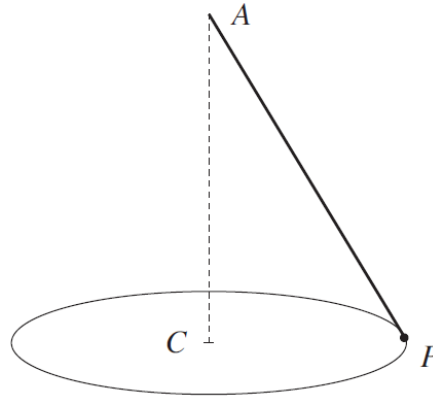


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**Mudiant mewn cylch llorweddol (Motion in a horizontal circle)**

(Haf 2006)

7. The diagram shows a small body  $P$ , of mass 3 kg, attached by means of a light inextensible string, of length 1.3 m, to a fixed point  $A$ . The point  $C$  is vertically below  $A$ , and  $P$  describes a horizontal circle, with centre  $C$  and radius 0.5 m, with a uniform angular speed of  $\omega$  radians per second about  $C$ .



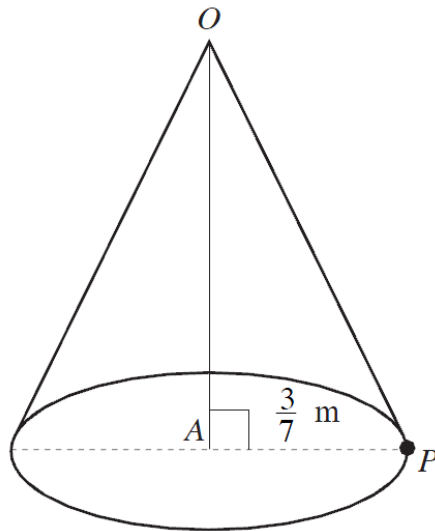
- (a) Find the tension in the string. [3]  
(b) Calculate, correct to two decimal places, the value of  $\omega$ . [4]

(Haf 2007)

6. A particle of mass 0.8 kg is attached to one end of a light inextensible string of length 0.4 m. The other end of the string is fixed to a point  $O$  of a smooth horizontal surface. The particle moves on the surface with constant speed  $3 \text{ ms}^{-1}$  in a horizontal circle with centre  $O$ .
- (a) Find the angular velocity about  $O$  of the particle. [2]  
(b) Calculate the tension in the string. [2]

(Haf 2008)

8. A particle  $P$ , of mass  $4\text{ kg}$ , is tied to one end of a light inextensible string and the other end of the string is fastened to a fixed point  $O$ . The particle  $P$  moves with a uniform speed of  $2\text{ ms}^{-1}$  in a horizontal circle with centre  $A$  and radius  $\frac{3}{7}\text{ m}$ , as shown in the diagram.



- (a) Find the size of  $\widehat{AOP}$ . [6]
- (b) Calculate the tension in the string. [1]
- (c) Determine the length of the string. [1]

(Haf 2009)

7. A car, of mass  $1000\text{ kg}$ , is travelling in a horizontal circle of radius  $250\text{ m}$  on a track which is banked at an angle  $\alpha$  to the horizontal. When the car is travelling at  $28\text{ ms}^{-1}$ , it has no tendency to slip sideways. Calculate the value of  $\alpha$ . [7]

(Haf 2010)

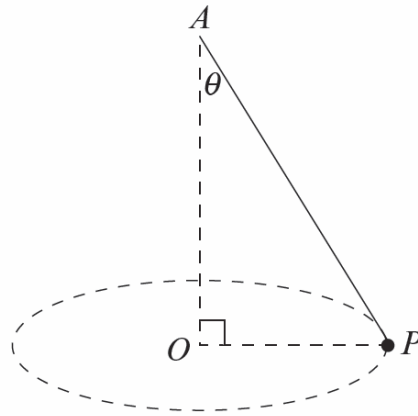
6. An athlete is cycling at a constant speed  $v\text{ ms}^{-1}$  in a horizontal circle, of radius  $40\text{ m}$ , on a track that is banked at an angle of  $30^\circ$  to the horizontal. The combined mass of the bicycle and the athlete is  $60\text{ kg}$  and the coefficient of friction between the bicycle tyres and the track is  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Find, correct to three significant figures, the greatest possible value of  $v$ . [7]

(Haf 2011)

2. A particle of mass  $0.5\text{ kg}$  is attached to one end of a light inextensible string of length  $0.6\text{ m}$ . The other end of the string is fixed at a point  $O$  on a smooth horizontal surface. The particle moves on the surface in a circle with centre  $O$ , so that the string is taut and the angular velocity of the particle about  $O$  is  $5$  radians per second.
- (a) Calculate the speed of the particle. [2]
- (b) Find the tension in the string. [2]

(Haf 2012)

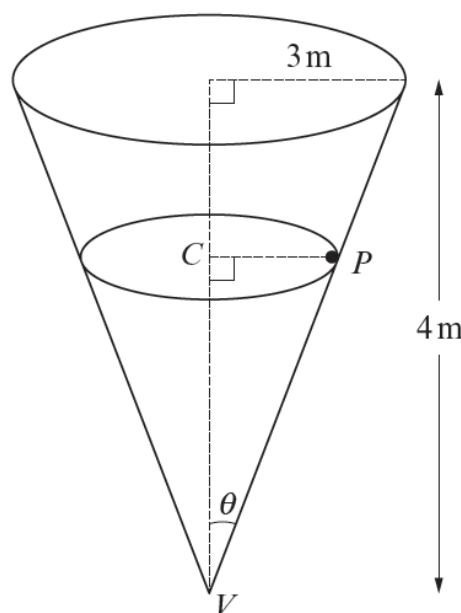
7. One end of a light inextensible string is attached to a fixed point  $A$ . The other end is attached to a particle  $P$  of mass 3 kg. The point  $O$  is vertically below  $A$  and  $P$  moves in a horizontal circle of centre  $O$  with a uniform angular speed of 2.8 radians per second. The tension in the string is 88.2 N and  $\widehat{OAP}$  is  $\theta$ .



- (a) Find the value of  $\theta$ . [3]
- (b) Calculate the length of the string. [5]

(Haf 2013)

4. The diagram shows a hollow cone, of base radius 3 m and height 4 m, which is fixed with its axis vertical and vertex  $V$  downwards. A particle  $P$ , of mass  $M$  kg, moves in the horizontal circle with centre  $C$  on the smooth inner surface of the cone with constant speed  $\sqrt{\frac{8g}{3}}$  ms<sup>-1</sup>, where  $g$  ms<sup>-2</sup> is the acceleration due to gravity.



- (a) Show that the normal reaction of the surface of the cone on the particle is  $\frac{5Mg}{3}$  N. [4]
- (b) Calculate the length of  $CP$  and hence determine the height of  $C$  above  $V$ . [5]

(Haf 2015)

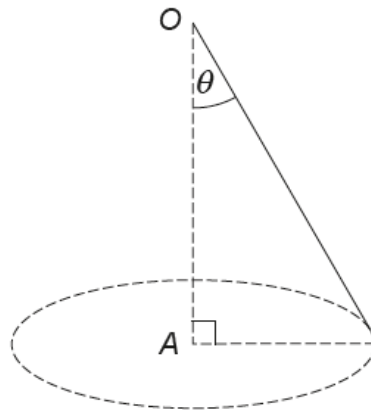
7. A car of mass 1200 kg is moving in a horizontal circle of radius 80m on a road banked at an angle of  $12^\circ$  to the horizontal. When the car is moving with a constant speed of  $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$ , there is no tendency to sideslip. Calculate the normal reaction of the road on the car and find the value of  $v$ . [5]

(Haf 2016)

8. A rough circular plate rotates horizontally about a smooth fixed vertical axis through its centre  $O$ . A point  $A$  on the plate moves with constant speed  $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$ , where  $OA$  is 1.6 m. A particle of mass  $m \text{ kg}$  lies on the point  $A$  on the plate. The coefficient of friction between the particle and the plate is 0.72. Given that the particle remains at the point  $A$ , find the greatest possible value of  $v$ . Hence write down the greatest possible value of the angular velocity of the particle. State clearly your units for the angular velocity. [7]

(Haf 2017)

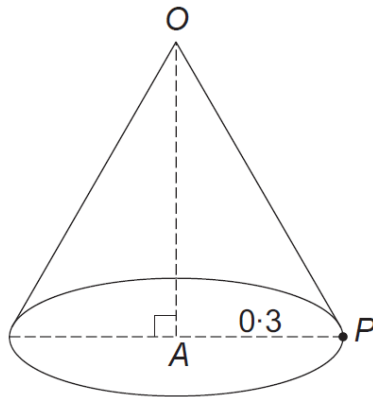
7. A particle of mass 2 kg is suspended from a fixed point  $O$  by means of an elastic string of natural length 3 m and modulus of elasticity  $\lambda \text{ N}$ . The particle describes a horizontal circle with constant angular speed  $\omega \text{ rad s}^{-1}$ , with the string being of constant length  $l \text{ m}$ , where  $l > 3$ . The centre of the circle  $A$  is vertically below  $O$  and the angle between the string and the downward vertical is  $\theta$ .



- (a) Show that  $\cos\theta = \frac{g}{l\omega^2}$ . [6]
- (b) Given that the tension in the string is  $20g \text{ N}$  and  $\omega^2 = 3g$ ,
- (i) find the value of  $\cos\theta$ ,
  - (ii) show that  $l = \frac{10}{3}$ ,
  - (iii) calculate the value of  $\lambda$ ,
  - (iv) find the elastic energy in the string. [8]

(Haf 2018)

4. A rough circular plate rotates horizontally, with constant angular velocity  $\omega \text{ rad s}^{-1}$ , about a fixed smooth vertical axis through its centre. An object of mass  $m \text{ kg}$  lies on the plate at a distance  $0.25 \text{ m}$  from the axis and is connected to the axis by a light horizontal spring of natural length  $0.2 \text{ m}$  and modulus  $3mg \text{ N}$ . The coefficient of friction between the object and the plate is  $0.4$ . Find the greatest and the least value of  $\omega$  if the object is to remain at rest on the plate. [10]
7. A particle  $P$ , of mass  $3 \text{ kg}$ , is attached to one end of a light inextensible string. The other end of the string is attached to a fixed point  $O$ . The particle  $P$  moves with a uniform angular velocity of  $4 \text{ rad s}^{-1}$  in a horizontal circular path with centre  $A$  and radius  $0.3 \text{ m}$ , as shown in the diagram.



- (a) Find,
- (i) the angle  $AOP$ ,
  - (ii) the tension in the string. [7]
- (b) Determine the length of the string. [1]

(Haf 2019)

5. A car, of mass  $1200 \text{ kg}$ , is travelling in a horizontal circle of radius  $180 \text{ m}$  on a track which is banked at an angle  $\alpha$  to the horizontal. When the car is travelling at  $24 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ , it has no tendency to slip sideways. Calculate the value of  $\alpha$ . [7]