

Problems

3. A block of mass 0.250 kg is placed on top of a light, vertical spring of force constant 5 000 N/m and pushed downward so that the spring is compressed by 0.100 m. After the block is released from rest, it travels upward and then leaves the spring. To what maximum height above the point of release does it rise?

4. A 20.0-kg cannonball is fired from a cannon with muzzle speed of 1 000 m/s at an angle of 37.0° with the horizontal. A second ball is fired at an angle of 90.0° . Use the isolated system model to find (a) the maximum height reached by each ball and (b) the total mechanical energy of the ball–Earth system at the maximum height for each ball. Let $y = 0$ at the cannon.

5. **Review.** A bead slides without friction around a loop-the-loop (Fig. P8.5). The bead is released from rest at a height $h = 3.50R$. (a) What

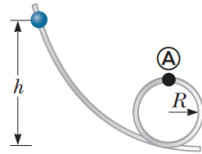
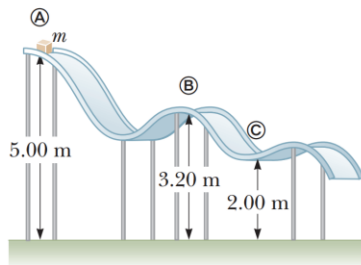


Figure P8.5

is its speed at point A? (b) How large is the normal force on the bead at point A if its mass is 5.00 g?

6. A block of mass $m = 5.00$ kg is released from point A and slides on the frictionless track shown in Figure P8.6. Determine (a) the block's speed at points B and C and (b) the net work done by the gravitational force on the block as it moves from point A to point C.



11. **Review.** The system shown in Figure P8.11 consists of a light, inextensible cord, light, frictionless pulleys, and blocks of equal mass. Notice that block B is attached to one of the pulleys. The system is initially held at rest so that the blocks are at the same height above the ground. The blocks are then released. Find the speed of block A at the moment the vertical separation of the blocks is h .

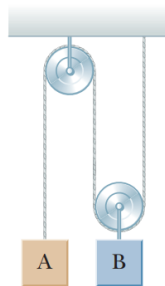
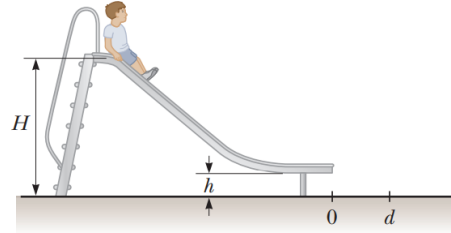


Figure P8.11

45. **Review.** A boy starts at rest and slides down a frictionless slide as in Figure P8.45. The bottom of the track is a height h above the ground. The boy then leaves the track horizontally, striking the ground at a distance d as shown. Using energy methods, determine the initial height H of the boy above the ground in terms of h and d .



50. Heedless of danger, a child leaps onto a pile of old mattresses to use them as a trampoline. His motion between two particular points is described by the energy conservation equation

$$\frac{1}{2}(46.0 \text{ kg})(2.40 \text{ m/s})^2 + (46.0 \text{ kg})(9.80 \text{ m/s}^2)(2.80 \text{ m} + x) = \frac{1}{2}(1.94 \times 10^4 \text{ N/m})x^2$$

(a) Solve the equation for x . (b) Compose the statement of a problem, including data, for which this equation gives the solution.

64. **AMT** A block of mass $m_1 = 20.0$ kg is connected to a block of mass $m_2 = 30.0$ kg by a massless string that passes over a light, frictionless pulley. The 30.0-kg block is connected to a spring that has negligible mass and a force constant of $k = 250$ N/m as shown in Figure P8.64. The spring is unstretched when the system is as shown in the figure, and the incline is frictionless. The 20.0-kg block is pulled a distance $h = 20.0$ cm down the incline of angle $\theta = 40.0^\circ$ and released from rest. Find the speed of each block when the spring is again unstretched.

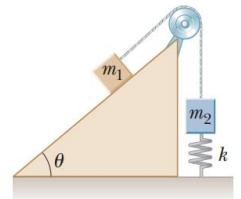


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