

# MOTION IN A PLANE

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1. The vector that must be added to the vector  $\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}$  and  $3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$  so that the resultant vector is a unit vector along the positive y-axis, is

(a)  $4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$  (b)  $-4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 9\hat{k}$   
(c)  $3\hat{i} - 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$  (d) null vector

2. Two stones are projected from the same point with same speed making angles  $(45^\circ + \theta)$  and  $(45^\circ - \theta)$  with the horizontal respectively. If  $\theta \leq 45^\circ$ , then the horizontal ranges of the two stones are in the ratio of

(a) 1 : 1 (b) 1 : 2  
(c) 1 : 3 (d) 1 : 4

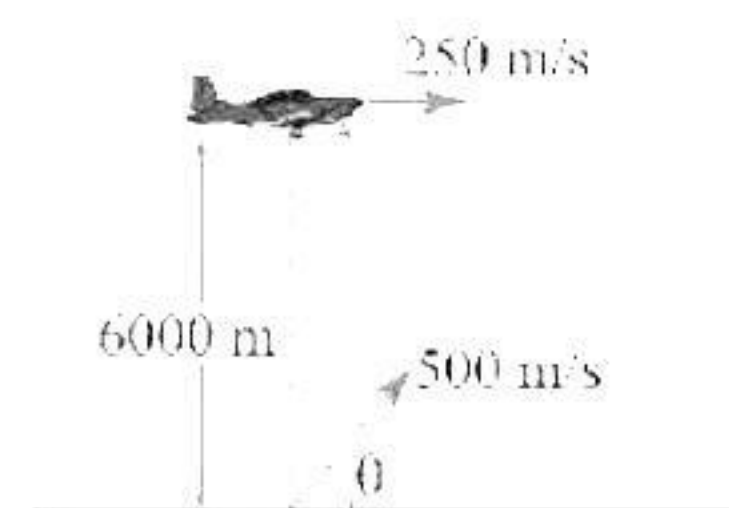
3. The angle between the two vectors

$$\vec{A} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k} \text{ and } \vec{B} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k} \text{ will be}$$

(a) zero (b)  $45^\circ$   
(c)  $90^\circ$  (d)  $180^\circ$

4. An aircraft moving with a speed of 250 m/s is at a height of 6000 m, just overhead of an anti aircraft gun. If the muzzle velocity is 500 m/s, the firing angle  $\theta$  should be:

(a)  $30^\circ$   
(b)  $45^\circ$   
(c)  $60^\circ$   
(d)  $90^\circ$



5. At the height 80 m, an aeroplane is moving with a speed of 150 m/s. A bomb is dropped from it so as to hit a target. At what distance from the target should the bomb be dropped (given  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ )

(a) 605.3m (b) 600m  
(c) 80m (d) 230m

6. An object is projected with a velocity of 20 m/s making an angle of  $45^\circ$  with horizontal. The equation for the trajectory is  $h = Ax - Bx^2$  where  $h$  is height,  $x$  is horizontal distance,  $A$  and  $B$  are constants. The ratio  $A : B$  is ( $g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ )

(a) 1 : 5 (b) 5 : 1  
(c) 1 : 40 (d) 40 : 1

7. A large number of bullets are fired in all directions with the same speed  $v$  from ground. What is the maximum area on the ground on which these bullets will spread?

(a)  $\frac{\pi v^2}{g}$  (b)  $\frac{\pi v^4}{g^2}$   
(c)  $\pi^2 \frac{v^2}{g^2}$  (d)  $\frac{\pi^2 v^4}{g^2}$



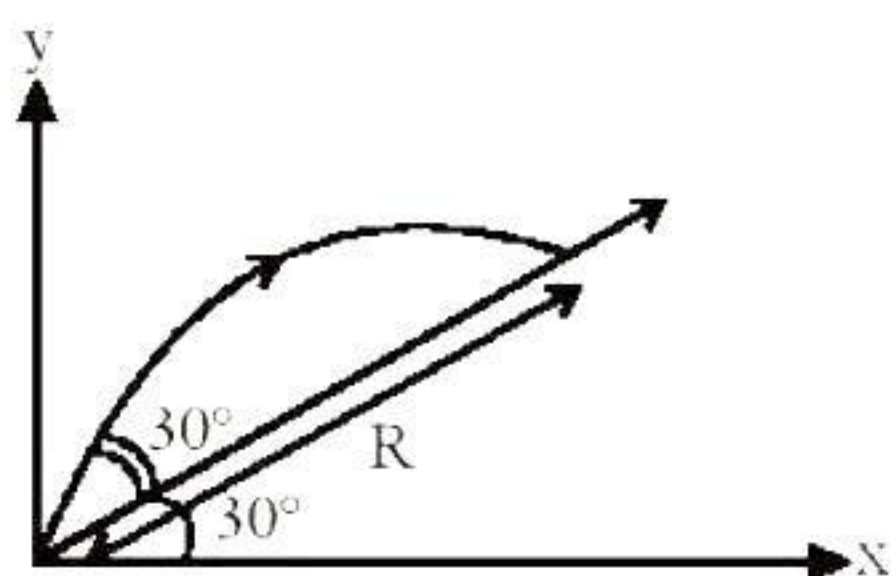
8. A man can swim in still water with a speed of 2 m/s. If he wants to cross a river of water current speed  $\sqrt{3}$  m/s along the shortest possible path, then in which direction should he swim?
- (a) At an angle  $120^\circ$  to the water current.  
 (b) At an angle  $150^\circ$  to the water current.  
 (c) At an angle  $90^\circ$  to the water current.  
 (d) None of these
9. Initial velocity with which a body is projected is 10 m/sec and angle of projection is  $60^\circ$  with horizontal, find the range R

(a)  $\frac{15\sqrt{3}m}{2}$

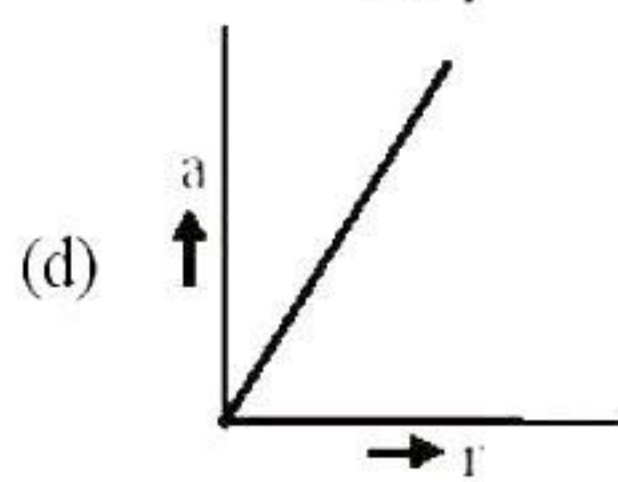
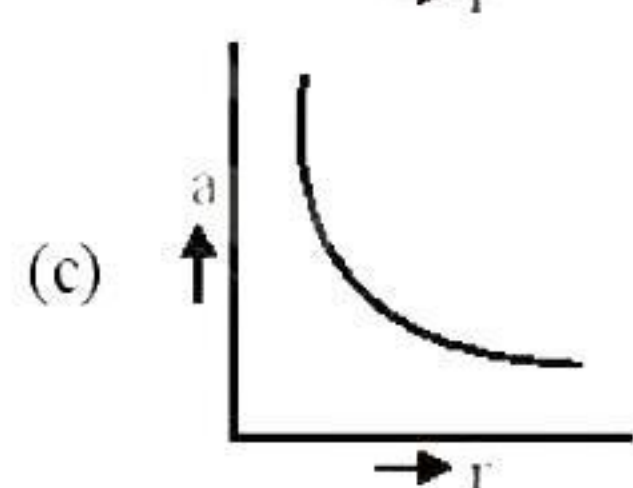
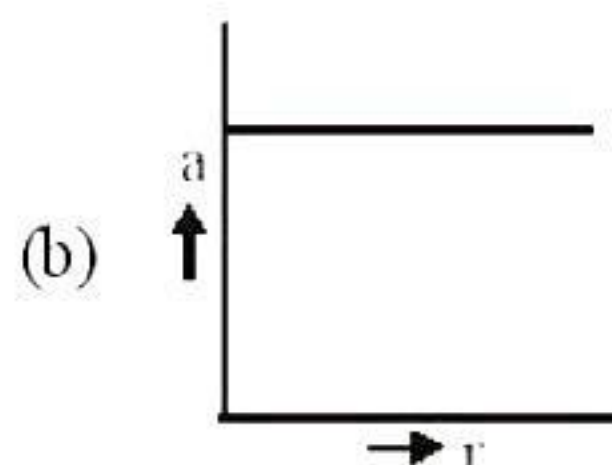
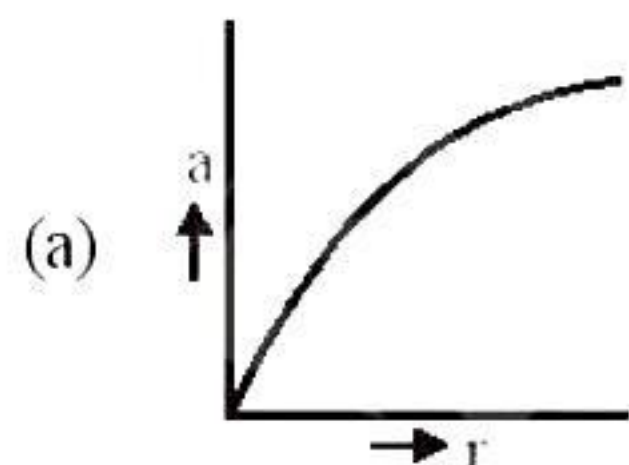
(b)  $\frac{40}{3}m$

(c)  $5\sqrt{3}m$

(d)  $\frac{20}{3}m$



10. If  $a_r$  and  $a_t$  represent radial and tangential accelerations, the motion of particle will be uniformly circular, if
- (a)  $a_r = 0$  and  $a_t = 0$   
 (b)  $a_r = 0$  but  $a_t \neq 0$   
 (c)  $a_r \neq 0$  and  $a_t = 0$   
 (d)  $a_r \neq 0$  and  $a_t \neq 0$
11. If a body moving in circular path maintains constant speed of  $10 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ , then which of the following correctly describes relation between magnitude of acceleration and radius ?



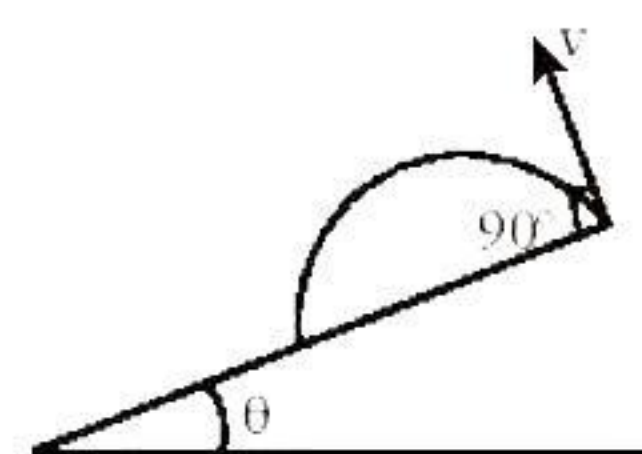
12. A projectile thrown with velocity  $v$  making angle  $\theta$  with vertical gains maximum height 20m in the time for which the projectile remains in air, the time period is
- (a) 15 s (b) 25 s  
 (c) 9 s (d) 4 s
13. A projectile is fired with a velocity  $v$  at right angle to the slope which is inclined at an angle  $\theta$  with the horizontal. The range of the projectile along the inclined plane is:

(a)  $\frac{2v^2 \tan \theta}{g}$

(b)  $\frac{v^2 \sec \theta}{g}$

(c)  $\frac{2v^2 \tan \theta \sec \theta}{g}$

(d)  $\frac{v^2 \sin \theta}{g}$



14. A car is moving along a circular path of radius 500 m with a speed of 30 m/s. If at some instant, its speed increases at the rate of  $2 \text{ m/s}^2$ , then at that instant the magnitude of resultant acceleration will be
- (a)  $4.7 \text{ m/s}^2$  (b)  $3.8 \text{ m/s}^2$   
 (c)  $3 \text{ m/s}^2$  (d)  $2.7 \text{ m/s}^2$
15. A projectile reaches its highest point when it has covered exactly one half of its horizontal range. The corresponding point on the horizontal component of velocity-time (i.e.  $v_x-t$ ) graph is characterized by
- (a) negative slope  
 (b) negative slope and negative curvature  
 (c) zero slope  
 (d) positive slope

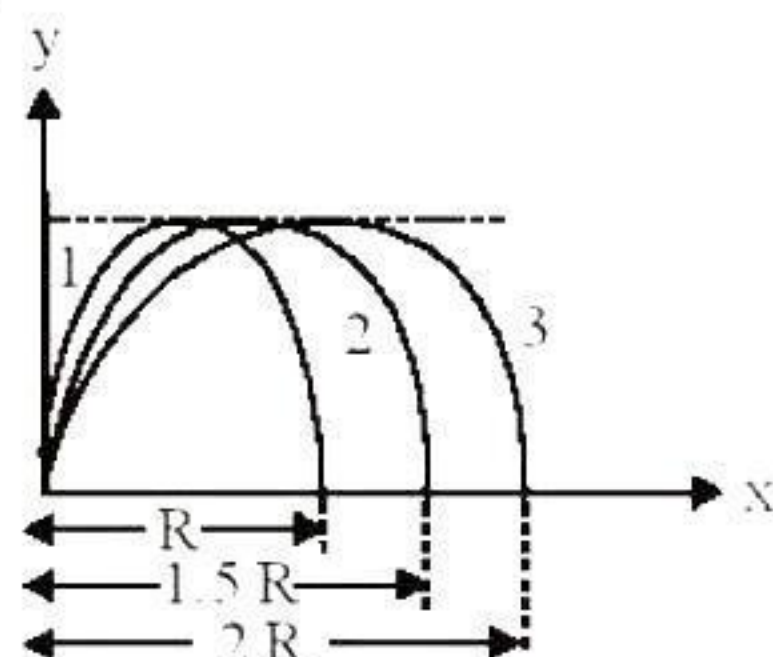


16. Two bodies are thrown up at angles of  $45^\circ$  and  $60^\circ$  respectively, with the horizontal. If both bodies attain same vertical height, then the ratio of velocities with which these are thrown is

- (a)  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$  (b)  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$   
(c)  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$  (d)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

17. Trajectories are shown in figure are for three kicked footballs, ignoring the effect of the air on the footballs. If  $T_1$ ,  $T_2$  and  $T_3$  are their respective time of flights then:

- (a)  $T_1 > T_3$   
(b)  $T_1 < T_3$   
(c)  $T_2 = \frac{T_3}{2}$   
(d)  $T_1 = T_2 = T_3$



18. A projectile is given an initial velocity of  $(\hat{i} + 2\hat{j})$  m/s, where  $\hat{i}$  is along the ground and  $\hat{j}$  is along the vertical. If  $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$ , the equation of its trajectory is :

- (a)  $y = x - 5x^2$  (b)  $y = 2x - 5x^2$   
(c)  $4y = 2x - 5x^2$  (d)  $4y = 2x - 25x^2$

19. A clock has a continuously moving second's hand of 0.1 m length. The average acceleration of the tip of the hand (in units of  $\text{ms}^{-2}$ ) is of the order of:

- (a)  $10^{-3}$  (b)  $10^{-4}$   
(c)  $10^{-2}$  (d)  $10^{-1}$

20. A particle has an initial velocity of  $3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$  and an acceleration of  $0.4\hat{i} + 0.3\hat{j}$ . Its speed after 10 s is :

- (a)  $7\sqrt{2}$  units (b) 7 units  
(c) 8.5 units (d) 10 units

21. A particle is moving along a circular path with a constant speed of  $10 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ . What is the magnitude of the change in velocity of the particle, when it moves through an angle of  $60^\circ$  around the centre of the circle?

- (a)  $10\sqrt{3} \text{ m/s}$  (b) zero  
(c)  $10\sqrt{2} \text{ m/s}$  (d)  $10 \text{ m/s}$

22. A projectile is thrown in the upward direction making an angle of  $60^\circ$  with the horizontal direction with a velocity of  $147 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ . Then the time after which its inclination with horizontal is  $45^\circ$ , is

- (a) 15 s (b) 10.98 s  
(c) 5.49 s (d) 2.745 s

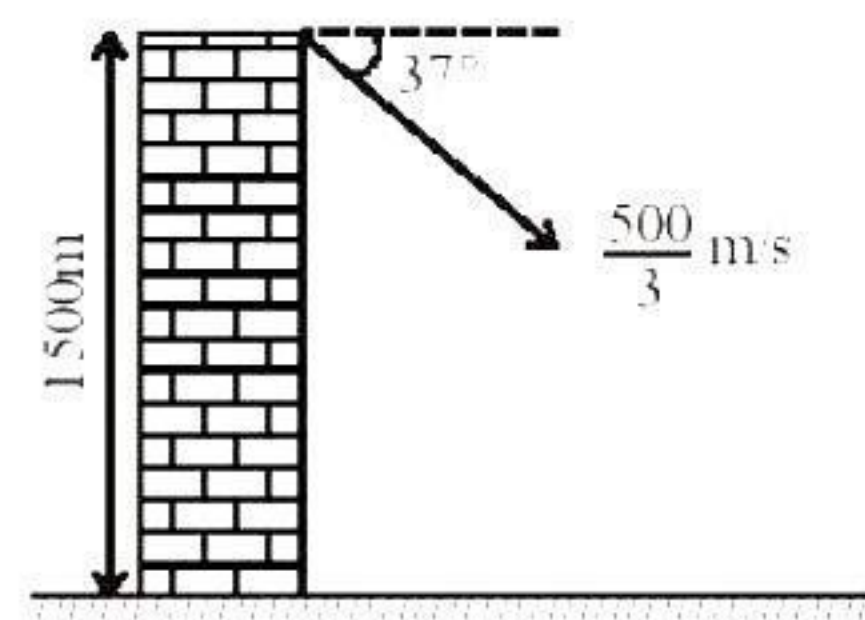
23. A boy playing on the roof of a 20 m high tower throws a ball with a speed of 20 m/s at an angle of  $45^\circ$  with the horizontal. How far from the throwing point will the ball be at the height of 20 m from the ground ?

$[g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2]$

- (a) 20 m (b) 4.33 m  
(c) 2.60 m (d) 40 m

24. A particle is projected from a tower as shown in figure, then the distance from the foot of the tower where it will strike the ground will be

- (a)  $4000/3 \text{ m}$   
(b)  $2000 \text{ m}$   
(c)  $1000/3 \text{ m}$   
(d)  $2500/3 \text{ m}$



25. An electric fan has blades of length 30 cm measured from the axis of rotation. If the fan is rotating at 120 rpm, the acceleration of a point on the tip of the blade is

- (a)  $1600 \text{ ms}^{-2}$  (b)  $47.4 \text{ ms}^{-2}$   
(c)  $23.7 \text{ ms}^{-2}$  (d)  $50.55 \text{ ms}^{-2}$



26. A ball projected from ground at an angle of  $45^\circ$  just clears a wall in front. If point of projection is 4 m from the foot of wall and ball strikes the ground at a distance of 6 m on the other side of the wall, the height of the wall is :
- (a) 4.4m (b) 2.4m  
(c) 3.6m (d) 1.6m
27. A particle is projected with a certain velocity at an angle  $\alpha$  above the horizontal from the foot of an inclined plane of inclination  $30^\circ$ . If the particle strikes the plane normally then  $\alpha$  is
- (a)  $30^\circ + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  (b)  $30^\circ + \tan^{-1}\frac{1}{2}$   
(c)  $30^\circ + \tan^{-1}1$  (d)  $60^\circ$
28. A ball is thrown from a point with a speed ' $v_0$ ' at an elevation angle of  $\theta$ . From the same point and at the same instant, a person starts running with a constant speed  $\frac{v_0}{2}$  to catch the ball. Will the person be able to catch the ball? If yes, what should be the angle of projection  $\theta$ ?
- (a) No (b) Yes,  $30^\circ$   
(c) Yes,  $60^\circ$  (d) Yes,  $45^\circ$
29. A shell is fired from a fixed artillery gun with an initial speed  $u$  such that it hits the target on the ground at a distance  $R$  from it. If  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  are the values of the time taken by it to hit the target in two possible ways, the product  $t_1 t_2$  is :
- (a)  $R/4g$  (b)  $R/g$   
(c)  $R/2g$  (d)  $2R/g$
30. Two particles are projected from the same point with the same speed  $u$  such that they have the same range  $R$ , but different maximum heights,  $h_1$  and  $h_2$ . Which of the following is correct ?
- (a)  $R^2 = 4 h_1 h_2$  (b)  $R^2 = 16 h_1 h_2$   
(c)  $R^2 = 2 h_1 h_2$  (d)  $R^2 = h_1 h_2$

ANSWER KEY																			
1	(b)	4	(c)	7	(b)	10	(c)	13	(c)	16	(c)	19	(a)	22	(c)	25	(b)	28	(c)
2	(a)	5	(a)	8	(b)	11	(c)	14	(d)	17	(d)	20	(a)	23	(d)	26	(b)	29	(d)
3	(c)	6	(d)	9	(d)	12	(d)	15	(c)	18	(b)	21	(d)	24	(a)	27	(a)	30	(b)



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1. (b) Unit vector along y axis =  $\hat{j}$ , so the required vector

$$= \hat{j} - [(\hat{i} - 3\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + (3\hat{i} + 6\hat{j} + 7\hat{k})]$$

$$= -4\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} - 9\hat{k}$$

2. (a) Note that the given angles of projection add upto  $90^\circ$ . So, the ratio of horizontal ranges is 1 : 1.

3. (c)  $\vec{A} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$ ,  $\vec{B} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k}$

$$\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = (3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}) \cdot (3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j} - 5\hat{k})$$

$$|\vec{A}| |\vec{B}| \cos \theta = 9 + 16 - 25 = 0$$

$$|\vec{A}| \neq 0, |\vec{B}| \neq 0, \text{ hence, } \cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 90^\circ$$

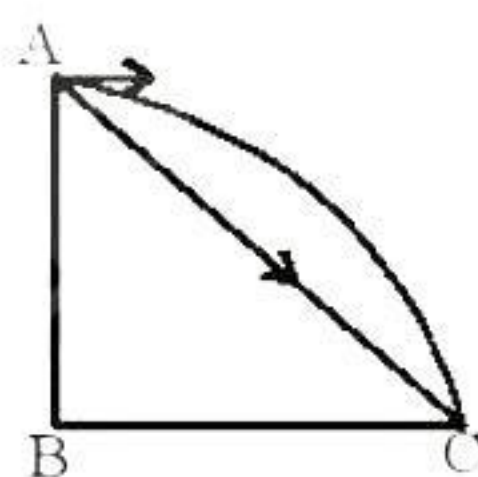
4. (c)  $500 \cos \theta = 250 \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore \theta = 60^\circ$$

5. (a) The horizontal distance covered by bomb,

$$BC = u_H \times \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$$

$$= 150 \sqrt{\frac{2 \times 80}{10}} = 600 \text{ m}$$



$\therefore$  The distance of target from dropping point of bomb.

$$AC = \sqrt{AB^2 + BC^2} = \sqrt{(80)^2 + (600)^2}$$

$$= 605.3 \text{ m}$$

6. (d) Standard equation of projectile motion

$$y = x \tan \theta - \frac{gx^2}{2u^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

Comparing with given equation

$$A = \tan \theta \quad \text{and} \quad B = \frac{g}{2u^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{A}{B} = \frac{\tan \theta \times 2u^2 \cos^2 \theta}{g} = 40$$

$$(\text{As } \theta = 45^\circ, u = 20 \text{ m/s, } g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2)$$

7. (b) Maximum possible horizontal range =  $v^2/g$   
Maximum possible area of the circle

$$= \pi \left( \frac{v^2}{g} \right)^2 = \frac{\pi v^4}{g^2}$$

8. (b)

$$9. (d) \quad t = \frac{2u \sin 30^\circ}{g \cos 30^\circ} = \frac{2(10)(1/2)}{10(\sqrt{3}/2)} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ sec}$$

$$R = 10 \cos 30^\circ t - \frac{1}{2} g \sin 30^\circ t^2$$

$$= \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2} \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \right) - \frac{1}{2} (10) \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= 10 - \frac{10}{3} = \frac{20}{3} \text{ m}$$

10. (c) When a particle moves on a circular path with a constant speed, then its motion is said to be a uniform circular motion in a plane. This motion has radial acceleration whose magnitude remains constant but whose direction changes continuously. So  $a_r \neq 0$  and  $a_t = 0$ .

11. (c) Speed,  $v = \text{constant}$  (from question)

$$\text{Centripetal acceleration, } a = \frac{v^2}{r}$$

$$ra = \text{constant}$$

Hence graph (c) correctly describes relation between acceleration and radius.



12. (d)

13. (c) If  $t$  is the time of flight, then

$$0 = v t - \frac{1}{2} (g \cos \theta) t^2.$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{2v}{g \cos \theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Range, } R &= 0 + \frac{1}{2} (g \sin \theta) t^2 = \frac{1}{2} g \sin \theta \left( \frac{2v}{g \cos \theta} \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{2v^2 \tan \theta \sec \theta}{g} \end{aligned}$$

14. (d) Centripetal acc,

$$a_c = \frac{v^2}{r} = \frac{(30)^2}{500} = 1.8 \text{ m/s}^2$$

Tangential acc,  $a_t = 2 \text{ m/s}^2$

$$\therefore \text{Resultant acc, } a = \sqrt{a_t^2 + a_c^2} = 2.7 \text{ m/s}^2$$

15. (c)

$$16. (c) \quad H_{\max} = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

According to question,

$$\frac{u_1^2 \sin^2 45^\circ}{2g} = \frac{u_2^2 \sin^2 60^\circ}{2g}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{u_1^2}{u_2^2} = \frac{\sin^2 60^\circ}{\sin^2 45^\circ} \Rightarrow \frac{u_1}{u_2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}/2}{1/\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{3}$$

17. (d) As maximum height attained by each one is same, so  $u_y$  is also same. As

$$T = \frac{2u_y}{g},$$

So  $T_1 = T_2 = T_3$ .

18. (b) From equation,  $\vec{r} = \hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$

$$\Rightarrow x = t \quad \dots (i)$$

$$y = 2t - \frac{1}{2} (10t^2) \quad \dots (ii)$$

From (i) and (ii),  $y = 2x - 5x^2$

19. (a) Here,  $R = 0.1 \text{ m}$

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \frac{2\pi}{60} = 0.105 \text{ rad/s}$$

Acceleration of the tip of the clock second's hand,

$$\begin{aligned} a &= \omega^2 R = (0.105)^2 (0.1) = 0.0011 \\ &= 1.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m/s}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, average acceleration is of the order of  $10^{-3}$ .

20. (a) Given  $\vec{u} = 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$ ,  $\vec{a} = 0.4\hat{i} + 0.3\hat{j}$ ,  $t = 10 \text{ s}$

From 1st equation of motion,

$$\vec{a} = \frac{\vec{v} - \vec{u}}{t}$$

$$\therefore \vec{v} = \vec{a}t + \vec{u}$$

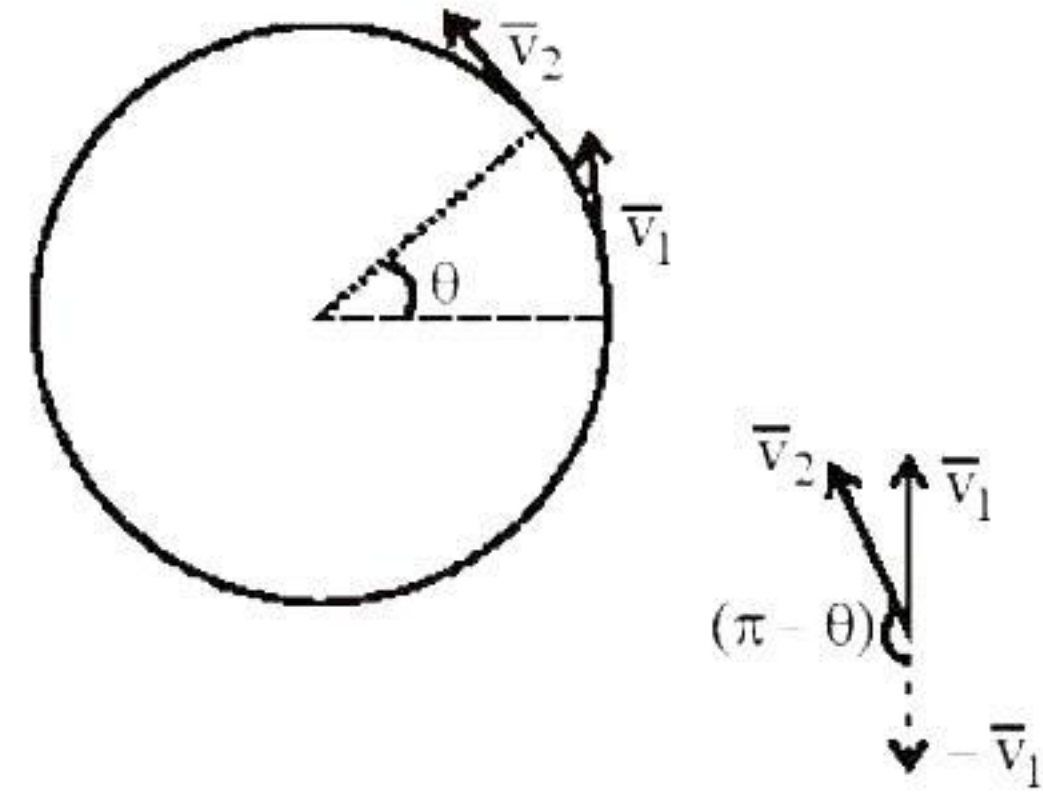
$$\Rightarrow \vec{v} = (0.4\hat{i} + 0.3\hat{j}) \times 10 + (3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j})$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\hat{i} + 3\hat{j} + 3\hat{i} + 4\hat{j}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{v} = 7\hat{i} + 7\hat{j}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\vec{v}| = \sqrt{7^2 + 7^2} = 7\sqrt{2} \text{ unit.}$$

21. (d)



Change in velocity,

$$\begin{aligned} |\Delta \vec{v}| &= \sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2 + 2v_1 v_2 \cos(\pi - \theta)} \\ &= 2v \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \quad (\because |\vec{v}_1| = |\vec{v}_2| = v) \\ &= (2 \times 10) \times \sin(30^\circ) = 2 \times 10 \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= 10 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$

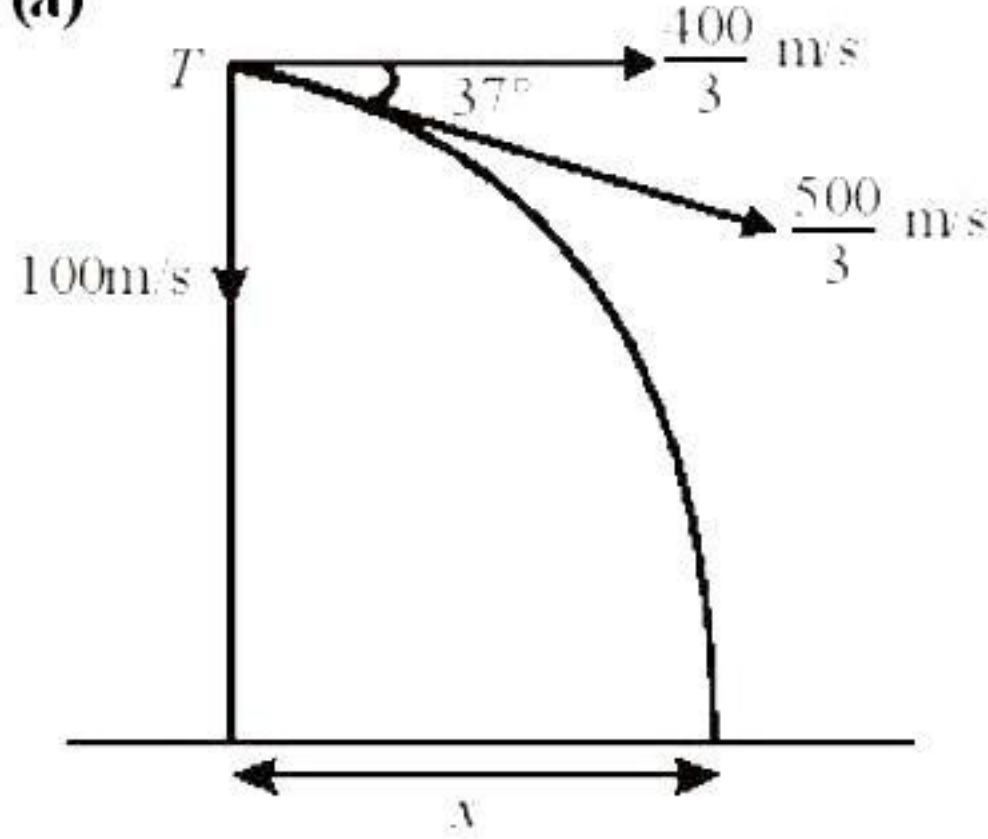
22. (c)



23. (d) Tower height and final height is same so, required range is:

$$R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} = \frac{(20)^2 \sin(2 \times 45^\circ)}{10} = 40 \text{ m}$$

24. (a)

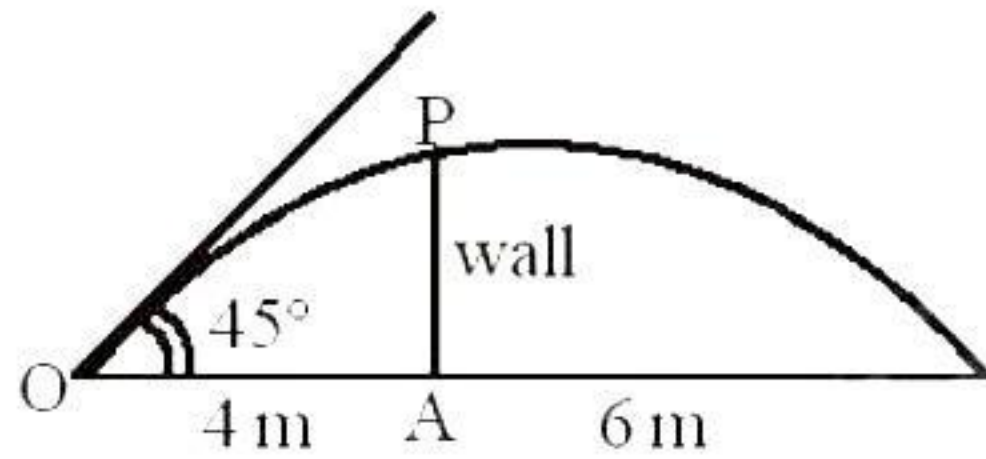


$$1500 = 100t + \frac{1}{2}10t^2 ; t = 10 \text{ sec.}$$

$$x = \frac{400}{3}t = \frac{4000}{3} \text{ m}$$

25. (b)

26. (b)



As ball is projected at an angle  $45^\circ$  to the horizontal therefore Range =  $4H$

$$\alpha \quad 10 = 4H \Rightarrow H = \frac{10}{4} = 2.5 \text{ m}$$

$$(\because \text{Range} = 4 \text{ m} + 6 \text{ m} = 10 \text{ m})$$

$$\text{Maximum height, } H = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

$$\therefore u^2 = \frac{H \times 2g}{\sin^2 \theta} = \frac{2.5 \times 2 \times 10}{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} = 100$$

$$\alpha, \quad u = \sqrt{100} = 10 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

Height of wall PA

$$= OA \tan \theta - \frac{1}{2} \frac{g(OA)^2}{u^2 \cos^2 \theta}$$

$$= 4 - \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{10 \times 16}{10 \times 10 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = 2.4 \text{ m}$$

27. (a)

28. (c) Yes, Man will catch the ball, if the horizontal component of velocity becomes equal to the constant speed of man.

$$\frac{v_o}{2} = v_o \cos \theta$$

$$\text{or } \theta = 60^\circ$$

29. (d) R will be same for  $\theta$  and  $90^\circ - \theta$ .

Time of flights:

$$t_1 = \frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \text{ and}$$

$$t_2 = \frac{2u \sin(90^\circ - \theta)}{g} = \frac{2u \cos \theta}{g}$$

$$\text{Now, } t_1 t_2 = \left( \frac{2u \sin \theta}{g} \right) \left( \frac{2u \cos \theta}{g} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{g} \left( \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g} \right) = \frac{2R}{g}$$

30. (b) For same range, the angle of projections are:

$\theta$  and  $90^\circ - \theta$ . So,

$$h_1 = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g} \text{ and}$$

$$h_2 = \frac{u^2 \sin^2(90^\circ - \theta)}{2g} = \frac{u^2 \cos^2 \theta}{2g}$$

$$\text{Also, } R = \frac{u^2 \sin 2\theta}{g}$$

$$h_1 h_2 = \frac{u^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g} \times \frac{u^2 \cos^2 \theta}{2g}$$

$$= \frac{u^2}{16} \frac{u^2 (2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)^2}{g^2}$$

$$= \frac{R^2}{16}$$

$$\text{or } R^2 = 16 h_1 h_2$$