


### Reminders 10-01-07:

- Next Homework Due 10/4!!!
- Newton's Laws Worksheet due Today.
- Force Conceptual Questions Due Wed. 10/3.
- Conceptual Quiz Monday, Newton's Laws.

### Objectives:

- Friction
- Work and Energy



# Physics 2A Old Exams

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**Note: The above sample exams were used in class periods that were 50 minutes in length.**

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### **Worksheets (to be assigned)**

[Worksheet file](#)

### **Conceptual Questions (to be assigned)**

- [Kinematics](#)
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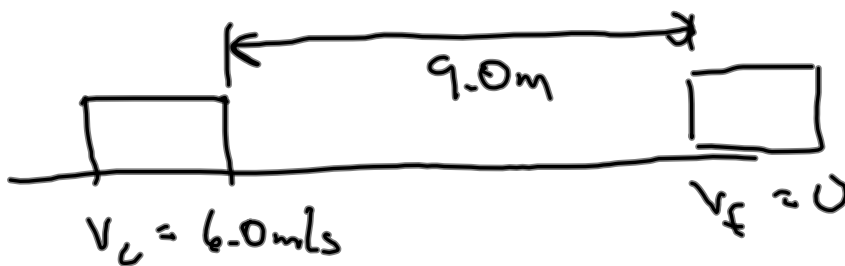
- A 2.0 kg block is given a push such that its initial velocity 6.0 m/s. It comes to a stop after traveling 9.0 m.
  - What is the object's acceleration?
  - What is the frictional force acting on block?
  - What is the coefficient of sliding friction?

$$v_f^2 - v_i^2 = 2a\Delta x$$

$$a = \frac{v_f^2 - v_i^2}{2\Delta x}$$

$$= \frac{0 - (6.0 \frac{m}{s})^2}{2(9.0m)}$$

$$= -2.0 \frac{m}{s^2}$$



$$F_f = ma = (2.0 \text{ kg}) (-2.0 \frac{m}{s^2}) = \underline{-4.0 \text{ N}}$$

$$F_f = -\mu_k N = -4.0 \text{ N}$$

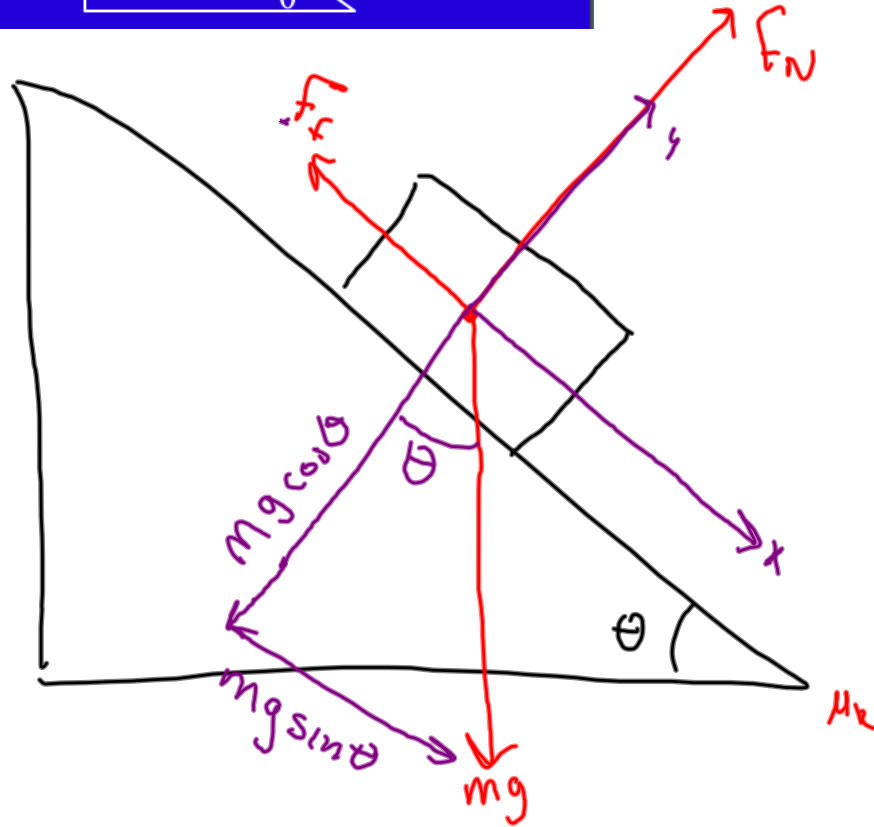
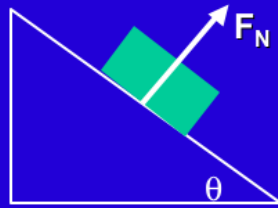
$$\mu_k = \frac{4.0 \text{ N}}{N} = \frac{4.0 \text{ N}}{(2.0 \text{ kg})(9.80 \frac{m}{s^2})}$$

$$= .2$$

$$\mu_k mg = ma$$

$$\boxed{a = \mu g}$$

- A block slides down a wedge with coefficient of kinetic friction  $\mu_k$ ? What is its acceleration? What if it is moving upward?



$$\sum F_x = -F_f + mg \sin \theta = ma$$

$$\sum F_y = F_N - mg \cos \theta = 0$$

$$\sum F_x = -\mu_k F_N + mg \sin \theta = ma$$

$$\rightarrow F_N = mg \cos \theta$$

$$= -\mu_k mg \cos \theta + mg \sin \theta = ma$$

$$a = g \sin \theta - \mu_k g \cos \theta$$

$$a = -\mu_y \cos \theta + g \sin \theta$$

How do we find  $\mu_s$

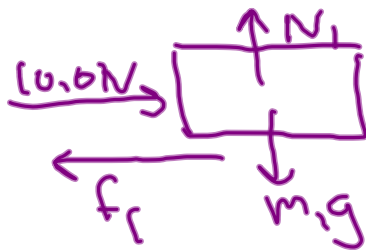
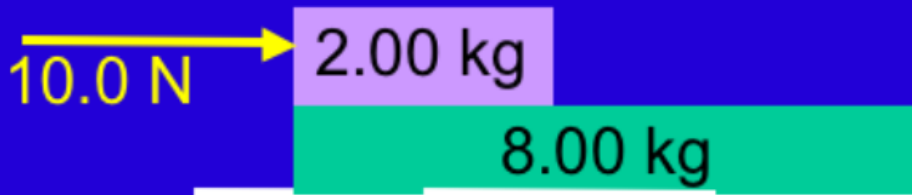
$$0 = -\mu_s g \cos \theta + g \sin \theta$$

$$\mu_s \cos \theta = \sin \theta$$

$$\mu_s = \tan \theta$$

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- A 2.0 kg block rests on the left edge of a 8.00 kg block. The value  $\mu_k$  is 0.30 between the blocks. There is no friction between the table and the bottom block. What is the acceleration of the larger block? What about the top block?



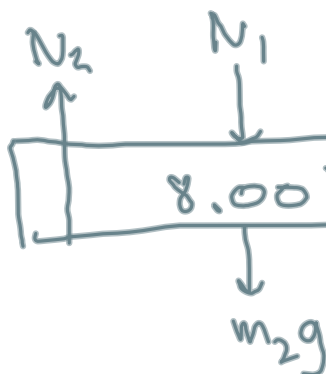
$$10.0 \text{ N} - f_f = ma$$

$$10.0 \text{ N} - \mu mg = ma$$

$$a = \frac{10.0 \text{ N} - \mu mg}{m}$$

$$= \frac{10.0 \text{ N} - (0.3)(2.0)(9.80)}{2.0}$$

$$a = 2.06 \text{ m/s}^2$$



$$f_f = m_2 a$$

$$\mu m_1 g = m_2 a$$

$$a = \mu \frac{m_1}{m_2} g$$

$$= (0.3) \left( \frac{2}{8} \right) (9.8) = 0.74 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}$$

Limitations of Newton's Laws  
Newton's 2nd law  $\vec{F} = m\vec{a}$   
only valid in frames that  
are moving at constant velocity