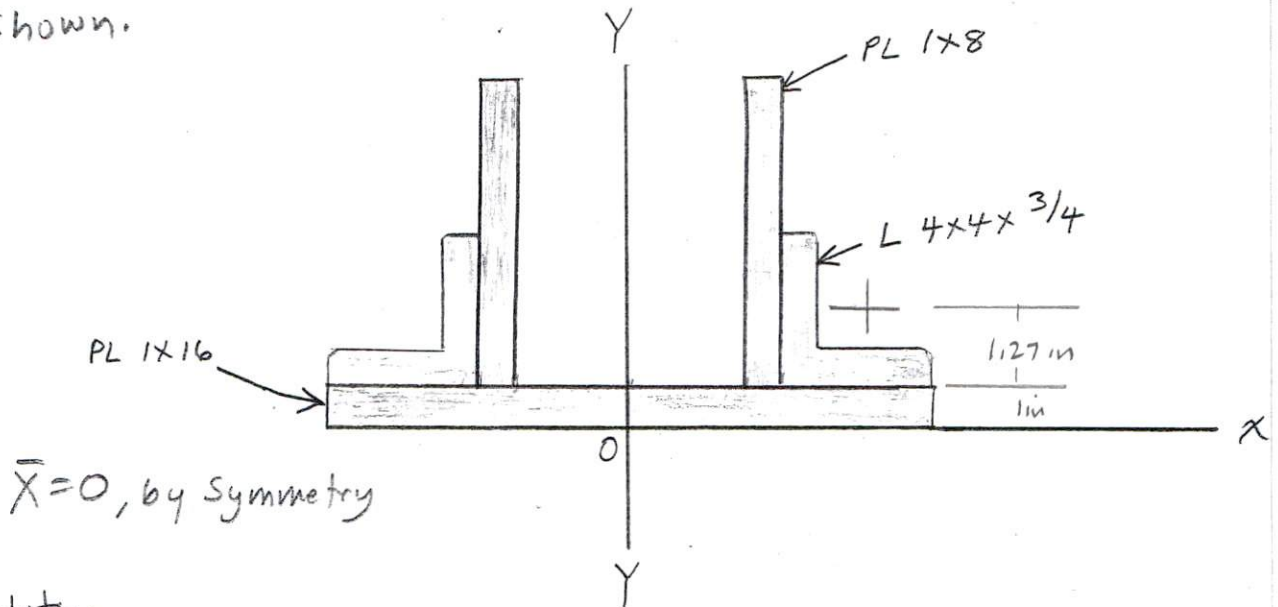


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Name Solution

1. For the Built-Up structural steel section determine the location of the centroid for the Reference axis shown.

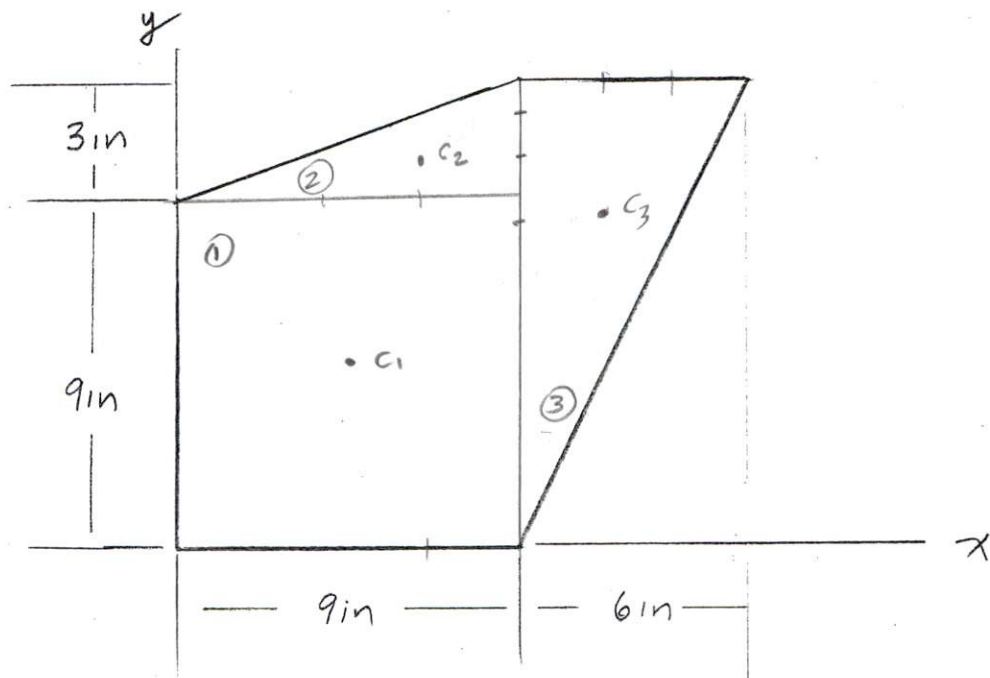


Solution.

SHAPE	A (in ²)	y (in)	Ay (in ³)
PL 1x16	16	1/2	8
L 4x4x3/4	5.44	2.27	12.3488
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PL 1x8	8	5	40
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Σ	42.88		Σ 112.6976

$$\bar{y} = \frac{112.6976 \text{ in}^3}{42.88 \text{ in}^2} = \underline{\underline{2.63 \text{ in}}}$$

2. Determine the centroid for the composite area for the given reference axis.



Solution.

Shape	A (in ²)	x (in)	Ax (in ³)	y (in)	Ay (in ³)
①	$9 \times 9 = 81$	4.5	364.5	4.5	364.5
②	$\frac{1}{2}(9)(3) = 13.5$	6	81	10	135
③	$\frac{1}{2}(12)(6) = 36$	11	396	8	288
Σ	130.5	Σ	841.5	Σ	787.5

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\Sigma Ax}{\Sigma A} = \frac{841.5 \text{ in}^3}{130.5 \text{ in}^2} = \underline{\underline{6.45 \text{ in}}}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{\Sigma Ay}{\Sigma A} = \frac{787.5 \text{ in}^3}{130.5 \text{ in}^2} = \underline{\underline{6.03 \text{ in}}}$$