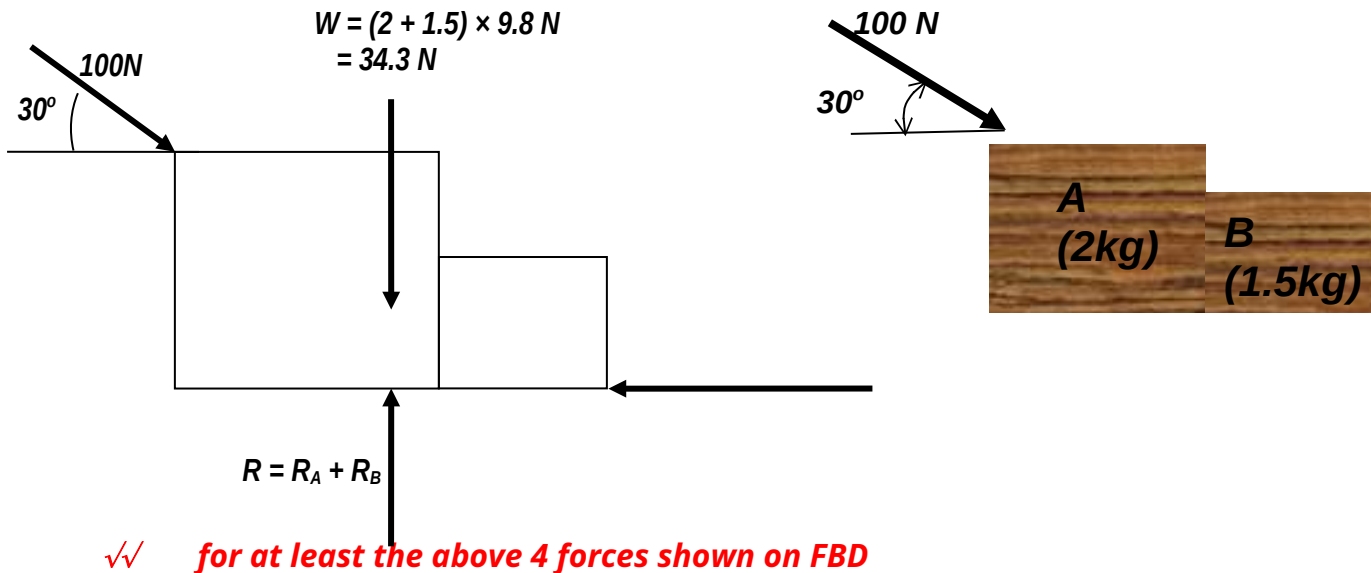


1. A force of 100 N acts on two boxes in contact as shown at 30° to the horizontal.

a) Draw the free body diagram (showing all the forces acting) on box A.



b) Calculate the total friction force acting on both boxes if the acceleration of both boxes was 2.05 m.s^{-2} .

Resultant horizontal force is

$$100\cos 30 - F = ma = 3.5 \times 2.05 = 7.175$$

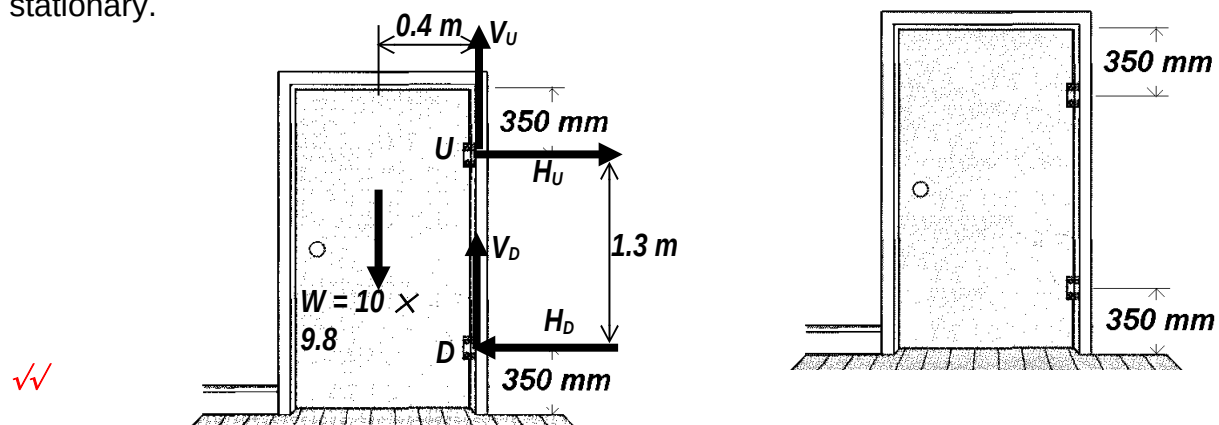
$$\therefore F = 100\cos 30 - 7.175 = 79.428 \text{ N}$$

✓

Answer: 79.4 N ✓

2. Consider the normal classroom door.

a) Draw a free body diagram labelling all the forces acting on the door when it is stationary.



- b) If the hinges are placed 350 mm from the top and bottom edge of the 10.0 kg door, **ESTIMATE** the magnitude of the force acting on the hinges. Each hinge carries half the weight of the door.

Estimate door height = 2.00 m. Door width = 80 cm

Vertical reactions from both hinges are equal.

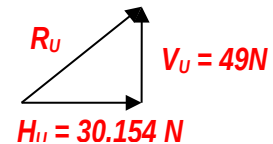
$$\therefore V_U = V_D = W \div 2 = 10 \times 9.8 \div 2 \text{ N} = 49.0 \text{ N} \quad \checkmark$$

Taking moments about D.

$$98 \times 0.4 = H_U \times 1.3$$

$$\therefore H_U = 98 \times 0.4 \div 1.3 = 30.154 \text{ N}$$

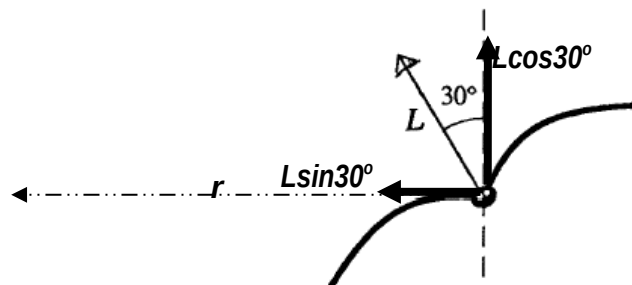
$$R_U = \sqrt{(H_U^2 + V_U^2)} = \sqrt{(30.154^2 + 49^2)} = 57.535 \text{ N}$$



Answer: **57.5 N** \checkmark

3. A bird with a mass of 1.35 kg is gliding at constant speed, v , in a horizontal circle of radius r , as shown schematically below. The bird's banking angle is 30° .

Assume that the lift, L , is provided by a force perpendicular to the wings.



- a) Explain how the bird can fly in a horizontal circle without flapping its wings.

As the lift force, L , is inclined towards the centre, the horizontal component of the lift force ($L \sin 30^\circ$) provides the centripetal force directed to the centre of the circle of flight. No extra force of flapping is required. \checkmark

- b) What is the value of the lift force L ?

The vertical component of the lift force must balance the weight.

$$\therefore L \cos 30^\circ = mg = 1.35 \times 9.8$$

$$L = 1.35 \times 9.8 \div \cos 30^\circ$$

$$L = 15.2766 \text{ N}$$

$\checkmark\checkmark$

Answer: **15.3 N**

- c) If the radius of the circle is 33 m, what is the speed of the bird?

$$\sum F_r = ma_r = m \frac{v^2}{r} = L \sin 30^\circ$$

$$15.2766 \sin 30^\circ = 1.35 \times \frac{v^2}{33}$$

$$\therefore v^2 = \frac{33 \times 15.2766 \sin 30^\circ}{1.35} = 186.714$$

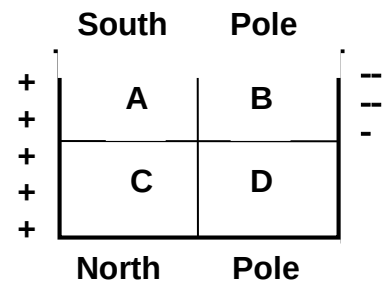
$$v = \sqrt{186.714} = 13.6643 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$$

\checkmark

Answer: **13.7 m.s⁻¹**

4. A beam of electrons is directed towards the centre of a screen with four quadrants A, B, C and D. When electric and magnetic fields are arranged as shown below, the electron beam is deflected.

a) Which quadrant of the screen is the beam most likely to strike?



Answer: **A** ✓

b) A cosmic ray proton in interstellar space has energy of 10.0 MeV and executes a circular orbit having a radius equal to that of Mercury's orbit around the Sun, 5.80×10^{10} m. What is the magnetic field strength in that region of space?

Energy of proton = $10 \times 10^6 \text{ eV} = 10 \times 10^6 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} = 1.6 \times 10^{-12} \text{ J}$

Assuming all energy is kinetic then $\frac{1}{2} \times m \times v^2 = 1.6 \times 10^{-12}$

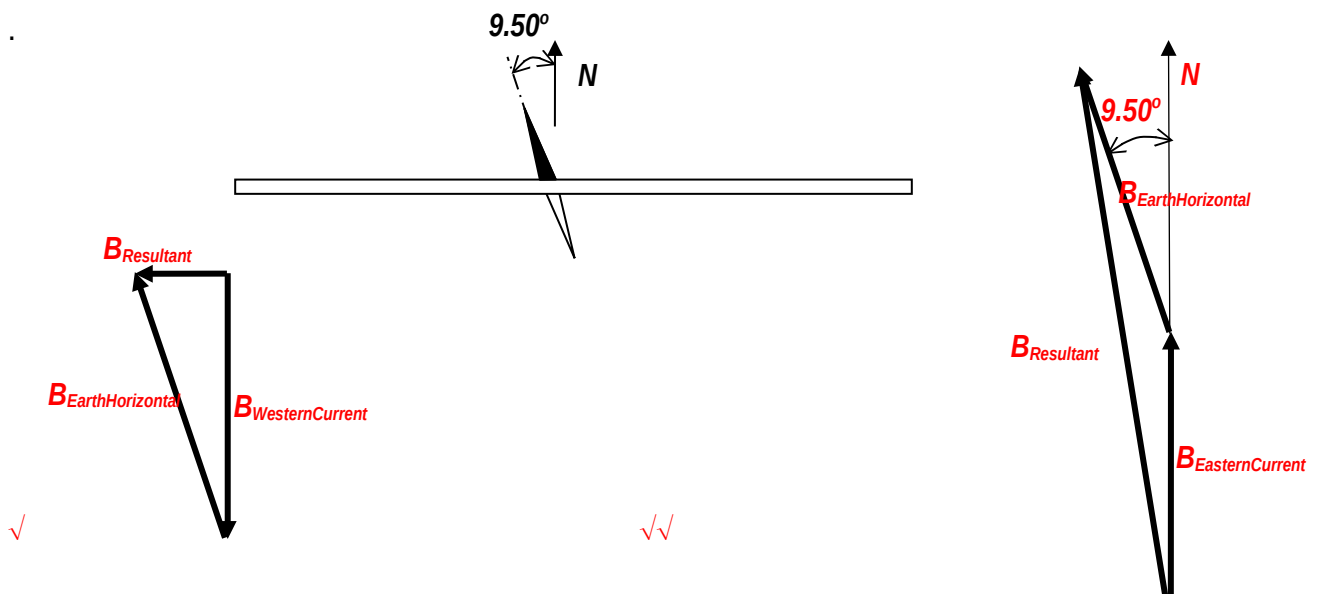
$\therefore v^2 = 2 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-12} \div m_{\text{proton}} = 3.2 \times 10^{-12} \div 1.67 \times 10^{-27}$

$\therefore v = 43774052.4132 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$

$F = qvB = mv^2 \div R$

$\therefore B = mv \div (qR) = (1.67 \times 10^{-27} \times 43774052.4132) \div (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \times 5.8 \times 10^{10}) = 7.877 \times 10^{-12} \text{ T}$

5. A horizontal wire can carry a current towards the East or West. It is located in an area where the earth's horizontal component of magnetic field is $2.50 \times 10^{-5} \text{ T}$ at an angle of declination of 9.50° West of North as shown. A magnetic compass needle is placed just below this wire. A current to the West makes the compass needle point West. In which direction will a current to the East of the same magnitude make the needle point? Indicate your direction on the diagram. (Note: NO CALCULATIONS REQUIRED. NEAT VECTOR DIAGRAMS OF EACH SITUATION WILL SUFFICE)



Answer: **N about 5.00° W** ✓

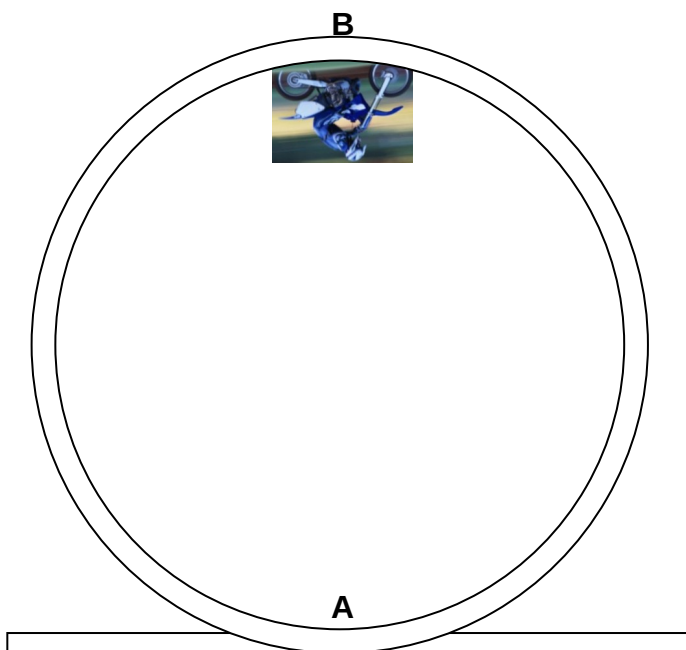
6. One of Mars' moons, Phobos revolves around Mars with an orbital radius of 9.35×10^3 km and with a period of 7 hours and 35 minutes. Use the given information to determine the mass of Mars.

$$r = 9.35 \times 10^6 \text{ m}; \quad T = (7 \times 60 \times 60 + 35 \times 60) = 27400 \text{ s.} \quad \checkmark$$

$$G \frac{M_{\text{Phobos}} M_{\text{Moon}}}{r^2} = \frac{M_{\text{Phobos}} v^2}{r}; \quad \therefore G \frac{M_{\text{Moon}}}{r} = v^2; \quad v = \frac{2\pi r}{T}; \quad \therefore v^2 = \frac{4\pi^2 r^2}{T^2}$$

$$\text{So } M_{\text{Moon}} = \frac{rv^2}{G} = \frac{r}{G} \times \frac{4\pi^2 r^2}{T^2} = \frac{4\pi^2 r^3}{GT^2} = \frac{4\pi^2 (9.35 \times 10^6)^3}{6.67 \times 10^{-11} \times (27400)^2} = 6.4914758 \times 10^{23} \text{ kg} \quad \checkmark\checkmark$$

7. Mass of rider = 60 kg
Motor bike mass = 120 kg
Radius of loop = 6.0 m



a) A motor bike stunt rider approaches a dare-devil loop-the-loop. At point A she has a constant speed of 18 m.s^{-1} .

(i) What is her speed at point B if she does not increase her throttle setting and you ignore friction losses? [3]

$$\text{At A, } E_p = 0, \quad E_k = \frac{1}{2} \times (120 + 60) \times 18^2 = 29160 \text{ J}$$

$$\text{Total Energy} = 29160 \text{ J}$$

$$\text{At B, } E_p = mgh = (120 + 60) \times 9.8 \times 12 = 21168 \text{ J}$$

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2} \times (120 + 60) v_B^2 = 90 v_B^2$$

For conservation of energy

$$90 v_B^2 + 21168 = 29160$$

$$v_B^2 = \frac{29160 - 21168}{90} = 88.8$$

$$v_B = \sqrt{88.8} = 9.423375 \text{ m.s}^{-1} \quad \checkmark\checkmark$$

Answer: 9.42 m.s⁻¹ ✓

(ii) Is this speed sufficient for the rider and bike to maintain contact with the track at point B? Show your working.

[3]

If $N_R > 0$ then the speed is enough ✓

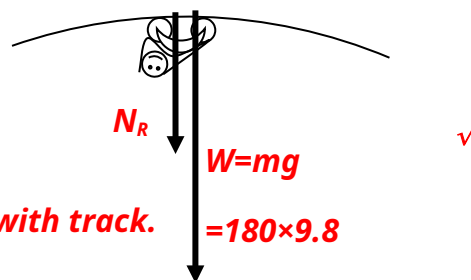
$$\Sigma F_{\text{towards centre}} = N_R + 1764 = 180 \times v_B^2 / R$$

$$N_R = 180 \times 9.423375^2 \div 6 - 1764 = 900 \text{ N}$$
 ✓

N_R is positive \therefore speed is sufficient for contact with track.

$$\frac{v^2}{r} > g$$

Alternatively show that



b) At the instant before the rider and the bike exit the loop-the-loop at point C (assuming a speed of 18 m.s^{-1}),

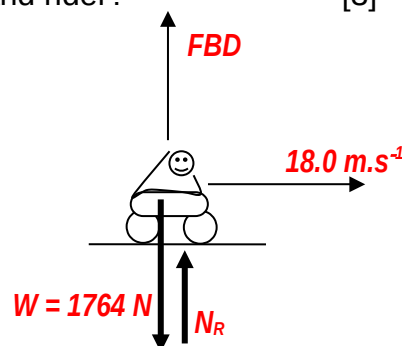
(i) what is the force exerted by the track on the bike and rider?

[3]

$$\Sigma F_{\text{Centre}} = N_R - 1764 = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{180 \times 18^2}{6}$$

$$N_R = 1764 + \frac{180 \times 18^2}{6} = 11484 \text{ N}$$

✓✓



Answer: 11500 N upwards ✓

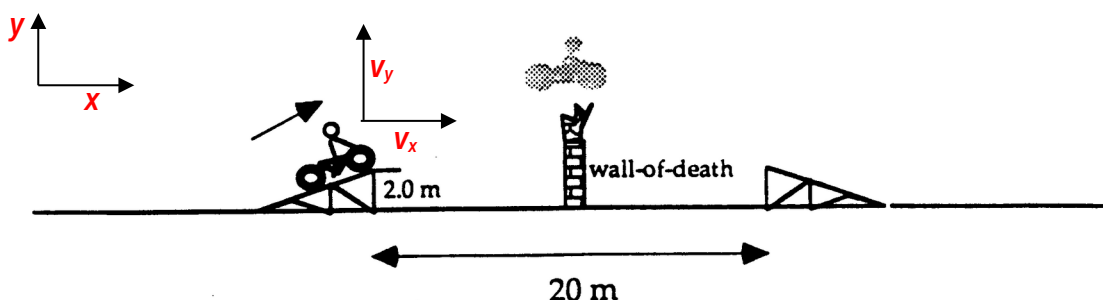
(ii) If the normal acceleration due to gravity is taken to be one "g" then how many "g" does the stunt rider and bike experience at point C?

[2]

$$\text{No. of g's} = \frac{\text{Force}}{\text{Weight}} = \frac{11404}{180 \times 9.8} = 6.510204082$$

Answer: 6.51 g's

c) The rider now accelerates along a flat stretch of track and rides up a short ramp and launches the bike over the "Wall-of-Death", a gap of 20 metres with a flaming wall set in the middle of the gap. The stunt is shown in the following diagram.



She crosses the gap and lands on the descending ramp after a flight lasting 0.80 seconds.

(i) What are the horizontal and vertical components of her take off velocity?

[4]

<i>x motion</i>	<i>Y motion</i>
$U_x = 20 \div 0.8 \text{ m.s}^{-1} = 25 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$ ✓	$a_y = -9.8 \text{ m.s}^{-2}$
	$V_y = u_y + a_y t$ At top of flight $v_y = 0$ and $t = 0.4 \text{ s}$ $\therefore 0 = U_y - 9.8 \times 0.4$ $\rightarrow u_y = 9.8 \times 0.4 = 3.92 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$ ✓✓ $S_y = u_y t + \frac{1}{2} a_y t^2$

Answer: Take-off horizontal speed, $u_x = 25.0 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$;
Take-off vertical speed, $u_y = 3.92 \text{ m.s}^{-1}$ ✓

(ii) What is the maximum height that the top of the Wall-of-Death can be above ground level for the rider and bike to just clear the barrier?

[3]

Maximum height occurs at time of 0.4s and is given by the y displacement

✓

$$S_y = 3.92 \times 0.4 - 4.9 \times 0.4^2 = 0.784 \text{ m}$$

✓

However height above ground level = $2 + 0.784 \text{ m} = 2.784 \text{ m}$

Answer: 2.78 m ✓

8. A uniform horizontal veranda roof of length 4.00 m is supported by a strut F as shown in Figure below. At the end of the roof is an advertising sign. The weight of the roof is 400 N, while that of the sign is 80 N. The strut is attached to the veranda roof 1.00 m from the end.

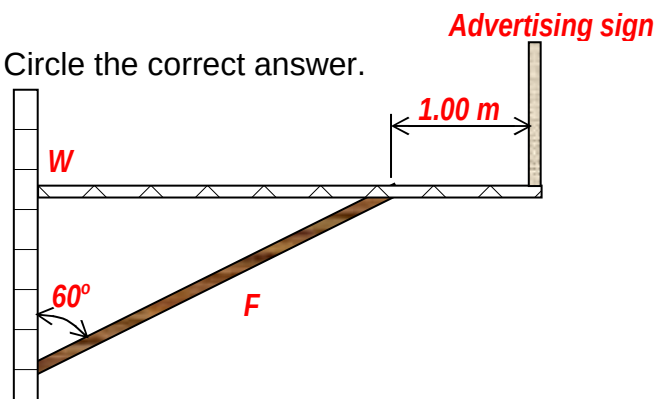
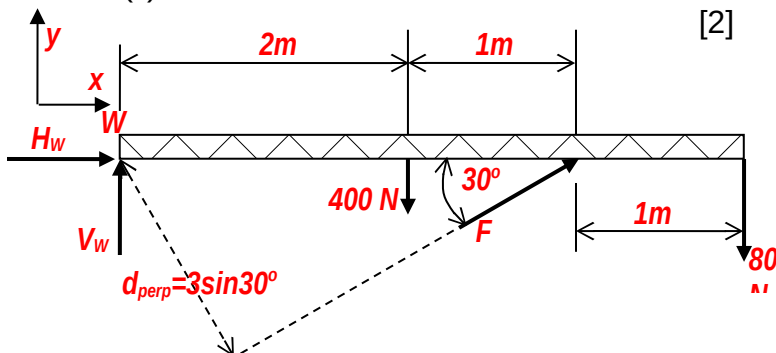
(i) Is the strut under **tension** or **compression**? Circle the correct answer.

✓

[1]

(ii) What is the force F in the strut?

[2]



✓

Taking moments about W.

$$cw = acw$$

$$400 \times 2 + 80 \times 4 = F \times 3 \sin 30^\circ$$

$$1120 = 3 \sin 30^\circ \times F$$

$$\therefore F = 1120 \div (3\sin 30^\circ) \\ = 746.7 \text{ N}$$

Answer: 747 N along F upward ✓

(iii) Find the magnitude of the reaction at W. [3]

$$\Sigma F_x = 0$$

$$H_W + F\cos 30^\circ = 0$$

$$H_W = -F\cos 30^\circ = -746.7\cos 30^\circ \quad \checkmark$$

$$H_W = -646.632 \text{ N}$$

$$H_W = -646.632 \text{ N left}$$

$$\Sigma F_y = 0$$

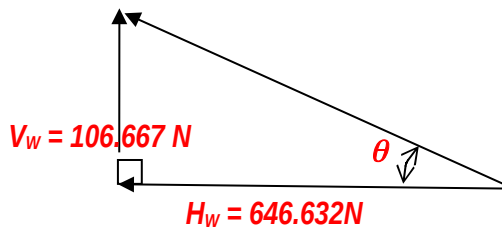
$$V_W + F\sin 30^\circ - 400 - 80 = 0$$

$$V_W = 480 - F\sin 30^\circ \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 480 - 746.7\sin 30^\circ$$

$$= 106.667 \text{ N}$$

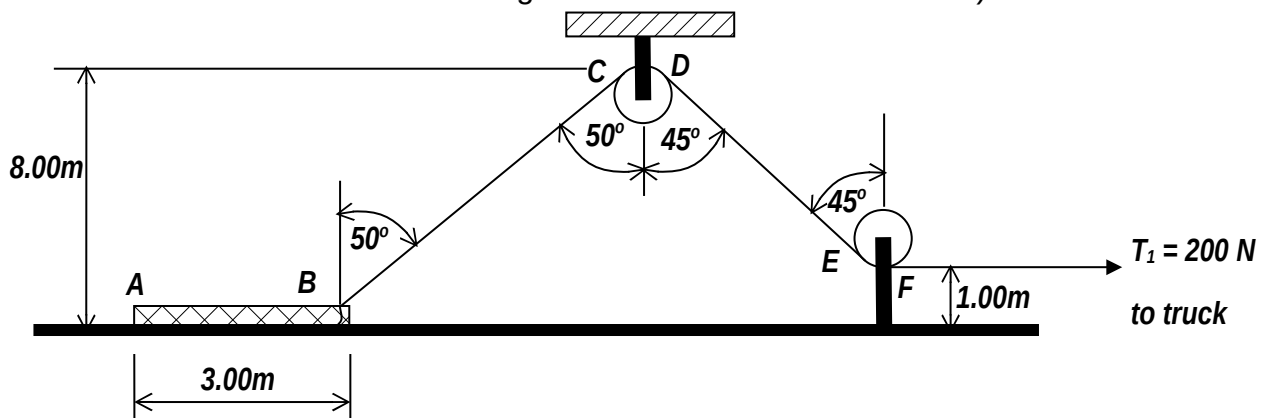
$$R_W = \sqrt{(646.632^2 + 106.667^2)} = 655.37 \text{ N}; \quad \tan \theta = \frac{106.667}{646.632} \quad \theta = 9.367^\circ$$



Answer: $R_W = 655 \text{ N}$ ✓

(iv) If the veranda roof is bolted to the wall at W, would the bolts be under tension or **compression**? Circle the correct answer. ✓ [1]

9. A truck tows a 20 kg log of wood with a 3mm diameter aluminium cable attached to its winch through two pulleys as shown. The truck winch exerts a tension of $T_1 = 200 \text{ N}$. The pulleys each have friction and increase the tension by 5% on the driver side. (The 200N tension is 5% higher than the tension between D and E. The tension between D and E is 5% higher than that between B and C.)



a) What is the tension in the cable section BC? [3]

$$T_1 = 200 = 1.05 T_{DE}$$

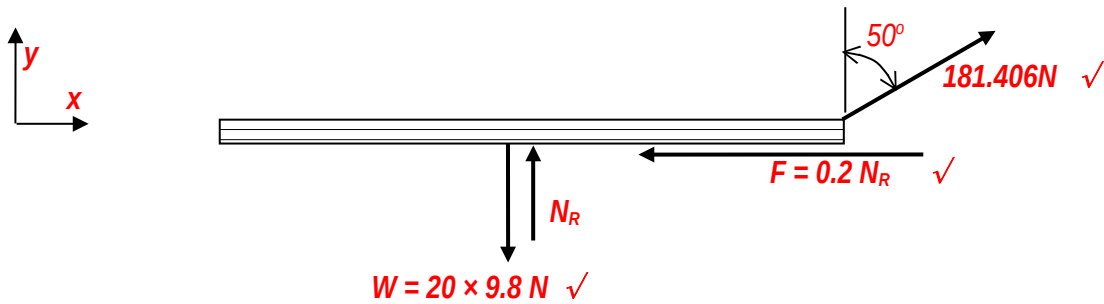
$$T_{DE} = 1.05 T_{BC} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore 200 = 1.05 \times 1.05 T_{BC}$$

$$T_{BC} = 200 \div (1.05^2) = 181.4058957 \text{ N}$$

Answer: 181 N ✓

- b) The friction on the log of wood is 20% of the normal reaction. Draw a free body diagram of the log of wood. Show all the forces on the log. [3]



- c) Calculate the acceleration of the log of wood for the instant shown. [5]

No motion in y-direction ✓

$$\therefore \Sigma F_y = 0$$

$$N_R + 181.406 \cos 50 - 20 \times 9.8 = 0$$

$$N_R + 116.605 - 196 = 0$$
 ✓

$$N_R = 79.39453793 \text{ N}$$

There is motion in x- direction

$$\Sigma F_x = ma_x$$

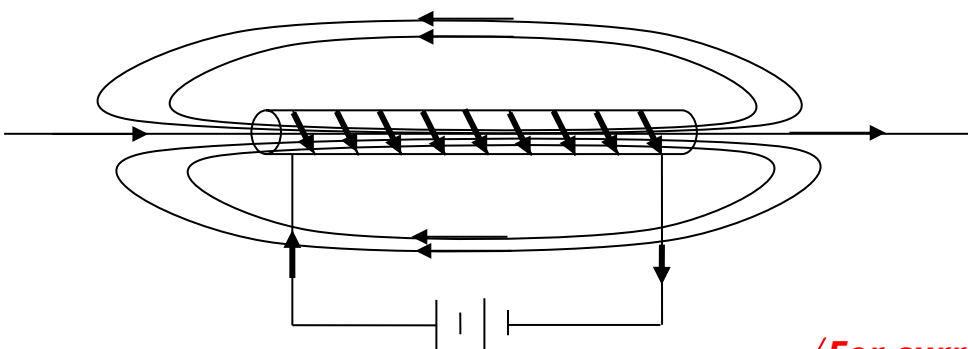
$$181.406 \sin 50 - F = ma_x = 20a_x$$
 ✓

$$181.406 \sin 50 - 0.2 \times 79.39453793 = 20a_x$$

$$(138.96 - 15.406) \div 20 = a_x = 6.154 \text{ m.s}^{-2}$$
 ✓

Answer: 6.15 m.s⁻² to the right ✓

10. The diagram shows a solenoid wound on a length of paper tubing.



✓ For current direction

✓✓ for lines of force

a) Draw magnetic lines of force around the solenoid and mark the end of the solenoid which behaves as the N-pole of a magnet. Draw the direction of current flow also. [3]

b) State the effect on the magnetic field of this electromagnet if

(i) the number of turns is increased; [1]

The magnetic field will be increased or intensified ✓

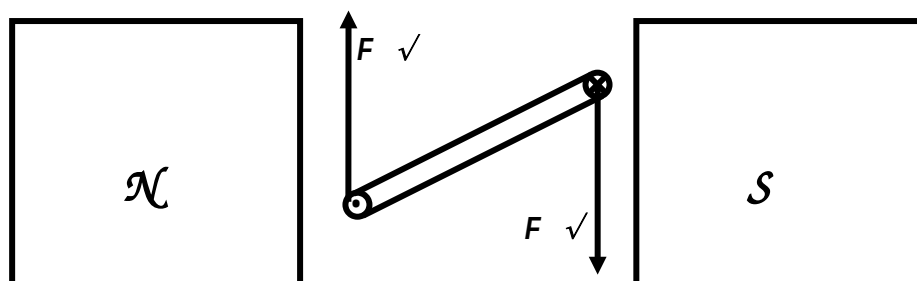
(ii) the current is decreased: [1]

The magnetic field will be reduced in intensity ✓

(iii) a soft iron core is placed inside the solenoid. [1]

The magnetic field is increased in intensity ✓

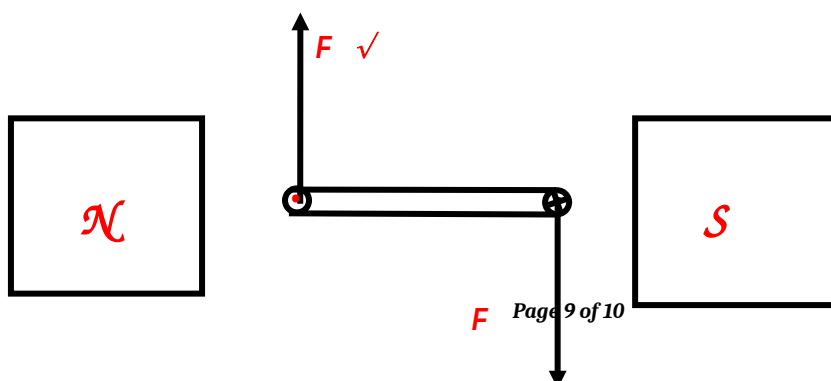
c) The figure shows the end view of a coil which is free to rotate in a magnetic field.



(i) If the current flows in the coil as shown, what are the directions of the forces on the two sides of the coil? Show your answer on the diagram. [2]

(ii) Redraw the diagram to show the position of the coil in which the turning effect is:

Minimum [1] and Maximum [1]



Position of maximum turning effect

Position of minimum turning effect

