

Applied Physics R# 200828

Assignment #1

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Chapter 1 and 3

Chapter 1

Problem 1

Solution

Radius of Earth = $6.37 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$

(a) circumference in km = ?

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Circumference} &= 2\pi r \\ &= 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 6.37 \times 10^6 \\ &= 40.04 \times 10^6 \text{ m}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{10^3 \times 40.04 \times 10^6 \text{ m}}{10^3}$$

$$= 40.04 \times 10^3 \text{ km}$$

$$= 4 \times 10^4 \text{ km}$$

(b) Surface Area in km^2 = ?

$$\text{Surface Area} = 4\pi r^2$$

$$= 4\pi \cdot (6370 \text{ km})^2$$

$$= 4\pi \cdot 40,576,900 \text{ km}^2$$

$$= 5.10 \times 10^8 \text{ km}^2$$

(6) volume in km^3

$$\text{Volume} = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \pi \cdot (6370 \text{ km})^3$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \pi \cdot (2.58474853 \times 10^{11}) \text{ km}^3$$

$$= 1.08 \times 10^{12} \text{ km}^3$$

Problem 3

Solution

(a)

$$1 \text{ km} = 10^3 \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{10^9}{10^9} \cdot 10^3 \text{ m}$$

$$= 10^9 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

$$= 10^9 \mu\text{m}$$

(b)

$$1 \mu\text{m} = 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{10^{-4}}{10^{-4}} \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

$$= 10^{-4} \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ m}$$

$$= 10^{-4} \text{ cm}$$

(c)

$$1 \text{ yard} = 3 \text{ ft}$$

$$= 3(.9144 \text{ m})$$

$$= 0.914 \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{10^6}{10^6} \cdot 0.914 \text{ m}$$

$$= (10^6)(0.914) \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

$$= 914000 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$$

$$= 9.14 \times 10^5 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$$

Problem 9

Solution:

$$\text{Radius of Semicircle} = 2000 \text{ km}$$

$$= 2000 \times 10^3 \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{10^{-2}}{10^{-2}} \cdot 2 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^8 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Height of Cylinder} = 3000 \text{ m}$$

$$= 3 \times 10^3 \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{10^{-2} \cdot 3 \times 10^3 \text{ m}}{10^{-2}}$$

$$= 3 \times 10^5 \text{ cm}$$

As volume of cylinder equals area of circle (πr^2) multiplied by height (h). But here we are ~~not~~ considering semi-circle so we will divide area by 2.

$$\text{Volume} = \frac{\pi r^2 \cdot h}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(\pi)(2 \times 10^2)^2 \cdot (3 \times 10^5)}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(\pi)(4 \times 10^4)(3 \times 10^5)}{2}$$

$$= 18.8 \times 10^{21} \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= 1.88 \times 10^{22} \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Or} = 1.9 \times 10^{22} \text{ cm}^3$$

Problem 11:

Solution:

(a) French decimal week to standard week.

French week consisted of 10 days

Standard week consists of 7 days

$$\text{Ratio} = \frac{10}{7} = 1.43$$

(b) French decimal second to standard second.

Standard day consists of $24 \times 60 \times 60 = 86400$ sec

or we can say 1 second = $\frac{1}{86400}$ days

French day consisted of $10 \times 100 \times 100 = 10^5$ sec

or 1 sec = $\frac{1}{10^5}$ days

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ratio} &= \frac{1/10^5}{1/86400} = \frac{1}{10^5} \times \frac{86400}{1} \\ &= 0.864 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 12

Solution:

$$\text{height of plant} = 3.7 \text{ m}$$

$$= \frac{10^{+6}}{10^{+6}} \cdot 3.7 \text{ m}$$

$$= 3.7 \times 10^6 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

$$= 3700000 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$$

$$\text{Time} = 14 \text{ days}$$

$$= 14 \times 24 \times 60 \times 60 \text{ s}$$

$$= 1,209,600 \text{ seconds}$$

$$\text{Ratio of Growth} = \frac{3700000}{1,209,600} \text{ } \mu\text{m/s}$$

$$= 3.06 \text{ } \mu\text{m/s}$$

Chapter 3:

Problem 3:

Solution

(a) magnitude of \vec{A}

$$|\vec{A}_x| = -25 \text{ m}$$

$$|\vec{A}_y| = 40 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{A}| &= \sqrt{(A_x)^2 + (A_y)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{(-25)^2 + (40)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{2225} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\vec{A}| = 47.17$$

(b) direction

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \frac{A_y}{A_x}$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \frac{40}{25} = 58^\circ$$

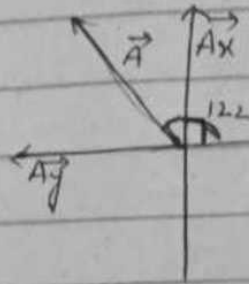
As θ lies in II quadrant

$$\text{So } \theta = 180^\circ - \phi$$

$$\theta = 180^\circ - 58^\circ = 122^\circ$$

This is the angle between origin and \vec{A} .

As the \vec{A}_x will be formed on 90° in plane as shown



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Angle between } \vec{A} \text{ \& } \vec{A}_x \text{ will be} \\ &= 122^\circ - 90^\circ \\ &= 32^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Problem 2:

Solution

$$\text{vector } \vec{r} = 15 \text{ m}$$

$$\theta = 30^\circ$$

$$|\vec{r}_x| = r \cos \theta$$

$$|\vec{r}_x| = 15 \cos 30$$

$$|\vec{r}_x| = 13 \text{ m}$$

$$|\vec{r}_y| = r \sin \theta$$

$$= 15 \sin 30$$

$$|\vec{r}_y| = 7.5 \text{ m}$$

Problem 4:

$$(a) \quad 20.0^\circ$$

$$= 20^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180}$$

$$= 0.34 \text{ rad}$$

$$(b) \quad 50.0^\circ$$

$$= 50 \times \frac{\pi}{180}$$

$$= 0.87 \text{ rad}$$

$$(c) \quad 100^\circ$$

$$= 100 \times \frac{\pi}{180}$$

$$= 1.74 \text{ rad}$$

(d) 0.330 rad

$$= 0.330 \times \frac{180}{\pi}$$

$$\approx 19^\circ$$

(e) 2.10 rad

$$= 2.10 \times \frac{180}{\pi}$$

$$\approx 120^\circ$$

(f) 7.70 rad

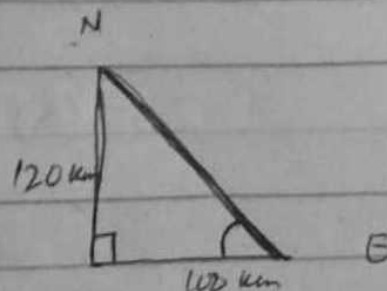
$$= 7.70 \times \frac{180}{\pi}$$

$$\approx 441^\circ$$

Problem 5

Solution

Finding third side
of the triangle



$$(H)^2 = (B)^2 + (P)^2$$

$$(H)^2 = (100)^2 + (120)^2$$

$$H = \sqrt{10000 + 14400}$$

$$H = 156.20 \text{ km}$$

As $\cos \theta = \frac{\text{base}}{\text{hyp}}$

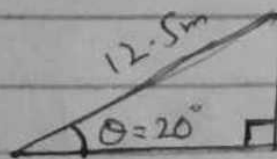
$$\cos \theta = \frac{100}{156.20}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{100}{156.20}$$

$$\theta = 50.2^\circ$$

So the ship has to travel 156.20 km in North-West direction or at an angle of 50.2° from x-axis

Problem 6



Solution (b)

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{base}}{\text{hyp}}$$

$$\cos 20 = \frac{\text{base}}{12.5} \Rightarrow \text{base} = 11.75 \text{ m}$$

Thus machinery is moved horizontally
by 11.75 m

(a)

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{perp}}{\text{hyp}}$$

$$\sin 20^\circ = \frac{\text{perp}}{12.5}$$

$$\text{perp} = 4.28 \text{ m}$$

Thus machinery is moved vertically
by 4.28 m .

Problem 7

(a)

$$3 + 4 = 7 \quad \text{if}$$

$$|\vec{r}_1| + |\vec{r}_2|$$

Two vectors must be parallel
and in the same direction.

(b)

$$4 - 3 = 1 = |\vec{r}_2| - |\vec{r}_1|$$

Two vectors must be parallel
and in opposite direction

(c)

$$= \sqrt{(4)^2 + (3)^2}$$

$$= 5$$

$$= \sqrt{(\vec{r}_2)^2 + (\vec{r}_1)^2}$$

Two vectors must be perpendicular

Problem 9

(a) $\vec{a} + \vec{b}$

$$\vec{a} + \vec{b} = [4 + (-1)]\hat{i} + [(-3) + 1]\hat{j} + [1 + 4]\hat{k}$$

$$= 3\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 5\hat{k}$$

or $= 3m\hat{i} - 2m\hat{j} + 5m\hat{k}$

(b) $\vec{a} - \vec{b}$

$$\vec{a} - \vec{b} = [4 - (-1)]\hat{i} + [(-3) - 1]\hat{j} + [1 - 4]\hat{k}$$

$$= 5m\hat{i} - 4m\hat{j} - 3m\hat{k}$$

(c) find vector \vec{C}

$$|\vec{C}_x| = -5m\hat{i}$$

$$|\vec{C}_y| = 4m\hat{j}$$

$$|\vec{C}_z| = 3m\hat{k}$$

$$\vec{C} = -5m\hat{i} + 4m\hat{j} + 3m\hat{k}$$