

# Impacts (1)

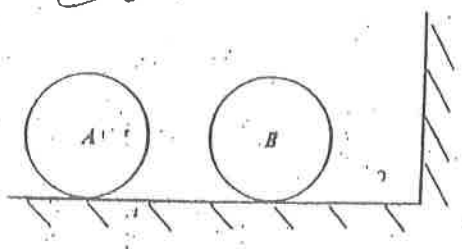
4th

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Direct

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Two smooth spheres,  $A$  and  $B$ , of equal radii, have masses  $4 \text{ kg}$  and  $8 \text{ kg}$  respectively. They lie at rest on a smooth horizontal floor so that the line joining their centres is perpendicular to the vertical wall.  $A$  is projected towards  $B$  with speed  $u$  and collides with  $B$ .  $B$  then hits the wall, rebounds and collides with  $A$  again. This final collision reduces  $B$  to rest. If the coefficient of restitution between  $A$  and  $B$  is  $\frac{1}{4}$ , calculate



- (i) the coefficient of restitution between  $B$  and the wall.  $\frac{2}{7}$
- (ii) the final velocity of  $A$  in terms of  $u$ .  $u/14$
- (iii) the total loss of energy due to the three collisions.  $\frac{195}{98} u^2$

1st

2

State the laws governing oblique collisions between two smooth elastic spheres. Two such spheres  $A$  and  $B$  of mass  $5$  and  $10 \text{ kg}$  respectively, collide obliquely. The coefficient of restitution is  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Immediately before collision the velocity of  $A$  is  $3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$  and that of  $B$  is  $-2\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$ , where speeds are in  $\text{m/s}$  and  $\mathbf{i}$  and  $\mathbf{j}$  are unit vectors along and perpendicular to the line of centres. Find the velocity of (i)  $A$  (ii)  $B$  immediately after impact. Show that the loss of kinetic energy is  $80 \text{ J}$ . Calculate the tan of the angle through which  $B$  is deflected after the collision.

(i)  $-\frac{1}{2}\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$   
 (ii)  $3\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$   
 $\tan \alpha = \frac{24}{23}$

$e = \frac{1}{2}$

2nd

3

State the laws governing the oblique collision of smooth elastic spheres. Two smooth elastic spheres  $A$  and  $B$  of mass  $4 \text{ kg}$  and  $8 \text{ kg}$  respectively, collide obliquely. The coefficient of restitution is  $0.4$ . Before collision the velocity of  $A$  is  $(3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}) \text{ m/s}$  and that of  $B$  is  $(-4\mathbf{i} - p\mathbf{j}) \text{ m/s}$  where  $\mathbf{i}$  and  $\mathbf{j}$  are unit vectors along and perpendicular to the line of centres at the moment of impact.

- (i) Find the velocity of each sphere after impact.
- (ii) Show that the loss of kinetic energy, as a result of the impact, is  $63 \text{ J}$ .
- (iii) If after impact the spheres are moving at right angles to each other, calculate the value of  $p$ .

$\vec{v}_A = -4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$   
 $\vec{v}_B = -\mathbf{i} - p\mathbf{j}$

$p = 1$

3rd

4

8. State the laws governing the oblique collision between smooth elastic spheres. Two smooth spheres  $p$  and  $q$  of masses  $2k$  and  $k$  respectively, collide obliquely and the coefficient of restitution for the collision is  $\frac{1}{2}$ . The velocity of  $p$  before impact is  $2v\mathbf{i} + 5v\mathbf{j}$  and the velocity of  $q$  before impact is  $-4v\mathbf{i} + 3v\mathbf{j}$ , where  $\mathbf{i}$  points along the line of centres at impact. Find the velocities of the spheres after the impact and show that the loss in kinetic energy is  $9kv^2$ .

$\vec{v}_p = -v\mathbf{i} + 5v\mathbf{j}$ ,  $\vec{v}_q = 2v\mathbf{i} + 3v\mathbf{j}$

$e = \frac{1}{2}$

$$1. \quad \begin{array}{ccc} A & \frac{m}{4} & \frac{u}{u} & \frac{v}{x} \\ B & 8 & 0 & y \end{array}$$

$$e = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{Pcm} : 4u + 8(0) = 4x + 8y$$

$$\boxed{4u = 4x + 8y}$$

$$\text{Newton} : \frac{x-y}{u-0} = \frac{-1}{4}$$

$$\boxed{4x - 4y = -u}$$

A hits B

$$4x + 8y = 4u$$

$$4x - 4y = -u$$

$$12y = 5u$$

$$y = \frac{5u}{12}, \quad x = \frac{u}{6}$$

$$B \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \frac{m}{8} & \frac{u}{\frac{5u}{12}} \rightarrow & \frac{v}{z} \end{array}$$

e

$$\text{Pcm} : \text{one object } X$$

B hits Wall

$$\text{Newton} : z = \underline{su}$$

$$\frac{z}{\frac{su}{12}} = -e$$

$$\boxed{z = -\frac{su e}{12}} \quad \text{ie } \leftarrow$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \frac{m}{4} & \frac{u}{\frac{u}{6}} & \frac{v}{m} \\ B & 8 & \frac{-su e}{12} & 0 \end{array}$$

B hits A

$$e = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{Pcm} : 4\left(\frac{u}{6}\right) + 8\left(\frac{-su e}{12}\right) = 4m + 8(0)$$

$$8u - 40ue = 48m \quad *$$

$$2u - 10ue = 12m$$

$$\boxed{u - 5ue = 6m}$$

Newton :  $\frac{m-0}{\frac{u}{6} + \frac{5ue}{12}} = -\frac{1}{4}$

$$4m = -\left[\frac{u}{6} + \frac{5ue}{12}\right]$$

$$\boxed{48m = -2u - 5ue} \quad *$$

$$48m = \boxed{8u - 40ue}$$

$$48m = \boxed{-2u - 5ue}$$

$$8u - 40ue = -2u - 5ue$$

$$10u = 35ue$$

$$\frac{10}{35} = e$$

$$\frac{2}{7} = e$$

• Final Velocity of A = ?

m = ?

$$6m = u - 5ue$$

$$6m = u - 5u \cdot \frac{2}{7}$$

$$6m = u - \frac{10u}{7}$$

$$= \frac{7u - 10u}{7}$$

$$6m = -\frac{3u}{7}$$

$$m = \frac{-3u}{7 \cdot 6} = -\frac{u}{14}$$

direction.

KE lost

|   |     |     |                |
|---|-----|-----|----------------|
|   | $m$ | $u$ | $v$            |
| A | 4   | $u$ | $\frac{u}{14}$ |
| B | 8   | 0   | 0              |

$$KE_{\text{before}} = \frac{1}{2} (4) (u^2) + \frac{1}{2} (8) (0^2) = 2u^2$$

$$KE_{\text{after}} = \frac{1}{2} (4) \left(\frac{u^2}{14^2}\right) + \frac{1}{2} (8) (0^2) = \frac{2u^2}{196}$$

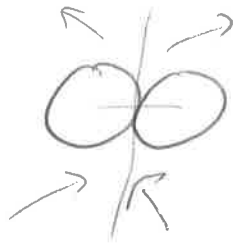
$$\Delta KE = \frac{2u^2}{196} - \frac{2u^2}{1} = \frac{2u^2 - 392u^2}{196} = \frac{-390u^2}{196} = \frac{195u^2}{98}$$

lost/gain!

|    |   |               |                                 |                                 |
|----|---|---------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2. |   | $\frac{m}{s}$ | $\frac{u}{5\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}}$ | $\frac{v}{p\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}}$ |
|    | A | 5             |                                 |                                 |
|    | B | 10            | $-2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j}$          | $q\vec{i} - 3\vec{j}$           |

$$e = \frac{1}{7}$$

obliquely



$\vec{J}$ -unchanged

PCM :

$$5(s) + 10(-2) = 5(p) + 10(q)$$

$$2s - 20 = 5p + 10q$$

$$| \quad 5p + 10q = 5$$

$$\boxed{p + 2q = 1}$$

Newton :

$$\frac{p - q}{s + 2} = -\frac{1}{7}$$

$$7p - 7q = -7$$

$$\boxed{p - q = -1}$$

$$p + 2q = 1$$

$$p - q = -1$$

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$$3q = 2$$

$$q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$p = -1 + q$$

$$= -\frac{3}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

final velocities :

A :  $-\frac{1}{3}\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}$

B :  $\frac{2}{3}\vec{i} - 3\vec{j}$

$$KE_{lost} = ?$$

|   |     |                |                         |
|---|-----|----------------|-------------------------|
|   | $m$ | $ u $          | $ v $                   |
| A | 5   | $\sqrt{25+16}$ | $\sqrt{\frac{1}{9}+16}$ |
| B | 10  | $\sqrt{4+9}$   | $\sqrt{\frac{4}{9}+9}$  |

$$KE_{before} = \frac{1}{2}(5)\sqrt{41} + \frac{1}{2}(10)(13)$$

$$= \overset{102.5}{\cancel{127.5}} + 65$$

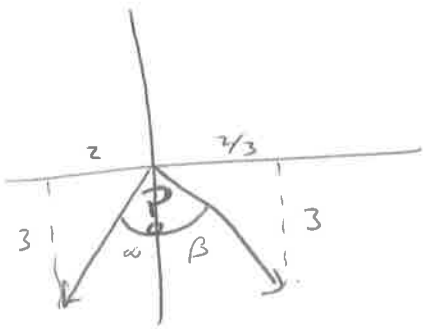
$$= \overset{167.5}{\cancel{192.5}}$$

$$KE_{after} = \frac{1}{2}(5)(16\frac{1}{9}) + \frac{1}{2}(10)(9\frac{4}{9})$$

$$= 40\frac{5}{18} + 47\frac{2}{9}$$

$$= 87.5$$

$$KE_{lost} = \cancel{105} 80$$



$$\tan(\alpha + \beta) = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta} = \frac{\frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{9}}{1 - (\frac{2}{3})(\frac{2}{9})} = \frac{18 + 6}{27 - 4}$$

$$= \frac{24}{23}$$

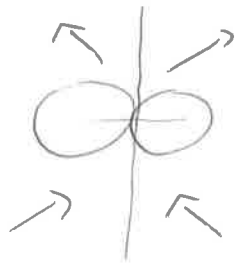
$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{24}{23}\right)$$

3.

|   | $m$  | $u$                              | $v$                   |
|---|------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| A | 4 kg | $3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}$            | $2\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}$ |
| B | 8 kg | $-\frac{9}{2}\vec{i} - p\vec{j}$ | $r\vec{i} - p\vec{j}$ |

$$e = 0.4$$

oblique

 $\vec{j}$  - unchanged

$$PCM : 4(3) + 8\left(-\frac{9}{2}\right) = 4(2) + 8(r)$$

$$12 - 36 = 4q + 8r$$

$$4q + 8r = -24$$

$$\text{Newton's} : \frac{2-r}{3 + \frac{9}{2}} = -0.4$$

$$\frac{2-r}{7.5} = -0.4$$

$$2 - r = -3$$

x 4

$$4q + 8r = -24$$

$$4q - 4r = -12$$

$$12r = -12$$

$$\begin{array}{l} r = -1 \\ q = -4 \end{array}$$

$$\text{final velocities} : \begin{array}{l} A : -4\vec{i} + 4\vec{j} \\ B : -\vec{i} - p\vec{j} \end{array}$$

ii) loss in K.E

A  $\frac{m}{4}$

$\frac{|u|}{\sqrt{3^2+4^2}}$

$\frac{|v|}{\sqrt{4^2+4^2}}$

B 8

$\sqrt{\frac{81}{2}(\frac{1}{2})^2 + p^2}$

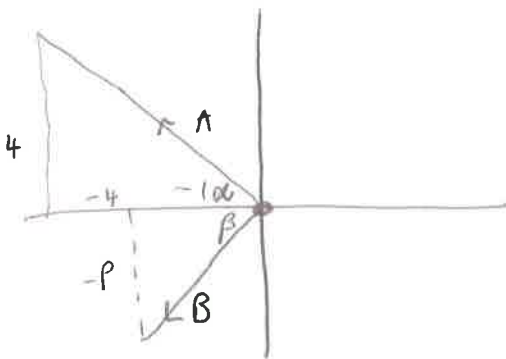
$\sqrt{1^2 + p^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} KE_{\text{before}} &= \frac{1}{2}(4)(25) + \frac{1}{2}(8)\left(\frac{81}{4} + p^2\right) \\ &= 50 + 81 + 4p^2 \\ &= \boxed{131 + 4p^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} KE_{\text{after}} &= \frac{1}{2}(4)(4^2 + 3^2) + \frac{1}{2}(8)(1 + p^2) \\ &= 64 + 4 + 4p^2 \\ &= \boxed{68 + 4p^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$KE_{\text{lost}} = (68 + 4p^2) - (131 + 4p^2) = \underline{63\text{J}} \quad \text{QED}$$

iii) After impact : moving at  $90^\circ$  to each other



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{4}{4} = 1$$

$$\alpha = 45^\circ$$

$$\tan \beta = \frac{p}{1} = p$$

$$\beta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{p}{1}\right)$$

$$90^\circ = 45^\circ + \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = 45^\circ$$

$$\tan 45 = \frac{p}{1}$$

$$1 = \frac{p}{1}$$

$$p = 1$$

$$-6\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} \quad m = \frac{4}{4} = 1 \quad \text{better}$$

$$-6\hat{i} - p\hat{j} \quad m = \frac{-p}{-1} = p$$

$$90^\circ \Rightarrow \perp \Rightarrow m_1 \times m_2 = -1$$

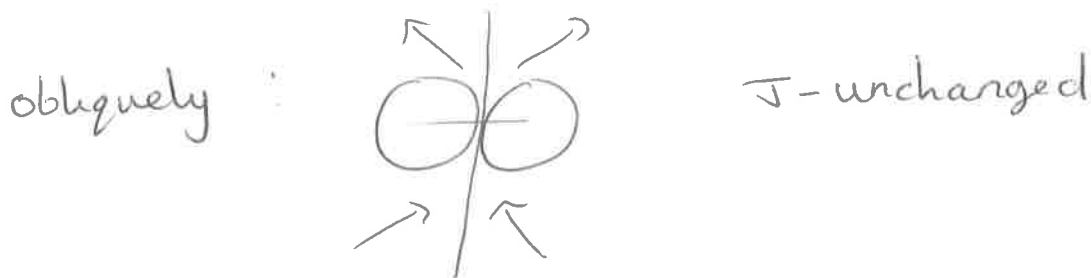
$$(-1)(p) = -1$$

$$p = 1$$



|   |     |                |                                   |                                  |
|---|-----|----------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 4 |     | $\frac{m}{2k}$ | $\frac{u}{2V\vec{i} + 5V\vec{j}}$ | $\frac{v}{p\vec{i} + 5V\vec{j}}$ |
|   | $p$ | $2k$           |                                   |                                  |
|   | $q$ | $k$            | $-4V\vec{i} + 3V\vec{j}$          | $q\vec{i} + 3V\vec{j}$           |

$$e = \frac{1}{2}$$



$$p_{cm} : 2k(2V) + k(-4V) = 2k(p) + k(q)$$

$$4kV - 4kV = 2kP + kq$$

$$\boxed{0 = 2P + q}$$

$$\text{Newton : } \frac{p - q}{2V + 4V} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$2P - 2q = -2V - 4V$$

$$\boxed{2P - 2q = -6V}$$

$$2P + q = 0$$

$$2P - 2q = -6V$$

$$3q = 6V$$

$$\boxed{q = 2V}$$

$$2P + 2V = 0$$

$$2P = -2V$$

$$\boxed{P = -V}$$

Final velocities :  $P : -V\vec{i} + 5V\vec{j}$

$q : 2V\vec{i} + 3V\vec{j}$

$$KE_{\text{lost}} = ?$$

|     |                |                                   |                                  |
|-----|----------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|     | $\frac{m}{2k}$ | $\frac{ u }{\sqrt{4V^2 + 25V^2}}$ | $\frac{ v }{\sqrt{V^2 + 25V^2}}$ |
| $p$ | $2k$           | $\sqrt{16V^2 + 9V^2}$             | $\sqrt{4V^2 + 9V^2}$             |
| $z$ | $k$            |                                   |                                  |

$$\begin{aligned}
 KE_{\text{before}} &= \frac{1}{2} (2k) (29V^2) + \frac{1}{2} (k) (25V^2) \\
 &= 29kV^2 + 12.5kV^2 \\
 &= \boxed{41.5kV^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 KE_{\text{after}} &= \frac{1}{2} (2k) (26V^2) + \frac{1}{2} (k) (13V^2) \\
 &= 26kV^2 + 6.5kV^2 \\
 &= \boxed{32.5kV^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$KE_{\text{lost}} = 9kV^2$$