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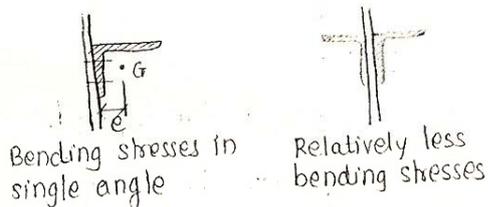
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[TENSION MEMBER] (T.M)

- * Steel sections such as angle, I, channel, T provides more rigidity towards buckling in compression than circular or rectangular section of same area; this is very important when "Reversal of stress" takes place under wind load.
- * Single angle develops "bending stress" due to eccentricity betⁿ end connection & c.G. of angle section.



⊙ Net Sectional area :-

Tension member is designed for its net sectional area at the joint. When tension member is joined to G.P. by "rivets" or "bolts" the gross sectional area is reduced due to rivet holes.

∴ Net sectional area is calculated as per case according to IS 800-1984 as -

a) for Plates :-

1] chain riveting

$$A_{net} = b \times [t - n] \times d \times t$$

$$A_{net} = t \times (b - n \times d)$$

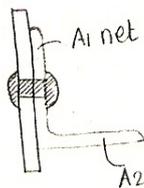
where b = width of plate
t = Thk. of plate
d = gross dia. of rivet hole
n = No. of rivets

2] zig-zag or diagonal chain,

$$A_{net} = t \left[b - nd + \frac{s^2 t}{4g} \right]$$

s = staggered pitch
= Dist. betⁿ two consecutive rivets measured \parallel to stress direction.
g = gauge dist.
= Dist. betⁿ two consecutive rivets measured \perp to stress direction.

b) for single angle connected by one leg only :-



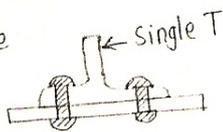
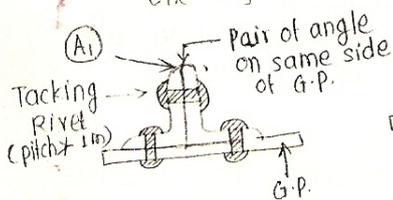
$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 \cdot K_1$$

A_1 = Net c/s area of connected leg.
 A_2 = gross c/s area of unconnected leg.

$$K_1 = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2}$$

Area of leg of angle = Thk. of angle \times (Length of leg - 0.5 thk. of leg)

c) For pair of angles placed back to back (or single T) connected by only one leg of each angle (by flange of T) to the same side of G.P. :-



$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 \cdot K_2$$

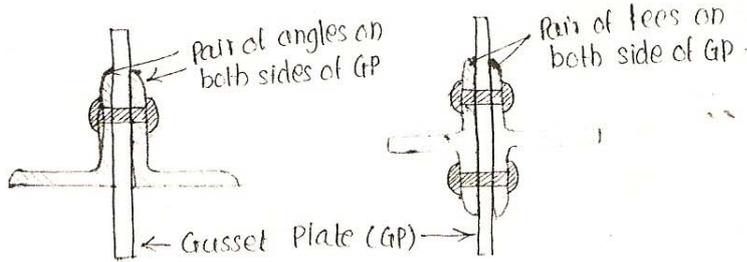
A_1 = Net sectional area of connected legs* (Flange of T)
 A_2 = Area of outstanding leg (Web of T)

$$K_2 = \frac{5A_1}{5A_1 + A_2}$$

Area of web of Tee = Thk. of web \times (depth - thk. of flange)

* Outstanding legs of pairs of angles should be tacked by rivets at a pitch not exceeding 1m

② Double angle or tees carrying direct tension placed back to back & connected to each side of G.P. or to each side of rolled section.



$$A_{net} = \text{Gross area} - \text{deduction for holes} \rightarrow \text{only for tank Riveted.}$$

* Provided that angles & tees are back riveted "along their length at a pitch not exceeding 1m.

GATE * When two angles or tees placed back to back are not back riveted, the provision under ③ & ④ does not apply & each angle or tee is designed as a single angle or tee connected to one side of gussset.

* Permissible stresses:

"Direct stresses in axial tension on effective net area should not exceed σ_{at} "

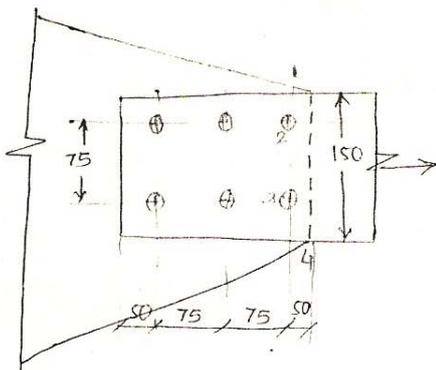
where $\sigma_{at} = 0.6 f_y$.

f_y = Min. yield stress of steel in MPa.

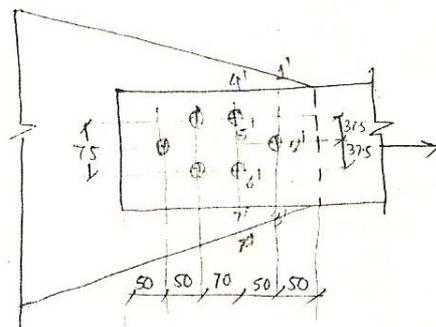
∴ Allowable stress σ_{at} in direct tension for steel conforming to IS 226-1975

Form	Thk. / Dia.	σ_{at} MPa.
① Plates, angles, Tees, I, channel, flats	up to 20 mm	150
	21 - 40 mm	144
	> 41 mm	138
② Bars (Round, Square, hexagonal)	up to 20 mm	150
	> 21 mm	144

Pro: 1] A flat of size 15x12 cm is used as a tension member in roof truss. It can be connected to a GP by two alternate methods of riveting as shown in fig. Calculate max. tension that the flat can carry in both cases if the dia. of rivet is 22 mm & per. stresses in the flat is 150 MPa.



(a)



(b)

Solⁿ:- Gross dia of rivet = $22 + 1.5 = 23.5 \text{ mm}$.

Case (a) - Chain Riveting:-

For most critical sectional area of plate along 1, 2, 3, 4.

$$\therefore A_{net} = t(b - nd)$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 12(150 - 2 \times 23.5) = 1236 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Max. Tension in Flat} = 6at \times A_{net} = 150 \times 1236 = 185.4 \text{ kN}$$

Case (b) - Staggered Riveting:-

For most critical section consider different sections as,

1) Section 1'-2'-3'

2) Section 1'-2'-6'-7' or section 4'-5'-2'-3'

3) Section 4'-5'-2'-6'-7'

4) Section 4'-5'-6'-7' - will not be critical as rivet 2' will add strength.

∴ ① Section 1'-2'-3' :-

$$A_{net} = t \left(b - nd + \frac{s^2}{4g} \right)$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 12(150 - 1 \times 23.5 + 0) = 1518 \text{ mm}^2$$

as s = staggered pitch
 = Dist. betⁿ two consecutive rivets measured \parallel to strain directⁿ.
 g = Gauge dist.
 = Dist. betⁿ two consecutive rivets measured \perp to strain directⁿ.
 In this case $s = 0$ [for this section]

② Section 1'-2'-6'-7' or 4'-5'-2'-3'

$$A_{net} = t \left(b - nd + \frac{s^2}{4g} \right)$$

$$= 12 \left(150 - 2 \times 23.5 + \frac{1.50^2}{4 \times 37.5} \right)$$

$$= 1496 \text{ mm}^2$$

③ Section 4'-5'-2'-6'-7'

$$A_{net} = t \left(b - nd + \frac{s^2}{4g} \right)$$

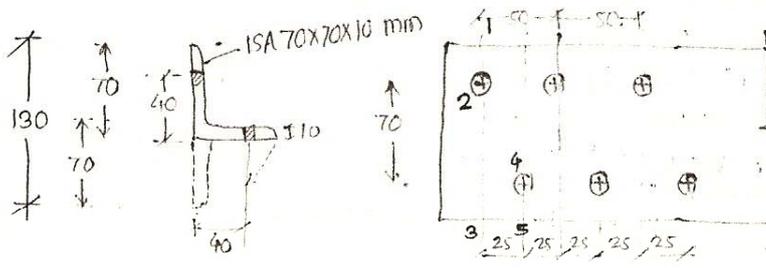
$$= 12 \left(150 - 3 \times 23.5 + \frac{50^2 \times 2}{4 \times 37.5^2} \right)$$

$$= 1354 \text{ mm}^2$$

∴ From 1, 2, 3, Critical section is 4'-5'-2'-6'-7', having $A_{net} = 1354 \text{ mm}^2$

$$\therefore \text{Max. Tension in Flat} = 6at \times A_{net} = 150 \times 1354 = 203.1 \text{ kN}$$

Pro: 2] An angle iron ISA 70x70x10 mm thick is used as a tension member connected to a GP by 16 mm dia. rivets through both legs. The rivets are pitched at 50 mm on each leg. The rivets on two legs are staggered by 25 mm as shown in fig. Find the allowable axial tension in the angle section if the per stresses in tension is 150 MPa.



NOTE :-
 Here for simplicity angle section is rotated such that it becomes a plate as angle is 70x70x10
 Total B = 70 + 70 = 130 mm.
 Thk = 10 mm
 ∴ dist betⁿ rivets in two legs = 40 + 40 - 30 = 70 mm.

Solⁿ:- Cross dia. of rivet = 16 + 1.5 = 17.5 mm.

consider two cases of critical section as - section 1-2-3 & section 1-2-4-5

① section 1-2-3

$$A_{net} = t(b - nd)$$

$$= 10(130 - 1 \times 17.5) = 1125 \text{ mm}^2$$

② section 1-2-4-5 :-

$$A_{net} = t \left(b - nd + \frac{s^2}{4g} \right) + \frac{s^2}{4g}$$

$$= 10 \left(130 - 2 \times 17.5 + \frac{25^2}{4 \times 70} \right) + \frac{25^2}{4 \times 70}$$

$$= 972.32 \text{ mm}^2$$

∴ Most critical section is 1-2-4-5 having $A_{net} = 972.32 \text{ mm}^2$

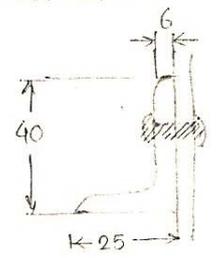
∴ strength of member = Permissible Tensile load = $\sigma_{at} \times A_{net}$

$$= 972.32 \times 150$$

$$= \underline{145.85 \text{ kN}}$$

Pro: 3] Calculate the strength of ISA 60x25x6 mm thick when used as a tension member with its longer leg connected by -

- ① 14 mm dia. rivet
- ② Fillet weld.



case ① : 14 mm dia Rivet :-

∴ Cross dia = 15.5 mm

$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 k_1$; $A_1 = \text{Net area of connected leg.}$

$$k_1 = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2}$$

$$= t(b - nd) - t/2$$

$$= 6(40 - 15.5) - 6/2$$

$$= 129 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$A_2 = A_{un} \text{ Cross area of unconnected leg.}$$

$$= 6(25 - 3)$$

$$= 6(25 - 3)$$

$$= 132 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$K_1 = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2} = \frac{3 \times 129}{3 \times 129 + 132} = 0.75$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 K_1$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 227 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of member} = \sigma_{at} \times A_{net}$$

$$= 150 \times 227$$

$$= 34 \text{ kN}$$

case (ii) Fillet weld is used
for fillet weld no deductions for holes.

$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 K_1$$

$$A_1 = t(b - t/2) = 6(40 - 3) = 222 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$A_2 = t(b - t/2) = 6(25 - 6/2) = 132 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$K_1 = \frac{3 \times 222}{3 \times 222 + 132} = 0.835$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 332 \text{ mm}^2$$

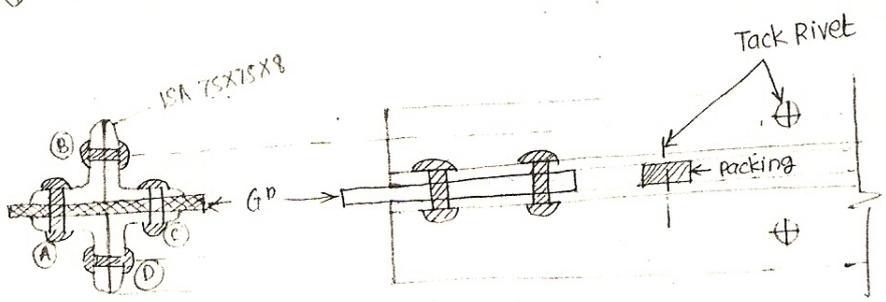
$$\therefore \text{strength of member} = 150 \times 332$$

$$= 49.8 \text{ kN}$$

Typical Pro.

Pro. 4) Calculate the permissible tension in tie member consisting of 4 ISA 75x75, 8 mm thk. connected by 18 mm dia. rivets as shown in fig. when

- GATE →
- ① - No lacing Rivets are used.
 - ② - Tack riveting is done along A & C only.
 - ③ - Tack riveting is done along A, B, C & D.
 - ④ - Tack riveting is done along B & D only.



Soln. Case 1: No Lacing Rivets are Used:-
All angles acts individually. as shown →

∴ It acts as single angle connected by one leg only.

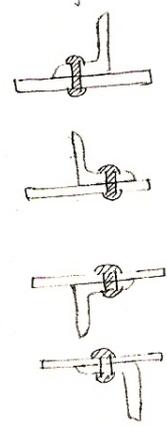
$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 \cdot k$$

Where $A_1 =$ Net c/s area of connected leg.

$$= t(b - nd - t/2)$$

$$= 8(75 - 13.5 - 8/2)$$

$$= 476 \text{ mm}^2 \quad 412 \text{ mm}^2$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 A_2 &= \text{Gross area of connected leg} \\
 &= t(b - nd) \quad t = 8 \text{ mm} \\
 &= 8(75 - 19.5) = 8(75 - 8/2) \\
 &= 568 \text{ mm}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$k_1 = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2} = 0.685$$

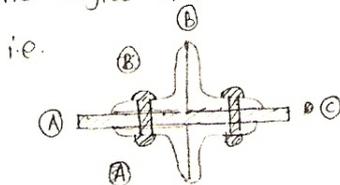
$$\therefore A_{net} = 801.16 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{strength of one leg} &= \sigma_{at} \times A_{net} \\
 &= 150 \times 801.16 \\
 &= 120 \text{ kN}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of 4 legs} = 4 \times 120 = 480.7 \text{ kN}$$

② When lacing rivets are provided along A & C only.

The angles A & C will act as in pair on both side of GP.



Angles will act in pair on both side of GP

$\therefore A_{net} = \text{Gross area} - \text{deduction for holes}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{But; Gross area} &= 1138 \text{ mm}^2 - \text{steel table} \\
 \text{Deduction for hole} &= (d \times t) = 19.5 \times 8 = 156 \text{ mm}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 1138 - 156 = 980 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of one leg} = 150 \times 980 = 147 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of 4 legs} = 4 \times 147 = 588 \text{ kN}$$

③ When lacing riveting is done along A, B, C & D:-

The A_{net} will be same as case (ii)

i.e. when lacing riveting is done along A & C only.

$$\therefore \text{strength of 4 legs} = 588 \text{ kN}$$

④ When lacing riveting is done along B & D only.

This acts as pair of angles placed back to back connected by only one side to the same side of GP.

$$\therefore A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 k_2$$

$$A_1 = \text{Net c/s area of connected leg}$$

$$= t(b - nd - l/2) = 8(75 - 19.5 - 8/2) = 412 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$A_2 = \text{Gross c/s area of outstanding leg}$$

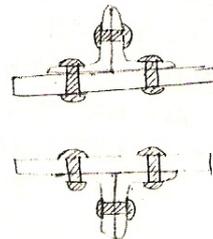
$$= t(b - l/2) = 8(75 - 4) = 568 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$k_2 = \frac{5A_1}{5A_1 + A_2} = 0.784$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 857.23 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of one leg angle} = 150 \times 857.23 = 128.59 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of 4 angles} = 514.34 \text{ kN}$$



* Design of axially loaded tension member:

① $A_{net\ reqd} = \frac{\text{axial load}}{\sigma_{at}}$

② Try suitable section having sectional area 20-40% more than $A_{net\ reqd}$.

③ Calculate A_{net} available in the trial section.
Following deductions for rivet holes may be assumed.

- ① Flat & plates \rightarrow 1 rivet hole from 150 mm width.
- ② Single angle & double angle pair \rightarrow 1 rivet hole from each angle.
- ③ Four angles forming box \rightarrow 2 Rivet holes from each angle.
- ④ Double channel \rightarrow 2 Rivet holes from each channel web, or 1 rivet hole from each flange.

④ Channel section will be safe if,

$A_{net\ available} \geq A_{net\ reqd}$ (load)

GATE \rightarrow ⑤ Check for slenderness Ratio - When reversal of stresses may occur
According to IS: 800-1984 - Cl. 37-

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④ In any tension member in which reversal of direct stresses due to "load" other than "wind or EQ" forces occurs.	$\lambda = \frac{l_e}{r_{min}} \leq 180$
⑥ A member normally acting as a "tie" in a roof truss or bracing system but subjected to possible reversal of stress due to action of "wind or EQ" forces	$\lambda = \frac{l_e}{r_{min}} \leq 350$

In short :- $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{load without WL or EQ ; } \lambda \leq 180 \\ \text{load due to WL or EQ ; } \lambda \leq 350 \end{array} \right.$

⑥ Design end condition connections $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Rivet} \rightarrow \text{Rivet Value} \\ \text{Weld} \rightarrow \phi P_w = 0.707 s_x L \times 108 \end{array} \right.$ \leftarrow Min. of shearing strength & bearing strength
find l_{reqd} assuming size of weld.

⑦ Arrange rivets as far as possible, such that the "C.G. of section co-incides with C.G. of rivet group." \rightarrow Refer ISI Recommendations.

⑧ For weld; weld should be distributed such that there is no eccentricity betⁿ C.G. of weld & C.G. of member \Rightarrow i.e. they must coincide.

Pro: i] Design an unequal angle section to act as a tie member 1.56 m long in a roof truss if it is to carry an axial load of 120 kN.

- Use - ① Hand driven rivets at joints.
② Fillet weld at joint

Design:- Given:- $l_e = 1.56\text{ m} = 1560\text{ mm}$.
 $R = P = 120\text{ kN}$.
assume: $\sigma_{at} = 150\text{ MPa}$

① Riveted connection

① $\therefore A_{net\ reqd} = \frac{P}{\sigma_{at}} = \frac{120 \times 10^3}{150} = 800\text{ mm}^2$

\therefore Increase $A_{net\ reqd}$ by 20% as $= 960\text{ mm}^2$
from steel table try for ISA 70x45, 10 mm thick,
having $A_{pro} = 1052\text{ mm}^2$ connected by 18 mm dia. rivet
to longer leg.

\therefore Gross dia = $18 + 1.5 = 19.5\text{ mm}$.

② $A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 \cdot k$
 $A_1 = \text{Net c/s area of connected leg}$
 $= 10(70 - 19.5 - 5)$
 $= 455 \text{ mm}^2$
 $A_2 = \text{Cross c/s area of outstanding leg}$
 $= 10(75 - 5)$
 $= 400 \text{ mm}^2$
 $k = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2} = 0.77$

- ① Connections
- ② Beam
- ③ Tension member
- ④ comp. member
- ⑤ Footing
- ⑥ Gantry girder.

$A_{net} \text{ reqd} = 764 \text{ mm}^2 < 800 \text{ mm}^2$ $A_{net} \text{ reqd} \Rightarrow$ Hence unsafe.
 No need to go for checking strength.

③ \therefore strength of member $= \frac{150 \times 764}{100}$
 $= 114.65 \text{ kN} < 120 \text{ kN}$

Revise section

Unsafe

\therefore Generally increase A_{net} reqd by 30 %

\therefore Try for ISA 75x50x10 having sectional area = 1152 mm².

④ $A_1 = 10(75 - 19.5 - 5)$
 $= 505 \text{ mm}^2$
 $A_2 = 10(50 - 5)$
 $= 450 \text{ mm}^2$
 $k_1 = \frac{3 \times 505}{3 \times 505 + 450} = 0.77$

$A_{net} \text{ reqd} = A_1 + A_2 k_1$
 $= 852 \text{ mm}^2$

⑤ \therefore strength of member $= \frac{150 \times 852}{100}$
 $= 127.79 \text{ kN} > 120 \text{ kN}$

\therefore O.K.

⑥ Check for slenderness ratio

$\lambda = \frac{l_e}{r_{min}} = \frac{1560}{10.6} \rightarrow \text{steel table} = 147 > 350 \rightarrow$ For WL & EC considered
 $> 180 \rightarrow$ WL & EC not considered

\therefore O.K.

\therefore Use ISA 75x10x5 mm

Use ISA 75x50x10 mm thk, @ 9 kgf/m

⑦ Design of end connection

Strength of 18 mm net dia. rivet (hand driven)

(a) In shearing $= \tau v \times \frac{\pi}{4} d^2 = 80 \times \frac{\pi}{4} (19.5)^2 = 23.89 \text{ kN}$

(b) In bearing $= \delta l_f \times d \times t = 250 \times 19.5 \times 10 = 48.75 \text{ kN}$

\therefore Rivet value = least of (a) & (b)
 $= 23.89 \text{ kN}$

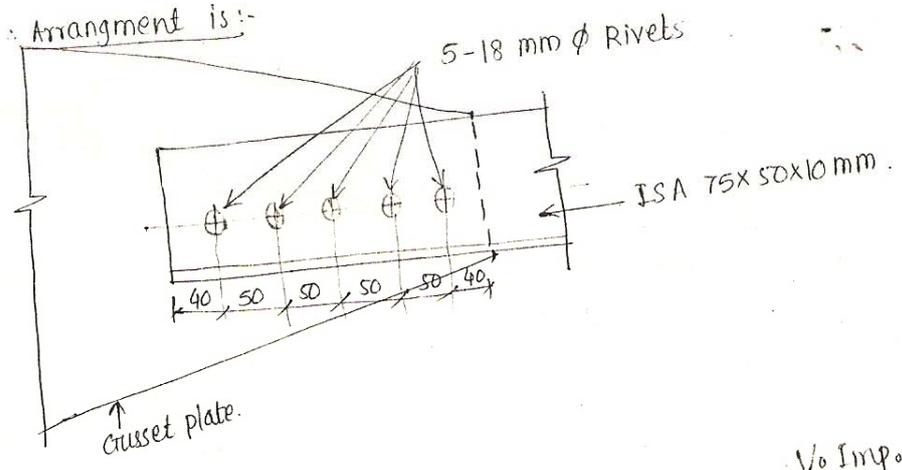
\therefore No. of rivets reqd $= \frac{120}{23.89} = 5.02$
 ≈ 5 Rivets.

④ Pitch = $2.5 \times d = 48.75$ } whichever is lesser
 = 200mm

∴ Provide pitch = 50mm c/c.

⑥ Edge dist = $2d$
 = 2×49.5
 = ~~48.75~~ 39mm
 ⇒ 40mm.

∴ Arrangement is :-



Case II] Welded member :-

① Anet reqd = $\frac{P}{\sigma_{at}} = \frac{120 \times 10^3}{150} = 800 \text{ mm}^2$.

Provide Anet more than 10% than Anet reqd.

Try for ISA 90x60x6 mm ;
 Gross area = 865 mm²
 with longer leg welded to GP.

② ∴ Anet pro = $A_1 + A_2 k_1$
 $A_1 = 6(90 - 6/2) = 522 \text{ mm}^2$
 $A_2 = 6(60 - 6/2) = 342 \text{ mm}^2$

$k_1 = \frac{3 \times 522}{2 \times 522 + 342} = 0.82$ → Anet reqd.

∴ Anet = $802.69 > 800 \text{ mm}^2$ ⇒ O.K.

③ check for slenderness ratio :-

∴ $\frac{l_e}{r_{min}} = \frac{1560}{12.8} = 121.8 < 350$
 ∴ O.K.

Use ISA 90x60x6 mm @ 6.8 kgf/m → Ans.

④ End connections :-

Size of weld = (Nominal ^{thk.} ~~dia~~ - 1.5) → square edge } see ss: Eccentric connectⁿ notes.
 = $\frac{3}{4}$ x thk. of pt plate → Rounded edge

∴ size of weld = $14 \times 6 = 4.5 \text{ mm}$
 say 5mm.

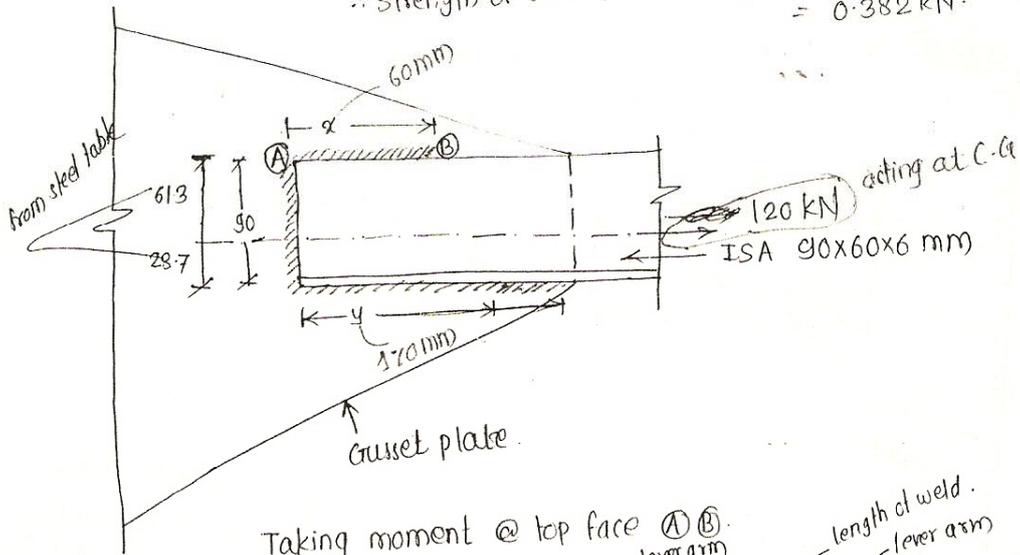
∴ Equating : Tensile force = f_t strength of weld / mm length.
 $120 \times 10^3 = 0.707 \times 5 \times l \times \sigma_{at}$ → see ecc. connectⁿ
 $120 \times 10^3 = 0.707 \times 5 \times l \times 108$

Vo Imp. Notes
 For Rivet connection
 Increase Anet reqd by 30%
 For welded connection
 Increase Anet reqd by 10%
 check is given for
 Ast net reqd & Ast net pro.
 to save time; no
 need to calculate
 strength of member
 $l_y = l \neq 180$ - NO WL & EQ
 $l_y = l \neq 350$ - WL & EQ consider

\therefore length of weld reqd = 314 mm
 \approx 320 mm

* This length is distributed in such a way that CG of weld coincides with CG of angle section -

\therefore strength of weld per mm length = $0.707 \times 5 \times 108$
 $= 0.382 \text{ kN}$



Taking moment @ top face (A) (B) lever arm

$$120 \times 61.3 = 0.382 \times y \times 90 + 0.382 \times 90 \times \frac{90}{2}$$

length of weld (lever arm)

$\therefore y = 168.96 \text{ mm}$

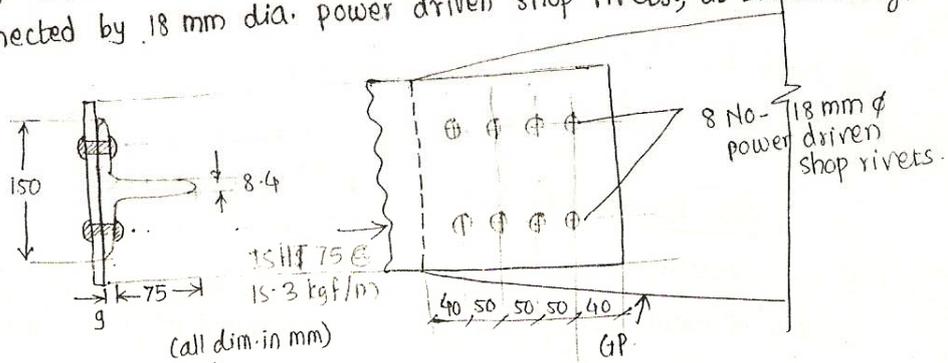
Provide $y = 170 \text{ mm}$

$\therefore x = 320 - 90 - 170$
 $= 60 \text{ mm}$

Pro: 2] Design a T section to act as a tension member carrying an axial tension of 220 kN.

Solⁿ:- ① $A_{st \text{ reqd}} = \frac{P}{\sigma_{at}} = \frac{220 \times 10^3}{150} = 1467 \text{ mm}^2$

Try ISHT 75 @ 15.3 kgf/m having Gross Area = 1949 mm² connected by 18 mm dia. power driven shop rivets, as shown in fig.



$\therefore A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 k_2$
 $A_1 = \text{Net c/s area of connected leg (Flange of T)}$
 $= 9(150 - 2 \times 19.5)$
 $= 999 \text{ mm}^2$
 $A_2 = \text{Area of outstanding leg (web of T)}$
 $= 8.4(75 - 9)$
 $= 554.4 \text{ mm}^2$

$$\therefore k_1 = \frac{5 \times 999}{5 \times 999 + 554.4} = 0.9$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = 1498 \text{ mm}^2 > 1467 \text{ mm}^2$$

\(\therefore\) O.K.

\(\therefore\) Use ISHT 75 @ 15.3 kgf/m

* End connections:-

strength of rivet (18 mm dia. power driven shop rivet)

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ In shearing} = \tau_{vf} \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} (d^2) \quad (\tau_{vf} = 100 \text{ MPa})$$

$$= 100 \times \frac{\pi}{4} (19.5)^2$$

$$= 29.86 \text{ kN}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ In bearing} = \delta \sigma_t \times d \times t$$

$$= 300 \times 19.5 \times 8.59$$

$$= 52.65 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore \text{Rivet value} = 29.86 \text{ kN.}$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of Rivets reqd} = \frac{220}{29.86} = 7.36 \approx 8 \text{ No's.}$$

$$= 8 \text{ No's.}$$

$$\text{Pitch} = 2.5d = 2 \times 19.5 = 48.75 \text{ mm}$$

say 50 mm. c/c.

$$\text{Edge dist} = 2d = 2 \times 19.5 = 39 \text{ mm}$$

say 50 mm.

[Draw fig]

Prob 3] Design a tension member using a channel section to carry an axial tension of 220 kN.

$$\text{sol}^n:- \quad A_{net} \text{ reqd} = \frac{220 \times 10^3}{150} = 1467 \text{ mm}^2$$

Try ISJC 200 @ 14.0 kgf/m having sectional area of 1777 mm² connected by 16 mm ϕ power driven shop rivets.

\(\therefore\) Gross dia = 17.5 mm.

strength of bolt in -

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Shearing} = \tau_{vf} \times \frac{\pi}{4} d^2 = 100 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 17.5^2 = 24.05 \text{ kN}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ Bearing} = \delta \sigma_t \times d \times t = 300 \times 17.5 \times 4.1 = 21.52 \text{ kN.}$$

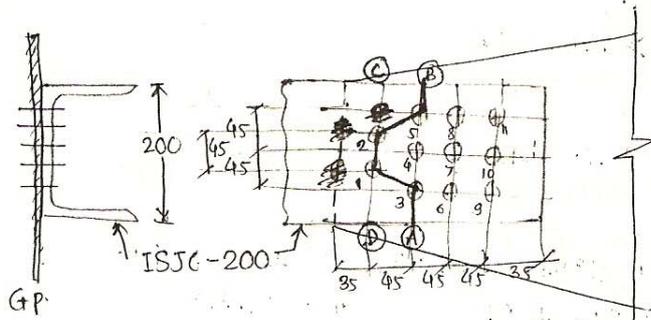
$$\therefore \text{Rivet value} = 21.52 \text{ kN.}$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of rivets reqd} = \frac{\text{Tensile load}}{\text{Rivet value}} = \frac{220}{21.52} = 10.22 \approx 11 \text{ No's.}$$

$$\therefore \text{Pitch} = 2.5d = 2.5 \times 17.5 = 43.75 \approx 45 \text{ mm c/c.}$$

$$\text{edge dist} = 2d = 2 \times 17.5 = 35 \text{ mm} \approx 35 \text{ mm.}$$

\(\therefore\) Draw fig.



Trial critical section are
 ① A-3-1-2-5-B.
 ② C-2-1-3-A
 ③ C-2-1-D.

$$\textcircled{1} \therefore \text{strength of section A3125B} = \frac{150}{1000} \left[1777 - \left(5 \times 17.5 - \frac{4 \times 45^2}{4 \times 22.5} \right) \times 4.1 \right]$$

$$= 268 \text{ kN.}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ strength of section C213A} = \frac{150}{1000} \left[1777 - \left(3 \times 17.5 - \frac{45^2}{4 \times 22.5} \right) \times 4.1 \right]$$

$$= 248 \text{ kN}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \text{ strength of section C21D} = \frac{150}{100} \left[1777 - 2 \times 17.5 \times 4.1 \right]$$

$$= 245 \text{ kN.}$$

\therefore critical section is C21D, having strength = 245 kN > 220 kN

\therefore Safe.

Truss Pro.

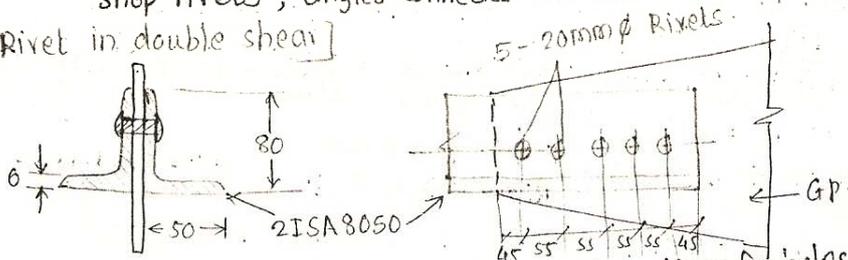
Pro: 4] Design a tension member using two angle sections to carry 180 kN when both angles connected

- ① on both sides of GP
- ② on same side of GP.

$$\text{Sol}^n: \therefore \text{Anet reqd} = \frac{P}{\sigma_{at}} = \frac{180 \times 10^3}{150} = 1200 \text{ mm}^2$$

① Try 2 ISA 8050, 6 mm thk. angle section having sectional area of $2 \times 746 = 1492 \text{ mm}^2$ connected by 20 mm dia. power driven shop rivets; angles connected on the side of GP.

[Rivet in double shear]



$$\therefore \text{Anet} = A_1 + A_2 \text{K. Gross area - deductions for holes.}$$

$$= 2 \left[746 - 6(21.5 - 21.5)(6 + 21.5) \right]$$

$$= 2 \left[746 - 21.5 \times 6 \right] \Rightarrow 2 \left[A_g - d \cdot t \right]$$

$$= 1234 \text{ mm}^2 > 1200 \text{ mm}^2 \therefore \text{O.K.}$$

$$\therefore \text{strength of member} = \frac{1234 \times 150}{10^3} = 185.1 > 180 \text{ kN}$$

\therefore Safe.

∴ Rivet Value \leq min. of $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{shearing} = \tau \cdot f \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} d^2 = 100 \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 21.5^2 = 36.3 \text{ kN} \frac{55}{20} \\ \text{Bearing} = 6 t f b d \cdot x t = 300 \times 21.5 \times 6 = 38.7 \text{ kN} \end{array} \right.$

∴ Rivet Value = 38.7 kN. Double shear = $2 \times 36.3 \text{ kN} = 72.6 \text{ kN}$.

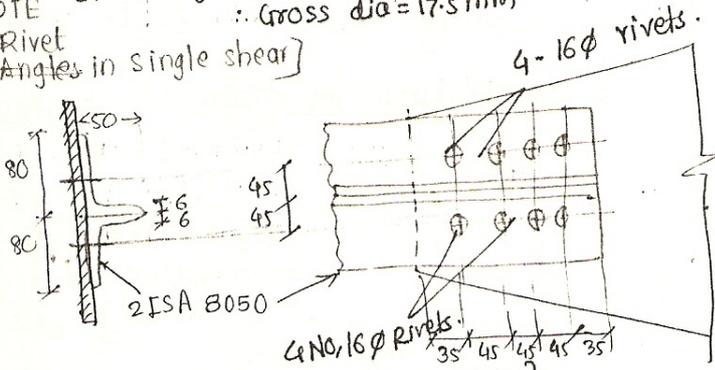
∴ No. of Rivets Req'd = $\frac{180}{38.7} = 4.65 \approx 5 \text{ No's.}$

∴ Pitch = $2.5 d = 2.5 \times 21.5 = 53.75 \approx 55 \text{ mm c/c}$
 End edge dist = $2 d = 2 \times 21.5 = 43 \approx 45 \text{ mm}$.

v. Imp. * Angles will be tacked together along their length by rivets at 1m c/c.

Case ii) Try 2 ISA 8050, 6 mm thk. angle section having sectional area = $2 \times 746 = 1492 \text{ mm}^2$ connected on same side of GP through longer leg by 16 mm dia. power driven rivet.

NOTE: Gross dia = 17.5 mm
 [Rivet Angles in single shear]



∴ Anet pro = Gross $2 [A_1 + A_2 k_2]$

∴ $A_1 = [80 - 2 \times 17.5 - \frac{6}{2}] \times 6 = 357 \text{ mm}^2$

$A_2 = [50 - \frac{6}{2}] \times 6 = 282 \text{ mm}^2$

$k_2 = \frac{5 A_1}{5 A_1 + A_2} = 0.86$

∴ Anet pro = $2 [600 \cdot 5] = 1201.0 \text{ mm}^2 > 1200 \text{ mm}^2$

Which is safe & Proper.

∴ Rivet value = min. of $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Double shearing} = 2 \times 100 \times \frac{\pi}{4} (17.5)^2 = 48.1 \text{ kN} \\ \text{Bearing} = 300 \times 17.5 \times 6 = 31.5 \text{ kN} \\ \text{single shear} = 100 \times \frac{\pi}{4} (17.5)^2 = 24.05 \text{ kN} \end{array} \right.$

∴ Rivet value = 24.05 kN.

∴ No. of Rivets req'd = $\frac{180}{24.05} = 7.48 \approx 8 \text{ Nos.}$

∴ Pitch = $2.5 d = 2.5 \times 17.5 = 43.75 \approx 45 \text{ mm c/c}$

Edge dist = $2 d = 2 \times 17.5 = 35 \text{ mm}$

v. Imp. * Rivets Angles should be tacked together at a pitch of 1000 mm c/c.

∴ Provide 4 rivets for each angle.

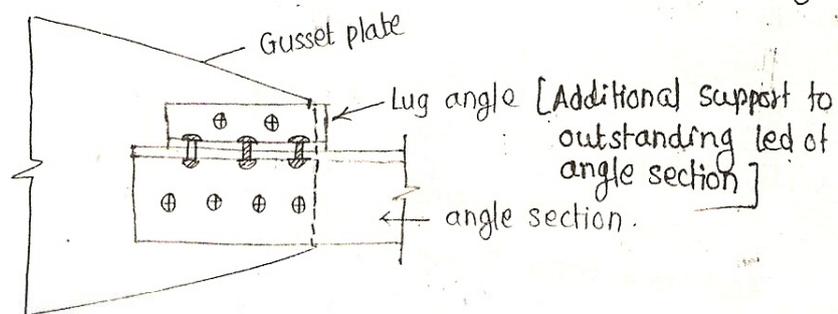
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LUG ANGLE

The lug angle is a short length of an angle section used at a joint to connect the outstanding leg of a member, thereby reducing the length of joint. Gusset plate matl. is saved by using lug angle but extra matl. is reqd. for lug angle & for their connection. Lug angles are also not very effective in transmitting loads & a certain eccentricity is caused betⁿ the load & CG of the rivet group. Therefore use of lug angle is avoided.

A lug angle is provided at the beginning of a joint so that it can be effective in shearing load.

* IS: 800-1984: Cl. 8.8 : Recommendation for design of lug angles:-



① Lug angle connecting channel section should place symmetrically w.r.t. section of member.

(GATE) ② Lug angle connecting angle section; or supported member:-
⇒ strength in lug angle $\neq 1.2 \times$ strength of outstanding leg.
actual wording is \rightarrow (20% excess of force in outstanding leg)
⇒ Attachment of lug angle to angle member $\neq 1.4 \times$ force.
actual wording is (40% excess of that force)

(GATE) ③ Lug angle connecting to channel section; & connection of lug angle to GP or any other supporting member should be capable of developing strength $\neq 1.1$ times the force, which is not accounted for by directⁿ connectⁿ of member, and the attachment of lug angle to member should be capable of developing a strength 20% more than that of force.

⇒ [0.5 Times Angle Section] — Please Note.
for GATE exam.

④ In no case, should fewer than 2 bolts or rivets be used (i.e. min. 2 No's.) for attaching lug angle to GP or any other member.

⑤ The effective connectⁿ of the lug angle should terminate at end of member connected & fastening of lug angle to member should preferably start in advance of direct connectⁿ of member to GP or any other supporting member. (In fig. both condⁿ unsatisfied)
See Book - 11091-15.

⑥ When lug angles are used to connect an angle member the whole area of the member should be taken as effective. i.e.

$$A_{net} = \text{Gross area} - \text{deduction for holes}$$

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TENSION SPLICE

A tension member is spliced when the length of the section available is less than that of tension member reqd. A tension splice is also used when the size of member changes at diff. lengths. Tension splices are the cover plates used on both sides of butt welded jointed members. The area of splices should be slightly more than that of member joined.

When No. of diff. thk. are spliced; packing is reqd. to fill the gap. Rivets or bolts carrying a calculated shear stress through a packing more than 6mm thk. should be increased above the no. reqd. by normal calculation by 2.5% each for each 2mm thk. of packing. For double shear connections packed on both sides, the No. of additional rivets or bolts is reqd. to determined from the thk. of thinner thicker packing. The additional Rivets or bolts ~~at~~ should preferably be placed in an extension of packing.

For problems on "Lug angle" & "Tension splice" see L.S. Negi.

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Tension Member

1. Sectional Area:-

1. Chain Rivet

$$A_{net} = (b - nd) \times t$$

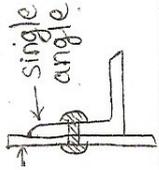
b = Width of plate
n = No. of Rivets
d = Gross dia. of rivet
t = Thk. of plate

2. Zig-zag

$$A_{net} = (b - nd) \times t + \frac{s^2 \times t}{4g}$$

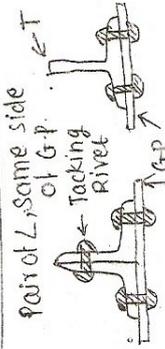
s = Staggered Pitch. (ref to stress)
g = Gauge dist. (ref to stress)

3. Single angle connected by one leg only.



$$k_1 = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2}$$

4. Pair of angles connected back to back [or single T] connected by one leg of each angle (flange of T) the same side of G.P.



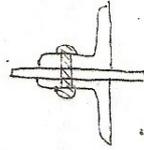
$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2k$$

A₁ = Area of connected leg
A₂ = Area of unconnected leg (outstanding)

$$k = \frac{5A_1}{5A_1 + A_2}$$

[Tacking is must]

5. Double angle or T, back to back one each side of G.P.



A_{net} = A_g - Deduct for holes

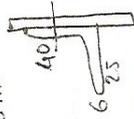
Tack Riveting is must

If tacking is not done, A_{net} ⇒ case 2

$$2at = 0.6fy$$

$$2at = 150 \text{ MPa}$$

eg:- ISA 75x75x8mm
d = 18 + 1.5 = 19.5 mm



case 2

$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2k$$

$$A_{n1} = (b - nd - t/2) \times t$$

$$= (40 - 15.5 - 6/2) \times 6$$

$$= 199 \text{ mm}^2$$

A₂ = Area of unconnected leg

$$= (b - t/2) \times t$$

$$= (25 - 6/2) \times 6$$

$$= 182 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$k = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2} = \frac{3 \times 129}{3 \times 129 + 182} = 0.746$$

$$\therefore A_{net} = A_1 + A_2k = 129 + 0.746 \times 182 = 227 \text{ mm}^2$$

∴ strength of member = 2at × A_{net}
= 150 × 227 × 10⁻³
= 34.05 kN

2. When welding is done, no deduction for hole

$$A_1 = (b - t/2) \times t$$

$$= (40 - 3) \times 6$$

$$= 222 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$A_2 = (b - t/2) \times t$$

$$= (25 - 3) \times 6$$

$$= 182 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$k = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2} = 0.835$$

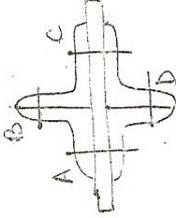
$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2k$$

$$= 832.16 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\therefore P = 2at \times A_{net} = 49.82 \text{ kN}$$

Pr:- 4 ISA 75x75x8 mm
d = 18 + 1.5 = 19.5 mm

1. No tacking
2. A, C tacking
3. A, B, C, D tacking
4. B, D tacking



1. No tacking :- Each angle acts separately

$$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2k$$

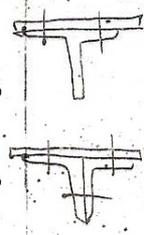
$$A_1 = (b - d - t/2) \times t$$

$$= (75 - 19.5 - 6) \times 8$$

$$= 412 \text{ mm}^2$$

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① Area of plate: $A_{net} = (b - nd + \frac{e^2}{4z}) \times t$
 If joints are staggered, add $(\frac{s^2 t}{4g})$

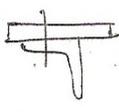
② Double angles on same side of G.P (back to back)

 $A_1 = A_{net}$ of connected leg
 $= (b - d - t/2) t$
 $A_2 =$ Gross of connected leg
 $= (b - \frac{d}{2}) \times t$

$A_{net} = A_1 \quad K = \frac{5A_1}{5A_1 + A_2}$

$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2$

③ Single angle connected to G.P

$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 k$
 $A_1 = (b - d - t/2) t$
 $A_2 = (b - t/2) t$
 $A_{net} K = \frac{5A_1}{3A_1 + A_2}$



$A_{net} = 6 A_1 + A_2 k$

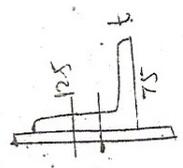
④ Double angle on either side of G.P.
 $A_{net} = A_g - \text{deduct}^n$ for hole.

⑤ If A & C are tacked. They acts as double angle section connected back to back.

$A_{net} = A_g - \text{deduction for hole}$
 $= 1138 - 19.5 \times 8$
 $= 982 \text{ mm}^2$

$P = 982 \times 150 \times 10^{-3} \times g$
 $= 589.2 \text{ kN}$

④ Tacking is done to all rivet angles. Same as above.

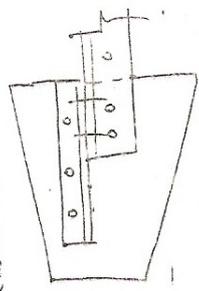


$P = 160 \text{ kN}$
 $d = 18 + 1.5 = 19.5 \text{ mm}$
 $t = ?$

Design :- ① $A_{net reqd} = \frac{P}{\sigma_{at}} \Rightarrow$ try for section.

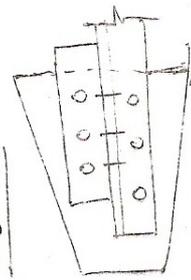
② Find $A_{net} > A_{net reqd} \therefore O.K$
 ③ check of $\lambda = \frac{L_e}{r_{min}} < 950 \therefore O.K$

Tension splice



Length of Tension member is less.

Lug angle :-



Transfer load to save length of G.P.

$A_2 = (b - t/2) t$
 $= (75 - 4) \times 8$
 $= 568 \text{ mm}^2$

$A_{net} K = \frac{3A_1}{3A_1 + A_2}$
 $= 0.685$

$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 k$
 $= 801.16 \text{ mm}^2$

Area of 4 angles = 3204.6 mm^2
 $\therefore P = 2at \times A_{net}$
 $= 150 \times 3204.6 \times 10^{-3}$
 $= 480.7 \text{ kN}$

④ Tacking is done along A & B & D

$\therefore A_1 = (b - d - t/2) t$
 $= 412 \text{ mm}^2$
 $A_2 = 568 \text{ mm}^2$

$K_{A_{net}} = \frac{5A_1}{5A_1 + A_2}$
 $= 0.789$

$A_{net} = A_1 + A_2 k$
 $= 857.23 \text{ mm}^2$

$P = 857.23 \times 4 \times 150 \times 10^{-3}$
 $= 514.34 \text{ kN}$