

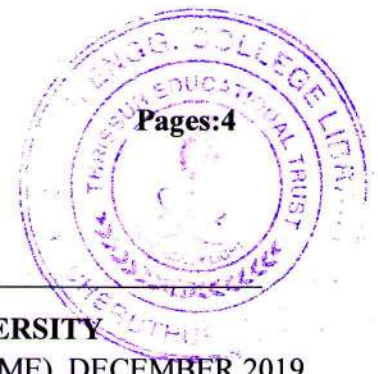


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**Course Code: EST100**

**Course Name: ENGINEERING MECHANICS**  
**(2019-Scheme)**

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

**PART A**

*(Answer all questions, each carries 3 marks.)*

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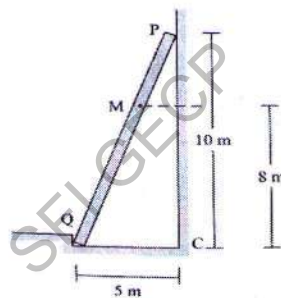


Fig 1

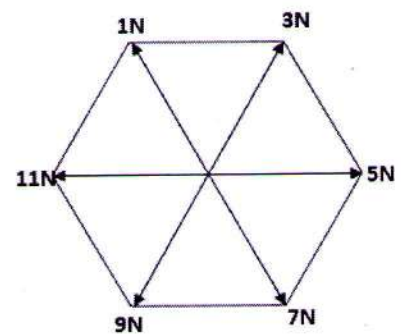
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**PART B**

*(Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 14 marks)*

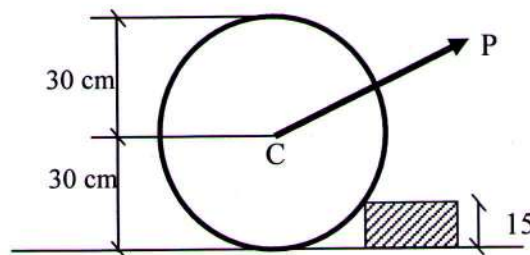
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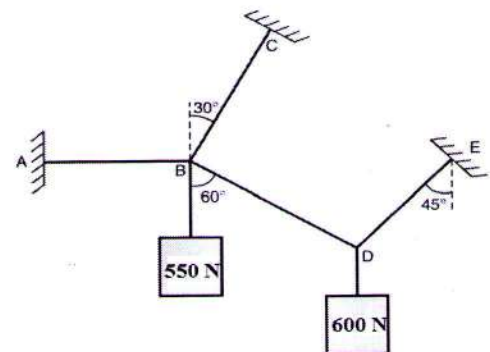


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inclination of  $30^\circ$  to the plane keeps the same in equilibrium. Assume coefficient of friction between the rough plane and the load is equal to 0.3.

- b) For the beam with loading shown in Fig.5, determine the reactions at the supports. (7)

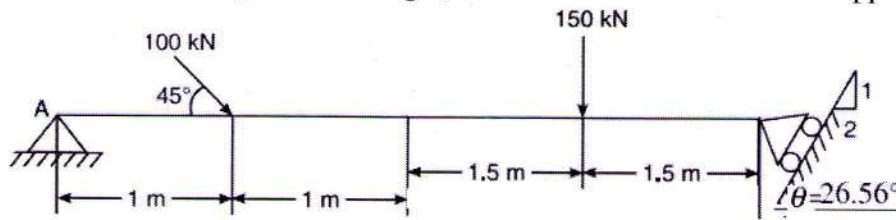
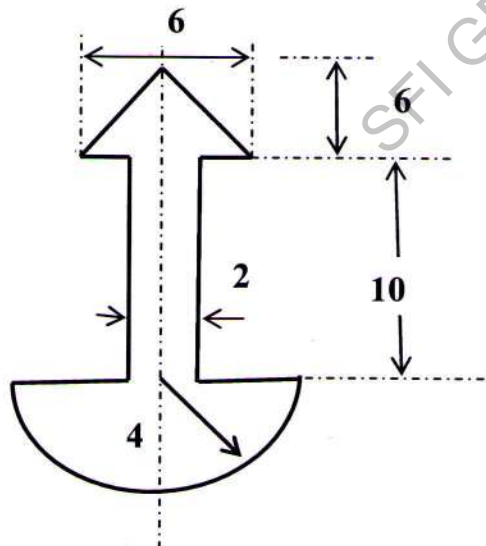


Fig.5

- 14 A uniform ladder 4 m long weighs 200 N. It is placed against a wall making an angle of  $60^\circ$  with the floor. The coefficient of friction between the wall and the ladder is 0.25 and that between the ground and the ladder is 0.35. The ladder in addition to its own weight, has to support a man of 1000 N at the top at B. Calculate: (i) The horizontal force  $P$  to be applied to the ladder at the ground level to prevent slipping. (14)  
(ii) If the force  $P$  is not applied, what should be the minimum inclination of the ladder with the horizontal, so that it does not slip with the man at the top?

#### Module-III

- 15 Find the moment of inertia of shaded area about the horizontal and vertical centroidal axis. All dimensions in cm. (14)



- 16 A force  $P$  is directed from a point A(4,1,4) meters towards a point B (-3,4,1)metres. (14)  
Determine the moment of force  $P$  about x and y axis if it produces a moment of 1000Nm about z axis.

#### Module-IV

- 17 An object of mass 5 kg is projected with a velocity of 20m/s at an angle of  $60^\circ$  to the horizontal. At the highest point of its path the projectile explodes and breaks up into two fragments of masses 1kg and 4kg. The fragments separate horizontally after explosion. The explosion releases internal energy such that KE of the system at the highest point is doubled. Calculate the separation distance between two fragments when they reach the ground. (14)

- 18 A block of mass  $M_1$  resting on an inclined plane is connected by a string and pulleys (14 ) to another block of mass  $M_2$  as shown in Fig.7. Find the tension in the string and acceleration of the blocks. Assume the coefficient of friction between the blocks  $M_1$  and the plane to be 0.2.  $M_1 = 1500\text{N}$ ,  $M_2 = 1000\text{N}$ . Angle of inclined plane =  $45^\circ$ .

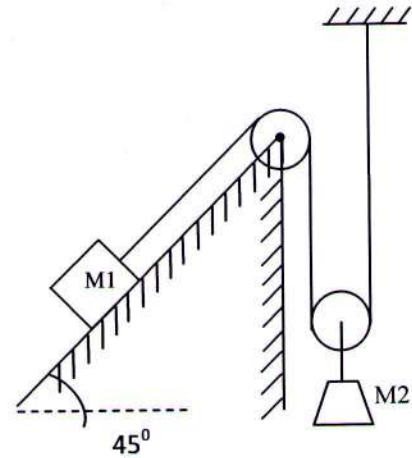


Fig 7

### Module-V

- 19 A rotor of an electric motor is uniformly accelerated to a speed of 1800 rpm from rest (14 ) for 5 seconds and then immediately power is switched off and the motor decelerates uniformly. If the total time elapsed from start to stop is 12.5 sec, determine the number of revolutions made while (a) acceleration (b) deceleration. Also find the value of deceleration.
- 20 a A spring stretches by 0.015m when a 1.75kg object is suspended from its end. How (5 ) much mass should be attached to the spring so that its frequency of vibration is 3 Hz.
- b A particle moving with simple harmonic motion has velocities 8m/s and 4m/s when (9 ) at the distance of 1m and 2m from the mean position. Determine (a) amplitude (b) period (c) maximum velocity, and (d) maximum acceleration of the particle.

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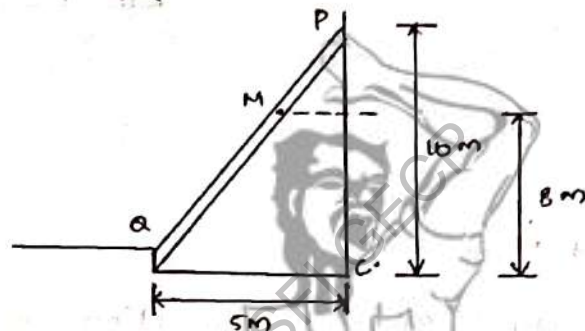


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PART-A

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Ans: Given data

$$W = 30 \text{ kg} = 30 \times 9.81 = \underline{294.3 \text{ N}}$$

$$W_{\text{man}} = 72 \text{ kg} = 72 \times 9.81 = \underline{706.32 \text{ N}}$$

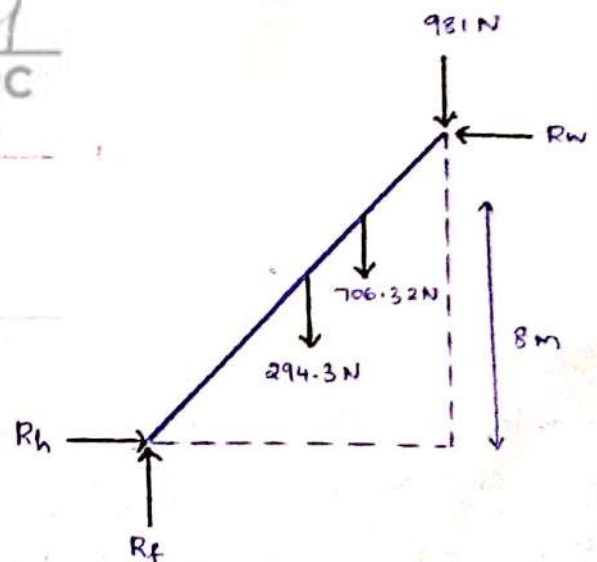
Force at ladder top acting vertically

$$= 100 \text{ kg}$$

$$= 100 \times 9.81$$

$$= \underline{981 \text{ N}}$$

Smooth surface  $\Rightarrow$  No friction.



2. State and explain Varignon's theorem for concurrent coplanar forces.

ans. Statement

Varignon's theorem states that the moment of a force about any axis is equal to the sum of moments of its components about that axis.

- Consider a force, acting at a point A.

- $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are the components of  $F$  along any two directions.

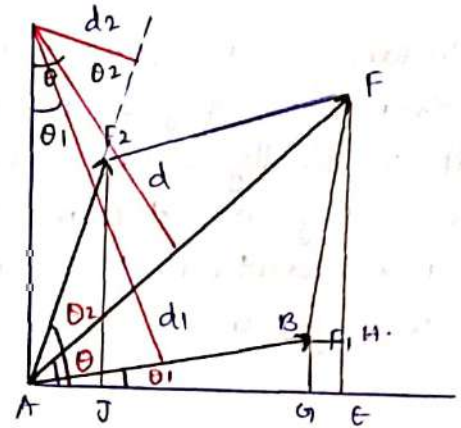
- The moment of force  $F$  about any arbitrary point O is  $F \times d$ .

where  $d$  is the arm of force  $F$ .

- $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are arm of forces of forces  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  respectively.

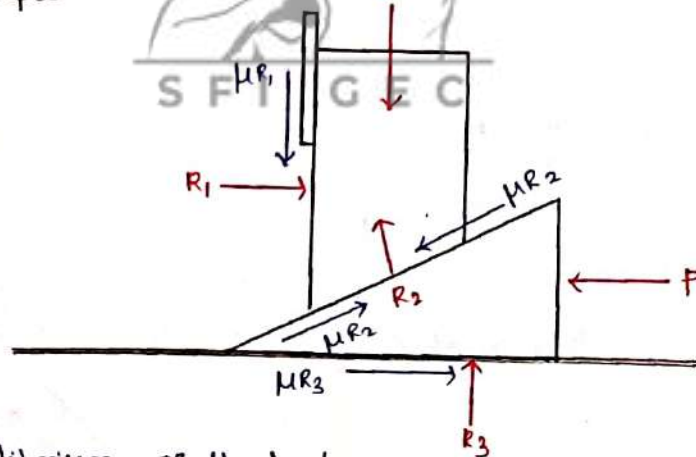
- Sum of moments of the components  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  about O is  $F_1 d_1 + F_2 d_2$

- Then,  $F \times d = F_1 d_1 + F_2 d_2$ .



3. Briefly explain the analysis of forces acting on a wedge with a suitable example.

ans.



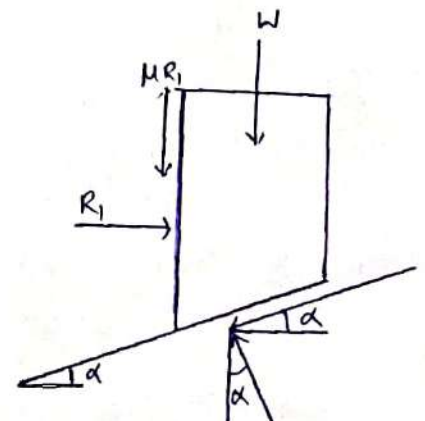
considers the equilibrium of the body

Resolving the forces vertically,

$$R_2 \cos \alpha - \mu_2 R_2 \sin \alpha - \mu_1 R_1 - W = 0$$

Resolving forces horizontally

$$R_1 = \mu_2 R_2 \cos \alpha - R_2 \sin \alpha = 0.$$





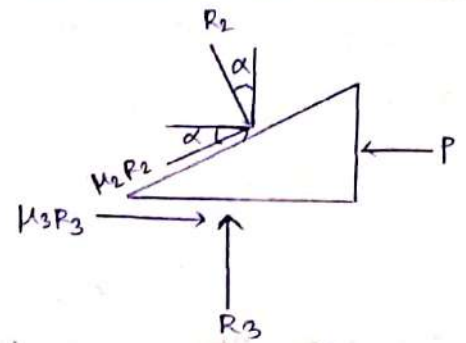
For equilibrium of the wedge

Resolving forces horizontally,

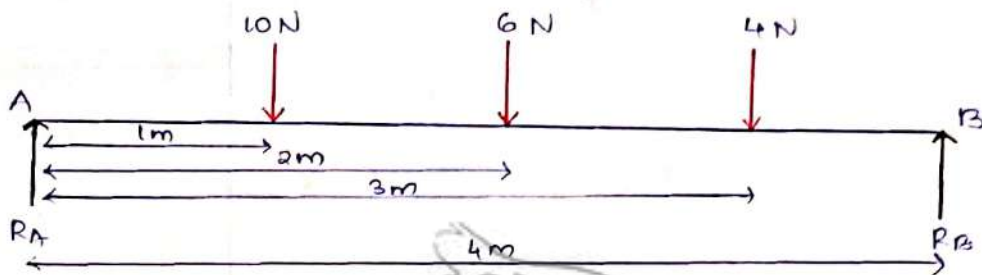
$$\mu_3 R_3 + \mu_2 P_2 \cos \alpha + R_2 \sin \alpha - P = 0$$

Resolving forces vertically,

$$R_3 + \mu_2 R_2 \sin \alpha - R_2 \cos \alpha = 0.$$



4. A simply supported beam AB of span 4m is carrying point loads 10N, 6N, and 4N at 1m, 2m and 3m respectively from Support A. calculate reactions at supports A and B.



Consider the free body diagram of the beam  
Equilibrium conditions.

$$\sum F_v = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum M = 0$$

Applying  $\sum F_v = 0$ ,

$$R_A + R_B - 10 - 6 - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow R_A + R_B = 20 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

Applying  $\sum M = 0$ ,

Taking moment about A = 0,

$$(10 \times 1) + (6 \times 2) + (4 \times 3) - (R_B \times 4) = 0$$

$$R_B = 34/4 = 8.5 \text{ N} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\therefore R_A = 20 - 8.5 = 11.5 \text{ N} //$$

5. A force  $2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$  is applied at the point A (1, 1, -2). Find the moment of the force about the point (2, -1, 2).

an Given

- Force =  $\vec{F} = 2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$ .

- Application point of force = A (1, 1, -2)

- Moment centre = O (2, -1, 2).



$$\vec{r} = \vec{OA} = (1-2)\hat{i} + (1-1)\hat{j} + (-2-0)\hat{k} = -\hat{i} + 0\hat{j} - 2\hat{k}$$

Moment of force

$$\vec{M} = \vec{r} \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ -1 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 4 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = 10\hat{i} - 11\hat{j} - 8\hat{k}$$

6.

Calculate the area moment of inertia of a rectangular cross section of breadth 'b' and depth 'd' about the centroidal horizontal axis.

ans Moment of inertia about x-x axis of a small horizontal strip

$$I_{xx} = \text{Area} \cdot y^2 = dA \cdot y^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Moment of inertia of rectangle about x-x axis will be

$$I_{xx} = \int dA \cdot y^2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Since  $dA = b \cdot dy$  and the limits are  $-d/2 \rightarrow d/2$ ,

$$(2) \Rightarrow I_{xx} = \int_{-d/2}^{d/2} (b \cdot dy) y^2$$

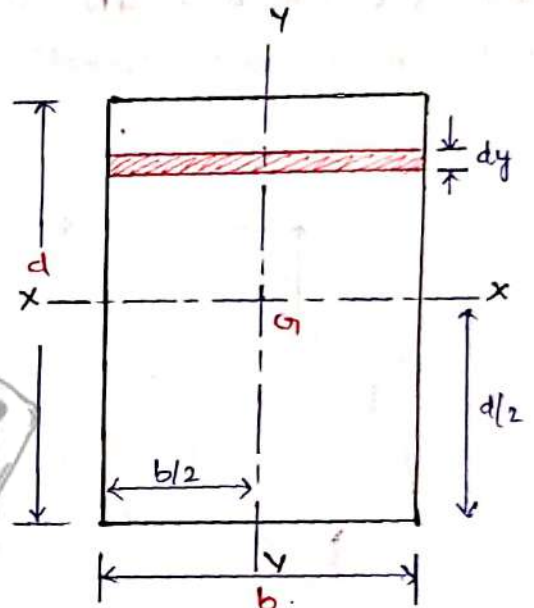
$$I_{xx} = b \int_{-d/2}^{d/2} y^2 dy$$

$$I_{xx} = b \cdot \left[ \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{-d/2}^{d/2}$$

$$I_{xx} = b \left[ \frac{d^3}{8 \times 3} + \frac{d^3}{8 \times 3} \right]$$

$$I_{xx} = \frac{2bd^3}{8 \times 3}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{xx} = \frac{bd^3}{12} //$$



7. A body is projected at an angle such that its horizontal displacement is 3 times that of maximum height. Find the angle of projection.

Ans: Given

$$\text{Range (R)} = 3 \times \text{maximum height (hmax)}.$$

$$\text{Since, } R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\alpha}{g} \quad h_{\max} = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g}$$

$$\text{ie, } \frac{u^2 \sin 2\alpha}{g} = 3 \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha = \frac{3 \sin^2 \alpha}{2} = \tan \alpha = \frac{4}{3} //$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{3} \right)$$

$$\alpha = 53.13^\circ //$$

8. The position of a particle moving along a straight line is defined by the relation

$$x = t^3 - 3t^2 - 9t + 12$$

Determine the time taken by the particle when its velocity becomes zero.

Ans: Given

$$x = t^3 - 3t^2 - 9t + 12$$

Differentiating w.r.t time  $t$

$$v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 3t^2 - 6t - 9$$

When velocity,  $v=0$ , ie,  $3t^2 - 6t - 9 = 0$ .

Solving,  $t=3$ ,  $t=-1$ .

Since time cannot be a negative quantity.

$\therefore$  Time taken by the particle when its velocity becomes

$$\text{zero} = 3s //$$



9. A flywheel weighing 500 N and having radius of gyration 0.4 m loses its speed from 300 rpm to 180 rpm in 1 minute. Calculate the torque acting on it.

Ans. Given

Weight of flywheel  $W = 500 \text{ N}$

Initial speed  $N_0 = 300 \text{ rpm}$

Final speed  $N = 180 \text{ rpm}$

Time  $t = 1 \text{ hr} = 60 \text{ s}$

Radius of gyration  $k = 0.4 \text{ m}$

$$\text{Torque } T = I\alpha = mk^2\alpha$$

$$\text{But } \Rightarrow \omega = \omega_0 + \alpha t$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi N_0}{60} = \frac{2\pi \times 300}{60} = 31.42 \text{ rad/s} //$$

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi N}{60} = \frac{2\pi \times 180}{60} = 18.85 \text{ rad/s} //$$

$$\text{Substituting, } 18.85 = 31.42 + \alpha \times 60$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = -0.21 \text{ rad/s}^2 //$$

$$\therefore T = I\alpha = mk^2\alpha = \{500 \times 9.81\} (0.4)^2 \times -0.21$$

$$\therefore T = -1.708 \text{ Nm}$$

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10. Distinguish damped and undamped free vibrations.

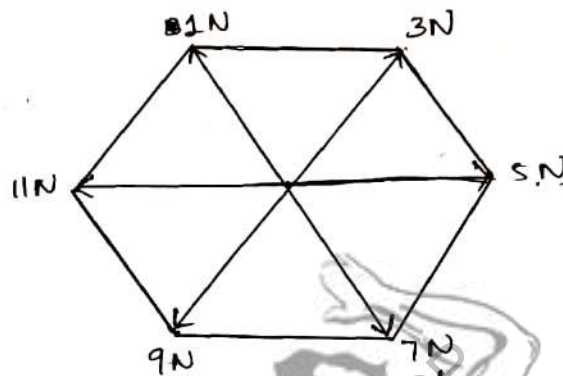
Ans:

DAMPED VIBRATION	UNDAMPED VIBRATION
• Object oscillates experiences resistive forces.	• The object oscillates freely without acting any resistive force acting against its motion.
• The total energy of the oscillating object decreases over time.	• The sum of kinetic and potential energies and potential energies always gives the total energy of the oscillating object, and value of the total energy does not change.
• Vibrating object loses its energy to the surroundings.	• Energy of the vibrating object does not get dissipated to surroundings.

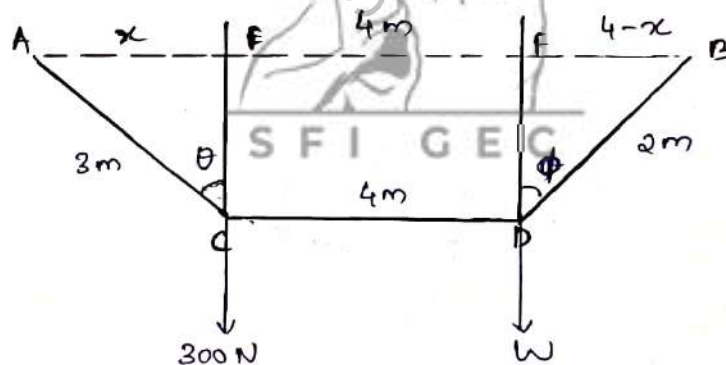


### PART-B

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- b) Concurrent forces of 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 are applied to the centers of a regular hexagon acting towards its vertices as shown in fig 2. Determine the magnitude and direction of the resultant.



Ans: a)



From the  $\triangle ACE$ ,

$$y^2 = 3^2 - x^2$$

From the  $\triangle BDF$ ,

$$y^2 = 2^2 - (4-x)^2$$

$$3^2 - x^2 = 2^2 - (4-x)^2$$

$$9 - x^2 = 4 - 16 + 8x - x^2$$

$$8x = 9 \Rightarrow x = 2.625 \text{ m} //$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{x}{3} \Rightarrow \frac{2.625}{3} = 0.875 \Rightarrow \theta = \sin^{-1}(0.875)$$

$$\therefore \theta = 61.04^\circ //$$

$$\sin \phi = \frac{4-x}{2} = \frac{4-2.625}{2} = 0.6875 \Rightarrow \phi = \sin^{-1}(0.6875)$$

$$\therefore \phi = 43.43^\circ //$$

consider the equilibrium point C,

Resolving vertically,

$$T_{AC} \cos \theta - 300 = 0$$

$$T_{AC} = \frac{300}{\cos 61.04} = \underline{\underline{619.58 \text{ N}}}$$

Resolving horizontally,

$$T_{CD} - T_{AC} \sin \theta = 0$$

$$T_{CD} = T_{AC} \sin \theta = 619.58 \sin 61.04$$

$$T_{CD} = 542.11 \text{ N} //$$

consider the equilibrium point D,

Resolving horizontally,

$$T_{DB} \sin \phi - T_{CD} = 0$$

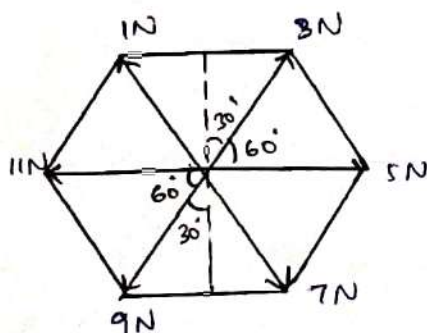
$$T_{DB} = \frac{542.11}{\sin 43.43} = 788.56 \text{ N} //$$

Resolving vertically,

$$T_{DB} \cos \phi - W = 0$$

$$W = T_{DB} \cos \phi = 788.56 \cos 43.43$$

$$W = 570.66 \text{ N} //$$



Resultant force

$$R = \sqrt{(\sum F_x)^2 + (\sum F_y)^2}$$

Direction

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{\sum F_y}{\sum F_x} \right|$$

$$\sum F_x = 5 + 3 \cos 60 - 1 \cos 60 - 11 \cos 60 - 9 \cos 60 + 7 \cos 60$$

$$\sum F_x = -6 \text{ N} //$$

$$\sum F_y = 3 \sin 60 + 1 \sin 60 - 9 \sin 60 - 7 \sin 60$$

$$\sum F_y = -10.39 \text{ N} //$$

$$R = \sqrt{(\sum F_x)^2 + (\sum F_y)^2} = \sqrt{(-6)^2 + (-10.39)^2}$$

$$R = 12 \text{ N} //$$

Direction of R

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left| \frac{\sum F_y}{\sum F_x} \right| = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{10.39}{6} \right)$$

$$\theta = 60' //$$

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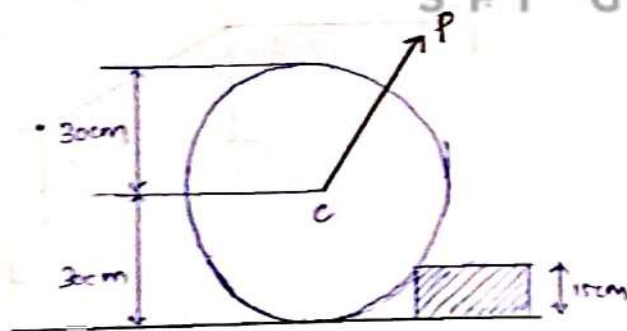
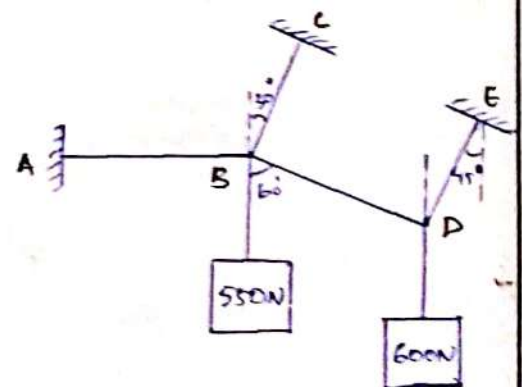
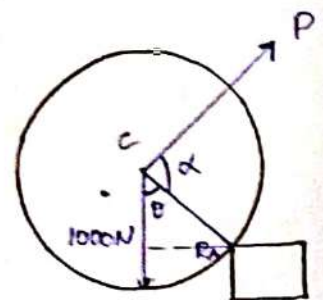


Fig 3



- When the roller is turned about A, contact at B breaks and hence no reaction at B. Let  $R_A$  be the reaction at contact point A. Inclination of force P with reaction  $R_A$  be  $\alpha$ .





$$\cos \theta = 15/20 \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1}(1/2) \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ //$$

Turning about point A, forces = P, W, R<sub>A</sub>

Taking moment about A = 0

$$P \sin \alpha \times AC - (1000 \times AC \sin 60^\circ) = 0.$$

$$P \sin \alpha \times AC = 1000 \times AC \sin 60^\circ$$

$$P \sin \alpha = 1000 \sin 60^\circ$$

$$P = \frac{866}{\sin \alpha}$$

least force means, P to be minimum,  $\sin \alpha$  should be maximum,

$$\therefore P = 866 \text{ N} //$$

To find R<sub>A</sub>,

Resolve forces along AC

$$R_A - P \cos \alpha - 1000 \cos \theta = 0$$

$$R_A = 866 \cos 90^\circ + 1000 \cos 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore R_A = 500 \text{ N} //$$

b) Consider equilibrium of D.

Applying Lami's theorem

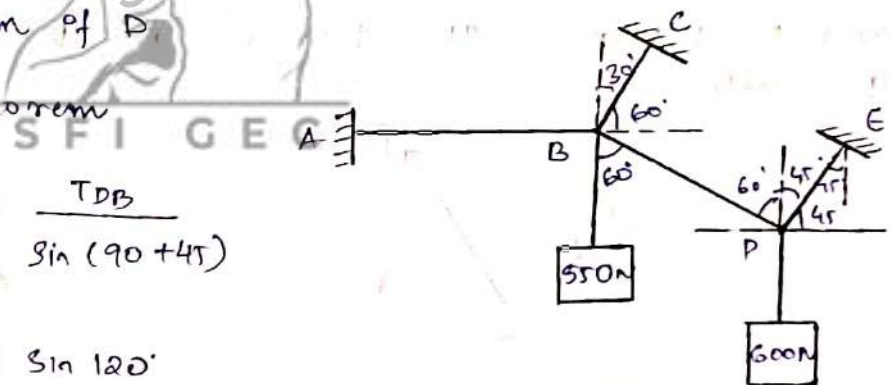
$$\frac{600}{\sin(60+45)} = \frac{T_{DE}}{\sin(90+30)} = \frac{T_{DB}}{\sin(90+45)}$$

$$\therefore T_{DE} = \frac{600}{\sin(60+45)} \times \sin 120^\circ$$

$$= \underline{\underline{537.94 \text{ N}}}$$

$$\therefore T_{DB} = \frac{600}{\sin(60+45)} \times \sin 135^\circ$$

$$= \underline{\underline{439.23 \text{ N}}}$$



Consider equilibrium of B.

Resolving forces vertically,

$$T_{BC} \cos 30 - 530 - T_{BD} \cos 60 = 0$$

$$T_{BC} = \frac{(530 + 439.23 \cos 60)}{\cos 30} = 888.675 \text{ N} //$$

Resolving forces horizontally,

$$T_{BD} \cos 30 + T_{BC} \cos 60 - T_{BA} = 0$$

$$\therefore T_{BA} = T_{BD} \cos 30 + T_{BC} \cos 60$$

$$= 439.23 \cos 30 + 888.675 \cos 60$$

$$T_{BA} = \underline{\underline{804.72 \text{ N}}}$$

### Module - II

13. a) Find the force required to move a load of 30 N up a rough inclined plane, applied parallel to the plane. The inclination of the plane is such that when the same body is kept on a perfectly smooth plane inclined at an angle, a force of 6 N applied at an inclination of  $30^\circ$  to the plane keeps the same in equilibrium. Assume the co-efficient of friction between the rough plane and the load is equal to 0.3.

- b) For the beam with loading shown in fig 5. Determine the reactions at the supports.

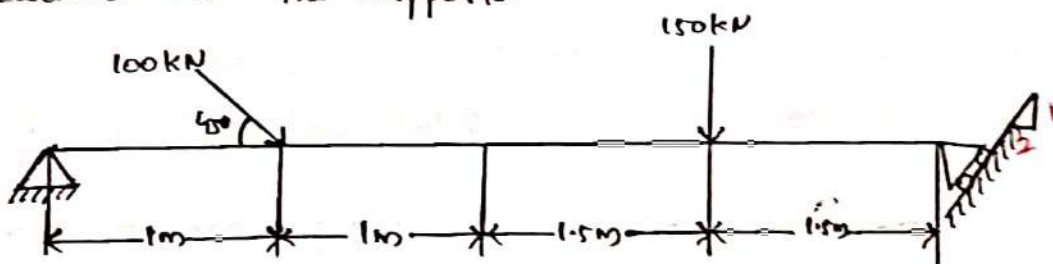
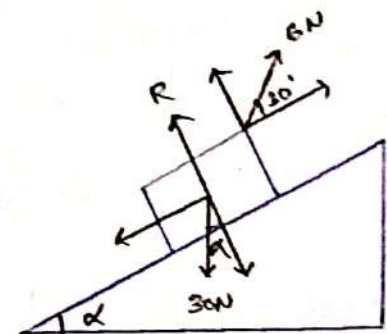


Fig 5

ans: Case: 1

consider the body of weight 30 N, placed on a smooth inclined plane with an angle  $\alpha$  and load 6 N.



Resolving forces along the inclined plane,

$$6 \cos 20 - 30 \sin \alpha = 0$$

$$\therefore \alpha = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{6 \cos 20}{30} \right)$$

$$\alpha = 9.974^\circ$$

Case : 2

Consider the body of weight 30N placed on a rough inclined plane with an inclination  $\alpha = 9.974^\circ$

Resolving perpendicular to the inclined plane

$$R - 30 \cos 9.974 = 0$$

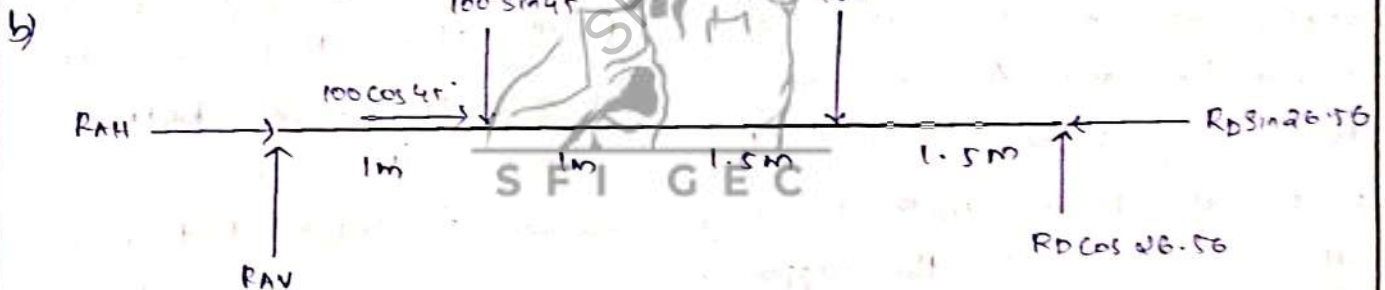
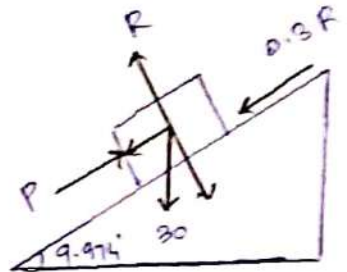
$$R = 29.54 \text{ N} //$$

Resolving along inclined plane,

$$P - 0.3R - 30 \sin 9.974 = 0$$

$$P = (0.3 \times 29.54) + 30 \sin 9.974$$

$$P = 14.06 \text{ N} //$$



consider the free body diagram of the beam.

Equilibrium conditions :  $\sum F_v = 0$ ,  $\sum F_H = 0$ ,  $\sum M = 0$ .

$$\sum F_v = 0 \Rightarrow R_{AV} + R_D \cos 26.56 - 100 \sin 45 - 150 = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\sum F_H = 0 \Rightarrow R_{AH} + 100 \cos 45 - R_D \sin 26.56 = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\sum M = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Taking Moment about A,}$$

$$(100 \sin 45 \times 1) + (150 \times 3.5) - (R_D \cos 26.56 \times 5) = 0$$

$$\therefore R_D = 133.19 \text{ kN} //$$

Substituting value of  $R_D$  in eqn (1),

$$R_{AH} = -100 \cos 45 + R_D \sin 26.56$$



$$\therefore R_{AH} = -11.15 \text{ kN} //$$

Substituting value of  $R_D$  in eqn (2),

$$R_{AV} = -R_D \cos 26.56 + 100 \sin 45 + 150$$

$$\therefore R_{AV} = 101.57 \text{ kN} //$$

Therefore Resultant Reaction at A,

$$= \sqrt{\sum R_{AH}^2 + \sum R_{AV}^2} = \sqrt{11.15^2 + 101.57^2}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{102.18 \text{ kN}}}$$

14. A uniform ladder 4m long weighs 200N. It is placed against a wall making an angle of  $60^\circ$  with the floor. The co-efficient of friction between the wall and the ladder is 0.25 and that between the ground and the ladder is 0.35. The ladder in addition to its own weight, has to support a man of 1000N at the top at B. calculate

- (i) The horizontal force  $P$  to be applied to the ladder at the ground level to prevent slipping.  
 (ii) If the force  $P$  is not applied, what should be the minimum inclination of the ladder with the horizontal, so that it does not slip with the man at the top.

ans: Given data

length of ladder = 4m

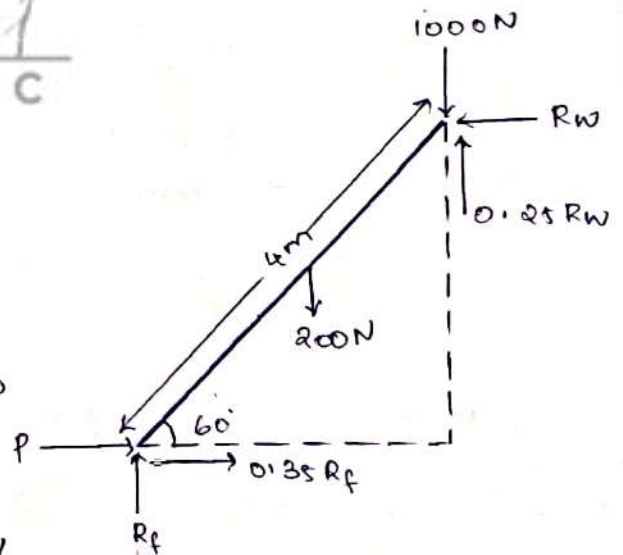
Weight of the ladder  $W = 200\text{N}$

$$\mu_w = 0.25$$

$$\mu_f = 0.35$$

Inclination of ladder with floor =  $60^\circ$

Load at top = 1000N.



(i) consider the equilibrium of ladder

$$\sum F_x = 0$$

$$P + 0.35 R_f - R_w = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0$$

$$R_f + 0.25 R_w - 200 - 1000 = 0$$

$$R_f + 0.25 R_w = 1200 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$\sum M = 0$ , Taking Moment about point A.

$$(200 \times 4 \cos 60) + (1000 \times 4 \sin 60) - (0.25 R_w \times 4 \cos 60) - (R_w \times 4 \sin 60) = 0$$

$$200 + 2000 - 0.25 R_w - 3.464 R_w = 0$$

$$(0.5 + 3.464) R_w = 2200$$

$$\therefore R_w = 554.98 \text{ N} //$$

From (2)  $R_f = 1200 - 0.25 R_w = 1061.26 \text{ N} //$

$$(1) \quad P = R_w - 0.35 R_f = 183.5 \text{ N} //$$

(ii) Consider the equilibrium of ladder

$$\sum F_x = 0$$

$$0.35 R_f - R_w = 0$$

$$R_w = 0.35 R_f \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\sum F_y = 0$$

$$R_f + 0.25 R_w - 200 - 1000 = 0$$

$$R_f + 0.25 R_w = 1200$$

$$R_f + 0.25 \times 0.35 R_f = 1200$$

$$\therefore R_f = 1103.45 \text{ N} //$$

$$R_w = 0.35 \times 1103.45 = 386.2 \text{ N} //$$

$\sum M = 0$ , Taking Moment about A

$$(200 \times 2 \cos \theta) + (1000 \times 4 \sin \theta) - (0.25 R_w \times 4 \cos \theta) - (R_w \times 4 \sin \theta) = 0$$

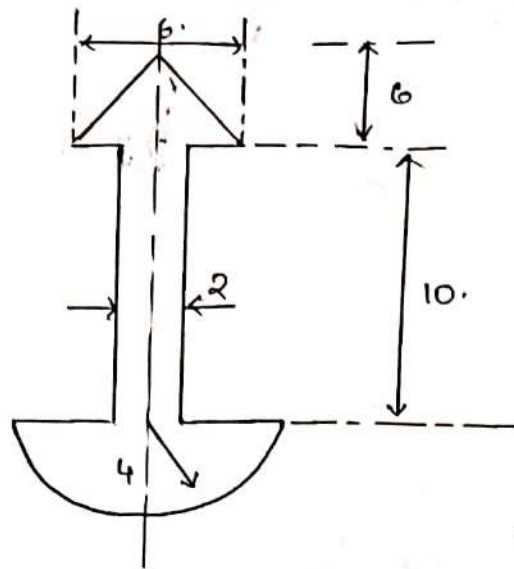
$$\cos \theta (400 \times 4000 - 0.25 \times 4 \times 386.2) = 4 \times 386.2 \sin \theta$$

$$\therefore \theta = 68.95^\circ //$$

### Module - III

15. Find the moment of inertia of shaded area about the horizontal and vertical centroidal axis. All dimensions are in cm.





am: Centroid

$$\bar{x} = \frac{a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 + a_3 x_3}{a_1 + a_2 + a_3}$$

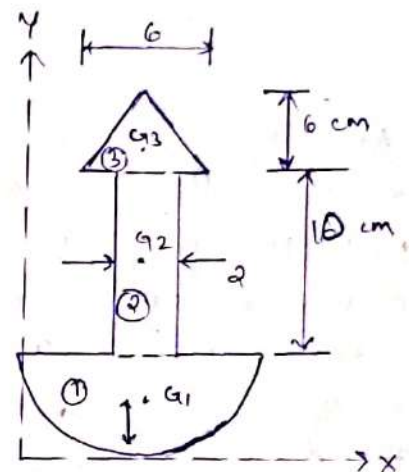
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \pi \times 4^2 \times 4 + 2 \times 10 \times 4 + \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 6 \times 4}{\frac{1}{2} \pi \times 4^2 + 2 \times 10 + \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 6}$$

$$\bar{x} = 4 \text{ cm} //$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{a_1 y_1 + a_2 y_2 + a_3 y_3}{a_1 + a_2 + a_3}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \pi \times 4^2 \times \left(4 - \frac{4 \times 4}{3\pi}\right) + 2 \times 10 \times 9 + \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 6 \times 16}{\frac{1}{2} \pi \times 4^2 + 2 \times 10 + \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 6}$$

$$\bar{y} = 8.329 \text{ cm} //$$



$$I_{Gxx} = I_{xx1} + I_{xx2} + I_{xx3}$$

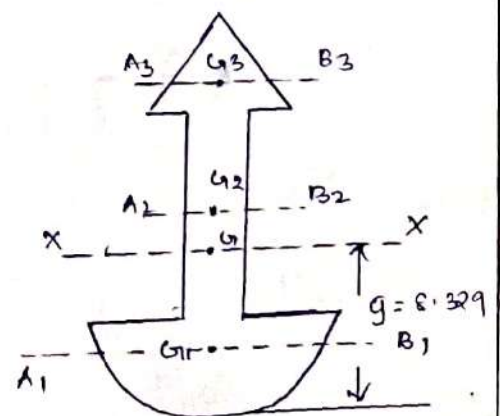
$$I_{xx1} = I_{A1B1} + A h^2$$

$$= 0.11 R^4 + \frac{1}{2} \pi R^2 \left(8.329 - \left(4 - \frac{4 \times 4}{3\pi}\right)\right)^2$$

$$I_{xx2} = \frac{2 \times 10^3}{12} + 2 \times 10 \times (9 - 8.329)^2$$

$$I_{xx3} = \frac{6 \times 6^3}{36} + \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 6 \times (16 - 8.329)^2$$

$$I_{Gxx} = 2185.56 \text{ cm}^4 //$$





$$I_{Oyy} = I_{yy1} + I_{yy2} + I_{yy3}$$

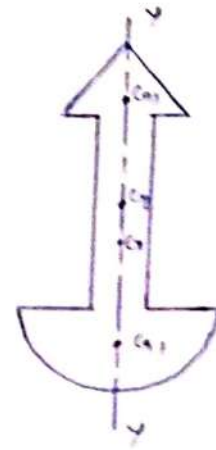
$$I_{yy1} = \frac{\pi R^4}{8} = \frac{\pi \times 4^4}{8}$$

$$I_{yy2} = \frac{10 \times 2^3}{12}$$

$$I_{yy3} = \frac{6 \times 6^3}{12}$$

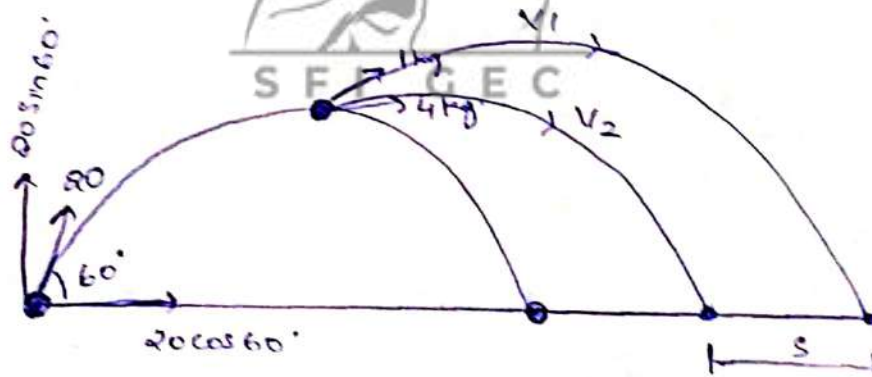
$$I_{Oyy} = \underline{\underline{110.167 \text{ cm}^4}}$$

No  $Ah^2$  term.



### Module - IV

17. An object of mass 5 kg is projected with a velocity of 20 m/s at an angle of  $60^\circ$  to the horizontal. At the highest point of its path the projectile explodes and breaks up into two fragments of masses 1 kg and 4 kg. The fragments separate horizontally after explosion. The explosion releases internal energy such that KE of the system at the highest point is doubled. Calculate the separation distance between two fragments when they reach the ground.



$$V_x = 20 \cos 60^\circ = 10 \text{ m/s} //$$

$$V_y = 20 \sin 60^\circ = 10\sqrt{3} \text{ m/s} //$$

$$T = \frac{2u \sin \alpha}{g} = \frac{2 \times 20 \sin 60^\circ}{9.81}$$

$$\therefore T = 3.53 \text{ s} //$$

$$\text{Time to reach maximum height} = \frac{3.53}{2} = 1.765 \text{ s} //$$

$$\text{Maximum height, } H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{2g} = \frac{20^2 \sin^2 60}{2 \times 9.81}$$

$$H = 15.29 \text{ m} //$$

$$\text{Initial kinetic energy of the object, } KE_1 = \frac{1}{2} m v_x^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \times (10)^2$$

$$= 250 \text{ J} //$$

$$\text{Kinetic energy at maximum height, } KE_2 = 2 \times KE_1$$

$$= 2 \times 250$$

$$= 500 \text{ J} //$$

Since at the highest point, the object separates into two fragments each of mass  $m_1$  and velocity  $v_1$ , and mass of  $m_2$  and velocity  $v_2$ .

$$\therefore 500 = \frac{1}{2} m_1 v_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_2 v_2^2$$

$$\text{Since } m_1 = 1 \text{ kg}$$

$$m_2 = 4 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{ie, } 500 = \frac{1}{2} \times 1 \times v_1^2 + \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times v_2^2$$

$$\text{ie, } v_1^2 + 4v_2^2 = 1000 \text{ — (1)}$$

Applying conservation of momentum along x-axis,

$$m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 = M v_x$$

$$1 \times v_1 + 4 \times v_2 = 5 \times 10$$

$$v_1 + 4v_2 = 50 \text{ — (2)}$$

Solving (1) and (2) we get

$$v_1 = 30 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\text{and } v_2 = 5 \text{ m/s} //$$

$$\text{Distance travelled by the first fragment} = v_1 \times t = 30 \times 1.765 = 52.95 \text{ m} //$$

$$\text{Distance travelled by the second fragment} = v_2 \times t = 5 \times 1.765 = 8.825 \text{ m} //$$

$$\text{Separation of fragments} = 52.95 - 8.825 = 44.125 \text{ m} //$$

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P from A (4, 1, 4) to B (-3, 4, 1)

$$M_z = 1000 \text{ Nm}$$

$$AB = -7\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 3\hat{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{|P|}{\sqrt{67}} (-7\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} - 3\hat{k})$$

$$M_z = xF_y - yF_x = 1000 \text{ Nm}$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{|P| \times 3}{\sqrt{67}} - 1 \times \frac{-7 \times |P|}{\sqrt{67}} = 1000 \text{ Nm}$$

$$= \frac{19|P|}{\sqrt{67}} = 1000 \text{ Nm} \Rightarrow |P| = \underline{\underline{430.808 \text{ N}}}$$

$$M_x = yF_z - zF_y$$

$$= \frac{1 \times |P| \times -3}{\sqrt{67}} - \frac{4 \times |P| \times 3}{\sqrt{67}}$$

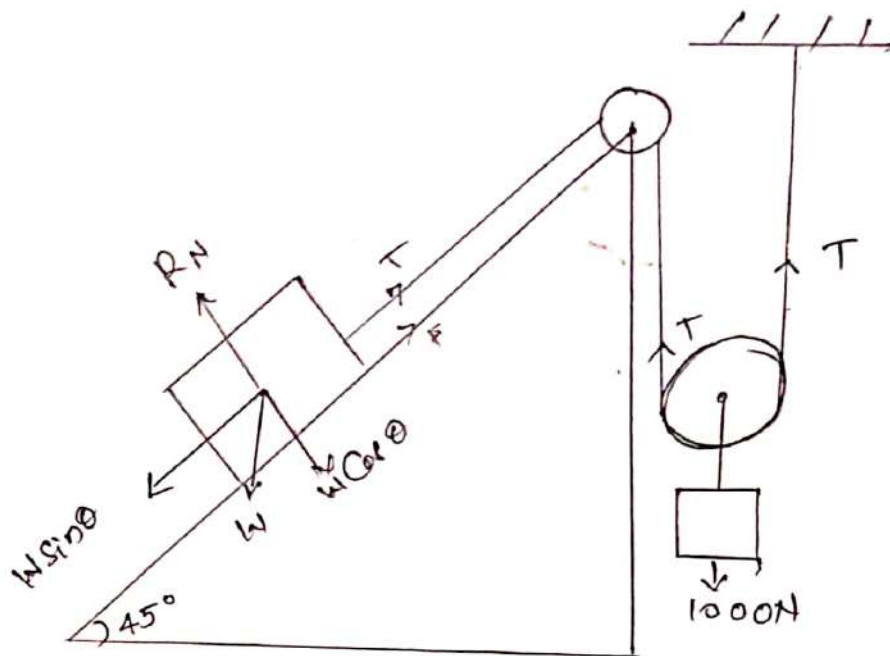
$$= \underline{\underline{-789.473 \text{ Nm}}}$$

$$M_y = -xF_z + zF_x$$

$$= -4 \times \frac{|P| \times -3}{\sqrt{67}} + \frac{1 \times |P| \times -7}{\sqrt{67}}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{-842.105 \text{ Nm}}}$$





Force on  $M_1$ ,

$$1000 - 2T = \frac{1000}{g} \times a \rightarrow (1)$$

Consider  $M_2$ ,

$$T - 1500 \sin 45 - 0.2 \times 1500 \cos 45 = \frac{1500}{g} \times 2a \rightarrow (2)$$

By solving (1) & (2)

$$T - 848.5281 = \frac{3000}{g} \times a$$

$$a = -0.97687 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad (\text{'-'} \text{ indicates accel. is opposite direction})$$

$$\text{Acceleration of } M_1 = 1.95374 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{Acceleration of } M_2 = 0.97687 \text{ m/s}^2$$

From eq: (1),

$$T = 500 - \frac{500}{98} \times 0.97687$$

$$T = 549.7895 \text{ N}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } n &= 1800 \text{ rpm} \\ &= \frac{1800}{60} \text{ rps} \end{aligned}$$

$$n = 30 \text{ rps}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } \omega &= 2\pi n \\ &= 2\pi \times 30 \\ &= 60\pi \text{ rad/s} \end{aligned}$$

Initially, the rotor accelerates for  $t = 5 \text{ s}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then, } \theta &= \left( \frac{\omega_0 + \omega_f}{2} \right) t \\ &= \left( \frac{0 + 60\pi}{2} \right) 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\theta = 150\pi \text{ rad}$$

then number of revolutions made during acceleration

$$n = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} = \frac{150\pi}{2\pi} = \underline{\underline{75}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) Here, } \omega_0 &= 2\pi \times 30 \text{ rad/s} \\ &= 60\pi \text{ rad/s} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \omega_f = 0$$

The rotor decelerates for  $t = 7.5 \text{ s}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } \theta &= \left( \frac{\omega_0 + \omega_f}{2} \right) 7.5 \\ &= \left( \frac{60\pi + 0}{2} \right) 7.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\theta = 225\pi$$

$\therefore$  the number of revolutions made during deceleration

$$n = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} = \frac{225\pi}{2\pi} = \underline{\underline{112.5}}$$

Also, we know

$$\omega_f = \omega_0 + \alpha t$$

here,  $0 = 60\pi + \alpha \cdot 7.5$

$$\frac{-60\pi}{7.5} = \alpha$$

Deceleration value,  $\alpha = -8\pi \text{ rad/s}^2$

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a) here,  $x = 0.015 \text{ m}$

$$m_1 = 1.75 \text{ kg}$$

but  $m_1 g = kx$

i.e.,  $k = \frac{m_1 g}{x}$

$$= \frac{1.75 \times 9.81}{0.015} = 1144.5 \text{ N/m}$$

$$f = 3 \text{ Hz}$$

i.e.,  $3 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$

$$9 = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \frac{k}{m}$$

$$m = \frac{k}{4\pi^2 \cdot 9} = \frac{1144.5}{4 \times (3.14)^2 \cdot 9}$$

$$\underline{\underline{m = 3.22 \text{ kg}}}$$



b) when  $v = 8 \text{ m/s}$ ,  $x = 1 \text{ m}$

when  $v = 4 \text{ m/s}$ ,  $x = 2 \text{ m}$

we know,  $v = \omega \sqrt{A^2 - x^2}$

then  $8 = \omega \sqrt{A^2 - 1^2}$  - - - [1]

$4 = \omega \sqrt{A^2 - 2^2}$  - - - [2]

Dividing eqn. [1] by [2]

$$\frac{8}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{A^2 - 1^2}}{\sqrt{A^2 - 2^2}}$$

Squaring both sides

$$4 = \frac{A^2 - 1}{A^2 - 4}$$

$$4A^2 - 16 = A^2 - 1$$

$$3A^2 = 15$$

$$\underline{A = \sqrt{5} \text{ m}}$$

① Amplitude,  $A = \sqrt{5} \text{ m} = \underline{2.23 \text{ m}}$

Substituting value of 'A' in eqn. [1]

$$8 = \omega \sqrt{5 - 1}$$

$$8 = \omega \times 2$$

$$\omega = 4 \text{ rad/s}$$

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T_p} \Rightarrow T_p = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{4}$$

②  $T_p = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ s} = \underline{1.57 \text{ s}}$

(c) Max. velocity  $v_{max} = \omega A$   
 $= 4\sqrt{5}$   
 $= \underline{\underline{8.94 \text{ m/s}}}$

(d) Max. acceleration  $a_{max} = \omega^2 A$   
 $= 4^2 \sqrt{5}$   
 $= \underline{\underline{35.68 \text{ m/s}^2}}$

