

## Friction

- 1) A 0.50 kg book is pushed across a table from rest. If the book does not move until more than 3.25 N of force is applied, what is the coefficient of static friction?
- 2) The coefficient of static friction between a 5.0 kg cardboard box and a tiled floor is 0.30. The coefficient of kinetic friction between the same two surfaces is 0.23.
  - a) How much force is required to move the box from rest?
  - b) How much force is required to move the box at a constant velocity?
- 3) A 150 kg refrigerator is pushed at a constant velocity across a floor. If the coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.55, determine the applied force.
- 4) A 80.0 kg table is pushed across the floor with a force of 500 N. If the coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.40, what is the acceleration of the table?
- 5) Matthew wants to push a 12.0 kg chair to his desk. The coefficient of kinetic friction is 0.45.
  - a) If Matthew pushes the chair with a force of 120 N, determine the acceleration of the chair.
- 6) As Matthew continues to push the chair with a 120 N force, his classmate Luke applies a 45 N force in the opposite direction. What is the acceleration of the chair now?
- 7) A car is moving at speed of 80 km/h. If the coefficient of kinetic friction between the tires and the road is 0.80, determine how long the car takes to stop when it slams on the brakes.
- 8) Sophia is sliding a plastic traffic cone across the ice. She pulls horizontally with a force of 15 N. If the cone experiences a coefficient of kinetic friction of 0.18 and accelerates at  $1.2 \text{ m/s}^2$ , determine the **mass of the cone**.
- 9) Matthew pushes his 12.0 kg chair with a horizontal force of 120 N. The coefficient of kinetic friction between the chair and the floor is 0.45. At the same time, his classmate Luke pushes **straight downward** on the chair with a force of 45 N. Determine the **acceleration of the chair**.
- 10) An NHL hockey puck with a mass of 0.16 kg is shot along the ice from one side of the rink to the other, a distance of 60 m. It begins at a speed of 15 m/s and reaches the far side 4.5 s later. Assuming the only horizontal force is friction, determine the **coefficient of kinetic friction** between the puck and the ice.