



Department of Mathematics
and General Sciences

Physics 1 (PHY105)
Second Major Exam

First Semester, Term 141
Date: Tuesday 2/12/2013

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Section number (or time):	
Instructor's name:	

Important instructions:

1. Examination time: 60 minutes.
2. Write your name before starting with the questions.
3. Switch off your mobile phone and put any books and notes away.
4. You should have 5 pages in total
5. You may *not* borrow a calculator.
6. Use $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$.

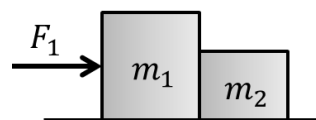
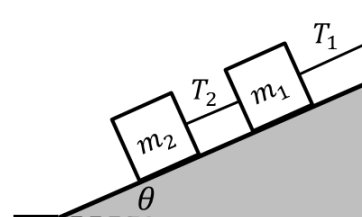
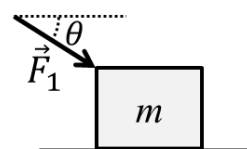
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Part 1	/10
Part 2	/5
Total	/15

Part 1 (10 points total):

Indicate the answer choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- Q1. Which of the following is an example of a nonconservative force?
 a) gravity b) friction c) spring d) both a and c
- Q2. The total power required to accelerate a 1200 kg car from rest to 20 m/s in 4 seconds is:
 a) 2 kW b) 20 kW c) 60 kW d) 6 kW
- Q3. If the net work required to stop a car moving at a velocity of v is W , what is the net work required to stop a car moving at $2v$?
 a) $4W$ b) $2W$ c) $6W$ d) $W/2$
- Q4. A 5 kg object moves on a rough horizontal surface with a constant velocity when a constant horizontal force of 12 N acts on it. What is the coefficient of kinetic friction between the object and the surface?
 a) 0.60 b) 0.24 c) 0.12 d) 0.36
- Q5. What is the magnitude of the normal force acting on the mass m shown in the figure?
 a) $mg + F_1 \sin \theta$ b) $mg + F_1 \cos \theta$
 c) $mg - F_1 \sin \theta$ d) $mg - F_1 \cos \theta$
- Q6. Two blocks of masses m_1 and m_2 are held in equilibrium on a frictionless incline as in the figure. What is the magnitude of the tension T_1 in the upper cord?
 a) $(m_1 + m_2)g \cos \theta$ b) $(m_2 - m_1)g \cos \theta$
 c) $m_1 g \sin \theta$ d) $(m_1 + m_2)g \sin \theta$
- Q7. Two blocks $m_1 = 2 \text{ kg}$ and $m_2 = 1 \text{ kg}$ are placed on a frictionless surface in contact with each other, as shown. When the horizontal force $F_1 = 6 \text{ N}$ acts on m_1 the system moves with an acceleration of 2 m/s^2 . What is the magnitude of the contact force between the blocks?
 a) 1 N b) 2 N c) 3 N d) 4 N
- Q8. A worker pushes a crate with a force of 40 N over a horizontal distance of 6.0 m. If a frictional force of 24 N acts on the crate, what net work is done on the crate?
 a) 240 J b) 216 J c) 144 J d) 96 J
- Q9. A 60 kg student stands on a bathroom scale in an elevator and it reads 788 N. What is the acceleration of the elevator?
 a) 3.3 m/s^2 upward b) 3.3 m/s^2 downward
 c) 22.9 m/s^2 upward d) 22.9 m/s^2 downward
- Q10. A hill is 100 m long and makes an angle of 12° with the horizontal. As a 50 kg jogger runs up the hill, how much work does gravity do on the jogger?
 a) 47.9 kJ b) 10.2 kJ c) -10.2 kJ d) -49 kJ

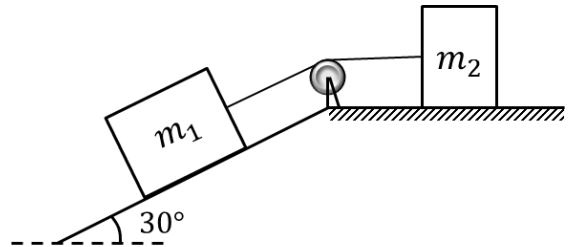


Part 2 (5 points total):

Solve the following two problems in the provided space. *Show your steps and include the appropriate units.*

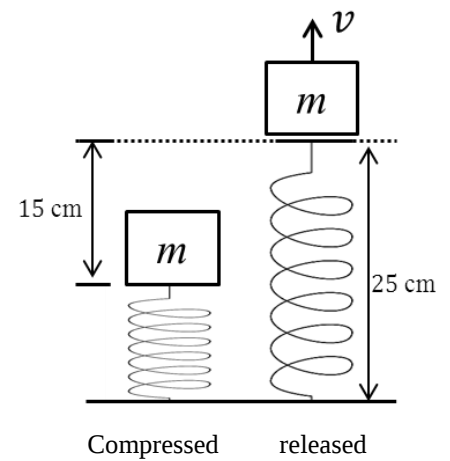
Q1. (3 points) Two blocks $m_1 = 4 \text{ kg}$ and $m_2 = 2 \text{ kg}$ are connected by a light string and a massless frictionless pulley, as shown. The inclined surface ($\theta = 30^\circ$) is frictionless, while the coefficient of kinetic friction between m_2 and the horizontal surface is 0.2.

- Draw a free body diagram for each block.
- Calculate the acceleration of the system.
- Calculate the tension in the string.



Q2. (2 points) A 25 cm long spring with a spring constant of $k = 400 \text{ N/m}$ is mounted vertically on a table. The spring was compressed by 15 cm and a block of mass $m = 2 \text{ kg}$ is placed on its end. The system was then released. Neglecting the mass of the spring and all frictional forces, calculate:

- The speed v of the block as it leaves the spring
- The maximum height the block reaches from the table.



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