PHYSICS 2204 UNIT 2:DYNAMICS STUDY GUIDE 2



Momentum	is defined as the product of an object's mass and velocity.
	$\overrightarrow{P} = \overrightarrow{m v}$
	p= momentum (kg •m/s) m= mass (kg) v= velocity (m/s)
	vector quantity, therefore you need magnitude and direction
Impulse	is defined as the product of the unbalanced or net force and the time that the force is acting.
	$\vec{J} = \vec{F} \bullet t$
	$J = Impulse (N \cdot s)$ F = Force (N) t= time
	Unit is N s
	- It is a vector quantity
	- The area under a force versus time graph represents impulse.
	It turns out that having a net force is not enough to cause a change in the motion of an object. A net force must actually be present for some instant of time. A huge force acting for zero seconds accomplishes nothing. In fact, a small force acting for a long time can be as effective as a huge force acting for a short time.
Impulse Momentum Theorem	The Impulse Momentum Theorem states that the impulse applied by the net force on a system is equal to the change in momentum on the system. This theorem can be written numerous ways
	$\overrightarrow{J} = \Delta \overrightarrow{p}$
	$\vec{F} \bullet t = \vec{p}_2 - \vec{p}_1$
	$\vec{F} \bullet t = \vec{m v_2} - \vec{m v_1}$
	$\vec{F} \bullet t = m \left(\vec{v_2} - \vec{v_1} \right)$
	Note that a N \bullet s = Kg \bullet m/s

