

1 Mechanics and fluids:

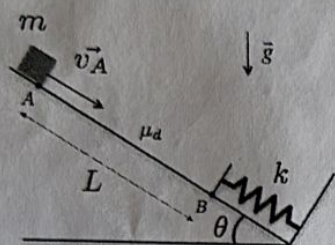
An object of mass m slides along a plane. The plane is characterised by a dynamical friction coefficient μ_d and an inclination angle θ . At point A, the body has a velocity v_A directed along the inclined plane (see figure). After traveling a distance L , the object encounters at point B the free end of an ideal spring of elastic constant k . The spring is compressed by a distance Δx until the object is stopped.

Calculate:

- 1) The work done by the friction force while the body moves a distance L from A to B (2 points)
- 2) The velocity of the object at point B (2 points)
- 3) The elastic constant k (2 points)

Now consider a block of porcelain (density ρ_p) hanging from a rope of negligible mass. The block is kept under the water (density ρ_A). When the block is completely submerged, the rope's tension is T_0 . Calculate:

- 4) The volume V of the block (2 points)
- 5) The tension of the rope when the block is half submerged in the water. (2 points)



Adiabatic $\Rightarrow W = n C_V \Delta T$
 $f_s = \mu_k = \mu_s$

2 Thermodynamics:

Consider an isothermal expansion of n moles of an ideal gas from point A to point B and an adiabatic expansion from point A to point C, both between the same initial and final volumes V_i and $V_f = 2V_i$ and with $T_A = 2T_C$.

- 1) Draw the two transformations in the PV plane explaining the difference in the slope (2 points)
- 2) Calculate the work in both transformations, which one does more work? (2 points)

Consider now a pan of negligible heat capacity that contains a volume V_a of water at temperature T_a . The pot is located on an electric burner of power P which transfers 60% of its power to the water. At some point, the water begins to evaporate; the stove is turned off when ΔV of water have evaporated. Water has specific heat C_a and evaporation latent heat L_a .

Calculate:

- 3) The heat absorbed by the water (2 points)
- 4) The time the electric burner was on in order to provide such heat (2 points)

3 Electromagnetism: In a region A of space there is a uniform electric field of intensity E along the \hat{z} direction. An electron enters this region A with initial velocity v_A along the \hat{x} axis.

1. Imagine that we want the electron to keep moving along the initial direction and with same initial velocity and that we can turn on a magnetic field B to do that. Calculate the intensity and direction of the magnetic field. (3 points)

2. Imagine now that an electron with initial velocity v_A along the \hat{x} direction enters a region C where we apply an electric field that makes the electron bounce back after travelling some distance d . What is the intensity of the electric field? (3 points)

3. Consider a squared coil that rotates around the \hat{x} axis with constant angular velocity ω . There is a constant and uniform magnetic field along the \hat{z} axis. How does the electromotive force vary with time? (3 points)

4 Modern physics: What is the De Broglie wave? (3 points)