## Analysis of Statically Determinate Structures

ECE479 Structural Analysis II

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#### **Lecture Outlines**

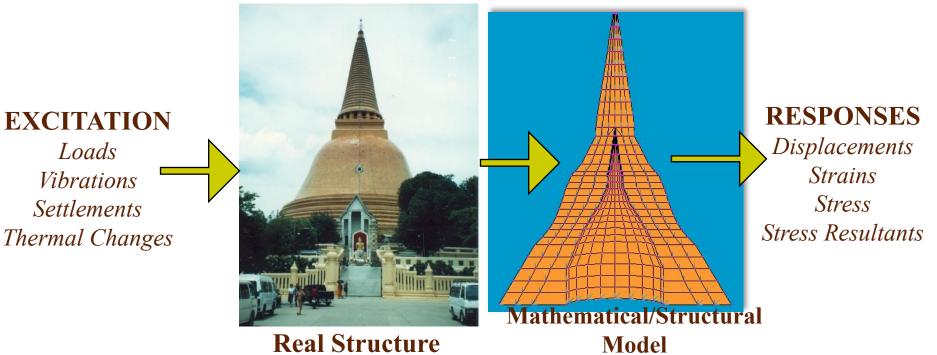
- Idealized Structure
- Equations of Equilibrium
- Determinacy and Stability

## **Intended Learning Outcomes**

- By the end of today's session student's should be able to:
- Idealize a structure
- Determine Determinacy and Stability of structure

#### Why Idealize Structure?

- Exact analysis --- Not possible
  - Estimate
    - Loading and its point of application
    - Strength of the Materials



### **Support Connections**

- Types --- Usually Three
- Pin supported connection
- Roller supported connection
- Fixed supported connection

#### **Support Connections- Roller support**



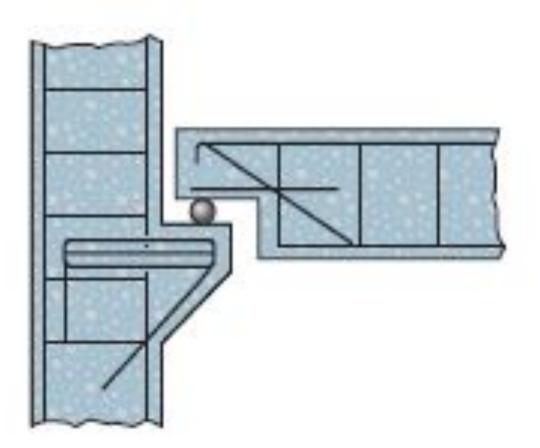
Roller support - Deck of concrete bridge (One section considered roller supported on other section)

#### **Support Connections- Roller support**



 Roller support - Used to supports prestressed girders of a highway bridge.

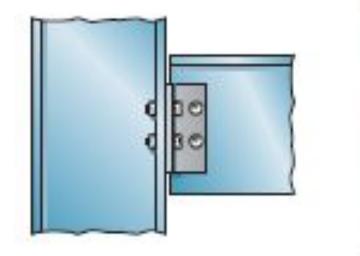
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Roller supported Concrete connection

#### **Support Connections – Pin support**



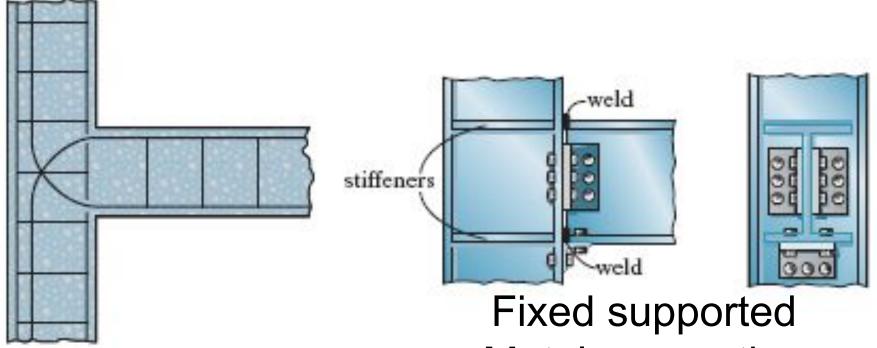




Pin supported Metal connection

Pin support - Steel girder Railway bridge

## **Support Connections – Fixed support**



Fixed supported Concrete connection Metal connection



# Roller Support

## **Equations of Equilibrium**

- For complete static equilibrium in 2D, three requirements must be met:
  - 1. External Horizontal forces balance (translation).
  - 2. External Vertical forces balance (translation).
  - 3. External Moments balance about any point (rotational).

#### **Equations of Equilibrium**

• For two-dimensional system of forces and moments, the equilibrium equations are:

1. 
$$\Sigma F_x = 0$$
  
2.  $\Sigma F_y = 0$   
3.  $\Sigma M_z = 0$   
Positive  
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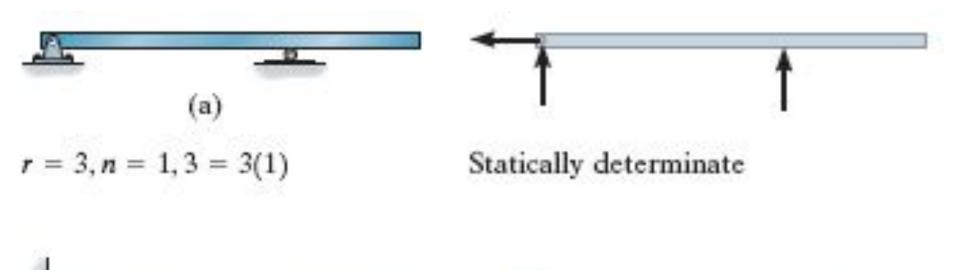
#### **Determinate vs Indeterminate Structure**

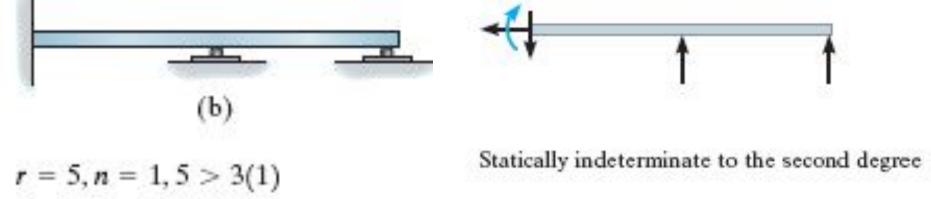
- When all the forces in a structure can be determined from the equilibrium equations, the structure is referred to as *statically determinate*.
- When the unknown forces in a structure are more than the available equilibrium equations, that structure is known as *statically indeterminate*.

#### Determinacy

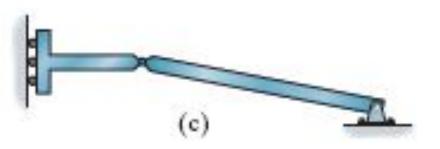
- For a coplanar structure, there are at most three equilibrium equations for each part.
   If there is a total of *n* parts and *r* force and moment reaction components, we have
  - *r* = 3*n* statically determinate
  - *r* > 3*n* statically indeterminate

#### Determinate vs Indeterminate Structure – Examples (Beams)





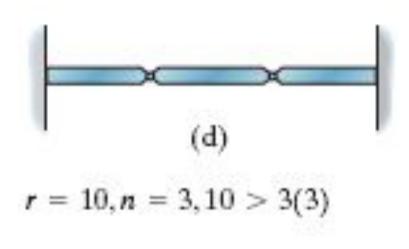
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Statically determinate

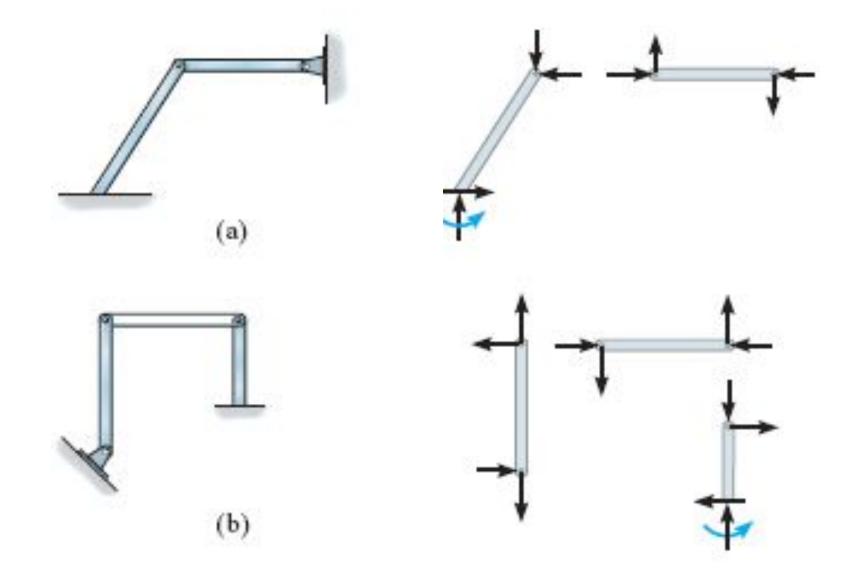
r = 6, n = 2, 6 = 3(2)



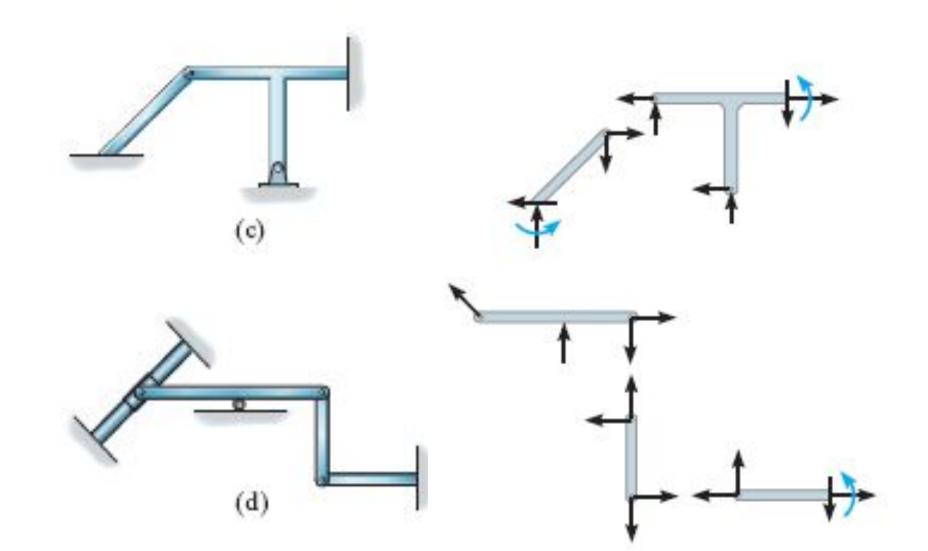


Statically indeterminate to the first degree

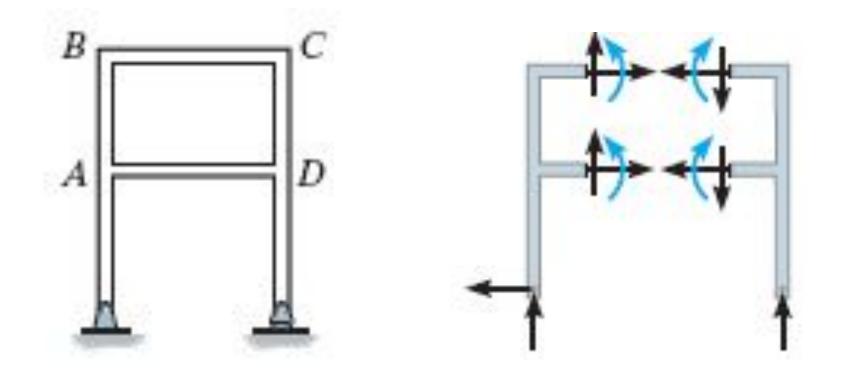
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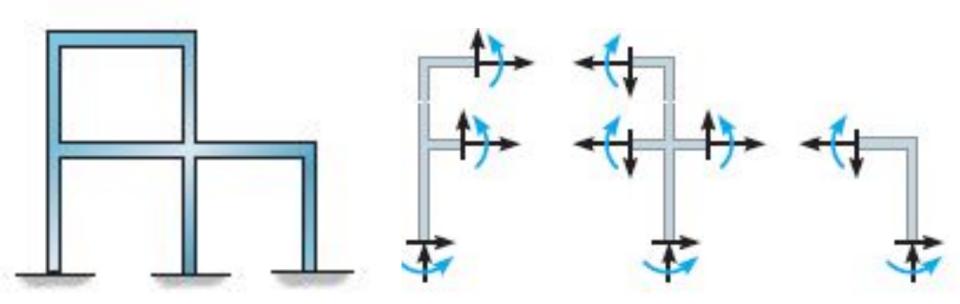


#### **Determinate vs Indeterminate Structure – Examples (Frame)**



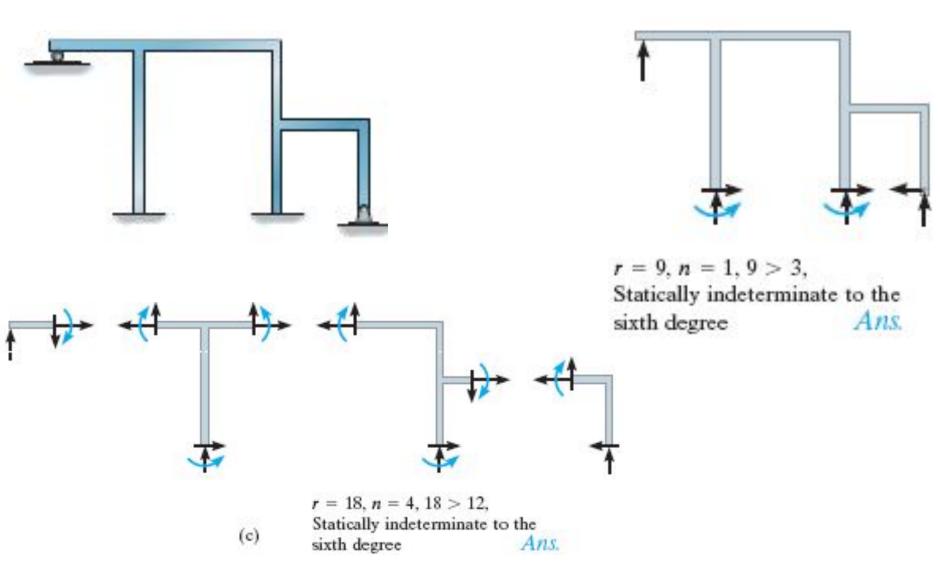
r = 9, n = 2, 9 > 6,Statically indeterminate to the third degree Ans

## **Determinate vs Indeterminate Structure – Examples (Frame)**



r = 18, n = 3, 18 > 9,Statically indeterminate to the ninth degree Ans.

## Determinate vs Indeterminate Structure – Examples (Frame)



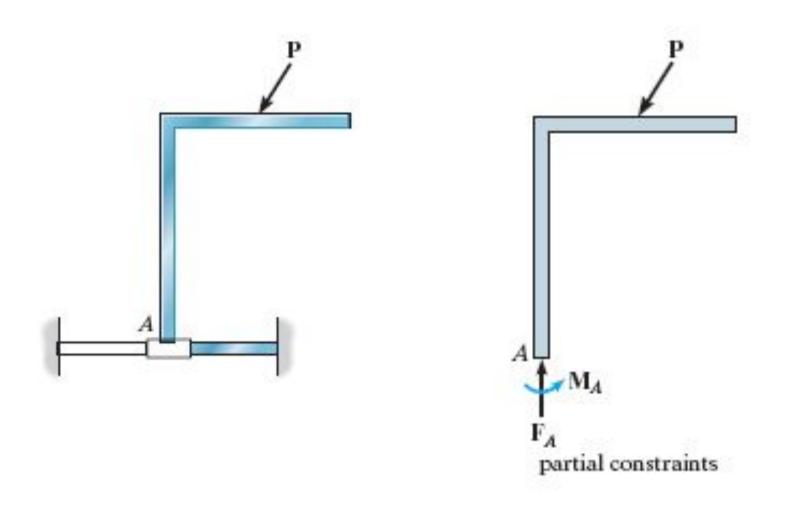
## Stability

- What conditions are necessary To ensure equilibrium of a structure?
- A structure will be unstable if
- there are fewer reactive forces than equations of equilibrium (Partial Constraints)

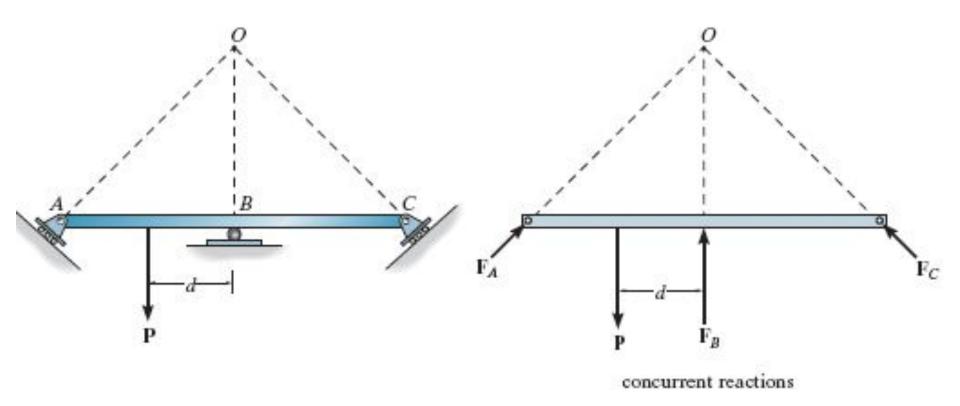
or

• there are enough reactions and instability will occur if the lines of action of reactive forces intersect at a common point or are parallel to one another (Improper Constraints)

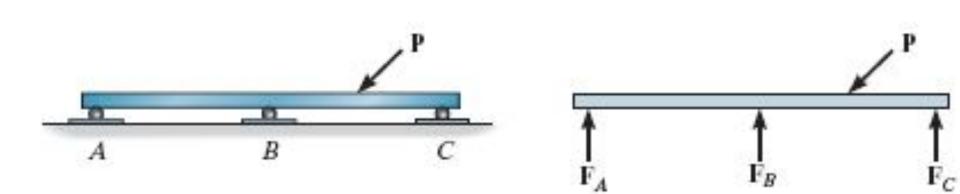
#### **Stability – Example – Partial Constraints**



#### **Stability – Example – Improper Constraints**



#### **Stability – Example – Improper Constraints**



parallel reactions

#### **Stability**

r < 3n unstable

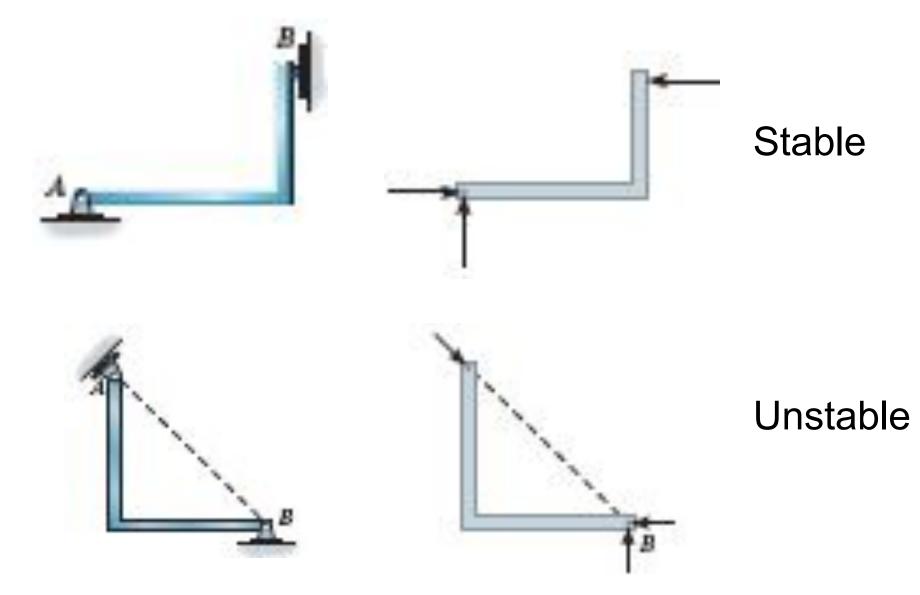
# r ≥ 3n unstable if member reactions are concurrent or parallel or some of the components form collapsible mechanism

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- r --- Unknown reactions
- n--- Members

Unstable structures Must be avoided in practice

#### **Stability – Examples**



#### **Stability**

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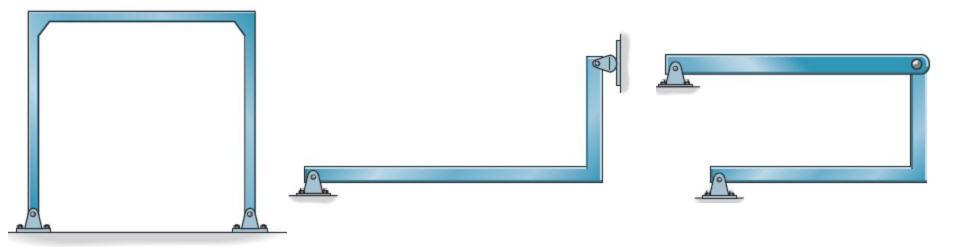
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