

MEEG 2003

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Test II ()

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1. (30%) For the rigid body carrying the loads shown in Fig. P1, determine (*a*) the tension T_{EF} in cable *EF*, (*b*) the reaction force **A** and the reaction moment **M**_A at universal joint support *A*.



Fig. P1

Fig. P2

2. (30%) A frame carrying loads is shown in Fig. P2. Using *virtual work method*, determine (*a*) the reaction moment \mathbf{M}_E at fixed support *E*, (*b*) the horizontal component \mathbf{A}_x of the reaction force at hinge support *A*.





- **3.** The beam *ABC* carries a distributed load of intensity w kN/m and a moment $\mathbf{M}_A = 3.5 \text{ kN·m U}$ as shown in Fig. P3. *Circle on this test sheet* the correct or nearest item for each of the following:
 - A. (7%) The magnitude of the reaction force at roller support C is (a) 4.32 kN. (b) 4.46 kN. (c) 4.60 kN. (d) 4.73 kN. (e) 4.87 kN. (f) 5.00 kN.
 - *B.* (6%) The magnitude of the horizontal component \mathbf{B}_x of the reaction force at hinge support *B* is (*a*) 1.716 kN. (*b*) 1.768 kN. (*c*) 1.820 kN. (*d*) 1.872 kN. (*e*) 1.924 kN. (*f*) 1.976 kN.
 - C. (7%) The magnitude of the vertical component \mathbf{B}_y of the reaction force at hinge support *B* is (*a*) 0.601 kN. (*b*) 0.726 kN. (*c*) 0.851 kN. (*d*) 0.976 kN. (*e*) 1.101 kN. (*f*) 1.226 kN.

4. Non-numerical problem:

- A. (5%) Describe the first theorem of Pappus-Guldinus.
- *B*. (5%) Define the work of a force on a body.
- *C*. (5%) Define the work of a moment on a body.
- *D.* (5%) To determine *a specific unknown* in the free-body diagram using *virtual work method*, what is the general **strategy** (or *guide*) that you should employ in drawing the **virtual displacement diagram**?