

Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2018
Matrix Method of Structural Analysis

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

- Note: 1. Answer FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.**
2. Assume the missing data suitably, if any.

PART - A

- 1 Explain (i) Flexibility and Stiffness (ii) Principle of contragradience (20 Marks)
 (iii) Local and Global axis (iv) Boundary condition
- 2 a. Derive element flexibility matrix and element stiffness matrix for the system co-ordinates shown in Fig. Q2 (a). (10 Marks)

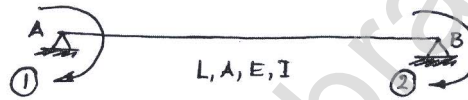


Fig. Q2 (a)

- b. Develop system flexibility for a continuous beam shown in Fig. Q2 (b). Treat M_A and M_B as redundant. (10 Marks)



Fig. Q2 (b)

- 3 Analyse the frame shown in Fig. Q3 by flexibility matrix method. Draw BMD. Use element approach. (20 Marks)

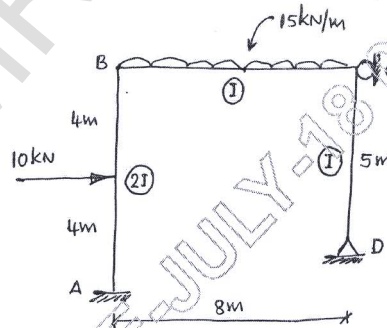


Fig. Q3

- 4 a. Determine the member forces in a joint loaded as shown in Fig. Q4, by force transformation (20 Marks)
 b. matrix method. AE is constant. Use element approach.

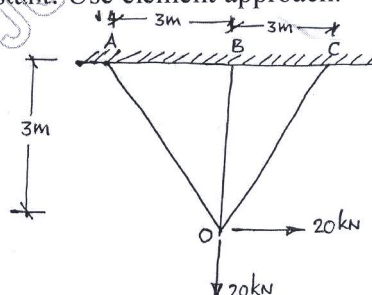


Fig. Q4

PART - B

- 5 Analyse the continuous beam loaded shown in Fig. Q5 by stiffness matrix method. Draw BMD and SFD. Use displacement transformation matrix method. (20 Marks)

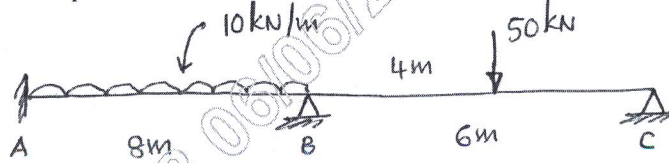


Fig. Q5

- 6 Analyse the frame shown in Fig. Q6 by displacement transformation matrix method. Draw BMD. (20 Marks)

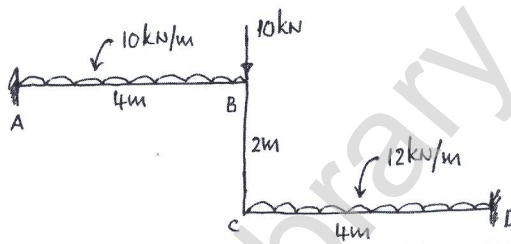


Fig. Q6

- 7 Find the forces in the members of a joint loaded as shown in Fig. Q7, using stiffness matrix method. Axial rigidity of all the members are same. Use element approach. (20 Marks)

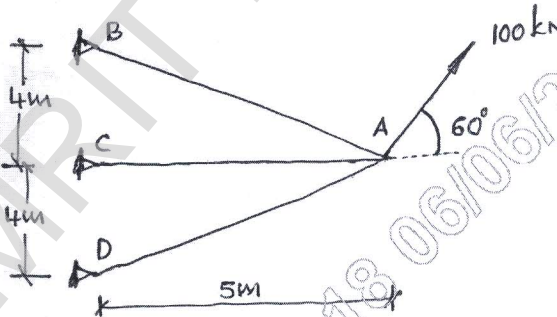


Fig. Q7

- 8 Analyse the continuous beam shown in Fig. Q 8 by Direct stiffness matrix method. Draw BMD. (20 Marks)

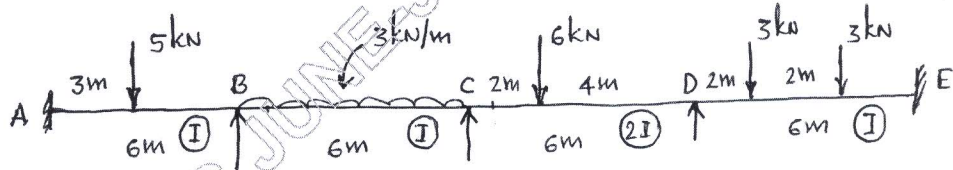


Fig. Q8
