

60. (a) Since the initial momentum is zero, then the final momenta must add (in the vector sense) to 0. Therefore, with SI units understood, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \vec{p}_3 &= -\vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_2 \\
 &= -m_1\vec{v}_1 - m_2\vec{v}_2 \\
 &= -(16.7 \times 10^{-27}) (6.00 \times 10^6 \hat{i}) - (8.35 \times 10^{-27}) (-8.00 \times 10^6 \hat{j}) \\
 &= -1.00 \times 10^{-19} \hat{i} + 0.67 \times 10^{-19} \hat{j} \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m/s} .
 \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Dividing by  $m_3 = 11.7 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$  and using Pythagorean's theorem we find the speed of the third particle to be  $v_3 = 1.03 \times 10^7 \text{ m/s}$ . The total amount of kinetic energy is

$$\frac{1}{2}m_1v_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_2v_2^2 + \frac{1}{2}m_3v_3^2 = 1.19 \times 10^{-12} \text{ J} .$$