

Homework 13 solutions

1) $m = 2 \text{ kg}$



a)

$$ma = 8t$$

$$a = 4t \checkmark$$

$$v = 2t^2 + C$$

$$\underline{v = 2t^2} \checkmark$$

$C = 0$ since starts from rest $\Rightarrow 0 = 0 + C$
 $C = 0$

b)

$$Wd = \Delta E$$

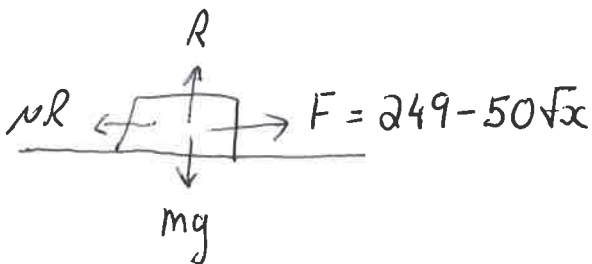
$$= \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{1}{2}mu^2 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 2^2 - 0$$

$$= \underline{\underline{4 \text{ J}}} \checkmark$$

at $t = 1$ $v = 2 \text{ ms}^{-1} \checkmark$
 $t = 0$ $u = 0 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

2a)



$$m = 20 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{resultant force} = 249 - 50\sqrt{x} - 20g \times 0.25$$

$$F_R = 200 - 50\sqrt{x} \checkmark$$

$$W = \int_0^{10} F_R dx$$

$$W = \int_0^{10} (200 - 50x^{1/2}) dx \checkmark$$

$$= \left[200x - \frac{50x^{3/2}}{3/2} \right]_0^{10} \checkmark$$

$$= \underline{\underline{946 \text{ J}}} \checkmark$$

$$b) W_D = \Delta E$$

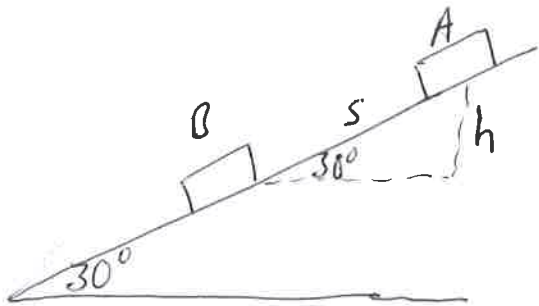
$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{1}{2}mu^2 = 946 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \times 20v^2 - \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times 12^2 = 946$$

$$10v^2 = 2386$$

$$v = \underline{15.4 \text{ ms}^{-1}} \quad \checkmark$$

3i)



Energy at A

$$E_K = 0$$

$$E_P = mgh$$

Energy at B (immediately before collision)

$$E_K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$E_P = 0$$

conservation of energy

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = mgh \quad \checkmark$$

$$v^2 = 2gh$$

$$v = \underline{\sqrt{2gh}} \quad \checkmark$$

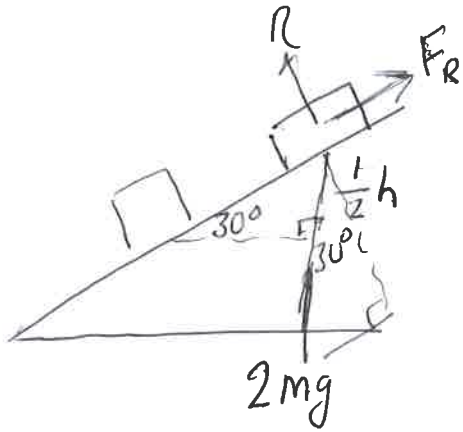
now block P hits and couples with block Q

conservation of momentum

$$m \times \sqrt{2gh} + m \times 0 = 2mV$$

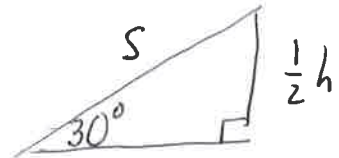
$$V = \underline{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2gh}} \quad \checkmark$$

ii)



$$u = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2gh}$$

$$v = 0$$



$$\sin 30^\circ = \frac{\frac{1}{2}h}{S}$$

$$S = \frac{\frac{1}{2}h}{\sin 30^\circ}$$

$$\underline{S = h}$$

use work/energy principle

$$(2mg \sin 30^\circ - F_R) \times h = \frac{1}{2} mv^2 - \frac{1}{2} mu^2$$

$$(2mg \sin 30^\circ - F_R) \times h = 0 - \frac{1}{2} \times 2m \times \left(\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2gh}\right)^2$$

$$(2mg \sin 30^\circ - F_R) \times h = -\frac{1}{2} \times 2m \times \frac{1}{4} \times 2gh$$

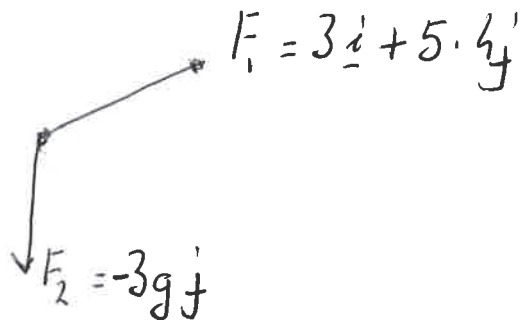
$$(mg - F_R) \times h = -\frac{1}{2} mgh$$

$$mg - F_R = -\frac{1}{2} mg$$

$$F_R = \frac{3}{2} mg$$

$$\underline{F_R = \frac{3}{2} W}$$

4)



resultant force $F_R = 3\mathbf{i} + 5.4\mathbf{j} - 3g\mathbf{j}$
 $F_R = 3\mathbf{i} - 24\mathbf{j}$ ✓

$m = 3\text{kg} \Rightarrow \underline{a} = \underline{F}/m$
 $\underline{a} = \mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j}$ ✓
 $\underline{v} = t\mathbf{i} - 8t\mathbf{j} + C$

initial velocity $v = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$
 $\Rightarrow \underline{v} = (t+2)\mathbf{i} - (8t+1)\mathbf{j}$ ✓

$W = \int F \cdot v dt$
 $= \int_0^4 [3(t+2) + 24(8t+1)] dt$ ✓
 $= \int_0^4 (195t + 30) dt$
 $= \left[\frac{195t^2}{2} + 30t \right]_0^4$
 $= \underline{1680\text{J}}$ ✓

$$\text{or } W_0 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{1}{2}mu^2$$

$$\text{at } t = 4 \quad v = 6\mathbf{i} - 33\mathbf{j}$$
$$\underline{v^2 = 1125}$$

$$\text{at } t = 0 \quad u = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$$
$$\underline{u^2 = 5}$$

$$\text{so } W_0 = \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 1125 - \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 5$$
$$= \underline{1680 \text{ J}}$$

$$5) \quad a = 4 - t^{1/2}$$
$$v = 4t - \frac{t^{3/2}}{3/2} + C$$
$$\underline{v = 4t - \frac{2t^{3/2}}{3}} \quad C = 0 \text{ since } v = 0 \text{ at } t = 0$$

$$\text{max speed when } a = 0 \quad 4 - t^{1/2} = 0$$
$$t^{1/2} = 4$$
$$\underline{t = 16 \text{ seconds}} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{increase in KE} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{1}{2}mu^2 \quad \text{at } t = 16 \quad v = 21.3 \text{ ms}^{-1} \quad \checkmark$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 9 \times 21.3^2 - 0$$
$$= \underline{2048 \text{ J}} \quad \checkmark$$