

P 2-27

Determine the magnitude and direction of the resultant of the force system shown in Figs. P2-24 to P2-27.

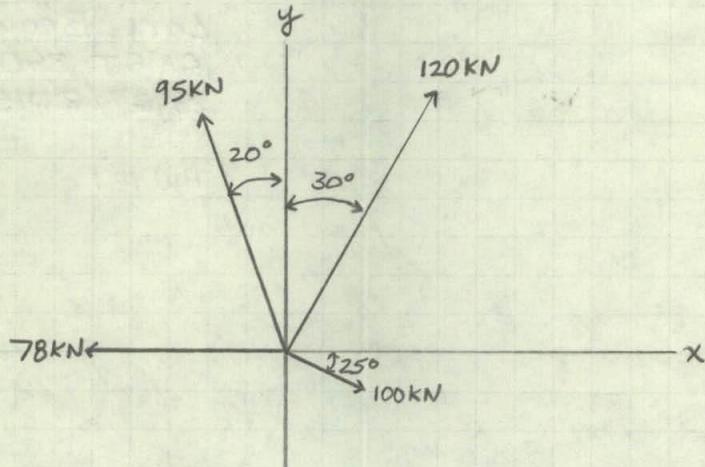
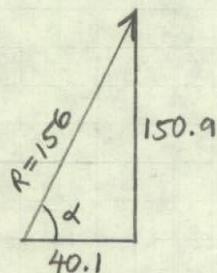


FIGURE P2-27

SOLUTION.

Force	X component	y component
78kN	-78	0
95kN	$-(95 \sin 20^\circ) = -32.5$	$95 \cos 20^\circ = 89.3$
120kN	$120 \sin 30^\circ = 60$	$120 \cos 30^\circ = 103.9$
100 kN	$100 \cos 25^\circ = 90.6$	$-(100 \sin 25^\circ) = -42.3$
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$\Sigma$	40.1	150.9

$$R = \sqrt{40.1^2 + 150.9^2} = \underline{\underline{156 \text{ kN}}}$$



$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{150.9}{40.1} = \underline{\underline{75^\circ}}$$

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