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ABSTRACT

KEYWORDS: Slider crank mechanism; Four bar mechanism; Six-bar mechanism;

Dynamic analysis; Kinematic analysis; Simulation.

This report explains the detailed process of design and analysis of an experimental setup, which consists of a 3-in-1 mechanism. The setup is designed to perform static, kinematic and dynamic analysis of mechanisms. The design and analysis were performed analytically and numerically by using various commercial software's. The results thus obtained were used to determine the link geometry of the mechanism and in selecting the suitable sensors which in turn will be used for fabrication and instrumentation.

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ABBREVIATIONS

The following list describes the significance of various abbreviations and acronyms used throughout the report.

KDM Kinematics and Dynamics of Machinery

PMSM Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor

CAD Computer Aided Design

CSV Comma Seperated Values

FBD Free Body Diagram

NOTATION

The following notations are used throughout the report.

$\vec{r}_{A/B}$	Position vector of point A with respect to point B, m
ω_{AB}	Angular velocity of link AB, $\frac{rad}{s}$
$ec{V}_{A/B}$	Velocity vector of point A with respect to point B, $\frac{m}{s}$
$\vec{a}_{A/B}$	Acceleration vector of point A with respect to point B, $\frac{m}{s^2}$
α_{AB}	Angular acceleration of link AB, $\frac{rad}{c^2}$

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Motivation and objective

The study of the "Kinematics and Dynamics of Machinery" (IITT course code: ME2206) lies at the very core of a mechanical engineering background. Although, little has changed in the way the subject is presented, our methodology brings the subject alive and current. We present the design and fabrication of a novel experimental setup for carrying out static, kinematic and dynamic analysis of three different mechanisms in a single setup (Figure 1.1). The mechanism is designed to be configurable to three different types of mechanisms namely - double crank, slider crank and a six bar mechanism depending on the use case as shown in Figure 1.2. The mechanism has retrofitted parts (different link lengths and sliders) to facilitate multiple experiments in the same setup.

The learner gets to "play" with the mechanism parameters and immediately understand their effects. This will enhance one's grasp of the concepts and the development of analytical skills. Hence greatly supplementing and reinforcing the theoretical understanding of the undergraduate students taking the course.

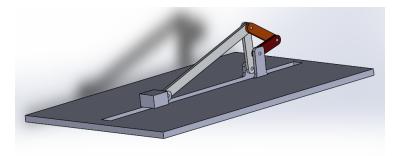


Figure 1.1: CAD model of the mechanism

1.2 Present method(s) and challenges

In the present scenario finding standard mechanisms integrated with different sensor measurement and data acquisition is hard to find. Almost all the mechanisms that are

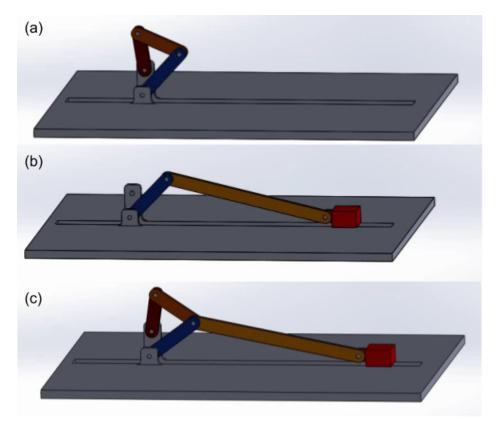


Figure 1.2: Three possible configurations of the mechanism: (a) Four bar, (b) Slider crank and (c) Six bar

available off-the-shelf do not have any data measurement capability and thus can only be used for demonstrations purpose and not as an experimental setup.

In chapter 2 we present thoroughly all the methodologies used in designing and modelling the mechanisms. This includes both the analysis carried out by analytical as well as numerical methods. In the chapter that follows we bring out the various design considerations that has to be taken into account while manufacturing the product. The final two sections present the result(s) and the conclusion(s).

ANALYSIS OF MECHANISMS

2.1 Kinematic analysis

This section presents the methodology employed in order to simulate the kinematics of the various mechanisms. In order to carry out the preliminary analysis of the mechanism, *GeoGebra* an interactive math and geometry software was used. This provided the coarse link lengths required for having the least deviant constant velocity mechanism as shown in Figure 2.4. Once the coarse link lengths were obtained, we developed an in-house Python code that can do iterations on the link lengths so as to minimise any fluctuations in the constant velocity mechanism. The visual output of the Python simulation can be seen in Figure 2.5 while rest of the simulation data is store in a CSV file.

2.1.1 Mathematical formulation

This section brings out the equations of motion associated with the three different mechanisms (Norton, 2011; Uicker *et al.*, 2011). These equations are used to carry out the kinematic and dynamics method theoretically, which then in turn be compared with the numerical solutions obtained by other simulation tools.

Slider crank mechanism

The equations of motion pertaining to the slider crank mechanism (Figure 2.1) are presented in this subsection.

$$\vec{V}_{B/A} = \vec{V}_B - \vec{V}_A \tag{2.1}$$

For link *OA* we have

$$\vec{V}_{A/O} = \vec{\omega}_{AO} \times \vec{r}_{A/O} = \vec{V}_A \tag{2.2}$$

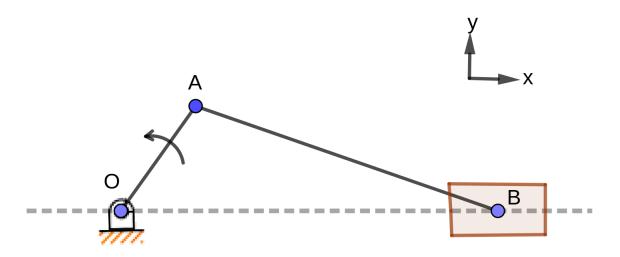


Figure 2.1: Slider crank mechanism

Since 'O' is ground link we have $\vec{V}_O = 0 \implies \vec{V}_{A/O} = \vec{V}_A - \vec{V}_O = \vec{V}_A$. As point B lies on the slider and is moving leftwards it will have velocity along the negative x-direction i.e. $\vec{V}_B = -V_B \hat{i}$; because $\vec{\omega}_{AO} = \omega_{AO} \hat{k}$. For link AB we have

$$\vec{V}_{B/A} = \vec{\omega}_{BA} \times \vec{r}_{B/A} \tag{2.3}$$

Substituting equation 2.3 in equation 2.1 we obtain

$$\vec{\omega}_{BA} \times \vec{r}_{B/A} = \vec{V}_B - \vec{V}_A \tag{2.4}$$

Using equation 2.4 we can find ω_{BA} and V_B . For finding the accelerations we can write

$$\vec{a}_{A/O} = \vec{a}_A = \vec{a}_A^t + \vec{a}_A^n$$
 (2.5a)

$$\vec{a}_A^t = \alpha_{A/O}^{-} \times r_{A/O}^{-} \tag{2.5b}$$

$$\vec{a}_A^n = \vec{\omega_{AO}} \times \vec{\omega_{AO}} \times \vec{r_{A/O}}$$
 (2.5c)

where, \vec{a}_A^t and \vec{a}_A^n denote the tangential and normal acceleration of point A. As point B lies on the slider, we have $\vec{a}_B = a_B \hat{i}$.

$$\vec{a}_{B/A} = \vec{d}_{B/A}^t + \vec{d}_{B/A}^n = \vec{a}_B - \vec{a}_A$$
 (2.6)

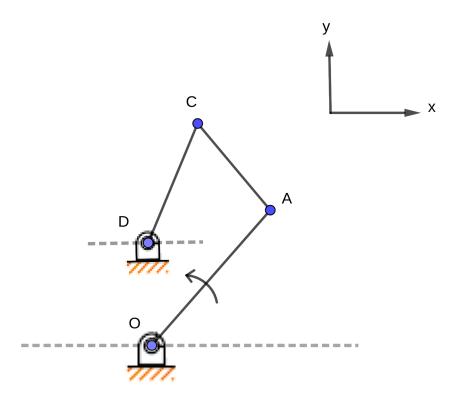


Figure 2.2: Four bar mechanism

Using the above equation we can find α_{BA} and \vec{a}_B .

Four bar mechanism (with four revolute joints)

This subsection lists the mathematical equations pertaining to the four bar mechanism (Figure 2.2).

$$\vec{V}_{A/O} = \vec{\omega}_{AO} \times \vec{r}_{A/O} = \vec{V}_A \tag{2.7a}$$

$$\vec{V}_{C/D} = \vec{\omega}_{CD} \times \vec{r}_{C/D} = \vec{V}_C \tag{2.7b}$$

$$\vec{V}_{A/C} = \vec{\omega}_{AC} \times \vec{r}_{A/C} = \vec{V}_A - \vec{V}_C = \vec{\omega}_{AO} \times \vec{r}_{A/O} - \vec{\omega}_{CD} \times \vec{r}_{C/D}$$
 (2.8)

Using the above equation we can find ω_{CD} and ω_{AC} .

$$\vec{a}_{A/O} = \vec{a}_A = \vec{a}_A^t + \vec{a}_A^n$$
 (2.9a)

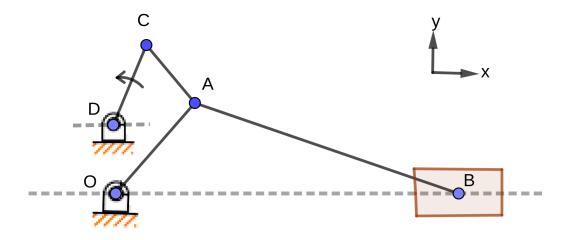


Figure 2.3: Six bar mechanism

$$\vec{a}_{C/D} = \vec{a}_C = \vec{a}_C^t + \vec{a}_C^n$$
 (2.9b)

$$\vec{a}_{A/C} = \vec{a}_{A/C}^t + \vec{a}_{A/C}^n = \vec{a}_A - \vec{a}_C$$
 (2.10)

Here $\vec{a}^t = \vec{\alpha} \times \vec{r}$ and $\vec{a}^n = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$. Using the above equations we can find α_{AC} and α_{CD}

Six bar mechanism

This subsection presents the mathematical equations associated with the six bar mechanism (Figure 2.3).

$$\vec{V}_{C/D} = \vec{\omega}_{CD} \times \vec{r}_{C/D} = \vec{V}_C \tag{2.11}$$

$$\vec{V}_{A/C} = \vec{\omega}_{AC} \times \vec{r}_{A/C} = \vec{V}_A - \vec{V}_C = \vec{\omega}_{AO} \times \vec{r}_{A/O} - \vec{\omega}_{CD} \times \vec{r}_{C/D}$$
 (2.12)

Using the above equation we can find ω_{OA} and ω_{AC} .

$$\vec{V}_{B/A} = \vec{V}_B - \vec{V}_A \tag{2.13}$$

For link OA we have

$$\vec{V}_{A/O} = \vec{\omega}_{AO} \times \vec{r}_{A/O} = \vec{V}_A \tag{2.14}$$

Since 'O' is ground link we have $\vec{V}_O = 0 \implies \vec{V}_{A/O} = \vec{V}_A - \vec{V}_O = \vec{V}_A$. As point B lies on the slider and is moving leftwards it will have velocity along the negative x-direction i.e. $\vec{V}_B = -V_B \hat{i}$; because $\vec{\omega}_{AO} = \omega_{AO} \hat{k}$. For link AB we have

$$\vec{V}_{B/A} = \vec{\omega}_{BA} \times \vec{r}_{B/A} \tag{2.15}$$

Substituting equation 2.15 in equation 2.13 we obtain

$$\vec{\omega}_{BA} \times \vec{r}_{B/A} = \vec{V}_B - \vec{V}_A \tag{2.16}$$

Using equation 2.16 we can find ω_{BA} and V_B .

For finding the accelerations we can write

$$\vec{a}_{C/D} = \vec{a}_C = \vec{a}_C^t + \vec{a}_C^n \tag{2.17}$$

$$\vec{a}_{A/C} = \vec{a}_{A/C}^t + \vec{a}_{A/C}^n = \vec{a}_A - \vec{a}_C$$
 (2.18)

Here $\vec{a}^t = \vec{\alpha} \times \vec{r}$ and $\vec{a}^n = \vec{\omega} \times \vec{\omega} \times \vec{r}$. Using the above equations we can find α_{AC} and α_{OA}

$$\vec{a}_{A/O} = \vec{a}_A = \vec{a}_A^t + \vec{a}_A^n$$
 (2.19a)

$$\vec{a}_A^t = \alpha_{A/O}^{\vec{}} \times r_{A/O}^{\vec{}} \tag{2.19b}$$

$$\vec{a}_A^n = \vec{\omega_{AO}} \times \vec{\omega_{AO}} \times \vec{r_{A/O}}$$
 (2.19c)

where, \vec{a}_A^t and \vec{a}_A^n denote the tangential and normal acceleration of point A. As point B lies on the slider, we have $\vec{a}_B = a_B \hat{i}$.

$$\vec{a}_{B/A} = \vec{a}_{B/A}^t + \vec{a}_{B/A}^n = \vec{a}_B - \vec{a}_A \tag{2.20}$$

Using the above equation we can find α_{BA} and \vec{a}_B .

2.1.2 GeoGebra modelling

This subsection provides an insight into the preliminary analysis done by using off-the-shelf software - GeoGebra for determining initial link lengths (Hohenwarter *et al.*, 2013). First the mechanism was created inside GeoGebra geometry with sliders for varying the link lengths manually. Later the slider velocity was plotted by using graphical analysis of the mechanism inside GeoGebra itself (as shown in Figure 2.4). In order to find the required link lengths yielding constant velocity mechanism, each of the link lengths were varied to get the constant velocity mechanism with least variation while keeping the others fixed. The manual iterations are shown in Table 2.1.

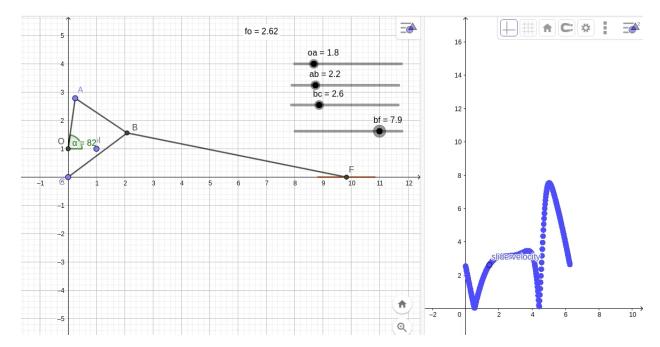


Figure 2.4: Snapshot from GeoGebra showing the mechanism (left) and the velocity profile (right)

2.1.3 Python simulation

This section deals with further refining the preliminary links lengths which were obtained from GeoGebra modelling. The initial lengths are fed to an in-house Python script (see appendix) to get optimum link lengths for nearly constant slider velocity (Python Core Team, 2018). The algorithm performs the iterations by varying each of the link by step size of $0.1 \times$ unit length. It also stores the peak to valley distance for each of the obtained velocity profiles which can be used to select the link lengths giving minimum velocity variation for the constant velocity range. Figure 2.5 shows the mechanism animation as

OC	OA	AB	BC	BF	Mean slider velocity	Peak to valley of	ω of crank
						slider velocity	
1	2	1.6	2	6	2.25	0.5	2
1	2	1.4	2	6	2.28	0.81	2
1	2	1.2	2	6	2.37	1.24	2
1	2	2	2	6	2.385	0.77	2
1	2.2	1.6	2	6	2.31	0.83	2
1	1.8	1.6	2	6	2.375	0.75	2
1	2	1.6	2.2	6	2.545	0.37	2
1	2	1.6	1.8	6	1.92	0.76	2
1	2	1.6	2.4	6	2.87	0.26	2
1	2	1.6	2.6	6	3.2	0.25	2
1	2	1.6	2.8	6	3.52	0.36	2
1	2	1.6	2.6	7	3.135	0.15	2
1	2	1.6	2.6	7.5	3.2	0.12	2
1	2	1.6	2.6	8	3.24	0.09	2

All lengths are in *units*, velocity are in *units*/s, angular velocity ω is in rad/s.

Table 2.1: GeoGebra results

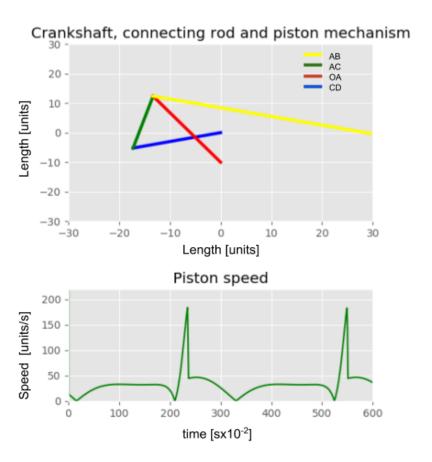


Figure 2.5: Output window from Python for kinematic simulation

well as the velocity plot having a near constant velocity for an interval.

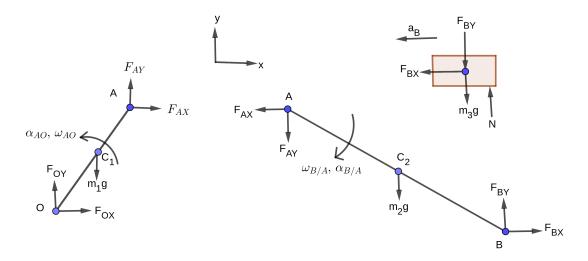


Figure 2.6: Free Body Diagram for Slider Crank Mechanism

2.2 Dynamic analysis

For performing the dynamic analysis of the mechanism we used MathWorks Simscape Mechanical package. A 3D model was created in the package itself and analysed the same for various forces, torques, acceleration and velocities by taking the material as aluminium (Figure 2.9, ??). This analysis is necessary in order to ease the process of selection of actuator, material and the sensor system.

2.2.1 Mathematical formulation

This subsection brings out the mathematical equations for performing dynamic analysis of all the three possible mechanism (Ghosh and Mallik, 2002).

Slider crank mechanism

Force and Torque balance for link *OA* using Figure 2.6

$$F_{OX} + F_{AX} = 0 (2.21a)$$

$$F_{OY} + F_{AY} = m_1 g (2.21b)$$

$$I_{AO}\vec{\alpha}_{AO} = \vec{r}_{C_1O} \times m_1 g(-\hat{j}) + \vec{r}_{A/O} \times \vec{F}_A$$
 (2.21c)

where, $\vec{F}_A = \vec{F}_{AX}\hat{i} + \vec{F}_{AY}\hat{j}$. Similarly for link AB we have

$$F_{AX} = F_{BX} \tag{2.22a}$$

$$F_{BY} = F_{AY} + m_2 g \tag{2.22b}$$

$$I_{BA}\vec{\alpha}_{B/A} = \vec{r}_{C_2/A} \times m_2 g(-\hat{j}) + \vec{r}_{B/A} \times \vec{F}_B$$
 (2.22c)

where, $\vec{F}_B = \vec{F}_{BX}\hat{i} + \vec{F}_{BY}\hat{j}$.

Force balance for the slider

$$F_{BY} + m_3 g = N \tag{2.23a}$$

$$m_3 a_B = F_{BX} \tag{2.23b}$$

Four bar mechanism (with four revolute joints)

Force and Torque balance for link *OA* using Figure 2.7

$$\sum \vec{F}_X = 0 \tag{2.24a}$$

$$\sum \vec{F_Y} = 0 \tag{2.24b}$$

$$\sum \vec{T} = I_1 \vec{\alpha}_{AO} \tag{2.24c}$$

Force and Torque balance for link AC using Figure 2.7

$$\sum \vec{F_X} = 0 \tag{2.25a}$$

$$\sum \vec{F_Y} = 0 \tag{2.25b}$$

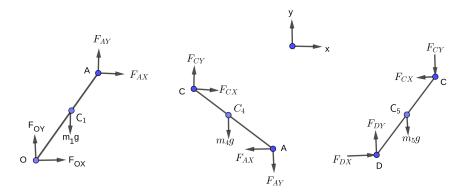


Figure 2.7: Free Body Diagram for four-bar mechanism

$$\sum \vec{T} = I_4 \vec{\alpha}_{AC} \tag{2.25c}$$

Force and Torque balance for link CD using Figure 2.7

$$\sum \vec{F}_X = 0 \tag{2.26a}$$

$$\sum \vec{F_Y} = 0 \tag{2.26b}$$

$$\sum \vec{T} = I_5 \vec{\alpha}_{CD} \tag{2.26c}$$

Six bar mechanism

Force and Torque balance for all links using Figure 2.8

$$\sum \vec{F_X} = 0, \sum \vec{F_Y} = 0, \sum \vec{T} = I\vec{\alpha}$$
 (2.27)

$$F_{A_1X} + F_{A_2X} + F_{A_4X} = 0 (2.28a)$$

$$F_{A_1Y} + F_{A_2Y} + F_{A_4Y} = 0 (2.28b)$$

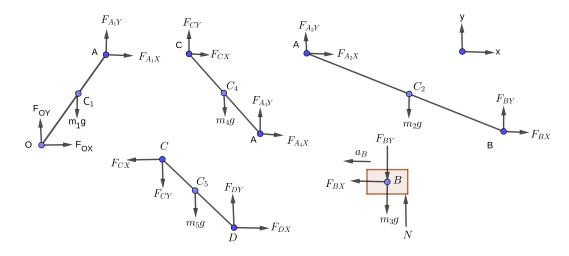


Figure 2.8: Free Body Diagram for six-bar mechanism

Force balance for Slider using Figure 2.8

$$F_{BY} + m_3 g = N \tag{2.29a}$$

$$m_3 a_B = F_{BX} \tag{2.29b}$$

2.2.2 Using commercial software: MathWorks Simscape

This sections deals with the dynamic analysis of the mechanism using Mathworks Simscape. A MathWorks Simscape model (Figure 2.9) was created based on the link lengths that were obtained from the kinematic analysis. The link width is taken as 3*cm* and link thickness as 1*cm* while taking aluminum as material for all links and slider. (MAT, 2017)

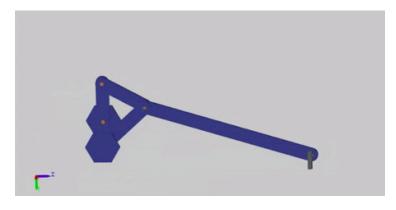
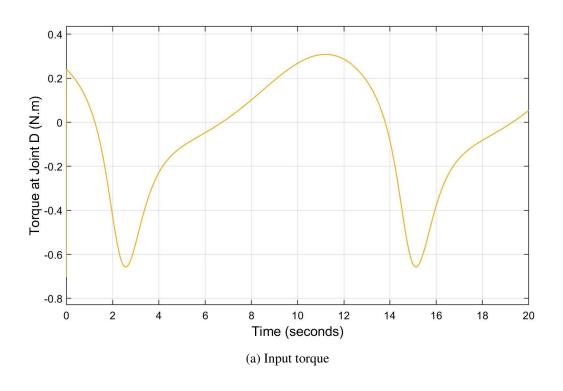


Figure 2.9: CAD model in MATLAB Simscape



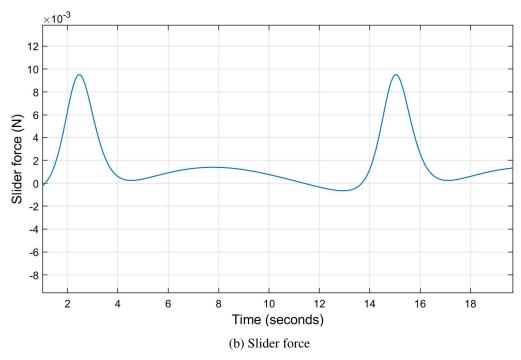


Figure 2.10: Results obtained from Simscape

MANUFACTURING

3.0.1 Sensor selection

Based on the results of Kinematic, Dynamic analysis using MathWorks Simscape, We selected 2-Phase Incremental Optical Rotary Encoder to detect angular velocity and angular acceleration of links, 3-Axis Accelerometer is to detect linear acceleration and linear velocity of slider.

- 2-Phase Incremental Optical Rotary Encoder has 600 Pulse Per Revolution (PPR).
- 3-Axis Accelerometer has range of -16g to 16g, with a sampling rate of 8kHz.

3.0.2 Manufacturing plan

This section focuses on the materials and fabrication processes that will be used for carrying out the manufacturing in the second phase of the project. Figure 3.2 gives complete insight on the various stages involved in manufacturing the experiment design.

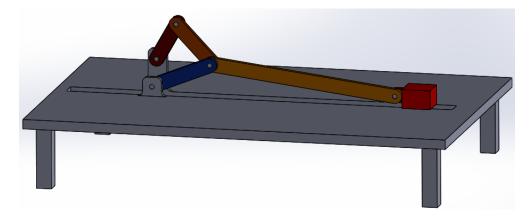


Figure 3.1: 3D Model of the experiment on (table)

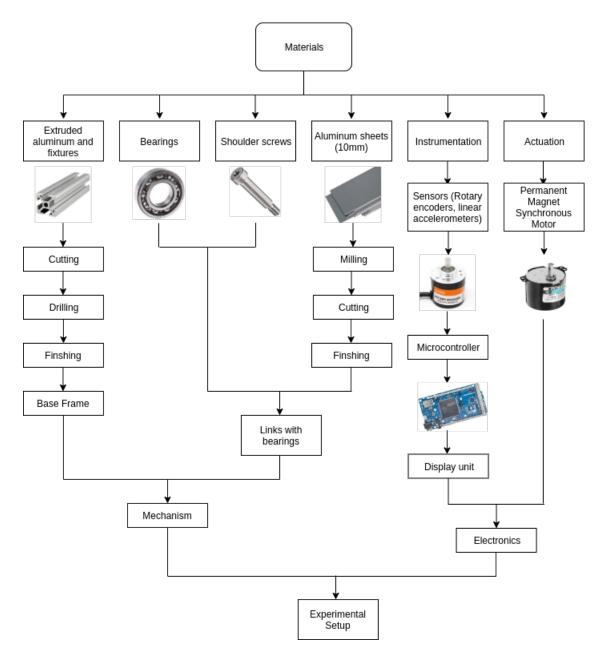


Figure 3.2: Flowchart showing manufacturing

RESULTS

This final section presents obtained results. By utilizzing the kinematic analysis we obtained the link lengths resulting in constant velocity mechanism as:

Link	Link length (cm)				
OA	13				
CD	9				
AC	11				
AB	39.5				
DO	5				

Table 4.1: Final link lengths

Furthermore plots for slider velocity and acceleration were obtained using Simscape.

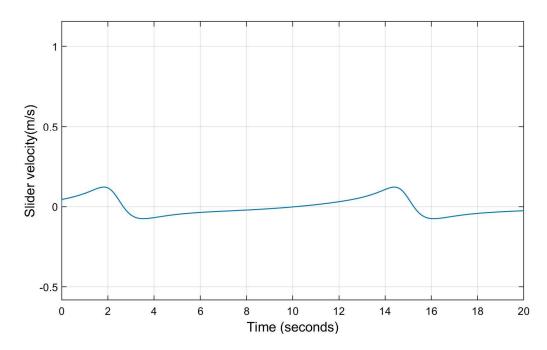


Figure 4.1: Slider Velocity

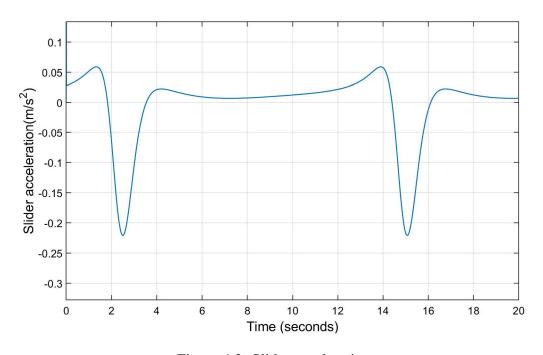


Figure 4.2: Slider acceleration

CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

The complete analysis of the mechanism(s) was performed using applicable method and software. 3D CAD model of the mechanism was created to facilitate better visualisation. Various design considerations were addressed and manufacturing workflow and plan were accomplished as a prerequisite to manufacturing. Also, the BoM was prepared and materials acquisition from the vendor is in process.

In the near future we shall start the manufacturing process based on the work that has been already accomplished by now. After completing the manufacturing rigorous testing will be done on the mechanism and corrections be made accordingly. In the end we will work on preparing the documentation for the product.

APPENDIX A

CODE LISTING

The code used for carrying out this work is presented here. Due due to the high volume of the code involved in this project, it is also hosted on GitHub for clearity at https://github.com/AakashSYadav/BTP with complete documentation.

A.1 Six-bar mechanism (Python)

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# http://firsttimeprogrammer.blogspot.com/2015/02/crankshaft-
     connecting-rod-and-piston.html
3 # import matplotlib.animation as animation
4 # import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
5 # from sympy import symbols, Eq, solve
6 import numpy as np
7 import time
8 import math
9 import csv
# plt.style.use('ggplot')
12 link_a_pivot = (0, -10)
13 link p pivot = (0,0)
14 \# x, y, h = symbols('x y h')
16 class My_mechanism(object):
      # The init function
      def __init__(self,a,b,p,q,omega):
          self.a = a
                                                  # Rod a
20
          self.b = b
                                                  # Rod b
21
          self.p = p
                                                  # Rod p
          self.q = q
                                                  # Rod q
          self.omega = omega
                                         # Angular speed of rod a in rad
     /s
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self.theta0 = 0
                                         # Initial angular position of
     rod a theta()
          self.set0 = (0, -100)
                                         # for selecting one of the two
     solutions
          self.k = 0.00001
                                         # Initial time for animation
27
          self.c position = []
                                         # Piston position for animation
          self.c_speed = []
                                         # storing piston speed
          self.c_time = []
                                         # storing the time intervals
          self.pos_old = 0 # old position of the piston for c_dot
31
     calculation
      # Angular position of rod a as a function of time
      def theta(self,t):
          # if not all(t):
35
          # raise ValueError('Each time t must be greater than 0')
          theta = self.theta0 + self.omega*t
          return theta
      def rod_p_position(self,t):
40
          p_y = self.p*np.sin(self.theta(t))
41
          p_x = self.p*np.cos(self.theta(t))
          return p_x,p_y
      def rod_q_position(self,t):
          px,py = self.rod_p_position(t)
          ax,ay = link_a_pivot
          c = ((self.p**2-px**2-py**2) - (self.a**2-ax**2-ay**2)) /
     (2*(ax-px))
          d = (py-ay)/(ax-px)
          D = (d*(px-c)+py)**2 - (1+d**2)*(py**2 + (px-c)**2 - self.p
50
     **2)
          if D<0:</pre>
51
              print("complex")
              raise Exception('complex')
          D2 = D**0.5
54
          y0 = (d*(px-c)+py+D2)/(1+d**2)
          y1 = (d*(px-c)+py-D2)/(1+d**2)
          x0 = c+d*y0
          x1 = c+d*y1
          set1=(x0,y0)
59
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```
set2 = (x1, y1)
60
          # print(set1,set2)
          dist1 = math.hypot(set1[0] - self.set0[0], set1[1] - self.
63
     set0[1])
          dist2 = math.hypot(set2[0] - self.set0[0], set2[1] - self.
     set0[1])
          if dist1<dist2:</pre>
              self.set0=set1
66
              return set1[0], set1[1]
          else:
              self.set0=set2
              return set2[0], set2[1]
      def piston_position(self,t):
72
          q_x, q_y = self.rod_q_position(t)
73
          h0 = q_x + (self.b**2 - (q_y-link_a_pivot[1])**2)**0.5
          return h0
76
      # Piston speed
      def c_dot(self,t):
          c_x = self.piston_position(t)
          \# c_dot = (c_x-self.pos_old)/0.05
          c_{dot} = abs(c_x-self.pos_old)/0.01 # dt = 0.01
81
          self.pos_old = c_x
82
          return c_dot
      def velocity_params(self):
          while self.k<3.5: # to get one complete cycle</pre>
86
               speed = self.c_dot(self.k)
87
               self.k+=0.01
               11 11 11
90
              Uncomment the below 3 lines and comment the rest
91
              to collect data for a single set of params using "c_out_2.
92
     py"
               11 11 11
93
               # with open('oneP_best2.csv', mode='a') as label_file:
94
                    label writer = csv.writer(label file, delimiter=',',
95
      quotechar='"', quoting=csv.QUOTE_MINIMAL)
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label_writer.writerow([self.k, speed])
96
               if self.k>0.4 and self.k<2.1:# store the ROI</pre>
                    self.c_speed.append(speed)
99
                   self.c_time.append(self.k)
101
           # print(self.c_speed)
102
           maxi = []
           mini = []
104
           for i in range(1,len(self.c_speed)-1):
105
               # local maxima
106
               if self.c_speed[i]>self.c_speed[i+1] and self.c_speed[i]>
107
      self.c_speed[i-1]:
                   maxi.append(self.c_speed[i])
108
                    # print("max", self.c_speed[i])
109
               # local minima
110
               if self.c_speed[i] < self.c_speed[i+1] and self.c_speed[i] <</pre>
      self.c_speed[i-1]:
                   mini.append(self.c_speed[i])
                    # print("min", self.c_speed[i])
113
           # print(self.a, self.b, self.p, self.q, max(maxi), min(mini))
           with open('data_best.csv', mode='a') as label_file:
              label_writer = csv.writer(label_file, delimiter=',',
      quotechar='"', quoting=csv.QUOTE_MINIMAL)
              label_writer.writerow([self.a, self.b, self.p, self.q, max(
117
      maxi),min(mini)])
           mini.clear()
118
           maxi.clear()
           self.c_speed.clear()
120
           self.time.clear()
1 from crankshaft import *
 2 import time
 4 initial_time = time.time()
 5 # #a,b,p,q,omega
 6 # best
 7 for a in range(20,35):
      for b in range (70,80):
           for p in range (15, 25):
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for q in range(15,30):
    m = My_mechanism(a,b,p,q,2)

try:
    m.velocity_params()

except Exception:
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