

PROB, 2.94

$T_{AB} = 510 \text{ lb}$, $T_{AC} = 425 \text{ lb}$, FIND RESULTANT

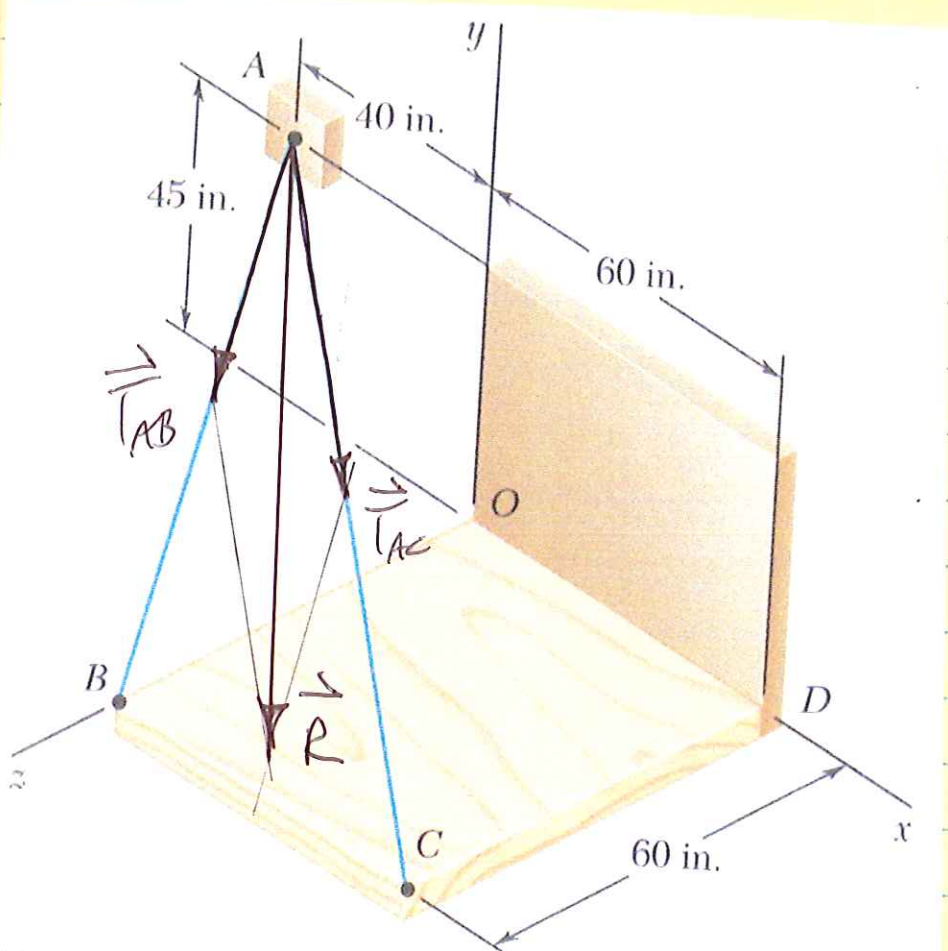


Fig. P2.93 and P2.94

$$\vec{R} = \vec{T}_{AB} + \vec{T}_{AC}$$

LOCATE POINTS: $A(-40, 45, 0)^{in}$, $B(0, 0, 60)^{in}$,

$C(60, 0, 60)^{in}$

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$$\vec{T}_{AB}: dx = X_B - X_A = 0 - (-40) = 40^{\text{IN}}$$

$$dy = Y_B - Y_A = 0 - 45 = -45^{\text{IN}}$$

$$dz = Z_B - Z_A = 60 - 0 = 60^{\text{IN}}$$

$$d = \sqrt{40^2 + 45^2 + 60^2} = 85^{\text{IN}}$$

$$F_x = F \frac{dx}{d} = (510) \left(\frac{40}{85} \right) = 240^{\text{LB}}$$

$$F_y = F \frac{dy}{d} = (510) \left(\frac{-45}{85} \right) = -270^{\text{LB}}$$

$$F_z = F \frac{dz}{d} = (510) \left(\frac{60}{85} \right) = 360^{\text{LB}}$$

$$\vec{T}_{AB} = (240)\hat{i} + (-270)\hat{j} + (360)\hat{k}^{\text{LB}}$$

$$\vec{T}_{AC}: dx = X_C - X_A = 60 - (-40) = 100^{\text{IN}}$$

$$dy = Y_C - Y_A = 0 - 45 = -45^{\text{IN}}$$

$$dz = Z_C - Z_A = 60 - 0 = 60^{\text{IN}}$$

$$d = \sqrt{100^2 + 45^2 + 60^2} = 125^{\text{IN}}$$

$$F_x = F \frac{dx}{d} = (425) \left(\frac{100}{125} \right) = 340^{\text{LB}}$$

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$$F_y = F \frac{dy}{d} = (425) \left(\frac{-45}{125} \right) = -153 \text{ lb}$$

$$F_z = F \frac{dz}{d} = (425) \left(\frac{60}{125} \right) = 204 \text{ lb}$$

$$\vec{T}_{AC} = (340) \hat{i} + (-153) \hat{j} + (204) \hat{k} \text{ lb}$$

$$\vec{R} = (240 + 340) \hat{i} + (-270 - 153) \hat{j} + (360 + 204) \hat{k}$$

$$\vec{R} = (580) \hat{i} + (-423) \hat{j} + (564) \hat{k} \text{ lb}$$

$$|\vec{R}| = \sqrt{580^2 + 423^2 + 564^2} = \underline{913 \text{ lb}}$$

$$\theta_x = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{R_x}{R} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{580}{913} \right) = \underline{50.6^\circ}$$

$$\theta_y = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{R_y}{R} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{-423}{913} \right) = \underline{117.6^\circ}$$

$$\theta_z = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{R_z}{R} \right) = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{564}{913} \right) = \underline{51.8^\circ}$$