

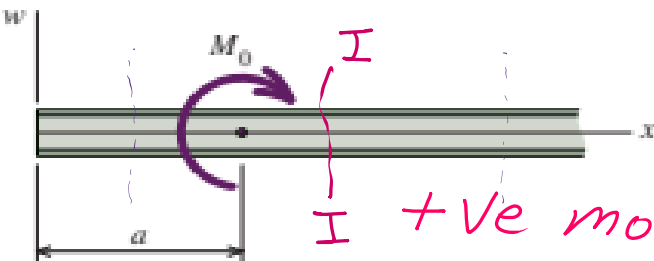
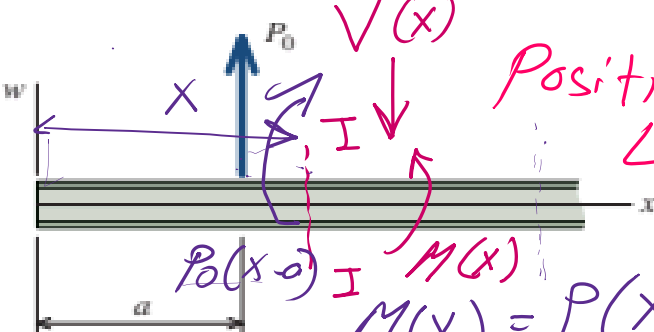
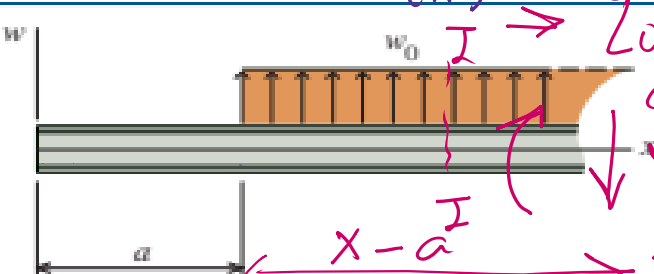
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$$\sum X = 0 \quad \& \quad \sum Y = 0$$

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Chapter 7-4



Table 7.2 Basic Loads Represented by Discontinuity Functions

Case	Load on Beam	Discontinuity Expressions
1	 <p>M_0 a x</p>	$w(x) = M_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-2}$ $\downarrow V(x) = M_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-1}$ $\downarrow M(x) = M_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0 \Rightarrow \text{step function}$
2	 <p>P_0 a x</p>	$w(x) = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-1} = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-1}$ $\downarrow V(x) = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0 = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0$ $\downarrow M(x) = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^1 = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^1$
3	 <p>w_0 a x</p>	$w(x) = w_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0$ $V(x) = w_0 \langle x - a \rangle^1$ $M(x) = \frac{w_0}{2} \langle x - a \rangle^2$

$\sum M = 0$

$M(x)$ M_0

$M(x) - M_0$ $M(x)$

$= 0$

$V(x)$ P_0

a

$P(x-a)$

x

$w(x)$

a

L

(3)

I +ve moment

Positive Load

$V(x)$

I

$M(x)$

$M(x) = P(x-a)$

$P_0(x-a)$

I

$M(x)$

$M(x) = P(x-a)$

w_0

$I \rightarrow$ Load continues

$V(x)$

$M(x)$

$x-a$

$w(x) = M_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-2}$

$\downarrow V(x) = M_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-1}$

$\downarrow M(x) = M_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0 \Rightarrow \text{step function}$

Macaulay's Function

$V(x)$

$+M_0$

a

x

$w(x) = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-1} = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^{-1}$

$\downarrow V(x) = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0 = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0$

$\downarrow M(x) = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^1 = P_0 \langle x - a \rangle^1$

$w(x) = w_0 \langle x - a \rangle^0$

$V(x) = w_0 \langle x - a \rangle^1$

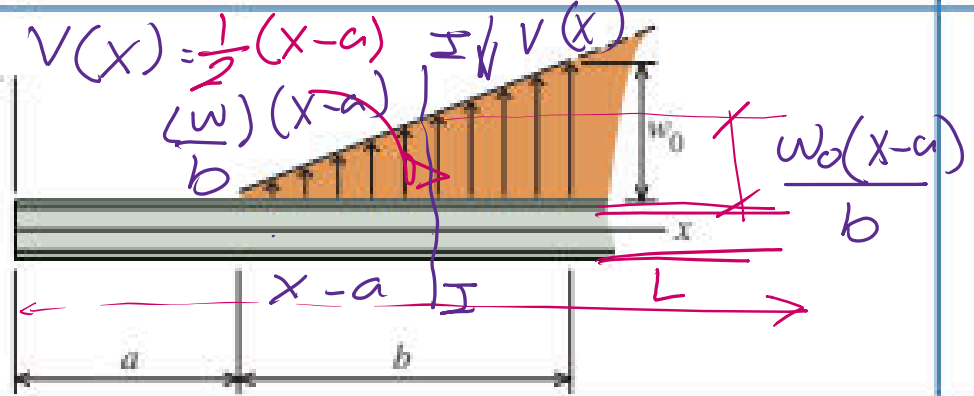
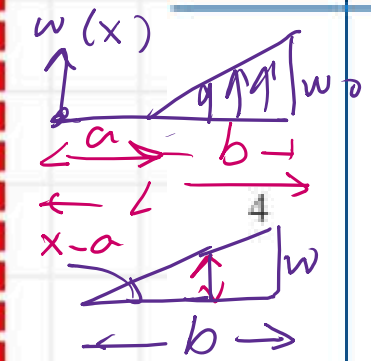
$M(x) = \frac{w_0}{2} \langle x - a \rangle^2$

Macaulay's function

$w_0(x-a)(\frac{x-a}{2}) = M$

Load Continues

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$$w(x) = \frac{w_0}{b} \langle x - a \rangle^1$$

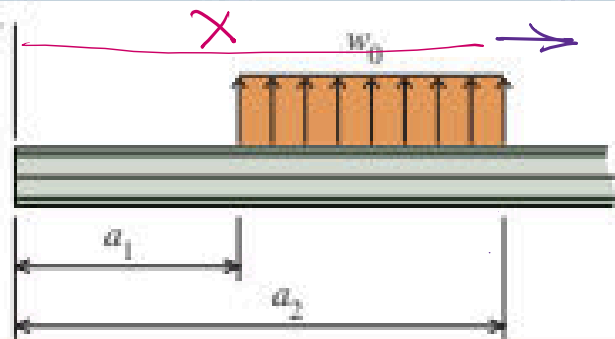
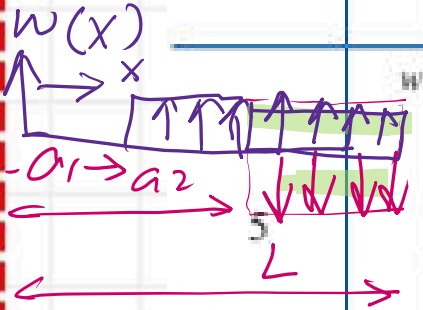
$$\downarrow$$

$$V(x) = \frac{w_0}{2b} \langle x - a \rangle^2$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$M(x) = \frac{w_0}{6b} \langle x - a \rangle^3$$

Macaulay's



Limited width

$$w(x) = w_0 \langle x - a_1 \rangle^0 - w_0 \langle x - a_2 \rangle^0$$

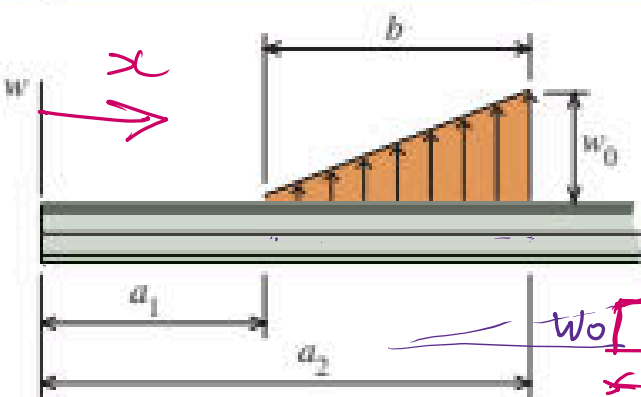
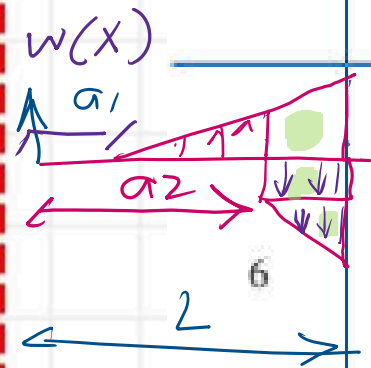
$$\downarrow$$

$$V(x) = w_0 \langle x - a_1 \rangle^1 - w_0 \langle x - a_2 \rangle^1$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$M(x) = \frac{w_0}{2} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^2 - \frac{w_0}{2} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^2$$

Macaulay's



Limited width

$$w(x) = \frac{w_0}{b} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^1 - \frac{w_0}{b} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^1 - w_0 \langle x - a_2 \rangle^0$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$V(x) = \frac{w_0}{2b} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^2 - \frac{w_0}{2b} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^2 - w_0 \langle x - a_2 \rangle^1$$

$$\downarrow$$

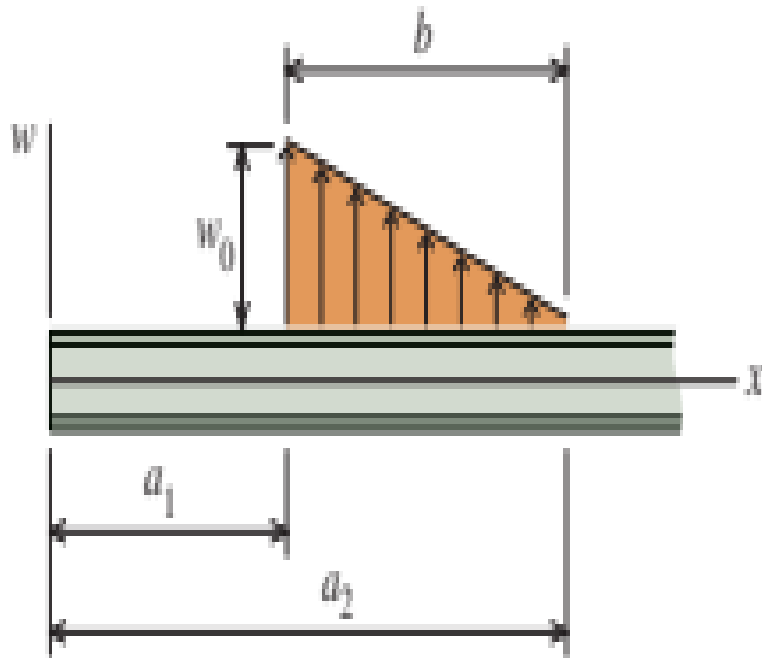
$$M(x) = \frac{w_0}{6b} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^3 - \frac{w_0}{6b} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^3 - \frac{w_0}{2} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^2$$

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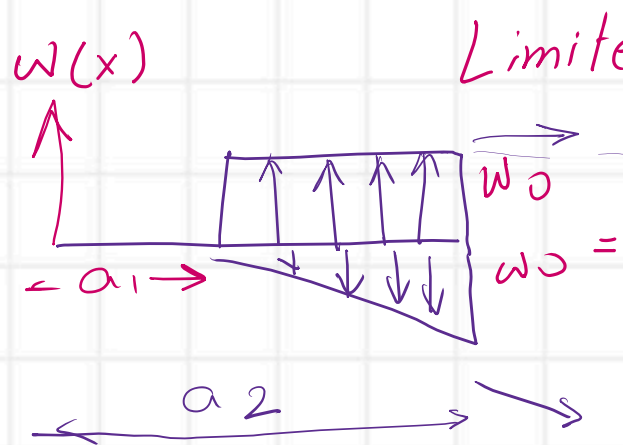
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$$w(x) = w_0 \langle x - a_1 \rangle^0 - \frac{w_0}{b} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^1 + \frac{w_0}{b} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^1$$

$$V(x) = w_0 \langle x - a_1 \rangle^1 - \frac{w_0}{2b} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^2 + \frac{w_0}{2b} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^2$$

$$M(x) = \frac{w_0}{2} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^2 - \frac{w_0}{6b} \langle x - a_1 \rangle^3 + \frac{w_0}{6b} \langle x - a_2 \rangle^3$$



Limited width

