

M2 JAN 11

1. A cyclist starts from rest and moves along a straight horizontal road. The combined mass of the cyclist and his cycle is 120 kg. The resistance to motion is modelled as a constant force of magnitude 32 N. The rate at which the cyclist works is 384 W. The cyclist accelerates until he reaches a constant speed of $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$.

Find

- (a) the value of v , (3)
- (b) the acceleration of the cyclist at the instant when the speed is 9 m s^{-1} . (3)

$$32 \leftarrow \boxed{120} \rightarrow \frac{384}{v}$$

$$a) \frac{384}{v} = 32 \Rightarrow v = \underline{12 \text{ m s}^{-1}}$$

$$b) \frac{384}{9} - 32 = 120a \Rightarrow a = \underline{\underline{\frac{4}{45} \text{ m s}^{-2}}}$$

2. A particle of mass 2 kg is moving with velocity $(5\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-1}$ when it receives an impulse of $(-6\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j}) \text{ N s}$. Find the kinetic energy of the particle immediately after receiving the impulse. (5)

$$\text{Initial Mom} = 10\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}$$

$$\text{Impulse} = -6\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j}$$

$$\text{final Mom} = 4\mathbf{i} + 10\mathbf{j} \Rightarrow v = 2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}(2)(2^2 + 5^2) = \underline{\underline{29 \text{ J}}}$$

3. A particle moves along the x -axis. At time $t = 0$ the particle passes through the origin with speed 8 m s^{-1} in the positive x -direction. The acceleration of the particle at time t seconds, $t \geq 0$, is $(4t^3 - 12t) \text{ m s}^{-2}$ in the positive x -direction.

Find

- (a) the velocity of the particle at time t seconds, (3)
- (b) the displacement of the particle from the origin at time t seconds, (2)
- (c) the values of t at which the particle is instantaneously at rest. (3)

$$a) a = 4t^3 - 12t$$

$$v = t^4 - 6t^2 + C, t=0, v=8 \Rightarrow C=8$$

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$$b) s = \frac{1}{5}t^5 - 2t^3 + 8t + C \quad s=0, t=0 \Rightarrow C=0$$

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$$c) v=0 \quad t^4 - 6t^2 + 8 = 0$$

$$(t^2 - 4)(t^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$t = \sqrt{4} = \underline{2} \quad t = \sqrt{2} = \underline{1.41 \text{ sec}}$$

4. $\mu = \frac{1}{4}$

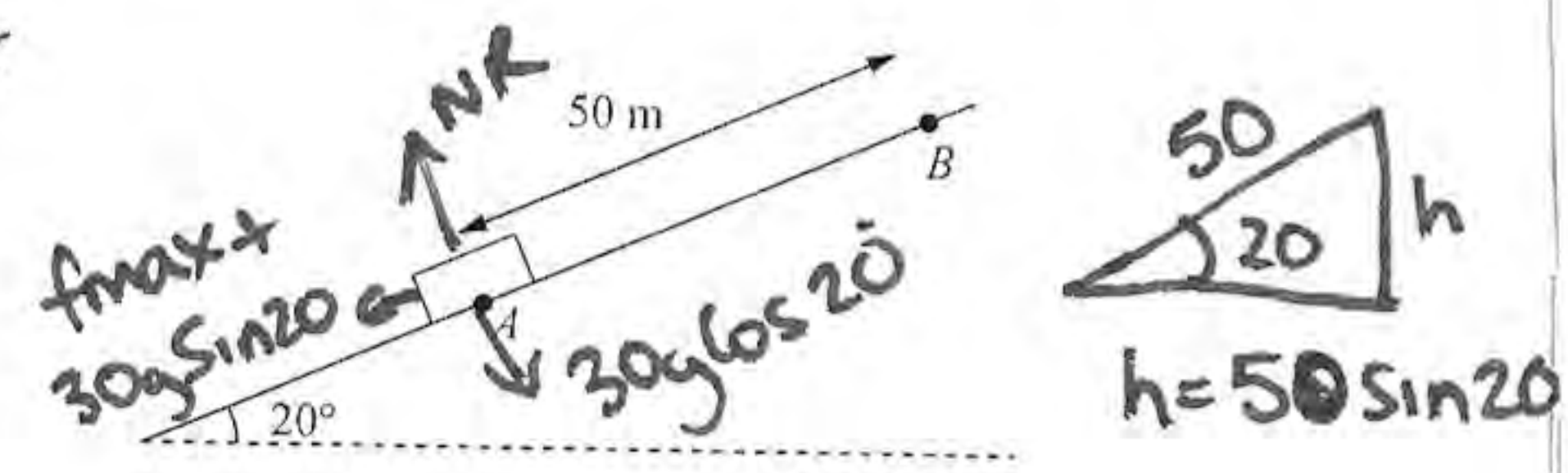


Figure 1

A box of mass 30 kg is held at rest at point A on a rough inclined plane. The plane is inclined at 20° to the horizontal. Point B is 50 m from A up a line of greatest slope of the plane, as shown in Figure 1. The box is dragged from A to B by a force acting parallel to AB and then held at rest at B . The coefficient of friction between the box and the plane is $\frac{1}{4}$. Friction is the only non-gravitational resistive force acting on the box. Modelling the box as a particle,

(a) find the work done in dragging the box from A to B .

The box is released from rest at the point B and slides down the slope. Using the work-energy principle, or otherwise,

(b) find the speed of the box as it reaches A .

a) $f_{max} = \mu NR = \frac{1}{4} (30g \cos 20)$
 $f_{max} = 69.067 \dots$

Wd against friction = 69.067×50

$w_d = 169.62 \times 50 = 3453.4 \text{ J}$
 8481.1 J

b) $KE_A = PE_B - WD_{AB}$

$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = 30g \times 50 \sin 20 - 3453.4$
 $15v^2 = 1574.3 \dots$ $v = 10.24$
 $v = 10.2 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

The uniform L-shaped lamina $ABCDEF$, shown in Figure 2, has sides AB and FE parallel, and sides BC and ED parallel. The pairs of parallel sides are 9 cm apart. The points A , F , D and C lie on a straight line.

$AB = BC = 36 \text{ cm}$, $FE = ED = 18 \text{ cm}$. $\angle ABC = \angle FED = 90^\circ$, and $\angle BCD = \angle EDF = \angle EFD = \angle BAC = 45^\circ$.

- (a) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the lamina from
 (i) side AB ,
 (ii) side BC .

The lamina is freely suspended from A and hangs in equilibrium.

- (b) Find, to the nearest degree, the size of the angle between AB and the vertical.

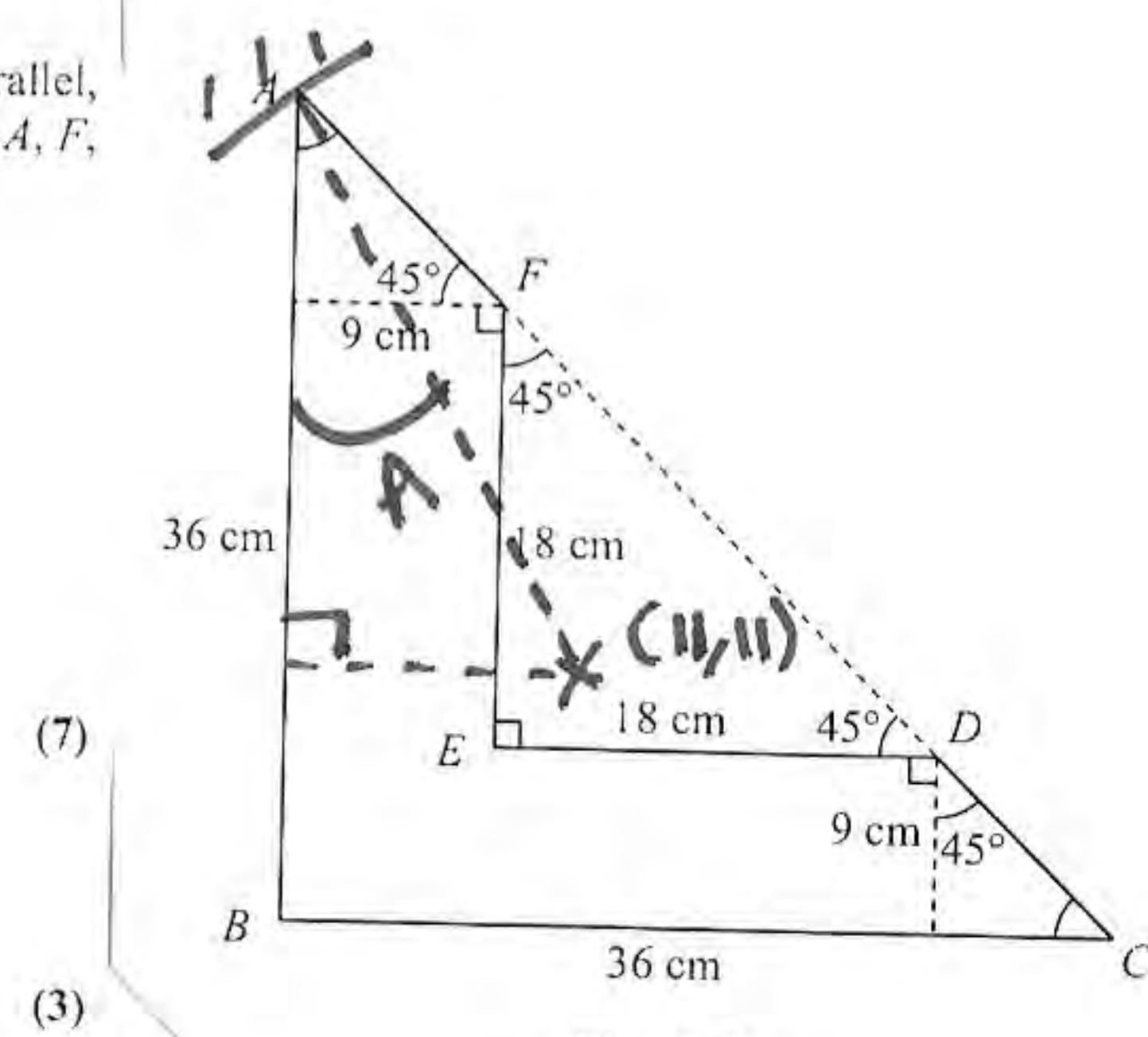
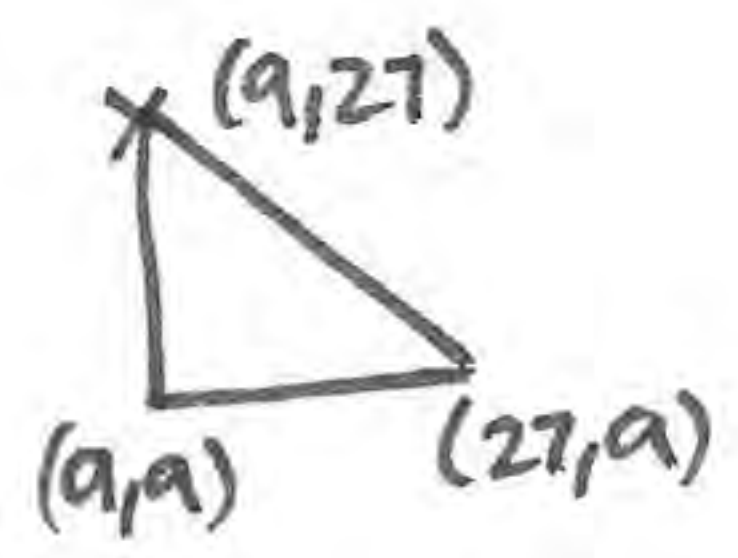
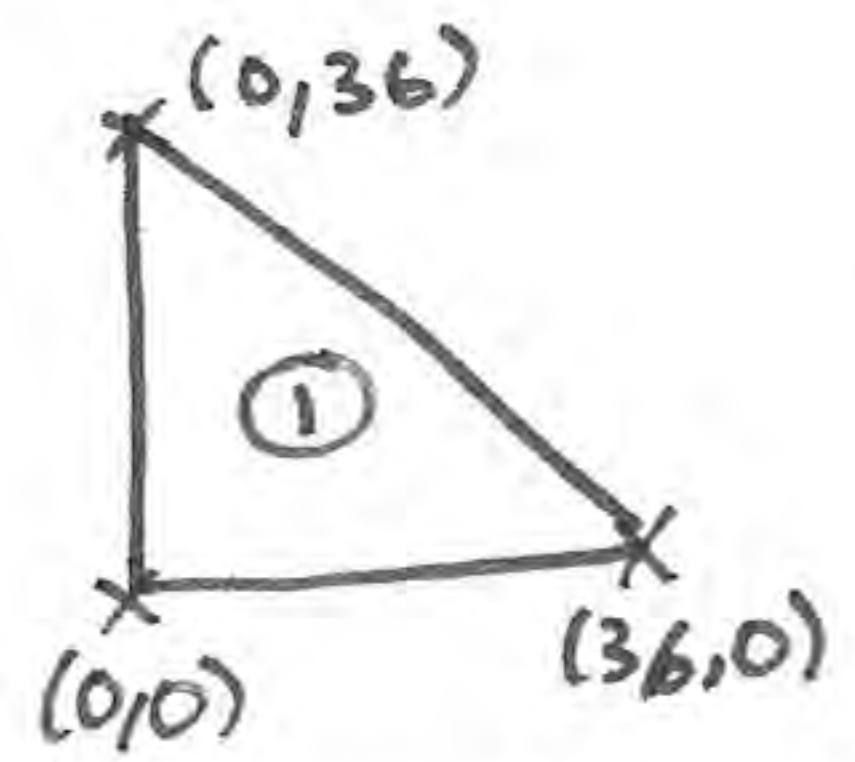


Figure 2



$\bar{x}_1 = \frac{0+0+36}{3} = 12$

$A_1 = \frac{36^2}{2} = 648$

$648 \text{ kg} \times 12 + 162 \text{ kg} \times 15 = 486 \text{ kg} \times \bar{x}$

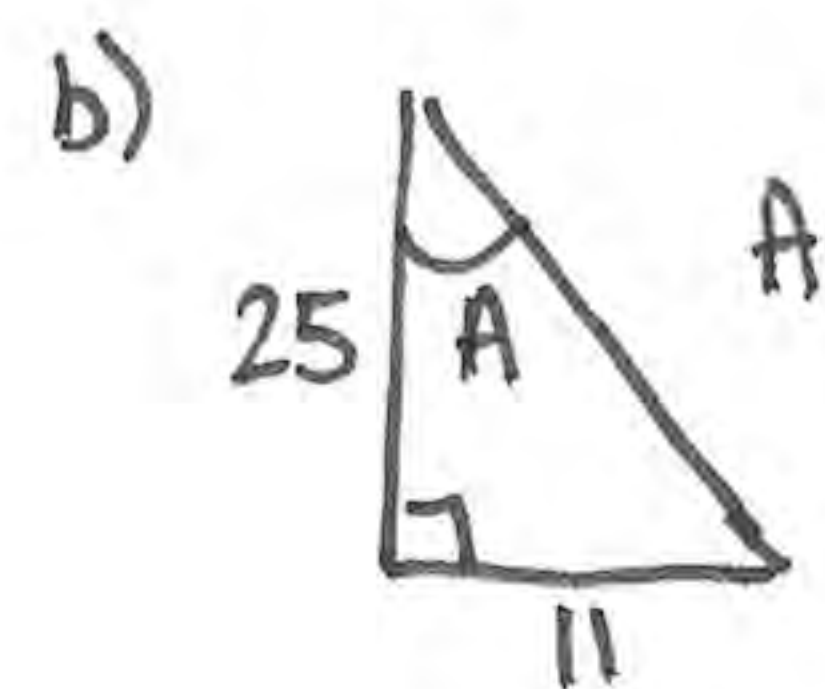
$\bar{x}_2 = \frac{9+9+27}{3} = 15$

$A_2 = \frac{18^2}{2} = 162$

= Total

Total = 486 (\bar{x}, \bar{y})

$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = 11 \text{ cm}$ (ii) 11 cm



$A = \tan^{-1}(\frac{11}{25}) = 23.7^\circ$

$A = 24^\circ$

6. [In this question, the unit vectors \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{j} are in a vertical plane, \mathbf{i} being horizontal and \mathbf{j} being vertically upwards.]

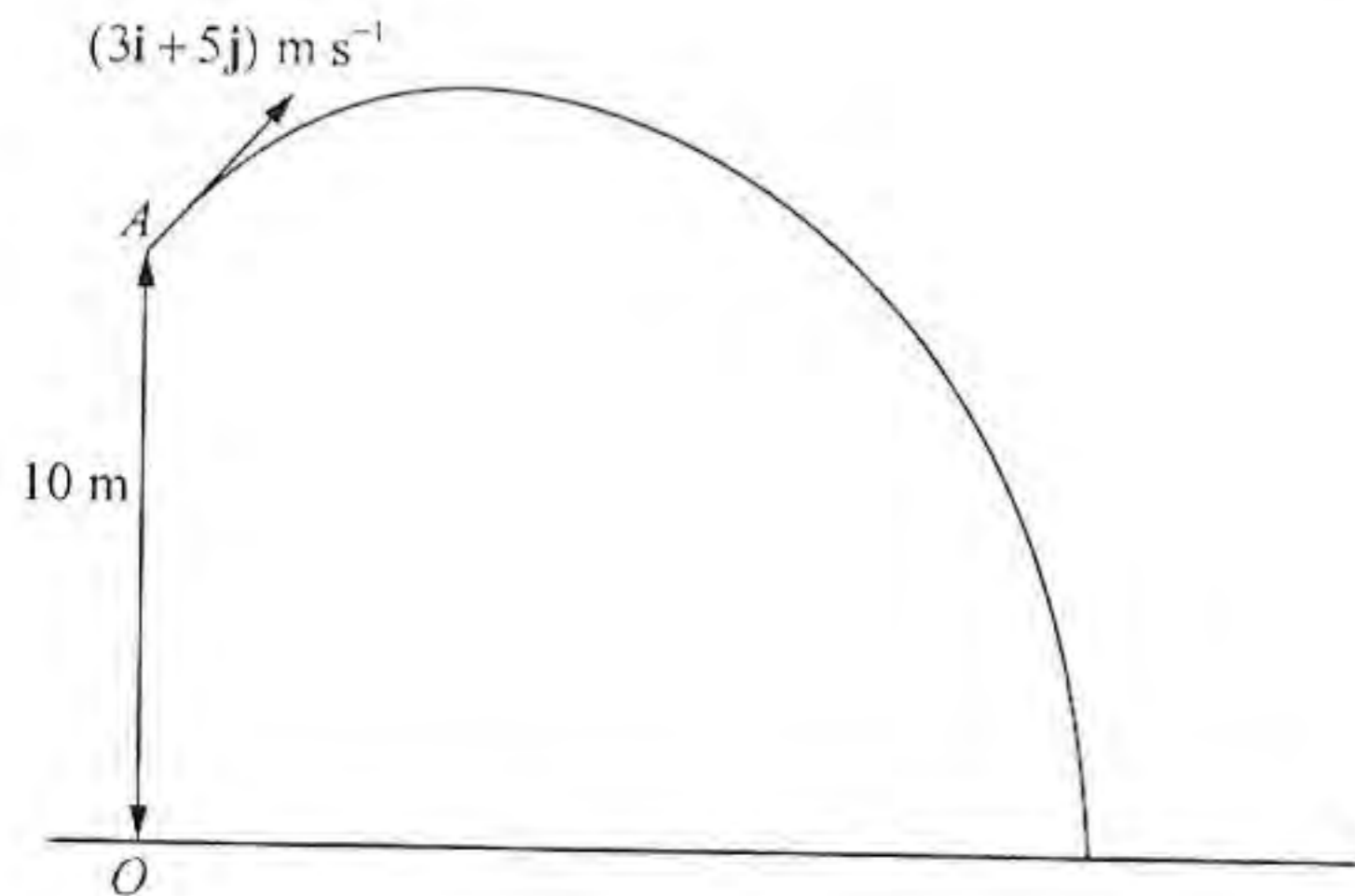


Figure 3

At time $t = 0$, a particle P is projected from the point A which has position vector $10\mathbf{j}$ metres with respect to a fixed origin O at ground level. The ground is horizontal. The velocity of projection of P is $(3\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) \text{ m s}^{-1}$, as shown in Figure 3. The particle moves freely under gravity and reaches the ground after T seconds.

- (a) For $0 \leq t \leq T$, show that, with respect to O , the position vector, \mathbf{r} metres, of P at time t seconds is given by

$$\mathbf{r} = 3t\mathbf{i} + (10 + 5t - 4.9t^2)\mathbf{j}$$

(3)

- (b) Find the value of T .

(3)

- (c) Find the velocity of P at time t seconds ($0 \leq t \leq T$).

(2)

When P is at the point B , the direction of motion of P is 45° below the horizontal.

- (d) Find the time taken for P to move from A to B .

(2)

- (e) Find the speed of P as it passes through B .

(2)

a) $\vec{H} \quad v = 3 \quad s = 3t$

$$v \uparrow \quad u \uparrow = 5 \quad y = 5t - \frac{1}{2}(9.8)t^2$$

$$a \uparrow = -9.8 \quad y = 5t - 4.9t^2$$

$$s = y \quad \text{from ground} = 10 + 5t - 4.9t^2$$

$$\mathbf{r} = 3t\mathbf{i} + (10 + 5t - 4.9t^2)\mathbf{j}$$

b) $t = T \quad j = 0 \quad 4.9t^2 - 5t - 10 = 0$

$$t = \frac{5 + \sqrt{5^2 - 4(4.9)(-10)}}{9.8} \quad t = \underline{2.03 \text{ sec}}$$

c) $v = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = 3\mathbf{i} + (5 - 9.8t)\mathbf{j}$



$$5 - 9.8t = 3 \quad t = \frac{2}{9.8} = \underline{0.82}$$

e) $\sqrt{3^2 + 3^2} = 3\sqrt{2} = \underline{4.24 \text{ ms}^{-1}}$

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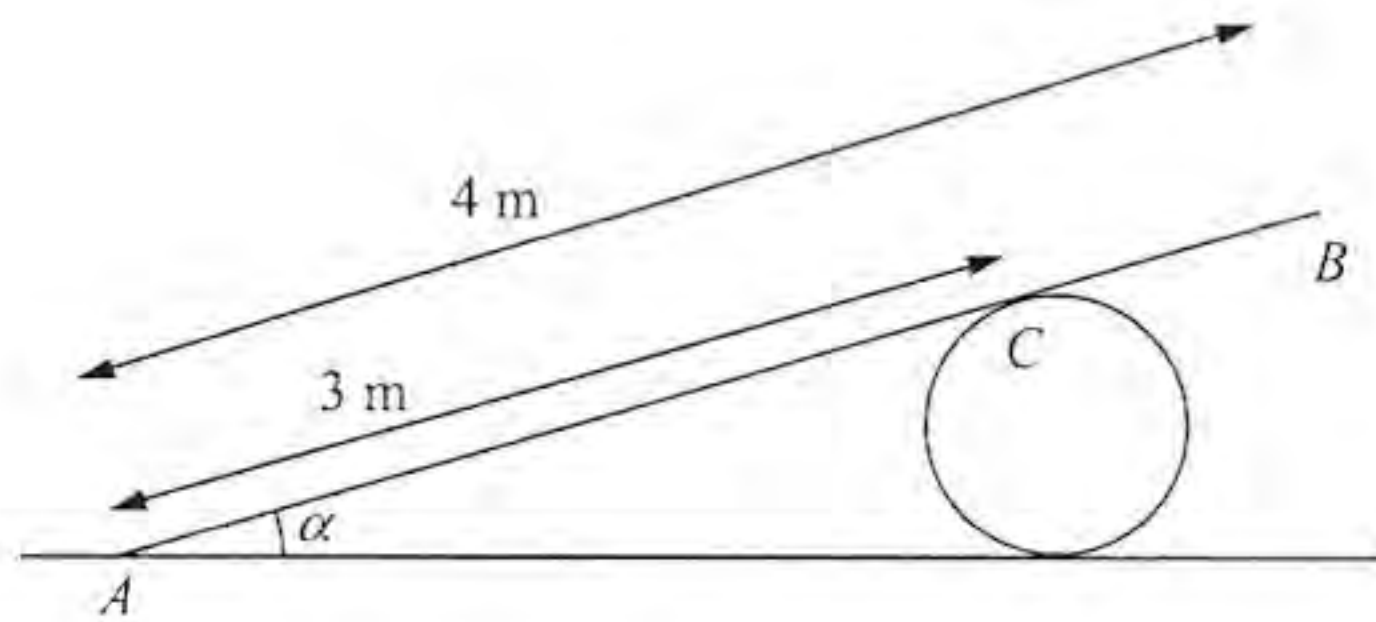
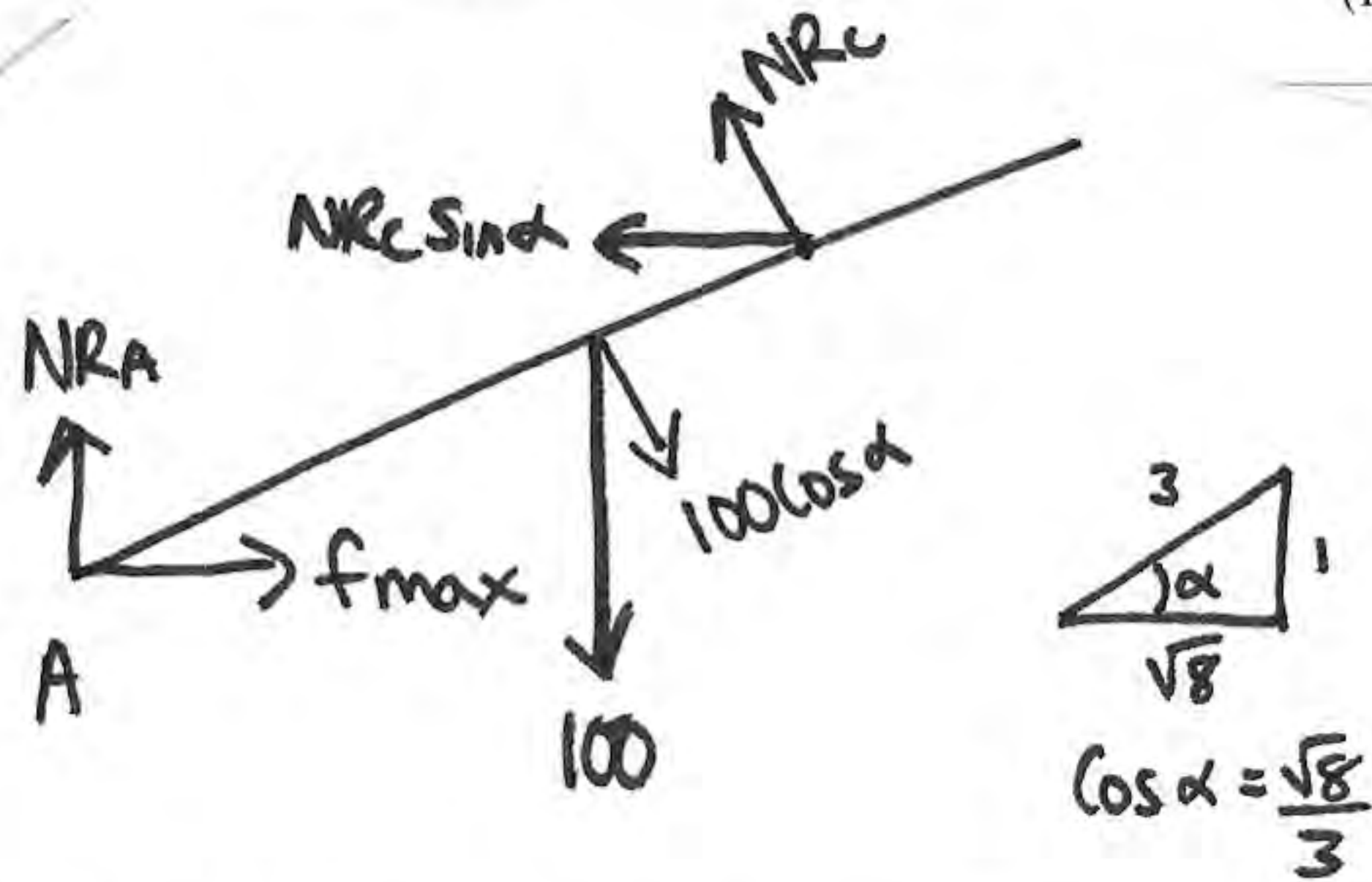


Figure 4

A uniform plank AB , of weight 100 N and length 4 m , rests in equilibrium with the end A on rough horizontal ground. The plank rests on a smooth cylindrical drum. The drum is fixed to the ground and cannot move. The point of contact between the plank and the drum is C , where $AC = 3\text{ m}$, as shown in Figure 4. The plank is resting in a vertical plane which is perpendicular to the axis of the drum, at an angle α to the horizontal, where $\sin \alpha = \frac{1}{3}$. The coefficient of friction between the plank and the ground is μ . Modelling the plank as a rod, find the least possible value of μ .

(10)



$$\text{A} \downarrow 100 \times \frac{\sqrt{8}}{3} \times 2 = 3 NR_c \Rightarrow NR_c = 62.85 \dots$$

$$\rightarrow = \leftarrow NR_c \sin \alpha = f_{\max} \Rightarrow f_{\max} = 20.95 \dots$$

$$\uparrow = \downarrow NR_A + NR_c \cos \alpha = 100 \Rightarrow NR_A = 40.74 \dots$$

$$f_{\max} = \mu \times NR_A \Rightarrow 20.95 \dots = 40.74 \dots \mu$$

$$\mu = 0.514$$

8. A particle P of mass $m\text{ kg}$ is moving with speed 6 m s^{-1} in a straight line on a smooth horizontal floor. The particle strikes a fixed smooth vertical wall at right angles and rebounds. The kinetic energy lost in the impact is 64 J . The coefficient of restitution between P and the wall is $\frac{1}{3}$.

(a) Show that $m = 4$.

(6)

After rebounding from the wall, P collides directly with a particle Q which is moving towards P with speed 3 m s^{-1} . The mass of Q is 2 kg and the coefficient of restitution between P and Q is $\frac{1}{3}$.

(b) Show that there will be a second collision between P and the wall.

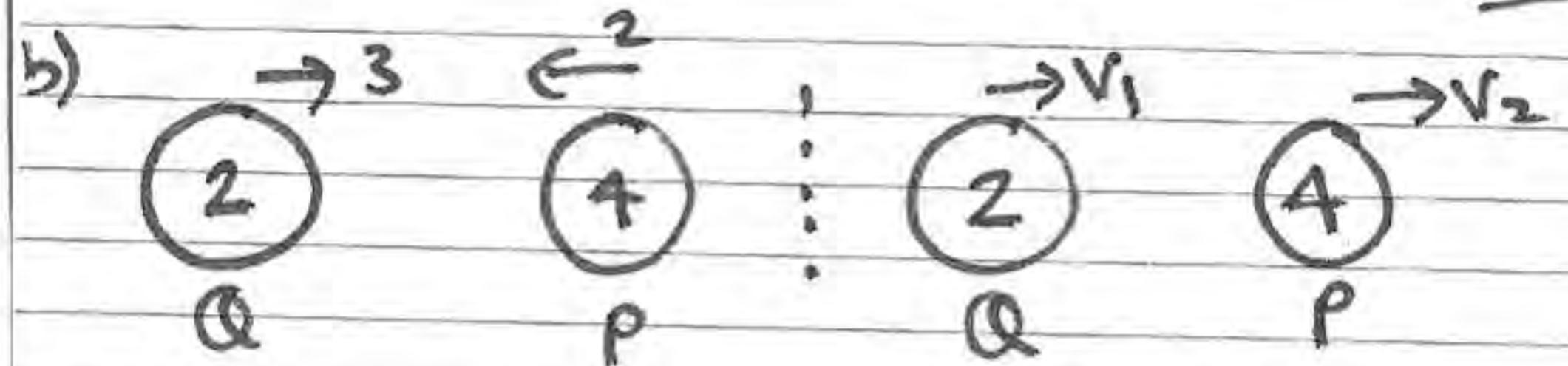
(7)

$$\text{a) } e = \frac{v_{\text{sep}}}{v_{\text{app}}} = \frac{v}{6} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow v = 2\text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$KE_{\text{before}} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = 18m$$

$$KE_{\text{after}} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = 2m \Rightarrow \text{loss} = 16m = 64$$

$$m = 4\text{ kg}$$



$$2 \times 3 + 4 \times (-2) = 2v_1 + 4v_2$$

$$-2 = 2v_1 + 4v_2 \quad (\times 3)$$

$$\frac{v_2 - v_1}{5} = \frac{1}{3} \quad -3v_1 + 3v_2 = 5 \quad (\times 2)$$

$$6v_1 + 12v_2 = -6 \quad v_2 = \frac{2}{9} \quad v_1 = \frac{-13}{9}$$

$$-6v_1 + 6v_2 = 10$$

$$18v_2 = 4 \quad v_2 > 0, \text{ will hit wall}$$