

# DYNAMICS

1<sup>st</sup> Newton's law - law of inertia -

An object at rest will remain at rest unless acted on by an unbalanced force.

'Provides the definition of force'

2<sup>nd</sup> Newton's law -

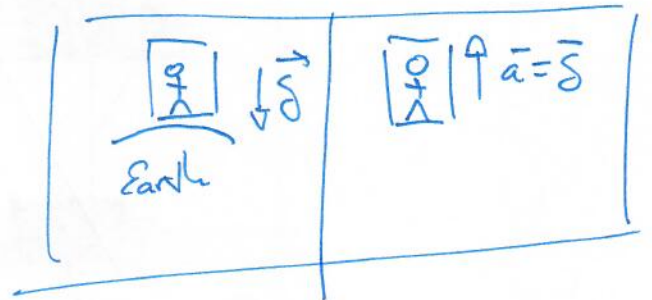
An acceleration is produced when a force acts on a mass.

$$\bar{a} = \frac{\bar{F}}{m}$$

$m \equiv$  inertial mass  $\equiv m_i$

$m_i$  seems to agree with gravitational mass

Einstein: it is impossible to distinguish uniform acceleration and an uniform gravitational field -



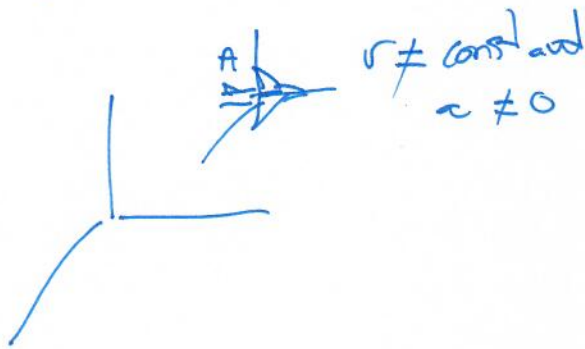
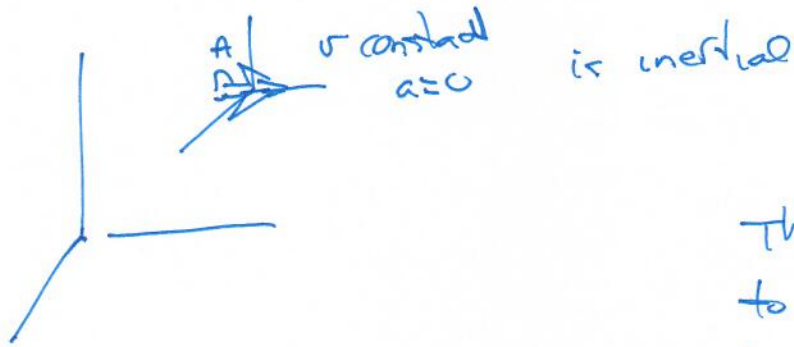
3<sup>rd</sup> Newton's law

For every action there is an equal and opposite reaction -

'if a body A pushes a force on B, B exerts an equal force but reversed on A'

Reference frame: a set of coordinates at rest with respect to what is observed. -

Inertial reference frame: - A reference frame where the 1<sup>st</sup> law is observed. -



The first law allows to check if a reference frame is inertial or not. -

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The observer in A checks if a ball moves like there is a 'fictitious' force or not. -

• The passenger feels a force against the seat or not



Basic forces

- gravitational
- electro-magnetic
- nuclear - strong
- nuclear - weak

Action at distance forces  $\rightarrow$  concept of 'field'  
linked to a 'carrier particle'

" " " 'wave'  $\rightarrow$  field

Ad-hoc classification

Ⓘ Action at distance forces

- gravitational
- electrical
- magnetic

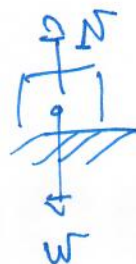
Ⓡ contact forces.

- frictional forces
- tension forces
- normal forces
- spring forces

Normal forces

the support force exerted upon an object that is in contact with another object.

$\perp$  to surface



$$|\vec{W}| = |\vec{N}|$$

## Friction force

The support force exerted by a surface as an object moves across it (dynamic / kinetic) or makes an effort to move it (static)

|| to surface of contact.-

A special case: fluid resistance between layers = viscosity

## Spring force

Hooke's law forces -

Exerted by compressed / stretched spring

$$F = -K \Delta x$$

$x \ll$  elastic range

$\underline{P} \equiv$  Point of non-elasticity  
'yield strength'



elastic regime / range



stress at which the material begins to deform plastically.-

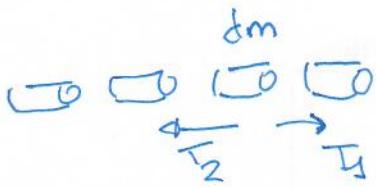
1D  $F = -Kx$

3D 
$$\begin{pmatrix} F_1 \\ F_2 \\ F_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} K_{11} & K_{12} & K_{13} \\ K_{21} & K_{22} & K_{23} \\ K_{31} & K_{32} & K_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

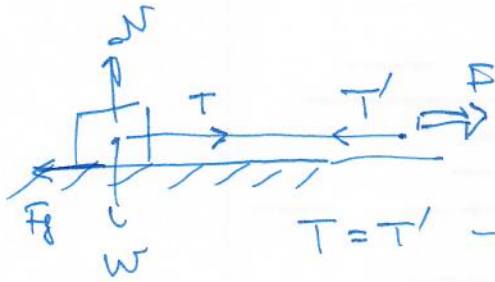
$\vec{x}$  deformation  
 $\vec{F}$  resulting force.-

## Tension force

force transmitted through a string / rope / cable (... when pulled. -



- directed along the length of the wire
- pulls are equal on opposite sides of the wire. -



$$(T_2 - T_1) = (dm) a$$

$a = 0 \rightarrow$  it does ~~not~~ compress neither stretches.

## Discussion on Friction forces



static friction regime

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due to interlocking asperities (mainly)

kinetic friction regime

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due to chemical bonding between surfaces (mainly).

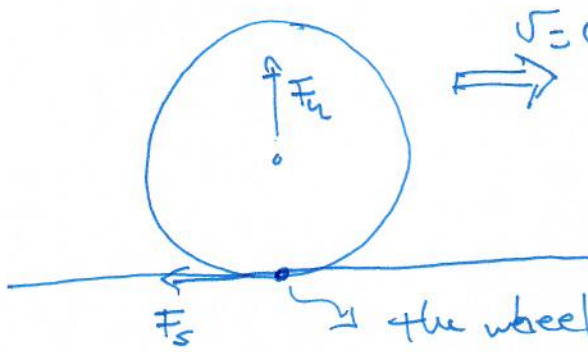
$$F_{\text{static}} \leq \mu_s F_n$$

$$F_{\text{sliding kinetic}} = \mu_k F_n$$

$\mu_s$  = coefficient of friction static

$\mu_k$  = coefficient of friction kinetic

# Rolling without sliding



$F_s \equiv$  friction 'static'

$$F_s = \mu_s F_n$$

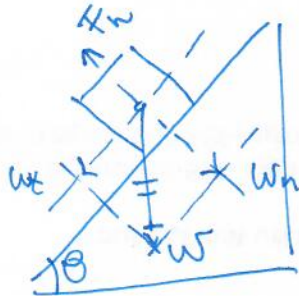
the wheel rolls, but the contact point of the wheel is stationary with respect to the contact point of the ground

$$F_{\text{max static}} > F_{\text{kinetic}}$$

avoid braking with blocked breaks. -

## Examples

### Example #1



$$W_t = m a_t ; a_t m = m g \sin \theta$$

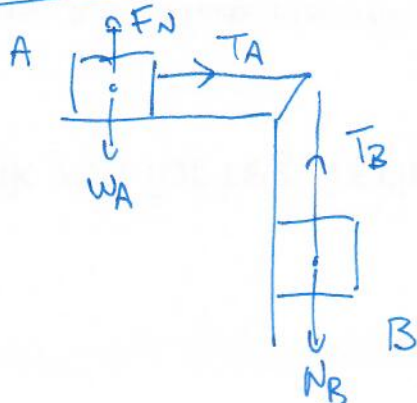
$$a_t = g \sin \theta$$

$$F_n = W_n$$

$$0 = m a_n = m F_n$$

$$F_n = m g \cos \theta$$

### Example #2



$$A: \begin{cases} T_A = m_A a_A \\ F_N = W_A \end{cases}$$

$$B: \begin{cases} W_B - T_B = m_B a_B \end{cases}$$

$$T_B = -m_B a_B + m_B g$$

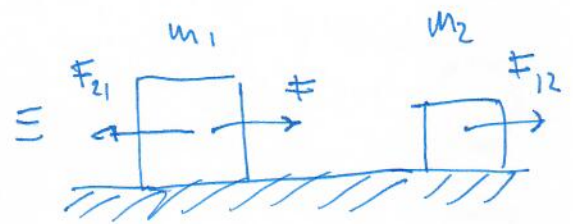
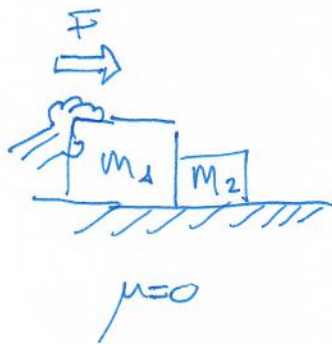
$$T_A = T_B = T \quad a_1 = a_2 = a$$

$$\begin{array}{l} A \\ B \end{array} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} T = m_A a \\ T = -m_B a + m_B g \end{array} \right.$$

$$m_A a = m_B g - m_B a$$

$$a = \frac{m_B}{m_A + m_B} \cdot g$$

Example #3



$a_1 = a_2$  because they're in contact.

$$F - F_{21} = m_1 a$$

$$F_{12} = m_2 a$$

$$F - m_1 a = m_2 a$$

$$a = \frac{F}{m_1 + m_2}$$

it's like moving a big mass ( $m_1 + m_2$ )

The moral of the story: we can neglect the internal forces and consider a set of small bodies like a single big one.