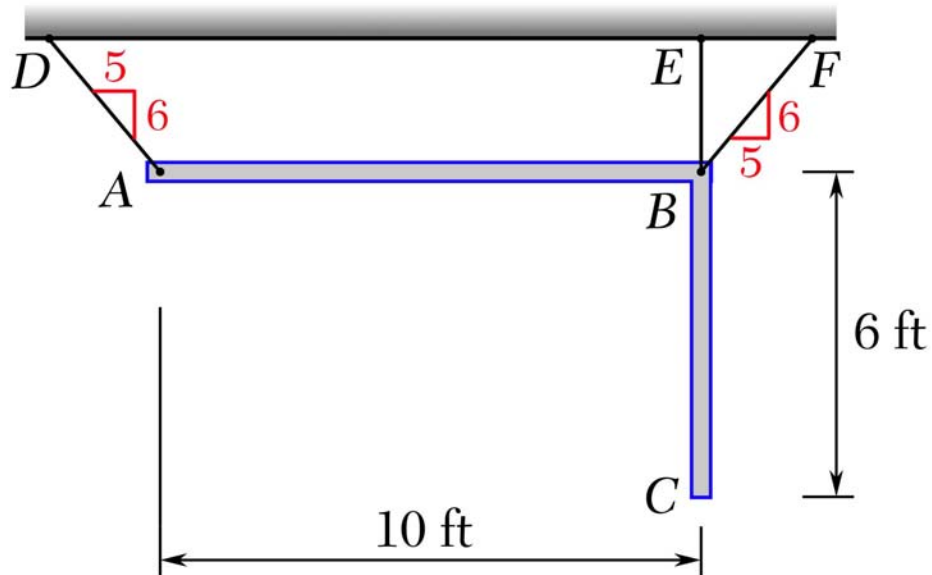


MEEG 2013 Quiz #6

A bent rod weighing 2 lb/ft is suspended as shown. Determine its angular acceleration α and the wire tensions F_{AD} and F_{BE} immediately after the wire BF is cut.



Answer:

Diagram Equation: $FBD = EFD$

④

$$\alpha = 0.707 \text{ rad/s}^2 \curvearrowright$$

②

$$F_{AD} = 11.93 \text{ lb}$$

②

$$F_{BE} = 20.6 \text{ lb}$$

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