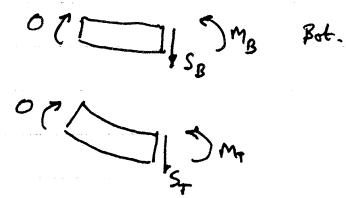
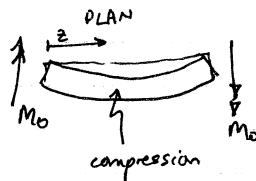
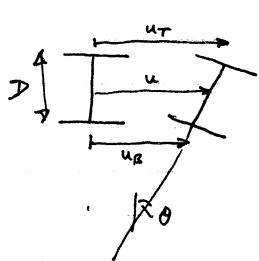


3D4.

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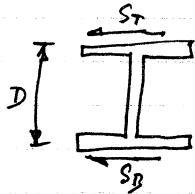


$$S = \frac{dM}{dz} \quad \text{and} \quad M_B = -EI_f \frac{d^2u_B}{dz^2} \quad M_T = -EI_f \frac{d^2u_T}{dz^2}$$

$$u_B = u - \frac{D}{2}\theta \quad u_T = u + \frac{D}{2}\theta$$

$$S_B = \frac{dM_B}{dz} = -EI_f \frac{d^3u_B}{dz^3} = -EI_f \left[ \frac{d^3u}{dz^3} - \frac{D}{2} \frac{d^3\theta}{dz^2} \right]$$

$$S_T = \frac{dM_T}{dz} = -EI_f \frac{d^3u_T}{dz^3} = -EI_f \left[ \frac{d^3u}{dz^3} + \frac{D}{2} \frac{d^3\theta}{dz^2} \right]$$



Extra twisting moment:

$$S_T \frac{D}{2} - S_B \frac{D}{2} = \frac{D}{2} EI_f \left[ -u''' - \frac{D}{2}\theta''' + u'' - \frac{D}{2}\theta'' \right] = -\frac{D^2}{2} EI_f \theta'''$$

$$= EI_f \theta'''$$

$\uparrow$  restrained warping torsion const

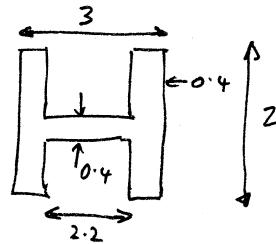
$$\therefore P = \frac{I_f D^2}{2} \quad \text{where } I_f = 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ mom. of area of flange about its own major axis} \\ (= \text{the Ibeam's minor axis})$$



$D$  = distance between centres of flanges.

i)

$$(b) \quad i) \quad J = \sum \frac{bt^3}{3}$$



$$= \left( 2 \cdot 2 + 2 + 2 \right) \frac{(0.4)^3}{3} = \frac{(6 \cdot 2)(0.4)^3}{3} = \underline{\underline{0.1323 \text{ m}^4}}$$

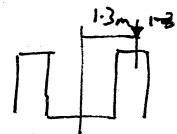
$$T = GJ\phi$$

$$\phi = \frac{\theta}{L}$$

$T$  is constant

$$\text{applied couple} = 10 \text{ kN} \times (1.3 \text{ m}) \\ = 13 \text{ kNm}$$

resulted by  $T = \frac{13}{2} = 6.5 \text{ kNm}$  each way



$$G = \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)} = \frac{30 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^{-2}}{2(1.2)} \\ = \underline{\underline{12.5 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^{-2}}}$$

$$\phi = \frac{\theta}{L} = \frac{I}{GJ} \quad \rightarrow \quad \theta = \frac{TL}{GJ} = \frac{(6500) \text{ Nm}}{(12.5 \times 10^9) \text{ N m}^{-2} / 0.1323 \text{ m}^4} \\ = \underline{\underline{2.36 \times 10^{-5} \text{ radians}}}.$$

$$ii) \quad \Gamma = \frac{I_f d^2}{2}$$

$$I_f = \frac{bd^3}{12} \quad \rightarrow \quad \begin{array}{c} \leftarrow 0.4 \\ | \\ 2 \end{array} \\ = \frac{(0.4)(2)^3}{12} \\ = \underline{\underline{0.2667 \text{ m}^4}}$$

$$\therefore \quad \Gamma = \frac{I_f d^2}{2}$$

$d = \text{distance between centres of flanges}$

$$= 2.6 \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{(0.2667)(2.6)^2}{2} = \underline{\underline{0.901 \text{ m}^6}}$$

$$T = GJ\phi - E \cancel{\Gamma} \frac{d^2\phi}{dz^2}$$

- (b) ii) At ~~end~~<sup>end</sup>, no twist, so  $\theta = 0$  at  $z=0$
- cont'd. At centre,  $\frac{du}{dz} = 0$  so  $\theta' = 0$  at  $z=L/2$  (restrained way)
- At end, no moment in play, so  $\theta'' = 0$  at  $z=0$  (free to warp)

$$\therefore \phi = \frac{T}{GJ} + Ae^{-\alpha z} + Be^{\alpha z} \quad \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{EI}{GJ}}$$

$$\theta = \frac{I}{GJ}(z+c) + A_1 e^{-\alpha z} + B_1 e^{\alpha z}$$

$\uparrow$   
const of integration.

$$\theta'' = 0 \text{ at } z=0$$

$$\rightarrow \alpha^2(A_1 + B_1) = 0 \rightarrow B_1 = -A_1$$

$$\theta' = 0 \text{ at } z=L/2$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{T}{GJ} - \alpha A_1 e^{-\alpha L/2} + \alpha B_1 e^{\alpha L/2} = 0$$

solve for  $A_1, B_1$ .

$$\frac{T}{GJ} - \alpha A_1 e^{-\alpha L/2} - \alpha A_1 e^{\alpha L/2} = 0$$

$$\frac{I}{GJ} - \alpha A_1 (e^{-\alpha L/2} + e^{\alpha L/2}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A_1 = \frac{I}{\alpha GJ} \frac{1}{(e^{-\alpha L/2} + e^{\alpha L/2})} \quad \text{and } B_1 = -A_1$$

Also, need  $c$ .

$$\theta = 0 \text{ at } z=0$$

$$\theta = \frac{T}{GJ} c + A_1 + B_1 \rightarrow c = 0 \text{ (since } A_1 + B_1 = 0)$$

$$\therefore \theta = \frac{I}{GJ}(z+c) + \frac{I}{GJ} \left[ \frac{1}{\alpha} \frac{(e^{-\alpha z} - e^{\alpha z})}{(e^{-\alpha L/2} + e^{\alpha L/2})} \right]$$

$\therefore$  When  $z=L/2$

$$\theta = \frac{I}{GJ} \left( \frac{L}{2} \right) + \frac{I}{GJ} \left[ \frac{1}{\alpha} \frac{(e^{-\alpha L/2} - e^{\alpha L/2})}{(e^{\alpha L/2} + e^{-\alpha L/2})} \right]$$

$$= \theta_{sv} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha L/2} \frac{(e^{\alpha L/2} - e^{-\alpha L/2})}{(e^{\alpha L/2} + e^{-\alpha L/2})} \right)$$

$$= \theta_{sv} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{(\alpha L/2)} \tanh(\alpha L/2) \right)$$

1b)  
cont'd.

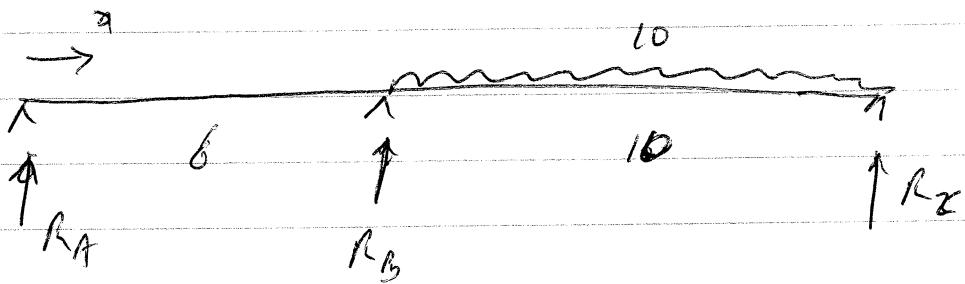
$$\frac{\alpha L}{2} = \frac{L}{2} \sqrt{\frac{GJ}{EI}} = 6m \left( \frac{1}{2(1+0.2)} \frac{0.1323}{0.901} \right)^{1/2}$$
$$= 1.4841$$

$$\frac{1}{(\alpha L/2)} \tanh(\alpha L/2) = 0.608$$

$$\therefore \theta = \theta_{sv} (1 - 0.608)$$
$$= 2.36 \times 10^{-5} (1 - 0.608) = \underline{0.925 \times 10^{-5} \text{ radians}}$$

3D4

Q2.



$$-EI \frac{d^2v}{dx^2} = R_A x + R_B \{x - 6\} - \frac{5}{12} \frac{\{x - 6\}^2}{2}$$

$$-EIv = R_A \frac{x^3}{6} + R_B \frac{\{x - 6\}^3}{6} - \frac{5}{12} \frac{\{x - 6\}^4}{2} + Ax + B$$

$$x=0, v=0 \Rightarrow B=0$$

$$x=6, v=0$$

$$\Rightarrow R_A \cdot 36 + A \cdot 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = -6R_A$$

$$x=16, v=0$$

$$0 = R_A \cdot \frac{4096}{6} + R_B \frac{1000}{6} - \frac{50000}{12} \cancel{- 96R_A}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3520 R_A + 1000 R_B = 25000 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Take moments about C

$$16 R_A + 10 R_B = 10 \times 10 \times 5 = 500 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow R_B = 500 - 1.6 R_A$$

3D4

Q2

$$3520 R_A + 5.0^4 - 1600 R_A = 25000$$

$$1920 R_A = \cancel{47520} - 25000$$

$$R_A = \cancel{2474} \text{ KN.}$$

$$R_A = -13.02 \text{ KN.} \quad (\text{agree with program})$$

$$R_B = 70.83 \text{ KN}$$

$$R_C = 100 - 70.83 + 13.02 = 42.19 \text{ KN.}$$

(b)

$$-EIU = -\frac{13.02}{6}x^3 + \frac{70.83}{6}\{x-6\}^3 - \frac{5}{12}\{x-6\}^4 + 13.02 \times 6$$

$$U = \frac{1}{EI} \left( 2.17x^3 - 11.80\{x-6\}^3 + 0.417(x-6)^4 + 13.02x \right) \text{ KN}$$

$$\text{d}U = \frac{1}{EI} \left( 6.51x^2 - 35.42\{x-6\}^2 + 1.67\{x-6\}^3 - 13.02 \right) \text{ KN}$$

 $\Rightarrow 0$  at maximaExpect maximum for  $x > 6 \therefore$  extend Macaulay brackets

$$0 = 1.67x^3 - 30x^2 + 180x - 360 \quad (\text{from } \{x-6\}^3 \text{ term})$$

$$- 35.42x^2 + 425x - 1275 \quad (\text{from } \{x-6\}^2 \text{ term})$$

$$+ 6.51x^2 - \cancel{78.12}$$

$$1.67x^3 - 58.91x^2 + 605x - \cancel{1275} = 0 \quad - \cancel{78.12}$$

2 c) contd.

$$x \approx 11.4 \text{ m} \rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} \approx 0.$$

$$v = \frac{1}{EI} (2.17x^3 - 11.8(x-6)^3 + 0.417(x-6)^4 + 78.12x)$$

$\nwarrow 10^5 \text{ kNm}^2$

$$\Rightarrow v = \underline{\underline{0.026 \text{ m}}}$$

3(a) Marks will be obtained for explaining how the total potential energy function can be expanded around any equilibrium position such that the Taylor Series expansion there is

$$\Pi = \text{Const} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{arbitrary datum}}}{\text{linear}} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{zero at equilib}}}{\text{quadratic}} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{first significant term}}}{\text{h.o.t}}$$

thus, for small perturbations, the energy is a quadratic form expressible as  $\frac{1}{2} \delta x^T \frac{\partial^2 \Pi}{\partial x_i \partial x_j} \delta x = \frac{1}{2} \delta x^T K \delta x$

where  $K$  is the total tangent stiffness matrix,

(the matrix of curvatures of the total potential energy function)

The principal directions of  $K$  are its eigenvectors, and the associated eigenvalues are the stiffnesses in these directions (where "direction" means "deflected shape").

This is true under any loading.

At certain critical loads, an eigenvalue may become zero. This means there is no stiffness in the associated eigenvector deformed shape, such that it can move in that direction (shape) without resistance (i.e. it buckles into that buckling mode).

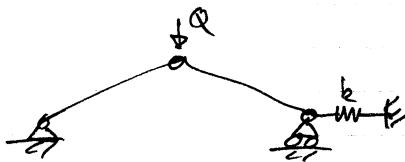
Such static eigenvectors are eigenvectors of  $K$  alone, whereas dynamic eigenvectors depend on the mass matrix also (from generalised e.v. problem  $(-\omega^2 M + K)x = 0$ )

thus dynamic evecs usually different to static evecs,  
(unless  $M \propto K$  or  $\omega = 0$ )

### 3 b) Rayleigh-Dominant assumptions

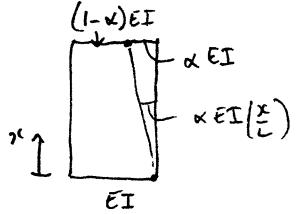
- trivial solution  $w=0$  is equilib
- small deflection theory is used
- axial deflections  $y$  depend on square of lateral  $w$  ~~E~~
- only a 1-D space is explored  $w=a\psi(x)$
- clear separation into "axial" and "lateral"

Doesn't work for snap-through bifurcations, for example:



3 c) i) Rayleigh Quotient  $P_{RR} = \frac{\int_0^L "EI" (\psi'')^2 dx}{\int_0^L (\psi')^2 dx}$

$$"EI" = EI \left(1 - \alpha \frac{x}{L}\right)$$



$$\text{Let } w = \alpha x^2$$

$$\psi = x^2$$

$$\psi' = 2x$$

$$\psi'' = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2U(\psi) &= \int_0^L "EI" (\psi'')^2 dx = \int_0^L EI \left(1 - \alpha \left(\frac{x}{L}\right)\right) [4] dx \\ &= 4EI \left[ L - \alpha \frac{L^2}{2} \right] = \underline{4EI L \left[1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right]} \end{aligned}$$

$$2y(\psi) = \int_0^L (\psi')^2 dx = \int_0^L 4x^2 dx = \underline{\frac{4L^3}{3}}$$

$$P_{RR} = \frac{U(\psi)}{y(\psi)} = \frac{4EI L \left[1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right]}{\frac{4L^3}{3}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{3EI}{L^2} \left[1 - \frac{\alpha}{2}\right]}}$$

Check,  $\alpha = 0 \rightarrow 3EI/L^2$  cf Euler  $\frac{\pi^2 EI}{(2L)^2} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{4L^2} \sim 2.5 \frac{EI}{L^2}$   
 (uniform)  $\therefore P_{RR} > P_{Euler} \checkmark$   
 Upper Bound.

$$3(c)(ii) \quad \text{Let } w = a(x + \frac{b}{L}x^2) = a\psi \\ \text{with } \psi = x + \frac{b}{L}x^2 \\ \psi' = 1 + 2\frac{b}{L}x \\ \psi'' = 2\frac{b}{L}$$

$$\text{and } \theta_0 = \psi'(x=0) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Strain Energy } U(\psi) &= \int_0^L \frac{1}{2} EI(\psi'')^2 dx + \frac{1}{2} G(\psi'|_0)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L EI \left( \frac{4b^2}{L^2} \right) dx + \frac{1}{2} G \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{4EIb^2}{L} + G \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{4EIb^2}{L} + \frac{3EI}{L} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{EI}{L} \right) \underline{\underline{[4b^2 + 3]}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Dist. moved by P} \quad y(\psi) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L (\psi')^2 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \left( 1 + 2\frac{b}{L}x \right)^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^L \left( 1 + 4\frac{b}{L}x + \frac{4b^2}{L^2}x^2 \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ L + 2bL^2 + \frac{4b^2L^3}{3} \right] = \frac{1}{2} L \left[ 1 + 2b + \frac{4b^2}{3} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } P_{RR} = \frac{U(\psi)}{y(\psi)} = \frac{EI}{L^2} \underline{\underline{\left[ \frac{4b^2 + 3}{1 + 2b + \frac{4b^2}{3}} \right]}}$$

Minimize wrt b

$$\frac{dP_{RR}}{db} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{8b \left[ 1 + 2b + \frac{4b^2}{3} \right] - [4b^2 + 3] \left[ 2 + \frac{8b}{3} \right]}{[ ]^2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{8b + 16b^2 + 32b^3} - \cancel{8b^2 + 32b^3} - 6 - \cancel{\frac{8b}{3}(8b)} = 0$$

$$8b^2 - 6 = 0 \Rightarrow 4b^2 = 3 \Rightarrow b = \pm \sqrt{3}/2$$

By inspection, the will be wrt  $\checkmark$ , but check.

$$+ \rightarrow \frac{4b^2 + 3}{1 + 2b + \frac{4b^2}{3}} = \frac{6}{1 + \sqrt{3} + 1} = \frac{6}{2 + \sqrt{3}} = (1.6077) \rightarrow P_{RR} = 1.61 \frac{EI}{L^2}$$

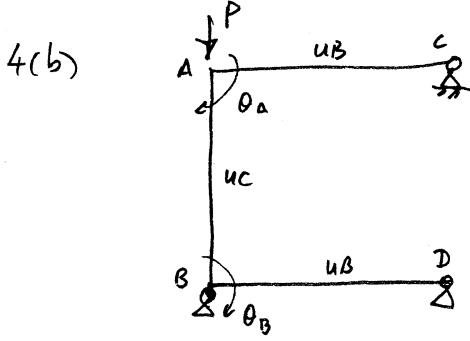
$$-ve \rightarrow \frac{4b^2 + 3}{1 + 2b + \frac{4b^2}{3}} = \frac{6}{1 - \sqrt{3} + 1} = \frac{6}{2 - \sqrt{3}} = 22.4$$

4(a). Effective length  $l_e$  of a column is defined via its elastic critical load for buckling  $P_{cr} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{l_e^2}$  thus  $l_e = \sqrt{\frac{EI}{P_{cr}}}$ .

Distant parts of buildings affect the effective length since need to know if top is braced or unbraced against sway.



Construction details that might provide sway bracing include shear walls, cross-braced bays or stiff shear walls around say lift shafts + service cores.



$$EI_{\text{major}} \text{ for } UB: \frac{610 \times 305 \times 149}{305 \times 137 \times 48} = 125900 \text{ cm}^4$$

$$UC: 305 \times 305 \times 118 = 27670 \text{ cm}^4$$

Stiffness matrix  $K = \begin{bmatrix} sk_{uc} + 3k_{ub} & sc k_{uc} \\ sc k_{uc} & sk_{uc} + 3k_{ub} \end{bmatrix}$  for  $\begin{bmatrix} \theta_A \\ \theta_B \end{bmatrix}$

$\uparrow$   
far end assumed pinned.

$$k = \frac{EI}{L} \quad UC \propto \frac{27670}{3} = 9223$$

$$UB \propto \frac{125900}{37} = 17,990$$

$$\therefore \frac{3k_{ub}}{k_{uc}} = \frac{3(17,990)}{9223} = 5.85$$

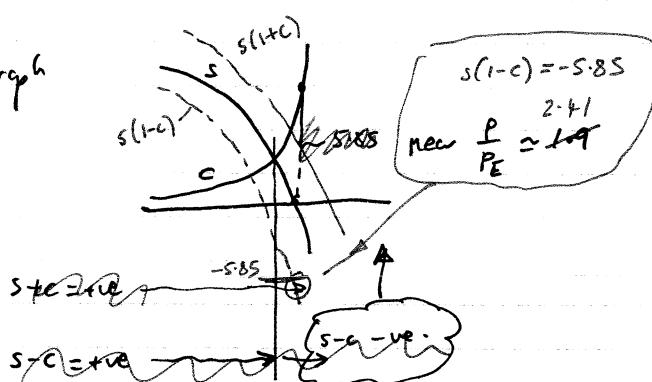
$$\det K = 0 \Rightarrow \therefore (k_{uc})^2 [(s+5.85)^2 - c^2] = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Require } s+5.85 = \pm sc$$

$$\therefore s+sc = -5.85 \quad s(1+c) = -5.85$$

$$\text{or } s-sc = -5.85 \quad s(1-c) = -5.85$$

graph



$$\therefore P \approx \frac{\pi^2 EI}{L^2} \quad 2.41$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2 EI}{(4\sqrt{m})^2} \quad 2.41$$

$$\therefore L_c = \frac{L}{\sqrt{m}} = \frac{2.41}{1.935} \frac{L}{1.55} = 0.644L = 1.935$$

$$so \quad P_{cr} = \frac{\pi^2 EI}{(2.41)^2 1.935} = \frac{\pi^2 (205 \times 10^9 N/m^2)(27670 \times 10^{-8} m^4)}{(2.41)^2 m^2}$$

$$= 1.49 \times 10^8 N = \underline{\underline{149.5 \times 10^3 kN}}$$

4b ii)

If loading of column is from loading of AC

- first need to calculate load carried by AB

- and as interested in when AB buckles, can assume end A is pinned (as column AC will provide no rotational restraint to end A of beam AC)

- but, more specifically, any end moment at A in AC (prior to Euler buckling of AB) could precipitate lateral torsional buckling of AB.

(and should really consider interaction of LTB with minor axis (out of plane) buckling).

4b iii) Again - loads on BD could cause LTB of column AB by creating major axis moment at B.

4 b (i) and (iii) Also, if loads on beams AC or BD are sufficient to cause plastic hinges to form at A and/or B, can no longer assume that these beams provide rotational stiffness there, hence effective length of AB  $\rightarrow 3\text{m}$  (full length).