

1. Three particles A , B and C , each of mass m , are placed in that order, in a straight line on a smooth horizontal table. The particle A is given a velocity u such that it collides directly with the particle B . After colliding with the particle A , the particle B moves and collides directly with the particle C . The coefficient of restitution between A and B is e . Find the velocity of B after the first collision.

The coefficient of restitution between B and C is also e . Write down the velocity of C after its collision with B .

Applying $\underline{I} = \Delta(m\underline{v})$,

for A and B (1^{st} collision) \rightarrow :

$$0 = mv + mw - mu \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow v + w = u \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

Newton's law of restitution :

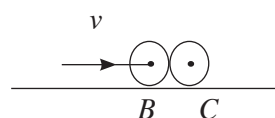
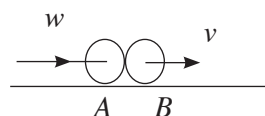
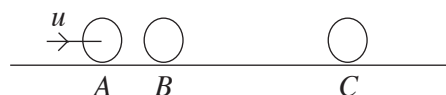
$$v - w = eu \quad \text{--- (ii)} \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore \text{(i) + (ii)} \Rightarrow v = \frac{(1+e)}{2} u \quad (5)$$

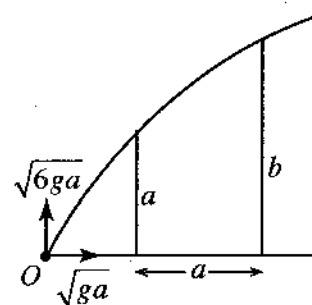
$$\therefore \text{velocity of } B \text{ after } 1^{\text{st}} \text{ collision} = \frac{1}{2}(1+e)u.$$

$$\text{Replacing } u \text{ by } v, \text{ we get the velocity of } C \text{ after its collision with } B = \frac{1}{2}(1+e)v \quad (5)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(1+e)^2 u \quad (5)$$



2. A particle is projected from a point O on a horizontal floor with a velocity whose horizontal and vertical components are \sqrt{ga} and $\sqrt{6ga}$, respectively. The particle just clears two vertical walls of heights a and b which are at a horizontal distance a apart, as shown in the figure. Show that the vertical component of the velocity of the particle when it passes the wall of height a is $2\sqrt{ga}$. Show further that $b = \frac{5a}{2}$.



Suppose that the particle passes the wall of height a with vertical velocity component v .

From O to A , $\uparrow v^2 = u^2 + 2as$:

$$v^2 = 6ga - 2g \cdot a = 4ga \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore v = 2\sqrt{ga} \quad (5)$$

If it passes the second wall, after a further time T , then by applying

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2 \quad \text{from } A \text{ to } B, \rightarrow \text{ and } \uparrow, \text{ we get}$$

$$a = \sqrt{ga} \cdot T, \quad (5)$$

$$\text{and } b - a = 2\sqrt{ga} \cdot T - \frac{1}{2}gT^2 \quad (5)$$

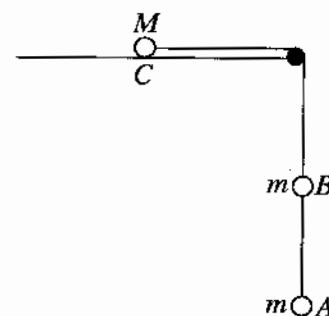
$$\text{Eliminating } T : b - a = 2\sqrt{ga} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} - \frac{1}{2}g \cdot \frac{a}{g}$$

$$\therefore b = a + 2a - \frac{a}{2}$$

$$\text{i.e. } b = \frac{5a}{2} \quad (5)$$

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3. In the figure, A , B and C are particles of masses m , m and M , respectively. The particles A and B are connected by a light inextensible string. The particle C , lying on a smooth horizontal table, is connected to B by another light inextensible string passing over a smooth small pulley fixed at the edge of the table. The particles and the strings all lie in the same vertical plane. The system is released from rest with the strings taut. Write down equations sufficient to determine the tension of the string joining A and B .



Applying $\underline{F} = m\underline{a}$

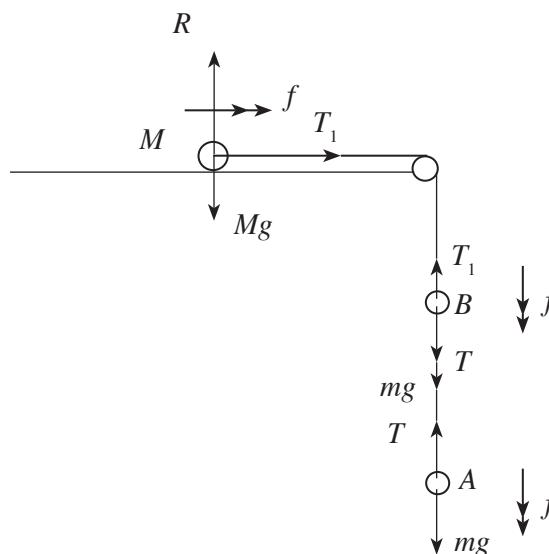
For A , $\downarrow \quad mg - T = mf \quad (5)$

For B , $\downarrow \quad T + mg - T_1 = mf, \quad (5)$

For C , $\rightarrow \quad T_1 = Mf \quad (5)$

Forces (5)

Accelerations (5)



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4. A car of mass M kg and constant power P kW moves downwards along a straight road of inclination α to the horizontal. There is a constant resistance of $R (> Mg \sin \alpha)$ N to its motion. At a certain instant, the acceleration of the car is $a \text{ ms}^{-2}$. Find the velocity of the car at this instant.

Deduce that the constant speed with which the car can move downwards along the road is

$$\frac{1000P}{R - Mg \sin \alpha} \text{ ms}^{-1}.$$

When the speed of the car is $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$

$$\text{tractive force } F = \frac{1000 P}{v} \quad (5)$$

At the instant when the acceleration is $a \text{ ms}^{-2}$,

Applying $F = ma$:

$$\swarrow \quad F + Mg \sin \alpha - R = Ma. \quad (10)$$

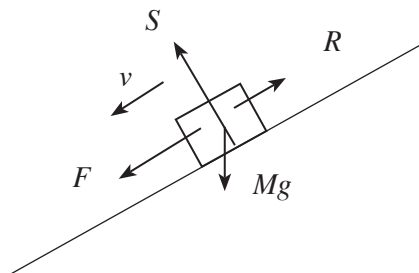
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1000 P}{v} + Mg \sin \alpha - R = Ma$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{1000 P}{R - Mg \sin \alpha + Ma} \quad (5)$$

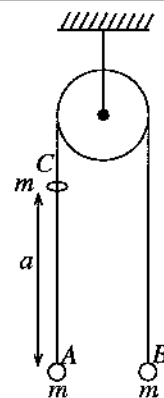
When the car is moving with constant speed,

$a = 0$ and the value of constant speed

$$v = \frac{1000 P}{R - Mg \sin \alpha} \quad (5)$$



5. Two particles, A and B , each of mass m , attached to the two ends of a light inextensible string which passes over a smooth fixed pulley, hang in equilibrium. A small bead C , also of mass m , released from rest from a point at a distance a vertically above A , moves freely under gravity and collides and coalesces with A . (See the figure.) Write down equations sufficient to determine the impulse of the string at the instant of the collision between A and C , and the velocity acquired by B just after the above collision.



Applying $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$ ↓, the

velocity acquired by C after falling through a distance a is

$$u = \sqrt{2ga} \quad (5)$$

Let J be the impulse in the string at the instant of collision

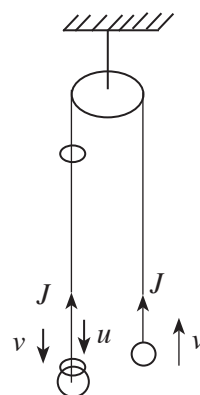
of C and A and v be the velocity of B , just after collision.

Then, applying $I = \Delta(mv)$

$$\text{for } B : \uparrow J = mv. \quad (5)$$

$$\text{For } A \text{ and } C : \downarrow -J = (m + m)v - mu. \quad (10)$$

$$\text{i.e. } -J = 2mv - m\sqrt{2ga}.$$



$$(5) \text{ for } v.$$

6. In the usual notation, let $2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$ and $3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$ be the position vectors of two points A and B , respectively, with respect to a fixed origin O . Find the position vectors of the two distinct points C and D such that $\angle AOC = \angle AOD = \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $OC = OD = \frac{1}{3}AB$.

Note that

$$\vec{OA} = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$$

$$\vec{OB} = 3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$$

$$\therefore \vec{AB} = \vec{AO} + \vec{OB}$$

$$= -(2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}) + (3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j})$$

$$= \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore AB = \sqrt{1+4} = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\text{Let } \vec{OC} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$$

$$\text{Since } \vec{OA} \perp \vec{OC}, (2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}) \cdot (x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}) = 0$$

$$\therefore y = -2x \quad (5)$$

$$\text{Since } OC = \frac{1}{3}AB, \sqrt{x^2 + 4x^2} = \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{5} \quad (5)$$

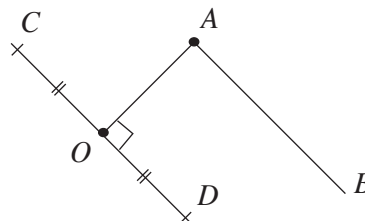
$$\therefore x^2 = \frac{1}{9}.$$

These equations are valid for the coordinates of D as well.

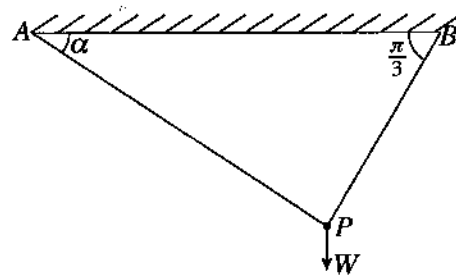
$$\text{So, } x = \pm \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{matrix} x = \frac{1}{3} \\ y = -\frac{2}{3} \end{matrix} \right\} (5) \quad \left. \begin{matrix} x = -\frac{1}{3} \\ y = \frac{2}{3} \end{matrix} \right\} (5)$$

Hence the vectors C and D are $\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{i} - \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j}$ and $-\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j}$.



7. A particle P of weight W , suspended from a horizontal ceiling by two light inextensible strings AP and BP making angles α and $\frac{\pi}{3}$ with the horizontal, respectively, is in equilibrium as shown in the figure. Find the tension in the string AP in terms of W and α .

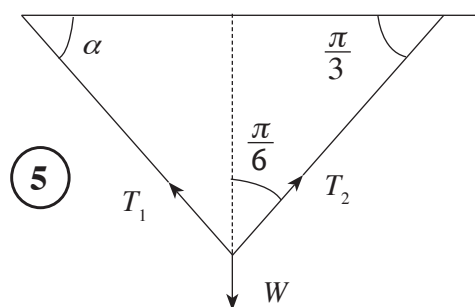


Hence, find the minimum value of this tension and the corresponding value of α .

By Lami's theorem

$$\frac{T_1}{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{W}{\sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha + \frac{\pi}{6} \right)} \quad (10)$$

$$\therefore T_1 = \frac{W}{2 \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \alpha \right)} \quad (5)$$

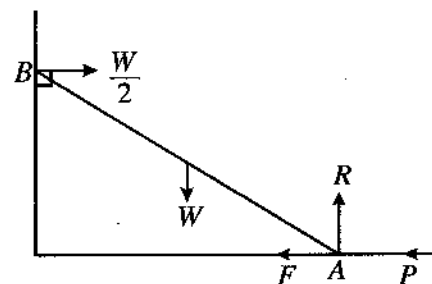


Hence the minimum value of the tension T_1 in $AP = \frac{W}{2}$, and

the value of α corresponding to minimum of T_1 is, $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{6}$. (5)

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8. A uniform rod AB of length $2a$ and weight W has its end A placed on a rough horizontal floor and the end B against a smooth vertical wall. The rod is kept in equilibrium in a vertical plane perpendicular to the wall by a horizontal force of magnitude P applied at the end A towards the wall. In the figure, F and R denote the frictional force and the normal reaction at A , respectively. If the reaction at B from the wall is $\frac{W}{2}$ as shown in the figure and the coefficient of friction between the rod and the floor is $\frac{1}{4}$, show that $\frac{W}{4} \leq P \leq \frac{3W}{4}$.



For the equilibrium of the rod :

$$\text{Resolving } \uparrow R - W = 0. \quad (5)$$

$$\leftarrow P + F - \frac{W}{2} = 0. \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore F = \frac{W}{2} - P \quad (5)$$

$\therefore |F| \leq \mu R$, we have

$$(5)$$

$$\left| \frac{W}{2} - P \right| \leq \frac{1}{4} W$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{4} W \leq \frac{W}{2} - P \leq \frac{1}{4} W$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{W}{4} \leq P \leq \frac{3W}{4} \quad (5)$$

9. Let A and B be two events of a sample space Ω . In the usual notation, it is given that $P(A) = \frac{3}{5}$, $P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{5}$ and $P(A' \cap B) = \frac{1}{10}$. Find $P(B)$ and $P(A' \cap B')$; where A' and B' denote complementary events of A and B , respectively.

$$P(B) = P((A \cap B) \cup (A' \cap B)) = P(A \cap B) + P(A' \cap B) \quad (5)$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{10}.$$

$$\therefore P(B) = \frac{1}{2}. \quad (5)$$

$$P(A' \cap B') = P((A \cup B)')$$

$$= 1 - P(A \cup B) \quad (5)$$

$$= 1 - [P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)] \quad (5)$$

$$= 1 - \left[\frac{3}{5} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{5} \right]$$

$$= 1 - \frac{7}{10}$$

$$\therefore P(A' \cap B') = \frac{3}{10} \quad (5)$$

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10. Five positive integers each of which is less than 5, have two modes, one of which is 3. Their mean, and median are both equal to 3. Find these five integers.

With median = 3, and two distinct modes, five numbers which are less five, in ascending order can be arranged in the following two possible ways.

$$a, a, 3, 3, 4 \quad (5)$$

$$b, 3, 3, 4, 4 \quad (5)$$

Since their sum is 15 as the mean is 3,

$$\text{we have, } 2a + 10 = 15 ; a = \frac{5}{2}, \# \quad (5)$$

$$\text{or } b + 14 = 15 ; b = 1. \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore \text{ Five numbers are } 1, 3, 3, 4, 4 \quad (5)$$

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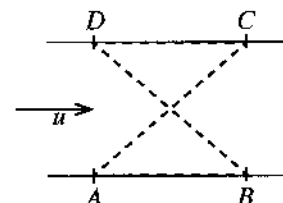
11. (a) Two cars P and Q move with constant accelerations in the same direction along a straight road. At time $t = 0$ the velocity of P is $u \text{ m s}^{-1}$ and the velocity of Q is $(u + 9) \text{ m s}^{-1}$. The constant acceleration of P is $f \text{ m s}^{-2}$ and the constant acceleration of Q is $\left(f + \frac{1}{10}\right) \text{ m s}^{-2}$.

Sketch the velocity-time graphs for

- the motions of P and Q for $t \geq 0$, in the same diagram, and
- the motion of Q relative to P for $t \geq 0$, in a separate diagram.

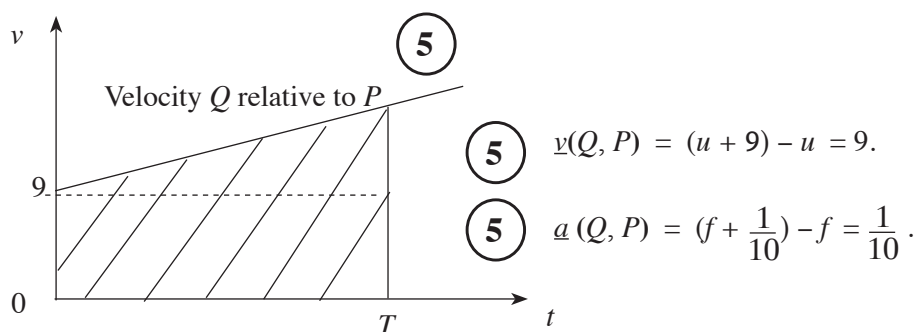
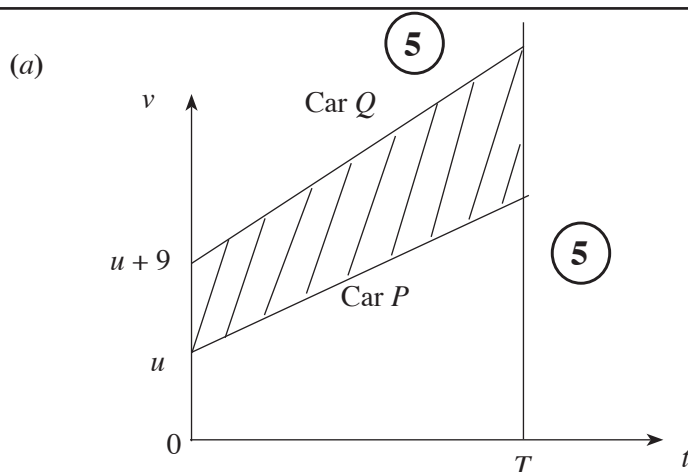
Further, it is given that at time $t = 0$ the car P is 200 metres ahead of the car Q . Find the time taken by Q to overtake P .

- (b) A river of breadth a with parallel straight banks flows with uniform velocity u . In the figure, the points A, B, C and D lying on the banks are the vertices of a square. Two boats B_1 and B_2 moving with constant speed v ($> u$) relative to water begin their journeys at the same instant from A . The boat B_1 first travels to C along \overrightarrow{AC} and then to D in the direction \overrightarrow{CD} upward along the river. The boat B_2 first travels to B in the direction \overrightarrow{AB} downwards along the river and then to D along \overrightarrow{BD} . Sketch the velocity triangles for the motions of B_1 from A to C and of B_2 from B to D in the same diagram.



Hence, show that the speed of the boat B_1 in its motion from A to C is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\sqrt{2v^2 - u^2} + u \right)$ and find the speed of the boat B_2 in its motion from B to D .

Further, show that both boats B_1 and B_2 reach D at the same instant.



At time $t = 0$, car P is 200m ahead of Q .

In either of the graph, the area of shaded region = 200. (5)

Let T be the time taken by Q to overtake P .

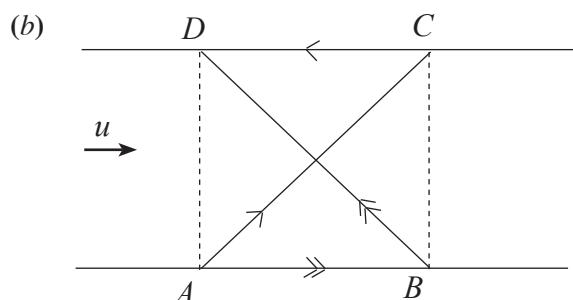
$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} T (9 + 9 + \frac{1}{10} T) = 200 \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow T^2 + 180 T - 4000 = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow (T - 20)(T + 200) = 0$$

$$\text{Since } T > 0, T = 20. \quad (5)$$

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Note that

$$\mathbf{V}(B_1, E) = \angle \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad (5) \quad \mathbf{V}(B_2, E) = \angle \frac{\pi}{4} \quad (5)$$

$$\mathbf{V}(W, E) = \rightarrow u, \quad (5)$$

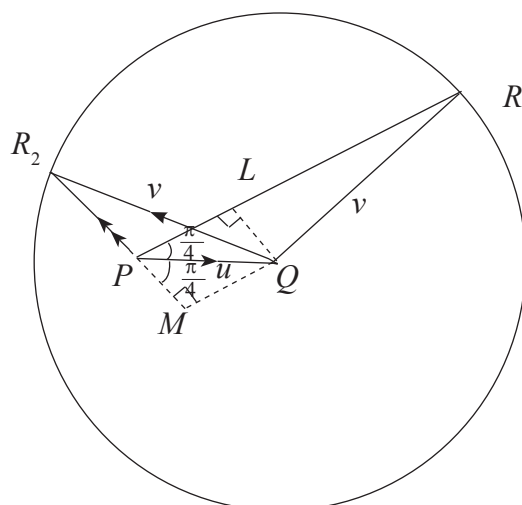
$$\mathbf{V}(B_i, W) = v, \text{ for } i = 1, 2.$$

$$\mathbf{V}(B_i, E) = \mathbf{V}(B_i, W) + \mathbf{V}(W, E) \quad (10)$$

$$= \mathbf{V}(W, E) + \mathbf{V}(B_i, W)$$

$$= \vec{PQ} + \vec{QR}_i \quad i = 1, 2$$

$$= \vec{PR}_i, \quad i = 1, 2$$



(15) + (15)

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In ΔPQR_1 ,

$$PR_1 = PL + LR_1$$

$$= \frac{u}{\sqrt{2}} + \sqrt{v^2 - \left(\frac{u}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\sqrt{2v^2 - u^2} + u \right] \quad (10)$$

Hence the speed of B_1 , from A to C is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\sqrt{2v^2 - u^2} + u \right)$

In ΔPQR_2 ,

$$\begin{aligned} PR_2 &= MR_2 - MP = \sqrt{v^2 - \left(\frac{u}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} - \frac{u}{\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\sqrt{2v^2 - u^2} - u \right) \quad (10) \end{aligned}$$

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Time taken by B_1 for its motion from A to C along \vec{AC} and then from C to D along \vec{CD} is

$$T_1 = \frac{a\sqrt{2}}{PR_1} + \frac{a}{v-u} \cdot (5)$$

Time taken by B_2 for its motion from A to B along \vec{AB} and then from B to D along \vec{BD} is

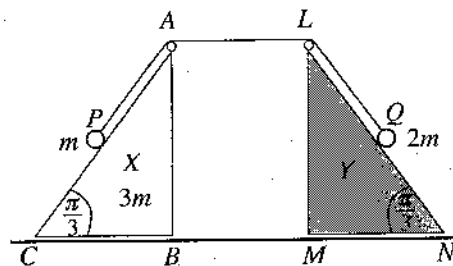
$$T_2 = \frac{a}{v+u} + \frac{a\sqrt{2}}{PR_2} \quad (5)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T_2 - T_1 &= a\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{1}{PR_2} - \frac{1}{PR_1} \right) - a \left(\frac{1}{v-u} - \frac{1}{v+u} \right) \quad (5) \\ &= a\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{PR_1 - PR_2}{PR_1 \cdot PR_2} \right) - \frac{2au}{v^2 - u^2} \\ &= \frac{a\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{2} u}{\frac{1}{2} \left[(2v^2 - u^2) - u^2 \right]} - \frac{2au}{v^2 - u^2} \quad (5) \\ &= \frac{2au}{v^2 - u^2} - \frac{2au}{v^2 - u^2} \\ &= 0. \quad (5) \end{aligned}$$

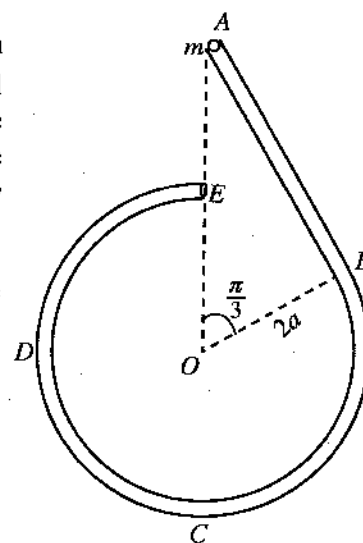
Hence, both boats B_1 and B_2 reach their destination D at the same instant.

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12. (a) The triangles ABC and LMN in the figure, are vertical cross-sections through the centres of gravity of two identical smooth uniform wedges X and Y respectively, with $\hat{ACB} = \hat{LNM} = \frac{\pi}{3}$ and $\hat{ABC} = \hat{LMN} = \frac{\pi}{2}$ such that the faces containing BC and MN are placed on a smooth horizontal floor. The wedge X of mass $3m$ is free to move on the floor and the wedge Y is kept fixed. The lines AC and LN are the lines of greatest slope of the relevant faces. Two ends of a light inextensible string passing over two smooth small pulleys fixed at A and L , are attached to particles P and Q of masses m and $2m$, respectively. At the initial position, the particles P and Q are held on AC and LN respectively such that $AP = AL = LQ = a$ and the string taut, as in the figure. The system is released from rest. Obtain equations sufficient to determine the time taken by X to reach Y in terms of a and g .

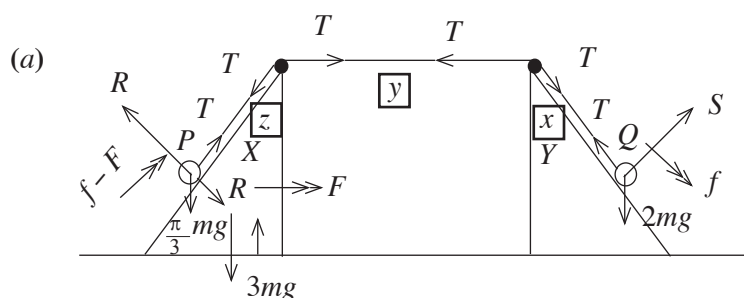


- (b) A smooth narrow tube $ABCDE$ is fixed in a vertical plane as shown in the figure. The portion AB of length $2\sqrt{3}a$ is straight and tangential at B to the circular portion $BCDE$ of radius $2a$. The ends A and E lie vertically above the centre O . A particle P of mass m is placed inside the tube at A and gently released from rest. Show that the speed v of the particle P when \overrightarrow{OP} makes an angle θ ($\frac{\pi}{3} < \theta < 2\pi$) with \overrightarrow{OA} is given by $v^2 = 4ga(2 - \cos \theta)$ and find the reaction on the particle P from the tube at this instant.



Also, find the reaction on the particle P from the tube in its motion from A to B .

Show that the reaction on the particle P from the tube changes abruptly when the particle P passes through B .



Forces (15)

Accelerations (20)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Acc of } (X, E) &= \longrightarrow F \\ \text{Acc of } (Q, E) &= \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ , } (\because Y \text{ is fixed.}) \\ \text{Acc of } (P, X) &= f - F \\ \therefore \text{Acc of } (P, E) &= \longrightarrow F + \frac{\pi}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$x + y + z = \text{constant}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{x} + \ddot{y} + \ddot{z} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ddot{z} = \ddot{x} - (-\ddot{y})$$

$$= f - F$$

$$\text{Applying } F = ma$$

For motion of X and particle P ;

$$\rightarrow T = 3mF + m\left(F + \frac{f-F}{2}\right) \quad (15)$$

For motion of P ;

$$\begin{array}{c} \nearrow \frac{\pi}{3} \\ T - mg \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = m \left(f - F + \frac{F}{2} \right) \end{array} \quad (10)$$

For motion of Q ;

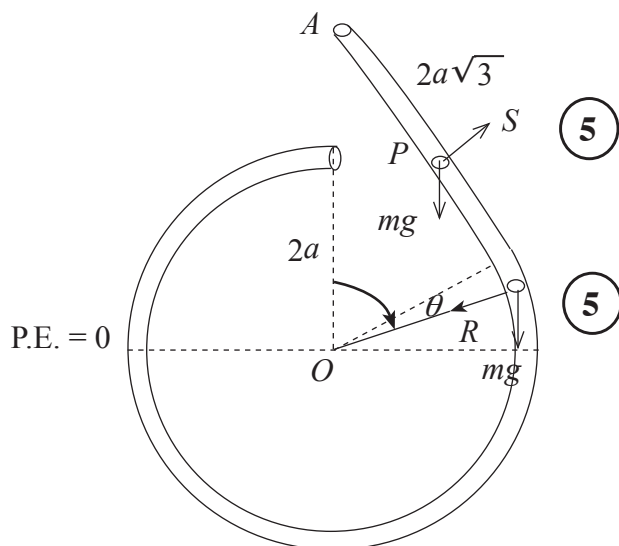
$$\begin{array}{c} \nearrow \frac{\pi}{3} \\ 2mg \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - T = 2mf \end{array} \quad (10)$$

Time t taken by X to reach Y is given by

$$a = \frac{1}{2} F t^2 \quad (10) \quad (s = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2 \rightarrow \text{for } X)$$

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(b)



Applying the principle of conservation of energy for particle P :

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mg(2a \cos \theta) = 0 + mg \cdot 4a \quad (15)$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 = 4ga(2 - \cos \theta), \quad \frac{\pi}{3} < \theta < 2\pi \quad (5)$$

For circular motion, inside the tube, $\mathbf{F} = m\mathbf{a}$ ↙ :

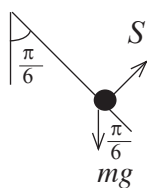
$$mg \cos \theta + R = \frac{mv^2}{2a} = 2mg(2 - \cos \theta) \quad (10) + (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow R = mg(4 - 3\cos \theta) > 0 \quad \text{--- (i)} \quad (5)$$

\therefore This reaction is towards the centre O .

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For motion inside the straight tube, $\mathbf{F} = m\mathbf{a}$ ↗ :



$$S - mg \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = m(0)$$

$$S = \frac{mg}{2} \quad (5)$$

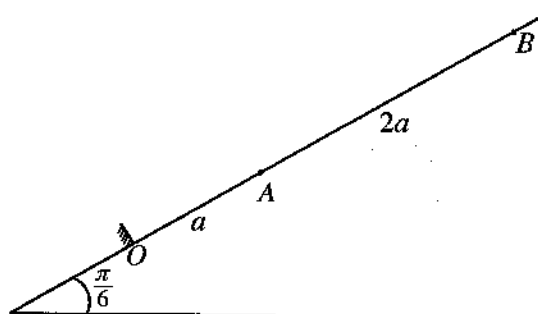
The reaction just before reaching $B = \frac{mg}{2}$ ↗ (5)

The reaction just after passing $B = \frac{5}{2} mg$ ↙ (5)

Hence, there is an abrupt change in the reaction from $\frac{mg}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{2}mg$ in the magnitude as well as in the direction from outward to inward. (5)

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13. The points O , A and B lie in that order, with O lowermost, on a line of greatest slope of a smooth fixed plane inclined at an angle $\frac{\pi}{6}$ to the horizontal such that $OA = a$ and $AB = 2a$. One end of a light elastic string of natural length a and modulus of elasticity mg is attached to the point O and the other end to a particle P of mass m . The string is pulled along the line OAB until the particle P reaches the point B . Then the particle P is released from rest.



Show that the equation of motion of P from B to A is given by $\ddot{x} + \frac{g}{a}\left(x + \frac{a}{2}\right) = 0$ for $0 \leq x \leq 2a$, where $AP = x$.

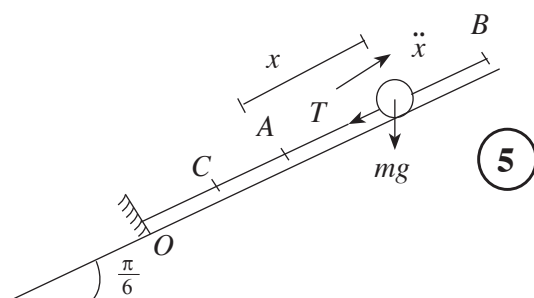
Let $y = x + \frac{a}{2}$ and rewrite the above equation of motion in the form $\ddot{y} + \omega^2 y = 0$ for $\frac{a}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{5a}{2}$, where $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{a}}$.

Find the centre of the above simple harmonic motion and using the formula $\dot{y}^2 = \omega^2(c^2 - y^2)$, find the amplitude c and the velocity of P when it reaches A .

Show that the velocity of P when it reaches O is $\sqrt{7ga}$.

Show also that the time taken by P to move from B to O is $\sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} \left\{ \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5}\right) + 2k \right\}$, where $k = \sqrt{7} - \sqrt{6}$.

When the particle P reaches O , it strikes a smooth barrier fixed at O perpendicular to the plane. The coefficient of restitution between P and the barrier is e . Show that if $0 < e \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}}$, then the subsequent motion of P will **not** be simple harmonic.



Equation of motion of P : $\underline{F} = m\underline{a}$ \swarrow ;

$$T + mg \frac{1}{2} = m(-\ddot{x}) \quad \text{--- (i)} \quad \textcircled{10}$$

$$T = mg \left(\frac{x}{a}\right) \quad \text{--- (ii)} \quad \textcircled{5}$$

$$\text{(i) and (ii)} \Rightarrow \ddot{x} + \frac{g}{a} \left(x + \frac{a}{2}\right) = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 2a.$$

$\textcircled{5}$

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Writing $y = x + \frac{a}{2}$, $\ddot{y} = \ddot{x}$, we get (5)

$$\ddot{y} + \omega^2 y = 0, \quad \frac{a}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{5a}{2}, \quad (5)$$

where $\omega^2 = \frac{g}{a}$.

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Centre C of SHM is given by $\ddot{x} = 0$. i.e. $y = 0$ or $x = -\frac{a}{2}$. (5) + (5)

So, point C on OA such that $OC = \frac{a}{2}$, (Mid - Point of OA).

Amplitude c is given by the formula

$$\dot{y}^2 = \omega^2 (c^2 - y^2), \quad \text{where } \omega^2 = \frac{g}{a}.$$

$$\dot{y} = 0 \quad \text{when } y = \frac{5a}{2} \quad (\text{at } B). \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore 0 = \omega^2 \left(c^2 - \left(\frac{5a}{2} \right)^2 \right) \Rightarrow c = \frac{5a}{2}. \quad (5)$$

Let u be the velocity when the particle reaches the point A .

$$\text{At } A \quad y = \frac{a}{2}, \quad u^2 = \frac{g}{a} \left(\left(\frac{5a}{2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{a}{2} \right)^2 \right). \quad (5) + (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \sqrt{6ga}. \quad (5)$$

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Motion of P from A to O

This motion is under gravity on the plane.

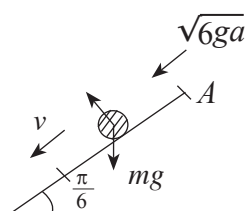
Applying $v^2 = u^2 + 2fs$:

$$\swarrow \quad v^2 = 6ga + 2 \left(\frac{g}{2} \right) \cdot a \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore v^2 = 7ga$$

$$\therefore v = \sqrt{7ga} \quad (5)$$

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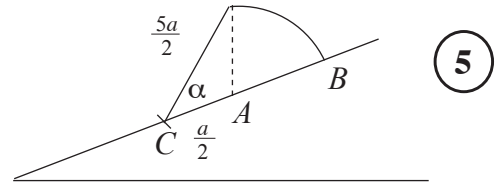


Time taken by P to move from B to A , under SHM

$$\omega t_1 = \alpha. \quad (5) \quad \text{Now } \cos \alpha = \frac{\frac{a}{2}}{\frac{5a}{2}} = \frac{1}{5}. \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore t_1 = \sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} \left(\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{5} \right) \right). \quad (5)$$

Now, time taken by P to move from A to O :



Applying $v = u + at$: (5)

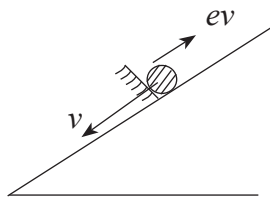
$$\swarrow \sqrt{7ga} = \sqrt{6ga} + \frac{g}{2} t_2$$

$$\therefore t_2 = 2\sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} (\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{6}) \quad (5) = 2k\sqrt{\frac{a}{g}}, \text{ where } k = \sqrt{7} - \sqrt{6}.$$

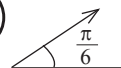
\therefore Total time, from B to O is (5)

$$t_1 + t_2 = \sqrt{\frac{a}{g}} \left(\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{5} \right) + 2k \right), \text{ where } k = \sqrt{7} - \sqrt{6}.$$

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Just after striking the smooth barrier at O , speed of P is $ev = e\sqrt{7ga}$ (5)



The subsequent motion of the particle will not be simple harmonic

if $0 < z \leq a$, where z is the distance travelled up the plane under

gravity.

(10)

Applying $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$:

$$\nearrow 0 = (ev)^2 - 2\left(\frac{g}{2}\right)z \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow z = 7e^2a \quad (5)$$

Now, $0 < z \leq a$

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 < 7e^2a \leq a \quad (5)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 < e \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{7}}. \quad (5)$$

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14. (a) Let $OACB$ be a parallelogram and let D be the point on AC such that $AD:DC=2:1$. The position vectors of points A and B with respect to O are $\lambda\mathbf{a}$ and \mathbf{b} , respectively, where $\lambda > 0$. Express the vectors \overrightarrow{OC} and \overrightarrow{BD} in terms of \mathbf{a} , \mathbf{b} and λ .

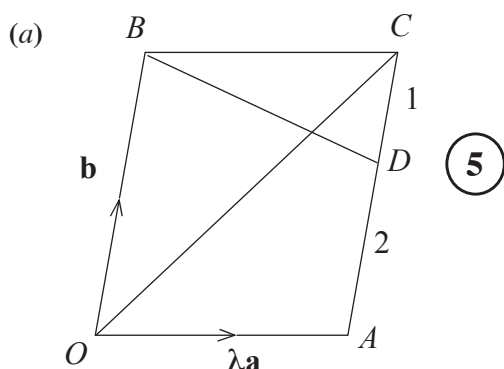
Now, let \overrightarrow{OC} be perpendicular to \overrightarrow{BD} . Show that $3|\mathbf{a}|^2\lambda^2 + 2(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b})\lambda - |\mathbf{b}|^2 = 0$ and find the value of λ , if $|\mathbf{a}| = |\mathbf{b}|$ and $\hat{AOB} = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

- (b) A system consists of three forces in the plane of a regular hexagon $ABCDEF$ of centre O and side of length $2a$. Forces and their points of action, in the usual notation, are shown in the table below, with the origin at O , the Ox -axis along \overrightarrow{OB} and the Oy -axis along \overrightarrow{OH} , where H is the mid-point of CD . (P is measured in newtons and a is measured in metres.)

Point of Action	Position Vector	Force
A	$a\mathbf{i} - \sqrt{3}a\mathbf{j}$	$3P\mathbf{i} + \sqrt{3}P\mathbf{j}$
C	$a\mathbf{i} + \sqrt{3}a\mathbf{j}$	$-3P\mathbf{i} + \sqrt{3}P\mathbf{j}$
E	$-2a\mathbf{i}$	$-2\sqrt{3}P\mathbf{j}$

Show that the system is equivalent to a couple and find the moment of the couple.

Now, an additional force of magnitude $6P$ N acting along \overrightarrow{FE} is introduced to this system. Find the magnitude, direction and the line of action of the single force to which the new system reduces.



$$\overrightarrow{OC} = \overrightarrow{OB} + \overrightarrow{BC}$$

(5)

$$\overrightarrow{OC} = \lambda\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$$

$$\overrightarrow{BD} = \overrightarrow{BC} + \overrightarrow{CD}$$

$$= \lambda\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{3}\overrightarrow{CA}$$

(5)

$$\overrightarrow{BD} = \lambda\mathbf{a} + -\frac{1}{3}\mathbf{b}$$

Since $\overrightarrow{OC} \perp \overrightarrow{BD}$, their scalar product = 0. (5)

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}) \cdot (\lambda\mathbf{a} - \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{b}) = 0$$

$$\lambda^2|\mathbf{a}|^2 + (1 - \frac{1}{3})(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b})\lambda - \frac{1}{3}|\mathbf{b}|^2 = 0 \quad (5) \quad (\because \mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{a} = \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b})$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda^2|\mathbf{a}|^2 + 2(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b})\lambda - |\mathbf{b}|^2 = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$\text{Given } |\mathbf{a}| = |\mathbf{b}| \text{ and } \hat{AOB} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}||\mathbf{b}|\cos\frac{\pi}{3} \quad (5)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}|\mathbf{a}|^2$$

Substituting in the above equation

$$3|a|^2\lambda^2 + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}|a|^2\lambda - |a|^2 = 0 \quad (5)$$

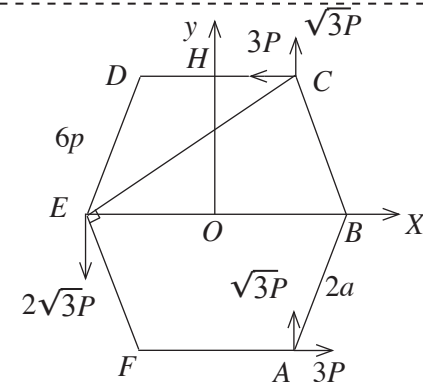
$$3\lambda^2 + \lambda - 1 = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$\lambda = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1+12}}{2}$$

$$\text{since } \lambda > 0; \quad \lambda = \frac{\sqrt{13}-1}{2} \quad (5)$$

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(b)



Position vectors of points of action.

$$\vec{OA} = a\mathbf{i} - \sqrt{3}a\mathbf{j}$$

$$\vec{OC} = a\mathbf{i} + \sqrt{3}a\mathbf{j}$$

$$\vec{OE} = -2a\mathbf{i}$$

For diagram

(15)

Reduce the system at O.

$$\rightarrow X = 3P - 3P = 0 \quad (10)$$

$$\uparrow Y = \sqrt{3}P + \sqrt{3}P - 2\sqrt{3}P = 0$$

(10)

} System is equivalent to a couple if $M \neq 0$

$$O \curvearrowright 2 \times 3P \cdot a\sqrt{3}P + 2a\sqrt{3}P + (2a) \cdot 2\sqrt{3}P = M = 12a\sqrt{3}P$$

Moment of the couple ($M \neq 0$) is

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of magnitude $12a\sqrt{3}P$ Nm, in the counterclockwise sense.

(5) + (5)

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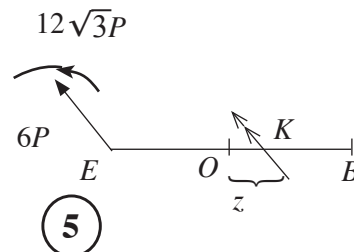
New System

$$\text{Magnitude} = 6P \quad (5)$$

$$\text{Direction} = \frac{\pi}{3} \quad (5)$$

$$K \curvearrowright -6P \times (2a+z) \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 12a\sqrt{3}P = 0 \quad (10)$$

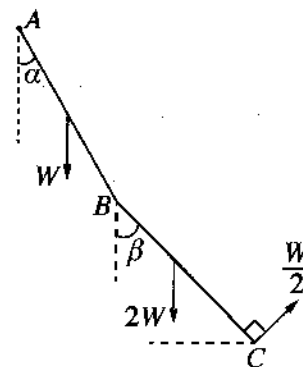
$$\Rightarrow z = 2a \quad (5)$$



\therefore New system reduces to a single force acting along \vec{BC} . (5)

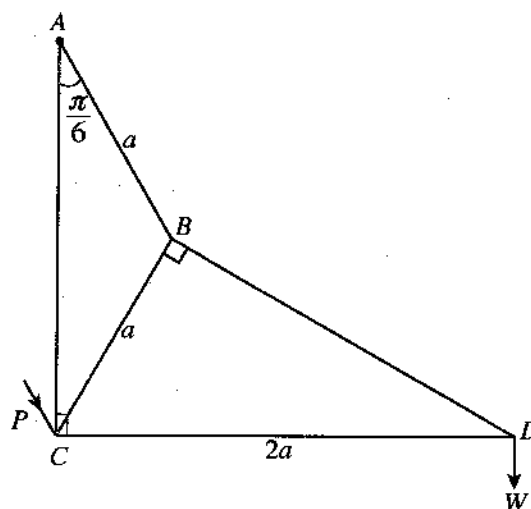
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15. (a) Two uniform rods AB and BC , each of length $2a$ are jointed smoothly at B . The rod AB is of weight W and the rod BC is of weight $2W$. The end A is hinged smoothly to a fixed point. This system is kept in equilibrium in a vertical plane with rods AB and BC making angles α and β , respectively, with the downward vertical by a force $\frac{W}{2}$ applied at C in the direction perpendicular to BC shown in the figure. Show that $\beta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ and find the horizontal and the vertical components of the reaction at the joint B on the rod BC exerted from the rod AB .



Also, show that $\tan \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9}$.

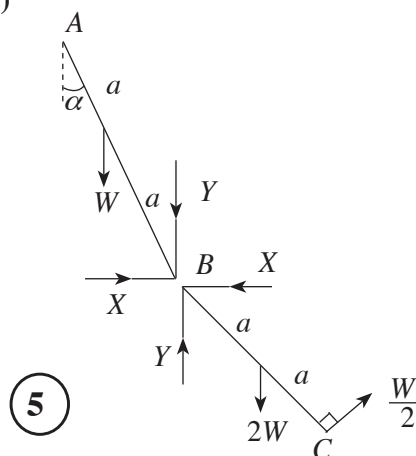
- (b) Framework shown in the figure consists of five light rods AB , BC , BD , DC and AC smoothly jointed at their ends. Here, it is given that $AB = CB = a$, $CD = 2a$ and $\hat{BAC} = \frac{\pi}{6}$. Framework is smoothly hinged at A to a fixed point. A load W is suspended at the joint D , and the framework is kept in equilibrium in a vertical plane with AC vertical and CD horizontal by a force P parallel to the rod AB , applied at the joint C in the direction shown in the figure. Draw a stress diagram, using Bow's notation, for the joints D , B , and C .



Hence, find

- the stresses in the five rods, stating whether they are tensions or thrusts, and
- the value of P .

(a)



Taking moments about B for BC ,

$$B \curvearrowright \frac{W}{2} (2a) = 2W \cdot a \sin \beta \quad (10)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \beta = \frac{1}{2} \therefore \beta = \frac{\pi}{6} \quad (5) + (5)$$

For BC

$$\leftarrow X = \frac{W}{2} \cdot \cos \beta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} W \quad (5)$$

$$\uparrow \text{ for } BC : Y = 2W - \frac{W}{2} \sin \beta \quad (5)$$

$$= \frac{7}{4} W \quad (5)$$

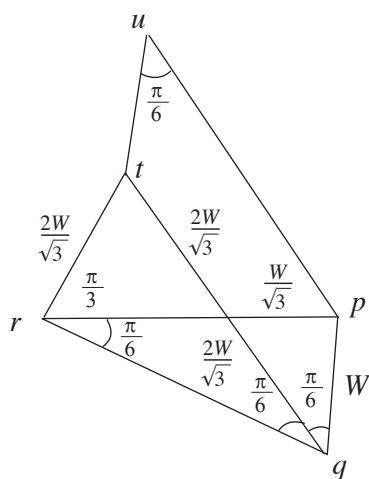
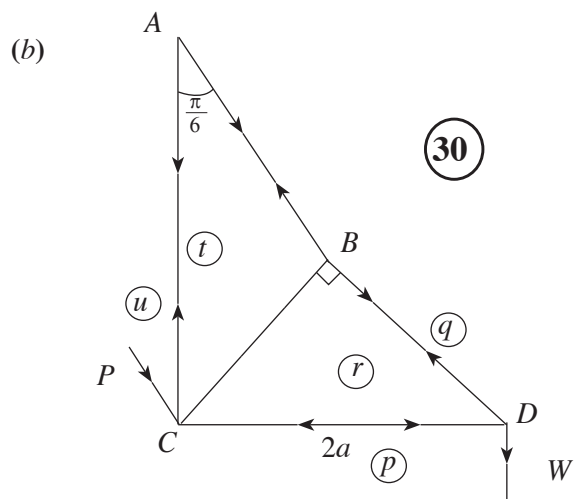
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$$A \curvearrowright X \cdot 2a \cos \alpha - Y 2a \sin \alpha - W a \sin \alpha = 0 \quad (10)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{3} \cos \alpha = 9 \sin \alpha. \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9}. \quad (5)$$

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Rod	Tension	Thrust
AB	$\frac{4W}{\sqrt{3}}$	–
BC	$\frac{2W}{\sqrt{3}}$	–
AC	W	–
BD	2W	–
CD	–	$\sqrt{3} W$

(50)

$$P = up = \frac{4W}{\sqrt{3}} \quad (10)$$

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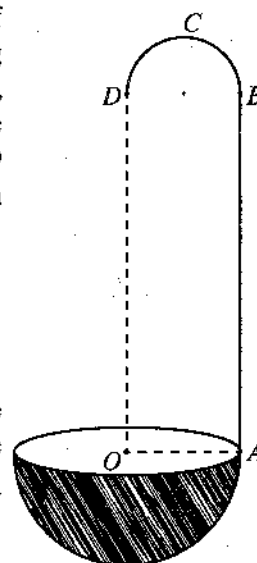
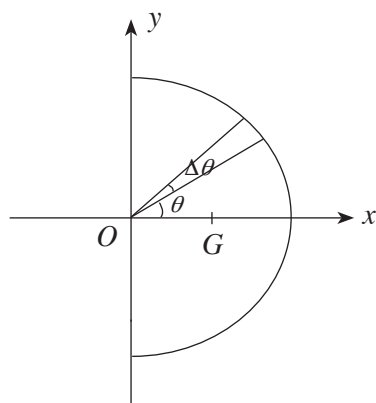
16. Show that the centre of mass of

- (i) a thin uniform semi-circular wire of radius a is at a distance $\frac{2a}{\pi}$ from its centre, and
 (ii) a thin uniform hemispherical shell of radius a is at a distance $\frac{a}{2}$ from its centre.

A spoon is made by rigidly fixing, to a thin uniform hemispherical shell of centre O and radius $2a$, a thin handle $ABCD$ made of uniform wire consisting of a straight piece AB of length $2\pi a$ and a semi-circular piece BCD of radius a , such that the diameter BD is perpendicular to AB , as shown in the figure. The point A lies on the rim of the hemisphere, OA is perpendicular to AB , and OD is parallel to AB . Also, BCD lies in the plane of $OABD$. The mass per unit area of the hemisphere is σ and the mass per unit length of the handle is $\frac{a\sigma}{2}$.

Show that the centre of mass of the spoon lies at a distance $\frac{2}{19\pi}(8\pi - 2\pi^2 - 1)a$ below OA , and a distance $\frac{5}{19}a$ from the line passing through O and D .

The spoon is placed on a rough horizontal table with the hemispherical surface touching it. The coefficient of friction between the hemispherical surface and the table is $\frac{1}{7}$. Show that the spoon can be kept in equilibrium with OD vertical by a horizontal force applied at A in the direction of \vec{AO} .

(i) Semi - circular wire

By symmetry, the centre of mass G lies on Ox - axis. (5)

$$\Delta m = a\Delta\theta\rho, \text{ where } \rho \text{ is the mass per unit length}$$

Let $OG = \bar{x}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} &= \frac{\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} a\rho a\cos\theta d\theta}{\int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} a\rho d\theta} & (5) + (5) \\ &= \frac{a\sin\theta \Big|_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2}}{\theta \Big|_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2}} & (5) \\ &= \frac{2a}{\pi} & (5) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the centre of mass is at a distance $\frac{2a}{\pi}$ from O .

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(ii) Hemispherical shell

By symmetry, the centre of mass G lies on the Ox - axis

(5)

$\Delta m = 2\pi (a \sin \theta) a \rho \theta \cdot \sigma$ where

σ is the mass per unit area.

Let $OG = \bar{x}$. Then

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 2\pi (a \sin \theta) a \sigma a \cos \theta d\theta}{\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 2\pi (a \sin \theta) a \sigma d\theta} \quad (5) + (5)$$

$$= \frac{\frac{a \sin \theta}{2} \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}}{-\cos \theta \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}} \quad (5) + (5)$$

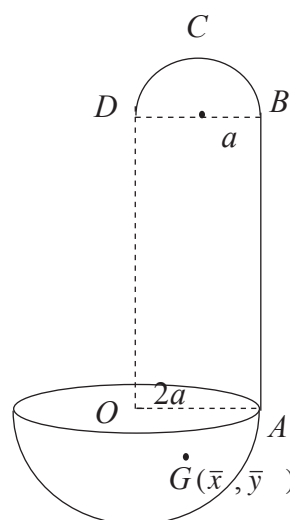
$$= \frac{a}{2} \cdot (5)$$

Hence, the centre of mass is at a distance $\frac{a}{2}$ from O .

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Let $G(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$ with

Ox - axis along OA and Oy - axis along OD .



Object	Mass	Distance from $OD (\rightarrow)$	Distance from $OA (\downarrow)$	
Straight piece AB	$\pi a^2 \sigma$ (5)	$2a$	πa	(5)
Semi circular piece BCD	$\frac{\pi a^2 \sigma}{2}$ (5)	a	$2\pi a + \frac{2a}{\pi}$	(5)
Hemispherical shell	$8\pi a^2 \sigma$ (5)	0	$-a$	(5)
Spoon	$\frac{19\pi a^2 \sigma}{2}$ (5)	\bar{x}	\bar{y}	

$$\frac{19\pi a^2 \sigma}{2} \bar{y} = \pi a^2 \sigma \cdot \pi a + \frac{\pi a^2 \sigma}{2} \left(2\pi a + \frac{2a}{\pi}\right) + 8\pi a^2 \sigma (-a) \quad (10)$$

$$\frac{19\pi}{2} \bar{y} = -8\pi a + 2\pi a + a \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore \bar{y} = \frac{-2}{19\pi} (8\pi - 2\pi^2 - 1)a$$

\therefore centre of mass of the spoon lies at A distance

$$\frac{2}{19\pi} (8\pi - 2\pi^2 - 1)a \text{ below } OA.$$

$$\frac{19\pi a^2 \sigma}{2} \bar{x} = \pi a^2 \sigma \cdot 2a + \frac{\pi a^2 \sigma}{2} \cdot a + 8\pi a^2 \sigma \cdot 0 \quad (10)$$

$$\therefore \frac{19}{2} \bar{x} = 2a + \frac{a}{2} = \frac{5a}{2}$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{5a}{19} \quad (5)$$

\therefore centre of mass of the spoon lies at A distance $\frac{5a}{19}$ from OD .

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$$\rightarrow F = P \quad (5)$$

$$\uparrow R = W \quad (5)$$

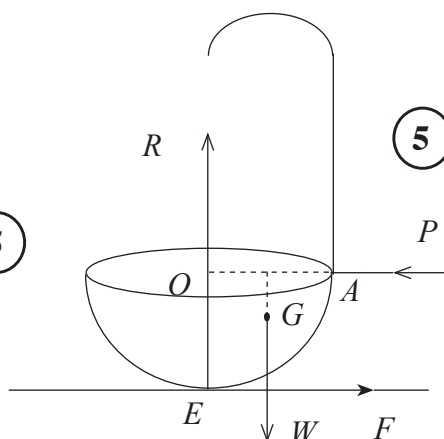
$$E \curvearrowright P \times 2a = W \times \frac{5}{19}a \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore P = \frac{5}{38}W.$$

$$\Rightarrow F = \frac{5}{38}W.$$

$$\frac{F}{R} = \frac{5}{38} \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{7} > \frac{F}{R} \quad (5)$$



Hence, the spoon can be kept in equilibrium.

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17.(a) Initially a box contains 3 balls identical in all aspects except for their colour, each of which is either white or black. Now, one white ball identical to balls in the box in all aspects except for its colour, is added into the box and then one ball is drawn at random from the box. Assuming that the four possible initial compositions of the balls in the box are equally likely, find the probability that

(i) the ball drawn is white, and

(ii) initially there were exactly 2 black balls in the box, given that the ball drawn is white.

(b) Let the mean and the standard deviation of the set of values $\{x_i : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ be μ and σ respectively. Find the mean and the standard deviation of the set of values $\{\alpha x_i : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$, where α is a constant.

Monthly salaries of 50 employees at a certain company are summarised in the following table:

Monthly Salary (in thousand rupees)	Number of Employees
5 – 15	9
15 – 25	11
25 – 35	14
35 – 45	10
45 – 55	6

Estimate the mean and the standard deviation of the monthly salaries of the 50 employees.

At the beginning of a year, the monthly salary of each employee is increased by $p\%$. It is given that the mean of the new monthly salaries of the above 50 employees is 29 172 rupees. Estimate the value of p and the standard deviation of the new monthly salaries of the 50 employees.

(a) Let E_i be the initial composition of the box with i number of white balls, for

$$i = 0, 1, 2, 3.$$

$$\text{Then } P(E_i) = \frac{1}{4} \text{ for } i = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

Let W be the event that the ball drawn at random is white.

Then

$$(i) P(W) = \sum_{i=0}^3 P(W | E_i) P(E_i) \quad (10)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} + \frac{2}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{4}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} \quad (10)$$

$$= \frac{5}{8} \quad (5)$$

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(ii) By Bayes theorem,

$$P(E_1 | W) = \frac{P(W | E_1) P(E_1)}{P(W)} \quad (10)$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{4} \times \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{5}{8}} \quad (10)$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \quad (5)$$

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(b) Let $Y = \{\alpha x_i : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$

$$\text{mean : } \mu_y = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha x_i)}{n} = \alpha \left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i}{n} \right) = \alpha \mu \quad (5) + (5)$$

$$\text{variance : } \sigma_y^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha x_i)^2}{n} - \mu_y^2 \quad (5)$$

$$= \alpha^2 \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}{n} - \mu^2 \right] \quad (5)$$

$$= \alpha^2 \sigma^2 \quad (5)$$

$$\therefore \text{The standard deviation } \sigma_y = |\alpha| \sigma \quad (5)$$

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Monthly salary (in thousand rupees)	f	Mid Point x	$y = \frac{1}{10}x$	y^2	fy	fy^2
5 - 15	9	10	1	1	9	9
15 - 25	11	20	2	4	22	44
25 - 35	14	30	3	9	42	126
35 - 45	10	40	4	16	40	160
45 - 55	6	50	5	25	30	150
	50				$\sum fx = 143$	$\sum fx^2 = 489$

$$\mu_y = \frac{\sum fy}{\sum f} = \frac{143}{50} \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma_y^2 = \frac{\sum fy^2}{\sum f} - \mu_y^2 = \frac{489}{50} - \left(\frac{143}{50} \right)^2 \quad (5)$$

$$\sigma_y = \frac{\sqrt{4001}}{50} \quad (5)$$

Using previous results :

$$\mu_x = 10\mu_y = 10 \left(\frac{143}{50} \right) = 28.6 \text{ thousand rupees} \quad (5)$$

$$(\approx 28600 \text{ rupees})$$

$$\text{and } \sigma_x = 10\sigma_y = \frac{\sqrt{4001}}{5} \approx 12.65 \text{ thousand rupees} \quad (5)$$

$$(\approx 12650 \text{ rupees})$$

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New monthly salary : $z = x + \frac{p}{100} x = \left(1 + \frac{p}{100} \right) x$, where x is the previous monthly salary. (5)

Using Previous results : $\mu_z = \left(1 + \frac{p}{100} \right) \mu_x$

$$29172 = \left(1 + \frac{p}{100} \right) 28600 \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{29172}{286} = 100 + p \quad \therefore p = 2 \quad (5)$$

$$\sigma_z \approx \left(1 + \frac{2}{100} \right) \sigma_x$$

$$\approx \frac{51}{50} \times 12.65 \quad (5)$$

$\approx 12.9 \text{ thousand rupees}$

$(\approx 12900 \text{ rupees})$

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