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PART II SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS – AUGUST 2004  
**AAR 2105 STRUCTURAL DESIGN I**

**Instructions**

**Time : 3 Hours**

*Answer any FOUR questions.  
All questions carry equal marks.*

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**QUESTION 1**

Draw Bending Moment and Shear force diagram for the beam in Fig. 1

**QUESTION 2**

Calculate  $I_{xx}$  and  $I_{yy}$  about the axis passing through its centroid and parallel to the base of the Section Shown in fig. 2.

### **QUESTION 3**

A timber Cantilever beam project 2m and carries a 6kN point load at the free end. The beam is 150mm to 250 mm, as shown in fig. 3. Calculate the stresses in the extreme fibres

- a) At the support
- b) At a point 1m from the support

Ignore the weight of the beam.

### **QUESTION 4**

The symmetrically loaded beam, shown in fig. 4. Carries three loads, and the internal span  $l$  to be such that the negative bending moment at each support equals the positive bending moment at C, what is the span  $l$ ? If each load  $W$  is 100 kN, choose a suitable UB ( $f = 165 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ).

### **QUESTION 5**

A 152mm x 76 mm @ 19kg/m steel tee section, as shown in fig. 5, may be stressed to not more than 155 N/mm<sup>2</sup>. What safe inclusive uniform load can the section carry as a beam spanning 2.0m between simple supports?