

5-minute Quiz #11

1. A race car with mass 500.0 kg enters a circular turn at 360.0 km/h in the counterclockwise direction about the origin of the circle. The radius of curvature of the turn is 100.0 m. Compute the angular momentum of the car. [5 points]

2. A disk of mass 2.0 kg and radius 50 cm with a small mass of 0.1 kg attached at the edge is rotating at 2.0 rev/s. The small mass suddenly separates from the disk. What is the disk's final rotation rate in rev/s? [5 points] NOTE: The moment of inertia of a disk of radius R and mass M about its axis is $I = MR^2/2$. The moment of inertia of a mass M at a distance R from the origin is MR^2 .

Key Equations

Velocity of center of mass of rolling object	$v_{\text{CM}} = R\omega$
Acceleration of center of mass of rolling object	$a_{\text{CM}} = R\alpha$
Displacement of center of mass of rolling object	$d_{\text{CM}} = R\theta$
Acceleration of an object rolling without slipping	$a_{\text{CM}} = \frac{mg \sin \theta}{m + (I_{\text{CM}}/r^2)}$
Angular momentum	$\vec{L} = \vec{r} \times \vec{p}$
Derivative of angular momentum equals torque	$\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = \sum \vec{\tau}$
Angular momentum of a system of particles	$\vec{L} = \vec{L}_1 + \vec{L}_2 + \cdots + \vec{L}_N$
For a system of particles, derivative of angular momentum equals torque	$\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = \sum \vec{\tau}$
Angular momentum of a rotating rigid body	$L = I\omega$
Conservation of angular momentum	$\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = 0$
Conservation of angular momentum	$\vec{L} = \vec{L}_1 + \vec{L}_2 + \cdots + \vec{L}_N = \text{constant}$