

- 5 (a) A car driver sees a rabbit on the road.

The driver makes an emergency stop after he sees the rabbit.

Figure 6 shows the speed of the car from the time the driver sees the rabbit until the car stops.

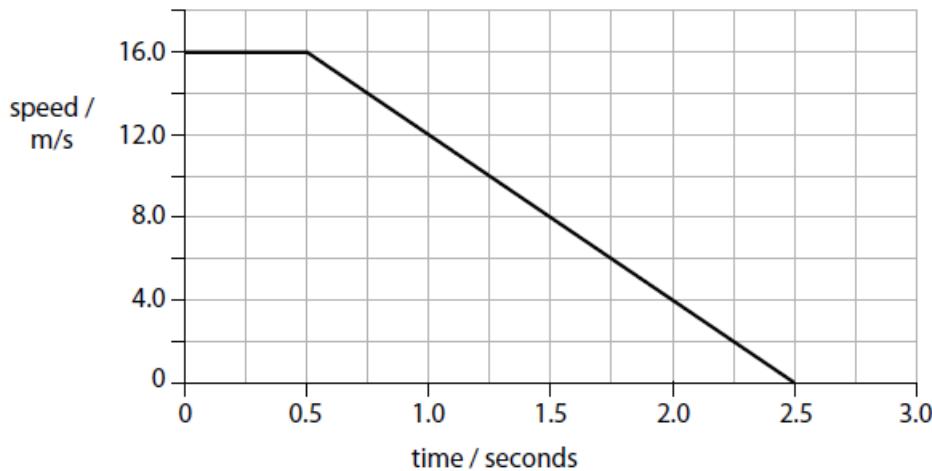


Figure 6

- (i) The distance travelled by the car from the time the driver first sees the rabbit to when car starts to slow down is the

(1)

- A average distance
- B braking distance
- C stopping distance
- D thinking distance

- (ii) Calculate the distance that the car travels in the first 0.5 seconds.

(3)

distance = m

(iii) Which equation relates acceleration to change in velocity and time?

(1)

A $a = \frac{(v - u)}{t}$

B $a = \frac{t}{(v - u)}$

C $a = t(v - u)$

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

(iv) Calculate the deceleration of the car.

(3)

deceleration = m/s²

(b) Two students, Alice and Bob, carry out an experiment to measure the speed of cars.

Alice paces out the distance between two lamp posts.

She records:

'Distance between lamp posts = 20 paces'

Bob starts to count when a car passes the first lamp post. He stops counting when he thinks it has passed the second lamp post.

He records:

'My estimate for the time taken for the car to pass between the two lamp posts = 3'

Give **three** ways the students could improve their experimental procedure.

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(Total for Question 5 = 11 marks)

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| 5(a)(i) | D | (1) |

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| 5(a)(ii) | <p>16.0 (m/s) read from graph (1)</p> <p>Substitution (1) (distance travelled =) 16×0.5</p> <p>Answer (1) 8.0 (m) (1)</p> | <p>award full marks for correct numerical answer without working</p> <p>ecf for substitution and answer using wrong speed value</p> | (3) |

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| 5(a)(iii) | A | (1) |

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| 5(a)(iv) | <p>Obtain readings from graph (1)</p> <p>Substitution (1) $\frac{16}{2.0}$</p> <p>Answer (1) 8.0 (m/s^2)</p> | <p>award full marks for correct numerical answer without working</p> | (3) |

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| 5(b) | <p>Any three improvements from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • suitable instrument to measure distance (1) • using a greater distance (to reduce effect of reaction times) (1) • suitable instrument to measure time (1) • use of one student at the {first/second} lamp post to signal when to {start/stop} timing (1) | <p>allow tape measure, trundle wheel</p> <p>allow stop watch/clock or timing app. on phone</p> | (3) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • two of three sets of students taking readings for the same car (1) | | |