

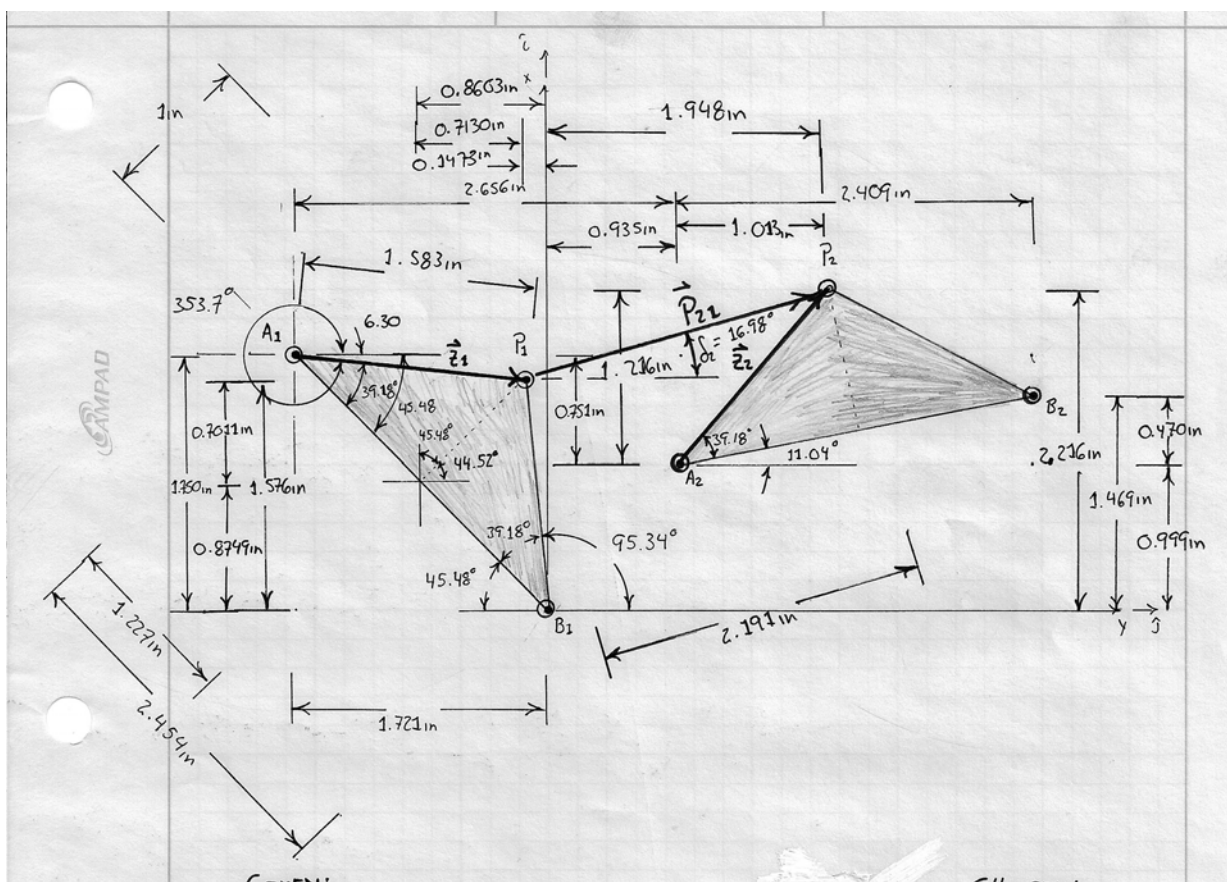
PROBLEM 1: Design a fourbar mechanism to give the two positions shown of coupler motion. Both rockers should be designed to have 30° of travel.

Figure 1.10 consists of two diagrams. Diagram (a) shows two positions of a dyad in a 2D coordinate system with axes X and jY . In the first position, a vector P_1 is at an angle δ_1 from the jY -axis, and a vector P_2 is at an angle α_2 from a dashed line. In the second position, the vectors are P_{21} and P_{22} , with P_{21} at an angle δ_2 from the jY -axis. Diagram (b) shows a schematic linkage with four links: link 1 (ground), link 2 (dyad WZ), link 3 (dyad US), and link 4 (ground). Link 2 has joints O_2 and A_2 , with vectors W_1 and W_2 at angles β_2 and θ . Link 3 has joints A_1 and B_1 , with vectors Z_1 and Z_2 at an angle ϕ . Link 4 has joints O_4 and B_2 , with vectors U_1 and U_2 at angles σ and ψ . A shaded triangular region is labeled '3'. Other labels include R_1 , R_2 , F_1 , F_2 , S_1 , S_2 , V_1 , G_1 , and O_1 .

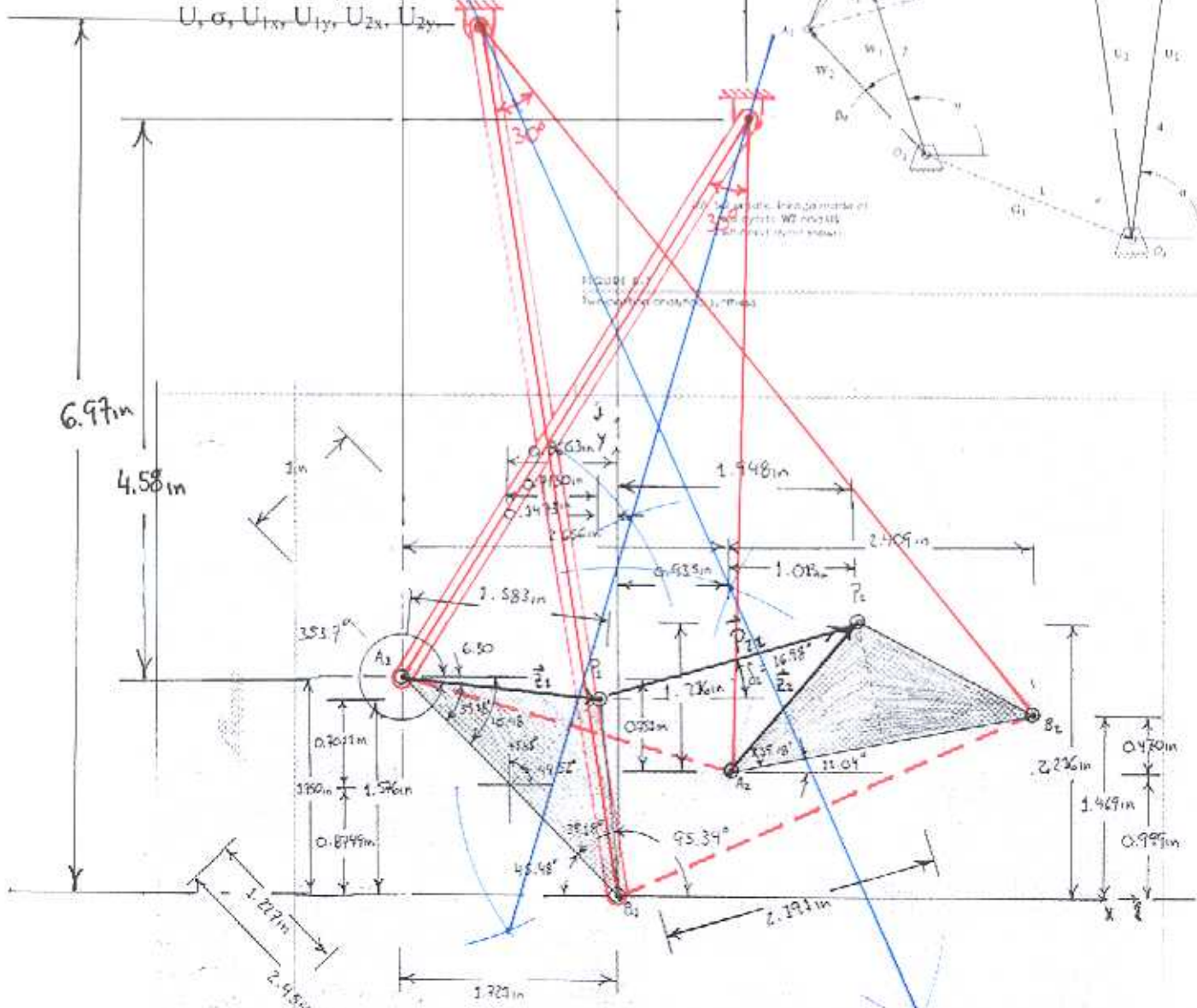
(a) Two positions

(b) Schematic linkage made of two dyads, WZ and US . Left-hand dyad shown

FIGURE 5-1
Two-position analytical synthesis



← 2.73 m

$$U, \sigma, U_{+x}, U_{+y}, U_{2x}, U_{2y}$$


$$r_{12} = 2.191 \text{ m}$$

$$\bar{z} = 1.583 \text{ in}$$

$$S = 1.583 \text{ m}$$

$$\delta_2 = 16.98^\circ$$

$$\phi = 353.7^\circ$$

$$\psi = 95.34^\circ$$

$$\alpha_2 = 56.52^\circ$$

$$= 6.30^\circ + 11.04^\circ + 39.18^\circ$$

$$\beta_2 = 30^\circ$$

$$\gamma_2 = 30^\circ$$

TWO POSITION ANALYTICAL MOTION SYNTHESIS

$$\bar{W}_2 + \bar{Z}_2 = \bar{W}_1 + \bar{Z}_1 + \bar{P}_{21}$$

$$|\bar{W}_1| = |\bar{W}_2| = w$$

$$|\bar{Z}_1| = |\bar{Z}_2| = z$$

$$\bar{W}_1 = w \cdot [\cos(\theta) \hat{i} + \sin(\theta) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{W}_2 = w \cdot [\cos(\theta + \beta_2) \hat{i} + \sin(\theta + \beta_2) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{Z}_1 = z \cdot [\cos(\phi) \hat{i} + \sin(\phi) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{Z}_2 = z \cdot [\cos(\phi + \alpha_2) \hat{i} + \sin(\phi + \alpha_2) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{P}_{21} = p_{21} \cdot [\cos(\delta_2) \hat{i} + \sin(\delta_2) \hat{j}]$$

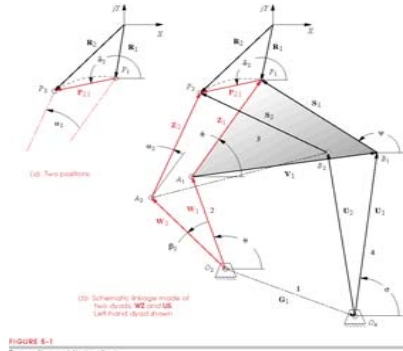


FIGURE S-1
Two-position analytical synthesis

APPROACH B

GIVEN:	CHOSEN:	FIND:	
P12	2.191 z	1.583 w	5.33
82	16.98 ϕ	353.7 θ	-120.8
α2	56.52 β2	30 W1x	-2.73
		W1y	-4.58

$$\begin{bmatrix} -0.13397 & -0.5 \\ 0.5 & -0.13397 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} W1x \\ W1y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.656058 \\ -0.7504 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 & 1.866025 \\ -1.86603 & -0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\beta_2) - 1 & -\sin(\beta_2) \\ \sin(\beta_2) & \cos(\beta_2) - 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} W_{1x} \\ W_{1y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} p_{21} \cdot \cos(\delta_2) - z \cdot [\cos(\phi + \alpha_2) - \cos(\phi)] \\ p_{21} \cdot \sin(\delta_2) - z \cdot [\sin(\phi + \alpha_2) - \sin(\phi)] \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{U}_2 + \bar{S}_2 = \bar{U}_1 + \bar{S}_1 + \bar{P}_{31}$$

$$|\bar{U}_1| = |\bar{U}_2| = u$$

$$|\bar{S}_1| = |\bar{S}_2| = s$$

$$\bar{U}_1 = u \cdot [\cos(\sigma) \hat{i} + \sin(\sigma) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{U}_2 = u \cdot [\cos(\sigma + \gamma_2) \hat{i} + \sin(\sigma + \gamma_2) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{S}_1 = s \cdot [\cos(\psi) \hat{i} + \sin(\psi) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{S}_2 = s \cdot [\cos(\psi + \alpha_2) \hat{i} + \sin(\psi + \alpha_2) \hat{j}]$$

$$\bar{P}_{21} = p_{21} \cdot [\cos(\delta_2) \hat{i} + \sin(\delta_2) \hat{j}]$$

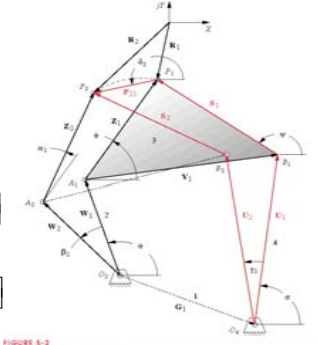


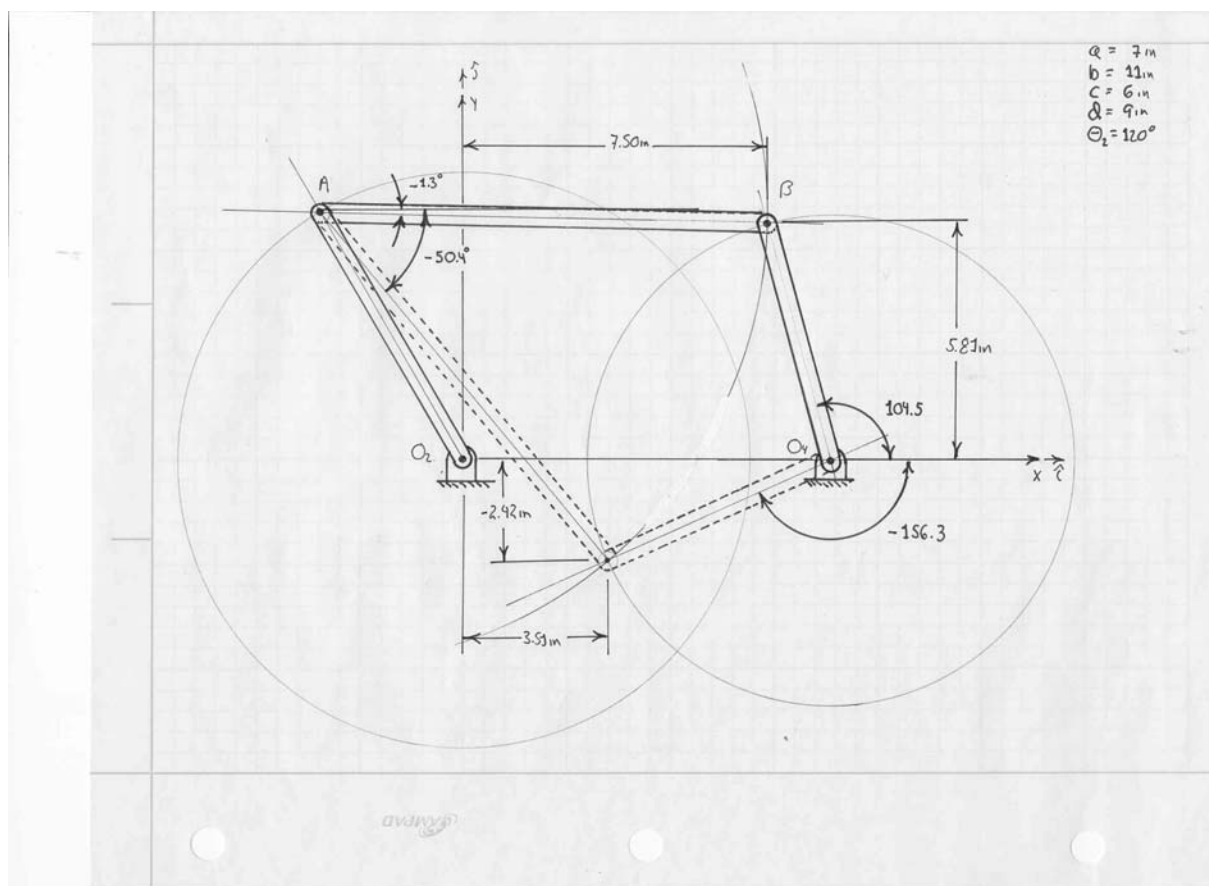
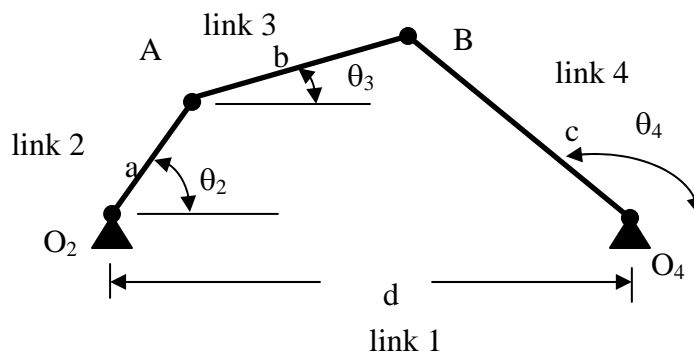
FIGURE S-2
Rigid body dyad shown in two positions

GIVEN:	CHOSEN:	FIND:	
P12	2.191 s	1.583 u	7.06
82	16.98 ψ	95.34 σ	-81.3
α2	56.52 γ2	30 U1x	1.07
		U1y	-6.97

$$\begin{bmatrix} -0.13397 & -0.5 \\ 0.5 & -0.13397 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} W1x \\ W1y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.34405 \\ 1.469398 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 & 1.866025 \\ -1.86603 & -0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\gamma_2) - 1 & -\sin(\gamma_2) \\ \sin(\gamma_2) & \cos(\gamma_2) - 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U_{1x} \\ U_{1y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} p_{21} \cdot \cos(\delta_2) - s \cdot [\cos(\psi + \alpha_2) - \cos(\psi)] \\ p_{21} \cdot \sin(\delta_2) - s \cdot [\sin(\psi + \alpha_2) - \sin(\psi)] \end{bmatrix}$$

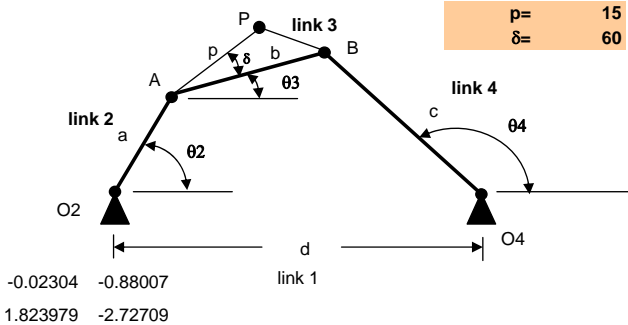
PROBLEM 2: In the four bar linkage shown $a=7\text{in}$, $b=11\text{in}$, $c=6\text{in}$, $d=9\text{in}$, and $\theta_2=120^\circ$. For both the open and crossed configurations determine θ_3 , θ_4 , B_x , B_y and expressions for the vectors \vec{r}_1 , \vec{r}_2 , \vec{r}_3 , \vec{r}_4 in both Cartesian and magnitude-unit vector form.



4-Bar Linkage

a=	7	Link 2
b=	11	Link 3
c=	6	Link 4
d=	9	Link 1
$\theta_2 =$	120	2.094395102
$\dot{\theta}_2 =$	15	$\frac{1}{s}$
$\ddot{\theta}_2 =$	-65	$\frac{1}{s^2}$
By=	5.81	-2.42
Bx=	7.50	3.51
$\theta_3 =$	-1.3	-50.4
$\theta_4 =$	104.5	-156.3
$\dot{\theta}_3 =$	2.6504E+00	9.8626E+00
$\dot{\theta}_4 =$	1.5539E+01	-3.0259E+00
$\ddot{\theta}_3 =$	-6.9538E+00	-2.6177E+01
$\ddot{\theta}_4 =$	-1.2733E+02	9.4202E+01

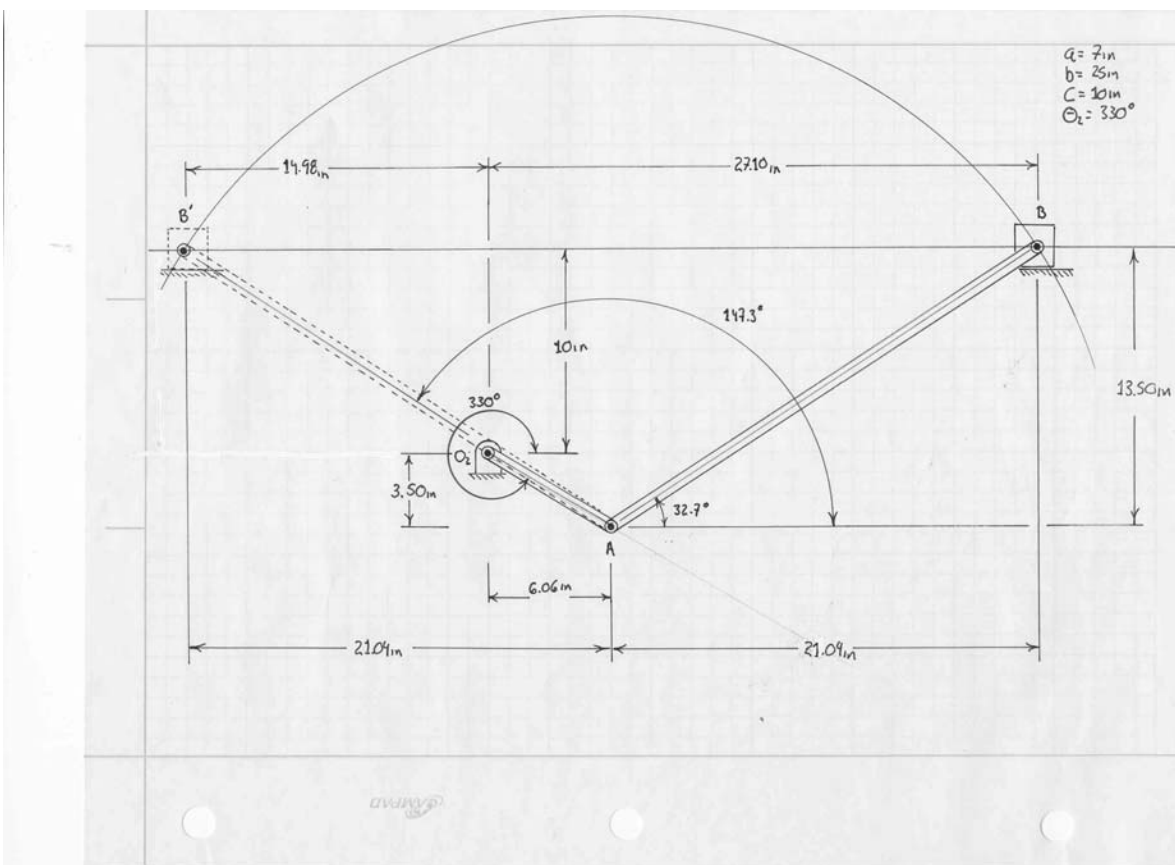
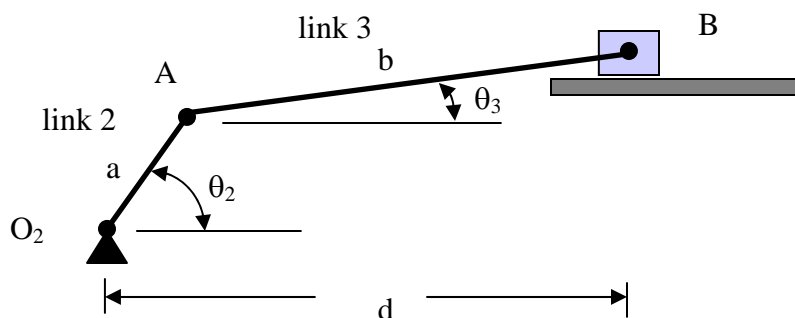
K1= 4.6800E+00
K2= 4.8497E-01
K3= 3.3923E+00
K4= -1.4036E+01



p= 15
delta= 60

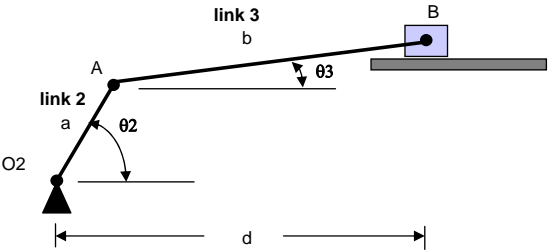
	x comp	y comp	mag	angle	i	j
rO4=	9.00	0.00	9.00	0.0	1.000	0.000
rA=	-3.50	6.06	7.00	120.0	-0.500	0.866
rBA=	11.00	-0.25	11.00	-1.3	1.000	-0.023
rBO4=	-1.50	5.81	6.00	104.5	-0.250	0.968
rB=	7.50	5.81	9.48	37.8	0.790	0.612
rPA=	7.80	12.81	15.00	58.7	0.520	0.854
rP=	4.30	18.88	19.36	77.2	0.222	0.975
vA=	-90.93	-52.50	105.00	-150.0	-0.866	-0.500
vBA=	0.67	29.15	29.15	88.7	0.023	1.000
vB=	-90.26	-23.35	93.23	-165.5	-0.968	-0.250
vPA=	-33.96	20.67	39.76	148.7	-0.854	0.520
vP=	-124.89	-31.83	128.89	-165.7	-0.969	-0.247
aA=	1181.54	-1136.49	1639.41	-43.9	0.721	-0.693
aBA=	-79.01	-74.69	108.73	-136.6	-0.727	-0.687
aB=	1102.53	-1211.18	1637.84	-47.7	0.673	-0.739
aPA=	34.33	-144.23	148.26	-76.6	0.232	-0.973
aP=	1215.88	-1280.72	1765.96	-46.5	0.689	-0.725
ALT	x comp	y comp	mag	angle	i	j
rO4=	9.00	0.00	9.00	0.0	1.000	0.000
rA=	-3.50	6.06	7.00	120.0	-0.500	0.866
rBA=	7.01	-8.48	11.00	-50.4	0.637	-0.771
rBO4=	-5.49	-2.42	6.00	-156.3	-0.915	-0.403
rB=	3.51	-2.42	4.26	-34.6	0.824	-0.567
rPA=	14.79	2.50	15.00	9.6	0.986	0.166
rP=	11.29	8.56	14.17	37.2	0.797	0.604
vA=	-90.93	-52.50	105.00	-150.0	-0.866	-0.500
vBA=	83.62	69.12	108.49	39.6	0.771	0.637
vB=	-7.31	16.62	18.16	113.7	-0.403	0.915
vPA=	-24.61	145.88	147.94	99.6	-0.166	0.986
vP=	-115.54	93.38	148.56	141.1	-0.778	0.629
aA=	1181.54	-1136.49	1639.41	-43.9	FALSE	-0.693
aBA=	-903.63	641.27	1108.04	144.6	-0.816	0.579
aB=	277.92	-495.22	567.88	-60.7	0.489	-0.872
aPA=	-1373.41	-629.90	1510.97	-155.4	-0.909	-0.417
aP=	-191.87	-1766.39	1776.78	-96.2	-0.108	-0.994

PROBLEM 3: In the four bar slider-crank linkage shown $a=7\text{in}$, $b=25\text{in}$, offset $=10\text{in}$, and $\theta_2=330^\circ$. For both the open and crossed configurations determine θ_3 , B_x , B_y and expressions for the vectors \vec{r}_1 , \vec{r}_2 , \vec{r}_3 in both Cartesian and magnitude-unit vector form.



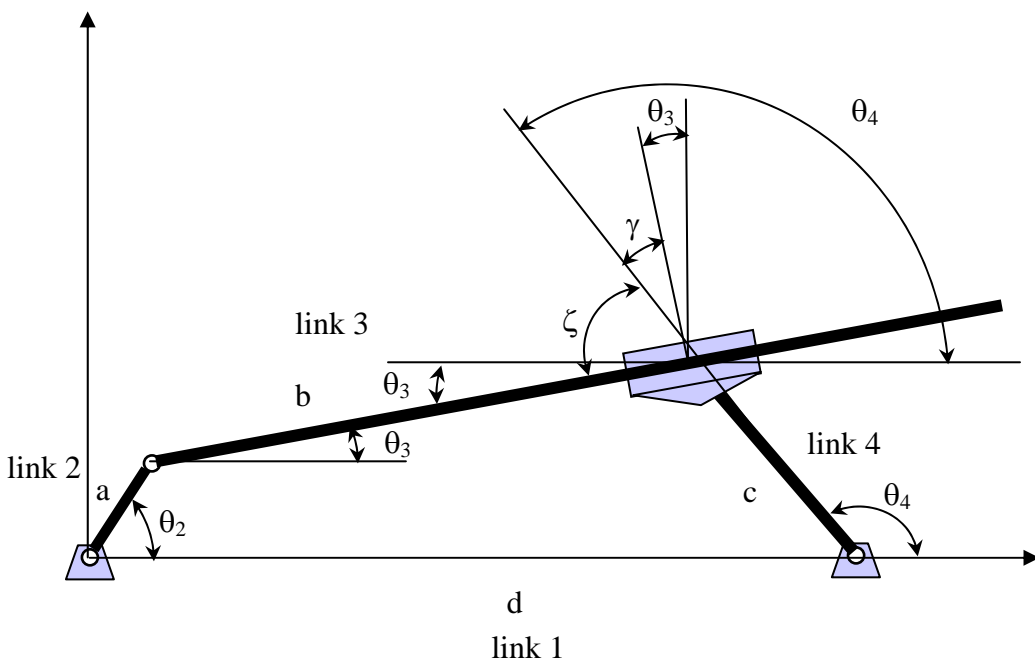
Slider Crank

a=	7	Link 2
b=	25	Link 3
c=	10	Link 1
$\theta_2 =$	330	5.759586532
$\dot{\theta}_2 =$	100	$\frac{1}{s}$
$\ddot{\theta}_2 =$	18	$\frac{1}{s^2}$
By=	10.00	10.00
Bx=	27.10	-14.98
$\theta_3 =$	32.7	147.3
$\dot{\theta}_3 =$	-28.81	28.81
$\ddot{\theta}_3 =$	-1136.01	1136.01
vB=	738.94	-38.94
aB=	-77635.22	-43482.34



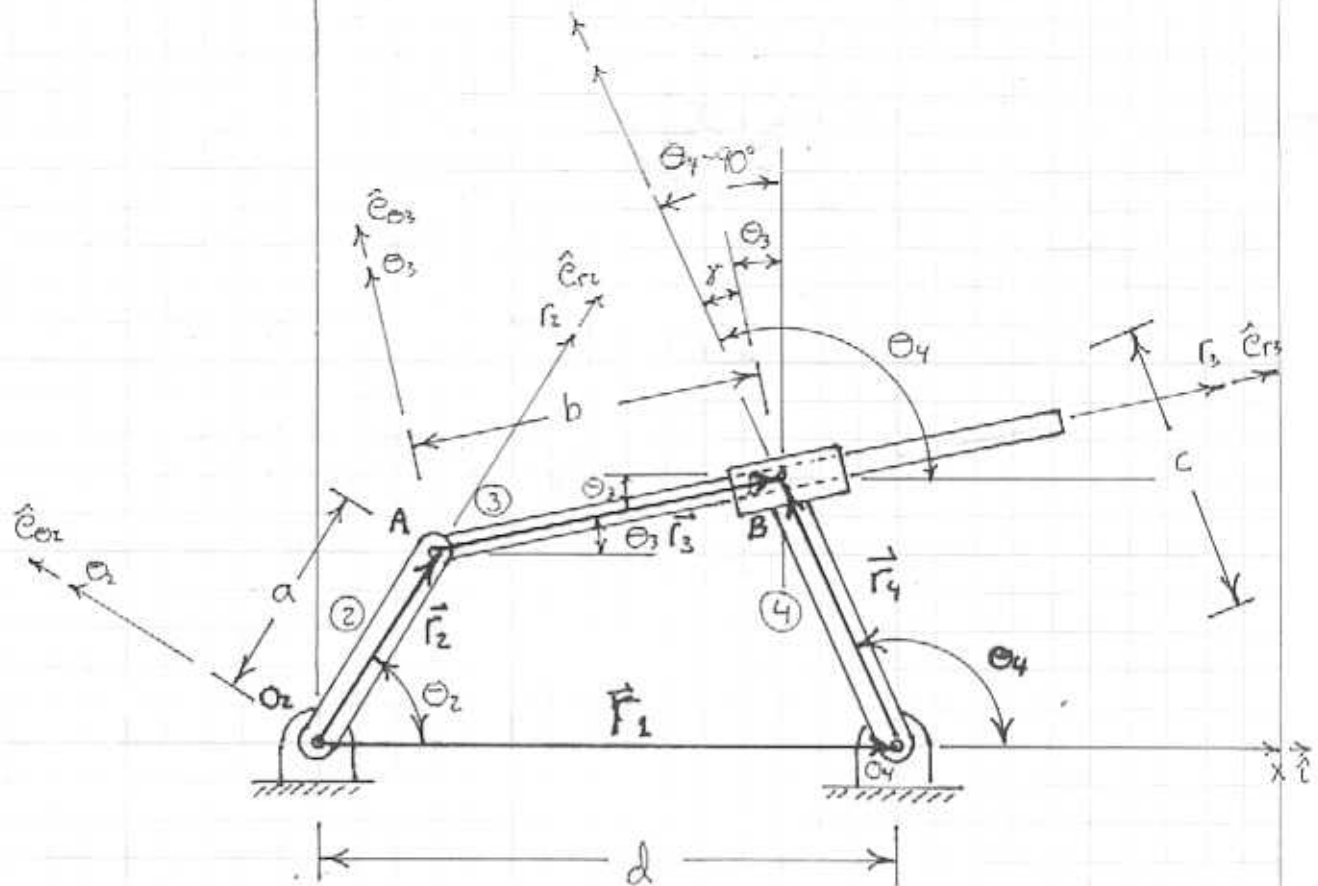
	x comp	y comp	mag	angle	i	j
rB=	27.10	10.00	28.89	20.3	0.938	0.346
rA=	6.06	-3.50	7.00	-30.0	0.866	-0.500
rBA=	21.04	13.50	25.00	32.7	0.842	0.540
vB=	738.94	0.00	738.94	0.0	1.000	0.000
vA=	350.00	606.22	700.00	60.0	0.500	0.866
vBA=	388.94	-606.22	720.26	-57.3	0.540	-0.842
aB=	-62687.97	0.00	62687.97	180.0	-1.000	0.000
aA=	-60558.78	35109.12	70000.11	149.9	-0.865	0.502
aBA=	-2129.19	-35109.12	35173.62	-93.5	-0.061	-0.998
alt	x comp	y comp	mag	angle	i	j
rB=	-14.98	10.00	18.01	146.3	-0.832	0.555
rA=	6.06	-3.50	7.00	-30.0	0.866	-0.500
rBA=	-21.04	13.50	25.00	147.3	-0.842	0.540
vB=	-38.94	0.00	38.94	180.0	-1.000	0.000
vA=	350.00	606.22	700.00	60.0	0.500	0.866
vBA=	-388.94	-606.22	720.26	-122.7	-0.540	-0.842
aB=	-58429.59	0.00	58429.59	180.0	-1.000	0.000
aA=	-60558.78	35109.12	70000.11	149.9	-0.865	0.502
aBA=	2129.19	-35109.12	35173.62	-86.5	0.061	-0.998

PROBLEM 4: Develop general equations that can be used to calculate b , θ_3 , & θ_4 in the inverted slider crank when given a , c , d , θ_2 , & γ .



INVERTED SLIDER-CRANK LINKAGE

(1)



FOR THE INVERTED SLIDER CRANK THE FIXED ANGLE γ DEFINES THE OFFSET BETWEEN THE SLIDER AND LINK 4. THIS RESULTS IN A RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN θ_3 AND θ_4

$$\theta_4 - 90^\circ = \theta_3 + \gamma$$

$$\theta_4 = \theta_3 + 90^\circ + \gamma = \theta_3 + \gamma \quad \text{WHERE } \gamma = 90^\circ + \gamma$$

(1)

NOTE THAT γ IS A CONSTANT. THE LOOP THAT DEFINES THE KINEMATICS OF THIS PROBLEM CAN BE WRITTEN.

$$\vec{r}_2 + \vec{r}_3 = \vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}_4$$

(2)

$$\vec{r}_2 = r_2 \cdot \hat{e}_{r2} (= a \cdot \hat{e}_{r2}) = r_2 (\cos \theta_2 \hat{i} + \sin \theta_2 \hat{j})$$

(3)

$$\vec{r}_3 = r_3 \cdot \hat{e}_{r3} (= b \cdot \hat{e}_{r3}) = r_3 (\cos \theta_3 \hat{i} + \sin \theta_3 \hat{j})$$

(4)

$$\vec{r}_1 = d \cdot \hat{i}$$

(5)

$$\vec{r}_4 = r_4 \cdot \hat{e}_{r4} (= c \cdot \hat{e}_{r4}) = r_4 (\cos \theta_4 \hat{i} + \sin \theta_4 \hat{j})$$

(6)

THE LENGTH $r_3 = b$ VARIES AS THE LINKAGE MOVES. THUS $r_3 = b$ IS A VARIABLE THAT MUST BE SOLVED FOR. THIS CREATES AN ADDITIONAL UNKNOWN THAT NEEDS TO BE DETERMINED, $\theta_4, \theta_3, r_3 = b$. HOWEVER, (1) IS A THIRD EQUATION THAT CAN BE USED TO DETERMINE THESE VARIABLES GIVEN θ_2, a, c, d .

INVERTED SLIDER CRANK LINKAGE

(2)

STARTING WITH THE LOOP EQUATION (2) AND SUBSTITUTING (3)-(6)

$$r_2(\cos\theta_2\hat{i} + \sin\theta_2\hat{j}) + r_3(\cos\theta_3\hat{i} + \sin\theta_3\hat{j}) = d\hat{i} + r_4(\cos\theta_4\hat{i} + \sin\theta_4\hat{j}) \quad (7)$$

DOTTING WITH \hat{i}

$$r_2 \cos\theta_2 + r_3 \cos\theta_3 = d + r_4 \cos\theta_4$$

$$a \cos\theta_2 + r_3 \cos\theta_3 = d + c \cos\theta_4 \quad (8)$$

DOTTING WITH \hat{j}

$$r_2 \sin\theta_2 + r_3 \sin\theta_3 = r_4 \sin\theta_4$$

$$a \sin\theta_2 + r_3 \sin\theta_3 = c \sin\theta_4 \quad (9)$$

EQUATIONS (1), (2), (9) ARE THREE EQUATIONS THAT CONTAIN THREE UNKNOWN'S: r_3 ; θ_3 , θ_4 . SOLVING (9) FOR r_3

$$r_3 = \frac{c \sin\theta_4 - a \sin\theta_2}{\sin\theta_3} \quad (10)$$

SUBSTITUTING (10) INTO (8)

$$a \cos\theta_2 + \left(\frac{c \sin\theta_4 - a \sin\theta_2}{\sin\theta_3} \right) \cos\theta_3 = d + c \cos\theta_4$$

$$a \cos\theta_2 + \frac{c \sin\theta_4 \cos\theta_3 - a \sin\theta_2 \cos\theta_3}{\sin\theta_3} - c \cos\theta_4 - d = 0 \quad (11)$$

SUBSTITUTING (1) INTO (11)

$$a \cos\theta_2 + \frac{c \sin\theta_4 \cos(\theta_4 - \gamma) - a \sin\theta_2 \cos(\theta_4 - \gamma)}{\sin(\theta_4 - \gamma)} - c \cos\theta_4 - d = 0$$

$$a \cos\theta_2 + \frac{c \sin\theta_4 (\cos\theta_4 \cos\gamma + \sin\theta_4 \sin\gamma) - a \sin\theta_2 (\cos\theta_4 \cos\gamma + \sin\theta_4 \sin\gamma)}{\sin\theta_4 \cos\gamma - \cos\theta_4 \sin\gamma}$$

$$- c \cos\theta_4 - d = 0$$

$$\frac{c \sin\theta_4 \cos\theta_4 \cos\gamma + c \sin\theta_4 \sin\theta_4 \sin\gamma - a \sin\theta_2 \cos\theta_4 \cos\gamma - a \sin\theta_2 \sin\theta_4 \sin\gamma}{\sin\theta_4 \cos\gamma - \cos\theta_4 \sin\gamma}$$

$$= c \cos\theta_4 + d - a \cos\theta_2$$

$$c \cos\gamma \sin\theta_4 \cos\theta_4 + c \sin\gamma \sin^2\theta_4 - a \cos\gamma \sin\theta_2 \cos\theta_4 - a \sin\gamma \sin\theta_2 \sin\theta_4 = (c \cos\theta_4 + d - a \cos\theta_2) (\sin\theta_4 \cos\gamma - \cos\theta_4 \sin\gamma)$$

$$c \cdot \cos \beta \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \theta_4 + c \cdot \sin \beta \cdot \sin^2 \theta_4 - a \cdot \cos \beta \cdot \sin \theta_2 \cdot \cos \theta_4 - a \cdot \sin \beta \cdot \sin \theta_2 \cdot \sin \theta_4 \\ = c \cdot \cos \theta_4 \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \beta - c \cdot \cos^2 \theta_4 \cdot \sin \beta + d \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \beta - d \cdot \cos \theta_4 \cdot \sin \beta \\ - a \cdot \cos \theta_2 \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \beta + a \cdot \cos \theta_2 \cdot \cos \theta_4 \cdot \sin \beta$$

$$c \cdot \cos \beta \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \theta_4 + c \cdot \sin \beta \cdot \sin^2 \theta_4 - a \cdot \cos \beta \cdot \sin \theta_2 \cdot \cos \theta_4 - a \cdot \sin \beta \cdot \sin \theta_2 \cdot \sin \theta_4 \\ - c \cdot \cos \theta_4 \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \beta + c \cdot \cos^2 \theta_4 \cdot \sin \beta - d \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \beta + d \cdot \cos \theta_4 \cdot \sin \beta \\ + a \cdot \cos \theta_2 \cdot \sin \theta_4 \cdot \cos \beta - a \cdot \cos \theta_2 \cdot \cos \theta_4 \cdot \sin \beta = 0$$

$$c \cdot \sin \beta \cdot (\sin^2 \theta_4 + \cos^2 \theta_4) - a \cdot (\sin \theta_2 \cdot \cos \beta + \sin \beta \cdot \cos \theta_2) \cdot \cos \theta_4 \\ + a \cdot (\cos \theta_2 \cdot \cos \beta - \sin \theta_2 \cdot \sin \beta) \cdot \sin \theta_4 - d \cdot \cos \beta \cdot \sin \theta_4 + d \cdot \sin \beta \cdot \cos \theta_4 = 0$$

$$c \cdot \sin \beta - a \cdot \sin(\theta_2 + \beta) \cdot \cos \theta_4 + a \cdot \cos(\theta_2 + \beta) \cdot \sin \theta_4 - d \cdot \cos \beta \cdot \sin \theta_4 \\ + d \cdot \sin \beta \cdot \cos \theta_4 = 0$$

$$[a \cdot \cos(\theta_2 + \beta) - d \cdot \cos \beta] \cdot \sin \theta_4 + [-a \cdot \sin(\theta_2 + \beta) + d \cdot \sin \beta] \cdot \cos \theta_4 \\ + c \cdot \sin \beta = 0$$

$$K_1 \sin \theta_4 + K_2 \cos \theta_4 + K_3 = 0 \quad (12)$$

$$K_1 = a \cdot \cos(\theta_2 + \beta) - d \cdot \cos \beta \quad (13)$$

$$K_2 = -a \cdot \sin(\theta_2 + \beta) + d \cdot \sin \beta \quad (14)$$

$$K_3 = c \cdot \sin \beta \quad (15)$$

USING THE TRIGONOMETRIC IDENTITIES

$$\sin 2 \cdot d = \frac{2 \cdot \tan d}{1 + \tan^2 d} \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{2 \cdot \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \quad (16)$$

$$\cos 2 \cdot d = \frac{1 - \tan^2 d}{1 + \tan^2 d} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} \quad (17)$$

SUBSTITUTING (16) AND (17) INTO (12)

$$K_1 \cdot \frac{2 \cdot \tan \frac{\theta_4}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2}} + K_2 \cdot \frac{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2}} + K_3 = 0$$

$$2 \cdot K_1 \cdot \tan \frac{\theta_4}{2} + K_2 - K_2 \cdot \tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2} + K_3 + K_3 \cdot \tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2} = 0$$

$$(K_3 - K_2) \cdot \tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2} + 2 \cdot K_1 \cdot \tan \frac{\theta_4}{2} + (K_3 + K_2) = 0$$

$$\tan^2 \frac{\theta_4}{2} + \frac{2 \cdot K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \cdot \tan \frac{\theta_4}{2} + \frac{K_3 + K_2}{K_3 - K_2} = 0$$

$$\tan^2 \frac{\Theta_4}{2} + \frac{2 \cdot K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \cdot \tan \frac{\Theta_4}{2} + \left(\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{K_3 + K_2}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2 + \frac{K_3 + K_2}{K_3 - K_2} = 0$$

$$\left(\tan \frac{\Theta_4}{2} + \frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{K_3 + K_2}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2$$

$$\tan \frac{\Theta_4}{2} = -\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{K_3 + K_2}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2}$$

$$\tan \frac{\Theta_4}{2} = -\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{K_3 + K_2}{K_3 - K_2} \right) \left(\frac{K_3 - K_2}{K_3 - K_2} \right)}$$

$$\tan \frac{\Theta_4}{2} = -\frac{K_1}{K_3 - K_2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{K_1^2 - (K_3^2 - K_2^2)}{(K_3 - K_2)^2}}$$

$$\tan \frac{\Theta_4}{2} = \frac{-K_1 \pm \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_3 - K_2}$$

$$\boxed{\Theta_4 = 2 \cdot \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{-K_1 \pm \sqrt{K_1^2 + K_2^2 - K_3^2}}{K_3 - K_2} \right]}$$

(18)

THE SOLUTION OF THE INVERTED SLIDER CRANK LINKAGE STARTS WITH THE DEFINITION OF THE LINKAGE PARAMETERS

GIVEN: a, c, d, Θ_2 , & γ

THE PARAMETERS THAT NEED TO BE DETERMINED INCLUDE

FIND: b, Θ_3 , & Θ_4

THESE PARAMETERS ARE FOUND USING (1), (10), (13), (14), (15) AND (18)