



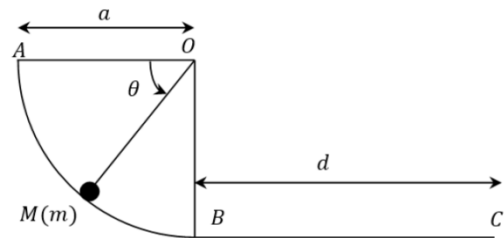
SW n° 06 of Mechanic

Work and Energy

Exercise 1

A particle of mass m , initially at rest in A, slides without friction on the circular surface AOB of radius a .

- 1) Determine the work of weight from A to M.
- 2) Determine the work of the surface-particle contact force m .
- 3) Determine the potential energy E_p of m at the point M ($E_p(B) = 0$).
- 4) Use the kinetic energy theorem to determine the speed of m at point M, deduce its kinetic energy E_c .
- 5) Calculate the mechanical energy E_m .
- 6) Show E_c , E_p and E_m ($0 < \theta < \pi/2$). Discuss.
- 7) The circular surface AOB is connected to a horizontal part BC, there is friction between B and C, the particle stops at a distance d from B. Determine the coefficient of kinetic friction. Given $d = 3a = 3m$.



Exercise 2

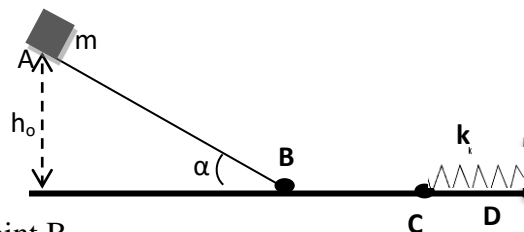
Consider a small block of mass $m = 5\text{kg}$ dropped without initial velocity at point A of an inclined plane at an angle $\alpha = 30^\circ$ to the horizontal. Point A is at a height $h_0 = 5\text{m}$ from the horizontal.

1- Knowing that the coefficient of dynamic friction on plane AB is $\mu_d = 0.2$, applying the fundamental principle of dynamics:

- What is the nature of the motion on plane AB?
- Calculate the speed of the block when it reaches point B.

2- After passing through point B at speed V_B , the mass arrives at point C. Knowing that the coefficient of friction is negligible on plane BC :

- Deduce the speed at point C?
- Calculate the maximum compression of the spring, given a stiffness constant equal to $k = 100\text{N/m}$? ($g = 10\text{ m/s}^2$).



Exercise 3

A piece of ice M of mass m slides without friction over the outer surface of an igloo, which is a half-sphere of radius r with a horizontal base.

At $t=0$, it is released from point A without any initial velocity.

- Find the expression for the velocity at point B, as a function of g , r and θ .
- Using the fundamental relation of dynamics, determine the expression of $|\vec{N}|$ the reaction of the igloo on M at point B as a function of velocity v_B .
- At what height does M leave the sphere?
- At what speed does M arrive at the axis (Ox)?

