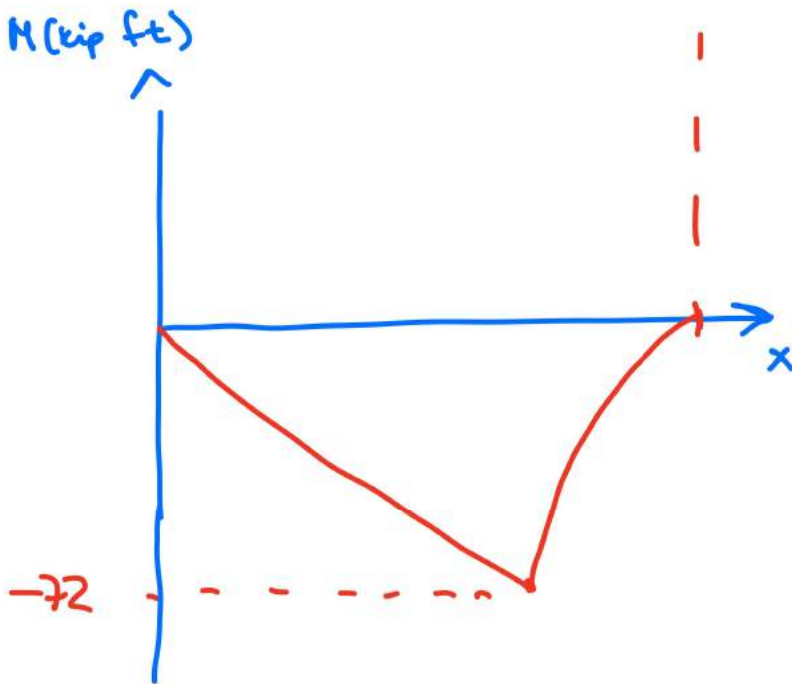
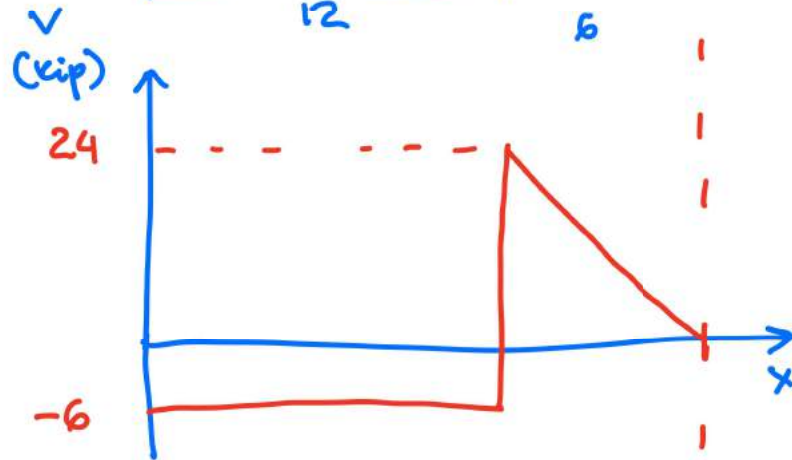
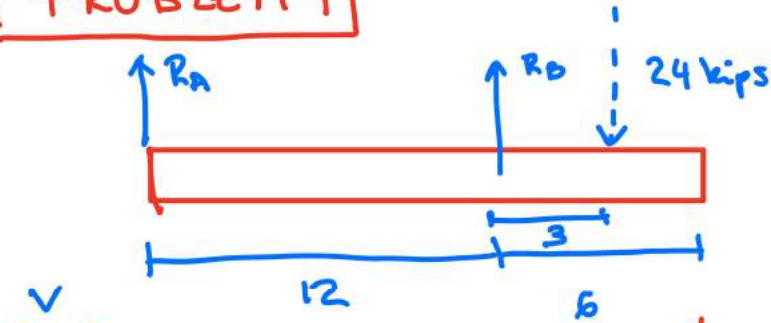


# PROBLEM 1



$$\sum F_y = 0$$

$$R_A + R_B = 24$$

$$\sum M_A = 0$$

$$R_B \cdot 12 - 24 \cdot 15 = 0$$

$$R_B = \frac{24 \cdot 15}{12} = 30$$

$$R_A = 24 - R_B$$

$$R_A = -6$$

$$\tau = \frac{VQ}{It}$$

$$V_{\max} \text{ at } x=12$$

$$V_{\max} = 24 \text{ kip}$$

$$\sigma_x = -\frac{My}{I}$$

$$|M_{\max}| = 72 \text{ kip} \cdot \text{ft}$$

$$\sigma_{\max} \text{ at } x=12 \quad y = \frac{h}{2}$$

$$I = \frac{b h^3}{12} = \frac{0.25 \text{ ft} \cdot h^3}{12}$$

$$|\sigma(x=12, y=h/2)| = \sigma_{\text{MAX}} = \frac{72 \text{ kip} \cdot \cancel{\text{ft}} \cdot 12 \cdot \cancel{\text{ft}}}{0.25 \cancel{\text{ft}} \cdot h^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{MAX}} = \frac{1728 \text{ kip}}{h^2}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{MAX}} < \sigma_{\text{allow}} = 21 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\frac{1728}{h^2} < 21 \quad \rightarrow \quad h > \sqrt{\frac{1728}{21}}$$

$$h > 9.07 \text{ in}$$

$$\tau_{\text{max}}(x=12, y=0) = \frac{V_{\text{max}} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot \frac{h^2}{8}}{\frac{\cancel{3} \cdot h^3}{124} \cdot \cancel{3}}$$

$$Q = \bar{y} \cdot A = \frac{h}{4} \cdot \frac{h}{2} \cdot 3$$

$$= \frac{24 \cdot \cancel{h}}{2 \cdot \cancel{8} h} = \frac{12}{h}$$

$$\tau_{\text{max}} \leq 1 \text{ ksi}$$

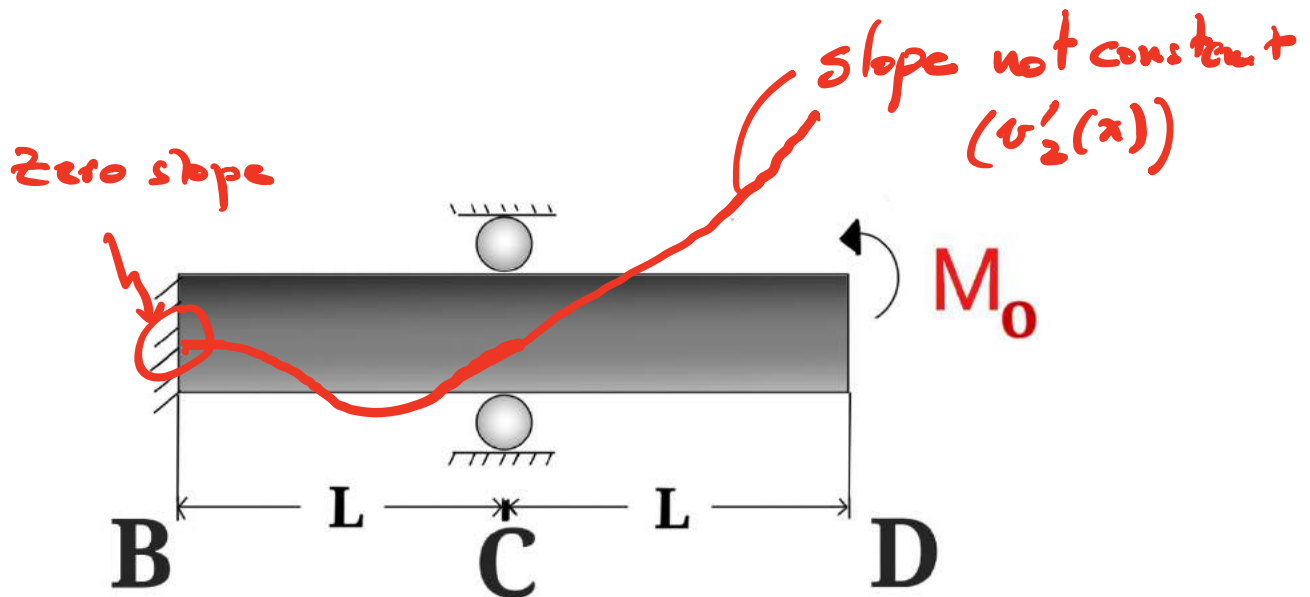
$$\frac{12}{h} \leq 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \boxed{h \geq 12 \text{ in}} \quad \checkmark$$

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**PROBLEM # 2 (25 points)**

The beam BCD is fixed to the wall at B and supported by a roller at C. A concentrated moment  $M_0$  is applied at D. The beam has Young's modulus  $E$  and second moment of area  $I$ .

- Draw a free-body diagram of the entire beam, and write down the equilibrium equations.
- Use the second-order integration method to find the slope  $v'(x)$  and deflection  $v(x)$  of each segment of the beam. These can be left in terms of the unknown support reactions.
- Write down the relevant boundary conditions and continuity conditions for the beam.
- Use the boundary/continuity conditions to determine the reactions at B and C in terms of  $M_0$  and  $L$ .
- Determine the deflection of the free end D. Sketch the deflection curve over the length of the beam. The sketch does not need to be exact. Show enough detail to clearly indicate the boundary conditions.



- 3 solutions are provided.
- The FBD & equilibrium equ's for the entire structure are the same
- The Boundary & Continuity conditions are the same for all 3 solu's
- The sketch of the deflection curve is the same.

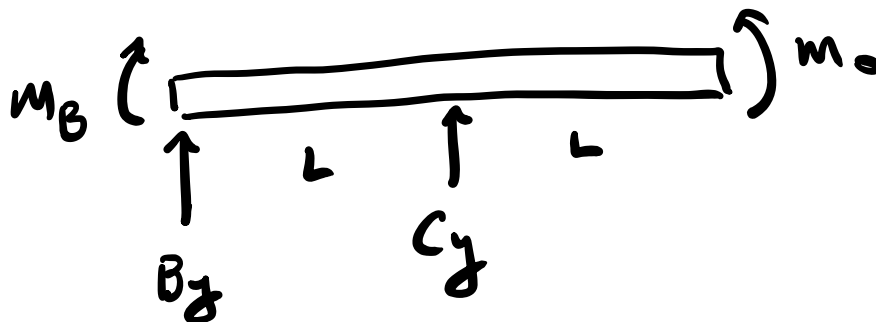
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FBD of entire beam :



$$\sum M_B = -M_B + C_y L + M_0 = 0$$

$$\boxed{M_B = M_0 + C_y L} \quad (1)$$

$$\sum F_y = B_y + C_y = 0$$

$$\boxed{B_y = -C_y} \quad (2)$$

B.C's :

$$v(0) = v_1(0) = 0$$
$$v'(0) = v_1'(0) = \theta_1(0) = 0$$
$$v(L) = v_1(L) = v_2(L) = 0$$
$$v_1'(L) = v_2'(L)$$

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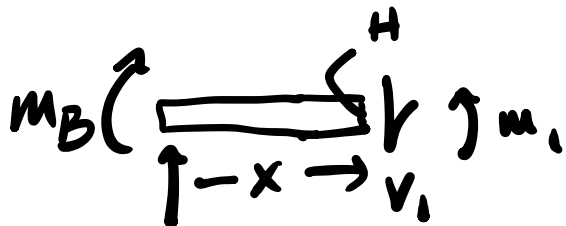
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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

Solution ① - Use definite integrals

Section BC  $0 < x < L$

$$\sum M_H = M_1 - M_B - B_y x = 0$$


$$M_1(x) = M_B + B_y x = EI \frac{d\theta_1}{dx}$$

$$\theta_1(x) = \theta_1(0) + \frac{1}{EI} \int_0^x (M_B + B_y x) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{EI} \left[ M_B x + B_y \frac{x^2}{2} \right] = \frac{d\psi_1}{dx}$$

$$\psi_1(x) = \psi_1(0) + \frac{1}{EI} \int_0^x \left( M_B x + B_y \frac{x^2}{2} \right) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{EI} \left[ M_B \frac{x^2}{2} + B_y \frac{x^3}{6} \right]$$

$$\theta_1(L) = \frac{1}{EI} \left[ M_B L + B_y \frac{L^2}{2} \right] = \theta_c \quad (3)$$

$$\psi_1(L) = \frac{1}{EI} \left[ M_B \frac{L^2}{2} + B_y \frac{L^3}{6} \right] = 0$$

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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

$$M_B = -B_y \frac{L}{3}$$

Use (1) & (2)

$$m_0 + C_y L = C_y \frac{L}{3}$$

$$C_y = -\frac{3m_0}{2L}$$

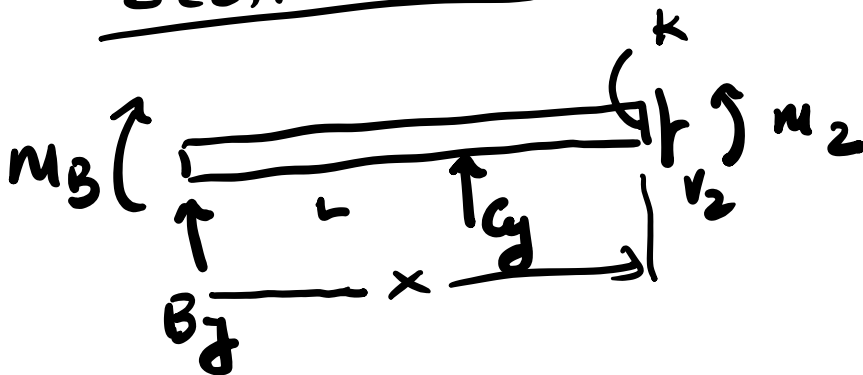
$$B_y = -C_y$$

$$B_y = \frac{3m_0}{2L}$$

$$M_B = m_0 - \frac{3m_0}{2L} L = -\frac{m_0}{2} = M_B$$

Section CD

$$L < x < 2L$$



$$\sum M_k = m_2 - M_B - B_y x - C_y (x-L) = 0$$

$$M_2(x) = M_B + B_y x + C_y (x-L) = EI \frac{d\theta_2}{dx}$$

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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

$$\theta_2(x) = \underbrace{\theta_2(L)}_{\theta_c} + \frac{1}{EI} \int_L^x [M_B + B_y x + C_y x - C_y L] dx$$

$$\theta_2(x) = \theta_c + \frac{1}{EI} \left[ M_B (x-L) + \frac{B_y}{2} (x^2 - L^2) + \frac{C_y}{2} (x^2 - L^2) - C_y L (x-L) \right] = \frac{d\delta_2}{dx}$$

$$\delta_2(x) = \delta_2(L) + \int_L^x \left[ \theta_c + \frac{1}{EI} \left[ M_B x - M_B L + B_y \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{B_y}{2} L^2 + C_y \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{C_y}{2} L^2 - C_y L x + C_y L^2 \right] \right] dx$$

$$\delta_2(x) = \theta_c (x-L) + \frac{1}{EI} \left[ \frac{M_B}{2} (x^2 - L^2) - M_B L (x-L) + \frac{B_y}{6} (x^3 - L^3) - \frac{B_y}{2} L^2 (x-L) + \frac{C_y}{6} (x^3 - L^3) - \frac{C_y}{2} L^2 (x-L) - \frac{C_y}{2} L (x^2 - L^2) + C_y L^2 (x-L) \right] \quad (4)$$

where  $\theta_c$  is given by Equ (3).

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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

In equ(4) replace  $x = 2L$ ,  $\theta_c$  (eqn 3),

$M_B, B_y$  &  $C_y$

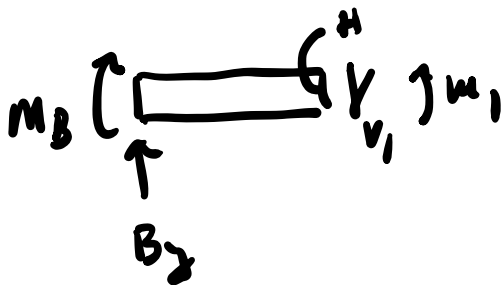
$$v_2(2L) = \frac{3}{4} \frac{m_0 L^2}{EI}$$



PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

Solution (2) - Use indefinite integrals

Section BC  $0 < x < L$



$$\sum M_H = M_1 - M_B - B_y x = 0$$

$$M_1(x) = M_B + B_y x = EI v_1''$$

$$EI v_1' = M_B x + B_y \frac{x^2}{2} + C_1$$

$$EI v_1 = M_B \frac{x^2}{2} + B_y \frac{x^3}{6} + C_1 x + C_2$$

B.C.'s at  $x=0$

$$v_1'(0) = C_1 = 0$$

$$v_1(0) = C_2 = 0$$

$$v_1'(L) = M_B L + B_y \frac{L^2}{2}$$

$$v_1(L) = M_B \frac{L^2}{2} + B_y \frac{L^3}{6} = 0$$

write  $M_B$  &  $B_y$  in terms of  $C_y$  (Equ's 1 & 2)

$$C_y = -\frac{3M_0}{2L} = -B_y$$

$$M_B = -\frac{M_0}{2}$$

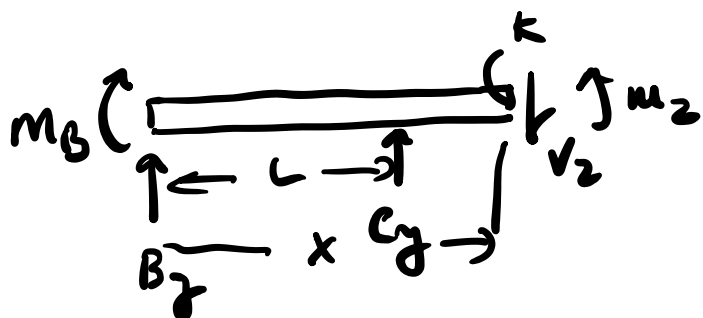
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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

Section CD       $L < x < 2L$



$$\sum m_k = m_2 - m_B - B_y x - C_y (x-2L) = 0$$

$$m_2(x) = m_B + B_y x + C_y x - C_y L = EI v_2''$$

$$EI v_2' = m_B x + B_y \frac{x^2}{2} + C_y \frac{x^2}{2} - C_y L x + C_3$$

$$EI v_2 = m_B \frac{x^2}{2} + B_y \frac{x^3}{6} + C_y \frac{x^3}{6} - C_y L \frac{x^2}{2} + C_3 x + C_4$$

BC's & continuity at  $x=L$

$$v_2(L) = 0 \quad v_2'(L) = v_1'(L)$$

$$v_2(L) = m_B \frac{L^2}{2} + B_y \frac{L^3}{6} + C_y \frac{L^3}{6} - C_y \frac{L^3}{2} + C_3 L + C_4 = 0$$

$$v_2'(L) = m_B L + B_y \frac{L^2}{2} + C_y \frac{L^2}{2} - C_y L^2 + C_3$$

$$= v_1'(L) = m_B L + B_y \frac{L^2}{2}$$

solve :  $-C_y \frac{L^2}{2} + C_3 = 0 \quad C_3 = C_y \frac{L^2}{2}$

Replace  $C_y$  :  $C_3 = -\frac{3m_0 L}{4}$

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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

Replace  $C_3$ ,  $M_B$ ,  $B_2$  &  $C_2$  in  $v_2(x) = 0$

and solve for  $C_4$

$$C_4 = \frac{M_0 L^2}{4}$$

Replace  $x = 2L$  in  $v_2(x)$

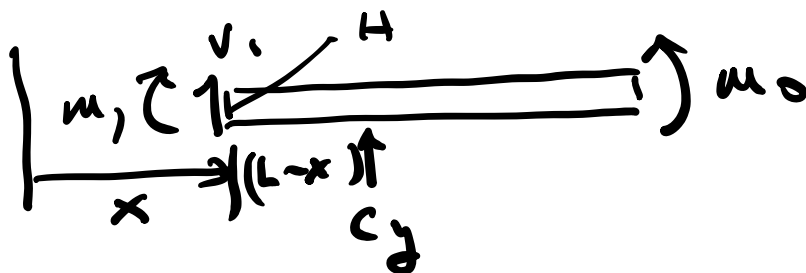
$$v_2(2L) = \frac{3 M_0 L^2}{4 R I}$$

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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

Solution (3) - Use the RHS of the beam

Section BC  $0 < x < L$



$$\sum M_H = -m_1 + C_y(L-x) + m_0 = 0$$

$$m_1 = m_0 + C_y(L-x) = EI v_1'$$

$$EI v_1' = m_0 x + C_y L x - C_y \frac{x^2}{2} + C_1$$

$$EI v_1 = m_0 \frac{x^2}{2} + C_y L \frac{x^2}{2} - C_y \frac{L^3}{6} + C_1 x + C_2$$

B.C's

$$v_1'(0) = C_1 = 0 \quad v_1(0) = C_2 = 0$$

$$v_1'(L) = \frac{1}{EI} \left[ m_0 L + C_y L^2 - C_y \frac{L^2}{2} \right]$$

$$v_1(L) = \frac{1}{EI} \left[ m_0 \frac{L^2}{2} + C_y \frac{L^3}{2} - C_y \frac{L^3}{6} \right] = 0$$

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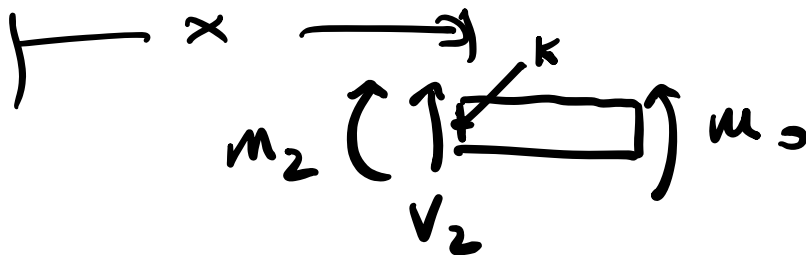
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Use eqn's (1) & (2)  
& solve

$$C_y = -\frac{3}{2} \frac{M_0}{L} = -B_y$$

$$M_B = -\frac{M_0}{2}$$

Section CD  $L < x < 2L$



$$\sum M_K = M_0 - M_2 = 0$$

$$M_2(x) = M_0 = EI v_2''$$

$$EI v_2' = M_0 x + C_3$$

$$EI v_2 = M_0 \frac{x^2}{2} + C_3 x + C_4$$

$$\text{Use } v_2(L) = v_1(L) = 0$$

$$v_2'(L) = v_1'(L)$$

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PROBLEM # 2 CONT.

$$v_2'(L) = \cancel{m_0 L} + C_3 = v_1'(L) = \cancel{m_0 L} + C_2 L^2 - \frac{m_0}{2} \frac{L^2}{2}$$

$$C_3 = C_2 \frac{L^2}{2} = \left( -\frac{3}{2} \frac{m_0}{L} \right) \left( \frac{L^2}{2} \right)$$

$$C_3 = -\frac{3}{4} m_0 L$$

$$v_2(L) = \frac{m_0 L^2}{2} + C_3 L + C_4 = 0$$

$$C_4 = -\left( -\frac{3}{4} m_0 L^2 \right) - m_0 \frac{L^2}{2}$$

$$C_4 = \frac{m_0 L^2}{4}$$

$$EI v_2(2L) = \frac{m_0}{2} (4L^2) + \left( -\frac{3}{4} m_0 L \right) (2L) + \frac{m_0 L^2}{4}$$

$$v_2(2L) = \frac{3 m_0 L^2}{EI}$$

# Exam 2: Q3

There are many different ways to do this question (6), so the grading was flexible, but the general procedure is:

1. Find two equilibrium equations.
2. Find  $M(x)$  in two sections.
3. Put  $M(x)$  in terms of only the redundant load.
4. Enforce BC using Castigliano's equation

$$\frac{\delta U}{\delta A_y} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\delta U}{\delta C_y} = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\delta U}{\delta M_A} = 0$$

5. Use the solved reaction to find other reactions.
6. Find the change in angle at C by using Castigliano's:

$$\theta = \left[ \frac{\delta U}{\delta M_C} \right]_{M_C=0}$$

Most common errors:

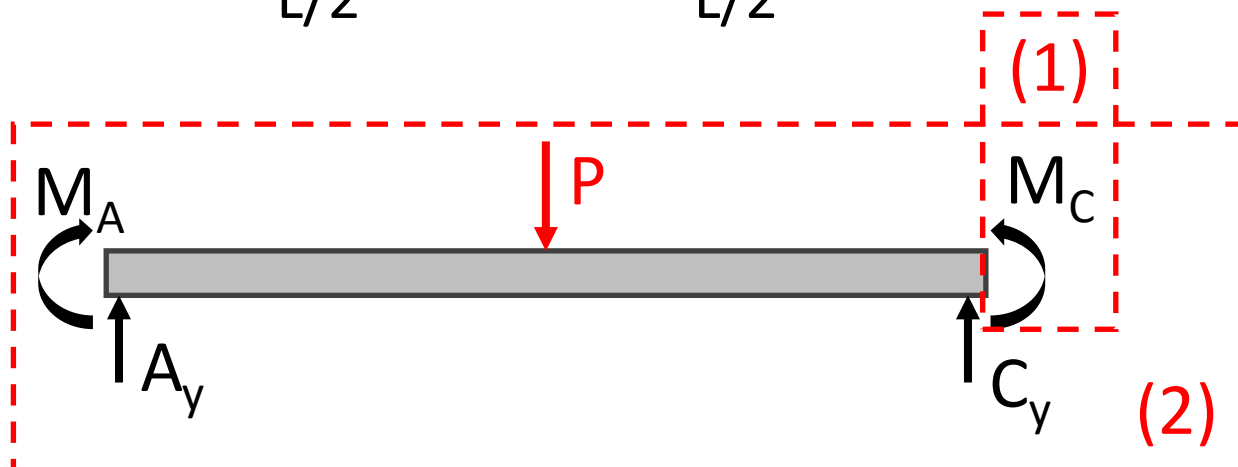
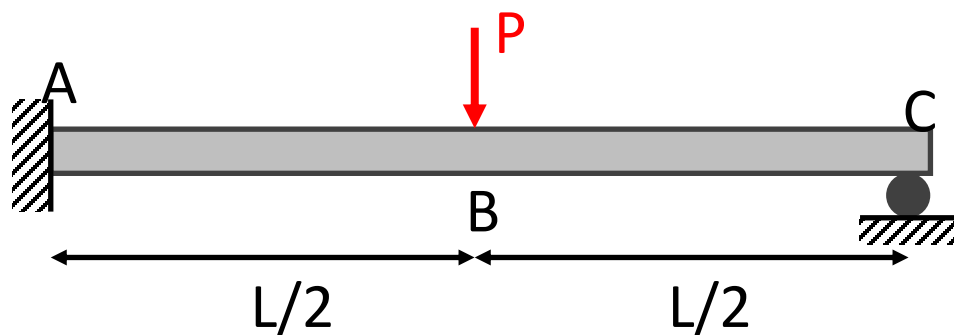
- Small math errors (just lose a few points)
- Taking the partial derivative without isolating for the redundant load.

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta A_y} (A_y x + M_A) \neq x$$

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta A_y} (A_y x + M_A) = x + \frac{\delta M_A}{\delta A_y} = x - L$$

- Limits of integration on the integral of U.

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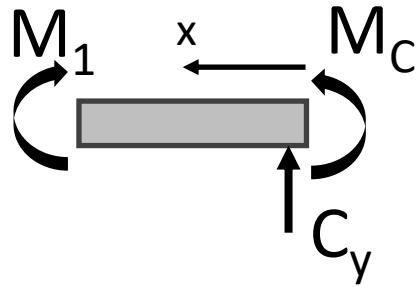


$$\left( \sum M \right)_A = -M_A + M_C - P \left( \frac{L}{2} \right) + C_y L = 0 \quad (1) \quad (1)$$

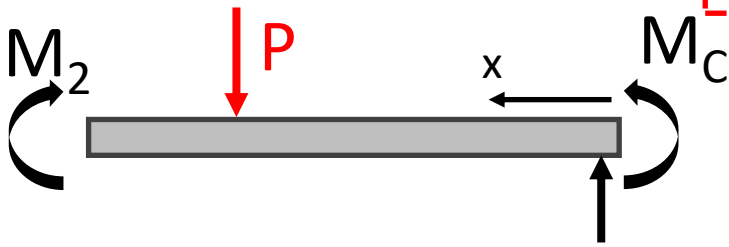
$$\sum F_y = A_y + C_y - P = 0 \quad (1) \quad (2)$$



(a) Example 1:  $C_y$  redundant, solve from the right (easiest method)



$$\left(\sum M\right)_1 = -M_1 + M_C + C_y x = 0 \quad M_1 = M_C + C_y x \quad (2)$$



$$(\sum M)_2 = -M_2 + M_C + C_y x - P \left(x - \frac{L}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$M_2 = M_C + C_y x - P \left(x - \frac{L}{2}\right) \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\delta M_1}{\delta C_y} = x \quad \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta C_y} = x \quad (2)$$

$$(2) \quad \left[\frac{\delta U}{\delta C_y}\right]_{M_C=0} = 0 = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} M_1 \frac{\delta M_1}{\delta C_y} dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L M_2 \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta C_y} dx$$

$$0 = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} C_y x^2 dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L C_y x^2 - P x^2 + P \left(\frac{L}{2}\right) x dx \quad (2)$$

Rearrange to make the integrals easier

$$0 = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^L C_y x^2 dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L -Px^2 + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) x dx$$

Integrate and multiply by EI

$$0 = \left[\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) C_y x^3\right]_0^L + \left[-\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) Px^3 + P\left(\frac{L}{4}\right) x^2\right]_{L/2}^L$$

$$0 = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) C_y L^3 - P\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{7}{8}\right) L^3 + P\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) L^3$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) C_y L^3 = P\left(\frac{14}{48}\right) L^3 - P\left(\frac{9}{48}\right) L^3 \longrightarrow C_y = \frac{5}{16} P \quad (1)$$

$$(2) \longrightarrow A_y = \frac{11}{16} P \quad (1)$$

$$(1) \longrightarrow M_A = \frac{3}{16} PL \quad (1)$$

(b)

$$(2) \left[\frac{\delta U}{\delta M_C}\right]_{M_C=0} = \theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} M_1 \frac{\delta M_1}{\delta M_C} dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L M_2 \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta M_C} dx$$

$$\frac{\delta M_1}{\delta M_C} = 1 \quad \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta M_C} = 1 \quad (2)$$

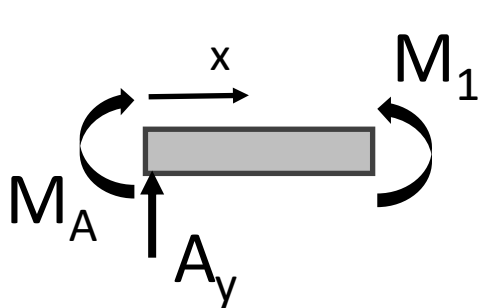
$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} C_y x dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L C_y x - Px + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) dx \quad (2)$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) C_y x^2\right]_0^{L/2} + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left[-\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) Px^2 + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) x\right]_{L/2}^L$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) C_y L^2 - P\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) L^2 + P\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) L^2\right]$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left[\left(\frac{5}{32}\right) PL^2 - \left(\frac{12}{32}\right) PL^2 + \left(\frac{8}{32}\right) PL^2\right] = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left(\frac{1}{32}\right) PL^2 \quad (1)$$

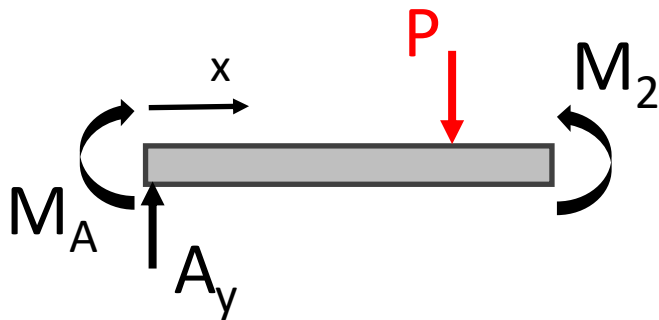
(a) Example 2:  $A_y$  redundant, solve from the left (reasonable method)



$$\left(\sum M\right)_1 = M_1 - M_A - A_y x = 0$$

$$M_1 = M_A + A_y x \quad (2)$$

$$(2) \rightarrow M_A = M_C + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) - A_y L \rightarrow M_1 = M_C + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) + A_y(x - L)$$



$$(\sum M)_2 = M_2 - M_A - A_y x + P\left(x - \frac{L}{2}\right) = 0$$

$$(2) \quad M_2 = M_A + A_y x - P\left(x - \frac{L}{2}\right) \quad M_2 = M_C + A_y(x - L) - P(x - L)$$

$$\frac{\delta M_1}{\delta A_y} = x - L \quad \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta A_y} = x - L \quad (2)$$

$$(2) \quad \left[\frac{\delta U}{\delta A_y}\right]_{M_C=0} = 0 = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} M_1 \frac{\delta M_1}{\delta A_y} dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L M_2 \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta A_y} dx$$

$$0 = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} \left[A_y(x - L) + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)\right] (x - L) dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L \left[A_y(x - L) - P(x - L)\right] (x - L) dx \quad (2)$$

$$0 = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} \left[ A_y(x^2 - 2xL + L^2) + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)x - P\left(\frac{L^2}{2}\right) \right] dx$$

$$+ \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L [(x^2 - 2xL + L^2)(A_y - P)] dx$$

$$0 = \left[ A_y \left( \frac{1}{3}x^3 - Lx^2 + L^2x \right) + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)\left(\frac{x^2}{2}\right) - P\left(\frac{L^2}{2}\right)x \right]_0^{L/2}$$

$$+ \left[ \left( \frac{1}{3}x^3 - Lx^2 + L^2x \right) (A_y - P) \right]_{L/2}^L$$

$$0 = A_y \left( \frac{7}{24} \right) + P \left( \frac{1}{16} \right) - P \left( \frac{1}{4} \right) + A_y \left( \frac{1}{24} \right) - P \left( \frac{1}{24} \right)$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) A_y = P \left( \frac{14}{48} \right) - P \left( \frac{3}{48} \right)$$

$$\longrightarrow A_y = \frac{11}{16} P \quad (1)$$

$$(2) \longrightarrow C_y = \frac{5}{16} P \quad (1)$$

$$(1) \longrightarrow M_A = \frac{3}{16} PL \quad (1)$$

(b)

$$(2) \left[ \frac{\delta U}{\delta M_C} \right]_{M_C=0} = \theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} M_1 \frac{\delta M_1}{\delta M_C} dx + \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L M_2 \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta M_C} dx$$

$$\frac{\delta M_1}{\delta M_C} = 1 \quad \frac{\delta M_2}{\delta M_C} = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_0^{L/2} \left[ A_y(x - L) + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) \right] dx \quad (2)$$

$$+ \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \int_{L/2}^L [A_y(x - L) - P(x - L)] dx$$

$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left[ -\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) A_y L^2 + P\left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 - P\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) L^2 + P\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) L^2 \right]$$

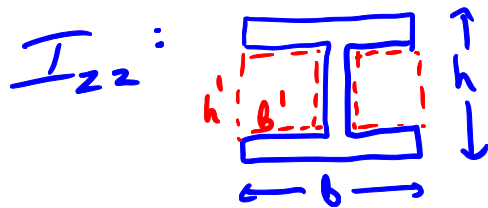
$$\theta = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left[ -\left(\frac{11}{32}\right) PL^2 + \left(\frac{12}{32}\right) PL^2 \right] = \left(\frac{1}{EI}\right) \left(\frac{1}{32}\right) PL^2 \quad (1)$$

4.1

$$M = 100 \text{ kNm}$$

$$\sigma = \frac{-My}{I_{zz}}$$

$$y_a = 160 \text{ mm}; \quad y_b = 170 \text{ mm}$$



$$= \frac{1}{12} b h^3 - 2 \left( \frac{1}{12} b' h'^3 \right)$$

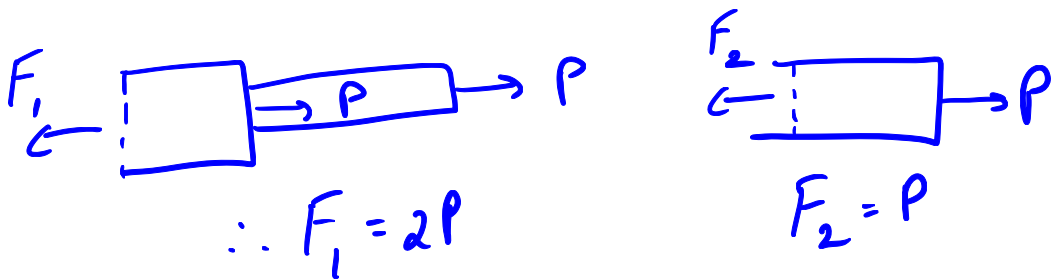
$$\therefore I_{zz,(a)} = \frac{1}{12} (200) (320)^3 - 2 \left( \frac{1}{12} \times 90 \times 300^3 \right)$$
$$= 141.13 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$I_{zz,(b)} = \frac{1}{12} (200) (340)^3 - 2 \left( \frac{1}{12} \times 95 \times 300^3 \right)$$
$$= 227.57 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$\frac{y_a}{I_{zz,(a)}} = 1.134 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mm}^{-3} > \frac{y_b}{I_{zz,(b)}} = 0.747 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mm}^{-3}$$

$$\therefore |\sigma_a| > |\sigma_b|$$

4.2



$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } U_A &= \frac{1}{2} F_1^2 \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right)_1 + \frac{1}{2} F_2^2 \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right)_2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right) 5P^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } U_B &= \frac{1}{2} (2P)^2 \left( \frac{L}{2AE} \right) + \frac{1}{2} (P)^2 \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right) 3P^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } U_C &= \frac{1}{2} (2P)^2 \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right) + \frac{1}{2} P^2 \left( \frac{L}{2AE} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{L}{AE} \right) (4.5P^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } U_d &= \frac{1}{2} (2P)^2 \left( \frac{L}{2AE} \right) + \frac{1}{2} P^2 \left( \frac{L}{2AE} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{L}{2AE} \right) (2.5P^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore U_b < U_a ; U_c < U_a ; U_d < U_a$$

4.3

$$a) p(x) = EI u''''(x) = p_0 \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{2L}\right)$$

$$b) \theta_A = 0 \text{ (fixed end)}$$

$$\theta(x) = u'(x) \Rightarrow \theta_B = \theta(L) = u'(L)$$

$$\therefore \theta_B = \frac{p_0 L^3}{\pi^3 EI} (\pi^2 - 8)$$

$$c) V(x) = EI u''''(x)$$

$$R_A = V(0)$$

$$\therefore R_A = -\frac{2Lp_0}{\pi}$$

$$M(x) = EI u''(x)$$

$$M_A = M(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow M_A = \frac{2p_0 L^2}{\pi^2} (\pi - 2)$$