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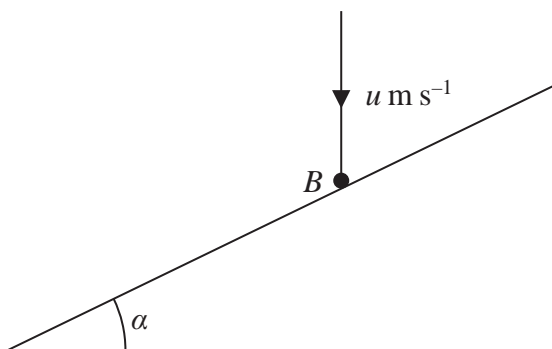


Figure 1

A smooth fixed plane is inclined at an angle α to the horizontal. A smooth ball B falls vertically and hits the plane. Immediately before the impact the speed of B is $u \text{ m s}^{-1}$, as shown in Figure 1. Immediately after the impact the direction of motion of B is horizontal. The coefficient of restitution between B and the plane is $\frac{1}{3}$.

Find the size of angle α .

(6)



3. A smooth uniform sphere A , of mass $5m$ and radius r , is at rest on a smooth horizontal plane. A second smooth uniform sphere B , of mass $3m$ and radius r , is moving in a straight line on the plane with speed $u \text{ m s}^{-1}$ and strikes A . Immediately before the impact the direction of motion of B makes an angle of 60° with the line of centres of the spheres. The direction of motion of B is turned through an angle of 30° by the impact.

Find

- (a) the speed of B immediately after the impact,

(3)

- (b) the coefficient of restitution between the spheres.

(6)



4. At 10 a.m. two walkers A and B are 4 km apart with A due north of B . Walker A is moving due east at a constant speed of 6 km h^{-1} . Walker B is moving with constant speed 5 km h^{-1} and walks in the straight line which allows him to pass as close as possible to A .

Find

- (a) the direction of motion of B , giving your answer as a bearing, (4)
- (b) the least distance between A and B , (2)
- (c) the time when the distance between A and B is least. (4)



5. A van of mass 1200 kg travels along a straight horizontal road against a resistance to motion which is proportional to the speed of the van. The engine of the van is working at a constant rate of 40 kW. The van starts from rest at time $t=0$. At time t seconds, the speed of the van is $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$. When the speed of the van is 40 m s^{-1} , the acceleration of the van is 0.3 m s^{-2} .

(a) Show that

$$75v \frac{dv}{dt} = 2500 - v^2 \quad (6)$$

(b) Find v in terms of t .

(6)



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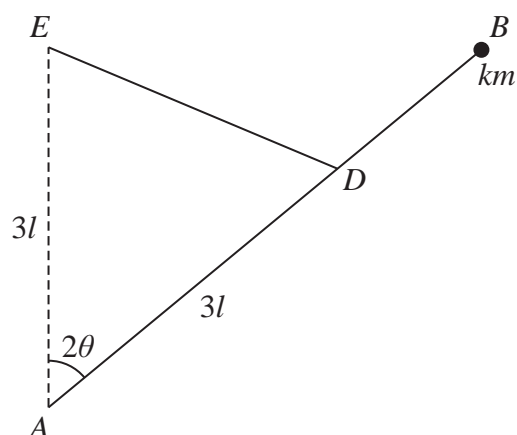


Figure 2

A uniform rod AB has mass $4m$ and length $4l$. The rod can turn freely in a vertical plane about a fixed smooth horizontal axis through A . A particle of mass km , where $k < 7$, is attached to the rod at B . One end of a light elastic string, of natural length l and modulus of elasticity $4mg$, is attached to the point D of the rod, where $AD = 3l$. The other end of the string is attached to a fixed point E which is vertically above A , where $AE = 3l$, as shown in Figure 2. The angle between the rod and the upward vertical is 2θ , where $\arcsin\left(\frac{1}{6}\right) < \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.

(a) Show that, while the string is stretched, the potential energy of the system is

$$8mgl\{(7 - k)\sin^2 \theta - 3\sin \theta\} + \text{constant} \quad (6)$$

There is a position of equilibrium with $\theta \leq \frac{\pi}{6}$.

(b) Show that $k \leq 4$ (5)

Given that $k = 4$,

(c) show that this position of equilibrium is stable. (5)



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