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Time 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper
reference

WME02/01

Mathematics

International Advanced Subsidiary/Advanced Level
Mechanics M2

You must have:

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Yellow), calculator

Total Marks

Candidates may use any calculator permitted by Pearson regulations. Calculators must not have the facility for symbolic algebra manipulation, differentiation and integration, or have retrievable mathematical formulae stored in them.

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B).
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions and ensure that your answers to parts of questions are clearly labelled.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided – *there may be more space than you need.*
- You should show sufficient working to make your methods clear. Answers without working may not gain full credit.
- Whenever a numerical value of g is required, take $g = 9.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}$, and give your answer to either 2 significant figures or 3 significant figures.

Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- There are 8 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets – *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.
- If you change your mind about an answer, cross it out and put your new answer and any working underneath.
- Good luck with your examination.

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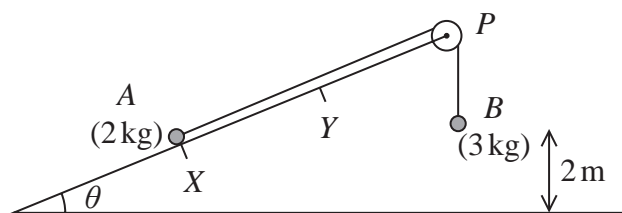


Figure 4

Two particles, A and B , of mass 2 kg and 3 kg respectively, are connected by a light inextensible string. Particle A is held at rest at the point X on a fixed rough ramp that is inclined at an angle θ to the horizontal, where $\tan \theta = \frac{5}{12}$. The string passes over a small smooth pulley P that is fixed at the top of the ramp. Particle B hangs vertically below P , 2 m above the ground, as shown in Figure 4.

The particles are released from rest with the string taut so that A moves up the ramp and the section of the string from A to P is parallel to a line of greatest slope of the ramp. The coefficient of friction between A and the ramp is $\frac{3}{8}$.

Air resistance is ignored.

(a) Find the potential energy lost by the system as A moves 2 m up the ramp. (3)

(b) Find the work done against friction as A moves 2 m up the ramp. (4)

When B hits the ground, B is brought to rest by the impact and does not rebound and A continues to move up the ramp.

(c) Use the work-energy principle to find the speed of B at the instant before it hits the ground. (4)

Particle A comes to instantaneous rest at the point Y on the ramp, where $XY = (2 + d)\text{ m}$.

(d) Use the work-energy principle to find the value of d . (4)

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