PHYS 101

Homework # 10 DUE DATE: December 08, 2009

Please do not submit copycat answers from the solutions book or some other solution you have in hand. You should at least show your understanding of the problem. Otherwise, this will be considered as cheating.

1) An artificial satellite travels in an elliptical orbit around the earth, at a large distance from it. When the satellite is at its closest distance R_0 from the center of the earth, the velocity of the satellite is observed to have a magnitude v_0 , and a direction perpendicular to the line of sight from the earth to the satellite. A) What is the speed of the satellite when it is at a distance $3R_0$ from the center of the earth? Express your answer in terms of v_0 , R_0 , and the radius Re of the earth, and the magnitude g of the gravitational acceleration at the surface of the earth. B) At the instant when the satellite is at this distance $3 R_0$, from the earth to the satellite? Express your answer in terms of the satellite's speed v at this instant and its speed v_0 when it was closest to the earth. Hint: Total angular momentum and total energy should be conserved.

2) Problem 10-61 in the text. Chapter 10.

3) Problem 10-83 in the text. Chapter 10.

4) Discussion Question Q10.26 in the text. Chapter 10.

5) Discussion Question Q10.19 in the text. Chapter 10.

6) A bowler throws a bowling ball of radius R along a lane. The ball slides on the lane, with initial speed v_0 , and an initial zero angular velocity. The kinetic friction force f (f= μ_k N) acting on the ball causes a linear acceleration of the ball while producing a torque that causes an angular acceleration of the ball. When rolling without slipping condition is achieved, the ball rolls smoothly. I=2MR²/5. Known: v_0 , μ_k , g.

- a) How long does the ball slide? (find time)
- b) What is the final speed of the ball?
- c) How far does the ball slide? (find distance)