

## Frictional Forces

Surfaces in contact: 2 Forces

Normal:  $\perp$  to surface

Friction:  $\parallel$  to surface

Opposes relative motion or potential relative motion

Complicated Dir: Empirical - De Vinci

## Kinetic Friction

- Surfaces in motion

$$f_k = \mu_k N$$

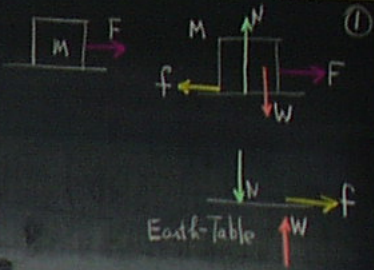
$\mu_k$  = coeff of kinetic friction

$$0 < \mu_k < 1$$

• Prop to N

• Parallel to surface in contact

- Opposes direction of motion
- Indep of area
- Law is empirical / approx
- Depends on materials of surf
- $\mu_k$  independent of  $v$ .
- Friction force on each interacting body is opposite in direction to the motion of that body relative to the other.



Example:  $\vec{a} = 0$ ;  $\vec{v} = \text{constant}$

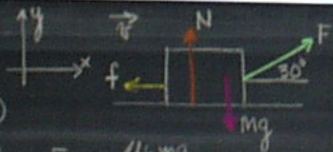
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y-axis  $N + F \sin 30^\circ - mg = 0$  ①

x-axis  $F \cos 30^\circ - f_k = 0$  ②

$$f_k = \mu_k N$$

$$F \cos 30^\circ - \mu_k [mg - F \sin 30^\circ] = 0$$



$$F = \frac{\mu_k mg}{\cos 30^\circ + \mu_k \sin 30^\circ}$$

$\theta$	F
$0^\circ$	392 N
$30^\circ$	363 N
$45^\circ$	376 N

## Static Friction: No motion

- Surfaces at rest
- Non zero force to start motion

$$f_s \leq \mu_s N$$

$\mu_s$  = coeff of static friction

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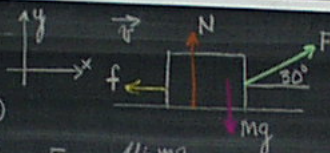
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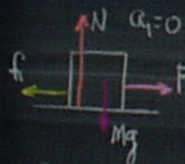
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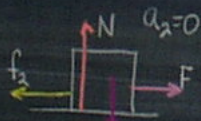
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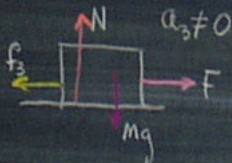
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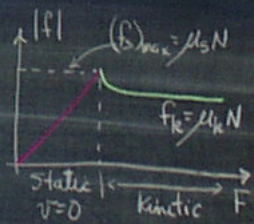
$f_1 < \mu_s$   
 $f_1 = F$  No motion



$f_2 = \mu_s N$   
 $f_2 = F$  Almost



$f_3 = \mu_k N$   
 $F_3 - \mu_k N = m a_3$  Moving



Example: Block-on-Plane. ③



Arrange so:  $\vec{a} = 0$   
 $v = 0$  or constant speed.

y-axis:  $N - mg \cos \theta = 0$  ①  
 x-axis:  $mg \sin \theta - f = 0$  ②

$\frac{f}{N} = \frac{mg \sin \theta}{mg \cos \theta} = \tan \theta$   
 $f_s \leq \mu_s N$   
 $f_k = \mu_k N$



**Case 1** Static; just starts to slip  
as  $\theta$  is increased.

$$\left(\frac{f}{N}\right)_{\max} = \mu_s = \tan \theta$$

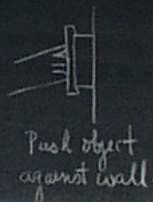
$\theta \equiv$  Angle of Repose.

**Case 2:** Block moves at  
constant speed down plane.  
 $\Rightarrow$  Kinetic Friction

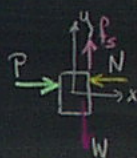
$$\left(\frac{f}{N}\right) = \mu_k = \tan \theta$$

$\Rightarrow$  Measures  $\mu_k$ .

Example



Push object  
against wall.



$$\Sigma F_x = P - N = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\Sigma F_y = f_s - W = 0 \quad (2)$$

From (2)  $f_s = W$

(1)  $P = N$

$$f_s \leq \mu_s P \leq \mu_s N$$

For no slipping,  $f_s \geq W$

$$\mu_s P \geq W$$

$$P \geq \frac{W}{\mu_s}$$

$P = W/\mu_s$  minimum  
push needed.

$\mu_s < 1$  so  $P > W$

Example Block up a Plane

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 $a = ?$   $F = 20 \text{ N}$

assume  $\vec{a}$  is up  $\rightarrow +x$ .



$$\Sigma F_x: F - f - mg \sin 60^\circ = ma_x$$

$$\Sigma F_y: N - mg \cos \theta = 0 \quad (\text{no accel})$$

$$\therefore N = mg \cos \theta$$

$$f = \mu_k N = \mu_k mg \cos 60^\circ$$

$$a_x = \frac{F - mg \sin 60^\circ - \mu_k mg \cos 60^\circ}{m}$$

$$a_x = \frac{F}{m} - g \sin 60^\circ - \mu_k g \cos 60^\circ$$

$$= \frac{20}{5} - 9.81 \times 0.866 - 0.42 \times 9.81 \times 0.5$$

$$= -6.55 \text{ m/s}^2 \quad [\text{Block moves down plane}]$$

change direction of  $f$ !!

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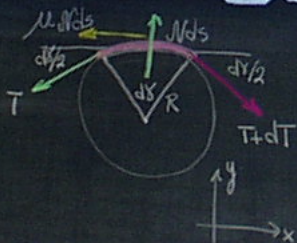
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### Ropes and Posts

- Assume no motion
- Static friction  $\mu$
- No slipping
- Rope wrapped around post
- Angle  $d\gamma$  at center
- Assume a normal force  $\mathcal{N}$  per unit of length.



$$\sum F_y = 0 \quad \mathcal{N} ds - (T+dT) \sin \frac{d\gamma}{2} - T \sin \frac{d\gamma}{2} = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\sum F_x = 0 \quad (T+dT) \cos \left(\frac{d\gamma}{2}\right) - T \cos \left(\frac{d\gamma}{2}\right) - \mu \mathcal{N} ds = 0 \quad (2)$$

Small angles.

$$\cos \left(\frac{d\gamma}{2}\right) \approx 1$$

$$\sin \left(\frac{d\gamma}{2}\right) \approx \left(\frac{d\gamma}{2}\right)$$

$$dT \ll T$$

$$T d\gamma = \mathcal{N} ds \quad \text{From (1)}$$

$$T \left(\frac{d\gamma}{R}\right) = \mathcal{N} \quad (3)$$

$$dT = \mu \mathcal{N} ds \quad \text{From (2)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dT}{T} = \mu \mathcal{N} ds \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{dT}{T} = \mu \frac{dT}{d\gamma} = \mu$$

$$\int_{T_0}^T \frac{dT}{T} = \mu \int_0^\gamma d\gamma$$

Solve

$$T = T_0 e^{\mu \gamma}$$

Angle of rope around post in radians.

Suppose  $\mu = 0.40$   
 $\gamma = 2\pi \Rightarrow 1 + \text{twice}$

$$T = T_0 e^{0.4 \times 2\pi}$$

$$= 12.3 T_0 \quad \text{Remember Advantage.}$$



# AMSA

## Drag Force and Terminal Speed

Objects in fluids (air, water, etc)  
 → drag forces retard motion

Two types of Flow:

### 1. Laminar Flow

- Smooth Flow
- Small particles in fluid.

$F_D \propto$  velocity.

### 2. Turbulent Flow

- disturbed motion
- baseball in air
- parachute

$F_D \propto$  (velocity)<sup>2</sup>

- motion leaves large wake.

## Resistive Force & Velocity

$$\vec{D} = -b \vec{v} \quad \text{Resistive Force}$$

$\vec{v}$  = velocity

b: drag coeff. Depends on shape

Sphus:  $b \propto R$

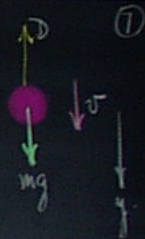
mg = weight (corrected for buoyancy).

$$D = -bv \quad \text{drag}$$

$$\sum F_y = ma_y$$

$$mg - bv = ma = m \frac{dv}{dt}$$

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = g - \frac{b}{m} v \quad \text{Differential equation}$$



At  $t=0$ ,  $v=0$ , so  $D=0$

$$a(t=0) = \frac{dv}{dt} = g$$

As  $t$  increases,  $v$  increases and drag increases.

$a$  decreases.

When  $D=mg$ ,  $a=0$ .

Body moves at terminal velocity,  $v_t$ .

When  $a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 0$

$$g - \frac{b}{m} v_t = 0$$

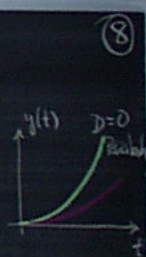
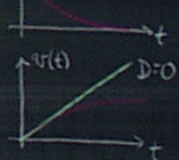
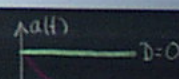
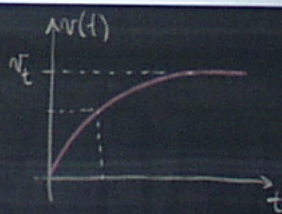
$$v_t = mg/b$$

$$\frac{m}{b} \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{mg}{b} - v$$

$$\frac{dv}{v - v_t} = -\frac{b}{m} dt$$

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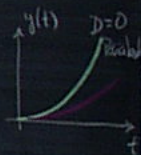
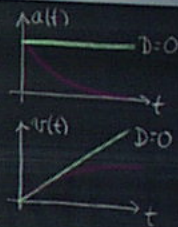
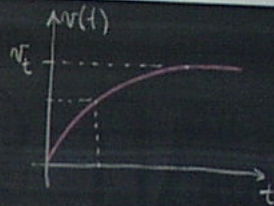
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### Turbulent Flow

$$D = -\frac{1}{2} C_S A v^2$$

$A$  = Eff area

$S$  = density of air

$v$  = speed of fall

$C$  = drag coeff: (0.5-1.0)

Body released

$$v=0 \therefore D=0$$

$v$  increases,  $D$  increases

When  $D=mg$ ,  $a=0$ .

$v = v_t$  terminal speed.

$$\frac{1}{2} C_S A v_t^2 = mg.$$

$$v_t = \sqrt{\frac{2mg}{C_S A}} \text{ m/s}$$

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