

ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE MATHEMATICS

Mechanics 1

QUESTION PAPER

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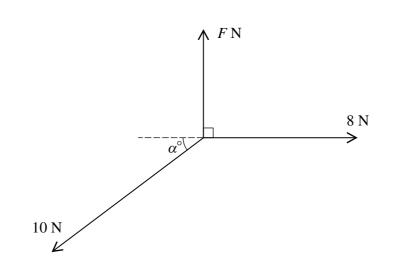
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INSTRUCTION TO EXAMS OFFICER / INVIGILATOR

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- 1 Two particles P and Q are projected directly towards each other on a smooth horizontal surface. P has mass 0.5 kg and initial speed 2.4 m s^{-1} , and Q has mass 0.8 kg and initial speed 1.5 m s^{-1} . After a collision between P and Q, the speed of P is 0.2 m s^{-1} and the direction of its motion is reversed. Calculate
 - (i) the change in the momentum of P,
 - (ii) the speed of Q after the collision.





Three horizontal forces of magnitudes F N, 8 N and 10 N act at a point and are in equilibrium. The F N and 8 N forces are perpendicular to each other, and the 10 N force acts at an obtuse angle $(90 + \alpha)^{\circ}$ to the F N force (see diagram). Calculate

(i)
$$\alpha$$
, [3]

3 A particle is projected vertically upwards with velocity 5 m s^{-1} from a point 2.5 m above the ground.

(i) Calculate the speed of the particle when it strikes the ground. [3]

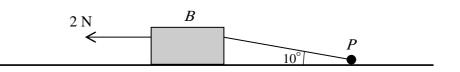
- (ii) Calculate the time after projection when the particle reaches the ground. [3]
- (iii) Sketch on separate diagrams
 - (a) the (t, v) graph,
 - (b) the (t, x) graph,

representing the motion of the particle.

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[2] [4]

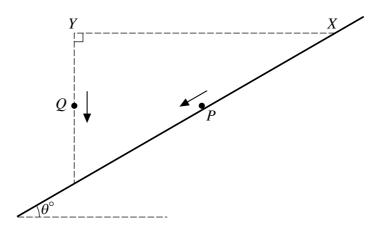
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A block *B* of mass 0.8 kg and a particle *P* of mass 0.3 kg are connected by a light inextensible string inclined at 10° to the horizontal. They are pulled across a horizontal surface with acceleration 0.2 m s^{-2} , by a horizontal force of 2 N applied to *B* (see diagram).

- (i) Given that contact between *B* and the surface is smooth, calculate the tension in the string. [3]
- (ii) Calculate the coefficient of friction between P and the surface.



X is a point on a smooth plane inclined at θ° to the horizontal. Y is a point directly above the line of greatest slope passing through X, and XY is horizontal. A particle P is projected from X with initial speed 4.9 m s^{-1} down the line of greatest slope, and simultaneously a particle Q is released from rest at Y. P moves with acceleration 4.9 m s^{-2} , and Q descends freely under gravity (see diagram). The two particles collide at the point on the plane directly below Y at time T s after being set in motion.

- (i) (a) Express in terms of T the distances travelled by the particles before the collision. [3]
 - (b) Calculate θ . [2]
 - (c) Using the answers to parts (a) and (b), show that $T = \frac{2}{3}$. [3]
- (ii) Calculate the speeds of the particles immediately before they collide. [3]
- 6 The velocity $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$ of a particle at time *t* s is given by $v = t^2 9$. The particle travels in a straight line and passes through a fixed point *O* when t = 2.
 - (i) Find the displacement of the particle from O when t = 0. [4]
 - (ii) Calculate the distance the particle travels from its position at t = 0 until it changes its direction of motion. [6]
 - (iii) Calculate the distance of the particle from O when the acceleration of the particle is 10 m s^{-2} .

[5]

[7]

[Question 7 is printed overleaf.]

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- 7 A particle *P* of mass 0.6 kg is projected up a line of greatest slope of a plane inclined at 30° to the horizontal. *P* moves with deceleration 10 m s^{-2} and comes to rest before reaching the top of the plane.
 - (i) Calculate the frictional force acting on P, and the coefficient of friction between P and the plane. [7]
 - (ii) Find the magnitude of the contact force exerted on P by the plane and the angle between the contact force and the upward direction of the line of greatest slope,
 - (a) when P is in motion, [5]
 - (b) when P is at rest. [2]



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