2 One end of a light elastic string of natural length $0.8\,\text{m}$ and modulus of elasticity $36\,\text{N}$ is attached to a fixed point O on a smooth plane. The plane is inclined at an angle α to the horizontal, where $\sin\alpha = \frac{3}{5}$. A particle P of mass $2\,\text{kg}$ is attached to the other end of the string. The string lies along a line of greatest slope of the plane with the particle below the level of O. The particle is projected with speed $\sqrt{2}\,\text{m\,s}^{-1}$ directly down the plane from the position where OP is equal to the natural length of the string.

Find the maximum extension of the string during the subsequent motion. [5]