

Mixed Review

Rotational Equilibrium and Dynamics

1. a. On some doors, the doorknob is in the center of the door. What would a physicist say about the practicality of this arrangement? Why would physicists design doors with knobs farther from the hinge?

- b. How much more force would be required to open the door from the center rather than from the edge?

2. Figure skaters commonly change the shape of their body in order to achieve spins on the ice. Explain the effects on each of the following quantities when a figure skater pulls in his or her arms.

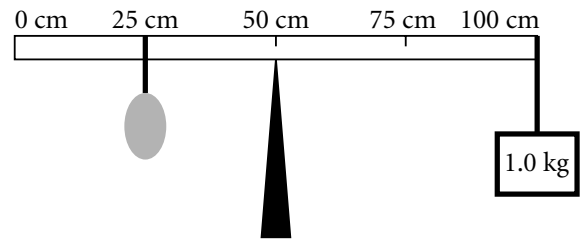
- a. moment of inertia

- b. angular momentum

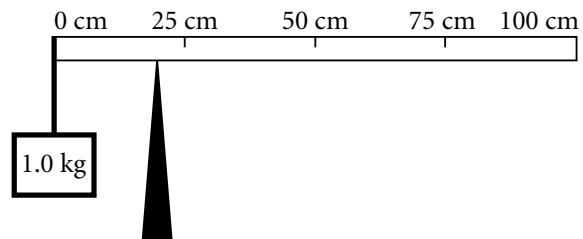
- c. angular speed

3. For the following items, assume the objects shown are in rotational equilibrium.

- a. What is the mass of the sphere to the right?



- b. What is the mass of the portion of the meterstick to the left of the pivot? (Hint: 20% of the mass of the meterstick is on the left. How much must be on the right?)



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- 4.** A force of 25 N is applied to the end of a uniform rod that is 0.50 m long and has a mass of 0.75 kg.
- a.** Find the torque, moment of inertia, and angular acceleration if the rod is allowed to pivot around its center of mass. _____
 - b.** Find the torque, moment of inertia, and angular acceleration if the rod is allowed to pivot around the end, away from the applied force. _____
- 5.** A satellite in orbit around Earth is initially at a constant angular speed of 7.27×10^{-5} rad/s. The mass of the satellite is 45 kg, and it has an orbital radius of 4.23×10^7 m.
- a.** Find the moment of inertia of the satellite in orbit around Earth. _____
 - b.** Find the angular momentum of the satellite. _____
 - c.** Find the rotational kinetic energy of the satellite around Earth. _____
 - d.** Find the tangential speed of the satellite. _____
 - e.** Find the translational kinetic energy of the satellite. _____
- 6.** A series of two simple machines is used to lift a 13300 N car to a height of 3.0 m. Both machines have an efficiency of 0.90 (90 percent). Machine A moves the car, and the output of machine B is the input to machine A.
- a.** How much work is done on the car? _____
 - b.** How much work must be done on machine A in order to achieve the amount of work done on the car? _____
 - c.** How much work must be done on machine B in order to achieve the amount of work from machine A? _____
 - d.** What is the overall efficiency of this process? _____

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