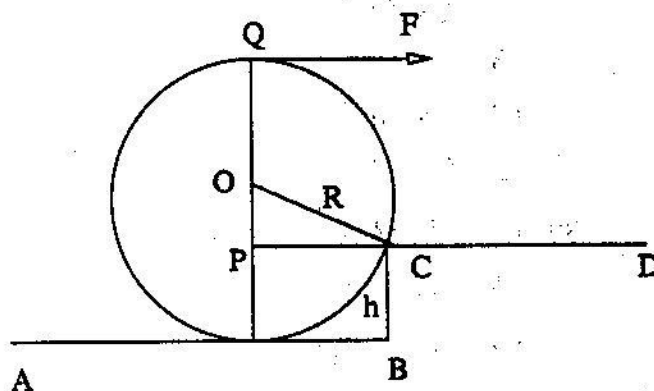


Section B

26. A sphere of radius R and weight W rests on a horizontal plane against a step of height h . The minimum horizontal force to be applied on the highest point Q of the sphere so that the sphere can climb up the step is

- (A) $\frac{WR}{h}$
 (B) $W\sqrt{\frac{R}{2R-h}}$
 (C) $W\sqrt{\frac{h}{(2R-h)}}$
 (D) $\frac{WR}{\sqrt{(2R-h)^2 + h^2}}$



27. A cylinder of radius R , length L and density ρ floats upright in a fluid of density ρ_0 . If it is given a small downwards displacement of amplitude x , the time period of resulting (undamped) oscillations is

- (A) $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\rho_0 L}{\rho g}}$
 (B) $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\rho g}{\rho_0 L}}$
 (C) $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\rho L}{\rho_0 g}}$
 (D) $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{\rho_0 g}{\rho L}}$

28. An aircraft executes a horizontal loop of radius 1 km with a steady speed of 900 km/hr. The ratio of the horizontal acceleration of the aircraft to the acceleration due to gravity is approximately

- (A) 0.
 (B) 5.
 (C) 6.
 (D) 7.