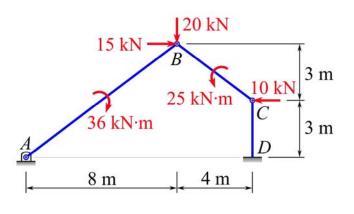
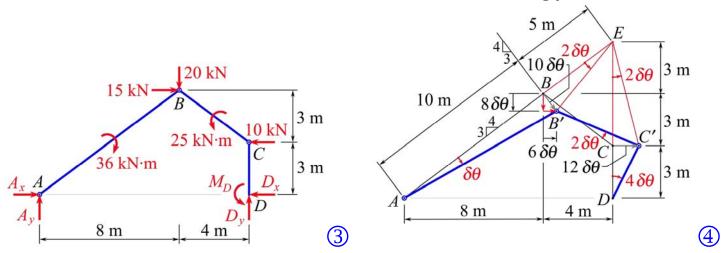
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A frame is loaded as shown. Using virtual work method, determine the reaction moment \mathbf{M}_D at the fixed support D. (Include the three major steps in your solution.)



We first draw the *FBD* and *VDD* with a strategy as follows:



Then, we set
$$\delta U = 0$$
 to get