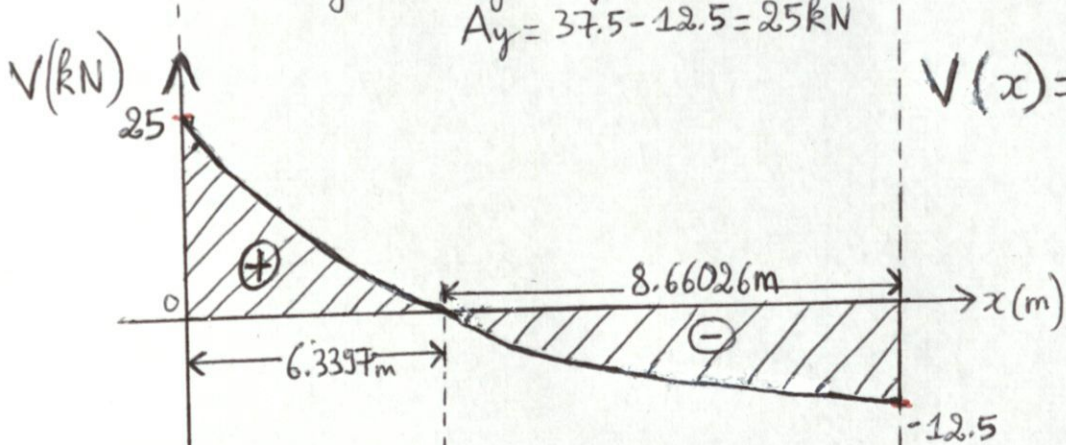
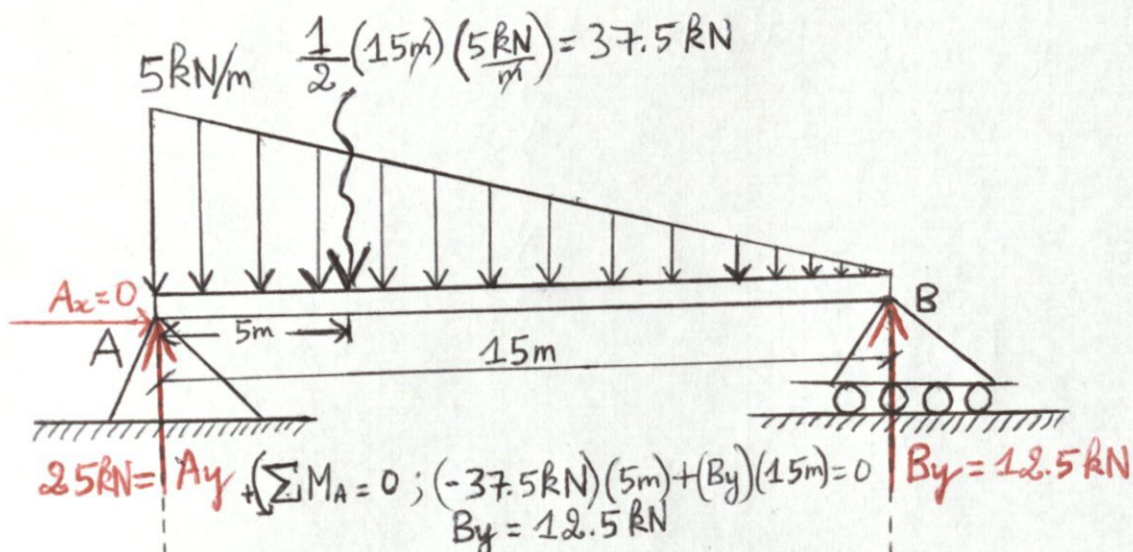
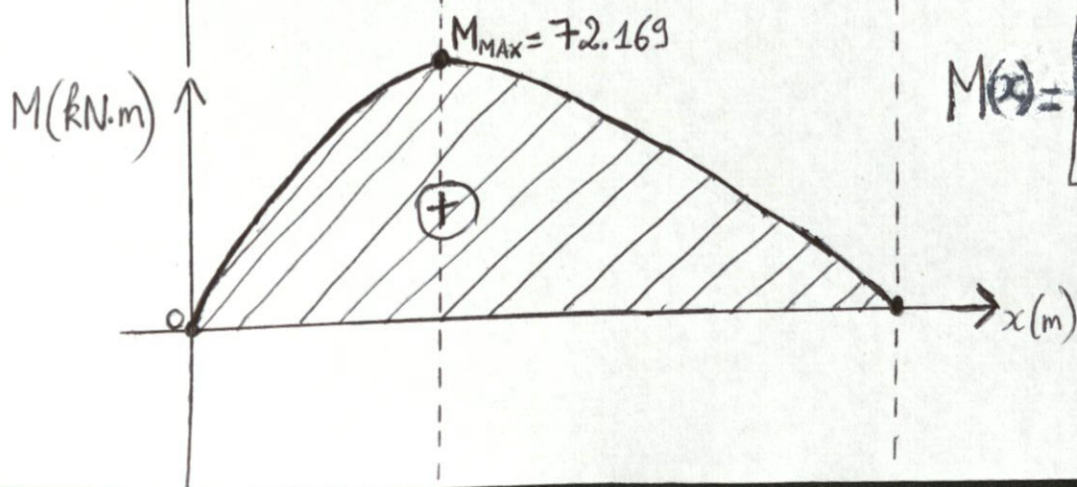


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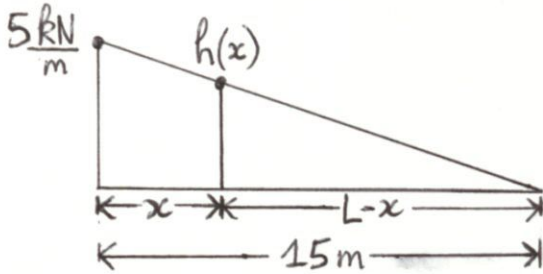
$$V(x) = \left[\frac{(15-x)^2}{6} - 12.5 \right] \text{ kN}$$



$$M(x) = \left[\frac{-(15-x)^3}{18} + 12.5(15-x) \right] \text{ kN.m}$$

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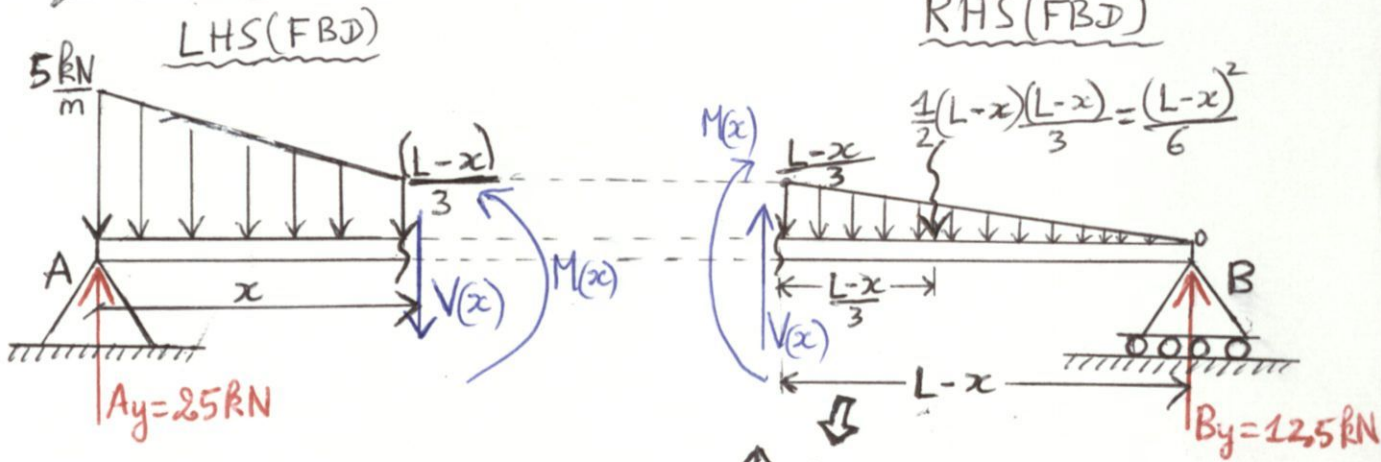
Using Similar Triangles, find $h(x)$



$$\frac{5 \text{ kN/m}}{15 \text{ m}} = \frac{h(x)}{L-x}$$

$$h(x) = \frac{(L-x)}{3}$$

Cut the beam to find the equation of V & M



$$V(x) = \left[\frac{(15-x)^2}{6} - 12.5 \right] \text{ kN} \quad \leftarrow L=15 \text{ m} \quad \rightarrow V(x) = \left[\frac{(L-x)^2}{6} - 12.5 \right] \text{ kN}$$

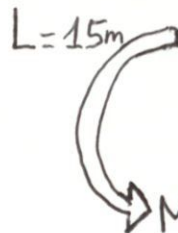
$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0$$

$$V(x) + 12.5 = \frac{(L-x)^2}{6}$$

$$+\circlearrowleft \sum M_x = 0$$

$$-M(x) + \left[\frac{-(L-x)^2}{6} \right] \left(\frac{L-x}{3} \right) + (12.5)(L-x) = 0$$

$$M(x) = \left[-\frac{(L-x)^3}{18} + 12.5L - 12.5x \right] \text{ kN-m}$$



$$M(x) = \left[-\frac{(15-x)^3}{18} + 12.5(15-x) \right] \text{ kN-m}$$