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(MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION SP/2025)

CLASS: BTECH/BARCH  
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SEMESTER : VI/ADD  
SESSION : SP/2025

SUBJECT: CE308 STRUCTURAL DESIGN II

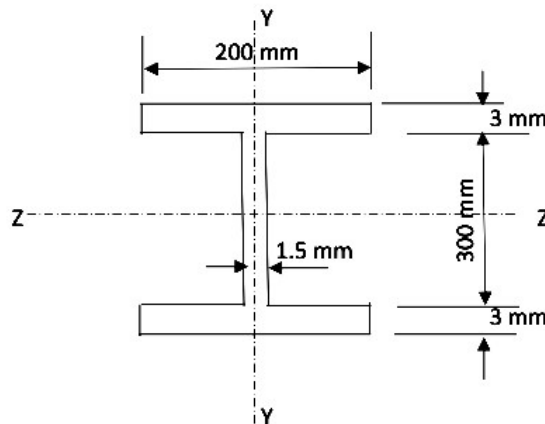
TIME: 02 Hours

FULL MARKS: 25

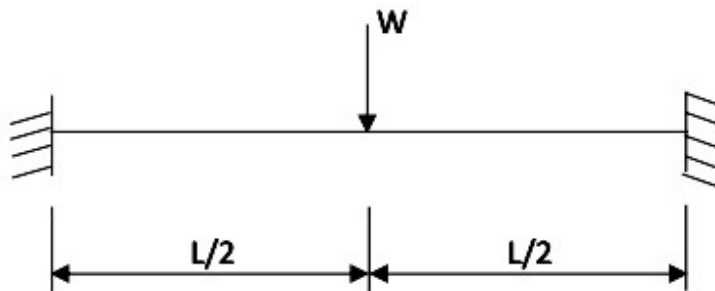
INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 5 marks and total 25 marks.
2. Attempt all questions.
3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
4. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc., if applicable, will be supplied to the candidates
5. IS 800 will be supplied to the candidates

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| Q.1(a) | What is the uniformly distributed load for a roof with a slope of $18^\circ$ with access not provided ? | [2] | CO 2 | BL K3 |
| Q.1(b) | Sketch the typical stress-strain curve of mild steel, indicating the three important regions.           | [3] | 1    | K1    |
| Q.2(a) | For the built-up section shown in the following figure, calculate the plastic section modulus.          | [2] | 1    | K2    |

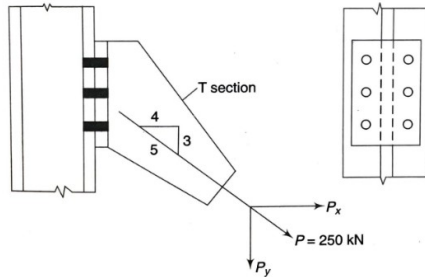


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| Q.2(b) | A beam fixed at both ends is subjected to a concentrated load $W$ at mid-span as shown in the following figure. Find out the collapse load if the beam has uniform cross section. | [3] | 1 | K2 |
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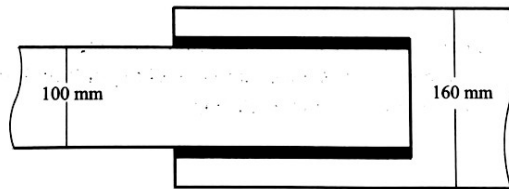


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- Q.3(a) What are 4 and 6 imply for bolts of grade 4.6? [2] 2 K3 2
- Q.3(b) Determine the adequacy of the fasteners in the following figure, when 20 mm diameter grade 4.6 bolts are used. Assume that the strength of the column flange and the structural T-section do not govern the design. Neglect prying action. Strength in single shear for 20 mm diameter bolt is 45.3 kN. [3] 3 K3 2



- Q.4(a) Two plates of 16 mm and 14 mm thickness are to be joined by a groove weld. The joint is subjected to a factored tensile force of 430 kN. Effective length of the weld is 175 mm. Check the safety of the joint if Single-V grooved weld is provided. [2] 3 K3 2
- Q.4(b) Design a suitable longitudinal fillet weld to connect the plates as shown below to transmit a pull equal to the full strength of the small plate. Given: Plates are 12 mm thick; grade of steel for plates is Fe 410 and welding to be made in workshop. [3] 3 K3 2



- Q.5(a) Mention two advantages of HSFG bolts. [2] 2 K3 2
- Q.5(b) Determine the net area of the 20 mm thick plate shown in the following figure. All holes are 20 mm diameter. [3] 2 K3 3

