

Determine the bending moment capacity,  $M_R$  and specify the expected failure type:

tension or compression  
fail?

$$A_{\text{steel}} = 4 \left( \frac{\pi 20^2}{4} \right) = 1256,63$$

the area that  $\bar{\epsilon}$  calculated above (4φ20) is smaller than the area value calculated in part a) = 2275,01, which means under-reinforced, so steel is SURELY yielded.

Force equilibrium

$$F_c = F_T$$

$$0,85 \times c_b \times 0,85 \times \frac{20}{1,15} \times 300 = 1256,63 \times \frac{420}{1,15}$$

we know  
steel  
has yielded

$$\Rightarrow c_b = 158,80$$

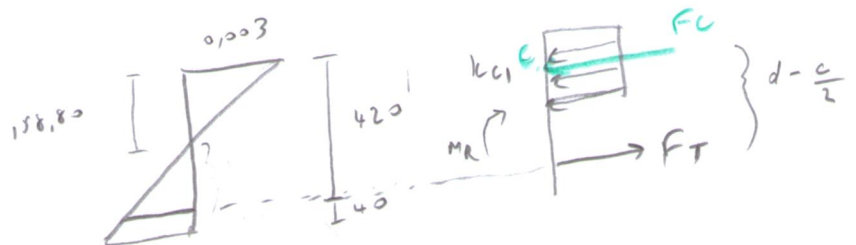
check if steel really yielded or not

$$\frac{0,003}{158,80} = \frac{\epsilon_s}{460 - 158,80}$$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_s = 0,0057 > 0,0021$$

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failure type is tension  
failure since  $\epsilon_s > \epsilon_{sy}$



$$\sum M_c = 0$$

$$M_R - F_T \cdot \left( d - \frac{c}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow M_R = 1256,63 \times \frac{420}{1,15} \times \left( 460 - \frac{158,80 \times 0,85}{2} \right) \Rightarrow M_R = 180,11 \text{ kN.m}$$

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