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$F_d = -bv$ $x(t) = x_m e^{-\frac{b}{2m}t} \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m} - \frac{b^2}{4m^2}}$ $E(t) \sim \frac{1}{2} k x_m^2 e^{-\frac{b}{m}t}$ $v(t) = \frac{1}{2} kx$ $E_{tot} = U$

$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$ simple pend $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{I}{mgh}}$ physical pend $Y(x,t) = y_m \sin(kx - \omega t)$ wave in pos direction $w_d = \omega$ resonance

$x(t) = x_m \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ $v(t) = -\omega x_m \sin(\omega t + \theta)$ $a(t) = -\omega^2 x(t)$ $k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$ $v = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{\lambda}{T} = \lambda f$ $v = \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$ $\mu = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{length}}$ $P_{ave} = \frac{1}{2} \mu v \omega^2$

resonance $\lambda = \frac{2L}{n}$ $n=1,2,3$ $f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{nv}{2L}$ $n=1,2,3$ $V = \sqrt{\frac{B}{\rho}}$ bulk modulus $\Delta P_m = v \rho \omega S_m$ displacement $f_{beat} = |f_1 - f_2|$ $I = \frac{\text{Power}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{P_s}{4\pi r^2}$ $I = \frac{1}{2} \rho v \omega^2 S_m^2$ $\sin \theta = \frac{v}{v_s}$ $\frac{v_s}{v} = \text{mach \#}$

$f = \frac{v}{\lambda}$ $\lambda = \frac{2L}{n}$ $n=1,2,3$ $f = \frac{nv}{2L}$ $n=1,2,3$ $f = \frac{nv}{4L}$ $n=1,2,3$ \rightarrow Pipe 2 open ends displacement antinodes pressure nodes \rightarrow Pipe 1 open end displacement antinode node at closed end $I_0 = I_{x0}$

Interference $\frac{\Delta L}{\lambda} = 0, 1/2$ fully constructive $\theta = \frac{\Delta L}{\lambda} 2\pi$ $B = 3\alpha$ $Q = c \Delta T$ Heat capacity $Q = c_m \Delta T$ specific heat $Q = L_m$ Heat of transformation $w = \int_{v_1}^{v_2} p dv$ $B = (10) \log \frac{I}{I_0}$ $\log \frac{x}{y} = \log x - \log y$ $\log_0 x = y \Leftrightarrow 0^y = x$

$\frac{\Delta L}{L} = 0, 1/2, 1, 1.5, 2, 2.5$ fully destructive $\Delta L = L \alpha \Delta T$ $\Delta V = V \beta \Delta T$ $T_F = \frac{9}{5} T_C + 32$ $\Delta E_{int} = Q_{in} - W_{out}$ $P_{cond} = \frac{Q}{t} = k a \frac{T_h - T_c}{L}$ $R = \frac{L}{k}$ Multi Slab $P_{cond} = \frac{A (T_h - T_c)}{\sum L/k}$ $P_{radiation} = \sigma \epsilon A T^4$ $P_{net} = P_{abs} - P_{prod}$ $P_{abs} = \sigma \epsilon A T^4$

$n = \frac{\text{molecules}}{6.02 \times 10^{23}}$ $PV = nRT$ $Q = 0$ $\Delta E = -W$ $P_{abs} = \sigma \epsilon A T^4$ $S_{T=0} = 8 \frac{w}{m^2}$

vectors

$F_d = -bv$ $x(t) = x_m e^{-\frac{bt}{2m}} \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m} - \frac{b^2}{4m^2}}$ $E(t) \sim \frac{1}{2} k x_m^2 e^{-\frac{bt}{m}}$ $v(t) = \frac{1}{2} m v^2$ $E_{tot} = U$

$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$ simple pend $\omega_d = \omega$ resonance $\omega_d < \omega$ underdamped $b^2 < 4km$ $\omega_d > \omega$ overdamped $b^2 > 4km$

$T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{E}{mgh}}$ physical pend $Y(x,t) = y_m \sin(kx - \omega t)$ wave in pos direction $k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$ $v = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{\lambda}{T} = \lambda f$ $v = \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$

$x(t) = x_m \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ $a(t) = -\omega^2 x(t)$ $v(t) = -\omega x_m \sin(\omega t + \theta)$ $v = \sqrt{\frac{E}{\rho}}$ Bulk modulus $\Delta P_m = v \rho \omega S_m$ displacement $f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{v}{2L}$ $n=1,2,3$ $f = \frac{v}{4L}$ ($n=1,2,3$) displacement antinode at open, node at closed

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$\frac{\Delta L}{\lambda} = 0.5, 1.5, 2.5$ fully destructive $B = 3\alpha$ $Q = c \Delta T$ Heat capacity $f = f \frac{V \pm v_d}{V \pm v_s}$ $B = (10) \log \frac{I}{I_0}$

$T_F = \frac{9}{5} T_C + 32$ $\Delta L = L \alpha \Delta T$ $\Delta V = V \beta \Delta T$ $Q = C_m \Delta T$ specific heat $Q = L_m$ Heat of transformation $w = \int_{v_i}^{v_f} p dv$ $\log \frac{x}{y} = \log x - \log y$ $\log_0 x = y \Leftrightarrow 0^y = x$

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Adiabatic $Q=0$ $\Delta E = -W$ $PV = nRT$ $P_1 V_1^{\gamma} = P_2 V_2^{\gamma}$

Vectors

**Math, not
Physics?!**

Background content includes various physics equations and notes:

- $F_d = -bv$
- $x(t) = x_m e^{-\frac{b}{2m}t} \cos(\omega t + \theta)$
- $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m} - \frac{b^2}{4m^2}}$
- $E(t) \sim \frac{1}{2} k x_m^2 e^{-\frac{b}{m}t}$
- $T = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{L}{g}}$ simple pend
- $F = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{E}{mgh}}$ physical pend
- $v(t) = -\omega x_m \sin(\omega t + \theta)$
- $x(t) = x_m \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ $a(t) = -\omega^2 x(t)$
- $Y(x,t) = Y_m \sin(kx - \omega t)$ wave in pos direction
- $k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$
- $v = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{\lambda}{T} = \lambda f$
- $v = \sqrt{\frac{T}{\mu}}$
- $\lambda = \frac{2L}{n}$ $n = 1, 2, 3$
- $V = \sqrt{\frac{P}{\rho}}$ Bulk
- $\Delta P_n = \rho v \omega S_m$ displacement
- $f = \frac{v}{\lambda} = \frac{\omega}{2\pi}$
- $f_{\text{beat}} = |f_1 - f_2|$
- $f = \frac{v}{4L} (n = 1, 2, 3)$ displacement antinode at open, node at closed
- $\sin \theta = \frac{v}{v_s}$ $\frac{v_s}{v} = \text{mach \#}$
- $f' = f \frac{v \pm v_d}{v \pm v_s}$
- $B = (10) \log \frac{I}{I_0}$
- $Q = L_m$ Heat of transformation
- $w = \int_{v_1}^{v_2} p dv$ work
- $\log \frac{x}{y} = \log x - \log y$
- $\log_0 x = y \Leftrightarrow 0^y = x$
- $\Delta E_{\text{int}} = Q - W_{\text{out}}$ $P_{\text{rand}} = \frac{Q}{t}$
- $R = \frac{L}{k}$ Multi Slab
- $P_{\text{rand}} = \frac{A(T_0 - T_c)}{\sum L/k}$
- $P_{\text{radiation}} = \sigma \epsilon AT^4$
- $P_{\text{net}} = P_{\text{obs}} - P_{\text{prod}}$
- $P_{\text{abs}} = \sigma \epsilon AT^4$
- $n = \frac{\text{molecules}}{6.02 \times 10^{23}}$
- Adiabatic $Q=0$ $\Delta E = W$

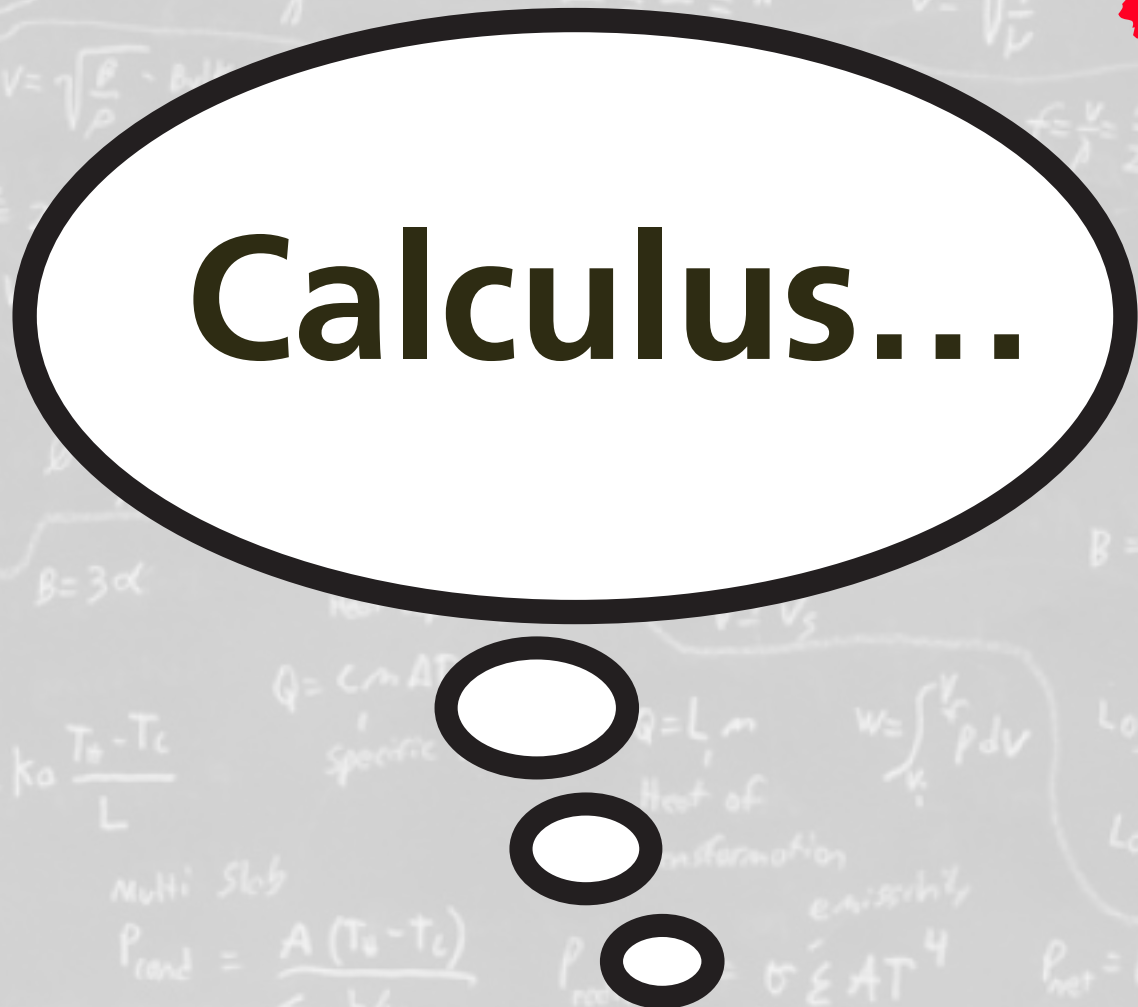
Kinematics

Vectors

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vectors



Calculus...

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- $Q = Lm$ Heat of fusion
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work

$\Delta L = L \alpha \Delta T$ $\Delta V = V \beta \Delta T$ $\Delta E_{int} = Q - W_{out}$ $P_{cond} = \frac{Q}{t} = k \alpha \frac{T_h - T_c}{L}$ $R = \frac{L}{k}$ $P_{rad} = \frac{A(T_h - T_c)}{\sum L/k}$ $P_{rad} = \sigma \epsilon A T^4$ $P_{net} = P_{obs} - P_{prod}$ $P_{abs} = \sigma \epsilon A T^4$

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resonance

$\omega_d = \omega$ resonance $\omega_c = 2\omega$ critical damp $b^2 = 4km$ ω under damped $b^2 < 4km$ ω over damped $b^2 > 4km$

collisions

$\log_a x = y \Leftrightarrow a^y = x$ $\log_a x = \log x - \log a$ $\log_a x = y \Leftrightarrow a^y = x$

adiabatic

$Q=0$ $\Delta E = -W$ $PV = nRT$ $n = \frac{\text{molecules}}{6.02 \times 10^{23}}$

conservation of energy

conservation of momentum

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Just algebra!

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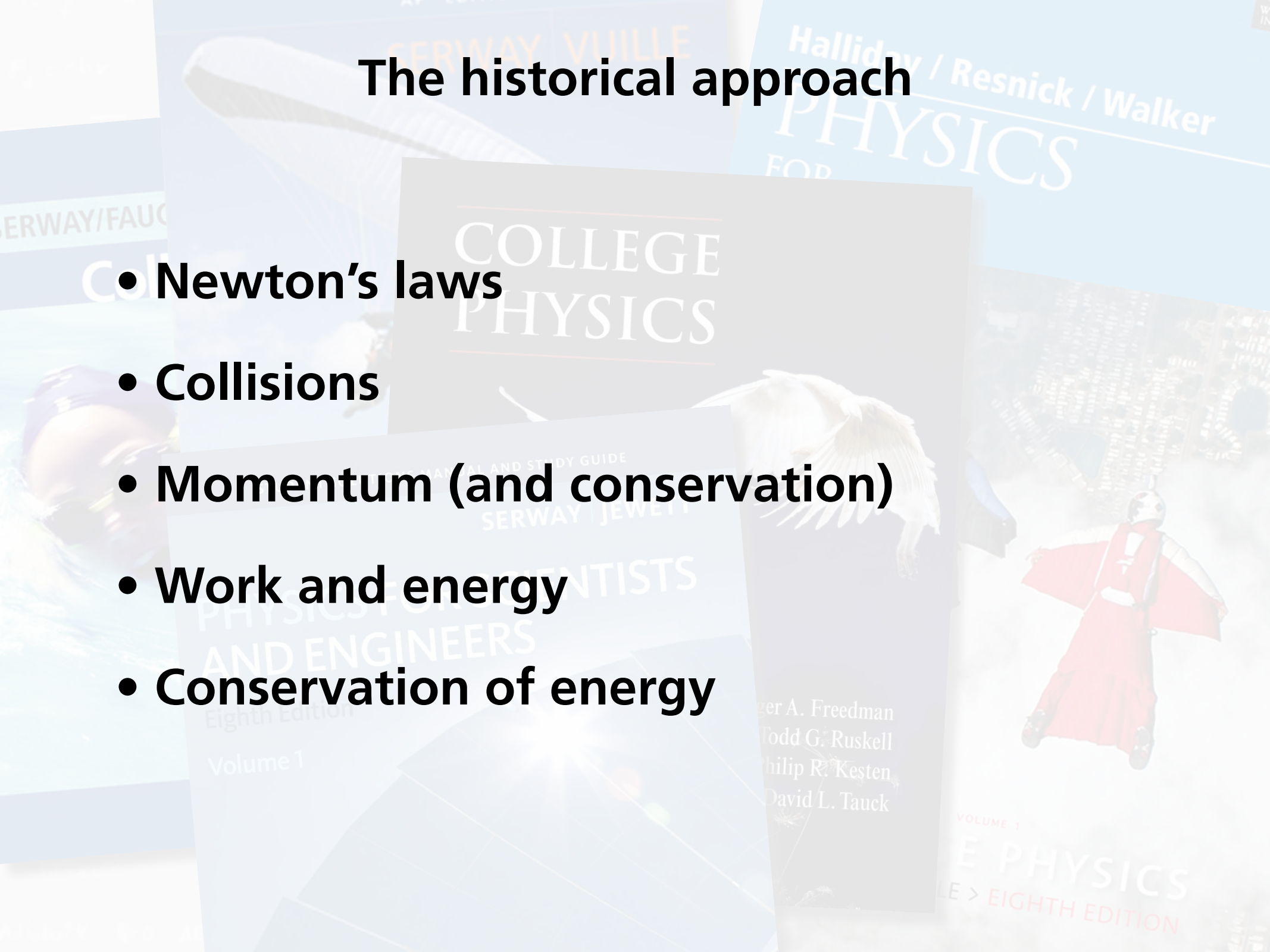
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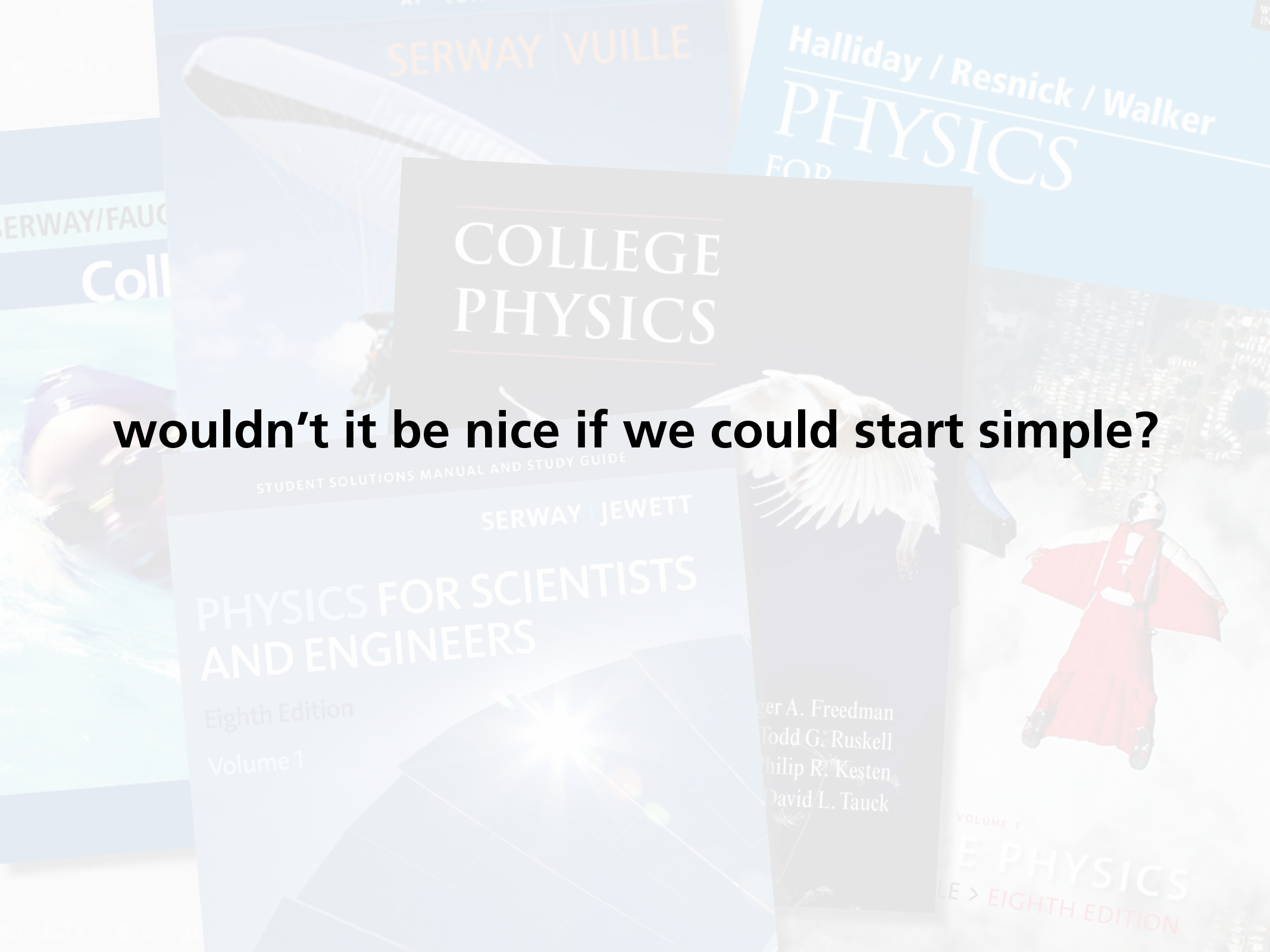
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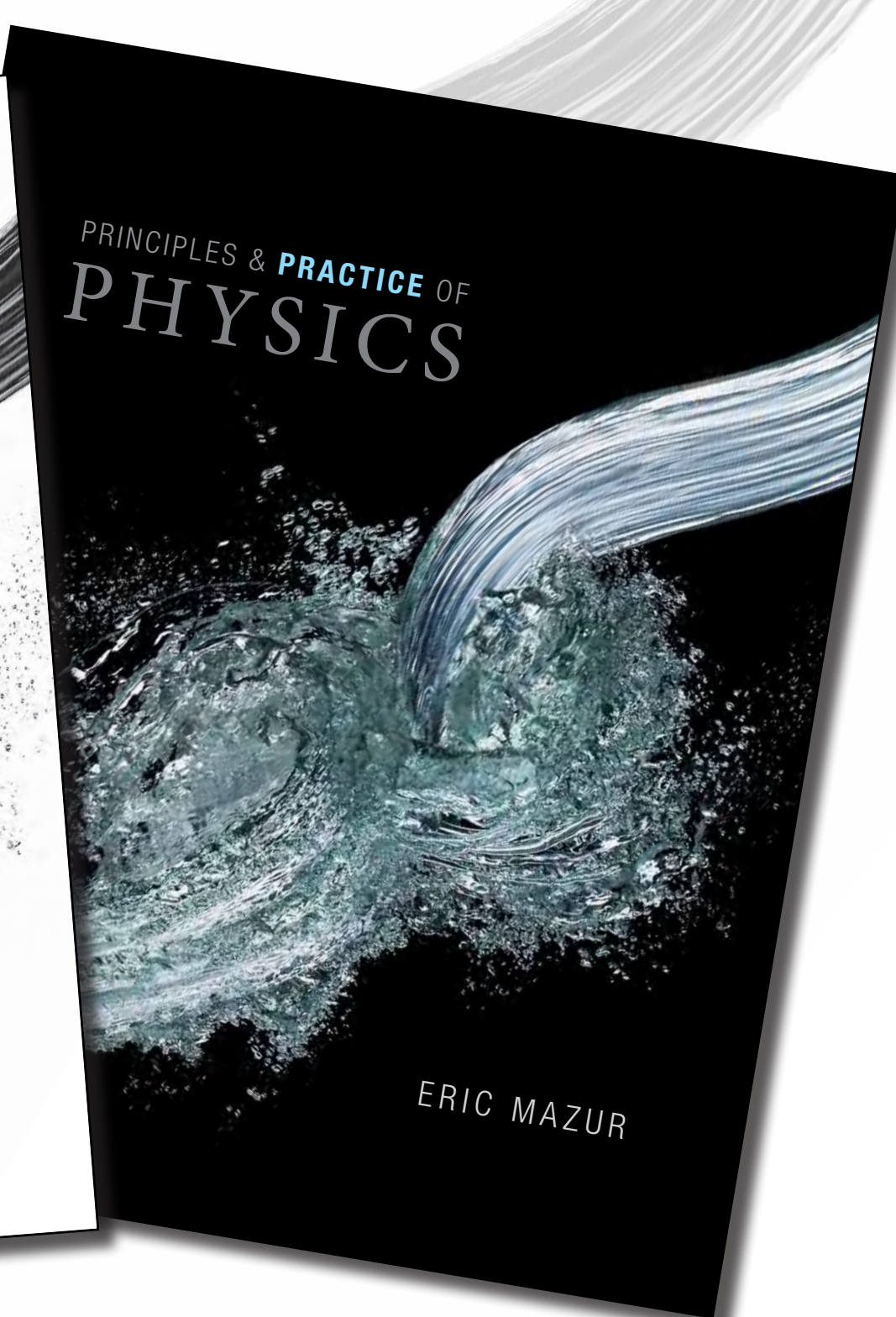
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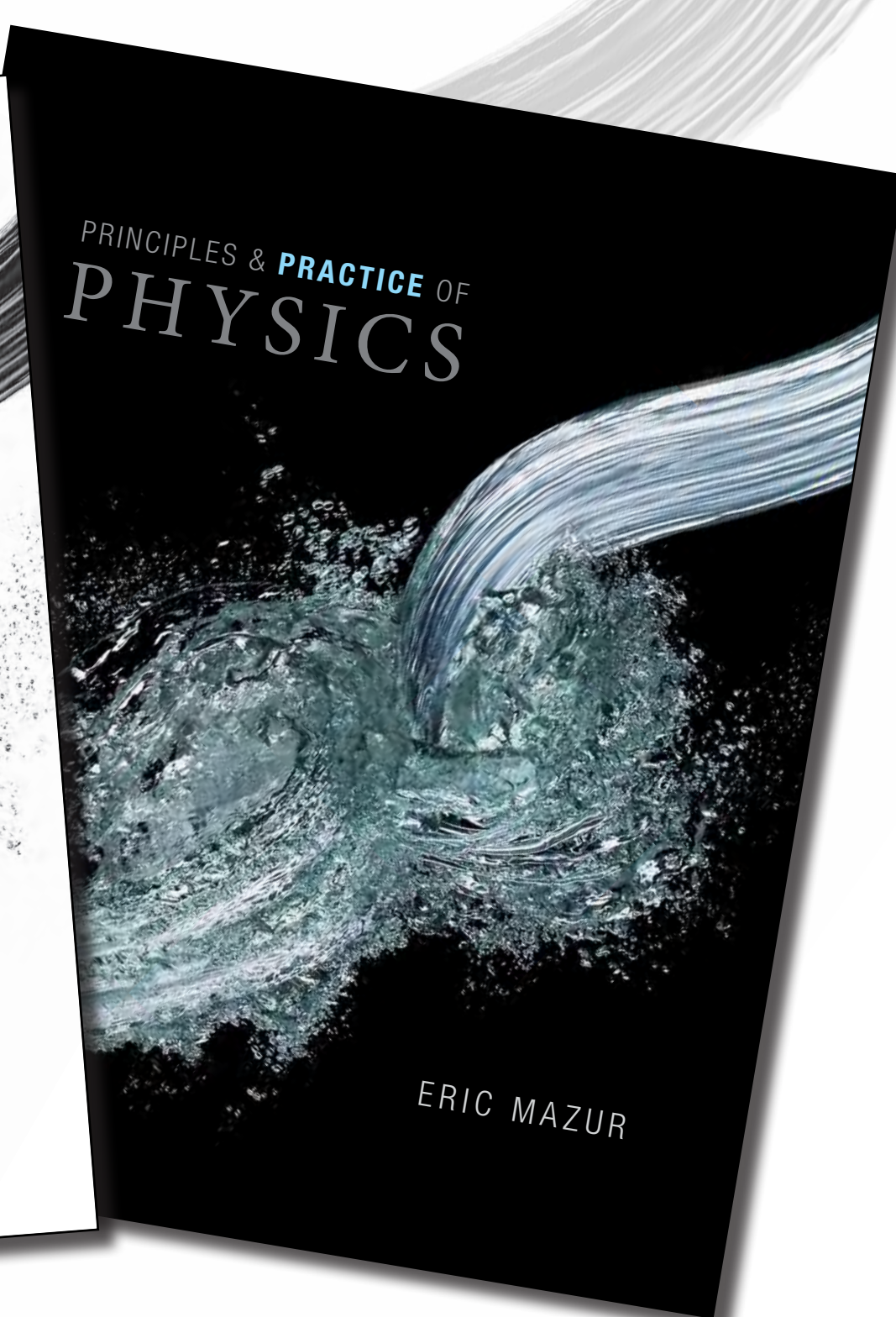
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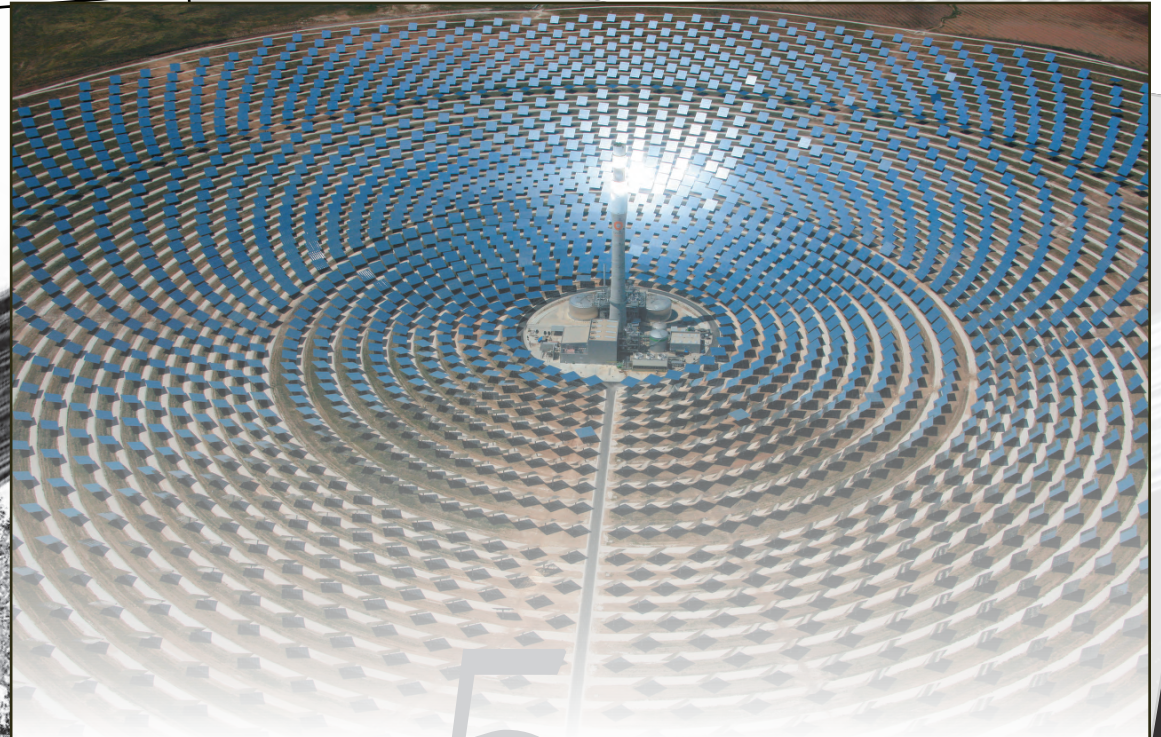
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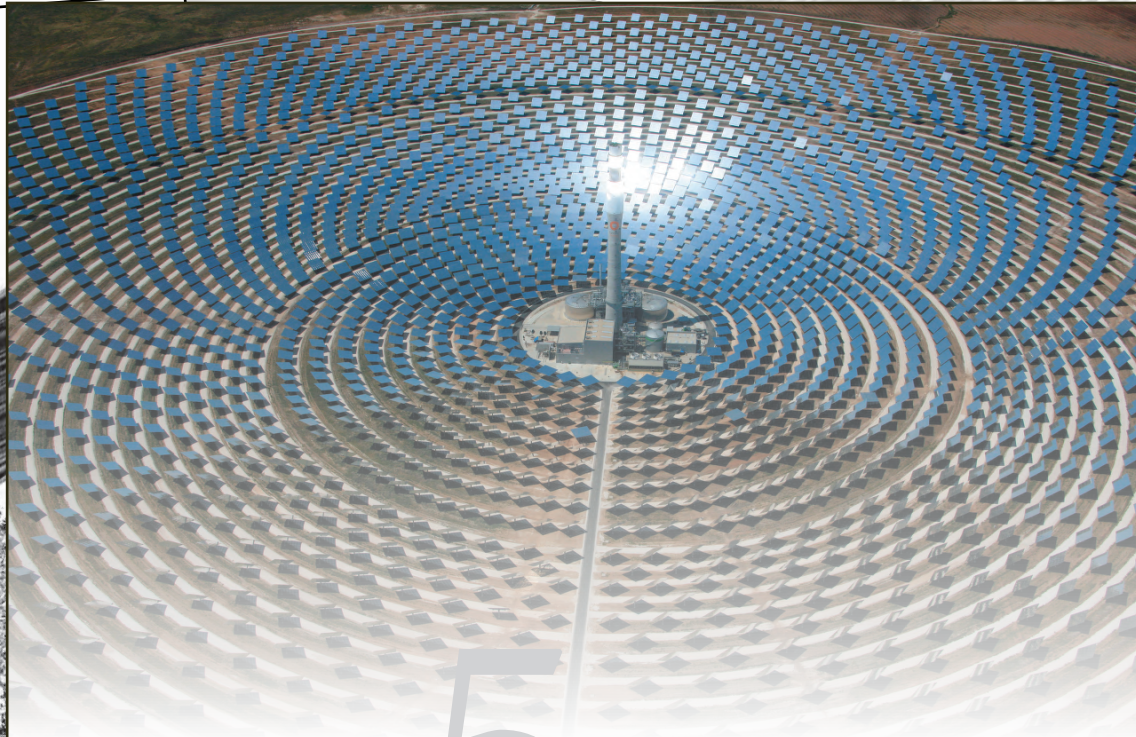
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As Figure 11.1b shows, each particle in a rotating object traces out a circular path, moving in what we call *circular motion*. We therefore begin our analysis of rotational motion by describing circular motion. Circular motion occurs all around us. A speck of dust stuck to a spinning CD, a stone being whirled around on a string, a person on a Ferris wheel—all travel along the perimeter of a circle, repeating their motion over and over. Circular motion takes place in a plane, and so in principle we have already developed all the tools required to describe it. To describe circular and rotational motion we shall follow an approach that is analogous to the one we followed for the description of translational motion. Exploiting this analogy, we can then use the same results and insights gained in earlier chapters to introduce a third conservation law.

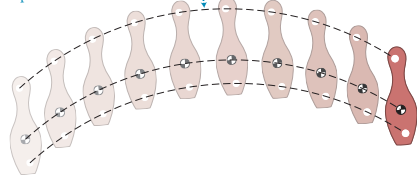
11.1 Circular motion at constant speed

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Figure 11.1 Translational and rotational motion of a rigid object.

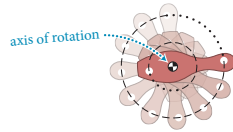
(a) Translational motion

All points on object follow identical trajectories.



(b) Rotational motion

All points on object trace circles centered on axis of rotation.



(c) Combined translation and rotation

Different points on object follow different trajectories.

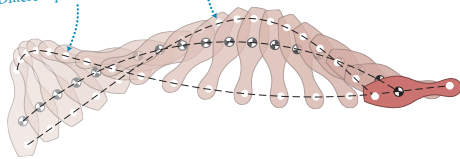
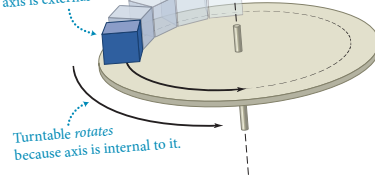


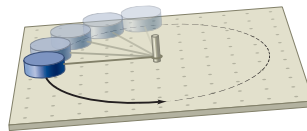
Figure 11.2 Examples of circular motion.

(a) Block revolves on rotating turntable

Block revolves because axis is external to it.



(b) Tethered puck revolves on air table



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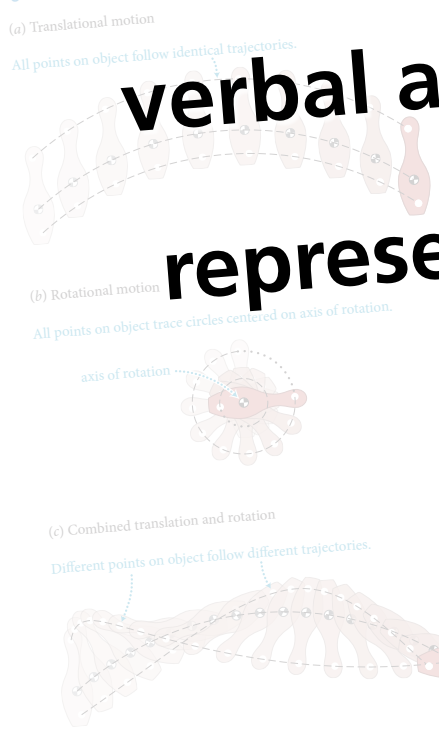
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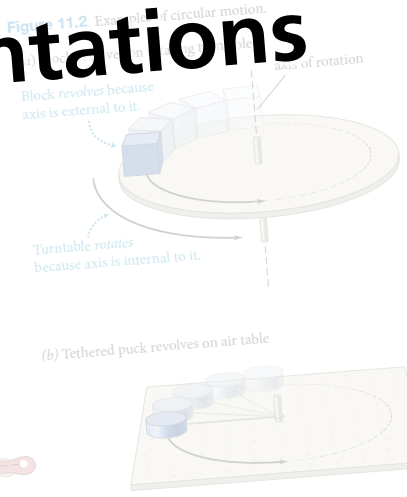
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Consider two observers, A and B, moving at constant velocity relative to each other. Suppose they observe the same event and describe it relative to their respective reference frames and clocks (Figure 6.13). Let the origins of the two observers' reference frames coincide at $t = 0$ (Figure 6.13a). Observer A sees the event as happening at position \vec{r}_{Ae} at clock reading t_{Ae} (Figure 6.13b).^{*} Observer B sees the event at position \vec{r}_{Be} at clock reading t_{Be} . What is the relationship between these clock readings and positions?

If, as we discussed in Chapter 1, we assume time is absolute—the same everywhere—and if the two observers have synchronized their (identical) clocks, they both observe the event at the same clock readings, which means

$$t_{Ae} = t_{Be}. \quad (6.1)$$

Because the clock readings of the two observers always agree, we can omit the subscripts referring to the reference frames:

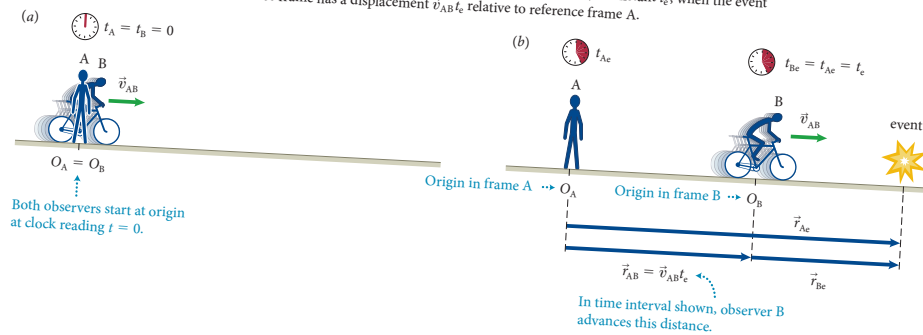
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From Figure 6.13 we see that the position \vec{r}_{AB} of observer B in reference frame A at instant t_e is equal to B's displacement over the time interval $\Delta t = t_e - 0 = t_e$, and so $\vec{r}_{AB} = \vec{v}_{AB} t_e$ because B moves at constant velocity \vec{v}_{AB} . Therefore

$$\vec{r}_{Ae} = \vec{r}_{AB} + \vec{r}_{Be} = \vec{v}_{AB} t_e + \vec{r}_{Be}. \quad (6.3)$$

Equations 6.2 and 6.3 allow us to relate event data collected in one reference frame to data on the same event e collected in a reference frame that moves at constant velocity relative to the first one (neither of these has to be at rest relative to Earth, but their origins must coincide at $t = 0$). To this end we rewrite these equations so that they give the values of time and position in reference frame B

Figure 6.13 Two observers moving relative to each other observe the same event. Observer B moves at constant velocity \vec{v}_{AB} relative to observer A. (a) The origins O of the two reference frames overlap at instant $t = 0$. (b) At instant t_e , when the event occurs, the origin of observer B's reference frame has a displacement $\vec{v}_{AB} t_e$ relative to reference frame A.



^{*}Remember our subscript form: The capital letter refers to the reference frame; the lowercase e is for "event." Thus the vector \vec{r}_{Ae} represents observer A's measurement of the position at which the event occurs.

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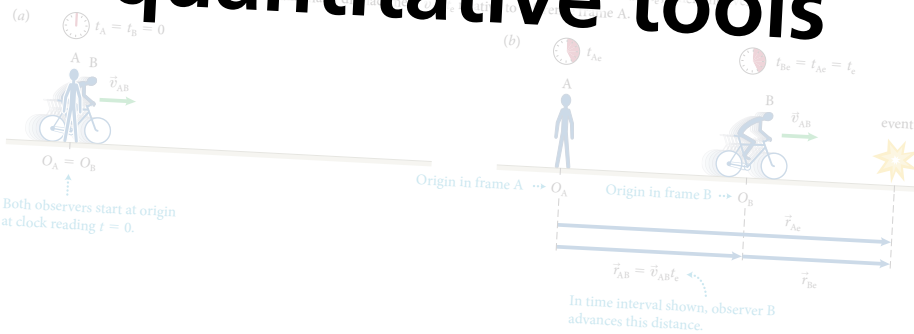
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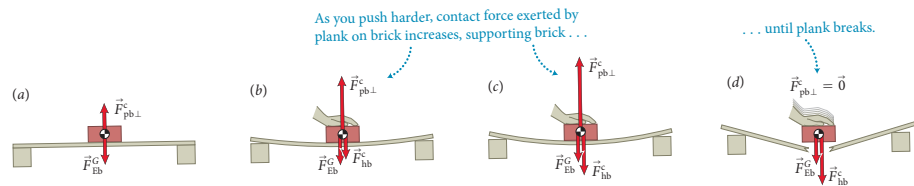
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The force that opposes your push on the file cabinet in Checkpoint 10.4—the tangential component of the contact force exerted by the floor on the cabinet—has to do with friction. If the floor were very slick or if the cabinet had casters, there would be little friction and your push would easily move the cabinet. Instead, you have to lean against it with all your strength until, with a jerk, it suddenly begins to slide. Once you get the cabinet moving, you must keep pushing to keep it in motion. If you stop pushing, friction stops the motion.

10.5 (a) Suppose you push the file cabinet just enough to keep it moving at constant speed. Draw a free-body diagram for the cabinet while it slides at constant speed. (b) Suddenly you stop pushing. Draw a free-body diagram for the file cabinet at this instant.

Don't skip Checkpoint 10.5! It will be harder to understand the rest of this section if you haven't thought about these situations.

Figure 10.19 A demonstration of the normal force.



Even though the normal and tangential components of the contact force exerted by the floor on the cabinet belong to the same interaction, they behave differently and are usually treated as two separate forces: the normal component being called the **normal force** and the tangential component being called the **force of friction**.

To understand the difference between normal and frictional forces, consider a brick on a horizontal wooden plank supported at both ends (Figure 10.19a). Because the brick is at rest, the normal force $\vec{F}_{\text{pb},\perp}^c$ exerted by the plank on it is equal in magnitude to the gravitational force exerted on it. Now imagine using your hand to push down on the brick with a force \vec{F}_{hb}^c . Your downward push increases the total downward force exerted on the brick, and, like a spring under compression, the plank bends until the normal force it exerts on the brick balances the combined downward forces exerted by your hand and by Earth on the brick (Figure 10.19b). As you push down harder, the plank bends more, and the normal force continues to increase (Figure 10.19c) until you exceed the plank's capacity to provide support and it snaps, at which point the normal force suddenly disappears (Figure 10.19d). So, normal forces take on whatever value is required to prevent whatever is pushing down on a surface from moving through that surface—up to the breaking point of the supporting material.

Next imagine that instead of pushing down on the brick of Figure 10.19a, you gently push it to the right, as in Figure 10.20. As long as you don't push hard, the brick remains at rest. This tells you that the horizontal forces exerted on the brick add to zero, and so the plank must be exerting on the brick a horizontal frictional force that is equal in magnitude to your push but in the opposite direction. This horizontal force is caused by microscopic bonds between the surfaces in contact. Whenever two objects are placed in contact, such bonds form at the extremities of microscopic bumps on the surfaces of the objects. When you try to slide the surfaces past each other, these tiny bonds prevent sideways motion. As you push the brick to the right, the bumps resist bending and, like microscopic springs, each bump exerts a force to the left. The net effect of all these microscopic forces is to hold the brick in place. As you increase the force of your push, the bumps resist bending more and the tangential component of the contact force grows. This friction exerted by surfaces that are not moving relative to each other is called **static friction**.

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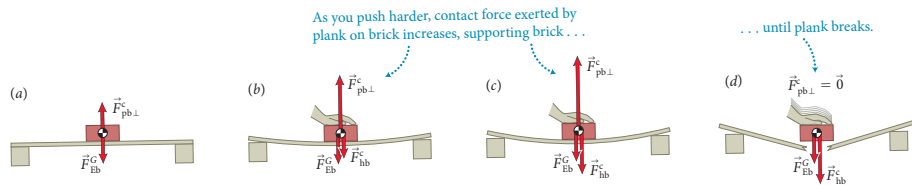
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Figure 10.19 A demonstration of the normal force.



Even though the normal and tangential components of the contact force exerted by the floor on the cabinet belong to the same interaction, they behave differently and are usually treated as two separate forces: the normal component being called the **normal force** and the tangential component being called the **force of friction**.

To understand the difference between normal and frictional forces, consider a brick on a horizontal wooden plank supported at both ends (Figure 10.19a). Because the brick is at rest, the normal force $F_{\text{pb}\perp}^c$ exerted by the plank on it is equal in magnitude to the gravitational force exerted on it. Now imagine using your hand to push down on the brick with a force F_{hb}^c . Your downward push increases the total downward force exerted on the brick, and, like a spring under compression, the plank bends until the normal force it exerts on the brick balances the combined downward forces exerted by your hand and by Earth on the brick (Figure 10.19b). As you push down harder, the plank bends more, and the normal force continues to increase (Figure 10.19c) until you exceed the plank's capacity to provide support and it snaps, at which point the normal force suddenly disappears (Figure 10.19d). So, normal forces take on whatever value is required to prevent whatever is pushing down on a surface from moving through that surface—up to the breaking point of the supporting material.

Next imagine that instead of pushing down on the brick of Figure 10.19a, you gently push it to the right, as in Figure 10.20. As long as you don't push hard, the brick remains at rest. This tells you that the horizontal forces exerted on the brick add to zero, and so the plank must be exerting on the brick a horizontal frictional force that is equal in magnitude to your push but in the opposite direction. This horizontal force is caused by microscopic bonds between the surfaces in contact. Whenever two objects are placed in contact, such bonds form at the extremities of microscopic bumps on the surfaces of the objects. When you try to slide the surfaces past each other, these tiny bonds prevent sideways motion. As you push the brick to the right, the bumps resist bending and, like microscopic springs, each bump exerts a force to the left. The net effect of all these microscopic forces is to hold the brick in place. As you increase the force of your push, the bumps resist bending more and the tangential component of the contact force grows. This friction exerted by surfaces that are not moving relative to each other is called **static friction**.

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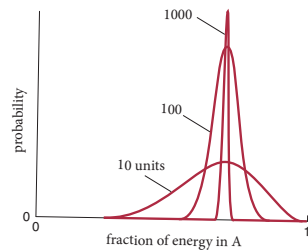
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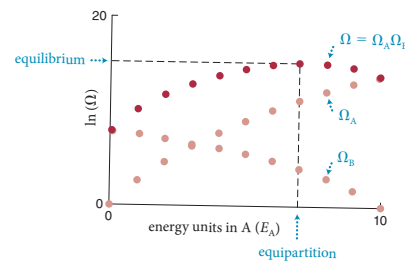
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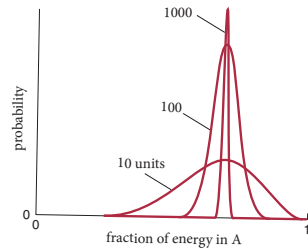
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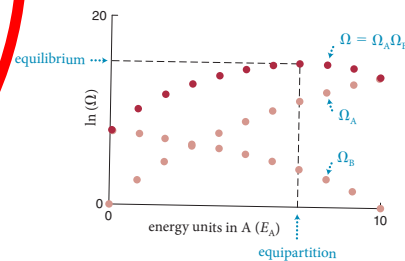
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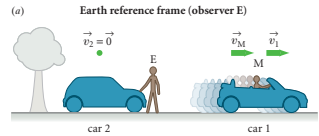
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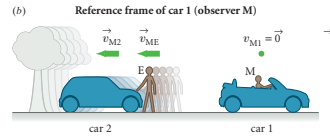
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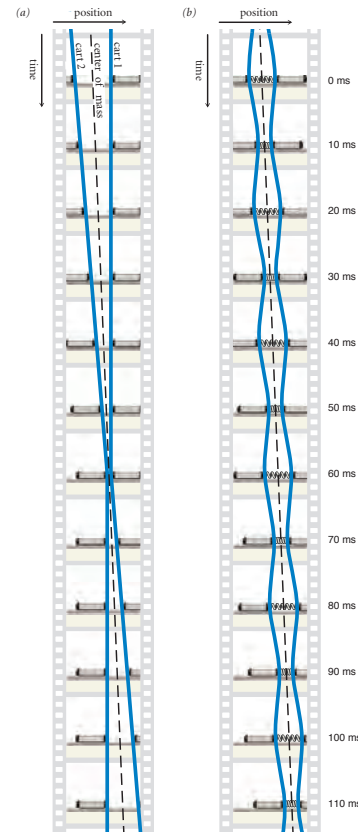
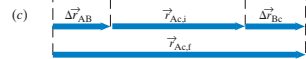
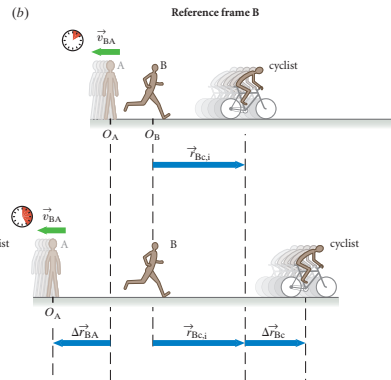
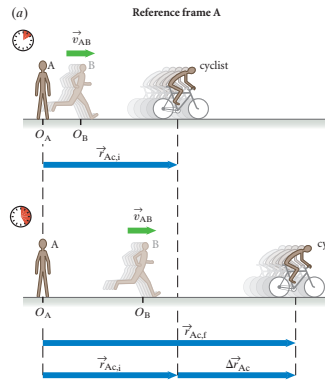
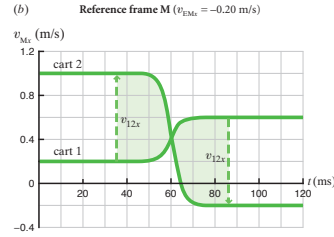
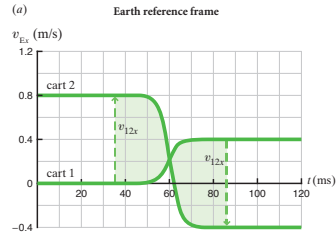
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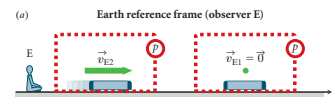
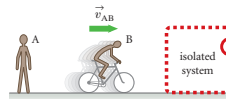
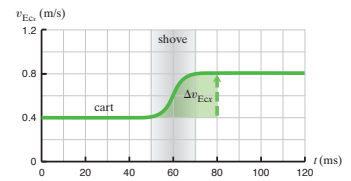
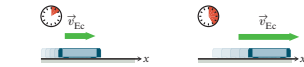
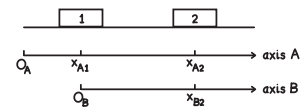
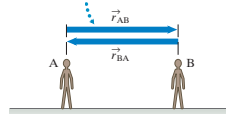
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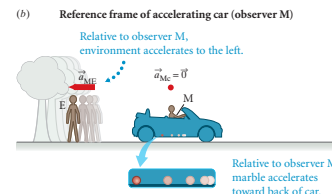
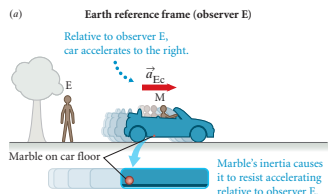
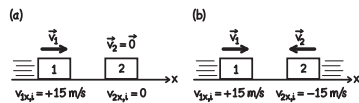
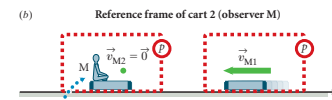
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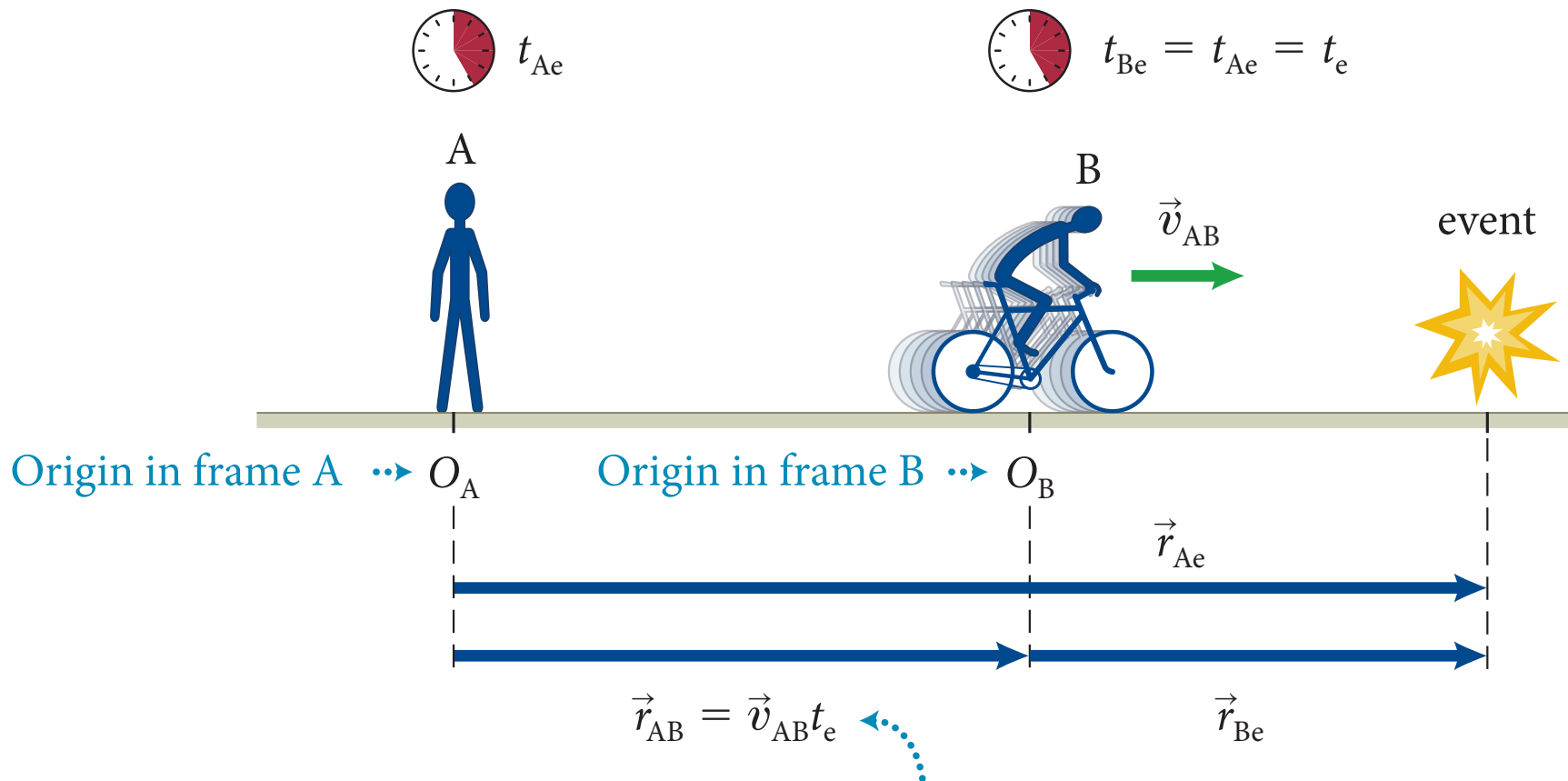


Position vectors are each other's opposites.



Observers E and M both see both carts as isolated and as having constant momentum.





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Consider two observers, A and B, moving at constant velocity relative to each other. Suppose they observe the same event and describe it relative to their respective reference frames and clocks (Figure 6.13). Let the origins of the two observers' reference frames coincide at $t = 0$ (Figure 6.13a). Observer A sees the event as happening at position \vec{r}_{Ae} at clock reading t_{Ae} (Figure 6.13b).^{*} Observer B sees the event at position \vec{r}_{Be} at clock reading t_{Be} . What is the relationship between these clock readings and positions?

If, as we discussed in Chapter 1, we assume time is absolute—the same everywhere—and if the two observers have synchronized their (identical) clocks, they will observe the same time for the event. In other words, $t_{Ae} = t_{Be} = t_e$. (6.1)

Because the clock readings of the two observers always agree, we can omit the subscripts referring to the reference frames:

$$\vec{r}_{Ae} = \vec{r}_{AB} + \vec{r}_{Be} \quad (6.2)$$

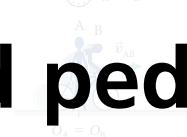
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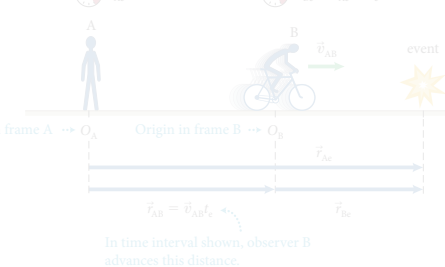
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^{*}Remember our subscript form: The capital letter refers to the reference frame; the lowercase e is for

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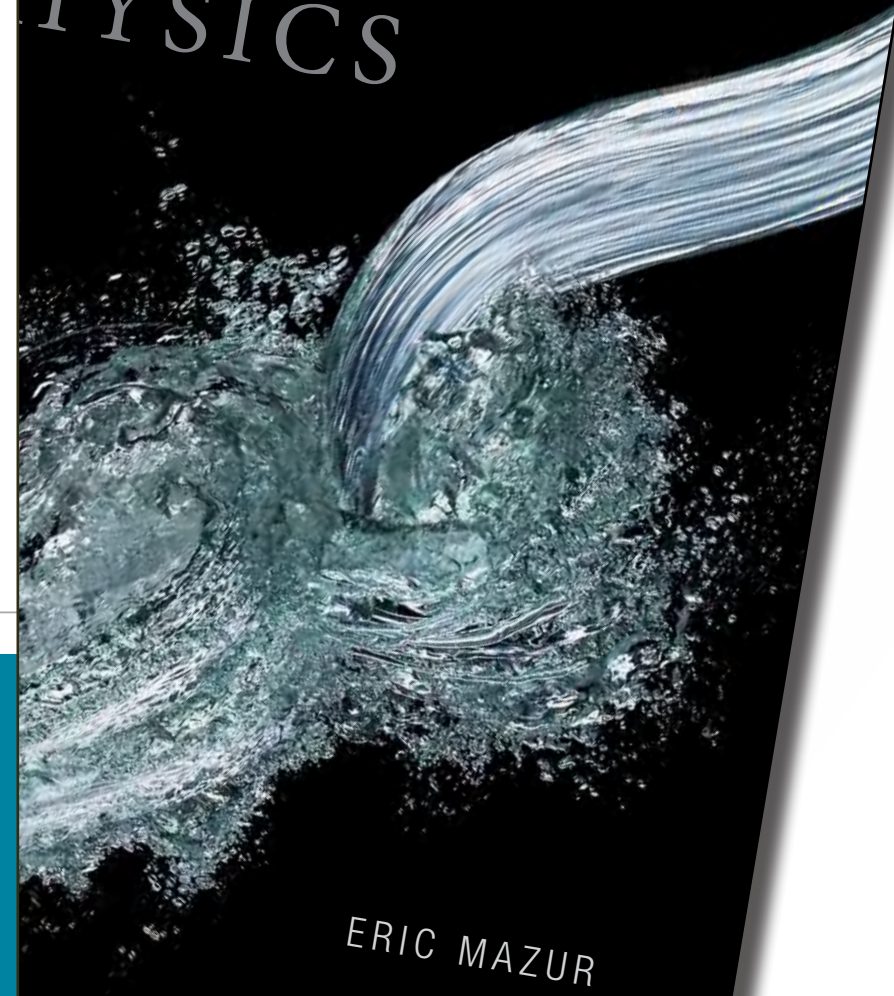
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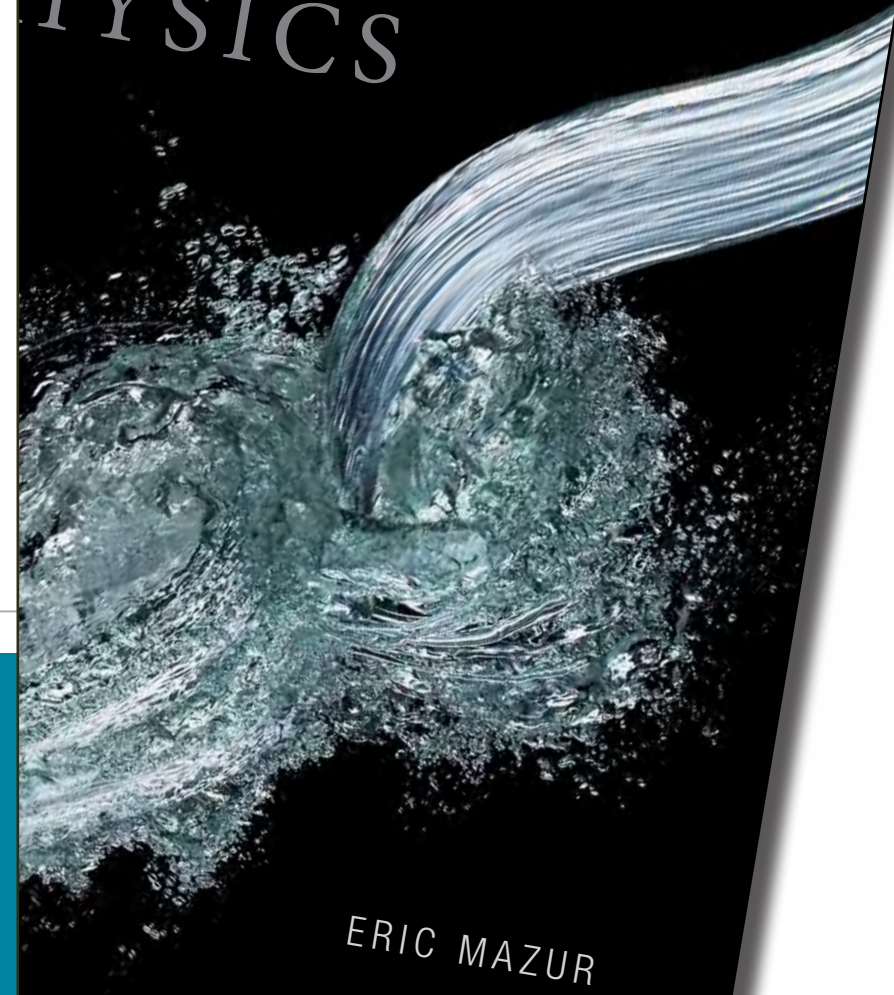
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9. The angular momentum, about a vertical axis through your house, of a large car driving down your street (H, Y, M)
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Hints

If needed, see Key for answers to these guiding questions.

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- B. How long a time interval is needed for Earth to make one revolution around the Sun?
- C. What simple geometric shape is an appropriate model for a sleeping person?
- D. What is Earth's rotational speed?
- E. What is the combined inertia of the wheel and tire?
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- G. How can you model the skater's shape during her spin?
- H. What is the inertia of a midsize car?
- I. What is the radius of the tire?
- J. How many turns are needed to rewind the yo-yo?
- K. What is the yo-yo's rotational inertia?
- L. What is the radius of Earth's orbit?
- M. What is the perpendicular distance from the house to the car's line of motion?
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- W. When thrown, how long a time interval does the yo-yo take to reach the end of the string?
- X. What is needed in addition to the formulas in *Principles* Table 11.3 in order to determine this quantity?
- Y. What is a typical speed for a car moving on a city street?
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2. The rotational inertia of a bowling ball about an axis tangent to its surface (A, R, X)
3. Your rotational inertia as you turn over in your sleep (Y, C)
4. The angular momentum around the axle of a wheel/tire combination on your car as you cruise on the freeway (E, S, O, AA, S)
5. The angular momentum of a spinning ice skater with each arm held out to the side and parallel to the ice (G, Y, N, U)
6. The speed you would need to orbit Earth in a low orbit (F, P)
7. The magnitude of the force exerted by the Sun on Earth to hold Earth in orbit (B, L, T, Z)
8. The kinetic energy associated with Earth's rotation (C, Y)
9. The angular momentum, about a vertical axis through the center of a house, of a large car driving down your street (Y, S, W)
10. The kinetic energy of a yo-yo (Y, W)

Hints

If needed, see Key for answers to these guiding questions.

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- B. How long a time interval is needed for Earth to make one rotation around the Sun?
- C. What simple geometric shape is a good approximation of a sleeping person?
- D. What is Earth's radius?
- E. What is the relationship between the wheel/tire combination on your car and the relationship between the wheel/tire combination on a yo-yo?
- F. How long a time interval is needed to rewind the yo-yo?
- G. What is the radius of Earth's orbit?
- H. What is the perpendicular distance from the house to the car's line of motion?
- I. What is the skater's rotational inertia with arms held out?
- J. How can you model the combined rotational inertia of the wheel and tire?
- K. What is Earth's radius?
- L. What is the final rotational speed?
- M. What is the radius of a bowling ball?
- N. What is the rotational speed of the tire?
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Key (all values approximate)

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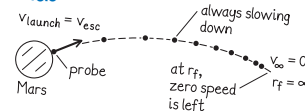
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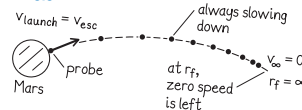
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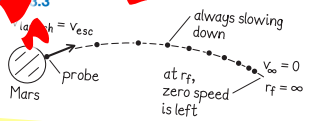
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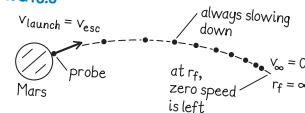
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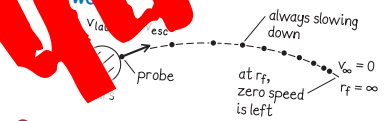
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- 1 GETTING STARTED**
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 - Draw a diagram showing the initial and final states. What is the spacecraft's situation in the final state?
 - How does the spacecraft gain the necessary escape speed?

2 DEVISE PLAN

- What law of physics should you invoke?

3 EXECUTE PLAN Let us set up the initial Mars-probe system in the center-to-center separation distance of $r_i = R_M$, where R_M is the Mars radius. We will use the initial separation distance $r_i = R_M$ for the initial separation distance, R_M for the Mars radius, and m_M for the Mars mass. We will use the initial separation distance $r_i = R_M$ for the initial separation distance, R_M for the Mars radius, and m_M for the Mars mass. We will use the initial separation distance $r_i = R_M$ for the initial separation distance, R_M for the Mars radius, and m_M for the Mars mass.

$$v_{esc} = \sqrt{2(6.67 \times 10^{-11} \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{kg}^2) \frac{6.42 \times 10^{23} \text{ kg}}{3.40 \times 10^6 \text{ m}}} = 5.02 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s} = 5 \text{ km/s}$$

Notice that this speed does not depend on the mass of the probe. A probe of any other size shot from the cannon would need the same minimum speed to break free of Mars's gravitational pull.

4 EVALUATE RESULT Our algebraic expression for the escape speed is plausible because it involves the mass of Mars, the initial center-to-center radial separation distance of our two objects (which is Mars's radius), and G . We expect v_{esc} to increase with m_M because the gravitational pull increases with increasing mass. We also expect v_{esc} to decrease as the distance between the launch position and Mars's center increases because the gravitational force exerted by the planet on the probe decreases with increasing separation distance. All this is just what our result predicts.

An escape speed of 18,000 km/h is smaller than (but on the order of) the escape speed from Earth, and so the answer is not unreasonable. We assumed that the initial Mars-probe separation distance is equal to the planet's radius. Of course, the length of the cannon may be tens of meters, but this tiny difference would have no impact on the numerical answer. We ignored the rotation of Mars, which could supply a small amount of the needed kinetic energy. We also ignored the effect of the Sun, which is fine for getting away from the surface of Mars, but we would need to account for it if the destination was another star.

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- What equation allows you to relate the initial and final states?

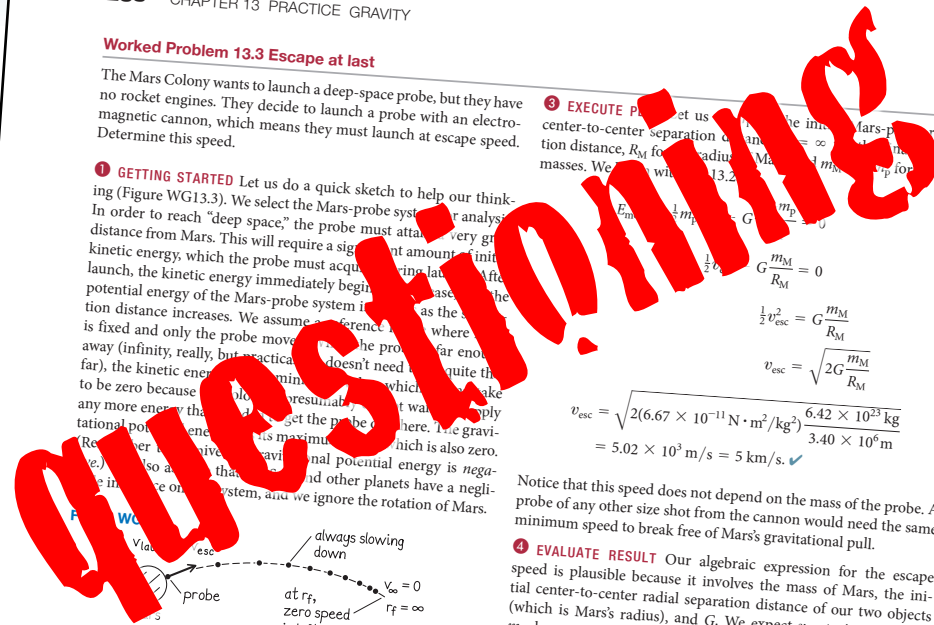
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- What is your target unknown quantity? Algebraically isolate it on one side of your equation.
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- Is your algebraic expression for the compression plausible for how the compression changes as the spring constant and Earth's mass and radius change?
- If you were the head of a design team, would you recommend pursuing this launch method?

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Worked Problem 13.3 Escape at last

The Mars Colony wants to launch a deep-space probe, but they have no rocket engines. They decide to launch a probe from a cannon. In order to reach "deep space," the probe must attain a very great distance from Mars. This will require a significant amount of initial kinetic energy, which the probe must acquire during launch. After launch, the kinetic energy immediately begins to decrease, and the potential energy of the Mars-probe system increases as the separation distance increases. We assume a reference frame where Mars is fixed and only the probe moves. When the probe is far enough away (infinity, really, but practically it doesn't need to go quite this far), the kinetic energy has its minimum value, which is zero. (Remember that universal gravitational potential energy is negative.) We also assume that the Sun and other planets have a negligible influence on our system, and we ignore the rotation of Mars.

Figure WG13.3



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DEVELOP PLAN

4. What law of physics should you invoke?

EXECUTE PLAN Let us use r_i for the initial Mars-probe radial center-to-center separation distance, $r_f = \infty$ for the final separation distance, R_M for the radius of Mars, and m_M and m_p for the two masses. We begin with Eq. 13.23:

$$E_{\text{mech}} = \frac{1}{2} m_p v_{\text{esc}}^2 - G \frac{m_M m_p}{R_M} = 0$$
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Motion in Two Dimensions

CONCEPTS

- 2.1 From reality to model
- 2.2 Position and displacement
- 2.3 Representing motion
- 2.4 Average speed and average velocity

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- 2.5 Scalars and vectors
- 2.6 Position and displacement vectors
- 2.7 Velocity as a vector
- 2.8 Motion at constant velocity
- 2.9 Instantaneous velocity



3

Acceleration

CONCEPTS

- 3.1 Changes in velocity
- 3.2 Acceleration due to gravity
- 3.3 Projectile motion
- 3.4 Motion diagrams

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- 3.5 Motion with constant acceleration
- 3.6 Free-fall equations
- 3.7 Inclined planes
- 3.8 Instantaneous acceleration



4 Momentum

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- 4.2 Inertia
- 4.3 What determines inertia?
- 4.4 Systems

- 4.5 Inertial standard
- 4.6 Momentum
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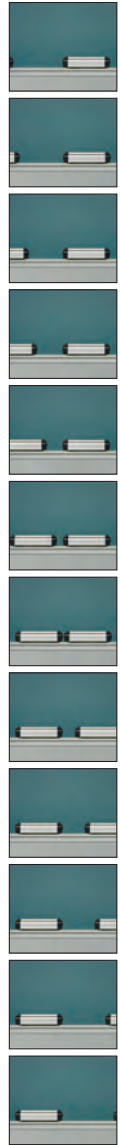
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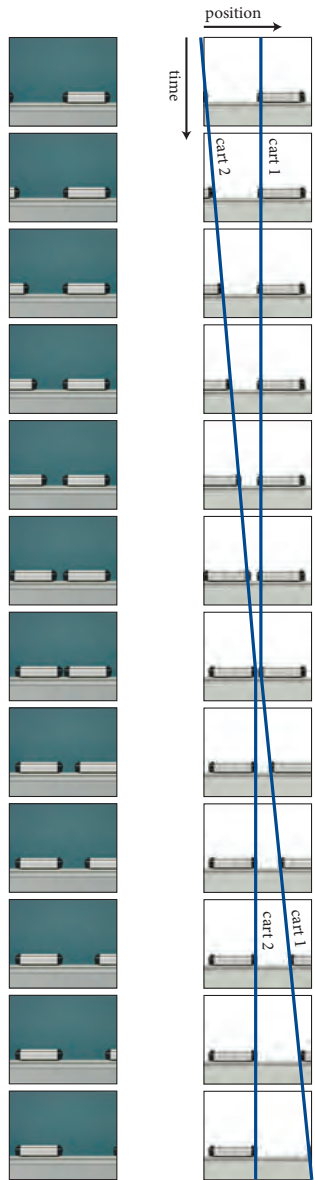
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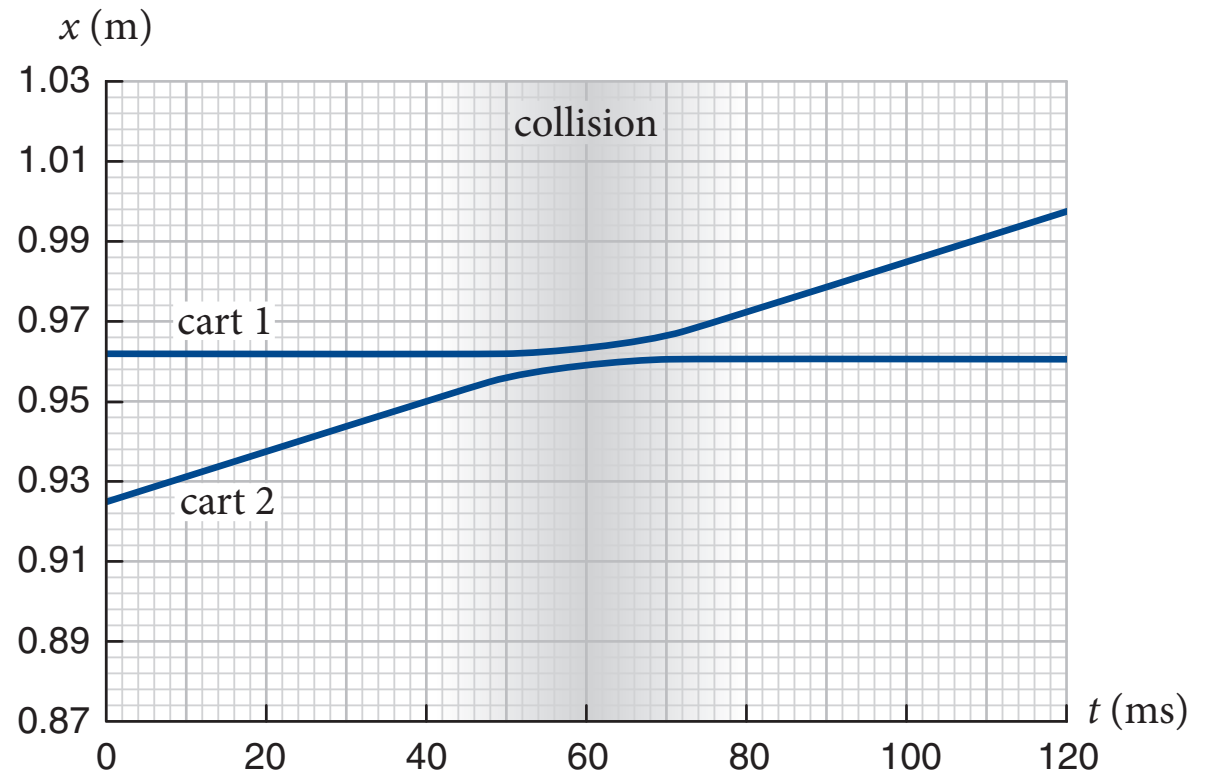
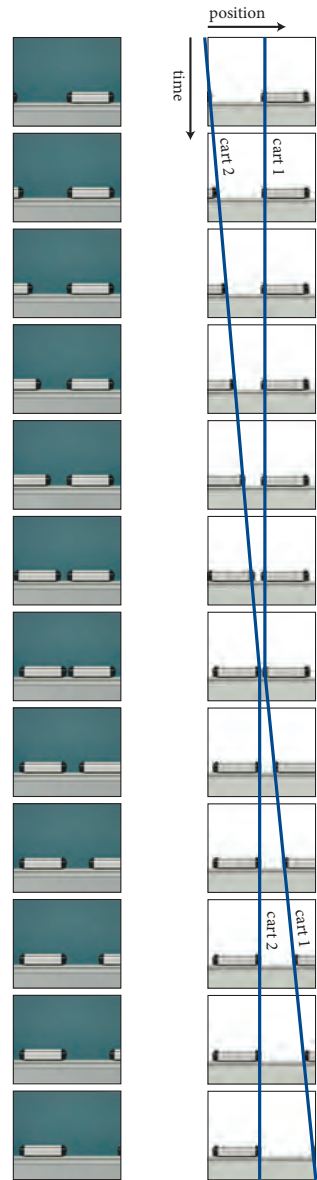
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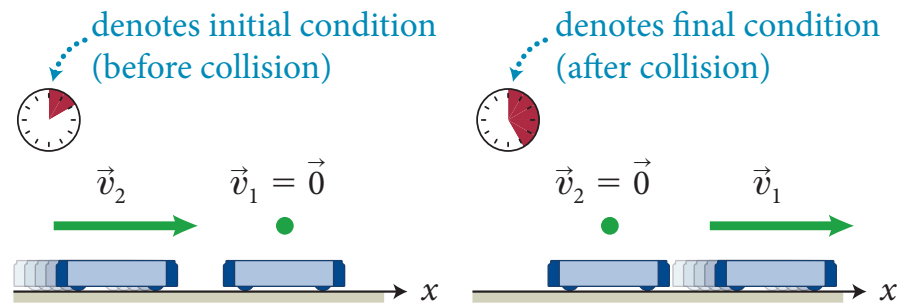
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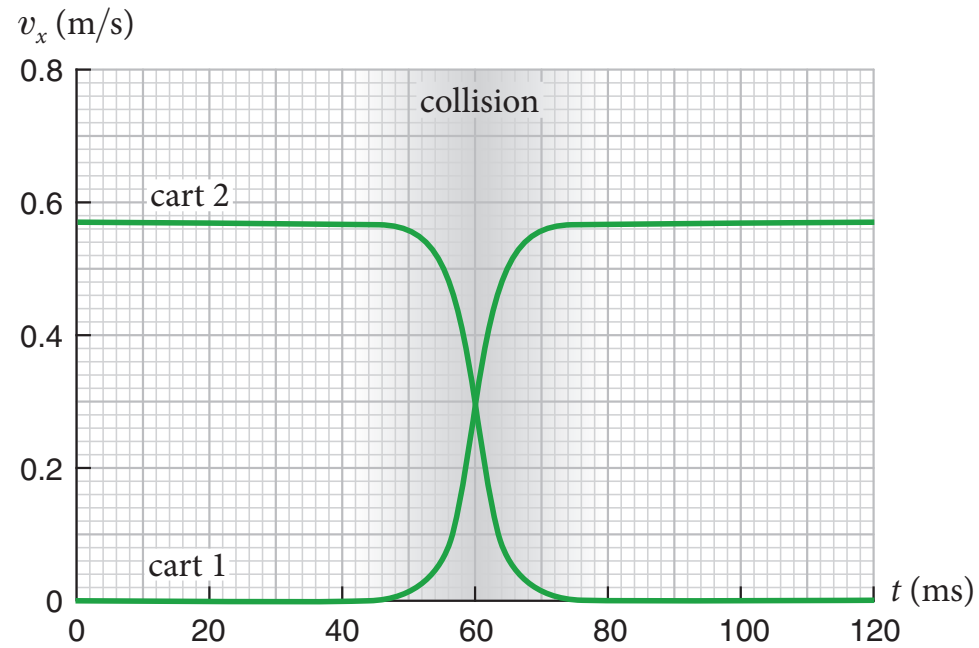
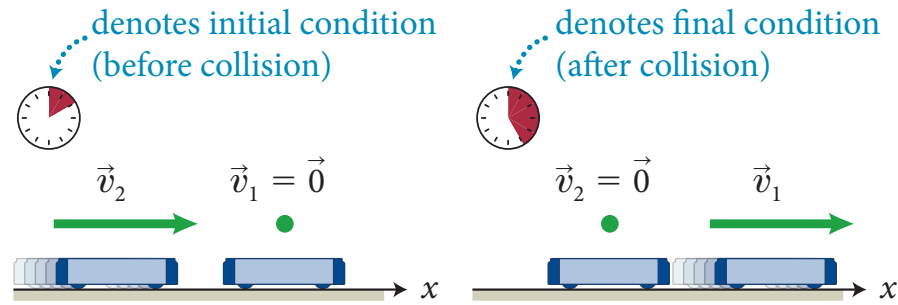


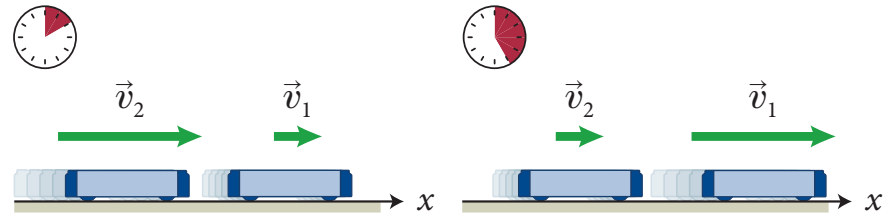
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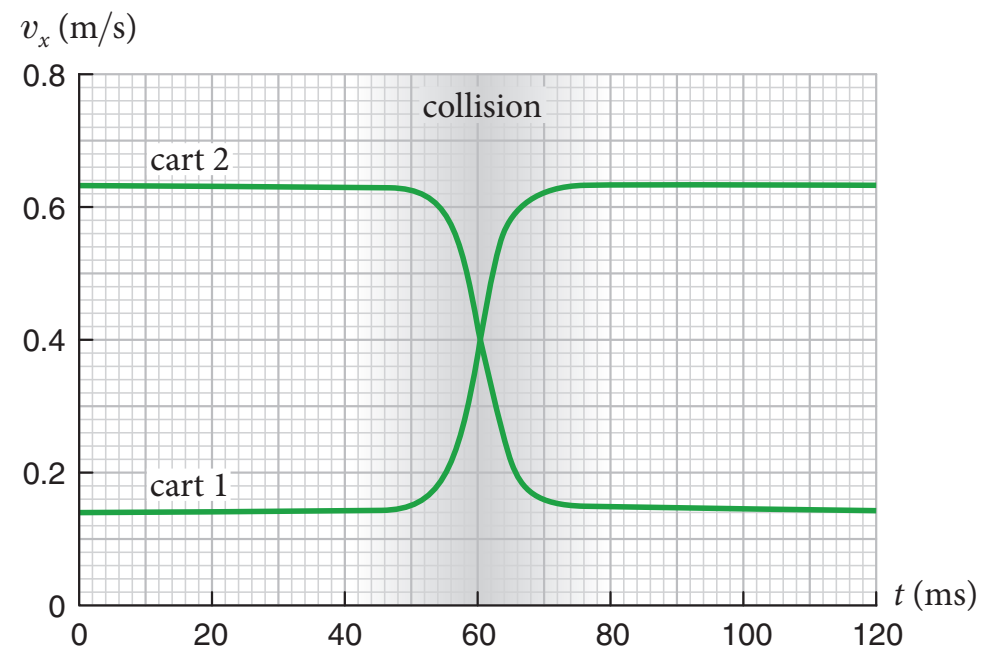
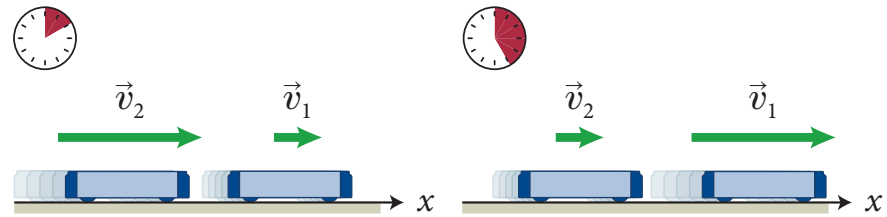
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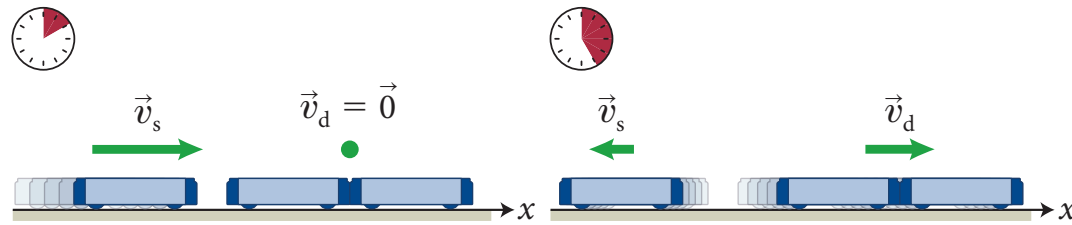


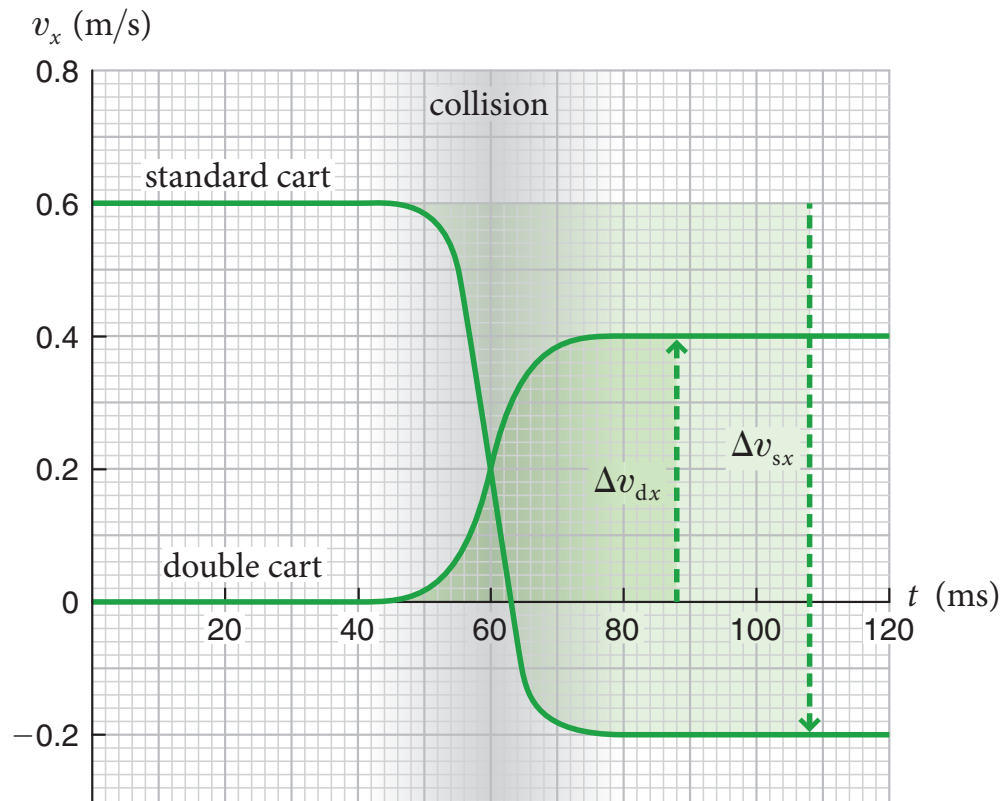
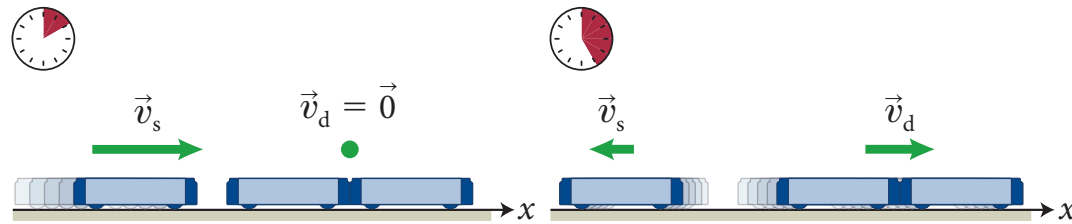


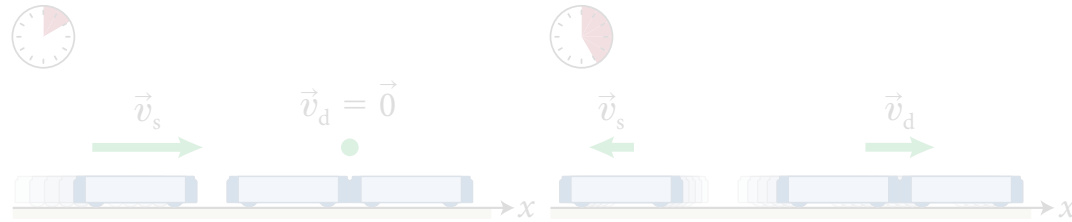




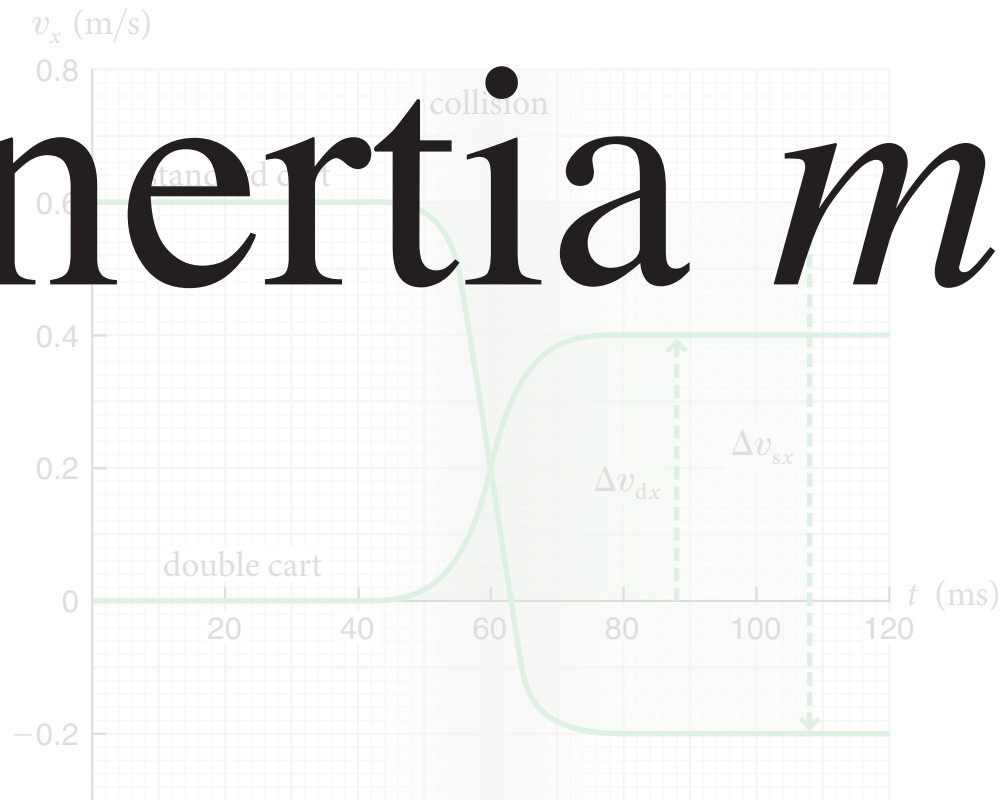








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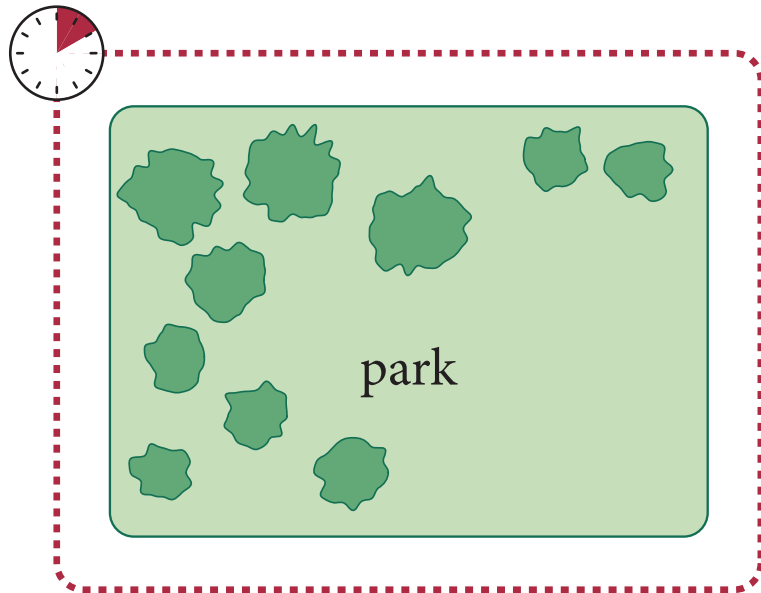


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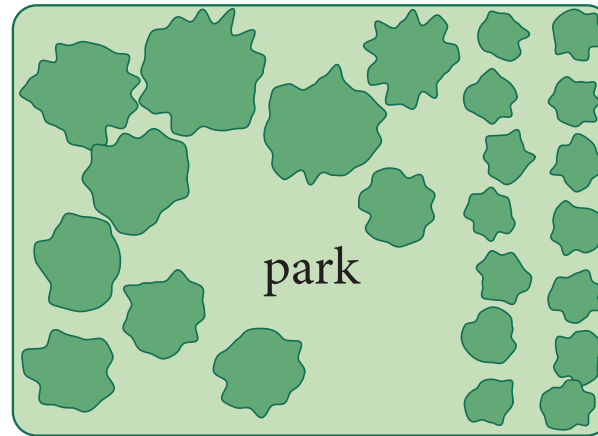
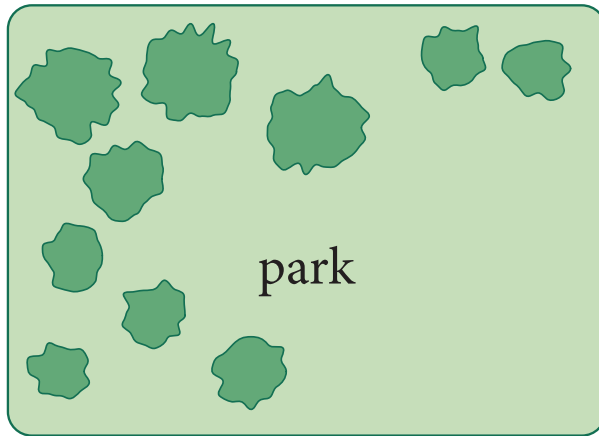
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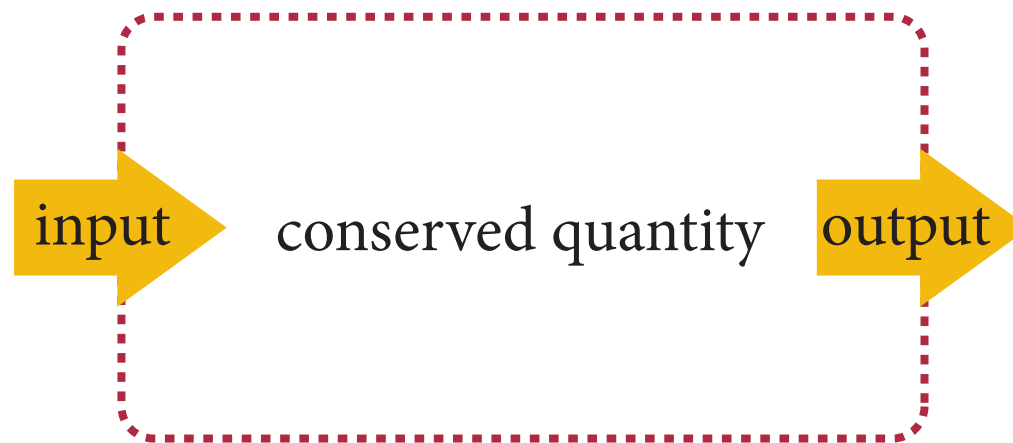
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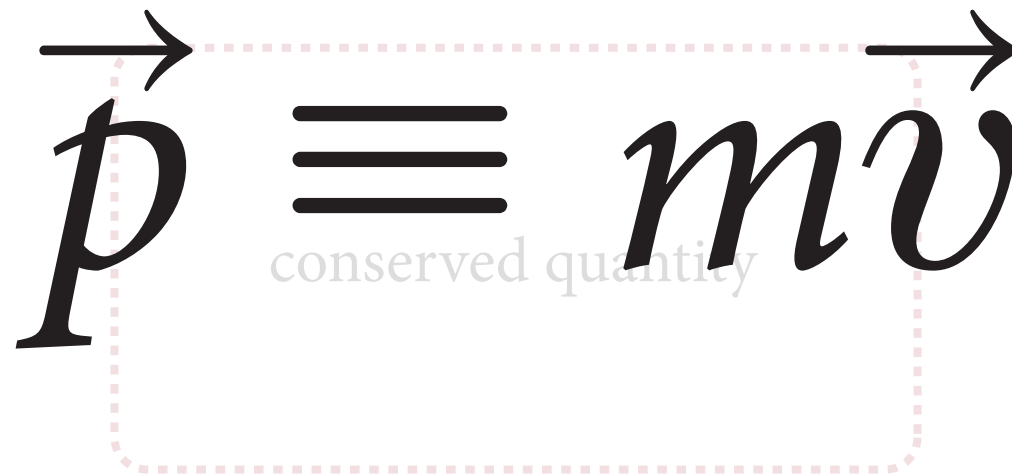
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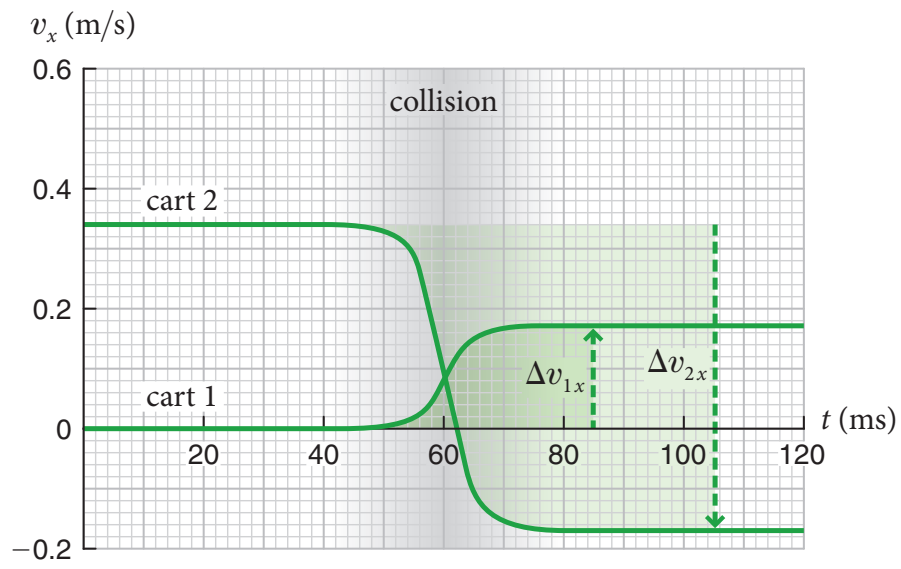
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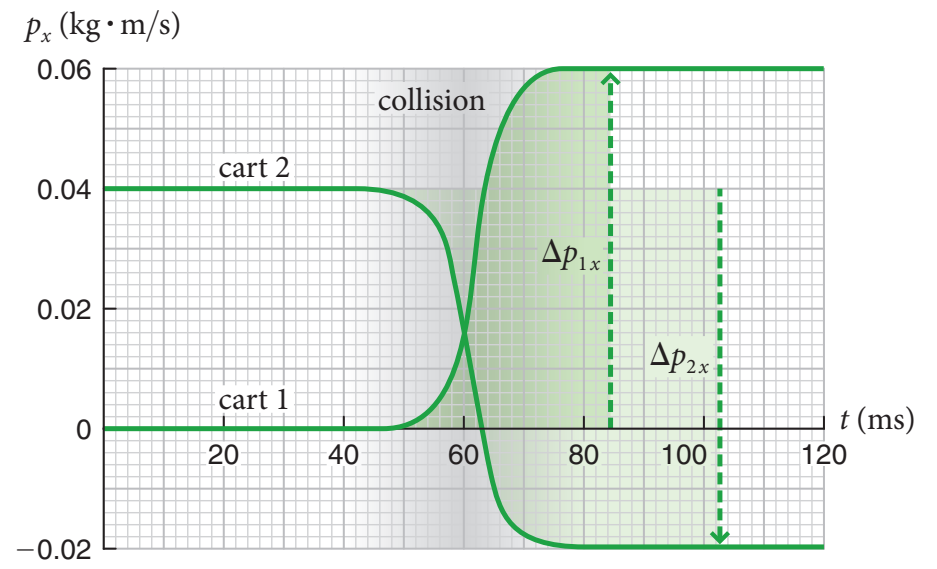
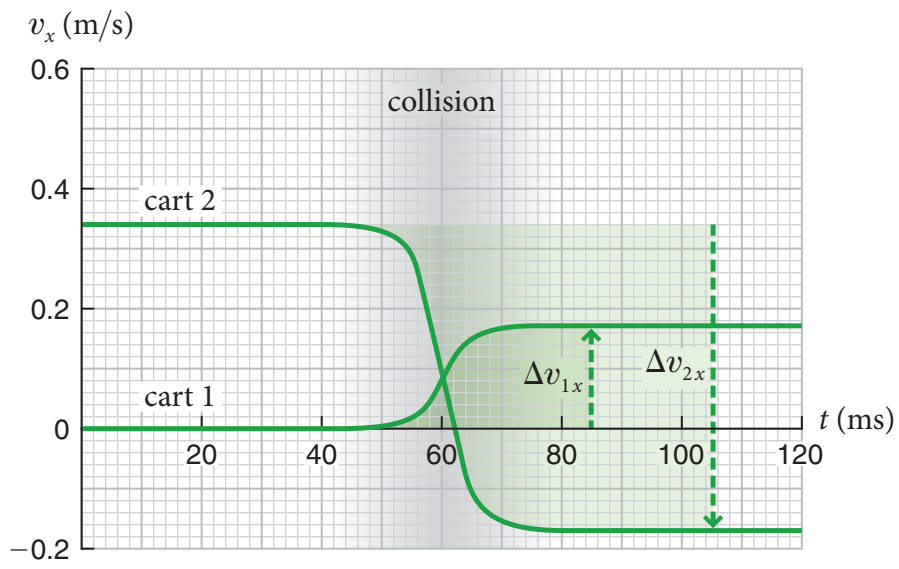
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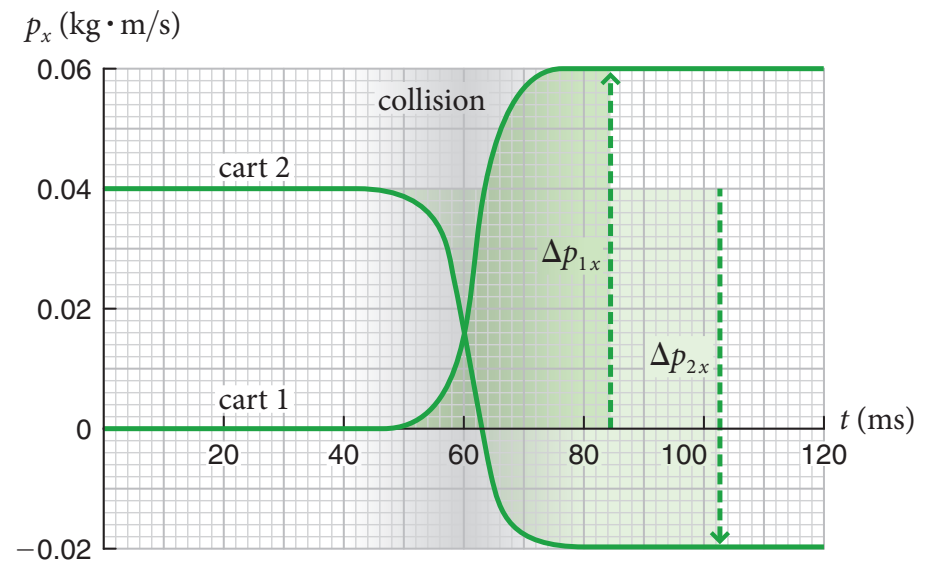
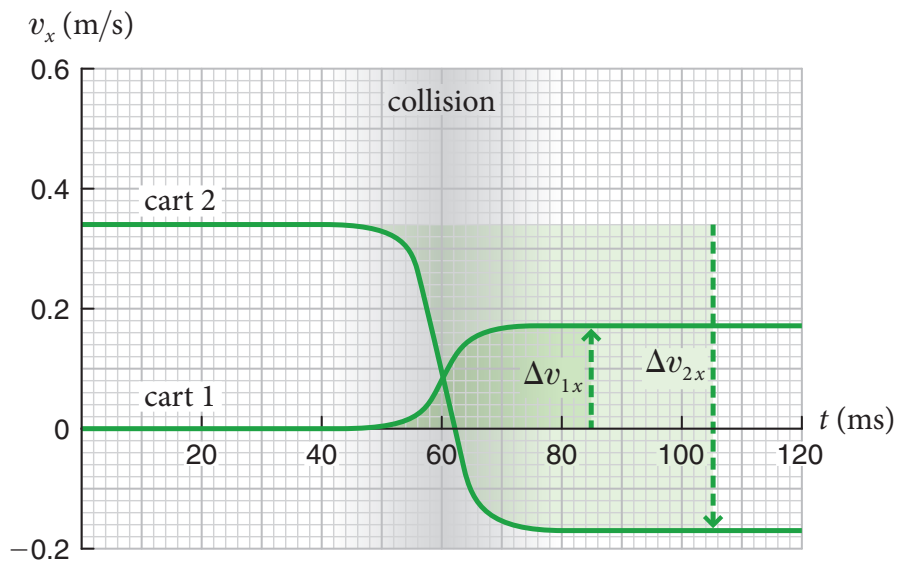
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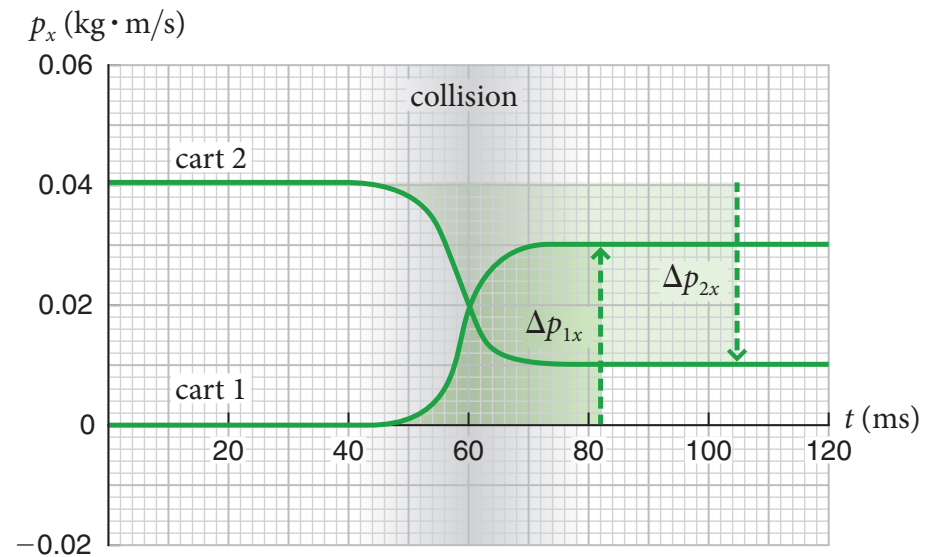
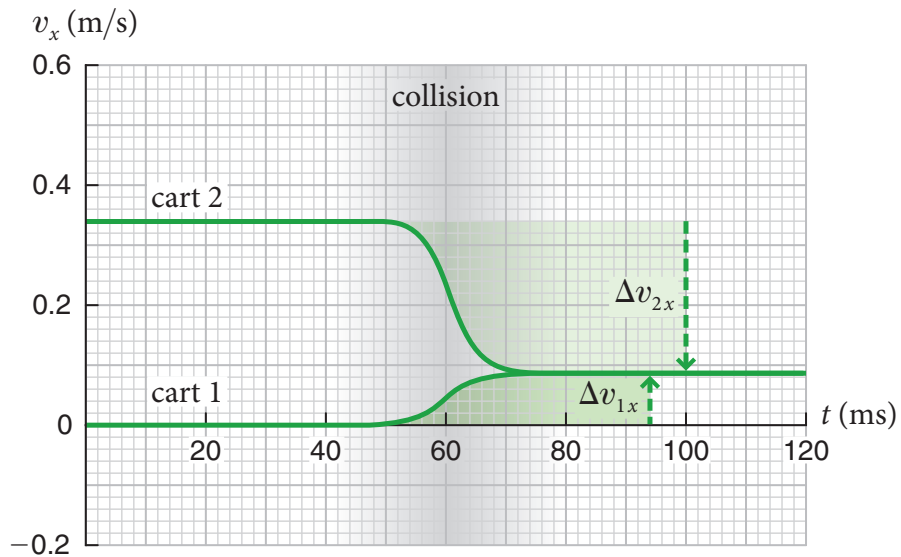




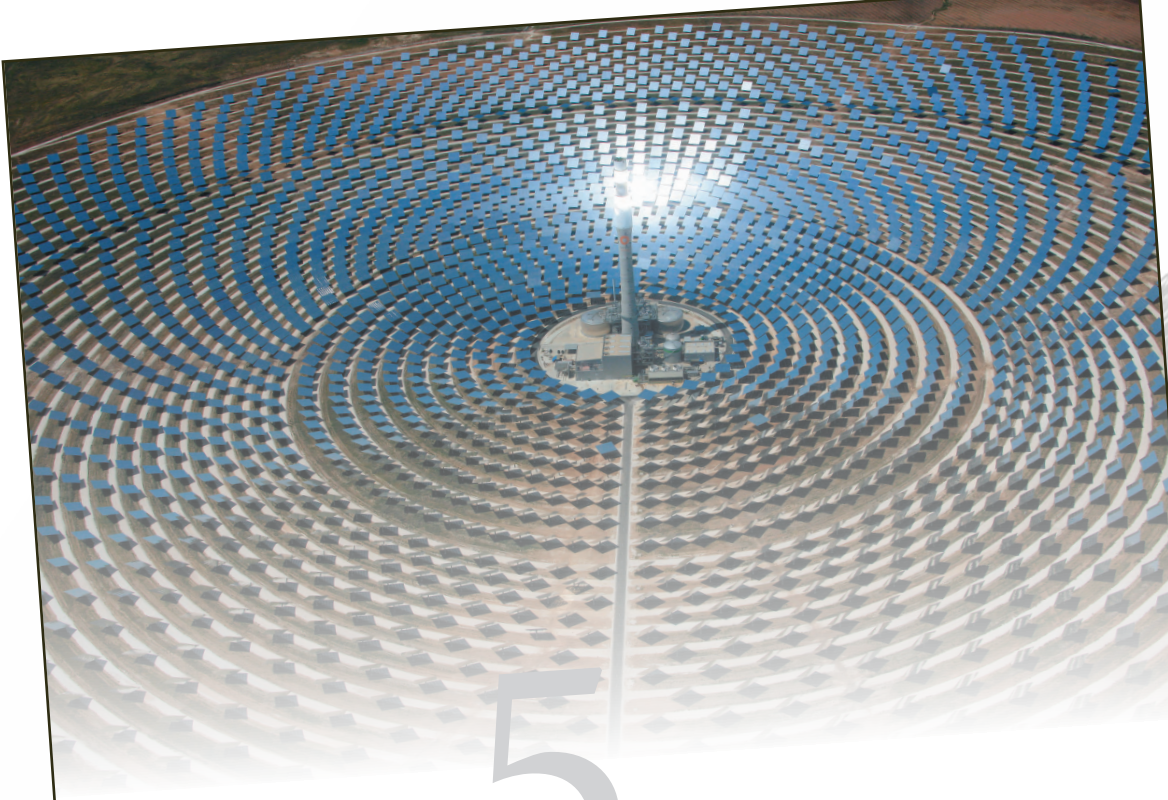




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- 5.1 Classification of collisions
- 5.2 Kinetic energy
- 5.3 Internal energy
- 5.4 Closed systems

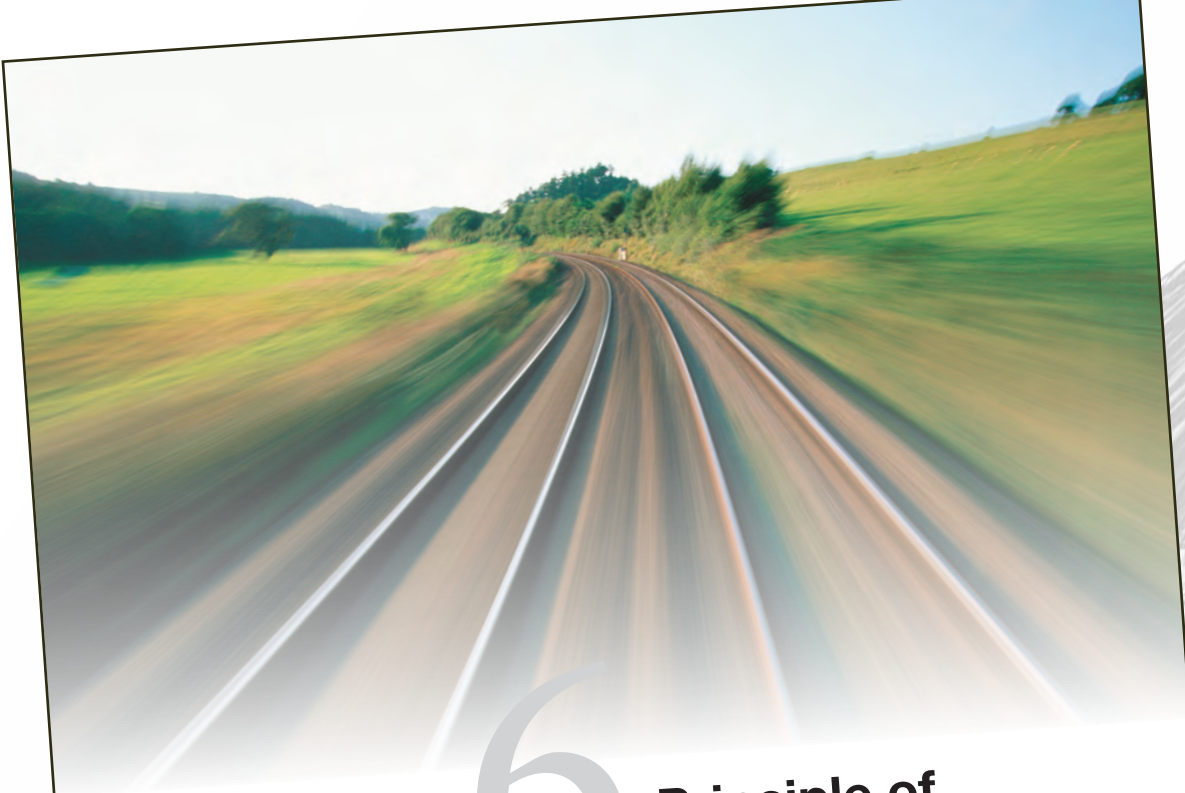
- 5.5 Elastic collisions
- 5.6 Inelastic collisions
- 5.7 Conservation of energy
- 5.8 Explosive separations

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elastic vs. inelastic





6 Principle of Relativity

- 6.1 Relativity of motion
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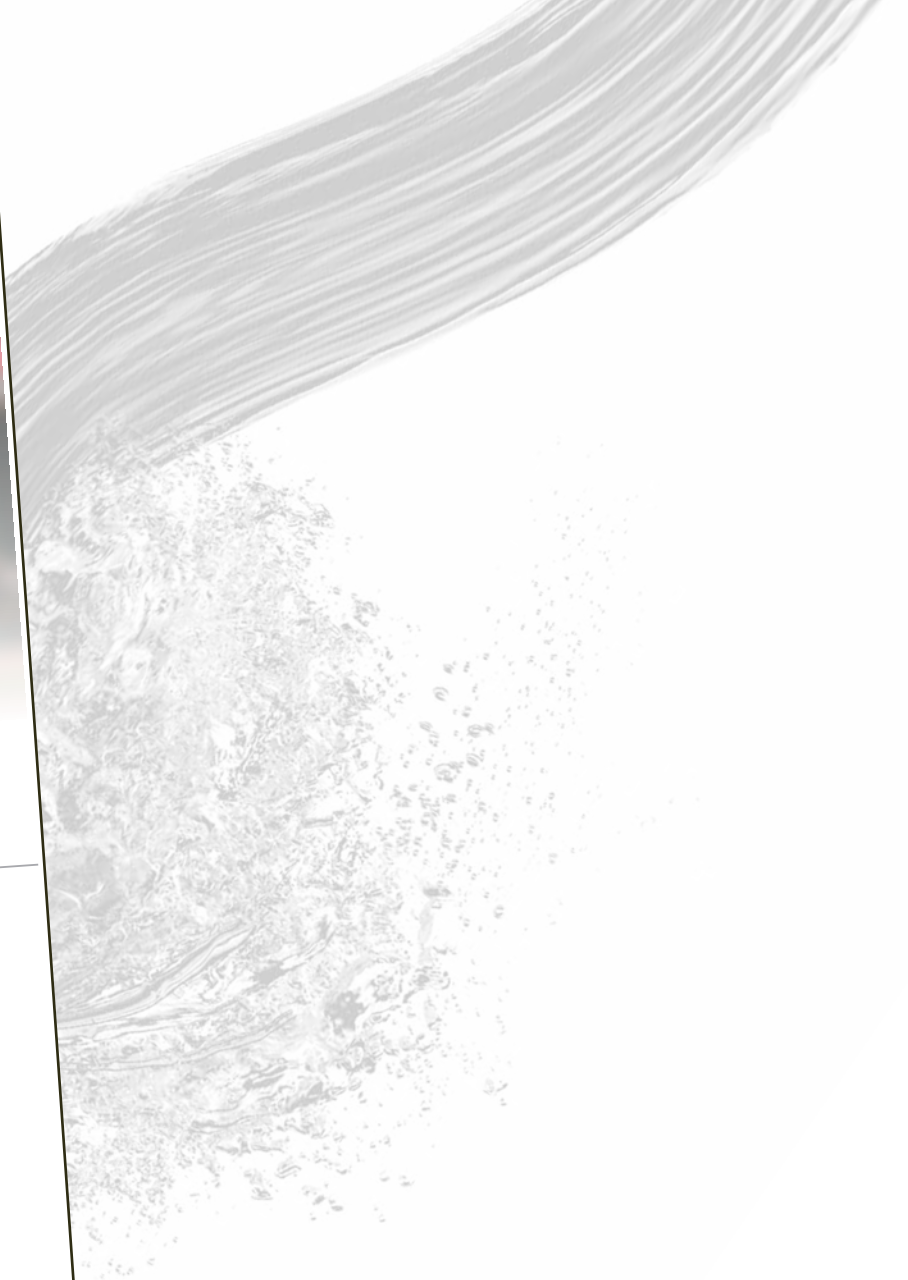
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Interactions

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- 7.1 The effects of interactions
- 7.2 Potential energy
- 7.3 Energy dissipation
- 7.4 Source energy
- 7.5 Interaction range
- 7.6 Fundamental interactions

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- 7.7 Interactions and accelerations
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- 7.9 Potential energy near Earth's surface
- 7.10 Dissipative interactions



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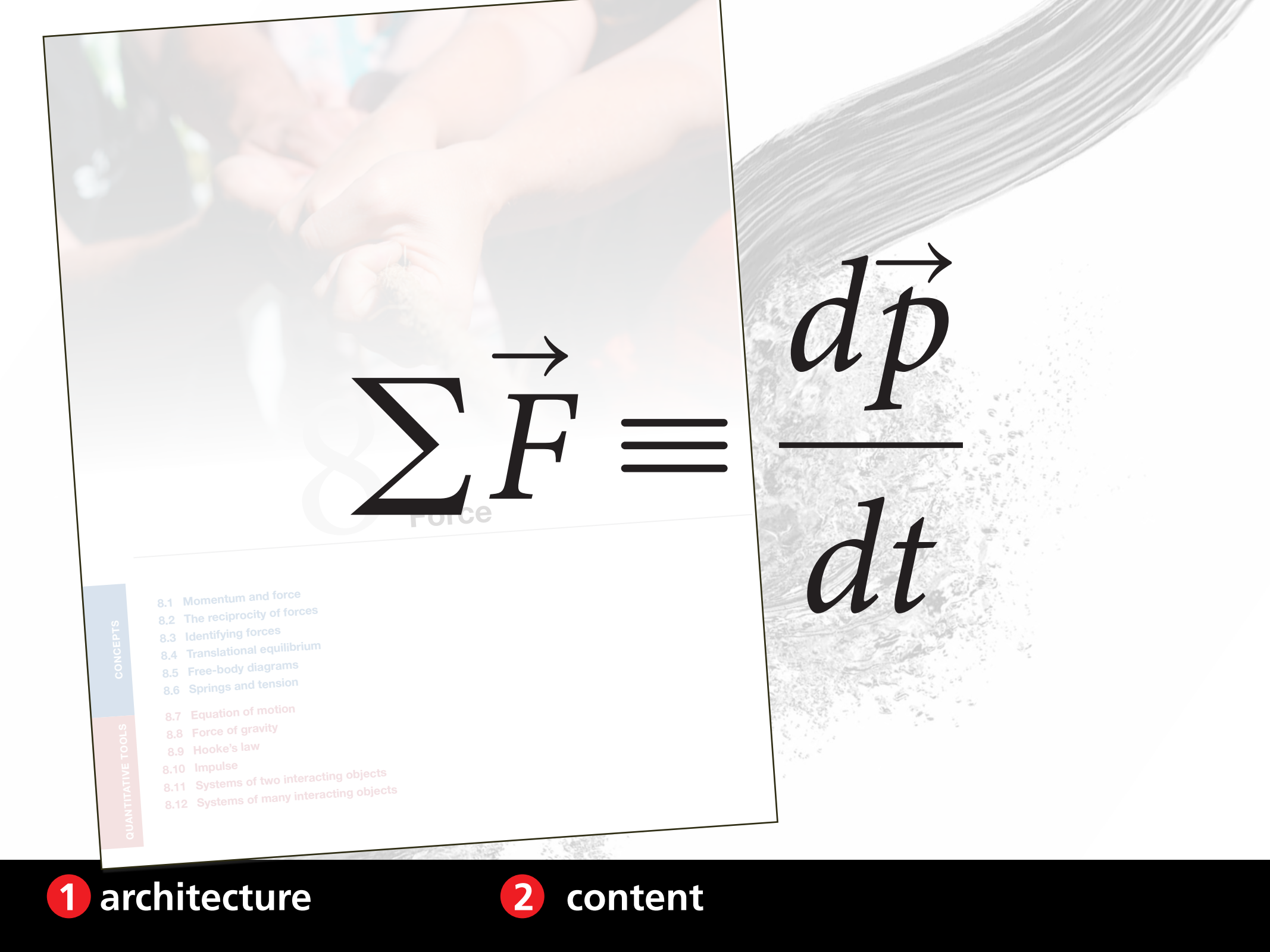
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- 8.2 The reciprocity of forces
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- 8.7 Equation of motion
- 8.8 Force of gravity
- 8.9 Hooke's law
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$$\Sigma \vec{F} \equiv$$

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Work

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- 9.1 Force displacement
- 9.2 Positive and negative work
- 9.3 Energy diagrams
- 9.4 Choice of system

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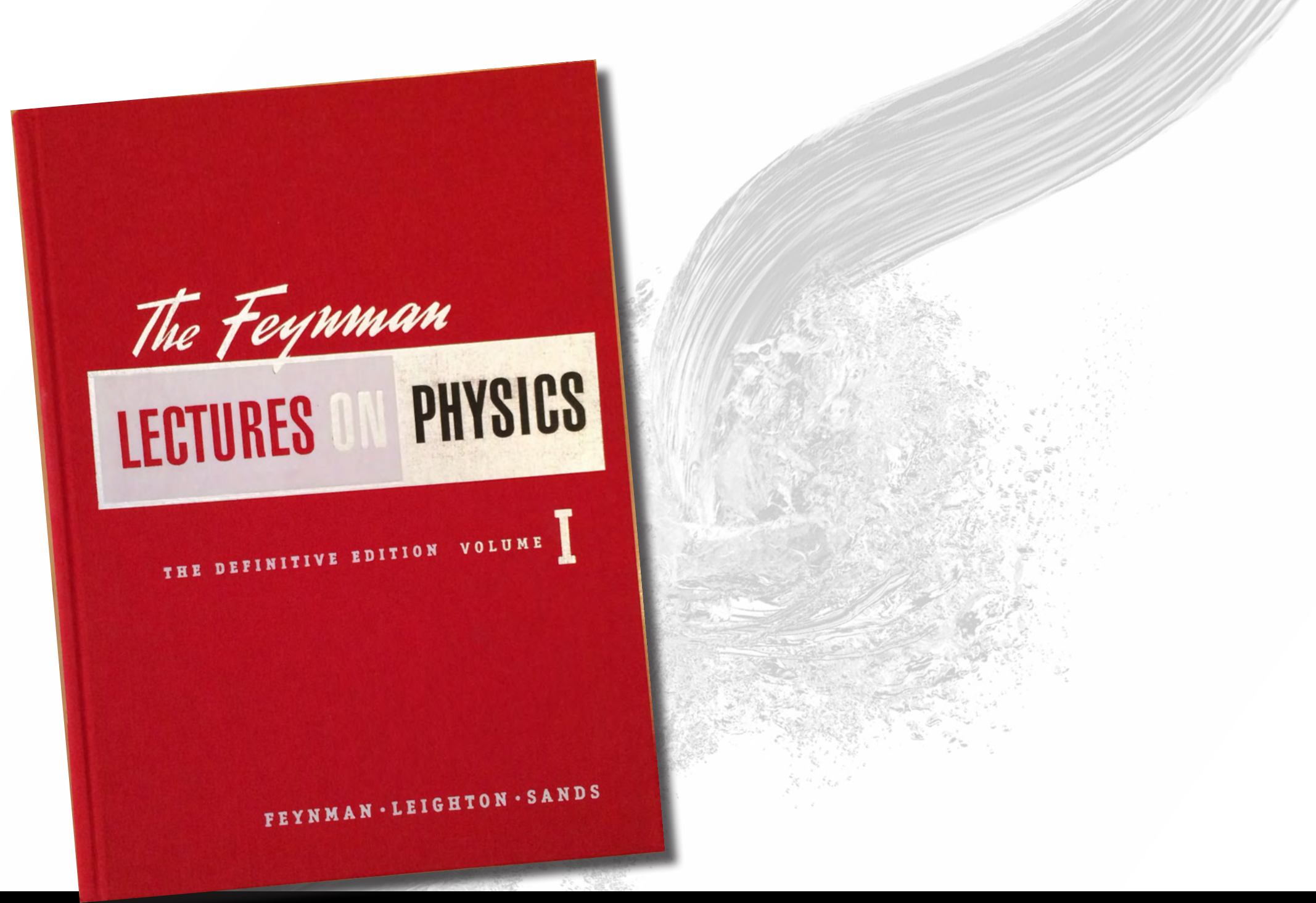
- 9.5 Work done on a single particle
- 9.6 Work done on a many-particle system
- 9.7 Variable and distributed forces
- 9.8 Power

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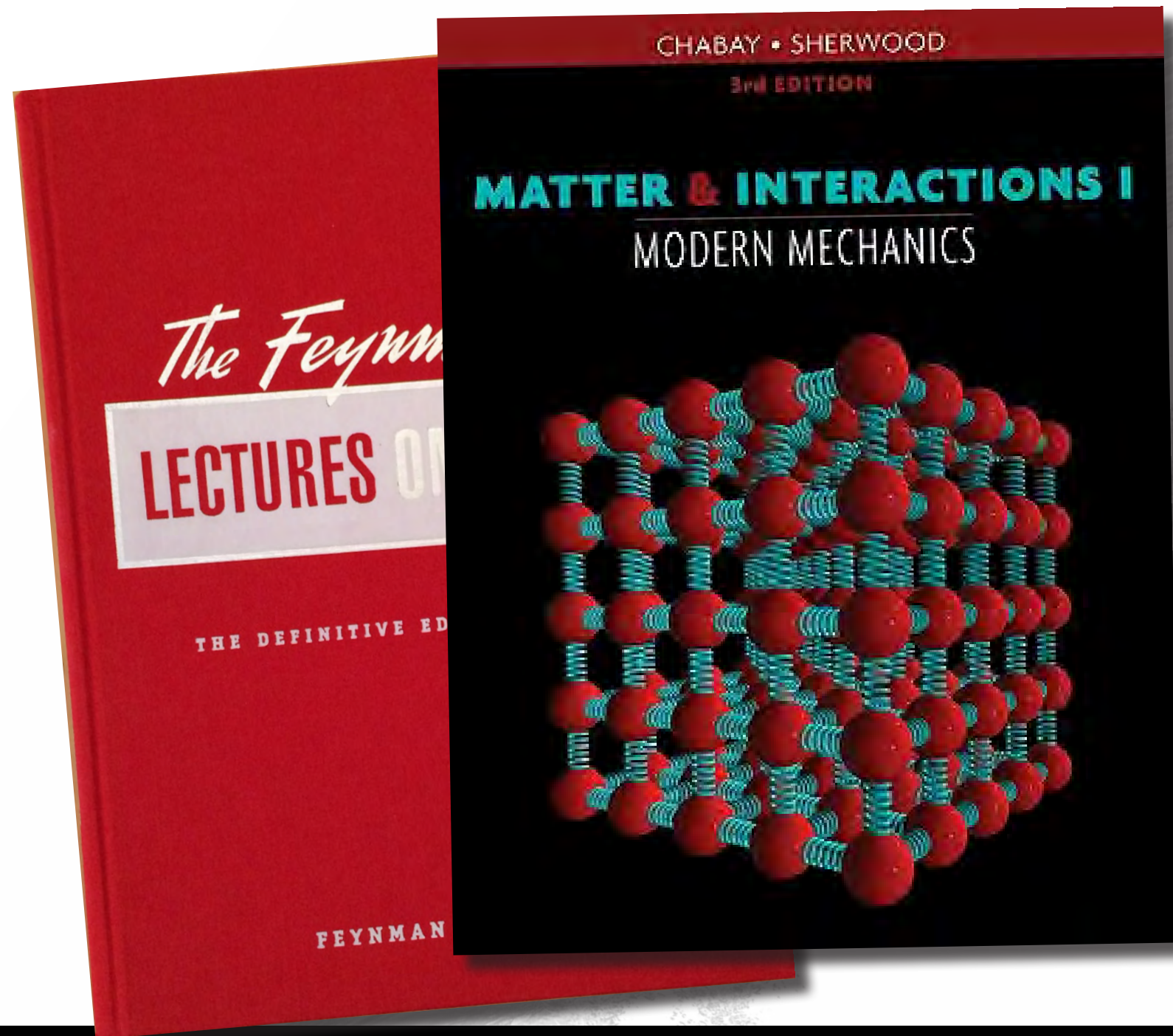
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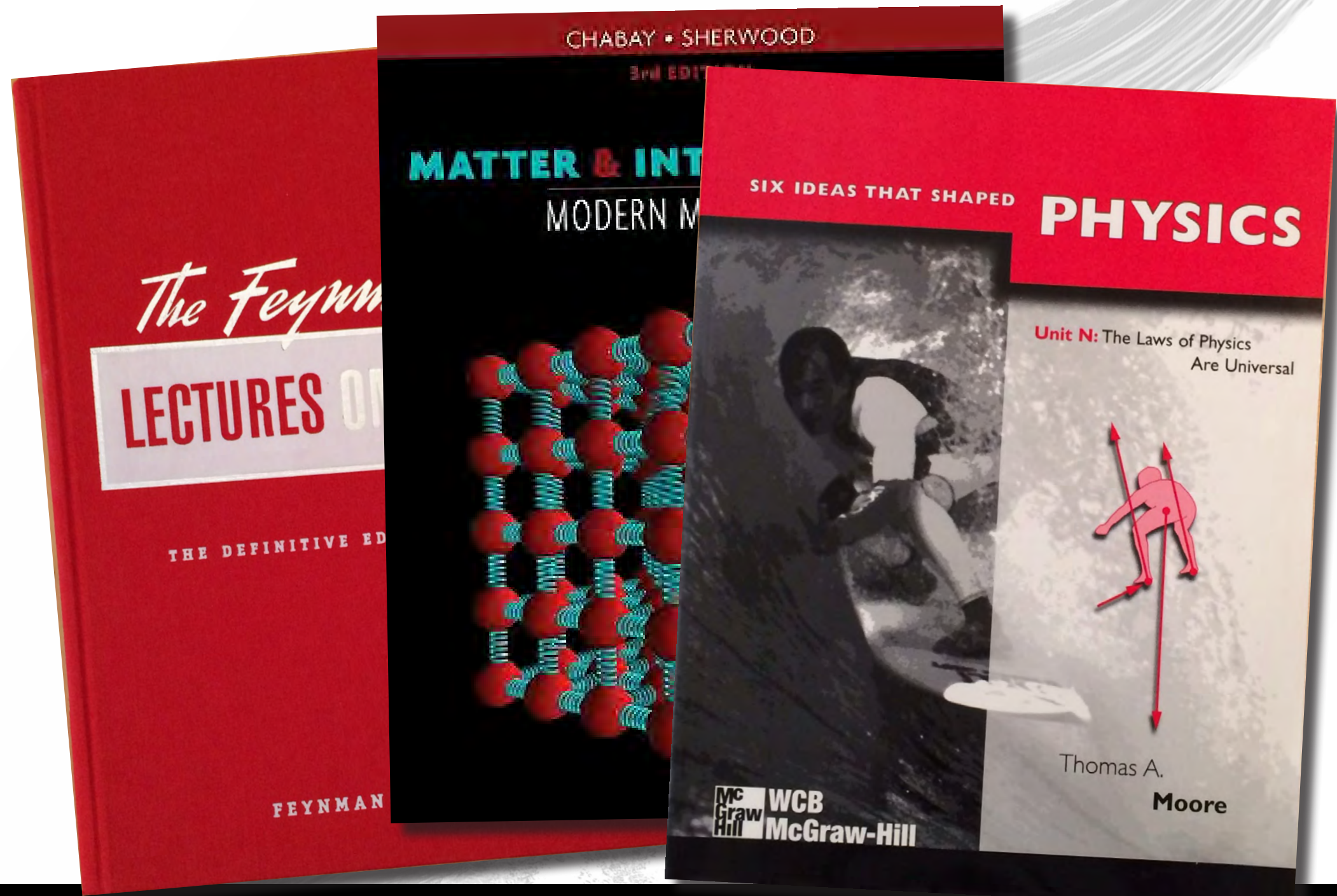
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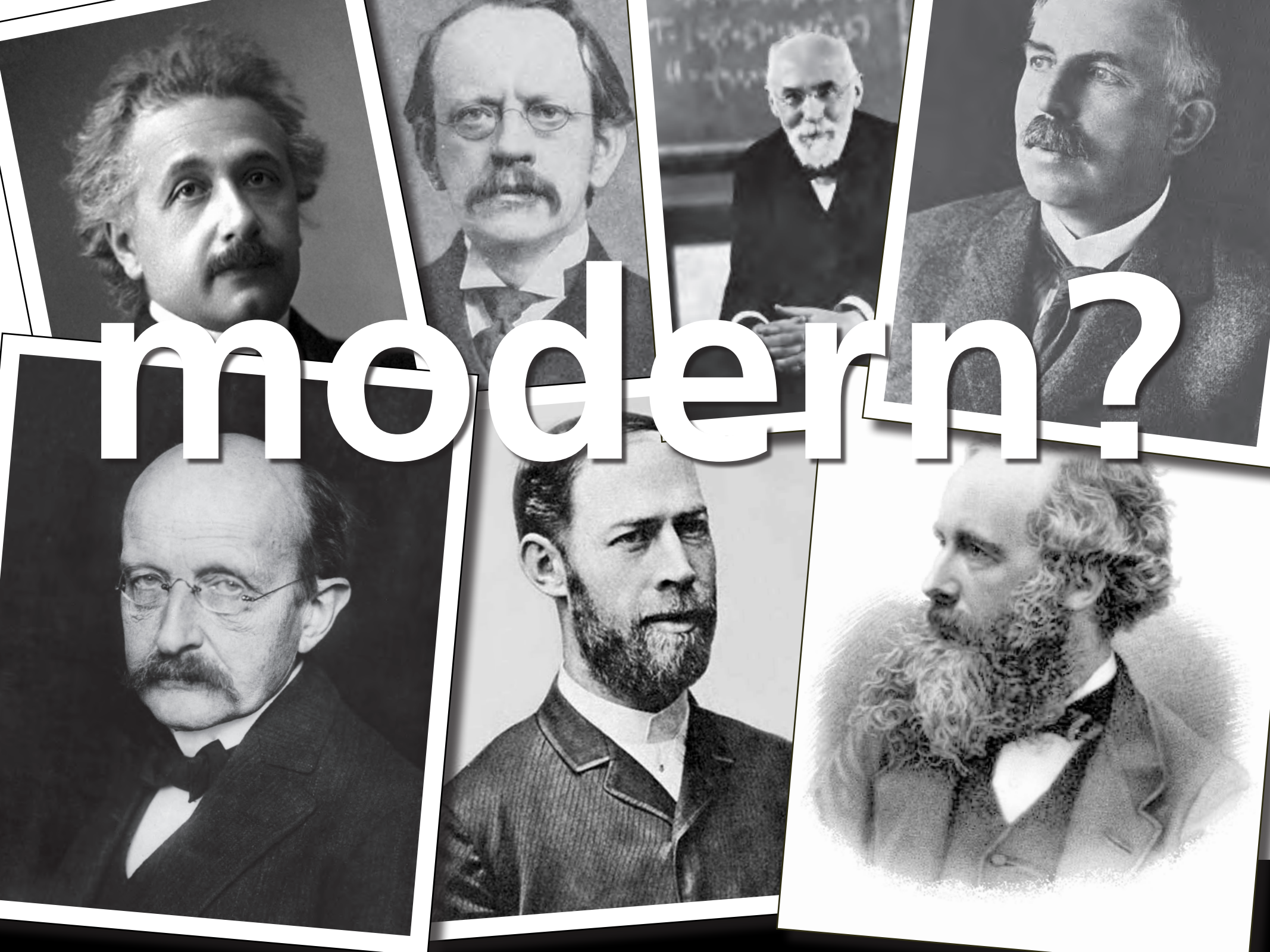
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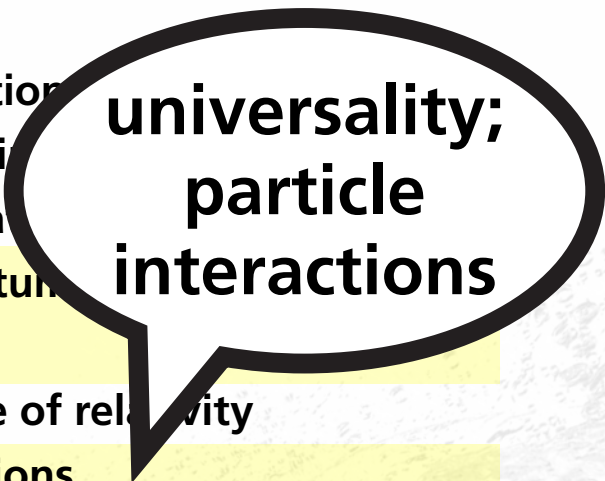
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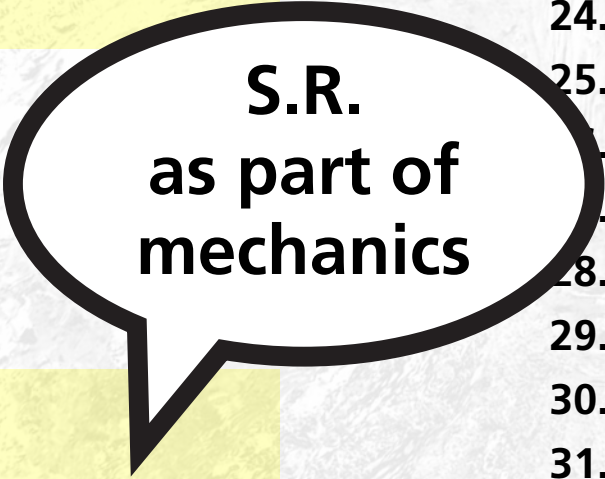
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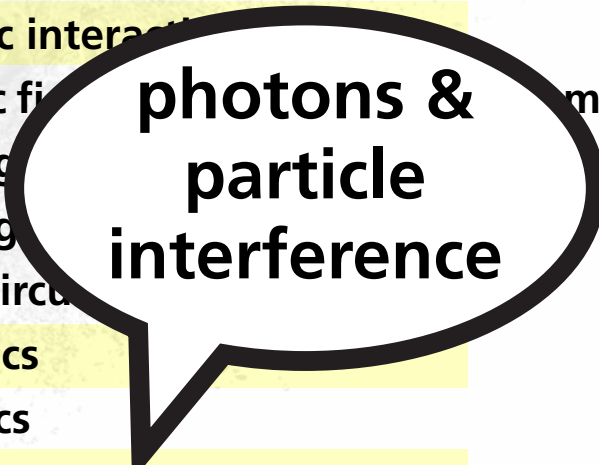
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CHAPTER

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Foundations

Strategy

This book is developed with the goal of engaging students in developing a conceptual framework for the topics presented in introductory physics and to develop in students the reasoning and problem-solving skills that will help them in and beyond the study of physics. Throughout this book, the focus is on change, the transition from one state to another. Conservation principles naturally become the focus as they arise from those properties that are observed to remain unchanged. The mathematics requirements are initially minimized to allow students to develop a better grasp of the physics without getting sidetracked by mathematics. For that reason, the first nine chapters only deal with physics in one dimension. Once students have a solid grasp of physics in one dimension, they can better begin to explore two- and three-dimensional problems. This also gives students an opportunity to develop the required math skills in a concurrent mathematics course. Taking mathematics concurrent to physics, rather than as a prerequisite, can increase students' understanding of the mathematical concepts. Further, some concepts are often so transparent to an instructor that they are not taught explicitly, creating difficulty for students who do not have the same background. These foundational ideas, such as symmetry, and tools, such as representations, are spelled out so that students can explicitly engage in their use. Language is used and developed very carefully to avoid introducing confusion. Although they may sometimes seem formal or wordy, these choices have been carefully made to avoid common misconceptions by students.

Overview

The presentation of physics begins by defining it and its scope of the study of "all there is in the universe." The skills developed in studying physics to other aspects of life also is discussed. This chapter launches with a discussion of the concepts of physics that are taught in grade school.

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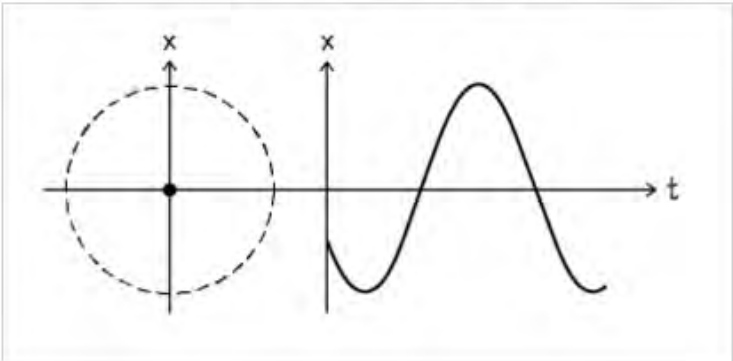
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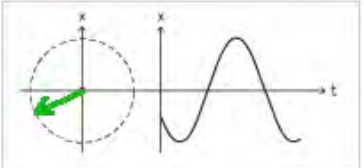
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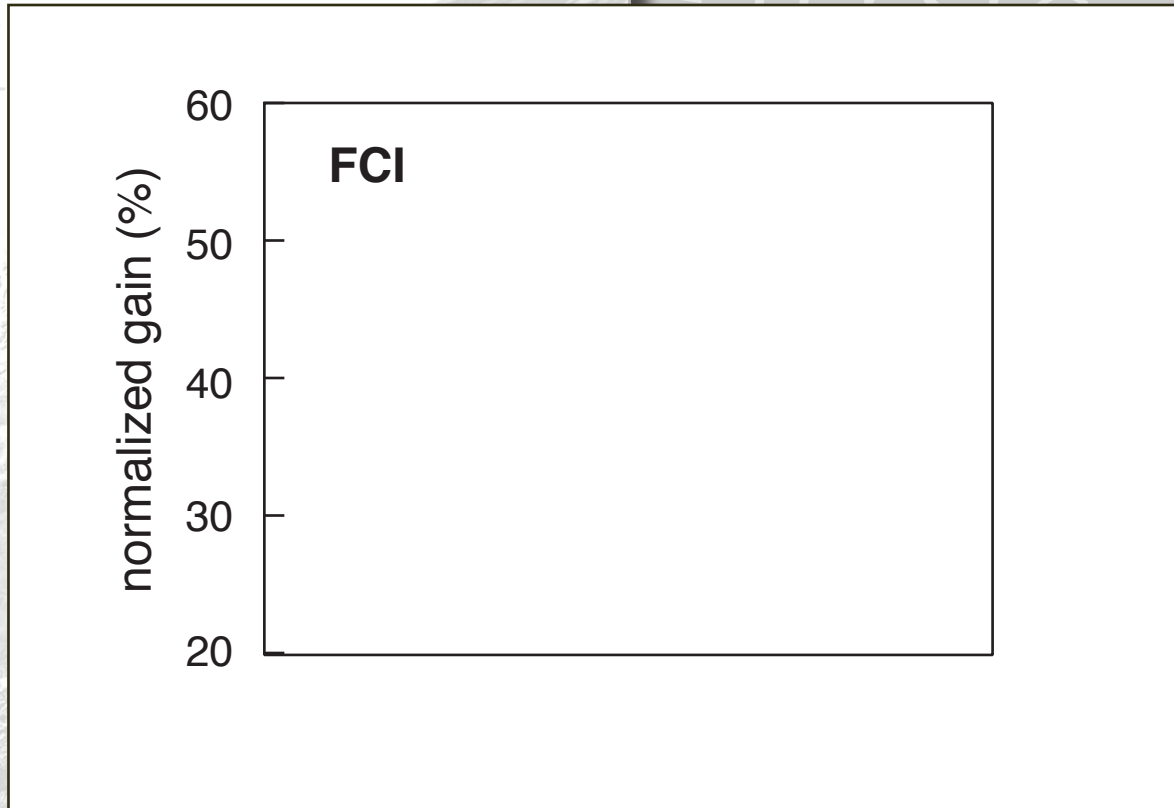
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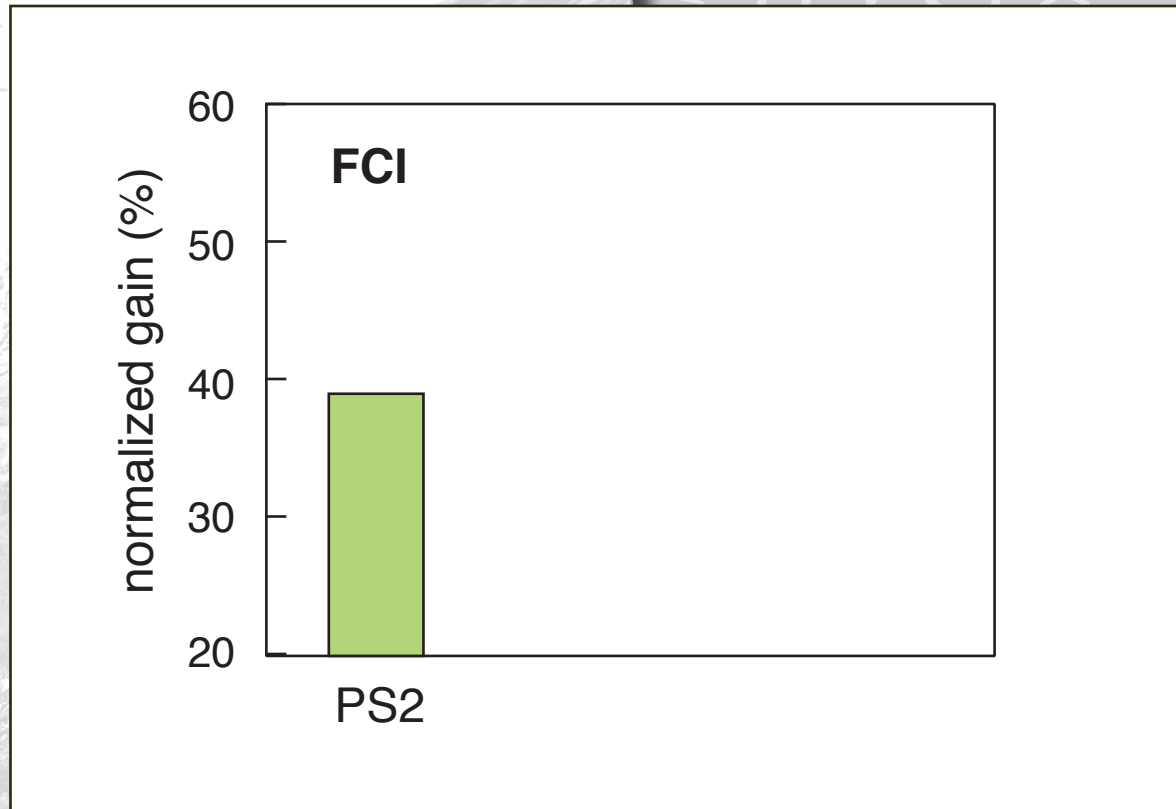


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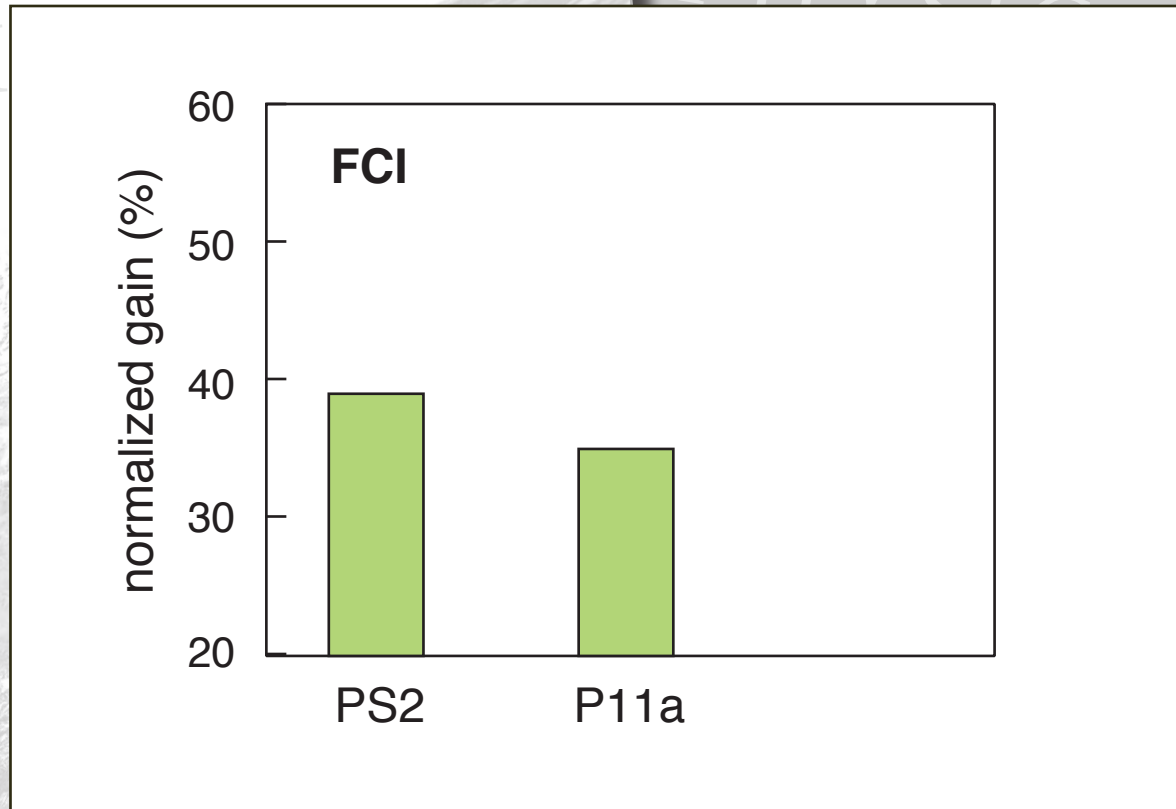


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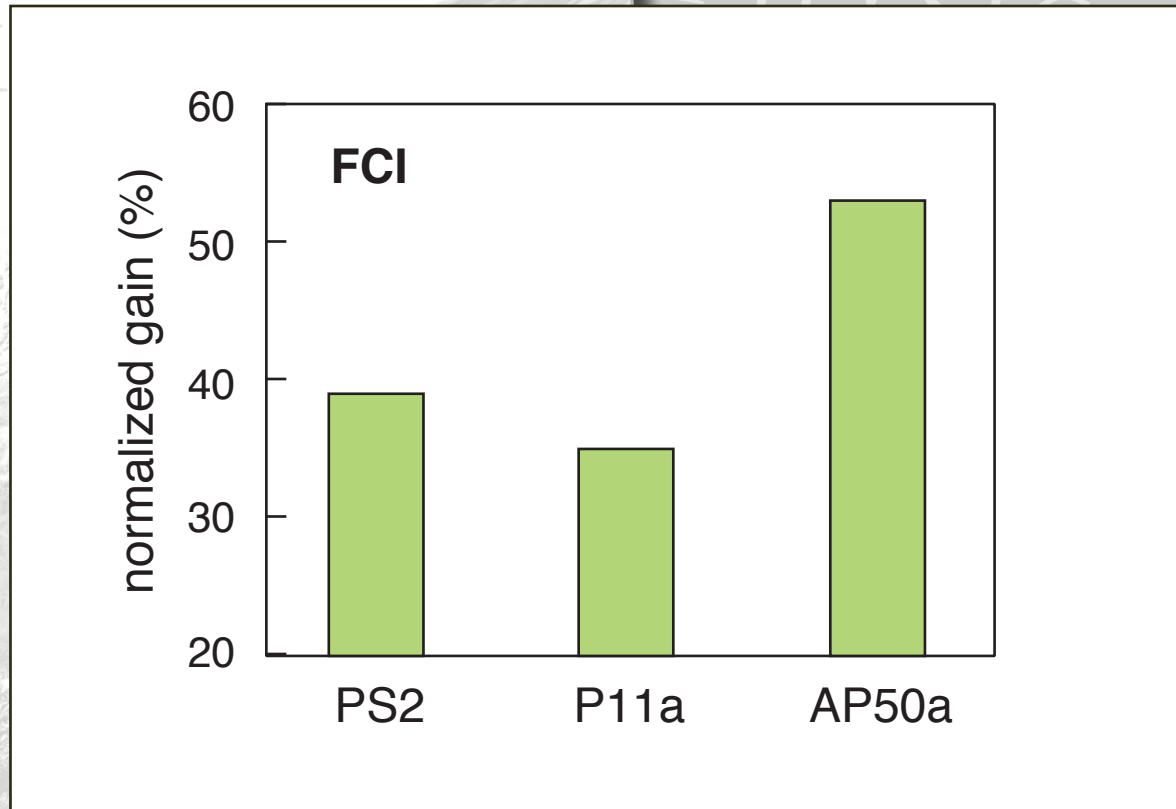


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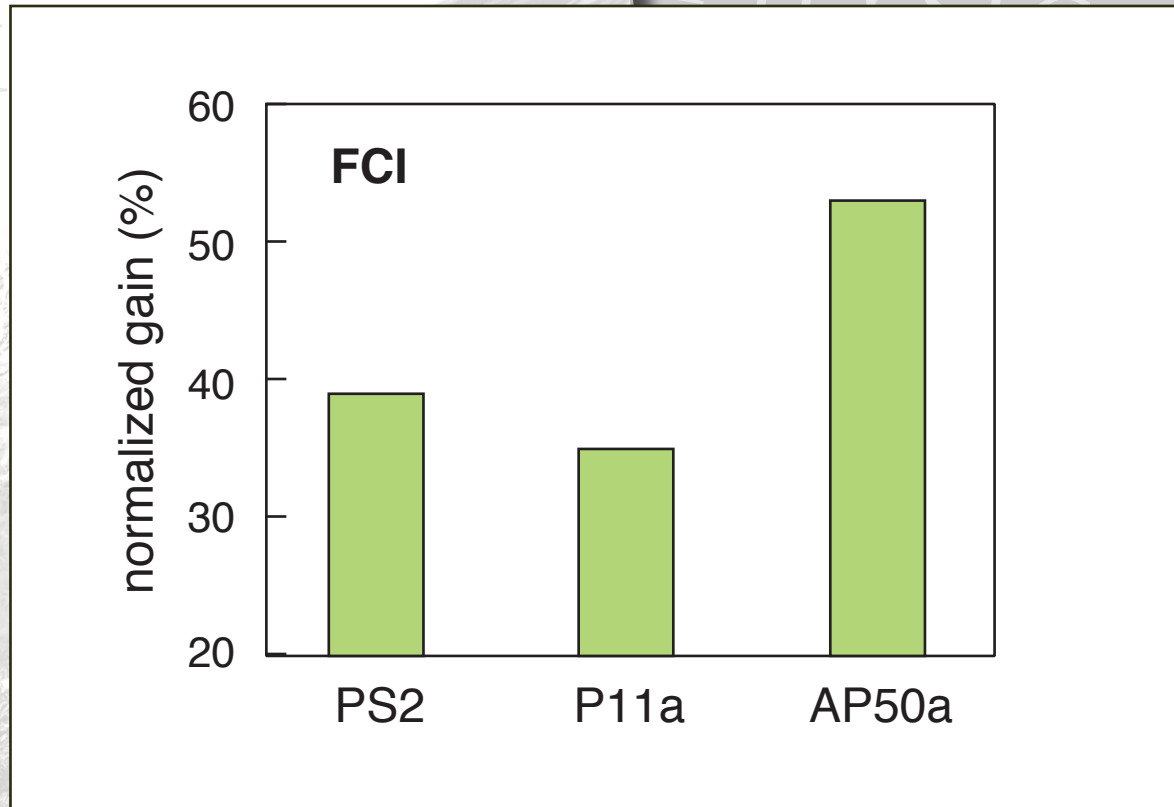
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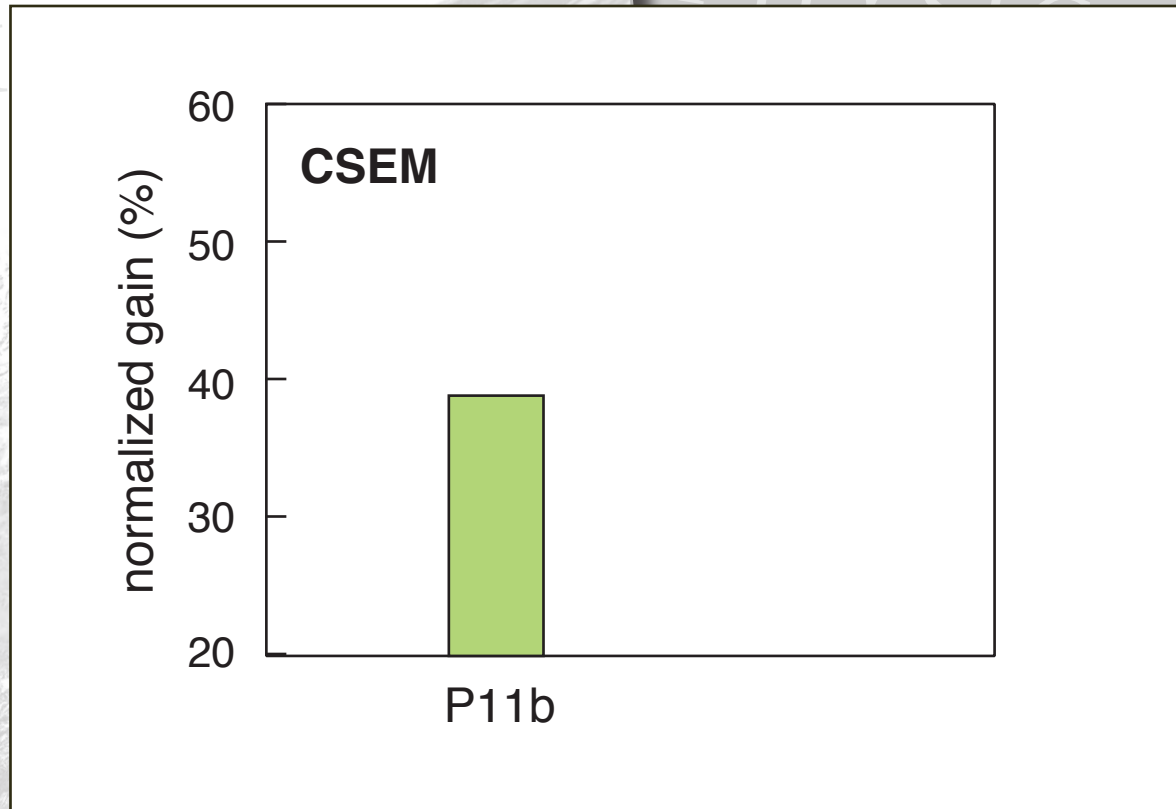
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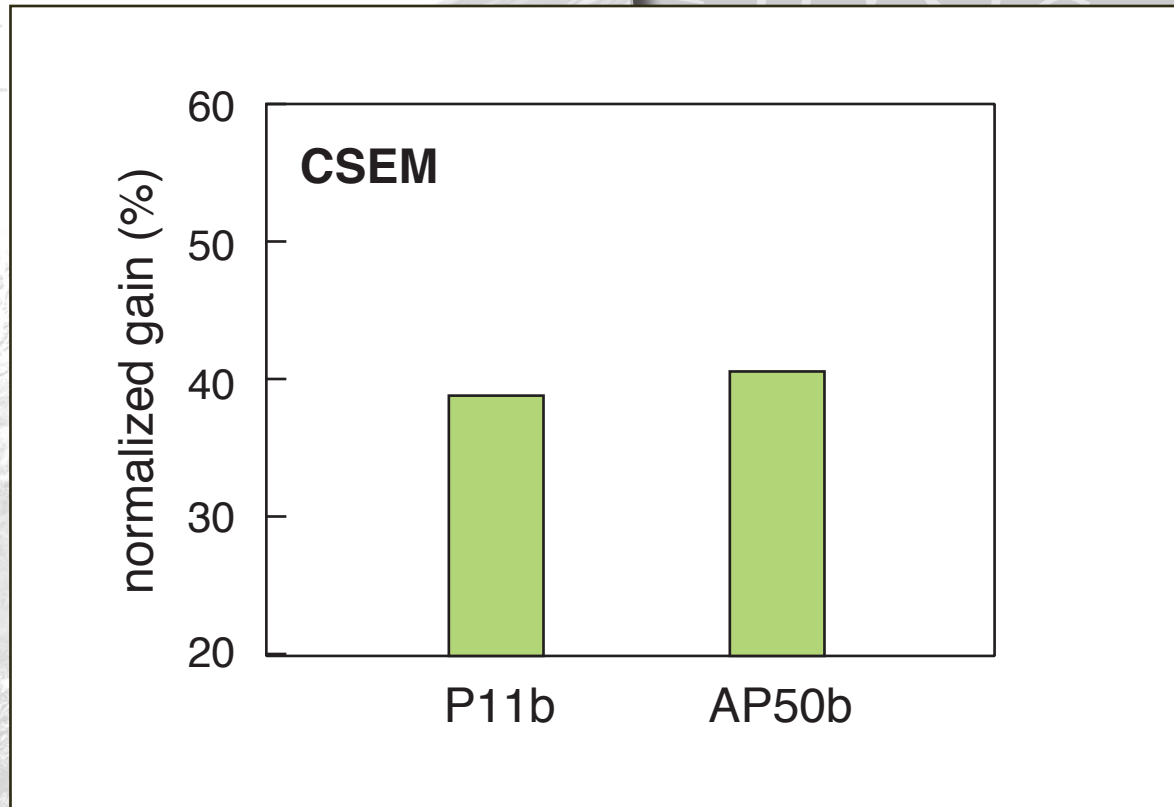


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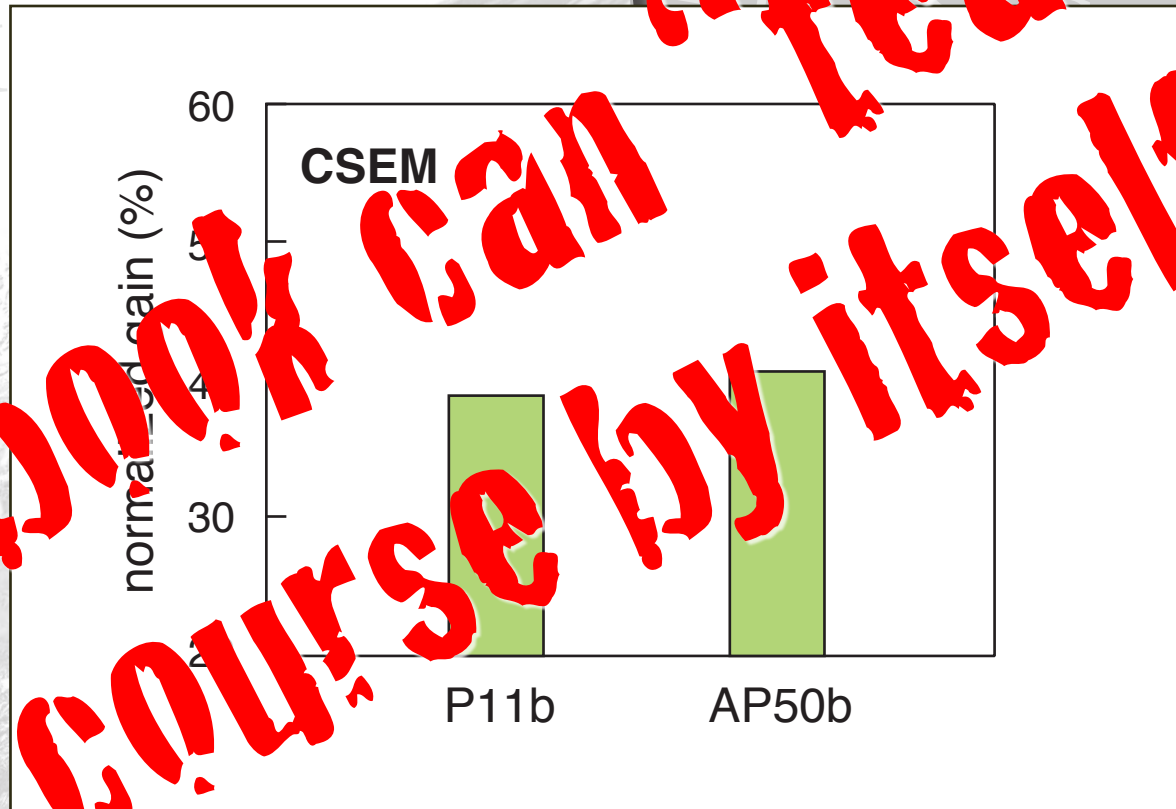
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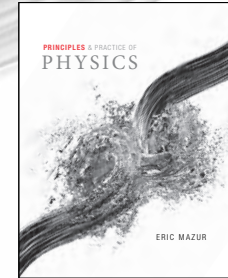
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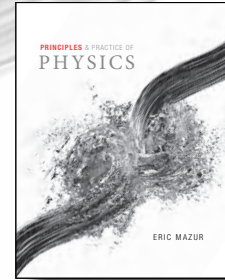
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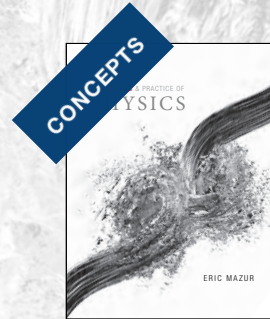
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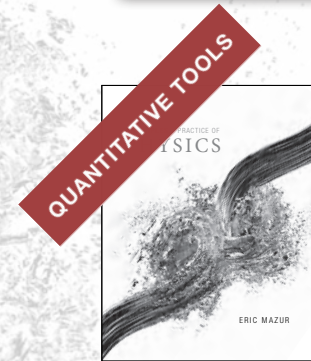
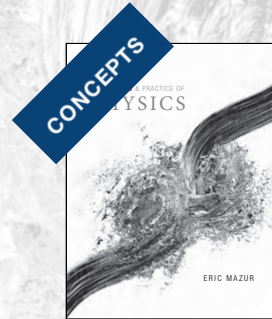
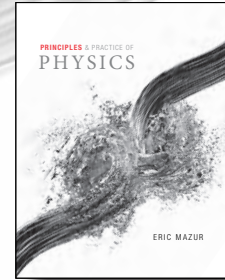
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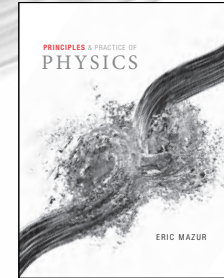
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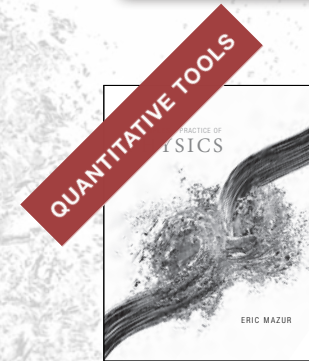
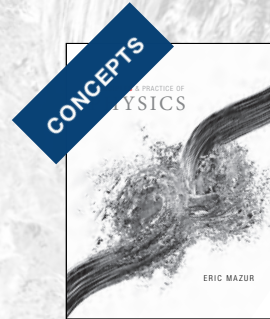
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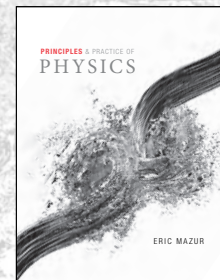
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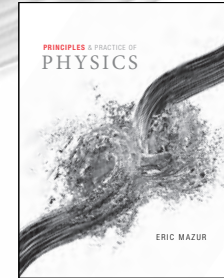
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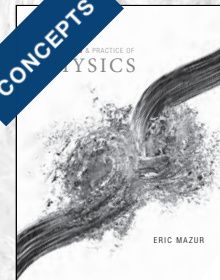
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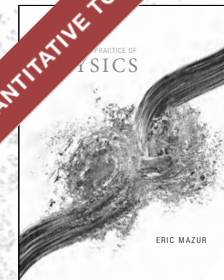


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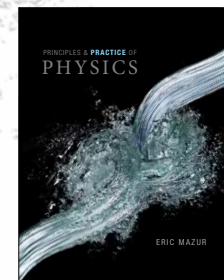
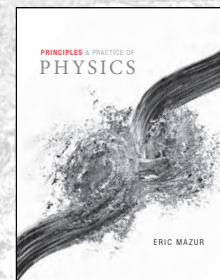
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