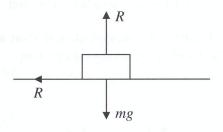
**6 (b)** A table moves in a horizontal plane with simple harmonic motion. The table completes *N* oscillations per minute.

Find, in terms of  $\mu$  and N, the greatest allowable amplitude of the motion if an object placed on the table is not to slip, where  $\mu$  is the coefficient of friction.



frequency = 
$$\frac{N}{60}$$
  
 $\frac{\omega}{2\pi} = \frac{N}{60}$   
 $\omega = \frac{\pi N}{30}$ 

$$F = mr\omega^2$$

$$\mu R = mr\omega^2$$

$$\mu mg = mr\omega^2$$

$$\mu g = r \left(\frac{\pi N}{30}\right)^2$$

$$r = \frac{900 \mu g}{\pi^2 N^2} \text{ or } \frac{893.65 \mu}{N^2}$$

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