

**QUIZ 1** - SOLUTION  
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**CIVE210 – STATICS**  
**CLOSED BOOK, 1 HR 30 MN**

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**NOTES**

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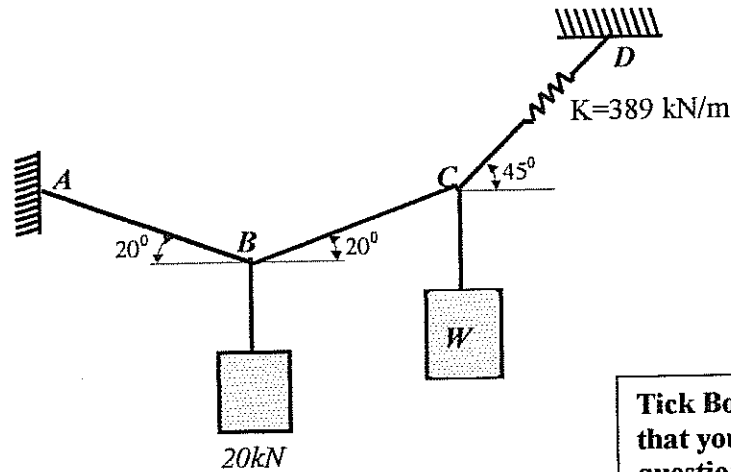
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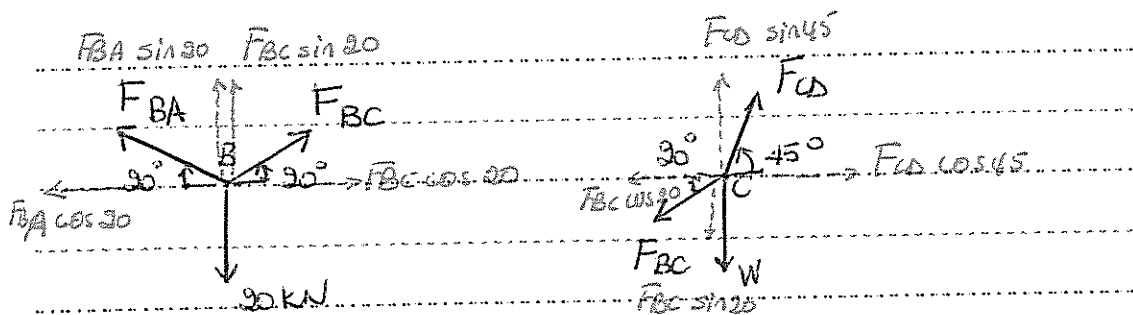
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**Problem I:** (25 points)**Figure I**

Tick Boxes to check that you solved all questions

Referring to **Figure I**, the system with weights, cables, and spring is in its equilibrium position. Determine the forces in the cables and spring, the weight  $W$ , and the stretch (or extension) of the spring. (25 points)

Calculations and/or Diagrams:



F.B.D. at B

F.B.D. at C

Equilibrium at B:

$$\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow -F_{BA} \cos 30^\circ + F_{BC} \cos 30^\circ = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{F_{BA} = F_{BC}} \quad \text{--- Eq. (1)}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow F_{BA} \sin 30^\circ + F_{BC} \sin 30^\circ - 20 = 0 \quad \text{--- Eq. (2)}$$

substitute Eq. (1) in Eq. (2)

$$\Rightarrow F_{BC} \sin 30^\circ + F_{BC} \sin 30^\circ = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{BC} = \frac{20}{2 (\sin 30^\circ)} = 29.24 \text{ kN} \quad \& \quad \boxed{F_{BA} = 29.24}$$

$$\boxed{F_{BC} = 29.24}$$

Calculations and/or Diagrams (cont'd):Equilibrium at C:

$$\rightarrow \sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow -F_{BC} \cos 90 + F_{CD} \cos 45 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -29.24 \cos 90 + F_{CD} \cos 45 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{F_{CD} = 38.86 \text{ kN}}$$

the stretch of the spring:  $F_{CD} = k \cdot s$ 

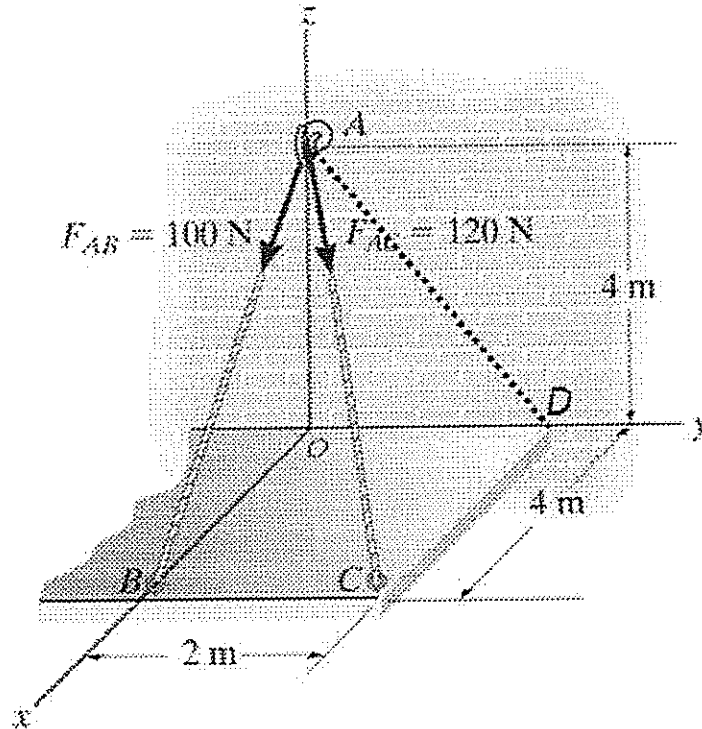
$$38.86 = 389 \cdot s$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{s = 0.1 \text{ m}}$$

$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow -F_{BC} \sin 90 + F_{CD} \sin 45 - W = 0$$

$$-29.24 \sin 90 + 38.86 \sin 45 = W$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{W = 17.48 \text{ kN}}$$

**Problem II:** (35 points)**Figure II**Referring to Figure II:

1. Compute the resultant force of the two cable forces at point A and express in Cartesian vector form; then compute its magnitude and direction. (15 points)
2. Compute the component of this resultant force on line AD, and express it as a Cartesian vector. (10 points)
3. Determine the component of the resultant moment from the two cable forces along line OD. Express the moment in Cartesian form and sketch it. (10 points)

Calculations and/or Diagrams:

1- Express  $F_{AC}$  and  $F_{AB}$  in Cartesian vector.

Coordinates:  $A(0, 0, 4)$ ,  $B(4, 0, 0)$  &  $C(4, 2, 0)$

$$\vec{F}_{AB} = F_{AB} \vec{u}_{AB}$$

$$\vec{u}_{AB} = \frac{4\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}}{\sqrt{(4)^2 + (0)^2 + (4)^2}} = \frac{4\vec{i} - 4\vec{k}}{4\sqrt{2}} = 0.707\vec{i} - 0.707\vec{k}$$

$$\therefore \vec{F}_{AB} = 100(0.707\vec{i} - 0.707\vec{k}) = 70.7\vec{i} - 70.7\vec{k}$$

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Calculations and/or Diagrams (cont'd):

$$\vec{F}_{AC} = F_{AC} \vec{u}_{AC}$$

$$\vec{u}_{AC} = \frac{4\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}}{\sqrt{(4)^2 + (2)^2 + (-4)^2}} = \frac{2}{3}\vec{i} + \frac{1}{3}\vec{j} - \frac{2}{3}\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{F}_{AC} = 120 \left( \frac{2}{3}\vec{i} + \frac{1}{3}\vec{j} - \frac{2}{3}\vec{k} \right) \therefore \boxed{\vec{F}_{AC} = \{80\vec{i} + 40\vec{j} - 80\vec{k}\}^N}$$

Resultant Force:

$$F_{Rx} = F_{ABx} + F_{ACx} = 70.7 + 80 = 150.7 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{Ry} = F_{ABy} + F_{ACy} = 0 + 40 = 40 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{Rz} = F_{ABz} + F_{ACz} = -70.7 - 80 = -150.7 \text{ N}$$

Magnitude:  $F_R = \sqrt{F_{Rx}^2 + F_{Ry}^2 + F_{Rz}^2} = \sqrt{(150.7)^2 + (40)^2 + (-150.7)^2} = 216.84 \text{ N}$

$$\boxed{\vec{F}_R = \{150.7\vec{i} + 40\vec{j} - 150.7\vec{k}\}^N} \therefore \boxed{F_R = 216.84 \text{ N}}$$

Direction:

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{F_{Rx}}{F_R} = \frac{150.7}{216.84} \Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha = 45.98^\circ}$$

$$\cos \beta = \frac{F_{Ry}}{F_R} = \frac{40}{216.84} \Rightarrow \boxed{\beta = 79.37^\circ}$$

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{F_{Rz}}{F_R} = \frac{-150.7}{216.84} \Rightarrow \boxed{\gamma = 134.03^\circ}$$

2.  $F_{R/AD} = \vec{F}_R \cdot \vec{u}_{AD}$  ; coordinates D(0, 2, 0)

$$\vec{u}_{AD} = \frac{0\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - 4\vec{k}}{\sqrt{(0)^2 + (2)^2 + (-4)^2}} = 0\vec{i} + 0.447\vec{j} - 0.894\vec{k}$$

$$\therefore F_{R/AD} = \{150.7\vec{i} + 40\vec{j} - 150.7\vec{k}\} \cdot \{0\vec{i} + 0.447\vec{j} - 0.894\vec{k}\} = 152.6$$

$$\therefore \boxed{F_{R/AD} = 152.6 \text{ N}}$$

Calculations and/or Diagrams (cont'd):In Cartesian vector:

$$\vec{F}_{R/AD} = F_{R/AD} \vec{u}_{AD} = 152.61 \{ 0\vec{i} + 0.447\vec{j} - 0.894\vec{k} \}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\vec{F}_{R/AD} = \{ 0\vec{i} + 68.22\vec{j} - 136.44\vec{k} \} \text{ N}}$$

3.

$$M_{R/OB} = u_{OB} \cdot (r_{OA} \times F_{AC}) + u_{OB} \cdot (r_{OA} \times F_{AB}) = u_{OB} \cdot (r_{OA} \times \vec{F}_R)$$

\* the position vector  $\vec{r}$  could be either  $r_{OA}$ ,  $r_{OB}$ ,  $r_{DA}$  or  $r_{DB}$  for  $\vec{F}_{AB}$  and either  $r_{OA}$ ,  $r_{OC}$ ,  $r_{DA}$  or  $r_{DC}$  for  $\vec{F}_{AC}$

thus,  $r_{OA}$  is selected for both forces.

where:

$$r_{OA} = r_A = \{ 0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 4\vec{k} \} \text{ m}$$

$$u_{OB} = 0\vec{i} + 1\vec{j} + 0\vec{k} = u_y$$

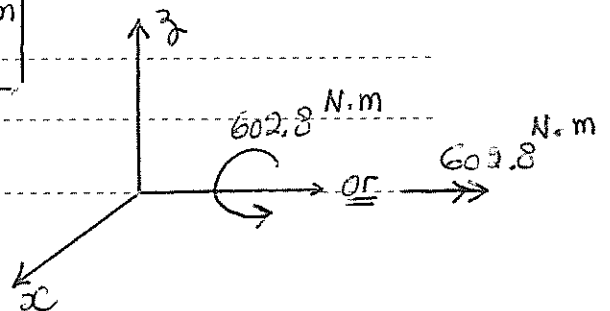
$$M_{R/OB} = u_{OB} \cdot (r_{OA} \times \vec{F}_R)$$

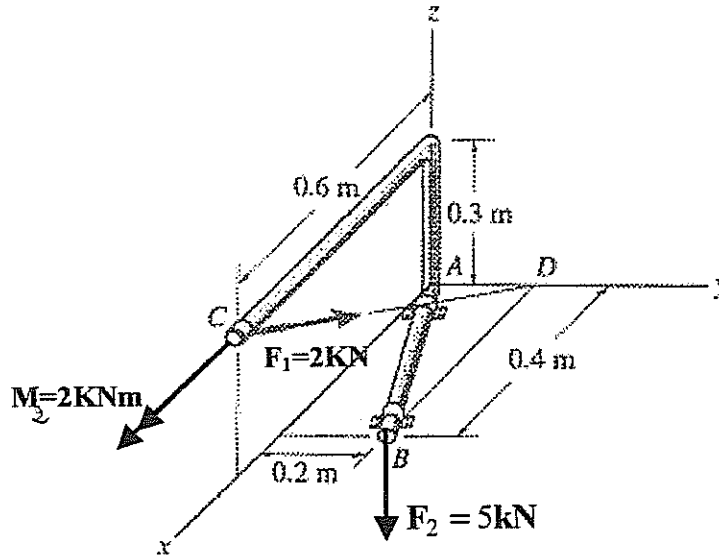
$$M_{R/OB} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 150.7 & 40 & -150.7 \end{vmatrix} = +4(150.7) \Rightarrow \boxed{M_{R/OB} = 602.8 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}}$$

$$\text{In Cartesian vector: } \vec{M}_{R/OB} = M_{R/OB} u_{OB} = 602.8 \{ 0\vec{i} + 1\vec{j} + 0\vec{k} \}$$

$$\boxed{\vec{M}_{R/OB} = \{ 0\vec{i} + 602.8\vec{j} + 0\vec{k} \} \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}}$$

$$M_{R/OB} = M_y = 602.8 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$



**Problem III:** (40 points)**Figure III**

The rigid pipe system is subjected to the forces and moment as shown in Figure III. Note that  $F_2$  is in the vertical direction and  $M_2$  is about the X axis.

1. Compute the resultant moment at point A and express in Cartesian vector form; then compute its magnitude and direction. (15 points)
2. Determine the component of this moment about an axis extending between points A and B. Express the result as Cartesian vector. (15 points)
3. Using a scalar approach, compute the moment at point A in each of the X, Y, and Z direction and compare with Question 1. (10 points)

Calculations and/or Diagrams:

$$1. \vec{M}_A = \vec{M}_2 + (\vec{r}_{AC} \times \vec{F}_1) + (\vec{r}_{AB} \times \vec{F}_2)$$

$$\vec{M}_2 = \{2\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\} \text{ kN.m}$$

coordinates: A(0,0,0) B(0.4, 0.2, 0) C(0.6, 0, 0.3) D(0, 0.2, 0)

position vectors:

$$\vec{r}_{AC} = 0.6\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0.3\vec{k}$$

$$\vec{r}_{AB} = 0.4\vec{i} + 0.2\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}$$

Express  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  in Cartesian vector:

$$\vec{F}_1 = F_1 \cdot \vec{u}_{CD} = 2 \left\{ \frac{-0.6}{0.7}\vec{i} + \frac{0.2}{0.7}\vec{j} - \frac{0.3}{0.7}\vec{k} \right\} \Rightarrow \vec{F}_1 = \left\{ \frac{-12}{7}\vec{i} + \frac{4}{7}\vec{j} - \frac{6}{7}\vec{k} \right\}$$

where:

$$\vec{u}_{CD} = \frac{-0.6\vec{i} + 0.2\vec{j} - 0.3\vec{k}}{\sqrt{(-0.6)^2 + (0.2)^2 + (-0.3)^2}} = \frac{-0.6\vec{i} + 0.2\vec{j} - 0.3\vec{k}}{0.7}$$

Calculations and/or Diagrams (cont'd):

$$\vec{F}_2 = F_2 (0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} - 1\vec{k}) = 0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} - 5\vec{k} \therefore \vec{F}_2 = \{0\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} - 5\vec{k}\} \text{ KN}$$

$$\vec{M}_A = \{2\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\} + \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 0.6 & 0 & 0.3 \\ -12 & 4 & -6 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 0.4 & 0.2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \{2\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\} + \left\{ \frac{-12}{7}\vec{i} + 0\vec{j} + \frac{24}{7}\vec{k} \right\} + \{-\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\}$$

$$\vec{M}_A = \{0.829\vec{i} + 2.0\vec{j} + 0.343\vec{k}\} \text{ KN.m}$$

Magnitude and direction:

$$M_A = \sqrt{(0.829)^2 + (2.0)^2 + (0.343)^2} = 2.192 \text{ KN.m}$$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{0.829}{2.192} \Rightarrow \alpha = 67.8^\circ$$

$$\cos \beta = \frac{2.0}{2.192} \Rightarrow \beta = 24.16^\circ$$

$$\cos \gamma = \frac{0.343}{2.192} \Rightarrow \gamma = 81.0^\circ$$

$$2. \quad M_{A/AB} = \vec{M}_A \cdot \vec{u}_{AB} = \{0.829\vec{i} + 2.0\vec{j} + 0.343\vec{k}\} \cdot \{0.895\vec{i} + 0.447\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\}$$

$$\text{where: } \Rightarrow M_{A/AB} = 1.636 \text{ KN.m}$$

$$\vec{u}_{AB} = \frac{0.4\vec{i} + 0.2\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}}{\sqrt{(0.4)^2 + (0.2)^2 + (0)^2}} = 0.895\vec{i} + 0.447\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}$$

In Cartesian vector:

$$M_{A/AB} = M_{A/AB} \vec{u}_{AB} = 1.636 \{0.895\vec{i} + 0.447\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow M_{A/AB} = \{1.464\vec{i} + 0.732\vec{j} + 0\vec{k}\} \text{ KN.m}$$



Calculations and/or Diagrams (cont'd):3. Scalar approach:

$$M_x = -5(0.2) - \frac{4}{7}(0.3) + 2 = 0.829 \text{ KN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$M_y = 5(0.4) - \frac{12}{7}(0.3) + \frac{6}{7}(0.6) = 2 \text{ KN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$M_z = \frac{4}{7}(0.6) = 0.343 \text{ KN}\cdot\text{m}$$

Results are the same as Question (1).