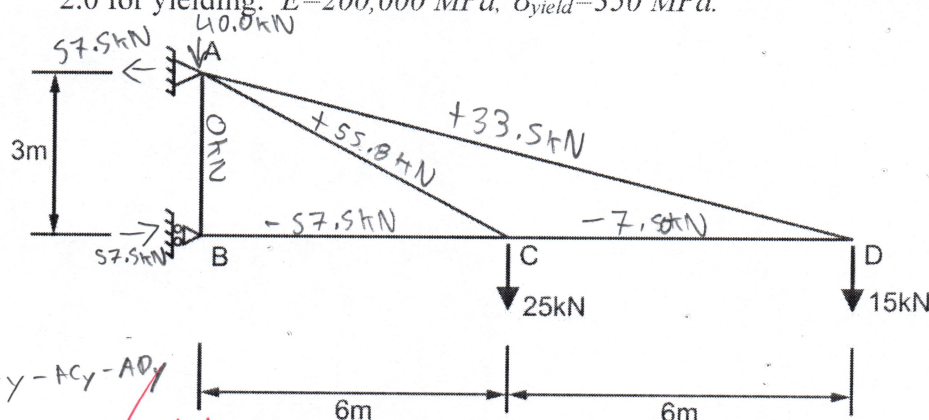


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**CIV102F Quiz #7: 1300h-1500h Thursday October 24, 2019**  
**Design of Trusses**

- (a) Solve for the support reactions and forces in each member of the truss show below. Write the magnitudes of the forces on the diagram beside the members, and clearly indicate tension (+) and compression (-) forces. Also draw the support reactions on the diagram.
- (b) If you are to use only one type of square HSS for all the members, what is the lightest HSS designation that can be safely used? Use a factor of safety of 3.0 for buckling and 2.0 for yielding.  $E=200,000 \text{ MPa}$ ,  $\sigma_{\text{yield}}=350 \text{ MPa}$ .



$$\begin{aligned}\sum F_x &= 0 \\ \sum F_y &= 0 \\ \sum M &= 0\end{aligned}$$

I USED THE WRONG TRIANGLE TO CALCULATE  $AD_x$ .

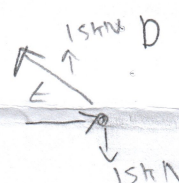
$$\frac{6}{3} = \frac{F_x}{F_y}$$

$$F_x = 2F_y$$

$$\frac{h}{3} = \frac{F_x}{F_y}$$

$$\frac{6.71}{3} F_y = F_x$$

$$\begin{aligned}3 & \triangle 6 \\ h &= 6.71 \text{ m}\end{aligned}$$



$$\sum F_y = 0 = AD_y - 15 \text{ kN} \therefore AD_y = 15 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore AD_x = 7.5 \text{ kN}$$

$$\sum F_x = CD - AD_x = 0$$

$$\therefore CD = 7.5 \text{ kN}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 = AB \therefore AB = 0 \text{ kN}$$

$$\sum F_x = 0 = B_x - BC$$

$$\begin{aligned}B_x &= BC = 57.5 \text{ kN} \\ B_x &= 57.5 \text{ kN}\end{aligned}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 = AC_y - 25 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore AC_y = 25 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore AC_x = 55.8 \text{ kN}$$

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$$\sum F_x = 0 = BC - AC_x - CD$$

$$\therefore BC = 57.5 \text{ kN}$$

b.) Yield check:

$$A_{\text{min}} = \frac{F \cdot S \cdot P}{\sigma_y} = \frac{2.0 \cdot 57500 \text{ N}}{350 \text{ MPa}} = 325.7 \text{ mm}^2 \approx 326 \text{ mm}^2 = A_{\text{min}}$$

HSS 32 x 32 x 3.2

$$r_{\text{min}} = \frac{L_{\text{max}}}{200} = \frac{13420 \text{ mm}}{200} = 67.1 \text{ mm} = r_{\text{min}}$$

HSS 178 x 178 x 4.8

$$AD = \sqrt{12^2 + 3^2} \approx 13.42 \text{ m}$$

Longest member in compression is also the member with the highest compression

$$I_{\text{min}} = \frac{2.0 \cdot 57500 \text{ N} \cdot (6000 \text{ mm})^2}{\pi^2 \cdot 200000 \text{ MPa}} = 3146022 \text{ mm}^4 \approx 3.15 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^4 = I_{\text{min}}$$

HSS 102 x 102 x 6.4

A truss with these  $A_{\text{min}}$ ,  $r_{\text{min}}$ , and  $I_{\text{min}}$  properties may use HSS 178 x 178 x 4.8 as the lightest HSS designation that can be safely used.

PROPER FBD ON BACK

$$\frac{3}{12} \triangleq \frac{h}{12}$$

$$h = 12.37m$$

$$\frac{12}{3} = \frac{F_y}{F_T}$$

$$\therefore 4F_T = F_y$$

$$\frac{12.37}{3} \cdot \frac{F_T}{F_y}$$

$$\therefore F_T = \frac{12.37}{3} F_y$$



$$\sum F_y = 0 = A_{Dy} - 25.0kN$$

$$\therefore A_{Dy} = 25.0kN$$

$$A_{Dy} = 100.0kN$$

$$A_D = -103.1kN$$