

Problems on Eccentric Welded (Bracket) Connections

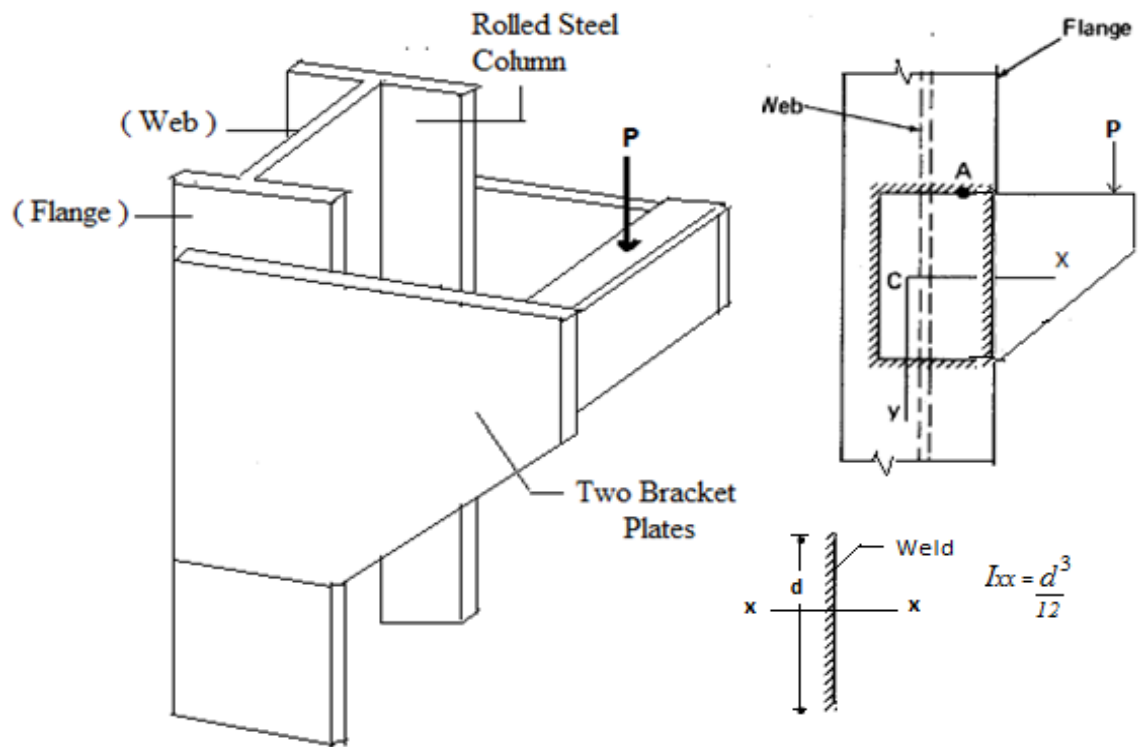
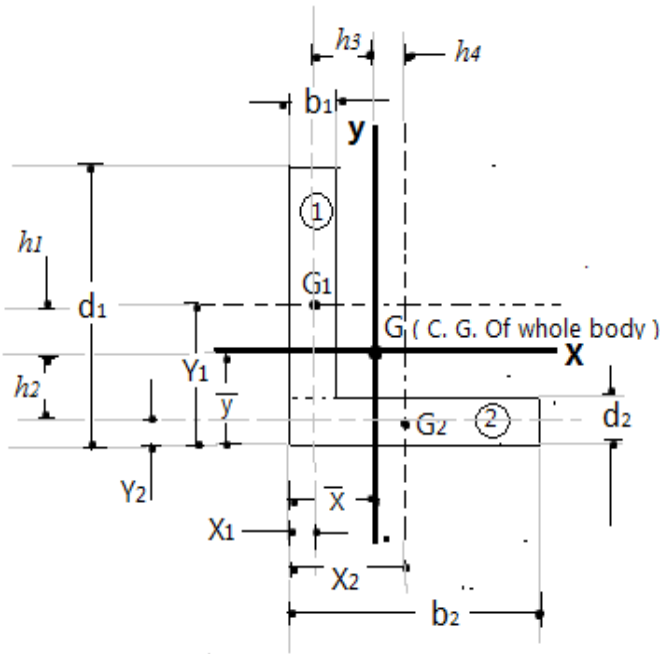


Fig. : Eccentric welded connection for Bracket



sample calculation :

To Find I_{xx} and I_{yy} of fig. given :-

$$\bar{X} = \frac{a_1 X_1 + a_2 X_2}{a_1 + a_2} ; \bar{Y} = \frac{a_1 Y_1 + a_2 Y_2}{a_1 + a_2}$$

$$I_{xx} = I_{xx-1} + I_{xx-2}$$

$$I_{xx-1} = I_{xx-1 \text{ self}} + A (h_1)^2$$

$$I_{xx-2} = I_{xx-2 \text{ self}} + A (h_2)^2$$

$$I_{xx-1 \text{ (self)}} = \frac{b_1 \times d_1^3}{12}$$

$$I_{xx-2 \text{ (self)}} = \frac{d_2 \times b_2^3}{12}$$

$$I_{yy} = I_{yy-1} + I_{yy-2}$$

$$I_{yy-1} = I_{yy-1 \text{ self}} + A (h_3)^2$$

$$I_{yy-2} = I_{yy-2 \text{ self}} + A (h_4)^2$$

$$I_{yy-1 \text{ (self)}} = \frac{b_2 \times d_2^3}{12}$$

$$I_{yy-2 \text{ (self)}} = \frac{d_2 \times b_2^3}{12}$$

$$A = (a_1 + a_2)$$

Problem 1) : Fig. shows arrangement to support bracket plate. The load applied to a bracket is 100 kN. Find the greatest resistance offered by weld per mm length. Use 6 mm Fillet weld?

Answer : Given a) $P = 100 \text{ kN}$

b) H^l Distance of Centroid G of the weld group from A(\bar{x}) = $\frac{100}{2} = 50$

c) Total length of weld = $2(200) + 2(100) = 600 \text{ mm}$

d) eccentricity (e) = $\bar{x} + 50 = 100 \text{ mm}$

f) Throat thickness of weld = $t_t = 0.7 \times \text{size of weld} = 0.7 \times 6 = 4.2 \text{ mm}$

Step 1) Moment of Inertia of weld lengths :

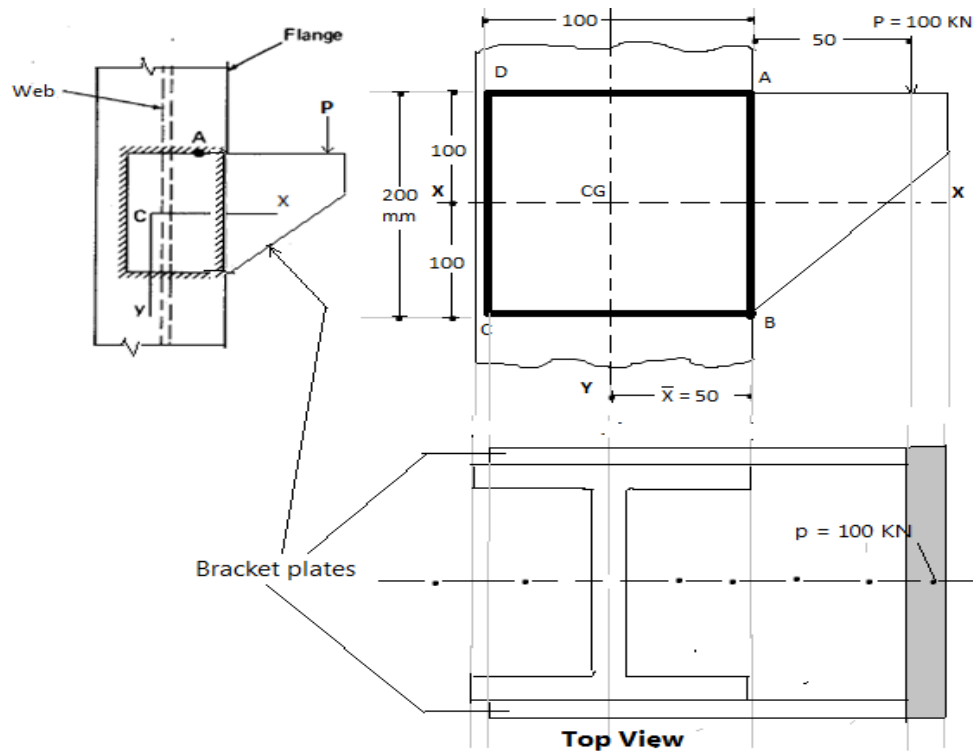
$$I_{xx} = 2 \left[\frac{d^3}{12} + (100 \times 100^2) \right]$$

$$I_{xx} = 2 \left[\frac{200^3}{12} + (100 \times 100^2) \right] = 3.33 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$I_{yy} = 2 \left[\frac{d^3}{12} + (200 \times 50^2) \right]$$

$$I_{yy} = 2 \left[\frac{100^3}{12} + (200 \times 50^2) \right] = 1.167 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$\therefore I_{xx} + I_{yy} = 4.50 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$



Step 2) Resistance against the translation per mm length of weld :

$$= P/L = \frac{\text{Load}}{\text{Total length of weld}} = \frac{100 \times 10^3}{600} = 166.7 \text{ N/mm}$$

Step 3) Resistance against the rotation per mm length of weld at a distance Of r_a From the centroid G :

Considering pt. A ;

Resistance force against Rotation = $S_a = k_a r_a$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Where } K_a &= \left(\frac{p \times e}{I_{xx} + I_{yy}} \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{100 \times 10^3 \times 100}{4.50 \times 10^6} \right) \\ &= 2.23 \text{ N/mm} \end{aligned}$$

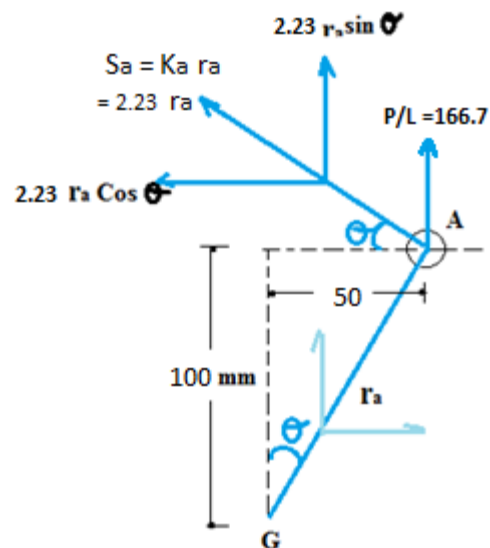
$$\text{We have ; } \sin \theta = \left(\frac{\text{opp.}}{\text{hypo}} \right) = \left(\frac{50}{r_a} \right)$$

$$\therefore r_a \times \sin \theta = 50$$

$$\therefore r_a \times \cos \theta = 100$$

Total Vertical component at A (V) =

$$166.7 + 2.23 r_a \sin \theta = 166.7 + (2.23 \times 50)$$



$$\therefore V = 278.2 \text{ N}$$

Total Horizontal component at A (H) = $2.23 \times 100 \times \cos \theta = 2.23 \times 100$

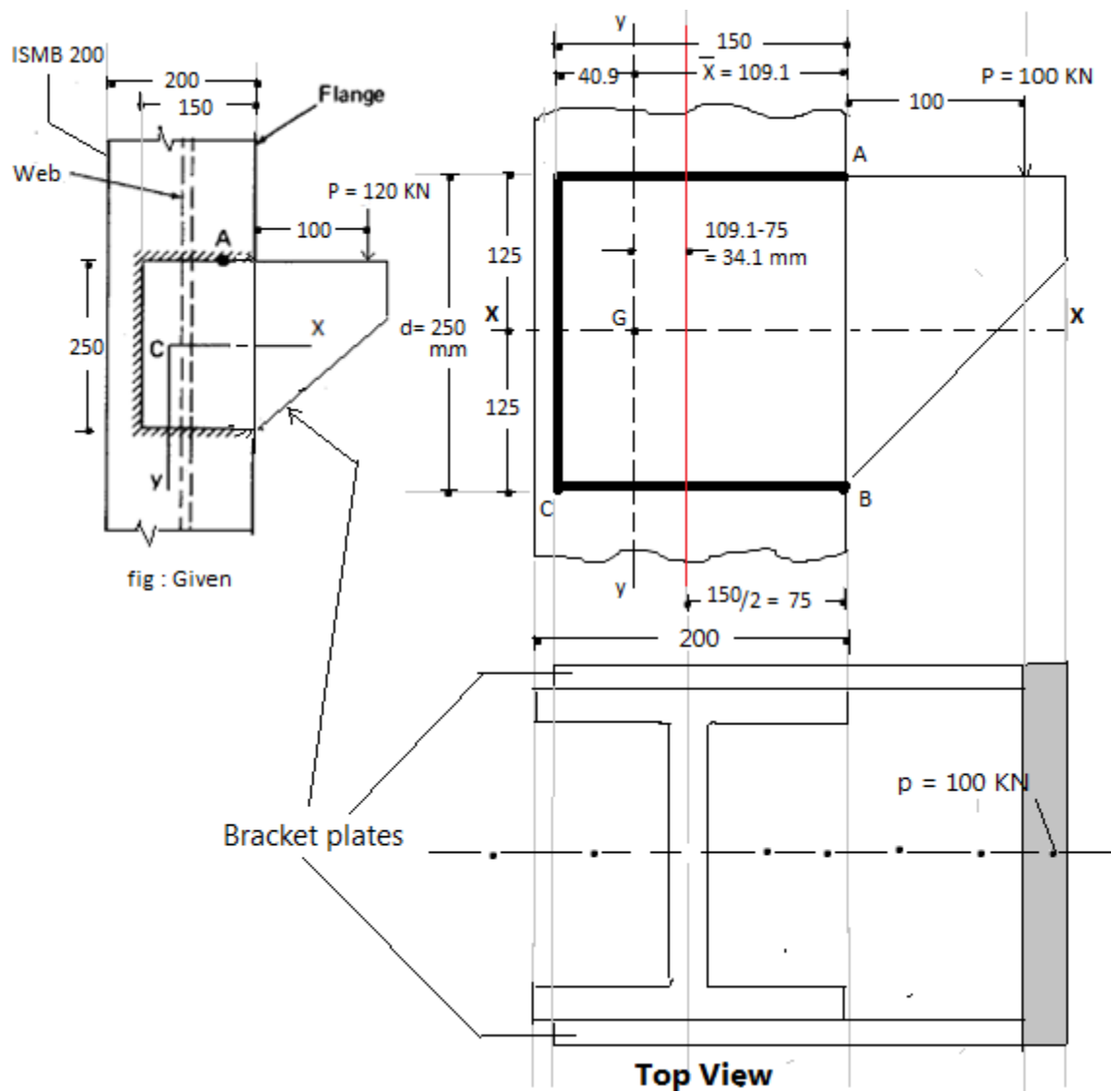
$$H = 223 \text{ N}$$

Resultant Resistance offered at A = $\sqrt{V^2 + H^2}$

$$A = \sqrt{278.2^2 + 223^2} = 356.54 \text{ N}$$

Problem 2) : A Bracket plate shown in figure welded to flange of an ISMB 200 column has to support a factored load of 120 kN. Determine size of weld required ?

Answer :



Given a) $P = 100 \text{ KN}$

b) H^l Distance of Centroid G of the weld group from A

$$(\bar{x}) = \frac{b(b+d)}{b+(b+d)} = \frac{150(150+250)}{150+(150+250)} = 109.1 \text{ mm}$$

c) Total length of weld $= 2(150) + 250 = 550 \text{ mm}$

d) eccentricity $(e) = \bar{x} + 100 = 209.1 \text{ mm}$

Step 1) Moment of Inertia of weld lengths :

$$I_{xx} = \frac{d^3}{12} + 2(150 \times 125^2)$$

$$I_{xx} = \frac{250^3}{12} + 2(150 \times 125^2) = 5.989 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$I_{yy} = 2 \left[\frac{d^3}{12} + 150 (109.1 - 75)^2 \right] + (250 \times 40.9^2)$$

$$I_{yy} = 2 \left[\frac{150^3}{12} + 150 (109.1 - 75)^2 \right] + (250 \times 40.9^2)$$

$$= 1.329 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$\therefore I_{xx} + I_{yy} = 7.31 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4$$

Step 2) Resistance against the translation per mm length of weld :

$$= P/L = \frac{\text{Load}}{\text{Total length of weld}} = \frac{120 \times 10^3}{550} = 218.18 \text{ N/mm}$$

Step 3) Resistance against the rotation per mm length of weld at a distance Of r From the centroid G :

Resistance force against Rotation $= S_a = k_a r_a$

$$\text{Where } K_a = \left(\frac{p \times e}{I_{xx} + I_{yy}} \right) = \left(\frac{120 \times 10^3 \times 209.1}{7.31 \times 10^6} \right)$$

$$= 3.428$$

$$\text{We have ; } \sin \theta = \left(\frac{\text{opp.}}{\text{hypo}} \right) = \left(\frac{109.1}{r_a} \right)$$

$$\therefore r_a \times \sin \theta = 109.1$$

$$\therefore r_a \times \cos \theta = 125$$

Total Vertical component at A (V) =

$$218.18 + 3.428 r_a \sin \theta = 218.18 + (3.428 \times 109.1)$$

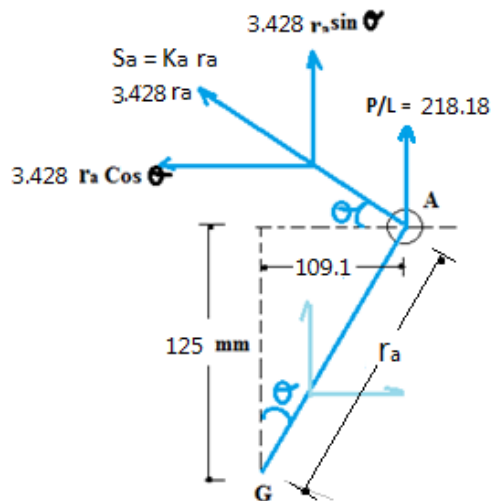
$$(V) = 592.17 \text{ N/mm}$$

$$\text{Total Horizontal component at A } (H) = 3.428 r_a \cos \theta = 3.428 \times 125$$

$$H = 428.5 \text{ N}$$

$$\text{Resultant Resistance offered at A} = \sqrt{V^2 + H^2}$$

$$A = \sqrt{592.17^2 + 428.5^2} = 730.94 \text{ N}$$



$$\text{Step 4) Design stress for weld} = \frac{f_{up}}{\sqrt{3} \gamma} \dots\dots\dots 10.5.7 ; \text{Pg 79}$$

$$= \frac{410}{\sqrt{3} \times 1.25} = 189.37 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Design strength of weld per mm length} = 189.37 \times 1 \times 0.7 s$$

$$132.58 \times S = 189.37$$

$$\therefore S = 5.51 \text{ mm say 6 mm size of weld}$$

Problem 3) : A Bracket plate shown in figure welded to flange of an ISMB 200 column has to support a factored load of P . Determine factored load P per bracket plate that can be resisted by bracket shown in figure ? Use 8 mm fillet weld. (refer problem No. 2)

Answer :

Procedure is same upto step no. 02

Step 2) Resistance against the translation per mm length of weld :

$$= P/L = \frac{\text{Load}}{\text{Total length of weld}} = \frac{P}{550} = 0.00182 P \text{ N/mm}$$

Step 3) Resistance against the rotation per mm length of weld at a distance Of r From the centroid G :

Resistance force against Rotation = $S_a = k_a r_a$

$$\text{Where } K_a = \left(\frac{p \times e}{I_{xx} + I_{yy}} \right) = \left(\frac{P \times 209.1}{7.31 \times 10^6} \right)$$

$$= 0.00003 P$$

$$\text{We have ; } \sin \theta = \left(\frac{\text{opp.}}{\text{hypo}} \right) = \left(\frac{109.1}{r_a} \right)$$

$$\therefore r_a \times \sin \theta = 109.1$$

$$\therefore r_a \times \cos \theta = 125$$

Total Vertical component at A (V) =

$$0.00182 P + 0.00003 P \times r_a \sin \theta = 0.00182 P + (0.00003 P \times 109.1)$$

$$(V) = \underline{\text{Ans.}} \times P \dots\dots\dots \text{Equation. 1}$$

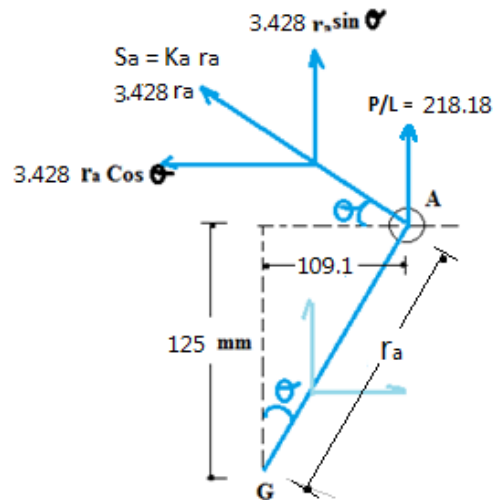
Total Horizontal component at A (H) = $(0.00003 \times P) \times r_a \cos \theta$

$$= (0.00003 \times P) \times 125$$

$$H = (\underline{\text{Ans}} \times P) \dots\dots\dots \text{Equation. 2}$$

Resultant Resistance offered at A = $\sqrt{V^2 + H^2}$

$$A = \sqrt{Eq1^2 + Eq2^2} = (\underline{\text{Ans}} \times P) \text{ newton} \dots\dots\dots \text{Equation. 3}$$



Step 4) Design stress for weld = $\frac{f_{up}}{\sqrt{3} \gamma}$

$$= \frac{410}{\sqrt{3} \times 1.25} = 189.37 \text{ N/mm}^2$$

\therefore Design strength of weld per mm length = $189.37 \times 1 \times 0.7$

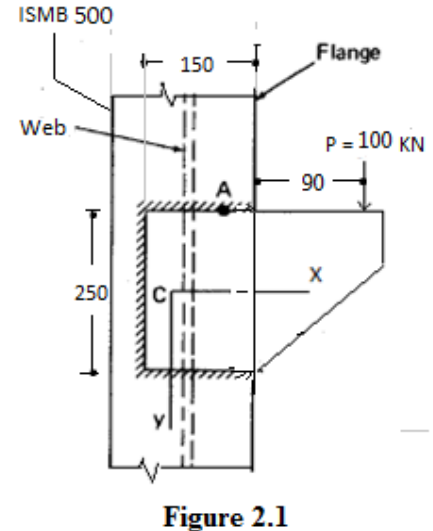
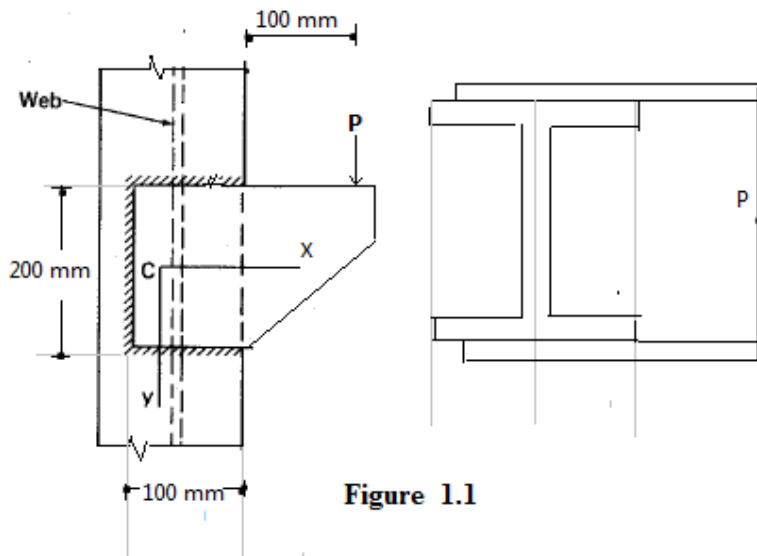
$$132.58 \times S = 189.37$$

$\therefore S = 5.51 \text{ mm}$ say 6 mm size of weld

Various Questions From Univ. Exams on Unit :- Connections

Note : Each Que. Carry 10 marks

- 1) A bracket plate is used to transfer the reaction shown in fig. calculate maximum load that can be placed over the bracket plate at a distance of 100 mm. use 6 mm fillet weld.
(*Eccentric Welded connections*). – Use Fig. 1.1
- 2) A bracket plate is used to transfer the load of 100 KN. to the column flange shown in fig. Design the welded bracket connection ? (*Eccentric Welded connections*). – Use Fig. 2.1



- 3) A bolted bracket of column is shown in fig. calculate maximum stress in the bolt and design the connection ? clearly mention the type of bolts used ? – (*Eccentric Bolted connections*). – Use Fig.3.1
- 4) An ISMB 200@254 N/m transmits an end reaction of 200 KN to the web of ISMB 450@ 724 N/m. Design the framed connection. Give neat sketch ? (*Beam to Beam connection*)
Note : - (*Design it by welded or bolted connection because it is not mention in problem*)
- 5) A beam ISMB 450 Transmit an end shear of 270 KN to the flange of column ISHB 400@822 N/m. Design the welded connection ? (*Beam to column connection –Welded*)
- 6) A bracket plate is used to transmit reaction P from beam to column flange shown in Fig. The bracket plate is connected to flange of column by 6 mm fillet weld. Compute the maximum reaction P. Also determine the required thickness of Bracket plate ?(*Eccentric Welded connections*). – fig (4.1)

- 7) Design the welded bracket connection to support 200 kN load at an eccentricity of 500 mm for ISMB 500 shown in fig. ? (*Eccentric Welded connections*).

A bracket plate is used to transfer the reaction of Beam to a column flange shown in fig. The bracket plate is connected to the column flange by 6 mm fillet weld. Compute maximum load that can be placed over the bracket at a distance of 85 mm from the flange of column section (*Eccentric Welded connections*).

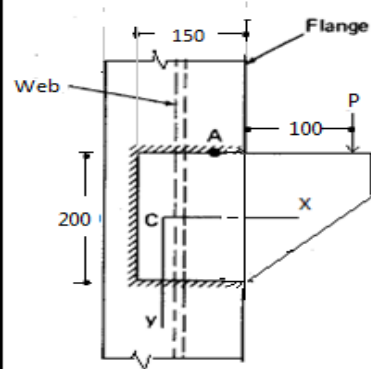
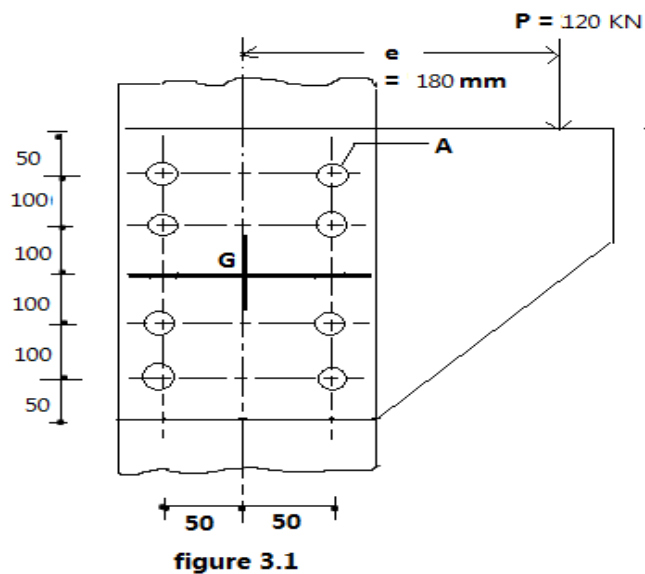


figure 4.1

- 8) A load 100 kN is carried by a bracket bolted to the flange plate of column as shown in fig. calculate maximum Shear force in any bolt. ? Calculate diameter of bolt ? (*Eccentric Bolted connections*).

Design the welded bracket connection to support 200 kN load at an eccentricity of 500 mm for ISMB 500 shown in figure ?

