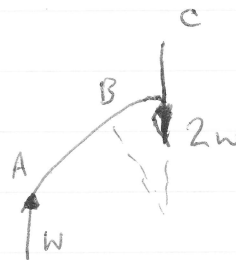


Using STRAIN ENERGY



$$\text{STRAIN ENERGY} = \int \frac{M^2}{2EI}$$

$$\frac{1}{2EI} \int_0^x M^2$$

For AB : $\frac{1}{2EI} \int_0^l (W \times x \cos 26.43^\circ)^2$

$$M = W x \cos 26.43^\circ$$

$$\frac{W^2}{2EI} \int_0^l (x \cos 26.43^\circ)^2 = \frac{1.8359768 W^2 \times 10^{-6}}{2EI}$$

$$\text{STRAIN ENERGY} = \frac{W^2 \times 1.8359768 \times 10^{-6}}{2EI}$$

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For BC

$$M = W(R \sin \theta + 0.019009 \cos 26.43^\circ)$$

$$M^2 = \left(W(R \sin \theta + 0.019009 \cos 26.43^\circ) \right)^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Strain Energy} = \frac{1}{2EI} \int_0^{26.43^\circ} \left(W(R \sin \theta + 0.019009 \cos 26.43^\circ) \right)^2 \times R d\theta$$

$$\text{Strain Energy} = \frac{\omega^2 4.944400387 \times 10^{-6}}{2EI}$$

$$\text{Total Strain Energy} = \frac{\omega^2}{2EI} \left(4.944400387 \times 10^{-6} + 1.8359768 \times 10^{-6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\omega^2}{2EI} \times 6.780377187 \times 10^{-6}$$

IF $I = \text{Constant}$

$$\omega = 1$$

$$= \frac{6.780377187 \times 10^{-6}}{2 \times 206 \times 10^9 \times \frac{0.020955 \times (0.4064 \times 10^{-3})^3}{12}}$$

$$= 1.40407 \text{ J}$$

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$$\text{Now } \frac{1}{2} P x = 1.40407 \text{ J}$$

$$P = \text{FORCE} = 1$$

$$x = \text{DEFLECTION}$$

$$\therefore \text{DEFLECTION } x = \frac{1.40407 \times 2}{1}$$

$$x = 2.80814 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

$$x = 0.280814 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{STIFFNESS} = \frac{P}{x} = \frac{1 \text{ N}}{0.280814 \text{ mm}} = 3.56 \frac{\text{N}}{\text{mm}}$$

$$\therefore = 20.2846 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{IN}} \quad (\text{HALF SPRING})$$

$$\therefore \text{FOR COMPLETE SPRING } 2 \times 20.2846 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{IN}}$$

$$\therefore = 40.57 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{IN}}$$