

MECA-H303 Vibration TP1

Kinematics & Statics

Simple lift mechanism

For the following mechanism, we ask you to:

1. Calculate the number of degrees of freedom
2. Write the constraint equations
3. Using the principle of virtual work, express the ratio between F_x and F_y as a function of the system's coordinates, when the system is in static equilibrium.

Additional details for the exercise:

- Use the coordinate system centered on point C
- Lengths $|AE| = |BE| = |CE| = |DE| = L$
- The mass of all bars is negligible
- The final answer should be expressed as a function of the coordinates on the schematic

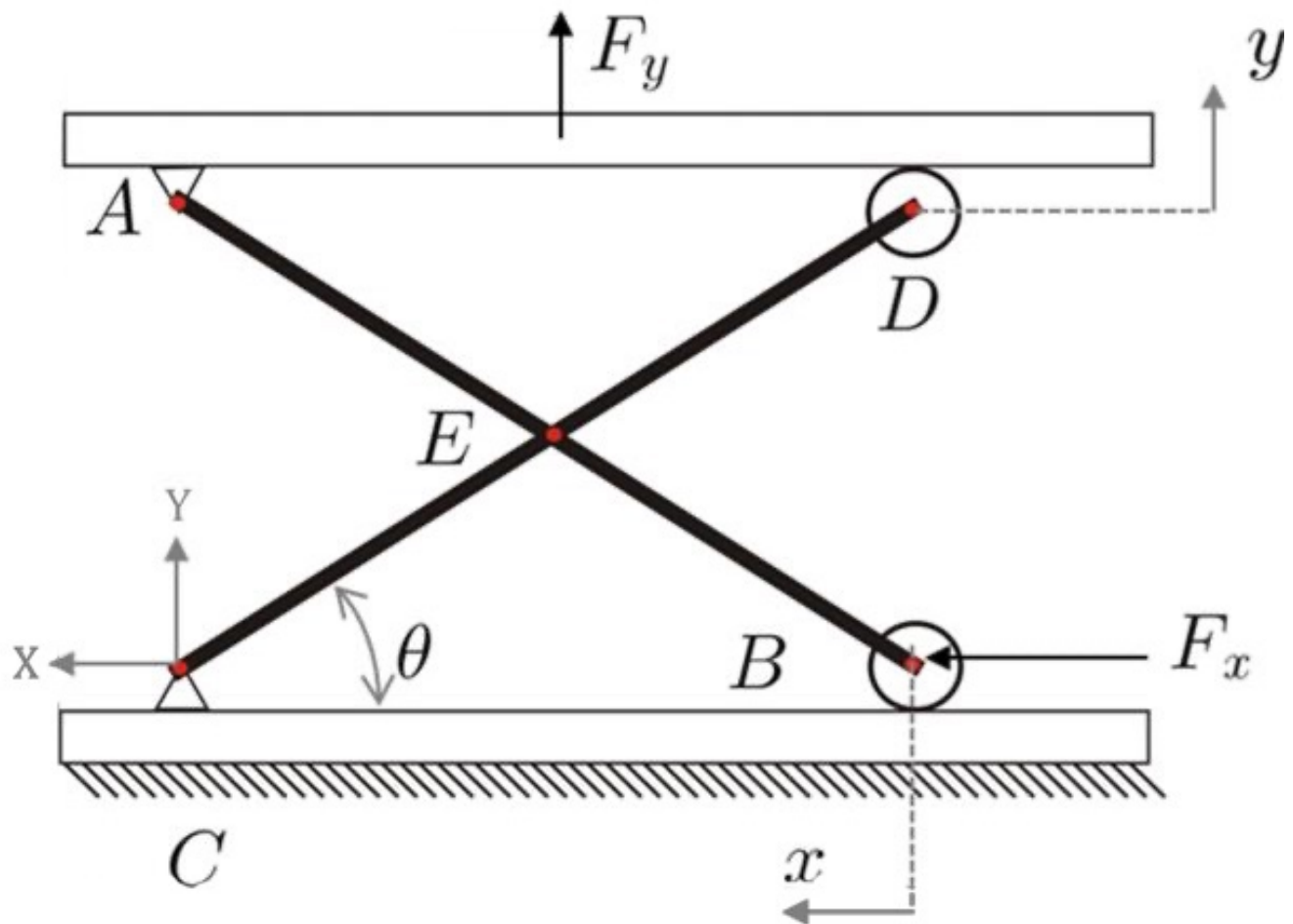


Figure 1: simple lift mechanism

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m : n° of bodies

l : n° of joints

w_i : n° of dofs at joint i

$b = l - m = 5 - 3 = 2$ (n° of closed loops)

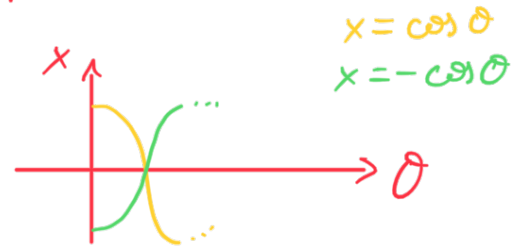
$$N = \left(\sum_{i=1}^l w_i \right) - 3b$$

$$N = \underset{\substack{\downarrow \\ \text{joint: A} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{B} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{C} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{D} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{E}}}{1+2+1+2+1} - 3 \cdot 2 = 1 \text{ (n° of dofs)}$$

2

$$x_B = -2L \cos \theta$$
$$y_D = 2L \sin \theta$$

when $x \uparrow$ then $\theta \uparrow$



3

$$d\bar{C} = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow d\bar{F}_x + d\bar{F}_y = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow F_x dx_B + F_y dy_D = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{F_y}{F_x} = \frac{-dx_B}{dy_D} = \frac{-\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = -\tan \theta$$

$$\begin{cases} dx_B = 2L d\theta \sin \theta \\ dy_D = 2L d\theta \cos \theta \end{cases}$$

F_x and F_y need to be of opposite signs to have the lifting plate in static equilibrium

Simplified crane

For the following mechanism, we ask you to:

1. Calculate the number of degrees of freedom
2. Write the constraint equations
3. Using the principle of virtual work, express the ratio between the mass m and the applied torque M for the system to be in static equilibrium

Informations additionnelles :

- The long bar has a length of $2l$
- The short bar has a length of l and is connect with a hinge to the middle of the long bar
- The mass m is fixed to the end of the long bar
- The mass of all bars is negligible
- The final answer should be expressed as a function of the coordinates on the schematic

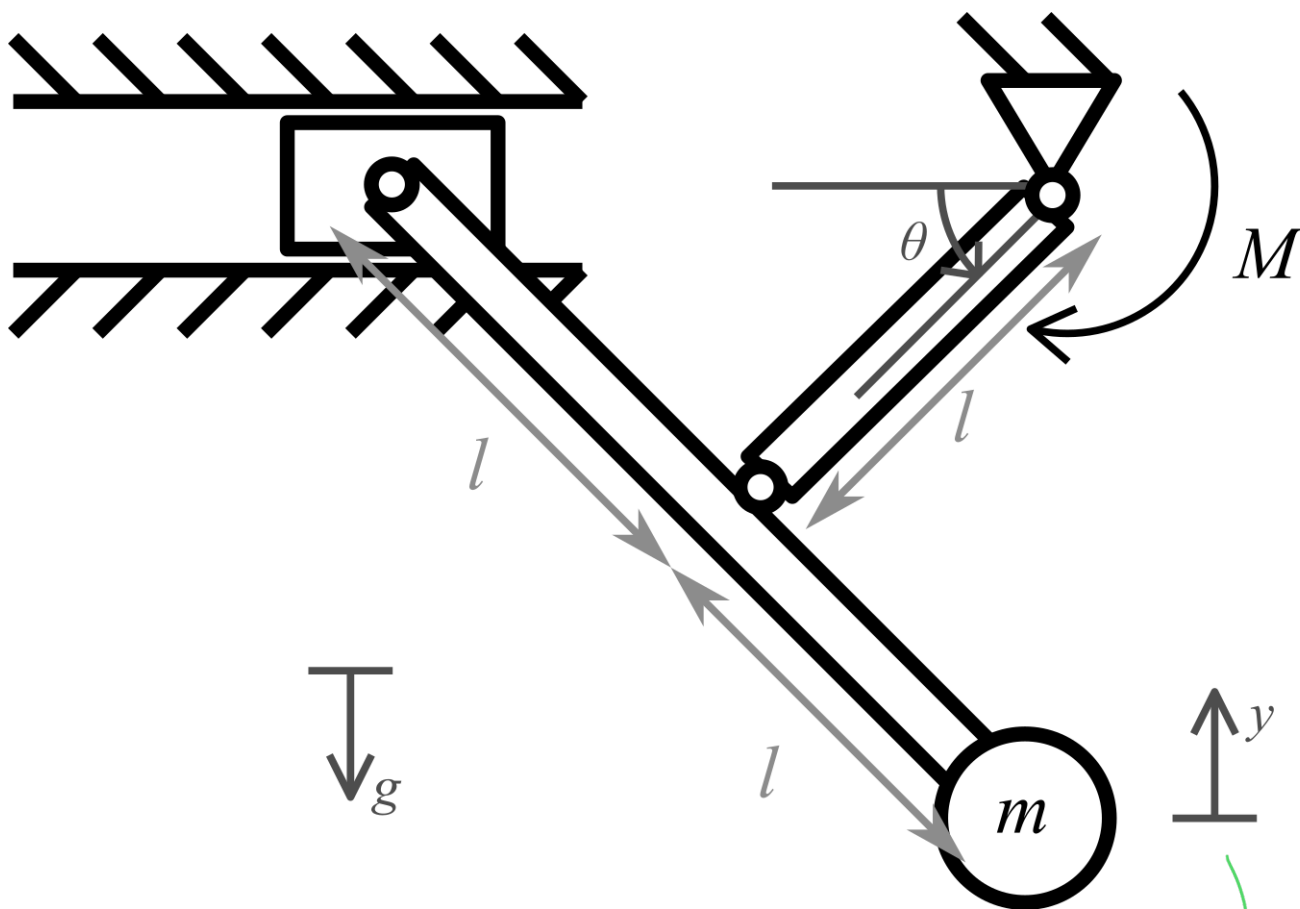


Figure 2: simplified crane

global coordinates
not attached to
the mass, but representing
the height of the mass

1

$$l = l - m = 4 - 3$$

\downarrow \uparrow
 n° joints n° bodies

$$N = \left(\sum_{i=1}^l v_i \right) - 3l$$

$$N = 2 + 1 + 1 + 0 - 3 \cdot (4 - 3) = 1$$

\downarrow \downarrow \downarrow \downarrow
 A B C D

Also acceptable: $N = 2 + 1 + 1 - 3(3 - 2) = 1$ (mass rigid with AD)

Also acceptable: $N = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 0 - 3(5 - 4) = 1$ (sep. slider)

Also acceptable: $N = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 - 3(4 - 3) = 1$ (mass rigid and sep. slider)

2

$$y = -2l \sin \theta$$

$$dy = -2l \cos \theta d\theta$$

3

$$d\bar{T} = 0 \Leftrightarrow d\bar{F}_y + d\bar{M}_O = 0 \Leftrightarrow -F dy - M d\theta = 0$$

\uparrow \uparrow
 $m_0 g$ is opposite to y M is opposite to θ

$$m g dy = -M d\theta \Leftrightarrow \frac{m}{M} = \frac{-d\theta}{dy} \frac{1}{g}$$

$$\frac{m}{M} = \frac{1}{2l \cos \theta} \frac{1}{g}$$

(verification through moment equilibrium)
 $\sum M_A = 0 \Leftrightarrow M_B - m_0 g 2l \cos \theta = 0$

Crank and slider

For the following mechanism, we ask you to:

1. Calculate the number of degrees of freedom
2. Write the constraint equations
3. Using the principle of virtual work, express the ratio between the force F and the torque C applied as a function of the system's coordinates, when the system is in static equilibrium.

Additional details for the exercise:

- DC is one rigid bar pinned in point P
- The final answer should be expressed as a function of the coordinates on the schematic

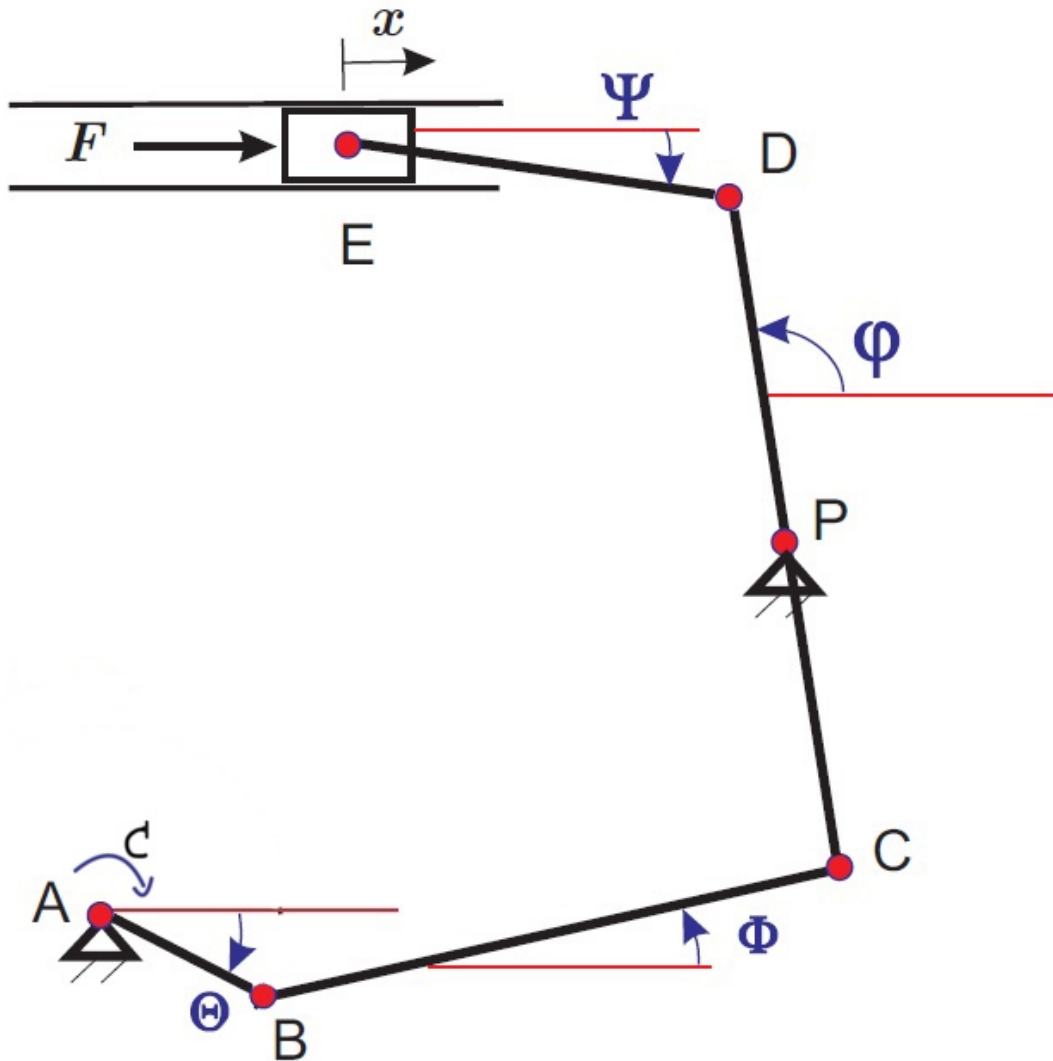


Figure 3: Crank and slider

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$$N = \sum_{i=1}^l v_i - 3l$$

v_i : n° of def's at joint i

l : n° of closed loops

$$= l - m = 6 - 3 = 2$$

m : n° of bodies

l : n° of joints

$$N = \underset{\substack{| \\ | \\ | \\ | \\ | \\ | \\ A \ B \ C \ P \ D \ E}}{1+1+1+1+1+2} - 3 \cdot 2 = 1$$

2

n° of coordinates: $\{\theta; \phi; \psi; \Psi; x\}$:

$q = 5$ (absolute coordinates)

n° of constrain equations (necessary)

$$r = q - N = 5 - 1 = 4$$

Constraint equations

expressed with respect to the fixed joint P

to joint E $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = -ED \cos \psi + DP \cos \psi \\ EP_y = DP \sin \psi + ED \sin \psi \end{array} \right. \rightarrow$



to joint A $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} AP_x = AB \cos \theta + BC \cos \phi + CP \cos \psi \\ AP_y = -AB \sin \theta + BC \sin \phi + CP \sin \psi \end{array} \right.$

EP_x

3

Virtual work principle $d\mathcal{L} = \sum_i \bar{R}_i dx_i = 0$

$d\mathcal{L} = F dx + C d\theta = 0 \quad (\Rightarrow) \quad \boxed{\frac{F}{C} = \frac{-d\theta}{dx}}$

try to find the time evolution of $(x; \theta)$ using the

coordinate partitioning method: $d\mathcal{L} = \sum_i \frac{d\mathcal{L}}{dq_i} dq_i = 0$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} ① \quad dx = ED \sin \psi d\psi - DP \sin \psi d\psi \\ ② \quad 0 = DP \cos \psi d\psi + ED \cos \psi d\psi \\ ③ \quad 0 = -AB \sin \theta d\theta - BC \sin \phi d\phi - CP \sin \psi d\psi \\ ④ \quad 0 = -AB \cos \theta d\theta + BC \cos \phi d\phi + CP \cos \psi d\psi \end{array} \right.$$

$$\textcircled{4}: d\phi = \frac{AB \cos \theta d\theta - CP \cos \psi d\psi}{BC \cos \phi}$$

$$\textcircled{3}: 0 = -AB \sin \theta d\theta - \cancel{BC \sin \phi} \frac{\cancel{AB \cos \theta} d\theta - \cancel{CP \cos \psi} d\psi}{\cancel{BC \cos \phi}} - CP \sin \psi d\psi$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 = (-AB \sin \theta - AB \operatorname{tg} \phi \cos \theta) d\theta + (CP \operatorname{tg} \phi \cos \psi - CP \sin \psi) d\psi$$

$$\Leftrightarrow d\psi = \frac{(AB \sin \theta + AB \operatorname{tg} \phi \cos \theta) d\theta}{CP \operatorname{tg} \phi \cos \psi - CP \sin \psi} = M d\theta$$

$$\textcircled{2}: d\psi = \frac{-DP \cos \psi}{ED \cos \psi} d\psi = \frac{-DP \cos \psi}{ED \cos \psi} M d\theta$$

$$\textcircled{1}: dx = \cancel{ED \sin \psi} \frac{-DP \cos \psi}{\cancel{ED \cos \psi}} M d\theta - DP \sin \psi M d\theta$$

$$dx = (-DP \operatorname{tg} \psi \cos \psi - DP \sin \psi) M d\theta$$

$$\frac{-d\theta}{dx} = \frac{1}{(DP \operatorname{tg} \psi \cos \psi + DP \sin \psi) M} = \frac{F}{C}$$