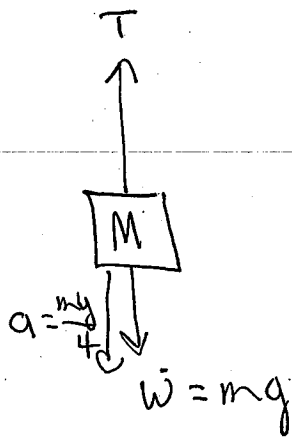


- 1.) A cord is used to vertically lower an initially stationary block of mass  $M$  at a constant downward acceleration of  $g/4$ . When the block has fallen a distance  $d$  find (a) the work done by the cord's force on the block, (b) the work done by the weight of the block and (c) the kinetic energy of the block.



- Work done by each force is  
 $W = Fd \cos \theta$

- To find  $T$ , Note that  
 (taking + direction to be  
 upwards)

$$T - Mg = ma = -M\left(\frac{g}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{so } T = Mg - M\left(\frac{g}{4}\right) = \frac{3}{4}Mg$$

a.) For  $T$ ,  $\theta = 180^\circ$  so

$$W = Td \cos \theta = -Td$$

$$W = -\frac{3}{4}Mgd$$

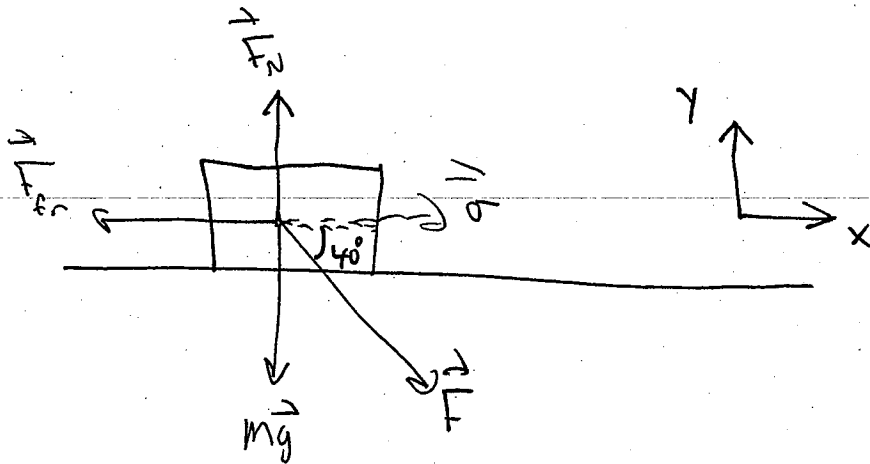
b.) For the ~~cord~~ weight  $\theta = 0^\circ$  so

$$W = Mg \cos 0^\circ = Mg$$

c.) Work energy Theorem says  $W = \Delta K$   
 or, since  $K_i = 0$   $W = K_f$

$$\text{so } W = Mg - \frac{3}{4}Mg = \frac{1}{4}Mg$$

2.) A 3.5 kg block is pushed along a horizontal floor by a force that makes an angle  $40^\circ$  below the horizontal. The coefficient of kinetic friction between the block and the floor is 0.25. What is the acceleration of the block?



- Use  $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$ , so first need to find components

	x-comp	y-comp
$F_{fr}$	$-\mu_k F_N$	0
$F_N$	0	$F_N$
$mg$	0	$-mg$
$F$	$+F \cos 40^\circ$	$-F \sin 40^\circ$
$\vec{a}$	$a$	0

So x-comp Eqn

$$F \cos 40^\circ - \mu_k F_N = ma$$

$$a = \frac{F \cos 40^\circ - \mu_k (mg + F \sin 40^\circ)}{m}$$

y-comp Eqn

$$F_N - mg - F \sin 40^\circ = 0 \quad \text{so}$$

$$F_N = mg + F \sin 40^\circ$$

$$a = \frac{(15 \text{ N}) \cos 40^\circ - 0.25 ((3.5 \text{ kg})(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) + (15 \text{ N}) \sin 40^\circ)}{(3.5 \text{ kg})} = \boxed{0.14 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

3.) A particle moves in one dimension and experiences an acceleration that varies with time, given by  $a = At + Bt^2$ , where  $A = 15 \text{ m/s}^3$  and  $B = 25 \text{ m/s}^4$ . (a) What is the particles speed after 2 s? (b) How far does it travel between  $t = 1 \text{ s}$  and  $t = 2 \text{ s}$ ? (initial speed is zero)

a.) Since  $a$  is a function of time, must integrate to get velocity:

~~$$V = \int a dt = \int (At + Bt^2) dt$$~~

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$$V = \frac{1}{2} At^2 + \frac{1}{3} Bt^3 + C$$

- since  $V = 0$  at  $t = 0$ ,  $C = 0$

$$V = \frac{1}{2} At^2 + \frac{1}{3} Bt^3 \quad \text{so} \quad V = \frac{1}{2} (15 \text{ m/s}^3) (2 \text{ s})^2 + \frac{1}{3} (25 \text{ m/s}^4) (2 \text{ s})^3$$

$$V = 96.7 \text{ m/s}$$

b.) Get position with time from  $x = \int v dt$

$$\text{so} \quad x = \frac{1}{6} At^3 + \frac{1}{12} Bt^4 + C$$

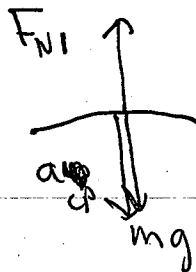
so, distance is  $x(t=2) - x(t=1)$

$$d = \frac{1}{6} (15 \text{ m/s}^3) (2 \text{ s})^3 + \frac{1}{12} (25 \text{ m/s}^4) (2 \text{ s})^4 - \left[ \frac{1}{6} (15 \text{ m/s}^3) (1 \text{ s})^3 + \frac{1}{12} (25 \text{ m/s}^4) (1 \text{ s})^4 \right]$$

$$d = 48.8 \text{ m}$$

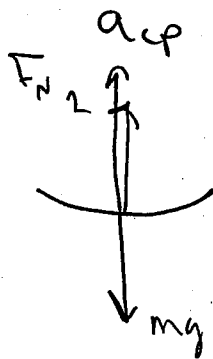
4.) A student with a weight of  $800\text{ N}$  is riding on a Ferris wheel that rotates at constant speed. At the top of the ride they experience a normal force of  $700\text{ N}$ . What normal force do they experience at the bottom of the ride?

At top



$$F_{N1} - mg = -\frac{mv^2}{r}$$

At Bottom



$$F_{N2} - mg = +\frac{mv^2}{r}$$

so ~~what~~ from first eqn:  $\frac{mv^2}{r} = mg - F_{N1}$

so

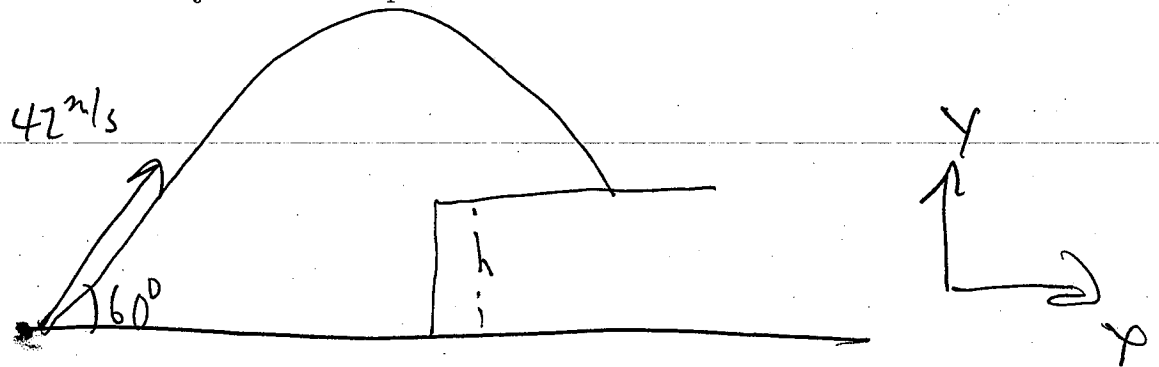
$$F_{N2} - mg = mg - F_{N1} \quad \text{or}$$

$$F_{N2} = 2mg - F_{N1} \quad \text{so} \quad F_{N1} = 700\text{ N}$$

$$mg = 800\text{ N}$$

$$F_{N2} = 2(800\text{ N}) - 700\text{ N} = 900\text{ N}$$

5.) A stone is projected at a cliff that has a height  $h$  above the point from which the stone was launched. The initial speed of the stone was  $42 \text{ m/s}$ , directed at an angle  $60^\circ$  above the horizontal. The stone lands on top of the cliff  $5.5 \text{ s}$  after being launched. Find (a) the height of the cliff  $h$ , and (b) the speed of the stone just before impact.



a.) The  $y$ -component Equation is

$$y = y_0 + v_{0y}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \quad \text{with}$$

$$y - y_0 = h \quad v_{0y} = (42 \text{ m/s}) \sin 60^\circ = 36.4 \text{ m/s}$$

so

$$y - y_0 = h = v_{0y}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 = (36.4 \text{ m/s})(5.5 \text{ s}) - \frac{1}{2}(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(5.5 \text{ s})^2$$

$$\boxed{h = 52 \text{ m}}$$

b.)  $x$ -comp Eqn  $v = v_{0x}$   $y$ -comp  $v_y = v_{0y} - gt$

so, with  $v_{0x} = (42 \text{ m/s}) \cos 60^\circ = 21 \text{ m/s}$

and  $v_y = 36.4 \text{ m/s} - (9.8 \text{ m/s}^2)(5.5 \text{ s}) = -17.5 \text{ m/s}$

so total speed is  $v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2}$

$$v = \sqrt{(21 \text{ m/s})^2 + (-17.5 \text{ m/s})^2} = \boxed{27.3 \text{ m/s}}$$