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# Recitation Class

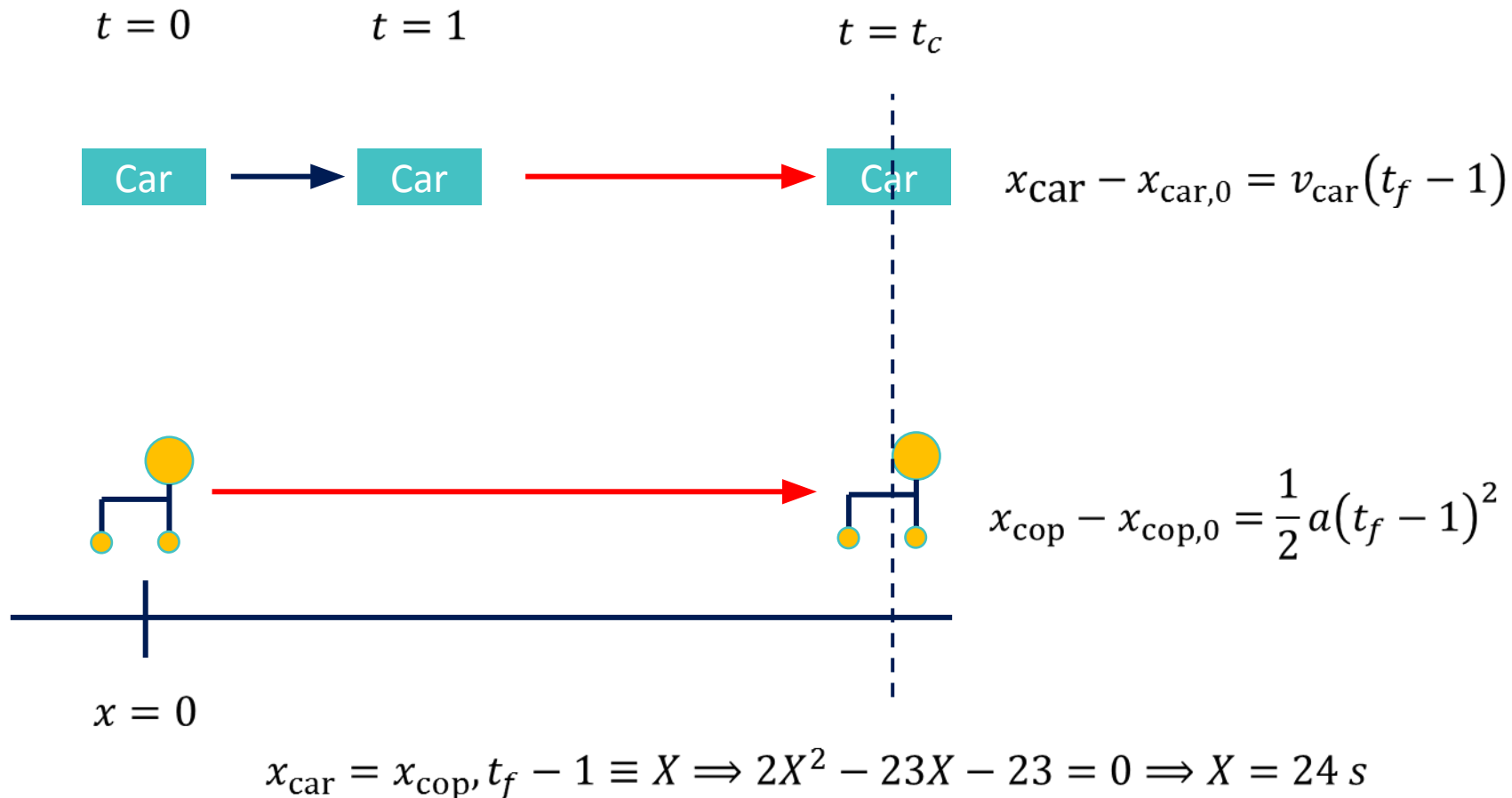
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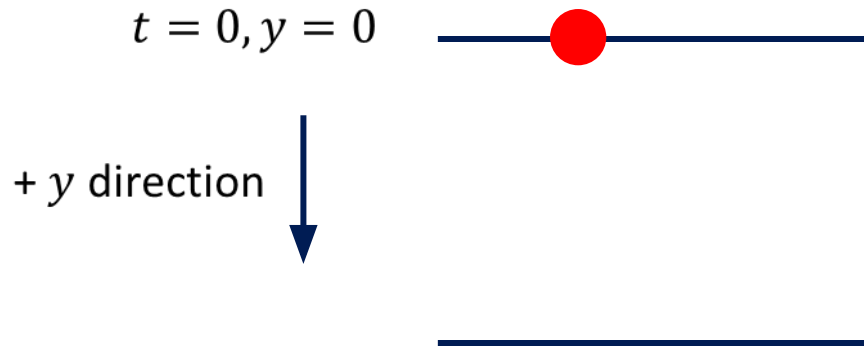
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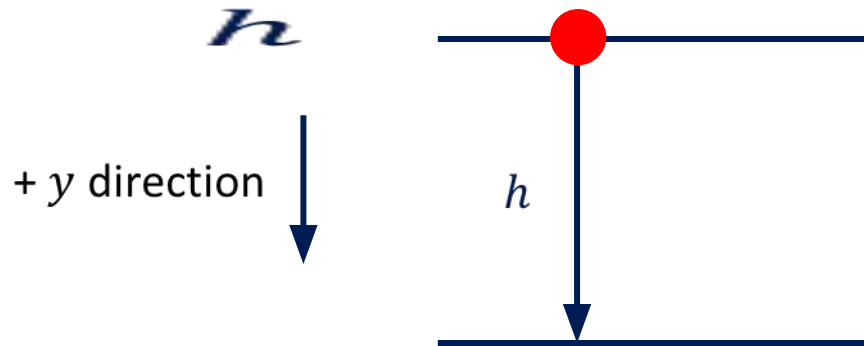
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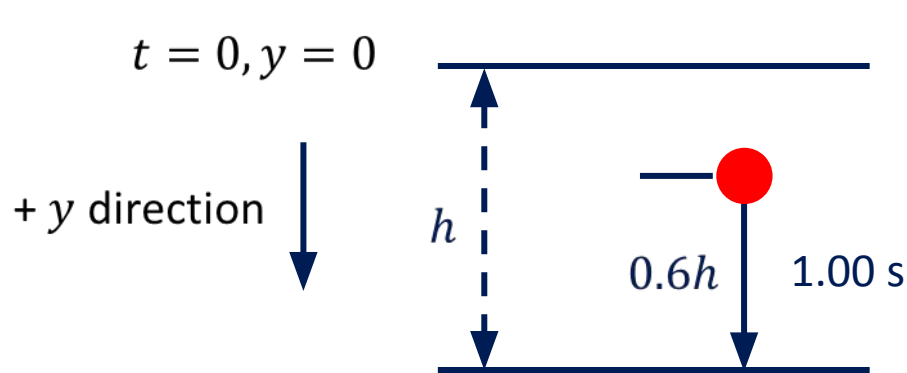


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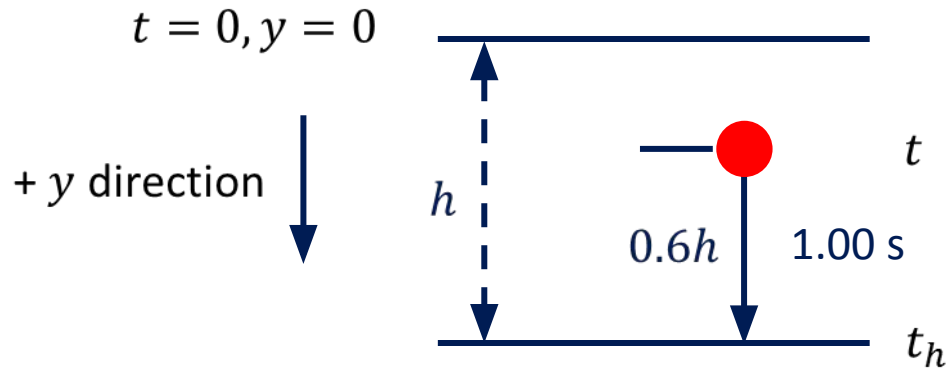


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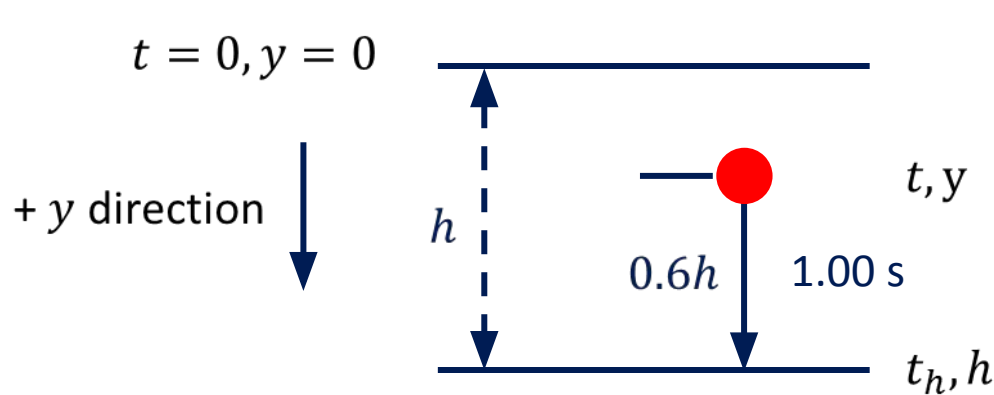


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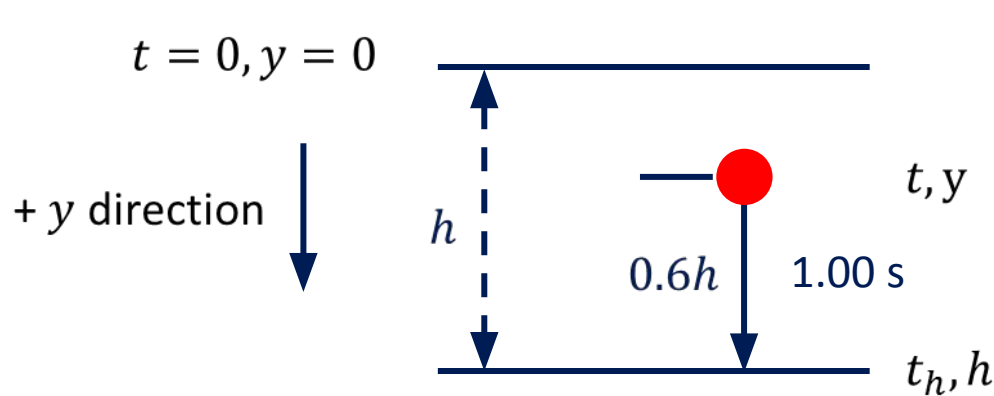
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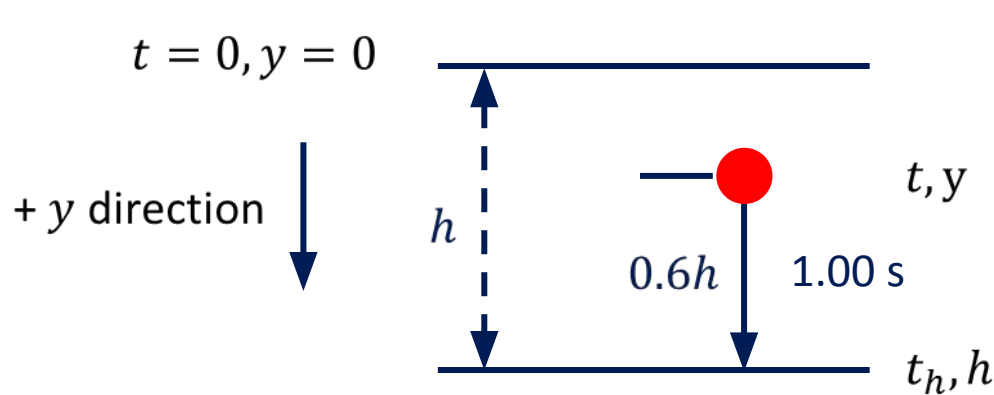
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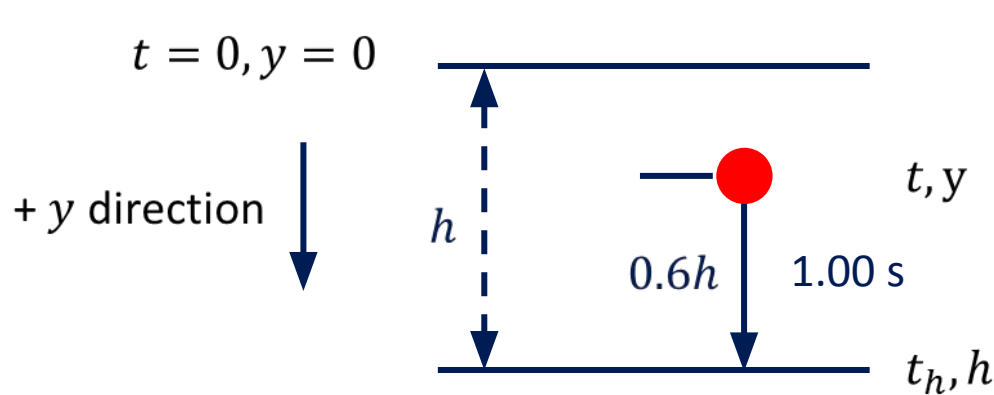
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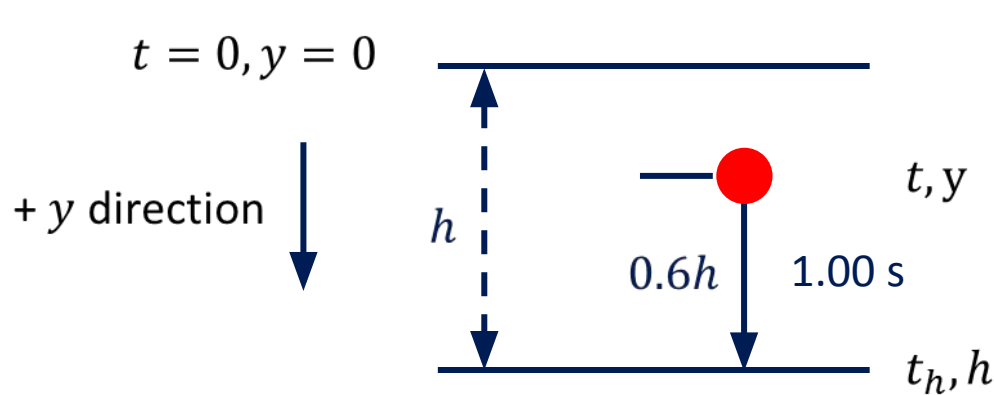
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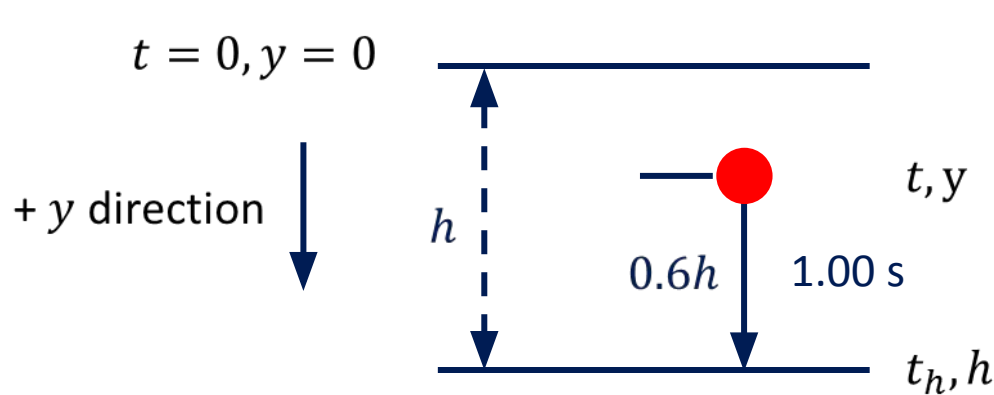
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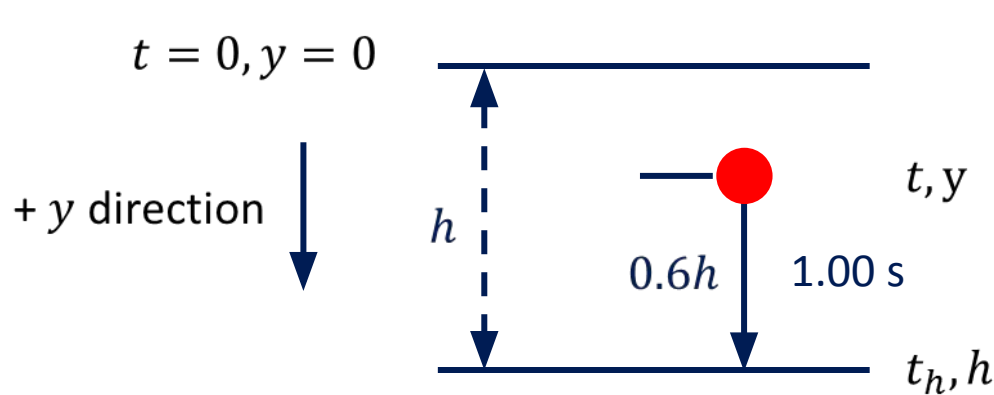
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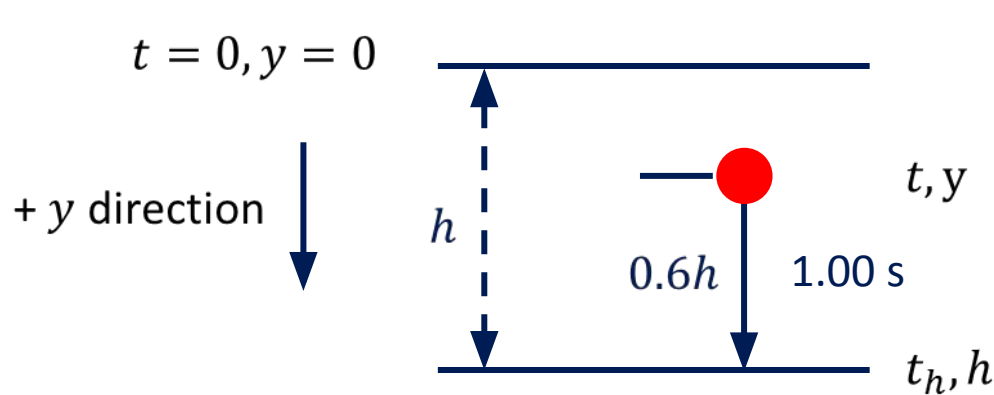
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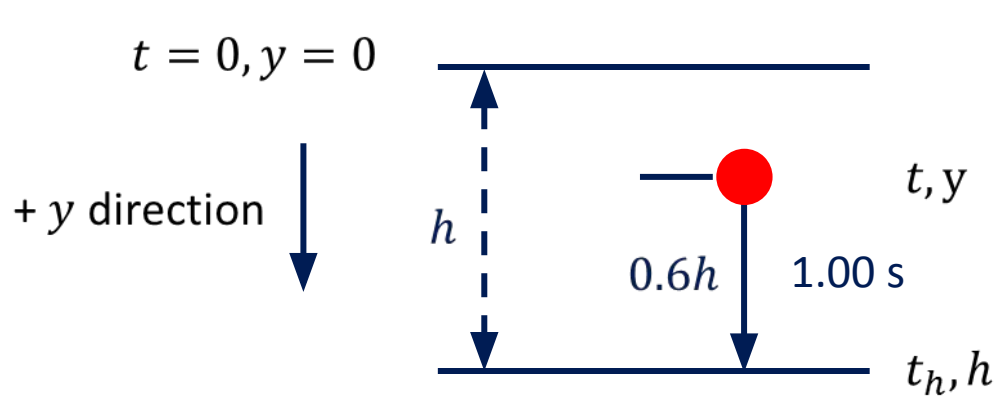
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**Negative time indicates a time before the object was dropped**

Answer of (c)

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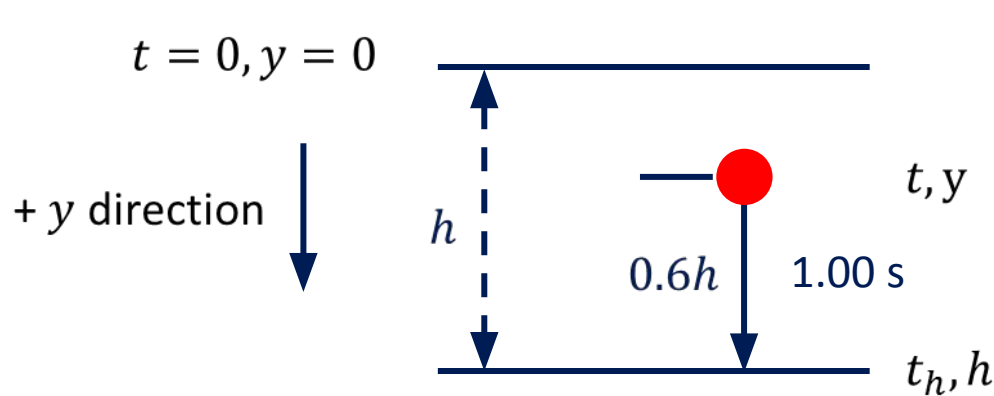
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(a) the time of the object's fall:  $t_h$

$$t_h - t = 1.00 \quad (1) \quad t = \sqrt{0.4}t_h \quad (3) \quad \text{Plugging Eq. (3) into (1),}$$

$$t_h - \sqrt{0.4}t_h = 1.00 \Rightarrow t_h = \frac{1}{1 - \sqrt{0.4}} = 2.72 \text{ s}$$

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(b) the height of the object's fall:  $h$

$$h = \frac{1}{2}gt_h^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2 \times (2.72 \text{ s})^2 = 36.2 \text{ m}$$

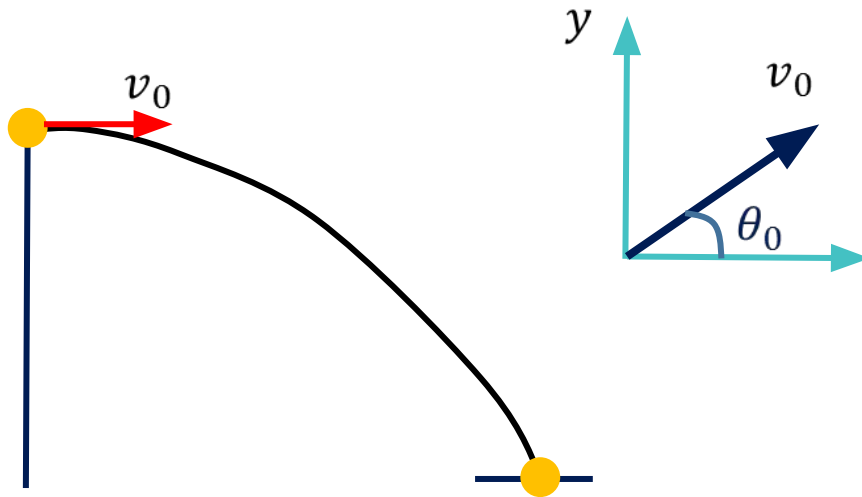
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# Chapter 4

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 a=-g \downarrow & y - y_0 = (v_0 \sin \theta_0)t - \frac{1}{2}gt^2 \\
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 y_0 = h & \quad v_{0y} = 0 \\
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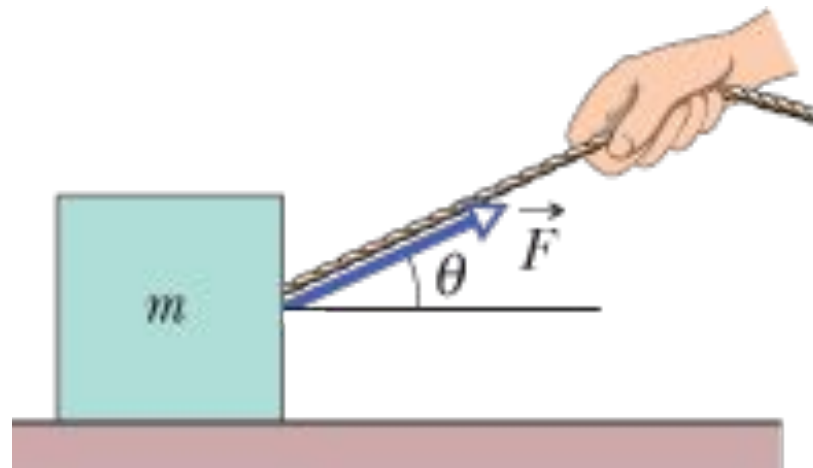
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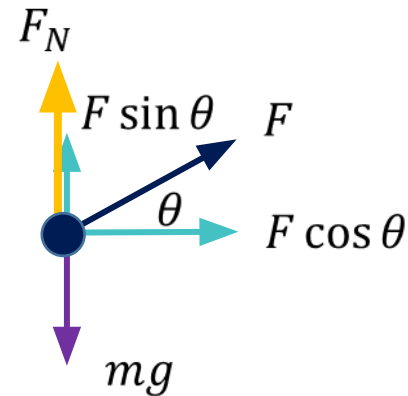
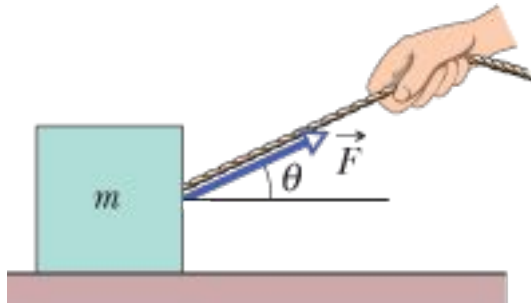
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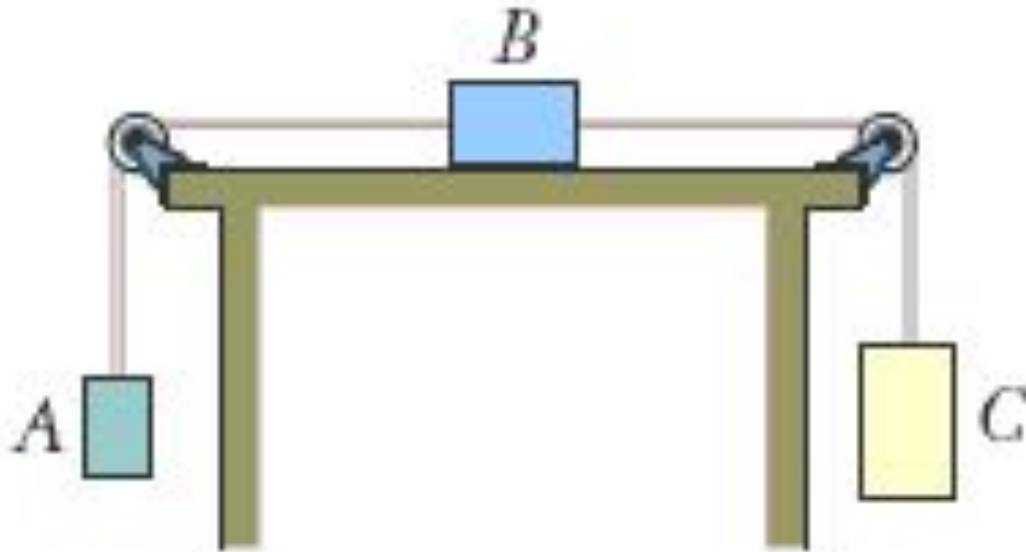
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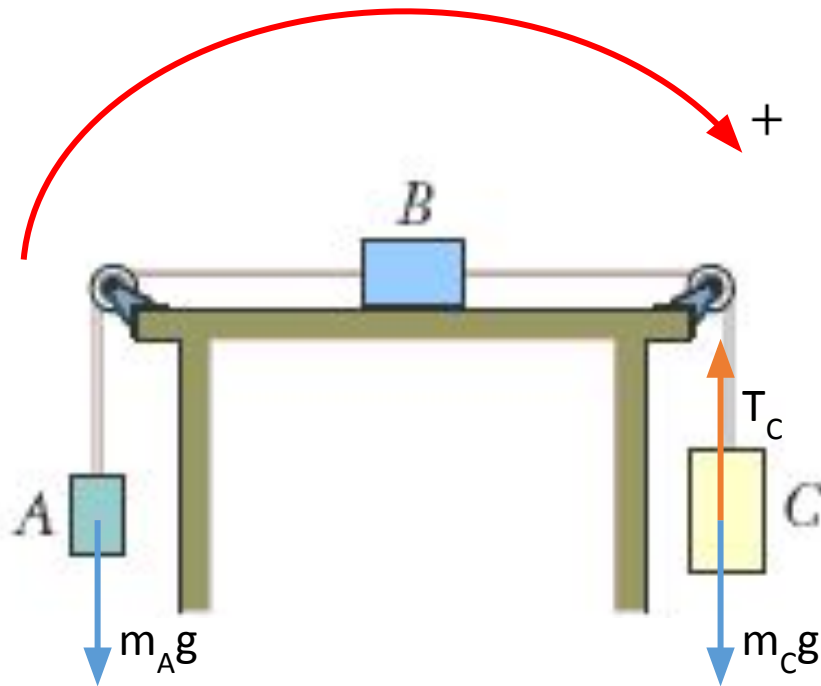
(c) acceleration is still in the x axis

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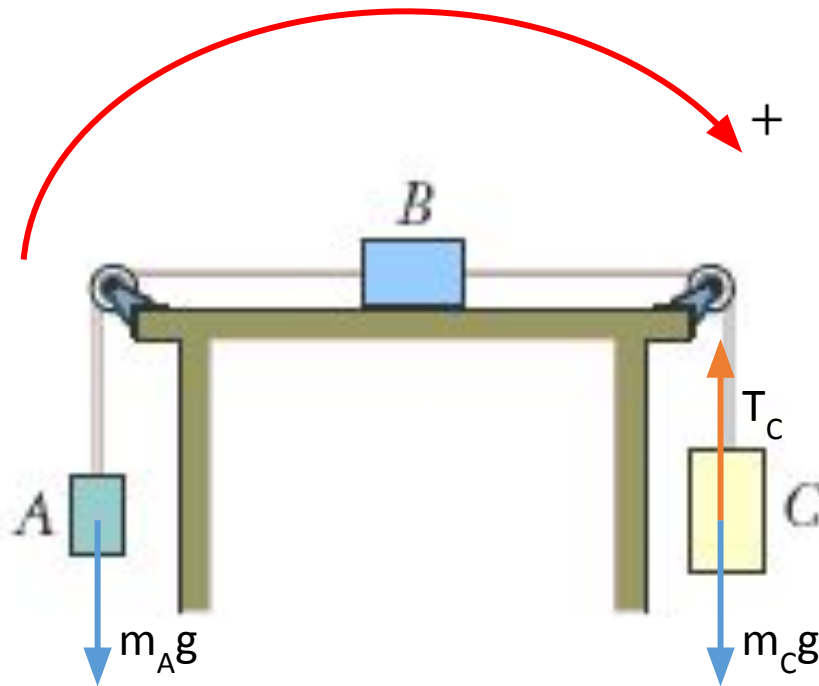


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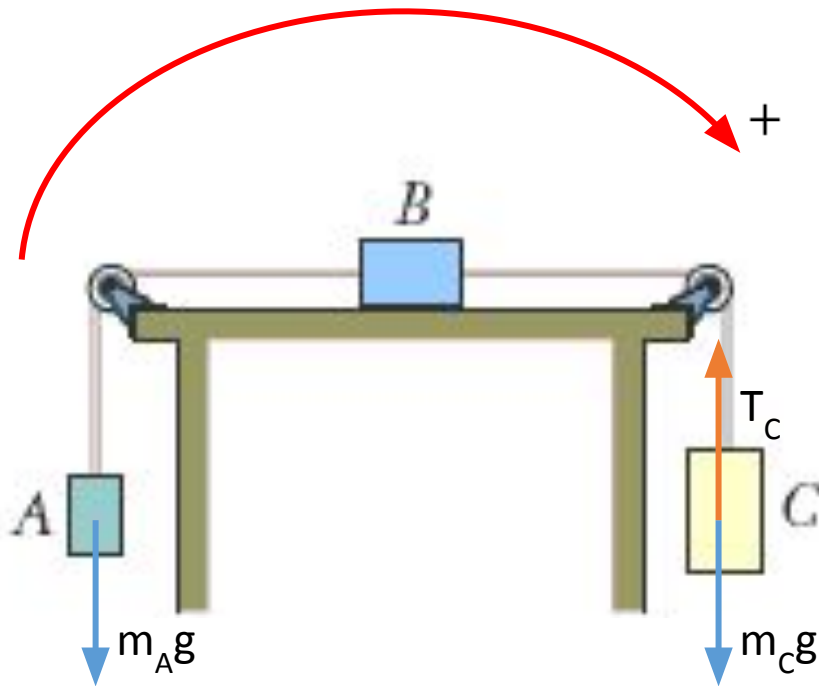
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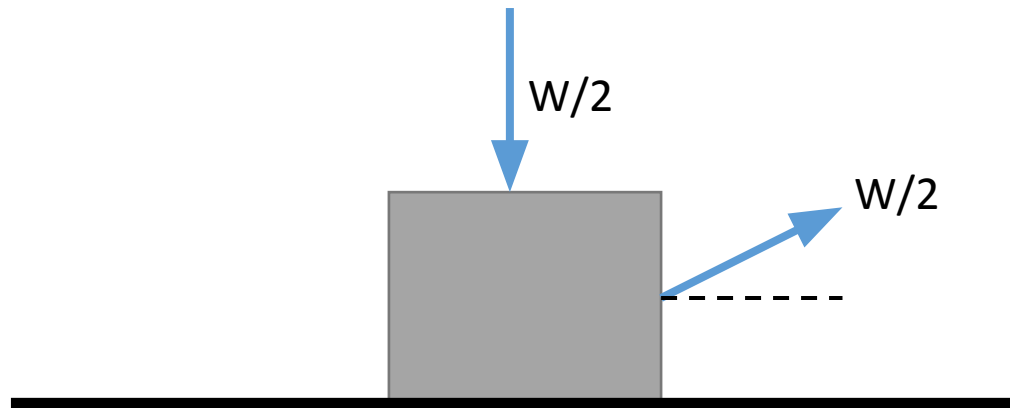
$$m_C g - T_C = m_C a$$

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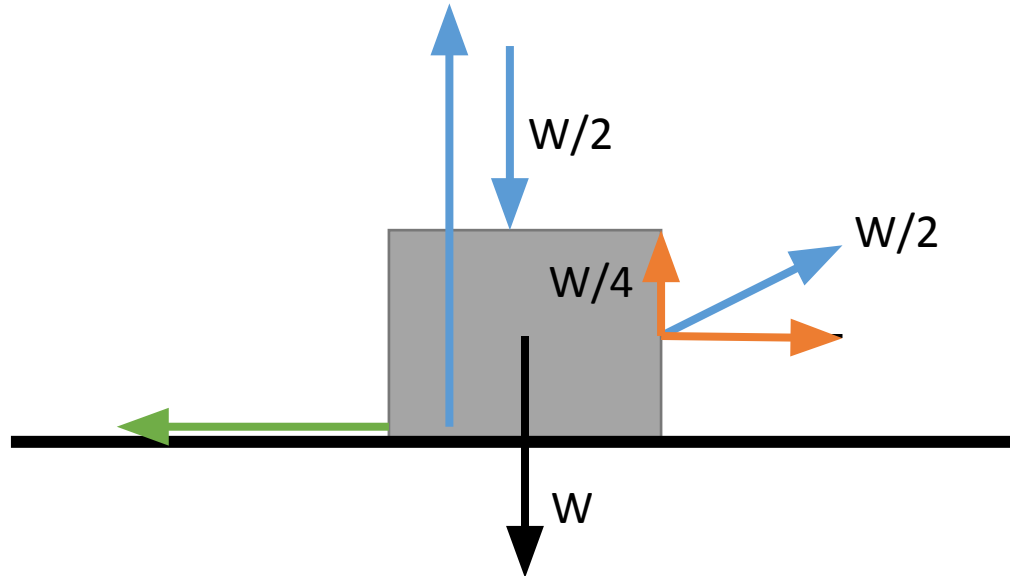
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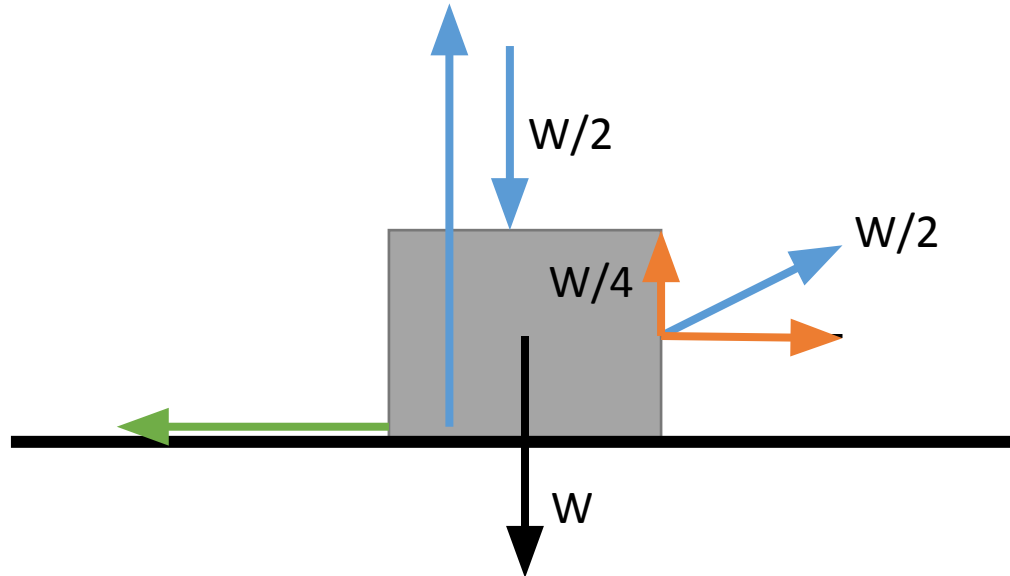
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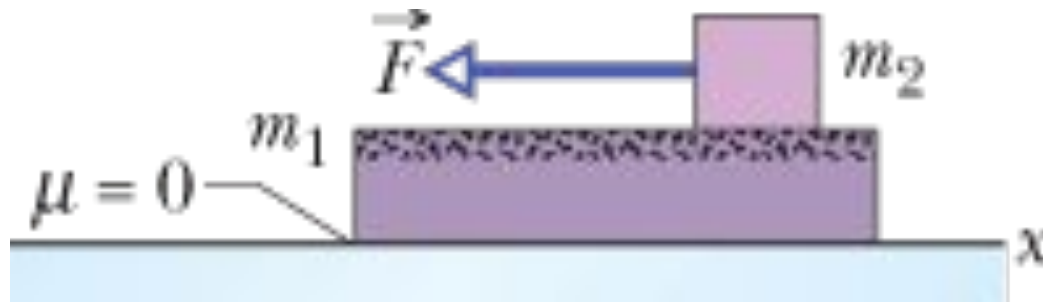
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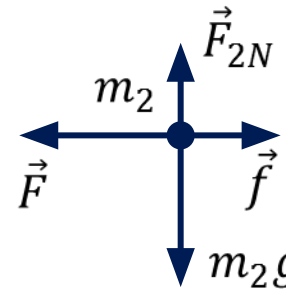
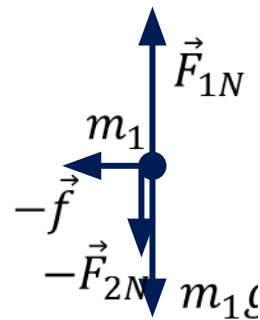
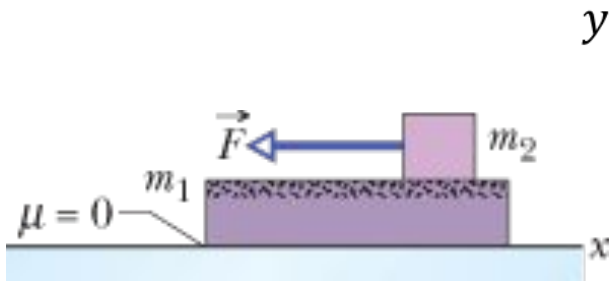
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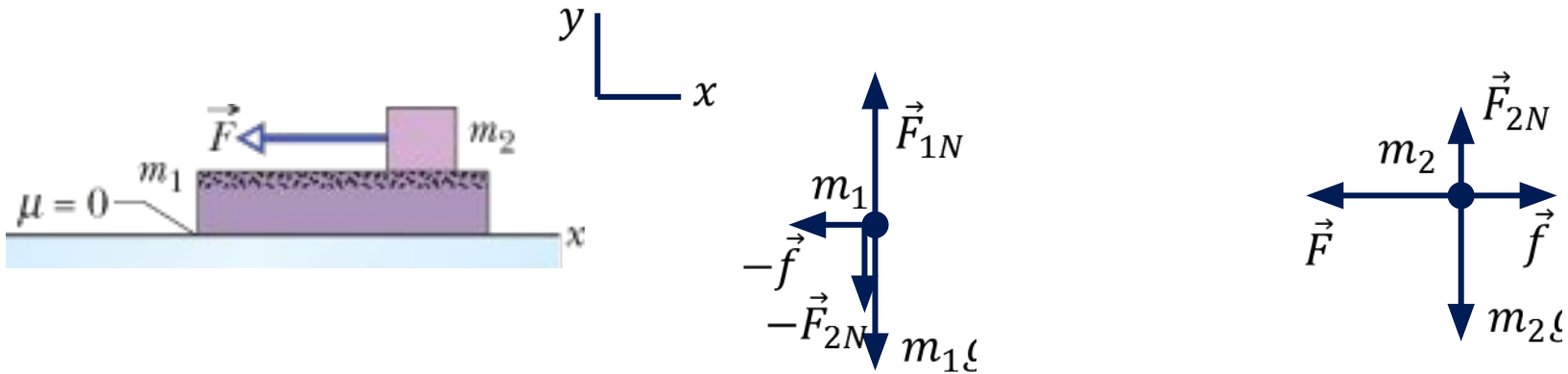
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Block does not stick together !!

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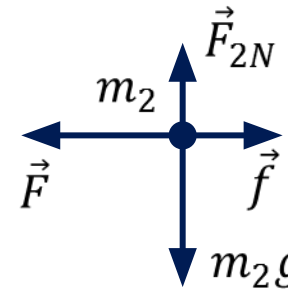
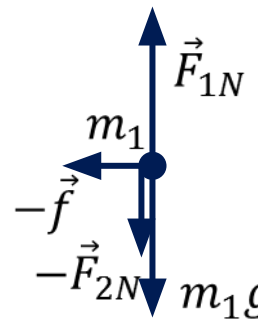
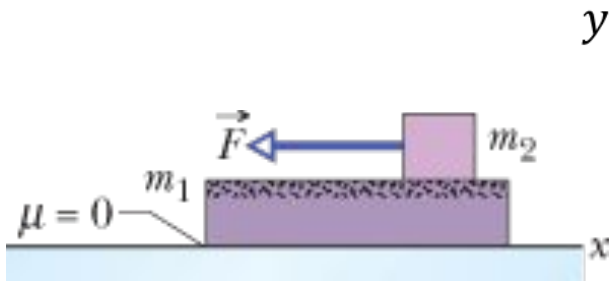
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$$f = \frac{m_1 F}{m_1 + m_2} > f_{s,\max} = \mu_s m_2 g$$

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[Problem 34] In the figure, a slab of mass  $m_1 = 40$  kg rests on a frictionless floor, and a block of mass  $m_2 = 10$  kg rests on top of the slab. Between block and slab, the coefficient of static friction is 0.60, and the coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.40. A horizontal force  $\vec{F}$  of magnitude 100 N begins to pull directly on the block, as shown. In unit-vector notation, what are the resulting accelerations of (a) the block and (b) the slab?



(a) accelerations of the block

$$x: -F + f = m_2 a_2$$

$$y: F_{2N} - m_2 g = 0$$

$$f = \mu_k F_{2N} = \mu_k m_2 g$$

$$a_2 = \frac{-F + f}{m_2} = \frac{-F + \mu_k m_2 g}{m_2} = -6.1 \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\vec{a}_2 = -(6.1 \text{ m/s}^2) \hat{i}$$

(b) accelerations of the slab

$$x: -f = m_1 a_1$$

$$a_1 = -\frac{f}{m_1} = \frac{\mu_k m_2 g}{m_1} = -0.98 \text{ m/s}^2$$

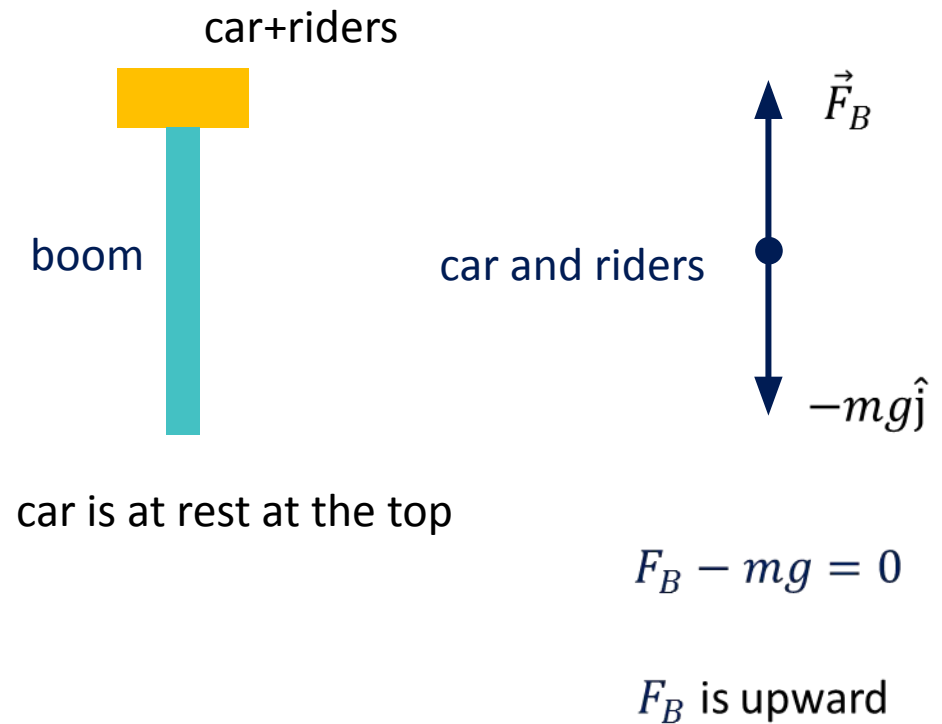
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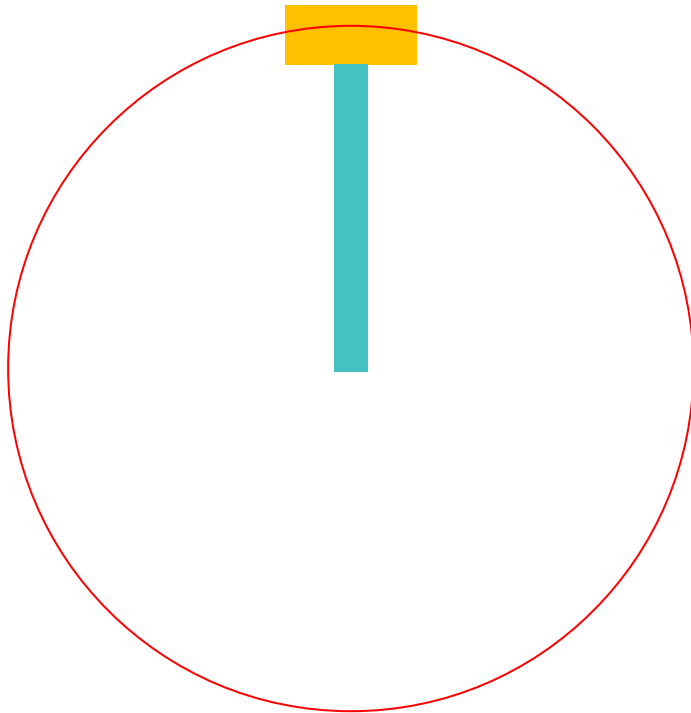


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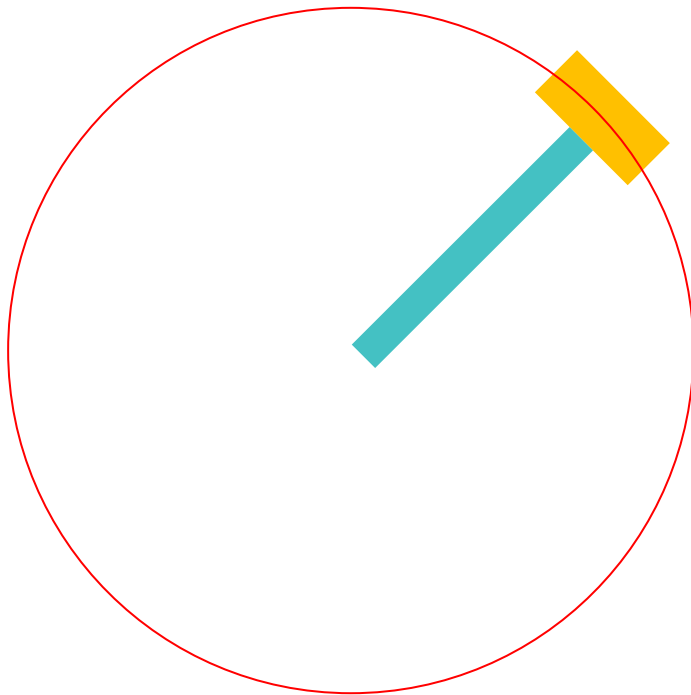




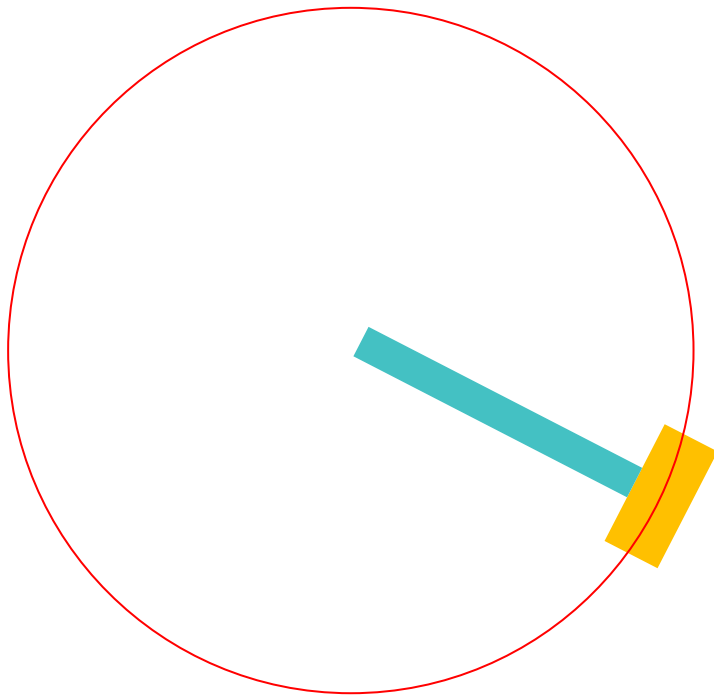
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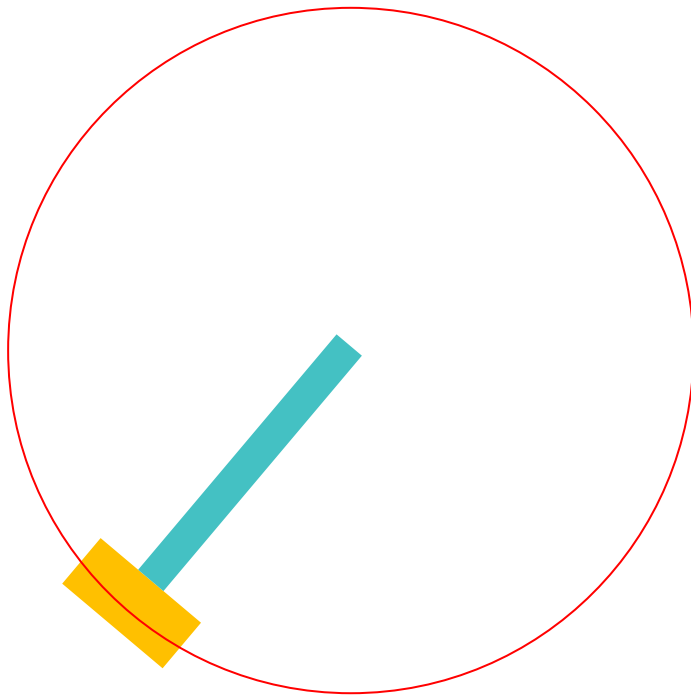
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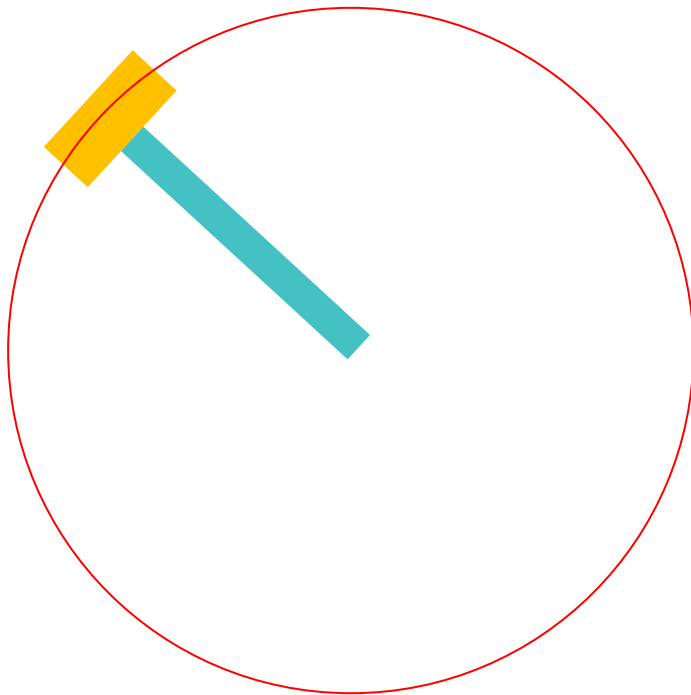
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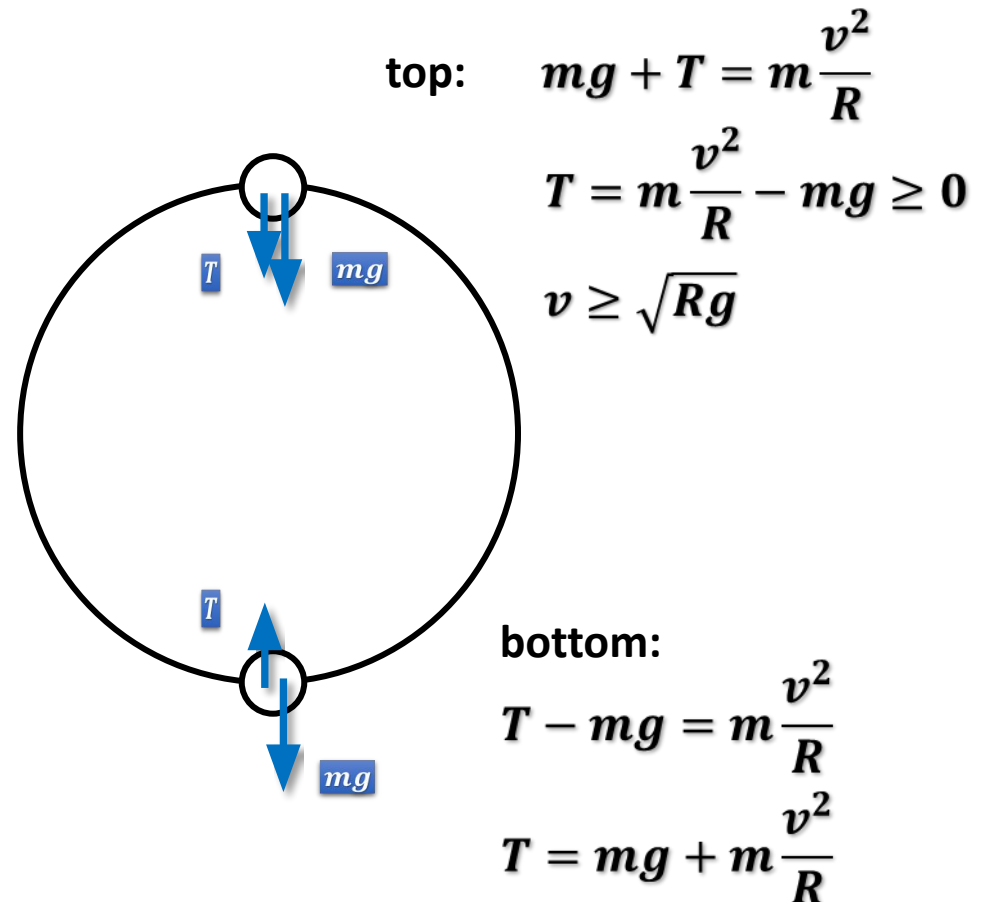
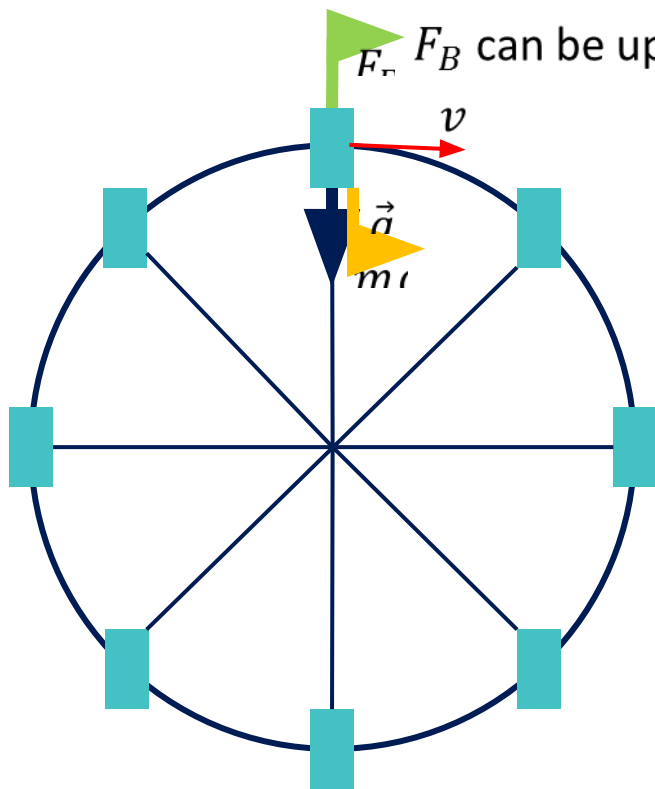
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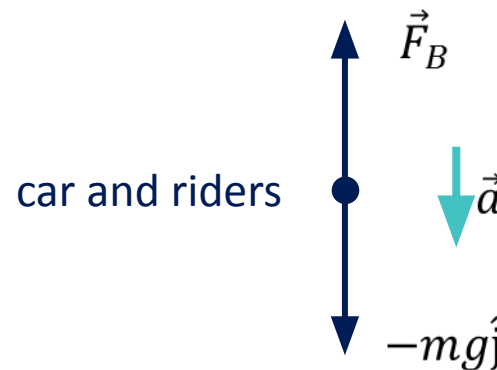
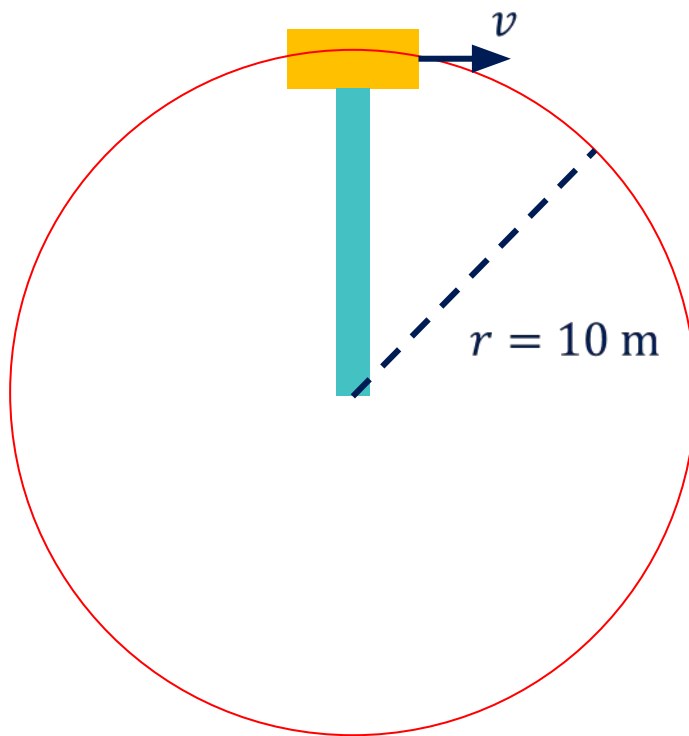
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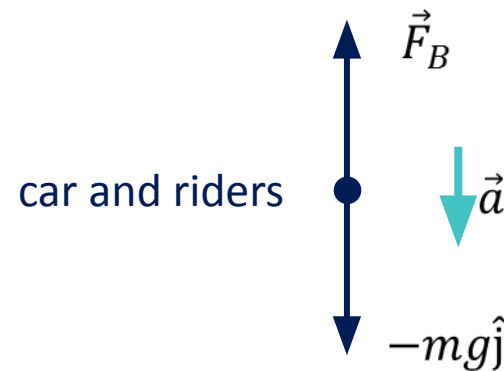
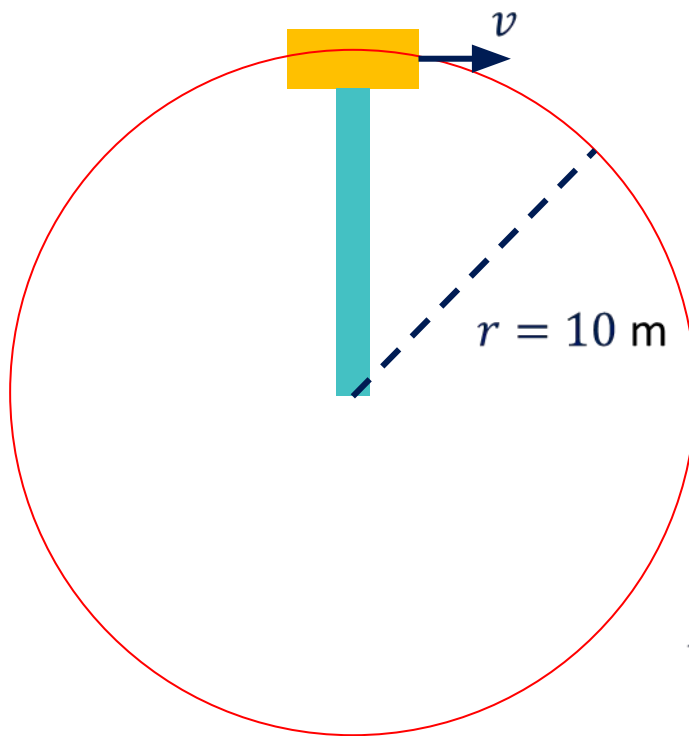
direction of  $F_B$  is able to be upward or downward (cf. loop-the-loop)

Assuming that  $F_B$  is upward, by Newton's second law

$$F_B - mg = m(-a) = -\frac{mv^2}{r}$$

$$F_B = mg - \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

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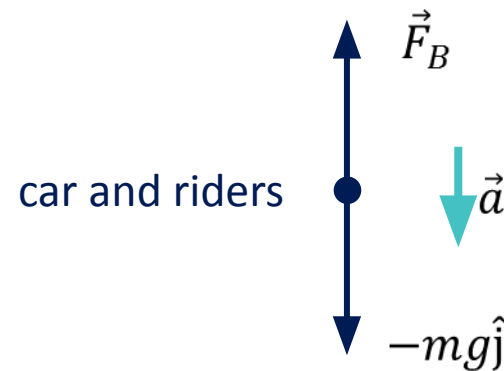
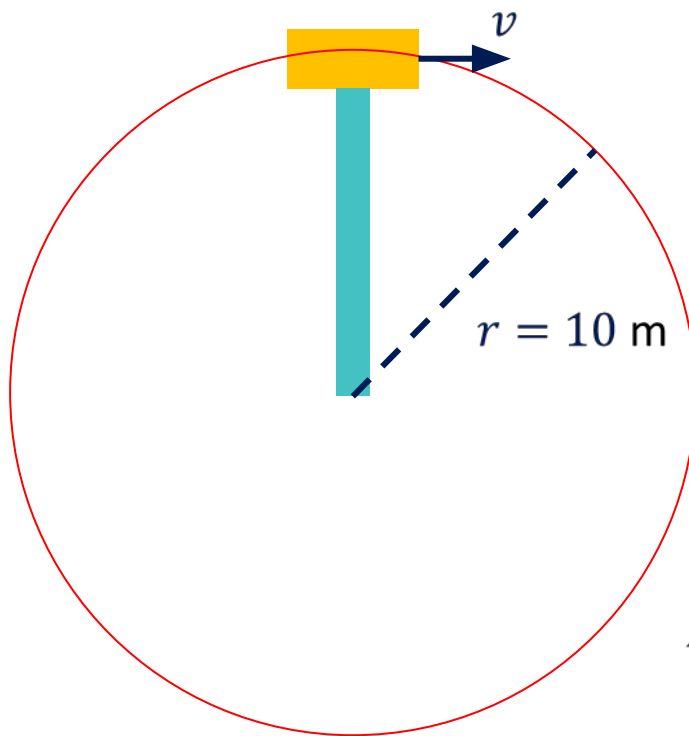
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the direction of the force from the boom is **upward**



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$$(c), (d) \quad v = 12.0 \text{ m/s} \quad m = \frac{6000}{g} = \frac{6000}{9.8 \text{ m/s}^2}$$

$$F_B = mg - \frac{mv^2}{r} = -2.8 \text{ kN}$$

the direction of the force from the boom is **downward**