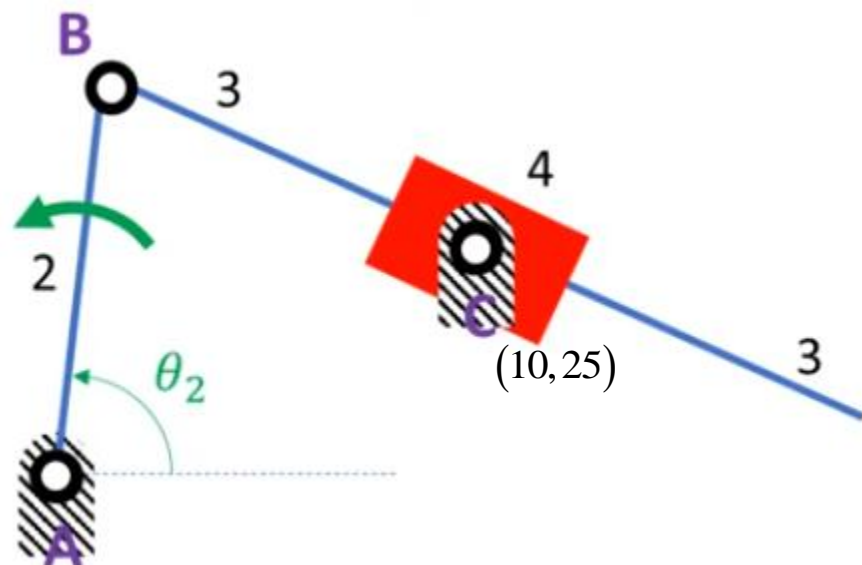


Solve position equation for the mechanism shown. Consider link 2 (bar AB) as the input.

Given : $AB = 15\text{cm}$; $CD = 10\text{cm}$; $AD = 25\text{cm}$

$\theta_2 = 60^\circ$

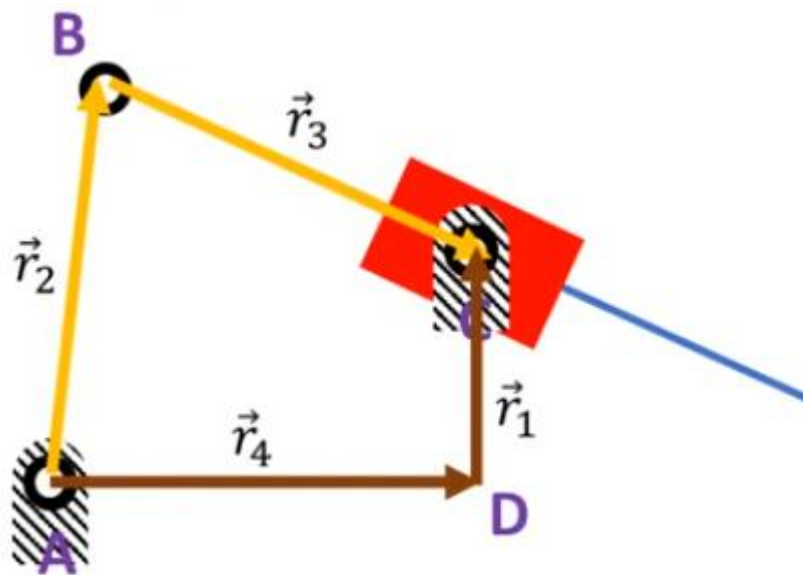


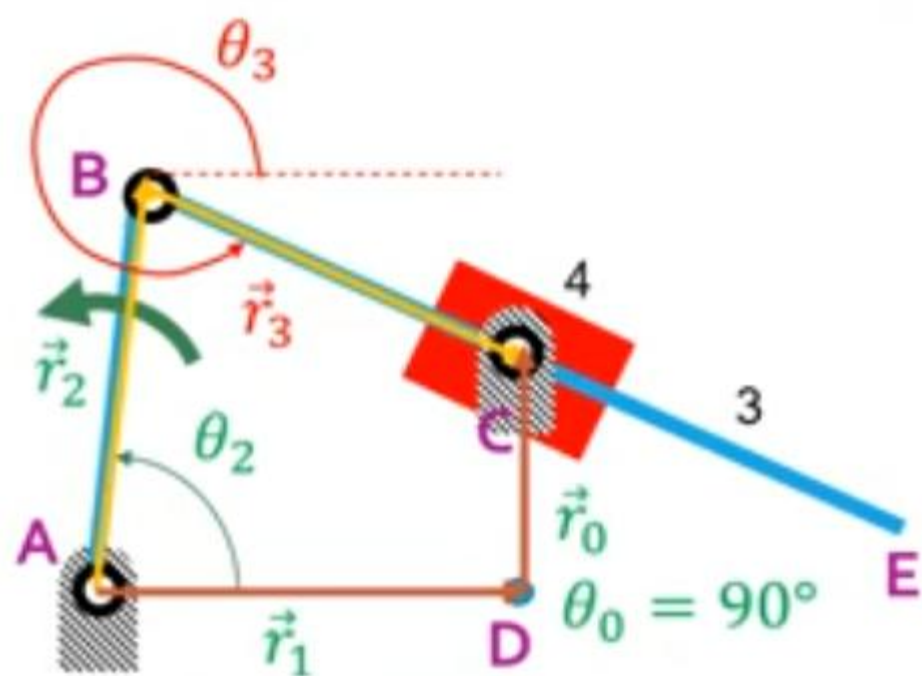
$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \vec{r}_2$$

$$\overrightarrow{BC} = \vec{r}_3$$

$$\overrightarrow{AD} = \vec{r}_1$$

$$\overrightarrow{DC} = \vec{r}_0$$





$$\overline{AB} + \overline{BC} = \overline{AD} + \overline{DC}$$

$$\vec{r}_2 + \vec{r}_3 = \vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}_0$$

$$\vec{r}_3 = \vec{r}_1 + \vec{r}_0 - \vec{r}_2$$

$$\begin{cases} r_3 \cos \theta_3 = r_1 \cos \theta_1 + r_0 \cos \theta_0 - r_2 \cos \theta_2 \\ r_3 \sin \theta_3 = r_1 \sin \theta_1 + r_0 \sin \theta_0 - r_2 \sin \theta_2 \end{cases}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \theta_3 = \arctan \left(\frac{r_0 - r_2 \sin \theta_2}{r_1 - r_2 \cos \theta_2} \right), \text{ if } \cos \theta_3 \geq 0 \\ \theta_3 = 180^\circ + \arctan \left(\frac{r_0 - r_2 \sin \theta_2}{r_1 - r_2 \cos \theta_2} \right), \text{ if } \cos \theta_3 < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$r_3 = \sqrt{(r_1 - r_2 \cos \theta_2)^2 + (r_0 - r_2 \sin \theta_2)^2}$$
$$= \sqrt{(25 - 15 \cos 60^\circ)^2 + (10 - 15 \sin 60^\circ)^2}$$

$$r_3 \approx 17.75 \text{ cm}$$

$$\cos \theta_3 \approx \frac{25 - 15 \cos 60^\circ}{17.75} \approx 0.9857 > 0$$

$$\theta_3 = \arctan \left(\frac{r_0 - r_2 \sin \theta_2}{r_1 - r_2 \cos \theta_2} \right) = \arctan \left(\frac{10 - 15 \sin 60^\circ}{25 - 15 \cos 60^\circ} \right)$$

$$\theta_3 \approx -9.7^\circ = 350.3^\circ$$