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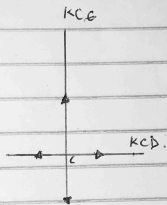
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CIVIL ENGR.

CVE 304

STRUCTURAL MECHANICS.

ASSIGNMENT ONE.



Joint C.

Resolving Horizontally.

$$BC = 50 \text{ kN}$$

$$\therefore -BC + DC = 0$$

$$-50 + DC = 0$$

$$DC = 50 \text{ kN (Tension).}$$

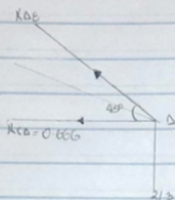
Resolving Vertically.

$$-BC + FC = 0$$

$$-50 + FC = 0$$

$$FC = 50 \text{ kN (Tension).}$$

Joint D



Resolving Horizontally

$$-50 - DE \cos 45 = 0$$

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$$-50 = DE \cos 45$$

$$DE = \frac{-50}{\cos 45}$$

$$\cos 45$$

$$= -70.71 \text{ kN (COMPRESSION)}$$

2)

Member	l (m)	P (kN)	a (m <sup>2</sup> )	$P = \frac{P}{a}$ (kN/m <sup>2</sup> )	$\mu$	$P \mu l$
AF	4.24	-70.71	0.0004	-176715	-0.471	353026.75
AB	3	50	0.0004	125000	0.333	12487.5
BC	3	50	0.0004	125000	0.666	249750
BF	3	50	0.0004	125000	0.333	12487.5
FE	3	50	0.0004	125000	-0.333	-12487.5
BE	4.24	0	0.0004	<del>125000</del>	-0.471	0
EC	3	50	0.0004	125000	1.000	37500
EA	4.24	-70.71	0.0004	-176715	-0.942	706053.5
CA	3	50	0.0004	125000	0.666	249750

$$\sum P \mu l = 1608567.5$$

$$P_{ul} = \sum P \mu l \quad 1608567.5$$