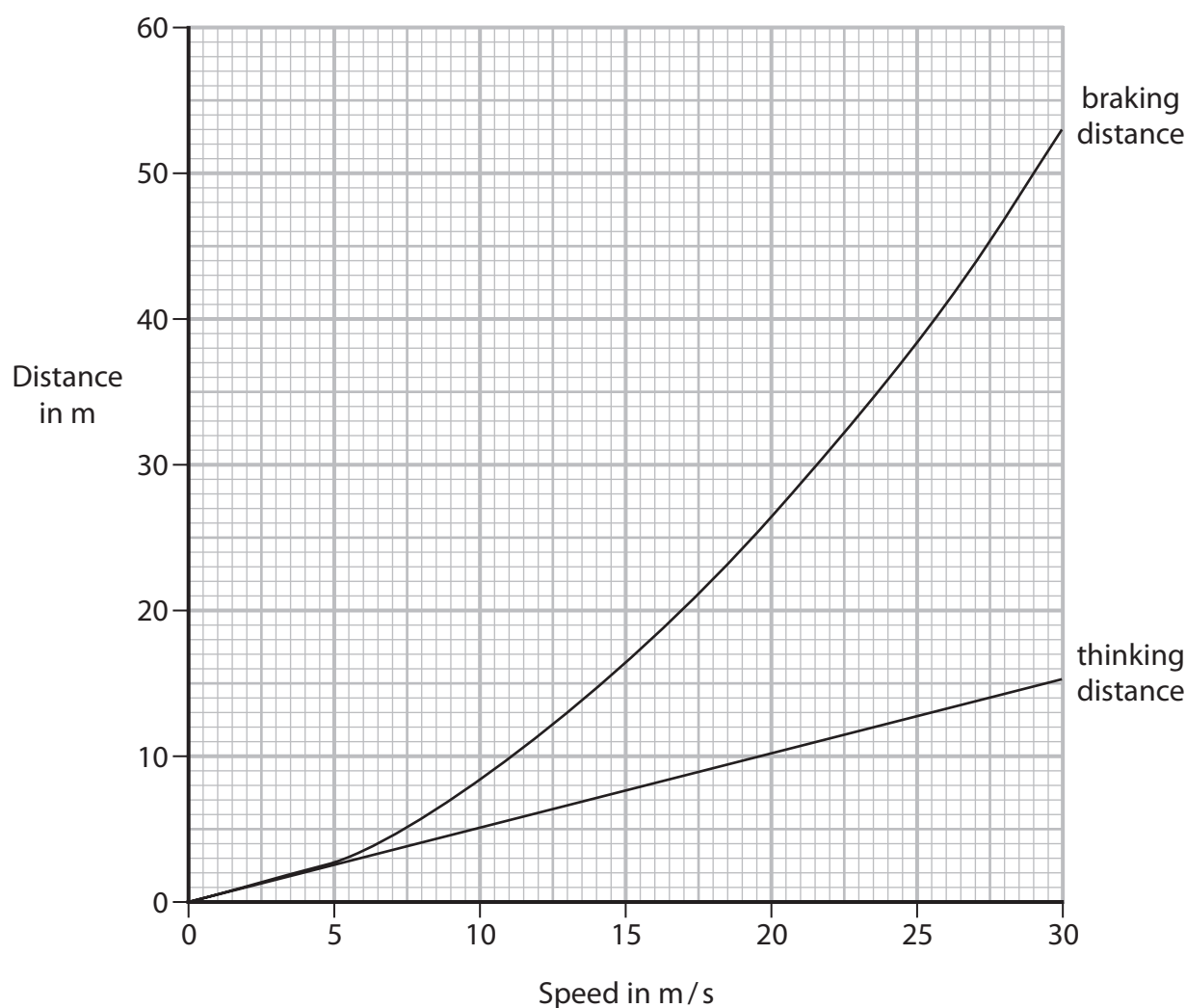


- 5 The graph shows how the thinking distance and the braking distance vary with the speed of a car.



- (a) Which of these does **not** affect thinking distance?

(1)

- ☐ A alcohol consumed by the driver
- ☐ B condition of the road
- ☐ C speed of the car
- ☐ D tiredness of the driver

- (b) Which of these would increase the braking distance of the car?

(1)

- ☐ A faster reaction time of driver
- ☐ B ice on the road
- ☐ C more powerful brakes
- ☐ D tyres with more grip



- (c) Determine the stopping distance of the car when the speed of the car is 20 m/s.

(3)

stopping distance = m

- (d) (i) State the formula linking average speed, distance moved and time taken.

(1)

- (ii) Determine the reaction time of the driver of the car.

(3)

reaction time = s

- (e) Calculate the mean braking acceleration of the car as it brakes to a stop from an initial speed of 30 m/s.

(4)

acceleration = m/s²

(Total for Question 5 = 13 marks)

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