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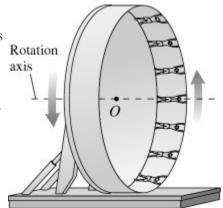
## Physics 201 Final Exam

Collaboration is not allowed. Allowed on your desk are: up to ten 8.5 x 11 inch doubled sided sheets of notes that are bound together, non-communicating/graphing scientific calculator, 1 page

of scratch paper, writing utensils, and the exam. You will have 110 minutes to complete this exam.

1. (8 points) In an amusement park ride, passengers stand inside an 8 m radius cylinder. Initially, the cylinder rotates with its axis oriented along the vertical. After the cylinder has acquired sufficient speed, it tilts into a vertical plane, that is, the axis tilts into the horizontal, as shown in the figure. Suppose that, once the axis has tilted into the horizontal, the ring rotates once every 4.5 s. If a rider's mass is 40 kg, with how much force does

the ring push on her at the top of the ride?



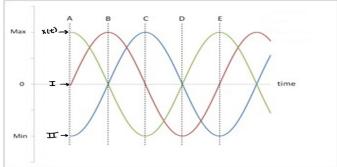
For questions 2 through 7 circle all correct answers, a given problem may have more than one correct answer. Each correctly circled answer will receive two points. There are **13** correct answers in this section and only the first **13** circled answers will be graded. There is no partial credit.

2. Two bodies, P and Q, on a frictionless horizontal surface are connected by a light cord. The mass of P is much greater than that of Q. A horizontal force (of magnitude F) is applied to Q as shown in the figure. Which one of the following statements regarding this situation are true?



- (a) The tension at T will always be greater than F.
- (b) The tension at T will only be greater than F if the blocks are moving to the right.
- (c) The tension at T will only be greater than F if the blocks are moving to the left.
- (d) The tension at T will always be less than F.
- (e) The tension at T will only be less than F if the blocks are moving to the right.
- (f) The tension at T will only be less than F if the blocks are moving to the left.

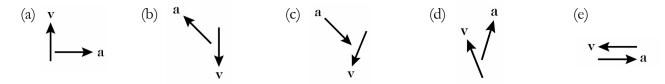
3. The figure shows several plots, one of which labeled as representing the position of a mass on a frictionless surface, connected to a horizontal spring that is vibrating back and forth. The other two plots are numbered I and II. Which of the following statements are true regarding these plots and this situation?



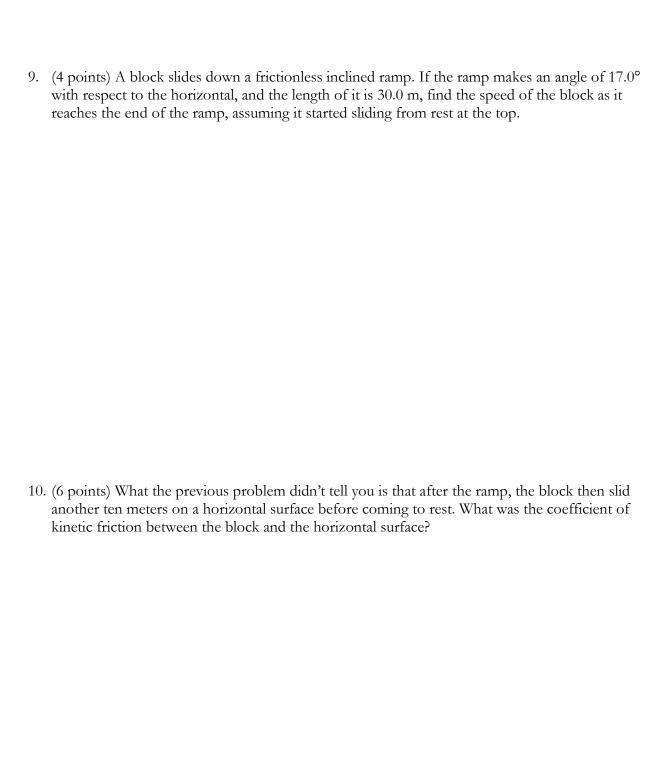
- (a) Plot I could represent the mass's velocity as a function of time.
- (b) Plot I could represent the mass's acceleration as a function of time.
- (c) Plot II could represent the mass's acceleration as a function of time.
- (d) The mass has the greatest amount of potential energy at points A, C, and E.
- (e) The mass has the greatest amount of kinetic energy at points A, C, and E.
- (f) The potential energy of the mass is maximum when its magnitude of acceleration is greatest.
- (g) The kinetic energy of the mass is greatest when its position is zero.
- 4. A light hydrogen molecule collides with a heavy water molecule, bouncing off each other. Which of the following statements are true regarding this situation.
  - (a) The momentum change for the hydrogen molecule is smaller than the water molecule.
  - (b) The momentum change for the hydrogen molecule is larger than the water molecule.
  - (c) The momentum lost by one molecule is the same as the momentum gained by the other.
  - (d) The impulse applied to the hydrogen molecule is greater than the impulse applied to the water.
  - (e) The impulse applied to the hydrogen molecule is less than the impulse applied to the water.
  - (f) The impulse applied to the hydrogen molecule is equal in magnitude to the impulse applied to the water.

5. Shown here are the velocity and acceleration vectors for an object in several different types of motion. In which case(s) is the object slowing down and turning to its right?

6. Shown here are the velocity and acceleration vectors for an object in several different types of motion. In which case(s) is the net work on the object negative?

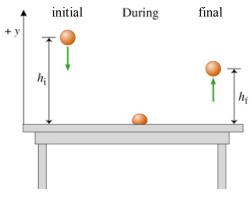


- 7. A rock thrown with the same initial speed at an angle of 30° and 60° will hit the ground at the same location. Considering both the small and large angle cases, which of the following quantities are not the same during the time the projectile is in the air. Let the initial state be right after the rock has left the hand and the final be right before it hits the ground. Ignore air resistance.
  - (a) Time of flight
  - (b) Change in position
  - (c) Average acceleration
  - (d) Displacement
  - (e) Max height
  - (f) Final velocity
  - (g) Final speed
- 8. (4 points) You carry a 7.0 kg bag of groceries 1.2 m above the ground at constant velocity across a 2.3 m room. How much work do you do on the bag in the process? Explain your reasoning.



11. (10 points) A 1000-kg spaceship is initially traveling with a velocity,  $v_i = \langle 8, 12 \rangle$  m/s. It undergoes a constant net force,  $F_{net} = \langle 4000, -2000 \rangle$  N. What is the (a) velocity and (b) displacement of the ship when it reaches its greatest y coordinate?

- 12. (10 points) A 100 g Superball is dropped from above a table and bounces to within 3 cm of its original height.
  - (a) Describe the energy transformations that occur during the time the ball is falling, interacting with the table, and raising back up to its final height.
  - (b) The initial gravitational potential energy is greater than the final. Where did this energy go?
  - (c) Calculate the Superball's loss of mechanical energy from the initial to final state.
  - (d) Explain how you could estimate the average force the table puts on the Superball during the time they are interacting? You do not have to solve anything, just map out what physics you could use to determine this value.

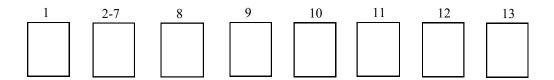


13. (10 points) To measure the muzzle velocity of a gun a 10 g bullet is shot and embeds itself into a 4 kg block. The block is connected to a spring on a frictionless horizontal surface and the spring compresses 4.1 cm during the event. If the force constant of the spring is 2300 N/m, what was the velocity of the bullet when it entered the block?

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