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PAPER 3C: Further Mechanics 1

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Information

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- There are 7 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
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- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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1. [In this question, \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{j} are horizontal perpendicular unit vectors.]

A particle A has mass 3 kg and a particle B has mass 2 kg .

The particles are moving on a smooth horizontal plane when they collide directly.

Immediately **before** the collision, the velocity of A is $(3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}) \text{ ms}^{-1}$ and the velocity of B is $(-6\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}) \text{ ms}^{-1}$

Immediately **after** the collision the velocity of A is $(-2\mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{j}) \text{ ms}^{-1}$

- Find the total kinetic energy of the two particles **before** the collision. (3)
- Find, in terms of \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{j} , the impulse exerted on A by B in the collision. (3)
- Find, in terms of \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{j} , the velocity of B immediately **after** the collision. (3)

a) Recall that $E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ and $v = |\mathbf{v}|$

$$v_A = \sqrt{3^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{10}$$

$$v_B = \sqrt{(-6)^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{40}$$

$$\text{Total } E_k = \frac{1}{2}M_A v_A^2 + \frac{1}{2}M_B v_B^2 \quad (1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \times 10 + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 40 \quad (1)$$

$$= 55 \text{ J} \quad (1)$$

b) Recall that impulse is $\Delta(m\mathbf{v})$

$$\Delta(m\mathbf{v}) = M_A \mathbf{v}_F - M_A \mathbf{v}_I \quad (1)$$

$$= 3 \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -15 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

$$= -15\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} \text{ N s} \quad (1)$$



Question 1 continued

$$c) \quad \underline{I} = 2\underline{V}_f - 2\underline{V}_I \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 15 = 2x + 12 \Rightarrow x = 3/2,$$

$$-5 = 2y - 4 \Rightarrow y = -1/2$$

$$\underline{V}_f = 3/2 \underline{i} - 1/2 \underline{j} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

(Total for Question 1 is 9 marks)



2. A rough plane is inclined to the horizontal at an angle θ , where $\tan \theta = \frac{3}{4}$

A particle P of mass m is at rest at a point on the plane.

The particle is projected **up** the plane with speed $\sqrt{2ag}$

The particle moves up a line of greatest slope of the plane and comes to instantaneous rest after moving a distance d .

The coefficient of friction between P and the plane is $\frac{1}{7}$

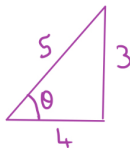
- (a) Show that the magnitude of the frictional force acting on P as it moves up the plane

is $\frac{4mg}{35}$

Air resistance is assumed to be negligible.

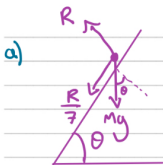
Using the work-energy principle,

- (b) find d in terms of a .



(3)

(4)



$$\tan \theta = 3/4$$

$$\sin \theta = 3/5$$

$$\cos \theta = 4/5$$

$$F_{\text{max}} = \mu R = 1/7 R$$

Resolve perpendicular to the slope:

$$R - Mg \cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow R = Mg \cos \theta \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{4}{5} Mg \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow F = \frac{1}{7} R = \frac{4Mg}{35} \quad (1)$$



Question 2 continued

b) Work done by friction + $E_p = E_k$

$$Fcd = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mgh$$

$$h = d \sin \theta$$

$$\frac{4mg}{35} \times d = \frac{1}{2} M \times 2ag - Mg d \sin \theta \quad (1) \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{4d}{35} = a - \frac{3}{5}d \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow d \left(\frac{4}{35} + \frac{3}{5} \right) = a$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{7}{5}a \quad (1)$$

(Total for Question 2 is 7 marks)



3. A car of mass 1000 kg moves in a straight line along a horizontal road at a constant speed of 72 km h^{-1} .

- The resistance to the motion of the car is modelled as a constant force of magnitude 900 N .

The engine of the car is working at a constant rate of $P\text{ kW}$.

Using the model,

- (a) find the value of P .

(3)

The car now travels in a straight line up a road which is inclined to the horizontal at an angle α , where $\sin \alpha = \frac{2}{49}$.

- In a refined model, the resistance to the motion of the car from non-gravitational forces is now modelled as a force of magnitude $20v\text{ newtons}$, where $v\text{ m s}^{-1}$ is the speed of the car.

At the instant when the engine of the car is working at a constant rate of 30 kW and the car is moving up the road at 10 m s^{-1} , the acceleration of the car is $a\text{ m s}^{-2}$.

Using the refined model,

- (b) find the value of a .

(4)

Later on, when the engine of the car is again working at a constant rate of 30 kW , the car is moving up the road at a constant speed $U\text{ m s}^{-1}$.

Using the refined model,

- (c) find the value of U .

(5)

a) Recall that $P = Fv$

$$72\text{ km h}^{-1} = 72 \times 1000 \div 3600\text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 20\text{ m s}^{-1} \quad (1)$$

Power $\rightarrow 1000P = 20F$
is in W

$$\Rightarrow F = 50P$$

$$F - 900 = 0 \quad (1)$$

resistive force

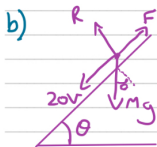


Question 3 continued

$$\Rightarrow F = 900$$

$$\Rightarrow 50p = 900$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 18 \quad (1)$$



$$P = Fv \Rightarrow 30,000 = F \times 10 \\ \Rightarrow F = 3000 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

Resolve parallel to the slope $(1) \quad F = ma$

$$F - 20v - Mgsin\theta = Ma$$

$$3000 - 20(10) - 1000(9.8) \times \frac{2}{49} = 1000a \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2.4 \quad (1)$$

$$c) \quad P = Fv \Rightarrow \frac{30000}{v} = F \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{30000}{v} - 20v - 1000g \times \frac{2}{49} = 0 \quad (1)$$

constant speed

$$\Rightarrow \frac{30000}{v} - 20v - 400 = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 30000 - 20v^2 - 400v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 + 20v - 1500 = 0 \quad (1)$$



Question 3 continued

$$\Rightarrow (v + 50)(v - 30) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v = 30 \quad \text{or} \quad v = -50 \quad \text{reject as } v \geq 0$$

$$\text{So } v = 30 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

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4. A particle A of mass $2m$ is moving in a straight line with speed $3u$ on a smooth horizontal plane. Particle A collides directly with a particle B of mass m which is at rest on the plane.

The coefficient of restitution between A and B is e , where $e > 0$

- (a) Show that the speed of B immediately after the collision is $2u(1+e)$.

(6)

After the collision, B hits a smooth fixed vertical wall which is perpendicular to the direction of motion of B .

- (b) Show that there will be a second collision between A and B .

(3)

The coefficient of restitution between B and the wall is $\frac{1}{2}$

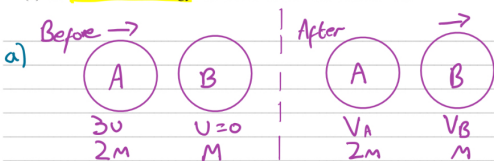
Find, in simplified form, in terms of m , u and e ,

- (c) the magnitude of the impulse received by B in its collision with the wall,

(3)

- (d) the loss in kinetic energy of B due to its collision with the wall.

(3)



$$u_1 m_1 + u_2 m_2 = v_1 m_1 + v_2 m_2 \quad (\text{COM})$$

By the conservation of Momentum, ①

$$3u \times 2m = -2m v_A + m v_B$$

$$\Rightarrow 6u = -2v_A + v_B \quad \text{①} \quad (\rightarrow \text{positive}) \quad (\text{assuming } A \text{ goes left})$$

$$v_2 - v_1 = e(u_2 - u_1) \quad (\text{impact law})$$

$$v_B - (-v_A) = 3ue \quad \text{①}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3eu = v_B + v_A \quad \text{①}$$



Question 4 continued

$$\Rightarrow v_A = 3eu - v_B \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6u = -2(3eu - v_B) + v_B$$

$$\Rightarrow 6u = -6eu + 3v_B$$

$$\Rightarrow 6u(1+e) = 3v_B$$

$$\Rightarrow 2u(1+e) = v_B \quad (1)$$

$$b) v_A = 3eu - 2u(1+e) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow v_A = u(e-2) \quad (1)$$

$0 \leq e \leq 1 \Rightarrow v_A < 0 \Rightarrow A$ continues to move towards the wall. (1)

c) The speed of B after the collision with the wall is $-ev_B$ (negative as opposite direction.)

$$v'_B = ev_B = -u(1+e) \quad (1)$$

$$I = \Delta(mv) = m(v'_B - v_B)$$

$$I = m(-u(1+e) - 2u(1+e)) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow I = 3(1+e)mu \quad (1)$$

$$d) E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2}m(v'^2_B - v^2_B)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}m((-u(1+e))^2 - (u(1+e))^2) \quad (1)$$



Question 4 continued

$$= \frac{1}{2} m (4v^2(1+e)^2 - v^2(1+e)^2) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= \frac{3mv^2(1+e)^2}{2} \quad \textcircled{1}$$



5. A light elastic string has natural length $2a$ and modulus of elasticity $2mg$. One end of the string is attached to a fixed point A on a horizontal ceiling. The other end is attached to a particle P of mass m .

The particle P hangs in equilibrium at the point E , where $AE = 3a$.

The particle P is then projected vertically downwards from E with speed $\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{ag}$.

Air resistance is assumed to be negligible.

Find the elastic energy stored in the string, when P first comes to instantaneous rest. Give your answer in the form $kmg a$, where k is a constant to be found.

(7)



We have to consider three types of energy.

- $E_k = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$
- $E_p = mgh$
- $E_e = \frac{\lambda x^2}{2l}$

$$\frac{1}{2} m v^2 + mgh + \frac{\lambda x^2}{2l} = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 + mgh + \frac{\lambda x^2}{2l} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} m \left(\frac{3}{2} \sqrt{ag} \right)^2 + mgx + \frac{2mga^2}{2(2a)} = 0 + 0 + \frac{2mg(x+a)^2}{2(2a)} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9}{8} mga + mgx + \frac{1}{2} mga = \frac{2mgx^2 + 4mgax + 2mga^2}{4a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9}{8} a + x + \frac{1}{2} a = \frac{x^2}{2a} + x + \frac{a}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{9}{8} a = \frac{x^2}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3a^2}{4} = x^2$$



Question 5 continued

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3a}{2} \quad (1) \quad (\text{reject } -\frac{3a}{2})$$

$$\Rightarrow E_E = \frac{2mg\left(\frac{5a}{2}\right)^2}{4a} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow E_E = \frac{1}{2} mga \times \frac{25}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow E_E = \frac{25mga}{8} \quad (1)$$

(Total for Question 5 is 7 marks)



6. [In this question, \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{j} are horizontal perpendicular unit vectors.]

A particle P is moving with velocity $(4\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j})\text{ms}^{-1}$ on a smooth horizontal plane.

The particle collides with a smooth vertical wall and rebounds with velocity $(\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j})\text{ms}^{-1}$

The coefficient of restitution between P and the wall is e .

- (a) Find the value of e .

(6)

After the collision, P goes on to hit a second smooth vertical wall, which is parallel to \mathbf{i} .

The coefficient of restitution between P and this second wall is $\frac{1}{3}$

The angle through which the direction of motion of P has been deflected by its collision with this second wall is α° .

- (b) Find the value of α , giving your answer to the nearest whole number.

(4)

a) Find the impulse = $\Delta(m\mathbf{v})$

$$\underline{\underline{I}} = m \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = m \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

So the impulse is in the direction $-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$

$$\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} = 5 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{5} (-3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}) \text{ is the unit impulse.}$$

Approach: $\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} (-12 - 4) = -\frac{16}{5}$

Separation: $\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} (-3 + 12) = \frac{9}{5}$

Recall that $e = \frac{\text{separation speed}}{\text{approach speed}}$

$$e = \frac{9/5}{16/5} = \frac{9}{16}$$



Question 6 continued

b) The wall is parallel to i , so the i component is unchanged.

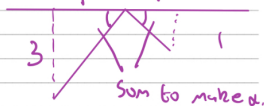
$$v_j = -2v_j \quad \text{(negative as bouncing off the wall, so opposite direction)}$$

$$\underline{v}' = (1, -\frac{3}{5}) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{v}' = (1, -1) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}(3) + \tan^{-1}(1) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 117. \quad \textcircled{1}$$



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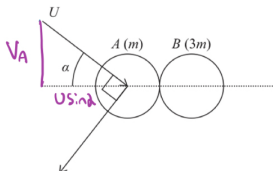


Figure 1

A smooth uniform sphere A of mass m is moving with speed U on a smooth horizontal plane. The sphere A collides obliquely with a smooth uniform sphere B of mass $3m$ which is at rest on the plane. The two spheres have the same radius.

Immediately before the collision, the direction of motion of A makes an angle α , where $0^\circ < \alpha < 90^\circ$, with the line joining the centres of the spheres.

Immediately after the collision, the direction of motion of A is **perpendicular** to its original direction, as shown in Figure 1.

The coefficient of restitution between the spheres is e .

- (a) Show that the speed of B immediately after the collision is

$$\frac{1}{4}(1+e)U\cos\alpha \quad (6)$$

- (b) Show that $e > \frac{1}{3}$ (4)

- (c) Show that $0 < \tan\alpha \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ (5)

a) Use the conservation of momentum.

$$m \begin{pmatrix} U \cos \alpha \\ U \sin \alpha \end{pmatrix} = m \begin{pmatrix} -V \sin \alpha \\ V \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} + m \begin{pmatrix} V_B \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow V \cos \alpha = -V \sin \alpha + V_B \quad (1)$$

Use the impact law $e = \frac{V_2 - V_1}{U_1 - U_2}$



Question 7 continued

$$(V_A - V_B)e = \sqrt{B} - \sqrt{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow Ue \cos \alpha = V_B - (-V \sin \alpha) \quad \text{① horizontal component.}$$

$$\Rightarrow Ue \cos \alpha = V_B + V \sin \alpha \quad \text{①}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Ue \cos \alpha - V_B}{\sin \alpha} = V \quad \text{①}$$

$$\Rightarrow U \cos \alpha = -Ue \cos \alpha + 4V_B$$

$$\Rightarrow U \cos \alpha (1 + e) = 4V_B$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} U \cos \alpha (1 + e) = V_B \quad \text{①}$$

$$b) V_A = \frac{Ue \cos \alpha - \frac{1}{4} U \cos \alpha (1 + e)}{\sin \alpha} \quad \text{①}$$

$$= Ue \cos \alpha - \frac{1}{4} U \cos \alpha (1 + e)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (3e - 1) U \cos \alpha \quad \text{①}$$

$$V_A > 0 \quad \text{①} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} (3e - 1) U \cos \alpha > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3e - 1 > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e > \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{①}$$



Question 7 continued

c) See diagram

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{\frac{1}{4}(3e-1)U \cos \alpha}{U \sin \alpha} \quad (1) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 \alpha = \frac{1}{4}(3e-1) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2 \alpha \leq \frac{1}{2} \quad (1) \quad \text{as } e \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \tan \alpha \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \quad (1) \quad \text{as } 0 \leq \alpha \leq 90$$

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