

**PROBLEM 7.2** DESIGN A QUICK-RETURN CRANK ROCKER MECHANISM WITH A TRANSMISSION RATIO OF 1.125 AND AN OUTPUT ROCKER DISPLACEMENT ANGLE OF  $80^\circ$ .

GIVEN:

1. QUICK RETURN CRANK ROCKER 4 BAR
2. TRANSMISSION RATIO 1.125
3. OUTPUT ROCKER ANGLE  $80^\circ$

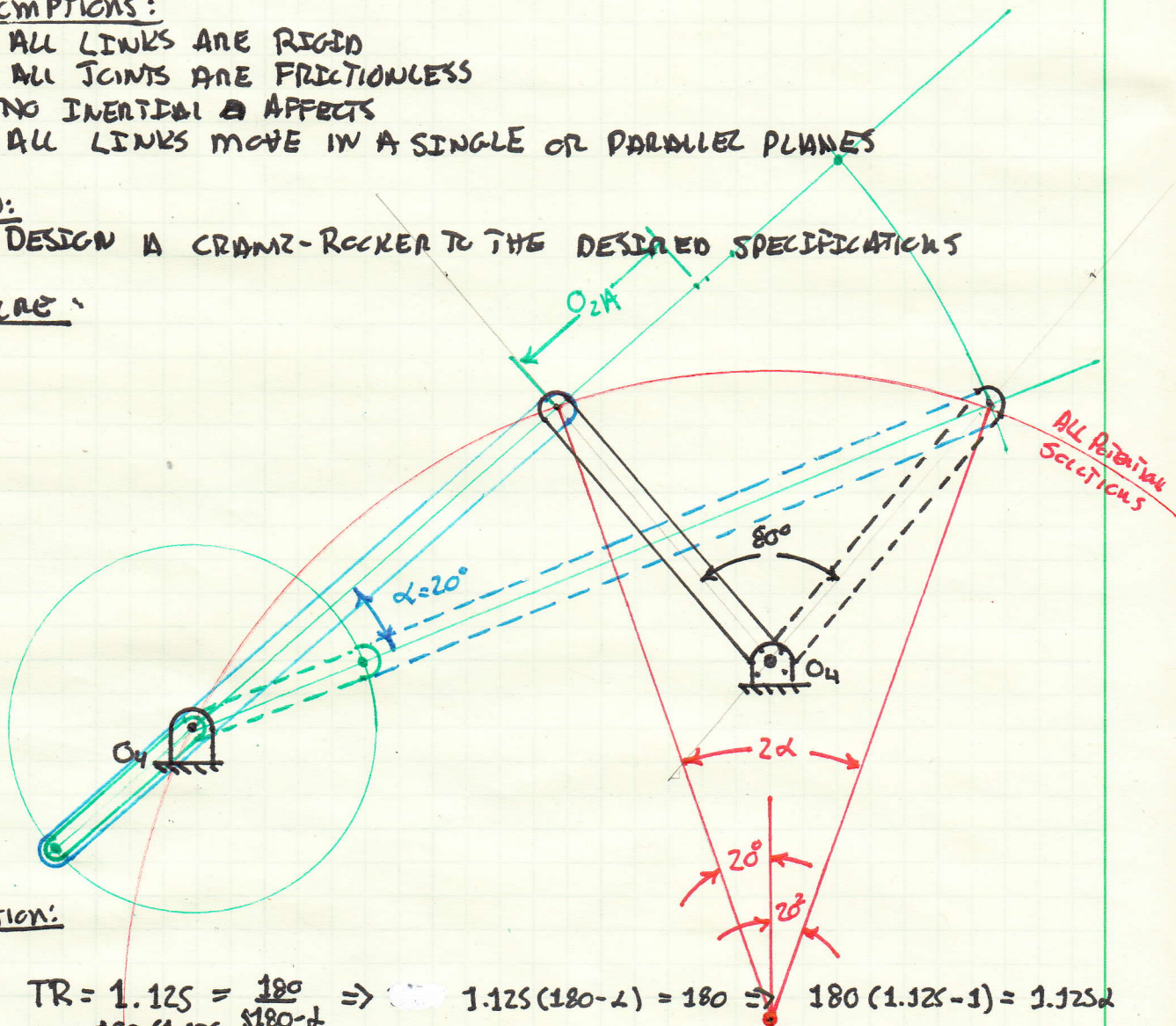
ASSUMPTIONS:

1. ALL LINKS ARE RIGID
2. ALL JOINTS ARE FRICTIONLESS
3. NO INERTIAL EFFECTS
4. ALL LINKS MOVE IN A SINGLE OR PARALLEL PLANES

FIND:

1. DESIGN A CRANK-ROCKER TO THE DESIRED SPECIFICATIONS

FIGURE:



SOLUTION:

$$\begin{aligned}
 TR &= 1.125 = \frac{180}{180 - \alpha} \Rightarrow 1.125(180 - \alpha) = 180 \Rightarrow 180(1.125 - 1) = 1.125\alpha \\
 \alpha &= \frac{180(1.125 - 1)}{1.125} \\
 &= 20^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$