

S1ME

Time: One Hour

Department of Mechanical Engineering (NITC)

ZZ1001D ENGINEERING MECHANICS

Answer Key

Tutorial Test 4-Set5

Maximum Marks: 20

1. Find the supporting force systems at  $A$  and  $B$  (Fig. 1). The length of  $CB$  is 8 m.

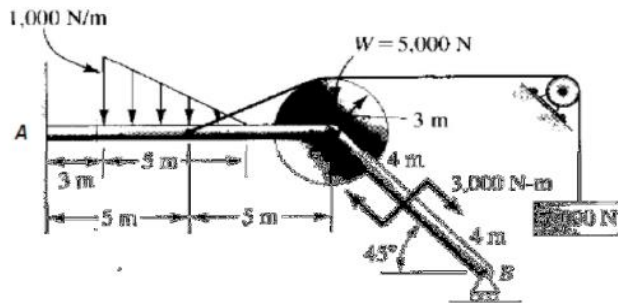
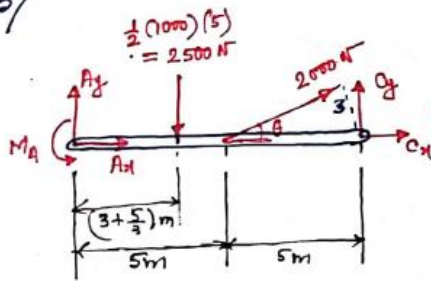


Figure 1

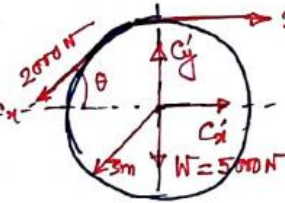
**Solution:**

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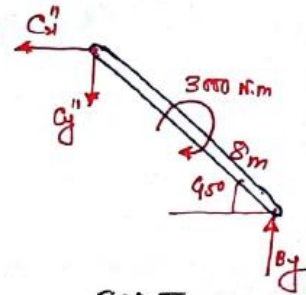


FBD I

$$\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 36.87^\circ$$



FBD II



FBD III

FBD I:

$$\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow A_x + C_x = -2000 \cos(\theta) = -16,000 \text{ N} \quad (i)$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow A_y + C_y = 2500 - 2000 \sin \theta = 1800 \text{ N} \quad (ii)$$

$$\sum M_A = 0 \Rightarrow M_A + 10 C_y = \left(3 + \frac{5}{3}\right)(2500) - 5(2000 \sin \theta) = 5666.67 \text{ N} \quad (iii)$$

FBD II:

$$\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow C'_x = 2000 \cos \theta - 2000 = -400 \text{ N} \quad (iv)$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow C'_y = 5000 + 2000 \sin \theta = 6200 \text{ N} \quad (v)$$

(5)

FBD III:

$$\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow C_x'' = 0 \quad (vi)$$

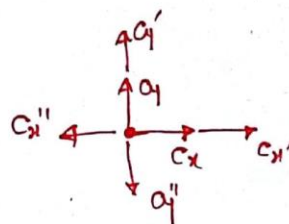
$$\sum M_c = 0 \Rightarrow (8 \cos 45^\circ) B_y = 3000 \Rightarrow B_y = \underline{530.33 \text{ N}} \quad (vii)$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow C_y'' = B_y = 530.33 \text{ N} \quad (viii)$$

At C:

$$\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow C_x'' = C_x + C_x' = 0 \quad (\text{from (vi)})$$

$$\Rightarrow C_x = -C_x' = 400 \text{ N} \quad (\text{from (iv)})$$



$$\sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow C_y'' = C_y + C_y' \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow C_y = 530.33 - 6200 \quad (\text{from (viii) and (v)})$$

$$\Rightarrow C_y = -5669.67 \text{ N} \quad (ix)$$

$$(i) \Rightarrow A_x = -1600 - C_x = -1600 - 400$$

$$\Rightarrow A_x = \underline{-2000 \text{ N}}$$

$$(ii) \Rightarrow A_y = 1300 - C_y = 1300 + 5669.67 = \underline{6969.67 \text{ N}}$$

$$(iii) \Rightarrow M_A = 5666.67 - 10 C_y = 5666.67 - 10 (-5669.67)$$

$$\Rightarrow M_A = \underline{62363.34 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}}$$

Ans:

$$A_x = -2000 \text{ N}$$

$$A_y = 6969.67 \text{ N}$$

$$B_y = 530.33 \text{ N}$$

$$M_A = 62363.34 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

2. Find the supporting force and couple-moment system for the cantilever beam (Fig. 2). What is the force and couple-moment system transmitted through a cross section of the beam at  $B$ ?

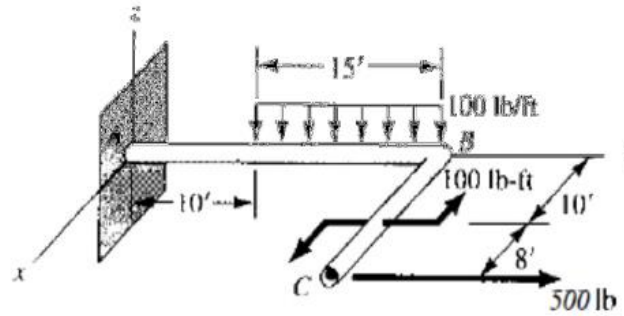


Figure 2

**Solution:**

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$$\vec{F}_1 = -1500\hat{k} \text{ lb}, \vec{r}_1 = 17.5\hat{j} \text{ ft}$$

$$\vec{F}_2 = 500\hat{j} \text{ lb}, \vec{r}_2 = 18\hat{i} + 25\hat{j} \text{ ft}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \vec{A} + \vec{F}_1 + \vec{F}_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A_x\hat{i} + A_y\hat{j} + A_z\hat{k} - 1500\hat{k} + 500\hat{j} = 0$$

$$\therefore \left. \begin{array}{l} A_x = 0 \\ A_y = -500 \text{ lb} \\ A_z = 1500 \text{ lb} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \vec{A} = -500\hat{j} + 1500\hat{k} \text{ lb Ans}$$

$$\sum \vec{M}_A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{M}_A + \vec{r}_1 \times \vec{F}_1 + \vec{r}_2 \times \vec{F}_2 + \vec{M}_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{M}_A = -17.5\hat{j} \times (-1500\hat{k}) - (18\hat{i} + 25\hat{j}) \times (500\hat{j}) - 100\hat{k}$$

$$= 26250\hat{i} - 9000\hat{k} - 100\hat{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{M}_A = 26250\hat{i} - 9100\hat{k} \text{ lb-ft Ans}$$

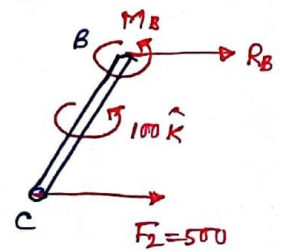
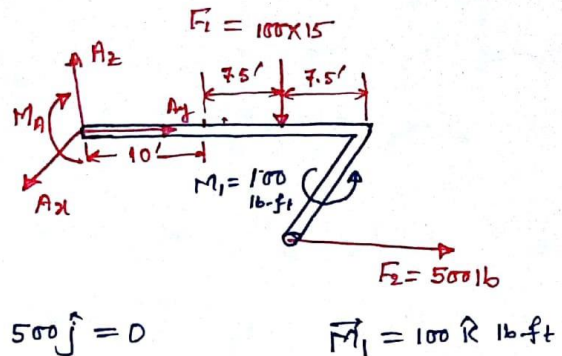
Be:

$$\sum \vec{F} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{R}_B + 500\hat{j} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{R}_B = -500\hat{j} \text{ lb Ans}$$

$$\sum \vec{M}_B = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{M}_B + 100\hat{k} + 18 \times 500\hat{k} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{M}_B = -9100\hat{k} \text{ lb-ft Ans}$$



3. Determine the magnitude and direction  $\theta$  of the minimum force  $P$  needed to pull the 50-kg roller over the smooth step (Fig. 3).

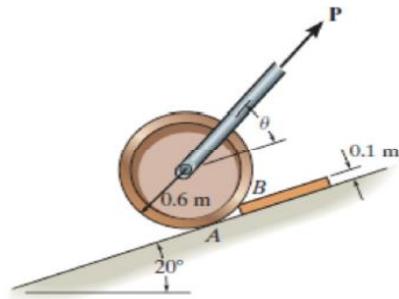


Figure 3

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**Solution:**

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$$\phi = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{OC}{OB}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{0.5}{0.6}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = 33.56^\circ$$

For  $P_{min}$ ,  $N_A \rightarrow 0$ .

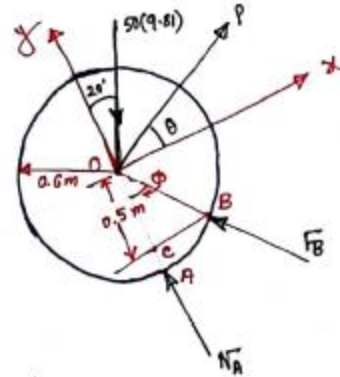
$$\sum M_B = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.5 \times (50 \times 9.81 \sin 20^\circ) + (0.3317) \times (50 \times 9.81 \cos 20^\circ) - 0.5 \times (P \cos \theta) - (0.3317) \times (P \sin \theta) = 0$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} BC &= OB \sin \phi = 0.6 \sin(33.56^\circ) \\ &= 0.3317 \text{ m} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow 236.75 - P \cos \theta (0.5) - P \sin \theta (0.3317) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{236.75}{0.5 \cos \theta + 0.3317 \sin \theta}$$



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For  $P_{min}$ :

$$\frac{dP}{d\theta} = \frac{-236.75(-0.5 \sin \theta + 0.3317 \cos \theta)}{(0.5 \cos \theta + 0.3317 \sin \theta)^2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{0.3317}{0.5} \Rightarrow \theta = 33.56^\circ \text{ Ans}$$

$$P_{min} = \frac{236.75}{0.5 \cos(33.56^\circ) + 0.3317 \sin(33.56^\circ)}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{min} = 394.57 \text{ N Ans}$$



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4. Draw the free-body diagram of member  $AB$ , which is supported by a roller at  $A$  and a pin at  $B$ . Explain the significance of each force on the diagram. (See Fig. 4.)

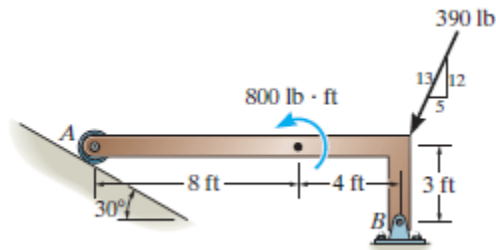


Figure 4

## Solution:

- 5-2. Draw the free-body diagram of the hand punch, which is pinned at  $A$  and bears down on the smooth surface at  $B$ .

