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Physics 211, Fall 2019 Exam 3

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1. [20pts total] A crate of mass $m=3 \text{ kg}$ is being pulled on leveled floor with a force of 7 Newtons using a cord inclined horizontally (see picture below). The coefficient of kinetic friction between the crate and the floor is $\mu_k=0.2$. The crate moves 5 m forward.

- (a) [6pts] Calculate the work done by the frictional force.

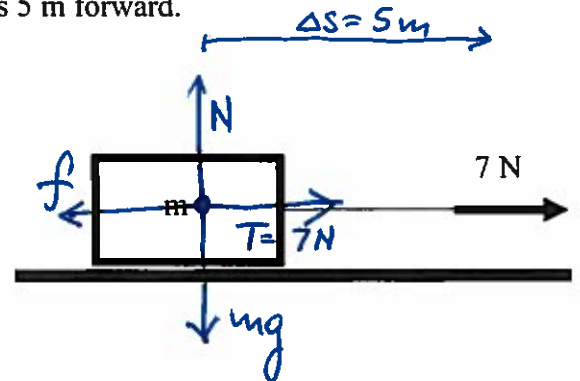
$$W_f = \vec{f} \cdot \Delta \vec{s} = -f \Delta s$$

Newton's 2nd Law in vertical direction:

$$m \overset{0}{\underset{0}{a}} = N - mg \rightarrow N = mg$$

$$f = \mu N = \mu mg$$

$$W_f = -\mu mg \Delta s = -30 \text{ J}$$



- (b) [2pts] Calculate the work done by the gravitational force (i.e. by weight).

$$W_{mg} = m\vec{g} \cdot \Delta \vec{s} = mg \Delta s \cos 90^\circ = 0$$

- (c) [2pts] Calculate the work done by the tension force of the cord.

$$W_T = \vec{T} \cdot \Delta \vec{s} = T \cdot \Delta s = 7 \cdot 5 = 35 \text{ J}$$

- (d) [2pts] Calculate the work done by the normal force from the floor.

$$W_N = \vec{N} \cdot \Delta \vec{s} = 0$$

- (e) [3pts] Calculate the net work done on the block.

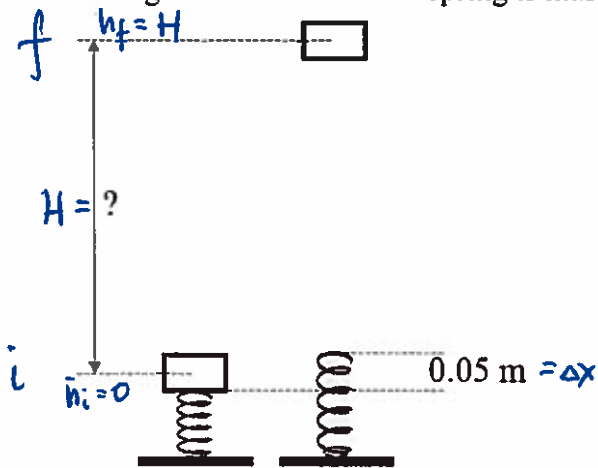
$$W_{net} = W_f + W_{mg} + W_T + W_N = -30 + 35 = 5 \text{ J}$$

- (f) [5pts] Assuming the block started from rest, use work-kinetic energy relation to calculate its final velocity.

$$W_{net} = \Delta K = K_f - K_i = \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2$$

$$v_f = \sqrt{\frac{2 W_{net}}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot 5}{3}} = 1.82 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

2. [20pts total] A 0.35kg block is resting on a vertical spring compressed by 0.05m relative to its natural length. The spring constant is equal to 1500 N/m. The spring is then allowed to relax, thus the block is shot upwards. How high does the block rise above its initial position? Neglect the air drag and assume that the spring is massless.



$$E_i = E_f$$

$$K_i + U_i = K_f + U_f$$

0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
0	U_{spring}	"	0	"	$U_{\text{gravit.}}$	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
$\frac{1}{2} k \Delta x^2$	"	"	0	"	mgH	"	"

$$\frac{1}{2} k \Delta x^2 = mgH$$

$$H = \frac{\frac{1}{2} k \Delta x^2}{mg} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} 1500 \cdot 0.05^2}{0.35 \cdot 10} = \underline{\underline{0.54 \text{ m}}}$$

3. [20pts total] A moose running at a speed of 4 m/s, runs head on into a car. The car is going 25 m/s (about 55 mph) immediately before the collision. The mass of the moose is 600 kg. The mass of the car is 1100 kg.

(a)[10pts] The moose bounces off the car with a speed of 32 m/s immediately after the collision. What is the speed of the car in m/s immediately after the collision?

i

ii

$$\vec{P}_{tot i} = \vec{P}_{tot f}$$

$$m_c v_{ci x} + m_m v_{mi x} = m_c v_{cf x} + m_m v_{mf x}$$

$$1100 \cdot 25 + 600(-4) = 1100 v_{cf} + 600 \cdot 32$$

$$v_{cf} = \frac{1100 \cdot 25 + 600(-4) - 600 \cdot 32}{1100} = 5.4 \frac{m}{s}$$

(b)[10pts] (A different scenario than in point (a)). The moose falls into the car through the front window and gets stuck in the car. What is the speed of the car immediately after the collision?

i

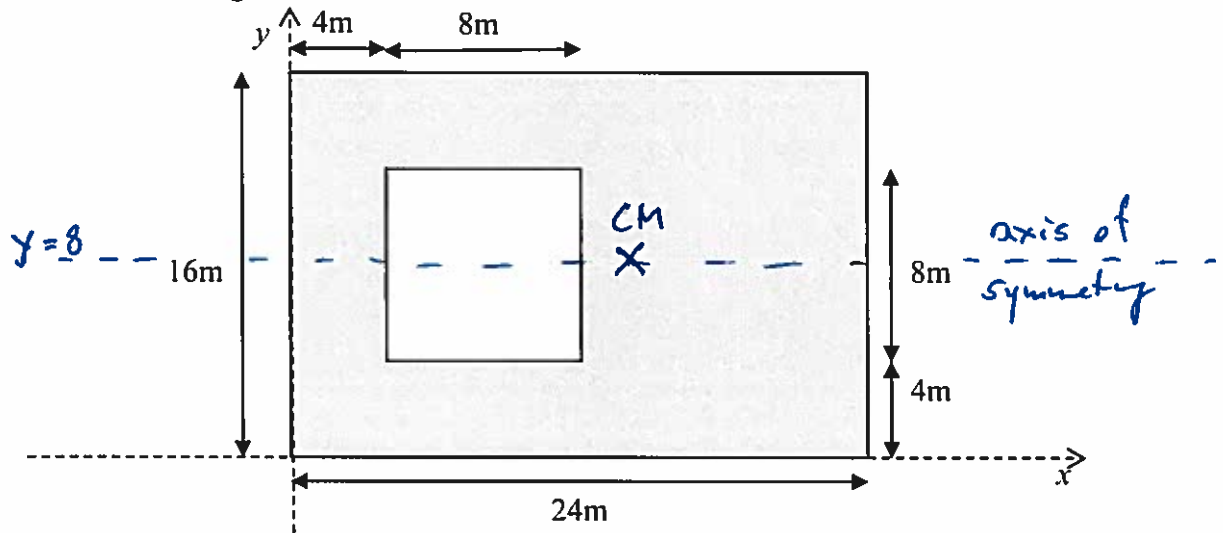
same as above

ii

$$m_c v_{ci x} + m_m v_{mi x} = (m_c + m_m) v_{cf}$$

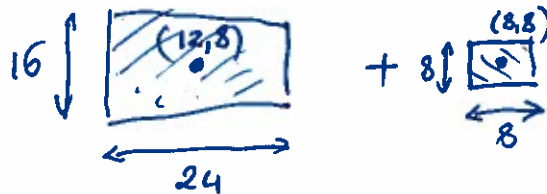
$$v_{cf} = \frac{1100 \cdot 25 + 600(-4)}{1100 + 600} = 14.7 \frac{m}{s}$$

4. [20pts] Find the center-of-mass of the uniform plate shown below – express your result as x and y coordinates of the center-of-mass location in the coordinate system shown below. Also mark its position on the drawing and label it “CM”.



$$y_{CM} = 8 \text{ m} \quad \text{from symmetry}$$

fastest way to find x_{CM} is a trick with negative mass:



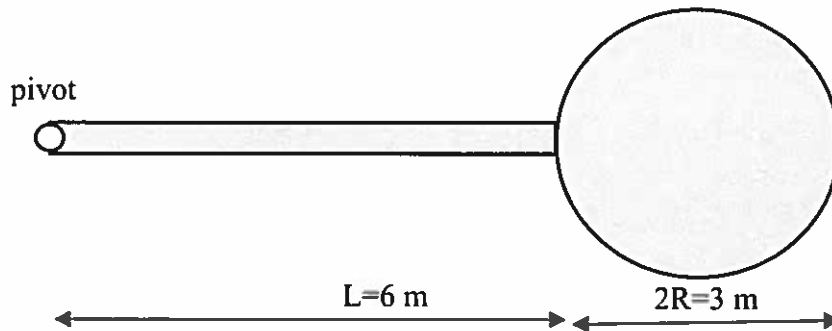
$$m_1 = 16 \cdot 24 = 384$$

$$m_2 = -8 \cdot 8 = -64$$

$$x_{CM} = \frac{m_1 x_1 + m_2 x_2}{m_1 + m_2} = \frac{384 \cdot 12 + (-64) \cdot 8}{384 + (-64)}$$

$$= 12.8 \text{ m}$$

5. [20pts] Find the moment of inertia of a solid disk of mass $M_d=7$ kg attached to a slender rod of mass $M_r=5$ kg about the axis of rotation going through the far end of the rod and perpendicular to the disk (the pivot point is shown below). The dimensions are given below.



$$I = I_{\text{disk}} + I_{\text{rod}}$$

$$I_{\text{disk}} = \underbrace{I_{\text{disk cm}}}_{\frac{1}{2} M_d R^2} + M_d (L+R)^2$$

$$I_{\text{rod}} = \underbrace{I_{\text{rod cm}}}_{\frac{1}{12} M_r L^2} + M_r \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} M_r L^2 \quad (\text{OK to get this from the Table})$$

$$I = 461.6 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2$$

Table 9.2 Moments of Inertia of Various Bodies

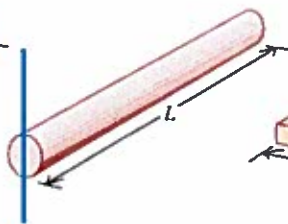
(a) Slender rod,
axis through center

$$I = \frac{1}{12} ML^2$$



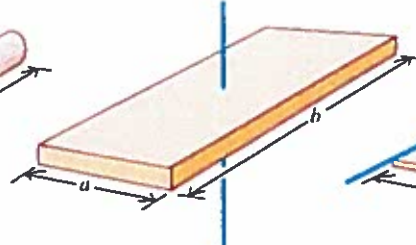
(b) Slender rod,
axis through one end

$$I = \frac{1}{3} ML^2$$



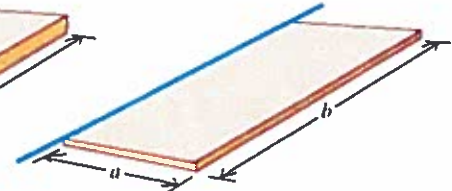
(c) Rectangular plate,
axis through center

$$I = \frac{1}{12} M(a^2 + b^2)$$



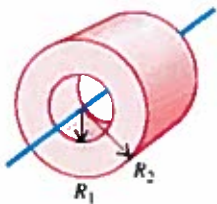
(d) Thin rectangular plate,
axis along edge

$$I = \frac{1}{3} Ma^2$$



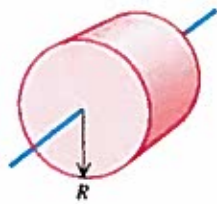
(e) Hollow cylinder

$$I = \frac{1}{2} M(R_1^2 + R_2^2)$$



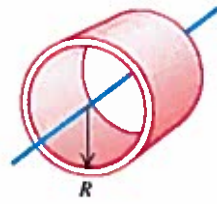
(f) Solid cylinder

$$I = \frac{1}{2} MR^2$$



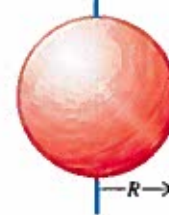
(g) Thin-walled hollow
cylinder

$$I = MR^2$$



(h) Solid sphere

$$I = \frac{2}{5} MR^2$$



(i) Thin-walled hollow
sphere

$$I = \frac{2}{3} MR^2$$

