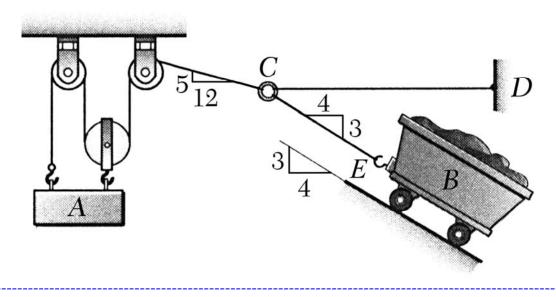
MEEG 2003 Quiz #3.m06

The block A weighs 702 lb and the system shown is in equilibrium. Determine (a) the tension F_1 in the cable whose slope is -5/12, (b) the tension F_{CE} in cable CE, (c) the tension F_{CD} in cable CD, (d) the weight W_B of cart B.



FBD for block A and the pulley just above block A: \bigcirc

$$F_1 = 234 \text{ lb}$$
 ①

FBD for ring connector at C: ①

$$F_{CE} = 150 \text{ lb}$$
 ① FBD for cart B : ②

$$F_{CD} = 96 \text{ lb}$$
 ② $W_{B} = 250 \text{ lb}$ ②