A wire Y of cross-sectional area A and length l is joined to a second wire Z of cross-sectional area 2A and length 2l as shown. Wire Z is fixed at one end and a force F is applied to the other end of wire Y.



(Total for Question 4 = 1 mark)

The wires are made of the same material.

Wire Y extends by a distance x.

Which of the following is the extension of wire Z?

$$\triangle$$
 A $4x$

$$lackbox{B} 2x$$

$$\square$$
 C x

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$$\square$$
 D $\frac{x}{2}$

