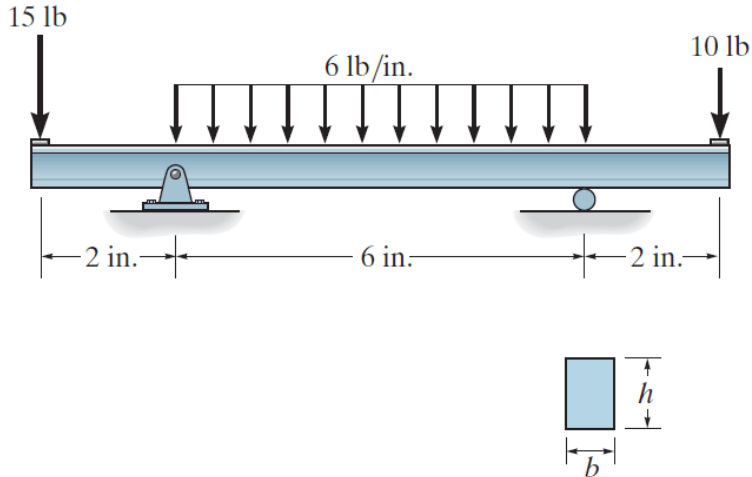


## problem 11-28

\***11-28.** The beam is made of a ceramic material having an allowable bending stress of  $\sigma_{\text{allow}} = 735$  psi and an allowable shear stress of  $\tau_{\text{allow}} = 400$  psi. Determine the width  $b$  of the beam if the height  $h = 2b$ .



**Prob. 11-28**

### beam

```
u = symunit;
x = sym('x');
E = sym('E');

old_assum = assumptions;
clearassum;

b = beam;
b = b.add('reaction', 'force', 'R1', 2*u.in);
b = b.add('reaction', 'force', 'R2', 8*u.in);
b = b.add('applied', 'force', -15*u.lbf, 0);
b = b.add('distributed', 'force', -6*u.lbf/u.in, [2 8]*u.in);
b = b.add('applied', 'force', -10*u.lbf, 10*u.in);
b.L = 10*u.in;
```

### section properties

```
B = sym('B');
H(B) = 2*B;
b.I = B*H^3/12;
A = B*H;
```

## elastic curve

```
[y(x,E,B) dy(x,E,B) m v w r] = b.elastic_curve(x, 'factor'); %#ok
y
```

$y(x, E, B) =$

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{3(x-2\text{ in})(5x^2+10x\text{ in}-92\text{ in}^2)}{4B^4E} \text{ lbf} & \text{if } x \leq 2\text{ in} \\ -\frac{(x-2\text{ in})(x-8\text{ in})(9x^2-100x\text{ in}+320\text{ in}^2)}{24B^4E} \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}} & \text{if } x \in (2\text{ in}, 8\text{ in}] \\ \frac{(x-8\text{ in})(5x^2-110x\text{ in}+512\text{ in}^2)}{2B^4E} \text{ lbf} & \text{if } 8\text{ in} < x \end{cases}$$

$dy$

$dy(x, E, B) =$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{3(112\text{ in}^2-15x^2)}{4B^4E} \text{ lbf} & \text{if } x \leq 2\text{ in} \\ -\frac{6x^3-95x^2\text{ in}+488x\text{ in}^2-800\text{ in}^3}{4B^4E} \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}} & \text{if } x \in (2\text{ in}, 8\text{ in}] \\ \frac{3(5x^2-100x\text{ in}+464\text{ in}^2)}{2B^4E} \text{ lbf} & \text{if } 8\text{ in} < x \end{cases}$$

$m$

$m(x) =$

$$\begin{cases} -15x \text{ lbf} & \text{if } x \leq 2\text{ in} \\ -\frac{9x^2-95x\text{ in}+244\text{ in}^2}{3} \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}} & \text{if } x \in (2\text{ in}, 8\text{ in}] \\ 10(x-10\text{ in}) \text{ lbf} & \text{if } 8\text{ in} < x \end{cases}$$

$v$

$v(x) =$

$$\begin{cases} -15 \text{ lbf} & \text{if } x \leq 2\text{ in} \\ -\frac{18x-95\text{ in}}{3} \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}} & \text{if } x \in (2\text{ in}, 8\text{ in}] \\ 10 \text{ lbf} & \text{if } 8\text{ in} < x \end{cases}$$

$w$

$w(x) =$

$$\begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < 2 \text{ in} \\ -6 \frac{\text{lbf}}{\text{in}} & \text{if } x \in [2 \text{ in}, 8 \text{ in}] \\ 0 & \text{if } 8 \text{ in} < x \end{cases}$$

## reactions

```
R1 = vpa(r.R1, 4) %#ok
```

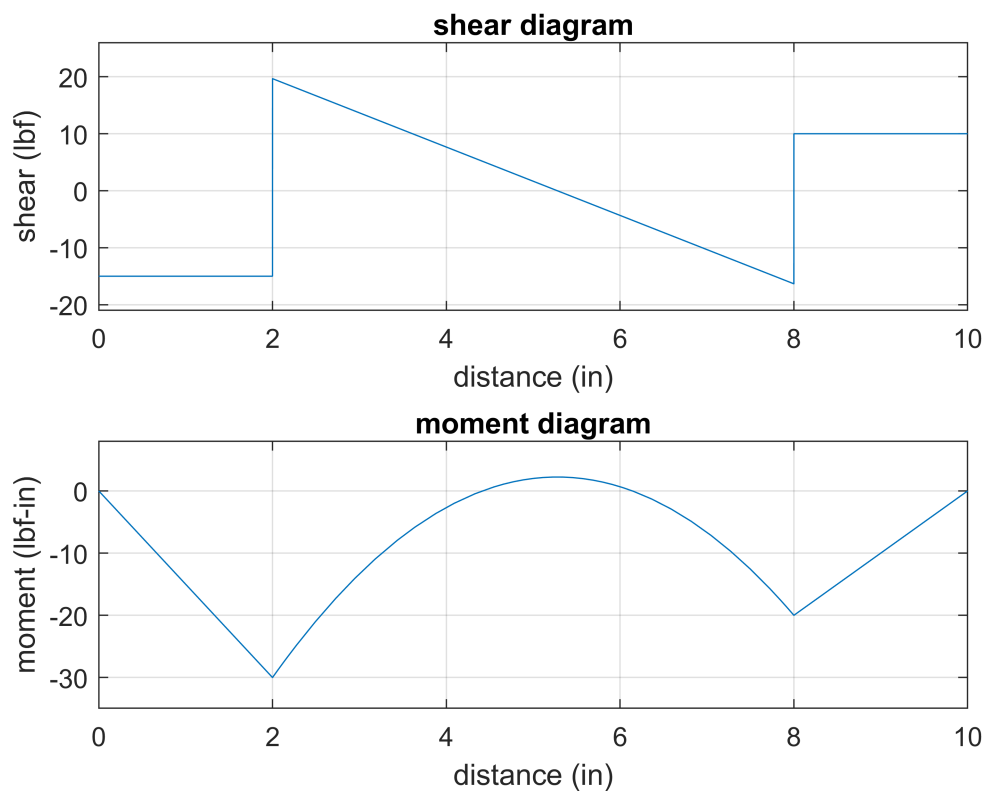
R1 = 34.67 lbf

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R2 = vpa(r.R2, 4) %#ok
```

R2 = 26.33 lbf

## shear and moment diagram

```
beam.shear_moment(m, v, [0 10], {'lbf', 'in'});
subplot(2,1,1);
axis([0 10 -21 26]);
subplot(2,1,2);
axis([0 10 -35 8]);
```



## maximum loads

```
M_max = m(2*u.in)
```

```
M_max = -30 in lbf
```

```
V_val = subs(expression(v,2), x, 2*u.in);  
V_max = vpa(V_val, 4) %#ok
```

```
V_max = 19.67 lbf
```

```
V_max = V_val;
```

## maximum stresses

```
C = H/2;  
sigma_max = abs(M_max)*C/b.I
```

```
sigma_max(B) =
```

$$\frac{45}{B^3} \text{ in lbf}$$

```
tau_max = 3*V_max/(2*A)
```

```
tau_max(B) =
```

$$\frac{59}{4 B^2} \text{ lbf}$$

## minimum inner diameter

```
sigma_allow = 735*u.psi;  
tau_allow = 400*u.psi;
```

```
assume(B > 0 & in(B, 'real'));  
clear B_min;
```

```
B_min.bend = solve(sigma_max == rewrite(sigma_allow, u.lbf/u.in^2));  
B_min.bend = simplify(B_min.bend);  
B_min_bend = vpa(B_min.bend, 2) %#ok
```

```
B_min_bend = 0.39 in
```

```
B_min.shear = solve(tau_max == rewrite(tau_allow, u.lbf/u.in^2));  
B_min.shear = simplify(B_min.shear);  
B_min_shear = vpa(B_min.shear, 2) %#ok
```

```
B_min_shear = 0.19 in
```

```
B_min_vals = [B_min.bend B_min.shear];  
loc = sigma_max(B_min_vals) <= sigma_allow & ...  
      tau_max(B_min_vals) <= tau_allow;  
B_min.limit = B_min_vals(isAlways(loc));  
B_min_limit = vpa(B_min.limit, 2) %#ok
```

```
B_min_limit = 0.39 in
```

## clean up

```
setassum(old_assum, 'clear');  
clear old_assum R1 R2 V_val;  
clear B_min_bend B_min_shear B_min_vals loc B_min_limit;
```