Problems

- **53. Review.** A rifle bullet with a mass of 12.0 g traveling toward the right at 260 m/s strikes a large bag of sand and penetrates it to a depth of 23.0 cm. Determine the magnitude and direction of the friction force (assumed constant) that acts on the bullet.
- **55.** A 25.0-kg block is initially at rest on a horizontal surface. A horizontal force of 75.0 N is required to set the block in motion, after which a horizontal force of 60.0 N is required to keep the block moving with constant speed. Find (a) the coefficient of static friction and (b) the coefficient of kinetic friction between the block and the surface.
- 59. To meet a U.S. Postal Service requirement, employees' footwear must have a coefficient of static friction of 0.5 or more on a specified tile surface. A typical athletic shoe has a coefficient of static friction of 0.800. In an emergency, what is the minimum time interval in which a person starting from rest can move 3.00 m on the tile surface if she is wearing (a) footwear meeting the Postal Service minimum and (b) a typical athletic shoe?
- **64.** Three objects are connected on a table as shown in Figure P5.64. The coefficient of kinetic friction between the block of mass m_2 and the table is 0.350. The objects have masses of $m_1 = 4.00$ kg, $m_2 = 1.00$ kg, and $m_3 = 2.00$ kg, and the pulleys are frictionless. (a) Draw a free-body diagram of each object. (b) Determine the acceleration of each object, including its direction. (c) Determine the tensions in the two cords. **What If?** (d) If the tabletop were smooth, would the tensions increase, decrease, or remain the same? Explain.



Figure P5.64

65. Two blocks connected by a

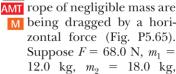




Figure P5.65

and the coefficient of kinetic friction between each block and the surface is 0.100. (a) Draw a free-body diagram for each block. Determine (b) the acceleration of the system and (c) the tension T in the rope.

66. A block of mass 3.00 kg is pushed up against a wall by a force \overrightarrow{P} that makes an angle of $\theta = 50.0^{\circ}$ with the horizontal as shown in Figure P5.66. The coefficient of static friction between the block and the wall is 0.250. (a) Determine the possible values for the magnitude of \overrightarrow{P} that allow the block to remain station-

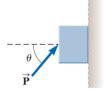


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ary. (b) Describe what happens if $|\vec{\mathbf{P}}|$ has a larger value and what happens if it is smaller. (c) Repeat parts (a) and (b), assuming the force makes an angle of $\theta = 13.0^{\circ}$ with the horizontal.

81. An inventive child named Nick wants to reach an apple in a tree without climbing the tree. Sitting in a chair connected to a rope that passes over a frictionless pulley (Fig. P5.81), Nick pulls on the loose end of the rope with such a force that the spring scale reads 250 N. Nick's true weight is 320 N, and the chair weighs 160 N. Nick's feet are not touching the ground. (a) Draw one pair of diagrams showing the forces for Nick and the chair considered as separate systems and another diagram for Nick and the chair considered as one system. (b) Show that the acceleration of the system is *upward* and find its magnitude. (c) Find the force Nick exerts on the chair.



85. An object of mass M is held in place by an applied force $\vec{\mathbf{F}}$ and a pulley system as shown in Figure P5.85. The pulleys are massless and frictionless. (a) Draw diagrams showing the forces on each pulley. Find (b) the tension in each section of rope, T_1 , T_2 , T_3 , T_4 , and T_5 and (c) the magnitude of $\vec{\mathbf{F}}$.

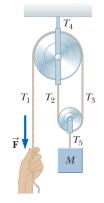


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