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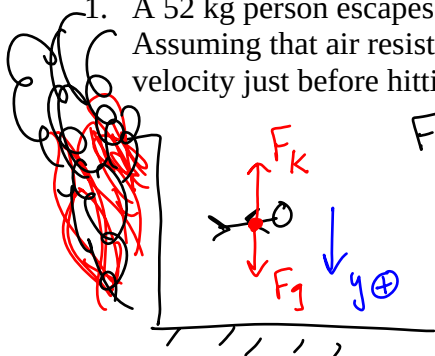
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Physics



Forces III

1. A 52 kg person escapes from a burning building by jumping from a window 35 m above a catching net. Assuming that air resistance exerts a 95 N force on the person during the fall, determine the person's velocity just before hitting the net.



$$F_{net,y} = F_g - F_k \neq 0$$

$$= (52)(9.81) - 95$$

$$F_{net,y} = 415.12 \text{ N} = ma$$

$$\frac{415.12}{52} = a = 7.98$$

$$\Delta x = 35 \text{ m}$$

$$V_i = 0$$

$$V_f = ?$$

$$a = 7.98$$

$$\Delta t =$$

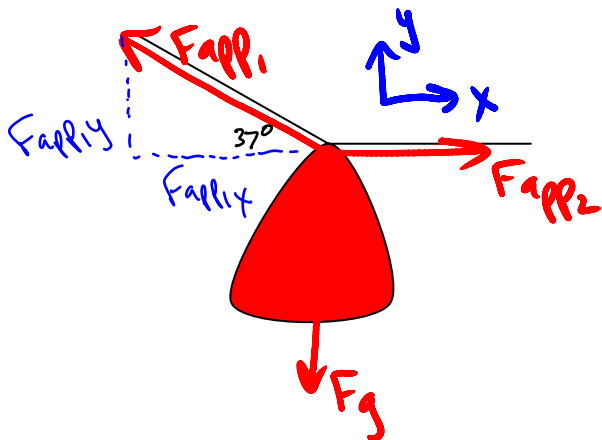
$$V_f^2 = V_i^2 + 2a\Delta x$$

$$= 0 + 2(7.98)(35)$$

$$V_f^2 = 558.8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$V_f = 23.64 \text{ m/s}$$

2. If the left cable is inclined at an angle 37° above the horizontal, find the force exerted by each cable to support the 800 N bag in Figure 4-32.



$$F_{net,x} = F_{app2} - F_{app1x} = 0$$

$$F_{net,y} = F_{app1y} - F_g = 0$$

$$F_g = 800 \text{ N} = F_{app1y}$$

$$\sin 37^\circ = \frac{F_{app1y}}{F_{app1}}$$

$$F_{app1} = \frac{F_{app1y}}{\sin 37^\circ} = \frac{800}{\sin 37^\circ}$$

$$F_{app1} = 1329.3 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{app2} = F_{app1x}$$

$$F_{app1y} = F_g$$

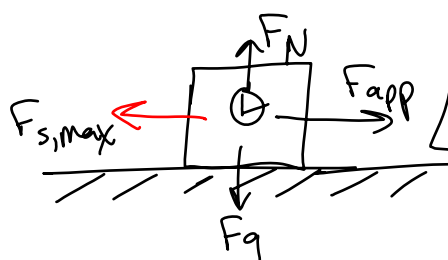
$$\tan \theta = \frac{F_{app1y}}{F_{app1x}}$$

$$F_{app1x} = \frac{F_{app1y}}{\tan \theta}$$

$$F_{app2} = 1061.6 \text{ N}$$

3. A 94 kg clock is initially at rest on a horizontal floor.

- a. If it takes a 656 N horizontal force to set it in motion, find μ_s .



$$F_{net,x} = F_{app} - F_{s,max} = 0$$

$$F_{net,y} = F_N - F_g = 0$$

$$F_{app} = F_{s,max} = 656 \text{ N}$$

$$F_g = F_N = mg = 922.14 \text{ N}$$

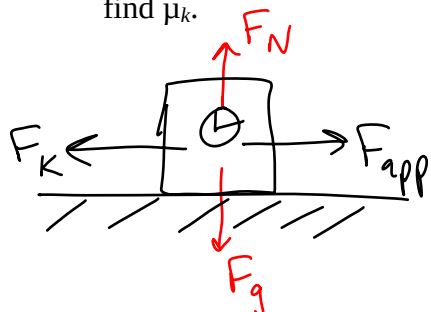
$$\mu_s = \frac{F_{s,max}}{F_N}$$

$$\mu_s = \frac{656}{922}$$

$$\mu_s = .711$$

- b. After the clock is in motion, if a horizontal force of 555 N keeps it moving with a constant speed, find μ_k .

4.



$$F_{net,x} = F_{app} - F_k = 0$$

$$F_{net,y} = F_N - F_g = 0$$

$$F_{app} = F_k = 555 \text{ N}$$

$$F_N = F_g = 922.14$$

$$\mu_k = \frac{F_k}{F_N}$$

$$\mu_k = \frac{555}{922}$$

$$\mu_k = .602$$

A 3.50 kg block starts from rest at the top of a 30.0° incline and slides 2.60 m down the incline in 1.50 s.

- a. Find the acceleration of the block.

$$\Delta x = 2.6 \text{ m}$$

$$V_i = 0$$

$$V_f = ?$$

$$a = ?$$

$$\Delta t = 1.5$$

$$\Delta x = V_i \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} a \Delta t^2$$

$$a = \frac{2 \cdot 2.6}{1.5^2}$$

$$\frac{2 \Delta x}{\Delta t^2} = a$$

$$a = 2.31 \text{ m/s}^2$$

- b. Find the coefficient of kinetic friction between the block and the incline.

$$\mu_k = \frac{F_k}{F_N} = \frac{9.0825}{29.735}$$

$$\mu_k = .305$$

- c. Find the frictional force acting on the block.

$$F_{\text{net},x} = m \cdot a_x$$

$$F_{\text{net},x} = (3.5)(2.31)$$

$$F_{\text{net},x} = 8.085$$

$$F_{\text{net},x} = F_{g,x} - F_k$$

$$8.085 = 17.1675 - F_k$$

$$F_k = 9.0825$$

- d. Find the speed of the block after it has slid a distance of 2.60 m.

$$\Delta x = 2.6$$

$$V_i = 0$$

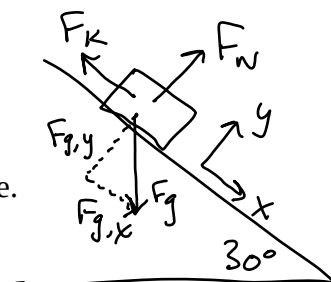
$$V_f = ?$$

$$a = ?$$

$$\Delta t = 1.5$$

$$\Delta x = \frac{1}{2} (V_i + V_f) \Delta t$$

$$\frac{2 \Delta x}{\Delta t} = V_f = \frac{2(2.6)}{1.5} = 3.47 \text{ m/s}$$



$$F_{\text{net},x} = F_{g,x} - F_k \neq 0$$

$$F_{\text{net},y} = F_N - F_{g,y} = 0$$

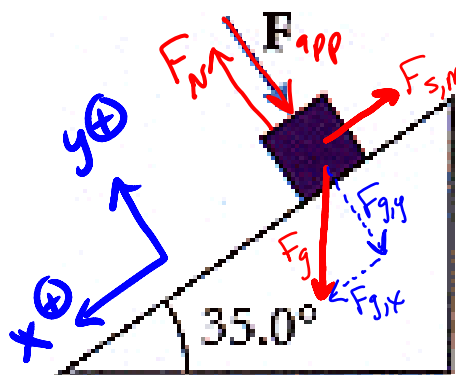
$$F_N = F_{g,y} = mg \cos \theta$$

$$F_N = F_{g,y} = 29.735 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{g,x} = mg \sin \theta$$

$$F_{g,x} = 17.1675 \text{ N}$$

5. The coefficient of static friction between the 22 kg crate and the 35.0° incline of Figure 4-34 is 0.1. What is the minimum force, **F**, that must be applied to the crate perpendicular to the incline to prevent the crate from sliding down the incline?



$$F_{\text{net},x} = F_{g,x} - F_{s,\text{max}} = 0$$

$$F_{g,x} = F_{s,\text{max}}$$

$$F_{\text{net},y} = F_N - F_{\text{app}} - F_{g,y} = 0$$

$$F_g = mg = 215.82$$

$$F_{g,x} = mg \sin \theta = 123.79$$

$$F_{g,y} = mg \cos \theta = 176.79$$

$$\mu_s = .1 = \frac{F_{s,\text{max}}}{F_N}$$

$$F_N = \frac{F_{s,\text{max}}}{\mu_s} = \frac{123.79}{.1} = 1237.89 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{\text{net},y} = F_N - F_{\text{app}} - F_{g,y} = 0$$

$$F_{\text{app}} = F_N - F_{g,y}$$

$$F_{\text{app}} = 1237.89 - 176.79 = 1061.1 \text{ N}$$