

Question #37224

Suppose you roll a disk up a slope with an initial velocity  $v=17\text{m/s}$  at a 33 degree angle. When will it come to rest?

Answer

According to the equations of moving with the constant acceleration

$$v = v_0 - at \text{ such as the final velocity is equal to zero } v_0 = at, t = \frac{v_0}{a}$$

Where  $a$  is the acceleration

According to the second Newton's law

$$a = \frac{F}{m} \text{ where } F \text{ is the vertical component of gravitational force (weight) } m \text{ is the mass}$$

$$F = mgsin\alpha \text{ where } \alpha \text{ is the angle of the slope}$$

$$a = gsin\alpha$$

$$t = \frac{v_0}{gsin\alpha}$$

$$S = \frac{17}{9.8sin33^\circ} = 3.2 \text{ sec}$$

**Answer: after 3.2 sec.**