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# Newton's Law in 2-Dimensions

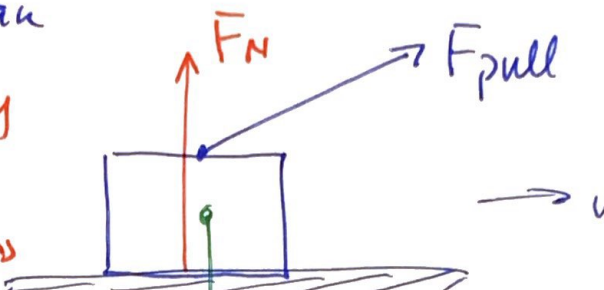
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Find the horizontal acc'n

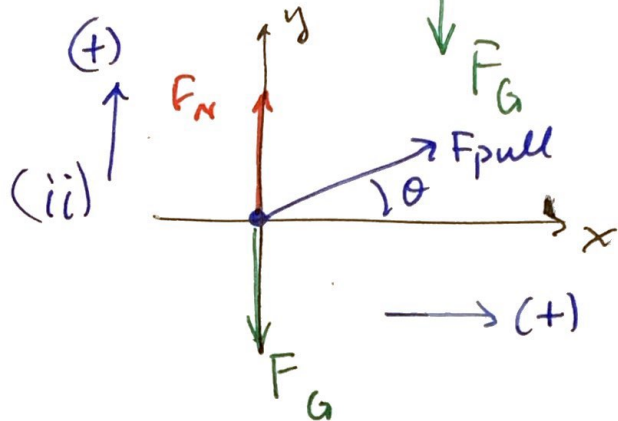
(i) Diagram

air hockey table

So No Friction



The block starts to slide sideways.



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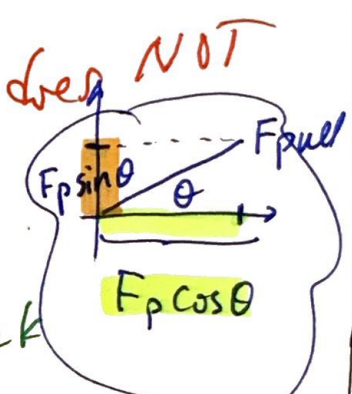
let  $m = 10 \text{ kg}$   
 $F_{\text{pull}} = 40 \text{ N}$   
 $\theta = 30^\circ \text{ N of E}$

Q: ask what is the block's acc'n?  $a_x = ?$

(iii)  $\sum \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$  vectors:

x:  $\sum F_x = m a_x$  *seek this*

y:  $\sum F_y = m a_y$  *"0" since the block does NOT leave the table*



x:  ~~$(F_N)_x - (F_G)_x + (F_{\text{pull}})_x = m a_x$~~  *we seek*

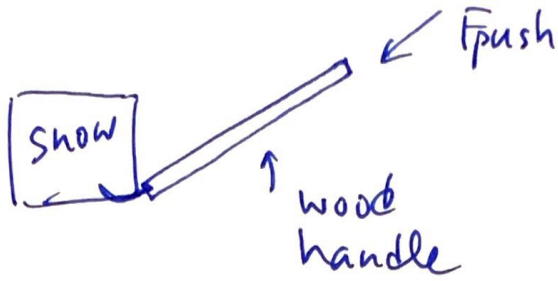
y:  ~~$(F_N)_y - (F_G)_y + (F_{\text{pull}})_y = m a_y$~~  *This eqn not needed.*

$F_p \cos 30^\circ = m a_x$

$a_x = \frac{40 \text{ N} \cos 30^\circ}{10 \text{ kg}} = \underline{\underline{3.46 \text{ m/s}^2}}$

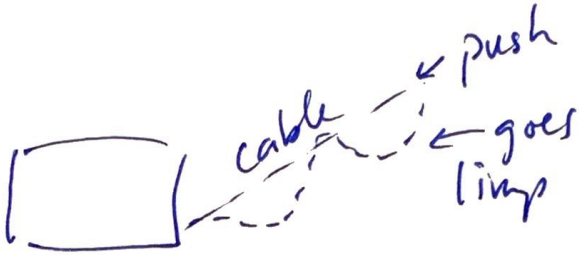
# \* Compression v.s. Tension Forces

(2)



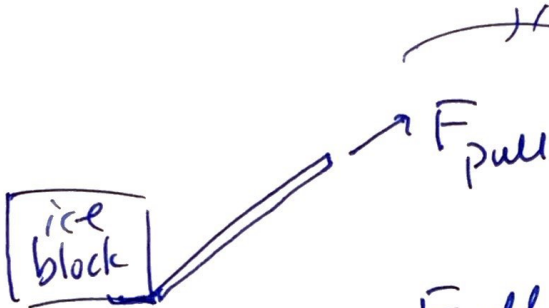
The handle experience

Compression



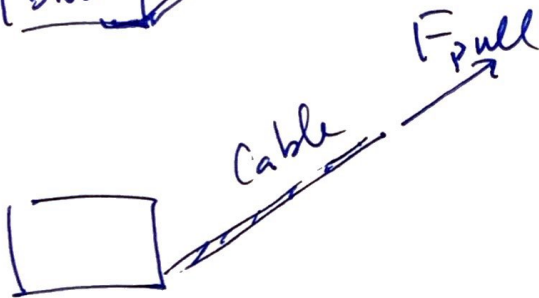
Cable experiences

No Compression



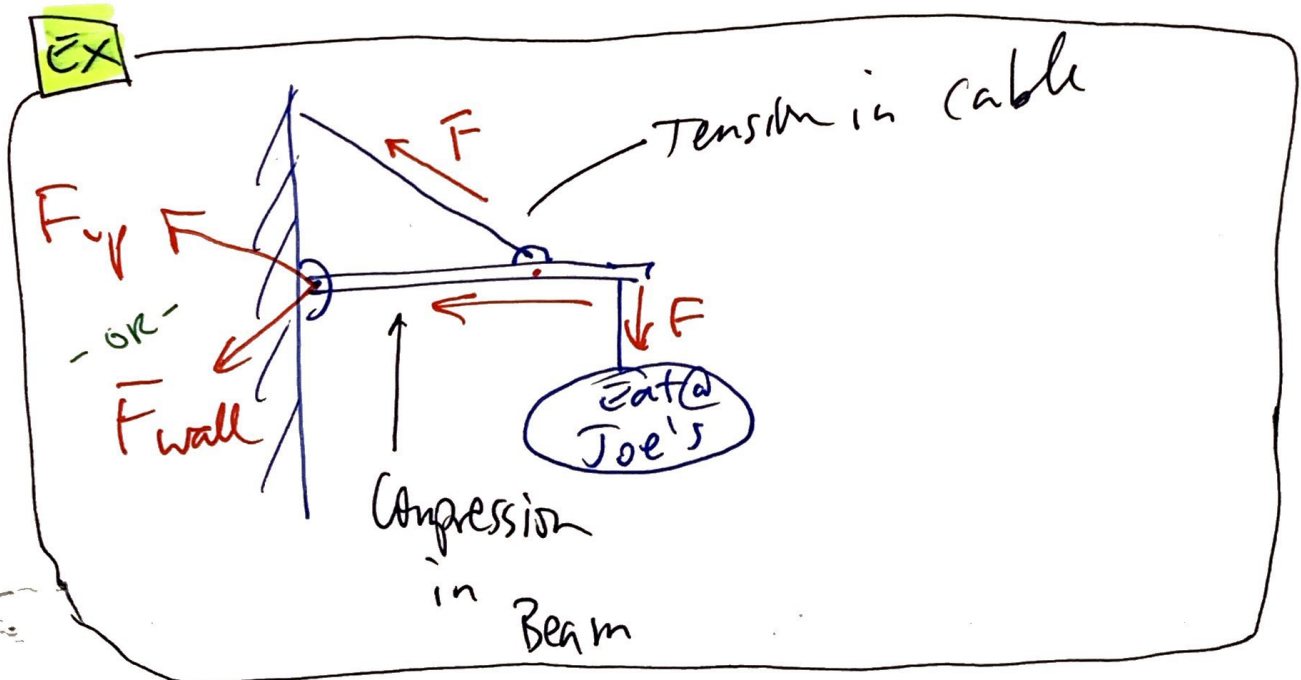
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Tension



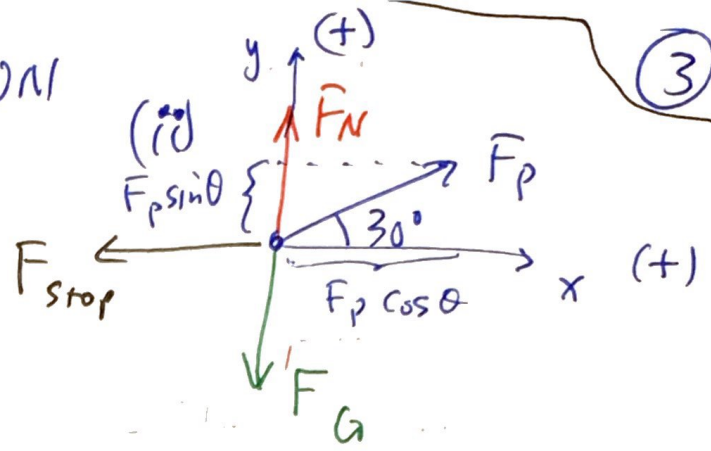
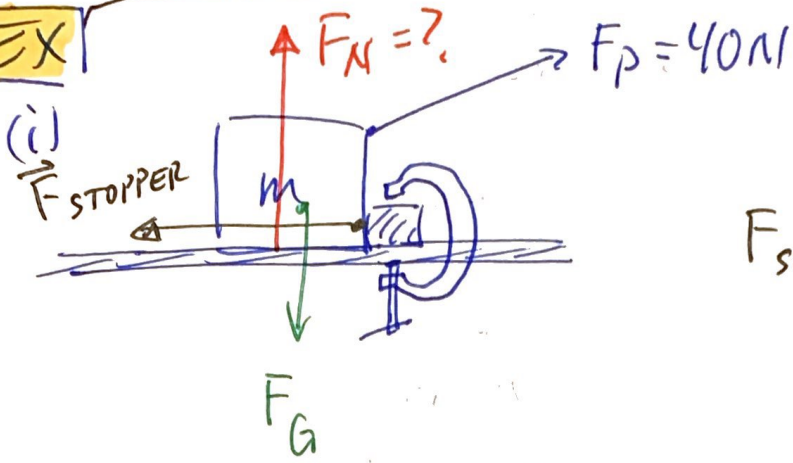
The cable experience

Tension also



EX

(3)



(iii)  $\sum F_x = ma_x \rightarrow 0$

$(F_N)_x + (F_{\text{pull}})_x - (F_G)_x - F_{\text{stop}} = 0$

$\sum F_y = ma_y \rightarrow 0$

$F_P \cos \theta = F_{\text{stop}}$

$(F_N)_y + (F_{\text{pull}})_y - (F_G)_y - (F_{\text{stop}})_y = 0$

$F_N + F_P \sin \theta - mg - 0 = 0$

$F_N = mg - F_P \sin \theta$

$= (10\text{kg})(9.8\text{m/s}^2) - (40\text{N}) \sin 30^\circ$

$= 98\text{N} - 20\text{N}$

$F_N = 78\text{N}$

- Our pulling force causes the Normal force { Bathroom Scale } to be 20N less i.e., the table does not need to support as much weight!! { since the  $F_{\text{pull}}$  alleviates the weight of the box }



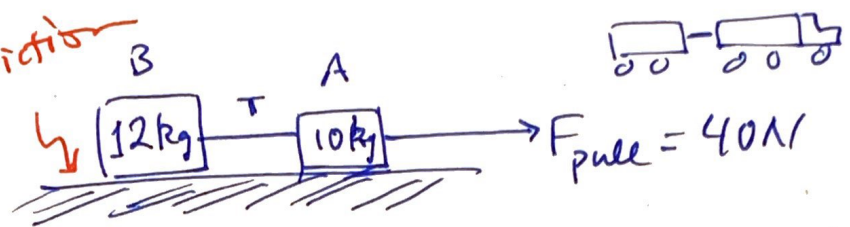
EX

Two boxes, one in TOW of the other

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(i)

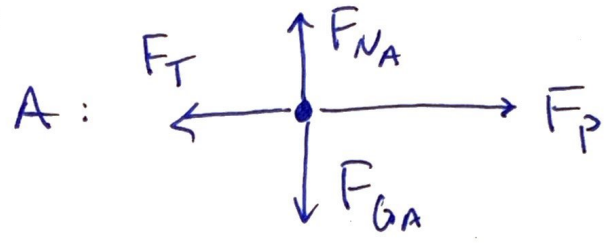
No Friction



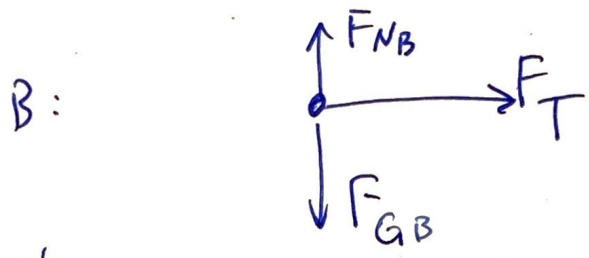
(1-Dim)

(ii) Find the acc'n of the system of blocks.

(iii) eqns  
(i) Free body



$$\begin{cases} F_p - F_T = m_A a_A & : x \\ y: \text{not needed} \end{cases}$$



$$\begin{cases} F_T = m_B a_B & : x \\ y: \text{Not needed} \end{cases}$$

(iv) do the math...

let insert  $F_T = m_B a_B$  into  $F_p - T_T = m_A a_A$

$$\Rightarrow F_p - (m_B a_B) = m_A a_A$$

$$F_p = m_A a_A + m_B a_B$$

$$F_p = (m_A + m_B) a$$

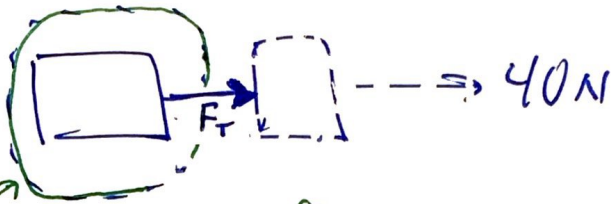
Here we recognize that  $a_A = a_B$  call these "a"

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{F_p}{m_A + m_B}$$

Hey, we could a just added the masses together!

$$a = \frac{40 \text{ N}}{(10 + 12) \text{ kg}} = \boxed{1.82 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

(b) what is the tension between the blocks (5)



need only focus  
on this block

$$F_T = m_B a_B = (12\text{ kg})(1.82\text{ m/s}^2)$$

(c) why is  $F_T$  not  $40\text{N}$ ? =  $21.84\text{N}$

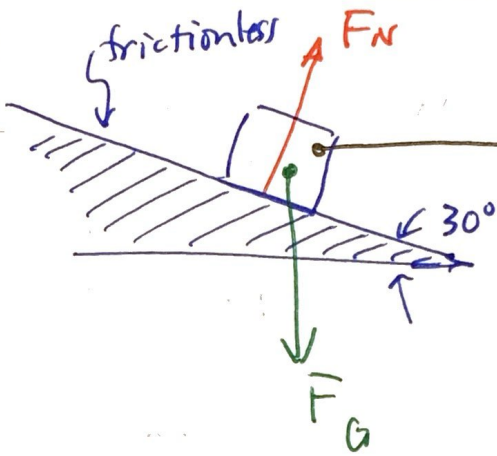
about  $\frac{1}{2} F_{\text{pull}}$  is used to acc'lt A and  
one  $\frac{1}{2} F_{\text{pull}}$  used to acc'lt B.

# Frictionless Incline Problem EX

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(a) Find acc'n

(i)

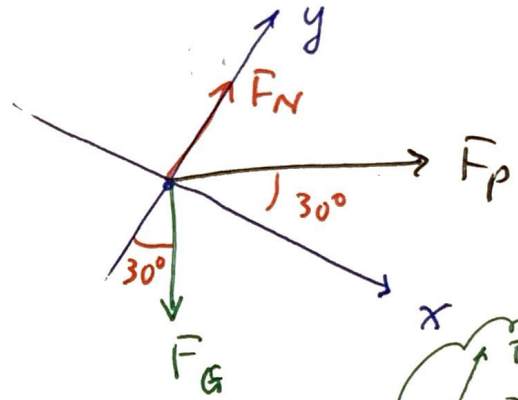
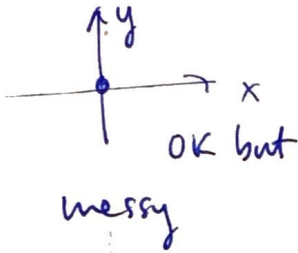


If  $\theta = 30^\circ$ ,  $m = 10\text{kg}$

$F_p = 40\text{N}$

then find acc'n down the ramp.

(ii)

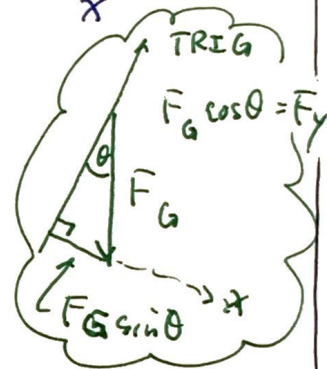


(iii) Eqs:  $\Sigma \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$

x:  $(F_N)_x + (F_p)_x + (F_G)_x = ma_x$

y:  $(F_N)_y + (F_p)_y - (F_G)_y = may$

does not leave surface



x:  $F_p \cos \theta + F_G \sin \theta = ma$

y:  $F_N + F_p \sin \theta - F_G \cos \theta = 0$

Two-Eqs with two unknowns:  $a$  &  $F_N$

(iv) Solve: These eqns are not coupled so we only need one at a time:

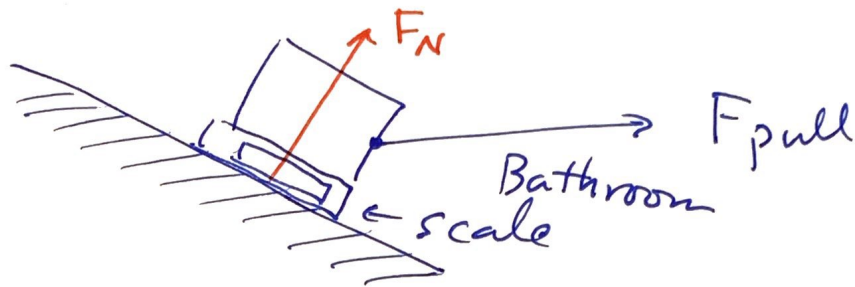
Top:  $a = \frac{F_p \cos \theta + F_G \sin \theta}{m} = \frac{40 \cos 30^\circ + 98 \text{N} \sin 30^\circ}{10\text{kg}}$

$a = \frac{34.64 + 49.00}{10} = 8.36 \text{ m/s}^2$

Note if  $F_p = 0$  then  $a = \frac{F_G \sin \theta}{m} = \frac{98 \sin 30^\circ}{10} = 4.9 \text{ m/s}^2$



(b) what is the Normal Force?



$$\uparrow: F_N + F_p \sin \theta - F_G \cos \theta = 0$$

$$F_N = F_G \cos \theta - F_p \sin \theta$$

$$= 98 \text{ N} \cos 30^\circ - 40 \text{ N} \sin 30^\circ$$

$$F_N = 64.9 \text{ N}$$

vs 98 N if the table was horizontal

If  $F_p = 0$

$$F_N = F_G \cos \theta$$

$$= 98 \cos 30^\circ$$

$$F_N = 84 \text{ N}$$

vs 64.9 N when pulled

If  $F_p = 0$  and  $\theta = 0^\circ$  then  $F_N = F_G \cos 0^\circ$

• Horiz.

$$F_N = F_G$$

• Vertical:  $F_N = F_G \cos 90^\circ$

$$F_N = 0 \text{ N} \text{ Free fall}$$