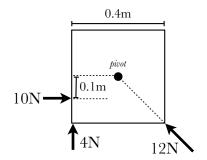
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Exam 2

14 questions, 67 points

1. Three forces are applied to a square with side $0.4\,\mathrm{m}$, as shown. Consider their associated torques around the pivot, which is at the center of the box.

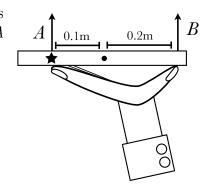


- (a) ____ What is the torque due to the 10 N force?
 - A) 0 NmE) 10 Nm
- **B**) 1 Nm
- **C**) 2 Nm
- **D)** 4 Nm

- (b) ____ Which force exerts the largest torque?
 - **A**) 4 N **B**)
- **B)** 10 N
- **C**) 12 N

- (c) ____ What direction does the 4 N torque point?
 - A) clockwise 🖰
- B) counterclockwise \circlearrowleft

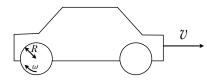
- 4 2. A waiter carries a plate with weight $mg = 6 \,\mathrm{N}$ in one hand, as shown. The plate is in equilibrium, and its center of mass is at the dot The fingers exert a force A upward on the plate, and the thumb a force B.
 - (a) If upward is positive, write an expression for the net force F_{net} on the plate, in terms of A and B.



(b) If counterclockwise is positive, write an expression for the net torque τ_{net} on the plate. The pivot is marked by the star.

(c) Find the magnitude of the force A.

3. A car has wheels of radius R = 0.21 m. As the car drives along the road, each wheel spins with an angular velocity of $\omega = 240 \, \mathrm{rad/s}$.

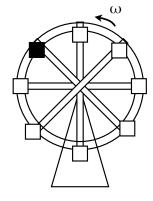


- 3 (a) _____ What is the period of the wheel? That is, how long does it take for the wheel to go around once?
 - **A)** 0.0041 s **B)** 0.026 s
- **C)** 0.038 s
- **D**) 38 s

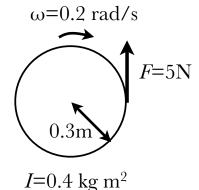
- 3 (b) _____ How fast is the car moving? (i.e. What's v?)
 - **A)** $50 \,\mathrm{m/s}$

- **B)** $100 \,\mathrm{m/s}$ **C)** $240 \,\mathrm{m/s}$ **D)** $1140 \,\mathrm{m/s}$

- 3 4. ____ A Ferris wheel is rotating counterclockwise. If its spin is slowing down, the passengers in the black car will feel an acceleration in which direction?
 - A) <
- B) ↑
- C) >
- D) ←
- $\mathbf{E}) \rightarrow$
- \mathbf{F}) \checkmark \mathbf{G}) \downarrow
- H) \



5. A disk with radius 0.3 m and rotational inertia $I=0.4\,\mathrm{kg\cdot m^2}$ is spinning clockwise with angular velocity $\omega=0.2\,\mathrm{rad/s}$. A 5 N force is applied upward on the right-hand side of the disk.



- (a) What is the torque τ on the disk, due to the $5\,\mathrm{N}$ force?
 - 5 N force? **A)** 1.5 Nm **B)** 5 Nm **C)** 17 Nm

(b) What is the angular acceleration α of the disk due to the application of the torque?

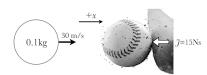
6. A wheel starts off spinning clockwise with an angular velocity of $\omega_i = 5 \,\mathrm{rad/s}$. It makes 20 full turns, slowing at a constant rate until it is spinning at $\omega_f = 1 \,\mathrm{rad/s}$ clockwise instead. How long Δt does the slowing process take? (Fill out this table for partial credit.)

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ω_i	
ω_f	
α	
Δt	

"hula hoop"), both with the same mass and radius, and both spinning at 5 rad/s. (a) _____ Which has the larger rotational inertia I? 3 5 rad/s 5 rad/s A) disk B) ring C) both the same 3 (b) ____ Which has the larger angular momentum L? A) disk B) ring C) both the same 3 8. ____ Which of the following is a measure of angular velocity? A) angular displacement $\Delta \theta$ B) frequency f C) torque τ 3 9. ____ True or False: If I throw a ball across the room, momentum is conserved during its flight (ignoring air resistance). 3 10. A T-square is hung on a wall by a nail placed at the point shown. What is the direction of the torque on the square due to gravity? A) clockwise (5 B) counterclockwise (5 C) There is no torque.

7. Consider a solid disk (think "cookie") and a ring (think

11. A 0.1 kg baseball travels at 30 m/s to the right when it collides with a baseball bat, which imparts an impulse of $J = 15 \,\mathrm{Ns}$ to the left on the baseball.



3 (a) _____ What is the momentum p_{ix} of the ball before it collides with the bat?

D) 45 Ns

B) 15 Ns **C**) 30 Ns **A)** 3 Ns

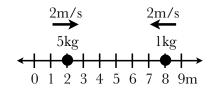
- 3 (b) _____ What is the momentum p_{fx} of the ball right after it collides with the bat?

Positive is to the right.

- **A)** $-30 \,\text{Ns}$ **B)** $-18 \,\text{Ns}$ **C)** $-12 \,\text{Ns}$ **D)** $-3 \,\text{Ns}$ **E)** $15 \,\text{Ns}$

- 3 (c) _____ If the ball is in contact with the bat for 0.001 s, what is the average force on the ball?
 - **A)** 0.015 N
- **B**) 7.5 N
- **C**) 15 N
- **D)** 15,000 N

12. A 5 kg mass is at $x=2\,\mathrm{m}$, and a 1 kg mass is at $x=8\,\mathrm{m}$, as shown.

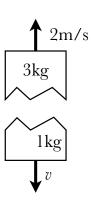


- (a) ____ What is the position x of the particle's center of mass, at the moment pictured?
 - **A)** 3 m **B)** 4 m **C)** 5 m **D)** 6 m **E)** 7 m

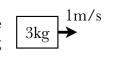
- (b) ____ If both blocks are moving at 2 m/s towards each other, what is their total momentum?
 - **A)** 0 Ns **B)** 4 Ns **C)** 8 Ns **D)** 12 Ns **E)** 16 Ns

(c) As the balls approach one another, the position of their center of mass changes. With what speed is the center of mass moving?

 $\boxed{3}$ 13. A 4 kg rectangle at rest suddenly explodes into two parts. A 3 kg piece is moving at 2 m/s upward right after the explosion. What is the speed v of the other piece right after the explosion?



3 14. ____ A 3 kg block and a 1 kg block, as shown, collide and stick together. How fast will the blocks be moving after the collision? Positive is to the right.





- A) $0.5 \,\mathrm{m/s} \leftarrow$
- B) $3 \,\mathrm{m/s} \leftarrow$
- C) $4 \,\mathrm{m/s} \leftarrow$
 - $m/s \leftarrow D) 0 m/s$

- E) $0.5\,\mathrm{m/s} \rightarrow$ F) $3\,\mathrm{m/s} \rightarrow$ G) $4\,\mathrm{m/s} \rightarrow$