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Question 521, p. 47:

Question 521 should read as follows:

**521.** The W10 × 22 steel beam ( $F_y = 50$  ksi) shown in the figure is only braced at the center of span.

Work either the ASD or the LRFD version of the question, **considering the most conservative instance.**

**ASD**

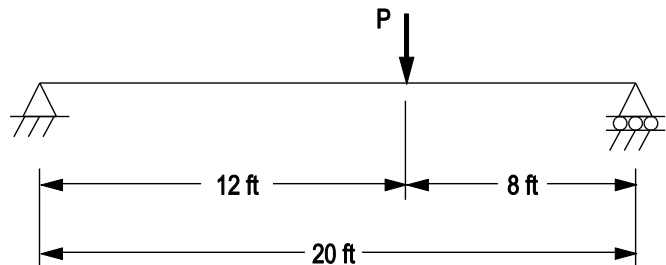
The allowable **flexural strength** (ft-kips) of the beam is most nearly:

- (A) 45
- (B) 51
- (C) 56
- (D) 65

**LRFD**

The **design** moment capacity  $\phi M_n$  (ft-kips) of the beam is most nearly:

- (A) 68
- (B) 76
- (C) 84
- (D) 97



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**Solution 521, p. 96:**

Solution 521 should read as follows:

**521.** The properties of a W10 × 22 are as follows:

AISC, 14th ed., Table 3-2.

$$\phi_b M_{px} = 97.5 \text{ ft-kips}$$

$$M_{px}/\Omega_b = 64.9 \text{ ft-kips}$$

$$\mathbf{BF/\Omega_b = 2.68 \text{ kips (ASD) or } \phi_b \mathbf{BF = 4.02 \text{ kips (LRFD)}}$$

$$L_p = 4.7 \text{ ft}$$

$$L_b = 10 \text{ ft}$$

$$\text{ASD: } M_{px}/\Omega_b - BF(L_b - L_p) = M_n/\Omega_b$$
$$64.9 - 2.68(10 - 4.7) = 50.7 \text{ ft-kips}$$

$$\text{LRFD: } \phi_b M_{px} - BF(L_b - L_p) = \phi_b M_n$$
$$97.5 - 4.02(10 - 4.7) = 76.2 \text{ ft-kips}$$

**THE CORRECT ANSWER IS: (B)**

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**Solution 533, p. 96:**

Line 4 should read as follows:

$$\text{Allowable load} = 2(13)(0.79) = 21.2 \text{ kips}$$

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Question 509, p. 38:

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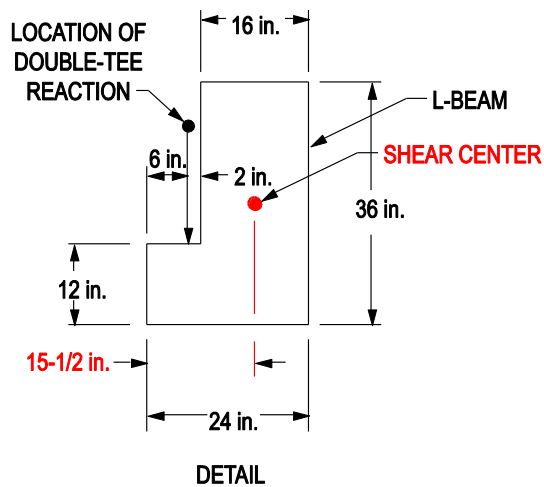
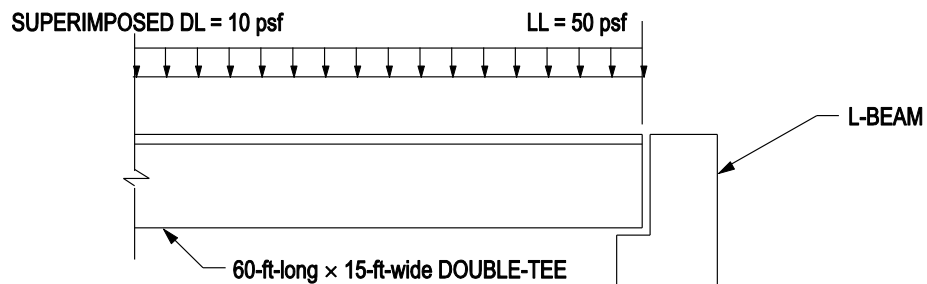
A double-tee supported by an L-beam is loaded as shown in the figure.

Design Code:

ACI 318: *Building Code Requirements for Structural Concrete*, 2011.

The magnitude of the ultimate torsion (ft-kips) induced into the L-beam, by superimposed dead and live load applied on the double-tee, is most nearly:

- (A) 18.7
- (B) 21.4
- (C) 28.6
- (D) 32.8



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**Solution 509, p. 87:**

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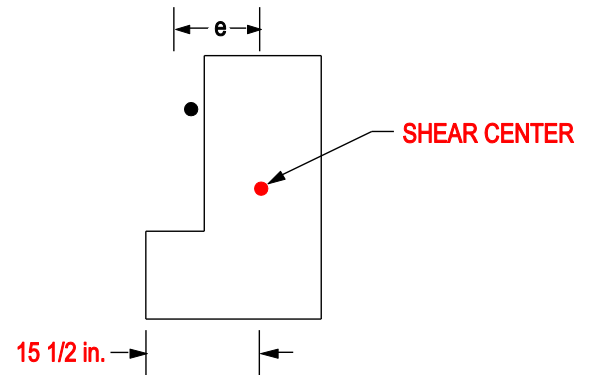
$$15.5 \text{ in.} - 6 \text{ in.} = 9.5 \text{ in.}$$

$$W_{u/DT} = [1.2(10 \text{ psf}) + 1.6(50 \text{ psf})]15 \text{ ft} = 1,380 \text{ plf}$$

$$R_{u/DT} = \frac{1}{2}(1.38 \text{ klf})(60 \text{ ft}) = 41.4 \text{ kips}$$

$$T_u = 41.4 \text{ kips} \left( \frac{9.5 \text{ in.}}{12 \text{ in./ft}} \right) = 32.8 \text{ ft-kips}$$

**THE CORRECT ANSWER IS: (D)**



**Question 513, p. 41:**

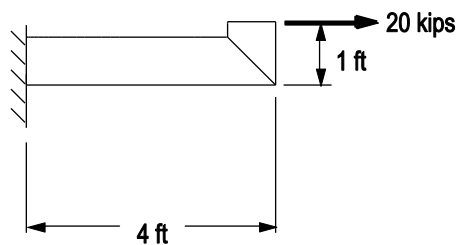
Question 513 should read as follows:

The pipe member shown in the figure has a constant section and the following properties:

Outside diameter	10 in.
Moment of inertia	90 in <sup>4</sup>
Area	7 in <sup>2</sup>

Neglecting the weight of the pipe, the maximum compressive stress (ksi) at the support is most nearly:

- (A) 2.9
- (B) 4.9
- (C) 13.3
- (D) 16.2



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**Solution 513, p. 88:**

Solution 513 should read as follows:

$$M_S = (20 \text{ kips})(12 \text{ in.} - 5 \text{ in.}) = 140 \text{ in.-kips}$$

$$N_S = 20 \text{ kips}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{flexure}} = \frac{(140 \text{ in.-kips})(5 \text{ in.})}{90 \text{ in}^4} = 7.8 \text{ ksi} \begin{cases} \text{Top tension} \\ \text{Bottom compression} \end{cases}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{axial}} = \frac{20 \text{ kips}}{7 \text{ in}^2} = 2.9 \text{ ksi tension}$$

Max compressive stress (at bottom):

$$-7.8 \text{ ksi} + 2.9 \text{ ksi} = -4.9 \text{ ksi}$$

**THE CORRECT ANSWER IS: (B)**

**Solution 520, p. 91:**

Line 2 should read as follows:

Two or more spans **not exceeding 10 ft**

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**Question 528, p. 52:**

Question 528 should read as follows:

A connection is shown in the figure.

Design Code:

AISC: *Steel Construction Manual*, 14th edition.

Material:

A36 steel

Assumptions:

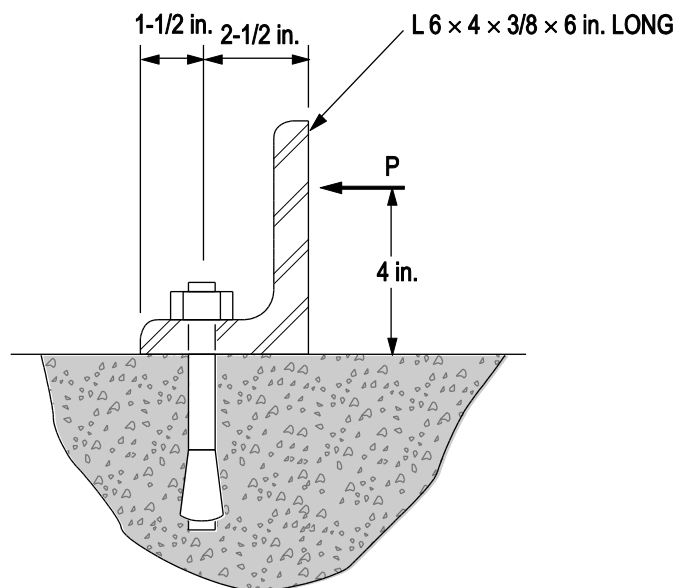
The bolt is sufficient.

The concrete is sufficient.

The load  $P$  is equally distributed along the entire 6-in.-long angle.

The maximum load  $P$  (ASD) or  $\phi P_n$  (LRFD) in kips that can be carried by the angle is most nearly:

	<u>ASD</u>	<u>LRFD</u>
(A)	0.8	1.2
(B)	1.1	1.7
(C)	1.2	1.8
(D)	2.0	2.0



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**Solution 528, p. 94:**

Solution 528 should read as follows:

By inspection P controls.

$$M_n = M_p = F_y Z_x \leq 1.6 M_y$$

$$F_y = 36 \text{ ksi}$$

$$S_x = 1/6 bd^2 = 1/6 (6)(0.375)^2 = 0.141 \text{ in}^3$$

$$M_y = F_y S_x = (36)(0.141) = 5.076 \text{ in.-kips}$$

$$Z_x = 1/4 bd^2 = 1/4 (6)(0.375)^2 = 0.211 \text{ in}^3$$

$$M_p = F_y Z_x = (36)(0.211) = 7.6 \text{ in.-kips} \quad \leftarrow \text{ governs}$$

$$\text{Check } M_p \leq 1.6 M_y \quad 1.6(5.076) = 8.1 > 7.6 \quad \therefore \text{ OK}$$

AISC ASD:

$$M_n / \Omega = 7.6 / 1.67 = 4.55 \text{ in.-kips}$$

$$P_{\text{allow}} = \frac{4.55}{\left[4 - (1/2)(3/8)\right]} = 1.19 \sim 1.2$$

AISC LRFD:

$$\phi M_n = 0.9(7.6) = 6.84 \text{ in.-kips}$$

$$\phi P_n = \frac{6.84}{\left[4 - (1/2)(3/8)\right]} = 1.79 \sim 1.8$$

**THE CORRECT ANSWER IS: (C)**

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**Solution 538, p. 98:**

Solution 538 should read as follows:

Reference: AASHTO Section 9.7.2.3.

**AASHTO prescriptively calls out to add back a single flange overhang (not one on each side).**

$$\begin{aligned}L_{\text{eff}} &= 8.5 \text{ ft} - b_f + \text{flange overhang} \\ &= 8.5 \text{ ft} - 1.5 \text{ ft} + 0.25 \text{ ft} \\ &= 7.25 \text{ ft (7 ft 3in.)}\end{aligned}$$

**THE CORRECT ANSWER IS: (C)**