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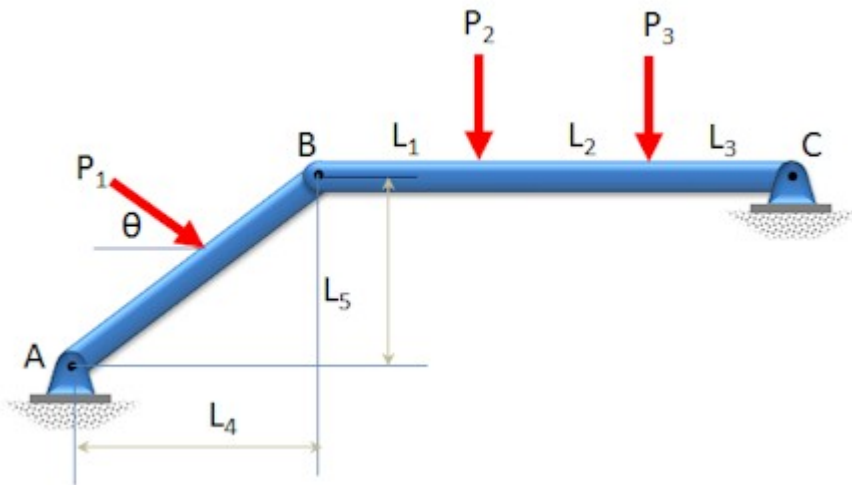
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Assignment: 7.4 Homework Exercises

Question 1: (10 points)

Find the horizontal and vertical components of the reaction at support **C** (+x to the right, +y upward), given:

$P_1 = 300 \text{ N}$ (P_1 acts midway between **A** and **B**), $P_2 = 420 \text{ N}$, $P_3 = 240 \text{ N}$, $L_1 = 3 \text{ m}$, $L_2 = 5 \text{ m}$, $L_3 = 5 \text{ m}$, $L_4 = 4 \text{ m}$, $L_5 = 5 \text{ m}$, $\theta = 25^\circ$.

(ans: $C_x = -519 \text{ N}$, $C_y = 245 \text{ N}$)

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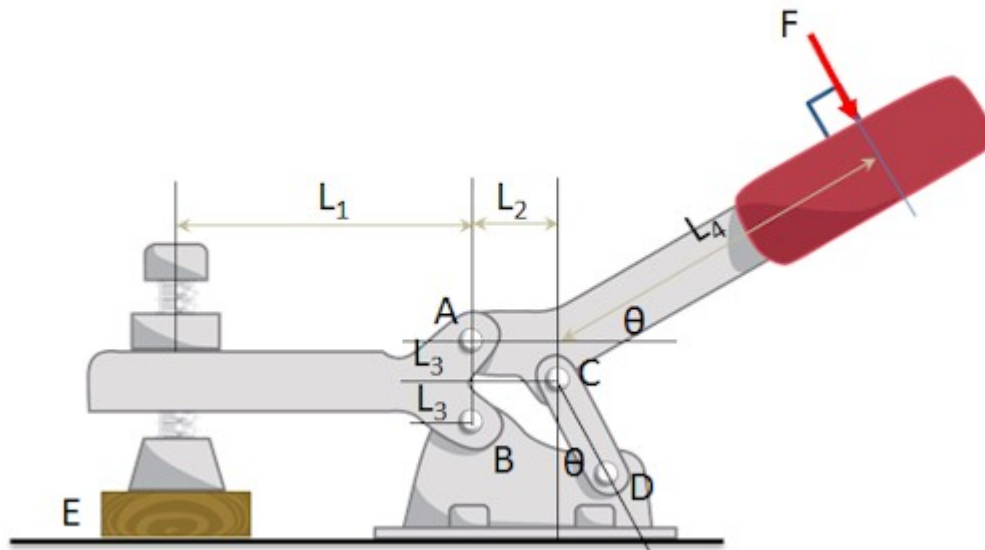
Question 2: (10 points)

The backhoe and its contents have a combined weight of 300 kN and center of gravity at point **G**. Find the resulting force in cylinder **AE** and linkages **AB** and **AD**, indicating whether they are in Tension or Compression. Given:

$L_1 = 300 \text{ mm}$, $L_2 = 75 \text{ mm}$, $L_3 = 450 \text{ mm}$, $\theta = 40^\circ$, $\phi = 60^\circ$.

(ans: $F_{AE} = 846 \text{ kN C}$, $F_{AB} = 962 \text{ kN T}$, $F_{AD} = 628 \text{ kN C}$)

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Question 3: (10 points)

Find the force F that must be applied at the handle to produce a clamping force of 75 lbs at E , given:

$L_1 = 8 \text{ in}$, $L_2 = 2.25 \text{ in}$, $L_3 = 1 \text{ in}$, $L_4 = 10 \text{ in}$, $\theta = 30^\circ$

(ans: $F = 82.8 \text{ lbs}$)

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