

1.7 Coordinate Systems

35. **M** A point is located in a polar coordinate system by the coordinates $r = 2.5$ m and $\theta = 35^\circ$. Find the x - and y -coordinates of this point, assuming that the two coordinate systems have the same origin.
36. A certain corner of a room is selected as the origin of a rectangular coordinate system. If a fly is crawling on an adjacent wall at a point having coordinates $(2.0, 1.0)$, where the units are meters, what is the distance of the fly from the corner of the room?
37. Express the location of the fly in Problem 36 in polar coordinates.
38. Two points in a rectangular coordinate system have the coordinates $(5.0, 3.0)$ and $(-3.0, 4.0)$, where the units are centimeters. Determine the distance between these points.
39. **M** Two points are given in polar coordinates by $(r, \theta) = (2.00 \text{ m}, 50.0^\circ)$ and $(r, \theta) = (5.00 \text{ m}, -50.0^\circ)$, respectively. What is the distance between them?
40. **S** Given points (r_1, θ_1) and (r_2, θ_2) in polar coordinates, obtain a general formula for the distance between them. Simplify it as much as possible using

the identity $\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$. *Hint:* Write the expressions for the two points in Cartesian coordinates and substitute into the usual distance formula.

1.8 Trigonometry

41. **M** For the triangle shown in Figure P1.41, what are (a) the length of the unknown side, (b) the tangent of θ , and (c) the sine of ϕ ?

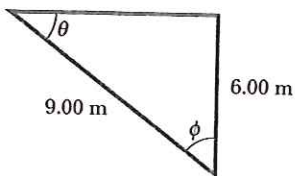


Figure P1.41

42. A ladder 9.00 m long leans against the side of a building. If the ladder is inclined at an angle of 75.0° to the horizontal, what is the horizontal distance from the bottom of the ladder to the building?

49. A surveyor measures the distance across a straight river by the following method: Starting directly across from a tree on the opposite bank, he walks $x = 100$ m along the riverbank to establish a baseline. Then he sights across to the tree. The angle from his baseline to the tree is $\theta = 35.0^\circ$ (Fig. P1.49). How wide is the river?

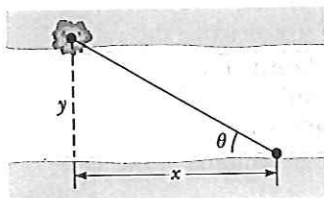


Figure P1.49

43. A high fountain of water is located at the center of a circular pool as shown in Figure P1.43. Not wishing to get his feet wet, a student walks around the pool and measures its circumference to be 15.0 m. Next, the student stands at the edge of the pool and uses a protractor to gauge the angle of elevation at the bottom of the fountain to be 55.0° . How high is the fountain?

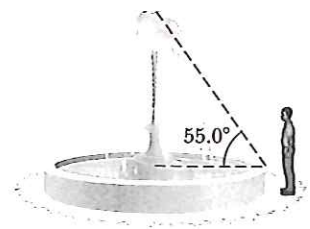


Figure P1.43

44. A right triangle has a hypotenuse of length 3.00 m, and one of its angles is 30.0° . What are the lengths of (a) the side opposite the 30.0° angle and (b) the side adjacent to the 30.0° angle?

45. In Figure P1.45, find (a) the side opposite θ , (b) the side adjacent to ϕ , (c) $\cos \theta$, (d) $\sin \phi$, and (e) $\tan \phi$.

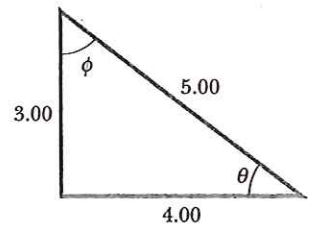


Figure P1.45

46. In a certain right triangle, the two sides that are perpendicular to each other are 5.00 m and 7.00 m long. What is the length of the third side of the triangle?

47. In Problem 46, what is the tangent of the angle for which 5.00 m is the opposite side?

48. **GP S** A woman measures the angle of elevation of a mountaintop as 12.0° . After walking 1.00 km closer to the mountain on level ground, she finds the angle to be 14.0° . (a) Draw a picture of the problem, neglecting the height of the woman's eyes above the ground. *Hint:* Use two triangles. (b) Select variable names for the mountain height (suggestion: y) and the woman's original distance from the mountain (suggestion: x) and label the picture. (c) Using the labeled picture and the tangent function, write two trigonometric equations relating the two selected variables. (d) Find the height

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3. A person travels by car from one city to another with different constant speeds between pairs of cities. She drives for 30.0 min at 80.0 km/h, 12.0 min at 100 km/h, and 45.0 min at 40.0 km/h and spends 15.0 min eating lunch and buying gas. (a) Determine the average speed for the trip. (b) Determine the distance between the initial and final cities along the route.

4. The current indoor world record time in the 200-m race is 19.92 s, held by Frank Fredericks of Namibia (1996), while the indoor record time in the one-mile race is 228.5 s, held by Hicham El Guerrouj of Morocco (1997). Find the mean speed in meters per second corresponding to these record times for (a) the 200-m event and (b) the one-mile event.

5. Two boats start together and race across a 60-km-wide lake and back. Boat A goes across at 60 km/h and returns at 60 km/h. Boat B goes across at 30 km/h, and its crew, realizing how far behind it is getting, returns at 90 km/h. Turnaround times are negligible, and the boat that completes the round trip first wins. (a) Which boat wins and by how much? (Or is it a tie?) (b) What is the average velocity of the winning boat?

6. A graph of position versus time for a certain particle moving along the x -axis is shown in Figure P2.6. Find the average velocity in the time intervals from (a) 0 to 2.00 s, (b) 0 to 4.00 s, (c) 2.00 s to 4.00 s, (d) 4.00 s to 7.00 s, and (e) 0 to 8.00 s.

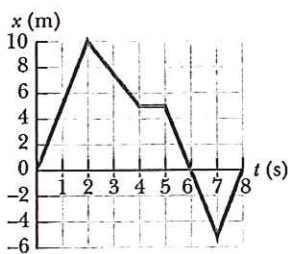


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7. A motorist drives north for 35.0 minutes at 85.0 km/h and then stops for 15.0 minutes. He then continues north, traveling 130 km in 2.00 h. (a) What is his total displacement? (b) What is his average velocity?

8. A tennis player moves in a straight-line path as shown in Figure P2.8. Find her average velocity in the time intervals from (a) 0 to 1.0 s, (b) 0 to 4.0 s, (c) 1.0 s to 5.0 s, and (d) 0 to 5.0 s.

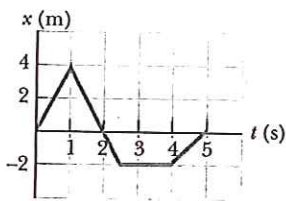


Figure P2.8

9. A jet plane has a takeoff speed of $v_{to} = 75$ m/s and can move along the runway at an average acceleration of 1.3 m/s². If the length of the runway is 2.5 km, will the plane be able to use this runway safely? Defend your answer.

13. **M** A person takes a trip, driving with a constant speed of 89.5 km/h, except for a 22.0-min rest stop. If the person's average speed is 77.8 km/h, (a) how much time is spent on the trip and (b) how far does the person travel?

14. A tortoise can run with a speed of 0.10 m/s, and a hare can run 20 times as fast. In a race, they both start at the same time, but the hare stops to rest for 2.0 minutes. The tortoise wins by a shell (20 cm). (a) How long does the race take? (b) What is the length of the race?

15. To qualify for the finals in a racing event, a race car must achieve an average speed of 250 km/h on a track with a total length of 1 600 m. If a particular car covers the first half of the track at an average speed of 230 km/h, what minimum average speed must it have in the second half of the event in order to qualify?

17. A graph of position versus time for a certain particle moving along the x -axis is shown in Figure P2.6. Find the instantaneous velocity at the instants (a) $t = 1.00$ s, (b) $t = 3.00$ s, (c) $t = 4.50$ s, and (d) $t = 7.50$ s.

18. A race car moves such that its position fits the relationship

$$x = (5.0 \text{ m/s})t + (0.75 \text{ m/s}^3)t^3$$

where x is measured in meters and t in seconds. (a) Plot a graph of the car's position versus time. (b) Determine the instantaneous velocity of the car at $t = 4.0$ s, using time intervals of 0.40 s, 0.20 s, and 0.10 s. (c) Compare the average velocity during the first 4.0 s with the results of part (b).

19. Runner A is initially 4.0 mi west of a flagpole and is running with a constant velocity of 6.0 mi/h due east. Runner B is initially 3.0 mi east of the flagpole and is running with a constant velocity of 5.0 mi/h due west. How far are the runners from the flagpole when they meet?

2.3 Acceleration

20. A particle starts from rest and accelerates as shown in Figure P2.20. Determine (a) the particle's speed at $t = 10.0$ s and at $t = 20.0$ s, and (b) the distance traveled in the first 20.0 s.

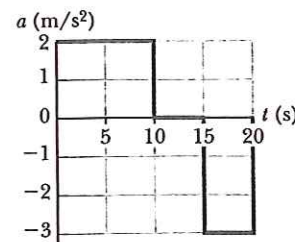


Figure P2.20

21. A 50.0-g Super Ball traveling at 25.0 m/s bounces off a brick wall and rebounds at 22.0 m/s. A high-speed camera records this event. If the ball is in contact with the wall for 3.50 ms, what is the magnitude of the average acceleration of the ball during this time interval?

23. A certain car is capable of accelerating at a rate of 0.60 m/s². How long does it take for this car to go from a speed of 55 mi/h to a speed of 60 mi/h?

24. The velocity vs. time graph for an object moving along a straight path is shown in Figure P2.24. (i) Find the average acceleration of the object during the time intervals (a) 0 to 5.0 s, (b) 5.0 s to 15 s, and (c) 0 to 20 s. (ii) Find the instantaneous acceleration at (a) 2.0 s, (b) 10 s, and (c) 18 s.

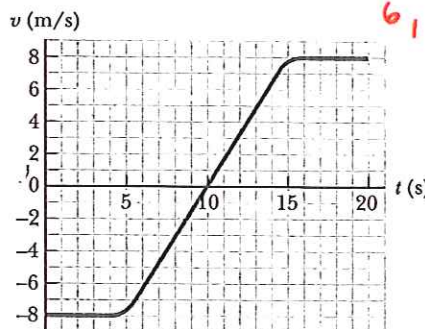


Figure P2.24

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28. In 1865 Jules Verne proposed sending men to the Moon by firing a space capsule from a 220-m-long cannon with final speed of 10.97 km/s. What would have been the unrealistically large acceleration experienced by the space travelers during their launch? (A human can stand an acceleration of $15g$ for a short time.) Compare your answer with the free-fall acceleration, 9.80 m/s^2 .
38. A car accelerates uniformly from rest to a speed of 40.0 mi/h in 12.0 s. Find (a) the distance the car travels during this time and (b) the constant acceleration of the car.
44. A train 400 m long is moving on a straight track with a speed of 82.4 km/h. The engineer applies the brakes at a crossing, and later the last car passes the crossing with a speed of 16.4 km/h. Assuming constant acceleration, determine how long the train blocked the crossing. Disregard the width of the crossing.
48. **Q/C** An attacker at the base of a castle wall 3.65 m high throws a rock straight up with speed 7.40 m/s at a height of 1.55 m above the ground. (a) Will the rock reach the top of the wall? (b) If so, what is the rock's speed at the top? If not, what initial speed must the rock have to reach the top? (c) Find the change in the speed of a rock thrown straight down from the top of the wall at an initial speed of 7.40 m/s and moving between the same two points. (d) Does the change in speed of the downward-moving rock agree with the magnitude of the speed change of the rock moving upward between the same elevations? Explain physically why or why not.
54. A baseball is hit so that it travels straight upward after being struck by the bat. A fan observes that it takes 3.00 s for the ball to reach its maximum height. Find (a) the ball's initial velocity and (b) the height it reaches.
56. **M B/C** Colonel John P. Stapp, USAF, participated in studying whether a jet pilot could survive emergency ejection. On March 19, 1954, he rode a rocket-propelled sled that moved down a track at a speed of 632 mi/h (see Fig. P2.56). He and the sled were safely brought to rest in 1.40 s. Determine in SI units (a) the negative acceleration he experienced and (b) the distance he traveled during this negative acceleration.
64. To pass a physical education class at a university, a student must run 1.0 mi in 12 min. After running for 10 min, she still has 500 yd to go. If her maximum acceleration is 0.15 m/s^2 , can she make it? If the answer is no, determine what acceleration she would need to be successful.
68. The driver of a truck slams on the brakes when he sees a tree blocking the road. The truck slows down uniformly with an acceleration of -5.60 m/s^2 for 4.20 s, making skid marks 62.4 m long that end at the tree. With what speed does the truck then strike the tree?
70. A mountain climber stands at the top of a 50.0-m cliff that overhangs a calm pool of water. She throws two stones vertically downward 1.00 s apart and observes that they cause a single splash. The first stone had an initial velocity of -2.00 m/s . (a) How long after release of the first stone did the two stones hit the water? (b) What initial velocity must the second stone have had, given that they hit the water simultaneously? (c) What was the velocity of each stone at the instant it hit the water?

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11. The magnitude of vector \vec{A} is 35.0 units and points in the direction 325° counterclockwise from the positive x -axis. Calculate the x - and y -components of this vector.

14. **Q.C** A hiker starts at his camp and moves the following distances while exploring his surroundings: 75.0 m north, 2.50×10^2 m east, 125 m at an angle 30.0° north of east, and 1.50×10^2 m south. (a) Find his resultant displacement from camp. (Take east as the positive x -direction and north as the positive y -direction.) (b) Would changes in the order in which the hiker makes the given displacements alter his final position? Explain.

16. A quarterback takes the ball from the line of scrimmage, runs backwards for 10.0 yards, then runs sideways parallel to the line of scrimmage for 15.0 yards. At this point, he throws a 50.0-yard forward pass straight downfield, perpendicular to the line of scrimmage. What is the magnitude of the football's resultant displacement?

18. A map suggests that Atlanta is 730 miles in a direction 5.00° north of east from Dallas. The same map shows that Chicago is 560 miles in a direction 21.0° west of north from Atlanta. Figure P3.18 shows the location of these three cities. Modeling the Earth as flat, use this information to find the displacement from Dallas to Chicago.



Figure P3.18

20. The helicopter view in Figure P3.20 shows two people pulling on a stubborn mule. Find (a) the single force that is equivalent to the two forces shown and (b) the force a third person would have to exert on the mule to make the net force equal to zero. The forces are measured in units of newtons (N).

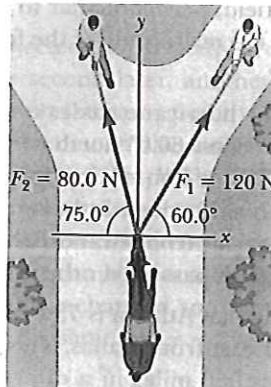


Figure P3.20

21. A novice golfer on the green takes three strokes to sink the ball. The successive displacements of the ball are 4.00 m to the north, 2.00 m northeast, and 1.00 m at 30.0° west of south (Fig. P3.21). Starting at the same initial point, an expert golfer could make the hole in what single displacement?

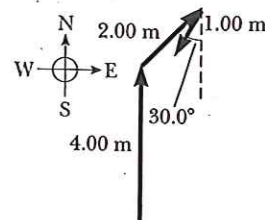


Figure P3.21

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26. **Q/C** The record distance in the sport of throwing cowpats is 81.1 m. This record toss was set by Steve Urner of the United States in 1981. Assuming the initial launch angle was 45° and neglecting air resistance, determine (a) the initial speed of the projectile and (b) the total time the projectile was in flight. (c) Qualitatively, how would the answers change if the launch angle were greater than 45° ? Explain.

30. An artillery shell is fired with an initial velocity of 300 m/s at 55.0° above the horizontal. To clear an avalanche, it explodes on a mountainside 42.0 s after firing. What are the x - and y -coordinates of the shell where it explodes, relative to its firing point?

34. A playground is on the flat roof of a city school, 6.00 m above the street below (Fig. P3.34). The vertical wall of the building is $h = 7.00$ m high, to form a 1-m-high railing around the playground. A ball has fallen to the street below, and a passerby returns it by launching it at an angle of $\theta = 53.0^\circ$ above the horizontal at a point $d = 24.0$ m from the base of the building wall. The ball takes 2.20 s to reach a point vertically above the wall. (a) Find the speed at which the ball was launched. (b) Find the vertical distance by which the ball clears the wall. (c) Find the horizontal distance from the wall to the point on the roof where the ball lands.

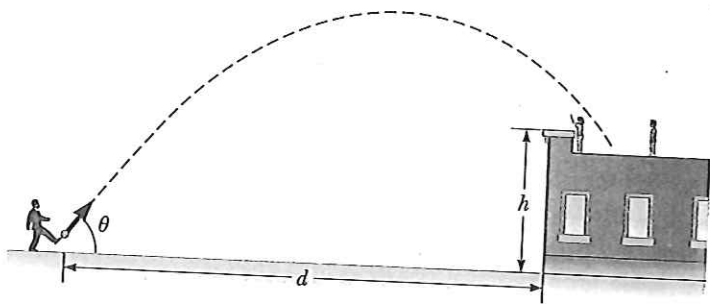
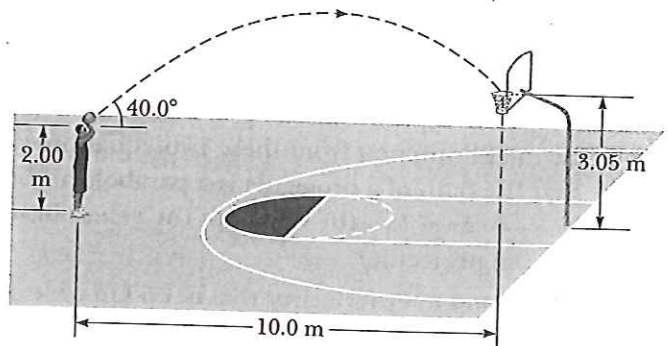


Figure P3.34

56. A ball is thrown straight upward and returns to the thrower's hand after 3.00 s in the air. A second ball thrown at an angle of 30.0° with the horizontal reaches the same maximum height as the first ball. (a) At what speed was the first ball thrown? (b) At what speed was the second ball thrown?

58. A 2.00-m-tall basketball player is standing on the floor 10.0 m from the basket, as in Figure P3.58. If he shoots the ball at a 40.0° angle with the horizontal, at what initial speed must he throw the basketball so that it goes through the hoop without striking the backboard? The height of the basket is 3.05 m.



64. **S** When baseball outfielders throw the ball, they usually allow it to take one bounce, on the theory that the ball arrives at its target sooner that way. Suppose that, after the bounce, the ball rebounds at the same angle θ that it had when it was released (as in Fig. P3.64), but loses half its speed. (a) Assuming that the ball is always thrown with the same initial speed, at what angle θ should the ball be thrown in order to go the same distance D with one bounce as a ball thrown upward at 45.0° with no bounce? (b) Determine the ratio of the times for the one-bounce and no-bounce throws.

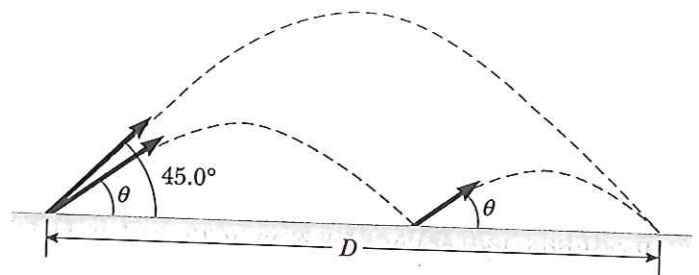


Figure P3.64

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2. A football punter accelerates a football from rest to a speed of 10 m/s during the time in which his toe is in contact with the ball (about 0.20 s). If the football has a mass of 0.50 kg , what average force does the punter exert on the ball?

9. **BIO** As a fish jumps vertically out of the water, assume that only two significant forces act on it: an upward force F exerted by the tail fin and the downward force due to gravity. A record Chinook salmon has a length of 1.50 m and a mass of 61.0 kg . If this fish is moving upward at 3.00 m/s as its head first breaks the surface and has an upward speed of 6.00 m/s after two-thirds of its length has left the surface, assume constant acceleration and determine (a) the salmon's acceleration and (b) the magnitude of the force F during this interval.

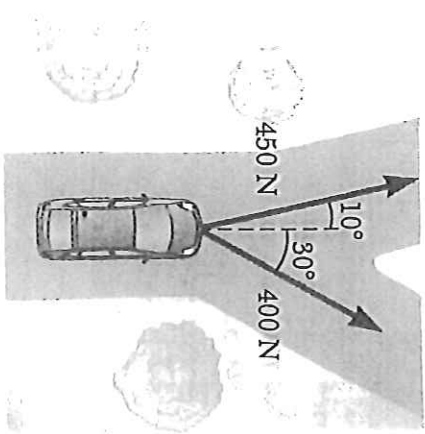


Figure P4.12

12. Two forces are applied to a car in an effort to move it, as shown in Figure P4.12. (a) What is the resultant of these two forces? (b) If the car has a mass of $3\,000 \text{ kg}$, what acceleration does it have? Ignore friction.

17. **MC** (a) Find the tension in each cable supporting the 600-N cat burglar in Figure P4.17. (b) Suppose the horizontal cable were reattached higher up on the wall. Would the tension in the other cable increase, decrease, or stay the same? Why?

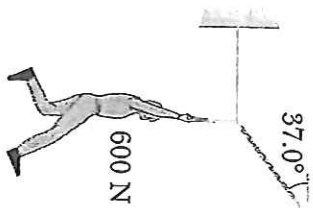


Figure P4.17

20. **BIO** The leg and cast in Figure P4.20 weigh 220 N (w_1). Determine the weight w_2 and the angle α needed so that no force is exerted on the hip joint by the leg plus the cast.

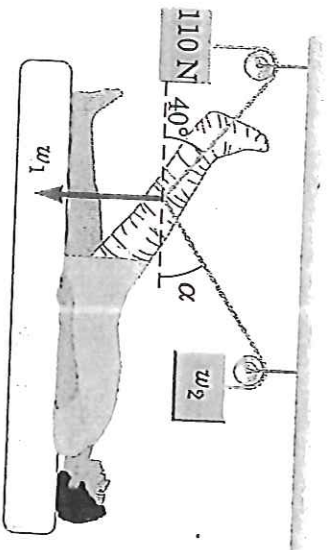


Figure P4.20

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76. **IV** On an airplane's takeoff, the combined action of the air around the engines and wings of an airplane exerts an 8 000-N force on the plane, directed upward at an angle of 65.0° above the horizontal. The plane rises with constant velocity in the vertical direction while continuing to accelerate in the horizontal direction. (a) What is the weight of the plane? (b) What is its horizontal acceleration?

and assume the pulleys and the incline in Figure P4.24d are frictionless.

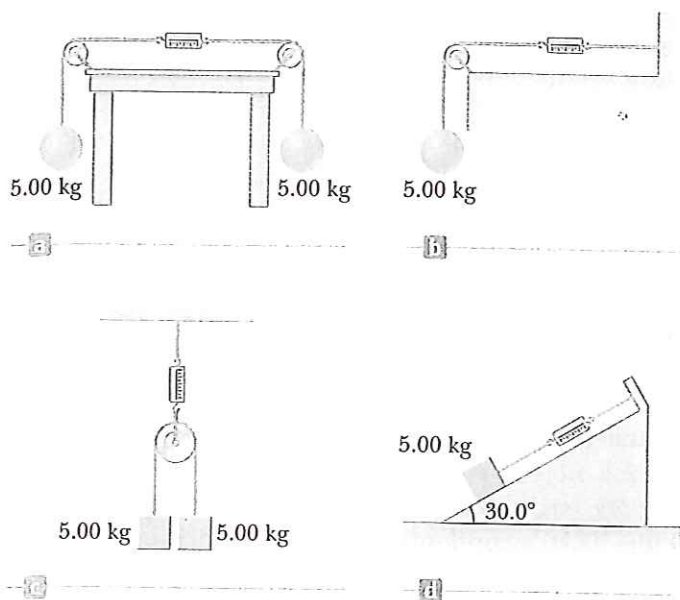


Figure P4.24

34. **Q/C** In Figure P4.34, the light, taut, unstretchable cord B joins block 1 and the larger-mass block 2. Cord A exerts a force on block 1 to make it accelerate forward. (a) How does the magnitude of the force exerted by cord A on block 1 compare with the magnitude of the force exerted by cord B on block 2? (b) How does the acceleration of block 1 compare with the acceleration of block 2? (c) Does cord B exert a force on block 1? Explain your answer.

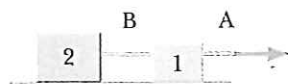


Figure P4.34

32. **CA** Two blocks of masses m_1 and m_2 ($m_1 > m_2$) are placed on a frictionless table in contact with each other. A horizontal force of magnitude F is applied to the block of mass m_1 in Figure P4.32. (a) If P is the magnitude of the contact force between the blocks, draw the free-body diagrams for each block. (b) What is the net force on the system consisting of both blocks? (c) What is the net force acting on m_1 ? (d) What is the net force acting on m_2 ? (e) Write the x -component of Newton's second law for each block. (f) Solve the resulting system of two equations and two unknowns, expressing the acceleration a and contact force P in terms of the masses and force.

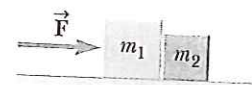


Figure P4.32

29. **IV** Assume the three blocks portrayed in Figure P4.29 move on a frictionless surface and a 42-N force acts as shown on the 3.0-kg block. Determine (a) the acceleration given this system, (b) the tension in the cord connecting the 3.0-kg and the 1.0-kg blocks, and (c) the force exerted by the 1.0-kg block on the 2.0-kg block.

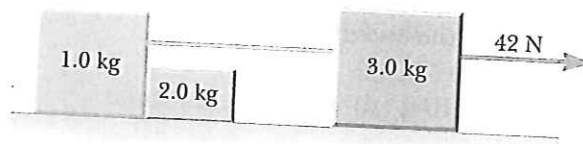


Figure P4.29

38. Two objects with masses of 3.00 kg and 5.00 kg are connected by a light string that passes over a frictionless pulley, as in Figure P4.38. Determine (a) the tension in the string, (b) the acceleration of each object, and (c) the distance each object will move in the first second of motion if both objects start from rest.

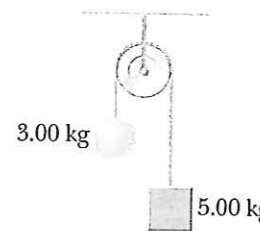


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27. **S** Two blocks of masses m and $2m$ are held in equilibrium on a frictionless incline as in Figure P4.27. In terms of m and θ , find (a) the magnitude of the tension T_1 in the upper cord and (b) the magnitude of the tension T_2 in the lower cord connecting the two blocks.

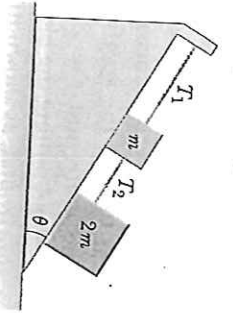


Figure P4.27

85. **S** What horizontal force must be applied to a large block of mass M shown in Figure P4.85 so that the blocks remain stationary relative to MP . Assume all surfaces and the pulley are frictionless. Notice that the force exerted by the string accelerates m_2 .

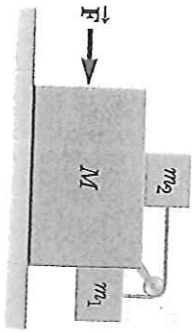


Figure P4.85

84. **CCC** In Figure P4.84, the pulleys and the cord are light, all surfaces are frictionless, and the cord does not stretch. (a) How does the acceleration of block 1 compare with

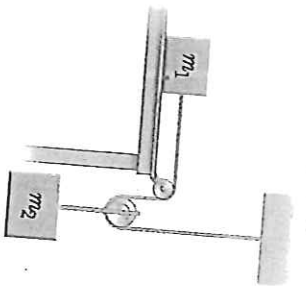


Figure P4.84

- the acceleration of block 2? Explain your reasoning. (b) The mass of block 2 is $m_2 = 1.30$ kg. Derive an expression for the acceleration of the block having mass m_2 as a function of the mass of block 1, m_1 . (c) What does the result of part (b) predict if m_1 is very much less than 1.30 kg? (d) What does the result of part (b) predict if m_1 approaches infinity? (e) In this last case, what is the tension in the cord? (f) Could you anticipate the answers to parts (c), (d), and (e) without first doing part (b)? Explain.

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48. A student decides to move a box of books into her dormitory room by pulling on a rope attached to the box. She pulls with a force of 80.0 N at an angle of 25.0° above the horizontal. The box has a mass of 25.0 kg, and the coefficient of kinetic friction between box and floor is 0.300. (a) Find the acceleration of the box. (b) The student now starts moving the box up a 10.0° incline, keeping her 80.0 N force directed at 25.0° above the line of the incline. If the coefficient of friction is unchanged, what is the new acceleration of the box?

44. A crate of mass 45.0 kg is being transported on the flatbed of a pickup truck. The coefficient of static friction between the crate and the truck's flatbed is 0.350, and the coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.320. (a) The truck accelerates forward on level ground. What is the maximum acceleration the truck can have so that the crate does not slide relative to the truck's flatbed? (b) The truck barely exceeds this acceleration and then moves with constant acceleration, with the crate sliding along its bed. What is the acceleration of the crate relative to the ground?

40. In Figure P4.36, $m_1 = 10$ kg and $m_2 = 4.0$ kg. The coefficient of static friction between m_1 and the horizontal surface is 0.50, and the coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.30. (a) If the system is released from rest, what will its acceleration be? (b) If the system is set in motion with m_2 moving downward, what will be the acceleration of the system?

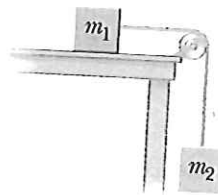


Figure P4.36
(Problems 36, 40, and 45)

60. (a) What is the minimum force of friction required to hold the system of Figure P4.60 in equilibrium? (b) What coefficient of static friction between the 100-N block and the table ensures equilibrium? (c) If the coefficient of kinetic friction between the 100-N block and the table is 0.250, what hanging weight should replace the 50.0-N weight to allow the system to move at a constant speed once it is set in motion?

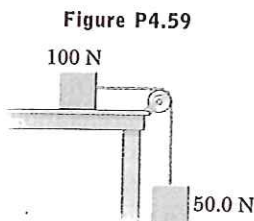


Figure P4.60

78. A sled weighing 60.0 N is pulled horizontally across snow so that the coefficient of kinetic friction between sled and snow is 0.100. A penguin weighing 70.0 N rides on the sled, as in Figure P4.78. If the coefficient of static friction between penguin and sled is 0.700, find the maximum horizontal force that can be exerted on the sled before the penguin begins to slide off.

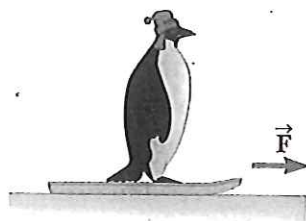


Figure P4.78

83. **S** A crate of weight F_g is pushed by a force \vec{P} on a horizontal floor as shown in Figure P4.83. The coefficient of static friction is μ_s , and \vec{P} is directed at angle θ below the horizontal. (a) Show that the minimum value of P that will move the crate is given by

$$P = \frac{\mu_s F_g \sec \theta}{1 - \mu_s \tan \theta}$$

- (b) Find the condition on θ in terms of μ_s for which motion of the crate is impossible for any value of P .

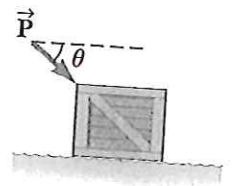


Figure P4.83

54. Objects of masses $m_1 = 4.00$ kg and $m_2 = 9.00$ kg are connected by a light string that passes over a frictionless pulley as in Figure P4.54. The object m_1 is held at rest on the floor, and m_2 rests on a fixed incline of $\theta = 40.0^\circ$. The objects

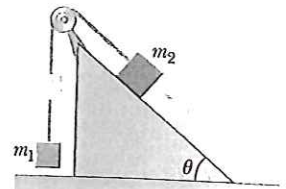


Figure P4.54

- are released from rest, and m_2 slides 1.00 m down the incline in 4.00 s. Determine (a) the acceleration of each object, (b) the tension in the string, and (c) the coefficient of kinetic friction between m_2 and the incline.

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