

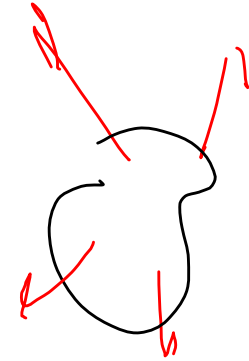
# Chap 9 Systems of particles

$$\vec{F} = m \vec{a}$$

$$\vec{F}_{\text{net ext}} = M \vec{a}_{\text{cm}}$$

Total  
mass

$$\vec{p} = m \vec{v} \quad \vec{P} = \sum \vec{p}_i$$



Isolated system  
No net ext force

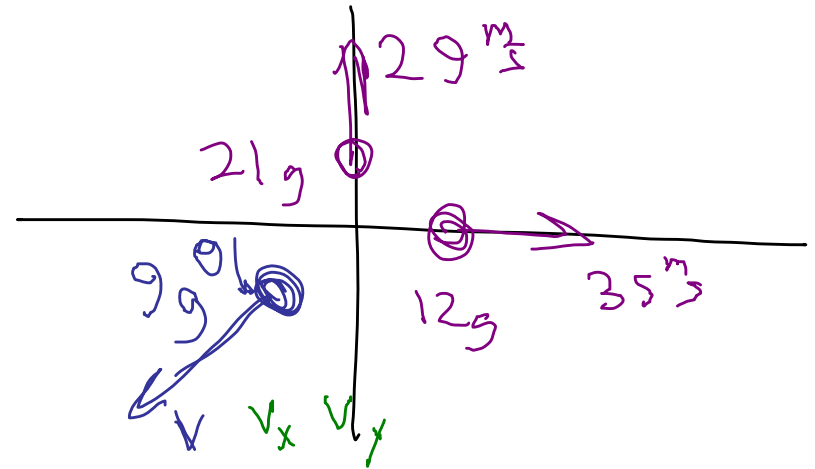
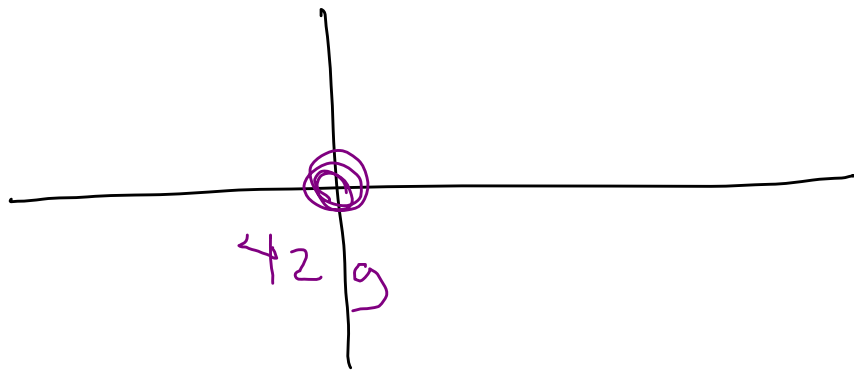
$\vec{P}$  is conserved (stays same)

9.26



total momentum conserved

9.50 A 42g firecracker at rest at origin explodes into 3 pieces. Mass 12g moves along x axis at  $35 \frac{m}{s}$ . 21g piece moves along y axis at  $29 \frac{m}{s}$ . Find velocity of 3rd piece.



Isolated  
 $\vec{P}$  is conserved.

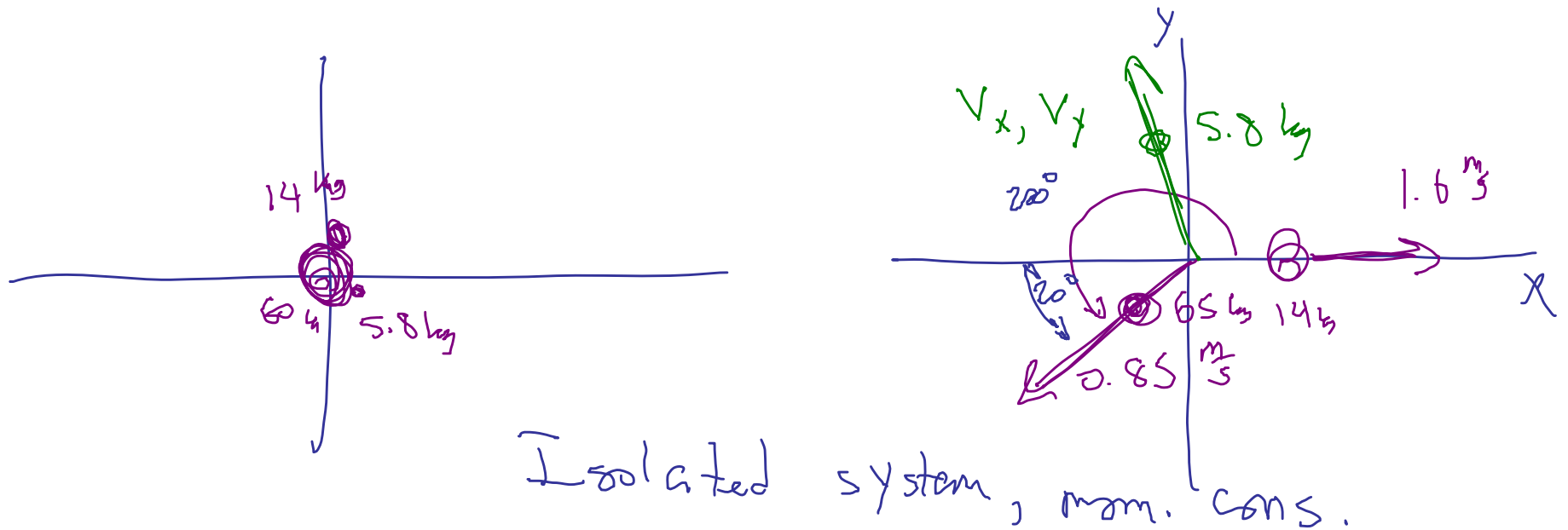
$$P_x: \quad P_x = 0 = (9g)(v_x) + (12g)(35 \frac{m}{s})$$

$$v_x = -46.7 \frac{m}{s}$$

$$P_y: \quad P_y = 0 = (9g)(v_y) + (21g)(29 \frac{m}{s})$$

$$v_y = -67.7 \frac{m}{s}$$

9.51 A 60 kg astronaut simultaneously tosses 14 kg tank and 5.8 kg camera. Tank moves in  $x$ -direction at  $1.6 \frac{m}{s}$ . Astronaut recoils in dir  $200^\circ$  ccw from  $x$ -axis at  $0.85 \frac{m}{s}$ . Find camera's velocity.

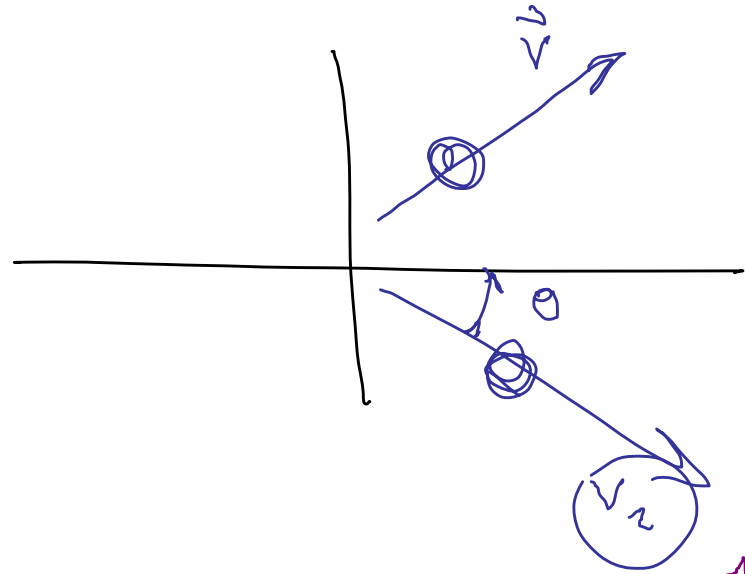
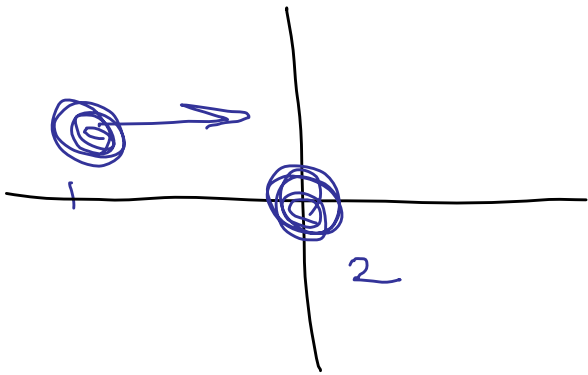


$$P_x \text{ cons: } 0 = (14 \text{ kg})(1.6 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) + (60 \text{ kg})(0.85 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) \underbrace{(-1) \cos 20^\circ}_{\cos 200^\circ \text{ or whatever}} + (5.8 \text{ kg}) v_x$$

$$\Rightarrow v_x = 4.40 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$P_y \text{ cons: } 0 = (0.85 \text{ kg})(-0.85 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \sin 20^\circ) + (5.8 \text{ kg}) v_y$$

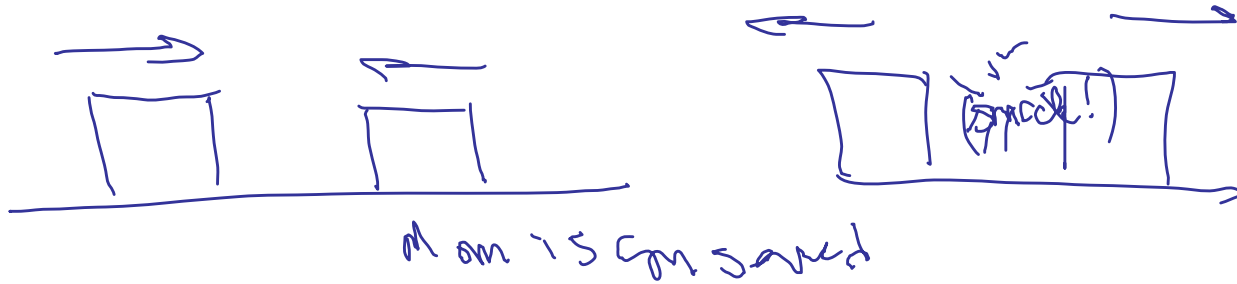
$$v_y = 3.01 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \quad \text{You figure out } v_y \text{ } 0$$



Momentum is cons'd.

Find unknown things.

More about collisions.



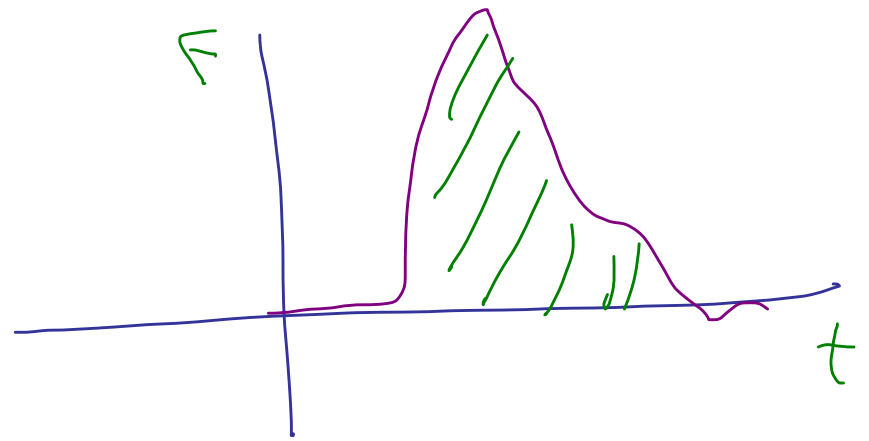
$$\Delta p_x$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = F$$

$$\int_{\text{collis}} dp = \int_{\text{collis}} F(t) dt$$

$$\Delta p_x = \int_{\text{collis}} F(t) dt$$

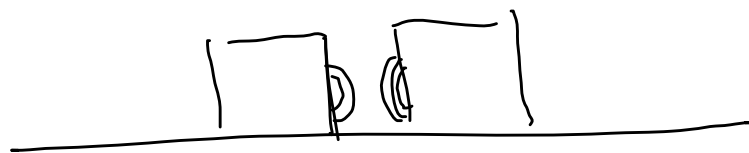
Change in momentum



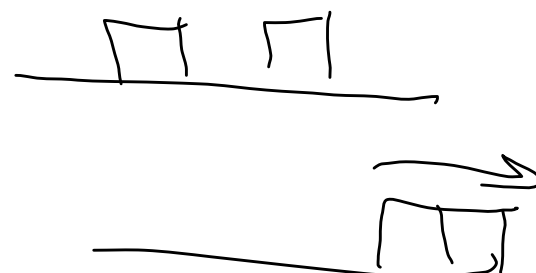
= Impulse =  $J_x$

$$J_x = \int F(t) dt = \Delta p_x$$

Area under  $F$  vs.  $t$   
curve.



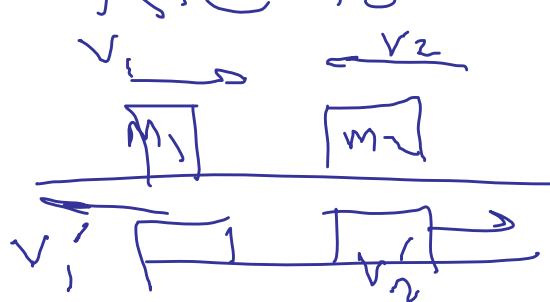
Spring contact.



In that case. Mom. cons'd  
Energy cons'd also

In general, <sup>K.</sup> energy is not inelastic

K.E. is cons'd elastic collision.



$$m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 = m_1 v_1' + m_2 v_2'$$

If it's elastic then

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

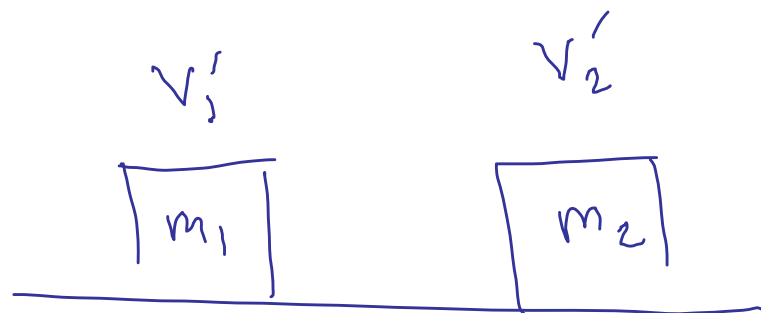
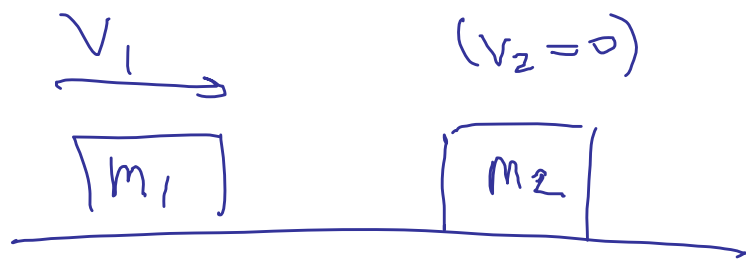


p. 145-146

Gives answer on p. 146

$$V_1' = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{m_1 + m_2} V_1 + \frac{2m_2}{m_1 + m_2} V_2$$

$$V_2' = - \quad - \quad - \quad -$$



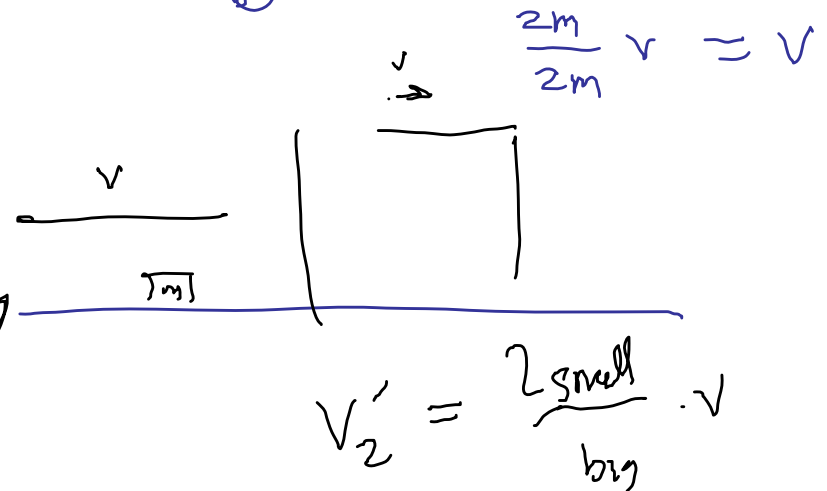
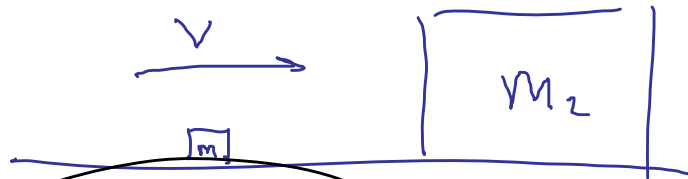
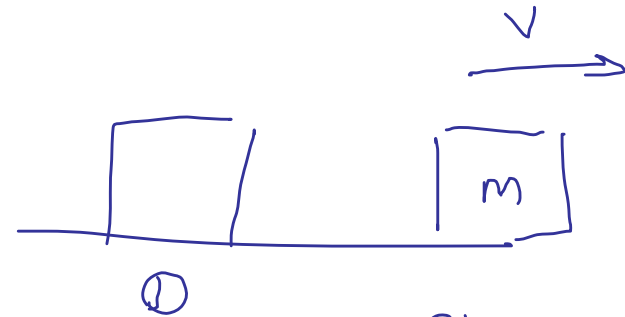
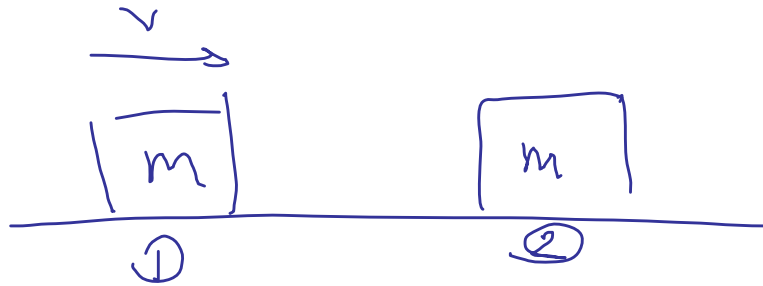
elastic collision.

Get:

$$V_1' = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{m_1 + m_2} V_1$$

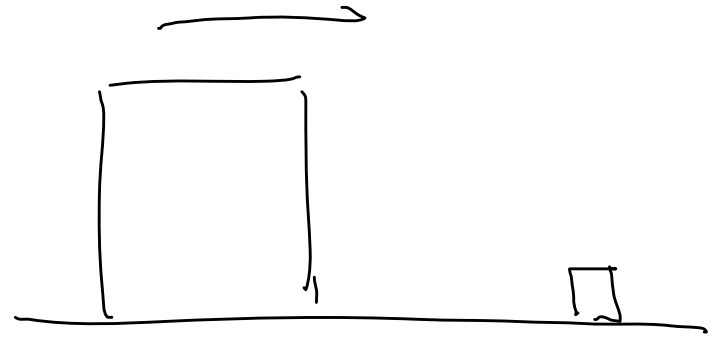
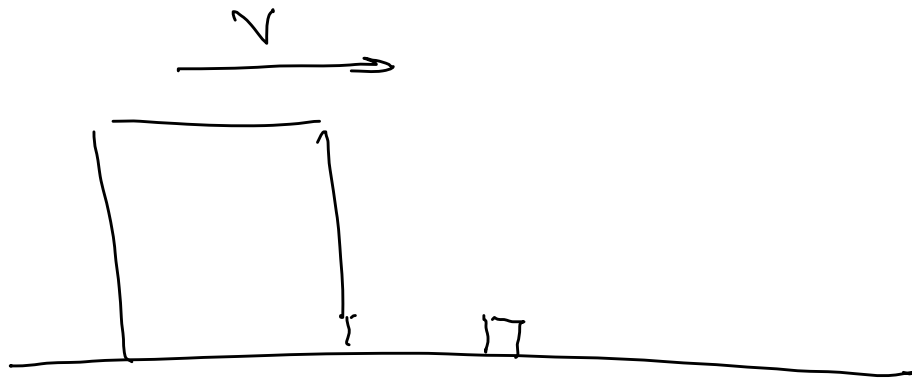
$$V_2' = \frac{2m_1}{m_1 + m_2} V_1$$

Both masses are same



$$V_1' = \frac{0 - m_2}{0 + m_2} V_1 = -V_1$$

$$V_2' = \frac{2 \text{ small}}{\text{big}} \cdot v$$



$$\frac{m_1 - \cancel{m_2}}{m_1 + \cancel{m_2}}$$

$$v_r = v_1$$

$$v_2''$$

$$\frac{2\cancel{M}}{\bullet \cancel{M}} v$$

$$= 2v$$