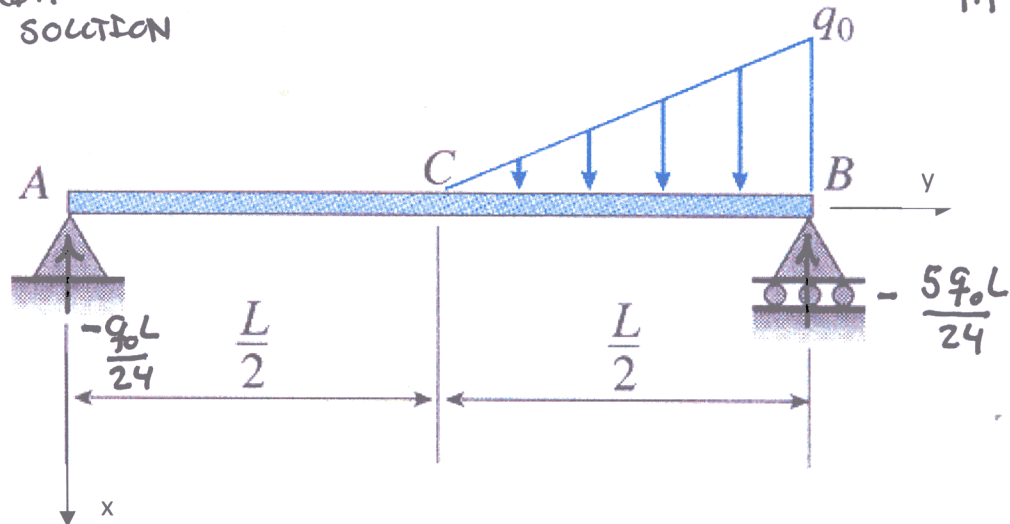


NAME: SOLUTION

**PROBLEM 1:** Beam AB is supporting a triangularly distributed load of maximum intensity  $q_0$  acting on the right-hand half of the beam. For this loading condition  $A_x = -q_0 L/24$  and  $B_x = -5q_0 L/24$ .

SINGULARITY  
FUNCTION SOLUTION

$$M = \frac{q_0}{42} = 2 \cdot \frac{q_0}{L}$$



1a. Derive equations that express how  $V$ ,  $M$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $u$  change as a function of the distance along the length of the beam.

$$q(y) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \langle y-0 \rangle^{-1} + \frac{2 \cdot q_0}{L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^1 - \frac{5 \cdot q_0 L}{24} \langle y-L \rangle^{-1} \quad (1)$$

$$V(y) = -\int q(y) \cdot dy = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \langle y-0 \rangle^0 - \frac{q_0}{L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^2 + \frac{5 \cdot q_0 L}{24} \langle y-L \rangle^0 \quad (2)$$

$$M(y) = \int V(y) \cdot dy = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \langle y-0 \rangle^1 - \frac{q_0}{3L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^3 + \frac{5 \cdot q_0 L}{24} \langle y-L \rangle^1 \quad (3)$$

$$\theta(y) = -\frac{1}{EI} \int M(y) \cdot dy = -\frac{q_0 L}{48EI} \langle y-0 \rangle^2 + \frac{q_0}{12L \cdot EI} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^4 - \frac{5}{48} \cdot \frac{q_0 L}{EI} \langle y-L \rangle^2 + C_1 \quad (4)$$

$$u(y) = \int \theta(y) \cdot dy = -\frac{q_0 L}{144EI} \langle y-0 \rangle^3 + \frac{q_0}{60EI L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^5 - \frac{5}{144} \cdot \frac{q_0 L}{EI} \langle y-L \rangle^3 + C_1 \cdot y + C_2 \quad (5)$$

BOUNDARY CONDITIONS ARE USED TO FIND THE CONSTANTS  $C_1$  &  $C_2$ . THE FIRST BOUNDARY CONDITION

$$u(0) = 0 = C_2$$

(5) CAN NOW BE REWRITTEN

$$u(y) = -\frac{q_0 L}{144EI} \langle y-0 \rangle^3 + \frac{q_0}{60EI L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^5 - \frac{5}{144} \cdot \frac{q_0 L}{EI} \langle y-L \rangle^3 + C_1 \cdot y \quad (6)$$

THE SECOND BOUNDARY CONDITION

$$u(L) = 0 = -\frac{q_0 L^4}{144EI} + \frac{q_0 L^4}{1920 \cdot EI} + C_1 \cdot L \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \left[ \frac{2^3 \cdot 5}{144 \cdot 2^3 \cdot 5} - \frac{3}{1920 \cdot 3} \right] \\ = \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \frac{37}{5760} \quad (7)$$

⑧ THE EQUATIONS ①-⑤ CAN NOW BE WRITTEN

$$q(y) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \langle y-0 \rangle^{-1} + \frac{2 \cdot q_0}{L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^1 - \frac{5}{24} \cdot q_0 L \langle y-L \rangle^{-1} \quad ①$$

$$V(y) = -\int q(y) \cdot dy = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \langle y-0 \rangle^0 - \frac{q_0}{L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^2 + \frac{5}{24} \cdot q_0 L \langle y-L \rangle^0 \quad ②$$

$$M(y) = \int V(y) \cdot dy = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \langle y-0 \rangle^1 - \frac{q_0}{3L} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^3 + \frac{5}{24} \cdot q_0 L \langle y-L \rangle^1 \quad ③$$

$$\Theta(y) = -\frac{1}{EI} \int M(y) \cdot dy = -\frac{q_0 L}{48 EI} \langle y-0 \rangle^2 + \frac{q_0}{12 L EI} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^4 - \frac{5}{48} \frac{q_0 L}{EI} \langle y-L \rangle^2 + \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \frac{37}{5760} \quad ④$$

$$u(y) = \int \Theta(y) \cdot dy = -\frac{q_0 L}{144 EI} \langle y-0 \rangle^3 + \frac{q_0}{60 L EI} \langle y-L/2 \rangle^5 - \frac{5}{144} \frac{q_0 L}{EI} \langle y-L \rangle^3 + \frac{37}{5760} \cdot \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \cdot y \quad ⑤$$

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow 0.00694 & \uparrow 0.01667 & \uparrow 0.03472 & \uparrow 0.06607 \end{matrix}$$

1b. Using the graph paper on the next page draw the V, M,  $\theta$ , and u diagrams for this beam. For the following values calculate the magnitude, illustrate the location, and show the distance from the origin on the coordinate system.

1. Maximum and minimum values of the shear force.
2. Maximum and minimum values of the bending moment.
3. Maximum and minimum values of the curvature.
4. Maximum value of the deflection.
5. All intercepts and points of inflection on all of the diagrams.

### 1. SHEAR FORCE DIAGRAM POINTS OF INTEREST USING (2)

- $V(0) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} (0)^0 = \frac{q_0 L}{24}$  (maximum)
- $V(L) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} (L)^0 - \frac{q_0}{L} \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{5}{24} q_0 L (0)^0 = 0$  THIS IS BECAUSE THE END LOAD IS INCLUDED.  
IF THE END LOAD IS NOT INCLUDED (LAST TERM)  $V = -\frac{5}{24} q_0 L$
- $V(y) = 0 = \frac{q_0 L}{24} (y)^0 - \frac{q_0}{L} (y - \frac{L}{2})^2 = \frac{q_0 L}{24} - \frac{q_0}{L} (y^2 - yL + \frac{L^2}{4}) = q_0 \left[ \frac{1}{24} - \frac{y^2}{L} + y - \frac{L}{4} \right]$   

$$0 = \frac{1}{24} (L - \frac{y^2}{L} \cdot 24 + 24y - 6L) = -\frac{y^2}{L} \cdot 24 + 24y - 5L$$

$$0 = 24 \left( \frac{y}{L} \right)^2 - 24 \left( \frac{y}{L} \right) + 5 \Rightarrow 0 = \left( \frac{y}{L} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{y}{L} \right) + \frac{5}{24} = \left( \frac{y}{L} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{y}{L} \right) + \left( -\frac{y}{L} \right)^2 - \left( -\frac{y}{L} \right)^2 + \frac{5}{24}$$

$$= \left( \frac{y}{L} - \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{5}{24} = \left( \frac{y}{L} - \frac{1}{2} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{24}$$

$$\frac{y}{L} - \frac{1}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{24}} \Rightarrow \frac{y}{L} = \frac{1}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{24}} = 0.5 \pm 0.2041 = 0.7041, 0.2959$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{y = 0.7041L}, 0.2959L \text{ THIS SOLUTION IS NOT IN THE RANGE BEING CONSIDERED.}$$

### 2. BENDING MOMENT DIAGRAM POINTS OF INTEREST USING (3)

- THE BOUNDARY CONDITIONS FOR THE PROBLEM DICTATE THAT  $M(0) = M(L) = 0$
- THE MAXIMUM BENDING MOMENT IS CALCULATED WHEN THE SHEAR FORCE GOES TO ZERO

$$M(0.7041L) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} (0.7041L) - \frac{q_0}{3L} (0.7041L - 0.5L)^3 = \frac{q_0 L}{24} (0.7041L) - \frac{q_0}{3L} (0.2041L)^3$$

$$= \underline{0.02650 \cdot q_0 L} \text{ (maximum)}$$

## 3. CURVATURE DIAGRAM POINTS OF INTEREST USING (4)

- BECAUSE THE MOMENT DIAGRAM SHOWS THE MOMENT TO BE ZERO AT  $y=0$  AND  $y=L$ , THESE ARE THE LOCATIONS OF MAX AND MINS.

$$\Theta(0) = -\frac{9_0 L}{48 EI} (0)^2 + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} = \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \quad (\text{MAXIMUM})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta(L) &= -\frac{9_0 L}{48 EI} (L)^2 + \frac{9_0}{12 EI} \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^4 - \frac{5}{48} \frac{9_0 L}{EI} (0)^2 + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \\ &= -\frac{9_0 L^3}{48 EI} + \frac{9_0 L^3}{192 EI} + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} = -\frac{120}{120} \frac{9_0 L^3}{48 EI} + \frac{30}{30} \frac{9_0 L^3}{192 EI} + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \\ &= -\frac{53}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \quad (\text{MINIMUM}) \end{aligned}$$

- THE LOCATION WHERE  $\Theta(y)=0$  NEEDS TO BE LOCATED. BOTH ~~REGIONS~~ REGIONS  $0 < y < L/2$  AND  $L/2 < y < L$  NEED TO BE CHECKED

$$0 < y < L/2$$

$$0 = -\frac{9_0 L}{48 EI} y^2 + \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \frac{37}{5760} \Rightarrow \frac{y^2}{48} = \frac{37}{5760} L^2 \Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{37 \cdot 48}{5760} L^2 = \frac{1776}{5760} L^2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1776}{5760}} L = \pm 0.555 L \quad \text{BOTH SOLUTIONS ARE OUTSIDE THE RANGE BEING CONSIDERED.}$$

$$L/2 < y < L$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= -\frac{9_0 L}{48 EI} y^2 + \frac{9_0}{12 EI} (y - L/2)^4 + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} = -\frac{9_0 L}{48 EI} y^2 + \frac{9_0}{12 EI} (y^2 - yL + L^2/4)(y^2 - yL + L^2/4) + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \\ 0 &= -\frac{9_0 L}{48 EI} y^2 + \frac{9_0}{12 EI} (y^4 - y^3 L + \frac{y^2 L^2}{4} - y^3 L + y^2 L^2 - \frac{yL^3}{4} + \frac{y^2 L^2}{4} - \frac{yL^3}{4} + \frac{L^4}{16}) + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \\ 0 &= -\frac{9_0 L y^2}{48 EI} + \frac{9_0}{12 EI} (y^4 - 2y^3 L + \frac{3}{2} y^2 L^2 - \frac{1}{2} yL^3 + \frac{1}{16} L^4) + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} \\ 0 &= -\frac{1}{48} \cdot \frac{120}{120} L y^2 + \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{480}{480} \frac{y^4}{L} - \frac{2}{12} \cdot \frac{480}{480} y^3 + \frac{3}{24} \cdot \frac{240}{240} y^2 L - \frac{1}{24} \cdot \frac{240}{240} yL^3 + \frac{1}{192} \cdot \frac{30}{30} L^3 + \frac{37}{5760} L^3 \\ 0 &= 480 \left(\frac{y}{L}\right)^4 - 960 \left(\frac{y}{L}\right)^3 + 600 \left(\frac{y}{L}\right)^2 - 240 \left(\frac{y}{L}\right) + 67 \\ \frac{y}{L} &= 1.2473, 0.5554, 0.0987, 0.4379, 0.0987, 0.4379 \\ \Rightarrow y &= 0.5554 L \quad (\text{LOCATION WHERE } \Theta(y)=0) \end{aligned}$$

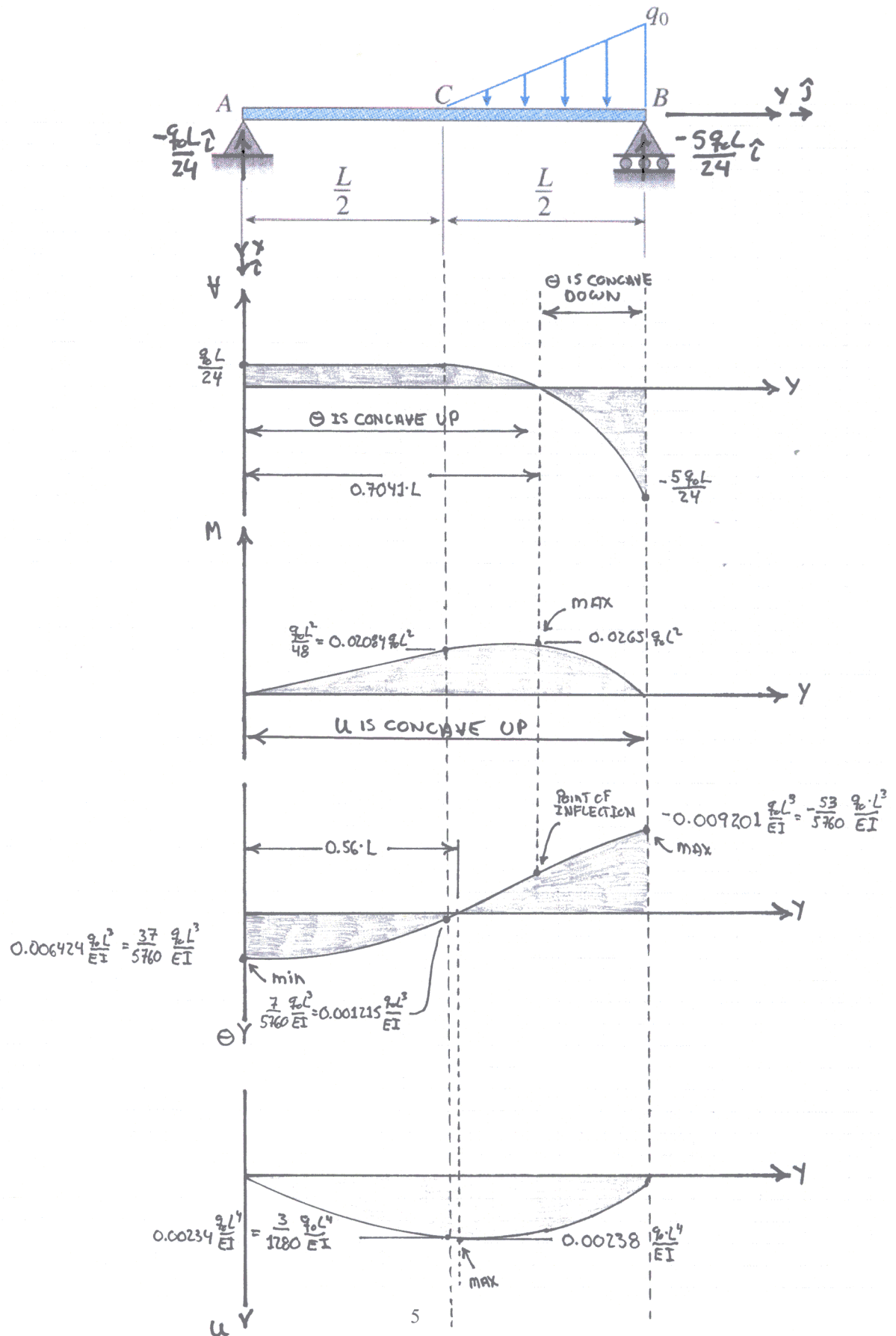
## 4. DEFLECTION DIAGRAM POINTS OF INTEREST USING (5)

- THE LOCATION OF THE MAXIMUM DEFLECTION IS LOCATED WHERE THE CURVATURE EQUALS ZERO

$$u(0.5554 L) = -\frac{9_0 L}{144 EI} (0.5554 L)^3 + \frac{9_0}{60 EI} (0.5554 L - 0.5 L)^5 + \frac{37}{5760} \frac{9_0 L^3}{EI} (0.5554 L) = 0.00238 \frac{9_0 L^4}{EI}$$

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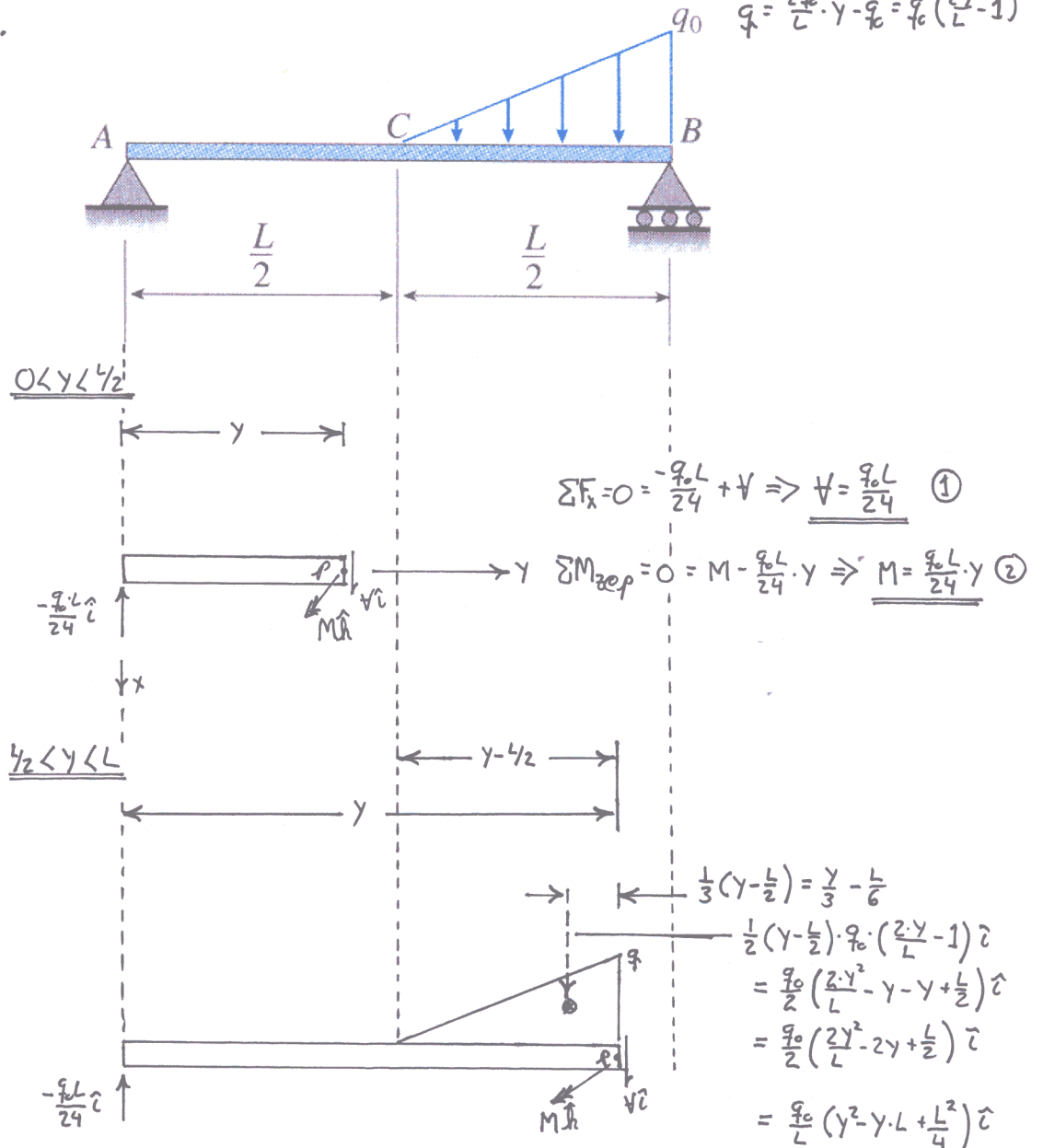
(MAXIMUM)



# DIRECT INTEGRATION SOLUTION.

$$m = \frac{2 \cdot q_0}{L}$$

$$q = \frac{2q_0}{L} \cdot y - q_0 = q_0 \left( \frac{2y}{L} - 1 \right)$$



$$\sum F_x = 0 = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} + V \Rightarrow V = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \quad (1)$$

$$\sum M_{\text{cut}} = 0 = M - \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y \Rightarrow M = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y \quad (2)$$

$$\sum F_x = 0 = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} + \frac{q_0}{L} \left( y^2 - y \cdot L + \frac{L^2}{4} \right) + V$$

$$V = \frac{q_0 L}{24} - \frac{q_0}{L} \left( y^2 - y \cdot L + \frac{L^2}{4} \right) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} - \frac{q_0}{L} \left( \frac{24}{24} y^2 - \frac{24}{24} y L + \frac{24}{24} \frac{L^2}{4} \right) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} - \frac{q_0}{L} \left( y^2 - y L + \frac{L^2}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( 1 - 24 \frac{y^2}{L^2} + 24 \frac{y}{L} - 6 \right) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( 24 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{y}{L} + 5 \right) \quad (3)$$

$$V\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( \frac{L^2}{L^2} \cdot 24 - \frac{L}{L} \cdot 24 + 5 \right) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} (6 - 12 + 5) = \boxed{\frac{q_0 L}{24}} \text{ MAX} \quad (4)$$

$$V(L) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( 24 \cdot \frac{L^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{L}{L} + 5 \right) = \boxed{-\frac{5q_0 L}{24}} \text{ MIN} \quad (5)$$

FINDING THE INTERCEPT

$$0 = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( 24 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{y}{L} + 5 \right) = \frac{q_0}{L} \cdot y^2 - \frac{24}{L} y + 5 = y^2 - y \cdot L + \frac{5}{24} L^2 = y^2 - y \cdot L + \left( -\frac{L}{2} \right)^2 - \left( -\frac{L}{2} \right)^2 + \frac{5}{24} L^2$$

$$(y - \frac{L}{2})^2 = \left( \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{6}{6} - \frac{5}{24} \right) L^2 = \frac{L^2}{24} \Rightarrow y = \frac{L}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{24}} \cdot L$$

$$= (0.5 \pm 0.2041) \cdot L = \boxed{0.7041 \cdot L} \quad (6)$$

↑  
OUTSIDE THE RANGE  
UNDER CONSIDERATION

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$$\begin{aligned}
\Sigma M_{\text{dep}} = 0 &= M - \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y + \frac{1}{3} \left( y - \frac{L}{2} \right) \cdot \frac{q_0}{L} \left( y^2 - y \cdot L + \frac{L^2}{4} \right) = M - \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y + \frac{q_0}{3L} \cdot \frac{8}{8} \left( y - \frac{L}{2} \right) \left( y^2 - y \cdot L + \frac{L^2}{4} \right) \\
&= M - \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y + \frac{8 q_0}{24 L} \left( y^3 - y^2 L + \frac{L^2}{4} y - \frac{L}{2} y^2 + \frac{3}{2} \frac{L^2}{2} y - \frac{L^3}{8} \right) \\
&= M - \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y + \frac{8 \cdot q_0}{24} \left( \frac{y^3}{L} - \frac{3}{2} y^2 + \frac{3}{4} y \cdot L - \frac{1}{8} L^2 \right) \\
\Rightarrow M &= \frac{q_0}{24} \left( 8y - 8 \frac{y^3}{L} + 12 y^2 - 6 y \cdot L + L^2 \right) = \frac{q_0}{24} \left( -8 \frac{y^3}{L} + 12 y^2 - 5 \cdot L \cdot y + L^2 \right) \quad (7)
\end{aligned}$$

THE MAXIMUM VALUE OF THE MOMENT IS LOCATED WHERE  $\theta = 0$ , FROM (6)

$$\begin{aligned}
M(0.7041 \cdot L) &= \frac{q_0}{24} \left[ -\frac{8}{L} (0.7041 \cdot L)^3 + 12 (0.7041 \cdot L)^2 - 5 \cdot L \cdot (0.7041 \cdot L) + L^2 \right] \\
&= \boxed{0.2650 q_0 \cdot L} \quad (8) \text{ MAX}
\end{aligned}$$

AN EXPRESSION FOR THE CURVATURE AND DEFLECTION OF THE BEAM IS FOUND BY DIRECTLY INTEGRATING THE MOMENT. THESE INTEGRATIONS ARE DEPENDENT ON THE REGION OF THE BEAM

$$0 < y < \frac{L}{2}$$

STARTING WITH (2)

$$\theta = -\frac{1}{EI} \int \frac{q_0 L}{24} y \cdot dy = -\frac{q_0 L}{24 EI} \frac{y^2}{2} + C_1 = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^2}{48 EI} + C_1 \quad (9)$$

$$u = \int \left[ -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^2}{48 EI} + C_1 \right] dy = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^3}{144 \cdot EI} + C_1 \cdot y + C_2 \quad (10)$$

THE CONSTANT  $C_2$  IS EVALUATED USING THE BOUNDARY CONDITION  $u(0) = 0$

$$u(0) = 0 = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L}{144 EI} (0)^3 + C_1 (0) + C_2 \Rightarrow \underline{C_2 = 0} \quad (11)$$

AT  $y = \frac{L}{2}$

$$u\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^3}{144 \cdot EI} + C_1 \left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L^4}{1152 \cdot EI} + \frac{C_1 \cdot L}{2} \quad (12)$$

THE BOUNDARY CONDITION AT  $\frac{L}{2}$  IS A CONTINUITY CONDITION THAT WILL BE APPLIED AFTER THE DEFORMATION IN THE OTHER HALF OF THE BEAM IS SOLVED FOR.

$$\frac{L}{2} < y < L$$

STARTING WITH (3)

$$\begin{aligned}
\theta &= -\frac{1}{EI} \frac{q_0}{24} \int \left( -8 \frac{y^3}{L} + 12 y^2 - 5 \cdot L \cdot y + L^2 \right) dy = -\frac{q_0}{24 EI} \left( -\frac{8}{L} \frac{y^4}{4} + 12 \frac{y^3}{3} - 5 \cdot L \frac{y^2}{2} + L^2 y \right) + C_3 \\
&= -\frac{q_0}{24 EI} \left( -\frac{2 \cdot y^4}{L} + 4 \cdot y^3 - \frac{5}{2} L \cdot y^2 + L^2 \cdot y \right) + C_3 = -\frac{q_0}{24 EI} \left( -\frac{2 \cdot y^4}{L} + 4 \cdot y^3 - \frac{5}{2} L \cdot y^2 + L^2 \cdot y + C_4 \right) \quad (13)
\end{aligned}$$

$$-C_3 \frac{q_0}{24 EI} \cdot \frac{24 \cdot EI}{q_0} = C_4 \cdot \frac{24 \cdot EI}{q_0} \Rightarrow C_3 = -\frac{24 EI}{q_0} C_4$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= \int \left[ \frac{-q_0}{24EI} \left( -\frac{2}{L} y^4 + 4y^3 - \frac{5L}{2} y^2 + L^2 y \right) + C_3 \right] dy = \frac{-q_0}{24EI} \left( -\frac{2}{L} \frac{y^5}{5} + 4 \frac{y^4}{4} - \frac{5L}{2} \frac{y^3}{3} + L^2 \frac{y^2}{2} \right) + C_3 y + C_5 \\
 &= \frac{-q_0}{24EI} \left( -\frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{y^5}{L} + y^4 - \frac{5}{6} L y^3 + \frac{1}{2} L^2 y^2 \right) + C_3 y + C_5 \\
 &= \frac{-q_0}{24EI} \left( -\frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{6}{L} \frac{y^5}{L} + \frac{30}{30} y^4 - \frac{5}{6} \cdot \frac{5}{L} L y^3 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{15}{15} L^2 y^2 \right) + C_3 y + C_5 \\
 &= \frac{-q_0}{24EI} \left( \frac{-12y^5/L + 30y^4 - 25Ly^3 + 15L^2y^2}{30} \right) + C_3 y + C_5 \\
 &= \frac{-q_0}{720EI} \left( -12 \frac{y^5}{L} + 30y^4 - 25Ly^3 + 15L^2y^2 \right) + C_3 y + C_5
 \end{aligned} \tag{14}$$

APPLYING THE BOUNDARY CONDITION AT  $y=L$ ,  $u(L)=0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u(L) &= \frac{-q_0}{720EI} \left( -12 \frac{L^5}{L} + 30L^4 - 25L^4 + 15L^4 \right) + C_3 L + C_5 = \frac{-8 \cdot q_0 \cdot L^4}{720EI} + C_3 L + C_5 \\
 0 &= -\frac{q_0 L^4}{90EI} + C_3 L + C_5 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \underline{C_5 = \frac{q_0 L^4}{90EI} - C_3 L}
 \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

BACK SUBSTITUTING (15) INTO (14)

$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= \frac{-q_0}{720EI} \left( -12 \frac{y^5}{L} + 30y^4 - 25Ly^3 + 15L^2y^2 \right) + C_3 y + \frac{q_0 L^4}{90EI} - C_3 L \\
 u &= \frac{-q_0}{720EI} \left( -12 \frac{y^5}{L} + 30y^4 - 25Ly^3 + 15L^2y^2 - 8L^4 \right) + C_3 (y - L) \\
 u &= \frac{-q_0}{720EI} \left( -12 \frac{y^5}{L} + 30y^4 - 25Ly^3 + 15L^2y^2 - 8L^4 \right) - C_3 (L - y)
 \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$



$$0 < y < \frac{L}{2}$$

$$\Theta_1 = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^2}{48EI} + C_1 \quad (9)$$

$$u_1 = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^3}{144EI} + C_1 \cdot y \quad (10)$$

$$\frac{L}{2} < y < L$$

$$\Theta_2 = \frac{q_0}{24EI} \left( \frac{L}{2} \cdot y^4 - 4 \cdot y^3 + \frac{5 \cdot L}{2} \cdot y^2 - L^2 \cdot y \right) + C_3 \quad (13)$$

$$u_2 = \frac{q_0}{720EI} \left( \frac{L}{2} \cdot y^5 - 30 \cdot y^4 + 25 \cdot L \cdot y^3 - 15 \cdot L^2 \cdot y^2 \right) + C_3 \cdot y + C_5 \quad (14)$$

$$= \frac{q_0}{720EI} \left( \frac{L}{2} \cdot y^5 - 30 \cdot y^4 + 25 \cdot L \cdot y^3 - 15 \cdot L^2 \cdot y^2 + 8L^4 \right) - C_3(L-y) \quad (16)$$

SINCE THE BEAM IS CONTINUOUS AT  $L/2$ ,  $\Theta_1(L/2) = \Theta_2(L/2)$

~~$$-\frac{q_0 \cdot L}{48EI} \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^2 + C_1 = \frac{q_0}{24EI} \left[ \frac{L}{2} \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^4 - 4 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^3 + \frac{5 \cdot L}{2} \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^2 - L^2 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right) \right] + C_3$$~~

$$-\frac{q_0 \cdot L}{48EI} \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^2 + C_1 = \frac{q_0}{24EI} \left[ \frac{L}{2} \cdot \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^4 - 4 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^3 + \frac{5 \cdot L}{2} \cdot \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^2 - L^2 \cdot \left( \frac{L}{2} \right) \right] + C_3$$

~~$$-\frac{q_0 \cdot L}{48EI}$$~~

$$-\frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} + C_1 = \frac{q_0 L^3}{24EI} \left[ \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{5}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \right] + C_3 = -\frac{q_0 L^3}{96EI} + C_3$$

$$+\frac{q_0 L^3}{96EI} - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} = C_3 - C_1 \Rightarrow \frac{2q_0 L^3}{192EI} - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} = C_3 - C_1$$

$$\frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} = C_3 - C_1 \Rightarrow \underline{C_1 = C_3 - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI}} \quad (17)$$

$$(9) \rightarrow \Theta_1 = -\frac{q_0 L \cdot y^2}{48EI} + C_3 - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} = -\frac{4q_0 L \cdot y^2}{192EI} - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} + C_3$$

$$= -\frac{q_0}{192EI} (4L \cdot y^2 + L^3) + C_3 \quad (18)$$

$$(10) \rightarrow u_1 = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^3}{144EI} + \left( C_3 - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} \right) \cdot y = -\frac{q_0 \cdot L \cdot y^3}{144EI} - \frac{q_0 L^3 \cdot y}{192EI} + C_3 \cdot y$$

$$= -\frac{q_0}{576EI} (4 \cdot L \cdot y^3 + 3 \cdot L^3 \cdot y) + C_3 \cdot y \quad (19)$$

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THE CONTINUITY OF THE BEAM AT  $y = \frac{L}{2}$  ALSO REQUIRES THAT  $u_1(\frac{L}{2}) = u_2(\frac{L}{2})$

$$- \frac{q_0}{576EI} \left[ 4 \cdot L \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^3 + 3 \cdot L^3 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right) \right] + C_3 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{q_0}{720EI} \left[ \frac{12}{3^2} \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^5 - 30 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^4 + 25 \cdot L \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^3 - 15 \cdot L^2 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)^2 + 8 \cdot L^4 \right] - C_3 \frac{L}{2}$$

$$- \frac{q_0}{576EI} \left[ \frac{1}{2} L^4 + \frac{3}{2} L^4 \right] + C_3 \left( \frac{L}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{q_0}{720EI} \left[ \frac{12}{3^2} L^4 - \frac{30}{16} L^4 + \frac{25}{8} L^4 - \frac{15}{4} L^4 + \frac{64}{8} L^4 \right] - C_3 \frac{L}{2}$$

$$- \frac{2 q_0 L^4}{576EI} + \frac{C_3 L}{2} = \frac{q_0 L^4}{720EI} \left[ \frac{47}{8} \right] - C_3 \frac{L}{2}$$

$$- \frac{20 q_0 L^4}{5760EI} + \frac{C_3 L}{2} = \frac{47 q_0 L^4}{5760EI} - C_3 \frac{L}{2} \Rightarrow C_3 = \frac{67 \cdot q_0 L^3}{5760EI} \quad (20)$$

SUBSTITUTING (20) INTO (17)

$$C_1 = \frac{67 q_0 L^3}{5760EI} - \frac{q_0 L^3}{192EI} \cdot \frac{30}{30} = \frac{37 q_0 L^3}{5760EI} \quad (21)$$

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$0 < y < \frac{L}{2}$

$$V_1 = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \quad (22)$$

$$M_1 = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot y \quad (23)$$

$$\Theta_1 = \frac{-q_0}{192EI} (4 \cdot L \cdot y^3 + L^3) + \frac{67}{5760} \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} = \frac{q_0}{5760EI} (37 L^3 - 120 L y^2) \quad (24)$$

$$u_1 = - \frac{q_0}{576} (4 \cdot L \cdot y^3 + 3 \cdot L^3 \cdot y) + \frac{67 q_0 L^3}{5760EI} y = \frac{q_0}{5760EI} (37 L^3 y - 40 L \cdot y^3) \quad (25)$$

$\frac{L}{2} < y < L$

$$V_2 = - \frac{q_0 L}{24} (24 \cdot \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{y}{L} + 5) \quad (26)$$

$$M_2 = \frac{q_0}{24} (-8 \frac{y^3}{L} + 12 y^2 - 5 L y + L^2) = \frac{q_0 L^2}{24} (-8 \frac{y^3}{L^3} + 12 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 5 \frac{y}{L} + 1) \quad (27)$$

$$\Theta_2 = \frac{q_0 L^3}{24EI} (2 \cdot \frac{y^4}{L^4} - 4 \frac{y^3}{L^3} + \frac{5}{2} \frac{y^2}{L^2} - \frac{y}{L}) + \frac{67 q_0 L^3}{5760EI} = \frac{q_0 L^3}{5760EI} (480 \frac{y^4}{L^4} - 960 \frac{y^3}{L^3} + 600 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 240 \frac{y}{L} + 67) \quad (28)$$

$$u_2 = \frac{q_0 L^4}{720EI} (12 \frac{y^5}{L^5} - 30 \frac{y^4}{L^4} + 25 \frac{y^3}{L^3} - 15 \frac{y^2}{L^2} + 8) - (L - y) \frac{67 \cdot q_0 \cdot L^3}{5760EI}$$

$$= \frac{q_0 L^4}{5760EI} (96 \frac{y^5}{L^5} - 240 \frac{y^4}{L^4} + 200 \frac{y^3}{L^3} - 120 \frac{y^2}{L^2} + 67 \frac{y}{L} - 3) \quad (29)$$

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FOR THE REGION  $0 < y < \frac{L}{2}$ , THE VALUES FOR (22) - (25) AT  $y=0$  AND  $y=\frac{L}{2}$

$$V_1(0) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} = 0.0417 q_0 L$$

$$M_1(0) = 0$$

$$\Theta_1(0) = \frac{37}{5760} \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} = 0.003424 \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI}$$

$$u_1(0) = 0$$

$$V_1\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} = 0.0417 q_0 L$$

$$M_1\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} \cdot \frac{L}{2} = \frac{q_0 L^2}{48} = 0.0208 q_0 L^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta_1\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) &= \frac{q_0}{5760 EI} (37L^3 - 120L \cdot (\frac{L}{2})^2) \\ &= \frac{7 q_0 L^3}{5760 EI} = 0.001215 \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_1\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) &= \frac{q_0}{5760 EI} (37L^3 (\frac{L}{2}) - 40L \cdot (\frac{L}{2})^3) \\ &= \frac{3}{1280} \frac{q_0 L^4}{EI} = 0.002344 \frac{q_0 L^4}{EI} \end{aligned}$$

FOR THE REGION  $\frac{L}{2} < y < L$ , THE VALUES OF (26) - (29) AT  $y=\frac{L}{2}$  AND  $y=L$

$$V_2\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( \frac{24}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} - \frac{24}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} + 5 \right) = \frac{q_0 L}{24} = 0.0417 q_0 L$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_2\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) &= \frac{q_0 L^2}{24} \left( -\frac{8}{L^3} \cdot \frac{L^3}{8} + \frac{12}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} - \frac{5}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} + 1 \right) \\ &= \frac{q_0 L^2}{48} = 0.02083 q_0 L^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta_2\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) &= \frac{q_0 L^3}{5760 EI} \left( \frac{480}{L^4} \cdot \frac{q_0 L^4}{16} - \frac{960}{L^3} \cdot \frac{L^3}{8} + \frac{600}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} - \frac{240}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} + 67 \right) \\ &= \frac{7}{5760} \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} = 0.001215 \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_2\left(\frac{L}{2}\right) &= \frac{q_0 L^4}{5760 EI} \left[ \frac{96}{L^5} \cdot \frac{L^5}{32} - \frac{240}{L^4} \cdot \frac{L^4}{16} + \frac{200}{L^3} \cdot \frac{L^3}{8} - \frac{120}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} + \frac{67}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} - 3 \right] \\ &= \frac{3}{1280} \frac{q_0 L^4}{EI} = 0.002344 \frac{q_0 L^4}{EI} \end{aligned}$$

$$V_2(L) = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( 24 \frac{L^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{L}{L} + 5 \right) = -\frac{5 q_0 L}{24} = -0.2083 q_0 L$$

$$M_2(L) = \frac{q_0 L^2}{24} \left( -\frac{8}{L^3} \cdot \frac{L^3}{8} + \frac{12}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} - \frac{5}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} + 1 \right)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta_2(L) &= \frac{q_0 L^3}{5760 EI} \left( \frac{480}{L^4} \cdot \frac{L^4}{24} - \frac{960}{L^3} \cdot \frac{L^3}{8} + \frac{600}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} - \frac{240}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} + 67 \right) \\ &= \frac{-53 q_0 L^3}{5760 EI} = -0.009201 \frac{q_0 L^3}{EI} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_2(L) &= \frac{q_0 L^4}{5760 EI} \left[ \frac{96}{L^5} \cdot \frac{L^5}{24} - \frac{240}{L^4} \cdot \frac{L^4}{4} + \frac{200}{L^3} \cdot \frac{L^3}{8} - \frac{120}{L^2} \cdot \frac{L^2}{4} + \frac{67}{L} \cdot \frac{L}{2} - 3 \right] \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

IN THE REGION  $\frac{L}{2} < y < L$  THE ABOVE RESULTS INDICATE THAT THE SHEAR FORCE CHANGES SIGN. THE LOCATION WHERE  $V=0$  NEEDS TO BE LOCATED.

$$V_2(y) = 0 = -\frac{q_0 L}{24} \left( 24 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{y}{L} + 5 \right)$$

$$0 = 24 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 24 \frac{y}{L} + 5$$

$$0 = y^2 - yL + \frac{5}{24} L^2 = y^2 - yL + \left(-\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 - \left(-\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{5}{24} L^2$$

$$0 = \left(y - \frac{L}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{L^2}{24}$$

$$\left(y - \frac{L}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{L^2}{24}$$

$$y - \frac{L}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{24}} \cdot L$$

$$y = \frac{L}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{24}} \cdot L$$

$$y = (0.5 \pm 0.2041) \cdot L = 0.7041L, \quad 0.2959L$$

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OUTSIDE THE RANGE OF (26)

THE LOCATION WHERE THE SHEAR STRESS CROSSES THE Y AXIS IS ALSO WHERE THE BENDING MOMENT IS A MAXIMUM. SUBSTITUTING (30) INTO (27) TO DETERMINE THE MAXIMUM BENDING MOMENT.

$$M_2(0.7041 \cdot L) = \frac{q_0 \cdot L^2}{24} \left( -8 \frac{(0.7041L)^3}{L^3} + 12 \frac{(0.7041L)^2}{L^2} - 5 \frac{0.7041L}{L} + 1 \right)$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.0265 \cdot q_0 \cdot L^2}} \quad (31)$$

IN THE REGION  $\frac{1}{2}L < y < L$  THE END POINT RESULTS INDICATE THAT THE CURVATURE OF THE BEAM CHANGES SIGN. THE LOCATION WHERE  $\Theta = 0$  NEEDS TO BE FOUND. (TECHNICALLY BOTH REGIONS SHOULD BE CHECKED FOR ZEROS BECAUSE THIS IS A FORTH ORDER POLYNOMIAL). STARTING WITH (28)

$$\Theta_2(y) = 0 = \frac{q_0 L^3}{5760 EI} (480 \frac{y^4}{L^4} - 960 \frac{y^3}{L^3} + 600 \frac{y^2}{L^2} - 240 \frac{y}{L} + 67)$$

$$0 = (\frac{y}{L})^4 - \frac{960}{480} (\frac{y}{L})^3 + \frac{600}{480} (\frac{y}{L})^2 - \frac{240}{480} (\frac{y}{L}) + \frac{67}{480}$$

$$0 = (\frac{y}{L})^4 - 2 (\frac{y}{L})^3 + 1.25 (\frac{y}{L})^2 - 0.5 (\frac{y}{L}) + 0.1396$$

$$\frac{y}{L} = \overset{\text{OUTSIDE RANGE}}{1.2473}, \overset{\text{OUTSIDE RANGE}}{0.5554}, \overset{\text{OUTSIDE RANGE}}{0.0987} + i 0.4379, \overset{\text{OUTSIDE RANGE}}{0.0987} - i 0.4379$$

$$y = 0.5554 \cdot L \quad (32)$$

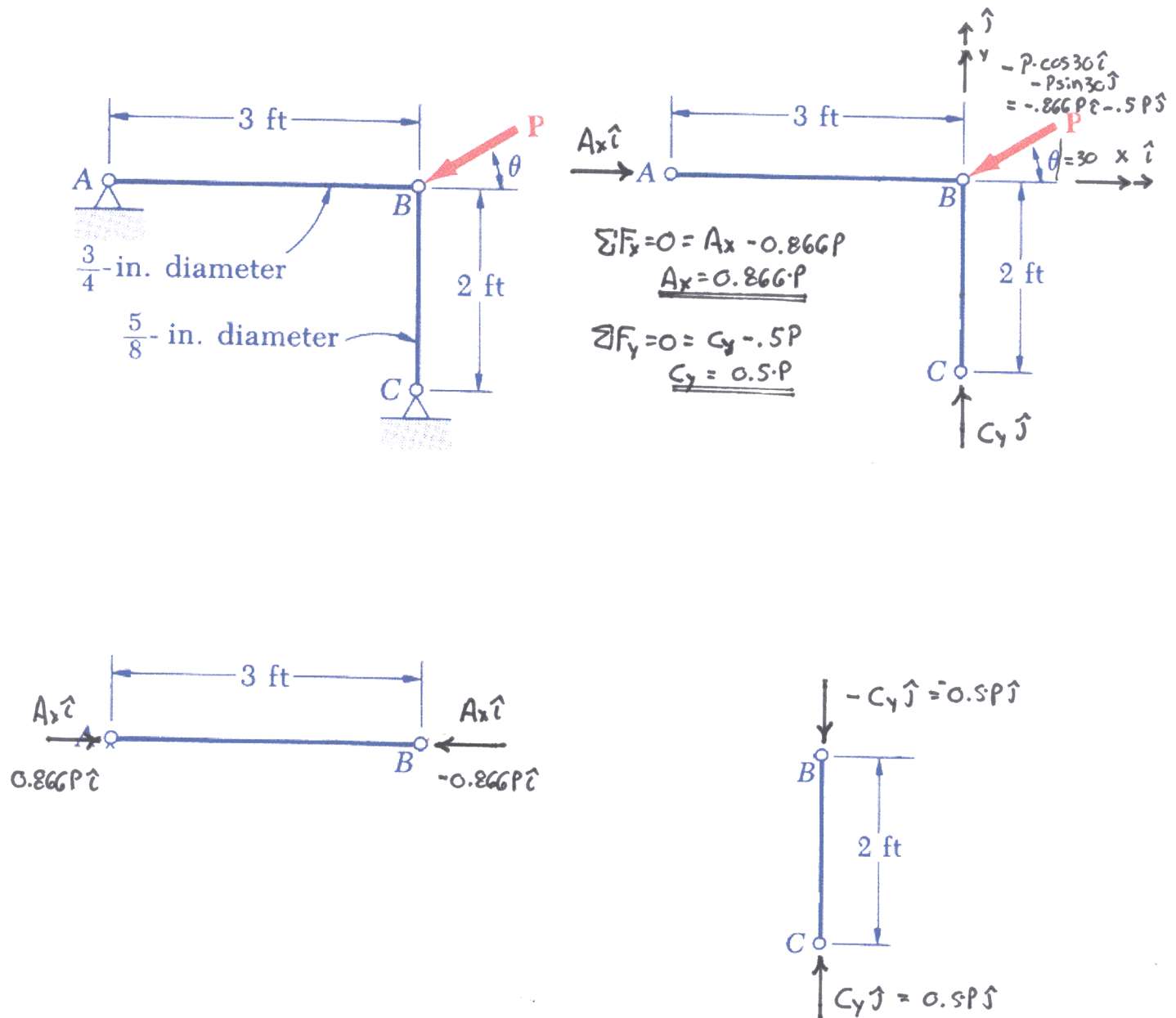
THE LOCATION WHERE THE CURVATURE IS ZERO,  $\Theta = 0$ , IS THE LOCATION OF THE MAXIMUM BENDING MOMENT. (32) IS SUBSTITUTED INTO (29)

$$U_2 = \frac{q_0 L^4}{5760 EI} [96(0.5554)^5 - 240(0.5554)^4 + 200(0.5554)^3 - 120(0.5554)^2 + 67(0.5554) - 3]$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.00238 \frac{q_0 L^4}{EI}}}$$

**PROBLEM 2:** For the structure being shown,  $\theta=30^\circ$  and  $E=29 \times 10^6$  psi.

**2a.** Using Euler's formula determine the largest load  $P$  which may be applied to the structure when only buckling in the plane of the structure is considered.



STARTING WITH COLUMN AB

$$I = \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \frac{d}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \text{ in} \right)^4 = 0.01553 \text{ in}^4$$

$$P_{CR} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{L^2} = \frac{\pi^2 \cdot 29 \times 10^6 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}^2} \cdot 0.01553 \text{ in}^4}{(36 \text{ in})^2} = 3430 \text{ lb} = F_{AB} = 0.866P$$

$$\Rightarrow P = 3961 \text{ lb}$$

FOR COLUMN BC

$$I = \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \frac{d}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{8} \text{ in} \right)^4 = 0.00749 \text{ in}^4$$

$$P_{CR} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{L^2} = \frac{\pi^2 \cdot 29 \times 10^6 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{in}^2} \cdot 0.00749 \text{ in}^4}{(24 \text{ in})^2} = 3722 \text{ lb} = F_{BC} = 0.5P$$

$$\Rightarrow P = 7444 \text{ lb}$$

2b. Knowing that a factor of safety of 2.8 is required, what is the largest load P which can be applied to the structure.

$$\frac{P}{\text{S.F.}} = \frac{3961 \text{ lb}}{2.8} = 1415 \text{ lb}$$