

5. A car is travelling along a straight horizontal road. The car takes 120 s to travel between two sets of traffic lights which are 2145 m apart. The car starts from rest at the first set of traffic lights and moves with constant acceleration for 30 s until its speed is 22 m s^{-1} . The car maintains this speed for T seconds. The car then moves with constant deceleration, coming to rest at the second set of traffic lights.

(a) Sketch, in the space below, a speed-time graph for the motion of the car between the two sets of traffic lights.

(2)

(b) Find the value of T .

(3)

A motorcycle leaves the first set of traffic lights 10 s after the car has left the first set of traffic lights. The motorcycle moves from rest with constant acceleration, $a \text{ m s}^{-2}$, and passes the car at the point A which is 990 m from the first set of traffic lights. When the motorcycle passes the car, the car is moving with speed 22 m s^{-1} .

(c) Find the time it takes for the motorcycle to move from the first set of traffic lights to the point A .

(4)

(d) Find the value of a .

(2)



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6. A beam AB has length 15 m. The beam rests horizontally in equilibrium on two smooth supports at the points P and Q , where $AP = 2$ m and $QB = 3$ m. When a child of mass 50 kg stands on the beam at A , the beam remains in equilibrium and is on the point of tilting about P . When the same child of mass 50 kg stands on the beam at B , the beam remains in equilibrium and is on the point of tilting about Q . The child is modelled as a particle and the beam is modelled as a non-uniform rod.

(a) (i) Find the mass of the beam.

(ii) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the beam from A .

(8)

When the child stands at the point X on the beam, it remains horizontal and in equilibrium. Given that the reactions at the two supports are equal in magnitude,

(b) find AX .

(6)



7. [In this question, the horizontal unit vectors **i** and **j** are directed due east and due north respectively.]

The velocity, **v** m s⁻¹, of a particle *P* at time *t* seconds is given by

$$\mathbf{v} = (1 - 2t)\mathbf{i} + (3t - 3)\mathbf{j}$$

(a) Find the speed of *P* when *t* = 0 **(3)**

(b) Find the bearing on which *P* is moving when *t* = 2 **(2)**

(c) Find the value of *t* when *P* is moving
 (i) parallel to **j**,
 (ii) parallel to **(-i - 3j)**. **(6)**



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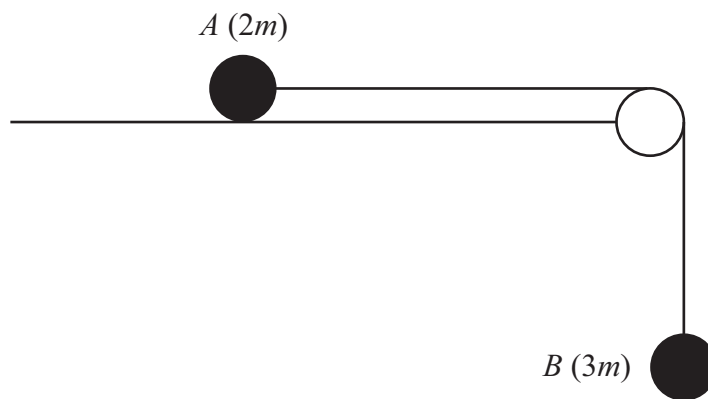


Figure 2

Two particles A and B have masses $2m$ and $3m$ respectively. The particles are attached to the ends of a light inextensible string. Particle A is held at rest on a smooth horizontal table. The string passes over a small smooth pulley which is fixed at the edge of the table. Particle B hangs at rest vertically below the pulley with the string taut, as shown in Figure 2. Particle A is released from rest. Assuming that A has not reached the pulley, find

- (a) the acceleration of B , (5)

- (b) the tension in the string, (1)

- (c) the magnitude and direction of the force exerted on the pulley by the string. (4)



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