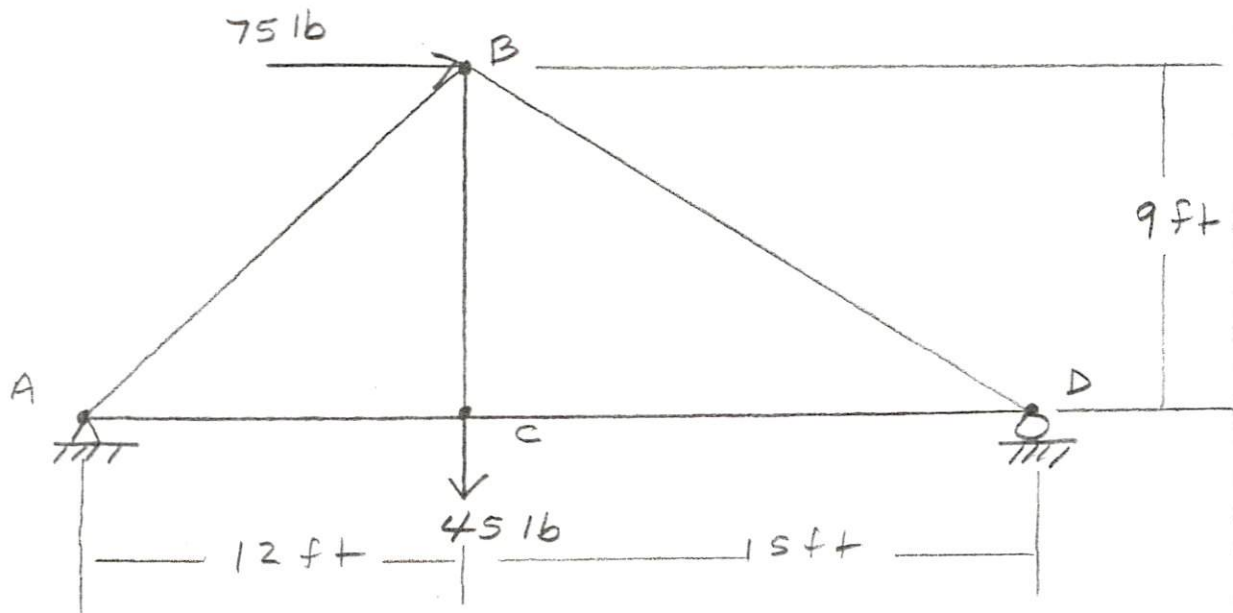
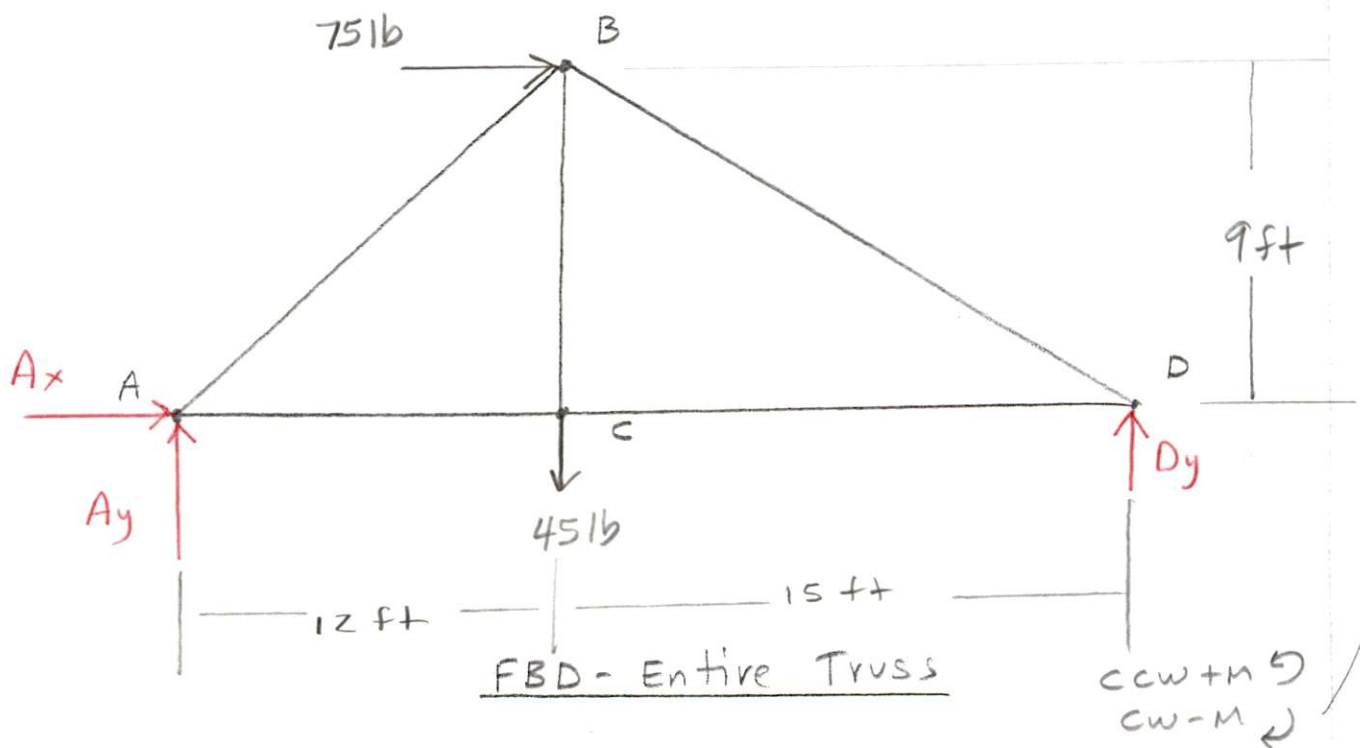


1. Complete the following steps to determine the force in each member of the truss using the Method of Joints



A. Complete the FBD



2.

B. use the following equilibrium equations to determine the reactions at A and D.

$$[\Sigma M_A = 0]$$

$$-75\text{lb}(9\text{ft}) - 45\text{lb}(12\text{ft}) + D_y(27\text{ft}) = 0$$

$$D_y = \frac{1215\text{ lb}\cdot\text{ft}}{27\text{ft}} = \underline{\underline{45\text{ lb } \uparrow}}$$

$$[\Sigma F_x = 0]$$

$$A_x + 75\text{ lb} = 0$$

$$A_x = -75\text{ lb } \rightarrow$$

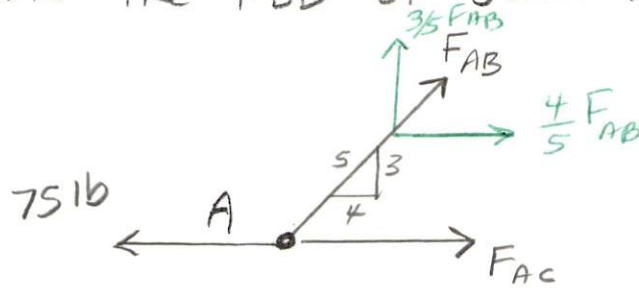
$$\text{and } \boxed{A_x = 75\text{ lb } \leftarrow}$$

$$[\Sigma F_y = 0]$$

$$A_y - 45\text{ lb} + D_y = 0$$

$$A_y = 45\text{ lb} - 45\text{ lb} = \underline{\underline{0}}$$

C. Complete the FBD of Joint A



D. Using the FBD for Joint A determine the force in members AB and AC.

$$[\sum F_y = 0]$$

$$\frac{3}{5} F_{AB} = 0$$

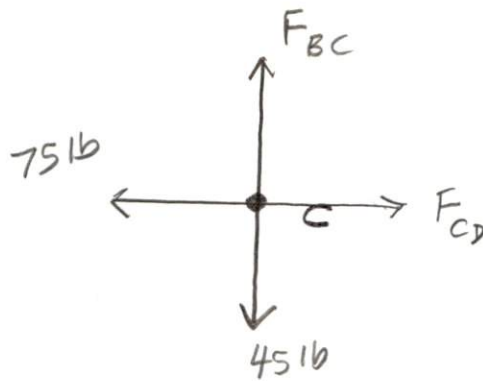
$$F_{AB} = 0$$

$$[\sum F_x = 0]$$

$$-75 \text{ lb} + F_{AC} = 0$$

$$F_{AC} = \underline{\underline{75 \text{ lb (T)}}}$$

E. complete the FBD for Joint C



F. using the FBD for Joint C determine the force in members BC and CD.

$$[\sum F_x = 0] \quad -75\text{ lb} + F_{CD} = 0$$

$$F_{CD} = \underline{\underline{75\text{ lb (T)}}}$$

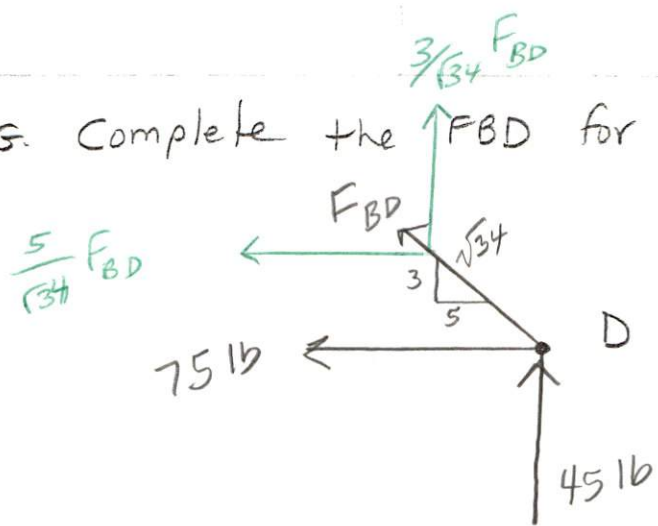
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$$[\sum F_y = 0]$$

$$-45\text{ lb} + F_{BC} = 0$$

$$F_{BC} = \underline{\underline{45\text{ lb (T)}}}$$

G. Complete the FBD for Joint D



H. Using the FBD for Joint D determine the force in member BD

$$(\sum F_y = 0)$$

$$\frac{3}{\sqrt{34}} F_{BD} + 45 \text{ lb} = 0$$

$$F_{BD} = - \frac{\sqrt{34}(45 \text{ lb})}{3}$$

$$= -87.5 \text{ lb (T)}$$

$$\text{and } \boxed{F_{BD} = 87.5 \text{ lb (C)}}$$