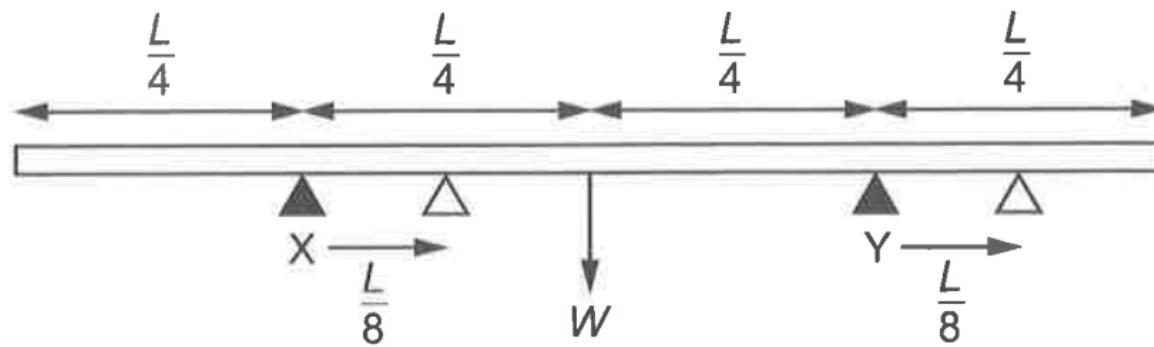


- 14 A uniform plank, of weight  $W$  and length  $L$ , is supported at points X and Y, each at distance  $\frac{L}{4}$  from the ends of the plank.



What is the increase of the force on the plank exerted by support X if both X and Y are moved a distance  $\frac{L}{8}$  to the right from their original positions?

A  $\frac{W}{16}$

B  $\frac{W}{8}$

C  $\frac{W}{4}$

D  $W\left(\frac{5}{16}\right)$

- 15 A body is accelerated from rest by a constant force