

NEWTON'S SECOND LAW PROBLEMS: MULTIPLE OBJECTS
brief answers

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Video (1)

The magnitude of the tension is 10 N.

Mass 1 has acceleration of 4.8 m/s^2 , down the incline.

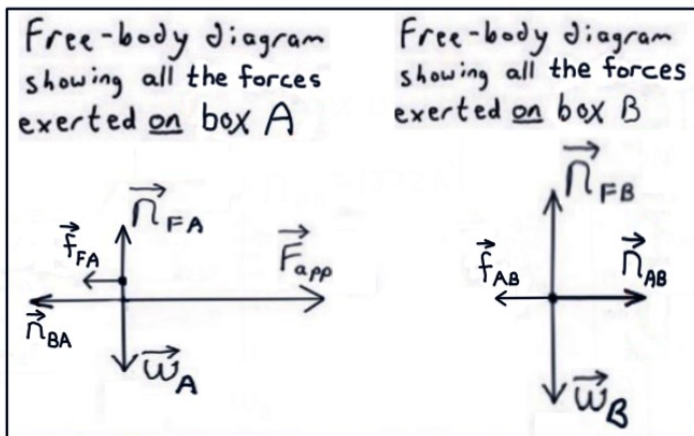
Mass 2 has acceleration of 4.8 m/s^2 , straight down.

Video (2)

The difference in height at time $t = 1.5 \text{ s}$ will be 5.5 m.

Video (3)

(a)



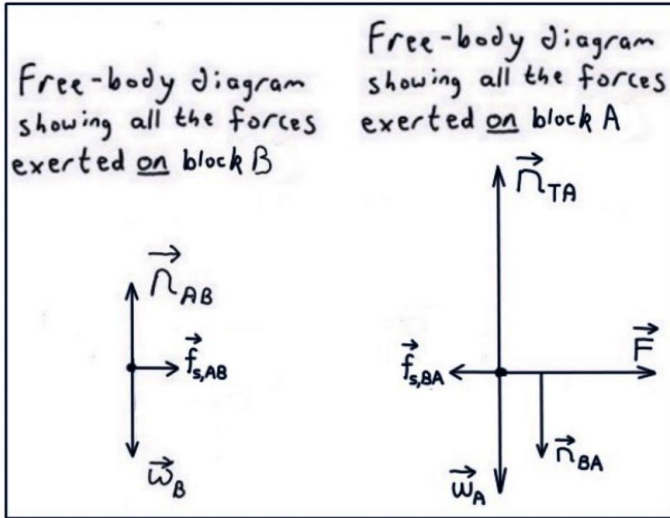
(b) The boxes both have acceleration 2.3 m/s^2 , to the right.

Box A exerts a force of 455 N, to the right, on Box B.

Box B exerts a force of 455 N, to the left, on Box A.

Video (4)

(a)



(b) A horizontal force with maximum magnitude $F = 63 \text{ N}$ can be exerted without the 4 kg block sliding off the 12 kg block.