


## Reminders 10-10-07:

- Next Homework Due 10/14!!!
- Momentum Worksheet due Wed 10/17.
- Quiz Wed. 10/17, Energy & Momentum.
- EXAM 2 10/22
- Chapter 4, 5, & 6 Practice Assignment.

## Objectives:

- Potential Energy
- Conservation of Energy
- Momentum

$$W_{net} = \Delta KE$$
$$\Delta KE + \Delta PE = 0$$



Sierra College

## Physics 2A Old Exams

- Dominic Calabrese -

- Home
- Syllabus
- Labs
- P2X Syllabus
- Old Exams
- Web Assien

### **Exams**

- [Exam 1](#)
- [Exam 2](#)
- [Exam 3](#)
- [Exam 4](#)
- [Exam 4 Another Sample](#)
- [Final Exam](#)

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

- [Exam 1 Crib Sheet](#)
- [Exam 2 Crib Sheet](#)
- [Exam 3 Crib Sheet](#)
- [Exam 4 Crib Sheet](#)
- [Final Exam Crib Sheet](#)

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

- [Worksheet file](#)

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

- [Kinematics](#)
- [Force](#)
- [Energy & Momentum](#)
- [Circular Motion](#)
- [Fluids](#)
- [Torque](#)
- [Heat](#)
- [Thermodynamics](#)

Phone: (916) 789-2960

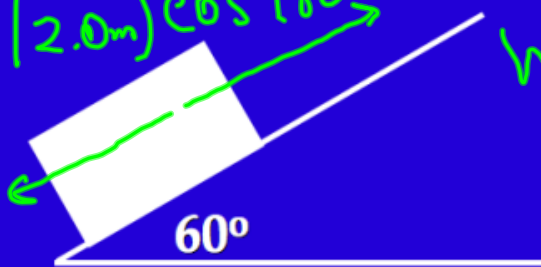
e-mail:  
[dcalabrese@sierracollege.edu](mailto:dcalabrese@sierracollege.edu)

Office location: S-107A

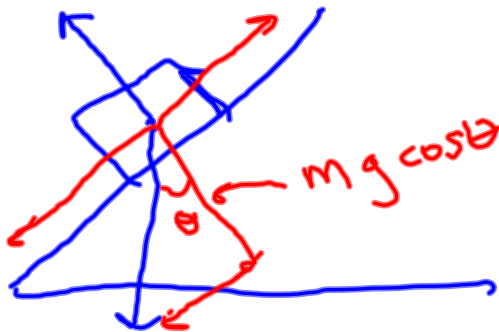
Office hours: TBA, or by appointment

| Resources | Phys Dept | Sierra

- A 2.0 kg block slides 2.0 m up a hill before coming to a stop ( $\mu_k=0.3$ ). Consider work done by friction after traveling 2.0m up the hill and after traveling 2.0m down the hill.

$$W_f = |\mu_k N| (2.0\text{m}) \cos 180^\circ$$


$$W_f = \mu N 2.0\text{m}$$



$$N - mg \cos \theta = 0$$

$$N = mg \cos \theta$$

$$W_{\text{up}} = -\mu_k mg \cos \theta (2.0\text{m})$$

$$= -(0.3)(2.0\text{kg})(9.80)(\cos 60)(2.0)$$

$$= -5.9\text{J}$$

- Two railroad cars, each of mass 6500kg traveling at 95km/hr, collide head-on and come to rest. How much energy is lost? where does it go? Hint: You must consider both cars.

$$W_{nc} = \Delta KE + \Delta PE$$

$$= \Delta KE + 0$$

$$W_{nc} = \Delta KE = \frac{1}{2} m_1 (v_{1f}^2 - v_{1i}^2) + \frac{1}{2} m_2 (v_{2f}^2 - v_{2i}^2)$$

$$W_{nc} = -\frac{1}{2} m_1 v_{1i}^2 - \frac{1}{2} m_2 v_{2i}^2$$

$$\text{if } v_{1i} = v_{2i}$$

$$W_{nc} = -\frac{1}{2} (m_1 + m_2) v_{1i}^2$$

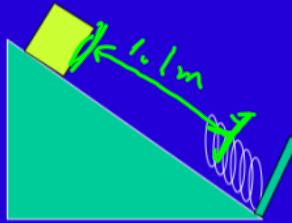
$$\text{if they same mass } m_1 = m_2$$

$$W_{nc} = -\frac{1}{2} (2m) v_{1i}^2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} (13,000 \text{ kg}) \left( 95 \frac{\text{km}}{\text{hr}} \cdot \frac{1000 \text{ m}}{\text{km}} \cdot \frac{1}{3600 \frac{\text{s}}{\text{hr}}} \right)^2$$

$$= -4.5 \times 10^6 \text{ J}$$

A 1 kg block slides down an incline ( $30^\circ$ ) a distance of 1 m where it slams into a spring ( $k = 100 \text{ N/m}$ ). If  $\mu_k = 0.2$ , what is the speed of the mass after the spring is compressed by 0.1 m?



$$W_{nc} = \Delta PE + \Delta KE$$

$$\Delta GPE = -mg(1.1 \sin 30)$$

$$\Delta EPE = \frac{1}{2} k(x_f^2 - x_i^2) = \frac{1}{2} k(0.1)^2$$

$$W_{nc} = -\mu_k mg \cos \theta (1.1)$$

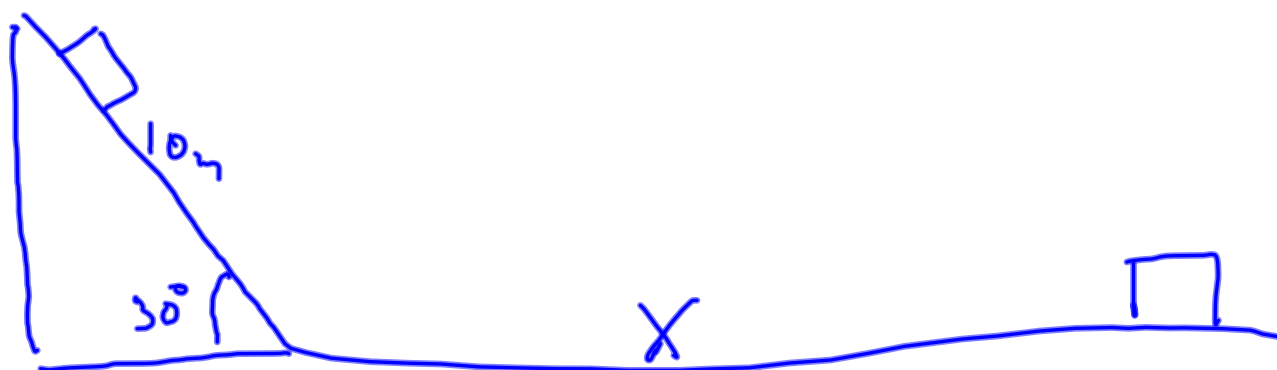
$$W_{nc} = \Delta GPE + \Delta EPE + \Delta KE$$

$$-\mu_k mg \cos 30 (1.1) = -mg(1.1 \sin \theta) + \frac{1}{2} k(0.1)^2 + \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2$$

$$\mu mg \cos 30 (1.1) + mg(1.1 \sin 30) - \frac{1}{2} k(0.1)^2 = \frac{1}{2} m v_f^2$$

$$v_f = \sqrt{\frac{2[\mu mg \cos 30 (1.1) + mg(1.1 \sin 30) - \frac{1}{2} k(0.1)^2]}{m}}$$

$$v_f = 2.46 \text{ m/s}$$



$$W_{nc} = \Delta PE$$

$$W_{nc} = -\mu mg \cos 30 (10) + \mu mg X$$

$$\Delta PE = -mg \sin 30 (10)$$