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Instructions:

- Do your own work.
- Answer the questions below in the space provided.
- Make sure you show all your work and any equations that you use.
- Please place a box around your answers.
- Remember to give the correct units with all numerical answers.

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
10	10	5	5

1. Consider the two batons shown below. Each is made from a hollow, massless rod of length L and two small equal masses of mass $m/2$. Each starts rotating from rest around an axis at the center when a force F is applied on one end perpendicularly.

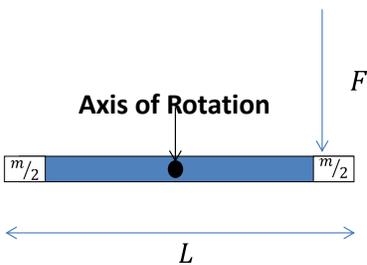


Figure (a)—Top View

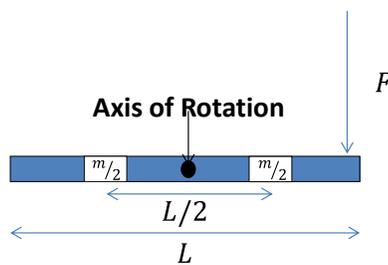


Figure (b)—Top View

Table 1: Useful Information

MASS (m)	Length (L)	F
2.5 kg	1.2 m	1.5 N
I	K	$\omega(t)$
$I = \sum mr^2$	$\frac{1}{2}I\omega^2$	$\omega(t) = \omega_0 + at$

$$r_{cm} = \frac{(r_1 m_1 + r_2 m_2)}{m_1 + m_2}$$

Fill in the table below. Make sure to include correct units.

Table (10 pts):

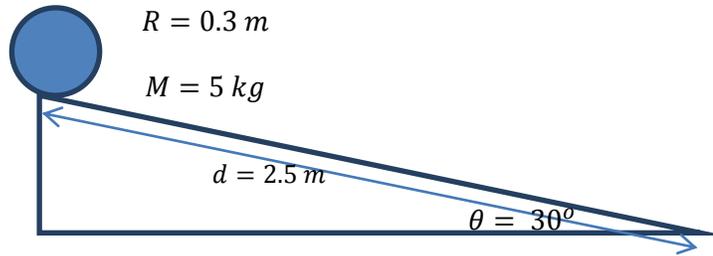
QUANTITY	FIGURE (a) VALUE	FIGURE (b) VALUE
I	$I = \frac{m}{2} \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{m}{2} \left(\frac{L}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{mL^2}{4} = \frac{(2.5 \text{ kg})(1.2 \text{ m})^2}{4} = 0.9 \text{ kg m}^2$	$I = \frac{m}{2} \left(\frac{L}{4}\right)^2 + \frac{m}{2} \left(\frac{L}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{mL^2}{16} = \frac{(2.5 \text{ kg})(1.2 \text{ m})^2}{16} = 0.225 \text{ kg m}^2$
r_{cm} (measured from the left end)	$r_{cm} = \frac{\left(\frac{m}{2} \times 0 + \frac{m}{2} \times L\right)}{(m)} = \frac{L}{2} = \frac{1.2}{2} \text{ m} = 0.6 \text{ m}.$	$r_{cm} = \frac{\left(\frac{m}{2} \times \frac{L}{4} + \frac{m}{2} \times \frac{3L}{4}\right)}{(m)} = \frac{L}{2} = \frac{1.2}{2} \text{ m} = 0.6 \text{ m}.$
$\tau = RF \sin\theta = I\alpha$	$\tau = RF = \frac{L}{2} F = \frac{1.2 \text{ m}}{2} \times 1.5 \text{ N} = 0.9 \text{ N m}$	$\tau = RF = \frac{L}{2} F = \frac{1.2 \text{ m}}{2} \times 1.5 \text{ N} = 0.9 \text{ N m}$
α	$\alpha = \frac{\tau}{I} = \frac{(0.9 \text{ N m})}{(0.9 \text{ kg m}^2)} = 1 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}^2}$	$\alpha = \frac{\tau}{I} = \frac{(0.9 \text{ N m})}{(0.225 \text{ kg m}^2)} = 4 \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{s}^2}$
K at $t = 2 \text{ s}$	$K = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{mL^2}{4} (at)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.9 \times (1 \times 2)^2 \text{ J} = 1.8 \text{ J}$	$K = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{mL^2}{4} (at)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.225 \times (4 \times 2)^2 \text{ J} = 7.2 \text{ J}$

2. A thin, hollow cylinder rolls down an inclined plane without slipping. The cylinder starts from rest at the top of the incline. The following are true about the cylinder-inclined plane system:

ANGLE OF INCLINE	LENGTH OF INCLINE	CYLINDER MASS	CYLINDER RADIUS
30°	2.5 m	5 kg	0.3 m

- a. Draw a figure which describes the cylinder and inclined plane *before* the cylinder starts to roll. Remember to label all parts of the diagram.

Figure (2 pts):



Selections (2 pts):

- b. As the cylinder rolls down the incline which of the following are true (select all correct responses):
- i. Momentum is conserved (we consider the cylinder only).
 - ii. Potential energy is converted into kinetic energy.
 - iii. The cylinder will have both rotational and translational kinetic energy.

Potential Energy (2 pts):

- c. Calculate the potential energy of the cylinder at the top of the incline ($U = mgh$).

$$U = mgh = 5 \times 9.8 \times 2.5 \sin 30^\circ J = 61.25 J$$

Total Kinetic Energy (2 pts):

- d. Find the total kinetic energy ($K = \frac{1}{2} M v_{cm}^2 + \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$) at the bottom of the incline (hint: total energy is conserved).

$$K = U = 61.25 J$$

Rotational Speed (2 pts):

- e. Using $\omega = v_{cm}/R$, find the angular speed of the cylinder at the bottom of the ramp. For a cylindrical shell $I = MR^2$.

$$K = \frac{1}{2} M v_{cm}^2 + \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2 = \frac{1}{2} M R^2 \omega^2 + \frac{1}{2} (MR^2 \omega^2) = MR^2 \omega^2$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{K}{MR^2} = \frac{61.25 J}{5 kg \times 0.3^2 m^2} = 136.1 \frac{rad^2}{s^2}$$

$$\omega = 11.7 \frac{rad}{s}$$