

Notes: The main equation you need for these problems is in Lecture F, slide 6

you can use  $\sum M_p = I_G \alpha \pm m a_G d$  sign depends on right hand rule.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \sum M_p = I_G \alpha \pm m a_G d \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{result} \\ \text{OR} \end{array} \right\}$$

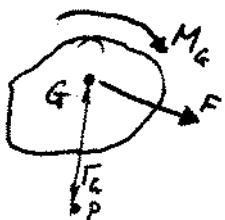
$$\textcircled{2} \quad \sum M_p = I_p \alpha \pm m a_p d \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{is} \\ \text{same} \end{array} \right\}$$

you know  $\vec{\alpha}_p$  ... given in problem

$\vec{\alpha}_G$  is  $= \vec{\alpha}_p + \vec{\alpha}_{G/p}$  i.e. accn of p plus relative accn of G rel to P.

\textcircled{1} is used in the two worked examples included here.

the principle here is that we look @ effect of all forces about G, & represent it as a Force + a Couple.  
then for another point P  $\sum M_p = \sum M_G + \vec{F}_G \times \vec{r}$



this is a principle we used a lot in the statics part of the course.

Note how we get result of form

$$\alpha = (\text{constant})(g \sin \theta + a_0 \cos \theta)$$

i.e. when  $\theta \approx 0$ ,  $\alpha$  is due mostly to  $a_0$ .  
when  $\theta \approx 90^\circ$ ,  $\alpha$  is due to  $g$ . makes physical sense.

Integration to integrate across a range of  $\theta$  you need to use

$$\int \omega d\omega = \int \alpha d\theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \omega^2 = \int \alpha d\theta$$

(assumes  $\omega = 0$  @ start.)

[rationale:  $\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt}$     $\alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}$ ]  
 $\frac{1}{dt} = \frac{\omega}{d\theta} = \frac{\alpha}{d\omega}$   
 $\alpha d\theta = \omega d\omega$

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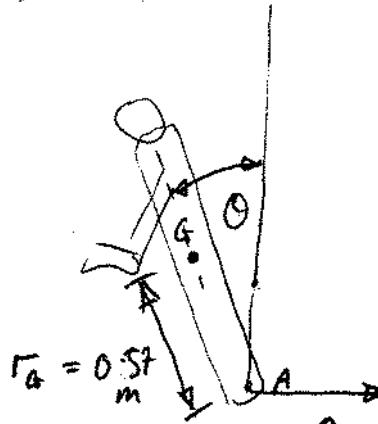
### Crash Dummy

Car decelerates @  $15 \text{ m s}^{-2}$

Dummy starts vertical, once

$\theta$  is  $30^\circ$  find  $\omega$  of dummy

Radius of gyration is  $0.21 \text{ m}$

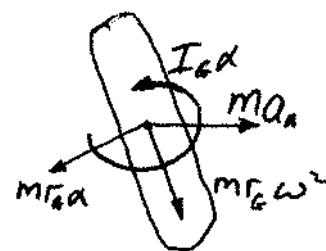
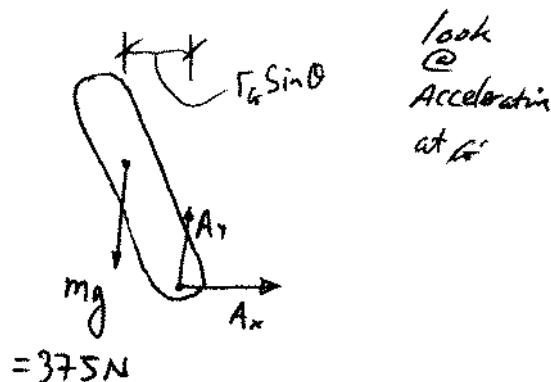


$$\text{Weight} = 375 \text{ N}$$

$$r_G = 0.57 \text{ m}$$

$$a_n = 15 \text{ m/s}^2$$

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for general plane motion, if accn of A known... useful to use the expression

$$\sum M_A = [I_G \alpha] + \sum m a_{A/d}$$

Note, we use  $\sum m a_{A/d}$  because  $\vec{\alpha}_A$  is made up of  $\vec{\alpha}_G$  plus the relative acceleration of G rel to A.

$$\Rightarrow m g r_G (\sin \theta) = [m k_G^2 \alpha] + [m a_n r_G (\cos \theta) + (m r_G \omega^2) (0) + (m r_G \alpha) (r_G)]$$

cancel out some terms

$$\Rightarrow g \sin \theta = \frac{k_G^2}{r_G} \alpha + a_n \cos \theta + \alpha r_G$$

$$\text{Rearrange to get } \alpha(\theta) \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{(g \sin \theta + a_n \cos \theta)}{\left( \frac{r_G}{k_G^2} + \frac{r_G}{r_G} \right)} = \frac{(g \sin \theta + a_n \cos \theta) r_G}{r_G^2 + k_G^2}$$

need to integrate...  $\theta=0 \rightarrow 0=30^\circ$

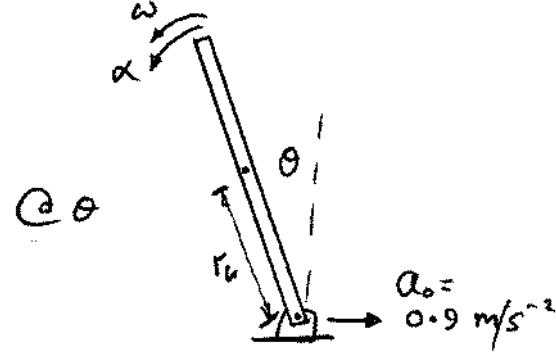
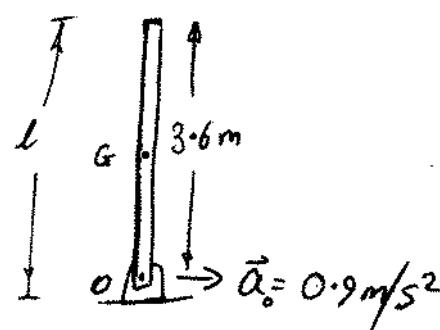
$$[\text{note } \alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}, \omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{d\alpha}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{d\theta}{dt} \right) = \frac{d\omega}{dt} = \frac{\ddot{\theta}}{\omega} = \frac{\alpha}{\omega} \Rightarrow \omega d\omega = \alpha d\theta]$$

$$\int_{\omega_1=0}^{\omega_2=1} \omega d\omega = \int_0^{30^\circ} \alpha d\theta = \left( \frac{r_G}{r_G^2 + k_G^2} \right) \int_0^{30^\circ} (g \sin \theta + a_n \cos \theta) d\theta$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \omega^2 = \frac{0.57}{(0.57)^2 + (0.21)^2} \left[ -g \cos \theta + 15 \sin \theta \right]_0^{30^\circ} = (1.545) \left( -\frac{(9.81)\sqrt{3}}{2} + \left( \frac{15}{2} \right) + 9.81 - 0 \right)$$

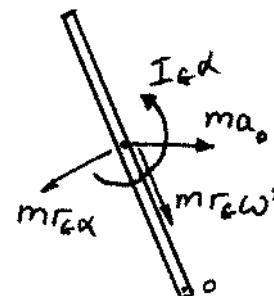
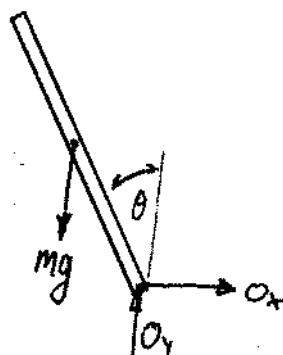
$$\frac{1}{2} \omega^2 = 12.85 \Rightarrow \boxed{\omega = \sqrt{2(12.85)} = 5.07 \text{ rad s}^{-1}}$$

find  $\omega$  of pot  
C H2 posn.



F.B. Diagram  
Forces

(mass)(Accelerations)



acceleration of centre  
of gravity is sum of  
acceleration of "O"  
plus the relative acc.  
of G relative to O  
(i.e.  $m r_0 \omega^2$  and  $m r_0 \alpha$ )

$$r_0 = \frac{l}{2}$$

We can use eqn

$$\sum M_O = I_G \alpha + \sum m a_G d$$

$$\sum M_O = \left( \frac{1}{12} m l^2 \alpha \right) + (m a_0) \left( \frac{l}{2} \cos \theta \right) + (m r_0 \omega^2) \theta + m \left( \frac{l}{2} \right) \alpha \left( \frac{l}{2} \right)$$

[a sum because of different components]  
as shown on figure

$\sum M_O$  ... calculate moments ... only  $mg$  contributes

$$\sum M_O = mg \left( \frac{l}{2} \right) \sin \theta$$

$$\therefore mg \left( \frac{l}{2} \right) \sin \theta = \frac{1}{6} m l^2 \alpha + (m a_0) \left( \frac{l}{2} \right) \cos \theta + m \left( \frac{l}{2} \right) \alpha \left( \frac{l}{2} \right)$$

cancel some stuff

$$g(\sin \theta) = \frac{l \alpha}{6} + a_0 (\cos \theta) + \frac{l \alpha}{2}$$

$$\therefore \alpha \left( \frac{l}{6} + \frac{l}{2} \right) = (g \sin \theta + a_0 \cos \theta) = \frac{2l}{3} \alpha = \frac{7.2}{3} \alpha = 2.4 \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2.4} (9.81 \sin \theta + 0.9 \cos \theta)$$

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$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2.4} (9.81 \sin \theta + 0.9 \cos \theta)$$

need to integrate to get  $\omega$ . for this we need a relation

$$\int \alpha d\theta = \int \omega d\omega$$

NOTE  $\alpha = \frac{d\omega}{dt}$   $\omega = \frac{d\theta}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{dt} = \frac{\alpha}{d\omega} = \frac{\omega}{d\theta}$

so  $\alpha d\theta = \omega d\omega$

the same applies for linear accln

$$\int a ds = \int v dv \dots \text{integrate for const accln}$$

$$as = \left[ \frac{1}{2} v^2 \right]_v \Rightarrow \boxed{v^2 = u^2 + 2as} \quad \text{WELL KNOWN}$$

$$\therefore \int_0^\omega \omega d\omega = \frac{1}{2.4} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (9.81 \sin \theta + 0.9 \cos \theta) d\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \omega^2 &= \frac{1}{2.4} \left[ -9.81 \cos \theta + 0.9 \sin \theta \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2.4} (0.9 + 9.81) \end{aligned}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{2}{2.4} (0.9 + 9.81)} = 2.99$$