

Transposition

Transpose the following equations to make the letter in brackets the subject:

1. $v = u + at$ (u)

2. $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$ (s)

3. $s = vt - \frac{1}{2}at^2$ (a)

4. $p = 2(w + h)$ (h)

5. $A = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi rh$ (h)

6. $E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mgh$ (v)

7. $E = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mgh$ (m)

8. $a(3b - 1) = 2b + 2$ (b)

9. $\frac{t}{2t - s} = 3s$ (t)

10. $\frac{s}{2t - s} + 5 = 3t$ (s)

11. $y = a + \frac{1}{x}$ (x)

$$12. y = a + \frac{1}{1-x} \quad (x)$$

$$13. P = \frac{P_0}{1-r^2} \quad (r)$$

$$14. m = k\sqrt{a(1-x)} \quad (x)$$

$$15. V = \frac{V_0}{\sqrt{r^2-1}} \quad (r)$$

Solution: 1) $u = v - at$, 2) $s = \frac{v^2 - u^2}{2a}$, 3) $a = \frac{2(vt - s)}{t^2}$, 4) $h = \frac{p}{2} - w$, 5) $h = \frac{A - 2\pi r^2}{2\pi r}$, 6) $v = \sqrt{\frac{2(E - mgh)}{m}}$, 7) $m = \frac{E}{\frac{1}{2}v^2 + gh}$, 8) $b = \frac{2+a}{3a-2}$, 9) $t = \frac{3s^2}{6s-1}$, 10) $s = \frac{2t(3t-5)}{3t-4}$, 11) $x = \frac{1}{y-a}$, 12) $x = 1 - \frac{1}{y-a}$, 13) $r = \sqrt{1 - \frac{P_0}{P}}$, 14) $x = 1 - \frac{\left(\frac{m}{k}\right)^2}{a}$, 15) $r = \sqrt{\left(\frac{V_0}{V}\right)^2 + 1}$,