

2) What is the resultant of the force system with respect to the origin?

$F_A = (0, -1), F_B = (2, -1)$

What is the line of action of the resultant?

Solution:

$$\Sigma F_x = F_{Ax} + F_{Bx} = 0 + 2 = 2 \text{ units}$$

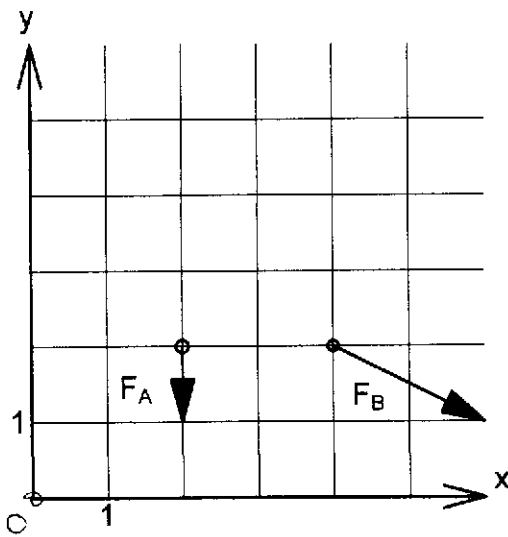
$$\Sigma F_y = -1 - 1 = -2 \text{ units}$$

$$\Sigma M_o = M_{F_A} + M_{F_B} = -1 \cdot 2 - 1 \cdot 4 - 2 \cdot 2 = -10 \text{ units}$$

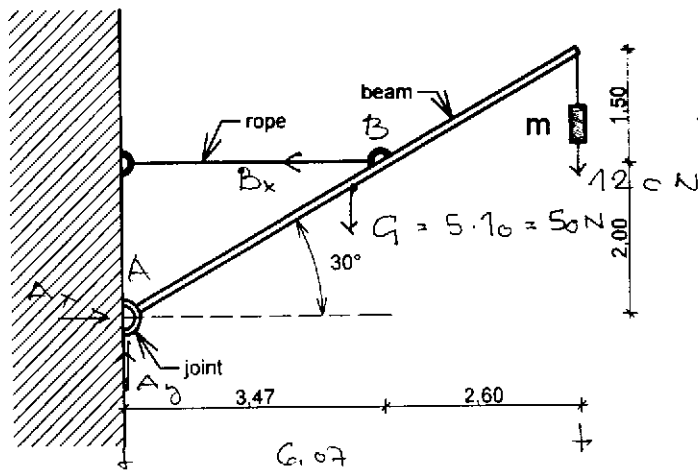
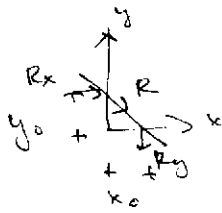
$$R = (R_x, R_y, M_{R_o}) = (2, -2, -10)$$

$$M_{R_o} = R_x \cdot y_o = 2 \cdot y_o = -10 \rightarrow y_o = 5 \text{ units}$$

$$M_{R_o} = R_y \cdot x_o = -2 \cdot x_o = -10 \rightarrow x_o = 5 \text{ units}$$



\uparrow + rotation
 \rightarrow x



3) The mass of the beam is 5 kg, the hanging mass is of $m=12$ kg. What is the force in the rope (magnitude) and the force at the joint (componentwise)?

$$\Sigma M_A = -6.07 \cdot 120 - \frac{6.07}{2} \cdot 50 + 2 \cdot B_x = 0$$

$$B_x = 440 \text{ N } (\leftarrow)$$

$$\Sigma F_x = B_x + A_x = 440 + A_x = 0$$

$$A_x = -440 \text{ N } \rightarrow$$

$$\Sigma F_y = -50 - 120 + A_y = 0$$

$$A_y = 170 \text{ N } \uparrow$$