End-Semester Test (AY20/21 S2)

EP0605 - Advanced Physics

Time Allowed: 1½ hour

Instructions to Candidates

Max Marks: 100

- 1. All the Singapore Polytechnic examination rules must be strictly adhered to.
- 2. This paper consists of **6** questions.
- 3. Answer all the questions in this question booklet. All working must be shown.
- 4. This paper consists of **8** pages (inclusive of the cover page).
- 5. Fill in your personal particulars below.

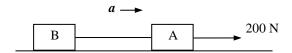
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- 1. An object of mass 0.0200 kg is moving in a plane. The x and y coordinates (measured in metres) of the object are given by $x(t) = t^3 t^2$ and $y(t) = 4t^3 + t$ where all quantities are in SI units.
 - a) Find the x- and y- components of the object's velocity.
 - b) At t = 2.00 s, find the x- and y- components of the object's acceleration.
 - c) At t = 2.00 s, find the magnitude and direction of the net force acting on the object.
 - d) What is the total work done on the object between t = 0 and t = 2.00 s?

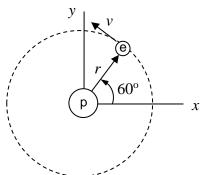
2. The below diagram shows two objects A and B connected by a string. Object A is towed by a 200 N horizontal force to the right. The mass of A is 20 kg while that of B is 10 kg. The coefficient of kinetic friction for both objects is 0.50. The initial velocity of both objects is zero.



- a) Draw the free body diagrams of A and B.
- b) Determine the tension in the string between A and B and acceleration of the two objects.
- c) Determine the velocity of A and B when t = 5.0 s.

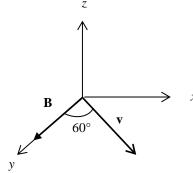
- 3. The electron and proton in a hydrogen atom are separated by an average distance of 5.3×10^{-11} m. Assume the electron orbits with uniform circular motion.
 - a) What is the magnitude of the electric force on the electron?
 - b) What is the electron's speed?
 - c) If the electron's obit is on the x-y plane, express the electron's instantaneous velocity at the position shown in the below figure in terms of unit vectors \mathbf{i} and \mathbf{j} .

(17 marks)



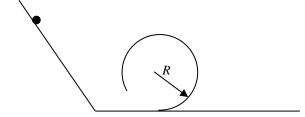
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4. A proton moves at 2.0×10^5 m/s through a uniform magnetic field with a magnitude 1.5 T. The magnetic field is directed along the positive y-axis as shown in the below figure. The velocity of the proton is in the x-y plane at an angle of 60° to the positive y-axis.



- a) Express the velocity and the magnetic field in terms of unit vectors.
- b) Find the force on the proton.

5. In the below figure, an object starts from rest at a certain height on an inclined plane. Once it reaches the bottom of the inclined plane, it moves in a straight line when it encounters a circular loop of radius *R*. There is no friction anywhere in the journey. The mass of the object is *m* and the acceleration due to gravity is *g*. Ignore rolling for the object. Express your answers in *m*, *R* and *g*.



- a) Draw the free body diagram for the object at the bottom of the circular loop as well as the top of the circular loop.
- b) What is the minimum speed that the object can have at the top of the loop if it is to complete the loop without leaving the track?
- c) Hence, calculate the minimum speed of the object at the bottom of the loop with which it can successfully make it around the circular loop.
- d) What is the minimum height at which the object must start on the inclined plane to successfully make it around the circular loop?

- 6. A point charge q = -9.00 nC is located at the origin. The electric field due to this charge is $\mathbf{E} = (7.80 \, \mathbf{i} + 10.4 \, \mathbf{j})$ N/C at a certain point X. $[1 \, \text{nC} = 10^{-9} \, \text{C}]$.
 - a) Find the coordinates of point X.
 - b) Find the electric potential at point X.

(15 marks)

Formula sheet

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \underline{\textbf{Kinematics}} \\ v_x = v_{0x} + a_x t \\ v_x^2 = v_{0x}^2 + 2a_x (x - x_0) \\ x = x_0 + v_{0x} t + \frac{1}{2} a_x t^2 \\ \vec{v} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}, \quad \vec{a} = \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} \\ y = (tan\theta)x - (\frac{g}{2v^2 \cos^2 \theta}) \\ R = \frac{v^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} \\ \vec{F} = m \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = m\vec{a}, F = \mu N \\ a = \frac{dv}{dt}, \quad a = \frac{v^2}{r}, F = m \frac{v^2}{r} \\ W = \int \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}, W_{net} = K_f \\ W = \frac{dV}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = K_f \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = K_f \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt}, W_{net} = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W = \frac{dW}{dt} \\ W$$