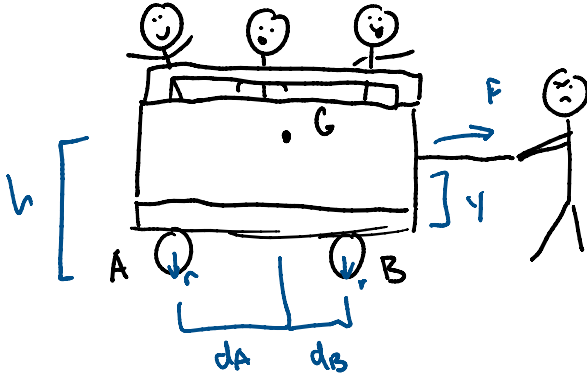


# 20-R-KIN-DK-16 Beginner Translation (RBE)

Inspiration: 17-34 Hibbeler



You are forced to pull a group of kindergartners in a cart. If you apply a horizontal force of  $F = 600 \text{ N}$ , determine the normal force on its wheels. The cart has a total mass of  $m = 160 \text{ kg}$  and has a center of mass at G. Assume the wheels have negligible mass. Wheel A is located  $0.25 \text{ m}$  from one end of the cart and is a horizontal distance of  $d_A = 0.89 \text{ m}$  from G. Wheel B is located  $0.25 \text{ m}$  from one end of the cart is a horizontal distance of  $d_B = 0.39 \text{ m}$ . You apply the horizontal force at a height  $y = 0.5 \text{ m}$  from the bottom of the cart. The center of gravity G is located at a height  $h = 1.1 \text{ m}$  from the ground.

$$\sum F_x = 160 a_{Gx} = 600 \quad a_{Gx} = 3.75$$

$$\sum F_y = N_A + N_B - (160)(9.81) = 0$$

$$\sum M_A = -160(9.81)(0.89) + N_B(1.2) - 600(0.9) = -(160)(3.75)(1.1)$$

$$N_B = 1664.12$$

$$N_A = 505.44$$

