

P1: (a) assume the displacement at point D is ΔL

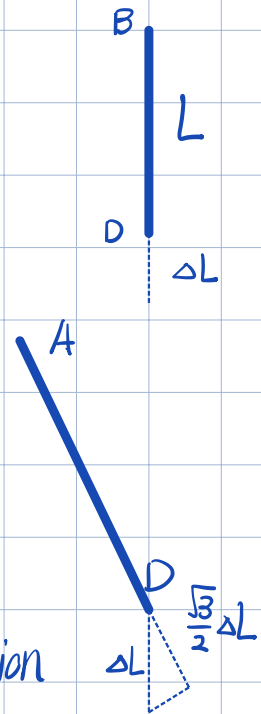
then the elongation of truss element

BD is ΔL (2')

the elongation of truss element

AD is $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Delta L$ (3')

(note: the displacement at transverse direction is rigid body motion)



similarly, the elongation of truss element CD is $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Delta L$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_{BD} = \frac{\Delta L}{L}, \quad \epsilon_{AD} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Delta L}{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} L} = \frac{3}{4} \frac{\Delta L}{L}, \quad \epsilon_{CD} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Delta L}{\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} L} = \frac{3}{4} \frac{\Delta L}{L}$$

therefore, the internal axial forces are

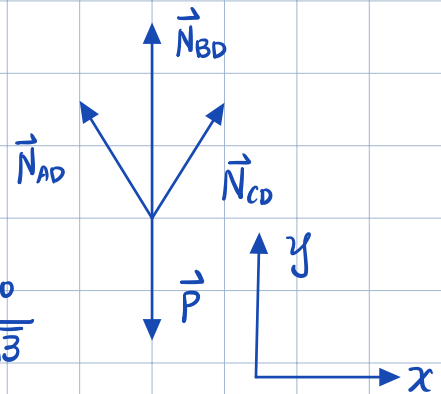
$$|\vec{N}_{BD}| = \frac{EA \Delta L}{L}, \quad |\vec{N}_{AD}| = \frac{3}{4} \frac{EA \Delta L}{L}, \quad |\vec{N}_{CD}| = \frac{3}{4} \frac{EA \Delta L}{L}$$

i.e. $|\vec{N}_{AD}| = \frac{3}{4} |\vec{N}_{BD}|, \quad |\vec{N}_{CD}| = \frac{3}{4} |\vec{N}_{BD}|$ (5')

$$\underline{\Sigma F_y = 0 \Rightarrow (5')}$$

$$-P + N_{BD} + \frac{3}{4} N_{BD} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3}{4} N_{BD} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 0$$

$$\left(1 + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}\right) N_{BD} = P \quad N_{BD} = \frac{4P}{4 + 3\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4 \times 1000}{4 + 3\sqrt{3}}$$



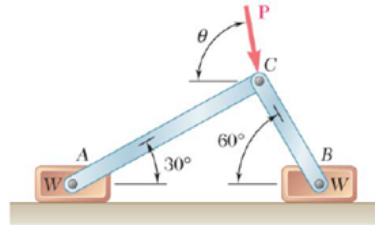
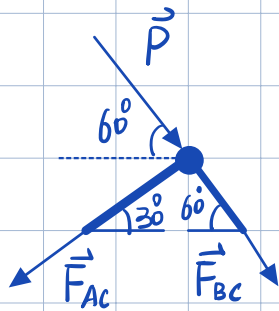
$$\Rightarrow N_{BD} = 434.96 \text{ N(T)} \quad N_{AD} = 326.22 \text{ (T)} \quad N_{CD} = 326.22 \text{ (T)} \quad (5')$$

(b) for truss element BD, if $\sigma_{BD} = \sigma_{all} = 150 \text{ MPa}$

$$\underline{A_{BD} = \frac{N_{BD}}{\sigma_{BD}} = \frac{434.96}{150} = 2.90 \text{ mm}^2} \quad (5')$$

$$\underline{d_{BD} = \sqrt{\frac{4A_{BD}}{\pi}} = \sqrt{\frac{4 \times 2.90}{\pi}} = 1.92 \text{ mm}} \quad (5')$$

P2: take joint C as a free body



since \vec{P} is parallel with \vec{F}_{Bc} and perpendicular to \vec{F}_{Ac} , it can be easily obtained:

$$\underline{F_{Bc} = P(C) \quad F_{Ac} = 0} \quad (5')$$

take block B as a free body

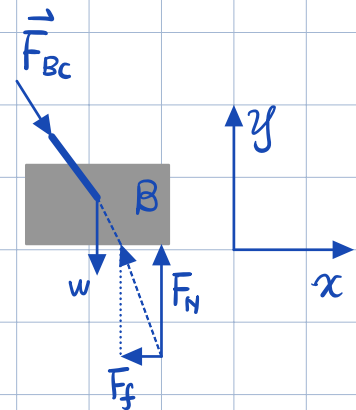
$$\text{use } \underline{\sum F_y = 0} \quad (5')$$

$$-F_{Bc} \sin(60^\circ) - W + F_N = 0, \quad F_N = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} P + W$$

$$\text{use } \underline{\sum F_x = 0} \quad \text{and} \quad F_f = F_N \cdot 0.3 \quad (5')$$

$$F_{Bc} \cdot \cos(60^\circ) - F_f = 0, \quad 0.3 \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} P + W \right) = \frac{1}{2} P,$$

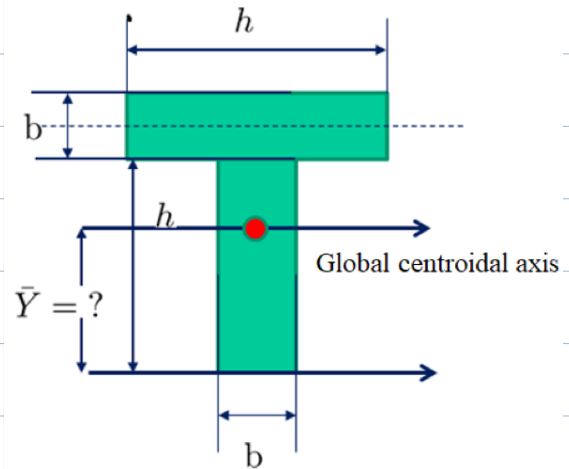
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P = \frac{6}{10 - 3\sqrt{3}} W = 1.250 W} \quad (5')$$



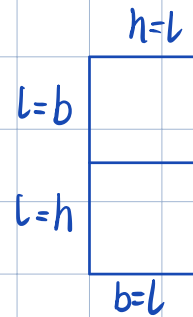
P3

(a)

index	A_i	\bar{y}_i	$A_i \bar{y}_i$
1	hb	$\frac{h}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2} h^2 b$
2	bh	$h + \frac{b}{2}$	$bh(h + \frac{b}{2})$
sum	$2hb$		$\frac{1}{2} b^2 h + \frac{3}{2} h^2 b$ (5')



$$\bar{Y} = \frac{\sum A_i \bar{y}_i}{\sum A_i} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} b^2 h + \frac{3}{2} h^2 b}{2hb} = \frac{1}{4} b + \frac{3}{4} h \quad (5')$$



double check: if $b=h=l$ $\bar{Y} = \frac{1}{4} l + \frac{3}{4} l = l \checkmark$

(b)

index	$I_{x,i}$	\bar{y}_i	$(\bar{Y} - y_i)^2 A_i$	$I_{x,i} + (\bar{Y} - y_i)^2 A_i$
1	$\frac{bh^3}{12}$	$\frac{h}{2}$	$\frac{1}{16} (b+h)^2 bh$	$\frac{1}{16} (b+h)^2 bh + \frac{bh^3}{12}$ (5')
2	$\frac{hb^3}{12}$	$h + \frac{b}{2}$	$\frac{1}{16} (b+h)^2 bh$	$\frac{1}{16} (b+h)^2 bh + \frac{hb^3}{12}$ (5')
sum				$\frac{1}{8} (b+h)^2 bh + \frac{(b^2+h^2)}{12} bh$

$$I_x = \left[\frac{1}{8} (b+h)^2 + \frac{1}{12} (b^2+h^2) \right] bh \quad (5')$$

double check: if $b=h=l$ $I_x = \left[\frac{1}{8} \times 4l^2 + \frac{1}{12} \times 2l^2 \right] l^2 = \frac{2}{3} l^4 \checkmark$

P4:

A: because stress matrix must be symmetric

correct answers are (b), (d)

B: (a) x elongation is in the unit of [L], while

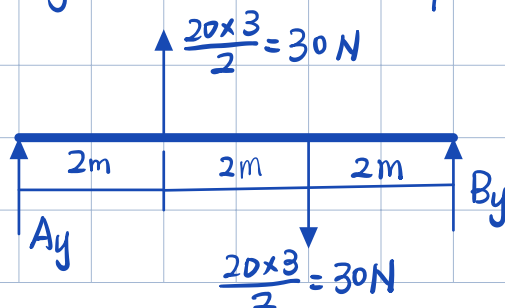
strains are in the unit of [1]

(b) ✓ By definition

(c) x shear strain can only characterize the change of shape

(d) x the unit of relative displacement is [L] while the unit of strain is [1]

C. The system can be equated as

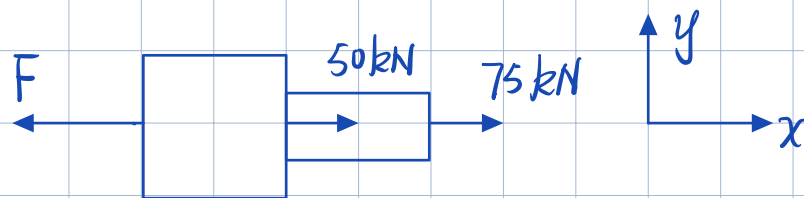


take moment at point B,

$$-A_y \times 6 + 30 \times 2 - 30 \times 4 = 0$$

$$6A_y = -60, \quad A_y = -10 \text{ N} \downarrow \quad (a)$$

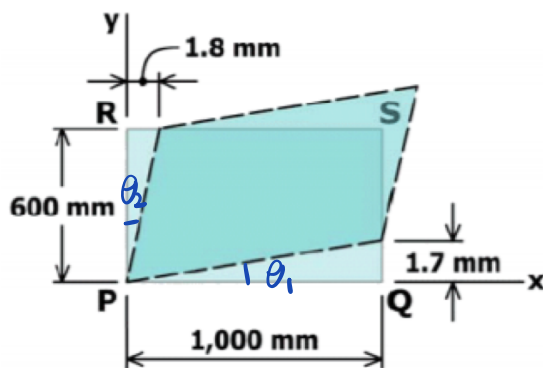
D draw FBD as



$$-F + 50 + 75 = 0$$

$$F = 125 \text{ kN}, \text{ choose (c)}$$

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because

$$\theta_1 \approx \tan \theta_1 = 1.7 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\theta_2 \approx \tan \theta_2 = 3 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\Delta \theta = \theta_1 + \theta_2 = 4.7 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\gamma_{xy} = 4.7 \times 10^{-3}, \text{ choose (c)}$$