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Mechanics of Materials (I)

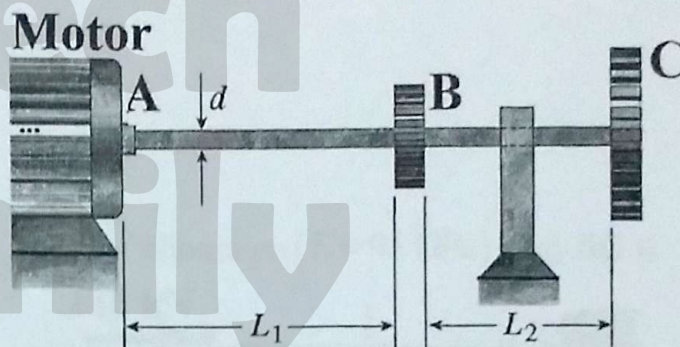
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Midterm Exam (17/4/2014)

Time: 90 m

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**Q.1 (8- points)** The shaft  $ABC$  shown in the figure is driven by a motor that delivers 270 kW at a rotational speed of 32 Hz. The gears at  $B$  and  $C$  take out 90 kW and 180 kW, respectively. The lengths of the two parts of the shaft are  $L_1 = 1.6$  m and  $L_2 = 1.1$  m. The shear modulus of elasticity of the shaft is  $G = 75$  GPa.



- If the diameter of the shaft  $ABC$  is  $d = 45$  mm, find the maximum shear stress in the shaft  $ABC$  and angle of twist between points  $A$  and  $C$ .
- Determine the required diameter  $d$  of the shaft, if the allowable shear stress is 110 MPa, and the allowable angle of twist between points  $A$  and  $C$  is  $5.0^\circ$ .

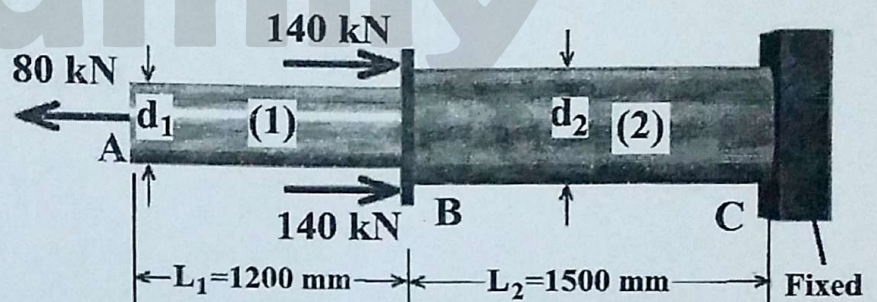
**Q.2 (3- points)** The solid cylindrical rods (1) and (2) are joined together by a rigid flange at B and loaded by **three forces** as shown. The diameter of rod (1) is  $d_1 = 24\text{ mm}$  and the diameter of rod (2) is  $d_2 = 42\text{ mm}$ .

A) The normal stresses in rods (1) and (2) are:

- a)  $\sigma_1 = 44.17\text{ MPa (T)}$  and  $\sigma_2 = 132.63\text{ MPa (C)}$
- b)  $\sigma_1 = 176.84\text{ MPa (T)}$  and  $\sigma_2 = 144.36\text{ MPa (C)}$
- c)  $\sigma_1 = 144.36\text{ MPa (T)}$  and  $\sigma_2 = 176.84\text{ MPa (C)}$
- d)  $\sigma_1 = 132.63\text{ MPa (T)}$  and  $\sigma_2 = 44.17\text{ MPa (C)}$
- e)  $\sigma_1 = 176.84\text{ MPa (T)}$  and  $\sigma_2 = 202.10\text{ MPa (C)}$

B) The total elongation of the bar ABC if AB is made of aluminum ( $E = 95\text{ GPa}$ ) and BC is made of steel ( $E = 205\text{ GPa}$ ).

- a) 3.290 mm
- b) 2.234 mm
- c) 0 mm
- d) -1.056 mm
- e) 1.177 mm



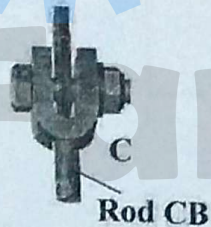
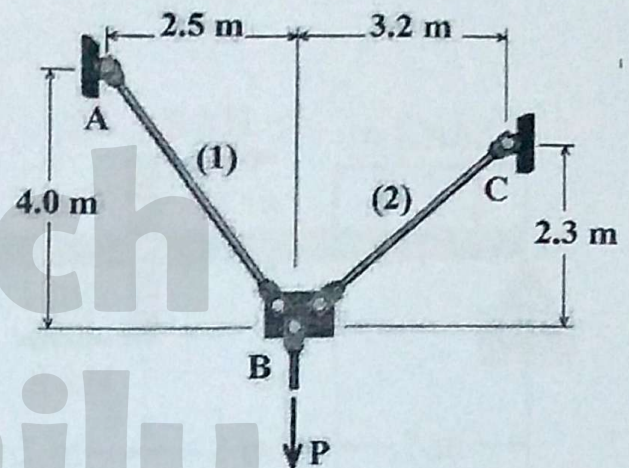
**4.3 (3- points)** The solid cylindrical rods support a load ( $P = 50 \text{ kN}$ ) as shown. If the normal stress in each rod must be limited to  $130 \text{ MPa}$  :

A) The minimum diameter required for rod (1) is:

- a)  $19.96 \text{ mm}$
- b)  $14.981 \text{ mm}$
- c)  $18.96 \text{ mm}$
- d)  $14.00 \text{ mm}$
- e)  $9.981 \text{ mm}$

B) The shear stress in the  $22 \text{ mm}$  diameter bolt at point C (see the connection of the rod at C) is:

- a)  $17.46 \text{ MPa}$
- b)  $53.52 \text{ MPa}$
- c)  $34.93 \text{ MPa}$
- d)  $69.86 \text{ MPa}$
- e)  $107.03 \text{ MPa}$



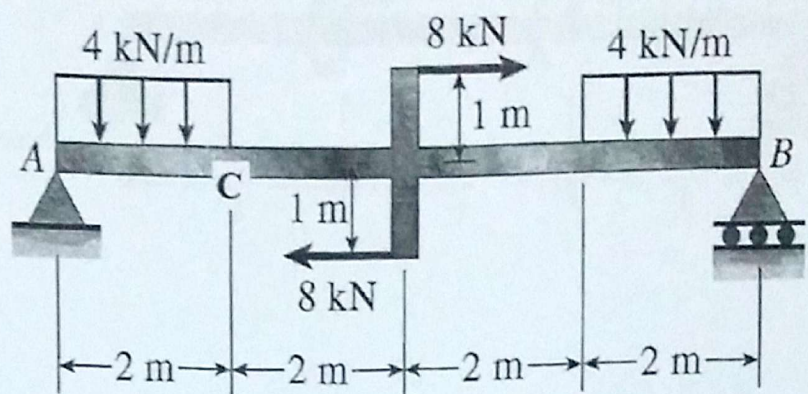
**Q.4 (3- points)** A simple beam  $AB$  is loaded as shown.

A) The internal shear force at Section passes through  $C$  is:

- a) 5 kN
- b) 0 kN
- c) 3 kN
- d) 4 kN
- e) -2 kN

B) The internal moment at Section passes through  $C$  is:

- a) 5 kN. m
- b) 4 kN. m
- c) 0 kN. m
- d) 6 kN. m
- e) 7 kN. m



**Q.5 (3- points)** Six bolts are used in the connection, as shown. The ultimate shear strength of the bolts is  $\tau_u = 300 \text{ MPa}$ , with a factor of safety (F.S.) 4 with respect to fracture

$$\left( \tau_{allow} = \frac{\tau_u}{F.S.} \right).$$

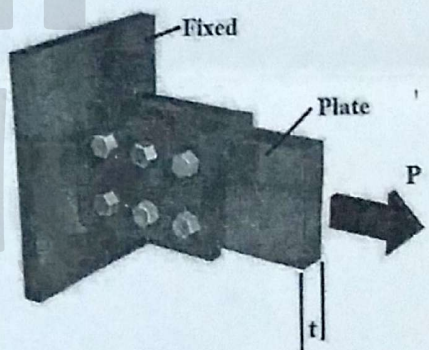
A) The minimum allowable diameter to support an applied load

$P = 475 \text{ kN}$  is:

- a) 26 mm
- b) 37 mm
- c) 36 mm
- d) 18 mm
- e) 23 mm

B) If the thickness of the plate  $t = 20 \text{ mm}$ , and the diameter of the bolt  $d = 30 \text{ mm}$ . The bearing stress between the plate and the bolts is:

- a) 131.94 MPa
- b) 252.24 MPa
- c) 76.120 MPa
- d) 152.24 MPa
- e) 65.972 MPa



**2.6 (3- points)**

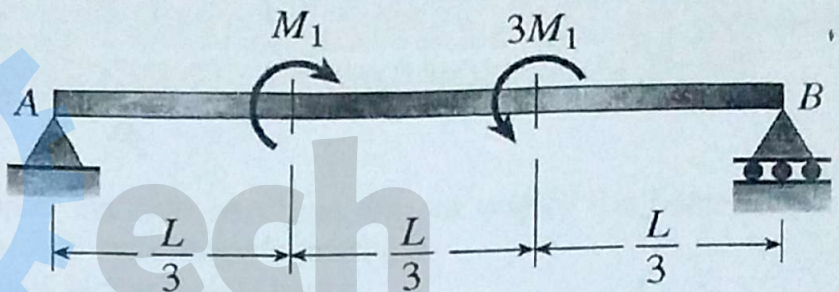
A simple beam  $AB$  is loaded as shown.

A) The maximum shear along the beam is:

- a)  $M_1/L$
- b)  $2M_1/L$
- c)  $3M_1/L$
- d)  $4M_1/3$
- e)  $5M_1/L$

B) The maximum bending moment along the beam is:

- a)  $6M_1/3$
- b)  $3M_1$
- c)  $5M_1/3$
- d)  $7M_1/3$
- e)  $4M_1/3$



- Q.7 (9- points)** Three prismatic bars, two of material *A* and one of material *B*, transmit a tensile load *P* (see figure). The two outer bars (material *A*) are identical. The cross-sectional area of the middle bar (material *B*) is 50% larger than the cross-sectional area of one of the outer bars. Also, the modulus of elasticity of material *A* is twice that of material *B*.
- (a) What fraction of the load *P* is transmitted by the middle bar?
- (b) What is the ratio of the stress in the middle bar to the stress in the outer bars?
- (c) What is the ratio of the strain in the middle bar to the strain in the outer bars?

