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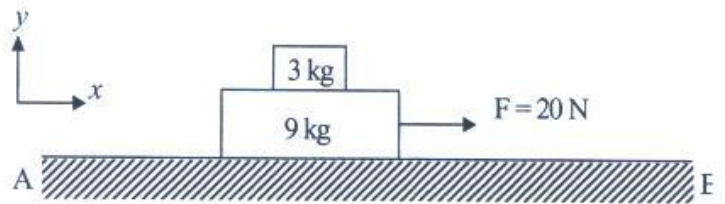
1- A 3.0 kg block is placed on top of a 9.0 kg block as shown in the figure. A horizontal force  $F = 20 \text{ i N}$  is applied to the 9.0 kg block, which slides on the frictionless surface AB. Assuming that the 3.0 kg block does not slip, find the **frictional force** exerted by the 9.0 kg block on the 3.0 kg block. (Find magnitude & direction).

for the system of two blocks

$$F_{\text{net}} = ma$$

$$F = (3+9)a$$

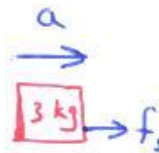
$$a = \frac{20}{12} = \frac{5}{3} \text{ m/s}^2.$$



Then, focus on top block

$$\vec{f}_s = ma = 3 \left( \frac{5}{3} \right) = 5 \text{ N } (\hat{i})$$

directed to the right.



2- A roller-coaster car has a mass of 1200 kg when fully loaded. As the car passes over the top of a circular hill of radius 18 m, its speed is constant and equal to 11 m/s. What are the magnitude and direction of the **force** exerted by the track on the car?

apply Newton's 2<sup>nd</sup> law along the vertical axis.

$$F_{\text{net}} = ma$$

$$N - mg = -m \frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$N = m \left( g - \frac{v^2}{r} \right) = 1200 \left( 9.8 - \frac{11^2}{18} \right) = \boxed{3693 \text{ N}}$$

