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Homework 3: Adams Assignment

In this assignment, you are going to solve problem 16.65 of Hibbeler, eighth edition. The problem is shown below.



Starting ADAMS.

1. From the ADAMS product menu, select ADAMS.

The Run ADAMS dialog box appears.

2. Select OK.

The Welcome to ADAMS dialog box appears as shown in Figure 1.

3. Under the heading "How would you like to proceed", select Create a new model.

Verify the Gravity text field is set to **Earth Normal (-Global Y)**. Verify that the Units text field is set to **MMKS - mm,kg,N,s,deg**. Select **OK**.

Making the crank;

- 1. Select the **Rigid Body: Link** tool. with the left mouse button from the main toolbox.
- 2. In the link container at the bottom of the Toolbox, activate the Length toggle switch and enter **200mm** in the text field below.
- 3. Click somewhere on the screen to display the bar.
- 4. Click on the bar with the right mouse button. Follow the pull-right menu for **Part:PART_1** and select **Modify**.

The Modify Rigid Body dialog box appears.

Select the **Change Position** Icon if from the left lower corner of the dialog box.

The Move Selected Objects dialog box appears.

Select the **Repositioning Objects Relative to the Working Grid by Entering** Coordinates Icon

Enter (45,0,0) in the Orientation text field, select Set and close the dialog box.

Click **OK** on the Modify Rigid Body dialog box.

Making the link & slider block;

- 5. Select the **Rigid Body: Link** tool. with the left mouse button from the main toolbox.
- 6. In the link container at the bottom of the Toolbox, activate the Length toggle switch and enter **500mm** in the text field below.
- 7. Click on the right most marker of the crank, create the link.
- 8. Click on the bar with the right mouse button. Follow the pull-right menu for **Part:PART_2** and select **Modify**.

The Modify Rigid Body dialog box appears.

Select the **Change Position** Icon if from the left lower corner of the dialog box.

The Move Selected Objects dialog box appears.

Select the **Repositioning Objects Relative to the Working Grid by Entering Coordinates** Icon

Enter (330,0,0) in the Orientation text field, select Set and close the dialog box.

Click **OK** on the Modify Rigid Body dialog box.

9. Use the **Rigid Body: Box** tool **I** from the parts button stack to add a mass at the end of the link.

Creating joints;

1. Click on the **Joint** icon in the Main Toolbox and select the **Joint:Revolute**

icon from the joints button stack.

- 2. Verify that the **Construction** text field reads **1 Location** and **Normal to Grid**.
- 3. Position the cursor over the marker MAR_1 at the left end of the crank and click once with the left mouse button.
- 4. A joint between the crank and the ground is created at that location.
- 5. Click on the **Joint** icon in the Main Toolbox and select the **Joint:Revolute**

icon from the joints button stack.

- 6. Verify that the **Construction** text field reads **2 Body 1 Location** and **Normal to Grid**.
- 7. Click on the crank and the link and move the cursor over the marker between them, click with left mouse button to create a joint between the crank and the link.
- 8. Click on the **Joint** icon in the Main Toolbox and select the **Joint:Revolute**

icon from the joints button stack.

- 9. Verify that the Construction text field reads 2 Body 1 Location and Normal to Grid.
- 10. Click on the link and the slider block, move the cursor over the marker between them, click with left mouse button to create a joint between the link and the slider block.
- 11. Click on the **Joint** icon in the Main Toolbox and select the **Joint:Translational**

icon from the joints button stack.

 Click on the slider block, move the cursor upalong the X axis away from the origin until an arrow pointing straight up appears. Make sure the arrow is parallel to the X axis.

Setting initial motion.

- 1. Click and hold the bar with the right mouse button and follow the pull right menu for **the joint between the crank and the ground**, select **Modify**.
- 2. Click on the Impose Motions button.
- 3. Change the displacement function to 6.0 * time.

After verifying the model, compute 10 seconds of simulation and plot theta vs. time, phi vs. time, and the velocity of C vs. time.

Good luck!