'$$

$$\text{when } t=0 \Rightarrow \frac{d\theta_2}{dt} = \omega_2$$

$$\frac{d\theta_2}{dt} = \frac{T_2}{I_2} t + \omega_2$$

Angular speed of driven at any time

Now when both speed same

$$\frac{d\theta_1}{dt} = \frac{d\theta_2}{dt} \Rightarrow -\frac{T_1}{I_1} t + \omega_1 = \frac{T_2}{I_2} t + \omega_2$$

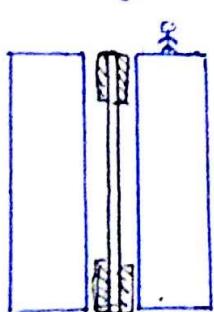
$$t = \frac{\omega_1 - \omega_2}{\left(\frac{T_1}{I_1} + \frac{T_2}{I_2} \right)}$$

t = engagement completion time
 or slip time $\underline{\text{or}}$ driver speed
 obtain by driven in time t

$$\text{if } T_1 = T_2 = T$$

$$t = \frac{(\omega_1 - \omega_2)(I_1 I_2)}{T(I_1 + I_2)}$$

Energy loss : → ගෙන නැත් slip එකිනී



$$\omega_{\text{slip}} = \frac{d\theta_1}{dt} - \frac{d\theta_2}{dt}$$

$$\omega_{\text{slip}} = \left[-\frac{T}{I_1} t + \omega_1 - \frac{T}{I_2} t - \omega_2 \right]$$

T = torque.

rate of energy loss (u) =

$$T \cdot u \omega_{\text{slip}} = T \left[-\frac{T}{I_1} t + \omega_1 - \frac{T}{I_2} t - \omega_2 \right]$$

$$\int_0^t dE = \int_0^t u \cdot dt$$

$$E_{\text{loss}} = \int_0^t T \left[-\frac{T}{I_1} t + \omega_1 - \frac{T}{I_2} t - \omega_2 \right] dt$$

Ques: A single plate clutch is design to transmit 10 kW power at 2000 rpm. The equivalent mass and radius of gyration of the input shaft are 20 kg and 75 mm respectively. The equivalent mass and radius for output shaft is 35 kg & 125 mm. Calculate the time required to bring output shaft to the rated speed from rest. Also find out the energy losses during slip time.

Soln

$$P = T \omega$$

$$10 \times 10^3 = T \times \frac{2 \phi \rho \rho \times 2\pi}{60} \Rightarrow T = \frac{300 \text{ Nm}}{2\pi}$$

$$T = 300 \text{ Nm}$$

ω_1 = given

$\omega_2 = 0$ at starting

$$t = \frac{\omega_1 - \omega_2}{\frac{T_1}{I_1} + \frac{T_2}{I_2}}$$

$$t = \frac{\frac{2\pi \times 2000}{60} (20 \times 75^2 + 35 \times 125^2) \times 10^{-6}}{\frac{300}{2\pi} (20 \times 75^2 + 35 \times 125^2) \times 60}$$

$$t = 0.409 \text{ sec.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_1 = \frac{2\pi N_1}{60} = \frac{2\pi(2000)}{60} = 209.4 \text{ rad/s}$$

$$\omega_2 = 0$$

$$I_1 = m_1 k_1^2 = 80 \times (0.075)^2 = 0.1125 \text{ kg-m}^2$$

$$I_2 = m_2 k_2^2 = 35 \times (0.125)^2 = 0.5468 \text{ kg-m}^2$$

$$P = T_1 \omega_2 \Rightarrow 10000 = T_1 \times 209.4$$

$$T_1 = 47.74 \text{ N-m}$$

$$t = \frac{(209.4 - 0)(0.1125)(0.5468)}{(0.1125 + 0.5468)47.74} = 0.409 \text{ sec.}$$

$$E_{loss} = \int_0^t T \left[-\frac{T}{I_1} t + \omega_1 - \frac{T}{I_2} t - \omega_2 \right] dt$$

$$E_{loss} = T \left[-\frac{T t^2}{2 I_1} + \omega_1 t - \frac{T t^2}{2 I_2} \right]_0^{0.409}$$

$$E_{loss} = 47.74 \left[-\frac{47.74 (0.409)^2}{2 \times 0.1125} + 209.4 \times 409 - \frac{47.74 (0.409)^2}{2 \times 0.5468} \right]$$

$$E_{loss} = 2.46 \underline{J}$$

Multiplate clutch:- Power, Power & Compact

- (i) Due to more no. of frictional contact surfaces in multiplate clutches more heat generated which required coolant therefore reduction in $\mu(\text{cof})$ between surface hence the power transmission cap. decrease.
- (ii) Hence in four wheelers where radial space is not a constraint single plate clutch preferred over multiplate clutch.
- (iii) For the given power transmission capacity multiplate clutch are compact in size hence in two wheelers where radial space is a constraint multiplate clutches preferred over single plate clutch.

After engagement completed:-

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Single Plate Clutch

UWT

$$P = \frac{2\pi N T_F}{60} , T_F = \text{known}$$

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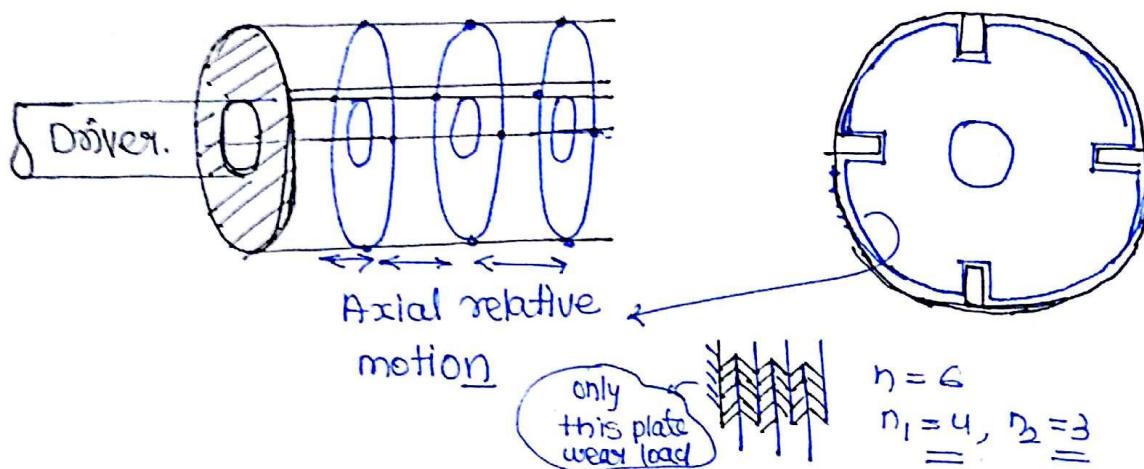
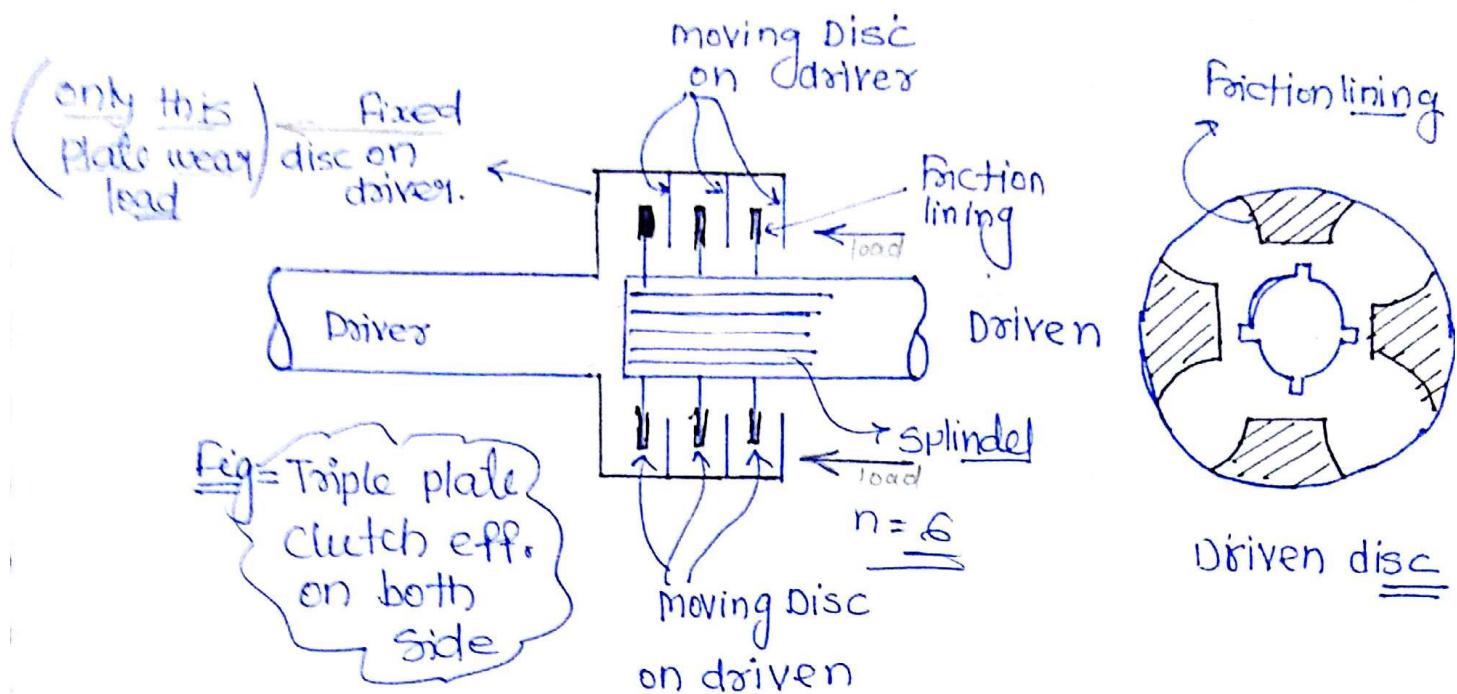
$$T_F = \frac{2}{3} K P_{\text{per}} (R_o^3 - R_i^3)$$

$$T_F = \mu \pi f_{\text{per}} (R_o^2 - R_i^2)$$

$$\text{Axial load} = \pi (R_o^2 - R_i^2) P_{\text{per}}$$

$$\text{Axial load} = 2 \pi R_i (R_o - R_i) P_{\text{per}}$$

Multiplate clutch:-



$\nwarrow n = \text{Total no of friction contact surface}$

$n_1 = \text{no. of disc on driver.}$

$n_2 = \text{no. of disc on driven}$

*
$$n = n_1 + n_2 - 1 \Rightarrow \text{always even}$$

$n_1 = n_2 + 1$

eq $n = 10 \cdot 3$

$n = 11 \times 3$

$n = 12 \leftarrow \text{even}$

$n_1 = 7, n_2 = 6$

-  $n = 1 \rightarrow$ Single plate clutch
 $n = 2 \rightarrow$ Single plate clutch effective on both sides
 $n = 4 \rightarrow$ Double plate clutch effective on both sides.

Multi plate clutch

UPT

Power = known

$$P = \frac{2\pi N T_f}{60}$$

T_f = known

UWT

$$P = \frac{2\pi N T_f}{60}$$

$$* T_f = n \cdot \mu \pi P_{per} R_i (R_o^2 - R_i^2)$$

$$T_f = n \cdot \frac{2}{3} \mu \pi P_{per} (R_o^3 - R_i^3)$$

$$* W = 2\pi R_i (R_o - R_i) P_{per}$$

$$\text{Axial load } w = \pi (R_o^2 - R_i^2) P_{per}$$

$$T_f = n \cdot T_f \text{ plate}$$

$$w_{plate} = w$$



$$T_f = n \cdot \frac{4}{3} \mu \pi w_{plate} \left(\frac{R_o^3 R_i^3}{R_o^2 - R_i^2} \right)$$

$$T_f = n \cdot \frac{2}{3} K_w l \left(\quad \right)$$

In clutch aim is power transmission

Ques:- A single plate clutch effective on both sides carries an axial thrust 1500 N and the effective radius of friction surface is 100 mm with $\text{COF}(\mu) = 0.2$. Find out the torque in N-m that can be transmitted.

Solⁿ

$$T = n \cdot \mu \cdot W \cdot R$$

$$T = 2 \times 0.2 \times 1500 \times \frac{100}{100}$$

$$T = 60 \text{ Nm}$$



eff. on both
Side.

Ques:- A multiplate clutch transmits 50 kW power at 1400 rpm and the ~~intensity~~ intensity of pressure 0.15 MPa. The inner radius of friction lining is 80 mm and it is 0.7 times of outer radius determine the no. of disc req. on driver & driven shaft and also find axial load required to transmit power assume $\mu = 0.2$

only clutch so Old clutch \rightarrow UWT

Solⁿ

~~$P = T_f \cdot \omega$~~

$$T_f = \frac{P}{\omega}$$

$$P = n \cdot \mu \cdot \pi \cdot P_{\text{per}} \left(\frac{R_o^2 - R_i^2}{6} \right) \times \frac{\pi N}{60}$$

$$T_f = \frac{50 \times 10^3}{2 \pi \times 1400} \times 60$$

~~$50 \times 10^3 = n \cdot 0.2 \times \pi \times 0.15 \times 10^6 \times \frac{80}{6}$~~

$$T_f = 341.04 \text{ N-m}$$

$$80 \times 10^3 = n \times 0.2 \times \pi \times 0.15 \times 10^6 \times 0.080 \left(\left(\frac{0.080}{0.7} \right)^2 - (0.080)^2 \right) \times \frac{1000}{60}$$

$$n = 11.3 \rightarrow n = 12$$

$$2n_2 = 12 \Rightarrow n_2 = 6$$

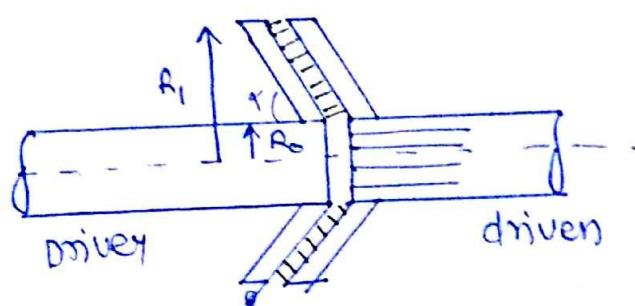
$$h_1 = \underline{\underline{7}}$$

$$W = 2\pi R_i (R_o - R_i) P_{per.}$$

$$W = 2\pi \times 0.080 \left(\frac{0.080}{0.7} - 0.080 \right) \times 0.15 \times 10^6$$

$$W = \underline{\underline{2.583 \text{ kN}}}$$

Cone clutch



$$b = \frac{R_o - R_i}{\sin \alpha}$$

$$\mu \rightarrow \frac{\mu}{\sin \alpha}$$

Multi cone clutch

UPT

$$\text{Axial load} = \pi (R_o^2 - R_i^2) P_{\text{per}}$$

$$\text{Axial load} = 2\pi (R_o - R_i) R_i P_{\text{per}}$$

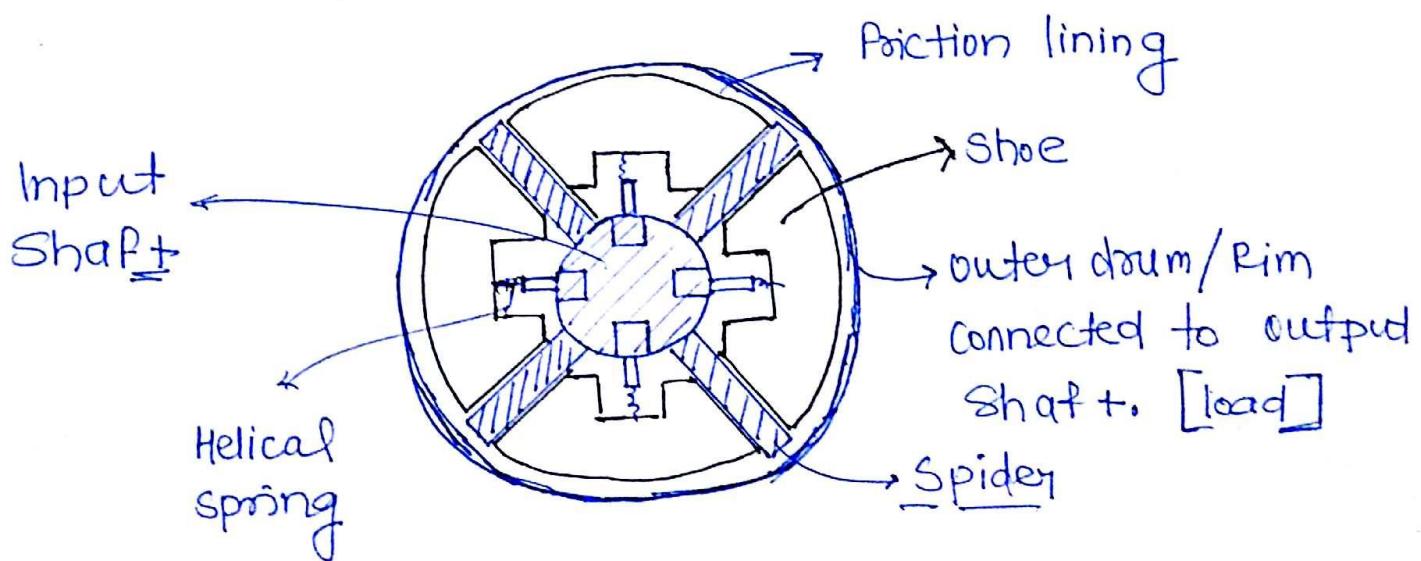
$$T_f = n \cdot \frac{2}{3} \frac{\mu K \pi}{\sin \alpha} P_{\text{per}} (R_o^3 - R_i^3)$$

$$T_f = n \cdot \frac{\mu K P_{\text{per}}}{\sin \alpha} R_i (R_o^2 - R_i^2)$$

clutch $\Rightarrow 15^\circ \leq 2\alpha \leq 30^\circ$

Bearing $\Rightarrow 120^\circ \leq 2\alpha \leq 160^\circ$

Centrifugal clutch:-



There are some engines motors or machinery which can not start with the load (Produced less power and torque) hence centrifugal clutches are require.

Centrifugal clutch permit the engine and motor to start and accelerate at a particular velocity without load, then the load will apply gradually on the input shaft.

- e.g :- (i) Mopeds ✓
(ii) lawn movers ✓
(iii) chain saw. ✓