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Section A : Design of Concrete and Masonry Structures (All Topics)

Q.1 (a) Explain the reasons for the following:

- (i) Ordinary mild steel cannot be used for prestressed wires.
- (ii) Loss due to elastic shortening in post-tensioned beam is less than that in pretensioned beam.
- (iii) Deflection of prestressed beams with tendons provided as a parabolic profile compensates part of dead load deflections.

[12 marks]

① Ordinary mild steel cannot be used for Prestressed wires since in prestressing, the wires are tensioned at high stress ($> 1600 \text{ N/mm}^2$) and loss in stress is generally 15-20% of initial stress. So if mild steel is used, it cannot sustain this much high stress and cannot prevent losses in tension.

② In pretensioned, loss due to elastic shortening is high as compared to post tensioned beam. Since in pretensioned, all the wires are tensioned simultaneously and released at once after concrete is hardened. While in post tensioned, wires are tensioned one after other results in no loss due to elastic shortening at last wire but having loss at previous wires, but its magnitude is less than pretensioned elastic shortening losses.

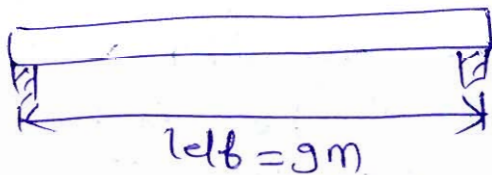
③ As dead load of beam act as a Udl which results in Bending moment of Parabolic profile and deflection due to dead load is $\frac{5 w L^4}{384 E I}$ (\downarrow). To compensate

the downward deflection due to dead load
 The suitable profile of ~~preten~~ cable is
 parabolic with eccentricity zero at ends and
 e at mid span below NA. It will result
 in upward force of $(w' = \frac{8Ph}{12}$ if $P =$ Pretensioning
 force
 and, upward deflection of $\frac{5 w' L^4}{384 EJ}$
 results in reduction to deflection of beam.

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- Q.1(b) A simply supported rectangular reinforced concrete ($\gamma_c = 25 \text{ kN/m}$) beam of size $350 \text{ mm} \times 700 \text{ mm}$ (overall depth) and has a effective span of 9 m . It is reinforced with 5 bars of 20 mm diameter at bottom with an effective cover of 50 mm . Determine the safe uniformly distributed live load Use: Limit state method that the beam can carry. Take M20 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel.

[12 marks]



M20, Fe 415

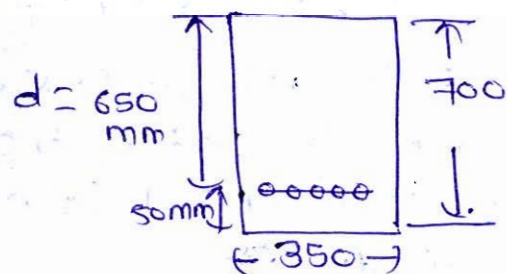
$$A_{st} = 5 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 20^2$$

$$= 1570.8 \text{ mm}^2$$

Actual depth of NA (LSM using)

$$0.36 f_{ck} B x_u = 0.87 f_y A_{st}$$

$$x_u = \frac{0.87 f_y A_{st}}{0.36 f_{ck} B}$$



$$x_u = \frac{0.87 \times 15 \times 1570.8}{0.36 \times 20 \times 350}$$

$$= 225.0545 \text{ mm}$$

$$x_{u \text{ limit}} = 0.48d$$

$$= 0.48 \times 650 = 312 \text{ mm}$$

$$x_u < x_{u \text{ limit}} \rightarrow \text{u/r section}$$

MOR of section

~~MR limit~~

$$MR = 0.36 f_{ck} B x_u [d - 0.42 x_u]$$

$$= \frac{0.36 \times 20 \times 350 \times 225.0545}{10^6} [650 - 0.42 \times 225.0545]$$

$$= 315.032 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$BM = \frac{MR}{1.5} = \frac{315.032}{1.5} = 210.02 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

(working)

$$w_d = 0.35 \times 0.7 \times 1 \times 25$$

$$= 6.125 \text{ kN/m}$$

$$\therefore BM = \frac{w l^2}{8}$$

$$w = \frac{8 \times BM}{l^2} = \frac{8 \times 210.02}{92}$$

$$= 20.743 \text{ kN/m}$$

Safe live load

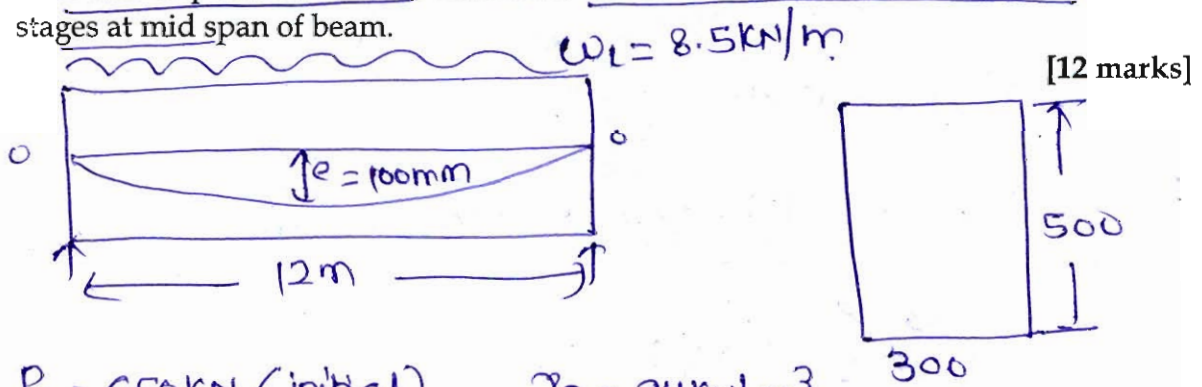
$$w_L = w - w_d$$

$$= 20.743 - 6.125$$

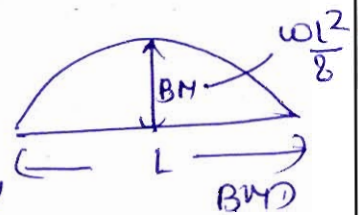
$$w_L = 14.618 \text{ kN/m} \quad (\text{Ans})$$

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Q.1(c) A simply supported rectangular prestressed concrete beam has a cross-section of $300 \text{ mm} \times 500 \text{ mm}$. It carries a superimposed service load of 8.5 kN/m over an effective span of 12.0 m . The beam is prestressed by a cable with a parabolic profile, having an eccentricity of 100 mm at the mid-span and zero eccentricity at the supports. The initial prestressing force is 650 kN . Assuming the unit weight of concrete is 24 kN/m^3 and the total loss of prestress is 15% , determine the stresses in beam at transfer and service stages at mid span of beam.



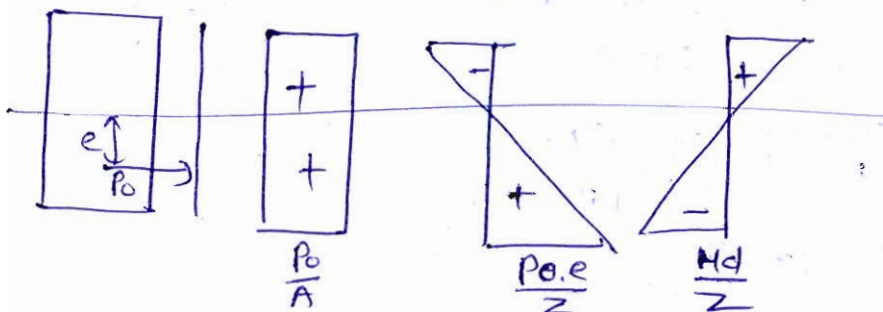
$P_0 = 650 \text{ kN}$ (initial) $\gamma_c = 24 \text{ kN/m}^3$
 loss = 15%
 $k = 0.8$



① dead load $\Rightarrow \omega_d = 0.3 \times 0.5 \times 1 \times 24 = 3.6 \text{ kN/m}$

$$M_d = \frac{\omega_d \cdot l_e^2}{8} = \frac{3.6 \times 12^2}{8} = 64.8 \text{ kN.m}$$

① A At transfer stage (at mid span)



at top $\rightarrow \frac{P_0}{A} \oplus \frac{P_0 e}{Z} + \frac{M_d}{Z}$

$$= \frac{650 \times 1000}{300 \times 500} - \frac{650 \times 10^3 \times 100}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}} + \frac{64.8 \times 10^6}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}}$$

$$= \underline{4.317 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

at bottom

$$= \frac{P_0}{A} + \frac{P_0 e}{Z} - \frac{M_d}{Z}$$

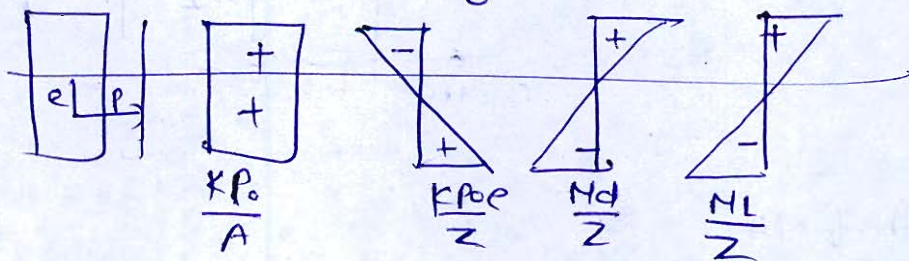
$$= \frac{650 \times 1000}{300 \times 500} + \frac{650 \times 10^3 \times 100}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}} - \frac{64.8 \times 10^6}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}}$$

$$= \underline{4.35 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

At service stage

$$P = kP_0 = 0.8 \times 650 = 520 \text{ kN}$$

$$M_L = \frac{\omega L \cdot L^2}{8} = \frac{8.5 \times 12^2}{8} = 153 \text{ kN.m}$$



at bp = $\frac{kP}{A} - \frac{kP_0 e}{Z} + \frac{M_d}{Z} + \frac{M_L}{Z}$

$$= \frac{520 \times 1000}{300 \times 500} - \frac{520 \times 10^3 \times 100}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}} + \frac{64.8 \times 10^6}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}}$$

$$+ \frac{153 \times 10^6}{300 \times \frac{500^2}{6}}$$

$$= 3.467 - 0.16 + 5.184 + 12.24$$

$$= \underline{16.731 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

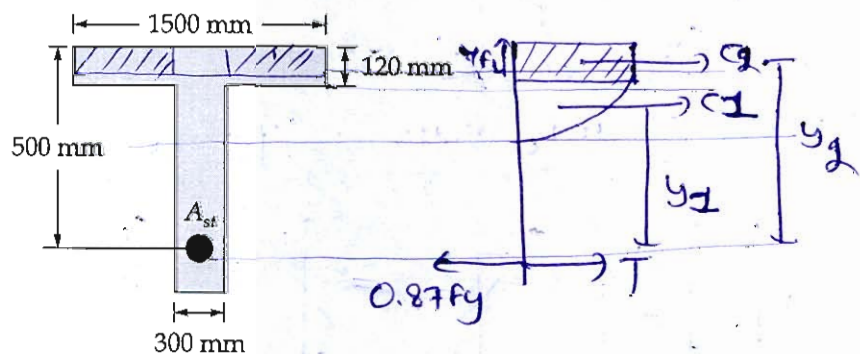
$$\begin{aligned} \text{at bottom} &\rightarrow \frac{K P_o}{A} + K \frac{P_o e}{Z} - \frac{M_d}{Z} - \frac{M_L}{Z} \\ &= 3.467 + 4.16 - 5.184 - 12.24 \\ &= -9.797 \text{ N/mm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

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Q.1(d) Determine the limiting moment of resistance for a T-beam as shown in figure below using the Limit State Method.

Grade of concrete: M-15

Grade of steel: Fe-415



[12 marks]

⇒ Actual depth of NA

→ assuming given width of flange is effective width ⇒ $B_f = 1500 \text{ mm}$

→ Case I $x_u < D_f$ (NA within flange)

$$\begin{aligned} 0.36 f_{ck} x_u &= x_{u \text{ limit}} = 0.48 d \\ &= 0.48 \times 500 \\ &= 240 \text{ mm} > D_f \end{aligned}$$

$$D_f = 120 \text{ mm}$$

$$\frac{3}{7} x_u = 102.86 \text{ mm} < D_f$$

$$\text{Case (2)} \quad x_u > D_F \text{ \& } D_F > \frac{3}{7} D_F$$

$$\rightarrow M_{OR} = C_1 Y_1 + C_2 Y_2$$

$$C_1 = 0.36 f_{ck} B_w \cdot x_{u \text{ limit}}$$

$$Y_1 = d - 0.42 x_{u \text{ limit}}$$

$$C_2 = 0.45 f_{ck} (B_F - B_w) \cdot Y_F$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y_F &= 0.65 D_F + 0.15 x_{u \text{ limit}} \\ &= 0.65 \times 120 + 0.15 \times 240 \\ &= 114 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$Y_2 = d - \frac{Y_F}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_{OR} &= 0.36 \times 15 \times 300 \times 240 \times [500 - 0.42 \times 240] \\ &\quad + 0.45 \times 15 \times [1500 - 300] \times 114 \times [500 - \frac{114}{2}] \\ &= 564.27516 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$M_{OR} = \underline{\underline{564.28 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}}} = M_{u \text{ limit}}$$

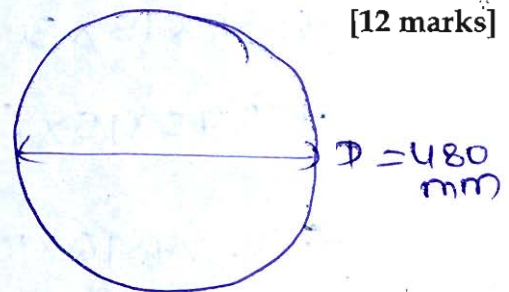
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- Q.1 (e) A reinforced concrete short column of 480 mm diameter is reinforced with 6 numbers of 20 mm diameter bars of steel of grade Fe 415 and 8 mm diameter helical reinforcement with a pitch of 75 mm. Compute the maximum load-carrying capacity of the column if the concrete used is of grade M25. Assume a nominal cover of 40 mm to the helical reinforcement.

Given Fe 415, M25

$$A_{sc} = 6 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 20^2$$

$$= 1884.96 \text{ mm}^2$$



[12 marks]

Helical R/F $\rightarrow \phi_h = 8 \text{ mm}$, Pitch = 75 mm

\Rightarrow Conditions checking for applicability of simplified formula

(i) Short column (given) $SR < 12$

(ii) assume $e_{min} = 20 \text{ mm} < (0.05 \times 480 = 24 \text{ mm})$

(iii) no external moments

\rightarrow simplified formula can be used

$$P_{02} = 1.05 [0.4 f_{ck} A_c + 0.67 f_y A_{sc}]$$

$$1.05 \left[0.4 \times 25 \times \left[\frac{\pi}{4} \times 480^2 - 1884.96 \right] \right. \\ \left. + 0.67 \times 415 \times 1884.96 \right]$$

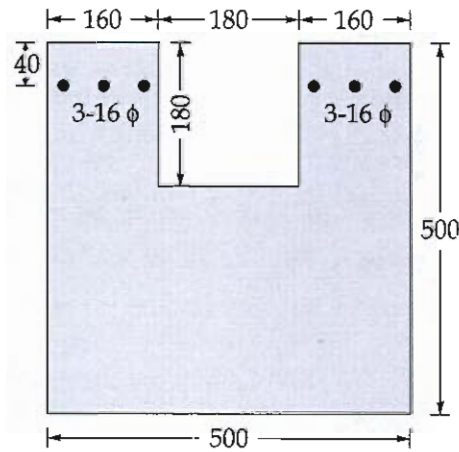
$$P_{02} = 2430.562 \text{ kN}$$

Working load

$$P = \frac{P_{uz}}{1.5} = \frac{2430.562}{1.5}$$
$$= 1620.37 \text{ kN}$$

(2)

- Q.2 (a) (i) A cantilever beam of effective length 2.5 m is constructed using the cross-section shown in the figure. The beam is reinforced with 6 bars of 16 mm diameter placed at an effective cover of 40 mm from the face. Using the Limit State Method, determine the maximum factored uniformly distributed load inclusive of self weight, that the beam can carry safely. Take: grade of concrete: M20, grade of steel: Fe415. Check in limit state of flexure only.

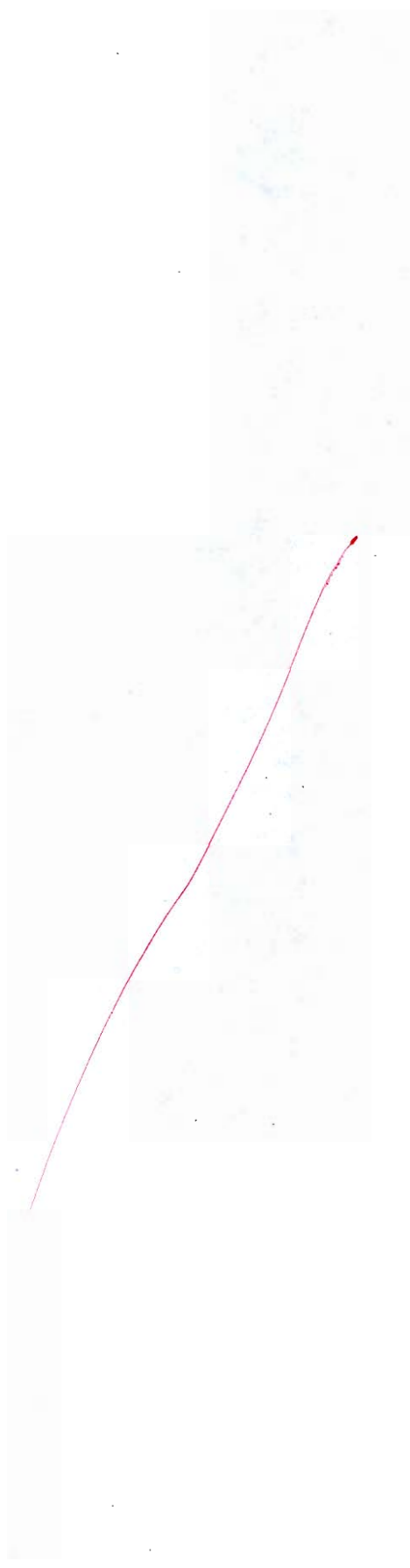


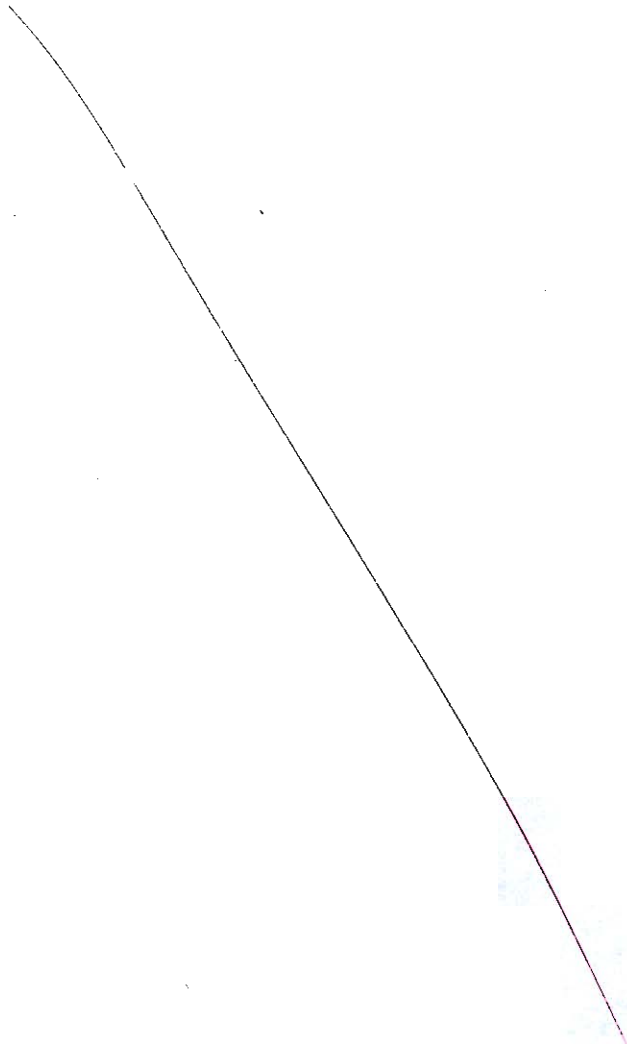
(All dimensions are in mm)

- (ii) Explain the following with proper reasoning based on limit state design principles of reinforced concrete:
1. Why under-reinforced sections are preferred over over-reinforced sections in flexural members.
 2. Why minimum reinforcement is provided in beams and slabs even when bending moment is very small.
 3. Why maximum reinforcement is limited in beams as per codal provisions.
 4. Why shear reinforcement is required even when concrete has some shear strength.

[12 + 8 = 20 marks]





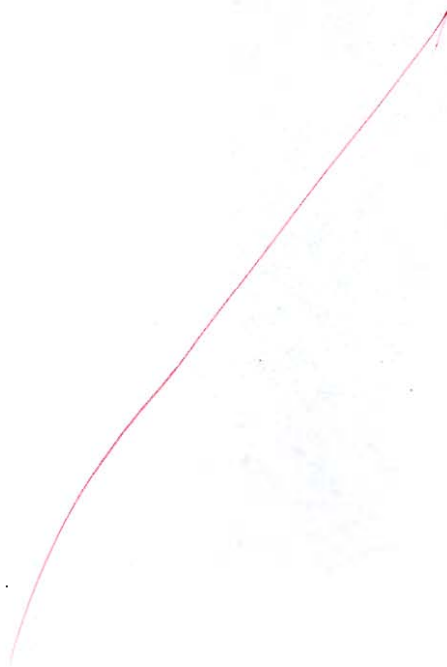


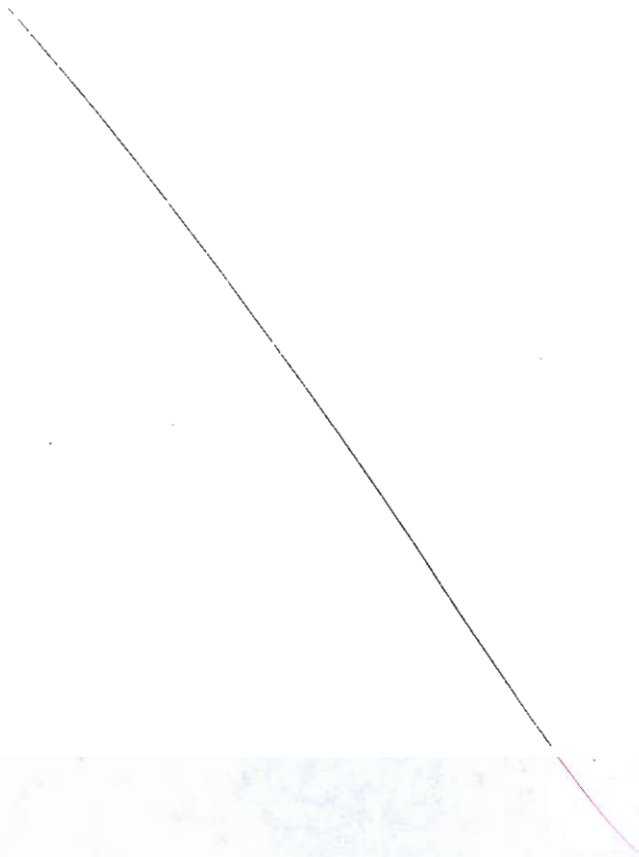
- Q.2 (b) Design a rectangular reinforced concrete beam to resist a factored bending moment of 414 kNm. The beam has a width of 300 mm and an overall depth of 600 mm. An effective cover of 50 mm is provided to both the tension and compression reinforcement. The beam is constructed using M20 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel. Use Limit state method.

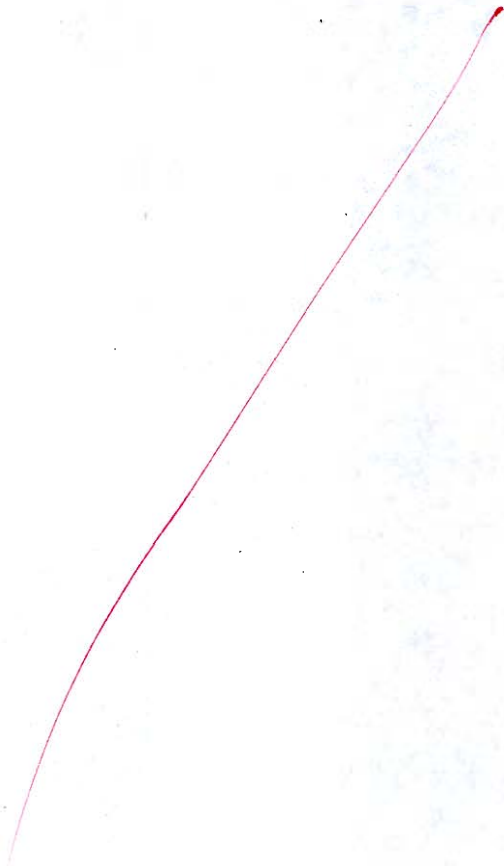
Design stress - Strain table For Fe-415

Design stress	$0.80 f_{yd}$	$0.85 f_{yd}$	$0.90 f_{yd}$	$0.95 f_{yd}$	$0.975 f_{yd}$	$1.00 f_{yd}$
Strain	0.00144	0.00163	0.00192	0.00241	0.00276	0.00380

[20 marks]

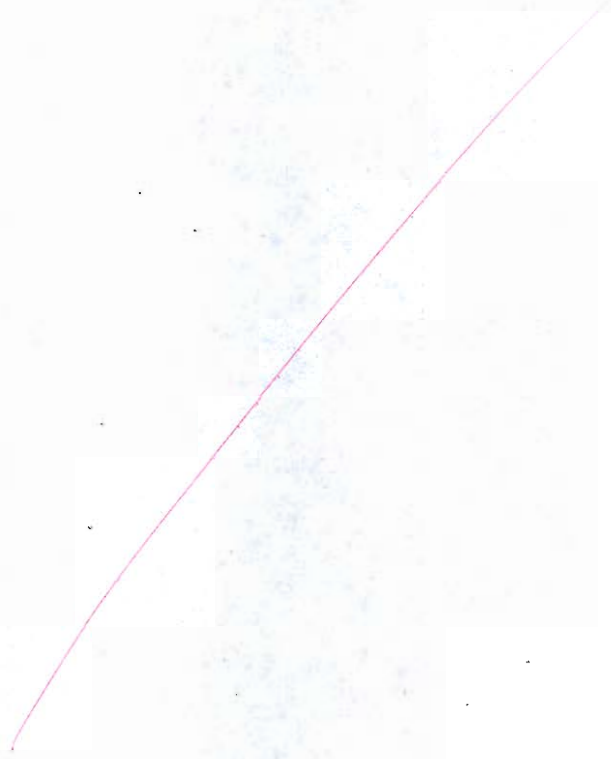






- Q.2(c) A rectangular prestressed concrete beam of size $450 \text{ mm} \times 900 \text{ mm}$ is simply supported over a span of 15 m . The beam is prestressed using a parabolic cable having an eccentricity of 150 mm at the supports and 350 mm at mid-span. The initial prestressing force applied is 2200 kN . The beam carries a live load of intensity 15 kN/m . The modulus of elasticity of concrete is 36 kN/mm^2 and the unit weight of concrete is 25 kN/m^3 . Estimate the initial mid-span deflection due to prestressing force and dead load and also determine the final deflection assuming 15% loss of prestress. Also derive the deflection formula due to prestressing force.

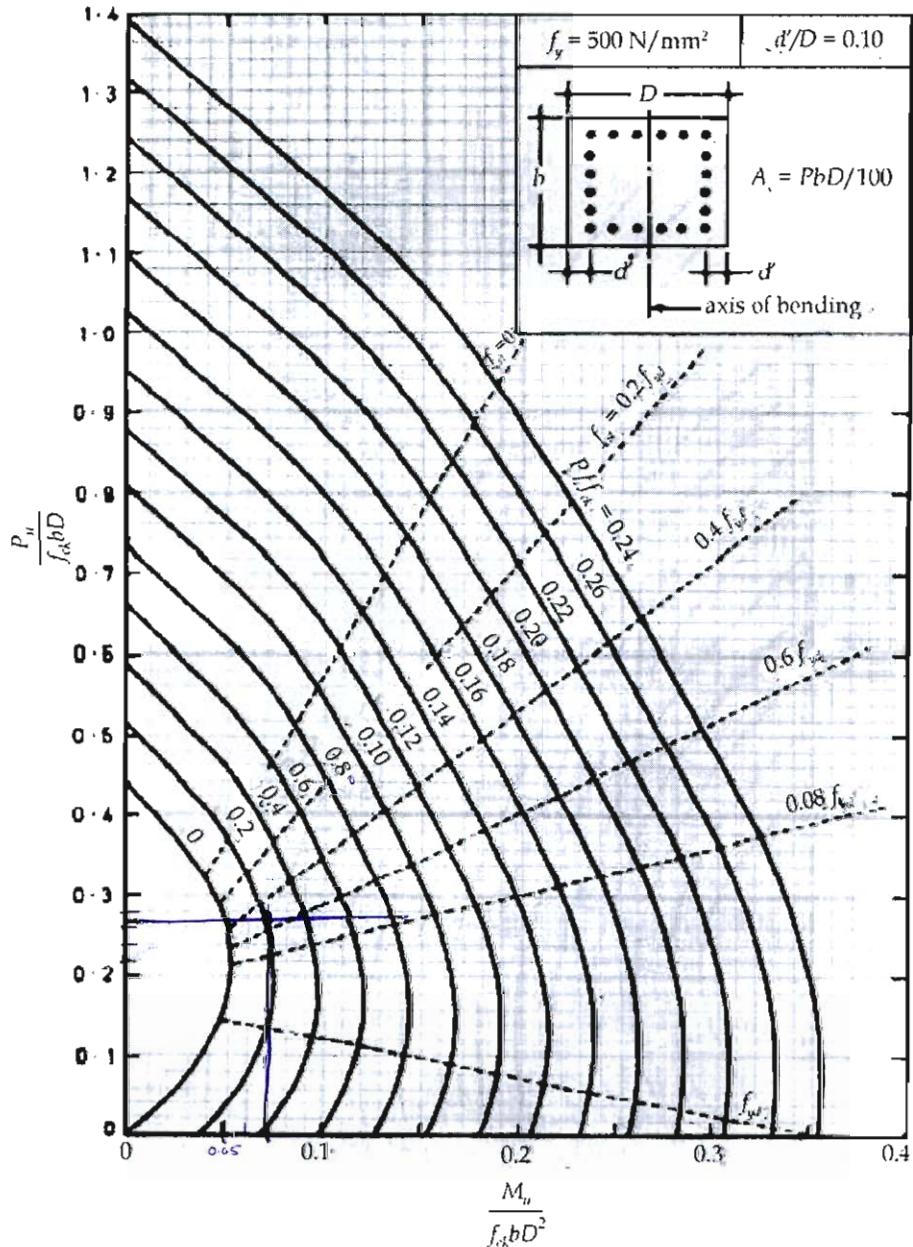
[20 marks]





Q.3(a) Design a short rectangular reinforced concrete column of size 400 mm × 600 mm to resist a factored axial load $P_u = 1600$ kN and a factored uniaxial bending moment $M_u = 250$ KN-m acting about the major axis. The reinforcement is to be distributed equally on all four sides of the column. The unsupported length of the column is 3000 mm. Use the following material properties: take M25 mix, Fe500 steel and effective cover as 60 mm. Relevant chart from SP 16 is enclosed.

Chart 48 COMPRESSION WITH BENDING - Rectangular Section-Reinforcement Distributed Equally on Four Sides



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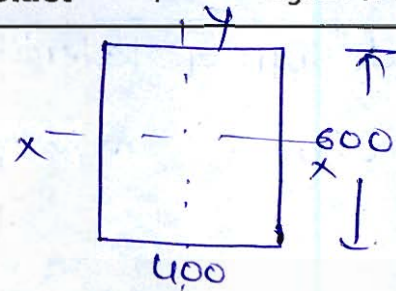
⇒ Given

$$P_u = 1600 \text{ kN}$$

$$M_{u_{xx}} = 250 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

Unsupported length, $l_0 = 3 \text{ m}$

M25, Fe 500, d' (effective cover) = 60 mm



$$\square \frac{d'}{D} = \frac{60 \text{ mm}}{600} = 0.1$$

$$\frac{P_u}{f_{ck} B D} = \frac{1600 \times 1000}{25 \times 400 \times 600} = 0.267$$

$$\frac{M_u}{f_{ck} B D^2} = \frac{250 \times 10^6}{25 \times 400 \times 600^2} = 0.0694$$

From the given chart

$$\frac{P_e}{f_{ck}} = 0.02$$

$$P_t(\%) = \frac{0.02 \times 25}{0.02} = 5\% \quad 0.5\% < \text{min Asc \%} = 0.8\% \quad \text{for Column}$$

$$\text{Asc min} \rightarrow 0.8\%$$

$$\text{Provide Asc} = \frac{0.8}{100} \times B D = \frac{0.8}{100} \times 400 \times 600$$

$$\text{Asc} = 1920 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\text{Area of steel} = 1920 \text{ mm}^2$$

~~Provide~~ Nos of 25 mm ϕ

$$n = \frac{1920}{\frac{\pi}{4} \times 25^2} = 3.911 \approx (4)$$

Provide 4 nos - 25 mm ϕ

design of lateral ties

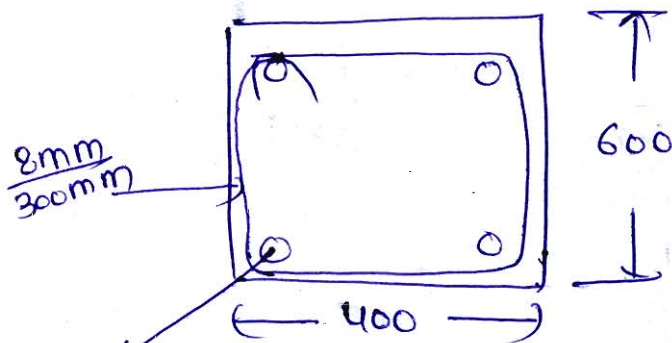
$$\text{dia} = \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\Phi_{\max}}{4} = \frac{25}{4} = 6.25 \\ 6 \text{ mm} \end{array} \right.$$

= Provide 8 mm ϕ

$$\text{Spacing} = \min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} B = 400 \text{ mm} \\ 16 \times \Phi_{\min} = 16 \times 25 = 400 \text{ mm} \\ 300 \text{ mm} \end{array} \right.$$

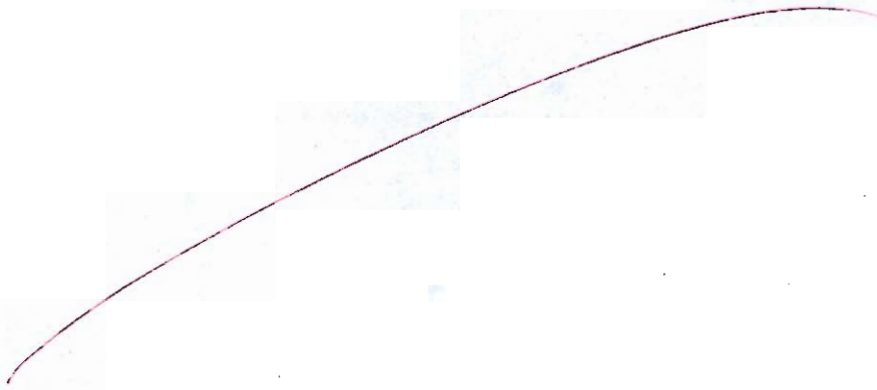
= 300 mm

Provide 8 mm @ 300 mm c/c lateral ties



4-25mm ϕ

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- Q.3(b)** A simply supported reinforced concrete T-beam is required to span 6 m. The beam has a effective flange width of 1500 mm, a flange thickness of 150 mm, and a web width of 600 mm. The overall depth of the section is 600 mm with an effective depth of 550 mm. The beam is reinforced with 4 bars of 25 mm diameter in the tension zone. No compression reinforcement is provided. The materials used are M25 grade concrete and Fe500 grade steel. The beam is subjected to a total sustained (Including self weight) service load of 40 kN/m. The total long-term deflection, accounting for Immediate short-term deflection and additional deflection due to creep using a creep coefficient of 1.6. Ignore deflection due to shrinkage. Finally, verify if the total deflection is within the permissible limit of $\text{Span}/250$ keep the. Over there the given total service load includes the self weight. Take elastic modulus of steel $E_s = 200 \text{ GPa}$.

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ANNEX C

(Clauses 22.3.2, 23.2.1 and 42.1)

CALCULATION OF DEFLECTION

C-1 TOTAL DEFLECTION

C-1.1 The total deflection shall be taken as the sum of the short-term deflection determined in accordance with C-2 and the long-term deflection, in accordance with C-3 and C-4.

C-2 SHORT-TERM DEFLECTION

C-2.1 The short-term deflection may be calculated by the usual methods for elastic deflections using the short-term modulus of elasticity of concrete, E_c and an effective moment of inertia I_{eff} given by the following equation:

$$I_{eff} = \frac{I_g}{1.2 - \frac{M_c}{M} \left(1 - \frac{x}{d} \right) \frac{b_w}{b}}; \text{ but}$$

$$I_c \leq I_{eff} \leq I_g$$

where

- I_g = moment of inertia of the cracked section.
- M_c = cracking moment, equal to $\frac{f_{cr} I_g}{y_t}$ where f_{cr} is the modulus of rupture of concrete, I_g is the moment of inertia of the gross section about the centroidal axis, neglecting the reinforcement, and y_t is the distance from centroidal axis of gross section, neglecting the reinforcement, to extreme fibre in tension.
- M = maximum moment under service loads,
- z = lever arm,
- x = depth of neutral axis,
- d = effective depth,
- b_w = breadth of web, and
- b = breadth of compression face.

For continuous beams, deflection shall be calculated using the values of I , I_g and M , modified by the following equation:

$$X_c = k_1 \left[\frac{X_1 + X_2}{2} \right] + (1 - k_1) X_o$$

where

- X_c = modified value of X ,
- X_1, X_2 = values of X at the supports,
- X_o = value of X at mid span,
- k_1 = coefficient given in Table 25, and
- X = value of I, I_g or M , as appropriate.

C-3 DEFLECTION DUE TO SHRINKAGE

C-3.1 The deflection due to shrinkage a_{cs} may be computed from the following equation:

$$a_{cs} = k_2 \Psi_{cs} l^2$$

where

- k_2 is a constant depending upon the support conditions,
 - 0.5 for cantilevers,
 - 0.125 for simply supported members,
 - 0.086 for members continuous at one end, and
 - 0.063 for fully continuous members.

Ψ_{cs} is shrinkage curvature equal to $k_3 \frac{\epsilon_{cs}}{D}$

where ϵ_{cs} is the ultimate shrinkage strain of concrete (see 6.2.4).

$$k_3 = 0.72 \times \frac{P_1 - P_c}{\sqrt{P_1}} \leq 1.0 \text{ for } 0.25 \leq P_1 - P_c < 1.0$$

$$= 0.65 \times \frac{P_1 - P_c}{\sqrt{P_1}} \leq 1.0 \text{ for } P_1 - P_c \geq 1.0$$

Table 25 Values of Coefficient, k_1
(Clause C-2.1)

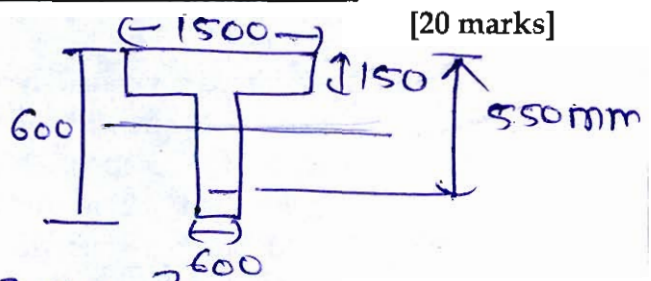
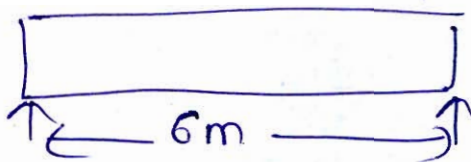
k_1	0.5 or less	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4
k_2	0	0.03	0.08	0.16	0.30	0.50	0.73	0.91	0.97	1.0

NOTE - k_1 is given by

$$k_1 = \frac{M_1 + M_2}{M_{r1} + M_{r2}}$$

where

- M_1, M_2 = support moments, and
- M_{r1}, M_{r2} = fixed end moments.



$$A_{st} = 4 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 25^2 = 1963.5 \text{ mm}^2$$

M25, f_c 500

$$w = 40 \text{ kN/m}$$

[20 marks]

Total long term deflection

$$S_{\text{long term}} = \frac{5}{384} \frac{w l^4}{E I_{\text{eff}}}$$

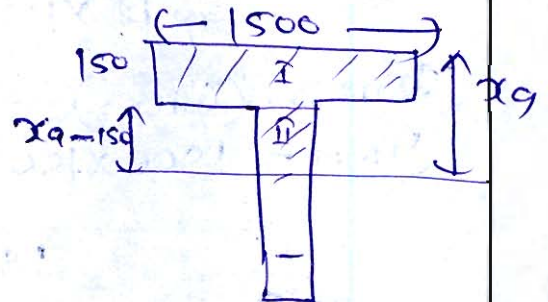
$$E_{\text{eff}} = \frac{E_c}{1+\phi} = \frac{5000}{1+0} \frac{f_{ck}}{1+0}$$

$$= \frac{5000 \times 25}{1+1.6} = 9615.384 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$m = \frac{E_s}{E_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{2 \times 10^5}{9615.384} = 20.8$$

ii Actual depth of NA

$$B_f \times 150 \times \left[\frac{x_a - 150}{2} \right] + B_w \left[\frac{x_a - 150}{2} \right]^2 = m A_{\text{st}} (d - x_a)$$



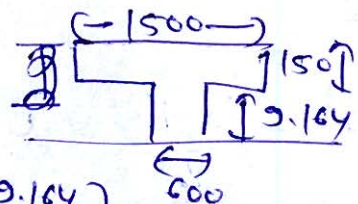
$$1500 \times 150 \times \left[\frac{x_a - 75}{2} \right] + 600 \times \left[\frac{x_a - 150}{2} \right]^2 = 20.8 \times 1963.5 \times (550 - x_a)$$

$$x_a [225000] - 16875000 + 300 [x_a^2 + 22500 - 300x_a] = 40840.8 \times 550 - 40840.8 x_a$$

$$300x_a^2 + x_a [225000 - 90000 + 40840.8] - 16875000 + 300 \times 22500 - 40840.8 \times 550$$

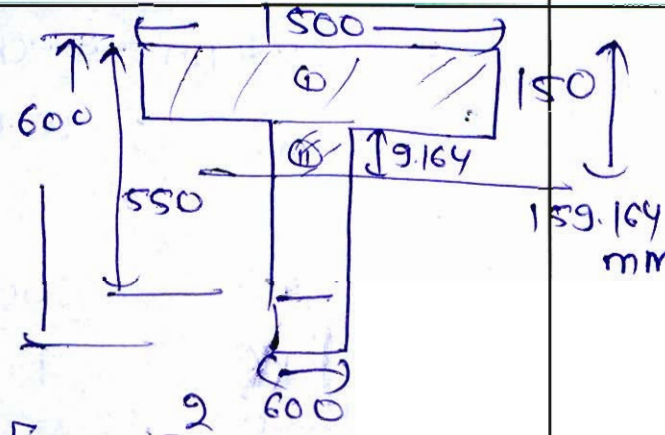
$$x_a = 159.164 \text{ mm}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1500 \times 150 \times 75 + 9.164 \times 600 \times \left(\frac{150 + 9.164}{2} \right)}{1500 \times 150 + 9.164 \times 600} = 76.898 \text{ mm}$$



$I_{cracked}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1500 \times 150^3}{12} \\
 &+ 1500 \times 150 \times \left[\frac{159.164}{2} - 75 \right]^2 \\
 &+ \frac{600 \times 9.164^3}{12} + 600 \times 9.164 \times \left[\frac{9.164}{2} \right]^2 \\
 &+ 20.8 \times 4 \times \left[\frac{\pi}{64} \times 25^4 + \frac{\pi}{4} \times 25^2 \times \left(550 - 159.164 \right)^2 \right] \\
 &= 82.56 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4 \leftarrow I_{gross} \text{ (assumed)}
 \end{aligned}$$



~~$I_{gross} = I_{gross}$~~

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_{NA} &= \frac{1500 \times 150 \times 75 + 600 \times 450 \times \left(150 + \frac{450}{2} \right)}{1500 \times 150 + 600 \times 450} \\
 &= 238.64 \text{ mm}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 I &= \frac{1500 \times 150^3}{12} + 1500 \times 150 \times (238.64 - 75)^2 \\
 &+ \frac{600 \times 450^3}{12} + 600 \times 450 \times \left(238.64 - 150 - \frac{450}{2} \right)^2 \\
 &= 160.238 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4
 \end{aligned}$$

$I_{crack} < I_{gross}$

$\Rightarrow I_{eff} = I$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{cracked} &= f_{cr} \times \frac{I}{y_{bottom}} = 0.7 \sqrt{25} \times \frac{160.238 \times 10^8}{600 - 238.64} \\
 &= 155.2 \text{ kN.m}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$BM = \frac{wL^2}{8} = \frac{40 \times 6^2}{8} = 180 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$LA = d - \bar{y} = 550 - 76.898$$

$$= 473.102 \text{ mm}$$

$$J_{eff} = \frac{I_{cr}}{1.2 - \frac{M_{cr}}{BM} \left(\frac{LA}{d} \right) \left(1 - \frac{x_g}{d} \right) \frac{b_w}{b}}$$

$$= \frac{82.56 \times 10^8}{1.2 - \left(\frac{155.2 \times 10^6}{180 \times 10^6} \right) \left(\frac{473.102}{550} \right) \left(1 - \frac{159.164}{550} \right) \left(\frac{600}{1500} \right)}$$

$$I_{cr} < J_{eff} \text{ } 83.463 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4 < I_g$$

$$S = \frac{5 \times WL^4}{384 E_{eff} J_{eff}}$$

$$= \frac{5 \times 400 \times (6000)^4}{384 \times 9615384 \times 83.463 \times 10^8}$$

$$S_L = \underline{\underline{8.411 \text{ mm}}}$$

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Q.3 (c) (i) A reinforced concrete beam of rectangular cross-section 250 mm × 500 mm has a clear cover to reinforcement of 25 mm. At the support, the tension reinforcement consists of 4 numbers of 20 mm diameter Fe 415 steel bars. The support transfers a factored shear force of 150 kN to the beam. Design the spacing of two-legged 8 mm stirrups. Concrete grade is M20. Use the given τ_c values.

$\frac{100A_{st}}{bd}$	0.75	1.00	1.25
τ_c (MPa)	0.56	0.62	0.67

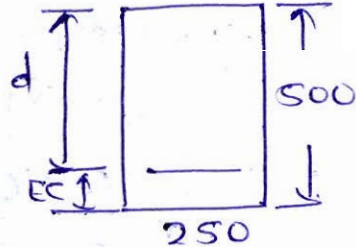
- (ii) A rectangular reinforced concrete beam has a width of 300 mm and a total depth of 600 mm. The tension reinforcement consists of 4 bars of 25 mm diameter at an effective depth of 550 mm. The section is composed of M20 grade concrete and Fe415 grade steel. Given the permissible compressive stress in bending σ_{cbc} is 7.0 MPa, determine the maximum stresses developed in the concrete and the steel reinforcement when the section is subjected to an applied bending moment of 45 kNm.

[10 + 10 = 20 marks]

① Given

$$\text{Clear cover} = 25 \text{ mm}$$

$$A_{st} = 4 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 20^2 = 1256.64 \text{ mm}^2$$



$$V_u = 150 \text{ kN}$$

M20, Fe415

$$A_{sv} = 2L-8 \text{ mm}$$

$$EC = 25 + 8 + \frac{20}{2} = 43 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{Effective depth, } d = 500 - 43 = 457 \text{ mm}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{I } V_u = 150 \text{ kN}$$

$$\tau_v = \frac{V_u}{Bd} = \frac{150 \times 1000}{250 \times 457} = 1.313 \text{ N/mm}^2 < \tau_{max} = 2.8 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$\text{II } \tau_c \Rightarrow P_t(\%) = \frac{A_{st} \times 100}{Bd}$$

$$= \frac{1256.64}{250 \times 457} \times 100 = 1.1\%$$

from table

$$\tau_c = 0.62 + (0.67 - 0.62) \left[\frac{1.1 - 1}{1.25 - 1} \right]$$

$$= 0.64 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$V_c = \tau_c \cdot Bd = \frac{0.64 \times 250 \times 500}{103}$$

$$= 80 \text{ kN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_s &= V_u - V_c \\ &= 150 - 80 \\ &= 70 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

Spacing Requirement

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{i} \quad s_v &= \frac{A_{sv} \times 0.87 f_y \times d}{V_s} \\ &= \frac{2 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 8^2 \times 0.87 \times 415 \times 457}{70 \times 1000} \\ &= 236.97 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

\textcircled{ii} Min shear R/f

$$\begin{aligned} s_v &= \frac{A_{sv} \times 0.87 f_y}{B \times 0.4} \\ &= \frac{2 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 8^2 \times 0.87 \times 415}{250 \times 0.4} = 362.97 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{iii} \quad \text{max} &= 0.75d = 0.75 \times 457 = 342.75 \text{ mm} \\ &= 300 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Spacing} &= \min. \begin{cases} 236.97 \text{ mm} \\ 362.97 \text{ mm} \\ 342.75 \text{ mm} \\ 300 \text{ mm} \end{cases} \\ &= 236.97 \text{ mm say } 230 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

Provide 2L-8m @ 230 mm c/c

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$$\textcircled{ii} A_{st} = 4 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 25^2$$

$$= 1963.5 \text{ mm}^2$$

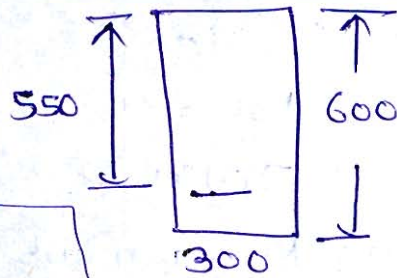
M20, Fe 415

 $f_{cbc} = 7 \text{ MPa}$

BM = 45 kN.m

$$m = \frac{280}{3 f_{cbc}}$$

$$m = \frac{280}{3 \times 7} = 13.33$$



① Checking moment of resistance of section & Cracking moment

$$a) M_{cr} (\text{approx}) = f_{cr} Z$$

$$= 0.7 \sqrt{f_{cr}} \times \frac{BD^2}{6}$$

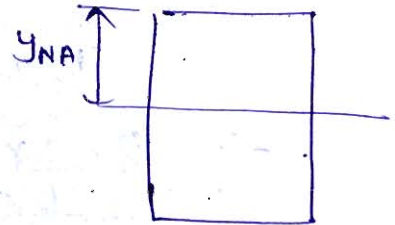
$$= 0.7 \sqrt{20} \times \frac{300 \times 600^2}{6} \times \frac{1}{10^6}$$

$$= 56.349 \text{ kN.m}$$

BM < $M_{cr} \rightarrow$ Uncracked section

\Rightarrow Actual depth of NA

$$y_{NA} = \frac{B \cdot D \cdot \frac{D}{2} + (m-1) A_{st} \times d}{BD + (m-1) A_{st}}$$



$$= \frac{300 \times 600^2}{2} + (13.33-1) \times 1963.5 \times 550}{300 \times 600 + (13.33-1) \times 1963.5} = 329.64 \text{ mm}$$

$$I = \frac{BD^3}{12} + BD \cdot \left[y_{NA} - \frac{D}{2} \right]^2 + (m-1) n \left[\frac{\pi}{64} \times \phi^4 + \frac{\pi}{4} \phi^2 (d - y_{NA})^2 \right]$$

$$= \frac{300 \times 600^3}{12} + 300 \times 600 \left[329.64 - \frac{600}{2} \right]^2$$

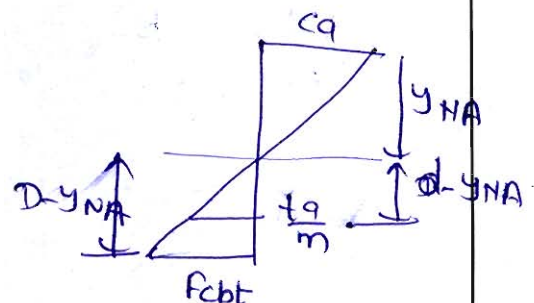
$$+ (13.33-1) \times 4 \times \left[\frac{\pi}{64} \times 25^4 + \frac{\pi}{4} \times 25^2 (550 - 329.64)^2 \right]$$

$$= 67.347 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4$$

\Rightarrow Stresses

① At top

$$c_t = \frac{BM \times y_{NA}}{I}$$



$$C_a = \frac{45 \times 10^6}{67.347 \times 10^8} \times 329.64 = 2.2 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

at the level of steel in steel R/H $\rightarrow \frac{t_a}{m} = \frac{BM \times (d - y_{NA})}{I}$

$$t_a = \frac{45 \times 10^6 \times 13.33 \times (550 - 329.64)}{67.347 \times 10^8}$$

$$t_a = 19.63 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

(at tensile fibre)

$$f_{cbt} = \frac{BM}{I} (D - y_{NA})$$

$$= \frac{45 \times 10^6}{67.347 \times 10^8} \times (600 - 329.64)$$

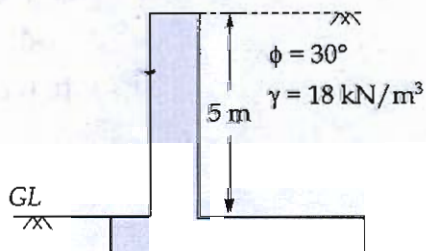
$$= 1.806 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$f_{cr} = 0.7 \sqrt{20} = 3.13 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

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OK

Q.4(a) Design the vertical and horizontal reinforcement for the stem of a cantilever retaining wall to retain a level earth bank. The stem has a constant width and a height of 5.0 m above ground level. Sketch the reinforcement details showing the arrangement of the bars. Take M-25 grade of concrete and Fe 415 grade of steel. Also check in shear. Assume wall is safe in stability.



Unit weight of back fill soil (γ): 18 kN/m³

Angle of internal friction (ϕ): 30°

Effective depth (d): 450 mm

Clear cover: 50 mm

Main reinforcement: 16 mm diameter bars

Secondary reinforcement: 12 mm diameter bars

(Design Shear Strength of Concrete, τ_c N/mm²)

$100 \frac{A_{st}}{bd}$	Concrete Grade					
	M 15	M 20	M 25	M 30	M 35	M 40 and above
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
≤ 0.15	0.28	0.28	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.30
0.25	0.35	0.36	0.36	0.37	0.37	0.38
0.50	0.46	0.48	0.49	0.50	0.50	0.51
0.75	0.54	0.56	0.57	0.59	0.59	0.60
1.00	0.60	0.62	0.64	0.66	0.67	0.68
1.25	0.64	0.67	0.70	0.71	0.73	0.74
1.50	0.68	0.72	0.74	0.76	0.78	0.79
1.75	0.71	0.75	0.78	0.80	0.82	0.84
2.00	0.71	0.79	0.82	0.84	0.86	0.88
2.25	0.71	0.81	0.85	0.88	0.90	0.92
2.50	0.71	0.82	0.88	0.91	0.93	0.95
2.75	0.71	0.82	0.90	0.94	0.96	0.98
≥ 3.00	0.71	0.82	0.92	0.96	0.99	1.01

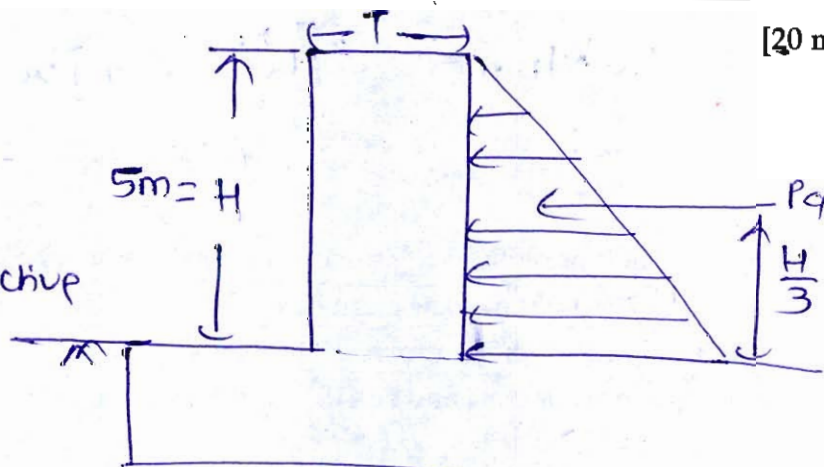
On Stem

[20 marks]

$d = 450 \text{ mm}$

assuming

50mm effective cover



$T = d + 50$

$= 450 + 50 = 500 \text{ mm}$

$\gamma = 18 \text{ kN/m}^3$

$\phi = 30^\circ$

M25, Fe 415

$T = d + 50 \text{ (assumed)}$

$= 500 \text{ mm}$

T = total width

(A) Active earth pressure

$K_a = \text{active earth pressure coefficient}$

$$= \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} = \frac{1 - \sin 30^\circ}{1 + \sin 30^\circ} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P_a = \frac{1}{2} [K_a \gamma_s H] H = \frac{1}{2} K_a \gamma_s H^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} \times 18 \times 5^2 = 75 \text{ kN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{BM at support} &= Pa \times \frac{H}{3} \\ &= 75 \times \frac{5}{3} = 125 \text{ kN.m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{BM}_u = 1.5 \times 125 = 187.5 \text{ kN.m}$$

Check effective depth

$$\begin{aligned} d &= \sqrt{\frac{\text{BM}_u}{0.138}} = \sqrt{\frac{187.5 \times 10^6}{0.138 \times 25 \times 1000}} \\ &= 233 \text{ mm} < d_{\text{provided}} = 450 \text{ mm} \quad (\text{OK}) \end{aligned}$$

Area of steel

$$\begin{aligned} A_{st} &= 0.5 \frac{f_{ck}}{f_y} \left[1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{4.6 \text{ BM}_u}{f_{ck} B d^2}} \right] B d \\ &= \frac{0.5 \times 25}{415} \left[1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{4.6 \times 187.5 \times 10^6}{25 \times 1000 \times 450^2}} \right] 1000 \times 450 \\ &= 1208.5 \text{ mm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A_{st}(\text{min}) &= \frac{0.12}{100} \times B \times T \\ &= \frac{0.12}{100} \times 1000 \times 500 = 612 \text{ mm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

→ Vertical R/H ($A_{st} = 1208.5 \text{ mm}^2$)

spacing of 16mm ϕ

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{1000}{A_{st}} \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times \phi^2 = \frac{1000}{1208.5} \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 16^2 \\ &= 166.37 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

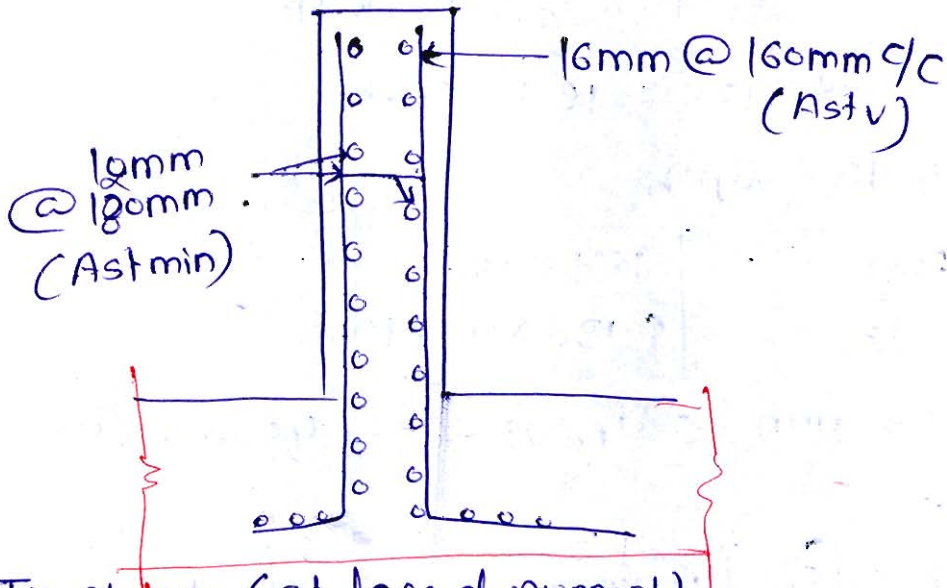
Provide 16mm @ 160mm c/c

→ Horizontal R/H ($A_{st} \text{ min}$)

spacing of 12mm ϕ

$$S = \frac{1000}{600} \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 12^2 = 128.33 \text{ mm} \quad 188.5 \text{ mm}$$

Provide 12mm @ 180mm c/c



In shear (at face of support)

$$V_u = 1.5 \times P_a = 1.5 \times 75 = 112.5 \text{ kN}$$

$$\tau_v = \frac{V_u}{Bd} = \frac{112.5 \times 1000}{1000 \times 450} = 0.25 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$\tau_{cmin} = 0.29 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

safe

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- Q.4(b) Design a square footing for a column load of 1500 kN at service from a 400 mm square column containing 8 bars of 20 mm diameter. The bearing capacity of soil is 120 kN/m². Use M25 grade concrete and Fe 415 grade steel, load factor = 1.5. Shear strength of concrete = 0.35 MPa. Design for bending and shear only. Development length check is not required. Show the reinforcement detail. Assume diameter of main bar = 16 mm.

[20 marks]

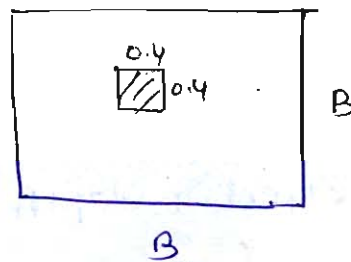
$$P = 1500 \text{ kN}$$

$$q_s = 120 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

M25, Fe415

$$\text{Load factor} = 1.5$$

$$\tau_c = 0.35 \text{ N/mm}^2$$



Step 1) Size of footing

$$\text{assume wt of footing} = 0.2P = 0.2 \times 1500 = 300 \text{ kN} = W_F$$

$$\text{wt of soil, } W_s = 0.2P = 300 \text{ kN}$$

$$P = 1500 \text{ kN}$$

$$P_{\text{total}} = 2100 \text{ kN}$$

$$\text{Area of footing} = \frac{P_{\text{total}}}{q_s}$$

$$B^2 = \frac{2100 \text{ kN}}{120 \text{ kN/m}^2}$$

$$B = 4.183 \text{ m} \approx \text{say } 4.2 \text{ m}$$

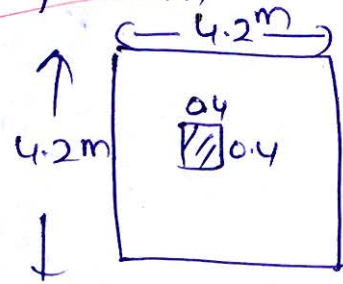
Step II Net soil design pressure

$$w_0 = \frac{P}{\text{Area of footing}}$$

$$= \frac{1500}{4.2 \times 4.2} = 85.034 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

Factored

$$w_{00} = 1.5 \times w_0 = 127.6 \text{ kN/m}^2$$



Step III Bending moment

Critical section at face of column

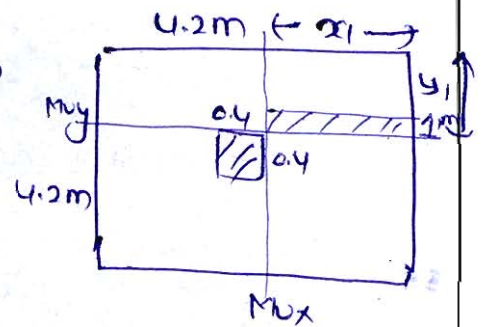
~~Max~~ = Projections

$$x_1 = \frac{4.2 - 0.4}{2} = 1.9 \text{ m}$$

$$y_1 = 1.9 \text{ m}$$

$$M_{ux_1} = w_{00} \cdot \frac{x_1^2}{2} = 127.6 \times \frac{1.9^2}{2}$$

$$= 230.318 \text{ kN.m} = M_{uy}$$



⇒ Check effective depth

$$d_{\text{req}} = \sqrt{\frac{M_{\text{max}}}{\phi B}} = \sqrt{\frac{230.318 \times 10^6}{0.138 \times 25 \times 1000}}$$

$$= 170.208 \text{ mm}$$

Provide $d = 520 \text{ mm}$

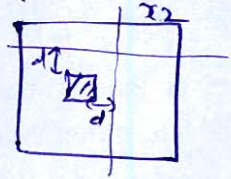
assume effective cover = 80 mm

Total depth, $D = 520 + 80 = 600 \text{ mm}$

Step IV check for one way shear

Critical section at 'd' distance from face of col^um.

$$x_2 = x_1 - d = 1.9 - 0.52 = 1.38m = 42$$



$$V_u = w_{u0} [x_2] = 127.6 \times 1.38 = 176.088 \text{ kN}$$

$$\tau_{up} = \frac{V_u}{Bd} = \frac{176.088 \times 1000}{1000 \times 520} = 0.34 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$< \tau_c = 0.35 \text{ N/mm}^2$ (given)

OK

Step V check for punching shear

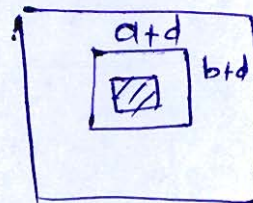
Critical section at $\frac{d}{2}$ from face of column

$$P_{unet} = P_u - w_{u0} (a+d)(b+d)$$

$$= 1.5 \times 1500 - 127.6 \times [0.92]^2$$

$$= 2141.999$$

$$\approx 2142 \text{ kN}$$



$$a = b = 0.4$$

$$d = 0.52$$

$$a+d = 0.4+0.52$$

$$b+d = 0.92$$

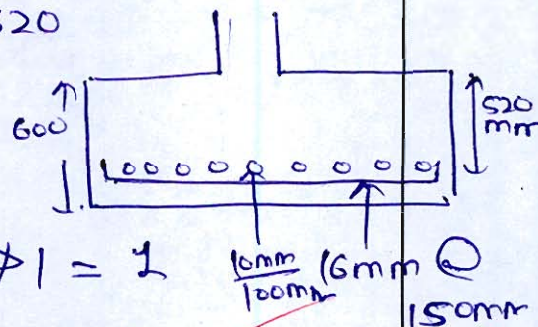
$$\tau_{up} = \frac{P_{unet}}{4(a+d)d} = \frac{2142 \times 1000}{4 \times [920] \times 520}$$

$$= 1.12 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$\text{Permissible } \tau_{up} = 0.25 \sqrt{f_{ck}} \times K_b$$

$$K_b = 0.5 + \frac{b}{a} = 0.5 + \frac{0.4}{0.4} = 1.5 > 1 = 1$$

$$\tau_{up} = 0.25 \sqrt{25} = 1.25 \text{ N/mm}^2$$



$$\tau_{up} < \tau_{up}(\text{Permissible}) \quad \text{OK}$$

$$A_{st} = 0.5 \times \frac{25}{115} \left[1 - \sqrt{1 - \frac{0.6 \times 230.318 \times 10^6}{25 \times 1000 \times 520^2}} \right] \times 1000 \times 520$$

(Spacing of 16mm @ 1280)

$$= 1280 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$A_{st}(\text{min}) = \frac{0.12}{100} \times 1000 \times 600 = 720 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$= 157.08 \text{ mm}$$

main R/d = Provide 16mm @ 150mm

Distribution bars → Provide 10mm @ 100mm/c/c

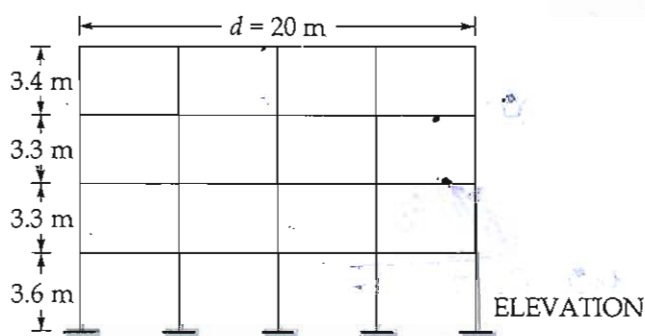
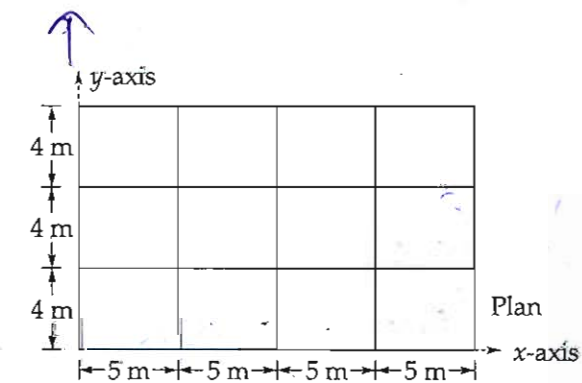
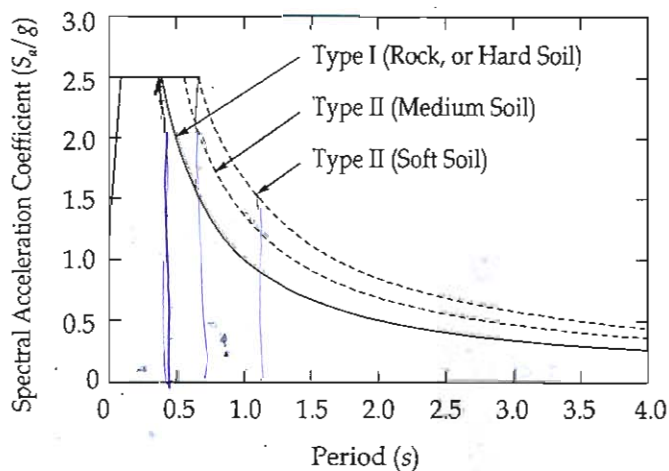
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Q.4(c) A four-storey reinforced concrete (RC) office building located in seismic zone VI is shown in the figure. The RC frames are infilled with brick masonry. The lumped weights due to dead loads are 12 kN/m^2 on the floors and 10 kN/m^2 on the roof. The floors must cater to a live load of 3 kN/m^2 on the floors and 1.0 kN/m^2 on roof. Calculate the design seismic load on the structure at different storeys using Linear Static (Equivalent Static) analysis, along y -axis. Assume the foundation of the office is laid on the fresh rock.

Zone factor $Z = 0.24$

Importance factor $I = 1.2$

Response Reduction Factor $R = 5$



[20 marks]

Time ~~per~~ Period (brick mull)

$$T_a = \frac{0.09H}{\sqrt{B}}$$

$$H = 3.6 + 3.3 + 3.3 + 3.4$$

$$= 13.6 \text{ m}$$

$$B = 12 \text{ m}$$

$$T_a = \frac{0.09 \times 13.6}{\sqrt{12}} = 0.353 \text{ sec}$$

∴ For Hard Rock

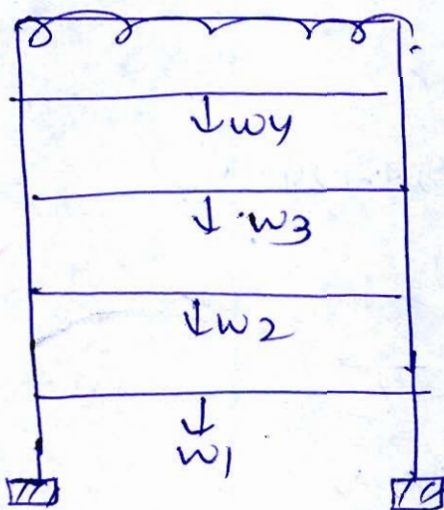
$$T_a < 0.4 \text{ sec}$$

$$\frac{S_g}{g} = 2.5$$

$$A_H = \frac{Z}{2} \left(\frac{I}{R} \right) \left(\frac{S_g}{g} \right)$$

$$= \frac{0.24}{2} \left(\frac{1.2}{5} \right) (2.5)$$

$$= 0.072$$



	DL	LL
W4	10x12x20 = 2400 kN	0
W3	12x12x20 = 2880 kN	0.5 x 3 x 12 x 20 = 360
W2	2880 kN	-360 kN
W1	2880 kN	360 kN

$$\text{Total } W = 2400 + 3(2880 + 360)$$

$$= 12120 \text{ kN}$$

$$F = \sum W \times AH$$

$$= 12120 \times 0.072$$

$$= 872.64 \text{ KN} = V_B$$

	KN	H _i	W _i H _i ²
W ₄	2400	13.6	443904
W ₃	3240	10.2	337089.6
W ₂	3240	6.9	154256.4
W ₁	3240	3.6	41990.4

$$\Sigma 977240.4 \text{ KN.m}^2$$

$$F_4 = R \times \frac{W_4 h_4^2}{\Sigma W_i h_i^2}$$

$$= 872.64 \times \frac{443904}{977240.4}$$

$$= 396.39 \text{ KN}$$

$$F_3 = 872.64 \times \frac{337089.6}{977240.4}$$

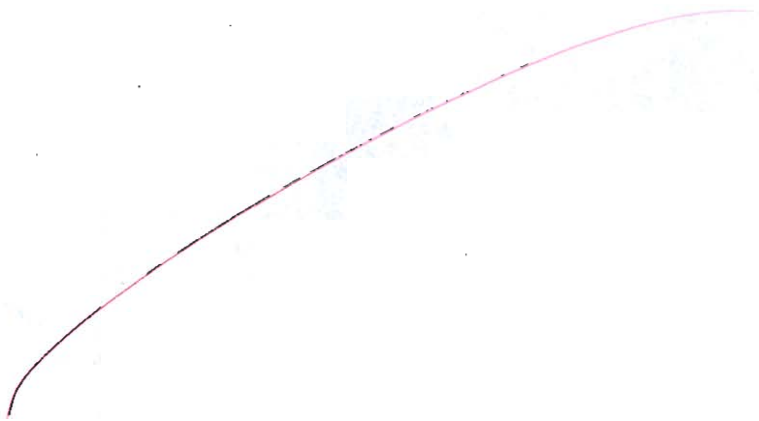
$$= 301.0087 \text{ KN}$$

$$F_2 = 872.64 \times \frac{154256.4}{977240.4}$$

$$= 137.74 \text{ KN}$$

$$F_1 = 872.64 \times \frac{41990.4}{977240.4} = 37.5 \text{ KN}$$

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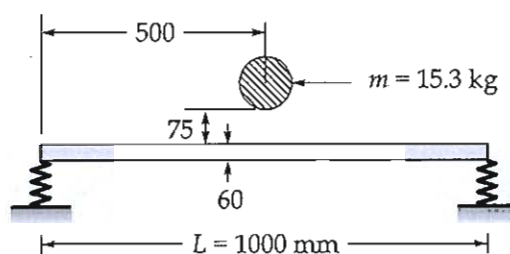
**Section B : Strength of Materials-1 + Highway Engineering-2 + Surveying and Geology-2**

Q.5 (a) A steel beam of cross-section 60×60 mm and span 1000 mm is subjected to impact loading as shown in the figure. A mass of 15.3 kg falls freely from a height of 75 mm above the beam at midspan.

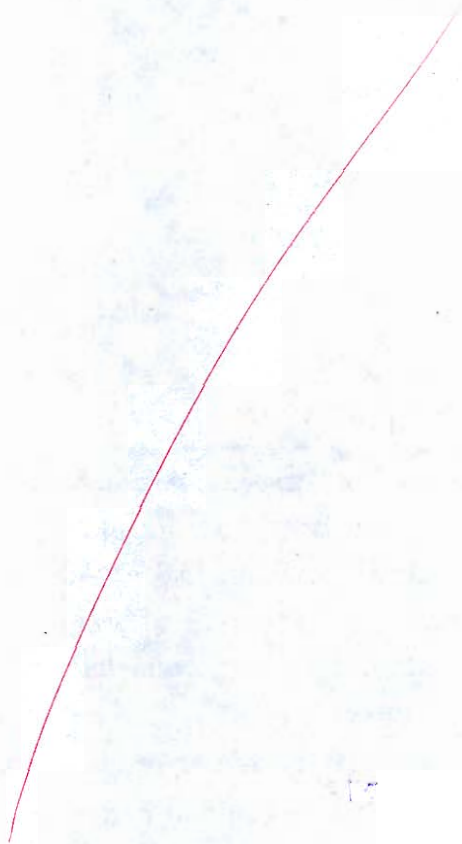
Determine the maximum instantaneous deflection and the maximum bending stress in the beam for the following cases:

1. When the beam is supported on rigid supports
2. When the beam is supported at both ends by springs, each having a stiffness of $k = 200\text{N/mm}$

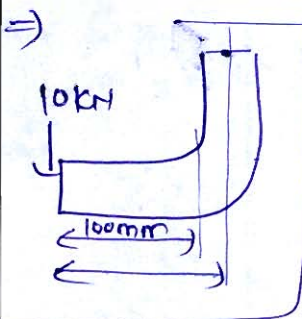
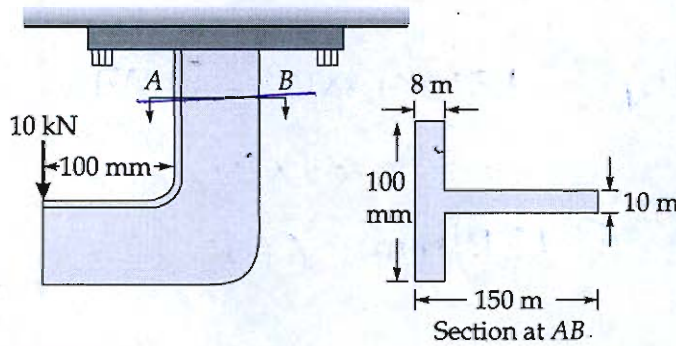
Take the modulus of elasticity $E = 200$ GPa



[12 marks]



Q.5(b) A load of 10 kN acts on a cast iron bracket as shown in figure below. Determine the stresses at extreme fibre of section AB.

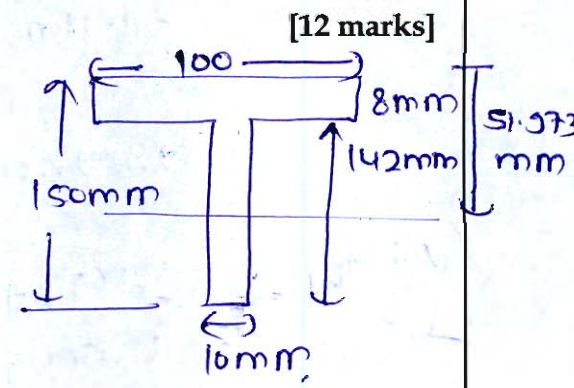


NA of section

$$y_{NA} = 100 \times 8 \times 4 + 10 \times 142 \times \left[8 + \frac{142}{2} \right]$$

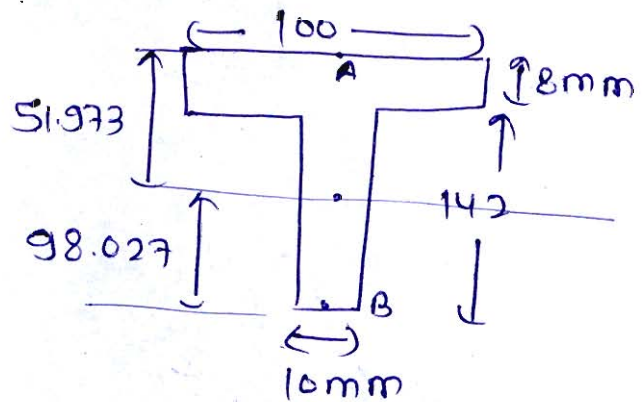
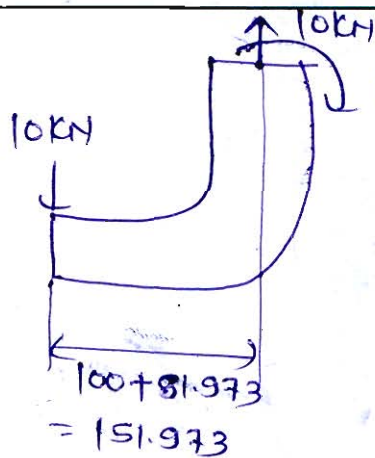
$$\frac{100 \times 8 + 142 \times 10}{}$$

$$= 51.973 \text{ mm}$$



$$I = \frac{100 \times 8^3}{12} + 100 \times 8 \left[51.973 - 4 \right]^2 + \frac{10 \times 142^3}{12} + 10 \times 142 \times \left[\frac{51.973 - 8 - 142}{2} \right]^2$$

$$= 5.2687 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4$$



① direct stresses

$$\sigma_d = \frac{10 \times 1000 \text{ N}}{A} = \frac{10 \times 1000}{100 \times 8 + 142 \times 10}$$

$$= 4.504 \text{ N/mm}^2 \text{ (T)}$$

Bending stresses

$$\sigma_b = \frac{M \times y}{I}$$

$$\sigma_{bA} = \frac{M \times y_{top}}{I} = \frac{1519.73 \times 10^3 \times 51.973}{5.2687 \times 10^6}$$

$$= 14.991 \approx 15 \text{ N/mm}^2 \text{ (T)}$$

$$\sigma_{bB} = \frac{M \times y_{bottom}}{I} = \frac{1519.73 \times 10^3 \times 98.027}{5.2687 \times 10^6}$$

$$= 28.28 \text{ N/mm}^2 \text{ (C)}$$

$$\text{At top} = \sigma_d \text{ (T)} + \sigma_{bA} \text{ (T)}$$

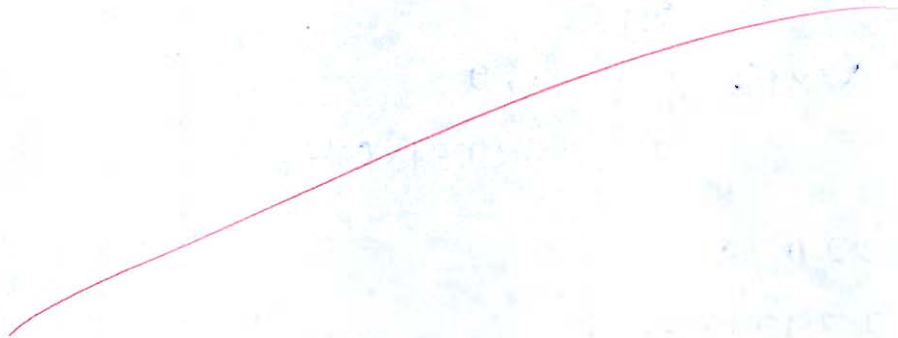
$$= 4.504 + 15 = 19.504 \text{ N/mm}^2 \text{ (Tensile)}$$

$$\text{at bottom} = \sigma_d \text{ (T)} + \sigma_{bB} \text{ (C)}$$

$$= 4.504 - 28.28 = -23.776 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$= 23.776 \text{ N/mm}^2 \text{ (Compressive)}$$

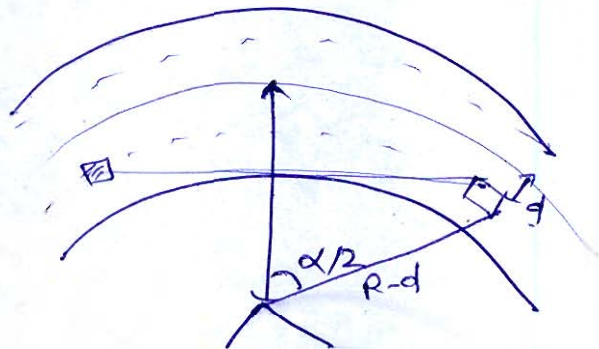
(12)



Q.5(c) The corner of an existing building is 10 m from centre line on a curved portion of two-lane highway. Considering the stopping sight distance, what is safe operating speed if the radius of curve measured from centerline of road is 160 m? Lane width is 3.5 m. Assume reaction time of driver as 2.5 sec, longitudinal friction coefficient as 0.40 and length of curve is greater than stopping sight distance.

[12 marks]

⇒ Given
 setback distance
 $m = 10\text{ m}$
 $R = 160\text{ m}$
 lane width = 3.5 m
 $t_R = 2.5\text{ sec}$
 $f = 0.4$



⇒ length of curve > SSD

$$m = R - (R-d) \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\alpha}{2} = \frac{180 S}{2\pi(R-d)}$$

$$d = \frac{3.5}{2} = 1.75\text{ m}$$

$$10 = 160 - (160 - 1.75) \cos \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

$$\frac{\alpha}{2} = 18.582^\circ$$

$S = \text{SSD}$
 ↑
 sight distance

$$\Rightarrow 18.582 = \frac{180 \times S}{2\pi(160 - 1.75)} \quad \Rightarrow S = 102.65\text{ m}$$

$$SSD = 102.65 \text{ m}$$

let $v =$ safe operating
speed

$$\therefore SSD = vt_r + \frac{v^2}{2gf}$$

$$102.65 = v \times (2.5) + \frac{v^2}{2 \times 9.81 \times 0.4}$$

$$v = 20.22 \text{ m/s}$$

$$= 72.792 \text{ kmph}$$

Safe operating speed

$$v = 72.8 \text{ kmph (Ans)}$$

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Q.5(d) A new 4-lane divided highway is planned for a high-traffic corridor. A commercial vehicle survey conducted this year indicates an Average Daily Traffic (ADT) of 2,500 commercial vehicles per day (CVPD) in both directions combined. The construction of the pavement is expected to take 2 years, during which the traffic is projected to grow at a rate of 7.5% per annum. The highway is designed for a service life of 15 years post-construction. Due to shifting economic conditions, the traffic growth rate is expected to remain at 7.5% per annum for the first 10 years of operation, then increase to 9% per annum for the final 5 years. An axle load survey reveals a mixed vehicle composition: 40% of the commercial vehicles have a Vehicle Damage Factor (VDF) of 3.5, while the remaining 60% have a VDF of 5.5. For the design of each carriageway, use a Lane Distribution Factor (LDF) of 0.75. Calculate the total design traffic in Million Standard Axles (msa). Assume any other detail as per latest IRC code.

[12 marks]

⇒ Given, $P = 2500$ CVPD

$x = 2$ years

$r = 7.5\%$ annum

$n = 15$ years \longrightarrow 10 years $\longrightarrow r_1 = 7.5\%$

40% \longrightarrow VDF = 3.5 = F_1

5 years $\longrightarrow r_2 = 9\%$

60% \longrightarrow VDF = 5.5 = F_2

~~0.75~~ $D = 0.75$

LSF = 1 (assume)

1] $A =$ initial traffic in the year of completion of construction of road

$= P[1+r]^x$

$A = 2500 [1+0.075]^2 = 2889.0625$ CVPD

$0.4A = 0.4 \times 2889.0625$ CVPD \longrightarrow VDF = 3.5

$0.6A = 0.6 \times 2889.0625$ CVPD \longrightarrow VDF = 5.5

⇒ Design traffic in (MSA)

$N = \frac{365 [(1+r)^n - 1] ADF \times LSF}{r \times 10^6}$

$A_1 = 0.4 \times A = 1155.625$ CVPD

$A_2 = 0.6 \times A = 1733.4375$ CVPD

$$N = N_1 + N_2$$

$$= \frac{365 \left[(1+r_1)^{10} - 1 \right] (A_1 P_1 + A_2 F_2) D \times 1}{r_1 \times 10^6}$$

$$+ \frac{365 \left[(1+r_2)^5 - 1 \right] (A_1 F_2 + A_2 F_2) \times D \times 1}{r_2 \times 10^6}$$

$$= \frac{365 \left[(1+0.075)^{10} - 1 \right] [1155.625 \times 3.5 + 1733.4375 \times 5.5] \times 0.75}{0.075 \times 10^6}$$

$$+ \frac{365 \left[(1+0.09)^5 - 1 \right] \times [1155.625 \times 3.5 + 1733.4375 \times 5.5] \times 0.75 \times 1}{0.09 \times 10^6}$$

$$= 52.5867 + 22.246$$

$$= \underline{\underline{74.8327 \text{ msq}}}$$

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- Q.5(e) An aerial survey is to be conducted over a rectangular area of $30 \text{ km} \times 15 \text{ km}$. The scale of the photographs is $1:15,000$, and the size of each photograph is $23 \text{ cm} \times 23 \text{ cm}$. The flight is planned with a longitudinal overlap of 60% and a side overlap of 30% . Determine the total number of photographs required to cover the entire area.

\Rightarrow Given $L = 30 \text{ km}$ (Area length on ground) [12 marks]
 $B = 15 \text{ km}$ (width on ground)

$$\text{Scale} = \frac{1}{S} = \frac{1}{15000} = \frac{1 \text{ cm}}{150 \text{ m}}$$

$$S = 150$$

$$d = 23 \text{ cm}, b = 23 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{longitudinal overlap, } P_L = 0.6$$

$$\text{Side overlap, } P_b = 0.3$$

Effective ground length covered by one photograph

$$= dS(1 - P_L)$$

$$= \frac{23 \times 150(1 - 0.6)}{100}$$

$$L_1 = 1.38 \text{ km}$$

Effective width of ground covered by one photo

$$B_1 = bs(1 - P_b)$$

$$= \frac{23 \times 150(1 - 0.3)}{100}$$

$$= 2.415 \text{ km}$$

No. of photograph in one flight along length

$$N_1 = \left[\frac{L}{L_1} + 1 \right] = \left[\frac{30 \text{ km}}{1.38 \text{ km}} + 1 \right] = 23$$

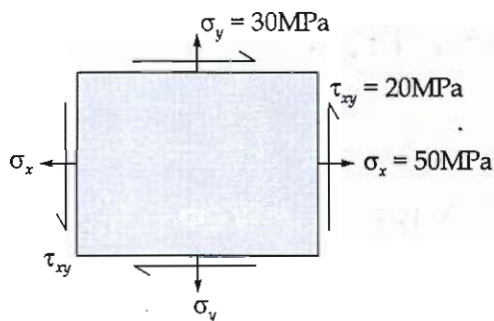
No. of photographs required to cover whole width

$$N_2 = \left[\frac{B}{B_1} + 1 \right] = \left[\frac{15 \text{ km}}{2.415 \text{ km}} + 1 \right] = 8$$

Total no. of photographs = $N_1 \times N_2$
 = 23×8
 = 184

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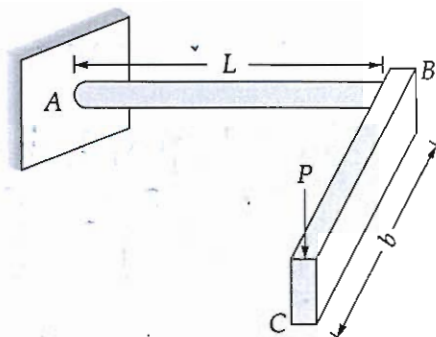
Q.6 (a) (i) At a point in a material, the stresses forming a two-dimensional system are shown below:



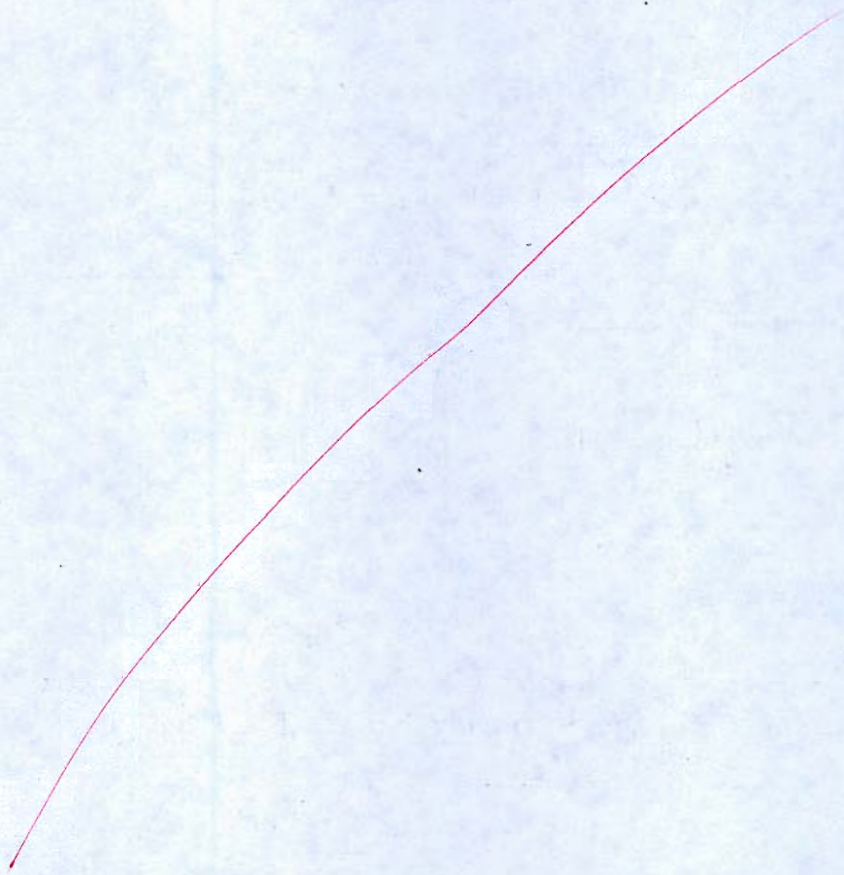
Using Mohr's circle of stress, determine the magnitude and direction of the principal stresses. Also, determine the value of maximum shearing stress.

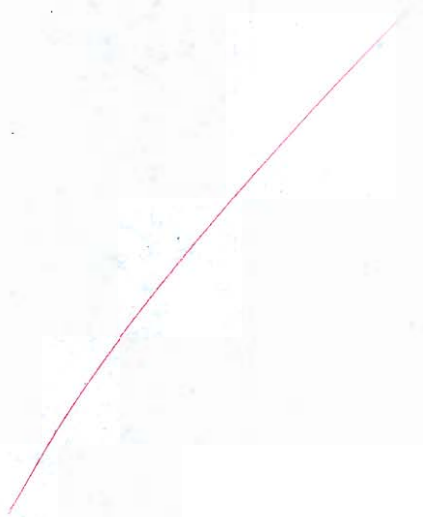
(ii) A circular steel rod AB of diameter d_1 , length L and modulus of rigidity G , is loaded as shown in figure. A rigid bar BC of length b is rigidly fixed to AB at B such that BC is perpendicular to AB and lies in the horizontal plane. Find the deflection of point C due to

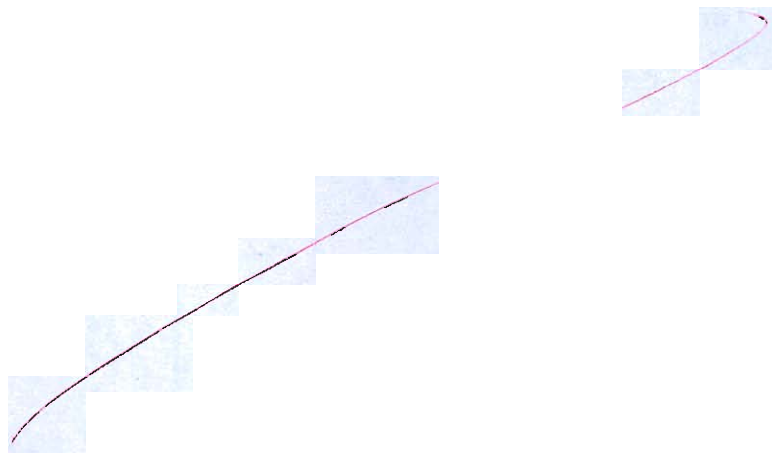
1. Bending of AB
2. Torsion of AB
3. Combined bending and torsion



[10 + 10 = 20 marks]



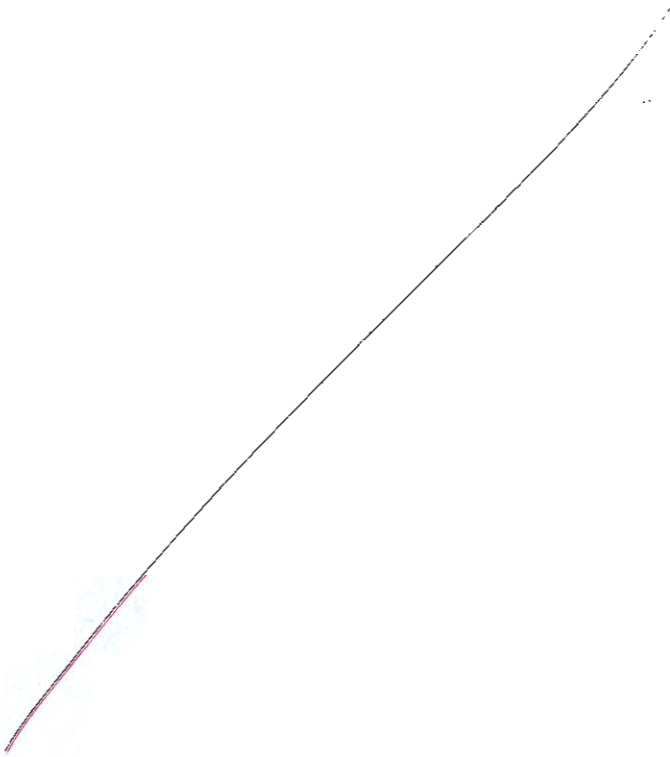


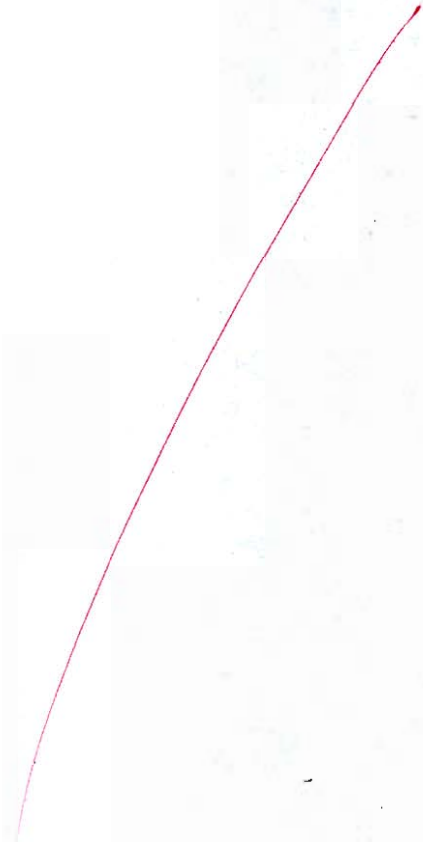


Q.6 (b) (i) Two tangents intersect at a chainage of 1250 m. The angle of intersection is 150° . Calculate all the necessary data for setting out a curve of 250 m radius by deflection angle method. The peg intervals may be taken as 20 m.

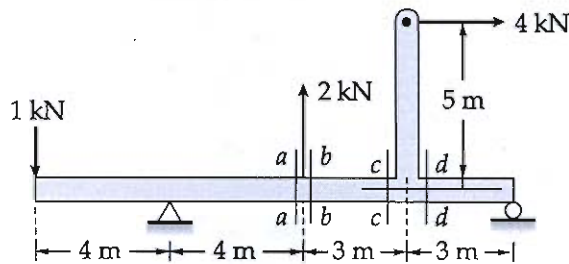
(ii) Explain the field procedure for setting out curve by the radial offset method.

[14 + 6 = 20 marks]

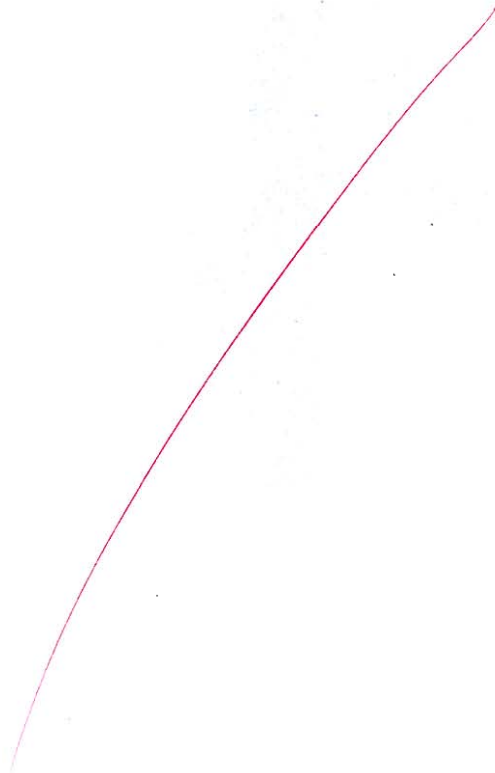


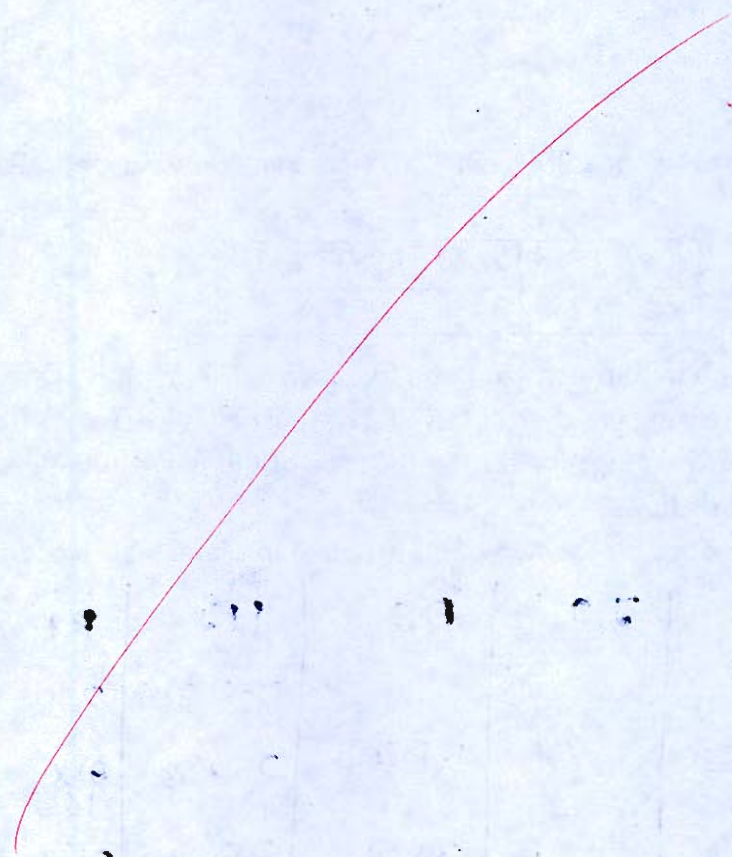


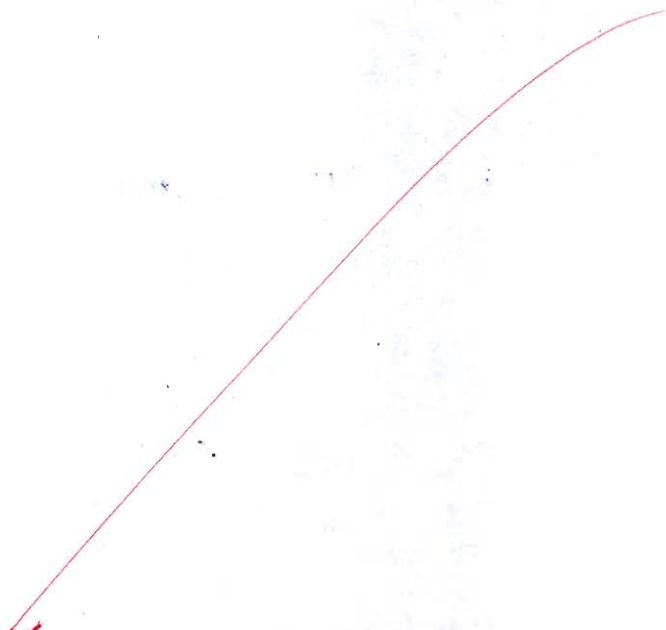
- Q.6 (c) (i) Describe the relationship between traffic speed and density as per Green shield model. What will be the maximum capacity of the flow and when do that occurs? Sketch the relevant curves.
- (ii) For the planar structures shown in the figures, find the reactions and determine the axial forces P , the shears V , and the bending moments M caused by the applied loads at sections $a-a$, $b-b$, etc., as specified. Magnitude and sense of calculated quantities should be shown on separate free-body diagrams. When sections such as $a-a$ and $b-b$ are shown close together, one section is just to the left of a given dimension, and the other is just to the right.



[10 + 10 = 20 marks]







Q.7(a) (i) In running fly levels from a BM of RL 250.00 m, the following readings (in m) were obtained:

BS.	1.315	2.035	1.980	2.625
FS.	1.150	3.450	2.255	

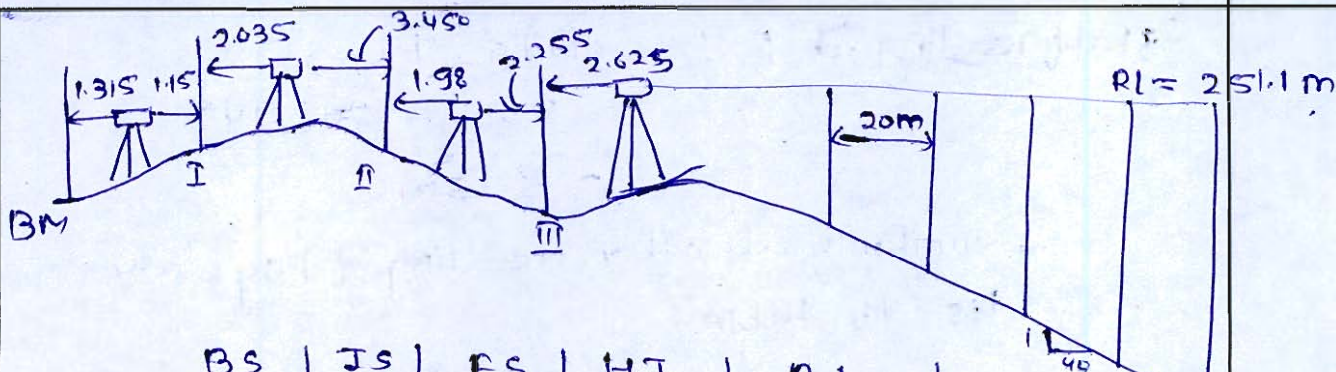
From the last position of the instrument, five pegs at 20 m interval are to be set out on a uniform decreasing gradient of 1 in 40. The first peg is to have a RL of 249.445 m. Work out the staff readings for setting the tops of the pegs on the given gradient. Show complete calculations.

(ii) Explain the procedure for the two point problem in plane table surveying.

①

Station	BS	IS	FS	HI	RL	Remark
BM	1.315			251.315	250	BM
I	2.035		1.150	252.2	250.165	CP
II	1.980		3.450	250.73	248.75	CP
III	2.625		2.255	251.1	248.475	CP
Peg ①		1.655			249.445	
Peg ②		2.155			248.945	
Peg ③		2.655			248.445	

[12 + 8 = 20 marks]



	BS	IS	FS	HI	RL	Remarks
Peg ④		3.155			247.945	
Peg ⑤			3.655		247.445	TBM

$\Sigma BS = 7.955$ $\Sigma FS = 10.51$

→ \square using Height of instrument method

$HI_{BM} = RL_{BM} + BS = 250 + 1.315 = 251.315 \text{ m}$

$RL_{II} = HI_{BM} - FS_{II} = 251.315 - 1.15 = 250.165 \text{ m}$

+ similarly, all other RLs of all stations are

~~$RL_{III} = HI_{II} - FS_{III}$~~ listed in table

⇒ For staff reading of Peg

Staff reading of Peg I = $HI_{III} - RL_{P-1}$
 $= 251.1 - 249.445$
 $= 1.655 \text{ m}$

⇒ Gradient = $\frac{1}{40}$

in 20m interval → fall in levels = $\frac{20}{40} = 0.5 \text{ m}$

$RL_{P-2} = 249.445 - 0.5 = 248.945 \text{ m}$

Check

$\Sigma BS - \Sigma FS = 7.955 - 10.51 = -2.555$ (LHS)

Last RL - First RL = $247.445 - 250$
 $= -2.555$ (RHS)

LHS = RHS (OK)

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$$\begin{aligned}\text{Staf reading at P-2} &= \text{HI}_{\text{III}} - \text{RL}_{\text{P-2}} \\ &= 251.1 - 248.945 \\ &= 2.155 \text{ m}\end{aligned}$$

→ similarly all other reading of pegs are listed in table.

- Q.7 (b) (i) A bituminous mix specimen for a highway project was prepared in a laboratory. The constituent proportions and their respective specific gravities are detailed in the table below. The laboratory compacted the specimen to a final weight of 1150g with a measured volume of 490cc. Assuming that the absorption of bitumen into the aggregate is negligible, perform a complete volumetric analysis.

Constituent	Weight in Mix Batch (g)	Specific Gravity (G)
Coarse Aggregate	$W_{CA} = 1250$	2.66
Fine Aggregate	$W_{FA} = 950$	2.58
Mineral Filler	$W_{MF} = 200$	2.72
Bitumen	$W_B = 120$	1.03

$= G_{CA}$
 $= G_{FA}$
 $= G_{MF}$
 $= G_b$

Calculate the following parameters:

- Theoretical Maximum Specific Gravity (G_t).
 - Bulk Specific Gravity (G_m) of the compacted specimen.
 - Percent Air Voids (V_v).
 - Percent Volume of Bitumen (V_b).
 - Voids in Mineral Aggregate (VMA).
 - Voids Filled with Bitumen (VFB).
- (ii) Also draw the typical curves of stability value, Flow value, VMA and air voids against binder content.

[12 + 8 = 20 marks]

① Theoretical Maximum Specific Gravity

$$G_t = \frac{W_{CA} + W_{FA} + W_{MF} + W_B}{\frac{W_{CA}}{G_{CA}} + \frac{W_{FA}}{G_{FA}} + \frac{W_{MF}}{G_{MF}} + \frac{W_B}{G_b}}$$

$$= \frac{1250 + 950 + 200 + 120}{\frac{1250}{2.66} + \frac{950}{2.58} + \frac{200}{2.72} + \frac{120}{1.03}} = 2.451$$

$$\textcircled{ii} \quad G_m = \left(\frac{W_m}{\text{Volume}} \right) \times \left(\frac{1150g}{4900cc} \right) \times \frac{1}{1g/cc}$$

$$= 2.347$$

iii) % Air voids

$$V_v = \frac{G_t - G_m}{G_t} \times 100 = \frac{2.451 - 2.347}{2.451} \times 100 = 4.243\%$$

$$iv) \quad V_b = \% W_b \times \frac{G_m}{G_b}$$

$$= \left[\frac{W_b}{W_{CA} + W_{FA} + W_{NF} + W_b} \right] \times 100 \times \frac{G_m}{G_b}$$

$$= \frac{120 \times 100}{1250 + 950 + 200 + 120} \times \frac{2.347}{1.03}$$

$$= 10.85\%$$

$$\textcircled{v} \quad VMA = V_v + V_b$$

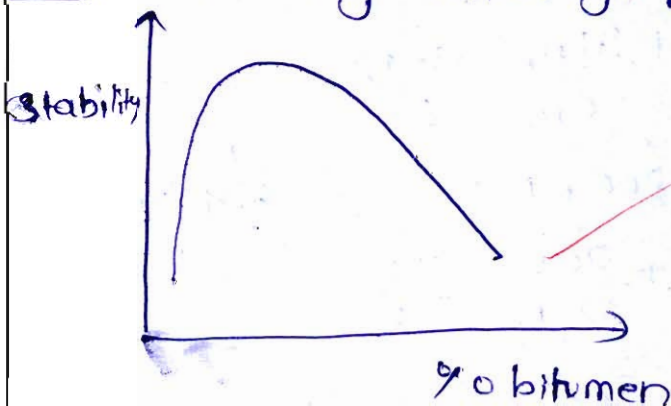
$$= 4.243 + 10.85$$

$$= 21.093\%$$

$$\textcircled{vi} \quad VFB = \frac{V_b \times 100}{V_v + V_b} = \frac{10.85 \times 100}{21.093}$$

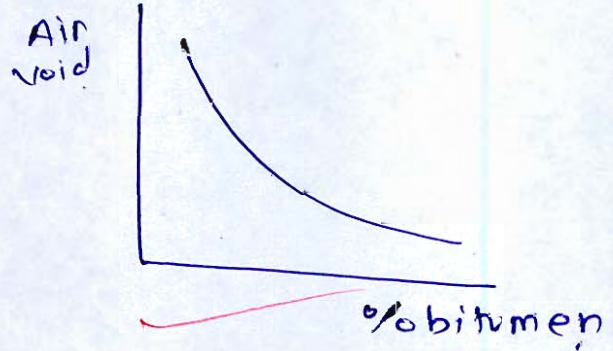
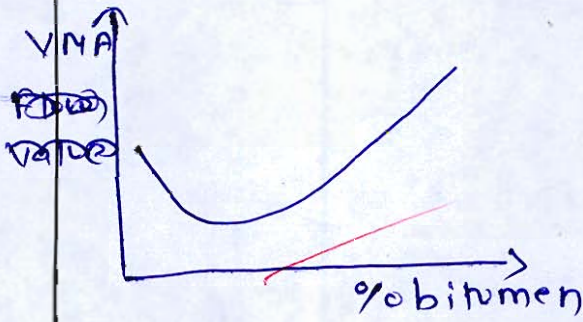
$$= 51.44\%$$

b) ii Stability Value graph

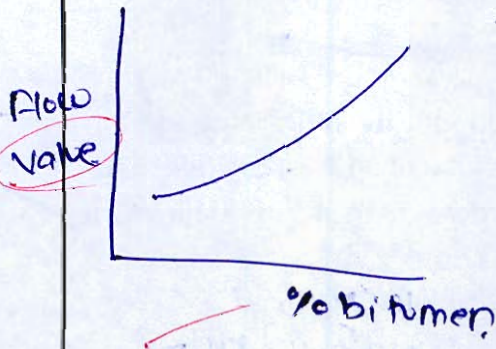


~~Flow Value~~ VMA

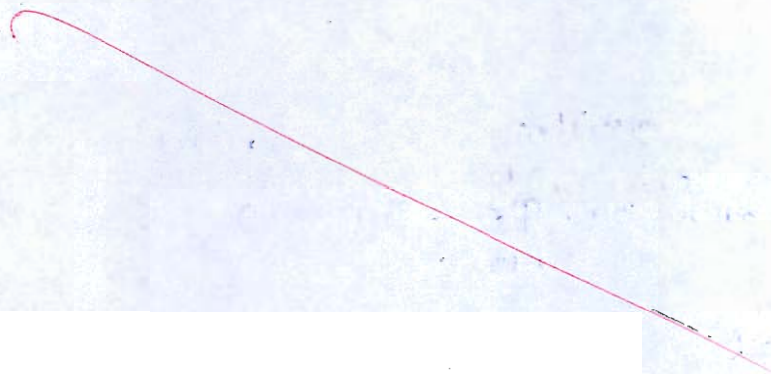
(iii) Air Void



Flow Value



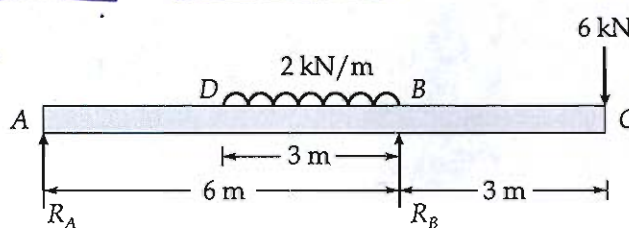
(6)



Q.7 (c) A beam ABC of length 9 m has one support at the left end and the other support at a distance of 6 m from the left end. The beam carries a point load of 6 kN at the right end and also carries a uniformly distributed load of 2 kN/m over a length of 3 m as shown in Figure. Determine the slope and deflection at point C and D.

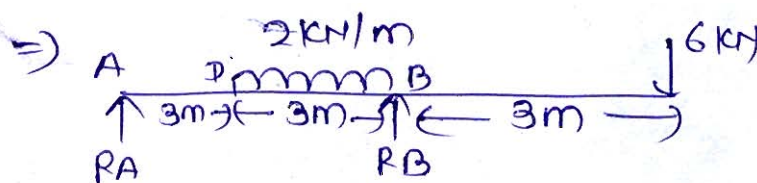
Use Macaulay's method.

Take $E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ and $I = 5 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4$.



$E = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ MPa}$
 $2 \times 10^5 \times 10^3 \text{ kN/m}^2$
 $= 2 \times 10^8 \text{ kN/m}^2$
 $I = 5 \times 10^8 \times 10^{12} \text{ mm}^4$
 $= 5 \times 10^{20} \text{ mm}^4$

[20 marks]



$\Sigma F_y = 0$

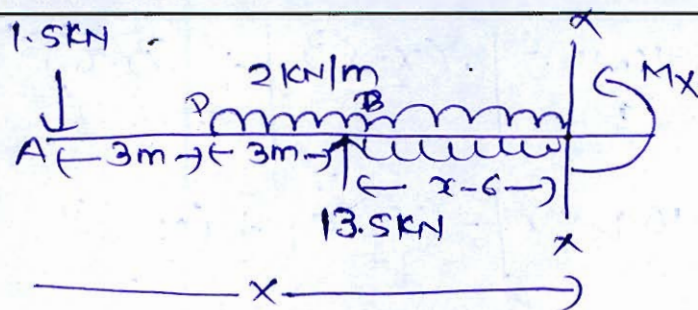
$R_A + R_B = 2 \times 3 + 6 = 12 \text{ kN} \text{ --- (1)}$

$\Sigma M_A = 0$

$R_B \times 6 = 2 \times 3 \times [3 + 1.5] + 6 \times 9$

$R_B = 13.5 \text{ kN}$

$R_A = 12 - 13.5 = -1.5 \text{ kN}$



Using
Macaulay's
Method

$$[-1.5x] + \left[-2 \times \frac{(x-3)^2}{2}\right] + [-Mx] + \left[2 \times \frac{(x-6)^2}{2}\right] = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = Mx = -1.5x - (x-3)^2 + (x-6)^2$$

By integration

$$\frac{EI dy}{dx} = -1.5 \frac{x^2}{2} + C_1 - \frac{(x-3)^3}{3} + \frac{(x-6)^3}{3}$$

$$EI y = -1.5 \frac{x^3}{6} + C_1 x + C_2 - \frac{(x-3)^4}{12} + \frac{(x-6)^4}{12}$$

Boundary condition

(a) at $x=0 \rightarrow y=0 \rightarrow SA=0$

(b) $x=6m \rightarrow y=0 \rightarrow SB=0$

using $x=0 \rightarrow y=0 \rightarrow$ neglect i^{nd} & ii^{nd} term
 $C_2=0$

using $x=6m, y=0$

$$0 = -1.5 \frac{(6)^3}{6} + C_1(6) - \frac{(6-3)^4}{12} + 0$$

$$0 = -54 + 6C_1 - 6.75$$

$$C_1 = 10.125$$

$$EI \frac{dy}{dx} = -1.5 \frac{x^2}{2} + 10.125 \left| - \frac{(x-3)^3}{3} \right| + \frac{(x-6)^3}{3}$$

$$EI y = -1.5 \frac{x^3}{6} + 10.125x \left| - \frac{(x-3)^4}{12} \right| + \frac{(x-6)^4}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \textcircled{C} \quad \theta_c \rightarrow x=9\text{m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \theta_c = \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{1}{EI} \left[-1.5 \times \frac{9^2}{2} + 10.125 - \frac{(9-3)^3}{3} + \frac{(9-6)^3}{3} \right] \\ &= \frac{-113.625}{EI} = \frac{-113.625}{2 \times 10^8 \times 5 \times 10^4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\theta_c = \frac{-113.625}{2 \times 10^8 \times 5 \times 10^4} = -1.13625 \times 10^{-3} \text{ rad. (clockwise)}$$

$$\textcircled{D} \rightarrow x=3\text{m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \theta_D = \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{1}{EI} \left[-1.5 \times \frac{3^2}{2} + 10.125 \right] = \frac{-50.625}{EI} \\ &= \frac{-50.625}{2 \times 10^8 \times 5 \times 10^4} = -5.0625 \times 10^{-4} \text{ rad. (Clockwise)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \delta_c \rightarrow x=9\text{m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_c = y &= \frac{1}{EI} \left[-1.5 \times \frac{9^3}{6} + 10.125 \times 9 - \frac{(9-3)^4}{12} + \frac{(9-6)^4}{12} \right] \\ &= \frac{-192.375}{EI} = \frac{-192.375}{2 \times 10^8 \times 5 \times 10^4} = -1.92375 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} \\ &= -1.924 \text{ mm } (\downarrow) \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta_D \rightarrow x=3\text{m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_D = y &= \frac{1}{EI} \left[-1.5 \times \frac{3^3}{6} + 10.125 \times 3 \right] = \frac{23.625}{EI} \\ &= \frac{23.625}{2 \times 10^8 \times 5 \times 10^4} = 2.3625 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m} = 0.236 \text{ mm } (\uparrow) \end{aligned}$$

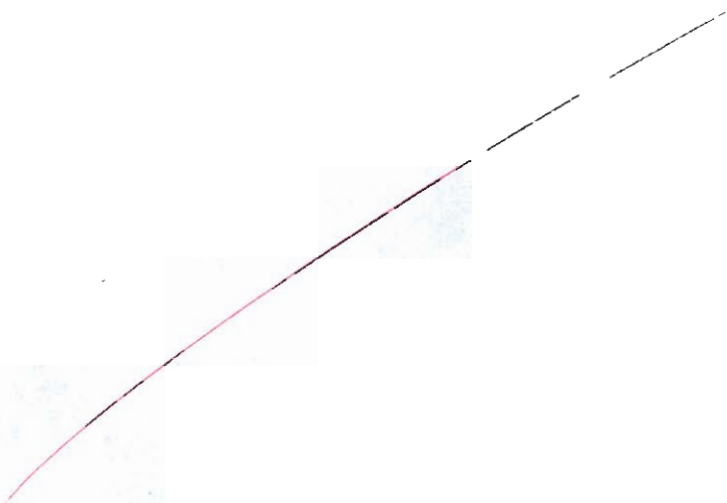
- Q.8 (a) (i) A pair of overlapping vertical aerial photographs were taken with a camera having a focal length (f) of 150 mm. The flying height (h) was 2,500 m above sea level, and the air base (B) was 900 m. The photo coordinates (in mm) measured for two points, A and B, on the left (L) and right (R) photographs are given below. The x -axis is parallel to the flight line.

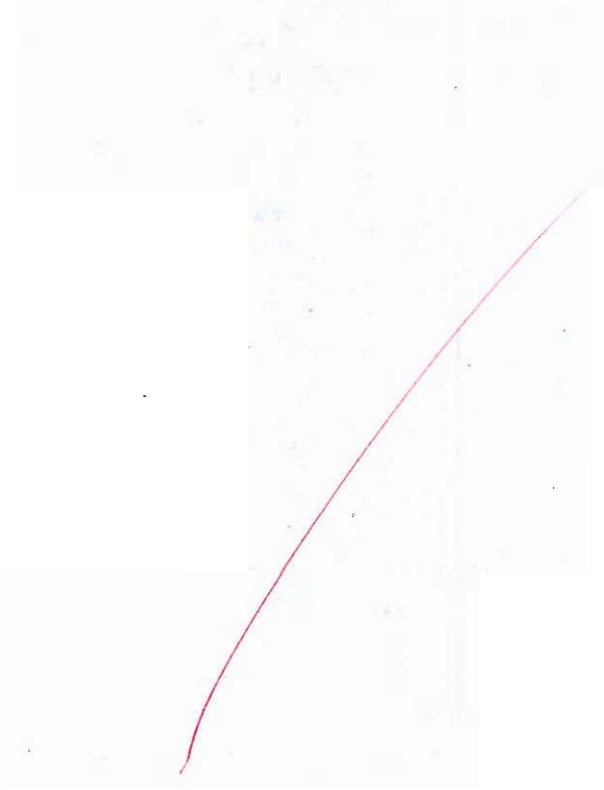
Point	x_L (mm)	y_L (mm)	x_R (mm)
A	45.20	52.60	-38.40
B	22.50	-40.10	-52.30

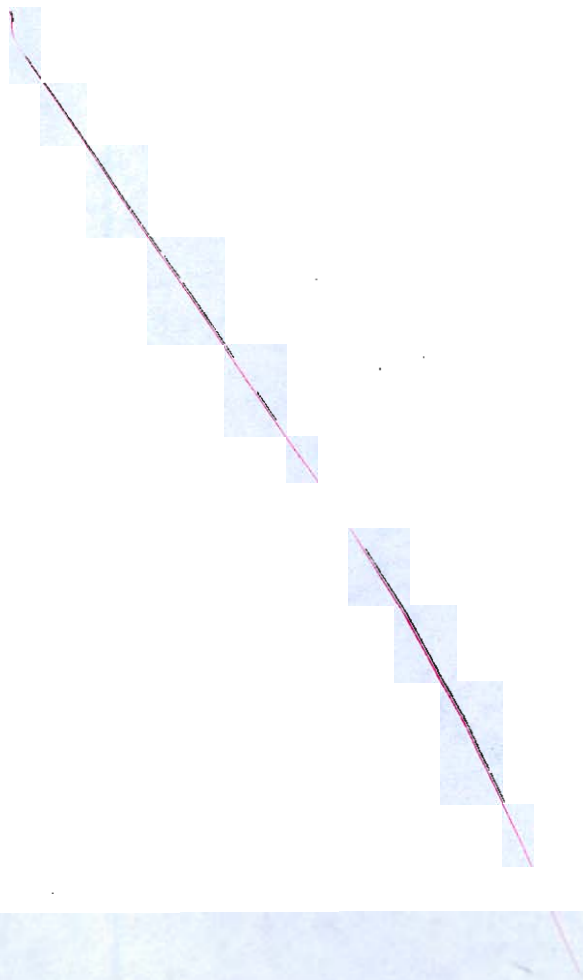
Determine:

- The elevations of points A and B.
 - The horizontal ground distance between A and B.
 - The gradient (percentage slope) of the line connecting A and B.
- (ii) State the difference between map and photo.

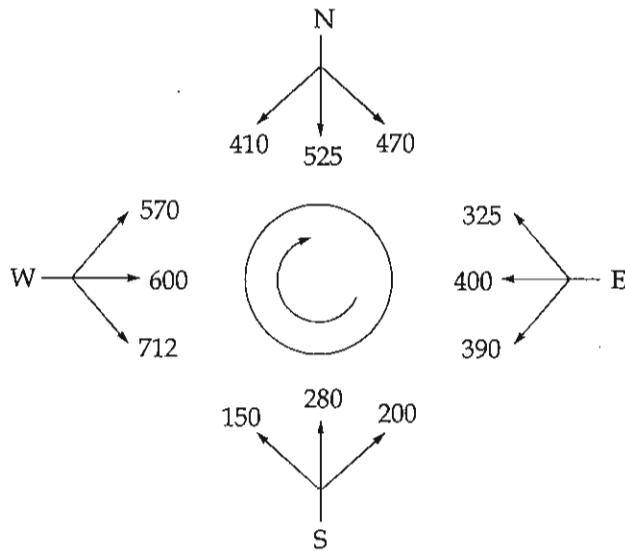
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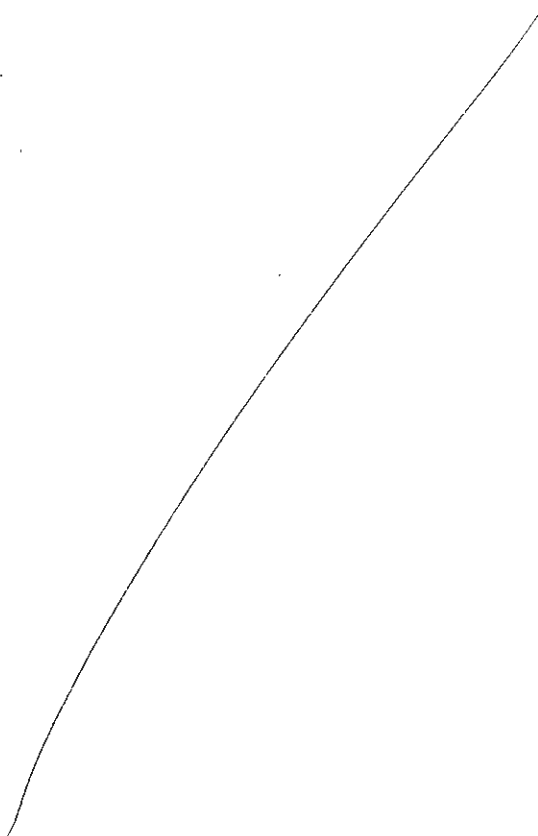


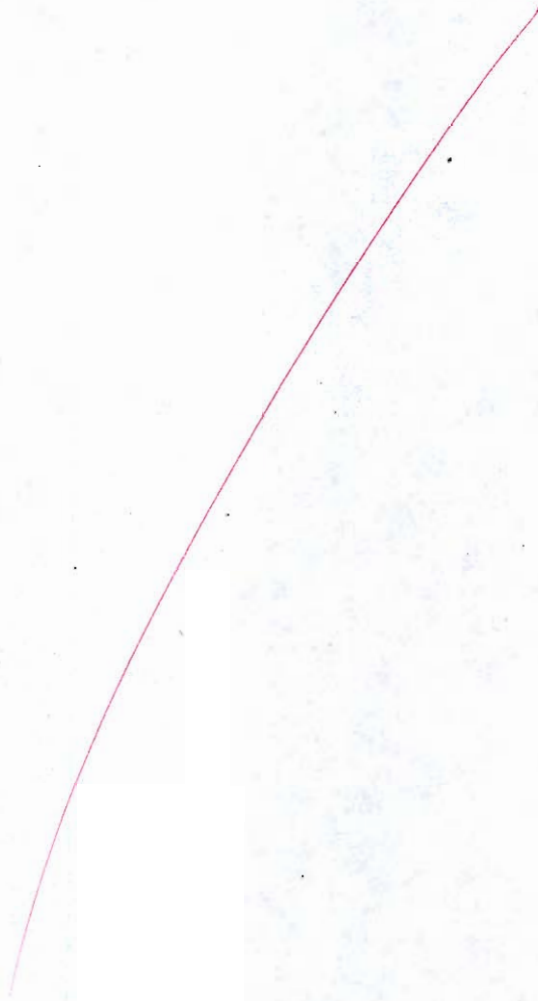


Q.8 (b) The width of a carriage way approaching an intersection is given as 16 m. The entry and exit width at the rotary is 10 m. The traffic approaching the intersection from the four sides is shown below. Calculate the capacity of rotary using the given data. (Assume suitable assumptions as per IRC guidelines)



[20 marks]







Q.8 (c) Two rectangular plates, one made of steel and the other of aluminium, each of size 50 mm wide and 12 mm deep, are placed together to form a composite beam of total depth 24 mm and width 50 mm. The beam is simply supported over a span of 1.2 m, with the aluminium plate placed on top of the steel plate. Determine the maximum central load that can be applied if:

- (i) The two plates are not connected and hence bend independently.
- (ii) The two plates are firmly secured throughout their length and act as a composite beam.

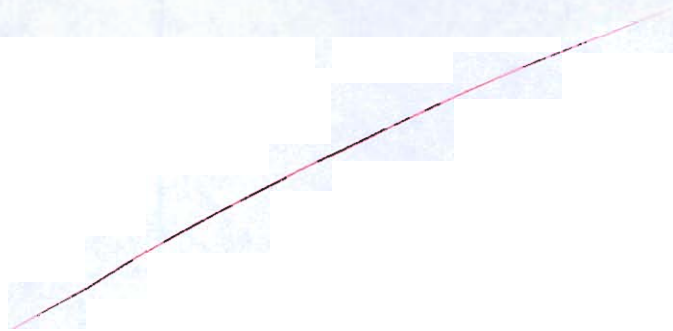
Maximum allowable stress in steel = 120 N/mm^2

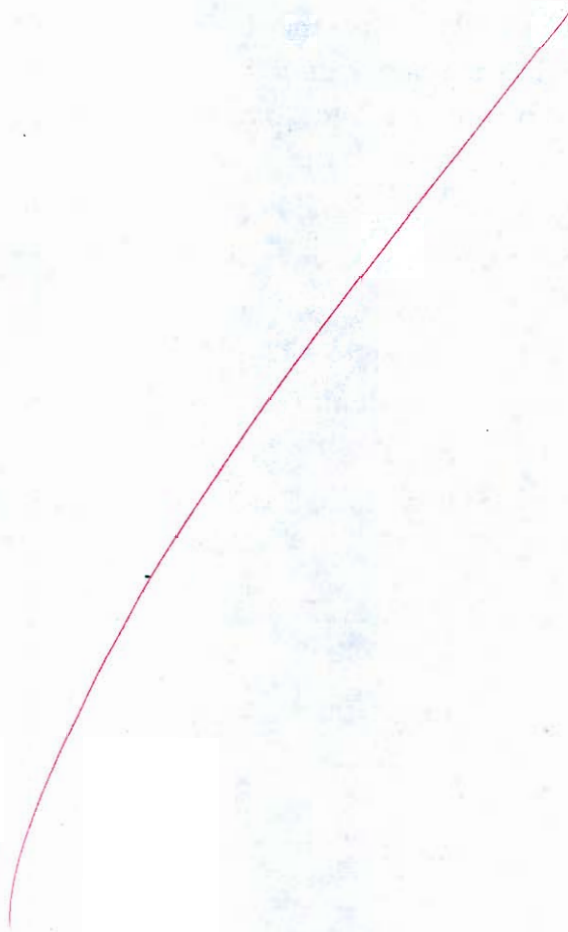
Maximum allowable stress in aluminium = 80 N/mm^2

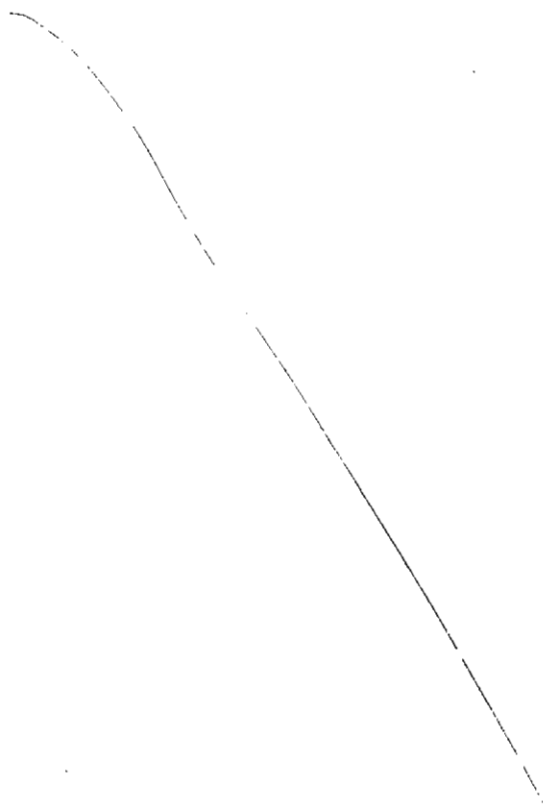
Modulus of elasticity of steel, $E_s = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N/mm}^2$

Modulus of elasticity of aluminium, $E_a = 7 \times 10^4 \text{ N/mm}^2$

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