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- **Allowed Tables and Charts: Tables of Steel Sections, Egyptian Code of Practice (ECP)**
- **Drawings should be neat, detailed and fully dimensioned.**
- **Any missing data may be reasonably assumed.**

**QUESTION (1):**

**(50 Marks)**

The umbrella structure shown in **Figure (1)** is used at a Maintenance Station to cover an area of 16x36 m and the structure is spaced @6.0m. The structure is supported at only one column **ABC** as shown. The data required for the design of are as follows;

**GIVEN:**

- The total weight of steel = 50 kg/m<sup>2</sup>
- Covering weight = 20 kg/m<sup>2</sup>
- Design Live Load = 100 kg/m<sup>2</sup>
- Steel to be used = ST.37
- Gusset Plate Thickness = 12 mm
- Bolts for field connections = HSFG bolts M20 (10.9)  
(For M20, A = 3.14 cm<sup>2</sup>, A<sub>net</sub> = 2.45 cm<sup>2</sup>, T<sub>0</sub> = 15.43 t, and P<sub>s</sub> = 4.9 t)
- Weld thickness = 7.0 mm.

**REQUIRED:**

- Draw to a scale 1:100 all necessary views of the bracing system required for the stability of the structure. [10 marks]
- Design a suitable C-Section for the roof purlin [10 marks]
- Find the forces in the marked members **U1, D2, and L2**. [8 marks]
- Design the marked members (**D7, V6, L5 and L6**) at Joint (**F**)- (Case A Only)[12 marks]
- Design Connection **F** as Welded Connection with **S= 7.0 mm**. [10 marks]

**QUESTION (2):**

**(20 Marks)**

- Design the cross section for the column **ABC** as BFIB cross section, knowing that the forces in the column are as follows: **N= -40.0 ton** and **M= 35.0 t.m**. [15 marks]
- Mention 3 problems that may occur during the welding process. [5 marks]

With All Best Wishes,,

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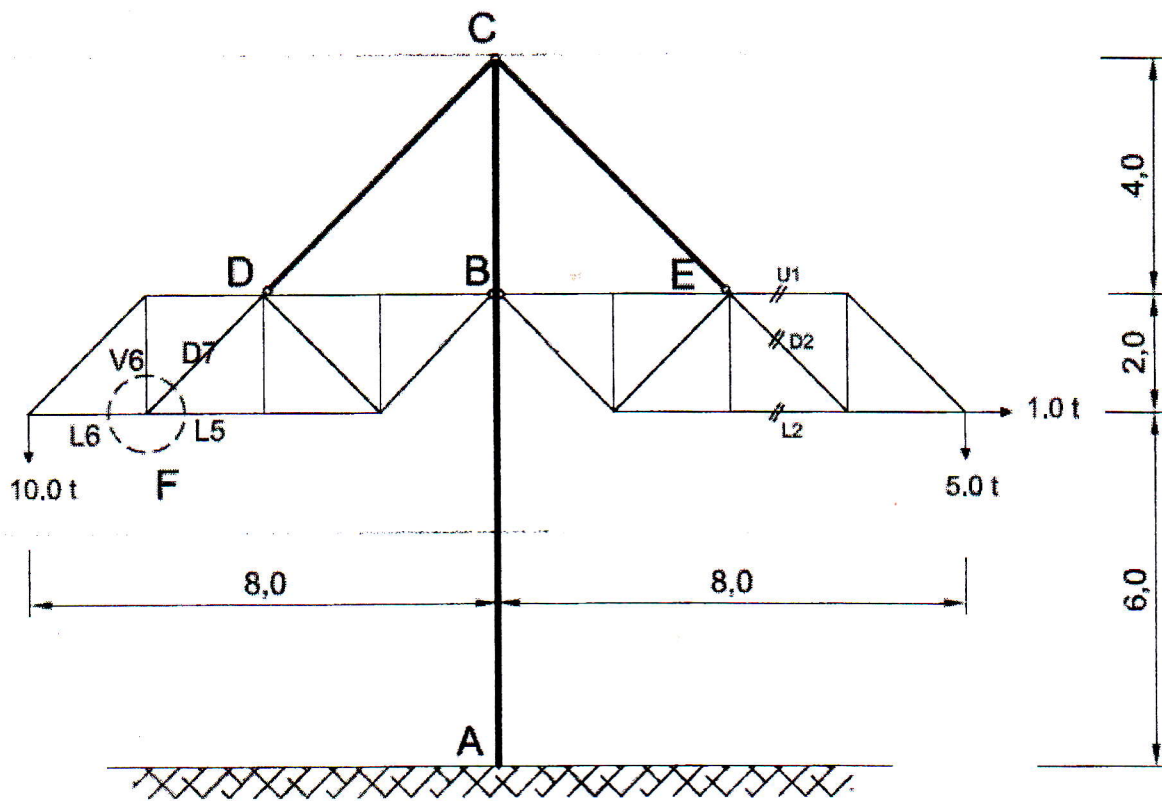
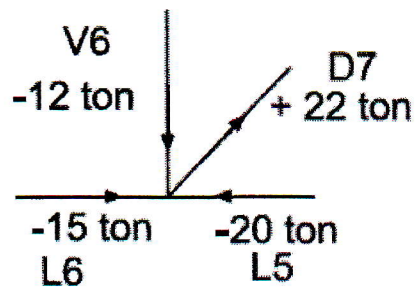


Figure (1)



Connection F