## Homework Problem 3.A

Given: Spheres A and B have masses of $m_{\mathrm{A}}$ and $m_{\mathrm{B}}$, respectively. All surfaces are smooth.

## Find:

a) Determine the reaction force of sphere A acting on sphere B.
b) Determine the reaction forces of the channel at the 3 points of contact (left, right and bottom).

Use the following parameters in your analysis: $m_{\mathrm{A}}=45 \mathrm{~kg}$ and $m_{\mathrm{B}}=20 \mathrm{~kg}$.


