- f. Find and plot the displacement of piston 4 and the angular displacement of link 3 as a function of the angular displacement of crank 2.
- g. Find and plot the angular displacement of link 6 versus the angle of input link 2 as it is rotated from the position shown $(+30^{\circ})$ to a vertical position $(+90^{\circ})$. Find the toggle positions of this linkage in terms of the angle of link 2.
- h. Find link 4's maximum displacement vertically downward from the position shown. What will the angle of input link 2 be at that position?
- [†]4-19 For one revolution of driving link 2 of the walking-beam indexing and pick-and-place mechanism in Figure P4-6, find the horizontal stroke of link 3 for the portion of their motion where its tips are above the top of the platen. Express the stroke as a percentage of the crank length O_2A . What portion of a revolution of link 2 does this stroke correspond to? Also find the total angular displacement of link 6 over one revolution of link 2. The vertical distance from O_2 to the top of the platen is 64 mm. The vertical distance from line AD to the top left corner Q of the left-most pusher finger is 73 mm. The horizontal distance from point A to Q is 95 mm.
- [†]4-20 Figure P4-7 shows a power hacksaw, used to cut metal. Link 5 pivots at O_5 and its weight forces the sawblade against the workpiece while the linkage moves the blade (link 4) back and forth on link 5 to cut the part. It is an offset slider-crank mechanism. The dimensions are shown in the figure. For one revolution of driving link 2 of the hacksaw mechanism on the cutting stroke, find and plot the horizontal stroke of the saw blade as a function of the angle of link 2.
- ^{*†}4-21 For the linkage in Figure P4-8, find its limit (toggle) positions in terms of the angle of link O_2A referenced to the line of centers O_2O_4 when driven from link O_2A . Then calculate and plot the *xy* coordinates of coupler point *P* between those limits, referenced to the line of centers O_2O_4 .
- [†]4-22 For the walking beam mechanism of Figure P4-9, calculate and plot the *x* and *y* components of the position of the coupler point *P* for one complete revolution of the

[†] These problems are suited to solution using *Mathcad, Matlab*, or *TKSolver* equation solver programs. In most cases, your solution can be checked with program FOURBAR, SLIDER, or SIXBAR.



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