

# Momentum + Impulse Problems

# 1-75 odd  $p = m\vec{v}$

①  $m = 3 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v} = 5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $p = m\vec{v} = 3 \text{ Kg} \cdot 5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = 15 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$

③  $m = 17 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v} = 5.5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $p = m\vec{v} = 17 \text{ Kg} \cdot 5.5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = 66 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$

⑤  $m = 18 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v} = 0.5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $p = m\vec{v} = 18 \text{ Kg} \cdot 0.5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} = 9 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$

Change in Momentum =  $m(\vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1)$

⑦  $m = 4 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v}_2 = 17 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 = 10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\Delta p = m\Delta\vec{v} = m(\vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1)$   
 $= 4 \text{ Kg} (17 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$   
 $= 4 \text{ Kg} (7 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) =$   
 $= 8 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$

⑨  $m = 33 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v}_2 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 = 30 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\Delta p = m\Delta\vec{v} = m(\vec{v}_2 - \vec{v}_1)$   
 $= 33 \text{ Kg} (12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 30 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$   
 $= 33 \text{ Kg} (-18 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$   
 $= -594 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$

# Momentum + Impulse Problems

$$\text{Impulse} = Ft = m\Delta\vec{v} = I$$

(11)

$$m = 3 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$I = m\Delta\vec{v} = 3 \text{ Kg} (12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$$

$$= 3 \text{ Kg} (12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) = 36 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$$

(13)

$$m = 13 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = 17 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = 20 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$I = m\Delta\vec{v} = 13 \text{ Kg} (17 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 20 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$$

$$= 13 \text{ Kg} (-3 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$$

$$= -39 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$$

(15)

$$m = 3 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = 0$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$I = m\Delta\vec{v} = 3 \text{ Kg} (0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$$

$$= 3 \text{ Kg} (-12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})$$

$$= -36 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\underline{Ft = m\Delta v}$$

(17) Force on a 4 Kg object acc. from  $10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$  to  $17 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$  in 7.5 s?

$$\text{Use } \vec{F} \cdot t = m\Delta\vec{v}, \text{ so } \vec{F} = \frac{m\Delta\vec{v}}{t} = \frac{4 \text{ Kg} (17 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{7.5 \text{ s}}$$

$$\vec{F} = 3.7 \text{ N}$$

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19  $m = 33 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v}_2 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 = 30 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $t = 4.5 \text{ s}$

$\vec{F} = ?$  Use  $\vec{F} \cdot t = m \Delta \vec{v}$

$$\vec{F} = \frac{m \Delta \vec{v}}{t} =$$

$$\frac{33 \text{ Kg} (12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 30 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{4.5 \text{ s}} =$$

$$\vec{F} = -132 \text{ N}$$

21  $t = ?$   
 $m = 3 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v}_2 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{F} = 2.5 \text{ N}$

Use  $\vec{F} \cdot t = m \Delta \vec{v}$ , so  $t = \frac{m \Delta \vec{v}}{F}$

$$t = \frac{3 \text{ Kg} (12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{2.5 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}^2}} = 14.4 \text{ s}$$

23  $t = ?$   
 $m = 13 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v}_2 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 = 20 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $F = -2.5 \text{ N}$

Use  $\vec{F} \cdot t = m \Delta \vec{v}$ , so  $t = \frac{m \Delta \vec{v}}{F}$

$$t = \frac{13 \text{ Kg} (12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 20 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{-2.5 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}^2}} = 41.6 \text{ s}$$

25  $t = ?$   
 $m = 3 \text{ Kg}$   
 $\vec{v}_2 = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $\vec{v}_1 = 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$   
 $F = -2.5 \text{ N}$

Use  $\vec{F} \cdot t = m \Delta \vec{v}$ , so  $t = \frac{m \Delta \vec{v}}{F}$

$$t = \frac{3 \text{ Kg} (0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} - 12 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{-2.5 \frac{\text{Kg m}}{\text{s}^2}} = 14.4 \text{ s}$$

# Collision Problems Elastic 1,3,5 and Inelastic 1,3,5.

## Elastic

① Cue Ball  
 $m_1 = 0.25 \text{ Kg}$

$$v_1 = 27 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_1' = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

8-Ball  
 $m_2 = 0.25 \text{ Kg}$

$$v_2 = 0$$

$$v_2' = ?$$



$$m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 = m_1 v_1' + m_2 v_2'$$

$$\frac{m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 - m_1 v_1'}{m_2} = v_2'$$

$$v_2' = \frac{(0.25 \text{ Kg} \cdot 27 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) + (0.25 \text{ Kg} \cdot 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) - (0.25 \text{ Kg} \cdot 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{0.25 \text{ Kg}}$$

$$v_2' = 27 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

③ Bullet

$$m_1 = 0.1 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_1 = 420 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_1' = 300 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Target

$$m_2 = 1.5 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_2 = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_2' = ?$$

$$v_2' = \frac{m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 - m_1 v_1'}{m_2} = \frac{(0.1 \text{ Kg} \cdot 420 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) + (1.5 \text{ Kg} \cdot 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) - (0.1 \text{ Kg} \cdot 300 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{1.5 \text{ Kg}}$$

$$v_2' = \frac{12 \text{ Kg} \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}}{1.5 \text{ Kg}} = 8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

## Elastic

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Cart 1

$$m_1 = 8.5 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_1 = 9.54 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_1' = 3.57 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Cart 2

$$m_2 = 36.8 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_2 = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_2' = ?$$

$$v_2' = \frac{m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2 - m_1 v_1'}{m_2} = \frac{(8.5 \text{ Kg} \cdot 9.54 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) + (36.8 \text{ Kg} \cdot 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) - (8.5 \text{ Kg} \cdot 3.57 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{36.8 \text{ Kg}}$$

$$v_2' = 1.4 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

## Inelastic

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Boy

$$m_1 = 70.0 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_{1+2} = 3.0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_1' = 3.1 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Skateboard

$$m_2 = 2.0 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_{1+2} = 3.0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_2' = ?$$

$$(m_1 + m_2) v_{1+2} = m_1 v_1' + m_2 v_2'$$

$$v_2' = \frac{(m_1 + m_2) v_{1+2} - m_1 v_1'}{m_2}$$

$$v_2' = \frac{(70.0 \text{ Kg} + 2.0 \text{ Kg})(3.0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) - (70.0 \text{ Kg} \cdot 3.1 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{2.0 \text{ Kg}}$$

$$v_2' = -0.5 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

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③ Inelastic  
10th grader

Ladder

$$m_1 = 60 \text{ Kg}$$

$$V_{1+2} = 0$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$m_2 = 7 \text{ Kg}$$

$$V_2' = 15 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$(m_1 + m_2)(V_{1+2}) = m_1 V_1' + m_2 V_2'$$

$$\frac{(m_1 + m_2)(V_{1+2}) - m_2 V_2'}{m_1} = V_1'$$

$$V_1' = \frac{(60 \text{ Kg} + 7 \text{ Kg})(0) - (7 \text{ Kg} \cdot 15 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{60 \text{ Kg}} = -1.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Now, for a projectile motion problem from cliff,

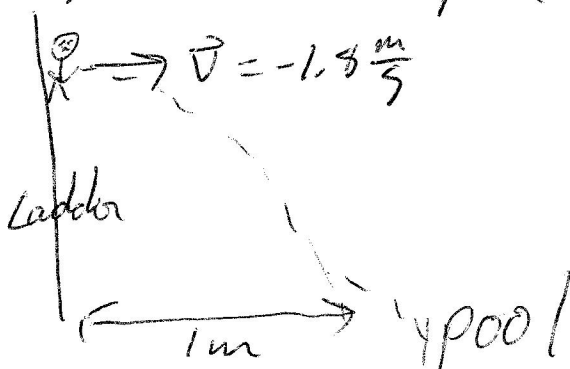
5 m high, so  $d = \frac{1}{2} g t^2$

$$t = \sqrt{\frac{2d}{g}} = \sqrt{\frac{2 \cdot 5 \text{ m}}{9.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}^2}}} = 0.5 \text{ s}$$

Now, find horiz. distance traveled in 0.5 s to fall

$$x = v \cdot t, \text{ so } x = -1.8 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}} \cdot 0.5 \text{ s} = -0.9 \text{ m}$$

If he made it to the pool, he hit the side of the pool just before going in the pool.



③

Inelastic

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Child Package

$$m_1 = 6.4 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_1 = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_{1+2} = 0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

$$v_1' = 10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

Boat + Child

$$m_2 = 26 \text{ Kg} + 45 \text{ Kg} = 71 \text{ Kg}$$

$$v_2' = ?$$

$$(m_1 + m_2)(v_{1+2}) = m_1 v_1' + m_2 v_2'$$

$$\frac{(m_1 + m_2)(v_{1+2}) - m_1 v_1'}{m_2} = v_2'$$

$$\frac{(6.4 \text{ Kg} + 71 \text{ Kg})(0 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}) - (6.4 \text{ Kg} \cdot 10 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}})}{71 \text{ Kg}} = v_2'$$

$$v_2' = -0.9 \frac{\text{m}}{\text{s}}$$

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