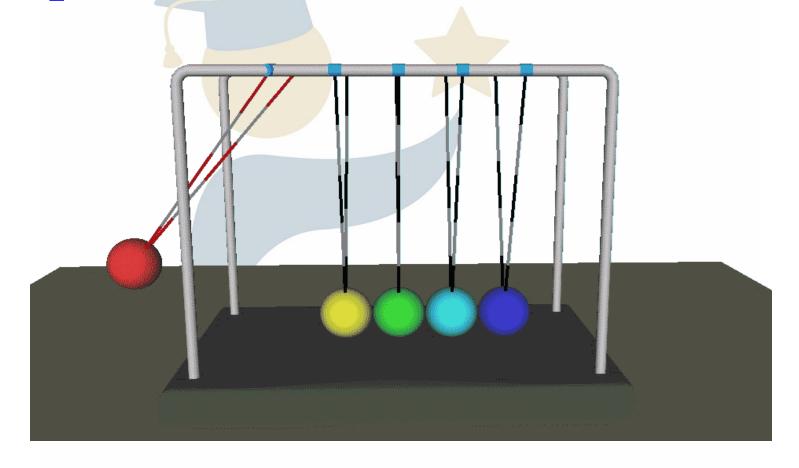
Grade 12 LS – Physics

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Chapter 2: Linear Momentum



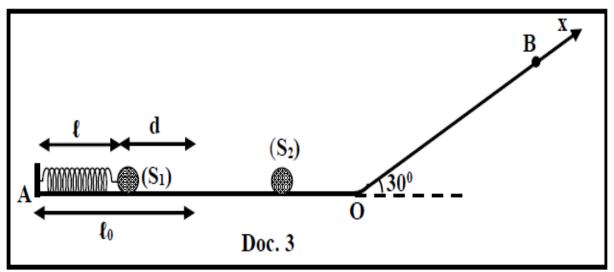
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Consider a rail AOB located in a vertical plane composed of two straight parts: a horizontal part AO and an inclined part OB making an angle $\alpha = 30^{\circ}$ with the horizontal.



Two objects (S_1) and (S_2) taken as particles of same mass m = 80 g;

- a massless spring (R), of force constant k = 200 N/m and natural length l_0 , fixed from one of its ends to a support at A with the other end free.
- Take the horizontal plane containing O as the reference level for gravitational potential energy and $g = 10m / s^2$.



1) Launching particle (S_1) :

- In order to launch (S_1) , it is placed against the free end of the spring, the spring is compressed by a distance d, and then the system [Spring (S_1)] is released from rest (Doc.3).
- When the spring returns to its natural length l_0 , (S_1) leaves the spring with a velocity V_1 parallel to AO.
- After launching, (S_1) moving with the velocity V_1 , collides head-on with (S_2) which is placed initially at rest on the rail AO.
- Just after the collision, (S_1) stops and (S_2) moves with a velocity V_2 parallel to AO and of magnitude $V_2=5m/s$.
- (S_1) and (S_2) move without friction on the rail AO.



- 1.1) Apply the law of conservation of linear momentum to show that the magnitude of V_1 is $V_1 = 5m/s$.
- 1.2) Deduce that the collision between (S_1) and (S_2) is elastic.
- 1.3) Determine the value of d.

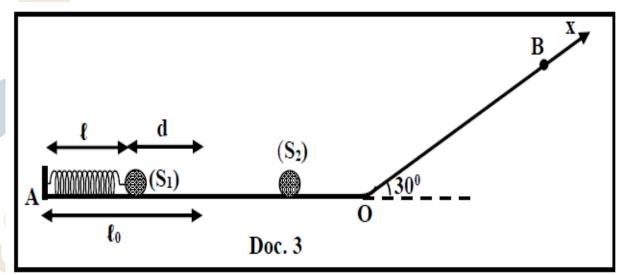


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; m=80g; k = 200 N/m; $g = 10m / s^2$; along AO, f=0N;

$$(S_1)$$
; V_1 ; (S_2) ; V=0. After collision: (S_1) ; $V_1' = 0$ and (S_2) ; $V_2 = 5$ m/s

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$$m\overrightarrow{V}_1 + m\overrightarrow{V} = m\overrightarrow{V}_1' + m\overrightarrow{V}_2$$



$$m\overrightarrow{V}_1 + 0 = 0 + m\overrightarrow{V}_2 \triangle C \triangle D E$$

$$\vec{V}_1 = \vec{V}_2$$

$$V_1 = V_2 = 5$$
m/s

Exercise 1

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Deduce that the collision between (S_1) and (S_2) is elastic.

$$KE_{(bef)} = KE_{(S1)} + KE_{(S2)}$$

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$$= KE_{(S1)} + KE_{(S2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}mV_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}mV_2^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(S1) + \frac{1}{2}(S2)$$

$$A \xrightarrow{\ell_0} (S_1) \xrightarrow{(S_2)} O$$

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 $KE_{(bef)} = 1J$

$$KE_{(bef)} = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.08(5)^2 + 0.$$

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$$KE_{(aft)} = KE_{(S1)} + KE_{(S2)}$$

$$KE_{(bef)} = \frac{1}{2} mV'_{1}^{2} + \frac{1}{2} mV_{2}^{2}$$

$$KE_{(aft)} = 0 + \frac{1}{2} \times 0.08(5)^2$$

$$KE_{(bef)} = 1J$$

Since $KE_{(bef)} = KE_{aft} = 1J$

Then the collision is elastic

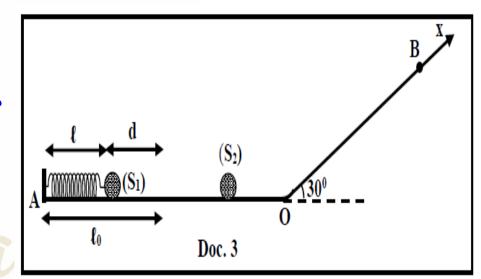


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1.3) Determine the value of d.

Apply the law of conservation of mechanical energy of the system [Oscillator- Earth].



$$ME_{compressed\ by\ d} = ME_{at\ initial\ length}$$

$$(KE + GPE + EPE)_{compressed} = (KE + GPE + EPE)_{initial}$$

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15 min

$$(KE + GPE + EPE)_{compressed} = (KE + GPE + EPE)_{initial}^{ge Smart}$$

$$0 + \frac{1}{2}kx^2 + 0 = \frac{1}{2}mV_1^2 + 0 + 0$$

$$0.5 \times 200 \times d^2 = 0.5 \times 0.08 \times 5^2$$

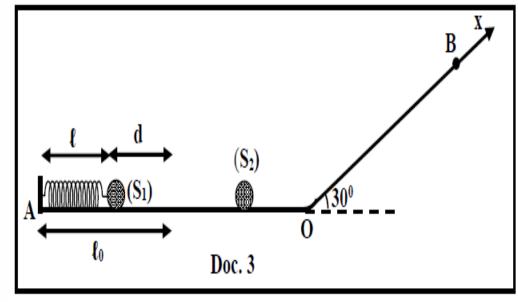
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$$d = 0.1m$$



2) Motion of (S_2) on the inclined part OB:

At the instant $t_0 = 0$, (S_2) starts from O on the inclined part OB with a velocity $\vec{V}_0 = 5\vec{\imath}$ (m/s), where $\vec{\imath}$ is the unit vector along the x-axis parallel to OB.

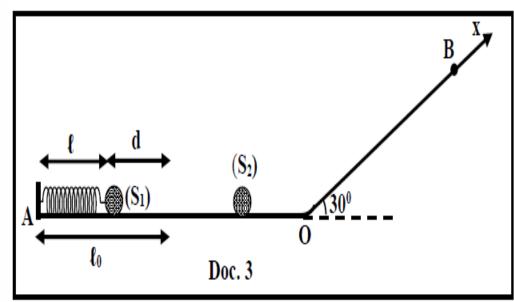


On this part, (S_2) is submitted to a friction force f of constant magnitude f and of direction opposite to its motion.

2.1) Name the external forces acting on (S_2) during its motion along the track OB.



2.2) Show that the sum of the external forces acting on (S_2) during its upward motion along OB is: $\sum \vec{F} = -(f + mgsin\alpha)\vec{i}$ (SI).



2.3) The expression of the linear momentum of (S_2) during its upward motion along OB is: $\vec{P} = (-0.9t + 0.4)\vec{i}$ (SI)

Knowing that $\frac{d\vec{P}}{dt} = \sum \vec{F}$, determine f.

 $m\overrightarrow{g}$



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2.1) Name the external forces acting on (S_2) during its motion along the track OB.

The forces acting on (S_2) along OB are:

- Weight $(\overrightarrow{W} = m\overrightarrow{g})$.
- Normal (\overline{N}) .
- Friction (\vec{f})

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2.2) Show that the sum of the external forces acting on (S_2) during its upward motion along OB is: $\sum \vec{F} = -(f + mgsin\alpha)\vec{i}$ (SI).

$$\sum_{i} \vec{F} = m\vec{g} + \vec{N} + \vec{f}$$

Project along x-axis: 0

$$\sum \vec{F} = -m\vec{g}sin\alpha - \vec{f}$$



$$\sum_{i} \vec{F} = -m\vec{g}\sin\alpha - \vec{f} \implies \sum_{i} \vec{F} = -(m\vec{g}\sin\alpha + \vec{f})\vec{i}$$



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Knowing that $\frac{d\vec{P}}{dt} = \sum \vec{F}$, determine f.

$$\vec{P} = (-0.9t + 0.4)\vec{i}$$
 $\rightarrow \frac{d\vec{P}}{dt} = -0.9\vec{i}$ $\rightarrow 0.9\vec{i} = (0.04 + \vec{f})\vec{i}$

Using newton's second law: $\frac{d\vec{P}}{dt} = \sum \vec{F}$

$$-0.9\vec{i} = -(m\vec{g}\sin\alpha + \vec{f})\vec{i}$$



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$$-0.9\vec{i} = -(m\vec{g}sin\alpha + \vec{f})\vec{i}$$

$$-0.9\vec{i} = -(0.08 \times 10 \times \sin 30 + \vec{f})\vec{i}$$

$$0.9\vec{i} = (0.04 + \vec{f})\vec{i}$$

$$\vec{f} = 0.5\vec{\iota} \text{ (N)}.$$

$$f = 0.5$$
 (N).



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