

**Mid-Term Exam**

- The Exam consists of **2** questions in **1** page.

**Question (1): (14 Marks)**

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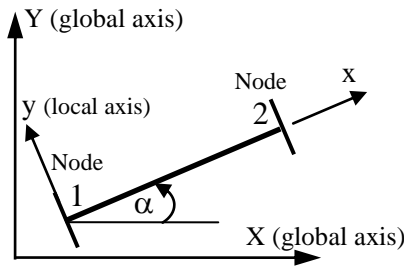
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(b) draw the bending moment diagram.

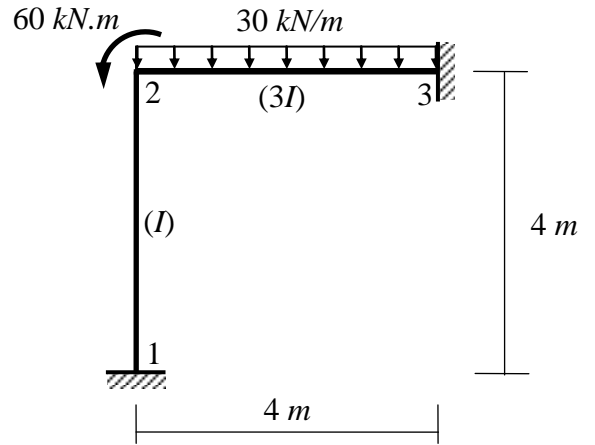
The relative moments of inertia are given between brackets.

$EA$  is constant.

**Given Data:**



**Frame element**



$$[K_e] = \begin{bmatrix} \left( \frac{EA}{L} \lambda^2 + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu^2 \right) & \left( \frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu & \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \lambda^2 - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu^2 \right) & \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu \\ \left( \frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & \left( \frac{EA}{L} \mu^2 + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \lambda^2 \right) & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda & \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \mu^2 - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \lambda^2 \right) & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda \\ -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda & \frac{4EI}{L} & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda & \frac{2EI}{L} \\ \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \lambda^2 - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu^2 \right) & \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu & \left( \frac{EA}{L} \lambda^2 + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu^2 \right) & \left( \frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu \\ \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & \left( -\frac{EA}{L} \mu^2 - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \lambda^2 \right) & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda & \left( \frac{EA}{L} \mu\lambda - \frac{12EI}{L^3} \mu\lambda \right) & \left( \frac{EA}{L} \mu^2 + \frac{12EI}{L^3} \lambda^2 \right) & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda \\ -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda & \frac{2EI}{L} & \frac{6EI}{L^2} \mu & -\frac{6EI}{L^2} \lambda & \frac{4EI}{L} \end{bmatrix}$$

where,  $\lambda = \cos \alpha$  and  $\mu = \sin \alpha$

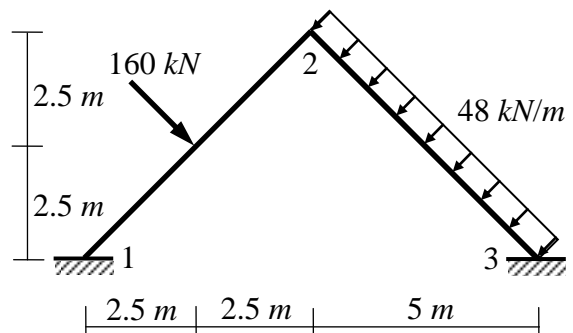
**Question (2): (6 Marks)**

The matrix equilibrium equation of the shown frame is:

$$\{F\} = [K] \{\Delta\} + \{F^f\}$$

Write

- the nodal forces vector  $\{F\}$
- the nodal displacements vector  $\{\Delta\}$
- the fixed end solution  $\{F^f\}$



With my best wishes

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#### Element (1): (nodes 1 & 2)

$$\alpha = 90 \quad \lambda = \cos \alpha = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \mu = \sin \alpha = 1$$

$$EA/L = EA/4$$

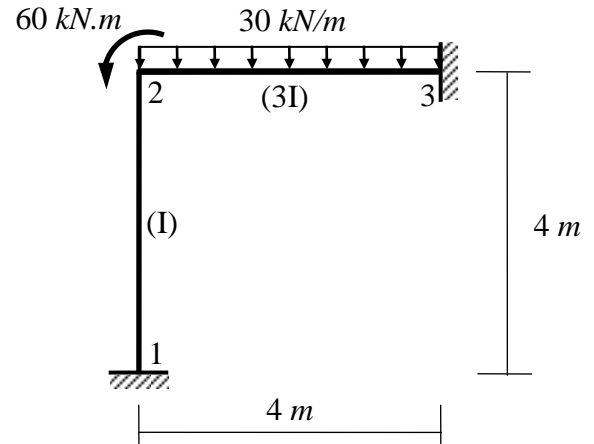
$$12EI/L^3 = 3EI/16$$

$$6EI/L^2 = 3EI/8$$

$$4EI/L = EI$$

$$2EI/L = EI/2$$

$$\begin{Bmatrix} F_{x1} \\ F_{y1} \\ M_1 \\ F_{x2} \\ F_{y2} \\ M_2 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} - & - & - & - & - & -3EI/8 \\ - & - & - & - & - & 0 \\ - & - & - & - & - & EI/2 \\ - & - & - & - & - & 3EI/8 \\ - & - & - & - & - & 0 \\ - & - & - & - & - & EI \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \theta_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$



#### Element (2): (nodes 2 & 3)

$$\alpha = 0 \quad \lambda = \cos \alpha = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \mu = \sin \alpha = 0$$

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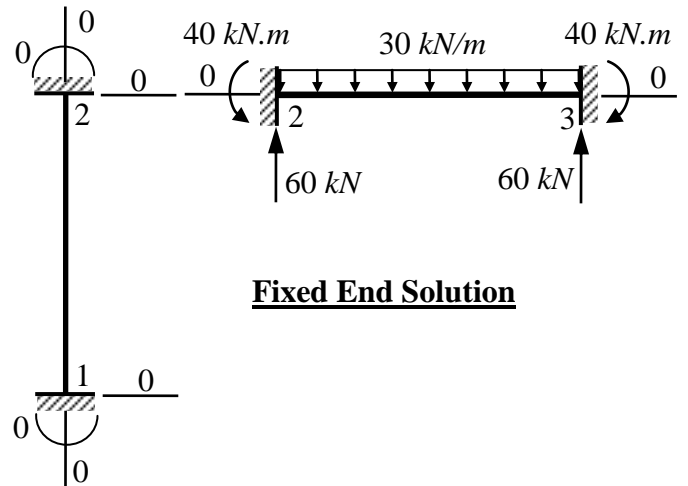
$$12EI/L^3 = 9EI/16$$

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$$\begin{Bmatrix} F_{x2} \\ F_{y2} \\ M_2 \\ F_{x3} \\ F_{y3} \\ M_3 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} - & - & 0 & - & - & - \\ - & - & 9EI/8 & - & - & - \\ - & - & 3EI & - & - & - \\ - & - & 0 & - & - & - \\ - & - & -9EI/8 & - & - & - \\ - & - & 3EI/2 & - & - & - \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \theta_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 60 \\ 40 \\ 0 \\ 60 \\ -40 \end{Bmatrix}$$



**Fixed End Solution**

#### Frame equation

$$\begin{Bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ M_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 60 \\ X_3 \\ Y_3 \\ M_3 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} - & - & - & - & -3EI/8 & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & 0 & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & EI/2 & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & (3EI/8+0) & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & (0+9EI/8) & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & (EI+3EI) & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & 0 & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & -9EI/8 & - & - & - \\ - & - & - & - & 3EI/2 & - & - & - \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \theta_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 60 \\ 40 \\ 0 \\ 60 \\ -40 \end{Bmatrix}$$

From Row No. 6  $\rightarrow 60 = (EI+3EI) (\theta_2) + 40 \rightarrow \theta_2 = 5/EI$

From Element 1

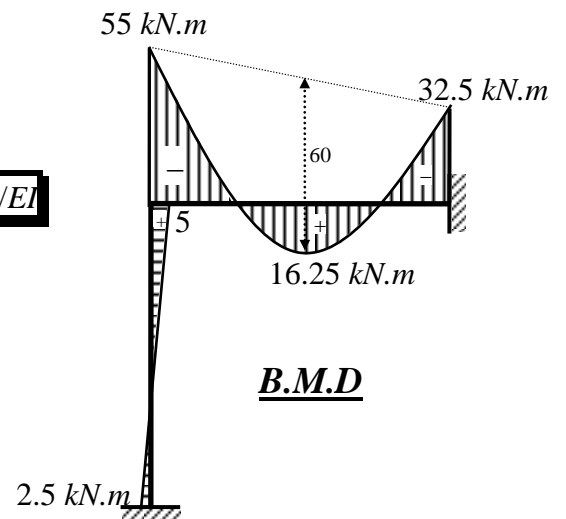
$$M_1 = EI/2 (5/EI) + 0 = +2.5 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$M_2 = EI (5/EI) + 0 = +5 \text{ kN.m}$$

From Element 2

$$M_2 = 3EI (5/EI) + 40 = +55 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$M_3 = 3EI/2 (5/EI) - 40 = -32.5 \text{ kN.m}$$



**B.M.D**

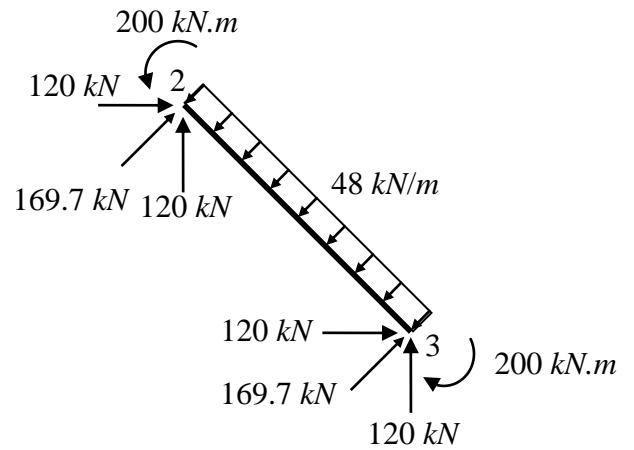
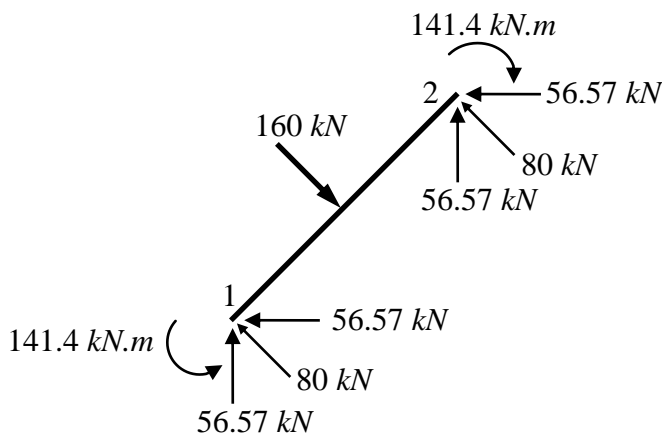
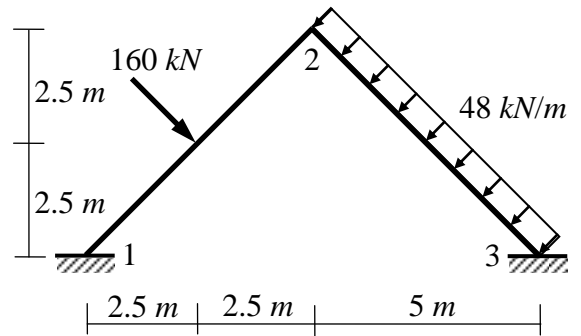
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$$\{F\} = \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{matrix} \begin{Bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \\ M_1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ X_3 \\ Y_3 \\ M_3 \end{Bmatrix} \quad \{\Delta\} = \begin{Bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ u_2 \\ v_2 \\ \theta_2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} \quad \{F^f\} = \begin{Bmatrix} -56.57 \\ 56.57 \\ 141.4 \\ 63.43 \\ 176.57 \\ 58.6 \\ 120 \\ 120 \\ -200 \end{Bmatrix}$$

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