

School of Engineering

**B.TECH Mechanical Engineering
Semester End Examination - Jun 2024**

**Duration : 180 Minutes
Max Marks : 100**

Sem VI - G3UB604C - FEM PBL Mode

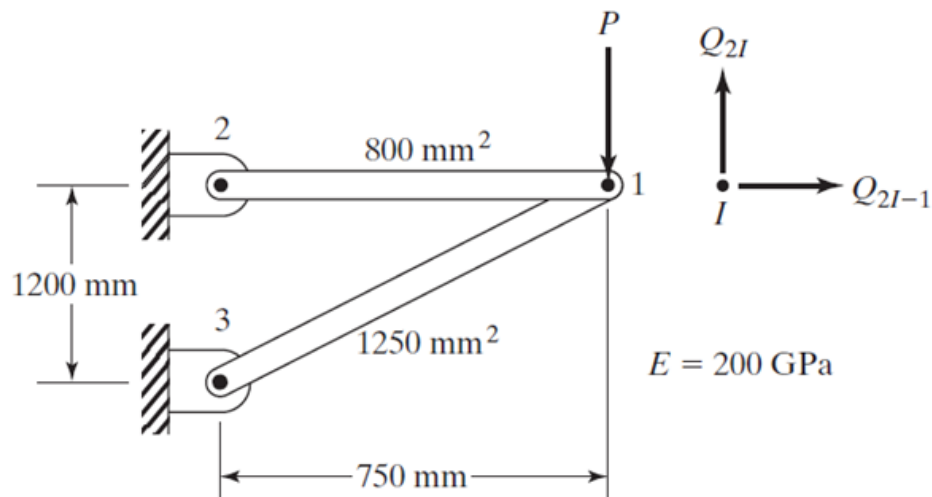
General Instructions

Answer to the specific question asked

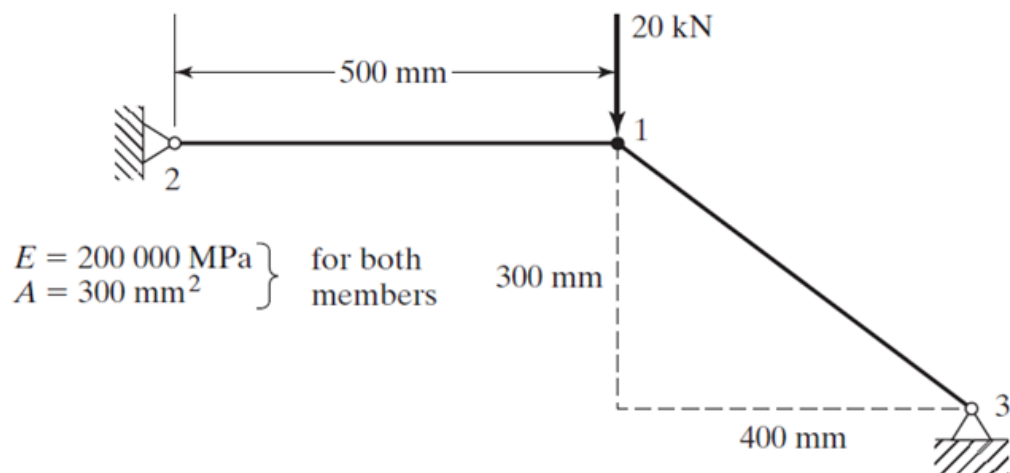
Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary

Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

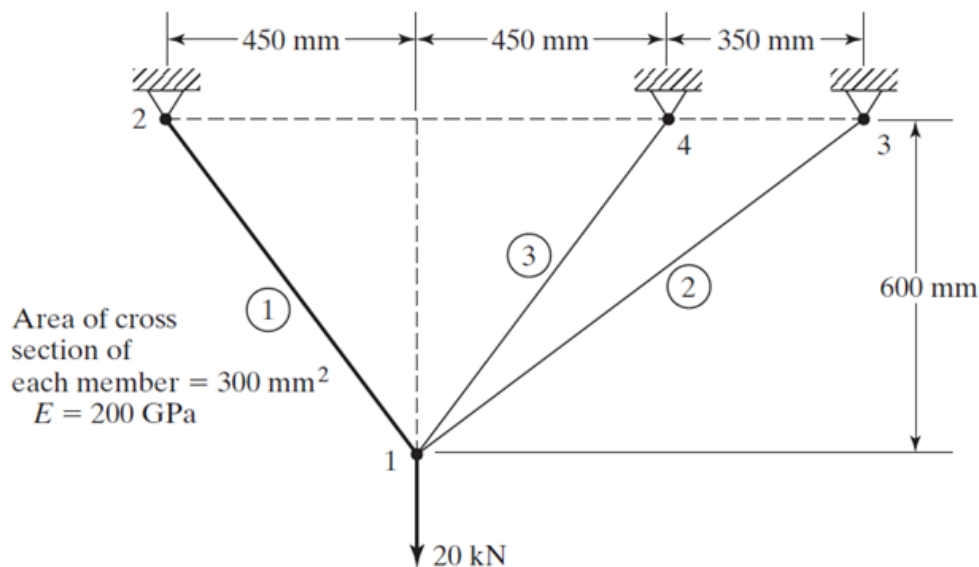
- 1) What is meant by plane stress and plane strain in elasticity? K1(2)
- 2) Explain the methods used to discretize the problem in Finite Element Method. K2(4)
- 3) Demonstrate the concept of discretization in detail, explaining how continuous problems are approximated into discrete systems within the framework of FEM. K2(6)
- 4) Identify the differences in the following terms: (i) Nodes, primary nodes, secondary nodes and internal nodes, (ii) Local coordinates, global coordinates, natural coordinates (iii) Higher order elements and lower order elements. K3(9)
- 5) A beam element is loaded by a moment at the mid-span. Construct the consistent nodal force vector. How would the result change if the moment were applied at one-third the span rather than at the centre. K3(9)
- 6) For the pin-jointed configuration shown in Fig. below, determine the stiffness values K_{11} , K_{12} , and K_{22} of the global stiffness matrix. K5(10)



- 7) Using Lagrange polynomial discover shape functions for (i) Two noded bar element (ii) Three noded bar element and (iii) Five noded bar element K4(12)
- 8) For the two-bar truss shown in Fig. below, determine the displacements of node 1 and the stress in elements 1–3. K5(15)



- 9) For the three-bar truss shown in Fig. below, determine the displacements of node 1 and the stress in element 3. K5(15)



- 10) Using Lagrange functions, develop shape function for hexahedron (brick) element. K6(18)