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# Problem # 01

Lightest w-shape column A36 steel

$$DL = 60k$$

$$L \cdot L = 110k$$

Pin supported at top & bottom

$$K_x L_x = 36 \text{ ft}$$

$$K_y L_y = 18 \text{ ft}$$

AISC / LRFD Method

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required capacity} &= (1.2 \times 60) + (1.6 \times 110) \\ &= 248k \end{aligned}$$

Enter design strength table of manual with  $KL = 18 \text{ ft}$  and  $P = 248k$

Possible sections

$$W_{14} \times 61$$

$$P = 364$$

$$r_x / r_y = 2.44$$

$$W_{12} \times 53$$

$$P = 320$$

$$r_x / r_y = 2.11$$

$$W_{10} \times 49$$

$$P = 301$$

$$r_x / r_y = 1.71$$

$$W_8 \times 58$$

$$P = 300k$$

$$r_x / r_y = 1.74$$

Now

$$\frac{K_x L_x}{r_x} = \frac{36}{5.23} = 2$$

$$\frac{K_y L_y}{r_y} = 18$$

Try  $W_{12} \times 53$   $r_x / r_y = 2.11$

$$\frac{r_x}{r_y} > \frac{K_x L_x / r_x}{K_y L_y / r_y}$$

$$r_x = 5.23 \quad r_y = 2.48 \quad A = 15.6 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\frac{K_x L_x}{r_x} = \frac{36 \times 12}{5.23} = 82.6$$



$$\frac{K_y A_y}{r_y} = \frac{18 \times 12}{2.48} = 87.09$$

$$\frac{KL}{r} = 87.09$$

$$\lambda_c = \frac{KL}{r\pi} \sqrt{\frac{F_y}{e}}$$

$$= \frac{87.09}{\pi} \sqrt{\frac{36}{29,000}}$$

$$= 0.97 < 1.5$$

$$F_{cr} = 0.658^{1.0} \times F_y$$
$$= 0.658^{(0.97)^2} \times 36$$

$$F_{cr} = 24.28$$

$$P_n = A_g F_{cr}$$

$$= 15.6 \times 24.28$$

$$P_n = 378.78 \text{ k}$$

$$\phi P_n = 0.85 \times 378.78$$

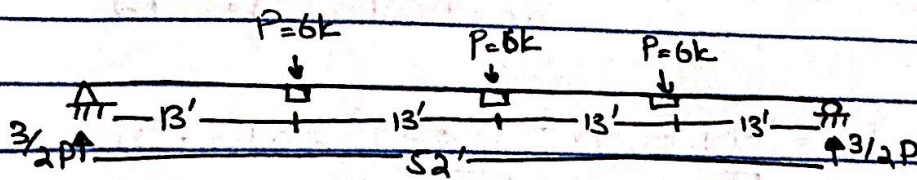
$$= 321.96 > 248 \text{ k}$$

Ok

So we use W12x53



# Problem # 02



Lightest w-section

$$\Rightarrow D.L = 1.5k \quad L.L = 4.5k$$

(At each quarter point)

→ Total length = 52'

→ Live load deflection =  $\frac{1}{360}$  of span  
 $\Delta_{live}$

→  $F_y = 36 \text{ ksi}$

AISC/ASD method

Solution

$$\text{Design load} = 4.5 + 1.5 = 6k$$

$$P = 6k$$

$$\Delta = \frac{5}{48} \frac{ML^2}{EI} \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$\Delta$  by this equation is multiplied by the factor from table 5.4

$$M = \left(\frac{3}{2} \times 6 \times 26\right) - (6 \times 13) = 156k \cdot \text{ft}$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{1} \rightarrow I = \frac{5}{48} \times \frac{ML^2}{EA} \times 0.95$$

$$I = \frac{5}{48} \frac{(156 \times 12)(52 \times 12)^2}{29,000 \left(\frac{52}{360} \times 12\right)}$$

$$I = 1510.51 \text{ in}^4$$



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Try  $W_{24 \times 62}$ ,  $I_x = 1550 \text{ in}^4$   
 $b_f = 7.04 \text{ in}$ ,  $d/A_f = 5.72$

$$L_c = \frac{76 b_f}{\sqrt{F_y}} \Rightarrow \frac{76 \times (7.04)}{\sqrt{36}} = 89'' = 7.41'$$

$$L_c = \frac{20,000}{F_y d/A_f} \Rightarrow \frac{20,000}{36 \times 5.72} = 97.12'' = 8.09'$$

$L > L_c$  from table S.2  
 $C_b = 1.13$

$$\sqrt{\frac{102,000 C_b}{F_y}} = \sqrt{\frac{102,000 \times 1.13}{36}} = 57$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{510,000 C_b}{F_y}} = \sqrt{\frac{510,000 \times 1.13}{36}} = 127$$

$$\frac{L}{r_T} = \frac{13 \times 12}{1.71} = 91.22$$

Condition:

$$\sqrt{\frac{102,000 C_b}{F_y}} \leq \frac{L}{r_T} \leq \sqrt{\frac{510,000 C_b}{F_y}}$$

So

$$F_b = \left[ \frac{2}{3} - \frac{F_y (L/r_T)^2}{1530 \times 10^3 \times C_b} \right] F_y$$

$$= \left[ \frac{2}{3} - \frac{36 (91.22)^2}{1530 \times 10^3 \times 1.13} \right] 36$$

$$F_b = 17.76 \text{ ksi; allowable}$$



The beam self weight =  $\frac{62 \text{ lb}}{\text{ft}} = 0.062 \text{ k/ft}$

$$M = \frac{wL^2}{8} = \frac{1}{8} (0.062)(52)^2$$

$$M = 20.95 \text{ k}\cdot\text{ft}$$

$$\text{Total } M = 156 + 20.95$$

$$M = 176.95$$

$$f_b = \frac{M}{S_x} \Rightarrow \frac{176.95 \times 12}{131} = 16.2 \text{ ksi}$$

$$\underline{f_b} < \underline{F_b}$$

Use W<sub>24</sub> × 62



### Problem # 03

Given

$$\text{length} = L = 18 \text{ ft}$$

$$\text{dead load} = D.L = 50 \text{ k}$$

$$\text{Live load} = L.L = 150 \text{ k}$$

$$\text{bolts} = A325, 3/4" \text{ dia}$$

Connection type = Bearing

$$\text{Steel} = A36$$

Threads not excluded

Required data:

A36 Double Angle Tension

Solution:

$$\text{Total load} = D.L + L.L$$

$$= 50 + 150$$

$$= 200 \text{ kips or } 100 \text{ kips/angle}$$

For Yielding at gross area allowable stresses are

$$0.6 F_y \Rightarrow 0.6 \times 36$$

$$= 22 \text{ ksi}$$

For Fracture at net area allowable stresses

$$\text{are } 0.5 F_u = 0.5 \times 58$$

$$= 29 \text{ ksi}$$

As connection is not bolted so

$$A_g \neq A_n$$

Now

$$A_e = 0.85 A_n$$

For yielding

$$A_g \times 22 = 100$$

$$A_g = 100 / 22$$

$$A_g = 4.5 \text{ in}^2$$



For fracture

$$29 \times A_e = 100$$

$$A_e = 100/29$$

$$A_e = 3.45 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_n = A_e / 0.85 = 4.05 \text{ in}^2$$

Assume 15% reduction in gross area for holes  
so

$$\Rightarrow A_g = \frac{A_n}{0.85}$$

$$A_g = \frac{4.05}{0.85}$$

$$A_g = 4.76 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\text{For } 6 \times 4 \times \frac{1}{2} \quad A = 4.75 \text{ in}^2 \approx 4.76 \text{ in}^2$$

$$r_x = 1.91$$

$$r_y = 1.15$$

$$L_{y_{\text{min}}} = \frac{18 \times 12}{1.15}$$

$$= 187.82$$

$$= 187.82 \leq 300 \text{ ok}$$

Design For bolts:

using A325 bolt threads not include

$$A = 44 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\text{dia} = 3/4''$$

$$\text{Allowable bolt shear} = 21 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Table 2.11} \\ \text{Gaylord} \end{array} \right]$$

Since

The bolts are in double shear so

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Allowable bolts bearing stress} &= 1.2 F_u \\ &= 1.2 \times 58 \\ &= 869.6 \text{ ksi} \end{aligned}$$



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$$\text{Allowable Shear/bolt} = 2 \times 21 \times 0.44$$
$$= 18.5 \text{ kips}$$

=> Allowable bearing on Two  $7/16''$  Thick angle

$$\text{long legs} = 69.6 \times 2 \times 7/16 \times 0.75$$

$$\Rightarrow 45.68 \text{ kips} > 18.5 \text{ kips}$$

So

Shear governs

Now

$$\text{number of bolts} \Rightarrow \frac{200}{18.5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 10.81$$

so we will use 12 bolts

Design of Gusset plate:

$$\text{Bearing stress} = 1.2 F_u$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.2 \times 58$$

$$= 69.6 \text{ ksi}$$