



Aviation Department First Grade- Spring Semester

Statics- General Principles (Lecture 1)

Lecture content:

- What is Engineering Mechanics?
- Fundamental Concepts
- Units of Measurement
- The International System of Units

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of this lecture, you will be able to:

- Introduce the concept of engineering mechanics and general applications.
- Analyze the classification of engineering mechanics.
- Evaluate a statement of Newton's Laws of Motion and Gravitation.
- Solve related problems.

K-W-L Chart

Topic \ Statics and Dynamics What I Learned What I Know What I Want to Know

What Engineering Mechanics?



Elementary mechanics is sometimes partitioned into three courses named 'statics', 'dynamics', and "strength of materials". These subjects all use, but vary in how much they emphasize, material properties, geometry, and Newton's laws.

- **Statics** is mechanics with the idealization that the acceleration of mass is negligible in Newton's laws.
- **Dynamics** concerns the non-negligible acceleration of mass.
- Strength of materials expands statics to include material properties and pays more attention to distributed forces (e.g., 'traction' and 'stress').

Engineering Mechanics

Mechanics is a branch of the physical sciences that is concerned with the state of rest or motion of bodies that are subjected to the action of forces.

Statics

Is deal with the accelerated motion of a body

Is concerned with the equilibrium of bodies that is either at rest or moves with constant velocity (no accelerated motion) under the action of force.

Kinematics

Study of motion without paying attention to the forces causing it.

Or in other words

- Study of the geometry of motion.
- Relates displacement, velocity, acceleration, and time without reference to the cause of motion.
- Study of the relations existing between the forces acting on a body, the mass of the body, and the motion of the body.

Dynamics

Kinetics

• Kinetics is used to predict the motion caused by given forces or to determine the forces required to produce a given motion.

STATICS EQUILIBRIUM

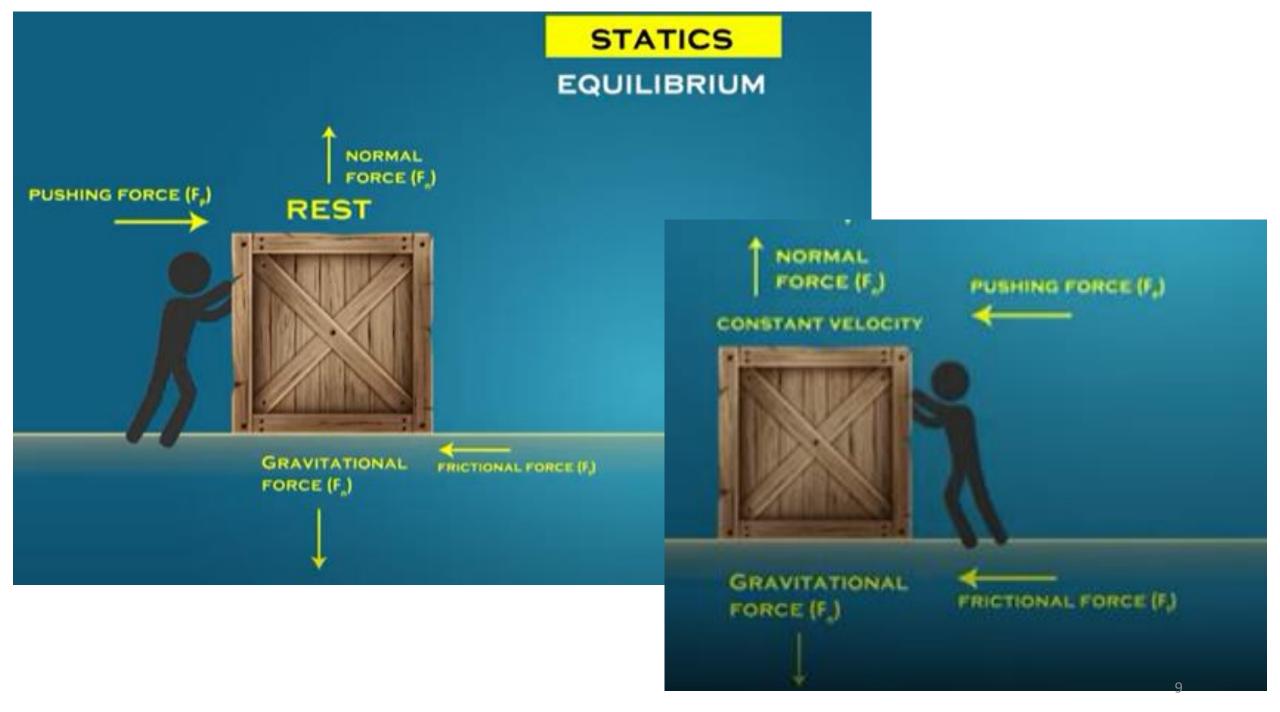
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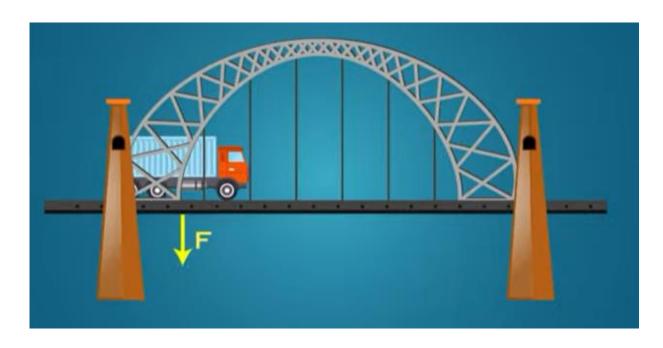


Statics deals with the bodies in equilibrium, that is body at rest and body moving with constant velocity

CONSTANT VELOCITY



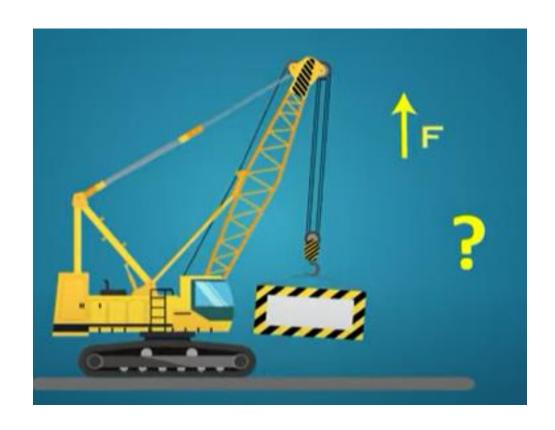




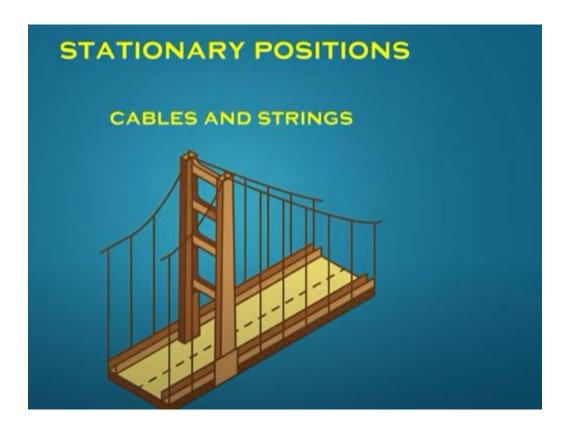
To determine how much force a bridge can withstand,



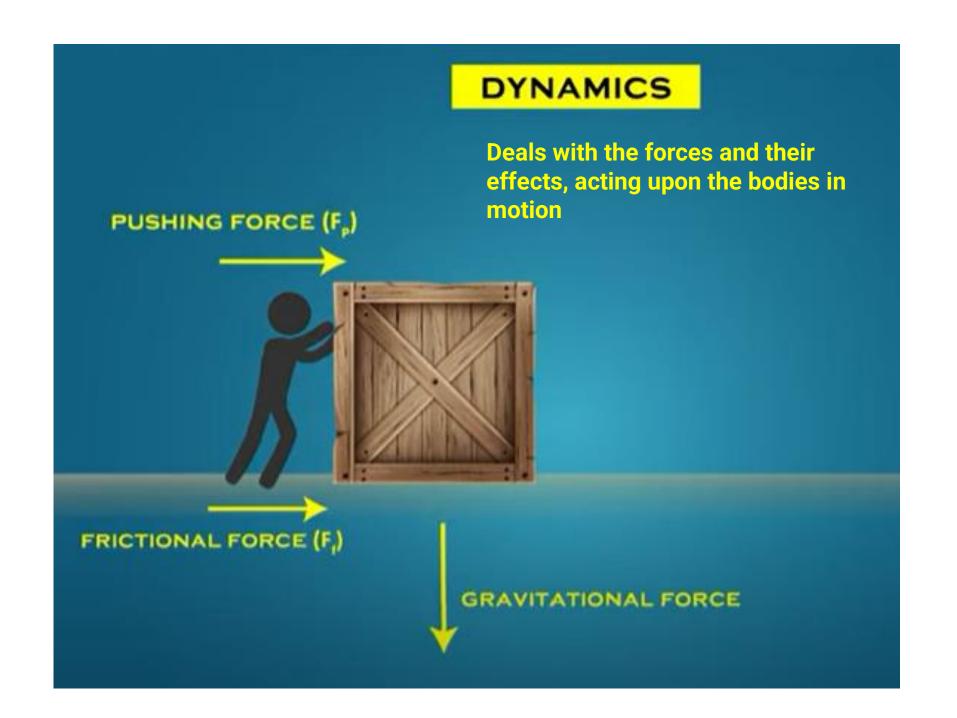
To calculate a force a dam needs to withstand from the water.



To calculate how much weight a crane can lift.



Cables and strings in stationary positions in mechanical systems also come under the statics.



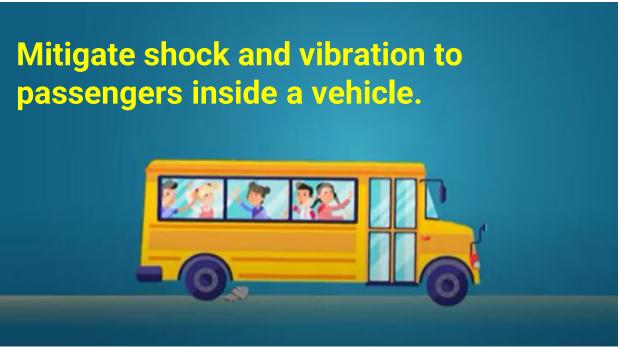


Moves in a parabolic path under the influence of person's force and gravitational force

Analyze the flight characteristics of a jet,

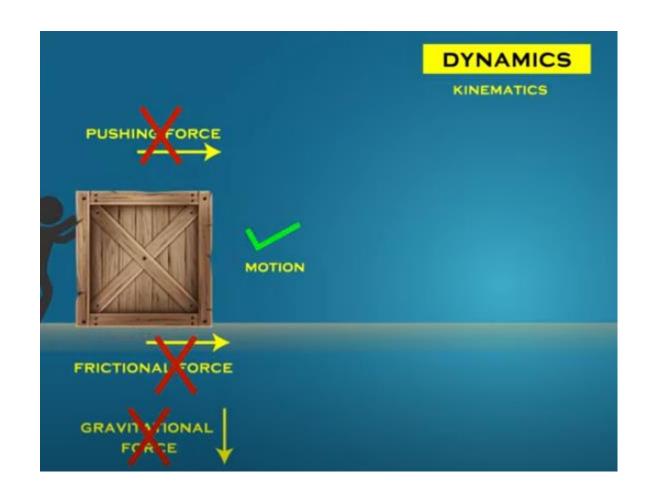


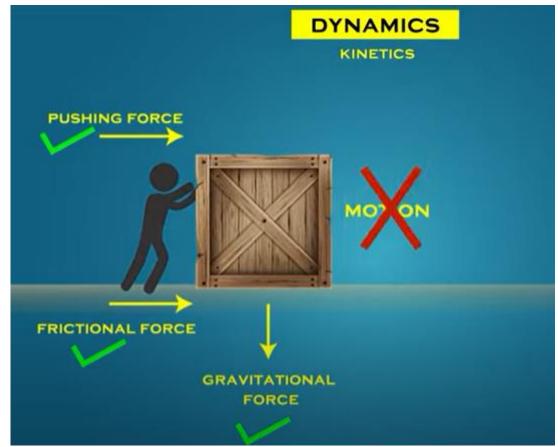




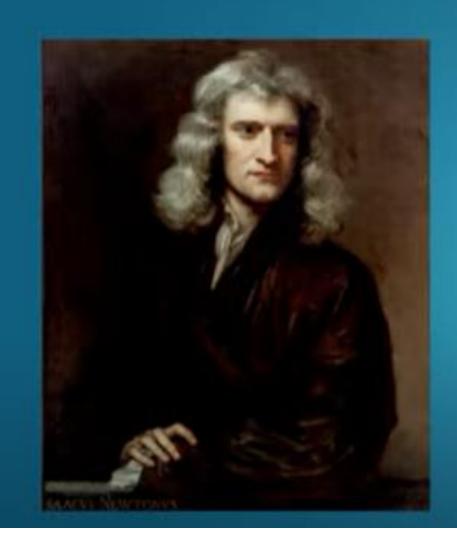
To calculate with how much force we need to send a satellite into orbit





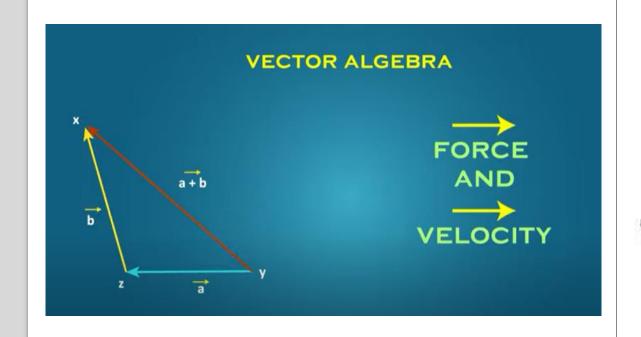


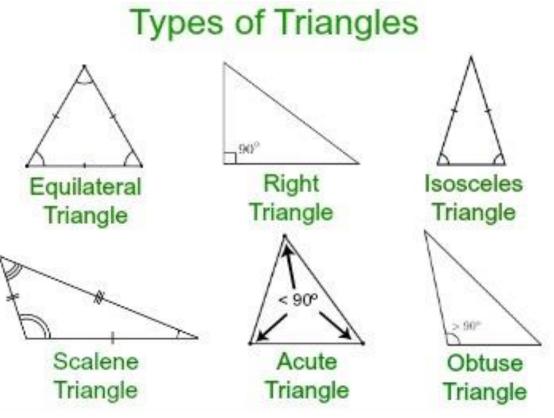
NEWTON'S LAWS OF MOTION



$$\sum_{v} F = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} = 0$$

$$F_A = -F_B$$



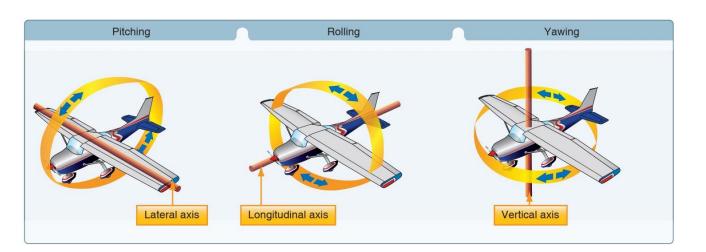


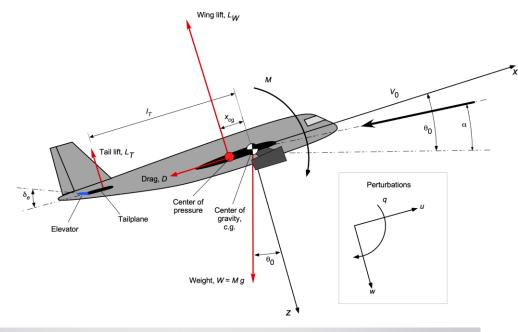
Applications To Mechanics:

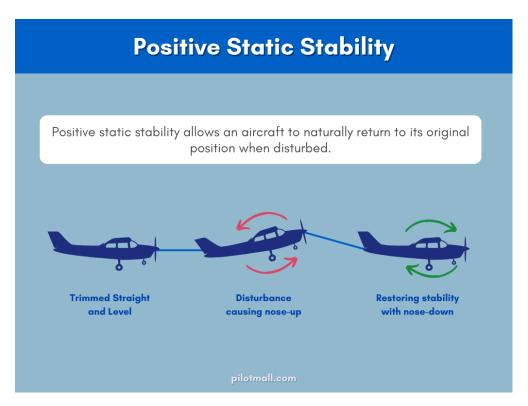
- 1. Analysis and design of moving structures.
- 2. Fixed structures subject to shock loads
- 3. Robotic devices.
- 4. Machining of turbines and pumps.
- 5. Automatic control system
- 6. Rockets.
- 7. Missiles and spacecraft.
- 8. Ground and air transportation vehicles. And others.

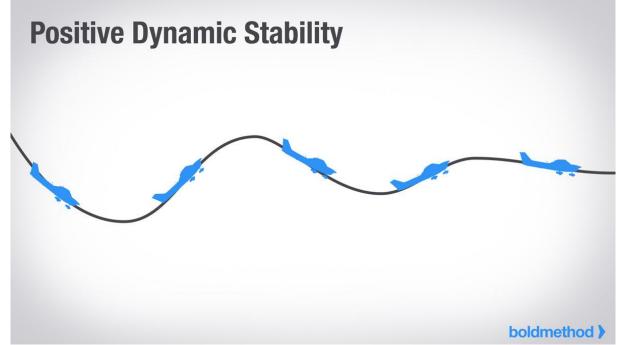










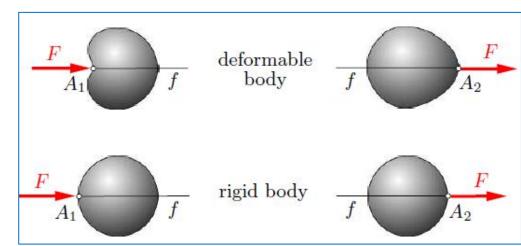


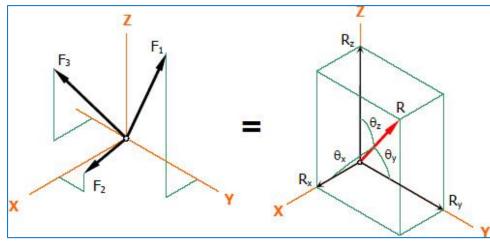
Basic Concept of Mechanics:

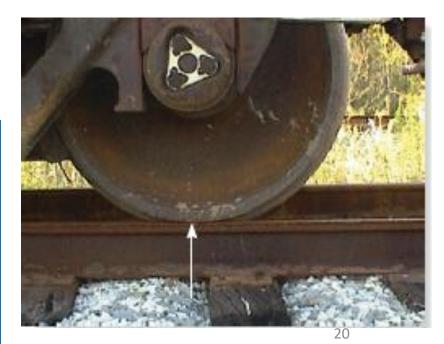
- **Space:** is a geometric region occupied by bodies whose positions are describes by linear and angular measurement relative to a coordinate system two or three dimensions
- Time: is a basic quantity in dynamics.
- •Mass: is a quantity of matter in a body (statics) measure of the inertia of a body, which its resistance to a change of velocity (dynamics).



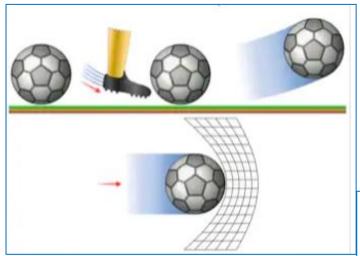
- Particle: is a body of negligible dimensions.
- •Rigid body:
- •Deformable body:

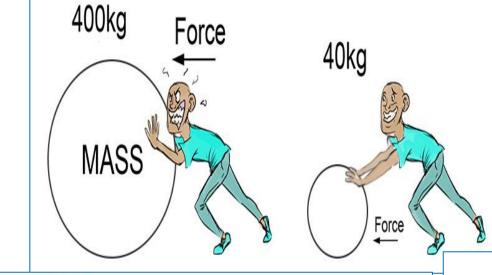


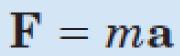


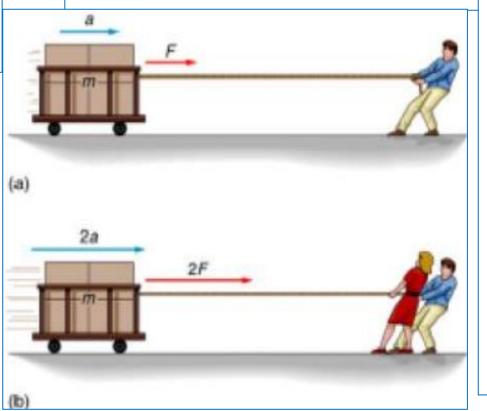


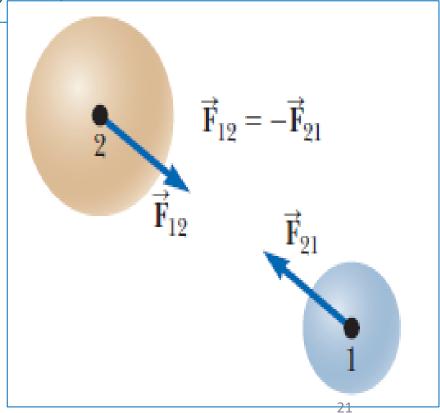
Newton's laws:











Units of Measurements:

	DIMENSIONAL	SI UNITS		U.S. CUSTOMARY UNITS	
QUANTITY	DIMENSIONAL SYMBOL	UNIT	SYMBOL	UNIT	SYMBOL
Mass	М	[kilogram	kg	slug	_
Length	${f L}$	Base { meter*	m	Base foot	ft
Time	T	units second	s	units { second	sec
Force	F	newton	N	pound	lb

SI UNITS

 $(1 \text{ N}) = (1 \text{ kg})(1 \text{ m/s}^2)$ $N = \text{kg} \cdot \text{m/s}^2$

U.S. CUSTOMARY UNITS

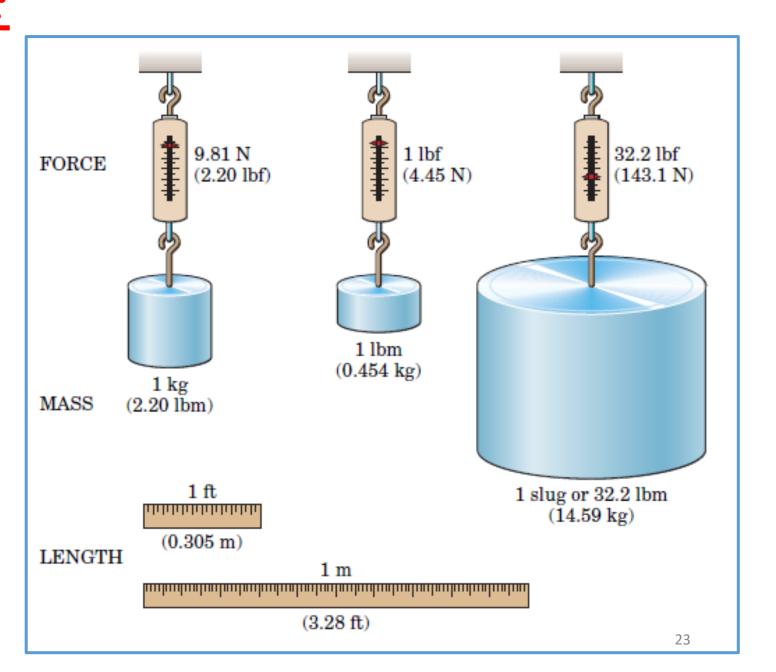
$$(1 \text{ lb}) = (1 \text{ slug})(1 \text{ ft/sec}^2)$$

 $\text{slug} = \text{lb} \cdot \text{sec}^2/\text{ft}$

• Units Conversion:

SI units $g = 9.806 65 \text{ m/s}^2$

U.S. units $g = 32.1740 \text{ ft/sec}^2$



• Prefixes:

	Exponential Form	Prefix	SI Symbol
Multiple			
1 000 000 000	10^{9}	giga	G
1 000 000	10^{6}	mega	M
1 000	10^{3}	kilo	k
Submultiple			
0.001	10-3	milli	m
0.000 001	10-6	micro	μ
0.000 000 001	10-9	nano	n

Example 1//

What is the weight in both **newton** and **pounds** for 1500 kg beam?

$$W = mg = (1500 \, kg) \times 9.81 \, \frac{m}{s^2} = 14,720 \, N$$

$$m = (1500) \left(\frac{1 \, slug}{14.594 \, kg} \right) = 102.8 \, slugs$$

$$W = mg = (102.8 \, slugs)(32.2 \, \frac{ft}{sec^2})$$

$$= 3310 \, Ib$$

Example 2// Convert 2 km/h to m/s, How many ft/s is this?

SOLUTION

Since 1 km = 1000 m and 1 h = 3600 s, the factors of conversion are arranged in the following order, so that a cancellation of the units can be applied:

$$2 \text{ km/h} = \frac{2 \text{ km}}{\text{lf}} \left(\frac{1000 \text{ m}}{\text{km}} \right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ lf}}{3600 \text{ s}} \right)$$
$$= \frac{2000 \text{ m}}{3600 \text{ s}} = 0.556 \text{ m/s}$$
Ans.

We know that; 1 ft = 0.3048 m. Thus,

$$0.556 \text{ m/s} = \left(\frac{0.556 \text{ m}}{\text{s}}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ ft}}{0.3048 \text{ m}}\right)$$
$$= 1.82 \text{ ft/s}$$

Ans.

Next Lecture:

- Scalars and Vectors
- Vector Operations
- Vector Addition of Forces
- Addition of a System of Coplanar
- Forces

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The end of the lecture Enjoy your time