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Faculty of Applied Science and Engineering
CIV100S – MECHANICS
Final Examination
18th April 2017
Examiner: Prof. Michael Seica
Time allowed: 2-½ hours

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STUDENT NUMBER: _____

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1. Ensure that you have all 7 sheets of the examination paper. Page 7 is blank.
 2. Answer all five questions. The value of the questions is indicated below.
 3. If you need more space for a question, please use the back of the preceding question. In all cases, please indicate clearly where your calculations are continued.
 4. The only calculators permissible are listed above. Please circle your model.
 5. This is a closed-book examination. No other paper will be allowed on the desk.
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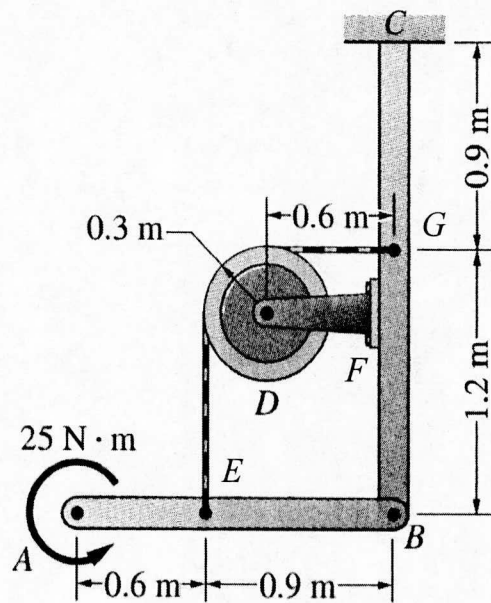
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1. Determine all forces exerted on member $BFGC$ of the frame illustrated and show a summary of your final answers on a separate diagram of this member.

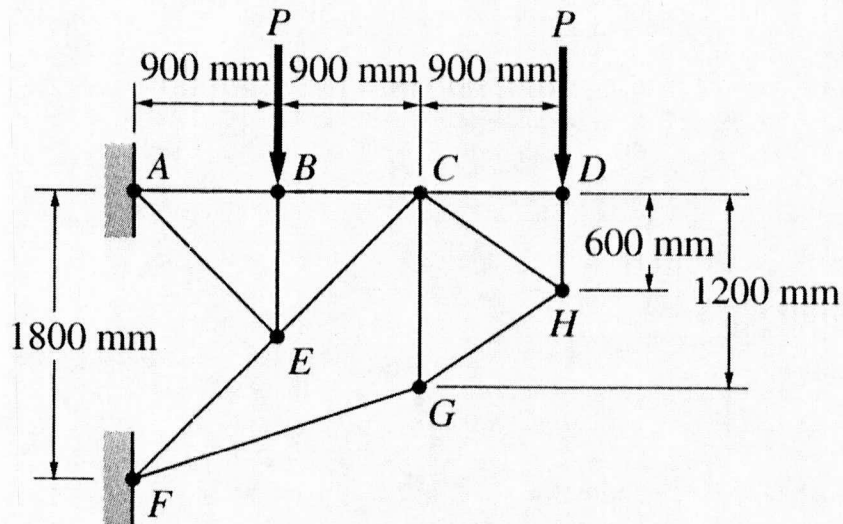


2. Two concentrated forces, each having a magnitude of P , are acting on a walkway supported by a truss, as illustrated. The truss is pinned at A and F .

(a) Find the forces in members AB , CH , CG and GH of the truss, in terms of P ;

(b) Members AB , CG and CH are to be constructed from Grade 6061-T4 aluminium with a yield stress of 110 MPa and must all have the same solid square cross-section. Assuming that $P = 18$ kN, determine the dimension of the cross-section, a , given that the material is available in 5 mm increments and the load factor for axial tension is 1.6;

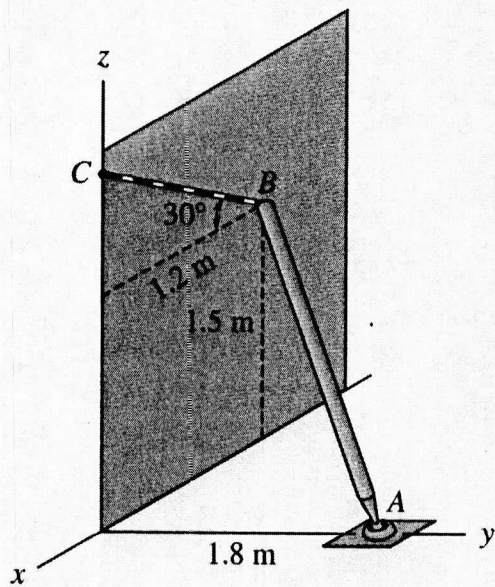
(c) Knowing that the modulus of elasticity for aluminium is 70,000 MPa, determine the elongation of member CH , as designed.



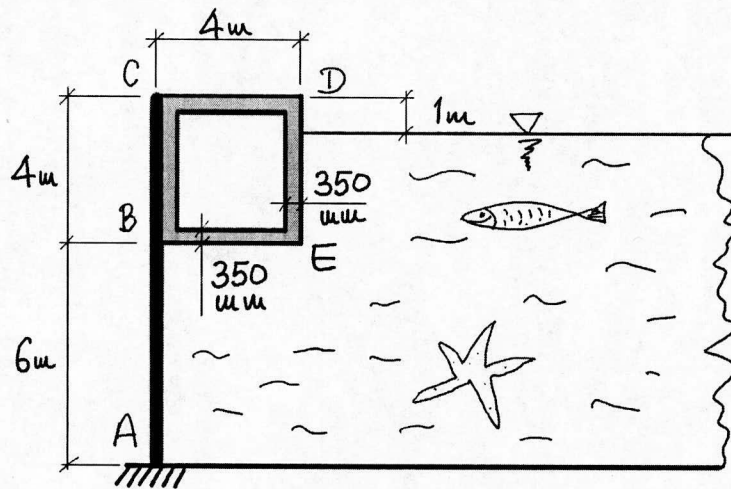
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3. The upper end of the homogenous, constant cross-section, straight bar AB leans against the frictionless vertical wall, at B . If the bar has a mass of 35 kg, determine the tension in cable BC and the magnitude of the total force exerted by the ball-and-socket joint at A .



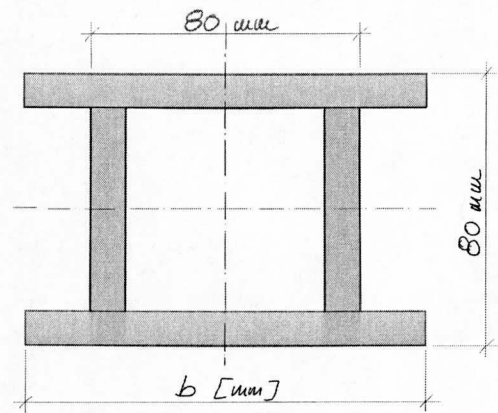
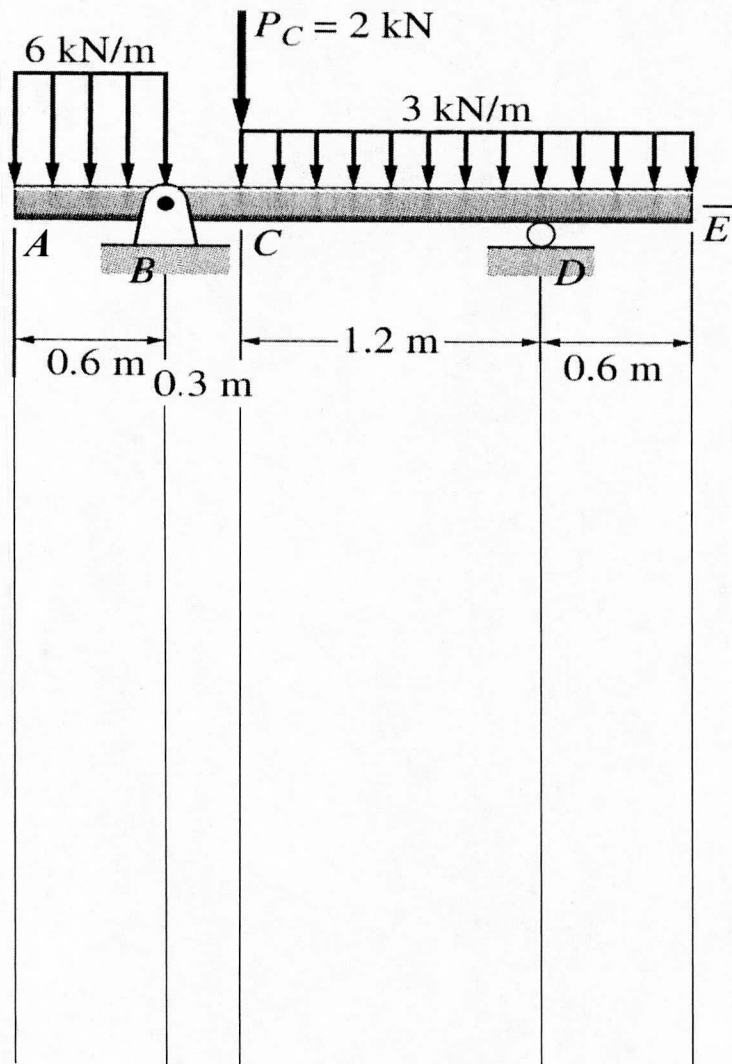
4. The structure $ABCDE$ is used to prevent fresh water from flowing out of the long channel on the right. The weight of the vertical panel ABC may be neglected and $BCDE$ is made of a steel hollow box having the same wall thickness all around. The density of steel is $7,850 \text{ kg/m}^3$. Determine the reaction force components at the fixed base A .



5. The simply supported beam illustrated below is made of 10 mm thick plywood sheets, attached (e.g. glued) together to form a 'Box'-shaped cross-section. Both flanges have the same width, b .

(a) Draw the shear force and bending moment diagrams for the beam in the space reserved below, indicating the values at A , B , C , D and E , as well as any potential local maxima and minima;

(b) Determine the width of the beam, b , such that it can safely carry the loads applied. The plywood has a failure stress of 40 MPa in both tension and compression and the required load factor for wood in flexure is 3.0. The fabrication shop can cut the plywood sheets in multiples of 10 mm.



Cross-Section of Beam

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