

8-22. See Fig. P8-22. Determine the moment of inertia I_x of the shaded area about the x axis.
 Solution.

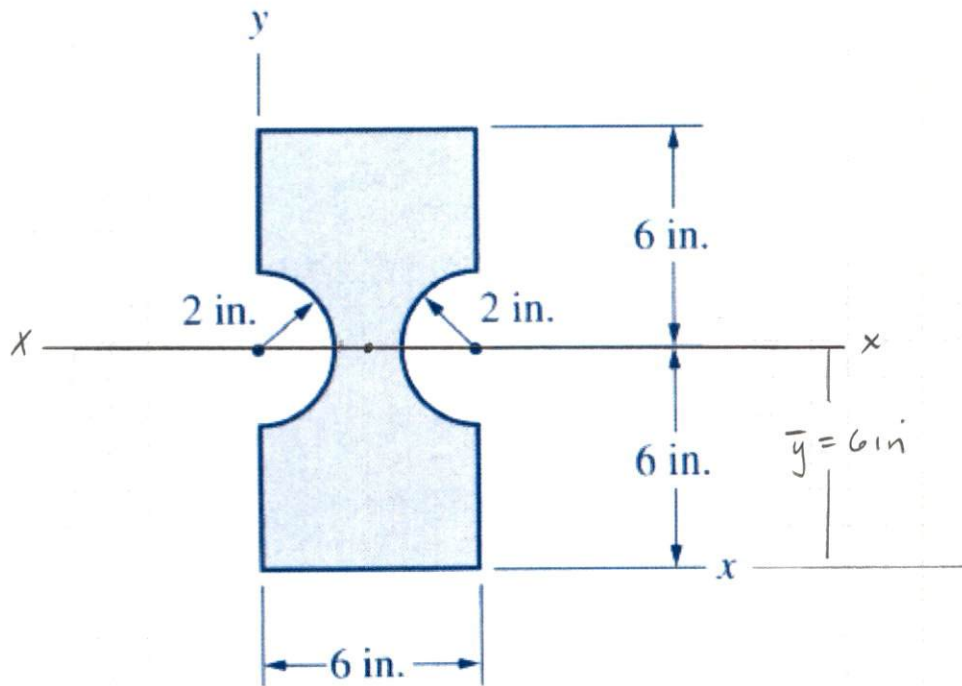
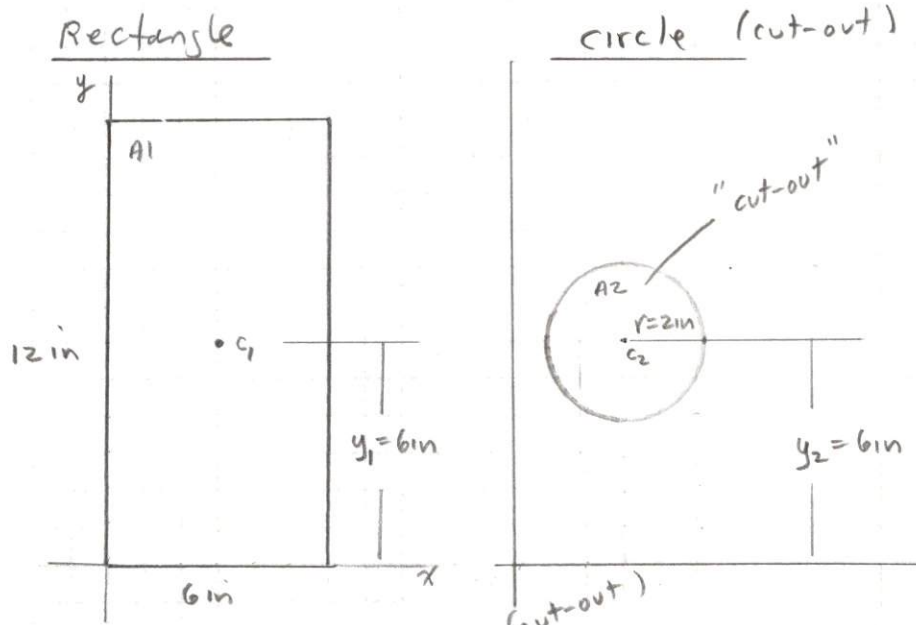


Table 8-2

Rectangle, $I = \frac{bh^3}{12}$

circle, $I = \frac{\pi r^4}{4}$

The area is a rectangle with a circle "cut-out"



$$\begin{aligned}
 I_x &= [(I_x)_1 + A_1 y_1^2] - [(I_x)_2 + A_2 y_2^2] \\
 &= \left[\frac{6 \text{ in} (12 \text{ in})^3}{12} + 6 \text{ in} (12 \text{ in}) (6 \text{ in})^2 \right] - \left[\frac{\pi (2 \text{ in})^4}{4} + \pi (2 \text{ in})^2 (6 \text{ in})^2 \right] \\
 &= 3456 \text{ in}^4 - 465 \text{ in}^4 \\
 &= \underline{\underline{2990 \text{ in}^4}}
 \end{aligned}$$