

54. The free-body diagram is shown below. Newton's second law for the mass  $m$  for the  $x$  direction leads to

$$T_1 - T_2 - mg \sin \theta = ma$$

which gives the difference in the tension in the pull cable:

$$\begin{aligned} T_1 - T_2 &= m(g \sin \theta + a) \\ &= (2800)(9.8 \sin 35^\circ + 0.81) \\ &= 1.8 \times 10^4 \text{ N} . \end{aligned}$$

