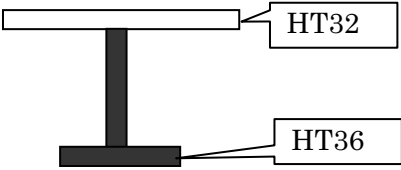
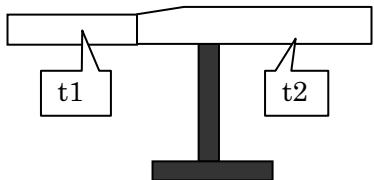


Question for ULS

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Interpretation requested to calculation procedure for ultimate strength by incremental-iterative approach.

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Q1	Shortening curve for a stiffened plate element where material of plate and stiffener are different.	
Q2	Shortening curve for an element where thickness of plate are different. The element can be stiffener or plate.	
Q3	Shortening curve for an element where material and thickness of attached plate are different	