

- (p) (1 pt.) Coulomb's friction law is **exact/highly accurate/approximate/wrong**.
- (q) (1 pt.) The range for μ_s , the coefficient of static friction, is $0 \leq \mu_s \leq 1$. **True/False**.
- (r) (1 pt.) Electromagnetic repulsion of two protons is **much weaker/weaker/stronger/much stronger** than their gravitational attraction.
- (s) (2 pts.) The first measurement of the "universal gravitational constant" G in 1798 by Cavendish and recent (year 2000+) experiments of G are estimated to be accurate to approximately:

Experiments in 1798	10%	1%	0.001%	$10^{-7}\%$	infinite
Experiments in 2000+	10%	1%	0.001%	$10^{-7}\%$	Infinite

- (t) (2 pts.) What **two** questions does statics answer?
- Where is it? (i.e., what is the configuration of system components).
 - What are the forces on it?
- (u) (3 pts.) What are the **two** steps in a free-body diagram?
- Identify your system.
 - Identify the external contact and distance forces on the system.
- (v) (2 pts.) What are the **two** vector equations used for **static equilibrium** of a system S ?
- $\mathbf{F}^S = \mathbf{0}$
 - $\mathbf{M}^{S/O} = \mathbf{0}$ where O is **any** point
- (w) (8 pts.) **Replacement of contact forces on a baseball bat.**

The figure to the right shows a forearm and hand modeled as a single rigid body A that uses a complex set of muscles, bones, ligaments, and tendons to grip a baseball bat B in such a way that a point Q of B cannot translate relative to a point P of A and B is only free to rotate relative to A about B 's long axis.

Note: Point Q is on the butt-end of the bat and is on B 's symmetry axis.

Note: Point P is the point of A coincident with Q .

- Draw and label contact and distance forces on B (think three-dimensional)
- Fully describe** your **contact** force and/or torque measures on B .
- To facilitate your analysis, introduce helpful unit vectors.



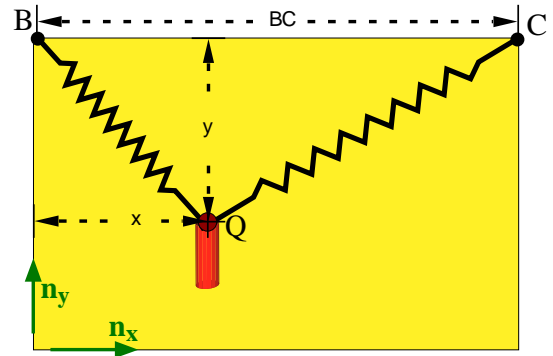
Complete description of force/torque measures (think 3D)	Scalar symbol
\mathbf{b}_x measure of force on B from A at Q	F_x
\mathbf{b}_y measure of force on B from A at Q	F_y
\mathbf{b}_z measure of force on B from A at Q	F_z
\mathbf{b}_x measure of torque on B from A	t_x
\mathbf{b}_y measure of torque on B from A	T_y

2. (19 pts.) **Design and statics of hanging a picture.**

A heavy picture Q is attached to pegs B and C by two light flexible cables. Ed, the construction contractor, has cut two cables and wants to know where the picture will be with these two cables.

In addition to a horizontally right unit vector \mathbf{n}_x and a vertically upward unit vector \mathbf{n}_y , the following table of systems facilitate this analysis.

Description	Symbol
Local gravitational constant	g
Mass of Q	m
Distance from B to C	BC
Natural length of cable \overline{BQ}	L_n^B
Natural length of cable \overline{CQ}	L_n^C
Material constant associated with springs	κ
\mathbf{n}_x measure of the position vector of Q from B	x
Vertical distance from B to Q	y



- (a) (3 pts.) Find the distance between B and Q and the distance between C and Q .

Result:

$$d_B = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \quad d_C = \sqrt{(BC - x)^2 + y^2}$$

- (b) (8 pts.) Express $\mathbf{F}^{Q/B}$ and $\mathbf{F}^{Q/C}$, (the contact forces on Q from the springs connecting Q to B and to C) and $\mathbf{F}^{Q/gravity}$ (the distance force on Q from gravity) in terms of symbols in the table, d_B , d_C , the spring constant k_B of the linear spring connecting Q to B , the spring constant k_C of the linear spring connecting Q to C , and \mathbf{n}_x and \mathbf{n}_y .

Result:

$$\vec{\mathbf{F}}^{Q/B} = -k_B \left(1 - \frac{L_n^B}{d_B}\right) (x\mathbf{n}_x - y\mathbf{n}_y)$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{F}}^{Q/C} = -k_C \left(1 - \frac{L_n^C}{d_C}\right) [(x - BC)\mathbf{n}_x - y\mathbf{n}_y]$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{F}}^{Q/gravity} = -mg\mathbf{n}_y$$

- (c) (5 pts.) Using free-body diagrams, form equations that govern **static equilibrium** of Q in N in terms of symbols in the table and κ .

Note: The spring constants k_B and k_C depend on the constant κ as $k_B = \frac{\kappa}{L_n^B}$ and $k_C = \frac{\kappa}{L_n^C}$.

Result:

$$\kappa \frac{BC-x}{L_n^B} + \kappa \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} - \kappa \frac{x}{L_n^C} - \kappa \frac{e-x}{\sqrt{(BC-x)^2+y^2}} = 0$$

$$mg + \kappa \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} + \kappa \frac{y}{\sqrt{(BC-x)^2+y^2}} - \kappa \frac{y}{L_n^A} - \kappa \frac{y}{L_n^B} = 0$$

- (d) (2 pts.) With known values of symbols in the table, the equations governing the **static equilibrium** values of x and y simplify to (you do not need to show this)

$$1.6 - 0.16667x + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} - \frac{15-x}{\sqrt{(15-x)^2+y^2}} = 0$$

$$981 - 55051y + 330304 \frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} + 330304 \frac{y}{\sqrt{(15-x)^2+y^2}} = 0$$

With a pencil, paper, and a simple calculator, find numerical values for x and y that satisfy both equations. Alternately, describe how you would solve these equations.

Solve with a computer and an algorithm for nonlinear algebraic equations (e.g., Newton-Rhapson).

- (e) (1 pt.) Sketch two or more configurations that may satisfy the previous set of equations.