

QUESTION NUMBER	SCHEME	MARKS
7(a)(i)	For A: $\frac{4mg}{3} - mg \sin \alpha - F = ma$	M1A1
	$R = mg \cos \alpha$	M1 A1
	Use of $F = \frac{1}{3}R$ in an equation.	M1
	$a = \frac{11g}{15}$ or $0.73g$ or better	A1
(ii)	For B: $kmg - \frac{4mg}{3} = kma$	M1 A1
	$k = 5$	A1
	N.B. Either equation of motion could be replaced by a whole system equation: $kmg - mg \sin \alpha - F = (k+1)ma$	
		(9)
7(b)	Complete method to find resultant force $2T \cos\left(\frac{90^\circ - \alpha}{2}\right)$	M1 A1
	Substitute $T = \frac{4mg}{3}$ and trig $\frac{32mg}{15}$ or $2.1mg$ or better.	dM1 A1
ALT 1	Use of cosine rule: $\sqrt{T^2 + T^2 - 2(T)(T) \cos(90 + \alpha)}$	M1 A1
ALT 2	Use of vert and horiz components to find the resultant: $\sqrt{(T \cos \alpha)^2 + (T + T \sin \alpha)^2}$	M1 A1
		(4)
		(13)
Notes for question 7		
(a) M1	For A use $F=ma$ parallel to the plane. Must be dimensionally correct and have correct no of terms. Condone sin/cos confusion. N.B. If they use T in this equation and never replace it, allow M1.	
A1	Correct unsimplified equation.	
M1	N.B. a could be replaced by $-a$ Resolve perpendicular to the plane Must be dimensionally correct and have correct no of terms. Condone sin/cos confusion.	
A1	Correct equation	
M1	Use of $F = \frac{1}{3}R$	
A1	Correct answer	
M1	For B use $F=ma$ vertically. Must be dimensionally correct and have correct no of terms. Condone sin/cos confusion. N.B. Must have km on <i>both</i> sides for this mark.	
A1	N.B. If they use T in this equation and never replace it, allow M1. Correct unsimplified equation	
	N.B. a could be replaced by $-a$, but must be consistent with the equation for A.	
A1	correct answer	