

•11-1. The 200-kg crate is on the lift table at the position $\theta = 30^\circ$. Determine the force in the hydraulic cylinder AD for equilibrium. Neglect the mass of the lift table's components.

Free Body Diagram : Fig. a

Virtual Displacements :

$$y_D = 2.4 \sin \theta \quad \delta y_D = 2.4 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad (1)$$

$$y_J = 2(2.4 \sin \theta) + b \quad \delta y_J = 4.8 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad (2)$$

Virtual - Work Equation :

$$\delta U = 0 \quad F_{AD} \delta y_D + [-200(9.81) \delta y_J] = 0 \quad (3)$$

Substituting Eqs. (1) and (2) into Eq. (3),

$$F_{AD}(2.4 \cos \theta \delta \theta) - 200(9.81)(4.8 \cos \theta \delta \theta) = 0$$

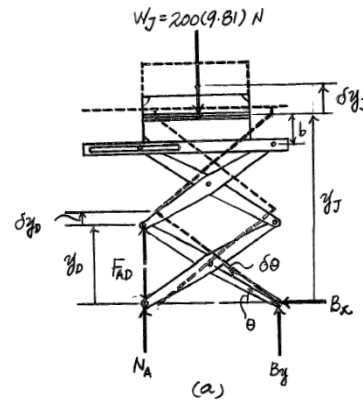
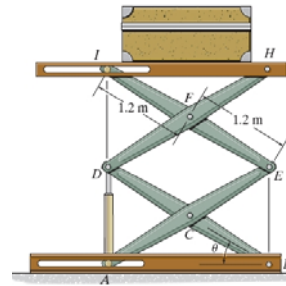
$$\cos \theta \delta \theta (2.4 F_{AD} - 9417.6) = 0$$

Since $\cos \theta \delta \theta \neq 0$, then

$$2.4 F_{AD} - 9417.6 = 0$$

$$F_{AD} = 3924 \text{ N} = 3.92 \text{ kN} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

Note: F_{AD} remains constant regardless of angle θ .



•11-5. Determine the force developed in the spring required to keep the 50 N (\approx 5-kg) uniform rod AB in equilibrium when $\theta = 35^\circ$.

Free Body Diagram :

Virtual Displacements :

$$x_B = 1.8 \cos \theta \quad \delta x_B = -1.8 \sin \theta \delta \theta \quad [1]$$

$$y_C = 0.9 \sin \theta \quad \delta y_C = 0.9 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad [2]$$

Virtual - Work Equation :

$$\delta U = 0; \quad -F_{sp} \delta x_B - 50 \delta y_C - 15 \delta \theta = 0 \quad [3]$$

Substituting Eqs. [1] and [2] into [3] yields

$$(1.8 F_{sp} \sin \theta - 45 \cos \theta - 15) \delta \theta = 0 \quad [4]$$

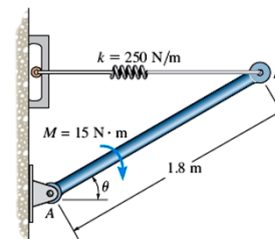
Since $\delta \theta \neq 0$, then

$$1.8 F_{sp} \sin \theta - 45 \cos \theta - 15 = 0$$

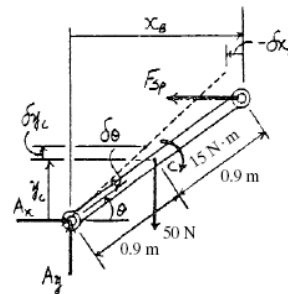
$$F_{sp} = \frac{45 \cos \theta + 15}{1.8 \sin \theta}$$

At the equilibrium position, $\theta = 35^\circ$, Then

$$F_{sp} = \frac{45 \cos 35^\circ + 15}{1.8 \sin 35^\circ} = 50.2 \text{ N}$$



Note: δx_B is positive \rightarrow



Ans

11-6. If a force of $P = 25 \text{ N}$ is applied to the handle of the mechanism, determine the force the screw exerts on the cork of the bottle. The screw is attached to the pin at A and passes through the collar that is attached to the bottle neck at B .

Free Body Diagram :

Virtual Displacements :

$$y_A = 2(75 \sin \theta) \quad \delta y_A = 150 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad (1)$$

$$y_D = 6(75 \sin \theta) \quad \delta y_D = 450 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad (2)$$

Virtual - Work Equation :

$$\delta U = 0; \quad P \delta y_D + (-F_s \delta y_A) = 0 \quad (3)$$

Substituting $P = 25 \text{ N}$, Eqs. (1) and (2) into Eq. (3),

$$25(450 \cos \theta \delta \theta) - F_s(150 \cos \theta \delta \theta) = 0$$

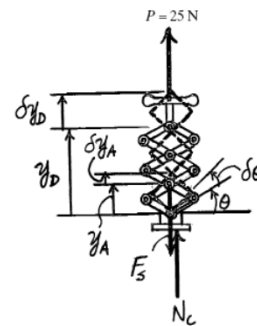
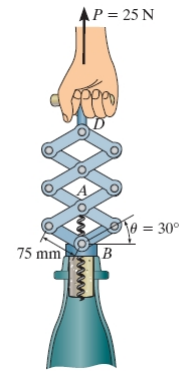
$$\cos \theta \delta \theta(75 - F_s) = 0$$

Since $\cos \theta \delta \theta \neq 0$, then

$$75 - F_s = 0$$

$$F_s = 75 \text{ N}$$

Ans.



11-7. The pin-connected mechanism is constrained at A by a pin and at B by a roller. If $P = 50 \text{ N}$, determine the angle θ for equilibrium. The spring is unstretched when $\theta = 45^\circ$. Neglect the weight of the members.

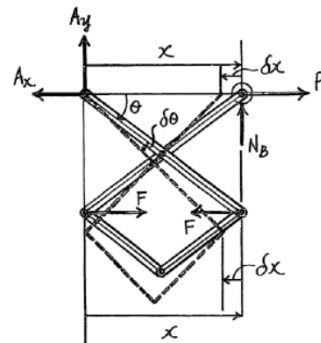
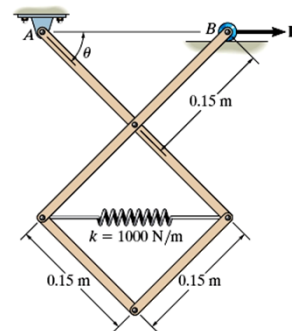
$$x = 2(0.15) \cos \theta$$

$$F_s = kx; \quad F = 1000(0.3 \cos \theta - 0.3 \cos 45^\circ)$$

$$\delta U = 0; \quad -F \delta x + P \delta x = 0$$

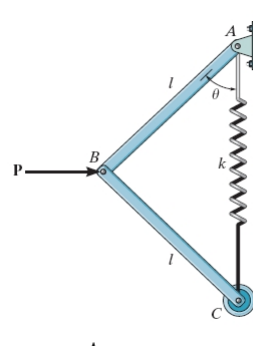
$$-1000(0.3 \cos \theta - 0.3 \cos 45^\circ) + 50 = 0$$

$$\theta = 29.1^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$



4

11-11. If the spring has a stiffness k and an unstretched length l_0 , determine the force P when the mechanism is in the position shown. Neglect the weight of the members.



$$F_s = k(2l \cos \theta - l_0)$$

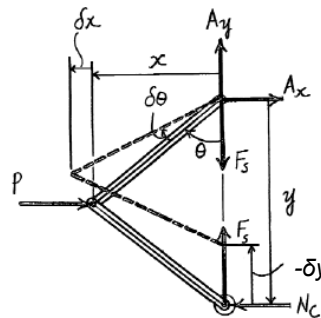
$$x = l \sin \theta, \quad \delta x = l \cos \theta (\delta \theta)$$

$$y = 2l \cos \theta, \quad \delta y = -2l \sin \theta (\delta \theta)$$

$$\delta U = 0; \quad -P \delta x - F_s \delta y = 0$$

$$-Pl \cos \theta (\delta \theta) + F_s 2l \sin \theta (\delta \theta) = 0$$

$$P = 2k \tan \theta (2l \cos \theta - l_0) \quad \text{Ans}$$



Note: δy is positive \downarrow

5

*11-24. Determine the magnitude of the couple moment M required to support the 20-kg cylinder in the configuration shown. The smooth peg at B can slide freely within the slot. Neglect the mass of the members.

Free Body Diagram :

Virtual Displacements :

$$y_E = b - 2.5 \sin \theta \quad \delta y_E = -2.5 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad (1)$$

From the geometry shown in Fig. b, we obtain
 $\phi = 2\theta \quad \delta \phi = 2\delta \theta$

Virtual - Work Equation :

$$\delta U = 0, \quad M \delta \phi + W_E \delta y_E = 0 \quad (3)$$

Substituting $W_E = 20(9.81)$ N and Eqs. (1) and (2) into Eq. (3),

$$M(2\delta \theta) + 20(9.81)(-2.5 \cos \theta \delta \theta) = 0$$

$$\delta \theta(2M - 490.5 \cos \theta) = 0$$

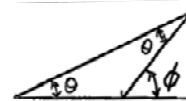
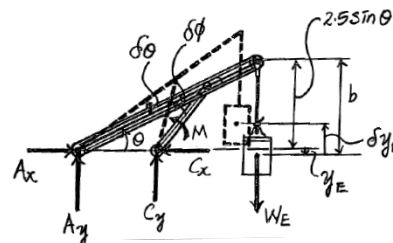
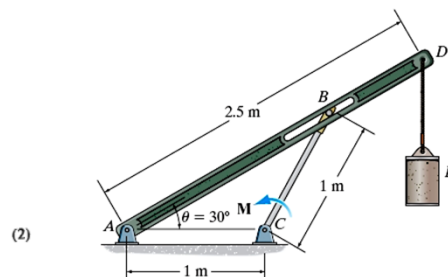
Since $\delta \theta \neq 0$, then

$$2M - 490.5 \cos \theta = 0$$

$$M = 245.25 \cos \theta$$

At $\theta = 30^\circ$,

$$M = 245.25 \cos 30^\circ = 212 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} \quad \text{Ans.}$$



6

*11-52. The uniform links AB and BC each weigh 10 N and the cylinder weighs 100 N . Determine the horizontal force P required to hold the mechanism at $\theta = 45^\circ$. The spring has an unstretched length of 150 mm .

Free Body Diagram :

Virtual Displacements :

$$y_B = 250 \sin \theta \quad \delta y_B = 250 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad [1]$$

$$y_D = 125 \sin \theta \quad \delta y_D = 125 \cos \theta \delta \theta \quad [2]$$

$$x_C = 2(250 \cos \theta) \quad \delta x_C = -500 \sin \theta \delta \theta \quad [3]$$

Virtual - Work Equation :

$$\delta U = 0;$$

$$-F_{sp} \delta x_C - 2(10 \delta y_B) - 100 \delta y_D + P \delta x_C = 0 \quad [4]$$

Substituting Eqs. [1], [2] and [3] into [4] yields

$$(500 F_{sp} \sin \theta - 500 P \sin \theta - 27500 \cos \theta) \delta \theta = 0 \quad [5]$$

However, from the spring formula, $F_{sp} = kx = 0.400[2(250 \cos \theta) - 150] = 200 \cos \theta - 60$. Substituting this value into Eq. [5] yields

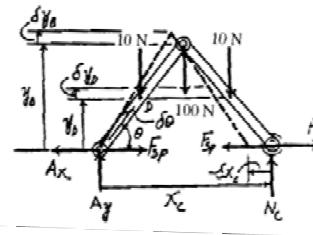
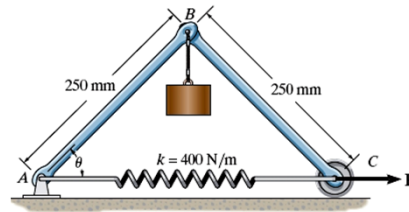
$$(100,000 \sin \theta \cos \theta - 30000 \sin \theta - 27500 \cos \theta - 500 P \sin \theta) \delta \theta = 0$$

Since $\delta \theta \neq 0$, then $100,000 \sin \theta \cos \theta - 30000 \sin \theta - 27500 \cos \theta - 500 P \sin \theta = 0$

$$P = 200 \cos \theta - 55 \cot \theta - 6$$

At the equilibrium position, $\theta = 45^\circ$. Then

$$P = 200 \cos 45^\circ - 55 \cot 45^\circ - 6 = 26.42\text{ N} \quad \text{Ans}$$



7

*11-56. The uniform rod AB has a weight of 50 N . If the spring DC is unstretched when $\theta = 0^\circ$, determine the angle θ for equilibrium using the principle of virtual work. The spring always remains in the horizontal position due to the roller guide at D .

$$y_w = 0.45 \cos \theta \quad \delta y_w = -0.45 \sin \theta \delta \theta$$

$$x_F = 0.3 \sin \theta \quad \delta x_F = 0.3 \cos \theta \delta \theta$$

$$\delta U = 0; \quad -W \delta y_w - F_s \delta x_F = 0$$

$$-50(-0.45 \sin \theta \delta \theta) - F_s(0.3 \cos \theta \delta \theta) = 0$$

$$\delta \theta(22.5 \sin \theta - 0.3 F_s \cos \theta) = 0$$

Since $\delta \theta \neq 0$, then $22.5 \sin \theta - 0.3 F_s \cos \theta = 0 \quad (1)$

$F_s = kx$ where $x = 0.3 \sin \theta \quad (2)$

$$F_s = 1000(0.3 \sin \theta) = 300 \sin \theta$$

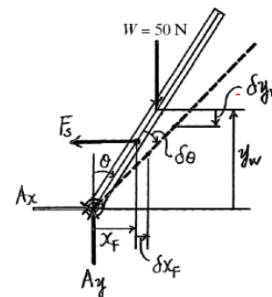
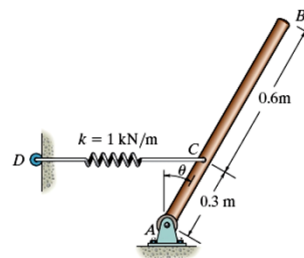
Substituting Eq. (2) into (1) yields :

$$22.5 \sin \theta - (90 \sin \theta) \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\sin \theta(22.5 - 90 \cos \theta) = 0$$

$$\sin \theta = 0 \quad \theta = 0^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$22.5 - 90 \cos \theta = 0 \quad \theta = 75.5^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$



8