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COURSE NAME : MECHANIC OF MATERIALS
COURSE CODE : BFC 20903
PROGRAMME : BACHELOR OF CIVIL
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INSTRUCTION : ANSWER **FOUR (4)** QUESTIONS
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- Q1** (a) Based on **FIGURE Q1(a)**, define **NINE** (9) stress components that corresponds to the x, y, z axis.
(6 marks)
- (b) Consider a rod AB is placed between two fixed supports and carries a tensile force of P as shown in **FIGURE Q1(b)**. If the rod undergoes temperature change ΔT , prove that the temperature stress equation is $\sigma = \frac{P}{A} = -E\alpha(\Delta T)$.
(5 marks)
- (c) Given the principal plane and principal stresses for a bracket which has a uniform thickness of 15 mm are $\sigma_{\max} = 20$ MPa, $\sigma_{\min} = 5$ MPa and $\theta = 35^\circ$ clockwise. Using Mohr circle method,
- (i) Calculate the stresses before the plane rotated.
(7 marks)
- (ii) Calculate the stresses after the plane rotated at $\theta = 22.5^\circ$ counter clockwise.
(4 marks)
- (iii) Determine the maximum shearing stress.
(3 marks)
- Q2** A cantilever beam shown in **FIGURE Q2(a)** is subjected to a triangular load of w kN/m along the beam length within $0 < x < L$ m.
- (a) Determine the shear and moment equations in the beam.
(5 marks)
- (b) Draw the shear and moment diagrams if $w = 3$ kN/m and $L = 4000$ mm
(4 marks)
- (c) The beam has a cross section area in the shape of T-beam with hollow section as shown in **FIGURE Q2(b)**. Calculate the bending stress that occurs at point A, B and C by showing the stress distribution over the beam cross section.
(16 marks)

Q3 A cantilevered beam shown in **FIGURE Q3** is subjected to a couple moment M_0 at its end. Assume EI is a constant. Solve the following problems by using Double Integration method.

- (a) Draw the elastic curve (deflection diagram) and define its moment function of the beam due to the moment M_0 .
(4 marks)
- (b) Derive the general elastic curve equation of bending moment-deflection, slope-deflection and deflection-equation of the beam.
(6 marks)
- (c) Determine the boundary condition of the beam.
(2 marks)
- (d) Consider the beam to have a length of 3.6 m, support a couple moment of 20 kN.m, and be made of steel having $E = 200$ GPa. Using the moment inertia $I = 6.8 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$, determine the slope and displacement at C.
(13 marks)

Q4 (a) Explain clearly with the aid of sketches the following terms

- (i) Critical Load
(5 marks)
- (ii) Stable Equilibrium
(5 marks)
- (iii) Unstable Equilibrium
(5 marks)

(b) **FIGURE Q4** shows a column member AB pinned at both ends about the x-x axis and fixed about both ends in the y-y axis. Determine the maximum allowable intensity W of the distributed load that can be applied to member BC without causing member AB to buckle.

Use a factor of safety with respect to buckling of 3, assume $\sigma_y = 360$ MPa and $E = 200$ GPa.

(10 marks)

- Q5** (a) With the aid of sketch, explain **TWO** (2) application of torsion in beam. (4 marks)
- (b) Explain the Right Hand Rule in determining the direction of torsion vector. (3 marks)
- (c) **FIGURE Q5** shows multiple bars rigidly connected to a wall. Rod AB is a solid circular section with 100 mm diameter and rod BC is circular hollow section with 75 mm outer diameter and thickness of 15 mm. Length of rod AB and BC are 1.5 m and 0.75 m respectively. 25 kNm and 50 kNm torsion are applied at point B and C respectively.
- (i) Calculate polar moment of inertia for both rods. (6 marks)
- (ii) Determine the maximum shear stress values. (8 marks)
- (iii) If the rod shear stress capacity is 300 N/mm², predict whether the rod can withstand the applied torsion. If the rod failed, propose a method so that the rod can withstand the applied torsion. (4 marks)
- Q6** (a) Explain with the aid of sketches the following terms
- (i) Purlins. (3 marks)
- (ii) Knee Brace. (3 marks)
- (iii) Gusset Plate. (3 marks)
- (b) A pin-connected truss is loaded with vertical and horizontal point load and supported as shown in **FIGURE Q6**. Calculate all internal member forces by using Method of Joint. (16 marks)

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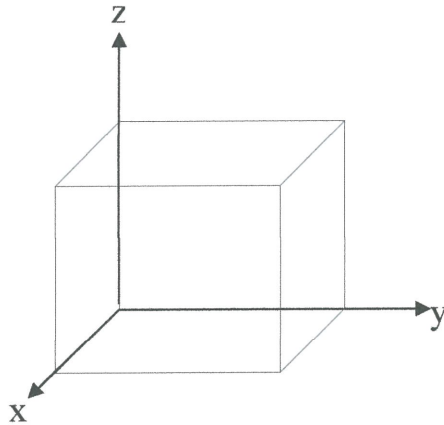


FIGURE Q1(a)

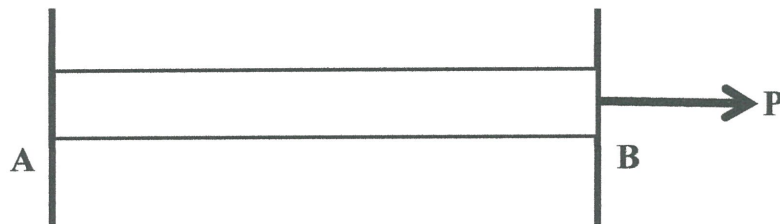


FIGURE Q1(b)

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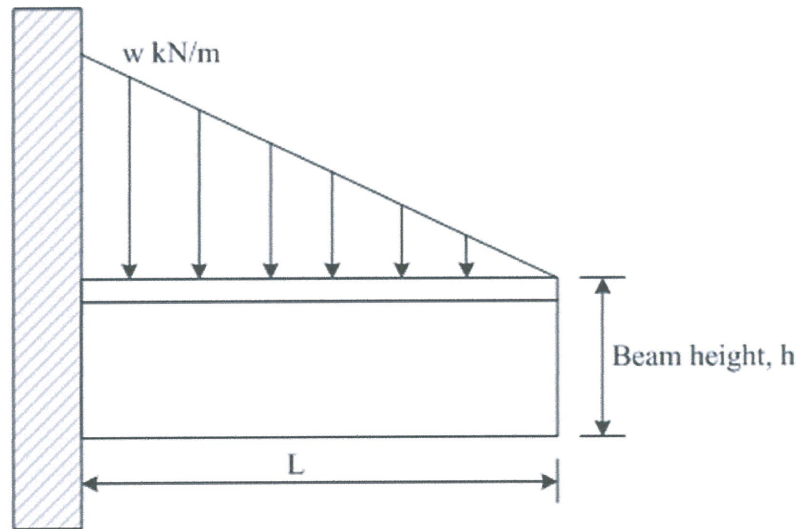


FIGURE Q2(a)

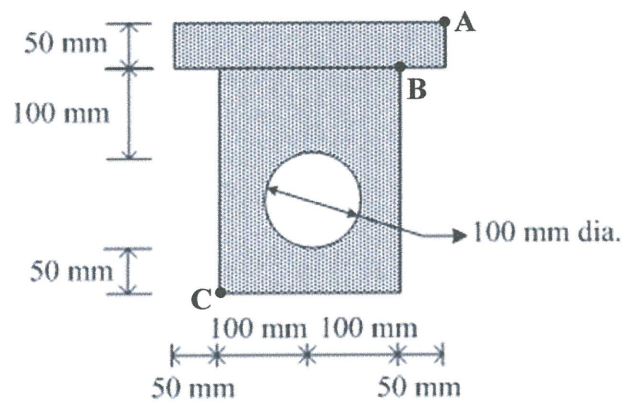


FIGURE Q2(b)

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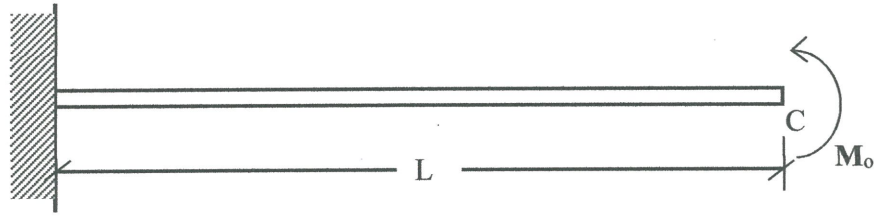


FIGURE Q3

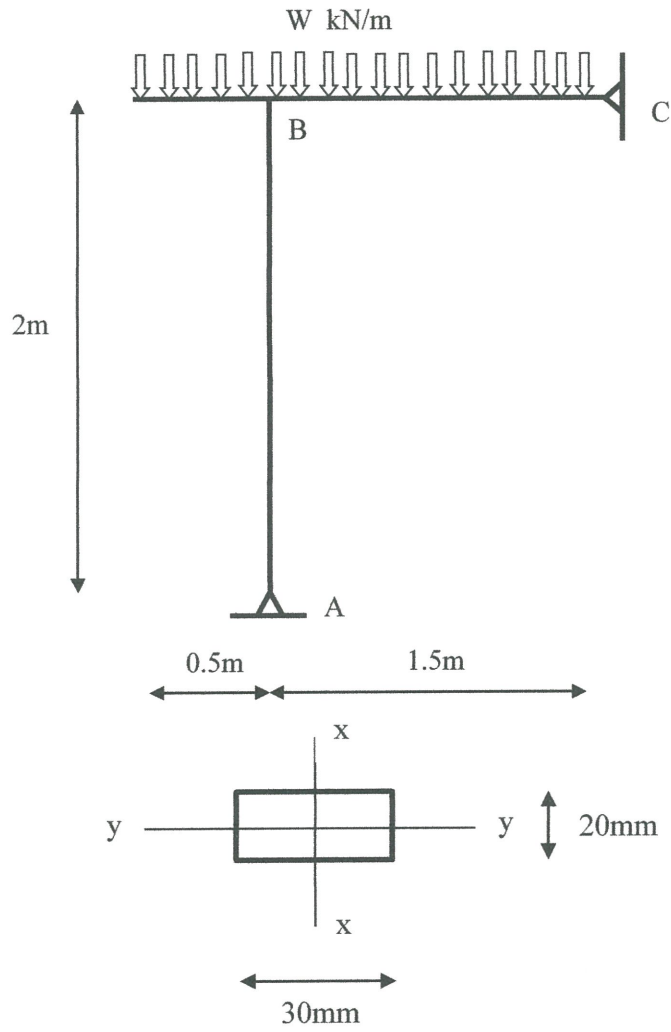


FIGURE Q4

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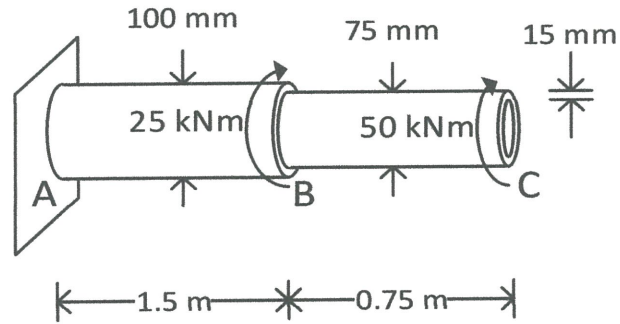


FIGURE Q5

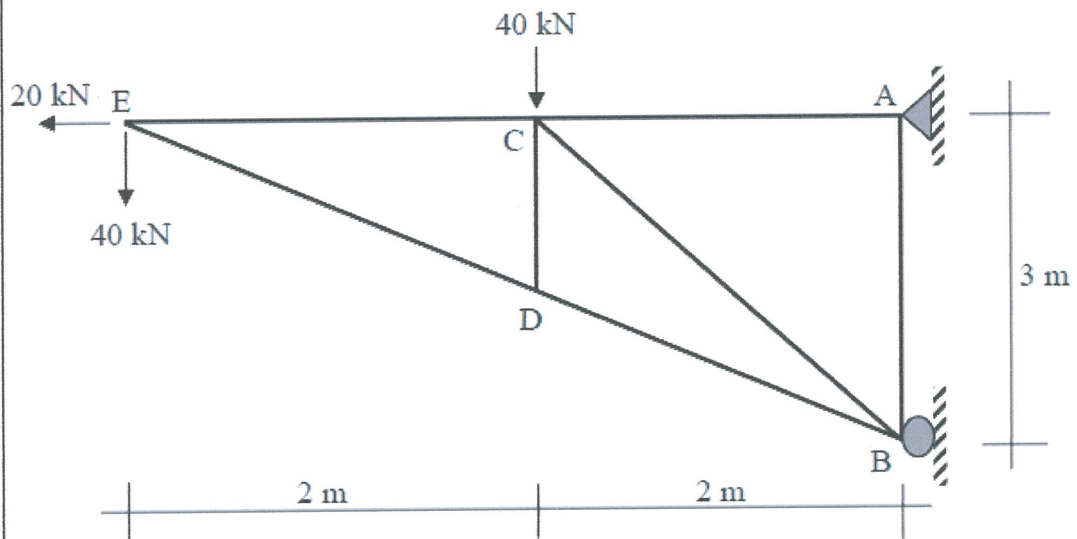


FIGURE Q6