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Dynamics Answers

- **1 June 02 P1 Q10 B** Apply $F_{\text{net}} = ma$. $12 - F_f = 0.60 \times 4.0$
- **2 June 03 P1 Q10 D** Apply $F = ma$. For acceleration constant, $F \propto m$. For mass 4 m, force is F. For mass 3m, force = ?
- ***3 June 03 P1 Q11 B** Friction on wheel by ground is to the right, normal reaction on wheel by ground is vertically upwards.
- **4 Nov 03 P1 Q10 B** Same as **Nov 04 P1 Q10**
- **5 Nov 03 P1 Q11 D** Momentum is a vector. Momentum is negative in the opposite direction. Momentum change = final momentum – initial momentum = $(-mu) - (mu)$
- **6 June 04 P1 Q10 B** Newton's 3rd law
- **7 June 04 P1 Q11 A** If momentum of lorry is positive, momentum of car is negative in the opposite direction
- **8 Nov 04 P1 Q10 B** Apply $F = ma$. For a constant and not zero F, F has to be constant and not zero.
- **9 Nov 04 P1 Q11 B** Momentum change is negative means it is opposite in direction to the initial direction
- *10 June 05 P1 Q10 B** Newton's 2nd law
- *11 June 05 P1 Q12 C**
- **12 Nov 05 P1 Q8 A** For $F = 0$, acceleration = 0. For F constant, acceleration is constant. Hence velocity increases at a constant rate, and the graph is a straight line with positive gradient
- **13 Nov 05 P1 Q10 B** mass remains constant, weight = mg
- **14 Nov 05 P1 Q11 A** Force of gravity always acts vertically downwards
- *15 40 June 06 P1 Q10 B**
- *16 Nov 06 P1 Q10 B** From $F = ma$, F is a vector and a is a vector. These 2 vectors have the same direction.
- *17 June 07 P1 Q9 B**
- ***18 June 07 P Q10 D** force = momentum change / time
- **19 June 07 P1 Q11 B** same as **June 04 P1 Q11**
- **20 Nov 07 P1 Q10 D** Apply $F = ma$. $12 - F_f = 0.60 \times 4.0$
- ***21 Nov 07 P1 Q11 B** same as **June 03 P1 Q11**
- **22 June 08 P1 Q11 A** Apply $F = ma$. $2.0 \times 10^3 - F_R = 750 \times 2.0$
- **23 Nov 08 P1 Q9 B** Newton's 3rd law
- ***24 Nov 08 P1 Q11 A** Apply $F = ma$. $2.0 \times 9.81 = (8.0 + 2.0) a$
- *25 Nov 08 P1 Q12 D**
- **26 June 09 P1 Q9 D** Momentum in the opposite direction is negative.

Section B

1 Nov 03 P2 Q2

- 2 (a) mass: measure of body's resistance/inertia to changes in velocity/motion B1
weight: effect of gravitational field on mass or force of gravity B1
any further comment e.g. mass constant, weight varies/
weight = mg /scalar and vector B1 [3]
- (b) e.g. where gravitational field strength changes
(change) in fluid surrounding body.... 1 each, max 2 B2 [2]

2 Nov 05 P2 Q4

- 4 (a) (i) use of tangent at time $t = 0$
acceleration = $42 \pm 4 \text{ cm s}^{-2}$ B1
A1 [2]
- (ii) use of area of loop
distance = $0.031 \pm 0.001 \text{ m}$
allow 1 mark if $0.031 \pm 0.002 \text{ m}$ B1
B2 [3]
- (b) (i) $F = ma$
 $= 0.93 \times 0.42$ {allow e.c.f. from (a)(i)}
 $= 0.39 \text{ N}$ C1
A1 [2]
- (ii) force reduces to zero in first 0.3 s
then increases again in next 0.3 s
in the opposite direction B1
M1
A1 [3]

3 June 08 P2 Q3

- 3 (a) (i) $v^2 = 2as$
 $1.2^2 = 2 \times a \times 1.9$
 $a = 0.38 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ M1
A1 [2]
- (ii) $F = ma$
 $= 42 \times 0.38$
 $= 16 \text{ N}$ M1
A0 [1]
- (b) power = Fv
 $= 16 \times 1.2$
 $= 19 \text{ W}$ C1
A1 [2]
- (c) (i) component = $42 \times 9.8 \times \sin 2.8$
 $= 20.1 \text{ N}$ C1
A1 [2]
- (ii) accelerating force = $20.1 - 16 = 4.1 \text{ N}$
acceleration of trolley = $4.1 / 42 = 0.098 \text{ m s}^{-2}$
 $s = \frac{1}{2}at^2$
 $3.5 = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.098 \times t^2$
 $t = 8.5 \text{ s}$ C1
C1
C1
A1 [4]

4.2 Conservation of Momentum

****1 June 02 P1 Q9 B** For elastic collision, total kinetic energy of the system is conserved. Hence total k.e. after impact = total k.e. before impact.

*****2 June 02 Q11 B** For explosion, no external force acts. Hence total momentum is conserved. Since total initial momentum = 0, total final momentum = 0. Momentum is a vector, Hence momentum is negative in the opposite direction. Hence $M_1v_1 - M_2v_2 = 0$.
 $M_1v_1 = M_2v_2$

****3 Nov 02 P1 Q11 A** For elastic collision, relative speed of approach = relative speed of separation

****4 Nov 02 P1 Q12 A** Apply conservation of momentum. Momentum is a vector. Momentum in the opposite direction is negative. $m \times 60 - m \times 30 = (m+m) V$

****5 June 03 P1 Q12 A** For inelastic collision, total momentum is conserved. That is, total initial momentum = total final momentum. $2 \times 8 + 4 \times 2 = (2 + 4) v$

***6 Nov 03 P1 Q9 C** Isolated system means that is no external force applied.

****7 Nov 03 P1 Q12 A** Same as **Nov 02 P1 Q11**

****8 June 05 P1 Q11 A** Same as **Nov 02 P1 Q12**

****9 Nov 05 P1 Q9 D**

****10 June 06 P1 Q11 B**

****11 June 06 P1 Q12 A** For inelastic collision, total momentum is conserved. That is, total initial momentum = total final momentum. $m \times (2v) - (3m) \times v = (m + 3m) V$

****12 Nov 06 P1 Q11 B** Apply (i) conservation of momentum, and (ii) relative speed of approach = relative speed of separation. Form 2 equations and solve.

****13 Nov 06 P1 Q12 B** Explosion. Same as **June 02 Q11**

****14 June 07 P1 Q12 B** Conservation of momentum: $2 \times 4 + 4 \times 1 = (2 + 4) V$
 k.e. = $\frac{1}{2} (2 + 4) V^2$

***15 June 08 P1 Q9 D**

****16 June 08 P1 Q10 D** Assume both bodies move to the right after collision.

Conservation of momentum: $50 - 30 = V_x + V_y$. Relative speed: $50 + 30 = V_y - V_x$

****17 Nov 08 P1 Q10 D** Relative speed of approach = relative speed of separation

*****18 June 09 P1 Q7 A**

*****19 June 09 P1 Q10 C** Apply conservation of momentum to determine the velocity of X and Y. Calculate the k.e. of X and Y, and take ratio.

Section B

1 June 02 P2 Q4

4 (a) $v^2 = 2gh$

$v^2 = 2 \times 9.8 \times 1.6$ C1

$v = 5.6 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ A1 [2]

- (b) (i) working leading to idea that $h = 0.90 \times 1.6$ C1
 $h = 1.44 \text{ m}$ A1
 (ii) $mgh = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$ C1
 $v^2 = 2 \times 9.8 \times 1.44$ C1
 $v = 5.3 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ A1 [4]
- (c) $\Delta p = m(v - u)$ OR $p = mv$ C1
 $m = 0.073 \text{ kg}$ C1
 $\Delta p = 0.073 \times (5.6 + 5.3)$ C1
 $= 0.80 \text{ N s}$ A1 [3]
- (d) steel plate (and Earth) B1
 must gain momentum of 0.80 N s M1
 in downward direction A1 [3]
 (idea of Earth/plate and ball as the system scores 1/3)

2 June 04 P2 Q4

Q4 (a)(i) momentum $p = mv$

Kinetic energy $= \frac{1}{2}mv^2$. From (i), $v^2 = \frac{p^2}{m^2}$. Substitute into k.e. and simplify

(b)(i) momentum change $= mv - mu = 35 \times 10^{-3} [(4.5 - (-3.5))]$

Average force $=$ momentum change / time

(ii) k.e. of ball before impact $=$

k.e. of ball after impact $=$

loss $=$ k.e. before impact $-$ k.e. after impact

$=$

(b) Momentum is not conserved because there is an external force acting on the ball by the plate during impact.

3 June 05 P2 Q3 Q6. (a) (i) Change in g.p.e. $= mgh - 0 = (600 + 2.0) \times 10^{-3} \times 9.81 \times (8.6 \times 10^{-2}) \text{ J}$

(ii) apply conservation of energy: loss in k.e. $=$ gain in g.p.e.

$v =$

(b) total momentum before impact $=$ total momentum after impact

$2.0 \times 10^{-3} u + 0 = (600 + 2.0) \times 10^{-3} \times v$ in (a)(ii)

(c)(i) apply k.e. of bullet $= \frac{1}{2}mu^2 =$

(ii) Total k.e. before impact $=$ k.e. of bullet

Total k.e. before impact $>$ total k.e. after impact. Hence there is a loss in k.e. of the system. The collision is inelastic.

4 Nov 06 P2 Q3

Q7. (a) helium nucleus

(b) Mass of α -particle $\approx 4 u = 4 \times (1.66 \times 10^{-27}) \text{ kg}$

(refer to Casio calculator Const 17)

Use formula $k.e. = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$. $v_\alpha =$

(c) (i) refer to Q5(e)(i)

(ii) explosion. No external force acting. Hence total momentum is conserved.

Total initial momentum = 0. Hence total final momentum = 0

Momentum of Francium-208 + (- momentum of α -particle) = 0

Momentum of Francium-208 = momentum of α -particle

(Mass of Francium -208 = 208 u; mass of α -particle = 4 u.)

Hence $208 V_F = 4v_\alpha$

(d) Another unknown particle is emitted. This particle carries extra momentum.

5 June 09 P2 Q2

- 2 (a) ball moving in opposite direction (after collision) B1 [1]
- (b) (i) change in momentum = $1.2 (4.0 + 0.8)$ C2
 (correct values, 1 mark; correct sign {values added}, 1 mark)
 = 5.76 N s ...(allow 5.8) A1 [3]
- (ii) force = $\Delta p / \Delta t$ or $m\Delta v / \Delta t$ C1
 = $5.76 / 0.08$ or $1.2 \times 4.8 / 0.08$ C1
 = 72 N A1 [3]
- (c) $5.76 = 3.6 \times V$ C1
 $V = 1.6 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ A1 [2]
- (d) either speed of approach = 4.0 m s^{-1} and
 speed of separation = 2.4 m s^{-1} M1
 not equal and so inelastic A1
- or kinetic energy before = 9.6 J and
 kinetic energy after collision = 4.99 J M1
 kinetic energy after is less / not conserved so inelastic A1 [2]