PHYS 1050 Tutorial 3

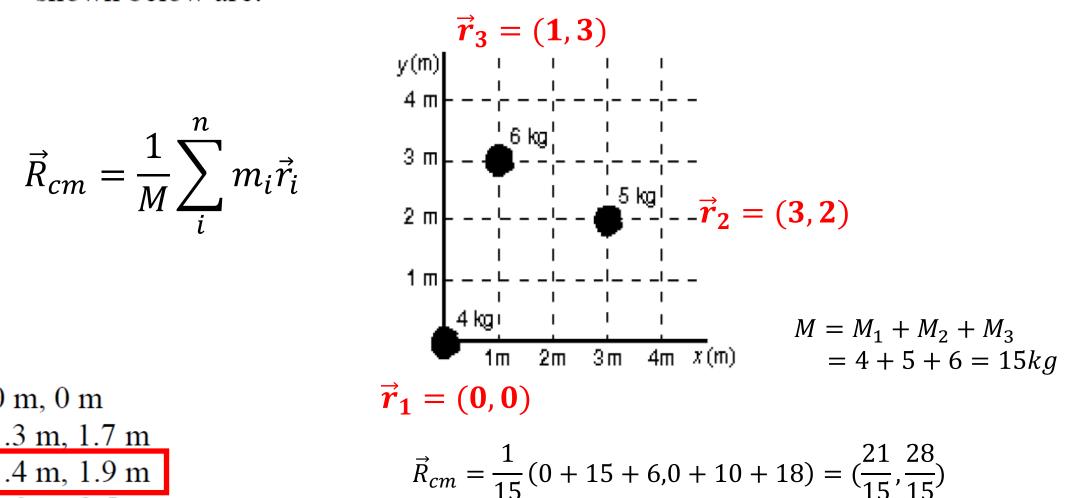
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1. The x and y coordinates in meters of the center of mass of the three-particle system shown below are:

$$\vec{R}_{cm} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{i}^{n} m_i \vec{r}_i$$

- A) 0 m, 0 m
- 1.3 m, 1.7 m
- 1.4 m, 1.9 m
- 1.9 m, 2.5 m
- 1.4 m, 2.5 m



 $\approx (1.4, 1.867)$

2. A 2.5-kg stone is released from rest and falls toward Earth. After 4.0 s, the magnitude of its momentum is:

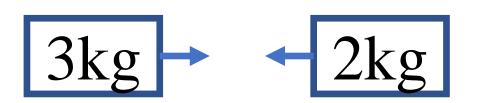
- A) 98 kg·m/s
- B) 78 kg·m/s
- C) 39 kg·m/s
- D) 24 kg·m/s
- E) 0 kg·m/s

$$v = gt = 9.8m/s^2 \times 4s = 39.2m/s$$

$$I = mv = 2.5kg \times 39.2m/s = 98m/s$$

$$= 10$$

$$I = mv \neq 2.5kg \times 9.8m/s^2 \times 4s = 98m/s$$



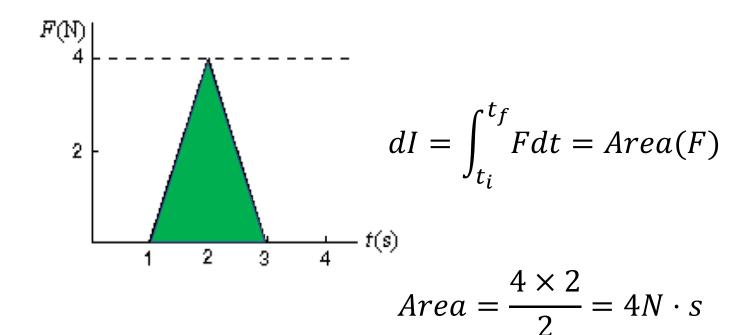
- 3. A 3.0-kg cart and a 2.0-kg cart approach each other on a horizontal air track. They collide and stick together. After the collision their total kinetic energy is 40 J. The speed of their center of mass is:
- A) 0 m/s
- B) 2.8 m/s
- C) 4.0 m/s
- D) 5.2 m/s
- E) 8.0 m/s

$$5kg \longrightarrow E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$M_{cm} = 2kg + 3kg = 5kg$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{2E}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 40J}{5kg}} = \sqrt{16}$$

4. The plot shows the force acting on an object as a function of time. Over the time the force is applied, the total impulse is:



- A) $0 \text{ N} \cdot \text{s}$
- B) 2 N·s
- C) 4 N·s
- D) 8 N·s
- E) cannot be determined without knowing the mass of the object

$$\alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt} = 6.0 \times t^2$$

$$\omega = \int \alpha \, dt = 2t^3$$

- 5. A wheel starts from rest and has an angular acceleration that is given by $\alpha(t) = (6.0 \text{ rad/s}^4)t^2$. After it has turned through 10 rev its angular velocity is:
 - A) 63 rad/s
 - B) 75 rad/s
 - C) 89 rad/s
 - D) 130 rad/s
 - E) 210 rad/s

$$\theta = \int \omega \cdot dt = 10 \, rev$$

$$\frac{1}{2}t^4 = 10 \times 2\pi$$

$$t^4 = 10 \times 4\pi$$

$$t = 3.348s$$

$$\omega = 2 \times 3.348^3 \approx 75.056$$

6. The rotational inertia of a disk about its axis is 0.70 kg·m². When a 2.0 kg weight is added to its rim, 0.40 m from the axis, the rotational inertia becomes:

A)
$$0.32 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2$$

B)
$$0.54 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2$$

C)
$$0.70 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2$$

D)
$$0.86 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2$$

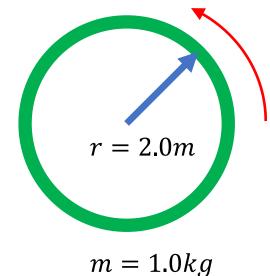
E)
$$1.02 \text{ kg} \cdot \text{m}^2$$

$$I = \sum_{i}^{n} m_i r_i^2$$

$$I = I_0 + mr^2 = 0.70 + 2 \times 0.4^2 = 1.02kg \cdot m^2$$

$$I = \sum mr^2 = 1.0kg \times 2.0m = 4kg \cdot m^2$$

- 7. A thin circular hoop of mass 1.0 kg and radius 2.0 m is rotating about an axis through its center and perpendicular to its plane. It is slowing down at the rate of 7.0 rad/s². The net torque acting on it is:
 - 7.0 N·m
 - 14 N·m
 - 28 N·m
 - 44 N·m
 - none of these



$$m = 1.0kg$$

$$\tau = I\alpha = 4kg \cdot m^2 \times 7.0 \, rad/s^2 = 28N \cdot m$$

$$\tau = I\alpha = Fr \qquad \alpha = \frac{Fr}{I} = \frac{1.0N \times 0.10m}{0.02kg \cdot m^2} = 5 \ rad/s^2$$

- 8. A cylinder is 0.10 m in radius and 0.20 m in length. Its rotational inertia, about the cylinder axis on which it is mounted, is 0.020 kg · m². A string is wound around the cylinder and pulled with a force of 1.0 N. The angular acceleration of the cylinder is:
 - A) 2.5 rad/s^2
 - B) 5.0 rad/s^2
 - C) 10 rad/s^2
 - D) 15 rad/s^2
 - E) 20 rad/s^2

