



EXAMPLE 10.5

Consider again the beam and loading of example 10.2, but, in this case, assume that points b and c are supported by elastic supports that have stiffnesses of $k_{s1}=k_{s2}=0.006EI$. Determine the reaction carried by the elastic supports.





Redundant reactions

$$\begin{bmatrix}
D_{11} + 1/k_{s1} & D_{12} \\
D_{21} & D_{22} + 1/k_{s2}
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{cases}
R_1 \\
R_2
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{cases}
-\Delta_{10} \\
-\Delta_{20}
\end{cases}$$
• Substitution leads to

$$\frac{1}{EI}
\begin{bmatrix}
595.1 + 166.7 & 488.4 \\
488.4 & 595.1 + 166.7
\end{bmatrix}
\begin{cases}
R_1 \\
R_2
\end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{EI}
\begin{cases}
341,185 \\
341,185
\end{cases}$$
• From which

$$\begin{cases}
R_1 \\
R_2
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{cases}
272.9 \\
R_2
\end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Delta_{10} + D_{11}R_1 + D_{12}R_2 = \Delta_1 = -\frac{R_1}{k_{s1}} \\
\Delta_{20} + D_{21}R_1 + D_{22}R_2 = \Delta_2 = -\frac{R_2}{k_{s2}}$$

10.6 Selection of Internal Moments as Redundants

10.6.1 Single Redundant Moment

• Consider the propped cantilever shown in Fig. 10.6(a). This is statically indeterminate to the first degree.

•Instead of identifying an external reaction component as the redundant, we now select the internal moment at point a, M_1 , as the redundant.

•The primary structure is then formed by removing the redundant moment (inserting a hinge as a moment release at point a), which essentially reduces member ab to a simply supported beam





• When the primary structure is subjected to the actual loading as shown in Fig. 10.6(b), a slope discontinuity (角度の非連続性) of θ_{10} occurs at point a that violates the internal compatibility condition (内部 適合条件) for beam continuity.

•Here, the subscript 0 is again used to indicate that a response is associated with the actual loading on the primary structure.











Example 10.6

Determine the internal bending moments at the supports for the structure below. Relative I values are given.



Structure classification

The structure is statically indeterminate to the first degree.





Primary structure and loading

•The internal support moments are shown as follows.

•The force boundary condition at point 1 and 3 require that $M_1=M_3=0$, and M_2 is taken as the redundant moment.

• The primary structure is, therefore, two simply supported beams.

















The most obvious approach which we studied is to select the (m-1) interior reactions as the redundants as shown in Fig. 10.7(b).
 An alternative approach is to select the internal moment at the (m-1) interior support points as redundants as shown in Fig. 10.7(c).
 In the latter case, the primary structure is a series of m simply supported beams.



• In the approach shown in Fig. 10.7(c), the compatibility for the given structure is relaxed at each of the interior support points where continuity of slope is violated.

•The advantage of this selection of redundants is that the required displacement quantities are easily determined for the m simply supported beams.



• Attention is now focused on the two-span section that reaches over the supports i, j and k, as shown in Fig. 10.8(a).

•When the internal moments are removed and the continuous beam is transformed into a series of simply supported beams, there is a slope discontinuity θ_{j0} at support j under actual loading as shown in Fig. 10.8(b).



• Assuming superposition, we multiply each of these discontinuity by the actual value of the respective redundant moment and combine them with the discontinuity θ_{j0} to obtain the total discontinuity θ_j . • Since θ_j is zero in the given structure, the final compatibility equation at point j becomes $D_{ji}M_i + D_{jj}M_j$ $+ D_{jk}M_k + \theta_{j0} = \theta_j = 0$ (10.19) To correct the compatibility requirements for the original structure, introduce M_i, M_j and M_k through three separate loading conditions as shown in Fig. 10.8(c).
 The discontinuity in slope at point j corresponding to each of these unit moment cases are shown as D_{ji}, D_{jj} and D_{ik},

Fig. 10.8(c)

 $M_{1} = 1$

respectively, which

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are flexibility



$$\frac{l_i}{I_i}M_i + \left(\frac{2l_i}{I_i} + \frac{2l_j}{I_j}\right)M_j + \frac{l_k}{I_k}M_k = -6E\theta_{j0} \quad (10.21)$$
• For the complete structure, the slope discontinuities that occur at all of the interior supports must be corrected.
• Thus, for the structure of Fig. 10.7, Eq. (10.21) must be applied with j=2, 3, ..., m.

•However, each of the (m-1) compatibility equations involves only three moments; the moment at the point where compatibility is being considered and the moments at the far ends of the spans to the left and the right.





● From this reason, Eq. (10.21) is commonly referred to as the three-moment equations (3連モーメ ント方程式).

•The original presentation was given in 1857 by the French engineer Clapeyron (クラペイロン).



• For fixed-end beams, such as the one shown in Fig. 10.9, there is an additional redundant moment at each fixed end.

•Although a special form of the three-moment equation could be formulated for this case, a convenient artifice is to replace the fixed end by an imaginary end span of zero length.

•The three-moment equation is then applied at the end support points as well as the interior points.



EXAMPLE 10.7

Determine the support moments for the structure given in Example 10.6 by applying the three-moment equation.



Structure classification

As already studied in Example 10.6, this structure is statically indeterminate to the first degree













