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Forces and Motion Quiz

1) What is the net force acting on the box?



20 N Left / 10 N + 5 N Right
 20 N / 15 N = $F_{net} = 5 \text{ N Left}$

2) If the box has a mass of 5 kg, what is the acceleration of the box?

$F_{net} = 5 \text{ N Left}$ $m = 5 \text{ kg}$ $F_{net} = ma \rightarrow 5 \text{ N} = 5 \text{ kg} \cdot a$

$a = \frac{5 \text{ N}}{5 \text{ kg}} = 1 \text{ m/s}^2$



3) On Earth, a person has a mass of 30 kg. What is his weight?

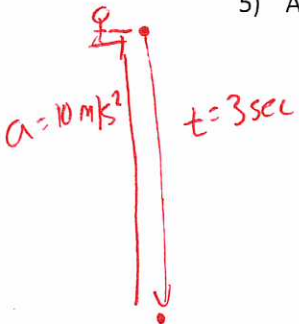
$F = ma$ $F_g = \text{weight} = m \cdot 10 \text{ m/s}^2 \rightarrow 30 \text{ kg} \cdot 10 \text{ m/s}^2 = 300 \text{ N}$

4) If the person moved to another planet where gravity was less than on earth, his mass would

- a. Stays the same as on earth
- b. Increase
- c. Decrease

↳ Mass doesn't change!!

5) A ball is dropped off a cliff. It takes the ball 3 seconds to hit the ground.



a. What is the ball's instantaneous velocity when it hits the ground?

$v = at \rightarrow v = 10 \text{ m/s}^2 \cdot 3 \text{ s} \rightarrow v = 30 \text{ m/s}$

b. What is the average speed of the ball?

$v_{avg} = \frac{v_i + v_f}{2} \rightarrow v_{avg} = \frac{0 \text{ m/s} + 30 \text{ m/s}}{2} \rightarrow v_{avg} = \frac{30 \text{ m/s}}{2} \rightarrow v_{avg} = 15 \text{ m/s}$

c. What is the total distance traveled by the ball?

$d = \frac{1}{2}at^2 \rightarrow d = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 10 \cdot 3^2 \rightarrow d = 5 \cdot 9 \rightarrow d = 45 \text{ m}$

6) Newton's 1st Law, an object at rest stays at rest and an object in motion stays in motion with the same speed and direction is similar to what concept? _____

- a. Weight
- b. Inertia
- c. Acceleration
- d. Electricity

7) A car's velocity decreases from 30 m/s to 15 m/s in 5 seconds.

a. Is the acceleration going to be positive or negative? Why?

$a = \frac{\Delta v}{t}$ Negative - the car is slowing down.

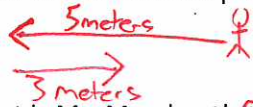
b. What is the car's acceleration?

$a = \frac{\Delta v}{t} \rightarrow a = \frac{30 \text{ m/s} - 15 \text{ m/s}}{5 \text{ s}} \rightarrow a = \frac{-15 \text{ m/s}}{5 \text{ s}} \rightarrow a = -3 \text{ m/s}^2$



8) Mr. Marchant walks 5 meters to the left and then 3 meters to the right.

a. Draw Mr. Marchant's path



b. What is Mr. Marchant's total distance traveled?

$$5 \text{ meters} + 3 \text{ meters} = 8 \text{ meters}$$

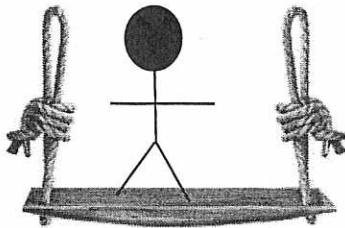
c. What is Mr. Marchant's displacement?

$$5 \text{ meters left} + 3 \text{ meters right} = 2 \text{ meters to the left}$$

9) On a position versus time graph, a person's slope is 2. What is the velocity of that person?

$$\text{Slope} = \text{Velocity} \rightarrow 2 = 2 \rightarrow v = 2$$

10) A man is standing on a swing held up by 2 cables. The man has a mass of 50 Kg.



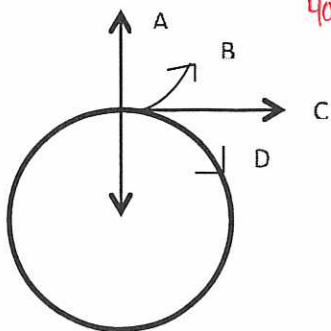
a. What is the man's weight?

$$F = ma \rightarrow W = ma \rightarrow W = 50 \text{ kg} \cdot 10 \text{ m/s}^2 \rightarrow W = 500 \text{ N}$$

b. If one cable has a tension force of 400 N. What is the tension force in the other cable?

$$400 \text{ N} + ? = 500 \text{ N} \rightarrow 100 \text{ N}$$

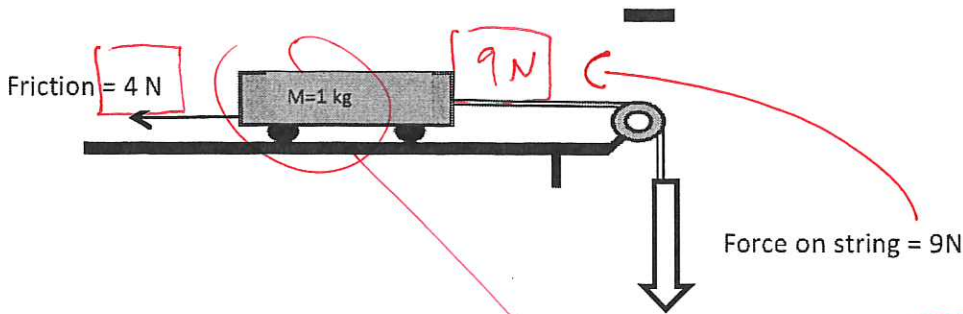
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The picture below shows a "top-down" view of the path of a toy airplane attached to a string being spun in a circular path above someone's head.

- The force that bends the object in a circular path is called? Centripetal force
- If the string breaks while the plane is at the top of the circle, which direction will the plane fly in? C
- Why does the plane move in that direction if the string breaks?
 - Kinetic energy
 - Inertia
 - Impulse

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$$\frac{F_{net}}{m \cdot a}$$

a. What is the net force on the cart?

$$4\text{ N} + 9\text{ N} = 5\text{ N to the right}$$

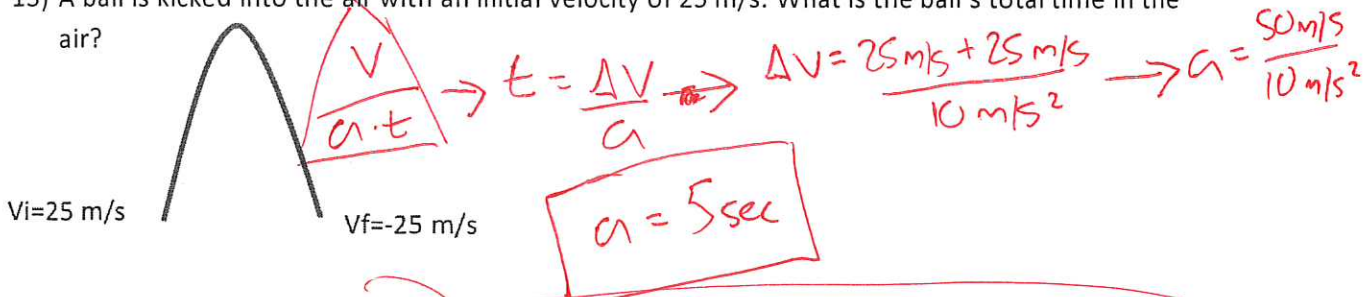
b. What is the cart's acceleration?

$$F_{net} = M \cdot a \rightarrow 5\text{ N} = 1\text{ kg} \cdot a \rightarrow 5\text{ N} / 1\text{ kg} = a \rightarrow a = 5\text{ m/s}^2$$

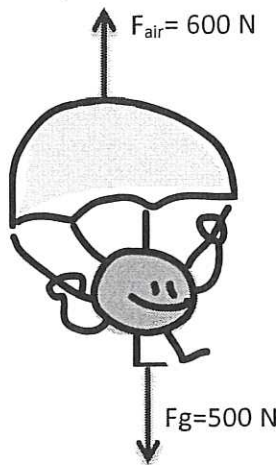
c. If the cart has an initial velocity of 0 m/s, what will the cart's velocity be after 4 seconds?

$$v = at \rightarrow v = 5\text{ m/s}^2 \cdot 4\text{ sec} \rightarrow v = 20\text{ m/s}$$

13) A ball is kicked into the air with an initial velocity of 25 m/s. What is the ball's total time in the air?



14) A sky diver has a mass of 50 kg.



a) What is the skydiver's net force (Make sure to include the direction)?

$$\begin{matrix} \uparrow 600\text{ N} \\ \downarrow 500\text{ N} \end{matrix} = 100\text{ N } \uparrow \text{ upward}$$

b) Is this force slowing him down or speeding him up?

Slowing him down

c) What is the skydiver's acceleration (Make sure to include if it is positive or negative)?

$$F_{net} = -100\text{ N} / M = 50\text{ kg}$$

$$a = F_{net} / m \rightarrow a = -100\text{ N} / 50\text{ kg} \rightarrow a = -2\text{ m/s}^2$$

d) If the skydiver has an initial velocity of 20 m/s what is his velocity after falling for 4 seconds?

$$v_f = v_i + at \rightarrow v_f = 20\text{ m/s} + (-2\text{ m/s}^2) \cdot 4\text{ s} = 20\text{ m/s} - 8\text{ m/s} = 12\text{ m/s}$$