

Momentum – 2019 June

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Fig. 2.1 shows a model fire engine. Its brakes are applied.

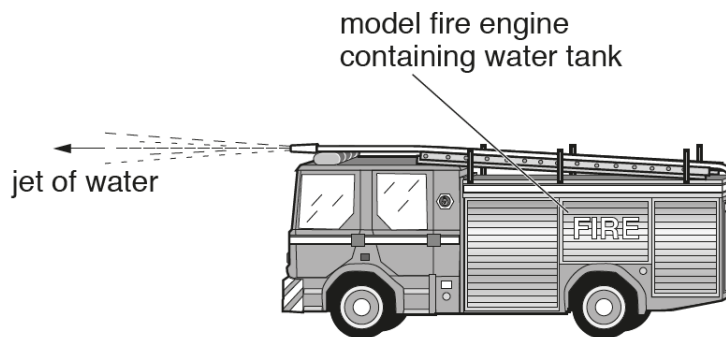


Fig. 2.1

0.80 kg of water is emitted in the jet every 6.0 s at a velocity of 0.72 m/s relative to the model.

(a) Calculate the change in momentum of the water that is ejected in 6.0 s.

momentum = [2]

(b) Calculate the magnitude of the force acting on the model because of the jet of water.

force = [2]

(c) The brakes of the model are released.

State and explain the direction of the acceleration of the model.

Statement

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(d) In (c) the model contains a water tank, which is initially full.

State and explain any change in the magnitude of the initial acceleration if the brakes are first released when the tank is nearly empty.

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