

2-1. The initial velocity of the 100-kg block is  $v_0 = 5$  m/s, and its initial position is  $s_0 = 2$  m. If a normally distributed force  $P \sim N(500, 50^2)$  N is applied to the block, determine the distributions of the position and velocity of the block when  $t = 5$  s. Assume the coefficient of kinetic friction between the block and the ground is  $\mu_k = 0.3$ .

**Solution:**  $v \sim N(13.27, 1.77^2)$  m/s,  $s \sim N(47.66, 4.42^2)$  m

