

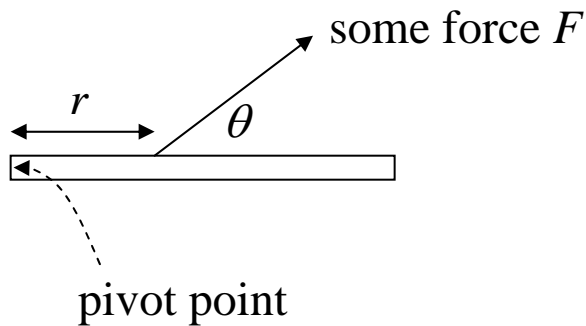
# Announcements – Oct 22, 2013

1. **Exam 3** starts one week from today
  - a. Next Tuesday: in-class review
  - b. Evening TA review *→ Tuesday night. Survey sent out.*
  - c. Exam covers HW 11-17. (HW 17 doesn't really exist)
  
2. **Goal:** complete the connection between linear and angular quantities
  - a. Distance  $x \rightarrow \theta$
  - b. Velocity  $v \rightarrow \omega$
  - c. Acceleration  $a \rightarrow \alpha$
  - d. Force  $F \rightarrow \tau$
  - e. Mass  $m \rightarrow ??$  (today)
  - f. KE  $\frac{1}{2}mv^2 \rightarrow ??$  (today)
  - g. Momentum  $mv \rightarrow ??$  (next time)

# Review of Torques

Definition of torque: (about a point)

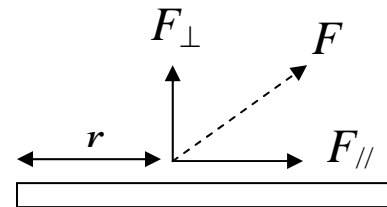
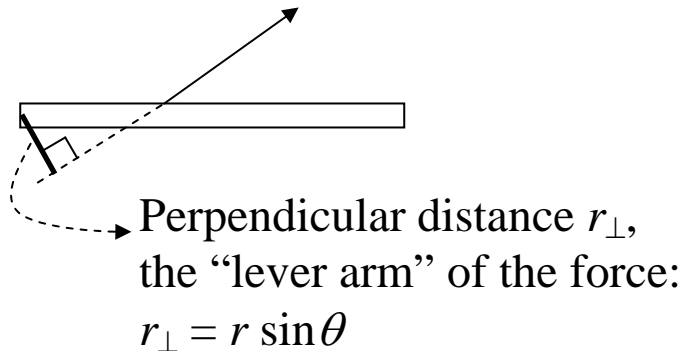
$$\tau_p = r_{\perp} F = r F_{\perp} = r F \sin \theta$$



Positive/negative:

Produces a **clockwise** rotation = **negative**

Produces a **counter-clockwise** rotation = **positive**



# Equilibrium

$$\sum F = 0$$

$$\sum \tau_p = 0$$

Translation:

- if an object is not speeding up or slowing down, there is no net force on it
- if an object is not speeding up or slowing down its *rotation*, there is no net *torque* on it.

## From warmup (last time)

Ralph noticed that both torque and work are obtained by multiplying a force times a distance. He wants to know: how are they different? Do they have the same units? What can you tell Ralph to help him out?

**“Pair share”**—I am now ready to share my neighbor’s answer if called on.

a. Yes



$$W = F_{\parallel} d$$

$$N \cdot m = \text{"joules"}$$

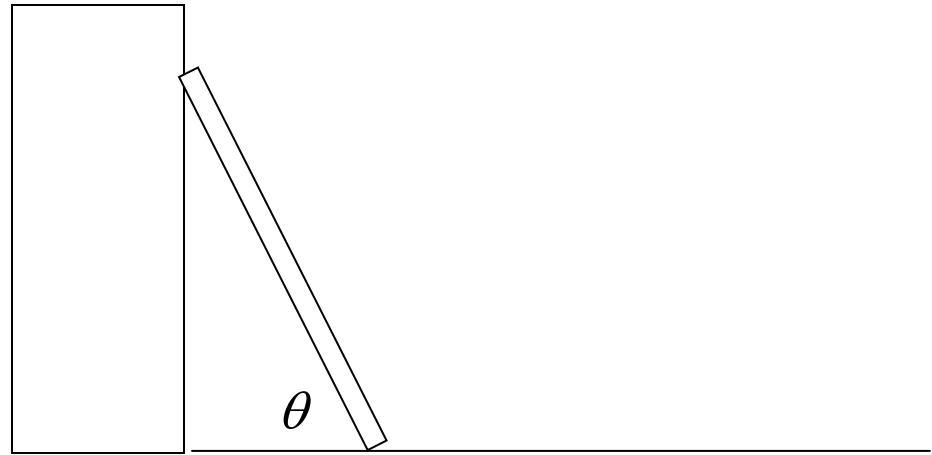


$$\tau = F_{\perp} r$$

$$N \cdot m$$

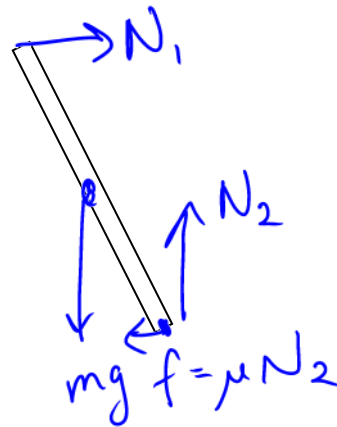
## Problem:

(Like HW 14-4)



A ladder leans against a **frictionless** wall. The ground has static coefficient of friction  $\mu$ . What's the smallest angle  $\theta$  such that the ladder doesn't slip? Length of ladder is  $d$ , mass of ladder is  $m$ .

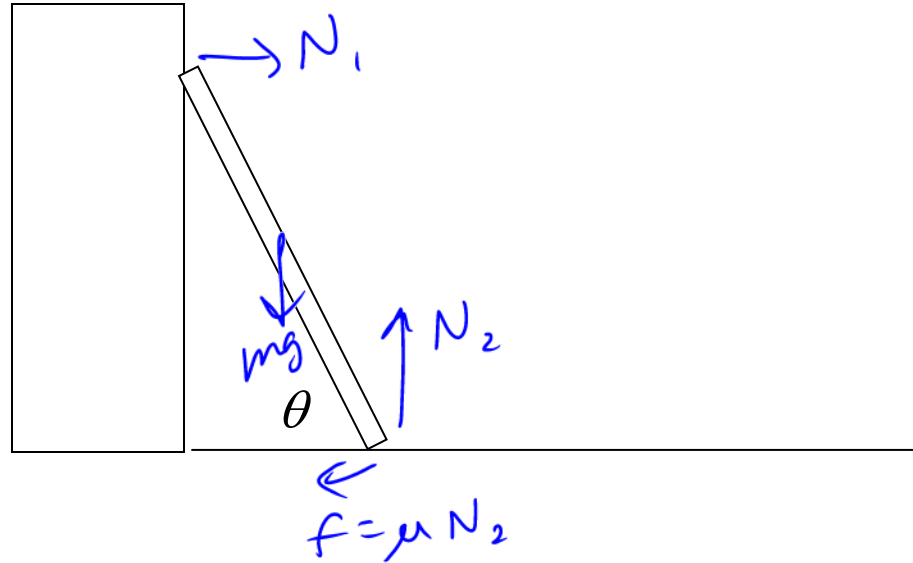
Draw a FBD of ladder:



**Clicker quiz:** I have done so

a. yes

# Clicker quiz



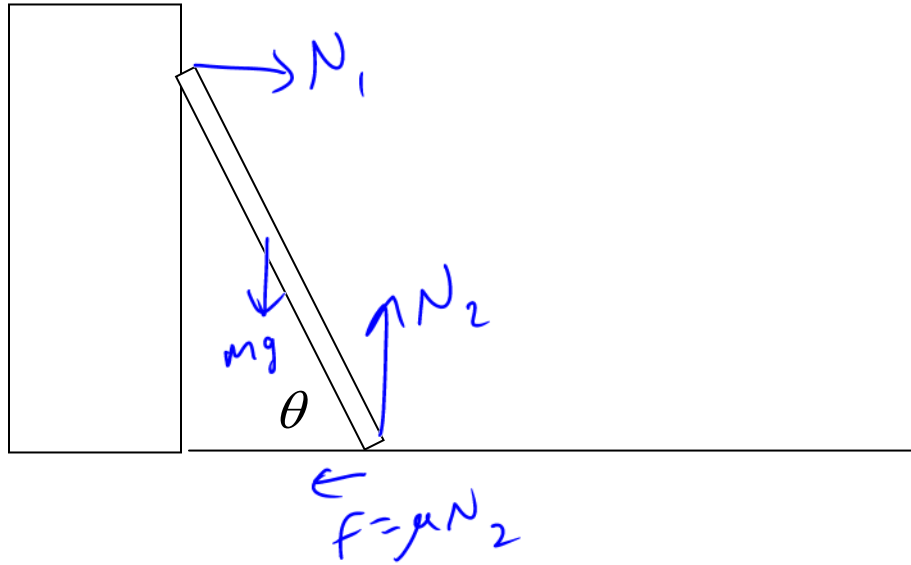
The ground's frictional *force* is \_\_\_\_\_ compared to the wall's normal force.

- a. more than
- b. less than
- ☒ c. the same
- d. can't tell

$$\sum F_x = 0$$

$$N_1 = \mu N_2$$

# Clicker quiz

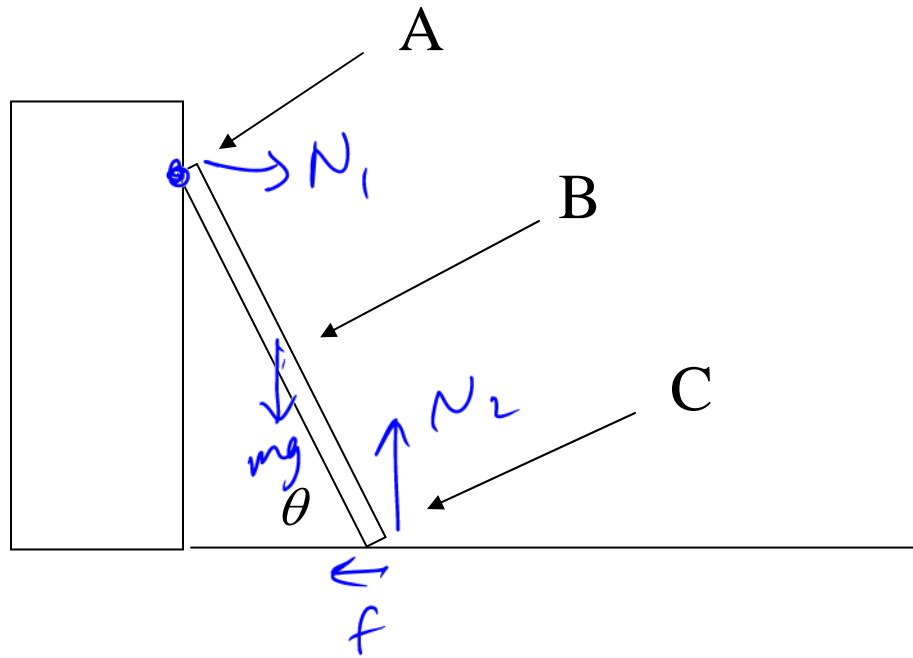


The ground's normal *force* pushing upward is \_\_\_\_\_ compared to the weight.

- a. more than
- b. less than
- ☒ c. the same
- d. can't tell

$$\sum F_y = 0$$
$$N_2 = mg$$

## Clicker quiz



To solve the problem, we need to use  $\Sigma\tau = 0$ ... but about which “pivot point” should we compute the torques?

- a. A
- b. B
- c. C



# Solved problem

$$\sum F_x = 0 \rightarrow N_1 = \mu N_2$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \rightarrow N_2 = mg$$

$$\sum \tau_A = 0$$

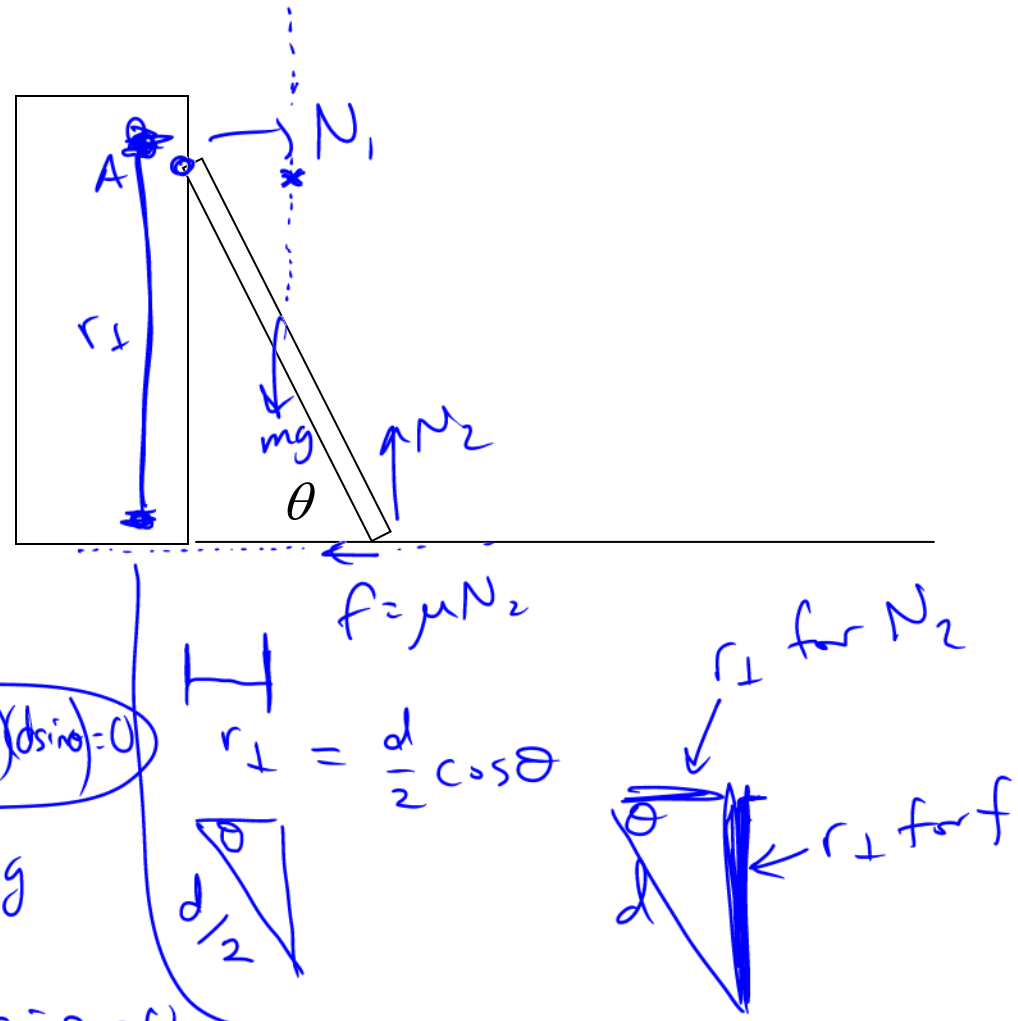
$$-(mg)\left(\frac{d}{2}\cos\theta\right) + N_2(d\cos\theta) - \mu N_2(d\sin\theta) = 0$$

$$-\cancel{\frac{mg}{2}}\cos\theta + \cancel{\frac{mg}{2}}\cos\theta - \mu \cancel{\frac{mg}{2}}\sin\theta = 0$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}\cos\theta + \cos\theta = \mu \sin\theta$$

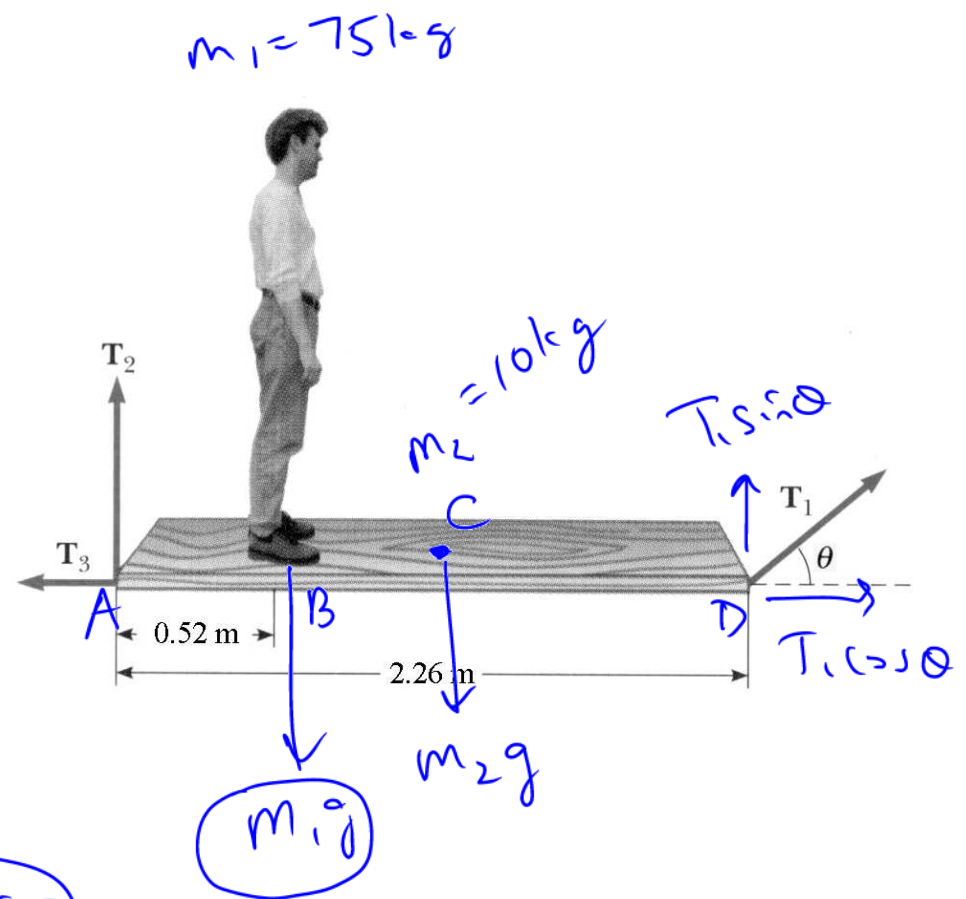
If  $\mu = 0.5 \rightarrow \theta = 45^\circ$ ;  $\mu = 0.7 \rightarrow \theta = 35.5^\circ$ ;  $\mu = 0.9 \rightarrow \theta = 29.1^\circ$

Answer:  $\theta = \tan^{-1}(1/(2\mu))$



## One more equilibrium problem:

A uniform plank of length 2.26 m and mass 10 kg is balanced by three ropes as indicated in the figure, with  $\theta = 35^\circ$ . A 75 kg person is standing 0.52 m from the left end. Find the tensions in all three ropes.



$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad T_3 = T_1 \cos \theta$$

$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad m_1 g + m_2 g = T_2 + T_1 \sin \theta$$

$$\sum \tau_A = 0 \quad - (m_1 g)(0.52) - m_2 g(1.13) + T_1 \sin 35^\circ (2.26) = 0$$

Solve for  $T_1$

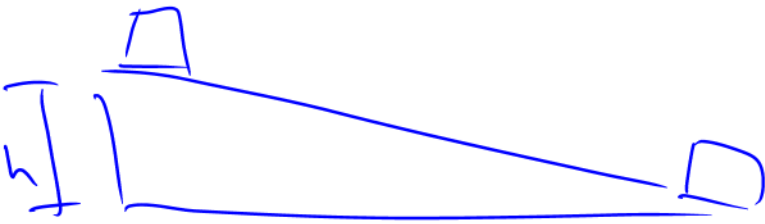
then use Eqn 1 to find  $T_3$   
Eqn 2 to find  $T_2$

Answers: 380.3 N, 311.5 N, 614.9 N

# Rotational kinetic energy

**Demo...** a cart races a ball (video from warmup). Who wins? Why?

**Review:** How fast is **cart** going at bottom? (Energy)



$$PE_i = KE_f$$
$$mgh = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$v = \sqrt{2gh}$$

How long did it take to get there? (Kinematics)

We could do this

→ **What's different about the ball?**

+  $KE_{rot}$

Kinetic energy of a “**point mass**” rotating in a circle:

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} m v_{\text{tan}}^2$$

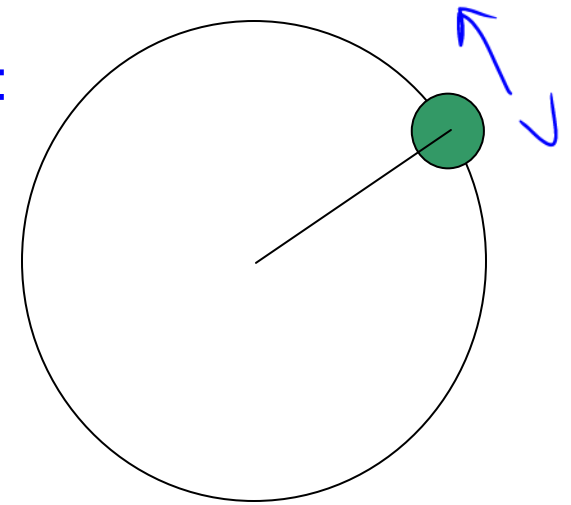
$$v_{\text{tan}} = \omega \cdot r$$

Write in terms of  $\omega$ :

$$\frac{1}{2} m \omega^2 r^2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\cancel{m r^2}) \omega^2$$

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$$



$$KE_{\text{rot}} = \frac{1}{2} (\text{something}) \omega^2$$

→ what's the something?

$$m r^2$$

"moment of inertia"  
 $I$

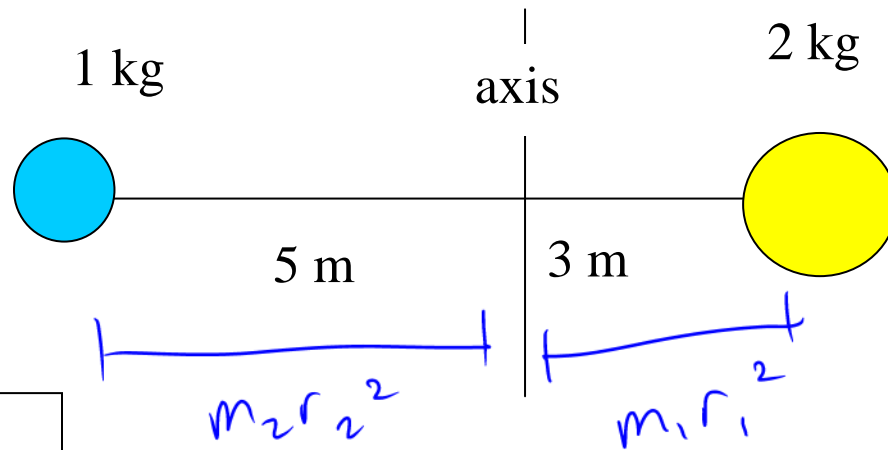
# “Moment of inertia”

$$I_{pt\ mass} = mr^2 \quad (\text{rotating in a circle; } r = \text{radius of circle})$$

Kinetic energy in terms of  $I$  and  $\omega$ :

$$KE_{rot} = \frac{1}{2} I \omega^2$$

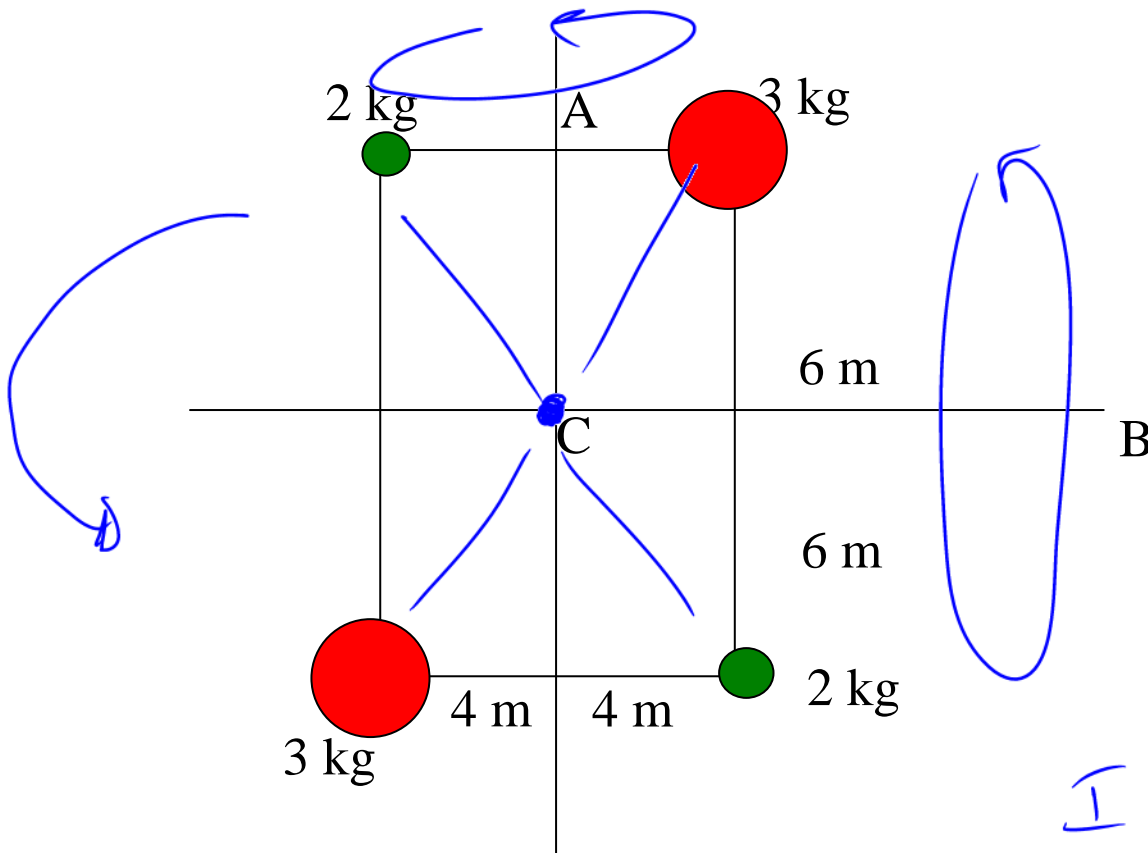
Moment of inertia for two masses? (connected with a rod)



$$I = I_1 + I_2 + \dots$$

$$I_{tot} = m_1 r_1^2 + m_2 r_2^2$$

# Clicker quiz



**Tip:** If size of object is much smaller than rotation radius, treat it as a “point mass”

$$I = m_1 r_1^2 + m_2 r_2^2 + \dots$$

Does  $I$  change when you rotate about axis A vs. axis B?

- a. About axis A has larger  $I$
- ☒ b. About axis B has larger  $I$
- c. They have the same  $I$

$$I_A = m_{\text{tot}} \cdot (4\text{ m})^2$$
$$I_B = m_{\text{tot}} \cdot (6\text{ m})^2$$

## Worked problem

What's the total moment of inertia about axis C? (C is into the page)

Answer:  $I_{tot} = 520 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^2$

# Demo

Variable “l-rotator”

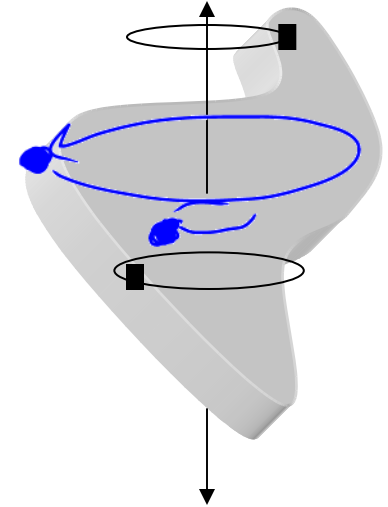


# “Extended” objects

Must add up  $mr^2$  for each bit of mass in the object

Which bits of mass contribute the most to  $I$ ?

*far from axis*



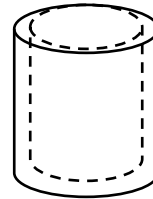
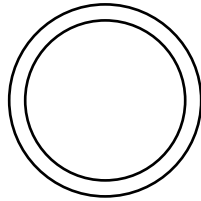
**From warmup.** Moment of inertia is biggest for:

- a. compact objects
- ☒ b. objects that are spread out
- c. neither; doesn't depend on shape

**Demo:** Long “I-bars”

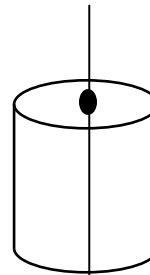
Which of these objects will have the largest  $I$ ?

Hoop/cylindrical shell

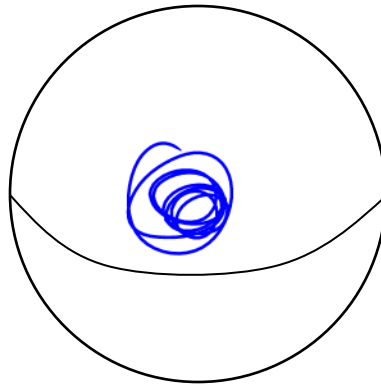


largest  $I$

Solid disk/cylinder



Solid sphere

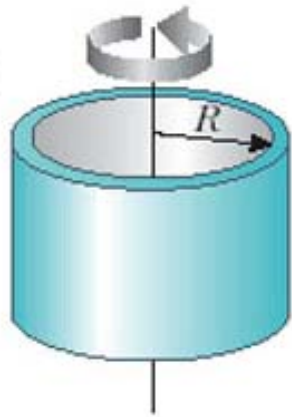


smallest  $I$

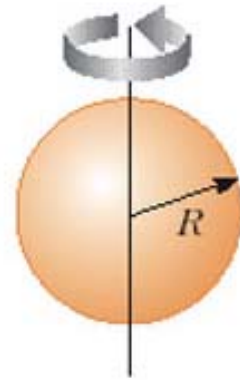
*I for mass in a circle*

*I = mr^2*

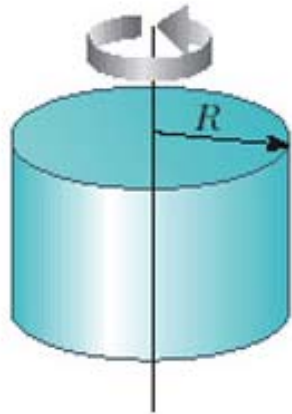
Hoop or thin cylindrical shell  
 $I = MR^2$



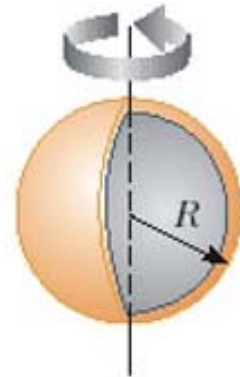
Solid sphere  
 $I = \frac{2}{5} MR^2$



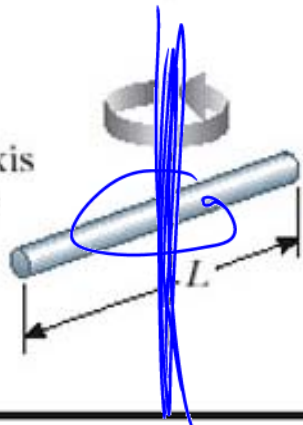
Solid cylinder or disk  
 $I = \frac{1}{2} MR^2$



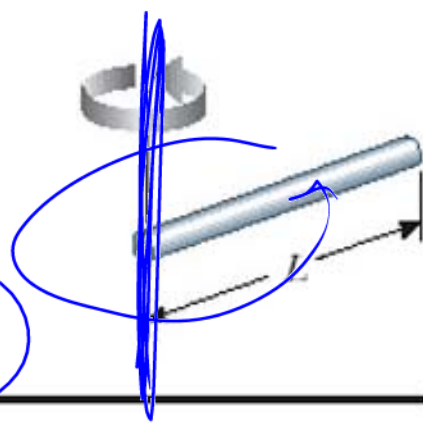
Thin spherical shell  
 $I = \frac{2}{3} MR^2$



Long thin rod with rotation axis through center  
 $I = \frac{1}{12} ML^2$



Long thin rod with rotation axis through end  
 $I = \frac{1}{3} ML^2$



## Clicker quiz

Which kind of rolling object will be moving the fastest at the bottom of an incline?

- a. Hoop  $\rightarrow I = mr^2$
- b. Solid disk  $\rightarrow I = \frac{1}{2} mr^2$
- c. Sphere  $\rightarrow I = \frac{2}{5} mr^2$
- d. They will all tie
- e. Depends on size and/or mass

Additional question: Which object will get to the bottom first?

# Demo: Moment of inertia races

Hoop vs. sphere

Hoop vs. disk

Big disk vs. little disk

Big hoop vs. little hoop

Big sphere vs. little sphere

## Clicker quiz

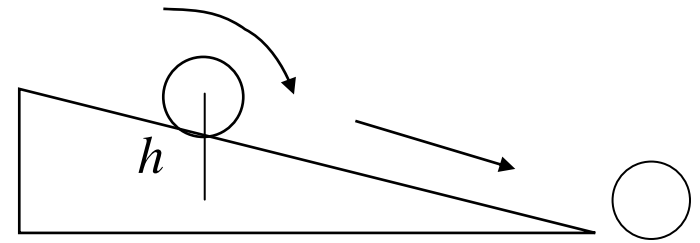
If they continued on, which would go the farthest up a hill on the other side?

- a. Hoop
- b. Solid disk
- c. Sphere
- d. All would end at the same height



# Worked Problem

An object with moment of inertia  $I$  rolls down a height  $h$  without slipping. Find the speed at bottom.



$$E_{\text{ref}} = E_{\text{ref}} +$$

$$PE = KE_{\text{trans.}} + KE_{\text{rot.}}$$

$$mgh = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2 \quad \omega = \frac{v}{r}$$

$$mgh = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}I\frac{v^2}{r^2}$$

$$mgh = \left( \frac{1}{2}m + \frac{1}{2}\frac{I}{r^2} \right) v^2$$

$$v = \sqrt{\frac{mgh}{\frac{1}{2}m + \frac{1}{2}\frac{I}{r^2}}}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}m \quad \frac{2}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2gh}{1 + \frac{I}{mr^2}}}$$

$$I_{\text{sphere}} = \frac{2}{5}mr^2$$

Answer:  $v = \sqrt{\frac{2gh}{1 + I/mR^2}}$

# Newton's second law for rotation

$$\boxed{\sum \tau_p = I\alpha}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \tau & I & \alpha \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{array}$$

still also have  $\sum \vec{F} = m\vec{a}$  ... but acceleration of what?

**From warmup.** Angular acceleration will definitely increase if:

- a. torque is decreased and moment<sup>um</sup> of inertia is decreased
- b. torque is decreased and moment<sup>um</sup> of inertia is increased
- ☒ c. torque is increased and moment<sup>um</sup> of inertia is decreased
- d. torque is increased and moment<sup>um</sup> of inertia is increased



## From warmup

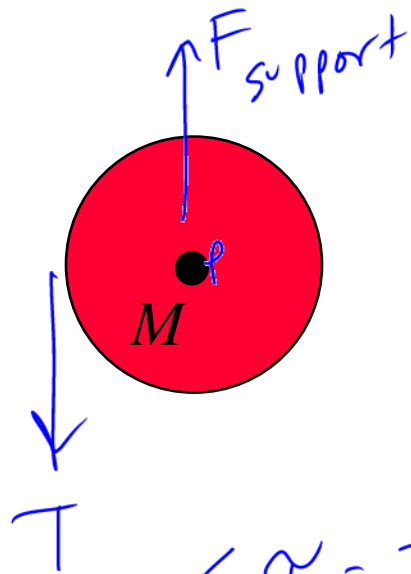
Ralph heard his instructor say "**Moment of inertia plays the same role in rotational motion that mass does in linear motion.**" This confuses him. What does it mean?

**“Pair share”**—I am now ready to share my neighbor’s answer if called on.  
b. Yes

**Worked problem:** A falling mass starts a cylinder rotating (not a “massless pulley”). What is the acceleration of  $m$ ?

$$a_{\text{tan}} = \alpha r$$

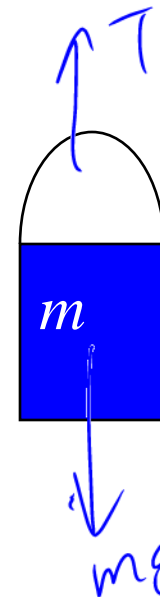
Start with FBDs:



$$\sum \tau_p = I \alpha$$

$$(T)R = \left(\frac{1}{2}MR^2\right)\left(\frac{a}{R}\right)$$

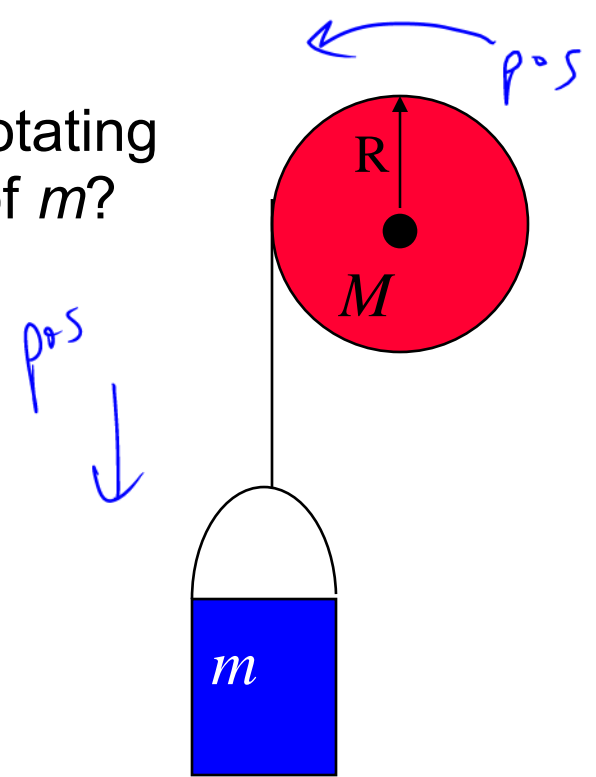
$$T = \frac{1}{2}Ma$$



$$\sum F = ma$$

$$mg - T = ma$$

plug in and solve for  $a$



**Write equations...**

Cylinder

Pail

Make a connection between  $\alpha$  and  $a$ :

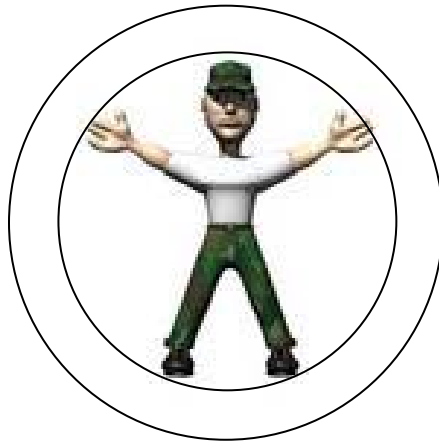
Answer:  $a = \frac{m}{m + M/2} g$

Alternate method:

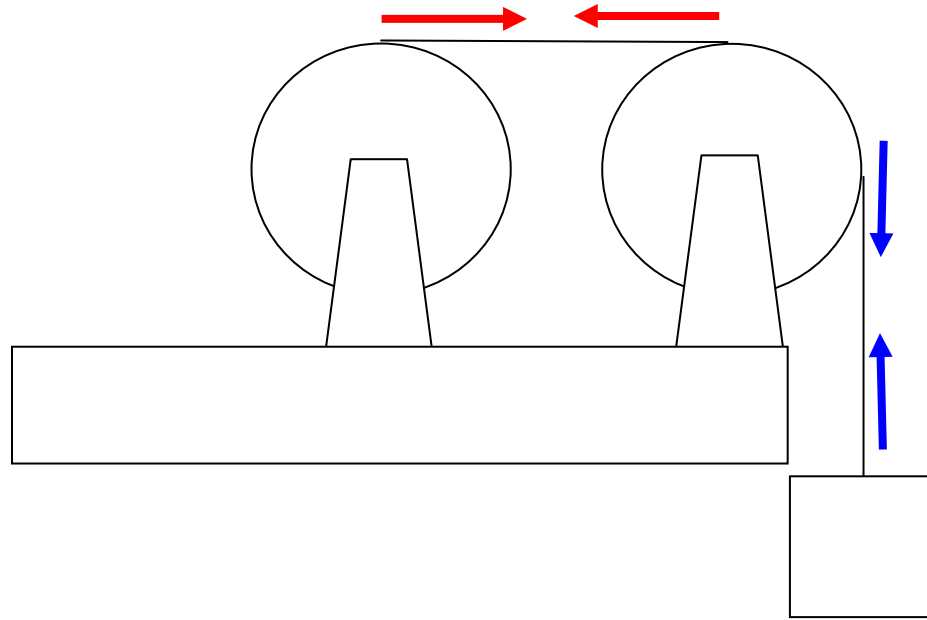
## Clicker quiz

Mary and Fred are rolling a large tire down a hill. Mary says it will go faster if Fred gets inside the tire as shown and rolls down with it. Fred's not sure. What do you think?

- a. It will go faster
- b. It will go slower
- c. It will take the same time



## Clicker quiz



The left disk has a rope wrapped around its edge and the rope passes over a second disk. The two disks are identical and their **mass is significant**. As the system accelerates there is no slipping of the rope on either wheel; both wheels accelerate at the same rate. The tension in the rope is

- a. Largest between the disks (red arrows)
- b. Largest above the mass (blue arrows)
- c. The same in both places.

(What's the difference with our old “massless pulleys”?)