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Midterm Examination – Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Saturday, 31st October 2020
Examiner: Staff in Civil Engineering
Time allowed: 1-½ hours

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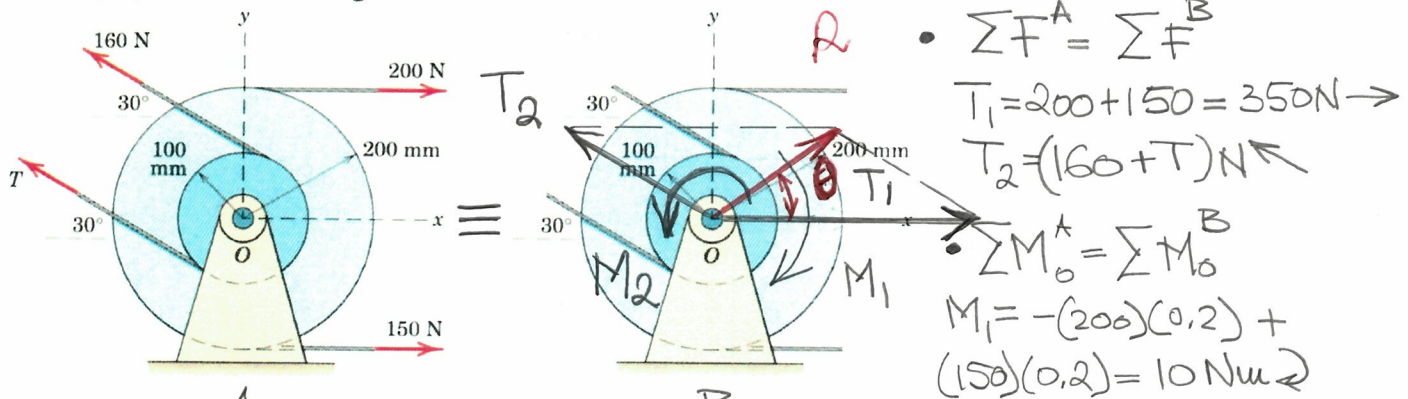
- Notes:**
- 1. Ensure that you have all 5 pages of the examination paper. Page 5 is blank**
 - 2. Answer all three questions. The value of the questions is indicated below**
 - 3. If you need more space for a question, continue on the page indicated at the bottom**
 - 4. If information appears to be missing, make reasonable assumptions and state them clearly**
 - 5. The only calculators permitted are listed above. Please circle your model**
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QUESTION 1a. Two grooved discs, rigidly connected to each other, are subjected to the belt tension forces as shown. If the single resultant force, **R**, of these applied belt forces passes through the centre of the discs, **O**, determine the magnitude and direction of **R**.



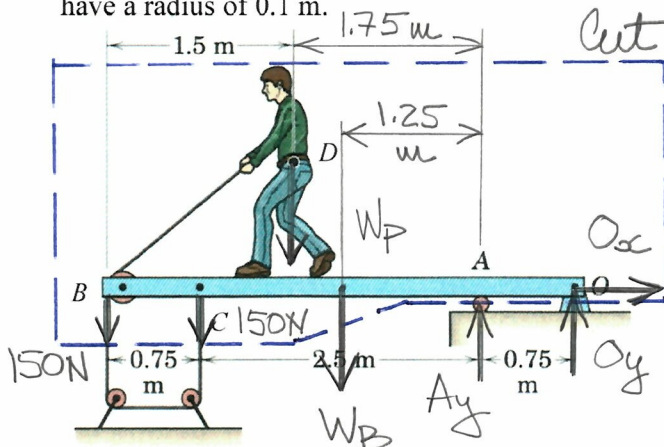
$$M_2 = (160)(0.1) - (T)(0.1) = (16 - 0.1T) \text{ Nm} \quad \text{But } M_1 + M_2 = 0$$

$$-10 + 16 - 0.1T = 0 \quad \therefore T = 60.0 \text{ N} \quad \text{and } T_2 = 160 + 60 = 220 \text{ N}$$

$$T_{2x} = 220 \cos 30^\circ = 190.5 \text{ N} \quad \therefore R = \sqrt{(350 - 190.5)^2 + (110)^2} = 193.7 \text{ N}$$

$$T_{2y} = 220 \sin 30^\circ = 110 \text{ N} \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{110}{(350 - 190.5)} \right] = 34.6^\circ$$

QUESTION 1b. The uniform beam has a mass of 100 kg and its weight acts at the centre of the beam. To test the beam, the person having a mass of 50 kg acting at **D** exerts a pull of 150 N on the rope rigged as shown around the three frictionless pulleys. Determine the force supported by the pin at **O**. All pulleys have a radius of 0.1 m.



$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad \therefore O_x = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Total force at O:}$$

$$R_O = \sqrt{0^2 + 3930^2} = 3,930 \text{ N} \downarrow$$

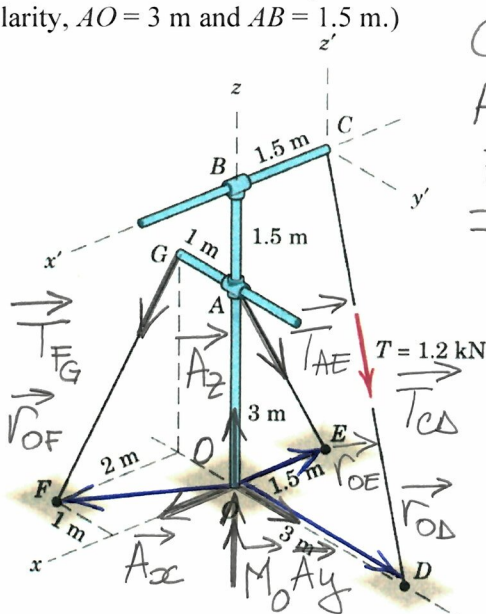
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QUESTION 2. The rigid pole, OB , and horizontal cross-arm assembly is supported by the three cables shown. The pole is supported at the base O by a special ball-and-socket support which allows rotations only around the x - and y -axes. A turnbuckle at D is tightened until it induces a tension force in cable CD , having a magnitude of 1.2 kN . Determine the magnitude of the tension forces in cables AE and GF . Also, determine the reaction components at the base of the pole. The entire pole has a mass of 500 kg . (For clarity, $AO = 3 \text{ m}$ and $AB = 1.5 \text{ m}$.)



$$CD = \sqrt{1.5^2 + 3^2 + (-4.5)^2} = 5.612 \text{ m}$$

$$AE = \sqrt{(-1.5)^2 + 0^2 + (-3)^2} = 3.354 \text{ m}$$

$$FG = \sqrt{(2)^2 + 0^2 + (-3)^2} = 3.6056 \text{ m}$$

$$\vec{T}_{CD} = (1.2)(0.2673\vec{i} + 0.5345\vec{j} - 0.8018\vec{k}) \text{ kN}$$

$$\vec{T}_{AE} = T_{AE}(-0.4472\vec{i} - 0.8944\vec{k}) \text{ kN}$$

$$\vec{T}_{FG} = T_{FG}(0.5547\vec{i} - 0.8321\vec{k}) \text{ kN}$$

$$\vec{r}_{OD} = 3\vec{j} \text{ m}; \quad \vec{r}_{OE} = -1.5\vec{i} \text{ m};$$

$$\vec{r}_{OF} = 2\vec{i} - 1\vec{j} \text{ m}$$

$$\sum \vec{M}_O = 0 \quad \vec{r}_{OD} \times \vec{T}_{CD} + \vec{r}_{OE} \times \vec{T}_{AE} + \vec{r}_{OF} \times \vec{T}_{FG} + \vec{M}_0 = 0$$

$$\vec{r}_{OD} \times \vec{T}_{CD} = (1.2) \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0.2673 & 0.5345 & -0.8018 \end{vmatrix} = -2.8865\vec{i} - 0.9623\vec{k} \text{ kNm}$$

$$\vec{r}_{OE} \times \vec{T}_{AE} = T_{AE} \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ -1.5 & 0 & 0 \\ -0.4472 & 0 & -0.8944 \end{vmatrix} = -(1.3416\vec{j}) T_{AE} \text{ kNm}$$

$$\vec{r}_{OF} \times \vec{T}_{FG} = T_{FG} \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0.5547 & 0 & -0.8321 \end{vmatrix} = (0.8321\vec{i} + 1.6642\vec{j} + 0.5547\vec{k}) T_{FG} \text{ kNm}$$

$$\sum M_{O_x} = 0 \quad -2.8865 + 0.8321 T_{FG} = 0 \quad \therefore T_{FG} = 3.47 \text{ kN}$$

$$\sum M_{O_y} = 0 \quad -1.3416 T_{AE} + 1.6642 T_{FG} = 0 \quad \therefore T_{AE} = 4.30 \text{ kN}$$

$$\sum M_{O_z} = 0 \quad M_0 - 0.9623 + 0.5547 T_{FG} = 0$$

$$\therefore M_0 = 0.962 \text{ kNm}$$

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QUESTION 2 (CONT.'d)

$$\sum \vec{F} = 0$$

$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad (1.2)(0.2673) - (0.4472)T_{AE} + (0.5547)T_{FG} + O_x = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{O_x = -0.320 \text{ kN}}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad (1.2)(0.5345) + O_y = 0 \quad \therefore \underline{O_y = -0.641 \text{ kN}}$$

$$\sum F_z = 0 \quad - (1.2)(0.8018) - (0.8944)T_{AE} - (0.8321)T_{FG} -$$

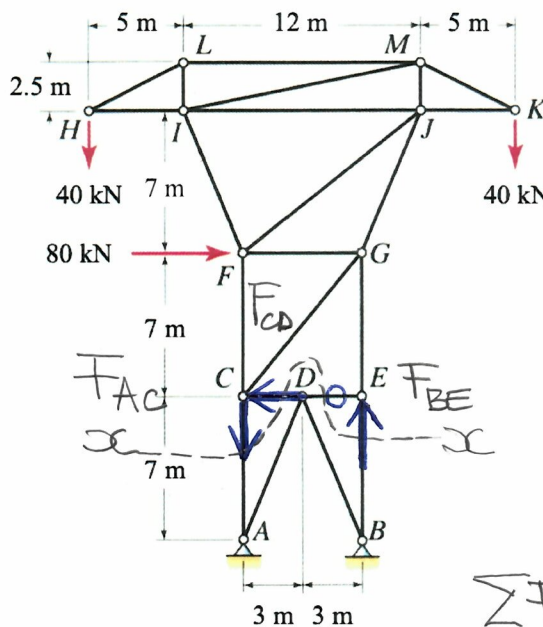
$$(500)(9.81)(10^{-3}) + O_z = 0 \quad \therefore \underline{O_z = 12.60 \text{ kN}}$$

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QUESTION 3. The electric power-transmission tower supports two wires that apply a 40 kN vertical force each, while the 80 kN horizontal force represents wind loading during a storm. The tower is attached to the foundations at A and B by pin supports. Determine the reaction force components at the supports A and B. Also, determine the force in the four members which emanate from joint D and the force in members CF, CG and EG, and indicate if the members are in tension or compression.



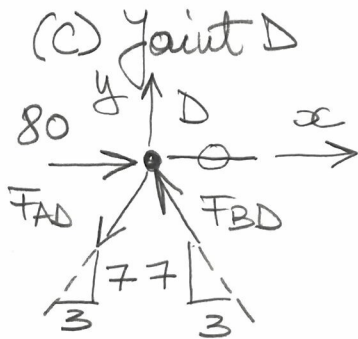
(a) By inspection: $F_{DE} = 0$; and $F_{EG} = F_{BE} = \text{see below} = 133.3 \text{ kN (C)}$

(b) Cut along x-x, use top FBD.

$$\sum M_C = 0 \quad (40)(8) - (80)(7) - (40)(14) + F_{BE}(6) = 0 \quad \therefore F_{BE} = 133.3 \text{ kN (C)}$$

$$\sum M_E = 0 \quad (40)(14) - (80)(7) - (40)(8) + F_{AC}(6) = 0 \quad \therefore F_{AC} = 53.3 \text{ kN (T)}$$

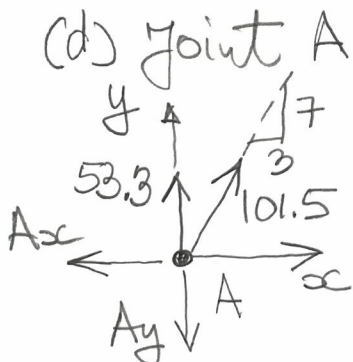
$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad 80 - F_{CD} = 0 \quad \therefore F_{CD} = 80.0 \text{ kN (C)}$$



$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad F_{AD} = F_{BD}$$

$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad 80 - F_{AD} \frac{3}{\sqrt{58}} - F_{BD} \frac{3}{\sqrt{58}} = 0$$

$$\therefore F_{AD} = 101.5 \text{ kN (T)} \quad F_{BD} = 101.5 \text{ kN (C)}$$



$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad -A_x + 101.5 \frac{3}{\sqrt{58}} = 0 \quad \therefore A_x = 40.0 \text{ kN}$$

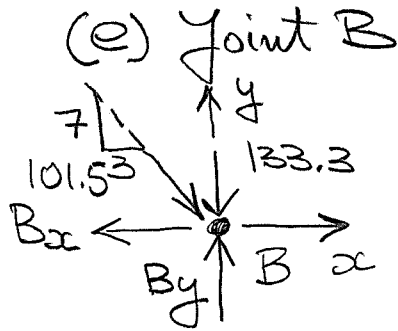
$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad -A_y + 53.3 + 101.5 \frac{7}{\sqrt{58}} = 0$$

$$\therefore A_y = 146.7 \text{ kN} \downarrow$$

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QUESTION 3 (CONT'D)

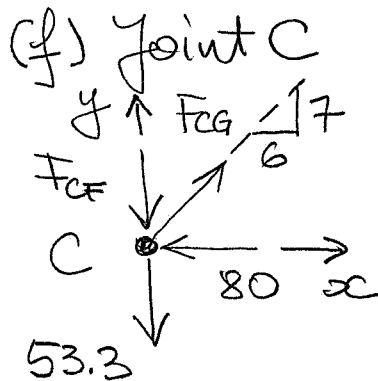


$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad -B_x + 101.5 \frac{3}{\sqrt{58}} = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{B_x = 40.0 \text{ kN} \leftarrow}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad B_y - 133.3 - 101.5 \frac{7}{\sqrt{58}} = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{B_y = 227 \text{ kN} \uparrow}$$



$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad -80 + F_{CG} \frac{6}{\sqrt{85}} = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{F_{CG} = 122.9 \text{ kN (T)}}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad -F_{CF} - 53.3 + F_{CG} \frac{7}{\sqrt{85}} = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{F_{CF} = 40.0 \text{ kN (C)}}$$