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### PROBLEM 1 (12p)

The velocity of a particle moving in the xy-plane is given by the velocity vector  $\vec{v} = 2t\hat{i} - 3t^2\hat{j}$  (m/s).

The particle is at the origin at  $t = 0$ .

a) Find the position of the particle as a function of time.

$$d\vec{r} = \vec{v} dt \quad (1) \quad \int_0^t d\vec{r} = \int_0^t (2t\hat{i} - 3t^2\hat{j}) dt$$

$$(2) \quad \vec{r} = t^2\hat{i} - t^3\hat{j} \quad (m)$$

b) Find the total acceleration ( $\vec{a}$ ) of the particle.

$$(1) \quad \vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = 2\hat{i} - 6t\hat{j} \quad (m/s^2)$$

c) Find the magnitude of the tangential acceleration ( $a_t$ ) at  $t = 1s$ .

$$a_t = \frac{dv}{dt} \quad (1) \quad v = (4t^2 + 9t^4)^{1/2}$$

$$a_t = \frac{4t + 18t^3}{(4t^2 + 9t^4)^{1/2}} = \frac{4 + 18t^2}{(4 + 9t^2)^{1/2}} \quad (2)$$

$$t = 1s \quad (1) \quad a_t = \frac{22}{\sqrt{13}} \quad (m/s^2)$$

d) Find the power transferred to the mass  $m=1kg$  at  $t=1s$ .

$$\vec{F} = m\vec{a} = 2\hat{i} - 6\hat{j} \quad (N)$$

$$\vec{v} = 2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} \quad (m/s)$$

$$(2) \quad P = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{v} = (2\hat{i} - 6\hat{j}) \cdot (2\hat{i} - 3\hat{j})$$

$$= 4 + 18 = 22 \text{ W} \quad (1)$$

### PROBLEM 2 (13p)

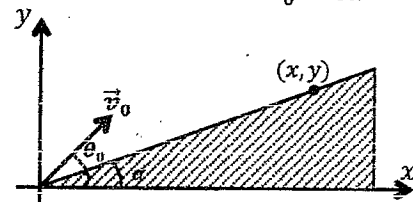
A projectile is fired uphill with a speed of  $v_0 = 10$  (m/s) and a horizontal angle of  $\theta_0$ , over an incline which slopes at an angle of  $\alpha$  to the horizontal as shown.  $\cos\theta_0 = 0.7$

$$\sin\theta_0 = 0.7$$

$$\cos\alpha = 0.8$$

$$\sin\alpha = 0.6$$

$$g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$$



a) Write components of the ~~position~~ as a function of time  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$ .

$$x = (v_0 \cos\theta_0)t = 7t \quad (m) \quad (1)$$

$$y = (v_0 \sin\theta_0)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 = 7t - 5t^2 \quad (m) \quad (2)$$

b) Express  $y$  as a function of  $x$  only ( $y = f(x)$ ) for the projectile.

$$t = \frac{x}{7} \quad y = x - \frac{5}{49}x^2 \quad (2)$$

c) Find the position  $(x, y)$  where the projectile hits the incline.

$$\text{for incline } y = (tg\alpha)x = \frac{6}{8}x = \frac{3}{4}x \quad (2)$$

$$y_{\text{inc}} = y_{\text{proj}}$$

$$y = \frac{3}{4}x = \frac{3}{4} \frac{49}{20}$$

$$\frac{3}{4}x = x - \frac{5}{49}x^2$$

$$x = 49/20 \quad (m) \quad (1) \quad y = 147/80 \quad (m)$$

d) Determine the time taken by the projectile to hit the incline.

$$x = 7t \quad \frac{49}{20} = 7t$$

$$t = \frac{7}{20} \quad (s) \quad (3)$$

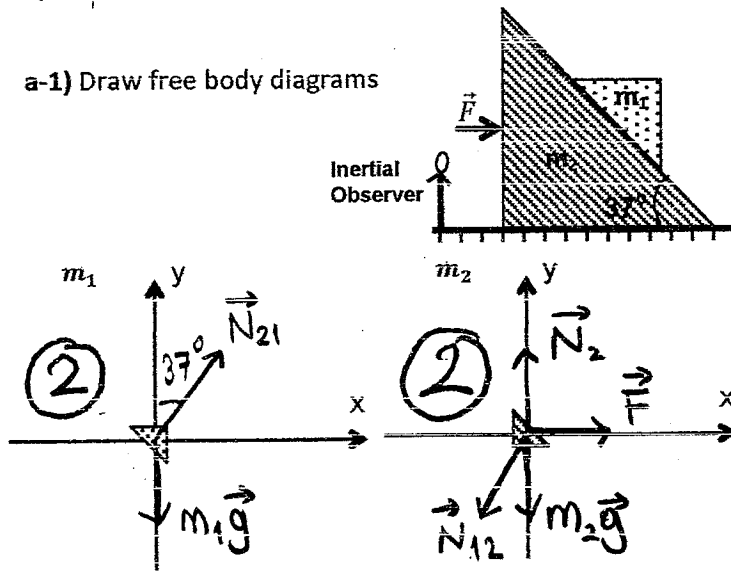
### PROBLEM 3 (25p)

In the system of triangle shaped blocks illustrated in the figures, a constant external force  $\vec{F}$  is applied in such a way that  $m_1$  stays stationary relative to  $m_2$ . The whole system is frictionless.

Here,  $m_1 = 2.4 \text{ kg}$ ,  $m_2 = 4.0 \text{ kg}$ ,  $\cos 37^\circ = 0.8$ ,  $\sin 37^\circ = 0.6$  and  $g = 10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}$ .

a) For an inertial observer standing still on the ground:

a-1) Draw free body diagrams



a-2) Write the equation of motions for:

$m_1$ :

$$N_{21} \sin 37^\circ = m_1 a \quad (2)$$

$$N_{21} \cos 37^\circ - m_1 g = 0 \quad (1)$$

$m_2$ :

$$F - N_{12} \sin 37^\circ = m_2 a \quad (2)$$

$$N_2 - N_{12} \cos 37^\circ - m_2 g = 0 \quad (1)$$

a-3) Find the accelerations of the masses.

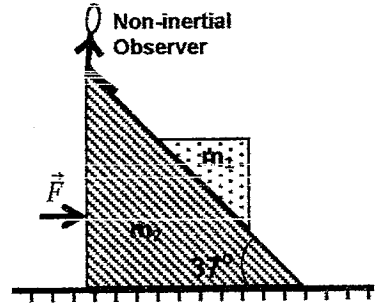
$$a = g \frac{\sin 37^\circ}{\cos 37^\circ} = \frac{15}{2} = 7.5 \text{ (m/s}^2\text{)} \quad (2)$$

a-4) Find the force  $F$ .

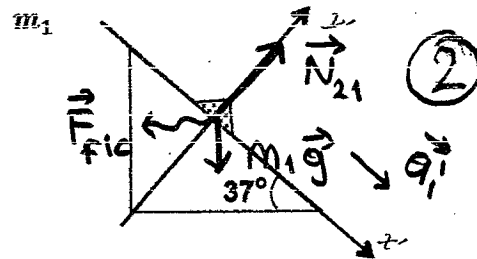
$$F = (m_1 + m_2) a$$

$$F = 48 \text{ N} \quad (2)$$

b) Now,  $\vec{F}$  is reduced in such a way that  $m_2$  has an acceleration of  $A = 5 \text{ m/s}^2$  relative to the ground (inertial observer), and  $m_1$  has an acceleration of  $a'_1$  relative to non-inertial observer (observer on  $m_2$ ).



b-1) Draw free body diagram of  $m_1$  according to non-inertial observer.



b-2) Write the equation of motion for  $m_1$ :

$$m_1 g \sin 37^\circ - F_{fic} \cos 37^\circ = m_1 a'_1 \quad (2)$$

$$N_{21} - F_{fic} \sin 37^\circ - m_1 g \cos 37^\circ = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$F_{fic} = m_1 A \quad (1)$$

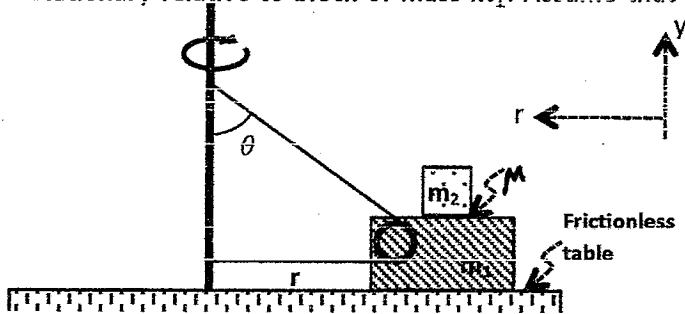
b-3) Find the acceleration  $a'_1$ .

$$m_1 g \sin 37^\circ - m_1 A \cos 37^\circ = m_1 a'_1 \quad (2)$$

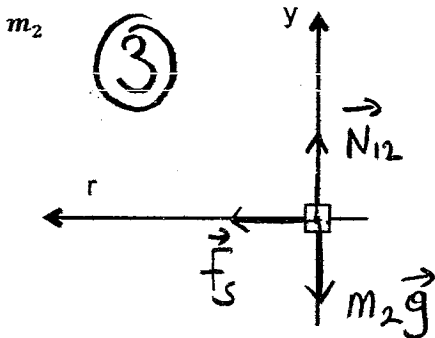
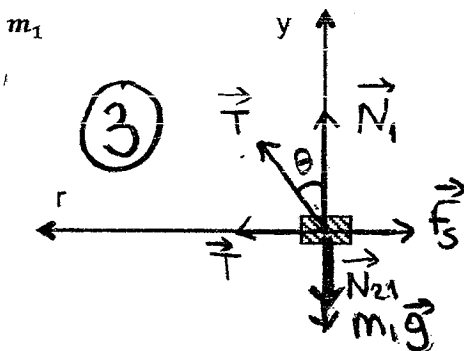
$$a'_1 = 2 \text{ (m/s}^2\text{)} \quad (2)$$

# PROBLEM 4 (25p)

A block of mass  $m_1$  is attached to a vertical rod by a single string which passes around a pulley and attached to the block as shown in figure. The block  $m_1$  rotates on a frictionless table. Another block of mass  $m_2$  is placed onto rough surface of mass  $m_1$ . The coefficient of static friction between the two masses is  $\mu$ . The entire system rotates on a frictionless table so that the blocks are moving in a horizontal circle of  $r$  with a constant speed  $v$ . The block of mass  $m_2$  stays stationary relative to block of mass  $m_1$ . Assume that the pulley and the string are weightless and frictionless and the



a-1) Draw the free body diagrams for  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ .



a-2) Write the equation of motions for:

$m_1$ :

$$T \cos \theta + N_1 - N_{21} - m_1 g = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$T \sin \theta + T - f_s = m_1 \frac{v^2}{r} \quad (3)$$

$m_2$ :

$$N_{12} - m_2 g = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$f_s = m \frac{v^2}{r} \quad (2)$$

b) Find the maximum value of the speed that the mass  $m_2$  can stay stationary relative to  $m_1$  while entire system rotates, in terms of  $\mu$ ,  $g$  and  $r$ .

$$f_s^{\max} = \mu N_{12} = \mu m_2 g \quad (2)$$

$$\mu m_2 g = m \frac{v_{\max}^2}{r}$$

$$v_{\max} = \sqrt{\mu g r} \quad (2)$$

c) Find the tension on the string while the system rotates at the maximum speed obtained in b, in terms of  $\mu$ ,  $\theta$ ,  $m_1$ ,  $m_2$  and  $g$ .

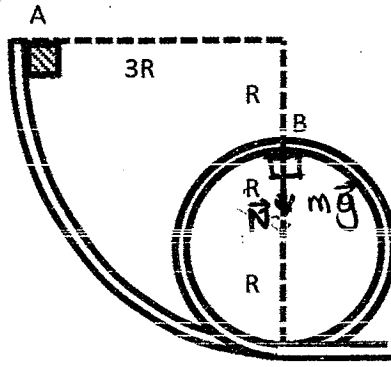
$$T \sin \theta + T - f_s^{\max} = m_1 \frac{v_{\max}^2}{r} \quad (2)$$

$$T(1 + \sin \theta) - \mu m_2 g = m_1 \frac{\mu g r}{r}$$

$$T = \frac{\mu g (m_1 + m_2)}{1 + \sin \theta} \quad (3)$$

### PROBLEM 5 (13p)

A small block of mass  $m$  starts from rest at point A and slides along a rough loop-the-loop rail as shown in the figure. A constant kinetic friction force  $f_k$  is acting on the block during its travel on the rail.



a) What is the work done between A and B by

a-1) Conservative forces

$$W_{mg} = -\Delta U = -(mgy_B - mgy_A)$$

$$W_{mg} = mgr \quad (2)$$

a-2) Normal force

$$W_N = \int \vec{N} \cdot d\vec{s} = 0 \quad (2) \text{ as } \vec{N} \perp d\vec{s}$$

a-3) Force of friction

$$W_{f_k} = \vec{f}_k \cdot \vec{s} = -f_k \left( \frac{2\pi 3R}{4} + \frac{2\pi R}{2} \right)$$

$$W_{f_k} = -\frac{5}{2} \pi R f_k \quad (2)$$

b) Write equation of the conservation of energy for the block between A and B.

$$E_A + W_{f_k} = E_B \quad (1)$$

$$K_A + U_A + W_{f_k} = K_B + U_B \quad (2)$$

$$mg3R - \frac{5}{2} \pi R f_k = \frac{1}{2} m v_B^2 + mg2R$$

c) What should be the magnitude of the force of friction, so that the magnitude of normal force acting on the block is equal to its weight at point B.

$$N + mg = m \frac{v_B^2}{R} \quad (2)$$

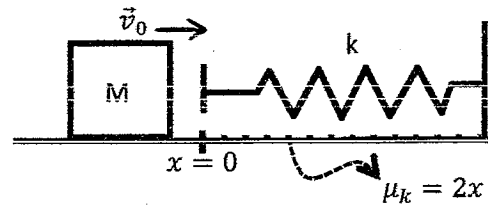
$$\text{if } N = mg \text{ at B} \quad 2mg = m \frac{v_B^2}{R}$$

$$\text{and} \quad mg3R - \frac{5}{2} \pi R f_k = \frac{1}{2} m v_B^2 + mg2R$$

$$f_k = 0 \quad (2)$$

### PROBLEM 6 (12p)

A block of mass  $M$  slides along a horizontal table with speed  $\vec{v}_0$ . At  $x = 0$ , it hits a spring with spring constant  $k$  and begins to experience a friction force. The coefficient of friction is variable and is given by  $\mu_k = 2x$ . The block first comes momentarily to rest at  $x = L$ .



a) Find the work done by the forces acting on the block between  $x = 0$  and  $x = L$ .

a-1) Gravitational force

$$W_{mg} = m\vec{g} \cdot \Delta\vec{x} = 0 \quad (1) \text{ as } m\vec{g} \perp \Delta\vec{x}$$

a-2) Spring force

$$W_s = -\Delta U = -\left( \frac{1}{2} k x_f^2 - \frac{1}{2} k x_i^2 \right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} k L^2 \quad (2)$$

a-3) Normal force

$$W_N = \vec{N} \cdot \Delta\vec{x} = 0 \quad (1) \text{ as } \vec{N} \perp \Delta\vec{x}$$

a-4) Force of friction

$$f_k = \mu_k N = 2xN = 2xmg$$

$$W_{f_k} = -\int_0^L 2mgx dx = -mgx^2 \Big|_0^L$$

$$W_{f_k} = -mgL^2 \quad (2)$$

b) If the loss of mechanical energy, between  $x = 0$  and  $x = L$ , due to the friction is half of the energy of the block at  $x = 0$ , what is the spring constant in terms of  $M$ ,  $v_0$  and  $L$ .

$$|W_{f_k}| = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 + W_{f_k} = \frac{1}{2} k L^2 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 - \frac{1}{4} m v_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} k L^2$$

$$k = \frac{m v_0^2}{2L^2} \quad (2)$$