ARCH 614: Practice Quiz 5

Note: No aids are allowed for part 1. One side of a letter sized paper with notes is allowed during part 2, along with a silent, non-programmable calculator. There are no reference charts for part 2.

Clearly show your work and answer.

Part 1) Worth 5 points
(conceptual questions)

Part 2) Worth 45 points

(NOTE: The dimensions, sizes and connectors can and will be changed for the quiz! The shape will still consist of four timber members.)

A lintel beam 20 ft long is used in carrying the imposed loads. It is a built up section 8.25” deep of 2 x 8 sides with a 2 x 4 top (2 nails) and a 1 in. x 8 in. plywood bottom (4 nails) as shown. The centroid and moment of inertia for bending about the x axis are given in the figure. Find:

a) The maximum shear stress for the section, $f_v$.

b) The required shear capacity of the nails for the top [or bottom] connected piece if the pitch spacing is 4.5 inches.

A rigid frame has the shear and bending moment diagrams shown.

c) Sketch the deflected shape on the frame outline below.

Answers – Not provided on actual quiz!

a) $f_v = 103$ psi ($Q_{m} = 43.5$ or 43.4 in$^3$)

b) $F \geq 285$ lb ($Q_{top} = 17.8$ in) [or 231 lb ($Q_{bottom} = 28.9$ in)]

c) see figure

Disclaimer: Answers have NOT been painstakingly researched.