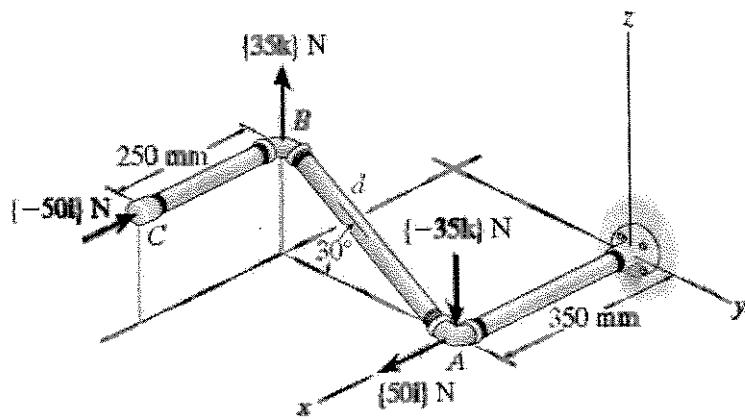


Problem I:

Determine the distance  $d$  between A and B so that the resultant couple moment has a magnitude of  $M_R = 20 \text{ N.m}$ . (15points)

Calculations:

$$M_x = -35 d \cos 30^\circ = -30.31d$$

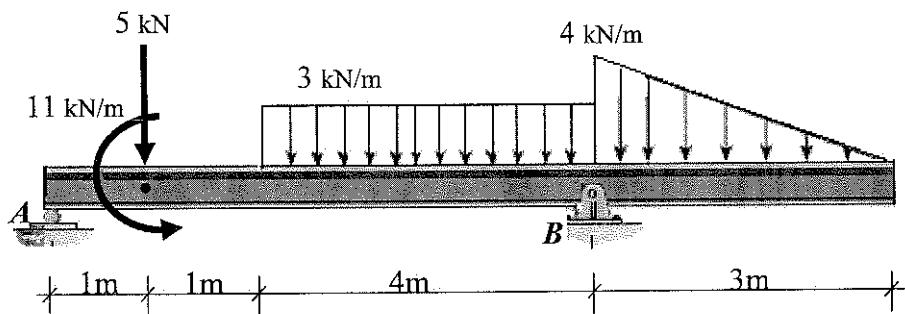
$$M_y = -50 d \sin 30^\circ = -25d$$

$$M_z = -50 d \cos 30^\circ = -43.3d$$

$$M_R = 20 = \sqrt{M_x^2 + M_y^2 + M_z^2}$$

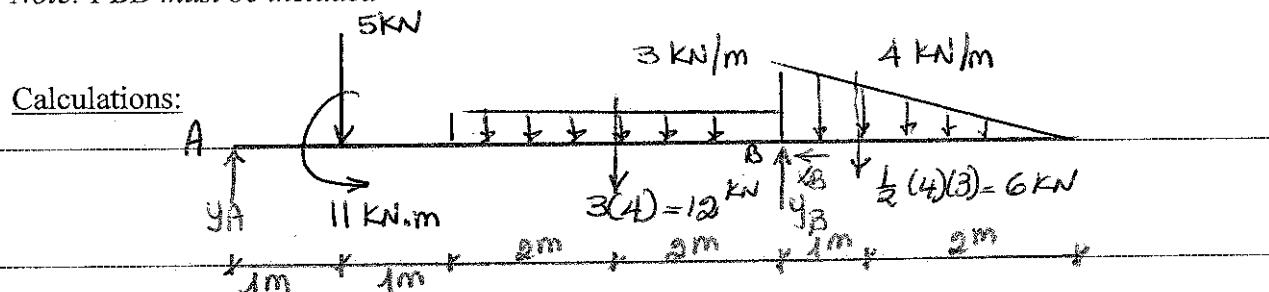
$$M_R = 20 = \sqrt{(30.31d)^2 + (-25d)^2 + (-43.3d)^2} = \sqrt{3418.59d^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (20)^2 = 3418.59d^2 \Rightarrow d = 0.342 \text{ m} = 342 \text{ mm}$$

**Problem II:**

The beam is supported by a roller at A and pin at B. Determine the reactions at support A and B.  
(15 points)

Note: FBD must be included



$$\sum \text{F}_x = 0 \Rightarrow x_B = 0 \text{ kN}.$$

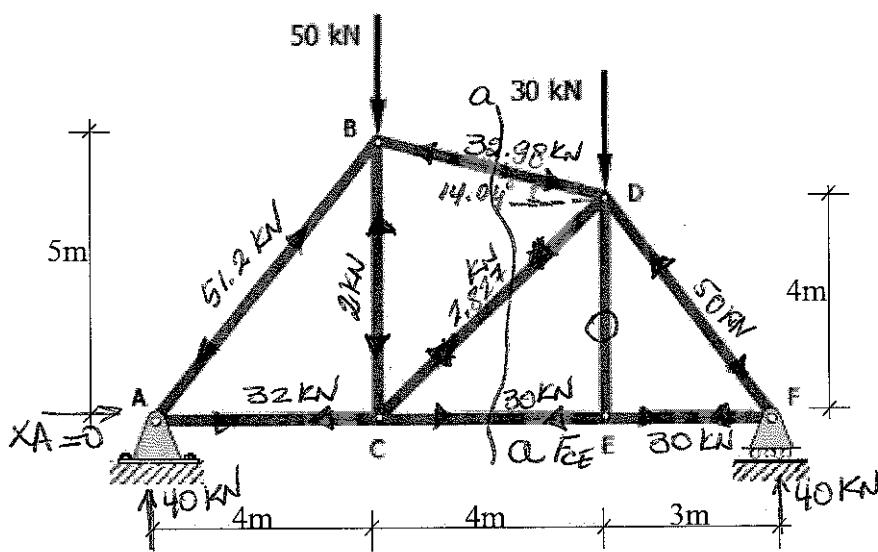
$$+ (\sum M_A = 0 \rightarrow -5(1) + 11 - 12(4) + y_B(6) - 6(7) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_B = 14 \text{ kN} \uparrow$$

$$+ (\sum M_B = 0 \rightarrow -y_A(6) + 11 + 5(5) + 12(2) - 6(1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_A = 9 \text{ kN} \uparrow$$

$$\text{CHECK! } + \sum F_y = 9 - 5 - 12 - 6 + 14 = 0 \therefore \text{OK.}$$

Problem III:

Determine the force in each member of the truss and state if the members are in tension or compression. (Use a combination of method of section and joint to solve the truss). (40 points)

Calculations:

$$\text{Reactions: } \sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow X_A = 0 \text{ KN} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$+ (\sum M_A = 0 \rightarrow -50(4) - 30(8) + Y_F(11) = 0 \Rightarrow Y_F = 40 \text{ KN} \uparrow \quad \textcircled{1})$$

$$+ (\sum M_F = 0 \rightarrow Y_A(11) + 50(7) + 30(3) = 0 \Rightarrow Y_A = 40 \text{ KN} \uparrow \quad \textcircled{2})$$

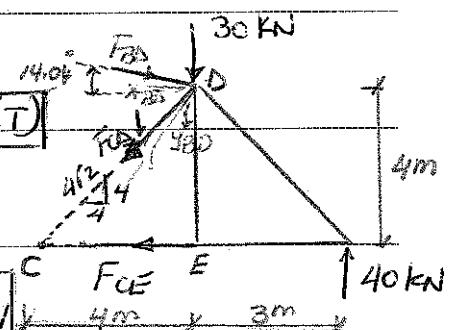
$$\text{Check! } + \sum F_y = 40 - 50 - 30 + 40 = 0 \therefore \text{OK.}$$

Sec a-a: right.

$$+ (\sum M_D = 0 \rightarrow 40(3) F_{CE}(4) \Rightarrow F_{CE} = 30 \text{ KN (T)})$$

$$+ (\sum M_E = 0 \rightarrow 40(7) - 30(4) - F_{BD} \cos 14.04(4)$$

$$- F_{BD} \sin 14.04(4) = 0 \Rightarrow F_{BD} = 32.98 \text{ KN} \quad \text{(c)}$$



$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0 \quad 40 - 30 - 32.98 \sin 14.04 - F_{CD} \frac{4}{4\sqrt{2}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{CD} = 2.827 \text{ KN (T)}$$

Member ED is a zero Force member.  $F_{ED} = 0 \text{ KN}$

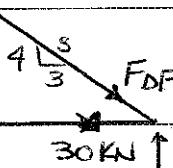
Equilibrium of joint E:

$$+\sum F_x = 0 \quad -30 + F_{EF} = 0 \Rightarrow F_{EF} = 30 \text{ KN (T)}$$



Joint F

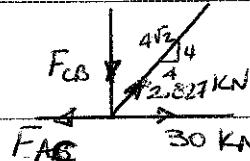
$$\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow -30 + F_{DF} \frac{3}{5} = 0 \Rightarrow F_{DF} = 50 \text{ KN (C)}$$



CHECK for  $F_y = 0 \Rightarrow 40 - 50(\frac{4}{5}) = 0$  is OK.

Joint C:

$$+\uparrow \sum F_y \Rightarrow F_{CB} - 2.827 \times \frac{4}{4\sqrt{2}} = 0 \Rightarrow F_{CB} = 3.2 \text{ KN (C)}$$

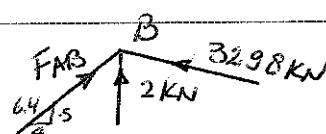


$$\Rightarrow F_{CB} = 2 \text{ KN (C)}$$

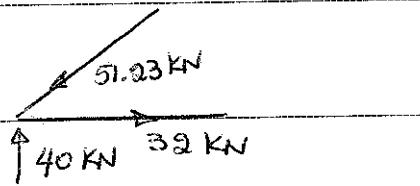
$$+\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow -F_{AB} + 2.827 \times \frac{4}{4\sqrt{2}} + 30 = 0 \Rightarrow F_{AB} = 32 \text{ KN (T)}$$

Joint B:

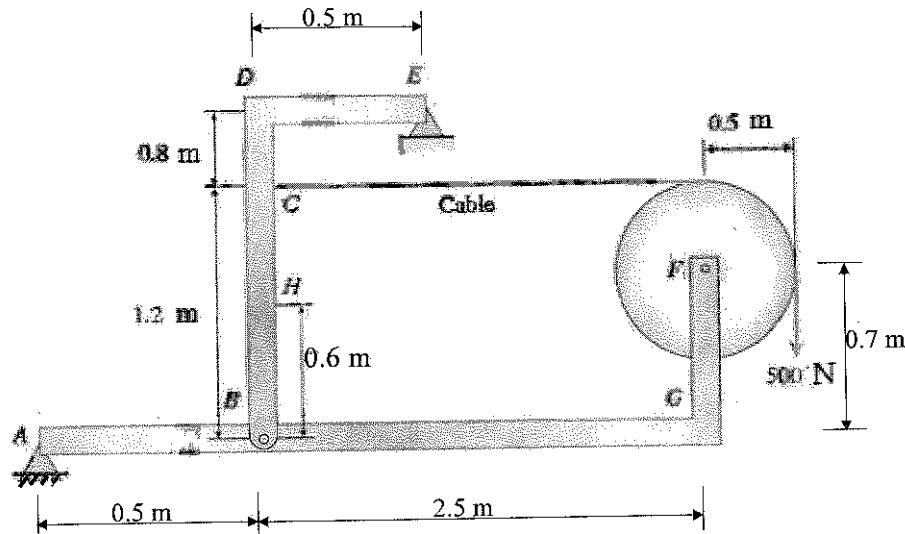
$$+\sum F_x = 0 \quad F_{AB} \frac{4}{6.4} - 32.98 \cos 14.04 = 0$$



$$\Rightarrow F_{AB} = 51.2 \text{ KN (C)}$$

Joint ACHECK for equilibrium  $\sum F_x = 0$  or  $\sum F_y = 0$ 

$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0 \rightarrow 40 - 51.23 \cdot \frac{5}{6.4} = 0$$

**Problem IV:**

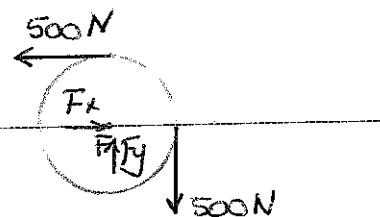
A plane frame with a pin support at A and pin support at E has a cable attached at C which runs over a frictionless pulley at F. The cable force is known to be 500 N.

- (a) Find reactions at supports A and E. (30 points)

Note: FBD must be included

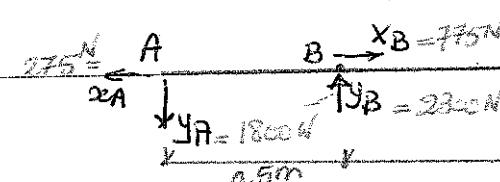
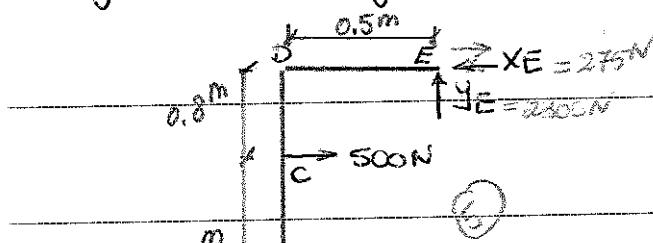
Calculations:

Equilibrium of Pulley F.



$$+\sum F_x = 0 \rightarrow F_x - 500 = 0 \Rightarrow F_x = 500 \text{ N} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$+\sum F_y = 0 \rightarrow F_y - 500 = 0 \Rightarrow F_y = 500 \text{ N} \uparrow \textcircled{3}$$



Part AF:

$$+\downarrow \sum M_A = 0 \Rightarrow y_B(0.5) + 500(0.7) - 500(3) \Rightarrow y_B = 2300 \text{ N} \uparrow$$

$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow -y_A + 2300 - 500 = 0 \Rightarrow y_A = 1800 \text{ N} \downarrow$$

Part BE:

$$+\uparrow \sum F_y = 0 \Rightarrow -2300 + y_E = 0 \Rightarrow y_E = 2300 \text{ N} \uparrow$$

$$+\leftarrow \sum M_E = 0 \Rightarrow 2300(0.5) - x_B(2) + 500(0.8) = 0 \Rightarrow x_B = 775 \text{ N} \leftarrow$$

$$+\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow -775 + 500 \cdot x_E = 0 \Rightarrow x_E = -275 \text{ N} = 275 \text{ N} \rightarrow$$

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Part AF:

$$+\sum F_x = 0 \Rightarrow -x_A + 775 - 500 = 0 \Rightarrow x_A = 275 \text{ N} \leftarrow$$

Good Luck!