Problem 3: (Torque and Conservation of Angular Momentum) A bowling ball of mass m and radius R is thrown down an alley with an initial velocity v_0 and no initial angular velocity. The moment of inertia of the ball about the center of mass is I=2/5 mR². The coefficient of friction between the ball and the alley is μ .

- a) What is the angular velocity of the ball when the ball just starts to roll without slipping down the alley?
- b) What is the kinetic energy of the ball when the ball just starts to roll without slipping down the alley?
- e) What is the change in kinetic energy?

Problem 4: (Torque and angular acceleration) A pulley of mass m, radius R, and moment of inertia I = 1/2 mR² about the center of mass is hung from a ceiling with a massless string that winds around the rim of the pulley. At time t = 0 the pulley is released from rest.

- (a) Draw the free body diagram on the pulley.
- (b) Write down the equation describing the motion of the center of mass.
- (c) Write down the rotational equation of motion.
- (d) Find the direction and magnitude of the translational acceleration of the pulley.
- (e) How long does it take for the pulley to fall a distance L?
- (f) What is the tension on the string?

Problem 5: (Conservation of angular momentum) A long stick of length L and mass m lies motionless on a frictionless surface. A putty of the same mass m moves without friction on the floor with a speed of v₀ toward the stick, hits one of the ends of the stick perpendicularly and is stuck to the end.

- (a) How far from the midpoint of the stick is the center of mass of the stick plus the putty at the time of the collision?
- (b) What is the momentum of the stick plus putty after the collision?
- (c) What is the angular velocity of the stick plus putty after the collision?
- (d) How far does the stick's center of mass move during one rotation of the stick?

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Then $mg - T = ma \Rightarrow mg - \frac{1}{2} ma = ma \Rightarrow mg = \frac{3}{2} ma \Rightarrow a = \frac{2}{3} \frac{g}{3}$