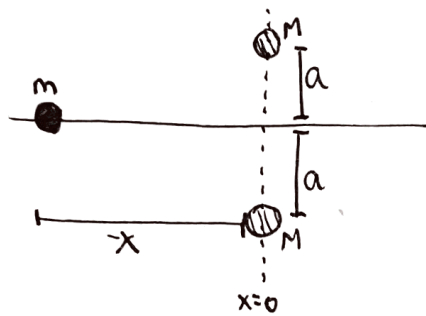


# PROBLEM 1. (K&K 5.13)



(a) To find the potential energy we must find the distance between  $m$  and  $M$ .

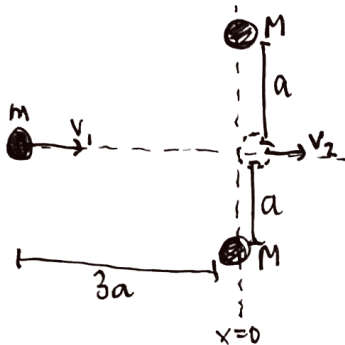
$$d^2 = a^2 + x^2 \rightarrow d = \sqrt{a^2 + x^2}$$

Now, since potential energy in a gravitational field is given by:

$$U(r) = -G \frac{Mm}{r}$$

We can write it in terms of  $d$ , and since there are 2 masses, we times by 2.

$$U(x) = -2G \frac{Mm}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}}$$



(b) Energy at  $t=0$  :  $\frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 - 2 \frac{GMm}{\sqrt{a^2 + 9a^2}} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 - \frac{2GMm}{\sqrt{10} \cdot a}$

Energy at origin :  $\frac{1}{2}mv_2^2 - 2 \frac{GMm}{a}$

Due to conservation of energy :  $\frac{1}{2}mv_1^2 - 2 \frac{GMm}{a\sqrt{10}} = \frac{1}{2}mv_2^2 - 2 \frac{GMm}{a}$

$$\rightarrow \frac{v_1^2}{2} - 2 \frac{GM}{a\sqrt{10}} = \frac{v_2^2}{2} - 2 \frac{GM}{a} \rightarrow v_2^2 = v_1^2 - 4 \frac{GM}{a\sqrt{10}} + 4 \frac{GM}{a} = v_1^2 - 4 \frac{GM}{a} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} - 1 \right)$$

$$\therefore v_2 = \sqrt{v_1^2 - 4 \frac{GM}{a} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} - 1 \right)} \Rightarrow v_2 = \sqrt{v_1^2 + 2.735 \frac{GM}{a}}$$

## PROBLEM 2 (kx 5.14)

(a) One of the forces,  $F_1$ , is an attractive force:

$$F_1 = -B$$

Using the work-energy theorem,  $U^1(x) - U^1(0) = - \int_0^x F_1 dx' = Bx' \Big|_0^x$

$$\therefore \boxed{U^1(x) = U^1(0) + Bx}$$

The other force,  $F_2$ , is an repulsive force:

$$F_2 = \frac{A}{x^2}$$

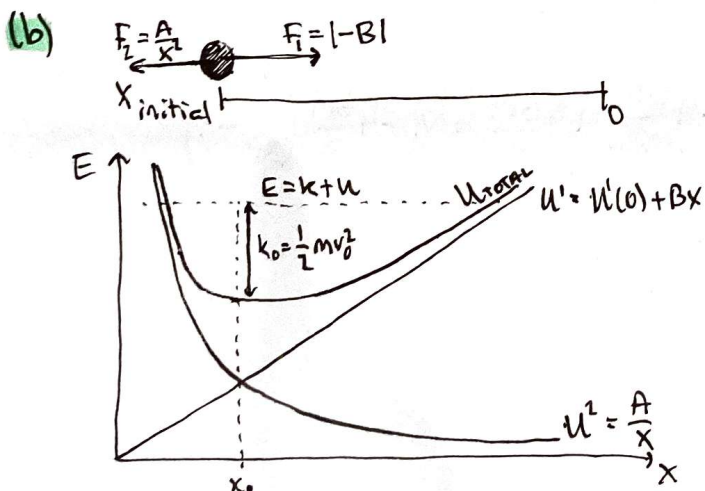
Since it repels, it will keep repelling from  $x_{\text{initial}}$  to infinity. Using the work and energy theorem:

$$U^2(x) - U^2(\infty) = - \int_{\infty}^x \frac{A}{x'^2} dx' = \frac{A}{x} \text{ as } U^2(\infty) \rightarrow 0, \text{ since } x \rightarrow \infty.$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \boxed{U^2(x) = \frac{A}{x}}$$

Now the total potential will be the one from the repulsive force and the one from the attractive force added together:

$$\boxed{U_{\text{TOTAL}}(x) = Bx + \frac{A}{x}}$$

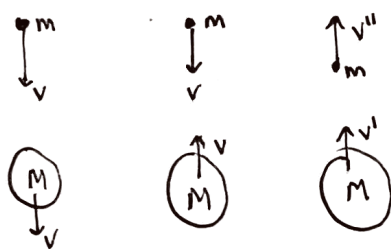


(c) At the equilibrium position,  $F_1 = F_2$ . Therefore,  $B = \frac{A}{x_0^2} \rightarrow \boxed{x_0 = \sqrt{\frac{A}{B}}}$

We could also calculate  $\frac{dU_{\text{TOTAL}}}{dx}$  and find its minimum value.

### PROBLEM 3 (Kk. 6.5)

The collision has 3 steps to it.



Stage 1      Stage 2      Stage 3

- In stage 1, both masses are falling, and are close but slightly separated.
- In stage 2, the large ball has collided, and  $m$  keeps falling since the collision is elastic,  $v$  for  $M$  is reversed.
- In stage 3,  $m$  collides with  $M$ , changing both velocities.

Due to the characteristics of the stages, analysis of stage 1 is the same as that of Stage 2. Now, apply COE and COM to come up with relationships between the masses:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \text{Momentum Stage 2} &= Mv - mv \\ \text{Momentum Stage 3} &= Mv' + mv'' \end{aligned} \right\} m(v'' + v) = M(v - v')$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \text{Kinetic Energy Stage 2} &= \frac{1}{2}Mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}mv^2 \\ \text{Kinetic Energy Stage 3} &= \frac{1}{2}M(v')^2 + \frac{1}{2}m(v'')^2 \end{aligned} \right\} M(v^2 - (v')^2) = m((v'')^2 - v^2)$$

Now, expand and combine both equations:

$$m((v'')^2 - v^2) = m(v'' - v)(v'' + v) = M(v - v')(v + v') \rightarrow \cancel{M(v - v')}(v'' - v) = \cancel{M(v - v')}(v + v')$$

$$\begin{aligned} v'' - v &= v + v' \rightarrow \text{Since } m \ll M, \\ v'' &= v' + 2v \quad v' \approx v. \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore v'' = 3v$$

Now, since using kinematics we can know that  $h = \frac{v^2}{2g}$ , we can say that  $h'$  is the distance  $m$  will go up after the collision.

$$h' = \frac{(v'')^2}{2g} = \frac{9v^2}{2g} = \boxed{9h}$$

Therefore, the mass  $m$  goes up a height equivalent to 9 times its original height.

## PROBLEM 4

(Superballs)

In problem 3, we found that  $v''$  can be written as  $v'' = 2v + v'$ , and since  $M$  was much larger than  $m$ ,  $v' = v$ , so  $v''$  was  $3v$ . What's going on here is that mass  $M$  bounces back with a velocity  $v$ . When  $M$  collides with  $m$ , it gives it a ~~sp~~ velocity of  $3v$ . If there was a third ball, the second ball would give it a velocity of  $7v$ , and so on for the amount of balls. We can deduce that the velocity of the  $n$ -th ball will be:

$$V_{Bn} = V_{B1} (2^n - 1) \quad \leftarrow \text{This matches the cases we know of.}$$

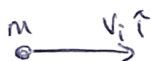
For  $V_{Bn}$  to be the earth's escape velocity, we can substitute  $V_{Bn}$  to be  $\sqrt{2gR_e}$ , and  $V_{B1}$  to be  $\sqrt{2gh}$ , since this is the velocity of  $B_1$  if it falls a height  $h$ . Therefore, we have:

$$\sqrt{2gR_e} = \sqrt{2gh} (2^n - 1) \rightarrow 2^n = 1 + \sqrt{\frac{R_e}{h}} \rightarrow n = \log_2 \left( 1 + \sqrt{\frac{R_e}{h}} \right)$$

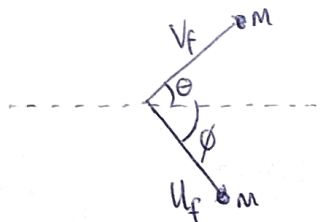
## PROBLEM 5

(Pool Hall)

(a)



$m$



$$\vec{p}_{\text{initial}} = m v_i \hat{i}$$

$$\vec{p}_{\text{after}} = m(u_f \cos \phi + v_f \cos \theta) \hat{i} + m(v_f \sin \theta - u_f \sin \phi) \hat{j}$$

Since C.O.M. applies individually to each dimension, we get:

$$v_i = u_f \cos \phi + v_f \cos \theta$$

$$v_f \sin \theta = u_f \sin \phi$$

Now, using C.O.E  $\rightarrow \frac{1}{2} m v_i^2 = \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2 + \frac{1}{2} m u_f^2 \rightarrow v_i = \sqrt{u_f^2 + v_f^2}$ . We now have:

$$v_f \sin \theta = u_f \sin \phi$$

$$\sqrt{u_f^2 + v_f^2} = u_f \cos \phi + v_f \cos \theta$$

Since we have two equations / 4 unknowns, we can only solve 2 of them in terms of the others.

An unknown variable is  $\theta$  or  $\phi$ .



## PROBLEM 5 (CONTINUED)

(Pool Hall)

(b)

Now, if we square both the equations we got for momentum, we find that:

$$\vec{p}_{\text{initial}}^2 = v_f^2 + u_f^2$$

$$p_{\text{final}}^2 = (u_f \cos \phi + v_f \cos \theta)^2 + (v_f \sin \theta - u_f \sin \phi)^2$$

} we are omitting the masses and the component vectors.

Now, expanding and applying C.O.M, we get:

$$v_f^2 + u_f^2 = u_f^2 \cos^2 \phi + v_f^2 \cos^2 \theta + 2v_f u_f \cos \theta \cos \phi + v_f^2 \sin^2 \theta + u_f^2 \sin^2 \phi - 2u_f v_f \sin \theta \sin \phi$$

Now, since  $\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$ , we can find that:

$$v_f^2 + u_f^2 = v_f^2 + u_f^2 + 2v_f u_f (\cos \theta \cos \phi - \sin \theta \sin \phi)$$

$\therefore \cos \theta \cos \phi - \sin \theta \sin \phi = 0 = \cos(\phi + \theta)$  due to trig. expressions.

If  $\cos(\theta + \phi) = 0$ ,  $\boxed{(\theta + \phi) = \pi/2}$

From this we know that  $\sin(\theta) = \cos(\phi)$  and  $\sin(\phi) = \cos(\theta)$

Using the momentum y-equation, we find that:

$$v_f = \frac{u_f \sin \phi}{\sin \theta} \quad u_f = \frac{v_f \sin \theta}{\sin \phi}$$

Now, plugging into the x-momentum equation, we get:

$$v_i = u_f \cos \phi + \frac{u_f \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta} = u_f \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \rightarrow \boxed{u_f = v_i \sin \theta}$$

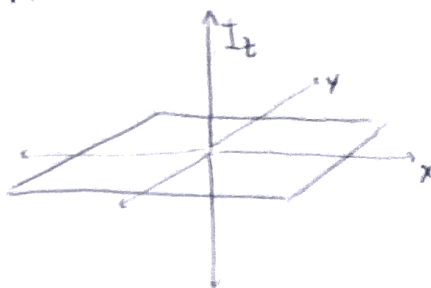
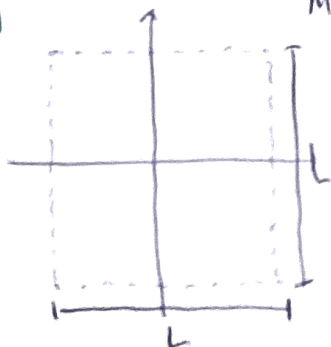
$$v_i = v_f \cos \theta + \frac{v_f \cos^2 \phi}{\sin \phi} = v_f \frac{1}{\sin \phi} \rightarrow \boxed{v_f = v_i \sin \phi}$$

where  $v_i = \sqrt{v_f^2 + u_f^2}$

## PROBLEM 6

(a)

Mass =  $M$



$$I_z = \sum_{n=1}^N \Delta m r^2 \quad \dots \text{ as } \Delta m \rightarrow 0, \rightarrow I_z = \int r^2 dm$$

or  $N \rightarrow \infty$

Now, we must express  $r^2$  and  $dm$  in cartesian coordinates to integrate.

$$\text{If } \sigma = \frac{M}{L^2}, \quad dm = \frac{M}{L^2} ds = \frac{M}{L^2} dx dy$$

Also, since  $r$  is the distance to a point in the  $x$ - $y$  plane,  $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} I_z &= \frac{M}{L^2} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} (x^2 + y^2) dx dy = \frac{M}{L^2} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} \left[ \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} (x^2 dy + y^2 dy) \right] dx \\ &= \frac{M}{L^2} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} \left[ x^2 y + \frac{y^3}{3} \right]_{-L/2}^{L/2} dx = \frac{M}{L^2} \int_{-L/2}^{L/2} \left( x^2 L + \frac{L^3}{12} \right) dx = \frac{M}{L^2} \left( \frac{Lx^3}{3} + \frac{L^3 x}{12} \right)_{-L/2}^{L/2} \\ &= \frac{M}{L^2} \cdot \left( \frac{L^4}{6} \right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{6} M L^2} \end{aligned}$$

(b) The Parallel Axis Theorem states that  $I_{\text{new}, z} = I_{\text{original}, z} + M d^2$ .

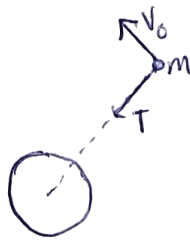
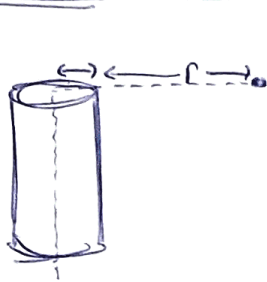
For this case,  $d^2 = x^2 + y^2$ .

$$\therefore I_{\text{new}} = I_{\text{original}} + M(x^2 + y^2) = \frac{1}{6} M L^2 + M(x^2 + y^2)$$

$$\boxed{I_{\text{new}} = M \left( \frac{L^2}{6} + x^2 + y^2 \right)}$$

# PROBLEM 7 (KK 7.13)

(a)



The quantity that's conserved is angular momentum, because ~~torque~~ tension is radial and can't exert a torque on m. Since there is an external force to the system acting on it, momentum and mechanical energy aren't conserved.

Angular momentum at  $t=0 = mv_0 r$

Angular momentum when m reaches post  $= mv_f R$

Apply C.O.A.M  $\rightarrow mv_f R = mv_0 r \rightarrow \boxed{v_f = v_0 \frac{r}{R}}$

(b)



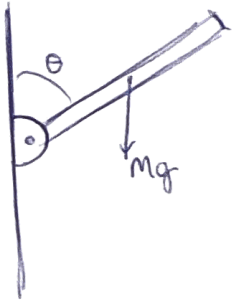
Since the angle between m and the pole changes all the time and radius vector  $\vec{r}$  isn't perpendicular to  $\vec{p}$ ,  $\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p} \neq 0$ , so Angular Momentum isn't conserved. Since there's an  $\vec{F}_{ext} \neq 0$ , momentum isn't conserved. However, since  $\vec{F}_{ext}$  is perpendicular to  $v_0$ , no work is being done, so Mechanical Energy is conserved.

Mechanical Energy at  $t=0 = \frac{1}{2} m v_0^2$

Energy when m reaches post  $= \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2$

Therefore,  $\boxed{v_f = v_0}$

# PROBLEM 8 (KK 7.20)



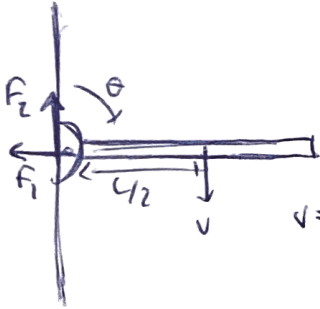
$$\tau = I\alpha = I\ddot{\theta} = mg\frac{l}{2} \rightarrow I = \frac{1}{3}Ml^2$$

$$\ddot{\theta} = \frac{Mgl}{2I} = \frac{3g}{2l} \text{ when } \theta = \pi/2$$

--- we can see that here,  $\ddot{\theta} = \dot{\theta}^2$

$$Mg - F_2 = M\frac{l}{2}\ddot{\theta} = \frac{3}{4}Mg \rightarrow F_2 = \frac{1}{4}Mg$$

$$F_1 = \frac{2Mu^2}{l} = M\frac{l}{2}\dot{\theta}^2$$



$$v = \frac{l}{2}\omega = \frac{l}{2}\dot{\theta}$$

$$\text{Energy}_{\text{initial}} = Mg\frac{l}{2}\sin(30) = Mg\frac{l}{4}$$

$$\text{Energy}_{\text{at } 90^\circ} = \frac{1}{2}I\dot{\theta}^2$$

$$\therefore Mg\frac{l}{4} = \frac{1}{2}I\dot{\theta}^2 \rightarrow \dot{\theta}^2 = \frac{Mgl}{I} = \frac{3g}{2l}$$

$$\therefore F_1 = M\frac{l}{2} \cdot \frac{3g}{2l} = \boxed{\frac{3}{4}Mg} \text{ is the horizontal force normal to the vertical axis.}$$



# PROBLEM 9 (KK 7.23)

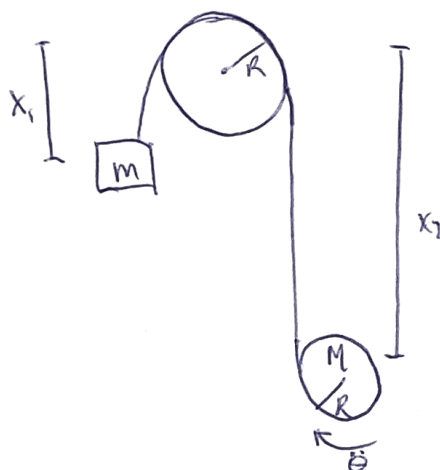
(a) Constraint equation:

At  $t=0$ , the length of the tape is  $\pi R + x_1 + x_2$ .

However, with time, it increases at a rate of  $R\dot{\theta}$ .

Therefore:

$$\pi R + x_1 + x_2 = \text{constant length} + R\dot{\theta}$$



Second Derivative:

$$\ddot{x}_1 + \ddot{x}_2 = R\ddot{\theta} \quad \text{--- substitute the variables given in the problem} \rightarrow \boxed{a + A = R\alpha}$$

(b)

$$mg - T = ma$$

$$Mg - T = MA$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2}MR\alpha \rightarrow R\alpha = \frac{2T}{M} = a + A$$

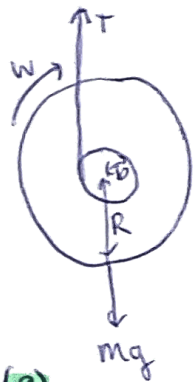
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{2T}{M} = \left( \frac{mg - T}{m} \right) + \left( \frac{Mg - T}{M} \right) = \left( g - \frac{T}{m} \right) + \left( g - \frac{T}{M} \right) \\ \frac{3T}{M} + \frac{T}{m} = 2g \rightarrow T = \frac{2gMm}{3m + M} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$A = g - \frac{T}{M} \rightarrow A = g - \frac{2gM}{3m + M} \rightarrow \boxed{A = \frac{g(M + m)}{3m + M}}$$

$$a = g - \frac{T}{m} \rightarrow a = g - \frac{2mg}{3m + M} \rightarrow \boxed{a = \frac{3m - M}{3m + M}g}$$

$$R\alpha = \frac{2T}{M} = \boxed{\frac{4mg}{3m + M}}$$

# PROBLEM 10 (Kk 7.29)



Mass =  $M$

Moment of Inertia =  $\frac{1}{2}MR^2$

The equations of motion are independent of whether the yoyo is ascending or descending.

$$Mg - T = Mb\alpha$$

$$bT = \frac{1}{2}MR^2\alpha$$

let Acceleration of the yoyo be denoted by  $A = b\alpha$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} Mg - T &= MA \rightarrow MA = Mg - T \\ \text{and } bT &= \frac{1}{2}MR^2 \frac{A}{b} \rightarrow MA = \frac{2b^2T}{R^2} \end{aligned} \right\} Mg - T = \frac{2b^2T}{R^2} = MA$$

$$Mg = MA + T \rightarrow Mg = \frac{2b^2T}{R^2} + T \rightarrow T = \frac{Mg}{\left(1 + \frac{2b^2}{R^2}\right)} = \boxed{\frac{MgR^2}{2b^2 + R^2}}$$

(b) Using C.O.M, we can find that  $\Delta \vec{p}$  when the yoyo changes direction is  $2Mv$ .

$$2Mv = F_{\text{string}} \Delta t \rightarrow F_{\text{string}} = \frac{2Mv}{\Delta t} = \frac{2Mv\omega}{\pi} = \frac{2Mb\omega^2}{\pi}$$

Now, apply C.O.E.

$$E_f = \frac{1}{2}Mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2 = \frac{1}{2}Mb^2\omega^2 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}MR^2\omega^2 = E_i = Mgh$$

$$\therefore Mgh = \frac{\omega^2}{4}M(R^2 + 2b^2) \rightarrow \omega^2 = \frac{4gh}{R^2 + 2b^2}$$

$$F_{\text{string}} = \frac{2Mb\omega^2}{\pi} = \boxed{\frac{2Mb}{\pi} \left( \frac{4gh}{R^2 + 2b^2} \right)}$$

## PROBLEM 12 (Kk 7.37)

(a) All quantities ( $E_m$ ,  $\vec{p}$  and  $\vec{L}$ ) are conserved.

$$\text{C.O.M} \rightarrow mv_0 = Mv_{\text{plank}} - mv_f$$

$$\text{C.O.E} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 + \frac{1}{2}Mv_{\text{plank}}^2 + \frac{1}{2}I_0\omega^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 + \frac{1}{2}Mv_{\text{plank}}^2 + \frac{1}{6}Ml^2\omega^2$$

$$\text{C.O.A.M} \rightarrow mv_0l = -mv_f l + I_0\omega$$

$$\therefore \omega = \frac{ml(v_0 + v_f)}{I_0} \quad v_{\text{plank}} = \frac{M(v_0 + v_f)}{M}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 + \frac{1}{2}M\frac{m^2}{M^2}(v_0 + v_f)^2 + \frac{1}{2}I_0\frac{m^2 l^2 (v_0 + v_f)^2}{I_0^2}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 + \frac{1}{2}\frac{m^2}{M}(v_0 + v_f)^2 + \frac{1}{2}\frac{m^2 l^2 (v_0 + v_f)^2}{I_0}$$

$$\rightarrow v_0^2 = v_f^2 + \frac{m}{M}(v_0 + v_f)^2 + \frac{ml^2}{I_0}(v_0 + v_f)^2 = v_f^2 + (v_0 + v_f)^2 \left( \frac{m}{M} + \frac{ml^2}{I_0} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow v_0^2 - v_f^2 = (v_0 + v_f)^2 \left( \frac{m}{M} + 3\frac{m}{M} \right) \rightarrow (v_0 + v_f)(v_0 - v_f) = (v_0 + v_f)^2 \left( 4\frac{m}{M} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow v_0 - v_f = v_0 - 4\frac{m}{M} + v_f 4\frac{m}{M} \rightarrow v_0 \left( 1 - 4\frac{m}{M} \right) = v_f \left( 1 + 4\frac{m}{M} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow v_f = \left( \frac{1 - 4\frac{m}{M}}{1 + 4\frac{m}{M}} \right) v_0$$

(b) Momentum isn't conserved. Energy and angular momentum are.

$$\text{C.O.A.M} \rightarrow mv_0(2l) = I_{\text{plank}}\omega - mv_f(2l) \rightarrow \omega = \frac{2ml(v_0 + v_f)}{I_{\text{plank}}}$$

$$I_p = \frac{4}{3}Ml^2 \rightarrow \omega = \frac{2ml(v_0 + v_f)}{\frac{4}{3}Ml^2} = \frac{6ml(v_0 + v_f)}{4Ml^2} = \frac{3m(v_0 + v_f)}{2Ml}$$

$$\text{C.O.E} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv_0^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv_f^2 + \frac{1}{2}I_p\omega^2 \rightarrow mv_0^2 = mv_f^2 + \frac{4Ml^2 \cdot 3^2 m^2 (v_0 + v_f)^2}{3 \cdot 2^2 M^2 l^2}$$

$$\rightarrow mv_0^2 = mv_f^2 + \frac{3m^2(v_0 + v_f)^2}{M} \rightarrow v_f = \left( \frac{1 - \frac{3m}{M}}{1 + \frac{3m}{M}} \right) v_0$$