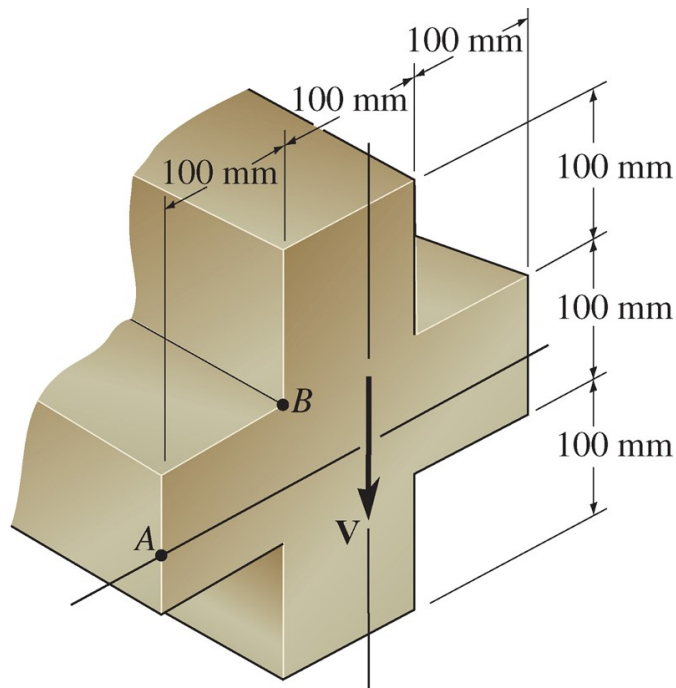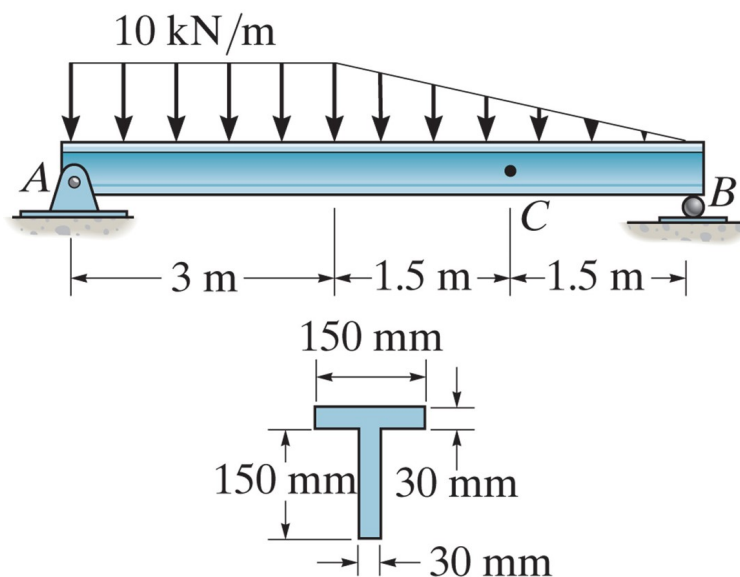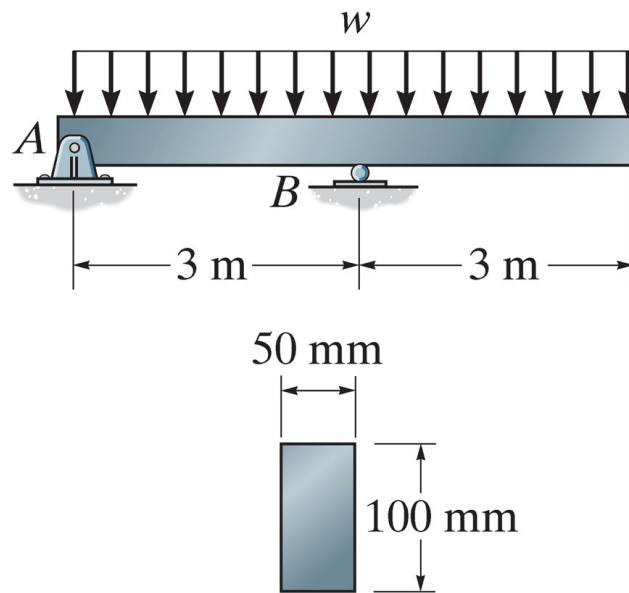Name:

Homework 6
Due 6 October 2020

1. Find the shear stress at points A and B when $V = 450\,\text{kN}$. Draw the state of stress on a volume element at each point.
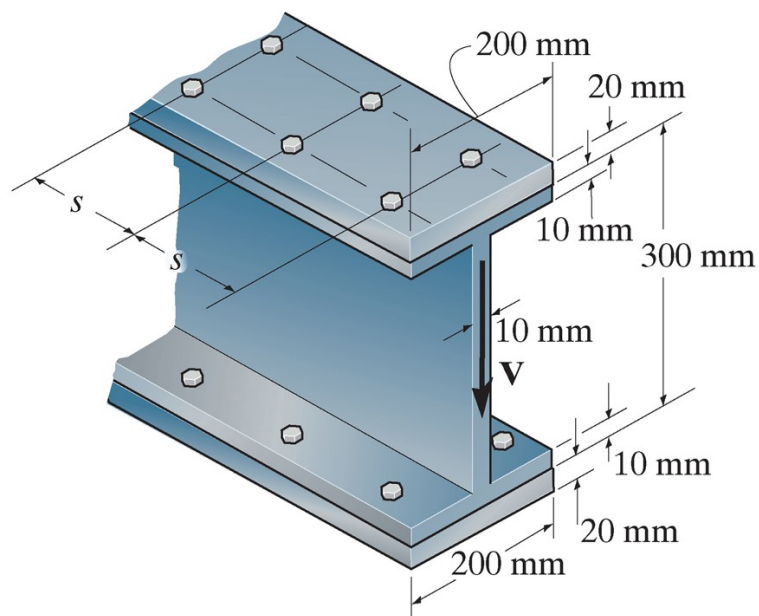

2. Find the maximum shear stress acting on the beam shown.

3. The overhanging beam is subjected to a uniform load of $w = 75\,\text{kN/m}$. Find the maximum shear stress in the beam.

w

A

B

3 m

3 m

50 mm

100 mm

4. Two identical 20 mm plates are bolted to the top and bottom of a flange to form a built-up beam. For a shear force of $V = 400\,\text{kN}$ find the maximum bolt spacing, s, if each bolt has a shear strength of 45 kN

200 mm

20 mm

s

10 mm

s

300 mm

10 mm

V

10 mm

20 mm

200 mm

5. The beam shown is made by gluing two $1/2$ in c-channel strips together as sown. If the glue has a maximum shear stress of $\tau = 600$ psi find the maximum intensity, w_0, of the triangular distributed loading.