



**UNIVERSITI KUALA LUMPUR**  
**MALAYSIAN INSTITUTE OF MARINE ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY**

---

**FINAL EXAMINATION**  
**JANUARY 2016 SEMESTER**

---

**COURSE CODE** : LGD 10703  
**COURSE NAME** : ENGINEERING SCIENCE  
**PROGRAMME NAME** : DIPLOMA  
(FOR MPU: PROGRAMME LEVEL)  
**DATE** : 25 MAY 2016  
**TIME** : 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm  
**DURATION** : 3 HOURS

---

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

---

1. Please CAREFULLY read the instructions given in the question paper.
2. This question paper has information printed on both sides of the paper.
3. Answer all question in Section A, and only TWO (2) questions in Section B.
4. Please write your answers in the answer booklet provided.
5. Answer all questions in English language ONLY.
6. Table of formulae has been appended for your reference.

---

THERE ARE 7 PAGES OF QUESTIONS, INCLUDING THIS PAGE.

---



## SECTION A (Total: 60 marks)

**INSTRUCTION: Answer ALL questions.**  
**Please use the answer booklet provided.**

## QUESTION 1

(a) Base quantity is a quantity that cannot be defined in term of other physical quantity. List THREE (3) examples of the base quantity and state their SI units. (6 marks)

(b) A car starts from rest and accelerates uniformly for 10 s. After 10 s, the displacement of the car is 30 m. Calculate :

- i. the velocity of the car at  $t = 10$  s,
- ii. the accelerations of the car,
- iii. the velocity and displacement in the next 15 s if the car continues its motion with the same acceleration.

(14 marks)

## QUESTION 2

(a) Define scalar quantity and vector quantity. State ONE (1) example for each of them. (4 marks)

(b) Figure 1 shows two industrial workers sliding a coffer straight toward their truck. Worker 1 pushed the coffer 12 N directed at an angle  $30^\circ$  downward from horizontal. Worker 2 pulled 10 N and  $40^\circ$  above the horizontal.

i. Calculate the x-component and y-component of  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ . (8 marks)

ii. Determine the magnitude and direction of the resultant force. (8 marks)



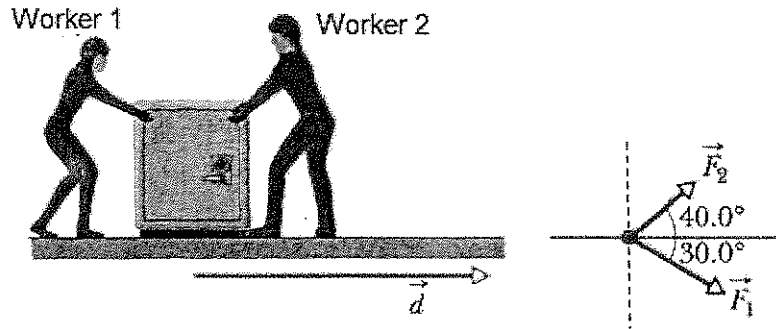


Figure 1 : Two worker sliding a coffer

**QUESTION 3**

In Figure 2, the coefficient of kinetic friction,  $\mu$  between  $m_1$  and the table is 0.2. Given  $m_1 = 25 \text{ kg}$  and  $m_2 = 15 \text{ kg}$ . When the system is released,  $m_1$  is moving forward and  $m_2$  drops.

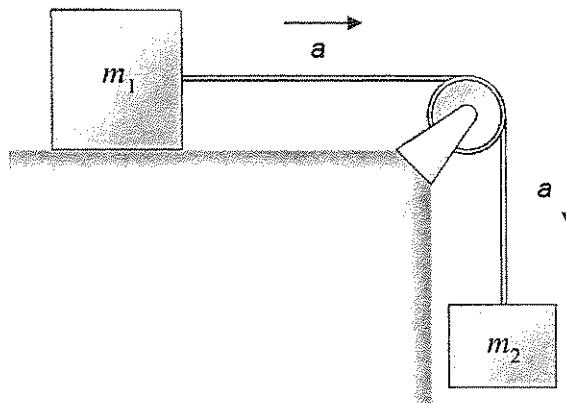


Figure 2 : Pulley system

- (a) Sketch the free body diagram for both objects. (3 marks)
- (b) Determine the frictional force acted between  $m_1$  and the table. (6 marks)
- (c) Calculate the acceleration of the system and the tension in the string. (8 marks)
- (d) If the system is released from rest, find the falling distance of  $m_2$  after 2.0 s. (3 marks)



## SECTION B (Total: 40 marks)

INSTRUCTION: Answer only TWO (2) questions.

Please use the answer booklet provided

## QUESTION 4

- (a) A crane is pulling a debris vertically upward with a constant speed through a distance 13 m. The time taken to achieve that height is 8 s. If the power expended by the crane is 1.5 kW, calculate :

- i. the work done by the crane,
- ii. the pulling force of the crane,
- iii. the mass of the debris.

(9 marks)

- (b) i. State TWO (2) conditions for an object to be in static equilibrium.

(4 marks)

- ii. A plank of weight 200 N has a length 5 m. It is supported at its ends by two ropes. A man of mass 80 kg stands on the plank 2 m from the right-end as in Figure 3. Determine the tension in the two ropes,  $T_A$  and  $T_B$ .

(7 marks)

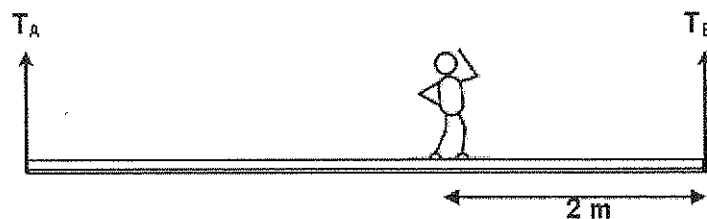


Figure 3 : A plank supported by ropes





## QUESTION 5

- (a) A helium gas of 18.75 mol has a gauge pressure of  $3.5 \times 10^4$  Pa at  $10^\circ\text{C}$ .
- Determine the number of molecules of the helium gas.  
(3 marks)
  - Calculate the volume of the gas under the above conditions.  
(4 marks)
  - Determine the new temperature if the gas is compressed to  $1.01 \times 10^5$  Pa at a constant volume.  
(4 marks)
- (b) A hydraulic jack has two pistons which are connected via a fluid chamber. A force of 300 N is applied to a small piston to lift 800 kg load on the large piston. The area of a small piston is  $0.06 \text{ m}^2$ .
- Determine the pressure at a large piston.  
(3 marks)
  - Calculate the radius of a large piston.  
(6 marks)

## QUESTION 6

- (a) Using P-V graph, describe Isobaric process.  
(4 marks)
- (b) A steam of mass 0.2 kg is heated from  $130^\circ\text{C}$  to  $190^\circ\text{C}$ . During this process, the pressure is maintained at  $1.5 \times 10^5$  Pa and the volume of the steam has expanding from  $0.02 \text{ m}^3$  to  $0.05 \text{ m}^3$ . Given the specific heat capacity of steam,  $c = 2010 \text{ J/mol}\cdot^\circ\text{C}$ .
- Determine the work done by the steam.  
(3 marks)
  - Calculate the change in internal energy of the steam  
(6 marks)



- (c) i. Atoms are basic unit of matter and made up of three particles. List those THREE (3) particles. (3 marks)
- ii. Explain the formation of positive and negative ions. (4 marks)

END OF EXAMINATION PAPER



## APPENDIX

## 1. TABLE OF FORMULAE

$s = \frac{1}{2}(u+v)t$	$v = u + at$	$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$
$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$	$\cos\theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}}$	$\sin\theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}}$
$\tan\theta = \frac{A_y}{A_x}$	Magnitude, $A = \sqrt{\sum A_x^2 + \sum A_y^2}$	$F = ma$
$F_g = mg$	$F_f = \mu F_N$	$W = (F\cos\theta)s$
$PE = mgh$	$P = \frac{W}{t}$	$M = (F\sin\theta)s$
$T_K = T_C + 273$	$n = \frac{N}{N_A}$	$PV = nRT$
$\frac{P_1V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2V_2}{T_2}$	$P = \frac{F}{A}$	$A = \pi r^2$
$W = P\Delta V$	$Q = mc\Delta T$	$\Delta U = Q - W$

## 2. CONSTANT VALUES:

Gravitational acceleration,  $g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$

Universal gas constant,  $R = 8.314 \text{ J/mol.K}$

Avogadro's number,  $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

Atmospheric pressure,  $P_{\text{atm}} = 1.013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$

