

③ Demonstrate that if  $\theta = 90^\circ$ ,  
the free-body diagram,  
net force,  
and acceleration are  
identical to that for  
a block in free-fall

- A block of mass  $m$  is on a frictionless  
ramp with ~~an~~ angle of incline  $\theta$ .

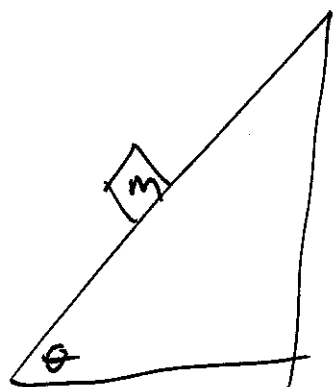
① - Draw a free-body diagram for the  
block in terms of  $\theta$ , ~~and~~  $g$ , and  $m$ .

② - Determine the net force acting on  
the block in terms of  $\theta$ ,  $g$ , and  $m$ .

③ - Determine the acceleration of the  
block in terms of  $\theta$  and  $g$ .

④ - ~~Prove~~ Demonstrate that if  $\theta = 0$ ,  
the free-body diagram, net force and acceleration  
are identical to that of a box at rest on a flat surface

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- A block of mass  $m$  is on a ramp with angle of incline  $\theta$ .

The surface of the ramp and block have a coefficient of kinetic friction  $\mu_k$ .

- Determine

(a) Draw a free-body diagram of the block in terms of  $m$ ,  $g$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $\mu_k$ .

(b) Determine the net force acting on the block in terms of  $m$ ,  $g$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $\mu_k$ .

(c) Determine the acceleration of the block in terms of  $g$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $\mu_k$ .

(d) - Demonstrate that if  $\mu_k = 0$ , the free-body diagram, net force, and acceleration are identical to that of a block on a frictionless ramp (the previous problem).