Mid-Semester Test (30% CA)

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Instructions

Answer all 7 questions. Take $g = 9.80 \text{ m/s}^2$

This question paper consists of 3 printed pages including 1 page of formulas.

You are reminded that cheating during test is a serious offence.

All working in support of your answer must be shown.

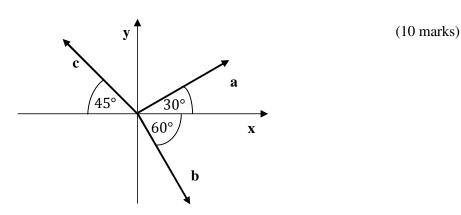
- 1. (a) Calculate the following to the appropriate significant figures :
 - (i) $(7.899 \times 1.90 \times 9.7878)$

(ii)
$$\left(\frac{78.35}{214.9} + 56.134 - 8.94550\right)$$

(b) The damping ratio (D) is given by $D = \frac{c}{2\sqrt{km}}$, where c is the damping coefficient (SI unit of 'c' is N s/m), k is the spring constant (SI unit of 'k' is N/m)and m is mass. Show that the damping ratio is dimensionless.

(15 marks)

2. The magnitude of vectors \mathbf{a} , \mathbf{b} , and \mathbf{c} in the below figure are all equal to 1. Find the direction of the vector $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{c}$.



- 3. A particle of mass 100 g moves in a circle of radius 20 cm. Its linear speed is given by v = 2t where t is measured in seconds and v in m/s. At time t = 3s, find the magnitude of
 - (i) centripetal acceleration.
 - (ii) centripetal force on the particle.
 - (iii) tangential acceleration.

(15 marks)

- 4. A ball is dropped from the top of a 50.0 m high cliff. At the same time a carefully aimed stone is launched vertically upwards from the bottom of the cliff with a speed of 24.0 m/s. The ball and stone collide.
 - (i) When does the collision take place?
 - (ii) How far above the base of the cliff does the collision take place?

(15 marks)

- 5. A ball is thrown at an angle of 30° above the horizon with a speed of 20 m/s at a vertical wall. The base of the wall is 30 m away from where the ball was thrown. Find the (i) time taken for the ball to hit the wall.
 - (ii) position of the point of contact when the ball hit the wall.
 - (iii) magnitude and direction of the velocity vector when the ball hits the wall.

(15 marks)

- 6. A 3.0-kg object is under the influence of two forces which are $\mathbf{F_1} = (16 \, \mathbf{i} + 12 \, \mathbf{j}) \, \text{N}$ and $\mathbf{F_2} = (-10 \, \mathbf{i} + 22 \, \mathbf{j}) \, \text{N}$. If the object is initially at rest, what is the
 - (i) net force vector acting on the object?
 - (ii) acceleration vector at t = 3.0 s?
 - (iii) velocity vector at t = 3.0 s?

(15 marks)

As shown in the below figures the masses attached to a pulley (you can assume the mass of the pulley and the string are negligible and the string is inextensible). When $M_1 = M$, the tension in the string is T_o (see Figure 1). However, when $M_1 = 0.8$ M, the masses accelerate and the tension decreases by 0.300 N (see Figure 2). Find the acceleration a and mass M. (15 marks)

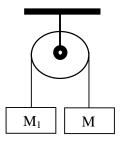


Figure 1

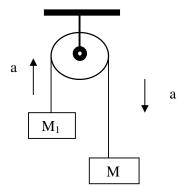


Figure 2

Formula sheet for MS811M

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Kinematics

$$\begin{aligned} v_{x} &= v_{0x} + a_{x}t \\ v_{x}^{2} &= v_{0x}^{2} + 2a_{x}(x - x_{0}) \\ x &= x_{0} + v_{0x}t + \frac{1}{2}a_{x}t^{2} \\ \vec{v} &= \frac{d\vec{r}}{dt}, \quad \vec{a} &= \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} \\ y &= (\tan\theta)x - (\frac{g}{2v^{2}\cos^{2}\theta})x^{2} \\ R &= \frac{v^{2}\sin 2\theta}{g} \end{aligned}$$

Dynamics

$$\vec{F} = m\frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = m\vec{a}, F = \mu N$$

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt}, a = \frac{v^2}{r}, F = m\frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$\vec{J} = \int \vec{F}dt = \Delta \vec{p}$$

$$W = \int \vec{F}. \, d\vec{r}, W_{net} = K_f - K_i$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2}mv^2, PE = mgh$$

$$P = \frac{W}{t}, P = \frac{dW}{dt}$$

Linear momentum

$$\vec{p} = m\vec{v}$$

$$m_1\vec{u}_1 + m_2\vec{u}_2 = m_1\vec{v}_1 + m_2\vec{v}_2$$
Static electricity

$$F = k \frac{q_1 q_2}{r^2}, k = \frac{1}{4\pi \varepsilon_o}$$
$$F = qE$$

$$V = k \frac{q}{r}, U = qV$$

$$\Phi_E = \oint \vec{E}.d\vec{A} = \frac{q}{\varepsilon_o}$$

$$V = Ed$$
, $W = qV$, $E = \frac{kq}{r^2}$

Current electricity

$$Q = It V = IR$$

$$P = VI = I^2R = \frac{V^2}{R}$$

Magnetism & electromagnetism

$$\vec{F} = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$
 $\vec{F} = i\vec{L} \times \vec{B}$ $e.m.f. = -N \frac{d\Phi_B}{dt}$

$$\Phi_{\scriptscriptstyle D} = BA$$

Thermodynamics

$$\vec{F} = m\frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = m\vec{a}, F = \mu N$$

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$$\vec{A}U = Q - W$$

$$W = \int pdV$$

$$Q_V = nC_V \Delta T \quad \text{const vol}$$

$$Q_p = nC_p \Delta T \quad \text{const pressure}$$

$$\vec{J} = \int \vec{F}dt = \Delta \vec{p}$$

$$Q = mC\Delta T$$

$$Q = mL$$

$$\vec{C} = \vec{C}_1 + C_2 + C_3 + \dots \text{ parallel}$$

$$Q = CV \quad U = \frac{1}{2}CV^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \underline{\textbf{Ideal Gas}} \\ & p \, V = nR \, T \\ & p \, V^{\gamma} = c \; (\text{adiabatic}) \\ & \gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_V}, \, C_p - C_v = R \\ & W = p V \ln \frac{V_2}{V_I} = nRT \ln \frac{V_2}{V_I} \\ & W = \frac{1}{\gamma - I} (\; p_I V_I - p_2 V_2 \;) \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{\textbf{Rotational Motion}}{\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt}}, \quad \alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}$

$$\omega = \omega_0 + \alpha t$$

$$\omega^2 = \omega_0^2 + 2\alpha (\theta - \theta_0)$$

$$\theta = \theta_0 + \omega_0 t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha t^2$$

$$I = \sum_{i=1}^{n} m_i r_i^2, I = \int r^2 dm, K = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$$

SHM & waves

$$T = \frac{1}{f} \quad v = f\lambda \qquad \omega = 2\pi f$$

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} \quad k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{k/m} \quad \omega = \sqrt{g/L}$$

$$x = A\cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$x = A\sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$y(x,t) = A\cos(\omega t \pm kx)$$

$$y(x,t) = A\sin(\omega t \pm kx)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} = \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2}$$

Circuits

$$\begin{split} R &= R_1 \, + \, R_2 \, + \, R_3 \, + \dots \quad \text{series} \\ \frac{1}{R} &= \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \, + \, \frac{1}{R_3} \, + \dots \quad \text{parallel} \\ \frac{1}{C} &= \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} \, + \, \frac{1}{C_3} \, + \dots \quad \text{series} \\ C &= C_1 \, + \, C_2 \, + \, C_3 \, + \dots \quad \text{parallel} \\ Q &= CV \qquad U \, = \frac{1}{2} CV^2 \end{split}$$

Constants

Charge on electron $e = -1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$

Coulomb's constant $k = 9 \times 10^9 \text{ N m}^2 \text{ C}^{-2}$

Ideal gas constant $R = 8.314 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

Mass of proton $m_n = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$

Mass of electron $m_{\rm s} = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$

Permeability of free space $\mu_o = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \,\mathrm{N \, A^{-2}}$

Permittivity of free space $\varepsilon_o = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2 \text{ N}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$

Speed of light in vacuum $c = 3.00 \times 10^8 \,\mathrm{m \ s^{-1}}$