

Question 1 [25 marks]

The 6-kg disk rotates about a fixed axis through point O with a clockwise angular velocity $\omega_0 = 10 \text{ rad/s}$ and a counter-clockwise angular acceleration $\alpha_0 = 5 \text{ rad/s}^2$ at the instant shown in Figure Q1. Pin A is fixed to the disk but slides freely within the slotted member BC with a mass of 2 kg.

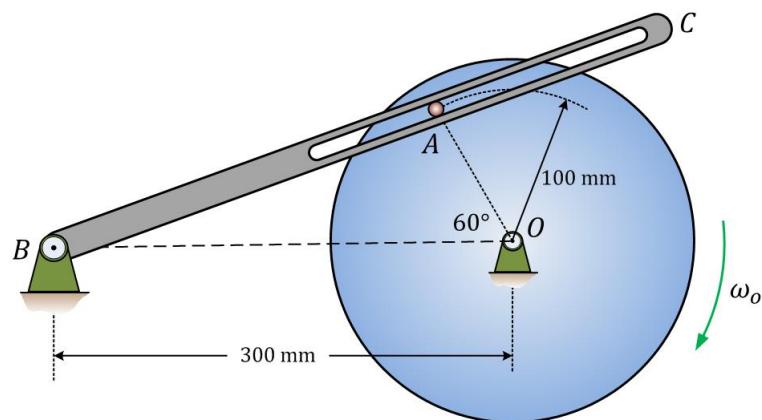


Figure Q1

- Determine the angular velocity (magnitude and direction) of BC and the velocity (magnitude and direction) of pin A relative to slotted member BC .
- Find the acceleration (magnitude and direction) of pin A relative to slotted member BC .
- Find the reaction force exerted on the disk at point A at the instant shown.

Q1 Given: $M_{disk} = 6 \text{ kg}$

$$\omega_0 = 10 \text{ rad/s CW}$$

$$\alpha_0 = 5 \text{ rad/s}^2 \text{ CCW}$$

$$m_{BC} = 2 \text{ kg}$$

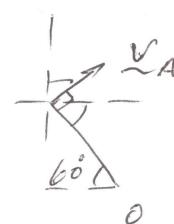
(a) Find ω_{BC} & V_A/p

10 Let pt A' be on link BC, coincident with pt A on the disk.

Point A is moving on the rotating link BC.

$$V_A = V_{A'} + V_{A/A'}$$

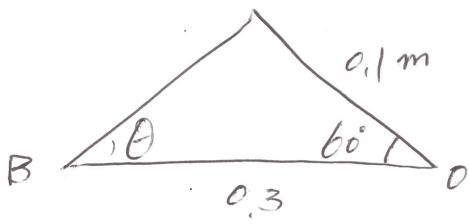
$$V_A = \omega_0 \cdot \bar{OA} = \omega_0 r = 10(0.1) = 1.0 \text{ m/s}$$



$$V_{A'} = \omega_{BC} \cdot \bar{BA}' = \omega_{BC} \cdot \bar{BA}$$

$$\text{Find } \bar{BA}' = \bar{BA}$$

A'(A)



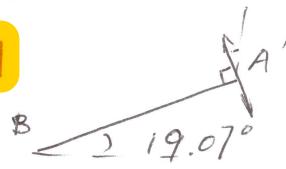
$$\begin{aligned} \bar{BA} &= \sqrt{\bar{OA}^2 + \bar{OB}^2 - 2\bar{OA} \cdot \bar{OB} \cos 60^\circ} \\ &= \sqrt{0.1^2 + 0.3^2 - 2(0.1)(0.3) \cos 60^\circ} \\ &= \sqrt{0.1 - 0.03} = 0.265 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{0.1} = \frac{\sin 60}{0.265}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{0.1}{0.265} \sin 60 = 0.3268$$

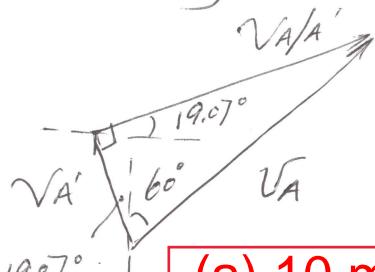
$$\theta = 19.07^\circ$$

$$\text{Therefore } V_A = 0.265 \omega_{BC}$$



$$V_{A/A'} = ? \quad \angle 19.07^\circ$$

Draw the velocity vector diagram



(a) 10 marks

$$\begin{aligned} V_{A'} &= V_A \cos(19.07 + 60) \\ &= 1(\cos 79.07) = 0.190 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$

$$\omega_{BC} = \frac{V_{A'}}{\bar{BA}} = \frac{0.190}{0.265} = 0.717 \text{ rad/s CCW}$$

$$V_{A/A'} = V_A (\sin 79.07) = 0.982 \text{ m/s}$$

(b) Find $\alpha_A/A' (= \alpha_{A/BC})$

10

$$\alpha_A = \alpha_{A'} + \alpha_{rel} + \alpha_{cor}$$

1

$$\alpha_A = \alpha_{An} + \alpha_{At}$$

$$\alpha_{An} = \omega_0^2 \cdot \bar{OA} = (10)^2 (0.1) = 10 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ at } 60^\circ$$

1

$$= 10 \cos 60^\circ \hat{i} - 10 \sin 60^\circ \hat{j}$$

$$= 5 \hat{i} - 8.66 \hat{j} \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\alpha_{At} = \omega \cdot \bar{OA} = 5(0.1) = 0.5 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$= -0.5 \sin 60^\circ \hat{i} - 0.5 \cos 60^\circ \hat{j}$$

$$= -0.433 \hat{i} - 0.25 \hat{j} \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\alpha_A = (5 - 0.433) \hat{i} - (8.66 + 0.25) \hat{j}$$
$$= 4.567 \hat{i} - 8.91 \hat{j}$$

$$\alpha_{A'} = \alpha_{A'n} + \alpha_{At'}$$

$$\alpha_{A'n} = \omega_{BC}^2 \bar{BA} = (0.717)^2 (0.265) = 0.136 \text{ m/s}^2 \text{ at } 19.07^\circ$$

$$= -0.136 \cos 19.07^\circ \hat{i} - 0.136 \sin 19.07^\circ \hat{j}$$

$$= -0.129 \hat{i} - 0.044 \hat{j} \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\alpha_{At'} = \omega_{BC} \bar{BA} = 0.265 \omega_{BC}$$

$$= -0.265 \omega_{BC} \sin 19.07^\circ \hat{i} + 0.265 \omega_{BC} \cos 19.07^\circ \hat{j}$$

$$= -0.0866 \omega_{BC} \hat{i} + 0.025 \omega_{BC} \hat{j}$$

$$\alpha_{A'} = (-0.129 - 0.0866 \omega_{BC}) \hat{i} + (0.025 \omega_{BC} - 0.044) \hat{j}$$

$$\alpha_{A/A'} = \alpha_{rel} = ? \text{ at } 19.07^\circ$$

$$= \alpha_{rel} \cos 19.07^\circ \hat{i} + \alpha_{rel} \sin 19.07^\circ \hat{j}$$

$$= 0.945 \alpha_{rel} \hat{i} + 0.327 \alpha_{rel} \hat{j}$$

$$\alpha_{cor} = 2\omega_{BC} \alpha_{A/A'} = 2(0.717)(0.982) = 1.408 \text{ m/s}^2$$

1

α_{rel}
 ω_{BC}

1

(direction)

$$= -1.408 \sin 19.07^\circ \hat{i} + 1.408 \cos 19.07^\circ \hat{j}$$

$$= -0.46 \hat{i} + 1.33 \hat{j}$$

Group the i terms

$$4.567 = -0.129 - 0.0866 \omega_{bc} + 0.945 \alpha_{rel} - 0.46 \\ \Rightarrow 0.0866 \omega_{bc} = -5.156 + 0.945 \alpha_{rel}$$

$$\omega_{bc} = -59.538 + 10.912 \alpha_{rel}$$

(1)

1
approach

Group the j terms

$$-8.91 = 0.25 \omega_{bc} - 0.44 + 0.327 \alpha_{rel} + 1.331 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Sub(1) into (2)} \quad -10.197 = 0.25(-59.538 + 10.912 \alpha_{rel}) + 0.327 \alpha_{rel}$$

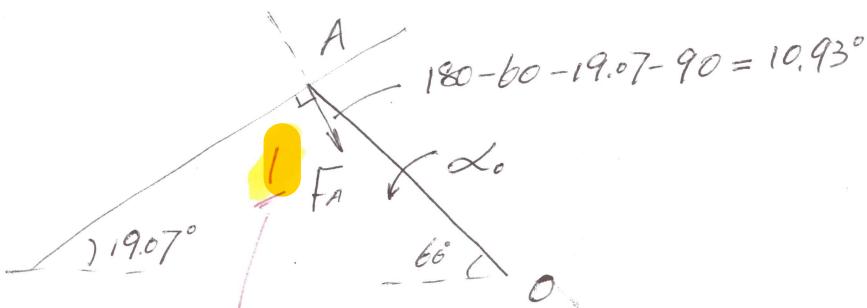
$$46875 = 3.055 \alpha_{rel}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_{rel} = \frac{\alpha_A}{A/A'} = 1.534 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad \angle 19.07^\circ$$

(b) 10 marks

(c) Find F_A

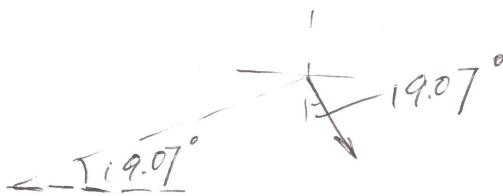
$$\sum M_O = I_o \cdot \alpha_o$$



FBD & direction of F_A

$$\Rightarrow F_A = \frac{0.03(5)}{(sin 10.93)(0.1)} = 7.91 \text{ N}$$

direction



(c) 5 marks

Question 2 [25 marks]

A two-story building frame is modelled as shown in Figure Q2. The floor framing comprises rigid girders of mass m_1 and m_2 . The columns have flexural rigidities EI_1 and EI_2 where E is the Young's modulus and I is the second moment of inertia of the beam cross section. The columns are assumed to have negligible mass. The stiffness of each column can be computed as:

$$k_i = \frac{24EI_i}{h_i^3} \quad i = 1, 2$$

For axial vibration of each mass in the direction shown, sketch an equivalent translational 2-DOF spring-mass system for the two-story building frame. For $m_1 = 2m$, $m_2 = m$, $h_1 = h_2 = h$ and $EI_1 = EI_2 = EI$, determine the natural frequencies and modeshapes of the frame. Sketch the modeshapes in terms of the displacement amplitude of m_1 with respect to the displacement amplitude of m_2 .

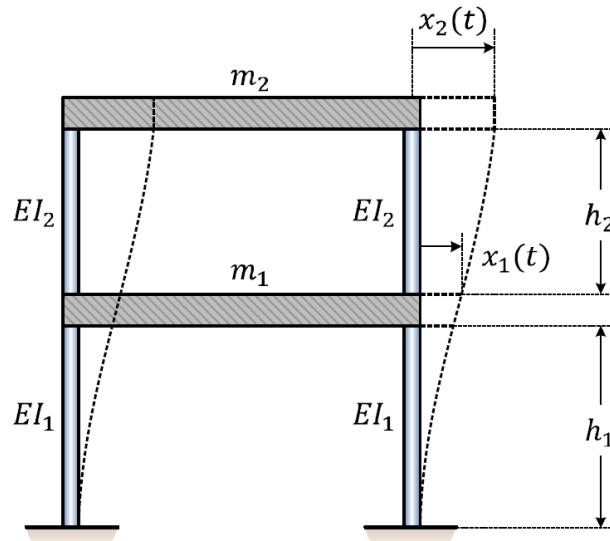
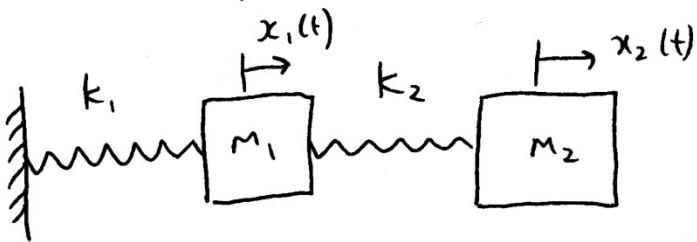


Figure Q2

Q2

Equivalent system is given by

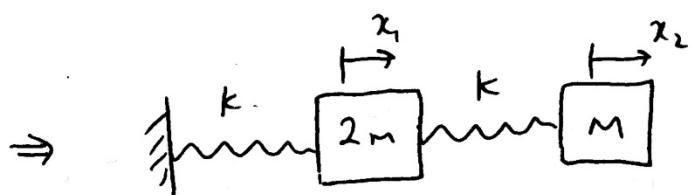


$$k_i = \frac{2(24EI_i)}{h_i^3}, \quad i = 1, 2$$

(2 columns in parallel for each mass)

$$\Rightarrow k_1 = k_2 = k = \frac{48EI}{h^3}$$

Given $m_1 = 2m$, $m_2 = m$



Equations of motion

$$2m\ddot{x}_1 = -kx_1 - kx_1 + kx_2 \quad (2)$$

$$m\ddot{x}_2 = -kx_2 + kx_1 \quad (2)$$

5 marks

For harmonic motion

$$x_1(t) = A_1 \sin \omega t \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$x_2(t) = A_2 \sin \omega t$$

$$\Rightarrow (2k - 2m\omega^2)A_1 - kA_2 = 0 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$-kA_1 + (k - m\omega^2)A_2 = 0 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

In matrix form

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2k - 2m\omega^2 & -k \\ -k & k - m\omega^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A_1 \\ A_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

(Characteristic equation)

$$(2k - 2m\omega^2)(k - m\omega^2) - k^2 = 0 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$2m^2\omega^4 - 4km\omega^2 + k^2 = 0$$

$$\text{put } \omega_0 = \sqrt{k/m} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$2\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_0}\right)^4 - 4\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_0}\right)^2 + 1 = 0 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_{n_1} = 0.541\omega_0, \quad \omega_{n_2} = 1.307\omega_0$$

\textcircled{1}

\textcircled{1}

9 marks

$$\text{Since } k = \frac{48EI}{h^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_{n_1} = 0.541 \sqrt{\frac{48EI}{mh^3}} = 3.75 \sqrt{\frac{EI}{mh^3}} \quad (1)$$

$$\omega_{n_2} = 1.307 \sqrt{\frac{48EI}{mh^3}} = 9.05 \sqrt{\frac{EI}{mh^3}} \quad (1)$$

2 marks

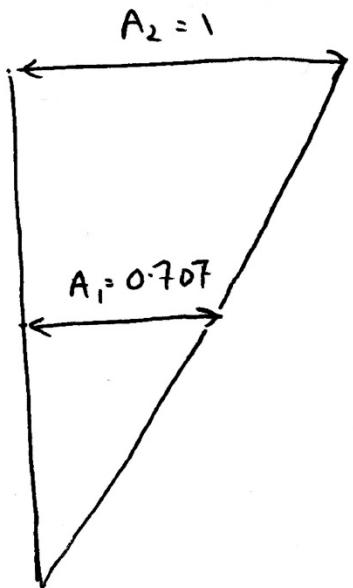
from ①

$$\frac{A_1}{A_2} = \frac{k}{2k - 2m\omega^2} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{at } \omega_{n_1}, \quad \frac{A_1}{A_2} = \frac{k}{2k - 2m(0.541\sqrt{\frac{k}{m}})^2} = 0.707$$

$$\text{at } \omega_{n_2}, \quad \frac{A_1}{A_2} = \frac{k}{2k - 2m(1.307\sqrt{\frac{E}{m}})^2} = -0.707$$

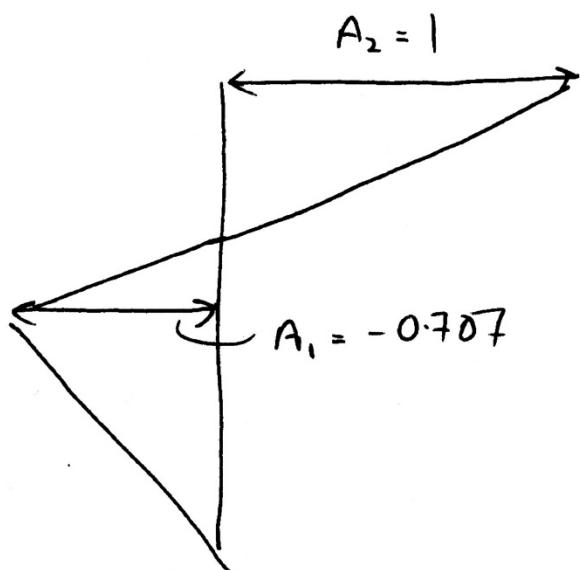
3 marks



$$w_{n_1} = 0.541 \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

(3)

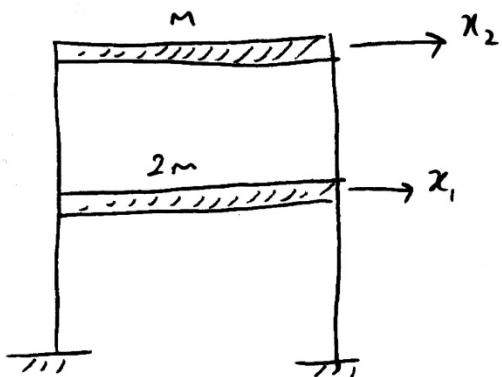
$$= 3.75 \sqrt{\frac{EI}{mh^3}}$$



$$w_{n_2} = 1.307 \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$$

(3)

$$= 9.05 \sqrt{\frac{EI}{mh^3}}$$



6 marks