

An engineer puts together a form study prototype of a robotic arm to show a group of stakeholders. Specifically they want to know about its radius of gyration. Unfortunately, he forgot what material he used. If the mass moment of inertia of the arm is

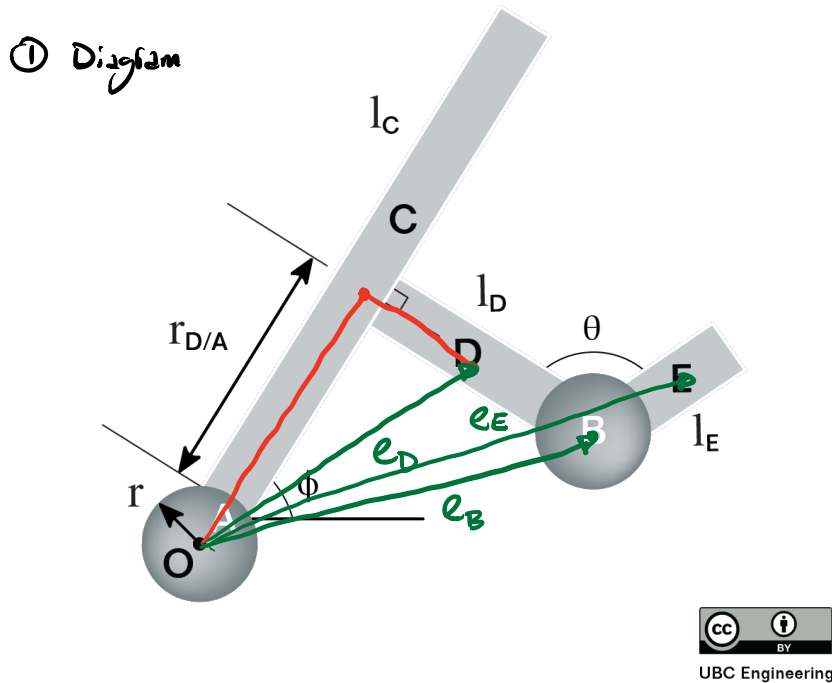
$I = 15.2 \text{ kgm}^2$ about point O, calculate the radius of gyration. Each component is a plate with thickness $t = 5 \text{ mm}$. Assume the plates are rigidly attached to one another. Plate A is identical to plate B, and has a radius $r = 2w$.

Plates C, D and E have the same width $w = 15 \text{ cm}$.

Plate C has a length $l_C = 1.1 \text{ m}$, and is angled at $\phi = 30 \text{ deg}$ with the horizontal.

Plate D is attached perpendicular to plate C at a distance $r_{D/A} = 0.55 \text{ m}$ from plate A, and has a length $l_D = 0.3 \text{ m}$.

Plate E has a length $l_E = 0.21 \text{ m}$, and is angled $\theta = 105 \text{ deg}$ away from plate D.



$$K = \sqrt{\frac{I}{m}}$$

$$\text{Disk A: } m = eV_A = e\pi r^2 t = e\pi (0.3\text{m})^2 (0.005\text{m})$$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{1}{2} m r^2 = \frac{1}{2} e\pi (0.3)^2 (0.005) \text{ kgm}^2$$

Plate C: $m = \rho V_c = \rho (1.1 \text{ m} \times 0.15 \text{ m} \times 0.005 \text{ m}) = 0.000825 \rho \text{ [kg]}$

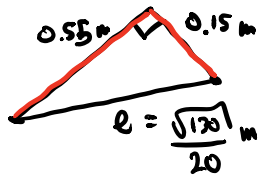
$$I_{zz} = \frac{1}{12} m (a^2 + b^2) = \frac{1}{12} (0.000825 \rho) ((1.1 \text{ m})^2 + (0.15 \text{ m})^2)$$

$$I_{oc} = I_{zz} + m e^2 = \frac{1}{12} (0.000825 \rho) ((1.1 \text{ m})^2 + (0.15 \text{ m})^2) + 0.000825 \rho (0.55 \text{ m})^2$$

Plate D: $m = \rho V = \rho (0.3 \text{ m} \times 0.15 \text{ m} \times 0.005 \text{ m}) = 0.000225 \rho \text{ kg}$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{1}{12} m (a^2 + b^2) = \frac{1}{12} (0.000225 \rho) ((0.3 \text{ m})^2 + (0.15 \text{ m})^2)$$

$$I_{od} = I_{zz} + m e^2 = \frac{1}{12} (0.000225 \rho) ((0.3 \text{ m})^2 + (0.15 \text{ m})^2) + 0.000225 \rho \left(\frac{13}{40} \text{ m}\right)^2$$



Disk B: $m = \rho \pi (0.3 \text{ m})^2 (0.005 \text{ m})$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi (0.3)^4 (0.005) \text{ km}^2$$

$$I_{ob} = I_{zz} + m e^2 = \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi (0.3 \text{ m})^4 (0.005 \text{ m}) + \rho \pi (0.3 \text{ m})^2 (0.005 \text{ m}) (0.626 \text{ m})^2$$

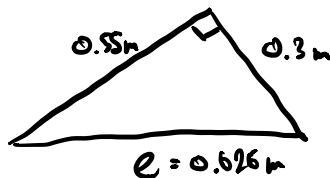
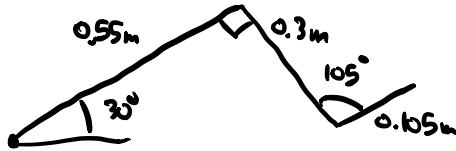


Plate E: $m = \rho V_E = \rho (0.21 \text{ m} \times 0.15 \text{ m} \times 0.005 \text{ m}) = 0.0001575 \rho \text{ kg}$

$$I_{zz} = \frac{1}{12} (0.0001575 \rho) ((0.21 \text{ m})^2 + (0.15 \text{ m})^2)$$

$$I_{OE} = I_{zz} + m e^2 = \frac{1}{12} (0.0001575 e) (10.21m)^2 + (0.154)^2 + 0.0001575 e (0.8454 m^2)$$



$$x = 0.55 \cos 30^\circ + 0.3 \cos 60^\circ + 0.105 \cos 15^\circ = 0.7277m$$

$$y = 0.55 \sin 30^\circ + 0.3 \sin 60^\circ + 0.105 \sin 15^\circ = 0.5619m$$

$$e^2 = 0.8454 m^2$$

$$I_{TOT} = I_A + I_{OB} + I_{OC} + I_{OD} + I_{OE} = 0.0012 e [13m^2]$$

$$e = 1.2401 \times 10^4 \frac{kg}{m^3}$$

$$m = V e = 50.04 kg$$

$$K = \sqrt{\frac{I_{TOT}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{15.213m^4}{50.04kg}} = 0.55 m = K$$