

Ch 7 #14

This one's pretty tough: Treat it as a conservation of momentum situation in the sideways direction only. Figure out how much sideways momentum the ship gains, and use this to calculate the mass of gas that must be fired the other way.

Note: Be careful about masses after the gas is fired. Is the ship's mass still 3180kg after it loses mass from firing the gas?

Ch 7 #17

Impulse is equal to change in momentum, but the ball's momentum changes only in the horizontal direction. So only use the x-component of the ball's velocity, and don't forget that positive/negative direction of the velocity matters.

Ch 7 #29

It's got to be done in three parts...

1. Conservation of energy to find pre-collision speeds.
2. Conservation of momentum during the collision.
3. Two different projectile problems after they are launched from the table.

Ch 7 #32

It's a lot like the example we did in class, but it didn't ask for the angle of displacement, but instead asks for the vertical and horizontal components of the displacement.

After p-conservation, the vertical component of displacement (height) can be found with conservation of energy. The horizontal component must be found after you calculate the angle.

Ch 7 #66

Skip this one.

Ch 7 #71

It needs to be done in two parts, worked backwards chronologically. Use E-conservation (with W_{fric}) to find the speed after the collision. Then work backwards with p-conservation to find the bullet's speed before the collision.

Ch 7 #79

Part A has two steps, with E-conservation followed by p-conservation (plus elastic ideas). Part B is simply an E-conservation problem, but the answer isn't the height. It's the distance *along the incline*.