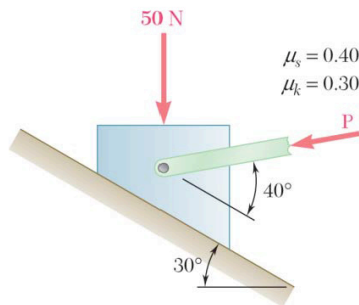


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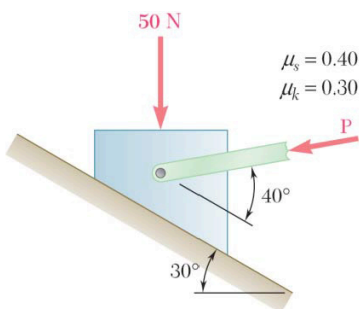
Tutorial 7

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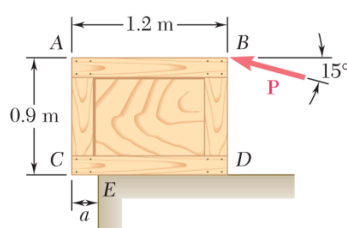
PROBLEM 8.4

Determine whether the block shown is in equilibrium and find the magnitude and direction of the friction force when $P = 80 \text{ N}$.



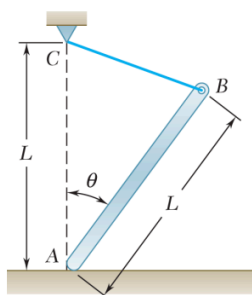
PROBLEM 8.5

Determine the smallest value of P required to (a) start the block up the incline, (b) keep it moving up.



PROBLEM 8.16

A worker slowly moves a 50-kg crate to the left along a loading dock by applying a force P at corner B as shown. Knowing that the crate starts to tip about the edge E of the loading dock when $a = 200 \text{ mm}$, determine (a) the coefficient of kinetic friction between the crate and the loading dock, (b) the corresponding magnitude P of the force.



PROBLEM 8.24

End A of a slender, uniform rod of length L and weight W bears on a surface as shown, while end B is supported by a cord BC . Knowing that the coefficients of friction are $\mu_s = 0.40$ and $\mu_k = 0.30$, determine (a) the largest value of θ for which motion is impending, (b) the corresponding value of the tension in the cord.