

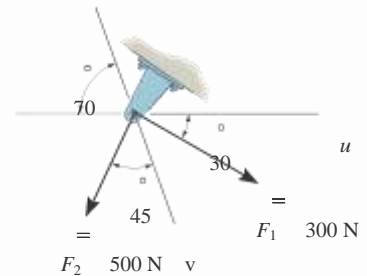
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2-1. Determine the magnitude of the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2$  and its direction, measured clockwise from the positive  $u$  axis.



## SOLUTION

$$F_R = \sqrt{(300)^2 + (500)^2 - 2(300)(500) \cos 95^\circ} = 605.1 = 605 \text{ N}$$

Ans.

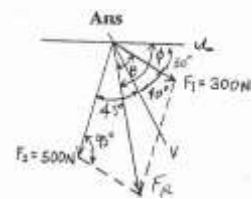
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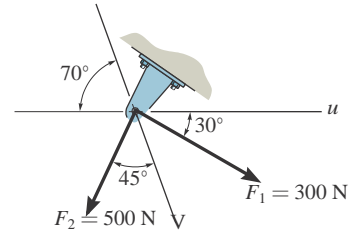
$$u = 55.40^\circ$$

$$\theta = 55.40^\circ + 30^\circ = 85.4^\circ$$

Ans.



2–2. Resolve the force  $F_1$  into components acting along the  $u$  and  $v$  axes and determine the magnitudes of the components.



SOLUTION

$$\frac{F_{1u}}{300} = \frac{\sin 40^\circ}{\sin 110^\circ}$$

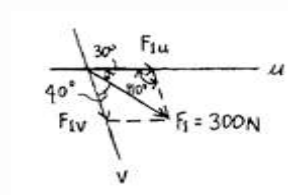
$$F_{1u} = 205 \text{ N}$$

Ans.

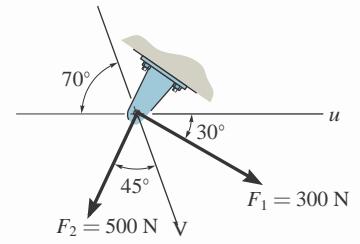
$$\frac{F_{1v}}{300} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{\sin 110^\circ}$$

$$F_{1v} = 160 \text{ N}$$

Ans.



2-3. Resolve the force  $F_2$  into components acting along the  $u$  and  $v$  axes and determine the magnitudes of the components.



SOLUTION

$$\frac{F_{2u}}{500}$$

$$\sin 45^\circ = \sin 70^\circ$$

$$F_{2u} = 376 \text{ N}$$

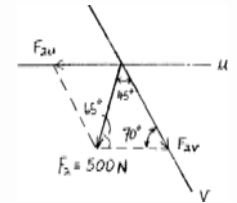
Ans.

$$\frac{F_{2v}}{500}$$

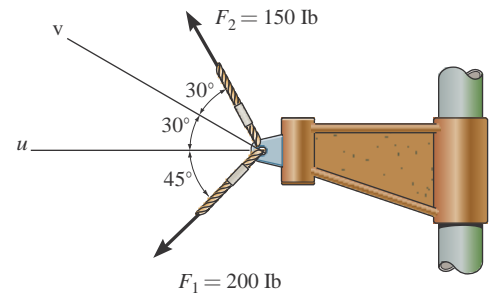
$$\sin 65^\circ = \sin 70^\circ$$

$$F_{2v} = 482 \text{ N}$$

Ans.



2--4. Determine the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the bracket and its direction measured counterclockwise from the positive  $u$  axis.



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$F_R = \sqrt{200^2 + 150^2 - 2(200)(150)\cos 75^\circ}$$

$$= 216.72 \text{ lb} = 217 \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

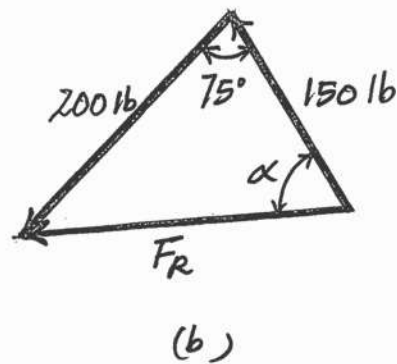
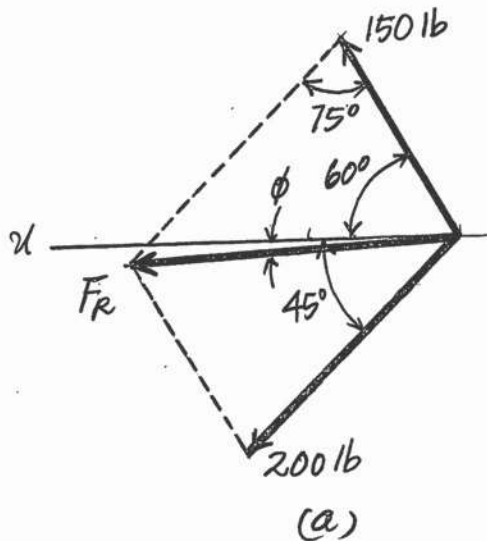
Applying the law of sines to Fig. *b* and using this result yields

$$\frac{\sin \alpha}{200} = \frac{\sin 75^\circ}{216.72} \quad \alpha = 63.05^\circ$$

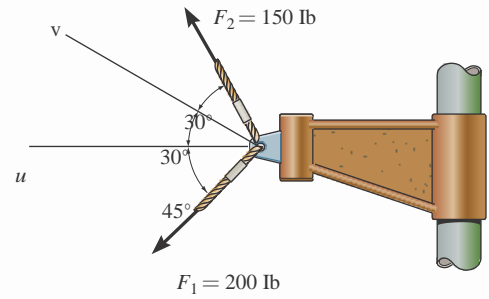
Thus, the direction angle  $\phi$  of  $F_R$ , measured counterclockwise from the positive  $u$  axis, is

$$\phi = \alpha - 60^\circ = 63.05^\circ - 60^\circ = 3.05^\circ$$

**Ans.**



--5. Resolve  $F_1$  into components along the  $u$  and  $v$  axes, and determine the magnitudes of these components.



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

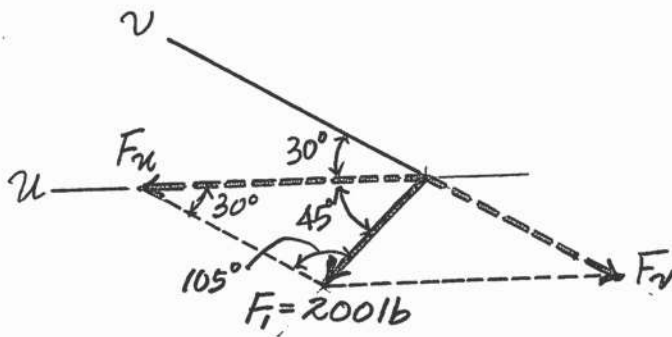
Applying the law of sines to Fig. *b*, yields

$$\frac{F_u}{\sin 105^\circ} = \frac{200}{\sin 30^\circ} \quad F_u = 386 \text{ lb}$$

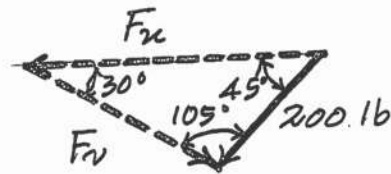
Ans.

$$\frac{F_v}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{200}{\sin 30^\circ} \quad F_v = 283 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.

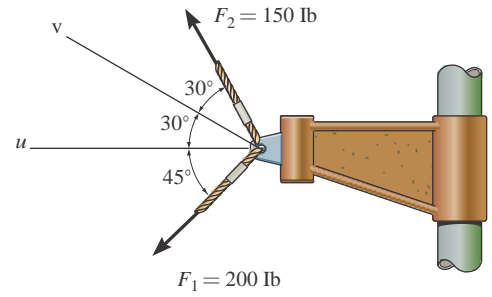


(a)



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--6. Resolve  $F_2$  into components along the  $u$  and  $v$  axes, and determine the magnitudes of these components.



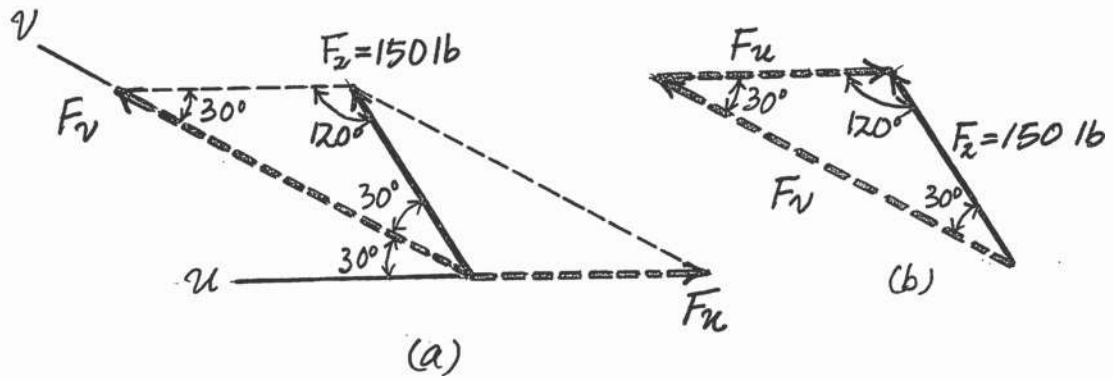
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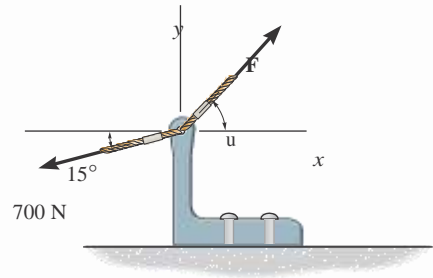
Applying the law of sines to Fig. *b*,

$$\frac{F_u}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{150}{\sin 30^\circ} \quad F_u = 150 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\frac{F_v}{\sin 120^\circ} = \frac{150}{\sin 30^\circ} \quad F_v = 260 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-7. If  $\theta = 60^\circ$  and  $F = 450$  N, determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$F_R = \sqrt{700^2 + 450^2 - 2(700)(450) \cos 45^\circ}$$

$$= 497.01 \text{ N} = 497 \text{ N}$$

Ans.

This yields

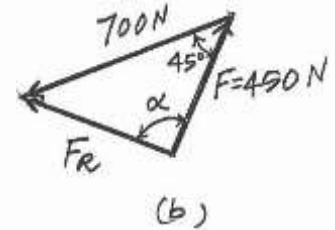
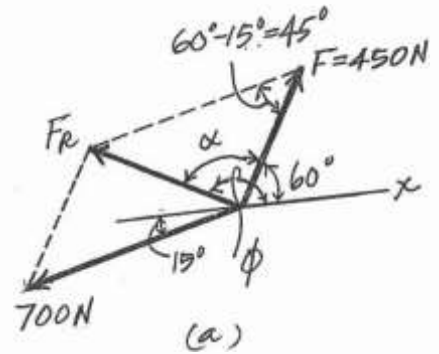
$$\frac{\sin \alpha}{497.01} = \frac{\sin 45^\circ}{700}$$

$$\alpha = 95.19^\circ$$

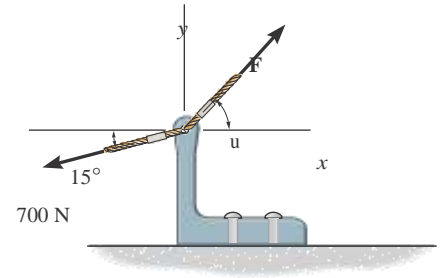
Thus, the direction of angle  $\phi$  of  $F_R$  measured counterclockwise from the positive  $x$  axis, is

$$\phi = \alpha + 60^\circ = 95.19^\circ + 60^\circ = 155^\circ$$

Ans.



22-8. If the magnitude of the resultant force is to be 500 N, directed along the positive y axis, determine the magnitude of force  $F$  and its direction  $\theta$ .



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$F = \sqrt{500^2 + 700^2 - 2(500)(700) \cos 105^\circ}$$

$$= 959.78 \text{ N} = 960 \text{ N}$$

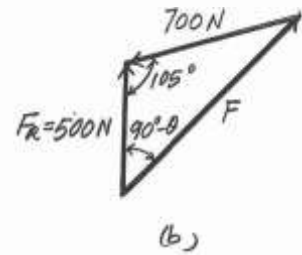
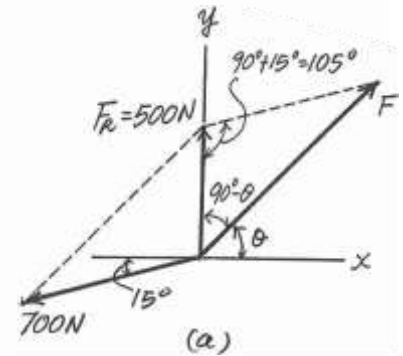
Applying the law of sines to Fig. *b*, and using this result, yields

$$\frac{\sin (90^\circ + \theta)}{700} = \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{959.78}$$

$$\theta = 45.2^\circ$$

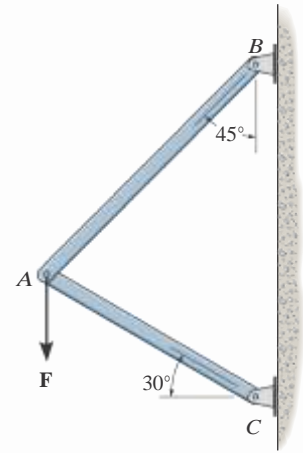
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2-9. The vertical force  $F$  acts downward at  $A$  on the two-membered frame. Determine the magnitudes of the two components of  $F$  directed along the axes of  $AB$  and  $AC$ . Set  $F = 500$  N.



**SOLUTION**

**Parallelogram Law:** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*.

**Trigonometry:** Using the law of sines (Fig. *b*), we have

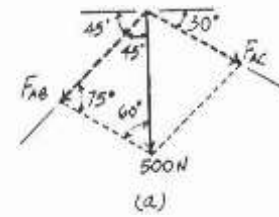
$$\frac{F_{AB}}{\sin 60^\circ} = \frac{500}{\sin 75^\circ}$$

$$F_{AB} = 448 \text{ N}$$

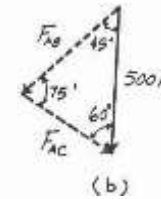
$$\frac{F_{AC}}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{500}{\sin 75^\circ}$$

$$F_{AC} = 366 \text{ N}$$

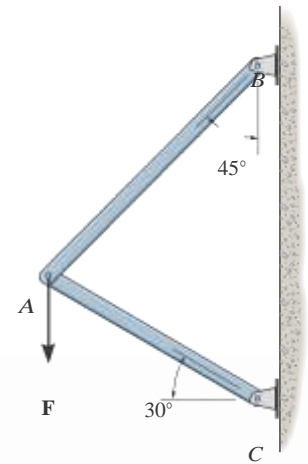
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2-10. Solve Prob. 2-9 with  $F = 350$  lb.



**SOLUTION**

**Parallelogram Law:** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*.

**Trigonometry:** Using the law of sines (Fig. *b*), we have

$$\frac{F_{AB}}{\sin 60^\circ} = \frac{350}{\sin 75^\circ}$$

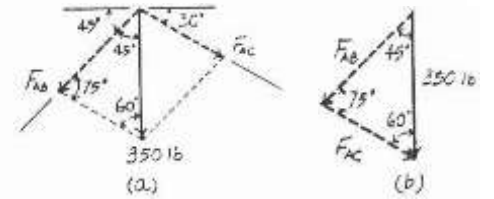
$$F_{AB} = 314 \text{ lb}$$

$$\frac{F_{AC}}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{350}{\sin 75^\circ}$$

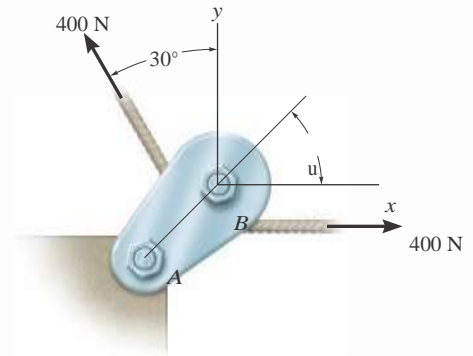
$$F_{AC} = 256 \text{ lb}$$

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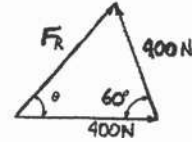
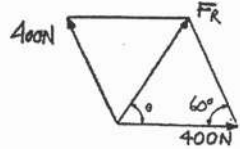
2-11. If the tension in the cable is 400 N, determine the magnitude and direction of the resultant force acting on the pulley. This angle is the same angle  $\theta$  of line AB on the tailboard block.



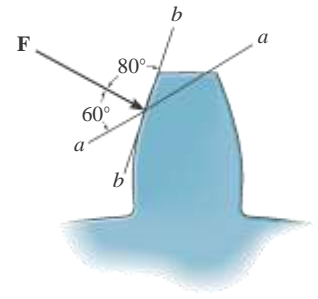
**SOLUTION**

$$F_R = \sqrt{(400)^2 + (400)^2 - 2(400)(400) \cos 60^\circ} = 400 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{400} = \frac{\sin 60^\circ}{400}; \quad \theta = 60^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$



22-12. The force acting on the gear tooth is  $F = 20$  lb. Resolve this force into two components acting along the lines  $aa$  and  $bb$ .



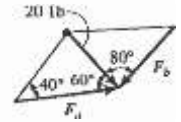
### SOLUTION

$$\frac{20}{\sin 40^\circ} = \frac{F_a}{\sin 80^\circ}; \quad F_a = 30.6 \text{ lb}$$

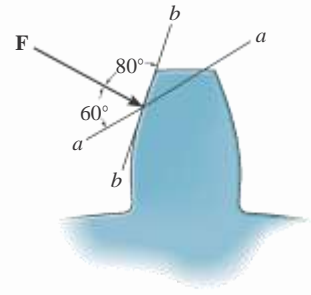
Ans.

$$\frac{20}{\sin 40^\circ} = \frac{F_b}{\sin 60^\circ}; \quad F_b = 26.9 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.



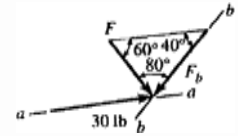
2-13. The component of force  $F$  acting along line  $aa$  is required to be 30 lb. Determine the magnitude of  $F$  and its component along line  $bb$ .



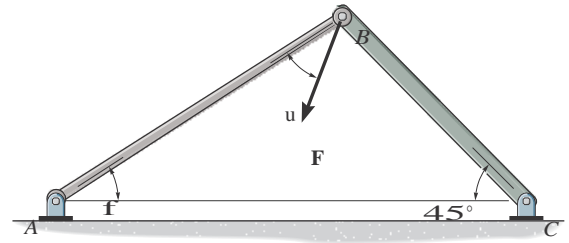
SOLUTION

$$\frac{30}{\sin 80^\circ} = \frac{F}{\sin 40^\circ}; \quad F = 19.6 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\frac{30}{\sin 80^\circ} = \frac{F_b}{\sin 60^\circ}; \quad F_b = 26.4 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-14. Force  $F$  acts on the frame such that its component acting along member  $AB$  is 650 lb, directed from  $B$  towards  $A$ , and the component acting along member  $BC$  is 500 lb, directed from  $B$  towards  $C$ . Determine the magnitude of  $F$  and its direction  $\theta$ . Set  $\phi = 60^\circ$ .



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$F = \sqrt{500^2 + 650^2 - 2(500)(650) \cos 105^\circ}$$

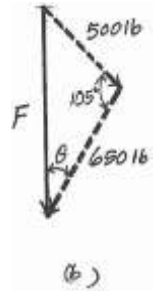
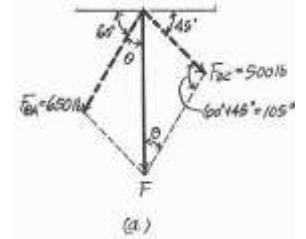
$$= 916.91 \text{ lb} \approx 917 \text{ lb}$$

Using this result and applying the law of sines to Fig. *b*, yields

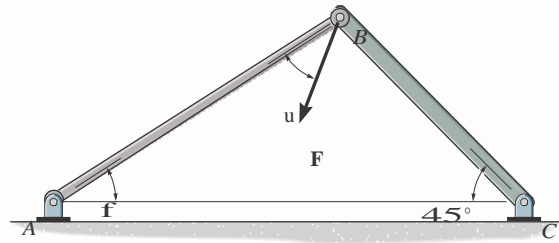
$$\frac{\sin \theta}{500} = \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{916.91} \quad \theta = 31.8^\circ$$

Ans.

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2-15. Force  $F$  acts on the frame such that its component acting along member  $AB$  is 650 lb, directed from  $B$  towards  $A$ . Determine the required angle  $\phi$  ( $0^\circ \dots \phi \dots 90^\circ$ ) and the component acting along member  $BC$ . Set  $F = 850$  lb and  $\theta = 30^\circ$ .



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

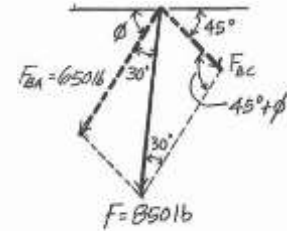
$$F_{BC} = \sqrt{850^2 + 650^2 - 2(850)(650) \cos 30^\circ}$$

$$= 433.64 \text{ lb} = 434 \text{ lb}$$

Using this result and applying the sine law to Fig. *b*, yields

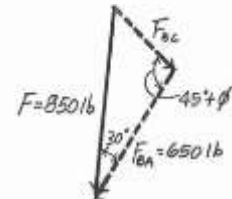
$$\frac{\sin (45^\circ + \phi)}{850} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{433.64} \quad \phi = 56.5^\circ$$

Ans.



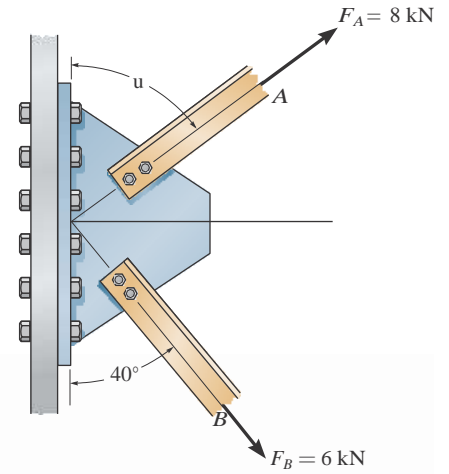
(a)

Ans.



(b)

22-16. The plate is subjected to the two forces at  $A$  and  $B$  as shown. If  $\theta = 60^\circ$ , determine the magnitude of the resultant of these two forces and its direction measured clockwise from the horizontal.



### SOLUTION

**Parallelogram Law:** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig.  $a$ .

**Trigonometry:** Using law of cosines (Fig.  $b$ ), we have

$$F_R = \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2 - 2(8)(6) \cos 100^\circ}$$

$$= 10.80 \text{ kN} = 10.8 \text{ kN}$$

The angle  $u$  can be determined using law of sines (Fig.  $b$ ).

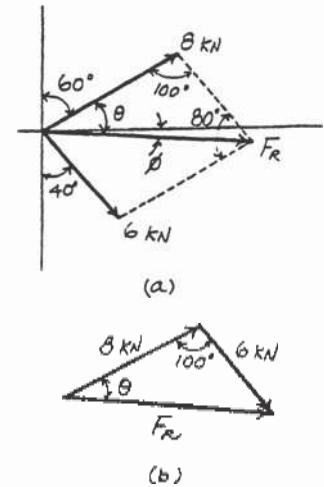
$$\frac{\sin u}{6} = \frac{\sin 100^\circ}{10.80}$$

$$\sin u = 0.5470$$

$$u = 33.16^\circ$$

Thus, the direction  $\mathbf{f}$  of  $\mathbf{F}_R$  measured from the  $x$  axis is

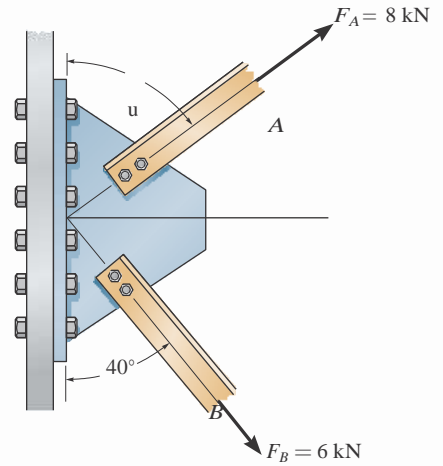
$$\mathbf{f} = 33.16^\circ - 30^\circ = 3.16^\circ$$





2-17. Determine the angle  $\theta$  for connecting member  $A$  to

horizontally to the right. Also, what is the magnitude of the resultant force?



**SOLUTION**

**Parallelogram Law:** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*.

**Trigonometry:** Using law of sines (Fig. *b*), we have

$$\frac{\sin(90^\circ - u)}{6} = \frac{\sin 50^\circ}{8}$$

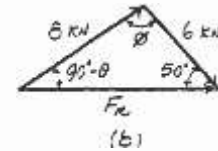
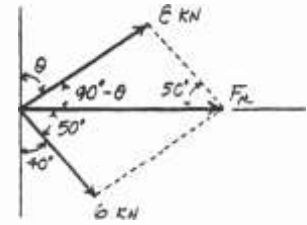
$$\begin{aligned} \sin(90^\circ - u) &= 0.5745 \\ u &= 54.93^\circ = 54.9^\circ \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

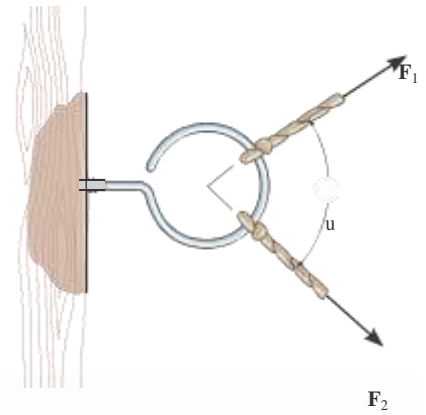
From the triangle,  $\theta = 180^\circ - (90^\circ - 54.93^\circ) - 50^\circ = 94.93^\circ$ . Thus, using law of cosines, the magnitude of  $F_R$  is

$$\begin{aligned} F_R &= \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2 - 2(8)(6) \cos 94.93^\circ} \\ &= 10.4 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**



**2-18.** Two forces act on the screw eye. If  $F_1 = 400\text{ N}$  and  $F_2 = 600\text{ N}$ , determine the angle  $\theta$  ( $0^\circ \dots 0 \dots 180^\circ$ ) between them, so that the resultant force has a magnitude of  $F_R = 800\text{ N}$ .



### SOLUTION

The parallelogram law of addition and triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively. Applying law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$800 = \sqrt{400^2 + 600^2 - 2(400)(600) \cos (180^\circ - \theta)}$$

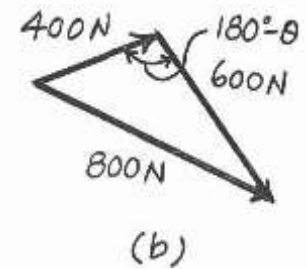
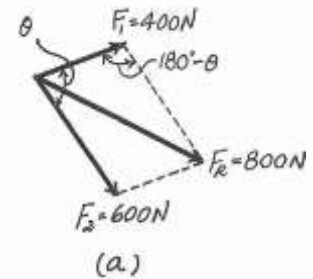
$$800^2 = 400^2 + 600^2 - 480000 \cos (180^\circ - \theta)$$

$$\cos (180^\circ - \theta) = -0.25$$

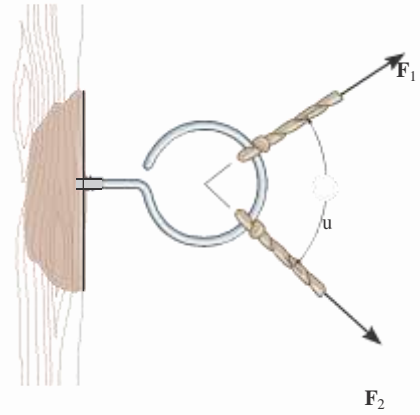
$$180^\circ - \theta = 104.48$$

$$\theta = 75.52^\circ = 75.5^\circ$$

Ans.



2-19. Two forces  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  act on the screw eye. If their lines of action are at an angle  $\theta$  apart and the magnitude of each force is  $F_1 = F_2 = F$ , determine the magnitude of the resultant force  $F_R$  and the angle between  $F_R$  and  $F_1$ .



SOLUTION

$$\frac{F}{\sin \theta} = \frac{F}{\sin (u - \theta)}$$

$$\sin (u - \theta) = \sin \theta$$

$$u - \theta = \theta$$

$$\theta = \frac{u}{2}$$

$$F_R = \sqrt{2(F)^2 + (F)^2 - 2(F)(F) \cos (180^\circ - u)}$$

Since  $\cos (180^\circ - u) = -\cos u$

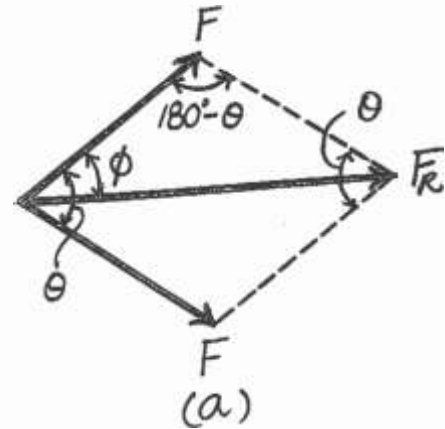
$$F_R = F \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos u}$$

Since  $\cos \frac{u}{2} = \frac{1 + \cos u}{2}$

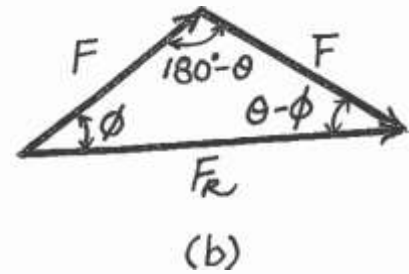
Then

$$F_R = 2F \cos \frac{u}{2}$$

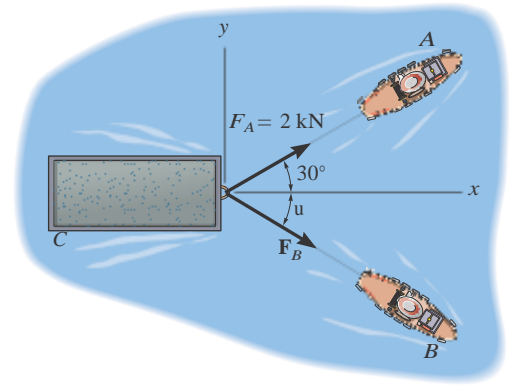
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22-20. If the resultant force of the two tugboats is 3 kN, directed along the positive  $x$  axis, determine the required magnitude of force  $F_B$  and its direction  $\theta$ .



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

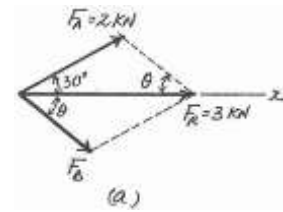
Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$F_B = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 - 2(2)(3)\cos 30^\circ}$$

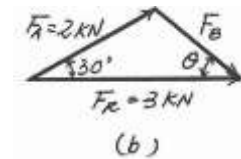
$$= 1.615 \text{ kN} = 1.61 \text{ kN}$$

Using this result and applying the law of sines to Fig. *b*, yields

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{2} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{1.615} \quad \theta = 38.3^\circ$$

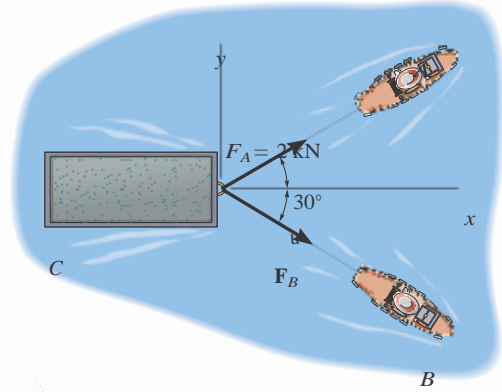


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2-21. If  $F_B = 3 \text{ kN}$  and  $\theta = 45^\circ$ , determine the magnitude of the resultant force of the two tugboats and its direction measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and the triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

Applying the law of cosines to Fig. *b*,

$$F_R = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 - 2(2)(3) \cos 105^\circ}$$

$$= 4.013 \text{ kN} = 4.01 \text{ kN}$$

Ans.

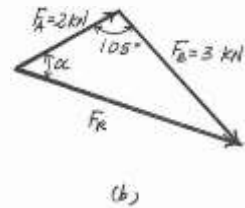
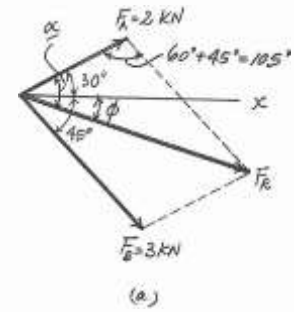
Using this result and applying the law of sines to Fig. *b*, yields

$$\frac{\sin \alpha}{3} = \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{4.013} \quad \alpha = 46.22^\circ$$

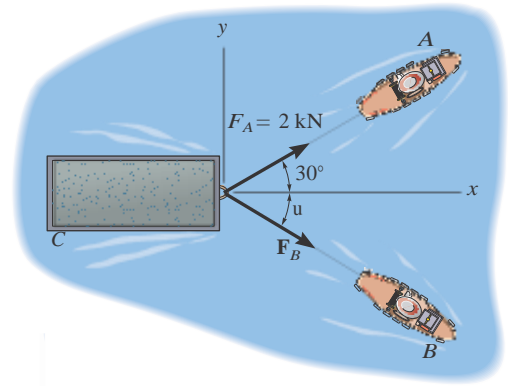
Thus, the direction angle  $\phi$  of  $F_R$ , measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis, is

$$\phi = \alpha - 30^\circ = 46.22^\circ - 30^\circ = 16.2^\circ$$

Ans.



2-22. If the resultant force of the two tugboats is required to be directed towards the positive  $x$  axis, and  $F_B$  is to be a minimum, determine the magnitude of  $F_R$  and  $F_B$  and the angle  $\theta$ .



### SOLUTION

For  $F_B$  to be minimum, it has to be directed perpendicular to  $F_R$ . Thus,

$$\theta = 90^\circ$$

Ans.

The parallelogram law of addition and triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively.

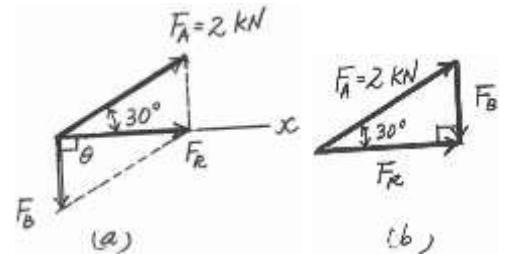
By applying simple trigonometry to Fig. *b*,

$$F_B = 2 \sin 30^\circ = 1 \text{ kN}$$

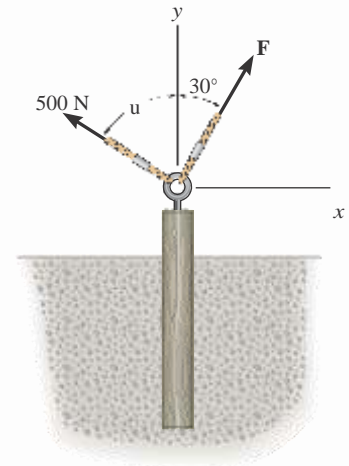
$$F_R = 2 \cos 30^\circ = 1.73 \text{ kN}$$

Ans.

Ans.



2-23. Two forces act on the screw eye. If  $F = 600$  N, determine the magnitude of the resultant force and the angle  $\theta$  if the resultant force is directed vertically upward.



**SOLUTION**

The parallelogram law of addition and triangular rule are shown in Figs. *a* and *b* respectively. Applying law of sines to Fig. *b*,

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{600} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{500}; \quad \sin \theta = 0.6 \quad \theta = 36.87^\circ = 36.9^\circ$$

**Ans.**

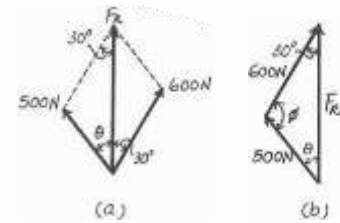
Using the result of  $\theta$ ,

$$\phi = 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 36.87^\circ = 113.13^\circ$$

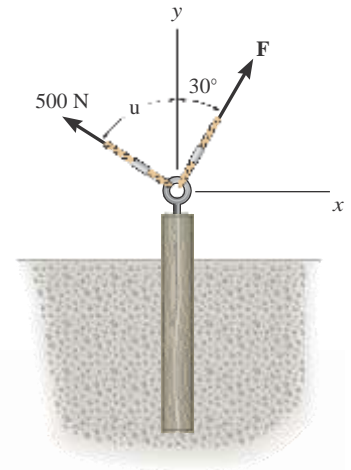
Again, applying law of sines using the result of  $\phi$ ,

$$\frac{F_R}{\sin 113.13^\circ} = \frac{500}{\sin 30^\circ}; \quad F_R = 919.61 \text{ N} = 920 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**



22-24. Two forces are applied at the end of a screw eye in order to remove the post. Determine the angle  $\theta$  ( $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 90^\circ$ ) and the magnitude of force  $F$  so that the resultant force acting on the post is directed vertically upward and has a magnitude of 750 N.



### SOLUTION

**Parallelogram Law:** The parallelogram law of addition is shown in Fig. *a*.

**Trigonometry:** Using law of sines (Fig. *b*), we have

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{750} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{500}$$

$$\sin \theta = 0.750$$

$$\theta = 48.59^\circ \quad \text{By observation, } \theta \leq 90^\circ$$

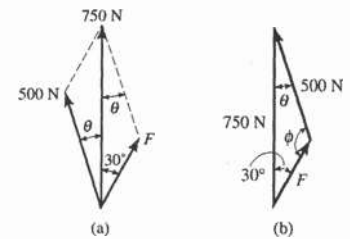
Thus,

$$\theta = 180^\circ - 30^\circ - 48.59^\circ = 101.41^\circ = 101.4^\circ$$

$$\frac{F}{\sin 101.4^\circ} = \frac{500}{\sin 30^\circ}$$

$$F = 319 \text{ N}$$

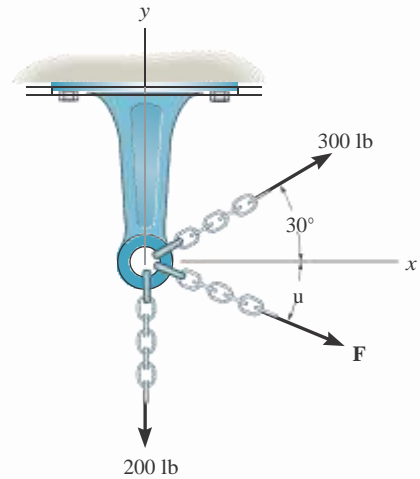
Ans.



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2-25. Three chains act on the bracket such that they create a resultant force having a magnitude of 500 lb. If two of the chains are subjected to known forces, as shown, determine the angle  $\theta$  of the third chain measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis, so that the magnitude of force  $\mathbf{F}$  in this chain is a *minimum*. All forces lie in the  $x$ - $y$  plane. What is the magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}$ ? *Hint:* First find the resultant of the two known forces. Force  $\mathbf{F}$  acts in this direction.



**SOLUTION**

Cosine law:

$$F_{R1} = \sqrt{300^2 + 200^2 - 2(300)(200) \cos 60^\circ} = 264.6 \text{ lb}$$

Sine law:

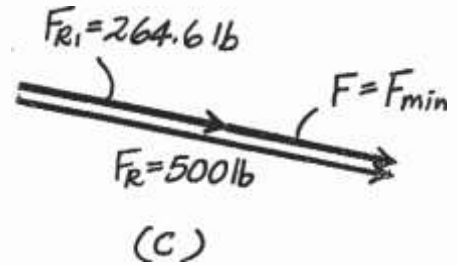
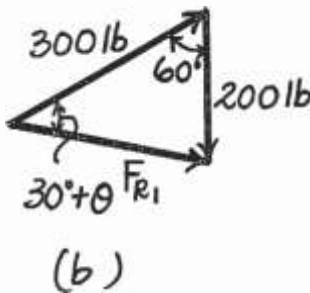
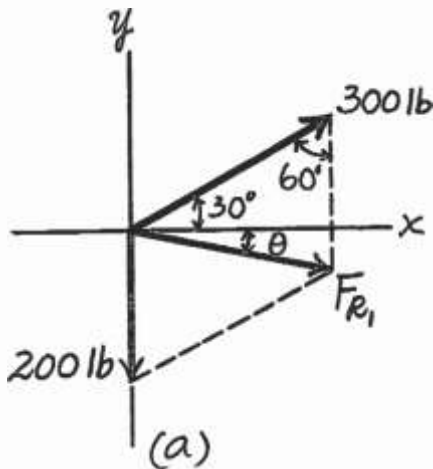
$$\frac{\sin(30^\circ + u)}{200} = \frac{\sin 60^\circ}{264.6} \quad u = 10.9^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

When  $\mathbf{F}$  is directed along  $\mathbf{F}_{R1}$ ,  $F$  will be minimum to create the resultant force.

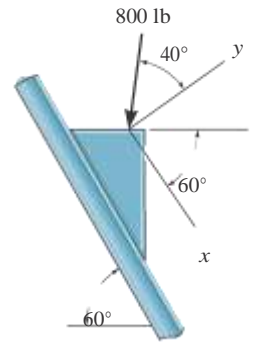
$$F_R = F_{R1} + F$$

$$500 = 264.6 + F_{\min}$$

$$F_{\min} = 235 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-26. Determine the  $x$  and  $y$  components of the 800-lb force.



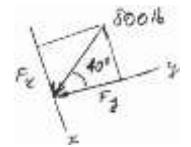
SOLUTION

$$F_x = 800 \sin 40^\circ = 514 \text{ lb}$$

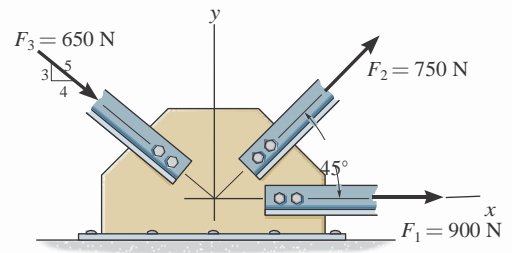
Ans.

$$F_y = -800 \cos 40^\circ = -613 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.



2-27. Resolve each force acting on the gusset plate into its  $x$  and  $y$  components, and express each force as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = \{900(+\mathbf{i})\} = \{900\mathbf{i}\} \text{ N}$$

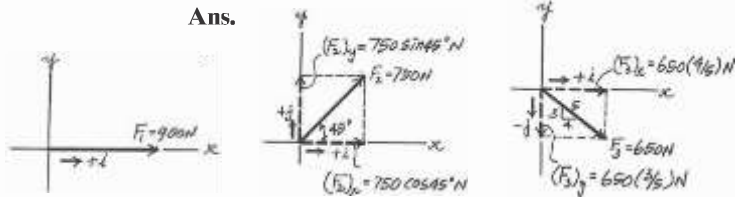
Ans.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}_2 &= \{750 \cos 45^\circ(+\mathbf{i}) + 750 \sin 45^\circ(+\mathbf{j})\} \text{ N} \\ &= \{530\mathbf{i} + 530\mathbf{j}\} \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

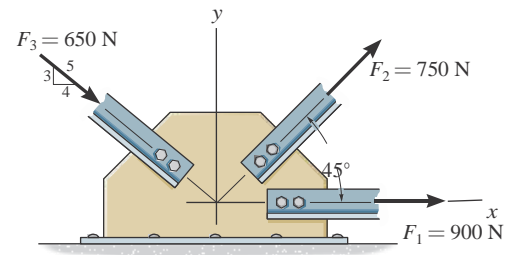
Ans.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}_3 &= \left\{ 650 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) (+\mathbf{i}) + 650 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) (-\mathbf{j}) \right\} \text{ N} \\ &= \{520\mathbf{i} - 390\mathbf{j}\} \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.



22-28. Determine the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the plate and its direction, measured counter-clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



### SOLUTION

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig.  $a$ , the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$ , and  $F_3$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= 900 \text{ N} & (F_1)_y &= 0 \\ (F_2)_x &= 750 \cos 45^\circ = 530.33 \text{ N} & (F_2)_y &= 750 \sin 45^\circ = 530.33 \text{ N} \\ (F_3)_x &= 650 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 520 \text{ N} & (F_3)_y &= 650 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 390 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes, we have

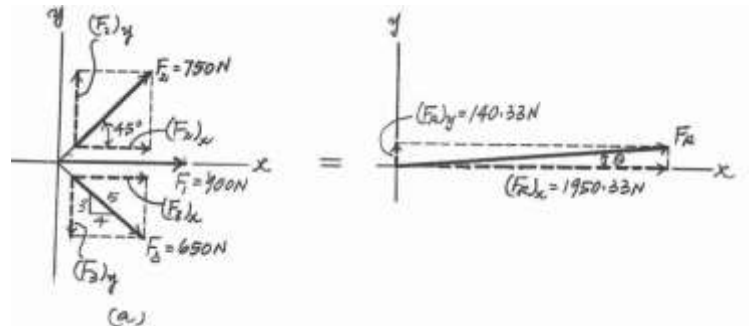
$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Sigma (F_R)_x &= \Sigma F_x; & (F_R)_x &= 900 + 530.33 + 520 = 1950.33 \text{ N} \rightarrow \\ +\uparrow \Sigma (F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; & (F_R)_y &= 530.33 - 390 = 140.33 \text{ N} \uparrow \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the resultant force  $F_R$  is

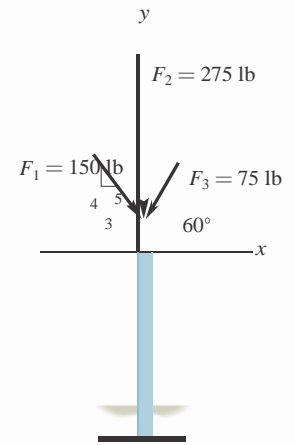
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{1950.33^2 + 140.33^2} = 1955 \text{ N} = 1.96 \text{ kN} \text{ Ans.}$$

The direction angle  $\theta$  of  $F_R$ , measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis, is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{140.33}{1950.33} \right) = 4.12^\circ \text{ Ans.}$$



**2-29.** Express each of the three forces acting on the column in Cartesian vector form and compute the magnitude of the resultant force.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 150 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) \mathbf{i} - 150 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) \mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = \{90\mathbf{i} - 120\mathbf{j}\} \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = \{-275\mathbf{j}\} \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

$$\mathbf{F}_3 = -75 \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{i} - 75 \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_3 = \{-37.5\mathbf{i} - 65.0\mathbf{j}\} \text{ lb}$$

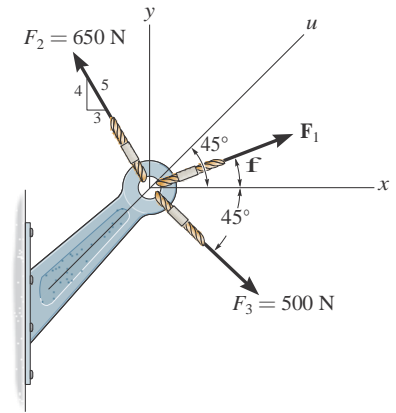
**Ans.**

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \Sigma \mathbf{F} = \{52.5\mathbf{i} - 460\mathbf{j}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_R = \sqrt{(52.5)^2 + (-460)^2} = 463 \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

**2-30.** The magnitude of the resultant force acting on the bracket is to be 400 N. Determine the magnitude of  $F_1$  if  $\mathbf{f} = 30^\circ$ .



### SOLUTION

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig. *a*, the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $\mathbf{F}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{F}_2$ , and  $\mathbf{F}_3$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= F_1 \cos 30^\circ = 0.8660F_1 & (F_1)_y &= F_1 \sin 30^\circ = 0.5F_1 \\ (F_2)_x &= 650\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 390 \text{ N} & (F_2)_y &= 650\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 520 \text{ N} \\ (F_3)_x &= 500 \cos 45^\circ = 353.55 \text{ N} & (F_3)_y &= 500 \sin 45^\circ = 353.55 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Sigma(F_R)_x &= \Sigma F_x; & (F_R)_x &= 0.8660F_1 - 390 + 353.55 \\ & & &= 0.8660F_1 - 36.45 \\ +\uparrow \Sigma(F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; & (F_R)_y &= 0.5F_1 + 520 - 353.55 \\ & & &= 0.5F_1 + 166.45 \end{aligned}$$

Since the magnitude of the resultant force is  $F_R = 400$  N, we can write

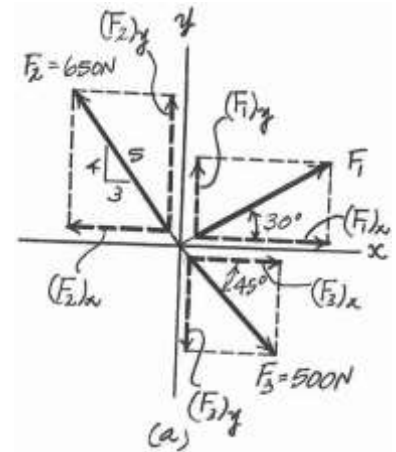
$$\begin{aligned} F_R &= \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} \\ 400 &= \sqrt{(0.8660F_1 - 36.45)^2 + (0.5F_1 + 166.45)^2} \\ F_1^2 + 103.32F_1 - 130967.17 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

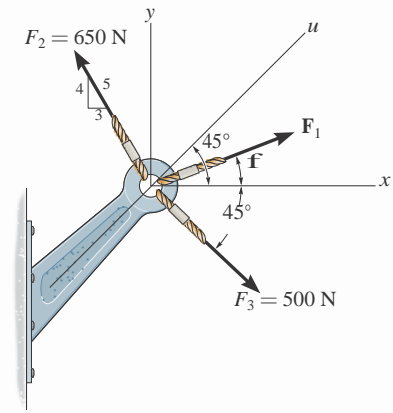
Solving,

$$F_1 = 314 \text{ N} \quad \text{or} \quad F_1 = -417 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The negative sign indicates that  $F_1 = 417$  N must act in the opposite sense to that shown in the figure.



2-31. If the resultant force acting on the bracket is to be directed along the positive  $u$  axis, and the magnitude of  $F_1$  is required to be *minimum*, determine the magnitudes of the resultant force and  $F_1$ .



### SOLUTION

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Figs. *a* and *b*, the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$ ,  $F_3$ , and  $F_R$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= F_1 \cos \phi & (F_1)_y &= F_1 \sin \phi \\ (F_2)_x &= 650 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 390 \text{ N} & (F_2)_y &= 650 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 520 \text{ N} \\ (F_3)_x &= 500 \cos 45^\circ = 353.55 \text{ N} & (F_3)_y &= 500 \sin 45^\circ = 353.55 \text{ N} \\ (F_R)_x &= F_R \cos 45^\circ = 0.7071 F_R & (F_R)_y &= F_R \sin 45^\circ = 0.7071 F_R \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Sigma(F_R)_x &= \Sigma F_x; & 0.7071 F_R &= F_1 \cos \phi - 390 + 353.55 & (1) \\ + \uparrow \Sigma(F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; & 0.7071 F_R &= F_1 \sin \phi + 520 - 353.55 & (2) \end{aligned}$$

Eliminating  $F_R$  from Eqs. (1) and (2), yields

$$F_1 = \frac{202.89}{\cos \phi - \sin \phi} \quad (3)$$

The first derivative of Eq. (3) is

$$\frac{dF_1}{d\phi} = \frac{\sin \phi + \cos \phi}{(\cos \phi - \sin \phi)^2} \quad (4)$$

The second derivative of Eq. (3) is

$$\frac{d^2 F_1}{d\phi^2} = \frac{2(\sin \phi + \cos \phi)^2}{(\cos \phi - \sin \phi)^3} + \frac{1}{\cos \phi - \sin \phi} \quad (5)$$

For  $F_1$  to be minimum,  $\frac{dF_1}{d\phi} = 0$ . Thus, from Eq. (4)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \phi + \cos \phi &= 0 \\ \tan \phi &= -1 \\ \phi &= -45^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Substituting  $\phi = -45^\circ$  into Eq. (5), yields

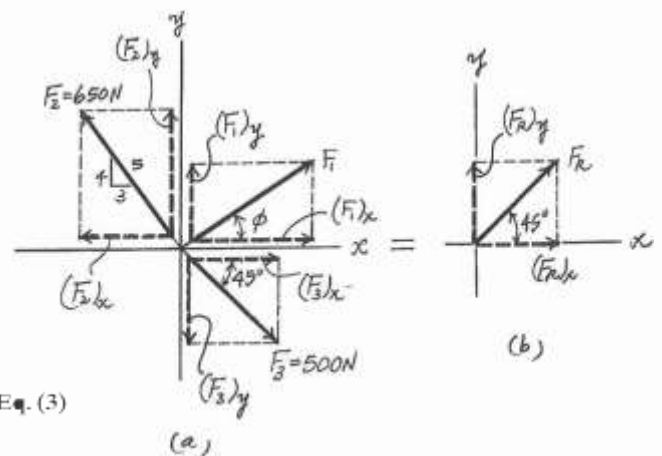
$$\frac{d^2 F_1}{d\phi^2} = 0.7071 > 0$$

This shows that  $\phi = -45^\circ$  indeed produces minimum  $F_1$ . Thus, from Eq. (3)

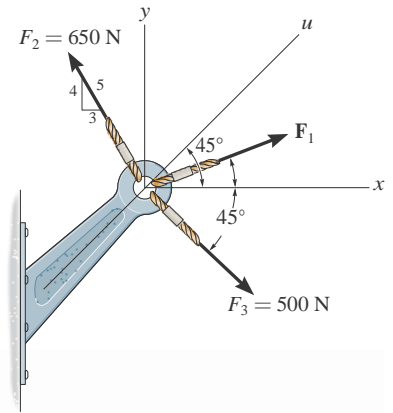
$$F_1 = \frac{202.89}{\cos(-45^\circ) - \sin(-45^\circ)} = 143.47 \text{ N} = 143 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

Substituting  $\phi = -45^\circ$  and  $F_1 = 143.47 \text{ N}$  into either Eq. (1) or Eq. (2), yields

$$F_R = 91.9 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$



22-32. If the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the bracket is 600 N, directed along the positive  $u$  axis, determine the magnitude of  $F$  and its direction  $\phi$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$ ,  $F_3$ , and  $F_R$  can be written as

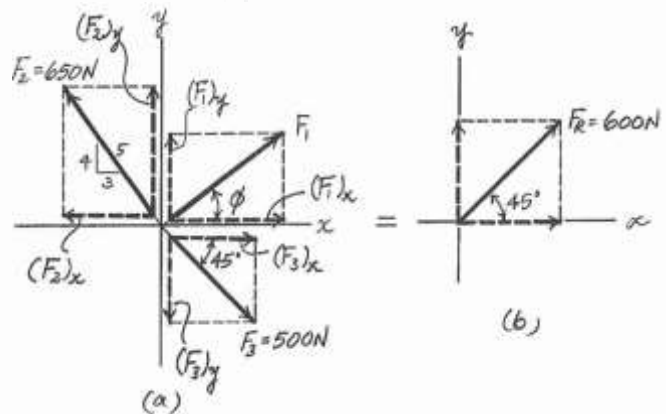
$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= F_1 \cos \phi & (F_1)_y &= F_1 \sin \phi \\ (F_2)_x &= 650 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 390 \text{ N} & (F_2)_y &= 650 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 520 \text{ N} \\ (F_3)_x &= 500 \cos 45^\circ = 353.55 \text{ N} & (F_3)_y &= 500 \sin 45^\circ = 353.55 \text{ N} \\ (F_R)_x &= 600 \cos 45^\circ = 424.26 \text{ N} & (F_R)_y &= 600 \sin 45^\circ = 424.26 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Sigma(F_R)_x &= \Sigma F_x; & 424.26 &= F_1 \cos \phi - 390 + 353.55 & (1) \\ & & F_1 \cos \phi &= 460.71 & \\ +\uparrow \Sigma(F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; & 424.26 &= F_1 \sin \phi + 520 - 353.55 & (2) \\ & & F_1 \sin \phi &= 257.82 & \end{aligned}$$

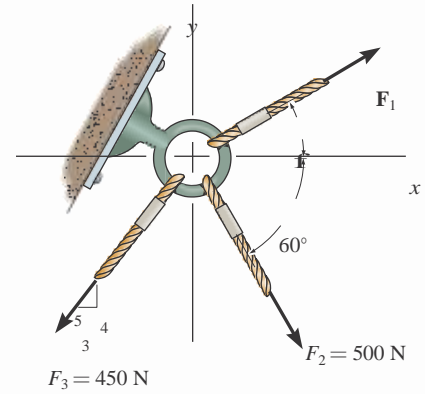
Solving Eqs. (1) and (2), yields

$$\phi = 29.2^\circ \qquad F_1 = 528 \text{ N} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$





2-33. If  $F_1 = 600 \text{ N}$  and  $\theta = 30^\circ$ , determine the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the eyebolt and its direction, measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig. *a*, the  $x$  and  $y$  components of each force can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= 600 \cos 30^\circ = 519.62 \text{ N} & (F_1)_y &= 600 \sin 30^\circ = 300 \text{ N} \\ (F_2)_x &= 500 \cos 60^\circ = 250 \text{ N} & (F_2)_y &= 500 \sin 60^\circ = 433.01 \text{ N} \\ (F_3)_x &= 450 \frac{3}{5} = 270 \text{ N} & (F_3)_y &= 450 \frac{4}{5} = 360 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes,

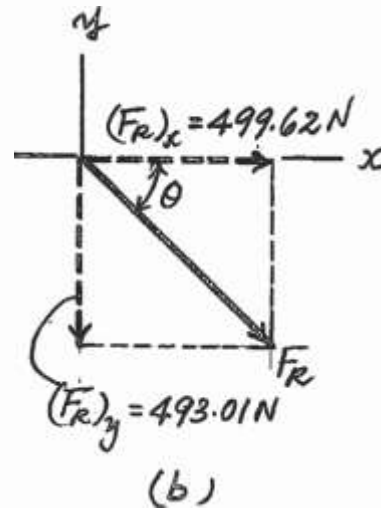
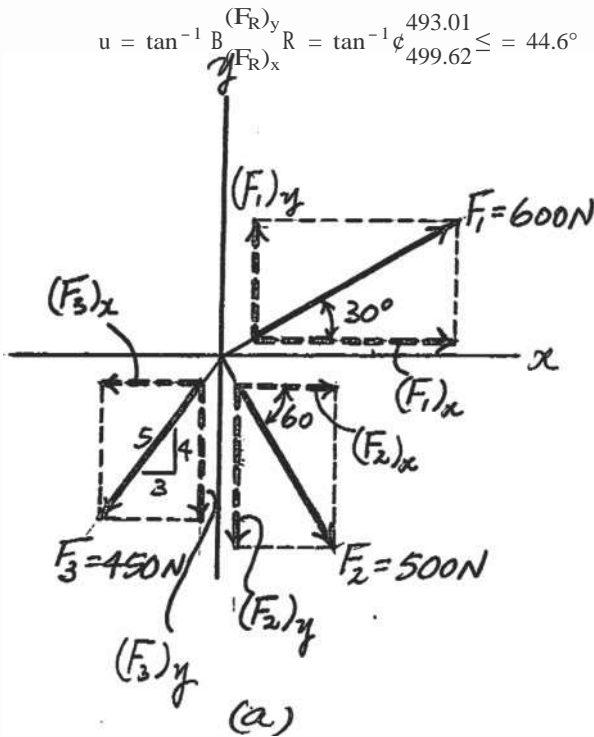
$$\begin{aligned} \pm \odot (F_R)_x &= \odot F_x; & (F_R)_x &= 519.62 + 250 - 270 = 499.62 \text{ N} \\ + \ominus \odot (F_R)_y &= \ominus F_y; & (F_R)_y &= 300 - 433.01 - 360 = -493.01 \text{ N} = 493.01 \text{ N } \downarrow \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the resultant force  $F_R$  is

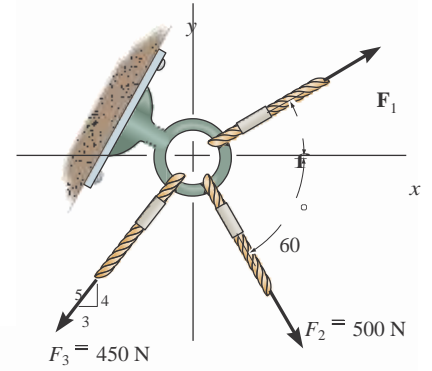
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{499.62^2 + 493.01^2} = 701.91 \text{ N} = 702 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The direction angle  $u$  of  $F_R$ , Fig. *b*, measured clockwise from the  $x$  axis, is

$$u = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right| = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{493.01}{499.62} \right| = 44.6^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-34. If the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the eyebolt is 600 N and its direction measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis is  $\theta = 30^\circ$ , determine the magnitude of  $F_1$  and the angle  $f$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1, F_2, F_3$ , and  $F_R$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= F_1 \cos f & (F_1)_y &= F_1 \sin f \\ (F_2)_x &= 500 \cos 60^\circ = 250 \text{ N} & (F_2)_y &= 500 \sin 60^\circ = 433.01 \text{ N} \\ (F_3)_x &= 450 \frac{3}{5} = 270 \text{ N} & (F_3)_y &= 450 \frac{4}{5} = 360 \text{ N} \\ (F_R)_x &= 600 \cos 30^\circ = 519.62 \text{ N} & (F_R)_y &= 600 \sin 30^\circ = 300 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

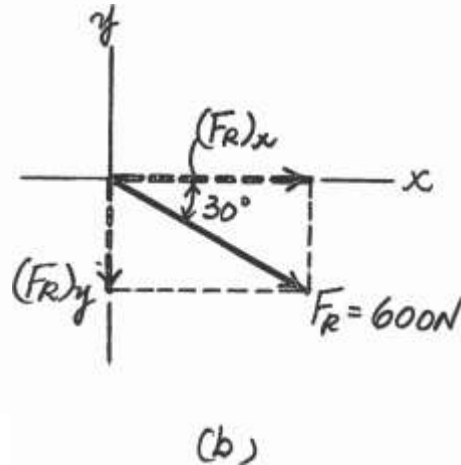
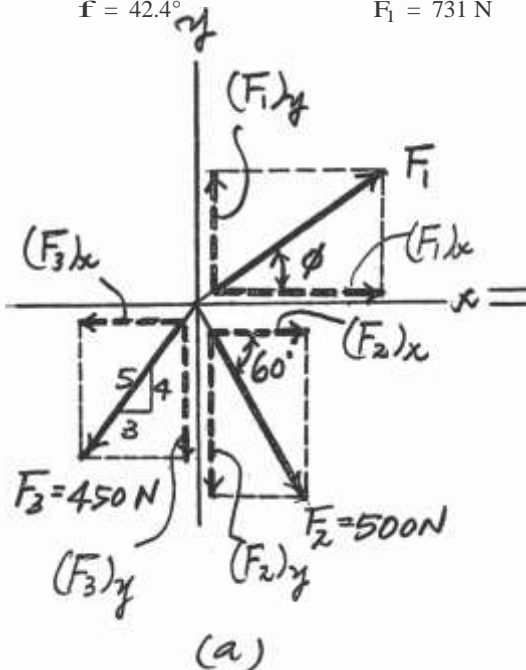
**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes,

$$\begin{aligned} \pm \odot (F_R)_x &= \odot F_x; & 519.62 &= F_1 \cos f + 250 - 270 \\ & & F_1 \cos f &= 539.62 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

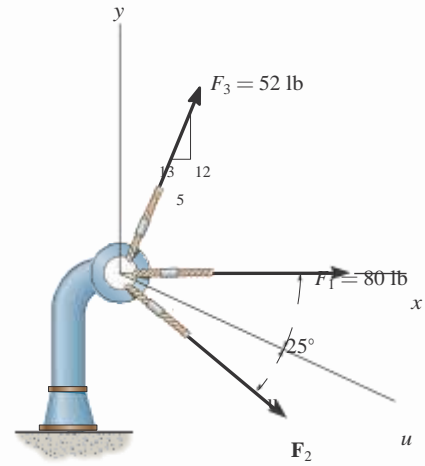
$$\begin{aligned} + \circlearrowleft (F_R)_y &= \circlearrowleft F_y; & -300 &= F_1 \sin f - 433.01 - 360 \\ & & F_1 \sin f &= 493.01 \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Solving Eqs. (1) and (2), yields

$$f = 42.4^\circ \qquad F_1 = 731 \text{ N} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$



**2-35.** Three forces act on the bracket. Determine the magnitude and direction  $\theta$  of  $F_2$  so that the resultant force is directed along the positive  $u$  axis and has a magnitude of 50 lb.



**SOLUTION**

**Scalar Notation:** Summing the force components algebraically, we have

$$\sum F_x = \sum F_x; \quad 50 \cos 25^\circ = 80 + 52 \left(\frac{5}{13}\right) + F_2 \cos (25^\circ + \theta)$$

$$F_2 \cos (25^\circ + \theta) = -54.684 \tag{1}$$

$$\sum F_y = \sum F_y; \quad -50 \sin 25^\circ = 52 \left(\frac{12}{13}\right) - F_2 \sin (25^\circ + \theta)$$

$$F_2 \sin (25^\circ + \theta) = 69.131 \tag{2}$$

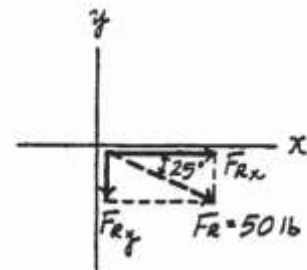
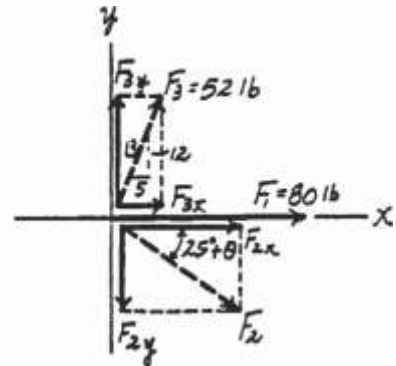
Solving Eqs. (1) and (2) yields

$$25^\circ + \theta = 128.35^\circ \quad \theta = 103^\circ$$

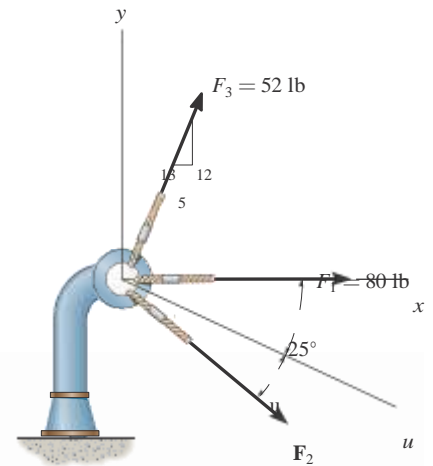
$$F_2 = 88.1 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.

Ans.



22-36. If  $F_2 = 150$  lb and  $\theta = 55^\circ$ , determine the magnitude and direction measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis, of the resultant force of the three forces acting on the bracket.



### SOLUTION

**Scalar Notation:** Summing the force components algebraically, we have

$$\sum F_{R_x} = \sum F_x; \quad F_{R_x} = 80 + 52 \left( \frac{5}{13} \right) + 150 \cos 80^\circ$$

$$= 126.05 \text{ lb}$$

$$\sum F_{R_y} = \sum F_y; \quad F_{R_y} = 52 \left( \frac{12}{13} \right) - 150 \sin 80^\circ$$

$$= -99.72 \text{ lb} = 99.72 \text{ lb } \downarrow$$

The magnitude of the resultant force  $F_R$  is

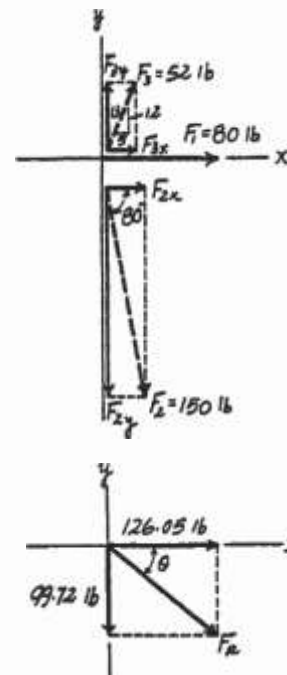
$$F_R = \sqrt{F_{R_x}^2 + F_{R_y}^2} = \sqrt{126.05^2 + 99.72^2} = 161 \text{ lb}$$

The direction angle  $u$  measured clockwise from positive  $x$  axis is

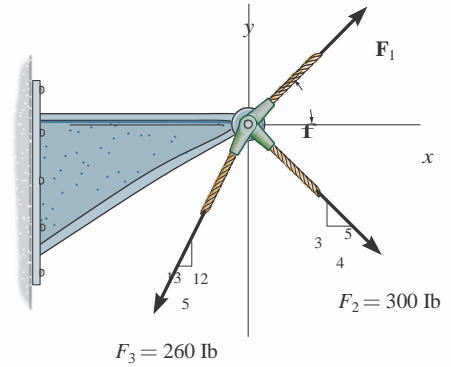
$$u = \tan^{-1} \frac{F_{R_y}}{F_{R_x}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{99.72}{126.05} = 38.3^\circ$$

Ans.

Ans.



2-37. If  $\alpha = 30^\circ$  and  $F_1 = 250$  lb, determine the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the bracket and its direction measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig. a, the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$ , and  $F_3$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= 250 \cos 30^\circ = 216.51 \text{ lb} & (F_1)_y &= 250 \sin 30^\circ = 125 \text{ lb} \\ (F_2)_x &= 300 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = 240 \text{ lb} & (F_2)_y &= 300 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = 180 \text{ lb} \\ (F_3)_x &= 260 \left(\frac{5}{13}\right) = 100 \text{ lb} & (F_3)_y &= 260 \left(\frac{12}{13}\right) = 240 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes,

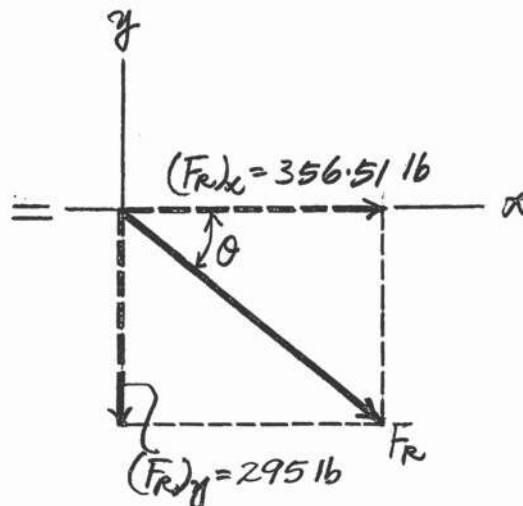
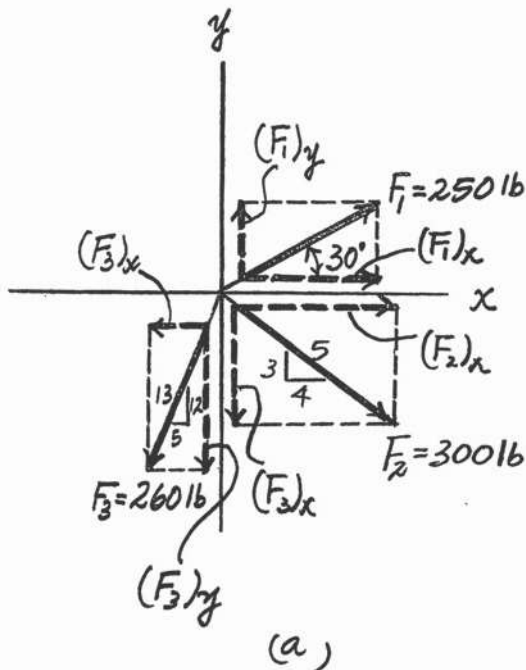
$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Sigma (F_R)_x &= \Sigma F_x; & (F_R)_x &= 216.51 + 240 - 100 = 356.51 \text{ lb} \rightarrow \\ + \uparrow \Sigma (F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; & (F_R)_y &= 125 - 180 - 240 = -295 \text{ lb} = 295 \text{ lb} \downarrow \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the resultant force  $F_R$  is

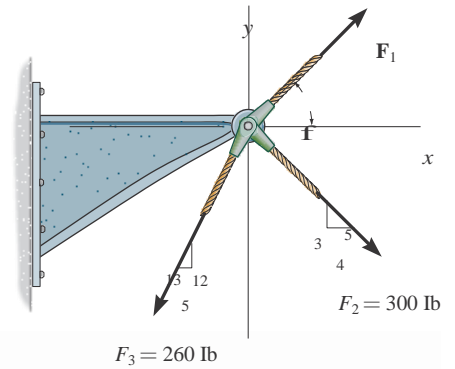
$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2} = \sqrt{356.51^2 + 295^2} = 463 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The direction angle  $\theta$  of  $F_R$ , Fig. b, measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis, is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{(F_R)_x} \right] = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{295}{356.51} \right) = 39.6^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-38. If the magnitude of the resultant force acting on the bracket is 400 lb directed along the positive  $x$  axis, determine the magnitude of  $F_1$  and its direction  $\phi$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig.  $a$ , the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$ ,  $F_3$ , and  $F_R$  can be written as

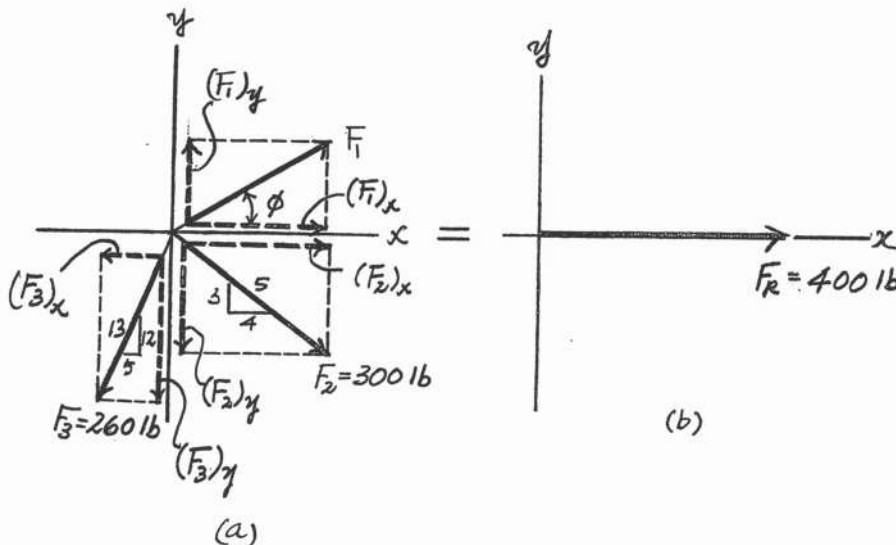
$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= F_1 \cos \phi & (F_1)_y &= F_1 \sin \phi \\ (F_2)_x &= 300 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) = 240 \text{ lb} & (F_2)_y &= 300 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) = 180 \text{ lb} \\ (F_3)_x &= 260 \left( \frac{5}{13} \right) = 100 \text{ lb} & (F_3)_y &= 260 \left( \frac{12}{13} \right) = 240 \text{ lb} \\ (F_R)_x &= 400 \text{ lb} & (F_R)_y &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes,

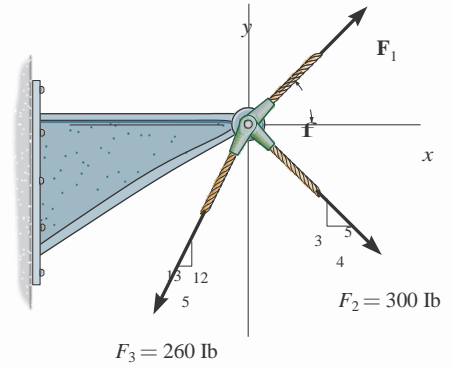
$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \Sigma (F_R)_x &= \Sigma F_x; & 400 &= F_1 \cos \phi + 240 - 100 \\ & & F_1 \cos \phi &= 260 & (1) \\ + \uparrow \Sigma (F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; & 0 &= F_1 \sin \phi - 180 - 240 \\ & & F_1 \sin \phi &= 420 & (2) \end{aligned}$$

Solving Eqs. (1) and (2), yields

$\phi = 58.2^\circ$        $F_1 = 494 \text{ lb}$       **Ans.**



2-39. If the resultant force acting on the bracket is to be directed along the positive  $x$  axis and the magnitude of  $F_1$  is required to be a minimum, determine the magnitudes of the resultant force and  $F_1$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$ ,  $F_2$ ,  $F_3$ , and  $F_R$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} (F_1)_x &= F_1 \cos \phi & (F_1)_y &= F_1 \sin \phi \\ (F_2)_x &= 300 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) = 240 \text{ lb} & (F_2)_y &= 300 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) = 180 \text{ lb} \\ (F_3)_x &= 260 \left( \frac{5}{13} \right) = 100 \text{ lb} & (F_3)_y &= 260 \left( \frac{12}{13} \right) = 240 \text{ lb} \\ (F_R)_x &= F_R & (F_R)_y &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Resultant Force:** Summing the force components algebraically along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes,

$$\begin{aligned} + \uparrow \Sigma (F_R)_y &= \Sigma F_y; \quad 0 = F_1 \sin \phi - 180 - 240 \\ F_1 &= \frac{420}{\sin \phi} \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

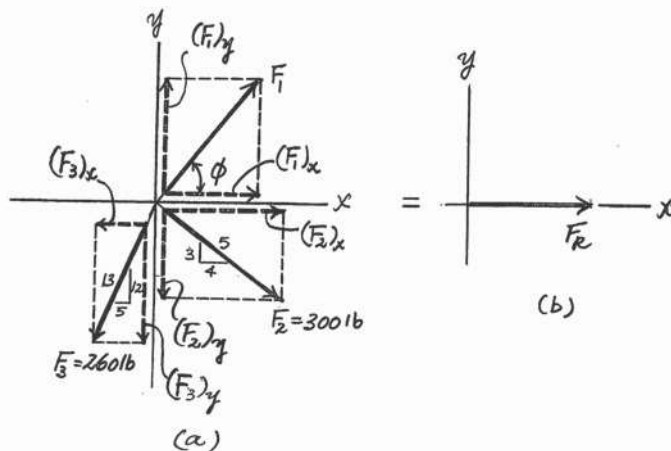
$$+ \rightarrow \Sigma (F_R)_x = \Sigma F_x; \quad F_R = F_1 \cos \phi + 240 - 100 \tag{2}$$

By inspecting Eq. (1), we realize that  $F_1$  is minimum when  $\sin \phi = 1$  or  $\phi = 90^\circ$ . Thus,

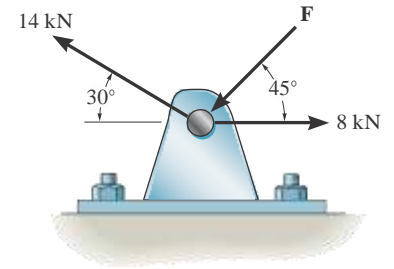
$$F_1 = 420 \text{ lb} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

Substituting these results into Eq. (2), yields

$$F_R = 140 \text{ lb} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$



22-40. Determine the magnitude of force  $F$  so that the resultant force of the three forces is as small as possible. What is the magnitude of the resultant force?



### SOLUTION

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow F_{Rx} = \Sigma F_x; \quad F_{Rx} &= 8 - F \cos 45^\circ - 14 \cos 30^\circ \\ &= -4.1244 - F \cos 45^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} + \uparrow F_{Ry} = \Sigma F_y; \quad F_{Ry} &= -F \sin 45^\circ + 14 \sin 30^\circ \\ &= 7 - F \sin 45^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$F_R^2 = (-4.1244 - F \cos 45^\circ)^2 + (7 - F \sin 45^\circ)^2 \quad (1)$$

$$2F_R \frac{dF_R}{dF} = 2(-4.1244 - F \cos 45^\circ)(-\cos 45^\circ) + 2(7 - F \sin 45^\circ)(-\sin 45^\circ) = 0$$

$$F = 2.03 \text{ kN}$$

Ans.

From Eq. (1);  $F_R = 7.87 \text{ kN}$

Ans.

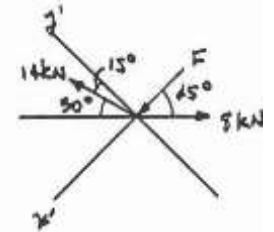
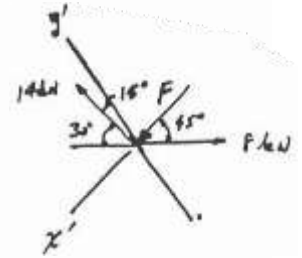
Also, from the figure require

$$\begin{aligned} (F_R)_{x'} = 0 = \Sigma F_{x'}; \quad F + 14 \sin 15^\circ - 8 \cos 45^\circ &= 0 \\ F &= 2.03 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

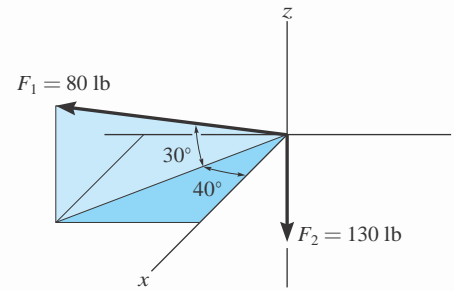
$$\begin{aligned} (F_R)_{y'} = \Sigma F_{y'}; \quad F_R &= 14 \cos 15^\circ - 8 \sin 45^\circ \\ F_R &= 7.87 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.





**2-41.** Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force and sketch this vector on the



**SOLUTION**

$$F_1 = \{80 \cos 30^\circ \cos 40^\circ \mathbf{i} - 80 \cos 30^\circ \sin 40^\circ \mathbf{j} + 80 \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_1 = \{53.1\mathbf{i} - 44.5\mathbf{j} + 40\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_2 = \{-130\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_R = F_1 + F_2$$

$$F_R = \{53.1\mathbf{i} - 44.5\mathbf{j} - 90.0\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_R = \sqrt{(53.1)^2 + (-44.5)^2 + (-90.0)^2} = 114 \text{ lb}$$

$$a = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{53.1}{113.6} \right) = 62.1^\circ$$

$$b = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-44.5}{113.6} \right) = 113^\circ$$

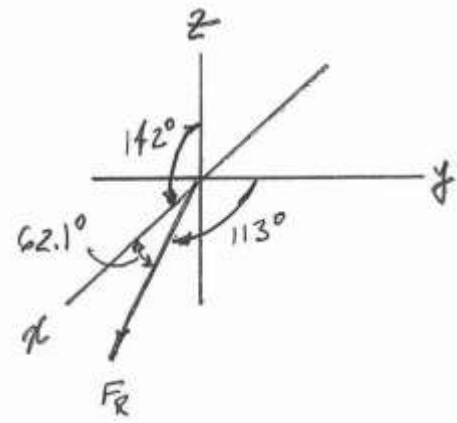
$$g = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-90.0}{113.6} \right) = 142^\circ$$

Ans.

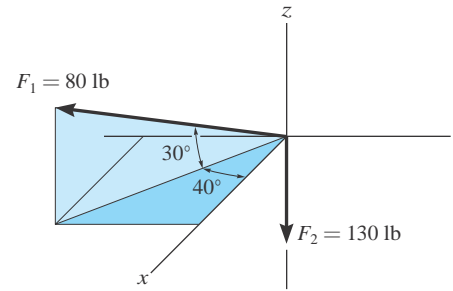
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2-42. Specify the coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}_2$  and express each force as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = \{80 \cos 30^\circ \cos 40^\circ \mathbf{i} - 80 \cos 30^\circ \sin 40^\circ \mathbf{j} + 80 \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = \{53.1 \mathbf{i} - 44.5 \mathbf{j} + 40 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

$$a_1 = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{53.1}{80} \right\} = 48.4^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$b_1 = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{-44.5}{80} \right\} = 124^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$g_1 = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{40}{80} \right\} = 60^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = \{-130 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

$$a_2 = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{0}{130} \right\} = 90^\circ$$

**Ans.**

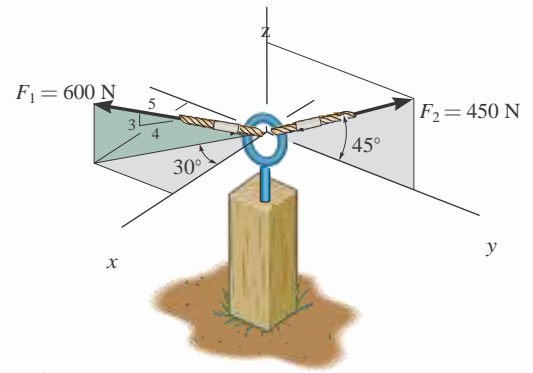
$$b_2 = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{0}{130} \right\} = 90^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$g_2 = \cos^{-1} \left\{ \frac{-130}{130} \right\} = 180^\circ$$

**Ans.**

2-43. Determine the coordinate direction angles of force  $F_1$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Figs. a, the  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components of  $F_1$  can be written as

$$(F_1)_x = 600\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) \cos 30^\circ \text{ N} \quad (F_1)_y = 600\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) \sin 30^\circ \text{ N} \quad (F_1)_z = 600\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \text{ N}$$

Thus,  $F_1$  expressed in Cartesian vector form can be written as

$$F_1 = 600\left\{\frac{4}{5} \cos 30^\circ(+i) + \frac{4}{5} \sin 30^\circ(-j) + \frac{3}{5}(+k)\right\} \text{ N}$$

$$= 600[0.6928i - 0.4j + 0.6k] \text{ N}$$

Therefore, the unit vector for  $F_1$  is given by

$$u_{F_1} = \frac{F_1}{F_1} = \frac{600(0.6928i - 0.4j + 0.6k)}{600} = 0.6928i - 0.4j + 0.6k$$

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_1$  are

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1}(u_{F_1})_x = \cos^{-1}(0.6928) = 46.1^\circ$$

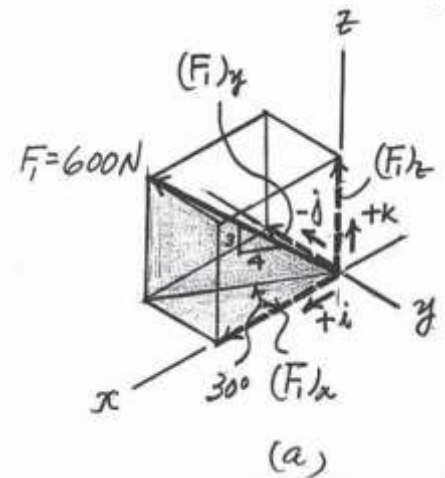
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$$\beta = \cos^{-1}(u_{F_1})_y = \cos^{-1}(-0.4) = 114^\circ$$

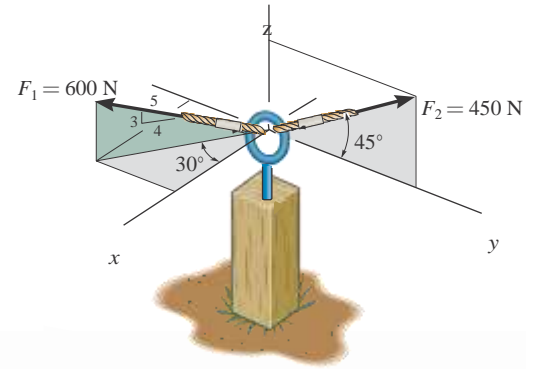
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$$\gamma = \cos^{-1}(u_{F_1})_z = \cos^{-1}(0.6) = 53.1^\circ$$

Ans.



22-44. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting on the eyebolt.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** By resolving  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively, they are expressed in Cartesian vector form as

$$F_1 = 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) \cos 30^\circ (+i) + 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) \sin 30^\circ (-j) + 600 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) (+k)$$

$$= \{415.69i - 240j + 360k\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_2 = 0i + 450 \cos 45^\circ (+j) + 450 \sin 45^\circ (+k)$$

$$= \{318.20j + 318.20k\} \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:** The resultant force acting on the eyebolt can be obtained by vectorially adding  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . Thus,

$$F_R = F_1 + F_2$$

$$= (415.69i - 240j + 360k) + (318.20j + 318.20k)$$

$$= \{415.69i + 78.20j + 678.20k\} \text{ N}$$

The magnitude of  $F_R$  is given by

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2}$$

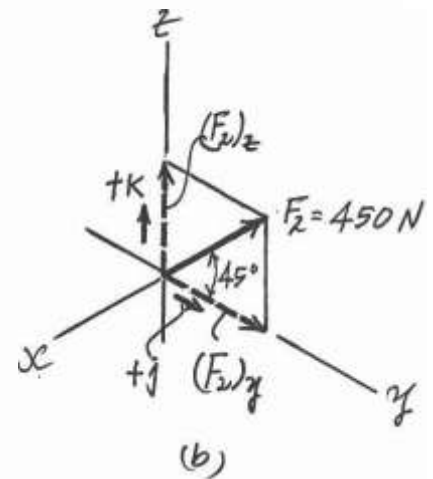
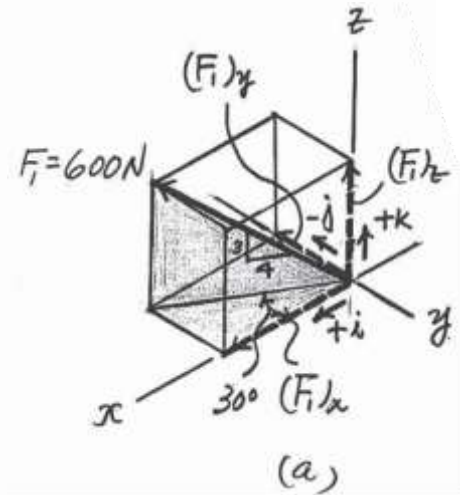
$$= \sqrt{(415.69)^2 + (78.20)^2 + (678.20)^2} = 799.29 \text{ N} = 799 \text{ N}$$

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_R$  are

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{415.69}{799.29} \right) = 58.7^\circ$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{78.20}{799.29} \right) = 84.4^\circ$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{678.20}{799.29} \right) = 32.0^\circ$$



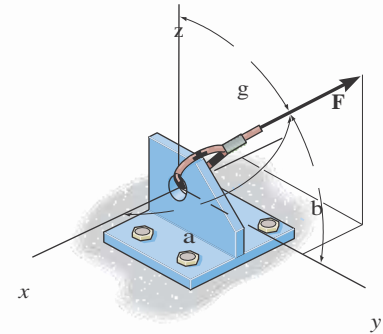
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2-45. The force  $F$  acts on the bracket within the octant shown. If  $F = 400$  N,  $\beta = 60^\circ$ , and  $\gamma = 45^\circ$ , determine the  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $z$  components of  $F$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Coordinate Direction Angles:** Since  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are known, the third angle  $\alpha$  can be determined from

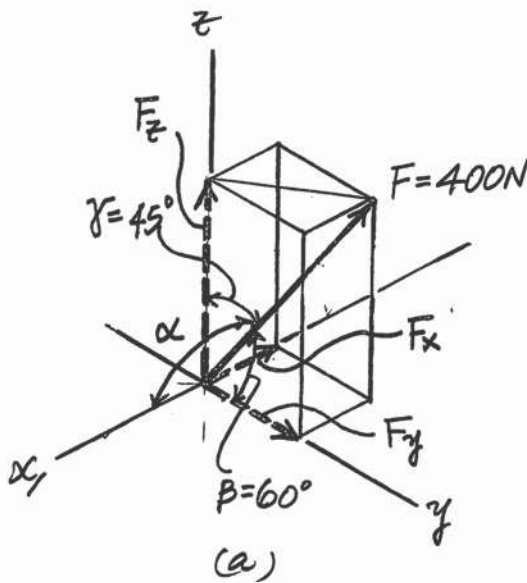
$$\begin{aligned} \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma &= 1 \\ \cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 45^\circ &= 1 \\ \cos \alpha &= \pm 0.5 \end{aligned}$$

Since  $F$  is in the octant shown in Fig.  $a$ ,  $\theta_x$  must be greater than  $90^\circ$ . Thus,  $\alpha = \cos^{-1}(-0.5) = 120^\circ$ .

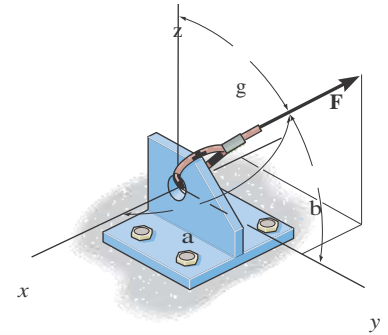
**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Fig.  $a$ , the  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components of  $F$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} F_x &= F \cos \alpha = 400 \cos 120^\circ = -200 \text{ N} && \text{Ans.} \\ F_y &= F \cos \beta = 400 \cos 60^\circ = 200 \text{ N} && \text{Ans.} \\ F_z &= F \cos \gamma = 400 \cos 45^\circ = 283 \text{ N} && \text{Ans.} \end{aligned}$$

The negative sign indicates that  $F_x$  is directed towards the negative  $x$ -axis.



2-46. The force  $F$  acts on the bracket within the octant shown. If the magnitudes of the  $x$  and  $z$  components of  $F$  are  $F_x = 300$  N and  $F_z = 600$  N, respectively, and  $b = 60^\circ$ , determine the magnitude of  $F$  and its  $y$  component. Also, find the coordinate direction angles  $a$  and  $g$ .



### SOLUTION

**Rectangular Components:** The magnitude of  $F$  is given by

$$F = \sqrt{F_x^2 + F_y^2 + F_z^2}$$

$$F = \sqrt{300^2 + F_y^2 + 600^2}$$

$$F^2 = F_y^2 + 450\,000 \quad (1)$$

The magnitude of  $F_y$  is given by

$$F_y = F \cos 60^\circ = 0.5F \quad (2)$$

Solving Eqs. (1) and (2) yields

$$F = 774.60 \text{ N} = 775 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

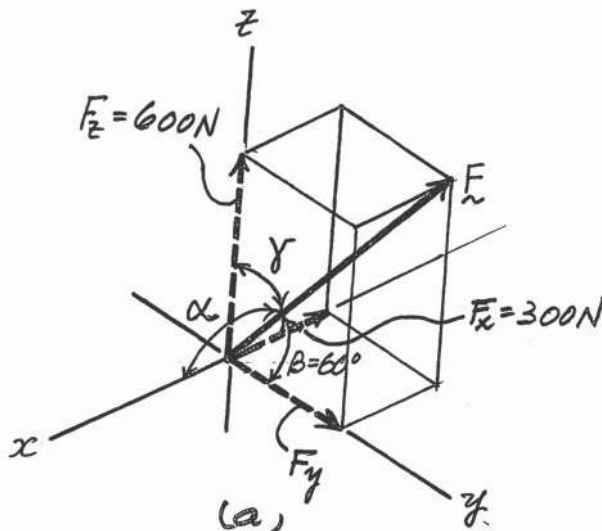
$$F_y = 387 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**Coordinate Direction Angles:** Since  $F$  is contained in the octant so that  $F_x$  is directed towards the negative  $x$  axis, the coordinate direction angle  $\theta_x$  is given by

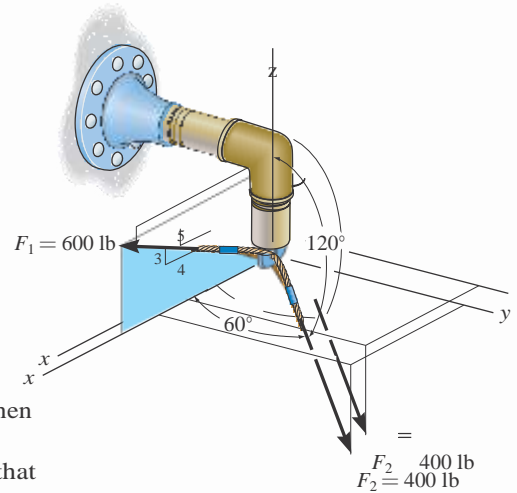
$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-F_x}{F} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-300}{774.60} \right) = 113^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The third coordinate direction angle is

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-F_z}{F} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{600}{774.60} \right) = 39.2^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-47. Express each force acting on the pipe assembly in Cartesian vector form.



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** Since  $\cos^2 a_2 + \cos^2 b_2 + \cos^2 g_2 = 1$ , then

$\cos b_2 = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 60^\circ - \cos^2 120^\circ} = \sqrt{0.7071}$ . However, it is required that  $b_2 \leq 90^\circ$ , thus,  $b_2 = \cos^{-1}(0.7071) = 45^\circ$ . By resolving  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  can be expressed in Cartesian vector form, as

$$F_1 = 600 \left( \frac{4}{5}i + 0j + \frac{3}{5}k \right)$$

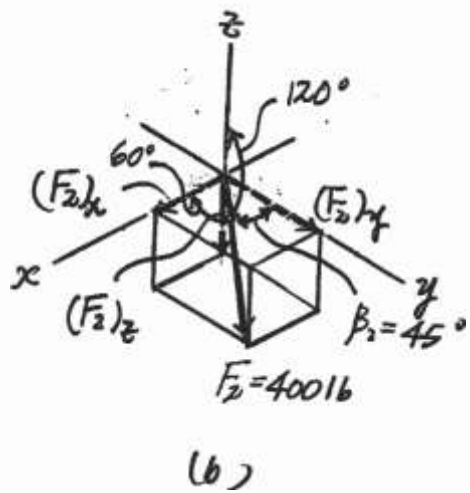
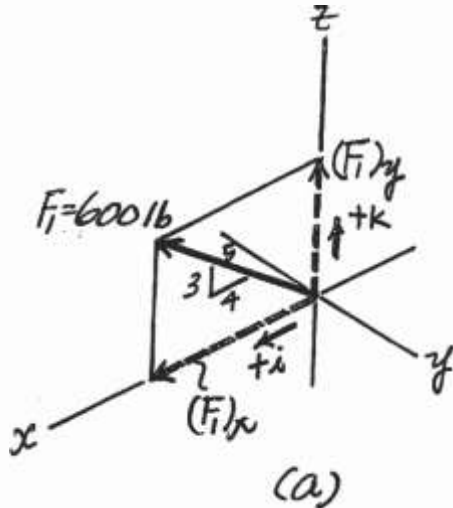
$$= [480i + 360k] \text{ lb}$$

Ans.

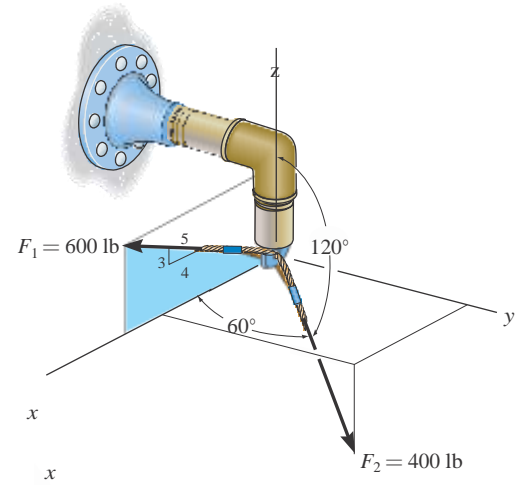
$$F_2 = 400 \cos 60^\circ i + 400 \cos 45^\circ j + 400 \cos 120^\circ k$$

$$= [200i + 283j - 200k] \text{ lb}$$

Ans.



22-48. Determine the magnitude and the direction of the resultant force acting on the pipe assembly.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** Since  $\cos^2 a_2 + \cos^2 b_2 + \cos^2 g_2 = 1$ , then  $\cos g_2 =$

$\sqrt{1 - \cos^2 60^\circ - \cos^2 120^\circ} = \sqrt{0.7071}$ . However, it is required that  $b_2 \leq 90^\circ$ , thus,  $b_2 = \cos^{-1}(0.7071) = 45^\circ$ . By resolving  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs. *a* and *b*, respectively,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  can be expressed in Cartesian vector form, as

$$F_1 = 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{5} \mathbf{k} \right) = \{480\mathbf{i} + 360\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_2 = 400 \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + 400 \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j} + 400 \cos 120^\circ \mathbf{k} = \{200\mathbf{i} + 282.84\mathbf{j} - 200\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

**Resultant Force:** By adding  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  vectorally, we obtain  $F_R$ .

$$F_R = F_1 + F_2 = (480\mathbf{i} + 360\mathbf{k}) + (200\mathbf{i} + 282.84\mathbf{j} - 200\mathbf{k}) = \{680\mathbf{i} + 282.84\mathbf{j} + 160\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

The magnitude of  $F_R$  is \_\_\_\_\_

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} = \sqrt{680^2 + 282.84^2 + 160^2} = 753.66 \text{ lb} = 754 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_R$  are

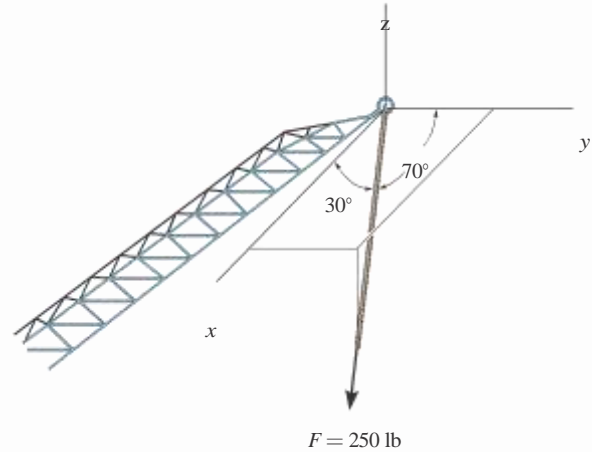
$$a = \cos^{-1} \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} = \cos^{-1} \frac{680}{753.66} = 25.5^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$b = \cos^{-1} \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} = \cos^{-1} \frac{282.84}{753.66} = 68.0^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$g = \cos^{-1} \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} = \cos^{-1} \frac{160}{753.66} = 77.7^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-49. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}_1 = 560\mathbf{i} - 50\mathbf{j} + 40\mathbf{k}$  N and  $\mathbf{F}_2 = -40\mathbf{i} - 85\mathbf{j} + 30\mathbf{k}$  N. Sketch each force on an  $x, y, z$  reference frame.



### SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 560\mathbf{i} - 50\mathbf{j} + 40\mathbf{k}$$

$$F_1 = \sqrt{560^2 + 1-50^2 + 140^2} = 87.7496 = 87.7 \text{ N}$$

Ans.

$$a_1 = \cos^{-1} \frac{560}{87.7496} = 46.9^\circ$$

Ans.

$$b_1 = \cos^{-1} \frac{-50}{87.7496} = 125^\circ$$

Ans.

$$g_1 = \cos^{-1} \frac{40}{87.7496} = 62.9^\circ$$

Ans.

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = -40\mathbf{i} - 85\mathbf{j} + 30\mathbf{k}$$

$$F_2 = \sqrt{1-40^2 + 1-85^2 + 130^2} = 98.615 = 98.6 \text{ N}$$

Ans.

$$a_2 = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-40}{98.615} \right) = 114^\circ$$

Ans.

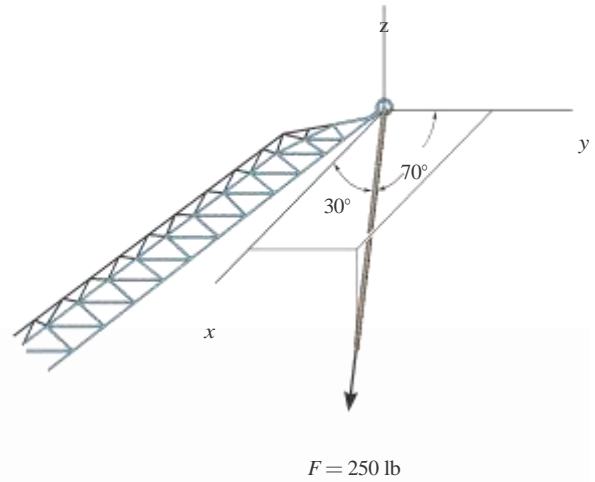
$$b_2 = \cos^{-1} \frac{-85}{98.615} = 150^\circ$$

Ans.

$$g_2 = \cos^{-1} \frac{30}{98.615} = 72.3^\circ$$

Ans.

**2-50.** The cable at the end of the crane boom exerts a force of 250 lb on the boom as shown. Express  $\mathbf{F}$  as a Cartesian vector.



### SOLUTION

*Cartesian Vector Notation:* With  $a = 30^\circ$  and  $b = 70^\circ$ , the third coordinate direction angle  $g$  can be determined using Eq. 2-8.

$$\cos^2 a + \cos^2 b + \cos^2 g = 1$$

$$\cos^2 30^\circ + \cos^2 70^\circ + \cos^2 g = 1$$

$$\cos g = \pm 0.3647$$

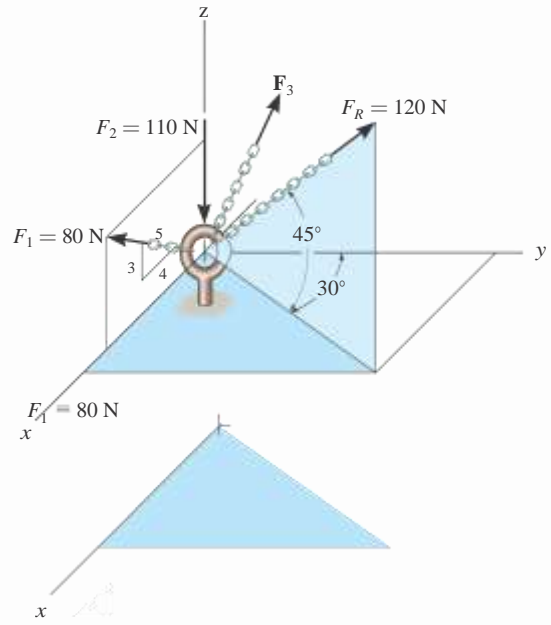
$$g = 68.61^\circ \text{ or } 111.39^\circ$$

By inspection,  $g = 111.39^\circ$  since the force  $\mathbf{F}$  is directed in negative octant.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F} &= 250 \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 70^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 111.39^\circ \mathbf{k} \text{ lb} \\ &= \{217\mathbf{i} + 85.5\mathbf{j} - 91.2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

**2-51.** Three forces act on the ring. If the resultant force  $F_R$  has a magnitude and direction as shown, determine the magnitude and the coordinate direction angles of force  $F_3$ .



**SOLUTION**

**Cartesian Vector Notation:**

$$F_R = 120\{\cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$= \{42.43\mathbf{i} + 73.48\mathbf{j} + 84.85\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_1 = 80 \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{i} + \frac{3}{5} \mathbf{k} \text{ N} = \{64.0\mathbf{i} + 48.0\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_2 = \{-110\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_3 = \{F_{3x} \mathbf{i} + F_{3y} \mathbf{j} + F_{3z} \mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:**

$$F_R = F_1 + F_2 + F_3$$

$$\{42.43\mathbf{i} + 73.48\mathbf{j} + 84.85\mathbf{k}\} = \{64.0 + F_{3x}\} \mathbf{i} + \{F_{3y}\} \mathbf{j} + \{48.0 - 110 + F_{3z}\} \mathbf{k}$$

Equating **i, j** and **k** components, we have

$$64.0 + F_{3x} = 42.43 \qquad F_{3x} = -21.57 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{3y} = 73.48 \text{ N}$$

$$48.0 - 110 + F_{3z} = 84.85 \qquad F_{3z} = 146.85 \text{ N}$$

The magnitude of force  $F_3$  is \_\_\_\_\_

$$F_3 = \sqrt{F_{3x}^2 + F_{3y}^2 + F_{3z}^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-21.57)^2 + 73.48^2 + 146.85^2}$$

$$= 165.62 \text{ N} = 166 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

The coordinate direction angles for  $F_3$  are

$$\cos a = \frac{F_{3x}}{F_3} = \frac{-21.57}{165.62} \qquad a = 97.5^\circ$$

**Ans.**

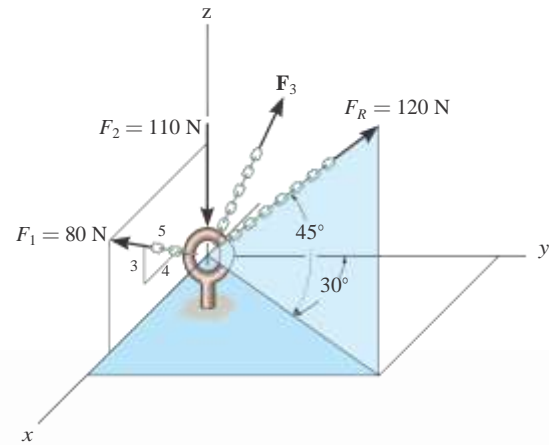
$$\cos b = \frac{F_{3y}}{F_3} = \frac{73.48}{165.62} \qquad b = 63.7^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$\cos g = \frac{F_{3z}}{F_3} = \frac{146.85}{165.62} \qquad g = 27.5^\circ$$

**Ans.**

\*2-52. Determine the coordinate direction angles of  $F_1$  and  $F_R$ .



**SOLUTION**

*Unit Vector of  $F_1$  and  $F_R$ :*

$$u_{F_1} = \frac{4}{5}i + \frac{3}{5}k = 0.8i + 0.6k$$

$$u_R = \cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ i + \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ j + \sin 45^\circ k$$

$$= 0.3536i + 0.6124j + 0.7071k$$

Thus, the coordinate direction angles  $F_1$  and  $F_R$  are

$$\cos a_{F_1} = 0.8 \quad a_{F_1} = 36.9^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$\cos b_{F_1} = 0 \quad b_{F_1} = 90.0^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$\cos g_{F_1} = 0.6 \quad g_{F_1} = 53.1^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$\cos a_R = 0.3536 \quad a_R = 69.3^\circ$$

**Ans.**

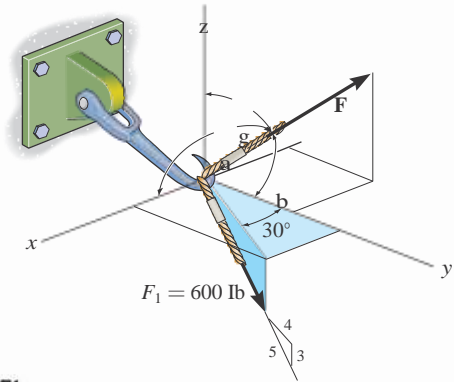
$$\cos b_R = 0.6124 \quad b_R = 52.2^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$\cos g_R = 0.7071 \quad g_R = 45.0^\circ$$

**Ans.**

2-53. If  $\alpha = 120^\circ$ ,  $\beta = 90^\circ$ ,  $\gamma = 60^\circ$ , and  $F = 400$  lb, determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting on the hook.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** Since  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ , then  $\cos \beta = \pm \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 120^\circ - \cos^2 60^\circ} = \pm 0.7071$ .

However, it is required that  $\beta < 90^\circ$ , thus,  $\beta = \cos^{-1}(0.7071) = 45^\circ$ . By resolving  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ , can be expressed in Cartesian vector form as

$$F_1 = 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) \sin 30^\circ (+i) + 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) \cos 30^\circ (+j) + 600 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) (-k)$$

$$= \{240i + 415.69j - 360k\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F = 400 \cos 120^\circ i + 400 \cos 45^\circ j + 400 \cos 60^\circ k$$

$$= \{-200i + 282.84j + 200k\} \text{ lb}$$

**Resultant Force:** By adding  $F_1$  and  $F$  vectorally, we obtain  $F_R$ .

$$F_R = F_1 + F$$

$$= (240i + 415.69j - 360k) + (-200i + 282.84j + 200k)$$

$$= \{40i + 698.53j - 160k\} \text{ lb}$$

The magnitude of  $F_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2}$$

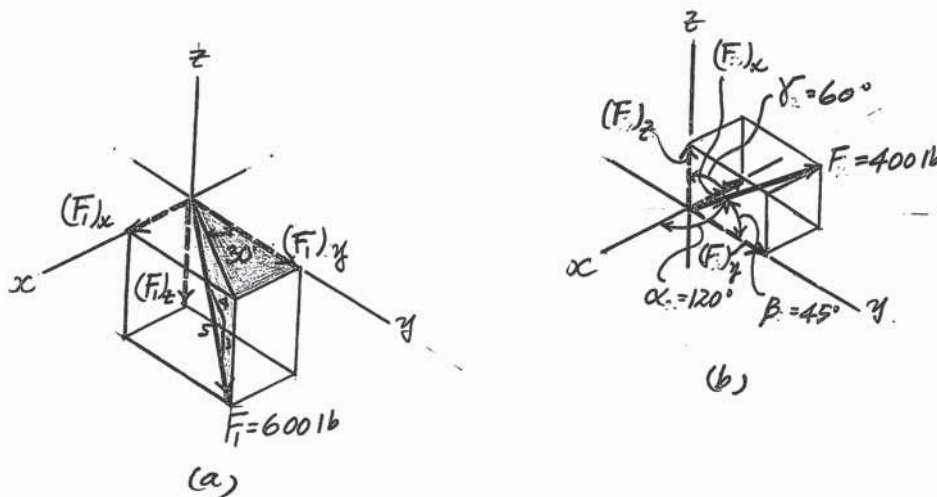
$$= \sqrt{(40)^2 + (698.53)^2 + (-160)^2} = 717.74 \text{ lb} = 718 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_R$  are

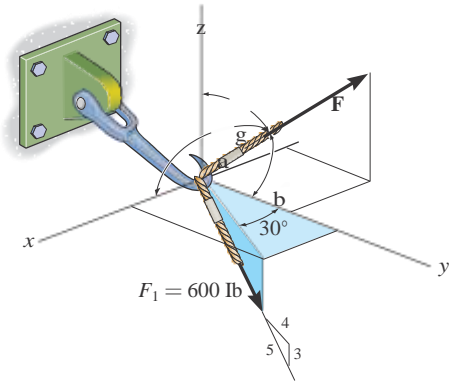
$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{40}{717.74} \right) = 86.8^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{698.53}{717.74} \right) = 13.3^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-160}{717.74} \right) = 103^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-54. If the resultant force acting on the hook is  $F_R = 5-200i + 800j + 150k$  lb, determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of  $F$ .



### SOLUTION

**Force Vectors:** By resolving  $F_1$  and  $F$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  can be expressed in Cartesian vector form as

$$F_1 = 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \sin 30^\circ (+i) + 600 \left( \frac{4}{5} \right) \cos 30^\circ (+j) + 600 \left( \frac{3}{5} \right) (-k) \right)$$

$$= \{240i + 415.69j - 360k\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F = F \cos \alpha i + F \cos \beta j + F \cos \gamma k$$

**Resultant Force:** By adding  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  vectorally, we obtain  $F_R$ . Thus,

$$F_R = F_1 + F$$

$$-200i + 800j + 150k = (240i + 415.69j - 360k) + (F \cos \theta_x i + F \cos \theta_y j + F \cos \theta_z k)$$

$$-200i + 800j + 150k = (240 + F \cos \alpha)i + (415.69 + F \cos \beta)j + (F \cos \gamma - 360)k$$

Equating the  $i$ ,  $j$ , and  $k$  components, we have

$$-200 = 240 + F \cos \theta_x$$

$$F \cos \alpha = -440 \quad (1)$$

$$800 = 415.69 + F \cos \beta$$

$$F \cos \beta = 384.31 \quad (2)$$

$$150 = F \cos \gamma - 360$$

$$F \cos \gamma = 510 \quad (3)$$

Squaring and then adding Eqs. (1), (2), and (3), yields

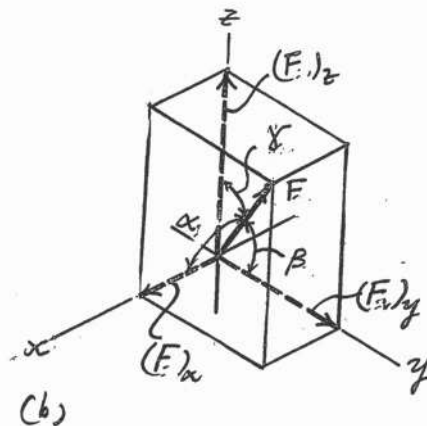
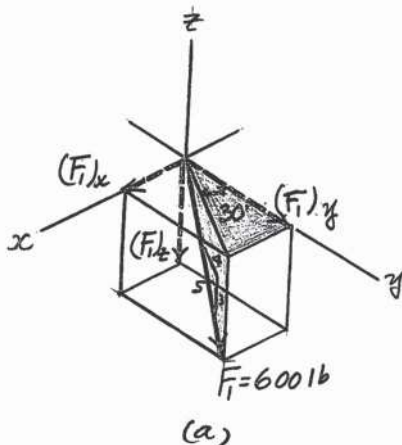
$$F^2(\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma) = 601392.49 \quad (4)$$

However,  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ . Thus, from Eq. (4)

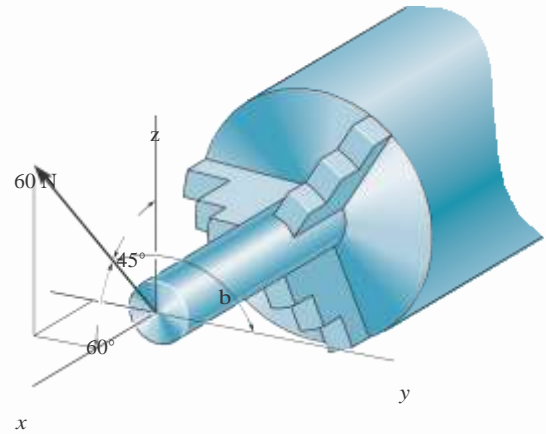
$$F = 775.49 \text{ N} = 775 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

Substituting  $F = 775.49 \text{ N}$  into Eqs. (1), (2), and (3), yields

$$\alpha = 125^\circ \quad \beta = 60.3^\circ \quad \gamma = 48.9^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-55. The stock mounted on the lathe is subjected to a force of 60 N. Determine the coordinate direction angle  $\beta$  and express the force as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

$$1 = \sqrt{\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma}$$

$$1 = \cos^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 45^\circ$$

$$\cos \beta = \pm 0.5$$

$$\beta = 60^\circ, 120^\circ$$

Use

$$\beta = 120^\circ$$

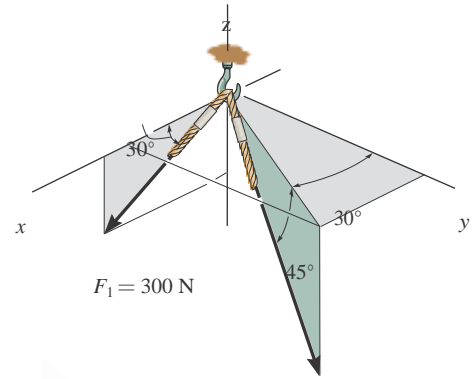
$$F = 60 \text{ N}(\cos 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 120^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{k})$$

$$= [30\mathbf{i} - 30\mathbf{j} + 42.4\mathbf{k}] \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

**Ans.**

22-56. Express each force as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

**Rectangular Components:** By referring to Figs. *a* and *b*, the *x*, *y*, and *z* components of  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  can be written as

$$(F_1)_x = 300 \cos 30^\circ = 259.8\text{ N} \quad (F_2)_x = 500 \cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ = 176.78\text{ N}$$

$$(F_1)_y = 0 \quad (F_2)_y = 500 \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ = 306.19\text{ N}$$

$$(F_1)_z = 300 \sin 30^\circ = 150\text{ N} \quad (F_2)_z = 500 \sin 45^\circ = 353.55\text{ N}$$

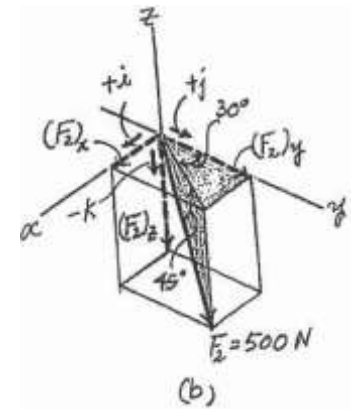
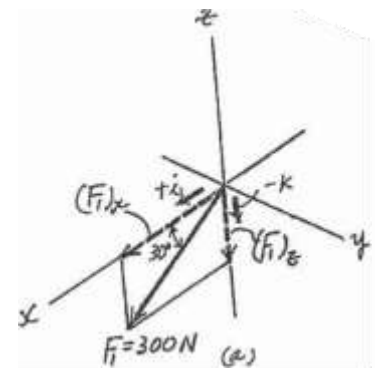
Thus,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  can be written in Cartesian vector form as

$$\begin{aligned} F_1 &= 259.81(+i) + 0j + 150(-k) \\ &= \{260i - 150k\}\text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_2 &= 176.78(+i) + 306.19(+j) + 353.55(-k) \\ &= \{177i + 306j - 354k\}\text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

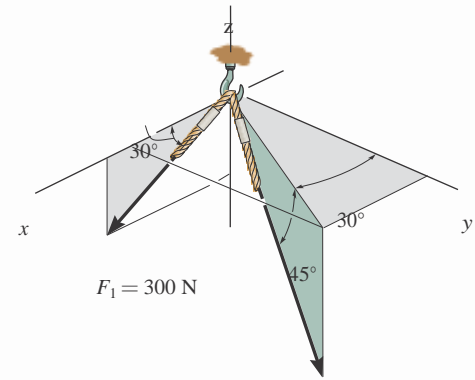
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2-57. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting on the hook.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** By resolving  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  can be expressed in Cartesian vector form as

$$F_1 = 300 \cos 30^\circ(+i) + 0j + 300 \sin 30^\circ(-k) = \{259.81i - 150k\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_2 = 500 \cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ(+i) + 500 \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ(+j) + 500 \sin 45^\circ(-k) = \{176.78i + 306.19j - 353.55k\} \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:** The resultant force acting on the hook can be obtained by vectorially adding  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} F_R &= F_1 + F_2 \\ &= (259.81i - 150k) + (176.78i + 306.19j - 353.55k) \\ &= \{436.58i + 306.19j - 503.55k\} \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of  $F_R$  is

$$\begin{aligned} F_R &= \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(436.58)^2 + (306.19)^2 + (-503.55)^2} = 733.43 \text{ N} = 733 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_R$  are

$$\theta_x = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{436.58}{733.43} \right) = 53.5^\circ$$

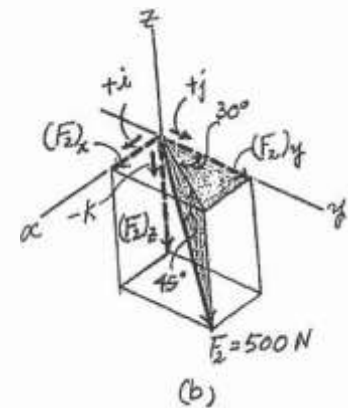
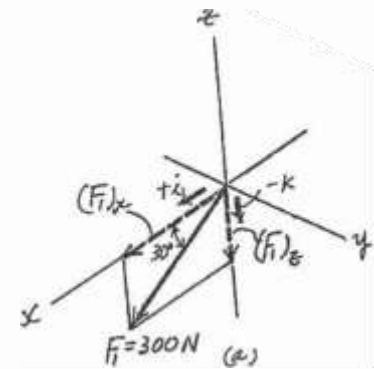
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$$\theta_y = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{306.19}{733.43} \right) = 65.3^\circ$$

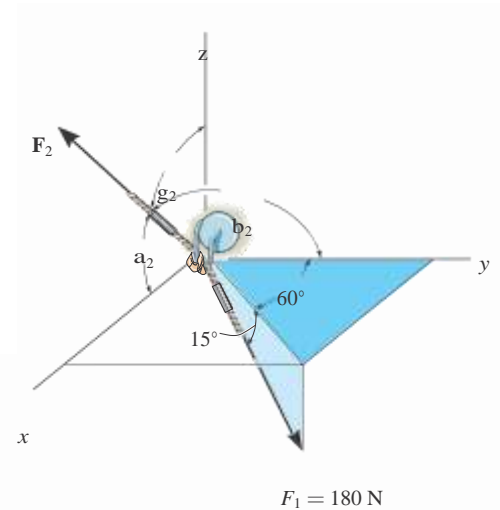
Ans.

$$\theta_z = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-503.55}{733.43} \right) = 133^\circ$$

Ans.



2-58. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of  $F_2$  so that the resultant of the two forces acts along the positive  $x$  axis and has a magnitude of 500 N.



**SOLUTION**

$$F_1 = (180 \cos 15^\circ) \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + (180 \cos 15^\circ) \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{j} - 180 \sin 15^\circ \mathbf{k}$$

$$= 150.57 \mathbf{i} + 86.93 \mathbf{j} - 46.59 \mathbf{k}$$

$$F_2 = F_2 \cos \alpha_2 \mathbf{i} + F_2 \cos \beta_2 \mathbf{j} + F_2 \cos \gamma_2 \mathbf{k}$$

$$F_R = (500 \mathbf{i}) \text{ N}$$

$$F_R = F_1 + F_2$$

**i components :**

$$500 = 150.57 + F_2 \cos \alpha_2$$

$$F_{2x} = F_2 \cos \alpha_2 = 349.43$$

**j components :**

$$0 = 86.93 + F_2 \cos \beta_2$$

$$F_{2y} = F_2 \cos \beta_2 = -86.93$$

**k components :**

$$0 = -46.59 + F_2 \cos \gamma_2$$

$$F_{2z} = F_2 \cos \gamma_2 = 46.59$$

Thus,

$$F_2 = \sqrt{F_{2x}^2 + F_{2y}^2 + F_{2z}^2} = \sqrt{(349.43)^2 + (-86.93)^2 + (46.59)^2}$$

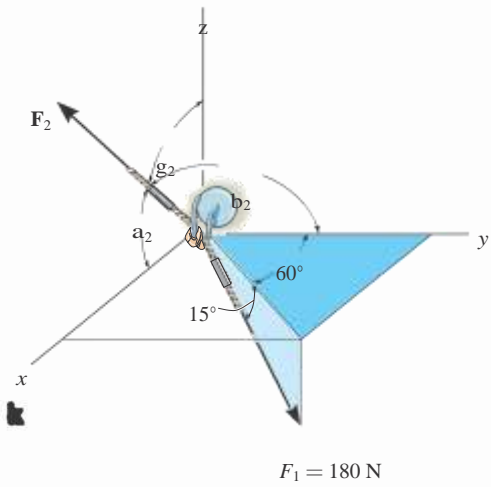
$$F_2 = 363 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\alpha_2 = 15.8^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\beta_2 = 104^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\gamma_2 = 82.6^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

2-59. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of  $F_2$  so that the resultant of the two forces is zero.



**SOLUTION**

$$F_1 = (180 \cos 15^\circ) \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + (180 \cos 15^\circ) \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{j} - 180 \sin 15^\circ \mathbf{k}$$

$$= 150.57 \mathbf{i} + 86.93 \mathbf{j} - 46.59 \mathbf{k}$$

$$F_2 = F_2 \cos \alpha_2 \mathbf{i} + F_2 \cos \beta_2 \mathbf{j} + F_2 \cos \gamma_2 \mathbf{k}$$

$$F_2 = 0$$

**i components :**

$$0 = 150.57 + F_2 \cos \alpha_2$$

$$F_2 \cos \alpha_2 = -150.57$$

**j components :**

$$0 = 86.93 + F_2 \cos \beta_2$$

$$F_2 \cos \beta_2 = -86.93$$

**k components :**

$$0 = -46.59 + F_2 \cos \gamma_2$$

$$F_2 \cos \gamma_2 = 46.59$$

$$F_2 = \sqrt{(-150.57)^2 + (-86.93)^2 + (46.59)^2}$$

**Solving,**

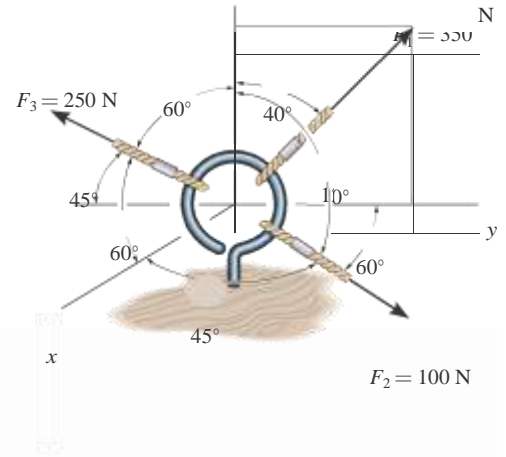
$$F_2 = 180 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\alpha_2 = 147^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\beta_2 = 119^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\gamma_2 = 75.0^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

to the three forces shown. Express each force in Cartesian vector form and determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force.



### SOLUTION

**Cartesian Vector Notation:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{F}_1 &= 350\sin 40^\circ\mathbf{j} + \cos 40^\circ\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 5224.98\mathbf{j} + 268.12\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 5225\mathbf{j} + 268\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{F}_2 &= 100\cos 45^\circ\mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ\mathbf{j} + \cos 120^\circ\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 570.71\mathbf{i} + 50.0\mathbf{j} - 50.0\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 570.7\mathbf{i} + 50.0\mathbf{j} - 50.0\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{F}_3 &= 250\cos 60^\circ\mathbf{i} + \cos 135^\circ\mathbf{j} + \cos 60^\circ\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 5125.0\mathbf{i} - 176.78\mathbf{j} + 125.0\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 5125\mathbf{i} - 177\mathbf{j} + 125\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

**Resultant Force:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{F}_R &= \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2 + \mathbf{F}_3 \\
 &= 5170.71 + 125.02\mathbf{i} + 1224.98 + 50.0 - 176.782\mathbf{j} + 1268.12 - 50.0 + 125.02\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N} \\
 &= 5195.71\mathbf{i} + 98.20\mathbf{j} + 343.12\mathbf{k}6 \text{ N}
 \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude of the resultant force is \_\_\_\_\_

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_R &= \sqrt{F_{R_x}^2 + F_{R_y}^2 + F_{R_z}^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{195.71^2 + 98.20^2 + 343.12^2} \\
 &= 407.03 \text{ N} = 407 \text{ N}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

The coordinate direction angles are \_\_\_\_\_

$$\cos a = \frac{F_{R_x}}{F_R} = \frac{195.71}{407.03} \quad a = 61.3^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\cos b = \frac{F_{R_y}}{F_R} = \frac{98.20}{407.03} \quad b = 76.0^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\cos g = \frac{F_{R_z}}{F_R} = \frac{343.12}{407.03} \quad g = 32.5^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**2-61.** If the resultant force acting on the bracket is directed along the positive  $y$  axis, determine the magnitude of the resultant force and the coordinate direction angles of  $\mathbf{F}$  so that  $b \leq 90^\circ$ .

**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** By resolving  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}$  into their  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  components, as shown in Figs.  $a$  and  $b$ , respectively,  $\mathbf{F}_1$  and  $\mathbf{F}$  can be expressed in Cartesian vector form as

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 600 \cos 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ(+\mathbf{i}) + 600 \cos 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ(+\mathbf{j}) + 600 \sin 30^\circ(-\mathbf{k})$$

$$= \{259.81\mathbf{i} + 450\mathbf{j} - 300\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = 500 \cos a \mathbf{i} + 500 \cos b \mathbf{j} + 500 \cos g \mathbf{k}$$

Since the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is directed towards the positive  $y$  axis, then

$$\mathbf{F}_R = F_R \mathbf{j}$$

**Resultant Force:**

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}$$

$$F_R \mathbf{j} = (259.81\mathbf{i} + 450\mathbf{j} - 300\mathbf{k}) + (500 \cos a \mathbf{i} + 500 \cos b \mathbf{j} + 500 \cos g \mathbf{k})$$

$$F_R \mathbf{j} = (259.81 + 500 \cos a)\mathbf{i} + (450 + 500 \cos b)\mathbf{j} + (500 \cos g - 300)\mathbf{k}$$

Equating the  $\mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{j}$ , and  $\mathbf{k}$  components,

$$0 = 259.81 + 500 \cos a$$

$$a = 121.31^\circ = 121^\circ$$

$$F_R = 450 + 500 \cos b$$

$$0 = 500 \cos g - 300$$

$$g = 53.13^\circ = 53.1^\circ$$

However, since  $\cos^2 a + \cos^2 b + \cos^2 g = 1$ ,  $a = 121.31^\circ$ , and  $g = 53.13^\circ$ ,

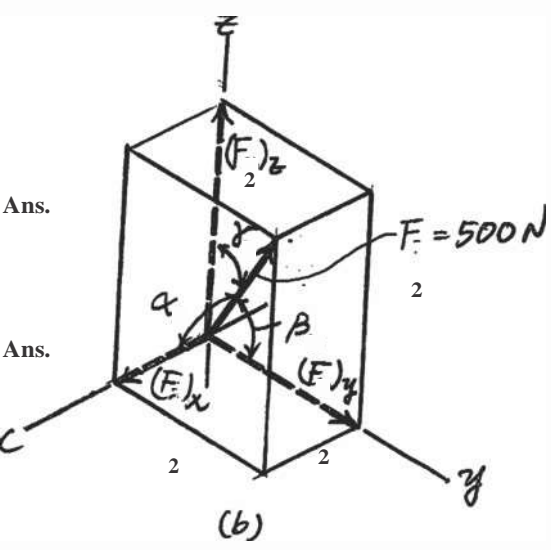
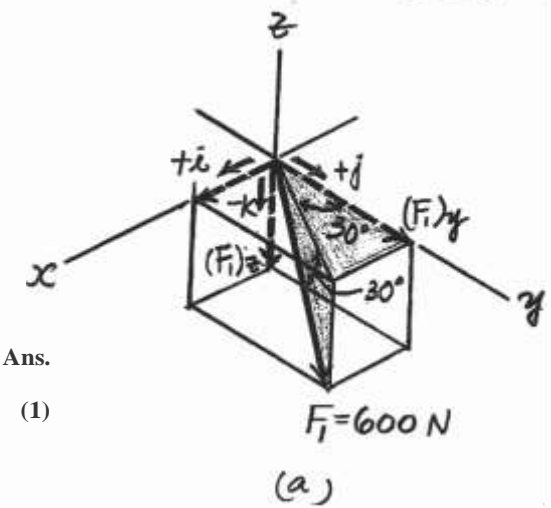
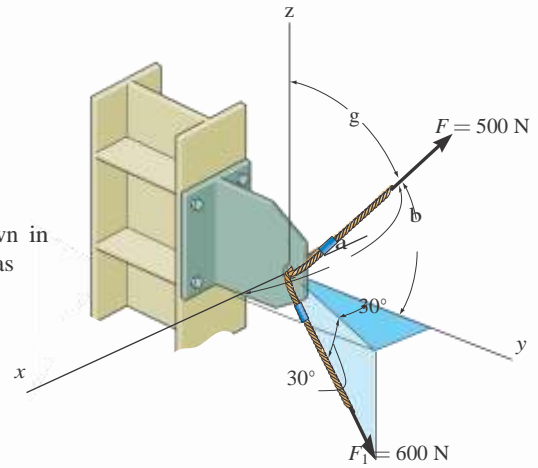
$$\cos b = \sqrt{1 - \cos^2 121.31^\circ - \cos^2 53.13^\circ} = 0.6083$$

If we substitute  $\cos b = 0.6083$  into Eq. (1),

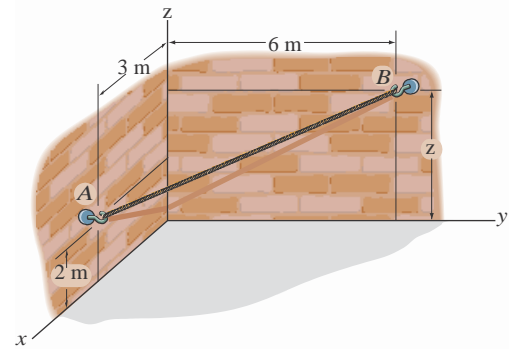
$$F_R = 450 + 500(0.6083) = 754 \text{ N}$$

and

$$b = \cos^{-1}(0.6083) = 52.5^\circ$$



2-62. Determine the position vector  $\mathbf{r}$  directed from point  $A$  to point  $B$  and the length of cord  $AB$ . Take  $z = 4$  m.



### SOLUTION

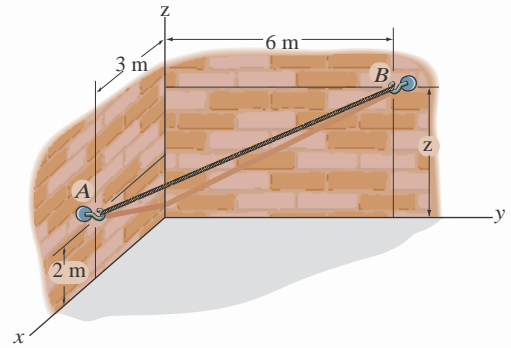
**Position Vector:** The coordinates for points  $A$  and  $B$  are  $A(3, 0, 2)$  m and  $B(0, 6, 4)$  m, respectively. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= (0 - 3)\mathbf{i} + (6 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (4 - 2)\mathbf{k} \\ &= \{-3\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m} \end{aligned} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

The length of cord  $AB$  is

$$r_{AB} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 6^2 + 2^2} = 7 \text{ m} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

2-63. If the cord  $AB$  is 7.5 m long, determine the coordinate position  $+z$  of point  $B$ .



### SOLUTION

**Position Vector:** The coordinates for points  $A$  and  $B$  are  $A(3, 0, 2)$  m and  $B(0, 6, z)$  m, respectively. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= (0 - 3)\mathbf{i} + (6 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (z - 2)\mathbf{k} \\ &= \{-3\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} + (z - 2)\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

Since the length of cord is equal to the magnitude of  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$ , then

$$r_{AB} = 7.5 = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 6^2 + (z - 2)^2}$$

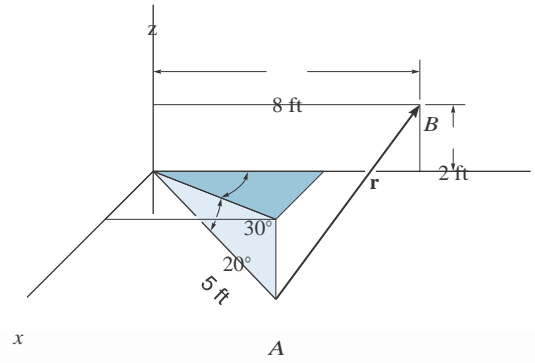
$$56.25 = 45 + (z - 2)^2$$

$$z - 2 = \pm 3.354$$

$$z = 5.35 \text{ m}$$

**Ans.**

22-64. Express the position vector  $\mathbf{r}$  in Cartesian vector form; then determine its magnitude and coordinate



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r} = (-5 \cos 20^\circ \sin 30^\circ)\mathbf{i} + (8 - 5 \cos 20^\circ \cos 30^\circ)\mathbf{j} + (2 + 5 \sin 20^\circ)\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r} = \{-2.35\mathbf{i} + 3.93\mathbf{j} + 3.71\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$

**Ans.**

$$r = \sqrt{(-2.35)^2 + (3.93)^2 + (3.71)^2} = 5.89 \text{ ft}$$

**Ans.**

$$a = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-2.35}{5.89} \right) = 113^\circ$$

**Ans.**

$$b = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3.93}{5.89} \right) = 48.2^\circ$$

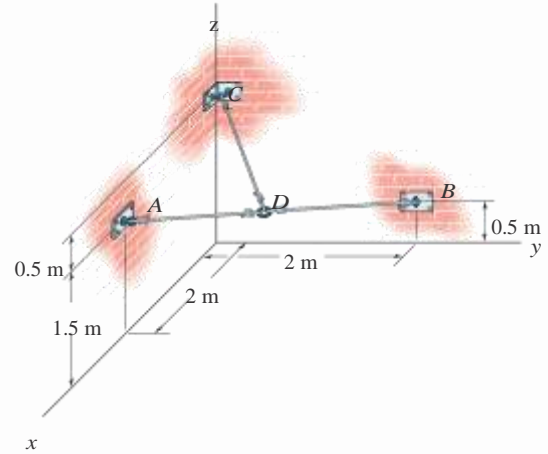
**Ans.**

$$g = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{3.71}{5.89} \right) = 51.0^\circ$$

**Ans.**



2-65. Determine the lengths of wires  $AD$ ,  $BD$ , and  $CD$ .  
The ring at  $D$  is midway between  $A$  and  $B$ .



**SOLUTION**

$$D = \left( \frac{0+2}{2}, \frac{0+2}{2}, \frac{1.5+0.5}{2} \right) \text{ m} = D(1, 1, 1) \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AD} &= (1 - 2)\mathbf{i} + (1 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (1 - 1.5)\mathbf{k} \\ &= -1\mathbf{i} + 1\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{BD} &= (1 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (1 - 2)\mathbf{j} + (1 - 0.5)\mathbf{k} \\ &= 1\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{CD} &= (1 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (1 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (1 - 2)\mathbf{k} \\ &= 1\mathbf{i} + 1\mathbf{j} - 1\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{AD} = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 1^2 + (-0.5)^2} = 1.50 \text{ m}$$

**Ans.**

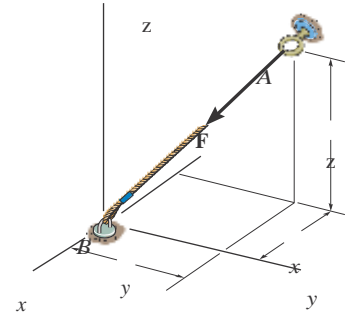
$$r_{BD} = \sqrt{1^2 + (-1)^2 + 0.5^2} = 1.50 \text{ m}$$

**Ans.**

$$r_{CD} = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + (-1)^2} = 1.73 \text{ m}$$

**Ans.**

2-66. If  $\mathbf{F} = 350\mathbf{i} - 250\mathbf{j} - 450\mathbf{k}$  N and cable  $AB$  is 9 m long, determine the  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $z$  coordinates of point  $A$ .



## SOLUTION

**Position Vector:** The position vector  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$ , directed from point  $A$  to point  $B$ , is given by

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{r}_{AB} &= [0 - (-x)]\mathbf{i} + (0 - y)\mathbf{j} + (0 - z)\mathbf{k} \\ &= x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j} - z\mathbf{k}\end{aligned}$$

**Unit Vector:** Knowing the magnitude of  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$  is 9 m, the unit vector for  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j} - z\mathbf{k}}{9}$$

The unit vector for force  $\mathbf{F}$  is

$$\mathbf{u}_F = \frac{\mathbf{F}}{F} = \frac{350\mathbf{i} - 250\mathbf{j} - 450\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{350^2 + (-250)^2 + (-450)^2}} = 0.5623\mathbf{i} - 0.4016\mathbf{j} - 0.7229\mathbf{k}$$

Since force  $\mathbf{F}$  is also directed from point  $A$  to point  $B$ , then

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \mathbf{u}_F$$

$$\frac{x\mathbf{i} - y\mathbf{j} - z\mathbf{k}}{9} = 0.5623\mathbf{i} - 0.4016\mathbf{j} - 0.7229\mathbf{k}$$

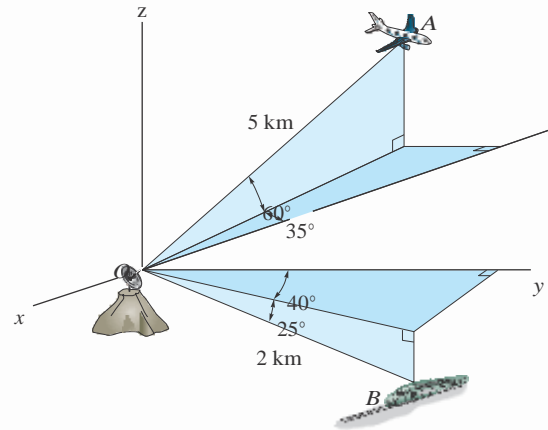
Equating the  $\mathbf{i}$ ,  $\mathbf{j}$ , and  $\mathbf{k}$  components,

$$\frac{x}{9} = 0.5623 \qquad x = 5.06 \text{ m} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\frac{-y}{9} = -0.4016 \qquad y = 3.61 \text{ m} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\frac{-z}{9} = 0.7229 \qquad z = 6.51 \text{ m} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

2-67. At a given instant, the position of a plane at  $A$  and a train at  $B$  are measured relative to a radar antenna at  $O$ . Determine the distance  $d$  between  $A$  and  $B$  at this instant. To solve the problem, formulate a position vector, directed from  $A$  to  $B$ , and then determine its magnitude.



### SOLUTION

**Position Vector:** The coordinates of points  $A$  and  $B$  are

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= (-5 \cos 60^\circ \cos 35^\circ, -5 \cos 60^\circ \sin 35^\circ, 5 \sin 60^\circ) \text{ km} \\
 &= A(-2.045, -1.434, 4.330) \text{ km} \\
 B &= (2 \cos 25^\circ \sin 40^\circ, 2 \cos 25^\circ \cos 40^\circ, -2 \sin 25^\circ) \text{ km} \\
 &= B(1.165, 1.359, -0.845) \text{ km}
 \end{aligned}$$

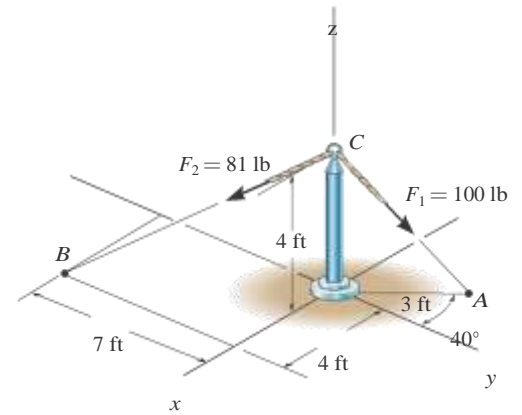
The position vector  $r_{AB}$  can be established from the coordinates of points  $A$  and  $B$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 r_{AB} &= [(1.165 - (-2.045))\mathbf{i} + (1.359 - (-1.434))\mathbf{j} + (-0.845 - 4.330)\mathbf{k}] \text{ km} \\
 &= [3.213\mathbf{i} + 2.822\mathbf{j} - 5.175\mathbf{k}] \text{ km}
 \end{aligned}$$

The distance between points  $A$  and  $B$  is

$$d = r_{AB} = \sqrt{3.213^2 + 2.822^2 + (-5.175)^2} = 6.71 \text{ km} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

22-68. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = -100\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \sin 40^\circ \mathbf{i} + 100\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) \cos 40^\circ \mathbf{j} - 100\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) \mathbf{k}$$

$$= \{-38.567 \mathbf{i} + 45.963 \mathbf{j} - 80 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = 81 \text{ lb} \left( \frac{4}{9} \mathbf{i} - \frac{7}{9} \mathbf{j} - \frac{4}{9} \mathbf{k} \right)$$

$$= \{36 \mathbf{i} - 63 \mathbf{j} - 36 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2 = \{-2.567 \mathbf{i} - 17.04 \mathbf{j} - 116.0 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

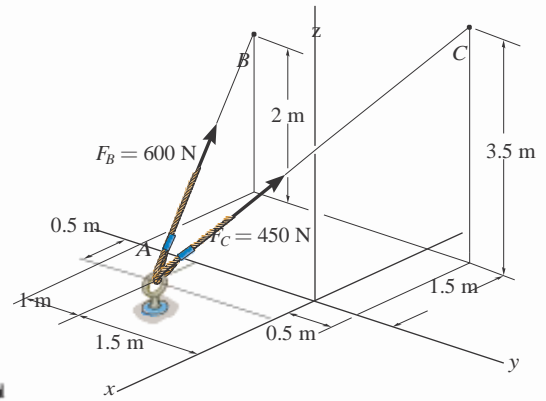
$$F_R = \sqrt{(-2.567)^2 + (-17.04)^2 + (-116.0)^2} = 117.27 \text{ lb} = 117 \text{ lb} \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-2.567}{117.27} \right) = 91.3^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-17.04}{117.27} \right) = 98.4^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-116.0}{117.27} \right) = 172^\circ \quad \text{Ans}$$

2-69. Express  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  in Cartesian vector form.



### SOLUTION

**Force Vectors:** The unit vectors  $u_B$  and  $u_C$  of  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  must be determined first. From Fig. a

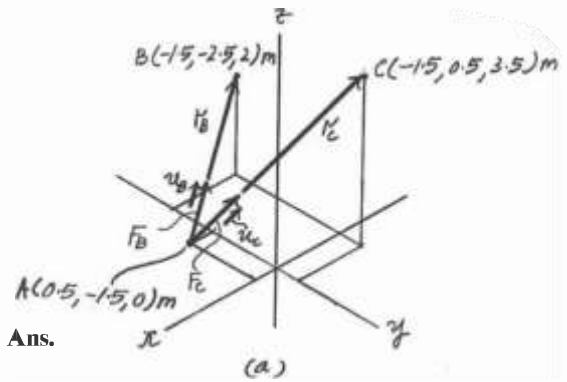
$$\begin{aligned} u_B &= \frac{r_B}{r_B} = \frac{(-1.5 - 0.5)\mathbf{i} + [-2.5 - (-1.5)]\mathbf{j} + (2 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-1.5 - 0.5)^2 + [-2.5 - (-1.5)]^2 + (2 - 0)^2}} \\ &= -\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_C &= \frac{r_C}{r_C} = \frac{(-1.5 - 0.5)\mathbf{i} + [0.5 - (-1.5)]\mathbf{j} + (3.5 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-1.5 - 0.5)^2 + [0.5 - (-1.5)]^2 + (3.5 - 0)^2}} \\ &= -\frac{4}{9}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{9}\mathbf{j} + \frac{7}{9}\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the force vectors  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  are given by

$$F_B = F_B u_B = 600 \left( -\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k} \right) = \{-400\mathbf{i} - 200\mathbf{j} + 400\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

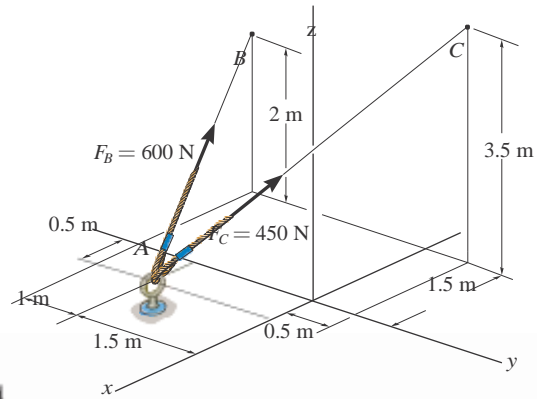
$$F_C = F_C u_C = 450 \left( -\frac{4}{9}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{9}\mathbf{j} + \frac{7}{9}\mathbf{k} \right) = \{-200\mathbf{i} + 200\mathbf{j} + 350\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$



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2-70. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting at A.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** The unit vectors  $u_B$  and  $u_C$  of  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  must be determined first. From Fig. a

$$u_B = \frac{r_B}{r_B} = \frac{(-1.5 - 0.5)\mathbf{i} + [-2.5 - (-1.5)]\mathbf{j} + (2 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-1.5 - 0.5)^2 + [-2.5 - (-1.5)]^2 + (2 - 0)^2}}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k}$$

$$u_C = \frac{r_C}{r_C} = \frac{(-1.5 - 0.5)\mathbf{i} + [0.5 - (-1.5)]\mathbf{j} + (3.5 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-1.5 - 0.5)^2 + [0.5 - (-1.5)]^2 + (3.5 - 0)^2}}$$

$$= -\frac{4}{9}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{9}\mathbf{j} + \frac{7}{9}\mathbf{k}$$

Thus, the force vectors  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  are given by

$$F_B = F_B u_B = 600 \left( -\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k} \right) = \{-400\mathbf{i} - 200\mathbf{j} + 400\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_C = F_C u_C = 450 \left( -\frac{4}{9}\mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{9}\mathbf{j} + \frac{7}{9}\mathbf{k} \right) = \{-200\mathbf{i} + 200\mathbf{j} + 350\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:**

$$F_R = F_B + F_C = (-400\mathbf{i} - 200\mathbf{j} + 400\mathbf{k}) + (-200\mathbf{i} + 200\mathbf{j} + 350\mathbf{k})$$

$$= \{-600\mathbf{i} + 750\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

The magnitude of  $F_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-600)^2 + 0^2 + 750^2} = 960.47 \text{ N} = 960 \text{ N}$$

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_R$  are

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-600}{960.47} \right) = 129^\circ$$

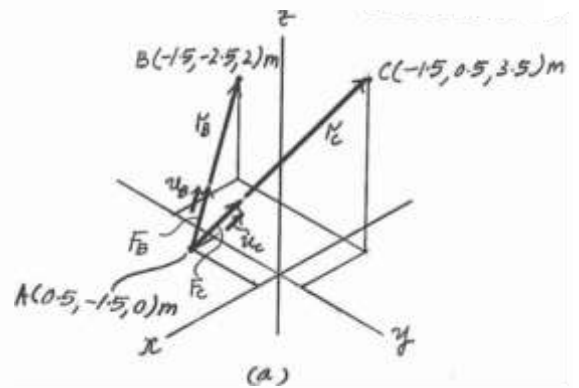
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$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{0}{960.47} \right) = 90^\circ$$

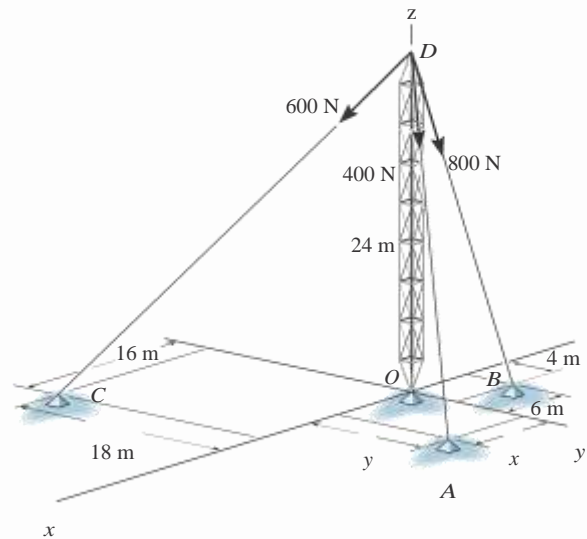
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$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{750}{960.47} \right) = 38.7^\circ$$

Ans.



2-71. The tower is held in place by three cables. If the force of each cable acting on the tower is shown, determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  of the resultant force. Take  $x = 20$  m,  $y = 15$  m.



SOLUTION

$$\mathbf{F}_{DA} = 400 \mathbf{a} \frac{20}{34.66} \mathbf{i} + \frac{15}{34.66} \mathbf{j} - \frac{24}{34.66} \mathbf{k} \text{ N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{DB} = 800 \mathbf{a} \frac{-6}{25.06} \mathbf{i} + \frac{4}{25.06} \mathbf{j} - \frac{24}{25.06} \mathbf{k} \text{ N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_{DC} = 600 \mathbf{a} \frac{16}{34} \mathbf{i} - \frac{18}{34} \mathbf{j} - \frac{24}{34} \mathbf{k} \text{ N}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_{DA} + \mathbf{F}_{DB} + \mathbf{F}_{DC}$$

$$= \{321.66\mathbf{i} - 16.82\mathbf{j} - 1466.71\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$F_R = \sqrt{(321.66)^2 + (-16.82)^2 + (-1466.71)^2}$$

$$= 1501.66 \text{ N} = 1.50 \text{ kN}$$

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \frac{321.66}{1501.66} = 77.6^\circ$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \frac{-16.82}{1501.66} = 90.6^\circ$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \frac{-1466.71}{1501.66} = 168^\circ$$

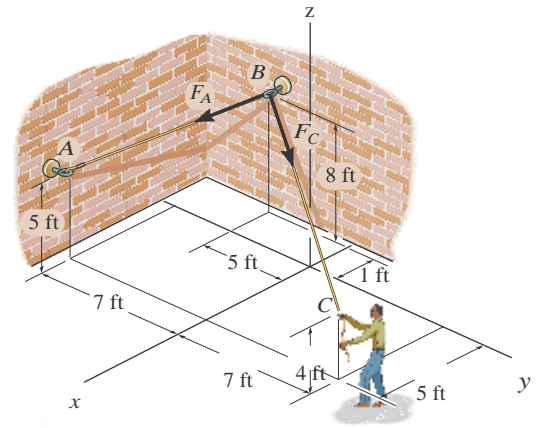
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22-72. The man pulls on the rope at  $C$  with a force of 70 lb which causes the forces  $\mathbf{F}_A$  and  $\mathbf{F}_C$  at  $B$  to have this same magnitude. Express each of these two forces as Cartesian vectors.



**SOLUTION**

**Unit Vectors:** The coordinate points  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$  are shown in Fig.  $a$ . Thus,

$$\mathbf{u}_A = \frac{\mathbf{r}_A}{r_A} = \frac{[5 - (-1)]\mathbf{i} + [-7 - (-5)]\mathbf{j} + (5 - 8)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{[5 - (-1)]^2 + [-7 - (-5)]^2 + (5 - 8)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_C = \frac{\mathbf{r}_C}{r_C} = \frac{[5 - (-1)]\mathbf{i} + [-7 - (-5)]\mathbf{j} + (4 - 8)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{[5 - (-1)]^2 + [-7 - (-5)]^2 + (4 - 8)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

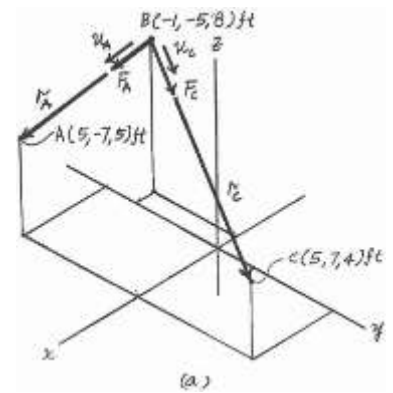
**Force Vectors:** Multiplying the magnitude of the force with its unit vector,

$$\mathbf{F}_A = F_A \mathbf{u}_A = 70 \left( \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k} \right)$$

$$= \{60\mathbf{i} + 20\mathbf{j} + 30\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

$$\mathbf{F}_C = F_C \mathbf{u}_C = 70 \left( \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{k} \right)$$

$$= \{30\mathbf{i} + 60\mathbf{j} + 20\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

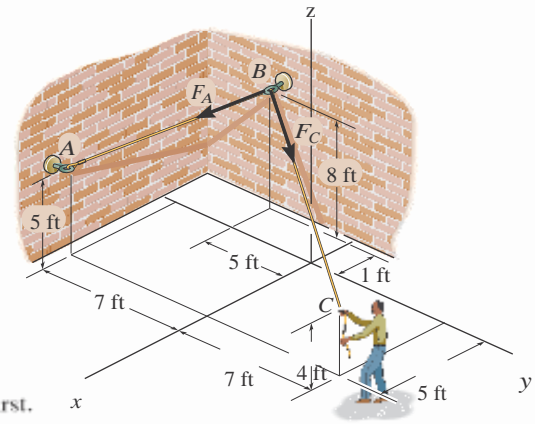


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2-73. The man pulls on the rope at  $C$  with a force of 70 lb which causes the forces  $F_A$  and  $F_C$  at  $B$  to have this same magnitude. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting at  $B$ .



### SOLUTION

**Force Vectors:** The unit vectors  $u_B$  and  $u_C$  of  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  must be determined first. From Fig. a

$$u_A = \frac{r_A}{r_A} = \frac{[5 - (-1)]i + [-7(-5)]j + (5 - 8)k}{\sqrt{[5 - (-1)]^2 + [-7(-5)]^2 + (5 - 8)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{6}{7}i + \frac{2}{7}j + \frac{3}{7}k$$

$$u_C = \frac{r_C}{r_C} = \frac{[5 - (-1)]i + [-7(-5)]j + (4 - 8)k}{\sqrt{[5 - (-1)]^2 + [-7(-5)]^2 + (4 - 8)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{7}i + \frac{6}{7}j + \frac{2}{7}k$$

Thus, the force vectors  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  are given by

$$F_A = F_A u_A = 70 \left( \frac{6}{7}i - \frac{2}{7}j + \frac{3}{7}k \right) = \{60i - 20j + 30k\} \text{ lb}$$

$$F_C = F_C u_C = 70 \left( \frac{3}{7}i + \frac{6}{7}j + \frac{2}{7}k \right) = \{30i + 60j + 20k\} \text{ lb}$$

**Resultant Force:**

$$F_R = F_A + F_C = (60i - 20j + 30k) + (30i + 60j + 20k)$$

$$= \{90i + 40j - 50k\} \text{ lb}$$

The magnitude of  $F_R$  is

$$F_R = \sqrt{(F_R)_x^2 + (F_R)_y^2 + (F_R)_z^2}$$

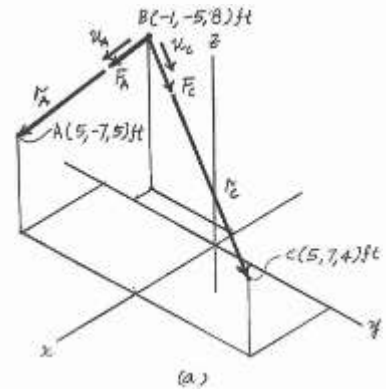
$$= \sqrt{(90)^2 + (40)^2 + (-50)^2} = 110.45 \text{ lb} = 110 \text{ lb}$$

The coordinate direction angles of  $F_R$  are

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_x}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{90}{110.45} \right) = 35.4^\circ$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_y}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{40}{110.45} \right) = 68.8^\circ$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{(F_R)_z}{F_R} \right] = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{-50}{110.45} \right) = 117^\circ$$



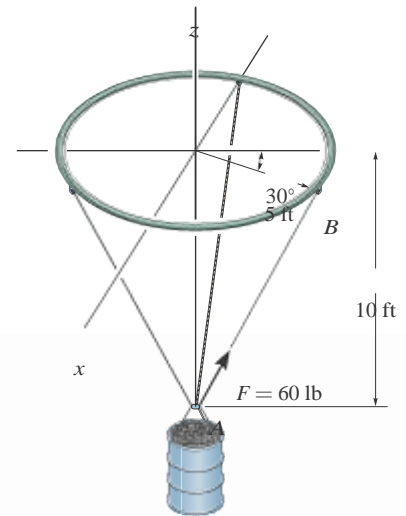
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2-74. The load at  $A$  creates a force of 60 lb in wire  $AB$ . Express this force as a Cartesian vector acting on  $A$  and directed toward  $B$  as shown.



### SOLUTION

**Unit Vector:** First determine the position vector  $\mathbf{r}_{AB}$ . The coordinates of point  $B$  are

$$B (5 \sin 30^\circ, 5 \cos 30^\circ, 0) \text{ ft} = B (2.50, 4.330, 0) \text{ ft}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= \{(2.50 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (4.330 - 0)\mathbf{j} + [0 - (-10)]\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft} \\ &= \{2.50\mathbf{i} + 4.330\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{AB} = \sqrt{2.50^2 + 4.330^2 + 10.0^2} = 11.180 \text{ ft}$$

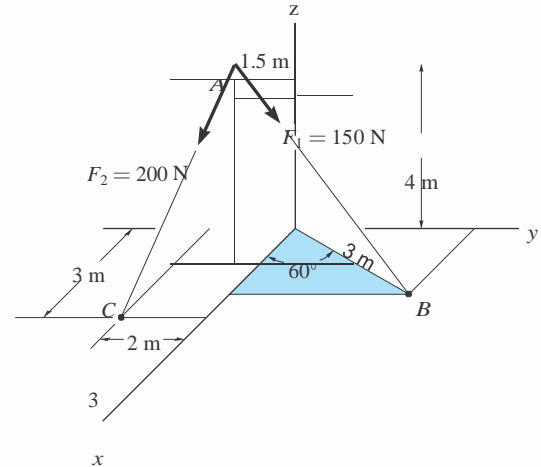
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_{AB} &= \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{2.50\mathbf{i} + 4.330\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}}{11.180} \\ &= 0.2236\mathbf{i} + 0.3873\mathbf{j} + 0.8944\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

**Force Vector:**

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F} &= F\mathbf{u}_{AB} = 60 \{0.2236\mathbf{i} + 0.3873\mathbf{j} + 0.8944\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb} \\ &= \{13.4\mathbf{i} + 23.2\mathbf{j} + 53.7\mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

2-75. Determine the magnitude and coordinate direction angles of the resultant force acting at point A.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = \{3\mathbf{i} - 0.5\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$$

$$|\mathbf{r}_{AC}| = \sqrt{3^2 + (-0.5)^2 + (-4)^2} = \sqrt{25.25} = 5.02494$$

$$\mathbf{F}_2 = 200 \frac{3\mathbf{i} - 0.5\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}}{5.02494} = (119.4044\mathbf{i} - 19.9007\mathbf{j} - 159.2059\mathbf{k})$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = (3 \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{i} + (1.5 + 3 \sin 60^\circ) \mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k})$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = (1.5\mathbf{i} + 4.0981\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k})$$

$$|\mathbf{r}_{AB}| = \sqrt{(1.5)^2 + (4.0981)^2 + (-4)^2} = 5.9198$$

$$\mathbf{F}_1 = 150 \frac{1.5\mathbf{i} + 4.0981\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}}{5.9198} = (38.0079\mathbf{i} + 103.8396\mathbf{j} - 101.3545\mathbf{k})$$

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2 = (157.4124\mathbf{i} + 83.9389\mathbf{j} - 260.5607\mathbf{k})$$

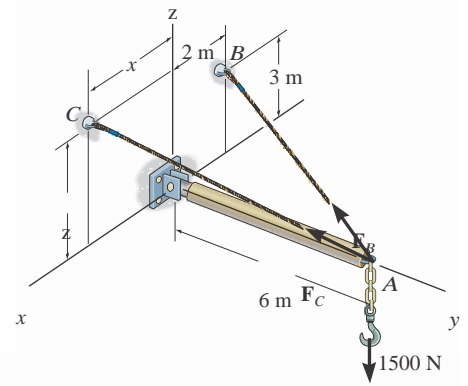
$$F_R = \sqrt{(157.4124)^2 + (83.9389)^2 + (-260.5604)^2} = 315.7786 = 316 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1} \frac{157.4124}{315.7786} = 60.100^\circ = 60.1^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\beta = \cos^{-1} \frac{83.9389}{315.7786} = 74.585^\circ = 74.6^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$\gamma = \cos^{-1} \frac{-260.5607}{315.7786} = 145.60^\circ = 146^\circ \quad \text{Ans.}$$

22-76. Two cables are used to secure the overhang boom in position and support the 1500-N load. If the resultant force is directed along the boom from point A towards O, determine the magnitudes of the resultant force and forces  $F_B$  and  $F_C$ . Set  $x = 3$  m and  $z = 2$  m.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** The unit vectors  $u_B$  and  $u_C$  must be determined first. From Fig. a,

$$u_B = \frac{r_B}{r_B} = \frac{(-2-0)i + (0-6)j + (3-0)k}{\sqrt{(-2-0)^2 + (0-6)^2 + (3-0)^2}} = -\frac{2}{7}i - \frac{6}{7}j + \frac{3}{7}k$$

$$u_C = \frac{r_C}{r_C} = \frac{(3-0)i + (0-6)j + (2-0)k}{\sqrt{(3-0)^2 + (0-6)^2 + (2-0)^2}} = \frac{3}{7}i - \frac{6}{7}j + \frac{2}{7}k$$

Thus, the force vectors  $F_B$  and  $F_C$  are given by

$$F_B = F_B u_B = -\frac{2}{7}F_B i - \frac{6}{7}F_B j + \frac{3}{7}F_B k$$

$$F_C = F_C u_C = \frac{3}{7}F_C i - \frac{6}{7}F_C j + \frac{2}{7}F_C k$$

Since the resultant force  $F_R$  is directed along the negative y axis, and the load  $W$  is directed along the z axis, these two forces can be written as

$$F_R = -F_R j \quad \text{and} \quad W = [-1500k] \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:** The vector addition of  $F_B$ ,  $F_C$ , and  $W$  is equal to  $F_R$ . Thus,

$$F_R = F_B + F_C + W$$

$$-F_R j = \left(-\frac{2}{7}F_B i - \frac{6}{7}F_B j + \frac{3}{7}F_B k\right) + \left(\frac{3}{7}F_C i - \frac{6}{7}F_C j + \frac{2}{7}F_C k\right) + (-1500k)$$

$$-F_R j = \left(-\frac{2}{7}F_B + \frac{3}{7}F_C\right)i + \left(-\frac{6}{7}F_B - \frac{6}{7}F_C\right)j + \left(\frac{3}{7}F_B + \frac{2}{7}F_C - 1500\right)k$$

Equating the i, j, and k components,

$$0 = -\frac{2}{7}F_B + \frac{3}{7}F_C \quad (1)$$

$$-F_R = -\frac{6}{7}F_B - \frac{6}{7}F_C \quad (2)$$

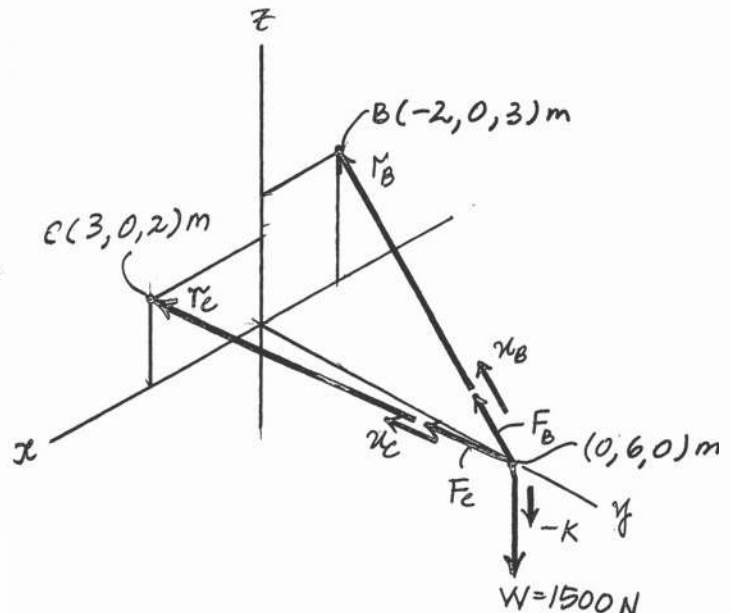
$$0 = \frac{3}{7}F_B + \frac{2}{7}F_C - 1500 \quad (3)$$

Solving Eqs. (1), (2), and (3) yields

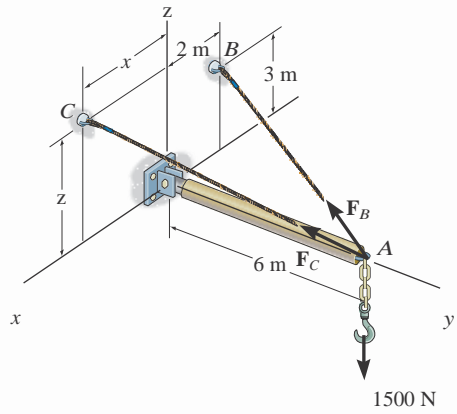
$$F_C = 1615.38 \text{ N} = 1.62 \text{ kN} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$F_B = 2423.08 \text{ N} = 2.42 \text{ kN} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

$$F_R = 3461.53 \text{ N} = 3.46 \text{ kN} \quad \text{Ans.}$$



2-77. Two cables are used to secure the overhang boom in position and support the 1500-N load. If the resultant force is directed along the boom from point A towards O, determine the values of  $x$  and  $z$  for the coordinates of point C and the magnitude of the resultant force. Set  $F_B = 1610$  N and  $F_C = 2400$  N.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vectors:** From Fig. a,

$$\mathbf{u}_B = \frac{\mathbf{r}_B}{r_B} = \frac{(-2-0)\mathbf{i} + (0-6)\mathbf{j} + (3-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-2-0)^2 + (0-6)^2 + (3-0)^2}} = -\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_C = \frac{\mathbf{r}_C}{r_C} = \frac{(x-0)\mathbf{i} + (0-6)\mathbf{j} + (z-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(x-0)^2 + (0-6)^2 + (z-0)^2}} = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{6}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{k}$$

Thus,

$$\mathbf{F}_B = F_B \mathbf{u}_B = 1610 \left( -\frac{2}{7}\mathbf{i} - \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{7}\mathbf{k} \right) = [-460\mathbf{i} - 1380\mathbf{j} + 690\mathbf{k}] \text{ N}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}_C &= F_C \mathbf{u}_C = 2400 \left( \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{6}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{k} \right) \\ &= \frac{2400x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{14400}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2400z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

Since the resultant force  $\mathbf{F}_R$  is directed along the negative y axis, and the load is directed along the z axis, these two forces can be written as

$$\mathbf{F}_R = -F_R \mathbf{j} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{W} = [-1500\mathbf{k}] \text{ N}$$

**Resultant Force:**

$$\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_B + \mathbf{F}_C + \mathbf{W}$$

$$-F_R \mathbf{j} = (-460\mathbf{i} - 1380\mathbf{j} + 690\mathbf{k}) + \left( \frac{2400x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{i} - \frac{14400}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2400z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}}\mathbf{k} \right) + (-1500\mathbf{k})$$

$$-F_R \mathbf{j} = \left( \frac{2400x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} - 460 \right) \mathbf{i} - \left( \frac{14400}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} + 1380 \right) \mathbf{j} + \left( 690 + \frac{2400z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} - 1500 \right) \mathbf{k}$$

Equating the i, j, and k components,

$$0 = \frac{2400x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} - 460 \qquad \frac{2400x}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} = 460 \qquad (1)$$

$$-F_R = - \left( \frac{14400}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} + 1380 \right) \qquad F_R = \frac{14400}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} + 1380 \qquad (2)$$

$$0 = 690 + \frac{2400z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} - 1500 \qquad \frac{2400z}{\sqrt{x^2 + z^2 + 36}} = 810 \qquad (3)$$

Dividing Eq. (1) by Eq. (3), yields

$$x = 0.5679z \qquad (4)$$

Substituting Eq. (4) into Eq. (1), and solving

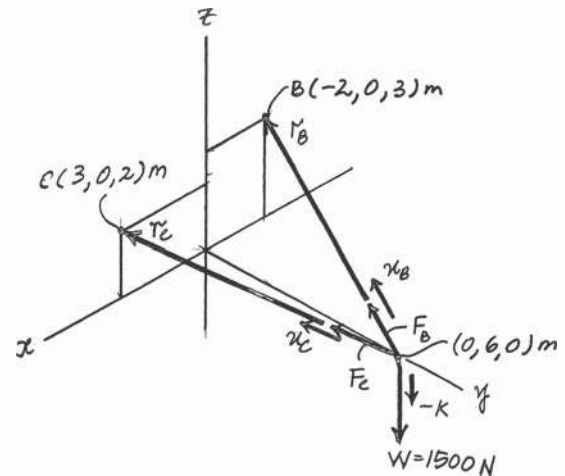
$$z = 2.197 \text{ m} = 2.20 \text{ m} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

Substituting  $z = 2.197$  m into Eq. (4), yields

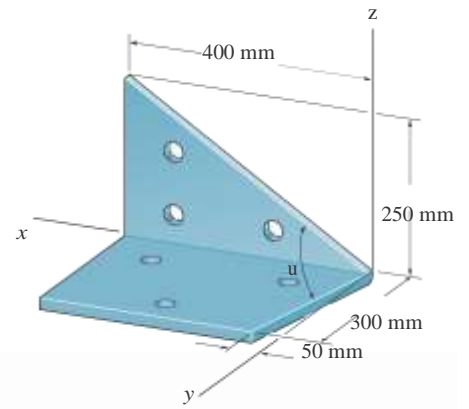
$$x = 1.248 \text{ m} = 1.25 \text{ m} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

Substituting  $x = 1.248$  m and  $z = 2.197$  m into Eq. (2), yields

$$F_R = 3591.85 \text{ N} = 3.59 \text{ kN} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$



2-78. Given the three vectors  $\mathbf{A}$ ,  $\mathbf{B}$ , and  $\mathbf{D}$ , show that  $\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) = (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) + (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D})$ .



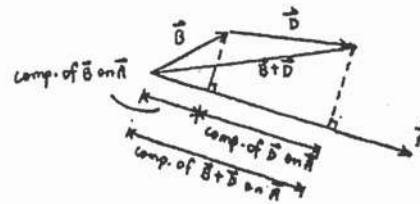
### SOLUTION

Since the component of  $(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D})$  is equal to the sum of the components of  $\mathbf{B}$  and  $\mathbf{D}$ , then

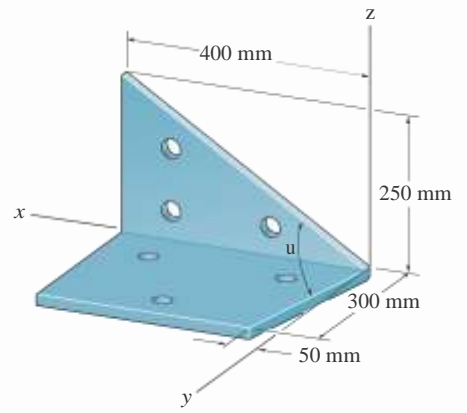
$$\mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) = \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D} \quad (\text{QED})$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A} \cdot (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{D}) &= (A_x \mathbf{i} + A_y \mathbf{j} + A_z \mathbf{k}) \cdot [(B_x + D_x) \mathbf{i} + (B_y + D_y) \mathbf{j} + (B_z + D_z) \mathbf{k}] \\ &= A_x(B_x + D_x) + A_y(B_y + D_y) + A_z(B_z + D_z) \\ &= (A_x B_x + A_y B_y + A_z B_z) + (A_x D_x + A_y D_y + A_z D_z) \\ &= (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}) + (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{D}) \quad (\text{QED}) \end{aligned}$$



2-79. Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the edges of the sheet-metal bracket.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r}_1 = \{400\mathbf{i} + 250\mathbf{k}\} \text{ mm}; \quad r_1 = 471.70 \text{ mm}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_2 = \{50\mathbf{i} + 300\mathbf{j}\} \text{ mm}; \quad r_2 = 304.14 \text{ mm}$$

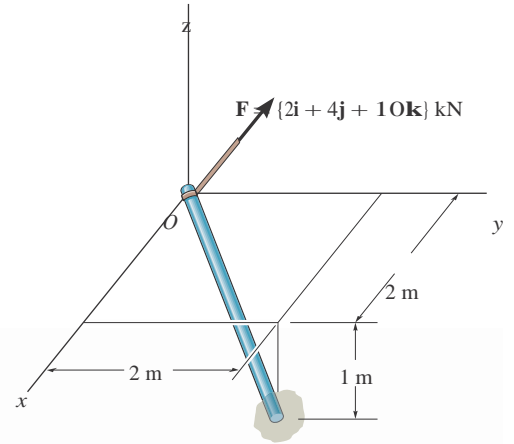
$$\mathbf{r}_1 \cdot \mathbf{r}_2 = (400)(50) + 0(300) + 250(0) = 20\,000$$

$$u = \cos^{-1} \frac{\mathbf{r}_1 \cdot \mathbf{r}_2}{r_1 r_2} \leq$$

$$= \cos^{-1} \frac{20\,000}{(471.70)(304.14)} \leq = 82.0^\circ$$

**Ans.**

\*2-80. Determine the projection of the force  $\mathbf{F}$  along the pole.



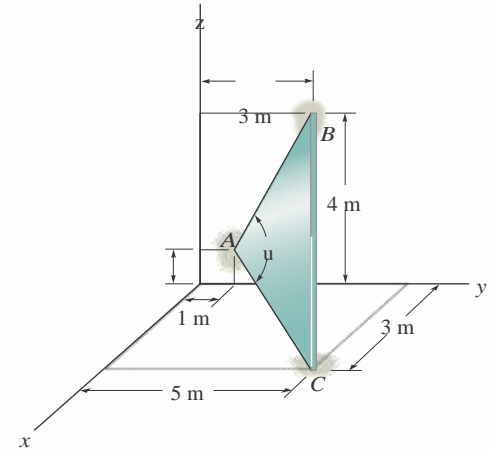
**SOLUTION**

$$\text{Proj } \mathbf{F} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_a = 12\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k} \cdot \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{k}$$

$$\text{Proj } \mathbf{F} = 0.667 \text{ kN}$$



2-81. Determine the length of side  $BC$  of the triangular plate. Solve the problem by finding the magnitude of  $r_{BC}$ ; then check the result by first finding  $\theta$ ,  $r_{AB}$ , and  $r_{AC}$  and then using the cosine law.



**SOLUTION**

$$r_{BC} = \{3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$$

$$r_{BC} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (2)^2 + (-4)^2} = 5.39 \text{ m} \quad \text{Ans}$$

Also,

$$r_{AC} = \{3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 1\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$$

$$r_{AC} = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (4)^2 + (-1)^2} = 5.0990 \text{ m}$$

$$r_{AB} = \{2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}$$

$$r_{AB} = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (3)^2} = 3.6056 \text{ m}$$

$$r_{AC} \cdot r_{AB} = 0 + 4(2) + (-1)(3) = 5$$

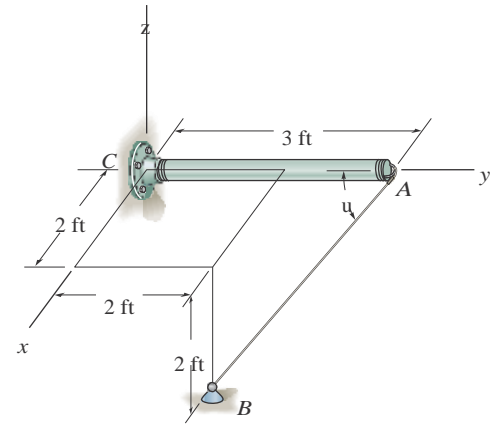
$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{r_{AC} \cdot r_{AB}}{r_{AC} r_{AB}} \right) = \cos^{-1} \frac{5}{(5.0990)(3.6056)}$$

$$\theta = 74.219^\circ$$

$$r_{BC} = \sqrt{(5.0990)^2 + (3.6056)^2 - 2(5.0990)(3.6056) \cos 74.219^\circ}$$

$$r_{BC} = 5.39 \text{ m} \quad \text{Ans}$$

2-82. Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the  $y$  axis of the pole and the wire  $AB$ .



### SOLUTION

**Position Vector:**

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = 5 - 3\mathbf{j} \text{ ft}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= 5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k} - 3\mathbf{j} + 1 - 2 - 2\mathbf{k} \text{ ft} \\ &= 5\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k} \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

The magnitudes of the position vectors are

$$r_{AC} = 3.00 \text{ ft} \quad r_{AB} = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 2^2} = 3.00 \text{ ft}$$

**The Angles Between Two Vectors U:** The dot product of two vectors must be determined first.

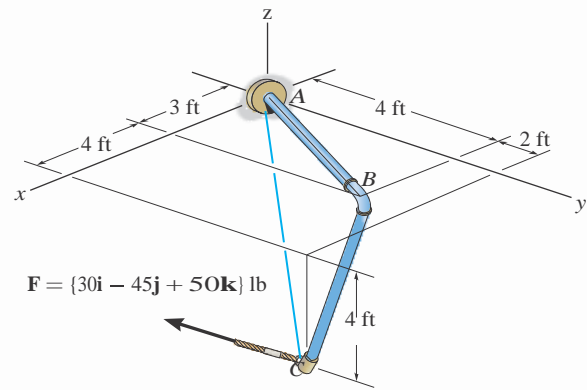
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= (5 - 3\mathbf{j}) \cdot (5\mathbf{i} - 1\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) \\ &= 0(25) + (-3)(-1) + 0(-2) \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$u = \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AC} r_{AB}} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{3}{3.00 \cdot 3.00} \right] = 70.5^\circ$$

**Ans.**

2-83. Determine the magnitudes of the components of  $\mathbf{F}$  acting along and perpendicular to segment  $BC$  of the pipe assembly.



**SOLUTION**

**Unit Vector:** The unit vector  $u_{CB}$  must be determined first. From Fig. a

$$u_{CB} = \frac{r_{CB}}{r_{CB}} = \frac{(3 - 7)\mathbf{i} + (4 - 6)\mathbf{j} + [0 - (-4)]\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(3 - 7)^2 + (4 - 6)^2 + [0 - (-4)]^2}} = -\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k}$$

**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  parallel to segment  $BC$  of the pipe assembly is

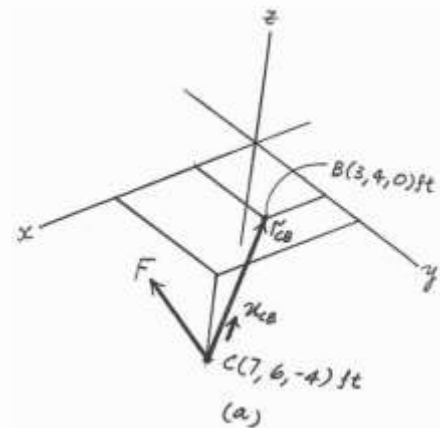
$$\begin{aligned} (F_{BC})_{pa} &= \mathbf{F} \cdot u_{CB} = (30\mathbf{i} - 45\mathbf{j} + 50\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(-\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{k}\right) \\ &= (30)\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) + (-45)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + 50\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \\ &= 28.33 \text{ lb} = 28.3 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

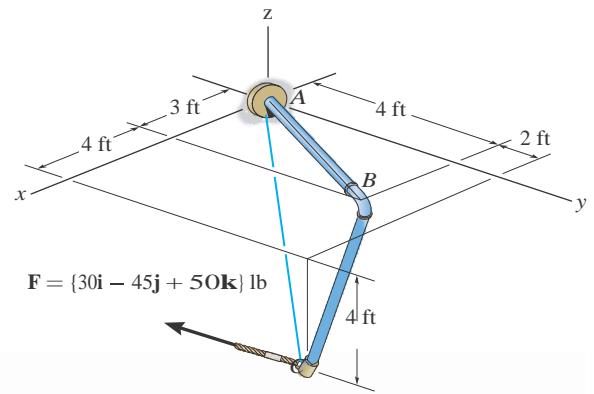
The magnitude of  $\mathbf{F}$  is  $F = \sqrt{30^2 + (-45)^2 + 50^2} = \sqrt{5425}$  lb. Thus, the magnitude of the component of  $\mathbf{F}$  perpendicular to segment  $BC$  of the pipe assembly can be determined from

$$(F_{BC})_{pr} = \sqrt{F^2 - (F_{BC})_{pa}^2} = \sqrt{5425 - 28.33^2} = 68.0 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.



\*2-84. Determine the magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along  $AC$ . Express this component as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

**Unit Vector:** The unit vector  $\mathbf{u}_{AC}$  must be determined first. From Fig. a

$$\mathbf{u}_{AC} = \frac{(7 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (6 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (-4 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(7 - 0)^2 + (6 - 0)^2 + (-4 - 0)^2}} = 0.6965\mathbf{i} + 0.5970\mathbf{j} - 0.3980\mathbf{k}$$

**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along line  $AC$  is

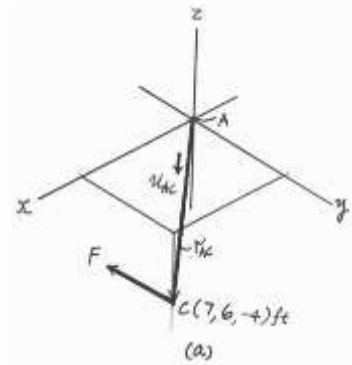
$$\begin{aligned} F_{AC} &= \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AC} = (30\mathbf{i} - 45\mathbf{j} + 50\mathbf{k}) \cdot (0.6965\mathbf{i} + 0.5970\mathbf{j} - 0.3980\mathbf{k}) \\ &= (30)(0.6965) + (-45)(0.5970) + 50(-0.3980) \\ &= 25.87 \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $F_{AC}$  expressed in Cartesian vector form is

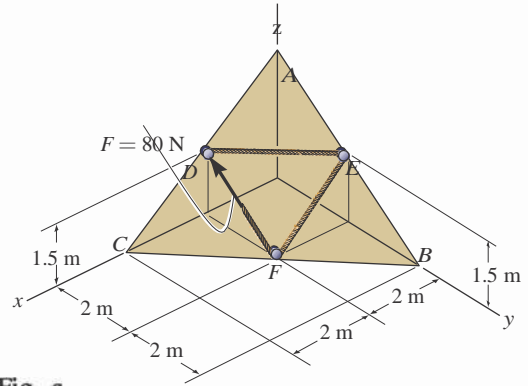
$$\begin{aligned} F_{AC} &= F_{AC} \mathbf{u}_{AC} = 25.87(0.6965\mathbf{i} + 0.5970\mathbf{j} - 0.3980\mathbf{k}) \\ &= [18.0\mathbf{i} + 15.4\mathbf{j} - 10.3\mathbf{k}] \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.

Ans.



2-85. Determine the projection of force  $F = 80\text{ N}$  along line  $BC$ . Express the result as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

**Unit Vectors:** The unit vectors  $\mathbf{u}_{FD}$  and  $\mathbf{u}_{FC}$  must be determined first. From Fig. *a*,

$$\mathbf{u}_{FD} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{FD}}{r_{FD}} = \frac{(2-2)\mathbf{i} + (0-2)\mathbf{j} + (1.5-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(2-2)^2 + (0-2)^2 + (1.5-0)^2}} = -\frac{4}{5}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{FC} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{FC}}{r_{FC}} = \frac{(4-2)\mathbf{i} + (0-2)\mathbf{j} + (0-0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(4-2)^2 + (0-2)^2 + (0-0)^2}} = 0.7071\mathbf{i} - 0.7071\mathbf{j}$$

Thus, the force vector  $\mathbf{F}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{F} = F\mathbf{u}_{FD} = 80\left(-\frac{4}{5}\mathbf{j} + \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{k}\right) = [-64\mathbf{j} + 48\mathbf{k}]\text{ N}$$

**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along line  $BC$  is

$$F_{BC} = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{FC} = (-64\mathbf{j} + 48\mathbf{k}) \cdot (0.7071\mathbf{i} - 0.7071\mathbf{j})$$

$$= (0)(0.7071) + (-64)(-0.7071) + 48(0)$$

$$= 45.25 = 45.2\text{ N}$$

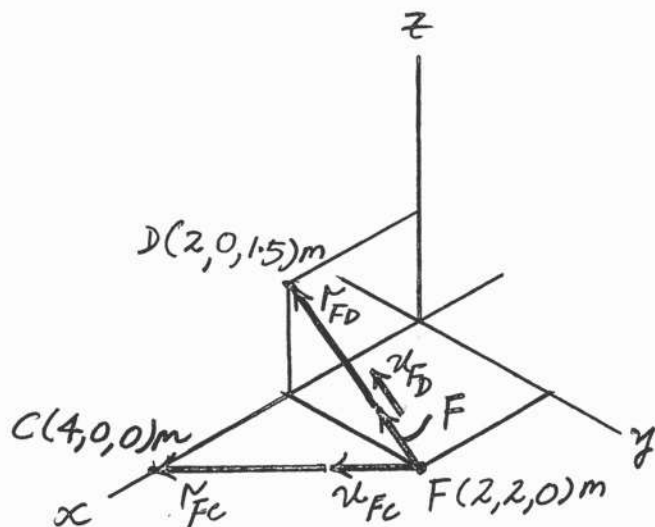
**Ans.**

The component of  $F_{BC}$  can be expressed in Cartesian vector form as

$$\mathbf{F}_{BC} = F_{BC}(\mathbf{u}_{FC}) = 45.25(0.7071\mathbf{i} - 0.7071\mathbf{j})$$

$$= \{32\mathbf{i} - 32\mathbf{j}\}\text{ N}$$

**Ans.**



**2-86.** Determine the angles  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  made between the axes  $OA$  of the flag pole and  $AB$  and  $AC$ , respectively, of each cable.

**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = \{-2\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 1\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}; \quad r_{AC} = 4.58 \text{ m}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \{1.5\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}; \quad r_{AB} = 5.22 \text{ m}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AO} = \{-4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m}; \quad r_{AO} = 5.00 \text{ m}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO} = (1.5)(0) + (-4)(-4) + (3)(-3) = 7$$

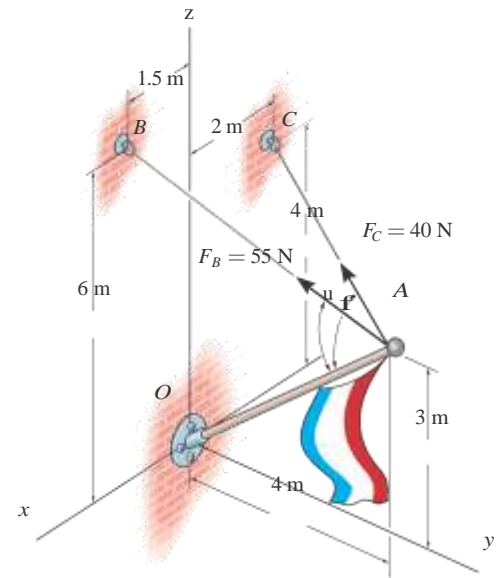
$$u = \cos^{-1} \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO}}{r_{AB} r_{AO}} \leq$$

$$= \cos^{-1} \frac{7}{5.22(5.00)} \leq = 74.4^\circ$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO} = (-2)(0) + (-4)(-4) + (1)(-3) = 13$$

$$\phi = \cos^{-1} \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AO}}{r_{AC} r_{AO}}$$

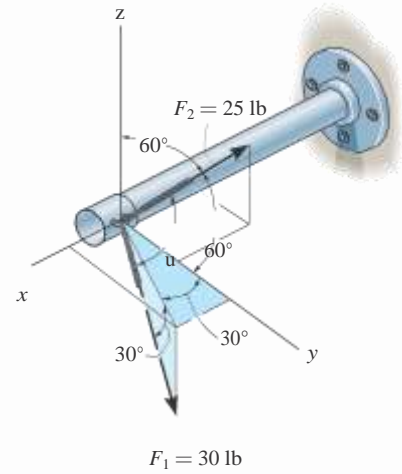
$$= \cos^{-1} \frac{13}{4.58(5.00)} = 55.4^\circ$$



**Ans.**

**Ans.**

2-87. Two cables exert forces on the pipe. Determine the magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  along the line of action of  $\mathbf{F}_2$ .



## SOLUTION

**Force Vector:**

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{u}_{F_1} &= \cos 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} - \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k} \\ &= 0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{F}_1 &= F_R \mathbf{u}_{F_1} = 30(0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}) \text{ lb} \\ &= [12.990\mathbf{i} + 22.5\mathbf{j} - 15.0\mathbf{k}] \text{ lb}\end{aligned}$$

**Unit Vector:** One can obtain the angle  $\alpha = 135^\circ$  for  $\mathbf{F}_2$  using Eq. 2-8,  $\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ , with  $\beta = 60^\circ$  and  $\gamma = 60^\circ$ . The unit vector along the line of action of  $\mathbf{F}_2$  is

$$\mathbf{u}_{F_2} = \cos 135^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{k} = -0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k}$$

**Projected Component of  $\mathbf{F}_1$  Along the Line of Action of  $\mathbf{F}_2$ :**

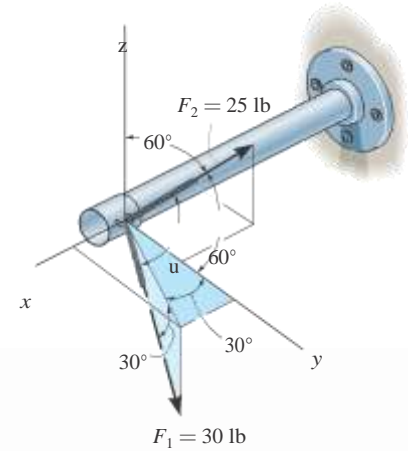
$$\begin{aligned}(F_1)_{F_2} &= \mathbf{F}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_{F_2} = (12.990\mathbf{i} + 22.5\mathbf{j} - 15.0\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k}) \\ &= (12.990)(-0.7071) + (22.5)(0.5) + (-15.0)(0.5) \\ &= -5.44 \text{ lb}\end{aligned}$$

Negative sign indicates that the projected component of  $(F_1)_{F_2}$  acts in the opposite sense of direction to that of  $\mathbf{u}_{F_2}$ .

The magnitude is  $(F_1)_{F_2} = 5.44 \text{ lb}$

**Ans.**

22-88. Determine the angle  $\theta$  between the two cables attached to the pipe.



**SOLUTION**

**Unit Vectors:**

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_{F_1} &= \cos 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} - \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{k} \\ &= 0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_{F_2} &= \cos 135^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{j} + \cos 60^\circ \mathbf{k} \\ &= -0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

**The Angles Between Two Vectors  $\theta$ :**

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_{F_1} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{F_2} &= (0.4330\mathbf{i} + 0.75\mathbf{j} - 0.5\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-0.7071\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.5\mathbf{k}) \\ &= 0.4330(-0.7071) + 0.75(0.5) + (-0.5)(0.5) \\ &= -0.1812 \end{aligned}$$

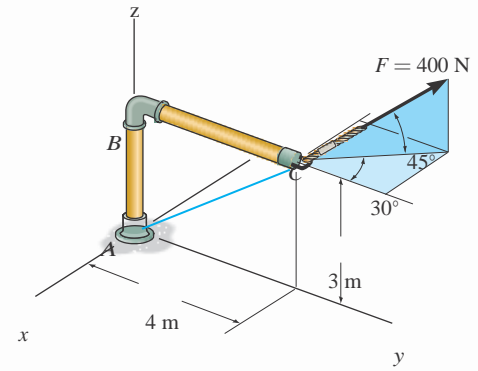
Then,

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \left( \mathbf{u}_{F_1} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{F_2} \right) = \cos^{-1}(-0.1812) = 100^\circ$$

**Ans.**



2-89. Determine the projection of force  $F = 400$  N acting along line  $AC$  of the pipe assembly. Express the result as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

**Force and unit vector:** The force vector  $F$  and unit vector  $u_{AC}$  must be determined first.

From Fig. (a)

$$F = 400(-\cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ i + \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ j + \sin 45^\circ k)$$

$$= \{-141.42i + 244.95j + 282.84k\}$$

$$u_{AC} = \frac{r_{AC}}{r_{AC}} = \frac{(0-0)i + (4-0)j + (3-0)k}{\sqrt{(0-0)^2 + (4-0)^2 + (3-0)^2}} = \frac{4}{5}j + \frac{3}{5}k$$

**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of  $F$  along line  $AC$  is

$$F_{AC} = F \cdot u_{AC} = (-141.42i + 244.95j + 282.84k) \cdot \left(\frac{4}{5}j + \frac{3}{5}k\right)$$

$$= (-141.42)(0) + 244.95\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) + 282.84\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)$$

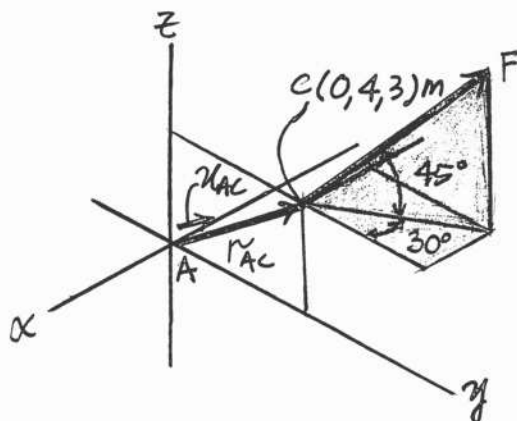
$$= 365.66 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.

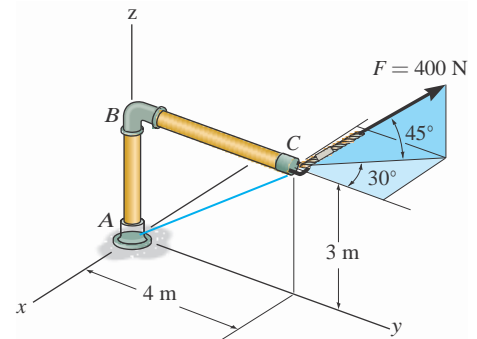
Thus,  $F_{AC}$  written in Cartesian vector form is

$$F_{AC} = F_{AC} u_{AC} = 365.66\left(\frac{4}{5}j + \frac{3}{5}k\right) = \{293j + 219k\} \text{ lb}$$

Ans.



2-90. Determine the magnitudes of the components of force  $F = 400$  N acting parallel and perpendicular to segment  $BC$  of the pipe assembly.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vector:** The force vector  $F$  must be determined first. From Fig.  $a$ ,

$$F = 400(-\cos 45^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 45^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{k})$$

$$= \{-141.42\mathbf{i} + 244.95\mathbf{j} + 282.84\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

**Vector Dot Product:** By inspecting Fig.  $(a)$  we notice that  $u_{BC} = \mathbf{j}$ . Thus, the magnitude of the component of  $F$  parallel to segment  $BC$  of the pipe assembly is

$$(F_{BC})_{\text{paral}} = F \cdot \mathbf{j} = (-141.42\mathbf{i} + 244.95\mathbf{j} + 282.84\mathbf{k}) \cdot \mathbf{j}$$

$$= -141.42(0) + 244.95(1) + 282.84(0)$$

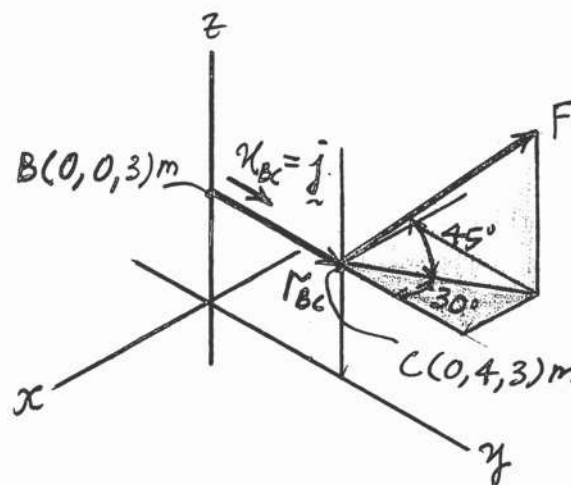
$$= 244.95 \text{ lb} = 245 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

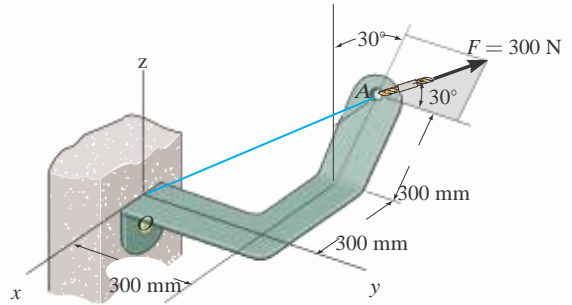
The magnitude of the component of  $F$  perpendicular to segment  $BC$  of the pipe assembly can be determined from

$$(F_{BC})_{\text{per}} = \sqrt{F^2 - (F_{BC})_{\text{paral}}^2} = \sqrt{400^2 - 244.95^2} = 316 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**



2-91. Determine the magnitudes of the projected components of the force  $F = 300$  N acting along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes.



**SOLUTION**

**Force Vector:** The force vector  $\mathbf{F}$  must be determined first. From Fig. *a*,

$$\mathbf{F} = -300 \sin 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + 300 \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} + 300 \sin 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{k}$$

$$= [-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}] \text{ N}$$

**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitudes of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along the  $x$  and  $y$  axes are

$$F_x = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{i} = [-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}] \cdot \mathbf{i}$$

$$= -75(1) + 259.81(0) + 129.90(0)$$

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

$$F_y = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{j} = [-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}] \cdot \mathbf{j}$$

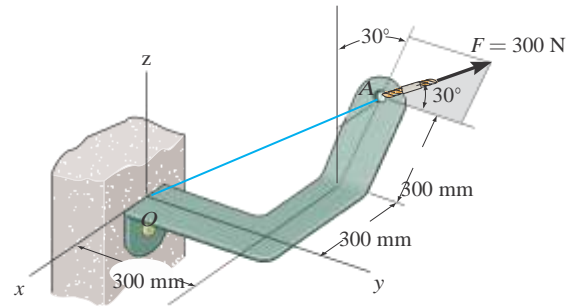
$$= -75(0) + 259.81(1) + 129.90(0)$$

$$= 260 \text{ N}$$

The negative sign indicates that  $F_x$  is directed towards the negative  $x$  axis. Thus

$$F_x = 75 \text{ N}, \quad F_y = 260 \text{ N} \qquad \text{Ans.}$$

22-92. Determine the magnitude of the projected component of the force  $F = 300$  N acting along line  $OA$ .



## SOLUTION

**Force and Unit Vector:** The force vector  $\mathbf{F}$  and unit vector  $\mathbf{u}_{OA}$  must be determined first. From Fig. a

$$\mathbf{F} = (-300 \sin 30^\circ \sin 30^\circ \mathbf{i} + 300 \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{j} + 300 \sin 30^\circ \cos 30^\circ \mathbf{k})$$

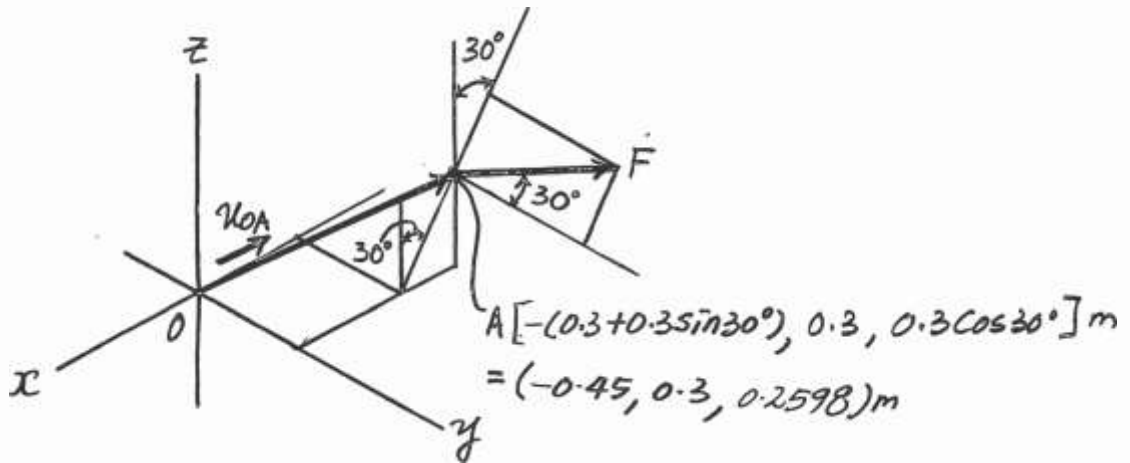
$$= \{-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}\} \text{ N}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{OA} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{OA}}{r_{OA}} = \frac{(-0.45 - 0)\mathbf{i} + (0.3 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (0.2598 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(-0.45 - 0)^2 + (0.3 - 0)^2 + (0.2598 - 0)^2}} = -0.75\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.4330\mathbf{k}$$

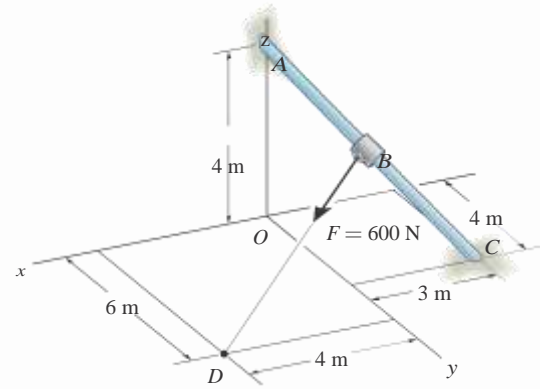
**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along line  $OA$  is

$$\begin{aligned} F_{OA} &= \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{OA} = \{-75\mathbf{i} + 259.81\mathbf{j} + 129.90\mathbf{k}\} \cdot \{-0.75\mathbf{i} + 0.5\mathbf{j} + 0.4330\mathbf{k}\} \\ &= (-75)(-0.75) + 259.81(0.5) + 129.90(0.4330) \\ &= 242 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

Ans.



2-93. Determine the components of  $F$  that act along rod  $AC$  and perpendicular to it. Point  $B$  is located at the midpoint of the rod.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = (-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}), \quad r_{AC} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 4^2 + (-4)^2} = 241 \text{ m}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AC}}{2} = \frac{-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}}{2} = -1.5\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AD} = \mathbf{r}_{AB} + \mathbf{r}_{BD}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{BD} &= \mathbf{r}_{AD} - \mathbf{r}_{AB} \\ &= (4\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}) - (-1.5\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}) \\ &= \{5.5\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}\} \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{BD} = \sqrt{(5.5)^2 + (4)^2 + (-2)^2} = 7.0887 \text{ m}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = 600 \frac{\mathbf{r}_{BD}}{r_{BD}} = 465.528\mathbf{i} + 338.5659\mathbf{j} - 169.2829\mathbf{k}$$

Component of  $F$  along  $\mathbf{r}_{AC}$  is  $F_{||}$

$$F_{||} = \frac{\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AC}}{r_{AC}} = \frac{(465.528\mathbf{i} + 338.5659\mathbf{j} - 169.2829\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k})}{241}$$

$$F_{||} = 99.1408 = 99.1 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

Component of  $F$  perpendicular to  $\mathbf{r}_{AC}$  is  $F_{\perp}$

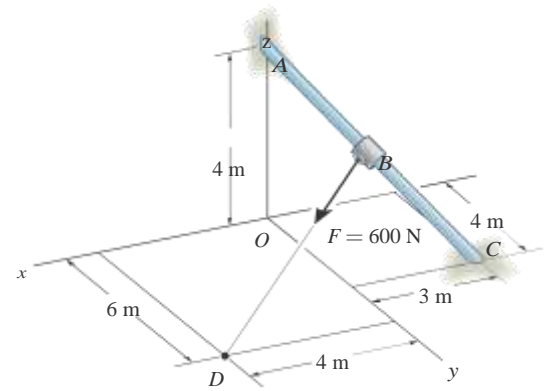
$$F_{\perp}^2 + F_{||}^2 = F^2 = 600^2$$

$$F_{\perp}^2 = 600^2 - 99.1408^2$$

$$F_{\perp} = 591.75 = 592 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

**2-94.** Determine the components of  $\mathbf{F}$  that act along rod  $AC$  and perpendicular to it. Point  $B$  is located 3 m along the rod from end  $C$ .



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r}_{CA} = 3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$$

$$r_{CA} = 6.403124$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{CB} = \frac{3}{6.403124} (\mathbf{r}_{CA}) = 1.40556\mathbf{i} - 1.874085\mathbf{j} + 1.874085\mathbf{k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{OB} &= \mathbf{r}_{OC} + \mathbf{r}_{CB} \\ &= -3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{r}_{CB} \\ &= -1.59444\mathbf{i} + 2.1259\mathbf{j} + 1.874085\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{OD} = \mathbf{r}_{OB} + \mathbf{r}_{BD}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{BD} &= \mathbf{r}_{OD} - \mathbf{r}_{OB} = (4\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j}) - \mathbf{r}_{OB} \\ &= 5.5944\mathbf{i} + 3.8741\mathbf{j} - 1.874085\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{BD} = \sqrt{(5.5944)^2 + (3.8741)^2 + (-1.874085)^2} = 7.0582$$

$$\mathbf{F} = 600 \left( \frac{\mathbf{r}_{BD}}{r_{BD}} \right) = 475.568\mathbf{i} + 329.326\mathbf{j} - 159.311\mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_{AC} = (-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}), \quad r_{AC} = 241$$

Component of  $\mathbf{F}$  along  $\mathbf{r}_{AC}$  is  $F_{||}$

$$F_{||} = \frac{\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{r}_{AC}}{r_{AC}} = \frac{(475.568\mathbf{i} + 329.326\mathbf{j} - 159.311\mathbf{k}) \cdot (-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k})}{241}$$

$$F_{||} = 82.4351 = 82.4 \text{ N} \quad \perp \quad \text{Ans.}$$

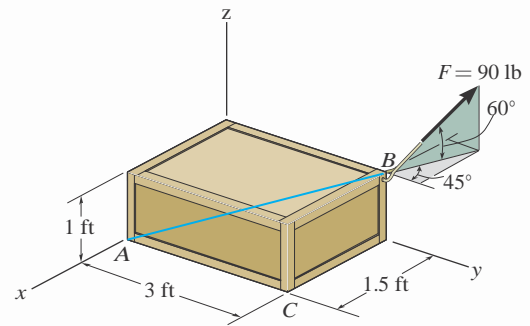
Component of  $\mathbf{F}$  perpendicular to  $\mathbf{r}_{AC}$  is  $F^\perp$

$$F^{\perp 2} + F_{||}^2 = F^2 = 600^2$$

$$F^{\perp 2} = 600^2 - 82.4351^2$$

$$F^\perp = 594 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

2-95. Determine the magnitudes of the components of force  $F = 90$  lb acting parallel and perpendicular to diagonal  $AB$  of the crate.



### SOLUTION

**Force and Unit Vector:** The force vector  $\mathbf{F}$  and unit vector  $\mathbf{u}_{AB}$  must be determined first. From Fig. *a*

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{F} &= 90(-\cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ \mathbf{i} + \cos 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ \mathbf{j} + \sin 60^\circ \mathbf{k}) \\ &= [-31.82\mathbf{i} + 31.82\mathbf{j} + 77.94\mathbf{k}] \text{ lb}\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{(0 - 1.5)\mathbf{i} + (3 - 0)\mathbf{j} + (1 - 0)\mathbf{k}}{\sqrt{(0 - 1.5)^2 + (3 - 0)^2 + (1 - 0)^2}} = -\frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{k}$$

**Vector Dot Product:** The magnitude of the projected component of  $\mathbf{F}$  parallel to the diagonal  $AB$  is

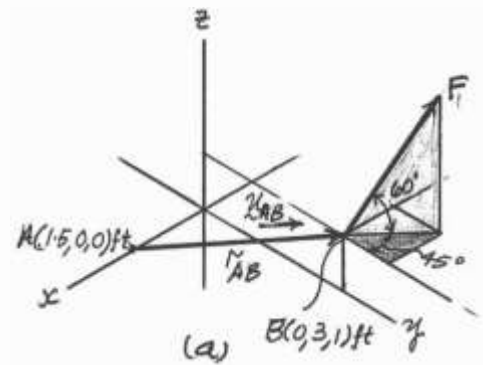
$$\begin{aligned}[(F)_{AB}]_{pa} &= \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{u}_{AB} = (-31.82\mathbf{i} + 31.82\mathbf{j} + 77.94\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{7}\mathbf{i} + \frac{6}{7}\mathbf{j} + \frac{2}{7}\mathbf{k}\right) \\ &= (-31.82)\left(-\frac{3}{7}\right) + 31.82\left(\frac{6}{7}\right) + 77.94\left(\frac{2}{7}\right) \\ &= 63.18 \text{ lb} = 63.2 \text{ lb}\end{aligned}$$

Ans.

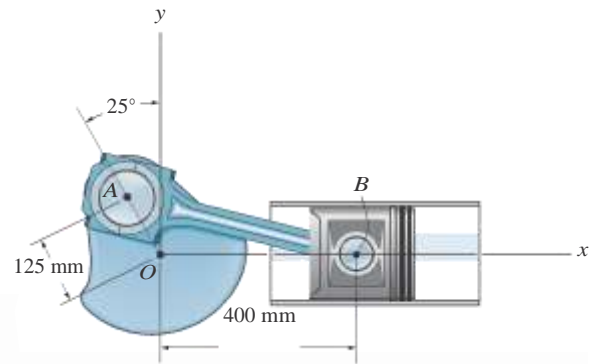
The magnitude of the component  $\mathbf{F}$  perpendicular to the diagonal  $AB$  is

$$[(F)_{AB}]_{pr} = \sqrt{F^2 - [(F)_{AB}]_{pa}^2} = \sqrt{90^2 - 63.18^2} = 64.1 \text{ lb}$$

Ans.



**\*2-96.** Determine the length of the connecting rod  $AB$  by first formulating a Cartesian position vector from  $A$  to  $B$  and then determining its magnitude.



**SOLUTION**

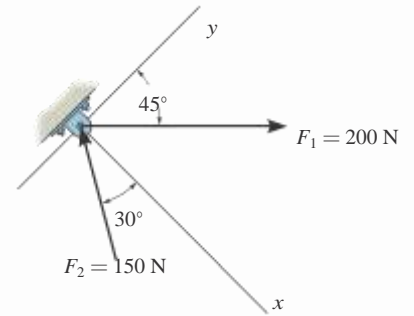
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= [16 - (-5 \sin 30^\circ)]\mathbf{i} + (0 - 5 \cos 30^\circ)\mathbf{j} \\ &= \{18.5 \mathbf{i} - 4.330 \mathbf{j}\} \text{ in.} \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{AB} = \sqrt{(18.5)^2 + (4.330)^2} = 19.0 \text{ in.}$$

**Ans.**



2-97. Determine the  $x$  and  $y$  components of  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ .



### SOLUTION

$$F_{1x} = 200 \sin 45^\circ = 141\text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

$$F_{1y} = 200 \cos 45^\circ = 141\text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

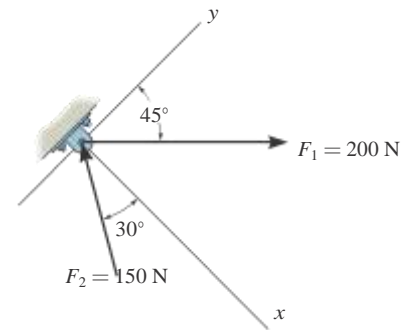
$$F_{2x} = -150 \cos 30^\circ = -130\text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

$$F_{2y} = 150 \sin 30^\circ = 75\text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

**2-98.** Determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction, measured counterclockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



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$$+\circlearrowleft F_{Rx} = \circlearrowleft F_x; \quad F_{Rx} = -150 \cos 30^\circ + 200 \sin 45^\circ = 11.518 \text{ N}$$

$$+Q F_{Ry} = \circlearrowleft F_y; \quad F_{Ry} = 150 \sin 30^\circ + 200 \cos 45^\circ = 216.421 \text{ N}$$

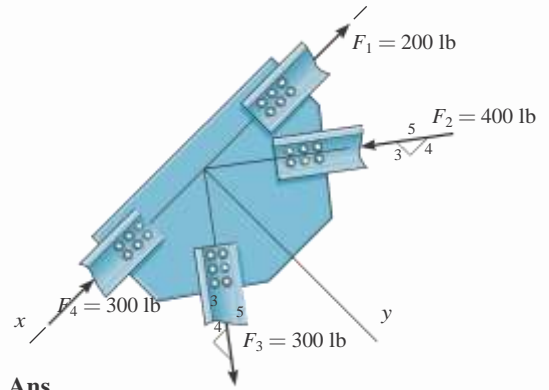
$$F_R = \sqrt{(11.518)^2 + (216.421)^2} = 217 \text{ N}$$

**Ans.**

$$u = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{216.421}{11.518} \right) = 87.0^\circ$$

**Ans.**

**2-99.** Determine the  $x$  and  $y$  components of each force acting on the *gusset plate* of the bridge truss. Show that the resultant force is zero.



**SOLUTION**

$$F_{1x} = -200 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_{1y} = 0$$

$$F_{2x} = 400 \frac{4}{5} = 320 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_{2y} = -400 \frac{3}{5} = -240 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_{3x} = 300 \frac{3}{5} = 180 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_{3y} = 300 \frac{4}{5} = 240 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_{4x} = -300 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_{4y} = 0$$

$$F_{Rx} = F_{1x} + F_{2x} + F_{3x} + F_{4x}$$

$$F_{Rx} = -200 + 320 + 180 - 300 = 0$$

$$F_{Ry} = F_{1y} + F_{2y} + F_{3y} + F_{4y}$$

$$F_{Ry} = 0 - 240 + 240 + 0 = 0$$

Thus,  $F_R = 0$

**Ans.**

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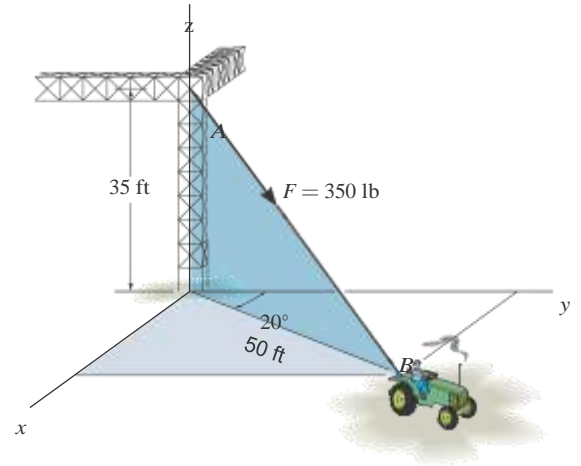
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**\*2-100.** The cable attached to the tractor at  $B$  exerts a force of 350 lb on the framework. Express this force as a Cartesian vector.



**SOLUTION**

$$\mathbf{r} = 50 \sin 20^\circ \mathbf{i} + 50 \cos 20^\circ \mathbf{j} - 35 \mathbf{k}$$

$$\mathbf{r} = \{17.10 \mathbf{i} + 46.98 \mathbf{j} - 35 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ ft}$$

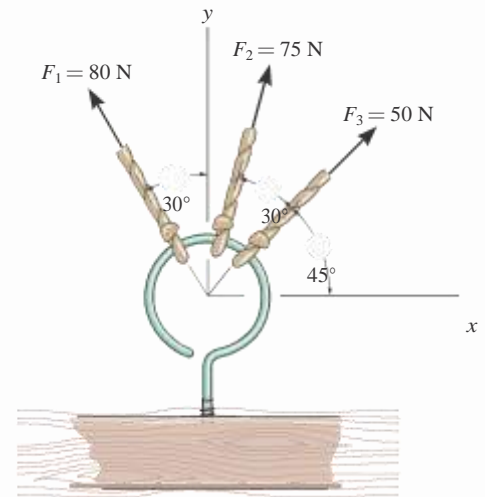
$$r = \sqrt{(17.10)^2 + (46.98)^2 + (-35)^2} = 61.03 \text{ ft}$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \frac{\mathbf{r}}{r} = (0.280 \mathbf{i} + 0.770 \mathbf{j} - 0.573 \mathbf{k})$$

$$\mathbf{F} = F \mathbf{u} = \{98.1 \mathbf{i} + 269 \mathbf{j} - 201 \mathbf{k}\} \text{ lb}$$

**Ans.**

**2-101.** Determine the magnitude and direction of the resultant  $\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_2 + \mathbf{F}_3$  of the three forces by first finding the resultant  $\mathbf{F}' = \mathbf{F}_1 + \mathbf{F}_3$  and then forming  $\mathbf{F}_R = \mathbf{F}' + \mathbf{F}_2$ . Specify its direction measured counterclockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



**SOLUTION**

$$F' = \sqrt{(80)^2 + (50)^2 - 2(80)(50) \cos 105^\circ} = 104.7 \text{ N}$$

$$\frac{\sin \phi}{80} = \frac{\sin 105^\circ}{104.7}; \quad \phi = 47.54^\circ$$

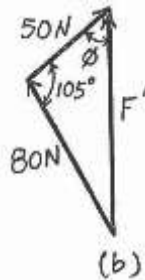
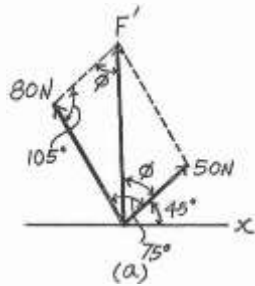
$$F_R = \sqrt{(104.7)^2 + (75)^2 - 2(104.7)(75) \cos 162.46^\circ}$$

$$F_R = 177.7 = 178 \text{ N}$$

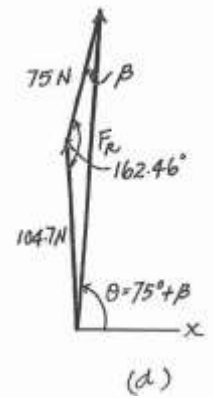
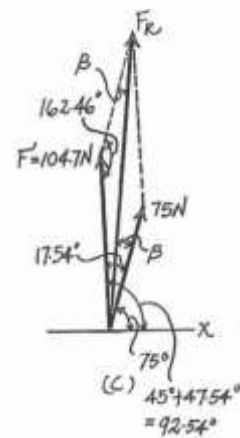
$$\frac{\sin \beta}{104.7} = \frac{\sin 162.46^\circ}{177.7}; \quad \beta = 10.23^\circ$$

$$\theta = 75^\circ + 10.23^\circ = 85.2^\circ$$

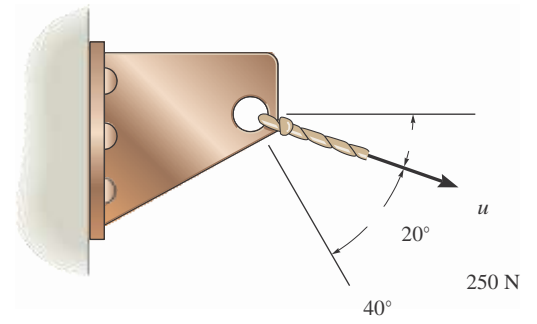
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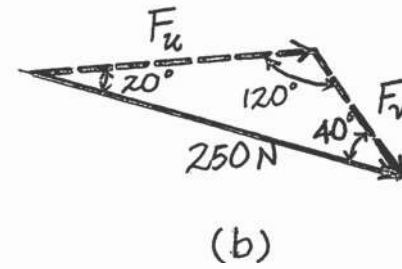
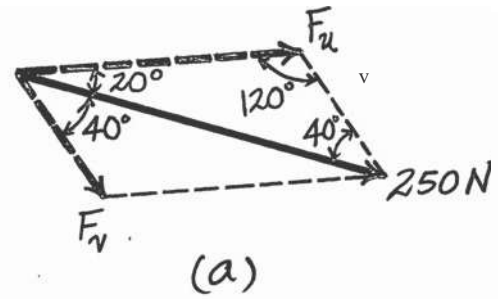
2-102. Resolve the 250-N force into components acting along the  $u$  and  $v$  axes and determine the magnitudes of these components.



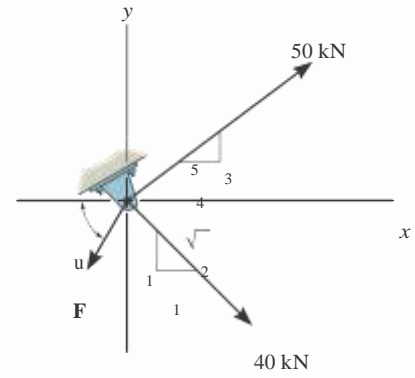
$$\frac{250}{\sin 120^\circ} = \frac{F_u}{\sin 40^\circ}; \quad F_u = 186 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans}$$

SOLUTION

$$\frac{250}{\sin 120^\circ} = \frac{F_v}{\sin 20^\circ}; \quad F_v = 98.7 \text{ N} \quad \text{Ans}$$



**2-103.** If  $\theta = 60^\circ$  and  $F = 20$  kN, determine the magnitude of the resultant force and its direction measured clockwise from the positive  $x$  axis.



$$\pm F_{Rx} = \odot F_x; \quad F_{Rx} = 50 \frac{4}{5} - 20 \cos 60^\circ = 58.28 \text{ kN}$$

$$+ \circlearrowleft F_{Ry} = \odot F_y; \quad F_{Ry} = 50 \frac{3}{5} - 20 \sin 60^\circ = -15.60 \text{ kN}$$

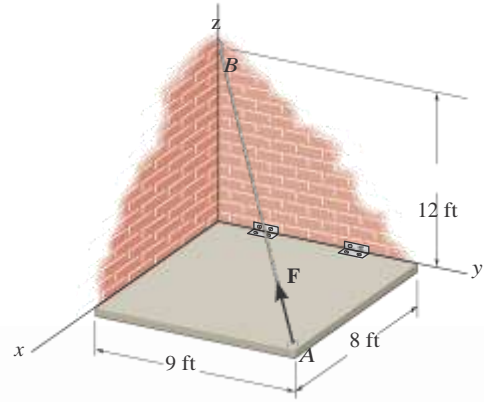
$$F_R = \sqrt{(58.28)^2 + (-15.60)^2} = 60.3 \text{ kN}$$

**Ans.**

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{15.60}{58.28} = 15.0^\circ$$

**Ans.**

**\*2-104.** The hinged plate is supported by the cord  $AB$ . If the force in the cord is  $F = 340$  lb, express this force, directed from  $A$  toward  $B$ , as a Cartesian vector. What is the length of the cord?



**SOLUTION**

*Unit Vector:*

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{r}_{AB} &= 510 - 82\mathbf{i} + 10 - 92\mathbf{j} + 112 - 02\mathbf{k} \text{ ft} \\ &= \underline{5 - 8\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} + 12\mathbf{k}} \text{ ft} \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{AB} = \sqrt{1^2 + 8^2 + 9^2 + 12^2} = 17.0 \text{ ft}$$

**Ans.**

$$\mathbf{u}_{AB} = \frac{\mathbf{r}_{AB}}{r_{AB}} = \frac{-8\mathbf{i} - 9\mathbf{j} + 12\mathbf{k}}{17} = -\frac{8}{17}\mathbf{i} - \frac{9}{17}\mathbf{j} + \frac{12}{17}\mathbf{k}$$

*Force Vector:*

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F} &= F\mathbf{u}_{AB} = 340 \left\{ -\frac{8}{17}\mathbf{i} - \frac{9}{17}\mathbf{j} + \frac{12}{17}\mathbf{k} \right\} \text{ lb} \\ &= -160\mathbf{i} - 180\mathbf{j} + 240\mathbf{k} \text{ lb} \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**