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# STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS

## CIVIL ENGINEERING

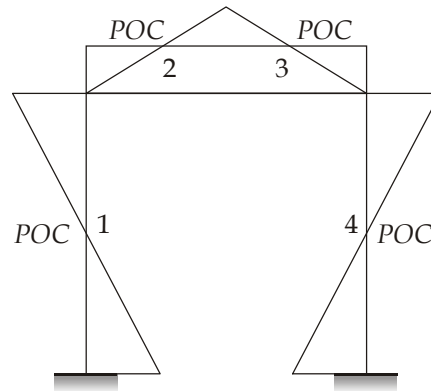
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### ANSWER KEY >

1. (d)	7. (d)	13. (b)	19. (d)	25. (b)
2. (c)	8. (b)	14. (b)	20. (b)	26. (a)
3. (c)	9. (d)	15. (c)	21. (c)	27. (b)
4. (c)	10. (b)	16. (a)	22. (b)	28. (b)
5. (d)	11. (b)	17. (a)	23. (c)	29. (b)
6. (c)	12. (c)	18. (d)	24. (b)	30. (d)

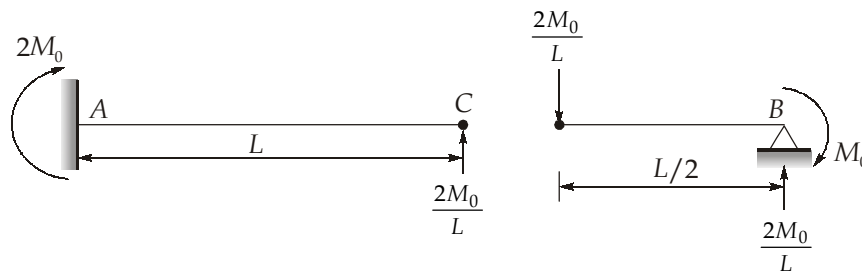
## DETAILED EXPLANATIONS

1. (d)
2. (c)



4 points of contra-flexure.

3. (c)
- FBD:**



So, Carryover factor =  $\frac{\text{Moment of A}}{\text{Applied moment at B}} = \frac{2M_0}{M_0} = 2$

4. (c)

$$M_{FCB} = -\frac{12 \times 4^2}{12} = -16 \text{ kNm}$$

$$M_{CB} + M_{CA} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -16 + \frac{2EI}{4} \times (2\theta_C) + \frac{2EI}{4} \times (2\theta_C) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta_C = \frac{8}{EI}$$

5. (d)

For static equilibrium in a space structure equations to be satisfied are,

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma F_x &= 0, \Sigma F_y = 0, \Sigma F_z = 0 \\ \Sigma M_x &= 0, \Sigma M_y = 0, \Sigma M_z = 0 \end{aligned}$$

- 6. (c)
- 7. (d)
- 8. (b)
- 9. (d)

Stiffness of beam,

$$k_b = \frac{48EI}{L^3}$$

$$k_b = \frac{48 \times 1}{2^3} = 6 \text{ unit}$$

Equivalent stiffness,  $k_{eq}$

$$\frac{1}{k_{eq}} = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{3}{12}$$

(Because, beam and spring are in series as there deflection is different)

$$k_{eq} = 4 \text{ unit}$$

- 10. (b)

The maximum bending moment for any position of load occur under the load. So the equation for maximum bending moment is

$$M_{max} = \frac{x(L-x)}{L}$$

Thus the ILD for maximum bending moment is parabolic.

This is also called envelop of maximum bending moment.

- 11. (b)

Members of truss can be of different cross-section.

- 12. (c)

Let the vertical reaction at A and B be  $V_A$  and  $V_B$  respectively are horizontal thrust be  $H$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \Sigma M_A &= 0 \\ V_B \times 12 - 8 \times P &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow V_B &= \frac{2P}{3} \\ \Rightarrow V_A &= P - \frac{2}{3}P = \frac{P}{3} \\ \Rightarrow \Sigma M_C &= 0 \\ 6 \times V_A - 4 \times H &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow H &= \frac{6V_A}{4} \\ \Rightarrow H &= \frac{6 \times P}{4 \times 3} = \frac{P}{2} \end{aligned}$$

13. (b)

At joint B,

Joint	Members	Stiffness	Total Stiffness	Distribution factor
B	BA	$\frac{3EI}{L}$	$\frac{7EI}{L}$	$\frac{3}{7}$
	BC	$\frac{4EI}{L}$		$\frac{4}{7}$

Fixed end moments,  $M_{FBC} = -\frac{WL}{8}$

$$M_{FCB} = +\frac{WL}{8}$$

Distributing  $(-M_{FBC})$  to  $M_{BA}$  and  $M_{BC}$ . Final moment will be,

$$M_{BA} = \frac{3}{7} \times \frac{WL}{8}$$

$$M_{BC} = -\frac{WL}{8} + \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{WL}{8} = -\frac{3WL}{56}$$

and carryover of distributed moment of member BC is

$$M_{CB} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{WL}{8} \right)$$

So, final moment,  $M_{CB} = \frac{WL}{8} + \frac{2WL}{56} = \frac{9WL}{56}$

So,  $\frac{M_{BC}}{M_{CB}} = \frac{-\frac{3WL}{56}}{\frac{9WL}{56}} = -\frac{1}{3}$

Magnitude =  $\frac{1}{3}$

14. (b)

For two-hinged semi-circular arch with load  $W$  applied at any section, the radius vector corresponding to which makes an angle  $\theta$  with the horizontal.

$$H = \frac{W}{\pi} \sin^2 \theta$$

With load at crown,  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

So,  $H = \frac{W}{\pi}$

15. (c)

Circular frequency for damped condition is

$$\begin{aligned}\omega_D &= \omega_n \sqrt{1 - (\epsilon)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \times \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^2} \\ \omega_D &= \sqrt{\frac{21 \times 10^3}{32}} \times \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{3}{100}\right)^2} \\ \omega_D &= 25.6 \text{ rad/sec}\end{aligned}$$

Cyclic frequency,  $f_D = \frac{\omega_D}{2\pi} = \frac{25.6}{2\pi} = 4.075 \text{ Hz}$

16. (a)

Vertical reaction;  $V = \frac{wl}{2} = \frac{15 \times 150}{2} = 1125 \text{ kN}$

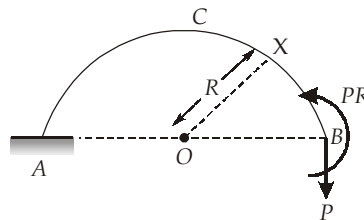
Horizontal reaction;  $H = \frac{wl^2}{8h} = \frac{15 \times 150^2}{8 \times 10} = 4218.75 \text{ kN}$

$\therefore$  Maximum tension =  $T_{\max} = \sqrt{V^2 + H^2} = \sqrt{1125^2 + 4218.75^2} = 4366.17 \text{ kN}$

Minimum tension =  $T_{\min} = H = 4218.75 \text{ kN}$

$\therefore T_{\max} - T_{\min} = 147.42 \text{ kN}$

17. (a)



For member ACB,

Moment at X,  $M_x = PR - PR(1 - \cos \theta) = PR \cos \theta$

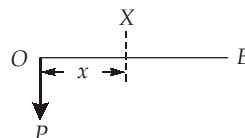
Strain energy stored,  $W_i = \int \frac{M_x^2 ds}{2EI} = \int_0^{\pi} \frac{(PR \cos \theta)^2 R d\theta}{2EI}$

$\Rightarrow W_i = \frac{P^2 R^3}{2EI} \times 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^2 \theta d\theta = \frac{P^2 R^3}{EI} \times \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\therefore$  Vertical deflection at O due to member ACB,

$$\delta = \frac{\partial W_i}{\partial P} = \frac{\pi PR^3}{2 EI}$$

For member OB,



Strain energy stored,  $W_i = \int \frac{M_x^2 ds}{2EI} = \int_0^R \frac{(Px)^2 dx}{2EI}$

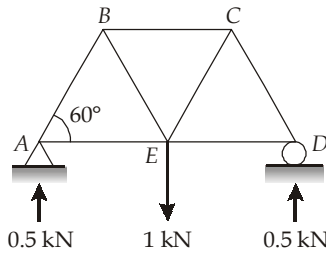
$$W_i = \frac{P^2 R^3}{6EI}$$

∴ Vertical deflection at O due to member OB,

$$\delta = \frac{\partial W_i}{\partial P} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{PR^3}{EI}$$

$$\text{Total deflection} = \left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{3}\right) \frac{PR^3}{EI} = 1.904 \frac{PR^3}{EI}$$

18. (d)  
Apply a unit load at joint E

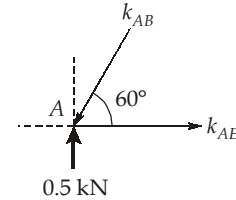


$$\delta_E = \Sigma K(L\alpha\Delta T) \tag{1}$$

At joint A;  $\Sigma F_y = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow 0.5 - K_{AB} \sin 60^\circ = 0$

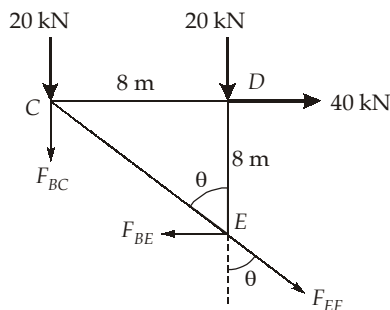
∴  $K_{AB} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  (compressive)

Also;  $K_{AB} = K_{CD}$  (Due to symmetry)  
 From (1)



∴  $\delta_E = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times 2 \times 12 \times 10^{-6} \times 20\right) \times 2 \text{ m} = 0.55 \text{ mm}$

19. (d)



Cut a section through BC, BE and EF

$$\Sigma F_y = 0; \Rightarrow 20 + 20 + F_{EF} \cos \theta + F_{BC} = 0 \tag{1}$$

$$\Sigma M_E = 0; \Rightarrow F_{BC} \times 8 + 20 \times 8 = 40 \times 8$$

$\Rightarrow F_{BC} = 20 \text{ kN}; (\sin \theta = \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}) (\because \theta = 45^\circ)$

From (1);  $F_{EF} = -60\sqrt{2}$  kN (-ve i.e. compression)

$\therefore$  Magnitude of  $F_{EF} = 60\sqrt{2}$  kN

20. (b)

Since, more moment will get transferred to the fixed ends due to decrease in stiffness of middle half.

21. (c)

As per Muller Breslau principle, release the reaction at A and a unit displacement is given to primary structure at A.

22. (b)

Since beam is symmetric

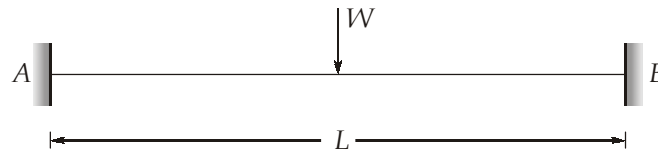
$\therefore$  Vertical reaction at A and B is i.e.  $V_A = V_B = 50$  kN

$\therefore$  Taking moments about C

$$M_A = V_A \times 4 = 50 \times 4 = 200 \text{ kNm}$$

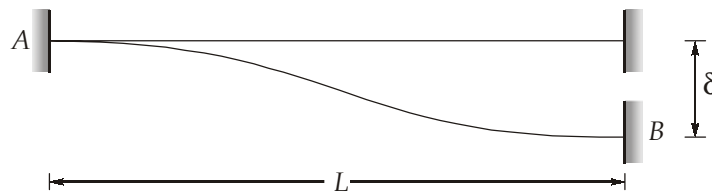
23. (c)

- Due to load



$$M_{FBA} = \frac{WL}{8} \text{ (clockwise)}$$

- Due to sinking of support



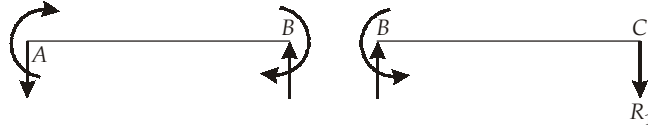
$$\begin{aligned} M_{FBA} &= \frac{6EI\delta}{L^2} = \frac{6EI \times WL^3}{L^2 \times 48EI} \text{ (anticlockwise)} \\ &= \frac{WL}{8} \end{aligned}$$

So fixing moment at B,

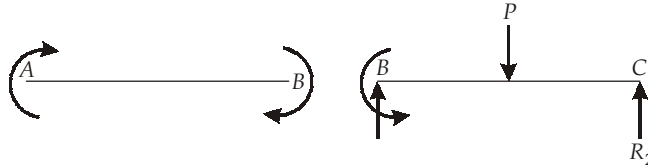
$$\begin{aligned} M_{FBA} &= \frac{WL}{8} \text{ (ACW)} + \frac{WL}{8} \text{ (CW)} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

24. (b)

Due to sinking of support A,

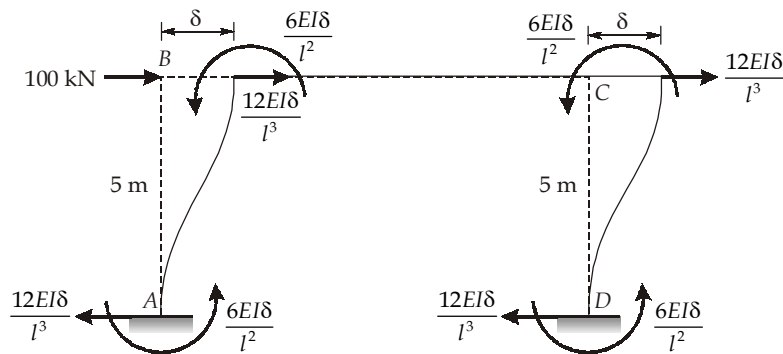


Due to load P



$\therefore R_C = R_1(\downarrow) + R_2(\uparrow) = R_2 - R_1 < R_2$   
Hence, reaction at C decreases.

25. (b)



$$\frac{12EI\delta}{l^3} + \frac{12EI\delta}{l^3} = 100$$

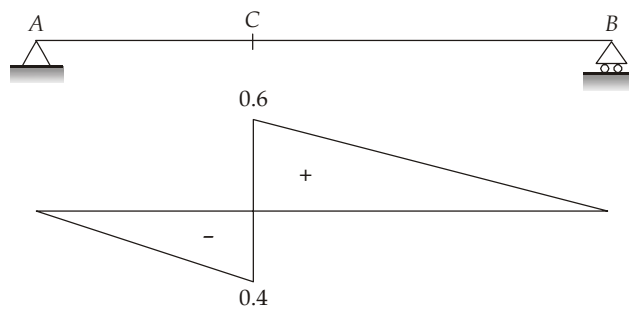
$$\Rightarrow \frac{24EI\delta}{l^3} = 100$$

$$M_A = \frac{6EI\delta}{l^2}$$

$$= \frac{100 \times l}{4} = \frac{100 \times 5}{4} = 125 \text{ kNm}$$

26. (a)

ILD for SF at C is shown below

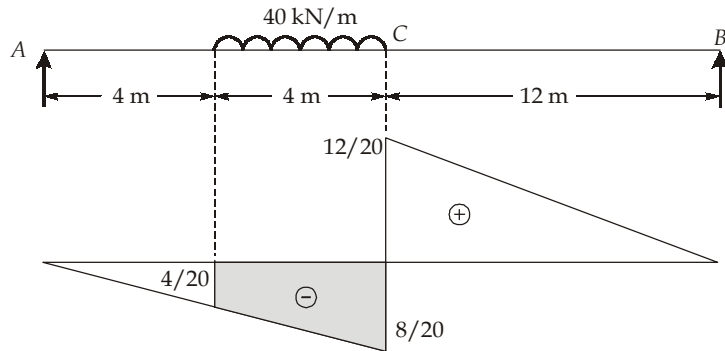


ILD for S.F. at C



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Maximum S.F.} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 0.6 \times 6 \times 15 \\ &= 27 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

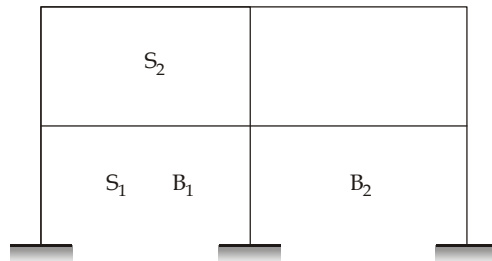
27. (b)



When head of UDL is at 8 m from A,

$$SF = 40 \left[ \frac{4}{20} + \frac{8}{20} \right] \times \frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 48 \text{ kN}$$

28. (b)



$$j = (S + 1) (B + 1) = \text{Number of joints}$$

$$m = S(B + 1) + BS = \text{Number of members}$$

$$r_e = 3(B + 1)$$

$$D_k = 3j - r_e - m$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore D_k &= 3(S + 1) (B + 1) - 3(B + 1) - S(B + 1) - BS \\ &= S(B + 2) \end{aligned}$$

29. (b)

30. (d)

