

PHYS 107 - Week 09 - Wednesday

\* Announcements : Travel → grad students teaching on Friday and Monday → opportunity to give them feedback

Reading quiz Friday : will post today

\* Static equilibrium :  $\vec{F}_{\text{net}} = 0$  and  $\tau_{\text{net}} = 0$

↳ three equations ( $x, y$  for  $\vec{F}_{\text{net}} = 0$ , one equation from  $\tau_{\text{net}} = 0$ )  
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solve for unknown forces, angles, etc

Where to pick the pivot? At a point where some of the unknown forces apply → then they will drop out in  $\tau_{\text{net}} = 0$  equation

## Q Equilibrium 2

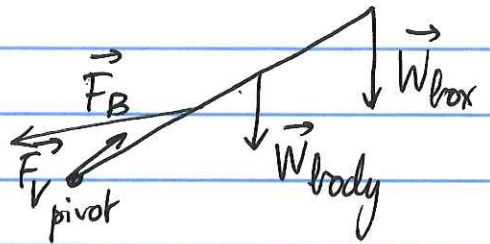
\* Mechanical advantage :  $MA = \frac{F_{\text{out}}}{F_{\text{in}}}$

if  $F_{\text{out}} < F_{\text{in}} \rightarrow MA < 1$

if  $F_{\text{out}} > F_{\text{in}} \rightarrow MA > 1$

\* Lifting with your back

1) Calculate  $\tau_{\text{net}}$  around hip

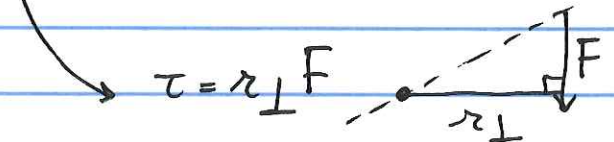


$$\rightarrow \tau_{\text{net}}^{\text{hip}} = (0.35 \text{ m})(55 \text{ kg})(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) \quad (\text{weight upper body})$$

$$+ (0.50 \text{ m})(30 \text{ kg})(9.8 \text{ m/s}^2) \quad (\text{weight of box})$$

$$- (0.08 \text{ m})F_B \quad (\text{back muscle})$$

$$\hookrightarrow F_B = 4200 \text{ N}$$



$$MA = \frac{W_{\text{body}} + W_{\text{box}}}{F_B} = 1/5.04 = 0.198 \approx 20\%$$

2) Force on lower vertebrae

$$F_{\text{net},y} = 0 = F_{V,y} - W_{\text{body}} - W_{\text{box}} - F_B \sin 29^\circ$$

$$\hookrightarrow F_{V,y} = 2870 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{\text{net},x} = 0 = F_{V,x} - F_B \cos 29^\circ$$

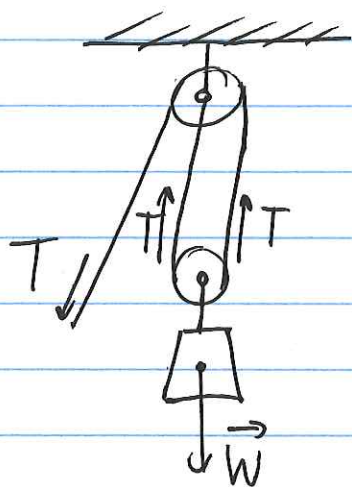
$$\hookrightarrow F_{V,x} = 3670 \text{ N}$$


$$\Rightarrow F_V = 4660 \text{ N at angle of } 38^\circ = \theta$$

Q Equilibrium 5-a, b

## \* Pulleys and mechanical advantage

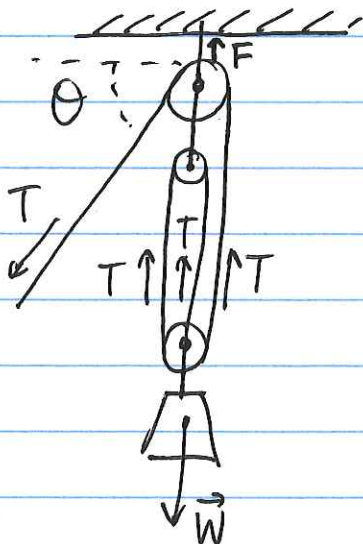
Tension  $T$  : always pulls, can change direction of forces

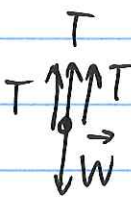


FBD   $\rightarrow 2T - W = 2T - Mg = 0$

$$\hookrightarrow T = \frac{W}{2} = \frac{Mg}{2}$$

$$MA = \frac{F_{out}}{F_{in}} = \frac{W}{T} = 2$$

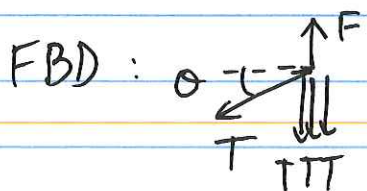


FBD   $\rightarrow 3T - W = 3T - Mg = 0$

$$\hookrightarrow T = \frac{W}{3} = \frac{Mg}{3}$$

$$\rightarrow MA = 3$$

What is the force  $\vec{F}$  in the hinge? (vertical comp)

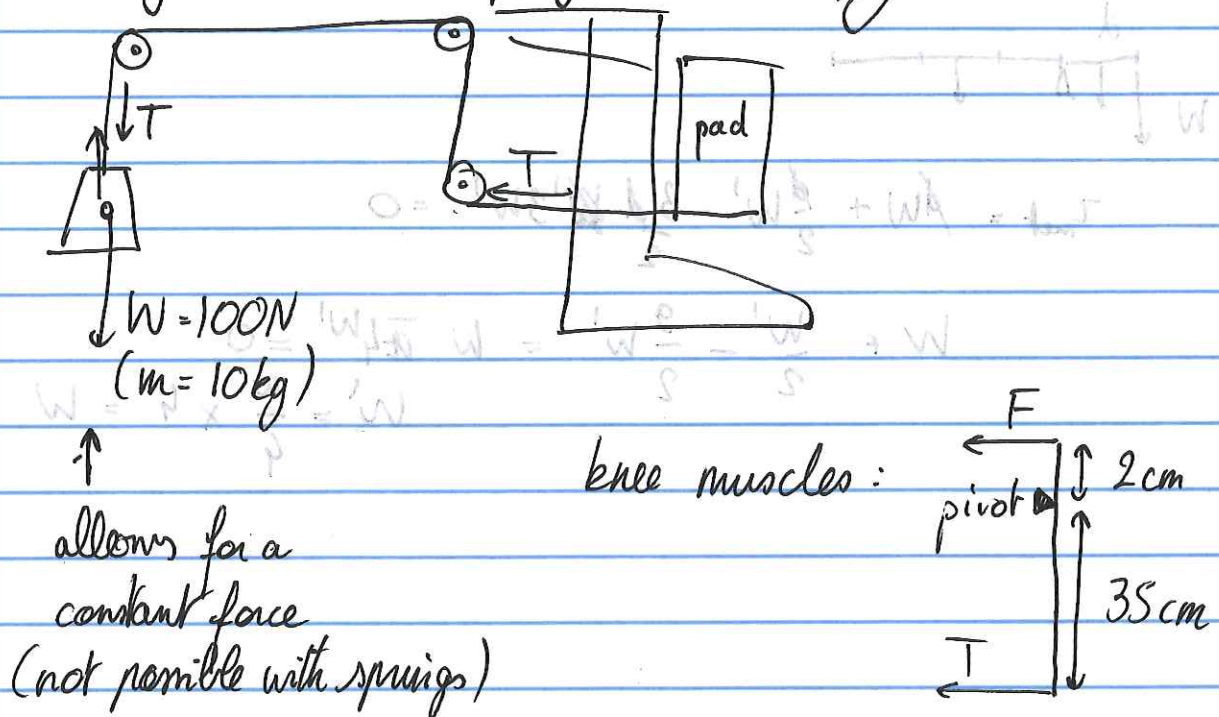


$$\rightarrow -3T - T \sin \theta + F = 0$$

$$\rightarrow F = 3T + T \sin \theta$$



# \* Leg stretcher in physical therapy



$$\tau_{net} = 0 = -T(0.35m) + F(0.02m)$$

$$\hookrightarrow F = \frac{35cm}{2cm} T = 1750N$$

# \* Watching Netflix at Swem: force on upper vertebrae

$$\tau_{net} = 0 = Wd \sin(90^\circ + \theta) - F_m d \sin(\theta - 33^\circ)$$

$$\vec{F}_{net} = 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} F_v \sin \theta = W + F_m \sin 33^\circ \\ F_v \cos \theta = F_m \cos 33^\circ \end{array} \right.$$

$$\hookrightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} F_v = 97N \\ \theta = 58.7^\circ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} MA = \frac{F_{out}}{F_{in}} = \frac{W}{F_v} = \frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$