Mechanical design test: Kinematics

Name: Duration: 30min, no documents authorized

Parts 1 and 2 are independent.

Part 1 – Identification of standalone joints

Below are two different joints taken from some larger mechanism. Fill-in the names of these joints with a correctly oriented kinematic symbol.



Part 2 – Scotch Yoke

A scotch yoke mechanism transforms a revolute motion into reciprocating translation. Here, it is used to drive a double action pump (see page 3).

It is composed of three groups of parts coloured as follows:

WHITE - BASE

BLUE – SHAFT

RED – PISTON

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Q4. Complete the bubble diagram of joints below (<u>name and orientation</u>) 2+2



5pt total

Q5. On Page 3, indicate the input and output motion of the system (where does the motion takes place, what nature?). 3 (cloured Slocks = 3p+ Q6. On Page 3, colour-in the shaft (blue) and piston (red) groups of parts in cross sections A-A and B-B.

Q7. Complete the <u>kinematic diagram</u> below of the system by using correct joint symbols. Also indicate <u>the input and</u> output motion on this diagram (the same as in Q5).

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Q8. On Page 3 below, mark the <u>extreme left position</u> of the point P (in cross-section A-A) during operation. NB: Cross-sections B-B and C-C are not aligned with their respective cutting planes.

