

4 Influence Line Diagram.

4.1. Need of ILD:

ILD is used for analysis of a structure if load changes its position over the structure.

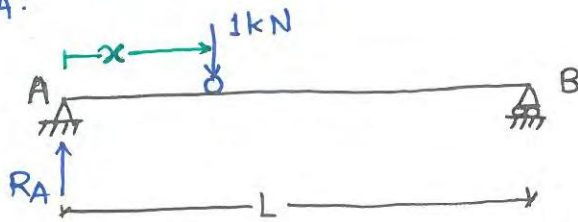
4.2 What is ILD?

It is a graphical representation of variation of reaction, shear force, bending moment, axial force, deflection etc. due to different positions of moving unit point load over span.

4.3 Derivation of ILD:

Considering a simply supported beam of span L .

For R_A :



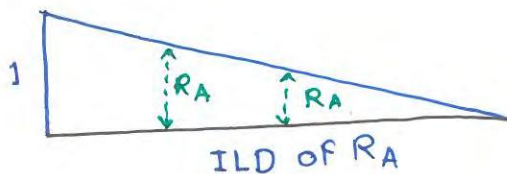
$$\sum M_B = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow R_A \times L - 1(L-x) = 0$$

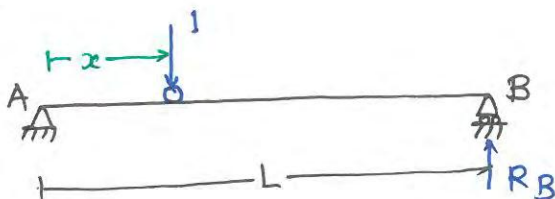
$$\Rightarrow R_A = 1 - \frac{x}{L}$$

$$\text{at } x=0, R_A = 1$$

$$x=L, R_A = 0$$



For R_B :



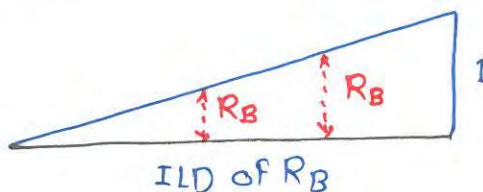
$$\sum M_A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -R_B \times L + 1 \times x = 0$$

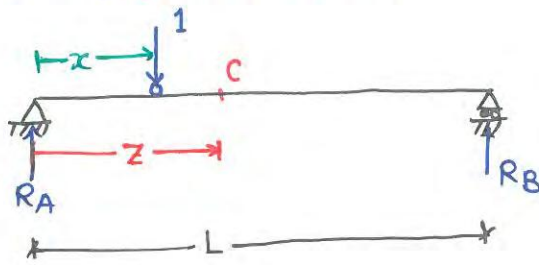
$$R_B = \frac{x}{L}$$

$$\text{at } x=0, R_B = 0$$

$$x=L, R_B = 1$$



• For SF_c :- case I: $0 \leq x < z$



$$SF_c = R_A - 1$$

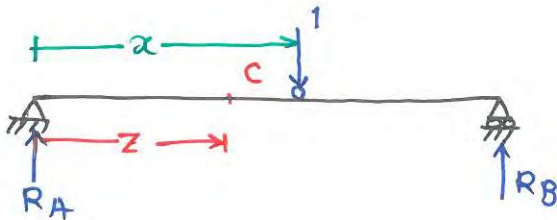
$$= \frac{L-x}{L} - 1$$

$$= -\frac{x}{L}$$

$$\text{at } x=0, SF_c = 0$$

$$x=z, SF_c = -\frac{z}{L}$$

Case II: $z < x \leq L$

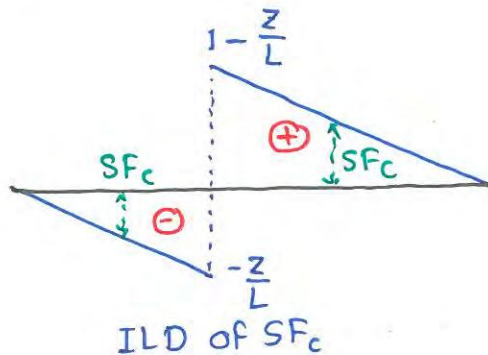


$$SF_c = R_A$$

$$= \frac{L-x}{L}$$

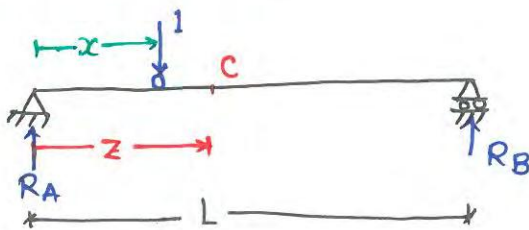
$$\text{at } x=L, SF_c = 1 - \frac{z}{L}$$

$$x=z, SF_c = 0$$



• For BM_c :-

Case I: $0 \leq x \leq z$



$$BM_c = R_A \times z - 1(z-x)$$

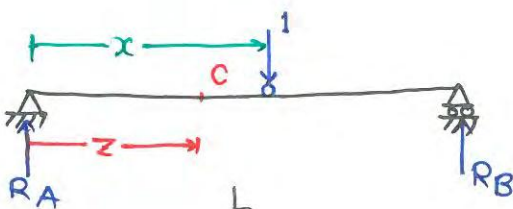
$$= \left(\frac{L-x}{L}\right) \times z - (z-x)$$

$$= \frac{x(L-z)}{L}$$

$$\text{at } x=0, BM_c = 0$$

$$x=z, BM_c = \frac{z(L-z)}{L} = \frac{ab}{L}$$

Case II: $z \leq x \leq L$

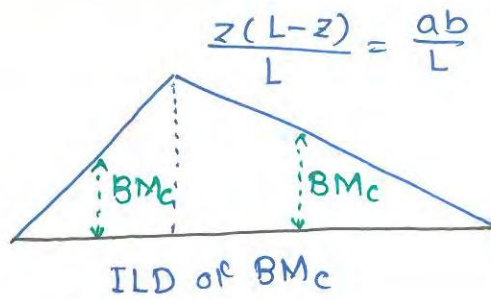


$$BM_c = R_A \times z$$

$$= \left(\frac{L-x}{L}\right) z$$

$$\text{at } x=z, BM_c = \frac{(L-z)z}{L}$$

$$x=L, BM_c = 0$$



• Note:

Difference between SFD and ILD of SF at C.

• SFD:-

It is the variation of shear force along a span due to particular position of load.

• ILD of SF:-

It is the variation of shear force at particular section due to different position of load along span.

4.4 Muller Breslau's Principle:

It states that ILD of any stress function (Reaction, SF, BM) is the deflected shape of a structure after removing a stress function from the structure and applying unit displacement (deflection or rotation) in the positive direction of stress function.

• Note:

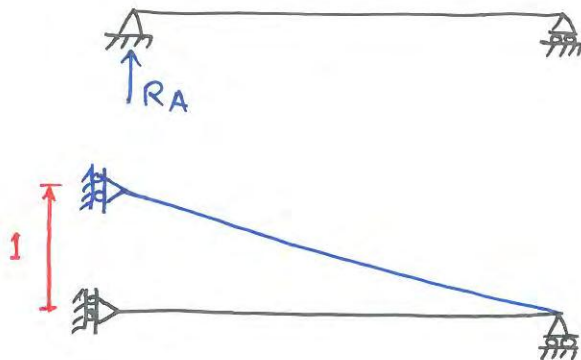
• It is valid for all types of statically determinate and linearly elastic indeterminate structure (truss, arch, frame, cable structure etc)

• It is **not valid for moving unit point moment.**

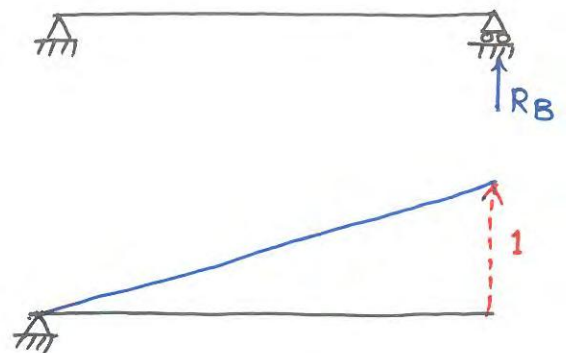
• Proof of this principle is by virtual work method.

• ILD of deflection is not plotted by Muller Breslau's principle.

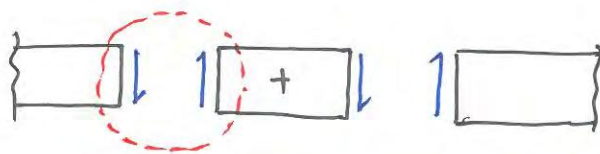
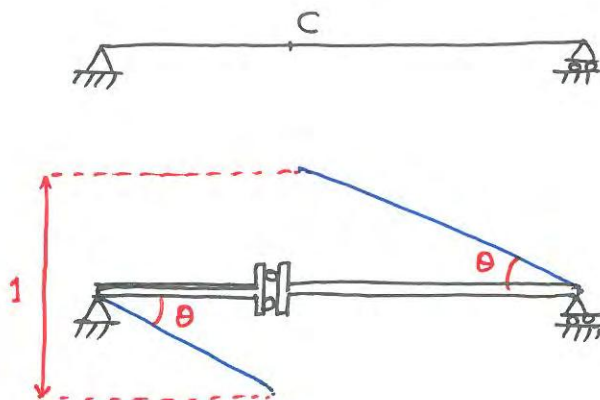
For R_A :



For R_B :

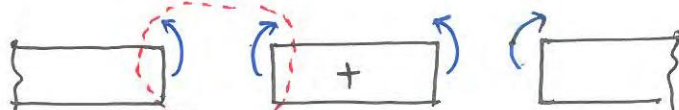
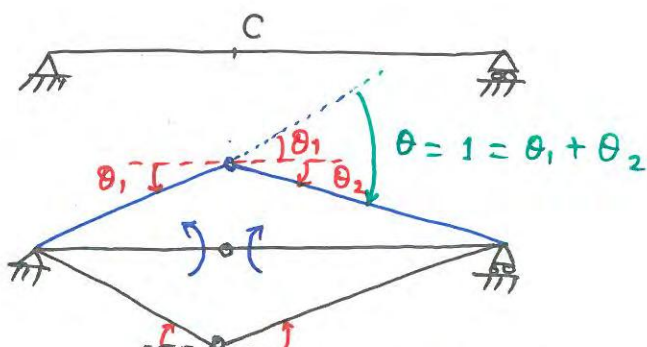


For SF_C :



Both segments must be parallel becoz there is no bending release.

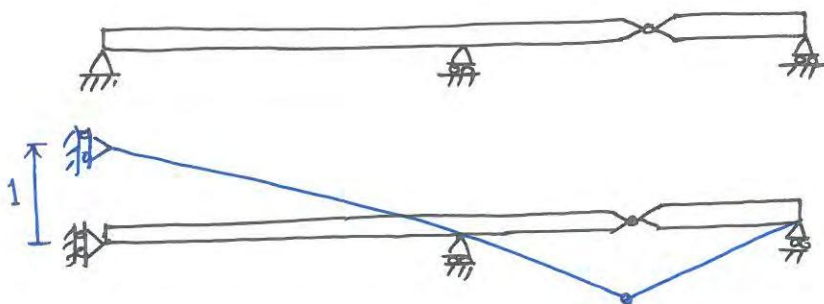
For BM_C :



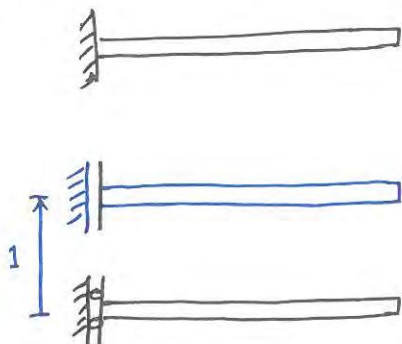
• Note:-

- ILD of statically determinate structure is always linear.
- ILD of deflection of statically determinate structure is non-linear because Muller-Breslau's principle is not used for deflection.
- ILD of statically indeterminate structure is non-linear or combination of linear and non-linear.

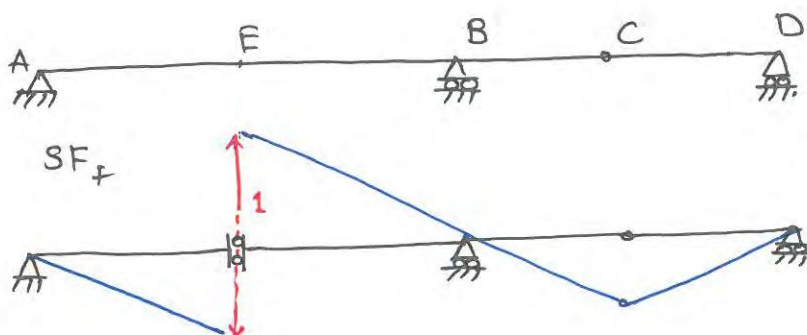
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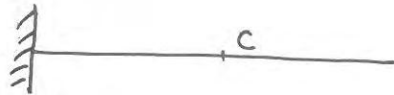
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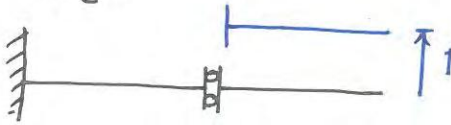
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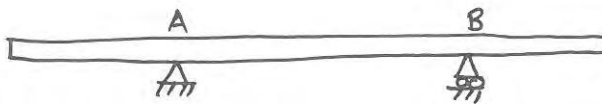
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SF_C:-

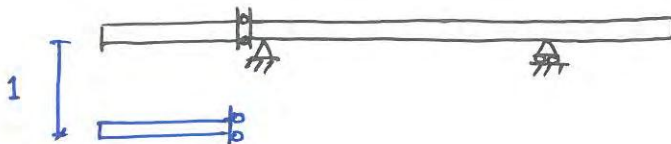


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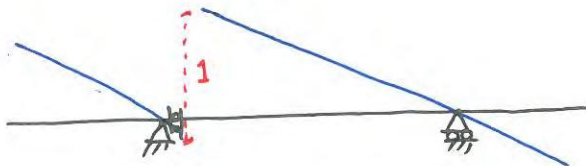


SF just Left and right to A

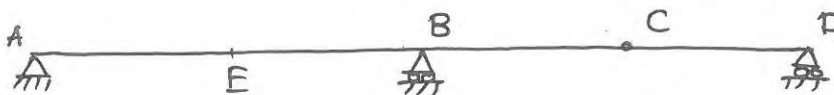
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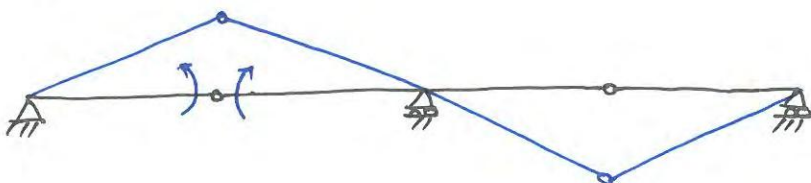
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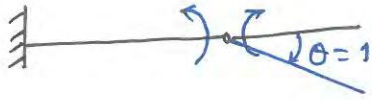
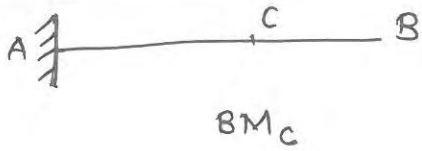
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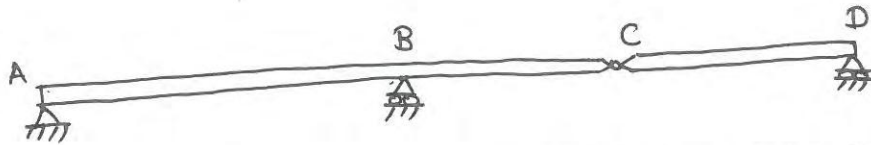
BME:



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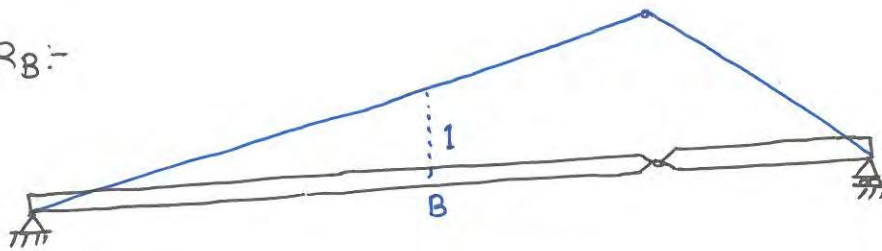


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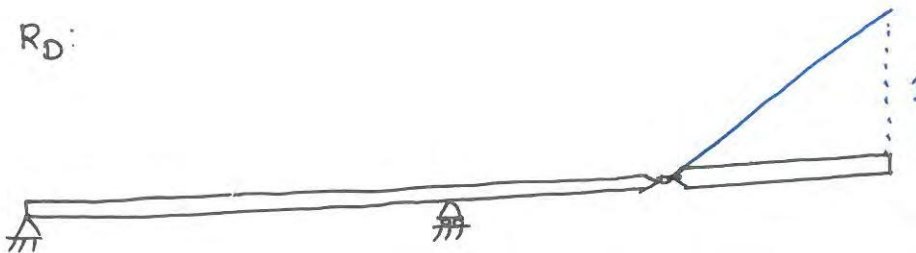


R_B , R_D , SF_C , SF just Left and right to B, BM_B .

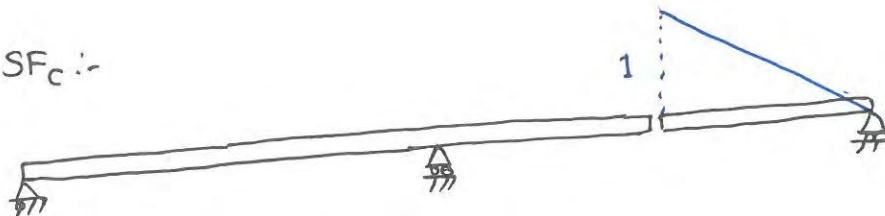
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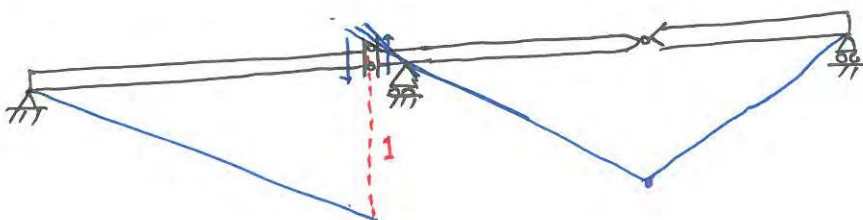
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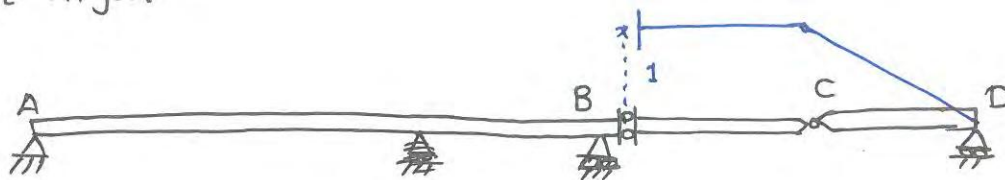
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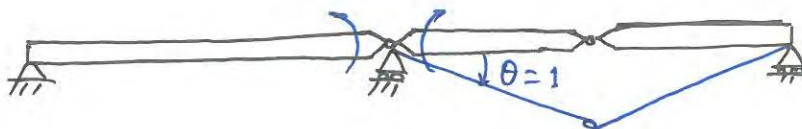
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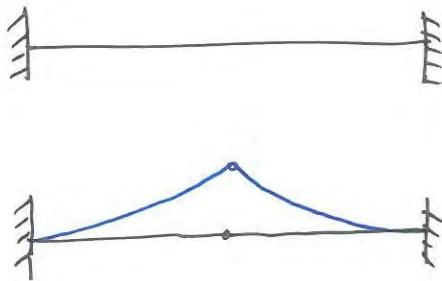
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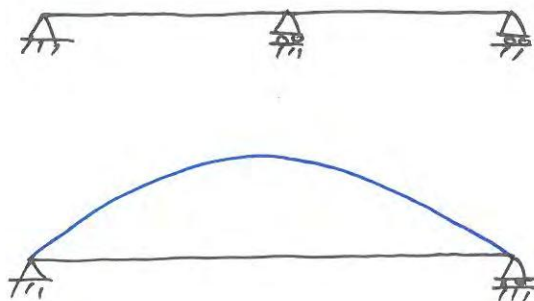
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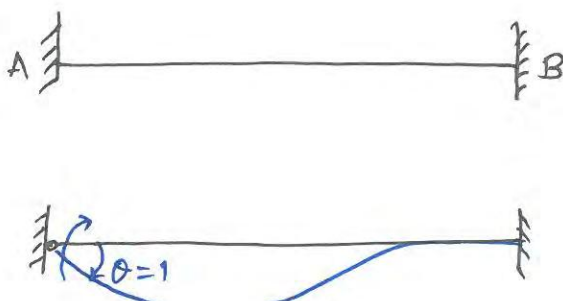
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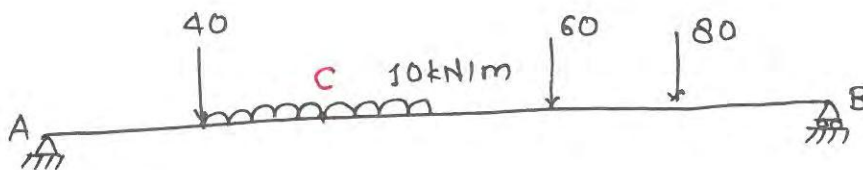


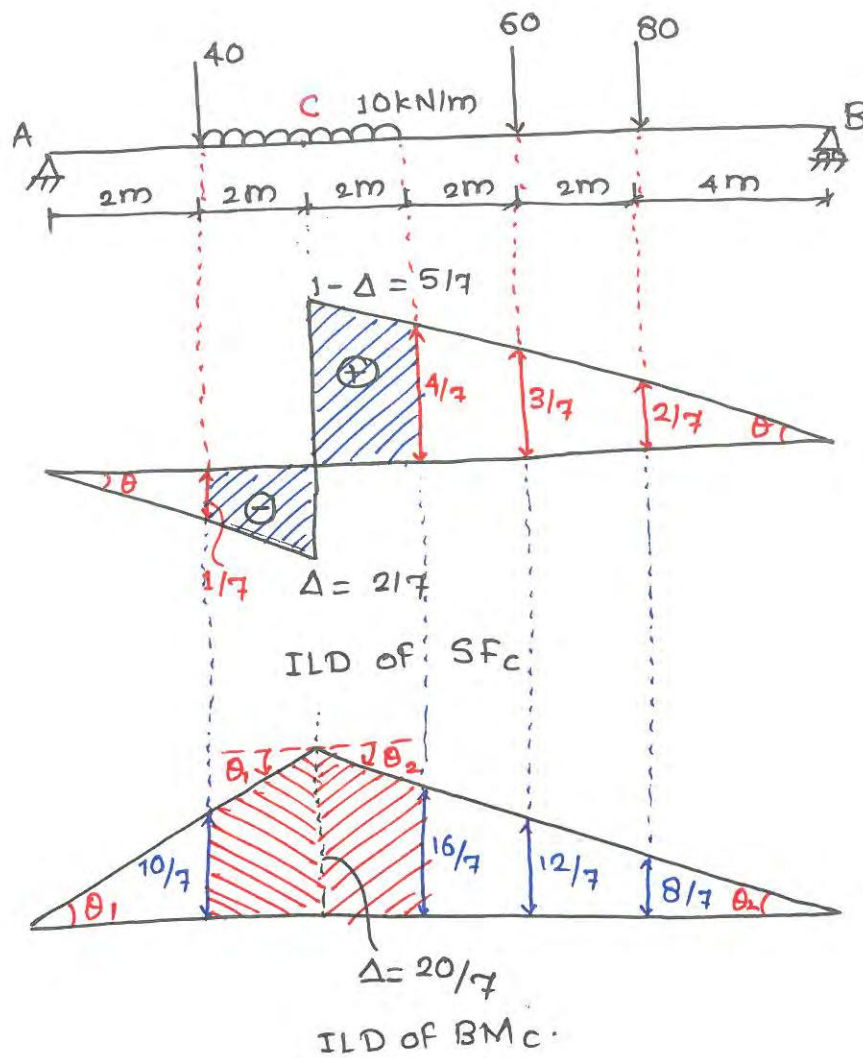
Ex 3



The diagram shows a horizontal beam of length L supported by a pin at A and a roller at B . A triangular load is applied downwards, with its peak at the center. A unit load W is applied downwards at a distance x from the right support B . The height of the beam at the position of the unit load is y . The diagram is labeled "ILD OF BM_C ".

Ex. Calculate SF and BM at C.





From ILD of SF_c :-

$$\theta = \theta$$

$$\frac{\Delta}{4} = \frac{1 - \Delta}{10}$$

$$\Delta = 2/7$$

$$SF_c = 40 \left(-\frac{1}{7} \right) + 60 \left(\frac{3}{7} \right) + 80 \left(\frac{2}{7} \right) + 10 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \left(-\frac{1}{7} - \frac{2}{7} \right) + 10 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \left(\frac{5}{7} + \frac{4}{7} \right)$$

$$SF_c = 51.42 \text{ kN}$$

From ILD of BMC :-

$$\Rightarrow \theta_1 + \theta_2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta}{4} + \frac{\Delta}{10} = 1$$

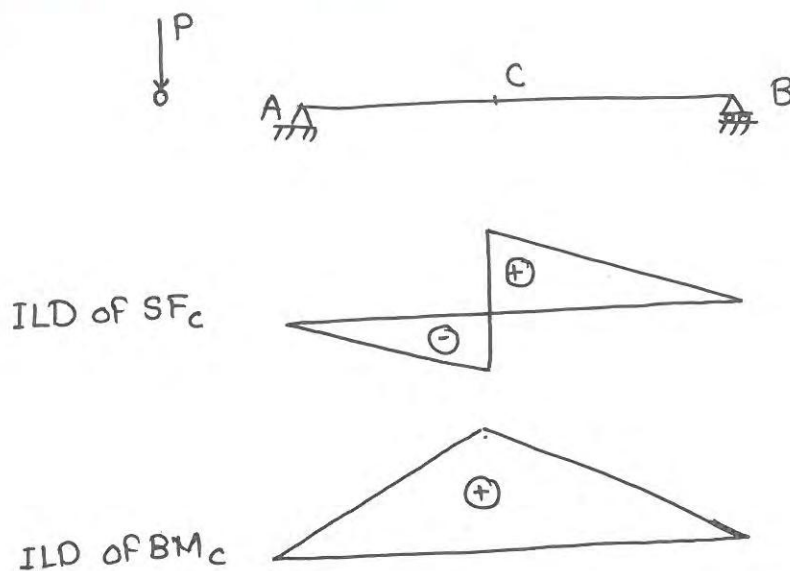
$$\Rightarrow \Delta = \frac{20}{7}$$

$$BM_c = 40\left(\frac{10}{7}\right) + 60\left(\frac{12}{7}\right) + 80\left(\frac{8}{7}\right) + 10 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \left(\frac{10}{7} + \frac{20}{7}\right) + 10 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \left(\frac{20}{7} + \frac{16}{7}\right)$$

$$BM_c = 345.7 \text{ kNm}$$

4.6 Effect of Moving Load:

4.6.1 Single point load:

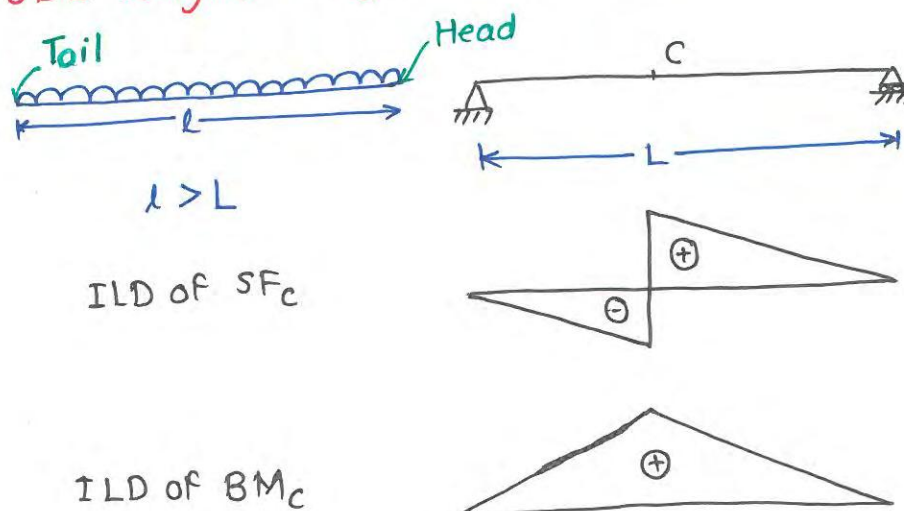


Max^m +ve SF_c = Load is placed just right to C.

Max^m -ve SF_c = Load is placed just left to C.

Max^m sagging BM_c = Load is placed at C.

4.6.2 UDL length longer than span:

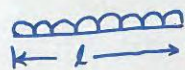


Max^m +ve $SF_c = \underline{\text{Tail}}$ is placed just right to C.

Max^m -ve $SF_c = \underline{\text{Head}}$ is placed just Left to C.

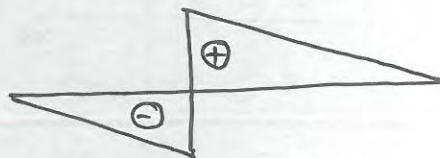
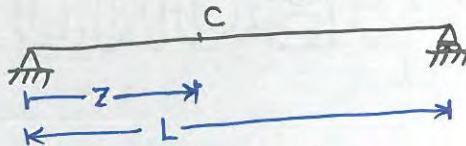
Max^m sagging $BM_c = \text{Load is placed } \underline{\text{over entire span.}}$

4.6.3 UDL length shorter than span:

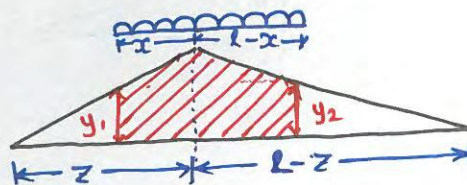


$$l < L$$

ILD of SF_c



ILD of BM_c



$$y_1 = y_2$$

Max^m +ve $SF_c = \text{Tail}$ is placed just right to C.

Max^m -ve $SF_c = \text{Head}$ is placed just left to C.

Max^m sagging $BM_c = \text{Load is placed in such a way that section should divide load length and span in equal ratio.}$

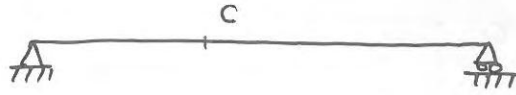
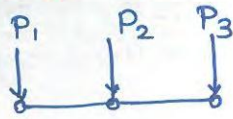
$$\frac{x}{l-x} = \frac{z}{L-z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{z} = \frac{l-x}{L-z}$$

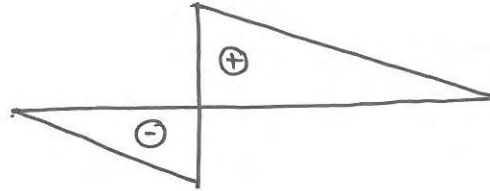
$$\Rightarrow \frac{\omega x}{z} = \frac{\omega(l-x)}{L-z}$$

$\Rightarrow$ Avg. Load on Left side of the section = Avg. Load on Right side of the section.

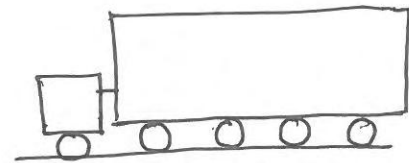
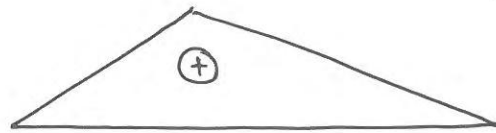
4.6.4 Series of Point Load:



ILD of SF_c



ILD of BM_c

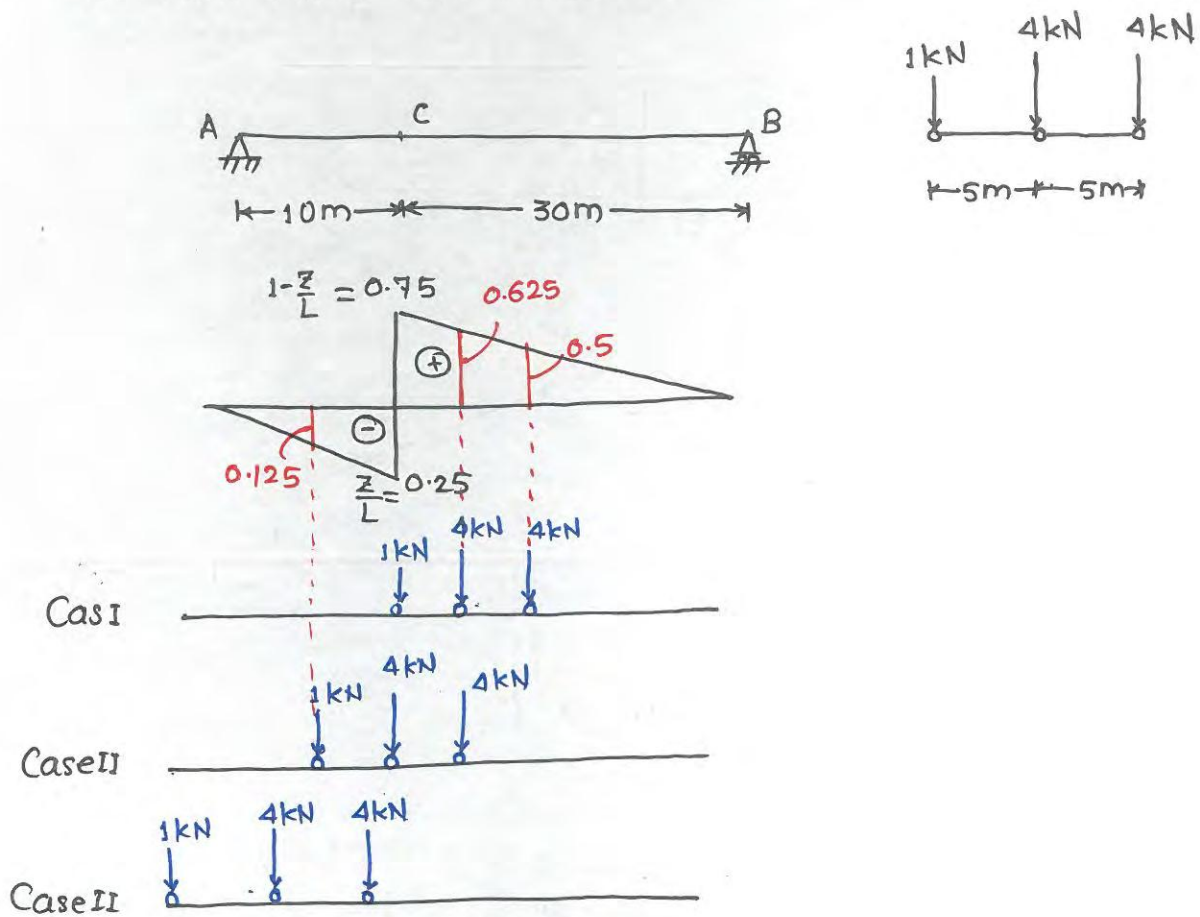


Max^m +ve SF_c = By Trials

Max^m -ve SF_c = By Trials

Max^m sagging BM_c = It can be achieved by placing equal avg. load on either side of section but this cannot be done in the case of series of point load so trials are performed corresponding to approx equal avg. load on either side of section. In all trials, at least one point load must be placed exactly at section

Ex. A simply supported beam is subjected to series of point load moving from right to left as shown in fig. Calculate maximum +ve SF and maximum sagging BM at 10m from left support.



• Case I: 1 kN is just right to C.

$$SF_c = 1 \times (0.75) + 4 \times (0.625) + 4 \times (0.5) = 5.25 \text{ kN}$$

• Case II: Middle 4kN is just right to C.

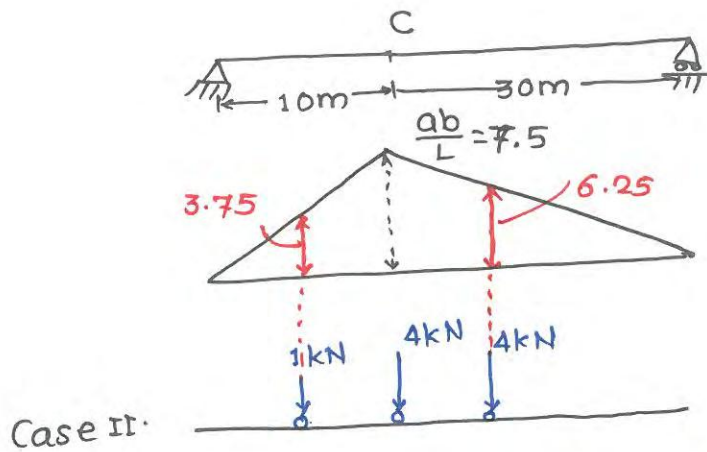
$$SF_c = 1 \times (-0.125) + 4 \times (0.75) + 4 \times (0.625) = 5.375 \text{ kN}$$

• Case III: Rear 4 kN is just right to C.

$$SF_c = 1 \times (0) + 4 \times (-0.125) + 4 \times (0.75) = 2.5 \text{ kN}$$

so maximum +ve SF_c is 5.375 kN corresponding to case II.

By visual inspection, we can say that case II will give maximum sagging BM.

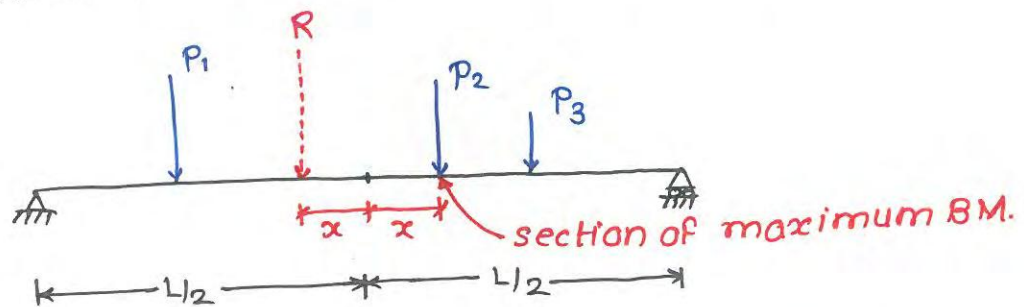


Case II: Middle 4 kN is just right to C.

$$BM_c = 1(3.75) + 4(7.5) + 4(6.25) = 58.75 \text{ kN}$$

4.7 Absolute Maximum Bending Moment:

If series of point load is moving over simply supported beam then absolute maximum BM is achieved by placing load in such a way that resultant of all point loads and one adjacent load should be at equidistance from centre of span and maximum BM is obtained just below to adjacent load considered.

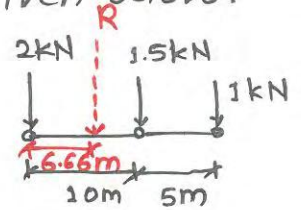
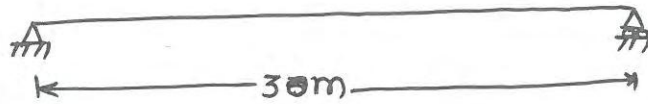


Case I: If resultant coincides with any point load then resultant is placed at centre of span and absolute maximum BM is at centre of span.

Case II: If resultant is closer to heavier adjacent load then, only heavier load is considered as adjacent load.

Case III: If resultant is closer to lighter load then calculation is done corresponding to both adjacent loads.

Ex. Determine absolute maximum BM for beam given below.

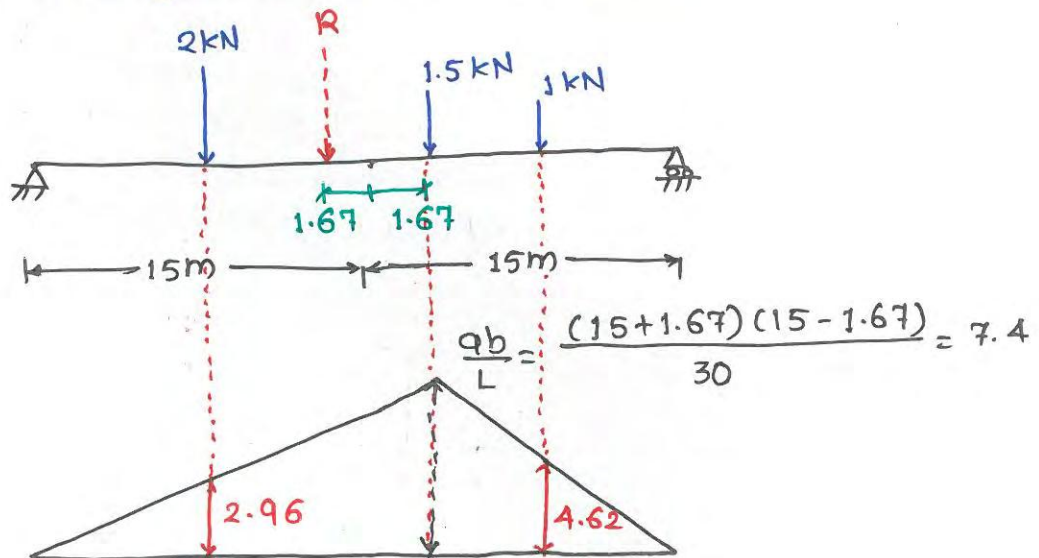


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$$R = 2 + 1.5 + 1 = 4.5 \text{ kN}$$

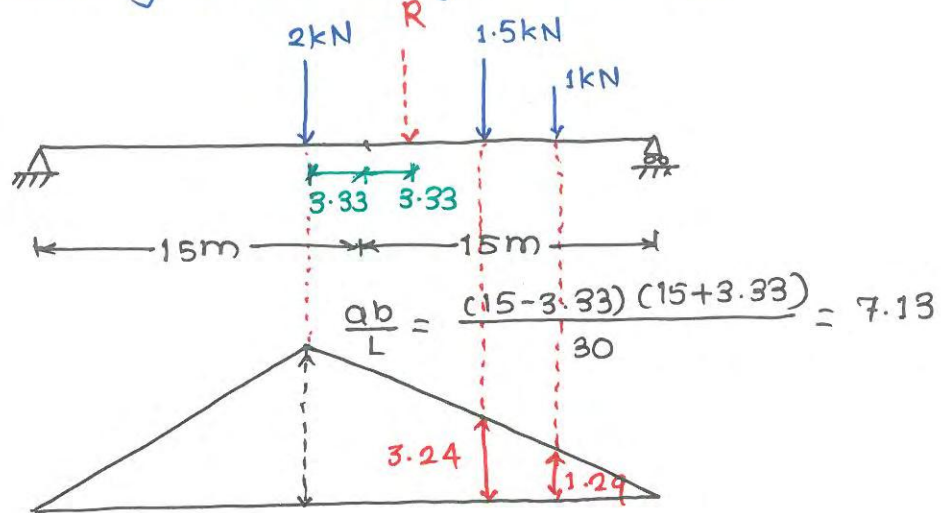
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Position of R from } 2 \text{ kN} &= \frac{P_1 x_1 + P_2 x_2 + P_3 x_3}{P_1 + P_2 + P_3} \\ &= \frac{2(0) + 1.5 \times (10) + 1 \times 15}{4.5} \\ &= 6.66 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

Case I: Considering 1.5kN as adjacent load.



$$\begin{aligned} \text{BM}_{\text{max}} &= 2(2.96) + 1.5(7.4) + 1(4.62) \\ &= 21.64 \text{ kNm.} \end{aligned}$$

Case II: Considering 2 kN as adjacent load.

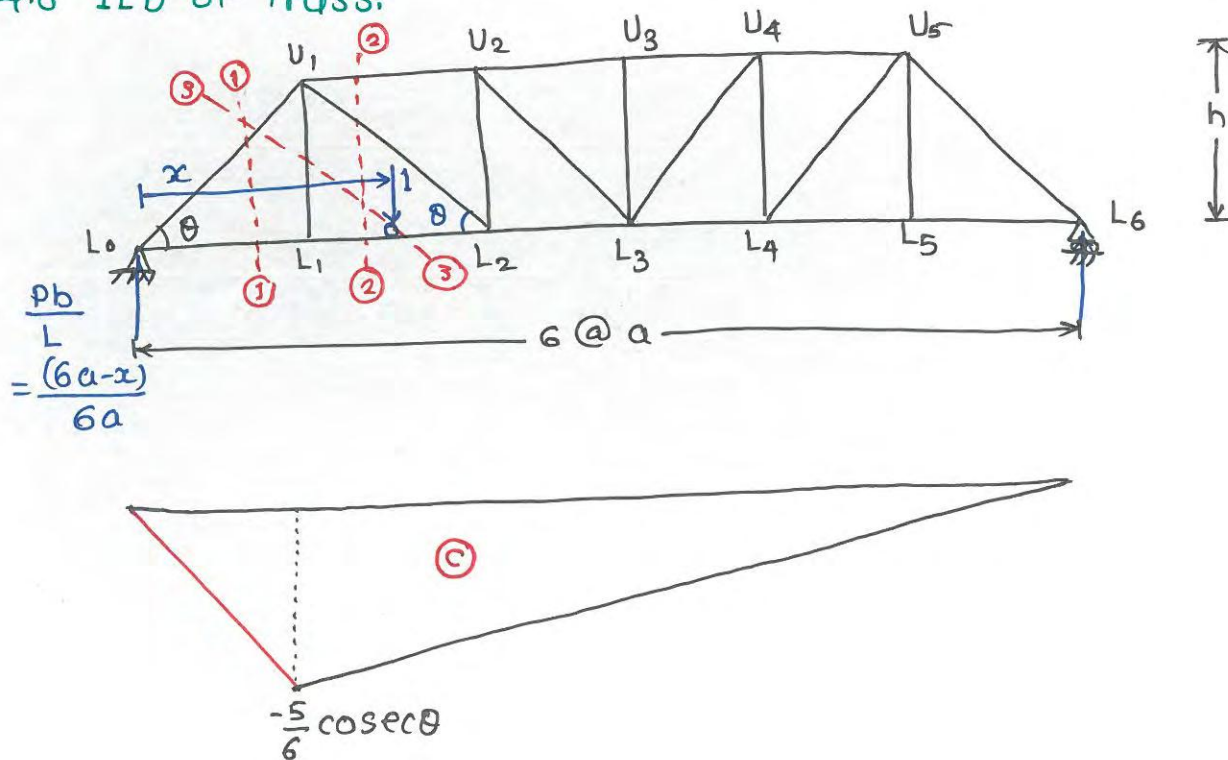


$$BM_{max} = 2(7.1) + 1.5(3.24) + 1(1.29)$$

$$= 20.41 \text{ kNm}$$

so, absolute maximum BM is 21.64 kNm.

4.8 ILD of Truss:



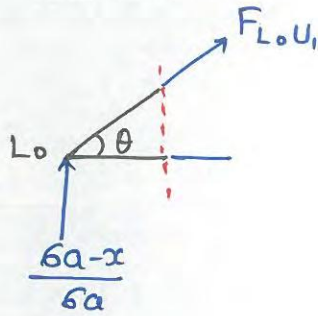
For $L_0 U_1$:-

considering section ① ①:-

Case 1:- $x = 0$

$$F_{L_0 U_1} = 0$$

Case II: $a \leq x \leq 6a$



$$\sum F_y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{6a-x}{6a} + F_{L,U_1} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$F_{L,U_1} = -\left(\frac{6a-x}{6a}\right) \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

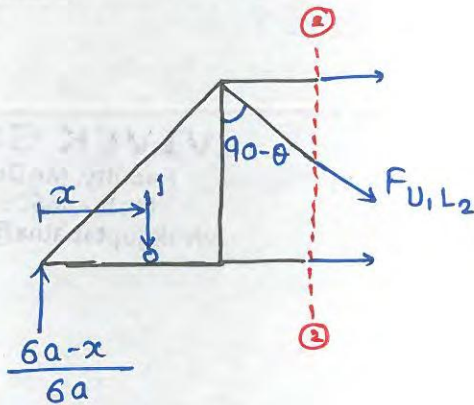
$$\text{At } x=a, F_{L,U_1} = -\frac{5}{6} \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

$$x=6a, F_{L,U_1} = 0.$$

For U_1, L_2 :

considering section ②-②

Case I: $0 \leq x \leq a$



$$\sum F_y = 0$$

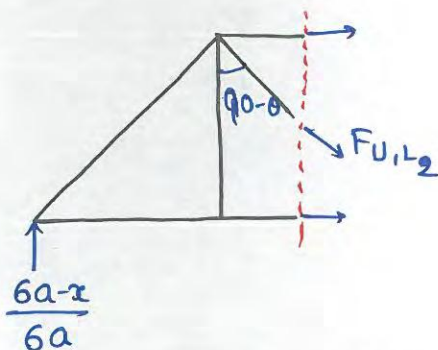
$$\Rightarrow \frac{6a-x}{6a} - 1 - F_{U,L_2} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{U,L_2} = -\frac{x}{6a} \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

$$\text{At } x=0, F_{U,L_2} = 0$$

$$x=a, F_{U,L_2} = -\frac{1}{6} \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

Case II: $2a \leq x \leq 6a$



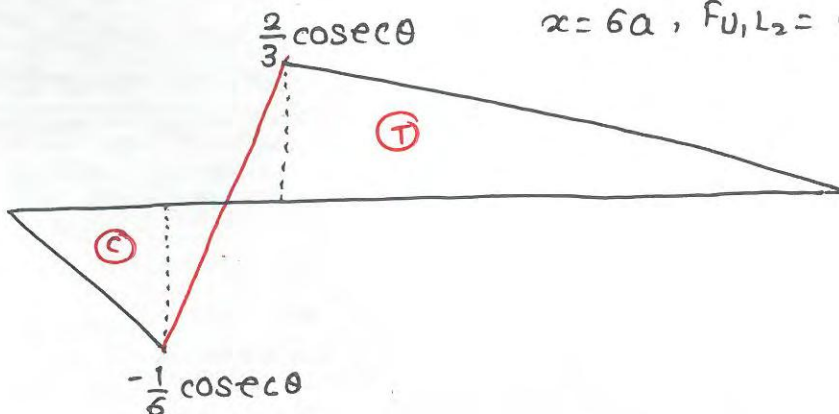
$$\sum F_y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{6a-x}{6a} - F_{U,L_2} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$F_{U,L_2} = +\frac{(6a-x)}{6a} \operatorname{cosec} \theta.$$

$$\text{At } x=2a, F_{U,L_2} = \frac{2}{3} \operatorname{cosec} \theta$$

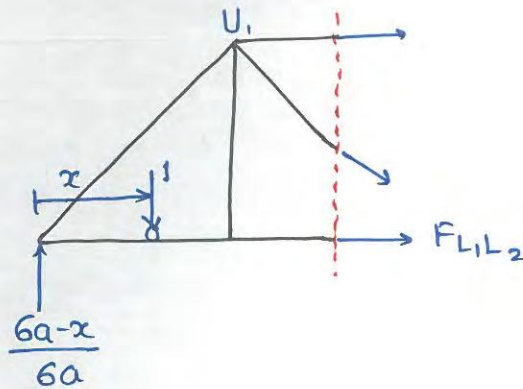
$$x=6a, F_{U,L_2} = 0$$



For $L_1 L_2$:

considering section ②-②

Case I: $0 \leq x \leq a$



$$\sum M_{U_1} = 0$$

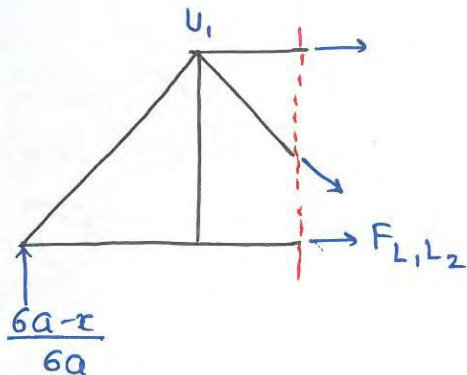
$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{6a-x}{6a} \right) \cdot a - 1(x-a) - F_{L_1 L_2} \cdot h = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{L_1 L_2} = \frac{5x}{6h}$$

$$\text{At } x=0, F_{L_1 L_2} = 0$$

$$x=a, F_{L_1 L_2} = \frac{5a}{6h}$$

Case II: $2a \leq x \leq 6a$



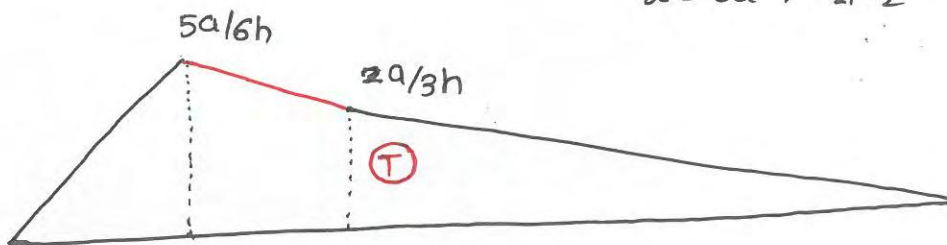
$$\sum M_{U_1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{6a-x}{6a} \right) \cdot a - F_{L_1 L_2} \cdot h = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{L_1 L_2} = \frac{6a-x}{6h}$$

$$\text{At } x=2a, F_{L_1 L_2} = \frac{2a}{3h}$$

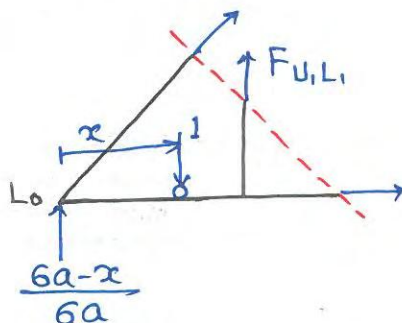
$$x=6a, F_{L_1 L_2} = 0$$



For $U_1 L_1$:

Considering section ③-③

Case I: $0 \leq x \leq a$



$$\sum M_{L_0} = 0$$

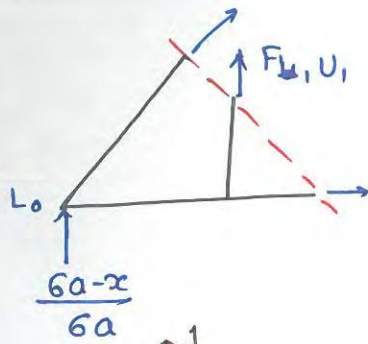
$$\Rightarrow 1 \times x - F_{U_1 L_1} \cdot a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{U_1 L_1} = \frac{x}{a}$$

$$\text{At } x=0, F_{U_1 L_1} = 0$$

$$x=a, F_{U_1 L_1} = 1$$

Case II: $2a \leq x \leq 6a$



$$\sum M_{L_0} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -F_{L,U_1} \times a = 0$$

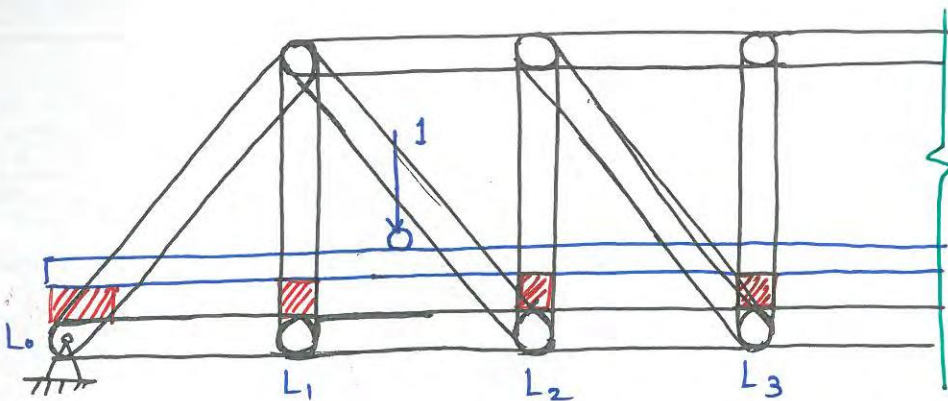
$$F_{L,U_1} = 0$$

$$\text{at } x = 2a, F_{L,U_1} = 0$$

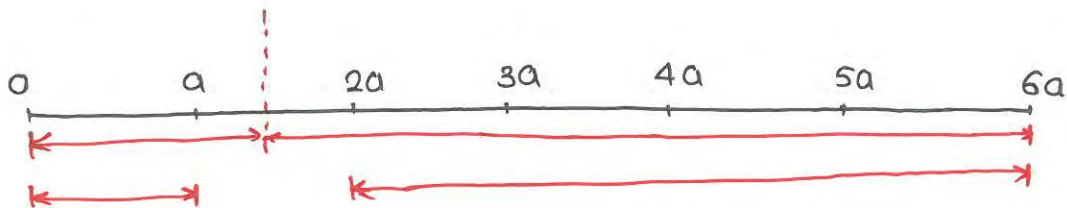
$$x = 6a, F_{L,U_1} = 0$$



* Note:



If Load is between L_0 to L_2 then some part of load is transferred at L_1 which will be balanced by member L_1, U_1 so there is ILD of L_1, U_1 .



Since position of section itself varies within any panel so it is better to not move load in that panel