

# ROCKET



ROCKET ACCELERATES UPWARDS w/ AN ACCELERATION OF  $3g$ . WHAT IS  $F_{THRUSTER}$ ?

$$\Sigma F = ma$$

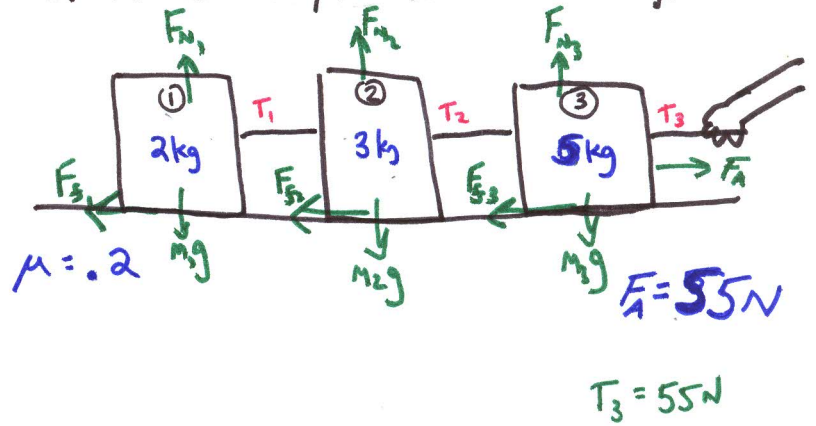
$$F_{TH} - mg = ma$$

$$F_{TH} - mg = m(3g)$$

$$F_{TH} = 4mg$$

# BOX TRAIN

→ TREAT THEM LIKE AN ATWOOD PROBLEM, WHERE WE MUST FIND ACCELERATION OF SYSTEM BEFORE WE FIND ANYTHING ELSE.



$$\Sigma F = ma \quad F_f = \mu F_N = \mu mg$$

$$F_A - F_{f1} - F_{f2} - F_{f3} = (m_1 + m_2 + m_3)a$$

$$(55N) - (.2)(2)(9.8) - (.2)(3)(9.8) - (.2)(5)(9.8) = (2+3+5)a$$

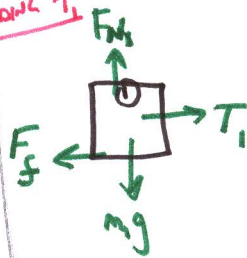
$$55 - 3.92 - 5.88 - 9.8 = (10)a$$

$$\frac{35.4}{10} = \frac{(10)a}{10}$$

$$\underline{\underline{3.54 \frac{m}{s^2} = a}}$$

TO GET TENSION, LOOK AT ONE BOX ONLY

FINDING  $T_1$



$$\Sigma F = ma \quad F_f = \mu F_N = \mu mg$$

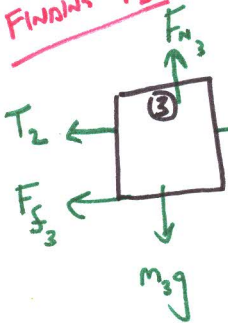
$$T_1 - F_{f1} = ma$$

$$T_1 - (.2)(2)(9.8) = (2)(3.54 \frac{m}{s^2})$$

$$T_1 - 3.92 = 7.08$$

$$\boxed{T_1 = 11N}$$

FINDING  $T_2$



$$\Sigma F = ma \quad F_f = \mu F_N = \mu mg$$

$$T_3 - T_2 - F_{f3} = ma$$

$$55 - T_2 - (.2)(5)(9.8) = 5(3.54)$$

$$55 - T_2 - 9.8 = 17.7$$

$$\boxed{T_2 = 27.5N}$$