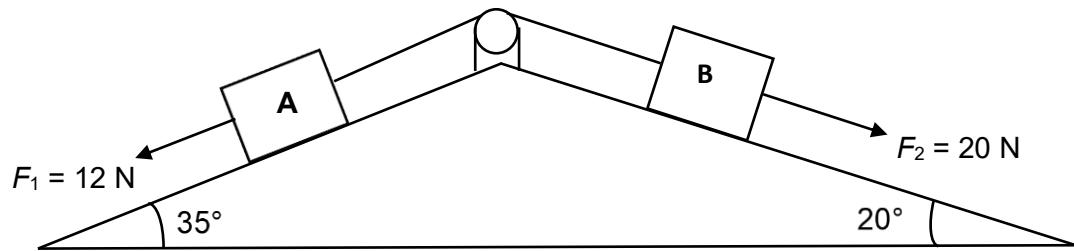


- 3 Two blocks, A and B, connected by a massless rope over a smooth pulley, are on a smooth incline plane with angles of inclination as shown in the diagram. The masses of blocks A and B are 2.0 kg and 5.0 kg respectively. The two blocks are acted upon by two external forces, F_1 and F_2 , respectively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