

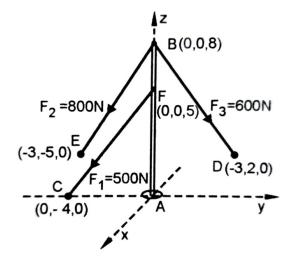
| Semester: Feb. 2023 - June 2023 |
Maximum Marks: 30	Examination: In-Semester Examination	Duration: 1 Hr 15 Min	
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Name of the Constituent College:	Name of the department:	COMP/ETRX/EXTC/IT/MECH	
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(i	SOLUTION CUM MARKING SCHEME  Answer any ONE question.  (i) Determine the resultant of the given coplanar system of forces and a couple. Also locate the resultant on the x axis w.r.t. the origin. Reduce the system to a force couple system at O.	Max. Marks
Q1. A	(i) Determine the resultant of the given coplanar system of forces and a couple. Also locate the resultant on the x axis w.r.t. the origin. Reduce the system to a force couple system at O.	
	system to a force couple system at O.	10
	350 N	
	1.5 m 2 m 2 m 225 N 225 N 400 N 4 m	
	Solution: Calculation of Angles:  100 N	
	350 N 2 m 2 m 353.13° 36.87° 36.87° M = 500 Nm 225 N 225 N 36.87° X 36.87° 200 N	1

∴ $\sum F_x = 200 \cos 36.87^\circ + 100 \cos 53.13^\circ - 400 \cos 36.87^\circ - 225$ ⇒ $\sum F_x = -325 \text{ N or } 325 \text{ N } (\leftarrow)$	1	
∴ $\sum F_y = -200 \sin 36.87^\circ + 100 \sin 53.13^\circ - 400 \sin 36.87^\circ + 350$ ⇒ $\sum F_y = 70 \text{ N (↑)}$		
$\therefore R = \sqrt{(\sum F_x)^2 + (\sum F_y)^2} = \sqrt{325^2 + 70^2} = 332.4 \text{ N}$		
Also, $\tan \theta = \frac{\sum F_y}{\sum F_z} = \frac{70}{325} \Longrightarrow \theta = 12.15^{\circ}$		
Since, $\sum F_x$ is in $\leftarrow$ direction and $\sum F_y$ is in $\uparrow$ direction, the resultant R lies in		
the 2 <sup>nd</sup> quadrant (\(\sigma\)).  For the location of the resultant, let us assume that it is at a distance d to the		
right side of O. Using Varignon's theorem, $\sum M_0^F = M_0^R (\circlearrowleft + ve)$		
$-(200 \sin 36.87^{\circ} \times 3) - (100 \cos 53.13^{\circ} \times 5) +(100 \sin 53.13^{\circ} \times 1.5) + (225 \times 3) - 500 = +(325 \times d)  \therefore d = -1.459 \text{ m Or } d = 1.459 \text{ m to the left of O}$	2	
Let resultant cut the x-axis at a distance x from O. R = 332.4 N x = 6.93		
$\sin \theta = \frac{d}{x} \Rightarrow \sin 12.15^{\circ} = \frac{1.459}{x} \Rightarrow x = 6.93 \text{ m}$ Resultant - Force	1	
To replace the system by a force couple at point O, we shift the resultant to O and introduce a couple with force R and moment arm d.  R = 332.4 N M = 485 Nm		
$M_{O} = -R \times d \text{ (U +ve)}$ $M_{O} = -325 \times 1.459 = -485 \text{ Nm}$ $Or M_{O} = 485 \text{ Nm U}$ Resultant - Force Couple at O	1	
(ii) Force $F_1$ =500 N, $F_2$ = 800 N and $F_3$ = 600 N act on a vertical mast AB as shown. Find the resultant force and couple at the origin	10	
<b>↓</b> z		
Å <sup>B</sup> →		
J F - 3m - 3m		
F <sub>2</sub> F <sub>3</sub>		
E 5m		
3m C A 3m y		
-1m - 4m - 2m -		
<b>^</b> X		



Finding the co-ordinates:



$$\bar{F}_1 = F_1 \cdot \hat{e}_{FC} = 500 \left[ \frac{-4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}}{\sqrt{4^2 + 5^2}} \right] = (-312.3\hat{j} - 390.4\hat{k}) N$$

$$\bar{F}_2 = F_2 \cdot \hat{e}_{BE} = 800 \left[ \frac{-3\hat{\imath} - 5\hat{\jmath} - 8\hat{k}}{\sqrt{3^2 + 5^2 + 8^2}} \right] = \left( -242.4\hat{\imath} - 404\hat{\jmath} - 646.5\hat{k} \right) N$$

$$\bar{F}_3 = F_3 \cdot \hat{e}_{BD} = 600 \left[ \frac{-3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} - 8\hat{k}}{\sqrt{3^2 + 2^2 + 8^2}} \right] = (-205.1\hat{i} + 136.7\hat{j} - 547\hat{k}) N$$

$$\overline{R} = \overline{F}_1 + \overline{F}_2 + \overline{F}_3 = (-312.3\hat{\jmath} - 390.4\hat{k}) + (-242.4\hat{\imath} - 404\hat{\jmath} - 646.5\hat{k}) + (-205.1\hat{\imath} + 136.7\hat{\jmath} - 547\hat{k})$$

$$\therefore \overline{R} = (-447.5\hat{i} - 579.6\hat{j} - 1583.9\hat{k}) N$$

Taking moments of all forces about A (0, 0, 0)

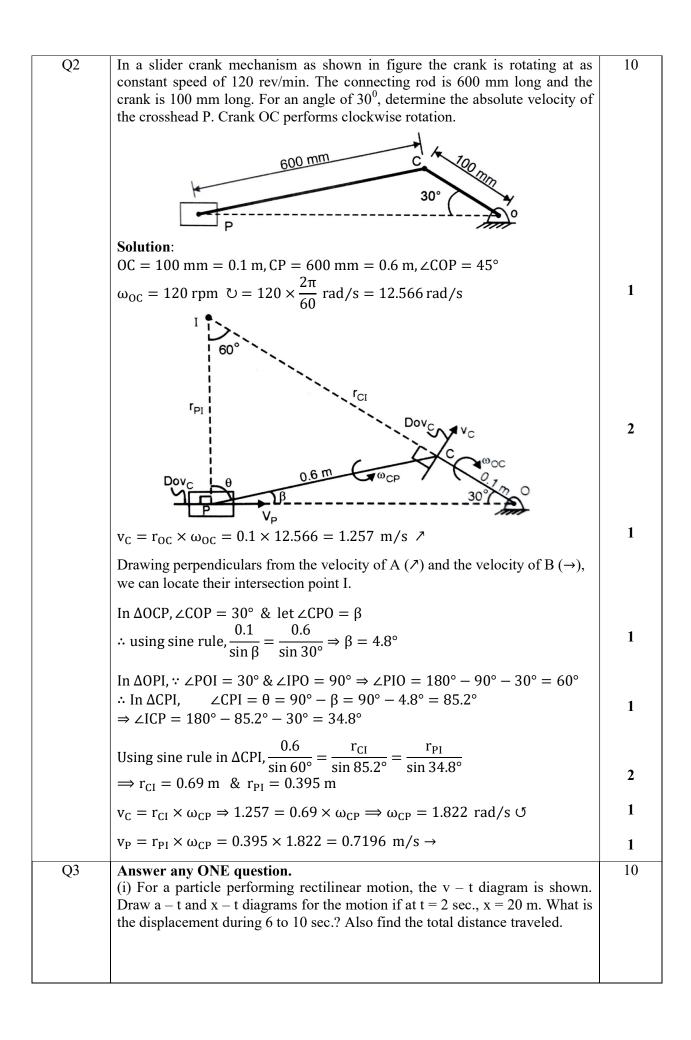
$$\overline{M}_A^{F_1} = \overline{r}_{AC} \times \overline{F}_1 = (-4\hat{\jmath}) \times \left(-312.3\hat{\jmath} - 390.4\hat{k}\right) = (1561.6\hat{\imath}) \text{ Nm}$$

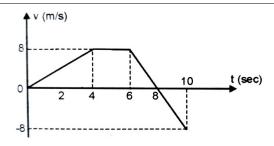
$$\overline{M}_{A}^{F_2} = \overline{r}_{AB} \times \overline{F}_2 = (8\hat{k}) \times (-242.4\hat{i} - 404\hat{j} - 646.5\hat{k})$$
  
= (3232\hat{i} - 1939.2\hat{j}) Nm

$$\bar{M}_{A}^{F_{3}} = \bar{r}_{AB} \times \bar{F}_{3} = (8\hat{k}) \times (-205.1\hat{i} + 136.7\hat{j} - 547\hat{k})$$

$$= (-1093.6\hat{i} - 1640.8\hat{j}) \text{ Nm}$$

$$\begin{split} \overline{M}_A &= \overline{M}_A^{F_1} + \overline{M}_A^{F_2} + \overline{M}_A^{F_3} \\ \overline{M}_A &= (1561.6\hat{\imath}) + (3232\hat{\imath} - 1939.2\hat{\jmath}) + (-1093.6\hat{\imath} - 1640.8\hat{\jmath}) \\ \therefore \overline{M}_A &= (3700\hat{\imath} - 3580\hat{\jmath}) \text{ Nm} \end{split}$$





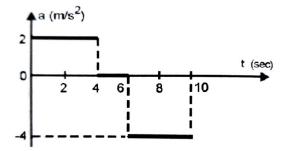
## **Solution:**

Acceleration calculations:  $a = [slope v - t curve]_{at time = t}$ 

$$a_{0-4} = \left[\frac{v_4 - v_0}{\Delta t}\right]_{0-4} = \frac{8 - 0}{4 - 0} = 2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$a_{4-6} = \left[\frac{v_6 - v_4}{\Delta t}\right]_{4-6} = \frac{8 - 8}{6 - 4} = 0$$

$$a_{6-10} = \left[\frac{v_{10} - v_6}{\Delta t}\right]_{6-10} = \frac{-8 - 8}{10 - 6} = -4 \text{ m/s}^2$$



Position calculations:  $x_f = x_i + [AUC v - t]_{t_i - t_f}$ 

Given:  $x_2 = 20$  m, at t = 2 sec

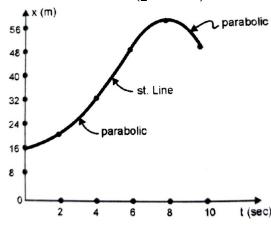
$$x_2 = x_0 + [AUC v - t]_{0-2} \Rightarrow 20 = x_0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 4 \Rightarrow x_0 = 16 \text{ m}$$

$$x_4 = x_0 + [AUC v - t]_{0-4} = 16 + (\frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 8) = 32 \text{ m}$$

$$x_6 = x_4 + [AUC v - t]_{4-6} = 32 + (2 \times 8) = 48 \text{ m}$$

$$x_8 = x_6 + [AUC v - t]_{6-8} = 48 + (\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 8) = 56 \text{ m}$$

$$x_{10} = x_8 + [AUC v - t]_{8-10} = 56 - (\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 8) = 48 \text{ m}$$



Displacement from 6 to 10 seconds = $x_{10} - x_6 = 48 - 48 = 0$	1
Total distance = $ x_{10} - x_8  +  x_8 - x_0  =  48 - 56  +  56 - 16  = 48 \text{ m}$	1
(ii) A particle performing rectilinear motion starts from rest from origin and has its acceleration defined by $a = 25 - v^2$ m/s <sup>2</sup> . Determine the time spent and the particle's position, when $v = 4$ m/s.	10
Solution:	
$a = 25 - v^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} = 25 - v^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{25 - v^2} = dt$	1
At $t = 0$ , $v = 0 \Rightarrow \int_0^v \frac{dv}{25 - v^2} = \int_0^t dt \Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{10} \ln \left( \frac{5 + v}{5 - v} \right)$	2
$\therefore \text{ at } v = 4 \text{ m/s}, t = \frac{1}{10} \ln \left( \frac{5+4}{5-4} \right) = 0.2197 \text{ s}$	1
Using $a = v \frac{dv}{dx} \Rightarrow v dv = (25 - v^2) dx \Rightarrow \frac{v dv}{25 - v^2} = dx$	1
At $v = 0$ , $x = 0 \Rightarrow \int_0^v \frac{v dv}{25 - v^2} = \int_0^x dx \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2} \int_0^v \frac{-2v dv}{25 - v^2}$	2
$x = -\frac{1}{2} \left[ \ln(25 - v^2) \right]_0^v = -0.5 \left[ \ln \frac{(25 - v^2)}{25} \right]$	2
∴ at v = 4 m/s, x = $-0.5 \left[ \ln \frac{(25 - 4^2)}{25} \right] = 0.5108 \text{ m}$	1