

Solution for Q5

Refer to FBD of the beam

$$\pm \sum F_x = 0: R_{Ax} = 0$$

$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0: R_{By} - P - R_{Ay} = 0$$

$$R_{Ay} = R_{By} - P$$

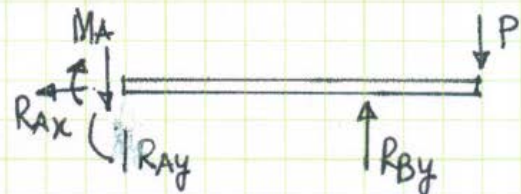
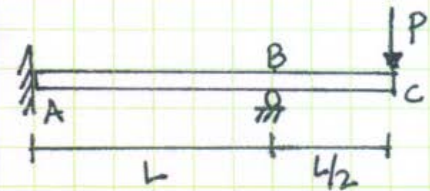
$$(+\sum M_A = 0: -M_A + R_{By}L - P(\frac{3}{2}L) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow M_A = R_{By}L - \frac{3}{2}PL$$

(1)

(2)

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The necessary deflections are computed as follows for the two cases which when superposed give the actual loading case.

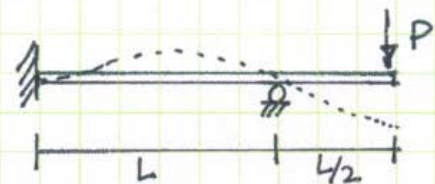
$$V_P = \frac{Px^2}{6EI} (3L_{AC} - x)$$

$$= \frac{P(L^2)}{6EI} \left[3\left(\frac{3}{2}L\right) - L \right] = \frac{7PL^3}{12EI} \downarrow$$

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$$V_{By} = \frac{P(L_{AB})^3}{3EI} = \frac{R_{By}L^3}{3EI}$$

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The compatibility condition at support B requires that

$$+\downarrow 0 = V_P + V_{By}$$

$$0 = \frac{7PL^3}{12EI} + \left(-\frac{R_{By}L^3}{3EI} \right)$$

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$$\Rightarrow R_{By} = \frac{7P}{4}$$

ANS

Sub. R_{By} in eqn. (1) & (2).

$$R_{Ay} = \frac{3P}{4}$$

$$\& M_A = \frac{PL}{4}$$

ANS.

3 (for final answer)