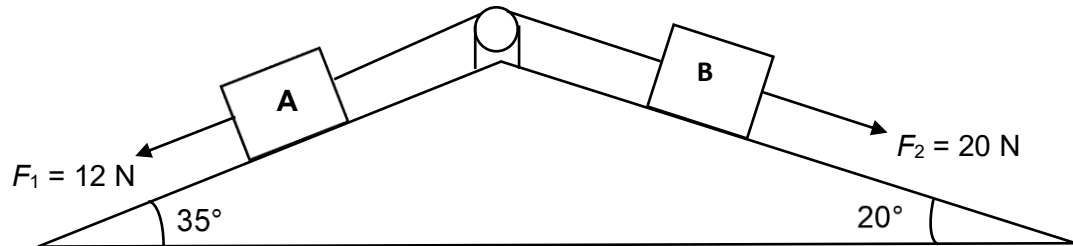


- 3 Two blocks, A and B, connected by a massless rope over a smooth pulley, are on a smooth incline plane with angles of inclination as shown in the diagram. The masses of blocks A and B are 2.0 kg and 5.0 kg respectively. The two blocks are acted upon by two external forces,  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ , respectively as shown in the diagram with  $F_1 = 12\text{ N}$  and  $F_2 = 20\text{ N}$ .



What is the tension in the rope?

- A 21 N
- B 27 N
- C 39 N
- D 42 N