

Action & Reaction

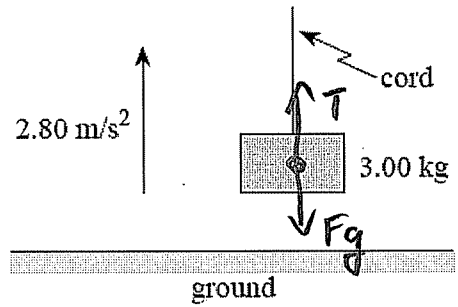
1. A 3.00 kg object is being accelerated vertically upwards at 2.80 m/s^2 , as shown. What is the tension in the cord?

- A. 8.40 N
 B. 21.0 N
 C. 29.4 N
D. 37.8 N

$$F_{\text{net}} = T - F_g \quad T = 37.8 \text{ N}$$

$$ma = T - mg$$

$$(3)(2.8) = T - 3(9.8)$$



2. A 2.00 kg object, initially at rest on the ground, is accelerated vertically by a rope, as shown. The object reaches a height of 3.00 m in 1.50 s. What is the tension in the rope during the acceleration?

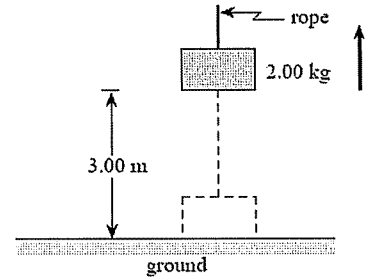
- A. 5.33 N
 B. 14.3 N
 C. 23.6 N
D. 24.9 N

similar to #2, find 'a' first

$$d = v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} a t^2 \quad a = 2.7 \text{ m/s}^2$$

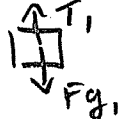
$$3 = 0 + \frac{1}{2} a (1.5 \text{ s})^2$$

$$F_{\text{net}} = T - F_g \quad (\text{follow \#1 above})$$



3. The diagram shows a 4.4 kg mass connected by a string to an unknown mass over a frictionless pulley. The system accelerates at 1.8 m/s^2 in the direction shown.

a) Draw and label a free body diagram for the 4.4 kg mass.



b) Calculate the tension in the string.

$$F_{\text{net}} = T - F_{g1}$$

$$m a = T - m g$$

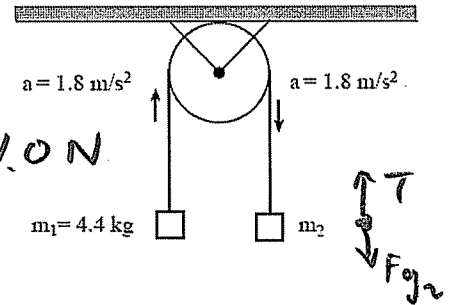
c) Find mass m_2 . $4.4(1.8) = T - 4.4(9.8)$

$$F_{\text{net}} = F_{g2} - T$$

$$m_2(1.8) = m_2(9.8) - 51 \text{ N}$$

$$51 = 8 m_2$$

$$m_2 = 6.38 \text{ kg}$$



4. A massless, frictionless pulley is suspended by a rope. When the masses are allowed to accelerate, the tension in the string joining them is 28 N at X. What will the tension be at Y and at Z?

	TENSION AT Y	TENSION AT Z
A.	20 N	48 N
B.	20 N	69 N
C.	28 N	56 N
<u>D.</u>	28 N	69 N

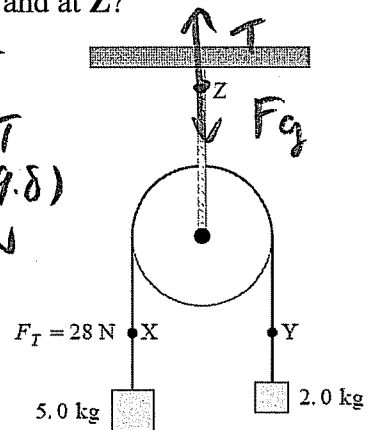
at Z $F_{\text{net}} = F_g - T$

$$0 = F_g - T$$

$$T = (7)(9.8)$$

$$= 69 \text{ N}$$

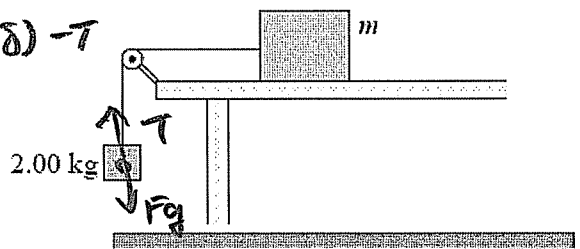
T at X = T at Y ! same cord
 $= 28 \text{ N}$



5. The frictionless system shown below accelerates at 1.60 m/s^2 when released. Find the tension in the string while the system is accelerating.

- A. 3.20 N
- B. 16.4 N**
- C. 19.6 N
- D. 22.8 N

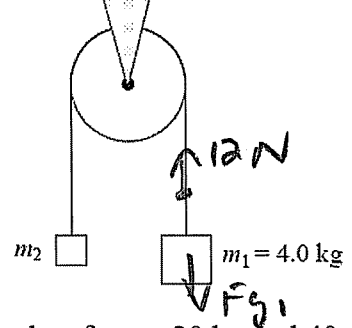
Isolate 2.0 kg } $2(1.6) = 2(9.8) - T$
 $T = 16.4 \text{ N}$
 $F_{\text{net}} = F_g - T$
 $ma = mg - T$



6. The tension in the string shown is 12 N. Find the acceleration of mass m_2 .

- A. 3.0 m/s^2
- B. 6.4 m/s^2
- C. 6.8 m/s^2**
- D. 13 m/s^2

acc of $m_2 = \text{acc of } m_1$
 Isolate m_1 } $4a = 27.2 \text{ N}$
 $a = 6.8 \text{ m/s}^2$
 $F_{\text{net}} = F_g - T$
 $ma = mg - T$
 $4(a) = 4(9.8) - 12$

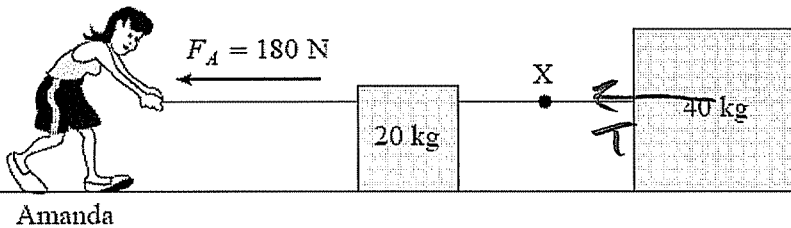


7. Amanda exerts a horizontal force of 180 N on a piece of rope causing two blocks of mass 20 kg and 40 kg to accelerate. Friction on the blocks is negligible.

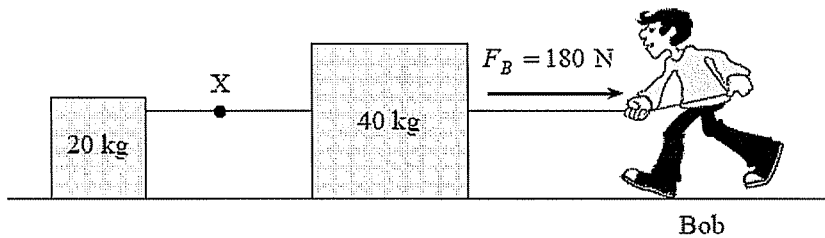
a) Find the tension force at X in the rope joining the two blocks together.

Isolate 40 kg
 $F_{\text{net}} = T$
 $40(3) = T$
 $T = 120 \text{ N}$

$F_{\text{net}} = F_A$
 $60(a) = 180 \text{ N}$
 $a = 3 \text{ m/s}^2$



b) Bob exerts a force of equal magnitude in the opposite direction on an identical pair of blocks.



How does the tension force at X compare to the value in part a)? (Circle one.)

- i) The tension force is the same.
- ii) The tension force is greater than in a).
- iii) The tension force is smaller than in a).**

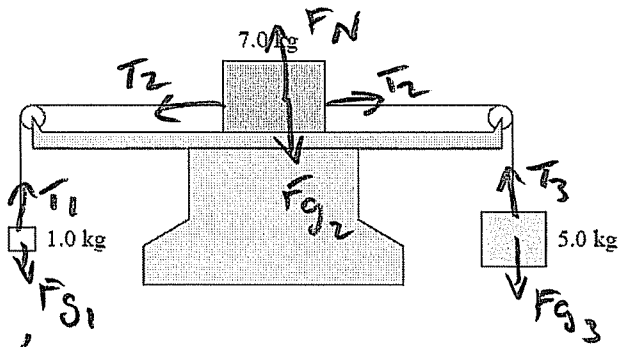
c) Using principles of physics, explain your answer to part b).

Second mass is smaller so F_{net} on 20 kg will be less so T is less.

8. Three blocks have masses 1.0 kg, 7.0 kg and 5.0 kg as shown. The horizontal surface is frictionless. What is the magnitude of the acceleration of the system?

- A. 3.0 m/s²
 B. 3.8 m/s²
 C. 6.5 m/s²
 D. 7.8 m/s²

$F_{net} = F_{g3} - F_{g1}$ (Tension cancels out)
 $ma = m_3g - m_1g$
 $13kg(a) = 5(9.8) - 1(9.8)$
 $13a = 39.2N \quad a = 3.02 m/s^2$

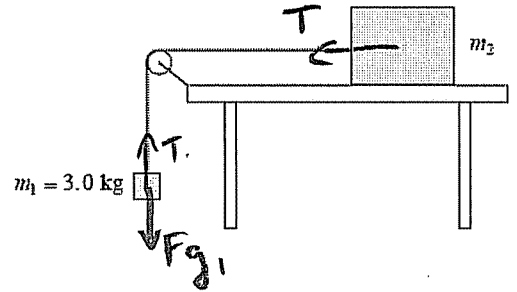


9. The diagram shows two objects connected by a light string over a frictionless pulley. Object m_2 is on a frictionless horizontal table. The tension in the string is 24 N.

a) Find the acceleration of the system.

Isolate 3 kg

$F_{net} = F_{g1} - T$
 $3(a) = 3(9.8) - 24N$
 $3a = 5.4N$
 $a = 1.8 m/s^2$

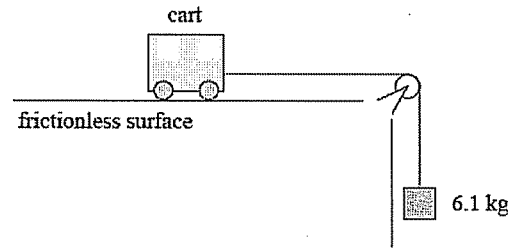
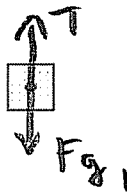
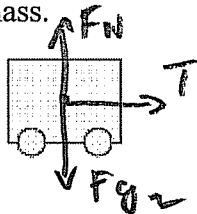


b) Find the mass of m_2 .

Isolate m_2
 $F_{net} = T$
 $m(1.8) = 24N$
 $m = 13.3 kg$

10. In the diagram shown, the tension in the cord connecting the hanging mass and cart is 43 N.

a) Draw and label a free body diagram for the cart and the hanging mass.



b) Determine the mass of the cart.

Isolate 6.1 kg

$F_{net} = F_{g1} - T$
 $6.1(a) = 6.1(9.8) - 43$
 $6.1a = 16.8 N$

$a = 2.75 m/s^2$

Isolate cart

$F_{net} = T$
 $m(2.75) = 43N$
 $m = 15.6 kg$

11. The 4.0 kg block shown accelerates across a frictionless horizontal table at 1.5 m/s². Find the mass of object m_1 .

- A. 0.61 kg
 B. 0.72 kg
 C. 6.0 kg
 D. 26 kg

Isolate m_2
 $F_{net} = T$
 $4(1.5) = T$
 $T = 6N$

Isolate m_1
 $F_{net} = F_g - T$
 $m(1.5) = m(9.8) - 6$
 $6N = 8.3m$
 $m = 0.72 kg$

