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Work Energy Theorem

JEE Concept & PYQs

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1.

Work-Energy Theorem

↳ Net work done = change in Kinetic Energy

$$W_{\text{net}} = K_f - K_i \Rightarrow W_{\text{net}} = \Delta K$$

↳ Work can be due to various forces:

↳ Conservative force (gravitational, electrostatic, spring force)

↳ Non-Conservative (friction, viscous force)

↳ External agent (person applying forces)

↳ Tension, Normal



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Work-Energy Theorem

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$$W_{\text{net}} = K_f - K_i \Rightarrow W_{\text{net}} = \Delta K$$

→ $W_c + W_{nc} + W_{\text{ext}} = \Delta K$

$$\Rightarrow -\Delta U + W_{nc} + W_{\text{ext}} = \Delta K$$

$$\Rightarrow W_{nc} + W_{\text{ext}} = \underbrace{\Delta K + \Delta U}_{\text{Total change in Mechanical Energy}}$$



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Work-Energy Theorem

$$\Rightarrow W_{nc} + W_{ext} = \Delta K + \Delta U$$

If on $W_{nc} = 0$ & $W_{ext} = 0$ (either they are absent or their work done is zero)

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \Delta K + \Delta U$$

↪ Total change in Mech Energy is zero

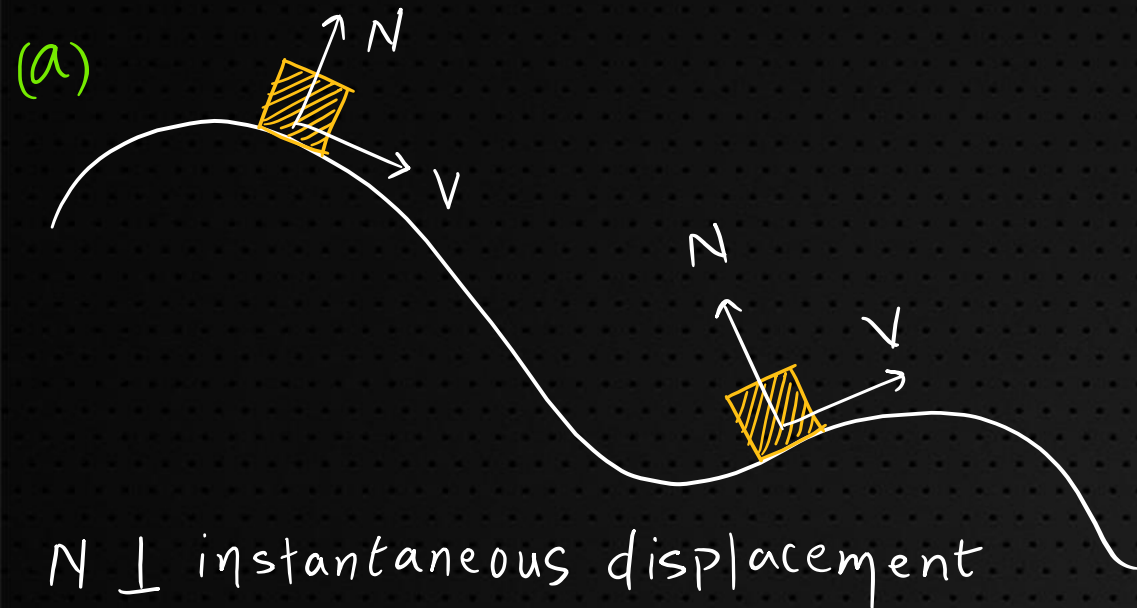
⇒ Energy Conservation

$$\text{or } 0 = K_f - K_i + U_f - U_i$$

$$\Rightarrow K_i + U_i = K_f + U_f$$

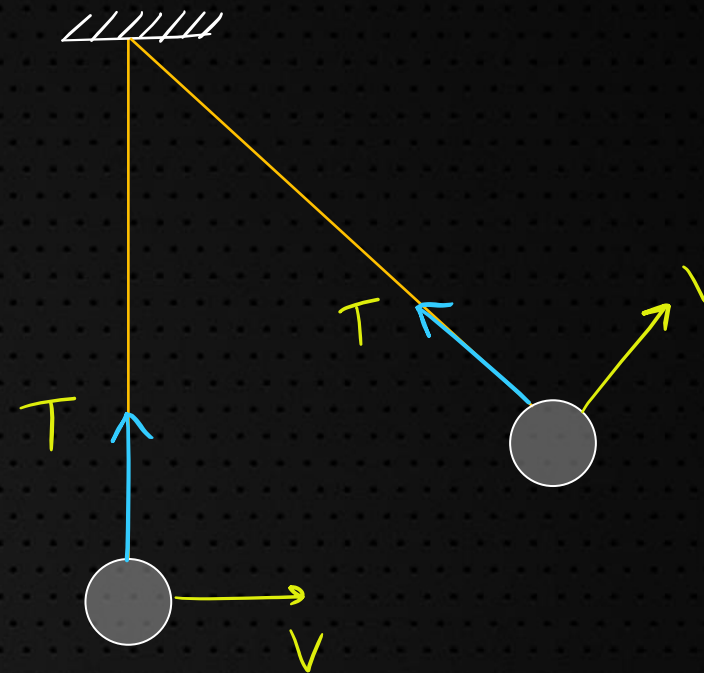


2. Situation where $W=0$



$$\Rightarrow W_N = 0$$

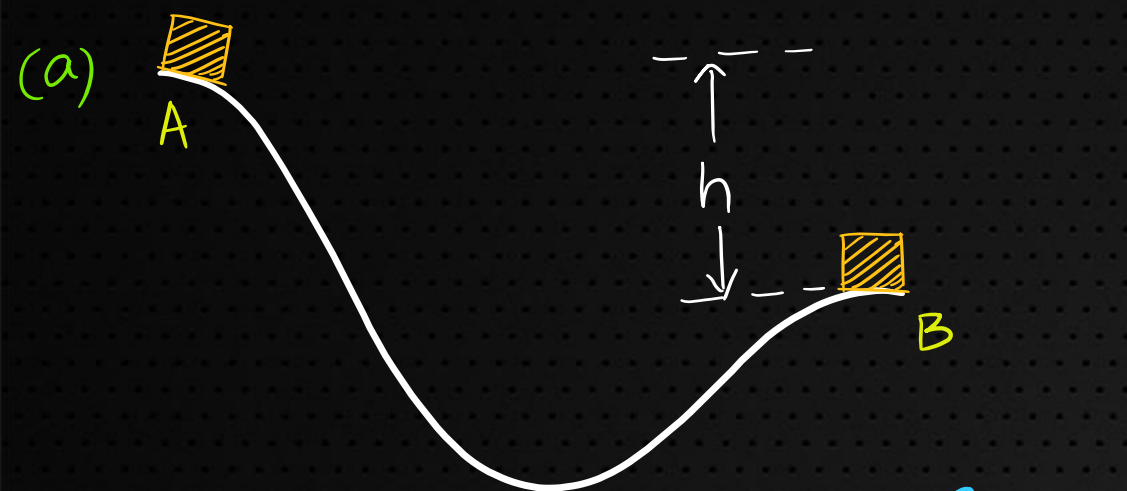
(b)



$T \perp$ to instantaneous displacement of bob

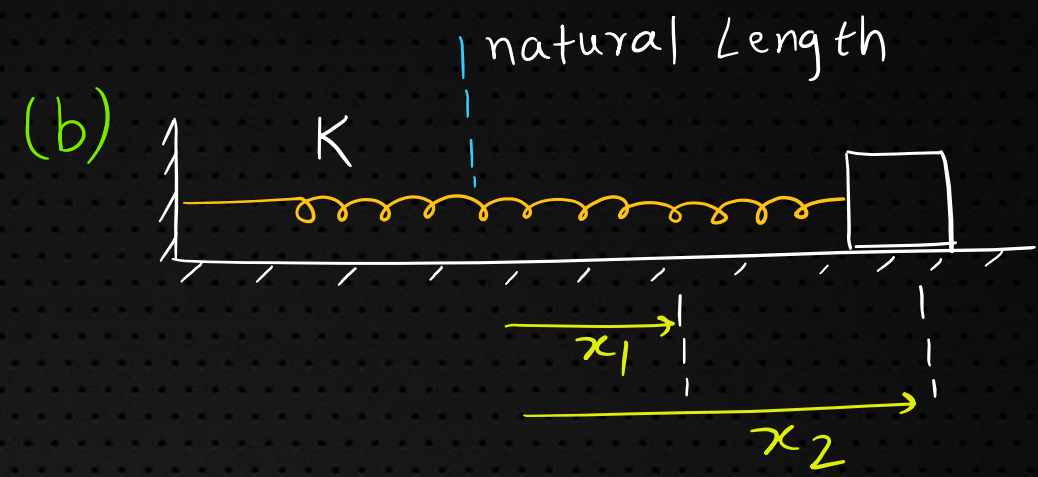
$$\Rightarrow W_T = 0$$


3. How to write ΔU

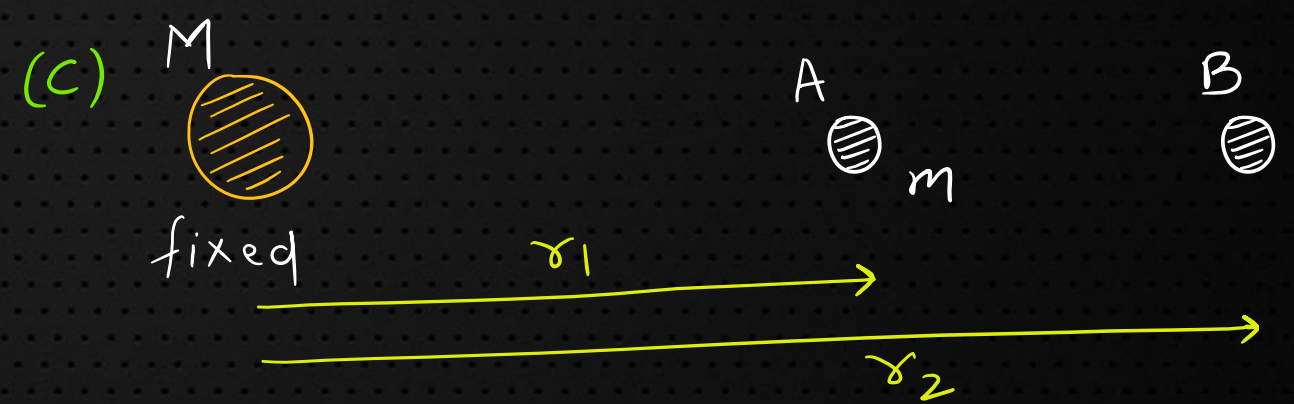


If $A \rightarrow B$
 $\Delta U = -mgh$

If $B \rightarrow A$
 $\Delta U = mgh$



From $x_1 \rightarrow x_2$
 $\Delta U = \frac{1}{2}Kx_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}Kx_1^2$

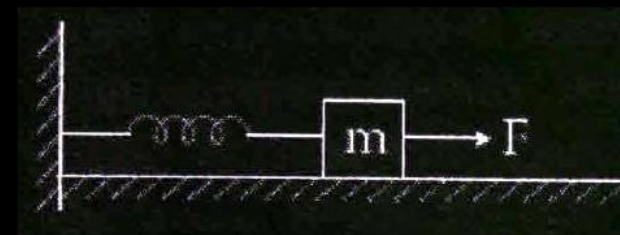


$A \rightarrow B$, $\Delta U = -\frac{GMm}{r_2} - \left(-\frac{GMm}{r_1}\right)$

Ex 1.

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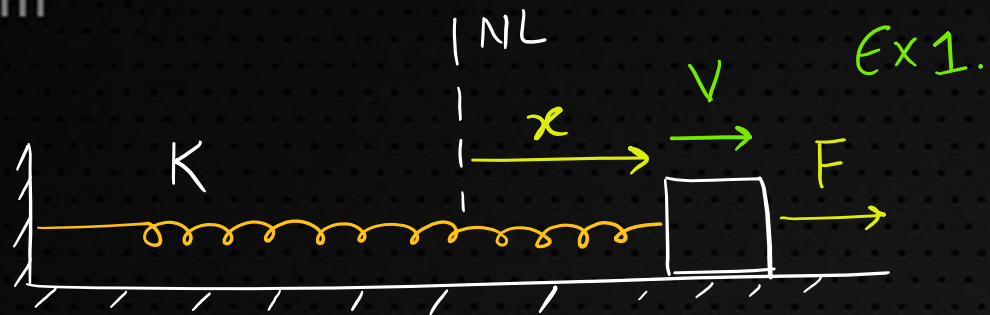
(b) $\frac{F}{\pi\sqrt{mk}}$

(c) $\frac{\pi F}{\sqrt{mk}}$

(d) $\frac{F}{\sqrt{mk}}$



Solⁿ:



V is max when $F = F_s$ (spring force)

$$F = Kx \Rightarrow x = \frac{F}{K}$$

$$W_{\text{ext}} = \Delta K + \Delta U$$

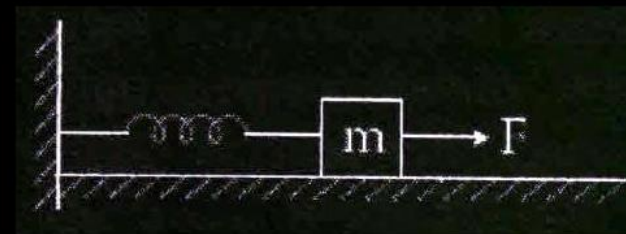
$$\Rightarrow Fx = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}Kx^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{F^2}{K} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{F^2}{2K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{v = \frac{F}{\sqrt{mK}}}$$

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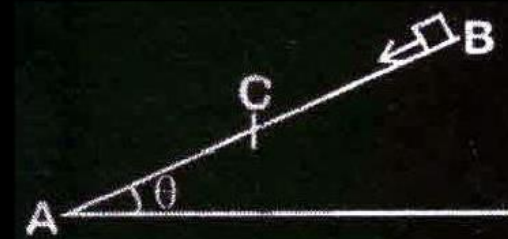
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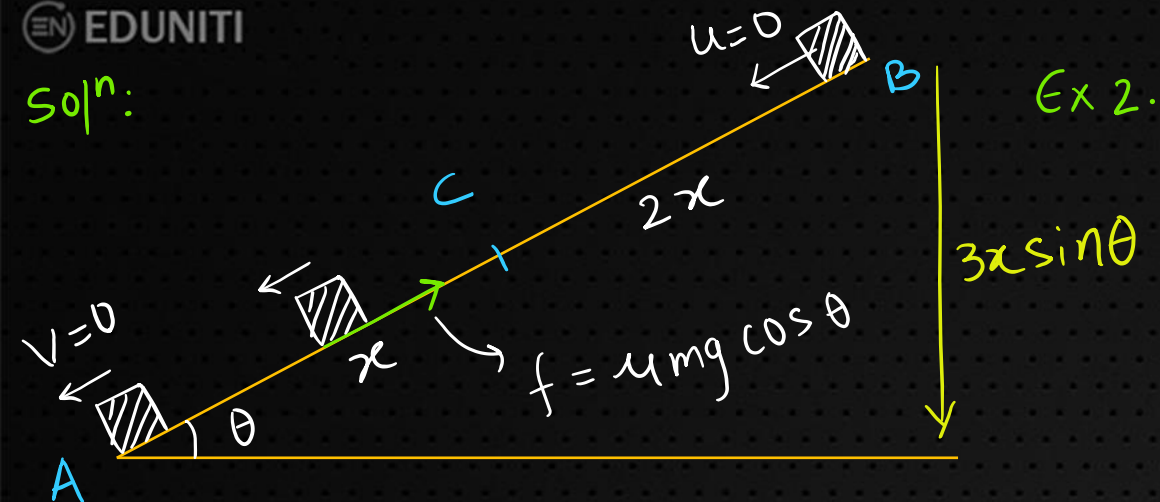
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Solⁿ:



$$W_f = \Delta K + \Delta U$$

$$\Rightarrow -\mu mg \cos \theta \cdot x = 0 - mg \cdot 3x \sin \theta$$

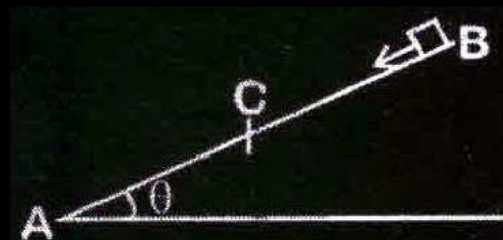
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$$\Rightarrow 2 \times (-\mu mg \cos \theta \cdot x) = \frac{1}{2} m \left(\frac{v_0}{2} \right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2 + 0$$

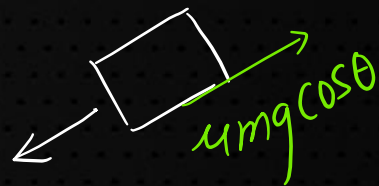
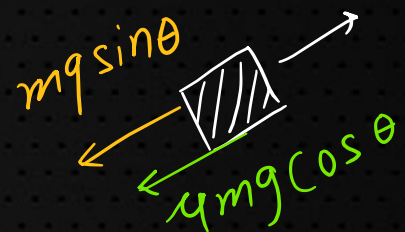
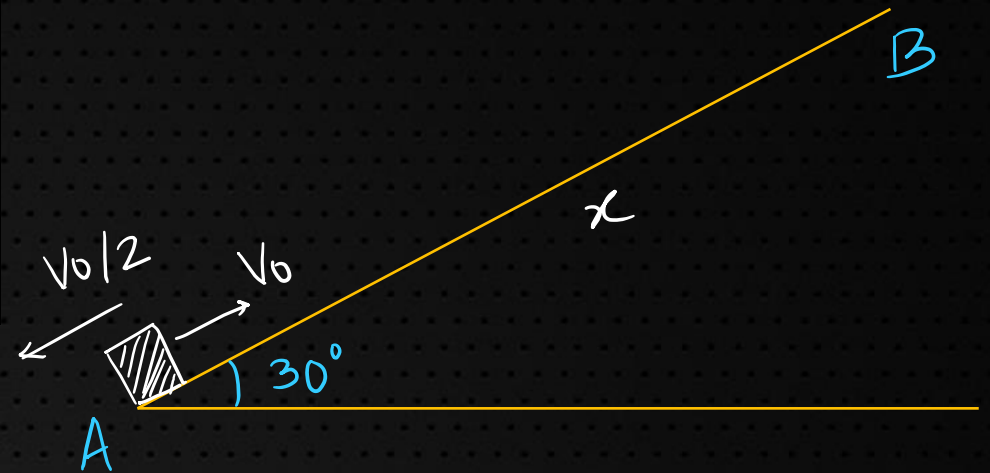
$$\Rightarrow -2\mu mg \cos \theta \cdot x = -\frac{3}{8} m v_0^2 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$A \rightarrow B: 0 = v_0^2 - 2(g \sin \theta + \mu g \cos \theta) x$$

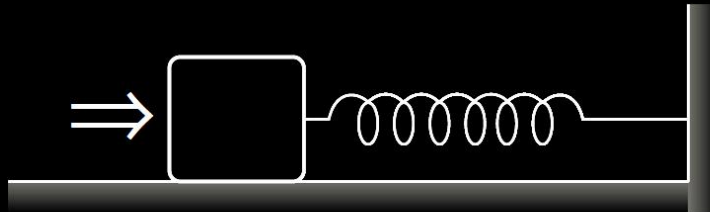
$$\Rightarrow v_0^2 = 2g(\sin \theta + \mu \cos \theta) x \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

from (i) & (ii) $\therefore \mu = \frac{3}{5} \tan \theta \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{5}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}}{5} = \frac{I}{1000} \Rightarrow \boxed{I \approx 346}$$



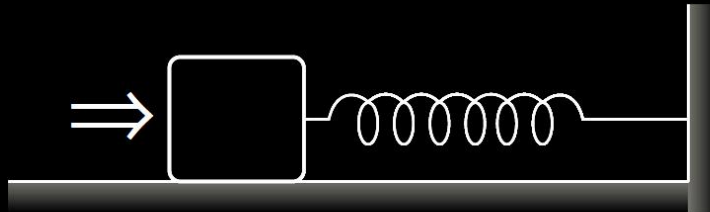
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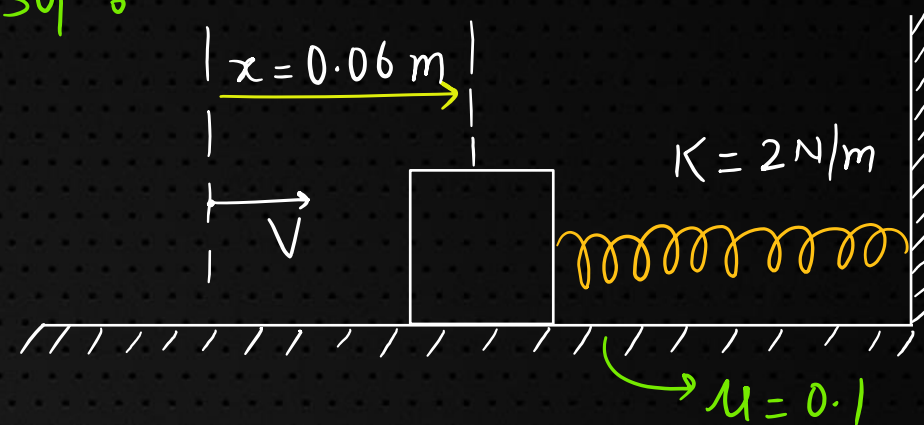
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$$\Rightarrow -\mu m g x = \frac{1}{2} K x^2 + \left(0 - \frac{1}{2} m v^2 \right)$$

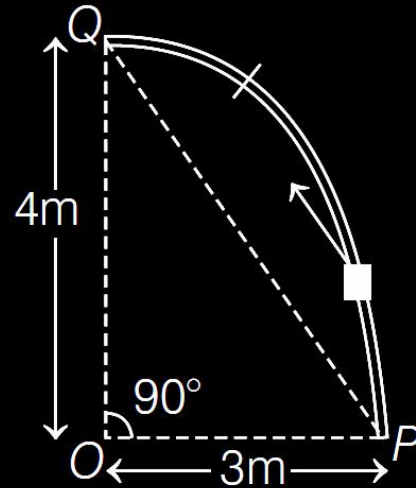
$$\Rightarrow v = \sqrt{\frac{K x^2}{m} + 2 \mu g x}$$

$$\Rightarrow v = \frac{4}{10} \therefore \boxed{N = 4}$$

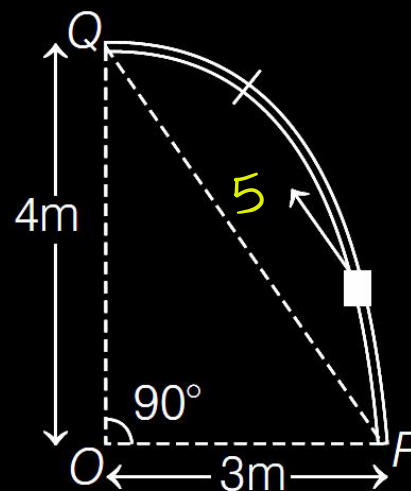
put $K = 2 \text{ N/m}$, $x = 0.06 \text{ m}$
 $m = 0.18 \text{ kg}$, $\mu = 0.1$
 $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$



Ex5. Consider an elliptically shaped rail PQ in the vertical plane with $OP = 3$ m and $OQ = 4$ m. A block of mass 1 kg is pulled along the rail from P to Q with a force of 18 N, which is always parallel to line PQ (see figure). Assuming no frictional losses, the kinetic energy of the block when it reaches Q is $(n \times 10)$ J. The value of n is (take acceleration due to gravity = 10 ms^{-2}) (2014 Adv.)

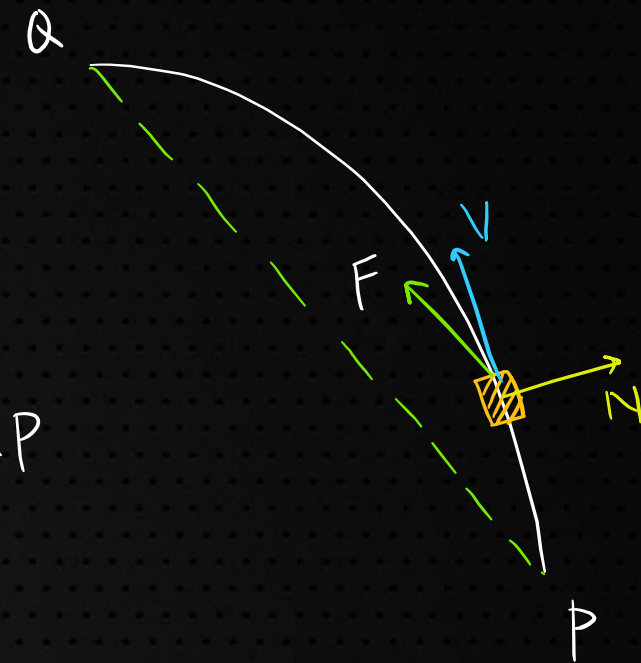


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Solⁿ:

- (i) $N \perp V$
 $\Rightarrow W_N = 0$
- (ii) $F \parallel PQ$



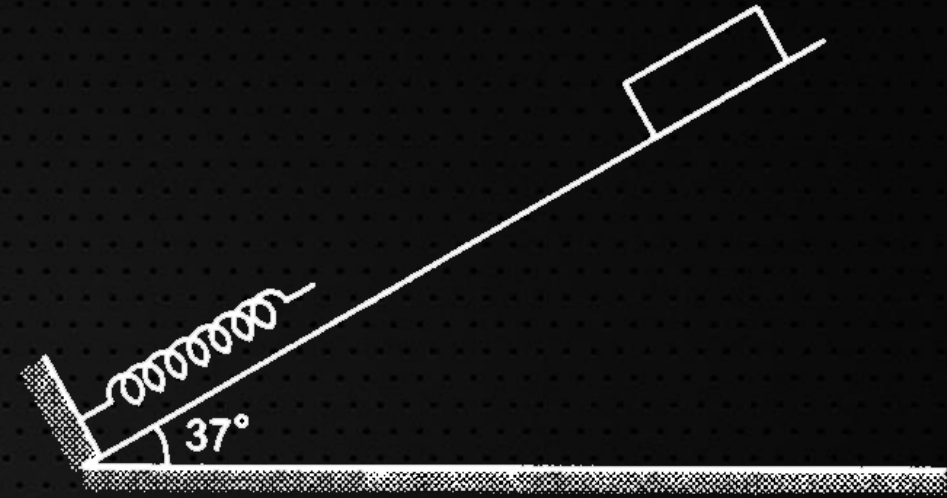
$$W_F = \Delta K + \Delta U \Rightarrow \vec{F} \cdot \vec{s} = K_f + mgh$$

$$\Rightarrow 18 \times 5 = K_f + 1 \times 10 \times 4$$

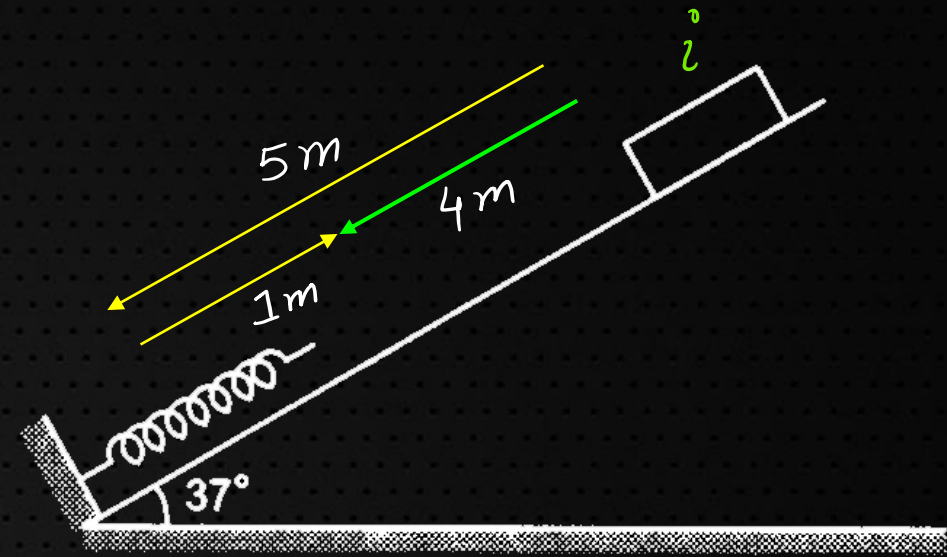
$$\therefore K_f = 50 \text{ J} \Rightarrow \boxed{\eta = 5}$$

Ex 6. Figure (8-E7) shows a spring fixed at the bottom end of an incline of inclination 37° . A small block of mass 2 kg starts slipping down the incline from a point 4.8 m away from the spring. The block compresses the spring by 20 cm, stops momentarily and then rebounds through a distance of 1 m up the incline. Find (a) the friction coefficient between the plane and the block
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Solⁿ: $W_f = \Delta U + \Delta K \Rightarrow -\mu mg \cos \theta \times (5+1) = -mg \times 4 \sin \theta + 0$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = \frac{2}{3} \tan \theta = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{4} = \boxed{0.5}$$



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