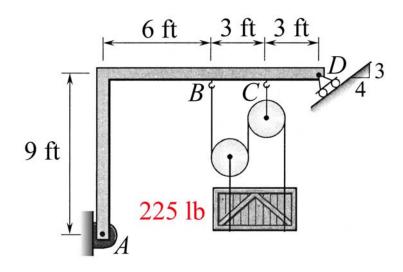
## MEEG 2003 Quiz #5.m13

A frame carrying a crate of 225 lb is shown. Determine (a) the tension  $F_1$  in the cable at B, (b) the tension  $F_2$  in the cable at C, (c) the reaction force A at the hinge support A, (d) the reaction force  $F_D$  at the roller support D.



FBD of crate & left pulley:

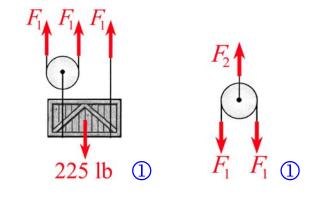
$$+\uparrow \Sigma F_y = 0$$
:  $3F_1 - 225 = 0$ 

$$\therefore F_1 = 75 \text{ lb} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

FBD of pulley below *C*:

$$+\uparrow \Sigma F_{y} = 0$$
:  $F_{2} - 2F_{1} = 0$ 

: 
$$F_2 = 150 \text{ lb}$$



FBD of member *ABCD*:

+U 
$$\Sigma M_A = 0$$
:

$$9(\frac{3}{5}F_D) + 12(\frac{4}{5}F_D) - 9F_2 - 6F_1 = 0$$

$$F_D = 120 :: \mathbf{F}_D = -72\mathbf{i} + 96\mathbf{j} \text{ lb}$$

$$\stackrel{+}{\rightarrow} \Sigma F_x = 0$$
:  $A_x - \frac{3}{5} F_D = 0$ 

+ 
$$\Sigma F_y = 0$$
:  $A_y - F_1 - F_2 + \frac{4}{5}F_D = 0$   
 $A_x = 72$   $A_y = 129$ 

$$\therefore \mathbf{A} = 72\mathbf{i} + 129\mathbf{j} \text{ lb } ②$$

