

Note: Assume suitable data if not given.

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Duration: 3 hrs

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Problem 1 (8 marks): See Fig. 1

A single strain gauge forming an angle $\beta = 18^\circ$ with a horizontal plane is used to determine the gage pressure in the cylindrical steel tank shown. The cylindrical wall of the tank is 6-mm thick, has a 600-mm inside diameter, and is made of steel with $E = 200$ GPa and $\nu = 0.30$. Determine the pressure in the tank corresponding to a strain gage reading of 280×10^{-6} .

Problem 2 (9 marks): See Fig. 2

For the beam and loading shown, determine the spring constant k for which the force in the spring is equal to one-third of the total load on the beam. Note: Show complete working. You are not allowed to use any formulae from deflection tables.

Problem 3 (8 marks): See Fig. 3

Consider a column fixed at the base and supported by a linear elastic spring of stiffness β , as shown. Determine the characteristic equation for the critical buckling load (i.e., the equation whose solution gives the critical buckling load). The characteristic equation should be strictly in terms of the following parameters: k, L, EI, β , where $k^2 = P/EI$. Note that you are not required to solve the characteristic equation.

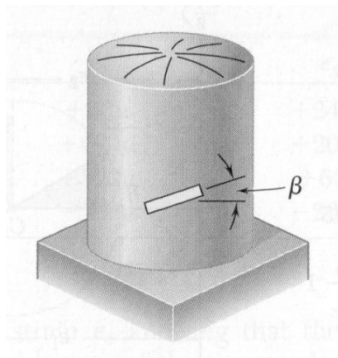


Fig. 1

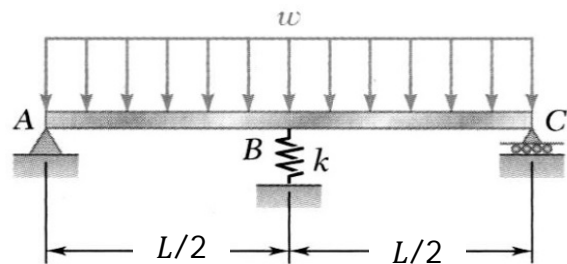


Fig. 2

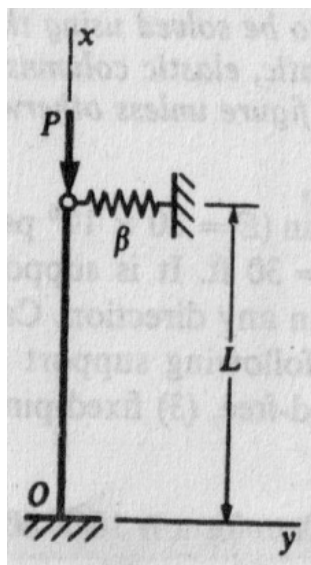


Fig. 3

Problem 4 (9 marks): See Fig. 4

A horizontal bracket ABC consists of two perpendicular arms AB and BC . Arm AB has a solid circular cross-section with diameter **60mm**. At point C a load $P_1=2\text{kN}$ acts vertically and a load $P_2=30\text{kN}$ acts horizontally and parallel to arm AB . Point P is located on the y_0 axis at the circumference of the cross-section at the fixed end A as shown.

Neglecting selfweight, determine

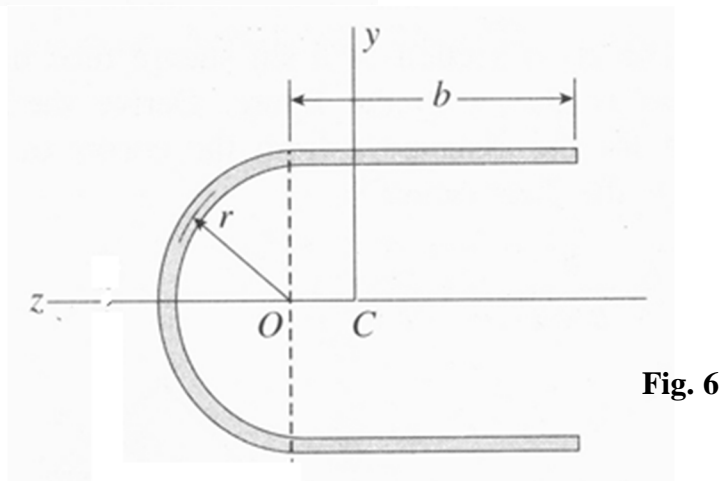
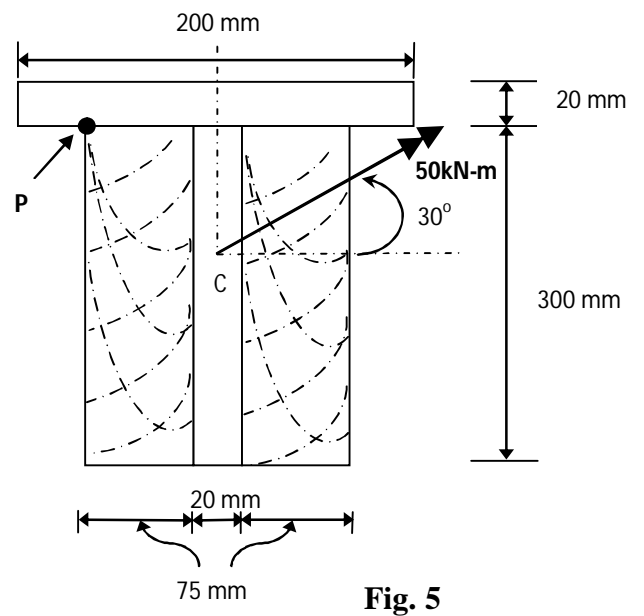
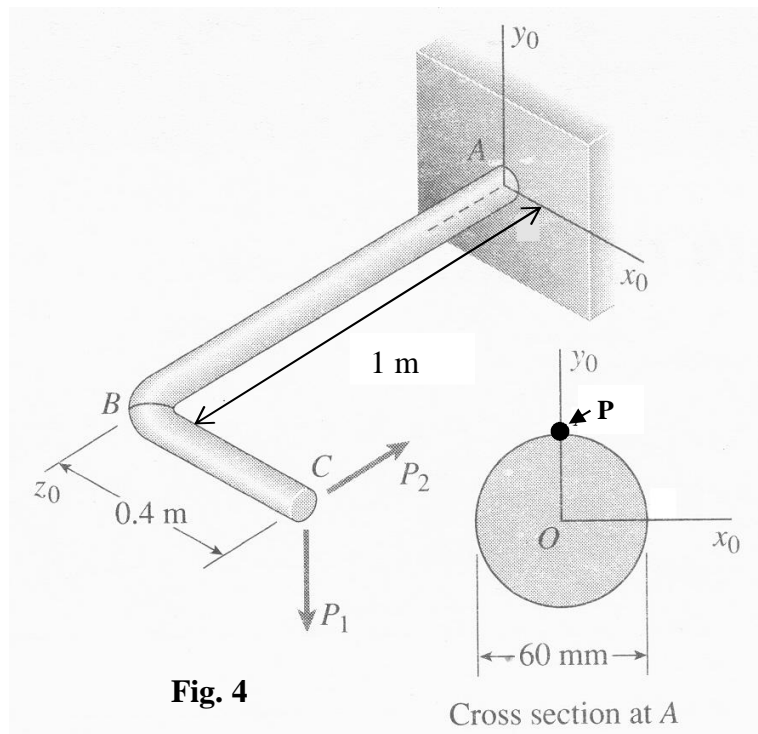
- (i) the principal stresses and their orientations at point P .
- (ii) the maximum shear stress and its orientation at point P .

Problem 5 (8 marks): See Fig. 5

A steel beam having T section has been strengthened by bolting to it the two rectangular wood sections as shown. The moduli of elasticity are **12.5 GPa** for wood and **200 GPa** for steel. Find the normal stress σ_s in steel, and the normal stress σ_w in wood, at the point P due to a bending moment **50 kNm** as shown. The point P is located at the wood-steel interface as shown.

Problem 6 (8 marks): See Fig. 6

A U-shaped *thin walled* cross-section of constant thickness is shown. Find the location of the shear center with respect to O (the center of the semi-circle). Use $b=200\text{mm}$, $r=100\text{mm}$



P1 $\sigma_\theta = \frac{pr}{t}$, $\sigma_x = \frac{pr}{2t}$, $\tau_{x\theta} = 0$, $\sigma_r = \sigma_{r\theta} = \sigma_{rx} = 0$

$$\epsilon_\theta = \frac{\sigma_\theta}{E} - \frac{\nu}{E} \sigma_x = \frac{pr}{t} \left(\frac{1 - \nu/2}{E} \right)$$

$$\epsilon_x = \frac{\sigma_x}{E} - \frac{\nu}{E} \sigma_\theta = \frac{pr}{t} \left(\frac{1/2 - \nu}{E} \right)$$

$$\gamma_{x\theta} = 0$$

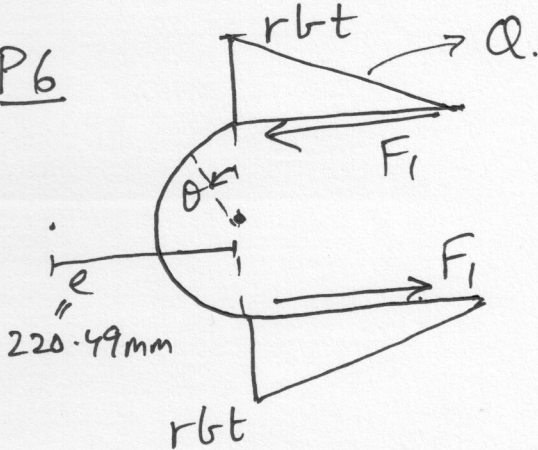
$$\epsilon_{180} = \epsilon_\theta \cos^2 18 + \epsilon_x \sin^2 18 + \gamma_{x\theta} \sin 18 \cos 18 = 280 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$p = 280 \times 10^{-6} \left(\frac{tE}{r} \right) \frac{1}{\left((1 - \nu/2) \cos^2 18 + (1/2 - \nu) \sin^2 18 \right)}$$

$$t = 6 \text{ mm}, r = 300 \text{ mm}, \nu = 0.3, E = 200 \times 10^3 \text{ MPa}$$

$$p = 1.421 \text{ MPa}$$

P6



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

$$I = 2bt^3 + \pi r t \frac{r^2}{2}$$

Q in straight horizontal legs is as shown (linear variation).

$$\Rightarrow F_1 = \int \tau dA = \int_0^b \frac{VQ}{It} t dz = \frac{V}{I} \frac{1}{2} b r t$$

$$Q \text{ in semi-circle} = rbt + \int_0^\theta r d\phi t r \cos \theta = r^2 t \sin \theta$$

$$M_o = Ve = \left[F_1 r + \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{V}{It} (rbt + r^2 t \sin \theta) r d\theta t r \right] \cdot 2$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \frac{1}{I} \left(\frac{b^2 r^2 t}{2} + b r^3 t \frac{\pi}{2} + r^4 t \left[-\cos \theta \right]_0^{\pi/2} \right) \cdot 2 = \frac{2(b^2 + b r \pi + 2r^2)}{(4b + \pi r)}$$

Put $b = 200, r = 100, e = 220.49 \text{ mm}$

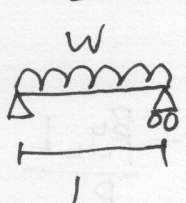
P2. Spring force \equiv concentrated load $= P = \frac{WL}{3}$

$\Delta_1 =$ midspan deflection due to w

$\Delta_2 =$ midspan deflection due to $P = \frac{WL}{3}$

compatibility $\Rightarrow \Delta_1 - \Delta_2 = \frac{P}{k} = \frac{WL}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{k} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

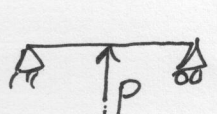
Δ_1 : $M(x) = \frac{WL}{2}x - wx \cdot \frac{x}{2}$; $EI y'' = M(x)$

 $EI y = \frac{WL}{2} \frac{x^3}{6} - \frac{w}{2} \frac{x^4}{12} + C_1 x + C_2$

$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$, $y(L) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = -\frac{1}{24} WL^3$

$y\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = \Delta_1 = \frac{WL^4}{EI} \left(-\frac{5}{384}\right)$, i.e. \downarrow $\rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

Δ_2 : $M_1(x) = -\frac{P}{2}x = EI y_1''$, $0 \leq x \leq \frac{L}{2}$

 $EI y_1 = -\frac{P}{2} \frac{x^3}{6} + \bar{C}_1 x + \bar{C}_2$

$y_1(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{C}_2 = 0$

$y_1'\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{C}_1 = \frac{PL^2}{16}$ (from symmetry)

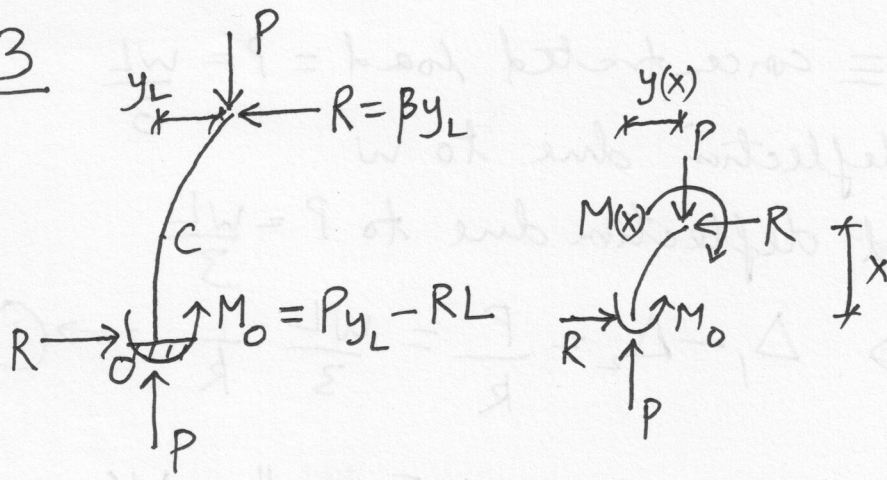
$y\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = \Delta_2 = \frac{1}{EI} \left[\frac{P}{2} \frac{L^3}{48} + \frac{PL^2}{16} \cdot \frac{L}{2} \right] = \frac{PL^3}{EI} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{48}\right) \uparrow$

Put $\textcircled{2}$, $\textcircled{3}$ in $\textcircled{1}$, with $P = \frac{WL}{3}$, $\rightarrow \textcircled{3}$

$\frac{WL^4}{EI} \left(\frac{5}{384} - \frac{1}{48} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \right) = \frac{WL}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{k}$

$\Rightarrow k = \frac{EI}{L^3} \left(\frac{384}{7} \right)$

P3



$$\sum M_C = 0 = M(x) + Py - Rx - M_0 = \frac{EIy'' + Py - Rx + RL - Py_L}{EI}$$

Solution: $y = y_h + y_p$

$$= C_1 \cos kx + C_2 \sin kx + \frac{\beta y_L}{P} x + y_L - \frac{\beta y_L L}{P}$$

$$y|_{x=0} = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = y_L \left(\frac{\beta L}{P} - 1 \right) = y_L \left(\frac{\beta L}{k^2 EI} - 1 \right)$$

$$y'|_{x=0} = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 k = - \frac{\beta y_L}{k^2 EI}$$

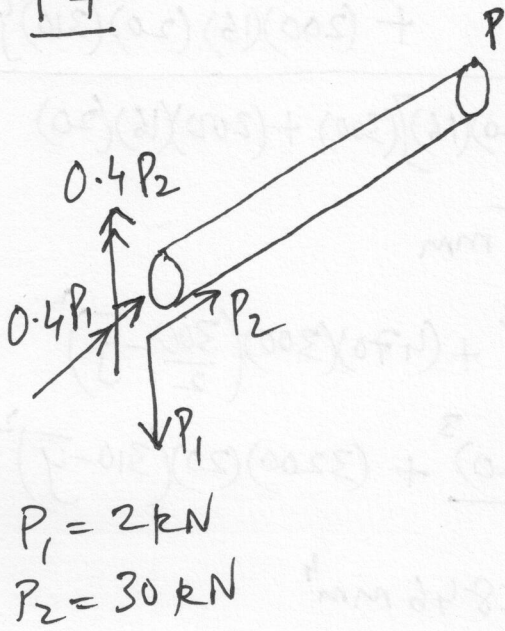
$$y|_{x=L} = y_L \Rightarrow C_1 \cos kL + C_2 \sin kL + y_L = y_L$$

$$\left(\frac{\beta L}{k^2 EI} - 1 \right) \cos kL - \frac{\beta}{k^3 EI} \sin kL = 0$$

$$\tan kL = \left(\frac{\beta L}{k^2 EI} - 1 \right) \frac{k^3 EI}{\beta} = kL - \frac{k^3 EI}{\beta}$$

$$\boxed{\tan kL = kL - \frac{k^3 EI}{\beta}}$$

P4



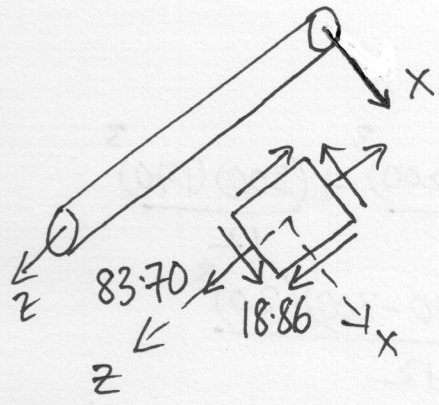
At P,

$$\sigma_z = \frac{(P_1 \times 10^3) \left(\frac{60}{2}\right)}{\frac{\pi}{4} \left(\frac{60}{2}\right)^4} - \frac{P_2}{\pi \left(\frac{60}{2}\right)^2} = 83.7037 \text{ MPa}$$

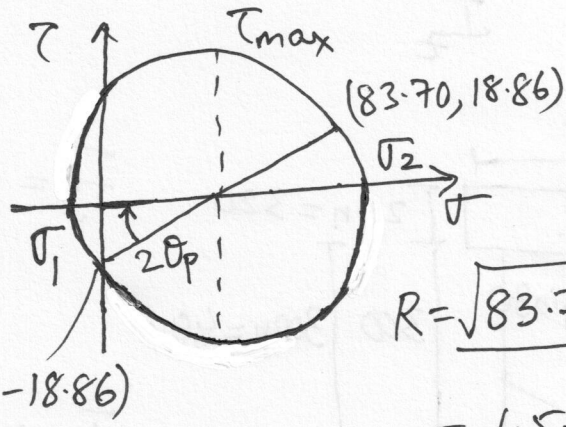
$$\tau_{zx} = \frac{(400 P_1) \left(\frac{60}{2}\right)}{\frac{\pi}{2} \left(\frac{60}{2}\right)^4}$$

$$\tau_{zx} = 18.8628 \text{ MPa}$$

→ (Note: $0.4P_2$ gives no σ_z ∵ P on NA)
 → Note: P_1 gives no τ_{zx} ∵ P on top boundary ie $Q=0$ in VQ/IT



$$\sigma_x = 0$$

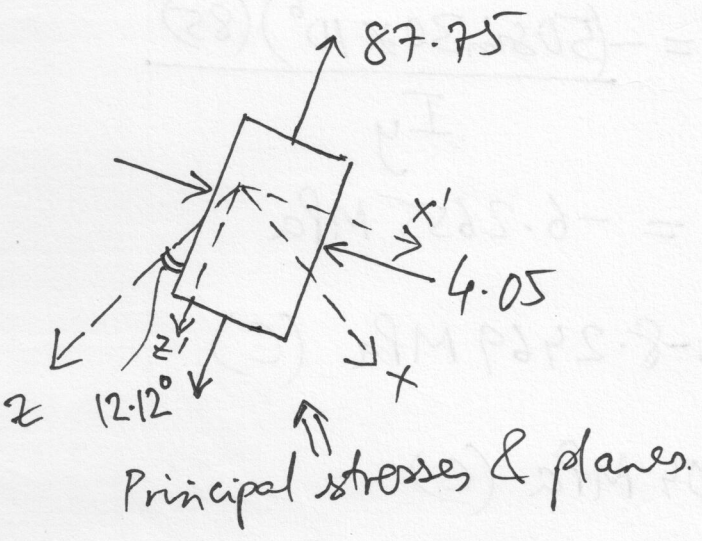


$$R = \frac{\sqrt{83.70^2 + (2 \times 18.86)^2}}{2} = 45.90 \text{ MPa} = \tau_{max}$$

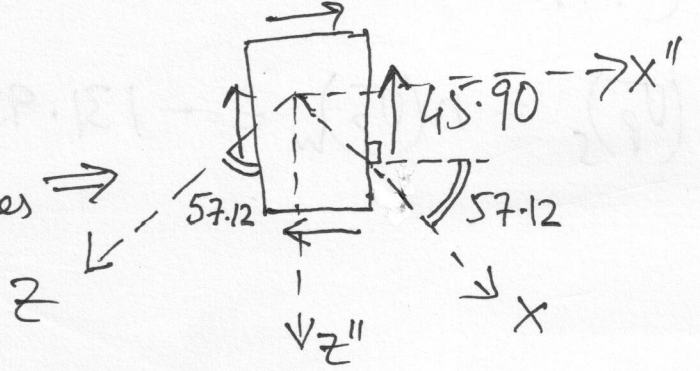
$$\sigma_1 = \frac{83.70 + 0}{2} - R = -4.05 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = \frac{83.70 + 0}{2} + R = 87.75 \text{ MPa}$$

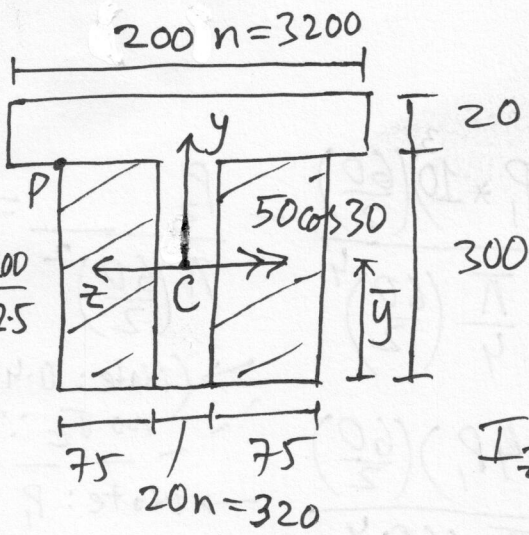
$$\theta_p = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{83.70/2}{R} \right) = 12.12^\circ$$



Max shear stress & planes



PS



$$n = \frac{E_s}{E_w} = \frac{200}{12.5}$$

$$n = 16$$

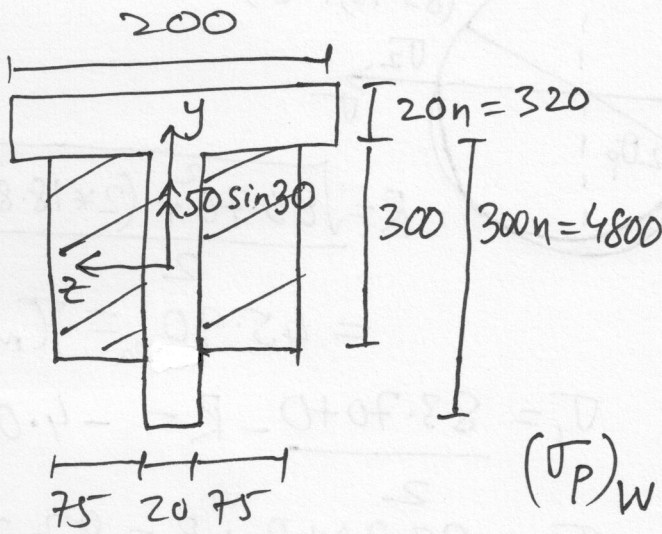
$$\bar{y} = \frac{\left[(75)(2) + (20)(16) \right] (300)(150) + (200)(16)(20)(310)}{\left[(75)(2) + (20)(16) \right] (300) + (200)(16)(20)}$$

$$\bar{y} = 199.95 \text{ mm}$$

$$I_z = \frac{(470)(300)^3}{12} + (470)(300)\left(\frac{300}{2} - \bar{y}\right)^2 + \frac{(3200)(20)^3}{12} + (3200)(20)(310 - \bar{y})^2$$

$$= 2186532846 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$(\sigma_P)_w = - \frac{(50 \cos 30 \times 10^6)(300 - \bar{y})}{I_z} = -1.9814 \text{ MPa}$$



$$I_y = \frac{(320)(200)^3}{12} + \frac{(300)(170)^3}{12} + \frac{(4800 - 300)(20)^3}{12}$$

$$I_y = 339158333.33 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$(\sigma_P)_w = - \frac{(50 \sin 30 \times 10^6)(85)}{I_y}$$

$$= -6.2655 \text{ MPa}$$

$$(\sigma_P)_w = -1.9814 - 6.2655 = -8.2469 \text{ MPa (C)}$$

$$(\sigma_P)_s = n(\sigma_P)_w = -131.9504 \text{ MPa (C)}$$