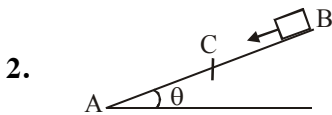


NLM & FRICTION

1. A mass of 10 kg is suspended by a rope of length 4 m, from the ceiling. A force F is applied horizontally at the mid-point of the rope such that the top half of the rope makes an angle of 45° with the vertical. Then F equals: (Take $g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ and the rope to be massless)
 (1) 100 N (2) 90 N (3) 75 N (4) 70 N

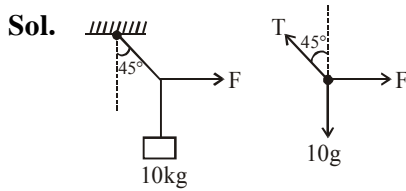


A small block starts slipping down from a point B on an inclined plane AB, which is making an angle θ with the horizontal section BC is smooth and the remaining section CA is rough with a coefficient of friction μ . It is found that the block comes to rest as it reaches the bottom (point A) of the inclined plane. If $BC = 2AC$, the coefficient of friction is given by $\mu = k \tan\theta$. The value of k is _____.

3. A block starts moving up an inclined plane of inclination 30° with an initial velocity of v_0 . It comes back to its initial position with velocity $\frac{v_0}{2}$. The value of the coefficient of kinetic friction between the block and the inclined plane is close to $\frac{I}{1000}$, The nearest integer to I is _____ .
4. An insect is at the bottom of a hemispherical ditch of radius 1 m. It crawls up the ditch but starts slipping after it is at height h from the bottom. If the coefficient of friction between the ground and the insect is 0.75, then h is :
 ($g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$)
 (1) 0.80 m (2) 0.60 m
 (3) 0.45 m (4) 0.20 m

SOLUTION

1. NTA Ans. (1)



For equilibrium,

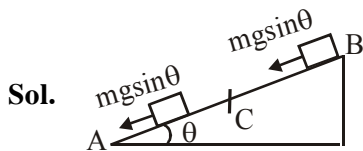
$$T \sin 45^\circ = F \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{and } T \cos 45^\circ = 10g \quad \dots(2)$$

equation (1)/(2)

we get $F = 10g = 100 \text{ N}$

2. Official Ans. by NTA (3)

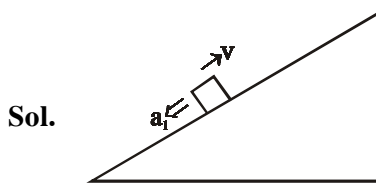


Apply work energy theorem

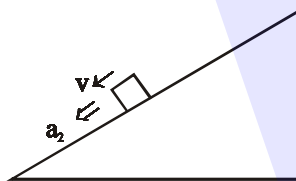
$$mgsin\theta (AC + 2AC) - \mu mg \cos\theta AC = 0$$

$$\mu = 3\tan\theta$$

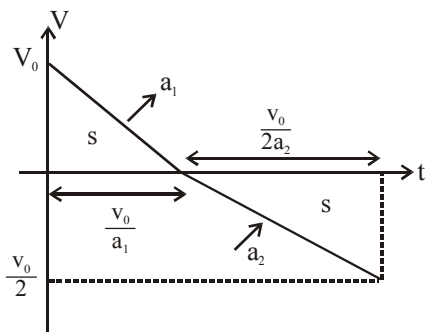
3. Official Ans. by NTA (346)



$$a_1 = g(\sin\theta + \mu \cos\theta)$$



$$a_2 = g(\sin\theta + \mu \cos\theta)$$

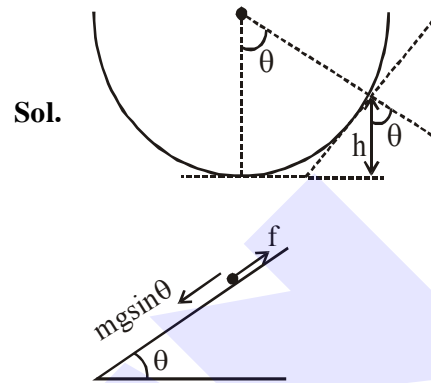


$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} v_0 \frac{v_0}{a_1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{v_0}{2} \right) \left(\frac{v_0}{2a_1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 \sin \theta = 5 \mu \cos \theta$$

$$\therefore \mu = \sqrt{3}/5$$

4. Official Ans. by NTA (4)

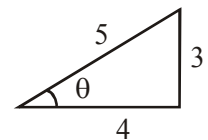
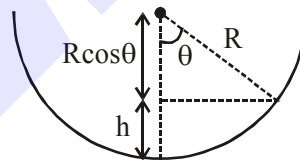


For balancing $mgsin\theta = f$

$$mgsin\theta = \mu mg \cos\theta$$

$$\tan\theta = \mu$$

$$\tan\theta = \frac{3}{4}$$



$$h = R - R \cos\theta$$

$$= R - R \left(\frac{4}{5} \right) = \frac{R}{5}$$

$$h = \frac{R}{5} = 0.2 \text{ m}$$

\therefore correct option is (4)