



KNOWLEDGE AREA: MECHANICS

Answers

Multiple-choice questions

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| 1. B | 2. B | 3. D | 4. C | 5. A |
| 6. D | 7. B | 8. D | 9. A | 10. A |
| 11. C | 12. C | 13. B | 14. D | 15. C |
| 16. A | 17. B | 18. C | 19. D | 20. A |
| 21. D | 22. D | 23. A | 24. D | 25. C |
| 26. B | 27. A | 28. A | 29. C | 30. B |

Momentum

Contextual questions

1.1 $p = mv$
 $= 6,8 \times 7,4$
 $= 50,32 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ north-east

1.2 Impulse = Δp
 $= mv_f - mv_i$
 $= 0 - 50,32$
 $= -50,32$
 $= 50,32 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ southwest

1.3 $F_{\text{netto}} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$
 $= \frac{50,32}{0,4}$
 $= 125,8 \text{ N}$ southwest

2. $F_{\text{net}} \Delta t = mv_f - mv_i$
 $(9,6)(0,24) = (0,13)v_f - 0$
 $v_f = 17,723 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ south

3. $\Sigma p_i = \Sigma p_f$ Choose direction of m_1 as positive.
 $m_1 v_{1i} + m_2 v_{2i} = m_{(1+2)} v_f$
 $(34)(5,4) + (14,6)(-8,4) = (48,6)v_f$
 $v_f = 1,25 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ in the direction of A



4. $\Sigma p_i = \Sigma p_f$ Choose direction of waitress as positive.
 $m_{(1+2)} v_i = m_1 v_{1f} + m_2 v_{2f}$
 $(59,8)(2,4) = (55)v_{1f} + (4,8)(0)$
 $v_{1f} = 2,61 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ in the original direction

5. $\Sigma p_i = \Sigma p_f$ Choose east as positive.
 $m_1 v_{1i} + m_2 v_{2i} = m_1 v_{1f} + m_2 v_{2f}$
 $(58)(2,3) + (41,5)(1,9) = (58)(-1,3) + (41,5)(v_{2f})$
 $v_{2f} = 6,93 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ east

6. $F_{\text{net}} \Delta t = \Delta p$
 $\Delta p = (65)(15)$
 $\Delta p = 975 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ right

7. $P_{\text{train}} = mv$
 $= (6 \times 10^6)(15)$
 $= 9 \times 10^7 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ north
 $v_{\text{motor}} = \frac{p}{m}$
 $= \frac{(9 \times 10^7)}{2200}$
 $= 4,09 \times 10^4 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ north

8.1 $\Delta p = mv_f - mv_i$
 $\Delta p = (8)(8,5) - (8)(2,5)$
 $\Delta p = 48 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ left

8.2 impulse = Δp
 impulse = $48 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ left or $48 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s}$ left

8.3 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{48}{7}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 6,86 \text{ N}$ left

9.1 $\Delta p = mv_f - mv_i$
 $\Delta p = (2,3 \times 10^3)(28) - (2,3 \times 10^3)(12)$
 $\Delta p = 3,68 \times 10^4 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ north

9.2 impulse = Δp
 impulse = $3,68 \times 10^4 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ north or $3,68 \times 10^4 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s}$ north



- 9.3 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$
 $(3,68 \times 10^4)$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{15}{15}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 2\,453,33 \text{ N north}$
- 11.1 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{m(v_f - v_i)}{\Delta t}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{68(0 - 5,2)}{9,6}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = -36,83 \text{ N}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 36,83 \text{ N north}$
- 11.2 $F_{\text{net}} \propto 1/\Delta t$; if the time decreases the net force will increase for the same change in momentum.
- 11.3 The impulse will not change.
 Impulse is only dependent of the change in momentum and not of the time it takes.
- 12.1 $\Delta p = m(v_f - v_i)$
 $\Delta p = (0,045)(28 - 0)$
 $\Delta p = 1,26 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1} \text{ north}$
- 12.2 Impulse = Δp
 Impulse = $1,26 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1} \text{ north}$ or $1,26 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s north}$
- 12.3 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{1,26}{0,009}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 140 \text{ N north}$
- 12.4 140 N south
- 13.1 $\Delta p = m(v_f - v_i)$
 $\Delta p = 0,28(2,8 - (-4,3))$
 $\Delta p = 1,988 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1} \text{ east}$
- 13.2 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{1,988}{0,003}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 662,67 \text{ N east}$
- 13.3 $F_{\text{net}} = 662,67 \text{ N west}$
 (according to Newton's third law)
14. Impulse = $\Delta p = m(v_f - v_i)$
 Impulse = $(0,6)(16,5 - (-4,6))$
 Impulse = $12,66 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1} \text{ outgoing}$ or $12,66 \text{ N}\cdot\text{s outgoing}$
- 15.1 $v_f^2 = v_i^2 + 2a\Delta y$
 $v_f^2 = 0 + 2(9,8)(1)$
 $v_f = 4,43 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1} \text{ downwards}$
10. $F_{\text{netto}} \Delta t = m(v_f - v_i)$
 $(45)\Delta t = (420)(11,6 - 8,4)$
 $\Delta t = 29,87 \text{ s}$
- Choose south as positive.
- Choose north as positive.
- Choose east as positive.
- Choose downwards as positive.
- Choose outgoing direction as positive.



15.2 $p_{\text{Adrie}} = p_{\text{Mbali}} = mv$
 $= 45(4,43)$
 $= 199,22 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ downwards

15.3 Impulse = Δp
 $= p_f - p_i$
 $= 0 - 199,22$
 $= -199,22 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$
 $= 199,22 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ upwards

15.4 Mbali; $F_{\text{net}} \propto 1/\Delta t$ if the time decreases the net force will increase for the same change in momentum.

16.1 $\Sigma p_i = \Sigma p_f$ Choose direction of bullet as positive.
 $m_1 v_{1i} + m_2 v_{2i} = m_1 v_{1f} + m_2 v_{2f}$
 $0 + 0 = (2,8)v_{1f} + (0,012)(610)$
 $v_{1f} = -2,614 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$
 $v_{1f} = 2,614 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ backward w.r.t. the bullet

16.2 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{m(v_f - v_i)}{\Delta t}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{0,012(610 - 0)}{0,03}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 244 \text{ N}$ forward w.r.t. the bullet

17.1 $\Sigma p_i = \Sigma p_f$ Choose west as positive.
 $m_1 v_{1i} + m_2 v_{2i} = m_{(1+2)} v_f$
 $(12,3)(25,4) + (36)(-36,4) = (48,3)v_f$
 $v_f = -20,66 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$
 $v_f = 20,66 \text{ m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ east

17.2 $\Delta p = m(v_f - v_i)$
 $\Delta p = 12,3(-20,66 - (25,4))$
 $\Delta p = -566,54 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$
 $\Delta p = 566,54 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ east

17.3 $\Delta p = m(v_f - v_i)$
 $\Delta p = 36(-20,66 - (-36,4))$
 $\Delta p = 566,64 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ west

17.4 $566,54 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ east, because impulse A = -impulse B, according to third law.

17.5 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = \frac{-566,54}{0,1}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = -5\,665,4 \text{ N}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = 5\,665,4 \text{ N}$ east

18. $\Sigma p_i = \Sigma p_f$ Choose south as positive.
 $m_{1+2} v_i = m_1 v_{1f} + p_2$
 $(10)(7) = (2)(12,4) + p_2$
 $p_2 = 45,2 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$ south