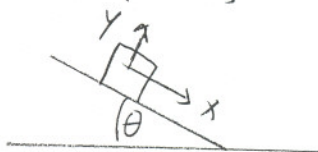


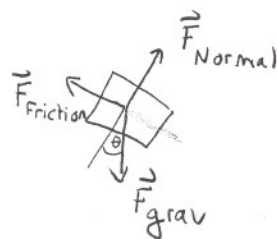
Homework #5

- 1) Block on plane, $\theta = 23.5^\circ$; friction coeff. $\mu_k = 0.17$

a)



Forces acting on block:



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Forces in x-direction: } \Sigma F_x &= F_{\text{friction}} + F_{\text{grav},x} \\ &= -\mu_k F_{\text{Normal}} + mg \sin \theta \quad (*) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Normal force (y): } \Sigma F_y &= 0 = F_{\text{grav},y} + F_{\text{Normal}} \Rightarrow F_{\text{Normal}} = -F_{\text{grav},y} \\ &= mg \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (*) \quad \Sigma F_x = -\mu_k mg \cos \theta + mg \sin \theta \stackrel{NII}{=} ma$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow a &= -\mu_k g \cos \theta + g \sin \theta = g(\sin \theta - \mu_k \cos \theta) = 0.24g \\ &= \underline{\underline{2.38 \frac{m}{s^2}}} \end{aligned}$$

b) $v_{\text{final}}^2 = v_{\text{initial}}^2 + 2a\Delta x$; $\Delta x = 8.80 \text{ m}$

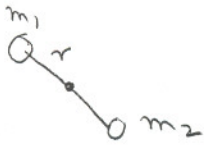
$$\Rightarrow v_{\text{final}} = \underline{\underline{6.47 \frac{m}{s}}}$$

2) Roller coaster: Must have $F_{\text{grav}} = +F_{\text{centripetal}}$

$$\text{or } g = a_{\text{centripetal}} = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \sqrt{rg} = \underline{\underline{8.5 \frac{m}{s}}}$$

3)



$$r = 0.78 \text{ m}$$

$$T = 3 \text{ s}$$

$$\frac{2\pi r}{v} = T \Rightarrow v = \frac{2\pi(0.78 \text{ m})}{3 \text{ s}} = 1.63 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{v^2}{r} = 3.42 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2} \Rightarrow F = ma = \underline{\underline{205 \text{ N}}}$$

4)

Acceleration on Venus:

$$g_{\text{Venus}} = G \frac{M_{\text{Venus}}}{r_{\text{Venus}}^2} = \underline{\underline{8.86 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}}}$$

5)

Spaceshuttle: $h = 570 \text{ km}$, $r = r_{\text{Earth}} + h = 6380 + 570 \text{ km}$

Circular orbit: $F_{\text{centripetal}} = F_{\text{grav}} \Rightarrow a = \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{MG}{r^2} \Rightarrow v = \sqrt{\frac{MG}{r}} = \underline{\underline{7580 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}}}$

6)

$m = 56 \text{ kg}$ woman in elevator going $v = \text{const.} = 4.0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$

a) $F_N - F_{\text{grav}} = ma \Rightarrow F_N = mg = \underline{\underline{549 \text{ N}}} \hat{=} 56 \text{ kg}$

b) Same as a) 56 kg

c) $F_N - F_{\text{grav}} = ma \Rightarrow m = m(1 + \frac{a}{g}) = (1 + 0.35) 56 \text{ kg} = \underline{\underline{75.6 \text{ kg}}}$

d) $F = m(g - a) = \underline{\underline{357 \text{ N}}} \hat{=} \underline{\underline{36.4 \text{ kg}}}$

e) 0 kg , no force: $F = m(g - a) = m(g - g) = 0$

