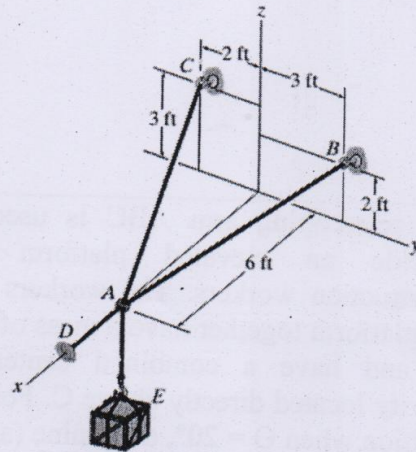


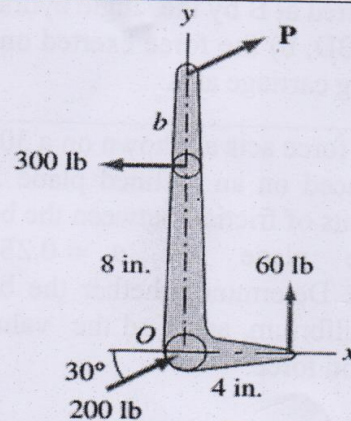


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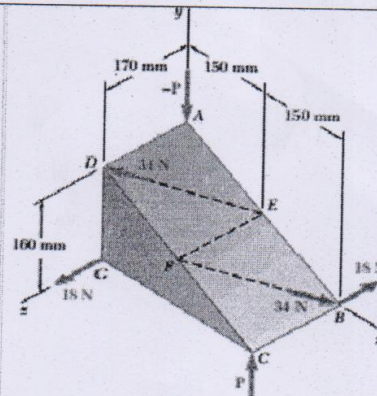
- 1- The 150-lb crate is supported by cables AB, AC and AD. Determine the tension in these wires.



- 2- The force system acting on the machine part is equivalent to the single force  $R = 95i + 10j$  lb acting at O. Determine the force P and the distance b.

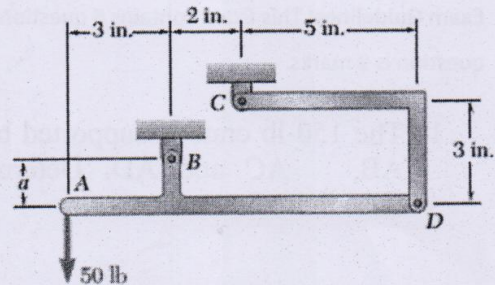


- 3- If  $P = 20$  N, replace the three couples with a single equivalent couple, specifying its magnitude and the direction of its axis

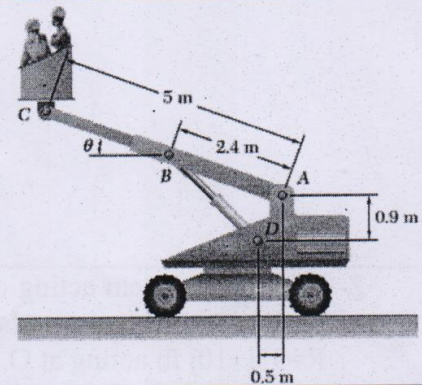




- 4- Determine the reactions at B and C when  $a = 1.5$  in



- 5- The telescoping arm ABC is used to provide an elevated platform for construction workers. The workers and the platform together have a mass of 200 kg and have a combined center of gravity located directly above C. For the position when  $\theta = 20^\circ$ , determine (a) the force exerted at B by the single hydraulic cylinder BD, b) the force exerted on the supporting carriage at A.



- 6- A 100-lb force acts as shown on a 300-lb block placed on an inclined plane. The coefficients of friction between the block and the plane are  $\mu_s = 0.25$  and  $\mu_k = 0.2$ . Determine whether the block is in equilibrium, and find the value of the friction force.

