

# Physics 3AB

## Motion and Forces Test One 2014

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Time Allowed: 50 minutes

Notes to Students:

- You must include **all** working to be awarded full marks for a question.
- Marks will be deducted for incorrect or absent units and answers stated to an incorrect number of significant figures.
- **No** graphics calculators are permitted – scientific calculators only.

**Question 1****(4 marks)**

A car moves due west with a speed of  $40.0 \text{ kmh}^{-1}$  and then turns and accelerates to travel north with a speed of  $50.0 \text{ kmh}^{-1}$ . With the aid of an appropriate diagram, calculate the change in velocity of the car.

**Question 2****(3 marks)**

A cricket player, attempting to stop a ball from reaching the boundary, slides to a stop on level ground. Using energy considerations, calculate the distance an  $85.0 \text{ kg}$  player will slide, if his initial speed is  $7.00 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  and the force of friction against him is a constant  $450 \text{ N}$ .

**Question 3****(6 marks)**

A projectile is fired from ground level and falls back to ground level.

- (a) In the space below, sketch the trajectory of the projectile, assuming there is no air resistance.

(1 mark)

- (b) On your sketch above, in a **different coloured pen**, sketch the trajectory of the projectile when in the **presence** of air resistance.

(2 marks)

- (c) Select and state **one** feature of the two sketches which is different and explain the difference.

(3 marks)

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**Question 4****(7 marks)**

A car travels along the curved exit ramp of a freeway. The radius of the curve is 80.0 m and the curve is not banked. A 70.0 kg passenger experiences a force of 220 N during the turn.

- (a) What is the car's speed in  $\text{kmh}^{-1}$ ?

(4 marks)

- (b) A passenger in the same car feels as though they are being pushed towards their door. Is this a real force they are experiencing? Explain your reasoning.

(3 marks)

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**Question 5****(13 marks)**

A sled weighing 200 N rests on a  $15.0^\circ$  incline. The coefficient of static friction ( $\mu_s$ ) is 0.500.

Given that  $F_f = \mu_s F_N$  and  $F_f = \mu_k F_N$

- (a) Sketch a diagram below showing the forces acting on the sled, including any appropriate resolution of forces.

(4 marks)

- (b) Calculate the magnitude of the static friction exerted on the sled.

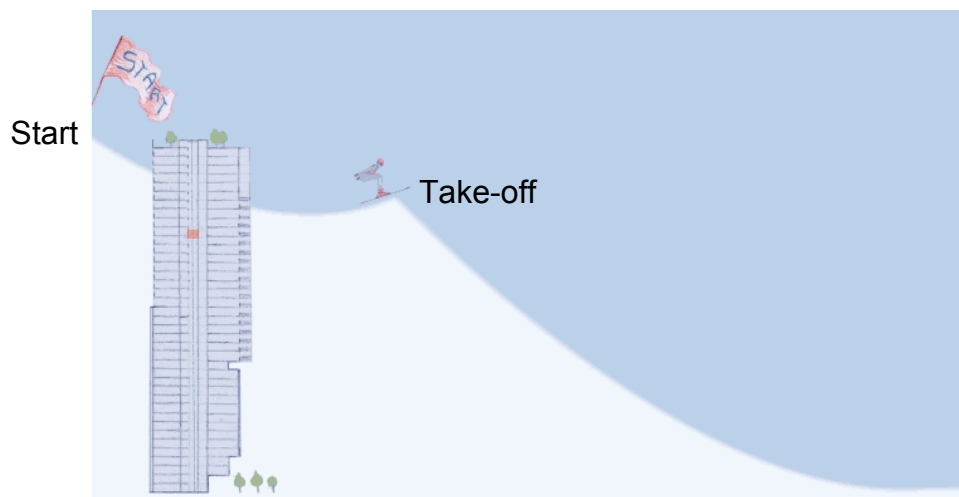
(4 marks)

- (c) A child with a weight of 500 N now sits on the sled. If the coefficient of kinetic friction ( $\mu_k$ ) is 0.150, calculate the acceleration of the sled. You may restate the result of derivations from (b).

(5 marks)

**Question 6****(11 marks)**

Ski jumping, recently seen at the Winter Olympics in Sochi, is a sport in which skiers go down a take-off ramp, then jump and attempt to impress judges. From the top of the run, it is a vertical drop of 140 m from their starting position to the landing. This is roughly equivalent to a 40-storey fall.



The ski jumper in the diagram above takes off from the ramp with a speed of  $90.0 \text{ kmh}^{-1}$  at an angle of  $12.0^\circ$  above the horizontal. Assume the take-off point is 21.0 m below the starting position.

- (a) Determine the flight time of the ski jumper from the take-off point. (4 marks)

- (b) Calculate the horizontal displacement of the ski jumper from the take-off point?

(3 marks)

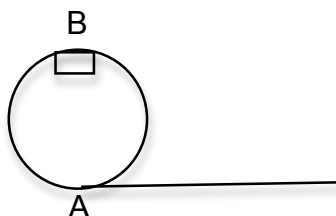
- (c) Calculate the velocity of the ski jumper on landing.

(4 mark)



**Question 7****(9 marks)**

A block slides on a frictionless surface along a loop-the-loop, as shown in the diagram below. The loop-the-loop has a radius of 20.0 cm.



- (a) In the area below, sketch and label free body diagrams of the forces acting on the block at point A and at point B.

(2 marks)

- (b) If the block was initially released from a point 1.40 m above A, what is the speed of the block at B?

(3 marks)

- (c) By making reference to your answer from (b), show that the block will successfully complete the loop-the-loop, (i.e. that it will never lose contact with the track).

(4 marks)