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Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- 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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Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
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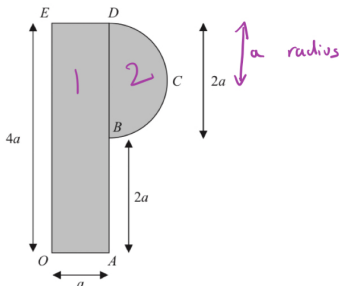


Figure 1

A letter P from a shop sign is modelled as a uniform plane lamina which consists of a rectangular lamina, $OABDE$, joined to a semicircular lamina, BCD , along its diameter BD .

$OA = ED = a$, $AB = 2a$, $OE = 4a$, and the diameter $BD = 2a$, as shown in Figure 1.

Using the model,

- (a) find, in terms of π and a , the distance of the centre of mass of the letter P,

from (i) OE

(ii) OA

(6)

The letter P is freely suspended from O and hangs in equilibrium. The angle between OE and the downward vertical is α .

Using the model,

- (b) find the exact value of $\tan \alpha$

a) i) The centre of mass of (1) is $(a/2, 2a)$. (2)

For the centre of mass of (2), we use the formula book.

If the angle is 2α , radius is r , then $\frac{2r \sin \alpha}{3d}$ from centre.



Question 1 continued

The angle is π , so $d = \pi/2$ and $r = a$

Subbing into the formula yields

$$\frac{2a}{3(\pi/2)} = \frac{4a}{3\pi} \text{ . So the centre of mass of (2) is } \left(a + \frac{4a}{3\pi}, 3a\right) \text{ (1)}$$

The area of (1) is $4a^2$ and the area of (2) is $\frac{\pi a^2}{2}$. (1)

Recall that $\bar{x} = \frac{M_1 x_1 + M_2 x_2}{M_1 + M_2}$

From OE: (1)

$$\bar{x} = \frac{4a^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}a\right) + \left(a + \frac{4a}{3\pi}\right) \left(\frac{\pi a^2}{2}\right)}{4a^2 + \frac{\pi a^2}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{2a^3 + \frac{\pi a^3}{2} + \frac{2a^3}{3}}{4a^2 + \frac{\pi a^2}{2}}$$

$$\text{ii) } = \frac{12a + 3\pi a + 4a}{24 + 3\pi} = \frac{16a + 3\pi a}{24 + 3\pi} \text{ (1)}$$

From OA: (1)

$$\bar{y} = \frac{2a(4a^2) + 3a \left(\frac{\pi a^2}{2}\right)}{4a^2 + \frac{\pi a^2}{2}}$$

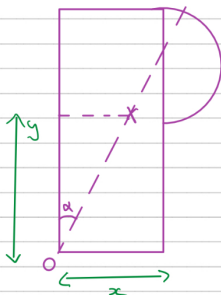


Question 1 continued

$$= \frac{8a^3 + \frac{3\pi a^3}{2}}{4a^2 + \frac{\pi a^2}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{16a + 3\pi a}{8 + \pi} \quad (1)$$

b)



From p t a, the centre of mass is at

$$\left(\frac{16a + 3\pi a}{24 + 3\pi}, \frac{16a + 3\pi a}{8 + \pi} \right)$$

$$\text{so, } \tan \alpha = \frac{\left(\frac{16a + 3\pi a}{24 + 3\pi} \right)}{\left(\frac{16a + 3\pi a}{8 + \pi} \right)} \quad (1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \quad (1)$$



2. At time $t = 0$, a small stone P of mass m is released from rest and falls vertically through the air. At time t , the speed of P is v and the resistance to the motion of P from the air is modelled as a force of magnitude kv^2 , where k is a constant.


(a) Show that $t = \frac{V}{2g} \ln\left(\frac{V+v}{V-v}\right)$ where $V^2 = \frac{mg}{k}$ (4)

(b) Give an interpretation of the value of V , justifying your answer. (2)

At time t , P has fallen a distance s .

(c) Show that $s = \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln\left(\frac{V^2}{V^2 - v^2}\right)$ (4)

a)



$$F = ma = m \cdot \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$Mg - Rv^2 = M \frac{dv}{dt} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Mg \left(1 - \frac{Rv^2}{Mg}\right) = M \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow g \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{V^2}\right) = \frac{dv}{dt}$$

This is a separable ODE.

$$\int 1 \, dt = \int \frac{1}{g \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{V^2}\right)} \, dv \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int 1 \, dt = \frac{1}{g} \int \frac{V^2}{V^2 - v^2} \, dv$$

In the formula book, $\int \frac{1}{a^2 - x^2} \, dx = \frac{1}{2a} \ln \left| \frac{a+x}{a-x} \right| + c$



Question 2 continued

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{V^2}{g} \left(\frac{1}{2V} \ln \left(\frac{V+r}{V-r} \right) \right) + c \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{V}{2g} \ln \left(\frac{V+r}{V-r} \right) + c$$

When $t = 0$, $r = 0$

$$0 = \frac{V}{2g} \ln(1) + c \Rightarrow c = 0 \quad \text{as } \ln(1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{V}{2g} \ln \left(\frac{V+r}{V-r} \right) \quad (1)$$

b) As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $r \rightarrow V$, hence V is the terminal velocity of the stone. (1)

c) Recall that $F = m v \frac{dv}{dx}$

$$Mg - kv^2 = m v \frac{dv}{ds} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int 1 ds = \int \frac{m v}{Mg - kv^2} dv \quad (1) \quad \frac{d}{dv} \left(\ln(Mg - kv^2) \right) = \frac{-2kv}{\ln(Mg - kv^2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow s = -\frac{M}{2k} \ln(Mg - kv^2) + c \quad \text{So we apply this backwards.}$$

We now need to manipulate this into the form the question asks for.

$$\Rightarrow s = -\frac{mg}{2kg} \ln \left(\frac{mg}{k} \left(k - \frac{k^2}{mg} v^2 \right) \right) + c$$



Question 2 continued

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{-V^2}{2g} \ln \left(V^2 \left(k - \frac{k}{V^2} v^2 \right) \right) + c$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{-V^2}{2g} \ln (k(V^2 - v^2)) + c$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{-V^2}{2g} (\ln k + \ln(V^2 - v^2)) + c$$

As $\ln k$ is a constant, we make a new constant d .

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{-V^2}{2g} \ln(V^2 - v^2) + d \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln \left(\frac{1}{V^2 - v^2} \right) + d \quad \text{by rules of logs}$$

when $S=0$, $v=0$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln(V^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln \left(\frac{1}{V^2 - v^2} \right) + \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln(V^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln \left(\frac{V^2}{V^2 - v^2} \right) \quad (1)$$



3.

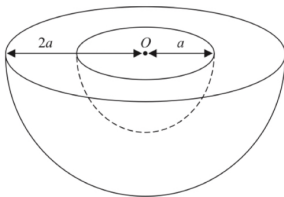


Figure 2

A uniform solid hemisphere H has radius $2a$. A solid hemisphere of radius a is removed from the hemisphere H to form a bowl. The plane faces of the hemispheres coincide and the centres of the two hemispheres coincide at the point O , as shown in Figure 2.

The centre of mass of the bowl is at the point G .

(a) Show that $OG = \frac{45a}{56}$

(4)

Figure 3 below shows a cross-section of the bowl which is resting in equilibrium with a point P on its curved surface in contact with a rough plane. The plane is inclined to the horizontal at an angle α and is sufficiently rough to prevent the bowl from slipping. The line OG is horizontal and the points O , G and P lie in a vertical plane which passes through a line of greatest slope of the inclined plane.

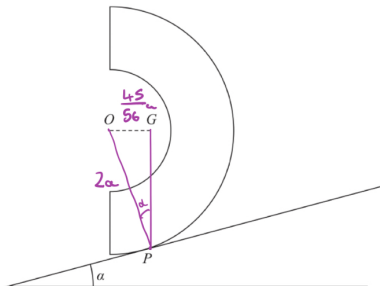


Figure 3

(b) Find the size of α , giving your answer in degrees to 3 significant figures.

(2)



Question 3 continued

a) Volume of a sphere = $\frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$

So, the volume of a hemisphere is = $\frac{2}{3} \pi r^3$

$$V_s = \frac{2}{3} \pi a^3, \quad V_b = \frac{2}{3} \pi (2a)^3 = \frac{16}{3} \pi a^3 \quad (1)$$

In the formula book, the centre of mass of a hemisphere with radius r is $\frac{3}{8} r$ from the centre.

The centre of mass of the small hemisphere from O is $\frac{3}{8} a$ and is $\frac{3}{4} a$ from O for the big hemisphere. (1)

As the smaller hemisphere is removed, we take away the mass of this.

$$\therefore \left(\frac{16}{3} \pi a^3 - \frac{2}{3} \pi a^3 \right) = \left(\frac{3}{4} a \cdot \frac{16}{3} \pi a^3 \right) - \left(\frac{3}{8} a \cdot \frac{2}{3} \pi a^3 \right) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{14}{3} \pi a^3 \right) = 4 \pi a^4 - \frac{1}{4} \pi a^4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y}{a} = \frac{45}{56} a \quad (1)$$

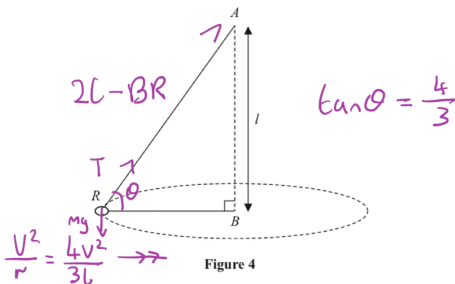
b) From the diagram,

$$\sin d = \frac{\frac{45}{56} a}{2a} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 23.7 \quad (1)$$



4.



One end of a light inextensible string of length $2l$ is attached to a fixed point A . A small smooth ring R of mass m is threaded on the string and the other end of the string is attached to a fixed point B . The point B is vertically below A , with $AB = l$. The ring is then made to move with constant speed V in a horizontal circle with centre B . The string is taut and BR is horizontal, as shown in Figure 4.

(a) Show that $BR = \frac{3l}{4}$ (2)

Given that air resistance is negligible,

(b) find, in terms of m and g , the tension in the string, (4)

(c) find V in terms of g and l . (4)

a) By Pythagoras,

$$(2l - BR)^2 = BR^2 + l^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4l^2 - 4lBR + BR^2 = BR^2 + l^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 3l^2 = 4lBR$$

$$\Rightarrow BR = \frac{3l}{4} \quad (1)$$



Question 4 continued

b) We can see that $\tan \theta = 4/3$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = 3/5, \cos \theta = 4/5 \quad (1)$$

Resolving vertically, (1)

$$T \cos \theta = mg \Rightarrow 4/5 T = mg \Rightarrow T = \frac{5mg}{4} \quad (1)$$

c) Resolving horizontally, (1)

$$T + T \sin \theta = m \left(\frac{4V^2}{3L} \right) \quad (1) \text{ (see diagram)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8}{5} T = \frac{4mV^2}{3L} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{5mV^2}{6L}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{4} mg = \frac{5mV^2}{6L}$$

$$\Rightarrow V = \sqrt{\frac{3gL}{2}} \quad (1)$$



5. A light inextensible string of length a has one end attached to a fixed point O . The other end of the string is attached to a small stone of mass m . The stone is held with the string taut and horizontal. The stone is then projected vertically upwards with speed U .

The stone is modelled as a particle and air resistance is modelled as being negligible.

Assuming that the string does not break, use the model to

- (a) find the least value of U so that the stone will move in complete vertical circles.

(6)

The string will break if the tension in it is equal to $\frac{11mg}{2}$

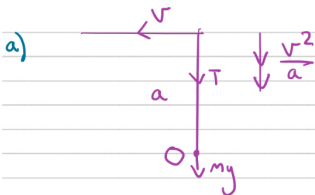
Given that $U = 2\sqrt{ag}$, use the model to

- (b) find the total angle that the string has turned through, from when the stone is projected vertically upwards, to when the string breaks,

(6)

- (c) find the magnitude of the acceleration of the stone at the instant just before the string breaks.

(4)



$$T + mg = \frac{mv^2}{a} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{mv^2}{a} - mg \quad (1)$$

$T \geq 0$, otherwise no tension in the string

$$\Rightarrow \frac{mv^2}{a} - mg \geq 0 \Rightarrow v^2 \geq ga \quad (1) \quad (1)$$

From the conservation of energy, we have that



Question 5 continued

$$\frac{1}{2} m U^2 = \frac{1}{2} m V^2 + m g a \quad (1)$$

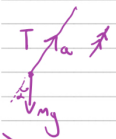
$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} m U^2 \geq m g a + \frac{1}{2} m g a \quad \text{by (1)} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow U^2 \geq 3 g a$$

$$\Rightarrow U \geq \sqrt{3 g a}$$

So the minimum value of U is $\sqrt{3 g a} \quad (1)$

b) We want to find an equation of motion when the string breaks.



$$T - m g \cos \alpha = m \frac{v^2}{a} \quad (1)$$

Here, $T = \frac{11 m g}{2}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{11 m g}{2} - m g \cos \alpha = \frac{m v^2}{a} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 = a g \left(\frac{11}{2} - \cos \alpha \right) \quad (1)$$

Now, we make an equation using the conservation of energy.

$$\frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{1}{2} m U^2 + m g a \cos \alpha \quad (1) \quad (h = a \cos \alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} m v^2 = \frac{1}{2} m (4 g a) + m g a \cos \alpha \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 = 4 g a + 2 g a \cos \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow a g \left(\frac{11}{2} - \cos \alpha \right) = a g (4 + 2 \cos \alpha) \quad \text{by subbing in (1)}$$



Question 5 continued

$$\Rightarrow \frac{11}{2} - \cos \alpha = 4 + 2 \cos \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{2} = 3 \cos \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \cos \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 60^\circ \quad (1)$$

Because of where we have positioned our α , the angle rotated is $90 - \alpha = 30^\circ$, plus the 180° already rotated through.

So the angle is 210° . (1)

- c) We want to find both the radial and tangential components of the acceleration.

$$V^2 = 4ay + 2ay \cos \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow V^2 = 5ay$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V^2}{a} = 5y \quad (1) \text{ as we know that the acceleration is } \frac{V^2}{a}.$$

$$\text{Also, } mg \sin \alpha = m \frac{V^2}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow g \sin \alpha = \frac{V^2}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}g}{2} = \frac{V^2}{a} \quad (1)$$

We combine both components of acceleration



Question 5 continued

$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{53g}{2}\right)^2 + (5g)^2} = 49.7ms^{-2}$$

(Total for Question 5 is 16 marks)



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6. A light elastic string, of natural length l and modulus of elasticity $2mg$, has one end attached to a fixed point A and the other end attached to a particle P of mass m . The particle P hangs in equilibrium at the point O .

(a) Show that $AO = \frac{3l}{2}$

(2)

The particle P is pulled down vertically from O to the point B , where $OB = l$, and released from rest.

Air resistance is modelled as being negligible.

Using the model,

- (b) prove that P begins to move with simple harmonic motion about O with

$$\text{period } \pi \sqrt{\frac{2l}{g}}$$

(5)

The particle P first comes to instantaneous rest at the point C .

Using the model,


- (c) find the length BC in terms of l ,

(4)

- (d) find, in terms of l and g , the exact time it takes P to move directly from B to C .

(5)

a)



$$T = mg$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\lambda e}{l} = mg \quad \text{by Hooke's Law}$$

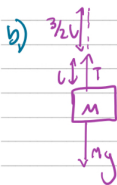
$$\Rightarrow \frac{2mge}{l} = mg \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow e = \frac{l}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow AO = l + e = \frac{3l}{2} \quad (1)$$



Question 6 continued



$$Mg - T = M\ddot{x} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Mg - \frac{2Mg(l/2 + x)}{l} = M\ddot{x} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow g - g - \frac{2gx}{l} = \ddot{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{2gx}{l} = \ddot{x}$$

This is simple harmonic motion with $\omega^2 = \frac{2g}{l} \quad (1)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Period} &= \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \quad (1) = 2\pi \div \sqrt{\frac{2g}{l}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{2g}} \\ &= \pi \sqrt{\frac{2l}{g}} \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

c) Elastic energy in the stretch of x is $\frac{\lambda x^2}{2l}$.

We make an equation by the conservation of energy.

$$(1) \quad Mgh = \frac{2Mg(3/2 l)^2}{2l} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow h = \frac{9}{4} l \quad (1)$$



Question 6 continued

- d) Because we are starting at $x = -l/2$, this is the start of the SHM, so we can use

$$x = a \cos \omega t, \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow -l/2 = l \cos(\sqrt{\frac{2g}{l}} t)$$

$$\Rightarrow t_1 = \frac{2\pi}{3} \sqrt{\frac{l}{2g}} \quad (2)$$

Now that the string is slack, it no longer follows SHM.

$$s = \frac{9}{4}l - \frac{3}{2}l = \frac{3}{4}l,$$

$$v = 0, \quad a = -g$$

$$\text{using } s = vt - \frac{1}{2}at^2,$$

$$\frac{3}{4}l = 0(t) - \frac{1}{2}(-g)t^2 \quad (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow t_2 = \sqrt{\frac{3l}{2g}} \quad (4)$$

The total time taken is the time during SHM, plus the time taken after.

$$t = t_1 + t_2 = \frac{2\pi}{3} \sqrt{\frac{l}{2g}} + \sqrt{\frac{3l}{2g}} \quad (5)$$



7. [In this question, you may assume that the centre of mass of a circular arc, radius r , with angle at centre 2α , is a distance $\frac{r \sin \alpha}{\alpha}$ from the centre.]

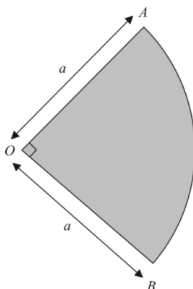


Figure 5

A thin non-uniform metal plate is in the shape of a sector OAB of a circle with centre O and radius a . The angle $AOB = \frac{\pi}{2}$, as shown in Figure 5.

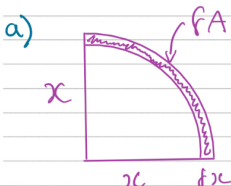
The plate is modelled as a non-uniform lamina.

The mass per unit area of the lamina, at any point P of the lamina, is modelled as

$k(OP)^2$, where $k = \frac{4\lambda}{\pi a^4}$ and λ is a constant.

Using the model,

- find the mass of the plate in terms of λ , (5)
- find, in terms of a , the distance of the centre of mass of the plate from O . (4)



Question 7 continued

$$\delta A = \frac{\pi}{4} (x + \delta x)^2 - \frac{\pi}{4} x^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta A = \frac{\pi}{4} (x^2 + 2\delta x + (\delta x)^2) - \frac{\pi}{4} x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta A = \frac{\pi}{2} x \delta x + \frac{(\delta x)^2}{4} \quad \leftarrow \text{very very small}$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta A \approx \frac{\pi}{2} x \delta x \quad (1)$$

Mass = 'density' \times area

$$\Rightarrow \delta m \approx \frac{\lambda}{\pi a^4} x^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{2} x \delta x \right) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow M = \int_0^a \frac{2\lambda}{a^4} x^3 dx \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow M = \left[\frac{\lambda}{2a^4} x^4 \right]_0^a$$

$$\Rightarrow M = \lambda/2 \quad (1)$$

b) Use the given formula

$$d = \pi/2, \quad r = a$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{a \sin(\pi/4)}{\pi/4} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}a}{\pi} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{\int_0^a \frac{2\sqrt{2}x}{\pi} \left(\frac{2\lambda x^3}{a^4} \right) dx}{\lambda/2} \quad (1)$$



Question 7 continued

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{\pi a^4} \int_0^a x^4 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{\pi a^4} (1/5 a^5)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{8\sqrt{2} a}{5\pi} \quad (1)$$

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