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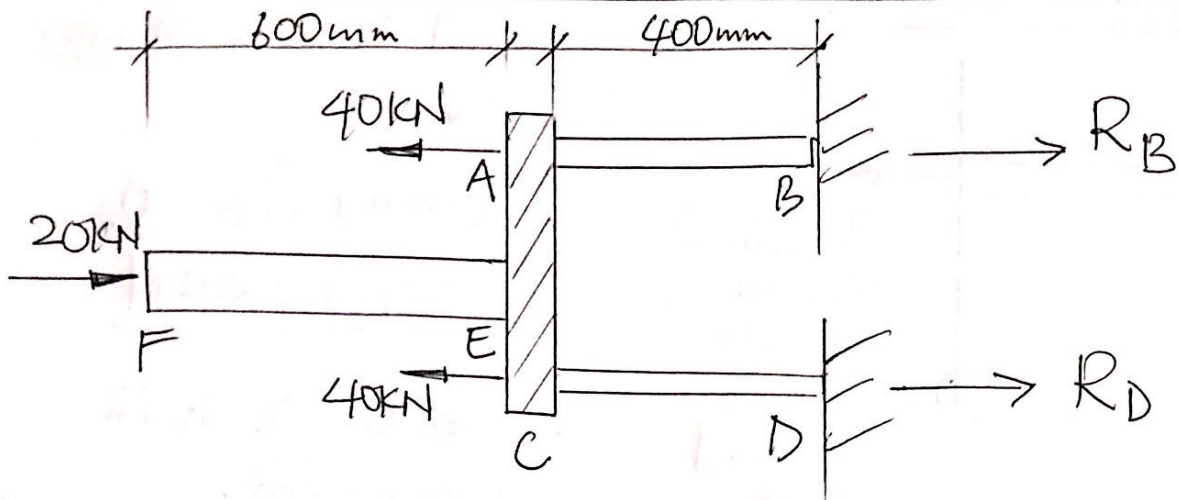
CEE 3211

MECHANICS OF MATERIALS

[TEST SOLUTIONS]

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QUESTION 1.



① Reaction Forces of Supports.

$$\rightarrow F_x = 0: R_B + R_D + 20 = 40 + 40$$

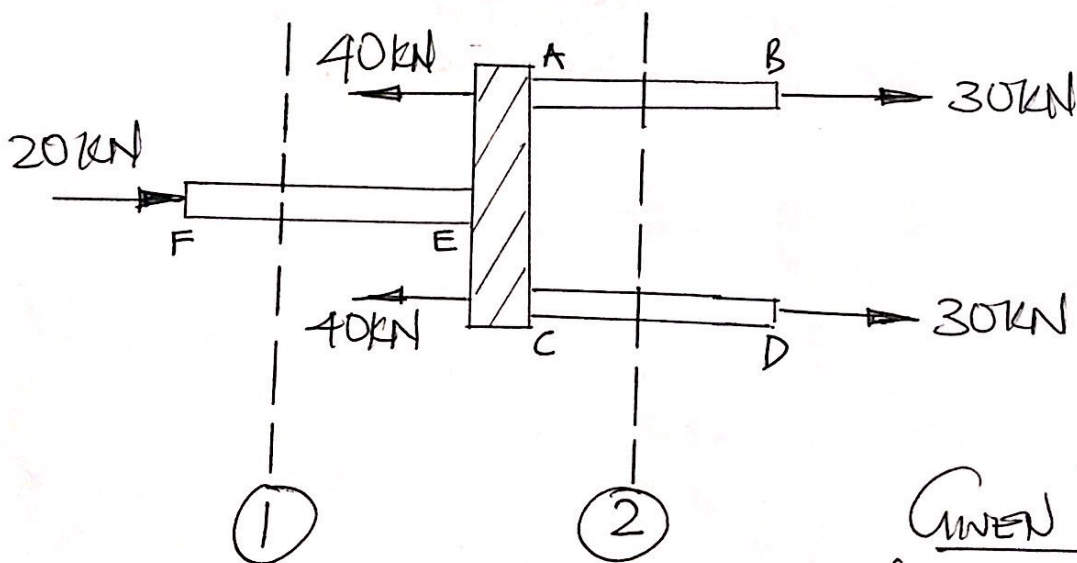
$$R_B + R_D = 80 - 20 = 60 \dots \textcircled{1}$$

Since $R_B = R_D$; (substituting in eqn ①)

$$R_B + (R_B) = 60; 2R_B = 60; R_B = 30 \text{ kN}$$

$$\text{Thus, } R_B = R_D = \underline{30 \text{ kN}}$$

② Segments

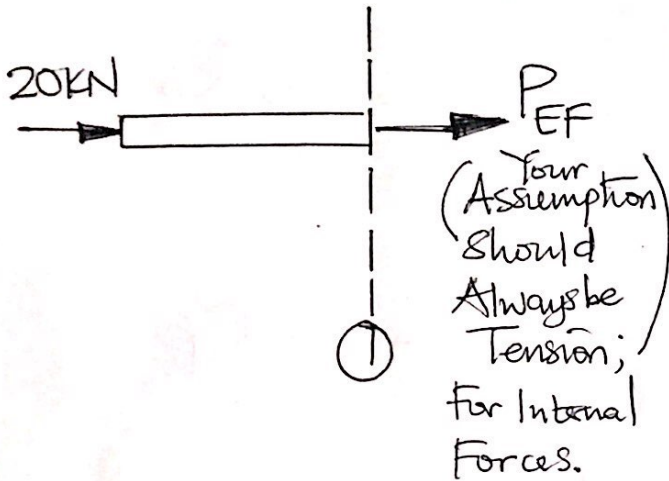


Given Data.

$$\phi_{FE} = 25 \text{ mm}$$

$$E_{al} = 70 \text{ GPa} \quad \phi_{AB} = \phi_{CD} = 15 \text{ mm}$$

Segment ① [FE]



① Internal force in member
 $\rightarrow F_x = 0:$

$$20\text{kN} + P_{EF} = 0.$$

$$\underline{P_{EF} = -20\text{kN}}$$

$\therefore$ Member FE is in Compression.

② Elongation of member

$$\delta_{FE} = \frac{P_{EF} L_{EF}}{A_{EF} E_{EF}}$$

$$= \frac{-20\text{kN} \times 600\text{mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{4} (25\text{mm})^2 \right] \times 70 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{-0.3492\text{mm}}}$$

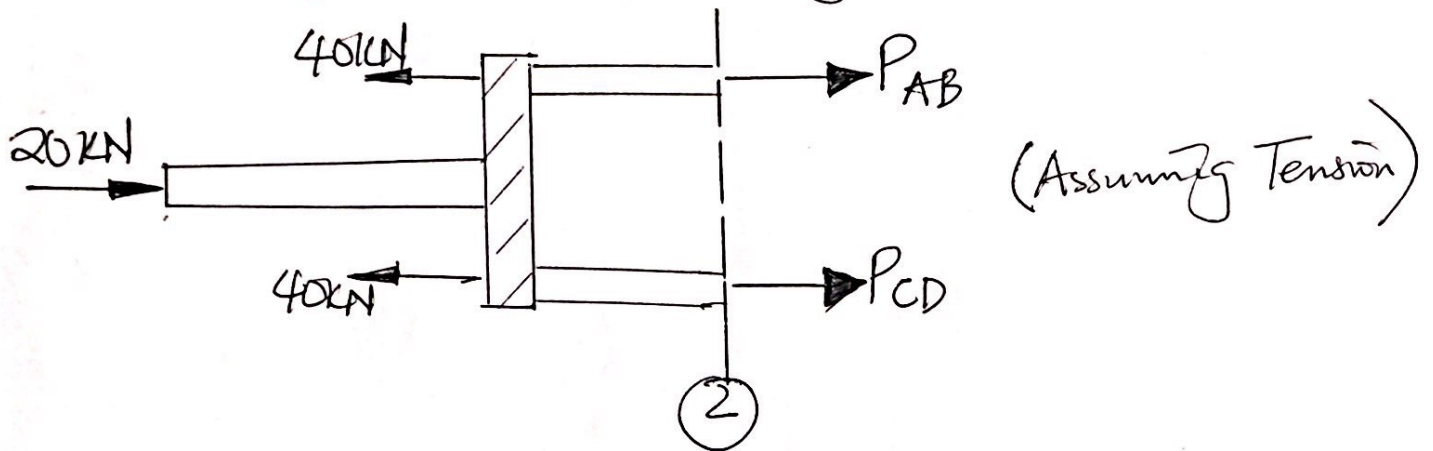
The negative sign implies shortening.

Elongation is given by:

$$\delta = \frac{PL}{EA}$$

Segment 2 [AB] or [CD]

Note: Elongation of AB = Elongation of CD.
(Due to Symmetry).



Note: $P_{AB} = P_{CB}$
(Symmetrical).

① Internal Force in Members

$$\rightarrow F_x = 0!$$

$$20 + P_{AB} + P_{CD} = 40 + 40$$

$$\rightarrow (2 P_{AB}) = 80 - 20 = 60$$

$$\underline{P_{AB} = 30 \text{ kN} = P_{CB}}$$

$\therefore$ Since Internal Force P_{AB}/P_{CB} is Positive (as Assumed); Member AB/CB is in Tension respectively.

② Elongation of Member (AB)

$$\delta_{AB} = \frac{P_{AB} L_{AB}}{A_{AB} E_{AB}}$$

$$= \frac{30 \text{ kN} \times 400 \text{ mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{4} (15 \text{ mm})^2 \right] \times 70 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2}$$

$$= \underline{0.970087 \text{ mm}}$$

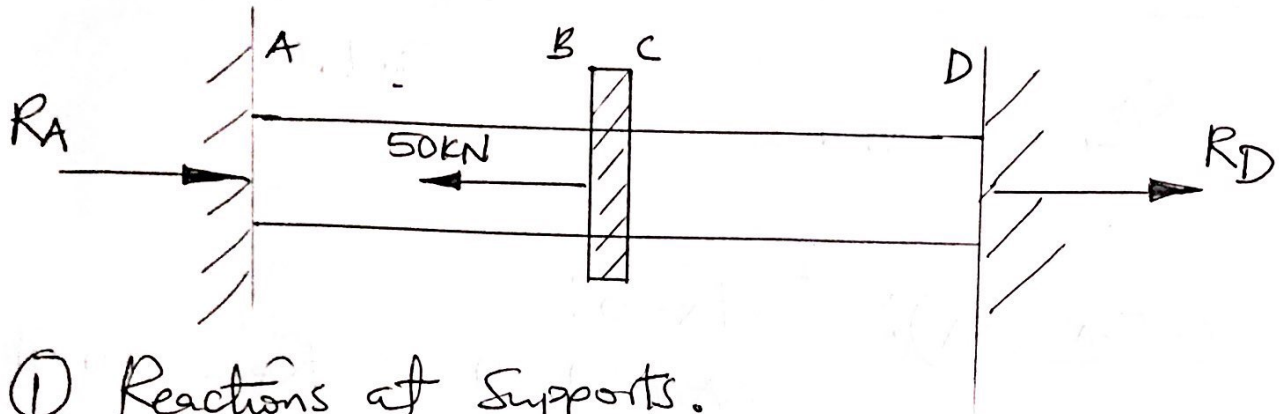
Total Elongation:

$$\delta_T = \delta_{FE} + \delta_{AB}$$

$$= -0.3492 + 0.970087$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.621 \text{ mm}}}$$

QUESTION 2.

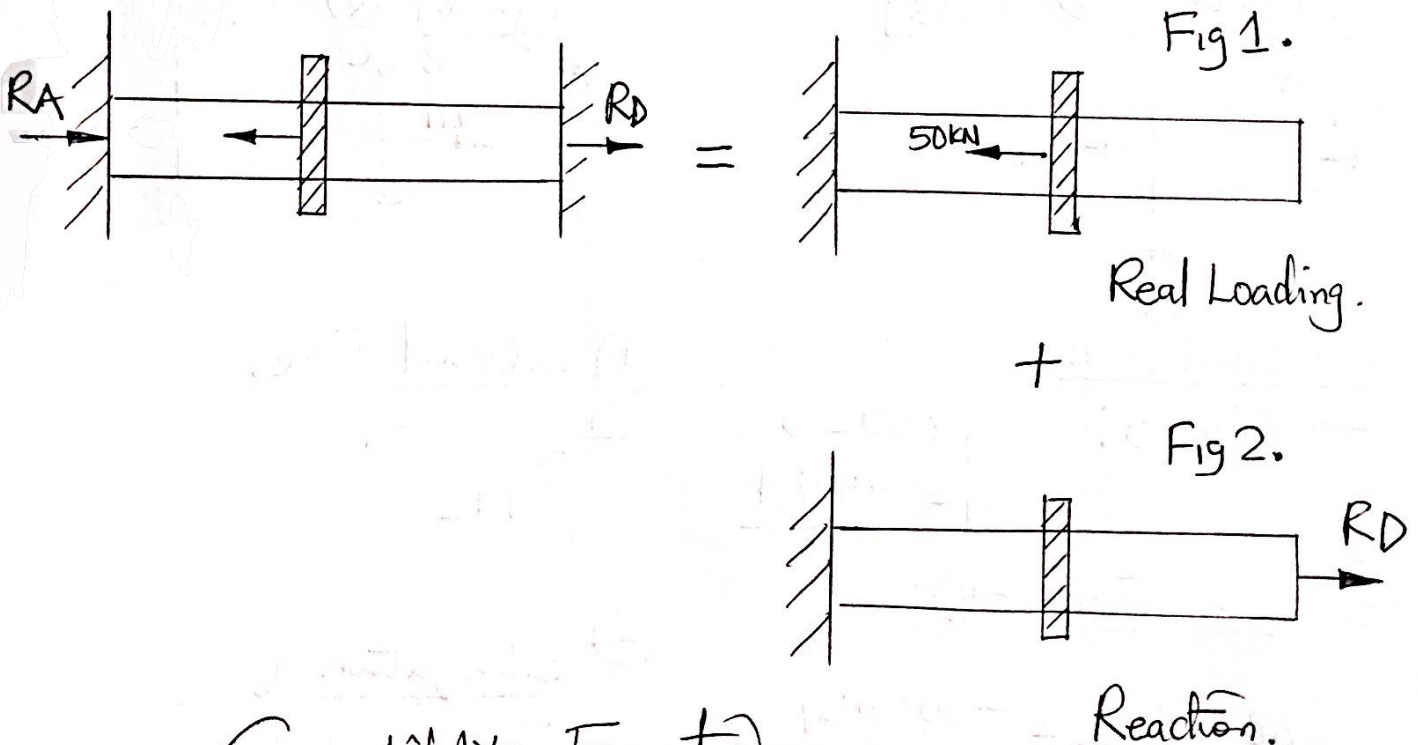


① Reactions at Supports.

$$\sum F_x = 0: R_A + R_D = 50 \text{ kN} \dots \text{eqn (1)}$$

Since we have 2 Unknowns (R_A and R_D) and Only 1 equation (eqn (1)): This is statically Indeterminate.

Thus;



Compatibility Equation.

$$\delta_T = \delta_P + \delta_{RD} = 0$$

(Fig 1) (Fig 2)

(i) Elongation wrt Real Loading (δ_p)

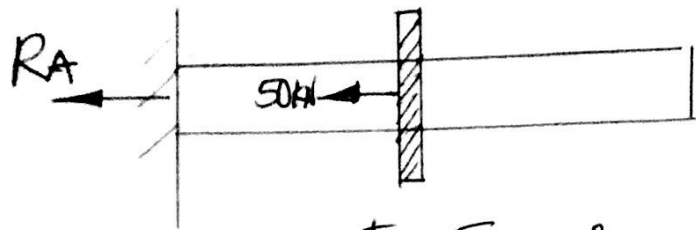
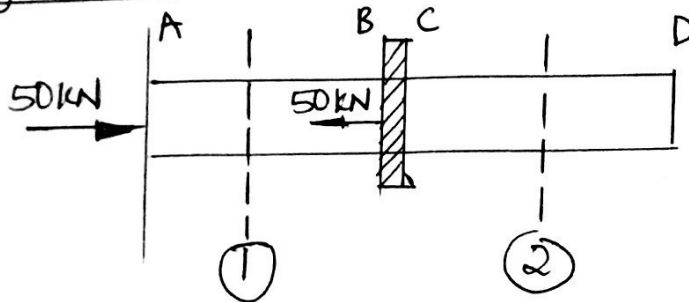


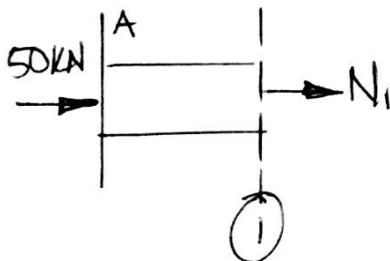
Fig 1.

① Reaction (R_A): $\rightarrow F_x = 0$
 $R_A + 50 = 0$; $R_A = -50 \text{ kN}$
 $R_A = 50 \text{ kN} \rightarrow$

② Segments



Segment ① [AB]



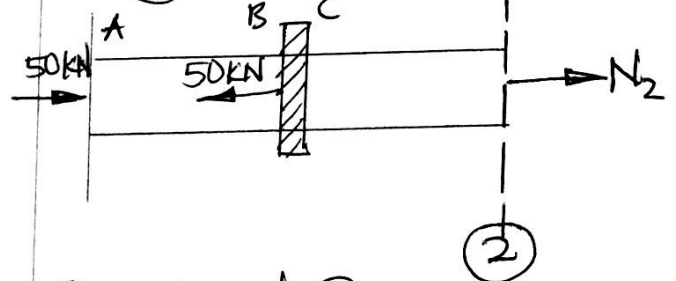
① Internal Force.

$\rightarrow \sum F_x = 0$: $N_1 + 50 = 0$
 $N_1 = -50 \text{ kN}$

② Elongation. (AB)

$$\delta_{AB} = \frac{N_1 L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \alpha_1 \Delta T L_1$$

Segment ② [CD]



① Internal Force.

$\rightarrow \sum F_x = 0$:
 $N_2 + 50 = 50$
 $N_2 = 0 \text{ kN}$

② Elongation (CD)

$$\delta_{CD} = \frac{N_2 L_2}{E_2 A_2} + \alpha_2 \Delta T L_2$$

[A] $\therefore \delta_p = \delta_{AB} + \delta_{CD} = \left[\frac{N_1 L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \alpha_1 \Delta T L_1 + \frac{N_2 L_2}{E_2 A_2} + \alpha_2 \Delta T L_2 \right]$

(ii) Elongation Due to Reaction (δ_{RD}).

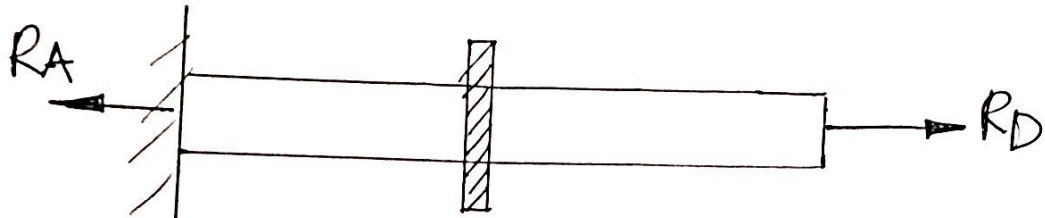
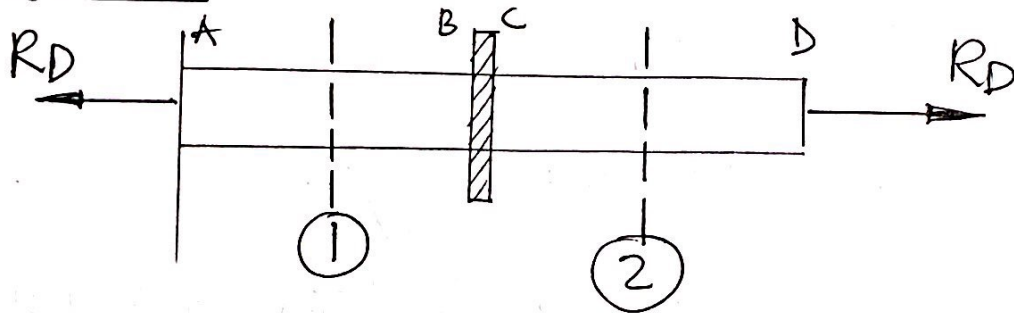


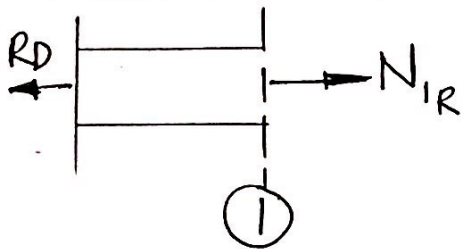
Fig 2.

- ① Reaction (R_A): $\rightarrow \sum F_x = 0$:
 $R_A = R_D$

② Segments



Segment ① [AB]



- ① internal force (N_{1R}).

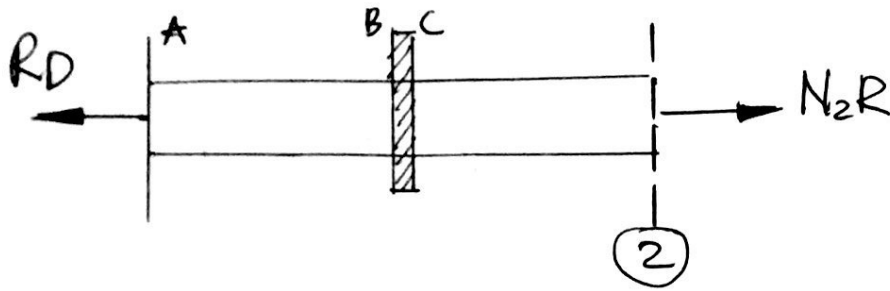
$$\rightarrow \sum F_x = 0$$

$$N_{1R} = R_D$$

- ② Elongation (AB).

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_{AB} &= \frac{N_{1R} L_1}{E_1 A_1} \\ &= \frac{R_D L_1}{E_1 A_1} \end{aligned}$$

Segment 2 [CD]



① Internal Force.

$$\rightarrow F_x = 0: N_{2R} = \underline{R_D}$$

② Elongation (CD),

$$\delta_{CD} = \frac{N_{2R} L_2}{E_2 A_2} = \frac{R_D L_2}{E_2 A_2}$$

Total Elongation wrt the Reaction Force (R_D)

$$\text{[B]} \therefore \delta_{RD} = \left[\frac{R_D L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \frac{R_D L_2}{E_2 A_2} \right]$$

Therefore ;

From Compatibility Equation ;

$$\delta_T = \delta_P \text{ [A]} + \delta_{RD} \text{ [B]} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{N_1 L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \alpha_1 \Delta T L_1 + \cancel{\frac{N_2 L_2}{E_2 A_2} + \alpha_2 \Delta T L_2} \right] + \left[\frac{R_D L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \frac{R_D L_2}{E_2 A_2} \right] = 0$$

Note: $L_1 = L_2 = 500 \text{ mm}$
(Check Dimensions).

Since $N_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{N_2 L_2}{E_2 A_2}$ is cancelled out.

Therefore ;

$$\left[\frac{N_1 L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \alpha_1 \Delta T L_1 + \alpha_2 \Delta T L_2 \right] + \left[\frac{R_D L_1}{E_1 A_1} + \frac{R_D L_2}{E_2 A_2} \right] = 0$$

As stated ; $L_1 = L_2$ Hence we can factor $[L_1]$ out.

$$L_1 \left[\frac{N_1}{E_1 A_1} + \alpha_1 \Delta T + \alpha_2 \Delta T \right] + L_1 \left[\frac{R_D}{E_1 A_1} + \frac{R_D}{E_2 A_2} \right] = 0.$$

$$R_D \left[\frac{1}{E_1 A_1} + \frac{1}{E_2 A_2} \right] = - \left[\frac{N_1}{E_1 A_1} + \alpha_1 \Delta T + \alpha_2 \Delta T \right]$$

$$R_D \left[\frac{E_2 A_2 + E_1 A_1}{E_1 A_1 \cdot E_2 A_2} \right] = \left[-\frac{N_1}{E_1 A_1} - \alpha_1 \Delta T - \alpha_2 \Delta T \right]$$

$$R_D = \left[\frac{E_1 A_1 \cdot E_2 A_2}{E_2 A_2 + E_1 A_1} \right] \times \left[-\frac{N_1}{E_1 A_1} - \alpha_1 \Delta T - \alpha_2 \Delta T \right]$$

$$R_A = \left[\frac{(101 \times 10^3 \times 350) \cdot (84 \times 10^3 \times 450)}{(84 \times 10^3 \times 450) + (101 \times 10^3 \times 350)} \right] \times \left[\overset{\text{(Since } N_1 = -50 \text{ kN)}}{\oplus 50000} - (17 \times 10^{-6} \times 130) - (10.8 \times 10^{-6} \times 130) \right]$$

$$= [18,266,985.65] [-2.199 \times 10^{-3}]$$

$$= -40180 \text{ N}$$

$$= -40.18 \text{ kN}$$

$$= 40.18 \text{ kN} \leftarrow$$

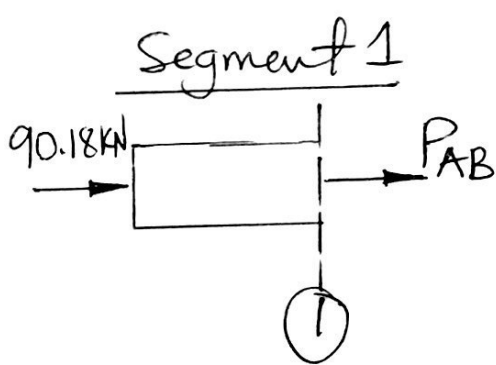
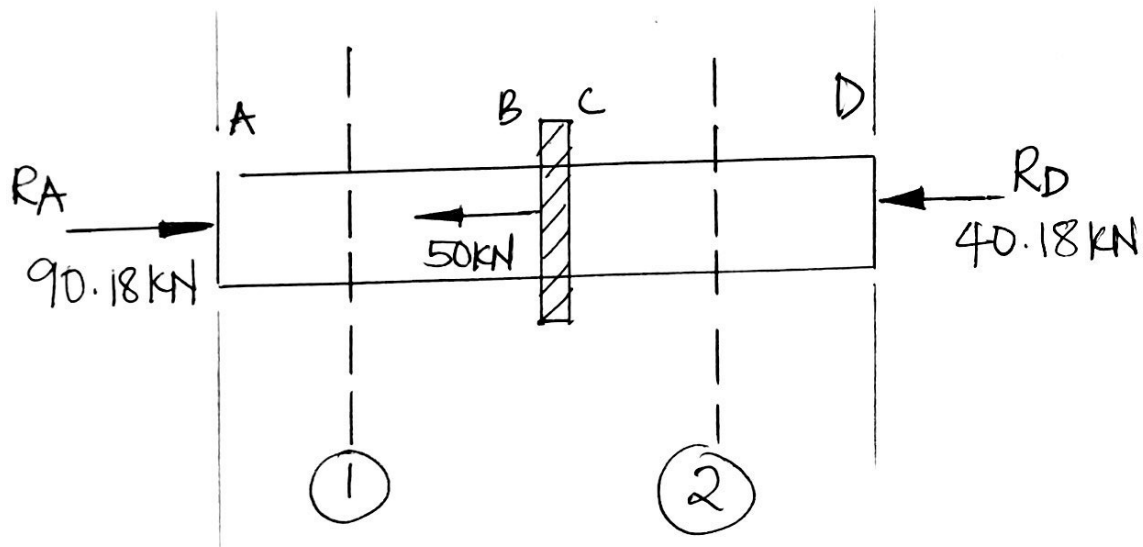
Thus ; from eqn (1)

$$R_A + R_D = 50 \text{ kN.}$$

$$R_A + (-40.180) = 50 \text{ kN}$$

$$R_A = 50 - (-40.180) = \underline{\underline{90.18 \text{ kN}}}$$

Therefore : We have the following Reactions.



① internal force

$$\rightarrow F_x = 0:$$

$$P_{AB} + 90.18 \text{ kN} = 0$$

$$P_{AB} = \underline{\underline{-90.18 \text{ kN}}}$$

Member AB is in Compression.

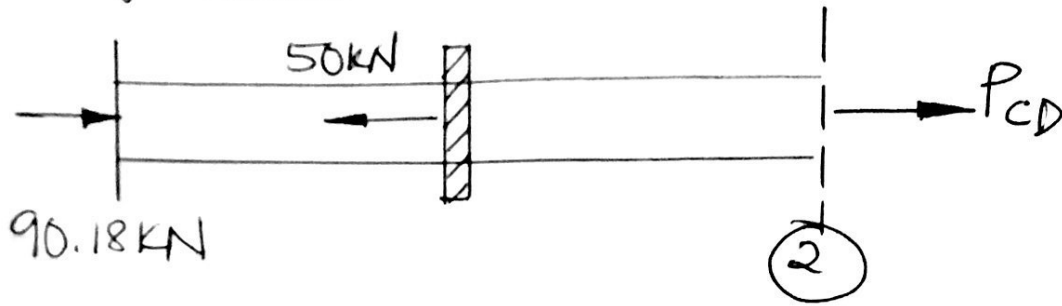
② Stress induced in AB

$$\sigma_{AB} = \frac{P_{AB}}{A_{AB}}$$

$$= \frac{90.18 \times 10^3 \text{ N}}{350 \text{ mm}^2}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{257.656 \text{ N/mm}^2}}$$

Segment 2.



① Internal Force

$$\rightarrow F_x = 0: \quad 90.18 + P_{CD} = 50$$

$$P_{CD} = 50 - 90.18 = \underline{\underline{-40.18 \text{ kN}}}$$

Member CD is in Compression.

② Stress induced in CD,

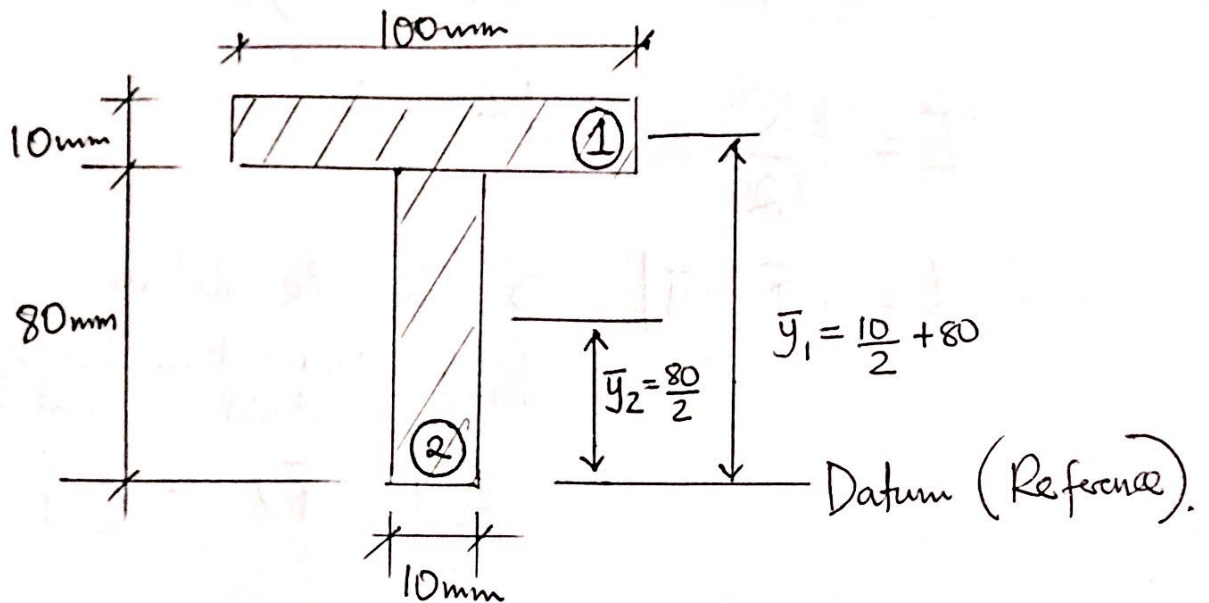
$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{CD} &= \frac{P_{CD}}{A_{CD}} \\ &= \frac{40.18 \times 10^3 \text{ N}}{450 \text{ mm}^2} \\ &= \underline{\underline{89.288 \text{ N/mm}^2}} \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$ Stress induced in:

$$\text{Bar AB} \Rightarrow \sigma_{AB} = \underline{\underline{257.656 \text{ MPa}}}$$

$$\text{CD} \Rightarrow \sigma_{CD} = \underline{\underline{89.288 \text{ MPa}}}$$

QUESTION 3



① Centroid of Cross Section (Neutral Axis).

Part	A Area (mm ²)	y Centroid $\bar{y}$ (mm)	$A\bar{y}$ (mm ³) Product of Area & Centroid
①	$10 \times 100 = 1000$	$\frac{10}{2} + 80 = 85$	$1000 \times 85 = 85000$
②	$80 \times 10 = 800$	$\frac{80}{2} = 40$	$800 \times 40 = 32000$
Σ	1800		117,000

$$\text{Centroid; } \bar{Y} = \frac{\Sigma A\bar{y}}{\Sigma A}$$

$$\bar{Y} = \frac{117000 \text{ mm}^3}{1800 \text{ mm}^2}$$

$$\underline{\bar{Y} = 65 \text{ mm}}$$

(from the Bottom).

② Moment of Inertia (I)

$$I = \frac{bh^3}{12} + Ad^2$$

Where $d = |\bar{Y} - \bar{y}| \Rightarrow$ Absolute Value

$$d = \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{Universal} \\ \text{Centroid} \end{array} - \begin{array}{c} \text{Local} \\ \text{Centroid} \end{array} \right|$$

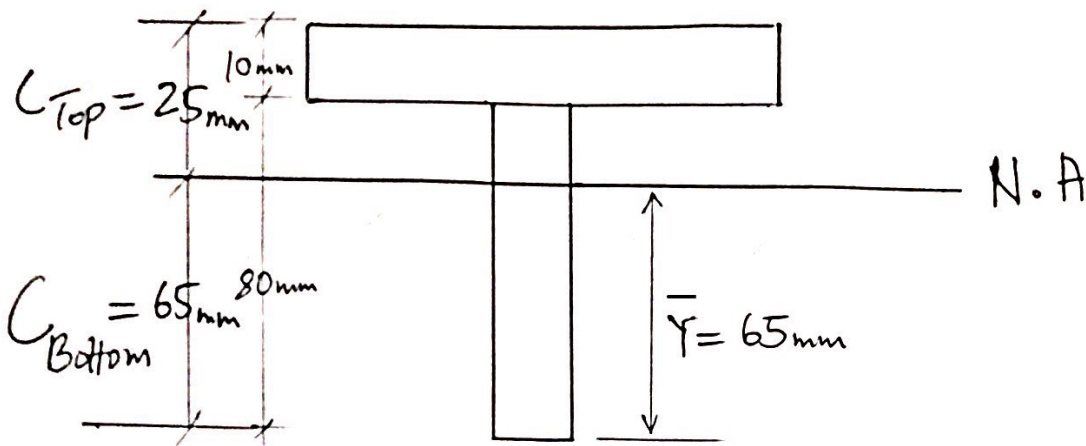
from Datum.

$$= |(\bar{Y}) - (\bar{y})|$$

Part	A	$\bar{y}$	$A\bar{y}$	$\frac{bh^3}{12}$	$d = \bar{Y} - \bar{y} $	Ad^2	$I = \frac{bh^3}{12} + Ad^2$
①	1000	85	85000	$\frac{100 \times 10^3}{12}$ = 8333.33	$ 65 - 85 $ = 20	1000×20^2 = 400 000	$(8333.33 + 400 000)$ = 408 333.33
②	800	40	32000	$\frac{10 \times 80^3}{12}$ = 426 666.67	$ 65 - 40 $ = 25	800×25^2 = 500 000	$(426 666.67 + 500 000)$ = 926 666.67
ΣI							1 335 000

$$\therefore I = 1335 000 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$= \underline{1.335 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4}$$



(3) Maximum Compressive Stress (Top)

$$\sigma_{\text{Compression (Top)}} = - \frac{M y_{\text{top}}}{I}$$

$y_{\text{top}} = C_{\text{top}} = \oplus 25 \text{ mm}$
 ↑ from N.A.

$$= - \frac{25 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 25 \text{ mm}}{1.335 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4}$$

$$= - \frac{25,000,000 \times 25}{1.335 \times 10^6} \text{ (N/mm}^2\text{)}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{-468.16 \text{ MPa}}} \quad (\text{Negative implies Compression})$$

Maximum Tensile Stress (Bottom)

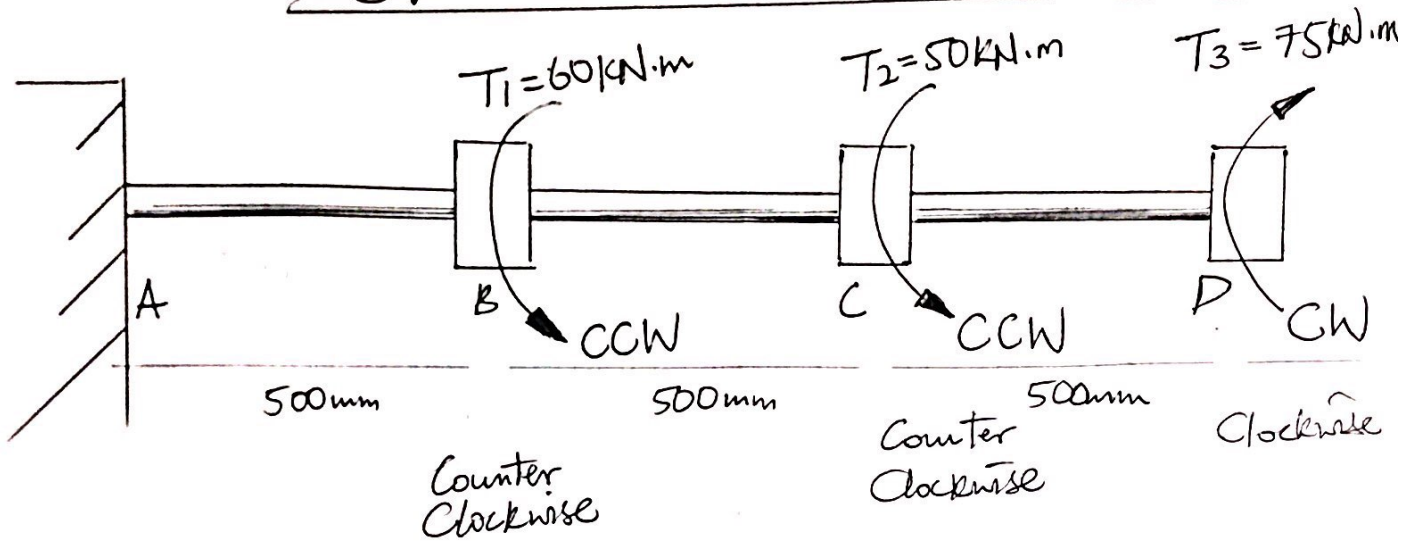
$$\sigma_{\text{Tension (Bottom)}} = - \frac{M y_{\text{bottom}}}{I}$$

$y_{\text{bottom}} = -65 \text{ mm}$
 ↓ from N.A.

$$= - \frac{25 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times (-65 \text{ mm})}{1.335 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4}$$

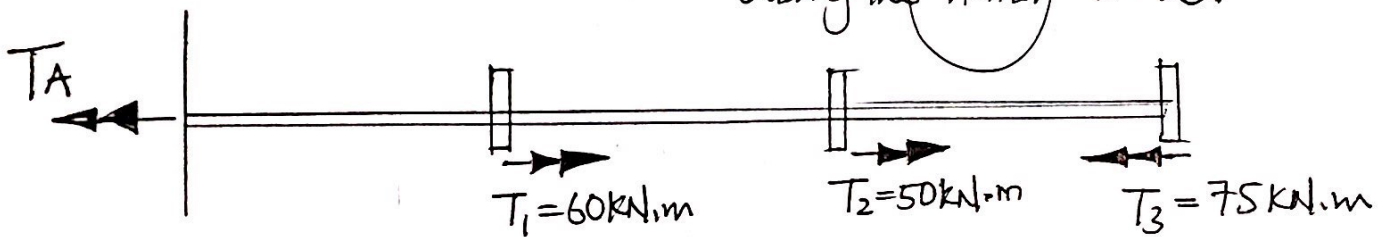
$$= \underline{\underline{1,217.2 \text{ MPa}}} \text{ (N/mm}^2\text{)} \quad \oplus \text{ implies Tensile Stress}$$

QUESTION 4.



① Reaction at A

Using the Right Hand Rule.



Note: from 'Right Hand Rule':
 CCW $\Rightarrow$ $\rightarrow$ and;
 CW $\Rightarrow$ $\leftarrow$
 Treat these as "axial loads"

Thus;

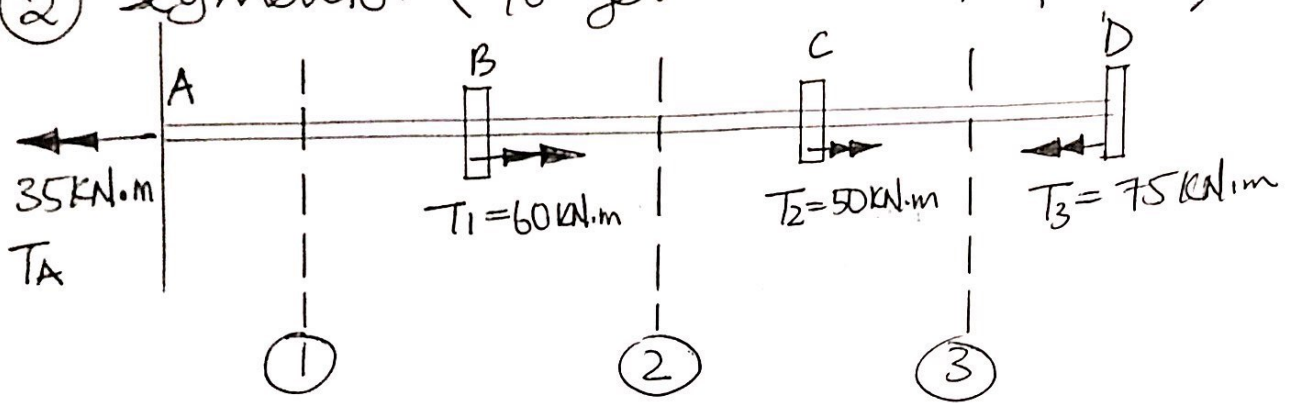
$$\sum F_x = 0: T_A + T_3 = T_1 + T_2$$

$$T_A + 75 \text{ kN.m} = 60 \text{ kN.m} + 50 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$T_A = (60 + 50) - 75 = 35 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$\therefore \underline{T_A = 35 \text{ kN.m}} \quad (\text{Clockwise}) \quad \text{or } \leftarrow$$

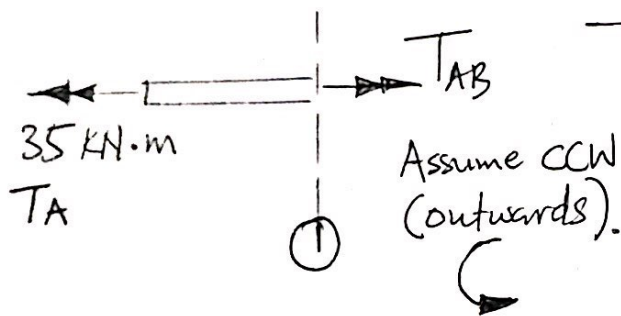
② Segments: (To get internal Torque, T).



Segment 1 [AB]

① internal Torque

$$\sum F_x = 0;$$



$$35 \text{ kN.m} = T_{AB}$$

$\therefore$ Member AB is twisted in Counter Clockwise Direction

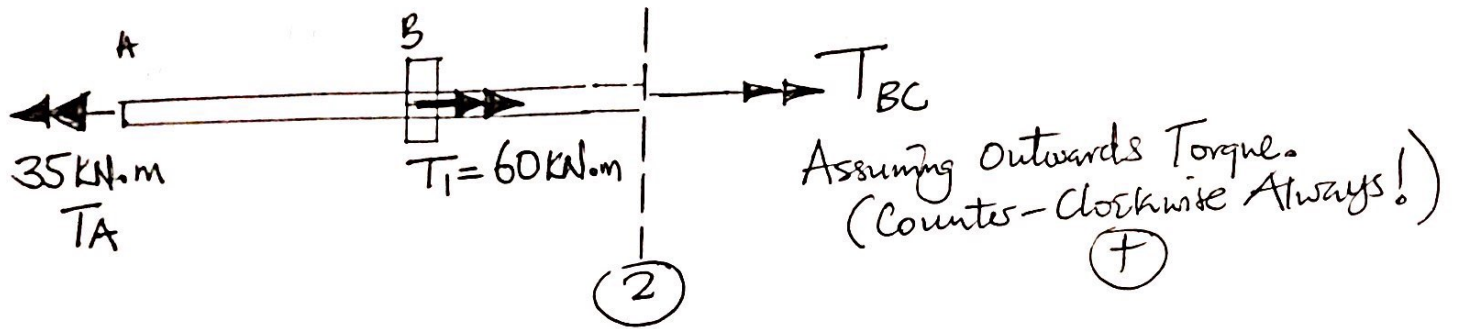
② Shear Stress in AB

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{AB} &= \frac{T_{AB} \rho}{J} \\ &= \frac{35 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 25 \text{ mm}}{\frac{\pi}{2} \times (25 \text{ mm})^4} \\ &= \underline{1462 \text{ MPa}} \quad (\text{N/mm}^2) \end{aligned}$$

③ Angle of Twist.

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_{AB} &= \frac{T_{AB} L_{AB}}{J_{AB} G_{AB}} \\ &= \frac{35 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 500 \text{ mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{2} \times (25 \text{ mm})^4 \right] \times 26 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2} \\ &= \underline{1.0969 \text{ Rads}} \end{aligned}$$

Segment 2 [BC]



① Internal Torque in Member (BC)

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow F_x = 0: \quad 35 \text{ kN.m} &= T_1 + T_{BC} \\ 35 \text{ kN.m} &= 60 \text{ kN.m} + T_{BC} \\ T_{BC} &= \underline{\underline{-25 \text{ kN.m}}} \end{aligned}$$

This member BC is twisted in the clockwise direction

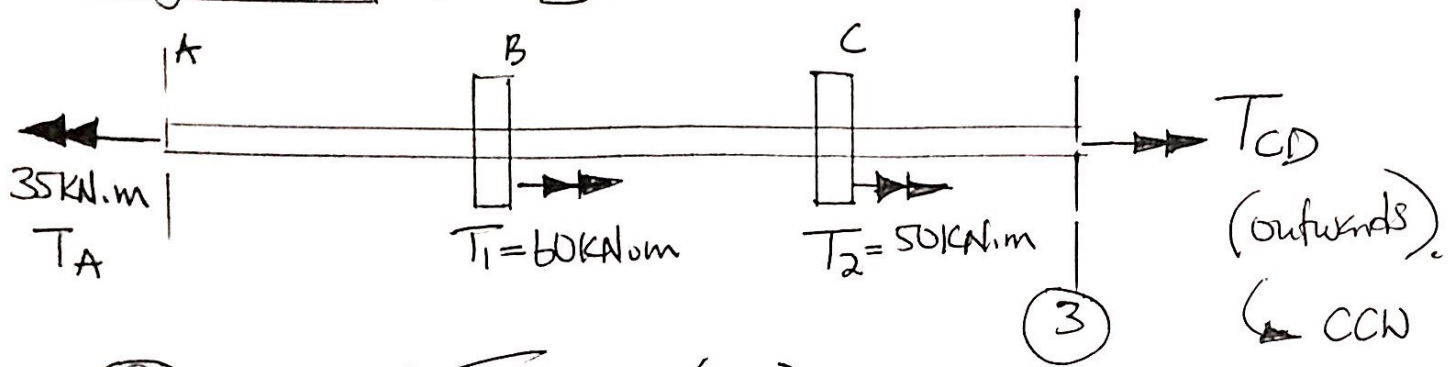
② Shear Stress (BC)

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{BC} &= \frac{T_{BC} \rho}{J} = \frac{-25 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 25 \text{ mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{2} \times (25 \text{ mm})^4 \right]} \\ &= \underline{\underline{-1018.6 \text{ MPa}}} \end{aligned}$$

③ Angle of Twist

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_{BC} &= \frac{T_{BC} L_{BC}}{J_{BC} G_{BC}} = \frac{-25 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 500 \text{ mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{2} \times (25 \text{ mm})^4 \right] \times 37 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2} \\ &= \underline{\underline{-0.5464 \text{ Rads}}} \end{aligned}$$

Segment 3 [CD].



① internal Torque. (T_{CD})

$$\rightarrow F_x = 0: 35 \text{ kNm} = T_1 + T_2 + T_{CD}$$

$$35 = 60 + 50 + T_{CD}$$

$$T_{CD} = 35 - 110 = \underline{\underline{-75 \text{ kNm}}}$$

$\therefore$ Member is twisted in the CW direction $\rightarrow$

② Shear Stress in CD.

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{CD} &= \frac{T_{CD} \rho}{J} = \frac{-75 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 25 \text{ mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{2} \times (25 \text{ mm})^4 \right]} \\ &= \underline{\underline{-3055.8 \text{ MPa}}} \quad (\text{N/mm}^2) \end{aligned}$$

③ Angle of Twist.

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_{CD} &= \frac{T_{CD} L_{CD}}{J_{CD} G_{CD}} = \frac{-75 \times 10^6 \text{ Nmm} \times 500 \text{ mm}}{\left[\frac{\pi}{2} (25 \text{ mm})^4 \right] \times 76 \times 10^3 \text{ N/mm}^2} \\ &= \underline{\underline{-0.8042 \text{ Rads}}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus;

Angle of Twist at end D

$$\phi_T = \phi_{AB} + \phi_{BC} + \phi_{CD}$$

$$= 1.0969 + (-0.5464) + (-0.8042)$$

$$= -0.2536 \text{ Rads}$$

⇒ Converting to Degrees: $\pi \text{ rad} = 180^\circ$.

$$\begin{array}{cc} \pi \text{ rad} & - 180^\circ \\ -0.2536 & - x \end{array} \quad \text{Direct proportion.}$$

$$x = 180^\circ \left(\frac{-0.2536 \text{ rad}}{\pi \text{ rad}} \right) = \underline{\underline{-14.53^\circ}}$$

The Torque Diagram

[from the Calculated Internal Torques]
in members.

