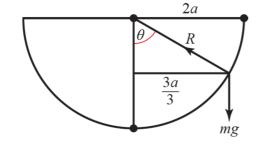
## Mixed exercise 1





$$R(\updownarrow)R\cos\theta = mg$$

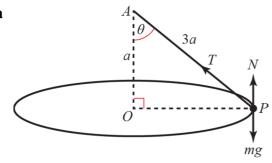
$$R(\leftrightarrow)R\sin\theta = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{2mu^2}{3a}$$

Dividing 
$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{2u^2}{3ag}$$
, but

$$\tan\theta = \frac{\frac{3a}{2}}{\frac{\sqrt{7}a}{2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}}, \text{ so}$$

$$\frac{2u^2}{3ag} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}}$$
,  $9ag = 2\sqrt{7}u^2$ 

## 2 a



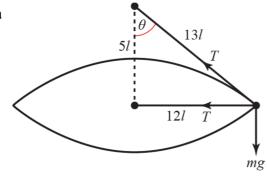
N is the normal reaction of the table on P, T is the tension in the string, and  $\theta$  is the angle between the string and the vertical. Right-angled triangle so

$$OP = a\sqrt{8}$$

$$R(\leftarrow): T \sin \theta = \frac{mv^2}{a\sqrt{8}}$$
$$T \frac{\sqrt{8}a}{3a} = \frac{m \times 4ga}{a\sqrt{8}}$$
$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{3mg}{2}$$

**b** 
$$R(\uparrow): T\cos\theta + N = mg \Rightarrow N = mg - \frac{3}{2}mg \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{2}mg$$

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Let  $\theta$  be the angle between the string and the vertical.

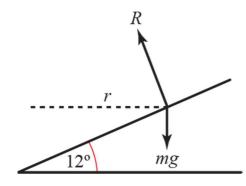
We have a 5, 12, 13 triangle.

$$R(\updownarrow)T\cos\theta = mg$$

$$T = \frac{mg}{\cos \theta} = \frac{13mg}{5}$$

**b** 
$$R(\leftrightarrow)T + T\sin\theta = \frac{mv^2}{r} \Rightarrow T\left(1 + \frac{12}{13}\right) = \frac{mv^2}{12l}, \frac{25}{13} \times \frac{13mg}{5} = 5mg = \frac{mv^2}{12l}$$
  
$$\Rightarrow v^2 = 60gl, v = \sqrt{60gl}$$

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R is the normal reaction of the surface on the car.

No friction.

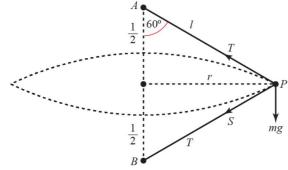
$$R(\updownarrow)R\cos 12^\circ = mg$$

$$R(\leftrightarrow)R\sin 12^\circ = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{m \times 15^2}{r}$$

Dividing: 
$$\tan 12^\circ = \frac{225}{gr}$$

$$r = \frac{225}{g \tan 12^{\circ}} \approx 108 \,\mathrm{m}$$

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T is the tension in AP and S is the tension in BP. The triangle is equilateral (3 equal sides).

$$R(\updownarrow): T\cos 60^{\circ} = mg + S\cos 60^{\circ}$$

$$T - S = 2mg$$

$$R(\leftrightarrow): T\cos 30^{\circ} + S\cos 30^{\circ} = mr\omega^2$$

$$(T+S)\cos 30^{\circ} = ml\cos 30^{\circ} \times \omega^{2}$$

$$T + S = ml\omega^2$$

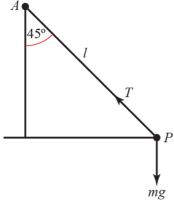
Adding these two equations gives

$$2T = 2mg + ml\omega^{2}, T = \frac{m}{2}(2g + l\omega^{2}).$$

**b** 
$$S = T - 2mg = \frac{m}{2}(l\omega^2 - 2g)$$

**c** Both strings taut 
$$\Rightarrow l\omega^2 - 2g > 0$$
,  $\omega^2 > \frac{2g}{l}$ 

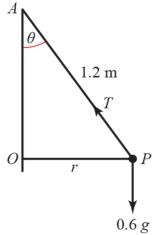
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*T* is the tension in the string.

$$R(\updownarrow): T\cos 45^\circ = mg, T = \sqrt{2}mg$$

**b** 
$$R(\leftrightarrow): T\cos 45^\circ = mr\omega^2 = ml\cos 45^\circ\omega^2, T = ml\omega^2, \omega = \sqrt{\frac{T}{ml}} = \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{2g}}{l}}$$



r is the radius of the circle,

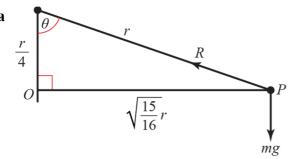
T is the tension in the string and  $\angle OAP$  is  $\theta$ .

From the triangle,  $r = 1.2 \sin \theta$ .

$$R(\leftrightarrow): T\sin\theta = mr\omega^2 = 0.6 \times 1.2\sin\theta \times 9$$

$$T = 0.6 \times 1.2 \times 9 = 6.48 \,\mathrm{N}$$

**b** 
$$R(\updownarrow)T\cos\theta = mg$$
,  $6.48\cos\theta = 0.6g$ ,  $\cos\theta = \frac{0.6g}{6.48} \approx 0.907$ ,  $\theta \approx 25^{\circ}$ 



The angle between the radius through P and the vertical is  $\theta$ .

P has angular speed  $\omega$  rad s<sup>-1</sup>

R is the reaction of the bowl on P.

$$R(\updownarrow): R\cos\theta = mg, R = 4mg.$$

**b** 
$$R(\leftrightarrow): R\sin\theta = mr\omega^2 = m \times r\sin\theta \times \omega^2, \ \omega = \sqrt{\frac{4mg}{mr}} = \sqrt{\frac{4g}{r}}$$

Three revolutions is  $6\pi$  radians, time taken  $=\frac{6\pi}{\sqrt{\frac{4g}{\pi}}}=3\pi\sqrt{\frac{r}{g}}$ 

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$$\frac{mv^2}{r} = \mu R = \mu mg$$
$$\frac{v^2}{rg} = \mu$$
$$\frac{21^2}{100 \times 9.8} = \mu$$
$$\mu = 0.45$$

$$\mathbf{b} \quad \tan \alpha = \frac{35}{136}$$

$$10 \text{ a} \quad \frac{\sqrt{3m}}{4} \left( r\omega^2 + 2g \right)$$

**b** Maximum speed gives the shortest time. At the maximum speed with the rod still on the surface of the sphere, R = 0.

Radius of the circle is 
$$\frac{\sqrt{3}r}{2}$$

When 
$$R = 0$$
,  $T \cos \alpha = mg$ 

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{mg}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{2mg}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$T\sin\alpha = m \times \frac{\sqrt{3}r}{2} = \omega^2$$

so 
$$\frac{2mg}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{2} = m \times \frac{\sqrt{3}r}{2} = \omega^2$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{\sqrt{2g}}{3r}$$

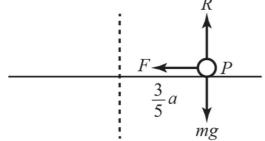
Time for one revolution = 
$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$

$$= \pi \sqrt{\frac{4 \times 3r}{2g}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{6r}{6r}}$$

$$=\pi\sqrt{\frac{6r}{g}}$$

- c i The minimum period decreases.
  - ii The minimum period increases.



*F* is the force due to friction, *R* is the normal reaction.

$$R(\updownarrow): R = mg$$

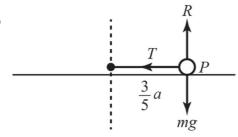
$$R(\leftrightarrow): F = mr\omega^2$$

If *P* is not to slip then

$$\frac{3}{7}mg \geqslant m\frac{3}{5}a\omega^2$$

$$\therefore \omega^2 \leqslant \frac{5g}{7a}$$

11 b



*T* is the tension in the elastic string.

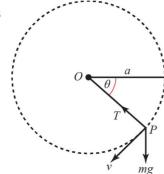
$$T = \frac{\lambda x}{l} = \frac{\frac{5mg}{2} \times \left(\frac{3}{5}a - \frac{a}{2}\right)}{\frac{a}{2}} = \frac{5mg}{10} = \frac{mg}{2}$$

The limits for  $\omega^2$  depend on whether the friction is acting with the tension or against it.

$$R(\leftrightarrow): \frac{3}{7}mg + \frac{mg}{2} \geqslant m\frac{3}{5}a\omega^2, \omega^2 \leqslant \frac{5}{3a} \times \frac{13g}{14} = \frac{65g}{42a}$$
or 
$$R(\leftrightarrow): -\frac{3}{7}mg + \frac{mg}{2} \leqslant m\frac{3}{5}a\omega^2, \omega^2 \geqslant \frac{5}{3a} \times \frac{g}{14} = \frac{5g}{42a}$$

$$\frac{5g}{42a} \leqslant \omega^2 \leqslant \frac{65g}{42a}$$

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Loss in P.E. = gain in K.E. so

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 - \frac{1}{2}mu^2 = mga\sin\theta$$
$$\Rightarrow v^2 = \frac{4}{3}ga + 2ga\sin\theta$$

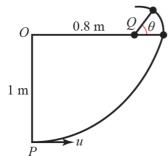
**b** Resolving towards *O*:  $T - mg \sin \theta = \frac{mv^2}{a}$ 

$$T = \frac{4}{3}mg + 2mg\sin\theta + mg\sin\theta = mg\left(\frac{4}{3} + 3\sin\theta\right)$$

**c** 
$$T = 0$$
 when  $\sin \theta = -\frac{4}{9}$ ,  $\theta = 206^{\circ}$ 

**d** When v = 0,  $\sin \theta = -\frac{4}{6} = -\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $(\theta \approx 222^{\circ})$  so the particle can not complete the circle.

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Consider the circle centre Q, radius 0.2 m.

When QP is at  $\theta$  above the horizontal:

Energy: 
$$\frac{1}{2}mw^2 + mg \times 0.2 \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$
,

$$w^2 = v^2 - 0.4g\sin\theta$$

where v is the speed when  $\theta = 0$ , and w the speed at angle  $\theta$ .

Circular motion: 
$$T + mg \sin \theta = \frac{mw^2}{r} = \frac{m(v^2 - 0.4g \sin \theta)}{0.2}$$

$$T = \frac{m(v^2 - 0.4g\sin\theta)}{0.2} - mg\sin\theta = \frac{m(v^2 - 0.6g\sin\theta)}{0.2} \geqslant 0$$

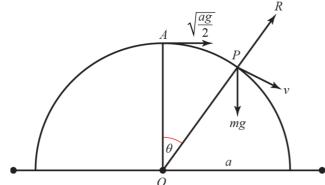
Looking at the larger circle, conservation of energy

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mg \times 1 = \frac{1}{2}mu^2, \ v^2 = u^2 - 2g$$

At the top of the small circle,  $\sin \theta = 1$ ,

$$\Rightarrow u^2 - 2g - 0.6g \ge 0, u^2 \ge 2.6g, u \ge \sqrt{2.6g}$$

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*R* is the reaction between the particle and the surface.

If the level of *P* is the level of zero P.E., conservation of energy

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}m\frac{ag}{2} + mga(1 - \cos\theta) = \frac{1}{2}mv^2,$$

$$v^2 = \frac{ga}{2} + 2ga(1 - \cos\theta)$$

$$=\frac{ga}{2}(5-4\cos\theta)$$

**b** Resolving towards *O*: 
$$mg \cos \theta - R = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{mg}{2} (5 - 4\cos \theta)$$

Substituting  $\cos \theta = 0.9$ :  $R = mg \times 0.9 - \frac{mg}{2}(5 - 3.6) = 0.2mg > 0$ 

so *P* is still on the hemisphere.

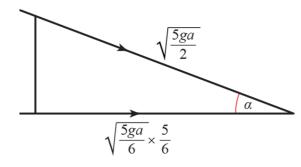
c i 
$$R = 0 \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}(5 - 4\cos \theta), 3\cos \theta = \frac{5}{2}, \cos \theta = \frac{5}{6}$$

ii 
$$v^2 = \frac{ga}{2}(5 - 4\cos\theta) = \frac{ga}{2}\left(5 - \frac{10}{3}\right) = \frac{5ga}{6}, v = \sqrt{\frac{5ga}{6}}$$

**d** By considering K.E. + P.E. at A and B, if v is the speed at B,

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}m\frac{ag}{2} + mga, \ v^2 = \frac{5ga}{2}, \ v = \sqrt{\frac{5ga}{2}}$$

14 e



After the particle leaves the sphere the horizontal

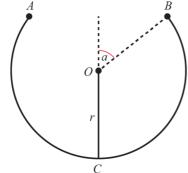
velocity remains constants = 
$$\sqrt{\frac{5ga}{6}} \times \frac{5}{6}$$

If  $\alpha$  is the angle at which the particle strikes the

table then 
$$\cos \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{5ga}{6}} \times \frac{5}{6}}{\sqrt{\frac{5ga}{2}}} = \frac{5}{6\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\alpha \approx 61^{\circ}$$

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K.E.+P.E. at C = K.E.+P.E. at B.

If P.E.= 
$$0$$
 at  $C$  then

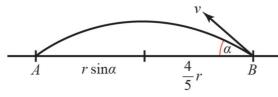
$$\frac{1}{2}mu^{2} = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} + mg(r + r\cos\alpha) = \frac{1}{2}mv^{2} + \frac{8}{5}mgr$$

$$v^{2} = u^{2} - \frac{16}{5}gr$$

**b** 
$$u^2 = 4gr \Rightarrow v^2 = \frac{4}{5}gr$$
. Resolving towards O:  $R + \frac{3}{5}mg = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{4mg}{5}$ ,  $R = \frac{mg}{5}$ 

**c** 
$$R = 0$$
 at  $B \Rightarrow \frac{3mg}{5} = \frac{mv^2}{r} = \frac{m\left(u^2 - \frac{16gr}{5}\right)}{r}, \frac{mu^2}{r} = \frac{3mg}{5} + \frac{16mg}{5}, u = \sqrt{\frac{19gr}{5}}$ 

d



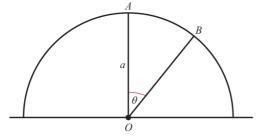
The particle is now moving freely under gravity. Horizontal distance

$$= 2r\sin\alpha = \frac{8r}{5} = v\cos\alpha \times t$$
so  $t = \frac{8r}{3v}$ 

Vertical distance 
$$=0 = \frac{4v}{5}t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \Rightarrow t = \frac{8v}{5g} = \frac{8r}{3v}, \Rightarrow v = \sqrt{\frac{5rg}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^{2} = \frac{5rg}{3} + \frac{16gr}{5} = \frac{73}{15}gr; u = \sqrt{\frac{73gr}{15}}$$

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Equating the K.E.+ P.E. at *A* and *B*:

$$\frac{1}{2}mu^2 + mga = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mga\cos\theta$$
$$\Rightarrow v^2 = u^2 + 2ga(1 - \cos\theta)$$

Resolving towards *O*: 
$$mg \cos \theta - R = \frac{mv^2}{a}$$

$$R = 0 \Rightarrow ag \cos \theta = u^{2} + 2ag(1 - \cos \theta)$$
$$3ag \cos \theta = u^{2} + 2ag$$
$$\cos \theta = \frac{u^{2} + 2ag}{3ag}$$

**b** Conservation of energy from A to surface:

$$\frac{1}{2}mu^2 + mga = \frac{1}{2}m \times \frac{5ag}{2}, u^2 = \frac{ag}{2}, \cos\theta = \frac{5}{6}, \theta \approx 34^\circ$$

# Challenge

a At point

$$(x, x^2), \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = 2x$$

$$R(\uparrow): R\cos\theta = mg \qquad (1)$$

$$R(\rightarrow): R\sin\theta = mx\omega^2$$
 (2)

$$(2) \div (1) : \tan \theta = \frac{x\omega^2}{g} \quad (3)$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = 2x$$

$$\therefore 2x = \frac{x\omega^2}{g} \Rightarrow 2g = \omega^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \sqrt{2g}$$

Hence  $\omega$  is independent of the vertical height.

# Challenge

$$\omega^2 = \frac{g \tan \theta}{x}$$
. For  $\omega$  to be

independent of 
$$x \Rightarrow \frac{g \tan \theta}{x} = k$$
 for constant  $k$ 

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = ax$$
 for constant  $a$ 

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \tan\theta = ax \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{2}ax^2 + b$$

Hence  $f(x) = px^2 + q$  for the constants p and q