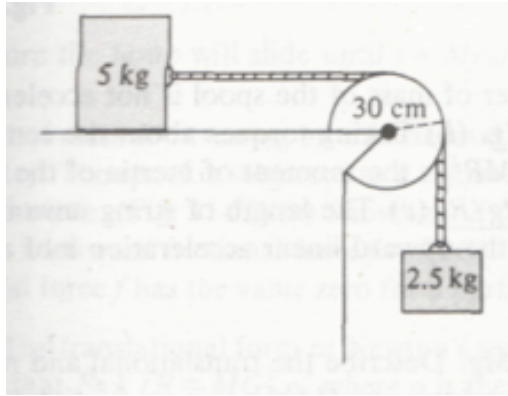


ROTATIONAL DYNAMICS



1. The frictional force between the block and table is 20 N. If the moment of inertia of the wheel is  $4.0 \text{ kgm}^2$ ,

a. What is the tension pulling up and the tension pulling across?

$[T_1 = 24.3 \text{ N}, T_2 = 20.4 \text{ N}]$

b. What is the acceleration of the blocks?

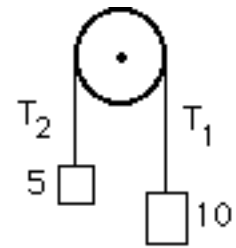
$[0.0866 \text{ m/s}^2]$

c. What is the angular acceleration of the pulley?

$[0.289 \text{ radians/s}^2]$

d. how long will it take the block to drop 60 cm after the system is released?  $[3.72 \text{ s}]$  Assume no slippage between rope & wheel.

2. Two masses of 5 and 10 kg are attached together by a string that goes over a flywheel as indicated in the diagram. The flywheel is a uniform disc of radius 20 cm and mass 6 kg. If there is no slippage between the string and the flywheel rim, and if there is a friction torque of 3 Nm exerted on the wheel by its axle, what are  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$ , and angular acceleration of the wheel?



Hin:  $T_1 \neq T_2$

$[T_2 = 58.4 \text{ N}, T_1 = 79.1 \text{ N}, \alpha = 9.44 \text{ radians/s}^2]$

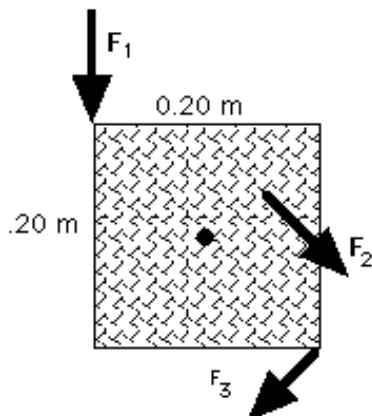
3. A 5.5 kg flywheel at radius 20 cm is made to rotate at 600 rpm in 20 seconds starting from rest.

a. What is the torque produced by the motor?  $[\tau = 0.314 \text{ Nm}]$

b. How much work does it do?  $[W = 197.2 \text{ J}]$

c. How much power does it produce?  $[P = 9.86 \text{ W}]$

d. What if you turned off the motor and a friction torque of 0.6 Nm started, how much time would elapse before the flywheel came to rest?  $[t = 11.51 \text{ s}]$

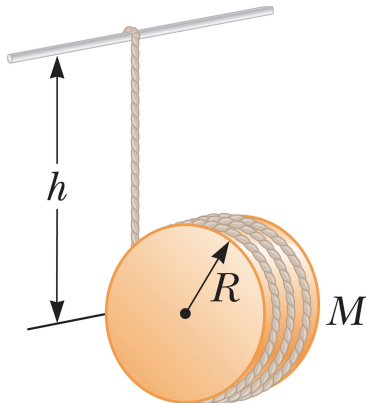


4. A square metal plate 0.20 m on each side, mass = 24 kg is pivoted about an axis through its center and perpendicular to the plate, as shown in the figure.

$$I_{\text{rectangle}} = \frac{M}{12}(\ell^2 + w^2)$$

Calculate the net torque about the axis  $[\text{answer: } 1.96 \text{ Nm}]$ , and the angular acceleration  $[\text{answer: } 12.3 \text{ rad/s}^2]$  due to the

three forces shown in the figure if the magnitudes of the forces are  $F_1 = 80.0 \text{ N}$ ,  $F_2 = 20 \text{ N}$ , and  $F_3 = 15 \text{ N}$ , and a friction torque of  $2.5 \text{ Nm}$ . ( $F_2$  is in the midpoint between the center and the corner)



5. A string is wrapped around a uniform cylinder of mass  $M$  and radius  $R$ . the cylinder is released from rest with the string vertical and its top end tied to a fixed bar.
- show that the tension in the string is one-third the weight of the cylinder.
  - the magnitude of the acceleration of the center of gravity is  $2g/3$ , and

(c) the speed of the center of gravity is  $(4gh/3)^{1/2}$  after the cylinder has descended through distance  $h$ . Verify your answer to part (c) with the energy approach.

**a.**

*Torque Analysis*

$$\sum \tau_i = I\alpha$$

$$TR \sin 90^\circ = \frac{1}{2} mR^2 \alpha$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} mR\alpha \rightarrow T = \frac{1}{2} mR \frac{a}{R}$$

$$T = \frac{1}{2} ma$$

$$a = \frac{2T}{m}$$

*Force Analysis*

$$T = W - ma$$

$$T = W - m \left( \frac{2T}{m} \right)$$

$$T = W - 2T$$

$$3T = W$$

$$T = \frac{W}{3}$$

**b & c do yourselves**