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Final Exam

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Summary of Scores

Problem	Full Mark	Score
1	15	
2	15	
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6	20	
Total	100	
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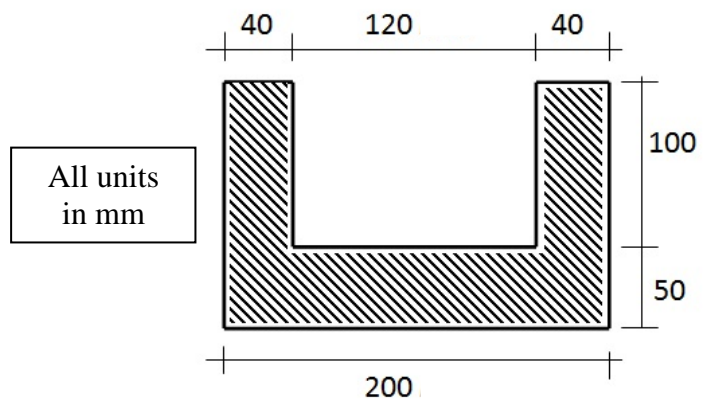
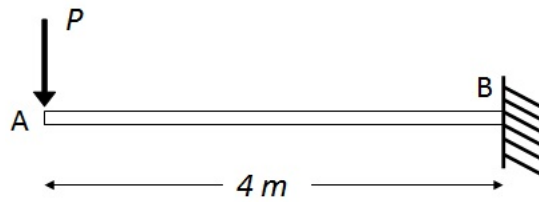
Notes:

1. A sheet that includes selected Basic Formulae and definitions is provided with this examination.
2. Write clearly and show all calculations, FBDs, and units.

Problem # 1 (15 points)

The given cantilever beam has a U-shape cross section as shown in the figures. Calculate the largest value for the load P (downward) that can be safely applied to the beam.

Allowable tensile stress = 20 MPa , Allowable compressive stress = 30 MPa

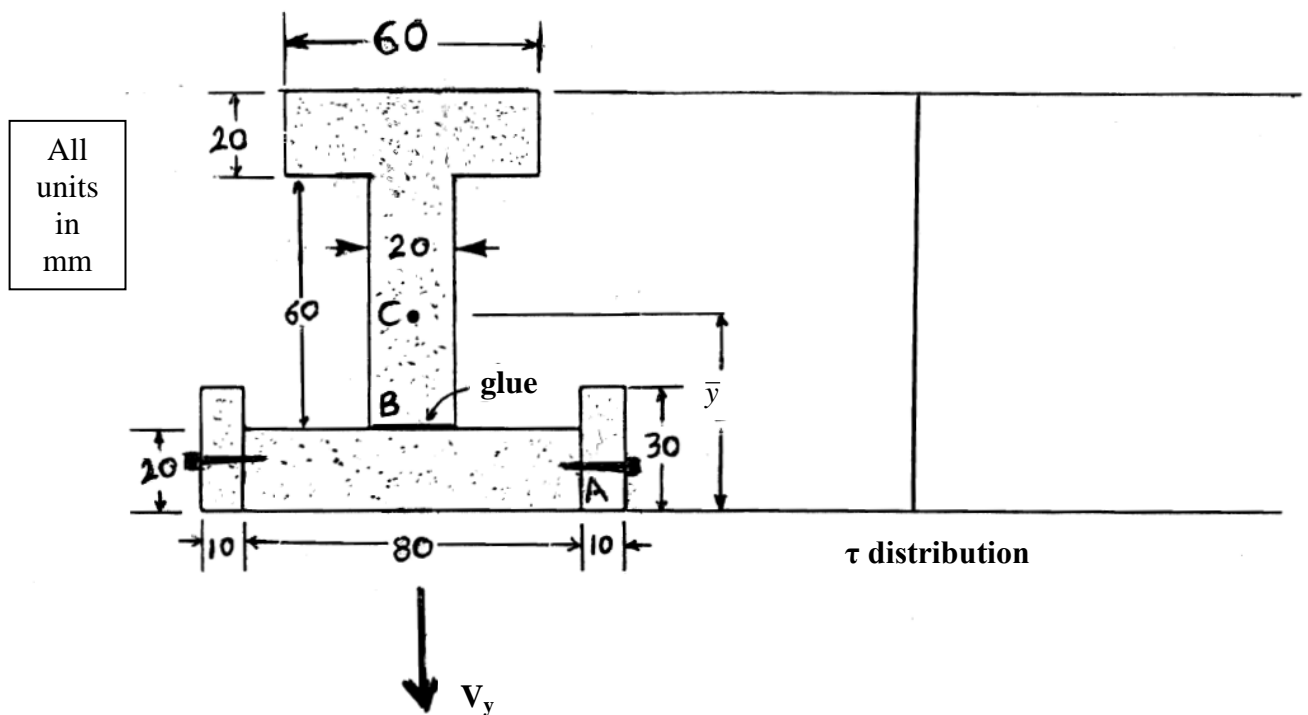


Problem # 2 (15 points)

A beam with the cross section shown below is subjected to a vertical shear force V_y .
 $\bar{y} = 42 \text{ mm}$ and $\bar{I} = 5.416 (10)^6 \text{ mm}^4$.

- Qualitatively sketch the **shear stress distribution** along the depth.
- Determine the value and location of the **maximum shear stress** if the shear force is 50 kN.
- Calculate the **maximum shear force** which can be applied if the shear resistance of the nail at A is 5 kN and the spacing between the nails is 0.2 m.
- If the applied shear force is 60 kN, what is the **required strength of the glue** at B?

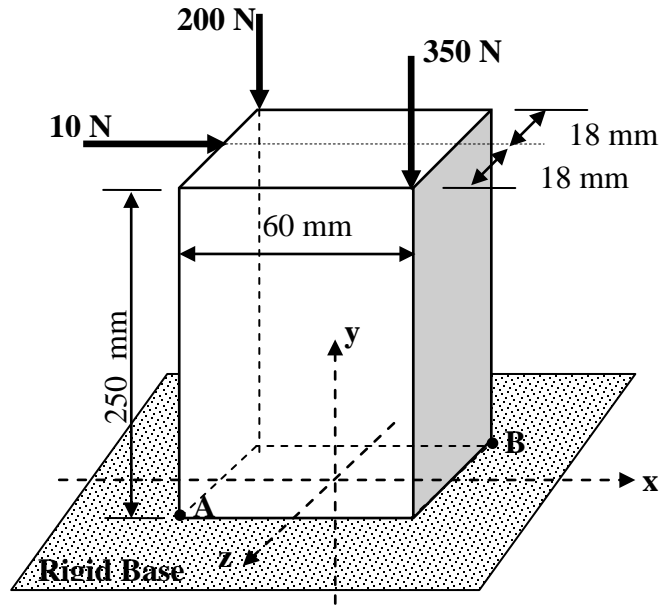
Hint: The parts in the problem are **independent** of each other. You can get credit for any part of the problem you solve even if you did not do other parts or they are wrong.



Problem # 3 (20 points)

The solid block is subjected to the loads shown in the figure. Determine **the normal stresses at corners A and B** at the rigid base.

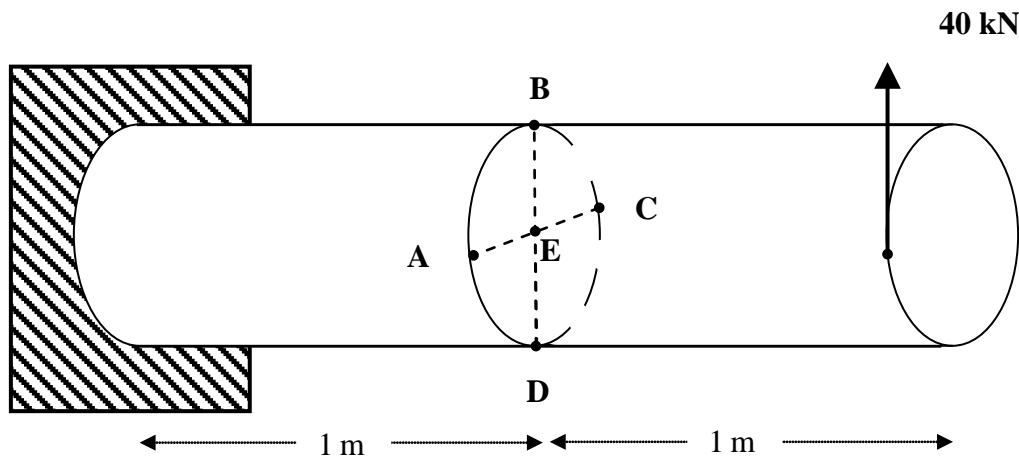
Neglect the weight of the block.



Problem # 4 (15 points)

A horizontal shaft having a solid circular cross-section (diameter= 100 mm) is fixed on the left and subjected to a vertical force as shown.

- Calculate the shear stresses at points A, B, C, D and E.
- Determine the state of stress at point A and show it on a differential element.

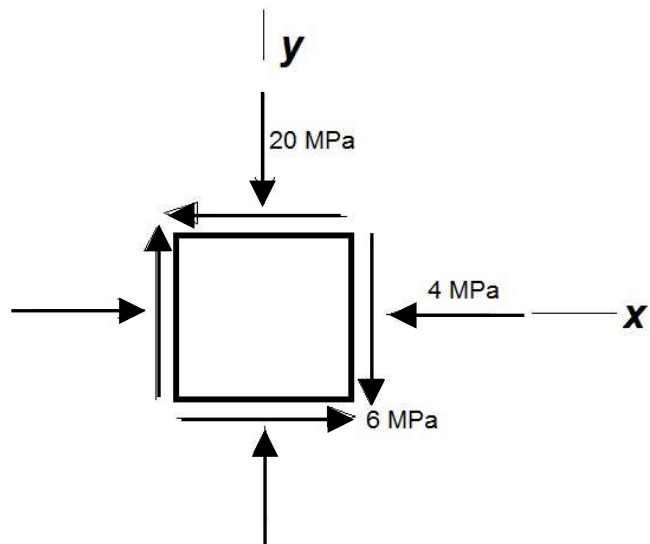


Problem # 5 (15 points)

For the given element:

- Construct Mohr's Circle. (*Make sure that the circle is big and clear enough.*)
- Use the circle** to calculate the principal normal stresses and their orientations. Show the stresses on a properly-oriented element.
- Use the circle** to calculate the normal and shear stresses obtained if the given element is rotated by 60 degrees counterclockwise. Show the stresses on a properly-oriented element.

The use of Transformation Equations is NOT acceptable



Problem # 6 (20 points)

The beam ABCD (shown below) has a uniform cross-section. Use the singularity functions method to determine

- the magnitude and direction of the slope θ_C (radians) at support C;
- the magnitude and direction of the deflection v_B (cm) at B.

Given: $EI = 7.47 \times 10^4 \text{ kN.m}^2$; $A_y = 12 \text{ kN}(\downarrow)$; $C_y = 21 \text{ kN}(\uparrow)$.

