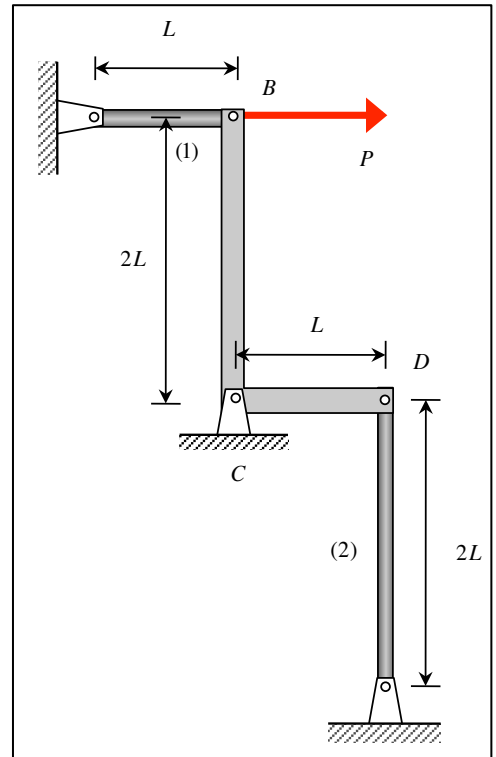


A rigid, L-shaped bar BCD is pinned to ground at C. Two circular cross-section elastic members (1) and (2), each having a Young's modulus of E , coefficient of thermal expansion α and diameter d , are connected between the ends of the bar and ground, as shown below. The elastic members and sections of the bar are either vertically oriented or horizontally oriented. A horizontal force P is applied to joint B. In addition, the temperatures of the elastic members (1) and (2) are *increased* by amounts of ΔT and $2\Delta T$, respectively. Following the four steps below, you are asked to determine the stress in each of the elastic members.



1. **Equilibrium.** Draw the free body diagrams (FBD) of member BCD. Write down the appropriate equilibrium equations from your FBDs. Is this system determinate?
2. **Force/elongation equations.** Write down the force/elongation equations for members (1) and (2).
3. **Compatibility.** Write down the appropriate compatibility equation(s) relating the elongations of rods (1) and (2).
4. **Solution.** Solve your equations above for the loads carried by the two members. From these, determine the stress in those members. Write your answers in terms of α , ΔT , A and b .

1. Equilibrium

$$\sum M_C = F_1(2L) - F_2(L) - P(2L) = 0$$

$$(1) \quad \hookrightarrow 2F_1 - F_2 = 2P$$

2. Load/deformation: $A = \pi(d/2)^2 = \frac{\pi}{4}d^2$

$$(2) \quad e_1 = \frac{F_1 L}{EA} + \alpha \Delta T L$$

$$(3) \quad e_2 = \frac{F_2 (2L)}{EA} + \alpha (2\Delta T)(2L)$$

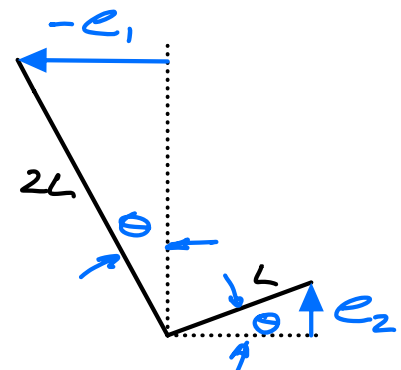
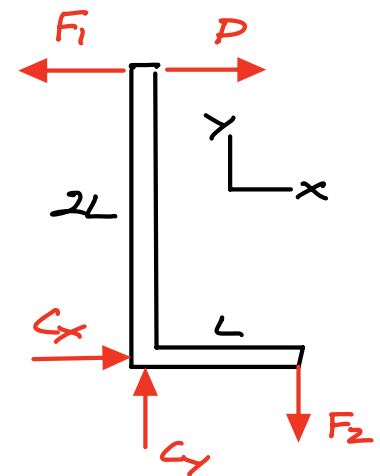
3. Compatibility

$$\sin \theta = \frac{-e_1}{2L} = \frac{e_2}{L}$$

$$(4) \quad \hookrightarrow e_1 = -2e_2$$

4. Solve

$$(2) - (4): \frac{F_1 L}{EA} + \alpha \Delta T L = -2 \left[\frac{2F_2 L}{EA} + 4\alpha \Delta T L \right]$$



$$(5) \quad \hookrightarrow F_1 = -4F_2 - 9\alpha\Delta TEA$$

$$(1) \text{ \& } (5): \quad 2[-4F_2 - 9\alpha\Delta TEA] - F_2 = 2P$$

$$\hookrightarrow F_2 = -\left[\frac{2P + 18\alpha\Delta TEA}{9}\right] = -\frac{2P}{9} - 2\alpha\Delta TEA$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \hookrightarrow F_1 &= -4\left[-\frac{2P}{9} - 2\alpha\Delta TEA\right] - 9\alpha\Delta TEA \\ &= \frac{8}{9}P - \alpha\Delta TEA \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \quad \begin{cases} \sigma_1 = \frac{F_1}{A} = \frac{8}{9}\frac{P}{A} - \alpha\Delta TE \\ \sigma_2 = \frac{F_2}{A} = -\left[\frac{2}{9}\frac{P}{A} + 2\alpha\Delta TE\right] \end{cases} & \begin{array}{l} \longleftarrow \sigma_1 \\ \longleftarrow \sigma_2 \end{array} \\ w/ \quad A = \frac{\pi}{4}d^2 & \end{aligned}$$