

- 2 (a) Distinguish between *mass* and *weight*.

mass:

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weight:

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[2]

- (b) An object O of mass 4.9 kg is suspended by a rope A that is fixed at point P. The object is pulled to one side and held in equilibrium by a second rope B, as shown in Fig. 2.1.

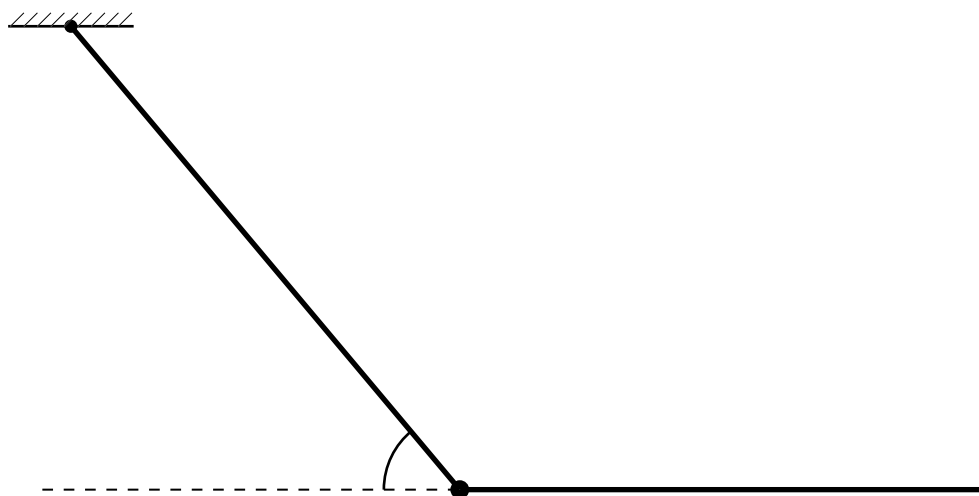


Fig. 2.1

Rope A is at an angle θ to the horizontal and rope B is horizontal. The tension in rope A is 69 N and the tension in rope B is T .

- (i) On Fig. 2.1, draw arrows to represent the directions of all the forces acting on object O. [2]

(ii) Calculate

1. the angle θ ,

$\theta = \dots\dots\dots^\circ$ [3]

2. the tension T .

$T = \dots\dots\dots$ N [2]