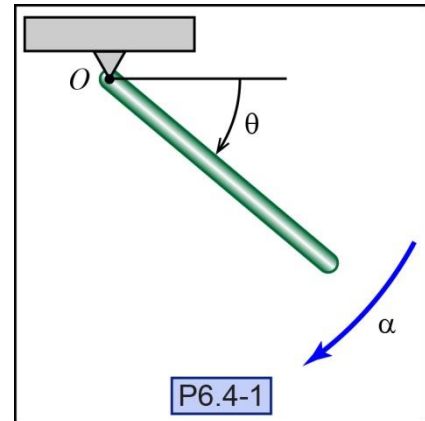


P6.4-1)^{fe} A 10-kg uniform slender rod of length 0.8 m is released from rest at an angle of $\theta = 40^\circ$. Determine the angular acceleration of the rod at $\theta = 40^\circ$ and $\theta = 90^\circ$.

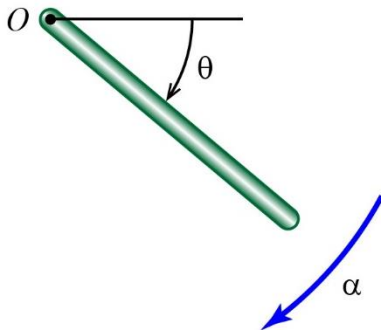
Given:



Find:

Solution:

Free-body diagram



Mass Moment of Inertia

Calculate the rod's mass moment of inertia about point O .

$I_O =$ _____

Equation of Motion

Derive the rod's equation of motion in variable form.

Eq.M: _____

Solve for the angular acceleration.

$\alpha_{\theta=90} =$ _____

$\alpha_{\theta=40} = 14.1 \text{ rad/s}^2$