

Physics 111 Common Exam 1, Fall 2014

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Instructions:

- First, write your name and section number on **both** the Scantron card and this exam sheet.
- Use the formula sheet (last exam booklet page) and no other materials.
- Budget your time. There are 18 multiple choice problems (1 pt each).
- Answer each question on the Scantron card using #2 pencil. Also circle your answers on question papers.
- Do not hesitate to ask for clarification of any exam question, if needed, from your proctor or Professor.

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1. 2 mm^3 is equivalent to:

- A) $2 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$
- B) $2 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}^3$
- C) $2 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ m}^3$**
- D) $2 \cdot 10^{-12} \text{ m}^3$
- E) $2 \cdot 10^{-15} \text{ m}^3$

For the following 3 problems use the vectors:

$$\vec{A} = 1\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 0\hat{k} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{B} = 2\hat{i} + 2\hat{j} + 0\hat{k}$$

2. Find the magnitude of $\vec{A} + \vec{B}$. Select the closest answer.

- A) 1
- B) 2
- C) 3
- D) 4
- E) 5**

3. Find the dot product $\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}$ and the angle between vectors:

- A) 4, 33°
 - B) 12, 38°
 - C) 6, 18°**
 - D) 3, 48°
 - E) 9, 23°
- Answer 6, 48

4. Find the vector (cross) product $\vec{A} \times \vec{B}$:

- A) 0
- B) $2\hat{j}$
- C) $-2\hat{j}$
- D) $-2\hat{k}$**
- E) $2\hat{k}$

5 A body is projected vertically upward from the surface of the earth with a speed of 10.0 m/s. What is its speed (in m/s) when it is at $\frac{1}{2}$ of its maximum height?

- A) 0
- B) 2.5
- C) 5.0
- D) 7.0**
- E) 10.0

6. A body moves from A to B along a straight line a distance of 100 m in 10 sec. Stops at B for 20 sec. and then returns to A at an average speed of 5 m/s. The average speed (in m/s) from A to B is:

- A) 0
- B) -2
- C) 3**
- D) 4
- E) 5

7. An Apache helicopter during vertical takeoff releases a package when it is at 39.2 m high and its speed is 9.80 m/s. How long (in seconds) does it take the package to reach the ground?

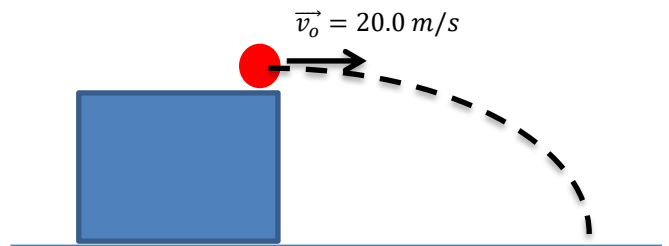
- A) 1
- B) 2.8
- C) 3
- D) 4**
- E) 5.2

8. The displacement of a body $x(t) = 10 \text{ (m)} + 20 \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}\right)t - 5 \left(\frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}\right)t^2$. Find the average velocity for the period between $t=0$ and $t=5\text{s}$.

- A) 0
- B) -1**
- C) 1
- D) -2
- E) -5

9. A ball is thrown off a 100 meters high cliff with an initial horizontal velocity of 20 m/s. How long does it take for it to hit the ground?

- A) 4.5 s**
- B) 20.0
- C) 2.0 s
- D) 3.2 s
- E) 12 s



10. A particle starts from the origin with velocity $5\hat{i}$ m/s and $t=0$ and moves in the xy plane with a constant acceleration of $6\hat{j}$. Determine the position of the particle after 5 s:

- A) $\vec{r} = 25\hat{i} + 75\hat{j}$**
- B) $\vec{r} = 5\hat{i} + 25\hat{j}$
- C) $\vec{r} = 30\hat{i} + 15\hat{j}$
- D) $\vec{r} = 20\hat{i} + 30\hat{j}$
- E) $\vec{r} = 5\hat{i} + 25\hat{j}$

11. A projectile is fired from the ground with a velocity of 110.0 m/s at an angle of 40.0 degrees above the horizontal. What will be the range (the horizontal displacement) of this projectile?

- A) 125 m
- B) 2350 m
- C) 532 m
- D) 1215 m**
- E) 752 m

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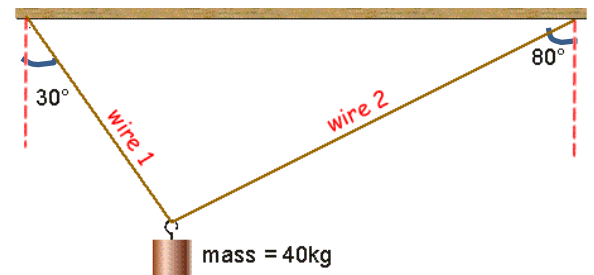
12. The diagram shows a satellite orbiting the earth. The centripetal acceleration and velocity of the satellite, respectively, point to the following letters:

- A) A and B
- B) B and D
- C) A and C
- D) B and D
- E) B and C**



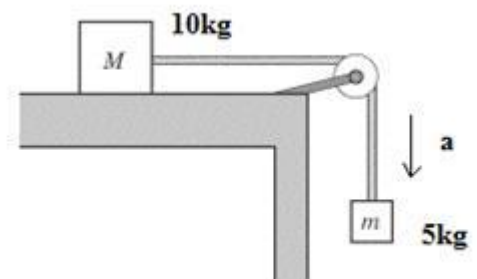
13. A weight of mass 40 kg hangs in equilibrium from two wires as suggested in the Figure. The wires make angles of 30° and 80° with the vertical axis. Find the tensions on both wires (in N):

- A) $T_1 = 119 \text{ N}$ and $T_2 = 312 \text{ N}$
- B) $T_1 = 289 \text{ N}$ and $T_2 = 215 \text{ N}$
- C) $T_1 = 72 \text{ N}$ and $T_2 = 453 \text{ N}$
- D) $T_1 = 103 \text{ N}$ and $T_2 = 317 \text{ N}$
- E) $T_1 = 411 \text{ N}$ and $T_2 = 209 \text{ N}$**



14. An object of mass $M=10\text{kg}$ placed on a frictionless horizontal table is connected to a string that passes over a pulley and then is fastened to a hanging object of mass $m=5\text{kg}$ as shown in the Figure. What is the tension in the string?

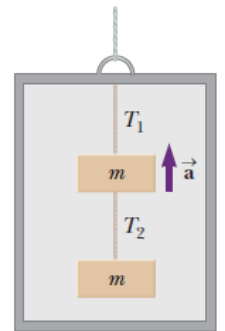
- A) 62.3 N
- B) 42.5 N
- C) 32.6 N**
- D) 21.1 N
- E) 11.3 N



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15. Two blocks, each of mass $m=3.5\text{ kg}$ are hung from the ceiling of an elevator as in the figure below. The elevator has an upward acceleration $a=1.6\text{ m/s}^2$. The strings have negligible mass. Find the tensions T_1 and T_2 in the upper and lower strings.

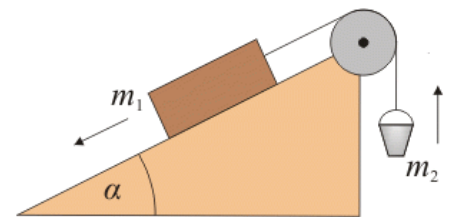
- A) $T_2 = 40.6\text{ N}$ and $T_1 = 100.4\text{ N}$
- B) $T_2 = 40.6\text{ N}$ and $T_1 = 81.2\text{ N}$**
- C) $T_2 = 50.6\text{ N}$ and $T_1 = 100.4\text{ N}$
- D) $T_2 = 62.2\text{ N}$ and $T_1 = 120.4\text{ N}$
- E) $T_2 = 72.5\text{ N}$ and $T_1 = 135.5\text{ N}$



$T_2=39.9\text{ N}$ $T_1 = 79.8\text{ N}$

16. Two objects of masses $m_1=6.00\text{ kg}$ and $m_2=2.0\text{ kg}$ are connected by a light string that passes over a frictionless pulley as shown in the Figure. Assume the incline is frictionless and $\alpha = 55.0^\circ$. Find the magnitude of the acceleration (in m/s^2) of both masses.

- A) 7.32
- B) 1.28
- C) 2.52
- D) 3.57**
- E) 0.39



17. Two blocks on a frictionless horizontal surface are connected by a string where $m_1 = 8\text{kg}$ and $m_2 = 28\text{kg}$. A force of 80 N is applied to the 28kg block. Determine the tension in the string.

- A) 5.3 N
- B) 25.3 N
- C) 25.3 N
- D) 17.7 N**
- E) 12.5 N

18. A firefighter, a distance $d=5$ meters from a burning building directs a stream of water from a fire hose at angle $\theta = 40^\circ$ above the horizontal. If the initial speed of the stream is $v_i = 10\text{ m/s}$, at what height h does the water strike the building?

- A) 2.1 m**
- B) 5.1 m
- C) 1.2 m
- D) 1.7 m
- E) 3.4 m

FORMULAS – Final Exam

Conversion Factors: 1 inch = 2.54 cm; 1 mi = 1609.3 m; 1 cm = 10^{-2} m; 1 mm = 10^{-3} m; 1 g = 10^{-3} kg;

Physical constants: $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$; $G = 6.674 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N m}^2/\text{kg}^2$; $M_{\text{Earth}} = 5.97 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$; $R_{\text{Earth}} = 6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$

Math: $360^\circ = 2\pi \text{ radians} = 1 \text{ revolution}$. Arc length $s = r\theta$; $V_{\text{sphere}} = 4\pi R^3 / 3$; $A_{\text{sphere}} = 4\pi R^2$; $A_{\text{circle}} = \pi R^2$

quadratic formula to solve $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$: $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

Vectors: $\vec{A} = A_x \hat{i} + A_y \hat{j}$; $A_x = |\vec{A}| \cos(\theta)$; $A_y = |\vec{A}| \sin(\theta)$; $|\vec{A}| = \sqrt{A_x^2 + A_y^2}$; $\tan \theta = \frac{A_y}{A_x}$

$\vec{C} = \vec{A} + \vec{B}$ implies $C_x = A_x + B_x$; $C_y = A_y + B_y$

$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = |\vec{A}| |\vec{B}| \cos \theta = A_x B_x + A_y B_y + A_z B_z$; $\hat{i} \cdot \hat{i} = \hat{j} \cdot \hat{j} = \hat{k} \cdot \hat{k} = 1$; $\hat{i} \cdot \hat{j} = \hat{i} \cdot \hat{k} = \hat{j} \cdot \hat{k} = 0$

$|\vec{A} \times \vec{B}| = |\vec{A}| |\vec{B}| \sin \theta$; $\vec{A} \times \vec{B} = \hat{i}(A_y B_z - A_z B_y) + \hat{j}(A_z B_x - A_x B_z) + \hat{k}(A_x B_y - A_y B_x)$

$\hat{i} \times \hat{i} = \hat{j} \times \hat{j} = \hat{k} \times \hat{k} = 0$; $\hat{i} \times \hat{j} = \hat{k}$; $\hat{j} \times \hat{k} = \hat{i}$; $\hat{k} \times \hat{i} = \hat{j}$

1D and 2D motion:

$$v_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t} \quad ; \quad a_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t} \quad ; \quad v = \frac{dx}{dt} \quad ; \quad a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2}$$

$$\vec{v}_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta \vec{r}}{\Delta t} \quad ; \quad \vec{a}_{\text{avg}} = \frac{\Delta \vec{v}}{\Delta t} \quad ; \quad \vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} \quad ; \quad \vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \frac{d^2 \vec{r}}{dt^2}$$

$$x = x_i + v_i t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 \quad ; \quad v = v_i + a t \quad ; \quad v^2 = v_i^2 + 2a(x - x_i) \quad ; \quad \vec{r} = \vec{r}_i + \vec{v}_i t + \frac{1}{2} \vec{a} t^2 \quad ; \quad \vec{v} = \vec{v}_i + \vec{a} t$$

Circular motion: $T = 2\pi R / v$; $T = 2\pi / \omega$; $a_c = v^2 / R$

Newton's Laws: $\sum \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$; $\vec{F}_{12} = -\vec{F}_{21}$

Friction: $f_s \leq \mu_s N$; $f_k = \mu_k N$

Energies: $K = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$; $U_g = m g y$; $U_s = \frac{1}{2} k x^2$; $W = -\int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = -\vec{F} \cdot \Delta \vec{r}$

$E_{\text{total}} = K + U_g + U_s$; $\Delta E_{\text{mech}} = \Delta K + \Delta U_g + \Delta U_s = -f_s d$; $P = dW / dt = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{v}$; $\Delta K = W$

Momentum and Impulse: $\vec{p} = m\vec{v}$; $\vec{I} = \int \vec{F} dt = \Delta \vec{p}$

Center of mass: $\vec{r}_{\text{cm}} = \sum_i m_i \vec{r}_i / \sum_i m_i$; $\vec{v}_{\text{cm}} = \sum_i m_i \vec{v}_i / \sum_i m_i$

Collisions: $\vec{p} = \text{const}$ and $E \neq \text{const}$ (inelastic) or $\vec{p} = \text{const}$ and $E = \text{const}$ (elastic)

Rotational motion: $\omega = 2\pi / T$; $\omega = d\theta / dt$; $\alpha = d\omega / dt$; $v_i = r\omega$; $a_t = r\alpha$; $a_c = a_r = v_i^2 / r = \omega^2 r$

$a_{\text{tot}}^2 = a_r^2 + a_t^2$; $v_{\text{cm}} = r\omega$ (rolling, no slipping) ; $a_{\text{cm}} = r\alpha$

$\omega = \omega_o + \alpha t$; $\theta_f = \theta_i + \omega_o t + \alpha t^2 / 2$; $\omega_f^2 = \omega_i^2 + 2\alpha(\theta_f - \theta_i)$

$I_{\text{point}} = MR^2$; $I_{\text{hoop}} = MR^2$; $I_{\text{disk}} = MR^2 / 2$; $I_{\text{sphere}} = 2MR^2 / 5$; $I_{\text{shell}} = 2MR^2 / 3$; $I_{\text{rod(center)}} = ML^2 / 12$

$I_{\text{rod(end)}} = ML^2 / 3$; $I = \sum_i m_i r_i^2$; $I = I_{\text{cm}} + Mh^2$; $\vec{\tau} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F}$; $\sum \tau = I\alpha$; $\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$; $\vec{L} = I\vec{\omega}$

Energy: $K_{\text{rot}} = I\omega^2 / 2$; $K = K_{\text{rot}} + K_{\text{cm}}$; $\Delta K + \Delta U = 0$; $W = \tau \Delta \theta$; $P_{\text{inst}} = \tau \omega$

Gravitation: $\vec{F}_g = -\frac{Gm_1 m_2}{r^2} \hat{r}_{12}$; $g(r) = GM / r^2$; $U = -Gm_1 m_2 / r$; $T^2 = \frac{4\pi^2}{GM} a^3$

The exam is closed book and closed notes. Put the answers to these 10 questions on your SCANTRON sheet. Your answer should be **CLOSEST TO THE GIVEN ANSWERS.**

1. A particle moving along the x axis has a position given by $x = (24t - 2.0t^3)$ m, where t is measured in s. What is the magnitude of the acceleration of the particle at the instant when its velocity is zero?

- a. **24 m/s²**
- b. zero
- c. 12 m/s²
- d. 48 m/s²
- e. 36 m/s²

2. An automobile traveling along a straight road increases its speed from 30.0 m/s to 50.0 m/s in a distance of 180 m. If the acceleration is constant, how much time elapses while the auto moves this distance?

- a. 6.00 s
- b. **4.50 s**
- c. 3.60 s
- d. 4.00 s
- e. 9.00 s

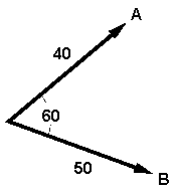
3. A bird, accelerating from rest at a constant rate, experiences a displacement of 28 m in 17 s. What is the final velocity after 11 s?

- A) 0.19 m/s
- B) 1.6 m/s
- C) 3.3 m/s
- D) 2.1 m/s**
- E) 5.1 m/s

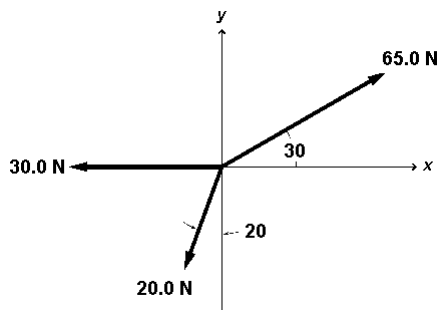
4. John throws a rock straight down with speed 12 m/s from the top of a tower 22 m high. What is the speed of the rock just before it hits the ground? (air resistance is negligible)

- a. 4.8 m
- b. 19.6 m
- c. 27.5 m
- d. 38.4 m
- e. **56.0 m**

5. Vectors \vec{A} and \vec{B} are shown. What is the magnitude of a vector $\vec{C} = \vec{A} - \vec{B}$?



- a. **46**
 - b. 10
 - c. 30
 - d. 78
 - e. 90
6. Find the direction of the net force of three forces shown in the figure below.



- a. 35°
- b. 45°
- c. 65°
- d. 55°
- e. 85°

7. At $t = 0$, a particle leaves the origin with a velocity of 8 m/s in the positive y direction and moves in the xy plane with a constant acceleration of $(-2.0\hat{i} + 4.0\hat{j}) \text{ m/s}^2$. How far from the origin is the particle 10 sec later

- a. 100 m
- b. 210 m
- c. **297 m**
- d. 424 m
- e. 345 m

8. The position of an object is given by $x = (24t - 2.0t^3)$ where t is in seconds. At $t = 2.0$ s, what is the magnitude of the particle's acceleration?

- a. 0 m/s^2
- b. 2.0 m/s^2
- c. 17 m/s^2
- d. 36 m/s^2
- e. **24 m/s^2**

9. A ball is thrown horizontally from the top of a building 35 m high. The ball strikes the ground at a point 65 m horizontally away from and below the point of release. What is the initial speed of the ball?

- a. 43 m/s
- b. **24 m/s**
- c. 39 m/s
- d. 36 m/s
- e. 14 m/s

10. A cannon ball is shoot with 200 m/s. at an angle of 40° . If the ball is to strike a target that is at a horizontal distance of 3.0 km from the cannon, what is the time of flight for the ball?

- a. **20 s**
- b. 31 s
- c. 24 s
- d. 14 s
- e. 19 s

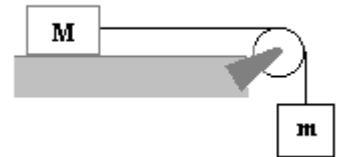
11. A race car moving with a constant speed of 60 m/s completes one lap around a circular track in 50 s. What is the magnitude of the acceleration of the race car?

- a. 8.8 m/s²
- b. 7.5 m/s²**
- c. 9.4 m/s²
- d. 6.3 m/s²
- e. 5.3 m/s²

12. A 3.00-kg mass undergoes an acceleration given by $\mathbf{a} = (2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) \text{ m/s}^2$. The magnitude of the net force is

- a. 2.0 N
- b. 4.0 N
- c. 6.0 N
- d. 12.0 N
- e. 16.0 N**

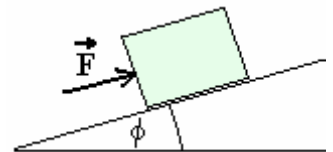
13. A 10-kg block on a horizontal plane is connected by a cord over a massless, frictionless pulley to a second block of mass m . What hanging mass m is needed so that the 10-kg block can move at acceleration of 2.8 m/s^2 ?



- a. 1 kg
- b. 2 kg
- c. 3 kg
- d. 4 kg**
- e. 5 kg

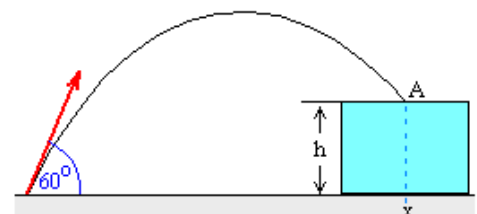
14. A 20 N force \mathbf{F} , parallel to the incline is required to push a certain crate at acceleration of 1.6 m/s^2 up an incline that is $\phi = 28^\circ$ above the horizontal. What is the mass of the crate?

- a. 2.31kg
- b. 3.49kg
- c. 3.22kg**
- d. 5.84kg
- e. 6.04 kg



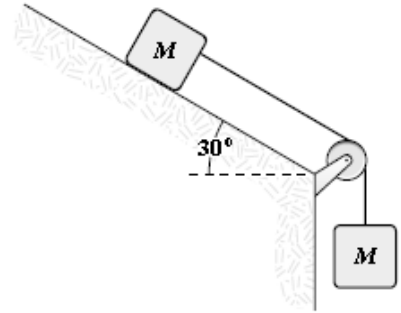
15. A stone is projected at a cliff of height $h = 12 \text{ m}$ with an initial speed of v_0 directed 60° above the horizontal, as shown. Four seconds later the stone strikes the cliff. What is the initial velocity of the stone?.

- a. 26 m/s**
- b. 12 m/s
- c. 32 m/s
- d. 23 m/s
- e. 42 m/s

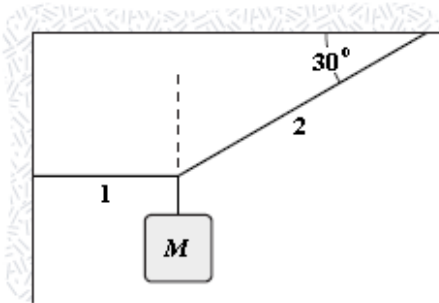


16. If $M = 2.2 \text{ kg}$, what is the tension in the connecting string? The pulley and all surfaces are frictionless.

- a. 2.8 N
- b. 12.2 N
- c. 9.4 N
- d. 5.4 N**
- e. 1.2 N

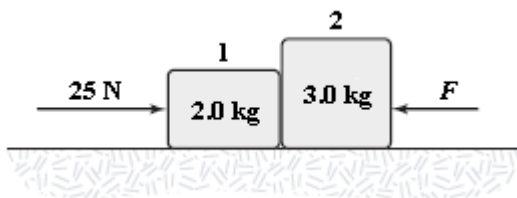


17. If $M = 2.0 \text{ kg}$, what is the tension in string 1?



- a. 1.2 N
- b. 11 N
- c. 34 N**
- d. 3.5 N
- e. 40 N

18. If $F = 5.0 \text{ N}$, what is the magnitude of the force exerted by block 2 on block 1?



- a. 17 N**
- b. 19 N
- c. 21 N
- d. 23 N
- e. 5.0 N