

# Problem Solving II MECHANICS

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### **Overview: Problem Solving Mechanics**



- 1. Summary of key ideas
- 2. Have a go at the questions
- 3. Vote for the questions you would most like to discuss.

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### **Key formulae**



#### **Physics**

Newton's First Law:  $\sum \vec{F} = 0$ 

Newton's Second Law:  $\sum \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$ 

Friction,  $f_S \leq \mu N$ 

Average speed,  $v = \frac{d}{t}$ 

Average acceleration,  $a = \frac{\Delta v}{t}$ 

Momentum: *mv* 

SUVAT:  $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$ 

Moment,  $G = Fr_{\perp}$ 

#### **Physics**

Work done,  $W = Fx = \vec{F} \cdot \vec{x}$ 

Kinetic Energy,  $K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ 

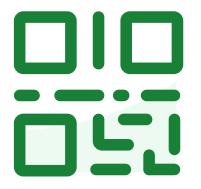
Elastic Potential Energy,  $EPE = \frac{1}{2}ke^2$ 

Gravitational Potential Energy: GPE = mgh

SHM acceleration,  $a = -\omega^2 x = -\omega^2 [\cos(\omega t + \phi)]$ 

#### **Maths**

SOH | CAH | TOA (right-angled triangle)



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## Which of the following questions would you most like to discuss?

