

**Physics 101**  
**Summer Semester**  
**Final Examination**  
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**2.00-4.00 PM**

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Problem	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Points											

Notes

1. Answer all questions
2. Each question will be assigned 5 points
3. The solution should be given explicitly for each problem
4. No solution = no points
5. Check the correct answer for each question
6. Take  $g = 10m/s^2$ ,  $\cos 37 = 0.8$ ,  $\sin 37 = 0.6$
7. Mobile Phones and Pagers are not allowed

P1- A block starts from rest and accelerates uniformly to 12 m/s in 2 seconds. What is the distance covered by the block during this time.

- (a) 3 m      (b) 12 m      (c) 24 m      (d) 36 m

accelerates uniformly  $\Rightarrow$  constant acceleration  
 $v(2) = 12 \text{ m/s}$  and  $v(0) = 0$   
 from the first equation (1)  
 $v_f = v_o + at$   
 $a = \frac{v_f - v_o}{t} = \frac{12}{2} = 6 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 from equation (3)  $\Delta x = \frac{v_f^2 - v_o^2}{2a} = \frac{(12)^2 - 0}{12} = 12 \text{ m} \#$

or eqn (4)  
 $\Delta x = \frac{1}{2}(v_f + v_o)t$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}(12+0)(2)$   
 $= 12 \text{ m} \#$

- 1)  $v_f = v_o + at$
- 2)  $\Delta x = v_o t + \frac{1}{2}at^2$
- 3)  $v_f^2 = v_o^2 + 2a\Delta x$
- 4)  $\Delta x = \frac{1}{2}(v_f + v_o)t$
- 5)  $\Delta x = v_o t - \frac{1}{2}at^2$

P2- A particle moves in the x-y plane with a constant acceleration given by  $\vec{a} = -4\hat{j} \text{ m/s}^2$ . At  $t=0$  its position is  $10\hat{i}$  and its velocity is  $(-2\hat{i} + 8\hat{j}) \text{ m/s}$ . How far is the particle from the origin at  $t=2 \text{ s}$ .

- (a) 23 m      (b) 10 m      (c) 20 m      (d) 16 m

Given:  $a = -4\hat{j}$        $r_o = 10\hat{i}$        $v_o = (-2\hat{i} + 8\hat{j})$

$$r = r_o + v_o t + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$= 10\hat{i} + (-2\hat{i} + 8\hat{j})(2) + \frac{1}{2}(-4\hat{j})(2)^2$$

$$r = (10 - 4)\hat{i} + (16 - 8)\hat{j} = 6\hat{i} + 8\hat{j}$$

$$d = \sqrt{36 + 64} = 10 \text{ m} \#$$

P3- Two blocks having masses  $M_1 = 2 \text{ kg}$  and  $M_2 = 3 \text{ kg}$  are in contact on a fixed rough inclined plane as shown in figure. A force  $F = 48 \text{ N}$  accelerates the blocks up the incline. The coefficient of kinetic friction between the blocks and the incline is  $\mu_k = 0.2$ . The magnitude of the contact force between the blocks is

- (a) 4.6 N      (b) 5.6 N      (c) 19.2      (d) 11.2 N

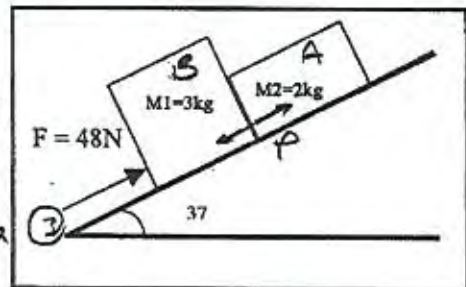
let us call the contact force between them  $P$   
 analyze for both blocks A and B.

for A

- (x)  $P - f_k - m_A g \sin 37^\circ = m_A a$  ----- (1)
- (y)  $N_A = m_A g \cos 37^\circ$  ----- (2)

for B

- (x)  $F - f_k - m_B g \sin 37^\circ - m_A g \sin 37^\circ = m_B a$  ----- (3)
- (y)  $N_B = m_B g \cos 37^\circ$  ----- (4)



from (1) and from (3)

$$P - 3.2 - 12 = 2a$$

$$48 - P - 4.8 - 18 = 3a$$

Add the two equations  $\Rightarrow 5a = 10 \Rightarrow a = 2 \text{ m/s}^2$

$\therefore$  from eqn (5)  $P = 19.2 \text{ N} \#$



P4- The only force acting on a 2-kg object varies with position as shown in figure in the form of a semi-circle. If the object starts from rest at the origin, what is the kinetic energy gained by the object during the displacement from  $x=0$  to  $x=10$  m.

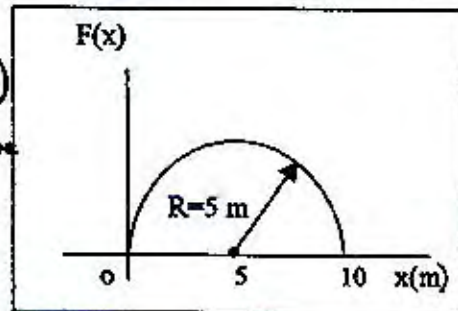
- (a) 78.5 J      (b) 39.25 J      (c) 31.4 J      (d) 15.7 J

$$W_{\text{net}} = \Delta K = K_f - K_i$$

Where  $K_i = \text{zero}$  (starts from rest)

$$W = \int F(x) dx = \text{area under curve}$$

$$K_f = W = \frac{\pi r^2}{2} = \frac{\pi (5)^2}{2} = \underline{\underline{39.27 \text{ J}}}$$



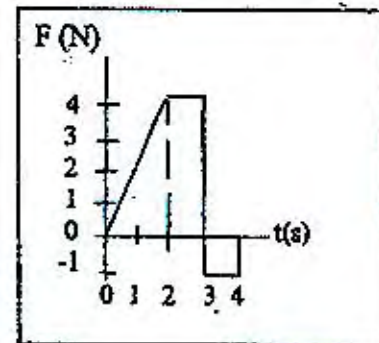
P5- The force acting on a 2-kg particle varies with time as shown in figure. Find the average force acting on the particle in the first 3 seconds.

- (a) 1.33 N      (b) 2.67 N      (c) 4 N      (d) 12 N

$$F_{\text{avg}} = \frac{J}{\Delta t} = \frac{\text{area under curve}}{\Delta t}$$

$$= \frac{(\frac{1}{2}(2)(4)) + (1)(4)}{3}$$

$$= \frac{4+4}{3} = \underline{\underline{2.67 \text{ N}}}$$



P6- A frictionless track ABC is shown in figure. A block of mass  $m_1 = 5$  kg is released from A at height H. It makes a head-on elastic collision with a block of mass  $m_2 = 10$  kg at B, initially at rest. Calculate the height H if the maximum height to which  $m_1$  will rise after the collision is  $h = 0.56$  m.

- (a) 0.28 m      (b) 0.56 m      (c) 3 m      (d) 5.0 m

Solve the problem backward.

$$m_1 g h = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v_i^2 \Rightarrow$$

$$v_i = \sqrt{11.2} = 3.346 \text{ m/s}$$

But  $v_i$  here is the same for final  $v_{if}$  of the elastic collision

$$\therefore v_{if} = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{m_1 + m_2} v_{ii} = \frac{5}{15} v_{ii}$$

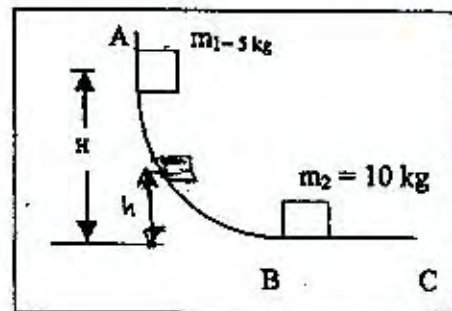
$$\Rightarrow v_{ii} = 10 \text{ m/s}$$

But  $v_{ii}$  is the same for the final velocity of the energy conservation

$$m_1 g H = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v^2$$

$$\text{so } H = \frac{5}{2} (10)^2$$

$$H = 5 \text{ m}$$



P7- A 10 kg object at rest exploded into three fragments, two of them are moving after the explosion with speeds as shown. Determine the velocity of the third fragment.

- (a) 54 m/s (b) 33.6 m/s (c) 1.61 m/s (d) 19.7 m/s

$$P_i = P_f$$

$$0 = m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 + m_3 v_3$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{m_2 v_2}{m_1 v_1} = \frac{40}{30} = .74$$

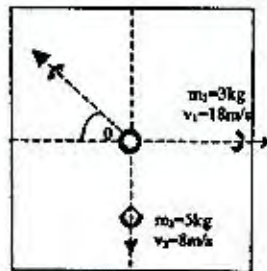
$$\theta = \tan^{-1} .74 = 36.5^\circ$$

$$\therefore v_3 = \frac{m_1 v_1}{m_3 \cos \theta} = \frac{30}{1.61} = 33.6 \text{ m/s}$$

$$0 = 3(18\hat{i}) - 5(8\hat{j}) + 2v_3$$

$$-27\hat{i} + 20\hat{j} = v_3$$

$$v_3 = \sqrt{(20)^2 + (27)^2} = \sqrt{1129} = 33.6 \text{ m/s}$$



P8- A wheel rotating about a fixed axis through its center has a constant angular acceleration of  $4.0 \text{ rad/s}^2$ . In a certain  $4.0 \text{ s}$  interval the wheel turns through an angle of  $80 \text{ rad}$ . What is the angular speed of the wheel at the start of the  $4.0 \text{ s}$  interval.

- (a) 28 rad/s (b) 40 rad/s (c) 16 rad/s (d) 12 rad/s

$$\alpha = 4 \text{ rad/s}^2 \quad \Delta t = 4 \text{ sec} \quad \Delta \theta = 80 \text{ rad} \quad \omega_0 = ??$$

$$\Delta \theta = \omega_0 t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha t^2 \Rightarrow 80 = \omega_0 (4) + \frac{1}{2} (4) (4)^2$$

$$\therefore \omega_0 = \frac{80 - 32}{4} = 12 \text{ rad/s}$$

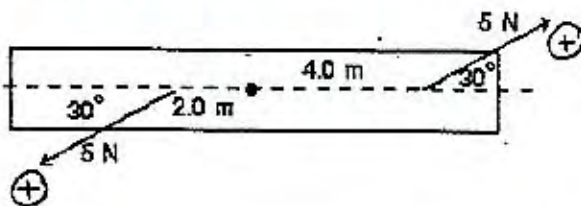
P9- A rod is pivoted about its center. A  $5 \text{ N}$  force is applied  $4 \text{ m}$  from the pivot and another  $5 \text{ N}$  force is applied  $2 \text{ m}$  from the pivot, as shown. The magnitude of the total torque is:

- (a)  $0 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$  (b)  $5 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$  (c)  $8.7 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$  (d)  $15 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$

$$\tau_{\text{net}} = \tau_1 + \tau_2$$

$$= \oplus 5(4) \sin 30^\circ + \oplus 5(2) \sin 30^\circ$$

$$= 10 + 5 = 15 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}$$



P10 - The moment of inertia about an axis passing through the center of mass of a thin rod of

mass  $M$  and length  $L$  is  $I = \frac{ML^2}{12}$ . If the rod is pivoted about a frictionless pin  $O$

through one end and is released from rest in a vertical position as shown in the figure.

What is the linear velocity of the center of mass of the rod at the instant the rod is inverted

in a vertical position

- (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{3g}{2L}}$  m/s (b)  $\sqrt{\frac{3gL}{2}}$  m/s (c)  $\sqrt{\frac{3g}{2}}$  m/s (d)  $\sqrt{\frac{6g}{L}}$  m/s

$$I_{\text{cm}} = \frac{ML^2}{12} \Rightarrow I = \frac{ML^2}{12} + M \frac{L^2}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{ML^2}{3}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} I \omega_f^2 = Mg \Delta y \quad \text{where } \Delta y = L$$

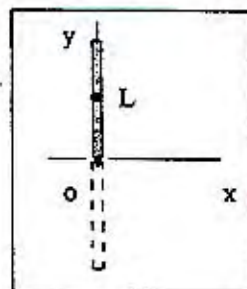
$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{ML^2}{3} \omega_f^2 = MgL$$

$$\omega_f^2 = \frac{6gL}{L^2} = \frac{6g}{L} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\therefore v_f = \omega_f r \quad \text{where } r = \frac{L}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{From (1)} \quad v_f^2 = \frac{6g}{L} \left(\frac{L^2}{4}\right) = \frac{3gL}{2}$$

$$\therefore v_f = \sqrt{\frac{3gL}{2}}$$





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P1

$$a = \frac{v - v_0}{t} = \frac{12 - 0}{2} = 6 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$x = x_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2$$

$$x = 0 + (0.5)(6)(2)^2 = 12 \text{ m}$$

P2  $a = (-4i)$

$$r_0 = 10i$$

$$v_0 = (-2i + 8j)$$

$$r = r_0 + v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 = 10i + (-2i + 8j)(2) + \frac{1}{2}(-4j)(2)^2$$

$$r = (10 - 4)i + (16 - 8)j = 6i + 8j$$

$$d = \sqrt{36 + 64} = 10 \text{ m}$$

P3

$$a = \frac{F - (m_1 + m_2)g \sin 37 - \mu_k (m_1 + m_2)g \cos 37}{m_1 + m_2}$$

$$a = \frac{48 - (3 + 2)(10)(0.6) - 0.2(3 + 2)(10)(0.8)}{(3 + 2)} = 2 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$P - m_2 g \sin 37 - \mu_k m_2 g \cos 37 = m_2 a$$

$$P - (2)(10)(0.6) - (0.2)(2)(10)(0.8) = (2)(2)$$

$$P = 19.2 \text{ N}$$

P4

$$\Delta K = \frac{1}{2} \pi R^2 = 39.25 \text{ J}$$

P5

$$F_{\text{avg}} = \frac{J}{\Delta t} = \frac{\text{area}}{\Delta t} =$$

$$F_{\text{avg}} = \frac{(0.5)(2 - 1)(4) + (3 - 2)(4)}{3} = 2.67 \text{ N}$$

P6

$$\frac{1}{2} m_1 v^2 = m_1 g h_2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (5)(v^2) = 5(10)(0.56)$$

$$v = \sqrt{2(10)(0.56)} = 3.33 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_{1f} = \frac{(m_1 - m_2)}{(m_1 + m_2)} v_{1i}$$

$$-3.33 = \frac{(5 - 10)}{(5 + 10)} v_{1i}$$

$$v_{1i} = 10 \text{ m/s}$$

$$m_1 g H = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v_{1i}^2$$

$$H = (0.5)(100)/10 = 5 \text{ meters}$$

P7

$$P_i = P_f$$

$$0 = m_1 v_1 - m_3 v_3 \cos \theta$$

$$0 = -m_2 v_2 + m_3 v_3 \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{m_2 v_2}{m_1 v_1} = \frac{40}{54} = .74$$

$$\tan \theta = .74 \Rightarrow \theta = 36.5^\circ$$

$$v_3 = \frac{m_1 v_1}{m_3 \cos \theta} = \frac{54}{1.61} = 33.6 \text{ m/s}$$

P9

$$\tau_{\text{net}} = \tau_1 + \tau_2$$

$$\tau_{\text{net}} = |(4)(5 \sin 30) + (2)(5) \sin 30| = 15 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

P8

$$\Delta \theta = \omega_1 \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha (\Delta t)^2$$

$$\omega_1 = \frac{80 - (0.5)(4)(4)^2}{4} = 12 \text{ rad/s}$$

P10

$$MgL = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{ML^2}{3} \right) \omega^2$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{6g}{L}}$$

$$v_{\text{com}} = \omega \left( \frac{L}{2} \right) = \sqrt{\frac{3gL}{2}}$$