

A view of mid-part of a dry cargo ship, whose main particulars are as follows, is shown in Figure 1:

$$L = 100 + 5 \times n \text{ [m]}; \quad B = (L / 7.0); \quad T = (B / 2.5); \quad D = H = (L / 12.0); \quad C_B = 0.72; \quad V_0 = 16 \text{ [knots]}$$

,where “n” is the last digit of your student ID.

QUESTIONS

1. Determine the dimensions of the spotted structural member as “Q1”, which may be considered as a console beam, using first principles of “Strength of Materials” (that is, $\sigma_{\max} \leq \sigma_{\text{SAFE}} = 150 \text{ [MPa]}$).

Note that a console beam is fixed at one end and free at the other end. (50 points)

2. Determine the scantlings of the spotted structural member as “Q2” using GL Rules. (35 points)

- Frame spacing will be found from the following formula: $a = (L / 500) + 0.48 \text{ [m]}$
- Normal stress at the bottom of the ship due to longitudinal bending: $\sigma_{\text{LB}} = 120 \text{ [N/mm}^2\text{]}$
- The vertical distance between the neutral axis and the base line (BL) is approximately equal: $0.4 \times D$

3. Calculate the midship section modulus (SM) of the dry cargo ship whose view is given in Figure 1. Then compare it with the minimum midship section modulus ($W_{\min}$) required by GL. All the necessary thicknesses needed for the calculation may be found by the following simple formula, where L is in $[m]$ (35 points):

$$t = \sqrt{L} \text{ [mm]} \quad (\text{Remember that a standard thickness value should be used!})$$

$$\text{Also remember that: } y_{NA} = \sum A_i y_i / \sum A_i \quad ; \quad I_{NA} = \sum I_i + \sum A_i d_i^2 \quad \text{and} \quad SM = I_{NA} / y_{\max}$$

Normal strength steel ($R_{eH}=235 \text{ [MPa]}$) is used. Service range is unlimited. The distance between solid (plate) floors is $4a$.

Any other assumptions that may be needed for the calculations should be clearly stated. (90 minutes allowed)

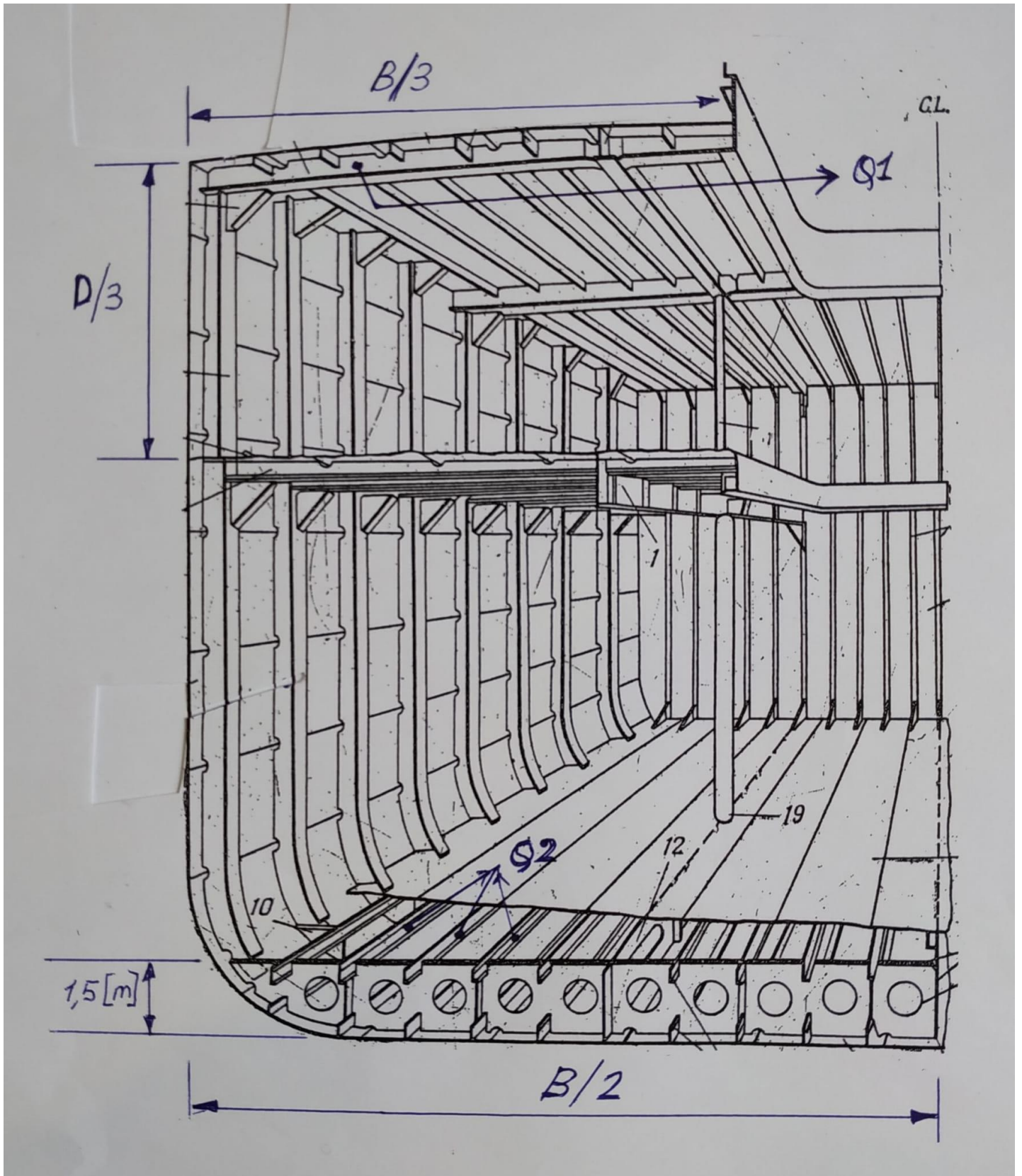


Figure 1