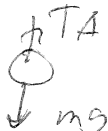
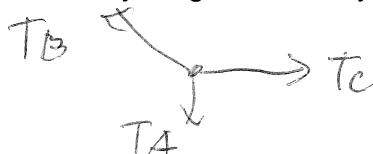


1. Assume the ball with mass 7.50 kg in the picture above is not moving. Find the magnitude of the tensions in the strings A, B, and C.
- a. Below, draw a free body diagram of the ball. **5**



- b. Below, draw a free body diagram of the junction point of the 3 strings. **5**



- c. Write out Newton's 2nd Law for the ball in the y-direction and find the tension in the A string. **10**

$$y: \quad T_A - mg = ma = 0$$

$$T_A = 7.50g = 73.6 \text{ N}$$

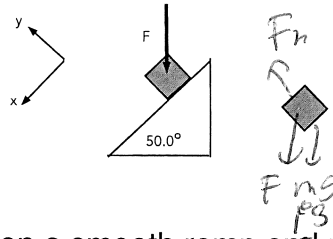
- d. Write out Newton's 2nd Law for the junction in the x- and y-directions and find the tensions in the B and C strings. **10**

$$x: \quad T_B \sin 40^\circ - T_C = 0$$

$$y: \quad T_B \cos 40^\circ - T_A = 0$$

$$T_B = \frac{T_A}{\cos 40^\circ} = \frac{73.6}{\cos 40^\circ} = 96.0 \text{ N}$$

$$T_C = T_B \sin 40^\circ = 61.7 \text{ N}$$



2. ~~A rope is attached to a~~ block on a smooth ramp ~~and~~ pushed with a force, F , perpendicular to the floor.

a. Above and to the right draw a free body diagram of the block while it is sliding down the ramp. **5**

b. Write out Newton's 2nd Law for the block in both directions. **20**

$$x^{\circ}: (F + mg) \sin 50^{\circ} = ma$$

$$y^{\circ}: F_n - (F + mg) \cos 50^{\circ} = 0$$

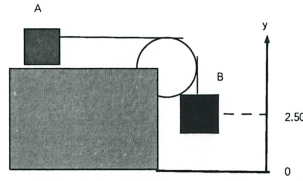
Assume $m=4.00$ kg and $F = 15.0$ N.

c. Find the magnitude of the normal force on the block. **5**

$$F_n = (15.0 + 4g) \cos 50^{\circ} = 34.9 \text{ N}$$

d. Find the magnitude of the acceleration of the block. **5**

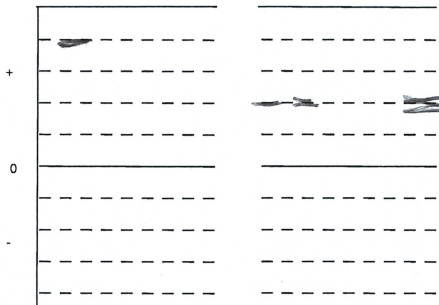
$$\begin{aligned} a &= \frac{1}{m} (F + mg) \sin 50^{\circ} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (15 + 4g) \sin 50^{\circ} \\ &= 10.7 \text{ m/s}^2 \end{aligned}$$



3. Blocks A and B are connected by a light string and attached over a massless pulley and are initially at rest. Assume a rough surface under block A and masses m_A and m_B . The blocks are released and start moving. Take the final position as after the blocks have moved 1.75 m

a. Create energy bar charts: 5

K_i U_{grav_i} U_{spring_i} E_{th_i} K_f U_{grav_f} U_{spring_f} E_{th_f}



Assume that $m_A = 6.50$ kg, $m_B = 8.00$ kg, $\mu_{kA} = 0.300$, and that the initial heights of the blocks are 2.50 m and 5.00 m.

b. Find the initial energy of block B before the blocks start moving. 5

$$U_B = (8.00)g(2.50) = 196 \text{ J}$$

c. Using Conservation of Energy, find the speed of the blocks after they have moved 1.75 m. 25

$$196 = \frac{1}{2}(m_A + m_B)v^2 + m_B g(0.75) + \mu_k m_A g(1.75)$$

(we've ignored U_A since the height doesn't change)

$$= \frac{1}{2}(6.5 + 8)v^2 + 8g(0.75) + (0.300)(6.50)g(1.75)$$

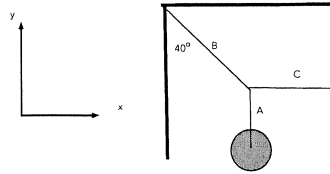
$$= 7.25v^2 + 58.86 + 33.48$$

$$v = 3.78 \text{ m/s}$$

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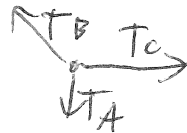


1. Assume the ball with mass 9.50 kg in the picture above is not moving. Find the magnitude of the tensions in the strings A, B, and C.

a. Below, draw a free body diagram of the ball. 5



b. Below, draw a free body diagram of the junction point of the 3 strings. 5



c. Write out Newton's 2nd Law for the ball in the y-direction and find the tension in the A string. 10

$$y: T_A - m_A g = m_A a = 0$$

$$T_A = 9.50g = 93.2 \text{ N}$$

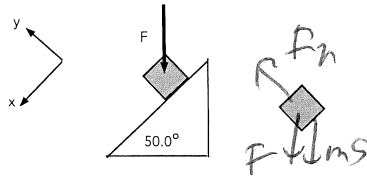
d. Write out Newton's 2nd Law for the junction in the x- and y-directions and find the tensions in the B and C strings. 10

$$x: T_C - T_B \sin 40^\circ = 0$$

$$y: T_B \cos 40^\circ - T_A = 0$$

$$T_B = \frac{T_A}{\cos 40^\circ} = \frac{93.2}{\cos 40^\circ} = 122 \text{ N}$$

$$T_C = T_B \sin 40^\circ = 122 \sin 40^\circ = 78.2 \text{ N}$$



2. A block on a smooth ramp is pushed with a force, F , perpendicular to the floor.
 a. Above and to the right draw a free body diagram of the block while it is sliding down the ramp. 5

b. Write out Newton's 2nd Law for the block in both directions. 20

$$x: mg \sin 50.0^\circ + F \sin 50.0^\circ = ma$$

$$y: F_n - mg \cos 50.0^\circ - F \cos 50.0^\circ = 0$$

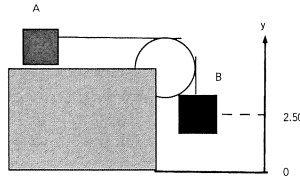
Assume $m=5.00$ kg and $F = 12.0$ N.

c. Find the magnitude of the normal force on the block. 5

$$\begin{aligned} F_n &= \cos 50.0^\circ (mg + F) \\ &= \cos 50.0^\circ (5.00g + 12.0) \\ &= 39.2 \text{ N} \end{aligned}$$

d. Find the magnitude of the acceleration of the block. 5

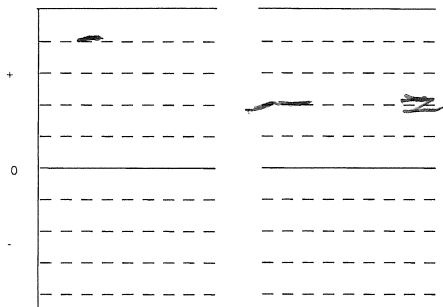
$$\begin{aligned} a &= \frac{mg \sin 50.0^\circ + F \sin 50.0^\circ}{m} \\ &= \frac{5.00g \sin 50.0^\circ + 12.0 \sin 50.0^\circ}{5.00} \\ &= 9.35 \text{ m/s}^2 \end{aligned}$$



3. Blocks A and B are connected by a light string and attached over a massless pulley and are initially at rest. Assume a rough surface under block A and masses m_A and m_B . The blocks are released and start moving. Take the final position as after the blocks have moved 1.25 m

a. Create energy bar charts: **5**

K_i $U_{grav,i}$ $U_{spring,i}$ $E_{th,i}$ K_f $U_{grav,f}$ $U_{spring,f}$ $E_{th,f}$



Assume that $m_A = 5.50$ kg, $m_B = 8.50$ kg, $\mu_{kA} = 0.300$, and that the initial heights of the blocks are 2.50 m and 5.00 m.

b. Find the initial energy of block B before the blocks start moving. **5**

$$U_B = mgh = (8.50)g(2.50) = 208 \text{ J}$$

c. Using Conservation of Energy, find the speed of the blocks after they have moved 1.25 m. **25**

$$\begin{aligned} 208 \text{ J} &= \frac{1}{2} (m_A + m_B) v^2 + m_B g h' + \mu_k m_A g \Delta s \\ &= 7 v^2 + (8.50)g(1.25) + (0.300)(5.50)g(1.25) \\ &= 7 v^2 + 104 + 20.2 \\ 7 v^2 &= 83.8 \\ v &= 3.44 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$